

# The MB-IOT Developments for ESS

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# ESS design

## High Power Linear Accelerator:

- Energy: 2 GeV
- Rep. Rate: 14 Hz
- Current: 62.5 mA

## Target Station:

- He-gas cooled rotating W-target (5MW average power)
- 42 beam ports

Ion Source

16 Instruments in  
Construction budget

Committed to deliver 22  
instruments by 2028

Total cost: 1843 MEuros <sub>2013</sub>



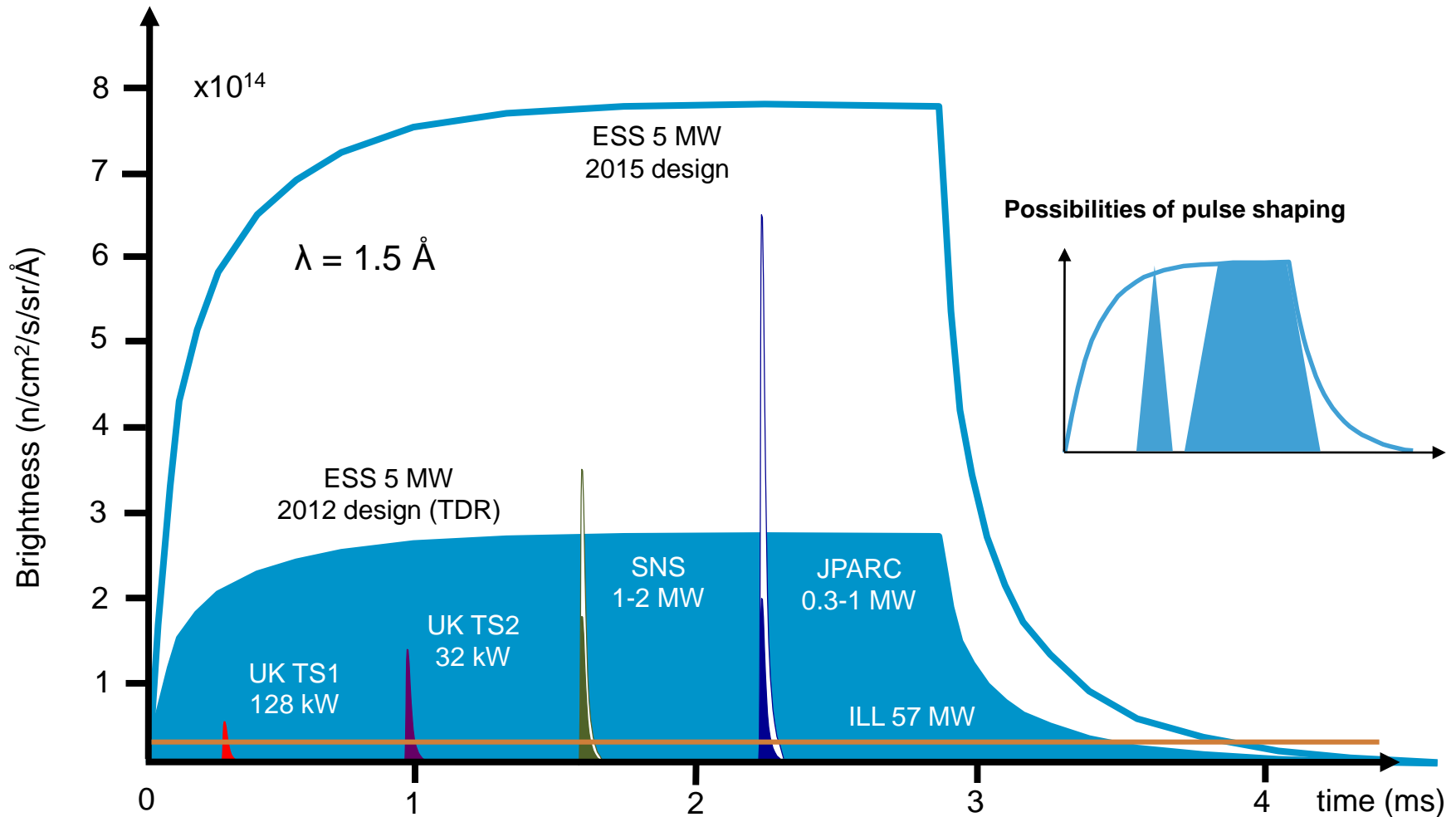


# Progress on civil construction



27 April 2016

# Long-pulse performance



# RF Power Requirement

## Design Drivers:

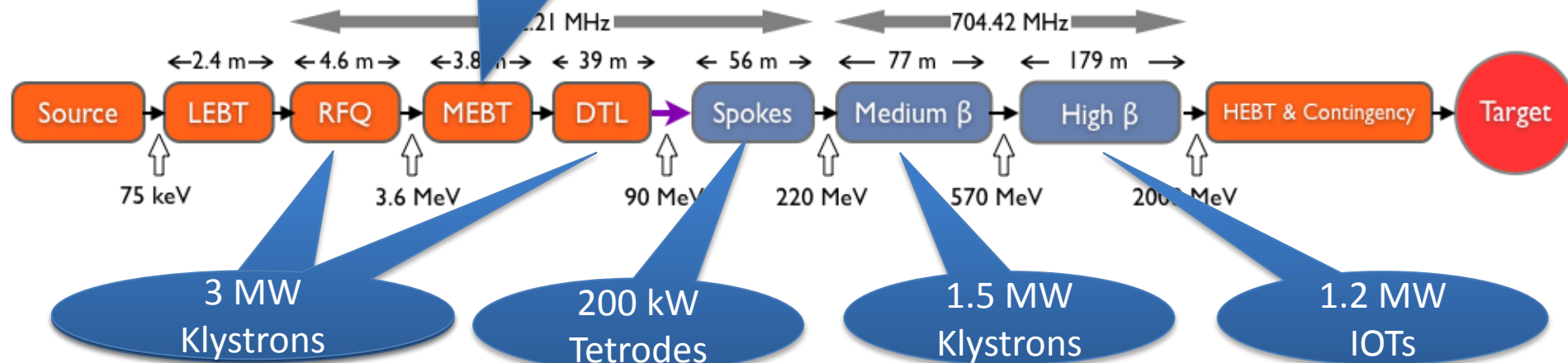
Average Beam Power 5 MW  
Peak Beam Power 125 MW  
High Availability

- First beam at 572 MeV in June 2019
- 5 MW capability for 2023

## Key parameters:

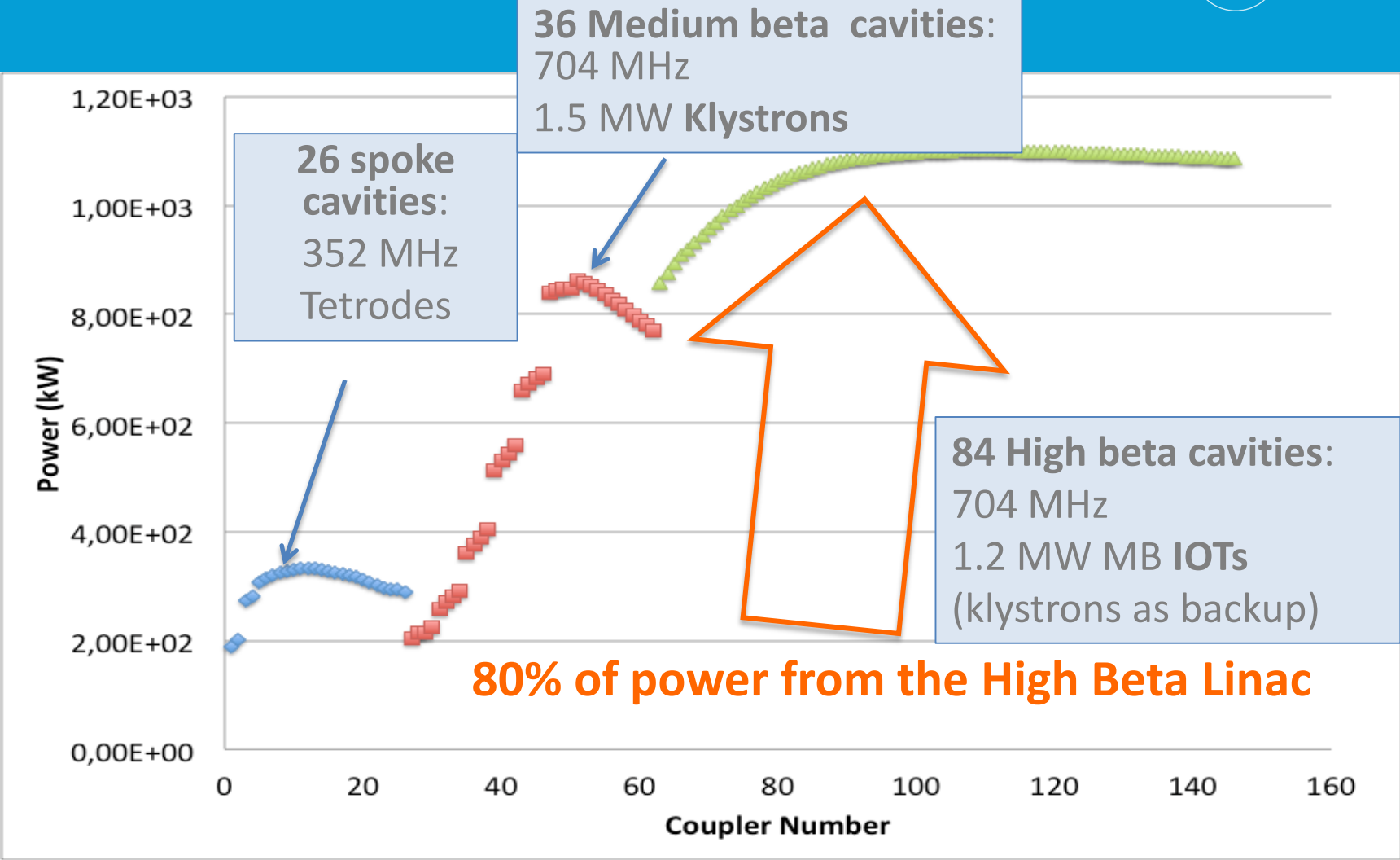
-2.86 ms pulses  
-2 GeV  
-62.5 mA peak  
-14 Hz  
-Minimize energy use  
-Flexible design for mitigation and future upgrades

