

WP7 HFM Status

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WP7 High field magnets



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Task 1: Coordination and communication (1)

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After the kick-off in February 2009, 7 collaboration meetings were held (at CEA, CERN, PWR, UNIGE and CNRS Grenoble)

Task 1 activities in the last months:

- Semestriel reports
- Organization of the collaboration meetings
- external review 20-21 January 2011

Plans for next semester:

- Organize the next collaboration meetings
- Organize the dipole mini-reviews

Task 2: Support studies (1)

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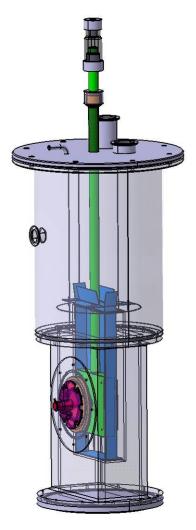
Macej Chorowski & Jarek Polinski (PWR)

- [7.2.1 minor delay, personnel: +, material -]
- [7.2.2 task on schedule, personnel: +, material -]

7.2.1 Radiation studies for insulation and impregnation (PWR)

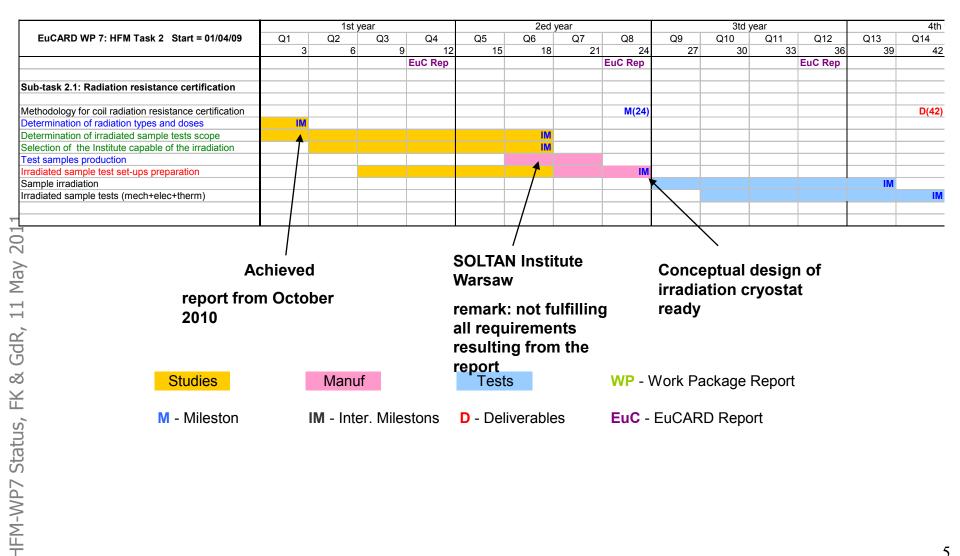
- Future and upgraded accelerators need radiation hard magnets. Insulators in the coil are one of the sensitive components
- LHC inner triplet type dose (total of all types) : 50 MGy, to be done with electron beam of a few MeV
 - Test at Soltan have resulted in the feasibility of irradiating with a 6 MeV accelerator structure the thermal and electrical sheets in reasonable time: 12 working days for 11 samples in parallel. It should be possible to irradiate the 52 samples during 3 months. For the mechanical samples (6x6x20 mm) it is not possible to do this as the beam spot is too small and the penetration too little: PWR is working on designing smaller samples so that it will fit with the 6 MeV beam

PWR, CEA, CERN



Task 2: Support studies (2)





Task 2: Support studies (3)

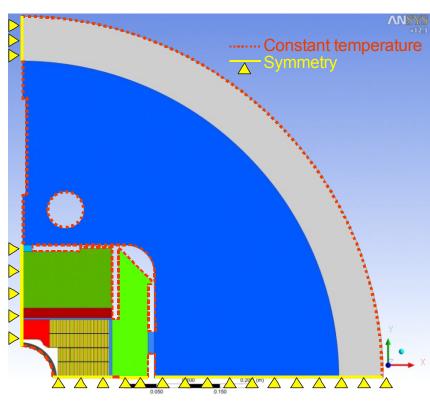


7.2.2 Thermal models and design (CEA, CERN, PWR)

At CEA and CERN models have been build to simulate the thermal behaviour of the Fresca2 magnet (task 3 dipole). This has been used to calculate 2 cases:

