LC Damping Rings: Engineering Model and Vacuum System Design

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Outline

- In these slides, we describe progress with:
 - the engineering model for the Electron and Positron Damping Ring Periodic Arc Cells;
- The engineering design and vacuum studies will provide essential information for:
 - developing an improved cost estimate, and identifying cost drivers and potential for cost savings;
 - progressing design work for a range of subsystems, including magnets, magnet supports, conventional facilities, alignment...



Engineering model

- Work by John Lucas (STFC Technology)
- Developing a CAD model for mechanical integration of vacuum system, BPMs, magnets and supports.
- Goals:
- to demonstrate engineering feasibility of both the Electron & Positron Damping Ring Periodic Arc Cells;
 - to provide a basis for further design and beam dynamics studies and costing of vacuum, magnets, conventional facilities, etc.



Periodic Arc Cells





• Work has focused on developing the model for a Single Arc Cell (linear).

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• Tunnel Internal Diameter is 5 m.

Arc Cell Components





- Possibly one Gate Valve per 5 Arc Cells.
 - Gate Valve supports consist of one fixed and one sliding support.
 - Bellows allow for 4.5 mm/meter thermal expansion (NEG activation at 180 ℃).



Arc Cell Components Cont'd



Magnet & Supports – (Electron)





Magnet & Supports – (Positron)



Dipoles & Supports





Vessel Pumping Supports



Vacuum system: key features

- Vacuum chamber mostly consists of straight cylindrical tube.
 - Internal diameter 60mm, wall thickness 2mm.

Antechamber and cooling provided in dipoles.

- Intended to reduce build-up of electron cloud by reducing the number of photons in the main chamber.
- Dipole chamber will consist of extruded vessel with antechamber, welded to machined "taper" sections.
- A pumping port is included in antechamber downstream of dipole.



Vacuum Vessel Profiles



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Ante-Chamber Vessel



A.C. Tapered Vessel





Vacuum Vessel BPM Stations





Position Encoders

Ground Surfaces

- Fitted on all BPM Blocks.
- Reference Pillar provides reference points for the beam orbit.
- Position Encoders monitor any motion of BPMs from thermal or mech effects.



Summary: engineering model and vacuum design

- Significant progress has been made with the vacuum system design and engineering model for the arc cells.
- The model will provide essential information required for further design work (magnets, conventional facilities...) and beam dynamics studies (including electron cloud and ion effects).
- The next steps are clearly defined in the present plan:
 - 1. Complete the present engineering model for the arc cell.
 - 2. Provide technical designs of vacuum system components for beam dynamics studies.
 - 3. Make preliminary cost estimate of vacuum system, to identify cost drivers and to highlight areas for potential cost savings.
 - 4. Commence design work for long straight sections.

