



Present Thrust Area in the Field of Applied Superconductivity & Cryogenics in India

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(4.2 K In India)



Dr. K S Krishnan along with foreign Delegates from Russia in front of Helium Liquefier at NPL in 1955

First Helium Liquefier in India (Make ADL, USA Collins type, Capacity 4 L/hr with LN2 precooling was established At National Physical Laboratory (NPL, Delhi) in 1952



In the Same Year First Helium Liquefier was Commissioned at Tohuku University, Japan

1952 was the starting period of Superconductivity Research in Japan & India

Today In India we have approx.

40 Helium liquefier with total
capacity of approx. 2500 litres/ hr.





- 1. Present on going Major Programme in the field of Applied Superconductivity and Cryogenics:
 - A. Accelerator & Fusion
 - **B.** Space Cryogenics
 - C. MRI & Other
- 2. Future Trend
 A. HTS & Cryo cooler
- 3. Conclusion on Activity





Superconductivity for Accelerator & Fusion

Accelerator

- Superconducting Cyclotron at VECC (Kolkata),
- RRCAT LHC collaboration on SC Corrector magnet

Magnet



- SC Heavy ion Accelerator at IUAC (Delhi) & TIFR (Mumbai)
- > ADS Programme based on Superconducting Cavity (Fermi lab collaboration): RF SC Cavity
- E-linac for RIB Facility (RF SC Cavity): TRIUMF Collaboration

Fusion

- > SC Tokamak at IPR (Gandhinagar)
- India ITER Participation on Complex Cryoline : Cryogenics



First Major Accelerator Programme in India with Superconductivity

The variable energy K-130 cyclotron first of its kind in India, became operational in June 16, 1977. The machine is designed to accelerate protons from 6 to 60 MeV, and alpha from 25 to 130 MeV.

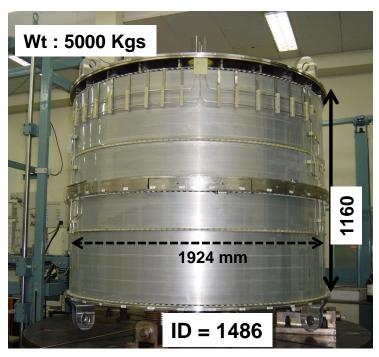
The superconducting cyclotron (K- 500) with a large superconducting solenoid (5 Tesla) was constructed to enhance the energy of 80 MeV/A for lighter ions and 5-10 MeV/A for heavier ions







Superconducting Magnet (5 T) Coil for K-500 S.C.Cyclotron



No. of Coils : 2 Alpha + 2 Beta

No. of Layers : 36

No. of turns/layer : 30 / 62

> Total Length of SC Cables: 35 Km.

Stored Energy: 22 MJ

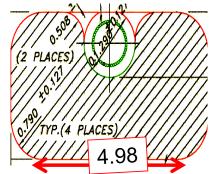
Conductor: Nb-Ti Wire soldered in Copper

