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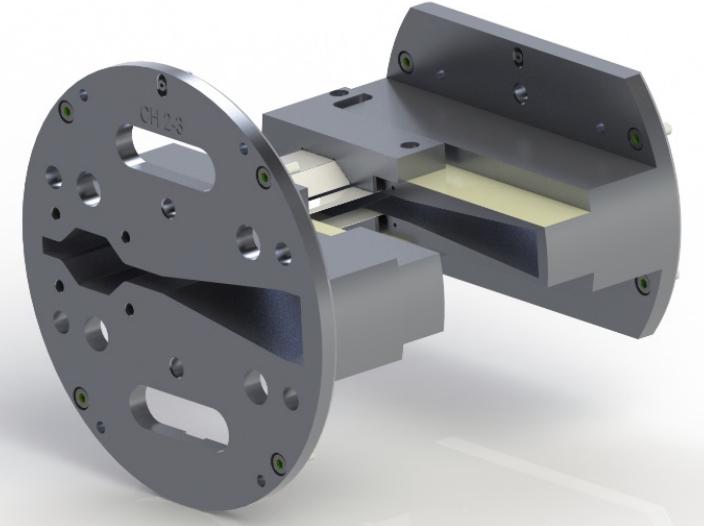
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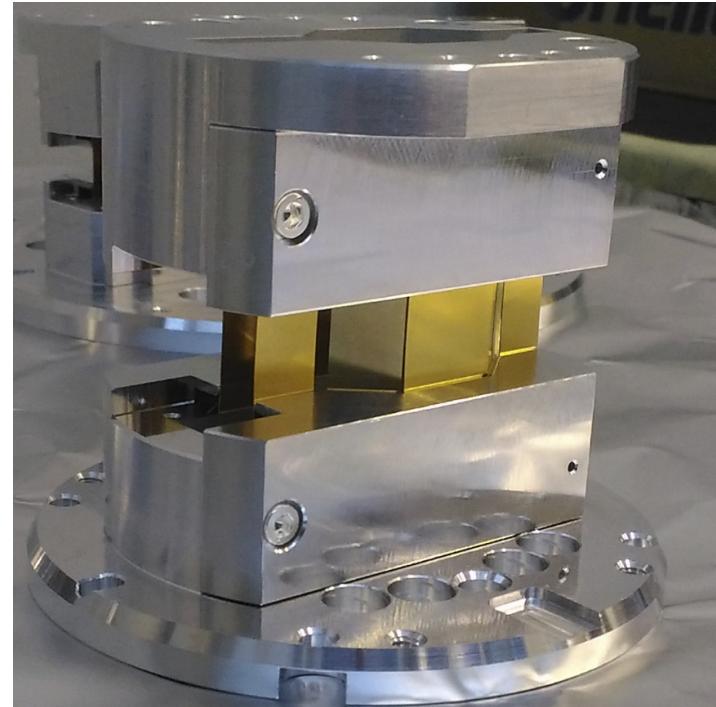
## RF Fingers for the new ESRF-EBS storage ring

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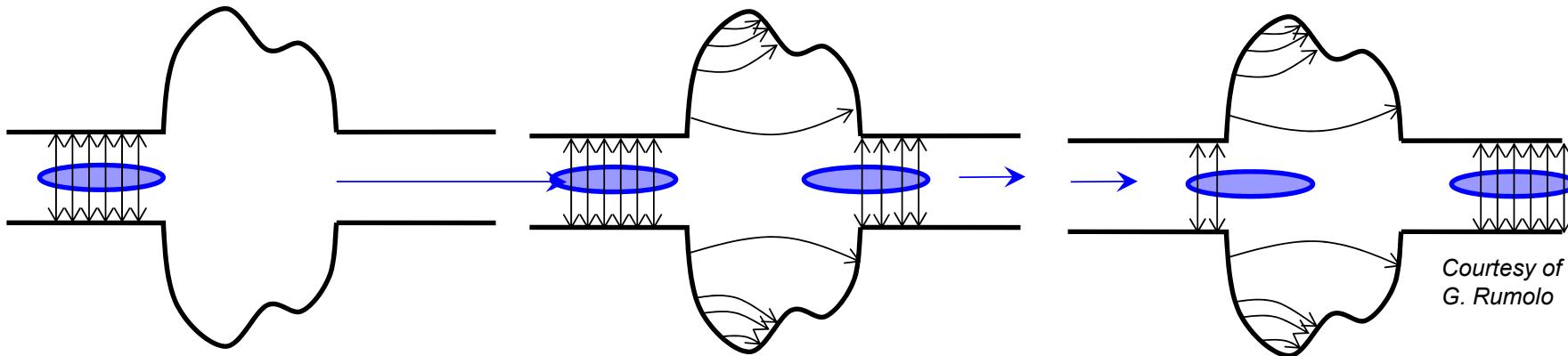


# OUTLINE

- ❖ Wake fields
- ❖ RF Finger conceptual design
- ❖ FEA calculations
- ❖ RF Finger final design
- ❖ Validation tests
  - Computed tomography images
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- ❖ Conclusion



# WAKE FIELDS

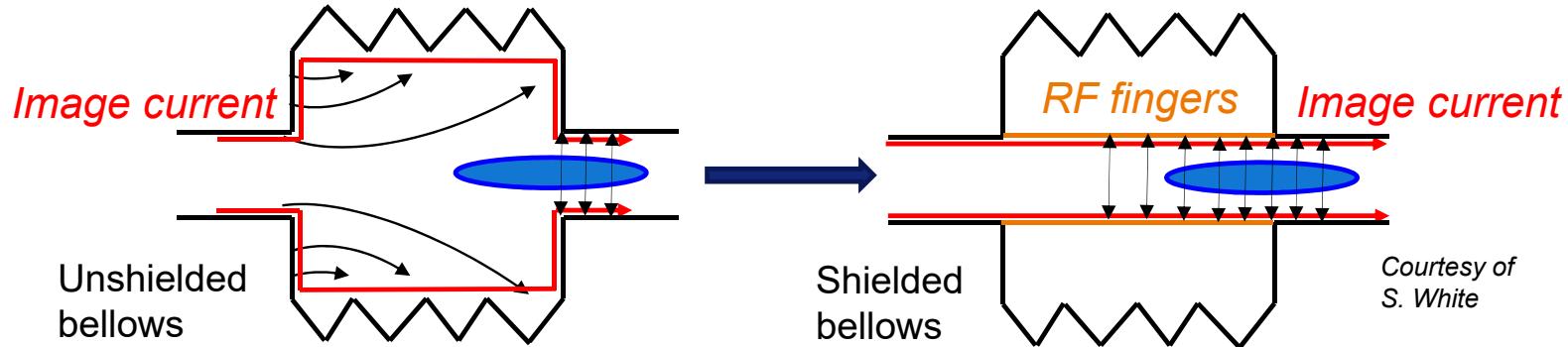


When the beam goes through a discontinuity it introduces an electro-magnetic field which keeps ringing after the beam has passed:

- The field generated from the head of the bunch can affect its tail: **single bunch instabilities**
- The field from one bunch can affect all trailing bunches: **multi-bunch instability**

**Beam instabilities can be very severe and prevent the machine from reaching its nominal performance: it is important to minimize their sources of as much as possible in the design phase of an accelerator**

