



CRAB cavity tuning system SPS and LHC

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Tuning principle, Range

Range in Spec ± 150 kHz (LHC) (\pm push/pull)

FINE TUNING PRINCIPLE

Symmetric actuation through tuner frame and concentric tubes. Actuator outside cryostat and floating

DQW

318 kHz/mm*

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Tuning range

± 509 kHz

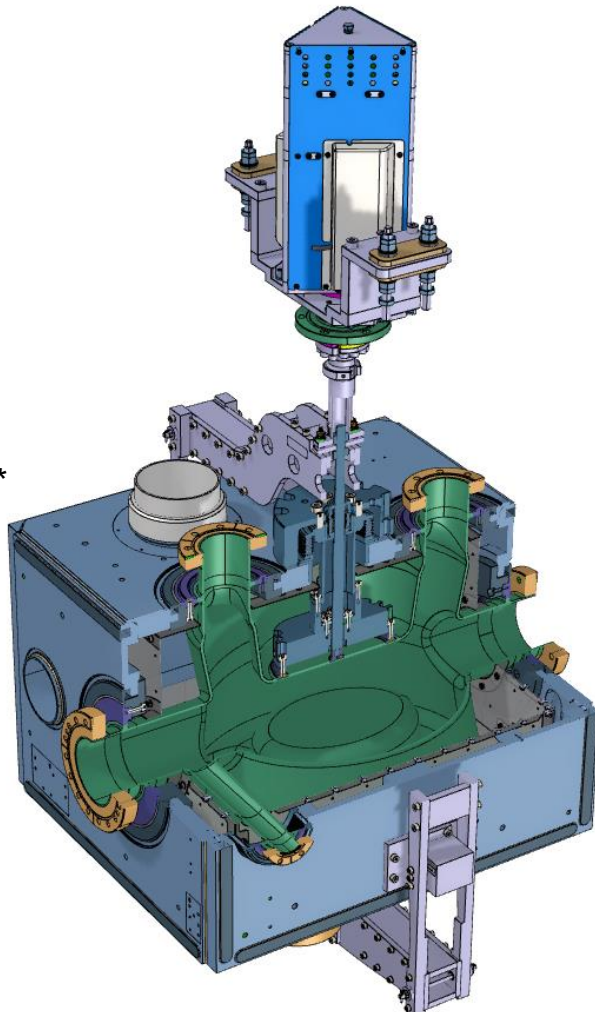
± 1.6 mm*

elastic range at 2 K

Max. force:

± 3.8 kN

2.2-2.4 kN/mm*



RFD

512 kHz/mm*

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Tuning range

± 1.22 MHz

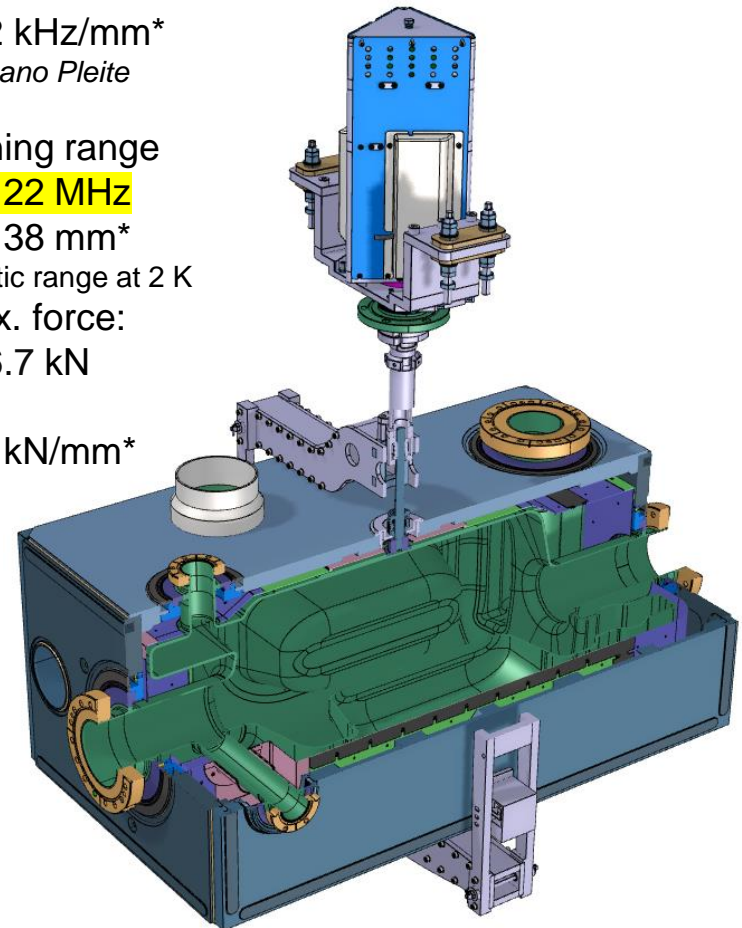
± 2.38 mm*

elastic range at 2 K

Max. force:

± 6.7 kN

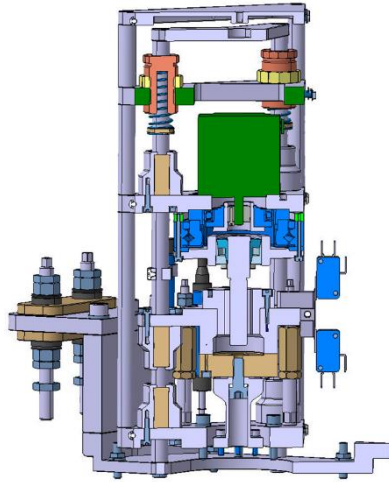
2.8 kN/mm*



*Measured as tuner stroke or Δ distance between 2 plates

Linear drive set-up, Resolution, speed

[EDMS 1994455 SPS DQW Tuner documentation](#)



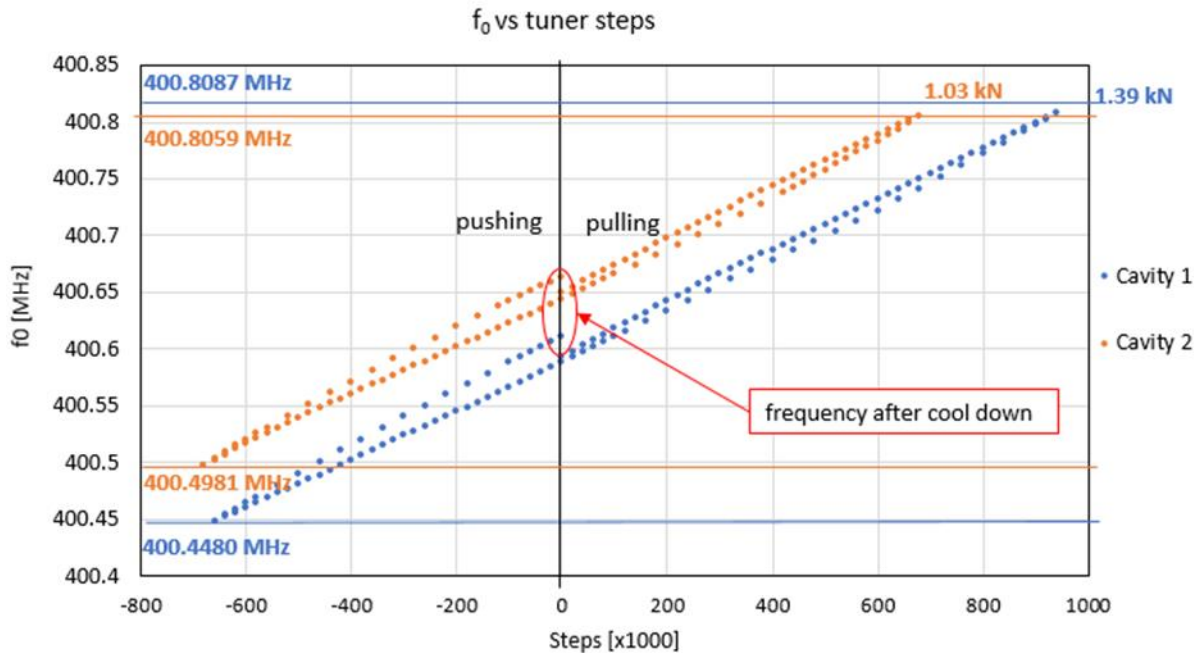
Motor: **1.3 Nm Bipolar Nema 23 (1.8°)**