30 kW Solid State Amplifiers





# ESS accelerator power profile

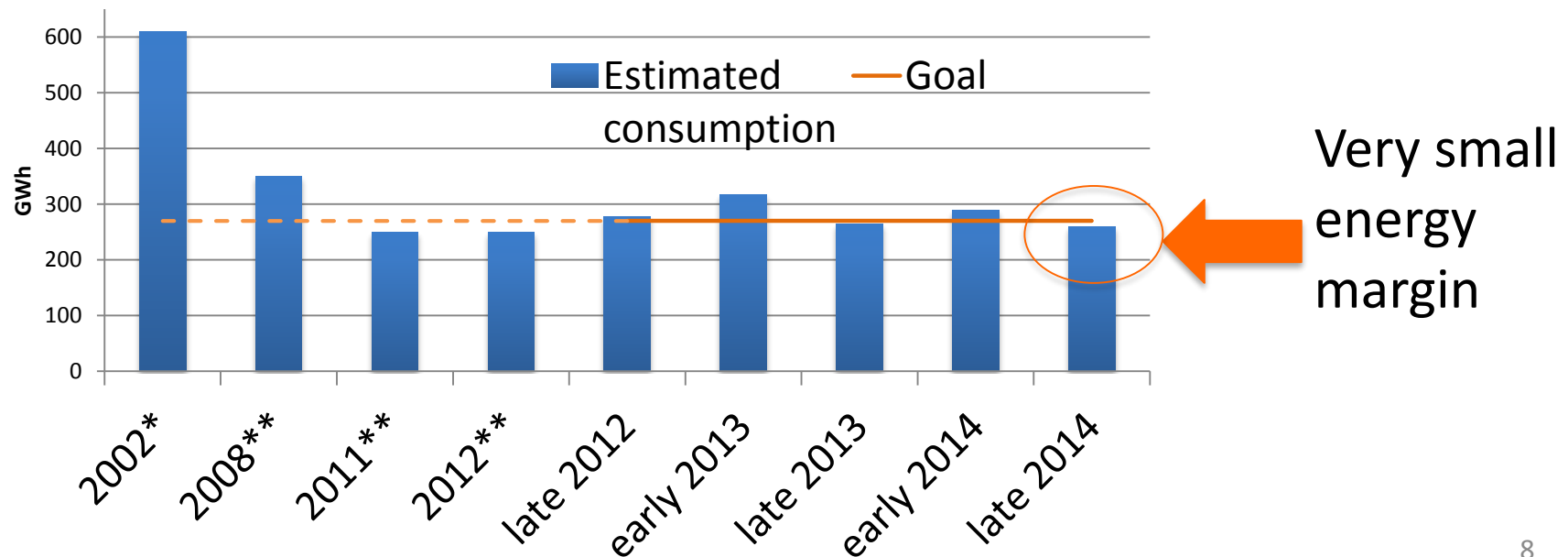


6 off 352 MHz klystrons 3 MW for RFQ and DTL tanks  
3 off 352 MHz, 30 kW Solid state amplifiers for bunchers

# ESS Energy Policy

## Energy Goals:

- **Responsible:** The energy efficiency of every aspect of operations will be carefully considered in the design phase  
....  $\leq 270$  GWh at full operation.
- **Renewable:** All energy will be from renewable sources.
- **Recyclable:** All recuperated waste heat will be re-used.





# Efficiency and Power Consumption

Saturation efficiency

Gate efficiency

Power consumption

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**at the point of operation**

Parameter		Comment
<b>Frequency</b>	<b>704.42 MHz</b>	<b>Bandwidth &gt; +/- 0.5 MHz</b>
<b>Maximum Power</b>	<b>1.2 MW</b>	<b>Average power during the pulse</b>
RF Pulse length	Up to 3.5 ms	Beam pulse 2.86 ms
Duty factor	Up to 5%	Pulse rep. frequency fixed to 14 Hz
Efficiency	Target > 65%	
High Voltage	Low	Expected < 50 kV
Design Lifetime	> 50,000 hrs	

Work is being carried out in collaboration with CERN

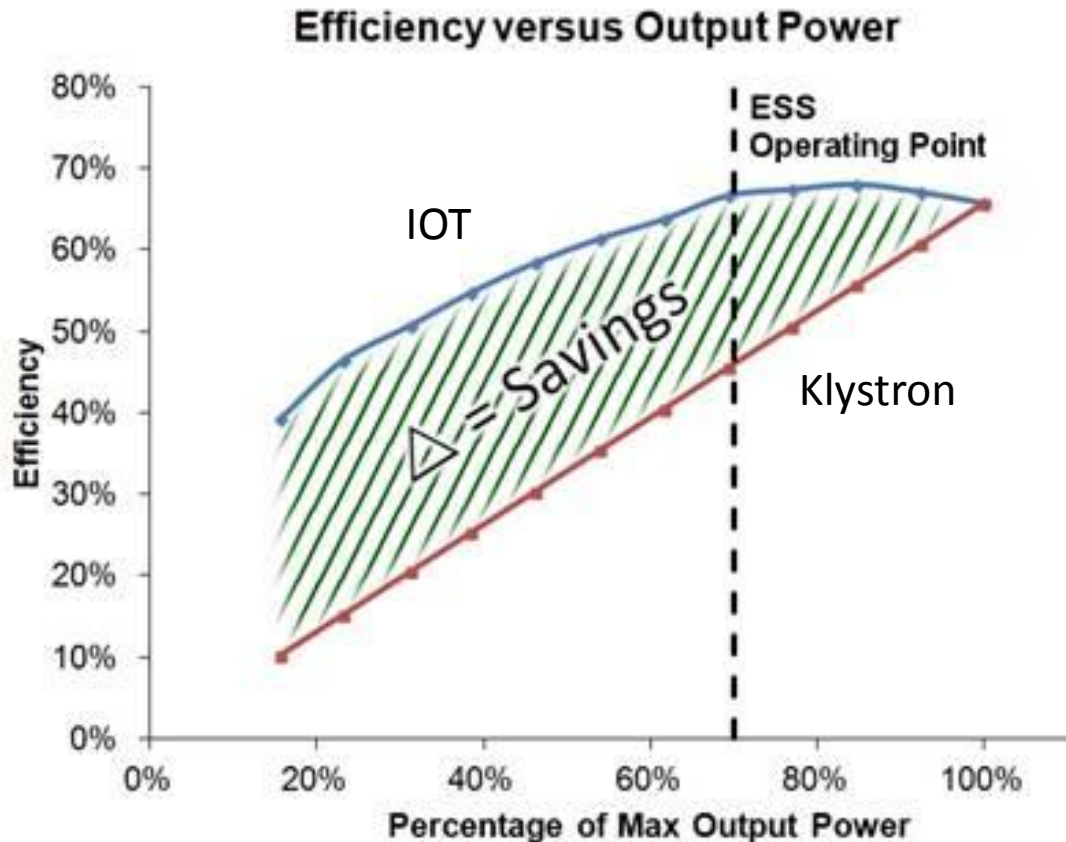
- ESS to procure prototypes
- CERN to make space and utilities available for testing

**3.3 MW power reduction by using IOTs for High Beta**

**Target: Approval for ESS series production in 2017/18**

traditional

# Efficiency comparison of Klystrons and IOTs



IOT measurements  
courtesy of M. Boyle, L3

- Based on broadcast IOT L-4444
- System setup limited by drive power and beam voltage
- IOT setup for maximum gain (not efficiency) without breakdown
- No optimisation of coupling, grid voltages etc. for different power levels

- Klystron assumed to have same saturated efficiency as the IOT
- No optimisation of coupling, voltages, perveance for different power levels



## 10 Beam Multi-Beam IOT 1.2 MW 704 MHz

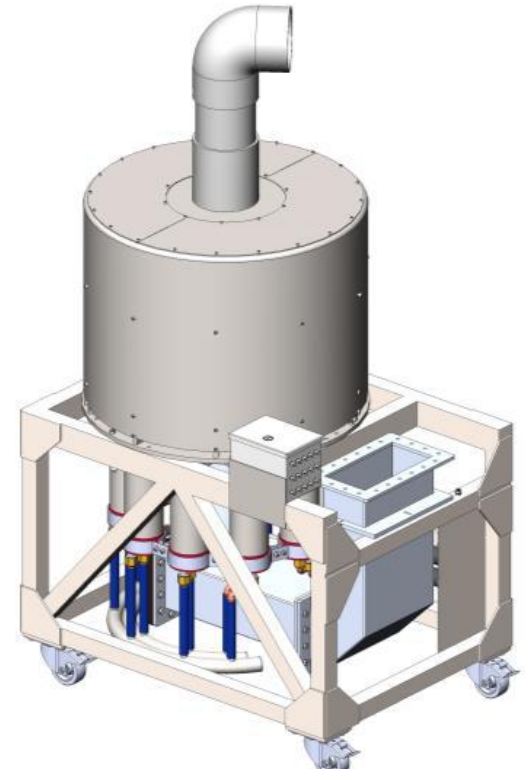
Two Contracts for **Technology Demonstrators**

