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# Overview of IFJ PAN involvement in international projects

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# Outline

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  - LHC consolidation and upgrade
  - Wendelstein 7X
- Scientific equipment construction
- Summary



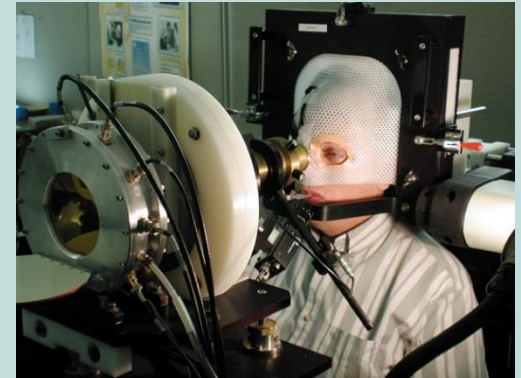


# General information

- 530 personnel
- Prof. 39, Assoc. Prof. 52, Ph.D. 108
- PhD studies – 61 students
- Interdisciplinary PhD studies
- 6 divisions: 28 departments
- centre of excellence
- centre of advanced technology
- 4 accredited laboratories
- Equipment and Scientific Infrastructure Construction Division (DAI)

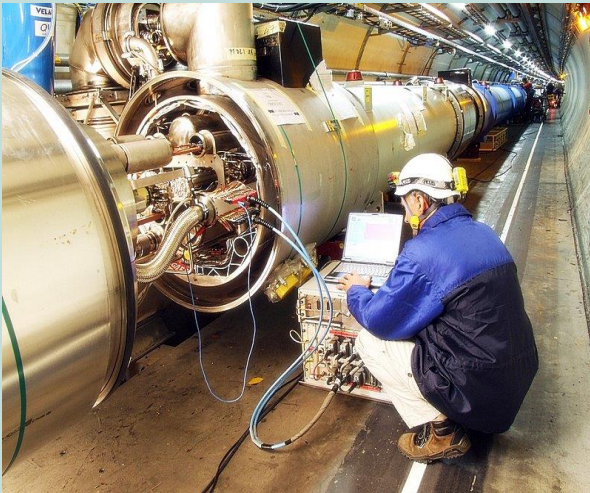


- **cyclotron AIC-144**
  - proton beam energy: 60 MeV
  - Proton Radiotherapy of Eye Melanoma
- **Cyclotron Proteus C-235**
  - National Centre for Hadron Radiotherapy
  - under construction (2013)
- **neutron generator**
  - 14 MeV
- **VdG high stability**
  - 2.5 MeV



## Running projects:

- XFEL, DESY, Hamburg, 2009 – 2015
- LHC, CERN, Geneva, 2013 – 2014
- ITER, Cadarache, 2010-2015
- Cherenkov Telescope Array (CTA), 2008 – 2013



## Completed projects

- LHC, CERN Geneva, 2005 – 2012
- Wendelstein 7X, IPP Greifswald, 2007 – 2012
- ATLAS, CERN Geneva, 2004 - 2012
- T2K, J-PARC Tokai, Krakow/J-PARC, 2007 – 2009

- 1) Performance of acceptance tests of **cavities** for a series of 840 units on DESY infrastructure and delivering the corresponding test reports
- 2) Performance of acceptance tests of **cryomodules** for a series of 103 units on DESY infrastructure and delivering the corresponding test reports
- 3) Performance of acceptance tests of **cold magnets** for a series of 103 units on DESY infrastructure and delivering the corresponding tests reports – common effort with DESY



XFEL RF cavities tests



XFEL quadrupole magnets tests



XFEL cryomodules tests



- Tests of cavities and cryomodules in the AMTF Hall
- Tests of cold magnets

**Each IFJ PAN task is split in two phases:**

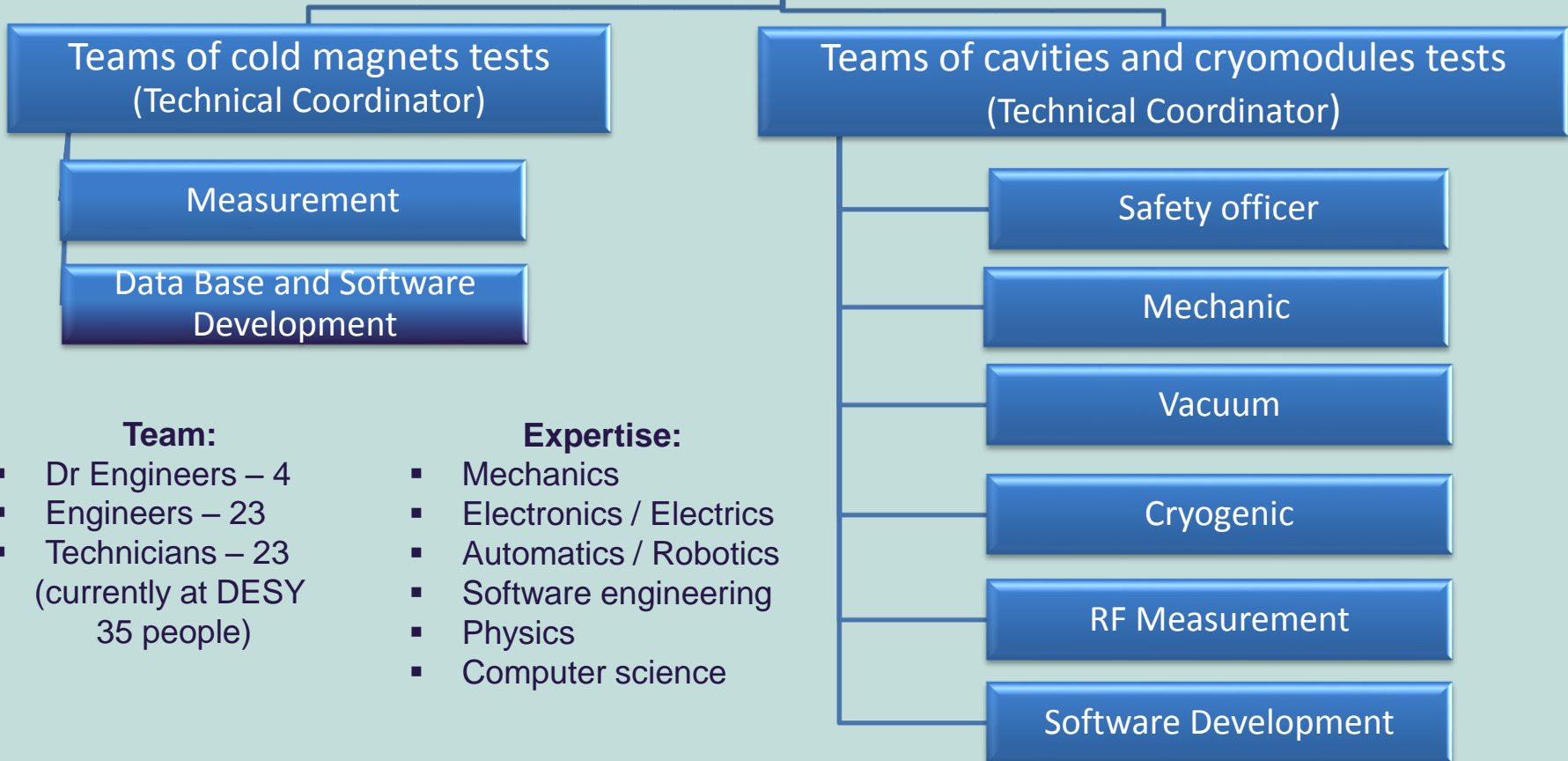
### **Preparatory phase**

- Knowledge acquiring (learning, trainings, meetings with DESY experts);
- Procedures writing;
- Software preparation;
- Performance of preseries tests: (3 cold magnets and 3 CL, 24 cavities and 3 cryomodules).

