

# RF Cavity Design

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# Overview

- DC versus RF
  - Basic equations: Lorentz & Maxwell, RF breakdown
- Some theory: from waveguide to pillbox
  - rectangular waveguide, waveguide dispersion, standing waves ... waveguide resonators, round waveguides, Pillbox cavity
- Accelerating gap
  - Induction cell, ferrite cavity, drift tube linac, transit time factor
- Characterizing a cavity
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  - beam loading, loss factor, RF to beam efficiency,
  - transverse effects, Panofsky-Wenzel, higher order modes, PS 80 MHz cavity (magnetic coupling)
- More examples of cavities
  - PEP II, LEP cavities, PS 40 MHz cavity (electric coupling),
- RF Power sources
- Many gaps
  - Why?
  - Example: side coupled linac, LIBO
- Travelling wave structures
  - Brillouin diagram, iris loaded structure, waveguide coupling
- Superconducting Accelerating Structures
- RFQ's

# DC VERSUS RF

# DC versus RF

DC accelerator



RF accelerator





# Lorentz force

A charged particle moving with velocity  $\vec{v}$  through an electromagnetic field experiences a force

$$\frac{d\vec{p}}{dt} = q(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B}) \quad \vec{v} = \frac{\vec{p}}{m\gamma}$$

The energy of the particle is  $W = \sqrt{(mc^2)^2 + (pc)^2} = \gamma mc^2$   
 $W_{kin} = mc^2(\gamma - 1)$

Change of  $W$  due to the this force (work done) ; differentiate:

$$WdW = c^2 \vec{p} \cdot d\vec{p} = qc^2 \vec{p} \cdot (\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B}) dt = qc^2 \vec{p} \cdot \vec{E} dt$$

$$dW = q\vec{v} \cdot \vec{E} dt$$

Note: no work is done by the magnetic field.

# Maxwell's equations (in vacuum)

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \vec{E} = \mu_0 \vec{J} \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \vec{B} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \mu_0 c^2 \rho$$

why not DC?

1) DC ( $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \equiv 0$ ):  $\nabla \times \vec{E} = 0$  which is solved by  $\vec{E} = -\nabla \Phi$

Limit: If you want to gain 1 MeV, you need a potential of 1 MV!

2) Circular machine: DC acceleration impossible since  $\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} = 0$

With time-varying fields:

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \vec{B} \quad \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} = -\iint \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

# Maxwell's equation in vacuum (contd.)

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \vec{E} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \vec{B} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{E} = 0$$

curl of 3<sup>rd</sup> and  $\frac{\partial}{\partial t}$  of 1<sup>st</sup> equation:

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \vec{E} + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \vec{E} = 0$$

vector identity:

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \vec{E} = \nabla \nabla \cdot \vec{E} - \Delta \vec{E}$$

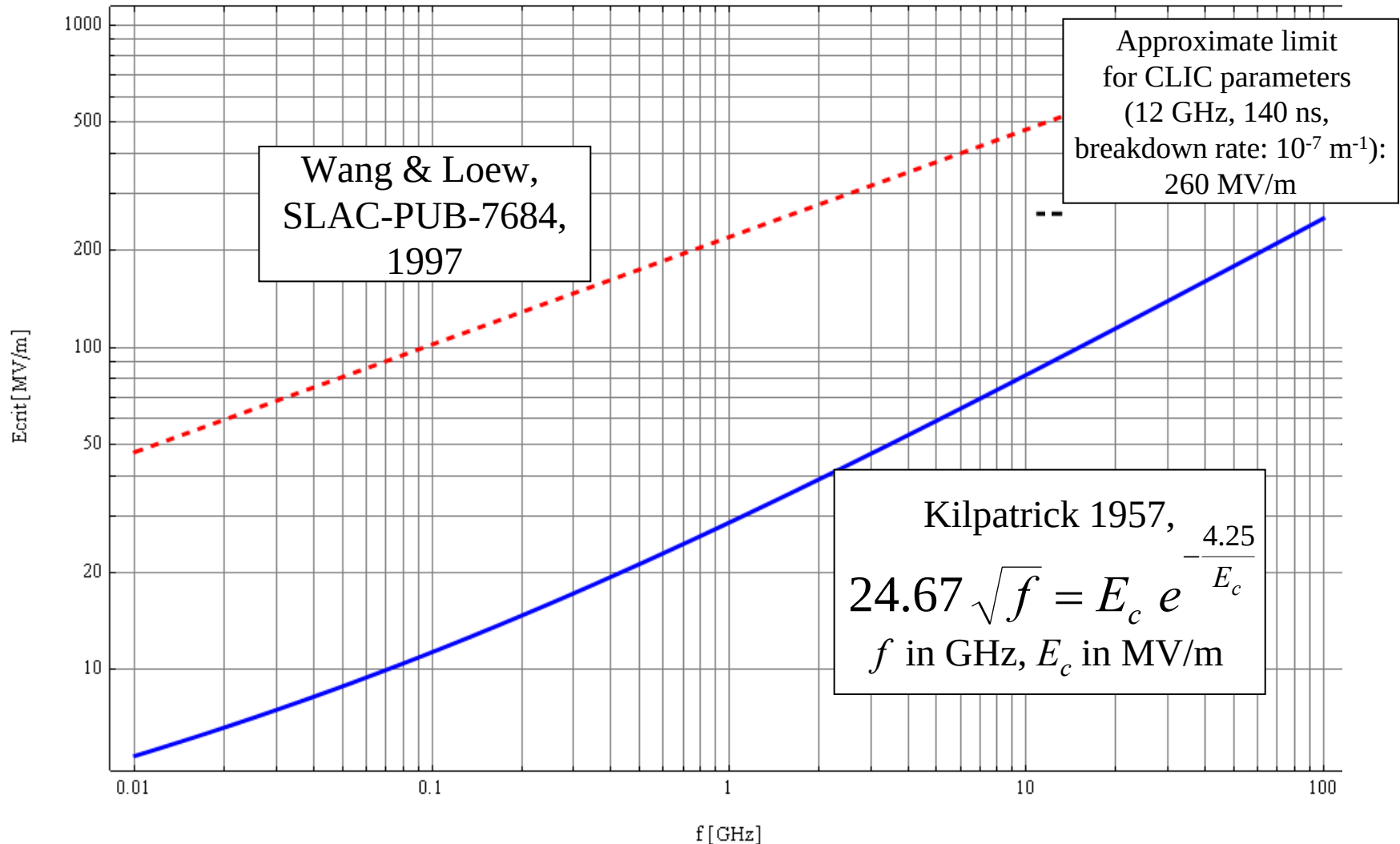
with 4<sup>th</sup> equation :

$$\Delta \vec{E} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \vec{E} = 0$$

i.e. Laplace in 4 dimensions

# Another reason for RF: breakdown limit

surface field, in vacuum, Cu surface, room temperature



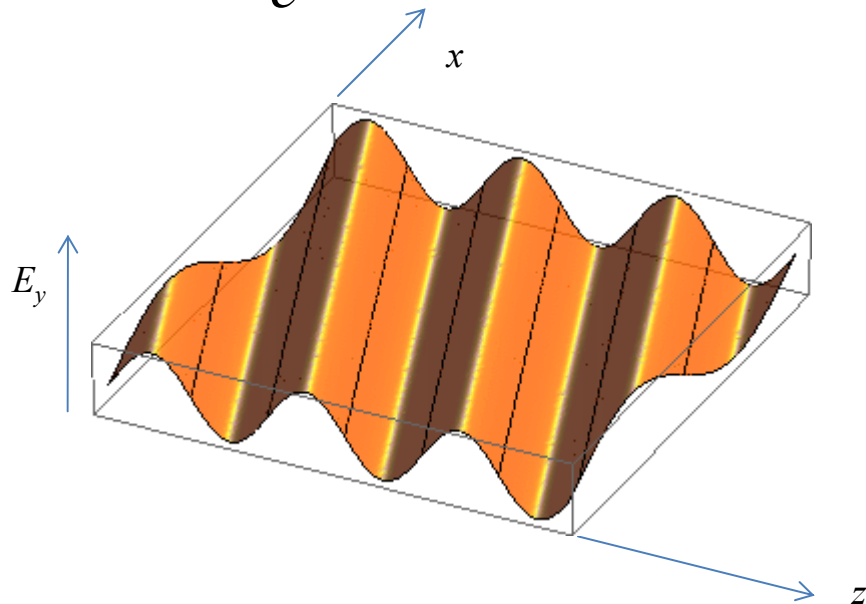
# FROM WAVEGUIDE TO PILLBOX

# Homogeneous plane wave

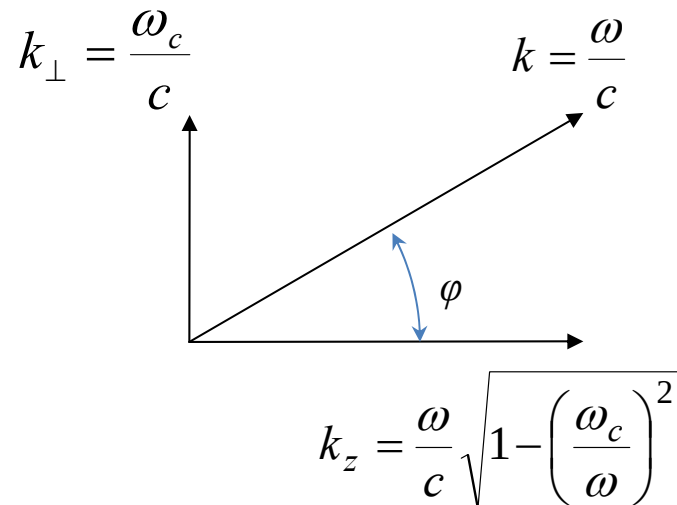
$$\vec{E} \propto \vec{u}_y \cos(\omega t - \vec{k} \cdot \vec{r})$$

$$\vec{B} \propto \vec{u}_x \cos(\omega t - \vec{k} \cdot \vec{r})$$

$$\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} = \frac{\omega}{c} (\cos(\varphi)z + \sin(\varphi)x)$$

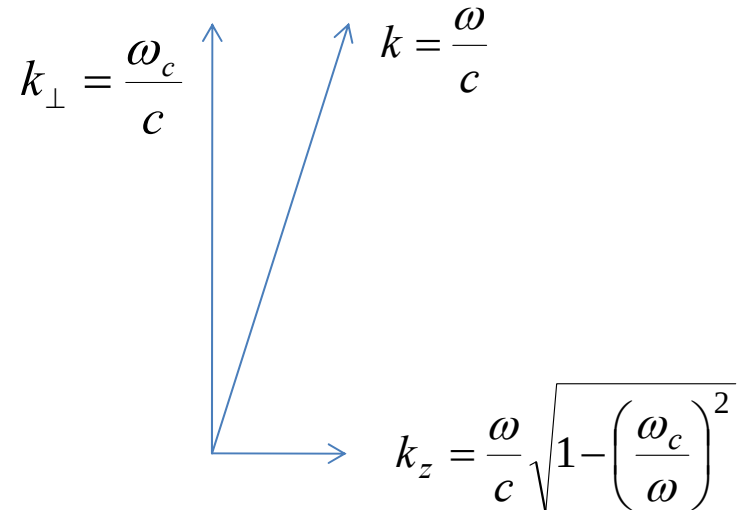
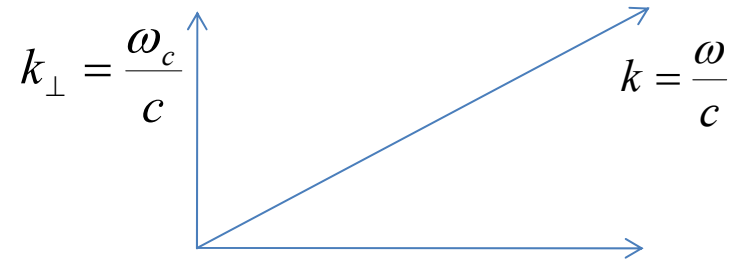
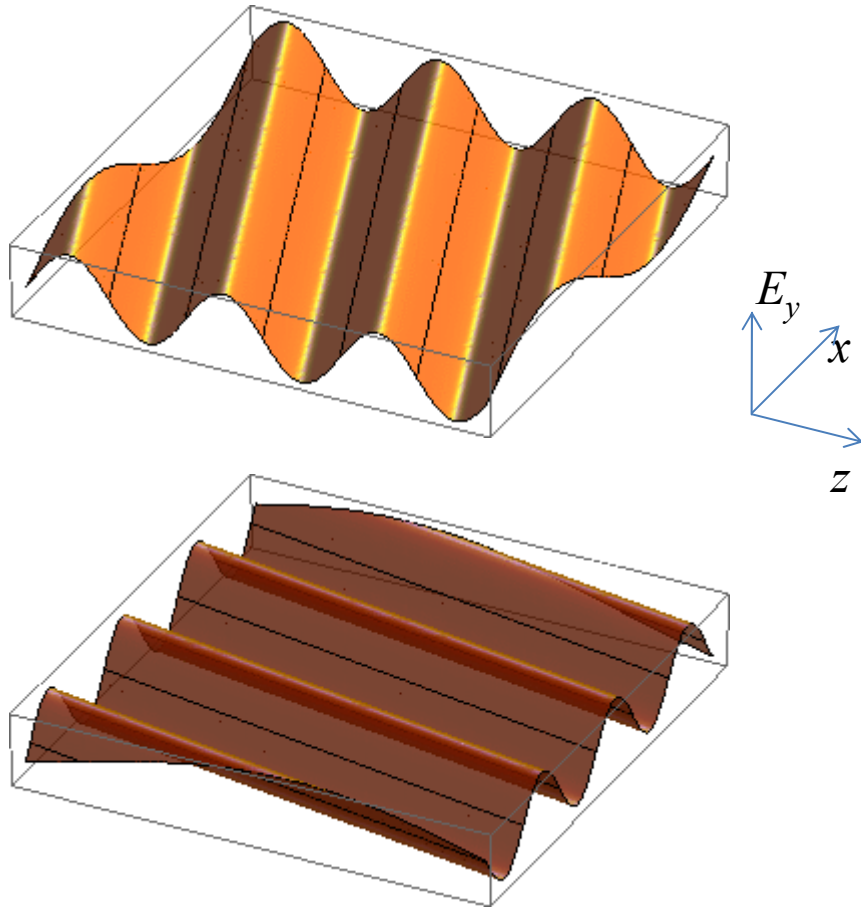


**Wave vector**  $\vec{k}$   
 the direction of  $\vec{k}$  is the direction of propagation,  
 the length of  $\vec{k}$  is the phase shift per unit length.  
 $\vec{k}$  behaves like a vector.

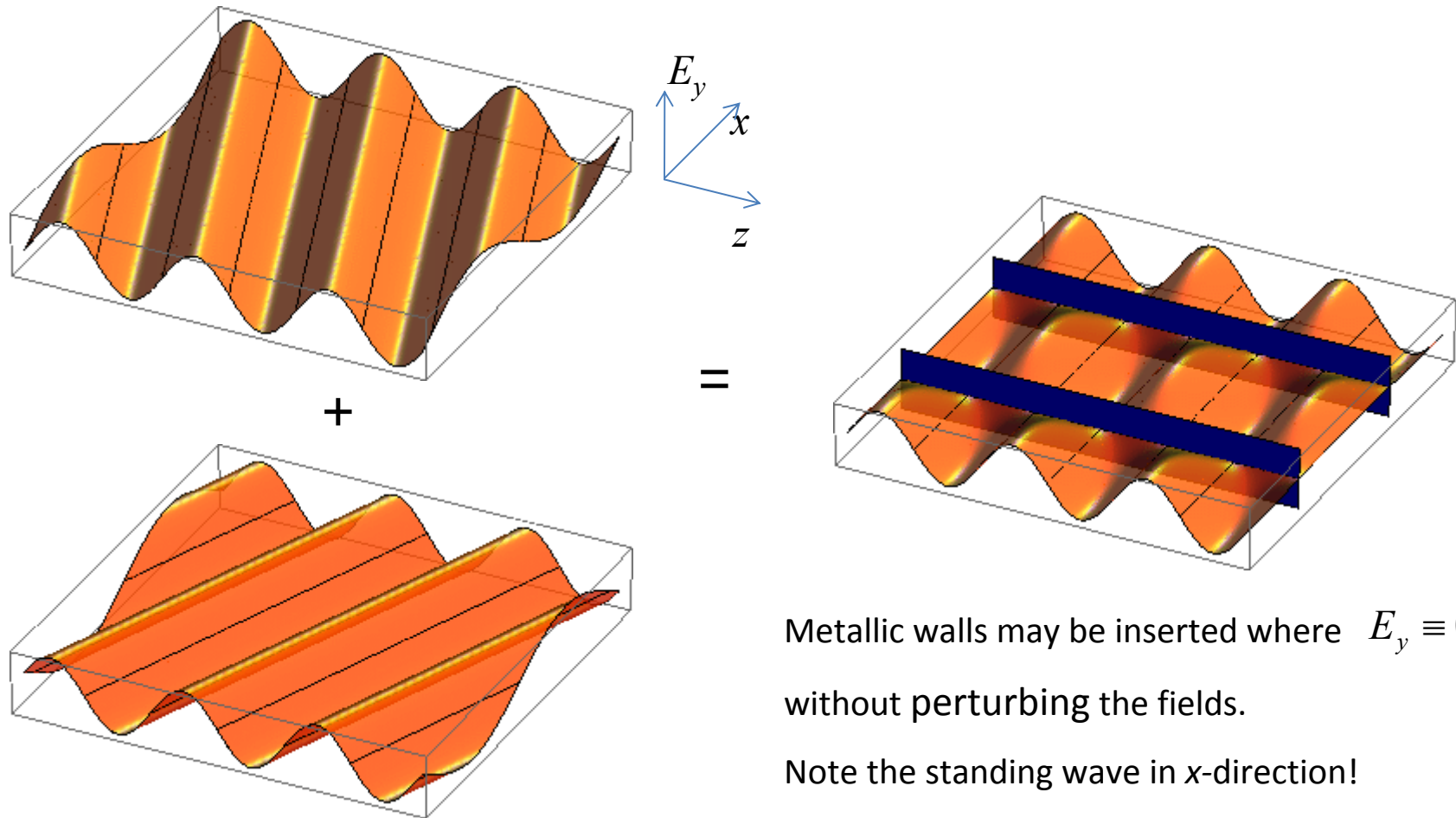


# Wave length, phase velocity

- The components of  $\vec{k}$  are related to the wavelength in the direction of that component as  $\lambda_z = \frac{2\pi}{k_z}$  etc. , to the phase velocity as  $v_{\phi,z} = \frac{\omega}{k_z} = f \lambda_z$ .



# Superposition of 2 homogeneous plane waves



Metallic walls may be inserted where  $E_y \equiv 0$   
without perturbing the fields.

Note the standing wave in  $x$ -direction!

This way one gets a hollow rectangular waveguide



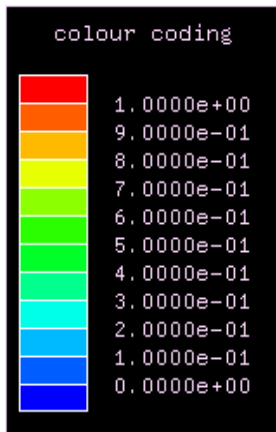
# Rectangular waveguide

Fundamental ( $TE_{10}$  or  $H_{10}$ ) mode  
in a standard rectangular waveguide.

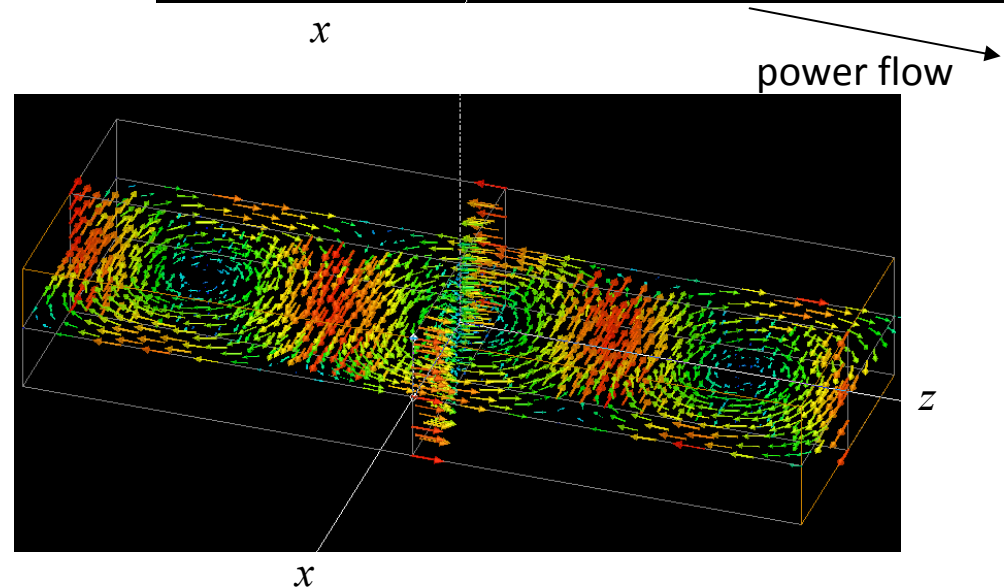
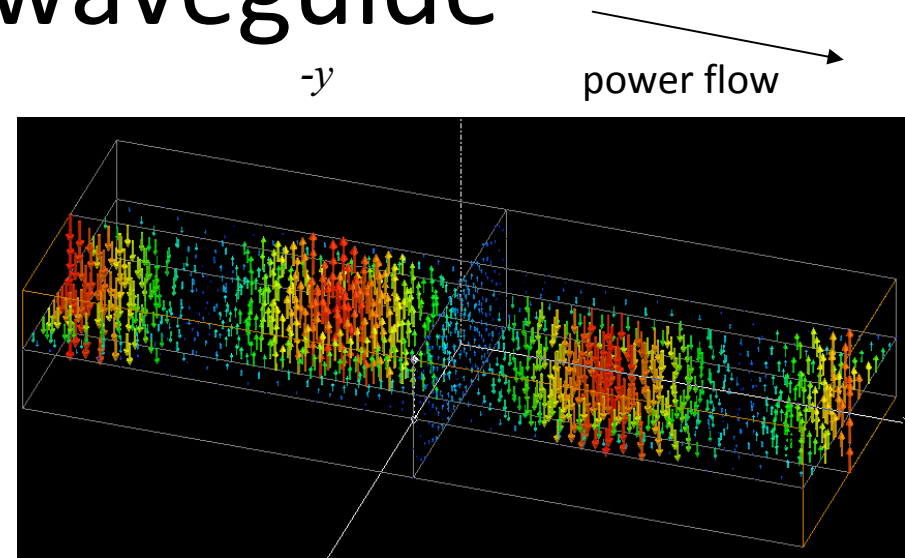
E.g. forward wave

electric field

power flow:  $\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \iint_{\text{cross section}} \vec{E} \times \vec{H}^* \cdot d\vec{A} \right\}$