- Thales/CPI Consortium
- L3

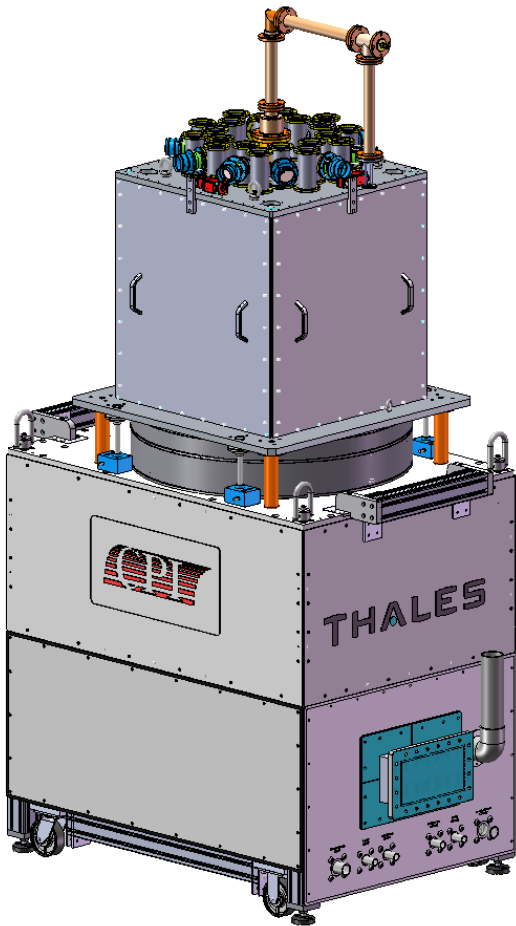
Contracts signed in September 2014

Project duration: 24 months

Testing at CERN

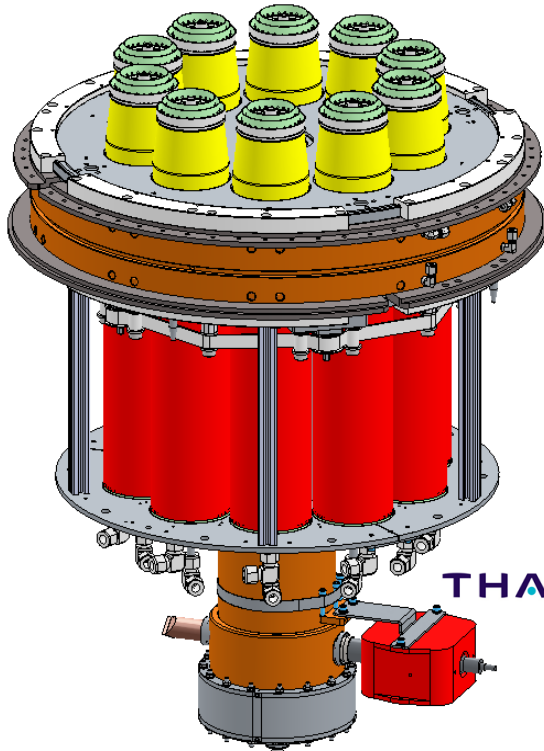


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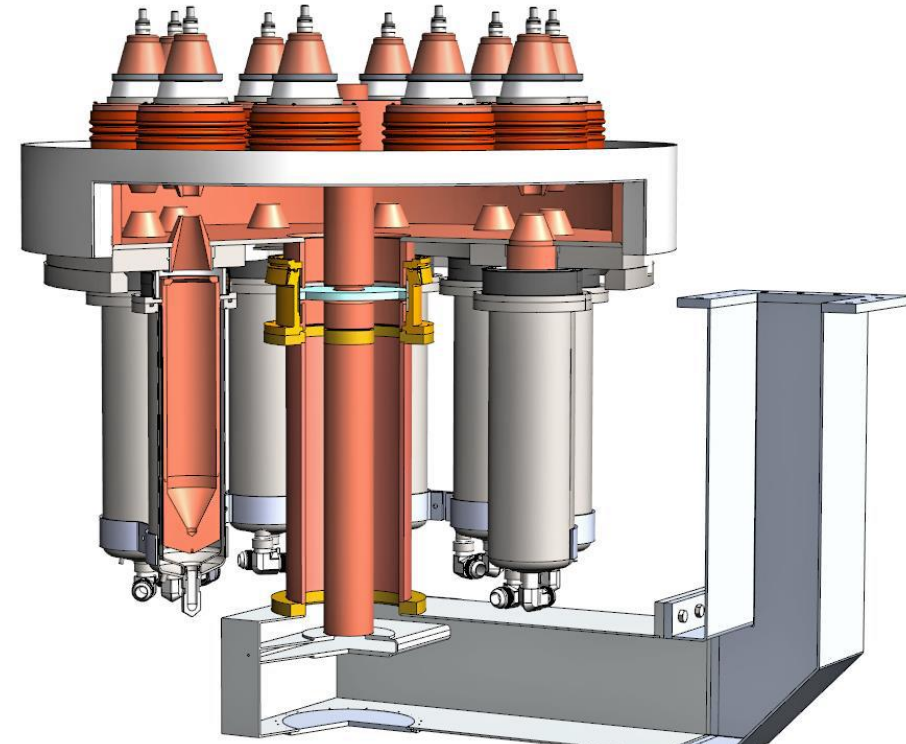


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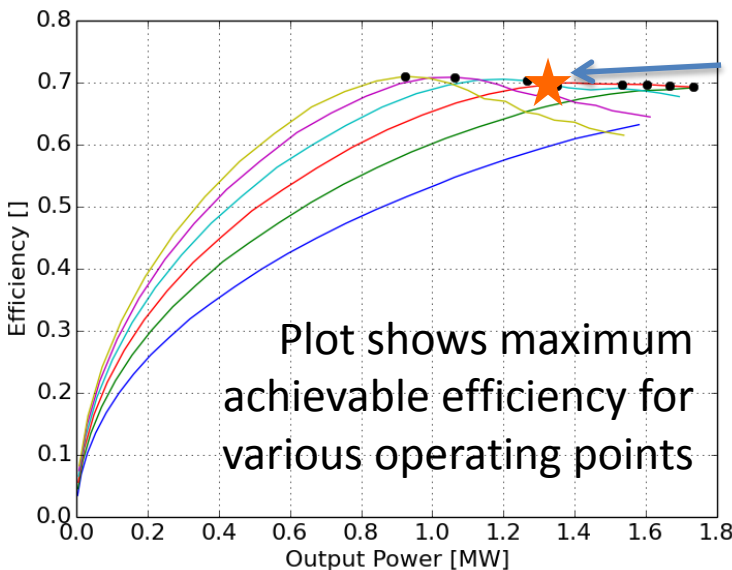


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- 10 Beams placed on a bolt circle
- Individual cathode and grid structures
- Individual and isolated collectors
- Single annular output cavity with one interaction gap per beam
- Coaxial Output

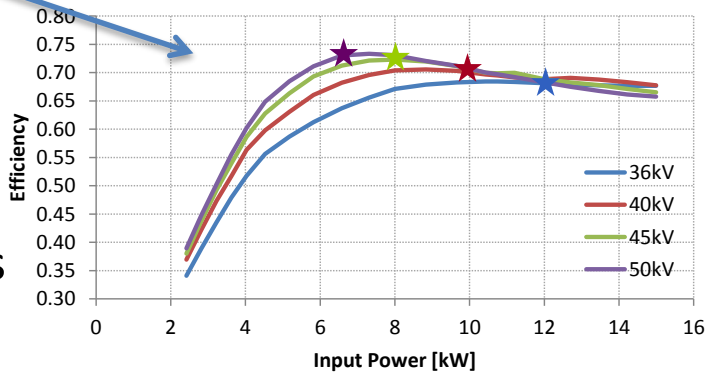
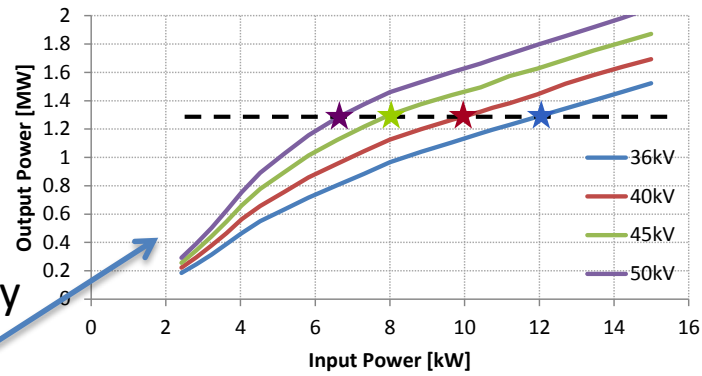
# Operational Optimisations