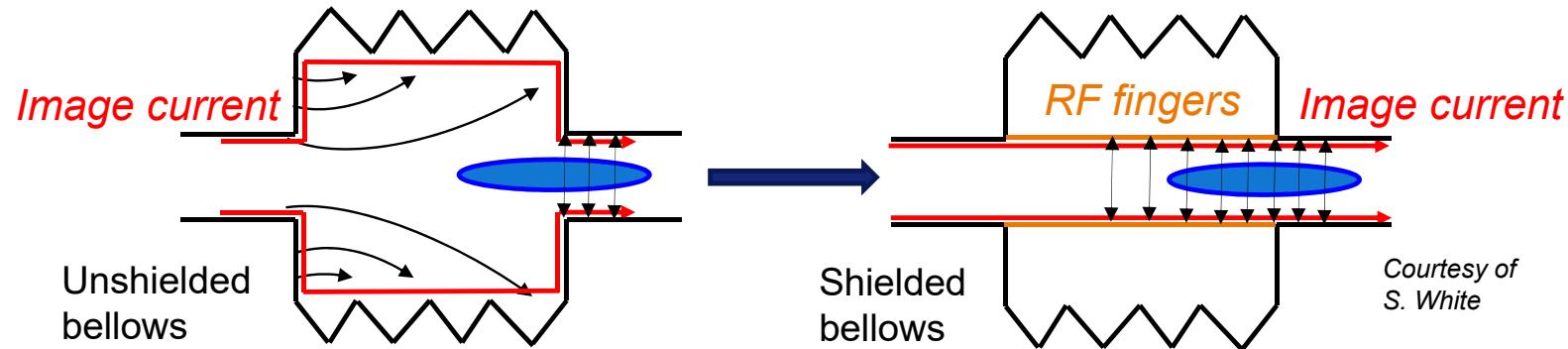
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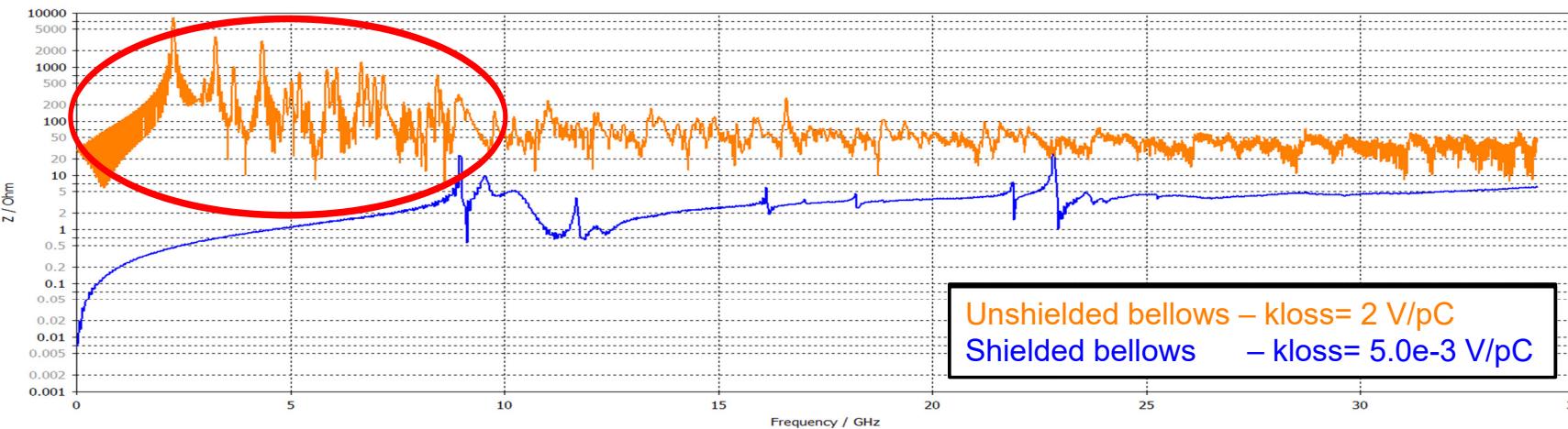
Bellows introduce a cavity type discontinuity which can be the source of strong resonant fields:

- These resonant fields can be the source of instabilities
- It is possible to "shield" the cavity from the beam using plates made of high conductivity material
- These are generally called RF fingers due to their shape
- Efficiency and principle is then verified with realistic EM simulation on the 3D model

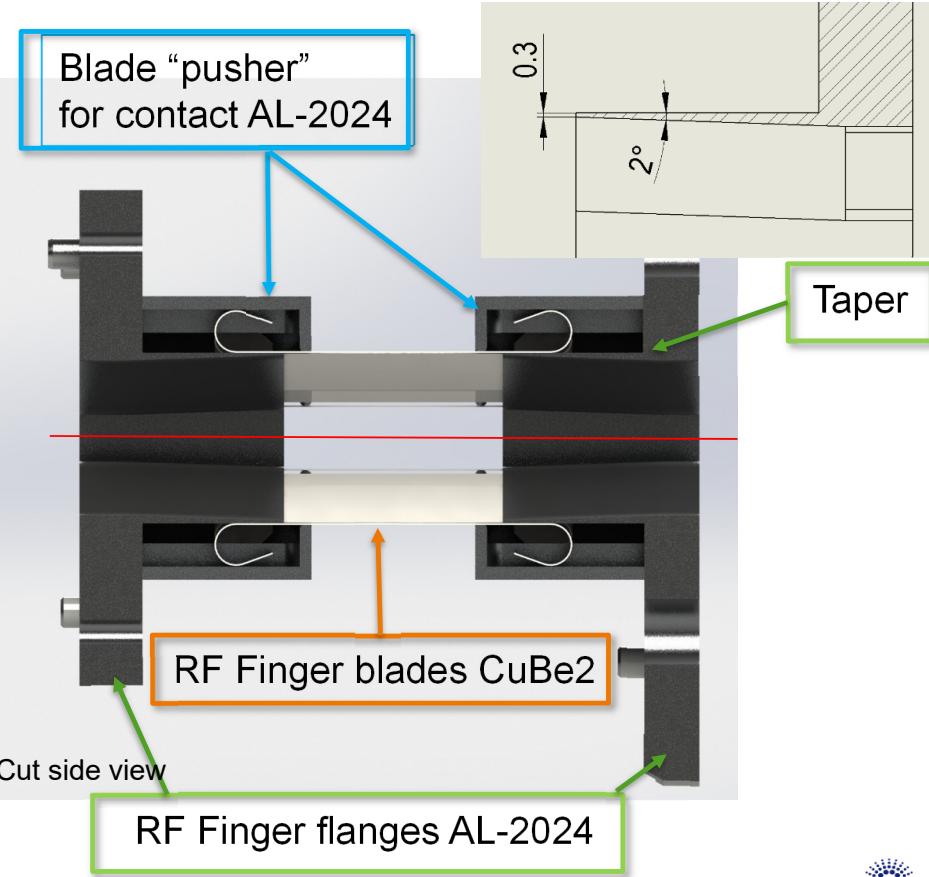
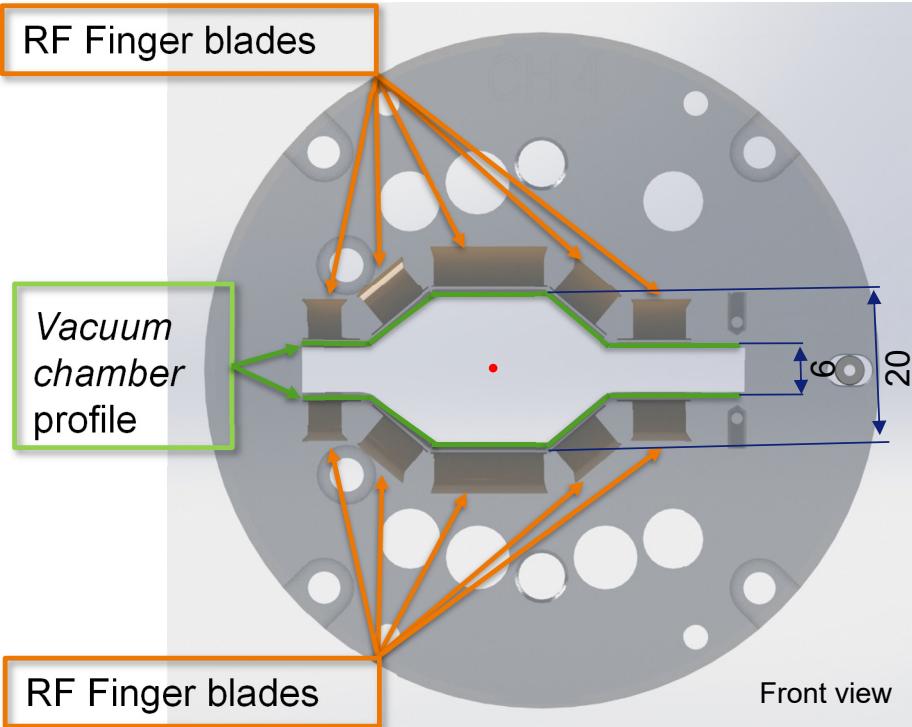
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# RF FINGER CONCEPT DESIGN