HD: HFUS-20-100-2SO, ratio **i:0.01**

Roller screw Rollvis RV 12 x 1 mm lead

Ratio Motor displacement/cavity deformation: 1.5

System stiffness: 1.6 kN/mm



DQW:

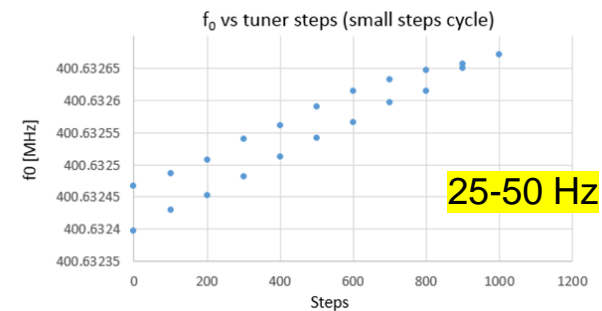
Measured at 2 K (SM18)

0.23 Hz/ step resolution

Driver 8000 microsteps

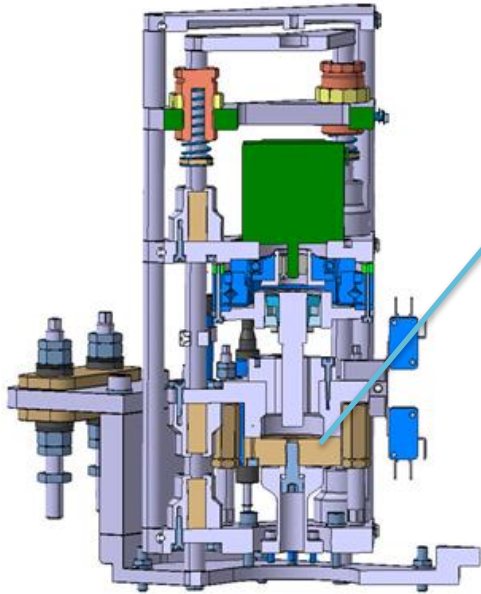
Maximum tuning speed:

**2000 steps/ second,
because not ramped**



Hysteresis present

Instrumentation



Load cell Kistler 5 kN (DQW, RFD 10 kN))
4576A55C1 class 0.1



Variables Timber:

Tuner force: ACF.POW.C% :SG_RAW in N

Position: ACF.TUNER.C%:Position in steps

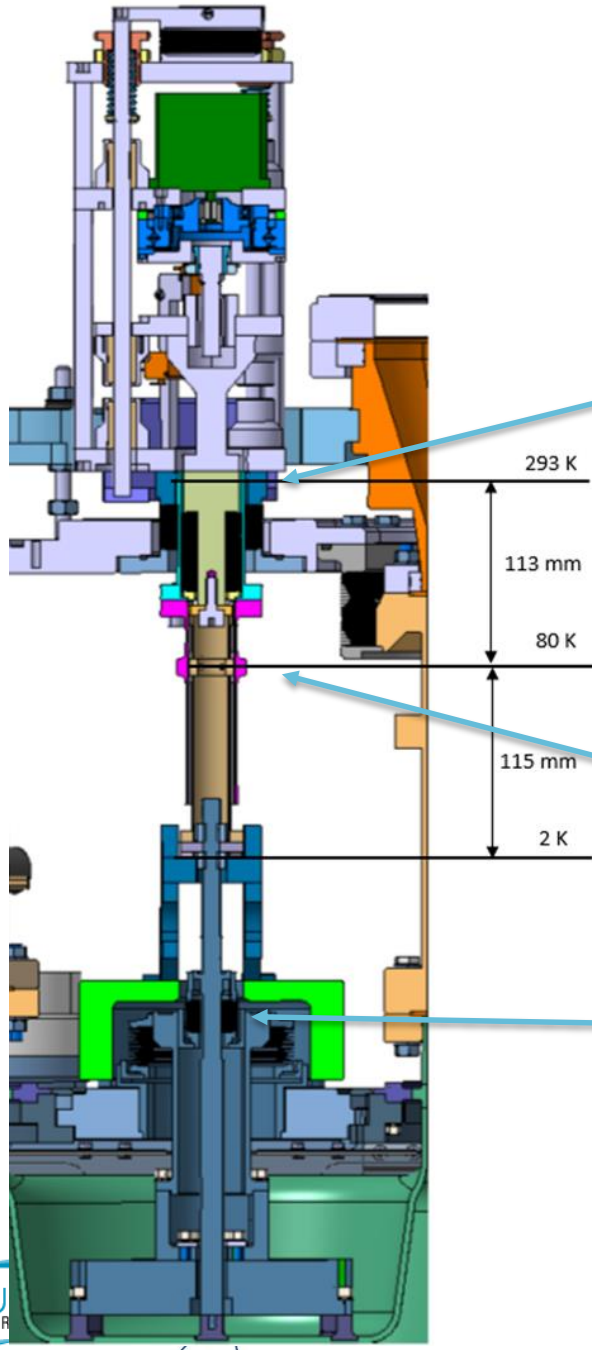
Remark about zeroing position

Potentiometer Megatron RC13-25 M no longer used, resolution not good
Plan is to replace this by resolver with conditioner

Interlock tuner DQW SPS : limit switches, Load cell at ± 2 kN

Request: function to move to zero load position when T He tank > 100K

Tuner (load cell) possible perturbations “Drift”



Feedthrough bellow: sensitive to pressure (atm)
1% change atm \gg $\sim 3\text{N}^*$

Temperature gradient,
change will change tuner
load

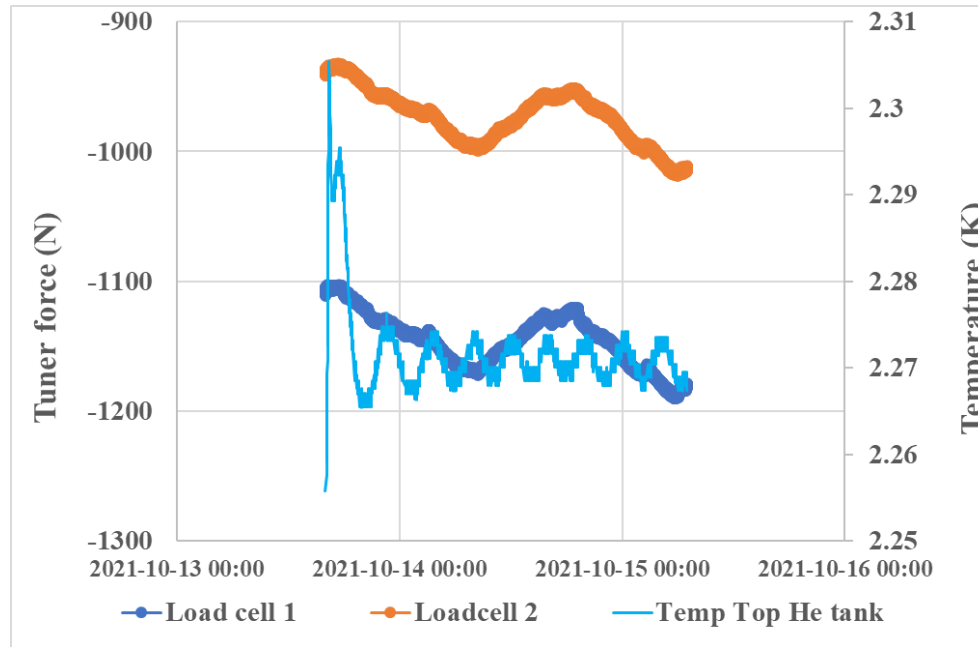
Thermalisation temperature not
measured, refer to FPC
thermalisation

He Tank feedthrough + cavity surface
Sensitive to He tank pressure (and
temperature when saturated liquid)
1 mbar $> \sim 3\text{N}^*$

