

# STATUS OF THE EUROPEAN XFEL CONSTRUCTING THE 17.5 GEV SUPERCONDUCTING LINEAR ACCELERATOR

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- Initially 6 equipped experiments







Built by 12 European Nations at DESY, Hamburg

Budget 1.150 MEuro incl. preparation and commissioning



# **XFEL** Parameters



Quantity	Value
electron energy	10.5/14/17.5 GeV
macro pulse repetition rate	10 Hz
RF pulse length (flat top)	600 μs
bunch repetition frequency within pulse	4.5 MHz
bunch charge	0.02 – 1 nC
electron bunch length after compression (FWHM)	2 – 180 fs
Slice emittance	0.4 - 1.0 mm mrad
beam power	500 kW
# of modules (containing eight 9-cell superconducting 1.3 GHz cavities)	101
accelerating gradient for 17.5 GeV	23.6 MV/m
# of 10 MW multi-beam klystrons	27
average klystron power (for 0.03 mA beam current at 17.5 GeV)	5.2 MW
photon wavelength	0.05 – 4 nm









# **XFEL** Civil Construction Status



- Three construction sites
- 5.8 km tunnels
- 12000 m<sup>2</sup> surface are buildings
- 150000 m<sup>3</sup> of underground building volume





### Osdorfer Born

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### Schenefeld Experimental Hall

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### 4 June 2012 Tunnel breakthrough All tunneling finished



# **XFEL** CAD Model of LINAC installation









#### European XFEL

### **EL** Accelerator Installation – Warm Beamlines



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### **XFEL** Technical Infrastructure Installation

- Detailed planning of needed infrastructure previous to tendering and installation
- Installation has started in main linac tunnel Q1/2012
- Planning diagram shows
  - when, where and how long a task takes place
  - which tasks can go on in parallel (or not)



TUPB015 Markus Huening (DESY)

Warm Beamlines and Infrastructure in the European XFEL









# **XFEL** European XFEL at a Glance







# XFEL Injector

- Gun development at PITZ, DESY Zeuthen
- New best values for emittance achieved
- XFEL gun cavity starts to be conditioned in autumn 2012
- 3.9 GHz accelerator module (for bunch length control), design finished, prototype cavities in test











- Transvers Intra-Bunch Feedback
- Flexible beam distribution system for quasisimultaneous operation of two primary electron beam lines



**XFEL Collimator** 





- Series production of 90 undulators started
- Focusing quadrupoles manufactured and precision fiducialization
- Series production of intersection components started



















### **Superconducting Cavities**







### **XFEL** Cavity Material Supply

- Nb sheets and supplementing material purchased by DESY through 4 prequalified vendors
  - Pressure Equipment Directive: Qualification of material, certification of QM, supervision of production through notified body (TUEV Nord)
  - Quality inspection of all semi-finished parts at DESY prior to shipment to companies
    - eddy current scanning
    - tactile 3d measurements
  - 70% 100% material already delivered to companies



Acceptance of Nb sheets at Ningxia OTIC (courtesy of NOTIC)



Eddy current scan at DESY



### **XFEL** Mechanical fabrication

- Mechanical fabrication at RI & Zanon
  - deep drawing of half cells
  - welding of dumb bells
  - rf measurements
  - e-beam welding of 9-cell cavities
- Process qualification through production of reference cavities (RC) and dummy cavities (DC)



E-beam welding at Zanon (courtesy Zanon)

> E-beam welding at RI (courtesy RI)



RF measurement and tuning equipment at RI









#### All RCs and DCs produced and treated and RF tested at DESY



MOPB012 Alexey Sulimov (DESY) First RF Measurement Results for the European XFEL SC Cavity Production



Fabrication of dumb-bells at RI (courtesy of RI)





- Installation of equipment for surface treatment at companies almost finished
- Qualification of surface treatment in multi-step process with intermediate RF tests at DESY this fall



Furnaces for 120° C baking (courtesy Zanon)

Ultrasonic Cleaning and BCP in ISO 10 clean room (courtesy Zanon)

800° C annealing furnace (courtesy RI)









#### European **XFEL** Cavity Measurements

- All 800 cavities CW power measured in vertical cryostat at AMTF
- Four cavities/cryostat
- Non-conforming cavities repaired at **DESY** infrastructure
- Conforming cavities shipped to Saclay





