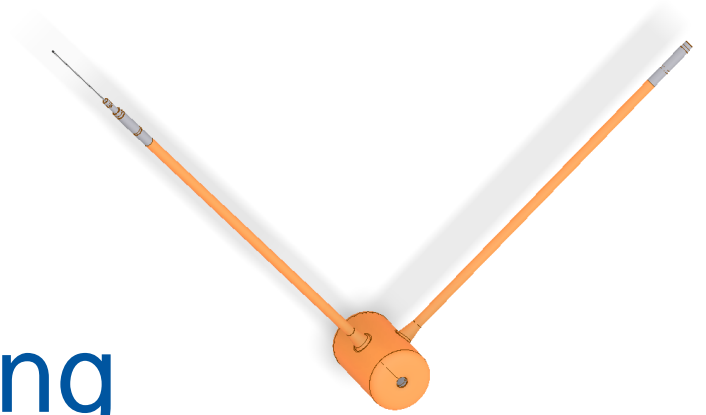


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# UNILAC Copper Plating

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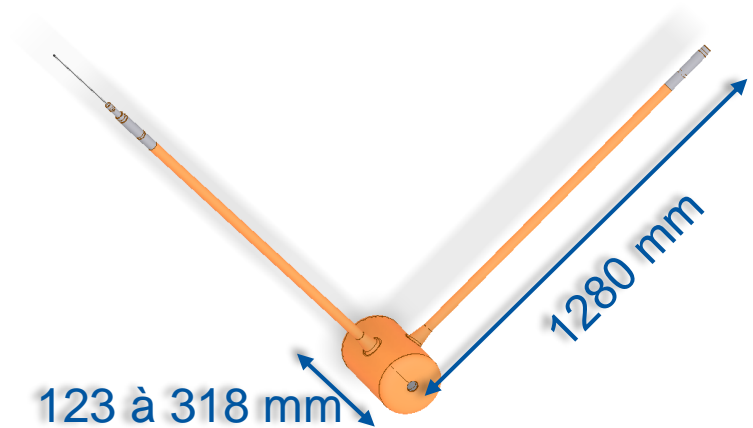
Merge GSI and CERN expertise in the field of electroplating of complex accelerator components to cope with:

- ❑ Small market;
- ❑ Rare expertise;
- ❑ Need of costly infrastructure.

# Component

The agreement covers the copper plating of 177 drift tubes with stems and the free exchange of information covering the whole process.

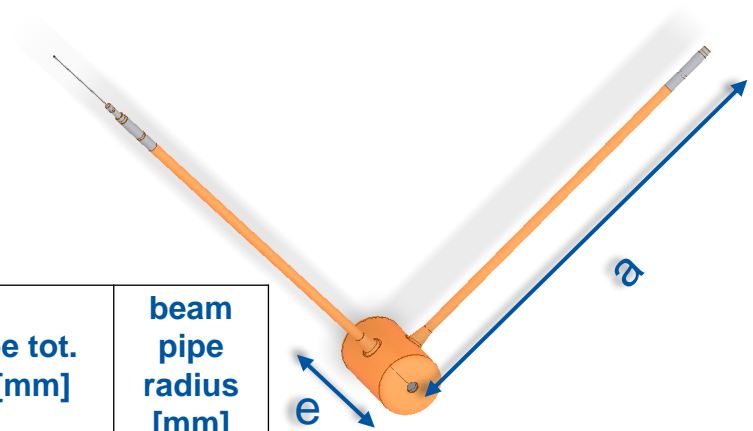
Drift tube:



# Component

Table of geometries:

| Cavity | # stems | stem tot. length [mm] w/o current leads | stem plated length [mm] | drift tube outer radius [mm] | drift tube tot. length [mm] | beam pipe radius [mm] |
|--------|---------|---|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
|        |         | <b>a</b>                                | <b>b</b>                | <b>c</b>                     | <b>e</b>                    | <b>f</b>              |
| A-I    | 52      | 1280.1                                  | 1121.6                  | 89.76                        | 123,11 - 178,55             | 15                    |
| A-IIa  | 40      | 1280.1                                  | 1121.6                  | 94.64                        | 186,95 - 226,44             | 17.5                  |
| A-IIb  | 32      | 1280.1                                  | 1121.6                  | 94.64                        | 235,04 - 266,26             | 17.5                  |
| A-III  | 28      | 1280.1                                  | 1121.6                  | 94.64                        | 268,22 - 294,76             | 17.5                  |
| A-IV   | 25      | 1280.1                                  | 1121.6                  | 94.64                        | 296,63 - 318,41             | 17.5                  |
|        |         | meas. from beam axis                    | meas. from beam axis    | prior to plating             |                             |                       |



