



Research and Development in the United States towards the FCC RF/SRF systems

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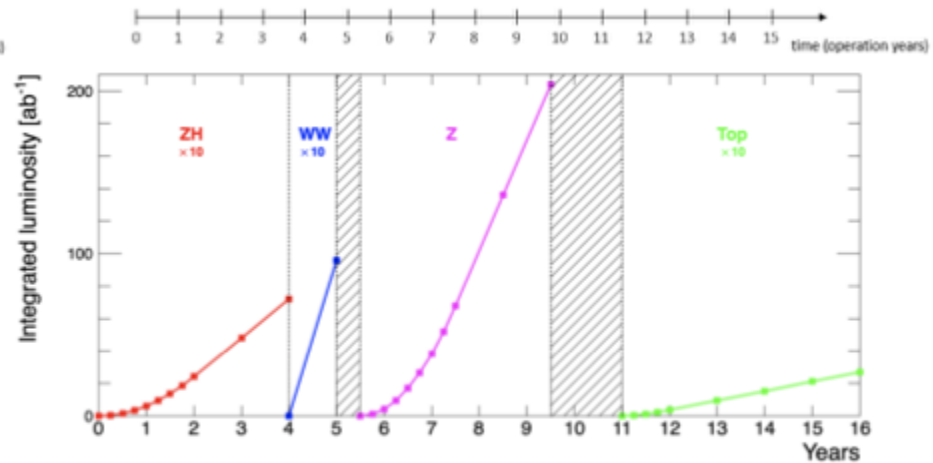
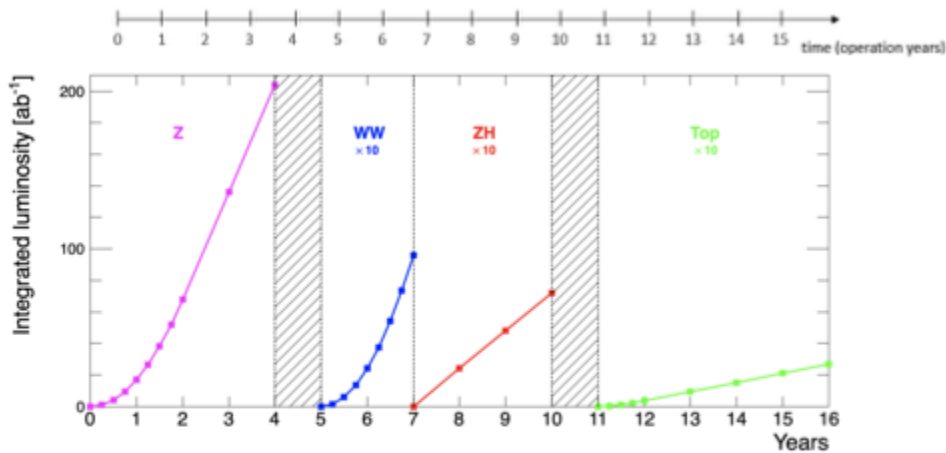
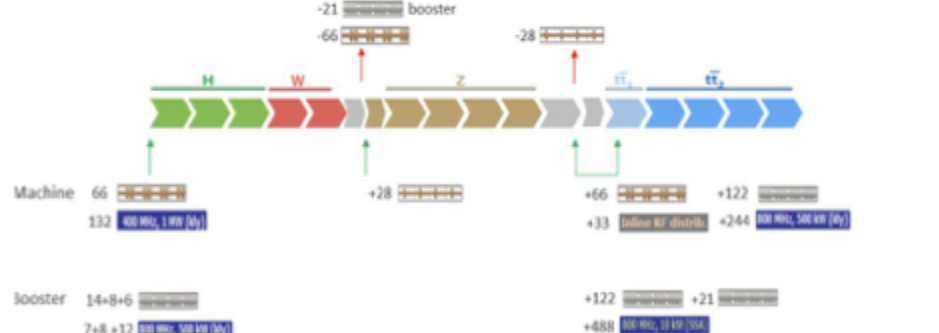
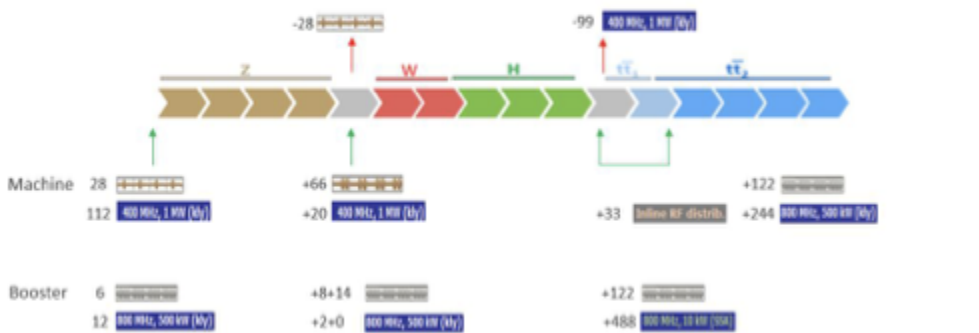
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Outline

- Introduction of Goals/Overview
- SRF development
 - Bulk Nb: Current and ongoing High Q cavity studies, tuner/design concepts, cryomodule design concepts
 - Nb/Cu energetic deposition, SIS multilayer studies
- RF sources/modulators development
 - Models for electron-positron source/injector linac
 - High-efficiency klystron development



Operation sequences for FCC-ee and RF configuration



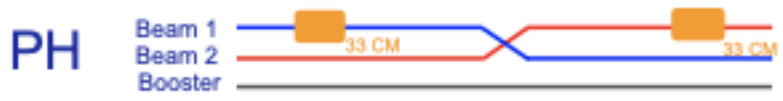
- Evolution of RF configuration of collider and booster with beam energies and physics operation points
- Long-term R&D for SRF, in particular for the 800 MHz system

*from Michael Benedikt, Status of the FCC plenary, 3/25/2024

Limiting parameters
Cavities qualified in VT with 20% margin on Q0 and Eacc

	Z		W		H		ttb		
	collider	booster	collider	booster	collider	booster	collider	collider	booster
RF Frequency [MHz]	400	800	400	800	400	800	400	800	800
Cavity type	1-cell	5-cell	2-cell	5-cell	2-cell	5-cell	2-cell	5-cell	5-cell
Eacc [MV/m]	3.8	6.2	10.6	20.1	10.6	20.1	10.6	20.1	20.1
Q0	2.7E+09	3.0E+10	2.7E+09	3.0E+10	2.7E+09	3.0E+10	2.7E+09	3.0E+10	3.0E+10
Epeak [MV/m]	8.4	12.8	21.2	41.2	21.2	41.2	21.2	41.2	41.2
Bpeak [mT]	20.4	27	56.6	87.2	56.6	87.2	56.6	87.2	87.2
Beam current [mA]	1280	128	135	13.5	53.4	2.7	10	10	0.5
RF power [kW]	900	210	378	89	382	45	78	163	8
Optimum Qext	2.6E+04	3.1E+05	9.2E+05	7.6E+06	9.1E+05	1.5E+07	4.5E+06	4.2E+06	8.1E+07
Optimum detuning [kHz]	13.662	4.385	0.575	0.140	0.106	0.013	0.009	0.056	0.002
Operating temp. [K]	4.5	2	4.5	2	4.5	2	4.5	2	2
dyn losses/cav * [W]	9	0.3	129	3	129	3	129	23	3
stat losses/cav * [W]	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
# CM (with 4 cav/CM)	14 per beam	6	33 per beam	14	66	28	66	122	150

