

Designing a Continuous-Wave RF Cavity for Bunch Rotation in Support of Experiments Mu2e and g-2



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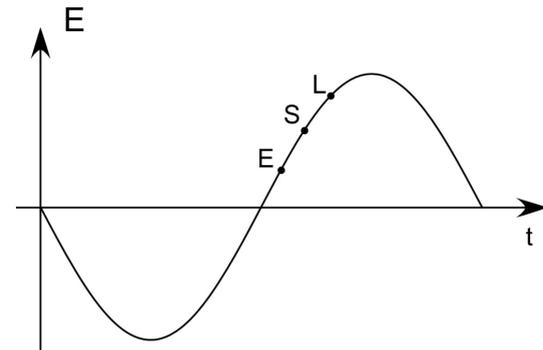
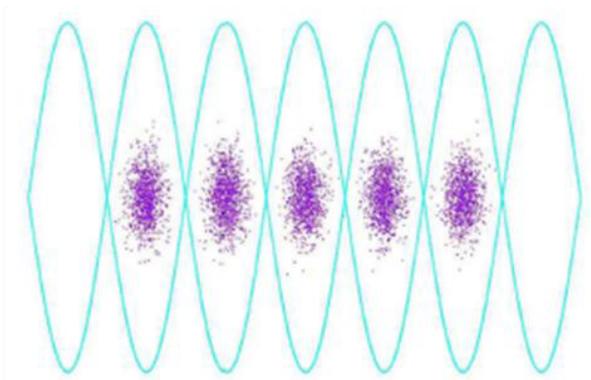
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Beam Bunches

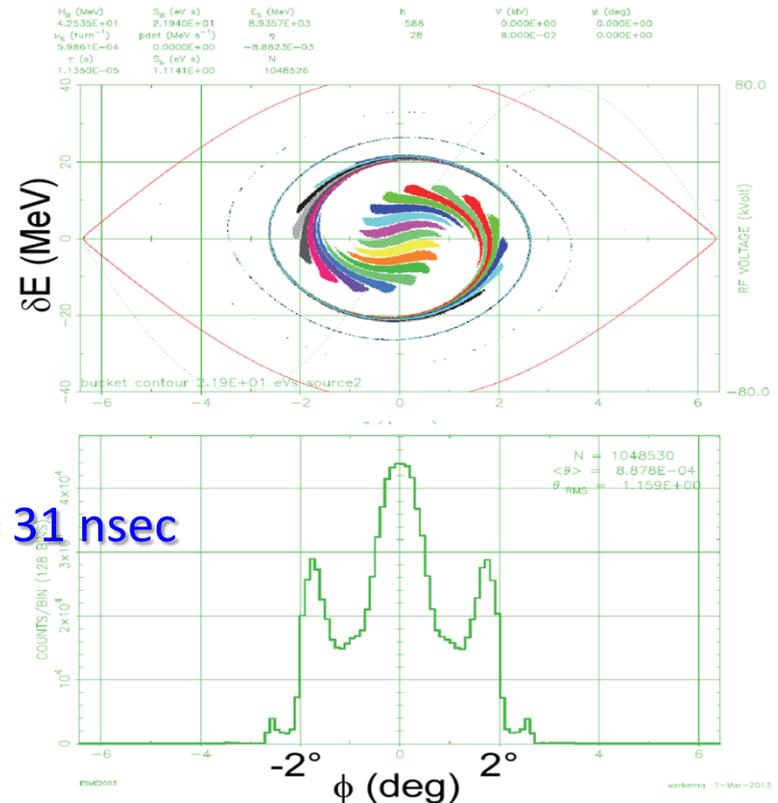
- ▶ RF systems cause the beam to form bunches
- ▶ The bunch size (width/time) is determined by the frequency of the RF system
- ▶ Protons in a bunch rotate from front to back, back to front



Mu2e and g-2 requirements

- ▶ The same RF system will be used for both experiments
- ▶ g-2 requires a smaller bunch length than Mu2e
- ▶ Therefore, RF is being designed to meet g-2
- ▶ Cavities also need to be able to run CW (continuous wave)
- ▶ Excessive heat necessitates the design of new cavities

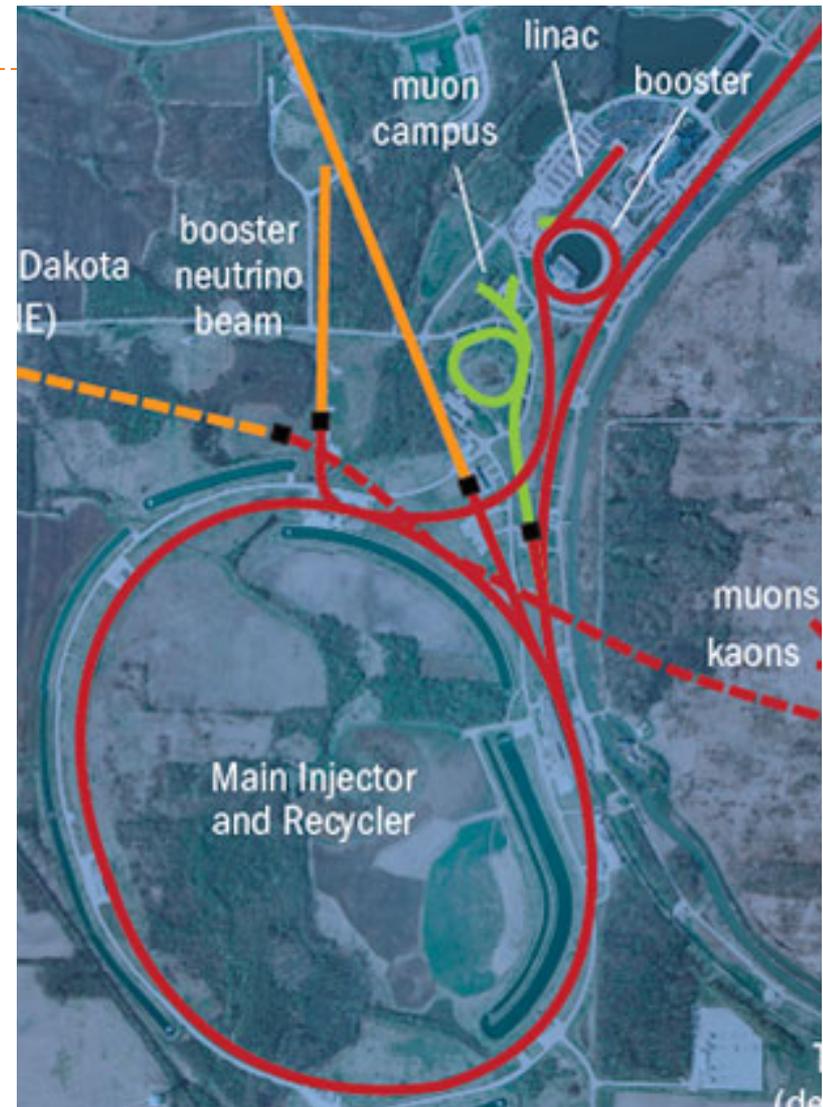
Bunch Length Requirements	
Full width	
Mu2e	g-2
250 nsec	149 nsec



