

- Thicker stainless steel collar
- Less stainless steel exposed to rf fields

Power loss estimation for the Helicoflex connection of stem and tank, where the joint sits on non-copper plated steel surfaces

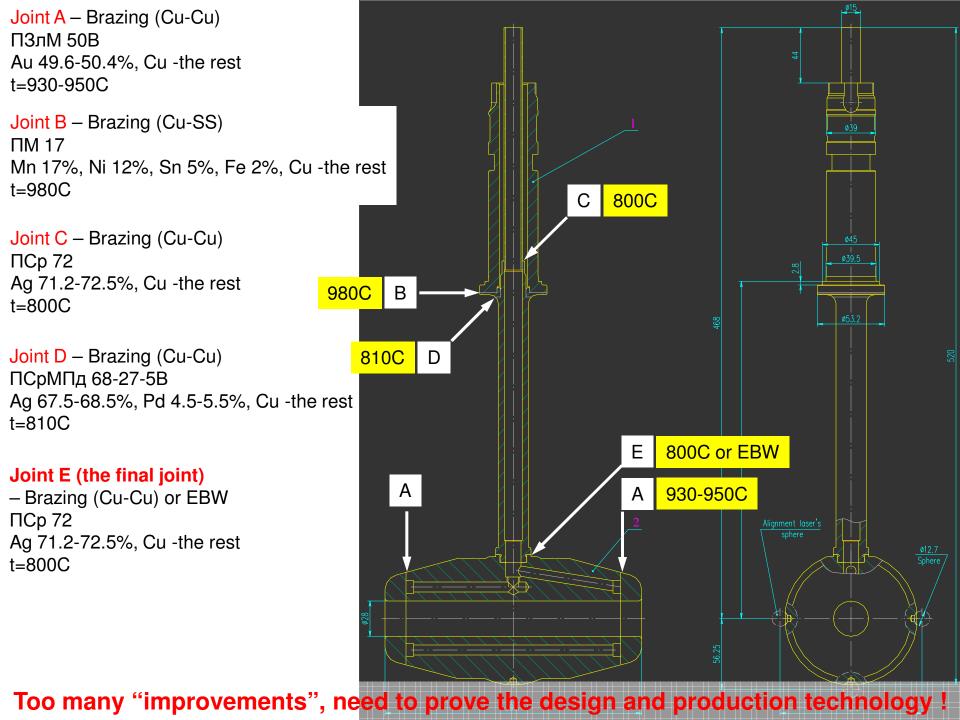
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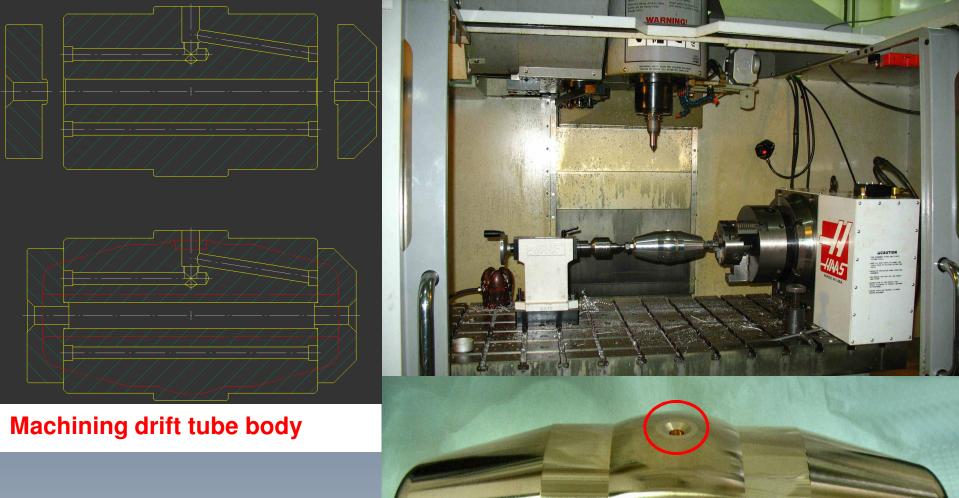


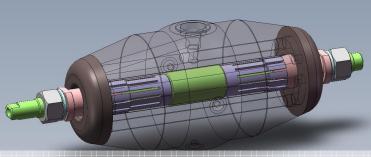
Losses over the region of interest (% of total losses in the tank)