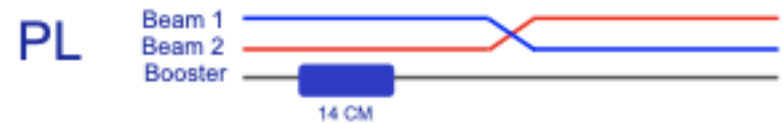
* Heat loads from power coupler and HOM couplers not included



one RF system per beam



common RF system for both beams
beam current is multiplied by two



Total of ~370 cryomodules and 1500 cavities with 75% in bulk niobium technology

**from Franck Peauger, and CERN SRF Team*

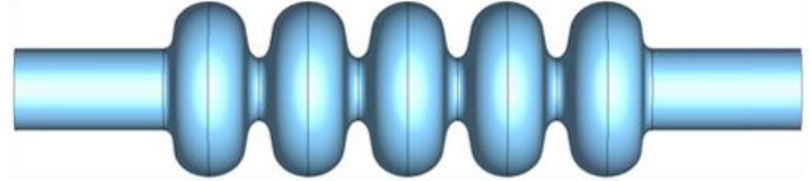
800 MHz bulk Nb SRF Development

FCC Goals overview

- High-efficiency 800 MHz RF power sources and modulators
- FCC-ee SRF R&D
 - Phase 1: R&D on cavities to reach $Q_0 = 3 \times 10^{10}$ at $E_{acc} = 25$ MV/m for Booster up to Higgs operation (120 GeV per beam)
 - Phase 2: R&D on cavities to reach $Q_0 = 6 \times 10^{10}$ at $E_{acc} = 25$ for Booster and Main Ring for $t\bar{t}$ operation
 - In parallel: Cryomodule (CM) design optimization for 800 MHz cavities, possibly with integrated focusing
 - 28 CMs for the booster up to the H energy
 - 244 CMs for the $t\bar{t}$ energy

5-cell 800 MHz FCC SRF cavity goals

- Bulk Nb, High Q
- Desired performance
 - $E_{acc} = 20$ MV/m, $Q_0 = 3e10$ in operation
 - $E_{acc} = 24.5$ MV/m, $Q_0 = 3.8e10$ in vertical test



	Energy (GeV)	Current (mA)	RF voltage (GV)
Z	45.6	1280	0.080
W	80	135	1.05
H	120	26.7	2.1
<u>ttb</u>	182.5	5	11.3

High
current
machine

High
gradient
machine

800 MHz 5-cell prototype cavity

- Fabricated at Jlab, currently at FNAL
- High-power RF cold-test plan (Spring 2024):
 1. Baseline cold-test (EP, last tested 2018, see Figure 4.)
 2. First mid-T (300-350C) baking treatment (Spring 2024)

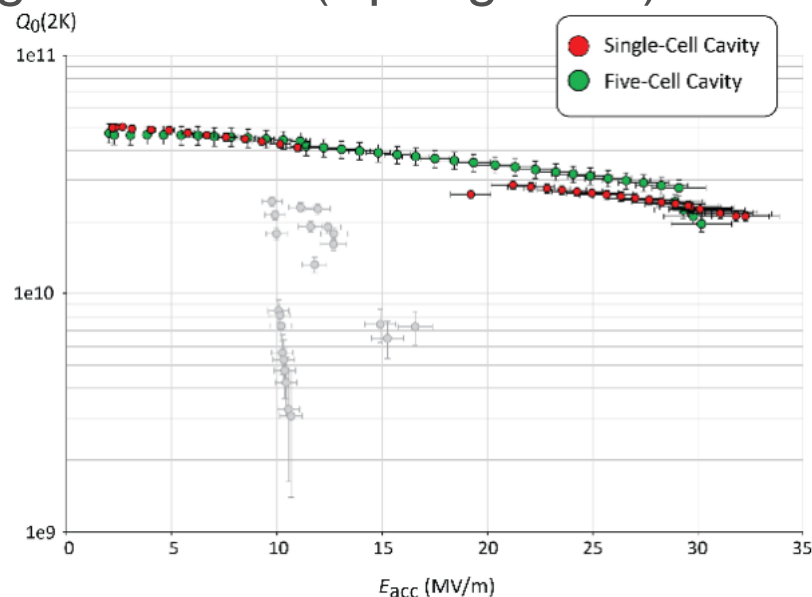
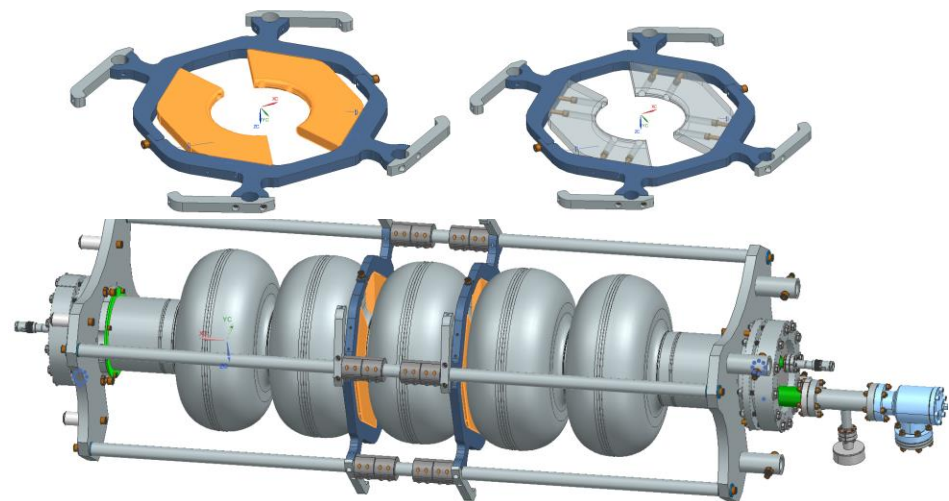


