



# NSRL-08B RUN

May - June 2008

FINAL REPORT

**Kelly Guiffreda**  
RHIC & AGS Users Center  
BNL

**Peter Guida**  
Medical Dept.  
BNL/NASA

**Michael Sivertz**  
Collider-Accelerator Dept.  
BNL/NASA

<http://www.bnl.gov/medical/NASA>

## TABLE OF CONTENTS

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY .....	3
PROJECTS REVIEWED BY THE BNL SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE IN RADIATION RESEARCH .....	4
PARTICIPANT INSTITUTIONS.....	12
RESEARCH PROJECT SPONSORS .....	13
INSTITUTION STATISTICS.....	13
TOTAL RUN-TIME STATISTICS .....	14
SCIENCE STUDIES STATISTICS.....	14
ION SPECIES AND ENERGY (MeV/N) DISTRIBUTION .....	15
RUN TIME DESCRIPTION (HOURS).....	16
BEAM CHARACTERISTICS .....	18
DOSIMETRY AND BEAM DEVELOPMENTS .....	20
RUN DATES.....	21
EXPERIMENTERS AND RUN STATISTICS.....	22

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

During the summer of 2008, a series of radiobiological and physics experiments were performed using the proton and heavy ion beams available at the NASA Space Radiation Laboratory (NSRL). These experiments were part of the sixteenth NSRL scientific run (NSRL-08B) sponsored by NASA's Space Radiation Health Program (SRHP) heavy ion radiobiology research program at BNL.

A total of forty-three proposals were approved for participation in the NSRL-08B run. Of the 43 approved, 34 proposals took part and 9 proposals were withdrawn or deferred. One hundred and seventy four users from fifty-three institutions were represented, forty-two from the United States and eleven from other countries. More than 2700 biological samples were exposed at the NSRL beam line, employing 184:04 hours of beam time (20:21 hours for in vivo studies, 91:45 hours for in vitro studies, and 70:08 hours for physics experiments) delivered in a six week period. In addition, 19:01 hours were used for dosimetry and beam development. Machine set-up and wrap-up took a total of 119:30 hours. Accelerator problems with the NSRL beam accounted for 21:36 hours lost. This gave a total NSRL usage time of 342:21 hours. Since we were not running concurrently with RHIC, there was no time lost while due to RHIC. As a byproduct of this, all accelerator down-time counted towards the NSRL total.

During NSRL-08B, Booster provided protons (50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 600, and 1000 MeV), carbon (200, 250 and 290 MeV/n), silicon (400 and 1000 MeV/n), titanium (240, 380 and 1000), iron (300, 500, 600, and 1000 MeV/n) and sequential fields of protons and iron (1000 MeV/n) beams for biology and physics experiments. The low energy protons were part of the Solar Particle Event Simulator. Experimenters are becoming more interested in studying the effects of low doses and low dose rates. For this reason, our attention has been on developing stable low fluence beams with the same dosimetry capability of the higher intensity beam. The maximum dose rates used for biology experiments were as high as 3.0 Gray/min (Fe 1000 MeV/n). The general spill rate employed was 15 spills per minute with durations of 300 msec/spill. The spill fluence (particles/spill) ranged from  $2 \times 10^2$  (min) to  $6.4 \times 10^{11}$  (max). Square beam spots as big as  $20 \times 20 \text{ cm}^2$  and as small as  $1 \times 1 \text{ cm}^2$  were employed for biology and physics experiments.

Tandem-Booster were already set-up since the summer run started the day the spring run ended on 14 May 2008. NSRL-08B officially ended at 4:26 PM 20 June 2008.

## Projects Reviewed by the BNL Scientific Advisory Committee in Radiation Research

Proposal	PI	Sponsor	NSRL-08B Participation
B-44	DURANTE	ASI	Yes
B-52	SUTHERLAND/GEWIRTZ†	NSBRI	Yes
N-88	SUTHERLAND	NASA	Yes
N-89	HELD	NASA	Yes
N-103	BARCELLOS-HOFF †	NASA-NSCOR	Yes
N-115	BACHER	NASA	Yes
N-128	BLAKELY	NASA	Yes
N-129	LIMOLI	NASA	No
N-134	CHEN †	NASA	Yes
N-135	PLUTH	NASA	No
N-146	WU	NASA	Yes
N-153	MINNA†/STORY †	NASA-DOE	No
N-157	SCHIESTL †	NASA	No
N-159	HALL †	NASA	No
N-167	BURMA	NASA	Yes
N-171	DYNLACHT	NASA	No
N-172	BERKOWITZ	NASA	Yes
N-173	GEARD †	NASA	Yes
N-176	CUCINOTTA	NASA-DOE	Yes
N-177	MORGAN †	NASA	Yes
N-185	SUTHERLAND	NASA-DOE	Yes
N-186	SHAY	NASA	Yes
N-188	GREEN	NASA	No
N-190	IANZINI †	NASA	No
N-192	ENGLEWARD †	NASA-DOE	Yes
N-196	AZZAM	NASA	Yes
N-197	FORNACE †	NASA	Yes
N-199	WARE	NASA	No
N-203	BRITTEN	NASA	Yes
N-204	AMUNDSON	NASA-DOE	Yes
N-207	BELLI	ISS	Yes
N-208	CHEN †	PIGGYBACK	Yes
N-209	WANG	NASA	Yes

### Projects Reviewed by the BNL Scientific Advisory Committee in Radiation Research (cont.)

Proposal	PI	Sponsor	NSRL-08B Participation
N-211	RITHIDECH	NASA	Yes
N-212	SMILENOV	NASA	Yes
N-213	TAFROV	NASA	Yes
N-214	BAULCH	NASA	Yes
E-4	HASSLER †	NASA-ESMD	Yes
E-8 / N-154	MAURER	NSBRI	Yes
E-9	DUNGAN †	NASA-EB	Yes
E-13 / N-160	SPENCE †	NASA-ESMD	Yes
E-14	SPENCE †	NASA-ESMD	Yes
E-18	DILMANIAN	SUSB	Yes

† Did not check in with Guest Users Visitors Center for run.