	Cu	Stainless steel
Tank 1	0.317%	2.03%
Tank 21	0.195%	1.26%

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DT is fixed on the shaft with finger spring collet Same assembly is used for turning and milling Stem and drift tube body connection Option 1 - EBW



EBW machine at **BINP**

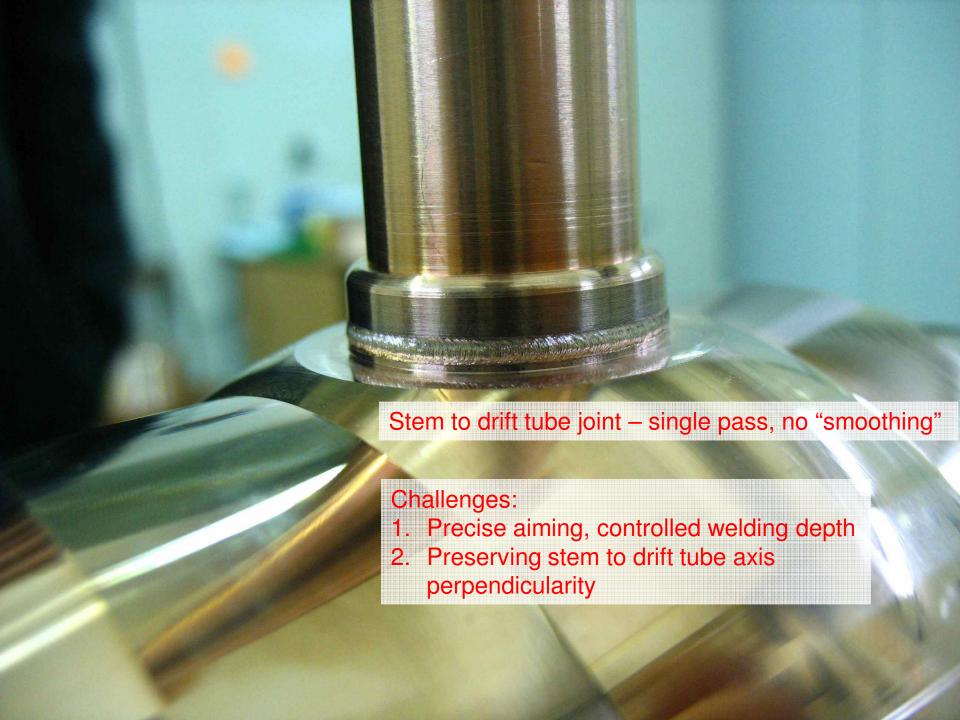
Chamber: 1.2 x 1.2 x 2m

Vacuum: 10⁻³Pa

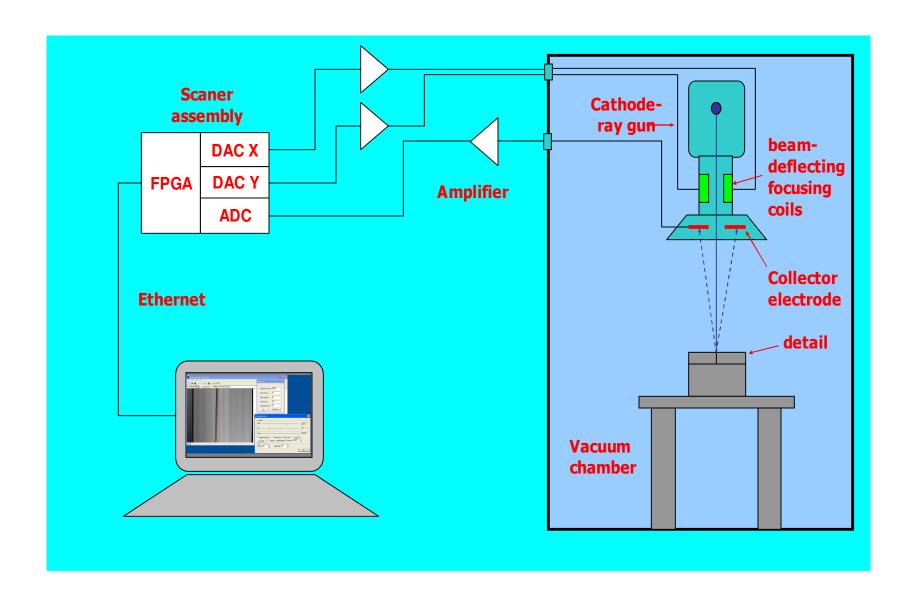
Gun: 60kV DC, 150mA max

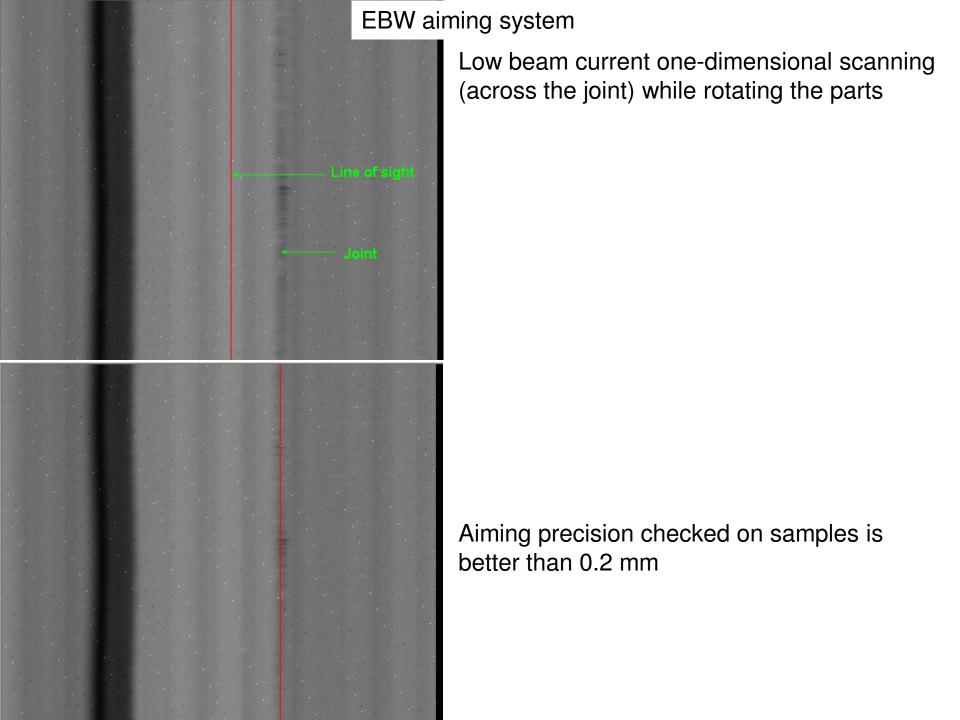


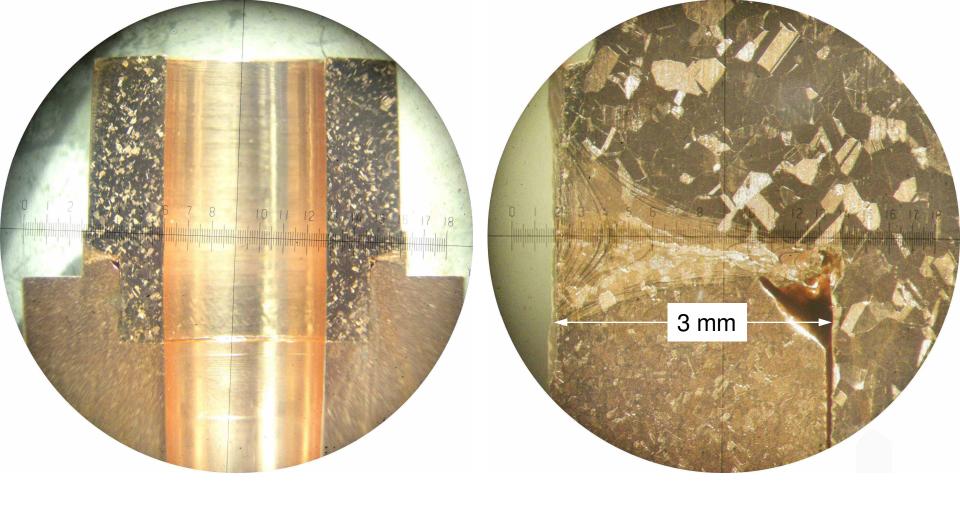
Drift tube at the EBW Gun Rotating table



