

# FREIA Facility for Research Instrumentation and Accelerator Development

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# Accelerator Physics at Uppsala University



#### Concentrating on microwave power (RF) and instrumentation ...

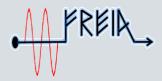
- Cyclotron (since 1948)
- CELSIUS storage & accelerator ring (1984 2006)
- Electron-positron linear collider development
  - CERN projects CTF3/CLIC & NorduCLIC
  - Two-beam Test Stand & RF breakdown issues
  - EU FP6-EuroTeV, FP7-EuCARD, FP7-TIARA
- Free electron laser development
  - FLASH Optical Replica Synthesizer,
  - XFFL Laser Heater
  - Stockholm-Uppsala FEL Centrum
- European Spallation Source development
  - microwave power systems
  - accelerating cavity & cryostat prototyping
  - cryomodule series acceptance testing







# Responsibility for ESS Accelerator



#### 1) Contribution to the technical design & construction effort

- design concept spoke accelerating cavity power source
- design concept radio-frequency (RF) power distribution
- survey test stand infrastructure and requirements
- study of upgrade scenarios RF systems for ESS power upgrade

#### 2) Development power station for spoke cavities

- soak test with water cooled load, then accelerating cavity, incl. controls
- collaboration with industry to develop vacuum tube and solid-state based prototypes

# 3) System test, power station with spoke cavity and cryostat-module

- fully dressed prototype cavity (in test cryostat)
- complete prototype module (2 spoke cavities)

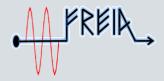
# 4) Acceptance test cryostat-modules (proposal submitted)

for all final modules before installation

Test Stand Matrix		f	Р	prototype				series			
				low power		high power		low power		high power	
		[MHz]	[kW]	where	when	where	when	where	when	where	when
P0	Cavities										
	ion source			LNS		LNS				on site	
	LEBT buncher	352	10	LNS?		LNS ?				on site	
	RFQ	352	1000	CEA		CEA				on site	
	MEBT			ESS-B?		ESS-B?				on site	
	DTL	352	2100	LNL		CERH (Lina	c4)			on site	
	double spoke	352	240	IPNO		UU	2014/5	??			
	medium beta	704	500	CEA		CEA		DESY ?			
	high beta	704	900	CEA		CEA		DESY ?			
P1	Couplers										
	double spoke	352	800	IPNO		CEA		55		??	
	medium beta	704	650	CEA ?		CEA		??		??	
	high beta	704	1200	CEA		CEA		55		55	
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P2	RF System										
	modulator		5600			ESS				ESS	
	NC linac	352	2800			ESS				ESS	
	double spoke	352	300		-	UU	2014			ESS	
	medium beta	704	600			ESS	2014			ESS	
	high beta	104	1200			ESS				ESS	
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P3	Cryomodule										
	double spoke	352	2x 300	IPNO		UU	2015/6	IPNO	(	UU	2017/8
	medium beta	704	4x650	CEA	-	CEA		CEA/ESS		ESS	
	high beta	704	4x1200					CEA/ESS		ESS	

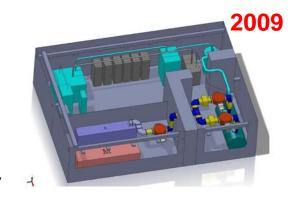


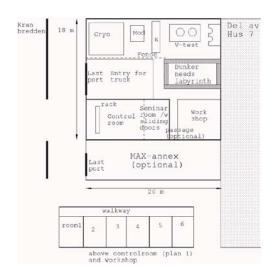
# Why FREIA?



