





# The Electron Accelerator of the European XFEL

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## XFEL The First Tunnel







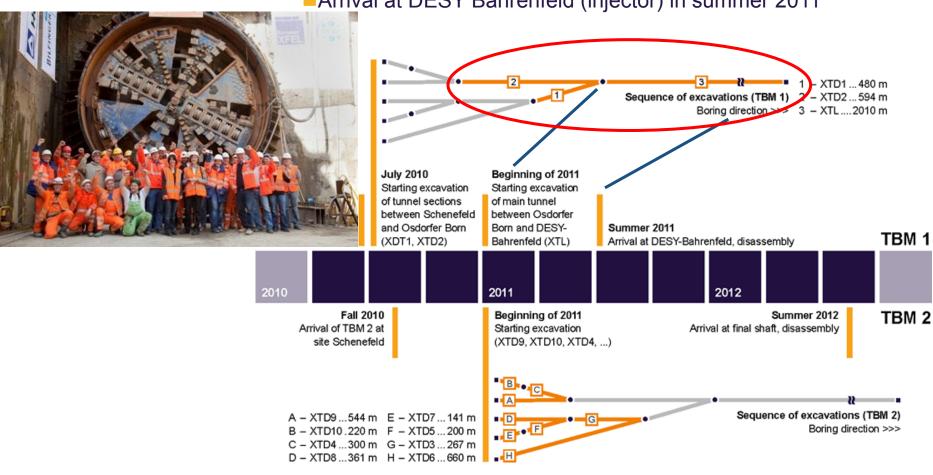


#### XFEL 480 m within the First two Months



Starting excavation of main linac tunnel beginning of 2011

Arrival at DESY Bahrenfeld (injector) in summer 2011







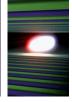
### The Injector Building







#### XFEL Accelerator Complex Start-up Version



#### 100 accelerator modules



### 800 accelerating cavities 1.3 GHz / 23.6 MV/m

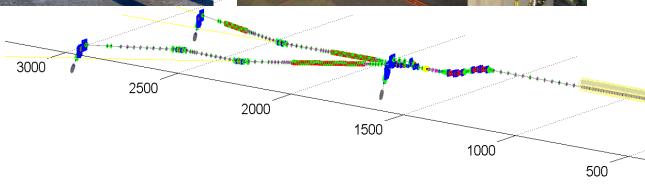


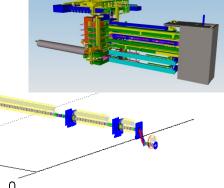




#### 25 RF stations 5.2 MW each



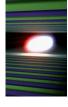




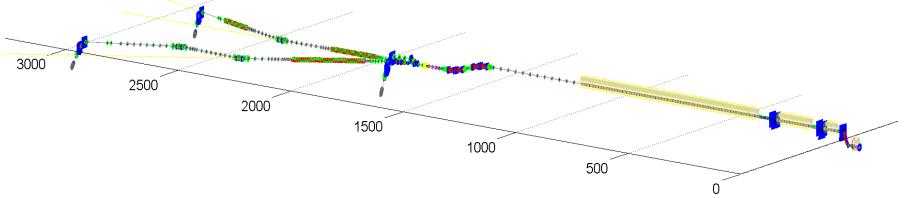




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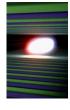
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Electron beam energy	17.5 GeV	
Bunch charge	1 nC	
Peak current	5 kA	
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Slice energy spread	1.5 MeV	
Shortest SASE wavelength	0.1 nm	
Pulse repetition rate	10 Hz	
Bunches per pulse	3000	



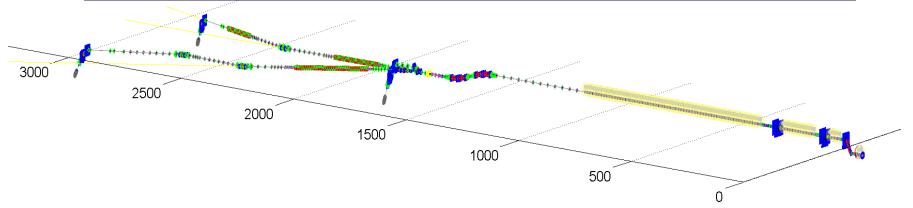




#### Accelerator Complex with New Parameter Set



	Baseline	New Parameter Set
Electron beam energy	17.5 GeV	14 GeV
Bunch charge	1 nC	0.02 - 1 nC
Peak current	5 kA	2 - 5 kA
Slice emittance	< 1.4 mm mrad	0.4 - 1.0 mm mrad
Slice energy spread	1.5 MeV	4 - 2 MeV
Shortest SASE wavelength	0.1 nm	0.05 nm
Pulse repetition rate	10 Hz	10 Hz
Bunches per pulse	3000	2700







