# Horn Stripline Feedthrough for He Vessel

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# Introduction

#### T2K Horns

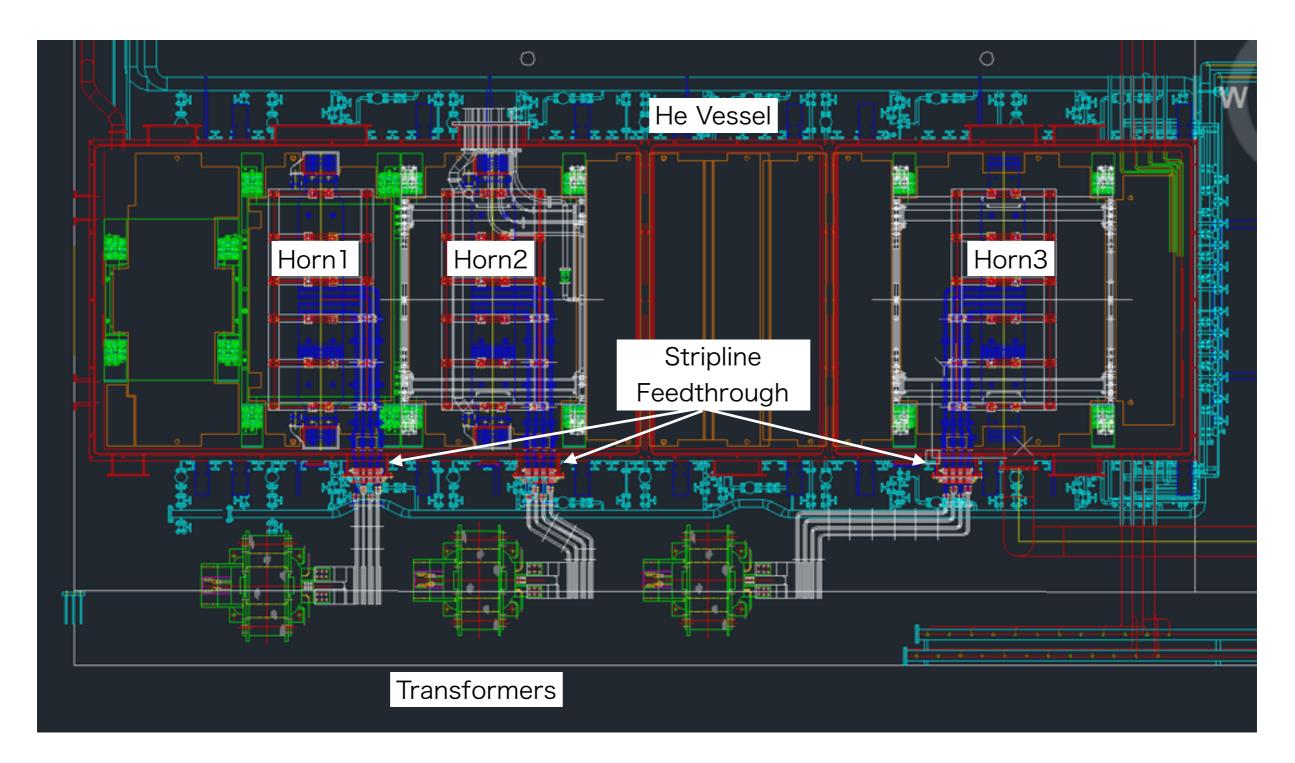
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- Operated at 320 kA with ~2ms pulse width
- 32 kA current generated at PS and increased to 320 kA by transformer located outside and just near He Vessel

#### Striplines

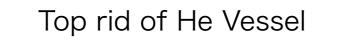
- made of A6061-T6, same as horn material
- · 8 parallel plates (4 for supply and 4 for return)  $\Rightarrow$  a plate carries 80 kA current
- Size of the plates is 12mm-thick and 60cm-wide.
  - · Feedthrough part has 50cm width due to a narrow space.