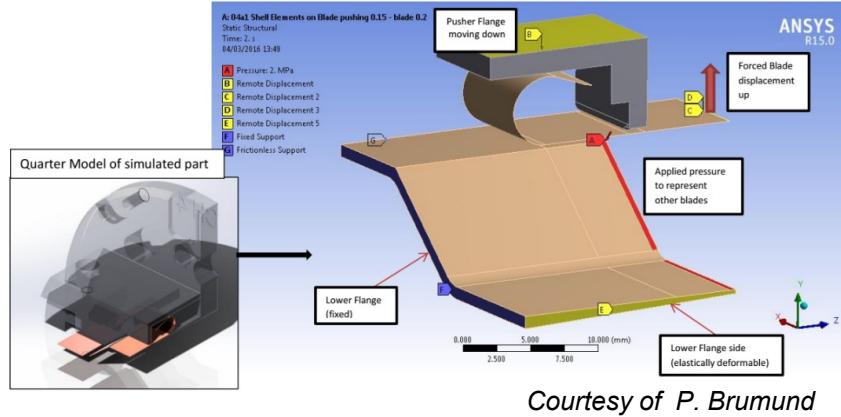
# FEA ON 3D / 2D MODELS

## 3D Model for contact and stresses created

- One blade considered
- Contact Pressure created by “pusher” displacement

## Checked Results:

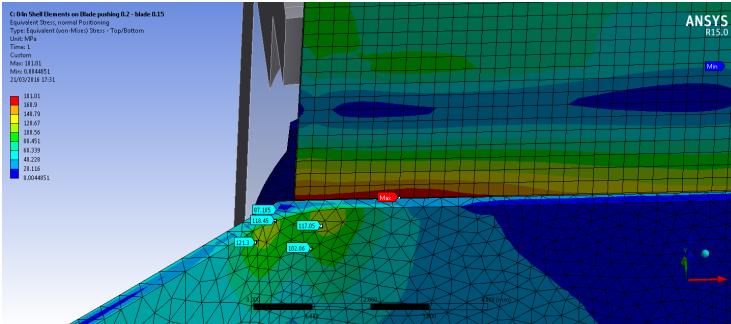
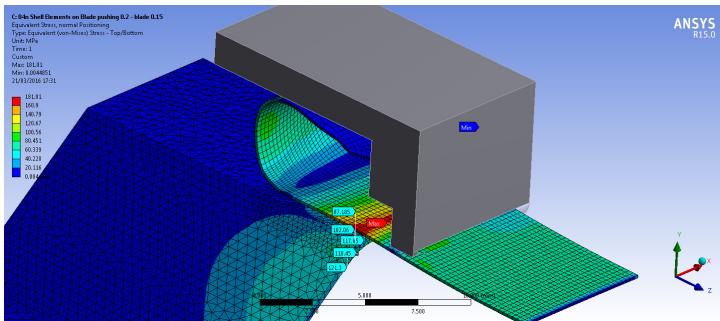
- Components Stress (blade/flange) In 2 load cases:
  - Normal contact
  - Extreme load case (blade bending)
- Contact pressure (electrical contact)



Courtesy of P. Brumund

## Stressed checked in:

- ✓ Blade
- ✓ Flange



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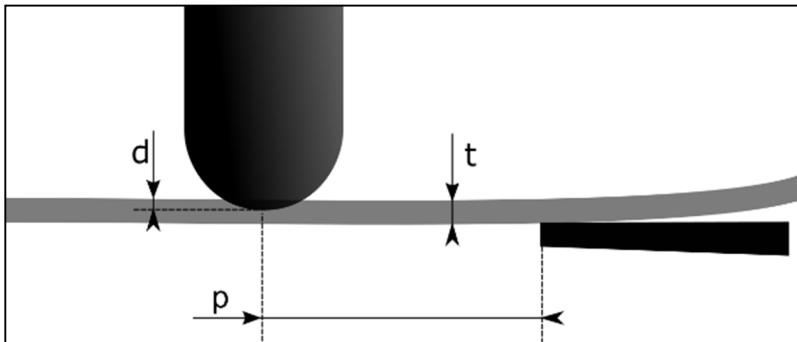
Calculations performed for models with varied parameters:

- d : pushing depth
- t : blade thickness
- p : pusher distance

Parameters varied in reasonable ranges

Evaluated results:

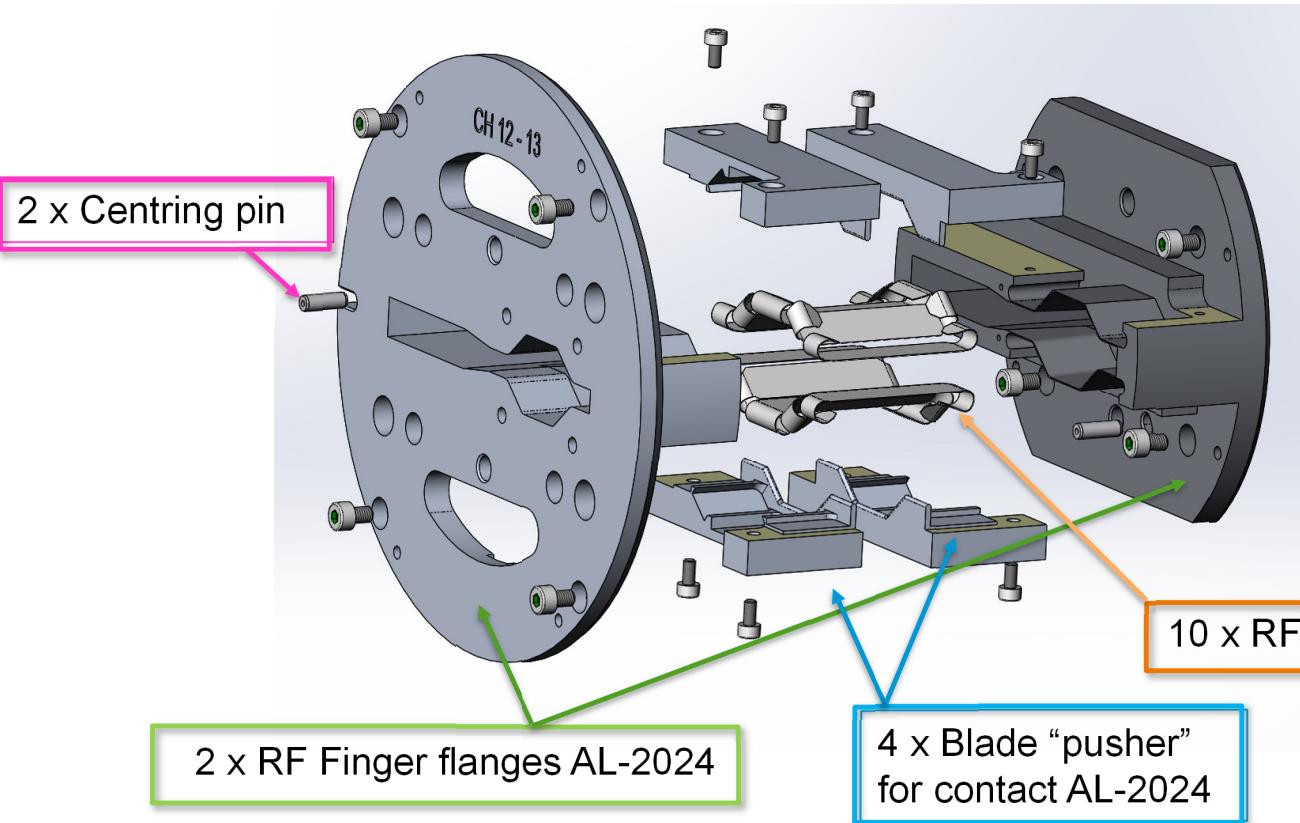
- ✓ Max. Stress in Blade/Flange
- ✓ Contact pressure



Blade thickness t [mm]	Pushing depths d [mm]	Distance p [mm]
0.125	0.20	2.75
	0.30	
	0.40	
	0.15	2.75
0.15	0.20	
	0.25	
	0.30	
	0.10	2.75
0.2	0.15	
	0.20	
	0.40	
	0.30	3.25

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# RF FINGER FINAL DESIGN



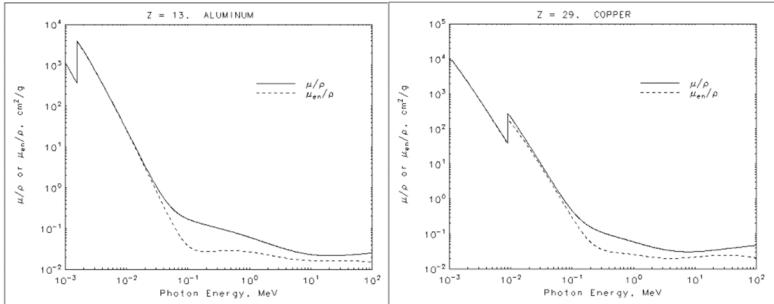
- Few number of pieces
- No welding or brazing

## Mechanical performances

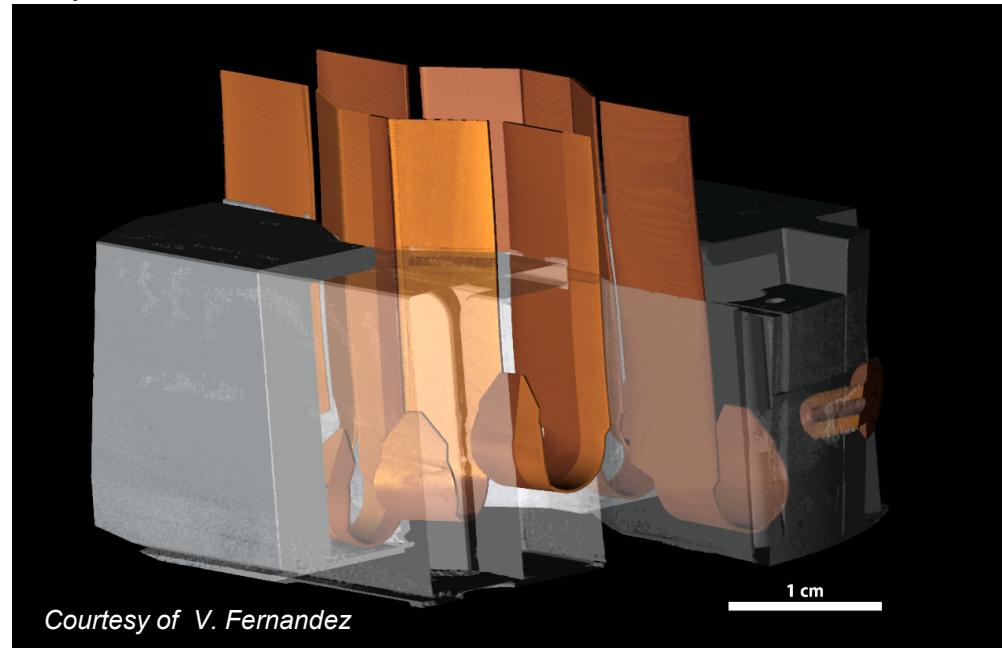
Axial stroke	+8 / -19 mm
Radial stroke (all directions)	+/- 1 mm
Angular stroke (flange / flange)	+/- 5 degrees

