



Superferric Magnets

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- Superferric magnets
 - What are they? Why use them?
- Selected examples
 - HE physics, precision experiments, light sources...
- High Order correctors, the first superferric magnets in LHC
 - Why superferric?
 - How they are designed and built
 - Do they perform?
- How can we use superferric magnets in future

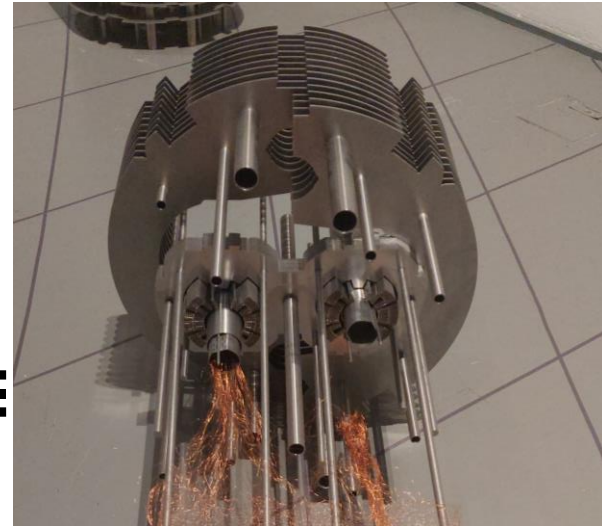
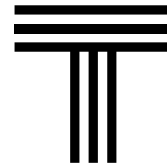
Magnet

- Magnetic field
- Shape
- Volume



Superferric

- Superconducting
- Iron geometry strongly affects the field shape



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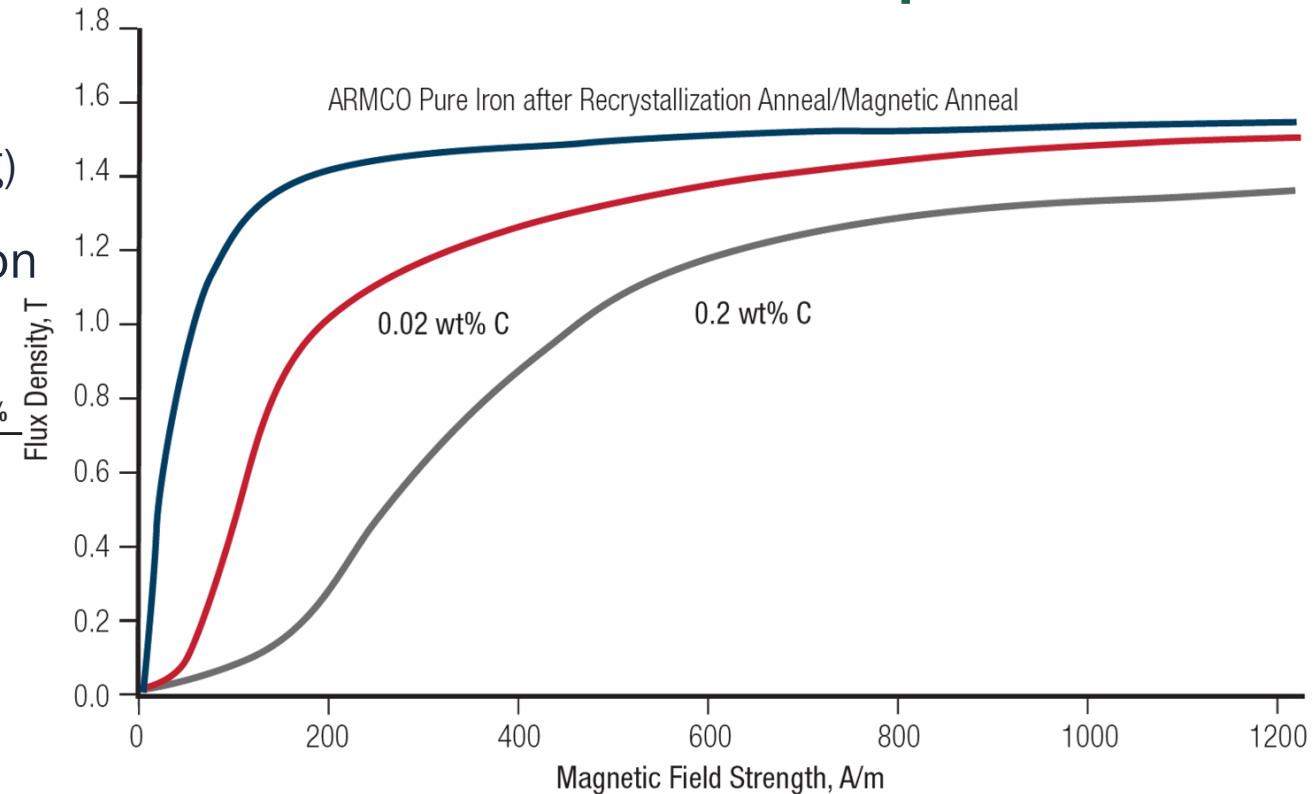
PURE IRON 99.85% low impurities

- Low mechanical properties wrt low carbon steel
- Excellent magnetic properties (zero crossing)
 - Sensitive to impurities and deformation (machining)
- Improved resistance against corrosion and oxidation in comparison to normal steels
- Good cold forming capability
- Ideally suitable for welding
- Small deformation with temperature

GRADE 4

Composition		Max. Analysis %
Carbon	(C)	0.010
Manganese	(Mn)	0.060
Phosphorus	(P)	0.005
Sulfur	(S)	0.003
Nitrogen	(N)	0.005
Copper	(Cu)	0.030
Cobalt	(Co)	0.005
Tin	(Sn)	0.005

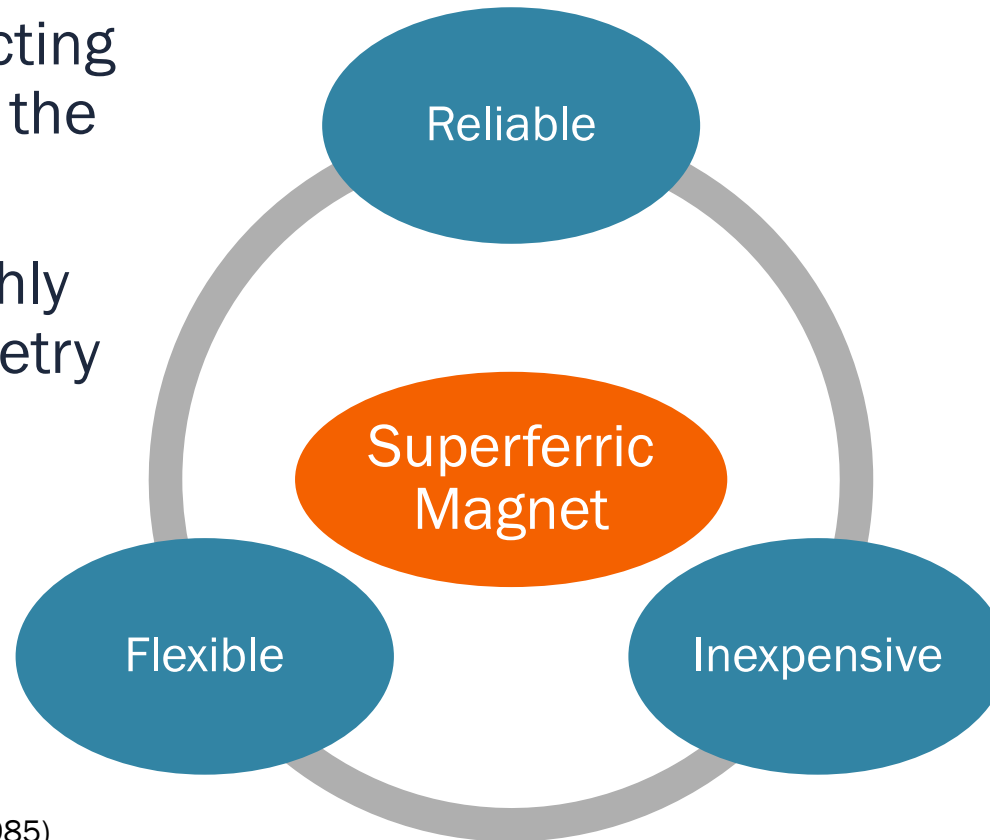
Oversimplification Zero field crossing Add one tesla to the pole field



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Superferric design is characterized by a close coupling of the superconducting coil to the iron flux return of the magnet.

The shape of the field is highly influenced by the iron geometry



Two regimes

Ferric	$B < M$	$\mu \sim \infty$
Superferric	$B > M$	$\mu = 1$

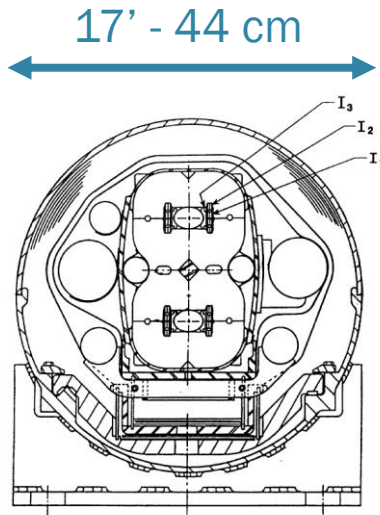
Two different optimizations

- Tradeoff for field quality at different fields
- Single regime use

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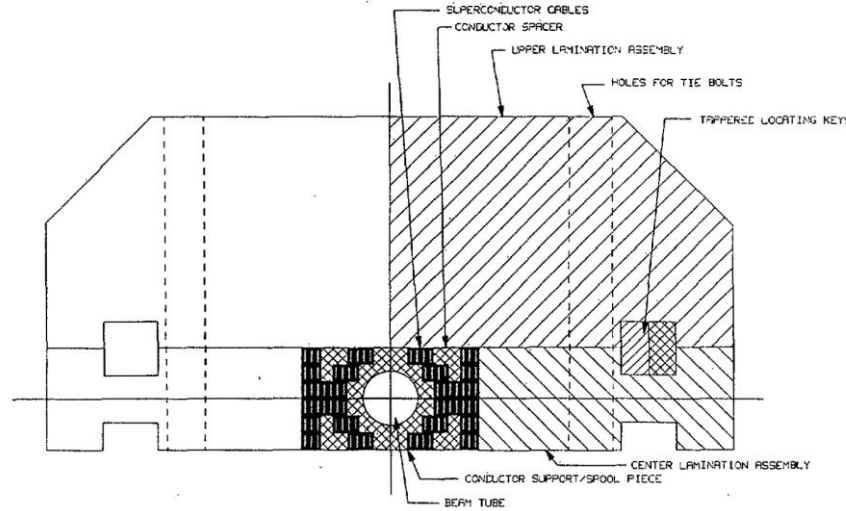
Superferric magnets for beamline and synchrotron



3 T
compact

Figure 2: The 2-in-1 3 Tesla superferric magnet is enclosed in a vacuum chamber of 16 3/4" O.D. The iron is 1/16" laminations. The two magnet channels are magnetically independent. The gap of the magnet is 1 inch. The good field is greater than 2 cm diameter. The support in the figure is made of 2 concentric fiberglass cones, one between 10°K and 80°K and the other between 80°K and 300°K. There is a support every 24 feet. The small pipes are for liquid helium and nitrogen and the larger ones for helium gas. Sixty layers of superinsulation are between 80°K and 300°K.

W. Xie et al., IEEE Tr. In Magnetics VOL. MAG-23, NO. 2 (1987)
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6.5 T dual coils

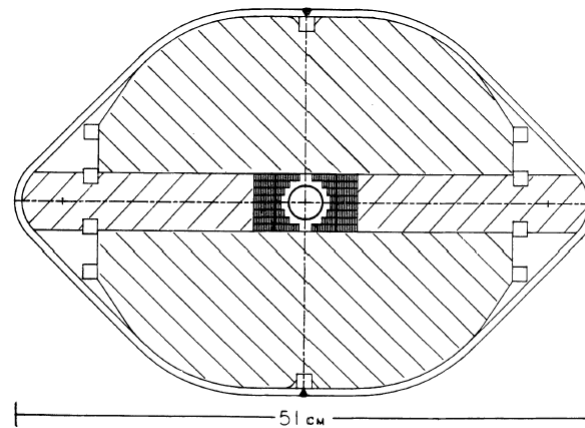


FIGURE 1 Cross-section of two-mode superferric magnet.

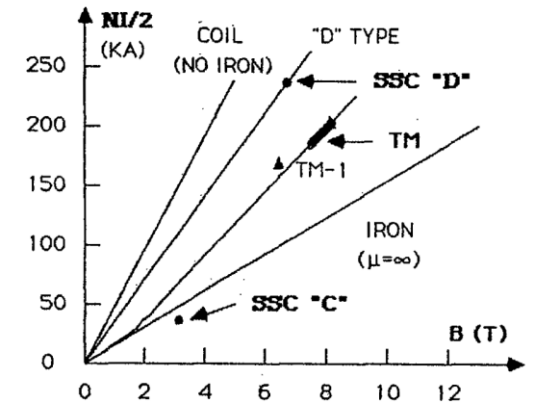


Fig. 4: Quadrant ampere-turns $NI/2$ for several types of magnets. SSC "D" has 2 cm inner coil radius. The gap in the iron for SSC "C" is 2.54 cm, TM is 4 cm and TM-1, 4.8 cm. The Ampere-turns for ...

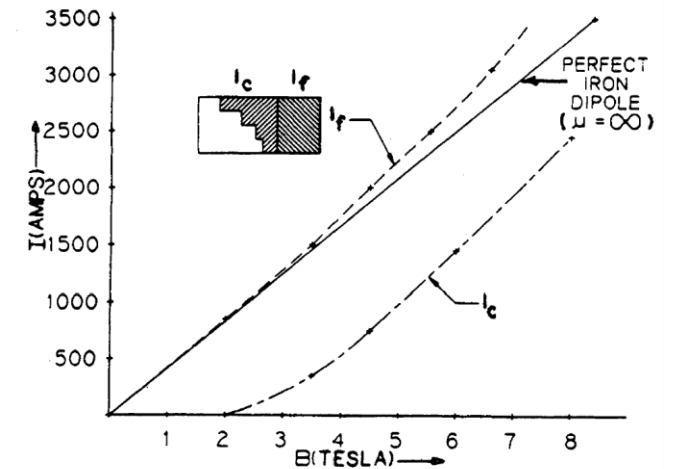
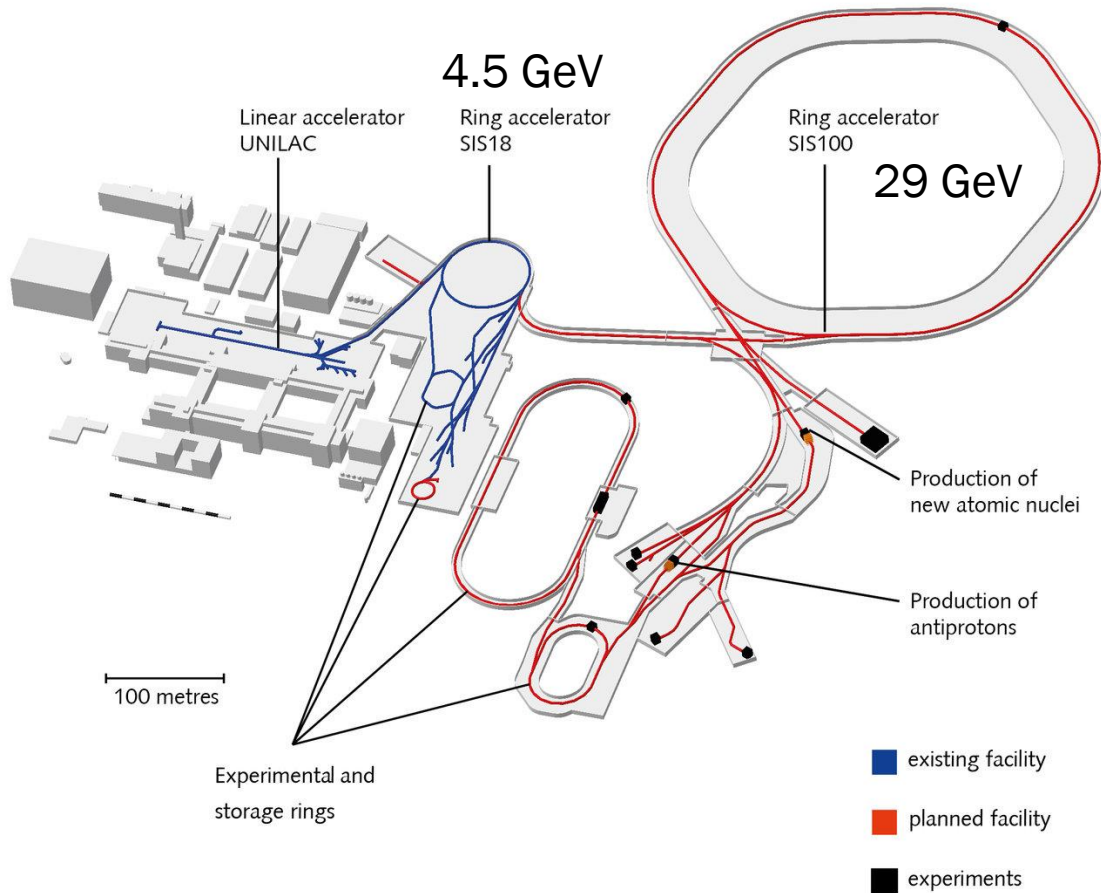


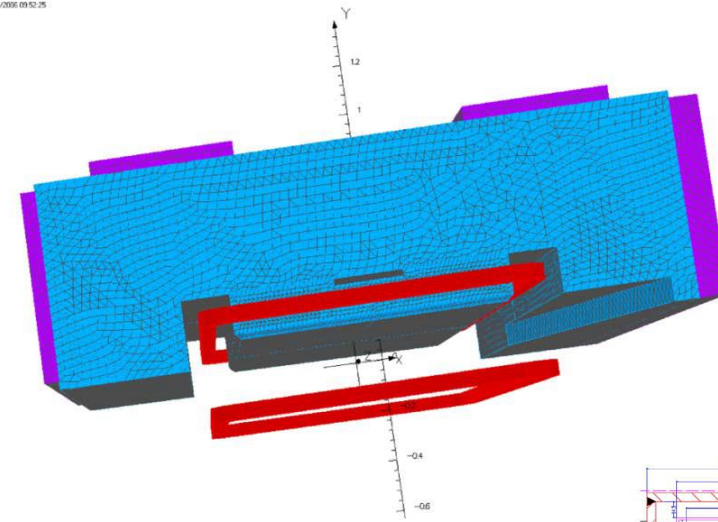
FIGURE 2 Calculated current programming of the two coil segments.



- SIS fast ramped Ring Accelerator (4 T/s)
- When the accelerated ions impact a material sample, antiprotons or special isotopes
- The Super-FRS is a two-stage fragment separators, that uses the $B\rho$ - ΔE - $B\rho$ method, in which the analysis of the magnetic rigidity ($B\rho$) is combined with the energy loss in a specially shaped degrader (ΔE)
- Extensive use of superferric magnets

Prototype of the Superferric Dipoles for Super-FRS

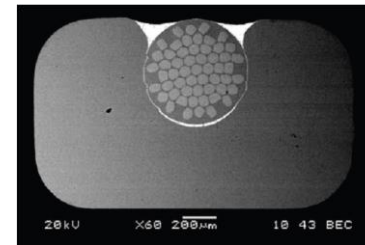
- In the target area resistive magnets due to high radiation dose
- For the dipoles also a normal conducting solution could come into consideration. Here the enormous **power consumption** of a conventional dipole leads to the decision of using superconducting coils.



H-type iron yoke
Max field 1.6 T



Racetrack coils
NbTi conductor
Coils cooled by LHe

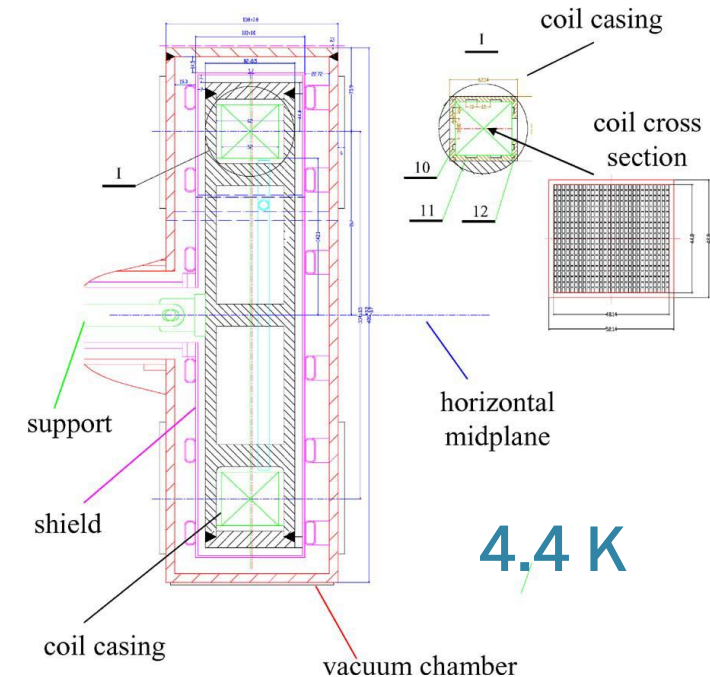


Integral field quality (relative)

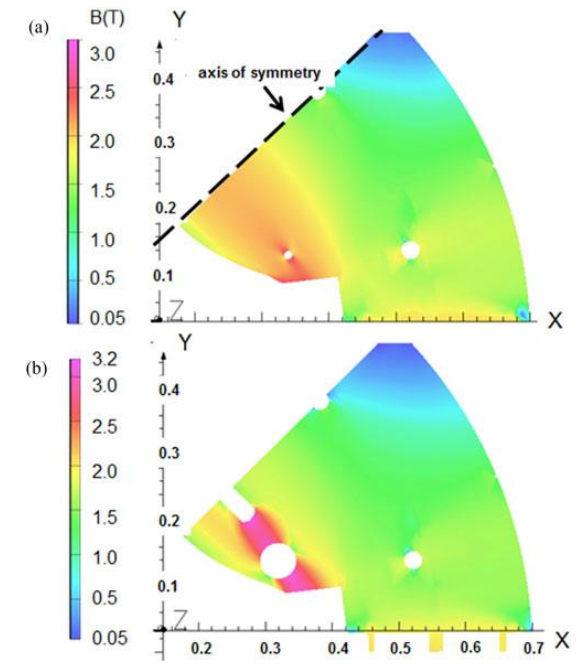
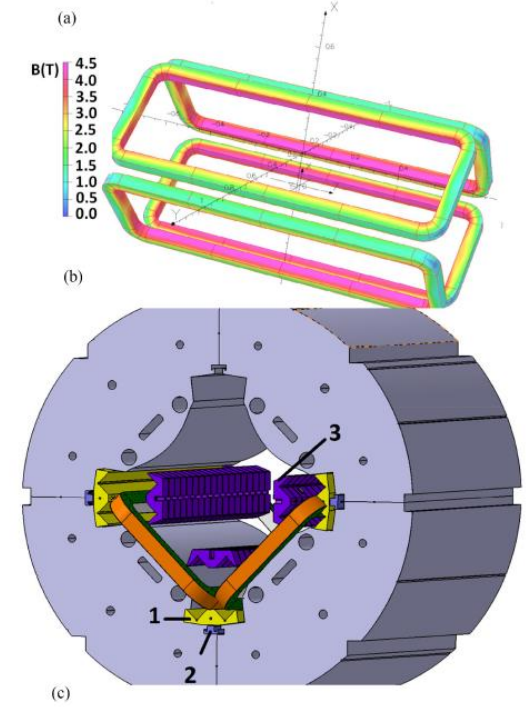
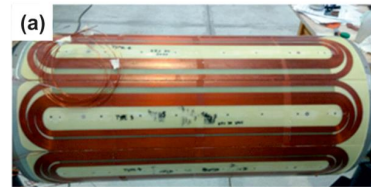
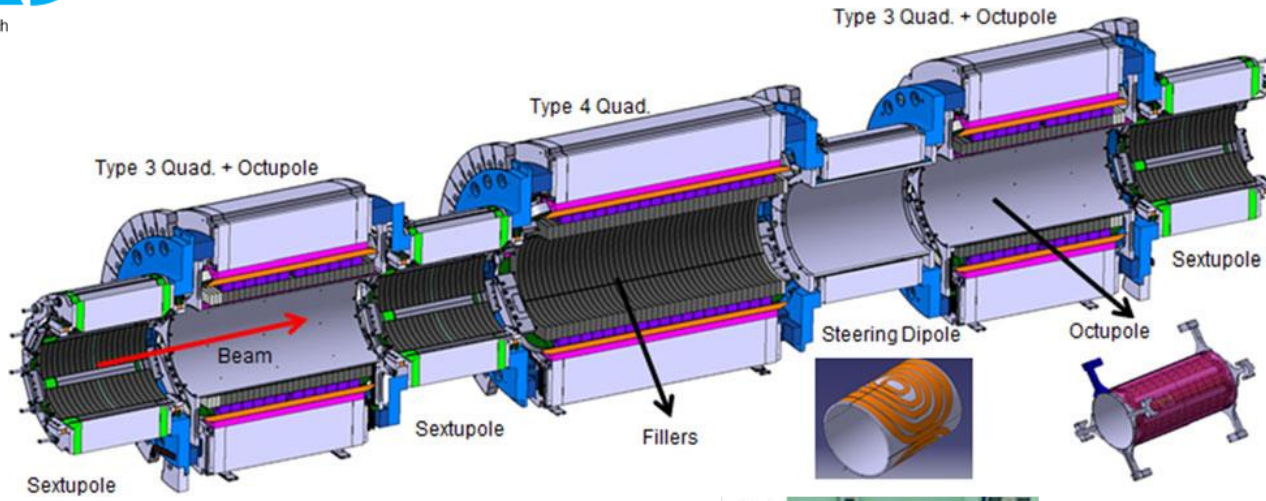
$$\frac{\Delta(\int Bdl)}{\int Bdl}$$

for $B=0.15$ to 1.2 T: $\pm 3 \cdot 10^{-4}$
and for
 $B=1.2$ T to 1.6 T: $\pm 1 \cdot 10^{-4}$

H. Leibrock et al., IEEE Tr. Appl. Sup, VOL. 20, NO. 3 (2010)
P. Szwarzgruber et al., Physics Procedia 36 (2012) 872 – 877 (2012)
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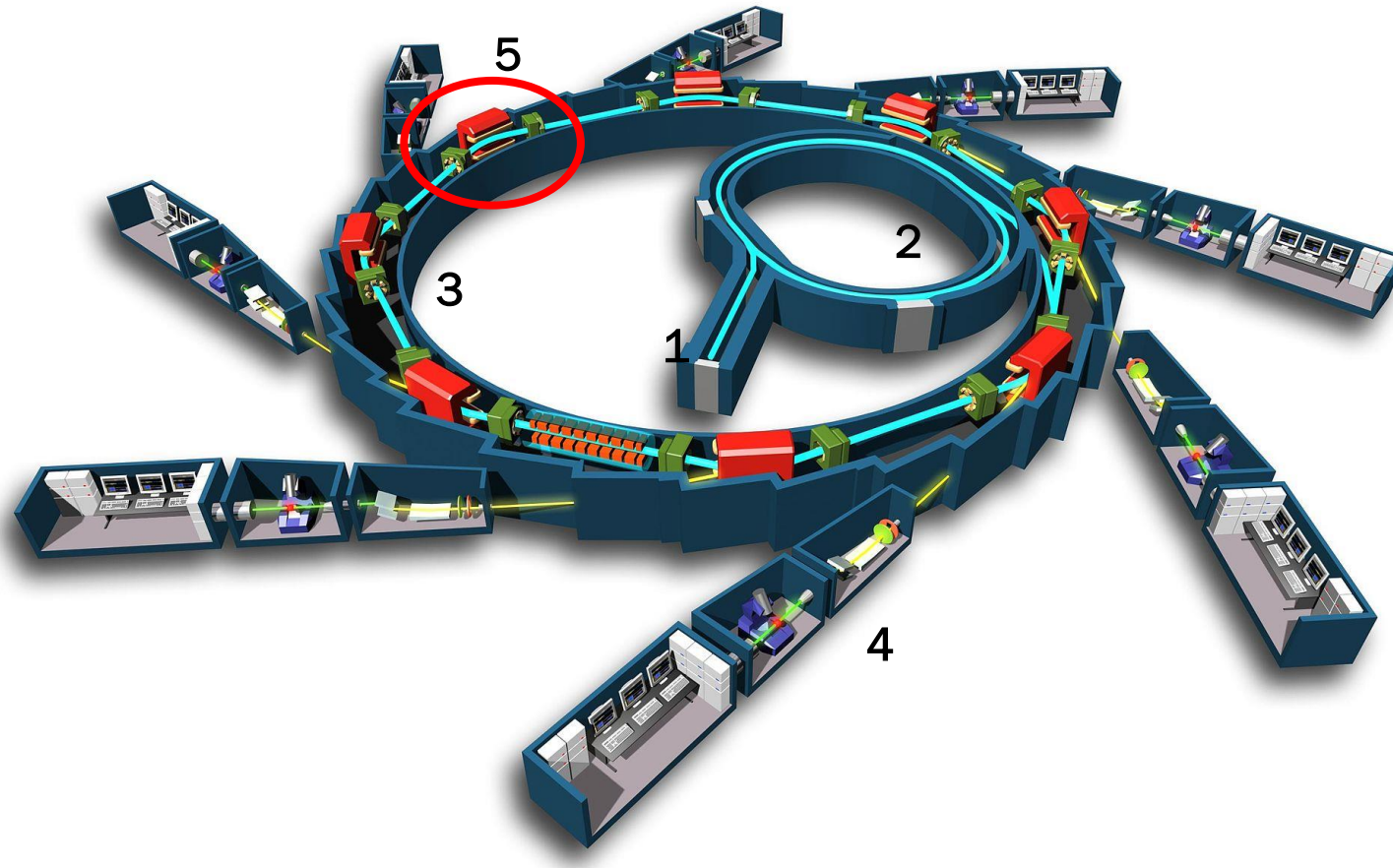
Super-FRS Multiplets



- 179 magnets
- Quadrupoles and sextupoles are superferric
- Octupole and steering dipole are cosin theta
- Good field region ϕ 380 mm

Pole geometry optimized to reduce the b6 contribution

E Cho et al., IEEE Tr. Appl. Sup, VOL. 28, NO. 4 (2018)
 E Cho et al., IEEE Tr. Appl. Sup, VOL. 30, NO. 4 (2020)
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- 1 – Injector
- 2 – Booster Ring
- 3 – Storage Ring
- 4 – Beamline
- 5 – Bending Magnet

The bending magnets in the storage rings are the primary sources of radiations.