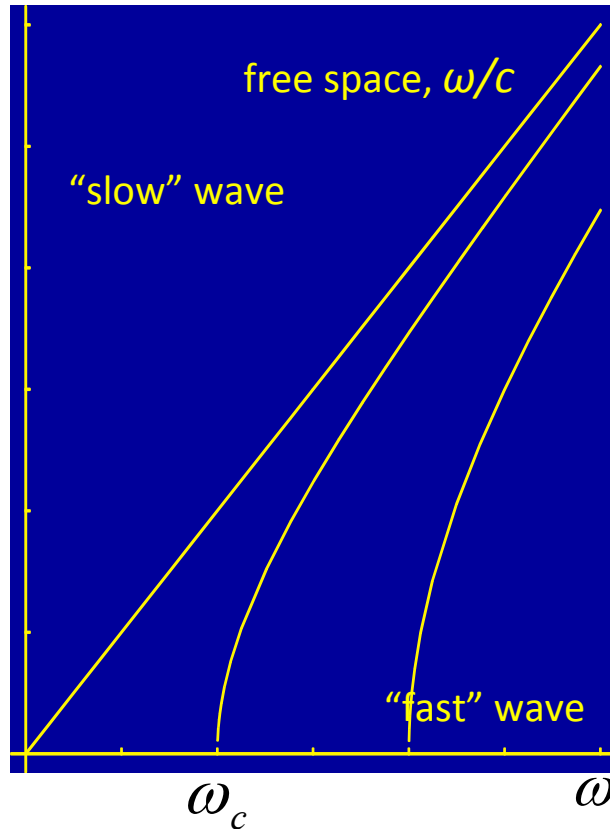


magnetic field



# Waveguide dispersion

$$k_z = \text{Im}\{\gamma\} = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda_g}$$



e.g.: TE<sub>10</sub>-wave in rectangular waveguide:

$$\gamma = j\sqrt{\left(\frac{\omega}{c}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{a}\right)^2}$$

$$Z_0 = \frac{j\omega\mu}{\gamma}$$

$$\lambda_{\text{cutoff}} = 2a$$

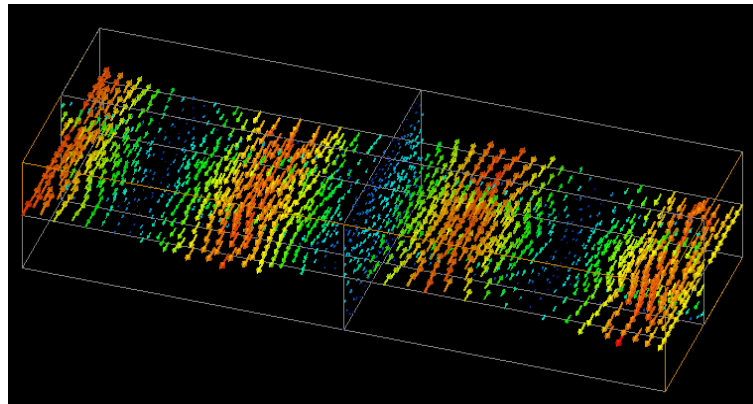
general cylindrical waveguide:

$$\gamma = j\sqrt{\left(\frac{\omega}{c}\right)^2 - k_{\perp}^2}$$

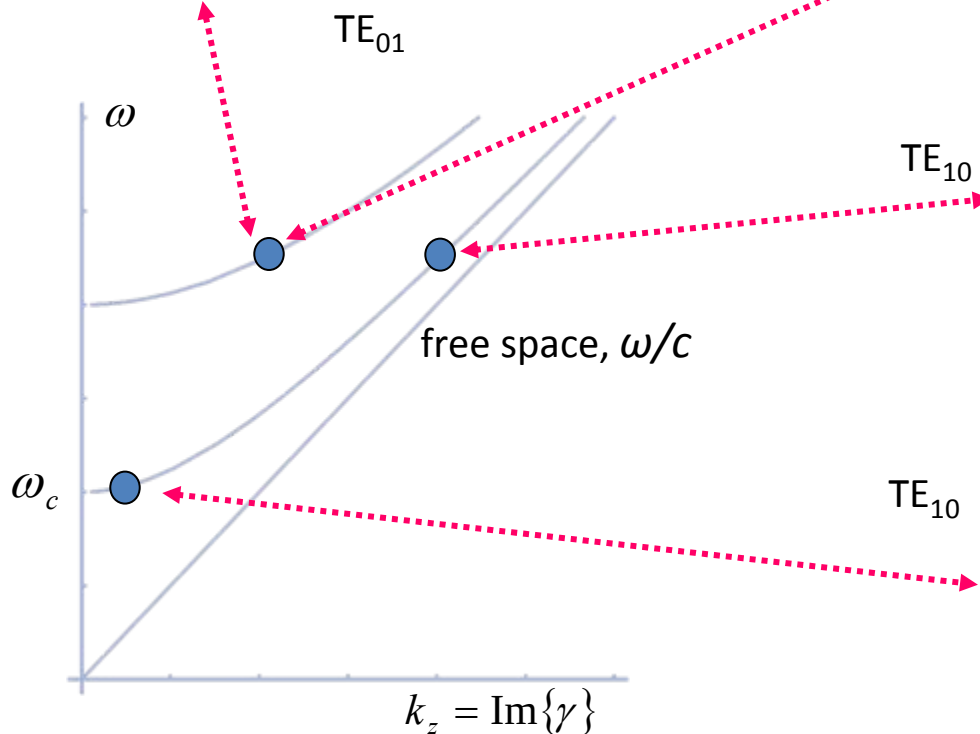
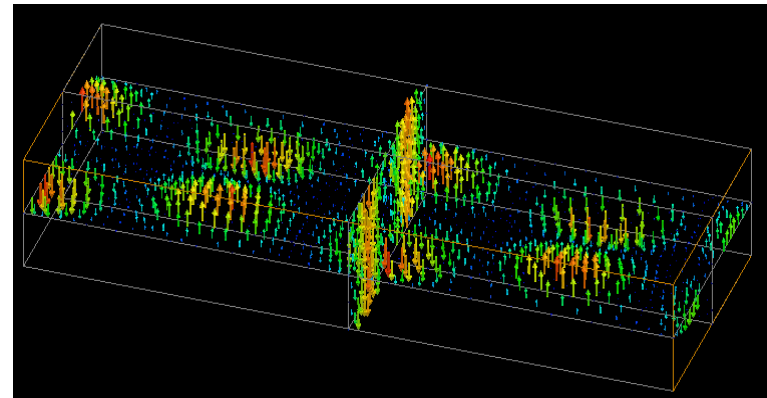
$$Z_0 = \frac{j\omega\mu}{\gamma} \text{ for TE, } Z_0 = \frac{\gamma}{j\omega\epsilon} \text{ for TM}$$

In a hollow waveguide: phase velocity > c, group velocity < c

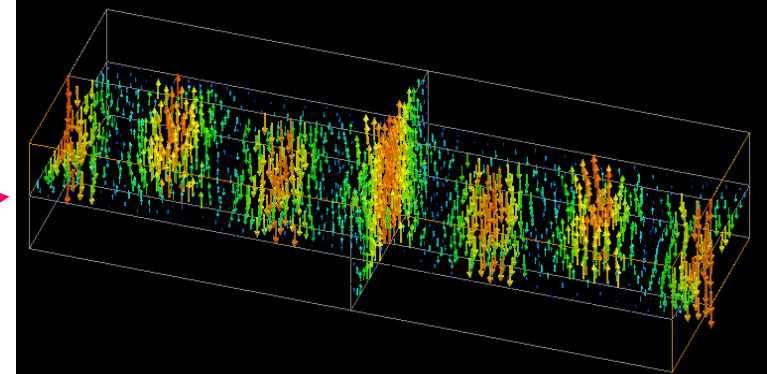
# Waveguide dispersion (continued: Higher Order Modes)



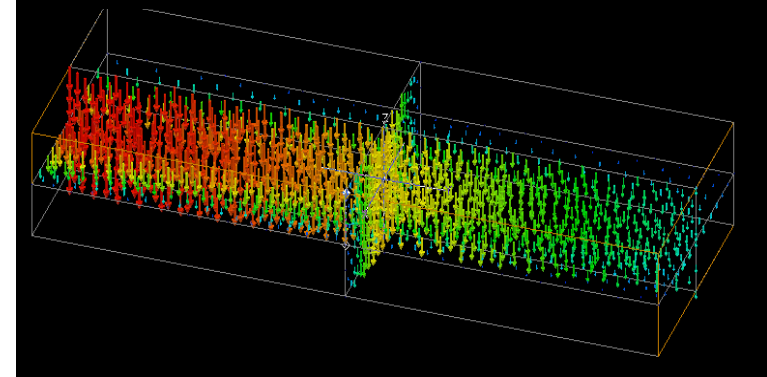
TE<sub>20</sub>



TE<sub>10</sub>



TE<sub>10</sub>



# General waveguide equations:

Transverse wave equation (membrane equation):  $\Delta T + \left(\frac{\omega_c}{c}\right)^2 T = 0$

TE (or H) modes

TM (or E) modes

boundary condition:

$$\vec{n} \cdot \nabla T = 0$$

$$T = 0$$

longitudinal wave equations  
(transmission line equations):

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dU(z)}{dz} + \gamma Z_0 I(z) &= 0 \\ \frac{dI(z)}{dz} + \frac{\gamma}{Z_0} U(z) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

propagation constant:

$$\gamma = j \frac{\omega}{c} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{\omega_c}{\omega}\right)^2}$$

characteristic impedance:

$$Z_0 = \frac{j\omega\mu}{\gamma}$$

$$Z_0 = \frac{\gamma}{j\omega\epsilon}$$

ortho-normal eigenvectors:

$$\vec{e} = \vec{u}_z \times \nabla T$$

$$\vec{e} = -\nabla T$$

transverse fields:

$$\vec{E} = U(z) \vec{e}$$

$$\vec{H} = I(z) \vec{u}_z \times \vec{e}$$

longitudinal field:

$$H_z = \left(\frac{\omega_c}{c}\right)^2 \frac{T U(z)}{j\omega\mu}$$

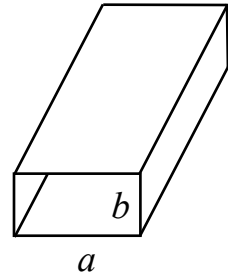
$$E_z = \left(\frac{\omega_c}{c}\right)^2 \frac{T I(z)}{j\omega\epsilon}$$

# Rectangular waveguide: transverse eigenfunctions

TE (H) modes: 
$$T_{mn}^{(H)} = \frac{1}{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{ab\epsilon_m\epsilon_n}{(mb)^2 + (na)^2}} \cos\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right)$$

TM (E) modes: 
$$T_{mn}^{(E)} = \frac{2}{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{ab}{(mb)^2 + (na)^2}} \sin\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right)$$

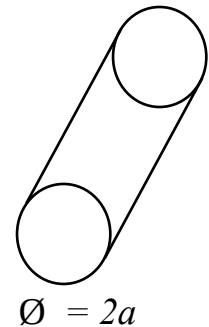
$$\frac{\omega_c}{c} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2}$$



# Round waveguide: transverse eigenfunctions

TE (H) modes: 
$$T_{mn}^{(H)} = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_m}{\pi(\chi_{mn}'^2 - m^2)}} \frac{J_m\left(\chi_{mn}' \frac{\rho}{a}\right)}{J_m(\chi_{mn}')} \begin{Bmatrix} \cos(m\varphi) \\ \sin(m\varphi) \end{Bmatrix}$$

TM (E) modes: 
$$T_{mn}^{(E)} = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_m}{\pi \chi_{mn} J_{m-1}(\chi_{mn})}} \frac{J_m\left(\chi_{mn} \frac{\rho}{a}\right)}{J_{m-1}(\chi_{mn})} \begin{Bmatrix} \sin(m\varphi) \\ \cos(m\varphi) \end{Bmatrix}$$



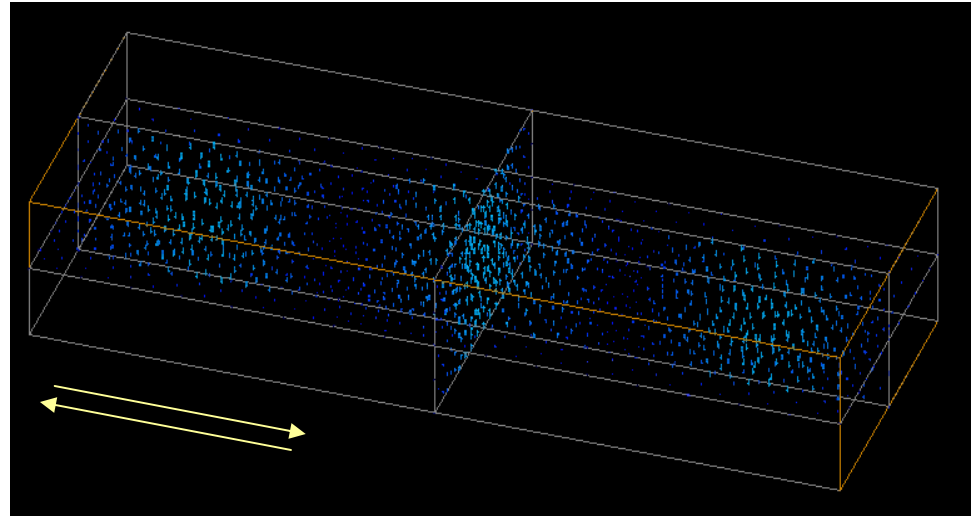
$$\frac{\omega_c}{c} = \frac{\chi_{mn}}{a}$$

where 
$$\epsilon_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } i = 0 \\ 2 & \text{for } i \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

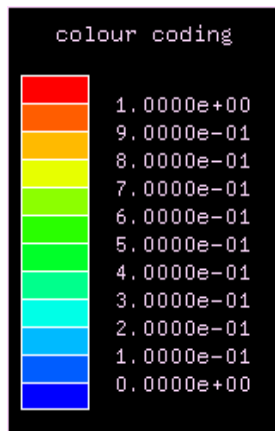
# Standing wave – resonator

Same as above, but two counter-running waves of identical amplitude.

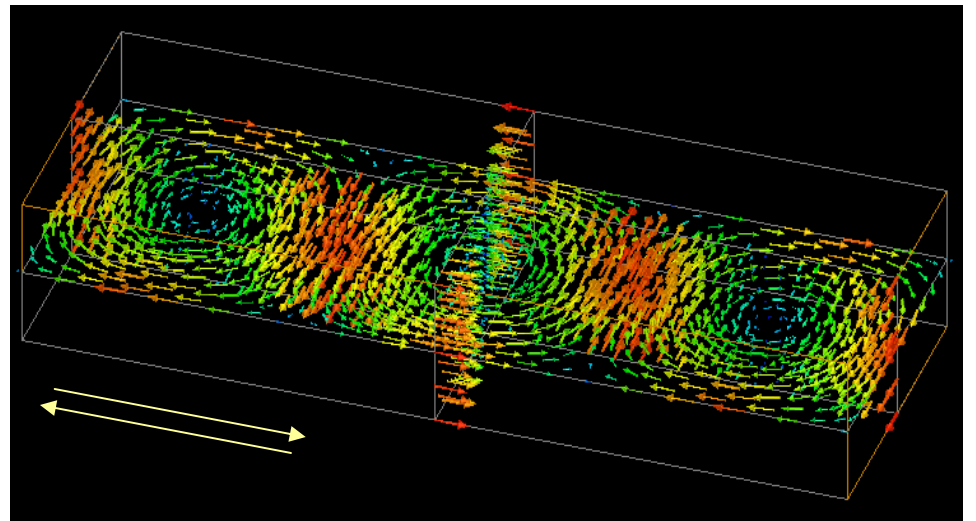
electric field



no net power flow: 
$$\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \iint_{\text{cross section}} \vec{E} \times \vec{H}^* \cdot d\vec{A} \right\} = 0$$

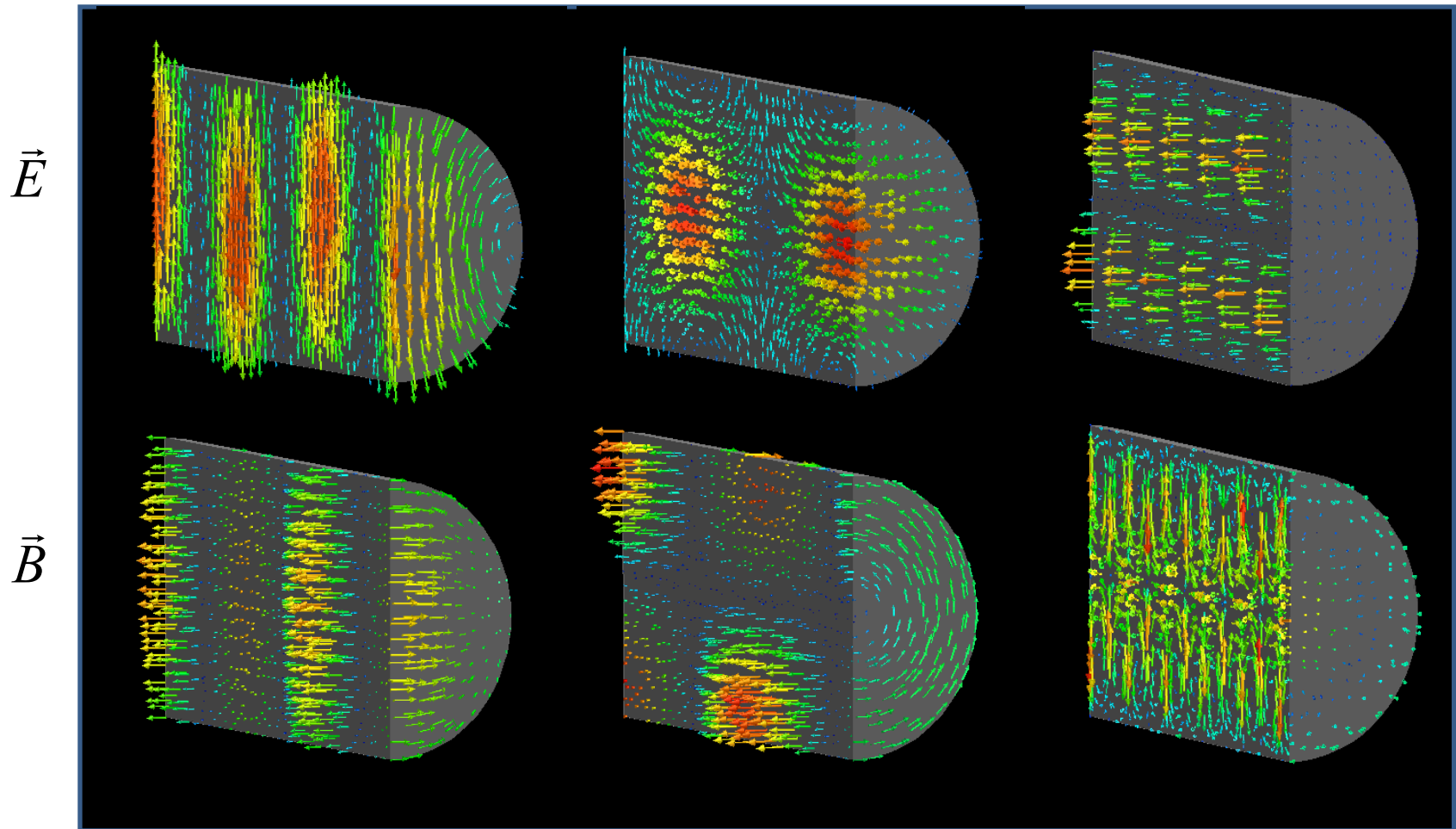


magnetic field  
(90° out of phase)



# Round waveguide

parameters used in calculation:  
 $f = 1.43, 1.09, 1.13 f_c$ ,  $a$ : radius



TE<sub>11</sub>: fundamental mode

$$\frac{f_c}{\text{GHz}} = \frac{87.85}{a / \text{mm}}$$

TM<sub>01</sub>: axial electric field

$$\frac{f_c}{\text{GHz}} = \frac{114.74}{a / \text{mm}}$$

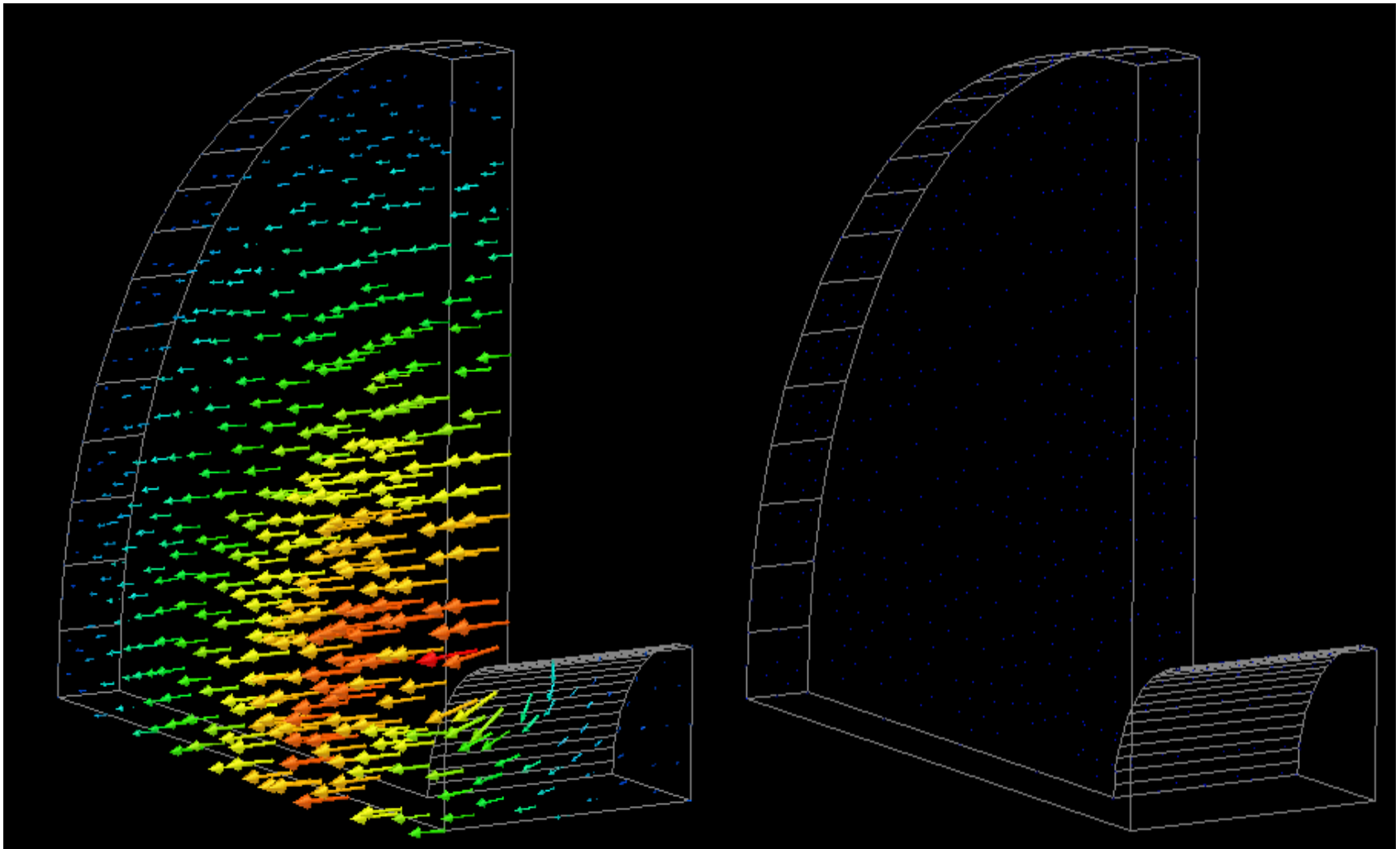
TE<sub>01</sub>: lowest losses!

$$\frac{f_c}{\text{GHz}} = \frac{334.74}{a / \text{mm}}$$

# Pillbox cavity

TM<sub>010</sub>-mode

(only 1/8 shown)



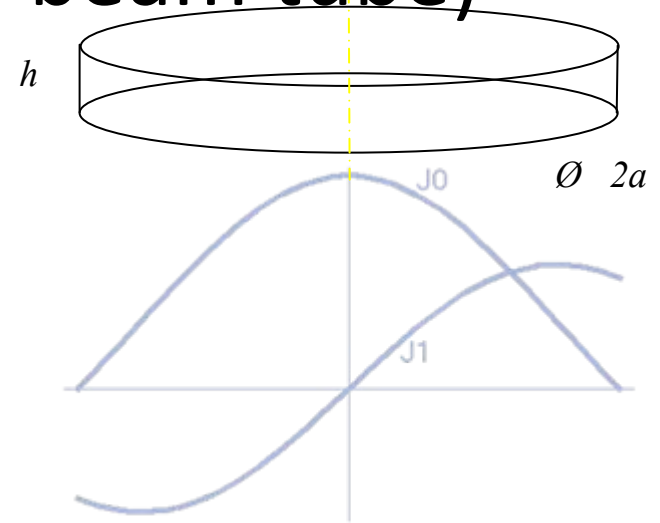
electric field

magnetic field



# Pillbox cavity field (w/o beam tube)

$$T(\rho, \varphi) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\pi}} \frac{J_0\left(\frac{\chi_{01}\rho}{a}\right)}{\chi_{01} J_1\left(\frac{\chi_{01}}{a}\right)} \quad \chi_{01} = 2.40483...$$