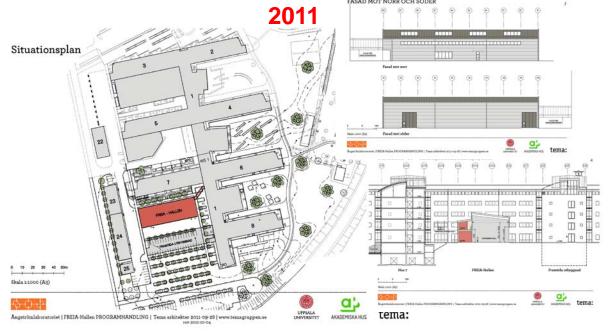
#### Several circumstances

- test stand needs large experiment space and bunker
- university's helium liquefier in need of replacement
   Decision on new construction at Ångström (2010)
- funding support from KAWS, government and university





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# **Construction Progress**







#### What FREIA?

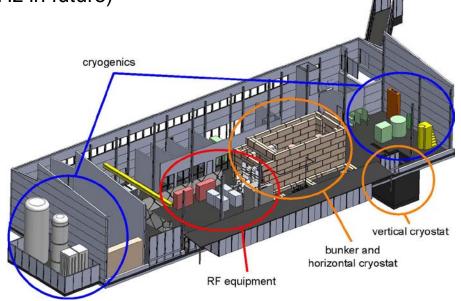


#### Facility for Research Instrumentation and Accelerator Development

- General Infrastructure
  - liquid helium, nitrogen production & distribution
  - specialized workshop, control room
  - concrete bunkers
- Accelerator & General Test Stands
  - horizontal test cryostat (vertical in future)
  - power sources: 352 MHz (704 MHz, 12 GHz in future)
- Neutron Generator
  - neutron tomography, detector tests
  - student exercises and projects





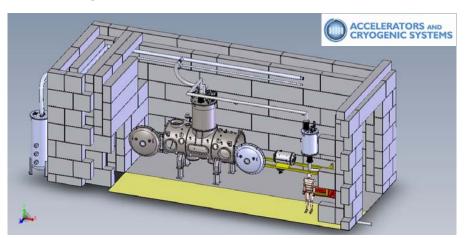


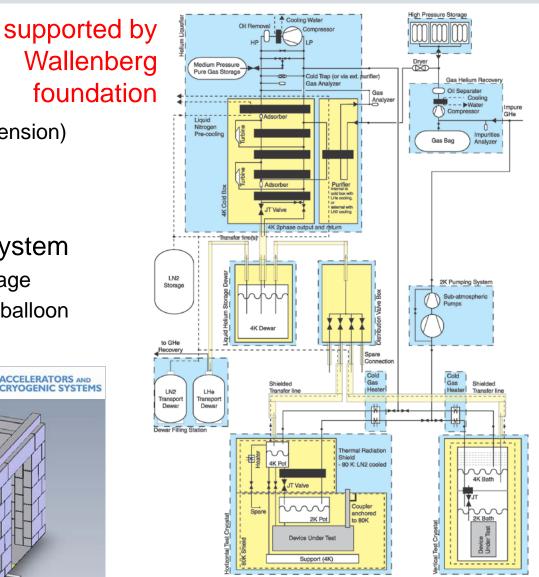


# FREIA Cryogenic Centre



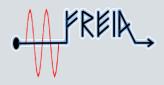
- Multiple users
  - external users (dewars)
  - horizontal test cryostat
  - vertical test cryostat (future extension)
- Liquid nitrogen
  - 20 m3 tank
- Helium liquefier & recovery system
  - 140 l/h peak at 4 K, 2000 l storage
  - 80 m3/h recovery, 100 m3 gas balloon
  - ~8 g/s, 80 W peak load at 2 K







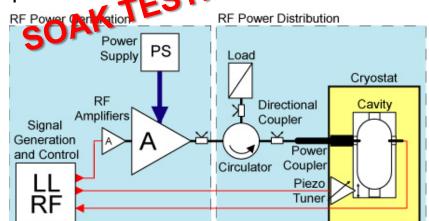
#### FREIA RF Power Station



#### ESS pre-series #1

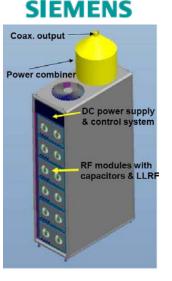
- 352 MHz, 400 kW pulsed
  - FREIA 2pc
  - ESS linac 28pc
- FREIA design based on TH595
  - -tender >350 kW (2012 design)
  - allowed alternative solutions
  - 12 offers: tetrode, IOT, solid-state

