

# The SRF Proton Driver

A New High Intensity Proton Source  
(and more!) at Fermilab

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# Outline

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- **The Concept**
- **Fermilab Strategic Context**
- **Proton Driver SRF Linac Design**
- **Ferrite Vector Modulator R&D**
- **Hardware in Progress**

# 8 GeV SCRF Proton Driver

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New idea incorporating concepts from TESLA, SNS, RIA, TRASCO, APT...

- Copy SNS, RIA, and JPARC Linac designs up to 1.3 GeV
- Use “TESLA” Cryomodules from 1.3 - 8 GeV
- Direct 8 GeV H- Injection into Fermilab Main Injector

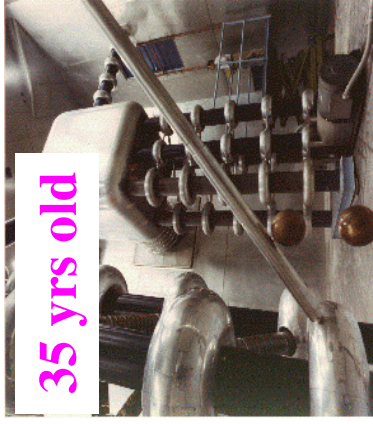
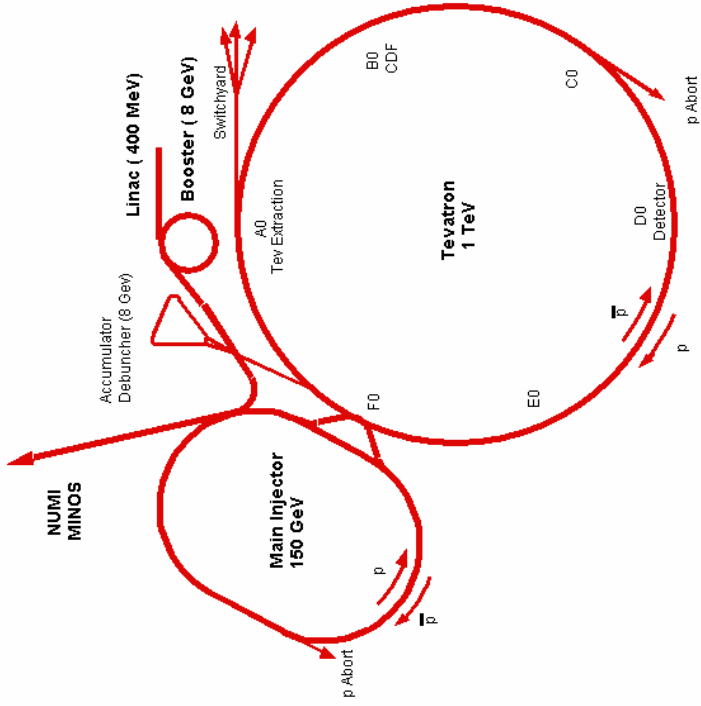
→ “Super-Beams” in Fermilab Main Injector

- 2+ MW Beam power at BOTH 8 GeV and 120 GeV
- Small linac emittances → Small losses in Main Injector
- Very simple operation of the accelerator complex
- Minimum (1.5 sec) cycle time (eventually faster)
- MI Beam Power Independent of Beam Energy

→ *(flexible neutrino program)*

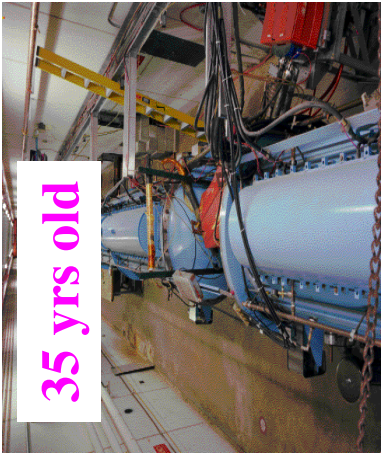
# Fermilab's Existing Proton Source

**FNAL Accelerator Complex  
7 major accelerators !)**



35 yrs old

**Cockcroft-Walton**  
H<sup>-</sup> ions → (750 KeV)



35 yrs old

**Drift Tube LINAC**  
750 KeV → 116 MeV



35 yrs old

**8 GeV Booster  
Rapid-Cycling  
Synchrotron**

**Proton Source = Linac, Booster, Main Injector**

**Q: WHAT IS THE  
SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS  
NUMBER ?**

**451**

**A: this is the number of vacuum  
tubes required to accelerate  
beams to 8 GeV in Fermilab's  
current Proton Source.**

# Advantages of the 8 GeV Linac

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**Replacing a Rapid-Cycling Synchrotron with a SCRF Injector Linac results in an accelerator complex that is:**

- **Simpler**
  - Many fewer components to design and maintain
  - Simpler Beam Dynamics → Lower Beam Losses
- **Lower Wall Power**
  - 5 MW AC Power vs. ~20 MW for RCS
- **More Flexible**
  - Broader Physics Program (direct uses of 8 GeV linac beam)
  - More Upgrade Potential to >> 2 MW beam power

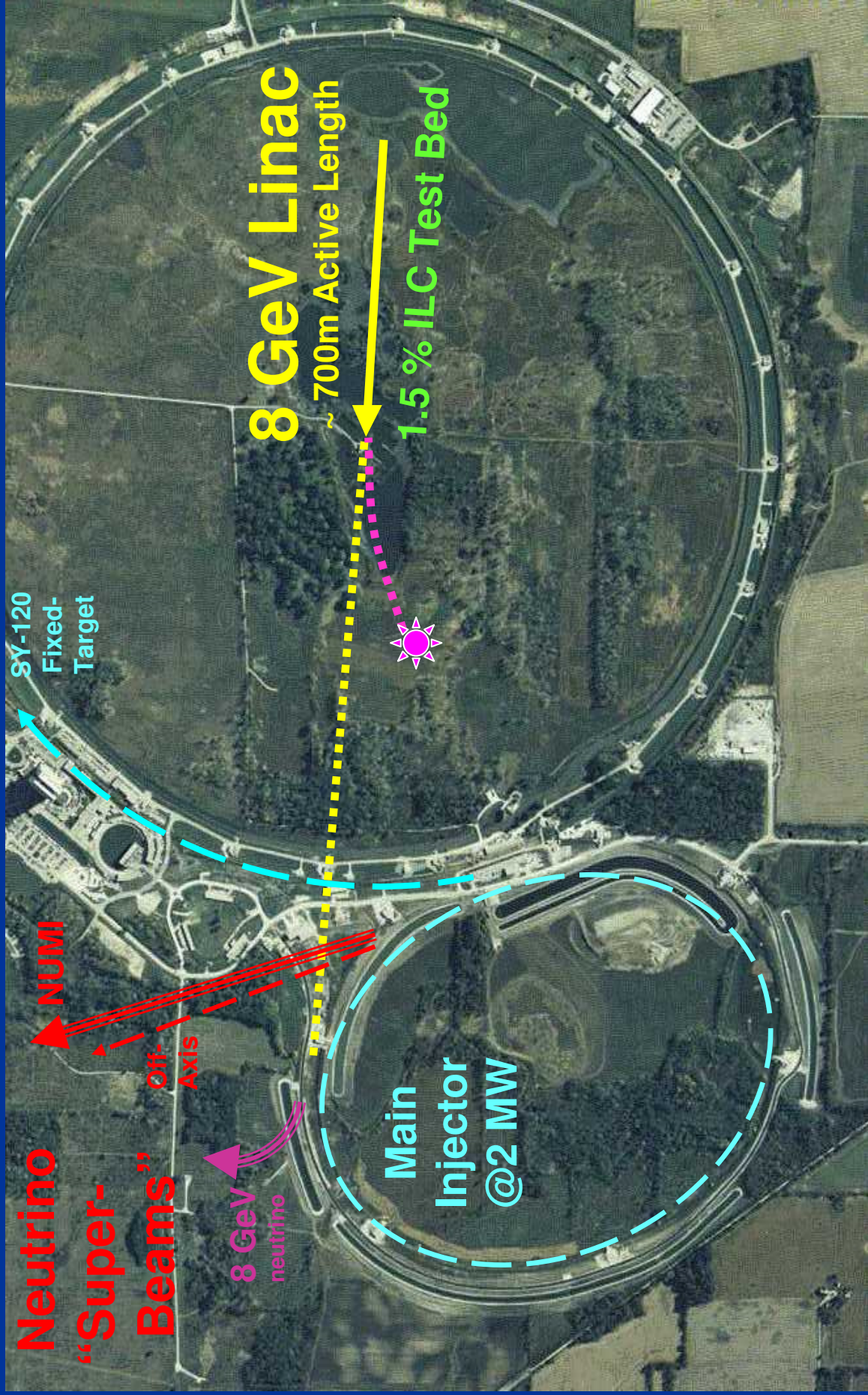
# 8 GeV Superconducting Linac

With X-Ray FEL, 8 GeV Neutrino & Spallation Sources, LC and Neutrino Factory



Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory

# The Baseline Missions: Super Beams in the Main Injector & ILC Test Bed





# 8 GeV SC Linac Proton Driver

- A Bridge Program to the Linear Collider
- Near Term Physics Program (neutrinos+)
- Multiple HEP Destinations & Off-Ramps
- A seed project for Industrial Participation

*50 cryomodules, 12 RF stations, ~1.5% of LC*

# Fermilab's Fork in the Road

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## **IF ( ILC 2006 CDR looks affordable) THEN**

- Push for ILC ~2010 construction start at Fermilab
- Proceed with 120 GeV Neutrino Program at >1 MW

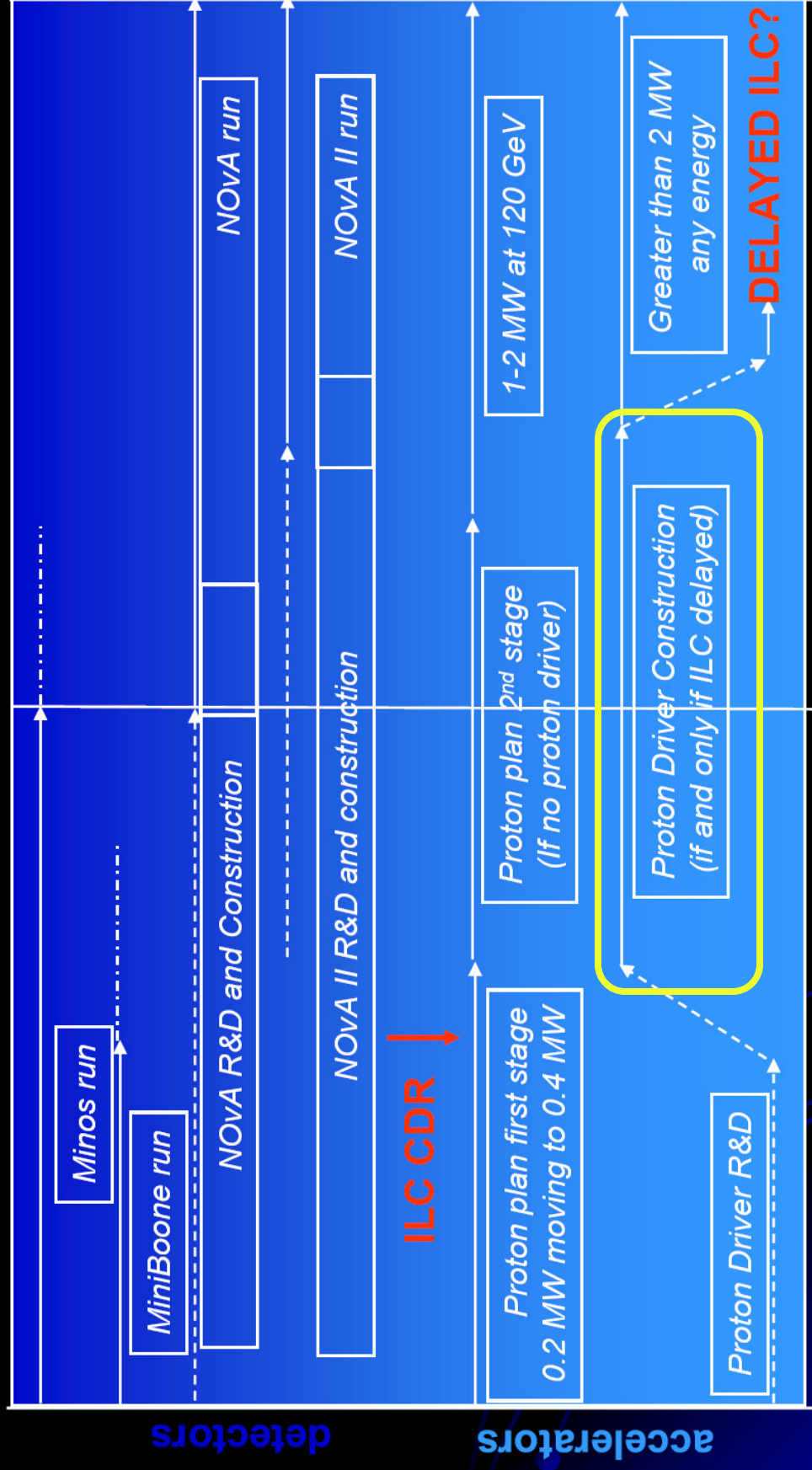
## **ELSE**

- Superconducting 8 GeV Proton Driver starting 2008
- 30-120 GeV and 8 GeV Beams at 2-4 MW
- Stepping-Stone to delayed ILC construction start ~2012

## **ENDIF**

Pier Oddone's presentation to EPP 2010:

# Neutrino Program (delayed ILC)



2005

2010

2015

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Proton Driver Project Planning Currently Supports a FY2008 Construction Start

# The Building Block of the 8 GeV Linac

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... is the **TESLA RF Station**:

- **1 Klystron**
- **1 Modulator**
- **~ 4 Cryomodules**
- **36 SCRF CAVITIES**

**~1 GeV of Beam Energy**

*Understanding the production cost of the TESLA RF station is the most important question in (US) HEP.*