Assembly

Cool down

Warm up

Disassembly

RF test

# 34 steps to perform 01





# **XFEL String Assembly**







# EuropeanXFELString Assembly

- Infrastructure installed at CEA Saclay (XFEL-Village) for string assembly
- Training of CEA staff with XFEL proto-type cavities
- Assembly will be performed by industrial operator
- Contract signed, training will start autumn this year

THPLB09 Thu 15:30 - 15:35,Catherine Madec (CEA Saclay) Status of E-XFEL String and Cryomodule Assembly at CEA-Saclay

MOPB017 Elmar Vogel (DESY) Integration of the European XFEL Accelerating Modules









# XFEL String Assembly





8 Power couples (LAL Orsa 8 Cavity tuners (DESY) Quadrupole package (CIEM Madrid & DESY



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# XFEL Module Assembly





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# XFEL Module Assembly

- Cold masses from IHEP and Zanon
- Assembly at CEA Saclay
- Tools and infrastructure ready
- Training of industrial operator starts autumn 2012

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# XFEL Module Assembly

- Assembly:
  - string connected to the He return pipe (cold mass)
  - components aligned
  - insulation and shields
  - insertion into cryostat
  - Assembly of warm coupler parts
  - transportation preparation: assembly of end-caps, nitrogen filling of the cavities and assembly of surveillance instrumentation

 Road transport from CEA Saclay to DESY for final testing

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### XFEL Module Testing

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### Accelerator Module Test Facility (AMTF)

Storage area

Transport area

Rails

Incoming inspection

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Platform for inserts

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RF area

# where the cavities and the modules will be tested

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#### Flow Diagram of Module Test

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# XFEL High Power RF System

- 10 MW multi-beam klystron
- Contract Awarded, first series klystrons delivered 8/2012

TUPLB04 15:05 - 15:10, TUPB004 Vladimir Vogel (DESY) Results of Testing of Multi-beam Klystrons for the European XFEL

 Pulse Transformer and klystron installed in tunnel

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- Modulator installed on surface Connection with up to 2 km long pulse cables
- All components ordered, cable installation starts next month

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### **Waveguide Distribution**

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- Pre-installed in AMTF
- AMTF wave-guide test are
- the call for tender started with specified delivery date of first waveguide distribution system in in autumn 2012

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# XFEL Low Level RF System

#### MicroTCA based LLRF system

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- RMS amplitude regulation of 5 x 10–5
- Phase regulation of 0.009°
- expected beam energy stability < 0.005%</p>

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THPB085 Julien Branlard (DESY) *LLRF Automation for the 9mA ILC Tests at FLASH* THPB086 Christian Schmidt (DESY) *Precision Regulation of RF Fields with MIMO Controllers and Cavitybased Notch Filters* 

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# **XFEL** Cold Linac Infrastructure

- Refurbishment of HERA cryo plant started
- Challenging schedule because of early operation start in 2014 to operate the XFEL injector
- Planning, production and installation of cryogenic equipment for accelerator and AMTF continued

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### **XFEL** Overall schedule – and its challenges

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### **XFEL** Last Words

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- Progress on construction, infrastructure planning and ramp up of accelerator component fabrication
- Challenge to get the series production of accelerator modules started
- Working hard to finish installation in time for
  - start of injector commissioning mid 2014
  - start of linac commissioning mid 2015
  - observe first SASE by end of 2015

Thanks to all people contributing to this exiting project

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### Back Up

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#### Conclusion:

Projecting to 8 cavities operating at 1.8 K, one should be able to reach 21.5 MV/m at DF=17% (flat-top 140 ms) at 20 W/cryomodule

TUPB019 Jacek Sekutowicz (DESY)

Second CW and LP Operation Test of XFEL Prototype Cryomodule

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# **XFEL** Surface Treatment

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#### Prior surface treatment.

EP 110-140 m(main EP), ethanol rinse, outside BCP, 800°C annealing, tuning

# Final surface treatment -two alternative options

 Final EP of 40 m, ethanol rinse, high pressure water rinsing (HPR) and 120°C bake (RI)
Final PCP of 10 m(PCP Flach)

2. Final BCP of 10 m(BCP Flash), HPR and 120°C bake (EZ).

Integration of the helium tank, assembly of HOM, pick up and high Q antennas before vertical RF test

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