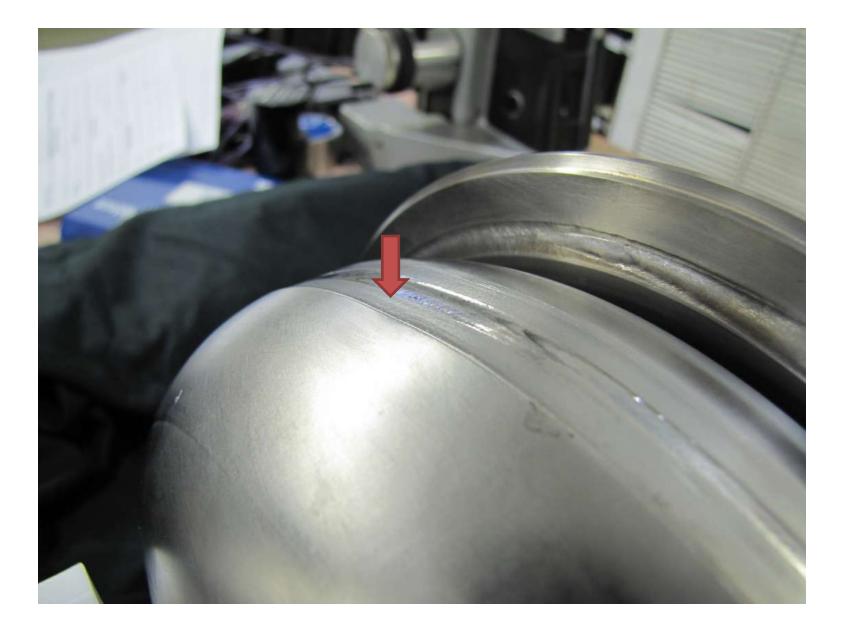
# NR001 & NR002

- Summary of QC findings
- Visual inspection
- Optical inspection
- RF measurements
- CMM measurements

## Visual inspection



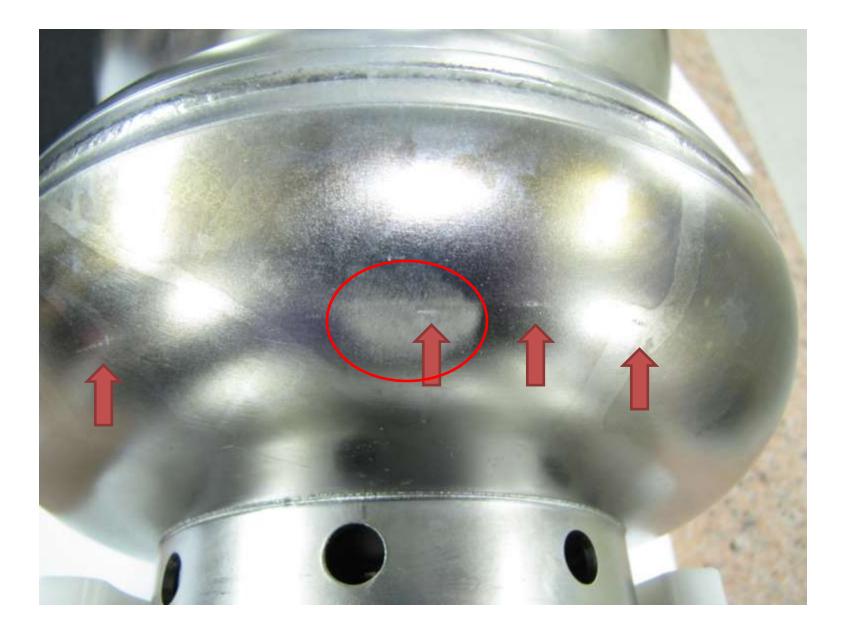
NR001 & NR002: all flanges have weld gaps and show a lot of polishing - BAD



NR001: dent on end cell - BAD



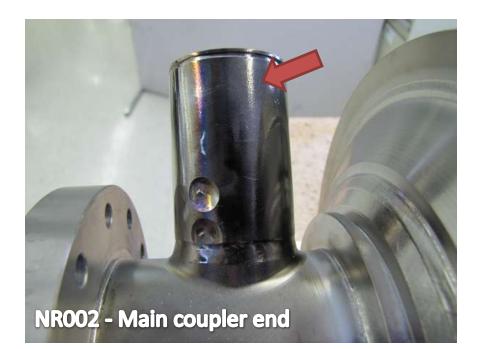
NR002: Discoloration, dirt (?) and fingerprint(?) inside beam tube at probe end - BAD.