### **Serial tests phase**

- Performance of serial tests:
  - Cold magnets – 100
  - Current leads – 100
  - Cavities – 816
  - Cryomodules – 100
- Data analysis and reporting;
- Software upgrade.

### IFJ PAN Team (Management)



**Team:**

- Dr Engineers – 4
- Engineers – 23
- Technicians – 23  
(currently at DESY  
35 people)

**Expertise:**

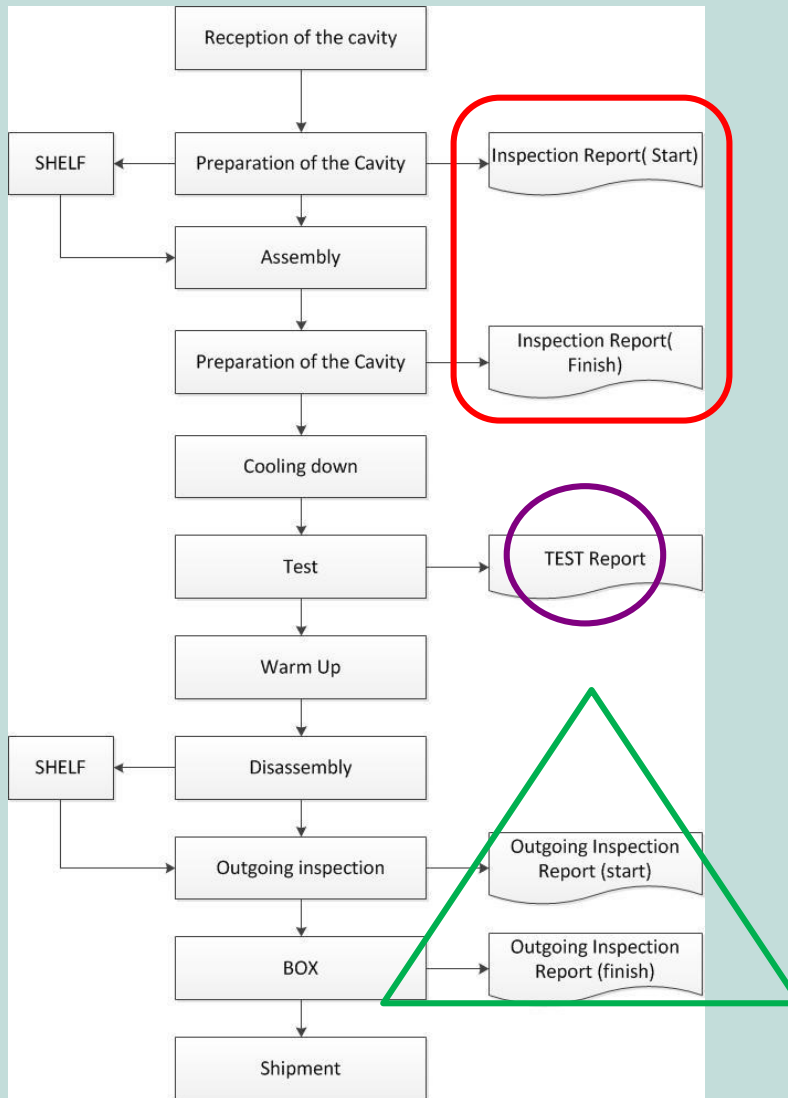
- Mechanics
- Electronics / Electricics
- Automatics / Robotics
- Software engineering
- Physics
- Computer science





# IFJ PAN in-kind contribution to XFEL construction

## Cavity Test Flow chart

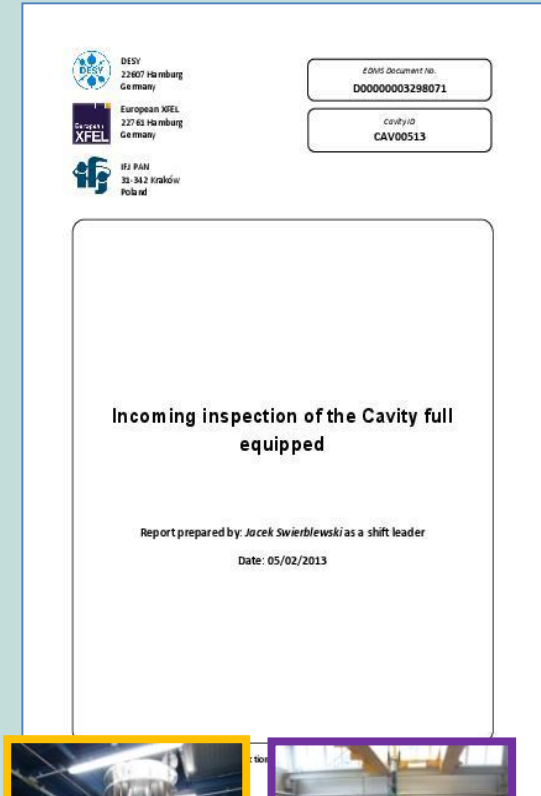


We create 3 reports from each test and upload them to the EDMS:

- Incoming inspection report
- Final test report
- Outgoing inspection report

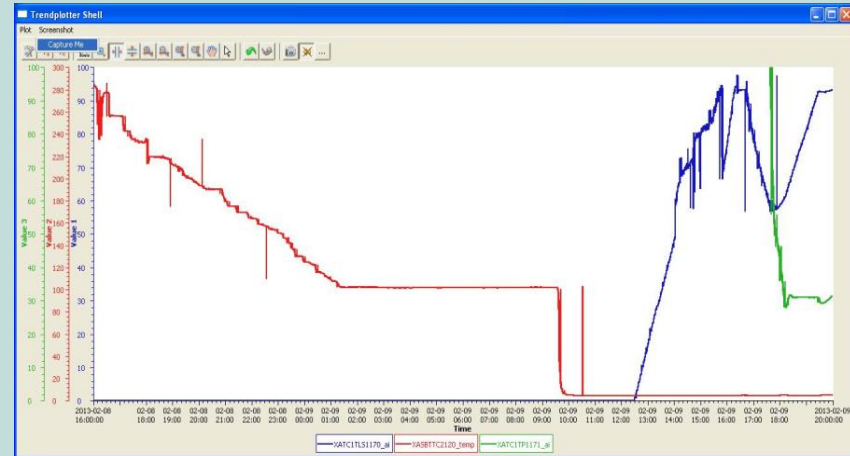
### Main tasks:

- Incoming Report
  - Mechanical check of the cavity
  - Vacuum check
  - Electrical check
  - Cavity spectrum check & HOM tuning
- Assembling cavity to the insert
- Connecting cavity to the vacuum line (in cleanroom conditions)
- Cables connection with TDR
- Leak check of the cavity
- Transport of the insert to the cryostat
- Connecting of the insert to the vacuum line