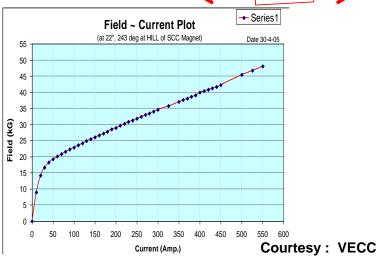
Channel

Critical Current: 1030 A at 4.2 K and 5.5 Tesla

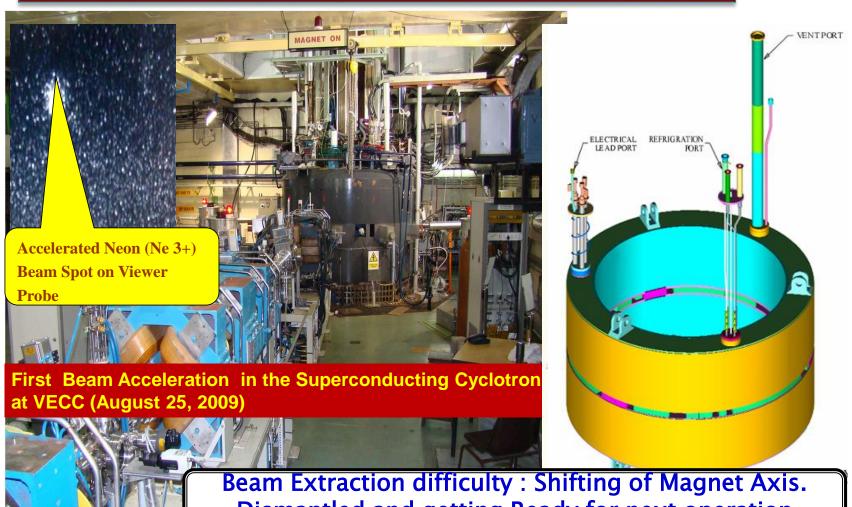
SC: Cu :: 1:20







K-500 Superconducting Cyclotron at KOLKATA with its Beam Line



Dismantled and getting Ready for next operation

INDIA CERN Collaboration AT RRCAT (INDIA) FOR LHC in 1995

Our Man power & Indian Industry was exposed and Trained with International Community



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Movement from SC Magnet to SC RF Cavity

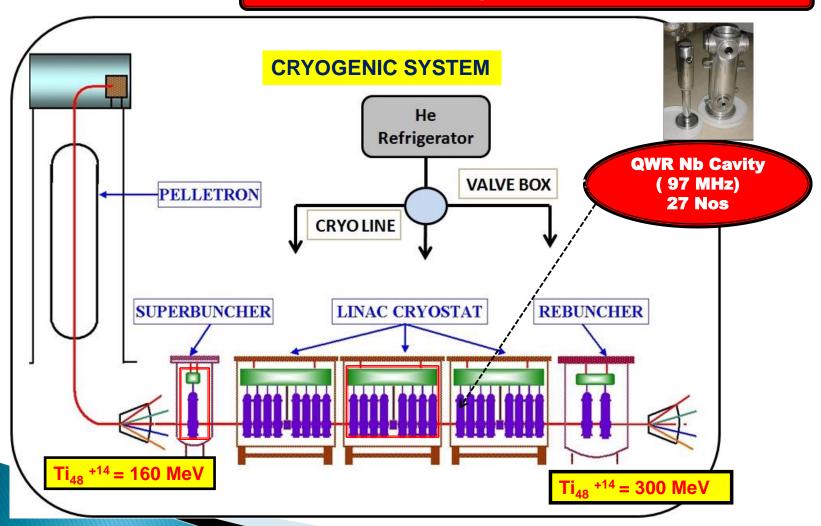
International Trend (LHC to ILC)