*Proton Driver: 8 RF Stations*

*Linear Collider: 500 RF Stations*

**0.5 MW Initial**

**8 GeV Linac**

11 Klystrons (2 types)

449 Cavities

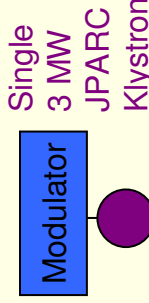
51 Cryomodules

**“PULSED RIA”**

Front End Linac

325 MHz

0-110 MeV



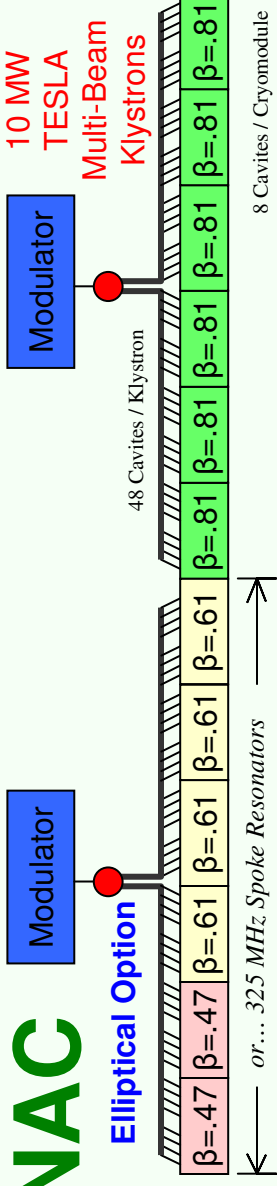
**$\beta < 1$  TESLA LINAC**

1300 MHz 0.1-1.2 GeV

2 Klystrons

96 Elliptical Cavities

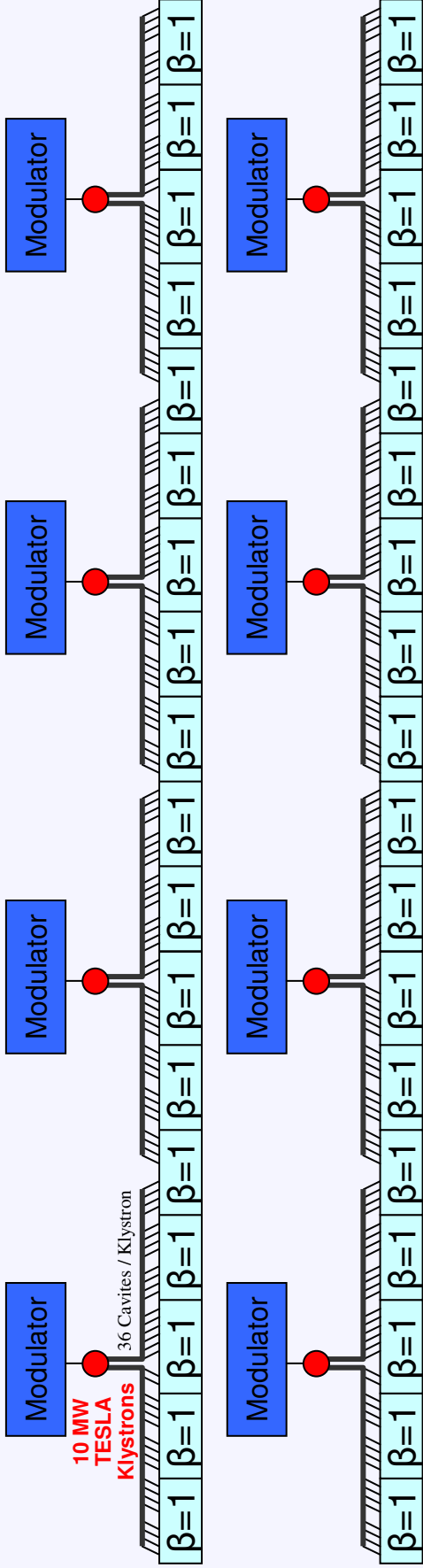
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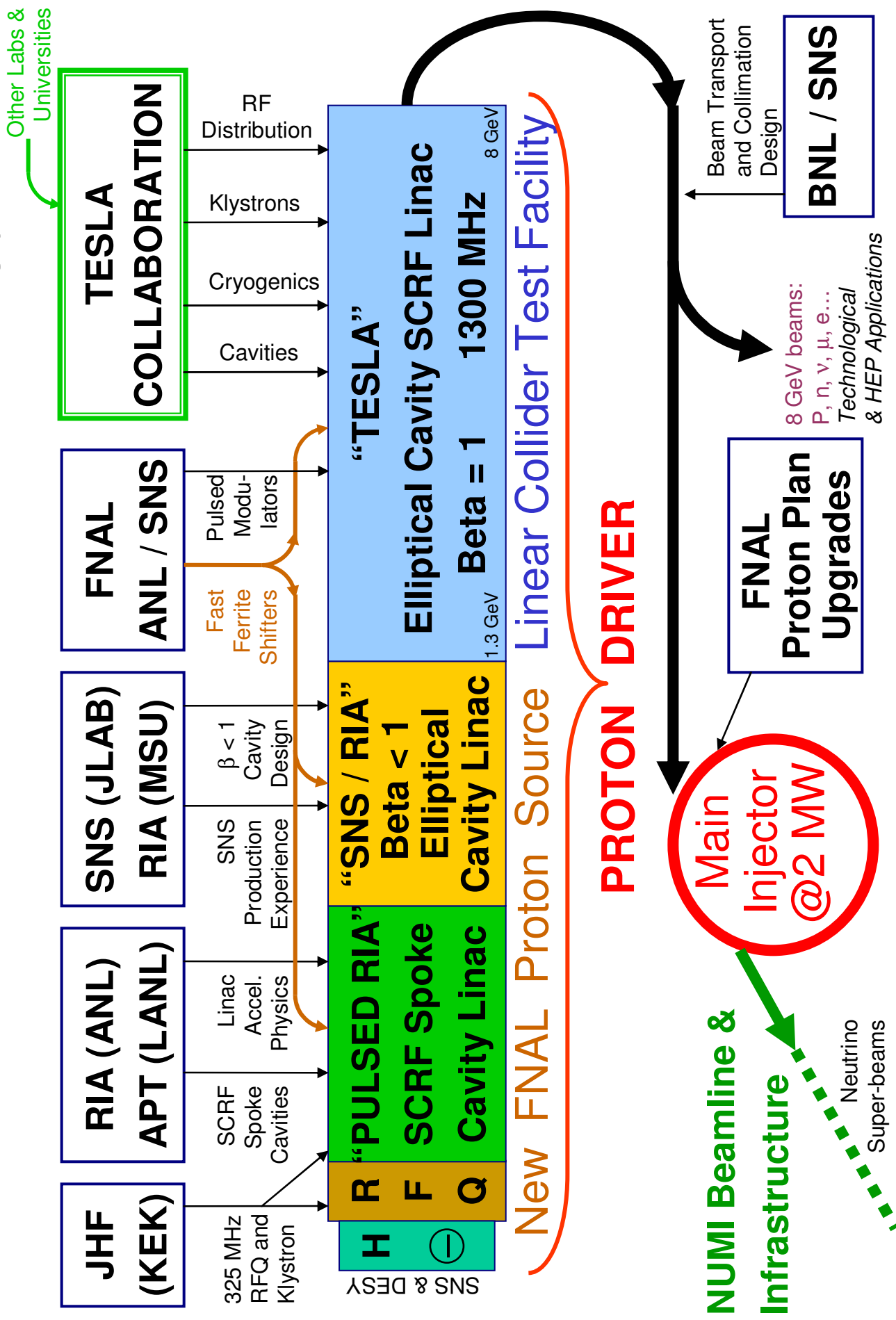
**TESLA LINAC 1300 MHz  $\beta = 1$**

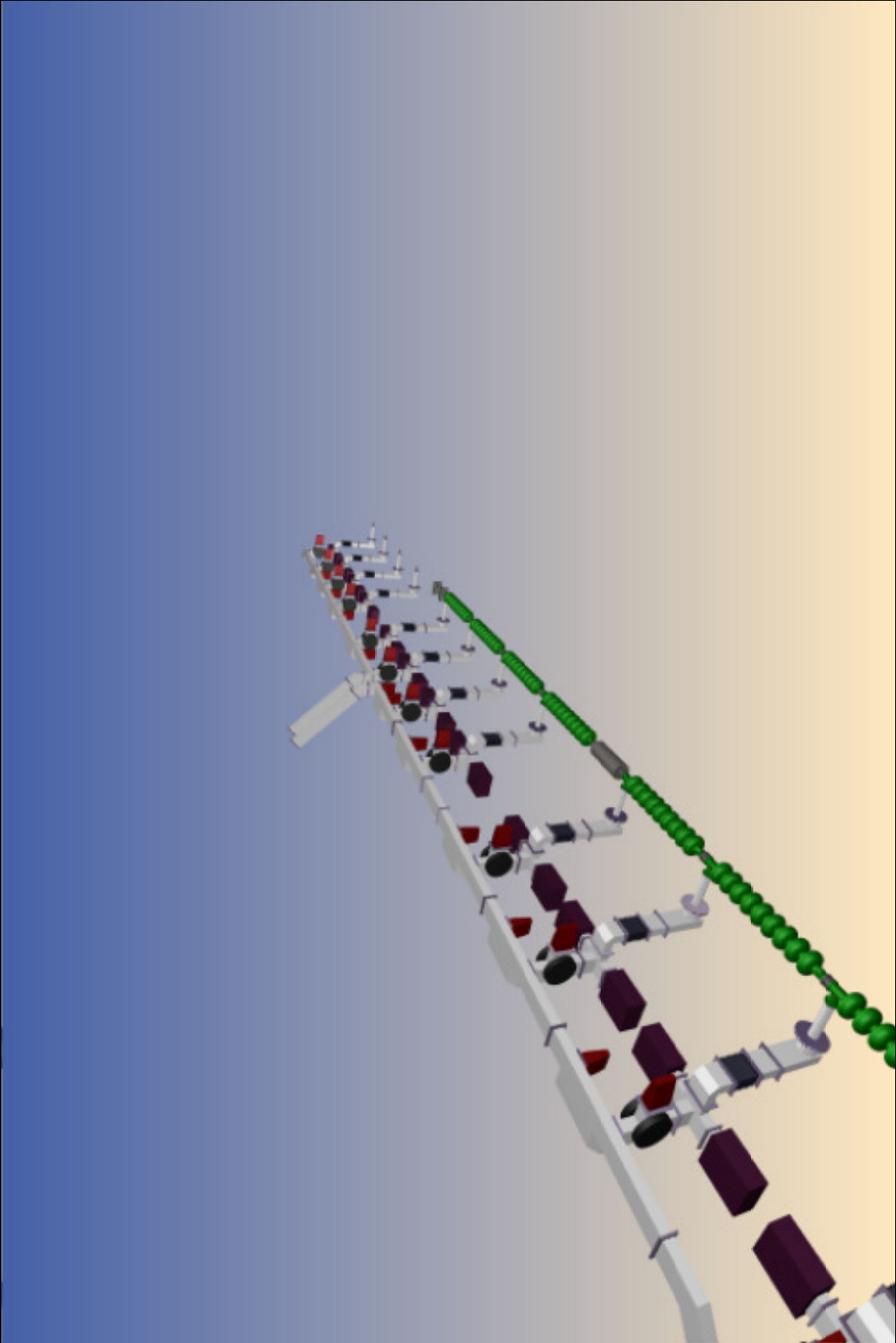
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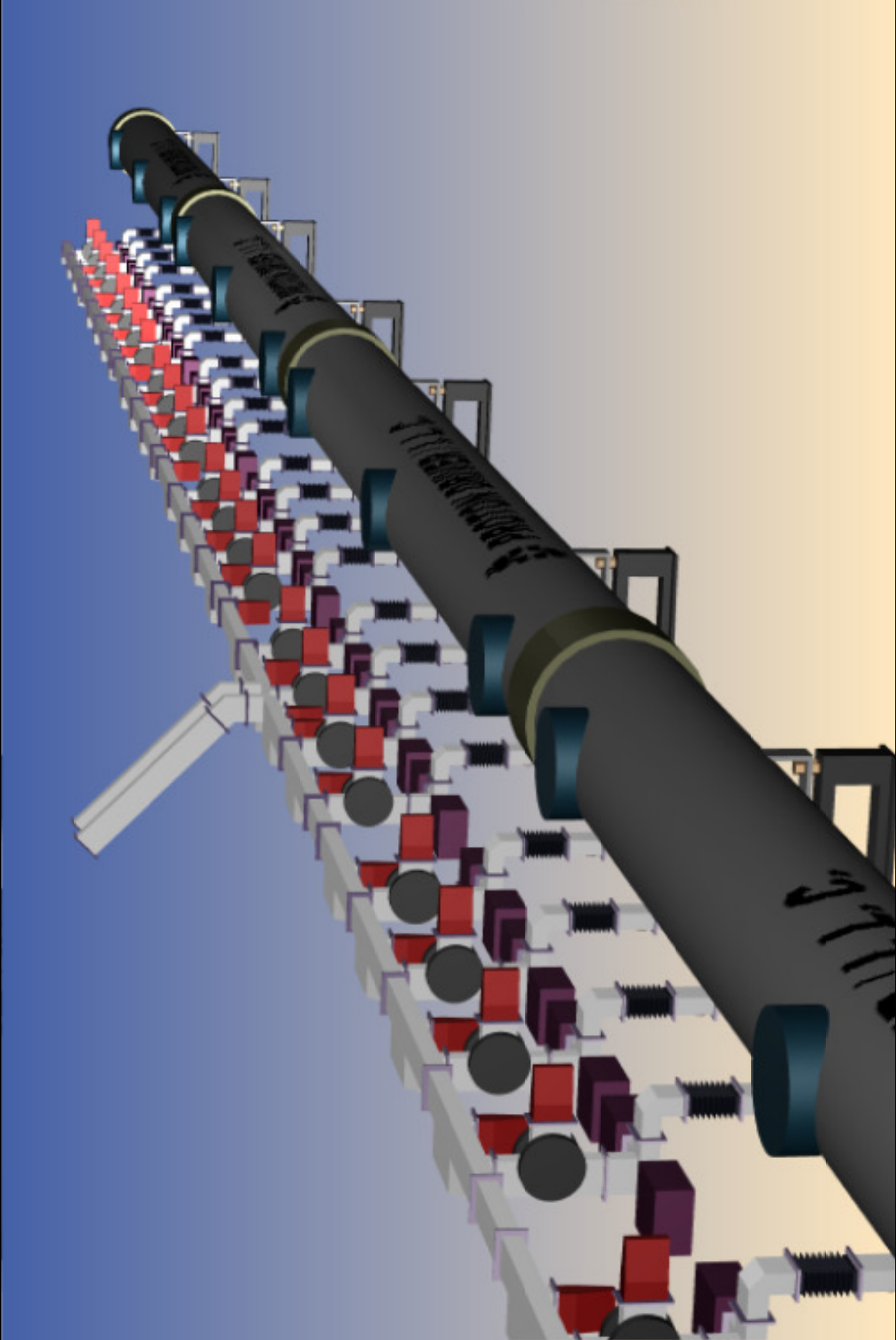
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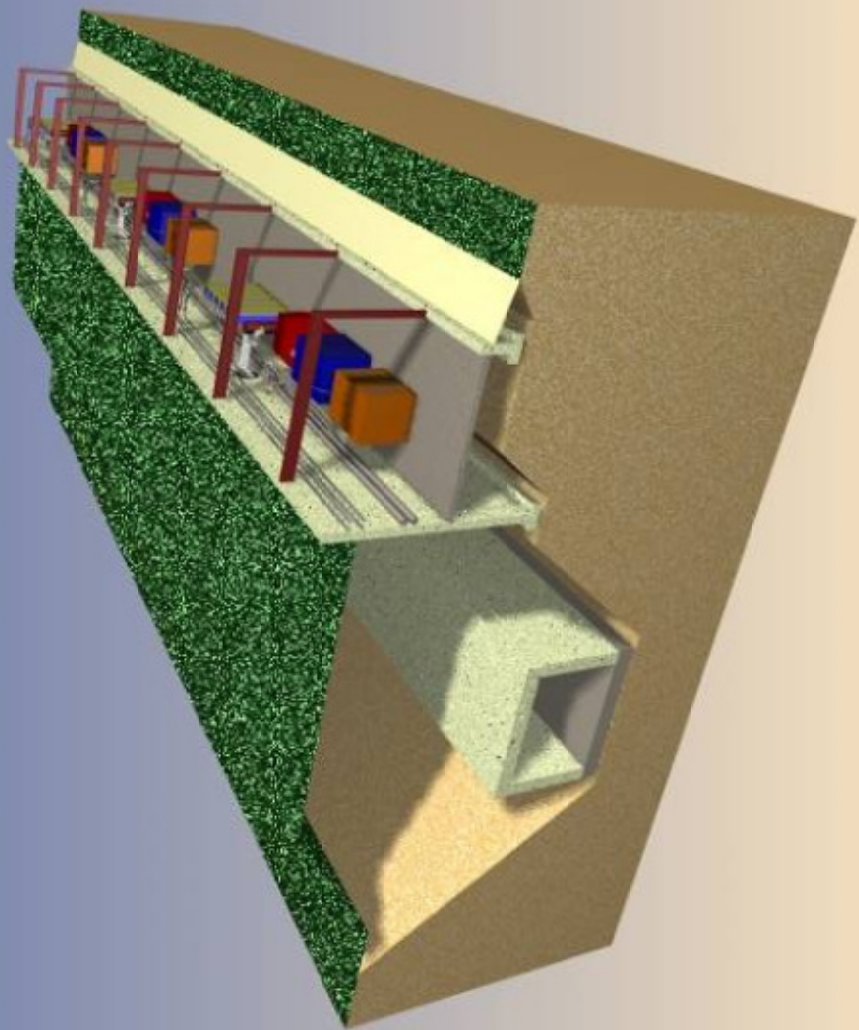
# Proton Driver Linac - Technology Flow

