# Double Height Waveguide Flange

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# Double Height WR90 Flange

- A design and drawing was already put together Kamil
  - The drawing is still in-work
- Essentially identical to the previous WR90 rectangular flange
- Doubling the width slightly changes the bolt spacing
  - Might effect the sealing pressure



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  - Double Height WR90 [8 bolts holes]: 444.89 N/mm
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8 Bolt Double Height: Gasket sealing pressure less than the current WR90 flange, but comparable to a standard round CF50 flange

### Double Height WR90 Flange

- The design/drawing Kamil produced seems very close to being ready to manufacture
- Keeping 8 Bolt holes means this assembly hole can also kept in the same place
- Possibility to slightly adjust the spacing of these holes to even out the gasket pressure



# Vacuum Testing Possibility

- The design means the gasket should be relatively easy to vacuum test
- This would not test the flange-waveguide connection



### Choke Mode Flange

• Alternative round choke-mode flange with a standard gasket and external taper for chain clamps



#### Choke Mode Flange



Choke Mode RF Geometry Feedback from Igor: "you may do something like this (red square) as well, that will also make design simpler (but gasket thickness shall be fixed)"



2<sup>nd</sup> Mechanical Design

1<sup>st</sup> Mechanical Design

# Vacuum Testing Possibility

- The choke-mode rf geometry is no final, it is designed for a 22mm square waveguide
- Possibility to manufacture a blank which does not include the choke-mode geometry to test the gasket/vacuum connection
  - Again this would not test the flange-waveguide connection





