

AMPERE AVERAGE CURRENT PHOTOINJECTOR AND ENERGY RECOVERY LINAC

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The objective: Provide high-brightness, high-power electron beams.

10 mA is happening at JLAB, but 100-1000 mA requires a few new elements. We describe the development of

- Ampere class photoinjector
- Ampere class ERL cavity
- ERL (described in greater detail in Vladimir Litvinenko's talk and poster)

Ampere-class defined: $3000 \text{ mA} \geq I > 300 \text{ mA}$

Motivation

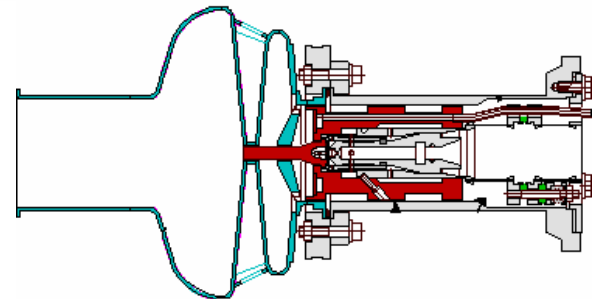
- Ultra-high power FELs
- High flux and brightness ERL light-sources
- High luminosity electron-hadron colliders
- Electron cooling of hadron colliders
- Compton X-ray sources
- THz sources

The electron gun

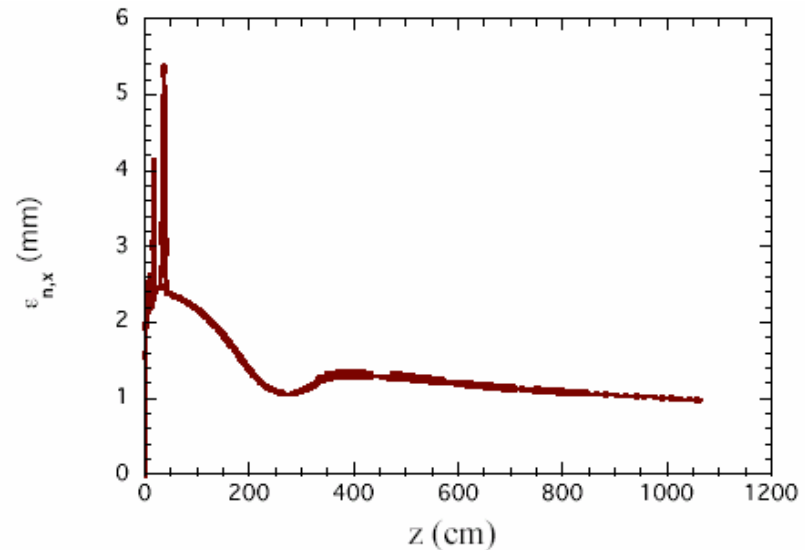
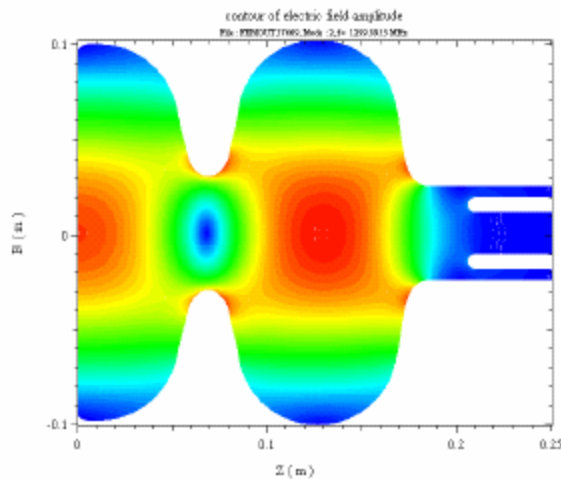
- We have an operational SRF gun, initial results gave 0.5 nC pulses.
- FZR demonstrated a gun with demountable cathode.
- The advantages of SRF in CW photoinjectors are obvious.