**PARTICIPANTS (Principal Investigators are highlighted)**

<b>Exp.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Guest Title</b>	<b>Employer</b>
<b>B-44</b>	<b>Durante, Marco</b> Pignalosa, Diana	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientific Associate	<b>Universita di Napoli</b> University Federico II
<b>B-52</b>	<b>Sutherland/Gewirtz</b>	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b>	<b>BNL, Biology Dept./Univ. of Pennsylvania</b>
<b>N-88</b>	<b>Sutherland, Betsy</b>	Ph.D, Principal Investigator	<b>BNL, Biology Dept.</b>
<b>N-89</b>	<b>Held, Kathryn</b> Kumaraswamy, Deepak Magpayo, Nicole	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientific Associate Guest Scientific Associate	<b>Massachusetts General Hospital</b> Massachusetts General Hospital Massachusetts General Hospital
<b>N-103</b>	<b>Barcellos-Hoff, Mary Helen</b> Groesser, Torsten Kronenberg, Amy Rydberg, Bjorn E.	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Research Associate Guest Scientist Guest Scientist	<b>Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory</b> Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
<b>N-115</b>	<b>Bacher, Jeffery</b>	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b>	<b>Promega Corporation</b>
<b>N-128</b>	<b>Blakely, Eleanor</b>	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b>	<b>Lawrence Bereley National Laboratory</b>
<b>N-134</b>	<b>Chen, David</b> Aroumougame, Asaithamby Gonzalez, Oscar Ruben	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientist Guest Research Assistant	<b>University of Texas Southwestern</b> University of Texas Southwestern University of Texas Southwestern
<b>N-146</b>	<b>Wu, Honglu</b> Casey, Rachael Zhang, Ye	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientist Guest Scientist	<b>NASA - Johnson Space Center</b> Universities Space Research Association University of Houston
<b>N-153</b>	<b>Story/Minna</b> Delgado, Oliver Perez, Vanessa Peyton, Michael Jess	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Jr Research Associate Guest Scientific Associate Guest Scientist	<b>University of Texas Southwestern</b> University of Texas Southwestern University of Texas Southwestern University of Texas Southwestern
<b>N-167</b>	<b>Burma, Sandeep</b>	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b>	<b>University of Texas Medical Branch</b>
<b>N-172</b>	<b>Berkowitz, Dan</b> Soucy, Kevin Gilbert	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Jr Research Associate	<b>John Hopkins University</b> Johns Hopkins University
<b>N-173</b>	<b>Geard, Charles</b> Grabham, Peter William Hu, Burong	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientist Guest Research Associate	<b>Columbia University</b> Columbia University Columbia Nevis Lab
<b>N-176</b>	<b>Cucinotta, Francis</b> Rhone, Jordan Anderson, Jennifer Anne	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientific Associate Guest Scientific Associate	<b>NASA - Johnson Space Center</b> NASA - Johnson Space Center University of Oxford

**PARTICIPANTS (Principal Investigators are highlighted)**

<b>Exp.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Guest Title</b>	<b>Employer</b>
<b>N-176 (cont.)</b>	<b>Cucinotta, Francis</b> George, Kerry Ann Pluth, Janice Marie Huff, Janice Lillian Wang, Huichen	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientific Associate Guest Scientist Guest Scientist Guest Scientist	<b>NASA- Johnson Space Center</b> Wyle Laboratories at Houston Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory Universities Space Research Association Temple University
<b>N-177</b>	<b>Morgan, William</b> Aypar, Umut Goetz, Wilfried	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Research Assistant Guest Scientific Associate	<b>University of Maryland School of Medicine</b> University of Maryland University of Maryland
<b>N-185</b>	<b>Sutherland, Betsy</b>	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b>	BNL, Biology Dept.
<b>N-186</b>	<b>Shay, Jerry</b>	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b>	University of Texas Southwestern
<b>N-192</b>	<b>Engleward, Bevin</b> Kiraly, Orsolya Olipitz, Werner	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientist Guest Research Associate	Massachusetts Institute of Technology Massachusetts Institute of Technology Massachusetts Institute of Technology
<b>N-196</b>	<b>Azzam, Edouard Iskandar</b> Autsavapromporn, Narongchai de Toledo, Sonia Maria Li, Min Yang, Zhi Zhang, Jie	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Jr Research Associate Guest Scientist Guest Research Associate Guest Research Associate Guest Jr Research Associate	<b>University of Medicine and Dentistry of NJ</b> University of Medicine and Dentistry of NJ University of Medicine and Dentistry of NJ
<b>N-197</b>	<b>Fornace Jr., Albert</b> Datta, Kamal Doiron, Kathryn E Trani, Daniela	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Research Associate Guest Scientific Associate Guest Research Associate	<b>Georgetown University</b> Georgetown University Georgetown University Georgetown University
<b>N-203</b>	<b>Britten, Richard Antony</b> Johnson, Angela Mitchell, Shamina Rutledge, Robert Singletary, Sylvia J	<b>Guest Scientist</b> Guest Scientific Associate Guest Jr Research Associate Guest Scientific Associate Guest Scientist	<b>Eastern Virginia Medical School</b> Eastern Virginia Medical School Eastern Virginia Medical School NASA - Johnson Space Center Eastern Virginia Medical School
<b>N-204</b>	<b>Amundson, Sally A.</b> Mezentsev, Alexandre	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientist	<b>Columbia University</b> Columbia University