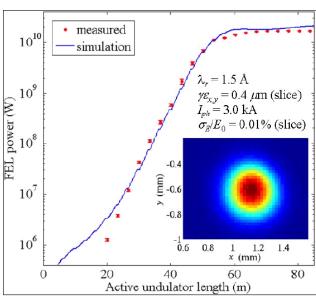
#### Results from LCLS



#### 0.25 nC

Saturation after 65 m

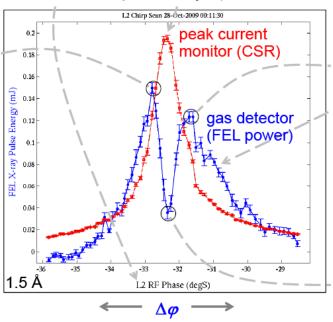




Courtesy P. Emma, H.D. Nuhn, et al.

#### 20 pC

X-ray pulse should be < 10 fs (no measurement possible yet)



#### Consequences for the European XFEL

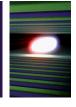
- SASE with electron beam parameters as simulated
- Operation at low charges with strong compression feasible
- => safety margins can be reduced
- => include scheme from beginning

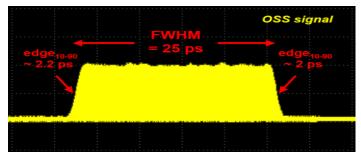


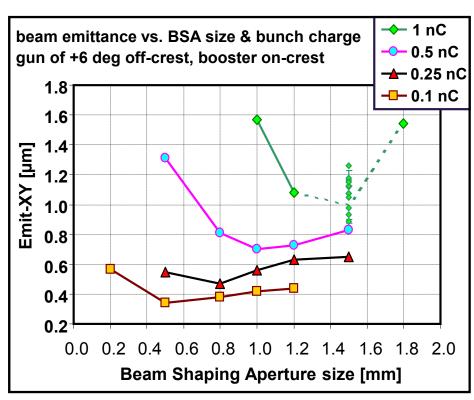




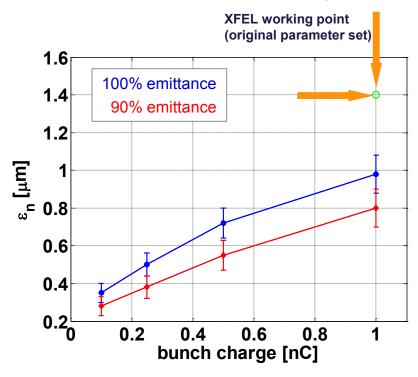
#### **DESY PITZ Results on Emittance**







## Measured projected emittance versus bunch charge







#### Possible Shortening of the LINAC

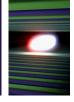


- Improved beam quality <u>gives possibility to save money</u> by shortening the linac while keeping the baseline performance.
- Extensive simulations support the new parameter set.
- BUT:
  - Reduced safety margin
  - Reduced photon energy reach
  - Makes eventual later conversion to cw more expensive
- Proposal to XFEL Council E<sub>final</sub> = 17.5 GeV → 14 GeV
- All other accelerator system still laid out for >17.5 GeV
- Missing modules will be substituted by simple warm beamline
  - approx. 6 additional quadrupoles are required
  - additional 240 m of 40.5 mm beam-pipe

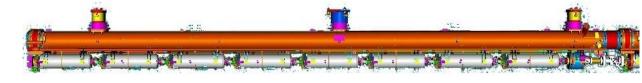




#### XFEL Accelerator Complex with New Parameters



#### 80 accelerator modules



### 640 accelerating cavities 1.3 GHz / 24.3 MV/m

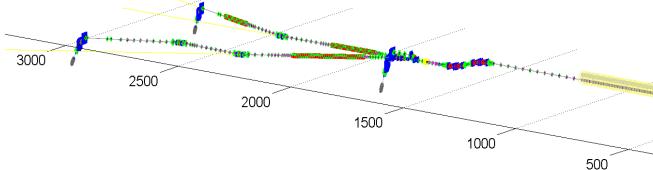


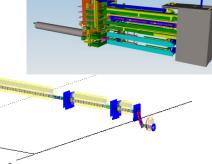




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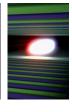


