Linac4 accelerating structures

status and installation plan

F. Gerigk, PIMS collaboration meeting, 26/27 Feb 2013

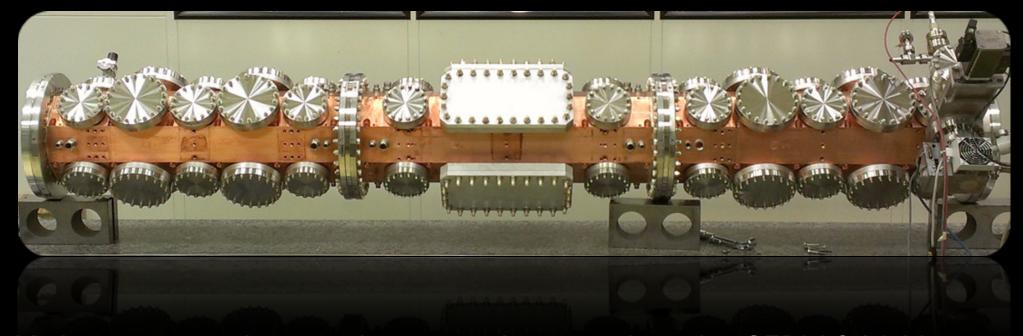
RFQ

(project eng: C. Rossi)

design (CEA/CERN) and construction (CERN): 2009 - 2012

Parameter	Value
frequency	352.2 MHz
length	3.06 m
vane voltage	78.27 kV
maximum aperture a	I.8 mm
maximum modulation	2.36
average aperture r ₀	3.3 mm
ρ/r ₀	0.85

Parameter	Value	
min. longitudinal radius	9 mm	
max field on pole tip	34 MV/m	
Kilpatrick	1.84	
focusing parameter	5.7	
acceptance at I=0 mA	I.7 π mm mrad	
final synchronous phase	-22 deg	



High-power conditioning has started last week at the CERN 3 MeV test stand.



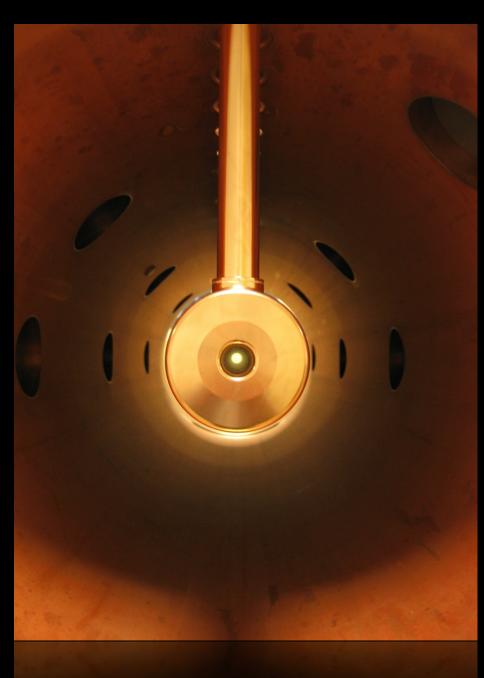
Parameter	Value
frequency	352.2 MHz
energy range	3 - 50.3 MeV
E ₀ T	2.65 - 2.95 MV/m
synchronous phase	-30 → -26 deg
ZT ² (linac def., operational value)	44 - 52 MΩ
Q ₀ (measured, av. p. module)	~39000 - 43000
cavity length	3.8 - 7,3 m
number of cavities	3
total number of drift tubes	108
peak power/cavity	1/2/2 MW
Kilpatrick	< 1.6

DTL highlights



- Rigid (5 cm thick) steel tanks assembled from <2 m long segments.
- PMQs in vacuum for streamlined drift tube assembly (SNS technology).
- Adjust & Assemble: Tightly toleranced Al girders w/o adjustment mechanism.
- Design for zero maintenance (no diagnostics/steering/EMQs inside DTs).
- Spring loaded metal gaskets for vacuum sealing and RF contacts.
- Easy-to-use mounting mechanism filed for patent.
- Increased gap spacing in first cells to reduce peak fields and potential breakdowns in PMQ fields.