**PARTICIPANTS (Principal Investigators are highlighted)**

<b>Exp.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Guest Title</b>	<b>Employer</b>
<b>N-207</b>	<b>Belli, Mauro</b> Sorrentino, Eugenio	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientific Associate	<b>Instituto Superiore di Sanita (ISS)</b> Instituto Superiore di Sanita (ISS)
<b>N-208</b>	<b>Chen, David</b> Ahn, Haram Farnbauch, Laure Zhang, Shichuan	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Jr Research Associate Guest Scientific Associate Guest Research Associate	<b>University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center @ Dallas</b> University of Texas Southwestern University of Texas Southwestern University of Texas Southwestern
<b>N-209</b>	<b>Wang, Hongyan</b>	<b>Guest Scientific Associate</b>	<b>Thomas Jefferson University</b>
<b>N-211</b>	<b>Rithidech, Kanokporn</b> Louise Honikel	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientific Associate	<b>SUNY at Stony Brook</b> SUNY at Stony Brook
<b>N-212</b>	<b>Smilenov, Lubomir</b> Templin, Thomas	<b>Guest Scientist</b> Guest Research Associate	<b>Columbia University, Nevis Laboratories</b> Columbia University
<b>N-213</b>	<b>Trafo, Stefan</b>	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b>	<b>Brookhaven National Laboratory</b>
<b>N-214</b>	<b>Baulch, Janet</b>	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b>	<b>University of Maryland</b>
<b>E-4</b>	<b>Hassler, Donald</b> Bokman, Ryan Lloyd Ganley, Vincent Kortmann, Onno Martin, Cesar Tyler, Yvette Weigle, Gerald Edwin	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientific Associate Guest Scientific Associate Guest Jr Research Associate Guest Research Associate Guest Scientific Associate Guest Jr Research Associate	<b>Southwest Research Institute</b> Southwest Research Institute Southwest Research Institute Christian-Albrechts University of Kiel Southwest Research Institute Southwest Research Institute
<b>E-8/N-154</b>	<b>Maurer, Richard Hornsby</b> Goldsten, John Grey, Matthew Lawrence, David Maurer, Richard Hornsby Roth, David Richard Zeitlin, Cary	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Research Assistant Guest Research Assistant Guest Scientist Guest Scientist Guest Scientist Guest Scientist	<b>Johns Hopkins University</b> Johns Hopkins University Johns Hopkins University Johns Hopkins University Johns Hopkins University Johns Hopkins University Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
<b>E-9</b>	<b>Dungan, Larry</b> Kouba, Coy Nguyen, Kyson Van Toy, Stephanie	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientist Guest Scientific Associate Guest Scientific Associate	<b>NASA - Johnson Space Center</b> NASA - Johnson Space Center NASA - Johnson Space Center Muniz Engineering, Inc
<b>E-13 / N-160</b>	<b>Spence, Harlan</b> George, Jeffrey	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientist	<b>Boston University</b> Aerospace Corporation

**PARTICIPANTS (Principal Investigators are highlighted)**

<b>Exp.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Guest Title</b>	<b>Employer</b>
<b>E-13 / N-160(cont.)</b>	<b>Spence, Harlan</b> Mazur, Joseph Edward Sorensen, Gerrit Larsen, Brian Case, Anthony William Golightly, Michael Joseph Heine, Thomas Hoxie, Vaughn	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientist Guest Scientific Associate Guest Scientist Guest Research Assistant Guest Scientific Associate Guest Research Assistant Guest Jr Research Associate	<b>Boston University</b> Aerospace Corporation Aerospace Corporation Boston University Boston University Boston University Boston University University of Colorado at Boulder
<b>E-14</b>	<b>Spence, Harlan</b>	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b>	<b>Boston University</b>
<b>E-18</b>	<b>Dilmanian, Avraham</b> Meek, Allen Rockwell, Andrew	<b>Ph.D, Principal Investigator</b> Guest Scientist Scientist	<b>Brookhaven National Laboratory</b> SUNY Stony Brook Brookhaven National Laboratory
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Weil, Michael Michaelis	Guest Scientist	Colorado State University
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Nelson, Gregory	Guest Scientist	Loma Linda University Medical Center
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Benton, Eric Rene	Guest Scientist	Eril Research, Inc.
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Heilbronn, Lawrence Harvey	Guest Scientist	Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Blakely, Eleanor Alice	Guest Scientist	Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Boice, John	Guest Scientist	Vanderbilt University
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Borak, Thomas B	Guest Scientist	Colorado State University
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Bourdeau-Heller, Jeanne	Guest Research Associate	Promega Corporation
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Buonanno, Manuela	Guest Research Assistant	University of Medicine and Dentistry of NJ
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Camacho, Cristel Vanessa	Guest Jr Research Associate	University of Texas Southwestern
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Huang, Lei	Guest Scientist	Loma Linda University
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Huber, Aubrey	Guest Research Assistant	University of Regina
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Laiakis, Evagelia	Guest Scientist	Georgetown University
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Mariotti, Luca	Guest Research Assistant	University of Pavia
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Molinelli, Silvia	Guest Scientific Associate	Fondazione CNAO
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	O'Neill, Patrick	Guest Scientist	NASA - Johnson Space Center
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Papaioannou, Maria	Guest Research Associate	University of Duisburg-Essen
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Park, Seongmi	Guest Research Associate	University of Texas Southwestern
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Patel, Zarana	Guest Scientist	Universities Space Research Association
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Ren, Qing	Guest Scientist	Thomas Jefferson University
<b>SUMMER SCHOOL</b>	Ren, Qing	Guest Scientist	Thomas Jefferson University

**PARTICIPANTS (Principal Investigators are highlighted)**

<b>Exp.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Guest Title</b>	<b>Employer</b>
SUMMER SCHOOL	Rogers, Kellie	Guest Scientific Associate	Universities Space Research Association
SUMMER SCHOOL	Townsend, Lawrence W	Guest Scientist	University of Tennessee
SUMMER SCHOOL	Wilson, Barbara	Guest Scientist	Jackson State University
SUMMER SCHOOL	Yu, Hui	Guest Scientist	University of Texas Health Science Center at SA
SUMMER SCHOOL	Zahnreich, Sebastian	Guest Scientific Associate	GSI Darmstadt
SUMMER SCHOOL	Anderson, Carl	Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
SUMMER SCHOOL	Azzam, Edouard Iskandar	Guest Scientist	University of Medicine and Dentistry of NJ
SUMMER SCHOOL	Bailey, Susan	Guest Scientist	Colorado State University
SUMMER SCHOOL	Barcellos-Hoff, Mary Helen	Guest Scientist	Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
SUMMER SCHOOL	Clark, Jonathan	Guest Scientist	National Space Biomedical Research Institute, Baylor College
SUMMER SCHOOL	Costes, Sylvain	Guest Scientist	Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
SUMMER SCHOOL	Cucinotta, Francis	Guest Scientist	NASA - Johnson Space Center
SUMMER SCHOOL	Durante, Marco	Guest Scientist	Universita di Napoli
SUMMER SCHOOL	Guida, Peter	Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
SUMMER SCHOOL	Hall, Eric	Guest Scientist	Columbia University
SUMMER SCHOOL	Held, Kathryn	Guest Scientist	Massachusetts General Hospital
SUMMER SCHOOL	Kennedy, Ann	Guest Scientist	University of Pennsylvania, School of Medicine
SUMMER SCHOOL	Kronenberg, Amy	Guest Scientist	Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
SUMMER SCHOOL	Limoli, Charles	Guest Scientist	University of California @ Irvine
SUMMER SCHOOL	Lowenstein, Derek	C-AD Chair	Brookhaven National Laboratory
SUMMER SCHOOL	Rabin, Bernard	Guest Scientist	University of Maryland
SUMMER SCHOOL	Rusek, Adam	Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
SUMMER SCHOOL	Setlow, Richard	Scientist Emeritis	Brookhaven National Laboratory
SUMMER SCHOOL	Shay, Jerry	Guest Scientist	University of Texas Southwestern
SUMMER SCHOOL	Sulzman, Frank	Guest Scientist	NASA - Johnson Space Center
SUMMER SCHOOL	Sutherland, Betsy	Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
SUMMER SCHOOL	Williams, Jacqueline	Guest Scientist	University of Rochester Medical Center
NSRL	Guida Peter ‡	Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Tafrov, Stefan ‡	Associate Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Keszenman, Deborah ‡	Associate Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Pyatt, Beatrice ‡	Medical Associate	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Abele, William ‡	Associate Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Sutherland, John ‡	Senior Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory

**PARTICIPANTS (Principal Investigators are highlighted)**

<b>Exp.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Guest Title</b>	<b>Employer</b>
NSRL	Bennett, Paula ‡	Biology Associate I	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Trunk, John ‡	Senior Technical Associate	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Medvedeva, Natalia‡	Logistical Support, Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Petry, Maryann‡	BLAF Manager	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Jardine, James ‡	Laboratory Specialist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Sivertz, Michael‡	Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Naidu, Mamta ‡	Associate Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Kim, Angela ‡	Medical Associate	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Billups, Adele‡	Medical Associate	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Thompson, Laura‡	Medical Associate	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Forrette, Elise‡	Administrative Assistant	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Bonti, Kerry‡	BLAF Staff	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Snyder, Deborah‡	BLAF Staff	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Reiszel, Corrine‡	BLAF Staff	Brookhaven National Laboratory
NSRL	Rusek, Adam‡	Scientist	Brookhaven National Laboratory

‡ BNL Personnel who participated in many different experiments throughout the run.

## **PARTICIPANT INSTITUTIONS**

### **Universities (40)**

Boston University  
Christian-Albrechts  
Colorado State University  
Columbia University  
Columbia University, Nevis Laboratories  
Eastern Virginia Medical School  
Georgetown University  
Jackson State University  
Johns Hopkins University  
Loma Linda University  
Loma Linda University Medical Center  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
National Space Biomedical Research Institute, Baylor College  
Southwest Research Institute  
SUNY at Stony Brook  
Temple University  
Thomas Jefferson University  
University of Maryland  
Universita di Napoli  
Universities Space Research Association  
University Federico II  
University of Colorado at Boulder  
University of Duisburg-Essen  
University of Houston  
University of Kiel  
University of Maryland  
University of Maryland School of Medicine  
University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey  
University of Oxford  
University of Pavia  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of Pennsylvania, School of Medicine  
University of Regina  
University of Rochester Medical Center  
University of Tennessee  
University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio  
University of Texas Medical Branch  
University of Texas Southwestern  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas  
Vanderbilt University

### **National Laboratories/Institutions (3)**

Brookhaven National Laboratory  
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory  
Wyle Laboratories at Houston

### **NASA Related Centers/Institutions (2)**

NASA - Johnson Space Center  
NASA - Loma Linda U. Medical School

### **Private Institutions(1)**

Massachusetts General Hospital

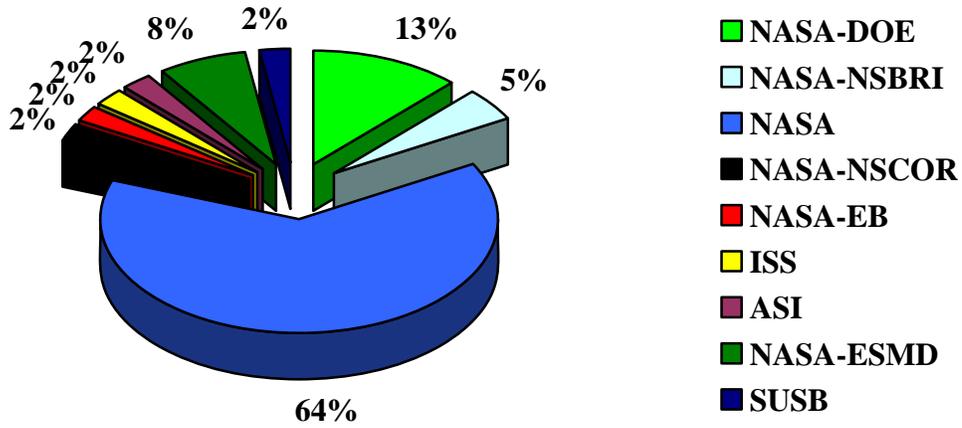
### **Government (3)**

Istituto Superiore di Sanita (ISS)  
GSI Darmstadt  
Fondazione CNAO

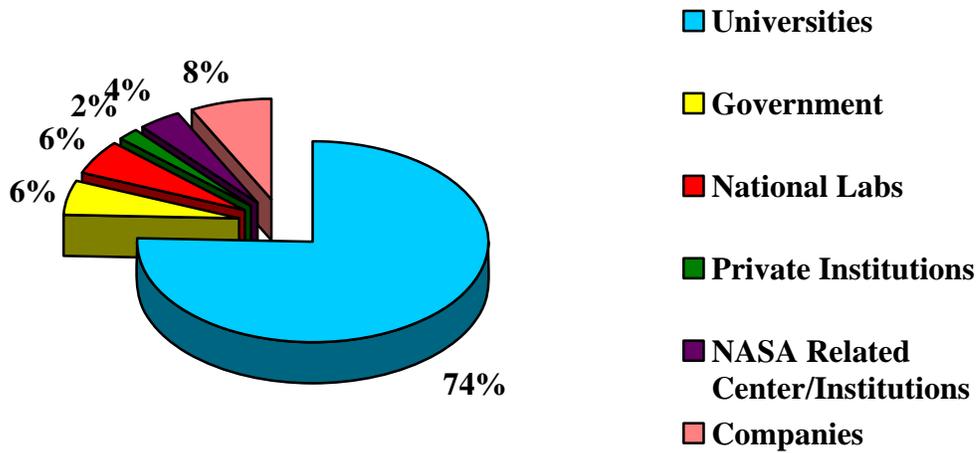
### **Company (4)**

Aerospace Corporation  
Eril Research, Inc.  
Promega Corporation  
Muniz Engineering, Inc