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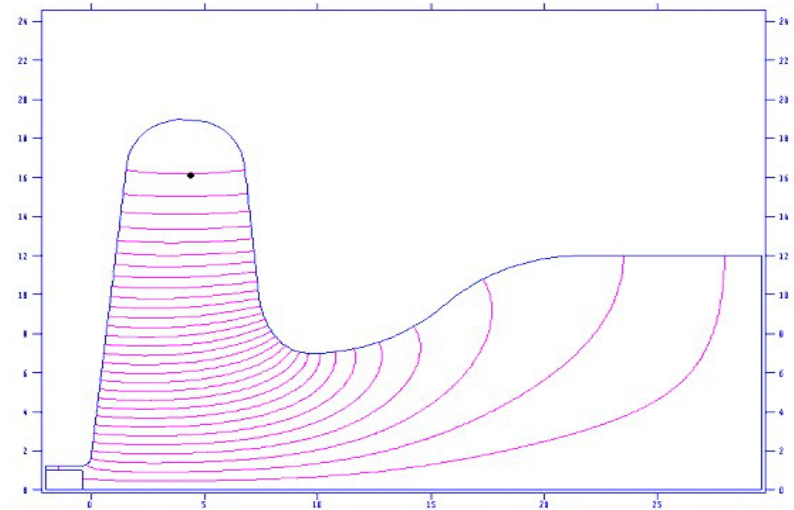
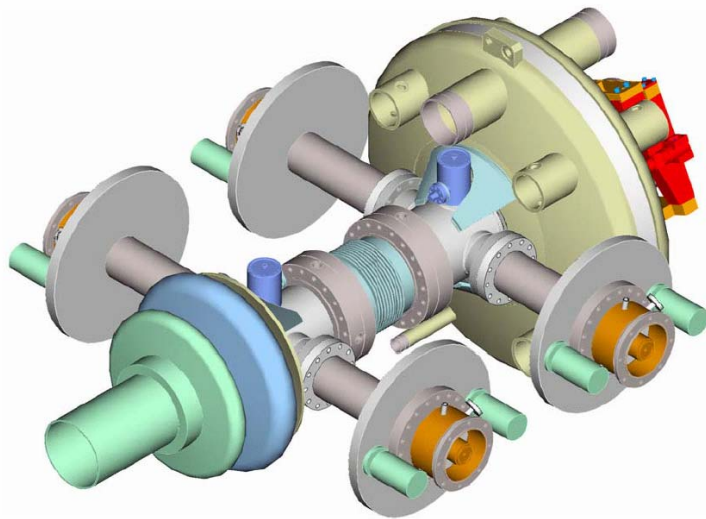


SRF Photoinjector can provide a very bright beam in CW operation!



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A New SRF Photoinjector is being designed, at 703.75 MHz.



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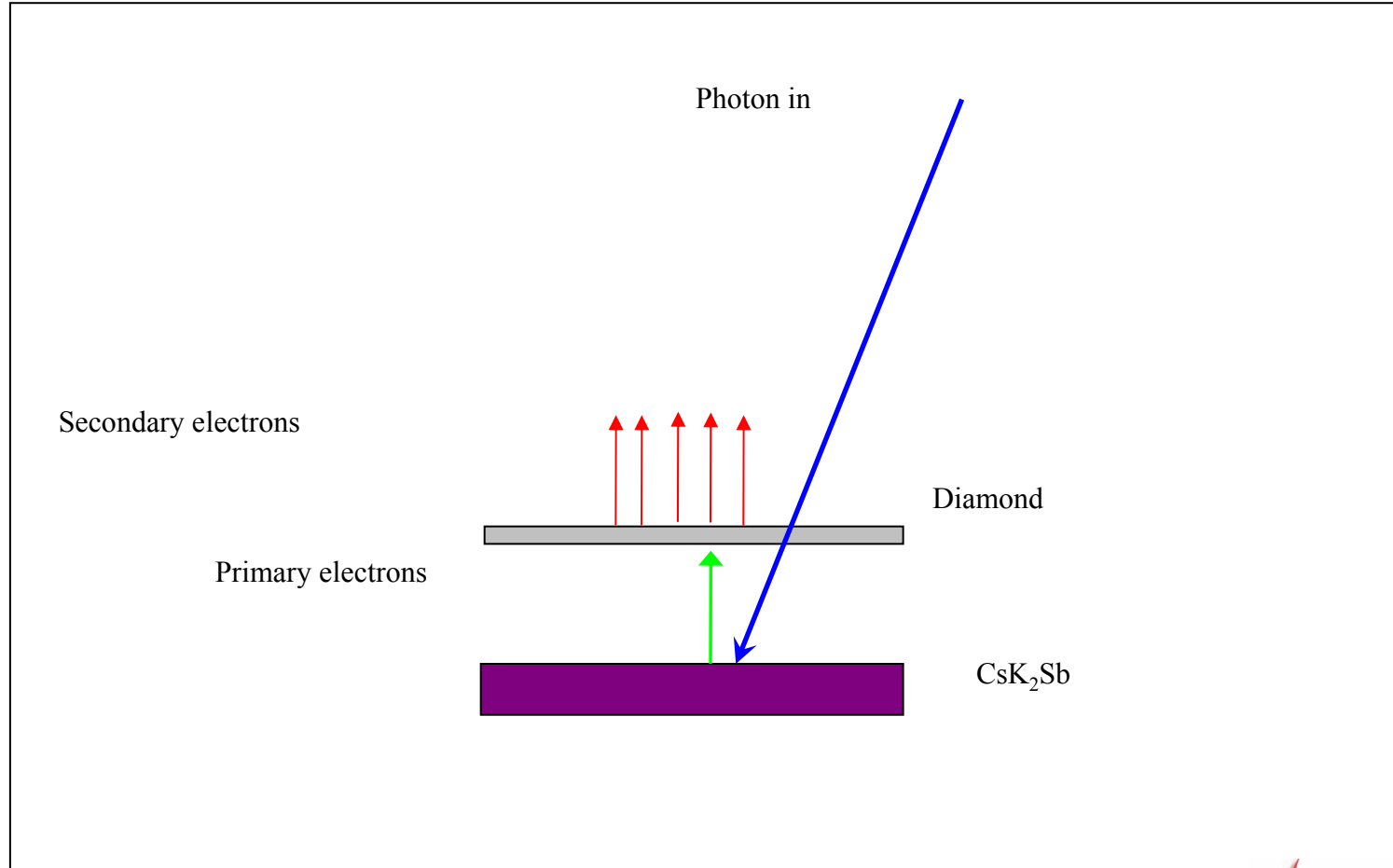
Photocathode and laser system: Arguably the critical challenge