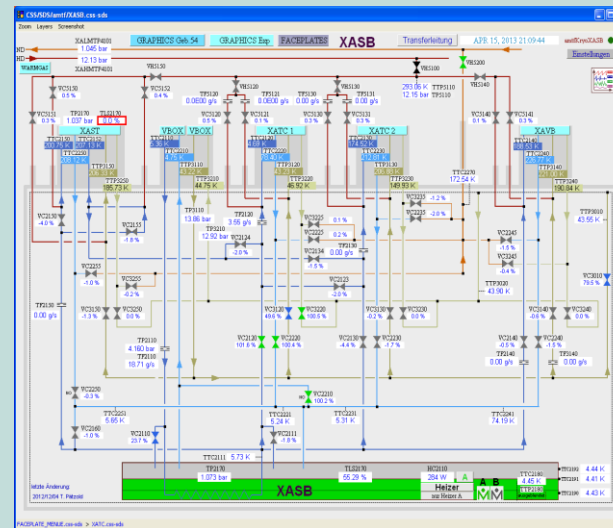
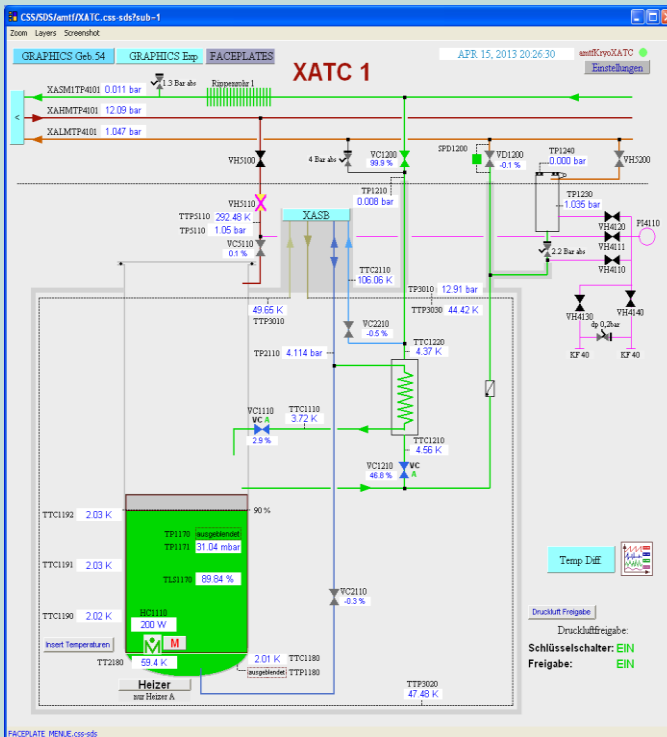


### Cryogenic activities at AMTF:

- Cool down
- Maintenance during the test
- Warm up

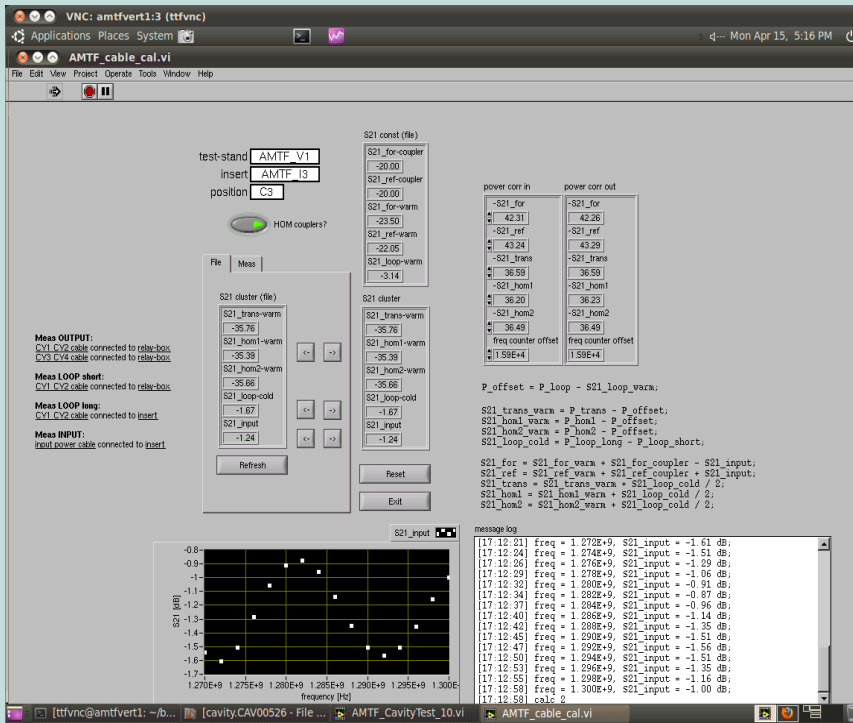


Cool down process from 300 K to 2 K

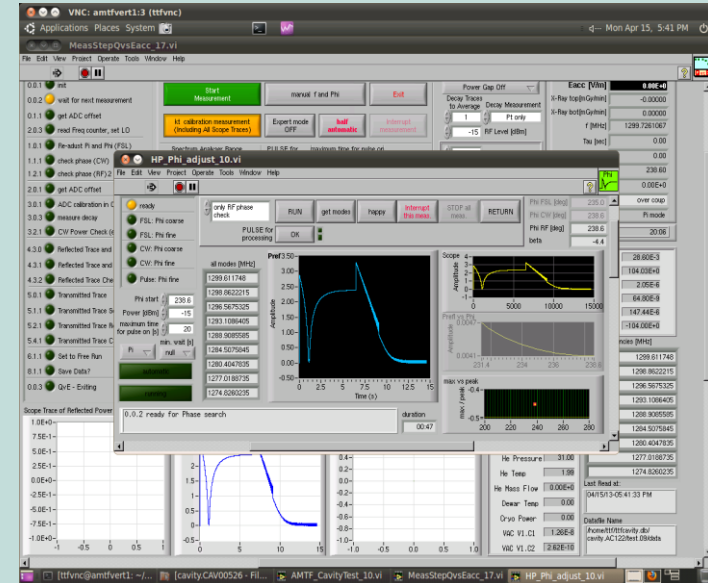


Cryogenics operator's control panel for test cryostat (left) and subcooler box (right) at AMTF. Cavity cryostat at AMTF

