



High pressure gas safety and cavity performance in MEXT-ATD/ITN

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Outline



- Target of SRF cavity development
- Status of High Pressure Gas Safety application
- Surface treatment and expected performance of SRF cavity
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Target for SRF cavity development



- **Cavity fabrication ⇒ Saeki-san's presentation (July/9)**
 - Fabricate FG and MG TESLA-type 9-cell cavities
- **Apply High Pressure Gas Safety (HPGS) act in Japan**
 - First application to Refrigeration safety regulation
 - Application for Japanese domestic and over-sea cavities
- **Apply optimum surface treatment**
 - 900C heat treatment
 - 2-step baking
- **Confirm the performance of the cavity**
 - VT: $E_{acc} > 35 \text{ MV/m}$, $Q_0 > 1e10$ (@35MV/m or $E_{acc}(\max)$)
 - ✓ Eacc acceptance: $35 \text{ MV/m} \pm 20\%$ (7 MV/m)
 - CM: $E_{acc} > 31.5 \text{ MV/m}$, $Q_0 > 1e10$ (@31.5MV/m or $E_{acc}(\max)$)
 - More than 90% acceptance ratio is required.

5-years plan for SRF cavities



Production Schedule of Cavity and Ancillaries for 5-year Plan (FY starts from April in Japan)

		JFY2023				JFY2024				JFY2025				JFY2026				JFY2027			
		CY2023		CY2024		CY2025		CY2026		CY2027		CY2028									
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Fabrication	1-cell FG				1	3															
	1-cell MG					2															
	9-cell FG	1 (prototype)		2		1															
	9-cell MG			1 + 1 (training?)		1															
	9-cell MG (oversea)			press test		2															
VT	VT for recipe establishment																				
	VT for success yield																				
He tank	Helium tank welding							training													
CM	Cavity string assembly																				
	CM production																				
	CM assembly																				
	CM test ① w/ low power																				
	CM test ② w/ high power																				

prototype: following HPGS

training: not following HPGS

※ EU/US/Asia have plan to fabricate HPGS regulated SRF cavities.

Japanese domestic cavity

FY2023~FY2025 : Cavity fabrication

FY2024~2026 spring : Surface treatment

2026 summer~2026 end : He jacket welding

Over-sea cavity

FY2025 : Cavity fabrication

~2026 spring : Surface treatment

2026 summer~2026 end : He jacket welding

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Present status of HPGS application for SRF cavities



- Preparing documents for KHK (The High Pressure Gas Institute of Japan) for FG cavity with He jacket.
- Completed mechanical test for all materials (Nb, NbTi, Ti and welding sample)
- Stress analysis of the SRF cavity with He tank was completed.
- Document will be submitted to KHK at July.

We are now preparing document for

- First cavity which will be fabricated at KEK-CFF
- FG cavity
- 900C heat treatment
- ILC cavity (TESLA shape + short & short beam tubes) design
- Apply for refrigerator safety regulation

Our strategy on HPGS application to KHK



- We prepare following 3 applications separately to KHK
 - Cavity & He jacket
 - Chimney (Ti/SUS clad material) ⇒ clad material might have another difficulty
 - 2-phase pipe (SUS)
- Now we mostly concentrate on the application of “cavity + He jacket”.

Later, we will combine these 3 components. And also joint the pipes for CM/cryogenic connection.

⊠ We already had several meetings with KHK and Ibaraki prefectures.

Connection end tube
(Low RRR Nb: $40 < RRR < 150$)

Ti ring

Ti bellows

Beamtube

Red : Cavity(Nb)

Yellow : Beamtube (Nb), out of HPGR

Blue : Conical disk (NbTi)

Green : Flange (NbTi), out of HPGR

Light blue : He jacket (Ti)

Purple : Pipe (SUS316L)

**Inside Red box: Cavity + He jacket
(Nb & Ti & NbTi)**

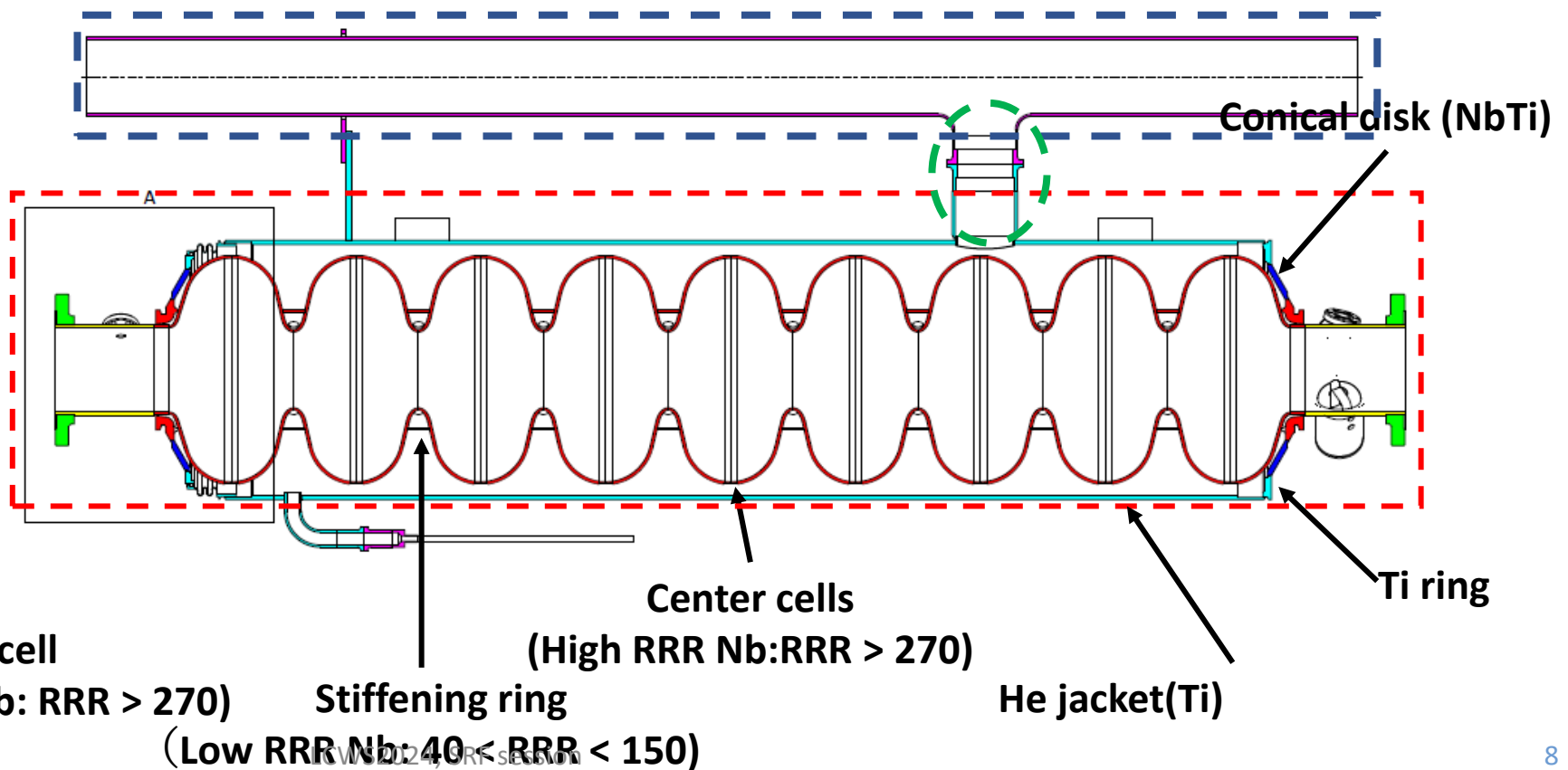
**Inside Green circle: Chimney
(SUS/Ti clad material)**