We also Followed it

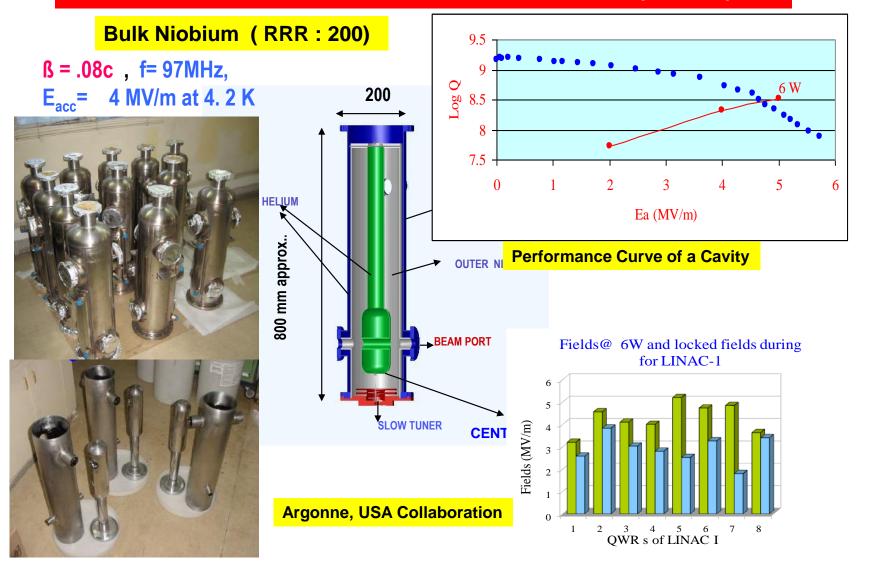


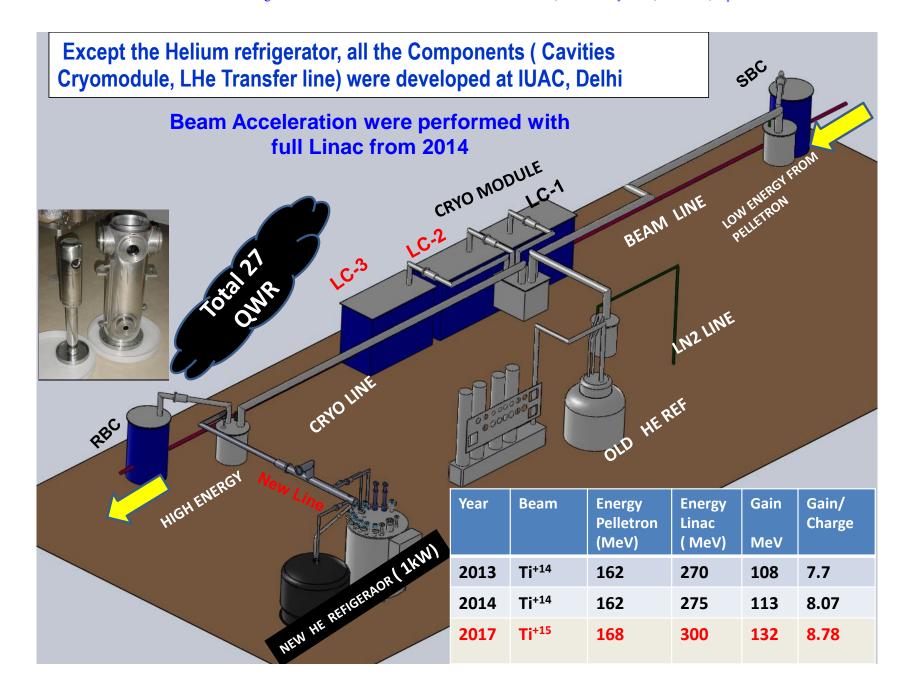
Superconducting Linear Accelerator at IUAC, DELHI

To increase the energy of Heavy ion from Pelletron



DELHI RF SUPERCONDUCTING CAVITY (QWR)

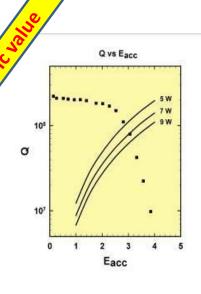




Lead Plating on Copper for TIFR RF Cavity Bulk Copper After Pb Plating









Quarter Wave Resonators Material: OFHC Cu Superconducting surface: 2 µm thick. Pb