- Cathode quantum efficiency – tied to the laser size and complexity.
- Cathode lifetime (contamination) and vacuum requirements.
- Gun contamination by cathode materials.
- Complicated load-lock mechanisms.
- Thermal emittance, promptness.

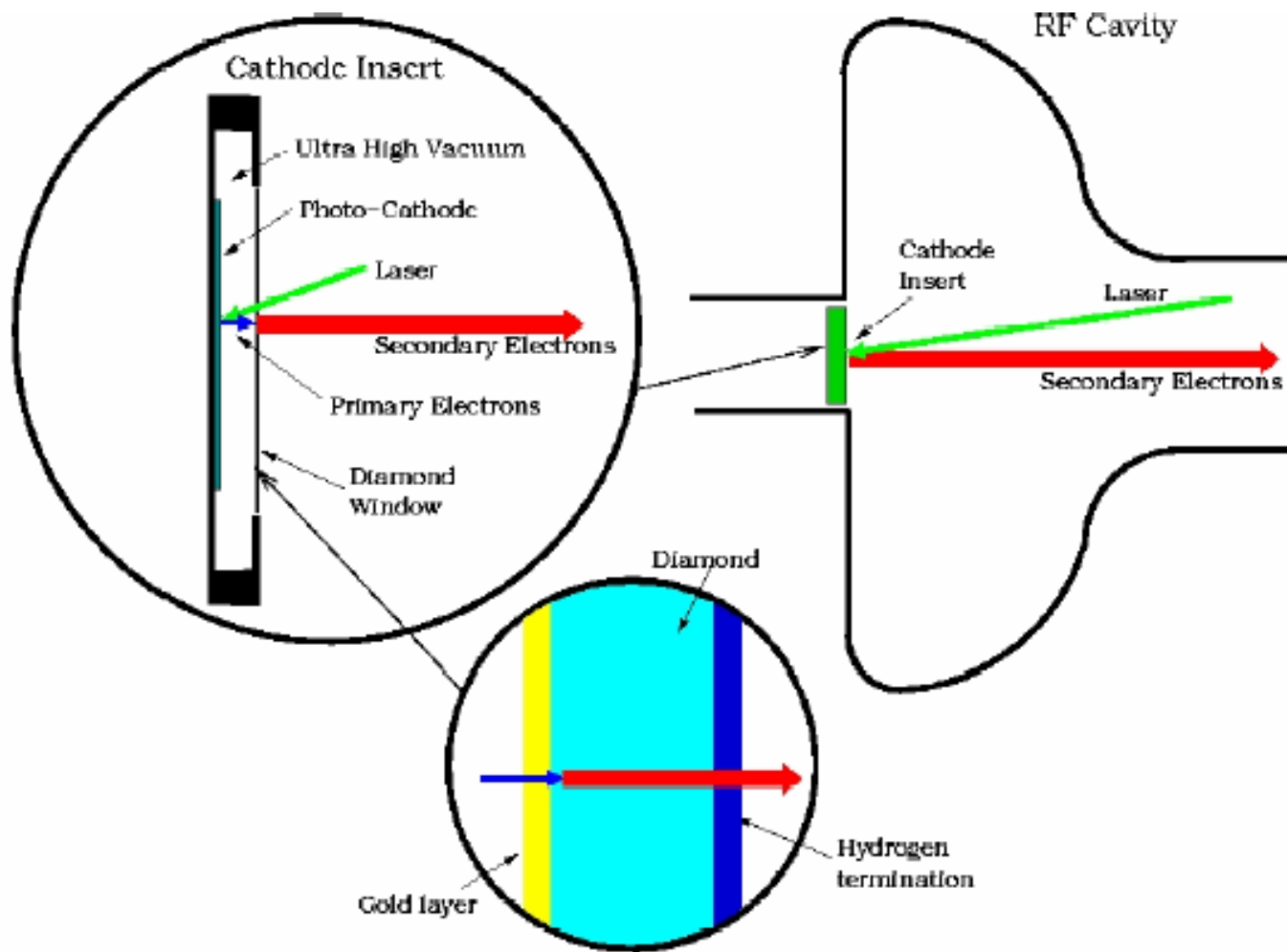
Desirable photocathode properties

- Be compatible with a superconducting gun.
- Have high quantum efficiency.
- Have long life.
- Have prompt emission.
- Sealed cathode capsule, exposable to air.
- Have a low thermal emittance.