$1^\circ = 31$ nsec

Cavity Placement/Use

- ▶ Seven new 2.5 MHz cavities for Recycler Ring
- ▶ One new 2.4 MHz cavity for Delivery Ring
- ▶ Recycler Ring will create four bunches which are extracted one at a time into the Delivery Ring
- ▶ Delivery Ring 2.4 MHz cavity will be used to preserve bunch width

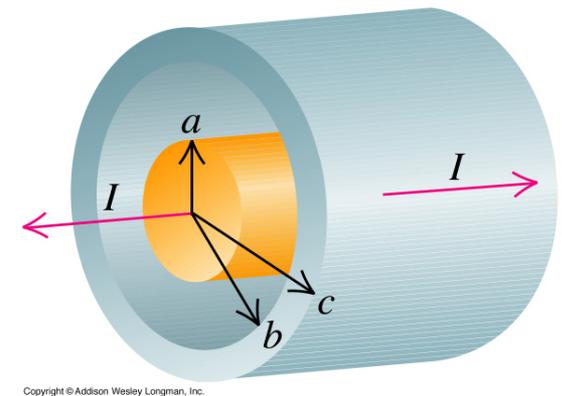
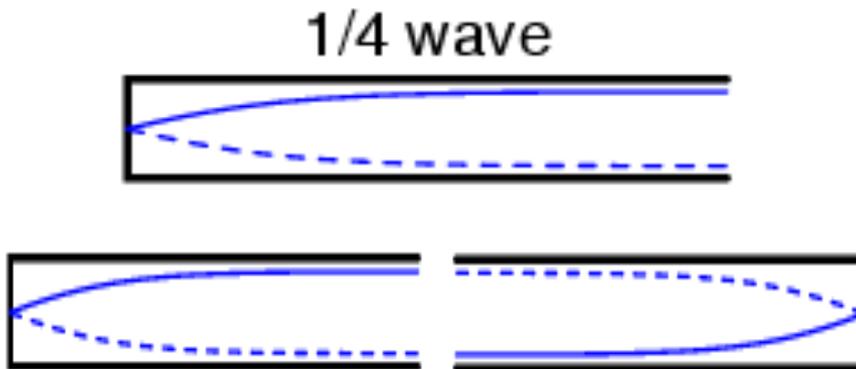
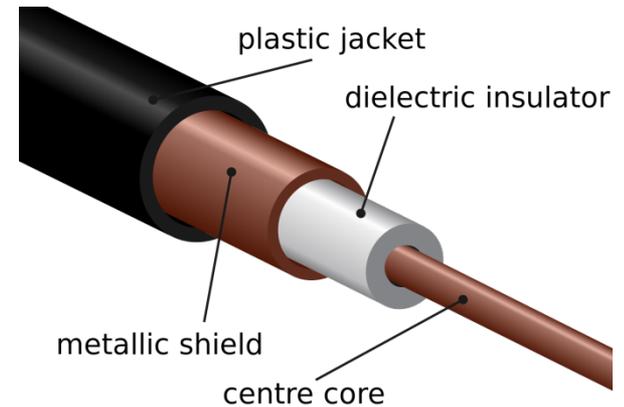


Designing the Cavity

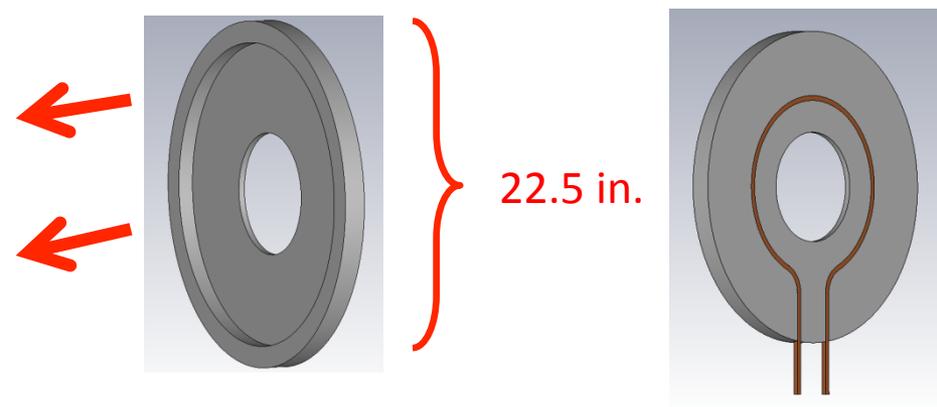
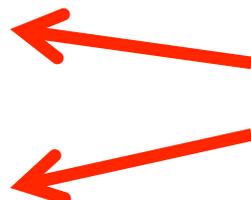
- ▶ New cavities require
 - ▶ Water cooling system
 - ▶ The copper tubing needs to be able to enter/exit the cavity without causing an electrical arc due to potential differences
 - ▶ Resonance at 2.4/2.5 MHz
 - ▶ This requirement is a condition of the experiments and parameters of the accelerating systems at Fermilab
 - ▶ Small footprint due to limited tunnel space
 - ▶ Sufficient gap voltage (10kV)
 - ▶ Simulations of the beam show that the cavities need 10kV difference across the gap
 - ▶ A matched load for power transfer efficiency
 - ▶ If our cavity does not appear like a 50 ohm system, power will be reflected back into the amplifiers

