The PIMS structure

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Outline

- **Motivation to replace the SCL with a PIMS,**
- ***** voltage errors, coupling errors, tolerances,
- ***** tuning, transient beam loading,
- construction issues.

between 90 and 160 MeV...

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SCL: 4 modules of 5 x 11-acc.-cell cavities, 704.4 MHz,

or

CCDTL: 5 3-acc.-cell cavities, 352.2 MHz **PIMS:**102-160 MeV 12 x 7-cell cavities, 352.2 MHz

ZT2 (80%), including losses due to stems, end walls, coupling holes, tuning rings...

SCL versus PIMS I

coupled 11-cell pi/2-mode cavity, 704 MHz

PIMS new solution

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SCL

old solution

SCL versus PIMS II

SCL versus PIMS: frequency

- one single frequency: simplified RF distribution and lowlevel control system, common RF coupler design for all structures (iris-coupling from a tangential λ /4 shortcircuited wave-guide),
- ***** now we start immediately with a new klystron type (pulsed, 2.5 MW, 352.2 MHz) that will eventually replace the LEP klystrons (CW, 1.3 MW): one new klystron against 2 LEP klystrons,

2 critical issues:

during the last review meeting of the HIPPI collaboration 2 items were highlighted by the ESAC:

- worries about the transient behaviour of a π-mode structure versus a π/2 mode structure,
- ***** potential problems with the power splitting from one 2.5 MW klystron to 2 π-mode cavities.

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With pre-shaped copper pieces we can reduce the amount of copper to ≈36 tons.

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construction III: tank material **Stainless steel (304 L) instead of copper?**

from the outside: no risk of water leaking into vacuum.

Simplified ANSYS calculation for the cooling of the discs: **a** assume a constant temperature of the water channels (22 deg), **x** assume averaged heat distribution on the discs, **x** cooling channels still need to be optimised.

max. temperature increase on copper nose (SPL duty cycle): 5.5 deg on steel nose: 146 deg (!)

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but which kind of copper??

Cold model I

scaled (704.4 MHz) aluminium model was machined at CERN,

- ■7-cell cavity with 5% cell-to-cell coupling,
- ***6** identical interior modules,
- ***model is ready for testing!**

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Cold model II

■ an additional 3-cell model with 3% coupling is under construction for comparison with 3D simulations (coupling, R/Q),

***** the interior modules can be exchanged to test a different slot shape,

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Cold model: end cells

frequency errors

- 7 cell pi-mode structure analysed with a circuit model (terminated & $\begin{array}{c} \hline \end{array}$ non-terminated end-cells), using 103-104 different error cases,
- **Example frequency errors per cell linearly distributed between -25** kHz/+25 kHz,

Linac4: 5% cell to cell coupling, 7 cells, for 95% of all runs: voltage error < 3% (including end-cell tuning)

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coupling errors

the voltage variation from cell to cell is also influenced by errors in the cell-to-cell coupling factor:

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***** the coupling constant *k* is mainly influenced by the width *w* of the slot, ***** from the equivalent circuit analysis one finds that a 1/1000 change in *k* results in an average voltage error of ~1% in each cell, ➡ tolerance for *w*: 172 mm ±0.05 mm

summary on frequency errors

Construction steps

machining of copper

welding of ports: RF, tuner, vacuum

clamping & lowlevel RF test

machining of tuning rings

clamping & lowlevel RF test welding of complete cavity

no brazing operation on the cavity!