Diamond window amplification: The basic idea



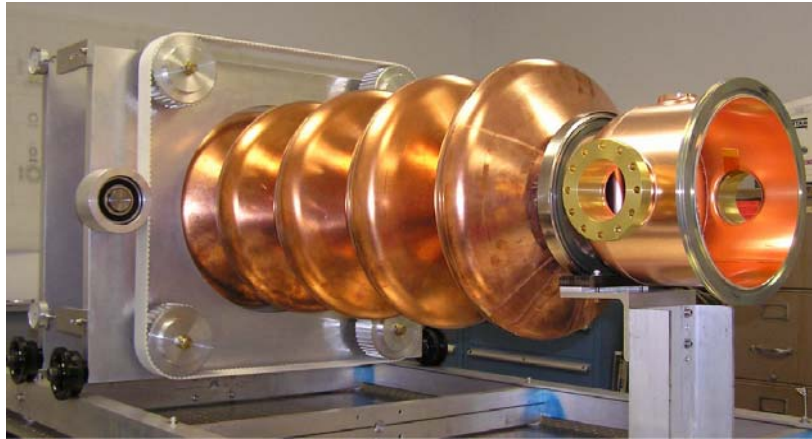
Schematic Arrangement of the System



Diamond as a Secondary emitter:

- High gain amplification: 100 or more.
- Good thermal conductivity ($\sim 300 \text{ W.cm}^{-1}.\text{k}^{-1}$ at low T).
- Negative electron affinity
- Strong mechanically (sealed capsule)
- Thickness dictated by
 - Transport time (100 ps across 10 microns)
 - Temporal spread (< 5 ps for 1 nC bunches)
 - Thermal properties (about 30 watts for 0.5 amperes)
 - Mechanical properties

The Ampere-Class ERL Cavity



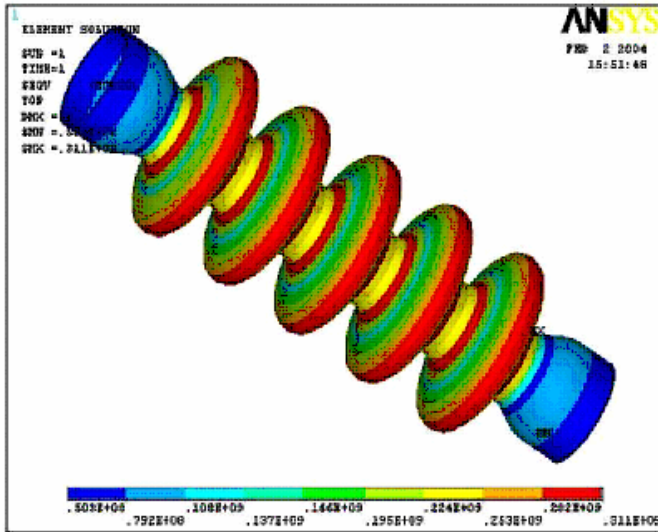
Copper model of the 703.75 MHz
high-current ERL cavity.

The niobium cavity is under construction

Cavity parameters

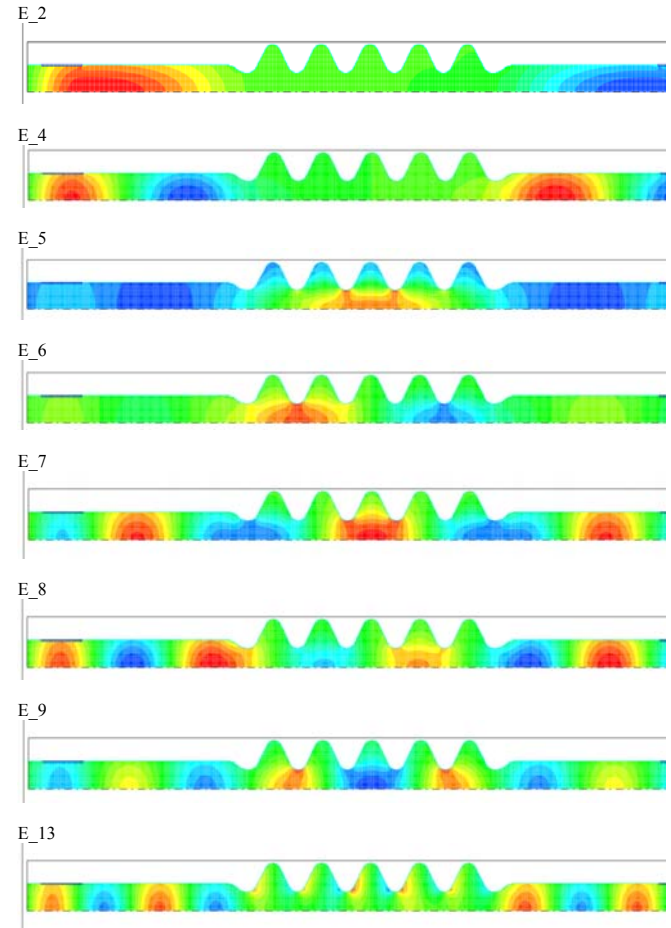
Property	Units	Value
Frequency	MHz	703.75
E_p/E_a	-	2.0
H_p/E_a	mT/(MV/m)	5.8
R/Q	Ω	807
Geometrical factor	Ω	225
Cell-to-cell coupling	%	3
Expected unloaded Q	-	2×10^{10}
Dynamic power loss	Watt	22
External Q	-	2×10^7
Max. amplifier power	kW	50
1 st Mechanical resonance	Hz	96
Lorentz detuning	Hz/(MV/m) ²	1.5
Loss factor	V/pC	1.2