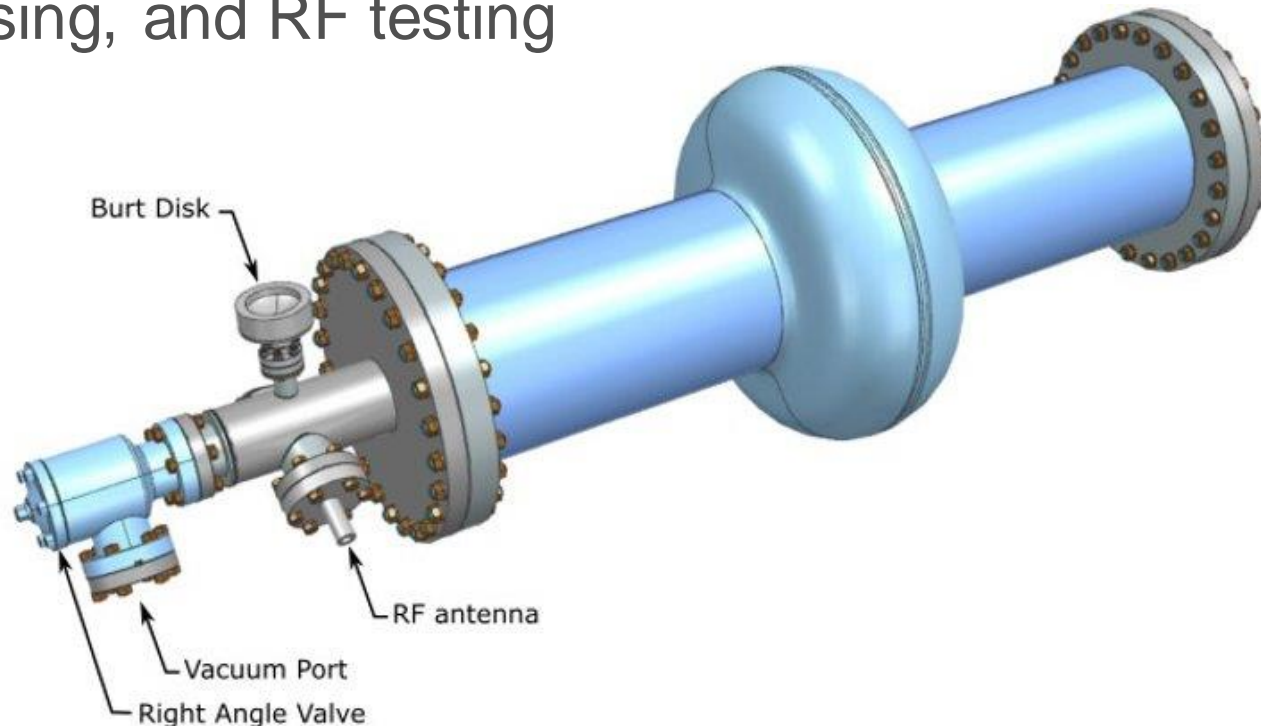
Figure 4: Combined VTA results for the five-cell and single-cell cavity as measured at 2 Kelvin.

F. Marhauser et al. [802 MHz ERL Cavity Design and Development \(cern.ch\)](#) IPAC 2018 THPAL146



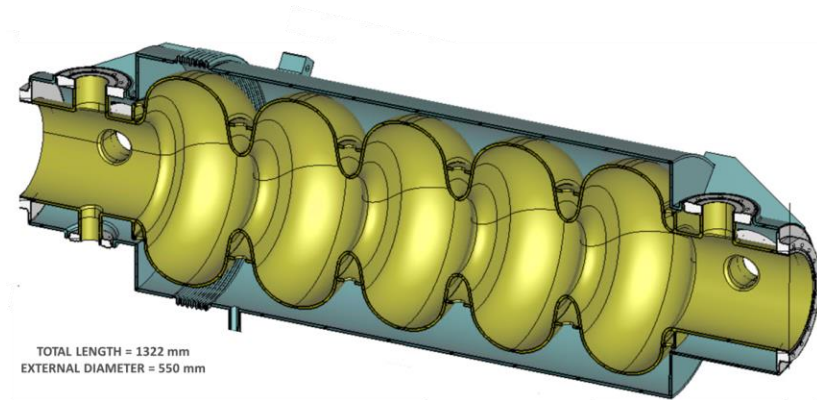
1-cell 800 MHz design

- FNAL mechanical design based on CERN RF design (end-cells)
- Compatible with high-temp; Nb₃Sn cavity R&D
- CERN to fabricate 3 in-house, send to FNAL for bulk surface processing, and RF testing

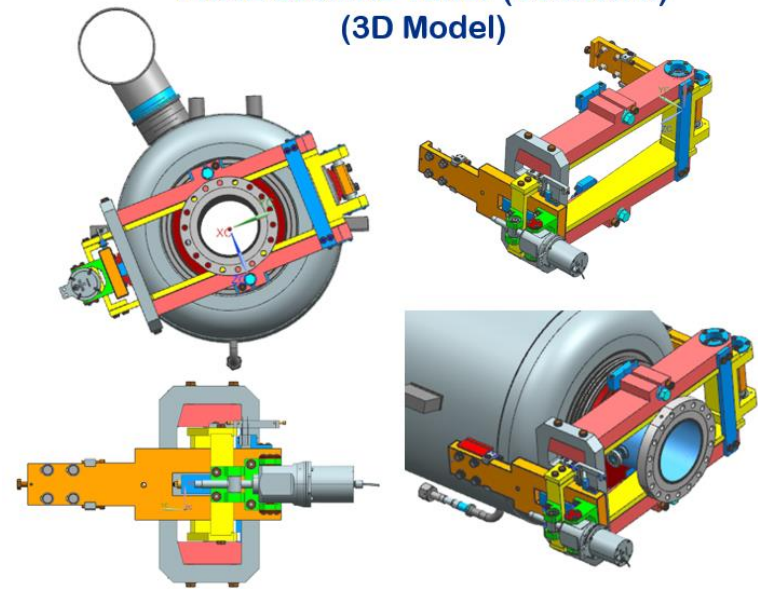


Integrated jacketed cavity + tuner design

- Initial design proposed by CERN
- FNAL contributing changes based on PIP-II, LCLS-II, e.g:
 - Redesign with smaller bellows
 - Integrated He jacket and tuner design so loads/stiffness managed efficiently
- Tuner design to be based on modified FNAL 650 MHz double-lever tuner
 - FNAL has unique experience manufacturing/QA testing these in production quantities