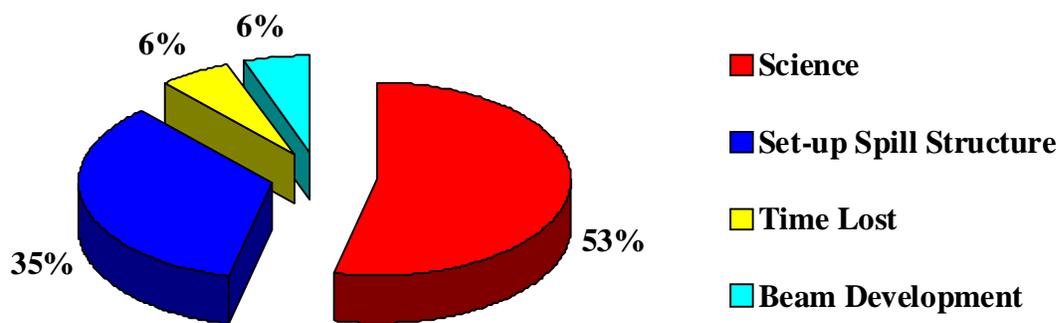
## RESEARCH PROJECT SPONSORS



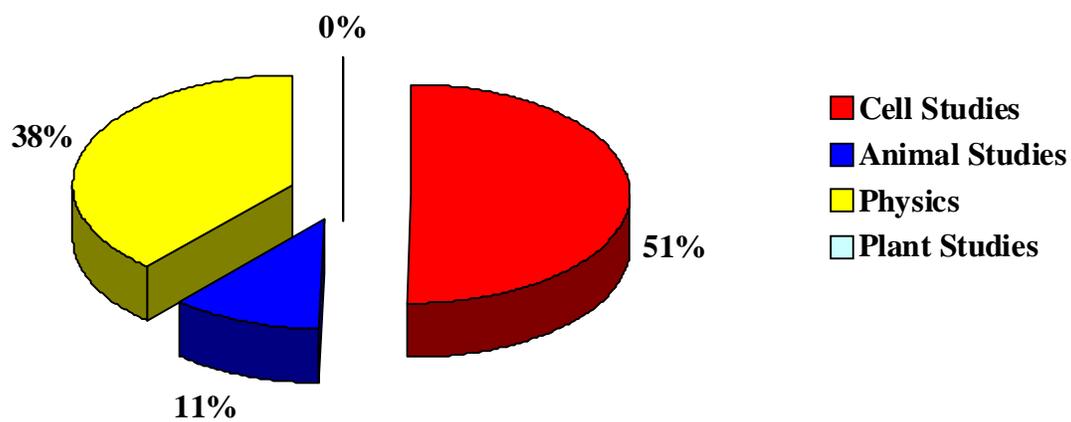
## INSTITUTION STATISTICS



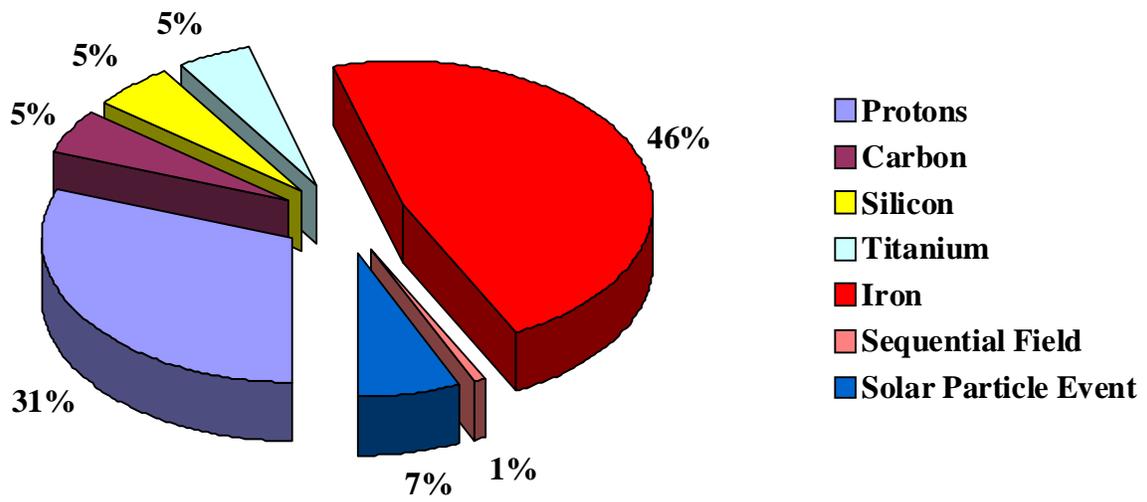
### TOTAL RUN-TIME STATISTICS



### SCIENCE STUDIES STATISTICS



### ION SPECIES AND ENERGY (MeV/n) DISTRIBUTION



**RUN TIME DESCRIPTION (hours)**

NSRL-08B	ION SPECIES AND ENERGIES (MeV/nucleon)										
	H						C			Si	
	100	150	200	250	600	1000	200	250	290	400	1000
<b>Machine Set-Up</b>	3:31:50	6:08:38	2:41:48	1:38:21	1:28:21	20:44:25	1:15:30	2:38:23	2:26:27	1:24:23	5:28:01
<b>Development</b>	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	2:05:58	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	2:19:56
<b>SCIENCE</b>											
<b>In Vitro</b>	0:00:00	9:50:48	0:00:00	2:45:38	2:28:48	16:34:29	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	3:20:53
<b>In Vivo</b>	2:38:46	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	4:53:38	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00
<b>Others</b>	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00
<b>Physics</b>	3:17:59	0:00:00	4:32:29	0:00:00	0:00:00	10:17:36	2:07:09	4:26:44	4:06:38	2:22:07	2:56:35
<b>NSRL Time Lost</b>	0:00:00	6:30:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	1:00:00	1:26:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:35:00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>9:28:35</b>	<b>22:29:26</b>	<b>7:14:17</b>	<b>4:23:59</b>	<b>4:57:09</b>	<b>56:02:06</b>	<b>3:22:39</b>	<b>7:05:07</b>	<b>6:33:05</b>	<b>3:46:30</b>	<b>14:40:25</b>

