Ionizing Radiation Risks

Intense ionizing radiation fields, blocked by appropriate shielding, are produced inside the storage ring. A sophisticated access control system has been implemented to prevent access to the machine if safety conditions for personnel are not met.

Outside the shielding there are areas where radiation levels exceed background levels and where there is a risk of exposure to ionizing radiation. These areas are surrounded by fences, by the walls of the rooms or by shielding and marked by signs with the words: "ionizing radiation" or "supervised area" or "controlled area" and the symbol that devotes ionizing radiation.

Access to these areas is forbidden for employees of external companies and any exception is regulated by special radiation protection standards issued by the competent Radiation Protection Group.





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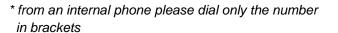
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SAFETY BOOKLET

FOR VISITORS





Emergency 8333

Control Rooms 8262/8263/8800



Emergency Procedures



In case of fire

- Call 8333 and tell the operator exactly where the fire is.
- Attempt to extinguish the fire only if it is safe do so, without taking personal risk. Remember to use the appropriate fire extinguisher.
- Break the glass of the nearest fire alarm point, warn people in the vicinity, reach the nearest available exit and go to the gathering point (see the map to side).



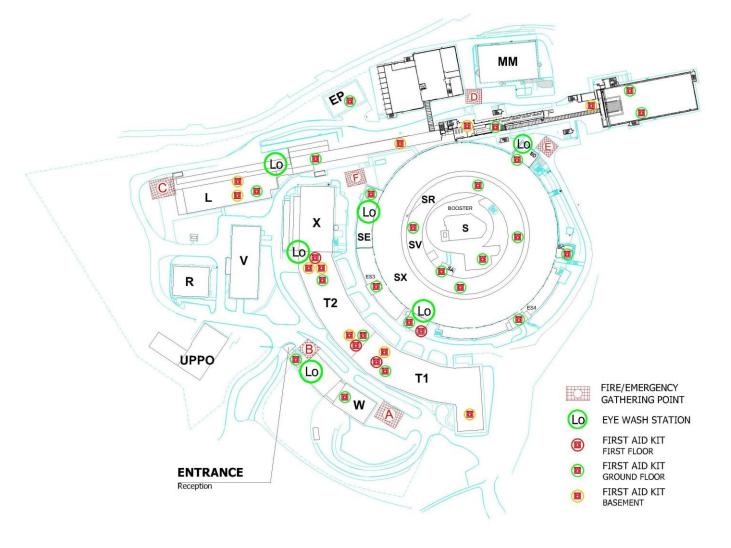
In case of injury

- If the injury is minor use the first aid kits available in the Experimental Hall and in the other buildings of the lab.
- If the injury is serious call 8333 and tell the operator what has happened.
- Do not leave the injured person alone until the emergency services arrive.



In case of alarm

- If a loudspeaker announcement is on, follow the instructions and act accordingly.
- If you hear an alarm, reach the gathering points (see the map to side).



General Regulation



Please observe safety signs and warnings.



Please pay attention to warning signs.



Do not enter. Access limited to authorized personnel only.



Pay attention to any obstacle and marked danger points.



Smoking is not allowed inside any building.



Carefully observe road signs.