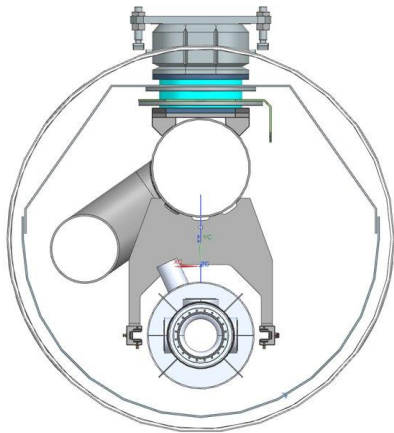
FNAL 650MHz Tuner (Version II)
(3D Model)



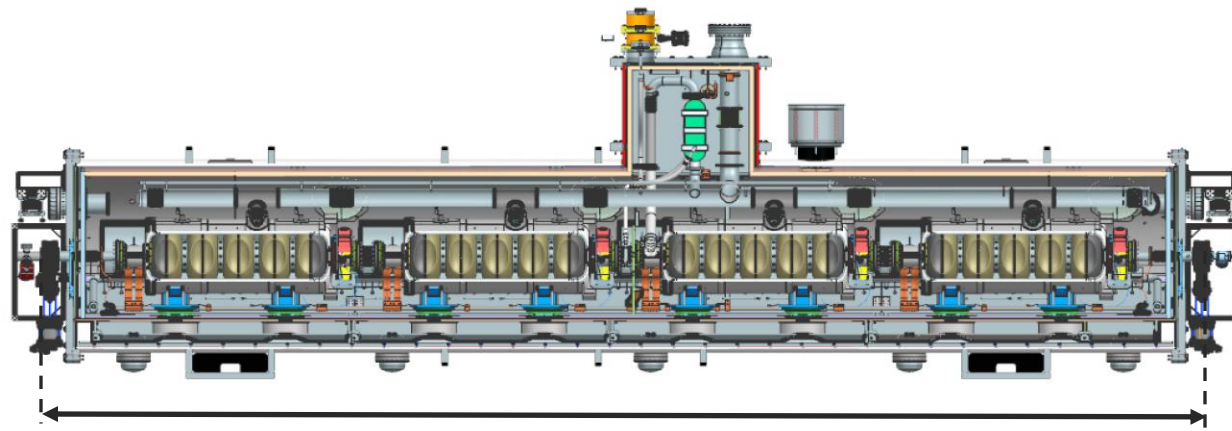
Cryomodule design

- FNAL has undertaken preliminary design work for segmented, continuous, and hybrid cryomodule concepts
 - Fine-segmented design draws heavily on PIP-II design, which also benefits from PIP-II international shipping studies, etc.
 - Continuous design concept in early stages, based on LCLS-II CM design

Continuous design:



Segmented design, with 800 MHz cavities:



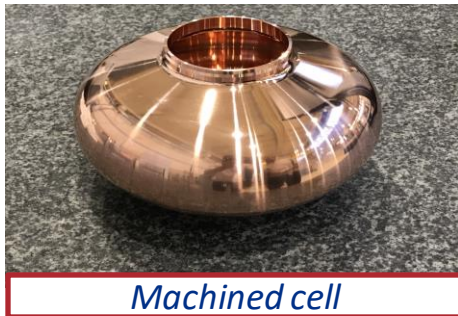
~7 m

Developing contributions

Nb/Cu cavity development

- Aim: Enable 4 K operation
- HiPIMS & ECR @ JLAB
 - 1.3 GHz Nb/Nb demonstration
 - lower frequency cavity deposition: 952.6 & 800 MHz, substrates on hand
 - Ideal substrates development
 - Machining (CERN), hydroforming (KEK)

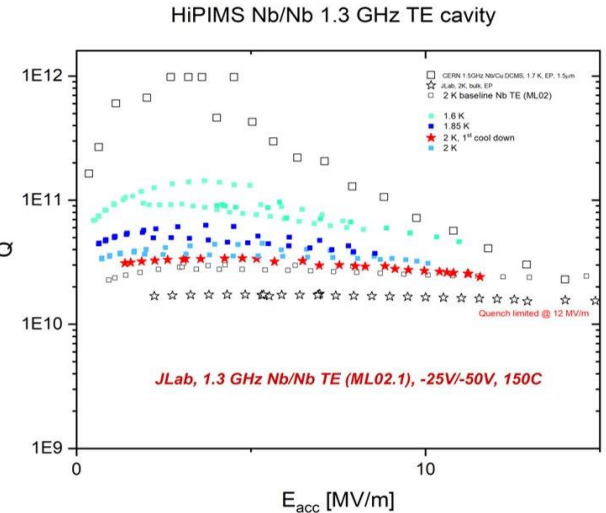
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Machined cell

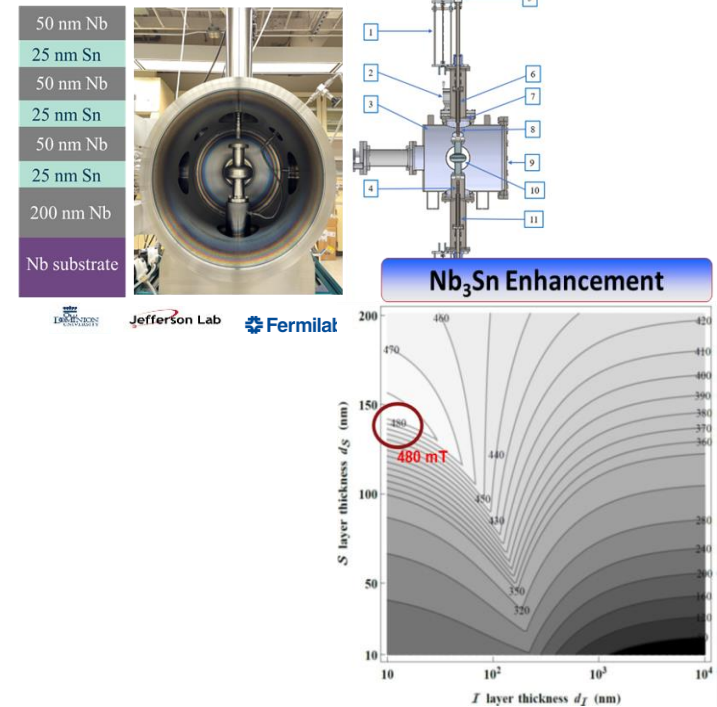


E-beam welded to cut-offs

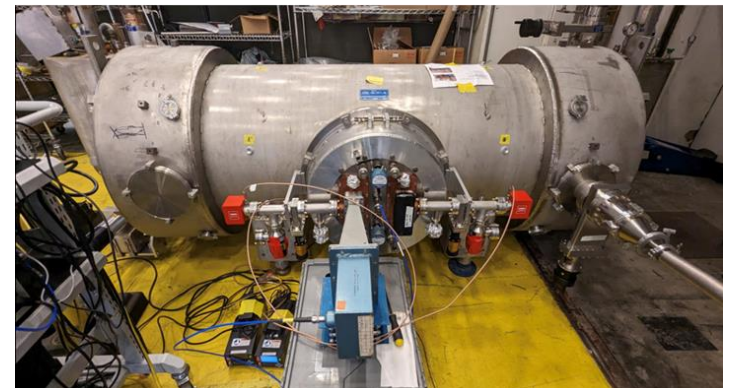


Advanced SRF development

- Above 20 MV/m demonstrated in 1-cell, 15 MV/m demonstrated in multicell Nb₃Sn at FNAL
- Material studies and development of Nb₃Sn cavities @ JLab
 - Alternative deposition methods, SIS multilayer materials
- Process developments towards Nb₃Sn cavities in operation
 - 1e10 @10 MV/m
 - Cavities coated @JLab & FNAL
 - ¼ cryomodule assembly complete!
 - Test scheduled April 2024