(continued next page)

**RUN TIME DESCRIPTION (hours) (continued from previous page)**

NSRL-08B	ION SPECIES AND ENERGIES (MeV/nucleon)									
	Ti			p/Fe	Fe				SPE	Total
	240	380	1000	1000	300	500	600	1000	N/A	
<b>Machine Set-Up</b>	0:48:55	0:19:59	3:30:35	1:05:27	0:32:29	1:48:30	4:26:20	49:49:45	7:41:53	<b>119:30:00</b>
<b>Development</b>	0:00:00	0:00:00	2:23:56	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	12:11:21	0:00:00	<b>19:01:11</b>
<b>SCIENCE</b>										
<b>In Vitro</b>	1:22:22	0:33:39	2:05:01	1:50:13	0:54:43	0:00:00	7:28:31	27:22:39	15:06:50	<b>91:44:34</b>
<b>In Vivo</b>	0:00:00	0:00:00	1:25:41	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	11:23:07	0:00:00	<b>20:21:12</b>
<b>Others</b>	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	<b>0:00:00</b>
<b>Physics</b>	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	3:02:44	0:00:00	32:57:51	0:00:00	<b>70:07:52</b>
<b>NSRL Time Lost</b>	0:25:00	0:25:00	3:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:00:00	0:22:00	7:53:00	0:00:00	<b>21:36:00</b>
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2:36:17</b>	<b>1:18:38</b>	<b>12:25:13</b>	<b>2:55:40</b>	<b>1:27:12</b>	<b>4:51:14</b>	<b>12:16:51</b>	<b>141:37:43</b>	<b>22:48:43</b>	<b>342:20:49</b>

Total hours of science is 184:03:32.

Note: Hours of Set-Up and Wrap-Up have been combined into a single category since much of the work done at the end of each day involves preparations for the next day's exposures.

## BEAM CHARACTERISTICS

Ion	H						C			Si	
Energy (MeV/n)											
<b>Planned</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>1000</b>
<b>Extracted</b>	104.9	154.4	204.5	250	600	1000	203	250	290	400	993.6
<b>On Target</b>	104.9	154.4	204.5	250*	600*	1000*	203	250	290*	400*	993.6
<b>Fluence (particles/cm<sup>2</sup>/sec)</b>											
<b>Maximum on target</b>	3.1E+07	5.2E+07	1.0E+02	1.1E+08	1.7E+08	2.5E+08	1.4E+06	1.6E+06	1.0E+02	1.0E+02	1.0E+06
<b>Minimum on target</b>	3.1E+07	2.1E+06	1.0E+02	1.4E+07	8.6E+05	5.0E+06	0.7E+06	0.8E+06	1.0E+02	1.0E+02	5.1E+03
<b>Spill Period (sec)</b>	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
<b>Spill rate (spills/min)</b>	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
<b>Spill length (msec)</b>	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
<b>Particles/spill</b>											
<b>Maximum</b>	8.0E+10	1.3E+11	1.0E+02	2.9E+11	4.4E+11	6.4E+11	3.6E+09	4.0E+09	1.0E+02	1.0E+02	2.6E+09
<b>Minimum</b>	8.0E+10	5.3E+09	1.0E+02	3.6E+10	2.2E+09	1.3E+10	1.8E+09	2.0E+09	1.0E+02	1.0E+02	1.3E+07
<b>Beam Cut Off Accuracy</b>	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%
<b>Actual LET on Target (keV/μm)</b>	0.710	0.538	0.446	0.394*	0.258*	0.223*	16.08	14.13	12.97*	59.67*	43.66
<b>Max. Dose Rate (Gy/min)</b>											
<b>20 cm x 20 cm</b>	0.3	2.0	1.0E-05	0.4	0.4	1.5	0.1	0.1	1.0E-05	1.0E-05	1.5
<b>Total Dose (Gy)</b>											
<b>Maximum</b>	2.0	2.5	N/A**	4.0	4.0	5.0	2.0	2.0	N/A**	N/A**	4.0
<b>Minimum</b>	0.5	0.1	N/A**	0.5	0.02	0.1	1.0	1.0	N/A**	N/A**	0.02

\* No Bragg results are available for H running at 250, 600 or 1000 MeV, C at 290 MeV/n , Si at 400 MeV/n, or Fe at 500 MeV/nucleon. For these energies, only calculated LET is quoted.

(continued next page)

**BEAM CHARACTERISTICS (continued from previous page)**

Ion	Ti			p/Fe	Fe				SPE
<b>Energy (MeV/n)</b>									
<b>Planned</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>1000</b>	N/A**
<b>Extracted</b>	240.4	376.0	985.7	1000	297.9	500	593.9	966.4	N/A**
<b>On Target</b>	240.4	376.0	985.7	1000*	297.9	500*	593.9	966.4	N/A**
<b>Fluence (particles/cm<sup>2</sup>/sec)</b>									
<b>Maximum on target</b>	1.2E+05	1.5E+05	2.1E+05	N/A**	7.0E+04	2.0E+03	2.6E+05	1.5E+06	N/A**
<b>Minimum on target</b>	1.4E+04	1.8E+04	2.6E+04	N/A**	1.2E+04	2.0E+03	4.3E+04	7.4E+03	N/A**
<b>Spill Period (sec)</b>	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
<b>Spill rate (spills/min)</b>	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
<b>Spill length (msec)</b>	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
<b>Particles/spill</b>									
<b>Maximum</b>	2.9E+08	3.8E+08	5.3E+08	N/A**	1.8E+08	2.0E+03	6.6E+08	3.8E+09	N/A**
<b>Minimum</b>	3.7E+07	4.7E+07	6.6E+07	N/A**	3.0E+07	2.0E+03	1.1E+08	1.9E+07	N/A**
<b>Beam Cut Off Accuracy</b>	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%
<b>Actual LET on Target (keV/μm)</b>	194.5	151.9	108	0.223*/151	239.8	186.3	174.2	151.5	N/A**
<b>Max. Dose Rate (Gy/min)</b>									
<b>20 cm x 20 cm</b>	1.5	1.5	1.0	0.2	1.0	N/A**	1.5	3.0	N/A**
<b>Total Dose (Gy)</b>									
<b>Maximum</b>	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	1.5	N/A**	4.0	20	N/A**
<b>Minimum</b>	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.05	0.25	N/A**	0.02	0.01	N/A**

