





# **FREIA Laboratory**

#### **Facility for Research Instrumentation and Accelerator Development**

## at Uppsala University

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## **Uppsala Accelerator History**

#### 1477: Uppsala University, oldest in Scandinavia

- 25'000 students, 7'000 staff
- historical profiles: Linné, Rudbeck, Celsius, Ångström, Svedberg

### 1940's: The (odore) Svedberg builds a cyclotron

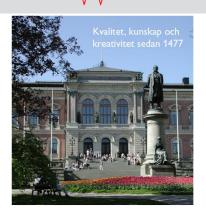
- Gustaf Werner synchro-cyclotron (1947 2016)
  - nuclear physics & oncology
- CELSIUS ring (1984 2005)
  - nuclear & particle physics

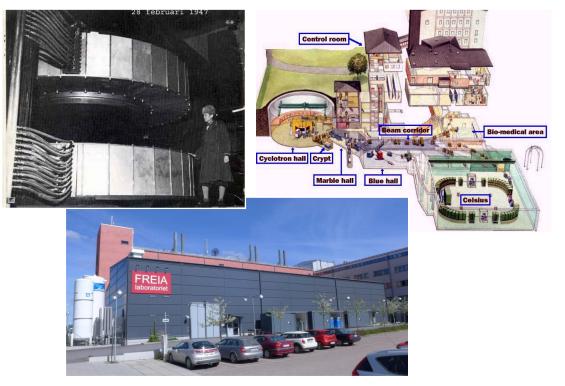
#### 2000's: External projects

- CTF3/CLIC (since 2005)
- FLASH/XFEL (since 2006)
- ESS (since 2009)

#### 2010's: New ventures

- FREIA laboratory (est. 2011)
- Skandion clinic (est. 2015)



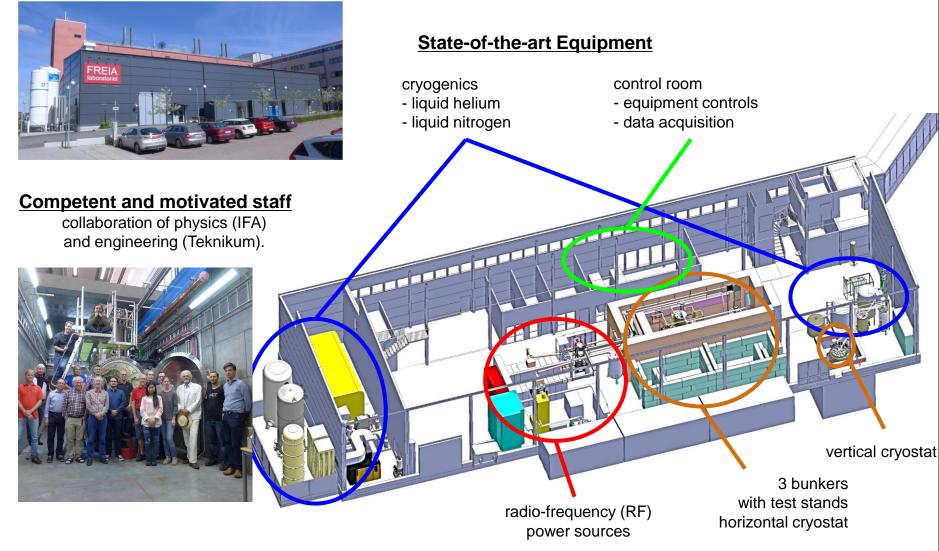




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#### Instrumentation and Accelerator Physics and Development

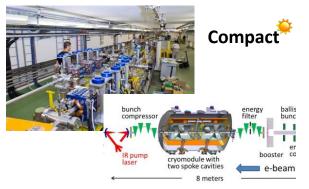




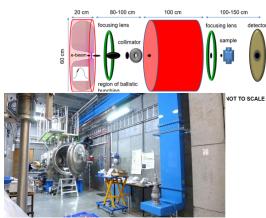
## Accelerators & Instrumentation



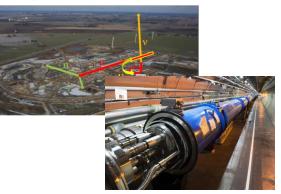
#### **Ultra Bright Electron Beams**



#### **Advanced Instrumentation**



#### **High Intensity Proton Beams**



#### **SC Cavities & Magnets**



#### Cryogenics



#### **RF Generation & Control**











#### Helium liquefaction

- 150 l/h at 4.5K (LN2 pre-cooling)
- -2000 I LHe dewar/buffer, 3+1 outlets
- cryostats connected in closed loop