## Courtesy of L3 Communications



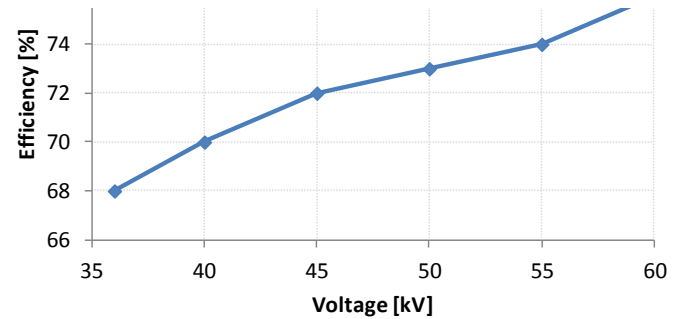
1.3 MW  
70% eff

Power and Efficiency  
Impact of HV



Increased beam voltage provides for better performance

- Increases gain
- Increases efficiency
- Decreases body current

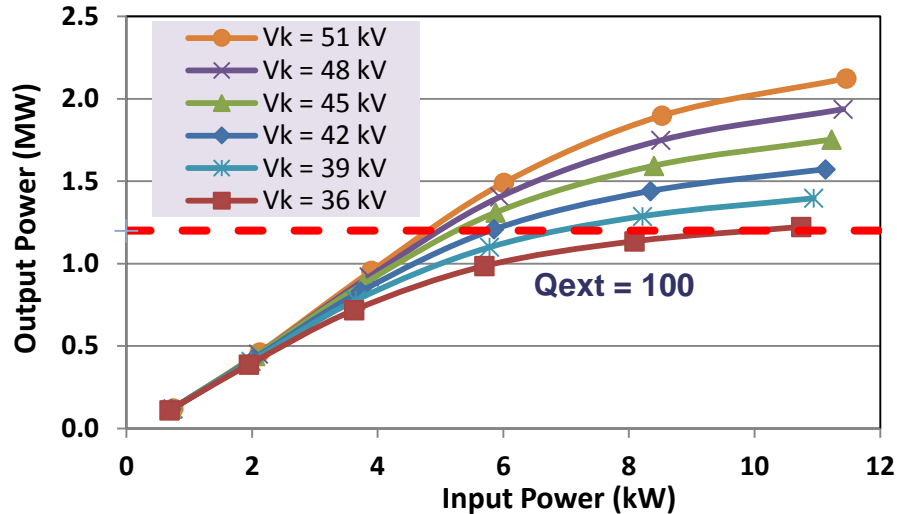




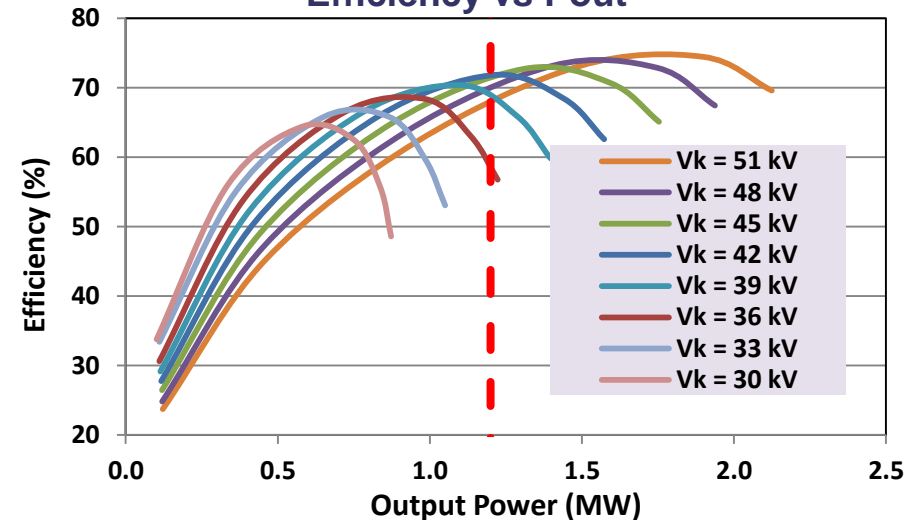
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### Power Transfer Curves

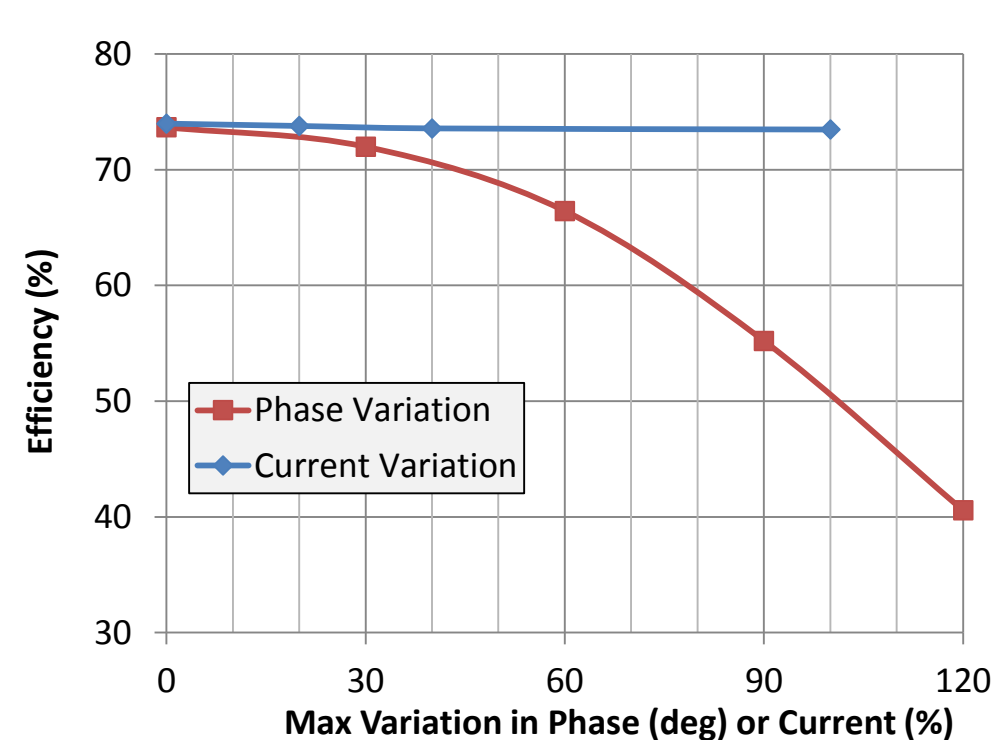
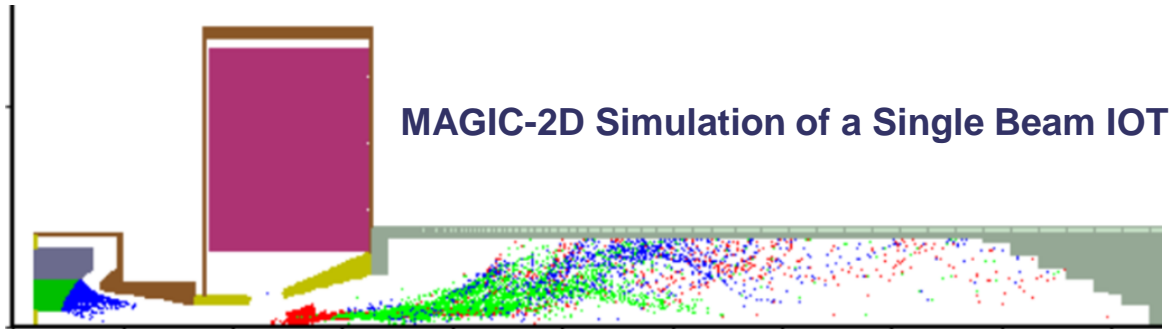


### Efficiency vs Pout



- u Predicted transfer curves for different beam voltages meet design targets of gain & efficiency
- u High efficiency at reduced power
- u -1dB bandwidth is 4.5 MHz (2 MHz requirement)

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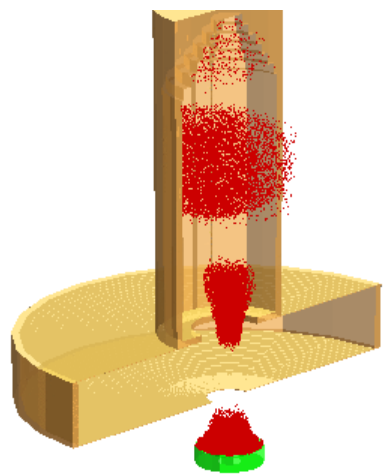
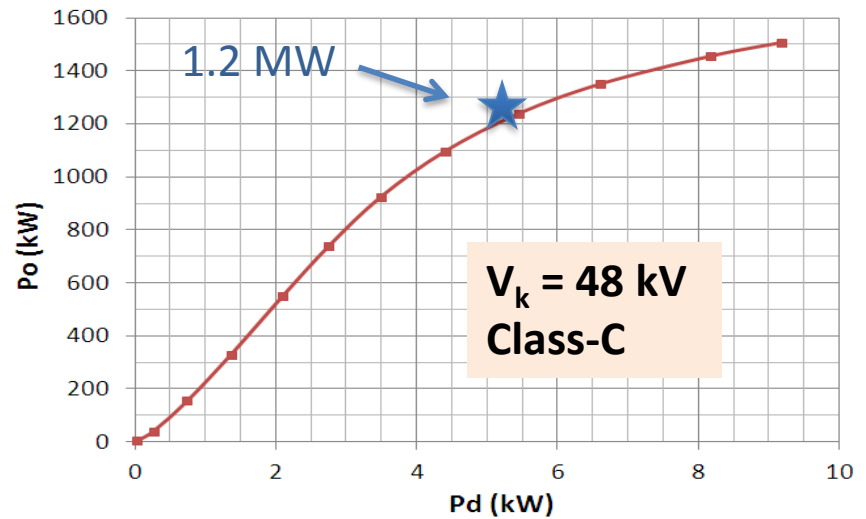
- u **Modeling approach is to add phase and current variations between successive bunches in MAGIC-2D**
- u **Efficiency is not sensitive to current variation**
- u **Efficiency is not sensitive to phase variation up to 30°**

# MAGIC Prediction of MB-IOT Performance

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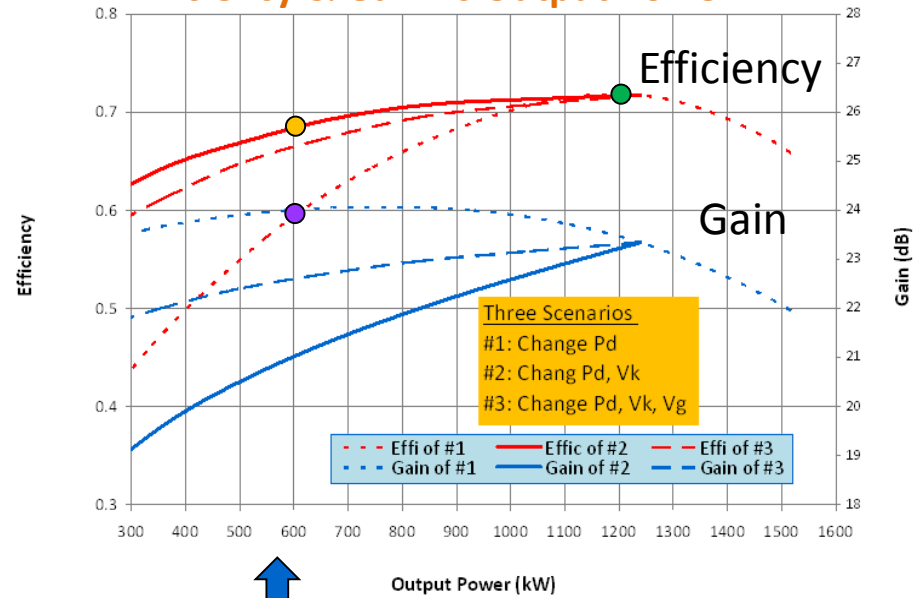