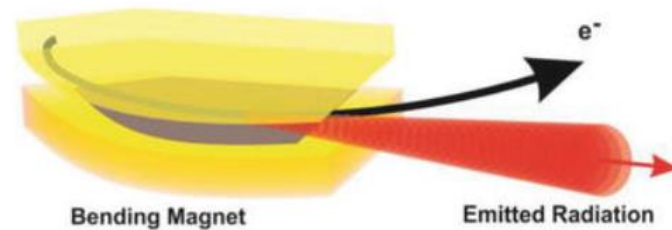
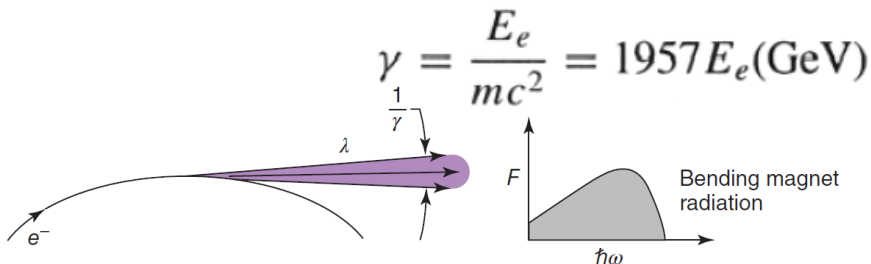
The BM source produces a beam of fixed vertical opening angle $\psi \sim \gamma^{-1}$ (photon beam divergence), while the horizontal span is determined by the length of the BM arc.

The critical energy of a synchrotron source depends upon the storage ring energy and the magnetic field of BM.

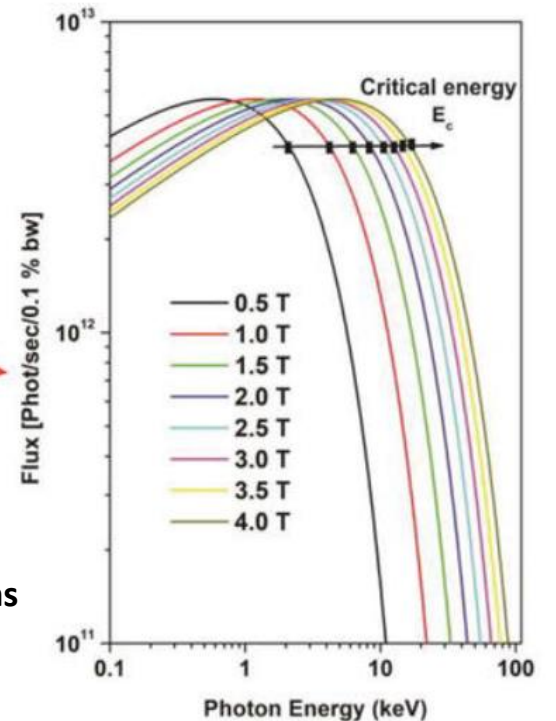
To be able to reach high photon energies (50keV and more) the solution is to use superconducting magnets to increase the magnetic field.

$$E_c = \hbar\omega_c = \frac{3e\hbar B\gamma^2}{2m}$$

$$E_c(\text{keV}) = 0.6650 E_e^2(\text{GeV}) B(\text{T})$$



Fundamental of Synchrotron Radiations
Amardeep Bharti and Navdeep Goyal



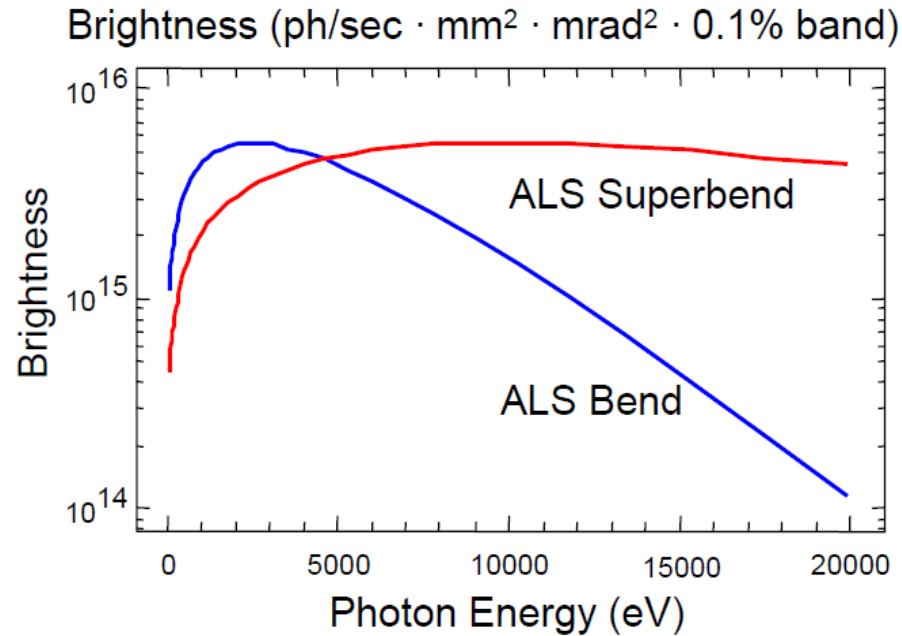


Figure 1: Brightness of a Superbend versus the normal conducting bend

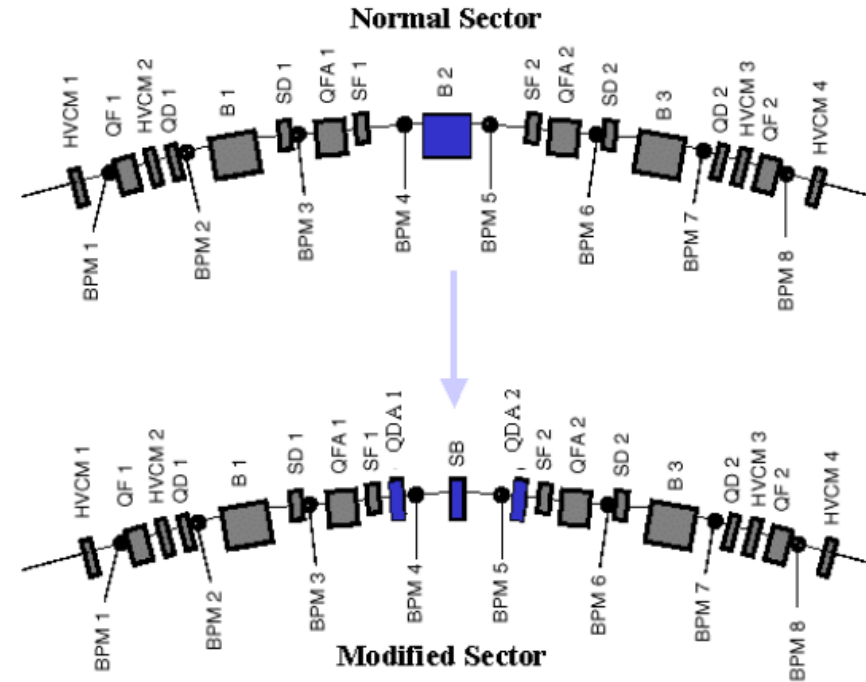
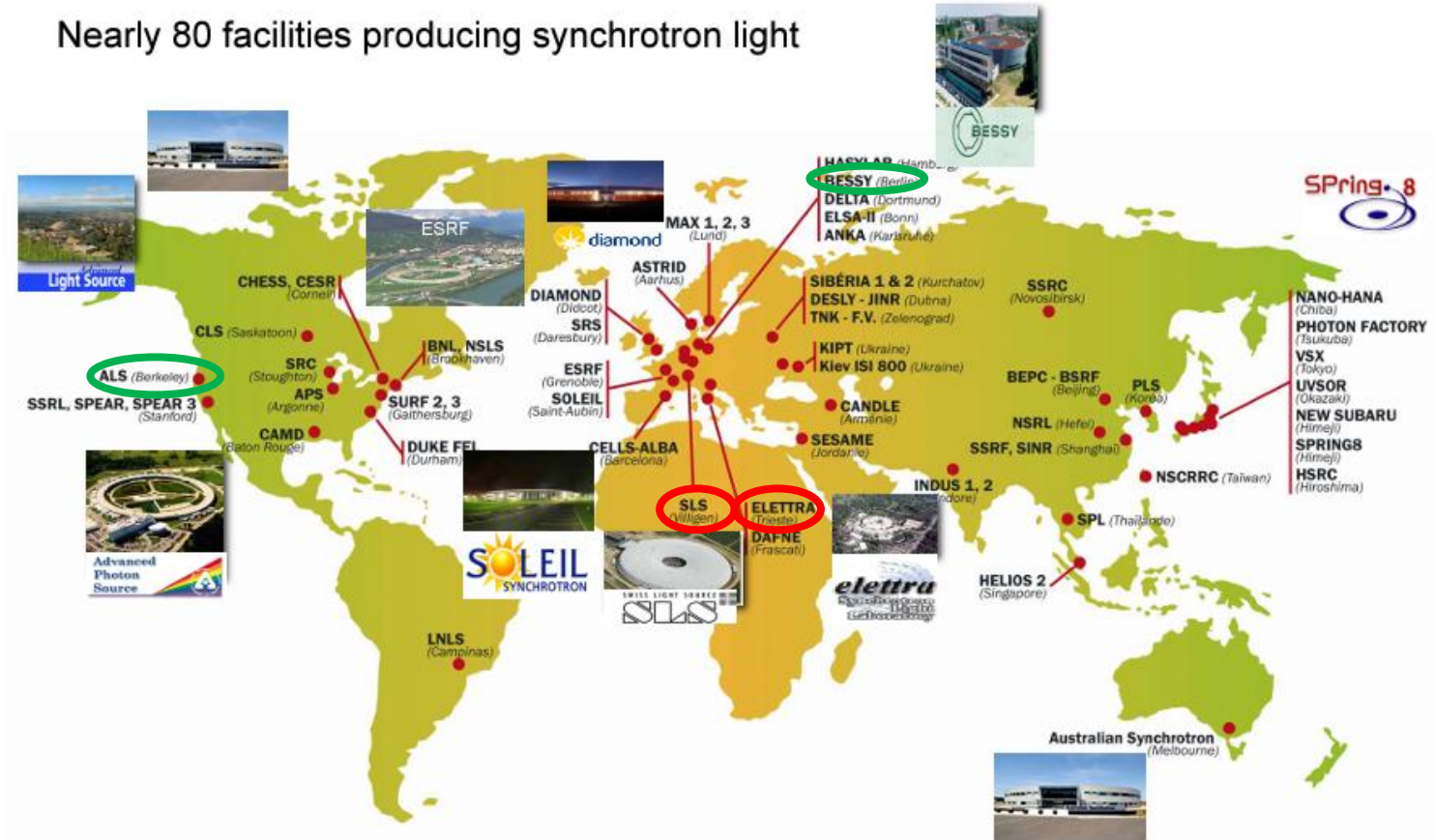


Figure 2: Magnetic layout of a normal (top) and modified (bottom) sector.

SUPERBEND UPGRADE AT THE ADVANCED LIGHT SOURCE D.Robin

Nearly 80 facilities producing synchrotron light



ALS (Berkeley) and BESSY (Berlin) have already installed Superconducting Bending magnets

Elettra (Trieste) and SLS (Villigen) are in the design/production phases for their Superconducting Bending magnets

Laurent S. Nadolski, 60 years of J. Laskar, April 28-30, 2015

ALS sector with superbend



- Superferric
- Cooled by coldhead in the 4 K range
- Reliability in case of cold head failure

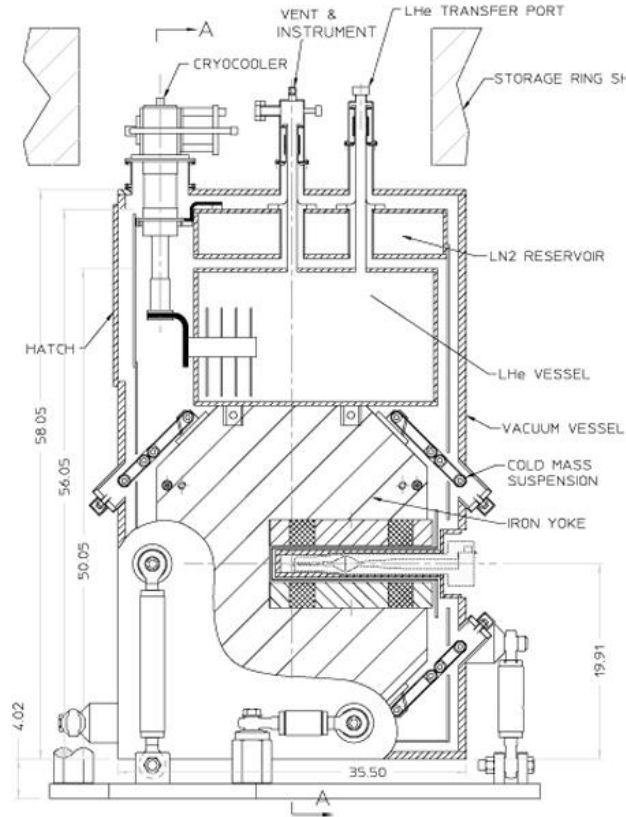
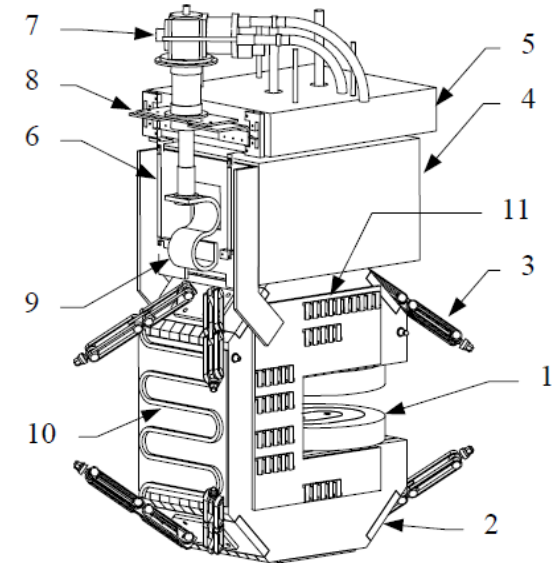


TABLE V
SUPERBEND MAGNET PARAMETERS

Quantity	Value
magnet type	Racetrack windings, iron poles
le length along beam	114 mm
le length transverse to beam	180 mm
turns per layer	33
number of layers	70
inductor length per coil	1725 m
operating current	291 A at 1.9 GeV
peak field at conductor	6.8 T
fraction of critical current	0.44 at 4.3 K
stored energy	150 kJ
low-field inductance	11 H
high-field inductance	3 H
total cold mass	15 00 kg



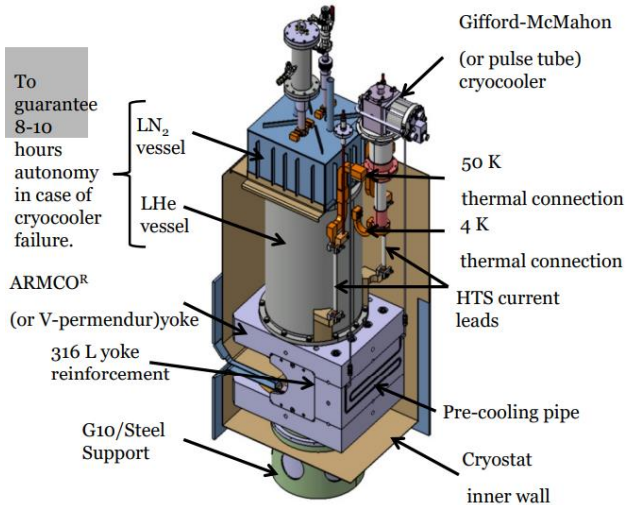
6.8 T on conductor

Fig. 1. Superbend cold mass assembly: 1 – superconducting coils with steel poles, 2 – laminated steel yoke, 3 – suspension straps, 4 – LHe vessel, 5 – LN₂ vessel, 6 – HTS leads, 7 – cryocooler, 8 – 50 K thermal connection, 9 – 4 K thermal connection, 10 – cooldown tube, 11 – warmup heater.

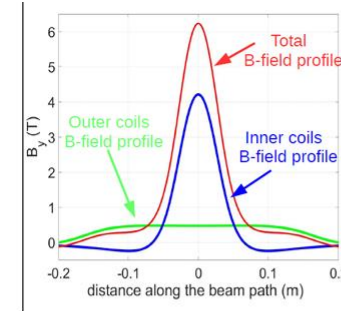
ALS Superbend Magnet System J. Zbasnik (2000)



Superbend main components and parameters



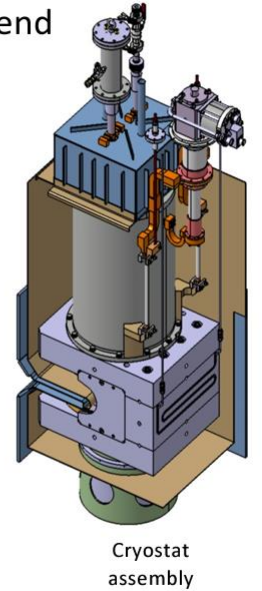
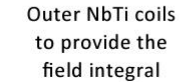
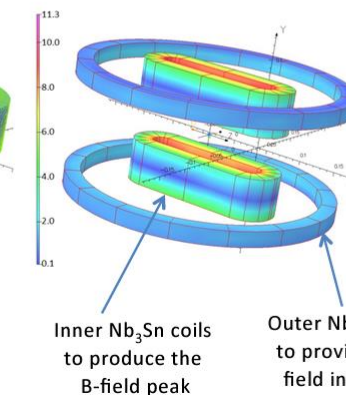
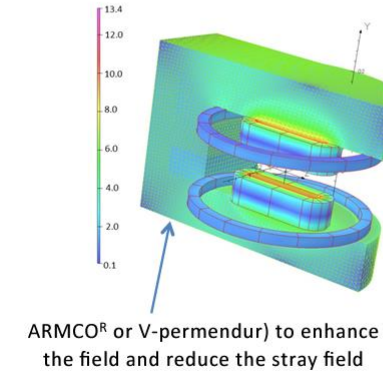
	Outer coils	Inner coils
Conductor type:	Nb-Ti	Nb ₃ Sn (RRP)
Insulation:	Formvar	S-glass
I _c @ 4.2 K (A)	752 @ 5T	810 @ 12T
Magnetic energy (kJ) (1 coil)	3.8	16.6
Inductance (mH) (1 coil)	50	210
Current per turn (A)	400	400
N. turns (1 coil)	200	1485
Extraction Voltage (V) (τ _{damp} =0.4s)	340	140
Horizontal aperture (mm)		53
Peak field at conductor (T)	2.8	11.3
Peak temperature (K)	4.2	4.3



C. Calzolaio, S. Sanfilippo, A. Anghel, S. Sidorov

Longitudinal gradient superbend

- split racetracks + solenoids
- B-field profile full width half maximum (FWHM): 40-70 mm.
- B-field peak: ≈ 6 T.



Challenges for the magnet projects at the Paul Scherrer Institut – PHANGS workshop (2017)
Stephane Sanfilippo

- Superferric
- Cooled by coldhead in the 4 K range
- Reliability in case of cold head failure

A. Streun, PSI

SLS-2: Upgrade of the Swiss Light Source

PHANGS workshop, Trieste, Dec. 4-5, 2017

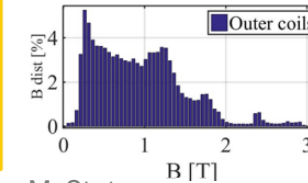
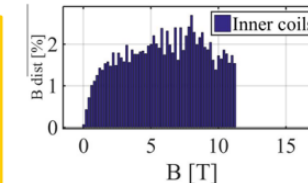
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Inner coils

50% of the winding pack experiences a field above 6 T

10% of the winding pack experiences a field above 10 T.

Peak field: 11.3 T \rightarrow Nb₃Sn



Outer coils

50% of the winding pack experiences a field above 0.8 T.

10% of the winding pack experiences a field above 1.7 T.