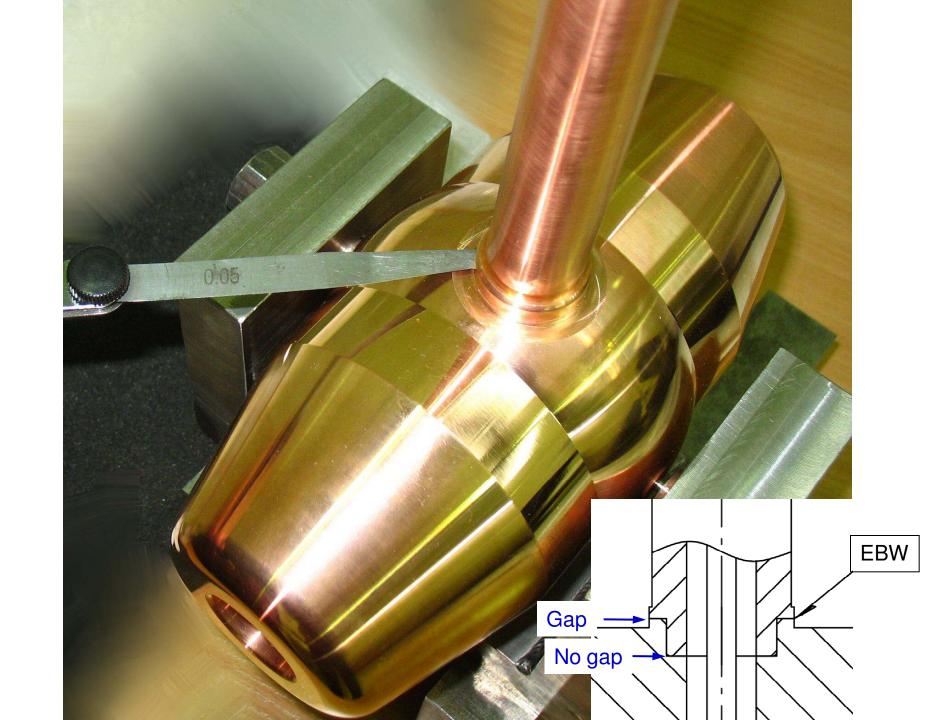
EBW aiming system







Stem to drift tube joint witness sample (same welding regimes)

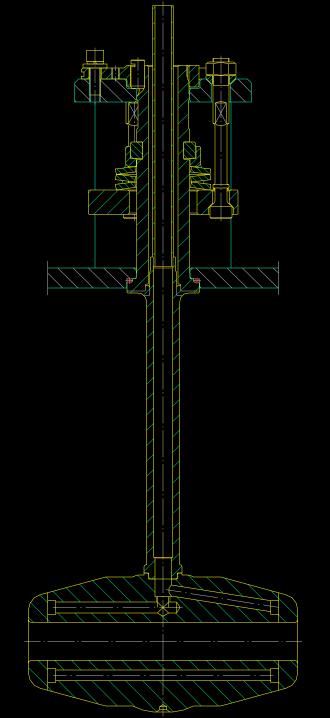




Inclination due to EBW is 4'