Resonant Cavity

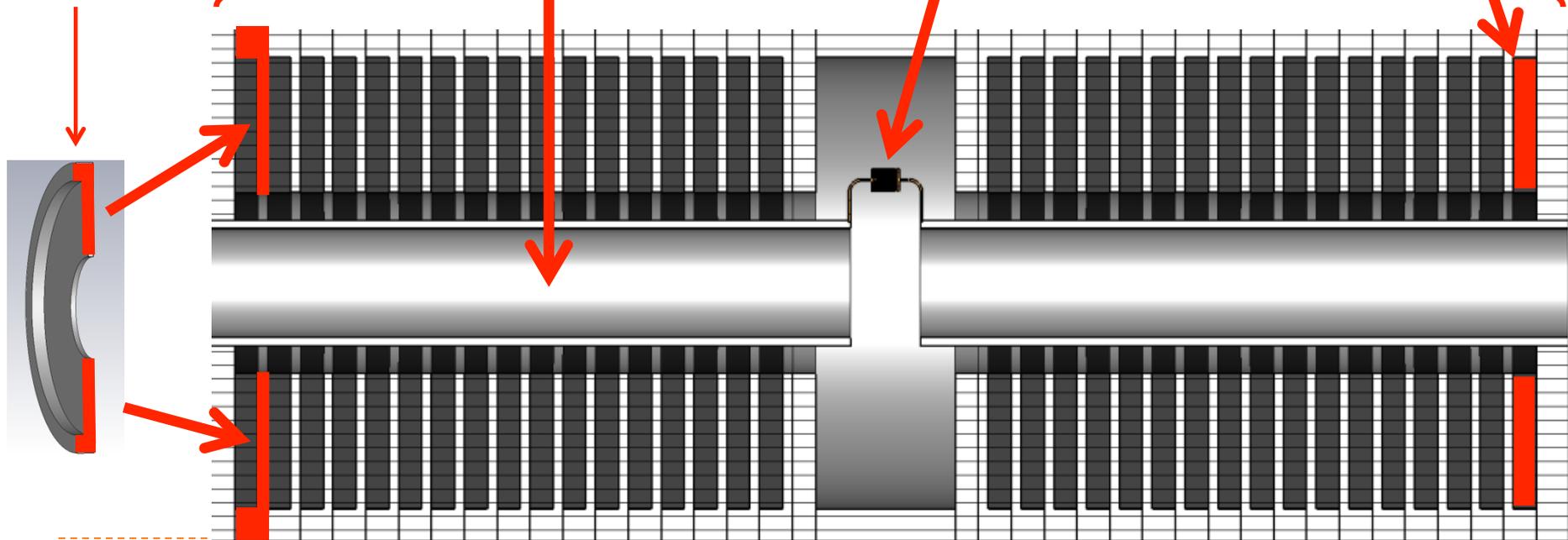
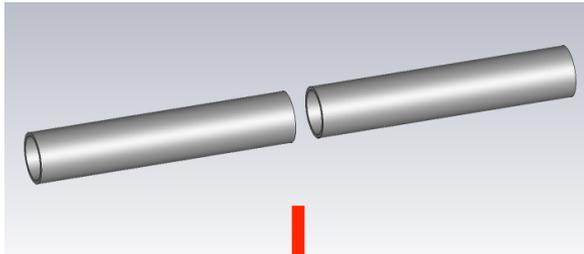
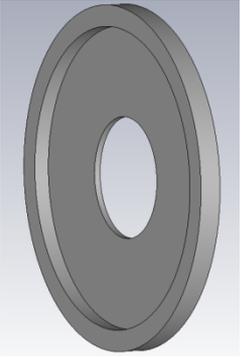
- ▶ Significant factors are:
 - ▶ Inner/outer conductor radius
 - ▶ Dielectric material
 - ▶ Length
- ▶ The cavity will produce a standing wave similar to the characteristics of a quarter wave resonator



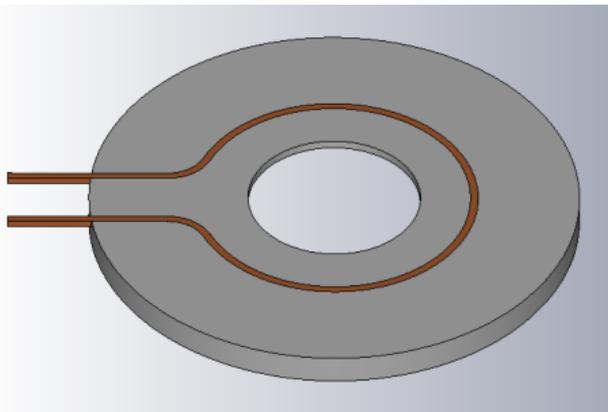
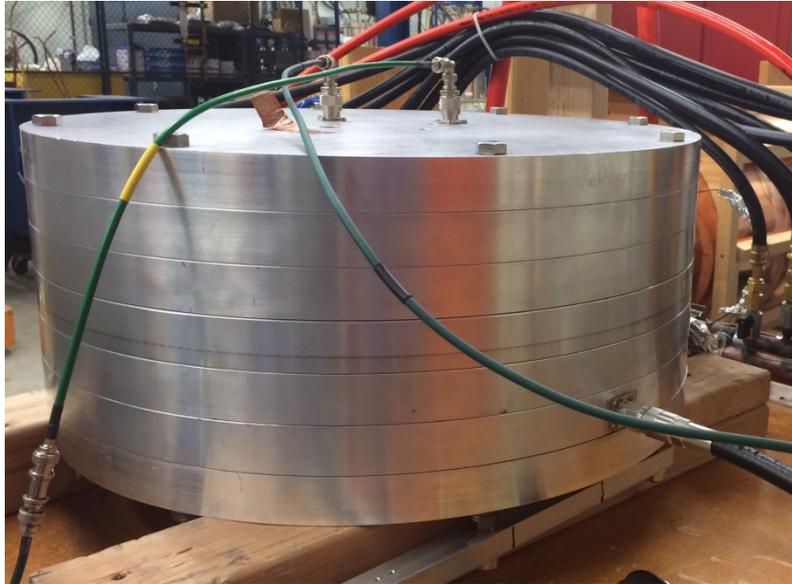
Aluminum/Ferrite Stack