- Steady state losses at 1.9 K and 4.2 K
- Cool down scenarios

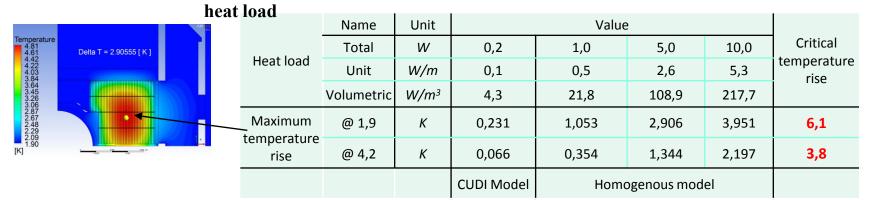
A milestone report has just been finished, it will be released in the next 2 weeks

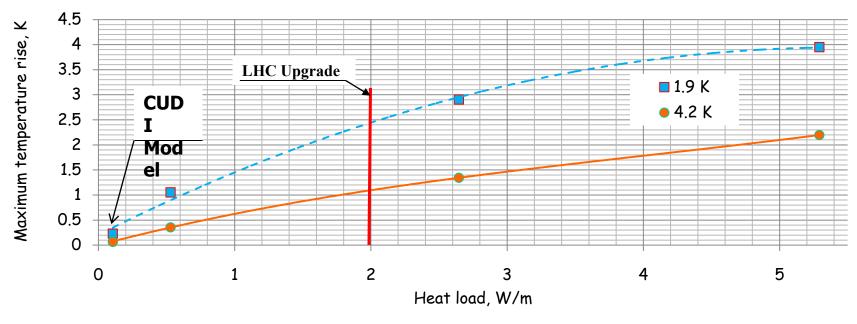


Task 2: Support studies (4), Modeling of thermal process in the magnet during ramp rate – 2 D steady state model

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Maximum temperature difference in magnet at different bath temperature and



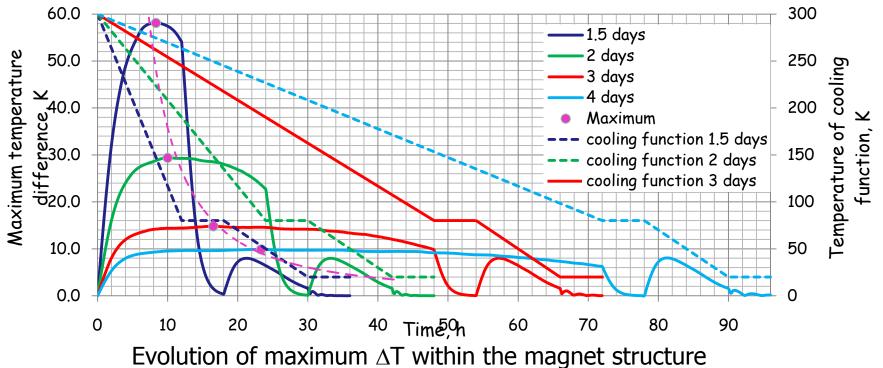


Temperature rise in the magnet as a function of heat load

Task 2: Support studies (5), Modeling of cool-down process – 2 D transient model -

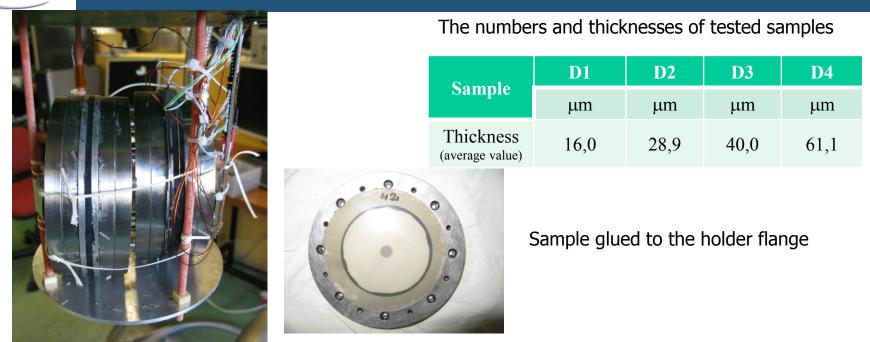


- Temperature differences in the magnet should be minimized to avoid peak stresses (< 20 K)
- Cool-down from 300 K => 80 K with 16 bar He gas in tube in contact with outer cylinder
- Cool-down from 80 K => 4.2 K with He gas injected in the cryostat
- A 4 day cool-down from 300 K => 4.2 K looks preferable