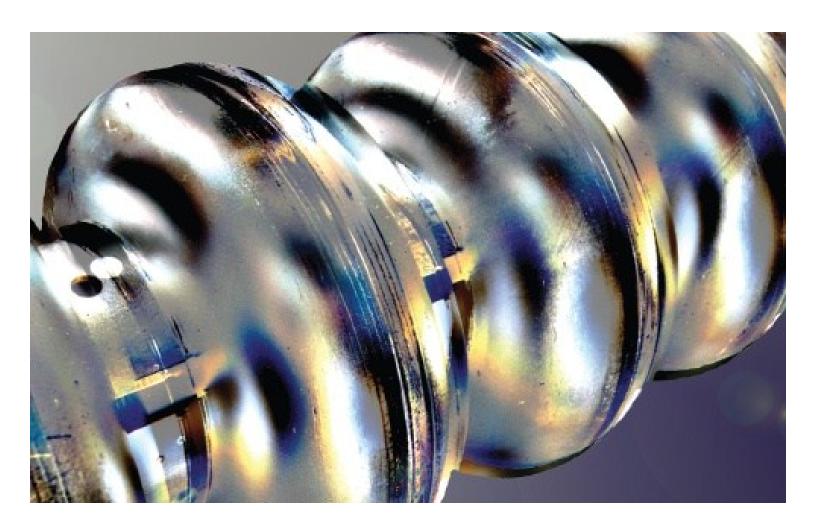








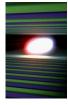








#### Cavities – The Contracts

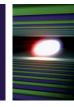


- Research Instruments and E. Zanon were contracted to produce each
  - ■4+4 pre-series cavities
  - **280 XFEL type series cavities**
  - ■12 HiGrade cavities, first used for quality assurance, later available for further investigations & treatments (high gradient R&D towards ILC)
  - Nb / NbTi to be supplied by DESY
  - Production precisely following the specifications which also include the exact definition of infrastructure to be used
  - Final treatment after bulk electro-polishing (EP): EP for RI / flash BCP for Z
  - ■No performance guaranty by the vendors, i.e. the risk of unexpected low gradient or field emission is with DESY (responsibility for re-treatment); goal: average usable XFEL gradient 24.3 MV/m
  - Additional 80 cavities are ordered as an option to be placed after the evaluation of the successful start of the series production
  - First series cavities beginning of 2012; all cavities to be delivered within two years; He-vessels for RI cavities to be supplied by DESY
  - ■Both contracts have a volume of almost 25 M€ each





## XFEL Cavity - Kick-off Meetings

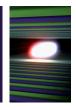




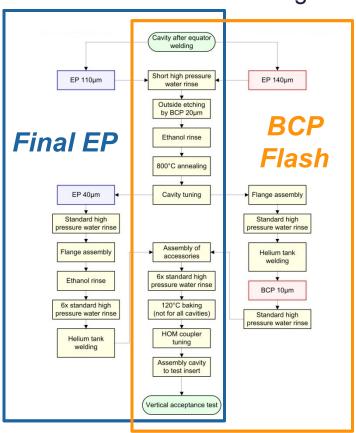




## Cavity Surface Treatment – Based on DESY Experience



- **Two schemes** for the final surface treatment (*Final EP* and *BCP Flash*) were studied with **cavities from two different vendors**.
- ■The **preparation strategy** to go for a final treatment with the cavity already welded into the He-vessel was investigated.



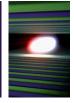
#### Results are:

- yield curves for the different schemes
- yield curves for the different vendors
- a preparation strategy allowing two different final treatments
- Some **tooling** will come from DESY
- DESY procedures and experience described very much in detail in the CFT
- Specification will be **made available** to the SRF community around end of 2010.





## RF Measurement and Field Flatness Tuning using DESY-provided Tools







- ■Both machines ready to be used at the companies (CE certified).
- Machines can be operated by Non-RF-Experts.
- Considerably shorter measurement / tuning time.
- Automation and documentation guaranteed.