Peak field: 2.9 T \rightarrow Nb-Ti

Energy Saving HTS Magnet for sustainable Accelerators (ESMA)

- Scope: superconducting cables test up to 10 T
- **Deliverable: 10 T – 70 mm aperture HTS conduction cooled dipole** operating @ 10-20 K conduction cooled by coldheads
- Goal: increase of the TRL for 15 T – 20 K magnets for FCC and Muon Collider

Iron contribution about 1 T – Field quality to be optimized

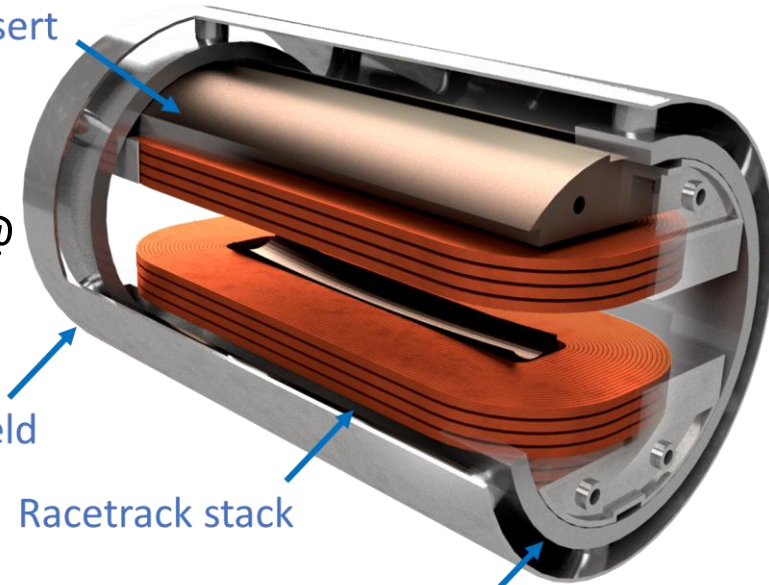
Iron insert

Thermal shield

Racetrack stack

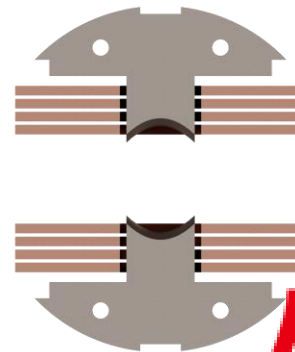
End-plates

S. Sorti and L. Balconi
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Procured by LASA
Installed in INFN Genova

Parameter	Unit	Value
Central field	tesla	10
Free bore dimensions	mm	H80 x V50
Magnet length	mm	1000
Good field region uniformity	N/A	1.5%
Good field region extension	mm	H50xV30xL400
Operating temperature	K	20
Minimum op. temper. for test	K	10
Maximum current	A	<1000

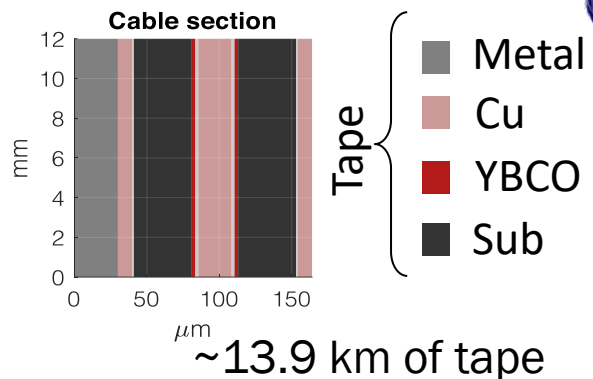
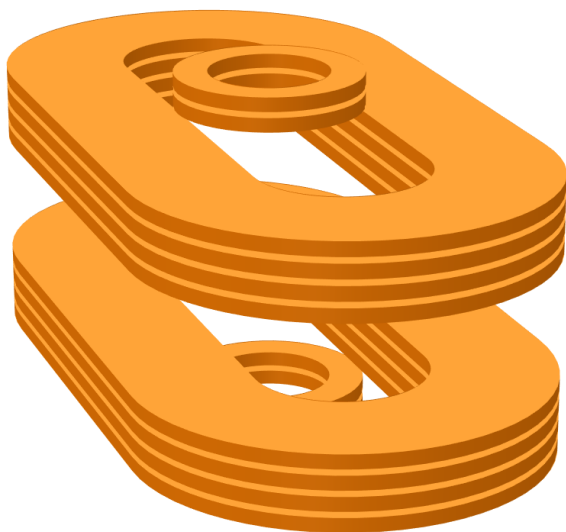


Innovative Research
infrastructure on applied
Superconductivity

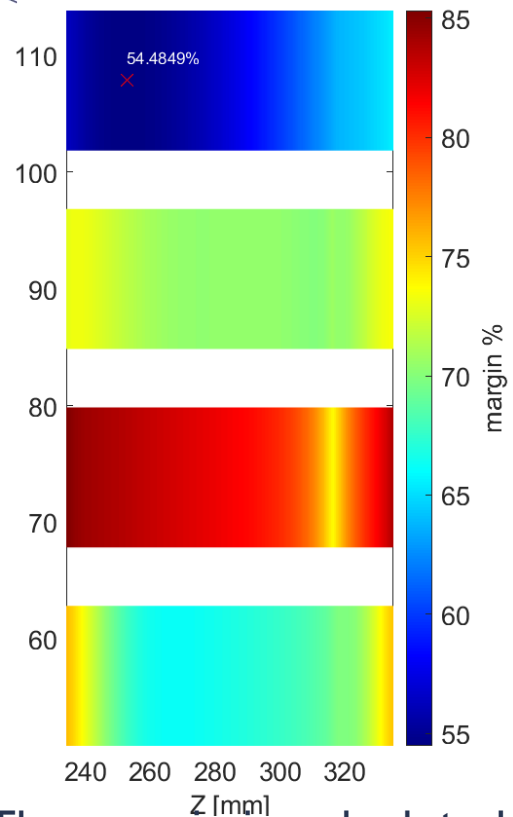


Dimensions	12 mm × 67 μm
Substrate	40 μm of Hastelloy C276
Copper stabilizer	2 × 10 μm, RRR>20
Easy-way minimum bend	10 mm
Allower longitudinal strain	-0.4 % to 0.3 %
I_c , 77 K, self-field	Min. 400 A, average 470 A
I_c , 20 K, 15 T	Min 500 A

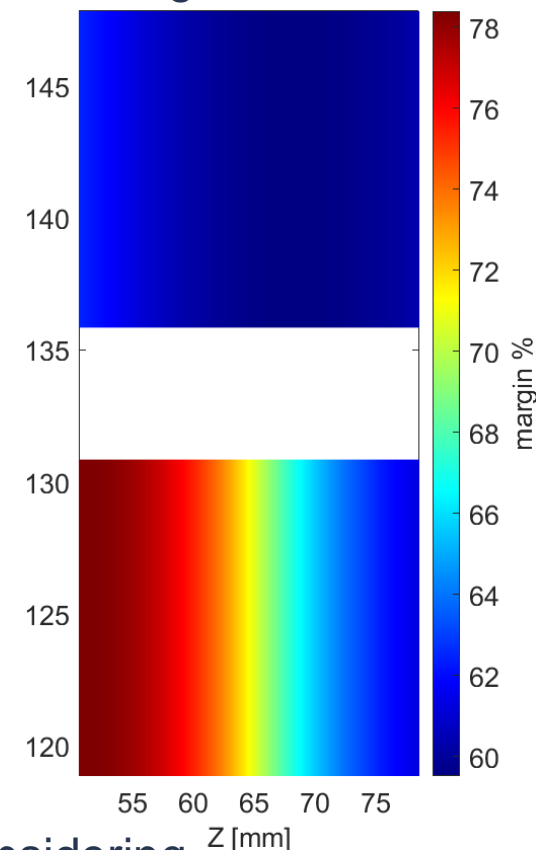
Tape procured by LASA: 15 km of 12 mm by FARADAY



Racetrack coils margin



correction coils margin



Central field B_0	tesla	10
Minimum central field B_{0min}	tesla	8
Free aperture	mm	$\varnothing 70$
Good field region uniformity	N/A	$\pm 1.5\%$
Good field region extension	mm	H50xV30xL350
Operating temperature	K	20
Operating Current	A	810

The margin is calculated considering Temperature and field angle
For safety this calculation includes the case of a 100% current sharing between the tapes.

The main objective of HiLumi LHC Design Study is to extend the LHC lifetime by **another decade** and to determine a hardware configuration and a set of beam parameters that will allow the LHC to reach the following targets:

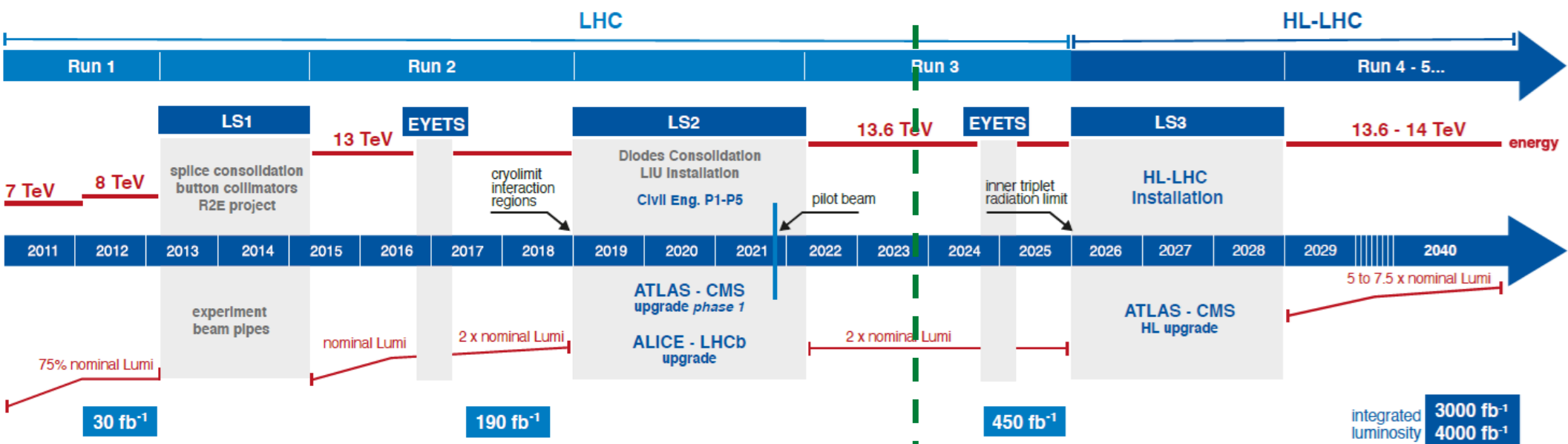
A peak luminosity of $L_{\text{peak}} = 5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ with levelling, allowing:

An integrated luminosity of **250 fb⁻¹ per year**, enabling the goal of $L_{\text{int}} = 3000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ twelve years after the upgrade.

This luminosity is more than ten times the luminosity reach of the first 10 years of the LHC lifetime.

Courtesy of O. Brüning –Project Leader

LHC / HL-LHC Plan

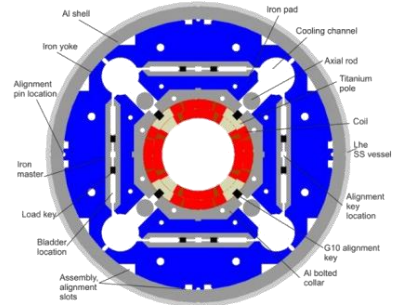
HL-LHC TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT:



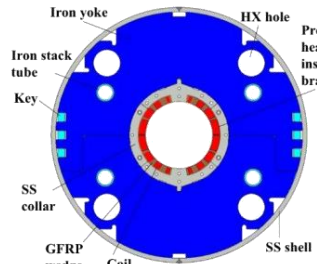
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H0 Corrector Magnets Zoo

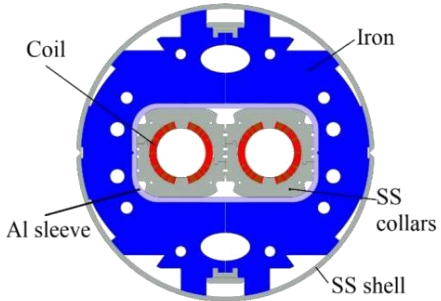
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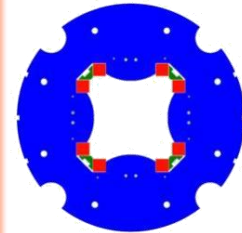
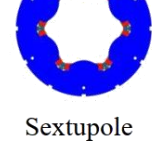
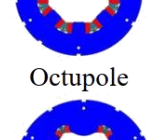
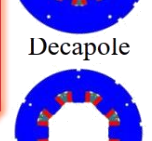
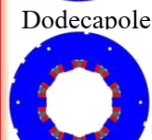
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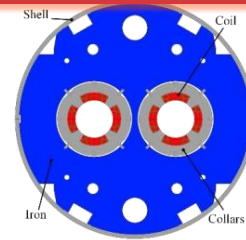
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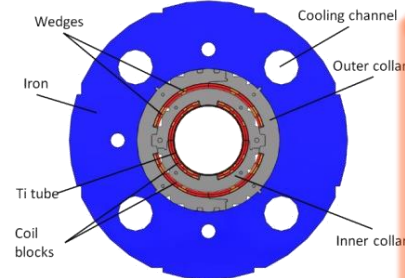
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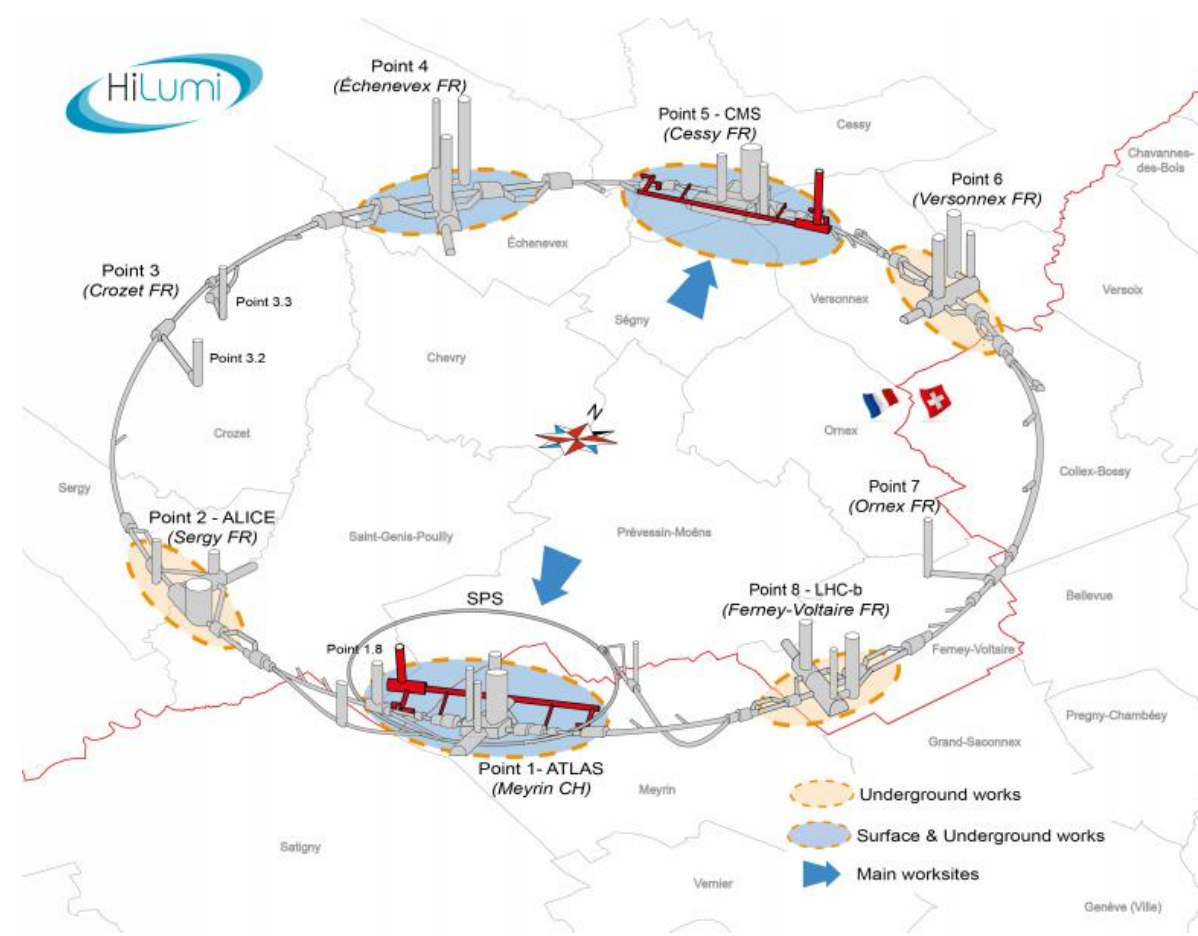
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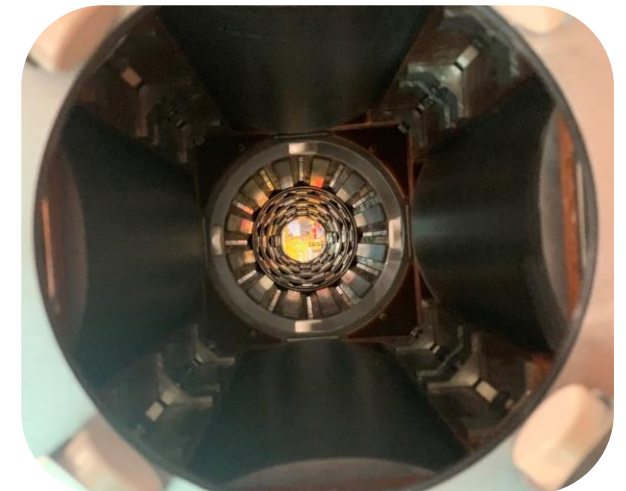
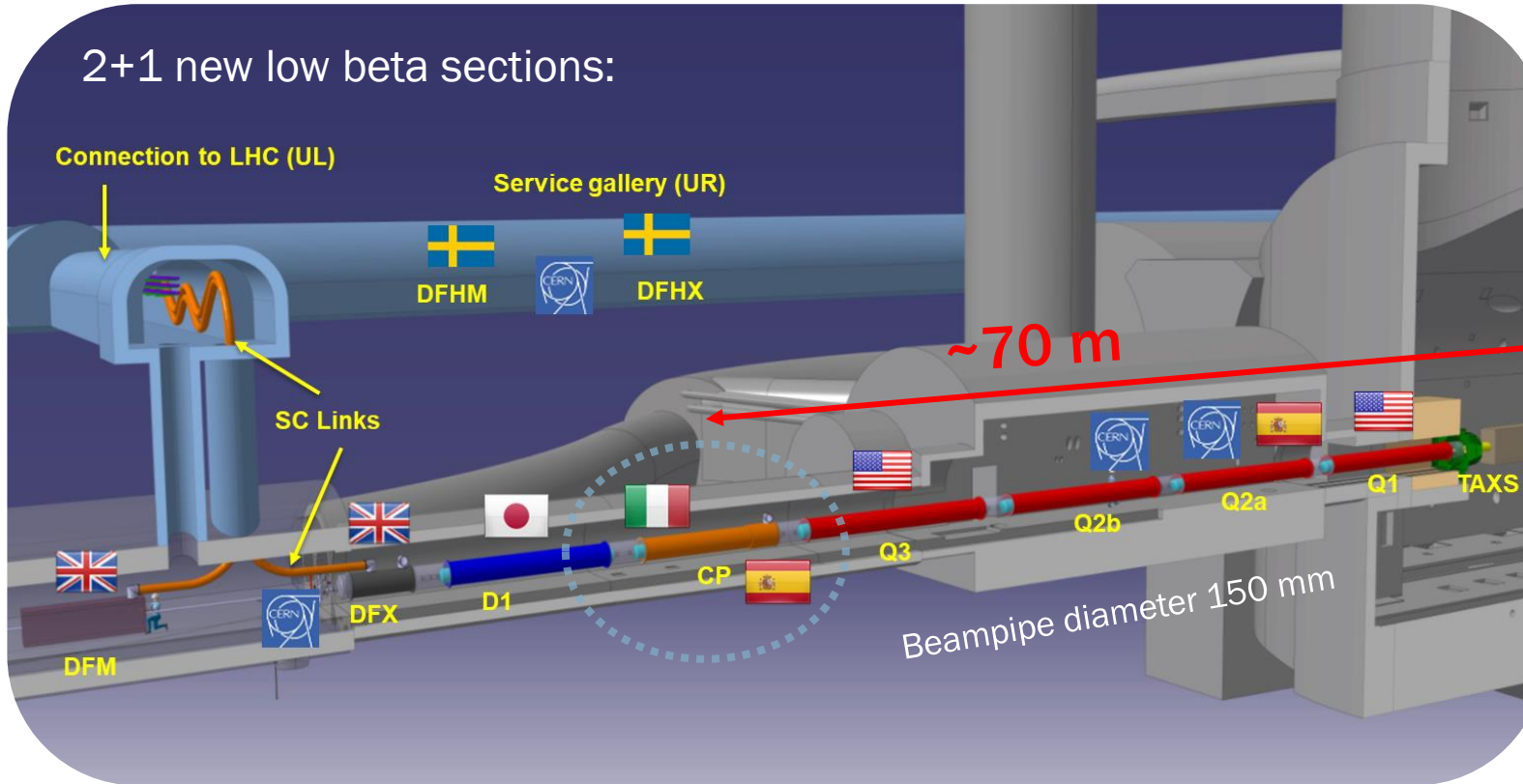


MCBXF [F. Toral, et al.]



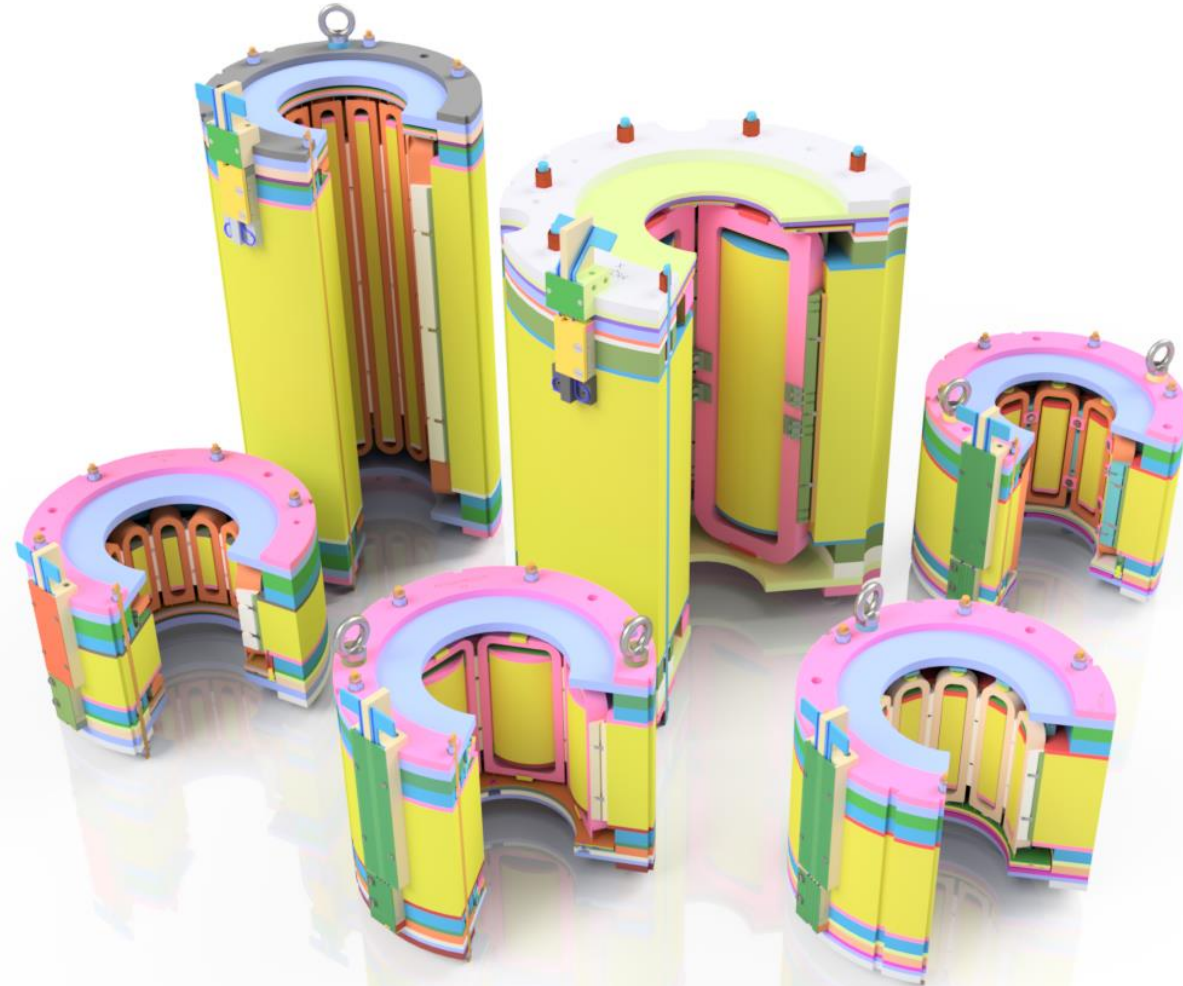
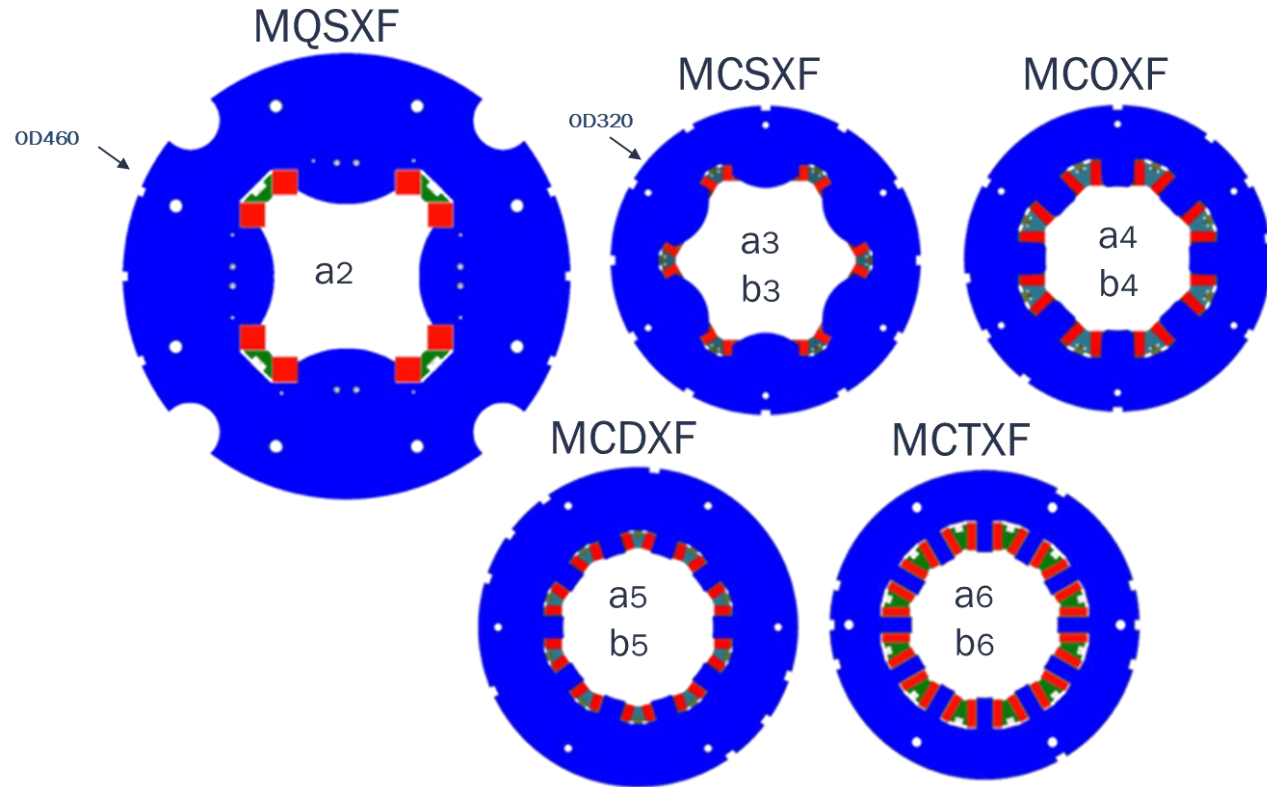
Courtesy of CERN

The low beta section



- The High Order Correctors have to provide integrated field and to be as compact as possible
- First superferric magnets in LHC
- In the actual configuration about 3.5 m

H0 Corrector Magnets Zoo



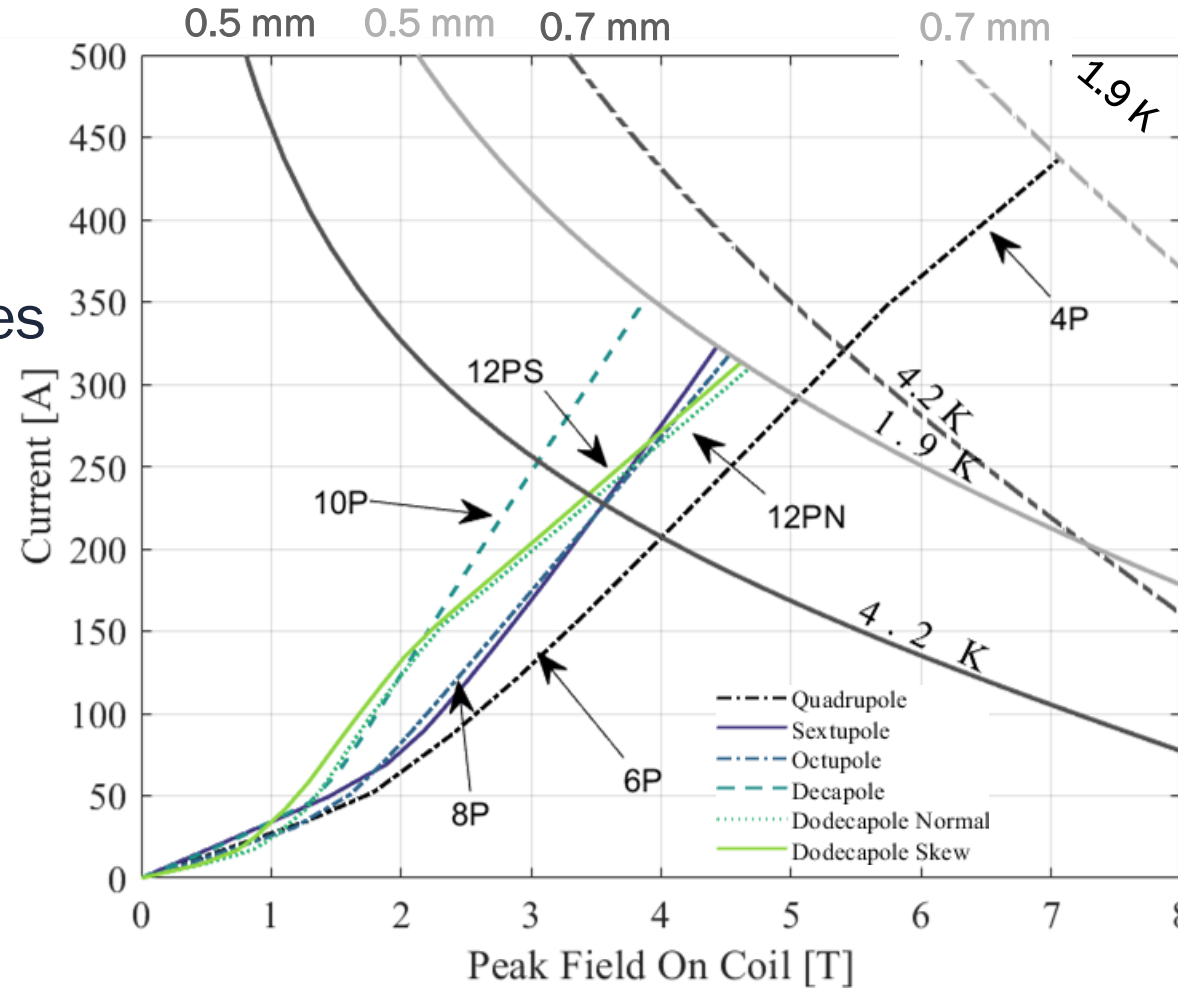
NbTi SuperFerric design
 Geometrical lengths: 200 mm - 580 mm
 Quench protection: no energy extraction (but 4P)
 60% margin @ 1.9 K

