

# Summary of the meeting

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- This meeting was originally born as a **collaboration meeting among three laboratories, CERN, SLAC and KEK**, but the attendee this time came from **more wider area**, institutes in France, UK, Finland and many companies from Europe and Japan.
- This is a very useful occasion for the **extensive discussions made among three continents**, Europe, Asia and America.
- **Extension of this meeting** in practical issues are to be made in such conference as WebEx, which was already established between among three laboratories, SLAC, CERN and KEK. Wider people are welcome to be involved.
- **Next meeting** was discussed to be held at US or at UK in May next year.

- There were **two goals** in the meeting as for high gradient. One is to obtain a way to show a **feasible gradient** for actual accelerator such as CLIC. Another is to extend the basic study toward **ultimate gradient** and to understand the physics behind. There were active discussions along these two directions.
- One of the **typical outcome of the collaboration** is shown in an **excellent result on high gradient performance** of the structure, CLIC\_VG1 , designed by CERN, made by KEK, bonded and baked by SLAC.
- It made us foresee the **operation of 100MV/m range** in a practical operation.
- The importance of the **cross checking of the results** among different places are discussed and actually it is being performed.
- We discussed that the testing with **stand-alone power device** is needed even for CLIC research. We understand the collaboration in this area is also very crucial for the further advance.

- KEK is **on the way to establish the high power** in its X-band high power facility, Nextef. The discussions in the meeting and during the tour provide KEK with very useful input for establishing the facility.
- Collaboration with not only the **exchange of information** but also mutual help in such as **exchange of high power components** is very beneficial among each other.
- KEK thinks this sort of meeting very effective for **pushing its management layer** to support the X-band activity of KEK.
- We hope to see you in the next meeting with any progress in results and understandings of the X-band accelerator structure in its **design for LC** and its **high gradient performance**.
- Thank you for valuable discussions, Toshi Higo