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ECOS Steering Committee

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DATE:	16/05/2013	OBJECT:	5th Steering Meeting – 2013/05/16
N/REF:	ENSAR-ECOS/2013.02	PLACE:	Orsay, France

INSTITUTION	IFJ PAN	CNRS	GSI	INFN	JYU	GANIL	
PRESENT		F. Azaiez	D. Ackermann		R. Julin	K. Turzó	
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INSTITUTION	Huelva Univ.						
PRESENT	I. Martel A. Villari						
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The first part of the meeting concerned presentations on the status and prospects of the different stable ion facilities in Europe (presentation are available at the ECOS web pages). A discussion followed in order to identify ideas that could enhance synergies between them.

The following ideas has been approved to be included in the document of task 3 beside the list of ideas that came out from the "Lake Como" workshop concerning research activities (Faical):

- The European maps of stable beams (Marek-Ketel)

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- Forum of discussions (technical issues related to stable ions beams in Europe- need to discuss at the next ECOs SC how to proceed for the opening of such forum

Brochure: stable ions beams in Europe (need to be started, next ECOS SC meeting)

N°	TOPIC	SPEAKER		
1	New facility in Huelva: LINCE (LINac CEnter)			
	See corresponding presentation.	A. Villari I. Martel		
	High-intensity ECOS accelerator -> very compact machine with the best technology available today.			
	Very strong participation of the industry and the Andalusia government.			
	Strong collaboration with ANL for the development of the RFQ. Compact design increasing the surface.			
	Application for a FP7 ERA Pilot chair (call in 2013). The candidate has to organize the research lines of the institution and to prepare the construction of the new infrastructure (also looking for funds for the construction).			
	The LINCE project needs the help of other ECOS facilities.			
	A maximum of people in Spain and in the European community have to be convinced about the project.			
	How to gather the ECOS user community? -> a workshop to produce scientific ideas about the future experiments with the LINCE project? To be organized by the LINCE scientific committee. The ECOS SC will endorse the initiative to push and support this case.			
	ECOS SC members will participate in the next LINCE scientific committee meeting in June.			
	I. Martel will need a support letter from the ECOS SC in order to be part of the scientific strategy of Andalusia government. I. Martel and A Villari will propose a text for this letter to F. Azaiez.			
	The LINCE project will need help for the cryogenics (LNL or IPNO).			
2	Town Meeting			
	Contact SC for a meeting in Warsaw -> which date (Ketel to propose a date)? (Skype possible)			
3	Map of stable beams in European Infrastructures			
	- work in progress - preliminary version to be tested in July			
	 ENSAR infrastructures + Polish labs need for data (only GANIL, LNL, ALTO and SLCJ at the moment) next ECOS meeting: presentation of the map 			
4	Final ECOS Town Meeting			
	March 2014, in Paris: presentation of the reports for deliverables. Need to define the organisation as well as the committee at the next ECOS- SC meeting (Warsaw).			
5	ECOS budget			
	JYU will "transfer" money to GSI to cover travel expenses in ECOS -> to be done through adjustments at the end of the project.			

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The following items are postponed to the next meeting (Warsaw):

- Task report (Dieter)
- Task2 report (Christelle/Dieter)
- Task3 report (Faical)
- The forum and brochure
- Update of the recommendations in the ECOS/NuPECC document (every one has to send suggestions in order to be discussed and validated at the next SC meeting (Warsaw)