F. Toral et al., EPAC 2006 and CERN-2014-005 (CERN, Geneva, 2014)
 G. Volpini et al., IEEE Tr. Appl. Sup, VOL. 26, NO. 4 (2016)

NbTi superconducting coils

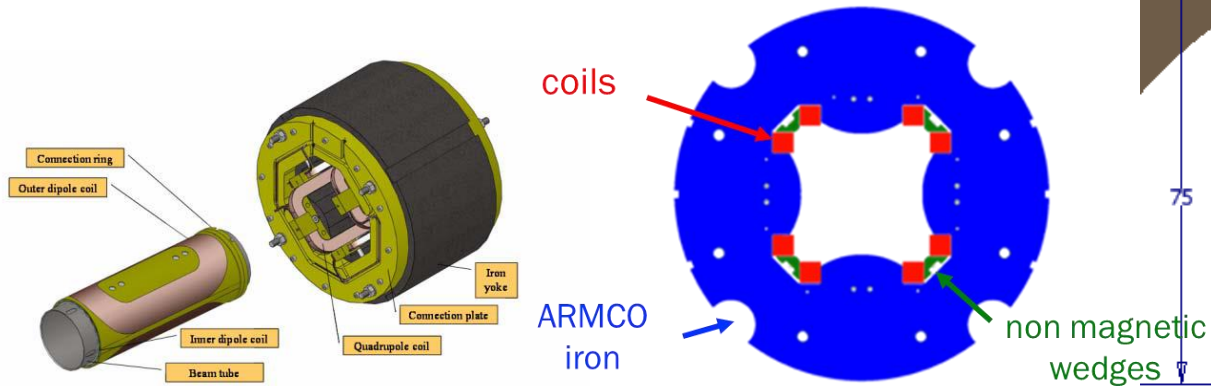
- Racetrack
- Insulation by S2 glass reinforced material
- Superferric design
- Compact and modular
- Strong contribution of the iron poles
- Field quality influenced by the shape of the poles

Magnet	Type (normal/skew)	Integral field at r=50 mm	Magnetic Length	Coil Peak Field	Magnetic stored energy @l/uit	Operating Current	Ultimate current	Turns per coils	Ic @ 4.2 K	Margin @1.9K
		T·m	m	T	KJ	A	A	-	A	%
Quadrupole (4P)	S	0.700	0.401	3.53	36	174	197	754	315	57.1
Sextupole (6P)	N,S	0.064	0.168	2.14	1.2	99	112	280	225	>60
Octupole (8P)	N,S	0.046	0.145	2.06	1.1	102	115	372	230	>60
Decapole (10P)	N,S	0.026	0.145	1.73	0.5	92	106	228	256	>60
Dodecapole (12P)	N	0.086	0.469	1.44	7.8	85	97	436	233	>60
Dodecapole (12P)	S	0.017	0.099	1.44	~0.9	84	94	436	230	>60



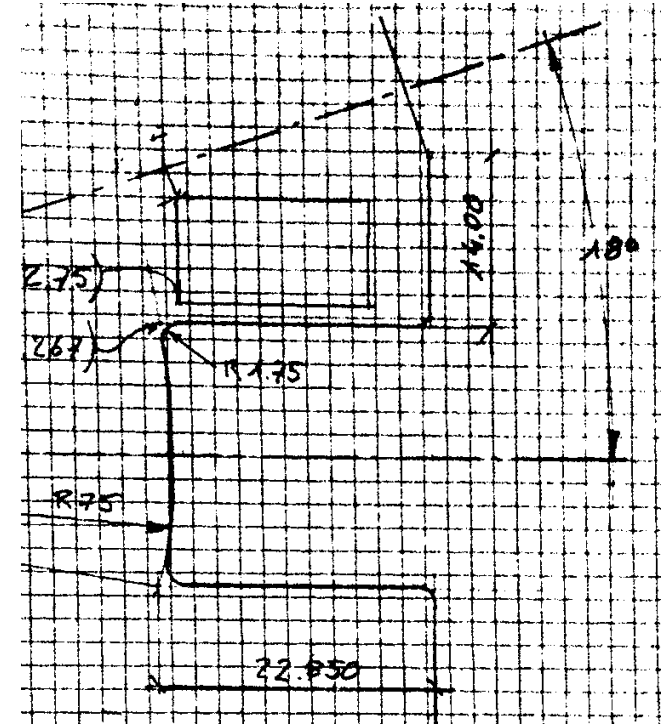
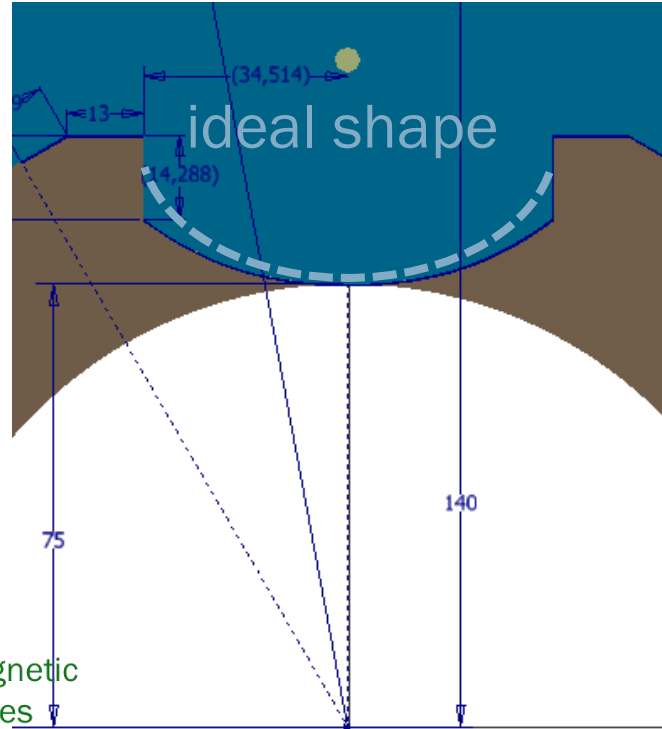
pole shape

Relaxed field quality 100 U
Need for compact magnets
Inner diameter 150 mm



modified ideal
 $n = 2; 3$

maximum area
 $n > 3$



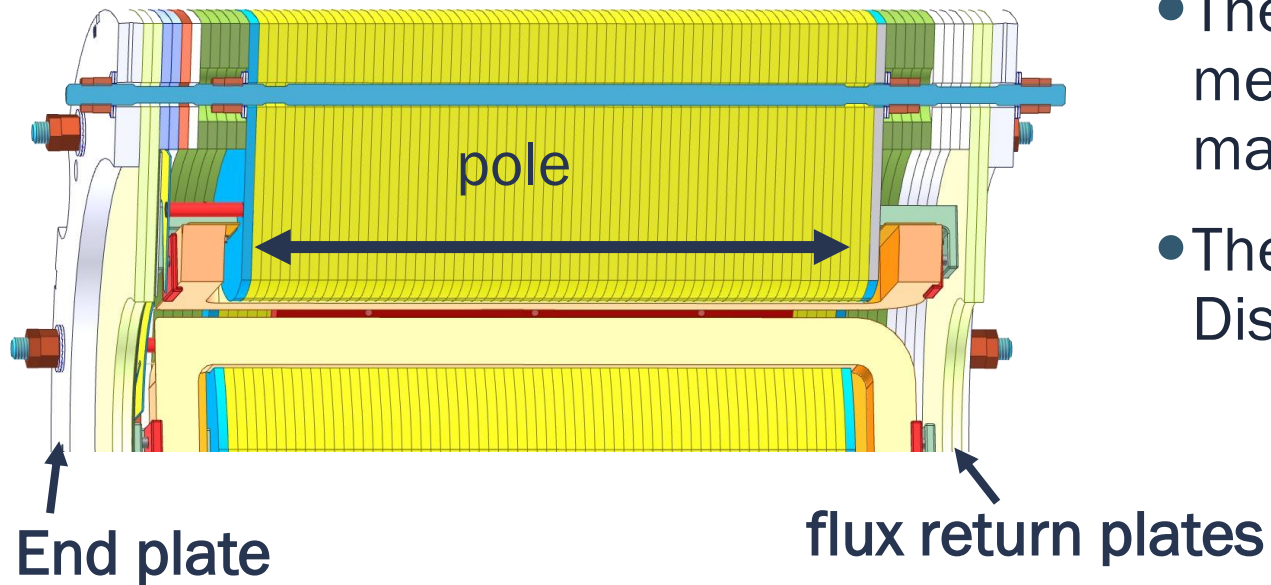
Quadrupole simple
increase of thickness at the
sides of the pole

As much as possible iron
area in the pole

Sextupole ideal pole shape

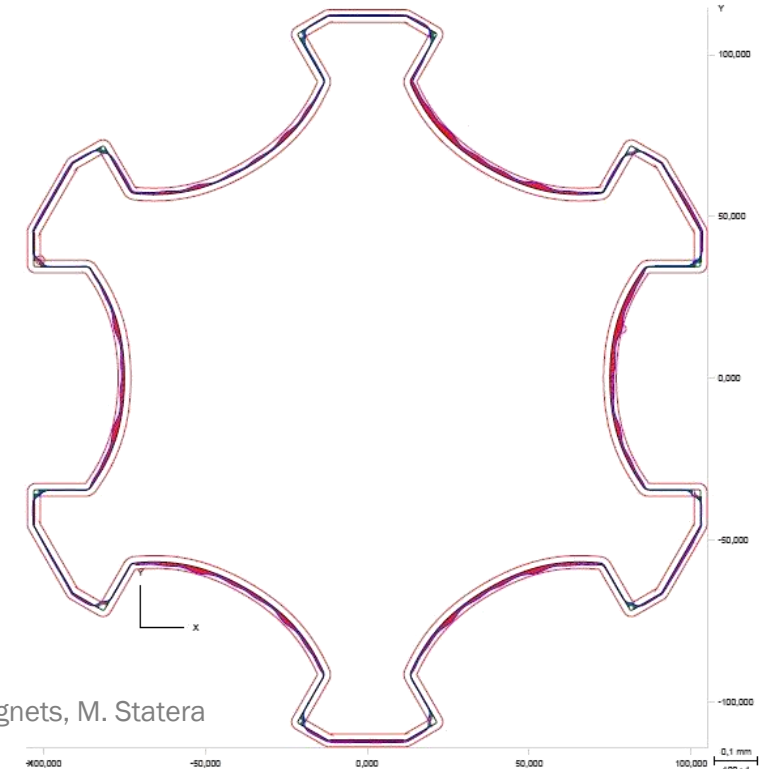
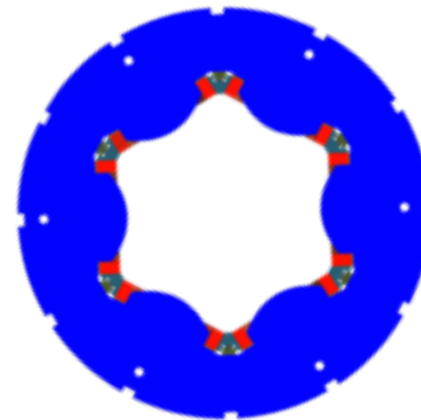
The design is based on the studies by Toral et. al on superferric magnets for Free Electron Lasers (XFEL)

Toral et al. EPAC 2006



- The shape of the pole is extensively measured with high accuracy to guarantee magnetic performance
- The outer alignment slots are also Electrical Discharge Machined (EDM) and measured

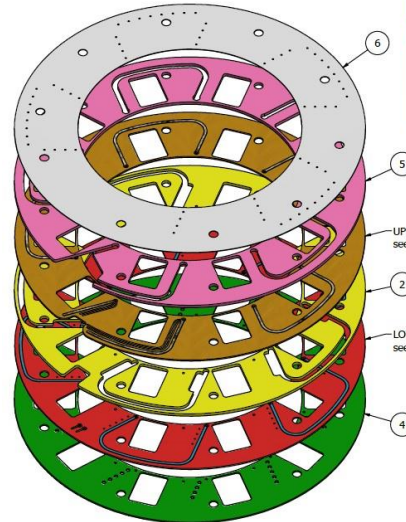
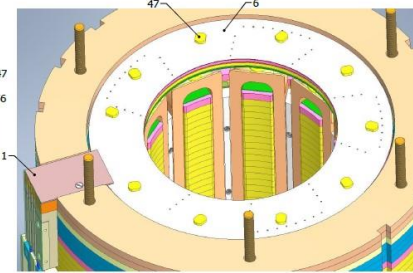
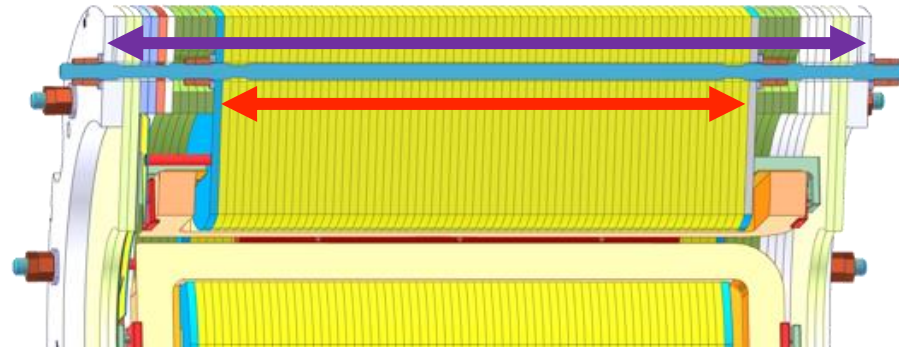
Fringe field is reduced by radial iron and flux return plates
 Compactness of single magnets
 Lower distance between magnets



Handling at room temperature

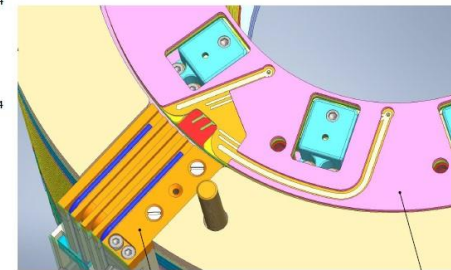
Longitudinal prestress on iron

- Avoid lamination movements during transportation (2.5 g MAX) handling and installation
- 1D model
- Two step prestress (pole and full magnet)
 - CuBe rods (high yield stress) to increase preload at cold
 - **A** fix the pole
 - **B** pack the magnet
- Tolerances
 - Electrical connections mechanically protected
 - Several custom components
 - Mechanical tolerances may create interference at room temperature



UPPER PRINTED CIRCUIT
see dwg. HL-LHC 10.00 tav. 05 rev. 04

LOWER PRINTED CIRCUIT
see dwg. HL-LHC 10.00 tav. 05 rev. 04



TOTAL THK.
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Coils in place at cold

The coils are supported by wedges and longitudinal prestress on plates

The force on coils is a function of the order

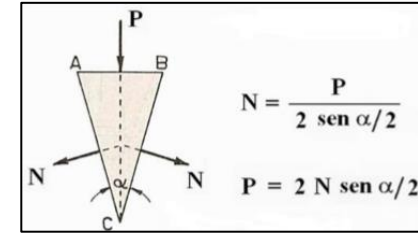
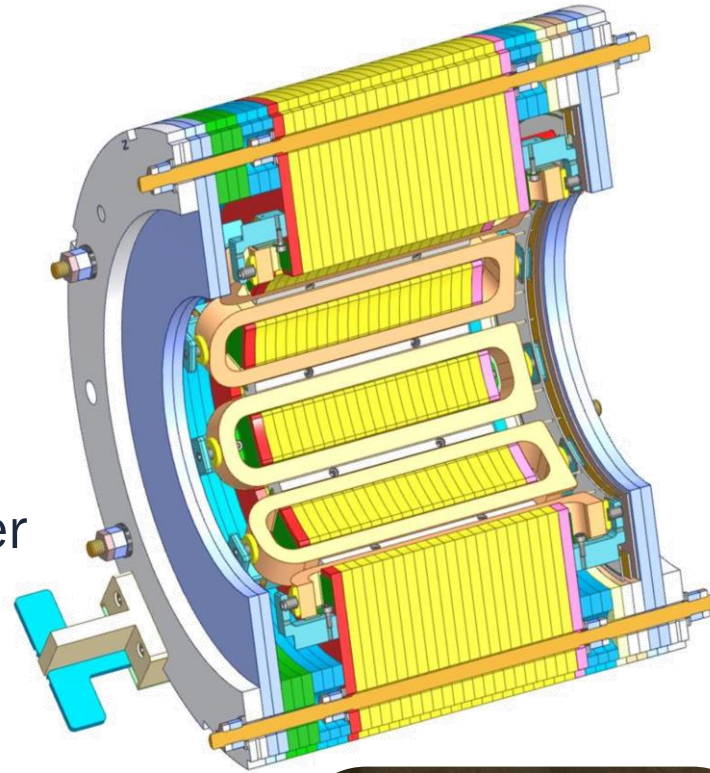
Simplified models and 2.5D simulations have been developed

Prestress on coils

Aim guarantee contact at cold and low as possible stress on coils to avoid damages

Beware of mechanical tolerances

Goal lower stress may reduce the training



Courtesy of M. Todero

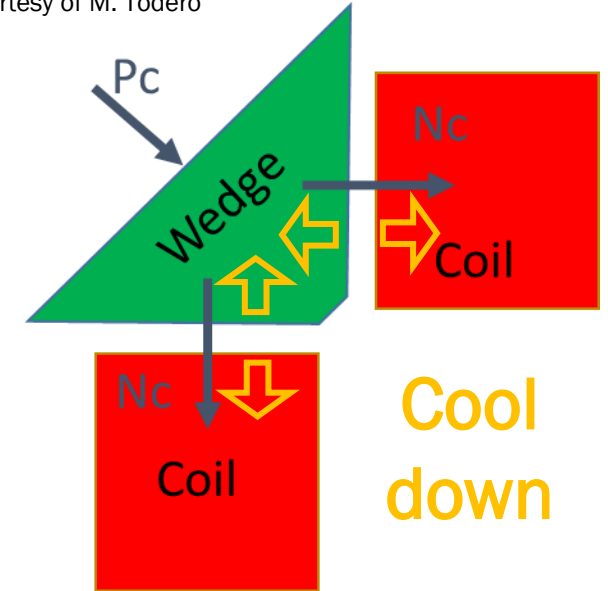


Table 8-4 Linear expansions as function of temperature for usual materials

Material	$\int_4^{100} dt/t$	$\int_{100}^{293} dt/t$
Stainless steel	35×10^{-5}	296×10^{-5}
Copper	44×10^{-5}	326×10^{-5}
Aluminum	47×10^{-5}	415×10^{-5}
Iron	18×10^{-5}	198×10^{-5}
Epoxy fiberglass	47×10^{-5}	279×10^{-5}

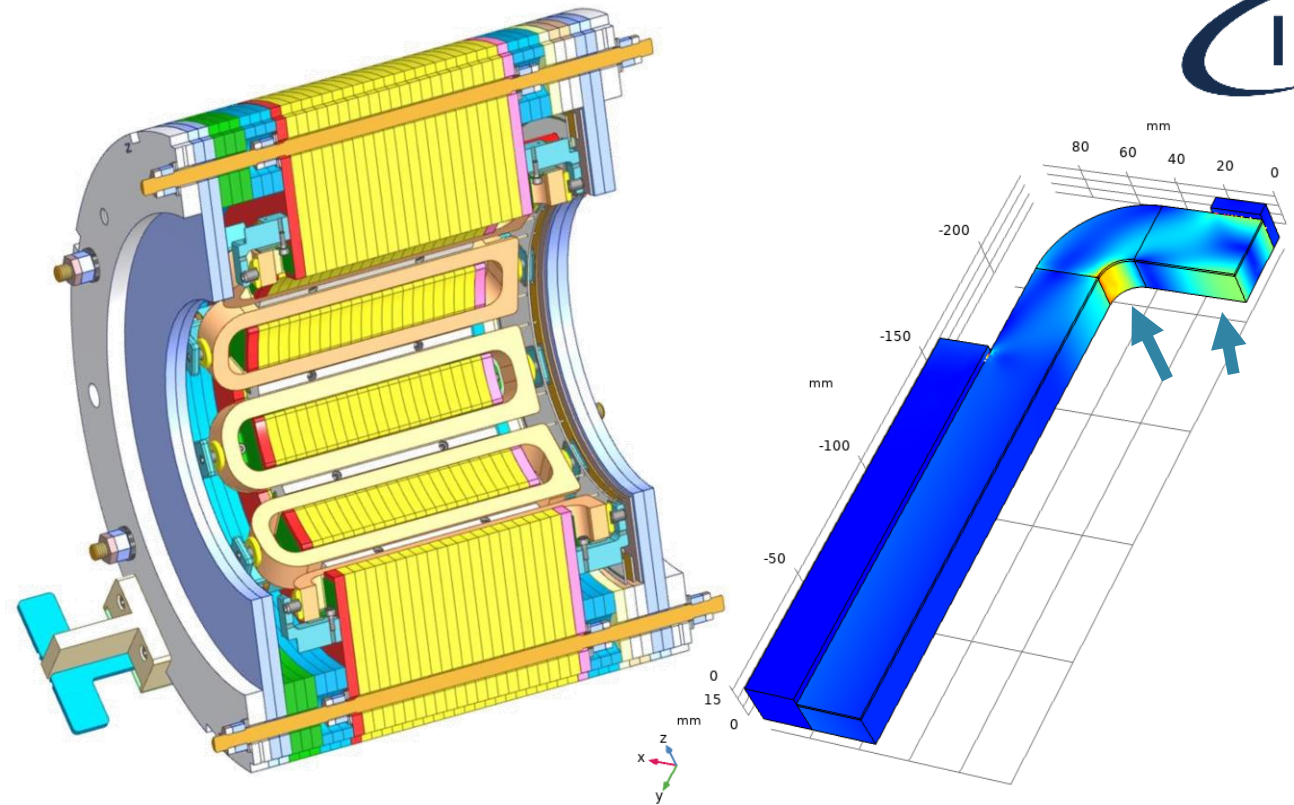
The output are the toques to be applied during assembly

Longitudinal

- 1D model plus 2.5D model
- Differential contraction between Iron laminations and coil-supports-screws

Wedges prestress

- Avoid coils movements/falling
- Use the elasticity of each coil family
- 2D model
- 2.5 D model



Magnet	torque [n. x Nm]	range [Nm]	Tools		Calculated Torques [n. x Nm]
			1 range 0.20-0.50 Nm	2 range 0.50-2.00 Nm	
4P	2 x 1.00	0.94-1.06	2		2 x 0.8
6P	2 x 0.44	0.40-0.48	1		2 x 0.2
8P	2 x 0.55	0.52-0.58	2		2 x 0.25
10P	2 x 0.35	0.32-0.39	1		2 x 0.20
12P S	2 x 0.49	0.45-0.53	1		2 x 0.35
12P N	2 x 0.31	0.28-0.34	1		2 x 0.20

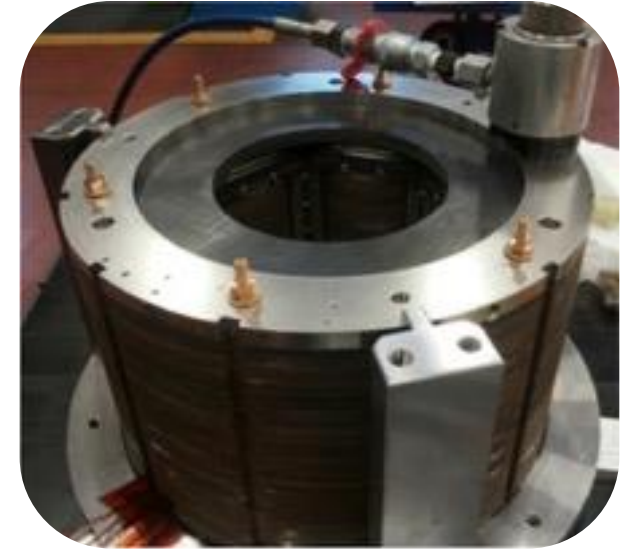
Coil technology and magnet assembly procedure have been developed at LASA. Developing and transferring and QA are key points to pursue reproducible results.