Task 2: Support studies (6), Thermal test of TGPAP - DETD

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Assembled "drum" apparatus in the cryostat

- The heat conduction properties of virgin and irradiated samples of various insulator schemes are to be measured (continuation of NED)
- Work done at CEA with in the NED cryostat and at PWR in a new cryostat
- Measurements have just started

Task 3: High field model (1)

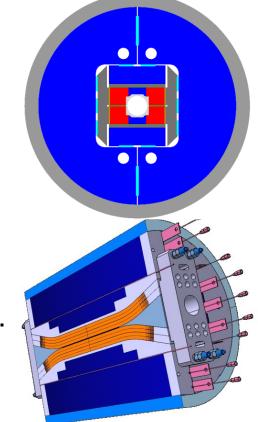
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Jean-Michel Rifflet (CEA)

CEA, CERN, PWR

[task delayed by 9 months, personnel: =, material -]

- Objective: Design, build and test a 1.5 m long, 100 mm aperture dipole with a design field of 13 T, using Nb₃Sn high current Rutherford cables.
 - Magnet design is mostly finalized, only the coil connections are to be designed.
 - Drawing of the structure are ready, procurement of magnet components to start next weeks
 - Tooling tests and design has started winding tests, reaction tests, etc)
 - Strand procurement contracts placed for the pilot production (2 x 15 km, = 2 double pancakes). Full production order to be placed this summer (45 km). Deliveries to be complete by end 2012.
 - Test of the magnet by Dec 2013



Task 3: High field model (2)



- The ESAC high field dipole design review was held at CEA Saclay, on January 20-21, 2011
- Review committee:
 - Giorgio Ambrosio (Fermilab)
 - Shlomo Caspi (LBNL)
 - Pasquale Fabbricatore (INFN Genova)
 - Yukikazu Iwasa (MIT)
 - Tatsushi Nakamoto (KEK)
 - Lucio Rossi (CERN)
- Recommendations (selection only)
 - Wind full-scale dummy (copper) coils to test tooling and procedures
 - Wind full-scale dummy (underperforming) Nb₃Sn coils to check fabrication process and conductor behavior)
 - Take into account all deviations from ideal geometry and imperfection of various systems, to check how much the design is sensitive to tolerance, discrepancies and defects

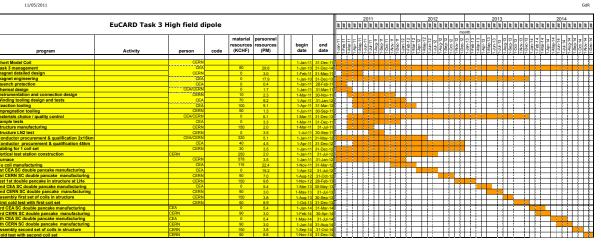
Task 3: High field model (3)

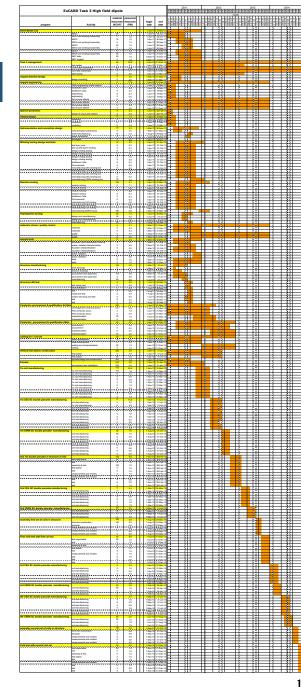


- Un(der)-addressed issues:
 - Insulation material and thickness;
 - Coil dimensions after winding (ceramic binder);
 - Dimensions of reaction and impregnation cavity (how to accommodate conductor expansion?);
 - Impregnation materials; Splice design;
 - Quench heaters (type, location, power requirement);
 - Instrumentation plan (strain gauges, voltage taps, thermometers, field sensors)
- Schedule
 - The overall schedule is very aggressive and success oriented.
 - additional steps (dummy coils, ...) may induce delays, but increase considerably the probability of success
 - Focus on FRESCA2 magnet: (skip time and resources consuming accelerator features)
 - Plan a series of decision points and small readiness reviews
 - Speed up the conductor procurement