DTL assembly status



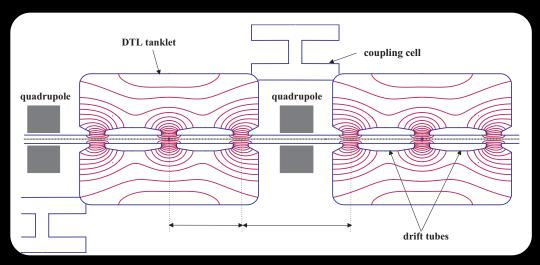
- The first tank segment is copper plated and assembled with girder and drift tubes.
- Drift tube installation takes 10 min/ item thanks to metal gaskets and ("automatic") alignment.
- Vacuum leak tight.
- First tank completed by summer 2013 to be high-power tested.
- Tank 2&3 to be assembled and tested in 2013.

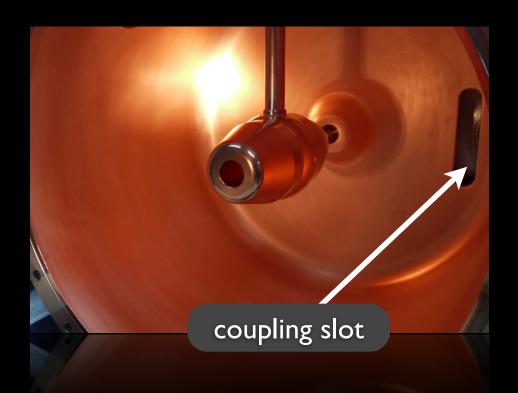
timeline DTL:

2004	start of a collaboration with VNIIEF and ITEP (Russia) for the design and construction of Linac4 DTL tank
2005	decision to use PMQs
2006-7	start of mechanical design at CERN
2008	construction of DTL prototype in collaboration with INFN Legnaro
2009	successful high-power testing of the CERN/INFN prototype
2010	filing of patent on the "mounting mechanism" to position drift tubes
2008-10	purchase of 30 tons of raw material (~3000 pieces of stainless steel cylinders, Cu drift tubes/stems, Al girders, flanges, etc)
2011	start of construction of tanks (industry) and drift tube parts (collaboration with ESS-Bilbao)
2012	start of girder construction in industry
autumn 2012	first tank segment assembled
2013	completion of first tank and high-power testing, assembly and tuning of tank 2,3, low-power testing of tank 2,3
2014	installation in Linac4 tunnel and high-power testing of tank 2,3