**Power Transfer Curve**



MAGIC-3D simulation of one beam with MB-IOT off-axis B-field

**Efficiency & Gain vs Output Power**



- **At 1.2 MW,  $\eta = 72\%$  with  $V_k = 48$  kV**
- **At 600 kW**
  - $\eta = 59\%$  with  $V_k = 48$  kV
  - $\eta = 68\%$  with  $V_k = 34$  kV





# Solid State Driver

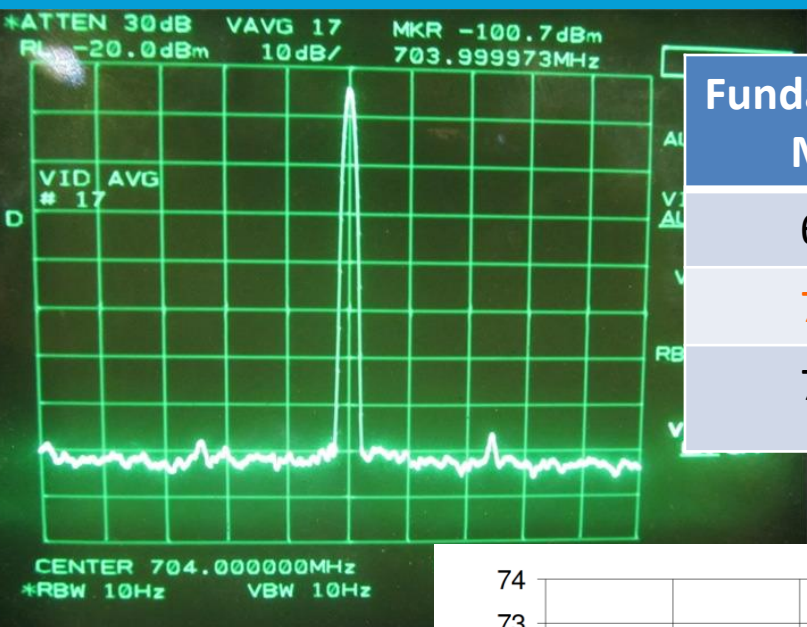
## TOMCO 15 kW driver being used for Factory Testing at L3

### Single Rack Configuration

<b>Operating Frequency</b>	<b>699 – 709 MHz</b>
Output Power for 5 dBm input	15 kW PEP
Gain linearity	+/- 0.5 dB
Pulse width	Up to 4 ms
Duty	Up to 10%



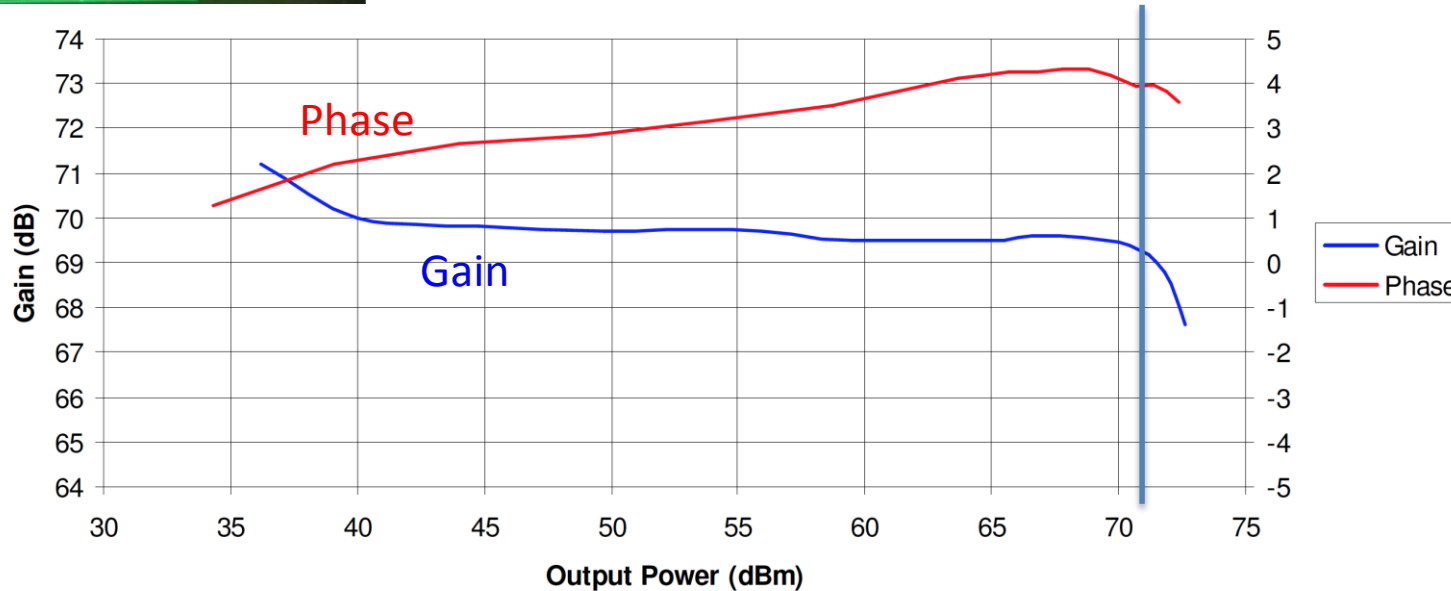
# Factory Test Results for 15 kW TOMCO Driver



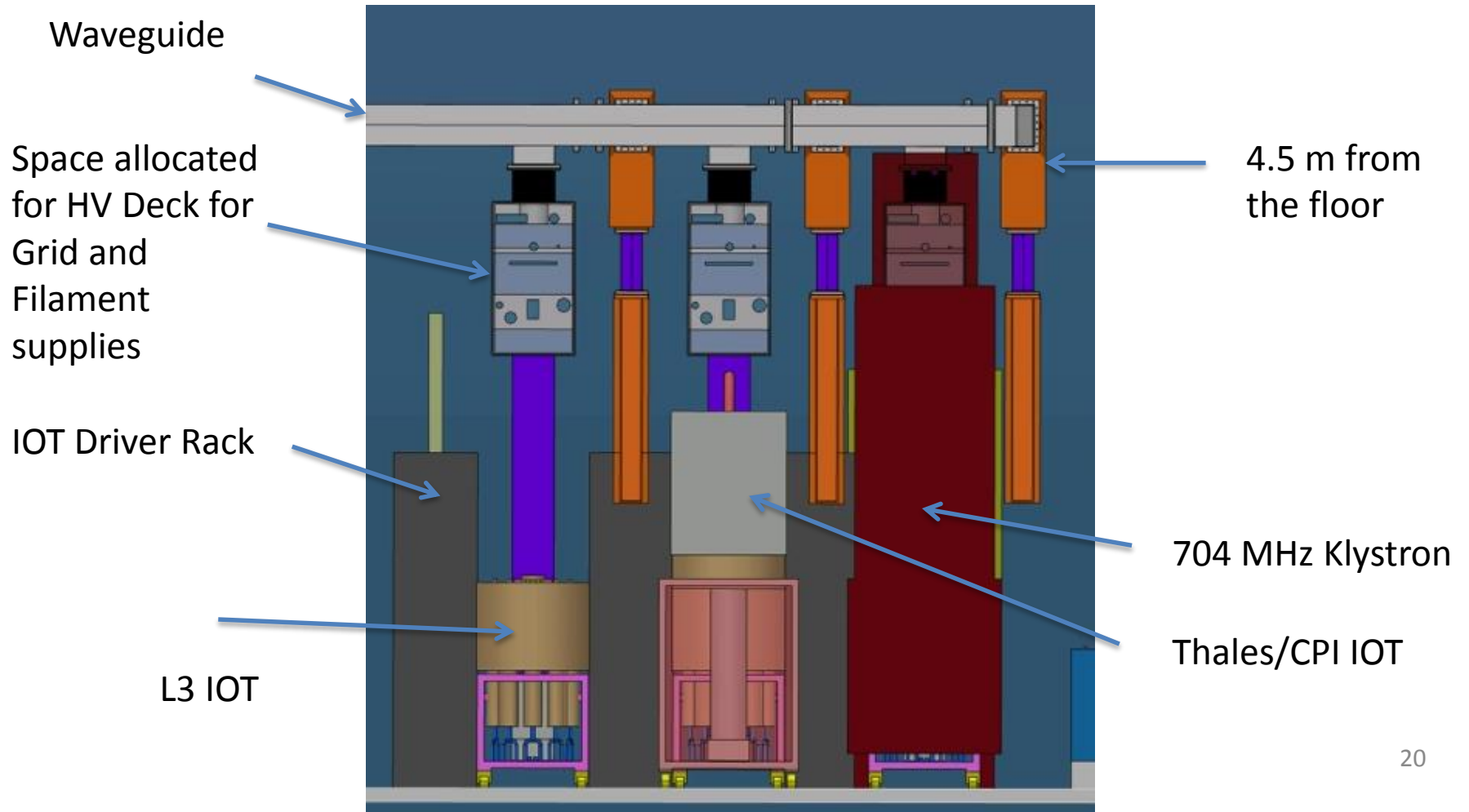
Fundamental MHz	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
699	-41 dBc	<-70 dBc	<-70 dBc	<-70 dBc
704	-40 dBc	<-70 dBc	<-70 dBc	<-70 dBc
709	-45 dBc	<-70 dBc	<-70 dBc	<-70 dBc