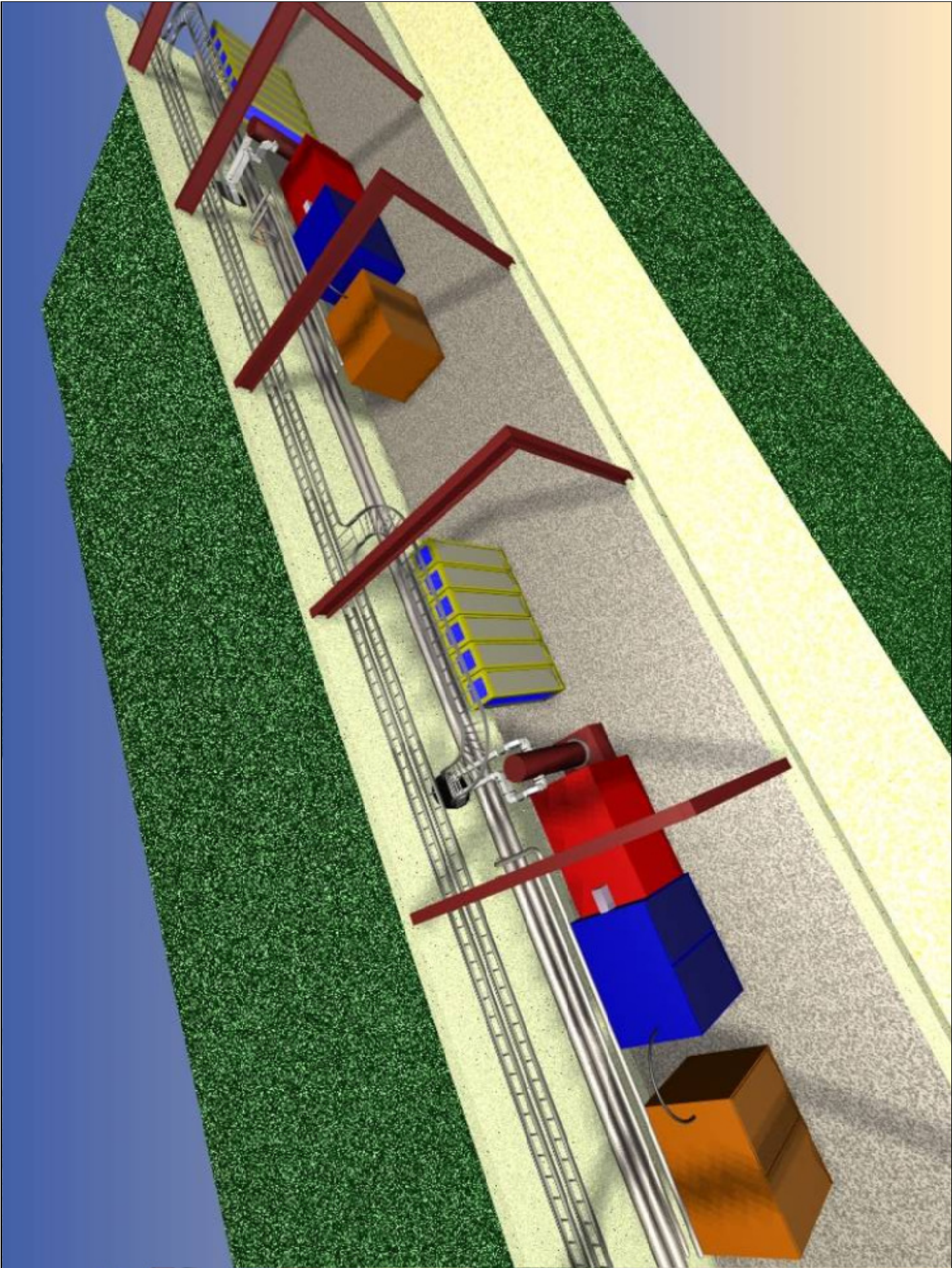


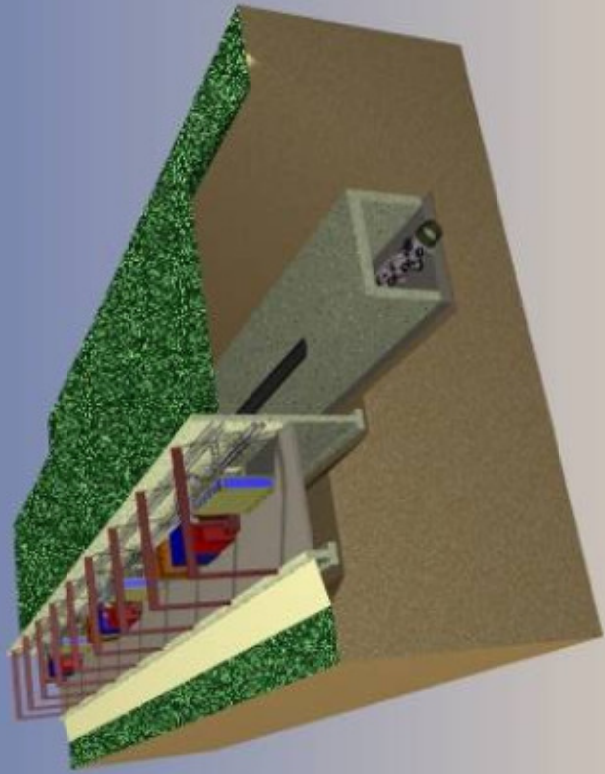


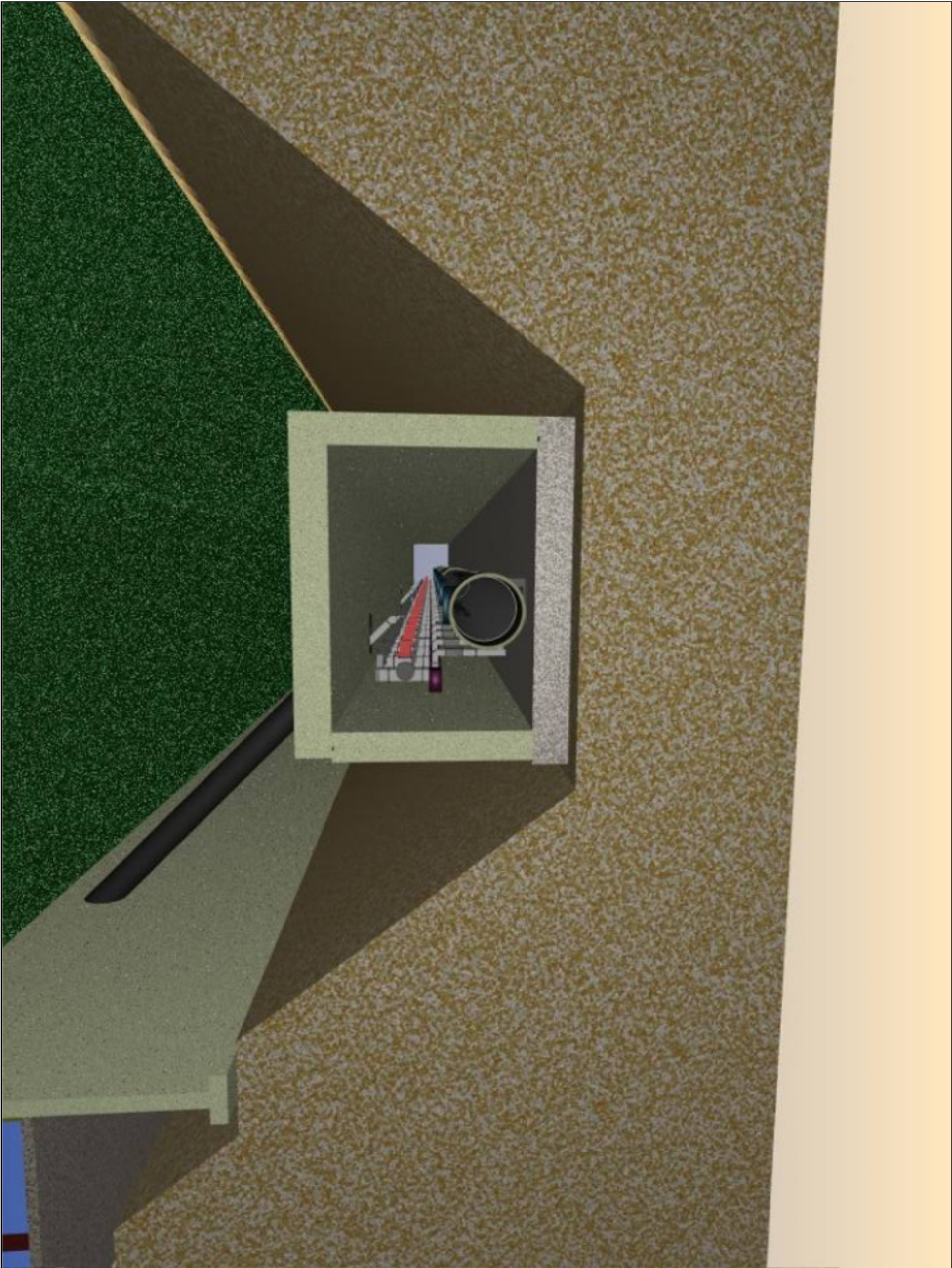


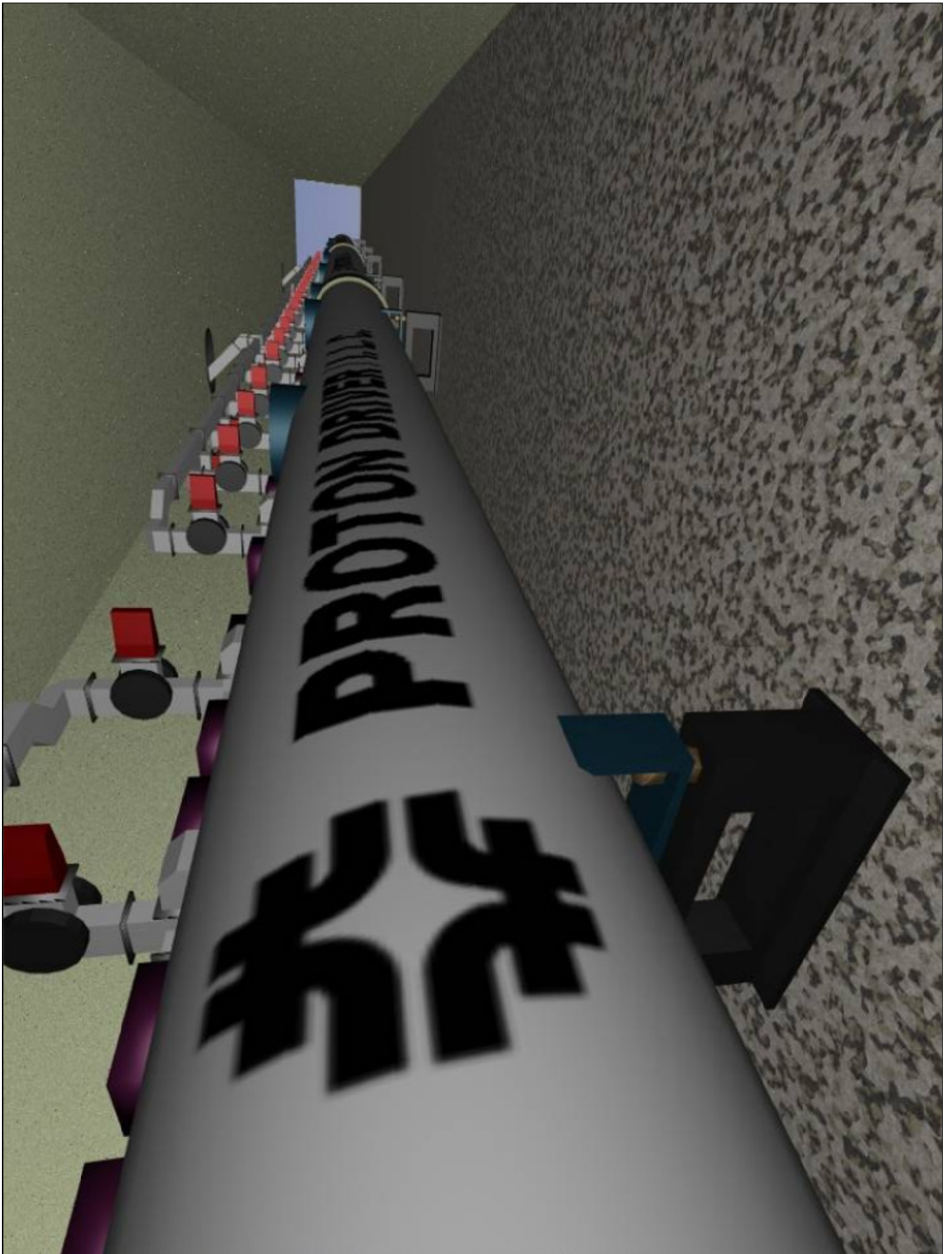


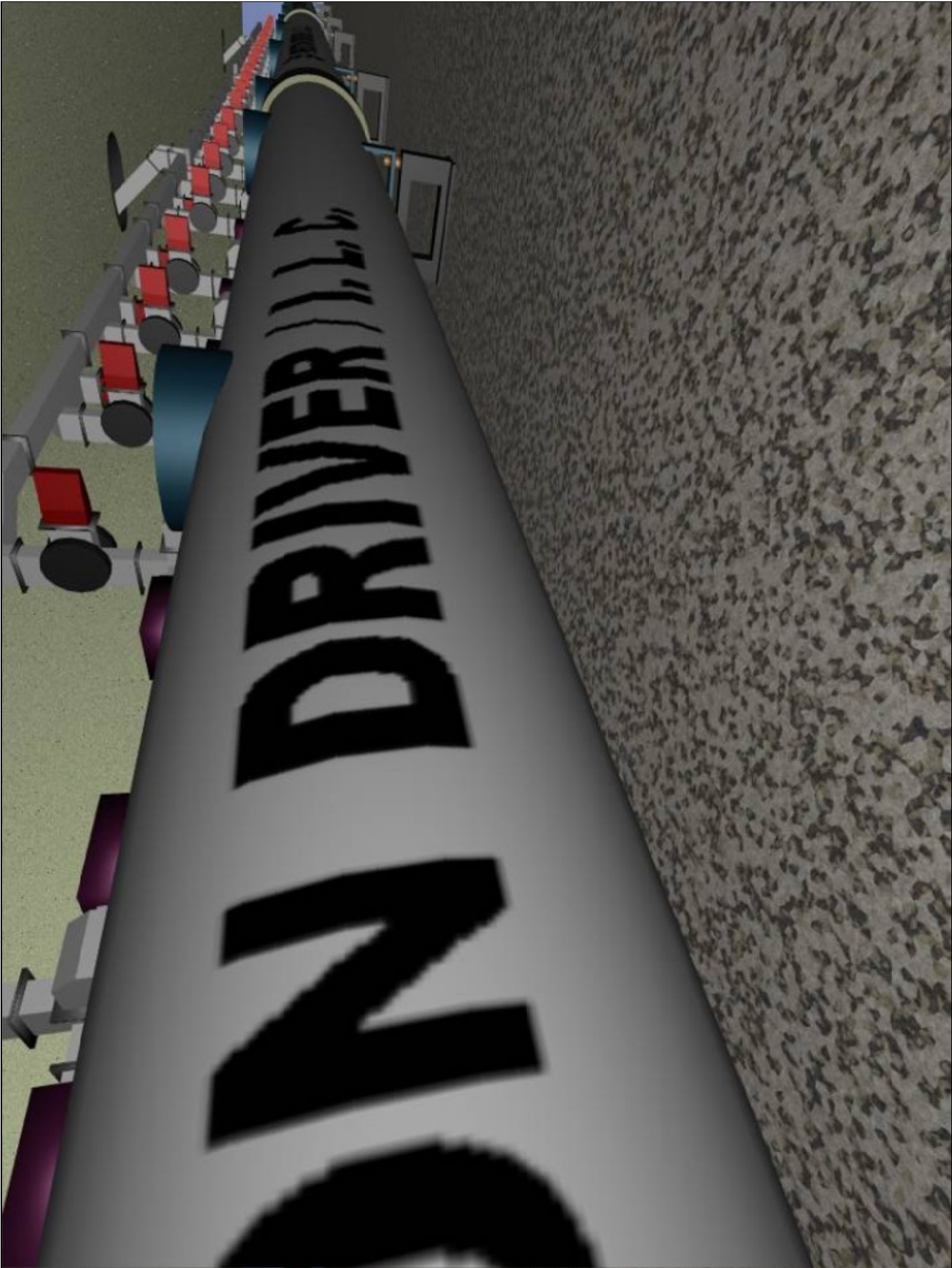


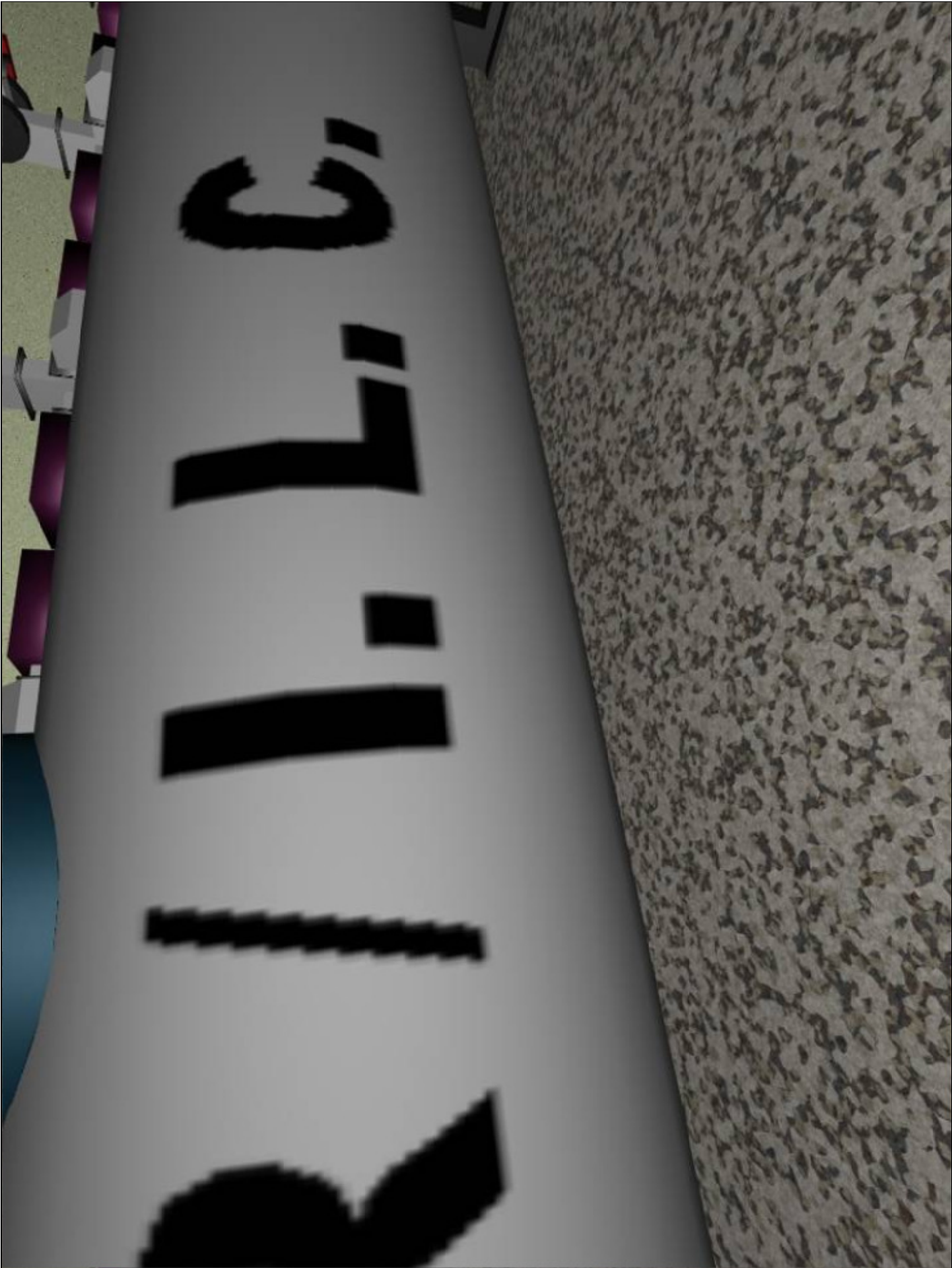


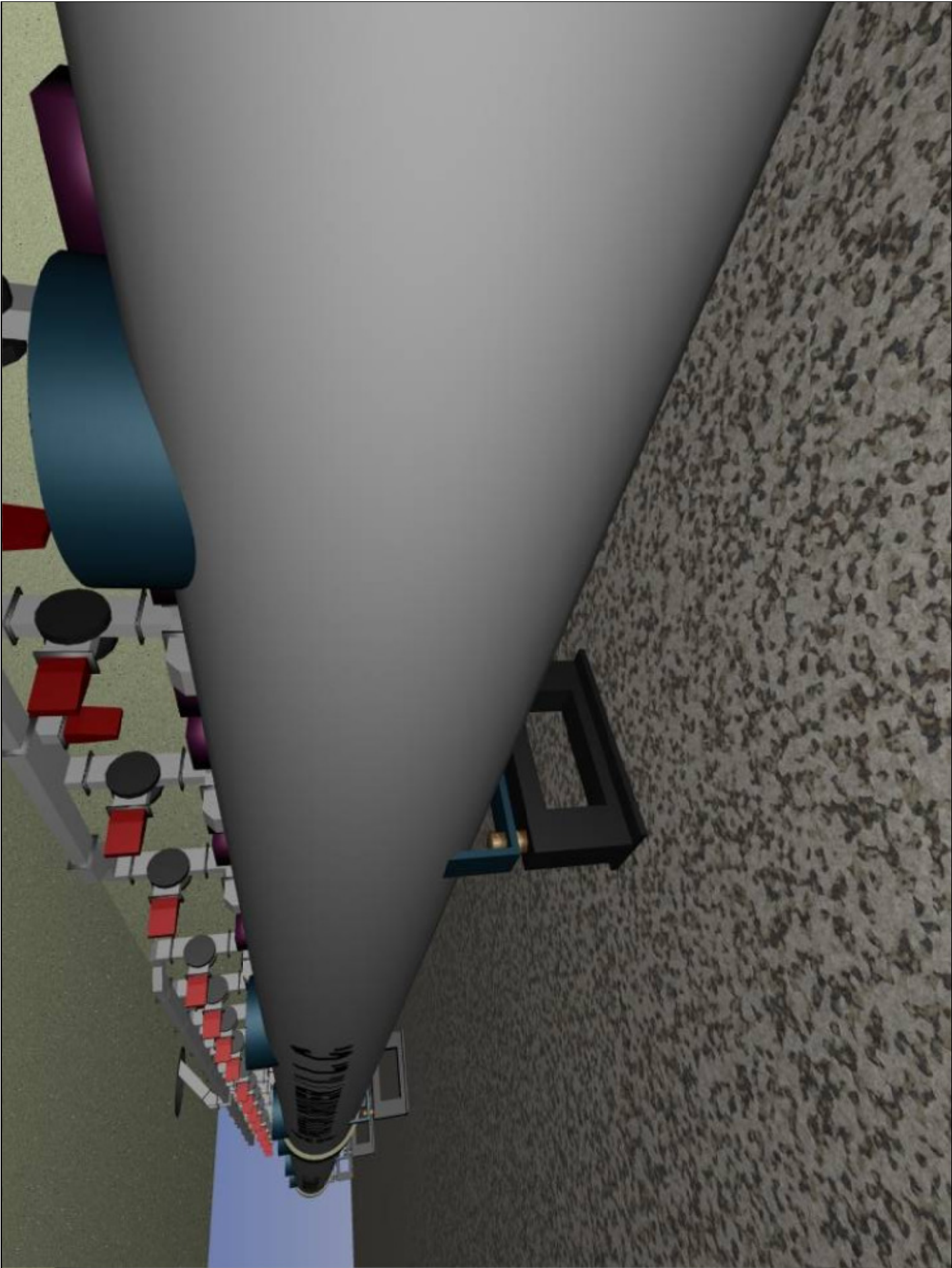














# Main Parameter Decisions

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- 1. Main Injector Beam: (1.5 E14, 1.5 sec, 2 MW)**
- 2. Pulse Parameters: ( 8 mA x 3 msec x 2.5 Hz)**  
*Ultimate Upgrade: (25 mA x 1 msec x 10 Hz)*
- 3. Operating Frequency: (1300 MHz / 325 MHz)**
- 4. Copper – to – SCRF transition: (15 MeV)**
- 5. Spokes–to–Elliptical transition: (110 - 400 MeV)**
- 6. Design Margins on 8 GeV H- Transport**

# Primary Parameter List (for reference)

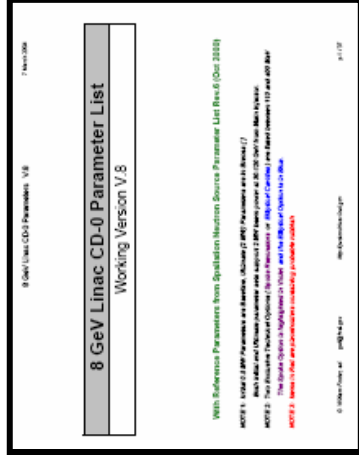
PRIMARY PARAMETERS	8 GeV Initial 0.5 MW {Ultimate 2MW in Brackets}
Linac beam kinetic energy	8 GeV
Linac Particle Types	H - ions Protons Electrons
Linac Stand-Alone Beam power	0.5 {2.0} MW
Linac Pulse repetition rate	2.5 {10} Hz
Linac macropulse width	3.0 {1.0} ms
Linac current (avg. in macropulse)	8.7 {26} mA
Linac current (peak in macropulse)	9.3 {28} mA
Linac Beam Chopping factor in macropulse	94 %
Linac Particles per macropulse	1.56E+14
Linac Charge per macropulse	26 uC
Linac Energy per macropulse	208 kJ
Linac average beam current	0.07 {0.26} mA
Linac beam macropulse duty factor	0.75 {1.0} %
Linac RF duty factor	1.00 {1.3} %
Linac Active Length including Front End	614 m
Linac Beam-floor distance	0.69 m =27 in.
Linac Depth Below Grade	9 m
Transfer Line Length to Ring	972 m
Transfer Line Total Bend	40 deg
Ring circumference	3319.4 m
Ring Beam Energy	8-120 GeV
Ring Beam Power on Target	2 MW
Ring Circulating Current	2.3 A
Ring cycle time	0.2-1.5 sec
Ring Protons per Pulse on Target	1.50E+14 protons
Ring Charge per pulse on target	25 uC
Ring Energy per pulse on target	200-3000 kJ
Ring Proton pulse length on target	10 us
Linac Wall Power	5.5 {12.5} MW
	Baseline Mission via foil stripping in transfer line Possible w/upgrade of Phase Shifters & Injector 8 GeV beam power available directly from linac
	For adiabatic capture with 700ns abort gap.
	Excludes possible expansion length same as Fermilab Main Injector same as Fermilab Main Injector for MI-10 Injection point two 20-degree collimation arcs Fermilab Main Injector MI cycle time varies with energy ~ independent of MI Beam Energy  depends on MI beam energy & flat-top  at 8-120 GeV 1 turn, or longer with resonant extraction approx 3 MW Standby + 1MW / Hz

# Linac Segment Details (for reference)

Open Technical Choice: 3-spoke or Elliptical

RFQ	Room Temp TSR	SRF		SRF 2-spoke	Spoke Option	Elliptical Option		High	TESLA
		1-spoke	2-spoke			Low	Medium		
325	325	325	325	325	3-spoke	1300	1300	1300	1300