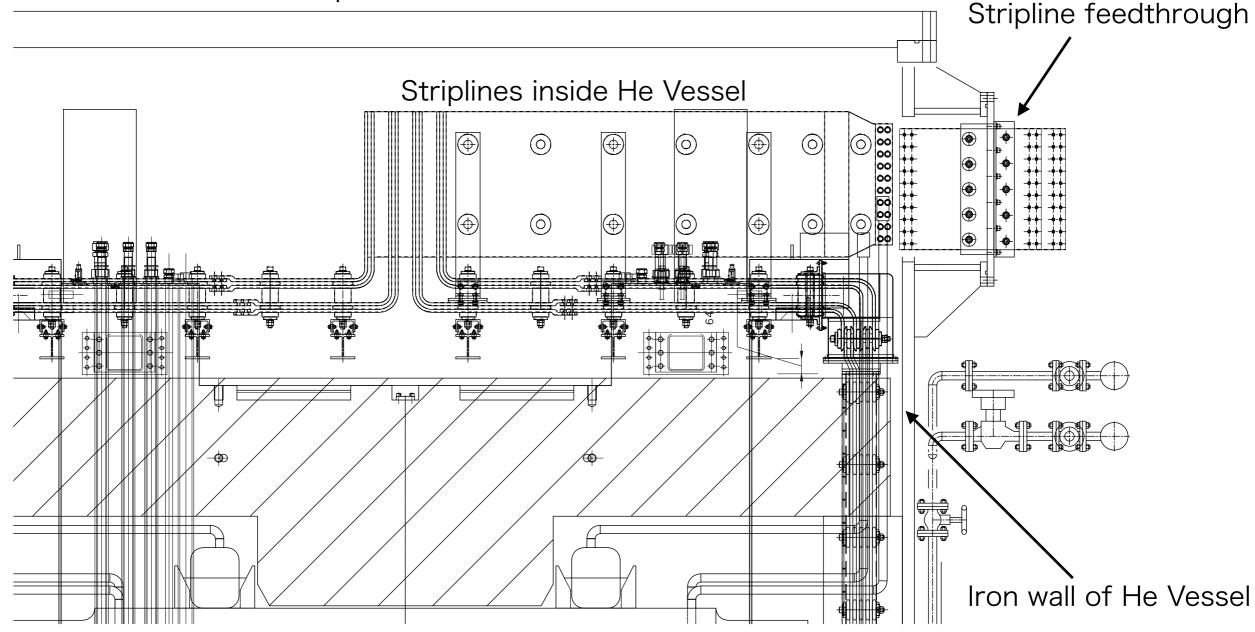
# Actual Layout (Top View)



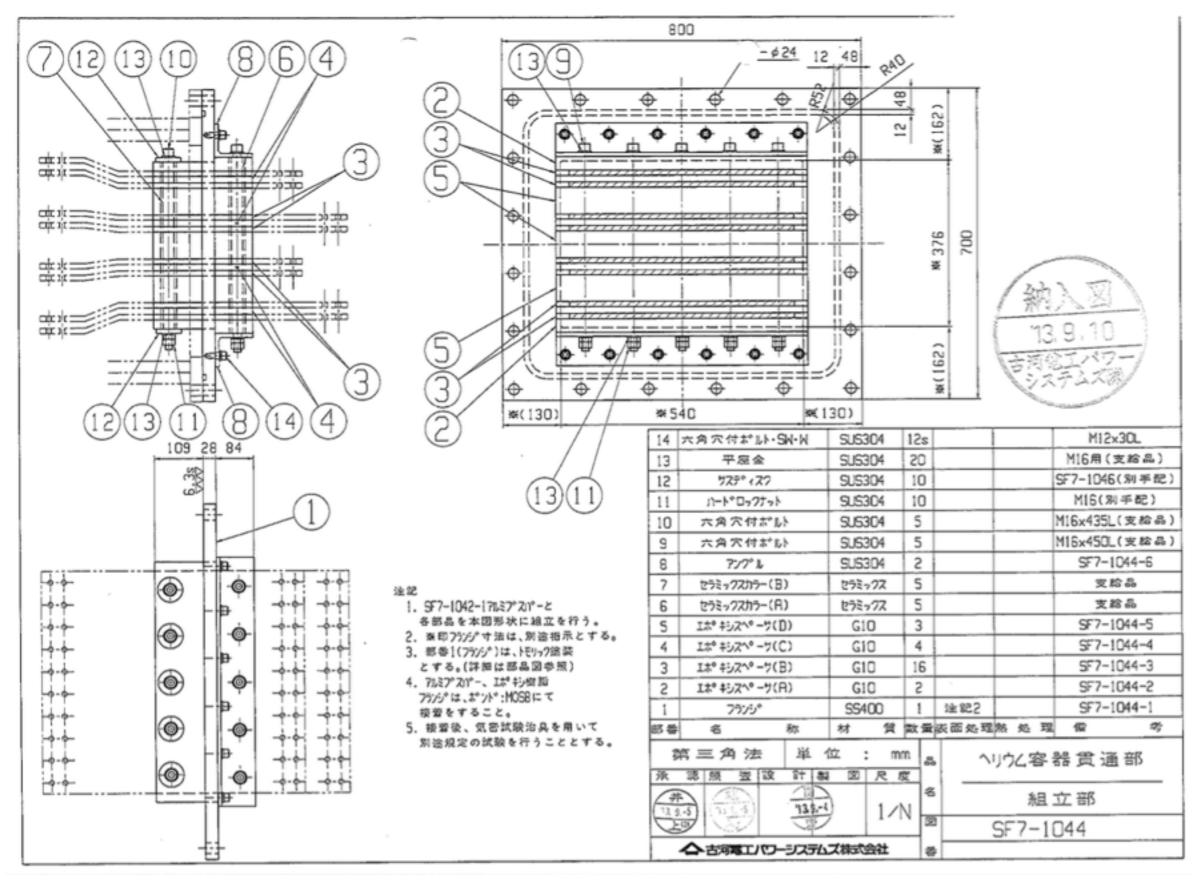
Proposed layout (striplines/transformers will be upgraded in 2018)

