

High Field Magnets

Work Package WP2.5 (HTS coils)

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Introduction

Objective:

Demonstrator of **5 T in** a background field **of 15 T**

Work Package 2.5:

- Test different **cable layouts** in a coil configuration;
- Study **field quality &** validate **modelling**;
- Study quench detection and quench protection aspects

 and test/implement technological solutions;
- Demonstrate field capability;
- Validate **technological aspects**, e.g. windability, electrical high-current splices, impregnation and insulation



Scope of Work Package 2.5 #1

- REBCO racetrack coils for common coil dipole magnet
 - ideal geometry for tapes, no in-plane bending
 - hybrid (NbTi, Nb3Sn, REBCO) for cost minimization
 - target for REBCO coil is 5 T in 15 T background field



Scope of Work Package 2.5 #2

- Development of insulated REBCO racetrack coils as field boosters for common coil dipole magnets.
- Development in steps:
 - no-insulation solenoid pancakes (2022, also for WP2.6)
 - insulated trial racetrack coils (2023)
 - racetrack coil demonstrator (2024)
 - dipole demonstrator (2025-2026)



Scope of Work Package 2.5 #3





No-insulation solenoids #1

- Solenoid pancake winding machine constructed
 - winding table (adjustable speed) with heating system for in-situ soldering
 - tension control system for 2 tapes (stepper motor + magnetic brakes)





No-insulation solenoids #2

- Several coils made & characterized at 77K, s.-f.
 - field mapped with hall sensors; effect of insulation investigated
- Adapters for 4.2K, self-field & in-field characterization developed
 - in fabrication





Insulated racetrack coils #1

- Double-pancake racetrack coil winding machine developed
 - 2 independent arms for double pancake winding
 - each with tension control system for 2 8 tapes or an insulated cable
 - in commissioning





Insulated racetrack coils #2

- Several insulated racetrack coils made
- Adapters for 77K, 4.2K, self-field & in-field characterization developed
 - in fabrication



Stacks of insulated tapes





Racetrack & dipole demonstrators

- Develop & construct racetrack coil demonstrators to be tested in external magnetic fields
- D1 HL-LHC superconducting magnet 6 T in a bore of 150 mm diameter will be used for testing in 2024
- In following years, higher magnetic fields will also be accommodated for dipole demonstrator test