# TESTS – CT IMAGES

- Filters .....: Aluminium 45 mm + Copper 2 mm
- Energy peak.....: 105 keV
- Pixel size .....: 13.4  $\mu\text{m}$
- Filed of view .....: 58 mm in half acquisition mode
- Nb scans .....: 20
- Nb projections .....: 6000 / scan
- Exposure time .....: 60 ms
- Total acquisition time..... : 2 hours
- Distance sample / detector : 2 m



$$I = I_0 \exp(-\mu x)$$

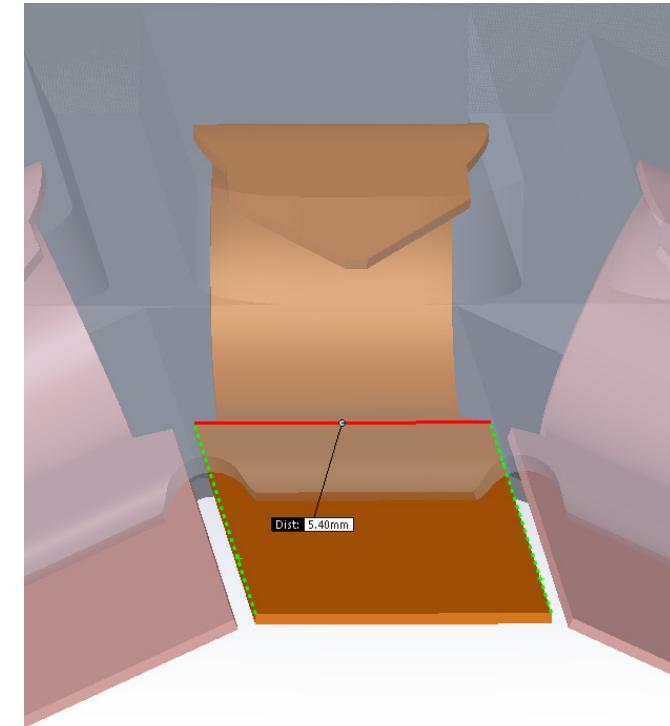


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CT image

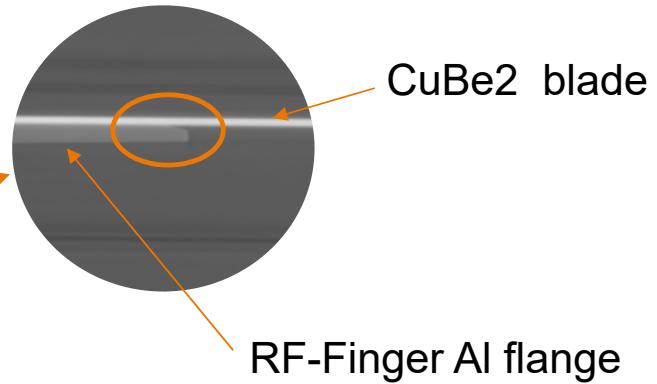
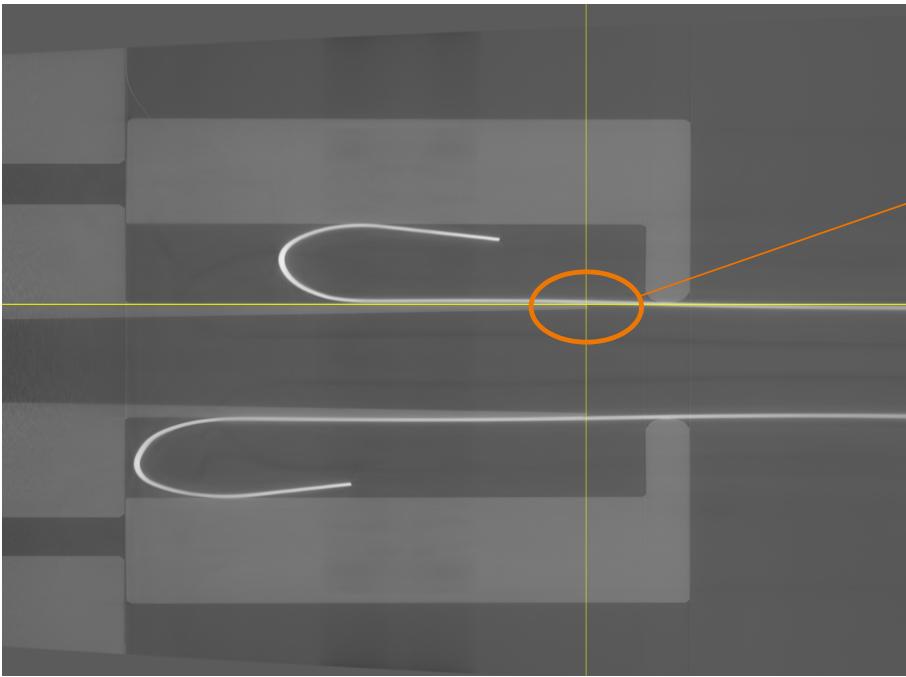


CAO image



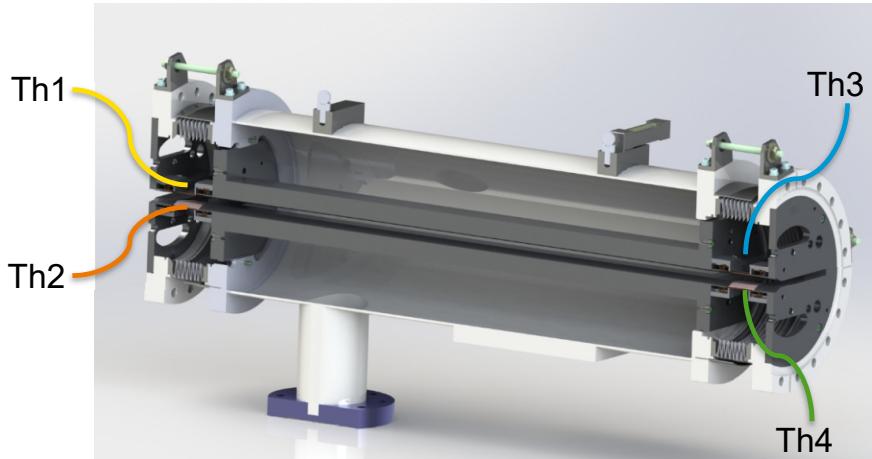
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## Electrical contact CuBe2 blades / Al flange



Perfect electrical contact

# TEST ON EXISTING MACHINE

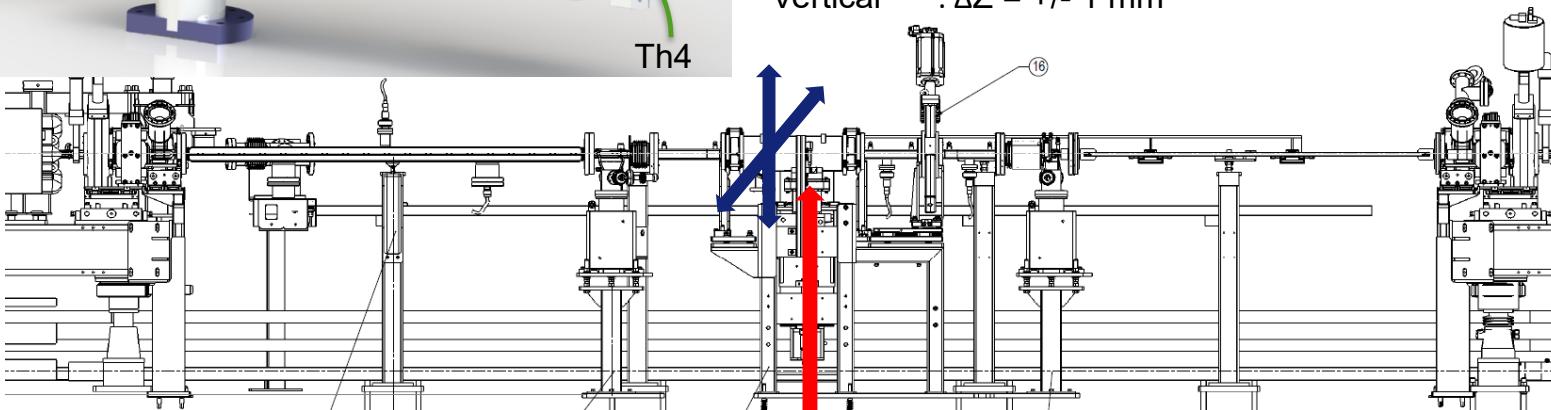


Study of  $\Delta Z$  and  $\Delta X$  misalignment of RF finger proto chamber with different beam parameters.  
**Checked Results:**