Cavity Cross-section/Components

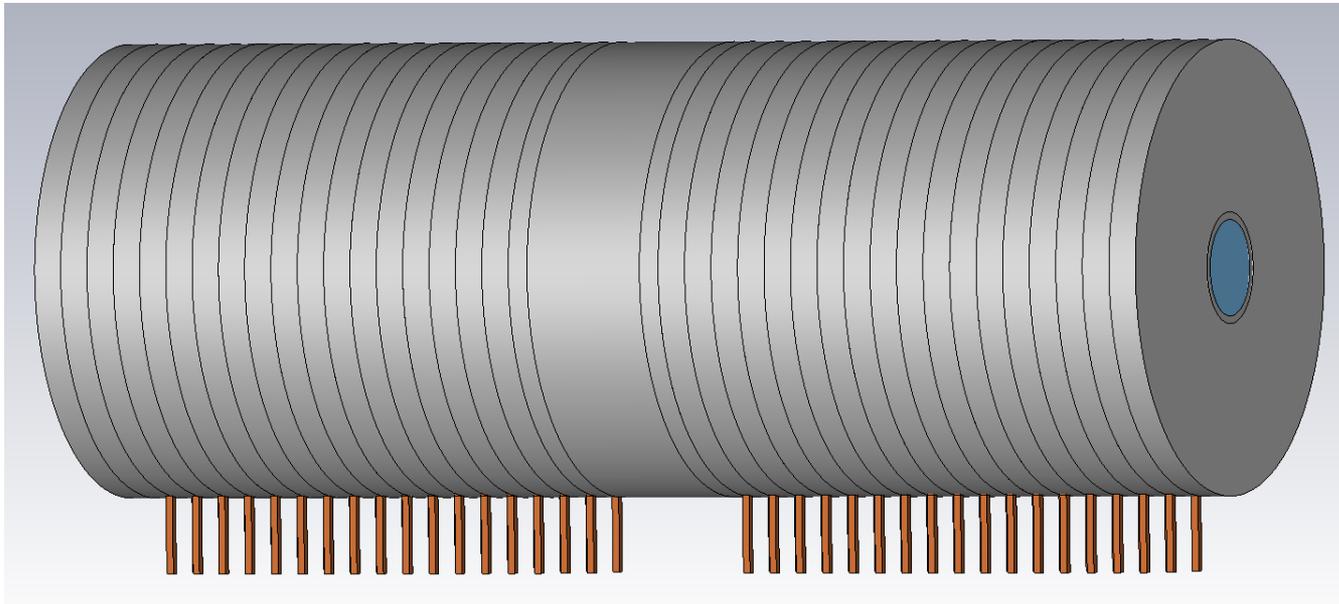


Test Cavity/Water Tubing



Full Cavity

- ▶ The cavities for the Recycler Ring and the Delivery Ring will have the same design



~5 ft.

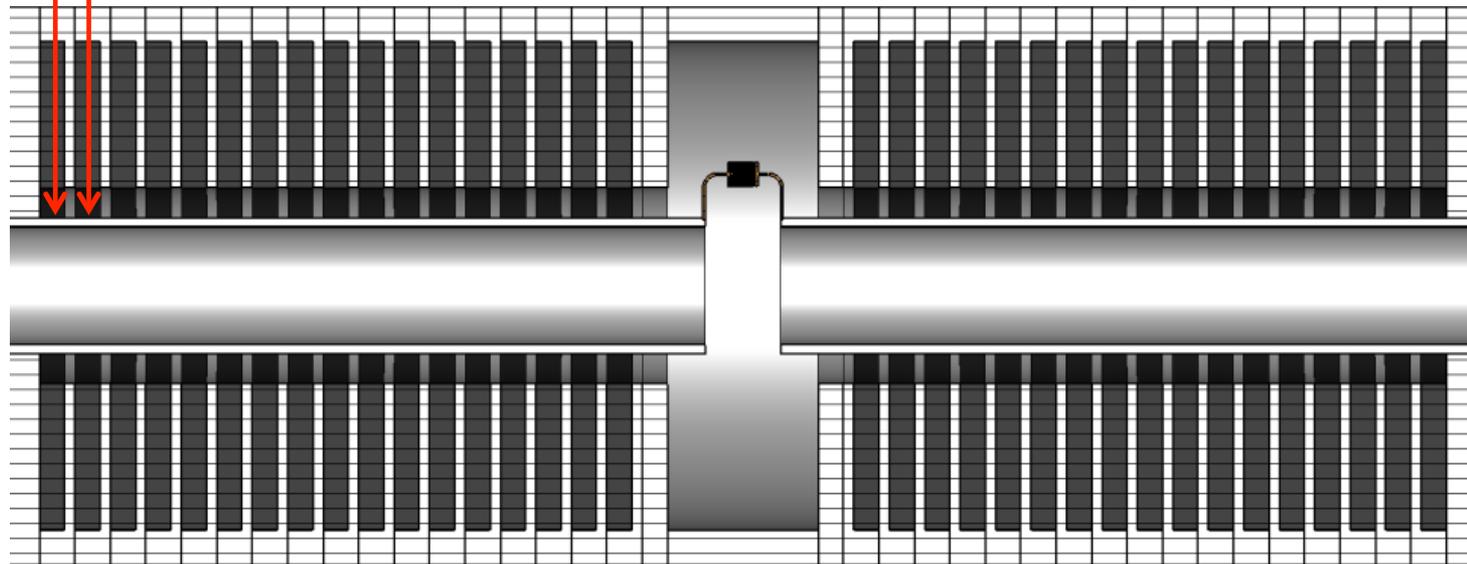
Power Reflection

- ▶ A mismatched load reflects power back to the amplifier



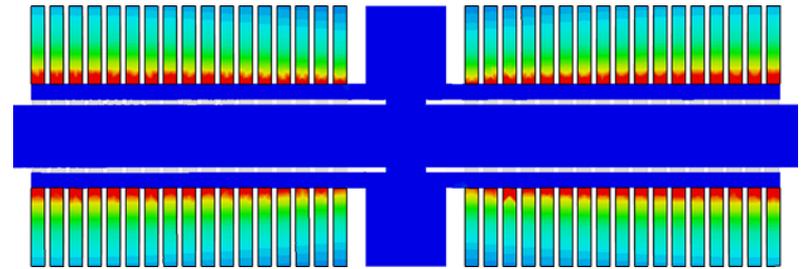
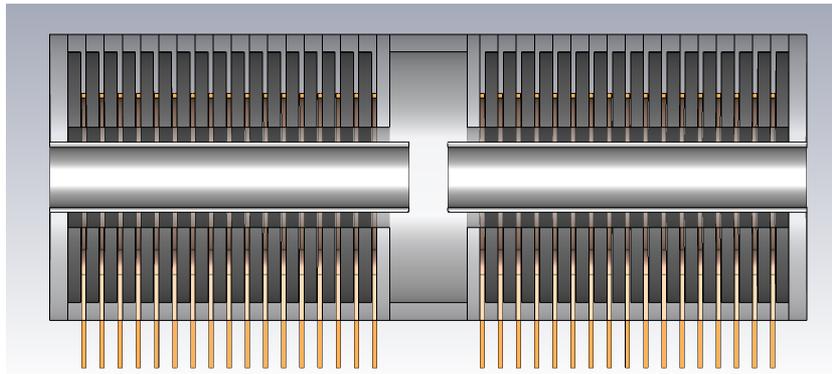
@ 28Ω lose $\sim 80\text{W}$ out of 1kW
@ 63Ω lose $\sim 13\text{W}$ out of 1kW

