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A Finite Volume Analysis for evaluating the thermal performance of an air-cooling system for the IDEA Vertex Detector at FCC-ee.

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THE FUTURE CIRCULAR COLLIDER (FCC)



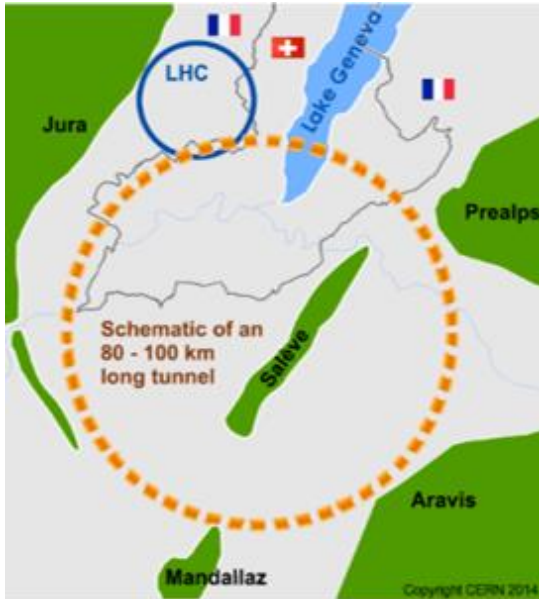
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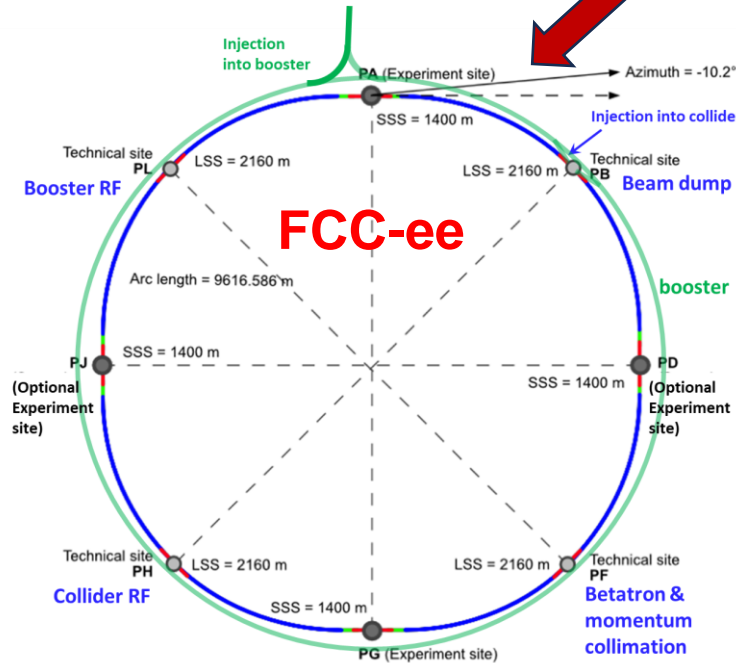
- Feasibility study ongoing for a new research infrastructure at CERN to host the next generation of higher performance particle colliders.
- Will extend the research currently being conducted at LHC, once the High-Luminosity phase (HL-LHC) reaches its conclusion in around 2040.
- About 90.7 km circumference.



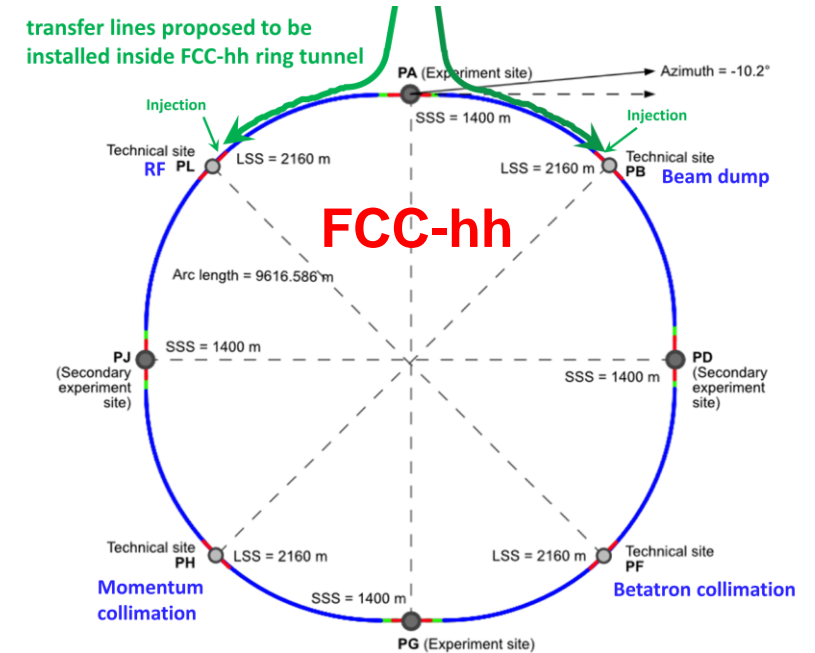
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- 2040



2045 - 2060



2070 - 2095

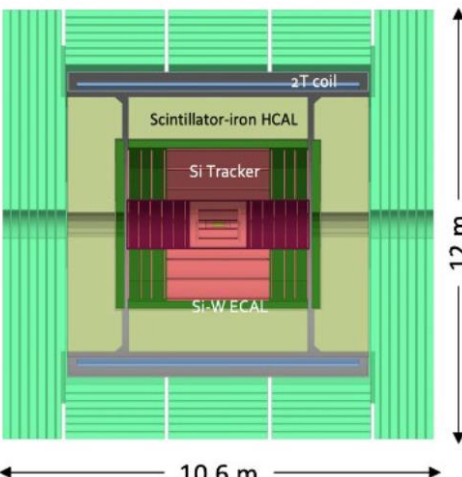
A long-term program maximizing physics opportunities:

- stage 1: FCC-ee (Z, W, H, $t\bar{t}$) as Higgs factory, electroweak & top factory at highest luminosities
- stage 2: FCC-hh (~100 TeV) as natural continuation at energy frontier, pp & AA collisions; e-h option
- Highly synergetic and complementary programme boosting the physics reach of both colliders common civil engineering and technical infrastructures, building on and reusing CERN's existing infrastructure
- FCC integrated project allows the start of a new, major facility at CERN within a few years of the end of HL-LHC

From F. Zimmermann & M. Benedikt - 7th FCC Physics Workshop

FCC-ee DETECTOR CONCEPTS

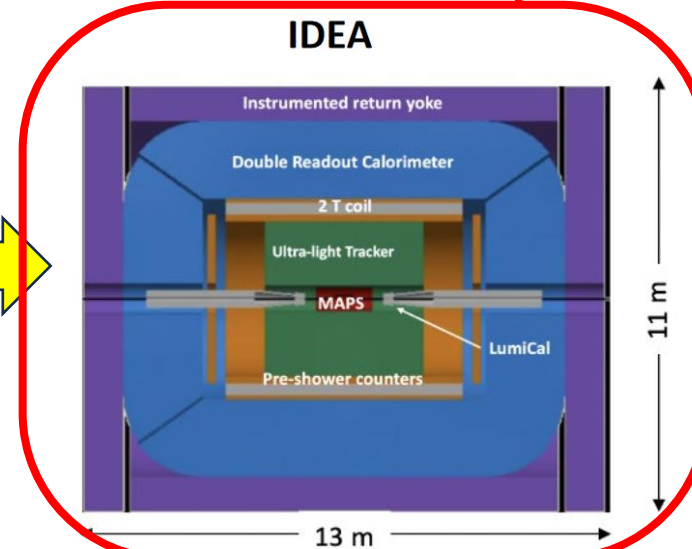
- Three detector concepts for FCC-ee:



CLD

10.6 m

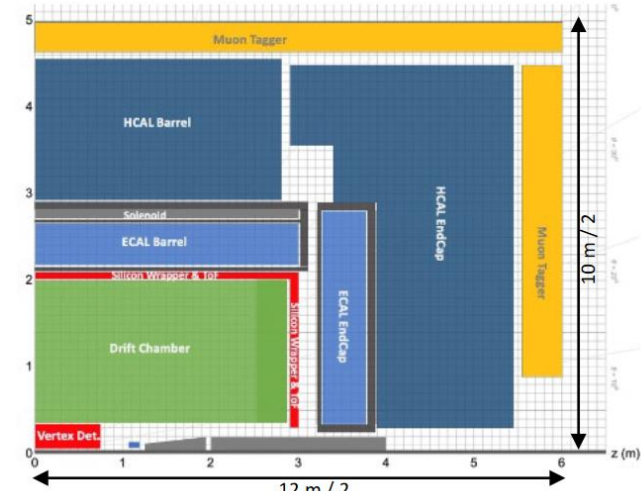
12 m



IDEA

13 m


11 m



ALLEGRO

12 m / 2

10 m / 2



CDR

- Full Si vtx + tracker
- CALICE-like calorimetry;
- Large coil, muon system
- Engineering still needed for operation with continuous beam (no power pulsing)
 - Cooling of Si-sensors & calorimeters
- Possible detector optimizations
 - $\sigma_p/p, \sigma_E/E$
 - PID ($\mathcal{O}(10\text{ ps})$ timing and/or RICH)?