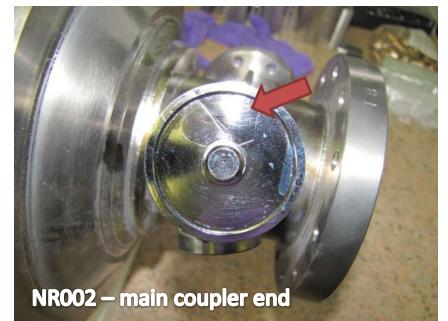


NR001: scratches and buffed area on half cell. Fixturing? – not necessarily bad per se but a sign that fixtures/handling is not appropriate.



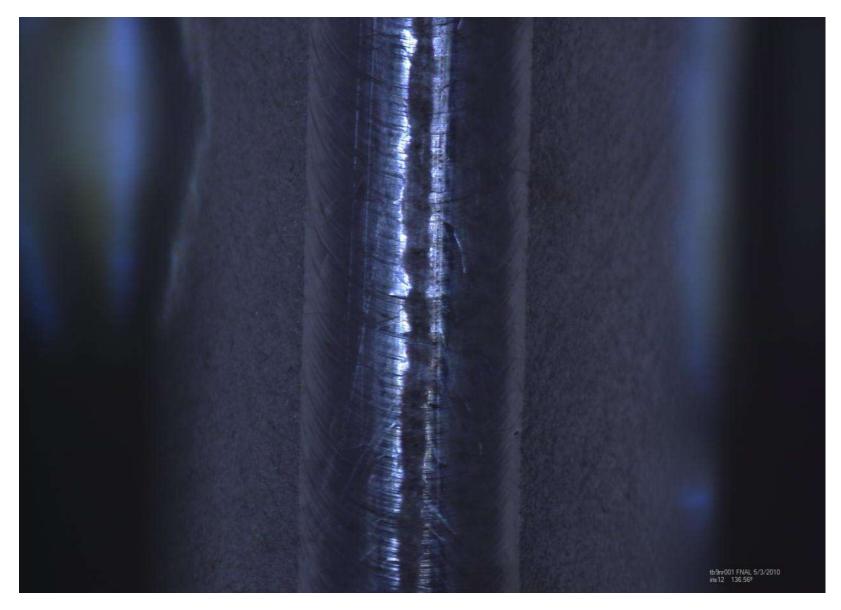




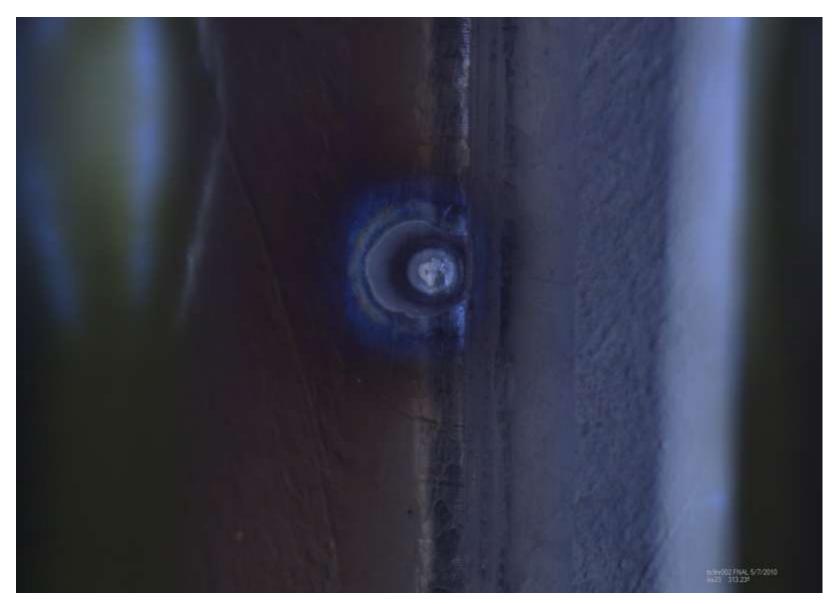


## **Optical inspection**

Iris welds



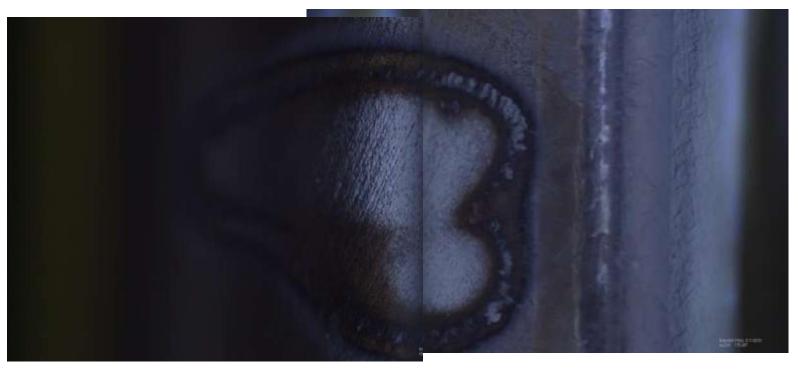
NR001 & NR002: this is a typical iris weld for these two cavities, just for reference.



NR002: unique defect on Iris between cells 2 and 3 – BAD, this should be caught at the dumb-bell stage and the part discarded.