- Part of software written by IFJ PAN engineers
- Q vs E measurement



Cable calibration application

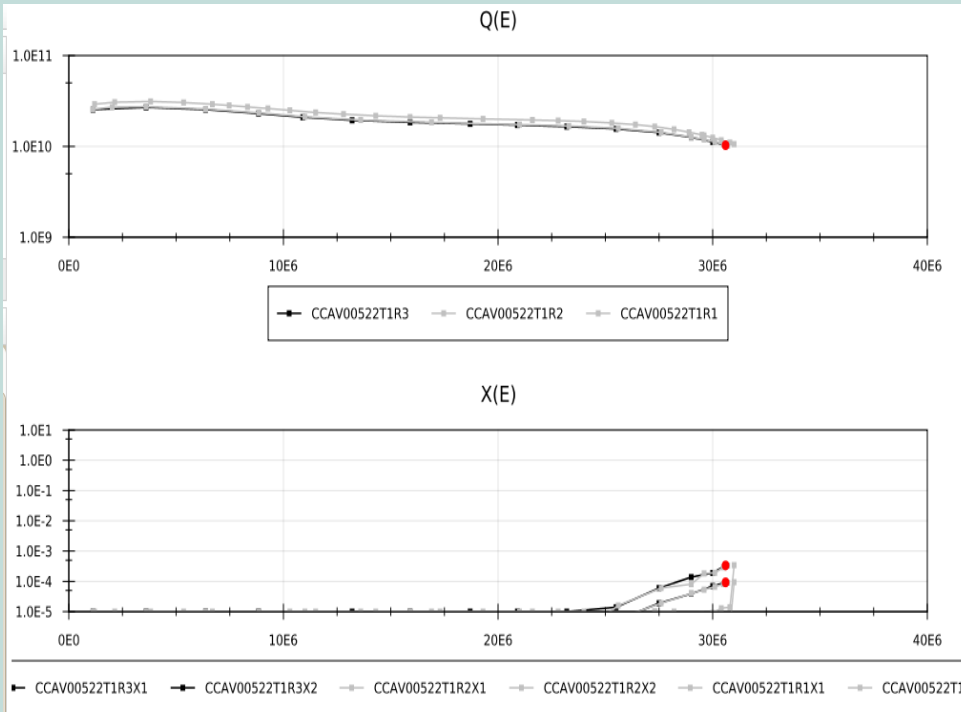


Vertical measurements application

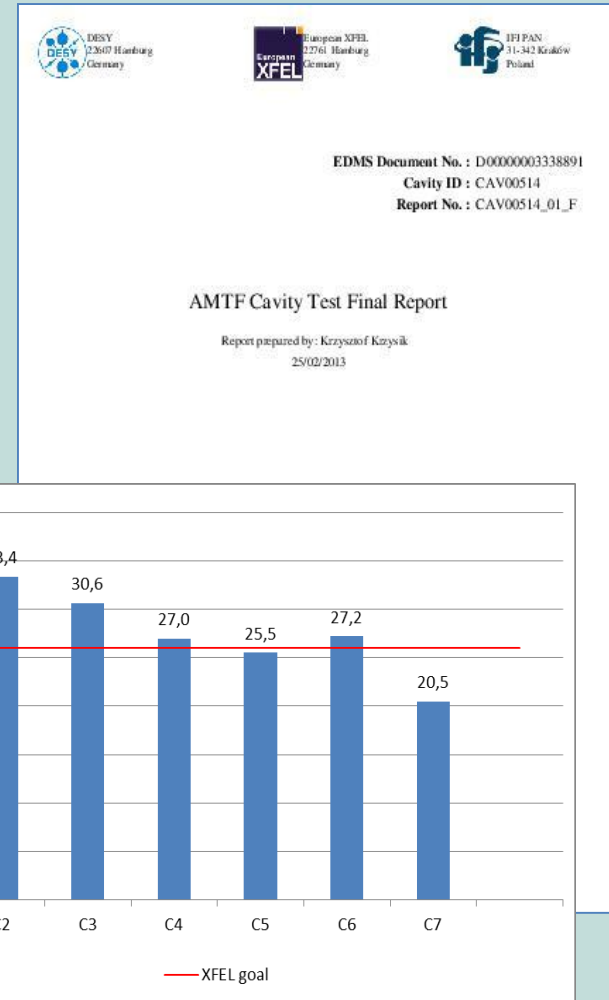


Cavity test-stand, cryostat (left) and electronic racks (right)

- ❑ Maximal  $E_{acc}$  ( $> 26$  MV/m)
- ❑  $Q_0$  factor vs.  $E_{acc}$  ( $> 10^{10}$ )
- ❑ Radiation vs.  $E_{acc}$  ( $< 10^{-2}$  mGy/min)



Results overview from IFJ PAN cavity database



Example of series cavities test results



### Main tasks

- Disconnecting of the insert from the vacuum line
- Transport of the insert to the preparation area
- Leak check of the cavity
- Disconnecting cavity from the vacuum line (in cleanroom conditions)
- Disassembling cavity from the insert
- Outgoing check
  - Mechanical check of the cavity
  - Vacuum check
  - Electrical check
  - Cavity spectrum check
- Preparation for shipment



DESY 22607 Hamburg Germany	EOMS Document No. D00000003415421
European XFEL 227 61 Hamburg Germany	Cavity ID CAV00521
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**Outgoing inspection of the Cavity full equipped**

Report prepared by: Jacek Swierblewski as a shift leader

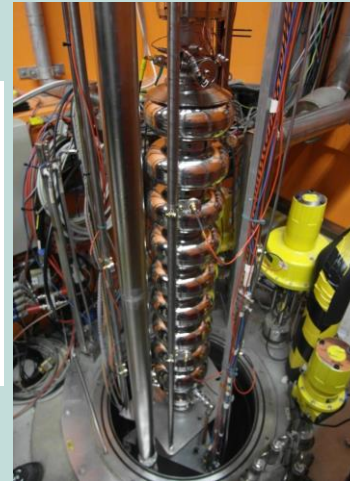
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Outgoing inspection of the Cavity fully equipped

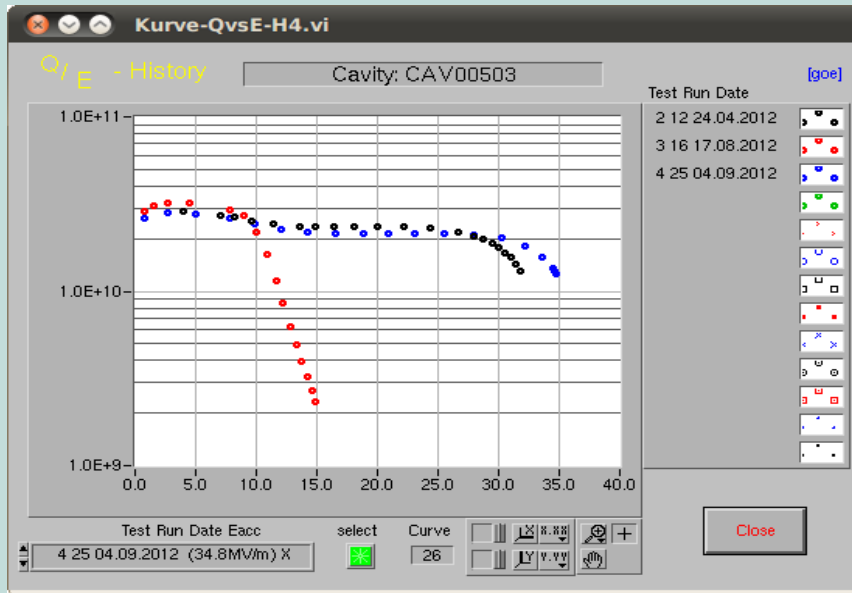


60 prototype and pre-series cavities – tested

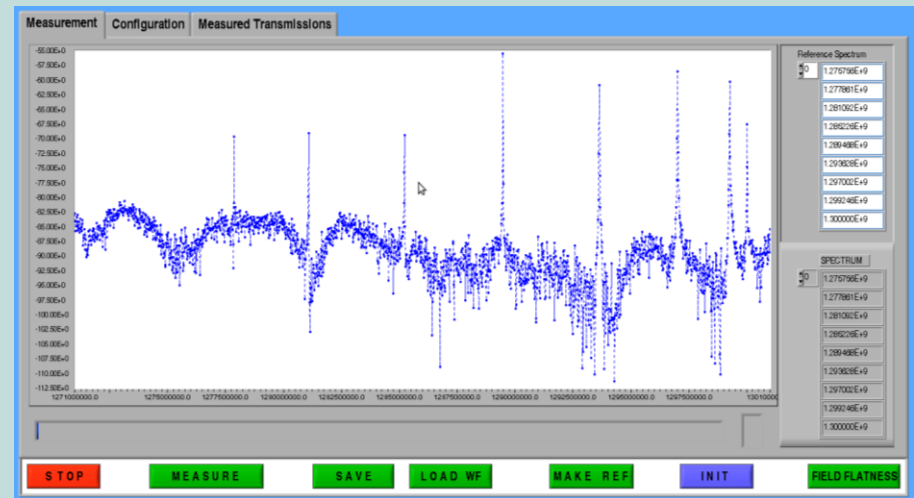
800 production cavities - ~20% tested (end 2013)