Frequency: 150 MHz Cavity

Length 64 cm Cavity Diameter 20 cm

Design goal 2.5 to 3 MV/m @ 6 to 9 Watts

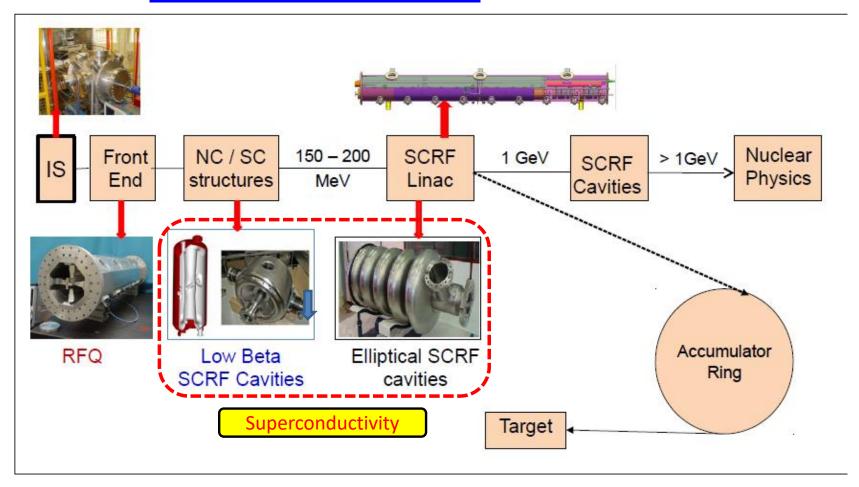
Now Replacing with Bulk Niobium Cavity

Courtesy: TIFR, Mumbai

High Energy Proton LINAC Based Spallation Neutron Source (RRCAT)

Collaboration between Fermi Lab & Indian Institutes

Ongoing/ Future



Courtesy: S C Joshi



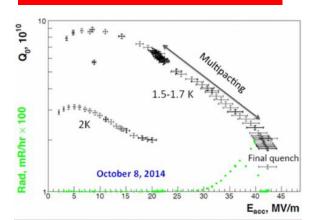
Surface Preparation Lab & EBW are Commissioned





E _{acc}= 20.3 MV/ m at 2 K = 42 MV/m at 1.6 K

Cavity





High Pressure Water Rinsing System



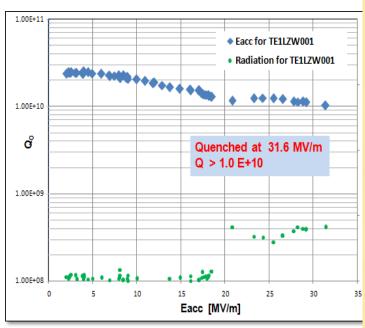
Courtesy: S C Joshi & P K Kush

World's FIRST 1.3GHz Laser Welded SCRF Cavity (RRCAT)



Advantage: No Vacuum, less capital cost. Low HAZ, Low Shrinkage & Distortion

Japan office grants patent for Laser Welding Technique developed at RRCAT



Courtesy: S C Joshi & Prashant Khare



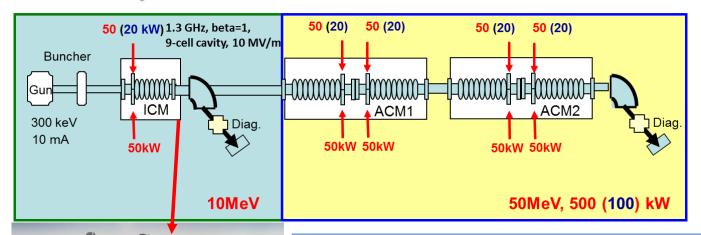
Superconducting Electron Linac for ANURIB

Ongoing/ Future

50 MeV, 100 kW cw; based on 1.3 GHz SRF technology Injector built in collaboration with TRIUMF Laboratory, Canada

Accelerator

Injector





Injector Cryomodule developed and Installed

Courtesy: Dr. V Naik



Niobium accelerating cavity

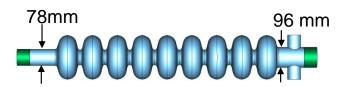
Cornell type (modified Tesla cavity to suit cw

Made by TRIUMF & M/s PAVAC, Canada

- ICM cavity
 - nine-cell cavity
 - End groups modified to accommodate two 50kW couplers
 - Cleaning, 120 μm BCP (TRIUMF), 800 deg C degassing at Fermilab



Parameter	Value	
Active length (m)	1.038	
RF frequency	1.3 GHz	
R/Q (Ohms)	1000	
Q_0	1e10	
E _a (MV/m)	10	
P _{cav} (W)	10	
P _{beam} (kW)	100	
Q _{ext}	1e6	
Q _L *R _d /Q of HOM	<1e6	



bare cavity

Courtesy: Dr. V Naik

SUMMARY ON RF SUPERCONDUCTING CAVITY

1990-2000:

Quarter Wave Cavity at TIFR & IUAC

Developed in India, $E_{acc} = 2.5$ to 6 MV/m f= 150 MHz, & 97 MHz





2010-2019:

Elliptical Cavity for Proton LINAC at RRCAT, BARC, VECC (Dept of Atomic Energy)

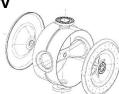
(Developed In India, Surface preparation and Testing at USA: > 30 MV/m, f = 1.3 GHz, 650 MHz)





Spoke Cavity and Low β cavity at IUAC For Project X at Fermi Lab and HCI at IUAC

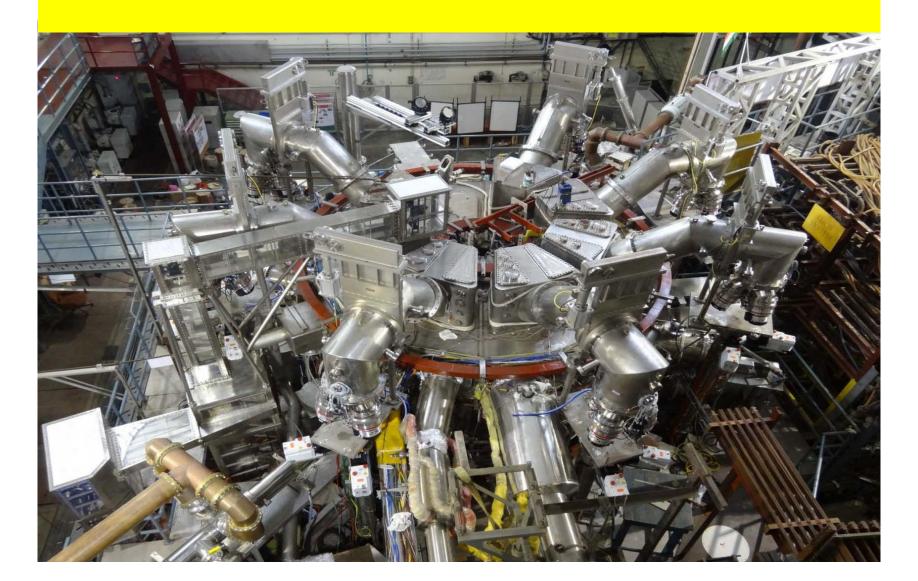
Delivered to Fermi Lab and Performance Satisfactory







Steady State Superconducting Tokamak (SST-1) developed at Institute for Plasma Research, Gandhinagar



SST-1 Tokamak

Machine Parameters

Major Radius 1.10 m

Minor Radius 0.20 - 0.25 m

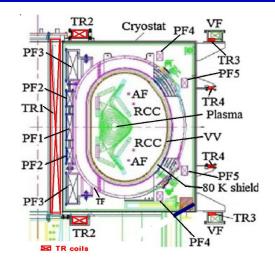
Parameters: Planned & Achieved

Parameters	Design value		Achieved (Maximum)	
	Phase-I	Phase-2	Recent Experiments	
Toroidal Field (T)	1.5	3	1.5 (tested @2.7)	
Plasma Current (kA)	110	220	~100	
Plasma Duration (ms)	100	1000	650	
Plasma configuration	Circular	Transitio n from Circular to shaped	Circular	
Plasma temperature (eV)	250	1000	250	

16 Toroidal Field Coils
9 Poloidal Field Coils

Operating Current: 10 kA

Cross-sectional view of SST-1 showing location of various Copper and Superconducting coils

