



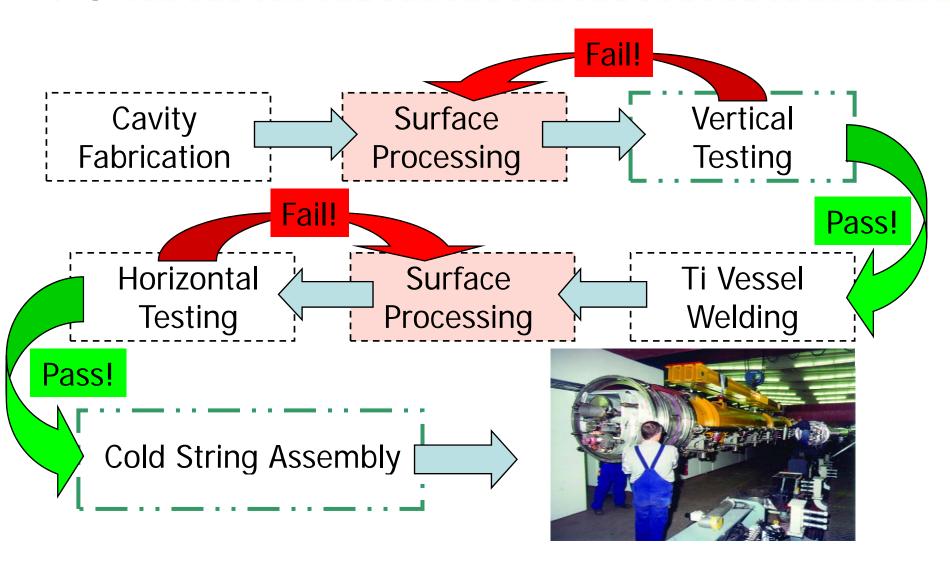
Status of the ILCTA_MDB Horizontal Test Stand

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Horizontal Testing --- Context







Components of a HTS

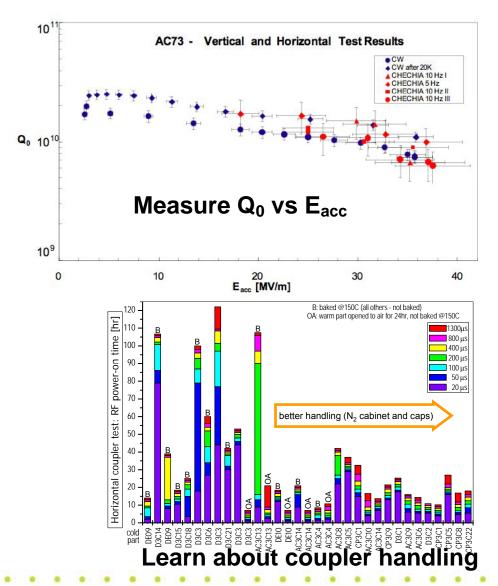


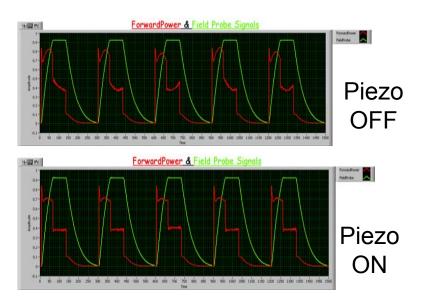
- Shielding cave (X rays from cavity)
- RF power
 - Klystron/modulator/charging supply for high pulsed RF power
 - Waveguide for RF delivery to coupler
 - LLRF: control of forward power via feedback loop
- Cryogenics
 - Keep cavity in superfluid He at 1.8 K
- Horizontal test cryostat (HTC)
 - Insulating vacuum vessel with easy access
 - Ports for vacuum, coupler, instrumentation
- Vacuum
 - Insulating vacuum for cryostat, clean vacuum for cavity
- Diagnostics
 - X ray detectors, Faraday cups (cavity dark current), etc.