### Actual Layout (Side View)

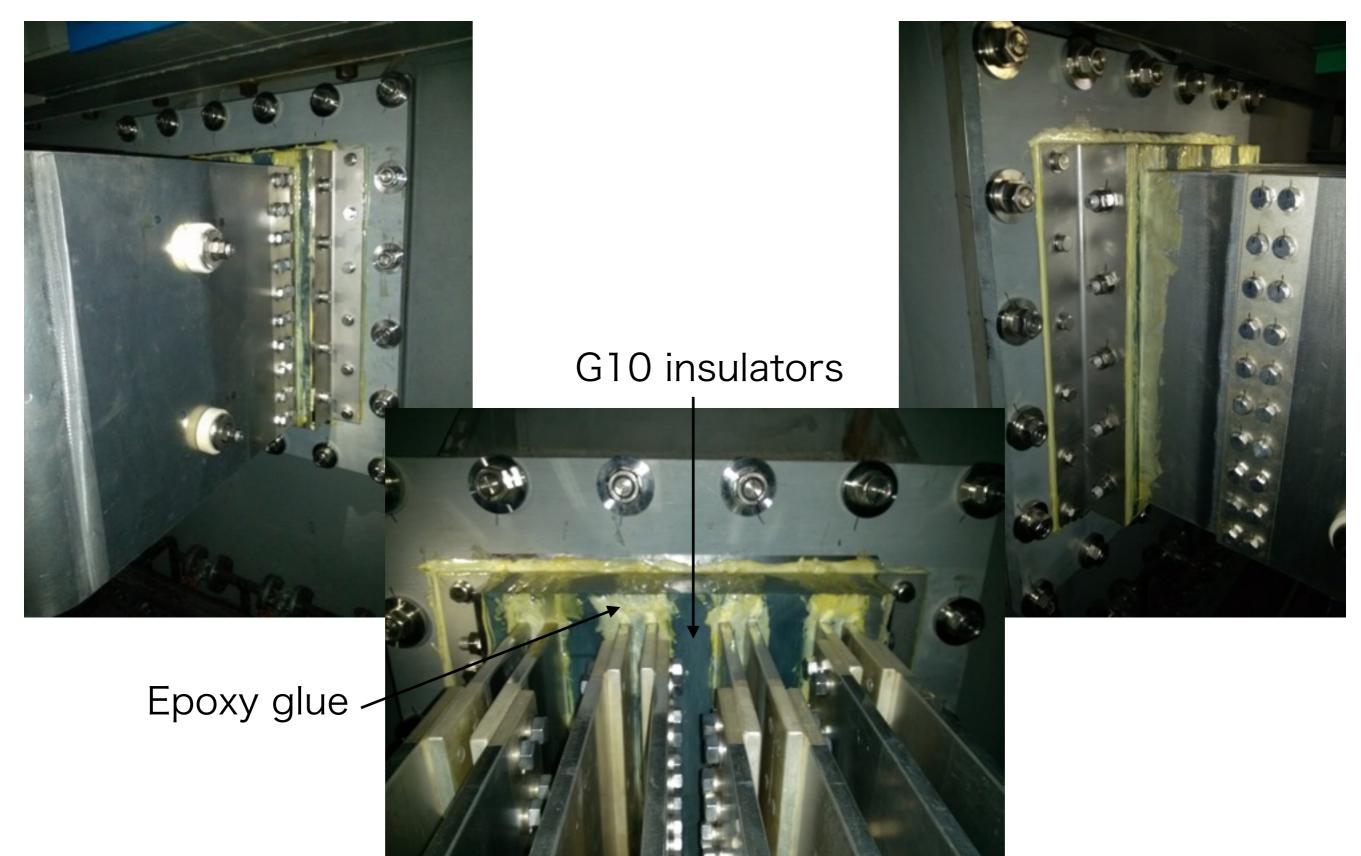




### Feedthrough



#### Pictures



# Specification

- Striplines
  - 50cm width
  - · 15mm minimum gap between striplines
- · Insulation
  - · G10 spacers
- · Sealing
  - · Sealing by epoxy glue for stripline part
  - · Vacuum test @ 100 Pa
  - EPDM O-ring for iron flanges
- Radiation environment
  - · at most ~1kGy/year  $\Rightarrow$  radiation tolerance of O(MGy)

### Status

#### · Helium leakage

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- At one feedthrough out of three, there is a tiny leakage which may be due to an initial manufacturing failure.
  - But this doesn't cause any problem so far.
- Other feedthroughs totally work very well for more than two years operation over 8 million pulses.