The only non-vanishing field components :

$$E_z = \frac{1}{j\omega\epsilon_0} \frac{\chi_{01}}{a} \sqrt{\frac{1}{\pi}} \frac{J_0\left(\frac{\chi_{01}\rho}{a}\right)}{a J_1\left(\frac{\chi_{01}}{a}\right)}$$

$$B_\varphi = \mu_0 \sqrt{\frac{1}{\pi}} \frac{J_1\left(\frac{\chi_{01}\rho}{a}\right)}{a J_1\left(\frac{\chi_{01}}{a}\right)}$$

for later:

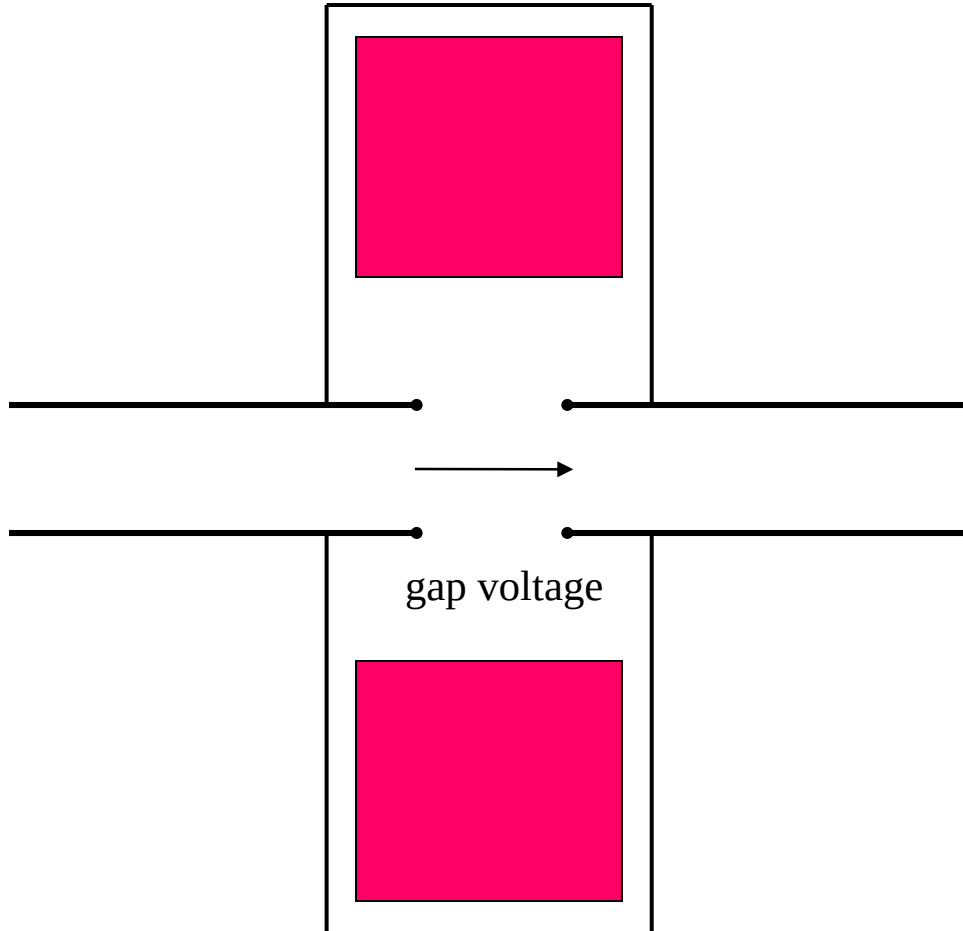
$$\omega_0|_{pillbox} = \frac{\chi_{01} c}{a} \quad \eta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0}} = 377 \Omega$$

$$Q|_{pillbox} = \frac{\sqrt{2a\eta\sigma\chi_{01}}}{2\left(1 + \frac{a}{h}\right)}$$

$$\frac{R}{Q}|_{pillbox} = \frac{4\eta}{\chi_{01}^3 \pi J_1^2(\chi_{01})} \frac{\sin^2\left(\frac{\chi_{01} h}{2a}\right)}{h/a}$$

# **ACCELERATING GAP**

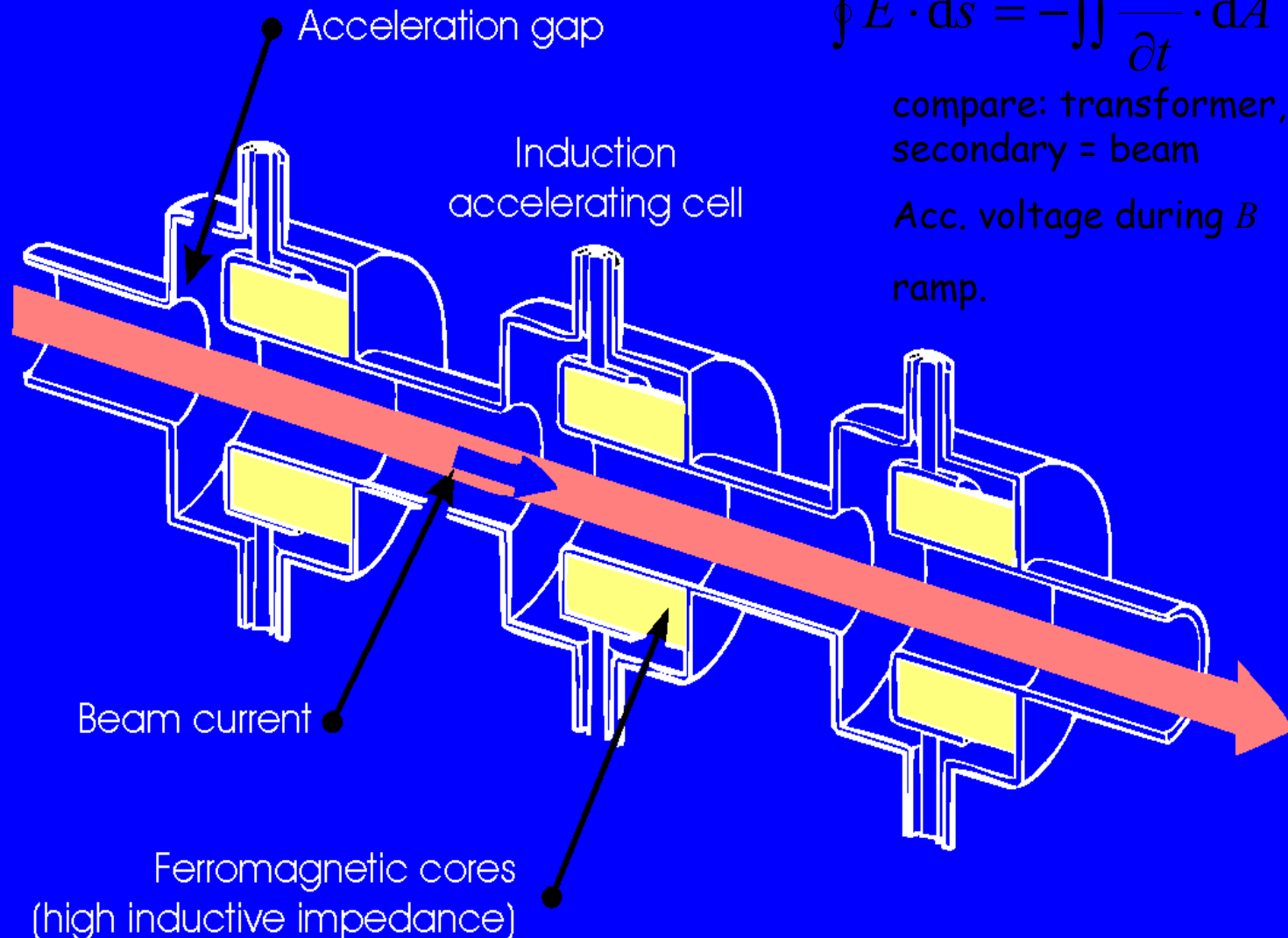
# Accelerating gap



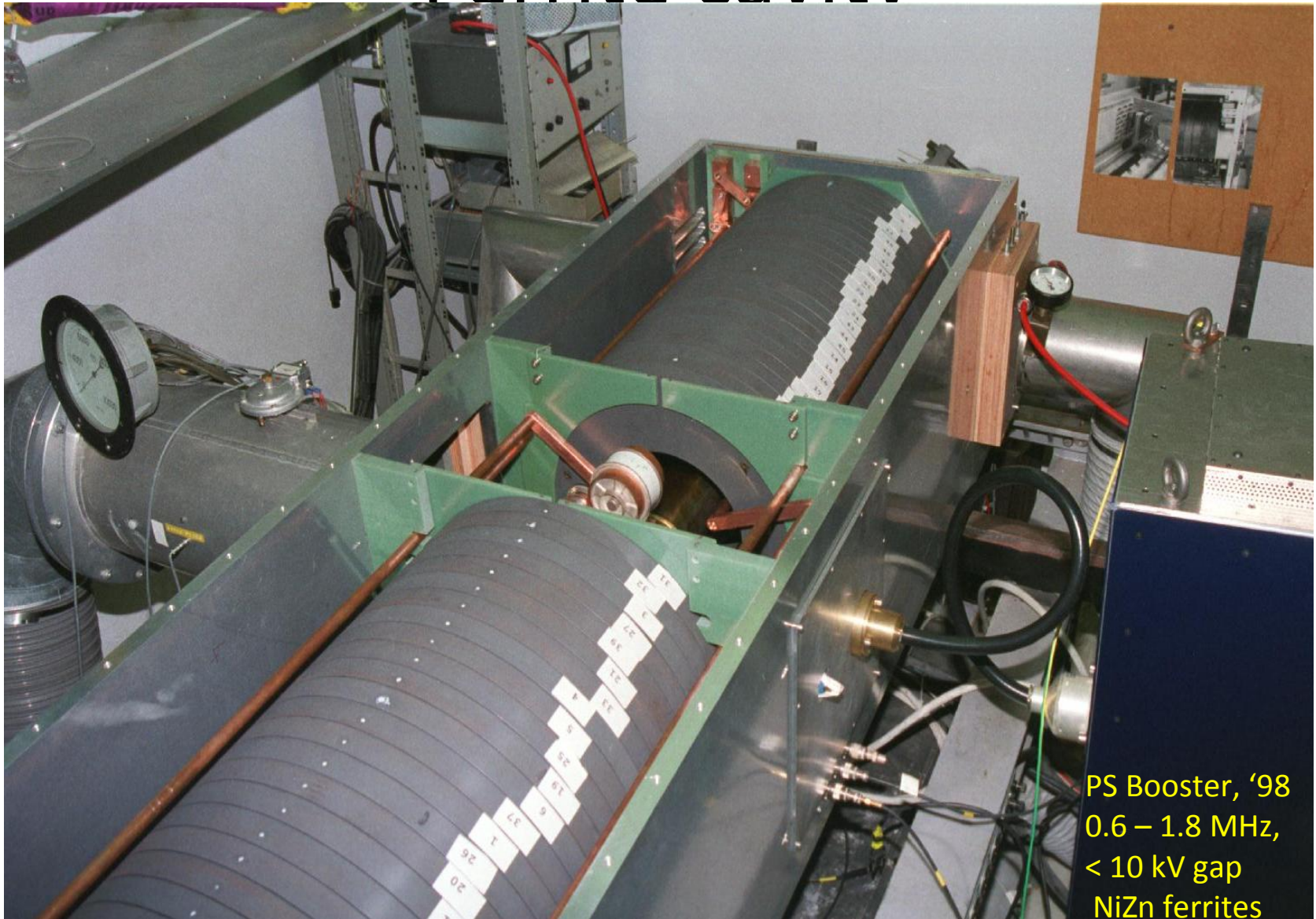
- We want a voltage across the gap!
- It cannot be DC, since we want the beam tube on ground potential.
- Use 
$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} = -\iint \frac{d\vec{B}}{dt} \cdot d\vec{A}$$
- The “shield” imposes a
  - upper limit of the voltage pulse duration or equivalently –
  - a lower limit to the usable frequency.
- The limit can be extended with a material which acts as “open circuit”!
- Materials typically used:
  - ferrites (depending on  $f$ -range)
  - magnetic alloys (MA) like Metglas®, Finemet®, Vitrovac®...
- resonantly driven with RF (ferrite loaded cavities)
  - or with pulses (induction cell)

# Linear induction accelerator

Linear induction accelerator

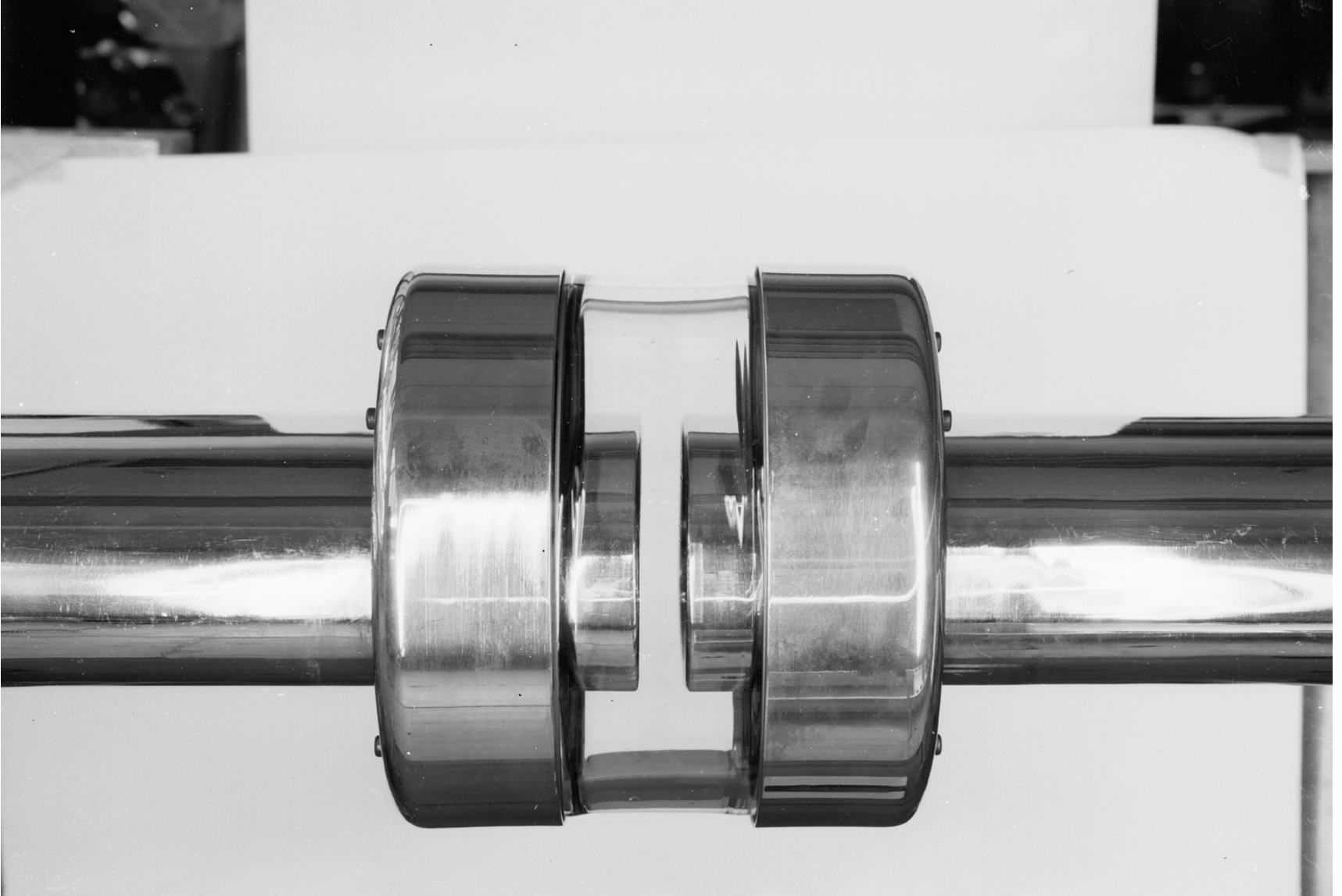


# Ferrite cavity



PS Booster, '98  
0.6 – 1.8 MHz,  
< 10 kV gap  
NiZn ferrites

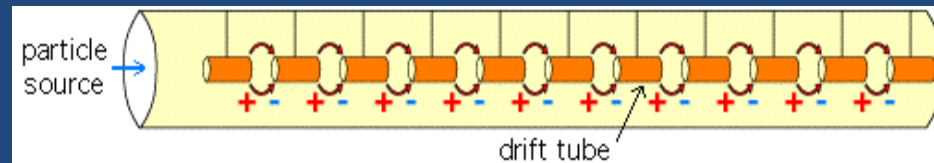
# Gap of PS cavity (prototype)



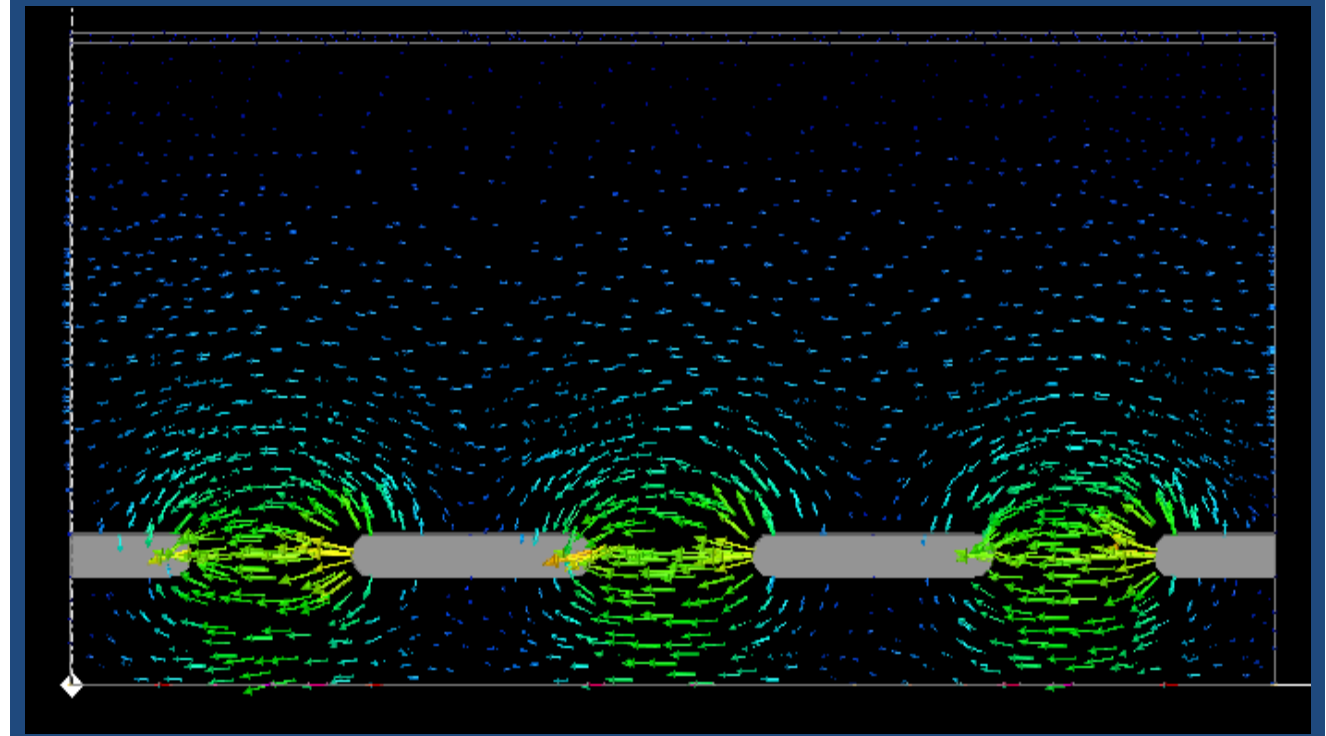
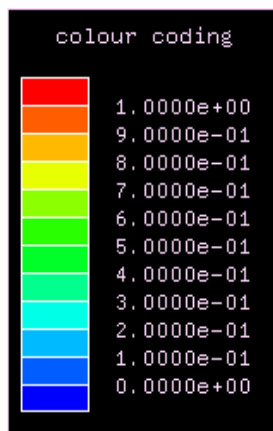
# Drift Tube Linac (DTL) – how it works

For slow particles !  
E.g. protons @ few MeV

The drift tube lengths can easily be adapted.

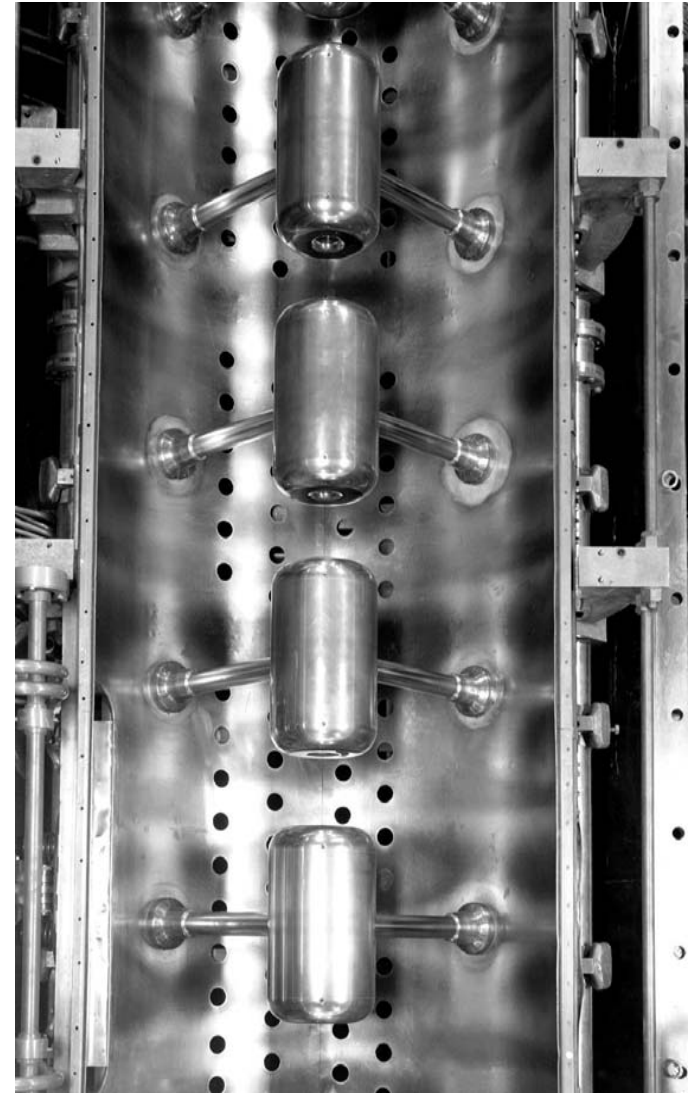
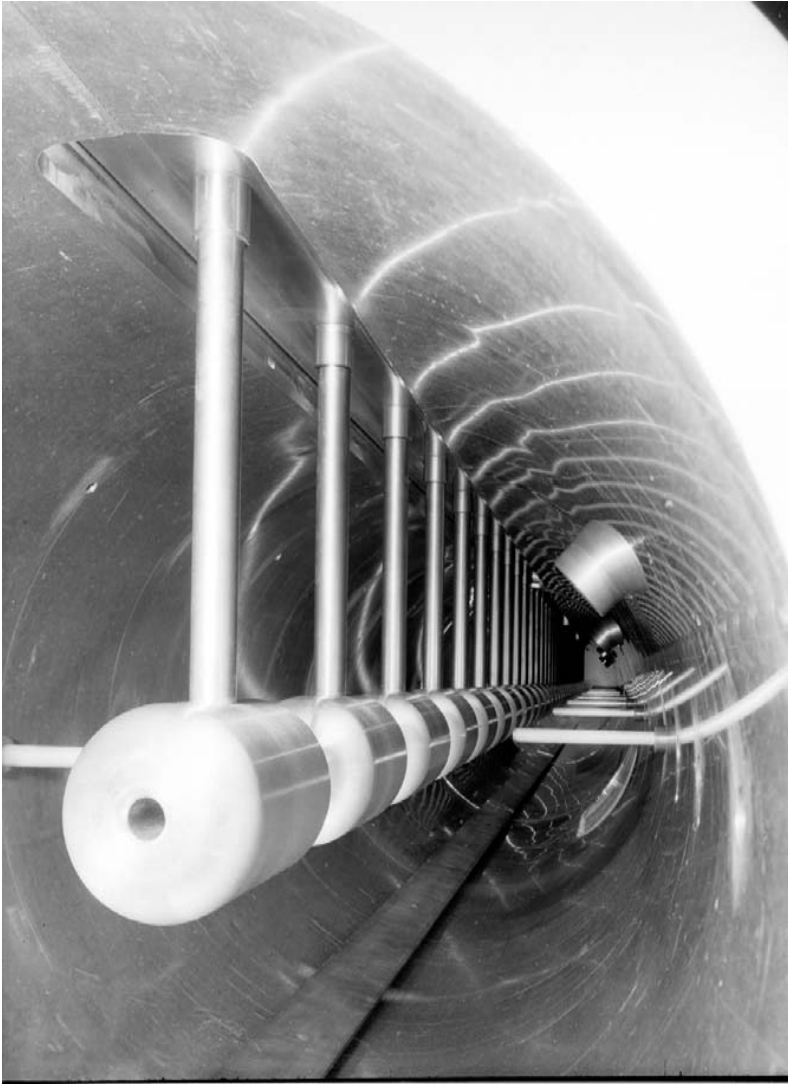


electric field





# Drift tube linac – practical implementations





# Transit time factor

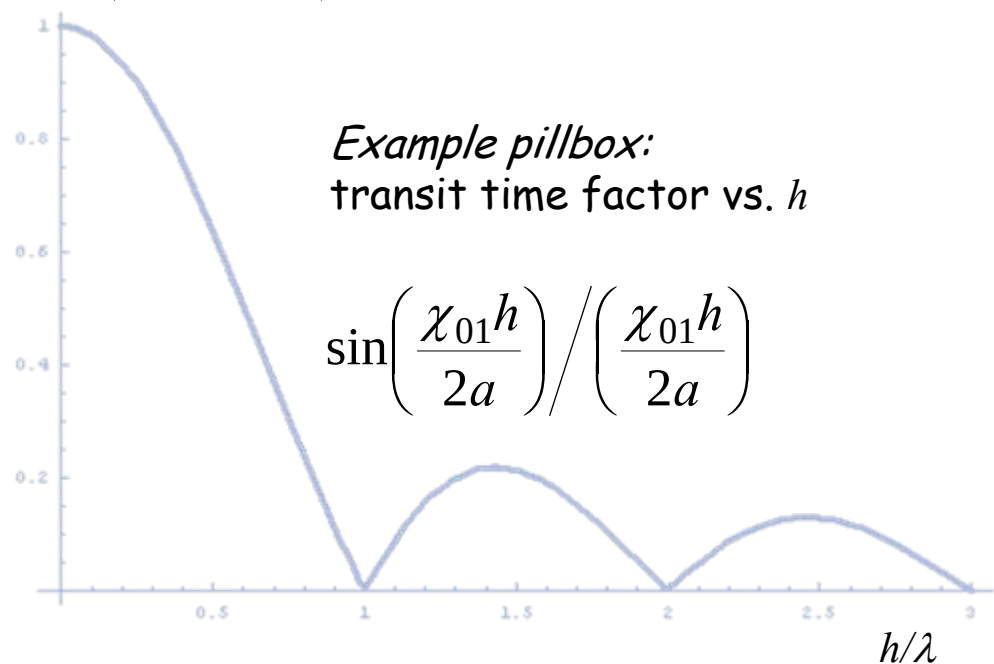
If the gap is small, the voltage  $\int E_z dz$  is small.