Detailed Computer Simulation



MAFIA:
All modes
well damped

ANSYS:
Cavity very
stiff. Lowest
mode (no
LHe tank)
is ~100 Hz

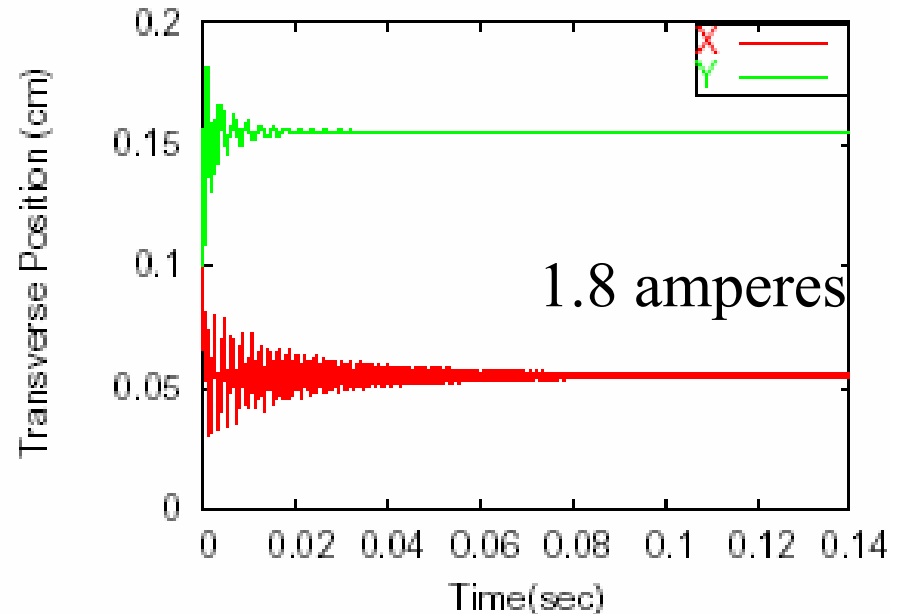


Other codes used:
BUILDCAVITY / SUPERFISH
ABCI, TDBBU, MATBBU

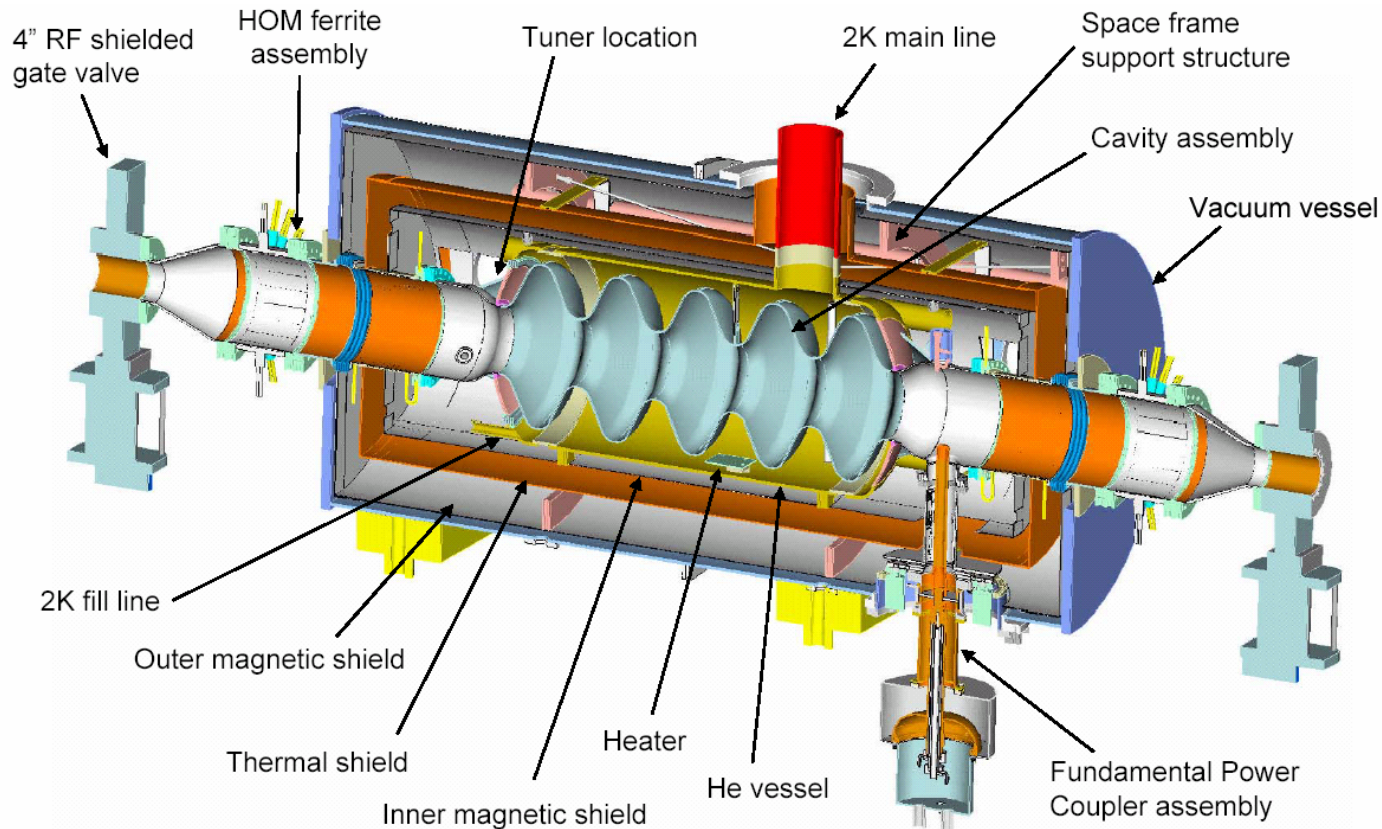
How to make a linac cavity capable of over 1 ampere?