No spurious output detected above -70 dBc

15 kW

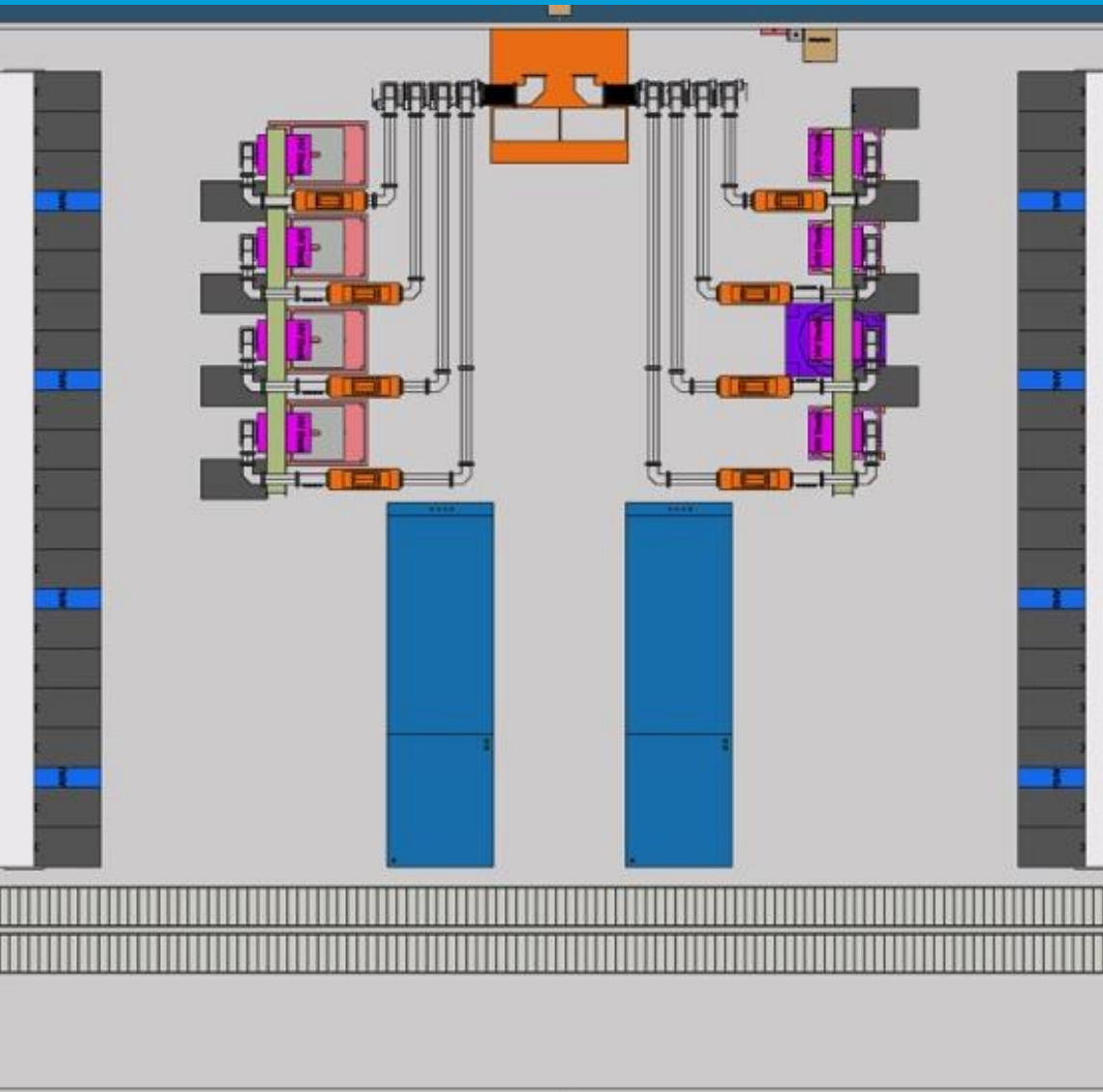


# Comparison of Space envelopes





# Possible Gallery Layout



Layout compatible with  
Klystron layout  
(Important for utilities and  
building constraints)

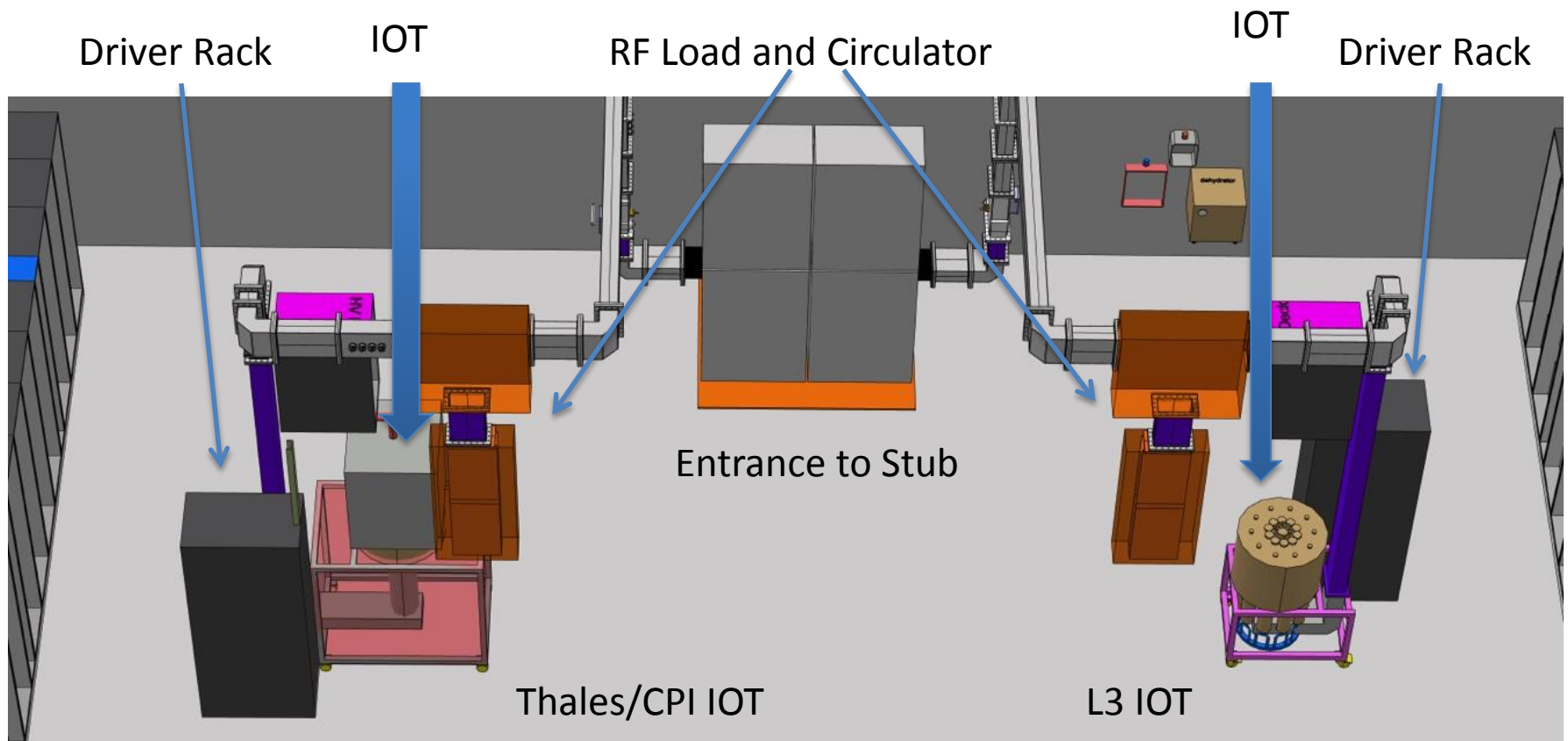
Gallery design compatible with  
both MB-IOT designs  
4 Tubes per HV supply

One driver rack per MB-IOT

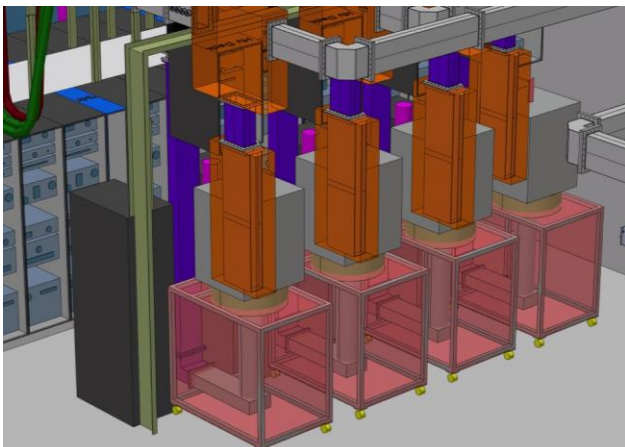
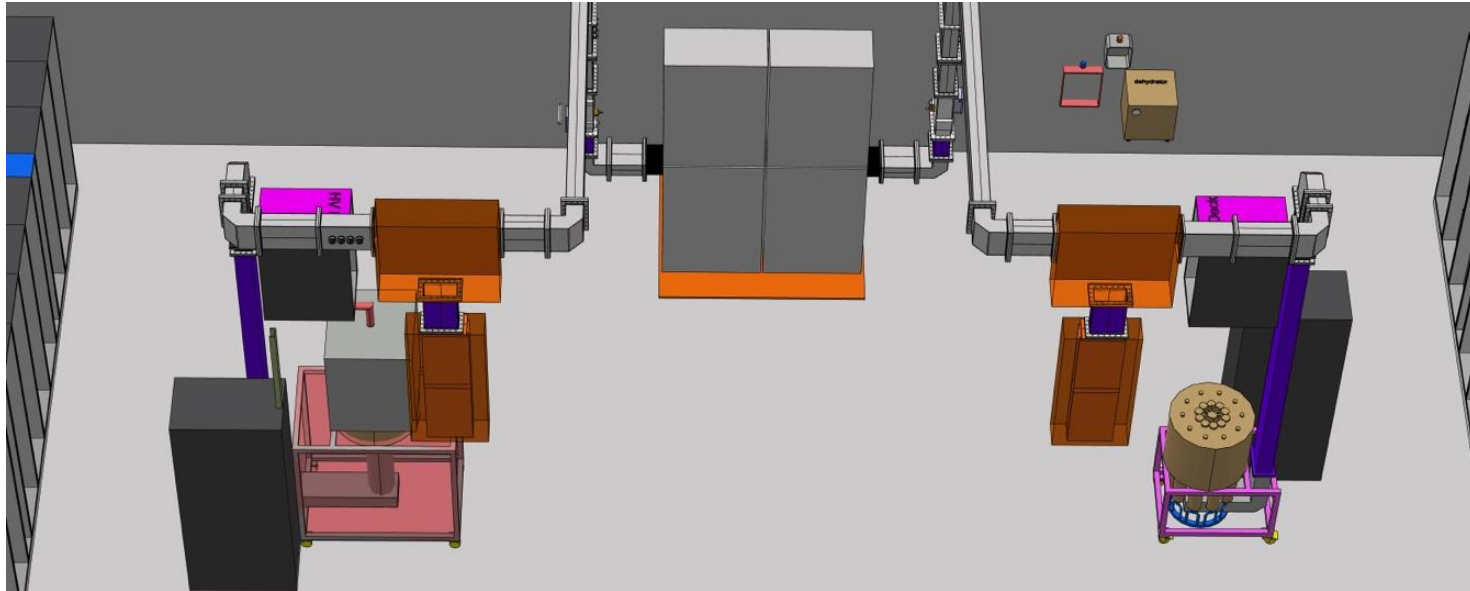
HV-Deck for Filament and Grid  
supplies placed above the  
tube (Details will depend on  
final filament/grid  
requirements)