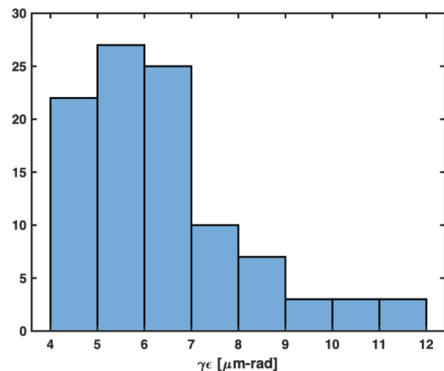
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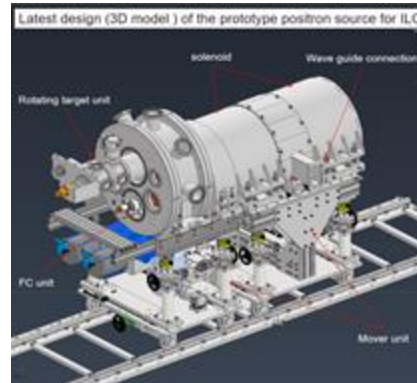
- FCC injector complex (up to 20 GeV) linac
 - Compact and high-gradient RF accelerator for injection
 - Design studies for versatile bunch format (multi-bunch and full range in charge)
 - US-Japan program on positron sources – expand to FCC-ee
 - FCC-ee common electron and positron injector linac from 6 to 20 GeV based on cold-copper: reduce length by 3.5x or reduce RF power by 3.5x

– Planned test at ANL

Lucretia simulation
90% of seeds < 8
 $\mu\text{m-rad}$



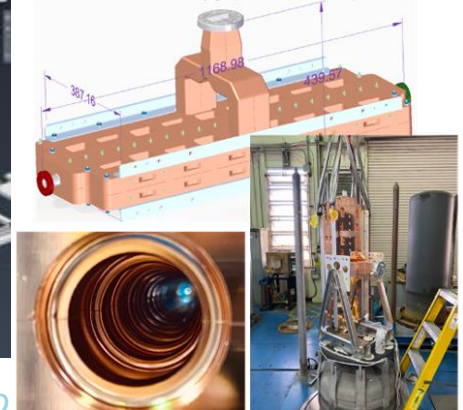
Electron Driven
Positron Source



Courtesy of Y. Enomoto

Wide Aperture S-band Injector Linac

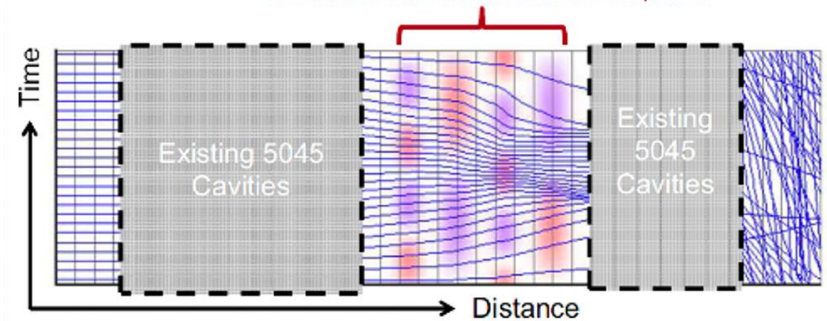
$$a/\lambda = 0.125$$



RF sources for FCC-ee

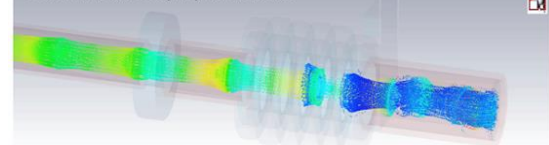
- High-efficiency RF sources needed for Injector, Booster, and collider ring
- SLAC is a participant of the CERN lead HEIKA collaboration on RF Sources
- Active development of permanent magnet klystrons
- Demonstration of high-efficiency and energy recover concepts

SLAC BAC Prototype S-band Retrofit +10% efficiency, 73 MW 4 New Cavities Added to Drift Space



N, 12 GHz klystron (CERN/CPI).

3D Particle-in-Cell (PIC) simulations



	VIX-8311A	HEX COM_M (CERN/CPI)
Voltage, kV	420	420
Current, A	322	204
Frequency, GHz	11.994	11.994
Peak power, MW	49	59
Sat. gain, dB	48	59
Efficiency, %	36.2	69
Life time, hours	30 000	85 000
Solenoidal magnetic field, T	0.6	0.37
RF circuit length, m	0.316	0.316

SLAC Green-RF Energy Recovery



Summary

- Multiple strong avenues for US-FCC involvement on RF/SRF systems
 - Ongoing High Q cavity studies
 - 1-cell and 5-cell prototypes available for advanced surface processing development
 - Integrated jacket/tuner design underway
 - CM design studies underway
 - Nb/Cu, Nb₃Sn, SIS fundamental R&D ongoing
 - RF injector linac/RF power source improvement ongoing
- Multiple projects poised to make meaningful progress with dedicated FCC support