Picture size 10x7.5 mm

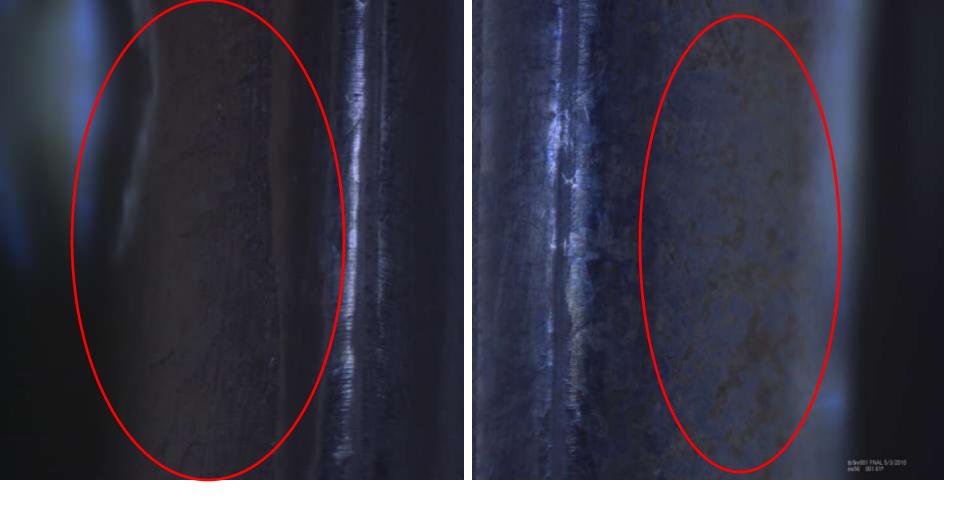
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Large spot on iris weld between cells 2 and 3 of NR002. BAD – these defects should not be present



NR002: Few of these spots are present near the welds, looks flat and may be an indicator of contaminations, perhaps bad vacuum during welding. BAD, these defects should not be present.



NR001 – iris5/6: reddish/brownish discoloration, perhaps benign but never seen before.