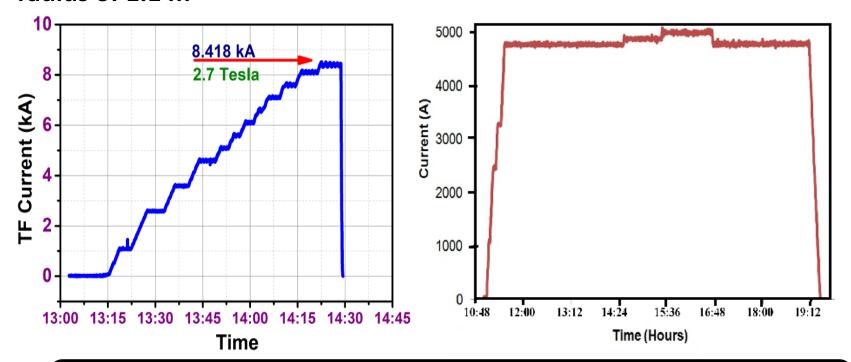




Performance of TF Magnets

TF magnets charged up to 8.4 kA at 5 K to produce 2.7 T at major radius of 1.1 m

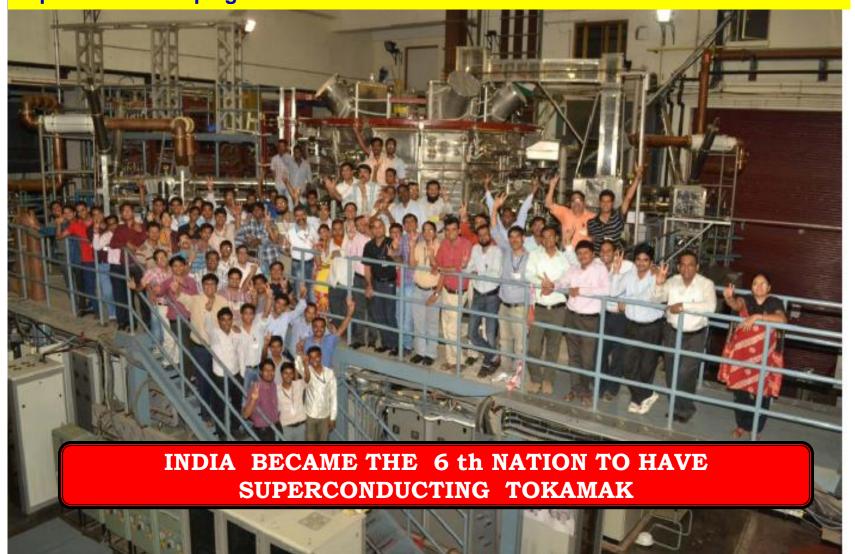
Long Pulse operation of TF magnets@ 1.5-1.6 T



Earlier CICC procured from Hitachi Cables. Now IPR and BARC together have developed their own Nb- Ti & Nb₃Sn CICC

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SST-1 device has achieved the mission objective of obtaining a plasma current in excess of 100 KA at a central field of 1.5 T on 21st February, 2016 during the 16th experimental campaign.





Scenario of Cryogenics (4.2 K and 20 K in India)

A. Space Cryogenics at 20 K and 80 K B. Helium Liquefier Development C. Cryoline for ITER

INDIAN SPACE RESEARCH ORGANISATION & CRYOGENICS

CRYOGENICS BECOAME HOUSEHOLD NAME IN INDIA BY NEWS
REPORT WHEN WE DENIED CRYOGENIC ENGINE
TECHNOLOGY BY RUSSIA In 1990

That Motivates to develop Cryogenic Engine in India

GSLV-D5, launched on 5 January 2014, was the first successful flight using the indigenously developed cryogenic engine, the CE 7.5 (Thrust 75 kN)





(Annotated Slide)

Indigenous Cryogenic Upper Stage is integrated with GSLV-D5 Second Stage



Fuel: Liquid Hydrogen (20 K) & Liquid Oxygen (90 K)

