

# US-ILC Waveguide Industrialization Study

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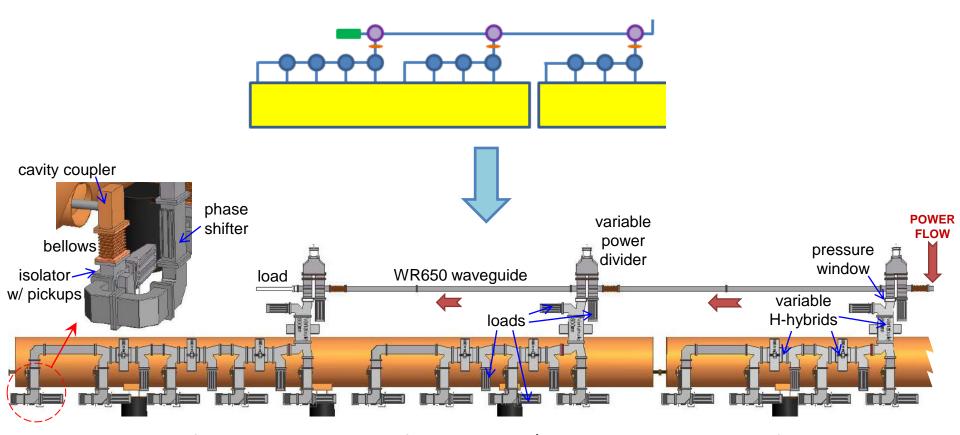
## ILC Local Power Distribution System (LPDS)

variable power divider, pressurizable, 0-100%, phase stable pressure window variable H-hybrid, non-press., limited range 5 MW load from 10 MW klystron **Original layout** 9 cavities 4 cavities quad 4 cavities 9 cavities RF UNIT: 3 cryomodules (26 cavities) 6 windows (assuming ~2 MW capability) Beam current lowered, 1/3 of klystrons eliminated New layout WR770 run 4 cavities 9 cavities 4 cavities 9 cavities 4 cavities quad 9 cavities

For low power RDR-like option, one klystron powers 1 ½ "rf units" or 4 ½ cryomodules.

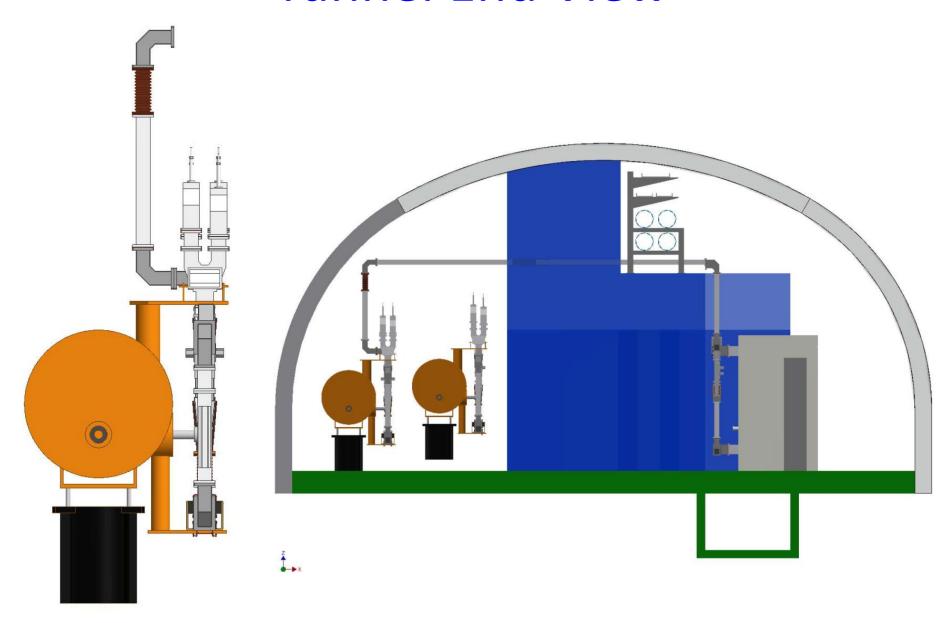
# Detailed View of 13-Cavity LPDS Unit

Power to each ½ cryomodule is fully adjustable via VPD's without affecting phases. Unused power can be dumped to the end load.