## **Optical inspection**

Equator welds



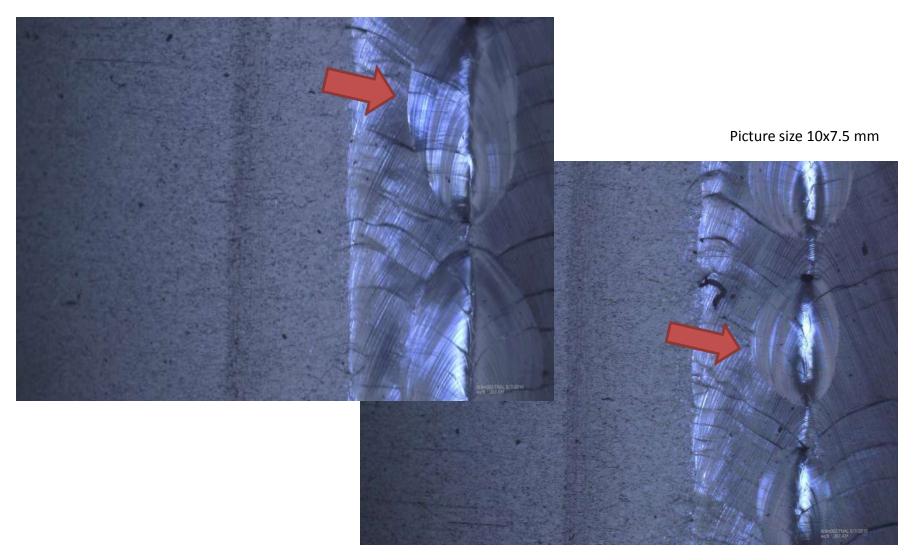
NR001: typical equator weld with non-typical horizontal lines. Not necessarily bad, could be related to the forming process and should be given some thought.



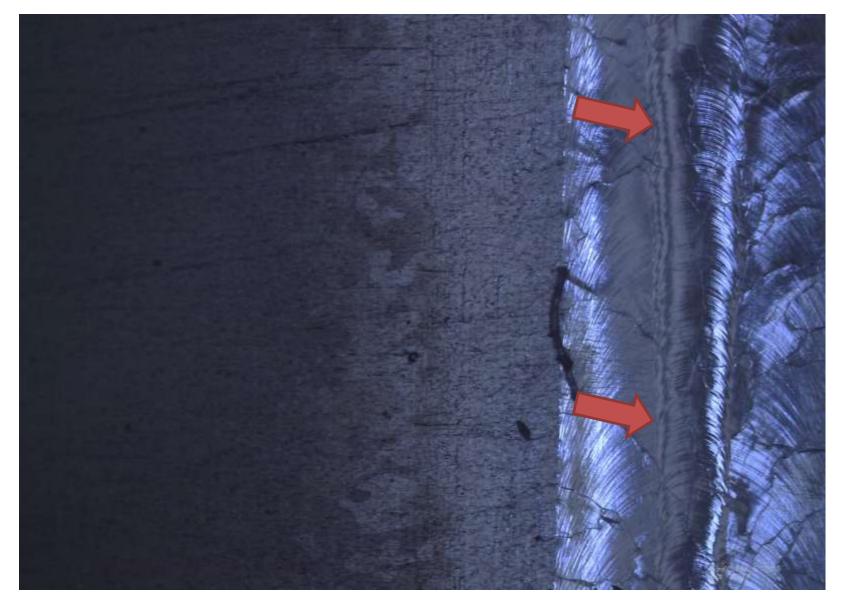
NR001 & NR002: typical dirt and fibers – BAD. Dirt should never be present before, during or after welding.



NR002: discolorations on equator weld, pictured is one of the worst extending ~20 deg and on both sides of weld. BAD – these discolorations should not be present



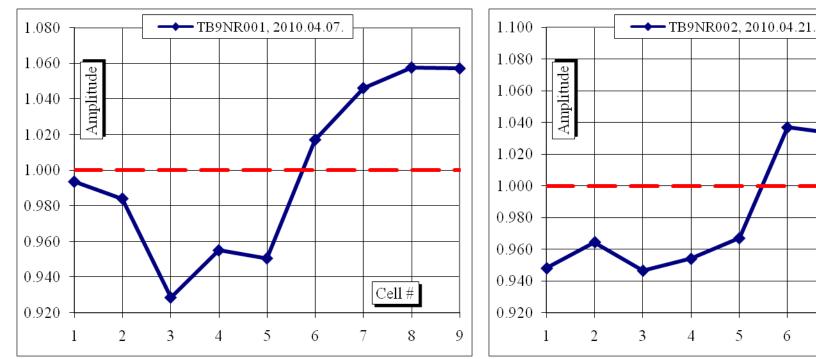
NR001 & NR002: Equator welds on cells 1 and 9 look different from the rest. Welds performed in a different orientation? Bumps are several hundreds of  $\mu$ m high. BAD – these features should not be present.