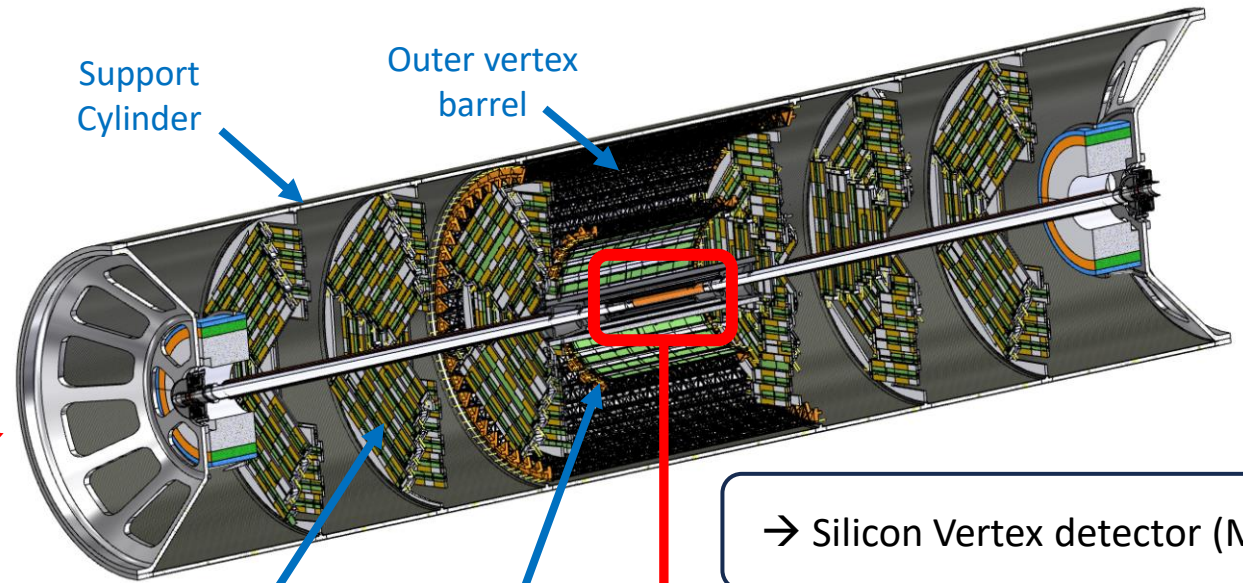
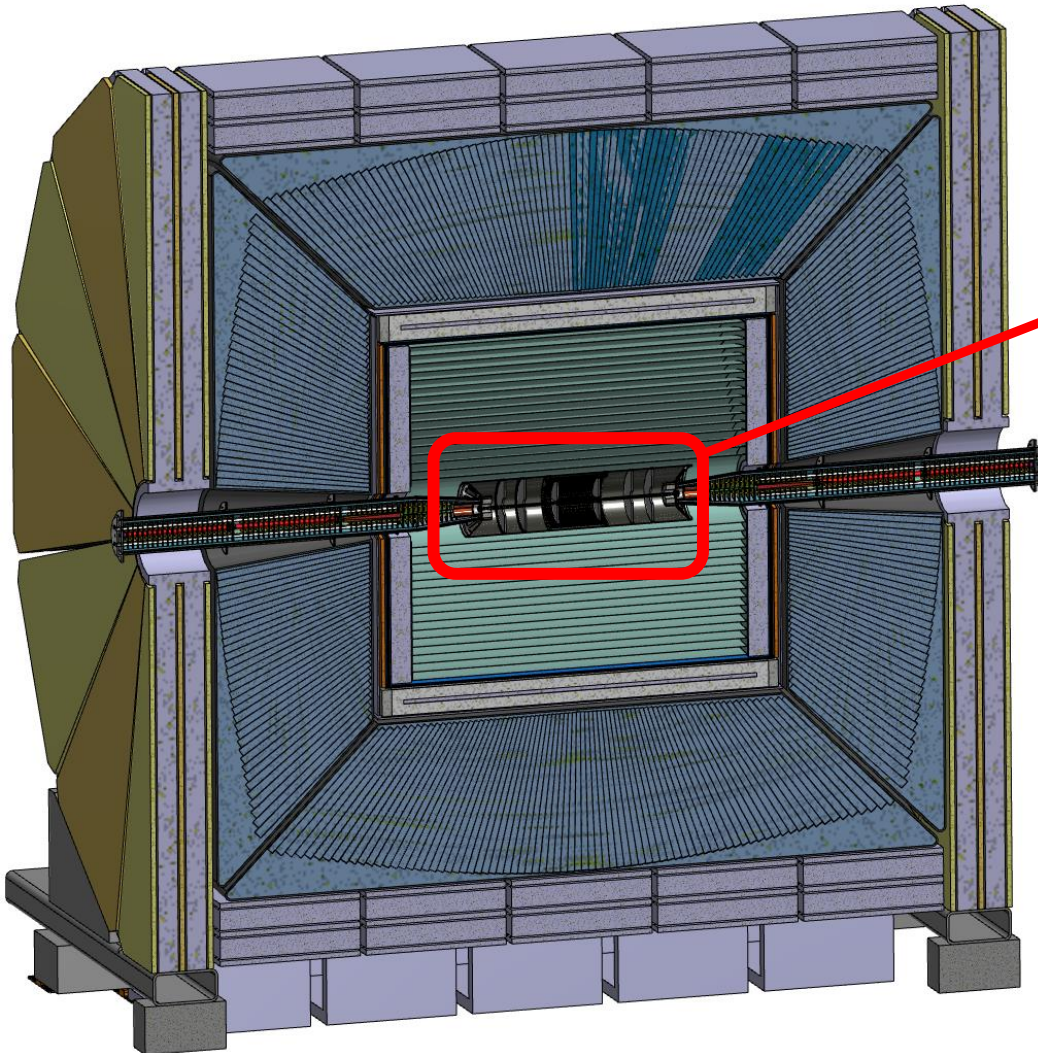
- Si vtx detector; ultra light drift chamber with powerful PID; compact, light coil;
- Monolithic dual readout calorimeter;
 - Possibly augmented by crystal ECAL
- Muon system
- Very active community
 - Prototype designs, test beam campaigns, ...

- Si vtx det., ultra light drift chamber (or Si)
- High granularity Noble Liquid ECAL as core
 - Pb/W+LAr (or denser W+LKr)
- CALICE-like or TileCal-like HCAL;
- Coil inside same cryostat as LAr, outside ECAL
- Muon system.
- Very active Noble Liquid R&D team
 - Readout electrodes, feed-throughs, electronics, light cryostat, ...
 - Software & performance studies

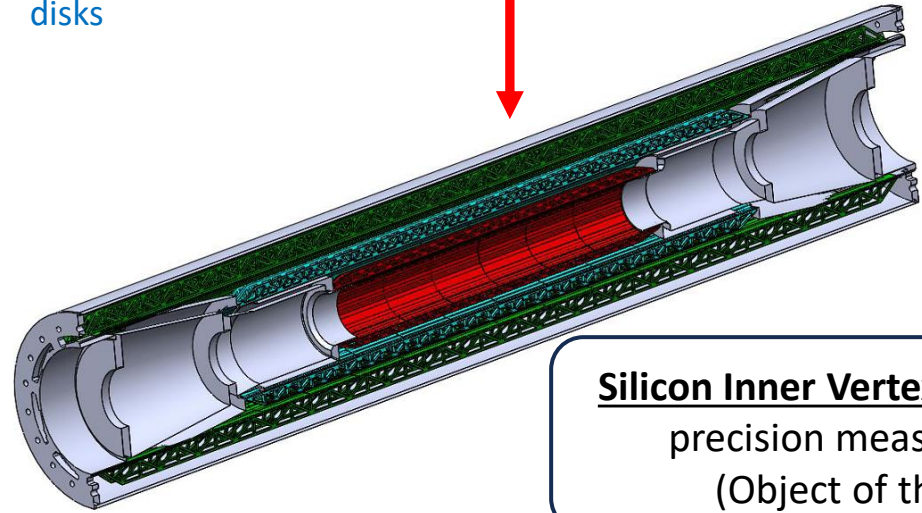
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FCC-ee Conceptual Design Report: <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1140/epjst/e2019-900045-4>

THE IDEA DETECTOR CONCEPT



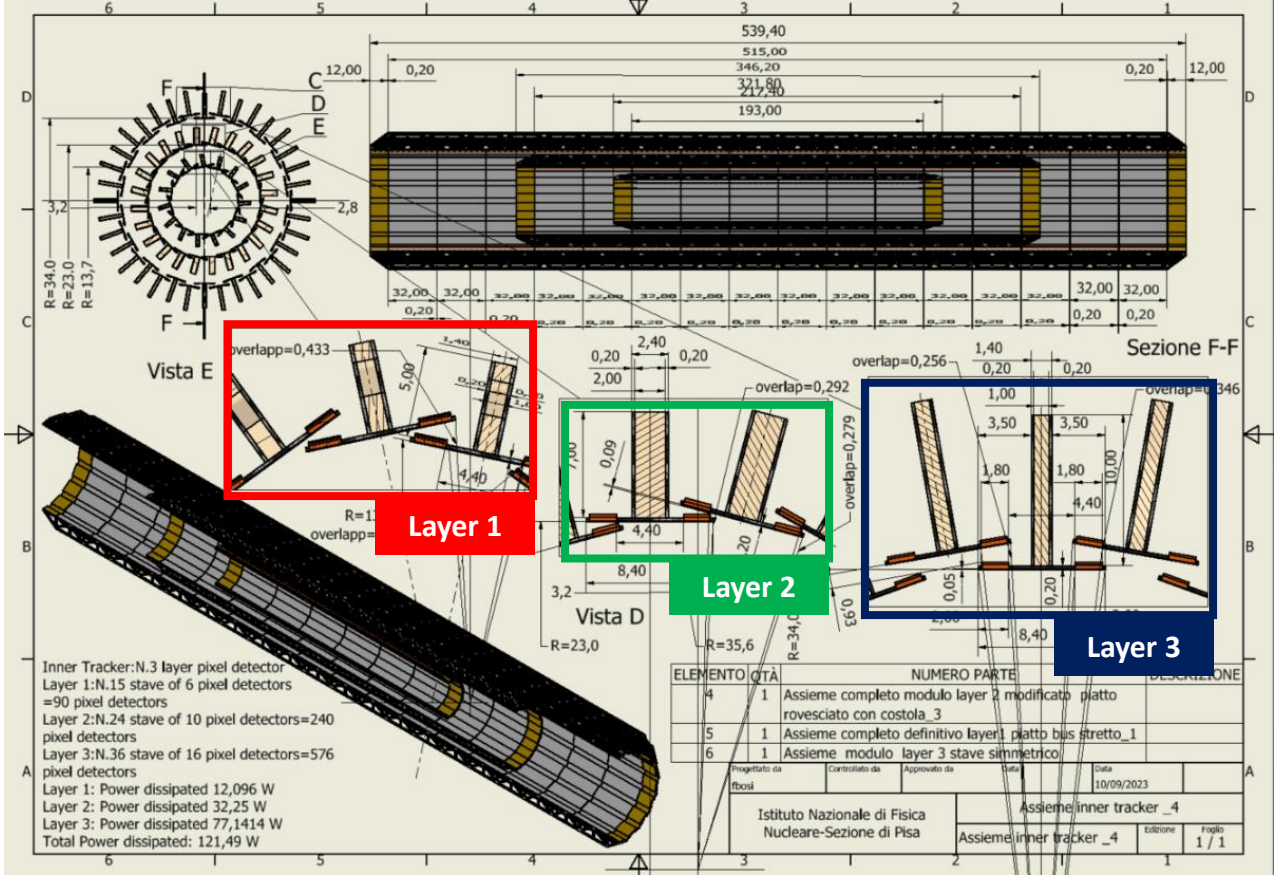
→ Silicon Vertex detector (MAPS)