Insertion of the cavity into the vertical cryostat



Results of RF cavity measurement



Measurement of the cavity fundamental mode spectra

- Incoming checks
  - Mechanical check
  - Vacuum check
  - Check of the cavities fundamental mode spectra
  - Electrical check
  - Cavities tuner check
  - Shock loggers readout
- Load the cryomodule to the movable support
- Assembling cryomodule at the test stand
- Connecting cryomodule beam line to the test stand under clean room conditions
- Leak check of beam line interconnections and mass spectroscopy of the beam line
- Connecting of the waveguides and electrical cables
- Connect of all cryomodule process pipes to the test stands
- Leak check of cryomodule vessel (ISO-VAC) and cryogenic valves
- Assembly and isolating thermal shields
- Pumping down of vacuum insulation



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### Incoming inspection of the AMTF Module

Report prepared by: J. Świerblewski

Date: [Publish Date]

Incoming inspection

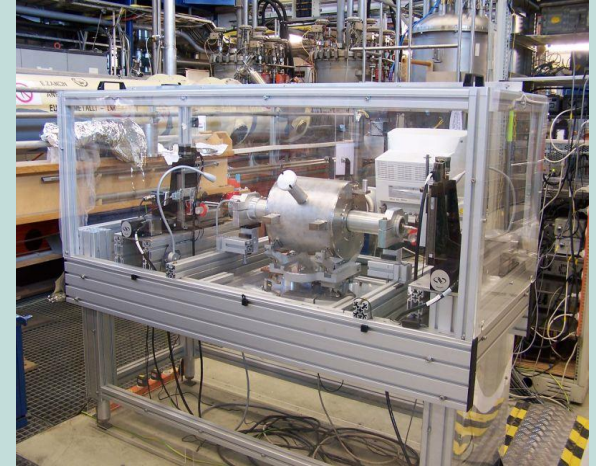




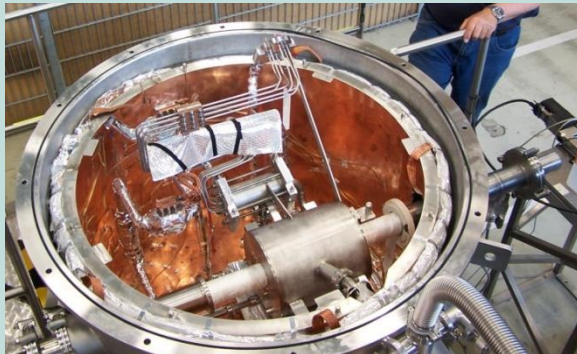
## Cold magnet test: Test-stand



Hall 55 with cryogenic infrastructure for magnet tests



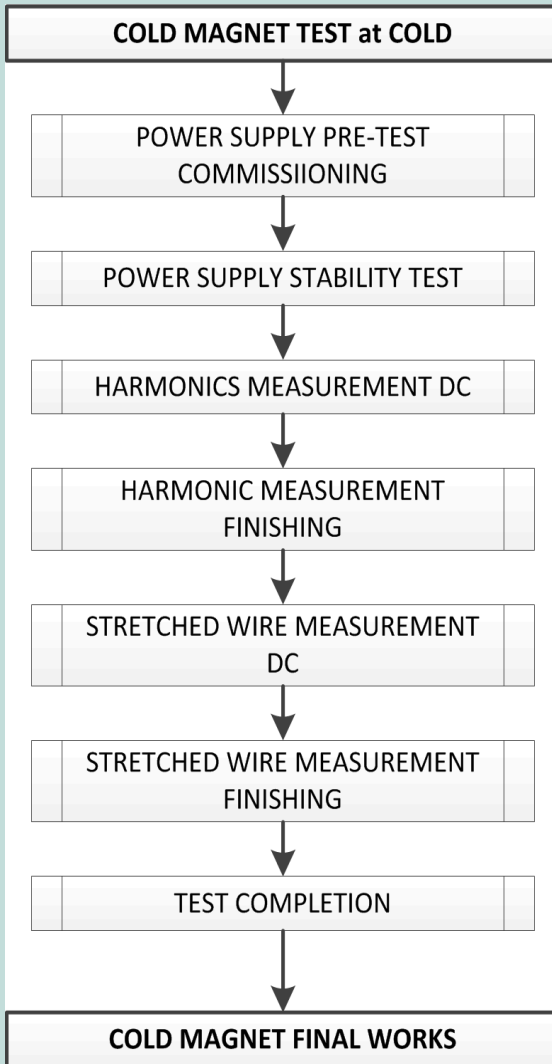
Test stand for magnet tests at warm (top) and electronic rack (left).



Test stand for magnet tests at cold (top) and electronic racks (right)



CL electrical check test-stand



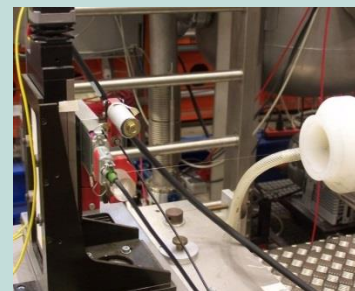
Electrical check of current leads connections