* Rough estimate

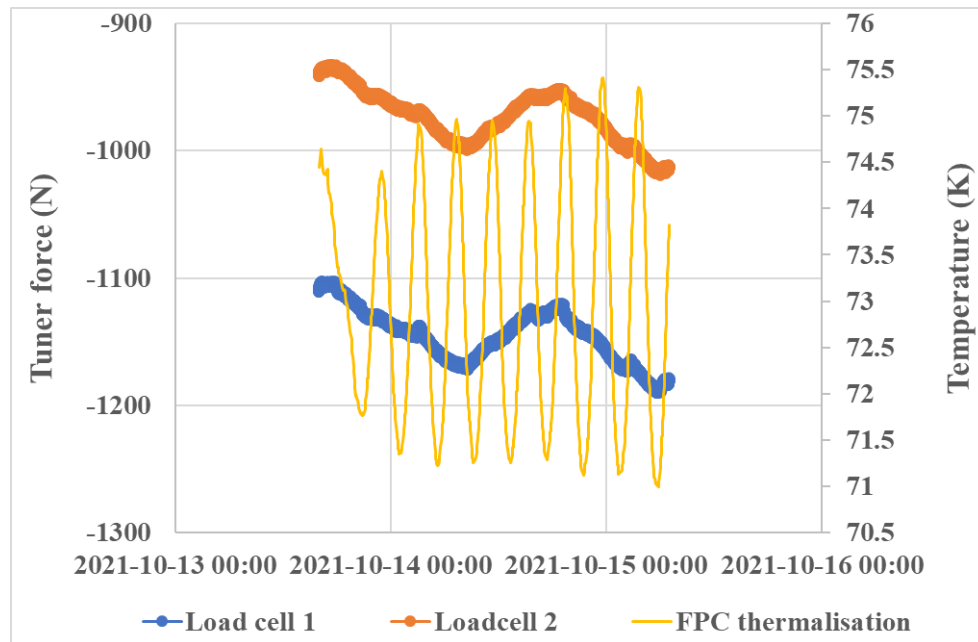
Cavities at 2 K, no tuner changes

Temp He tank
So also pressure



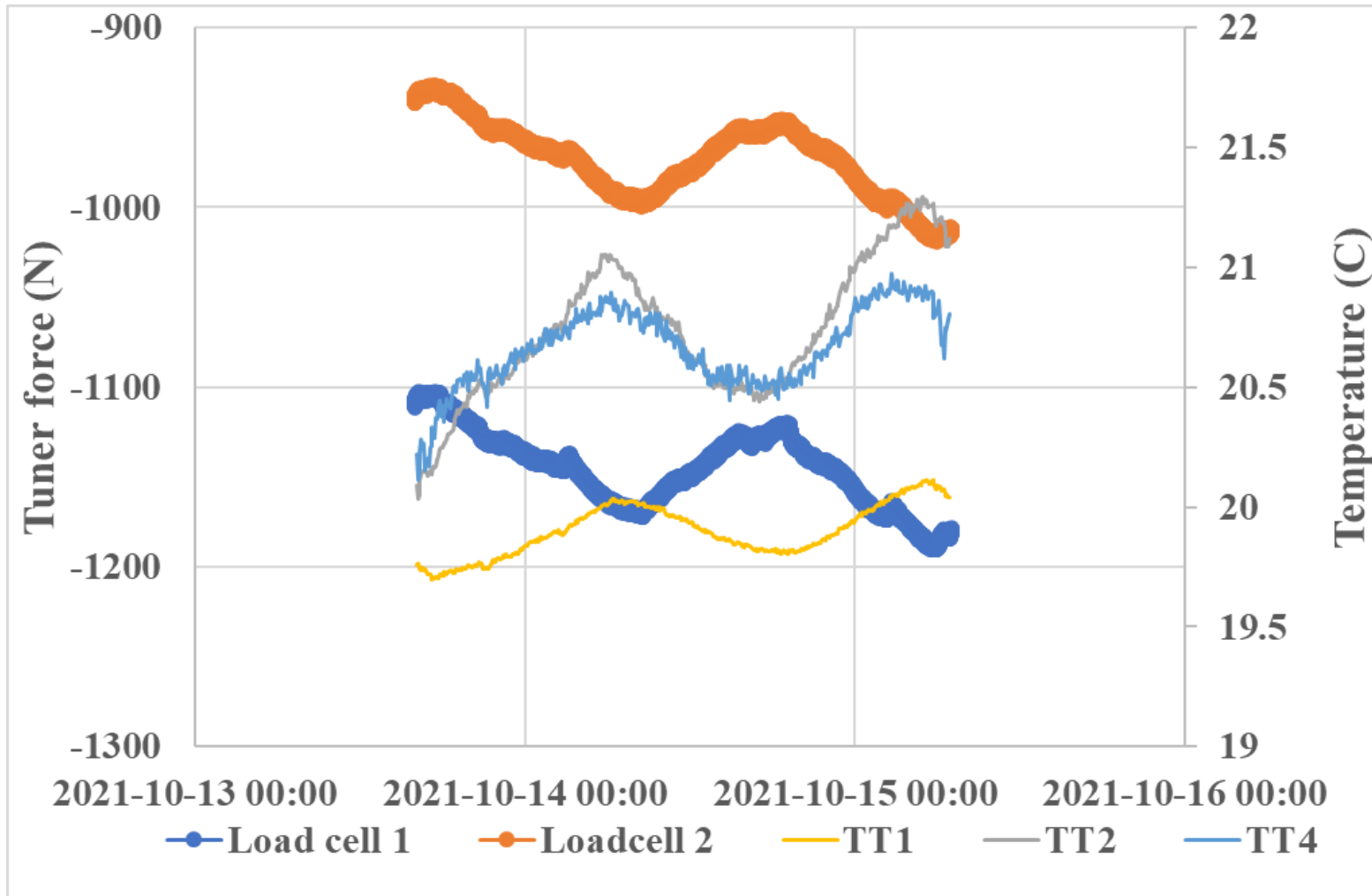
Temp
Thermalisation
FPC

2nd ripple
frequency fits
with cryo
cycle?