If the gap large, the RF field varies notably while the particle passes.

Define the accelerating voltage  $V_{gap} = \left| \int E_z e^{j\frac{\omega}{c}z} dz \right|$

Transit time factor

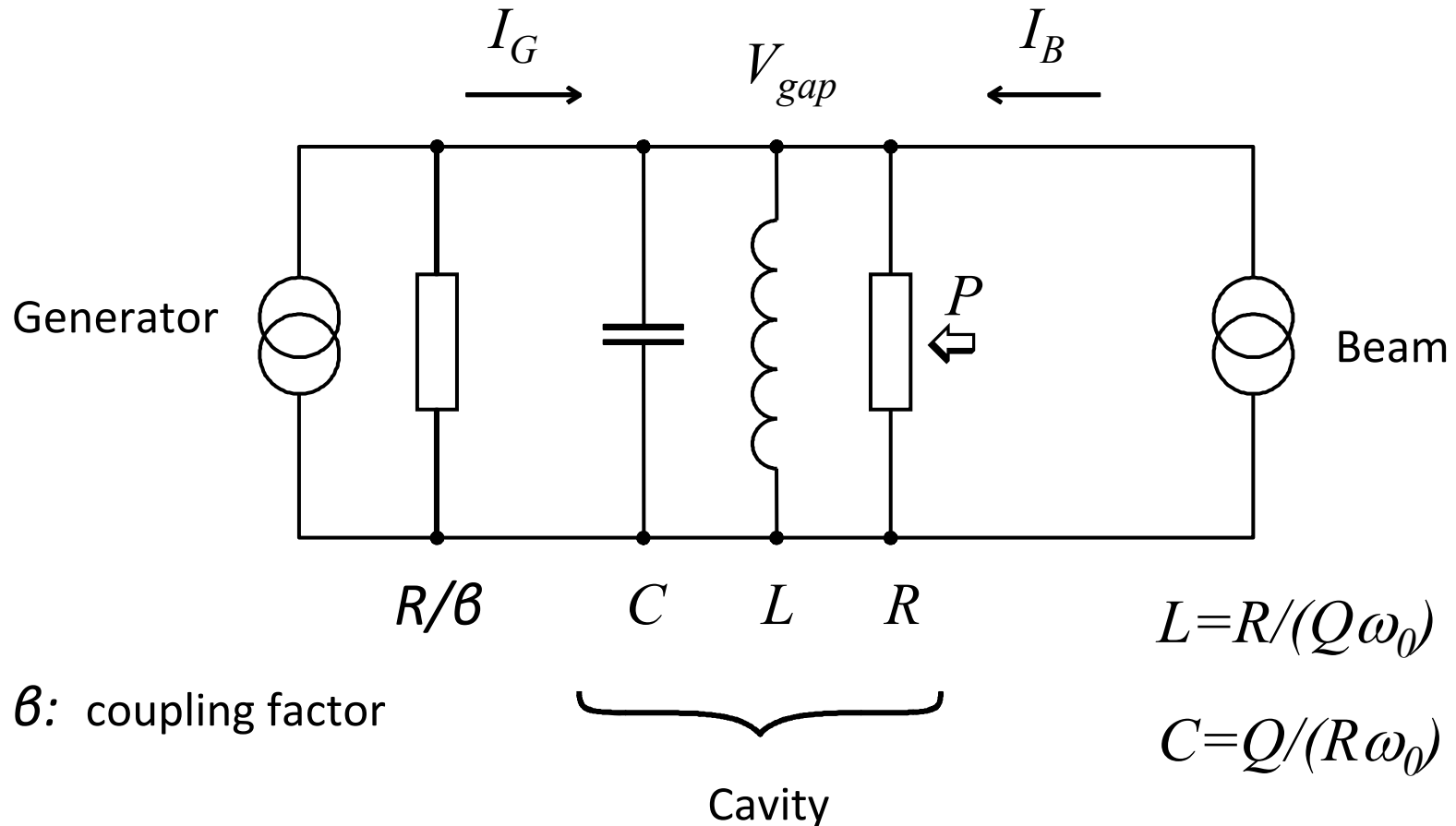
$$\frac{\left| \int E_z e^{j\frac{\omega}{c}z} dz \right|}{\left| \int E_z dz \right|}$$



# CHARACTERIZING A CAVITY

# Cavity resonator – equivalent circuit

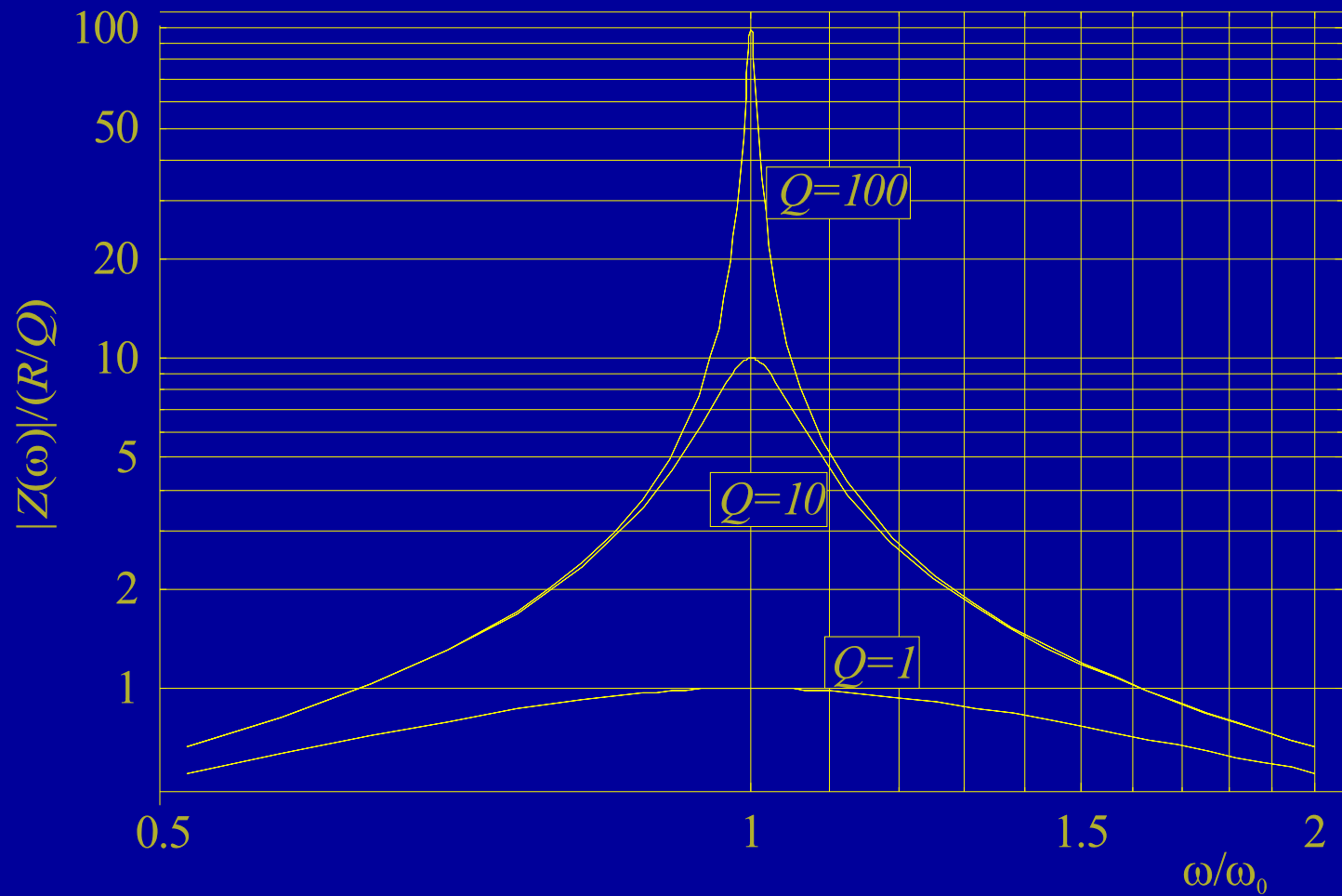
Simplification: single mode



$R$ : Shunt impedance

$\sqrt{L/C}$  : R-upon-Q

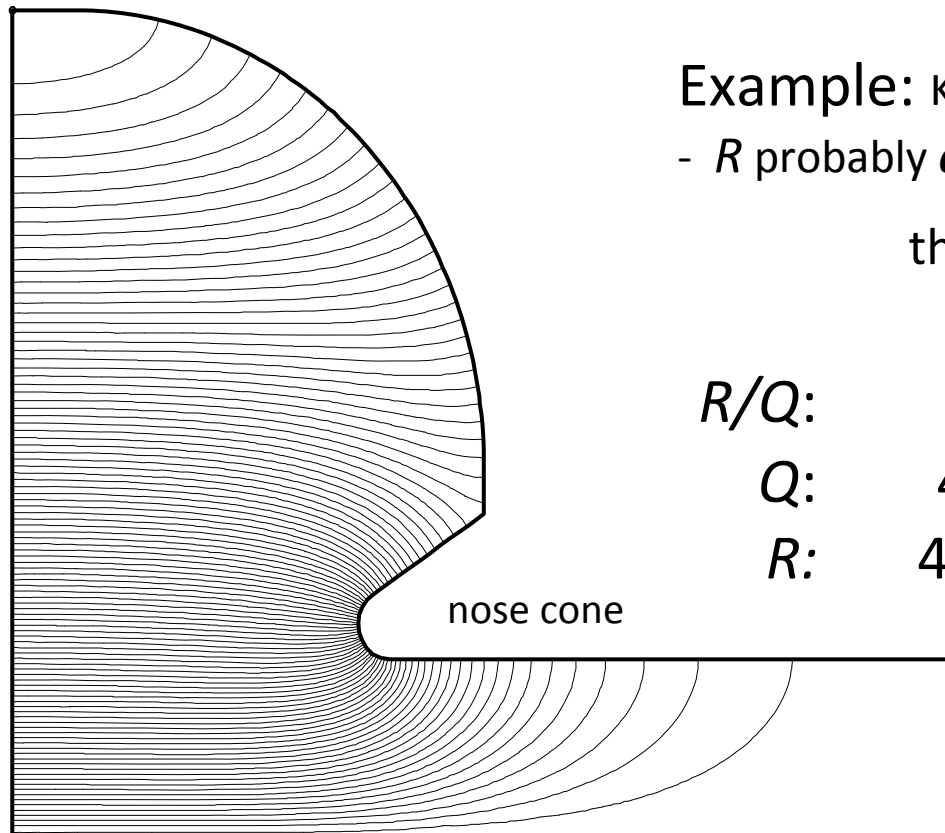
# Resonance



# Reentrant cavity

Nose cones increase transit time factor, round outer shape minimizes losses.

Nose cone example Freq = 500.003



Example: KEK photon factory 500 MHz

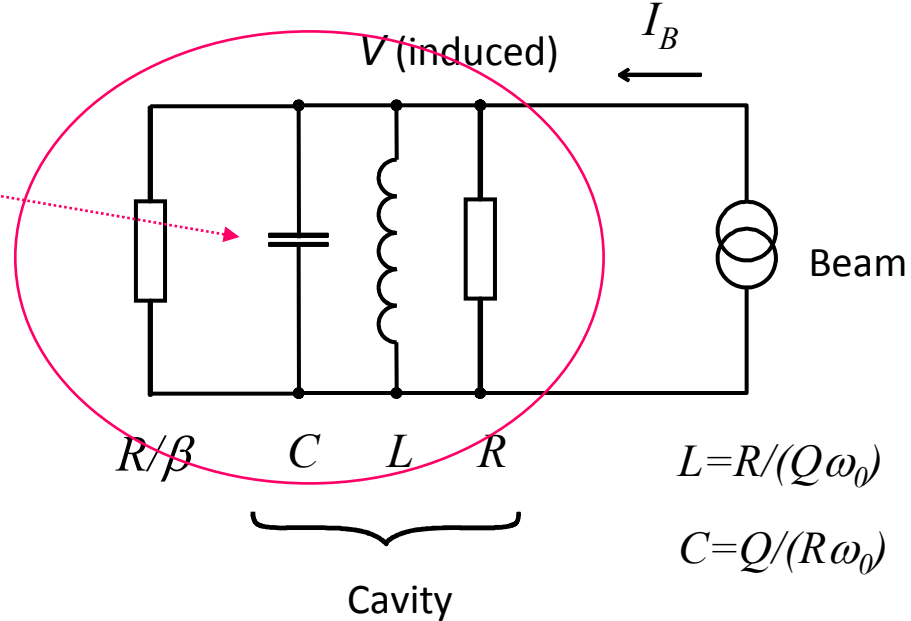
- *R* probably ***as good as it gets*** -

|         | this cavity    | optimized<br>pillbox |
|---------|----------------|----------------------|
| $R/Q$ : | 111 $\Omega$   | 107.5 $\Omega$       |
| $Q$ :   | 44270          | 41630                |
| $R$ :   | 4.9 M $\Omega$ | 4.47 M $\Omega$      |

# Loss factor

Impedance seen by the beam

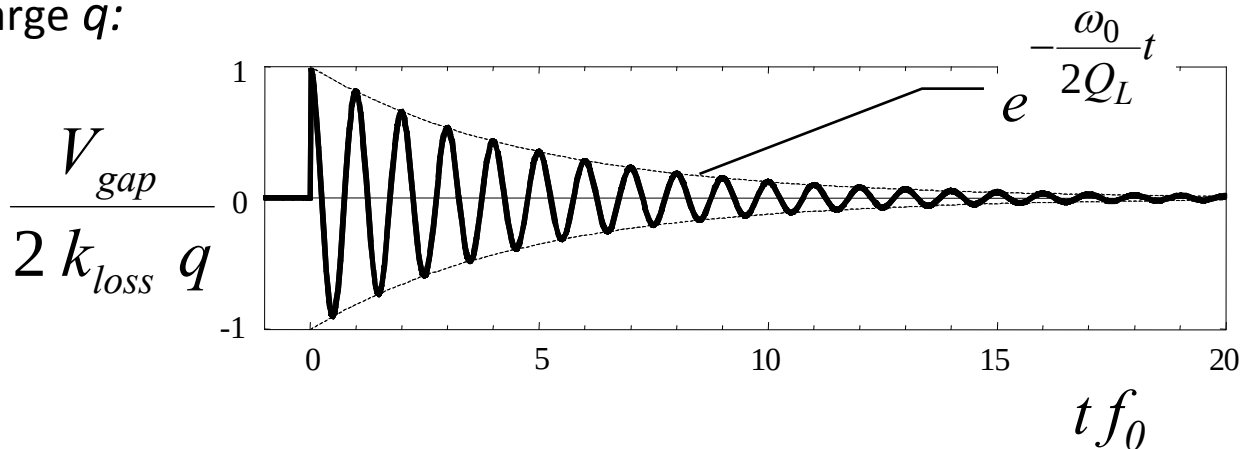
$$k_{loss} = \frac{\omega_0}{2} \frac{R}{Q} = \frac{|V_{gap}|^2}{4W} = \frac{1}{2C}$$



Energy deposited by a single charge  $q$ :

$$k_{loss} q^2$$

Voltage induced by a single charge  $q$ :



# Summary: relations $V_{gap}$ , $W$ , $P_{loss}$

gap voltage

$V_{gap}$

$$\frac{R}{Q} = \frac{|V_{gap}|^2}{2 \omega_0 W}$$

$$k_{loss} = \frac{\omega_0}{2} \frac{R}{Q} = \frac{|V_{gap}|^2}{4 W}$$

$$R_{shunt} = \frac{|V_{gap}|^2}{2 P_{loss}}$$

Energy stored inside the cavity

$W$

Power lost in the cavity walls

$P_{loss}$

$$Q = \frac{\omega_0 W}{P_{loss}}$$

# Beam loading – RF to beam efficiency

- The beam current “loads” the generator, in the equivalent circuit this appears as a resistance in parallel to the shunt impedance.
- If the generator is matched to the unloaded cavity, beam loading will cause the accelerating voltage to decrease.
- The power absorbed by the beam is  $-\frac{1}{2} \text{Re}\{V_{gap} I_B^*\}$   
the power loss  $P = \frac{|V_{gap}|^2}{2 R}$ .
- For high efficiency, beam loading shall be high.
- The RF to beam efficiency is  $\eta = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{V_{gap}}{R |I_B|}} = \frac{|I_B|}{|I_G|}$



# Characterizing cavities

- Resonance frequency

$$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{L \cdot C}}$$

- Transit time factor

field varies while particle is traversing the gap

$$\frac{\left| \int E_z e^{j \frac{\omega}{c} z} dz \right|}{\left| \int E_z dz \right|}$$

Circuit definition

- Shunt impedance

gap voltage – power relation

$$|V_{gap}|^2 = 2 R_{shunt} P_{loss}$$

- $Q$  factor

$$\omega_0 W = Q P_{loss}$$

- $R/Q$

independent of losses – only geometry!

$$\frac{R}{Q} = \frac{|V_{gap}|^2}{2 \omega_0 W} = \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}$$

- loss factor

$$k_{loss} = \frac{\omega_0}{2} \frac{R}{Q} = \frac{|V_{gap}|^2}{4 W}$$

Linac definition

$$|V_{gap}|^2 = R_{shunt} P_{loss}$$

$$\frac{R}{Q} = \frac{|V_{gap}|^2}{\omega_0 W}$$

$$k_{loss} = \frac{\omega_0}{4} \frac{R}{Q} = \frac{|V_{gap}|^2}{4 W}$$

# Example Pillbox:

$$\omega_0|_{pillbox} = \frac{\chi_{01} c}{a}$$

$$\chi_{01} = 2.4048$$

$$Q|_{pillbox} = \frac{\sqrt{2a\eta\sigma\chi_{01}}}{2\left(1 + \frac{a}{h}\right)}$$