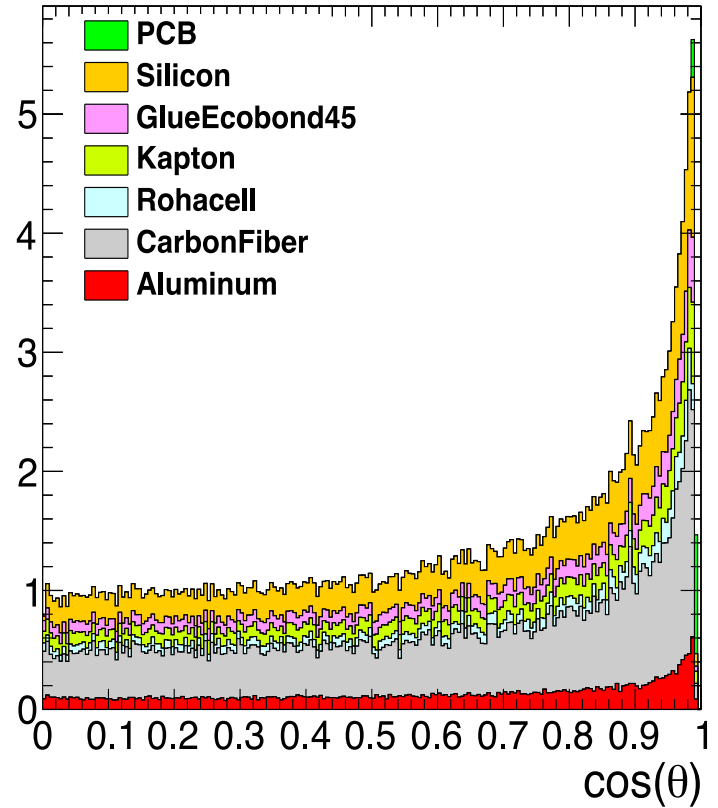
Silicon Inner Vertex Detector for precision measurements (Object of this talk)

For more info: Boscolo, M., Palla, F., Bosi, F. et al. Mechanical model for the FCC-ee interaction region. EPJ Techn Instrum 10, 16 (2023). <https://doi.org/10.1140/epjti/s40485-023-00103-7>

INNER VERTEX DETECTOR LAYOUT



Material budget x/X_0 [%]



The vertex detector innermost radius should profit of the reduced beam pipe diameter (2 cm) and should cover $|\cos\theta| < 0.99$.

Layer 1

- Total weight ~22 grams
- Overlap to allow alignment ~500 μm
- Geometry: all modules at the same (smallest) radius
- Total thickness 0.25% X_0
(Silicon: 0.053% X_0 , Power and readout bus: 0.056% X_0)

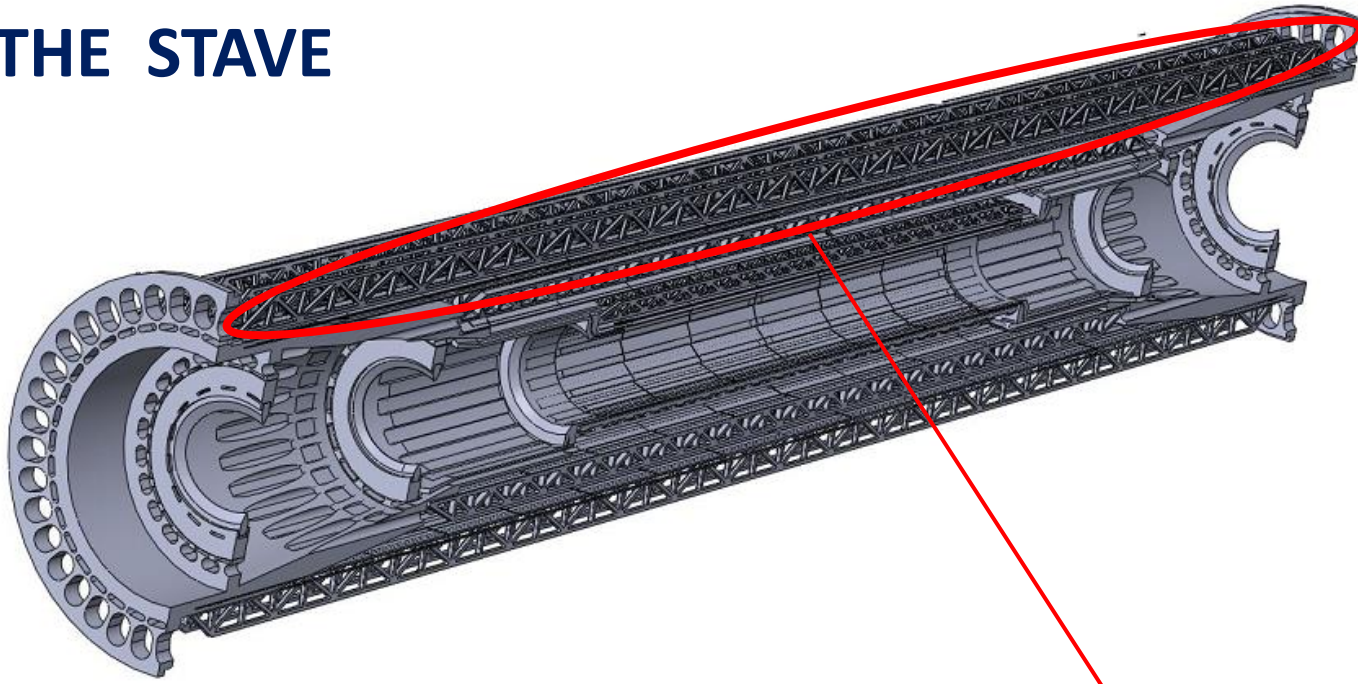
Layer 2

- Total weight ~63 grams
- Pinwheel geometry
- Counter-rotated wrt layer 1 to mitigate charge-asymmetry effects in track reconstruction
- Total thickness 0.25% X_0

Layer 3

- Total weight ~150 grams
- Lampshade geometry.
- Charge symmetric track reconstruction.
- Total thickness 0.25% X_0

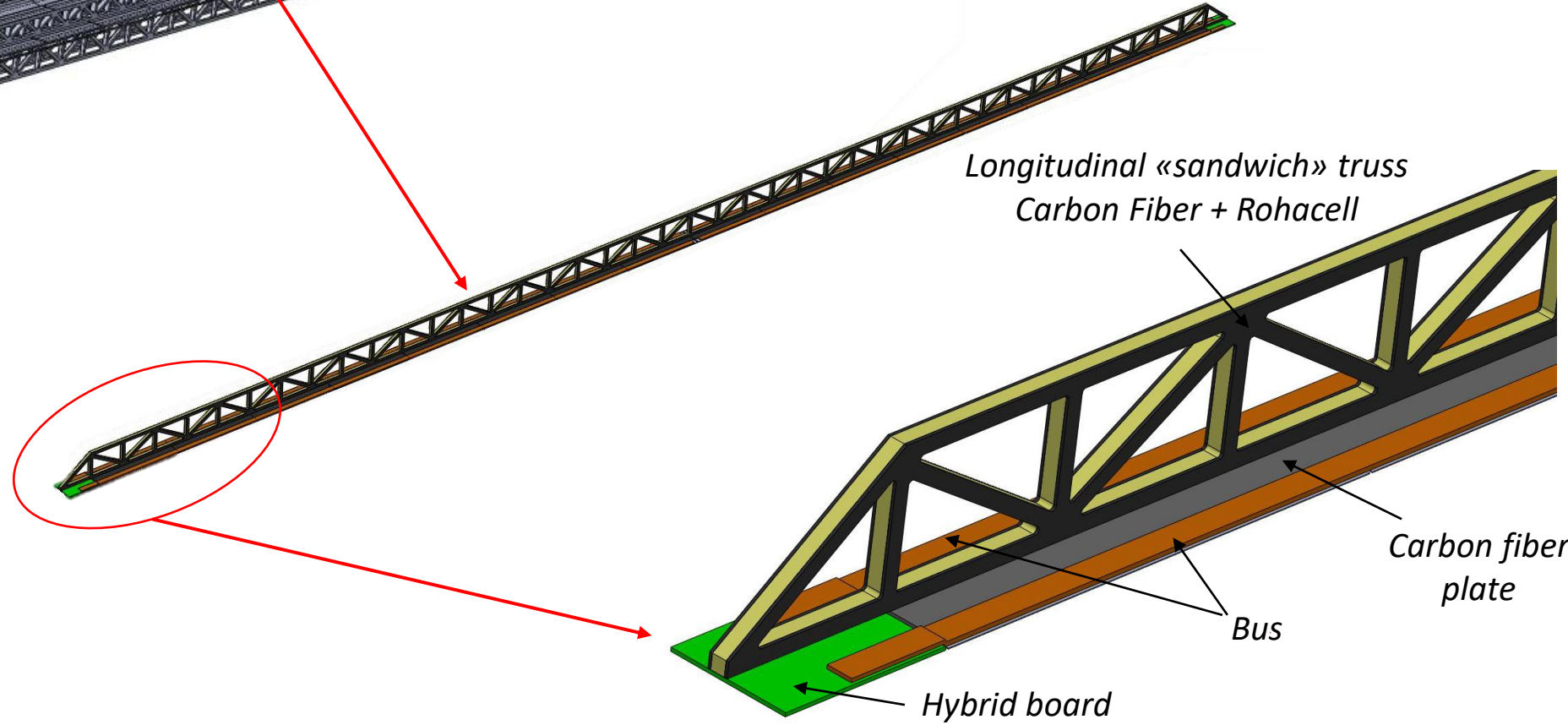
THE STAVE



- The detector is made of lightweight longitudinal elements (“staves”) supported by endcaps at the ends:

- 36 staves in **layer 3**, 16 Modules each, L = 540mm
- 24 staves in **layer 2**, 10 Modules each, L = 340mm
- 15 staves in **layer 1**, 6 Modules each, L = 220mm

- Reticular lightweight support to provide stiffness.
- Thin carbon fiber walls interleaved with Rohacell.
- 2 buses (data and power).
- 1.8 mm wide and 250 μm thick (50 μm Al, 200 μm kapton) per side.
- Inspired to low mass hybrid R&D.
- Sensors facing interaction point w/o any other material in front.
- Readout chips either sides.