NR001 & 002: perhaps overlapping bead on equator weld, seen on all equator welds of both cavities. It's a bump and could cause quench. BAD - Overlapping is less pronounced on cavities from other vendors.

### **RF** Measurements

### **Field flatness**



#### NR001

Field flatness Emin/Emax=88% Better than typical untuned RI cavities Worse than typical tuned AES cavities NB: we will tune the cavities after 800C heat treatment Field flatness Emin/Emax=87% Better than typical untuned RI cavities Worse than typical tuned AES cavities NB: we will tune the cavities after 800C heat treatment

Cell #

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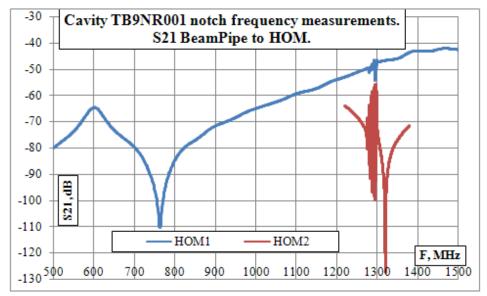
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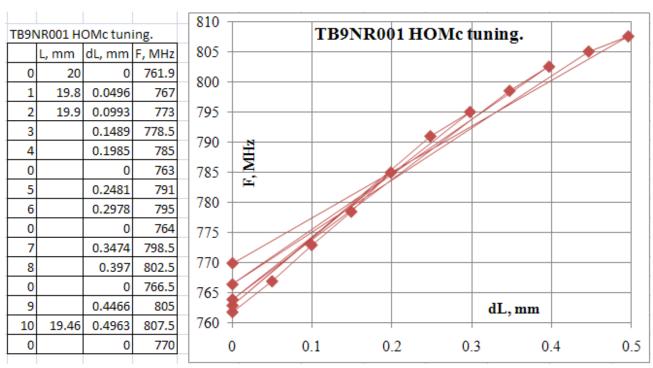
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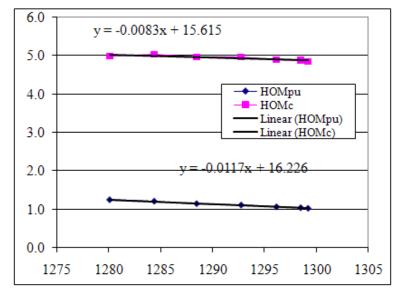
#### NR002

Cavity TB9NR001. HOM couplers notch frequency measurements.



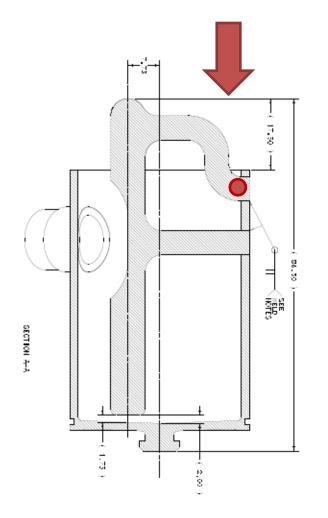
HOM1 notch frequency ~500 MHz lower than design.



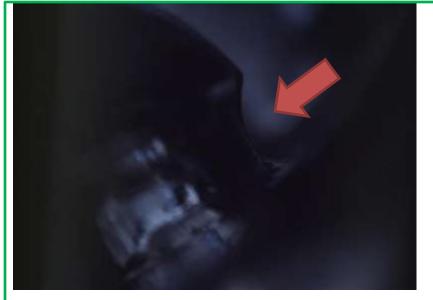


Cavity TB9NR001. S21 through cavity.