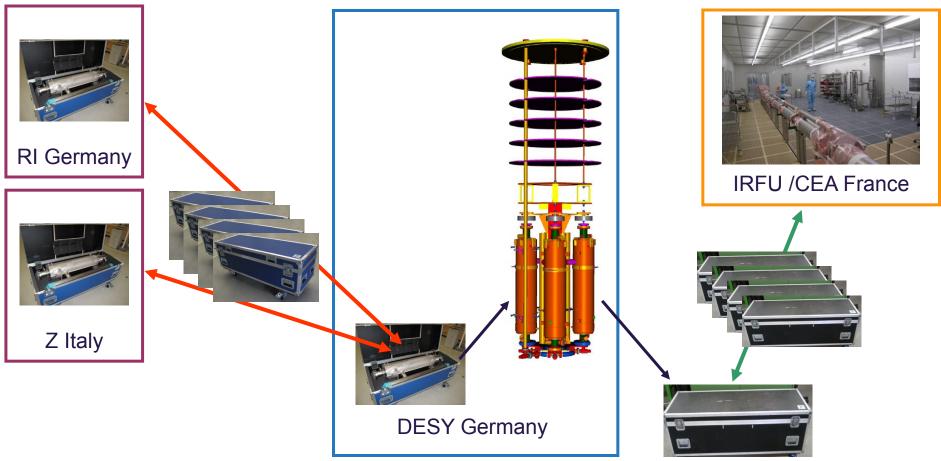






#### **Transport Solution for XFEL Cavities**





- DESY takes care of installation / dismounting of cavities into / from test insert
- Transport to CEA in transport boxes as well



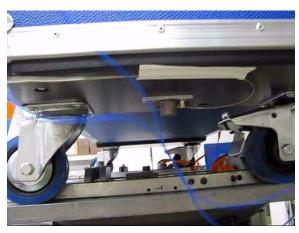


#### Transport Simulation

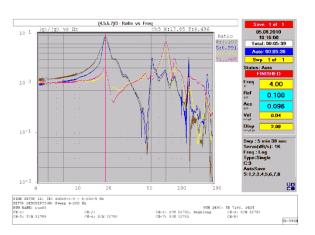


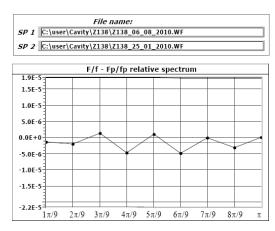


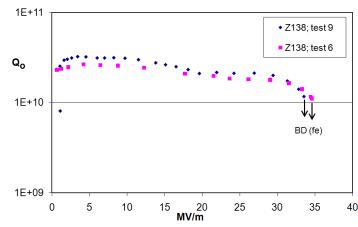




- Sweep (0.1 g), Transport simulation (up to 2 g) 1200 km with Shocks applied up to 6 g
- Final test done without external dampers, only internal foam elements.







Eigen frequencies

Field flatness

Cavity gradient

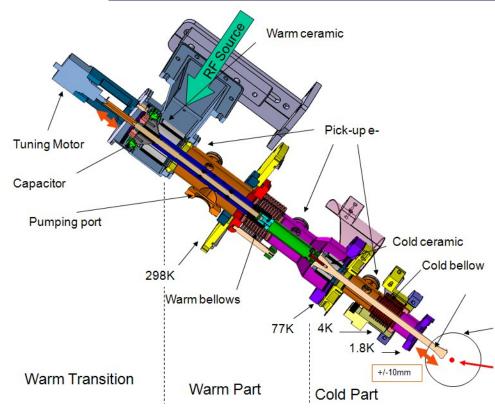






#### XFEL RF Power Coupler – LAL Orsay Contribution





■ Contract for the **production of 640 couplers** recently placed at a consortium of **THALES & Research Instruments.**Kick-off Meeting on Sep.13, 2010.

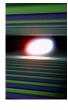


- **LAL Orsay** has taken over the responsibility for the XFEL RF power **coupler production**.
- **Conditioning** of the couplers will take place at LAL Orsay.
- The coupler interlock system was developed and will be contributed by DESY.





#### XFEL RF Power Coupler – Conditioning at LAL







- Conditioning rate of 8 couplers per week with max. 5 MW RF power.
- ■Either pairs (4 x 2 couplers) or units of 4 couplers (under study).
- Schedule integrated in overall project schedule.
- Direct delivery to assembly site at CE Saclay.