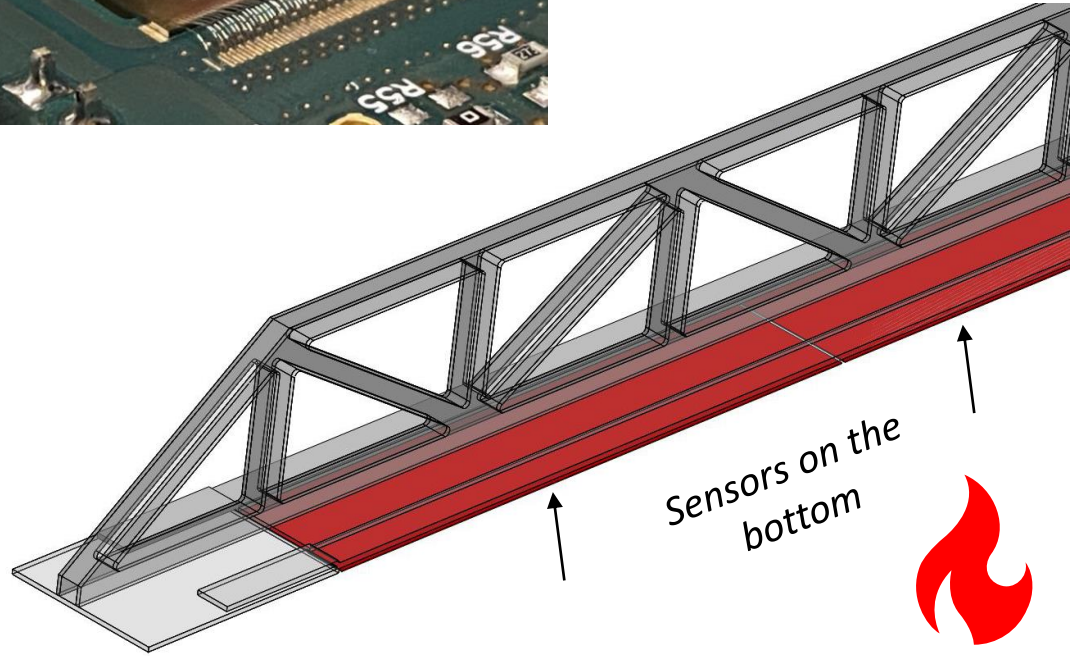
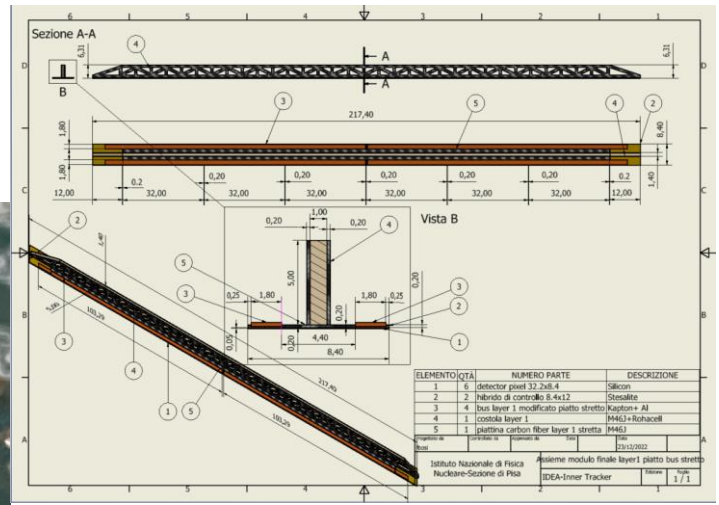
SENSORS

■ Sensors are in the bottom face of each stave.

Modules of $25 \times 25 \mu\text{m}^2$ pixel size

• Inner Vertex (ARCADIA based):

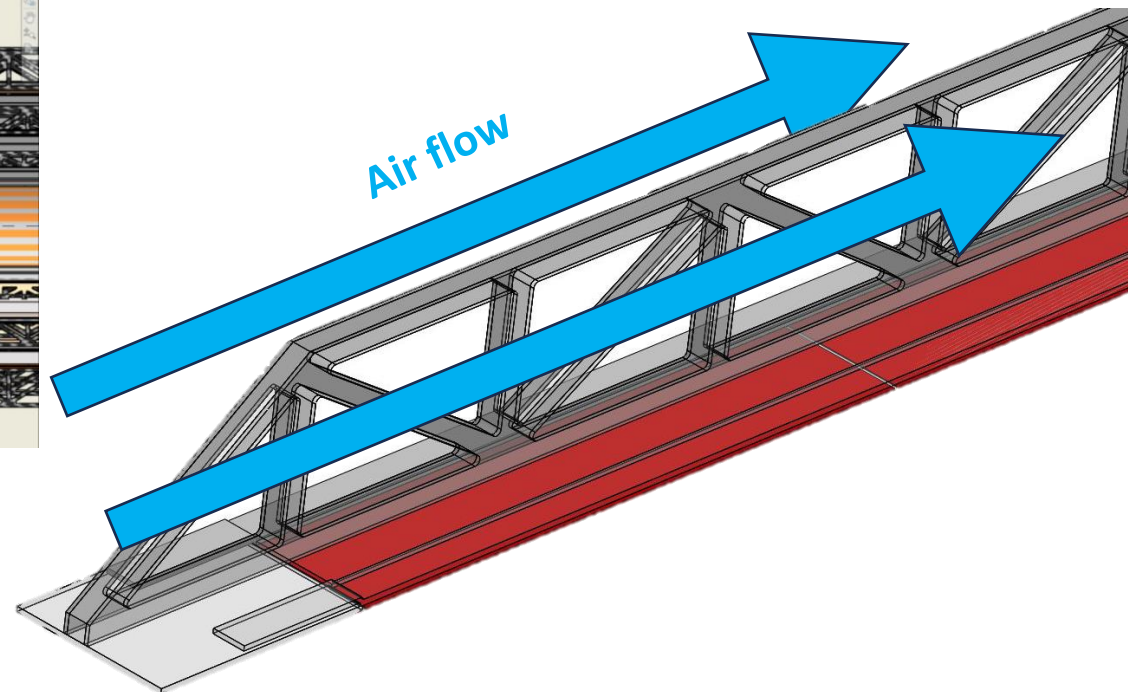
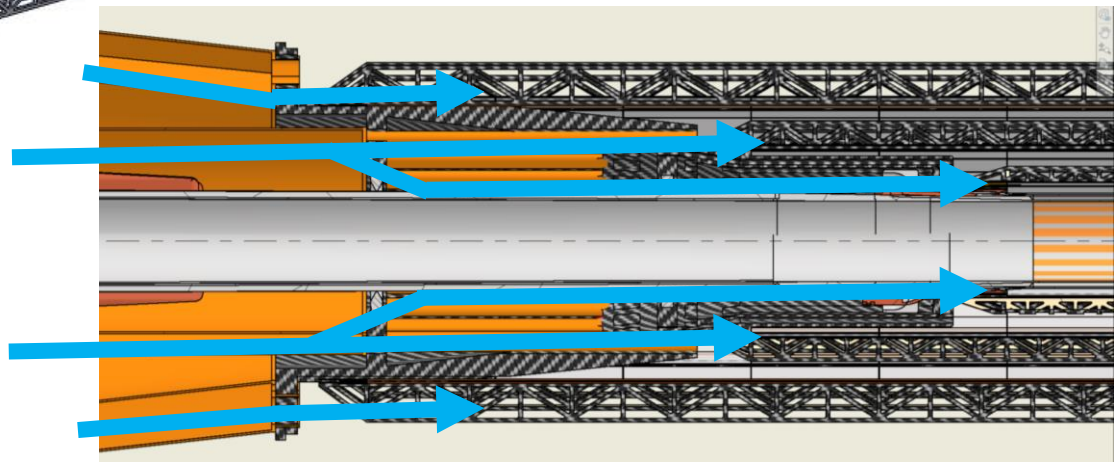
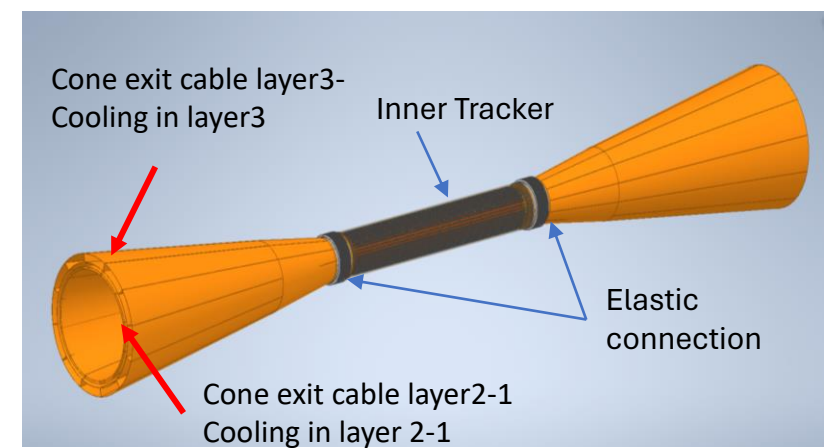
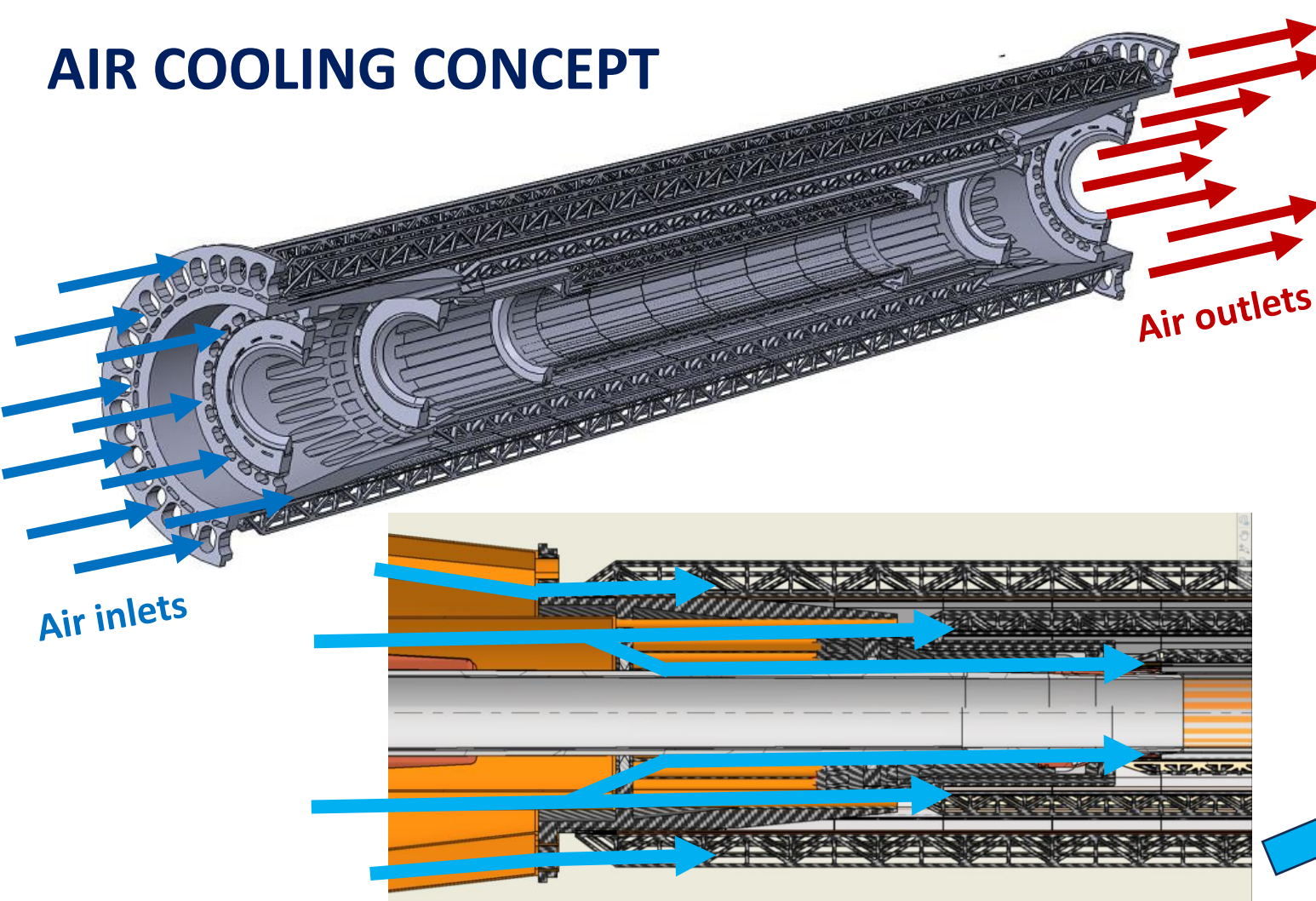
- Lfoundry 110 nm process
- 50 μm thick
- Module Dimensions: $8.4 \times 32 \text{ mm}^2$
- Power density 50 mW/cm^2
- 100 MHz/cm^2