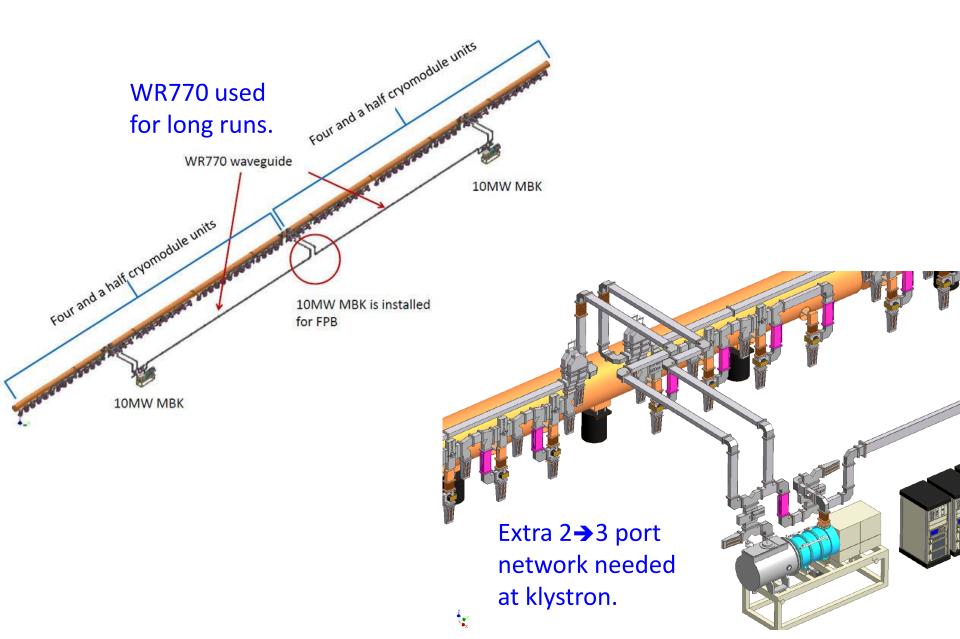


Each cavity feed line has a **phase shifter**, isolator w/ bi-directional coupler, and flex guide

# **Tunnel End View**



# Feeding 3 Stations with 2 Klystrons



# Standard Waveguide and Waveguide Components

Straight sections



E-plane and H-plane bends



T-splitters and magic T's



folded magic T

#### Semi-flex waveguides



Need pressurizable and non-pressurizable versions, for stress relief in upper waveguide runs and at cavities.

## **Isolator and Loads**

S.P.A. Ferrite, Ltd. (Russia)



Newer model includes forward and reflected pick-ups, eliminating the need for a separate bi-directional coupler (reflectometer)\*.

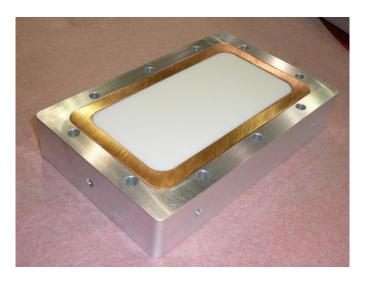


Water cooled (2 types)

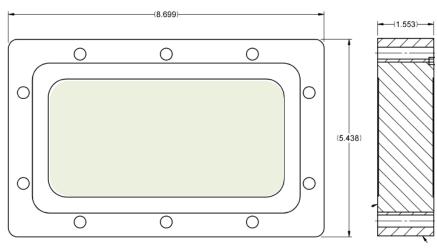
| $\underline{P}_{pk}$ | $\underline{P}_{av}$ |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| 2 MW                 | 10 kW                |
| 5 MW                 | 100 kV               |

<sup>\*</sup> But costed as separate components

## SLAC Air-to-Air Window



High power tested up to 3 MW, 1 ms.



Ceramic Plug Pressure Window

# Bi-Directional Couplers (Reflectometers)



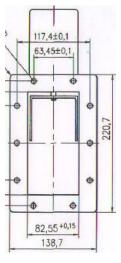


May be largely eliminated by use of isolators with built-in pick-ups.