28Ω 63Ω

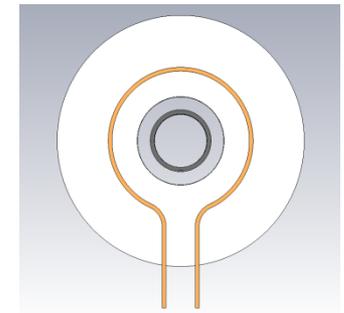
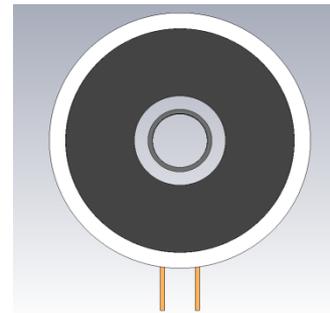
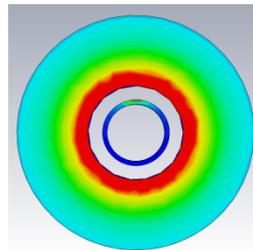


RF input

Magnetic Heating/Ferrite

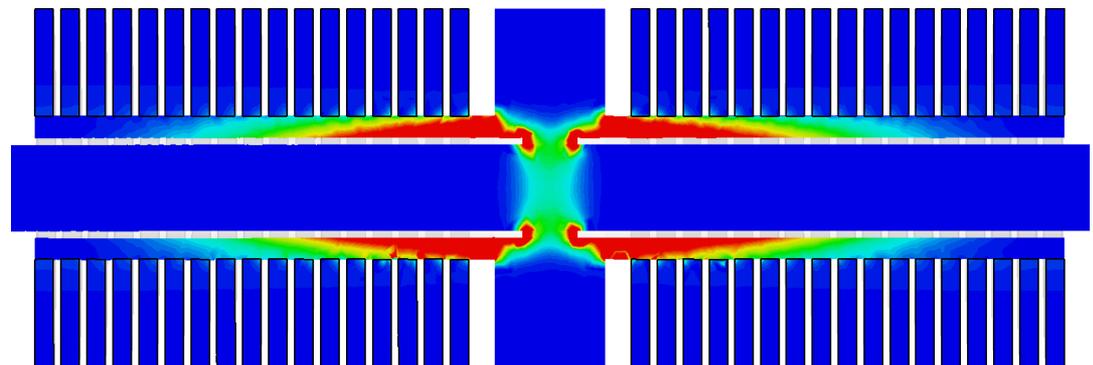
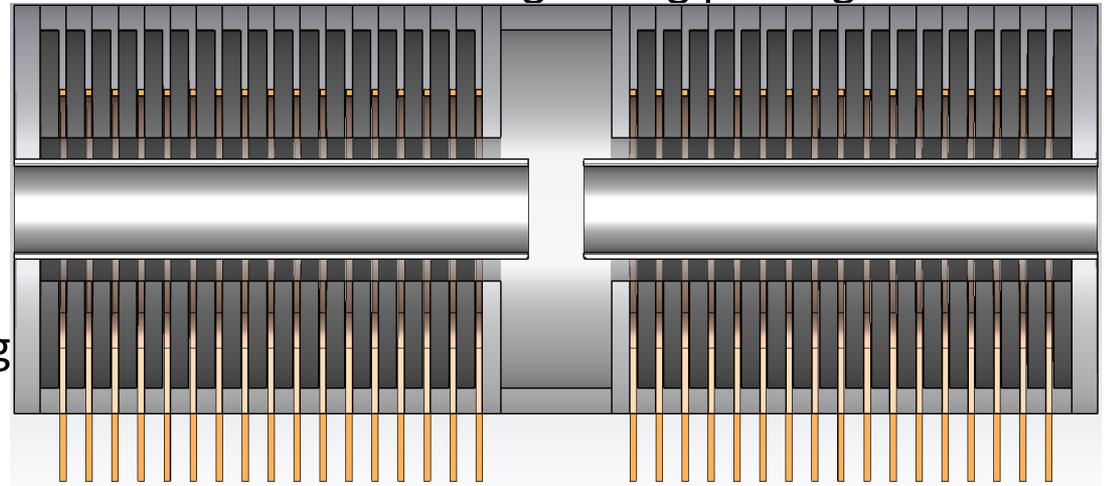


- ▶ Main source of heating comes from magnetic flux in ferrite
- ▶ Ferrite permeability is a function of temperature
- ▶ Over heating will change the Q factor of the cavity and change the resonant frequency
- ▶ Heating fairly consistent through all ferrite because wave only rotates 28°