For beams and energies employed for physics experiments only, we did not always make measure of dose rates or integrated doses. For these beams, we indicate “N/A\*\*”. Similarly, the SPE was comprised of many differing beams, each with different characteristics.

## **DOSIMETRY AND BEAM DEVELOPMENTS**

### **New Beams**

During NSRL 08B the following beams were developed and used for the first time:

Protons at 600 MeV,  
Carbon at 250 MeV/n,  
Silicon at 400 MeV/n, and  
Titanium at 240 and 380 MeV/n.

**RUN DATES**

<b>Ion</b>	<b>Energy</b>	<b>Scheduled Start</b>	<b>Scheduled End</b>	<b>Actual Start</b>	<b>Actual End</b>
<b>Protons</b>	50-1000	5/15/08 7:00	5/15/08 18:00	5/15/08 7:00	5/15/08 17:09
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	5/16/08 7:00	5/19/08 18:00	5/16/08 7:00	5/19/08 17:34
<b>Protons</b>	50-1000	5/20/08 7:00	5/20/08 21:00	5/20/08 7:00	5/20/08 22:10
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	5/21/08 7:00	5/21/08 20:00	5/21/08 7:00	5/21/08 15:37
<b>Protons</b>	50-1000	5/22/08 7:00	5/22/08 21:00	5/22/08 7:00	5/22/08 16:25
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	5/27/08 7:00	5/28/08 16:30	5/27/08 7:00	5/28/08 16:32
<b>Protons</b>	50-1000	5/29/08 7:00	5/29/08 16:30	5/29/08 7:00	5/29/08 17:02
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	5/30/08 7:00	5/30/08 17:30	5/30/08 7:00	5/30/08 12:46
<b>Protons</b>	50-1000	6/02/08 7:00	6/02/08 19:00	6/02/08 7:00	6/02/08 20:18
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	6/03/08 7:00	6/03/08 16:00	6/03/08 7:00	6/03/08 13:49
<b>Silicon</b>	400-1000	6/04/08 7:00	6/05/08 15:30	6/04/08 7:00	6/05/08 12:38
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	6/06/08 7:00	6/06/08 20:00	6/06/08 7:00	6/06/08 16:30
<b>Titanium</b>	240-1000	6/09/08 7:00	6/09/08 19:00	6/09/08 7:00	6/09/08 18:05
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	6/10/08 7:00	6/11/08 20:30	6/10/08 7:00	6/11/08 20:55
<b>Protons</b>	50-1000	6/12/08 7:00	6/12/08 18:00	6/12/08 7:00	6/12/08 18:30
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	6/13/08 7:00	6/13/08 19:00	6/13/08 7:00	6/13/08 16:35
<b>Protons</b>	50-1000	6/14/08 7:00	6/14/08 19:30	6/14/08 7:00	6/14/08 17:20
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	6/16/08 7:00	6/16/08 19:30	6/16/08 7:00	6/16/08 15:51
<b>Protons</b>	50-1000	6/17/08 7:00	6/17/08 19:30	6/17/08 7:00	6/17/08 17:41
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	6/18/08 7:00	6/18/08 20:30	6/18/08 7:00	6/18/08 17:40
<b>p/Fe</b>	1000	6/19/08 7:00	6/19/08 10:00	6/19/08 7:00	6/19/08 16:05
<b>Protons</b>	50-1000	6/19/08 10:00	6/19/08 17:30	6/19/08 16:05	6/19/08 19:01
<b>Carbon</b>	203-290	6/19/08 17:30	6/19/08 19:30	6/19/08 19:01	6/20/08 1:15
<b>Iron</b>	300-1000	6/20/08 7:00	6/20/08 19:00	6/20/08 7:00	6/20/08 12:00
<b>Carbon</b>	200-290	6/20/08 19:00	6/20/08 23:00	6/20/08 7:00	6/20/08 16:26

## EXPERIMENTERS AND RUN STATISTICS

Note: Entries in **RED** indicate time approved by SACRR but not run during this Run 08B.

Entries marked with † indicate time that was deferred from previous running periods.

The entry marked with ‡ was arranged with F. Cucinotta.

Doses measured in “Hd” refer to 1 Hd = 100 particles per cm<sup>2</sup>.