■ Estimation for sensors power dissipation:

- Layer 3: $\dot{Q} \sim 77 \text{ W}$ (total)
- Layer 2: $\dot{Q} \sim 32 \text{ W}$ (total)
- Layer 1: $\dot{Q} \sim 12 \text{ W}$ (total)

AIR COOLING CONCEPT



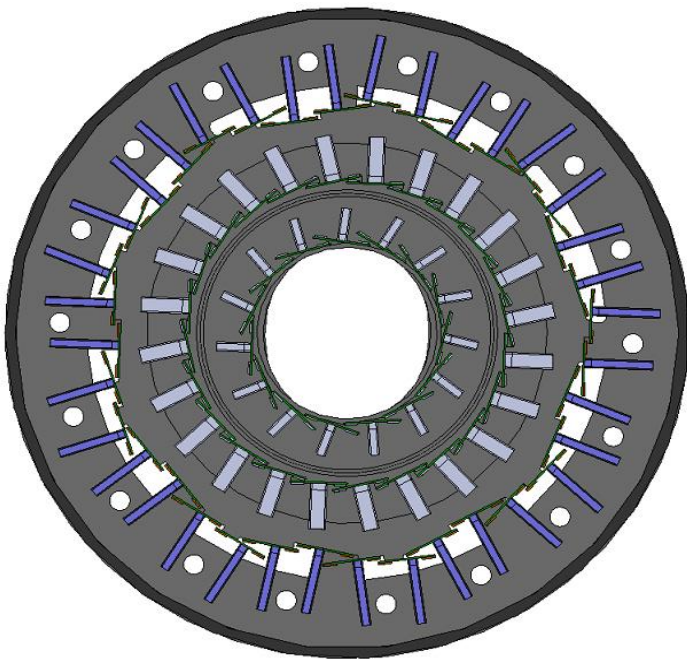
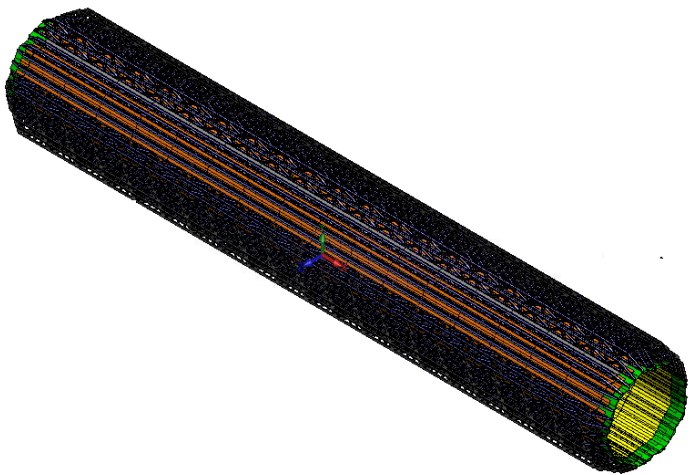
- Cooling method: longitudinal air flow along the the detector.
- Temperature of air at inlet: $T_{\text{air}} = 15^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Air flow has the same direction for all the layers

EVALUATING THERMAL PERFORMANCE

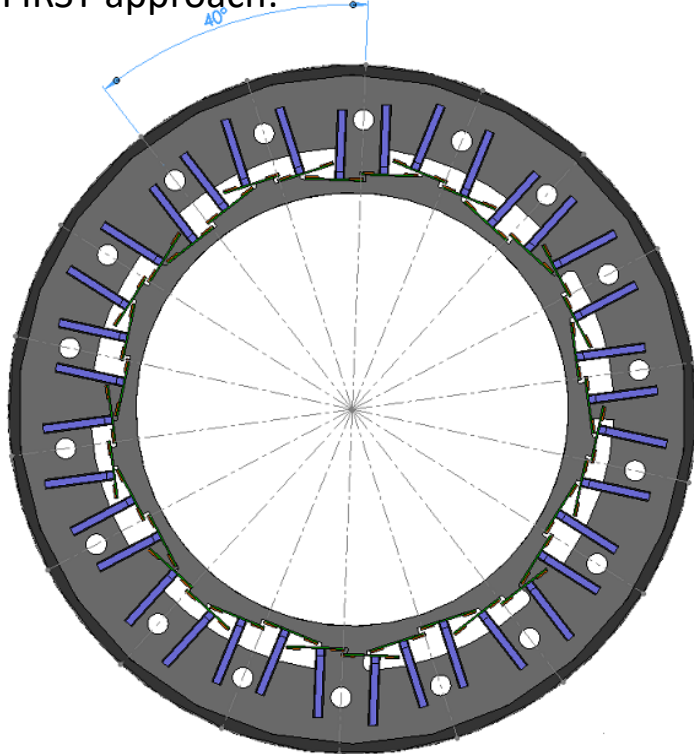
By Finite-Volume-Method (FVM) simulations
Software: Ansys Fluent

EVALUATING THERMAL PERFORMANCE

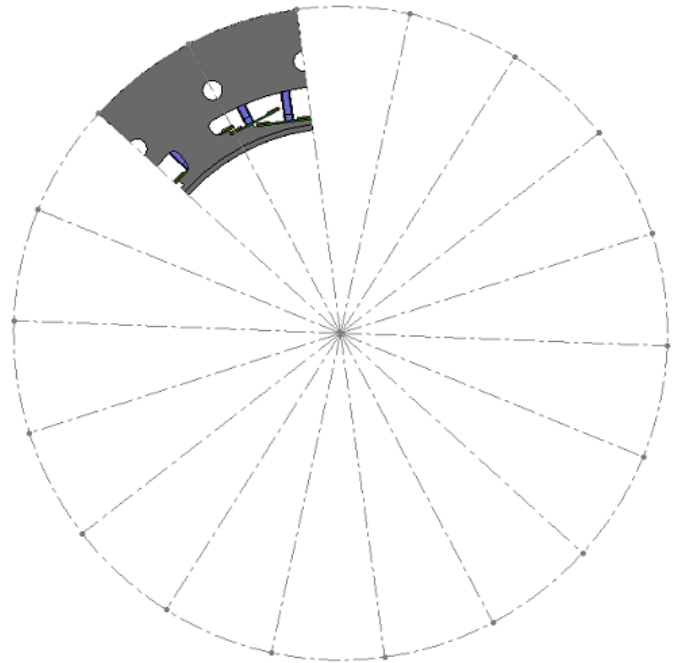
- Challenge: create the calculation grid for such a complex geometry.
 - Overall length about 540mm
 - Level of details of the order of sensor thickness = $50 \mu m$
- Simplification of the geometry is needed. THE FIRST approach:



Starting from the full geometry



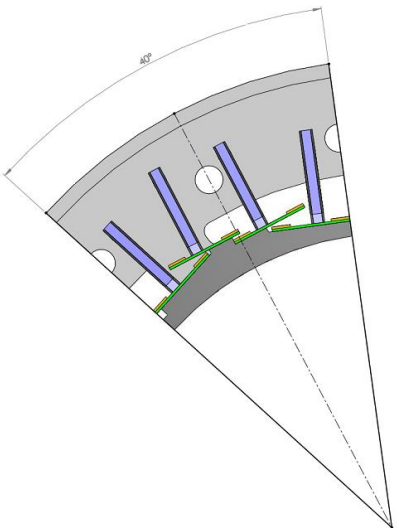
Removing layer 1 and 2



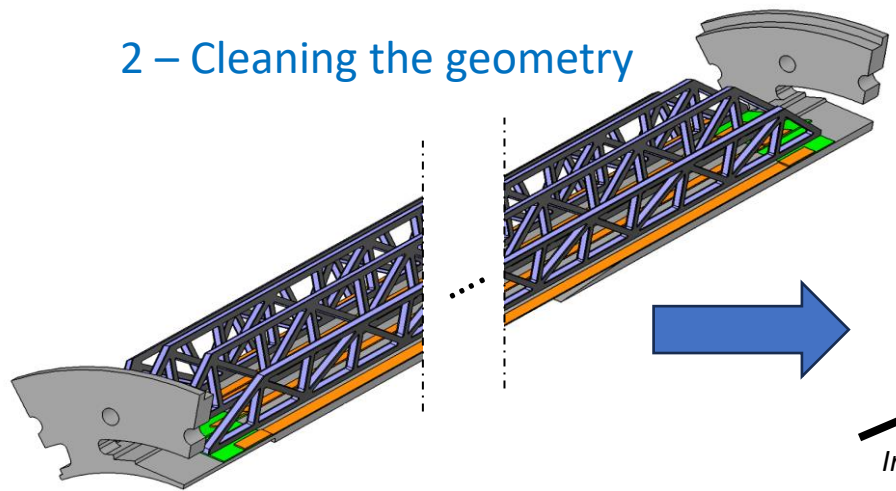
Focus on one sector of Layer 3 (40° circular symmetry)