- Procedure developed at LASA on prototypes
- 6P, 8P, 10P assembled at LASA
- 12P and 4P assembled in industry



lamination

alignment frame

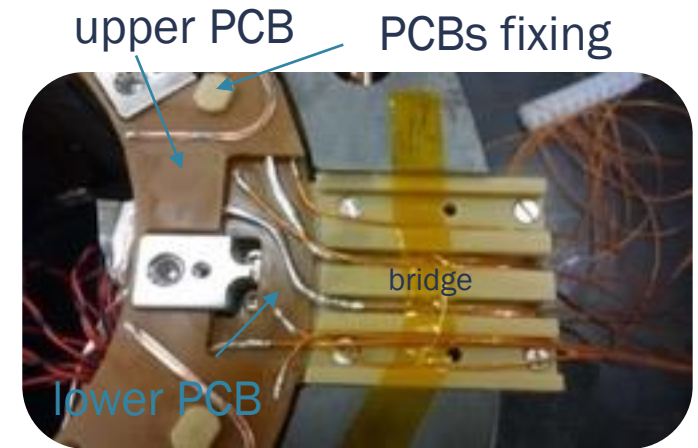
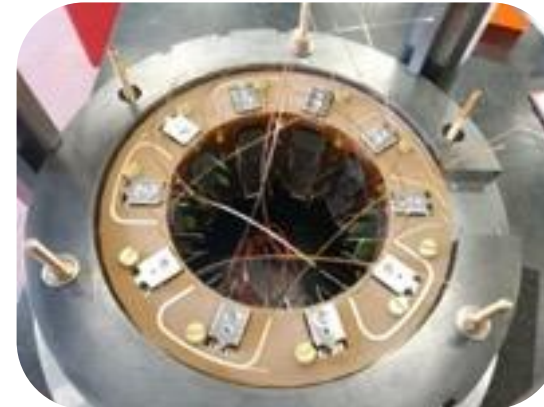


CuBe rods

Longitudinal support



wedge



upper PCB

PCBs fixing

lower PCB

bridge

LASA Quench Protection

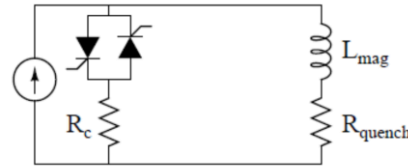
- ENERGY EXTRACTION by dump resistor
- Threshold 200 mV
- Validation time 20 ms

Protection in LHC – no energy extraction (except the quadrupole)

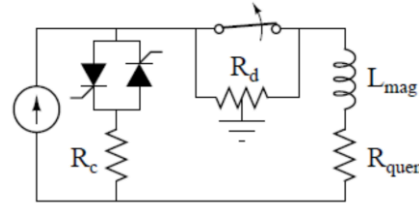
- Measuring current
- Time range 60-180 ms
- Max current: ultimate current (up to 114 A)

Tests at LASA – R dump = 0

- Quench induced by heater (and AlN insert)
- Increase validation time up to 180 ms at ultimate current



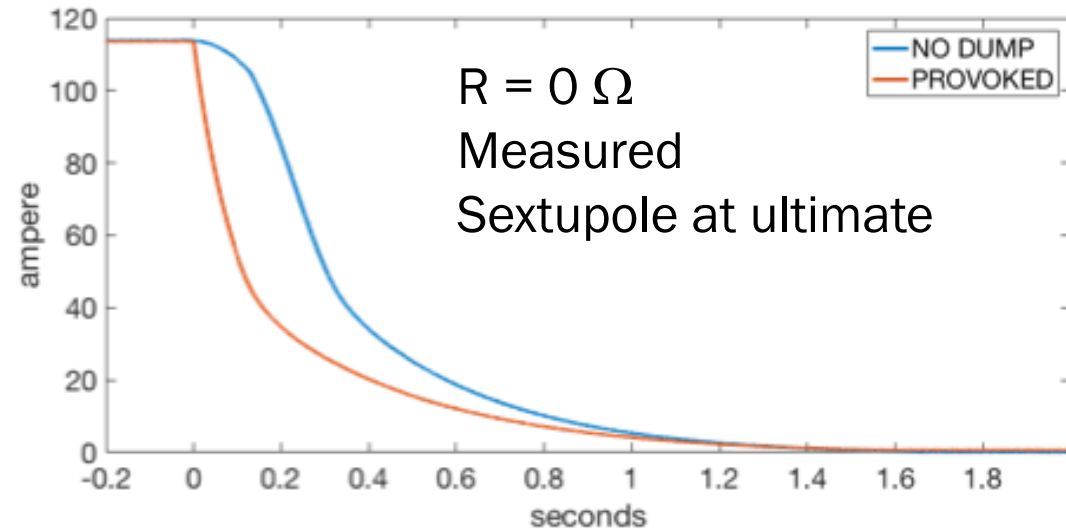
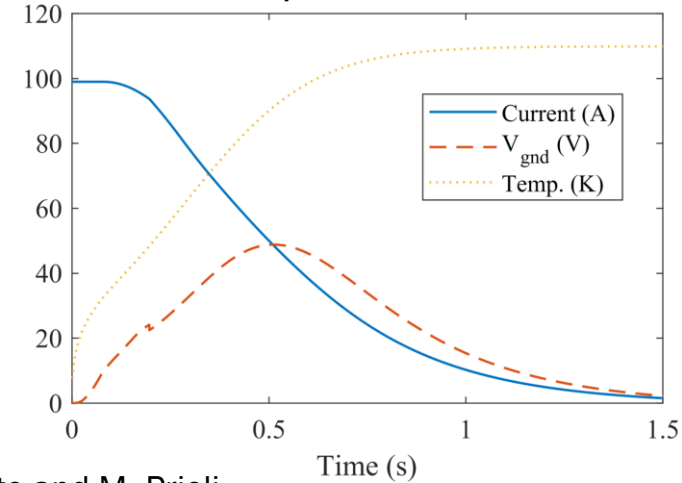
Simplified schematic of the protection circuit applied to the other corrector magnets (6p, 8p, 10p, 12p (N), 12p (S)). From left to right: power converter, crowbar, magnet.



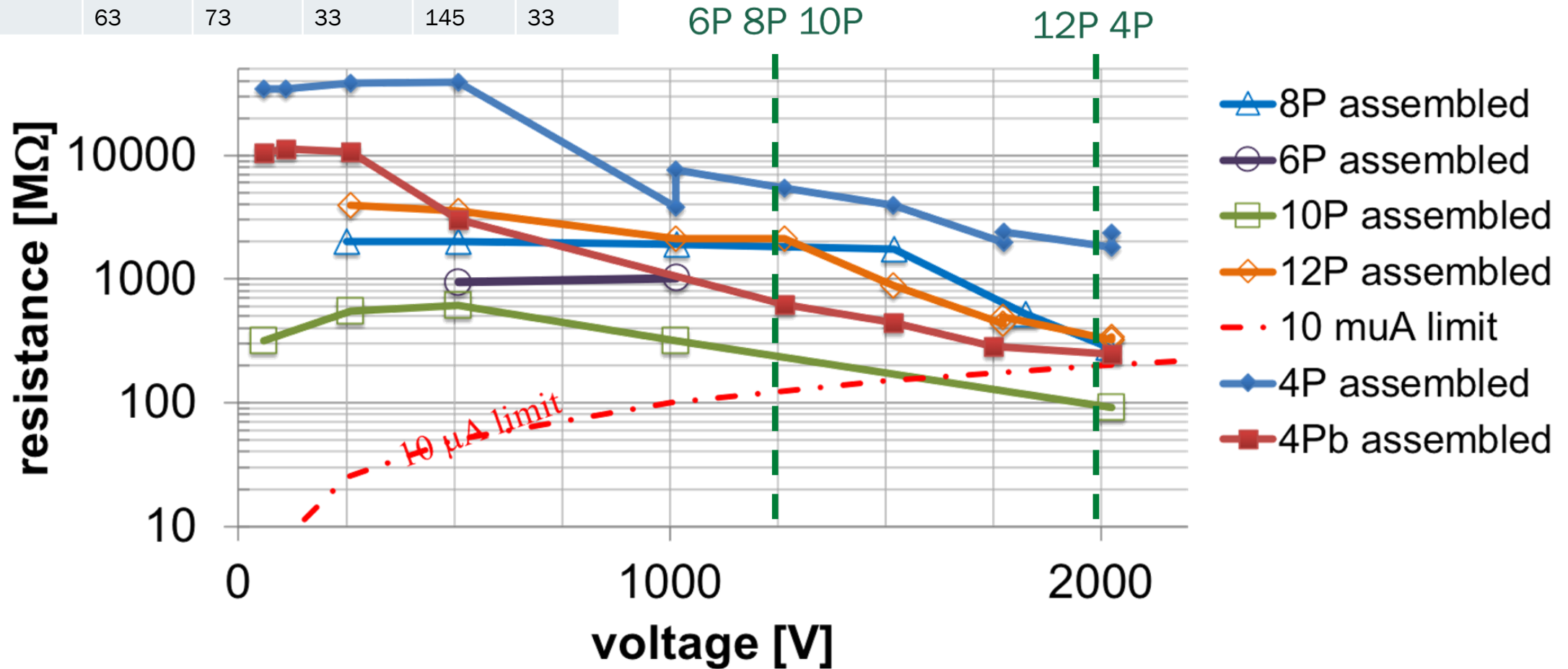
Simplified schematic of the protection circuit applied to the quadrupole magnet (4p),
Dump resistor

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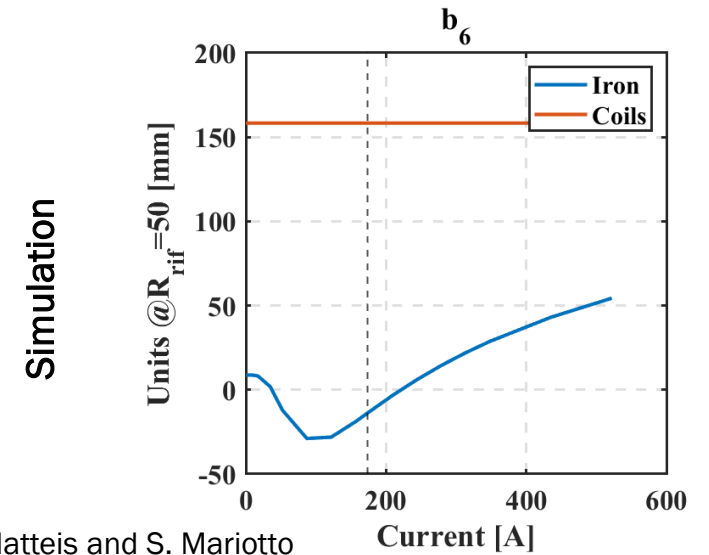
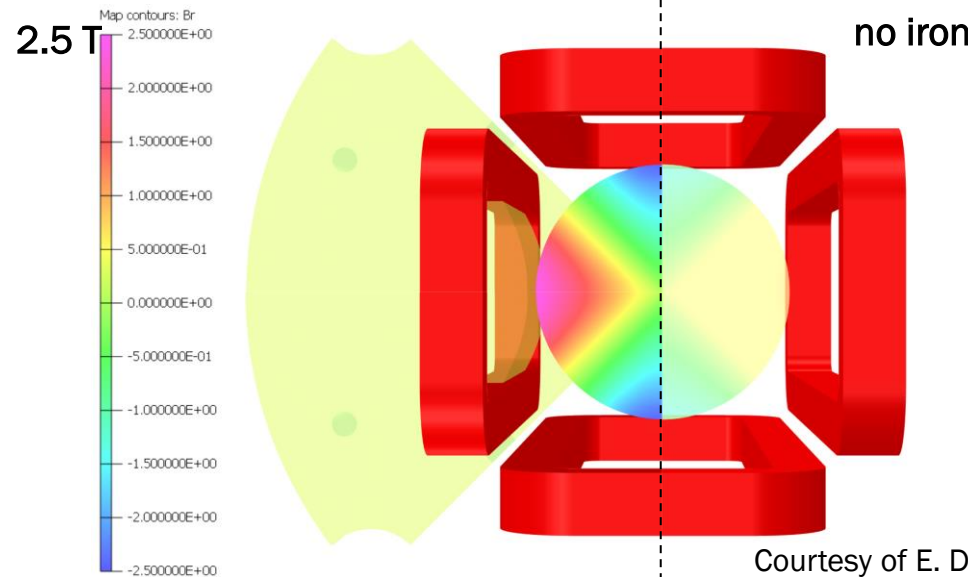
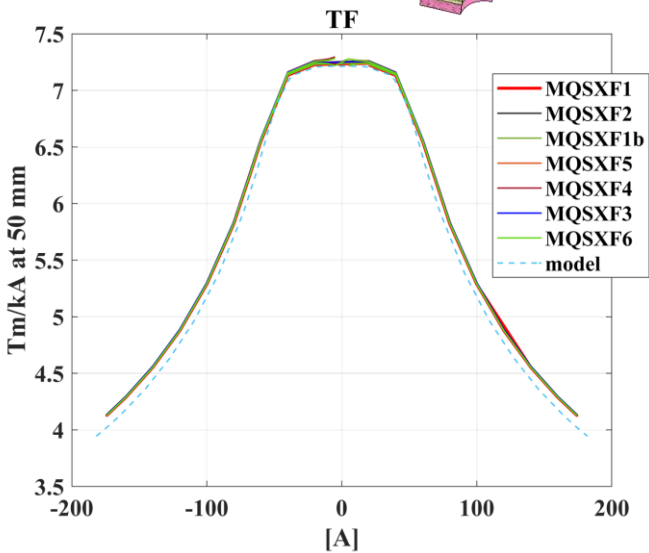
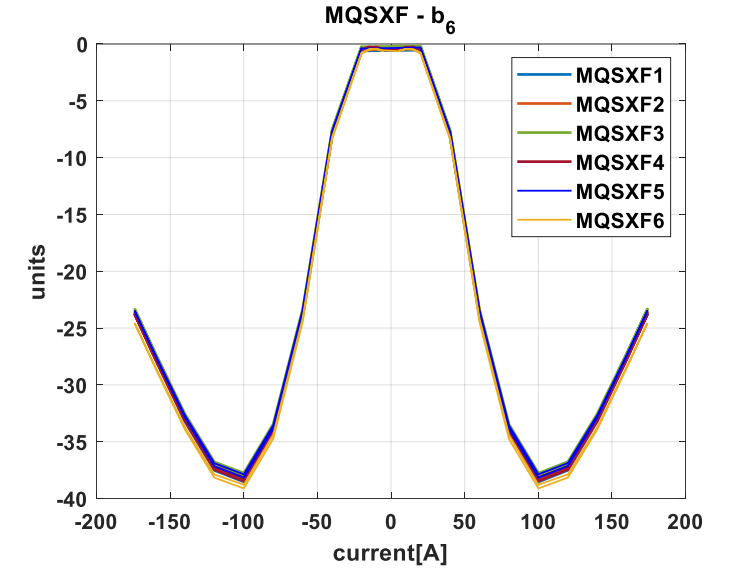
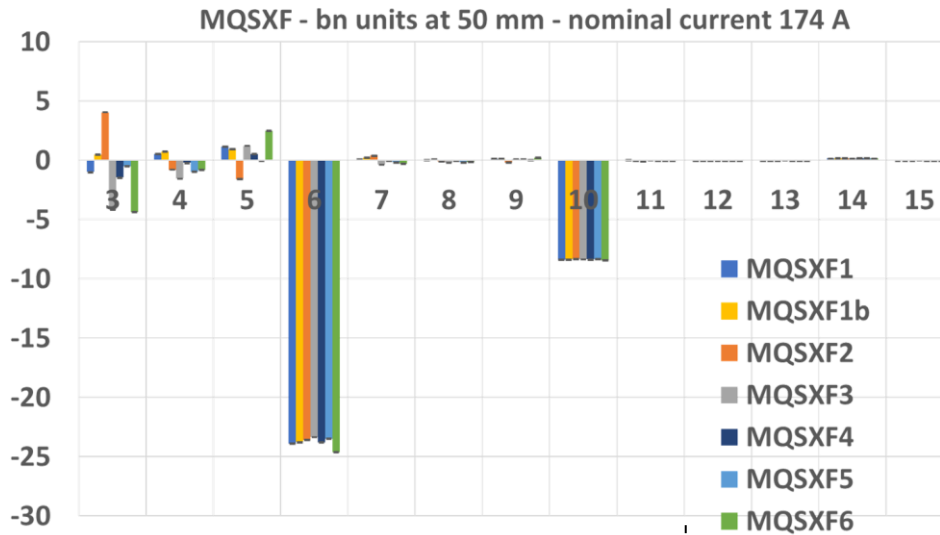
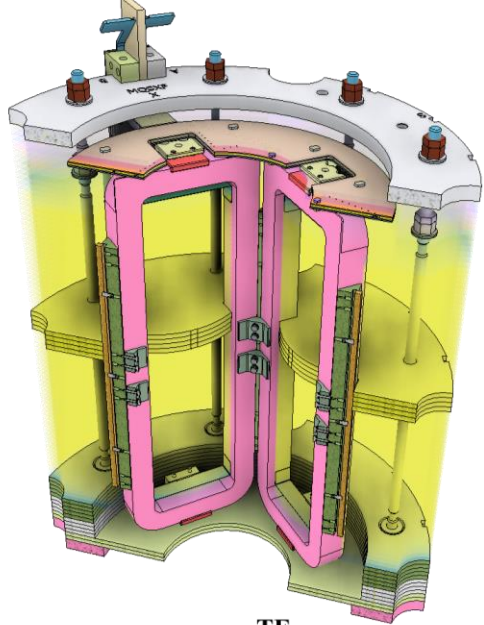
Sextupole at nominal



Magnet	MCSXF	MCOXF	MCDXF	MCTXF	MCTSXF
Magnet Order	6p	8p	10p	12p (N)	12p (S)
T_{max} (K)	122	121	99	112	98
$V_{gnd, max}$ (V)	63	73	33	145	33

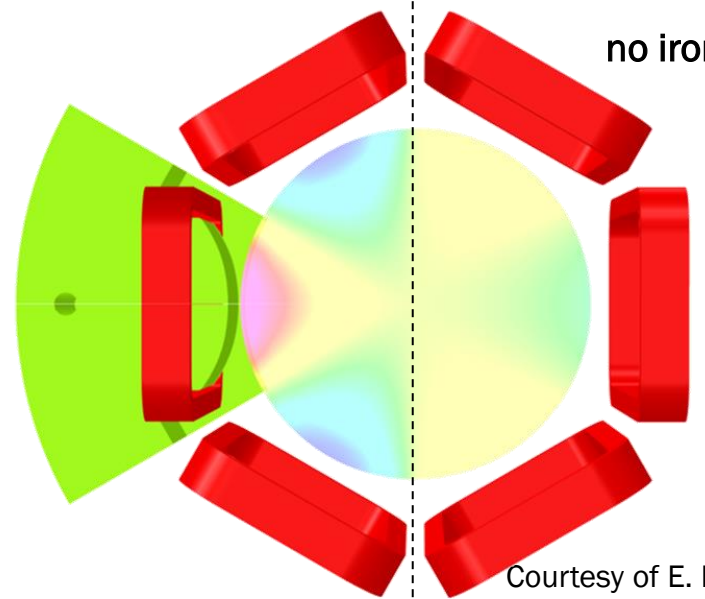
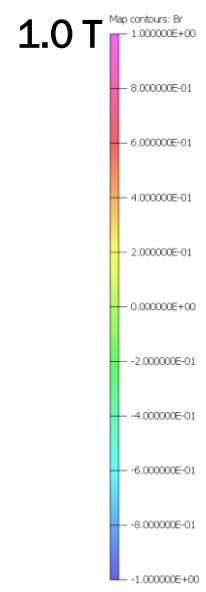
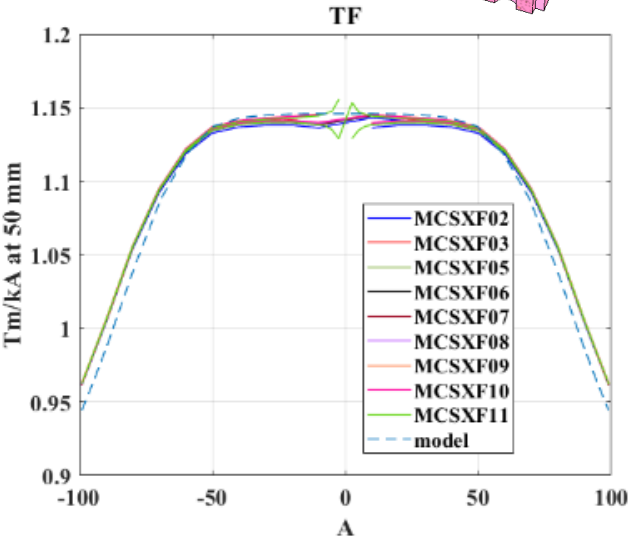
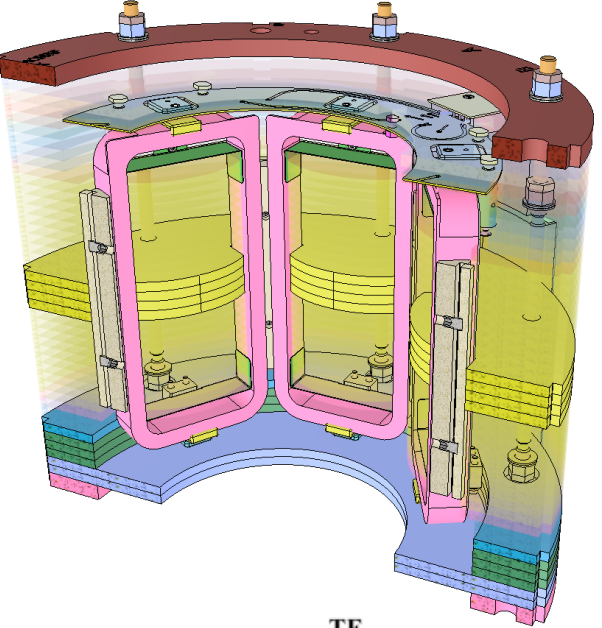
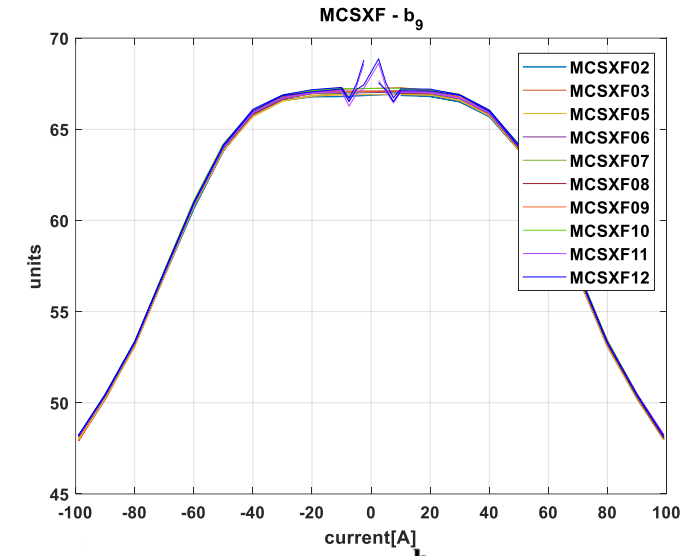
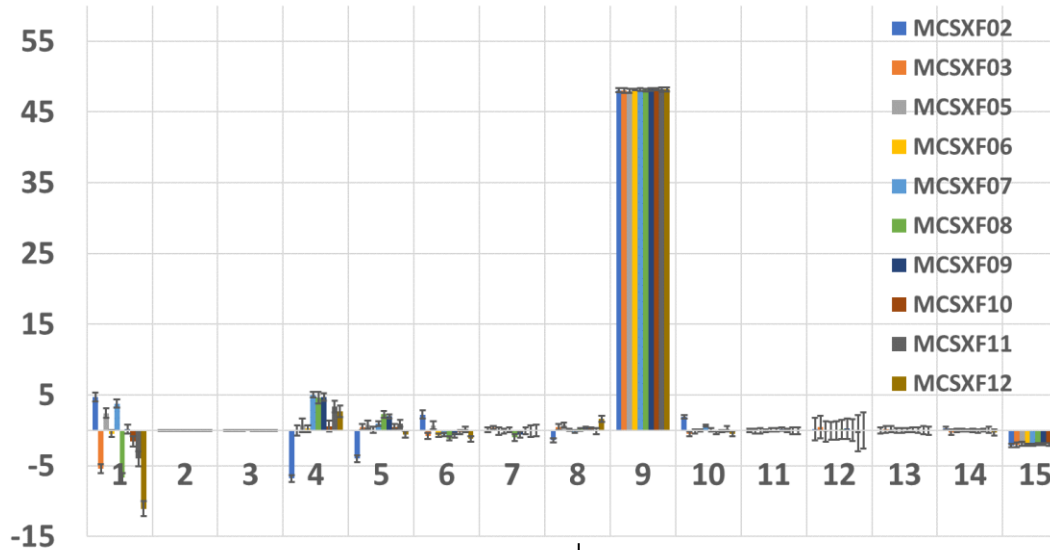