0.065-3	3-15	15-33	33-110	110-400	110-400	110-175	175-400	400-1200	1200-8000
-	0.08 to 0.18	0.21	0.4	0.61	0.61	0.47	0.61	0.81	1.00
4	21	16	28	42	42	16	32	48	288
-	4	2	3	4	4	6	6	8	9
32.1	TBD	32	32	32	32	52	52	52	52
-	2.3 to 3.7	10.67	10.67	10.67	10.67	15.2	19.2	23.7	26
-	15 to 32	13	36.9	85.8	85.8	32.5	42.2	74.8	103.8
-	-40 to -30	-30	-30	-30 to -20	-30 to -20	-30	-25	-20	-16
~4	10.4	12.5	17.2	64	64	18.8	38.5	70.1	438.3
-	-	1	2	6	6	2	4	6	36
-	-	16	14	7	7	8	8	8	8
-	Solenoid	Solenoid	Solenoid	Quad	Quad	Quad	Quad	Quad	Quad
125	40 {54}	9 {26}	34 {102}	80 {238}	80 {238}	42 {125}	72 {214}	133 {398}	220 {660}
	72 {36}			42 {14}	42 {14}	48 {24}	48 {24}	48 {24}	36 {12}
	1 {2}			1 {3}	1 {3}	1 {2}	1 {2}	1 {3}	8 {24}

Frequency, MHz  
 Energy Range, MeV  
 Beta geometrical  
 Number of cavities or resonators  
 Number of accelerating gaps / cavity  
 Epeak, MV/m  
 Eacc, MV/m  
 Cavity effective length, cm  
 Synchronous phase, deg (typ.)  
 Length of Segment, m  
 Number of Cryomodules  
 Cavities per Cryomodule  
 Magnetic Focusing Type  
 Coupler Power Initial {Ultimate}, kW  
 Cavities per Klystron Initial {Ultimate}  
 Number of Klystrons Initial {Ultimate}



- Parameter List gives subsystem details for technically feasible baseline

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# Linac Pulse Parameters

## Comparison with Other SRF Linacs

	8 GeV Initial	8 GeV {Ultimate}	SNS (Spallation Neutron Source)	TESLA-500 (w/ FEL)	TESLA-800
Linac Energy	8 GeV	8 GeV	1 GeV	500 GeV	800 GeV
Particle Type	H <sup>+</sup> , e <sup>+</sup> , or e <sup>-</sup>	H <sup>+</sup> , e <sup>+</sup> , or e <sup>-</sup>	H <sup>-</sup>	e <sup>+</sup> , e <sup>-</sup>	e <sup>+</sup> , e <sup>-</sup>
Beam Power	0.5 MW	2 MW	1.56 MW	22.6 MW	34 MW
AC Power (incl. warm FE)	5.5 MW	13 MW	~15 MW	97 MW	150 MW
Beam Pulse Width	3 msec	1 msec	1 msec	0.95 msec	0.86 msec
Beam Current (avg. in pulse)	8.6 mA	26 mA	26 mA	9.5 mA	12.7 mA
Pulse Rate	2.5 Hz	10 Hz	60 Hz	5(10) Hz	4 Hz
# Superconducting Cavities	384	384	81	21024	21852 / 2
# Cryomodules	48	48	23	1752	1821
# Klystrons	12	33	93	584	1240
# Cavities per Klystron (typ)	36	12	1	36	18
Cavity Surface Fields (max)	52 MV/m	52 MV/m	35 MV/m	46.8 MV/m	70 MV/m
Accel. Gradient (max)	25 MV/m	25 MV/m	16 MV/m	23.4 MV/m	35 MV/m
Linac Active Length	614 m	614 m	258 m	22 km	22 km

# Two Design Points for 8 GeV Linac

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## Initial: 0.5 MW Linac Beam Power (BASELINE)

8.3 mA x 3 msec x 2.5 Hz x 8 GeV = 0.5 MW

*Twelve Klystrons Required*

## Ultimate: 2 MW Linac Beam Power

25 mA x 1 msec x 10 Hz x 8 GeV = 2.0 MW

*33 Klystrons Required*

## Either Option Supports:

*1.5E14 x 0.7 Hz x 120 GeV*

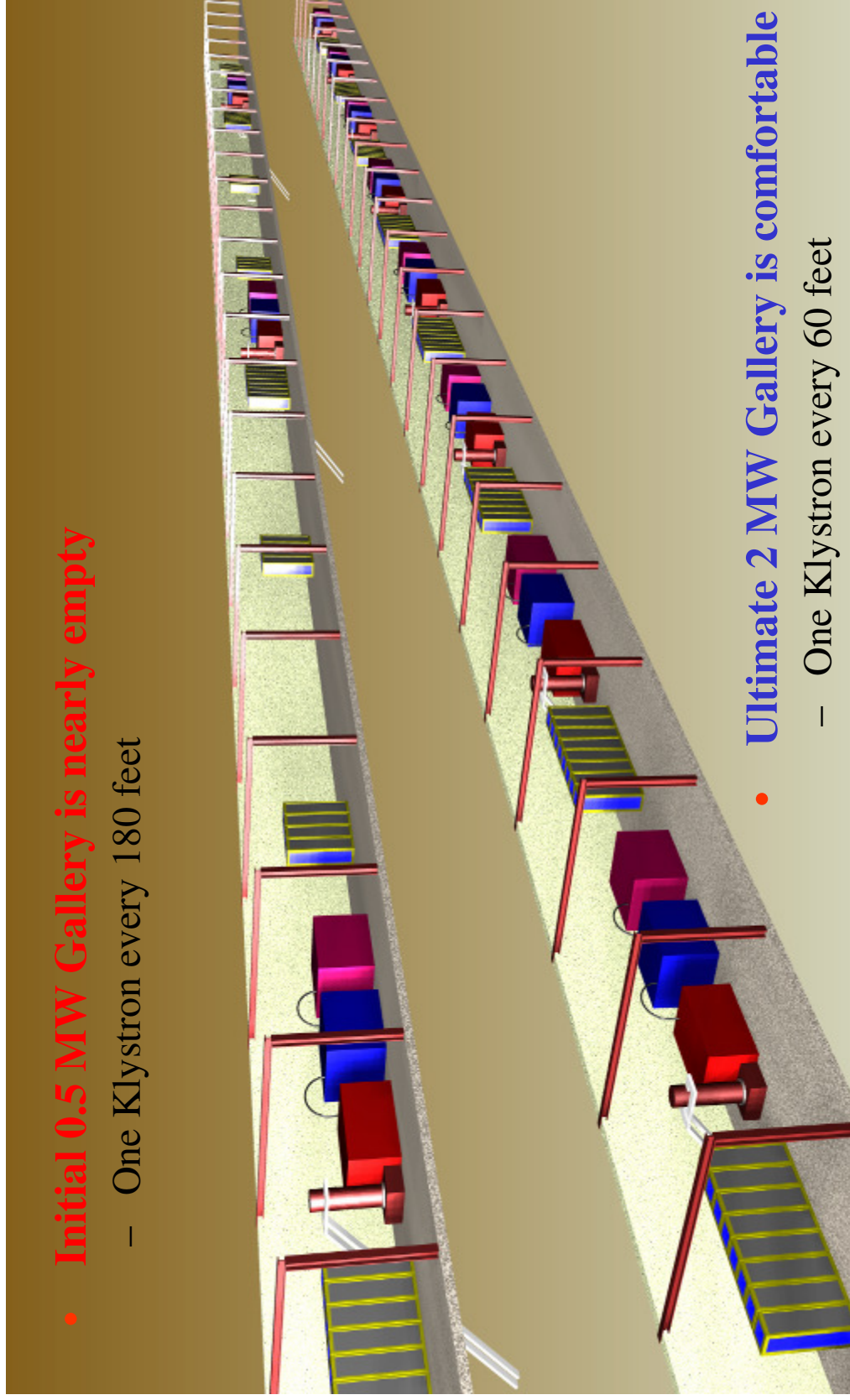
*= 2 MW Beam Power from Fermilab Main Injector*