- Vacuum pressure
- RF-Finger temperature
- orbit stability

Horizontal :  $\Delta Y = +/- 1 \text{ mm}$

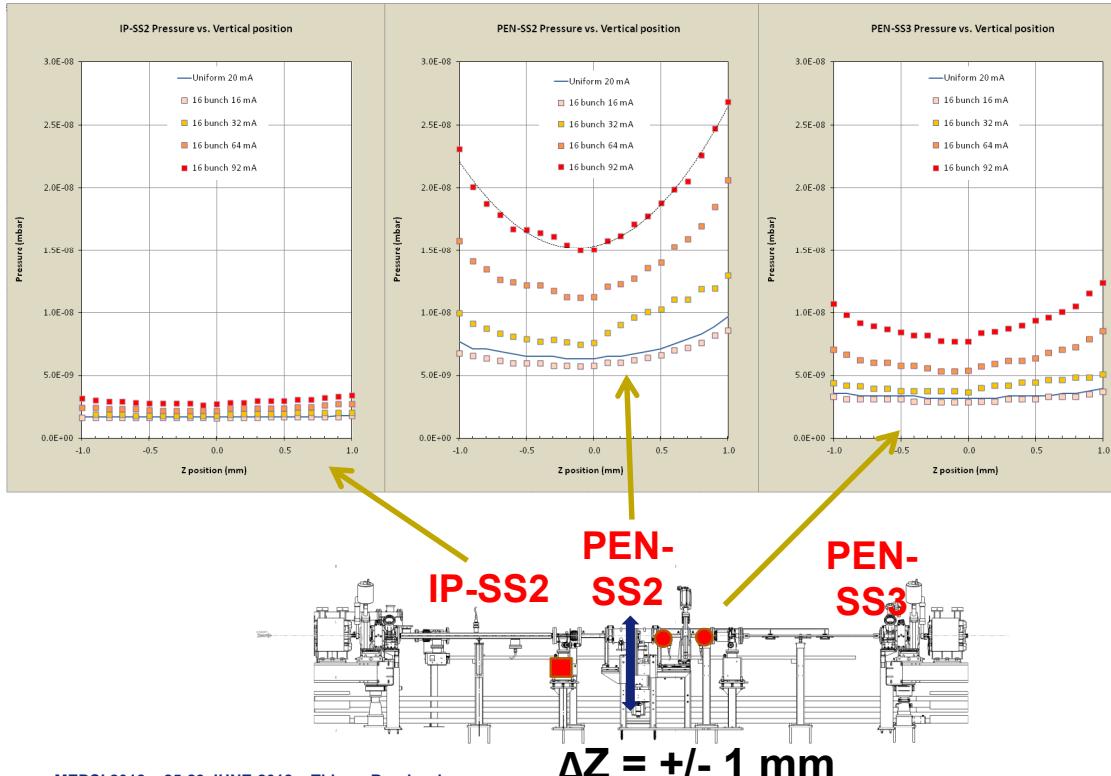
Vertical :  $\Delta Z = +/- 1 \text{ mm}$



RF Fingers chamber

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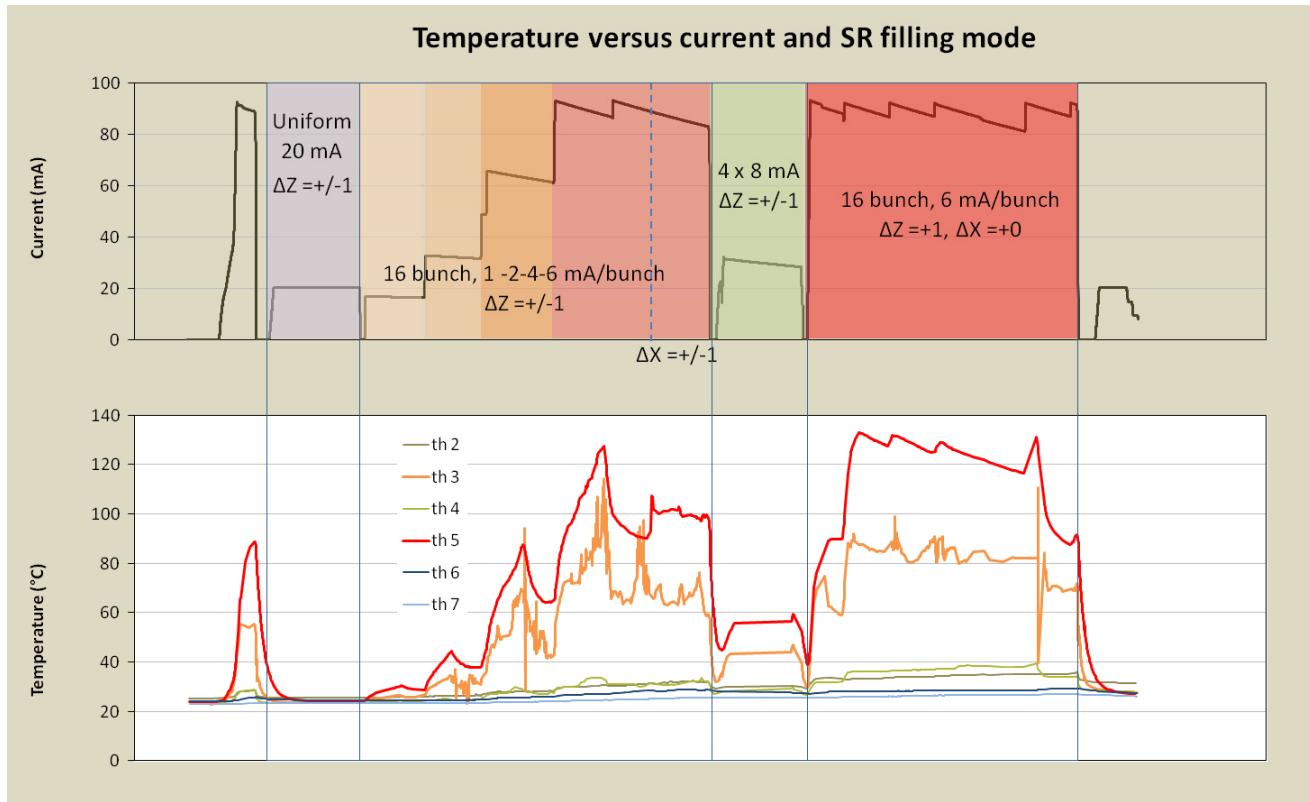
## Pressure vs. Vertical position of RF finger Chamber