Skew Quadrupole Family Field Quality

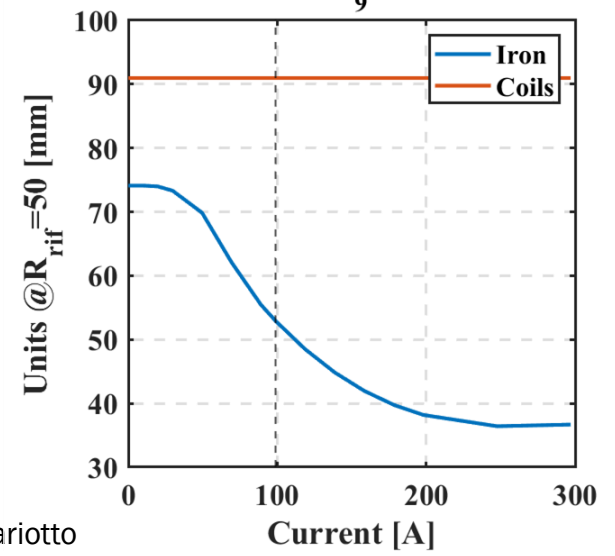


Sextupole Family Field Quality

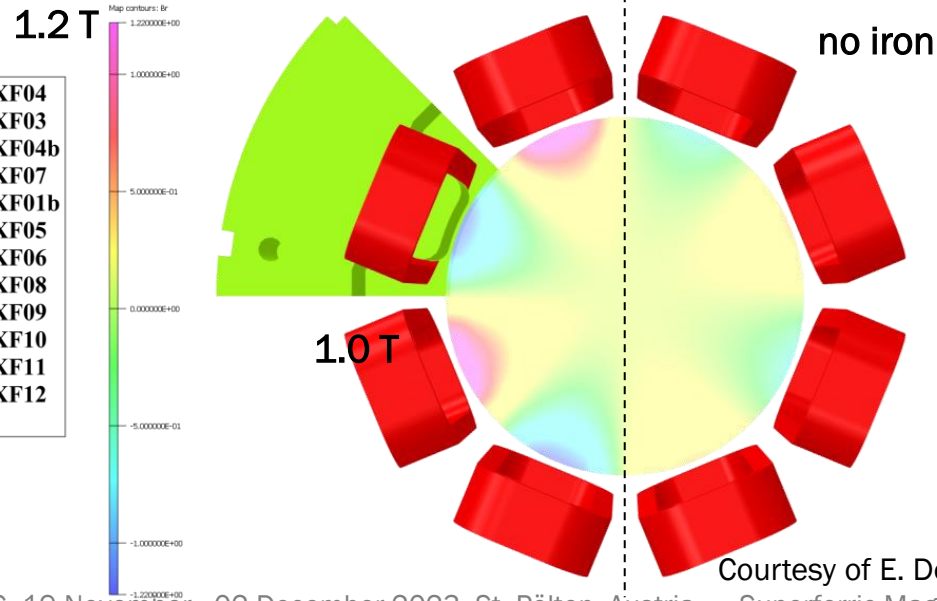
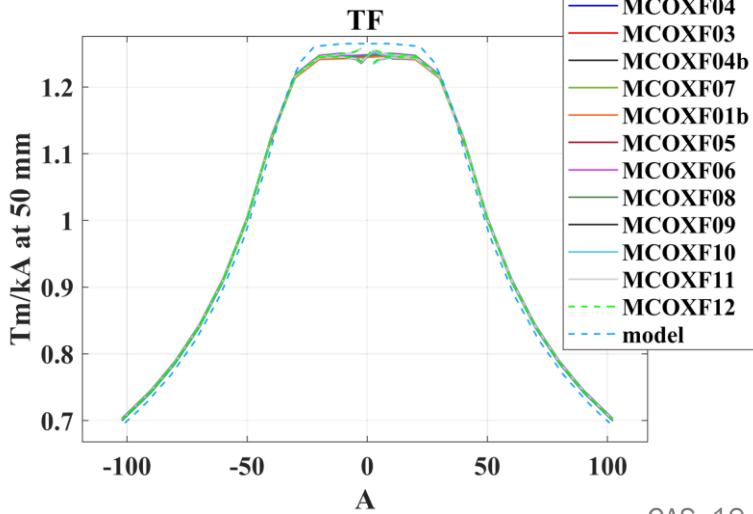
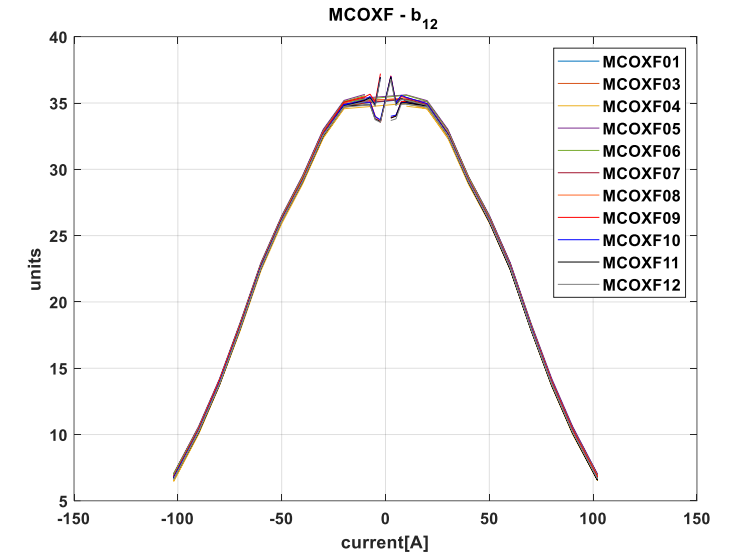
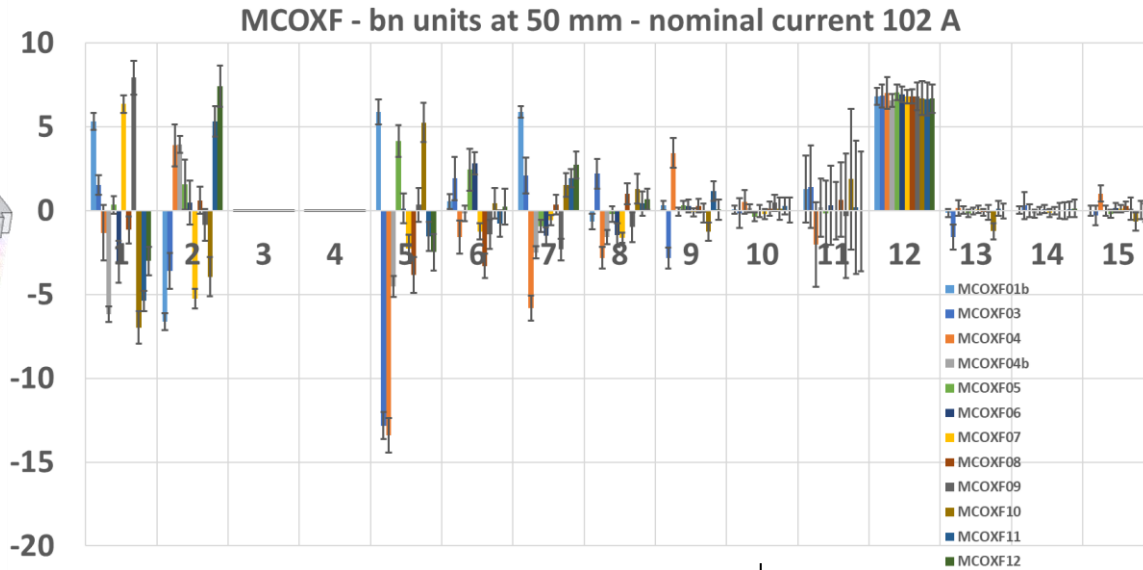
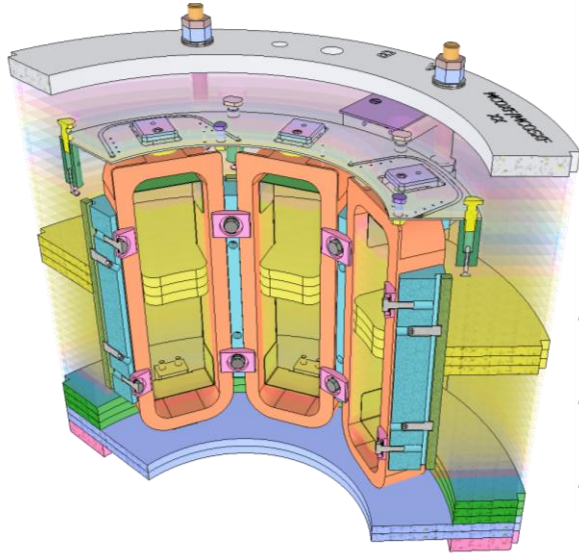
MCSXF - bn units at 50 mm - nominal current 99 A



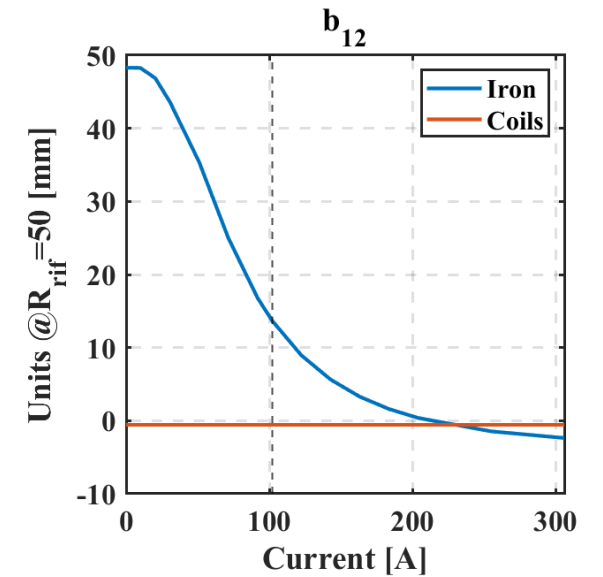
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Octupole Family Field Quality

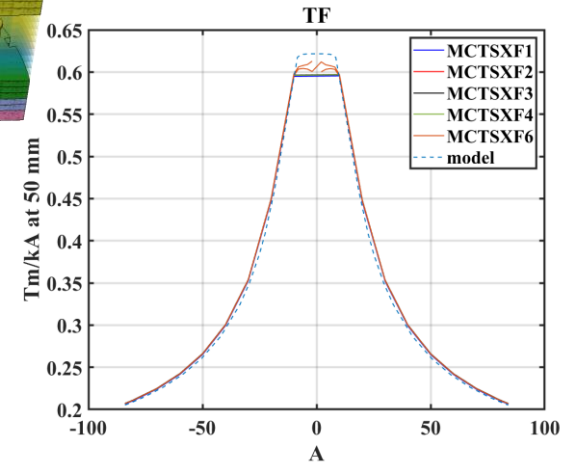
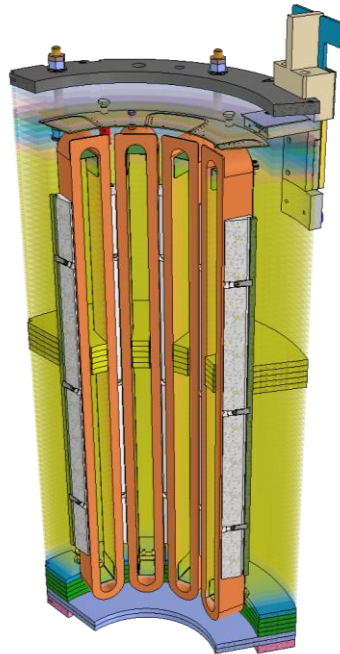
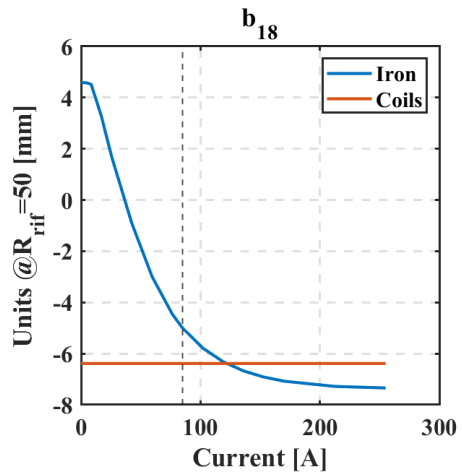
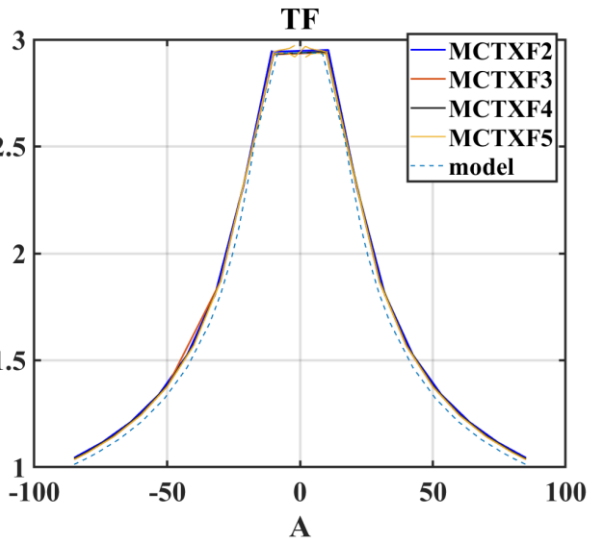
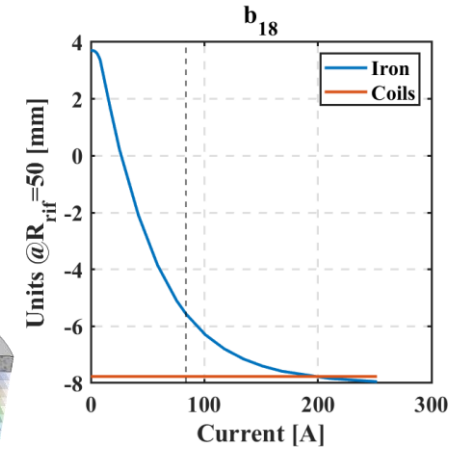
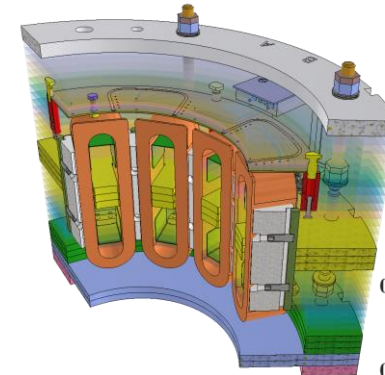
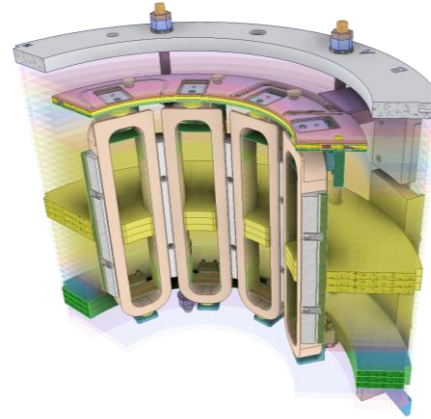
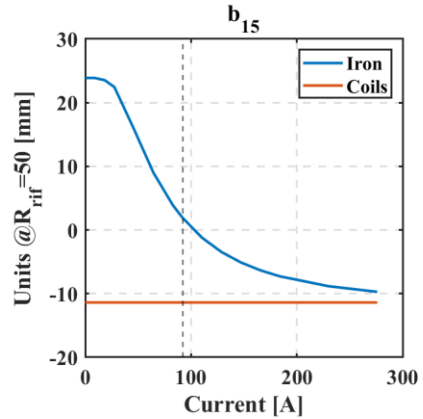
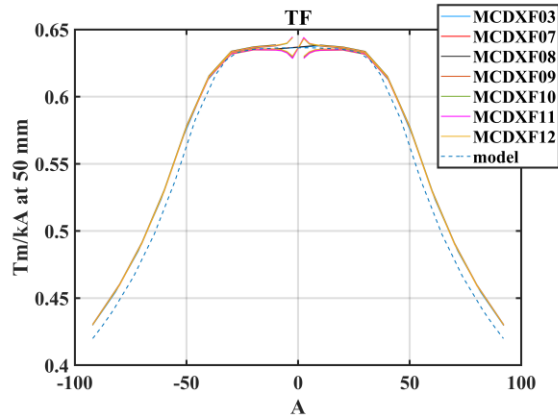


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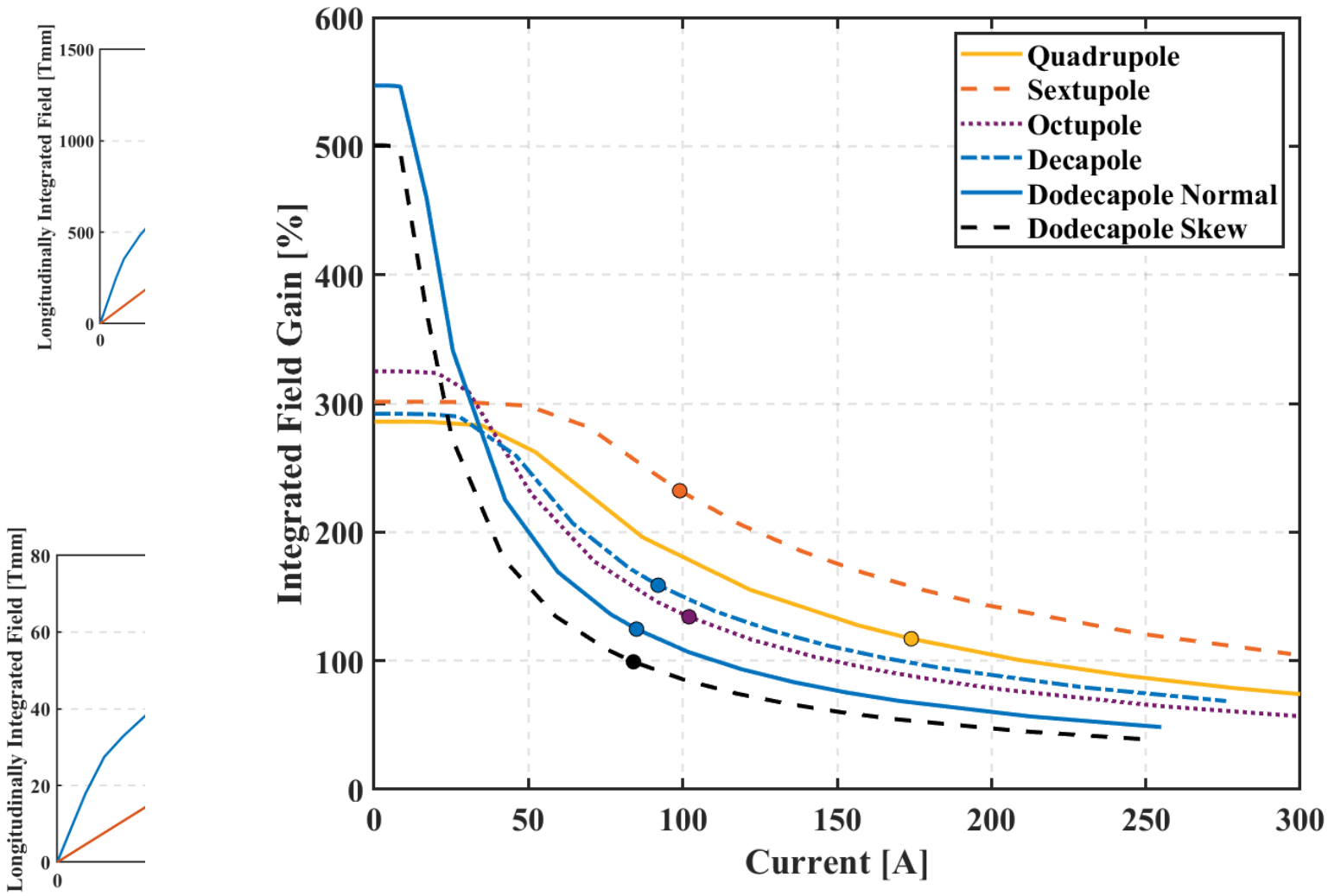


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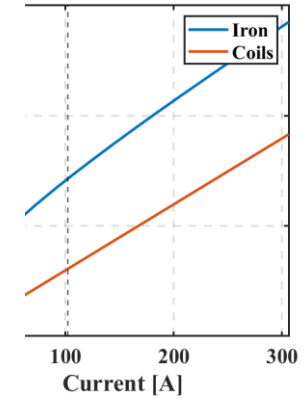
Decapole and Dodecapoles Transfer Functions



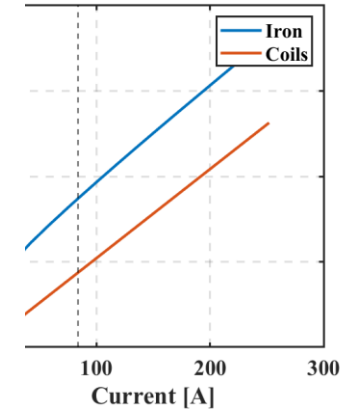
Effect of Iron in Superferric HOC



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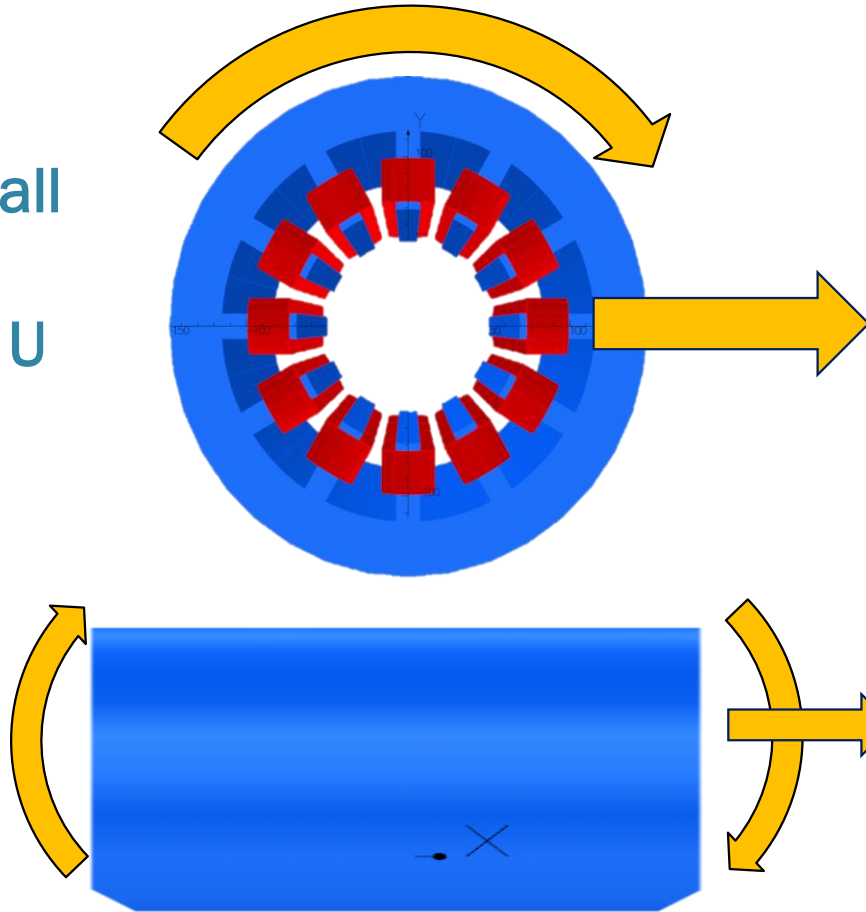
12PS



Effect of assembly tolerances on field quality, analysis by S. Mariotto

The superferric design allows a release of assembly tolerances, thus reducing the cost