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tuning strategy

- **tuning ring** across the circumference of the discs to allow for a frequency correction of ± 0.5 MHz, \rightarrow correction of machining errors before the welding of the structure,
- maximum **tuner** diameter at low energy: 62 mm, **5 fixed tuners + 2 movable tuners**, for higher energies 2 tuners per cell or increase the diameter of the tuner, tuning range: ± 0.5 MHz \rightarrow correction of temperature effects, spread in welding contraction (should be very small), mechanical deformation during installation,
- **final errors expected to be** \lt \pm **25 kHz (confirmed by LEP** experience).

will be revised after the results from the hot model

beam loading & transient behaviour

- **1967**: Nagle, Knapp, Knapp present their resonant circuit model for coupled resonators,
- **1969**: Knapp compares the filling of a π/2 mode cavity with that $\begin{array}{c} \hline \end{array}$ of a π mode cavity: 20 cells, asymmetric feeding from the left

conclusion:

Assuming the same number of cells, and an asymmetric feeding point: during the filling of the cavity, the cell voltage rises much more evenly in a π/2-mode structure than in a π-mode structure.

why do SC multi-cell π-mode cavities work?

1993 Henke & Filtz: beam loading in an asymmetrically fed 9-cell TESLA cavity: voltage profile in the first and last bunches of τ_f (filling time: 0.8 ms)

conclusion:

during the transients:

- **Example 10 confirmation of Knapp: the voltage profile in the** different cells is different,
- ***** the average voltage gain over the 9 cells only changes up to a maximum of 0.05 %.

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beam loading...

cell voltage [kV] cell voltage [kV]

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conclusion I: on cavity filling

- with a loaded Q of <8000, the filling time is of the order of $\tau_f = 7 \mu s$ (2*Q_I/ ω),
- \bullet during the filling process the cell-fields are slightly different but change symmetrically to the feeding point,
- **If** the time to get a stable voltage from the power converters is in the order of 50 μs,
- \bullet during the filling of the cavity and the stabilisation of the cavity voltage, we will dump unusable beam on the distributor head-dump,

no disadvantage in using the π-mode

conclusion II: on transient beam loading effects

- **x** with beam loading taken into account in one cell after another with correct time delay: the cell voltages are no longer symmetric to the feeding point,
- ***** but with the Linac4 chopping cycle (122 out of 355) the voltage differences are below 1%,
- **Exalge 13 as for the filling process: the average voltage gain** over the 7 cells is basically constant $\ll 0.1 \%$,

again: no disadvantage due to the use of the π-mode

energy ramping 159 - 161 MeV

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power splitting from one klystron to 2 cavities

- neither the controls people \blacksquare like it, nor the RF power guys,
- a problem that needs to be \blacksquare solved for the CCDTL as well, once we upgrade from LEP klystrons (1.3 MW) to new high-power klystrons (2.5 MW),
- power consumption and \blacksquare beam loading of neighbouring cavities is basically identical,

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Summary I

- ***** the SCL has been replaced with the PIMS,
- only one frequency: 352.2 MHz, $\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array}$
- same length, slightly lower cost:
	- ***** the mechanical design was simplified,
	- the tuning and commissioning effort was considerably $\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array}$ reduced,
	- **no additional cavities are needed for energy modulation,**
	- construction and long operational experience (LEP until $\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array}$ 2000) available at CERN
	- less money manpower is needed to make it work!

Summary II

- dynamic behaviour of PIMS has been analysed to much more detail than for LEP / or for the original solution of the SCL,
- ***** transient effects are smaller than the errors coming from klystrons and modulators, and their duration is shorter,
- \bullet for π-mode and $\pi/2$ -mode transient effects are limited to the transients: in NC structures this means 10 - 20 μs (SC structures: ~0.5 ms), any potential beam disturbance during the transients is removed in the head dump before injecting into the PSB,

extra slides

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RF system II: frequency

12/2006: 14 LEP klystrons (**352.2 MHz**, 1.3 MW), 4 new klystrons (**704 MHz**, 4 MW), 18 in total

09/2007: 13 LEP klystrons (**352.2 MHz**, 1.3 MW), 6 new klystrons (**352 MHz**, 2.5 MW), 19 in total

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RF cavities: Summary new(old)

e-beam welding at CERN

Cost estimate from TS/MME:

The high initial cost of tooling suggests that: if we build a prototype at CERN, then either to weld all structures at CERN or to transfer the tooling to industry.