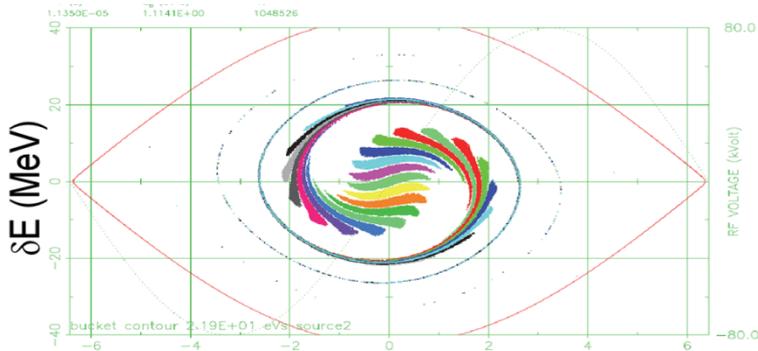
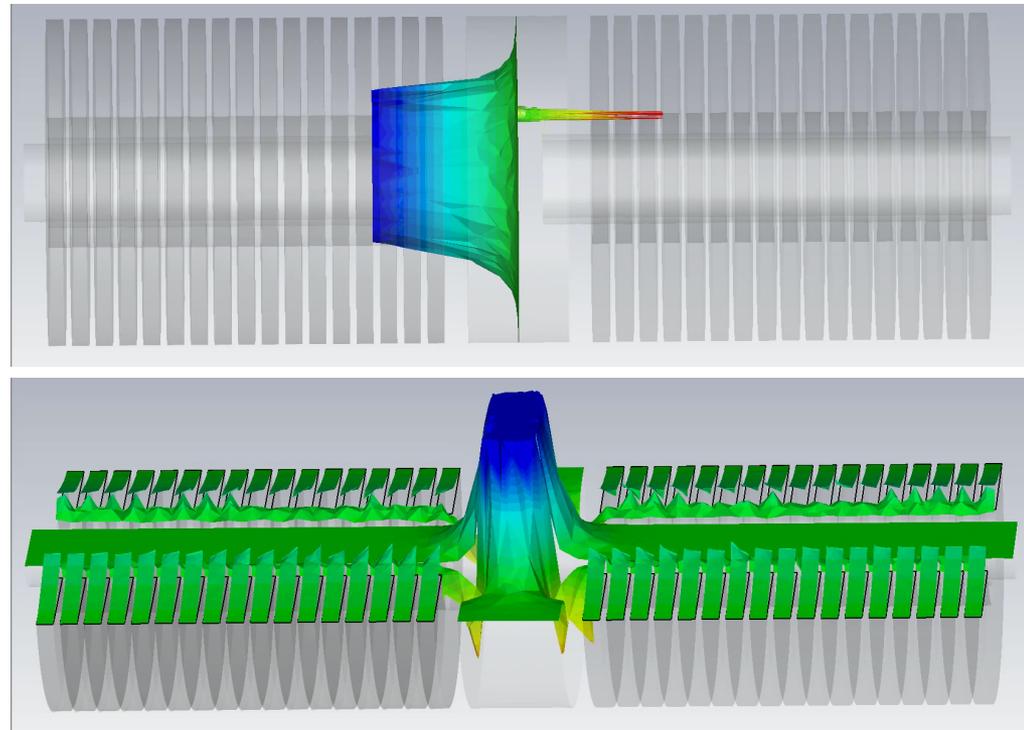
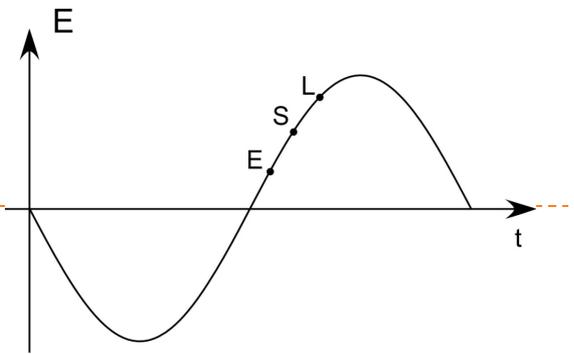
Electrical Arc

- ▶ Alters the quality factor of the cavity and changes the resonant frequency
- ▶ Previous cavities have had this issue due to water cooling tubing passing through the outer conductor
- ▶ The copper tubing exited the cavity through holes in the outer conductor, and were of different potential
- ▶ The new cavity design eliminates this issue by keeping the tubing electrically outside the outer conductor
- ▶ As the electrical density graph shows, the most likely place for an arc to occur is between the inner conductor, near the gap and the corner of the outer conductor.
- ▶ At the voltages required, this should not be an issue