Fuel Mass: 12 Tons

Duration: 720 Sec

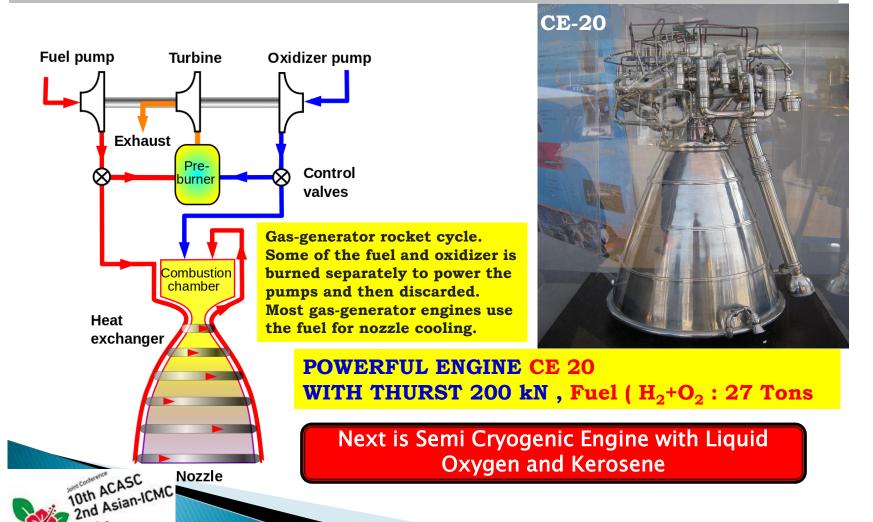
Thrust: 75 kN



First ISRO Cryogenic Engine CE 7.5

Three Stage (Solid, Liquid & Cryogenic) Launch Vehicle with Cryo Engine

Next CE 20 is the first Indian cryogenic engine to feature a Gas Generator Cycle. The high thrust cryogenic engine is one of the most powerful upper stage cryogenic engines in the world.



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India on July 22, 2019 Successfully Launched Second Lunar Mission Chandrayan- 2 by powerful rocket GSLV-MkIII with CE- 20 Cryo Engine on upper stage





In December, 2019, LPSC/ ISRO organised National Conference on Cryogenics for Space (NCCS2019) with total Delegates more than 300



Indigenous Helium Liquefier development In India

At RRCAT, Indore

At BARC, Mumbai





Capacity: 35 Litres/hr

Running Since 2010 (Started with 6 L/hr)



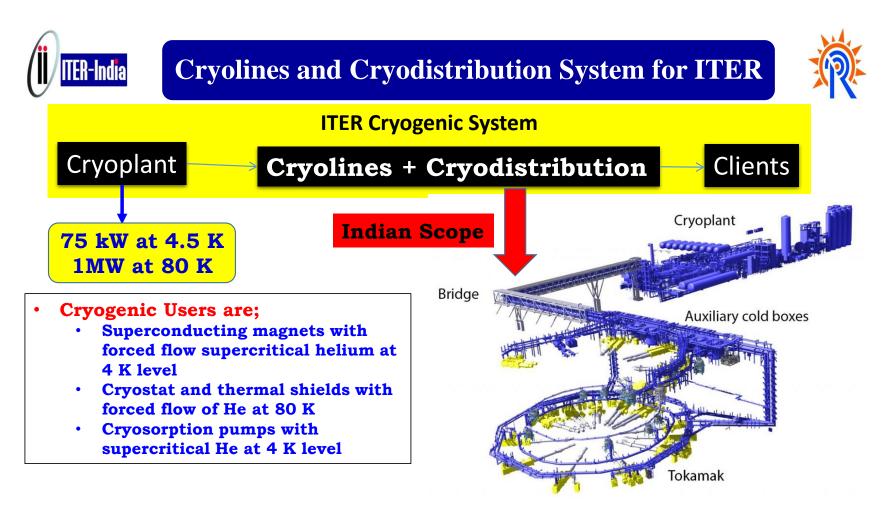
Turbine Based / Plate fin HX

Capacity: 20 litres/hr

Commissioned in 2015



Now Going for 1 kW class Refrigerator

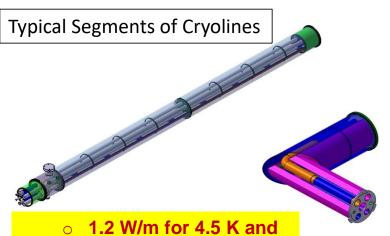


Indian scope: 4 km long cryolines, 7 km long warm lines, 7 cryodistribution boxes