# Initial → Ultimate Upgrade Equipment

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# ILC – Compatible Operating Frequencies

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Following the selection of the Cold SCRF Option for the ILC,

We have chosen **TESLA/XFEL Compatible Frequencies:**

- **1300 MHz** Main Linac (= ILC / TESLA / XFEL)
- **325 MHz** (=1300MHz/4) Front-End Linac (= JPARC) (*a gift!*)

**Valuable assets at these frequencies:**

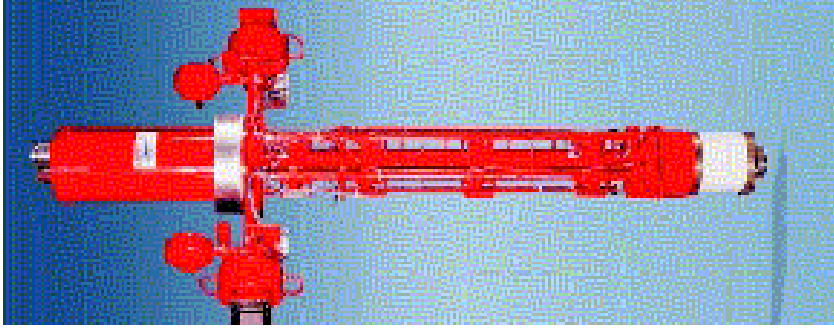
SRF Cavities, RF Couplers, Cryomodule Designs, Klystrons,  
Front-End Linac Designs, Collaborators (e.g. ILC, Euro-XFEL, JPARC...)

**In the final analysis, it is much easier these days to develop a  
new SRF cavity design than to develop a new Klystron.**



# 8 GeV Linac Klystrons – 2 Types

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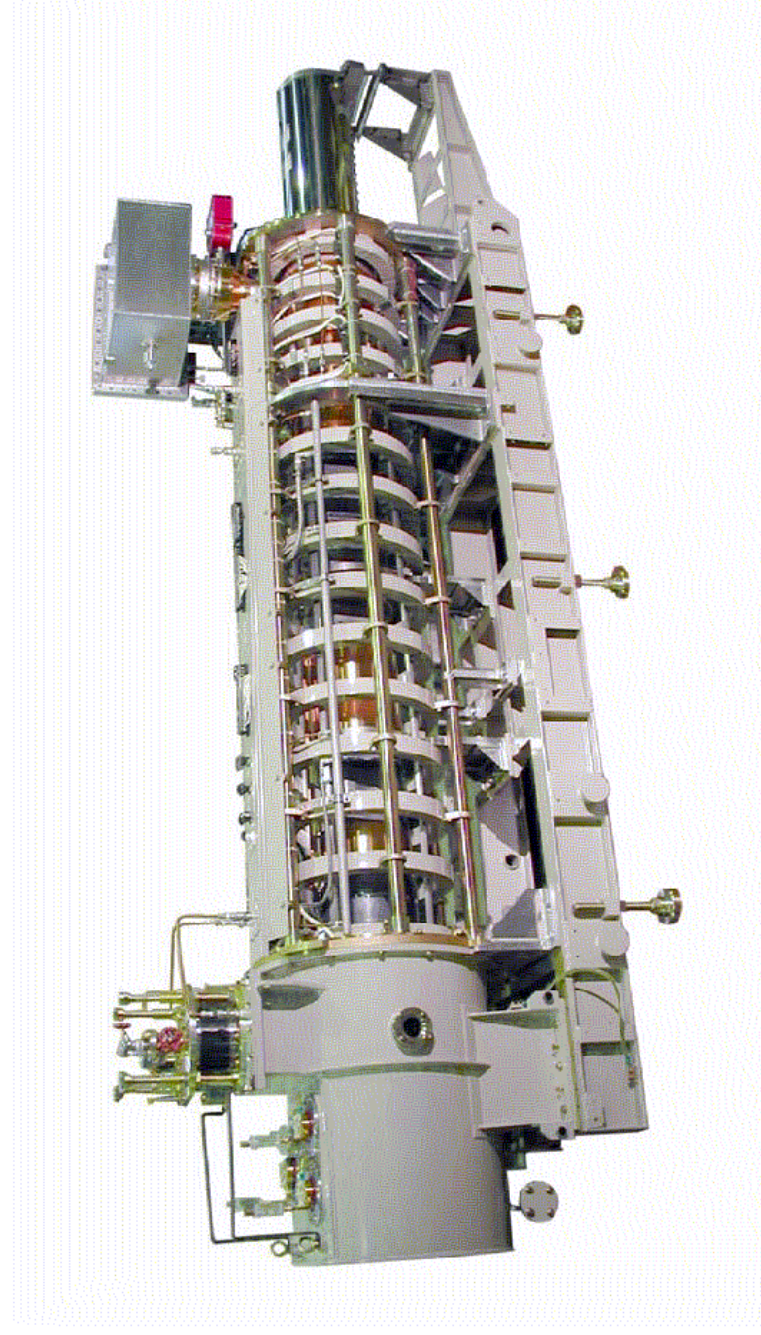
**Thales TH1801**

**1300 MHz**

**10 MW**

*Multiple Vendors*

Fermilab



**Toshiba E3740A**

**325 MHz 3 MW**

**(17 Delivered for JPARC)**

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# Copper-to-SCRF Transition

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- **We have chosen 15 MeV (RFQ + warm TSRs.)**
  - Much lower than SNS ( ~ 186 MeV)
  - Allows Single Klystron to drive linac up to 110 MeV
  - Leverages uses of Fast Phase Shifters to produce many channels of RF from a single Klystron
- **Previous Design Study assumed 85 MeV DTL**
  - Conventional Solution, still valid
  - Modified Commercial Product at 325 MHz
  - Required 7 Klystrons, \$30M + contingency etc.

# Spokes-to-Elliptical Transition

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- 1. Preserving two technical options (110-400 MeV):**
  1. 325 MHz triple-spoke Resonators (**BASELINE**)
  2. 1300 MHz Elliptical Cavities
- 2. The tradeoffs have been extensively discussed for the Rare Isotope Accelerator (RIA).**
- 3. Our Decision Will be based on:**
  1. Accelerator Physics
  2. Cost
  3. Collaboration

**0.5 MW Initial**

**8 GeV Linac**

11 Klystrons (2 types)

449 Cavities

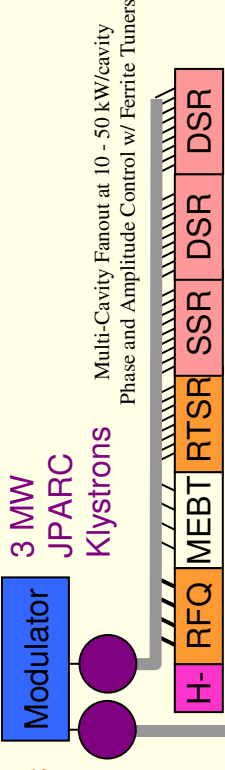
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**“PULSED RIA”**

Front End Linac

325 MHz

0-350 MeV



**$\beta < 1$  TESLA LINAC**

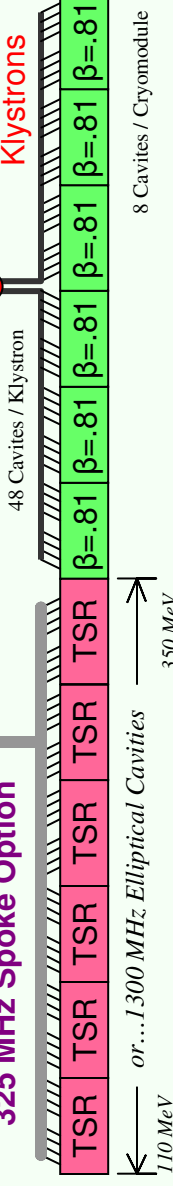
1300 MHz 0.35-1.2 GeV

2 Klystrons

96 Elliptical Cavities

12 Cryomodules

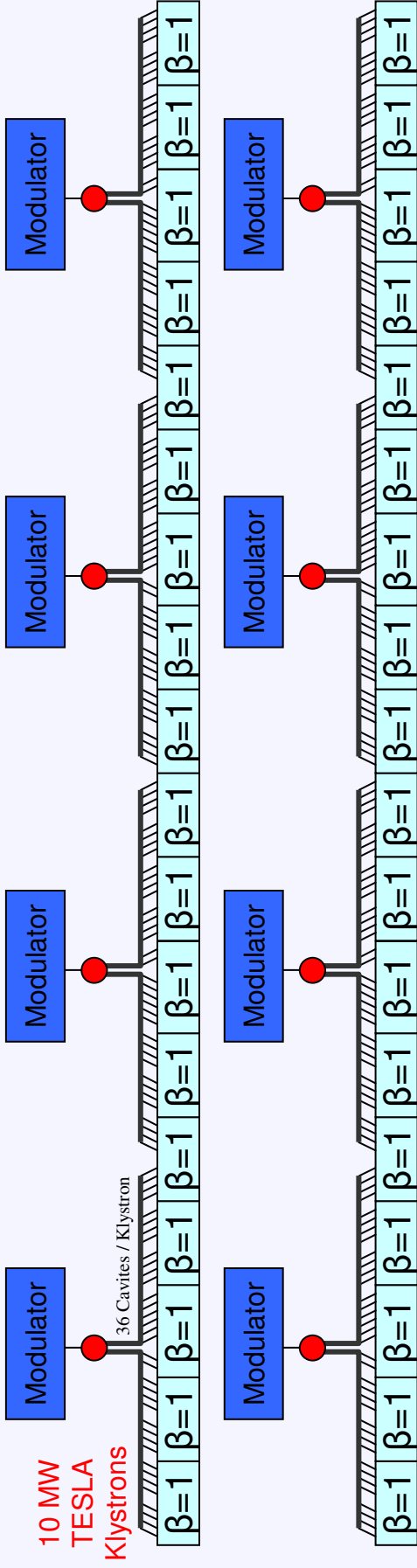
325 MHz Spoke Option



**TESLA LINAC 1300 MHz  $\beta = 1$**

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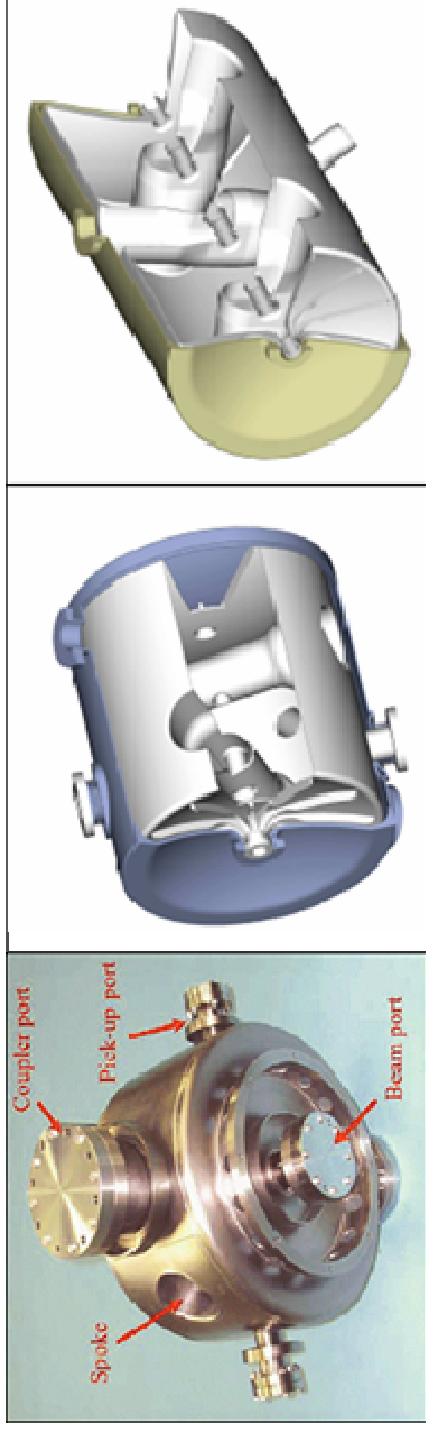
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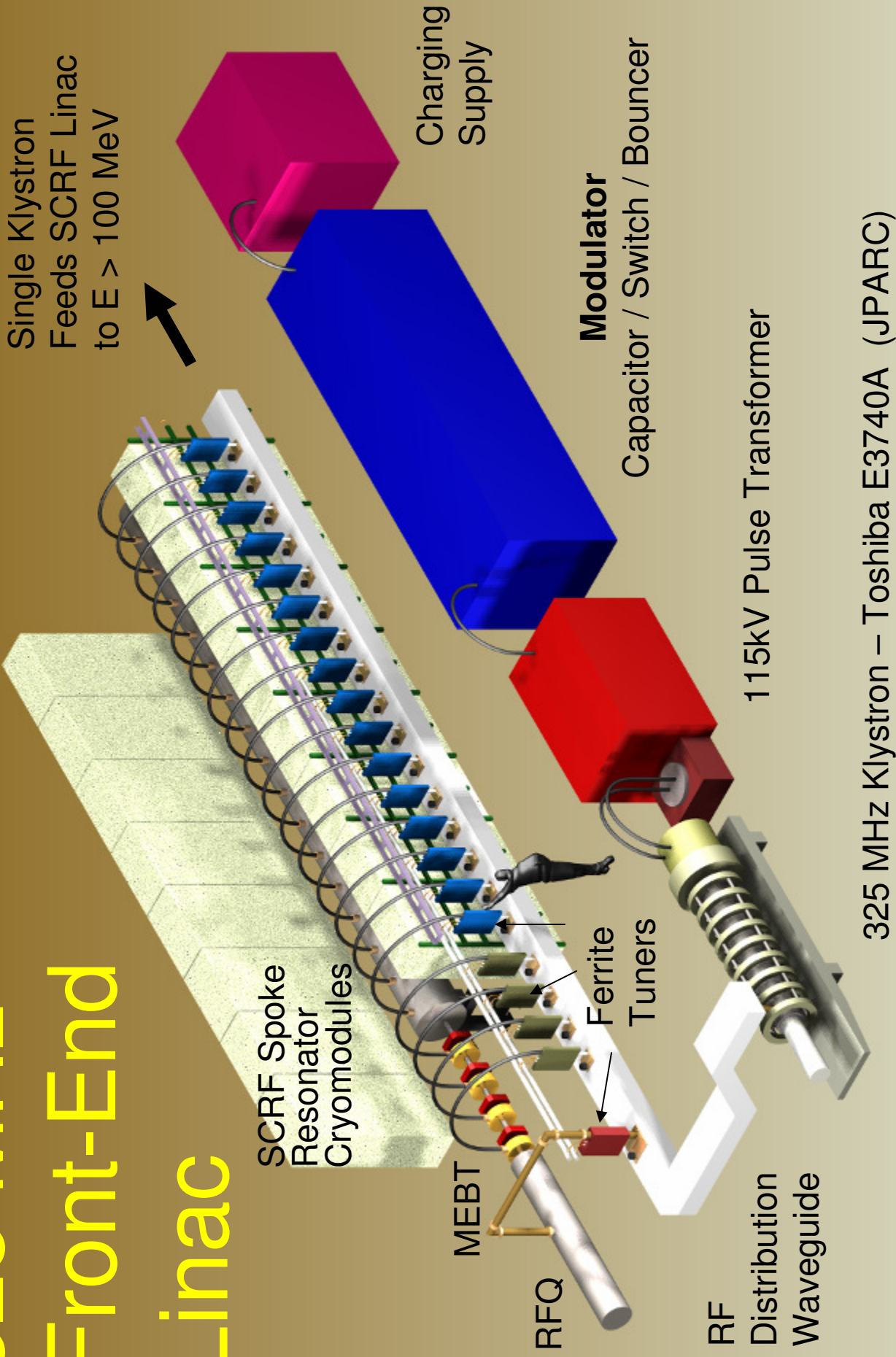
# 325 MHz Spoke Resonators

