Cavity activities for ILC at DESY

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Cavity activities

- Order of European XFEL cavities to be placed in spring 2010 => including 24 ILC-HiGrade cavities
- > Three European XFEL prototype modules:
 - **PXFEL1:** tested with average gradient of 30 MV/m assembled and to be operated in FLASH
 - **PXFEL2:** ready for test on module test stand
 - **PXFEL3:** string assembly in clean room
- > Five more nine-cells in fabrication (to be completed in summer 2010)
- > ILC cavity data base:
 - Oracle data base set up for yield analysis
 - significant input of FLASH cavities

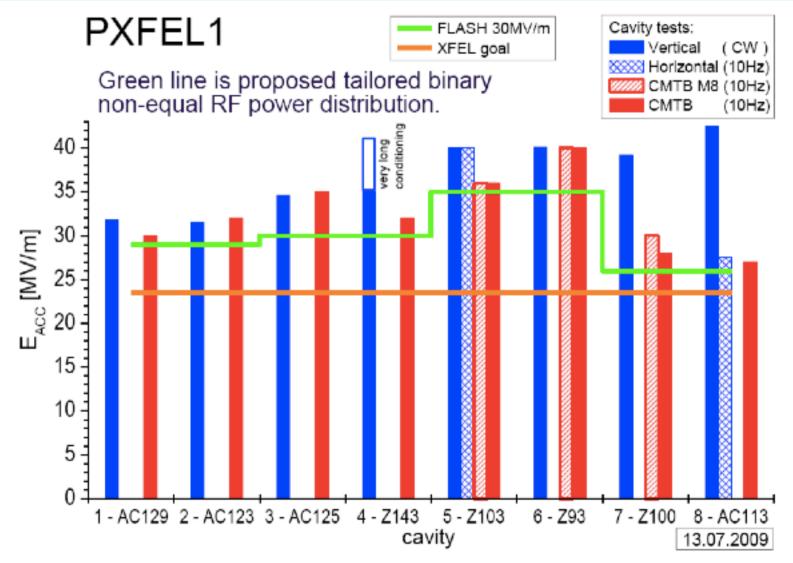


Module PXFEL1





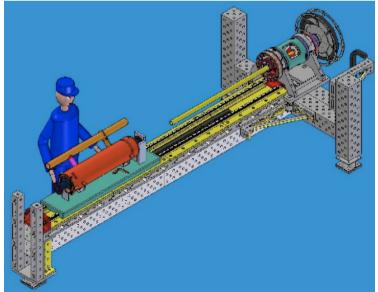
Results on PXFEL1





Optical inspection at DESY

- > Kyoto/KEK-camera system in use since August 2008
- More than 25 cavities inspected
- Correlation between hotspot in Tmap-measurement and defect found by optical inspection in several cases
 - See talk by Y.Yamamoto and S. Aderhold for examples
- > Automated inspection set-up under development
 - Reproducibility, speed, robustness
 - Suitable for application in cavity mass production



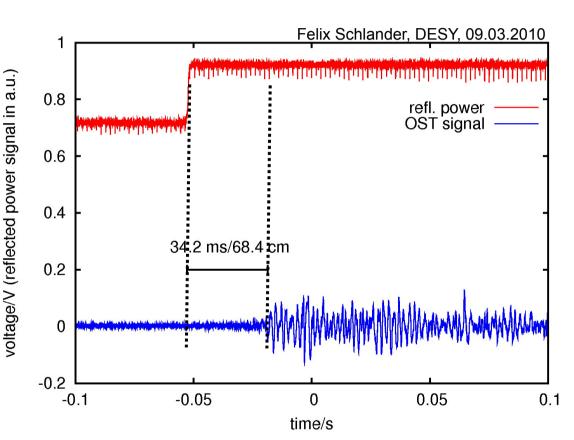
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Commissioning of Second Sound System

à la Z. Convey et al.

- > 2nd sound observed during test of AC74 in 2/9 π mode at 21 MV/m
- > One OST was producing signals
- Signal observed over "large" distance
- Now installing 8 OST
 - Goal: locating quenches in test stand with minimum installation requirements
 - Explore suitability for routine diagnostics





Tools for cavity handling

Vertical insert for AMTF

Design has been completed

Suitable for cavities with and without He-vessel

Lower part serves as a transport frame

mounted to trolley with shock absorbers

detailed transport simulation has been made





Automated vertical test

Reproducibility

- No operator intervention
- auto-calibration
- Increased testing speed
 - automatic determination of phase and frequency
 - parallel measurement of gradient, power and radiation level in one cavity
- Automatic consistency check
- Remote control