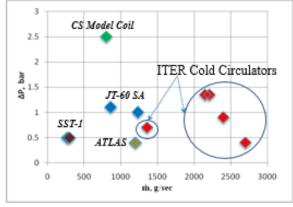


Main Features of ITER Cryolines





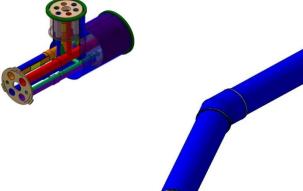
- 4.2 W/m for 80 K lines



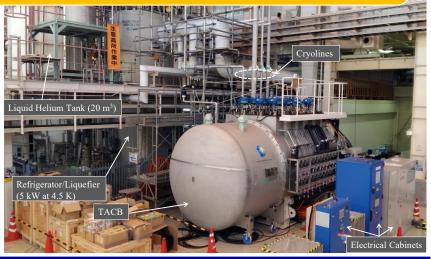


kg/s at 4.3k

IHI, Japan



Cold Circulator Performance Test at Japan Atomic Energy Agency, Japan



Prototype Cryoline Installation & Testing at IPR, India



Installation of Warm Lines at ITER, France



MRI INITIATIVE IN INDIA



- First MRI with Superconducting magnet in India in 1986 at INMAS
 - >Siemens Make 1.5 Tesla
- ▶ Present about 1200 MRI in India (one MRI per Million, Japan 50)
- >Projected MRI in India: 20000 in 2025

Collaborative R & D Project Initiated by

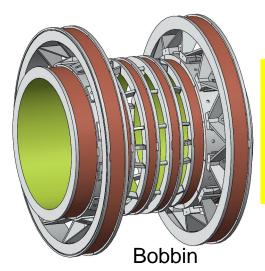
Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
On

Development of 1.5 T MRI

Collaborative Institutes

- 1. SAMEER, Mumbai
- 2. IUAC, New Delhi
- 3. CDAC, Trivandrum
- 4. CDAC- Kolkata
- 5. 5. Dayanand Sagar Institutions,
 Bangalore

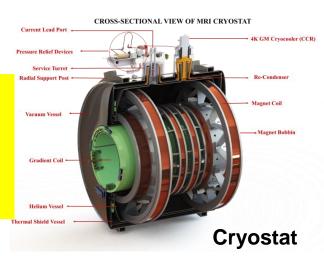
MRI DEVELOPMENT AT DIFFERENT STAGE at IUAC. Delhi

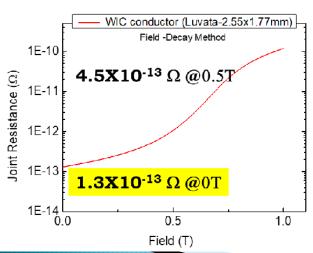


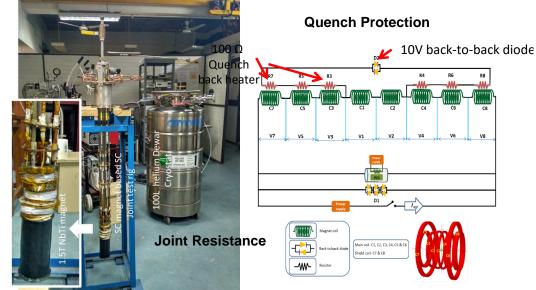
Total conductor length Primary 6 Coils – 30.87 Shield Coils - 17.94

Total (km) 48.81

Operating Current: 463 A









Small Scale Development with HTS

- 1. Superconducting Motors by BHEL
- 2. Superconducting Fault Current Limiter at IUAC
- 3. Superconducting Cable at IIT Kharagpur

Time ????

Summary



Over the last 30 years there is a significant growth of activity in the field of Applied Superconductivity & Cryogenics in India

- > Accelerator & Fusion Programme dominates along with Space Cryogenics & It will continue in Future
- ➤India's Participation in LHC and ITER in this field are significant. Hope for the same with ILC in Japan
- > Superconductivity (HTS & Cryo Cooler) for Power Application is yet to take the momentum in India
- > Under the banner Make in India, MRI development is under progress considering potential market in India
- We have a strong Academic base in Cryogenic Engineering



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