**Inside Purple box: 2-phase pipe
(SUS316L)**

Flange

End cell

(High RRR Nb: $RRR > 270$)



Conical disk (NbTi)

Center cells

(High RRR Nb: $RRR > 270$)

Stiffening ring

(Low RRR Nb: $40 < RRR < 150$)

He jacket(Ti)

Ti ring

Conical disk(NbTi)

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List of mechanical test (Tensile & Charpy impact test)



○ : test was done △ : sample is under preparation

	RT	80K	4.2K
High RRR Nb (RRR > 270)	○	○	○
Low RRR Nb (40 < RRR < 150)	○	○	○
NbTi (Nb45%, Ti55%)	○	○	○
Ti type-2 (Japanese standard)	○	○	○
H-RRR Nb & H-RRR Nb EBW	○	○	○
H-RRR Nb & L-RRR Nb EBW	○	○	○
L-RRR Nb & NbTi EBW	○	○	○
NbTi & Ti type-2 EBW	○	○	○
Ti type-2 & Ti type-2 TIG	○	○	○

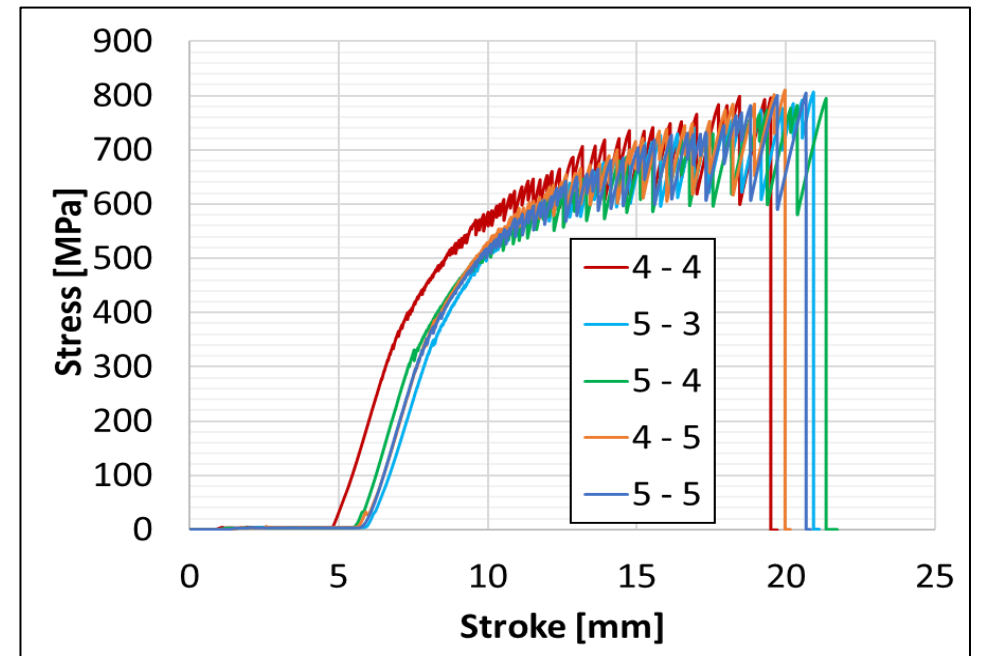
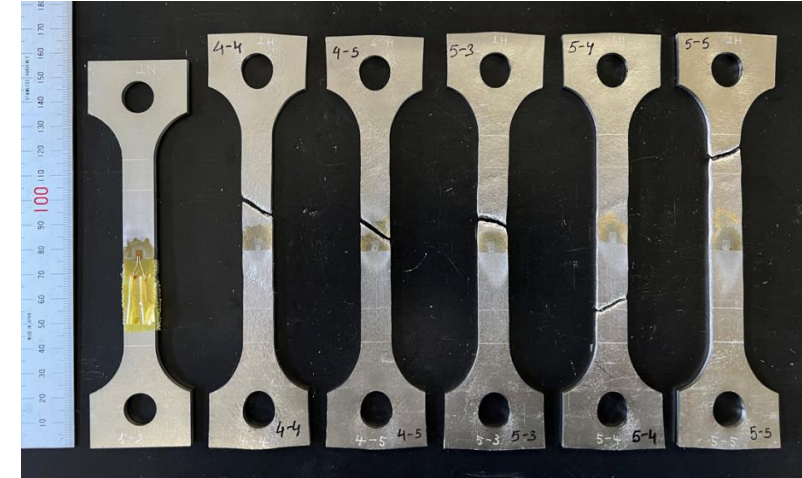
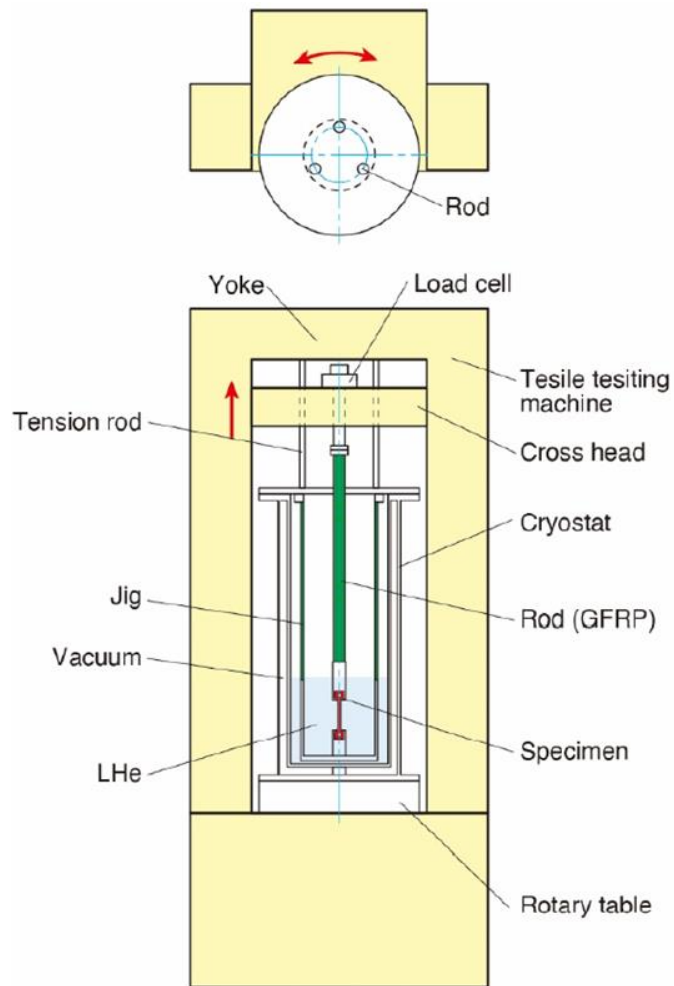
KEK-CFF group working very hard for sample preparation and mechanical test.