- Good cavity / HOM design, using very large beam ports to guide HOM to ferrite absorbers.
- Design has excellent SRF cavity properties, low loss factor and high BBU threshold

TDBBU:



Cryomodule design passed Final Design Review



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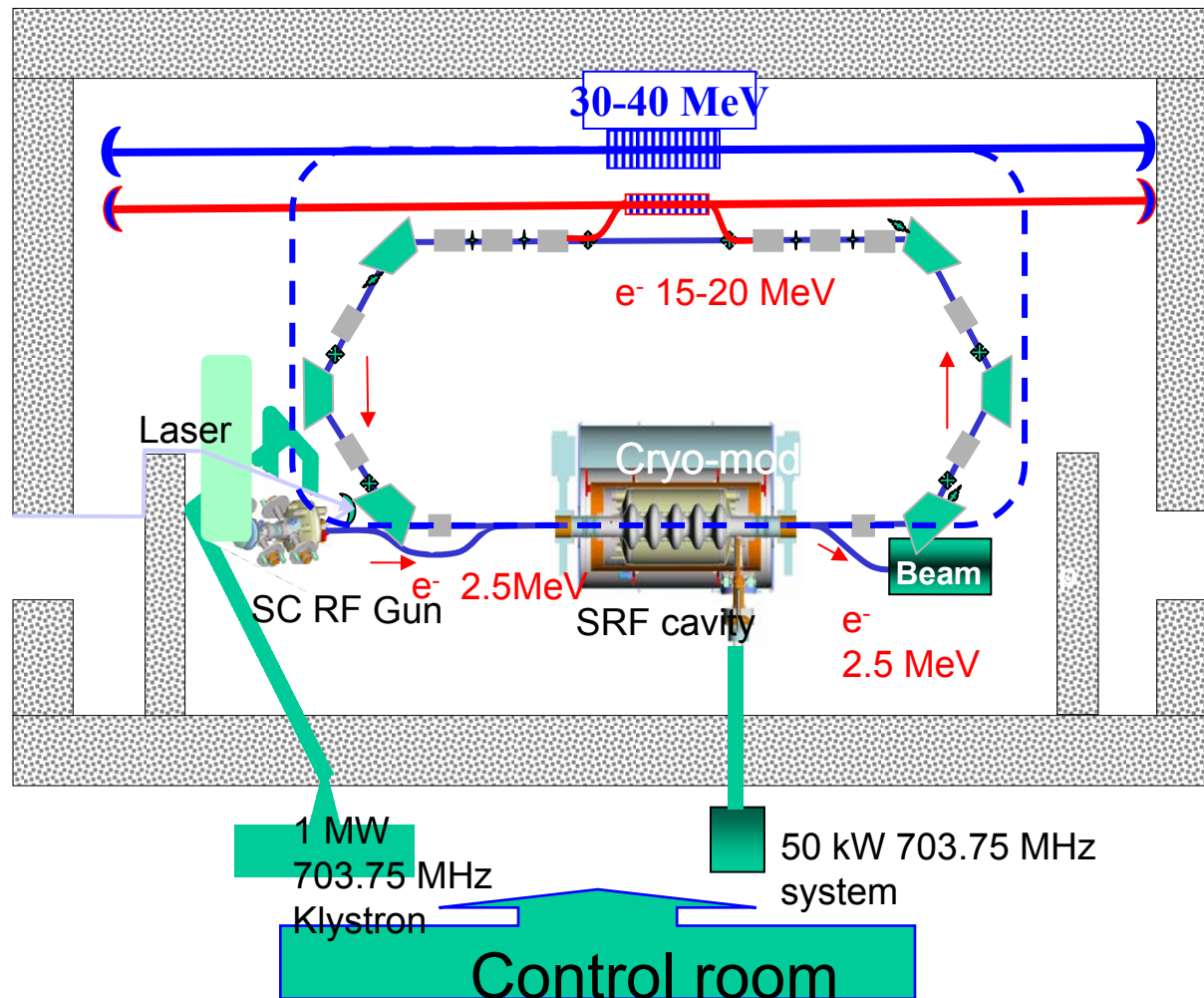
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ERL Program