– TH595 solution most competitive



#### Solid-state R&D station

- 352 MHz, 400 kW pulsed
  - -FREIA 1pc
- Commercial design
  - 1 kW transistors
  - -8 kW modules
  - coaxial combiner





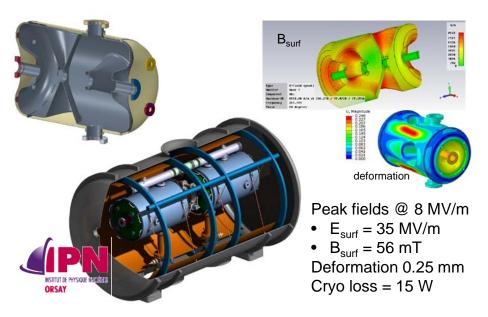
# **Approved Projects**



#### **ESS Accelerator**

# High power system test of source, spoke cavity and cryostat-module

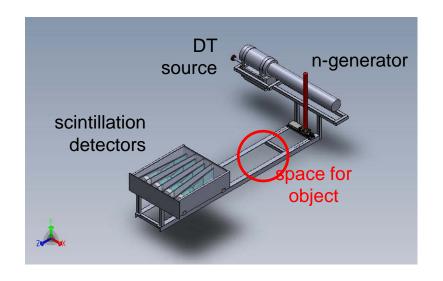
- high power soak testing of power source, controls, amplitude and phase stability with accelerating cavity
- test cavity tuning system, dynamic load, electron emission and multipactoring



#### **Neutron Generator**

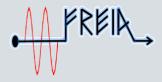
#### **Access to neutrons**

- neutron tomography and detector tests
- student exercises and projects
- physics experiments in combination with solid-state based gamma-detector
  - nuclear fission
  - activation analysis





## **Projects under Discussion**



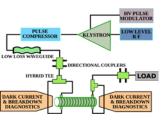
#### **SIGURD**

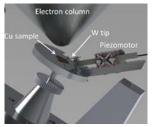
Set-up and Instrumentation for GHz Research and Development

#### **High Gradient RF research**

- compact high gradient accelerators (medical, FEL, particle collider)
- vacuum breakdown pattern, rate, relation to gradient, memory effects
- pulse heating, plasma formation, dark currents, breakdown currents
- post-mortem analysis of structures in SEM at Microstructure Lab
- link to theory developments (Helsinki University)





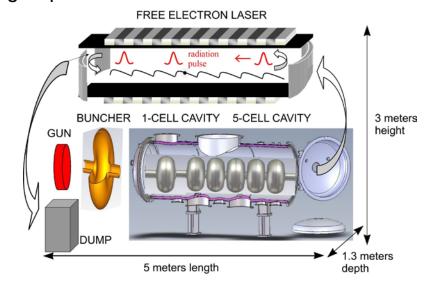


#### THz FEL

 THz radiation non-ionizing, strongly absorbed by water

#### **Biology and Material Science**

- imaging & spectroscopy for biological tissues, proteins, molecular and material science
- extends existing efforts by the Microwave group





## Spin-off from Uppsala Accelerator R&D



- Scanditronix
  - major supplier
    - cyclotrons 1970-80's
    - PETs 1980's
- GE Medical Systems
   PET and cyclotrons
  - former Scanditronix



- IBA Dosimetry
  - former Scanditronix Wellhöfer







- ScandiNova
  - high voltage pulse modulators





- Scanditronix Magnets
  - magnets





physics tools education, research, industry





# Summary



- FREIA is building a bridge between fundamental scientific research, applied physics and industry
- FREIA laboratory enables
  - accelerator R&D for medical and research purposes,
  - construction of ESS for biology and material science,
  - enlarged Cryo Centre
  - enlarged R&D space

 FREIA opens new opportunities for unique scientific projects in Uppsala



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