CCDTL highlights

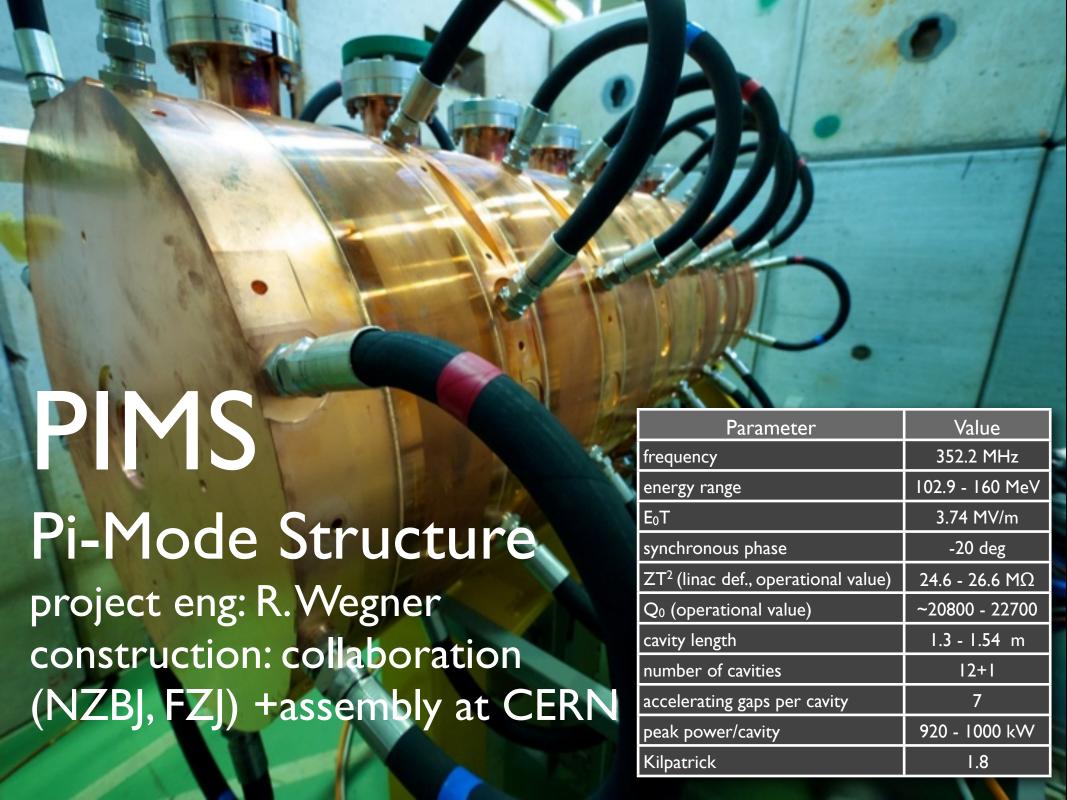




- First ever use of a CCDTL in an operational machine!
- 3 tanks/9 gaps per module
- Alignment of quads outside of RF structure (easy access),
- Alignment of complete module (3 cavities) on support (beam apertures within ±0.3 mm) via mechanical means (successfully tested).
- coupling cell dimensions remain constant for all modules,
- 8 technical meetings (5 in Russia, 3 at CERN),
- France CERN Moscow VNIITF (Snezhinsk) - BINP - Moscow - CERN:
 I 3000 km until the raw steel has been transformed into cavities,

timeline CCDTL:

1994	J. Billen, F. Krawczyk, R. Wood, L. Young: "A new RF structure for Intermediate Velocity particles"
2000	Conceptual CCDTL design for new proton linac at CERN
2001	13-cell cold model in aluminum
2004/5	design/construction of CERN prototype: 2 half tanks + 1 coupling cell
2006	successful high-power testing of CERN prototype
2006	construction of prototype with 2 complete tanks + coupling cell in Russia (BINP/VNIITF) within ISTC contract
2007	successful high-power testing of ISTC prototype at CERN
2009	start of ISTC contracts to construct 7 CCDTL modules for Linac4
Jan. 2010	shipping of 46 tons of raw material (in ~1500 pieces) to Russia
Nov. 2011	successful vacuum and low-power tests of first complete module at BINP
autumn 2012	delivery and assembly of first 2 modules to CERN + high power test of first module
March 2013	assembly of module 3 and 4, high-power test of module 2
May 2013	delivery and assembly of remaining modules to CERN, installation of first module(s) in the Linac4 tunnel



- same RF frequency (352.2 MHz)
 as the rest of Linac4,
- 7 cell pi-mode design with strong cell-to-cell coupling (~5%),
- first-ever use of PIMS in proton linac,
- coupling slot design optimized for high shunt impedance,
- high power tested 60% above nominal peak fields!
- assembly of discs and rings via EBW to avoid loss of material rigidity during brazing,

PIMS highlights



timeline PIMS:

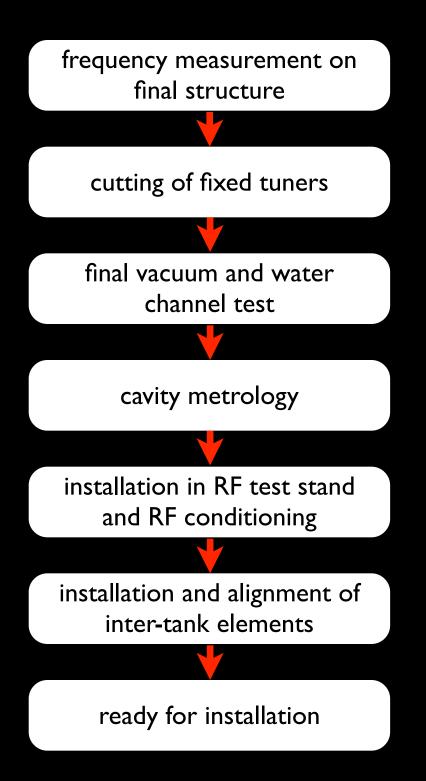
1977	5-cell pi-mode structure used in PEP storage ring (electrons) at SLAC (353.2 MHz)
1989	5-cell pi-mode structure used in LEP (electrons) at CERN (352.2 MHz)
2007	Decision to use PIMS to replace the Side-Coupled Linac (704 MHz) between 100 - 160 MeV in Linac4 for low-β proton acceleration
2007	tendering for 3D forged OFE copper for PIMS construction
2007/8	construction and measurements on scaled aluminum cold model
2008	order of 26 t of 3D forged OFE copper (last piece delivered: Nov 2011)
2009/10	design and construction of full size PIMS prototype at CERN
2010	successful high-power testing at CERN and decision to use prototype as first PIMS cavity in Linac4
Nov. 2010	collaboration with NCBJ (National Centre for Nucl. Research, Poland , formerly Soltan Inst.) and FZJ (Forschungszentrum Jülich, Germany) for the construction of 12 PIMS cavities.
Jan. 2011	first shipment of altogether 31 tons of raw material (~1500 pieces) to Poland
Aug. 2012	most machining and welding operations are qualified, ~half of the discs and rings are rough-machined
summer 2013	delivery of first series cavity to CERN, assembly (EBW), tuning and subsequent high-power testing at CERN,
October 2014	delivery of last PIMS cavity to CERN

BINP, Novosibirsk			CCDTL: design & construction
CEA, Saclay			RFQ: mech. design & measurements
ESS, Bilbao	Table E		DTL, jacks, RF coupler: production of DTL drift tubes, support for market survey of Spanish industry,
FZJ, Jülich			PIMS: port weldings (EBW)
INFN, Legnaro			DTL : collaboration on prototype construction, movable tuners: construction
ISTC, Moscow	M H T	С	CCDTL: contract framework with BINP/VNIITF, financing, customs procedures in Russia
KACST, Riyadh			DTL: construction of cold model
NCBJ, Swierk			PIMS: machining of all pieces
RRCAT, Indore			RF coupler: prototyping & construction
VNIITF, Snezhinsk			CCDTL: design & construction
VNIIEF, Sarov			DTL: preliminary mechanical design
ITEP, Moscow			DTL: preliminary designs



reception at CERN

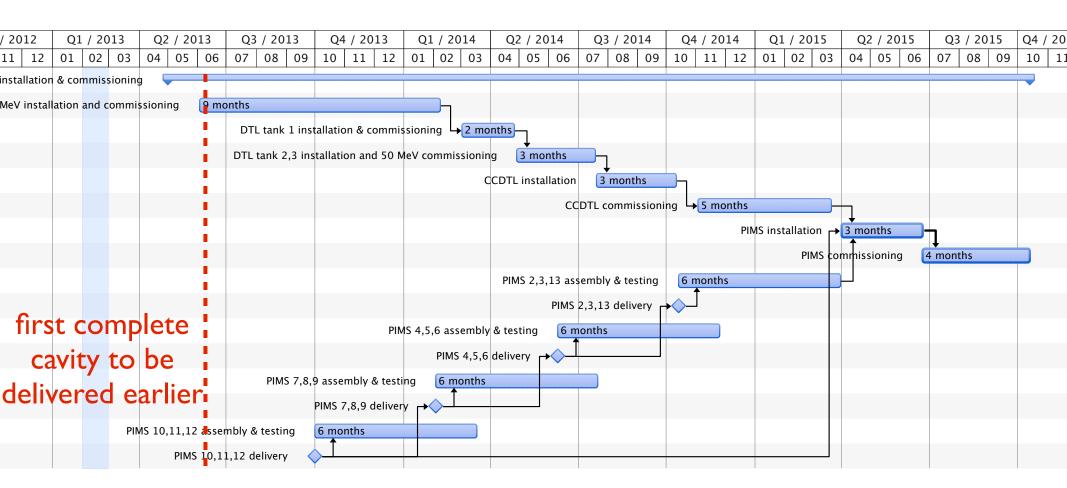
foreseen time: 2.5 months (for the CERN prototype it took 3.5 months)



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If we receive batches of 3 cavities, we assume that they can be assembled and tested within ~6 months at CERN.

Installation schedule



The first 3 cavities have to be at CERN by 1. September 2013 to be followed by 1 cavity/1.5 months. First cavity to be completed by 1. June 2013!