What you can do with HTS







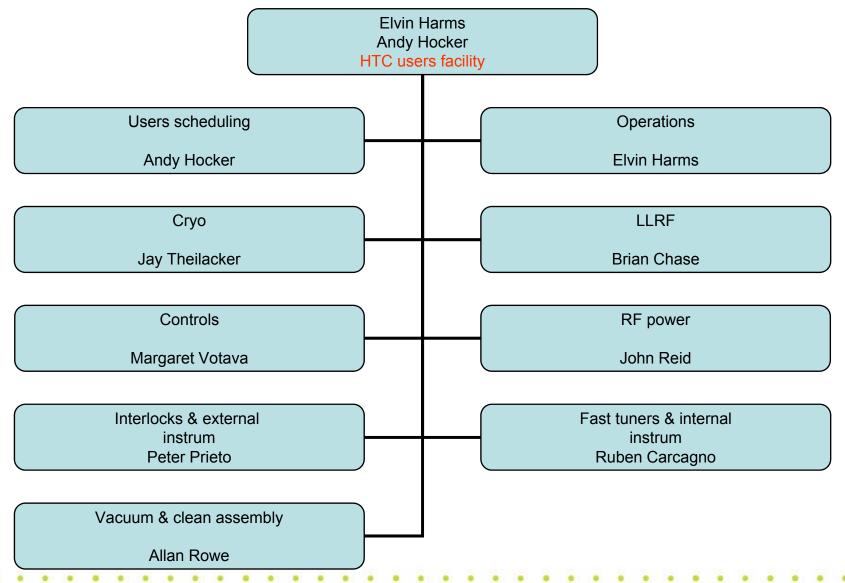
Study Lorentz force detuning Compensation (CC2 result!)

etc...



HTS Organization







Cryostat (HTC) installation



- First few months of its life at MP9
 - Mods, prep work, leak checks, etc.
- Moved to cave in MDB in Jan 2007



- Began interface to cryo distribution feed can
 - ...which led to more mods, repairs, etc.
- Eventually ready for cooldown by mid-

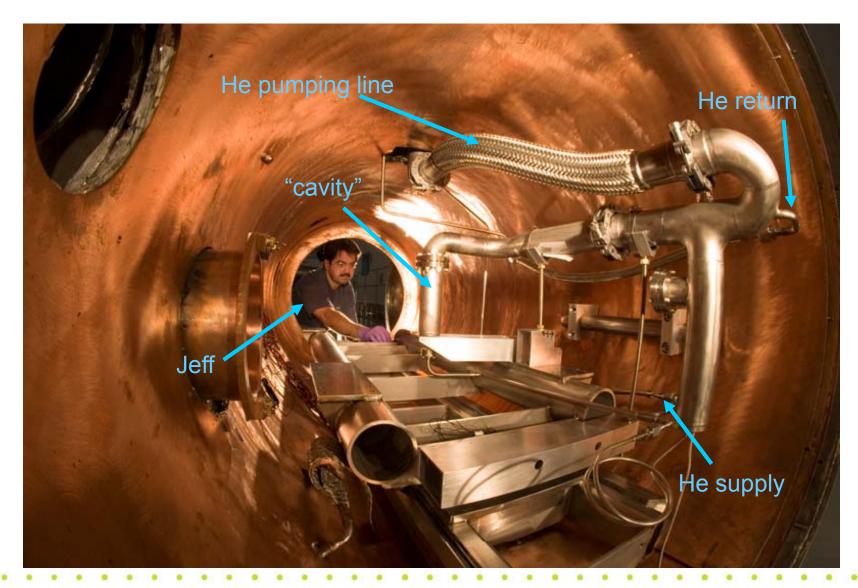
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What we cooled down







Cryo commissioning experience



- First problem was getting the HTC to pump down
 - Bad seal between HTC and feed can
 - Kludged for commissioning, repaired afterward
- Cooled to 80K, introduced He to circuit
 - Leak inside HTC, too small to pinpoint while warm, made wholesale seal replacement
- Reached 1.8 K on 14-MAR-2007
 - Impact on CC2 cryo was minimal
 - Found a few problem thermometers
 - Some uncertainty on 5 K shield temperature
 - Lots more thermometry added to diagnose

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In parallel: C22



- DESY sent us 3 junky (~20 MV/m) TESLA cavities (in He vessels) to play with (2 for CAF-MP9, 1 for HTS)
 - Input couplers too
- C22 is 1996 vintage
 - He return pipe in "wrong" position (actually no pipe at all)
 - Support lugs different
 - No HOM feedthrus
 - Sat around open to air for years
- Sent to TJNL for HPR and vertical test
 - Achieved 17 MV/m



C22 prep work ("dressing")

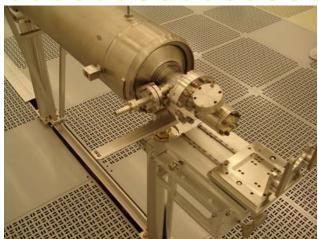


- Welded a Ti-to-SST transition elbow to C22 vessel for He return pipe
 - Tried here, but eventually done elsewhere
- CAF-MP9 clean room work
 - Installation of HTS end flange (burst disc, pump-out port w/ VAT valve)
 - Installation of input coupler "cold part"
 - Pumped down
- Installation of slow tuner (Saclay lever type) and fast tuner (piezo actuator)
- Installation of magnetic shielding (CC1)