STEPS FOR THERMAL SIMULATIONS

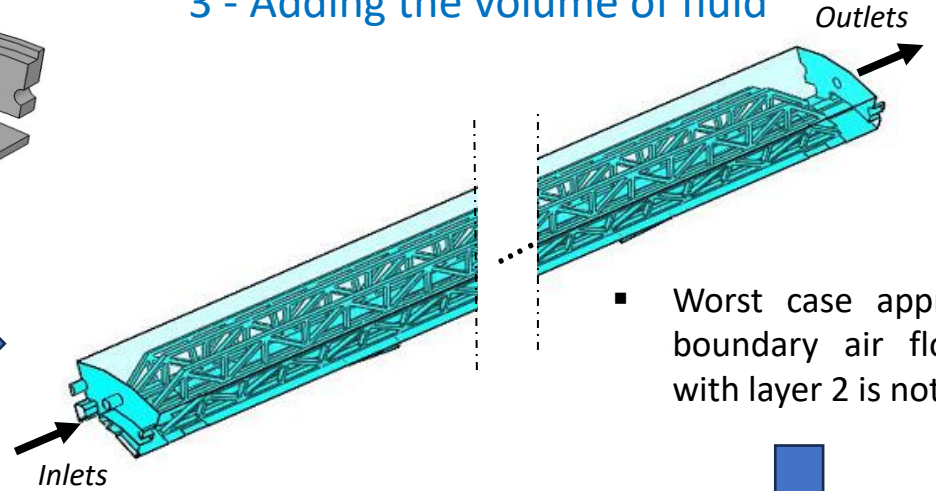
1 - Definition of the domain



2 - Cleaning the geometry

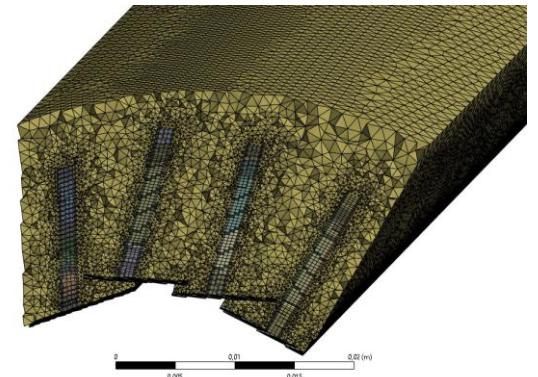


3 - Adding the volume of fluid



- Worst case approach: the boundary air flow shared with layer 2 is not included.

4 - Creating the grid

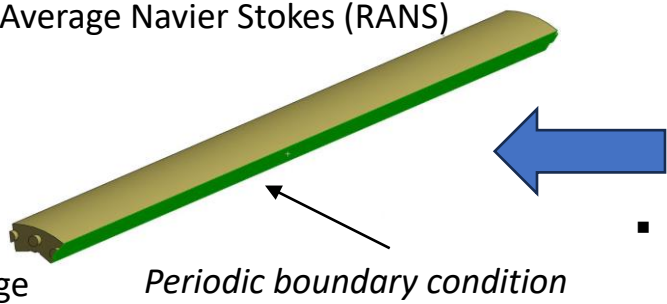


- Both the solid and fluid domains are simulated at the same time (**Conjugate heat transfer**)

10'500'000 Elements
17'000'000 Nodes

5 - Setting up the model

- ✓ Steady state conditions
- ✓ Turbulent flow: Reynolds Average Navier Stokes (RANS)
- ✓ Viscous model k- ω SST
- ✓ Pressure based solver
- ✓ No radiation heat exchange
- ✓ Volumetric constant power source on sensors volume

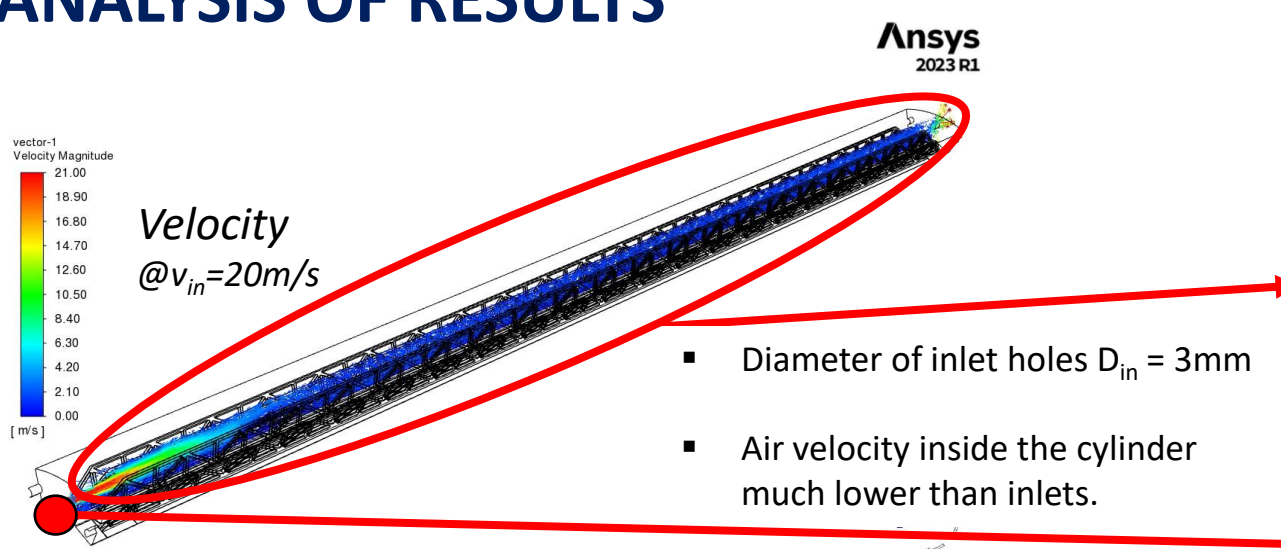


6 - Run calculations

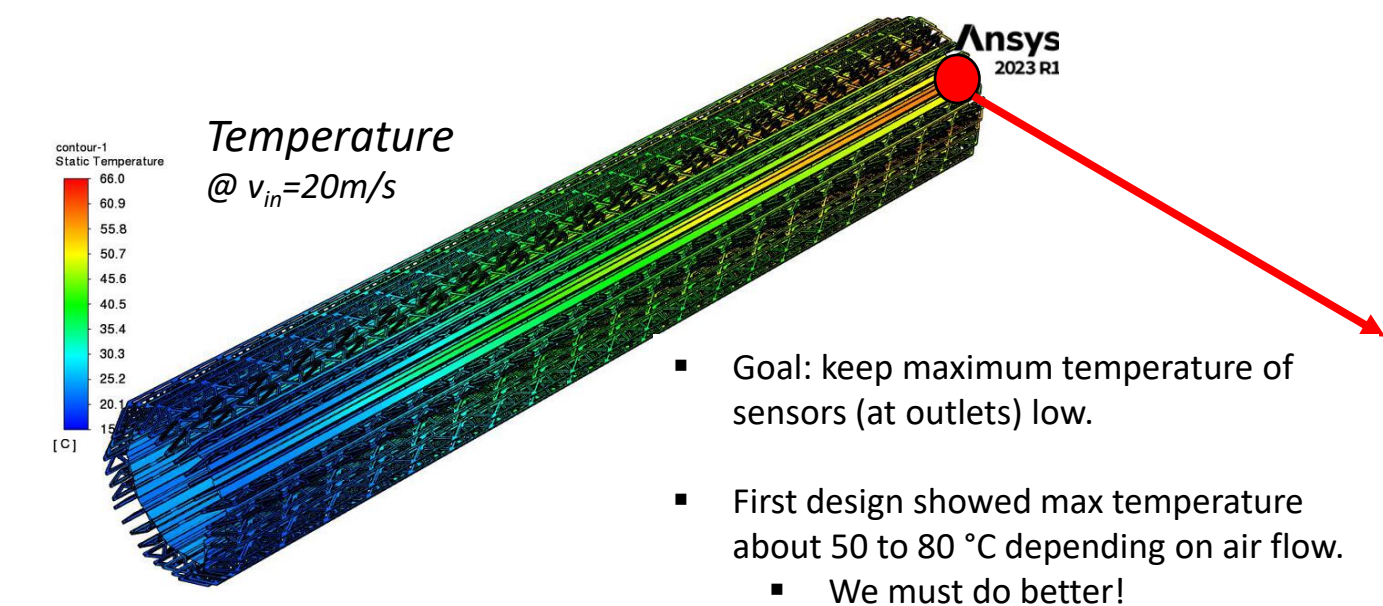
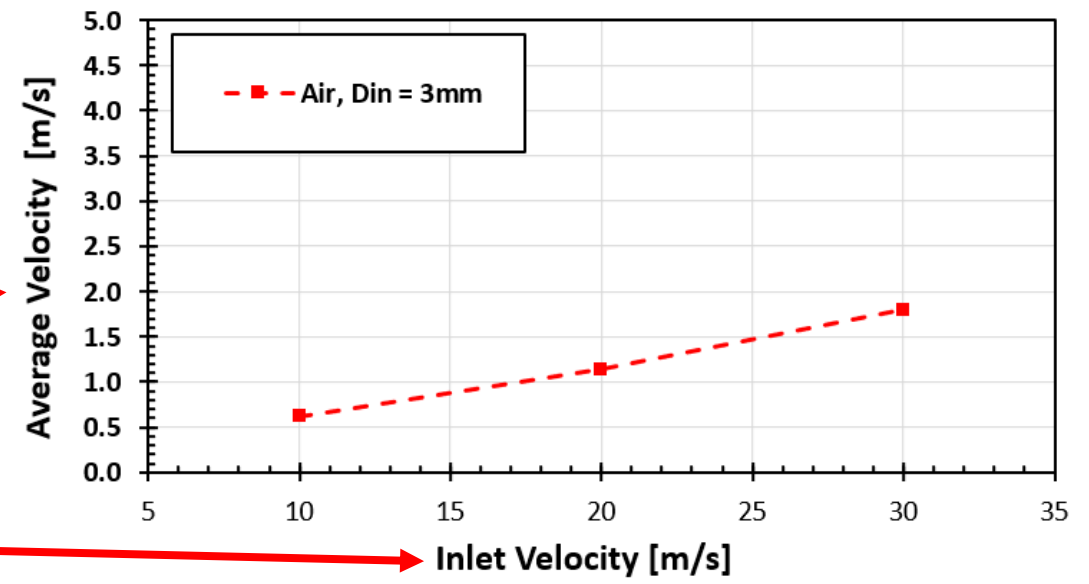