Cavity TB9NR001 HOM1 (HOMc) tuning test. 0.5 mm deformation of tuning gap changed notch frequency only by 45 MHz. It means that HOM1 of this cavity can not be tuned safely by usual tuning technique. The optical images are not able to show the weld of the near leg of the formteil to the HOM can, this is an indication that the formteil "S" is in the way.







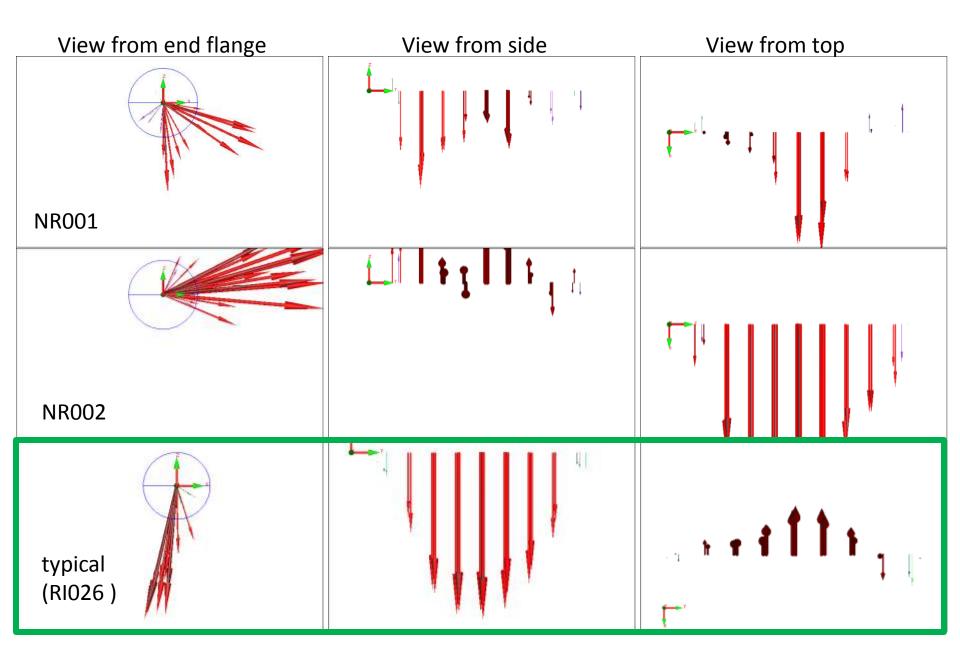
Typical - TB9RI024

### **CMM** Measurements

CMM findings:

- -NR001 is 3.373 mm longer than nominal
- -NR002 is 2.710 mm longer than nominal
- -Perpendicularity of end flanges from cavity axis is off by ~ 0.2 degrees
- -Equator diameters of both cavities are 0.4-0.6 mm larger than normal
- -Equators are 0.2-0.5 mm out of round more than normal
- -Positions of equators relative to cavity axis are atypical (see next slide)

### Position of equator welds relative to cavity axis



# Conclusions

- HOM notch frequencies shall be measured and adjusted prior to welding the end groups. The position of the formteil should be monitored and measured after welding.
- Welding of all flanges shall be performed in order to avoid gaps. Perform tests to qualify each weld.
- Iris welds shall be inspected thoroughly and dumbbells qualified prior to performing equator welds.
- The cleanliness of all parts and sub-assemblies shall be improved by large in all stages of fabrication.
- The vacuum level in the EBW chamber should be monitored (possibly improved?).
- The effects of the overlapping on equator welds must be studied and mitigated.
- The diameters of all equators appear larger than nominal, this should be studied.
- The weldment of the end groups to the dumbbell assembly must be studied and representative samples shall be made to qualify this joint.
- The fixturing of the end groups during the final welding should be improved to guarantee a better perpendicularity relative to the cavity axis.
- All handling and fixturing operations should be analyzed and improved to avoid any damage to the parts.
- The forming of the half-cells should be analyzed to identify the nature of the atypical horizontal streaks seen near the equator welds