⇒ Allowable stress is estimated from the mechanical test results.

All test samples were **heat treated at 900 C.**

Tensile test performed at KEK

Mechanical test setup under Liquid Helium



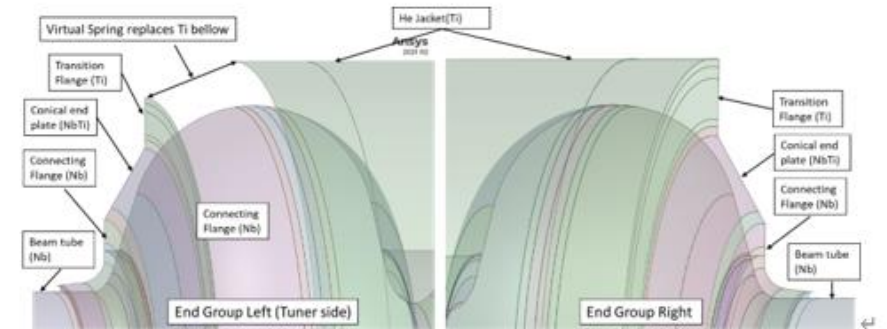
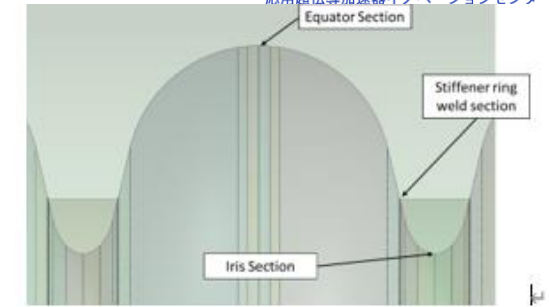
Stress analysis by ANSYS

- Stress simulation was carried out by using ANSYS.
- Simulation was done for the following 3 cases.

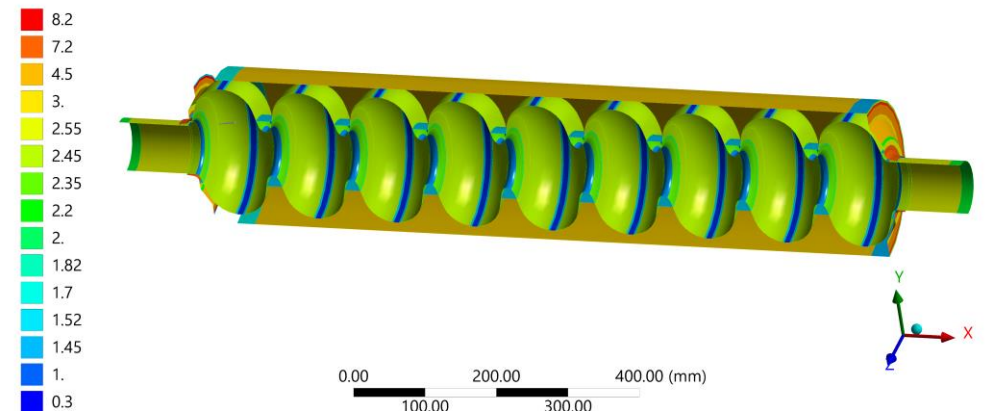
	Pressure [MPa]			Temperature (degree)	Tuner external load or allowable extension
	Inside Cavity	Between cavity and jacket	Outside jacket		
CASE-A	0	0.2	0	40	0.65 mm
CASE-B	0	0.2	0	40 to -271.4	0.65 mm
CASE-C	0	0.2	0	-271.4	-3.0 mm

Original TESLA cavity design is enough strong to satisfy the allowable maximum stress estimated from the tensile test results.