- ✓ No vacuum problem signature
- ✓ Good alignment

# TEST ON EXISTING MACHINE

## Temperature vs. Vertical position of RF finger Chamber

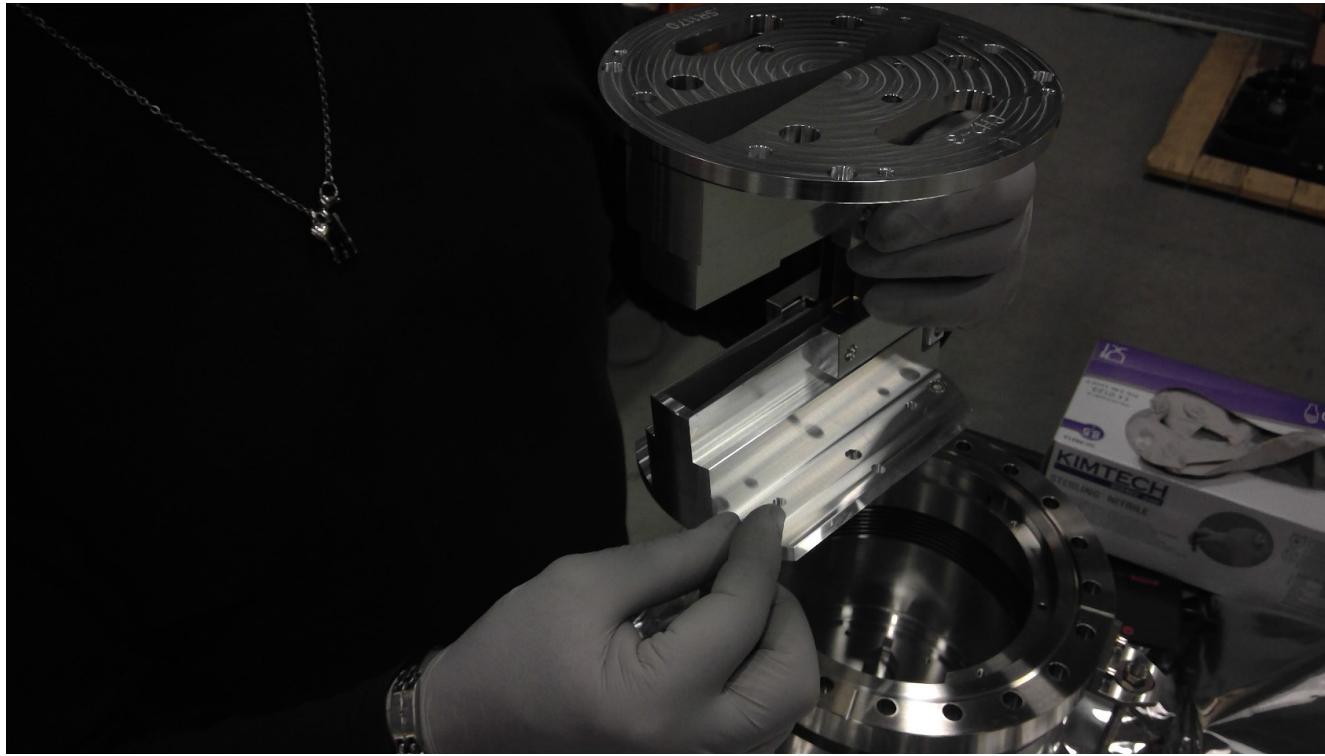


- ✓ No abnormal heating and max T = 100 °C
- ✓ No beam orbit instability

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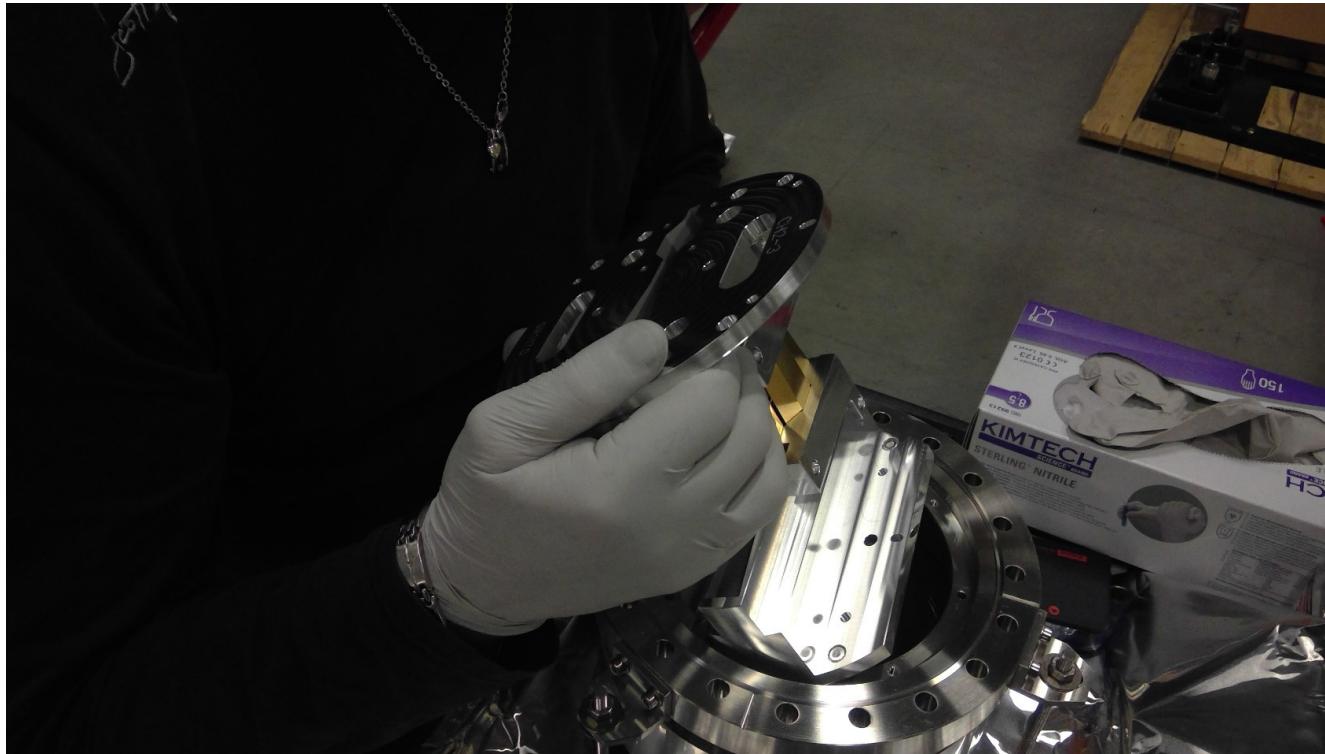


