

Basic maintenance work has been performed:

•Lumi Detector crystals: to account for radiation damage

- A-Wheels: cooling and electronics changed for Recoil running
- •DVC: support system renewed

•LPOL

- •Survey of FCs and BCs
- •Target: new cell, cryo pumps, ABS, BRP and TGA complete maintenance. The target commissioning has just started and will take ~10 days.

P. Di Nezza, HERA Coordination meeting, Oct 04

In parallel the Recoil Detector construction and test continues. Full assembling and cosmic data taking at the beginning of 2005.

If necessary, HERMES will be on shift just after the Christmas short break again.

HERMES shutdown is on schedule. Ready to start soon!