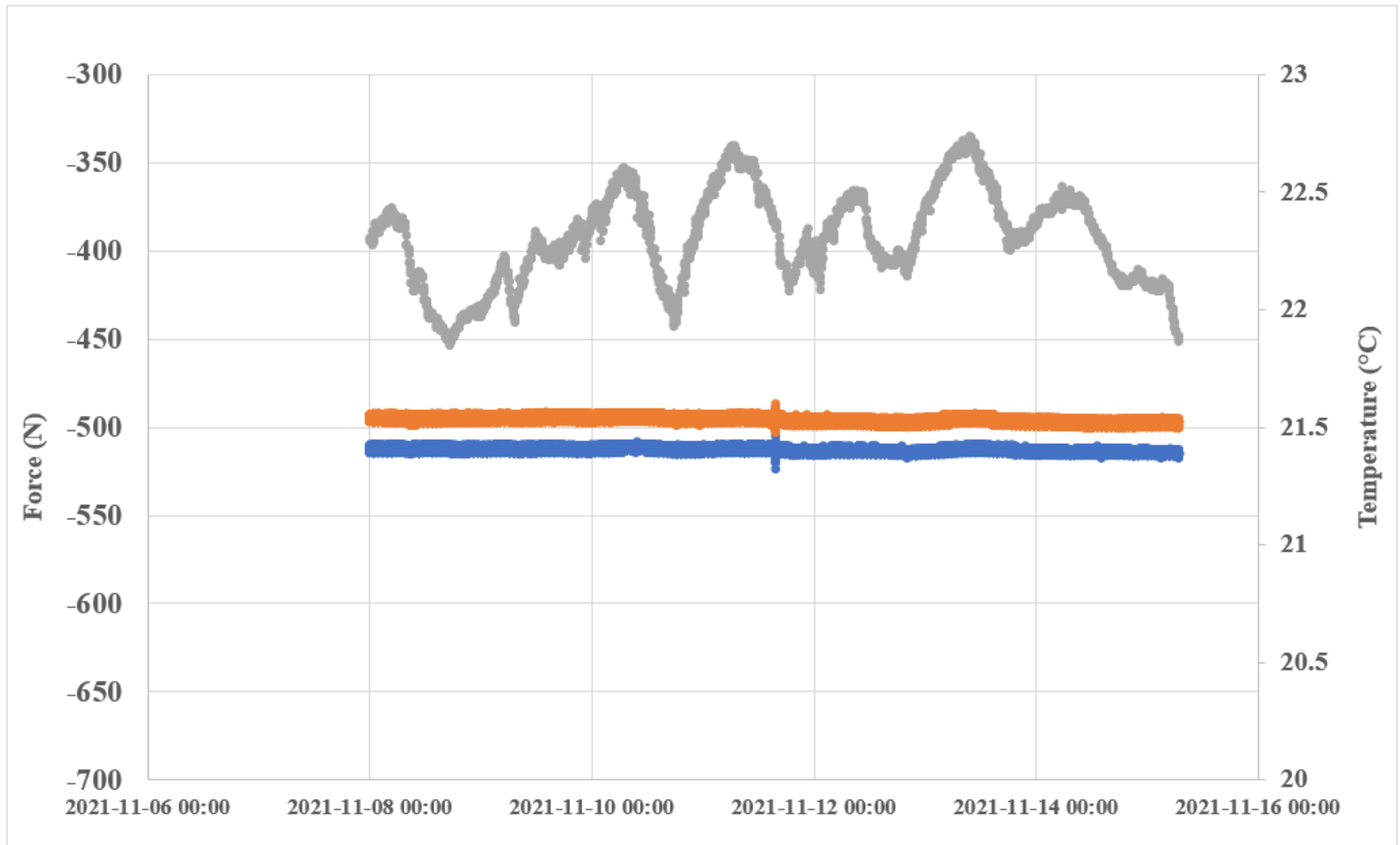


Cavities at 2 K, no tuner changes

Temperature tunnel



CM stable at room temperature

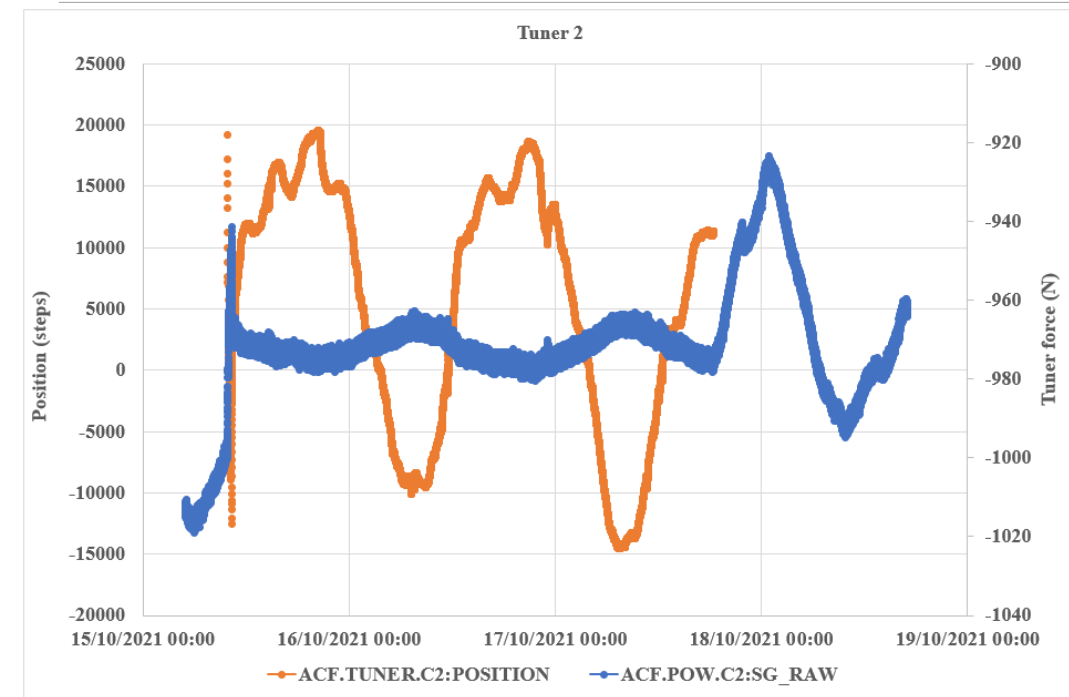
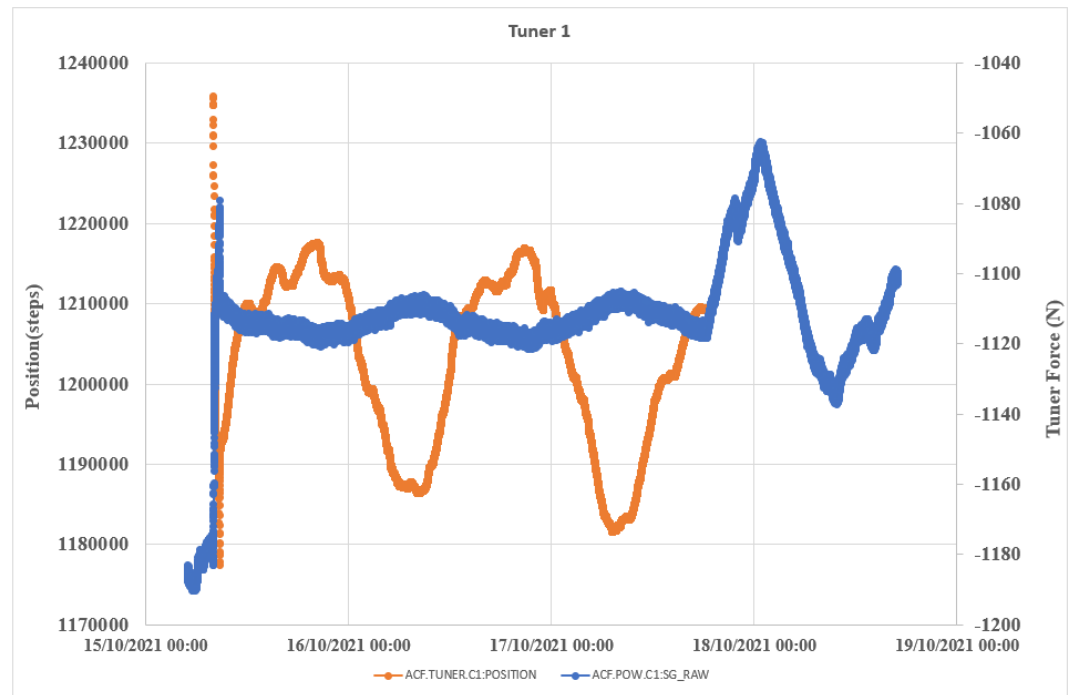


Check T influence on load cell + cables
No thermal gradient inside CM means no change of tuner force
with tunnel temperature

15-18 October

? Feedback with tuner
? Input

Comment: Orange curve are steps sent to the tuner. If no steps are sent there are no points stored in timber. So there was clearly a loop running.