We used: i9-10900X CPU, 20 threads, RAM 128 GB, 2 TB SSD

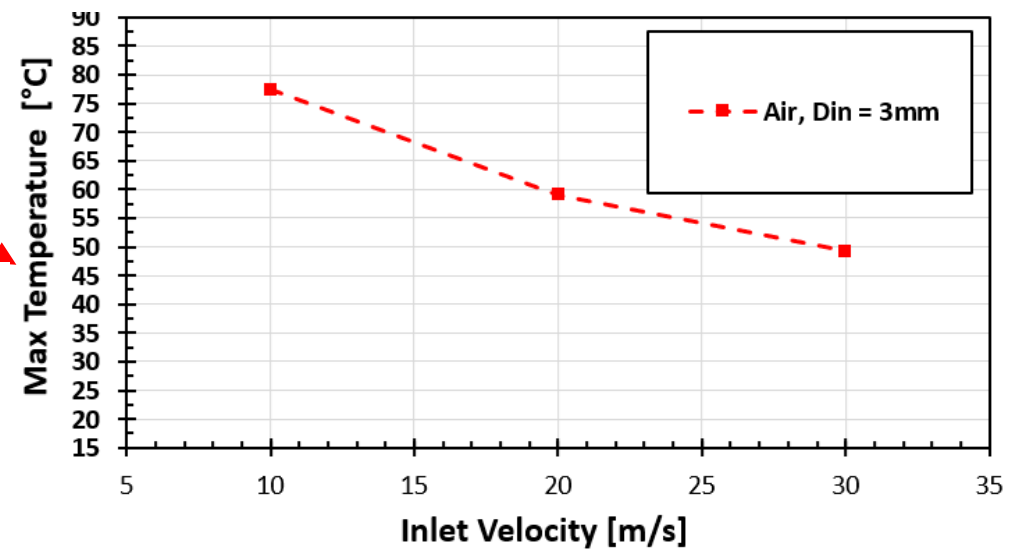
ANALYSIS OF RESULTS



- Diameter of inlet holes $D_{in} = 3 \text{ mm}$
- Air velocity inside the cylinder much lower than inlets.

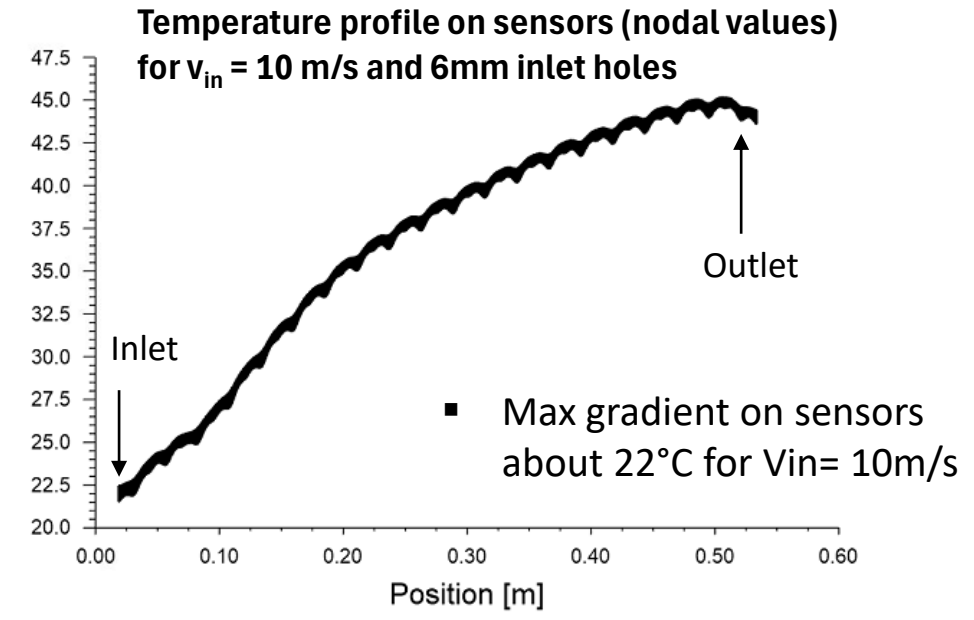
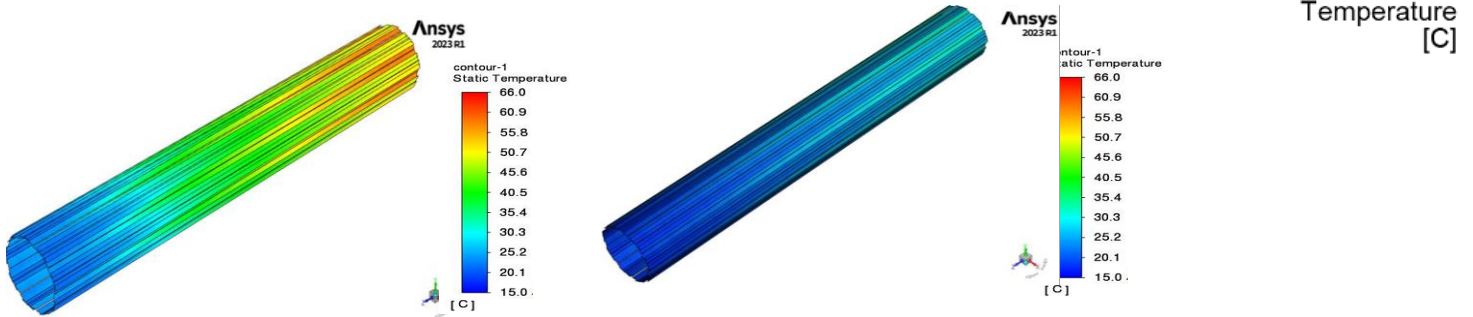
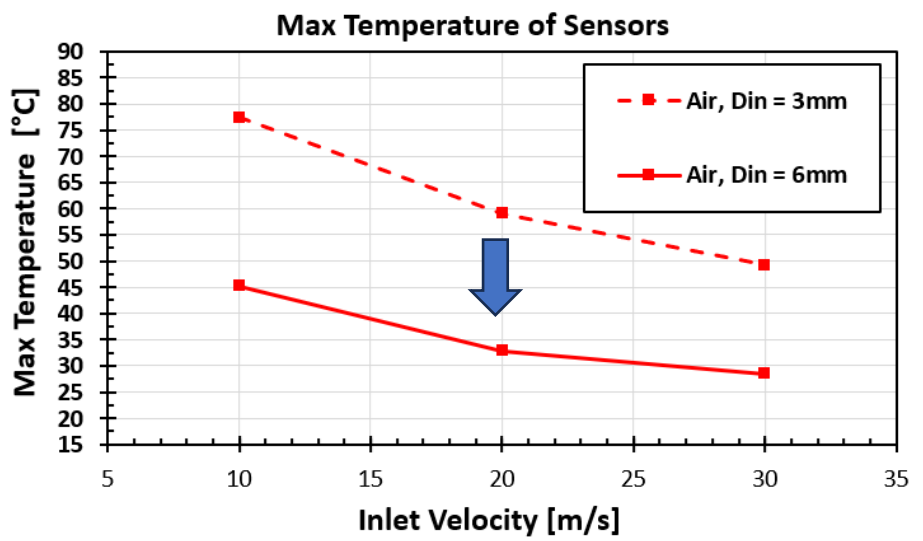
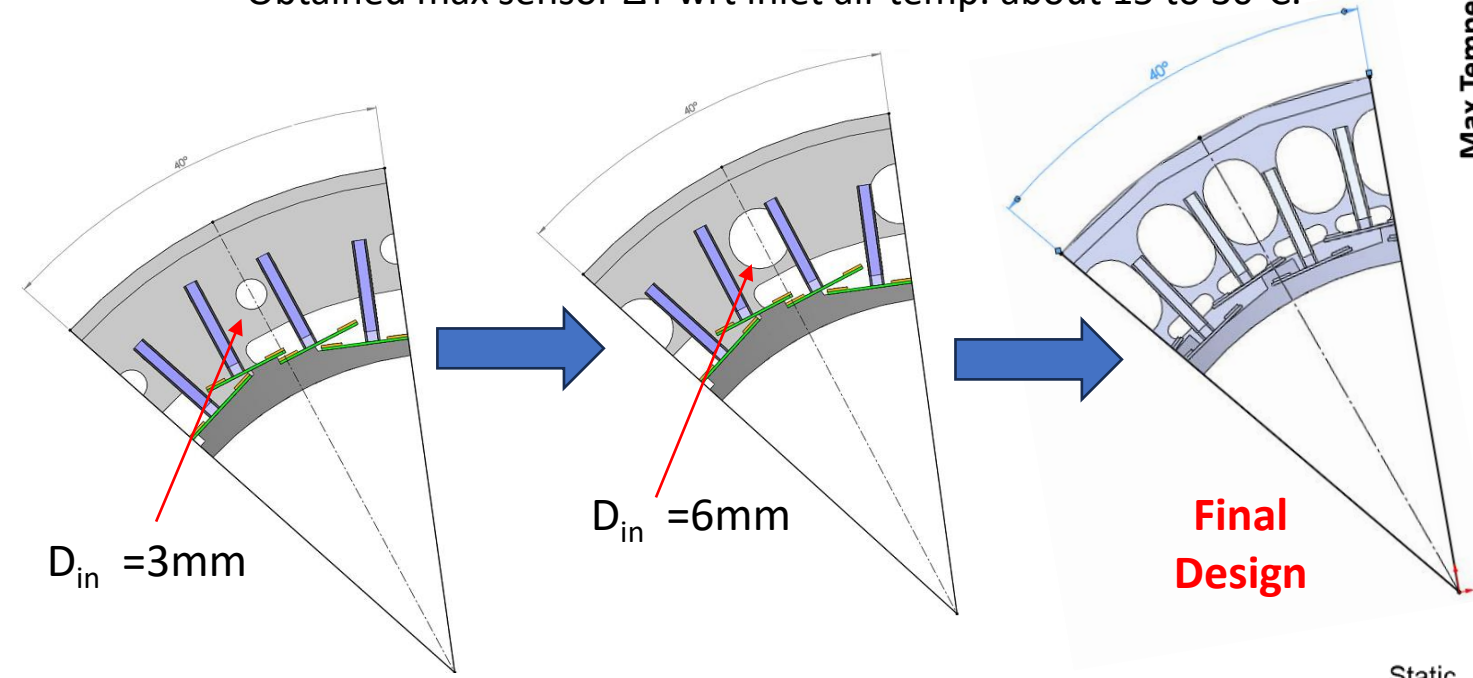


- Goal: keep maximum temperature of sensors (at outlets) low.
- First design showed max temperature about 50 to 80 °C depending on air flow.
 - We must do better!



