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LCFOA Technology Working Group Breakout Session Report: Cryomodules

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Format was an Open Discussion

Question: What would motivate industry to participate in cryomodule development?

□ Answer: An invitation.

- Participation in cryomodule assembly should occur as soon as possible---this means with the first cryomodule assembly at FNAL
- Will help identify areas in the assembly process that might be improved
- Money--- it is not expected that <u>significant</u> participation by industry will come for free

Ed Bonnema (Meyer Tool) started a chart on the white board that looked like this:

RF Stuff	Non-RF Stuff
-Hi Tech	- Not Hi Tech
-Pushing the envelope	-Design for Mfg.
-50% of CM cost,	-50% of CM cost, half
dominated cavity and	hardware and half
power coupler costs	touch labor

Question: Is the present cryomodule design (Type III+, Type IV, XFEL, etc.) the right design for the ILC, or is a significant departure from this design warranted?

- Proposal: Conduct a design review using U.S. industrial experts to evaluate the basic design and the assembly process.
- Type IV (T4CM) Cryomodule Design

Proposal: Get industry involved early in the design process in order to benefit from their experience. It is too late (or at least much less effective) if industry is not involved until after the design is completed.

General Comment (not criticism)

U.S. industry is not actively engaged with the ILC program at this time (attendance of semi-annual LCFoA meetings does not constitute engagement) but they would like to be