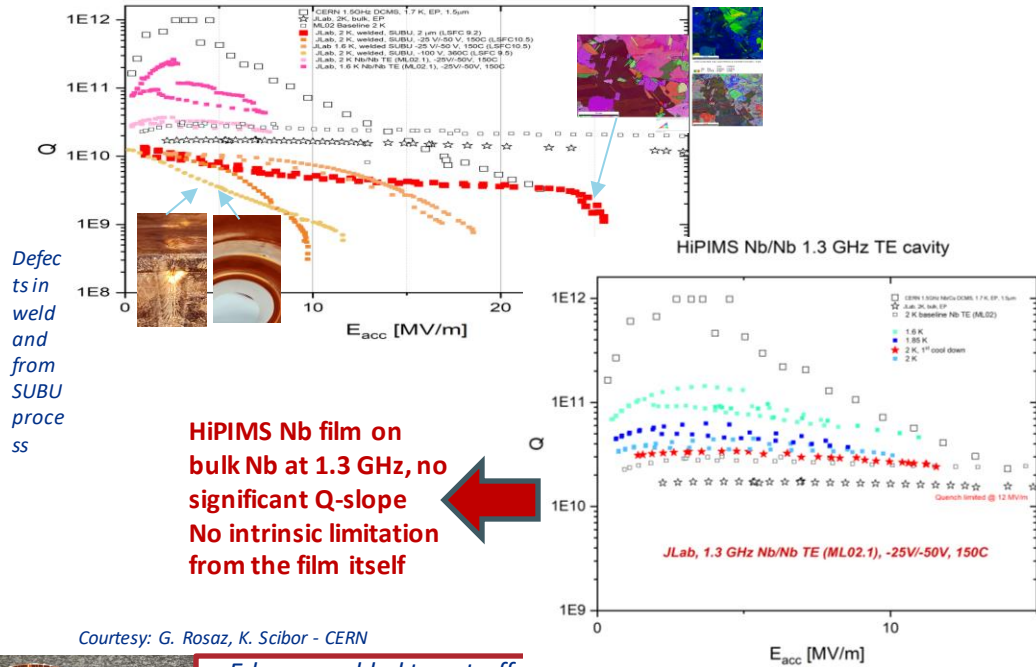
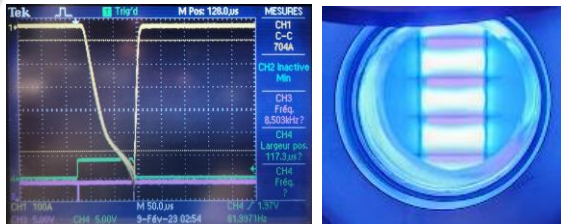
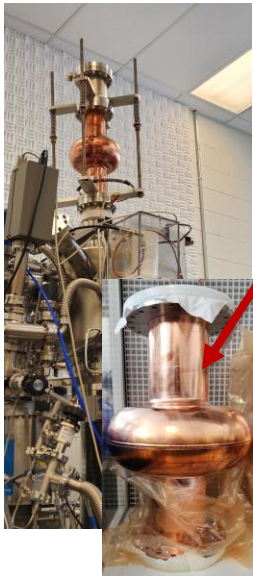


Development of Nb/Cu Cavities by Energetic Condensation

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HiPIMS & ECR

- ❑ HiPIMS cavity coating @ 1.3 GHz
Deposition ramped up to 1 cavity/week if substrate available
- ❑ lower frequency cavity deposition (952.6 & 800 MHz, substrates on hand)



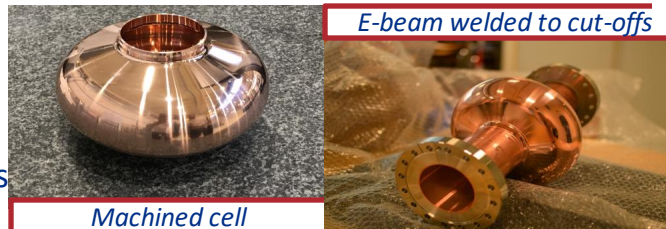
Defects in weld and from SUBU process

HiPIMS Nb film on bulk Nb at 1.3 GHz, no significant Q-slope
No intrinsic limitation from the film itself

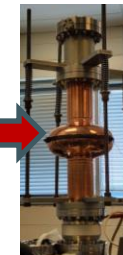
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Quality Substrates Development

- ❑ Cu cavities machined in the bulk as "ideal" substrates (CERN)
- ❑ Cu hydroformed cavities (KEK, Texas)



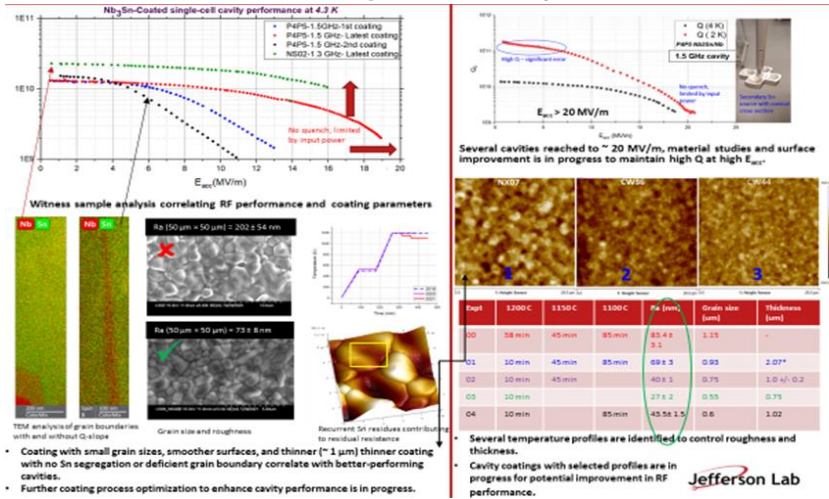
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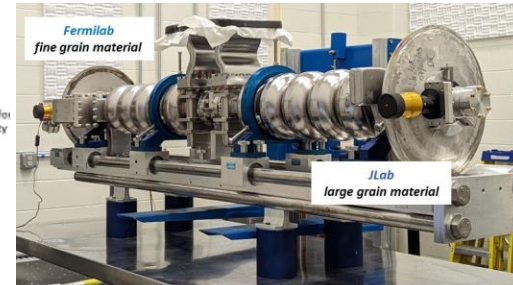
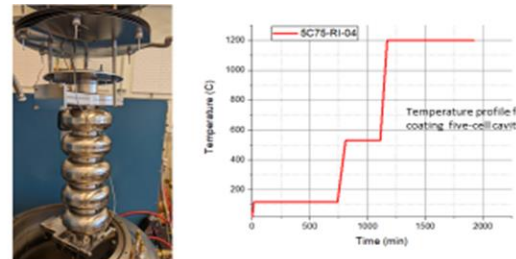
SRF Developments around Nb₃Sn

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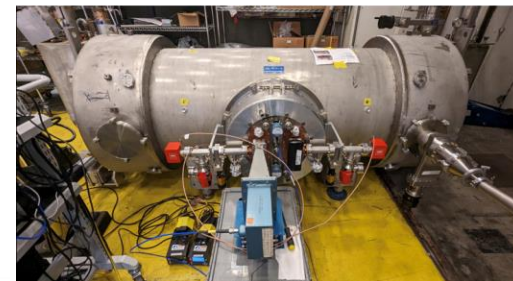
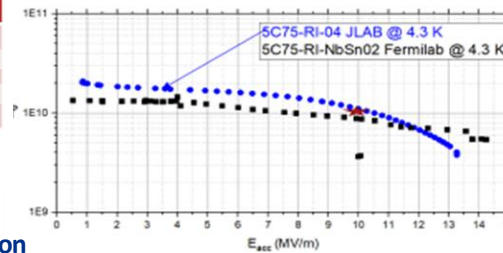
Material studies and development of Nb₃Sn-coated cavities