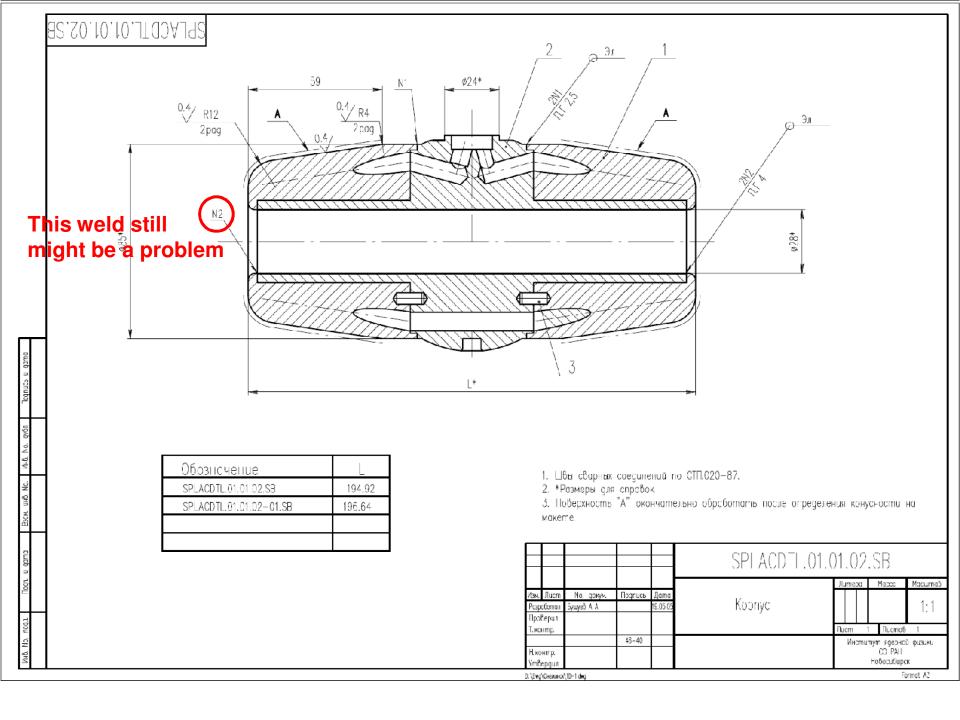
DT test assembly





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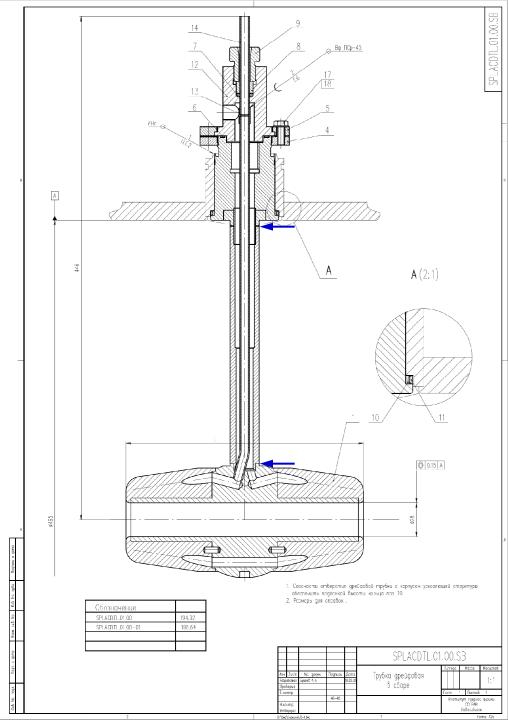


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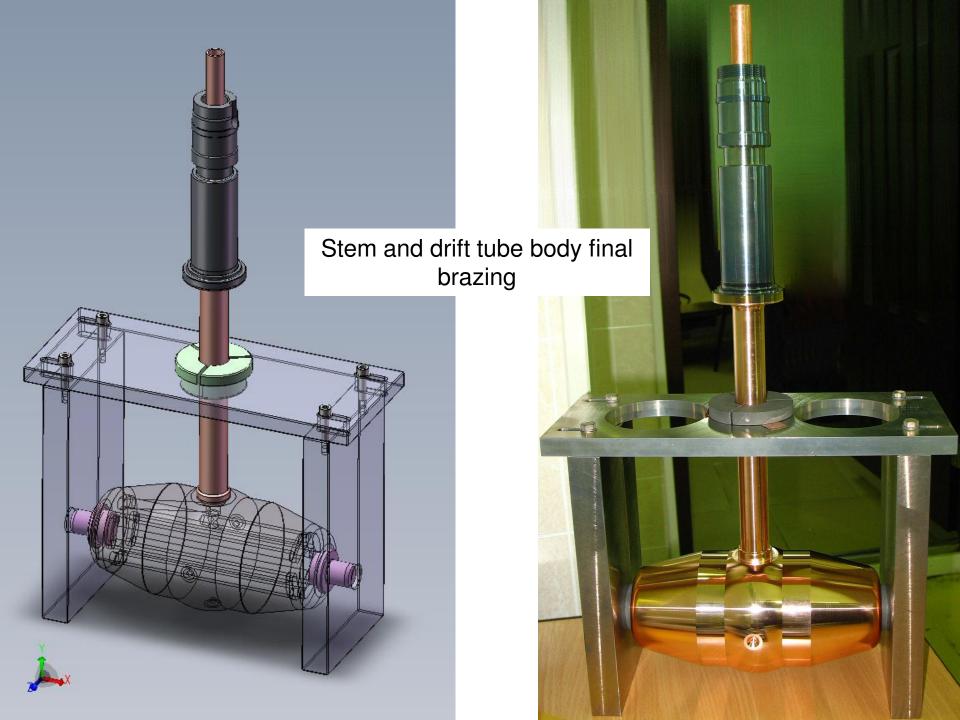
Conclusions