Ken  
Shepard's  
Talk



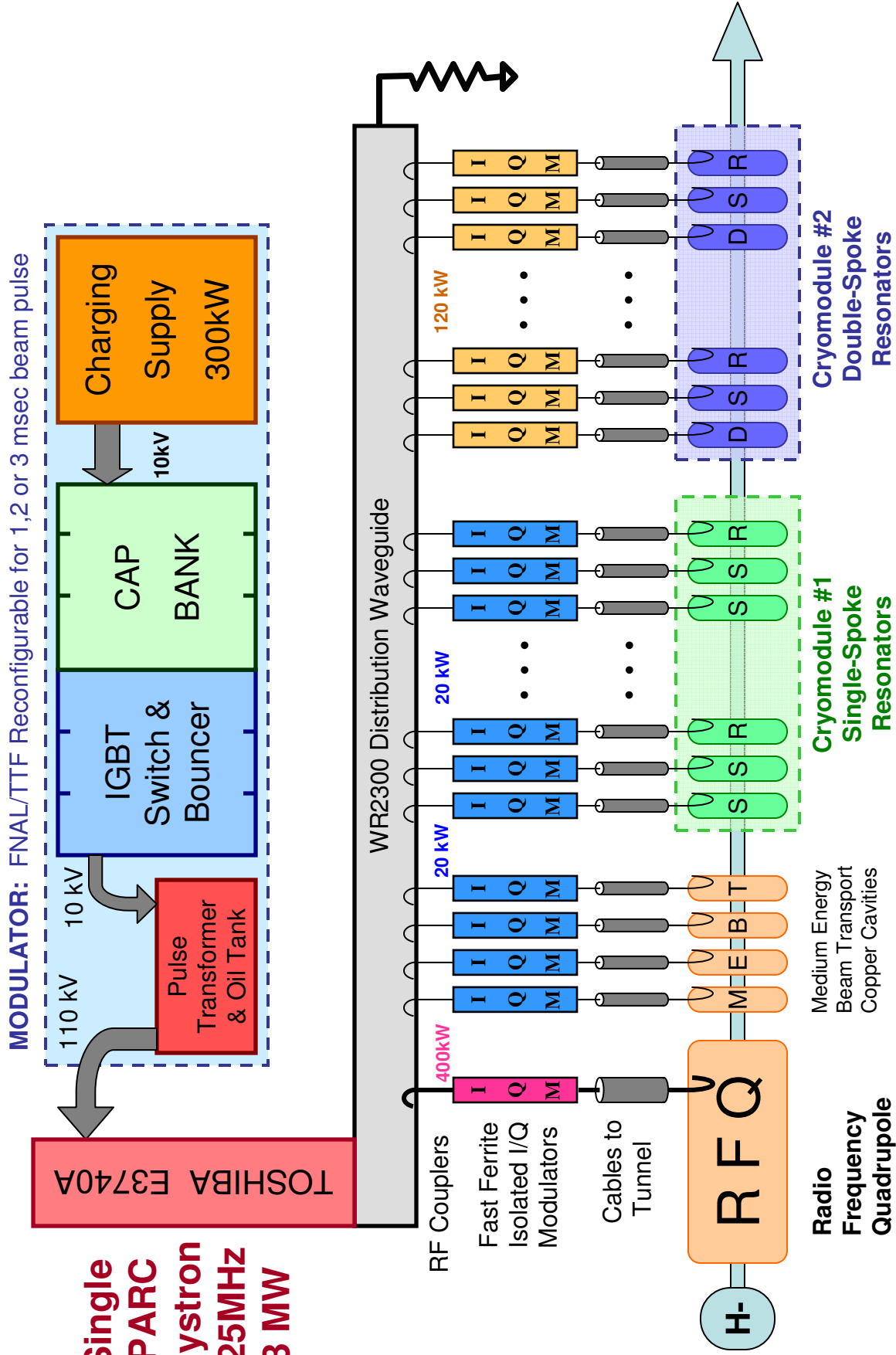
- **Well Developed Technology for RIA, APT,...**
- **Simulations indicate excellent beam dynamics**
- **Runs Pool-Boiling at 4.5K – Simple Cryosystem**
- **R&D Demonstration (SMTF):**  
→ **beam properties with pulsed operation.**

# 325 MHz Front-End Linac



# 325 MHz RF System

**Single  
JPARC  
Klystron  
325MHz  
3 MW**



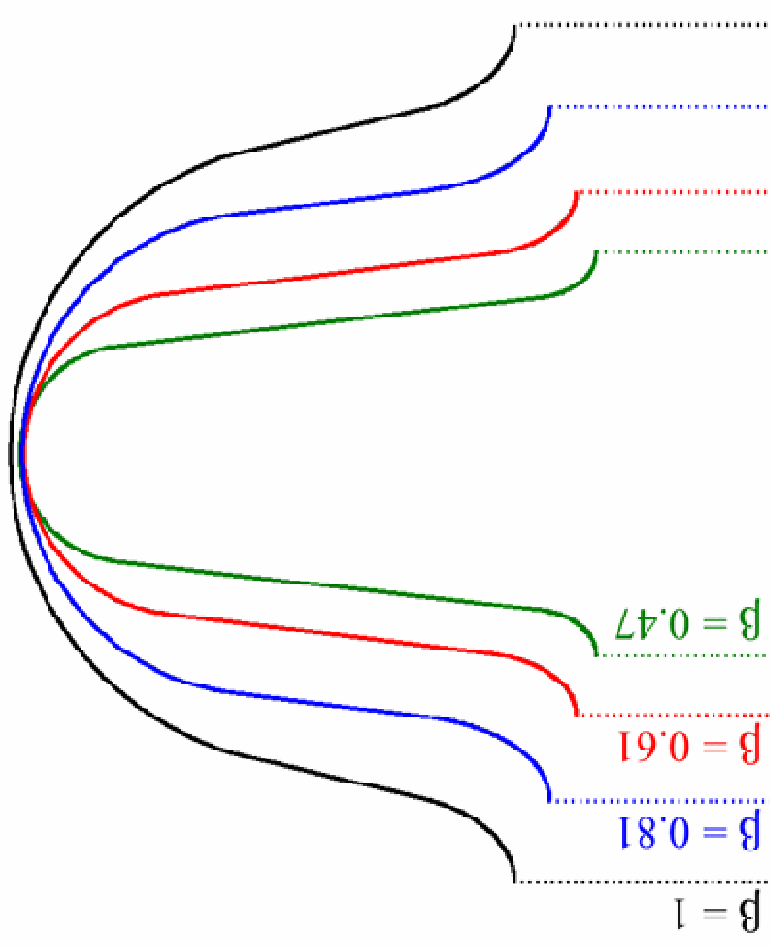


# 1300 MHz Elliptical Cavities

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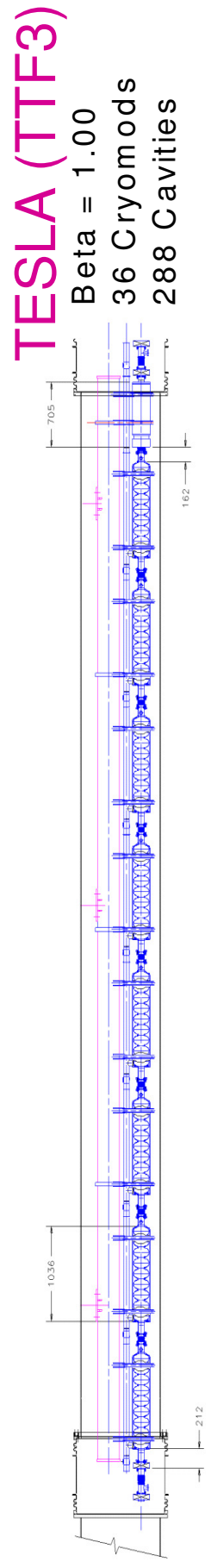
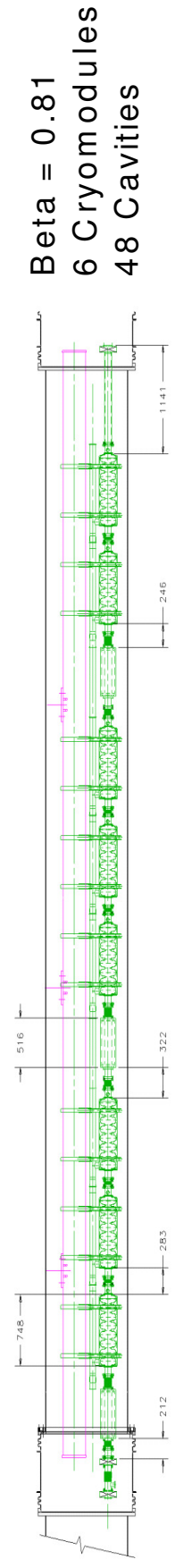
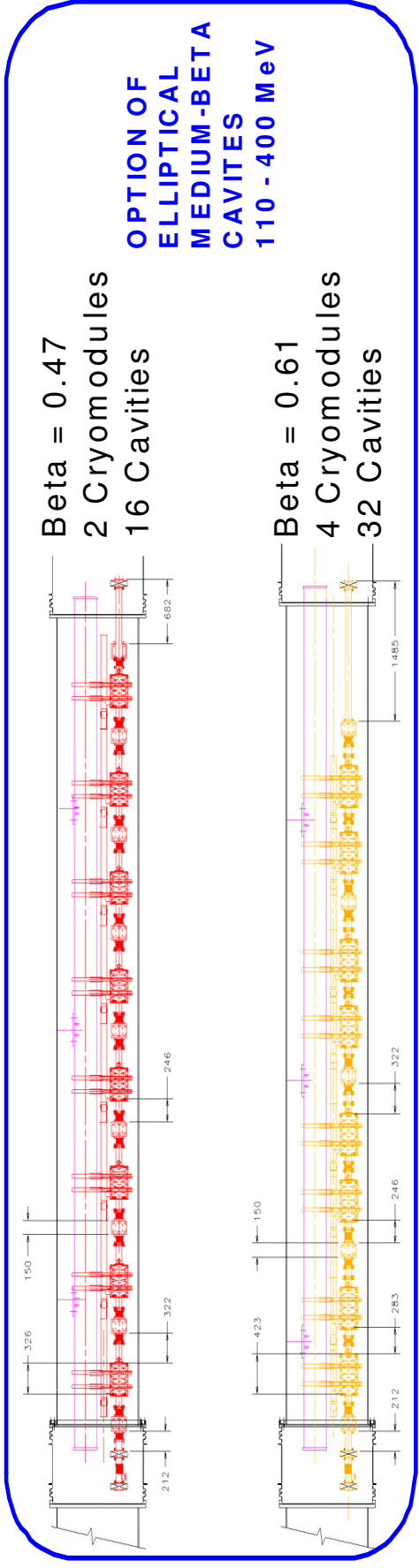
- Beta < 1 cavities are frequency scaled from 805 MHz designs for SNS/JLAB and RIA/MSU/JLAB
- FNAL/MSU Design collaboration investigating “low-loss” geometries for 1300 MHz Beta=0.81