❌ No need to change TESLA cavity design.



Geometry



Expected list of inspections / documents / etc.



- Mill sheets of materials
- Thickness measurements for important parts
- Welding record
- Half cut model to confirm details of thickness after welding
- Mechanical test of welding samples during fabrication process
 - Tensile test
 - Bending test
- Record of heat treatment
- Pressure test
 - Cavity: 1.5 times pressure test by water (0.3 MPa)
 - Jacket: 1.5 times pressure test by water (0.3 MPa)
 - Dressed cavity: 1.25 times pressure test by gas (0.25 MPa) & Dye penetration test for welding joints
- Leak test

Basically, same procedure is applied to Japanese domestic and over-sea fabricated cavities.

Regulation for the mechanical test could be the item to be applied to KHK.

「1.5 times pressure test by gas for dressed cavity」 will be the item to be negotiated with KHK.

Schedule related to HPGS



	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026
Prepare HPGR document (FG, Japanese)	██████████	██████████		
1st cavity fabrication at KEK		██████████		
Prepare HPGR document (Chimney, 2-phase pipe)		██████████	██████████	
Prepare HPGR document (MG, Japanese)		██████████	██████████	
FG & MG cavity fabrication in Japan He jacket welding		██████████	██████████	██████████
Prepare HPGR document (FG&MG, Europe, US)		██████████	██████████	
Cavity fabrication at Europe, US He jacket welding			██████████	██████████

String assembly From 2027 Jan. ~

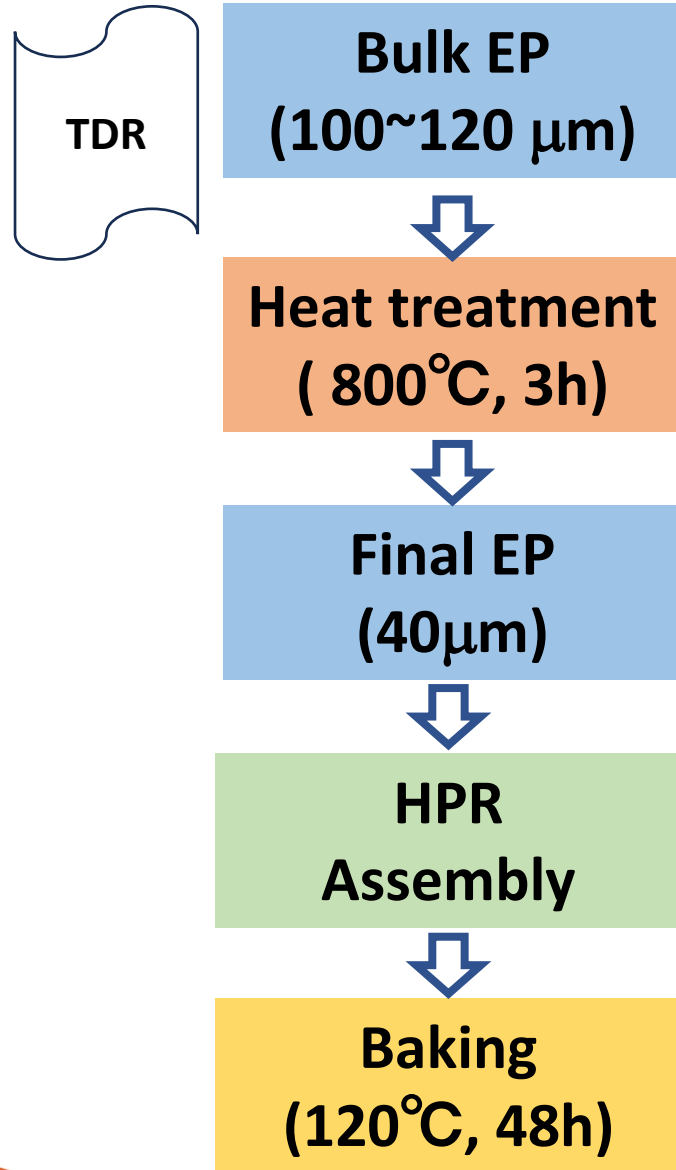
- Prepare HPGS document for FG cavity with He jacket.
- HPGS document for the FG cavity with He jacket is almost ready to be reviewed by KHK committee.
- Collect information and preparation for other documents.
 - ⇒ Next step: 2-phase pipe(SUS) and MG cavity
 - ⇒ Then, over-sea cavity and Chimney(Ti/SUS clad)