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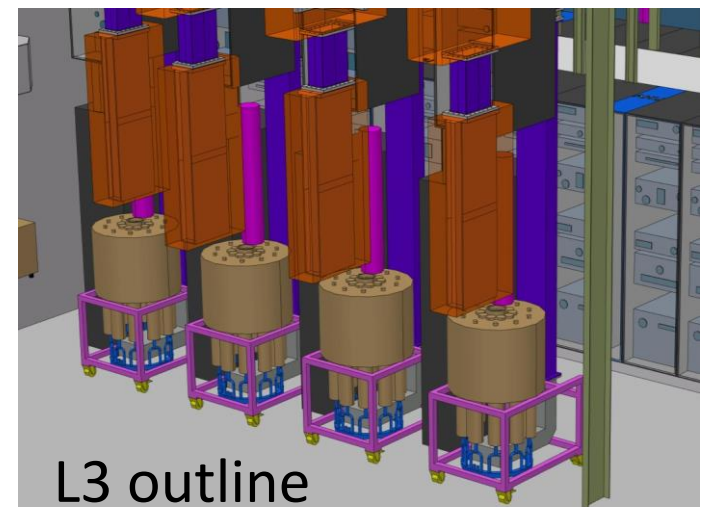
IOTs in Isolation showing RF Chain from tube to cavity



# Side view of groups of 4 IOTs

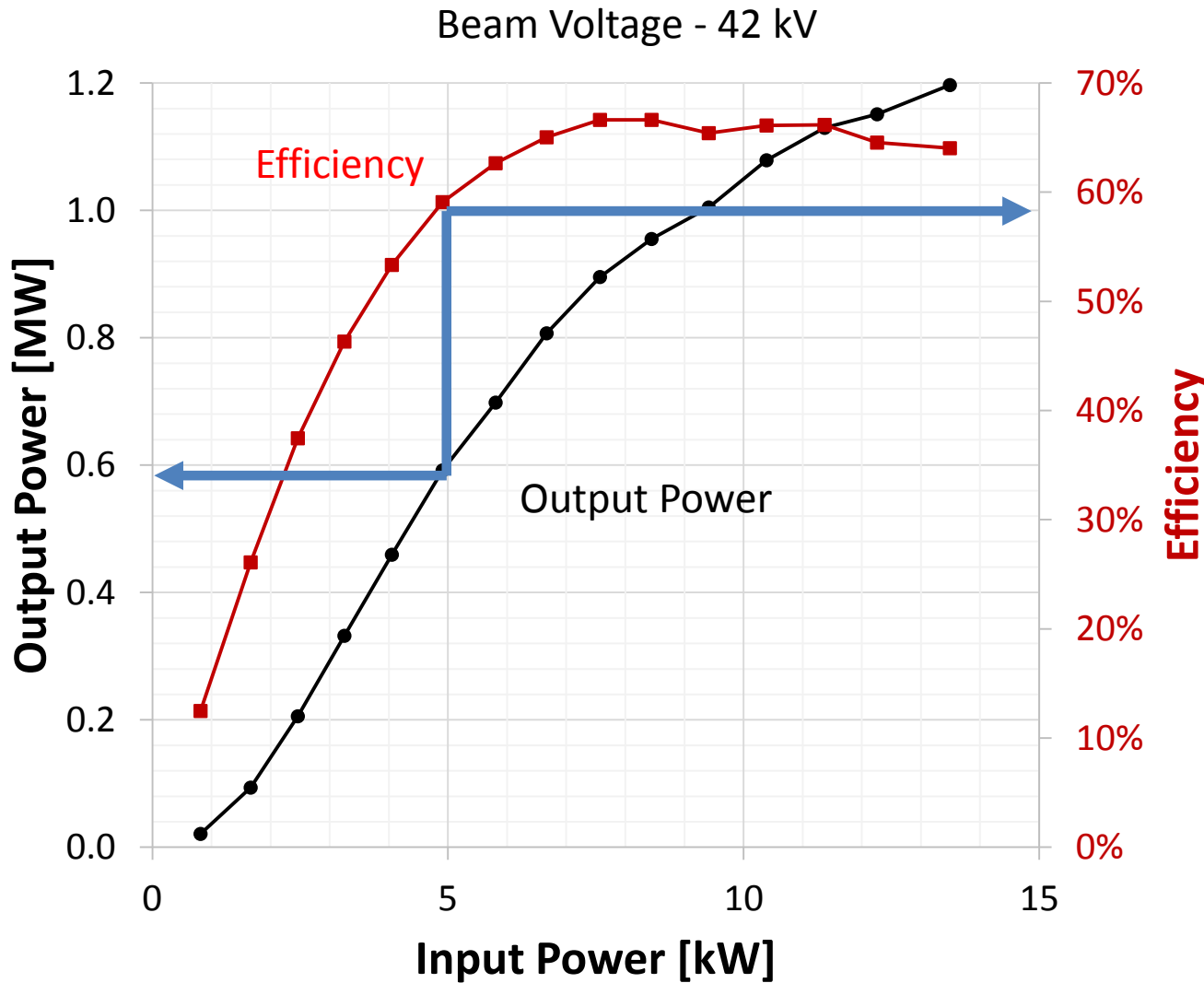


Thales/CPI



L3 outline

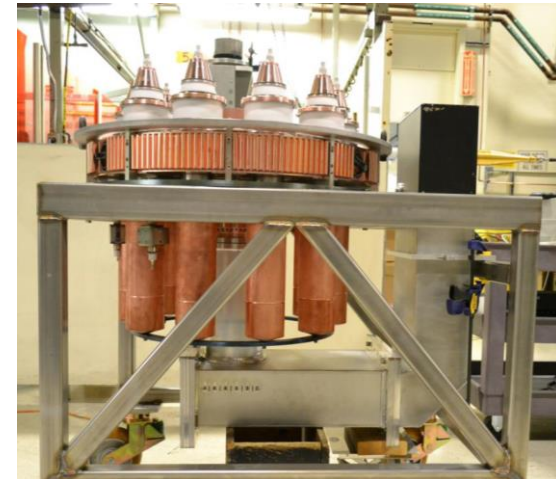
# Preliminary Results



Efficiency > 60% from  
600 kW to 1.2 MW

(HV efficiency only)