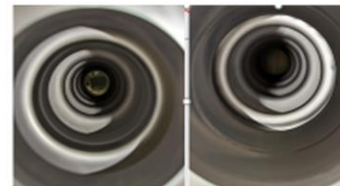
Process Developments towards Nb₃Sn cavities in operation



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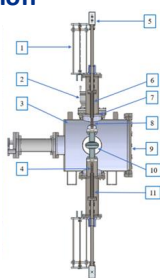
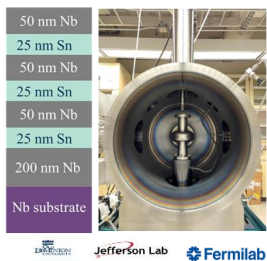
- Original C75 cavity made of **large grain material**
- Limited by multipacting (no quench)



- Specs: 1 e10 @10 MV/m
- One cavity was coated at Fermilab and another at Jlab..
- Quarter cryomodule assembly is complete.
- Test scheduled for April 2024.

Alternate Techniques Development for Nb₃Sn Deposition

Compact Accelerators based on Nb₃Sn



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SIS Multilayered Structures

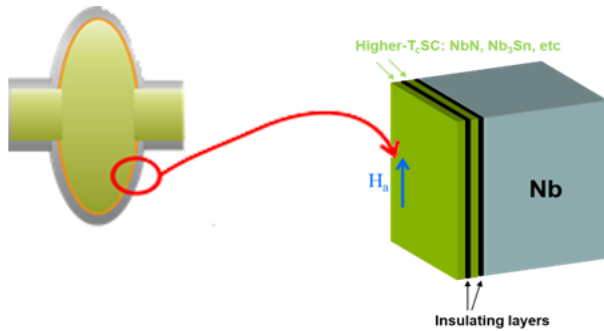
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Taking advantage of the high T_c superconductors with much higher H_c without being penalized by their lower H_{c1} ...

Multilayer coating of SC cavities: alternating SC and insulating layers with $d_{SC} < \lambda$

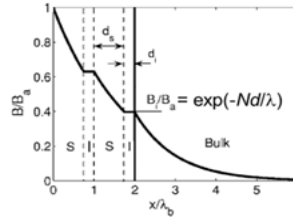
Higher T_c thin layers provide magnetic screening of the Nb SC cavity (bulk or thick film) without vortex penetration

Alex Gurevich, *Appl. Phys. Lett.* 88, 012511 (2006)

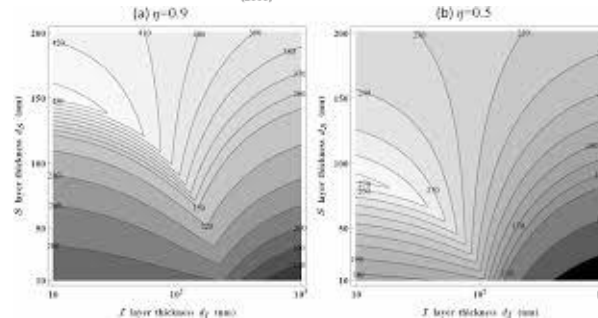
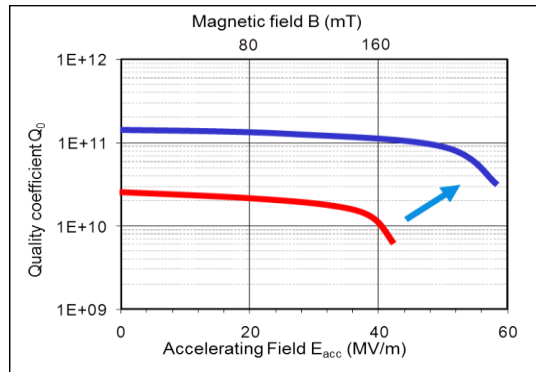
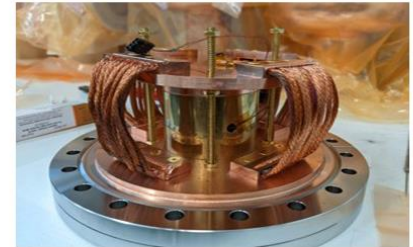


Suppression of vortex penetration due to the enhancement of H_{c1} in a thin film with $d < \lambda$
[Abrikosov, (1964)]

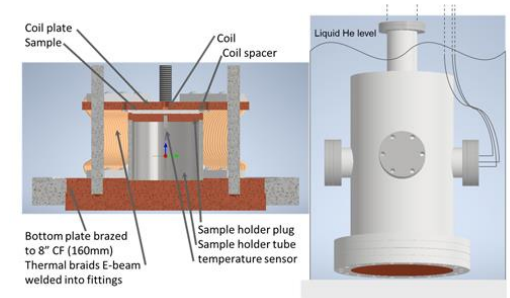
$$H_{c1} = \frac{2\phi_0}{\pi d^2} \left(\ln \frac{d}{\xi} - 0.07 \right)$$



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3rd Harmonic Setup for H_{FP} measurement

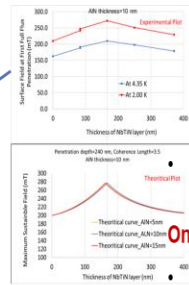
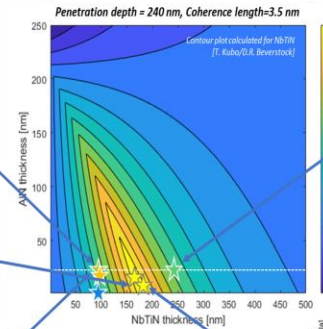
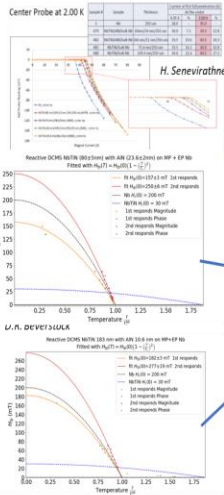
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SIS Multilayered Structures

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Based on NbTiN

Measurement on NbTiN SIS structures on 1" & 2" Nb substrates



Nb₃Sn based multilayers foreseen to bring the highest enhancement of H_{max} for SIS structures

Based on Nb₃Sn

Nb₃Sn on Nb: H_s = 0.84H_c = 454 mT and λ = 120 nm (moderately dirty):