# Activities

|          | <b>Activities and detailed tasks</b>                   | <b>Location(s)</b> | <b>Duration</b> |
|----------|--|--------------------|-----------------|
| WP 1 ✓   | Design of copper electroplating line and related tools | CERN               | 5 Months        |
| WP 2 ✓   | Purchasing of electroplating line and related tools    | CERN               | 21 Months       |
| WP 3.0 ✓ | Recruitment of CERN Graduate (ORIGIN)                  | CERN               | 10 Months       |
| WP 3.1   | Copper electroplating of stem & DTs (AI)               | CERN               | 8 Months        |
| WP 3.2   | Copper electroplating of stem & DTs (Alla-Allb)        | CERN               | 11 Months       |
| WP 3.3   | Copper electroplating of stem & DTs (AIII-AIV)         | CERN               | 8 Months        |

# Activities \_ Preparatory Work

Requirements:

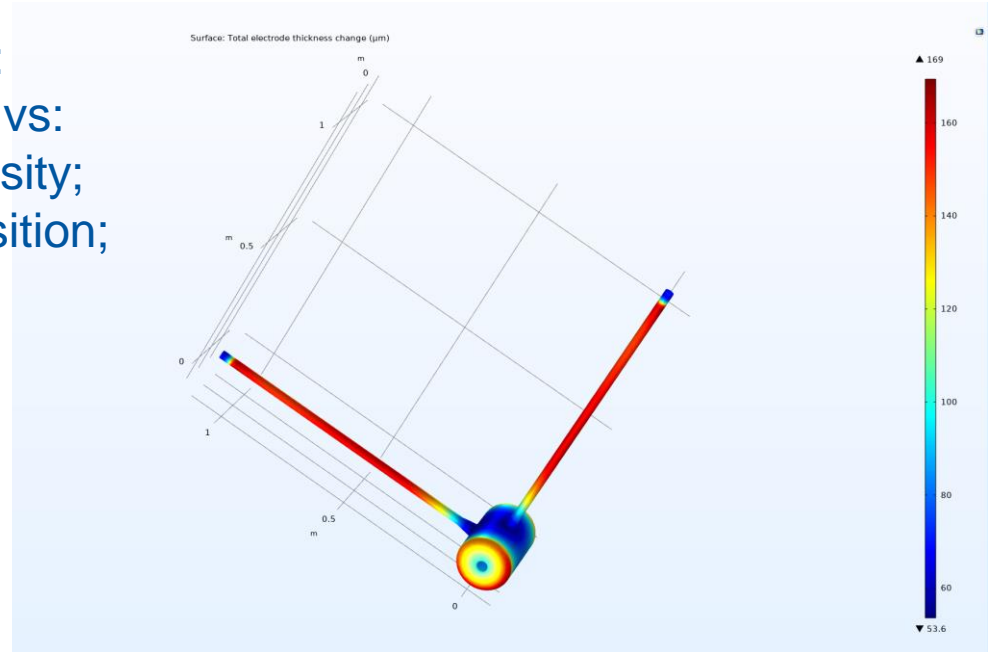
- Copper layer:
  - Conductivity;
  - UHV compatibility;
  - Copper layer thickness... see next slides