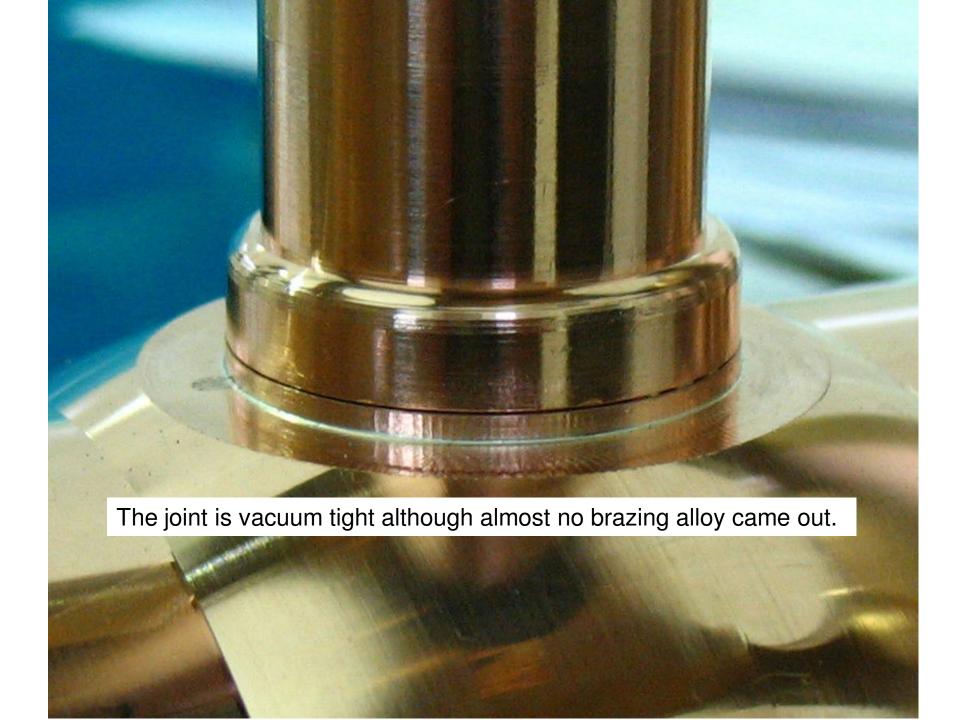
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We are quite confident about EB-welding of the stem to DT joint.

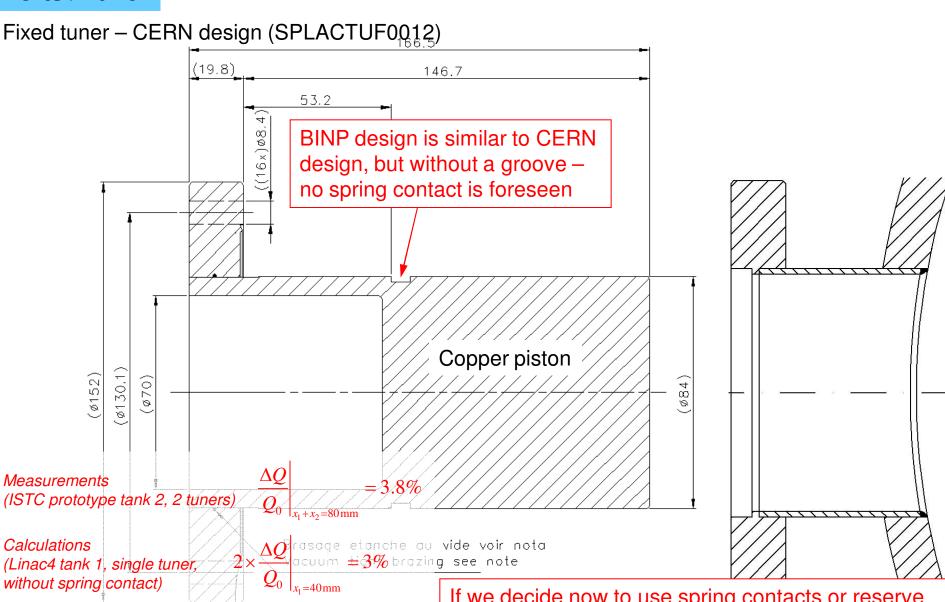
Stem and drift tube body connection Option 2 - Brazing







Ports / Tuner



Calculations (Linac4 tank 1, single tuner, with spring contact)

=1.5%

If we decide now to use spring contacts or reserve the possibility to take the decision later on, we need to specify precisely the groove dimensions and the port inner diameter.