15-18 October

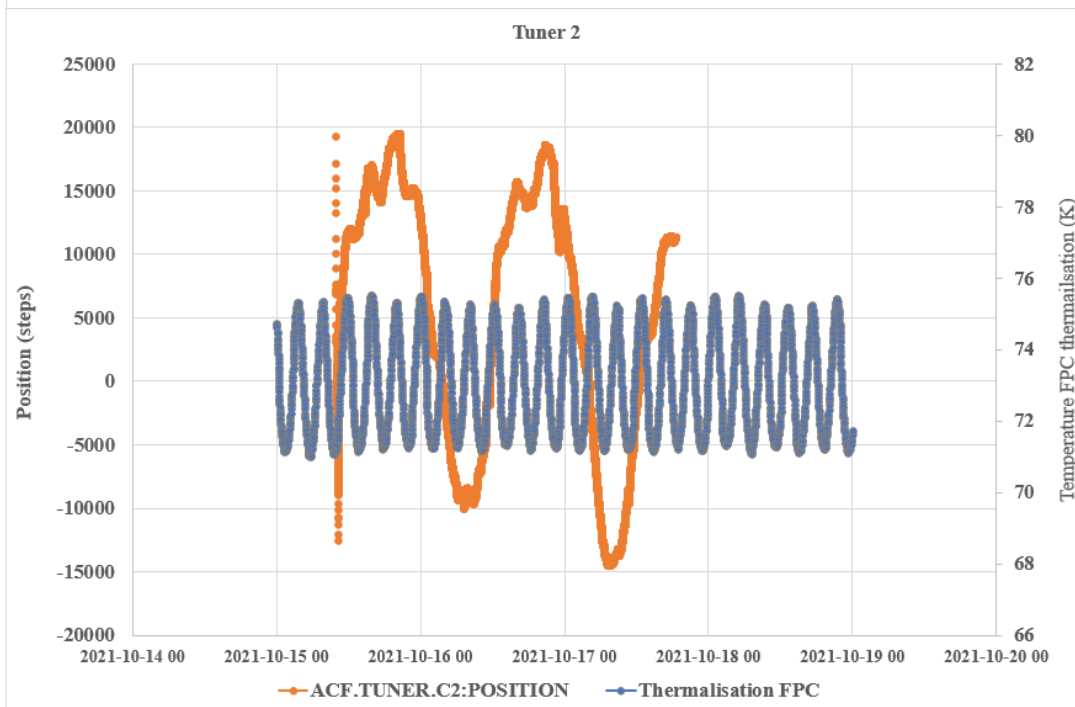
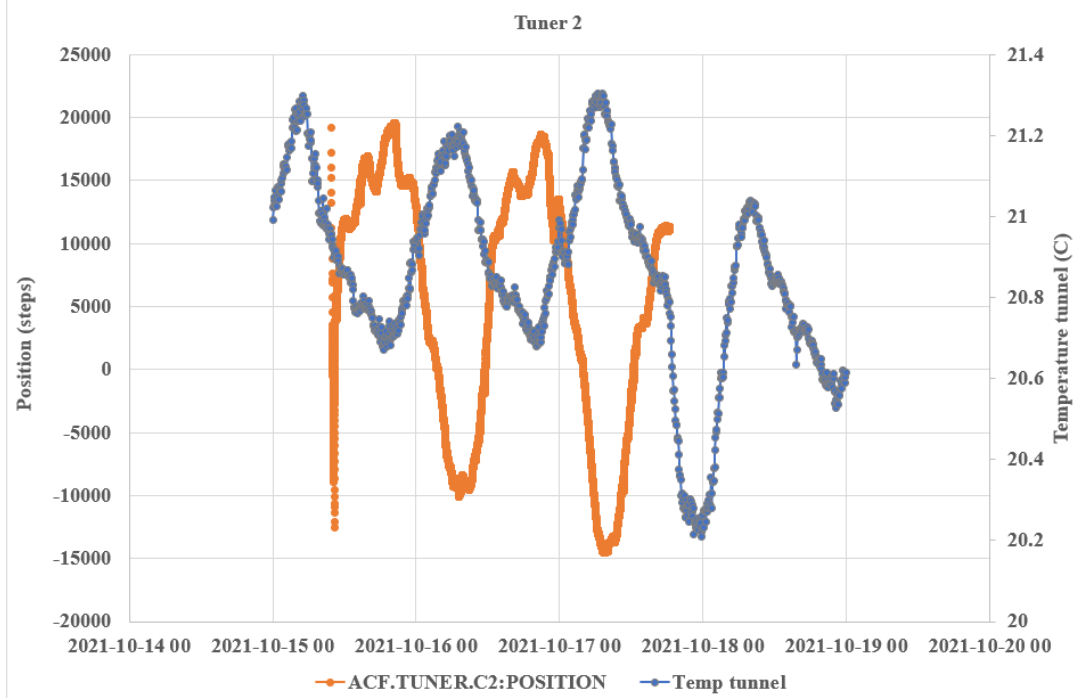
Influence tunnel temperature

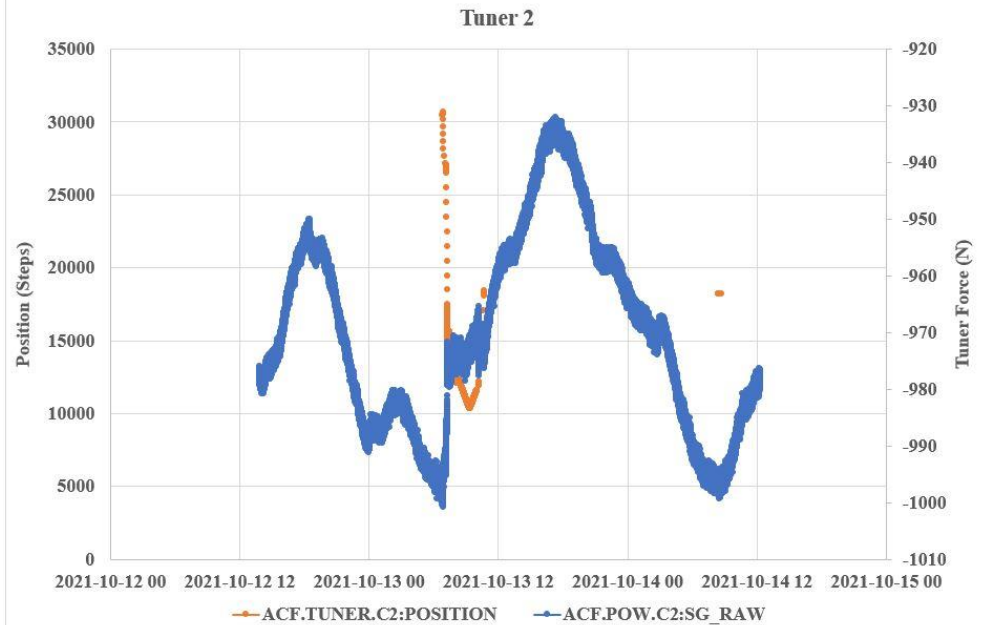
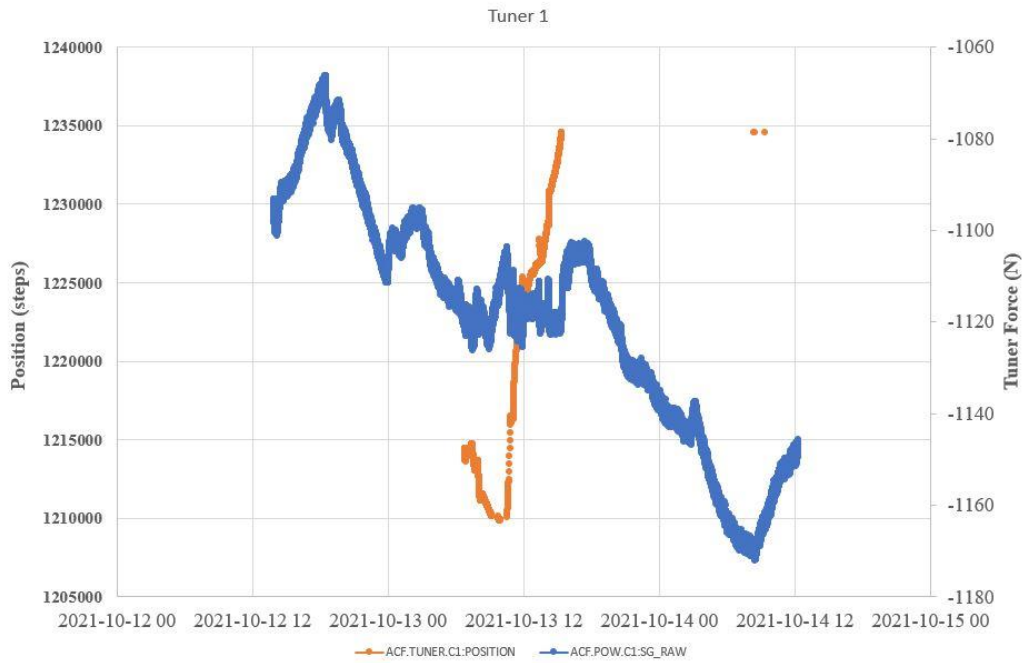
+ indications cryo cycle on temperature tunnel

