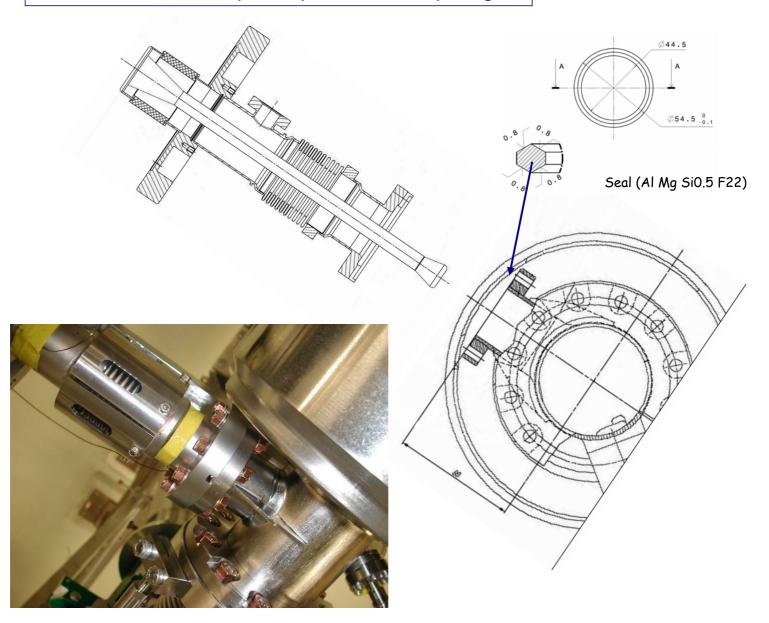
Interface of XFEL input couplers with cavity flange



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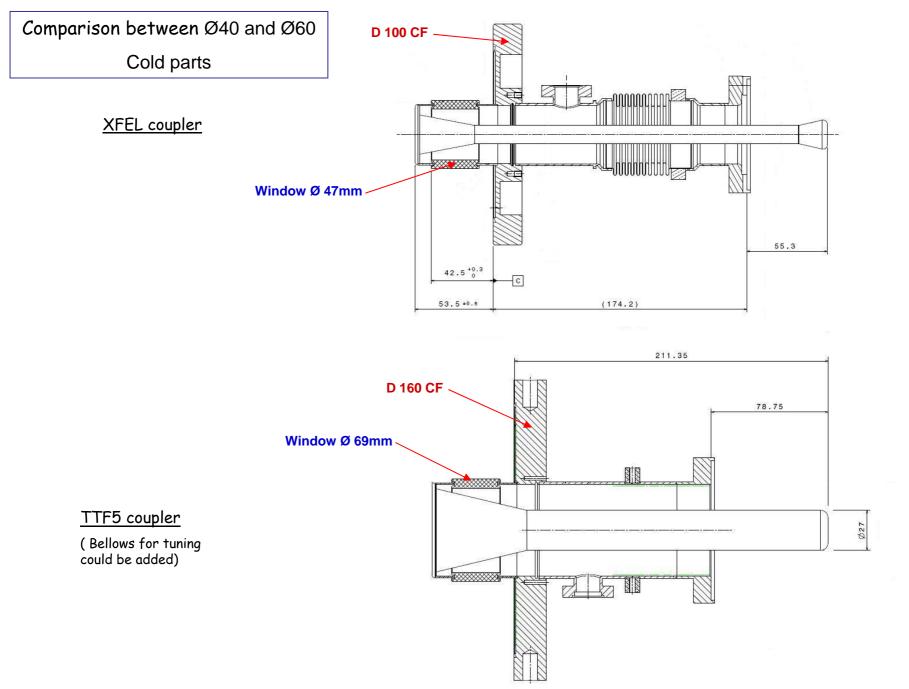


Input coupler with Ø 40mm cold end



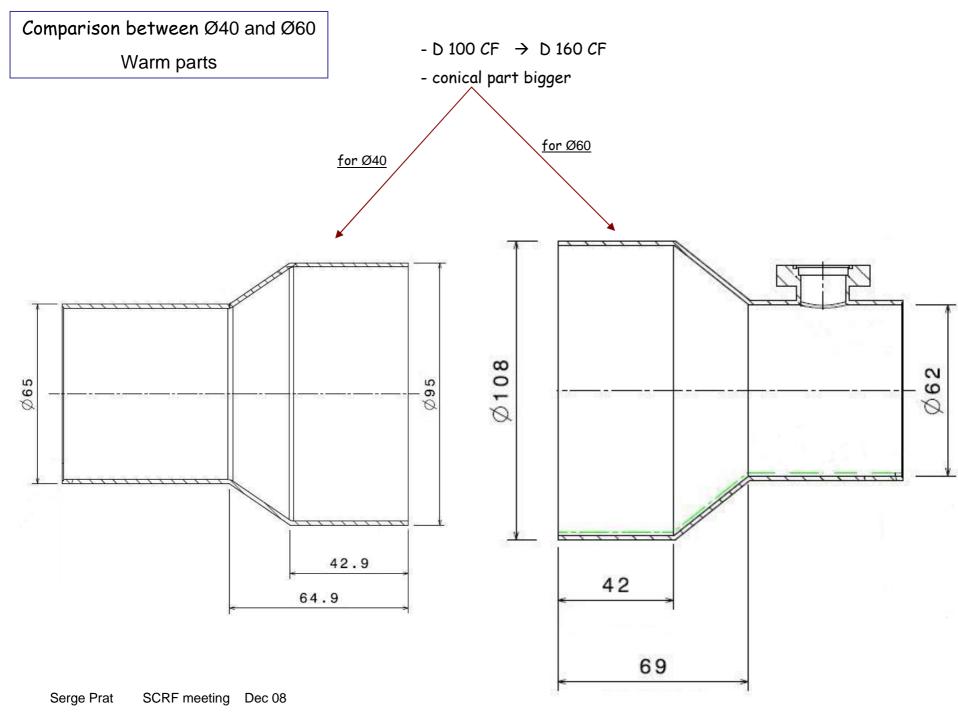
Input coupler with Ø 60mm cold end

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Modifications and resulting cost increase for Ø60 cold end

Change of geometry only \rightarrow no change of manufacturing technology

Cold part:

- all cylindrical parts have diameter increase by 50%
- CF100 replaced by CF160
- Cu plated surface increased by 50%

Warm part: - conical part size increased

- CF100 replaced by CF160

Assembly: - handling more

- handling more difficult due to weight of parts
- total weight of coupler increased by 15 kg
- assembly tooling has to be stronger due to weight of parts
- transition cavity for test bigger & more expensive

Vacuum vessel:

- size of porthole has to be increased: 213 \rightarrow ~ 260 mm to allow room for hands (crowded space)

Unit cost increase estimation:

~ 12 %



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