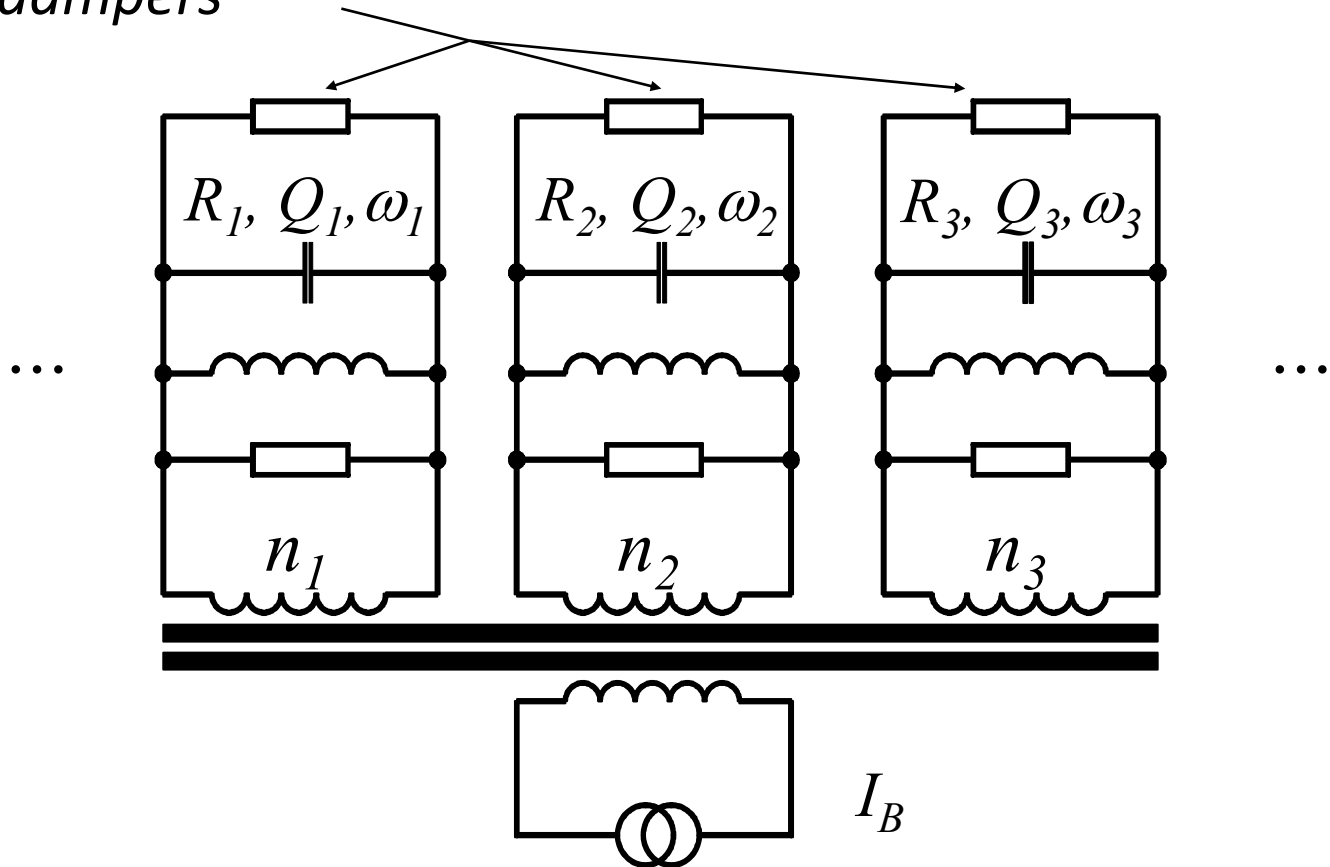
$$\eta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0}} = 377 \Omega$$

$$\sigma_{Cu} = 5.8 \cdot 10^7 \text{ S/m}$$

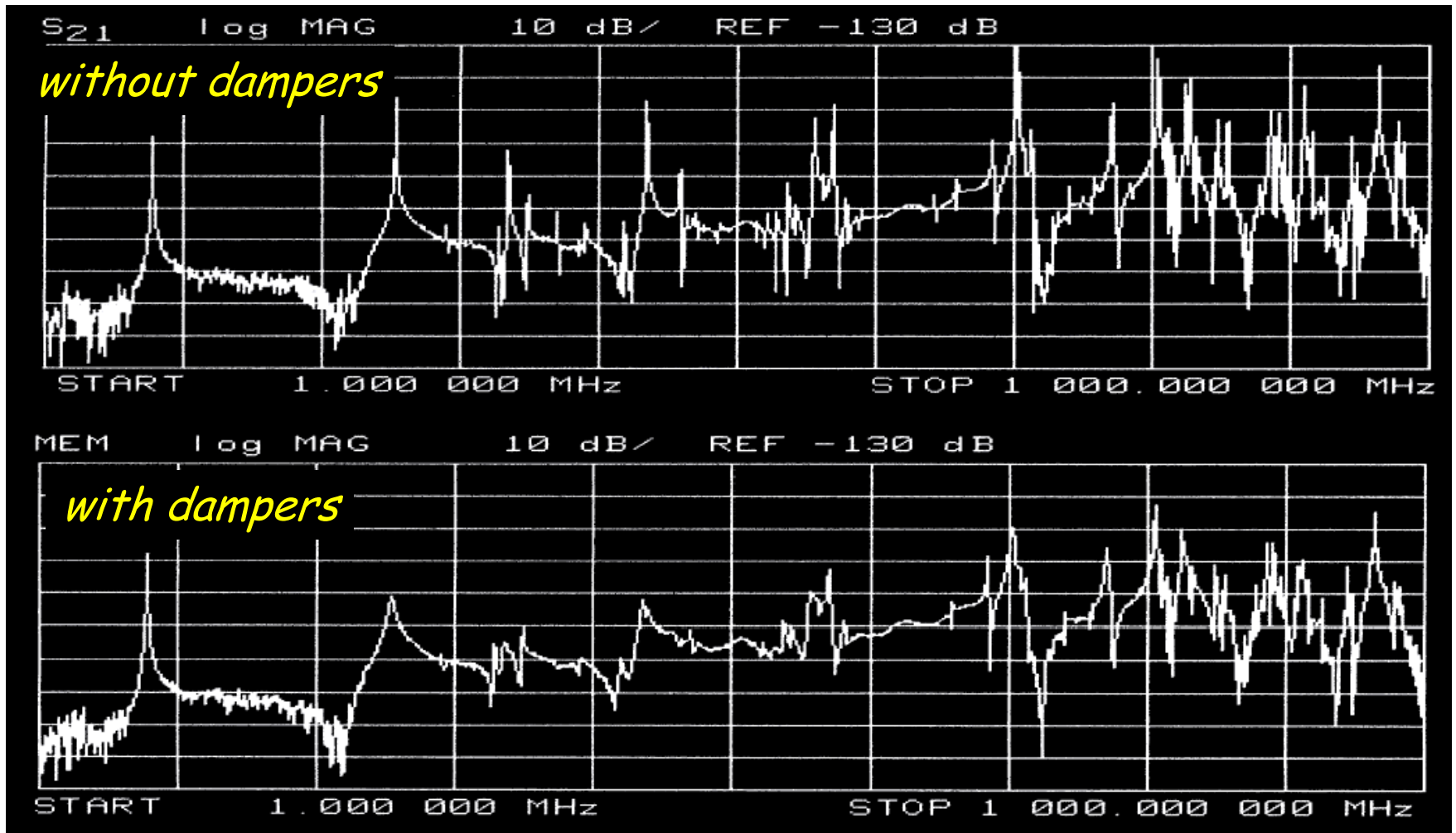
$$\frac{R}{Q}|_{pillbox} = \frac{4\eta}{\chi_{01}^3 \pi J_1^2(\chi_{01})} \frac{\sin^2\left(\frac{\chi_{01} h}{2 a}\right)}{h/a}$$

# Higher order modes

*external dampers*

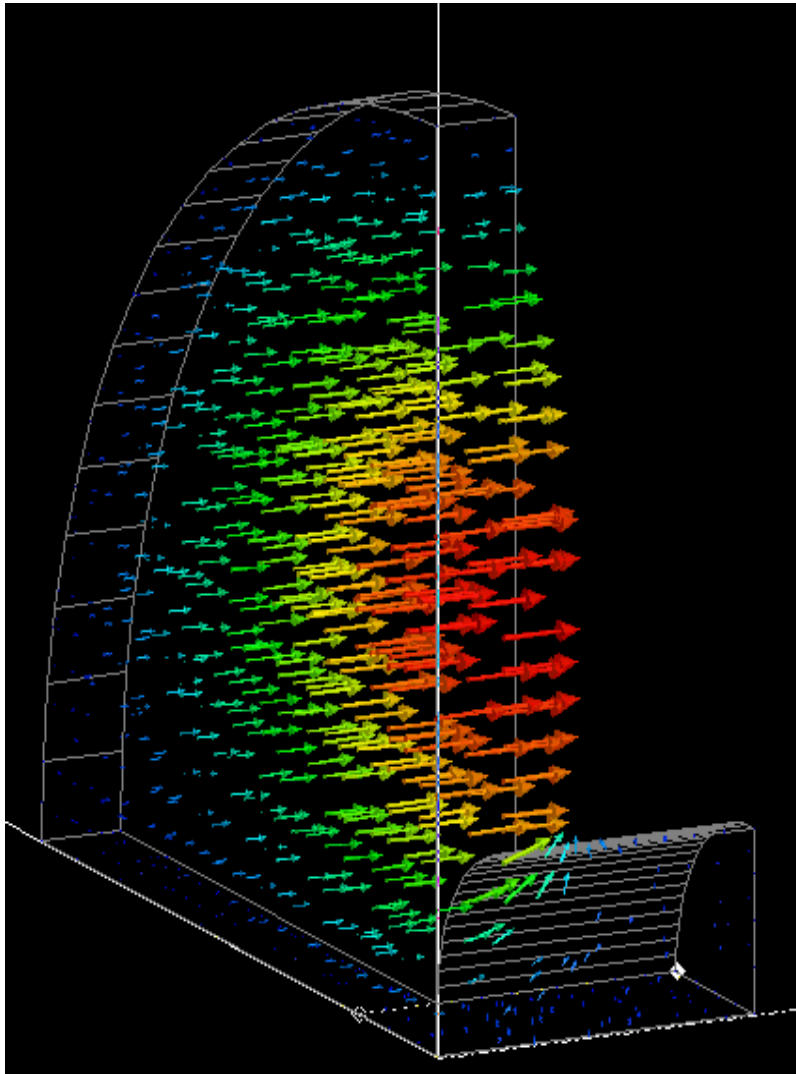


# Higher order modes (measured spectrum)

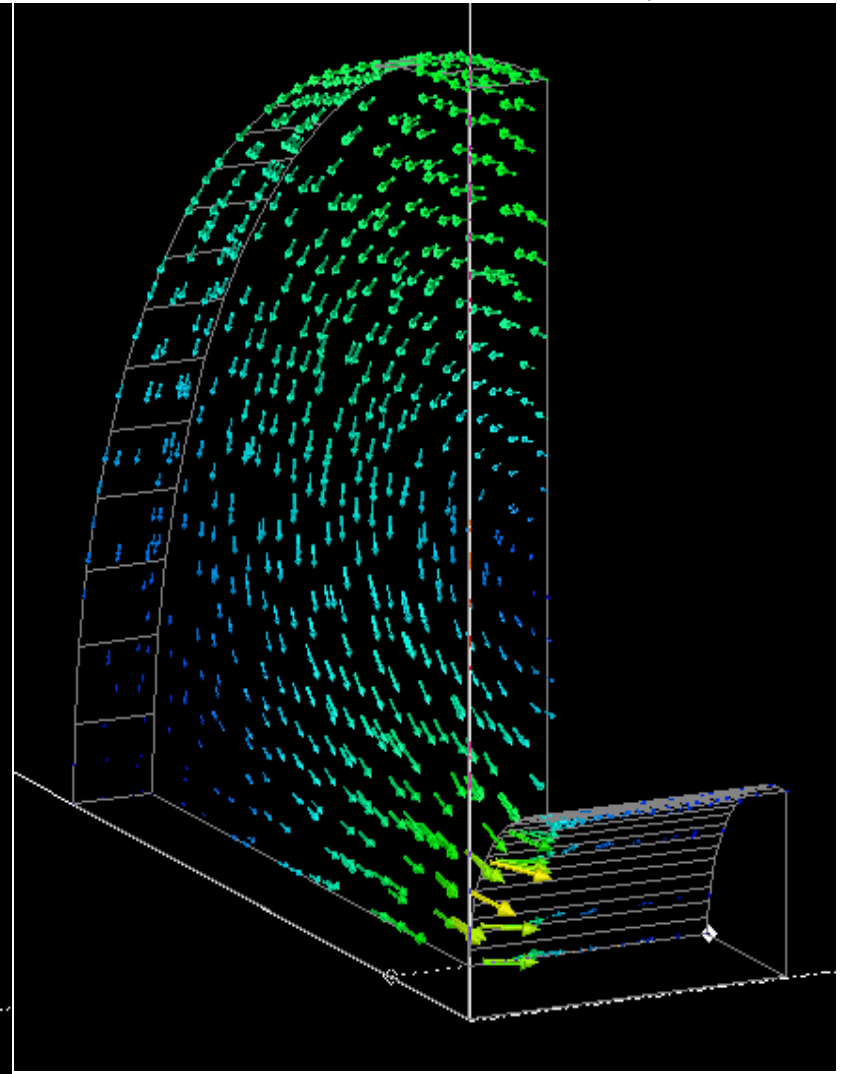


# Pillbox: Dipole mode ( $TM_{110}$ )

(only 1/8 shown)



electric field (@ 0°)



magnetic field (@ 90°)

# Panofsky-Wenzel theorem

For particles moving virtually at  $v=c$ , the integrated transverse force (kick) can be determined from the transverse variation of the integrated longitudinal force!

$$j \frac{\omega}{c} \vec{F}_{\perp} = \nabla_{\perp} F_{\parallel}$$

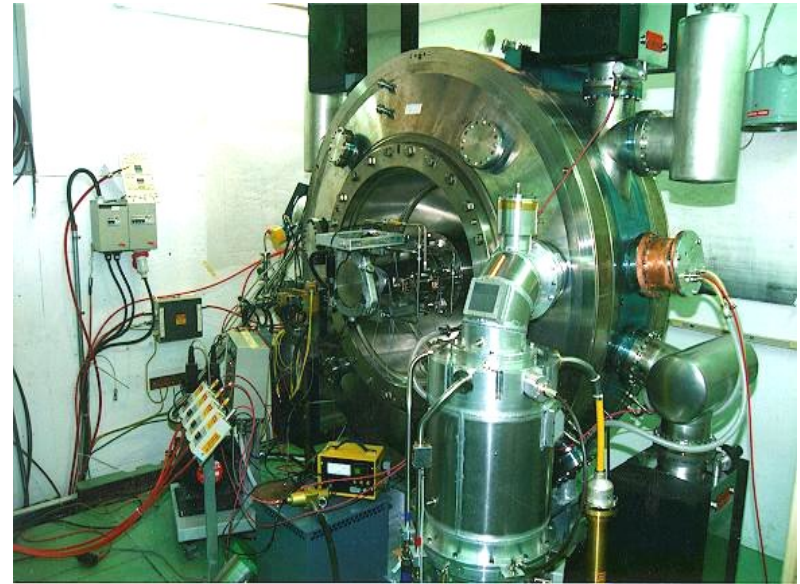
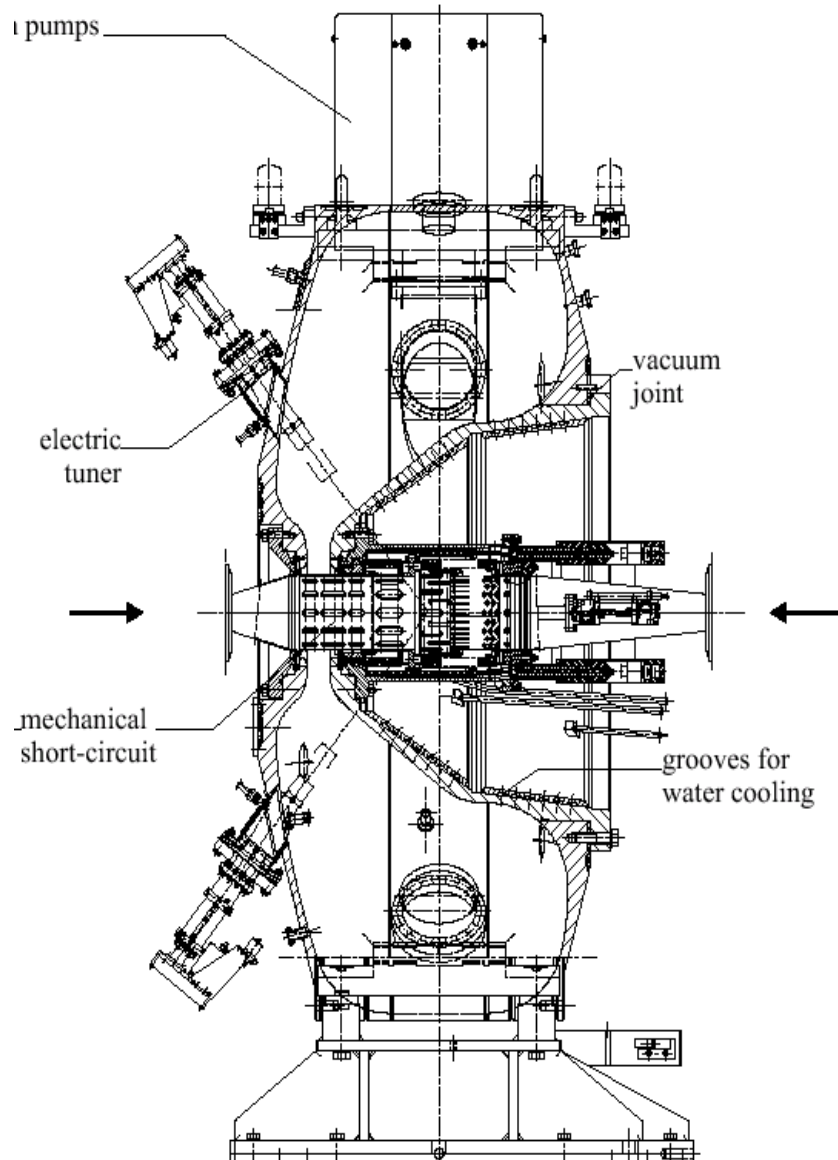
Pure TE modes: No net transverse force !

Transverse modes are characterized by

- the transverse impedance in  $\omega$ -domain
- the transverse loss factor (kick factor) in  $t$ -domain !

W.K.H. Panofsky, W.A. Wenzel: “Some Considerations Concerning the Transverse Deflection of Charged Particles in Radio-Frequency Fields”, RSI **27**, 1957]

# CERN/PS 80 MHz cavity (for LHC)



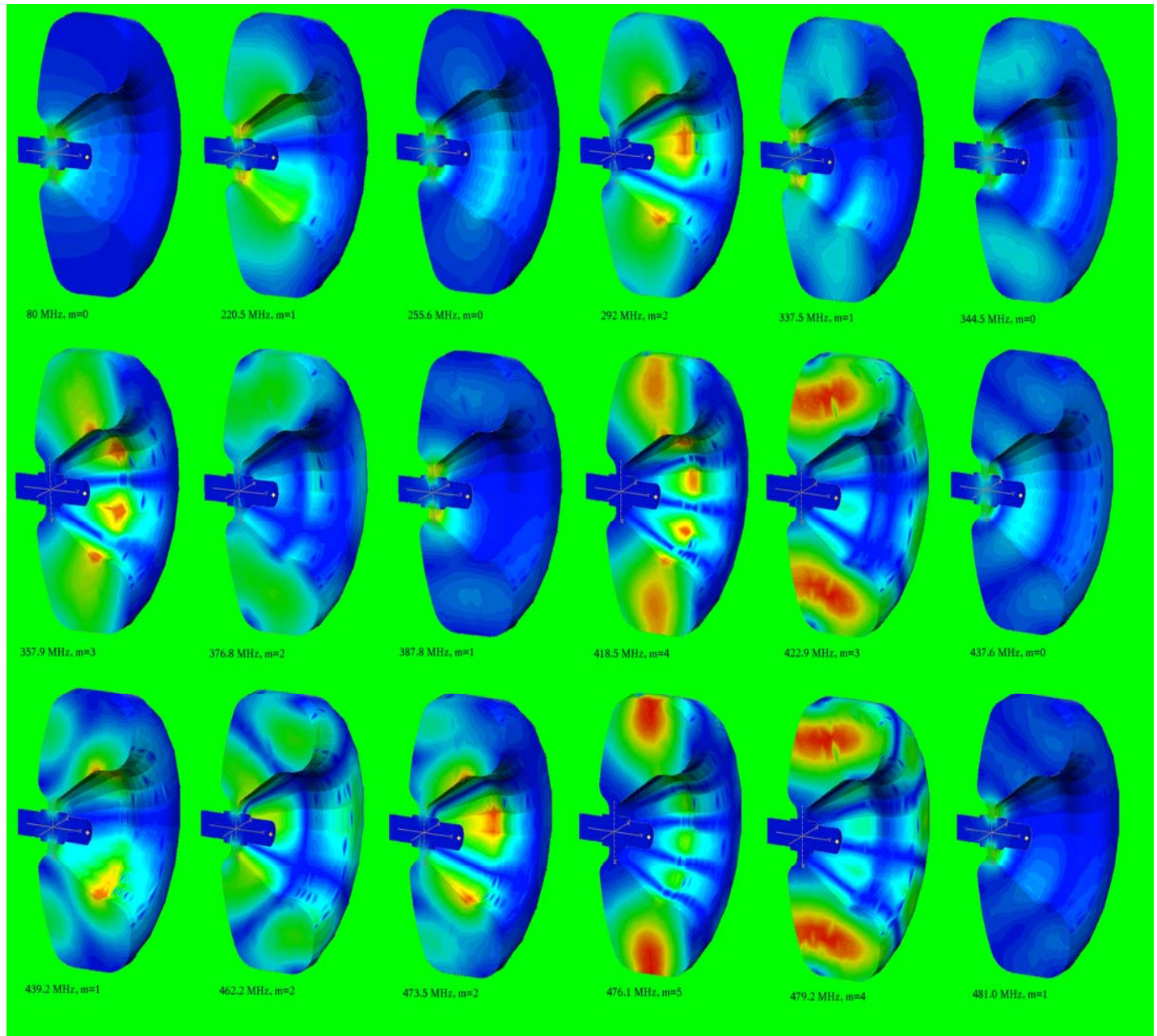
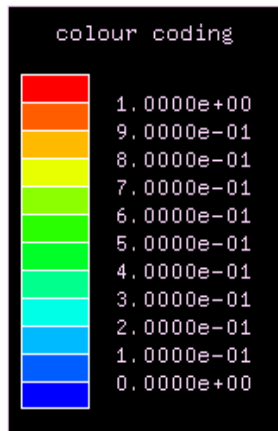


# Higher order modes

Example shown:  
80 MHz cavity PS  
for LHC.

Color-coded:

$$|\vec{E}|$$





# **MORE EXAMPLES OF CAVITIES**

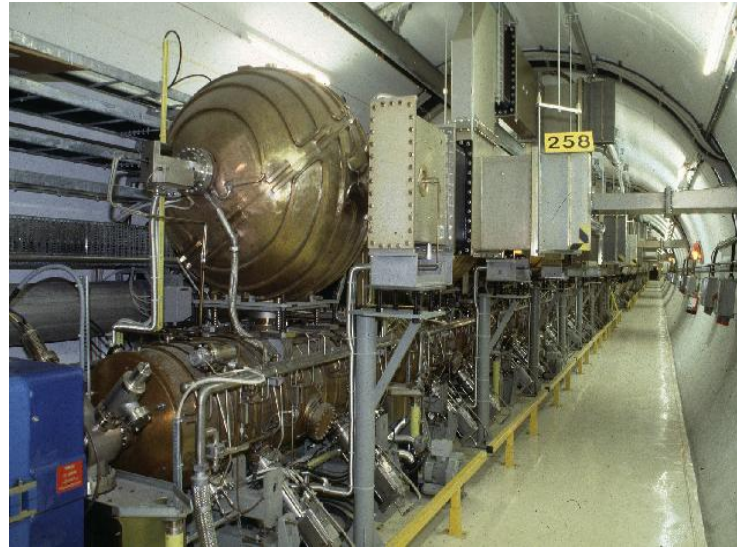
# PS 19 MHz cavity (prototype, photo: 1966)



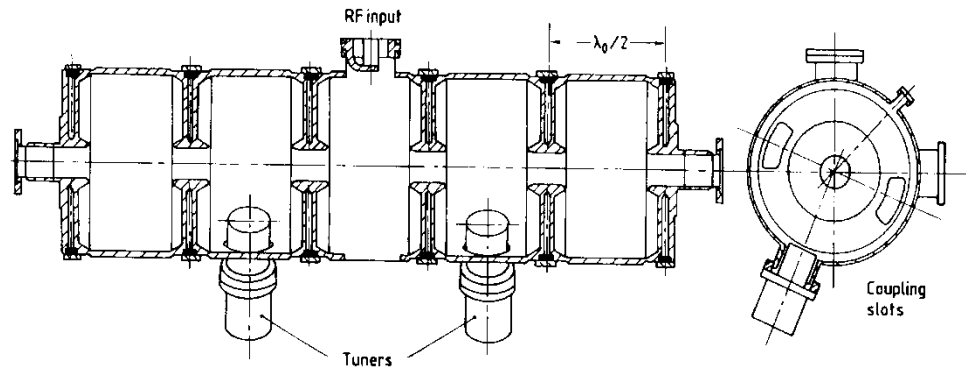
# Examples of cavities



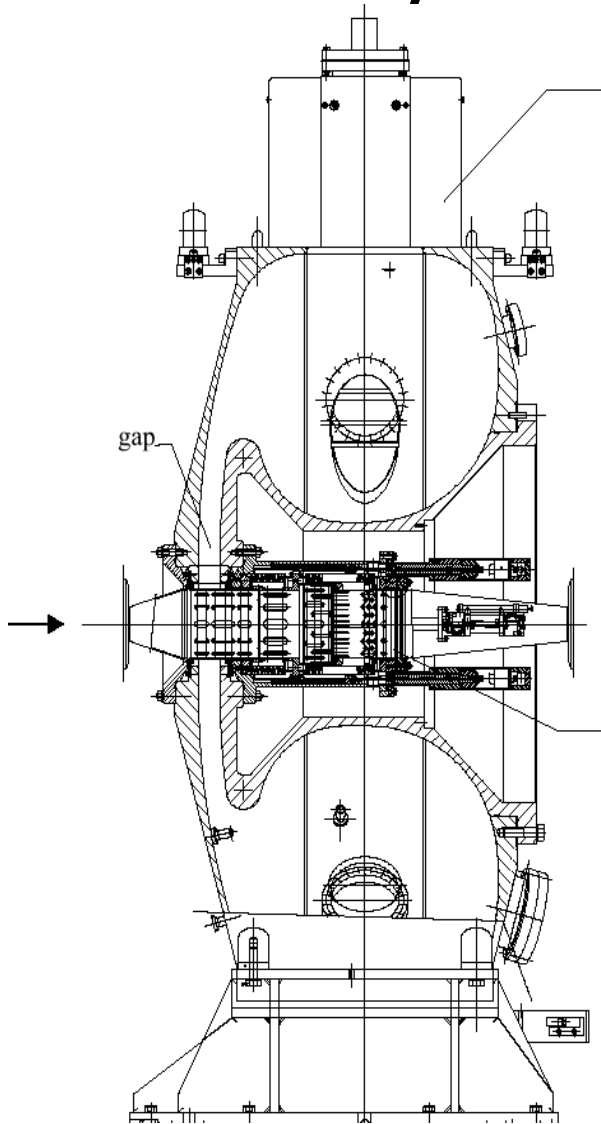
PEP II cavity  
476 MHz, single cell,  
1 MV gap with 150 kW,  
strong HOM damping,