Allowed overall harmonic content 100 U



Displacement max 0.1 mm

$$b_5 = -47.5 \text{ units}$$

$$b_7 = -4.6 \text{ units}$$



$$a_6 = 20.4 \text{ units}$$

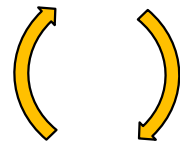


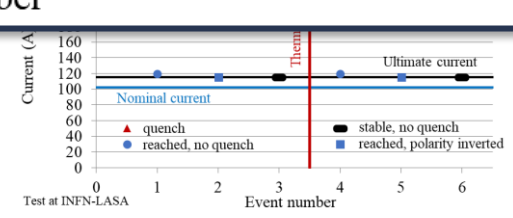
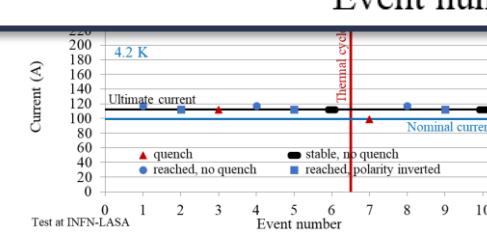
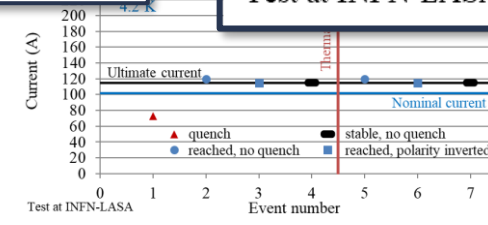
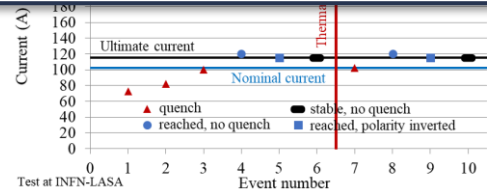
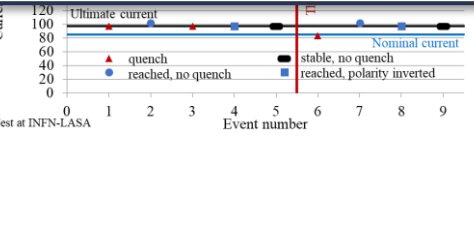
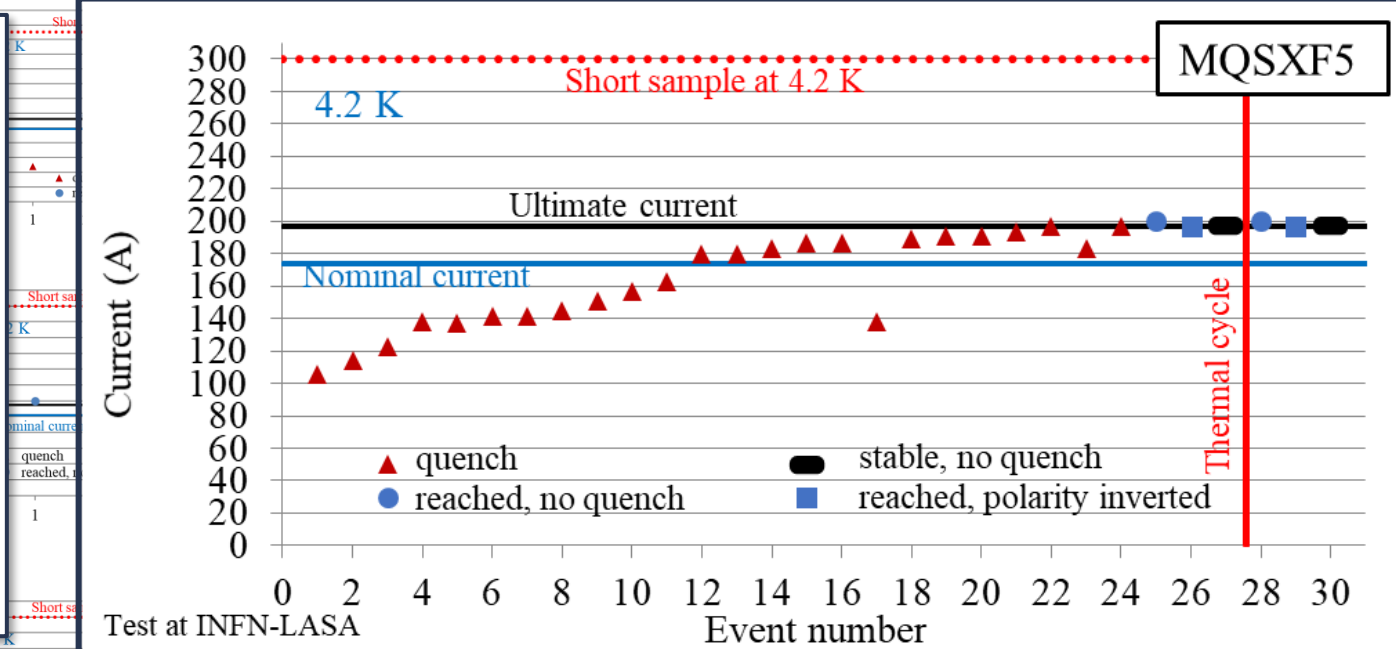
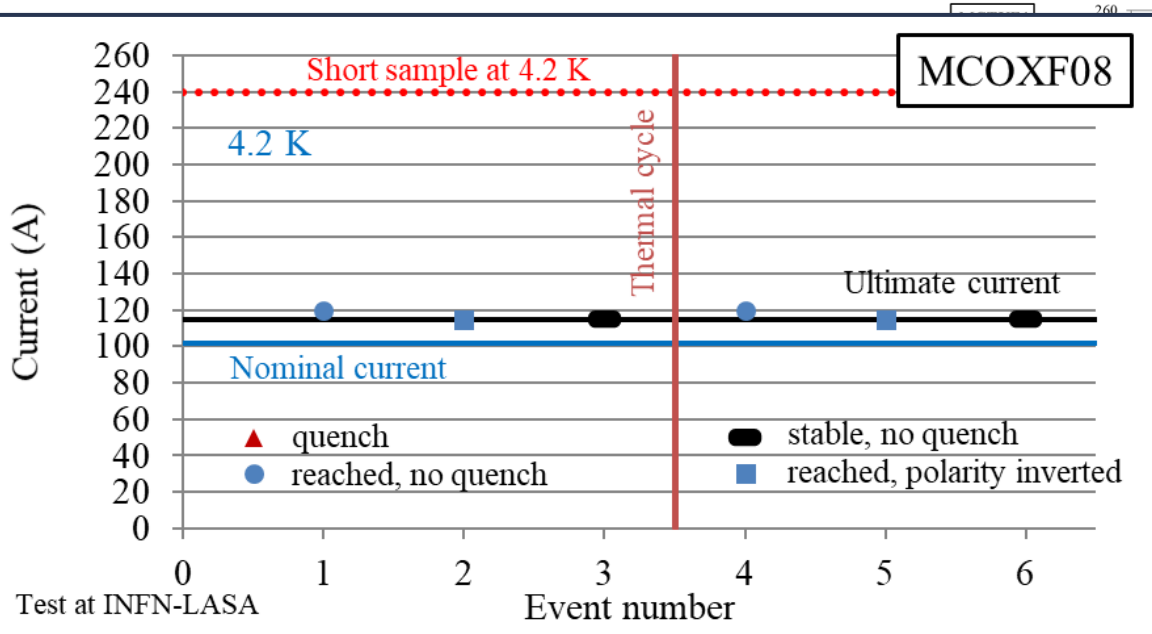
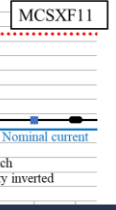
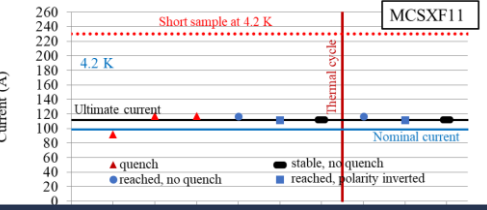
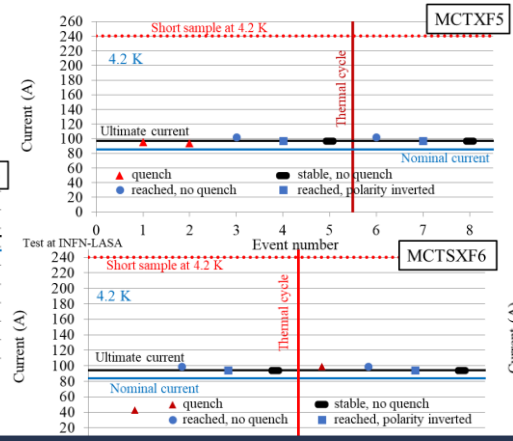
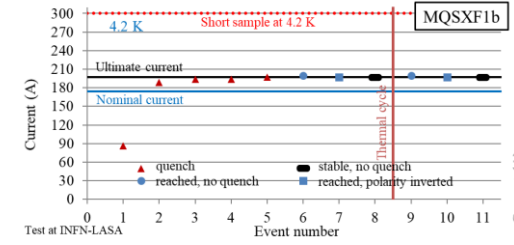
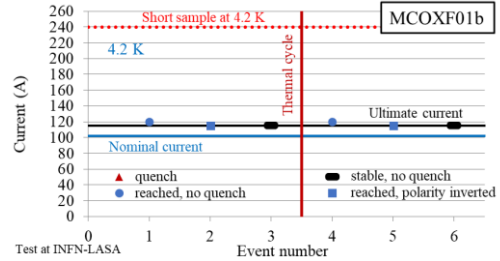
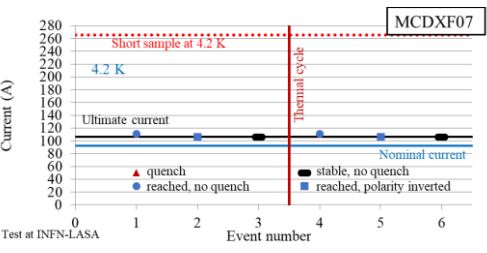
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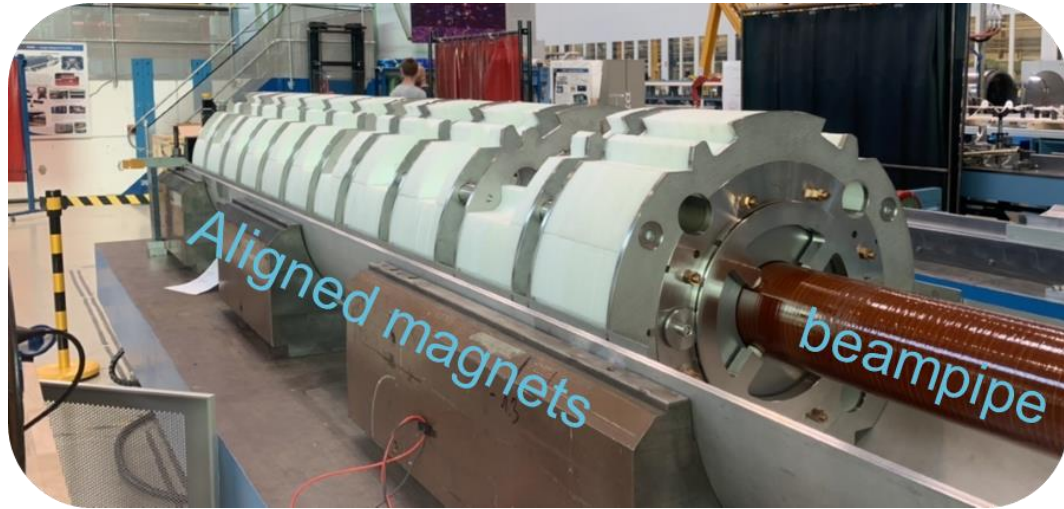
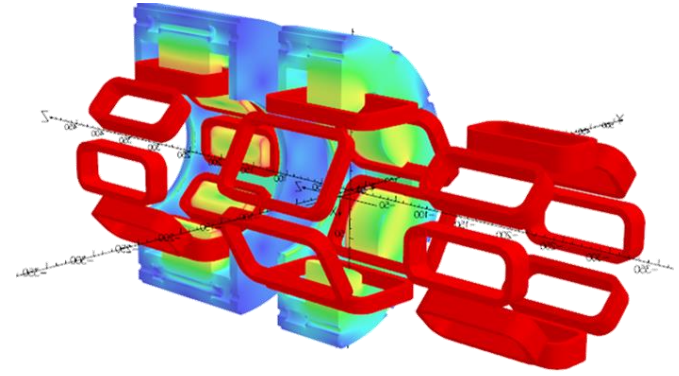
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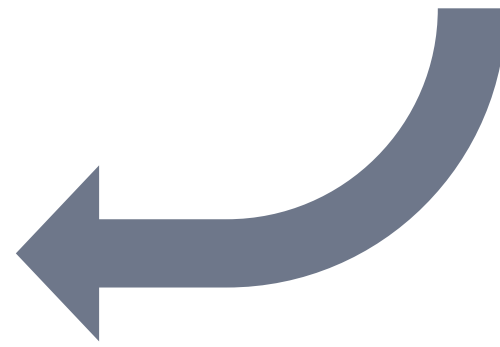
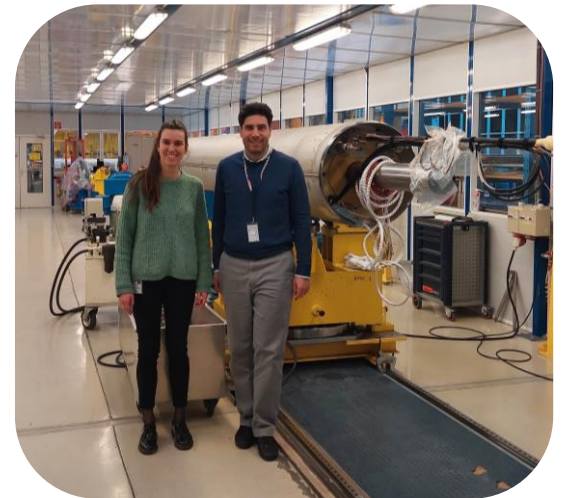
Displacement max 0.1 mm
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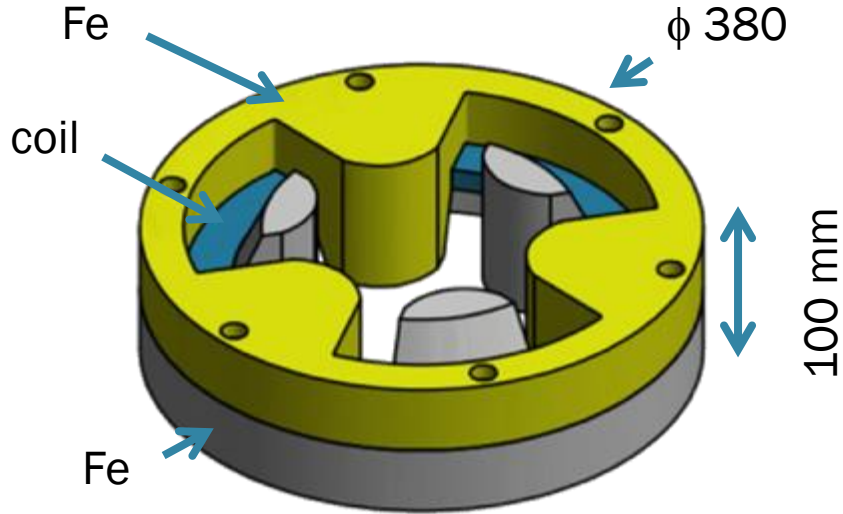




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Exploring Different Designs Round Coil Magnet



Demonstrator: one module

The special iron pole and return flux shaping generate a multipolar field (I. F. Malyshev and V. Kashikhin)

Iron dominated

Fits strain sensitive superconductors i.e. MgB₂ and ReBCO

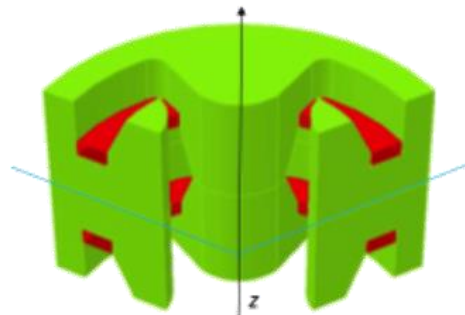
A full magnet has 2 coil to cancel solenoidal field

I. F. Malyshev, Patent 1 689 890/26-25, Oct. 12, 1973, Bulletin 41.
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alternating poles
on each iron ring

Iron rings for the
flux return

Full magnet



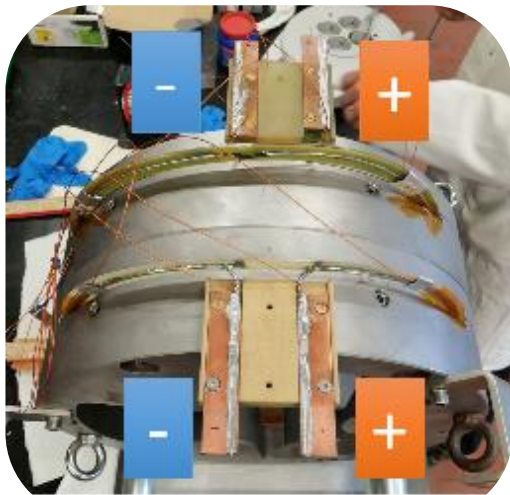
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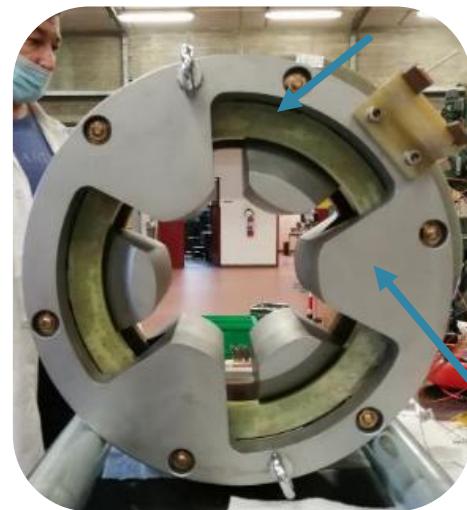
In/out
soldering

Conical spring
washers supports

- The development of the round coil magnet idea is a way to introduce HTS superconductors in accelerators
- Not the best choice for HL but suitable for lower energy accelerators and/or to operate at higher temperature
- One way toward higher **sustainability** of accelerators (10 K – 20 K operation)



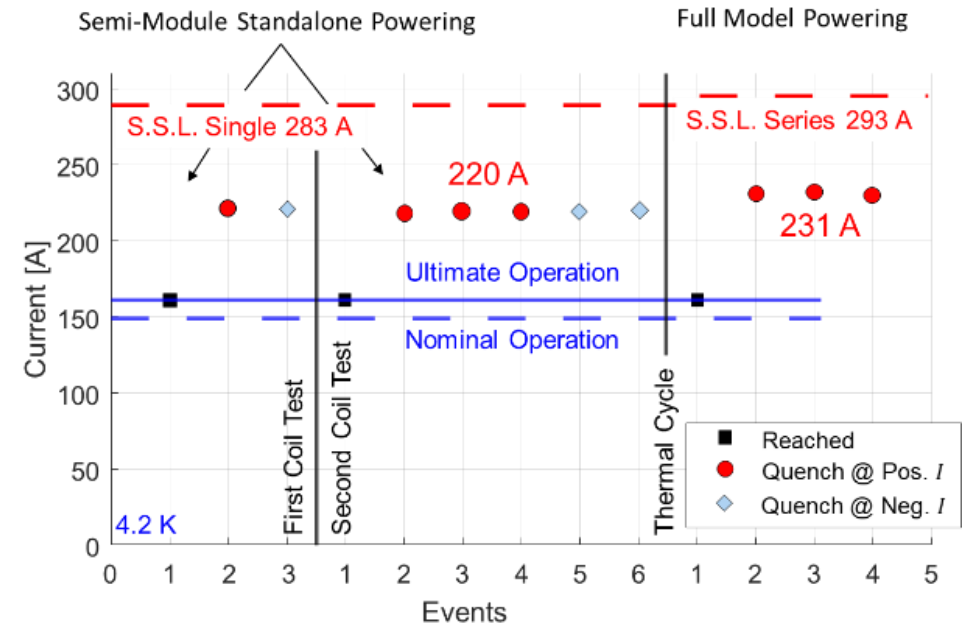
Full module



conductor

iron

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Energy saving accelerator and beam line magnets

European Strategy for Particle Physics 2020

Energy consumption of particle accelerator facilities is expected to **increase** in the future: Need for «Improvement of energy efficiency»

«Cryogen-free superconducting magnets instead of common resistive magnet for **heavy particles beam lines**»

Objectives:

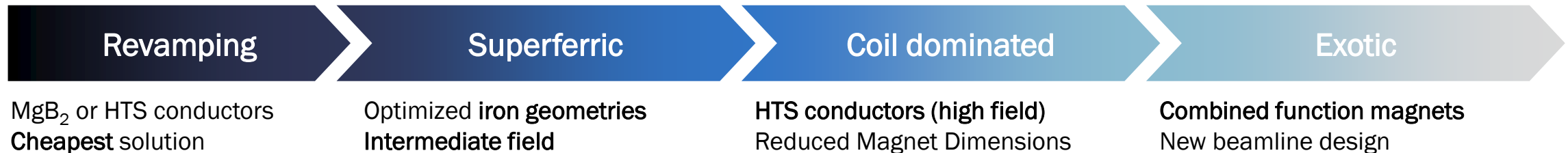
- Use of **MgB₂** or **HTS** conductors
- **Energy** consumption 5-20 lower
- Work @ **T=>20 K** with solid conduction cooling to reduce cryogenic power consumption



MNP33-Dipole
NA62-CERN
7560 MWh/y

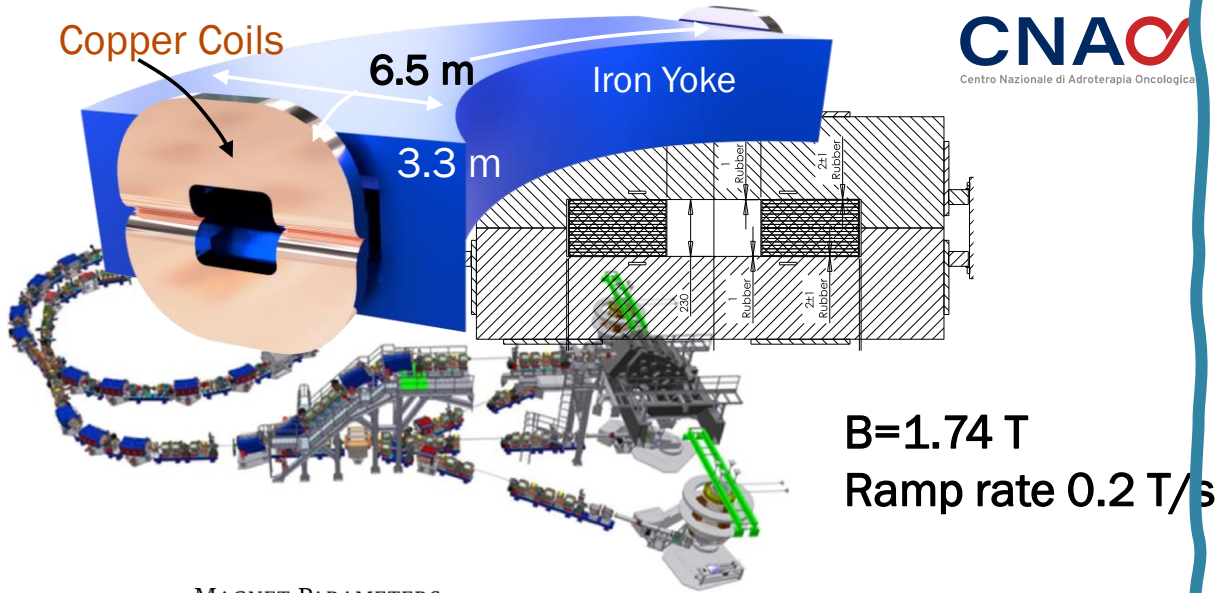


SM2-Dipole
Compass-CERN
6953 MWh/y



Magnet Case Studies

Ramped Bending Dipole «Window-Frame»



B=1.74 T
Ramp rate 0.2 T/s

MAGNET PARAMETERS

Nominal Current	2280 A
Min Current	380 A
Nominal Field	1.74 T
Magnetic Length	5740 mm
Entrance Angle	30°C
Exit Angle	21°C
Field Homogeneity	2 units
Maximum Power	700 kW

Main Features:

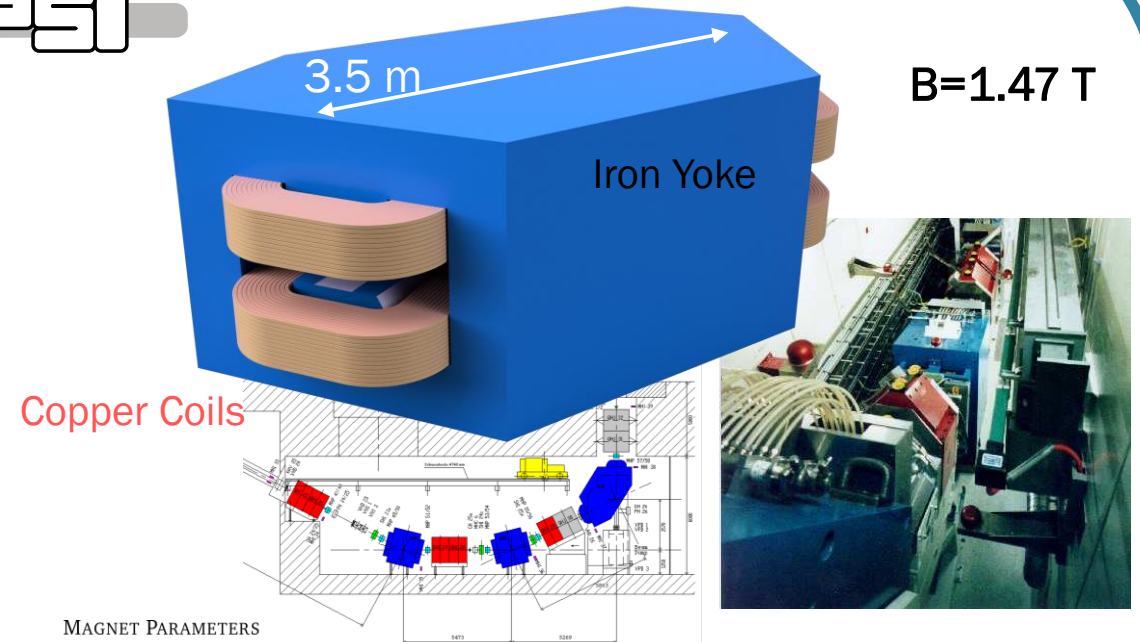
Field quality: $\pm 2E-4 \Delta B/B_0$ in 200x200 mm² aperture

Duty cycle depends strongly from patient treatment

30 kW DC = 262 MWh/year



Steady-state H-Type bending Dipole



Copper Coils

MAGNET PARAMETERS

	AHO
Air Gap	100 mm
Max. Current	1000 A
Max. Voltage	95 V
Max. Power	95 kW
R @ 20°C	83 mΩ
Cond. Dimensions	18.5×18.5 mm
Cooling Channel Diam.	11.5 mm
Water Flow	60 l/min
Pressure drop	8 bar
T Rise	23°C
Turns	144

Main Features:

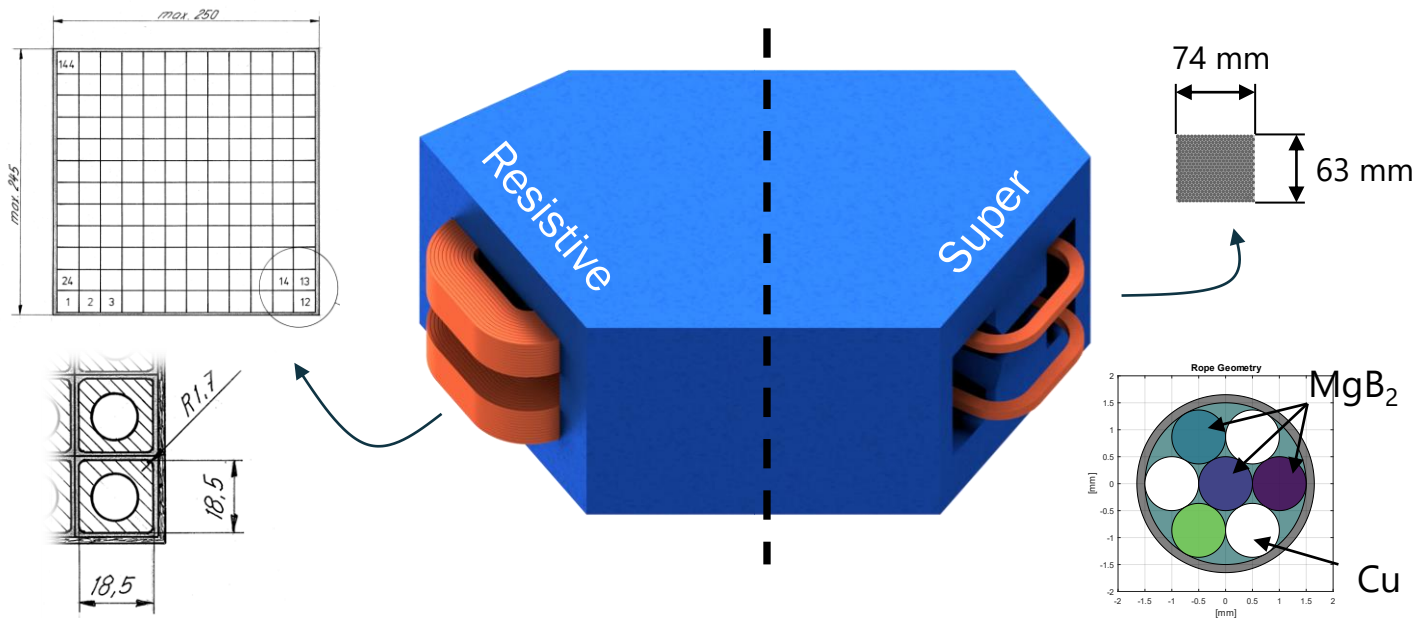
Weight of magnet: 50 tons
Copper coils cooling power 190 kW continuously mid-May to mid-Dec.

E_{tot} = 715 MWh/year

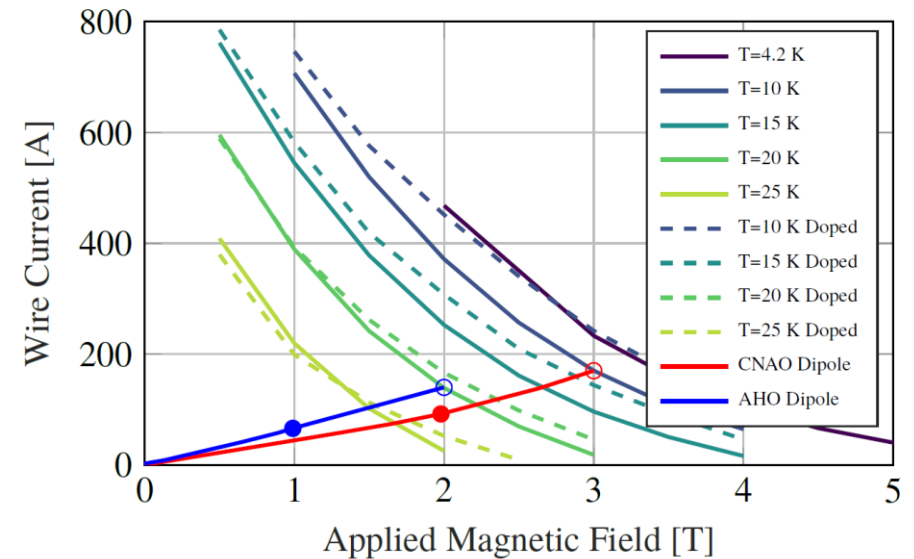
MgB₂ @ 20 K Electromagnetic Design

Target of the electromagnetic design optimization

- Magnetic field of 1.45 T at center.
- Field quality given by the yoke poles (coil used to magnetize it). Same ampere-turns (144 x 1000 A)
- Use of a rope (4 MgB₂ conductors and 3 high-purity copper wires).
 - 484 ropes carrying 300 A @ 1.2 T (50% margin LL - 8 K temperature margin)

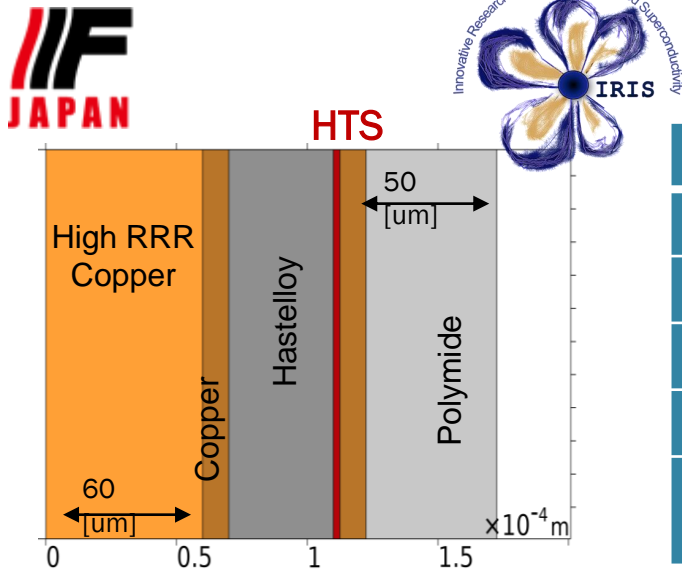
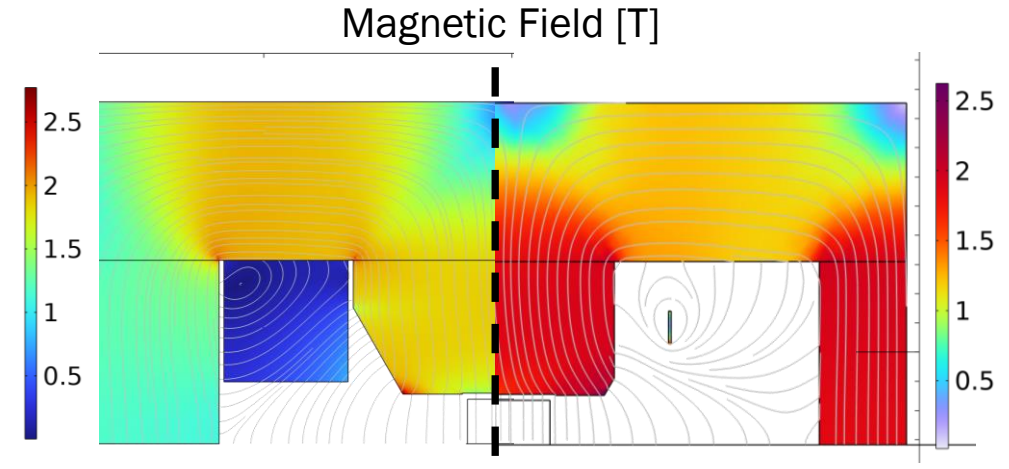