#### Gas recovery

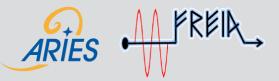
- 100 m<sup>3</sup> gasbag
- 3x 25 m<sup>3</sup>/h compressor
- 10 m<sup>3</sup> 200 bar storage

### • 2K Pumping

- -~3.2 g/s at 10 mbar
- –~4.3 g/s at 15 mbar
- -110(90)W at 2.0(1.8)K
- Liquid nitrogen
  - 20 m<sup>3</sup> LN2 tank







HNOSS = Horizontal Nugget for Operation of Superconducting Systems

- Test of superconducting cavities/devices
  - 3240 x ø1200mm inner volume
  - up to two cavities simultaneously,
  - each equipped with helium tank,
- Low or High power RF testing
  - fundamental power coupler (top, bottom, side)
  - (cold) tuning system
- Operation in the range 1.8 to 4.5K.





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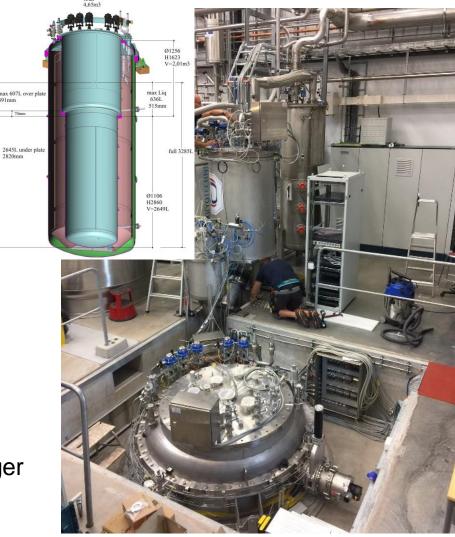
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#### Under commissioning

- Test of SC cavities & magnets
  - 3.2m x ø1.1m total volume
  - 2.65m x ø1.1m below lambda plate
    - · design includes joint for lambda plate
- Operation in the range 1.8 to 4.5K
- Three operation modes
  - vacuum
  - liquid bath
  - pressurized bath with 2K heat exchanger





## **Test Activities**



- Hélène single spoke cavity (IPNO)
  - antenna, low power
  - self-excited loop (SEL)
  - RF calibration procedures



- Germaine double spoke (IPNO)
  - antenna and cold tuner, low power
  - cryogenics: cooling, heat load
  - LLRF, SEL
  - Q<sub>0</sub>, gradient, microphonics
- Romea cavity package (IPNO)
  - power coupler and tuner, nominal gradient
  - Q<sub>0</sub> and gradient, microphonics, fill time, Lorentz force detuning
  - tuner operation



- RF Station 352 MHz (2x)
  - acceptance and functional test
    - including RF distribution components
  - soak test
  - pulsed and CW operation on cavity
- RF Station 704 MHz
  - acceptance & operation of modulator



– FPC conditioning ok

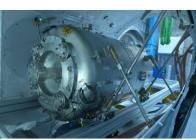
ESS Cryomodules

– 13 series during
 2019 - 2020

arrived August 2018

under test

- prototype,



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## High Power RF Amplifiers





### 352 MHz Tetrodes

- 2x 400 kW, 3.5 ms, 14-28 Hz
  - combined output 2 tetrodes TH595

### • 50 kW CW

- on loan from CERN
- -tetrode TH571b
- 352 or 400 MHz output cavity

### 704 MHz Klystron

- 1.1 MW, 3 ms, 14 Hz
  - on loan from ESS
  - Ampegon/PPT modulator
  - Toshiba klystron