Task 3: High field model (4)

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- A resource loaded planning was made including all activities (design, tooling, procurements, tests etc.)
- The first magnet can be tested end 2013





Task 4: Very high field dipole insert (1)

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Pascal Tixador (CNRS Grenoble-INPG)

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CNRS, CEA, KIT,
INFN, TUT, UNIGE,PWR
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[task on schedule, personnel: =, material -]

• Objective:

Design and realization of a high temperature superconductor (HTS) very high field dipole insert (6-7 T), which can be installed inside the 13 T Nb₃Sn dipole of task 3

NB: test of the two dipoles together is not part of the present EuCARD contract but will be done nevertheless...

Sub tasks:

7.4.1 Specification, characterization and quench modelling

7.4.2 Design, construction and test of solenoid insert coils

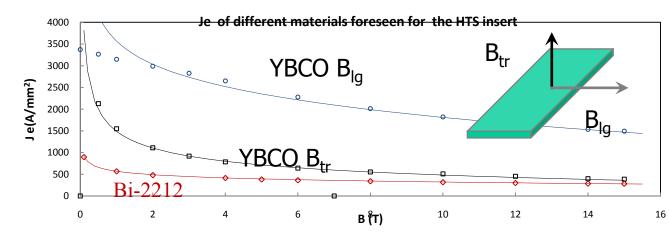
7.4.3 Design, construction and test of dipole insert coils

Task 4: Very high field dipole insert (2)

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Specification, characterization and quench modeling

- The conductor has been selected: YCBO 12 mm width
 - The Bi-2212 option is parked for the moment due to Ic performance, the fragile nature of the strands and the additional difficulty of the reaction.
- The conductor characterization is in progress a model for the conductor performance has been made.
- Quench models (TUT and INFN-LASA) have been made and are being used to study the quench development and protection schemes.
- The quench models will be 'calibrated' with the solenoid tests coils
- Important subject for quench study is the coupling with the dipole outsert

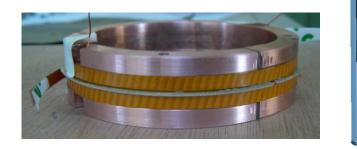


Task 4: Very high field dipole insert (3)

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Test solenoids in YBCO tape

- Several have been made
- On the learning curve to make coils from YCBO
 - Conductor damage during handling
 - Connections splice problems
- The latest coils was much improved
- About 6 months delay to produce working coils
- Test cryostat existing
 - Tests in 20 T backgound fields at CNRS Grenoble and KIT

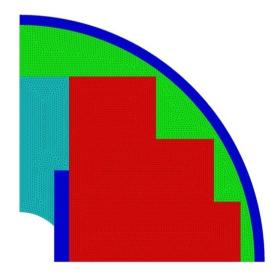


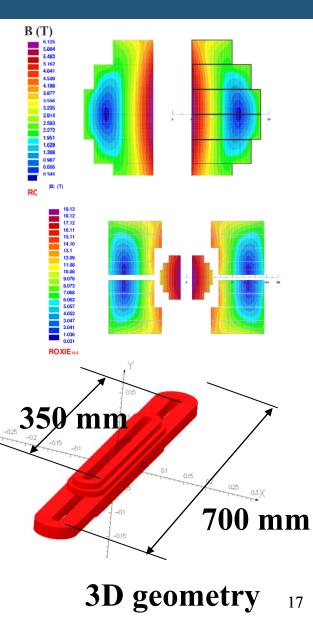


Task 4: Very high field dipole insert (4)

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- Conceptual design of the insert done.
- Winding pack in 6 flat pancakes of 12 mm wide YBCO tape using a total length of 1770 m
- Insert will be mechanically independent (outer diameter 99 mm, dipole aperture 100 mm)
- Support tube 3 mm thickness + stainless steel structural part (e beam welded)
- Total Horizontal force ~ 1000 t (at 6 T insert field in 14 T oursert field from the dipole)





Task 5: High Tc superconducting link

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Amalia Ballarino (CERN)CERN, COLUMBUS, BHTS, SOTON[task ahead of schedule, personnel: =, material =]