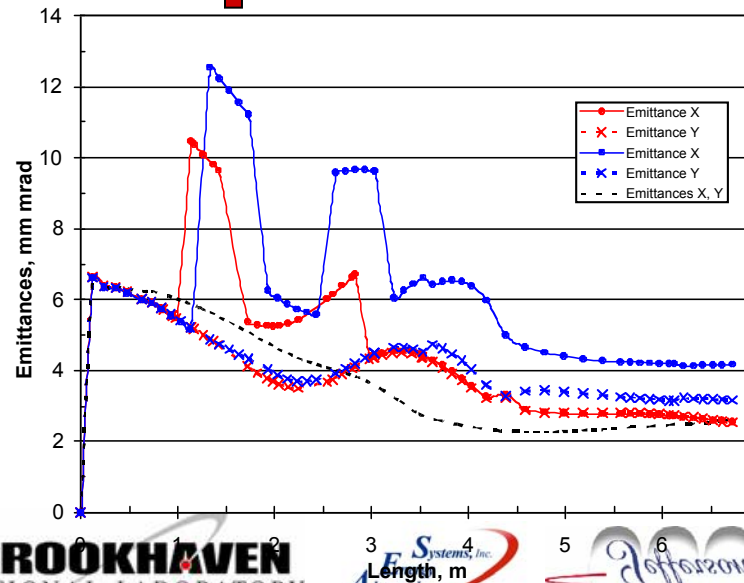
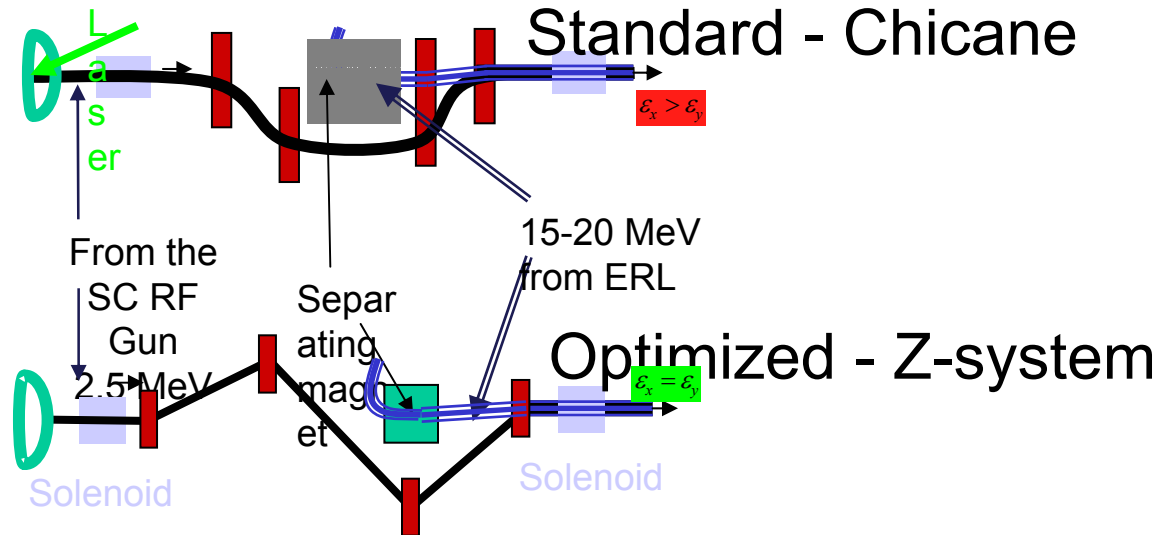
- The components described above will be used to construct a R&D ERL.
- **We plan to start commissioning of the R&D ERL in late 2006/early 2007**
- The prototype ERL will demonstrate the main parameters of the e-beam required for e-cooling
- The prototype will also serve as a test bed for studying issues relevant for very high current ERLs and high power FELs