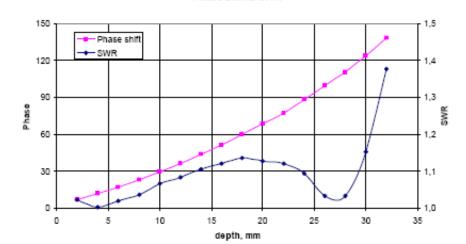
# **Phase Shifters**

#### **DESY/SPA Ferrite**





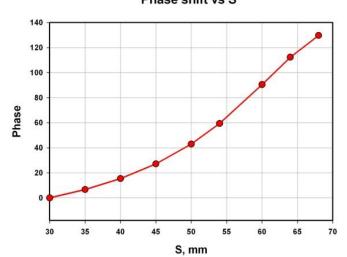
Phase shift & SWR



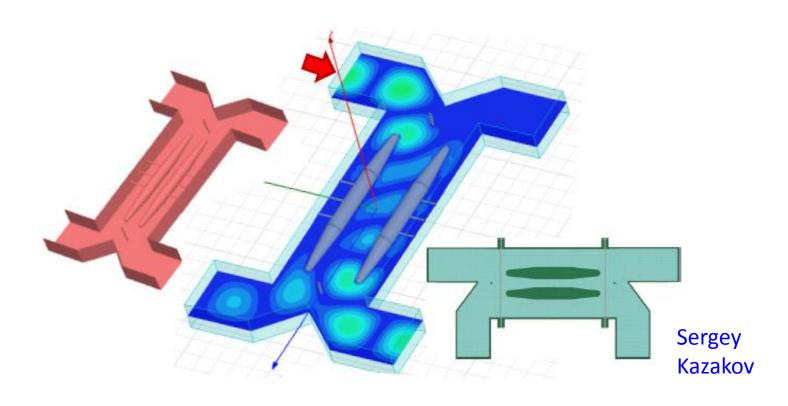
#### KEK/Toshiba



Phase shift vs S

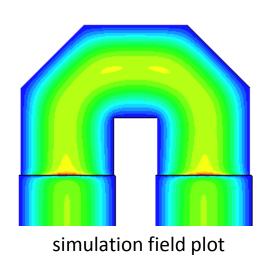


# KEK Variable H-Hybrid (Power Divider)



Variable H-hybrid geometry, sample field pattern and in-line port design modification. Moving the two suspended conductors in and out perturbs the relative phase between the two modes supported in the interior section while retaining match, resulting in a varying power split at the output ports.

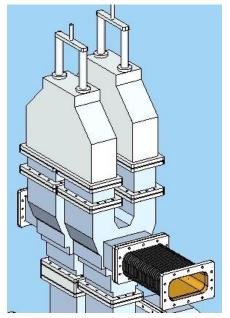
# **U-Bend Phase Shifter**

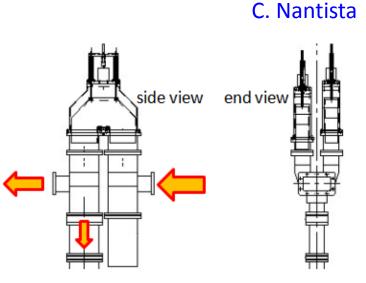




## SLAC Variable Power Divider (VPD)

= 2 U-bend phase shifters+ 2 folded magic-T's





#### **XFEL PDS:**

PRESS RELEASE



For Immediate Release:

14 January 2013 - GORHAM, MAINE USA

#### MEGA Industries Awarded Record Contract

Mega Industries LLC (Mega), an Anania & Associates Investment Company LLC (AAI) portfolio company and a world leader in high power RF equipment, is pleased to announce the receipt of an award for waveguide components totaling more than \$4.1 million, a record for this company. The 3,938 individual components requested will be delivered over a 16 month period.

The ultimate customer, the <u>European XFEL</u>, will generate ultrashort X-ray flashes – 27,000 times per second and with a brilliance that is a billion times higher than that of the best conventional X-ray radiation sources. The outstanding characteristics of the facility are unique worldwide. Starting in 2015, it will open up completely new research opportunities for scientists and industrial users.

XFEL – Mega: ~ 7K\$ / cavity

#### **ILC PDS:**

- Three kinds of parts:
- 1. Catalog items (cost basis from Mega/Furukawa; LC=0.95)

(modification may be required for pressurization)

- 2. Loads / Circulators (cost basis SPA Ferrite St. Petersburg; same LC)
- 3. SLAC / KEK in-house designs with integrated electromechanical actuator; based on WR650 hardware (cost basis from first article; same LC)

TDR cost distribution for the above three kinds:

27% 29% 44% (including K-PDS)