LEP normal-conducting Cu RF cavities,  
350 MHz. 5 cell standing wave + spherical  
cavity for energy storage, 3 MV

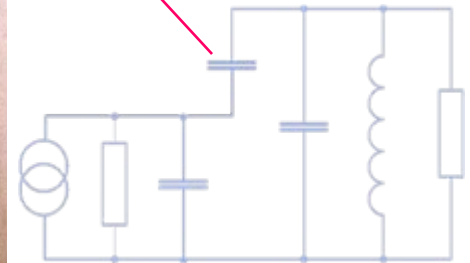


# CERN/PS 40 MHz cavity (for LHC)

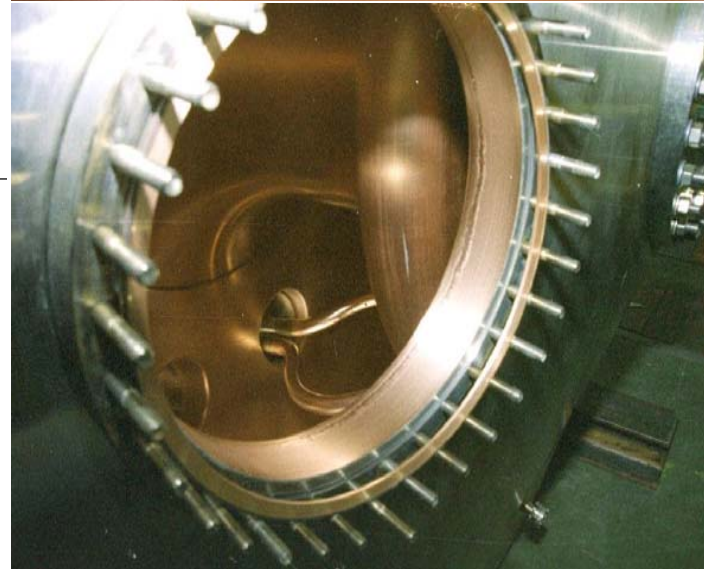


example for  
capacitive coupling

coupling  $C$



cavity



# RF POWER SOURCES

# RF Power sources

> 200 MHz: Klystrons



Thales TH1801, Multi-Beam Klystron (MBK), 1.3 GHz,  
117 kV. Achieved:

48 dB gain, 10 MW peak, 150 kW average,  $\eta = 65 \%$

$$\text{dB: } \frac{\text{output power}}{\text{input power}} = 10^{4.8}$$

< 1000 MHz: grid tubes



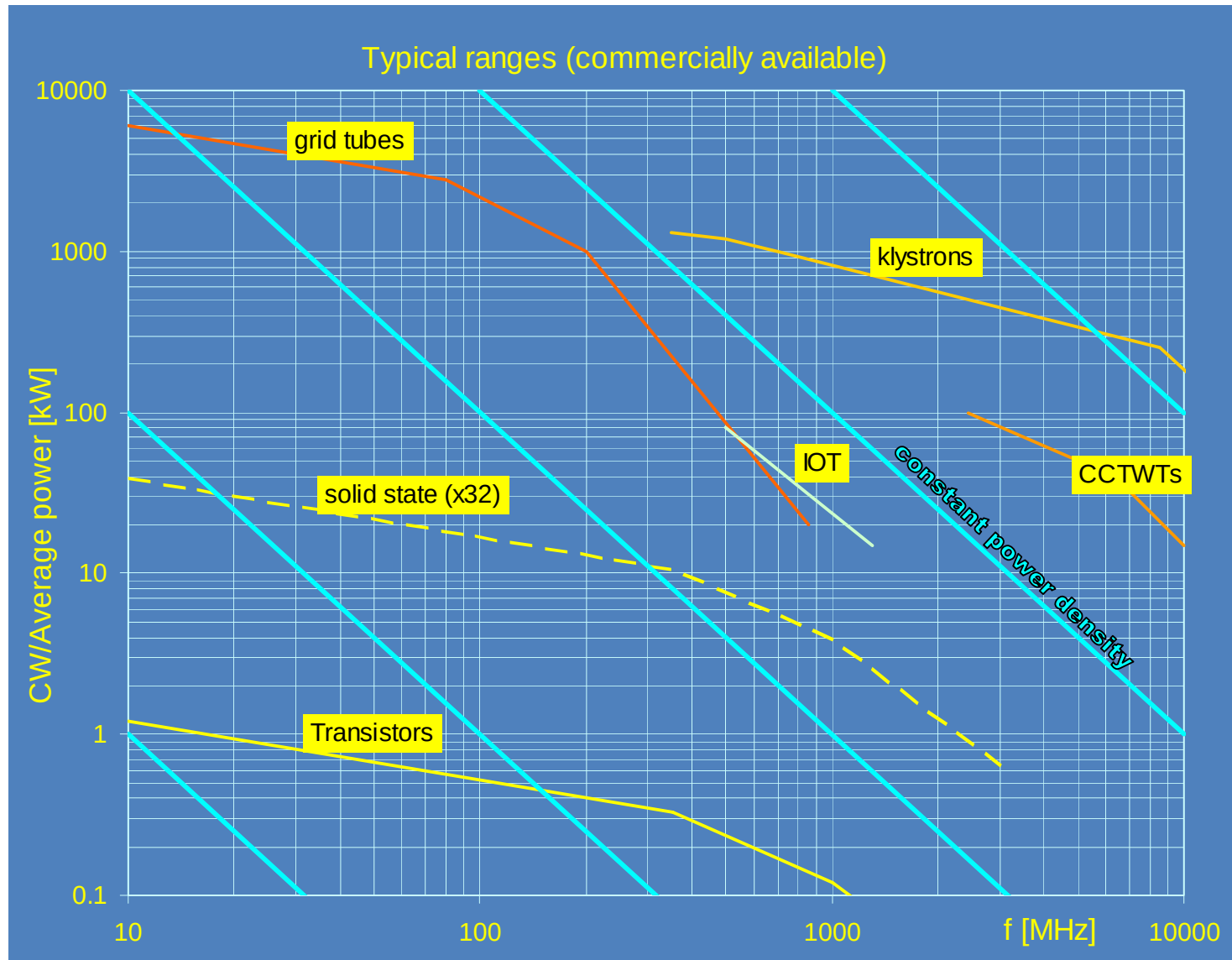
Tetrode

IOT

UHF Diacode

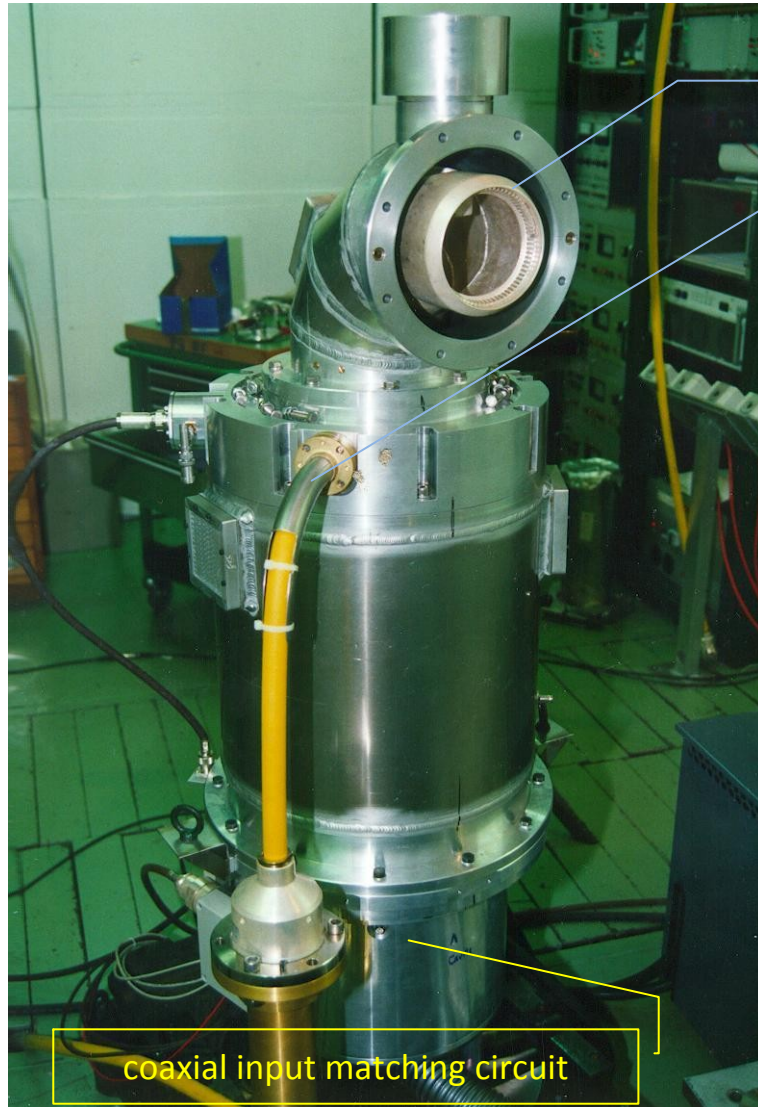
pictures from <http://www.thales-electrondevices.com>

# RF power sources





# Example of a tetrode amplifier (80 MHz, CERN/PS)



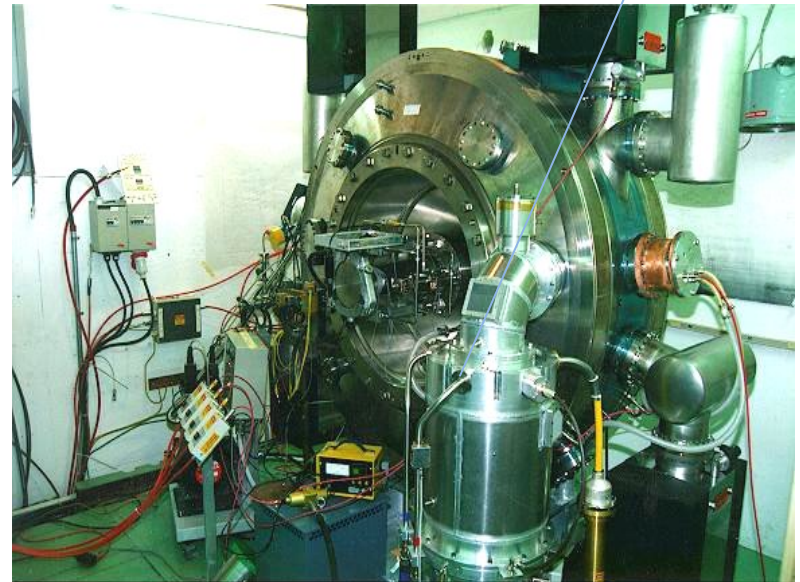
coaxial input matching circuit

400 kW, with fast RF feedback

$18\ \Omega$  coaxial output (towards cavity)

22 kV DC anode voltage feed-through with  $\lambda/4$  stub

tetrode cooling water feed-throughs





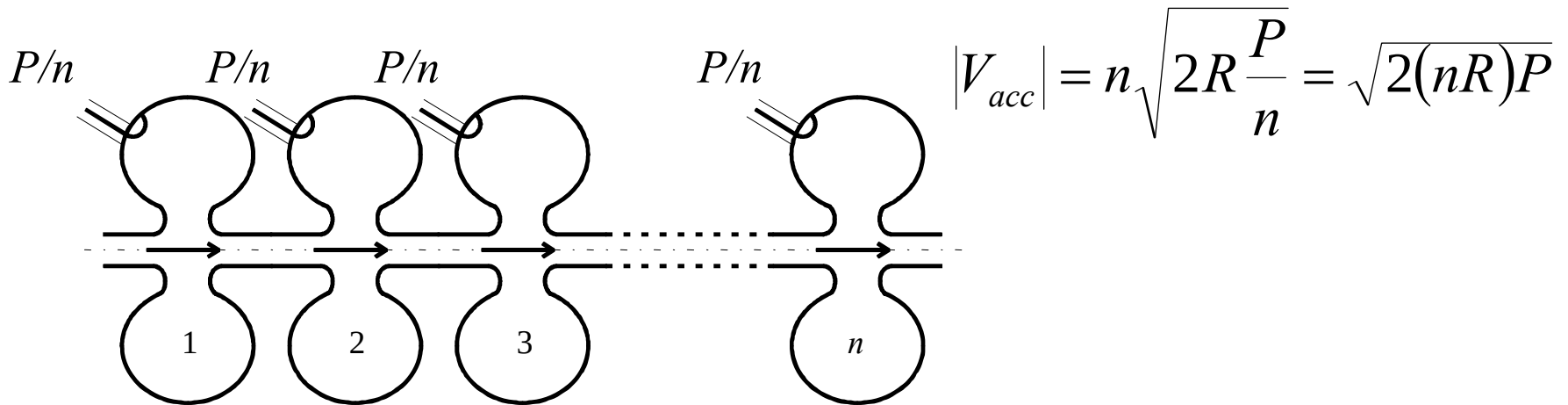
**MANY GAPS**

# What do you gain with many gaps?

- The  $R/Q$  of a single gap cavity is limited to some 100  $\Omega$ .

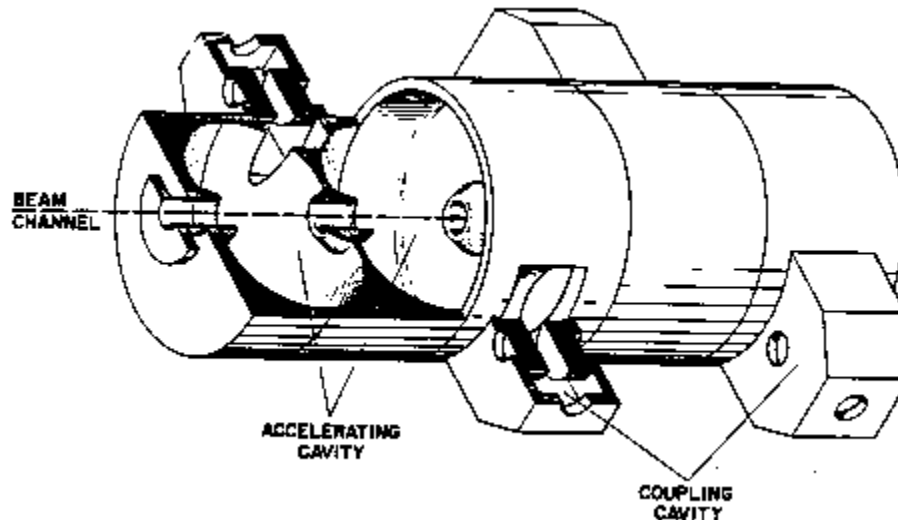
Now consider to distribute the available power to  $n$  identical cavities: each will receive  $P/n$ , thus produce an accelerating voltage of  $\sqrt{2R P/n}$ .

The total accelerating voltage thus increased, equivalent to a total equivalent shunt impedance of  $nR$ .



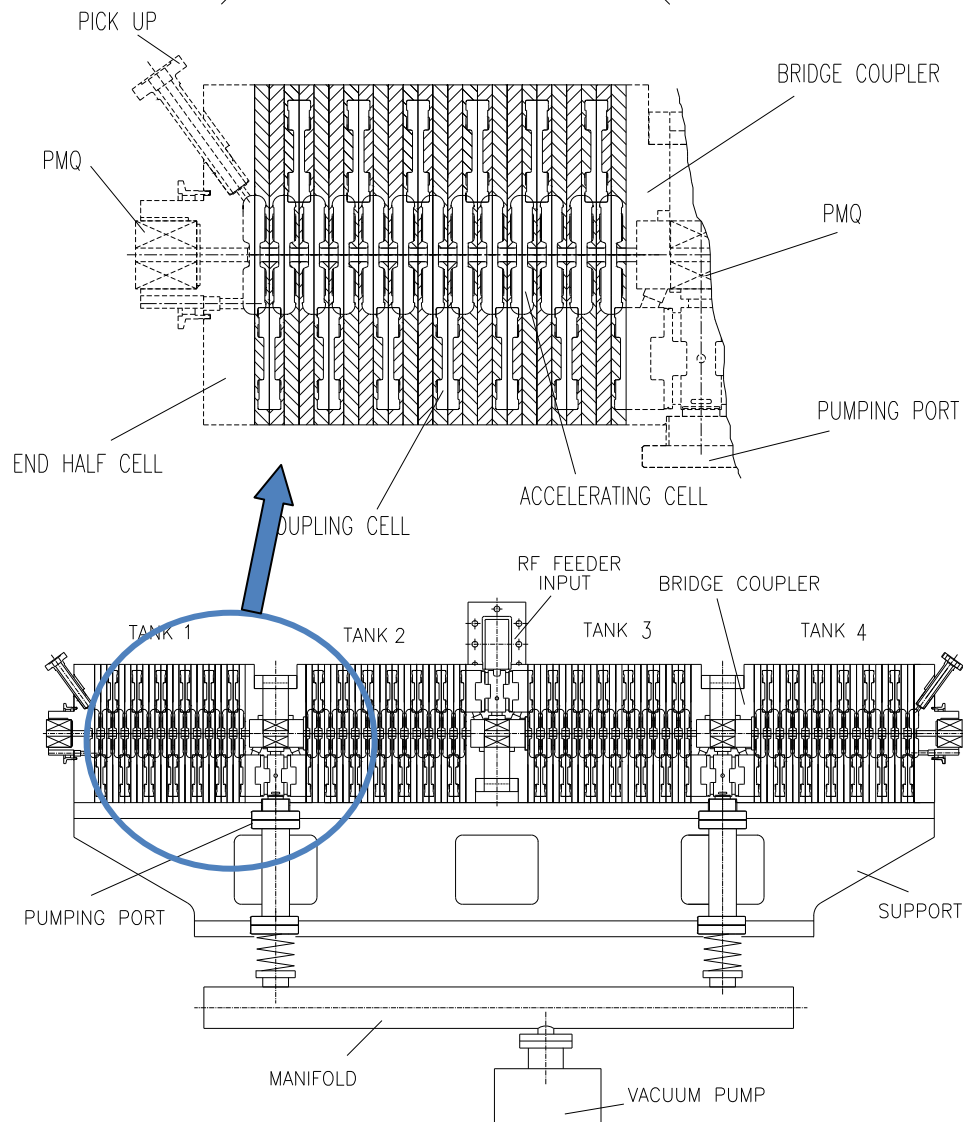
# Standing wave multicell cavity

- Instead of distributing the power from the amplifier, one might as well couple the cavities, such that the power automatically distributes, or have a cavity with many gaps (e.g. drift tube linac).
- Coupled cavity accelerating structure (side coupled)



- The phase relation between gaps is important!

# Example of Side Coupled Structure



## LIBO (= Linac Booster)

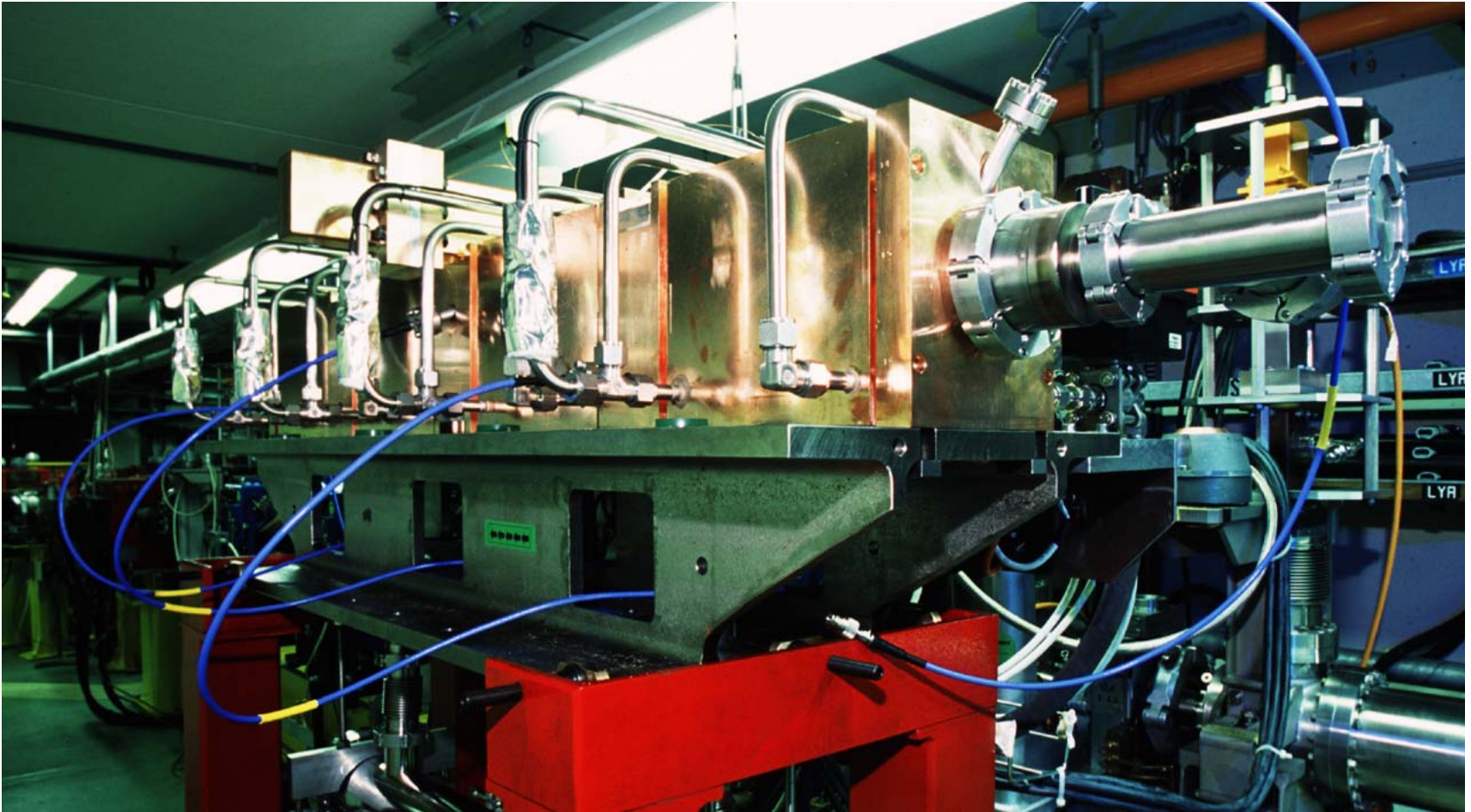
A 3 GHz Side Coupled Structure to accelerate protons out of cyclotrons from 62 MeV to 200 MeV

Medical application: treatment of tumours.