# 1300 MHz Cryomodules

Giorgio Apolinari's Talk

## 1300 MHz ELLIPTICAL CAVITY CRYOMODULES: 2-4 TYPES

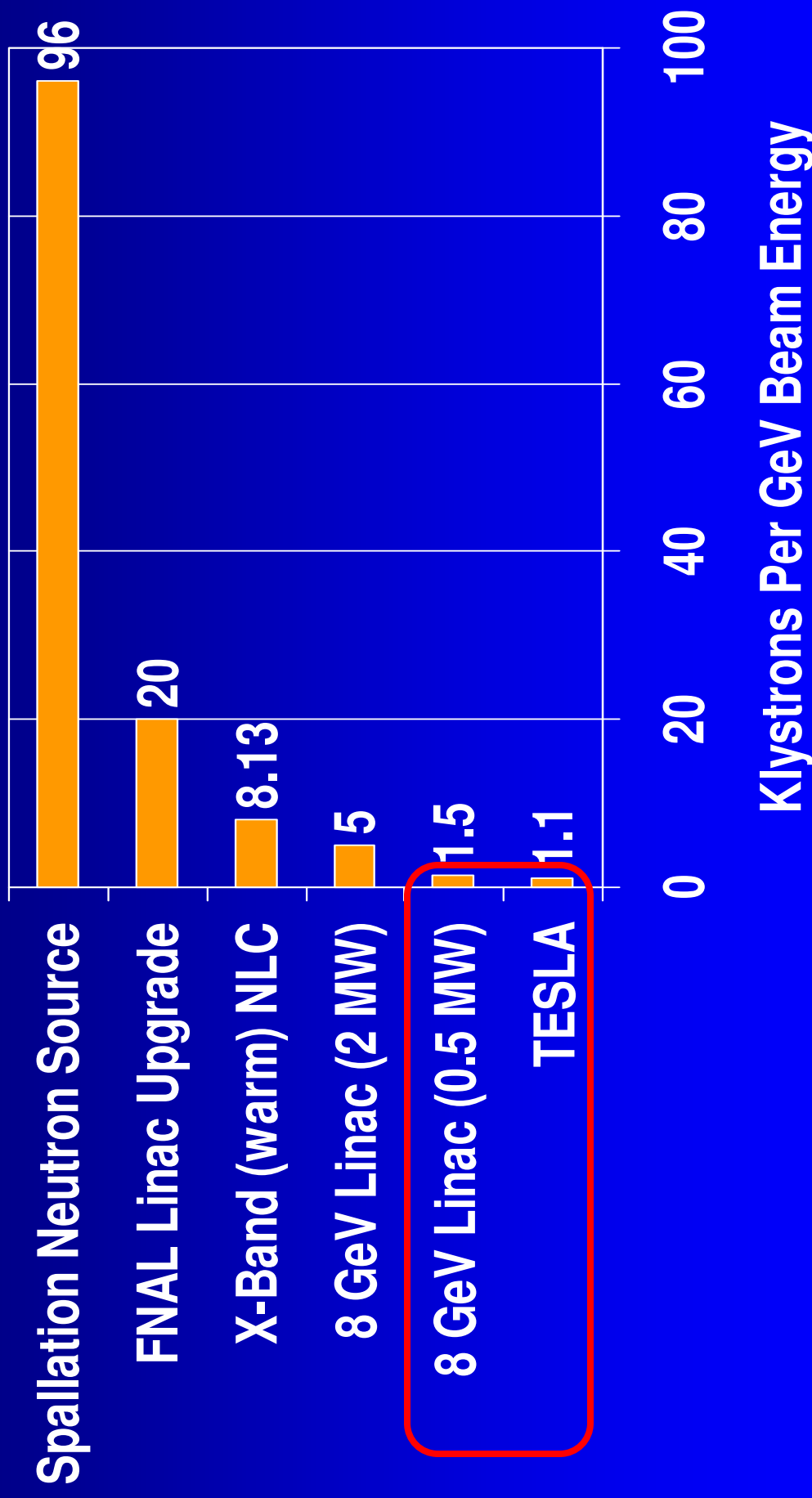


# Ferrite Vector Modulator R&D

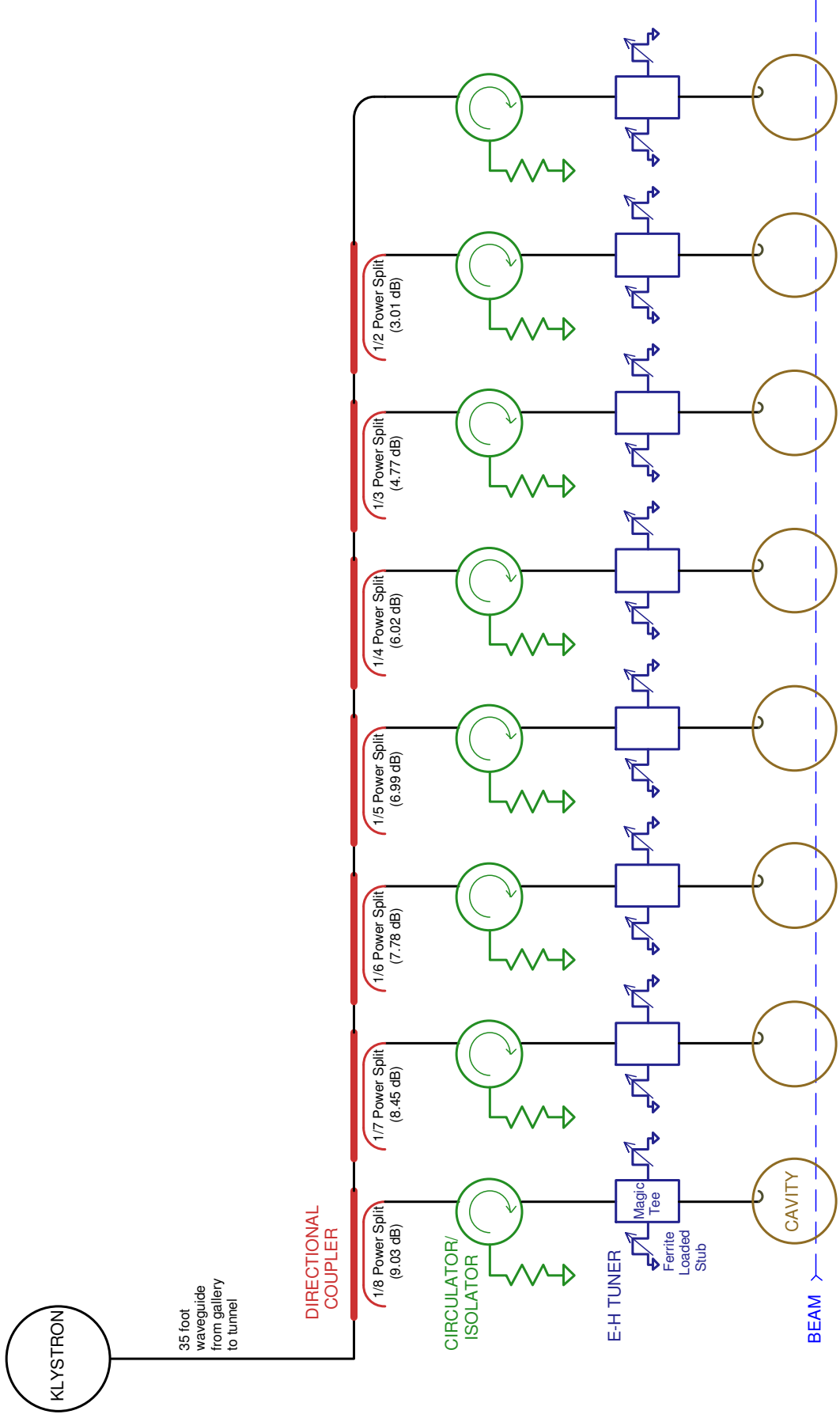
- Provides fast, flexible drive to **individual cavities** of a proton linac, when one is using a **TESLA-style RF fanout**. (*1 klystron feeds 36 cavities*)
- Also needed if Linac alternates between e- and P.
- This R&D was started by SNS but dropped due to lack of time. SNS went to one-klystron-per-cavity which cost them a lot of money (\$20M - \$60M).

***Making this technology work is important to the financial feasibility of the 8 GeV Linac.***

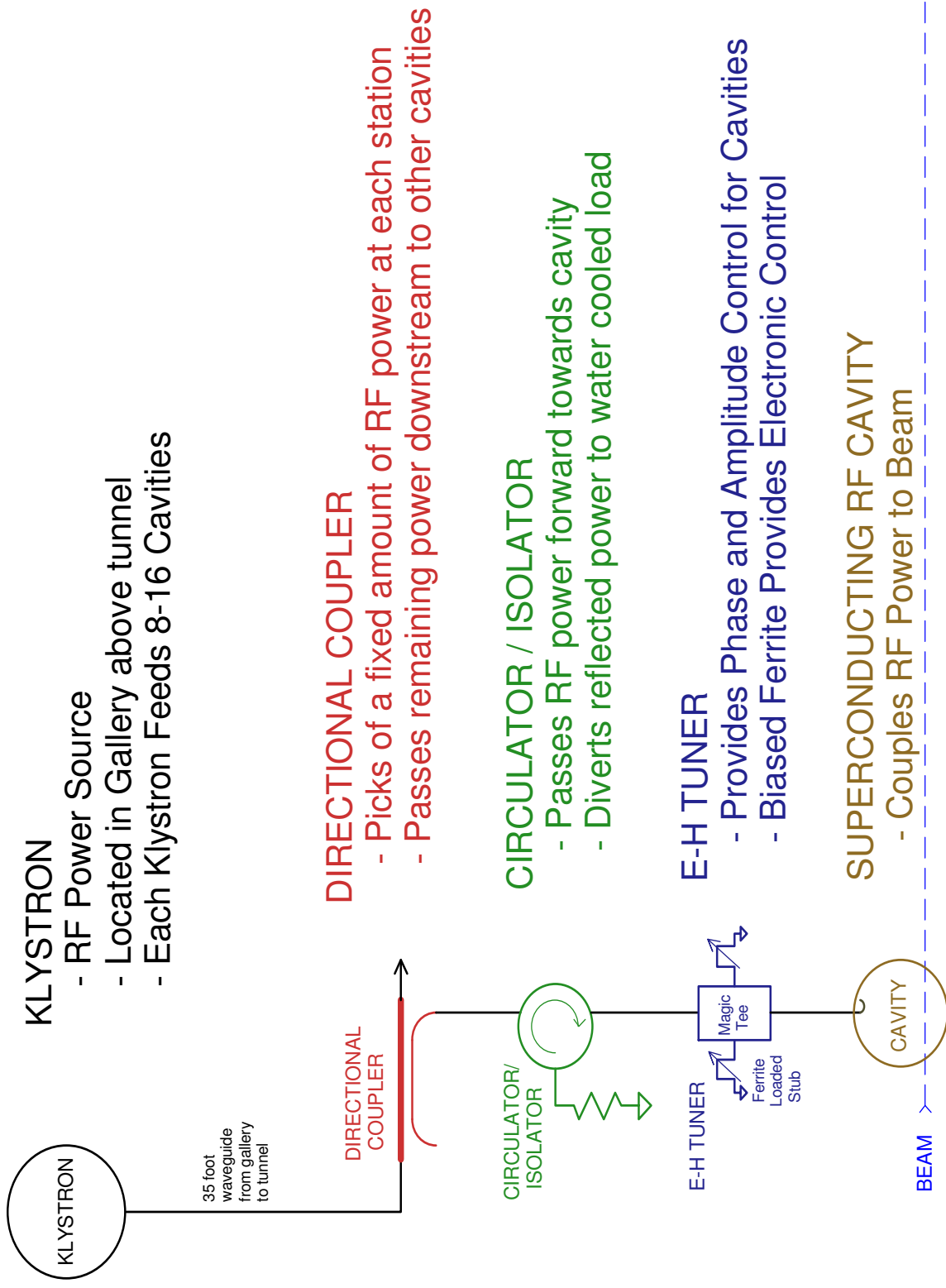
# Cost Driver: Klystrons per GeV



# RF Fan-out for 8 GeV Linac



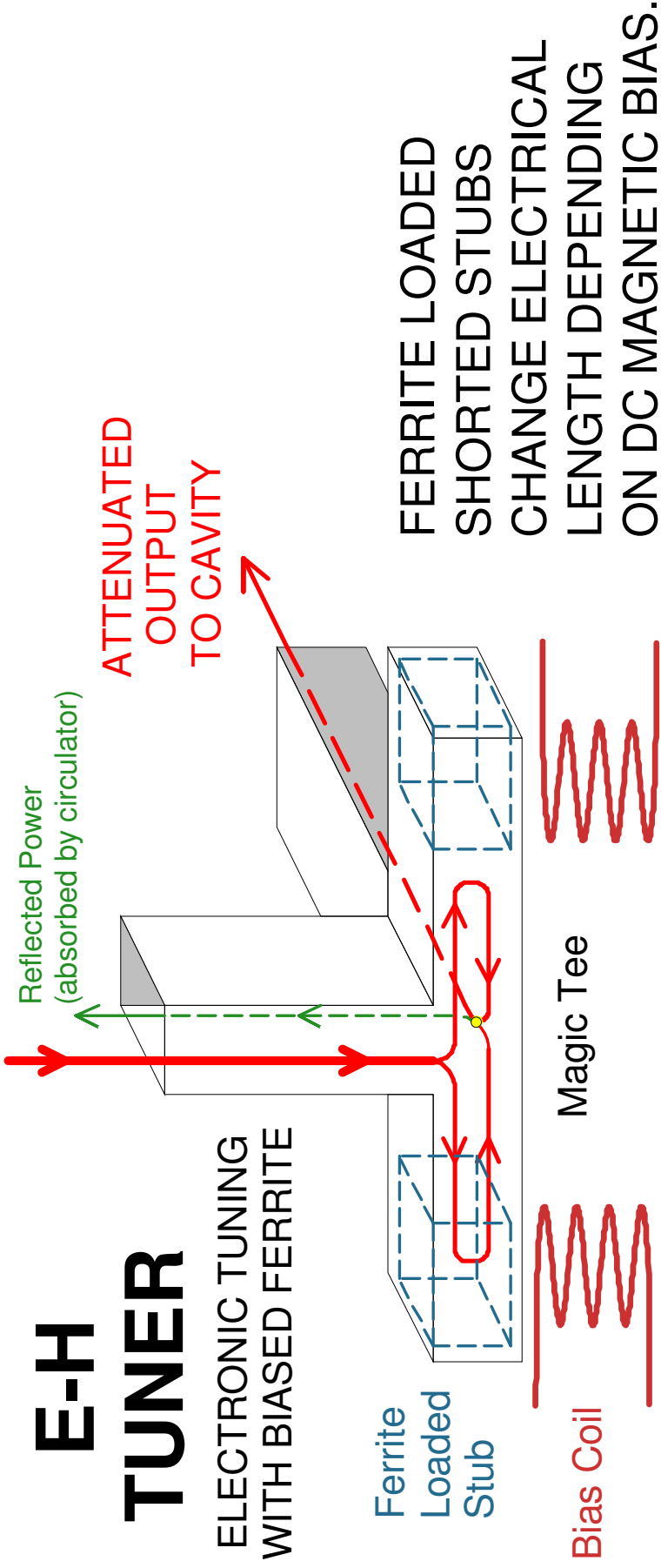
# RF Fanout at Each Cavity



# FERRITE VECTOR MODULATOR

(1300 MHz Waveguide Version)

MICROWAVE INPUT POWER  
from Klystron and Circulator



## E-H TUNER

ELECTRONIC TUNING  
WITH BIASED FERRITE

Ferrite  
Loaded  
Stub

Bias Coil

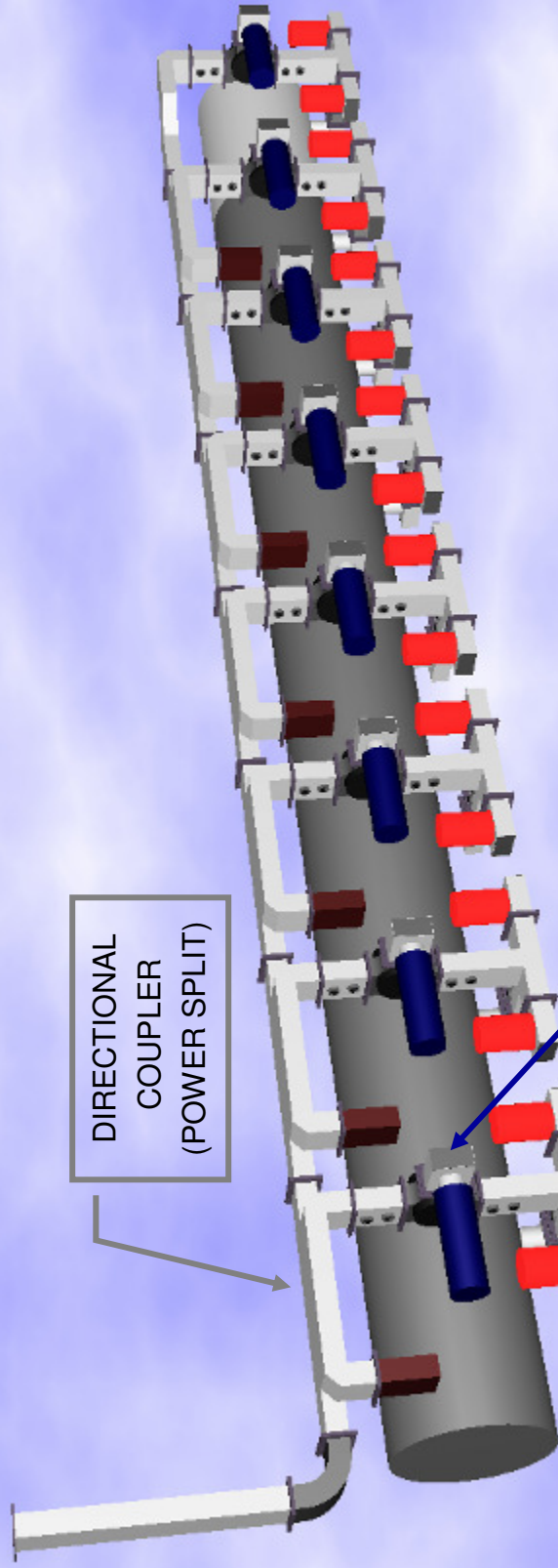
Magic Tee

FERRITE LOADED  
SHORTED STUBS  
CHANGE ELECTRICAL  
LENGTH DEPENDING  
ON DC MAGNETIC BIAS.