Influence thermalisation temperature

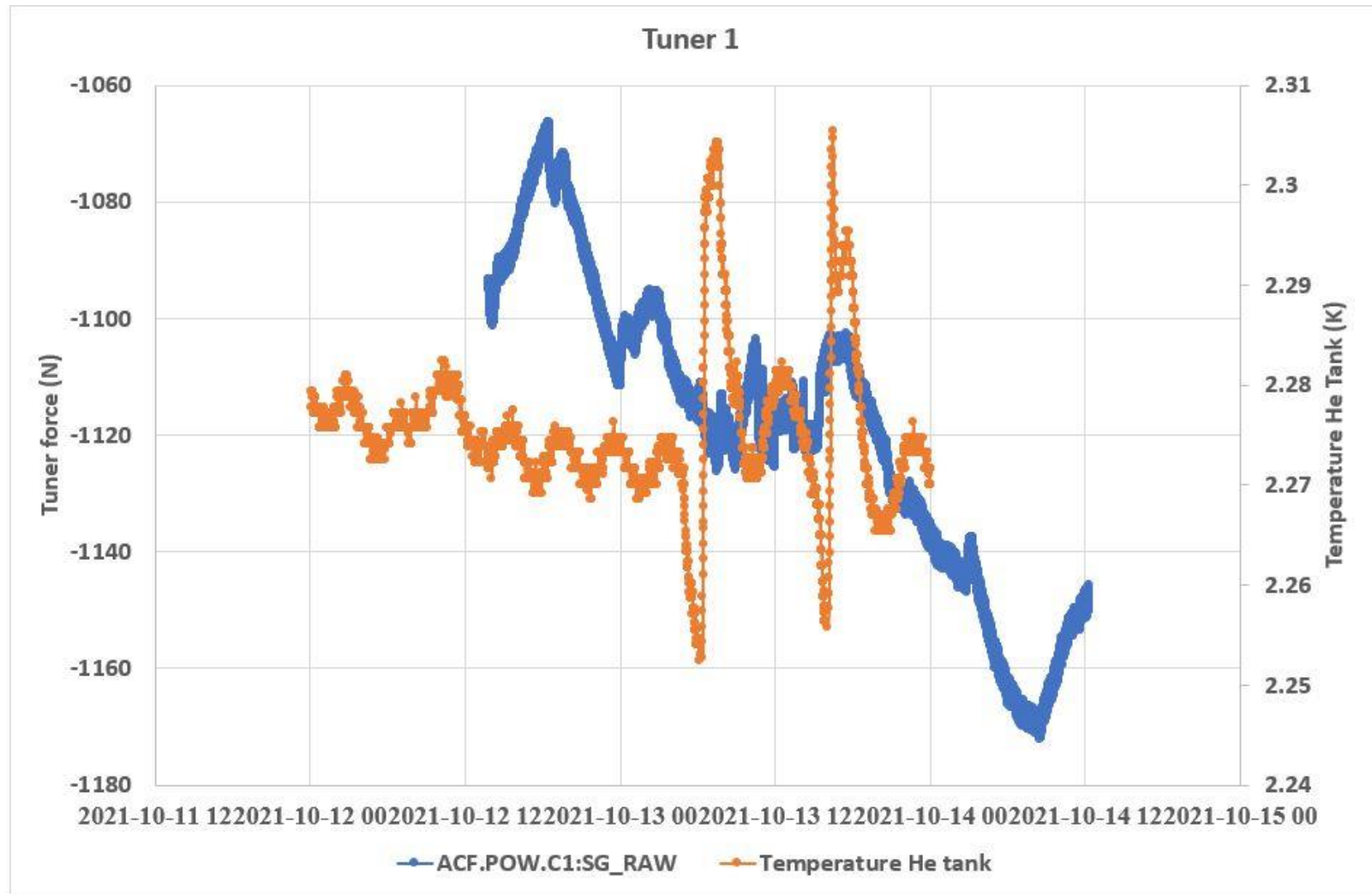
What was the input of the FB control ? Frequency, Power 2 K cryo?

This would indicate that the frequency drift is related to tuner drift and hence temperature drift