## XFEL Detailed Planning of required LAL Clean room

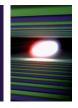




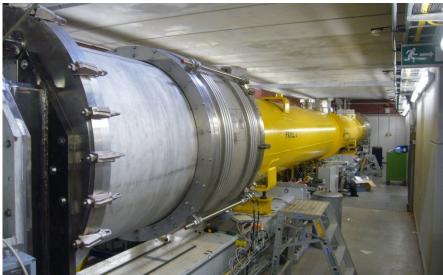




#### **PXFEL – Three Modules from Different Vendors**









- Three XFEL prototype modules were built and tested over the last two years.
- Assembly procedures improved during assembly training with new teams.





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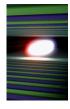
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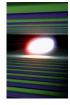








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- Module PXFEL3 successfully tested.
- Cryogenic losses & gradients are ok.
- Result: XFEL module performance reached although again one problematic cavity.
- Improved current leads were used for sc quadrupole magnets.

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#### XFEL PXFEL – Call For Tender



- All PXFEL cryostats seem to be acceptable. We have seen a **successful technology transfer**.
- ■Together with E. Zanon who has produced all the previous cryostats we now have **four experienced vendors**.
- DESY has published the Call for Tender, contracts to be placed in the next weeks.







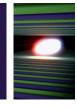








#### XFEL Cavity String & Module Assembly





Using experience gained at DESY and results of industrial studies, the assembly facility for all XFEL modules will be set up at the CEA-Saclay site.

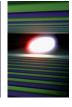
CEA (IRFU), CIEMAT, DESY, INFN-Milano, LAL Orsay, Swierk take the responsibility for the cold linac.