ERL / FEL parameters

- **Energy [MeV]** 20 → 40
- Charge/bunch (nC) 1.3
- Bunch frequency (MHz) 352
- **Wavelength [μm]** 10 → 2.5
– *with micro-wiggler* (5 → 1)
- Beam Power (MW) 10 → 20
- FEL ext. efficiency 1%
- **FEL power (kW)** 100 → 200

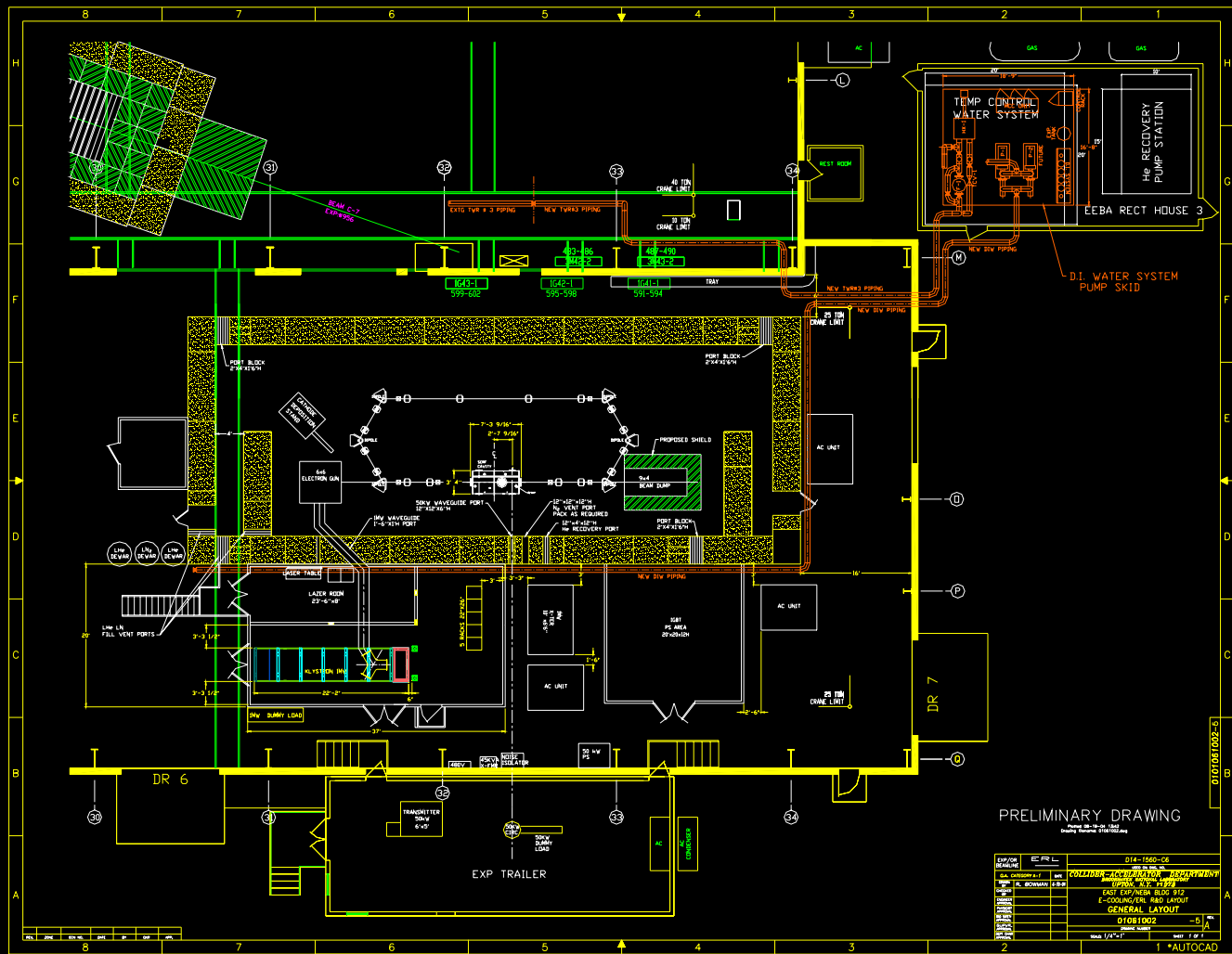
Improved beam merging optics



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50 kW amplifier



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Conclusions

- A number of new developments are followed towards the production of ampere-class high-brightness electron beams. These include:
 - Gun
 - Photocathode
 - ERL cavity
 - ERL
- A construction and experimental program are in place with a goal of commissioning in late 2006 or early 2007.