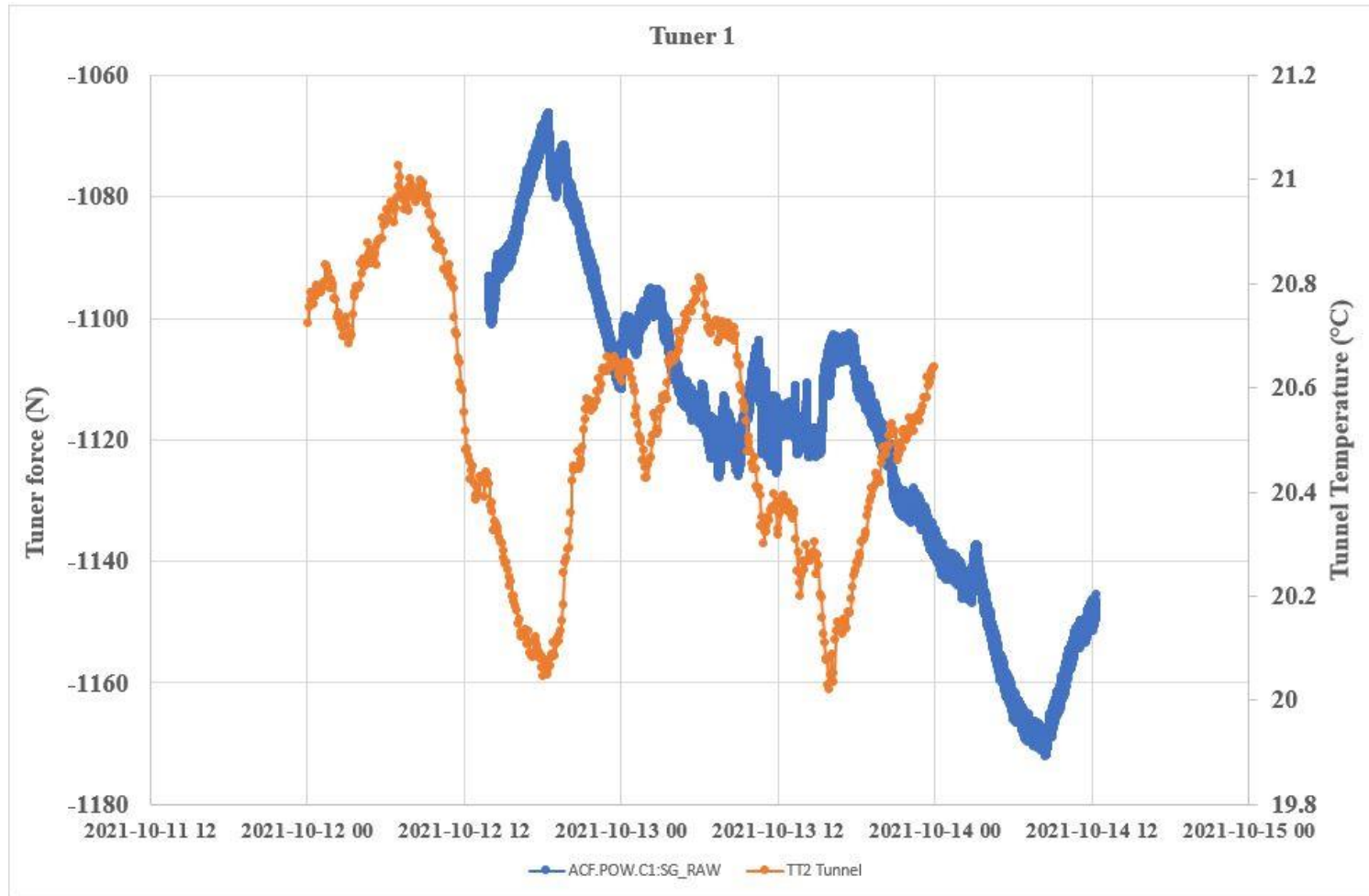


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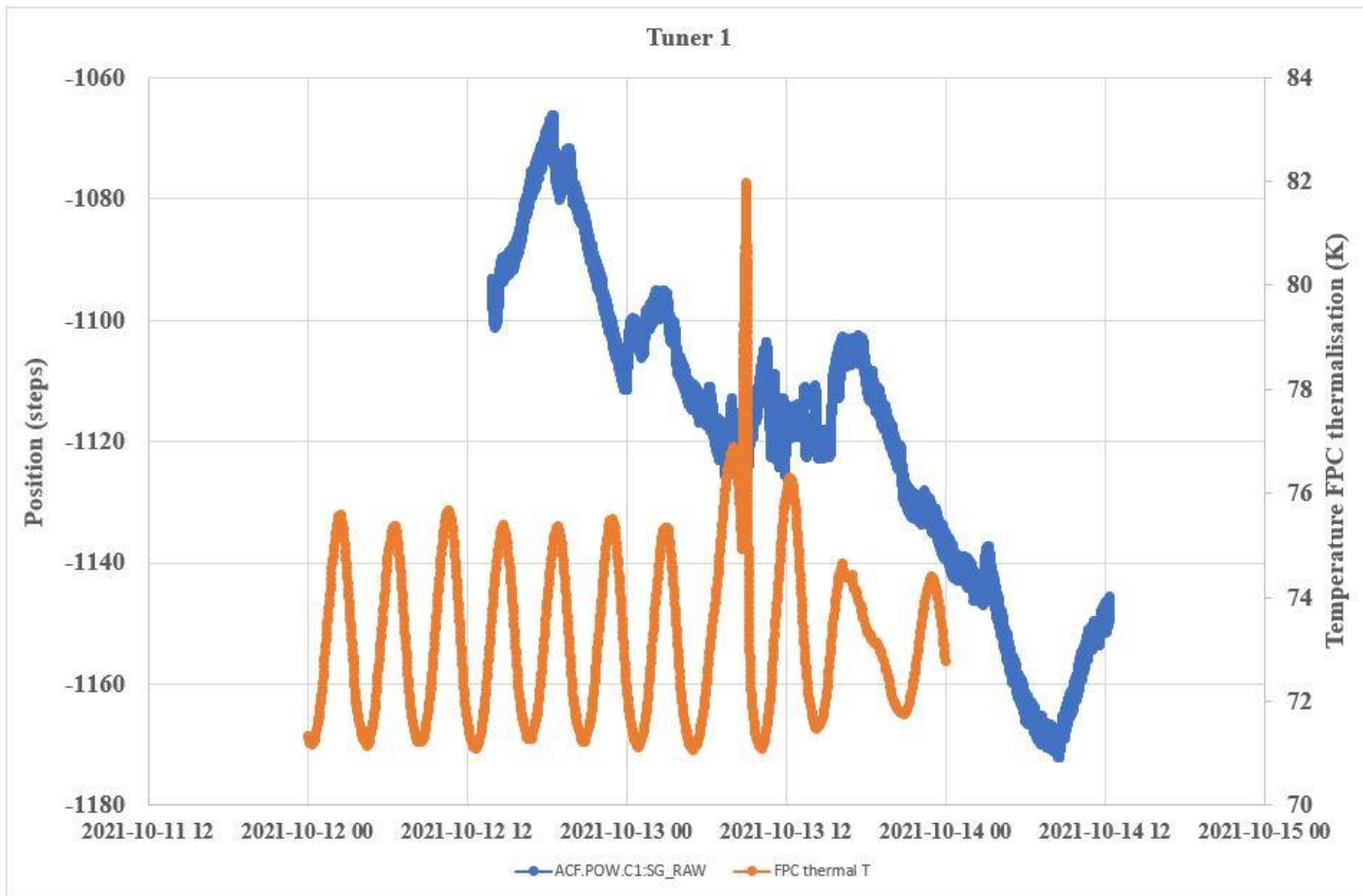


Temperature Cavity

MD



Tunnel temperature



Conclusions

- Drift seen on tuner load cells, possibly related to observed frequency drift of cavity, can be attributed to tunnel temperature and to a lesser extend to the 2 K cryo cycle.
- Some of the 2 K cryo cycle is found back in the tunnel temperature.
- Drift can be compensated with the tuner as demonstrated on 15th to 18th October
- Requests to implement in Tuner control: back to zero > 100 K, tuner speed ramp



Thank you for your attention!

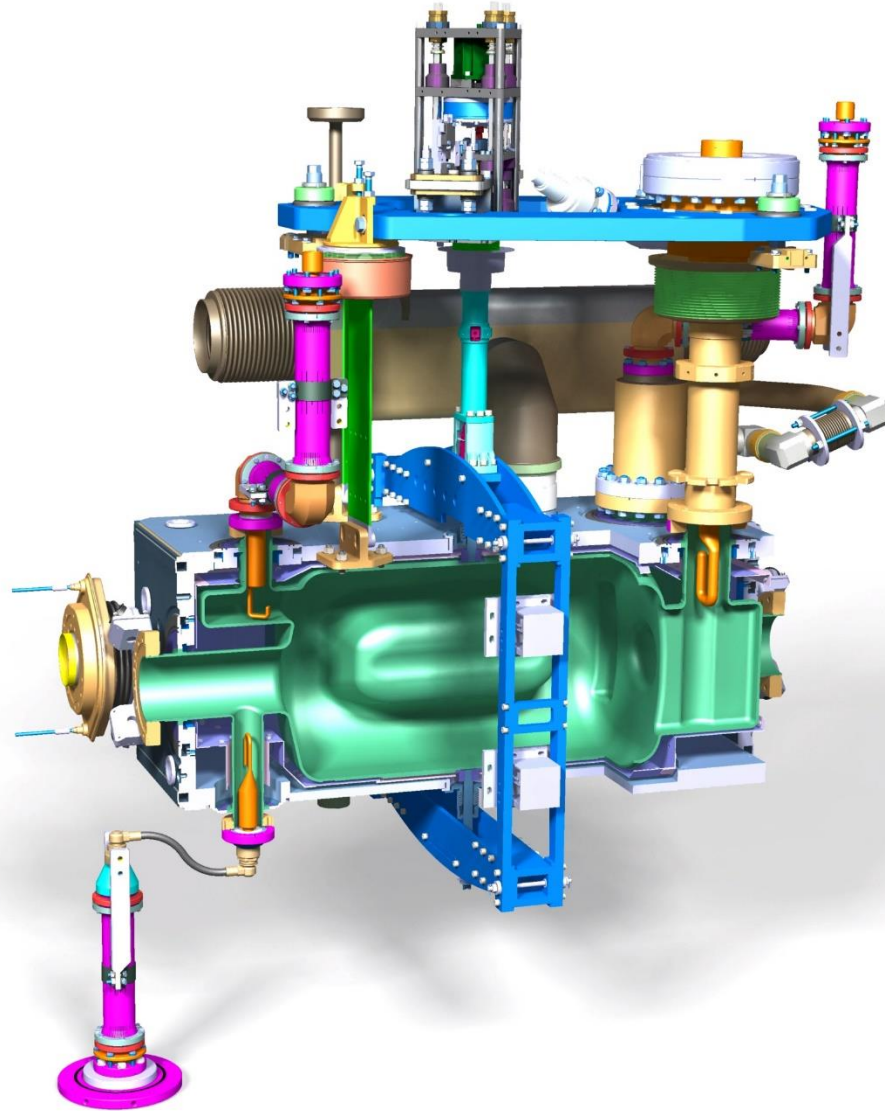




Spare slides

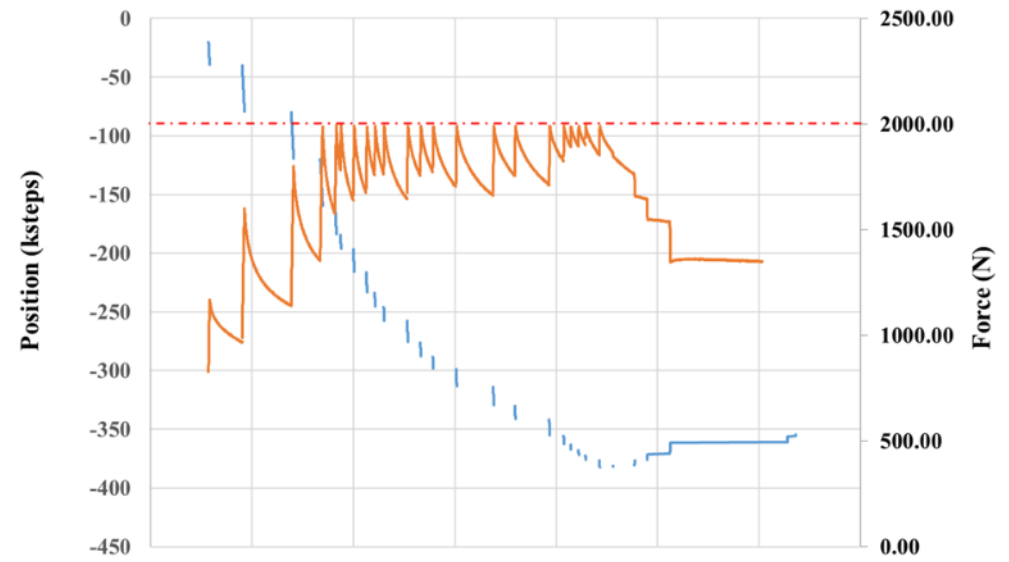


Reminder functioning tuner



Reminder end of Run1 DQW SPS 2018

- Sudden increase of stiffness 2-3 October after thermal cycle
- no real blockage
- One motor-gear coupling started slipping 19/10
- Tuner heaters broken + wires damaged
- Possible ice formation