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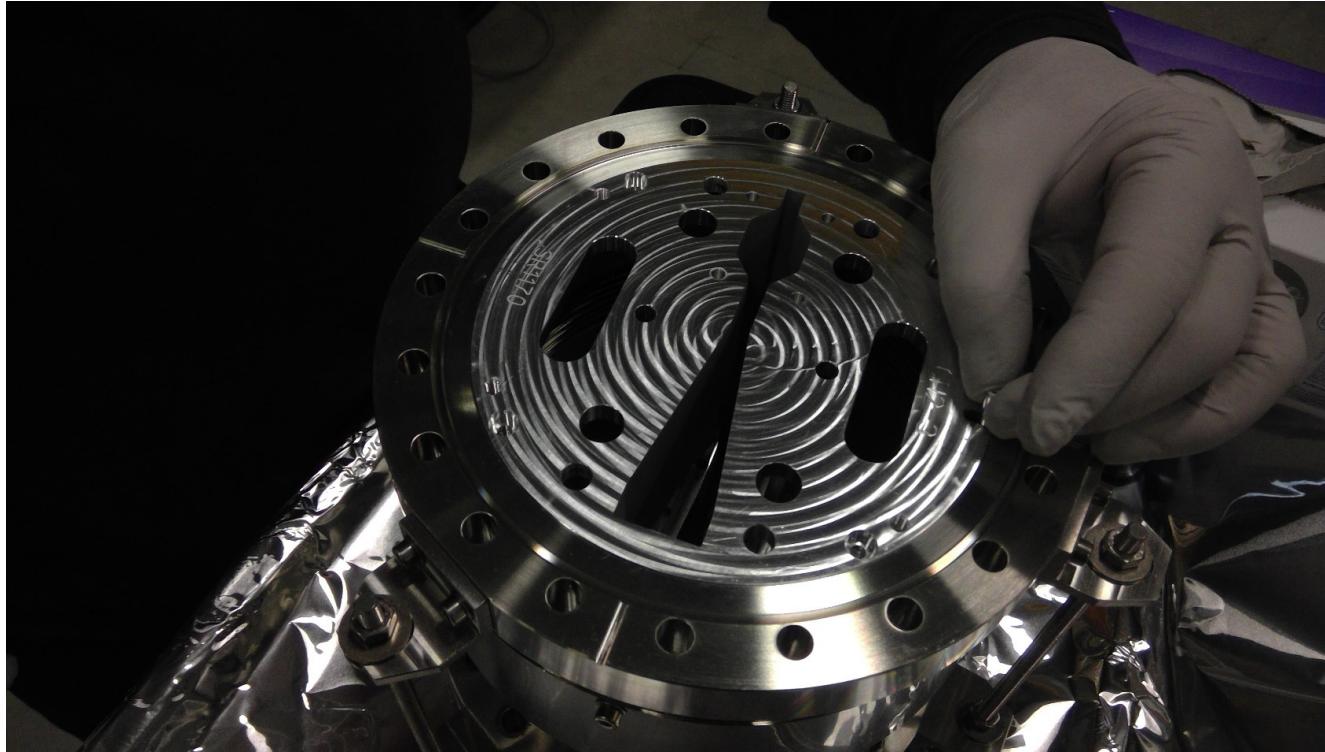
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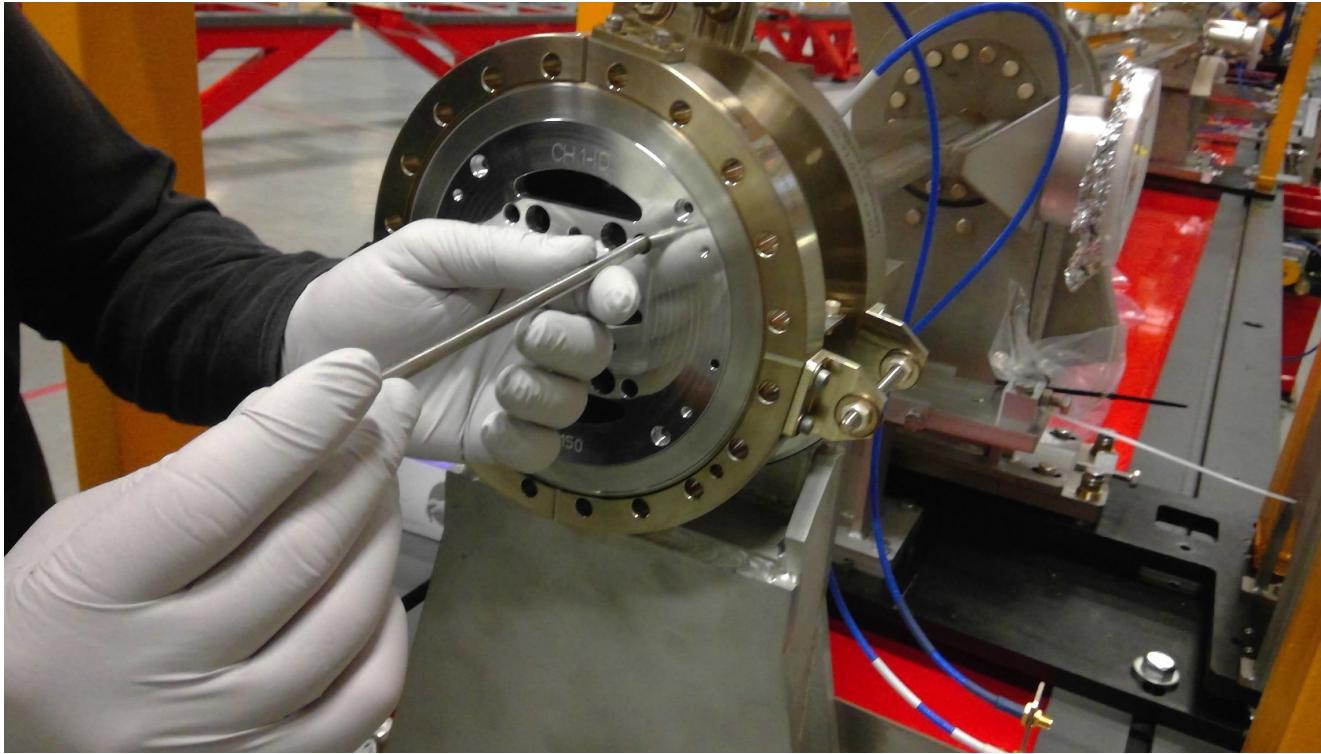
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- Vacuum screws preparation
- Insert RF-Finger in bellows
- Centring pin in place

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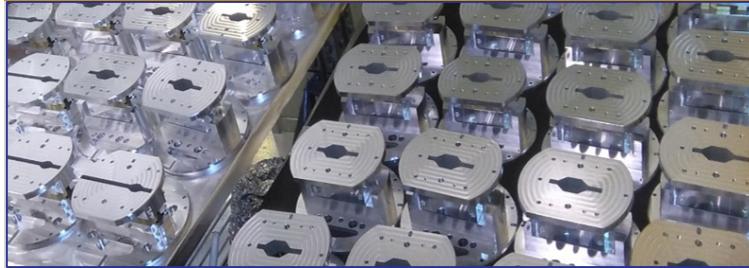


- Vacuum screws preparation
- Insert RF-Finger in bellows
- Centring pin in place
- Final fixation

# CONCLUSION

The ESRF's patented RF fingers are highly compact, robust and reliable components designed for the new ESRF-EBS machine.

If you are interested in this technology,  
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## Features

- ❖ Excellent electrical contact on the edge of the sleeves in any position
- ❖ Flexible compact design adaptable to any shape
- ❖ Compact and light (less than 1 kg)
- ❖ No welding or brazing
- ❖ Easy to assemble and mount (few pieces)
- ❖ Parts replaceable
- ❖ No risk if finger falling into the beam area
- ❖ Large axial and radial stroke
- ❖ Long life (many cycles)



*Courtesy of M. Rivadeneira*



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