Proposal ID	Principle Investigator	Ion	Energy	Beam Time Approved	Beam Time Used	Dose Rate	Dose Range	Number of Samples
B-44	Durante†	Iron	1000	4:00:00	0:45:00	100	50-200	14
B-44	Durante†	Protons	1000	5:00:00	5:10:51	100	50-200	97
B-52	Sutherland/Gewirtz	Iron	1000	2:30:00	0:33:56	20	5-300	5
N-88	Sutherland	p/Fe	1000	3:00:00	1:50:13	20	5-300	20
N-88	Sutherland	SPE	50-100	9:00:00	15:06:50	1-60	5-300	90
N-88	Sutherland	Protons	1000	4:00:00	2:01:54	.00001-50	0.0001-300	9
N-89	Held	Iron	1000	7:00:00	3:02:32	1Hd/sp-200	2Hd-200R	500
N-89	Held	Protons	1000	6:12:00	3:25:03	1Hd/sp-10	2Hd-200R	27
<b>N-89</b>	<b>Held</b>	<b>Titanium</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>6:18:00</b>	<b>0:00:00</b>			
N-97	Kronenberg†	Protons	1000	18:00:00	3:19:31	70	300-500	60
N-103	Barcellos-Hoff	Iron	1000	15:00:00	2:54:54	100	200	46
N-115	Bacher	Iron	1000	0:00:00	0:58:28	20	10-200	24
N-115	Bacher	Protons	1000	1:00:00	0:57:18	20	10-200	20
N-128	Blakely	Iron	1000	10:12:00	8:16:31	50-200	50-200	172
N-134	Chen	Iron	1000	6:30:00	5:26:45	100	100	99
N-134	Chen	Silicon	1000	4:00:00	4:12:04	100	100	84
<b>N-134</b>	<b>Chen</b>	<b>Silicon</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>4:00:00</b>	<b>0:00:00</b>			
N-146	Wu	Iron	600	6:00:00	1:44:27	140	2-400	160
N-146	Wu	Protons	600	0:00:00	2:28:48	40	2-400	120
<b>N-146</b>	<b>Wu</b>	<b>Protons</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>2:00:00</b>	<b>0:00:00</b>			
<b>N-146</b>	<b>Wu</b>	<b>Titanium</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>3:00:00</b>	<b>0:00:00</b>			
N-146	Wu	Silicon	1000	0:00:00	0:58:43	10-150	2-400	34
N-167	Burma	Iron	1000	2:00:00	2:01:58	50-150	25-400	46
N-167	Burma	Protons	250	2:00:00	2:45:38	40	50-400	50
N-172	Berkowitz	Iron	1000	2:30:00	1:17:45	100-200	100-300	30
N-173	Gear	Iron	1000	3:15:00	0:30:08	50-100	40-320	16
N-173	Gear	Protons	1000	6:00:00	1:01:07	30	20-320	24
N-176	Cucinotta	Iron	1000	7:00:00	1:43:03	7.5-100	7.5-100	50

Proposal ID	Principle Investigator	Ion	Energy	Beam Time Approved	Beam Time Used	Dose Rate	Dose Range	Number of Samples
N-176	Cucinotta	Protons	150	0:00:00	3:41:17	20-200	10-250	31
<b>N-176</b>	<b>Cucinotta</b>	<b>Protons</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>4:00:00</b>	<b>0:00:00</b>			
N-176	Cucinotta	Titanium	240	0:00:00	1:22:22	25-150	25-200	50
N-176	Cucinotta	Titanium	380	0:00:00	0:33:39	25-150	25-200	25
N-176	Cucinotta	Titanium	1000	0:00:00	1:23:18	100	25-200	50
<b>N-176</b>	<b>Cucinotta</b>	<b>Silicon</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>3:30:00</b>	<b>0:00:00</b>			
N-177	Morgan	Iron	1000	6:00:00	1:55:52	10-20	10-100	48
N-185	Sutherland	Iron	1000	1:30:00	0:33:56	20	5-300	5
N-185	Sutherland	Protons	1000	1:30:00	2:01:54	.00001-50	0.0001-300	8
N-186	Shay†	Iron	1000	2:00:00	0:43:10	50	200	20
N-186	Shay†	Protons	1000	2:00:00	0:39:19	50	200	16
N-192	Engleward	Iron	1000	1:30:00	1:20:00	100	100	28
N-196	Azzam	Iron	1000	6:30:00	4:33:56	5-100	1-200	103
N-197	Fornace	Iron	1000	1:42:00	2:52:40	50-200	400-800	88
N-197	Fornace	Protons	1000	2:36:00	1:34:07	20	476	30
N-203	Britten	Iron	1000	4:00:00	1:29:36	50	60-200	48
N-203	Britten	Titanium	1000	4:00:00	1:25:41	50	60-200	48
N-204	Amundson	Iron	300	2:00:00	0:54:43	100	25-150	25
N-207	Belli	Iron	600	5:00:00	5:44:04	100	25-150	101
N-209	Wang‡	Iron	1000	0:30:00	0:38:41	300	1000-2000	6
N-211	Rithidech	Protons	100	3:06:00	2:38:46	1	100	10
N-212	Smilenov	Iron	1000	1:30:00	0:57:54	10-100	10-200	5
N-212	Smilenov	Protons	1000	1:30:00	1:17:03	10-50	10-200	5
N-213	Tafrov	Iron	1000	1:00:00	0:25:00	50	50	12
N-213	Tafrov	Titanium	1000	1:00:00	0:41:43	50	50	100
<b>N-213</b>	<b>Tafrov</b>	<b>Silicon</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>2:00:00</b>	<b>0:00:00</b>			
<b>N-213</b>	<b>Tafrov</b>	<b>Protons</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>1:00:00</b>	<b>0:00:00</b>			
N-214	Baulch	Protons	150	6:00:00	6:09:31	2	50-100	54
E-4	Hassler†	Carbon	290	2:00:00	4:06:38	low	low	1
E-4	Hassler†	Iron	1000	5:00:00	7:54:53	low	low	1
E-4	Hassler†	Protons	1000	5:00:00	6:10:58	low	low	1
E-8	Maurer	Iron	1000	16:00:00	16:45:03	low	low	1
E-9	Dungan	Iron	500	0:00:00	3:02:44	low	low	1
E-9	Dungan	Iron	1000	6:00:00	4:01:56	low	low	1
E-9	Dungan	Protons	100	0:00:00	3:17:59	low	low	1

<b>Proposal ID</b>	<b>Principle Investigator</b>	<b>Ion</b>	<b>Energy</b>	<b>Beam Time Approved</b>	<b>Beam Time Used</b>	<b>Dose Rate</b>	<b>Dose Range</b>	<b>Number of Samples</b>
E-9	Dungan	Protons	1000	6:00:00	4:06:38	low	low	1
E-13	Spence	Silicon	400	0:00:00	2:22:07	low	low	1
E-13	Spence	Silicon	1000	5:38:00	2:56:35	low	low	1
E-14	Spence	Protons	200	1:42:00	4:32:29	low	low	2
E-18	Dilmanian	Carbon	203	2:00:00	2:07:09	100	100-200	1
E-18	Dilmanian	Carbon	250	4:00:00	4:26:44	100	100-200	1

Total hours of science approved to run in NSRL Run 08B was 269:48.

Total number of hours of science that ran in Run 08B is 184:04.