**TWO COILS** PROVIDE INDEPENDENT  
**PHASE AND AMPLITUDE** CONTROL OF CAVITIES

# Advanced RF Distribution

RF FROM  
KLYSTRON



DIRECTIONAL  
COUPLER  
(POWER SPLIT)

CIRCULATOR  
AND LOAD

COAXIAL  
FERRITE STUB  
TUNER AND  
WAVEGUIDE  
TRANSITION

MAGIC TEE  
AND CAVITY RF  
POWER COUPLER



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# 3 Types of Fast-Ferrite Tuners

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1. **Waveguide Style (prototyped in house)**
  2. **Coaxial Style (prototyped in-house)**
  3. **Strip Line Style (commercial procurement via AFT)**
- **Because of this device's importance to the PD, all three are being pursued in parallel.**
  - **At present, it appears that all 3 approaches will lead to workable full-spec devices.**

# Key Specification of Ferrite Tuners

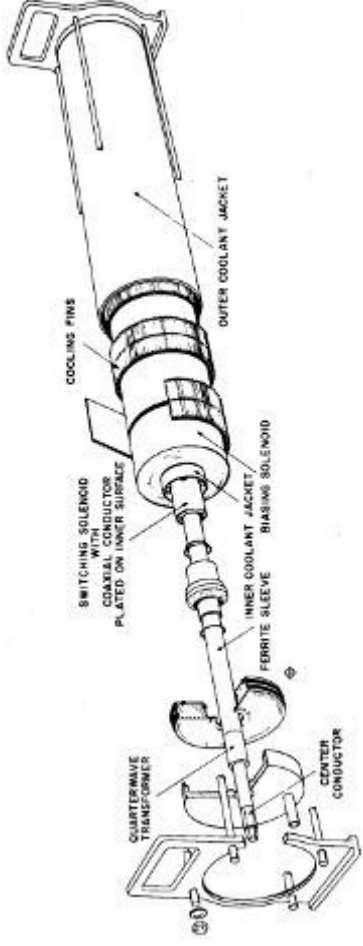
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- **Power Handling 0.6 MW...50kW**  
x4 for full reflected standing wave  
exceeded by prototypes (after some work!)
- **Range of adjustment: +/- 45 degrees**  
Larger is possible
- **Speed of Response: 1 degree per microsecond**  
Simulations indicate 3-5x slower might be OK
- **Insertion Loss: 0.1-0.2 dB**  
Cooling easy at 600kW peak, 1.5% duty factor  
Not dominant contributor to RF Distribution Losses

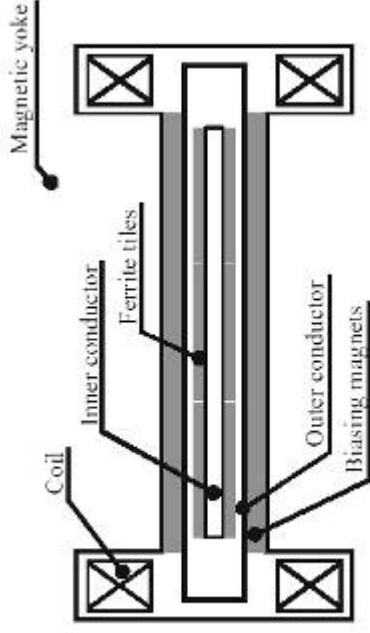
# Examples of Phase Shifters

Coaxial Device, Bell Labs 1968



L band (1.2 – 1.4 GHz)  
 350 kW peak power  
 Field Range 800 – 1500 Oe  
 Phase shift - 600°  
 Insertion loss - 0.2 dB

Strip-line-based design, by AFT for ANL and CERN, 1998 ~ 2004

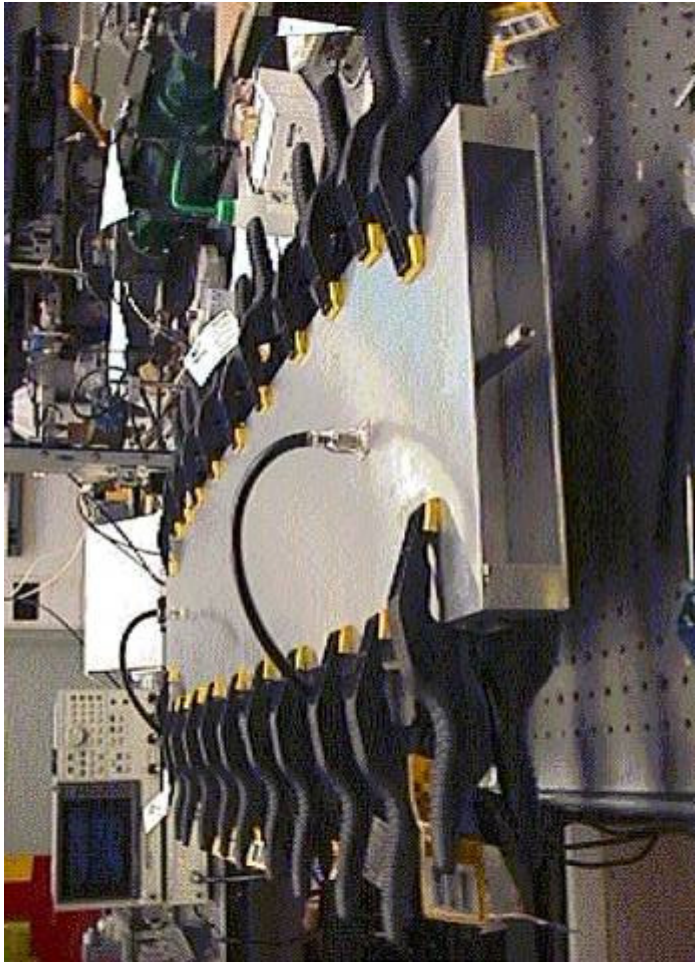
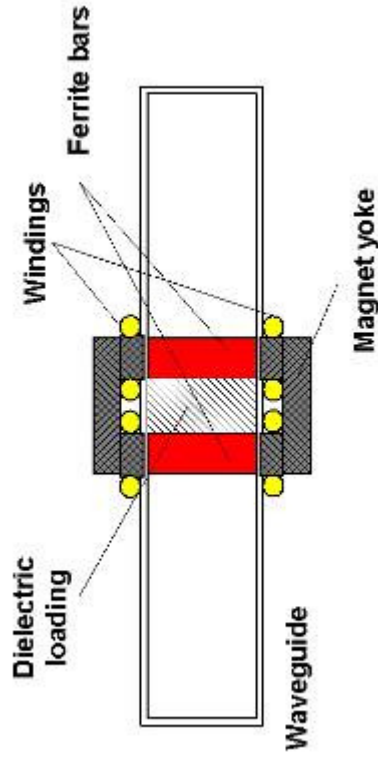
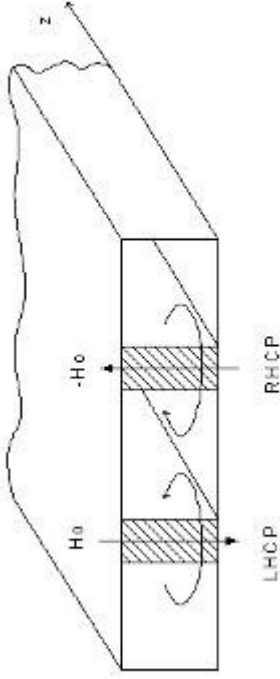


352 MHz  
 250 kW peak power  
 25% duty cycle  
 130° phase shift

# SNS Waveguide Phase Shifter R&D

Waveguide-based device,  
Yoon Kang (ANL) for SNS ~ 2000

805 MHz  
500 kW peak power  
8% duty cycle  
0.15 dB insertion loss

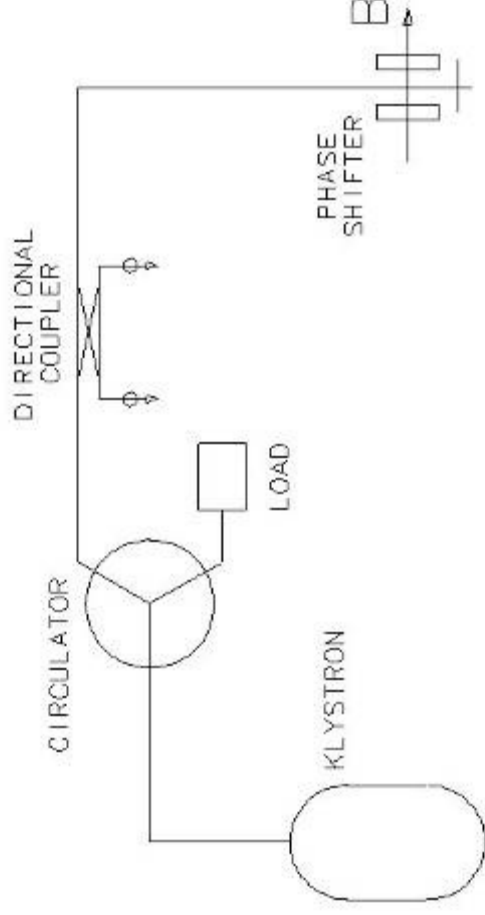
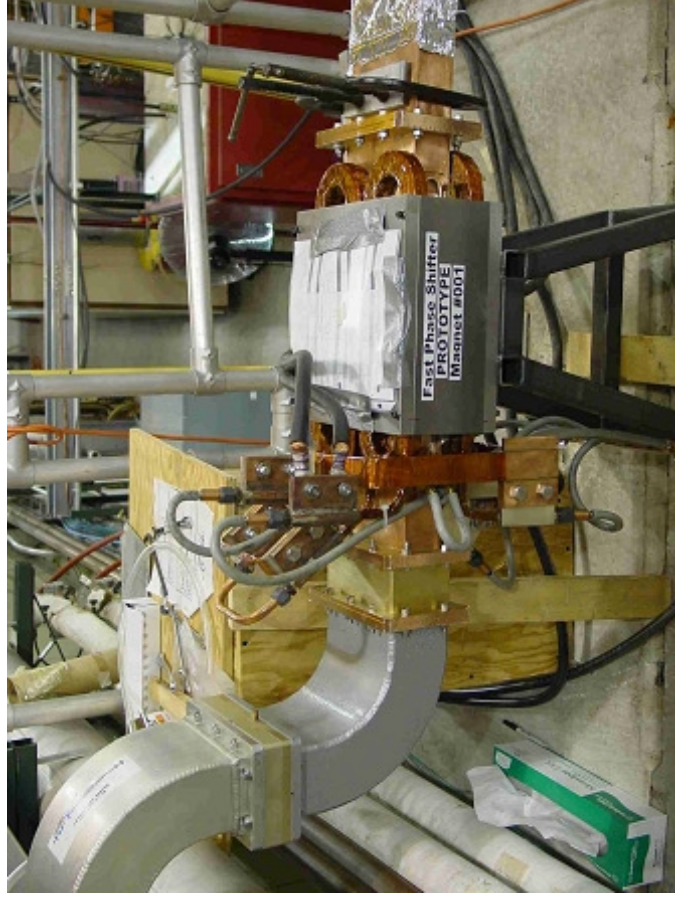


# High Power 1300 MHz FVM Test

A0 1300 MHz Klystron

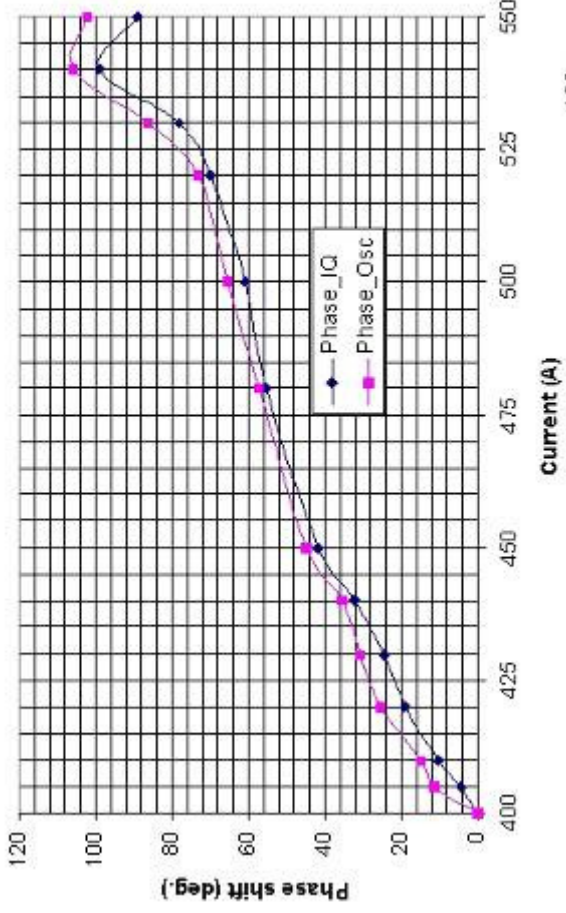
T = 250  $\mu$ sec

F = 5 Hz



We snuck onto  
Helen's Klystron  
when she was out of  
town....

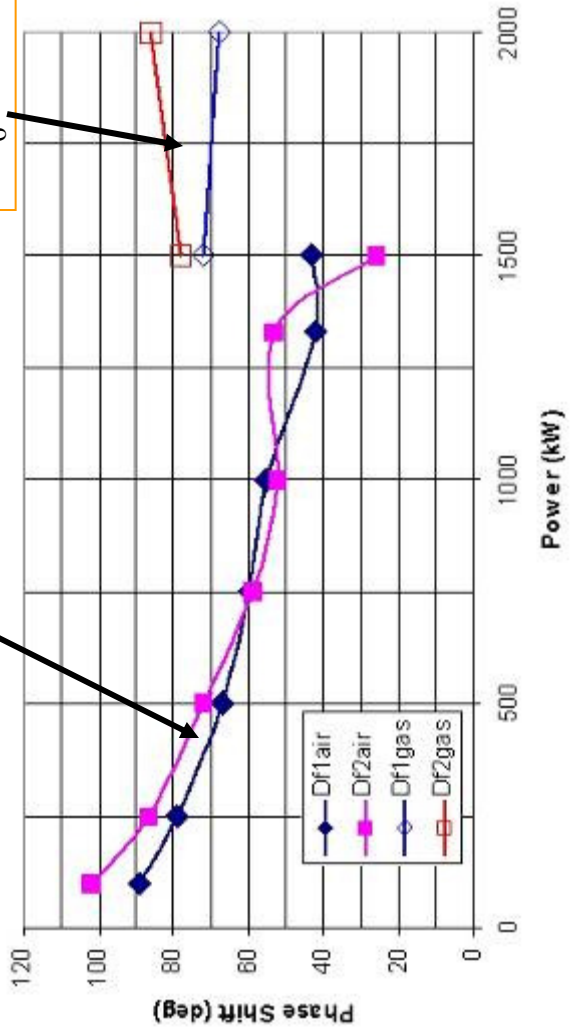
# High Power Ferrite Tuner Test



- Two methods of phase measurements:
1. Oscilloscope measurements
  2. Using available IQ modulator

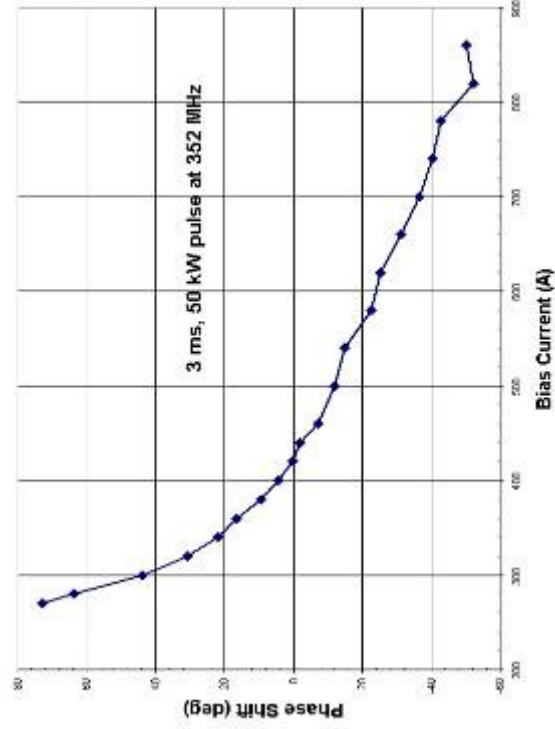
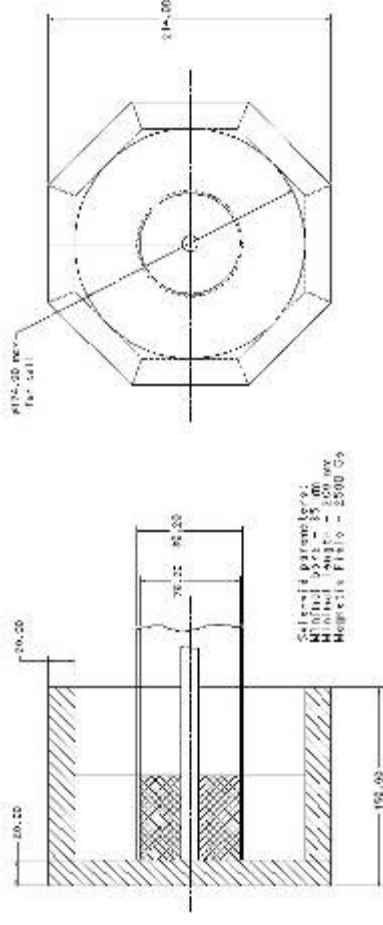
Available phase range was limited by sparking that develops near the HOM resonance frequencies

Max Power - 2000 kW  
 (requirement: 600 kW)  
 Useable Phase shift ~ 80°  
 (requirement: ~90 degrees)  
 Elimination of HOM resonances has increased usable range to ~360 degrees at low power levels.



# Coaxial Phase Shifter

- Coax design is preferred at 325MHz
- In-house design tested to 660kW at 1300 MHz
- Tested at 300 kW at ANL with APS 352MHz Klystron
- Fast coil and flux return should respond in ~50us



Ran for 1 Hour at 300kW x 3 msec x 2 Hz with 4°C Temp Rise → very low losses

# MORE INFORMATION

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- **Project site:**  
<http://protondriver.fnal.gov>
- **Physics and Machine “CD-0” Documents**
- **Recent Director’s Review:**  
<http://protondriver.fnal.gov/PDrev15Mar05.htm>
- **Recent ICFA Workshop:**  
<http://www.niu.edu/clasep/HPSLconf/>