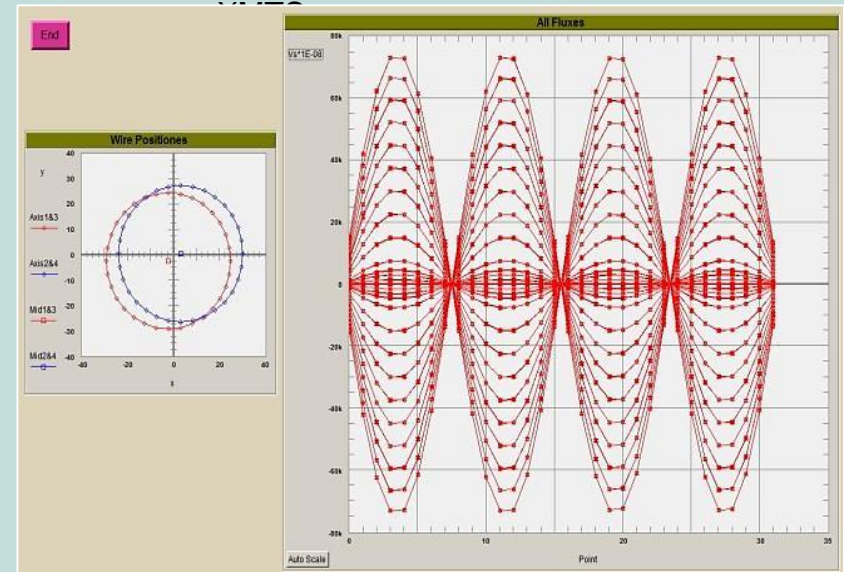
Magnet with CL installation in cryostat



Thermal insulation CL and magnet



Stretched wire test at 2K



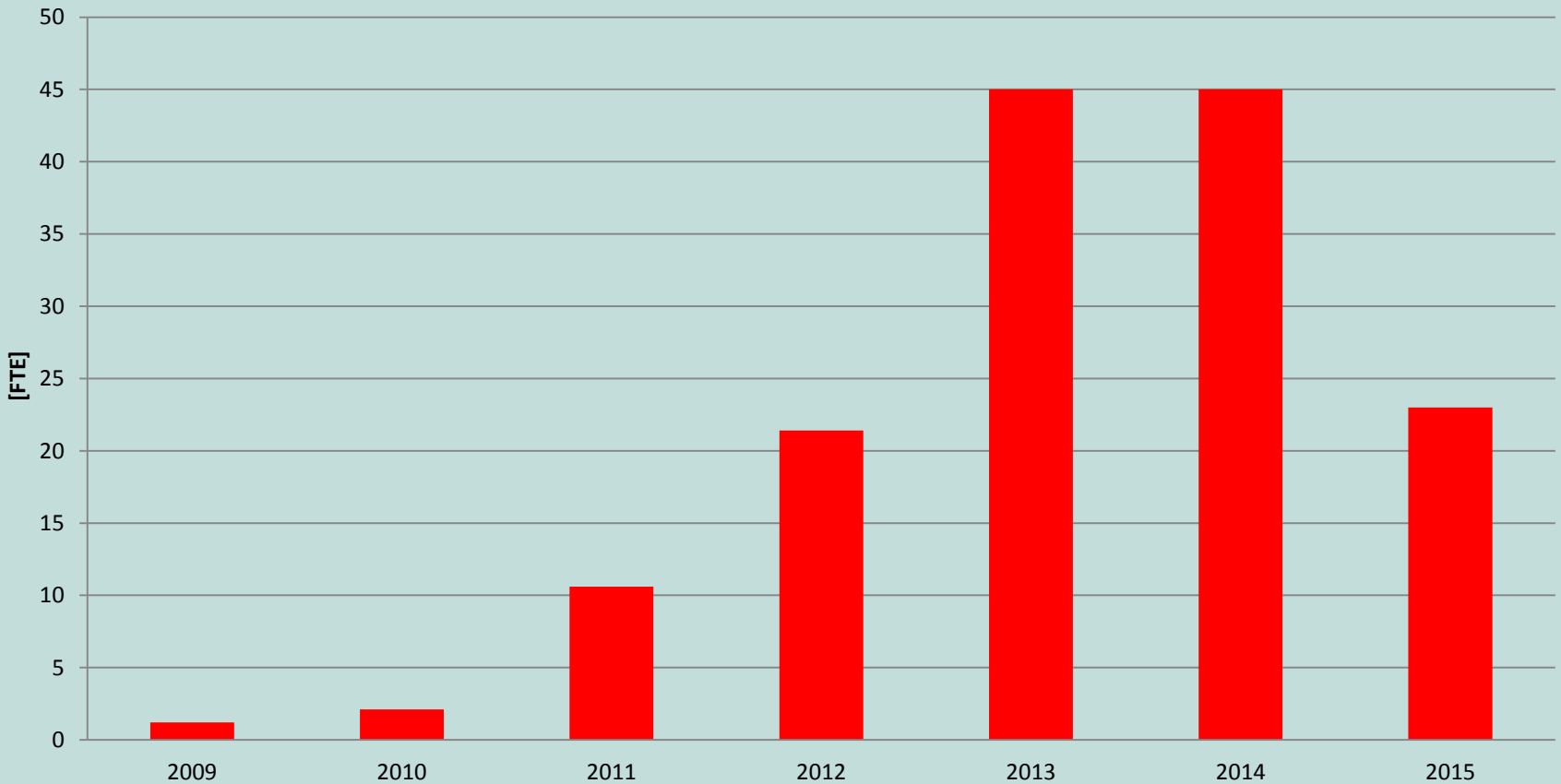
Results of stretched wire test at 2K

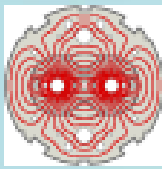


# IFJ PAN effort to XFEL construction



Total number of FTE's over 7 years      ~150  
Total number of trained IFJ PAN staff      ~ 60





- 1) design & construction of measuring/testing devices
- 2) preparation of necessary software and data bases
- 3) manufacturing of superconducting N-lines
- 4) development of measuring/testing methods
- 5) organization, performance & documentation of electrical measurements /tests
- 6) organization, performance & documentation of interconnection inspection



Mobil test stations in LHC tunnel



User interface

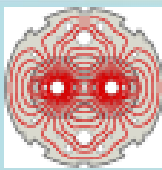


Damaged PIM (*Plug-In Module*)

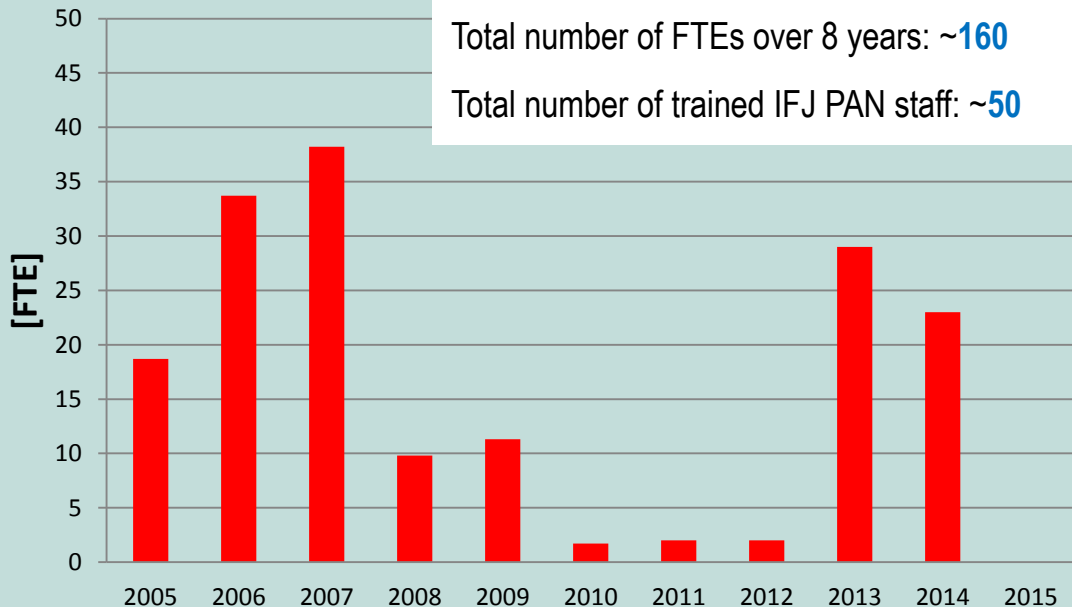


# IFJ PAN and LHC

## Summary

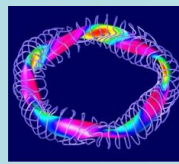


- Just recently group of 25 people (engineers and technicians) from the IFJ-PAN was performing the reference measurements before consolidation of the LHC superconducting circuits during Long Shutdown 1. The measurements are now completed.
- Exactly the same tests will be performed before machine start-up.
- Currently we are monitoring to the circuits' health during the consolidation.
- Part of the team is working on investigation and solving of the nonconformities revealed during standard measurements: short circuits caused by thermal cycle, abnormal resistances, etc.