- Conceptual design done of a novel 600 A twisted-pair cable made from different High Temperature Superconducting tapes (MgB₂, Y-123 and Bi-2223)
- assembled prototype cables of about 2 m length successfully tested at CERN at 4.5 K in a straight configuration
- Southampton University has designed and assembled a cryogenic test station to test cables of 2 m length in He gas in a variable temperature range (from 5 K to 70 K). Tests have already been performed on a 600 A twisted pair Y-123 cable
- Columbus has manufactured and delivered to CERN 1200 m of MgB₂ tape, and worked on the optimization of the joints between MgB2 tapes
- CERN is now working on the assembly of a 5 m long prototype link, which is planned to be tested at Southampton University before the end of 2011
- The HTS material needed for the 20 m long prototype has already been procured by CERN. A cabling machine is being designed and assembled at CERN for the production of long twisted pair electrically insulated cables.

Task 6: Short period helical undulator (1)

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Short period undulator for the ILC positron source Jim Clarke (STFC-DL) STFC (DL and RAL)

Period 11.5 mm , field >1 T

Aim :

- fabricate and test a short helical undulator prototype using Nb3Sn wire.
- With: 11.5 mm period and winding bore of 6.35 mm.
- Nb₃Sn usage for high current density and large thermal margin to go higher than the 1.15 T achieved for Nb-Ti

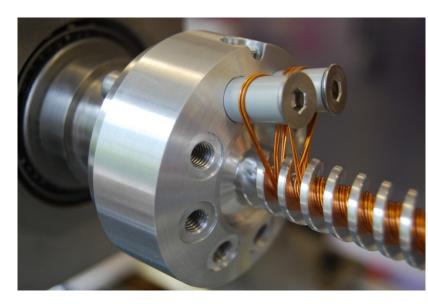
Primary challenges:

- The Nb₃Sn conductor
- Nb₃Sn insulation system (compatibility with heat treatment at 650C)
- Thin insulation (high current density).

Task 6: Short period helical undulator (2)

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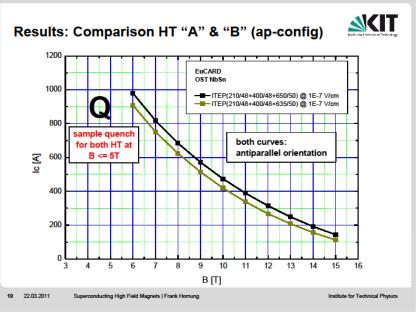
- First test winding of wiggler done
- Small issues seen with the forming of the helical groove in the steel piece: solvable problem
- The conclusion is that with 0.5 mm diameter wire one can wind a helical wiggler with a correct precision and impregnate it



Task 6: Short period helical undulator (3)

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- Low field (<5 T) Ic measurements were done at KIT for the selected OST 0.5 mm RRP strand
- The strand shows at low field instabilities
- These instabilities are linked to the high Jc performance of the strand at high field.
- A different strand has to be found: with a lower Jc
- Open question: will a stable Nb₃Sn strand used at these field give a higher field than a NbTi strand ?
- Deliverable date will depend on the strand availability



Deliverables and Conclusions

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| Mile- | Description/title | Nature | Delivery | Comment |
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| stone | | | month | |
| 7.1.1 | 1 st annual HFM review meeting | 0 | M12 | |
| 7.1.2 | 2 nd annual HFM review meeting | 0 | M24 | |
| 7.1.3 | 3rd annual HFM review meeting | 0 | M36 | |
| 7.1.4 | Final HFM review meeting | 0 | M48 | |
| 7.2.1 | Methodology for the certification of radiation resistance of coil insulation material | R | M24 | |
| 7.2.2 | Preliminary heat deposition model for a dipole Nb ₃ Sn model magnet | R | M12 | publication on web |
| 7.2.3 | Engineering heat deposition model for a dipole Nb ₃ Sn model magnet | R | M24 | publication on web |
| 7.3.1 | Dipole Nb ₃ Sn coils finished | D | M36 | 2 coils ready for mounting |
| 7.3.2 | Dipole Nb ₃ Sn model magnet finished | D | M42 | Ready for cold test |
| 7.4.1 | HTS conductor specifications for insert coils | R | M12 | |
| 7.4.2 | Two HTS solenoid insert coils | D | M24 | |
| 7.5.1 | Final design report HTS link | R | M34 | |
| 7.6.1 | Short prototype SC helical undulator fabricated and tested | D | M36 | |

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