Prototype of Module 1 built at CERN (2000)

Collaboration CERN/INFN/ Tera Foundation

# LIBO prototype

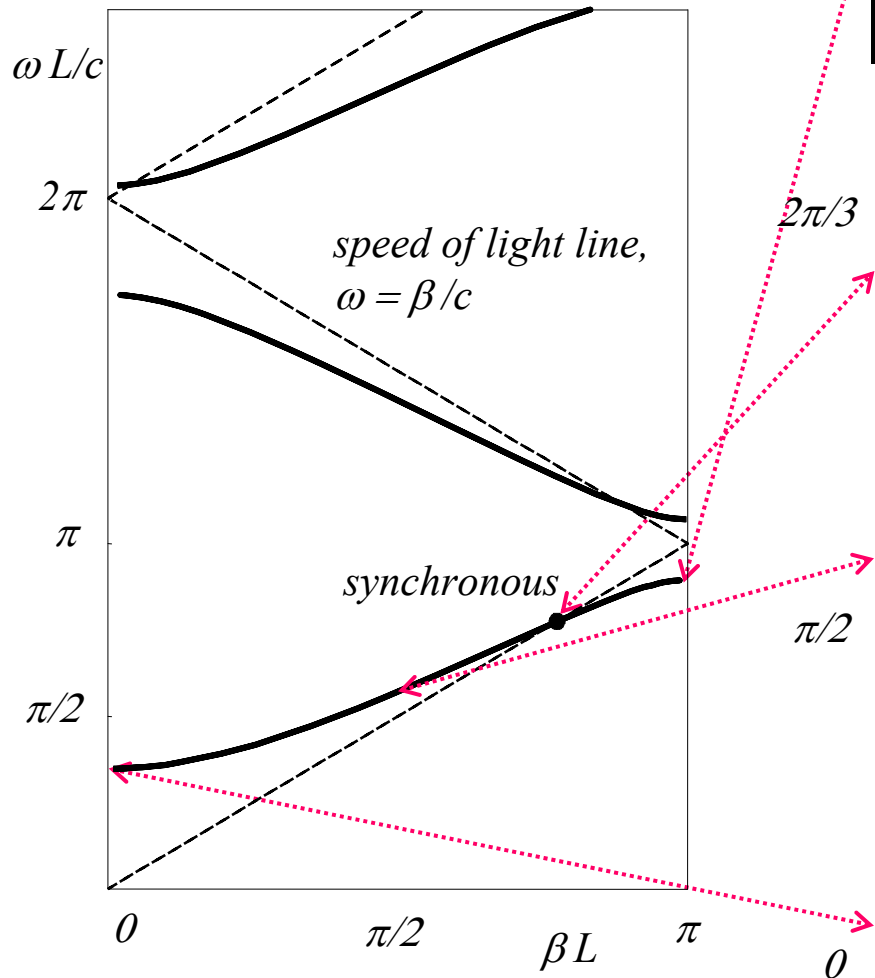


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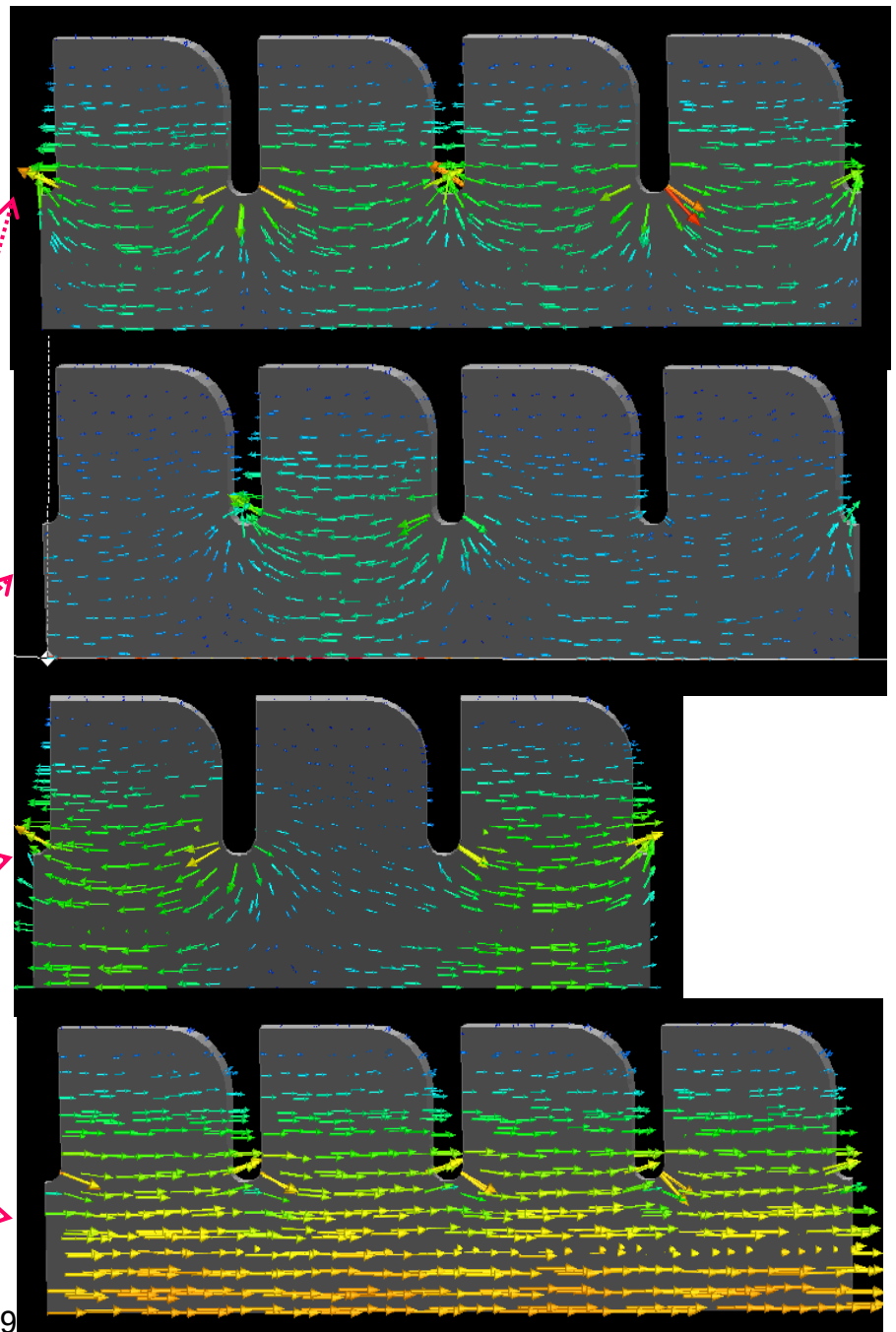
# TRAVELLING WAVE STRUCTURES

# Brillouin diagram

## Travelling wave structure

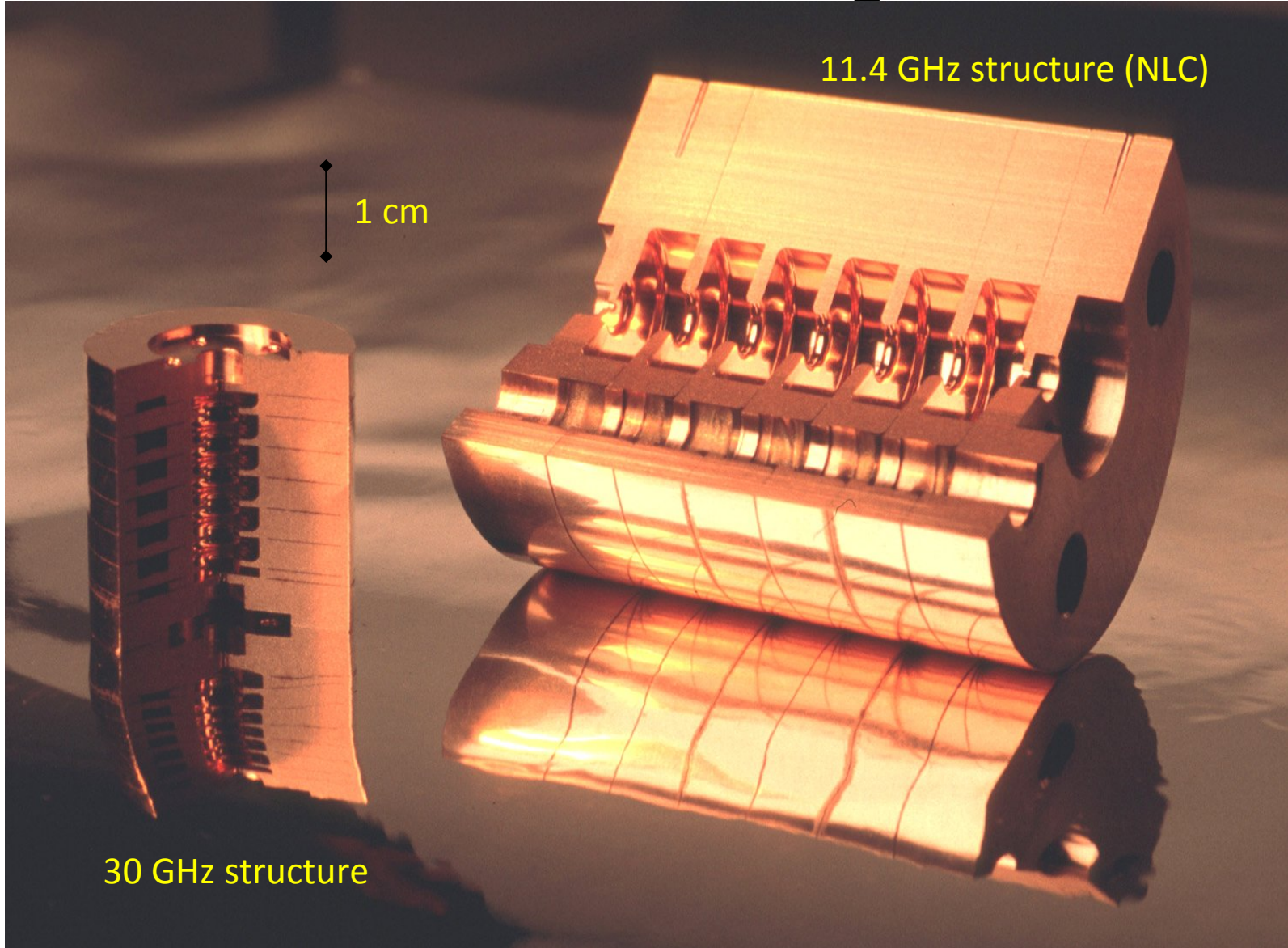


CAS Darmstadt '09



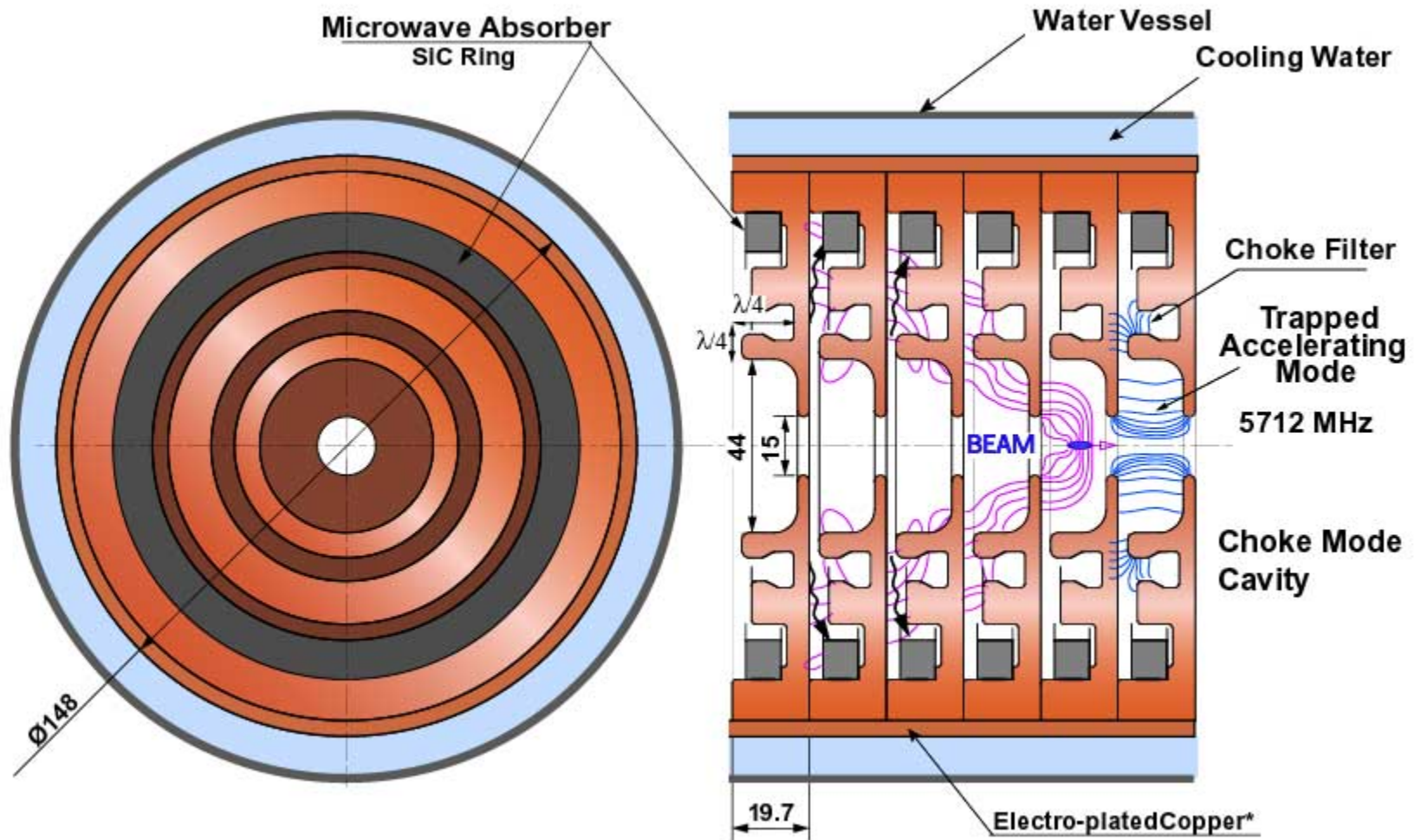


# Iris loaded waveguide

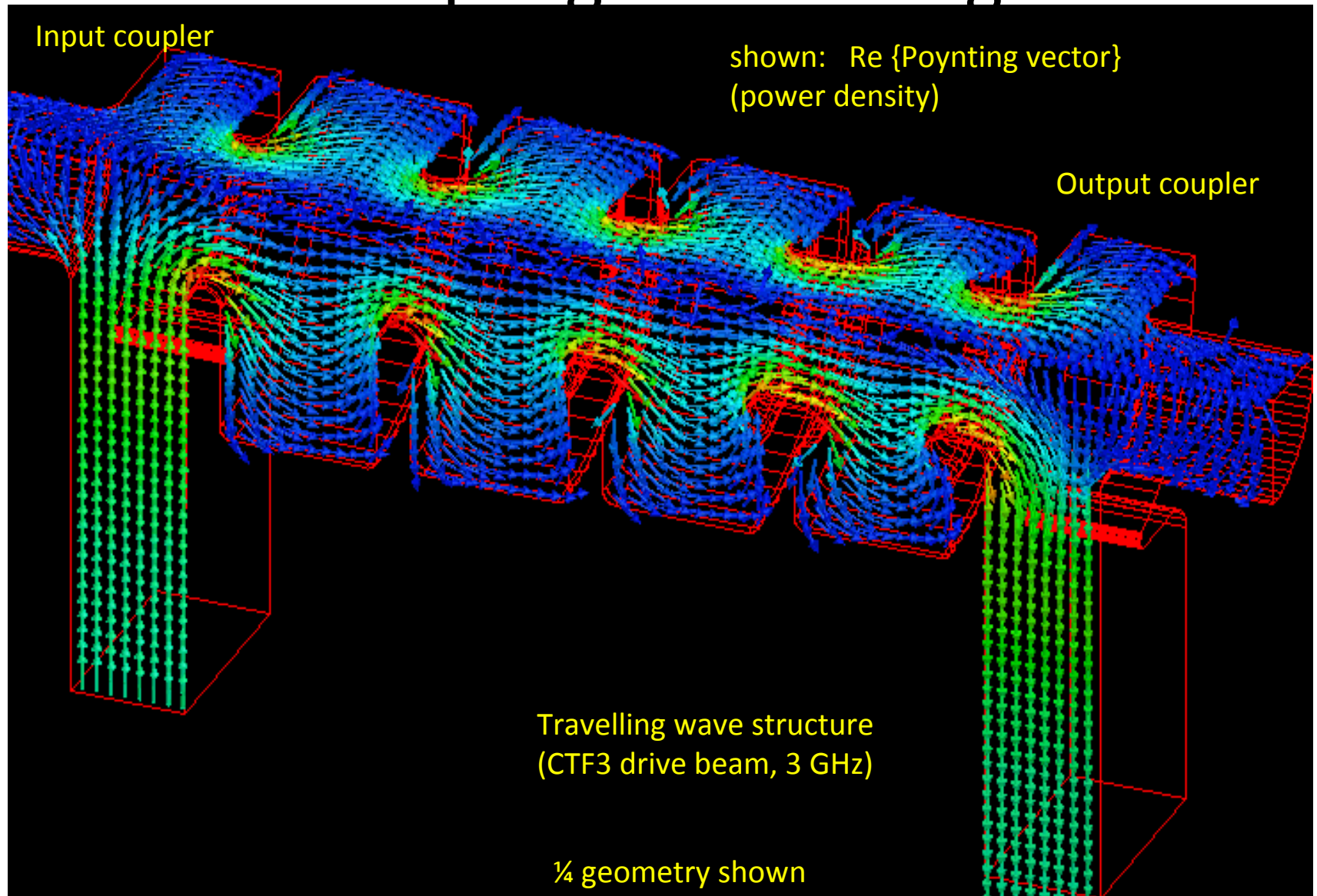




# Disc loaded structure with strong HOM damping “choke mode cavity”

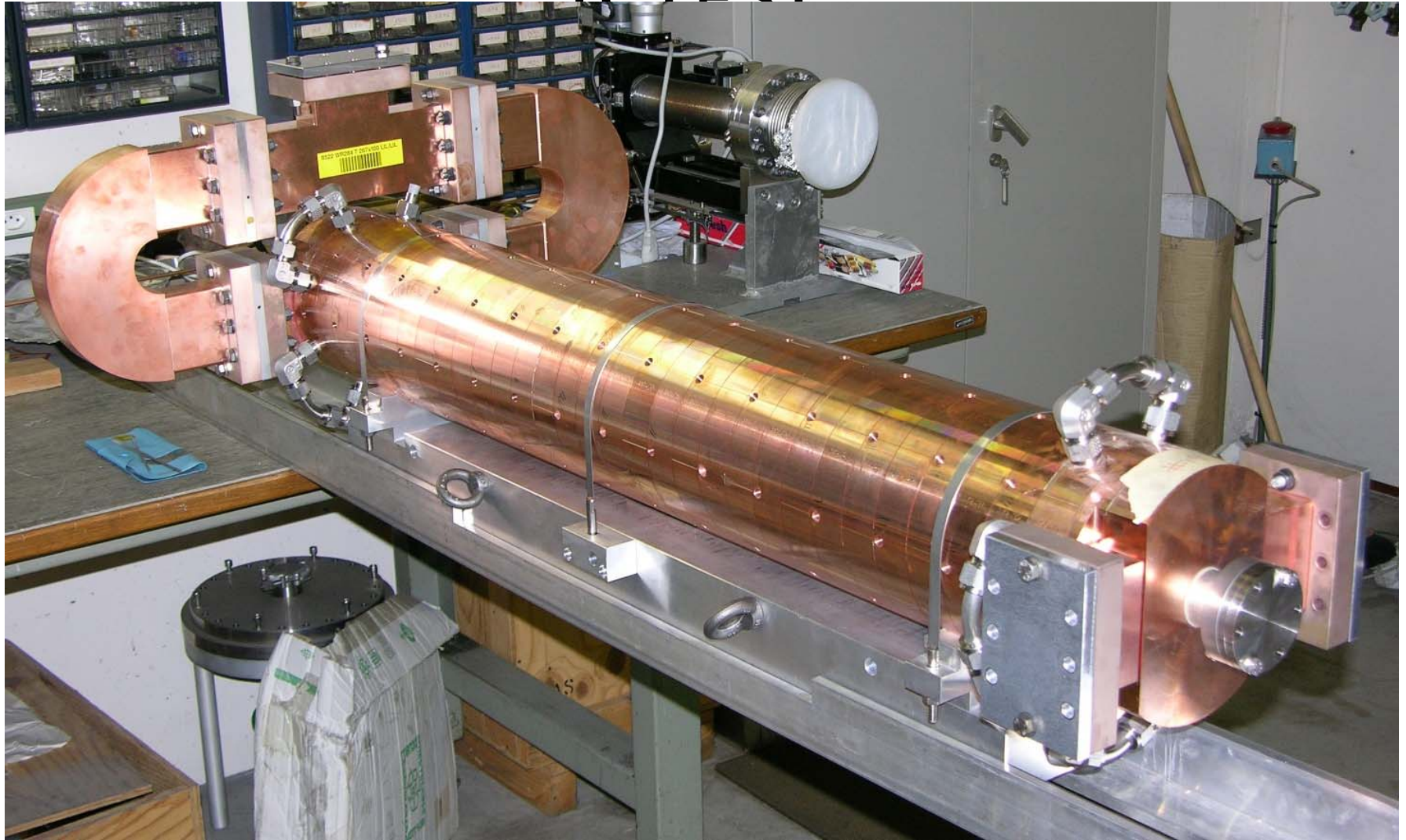


# Power coupling with waveguides

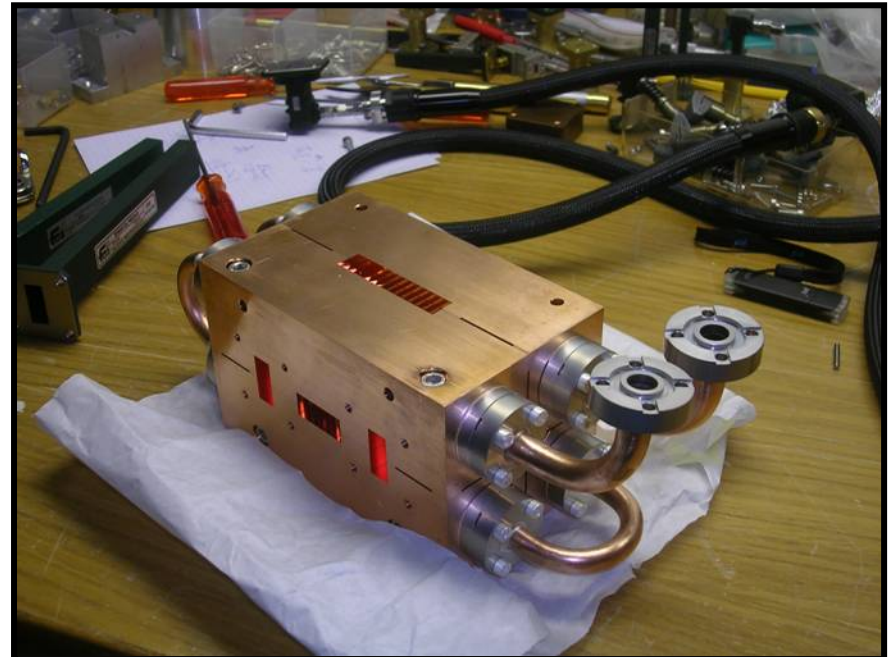
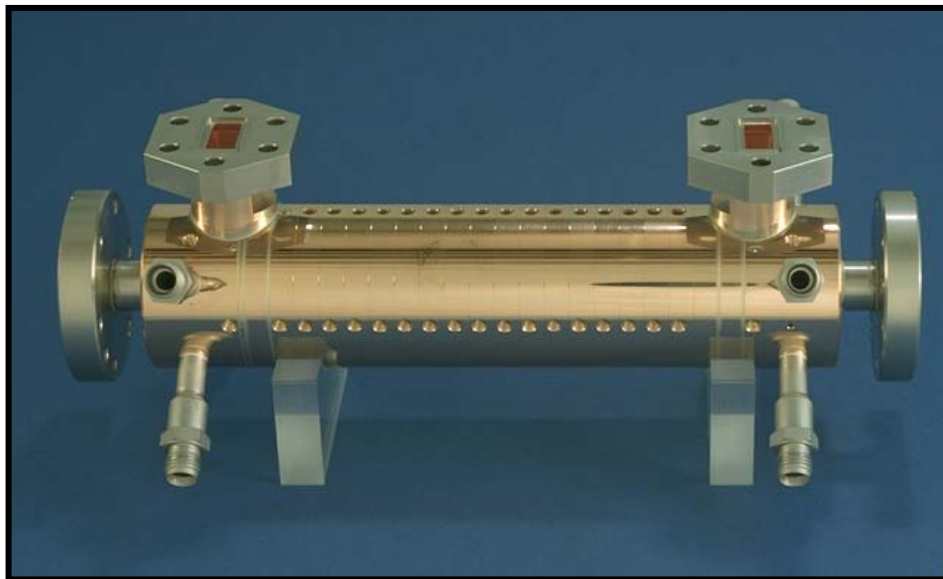
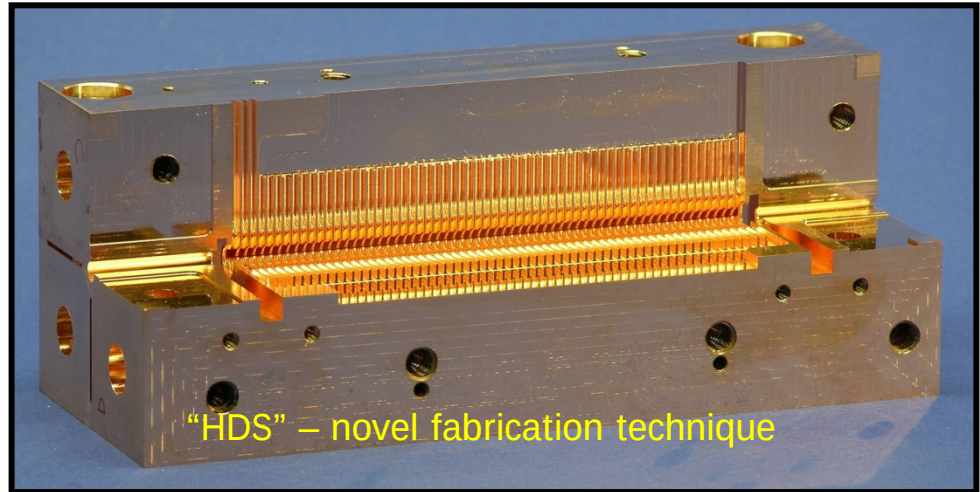