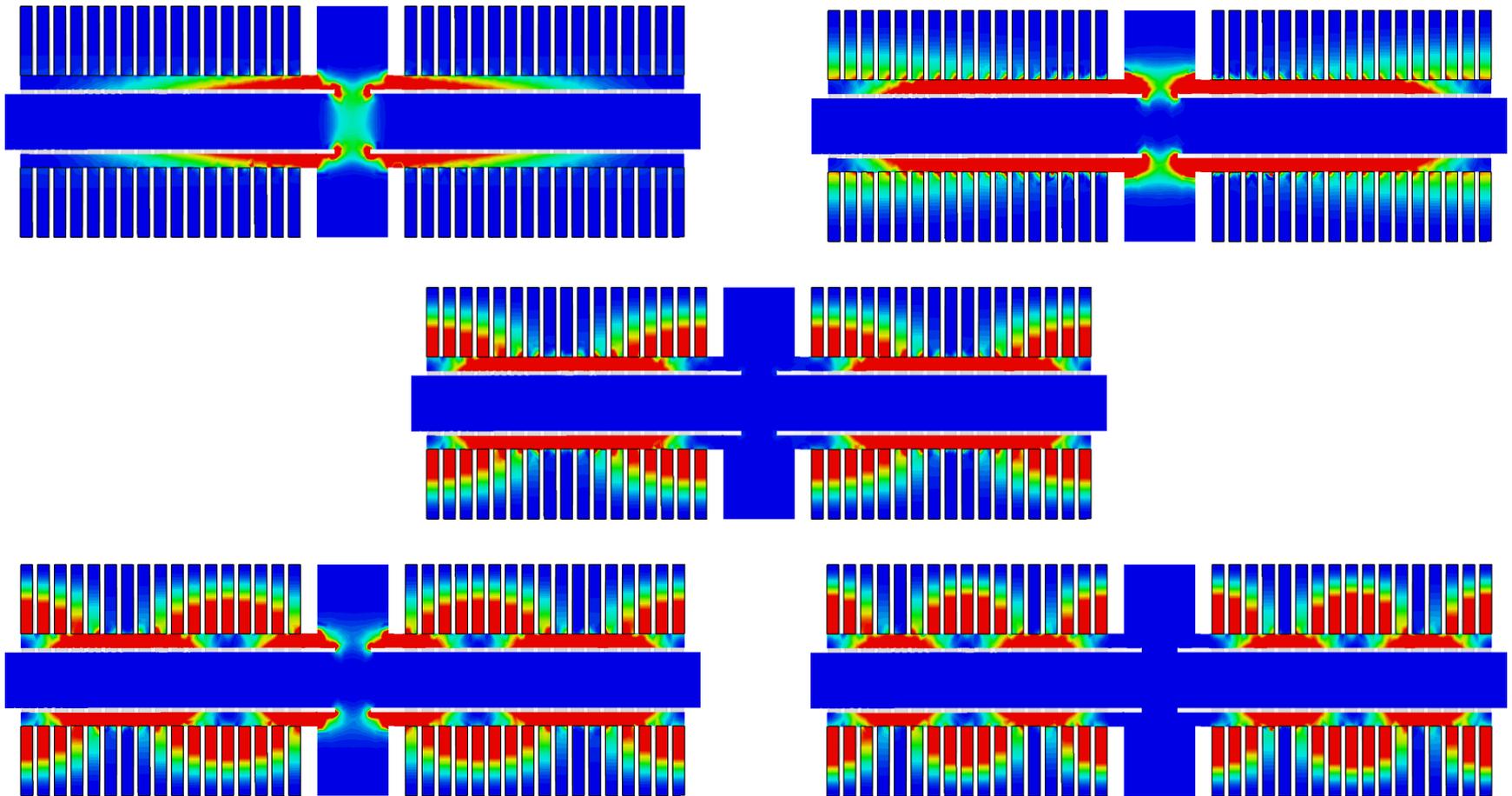
Z-directional Force

- ▶ The electric field across the gap is used to impose a force on the proton beam in the z-direction
- ▶ By creating a voltage difference on either side of the gap we create the electric field
- ▶ This electric field provides the force which causes the bunch rotation and maintains the beams structure