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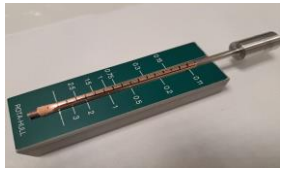
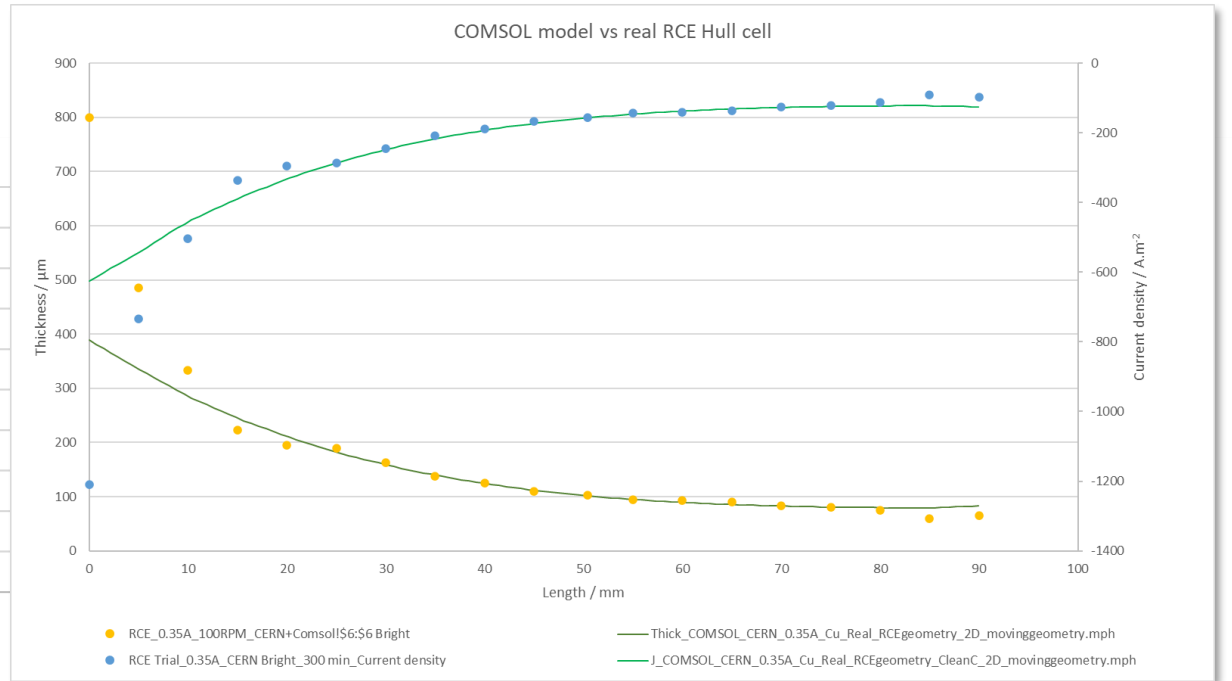
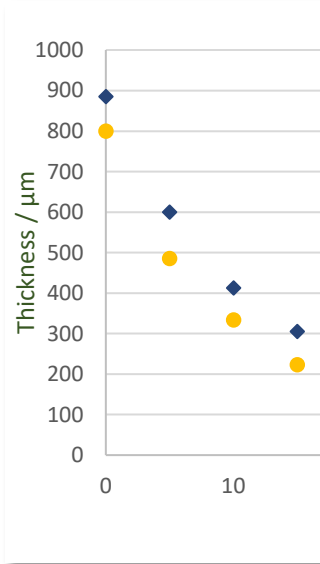
Optimisation of the process:

- Copper layer distribution vs:
  - Average current density;
  - Anodes shape & position;
  - Tank dimensions;
  - Bath type;
  - DT dimensions.

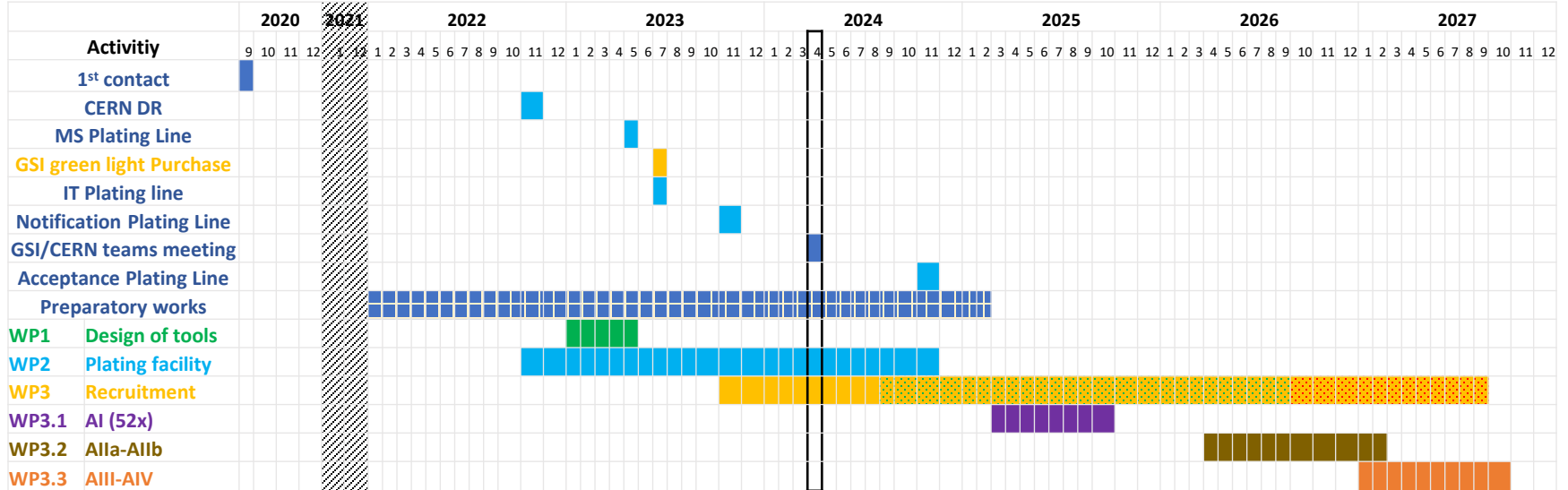


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Benchmarking:



# Timeline



Thank you for your attention