# 3 GHz Accelerating structure (CTE3)



# Examples (CLIC structures @ 11.4, 12 and 30 GHz)

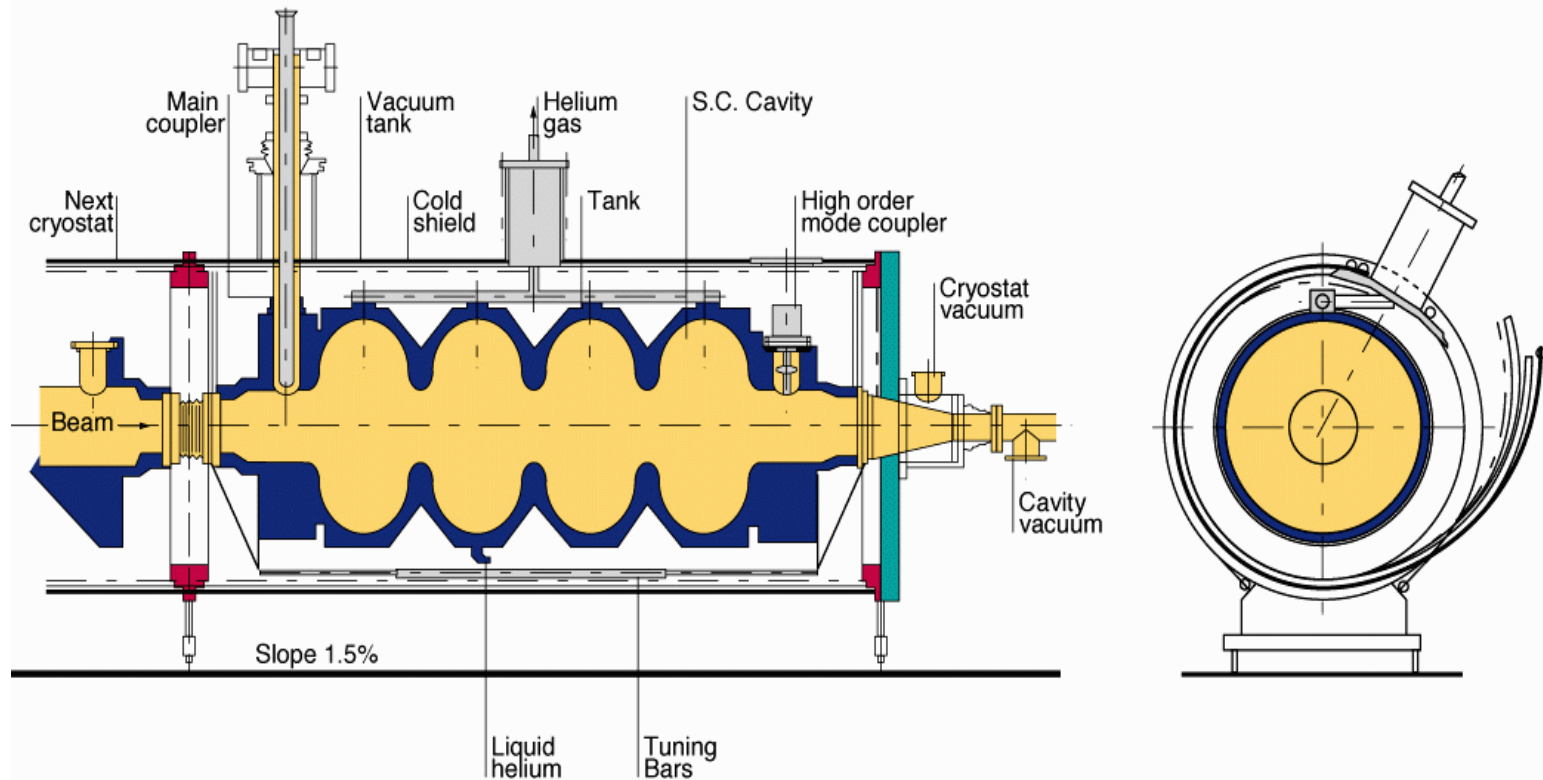


# **SUPERCONDUCTING ACCELERATING STRUCTURES**



# LEP Superconducting cavities

## SUPERCONDUCTING CAVITY WITH ITS CRYOSTAT



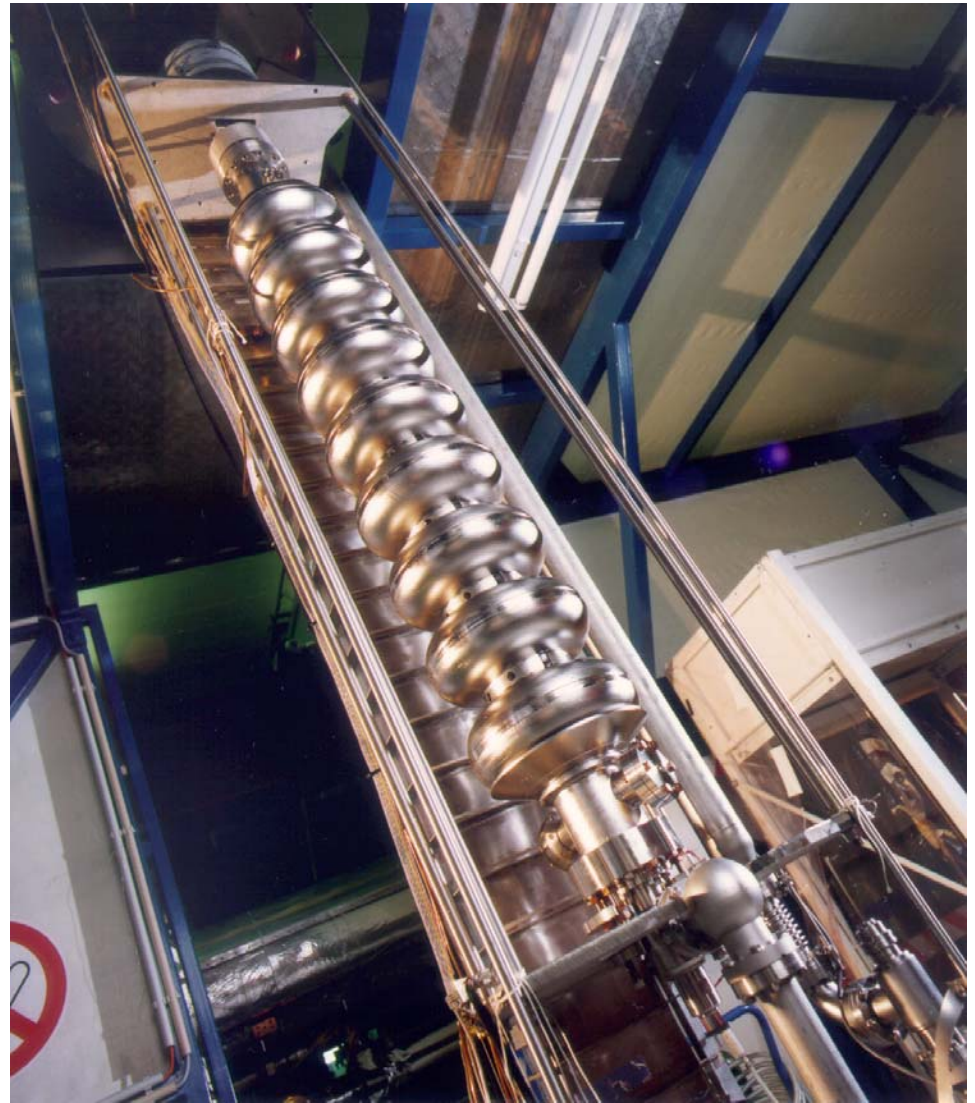
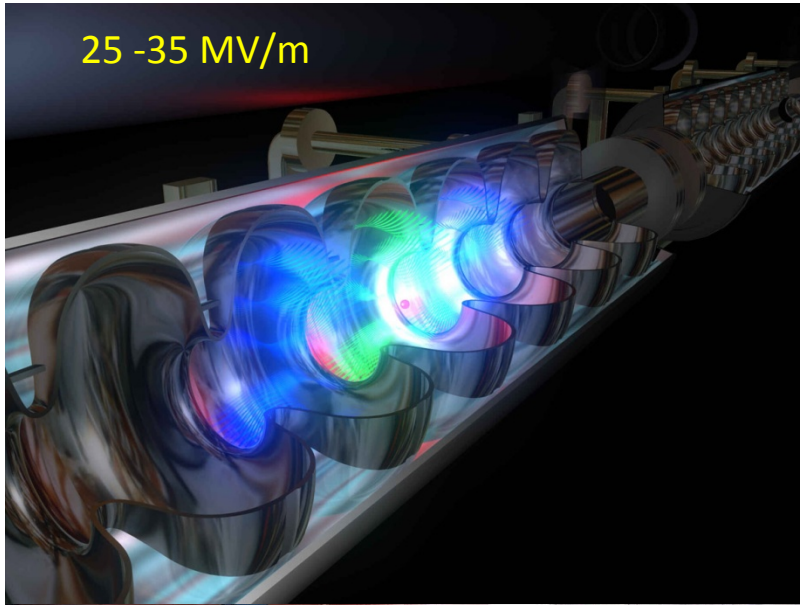
10.2 MV/ per cavity

# LHC SC RF, 4 cavity module, 400 MHz





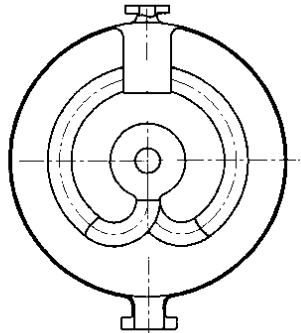
# ILC high gradient SC structures at 1.3 GHz



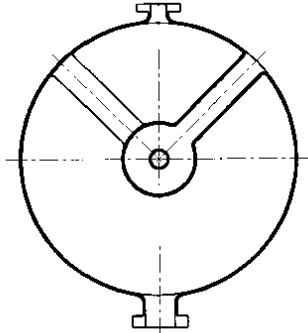


# Small $\beta$ superconducting cavities (example RIA, Argonne)

115 MHz split-ring cavity,

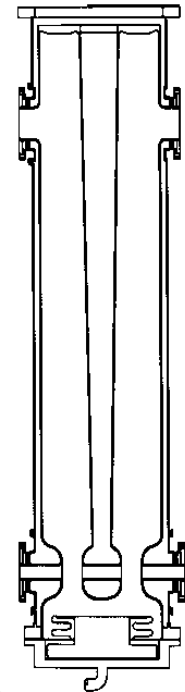


172.5 MHz  $\beta = 0.19$  "lollipop" cavity

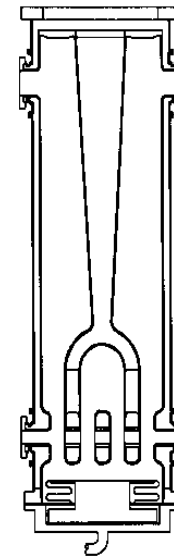
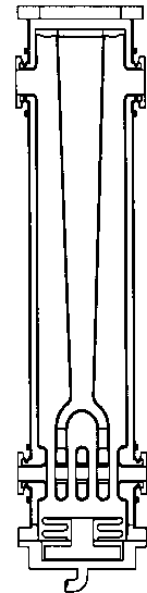


57.5 MHz cavities:

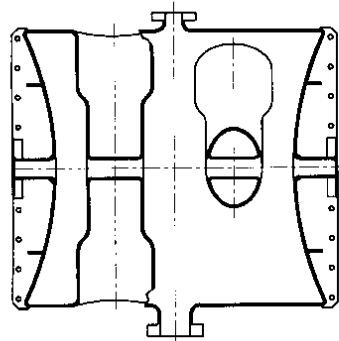
$\beta = 0.06$  QWR  
(quarter wave resonator)



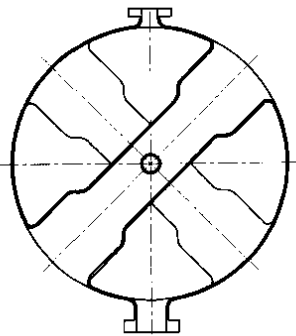
$\beta = 0.03$  fork cavity



12 IN.



345 MHz  $\beta = 0.4$  spoke cavity

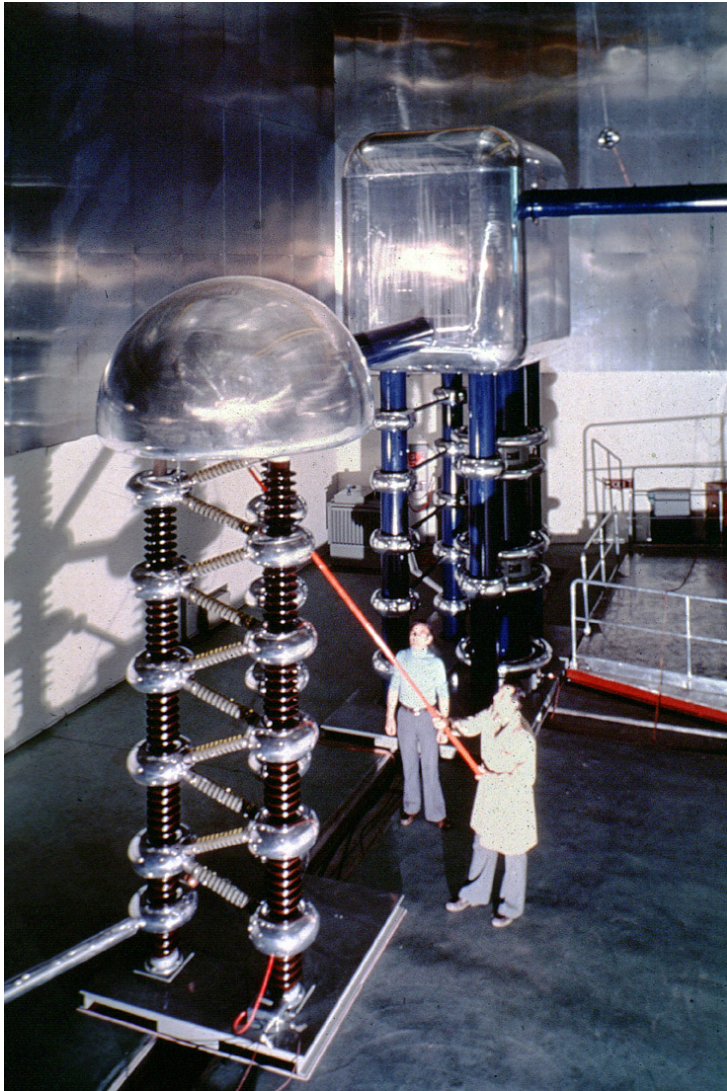


$\beta = 0.021$  fork cavity

pictures from Shepard et al.: "Superconducting accelerating structures for a multi-beam driver linac for RIA", Linac 2000, Monterey

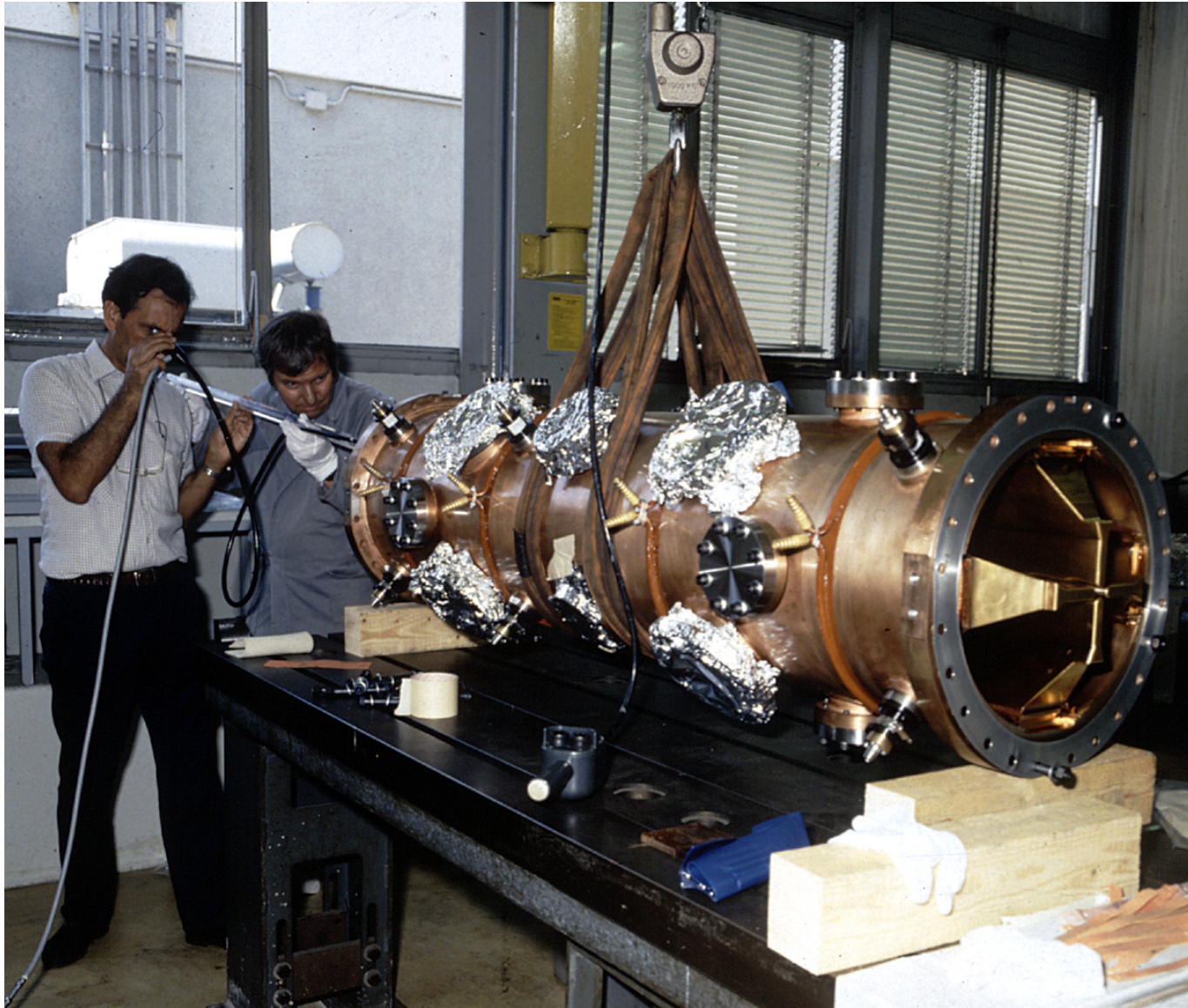
# RFQ'S

# Old pre-injector 750 kV DC , CERN Linac 2 before 1990



All this was replaced by the RFQ ...

# RFQ of CERN Linac 2





# The Radio Frequency Quadrupole (RFQ)

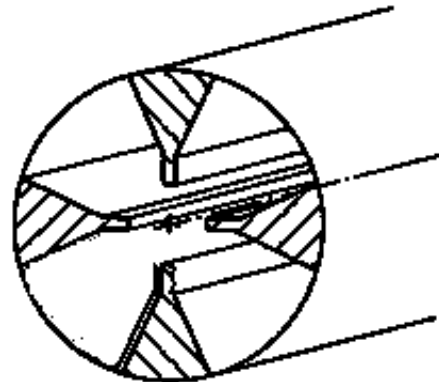
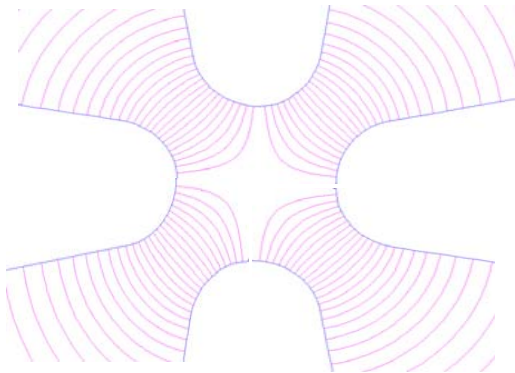
Minimum Energy of a DTL: 500 keV (low duty) - 5 MeV (high duty)

At low energy / high current we need strong focalisation

Magnetic focusing (proportional to  $\beta$ ) is inefficient at low energy.

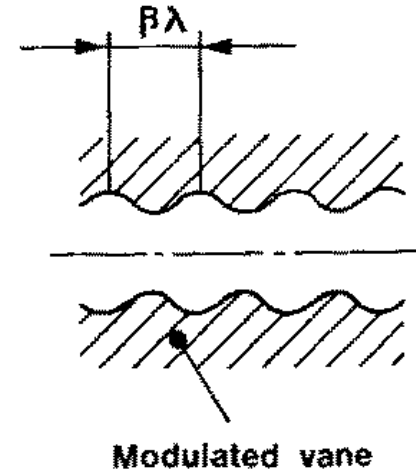
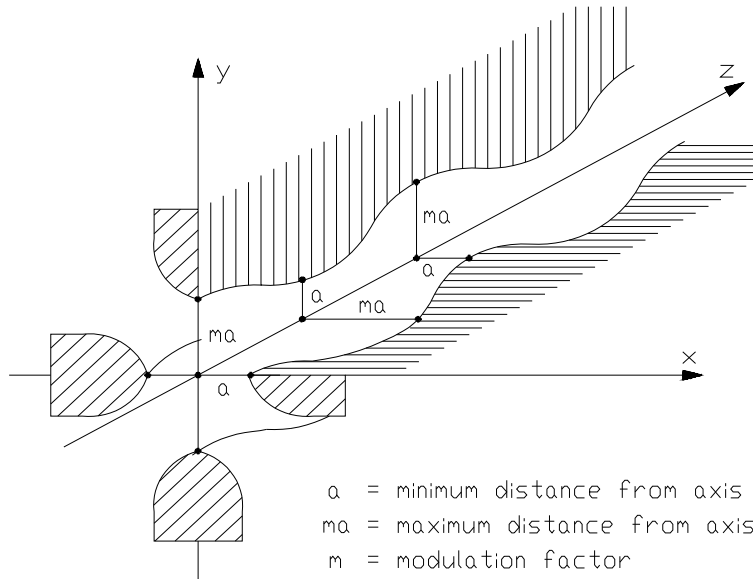
Solution (Kapchinski, 70's, first realised at LANL):

Electric quadrupole focusing + bunching + acceleration



# RFQ electrode modulation

The electrode modulation creates a longitudinal field component that creates the “bunches” and accelerates the beam.





# A look inside CERN AD's "RFQ-D"