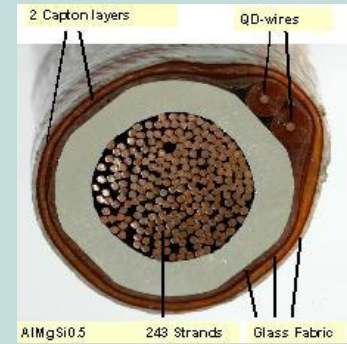




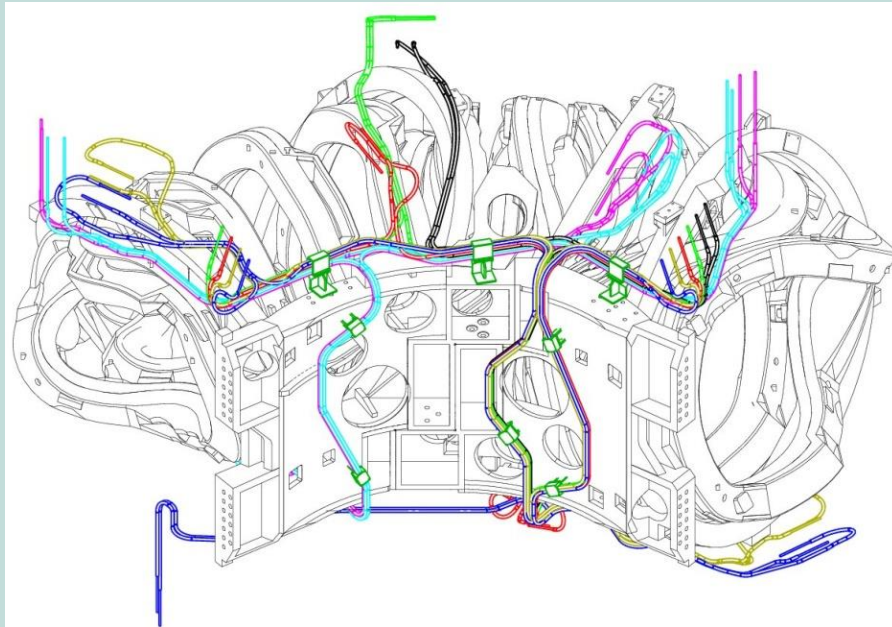
# IFJ PAN contribution to W7-X construction (2007 – 2012)



- IFJ PAN was responsible for the assembly of the bus bar system powering 70 superconducting coils on five modules of the stellarator.
- The bus bars are made of the NbTi superconductors in an aluminium jacket.
- There are 24 bus bars on each module.



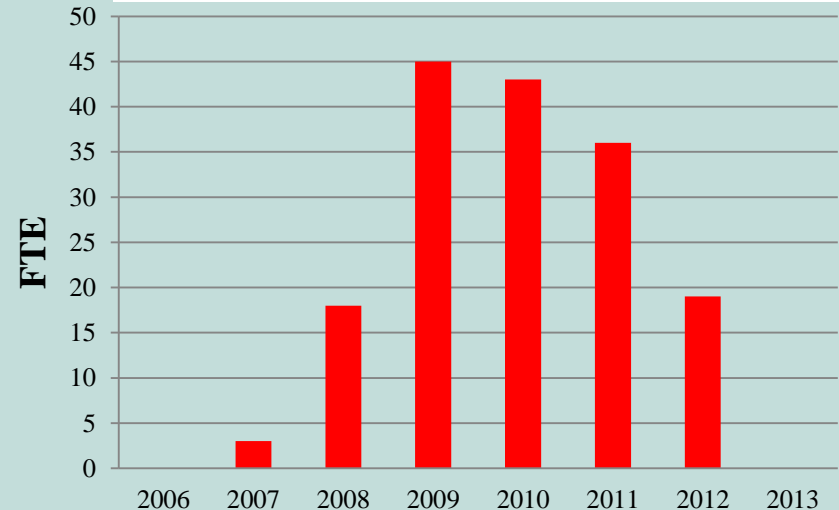
Bus bar cross section

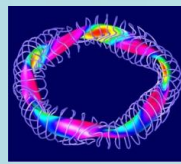


Example of bus bars routing on one module

Total number of FTE over 6 years > 160

Total number of trained IFJ PAN staff > 50





### Mechanical and electrical connection of the superconductors

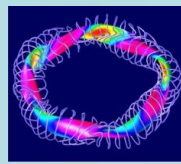


Electrical connection of 81 triplets



Connected triplets squeezed with clamps and covered by stainless steel caps





Electrical insulation of the assembled joints (divided into three steps)

**All joints (184) passed successfully tightness and HV tests**



Installation of 24 bus bars on the module  
and final shaping of the bus bar ends



Module Separation Plane  
set of six joints painted and clamped

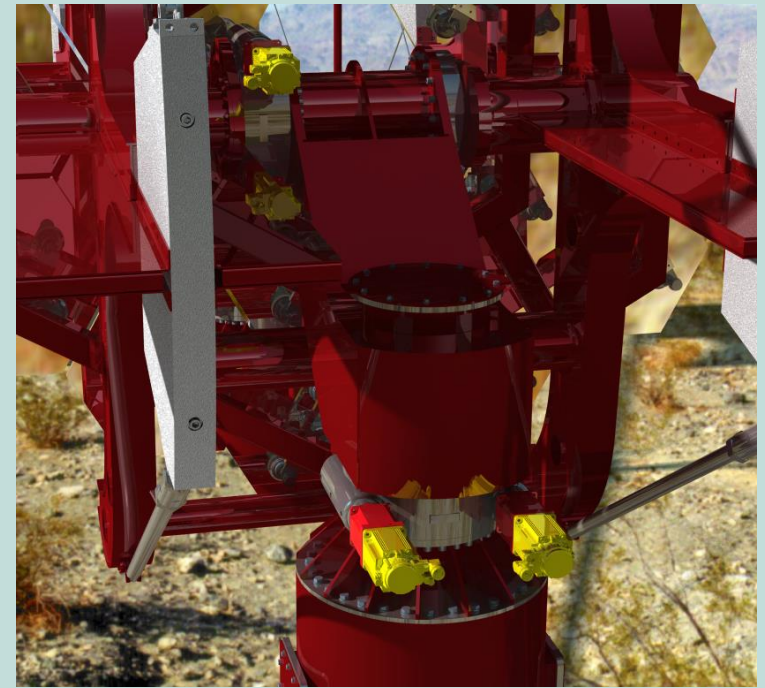
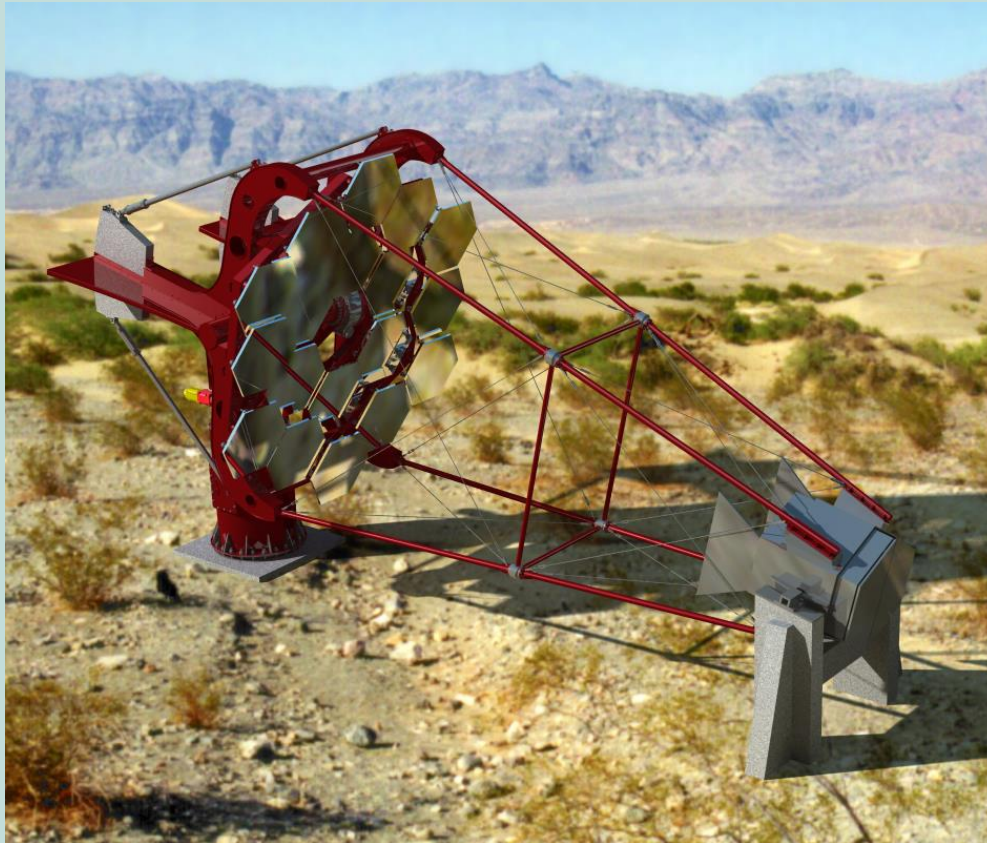




