## Update of 201 MHz Cavity Activities

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## Study of MP of 201 MHz Cavity in MICE Cooling Channel

- Previous numerical simulation studies show potential MP problems in RF coupler region
  - Assuming constant B field with an angle
- Recent progress: collaboration with SLAC (Dr. Lixin GE) using ACE3P suite
  - Using real MICE field map of the cooling channel
  - Simulation model using as-built 201-MHz cavity, coupler and curved Be windows
  - MP simulations and explorations studies of RF coupler
  - Searching for possible solutions for improvements

### **Accelerator Modeling with Suite ACE3P**

**Meshing** - **CUBIT** for building CAD models and generating finite-element meshes <u>http://cubit.sandia.gov</u>

**Modeling and Simulation** – SLAC's suite of conformal, higher-order, C++/MPI based parallel finite-element electromagnetic codes <a href="https://slacportal.slac.stanford.edu/sites/ard">https://slacportal.slac.stanford.edu/sites/ard</a> public/bpd/acd/Pages/Default.aspx

ACE3P ( <u>Advanced</u> <u>Computational</u> <u>Electromagnetics</u> <u>3P</u> )		
Frequency Domain:	Omega3P	– Eigensolver (damping)
	S3P	– S-Parameter
<u>Time Domain</u> :	тзр	- Wakefields and Transients
Particle Tracking:	Track3P	<ul> <li>Multipacting and Dark Current</li> </ul>
EM Particle-in-cell:	Pic3P	– RF guns & klystrons
<u>Multi-physics</u> :	TEM3P	– EM, Thermal & Structural effects

**Post-processing** - **ParaView** to visualize unstructured meshes & particle/field data <a href="http://www.paraview.org/">http://www.paraview.org/</a>

## Example: MP Analysis using Track3P

- Track3P: 3D parallel high-order finite-element particle tracking code for dark current and MP simulations
  - High Accuracy
  - High Performance
- MP simulations using Track3P have been carried out for many accelerator structures successfully
  - Benchmarked with experiments: TTFIII coupler, Tesla, ...
  - Predicted MP barriers: ICHIRO Cavity, Crab cavity, BNL SRF Gun, ...
  - Helped to improve accelerator designs: FRIB Half/Quarter Wave resonator, Muon Cooling Cavity, ...



MP in FRIB Quarter Wave Resonator



### Track3P Already Has Features that can be applied for MAP MP Study

#### • External Magnetic Field

Magnetic insulation: design cavity surface to follow external magnetic field lines



Particles moving with external magnetic field

805 MHz Magnetic Insulated Cavity



Can apply DC BIAS voltage

Suppressing electron MP on TTF III coupler by DC Bias has been studied by Track3P





## **ACE3P Simulation Model**

- Field map of MICE cooling channel
- 201 MHz RF cavity and coaxial loop coupler
- Different **B** field at each cavity and coupler
- Exploration of coupler design









# **APEX RF Coupler Update**

- CW (100 kW) coaxial loop coupler at LBNL
  - Photo RF electron-gun
  - Used MICE coupler previously
    - MP observed
  - New coupler
    - Removed the flat Cu support piece
    - Shorter coaxial line
    - No MP was observed







APEX new coupler

## Preparation for the 201 MHz Cavity Testing at MTA, Fermilab

#### Using the single cavity vacuum vessel





Fabrication of tuner actuator at LBNL



# **Cryostat Fabrication**

- Materials ordered and arrived LBNL
- New Water Jet machine ready for fabrication
  - Machining starts end of March
- New Al welder
  - Certification ready by end of March
  - Welding starts early April 2013
- Cryostat drawings will be updated as-built
- Cryostat to be finished by July 2013

## Coupling Coil Cold Mass Support Bracket Fabrication

- Current status:
  - 4 base plates finished
  - 4 of 8 cold end ears complete

- 4 side plates need to be fabricated
  - 80 hours of work left
  - E-beam welding: \$725 /ea