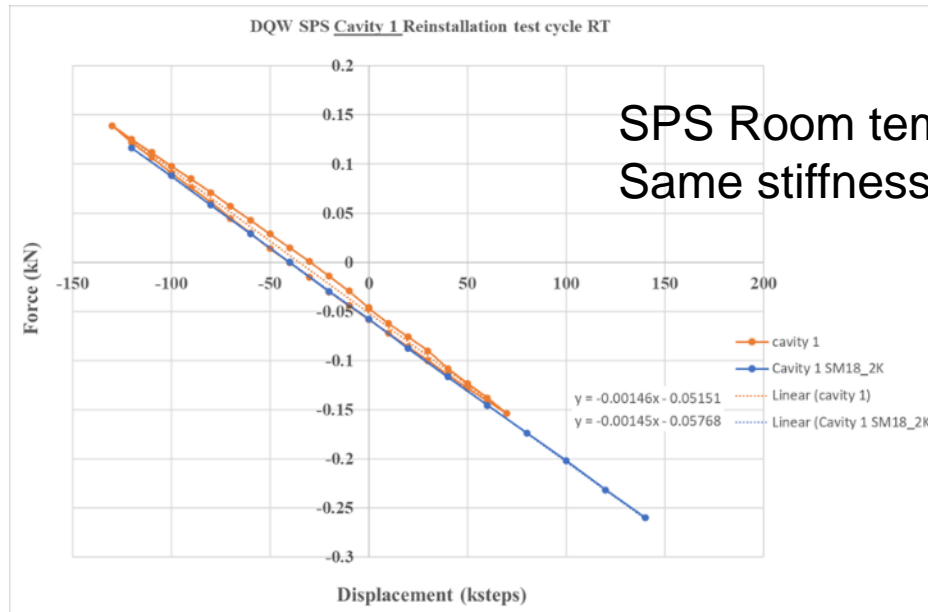
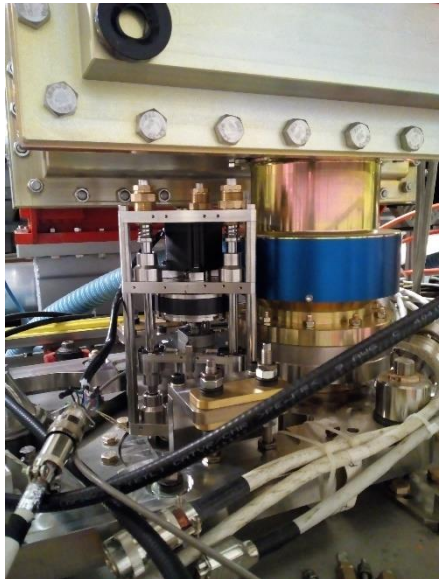
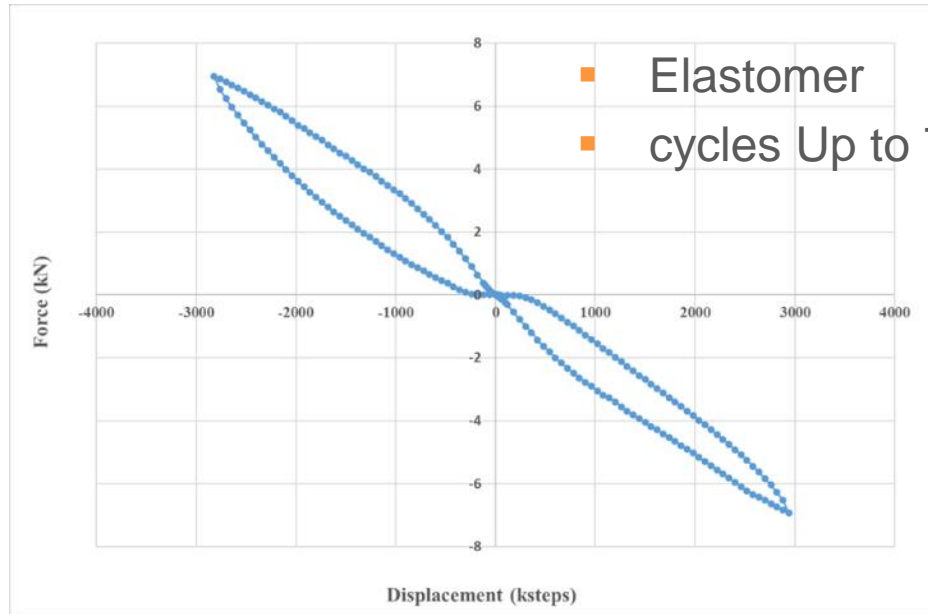


Important observations:

- Very hard to dismount motor in-situ or to replace the heater
- Impossible to retighten the coupling without full actuator disassembly
- No access to set limit switches and hard stop
- Potentiometer not needed



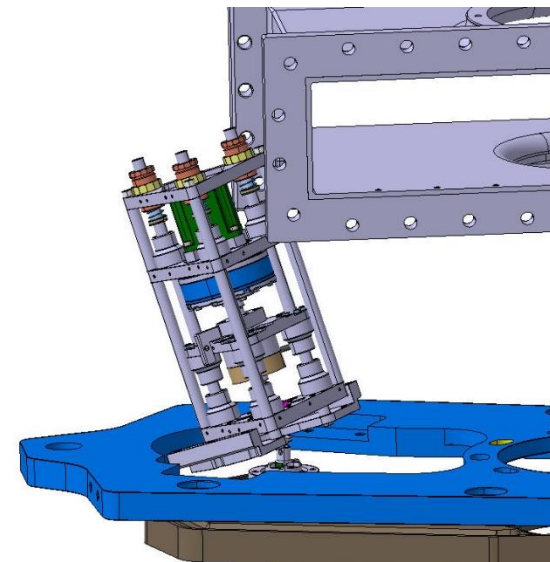
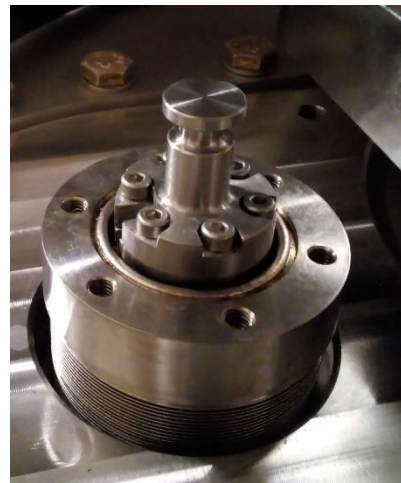
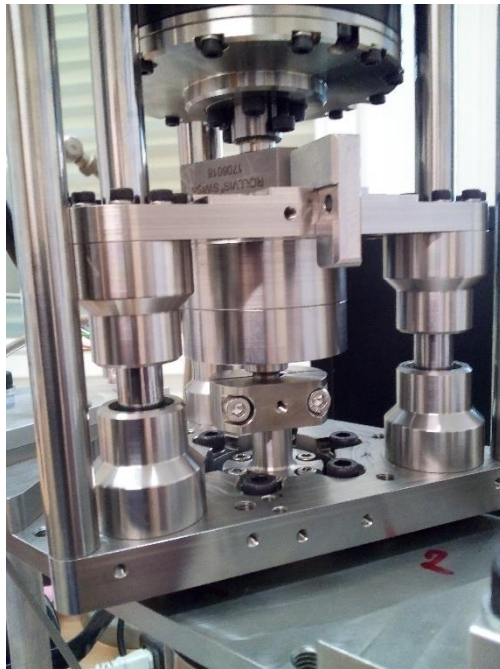
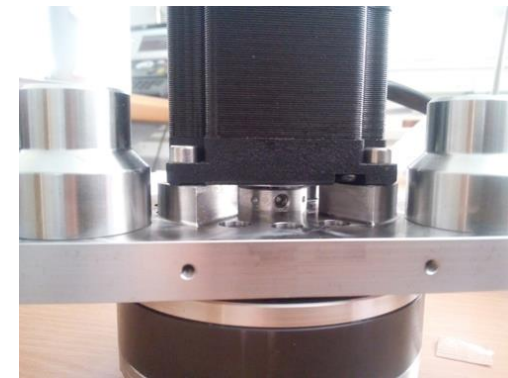
Testing



SPS Room temperature
Same stiffness as SM18

SPS DQW and RFD Upgrade

- D-type slip-free Oldham coupling with set screw
- Introduction connection clamp
- Creation more space
- Lowered actuator height



- Removed potentiometers
- Moved limit switches to front
- Only 1 hard stop in front