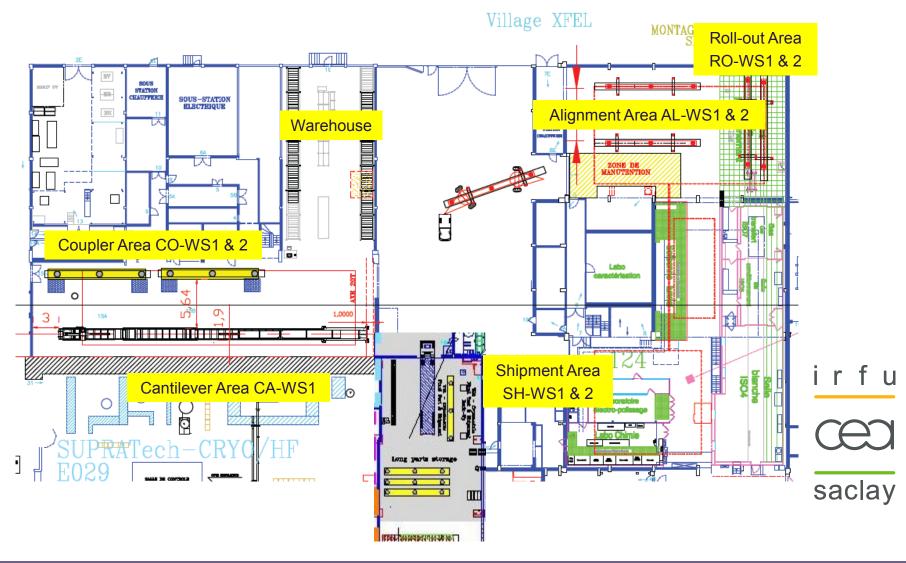






#### **XFEL** Module Assembly - Workstations



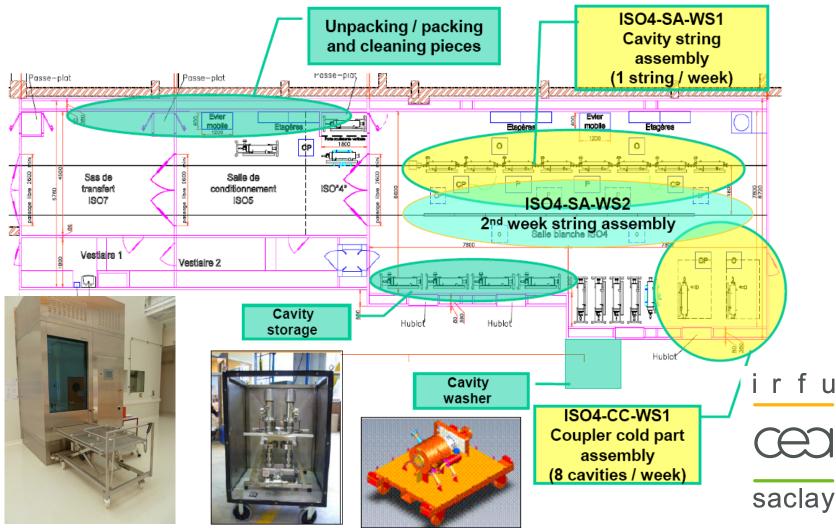






#### XFEL String Assembly - Workstations





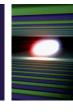
All cavities with He tank, the coupler cold parts and the quadrupole-BPM units will be cleaned and dried externally before entering ISO4 area







### **XFEL** Infrastructure for Cavity String Assembly











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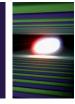


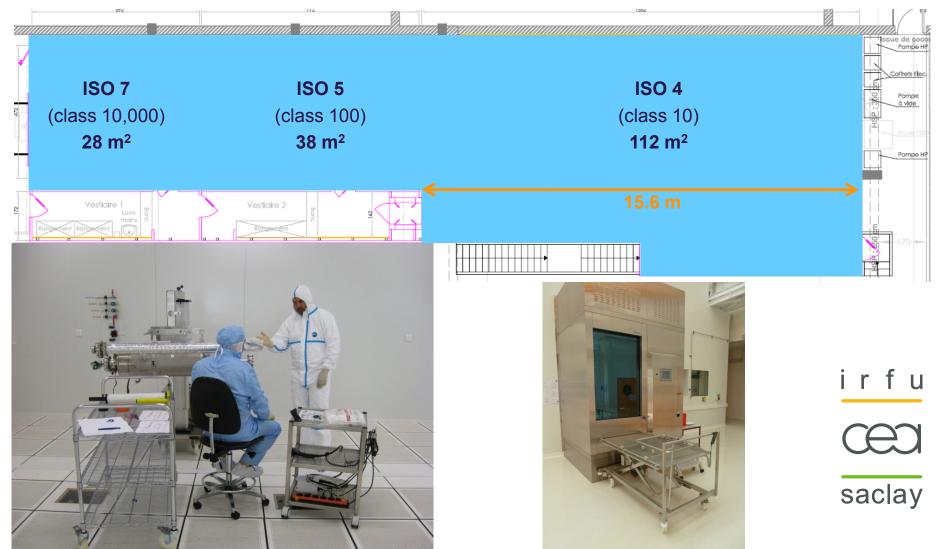
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#### XFEL Infrastructure for Cavity String Assembly









#### XFEL Module Assembly Halls at CE Saclay



■Three Assembly Halls and Services (offices, dressing rooms, warehouse, central courtyard, etc...) were under rehabilitation:

Hall n° 1 is ready

Roll-out Area (RO-WS1, RO-WS2)

Alignment Area (AL-WS1, AL-WS2)

Hall n° 2 is ready

Cantilever Area (CA-WS1)

Coupler Area (CO-WS1, CO-WS2)

+ offices and warehouse

Hall n° 3 is ready

Shipment Area (SH-WS1, SH-WS2)

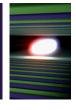
Assembly Hall and Services ready since April 2010 Central courtyard re-surfaced in June 2010.

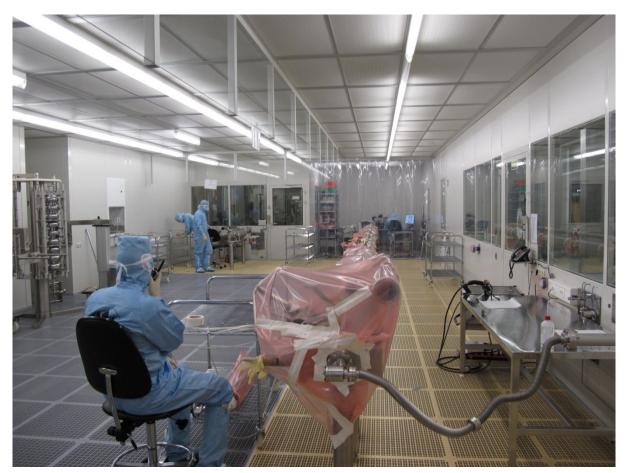






#### XFEL Refurbished DESY Clean Room



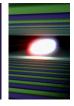


- State-of-the-art
- Now used for assembly training
- Later available for repair work
- Increased ISO4 assembly area
- Chemistry and ultra sound infrastructure now in ISO6/5 instead of ISO7/6
- New rotational clean room airlock