# ILC Industrialization Study Part Count

-P = pressurizable

-NP = non-pressurizable

#### <u>Assume all LPDS's like standard ML – klystron feeding 39 cavities:</u>

#### Nc = # of cavities = 16,024

| <u>ITEM</u>             | <b>FORMULA</b> | <b>QUANTITY</b> |
|-------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Isolator -NP            | Nc             | 16,024          |
| Semi-Flex guide -NP     | Nc             | 16,024          |
| Semi-Flex guide -P      | 3*Nc/13        | 3,698           |
| Reflectometer -NP       | Nc             | 16,024          |
| Reflectometer -P        | 2*Nc/39        | 822             |
| Phase Shifter -NP       | Nc             | 16,024          |
| Phase Shifter -P        | Nc/39          | 411             |
| Pressure window -P      | 3*Nc/13        | 3,698           |
| 1 MW load -P            | 3*Nc/13        | 3,698           |
| 5 MW load -P            | Nc/13          | 1,233           |
| U-bend Phase Shifter -P | 6*Nc/13        | 7,396           |
| Folded magic-T -P       | 6*Nc/13        | 7,396           |
| Variable hybrid -NP     | 10*Nc/13       | 12,326          |
| 3-dB Hybrid -P          | Nc/39          | 411             |
| E-plane shunt T -P      | Nc/39          | 411             |
| E-plane bend -P         | 15*Nc/39       | 6,163           |
| H-plane bend -P         | 7*Nc/39        | 2,876           |
| H-plane bend -NP        | Nc+3*Nc/13     | 19,722          |
| E-plane U-bend -NP      | Nc             | 16,024          |
| WR650-770 converter -P  | 2*Nc/39        | 822             |
| WR770 straight 120' -P  | Nc/39          | 411             |
| WR650 straight 4' -P    | 10*Nc/39       | 4,109           |
| WR650 straight 8' -P    | 7*Nc/39        | 2,876           |
| WR650 straight 12' -P   | 6*Nc/39        | 2,465           |
| WR650 straight 3' -NP   | 9*Nc/39        | 3,698           |
| WR650 straight 8" -NP   | 27*Nc/39       | 11,093          |
|                         |                |                 |

Nut/bolt/washers 10\*(tot+Nc) 1,918,790

# Post-TDR Mega Cost Study Scope

- Twelve production schemes considered:
  - deliver full, only standard waveguide, only circulators and loads, and only electromechanical devices
  - at 3 varied production levels (25%, 50% and 100%)
  - over a period of 6 years with up to 2 additional years for the following to be completed:
    - a. Casting and extrusion tooling and process development / qualification
    - b. Facility build-out
    - c. Equipment and workstation installation and pre-production verification / release
    - d. Production tooling and process development and qualification
- The results of this study include plant layouts, time planning for equipment and labor, work flow diagrams, and costs for the industrial components of plan estimated at 2013 prices and rates

# Specific Report Items (1):

- Plant equipment requirements, including building, technical equipment, and layout of equipment in building. Costs, in 2013 dollars, to create such a facility, and time required to build, prepare, and prove the plant is ready for production.
- A production plan, including labor and machine hours required.
- Identification of the top 3 throughput bottlenecks in the plant, and the remedy for each.
- Analysis of alternatives for each production step, and identification of the top 3 alternatives which should be pursued with R&D to have the greatest economic effect on the production.

# Specific Report items (2)

- Identification of components or subcomponents that are prime candidates for subcontracting, including description of existing companies that could fulfill such roles or a description of an industry where such subcontracting should be pursued.
- Identification of particularly economically burdensome production process requirements or component tolerances which are, and possible remedies for such.
- Identification of the hub Laboratory contributions, the reasoning for the choice, and a description of the technical criteria that would define such a handoff.

