

Measurements at HoBiCaT : Heating HOM loop couplers in CW mode

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Measurements on TESLA HOM loops in CW operation at HoBiCaT



Horizontal tests at the the HoBiCaT testfacility operating TESLA cavities in CW mode





Test of thermal behavior of TESLA type HOM loop couplers

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Heating at the HOM Pickup on CW mode





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Heating at the HOM Pickup



HOM pickups have been problematic for CW

- Pick-up "sees" a small part of the accelerating field
- \rightarrow The tip heats up a little (<< 1 W)
- But: The tip is cooled only via the ceramic of the feed-through
- →A thermal bottleneck may cause thermal runaway











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Improved cooling through

- Sapphire feed-throughs to cool the inner conductor
- Good thermal anchoring to
 1.8 K (2-phase line)



Tests in collaboration with DESY and JLAB

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CW Measurements with DESY S33



Measurement of Q v. E, DESY S33

- 20 MV/m reached
- Limited by quench caused by liquid helium instability (boiling, chimney to 2phase line to small)
- HOM pick-ups did not quench
- However, it still takes roughly an hour or more to reach thermal equilibrium
- Relatively high "zero field" temperature

Question:

- Effect of pick-up cables (RG223 ca. 3 meters long)
- Do we need the thermal anchor?



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Disconnected HOM Pick-up cables

- Zero-field temperatures drop significantly (nearly 4 K)
- Temperature rise on tuner side negligible & time constant short
- Higher time constant and temperature rise on coupler side.





7 K !!

Temperatures of feed-throughs Pickup cables attached



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Temperatures of feed-throughs Pick-up cables disconnected



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Cut connection to 2-phase line of the cooling straps to feed-through (no pick-up cables attached)

- Still cooling to HOM "pot"
- Behavior essentially unchanged
- \rightarrow External cooling not required
- However, should repeat without any straps altogether





Temperatures beam tubes



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No difference in performance observed between 16 and 8 mbar



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HERA cavity (SRF1987), HOM coupler LHe cooled ...



Loop coupler with double filter





TESLA HOM



KEK HOM with double

filter

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- Saphire feed-throughs are essential for CW mode
- Bath temperature plays no role
- Cooling by straps to 2PL is not required (up to 20 MV/m CW). Remains to be investigated if cooling can be removed altogether.
- Pick-up cables are a significant source of heat! These need a thermal anchor and/or low conductivity cables must be employed
- 20 MV/m (and higher) CW operation should be easily realisable with saphire feed-throughs!



Courtesy C. Reece, JLAB Thermal anchoring of cables, CEBAF



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