- Two independent air systems
- Improved energy balance



### Many further In-kind Contributions to the **Accelerator Complex**





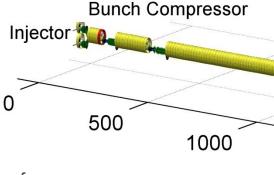


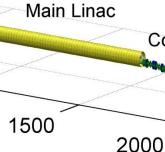






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**Beam Distribution** 

**Undulators** 



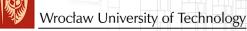












Collimation



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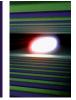




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#### FEL DESY In-kind Contributions







RF system

klystrons, modulators, pulse transformers waveguide assembly & testing, overall coordination

- **LLRF** complete system
- Accelerator CryomodulesCold masses for Cryomodules (33 pieces)
- Superconducting cavities 50% of cavities; 100% Nb/NbTi
- Power couplers coupler interlock
- HOM couplers overall coordination











#### FEL DESY In-kind Contributions







- Frequency Tuner
- Cold vacuum (approx. 75%)
- Cavity string assembly (approx. 20%)
- **AMTF cryogenics** (approx. 60%)
- Cold Magnets magnet testing & current leads
- Warm Magnets overall coordination
- Cryogenics for Linac (approx. 2/3)
- Injector

overall coordination and approx. 80% of hardware











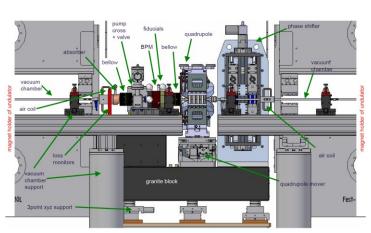
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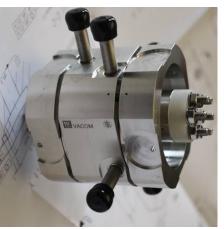




- Bunch Compressor Lattice
  Beam Optics Design & Beam Distribution Kickers
- **BPM** system (approx. 50%)
- ■**Special Beam Diagnostics** (approx. 75%)
- Warm vacuum (approx. 80%)
- Beam dumps (approx. 25%)
- FEL Concepts
- Control System
- Operability
- Survey / Alignment





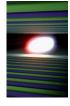








#### **XFEL DESY In-kind Contributions**







- Installation
- Utilities
- Radiation safety
- General safety
- Personnel interlock
- **EMC**
- ■Information & Process Support
- AMTF Hall
- ■3.9 GHz system (approx. 2/3)











#### **XFEL** Saclay In-kind Contributions



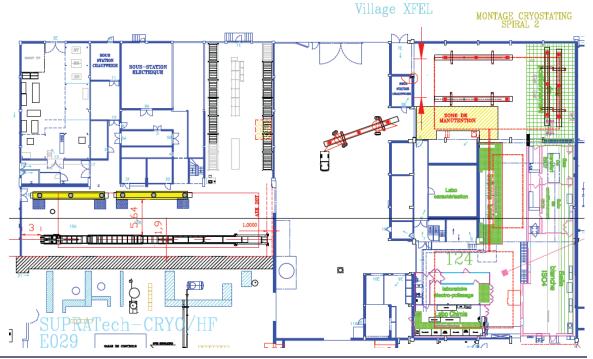


- cavity strings assembly
- cryomodules assembly
- ■BPMs system













### **XFEL** Orsay In-kind Contributions

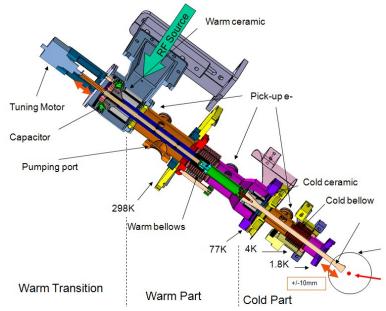




Power couplersprocurementRF conditioning











#### **XFEL INFN In-kind Contributions**







- ■Nb cavities (50%)
- Cold masses for Cryomodules (25%)
- ■3.9 GHz accelerator module