#### **Fabrication Tasks**

Assembly

Blending

Brazing

Manual Mills

Clean / Mask

Compression

Convoluter

Copper Plate

**Electrical Test** 

**EMMEGI** 

**Final Inspection** 

Forming / Weld

**Heat Treat** 

In-Process Insp

630 mm HMC

630 mm VMC

1,000 mm HMC

Pack / Ship

Paint

**Pressure Test** 

Rinse

Router

Saws

Silver Plate

Solder

300 mm Lathe

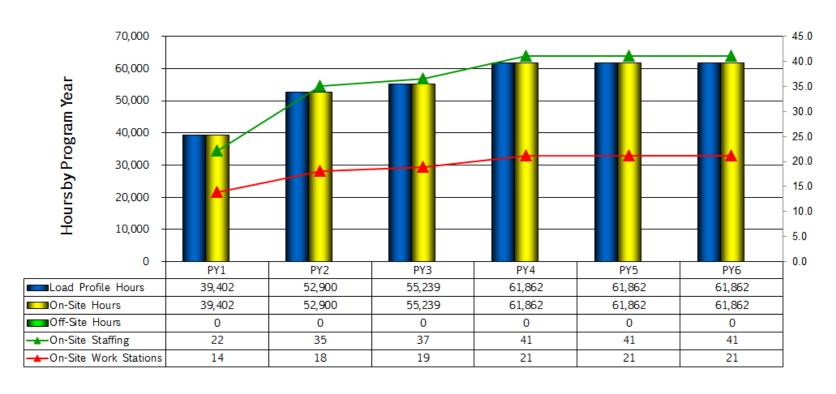
Autowelder

TIG Welder

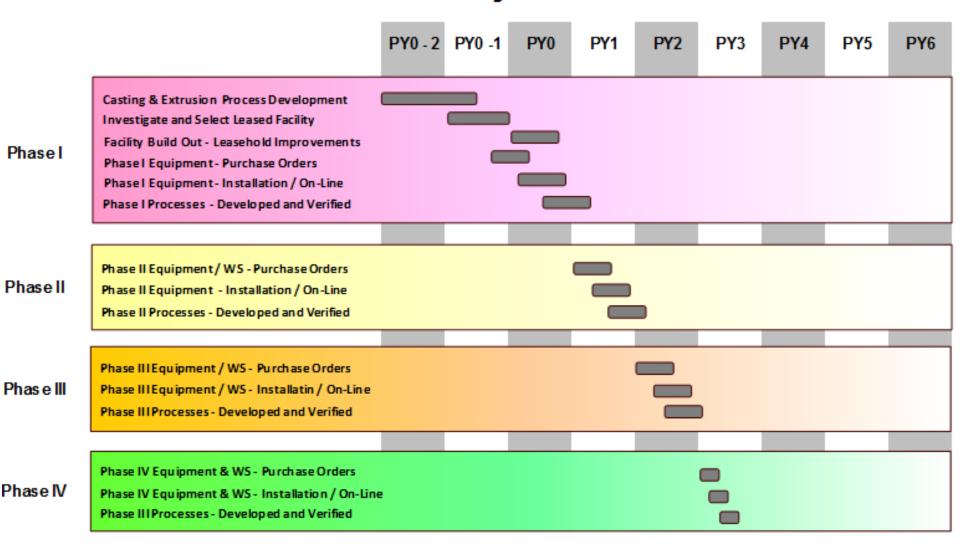
# Example: TIG Welding



SLAC / ILC - Welding TIG Load Profile - PY1 thru PY6



#### **SLAC ILC - Project Timeline**



The Project Timeline captures the major milestones of the facility build out and ramp up to meet the production demand timeline.

# **Learning Curves**

- "The purely mechanical straights and sweeps will quickly hit a production plateau gaining potentially a 10% improvement over time as the workers become more comfortable with the serial production operations and techniques during the first year of production.
- The more complex components will take significantly more time to attain optimized throughput levels, but we believe a 20% or more improvement may be possible."

# Top 3 Processes

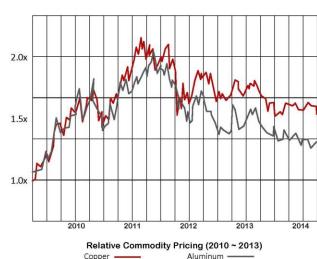
- Machining (assumes 85% machinery utilization over two 8 hour shifts per day, five days per week)
- Welding
- Testing (to be shared with hub lab)
- These are also the three potential bottlenecks they identified — in particular, in regard to

Equipment up time (5% downtime in PY1 and 3% in years PY2 –

PY6)

Employee availability

Raw material supply



Aluminum -

#### **Hub Lab Tasks**

- High power rf testing
- Electro-mechanical integration (final assembly of subassemblies with motorized drives)
- Final PDS integration and tuning

# Possible Improvements

- Integration of special components
  - Electromechanical devices, typ. SLAC / KEK designs
- Extrusion
- Casting
- Testing automation

May provide 20 to 30% cost reduction

# Summary

- Industrialization study of 'non-high-tech' components (PDS) completed March 2014
  - US PDS industry is small-business based
  - Substantial cost-reduction (~1% of ILC total)
     possible with nominal R&D investment