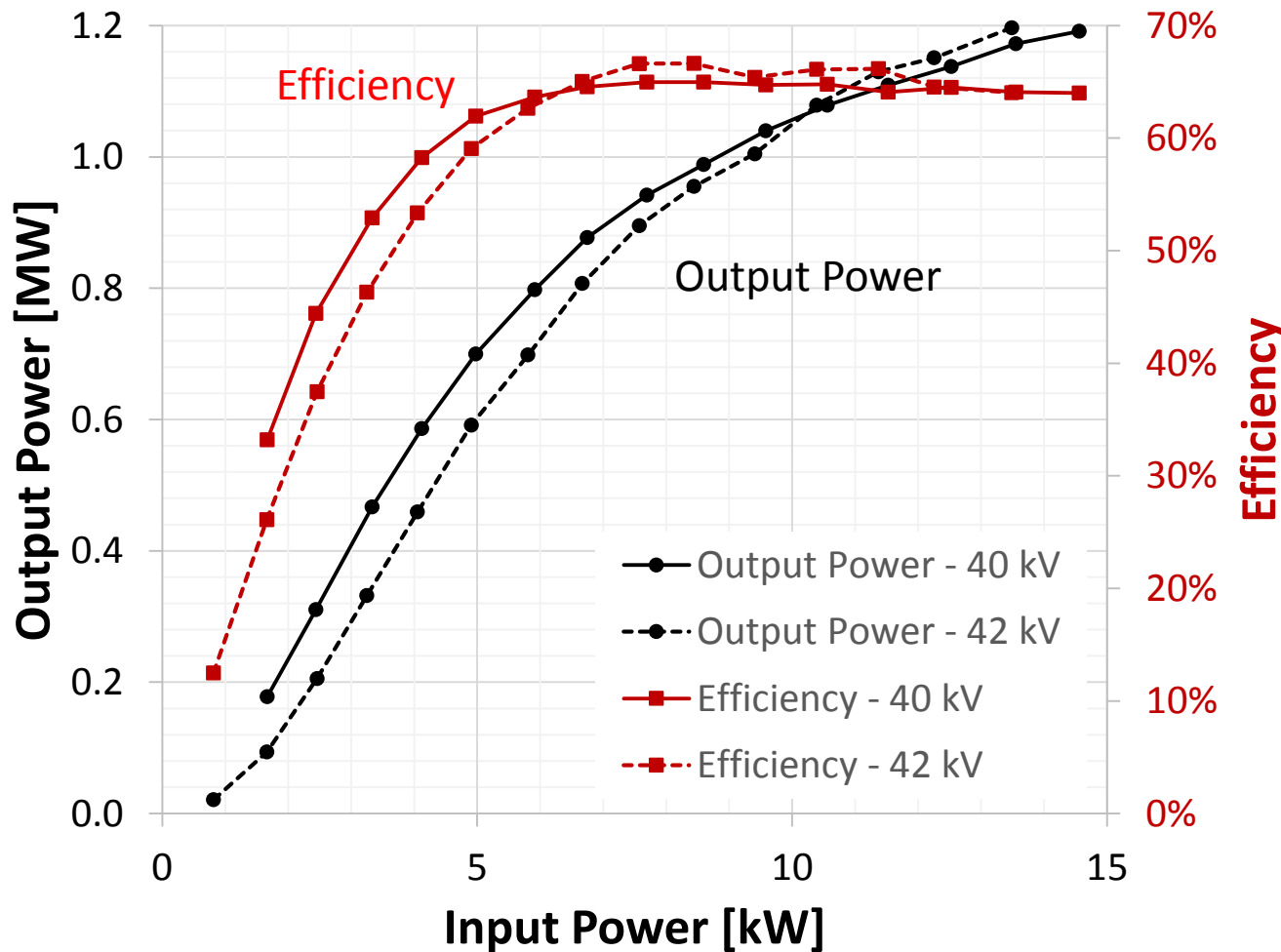
Efficiency



Courtesy of L3



# Preliminary Results



Efficiency and gain improves with higher voltage

Design Voltage 45 kV  
- Currently limited by test stand

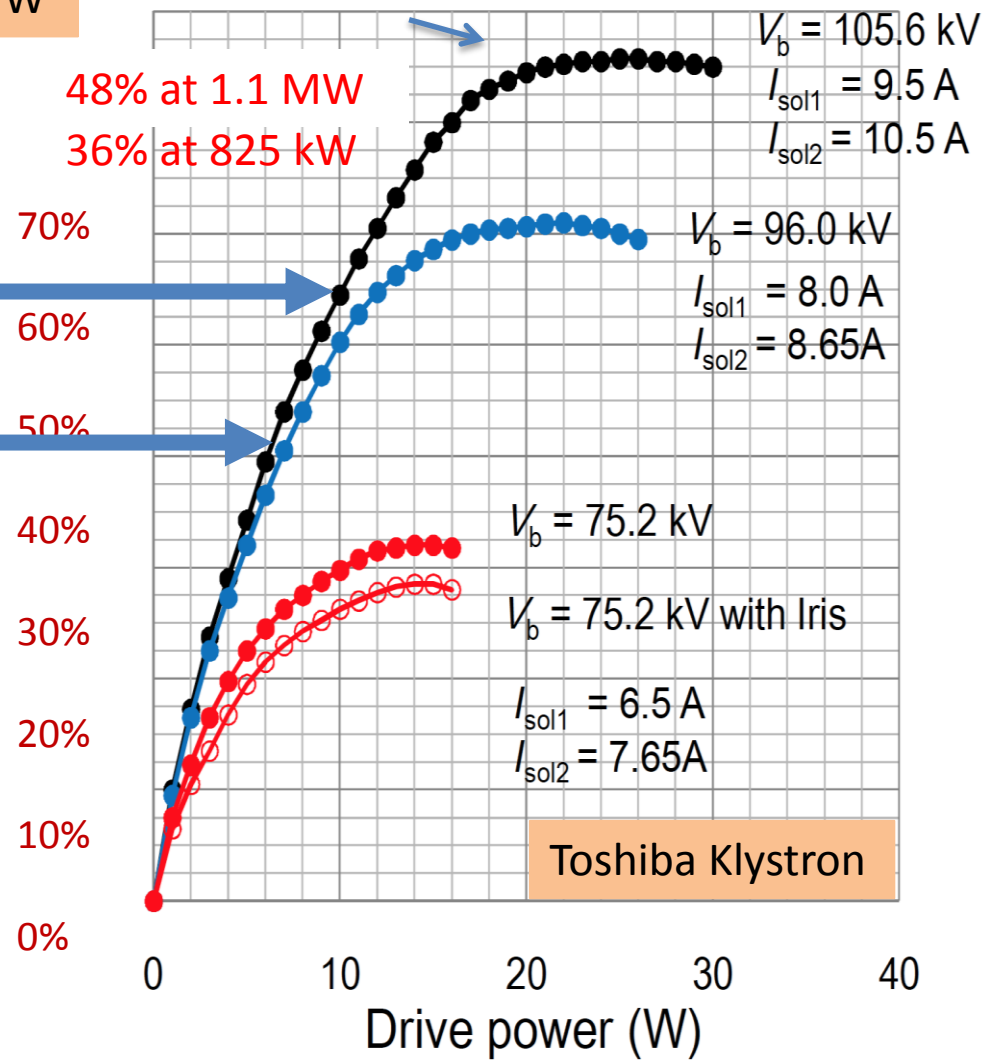
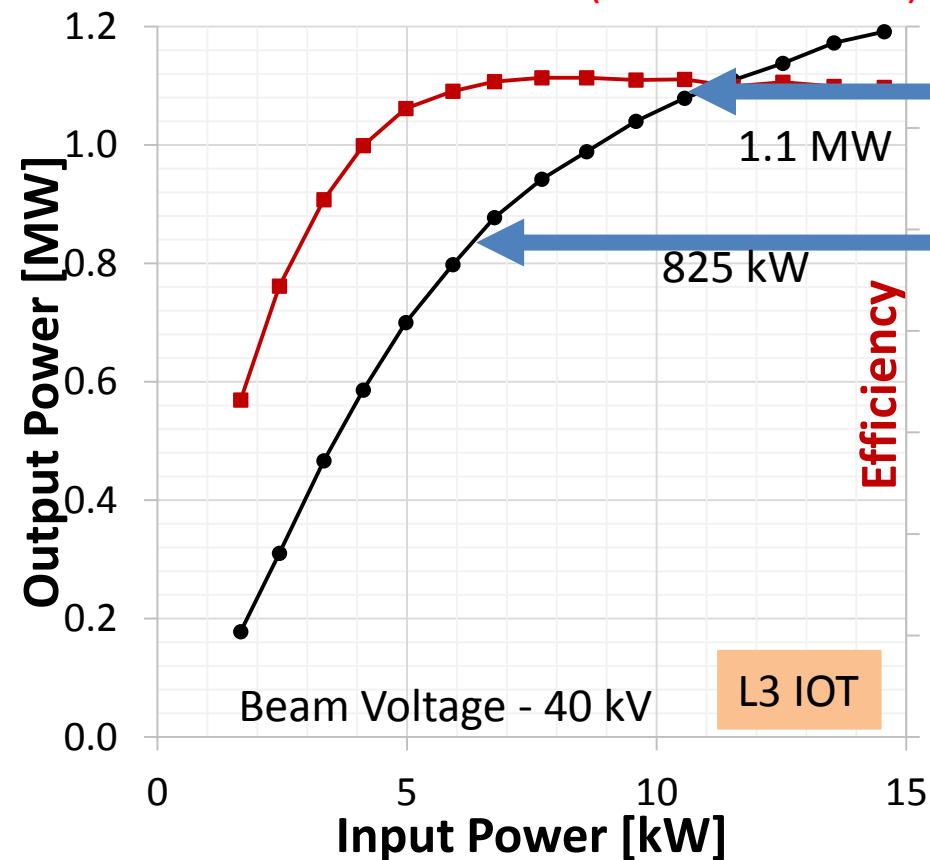
# Comparison to Klystron

Nominal Operating Point for High Beta = 1.1 MW

Efficiency at Saturation = 66%

64 % at 1.1 MW  
64% at 825 kW (75% of nominal)

48% at 1.1 MW  
36% at 825 kW



# Elliptical (704 MHz) RF System Layout

Space available = 130 m<sup>2</sup>  
Installed RF Power 8 x 1.5 MW = 12 MW  
---> 90 kW / m<sup>2</sup>

Solid State solution:  
15 kW/rack = 100 racks excl.  
combiners etc.



Power needs space

Klystrons (IOTs)

Modulator

# Conclusions and Status 1/2

- Staged installation pre/post 2019 allows time for new development for HB Linac
- In kind contributions for HB (84 systems) already committed including:
  - Cryomodules
  - Waveguide, circulators and RF Loads
  - Interlock and control systems
  - Racks, utilities and coolingModulators and Klystrons are included in scope contingency (could delay procurement)
- Site construction well under way
  - Tunnel structure complete
  - RF Gallery progressing well
  - First handover including utilities in February 2017
- 80% beam power comes from the High Beta Linac
- Demanding energy targets demand new development including taking on some risk



# Conclusions and Status 2/2

- Contracts placed for two IOT technology demonstrators (Thales/CPI and L3)
- Both designs complete
- Thales/CPI construction started
  - Tube delivery expected November 2016
  - FAT/SAT expected End of January 2017
- L3 IOT already under test in the factory
  - 1.2 MW achieved
  - Efficiency > 60% from 600 kW to 1.2 MW
- 15 kW solid state driver delivered by Tomco
- Test stand for extended testing and soak testing progressing at CERN
- Discussions of further testing in Lund started
- Pre-series for industrialisation under consideration

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at CERN

# Yesterdays Webcam of Part of the ESS Site



RF Gallery