#### XFEL Polish In-kind Contributions

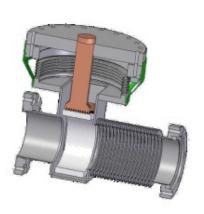




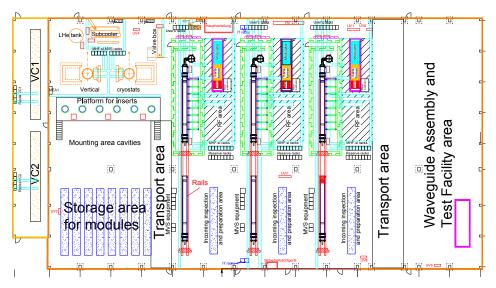




- HOM couplers & absorbers
- Transfer lines for AMTF
- **Tests** of Nb cavities
- Tests of cryomodules in AMTF
- ■**Tests** of Cold magnets



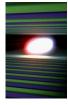








#### FEL Russian "In-kind" Contributions



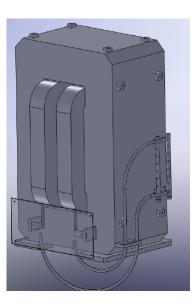


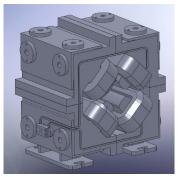


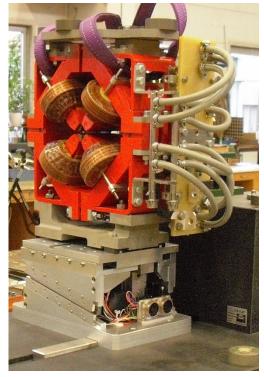




- Cryogenics for Linac
- Beam dump
- Beam diagnostics
- Warm magnets
- Connector module for Klystrons
- quadrupole magnets type XQA
- Cold vacuum
- Warm vacuum
- cryomodule test benches for AMTF
- Power supplies for Utilities
- Transverse Deflecting Structures



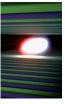








#### Spanish / Swedish / Suisse In-kind Contributions







- Superconducting magnets
- Power supplies





- Laser heater system for injector
- Timing & synchronization system + configuration management



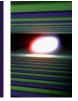
- BPM electronics
- ■Intra-bunch-train Feedback System IBFB







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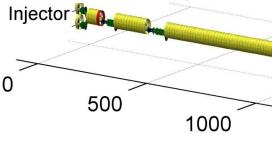




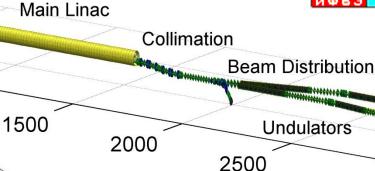




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**Bunch Compressor** 





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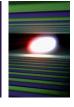


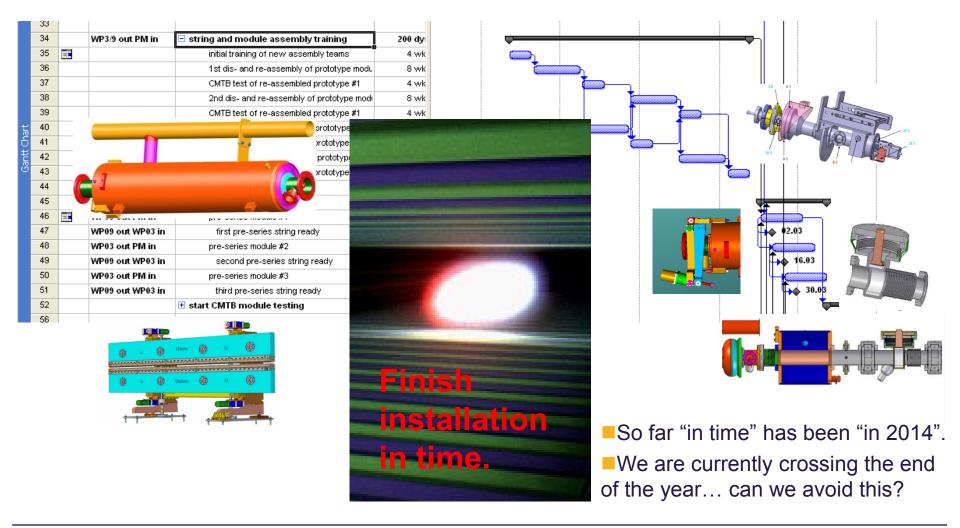




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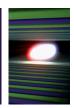
## XFEL With One Common Goal:











## The end