300 A

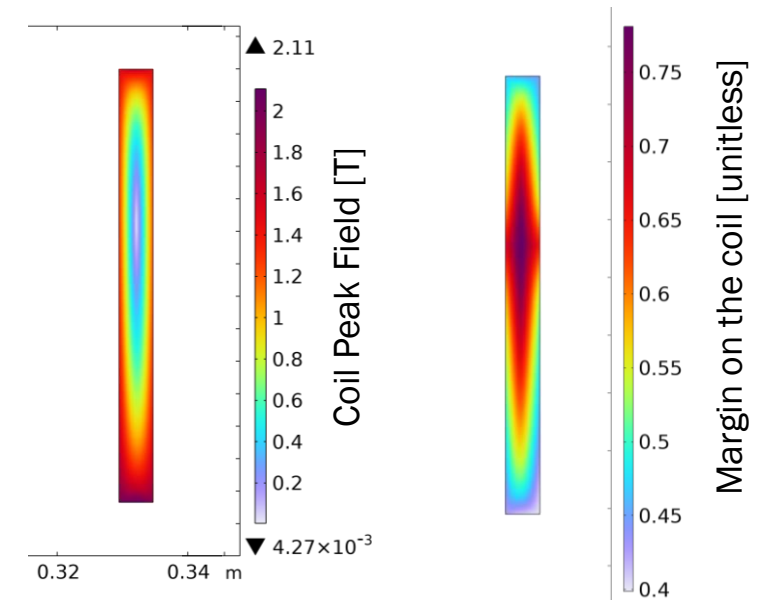


Target of the electromagnetic design optimization

- Magnetic field of 1.45 T at center.
- 2D Field magnetic optimization of coil cross-section
- Minimize Peak Field on conductor while obtain the maximum margin on LL
 - Scaling of the old ampere-turns (144 A x 1000 turns)



Dimensions	4 mm × 67 μm
Substrate	40 μm of Hastelloy C276
Copper stabilizer	2 × 10 μm, RRR>20
Easy-way minimum bend	10 mm
Allow longitudinal strain	-0.4 % to 0.3 %
I_c , 50 K, 2 T	Min. 508 A with B_{\perp} Max. 832 A with B_{\parallel}



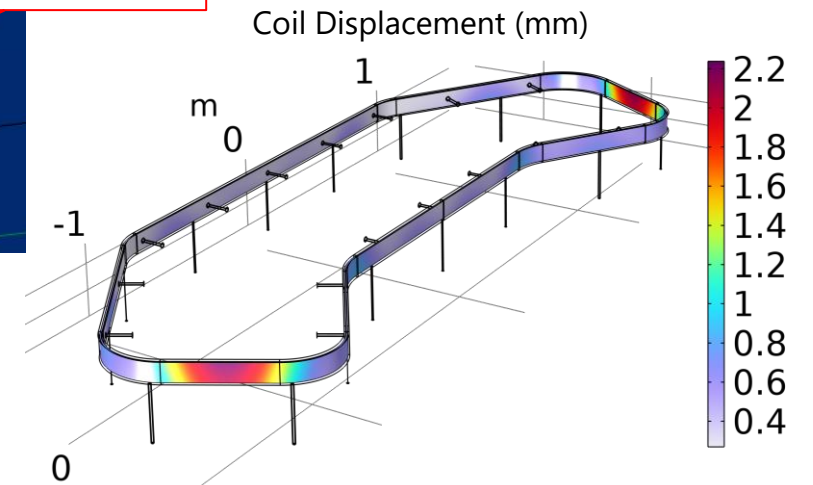
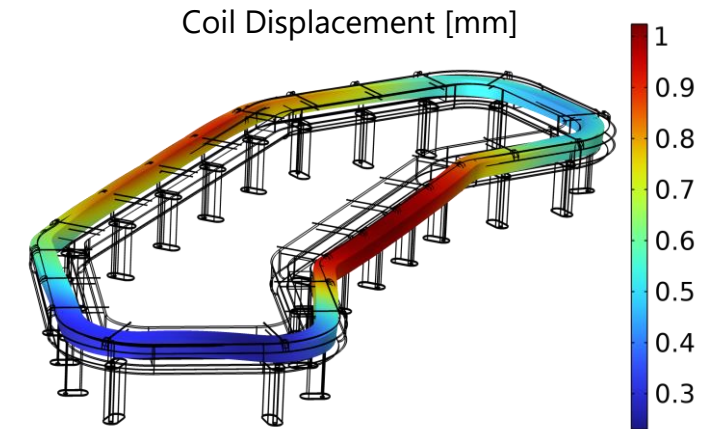
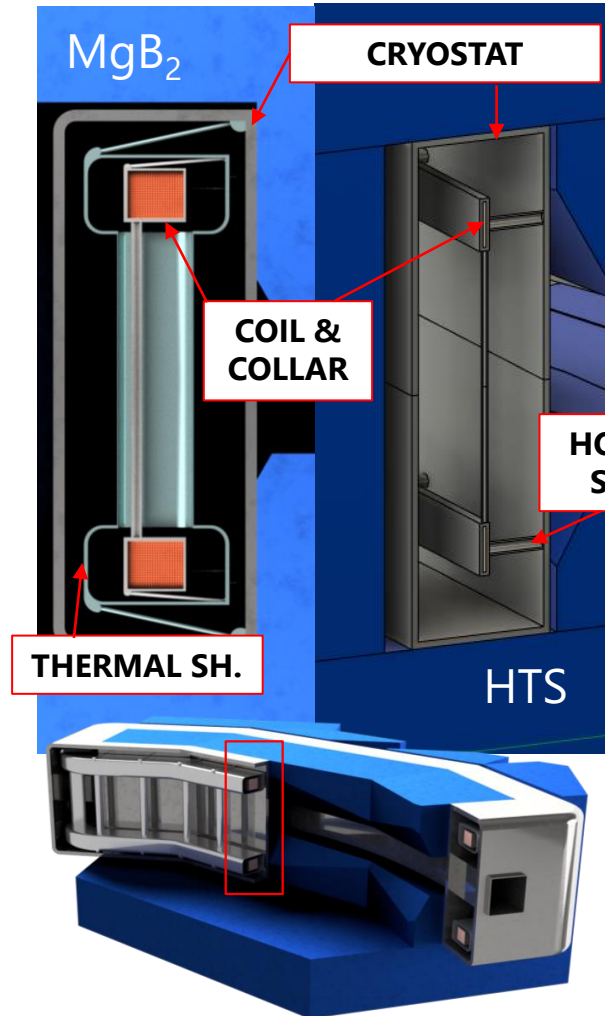
Courtesy: Stefano Sorti, UNIMI

To limit coil displacement and deformation a **collar** can be used (SS 316LN)

A distributed **set of SS 316LN tie-rods** or **cylindrical support** in **G10** is adopted to sustain mechanically the coil

MgB₂ configuration requires active cooled aluminum **thermal shield** (cooled @ 70 K with coils @ 20 K). **HTS can work @ 50K**

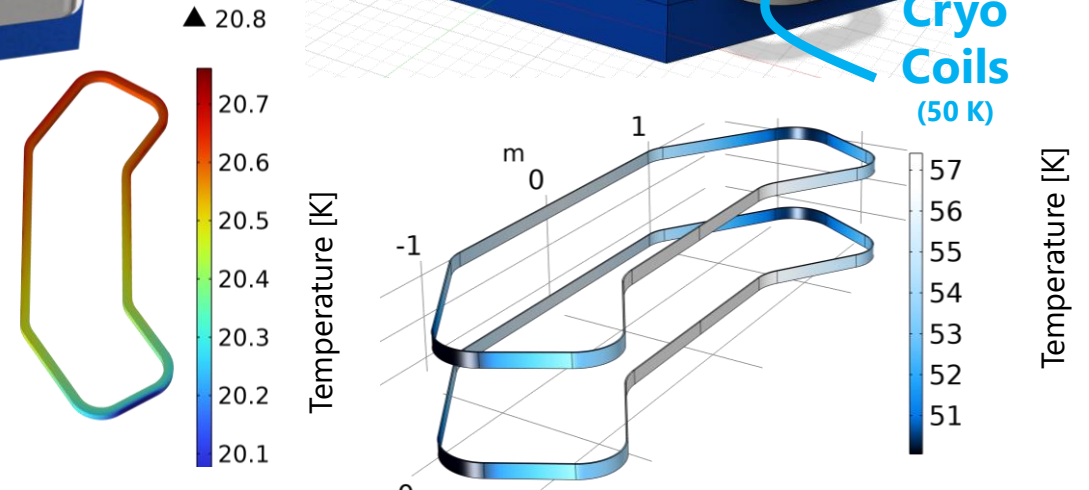
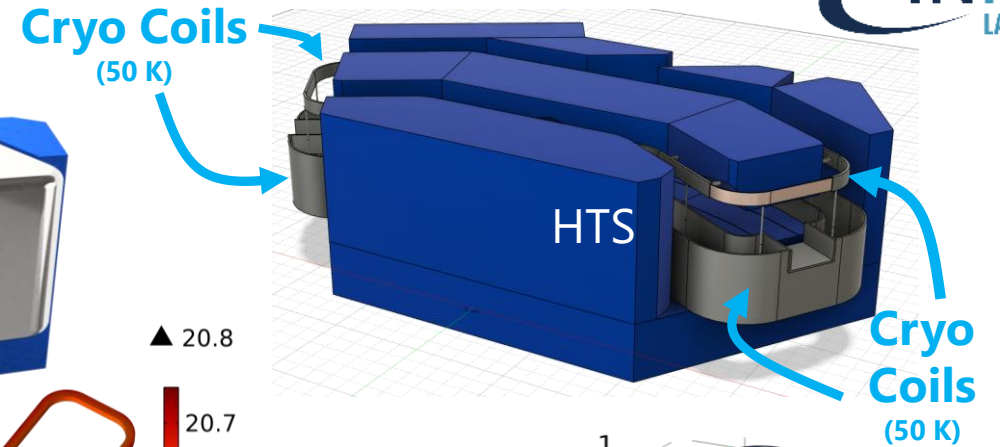
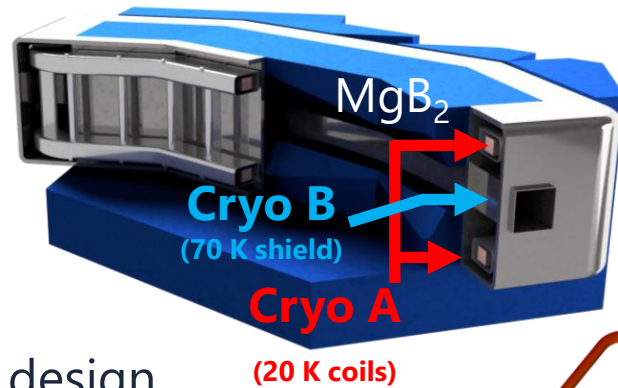
	Supports	N	Length (mm)	Diam. (mm)
MgB ₂	Coil-shield	48	130	4
	Shield-cryostat.	48	180	6
HTS	Horizontal	16	130	20
	Vertical	16	198	10



Thermal Design

How to optimize the thermal loads:

- MLI (30 Layers) used to reduce the radiation power on thermal shield
- **Current leads** have to be carefully design to minimize heat load on coil. Choice of **operational current** is important (300 A)
- Cryocoolers installed on **one/both side** of the magnet



MAGNET	MgB ₂		HTS
	Coils @ 20 K	Shield @ 70 K	Coil @ 50 K
Q support	1.35 W	12 W	4.6 W
Q Current Leads	0.2 W	24 W	28 W
Q radiation	0.45 W	11 W	11.7 W
Q tot	2 W	47 W	44.3 W

Energy Consumption		
Resistive Config.	MgB ₂ @ 20K Design	HTS @ 50K Design
190 kW 715 MWh/year	5 kW 18 MWh/year	3,4 kW 13 MWh/year
Reduction Factor	40 Times	56 Times

Test and Magnetic measurement of EESD magnet demonstrator

Solid design for the cable

Good performance at low temperature

High current to be evaluated in case of a conduction cooled test

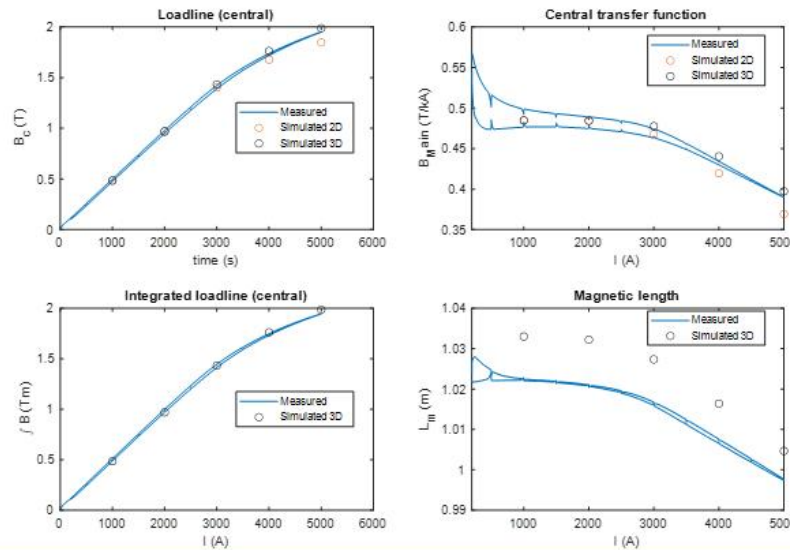


MgB₂ Cable (18 Strands Twisted Around Braided Copper Core)

EESD magnet demonstrator

- **Magnetic measurement date** conformed to expectations.
- **20 K test** under preparation.

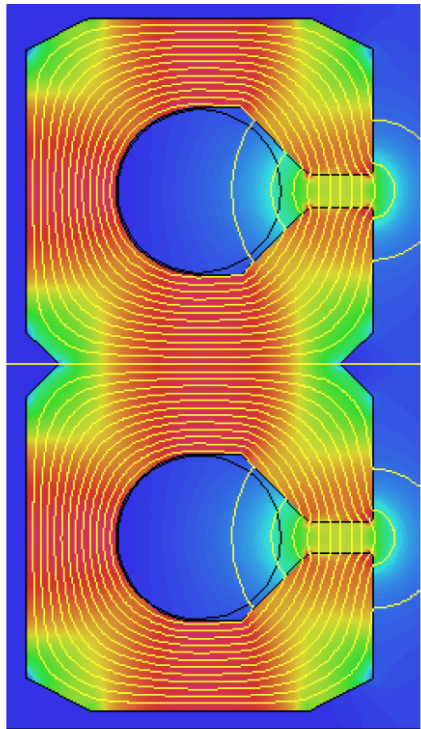
- **Energy-Efficient Superferric Dipole (EESD)** is an innovative iron-dominated magnet design relying on the **3-kA MgB₂ cable** developed for sc link in WP6a.
- **A demonstrator** was built and tested, which achieved **5 kA and 1.95 T dipole field at 4.5 K** without quench.



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Superferric option for FCC

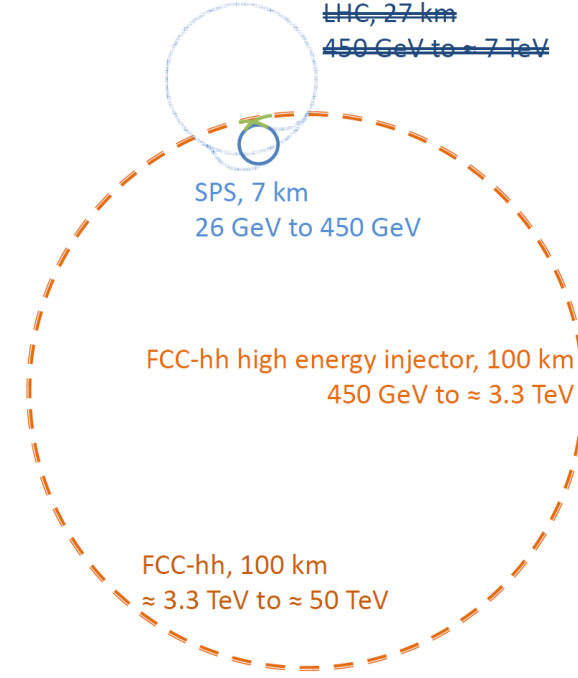
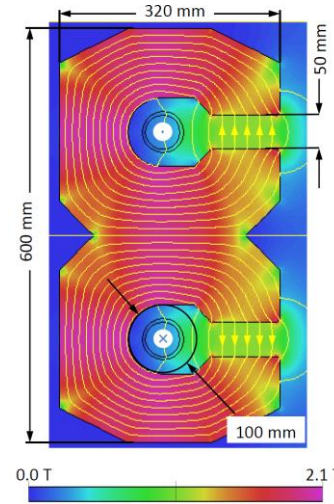


Resistive

- peak power (in magnets only) of **100 MW** with coil operating at low current density (1 A/mm²)
- overall size 54 x 108 cm
- 45 kA for 1.1 T in bore
- **parallel physics?**

Superconducting

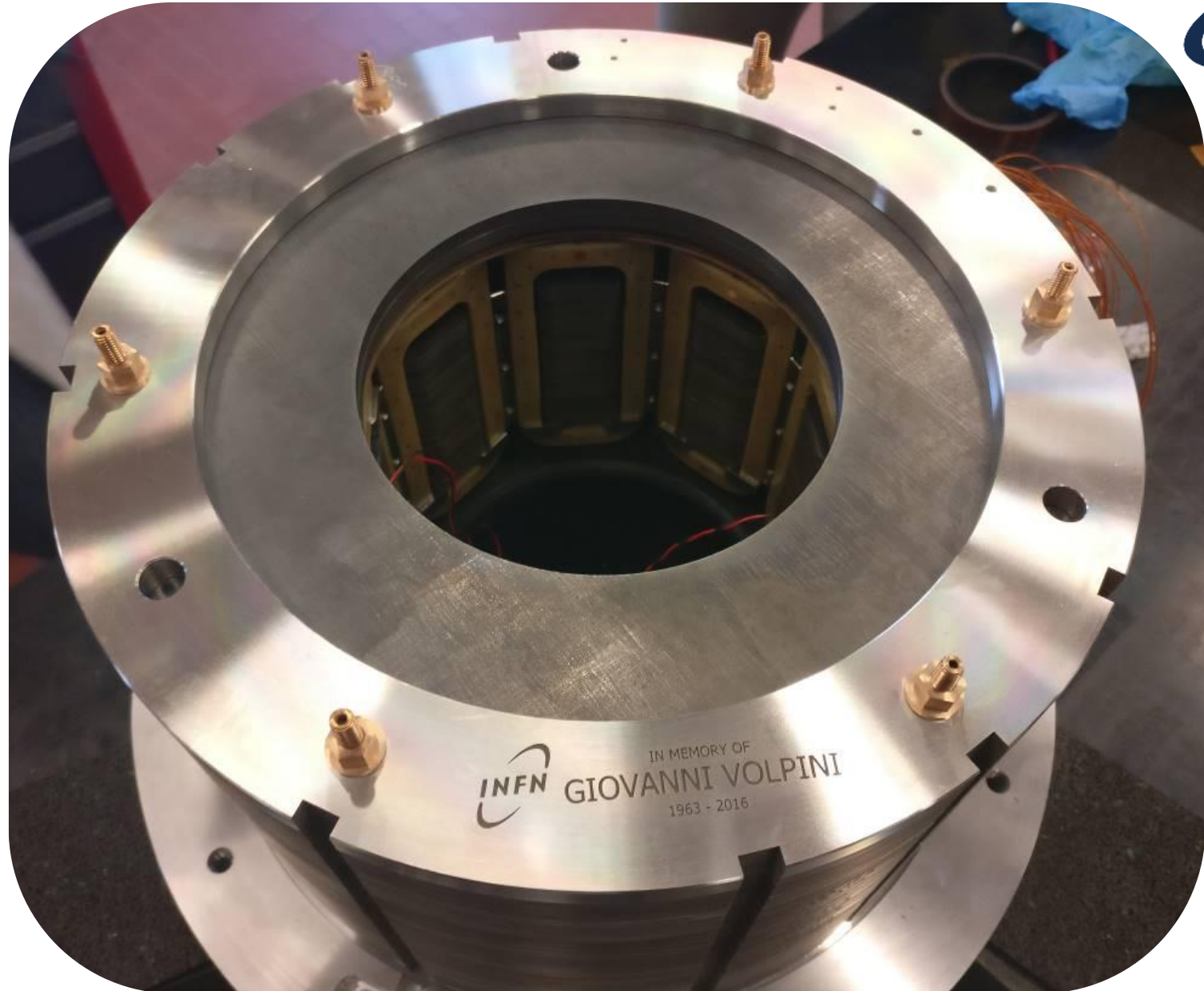
- cryogenic power to be evaluated, function of cycle (ramp rate and frequency), superconducting material, operating temperature, cryostat design
- overall size 32 x 60 cm
- 50 kA for 1.1 T in bore



- An option for the FCC-hh higher energy injector
- Optimization by 2 apertures
- Manufacture potentially cheap
- High current, but one power converter
- Cryogenics to be optimized

A. Milanese et al, IPAC 2014

- Superferric magnets are
 - Flexible
 - Reliable
 - Inexpensive
- Not solving any possible technical problem
- Interesting for energy saving reserach and applications



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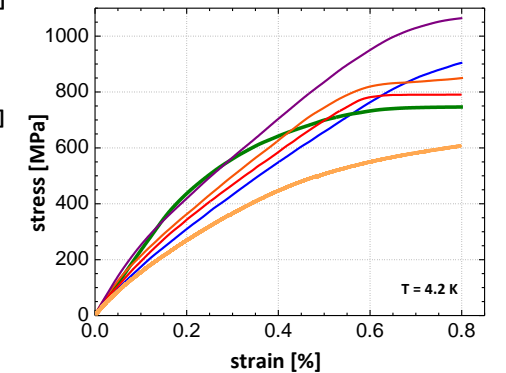
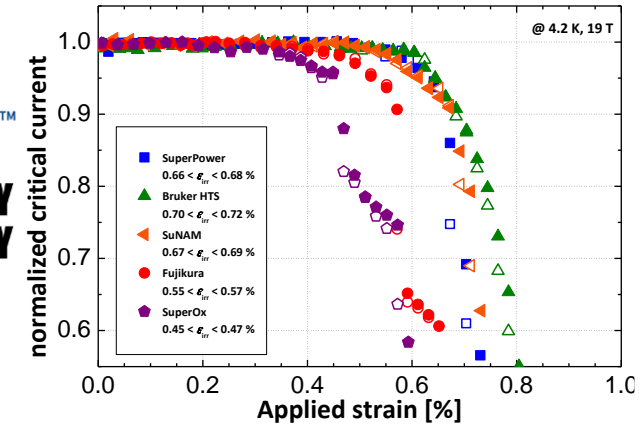
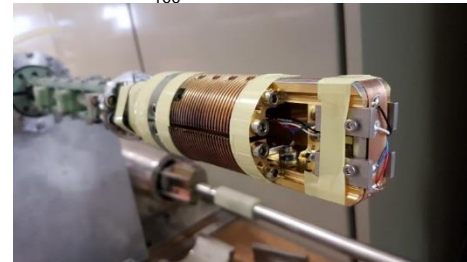
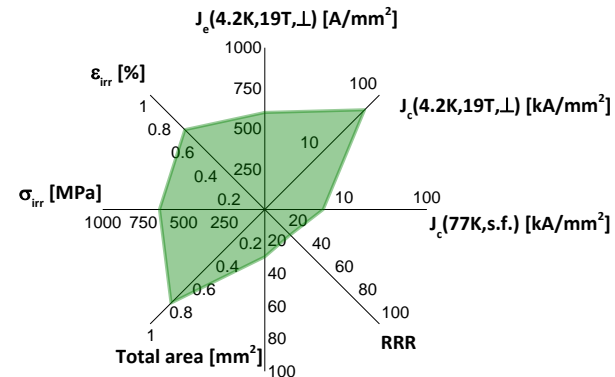
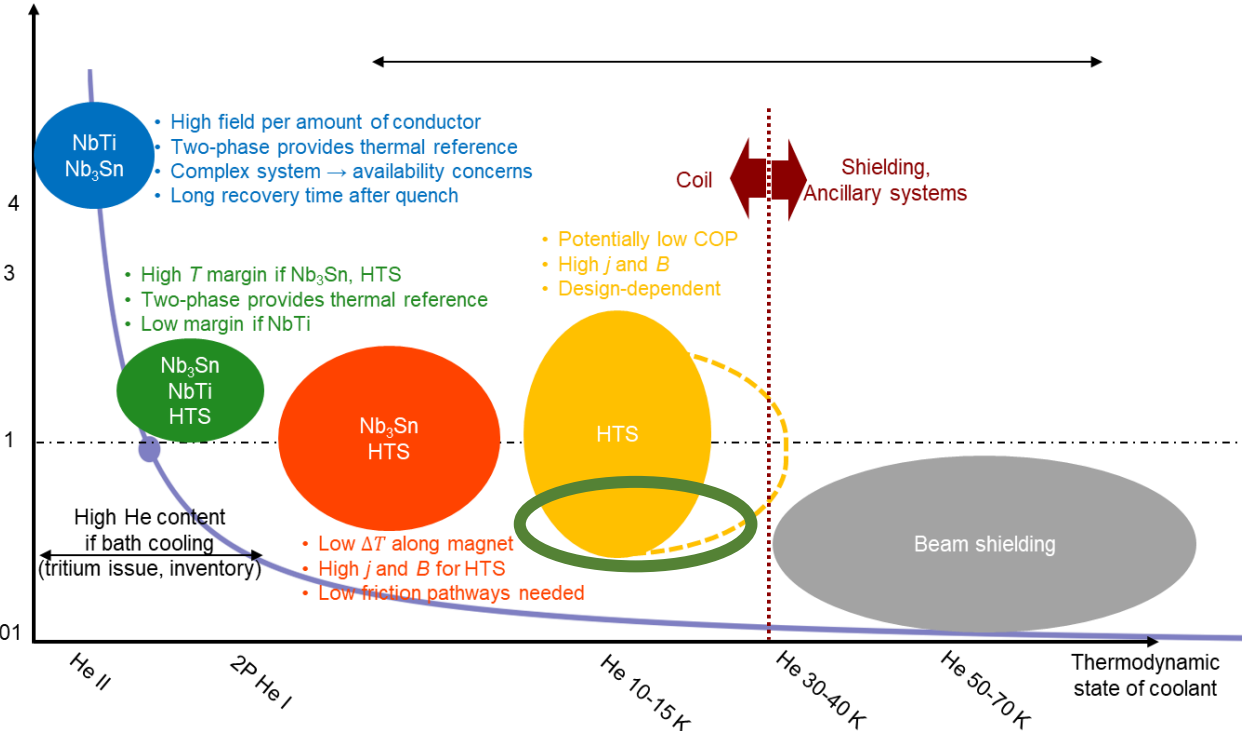
Motivation and conductor characterization

3 pillars of design:

Performance (field and field quality), Cost and Sustainability

Ongoing conductor characterization and modeling

10 K to 20 K operating temperature



Electromechanical properties

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