The Beams and Applications Seminar Series

Reliability and Availability Studies for the Large Linear Collider

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Bldg. 401, room B2100 Friday, May 28, 1:30 pm Host: P. Ostroumov, PHY

The proposed construction of a large linear collider that would be larger and more complex than any accelerator ever built raises the question of reliability. Can it be made reliable enough to have adequate uptime? Which variants of the accelerator design will have higher availability? How much do the MTBFs of various components need to be improved? A simulation was written to answer these questions. This simulation will be described in detail along with its results for proposed linear collider designs. This availability simulation may be applied to other new accelerator designs also.

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