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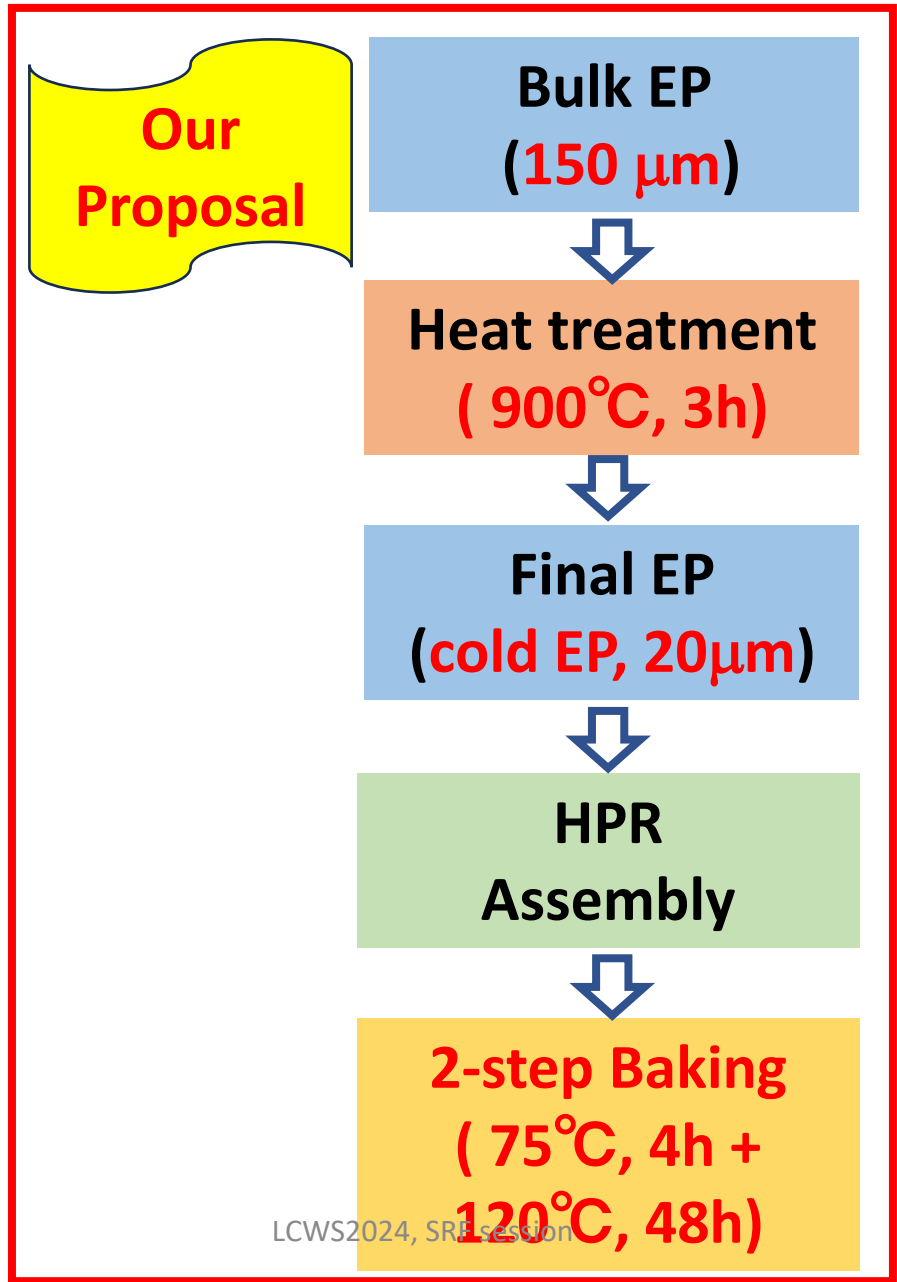
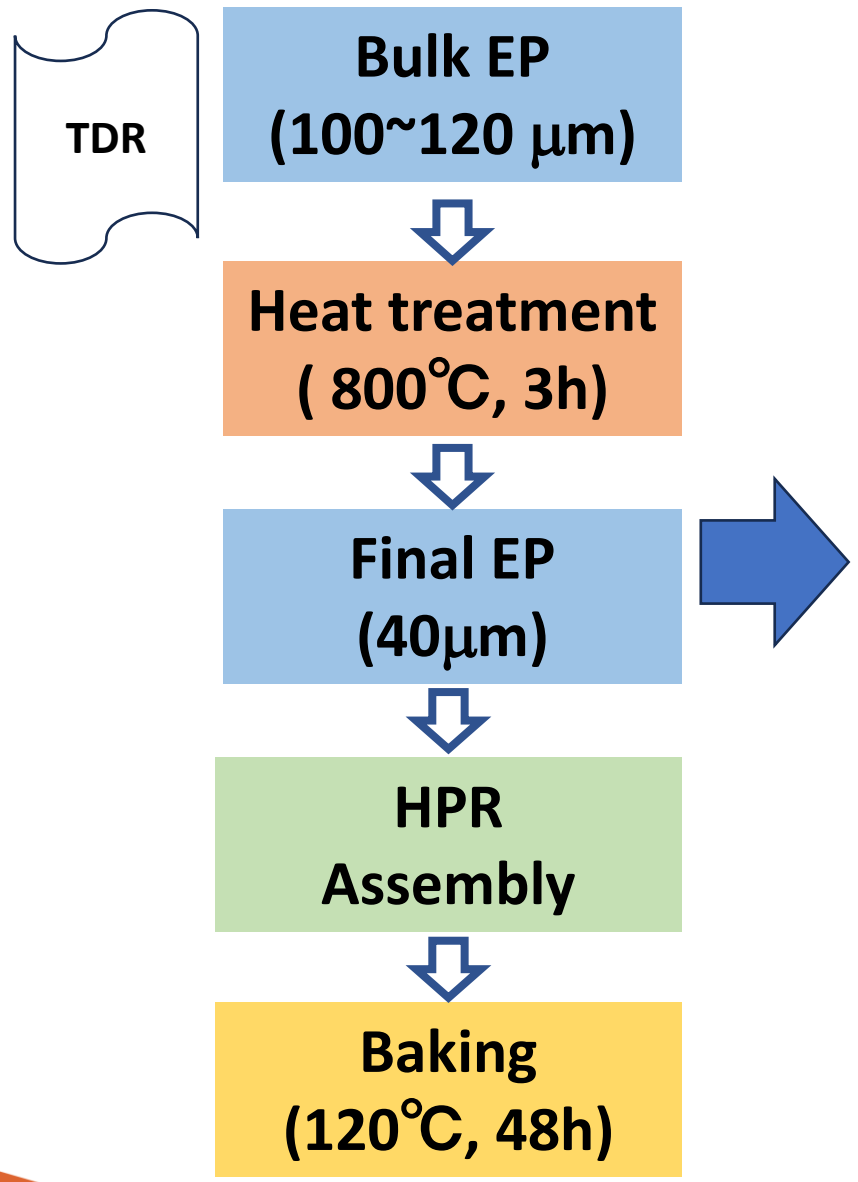