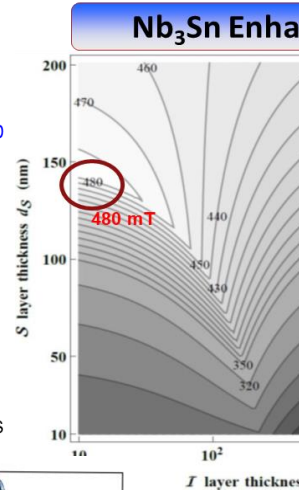
$$H_m = 507 \text{ mT}, \quad E_{acc} = 120 \text{ MV/m}, \quad d_m = 1.1\lambda = 132 \text{ nm}$$

doubles the superheating field of clean Nb

Current deposition techniques incompatible with integration with many dielectric materials, relying only on thermal energy to achieve the desired A15 phase

On-going Developments

- Use HiPIMS/ECR to create dense Nb₃Sn films with high Nb incident ion energy
 - Explore the coating parameter space (ion energy, temperature) for Nb₃Sn with 18-25% stoichiometry
 - Effect of ion energy/temperature on A15 phase formation, differential strain between substrate and film
- Measure H_{C2} for nominal (~2 μm) coated Nb₃Sn and establish the contour plot S layer thickness versus I layer thickness for the produced Nb₃Sn.
- Thickness series to determine/verify optimum layer thicknesses with H



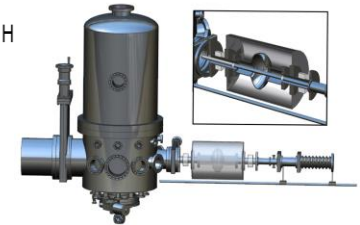
- Deposited SIS structures fit the theoretical model
- 3rd harmonic measurements show field enhancement up to 20-60% compared to base bulk Nb.
- Effect most sensitive to coherence length

- Magnetic screening measurements with SQUID/3rd harmonic local magnetometry
- Implementation on QPR samples and elliptical cavities for RF evaluation

Synergistic Developments

Application of NbTiN to superconducting digital logic and metamaterials

Application of thick Nb₃Sn on Cu films for conduction cooled cavities, industrial & environmental accelerators



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RF Accelerator Technologies for FCC-ee - Accelerator

FCC-ee injector complex include (up to 20 GeV) linac

Possible Contributions:

- Compact and high gradient RF accelerator for injection
- Design studies for versatile bunch format (multi-bunch and full range in charge)

- US-Japan program on positron sources – expand to FCC-ee

90% seeds < 8 $\mu\text{m-rad}$ with lattice errors

- Example: FCC-ee - common electron and positron injector linac from 6 to 20 GeV based on **cold-copper**

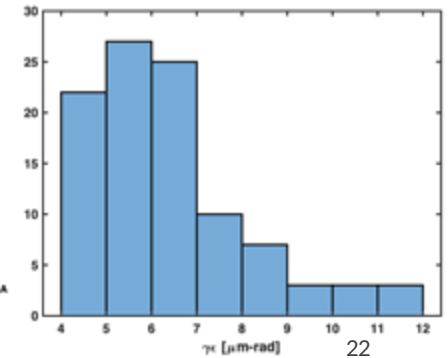
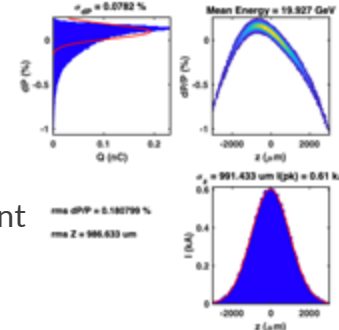
○ **reduce length 3.5X OR reduce rf power 3.5X**

Wide Aperture S-band Injector Linac
 $a/\lambda = 0.125$

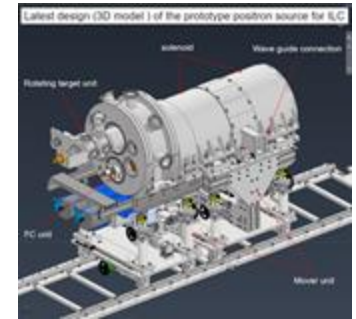


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- Planned test at Argonne
- Tracking with Lucretia includes longitudinal and transverse wakes, chromatic effects etc
- Error study is 100 seeds, 100 μm element offsets, 300 μrad element rolls (rms)
 - No corrections applied



Electron Driven
Positron Source



Courtesy of Y. Enomoto

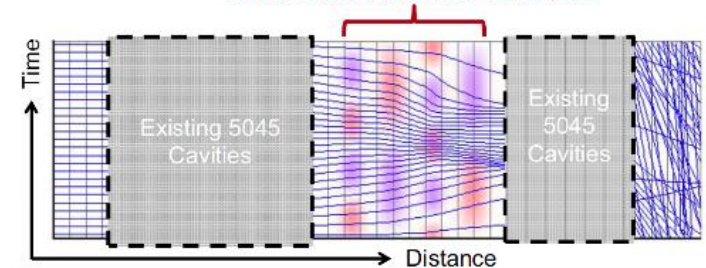
RF Accelerator Technologies for FCC-ee – RF Sources

RF Sources Needed for Injector, Booster and Collider Ring Possible Contributions:

- SLAC is a participant of the CERN lead HEIKA collaboration on RF Sources
- Active development of permanent magnet klystrons
- Demonstration of high-efficiency and energy recover concepts

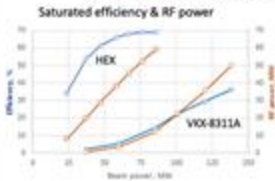
SLAC BAC Prototype S-band Retrofit +10% efficiency, 73 MW

4 New Cavities Added to Drift Space



High Efficiency RF Sources (CLIC)

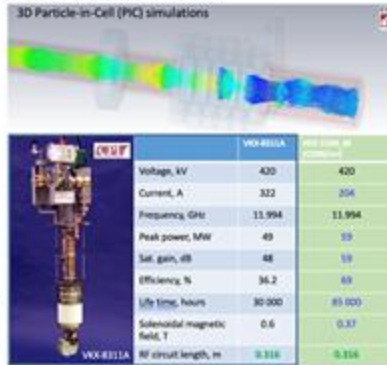
Retro-fit High Efficiency 50 MW, 12 GHz klystron (CERN/cpi).



- Re-used solenoid.
- Increased life time (> factor 2)
- Reduced modulator power (~ factor 2)
- Increased power gain (10 dB)
- Reduced solenoidal field

Prototype fabrication is under negotiation within CPI/INFN/CERN collaboration.

I. Sarchev, CLIC PM #11, 13.12.2023



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CERN designed High Efficiency klystron successfully tested

21 July 2022



Photomontage of the High Efficiency Klystron (HEK) at CERN.

SLAC Green-RF Energy Recovery