CAF-MP9 clean room photos





C22 as arrived from TJNL



Installation of burst disc/pump-out flange



Installation of coupler "cold part"



Done, pumping down



Transporting C22 (MP9 → MDB)





HTS installation cart

Shipping fixture



Crane over to HTS cart

HTS cavity support "feet"



Rotate 90° and unbolt fixturing

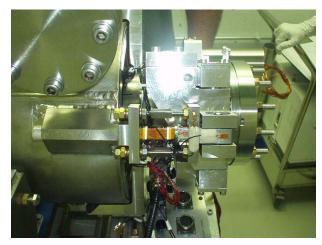


C22 at MDB





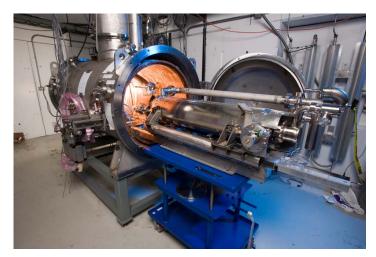
Temporary install to pressure test helium vessel (~2 lbs differential)



Fast tuner (piezo actuator)



Slow tuner (Saclay lever type)



Fully dressed and ready to install



Vibration instrumentation



- Geophones installed to measure longitudinal and transverse vibration of cavity and supports
- Want to learn about response at cold temperatures
 - Proposed package for first NML cryomodule
 - CC2 experience: vibes are an important diagnostic!
- HTS serves for both cryomodule production and R&D





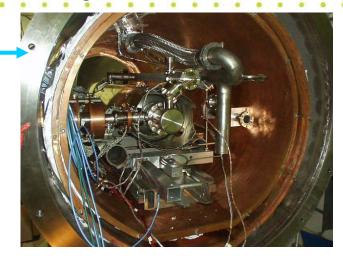
As of today



- Cavity installed
- Internal instrumentation checkout
- Coupler warm part installation



Planning





Doing!

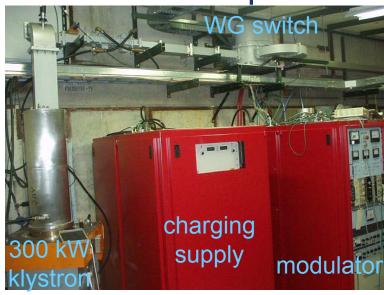


Next steps



- Close up cryostat and pump down (start tomorrow if all goes well)
- Begin cooldown next week
 - In parallel, finish up RF system

Warm back up and begin testing program







HTS test cycle/C22 plan



- Install cavity in HTC
- Warm, off-resonance coupler conditioning (high pulsed power processing)
- Cooldown to 1.8 K
- On-resonance conditioning of coupler/cavity
- Map out Q₀ vs E_{acc} curve
- Test new widgets, algorithms, etc.
- Warmup
- Remove cavity
- CC2 experience + re-using CC2 systems = smooth commissioning



Post-commissioning plans



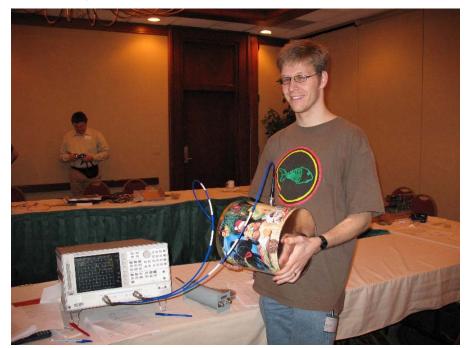
- If time permits, uninstall/reinstall C22 to check reproducibility
- Fix what we need to fix
- Open for business
 - First "real" test: Third-harmonic accelerating cavity for DESY's FLASH
 - Install 3.9 GHz klystron (in operation at A0) and waveguide
- Interleave 3.9 GHz (at least six) and 1.3 GHz testing as cavity production schedule allows
- Got a gadget or an idea you want to test in something very like a cryomodule? Come talk to me!



Conclusions



- HTS commissioning about to begin!
- I'll start a pool for C22's max gradient in HTS
 - In any event, it should do better than this one:



USPAS in Houston, TX, January 2007 ($Q_0 = 2x10^2$)



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