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Proposal of surface treatment for SRF cavities



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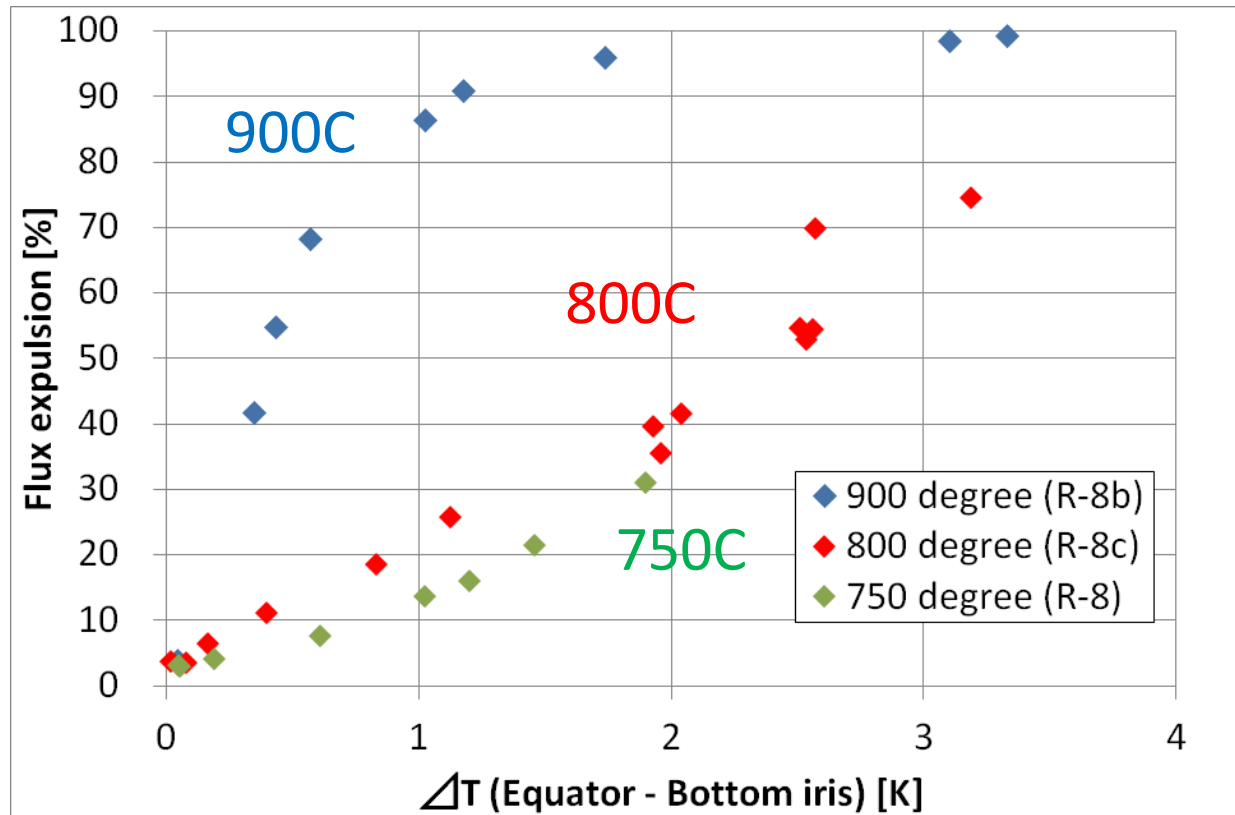


- Apply **2-step baking** to try higher gradient and higher Qo.
- **900C heat treatment** for better flux expulsion and better residual resistance.
- Chose **optimum EP removal** thickness to obtain better yield.
- **Cold EP** combined with 2-step baking may help to improve cavity performance.
- Do not apply outside CP at KEK.

