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The SRF Linac Components for the European Spallation Source: First Test Results

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USA 2006: SNS (1.4 MW)

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ESS design

High Power Linear Accelerator:

- Energy: 2 GeV
- Rep. Rate: 14 Hz Current: 62.5 mA

Target Station: He-gas cooled rotating W-target (5MW average power) 42 beam ports

> 16 Instruments in Construction budget

Committed to deliver 22 instruments by 2028

Peak flux ~30-100 brighter than the ILL

Total cost: 1843 MEuros 2013

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Partner institutions responsible for delivering the design & construction of ESS and SRF linac contributions

Aarhus University Atomki - Institute for Nuclear Research Agder University **Bergen University CEA Saclay**, Paris Centre for Energy Research, Budapest Centre for Nuclear Research, Poland, (NCBJ) CERN. Geneva CNR. Rome **CNRS** Orsay, Paris Cockcroft Institute, Daresbury **DESY**, Hamburg Delft University of Technology Edinburgh University Elettra – Sincrotrone Trieste ESS Bilbao Forschungszentrum Jülich Helmholtz-Zentrum Geesthacht Huddersfield Univesrity **IFJ PAN, Krakow** INFN, Catania **INFN**, Legnaro

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ESS Linac – A Collaborative Project



ESS Linac gallery – RF, Test stands, Integrated Control System



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Superconducting linac





	Spoke	Medium-β	High-β
β	0.5	0.67	0.86
# CM	13	9	21
Cav. /CM	2	4	4
# Cav.	26	36	84
CM L [m]	2.9	6.6	6.6
Sector L [m]	56	77	179

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Linac redesign to meet ESS cost objective

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Spoke cavity and cryomodule design



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Elliptical cavity design



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N	Magnetic Tank (Ti) hielding 💊 🦂 /	Int	Cold tuning system
* *	High beta (0,86): - 5 cells - Length 1316,91m	Medium beta (0,67): - 6 cells - Length 1259.40r	57,5 mm
*	- Contraction	Medium	High
Iris diameter (mm)		94	120
Cell to cell coupling k (%)	1.22	1.8
π and 5π/6 (or 4π/5) r (MHz)	node separatio	on 0.54	1.2
E_{pk}/E_{acc}		2.36	2.2
B _{pk} /E _{acc} (mT/(MV/m))		4.79	4.3
Maximum. r/Q (Ω)		394	477
Optimum β		0.705	0.92
G (Ω)		196.63	241

	Medium	High		
Geometrical beta	0.67	0.86		
Frequency (MHz)	704.42			
Operating temperature (K)	2			
Maximum surface field in	45	45		
operation (MV/m)				
Nominal Accelerating gradient	16.7	19.9		
(MV/m)				
Nominal Accelerating Voltage	14,3	18,2		
(MV)				
\mathbf{Q}_{0} at nominal gradient	> 5e9			
Cavity dynamic heat load (W)	4,9	6,5		
Q _{ext}	7.5 10 ⁵	7.6 10 ⁵		
> Challenging accelerating gradients and Q.				

HOM frequencies and internal cavity shape must be carefully controlled

G. Devanz, J. Plouin, G. Constanza

Spoke cryomodule design



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- Antenna & window water cooling
- Outer conductor cooled with LHe
- Doorknob transition from coaxial to ½ height WR2300 waveguide

Double Spoke SRF Cavities

- Double spoke cavity (3-gaps), 352.2 MHz, β=0.50
- Goal: Eacc = 9 MV/m [*Bp*= 72 *mT* ; *Ep* = 39 MV/m]
- 4 mm (nominal) Niobium thickness
- Titanium Helium tank, Ti stiffeners
- Lorentz detuning coeff. : -4.4 $Hz/(MV/m)^2$
- Tuning sentivity $\Delta f/\Delta z = 128 \text{ kHz/mm}$

Cold Tuning System

- Slow tuner (stepper motor): Max tuner stroke: 1.28 mm Max tuning range: ~ 170 kHz Tuning resolution: 1.1 Hz
- Fast tuning by 2 piezo-actuators
 Noliac 50x10x10 or PI 36x10x10 mm
 Applied voltage up to +/- 120 V
 Estimated tuning range at 2K: 800 Hz

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Elliptical cryomodule design

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He exchanger

jumper

Similar medium and high-beta cavity cryomodules

Common design: Small length difference between medium & high-beta cavities

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- Vacuum vessels, thermal shield, supports, alignment system.
- Distance between power couplers

Only minor differences:

- Length of the intercavity bellows,
- Details in cryo piping, beam pipe bellows
- Penetration of the antenna for Q_{ext} adjustment
- Tuner piezo frames



Diphasic

Power-coupler designs



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Cold Tuning System designs



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Spoke CTS



Slow tuner

Main purpose : Compensation of large frequency shifts with a low speed Actuator used : Stepper motor

Fast tuner

Main purpose : Compensation of small frequency shifts with a high speed Actuator used : Piezoelectric actuators

Elliptical CTS

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Assembly Procedures







Design concept of the tooling: most of parts will be used for both types of elliptical cryomodules



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Infrastructures (ex. Clean room in Saclay)



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Assembly room in Saclay

- Uses the current infrastructure of XFEL
- Benefits from the experience of the XFEL cryomodule assembly (ALSYOM)