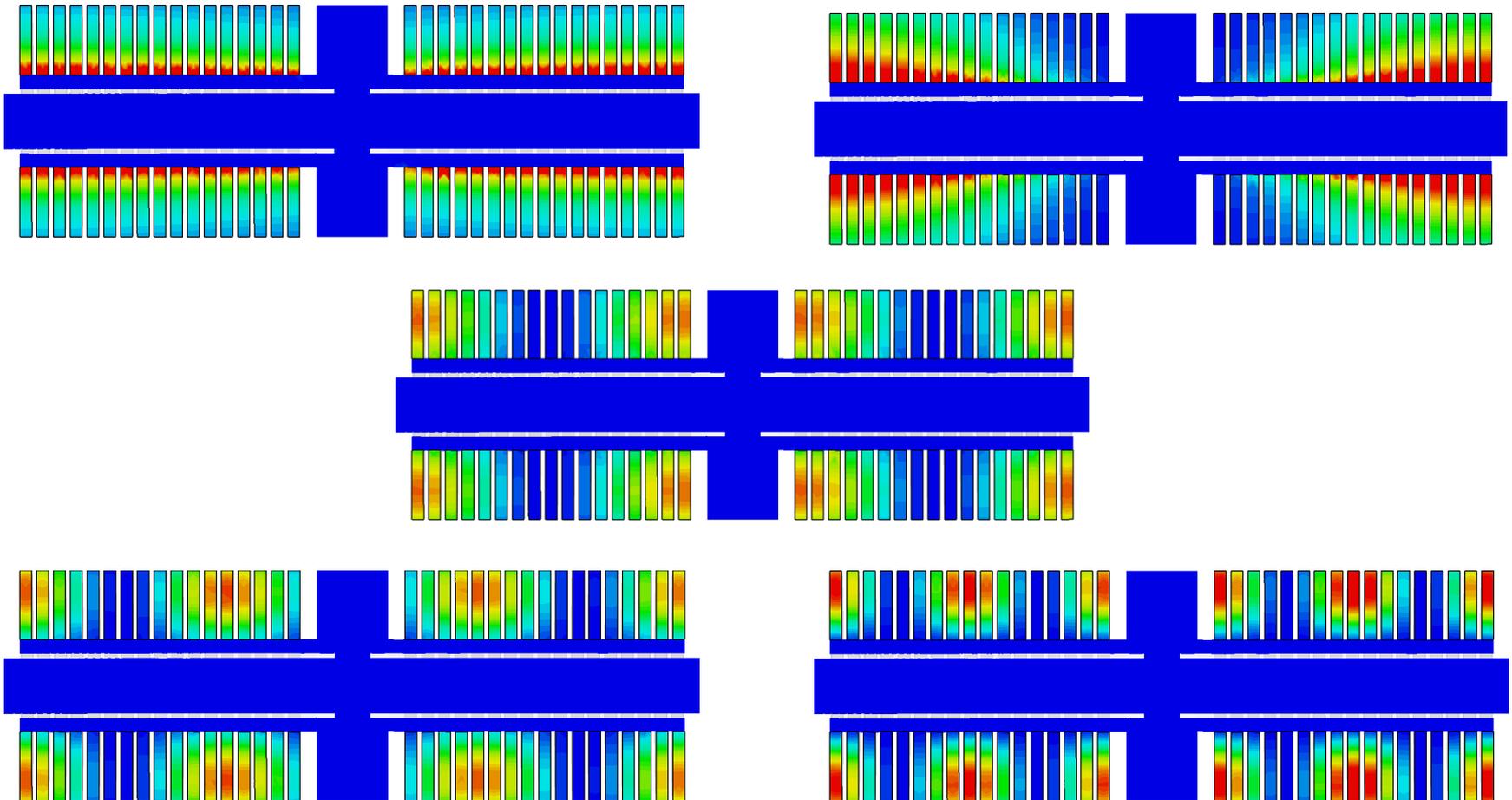
E-Field Harmonics

- ▶ First five harmonics @ 2.5, 6.5, 11.5, 12.7, 13.9 MHz



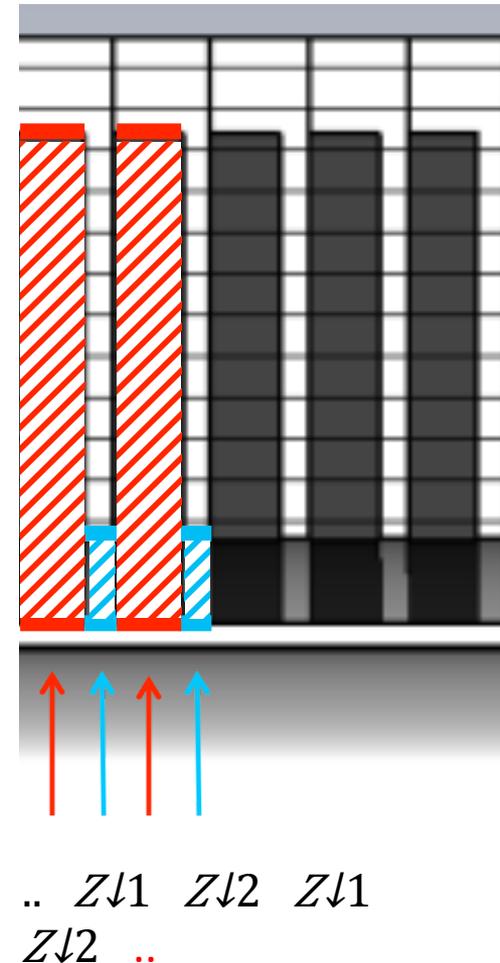
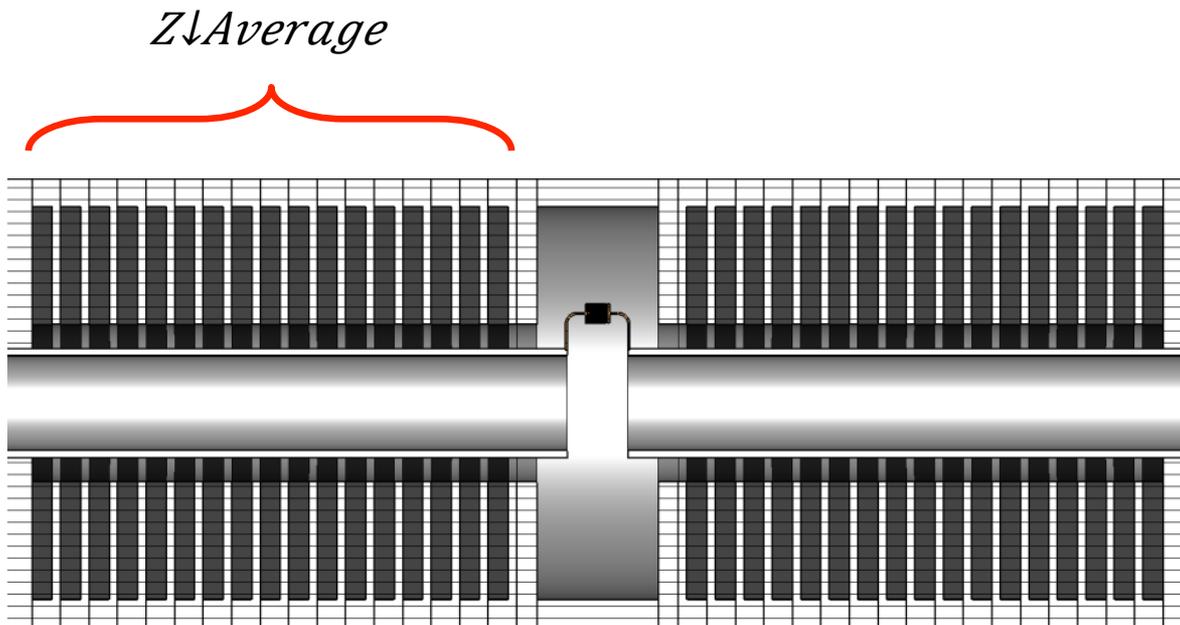
M-Field Harmonics

- ▶ First five harmonics @ 2.5, 6.5, 11.5, 12.7, 13.9 MHz



Characteristic Impedance (Z_0)

- ▶ Function of ratio between inner/outer conductors and the dielectric material
- ▶ Impacts gap voltage and necessary capacitor



Quality Factor (Q)

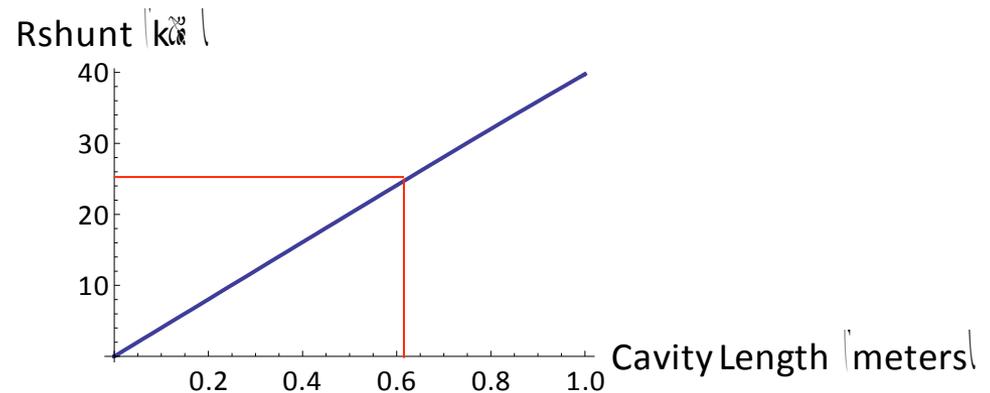
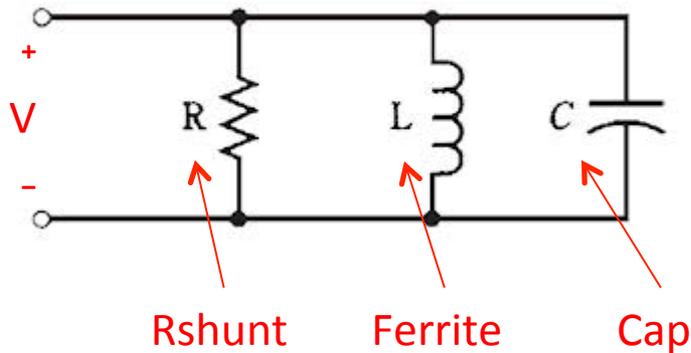
- ▶ The quality factor of a cavity is a ratio

Energy Stored per Cycle / Energy Loss per Cycle

- ▶ Ferrite cavities have a low Q compared to super conducting cavities
- ▶ The Q of the cavity is dominated by the Q of the ferrite
- ▶ Test cavity results showed that the aluminum casing and tin finger stock did not have a significant impact on the Q of the cavity

Rshunt (Shunt Impedance)

- ▶ Rshunt of $25\text{k}\Omega$ yields 10kV with 1kW input power
- ▶ Total cavity length $\sim 1.5\text{m}$
- ▶ Power distribution across 34 ferrite is acceptable



Conclusions

- ▶ By using circuit models, CST Microwave Studio and a five ferrite test cavity we
 - ▶ Showed proof of concept of the cavity design
 - ▶ Demonstrated the sufficiency of the water cooling system
 - ▶ Found the cavities characteristic impedance and Q factor
 - ▶ Determined an appropriate Rshunt for the needed voltage
 - ▶ Identified the size of the capacitors
 - ▶ Calculated the appropriate RF input point on the cavity
 - ▶ Determined the frequency of the higher order modes

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