# Scientific equipment construction

## Cherenkov Telescope Array (CTA)

- 1) **Small Size Telescope Structure** - prototype to be built by end 2013  
dish diameter 4 m; focal length 9.6 m; weight 8.8 t



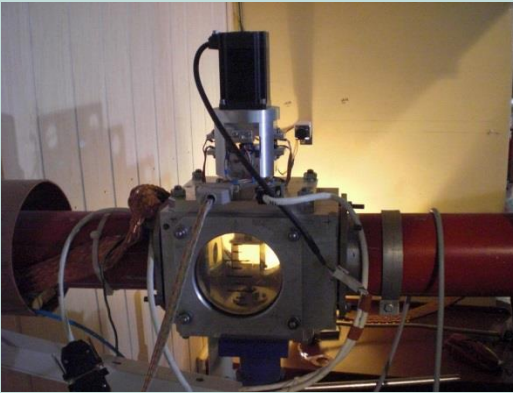
3-D model based on the technical documentation

- 2) **Open structure mirrors** for Medium Size Telescope – 10 prototypes under tests  
hexagonal shape 1.2 m f-t-f, curvature radius 32 m, weight 35 kg

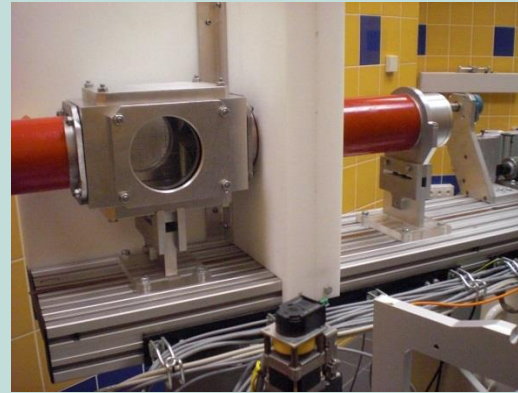


Front (left) and rear (right) view of the prototype mirrors

### Components of eye melanoma setup – to be finished in 2013



Device for immediate proton beam cut-off, so called shutter



Supports for the end of beam line



Adjustable supports for x-ray lamps



range discriminators and beam collimators



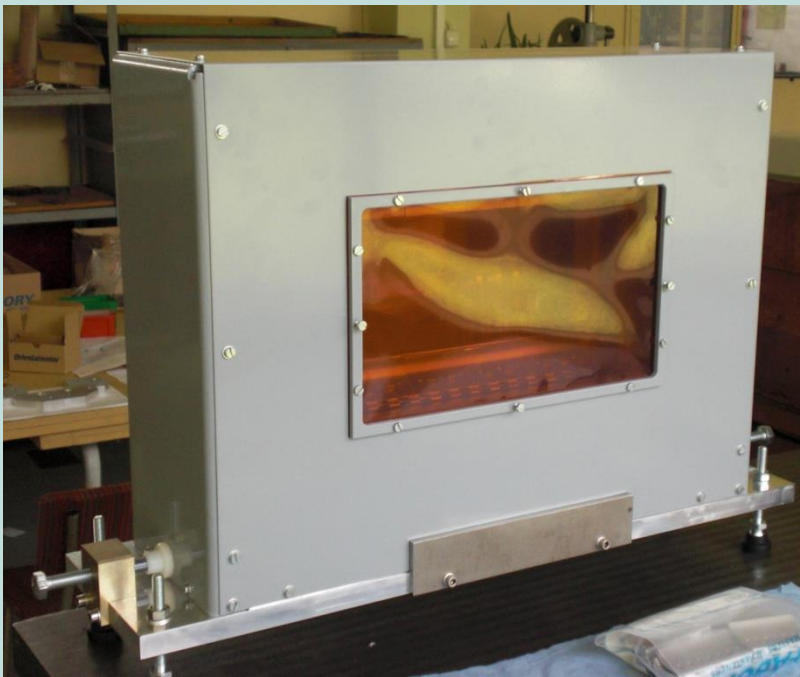
Holders for digital x-ray recorders



# Scientific equipment construction

Finger detector at GSI Darmstadt

**Mechanics** for one detector – completed in 2012





# Scientific equipment construction

## Stellarator W7 - X

**Mechanics for 30 sets of polychromators – completed in 2011**

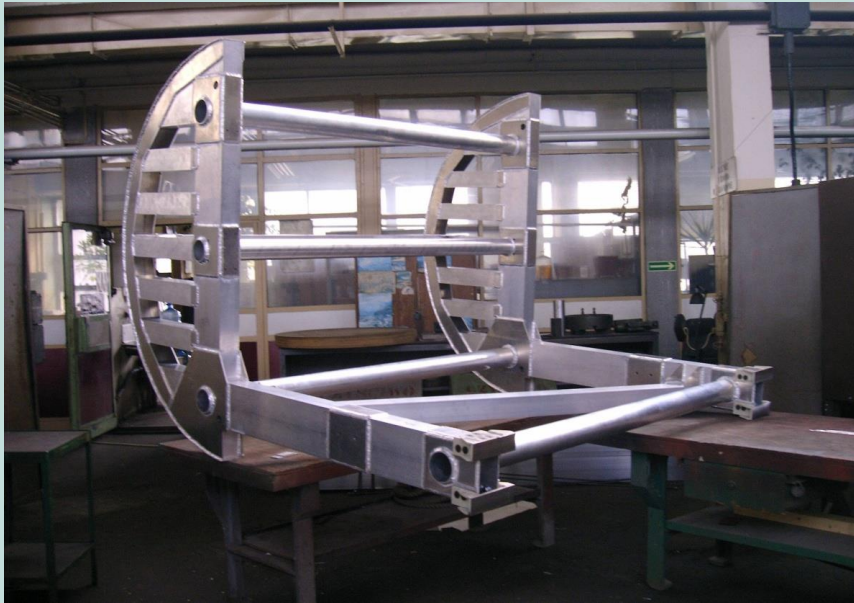




# Scientific equipment construction

## ATLAS Assembly

### Aluminium frame to install Muon Chambers – completed in 2006



The frame at IFJ PAN

The frame used during installation in the ATLAS cavern





# Conclusions

## Expertise:

- XFEL (construction)
- LHC (construction, consolidation, upgrade)
- W7-X (construction)
- AIC-144 (construction, medical applications)
- Proteus C235 (medical applications, research)

## Team:

- Scientists: 5
- Engineers: 34
- Technicians: 65

- IFJ PAN groups contribute to major world experiments in particle physics, astrophysics and nuclear physics.
- IFJ PAN contributes to XFEL and LHC
- IFJ PAN is involved in fusion projects (W7X, ITER)