## Measurements at NLCTA of

## Single Cell Breakdown Rate Dependence on Gradient and Pulse Heating

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1C-SW-A3.75-T2.60-Cu6N-KEK Structure Parameters		
Parameters	Unit	Value
Frequency	GHz	11.427 (Nitrogen, 20 °C)
Cells		1+matching cell + mode launcher
Q (loaded)		4660
Coupling		0.97
Iris Thickness T	mm	2.6
Iris Dia. a / λ	%	14.4
Phase Advance Per Cell	deg	180
$E_s/E_a$		2.03
Maximum surface electric field for 10 MW	MV/m	399
Maximum surface magnetic field for 10 MW	A/m	6.7e5
Peak pulse heating for 1 µs pulse with flat field of 100 MV/m	°C	24

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#### **RF Processing History During First 100 Hours**



Detect breakdown from the large current produced (> 0.8 on above scale)



### Measurement Points: Vary Either Pulse Heating or Gradient

![](_page_6_Figure_1.jpeg)

#### Breakdown Study with Constant Gradient but Different Pulse Heating from the Pre-Fill 'Warm-up'

![](_page_7_Figure_1.jpeg)

**Breakdown Rate for Fixed Gradient** 

![](_page_8_Figure_1.jpeg)

Comparison of these results with those from a similar structure (same  $a/\lambda$ ) tested at the Klystron Test Lab where the pulse shape was fixed so the gradient varies with pulse heating

![](_page_9_Figure_1.jpeg)

#### Breakdown Study with Constant Pulse Heating

![](_page_10_Figure_1.jpeg)

Time (ns)

#### Breakdown Rate for Fixed Peak Pulse Heating

Flat top = 160 ns

![](_page_11_Figure_2.jpeg)

![](_page_12_Figure_0.jpeg)

Blue for the 1<sup>st</sup> test and Red for the 2<sup>nd</sup> test.

#### Breakdown Rate with Varying Gradient and Pulse Heating

![](_page_12_Figure_3.jpeg)

# Breakdown Data for a 5-Cell L-band Standing Wave Cavity Running at 13.5 MV/m, 5 Hz with up to 1 ms Pulse Lengths

![](_page_13_Figure_1.jpeg)

### **Damage to Single Cell Irises**

![](_page_14_Picture_1.jpeg)

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#### A Coaxial Two Mode Cavity is Being Designed to Study E and B Effects Somewhat Orthogonally

A coaxial cavity resonant with 11.424 GHz TEM<sub>3</sub> and TE<sub>011</sub> would be excited by two rf sources, one coupling to each mode.

The high E field on the center conductor is determined solely by the  $TEM_3$  excitation, with the peaks at the zero points of the H field.

Adding TE<sub>011</sub> increases the H field, preferentially around the central E field lobe.

![](_page_15_Figure_4.jpeg)

### COUPLING:

**TEM<sub>3</sub>** can be magnetically coupled through slots in an end wall to the sides of the broad wall of a WR90 waveguide.

 $TE_{011}$  can be magnetically coupled through radial slots in the other end wall to the narrow wall of a WR62 waveguide (for increased  $\lambda_g$ ).

![](_page_16_Figure_3.jpeg)

#### SOME NUMBERS:

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![](_page_17_Figure_2.jpeg)

Due to their narrow resonances, it's difficult, even in simulation, to tune for both modes.

Separate fine-tunable sources are desirable for this as well as to vary relative amplitude.