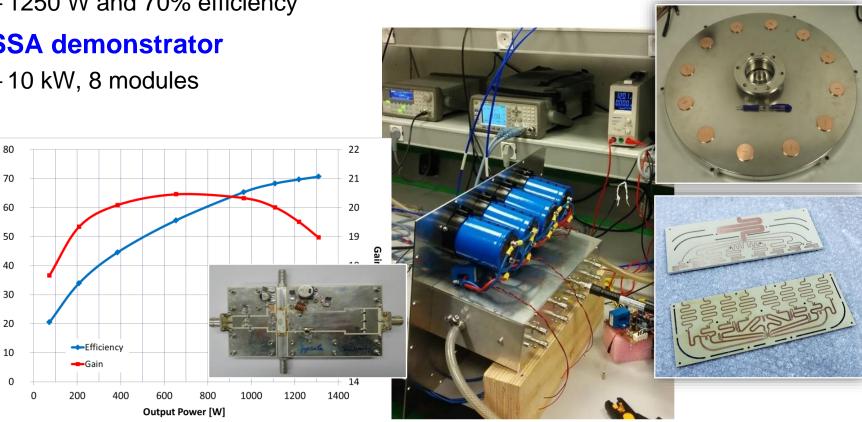


#### SSA development

- single ended RF power amplifier
- -based on BLF188XR
- 1250 W and 70% efficiency
- SSA demonstrator
  - 10 kW, 8 modules

#### Compact Combiners

- compact cavity combiner 100 kW
- planar Gysel combiner 10 kW



Efficiency [%]





#### Slow Controls & Safety Interlock

- connecting different sub-systems:
   cryogenics, cryostats, powering, ...
- Siemens PLC, Nat.Instr. cRIO
- EPICS interface with data archiver

#### • LLRF

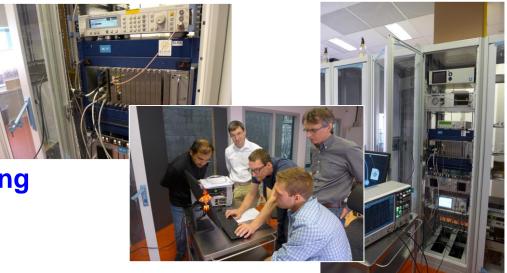
- Self excited loop 352/704 MHz
  - pulsed or CW operation
- -Nat. Instr. PXI and LabVIEW
  - digital phase control for SEL
  - extended RF measurements
- Lund Univ/ESS µTCA system
  - timing, external signal generators

### Fast Magnet Quench Monitoring

- -Nat.Instr. PXI and LabVIEW
  - based on CERN developments

#### Software

- EPICS and archiver
- -LabVIEW code
  - klystron auto conditioning
  - power coupler auto conditioning
    pulse length, power level, repetition rates
- **EPICS** SEL control and data acquisition
  - cavity frequency shift tracing
  - dynamic Lorentz force detuning



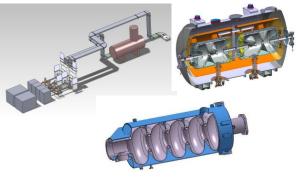


### **Research Projects**

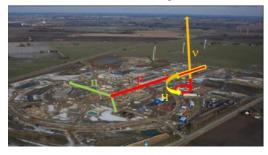


#### **High Brilliance Proton Beams**

#### **ESS Superconducting Linac**



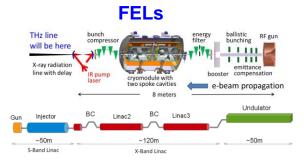
#### **ESS Neutrino Super Beam**



#### **HiLumi LHC**



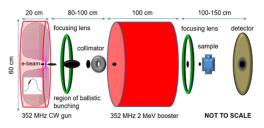
#### **High Brilliance Electron Beams**



FEL = Free Electron Laser



#### **Ultrafast Electron Diffraction**





### Summary



Uppsala University & FREIA Laboratory actively developing accelerator and instrumentation technology

#### Development, verification, and testing

- cavity (package)
- high power RF
- RF solid-state and power combiners
- LLRF
- Controls

#### Research

- high brilliance beams
- superconducting RF
- vacuum/RF breakdown

### **Academic Teaching**