Flux expulsion



Typical flux expulsion results taken at KEK for single-cell cavities

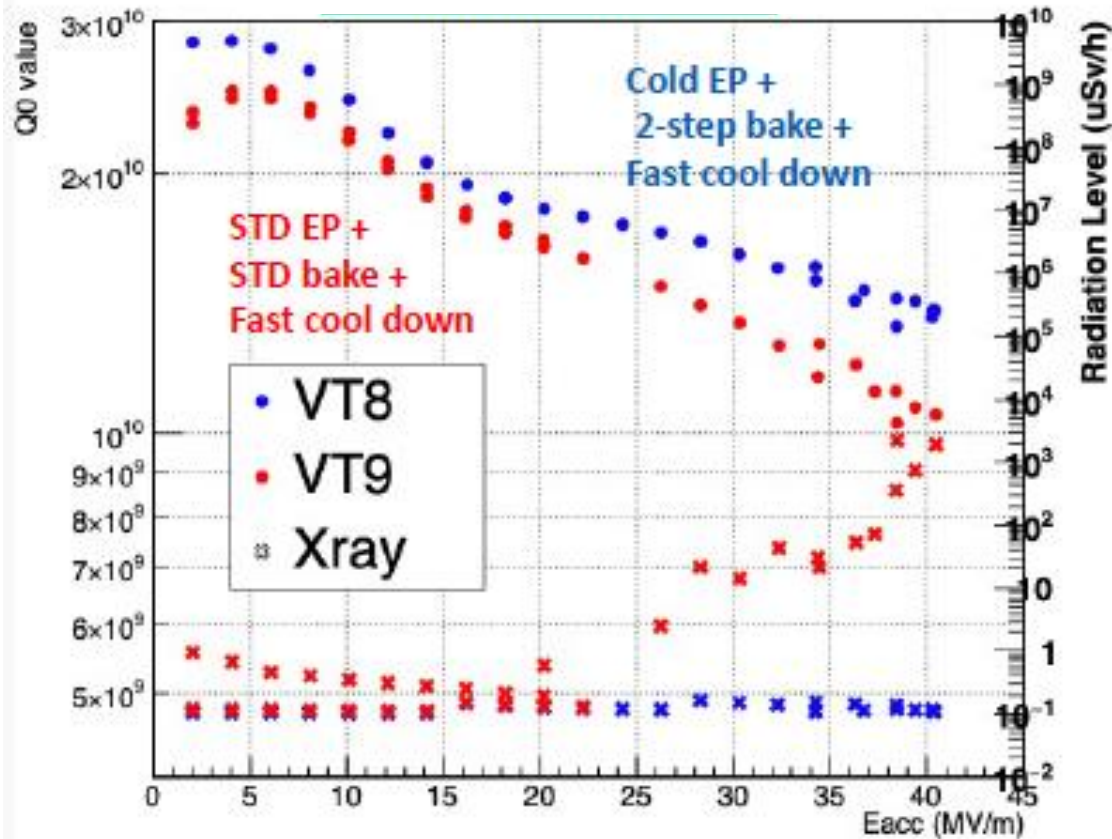


- 900C heat treatment can drastically improve the flux expulsion.
- It is noted that this phenomena depends on material (vendor).

2-step baking results and sensitivity

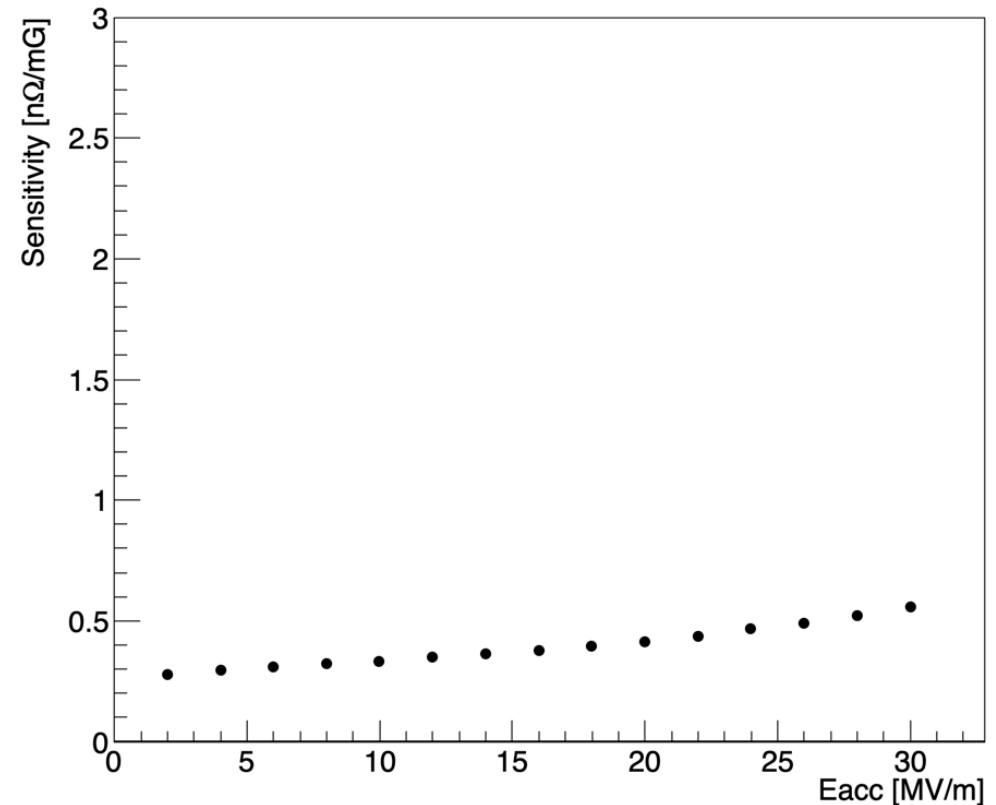


Typical VT results for 9-cell cavity



- Could reach Eacc > 40 MV/m for 9-cell.
- Q-value tends to be higher.

Sensitivity for 2-step baked cavity
From single-cell cavity measurement



- Sensitivity to the trapped flux is low for 2-step baked cavity.
- Sensitivity is higher for higher gradient