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Spoke and cryomodule prototypes







View of the spoke cavity bars



Magnetic shield

Cold Tuning System





Spoke cryomodule vacuum vessel: Fabrication achieved (FAT done)



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Spoke cavity surface preparation

- Ultra-sonic degreasing
- Chemical etching: BCP Goal: 200 µm (min)
 - Phase 1: Horizontal, 120 minutes
 - Phase 2: Horizontal (180° rotation), 120 minutes
 - Phase 3: Vertical, 240 minutes
- Why H & V positions?
 - Better homogeneity
 - Frequency shift compensation: $\Delta f_{200\mu m}$ < -20 kHz
- HPR: 4 passes through all ports (6000 liters & 12h /cavity)
- ➔ No Baking and no heat treatment on the prototype cavities







Spoke cavity performances @ IPNO

→ Spoke cavity exceeding ESS requirements in vertical test on both Eacc and Qo



Eacc max=15.3 MV/m achieved with "Romea"

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- Several MP barriers but easily processed.
- $Q_0 > 1.6 \ 10^{10}$
- Strong FE at max
- Limitation is the cooling capacity (unstable conditions, cavity in vertical

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Spoke power-coupler performances @IPNO

• One spoke power coupler reached ESS requirements (sept. 2016)



RF conditioning stopped after output coupler failure (vacuum level raised up to 0.01

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Horizontal SRF Test Stand @ Uppsala University



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Spoke cavity performances @ Uppsala University



→ Spoke cavity (Germaine) exceeding ESS requirements in vertical test on both Eacc and Qo



Elliptical selected technologies



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Medium beta cavity prototype



High beta cavity prototype with its helium tank



Magnetic shield

Blank assembly of the spaceframe inside the vacuum tank





Tubes for rupture disks under manufacturing (left), inter-cavity bellows (middle) and cold-warm transitions (right)



Blank assembly of the jumper cryogenic connection



Validation tests of cavity string handling tools for clean room assembly (using a cavity mock-up)







New barometric compensation system for coupler flange under test





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Field flatness tooling @ CEA-Saclay



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Cavity clean room assembly with High Pressure Rinsing @ CEA-Saclay



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HPR 100 bars - Ultra pure water



Flanges and antenna pick-up assembly under class 100 laminar flow



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High-beta cavity results, HBP01, HBP02

➔ Q curves of the cavities HBP01 and HBP02 exceeded ESS goal, w/o heat treatment



Mounting on vertical insert , Connexion to RF system and vacuum pumping station



- Heat treatment for hydrogen removing, performed on the highbeta cavity, HP01, failed to improve the accelerating gradient.
- Lessons learned: heat treatment process has been studied with industry and succesfully implemented for medium-beta cavities.

Medium-beta cavity results, MBP01

- → MBP01 reached the ESS goal after proper heat treatment (July 2016)
- → MBP02 tested after 200µm BCP shows better results than MBP01 at the same phase (September 2016)



Lessons learned:

- Mechanical and Freq stats
- BCP
- Heat treatment
- Neutron during VT





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Heat treatment, MBP01



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→ Heat treatment at 600°C for 10 hours proved to be effective to improve cavity performance, MBP01 (May 2016)



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BCP preparation, MBP02



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Lessons learned: Manufacture



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From Dumbbell measurement it is possible to compute cavities frequency and length. The observed deviation are:

Parameter	Average deviation respect computed values
Length	0.767 mm
π -mode frequency	0.292 MHz

Length can be predicted within 1 mm accuracy and frequency within 300kHz.



RF measurements system (on half cell)



Dumbbells after welding in the control area





Dumbbells RF measurements for 0-mode (blue) and π -mode (red). Each bin has 0.2MHz width.



 π -mode frequency measurement welding (red), trimming (blue) and trimming+welding shrinkage (green).

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The coupler is equipped with different diagnosis elements: on the window, a pressure jauge, an electron pick-up (that is also used to measure the RF power close to the ceramic level) and a photomultiplier are mounted.

A baking is performed with silicon heating tapes: the temperature of the coupler and the box is set up at 170 °C for 96hours and the vacuum pumping group at 120 °C for 48 hr then 60 °C for 48 hr.



1.1 MW power-coupler conditioning

→ First results for the conditioning of the coupler loaded by 50 ohm in traveling wave.
→ Successful test with 14 Hz, 3.6 ms. Power increased up to 1.2 MW.





Pulse repetition period:72 ms

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First results from LASA and STFC

@ LASA: Medium-beta cavity after electron beam welding



@ STFC: Cavity testing in cryostat



MB001 Field Profile just After Fabrication FF=70% Ff=70% Ff=70% Ff=70% Ff=70% Ff=70% Ff=70% Ff=70% Ff=70%





Preparation for DumbBell Frequency measurement

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- A new collaborative project for Spallation.
- The first results for the SRF linac are promising even if many challenges still need to be addressed.
- Many lessons learned from results and other experiments.
- Build further capacity using industrialization process.
- Coordination of interfaces and integration is a challenging and on-going effort ! Acknowledgment and thanks to the excellent progress of the

Thank you for your attention!

ESS SRF teams

















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CEA and IPNO test areas people



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