Expected performance vs trapped flux

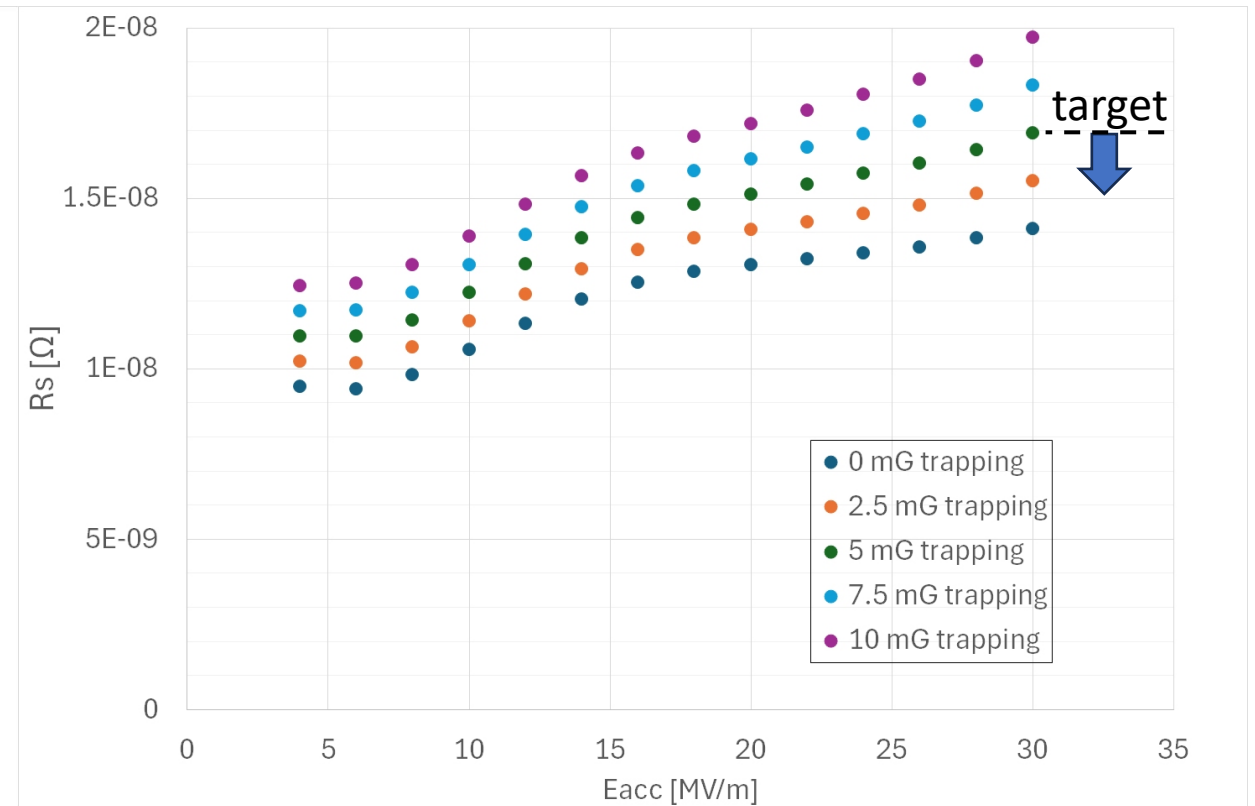
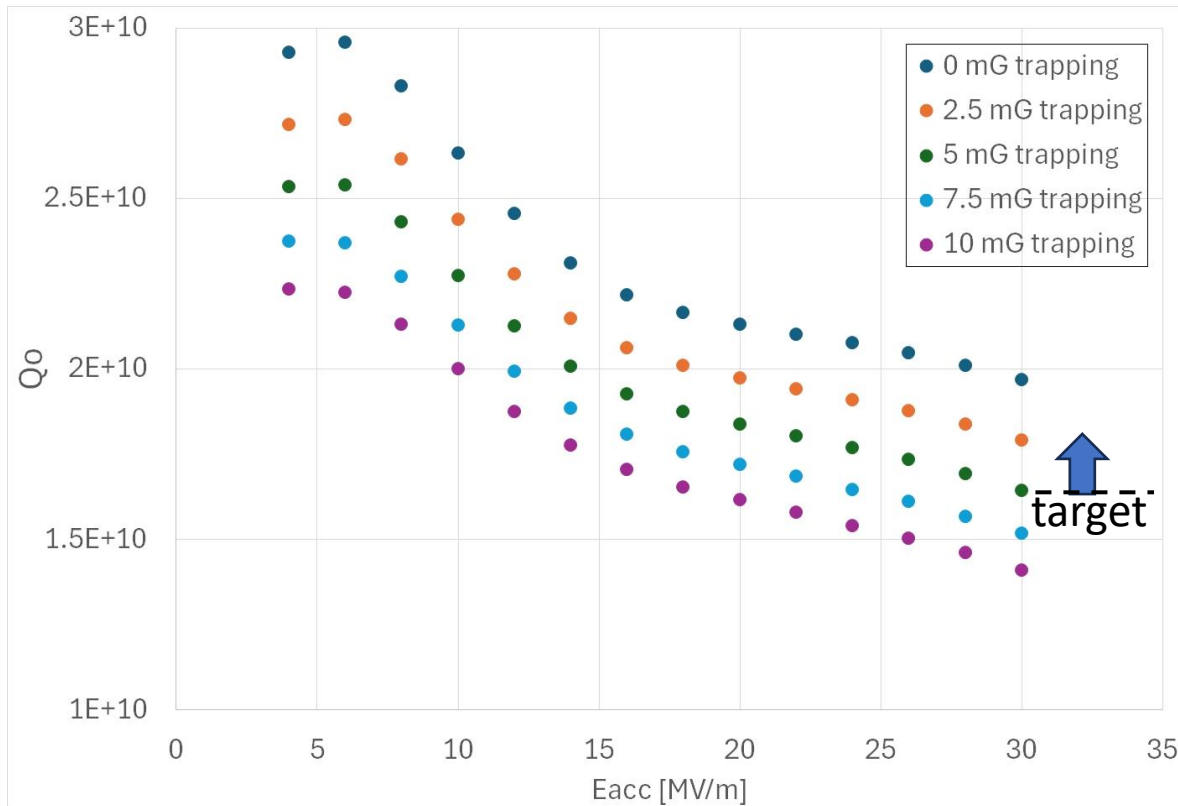
Below is the expected performance (Q_0 , R_s) of 2-step baked cavity at 2K, under the condition of magnetic flux trapping of 0, 2.5, 5, 7.5, 10 mG.

⇒ Target: Flux trapping < 5 mG ($Q_0 > 1.6e10$)

(expectation from KEK single-cell cavity data)

To reduce trapped field

- 900C heat treatment
- Magnetic hygiene
- Magnetic shield
- Flux expulsion
- Fast cooldown?



Summary



- HPGS application progress
 - Document for “special technical standard pre-evaluation” for Japanese domestic 9-cell Nb cavity with He jacket is almost done.
 - Huge efforts have been devoted to mechanical tests of materials. Those are completed, expect just one sample.
 - KHK committee for the review is expected to be held at near future
 - Documents for other components and cavities are under preparation.
- Surface treatment
 - We proposed 2-step baking, 900C heat treatment and optimized removal thickness of EP, in order to improve cavity performance.
 - Eacc > 40 MV/m is achieved for FG 9-cell cavities.

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