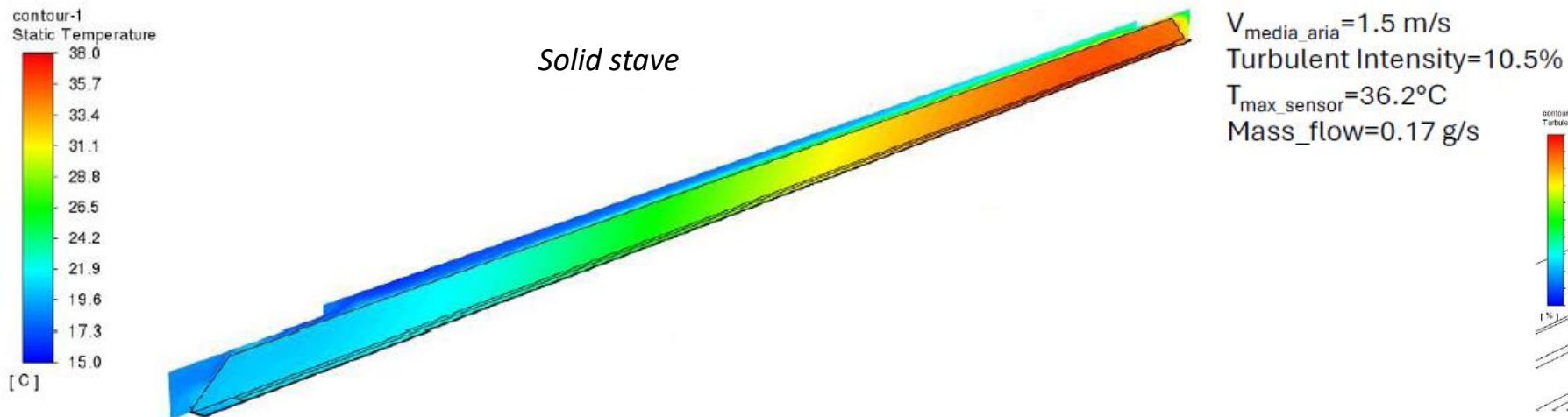
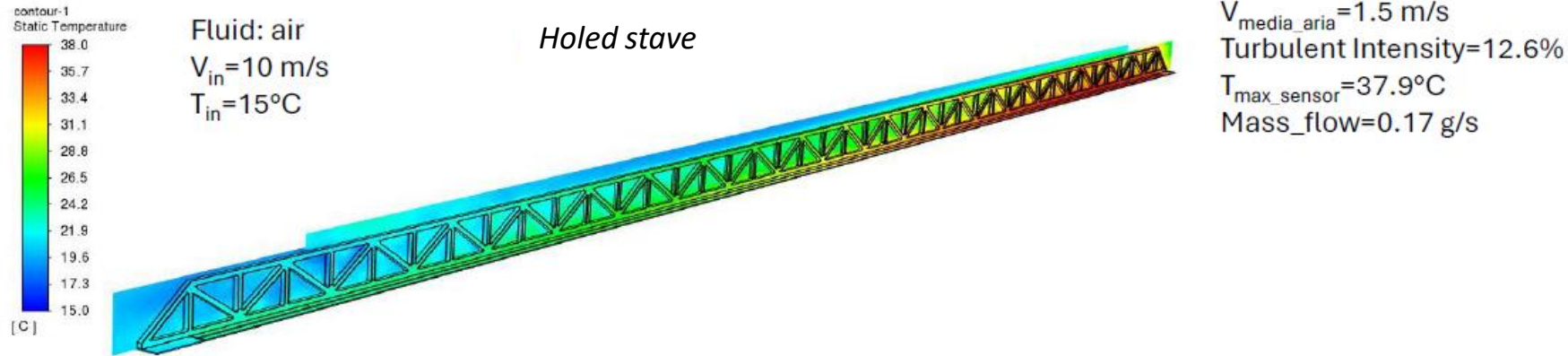
DESIGN OPTIMIZATION

- Increase the diameter for inlets holes.
 - Mass flow rate increase as well (for same v_{in}).
 - Obtained max sensor ΔT wrt inlet air temp. about 15 to 30°C.



DESIGN OPTIMIZATION

- Evaluated different performance between «holed stave» and «solid stave».
 - Thermal performance very similar (Solid stave 1.7°C colder)
 - More turbulence in case of holed stave.

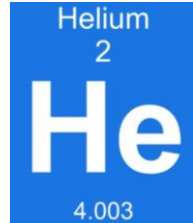


ANOTHER POSSIBILITY: CHANGING THE FLUID PROPERTIES

- The use of helium as a fluid instead of air was investigated.

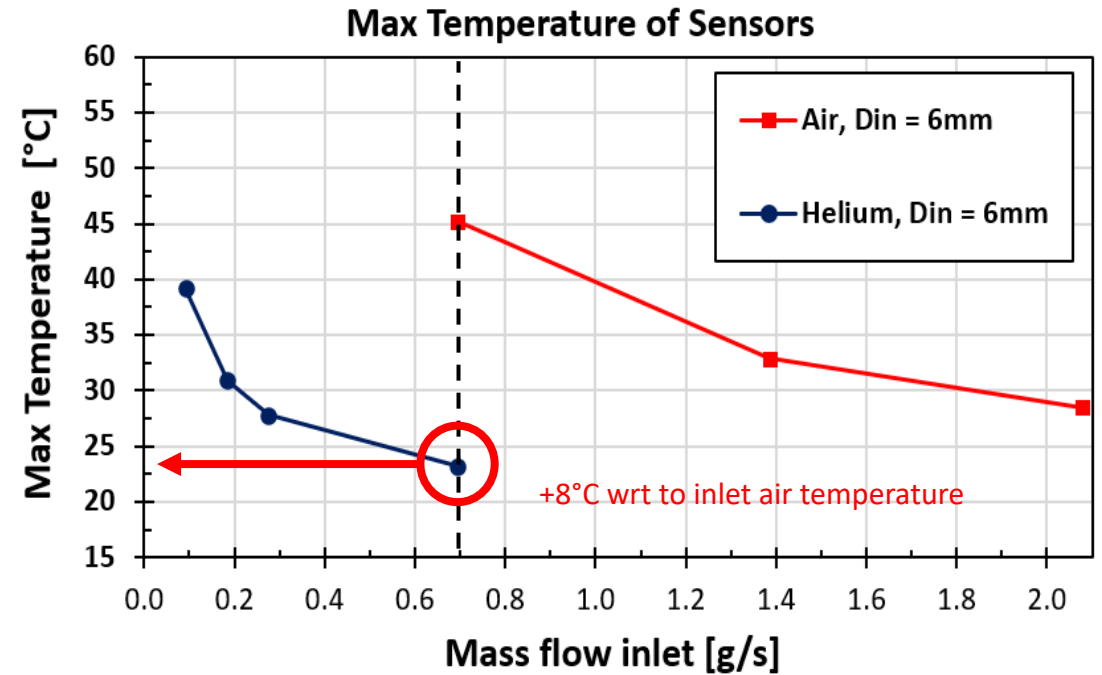
- Properties of helium taken from Ansys libraries:

- Lower density than air.
- Higher thermal conductivity than air.



$$\dot{m} = \rho \cdot v \cdot A$$

	Air	Helium
Density [kg/m ³]	1.225	0.1625
Specific Heat [J/(kg K)]	1006	5193
Thermal Conductivity [W/(m K)]	0.024	0.152
Viscosity [kg/(m s)]	1.79e-05	1.99e-05



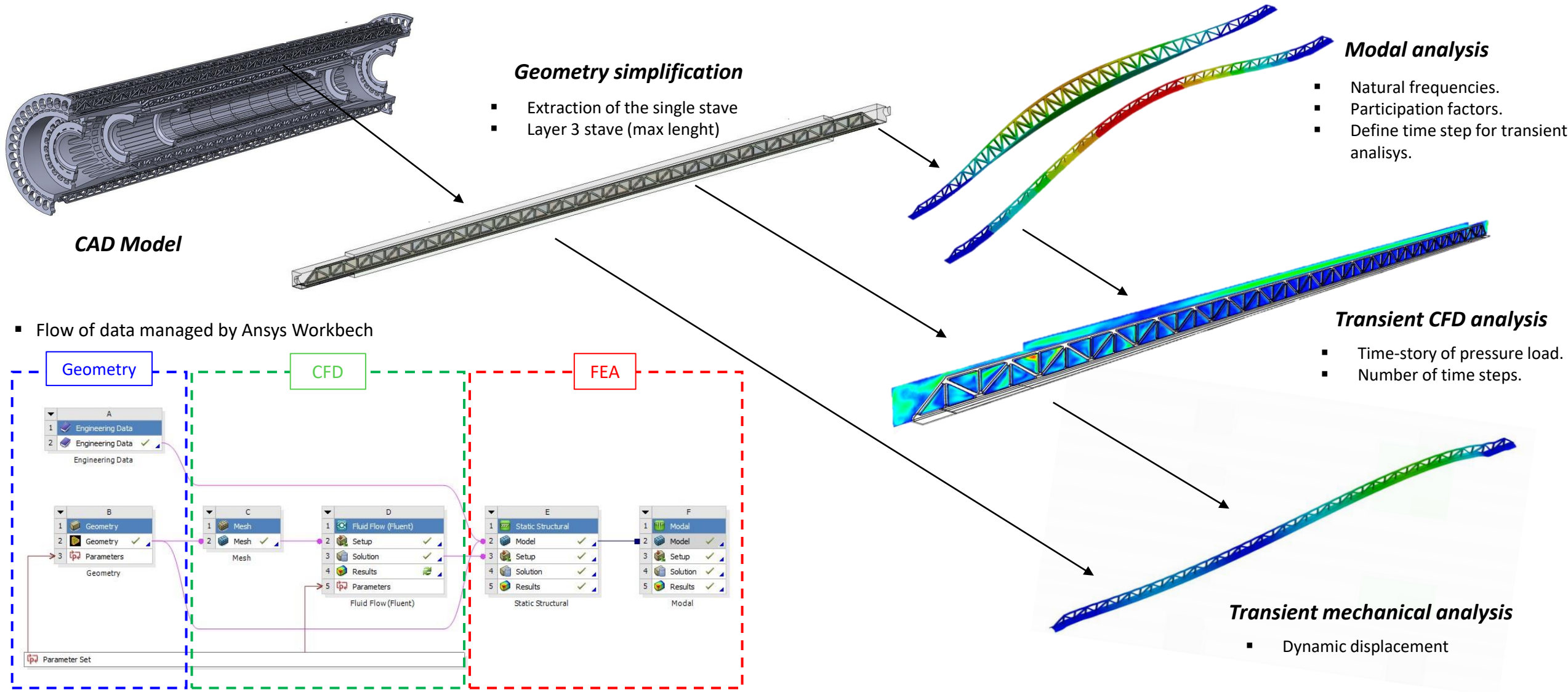
- Comparison is interesting considering the same mass flow rate instead of same inlet velocity.
- Helium offers much better cooling than air for the same mass flow rate.

A METHOD FOR EVALUATING MECHANICAL PERFORMANCE

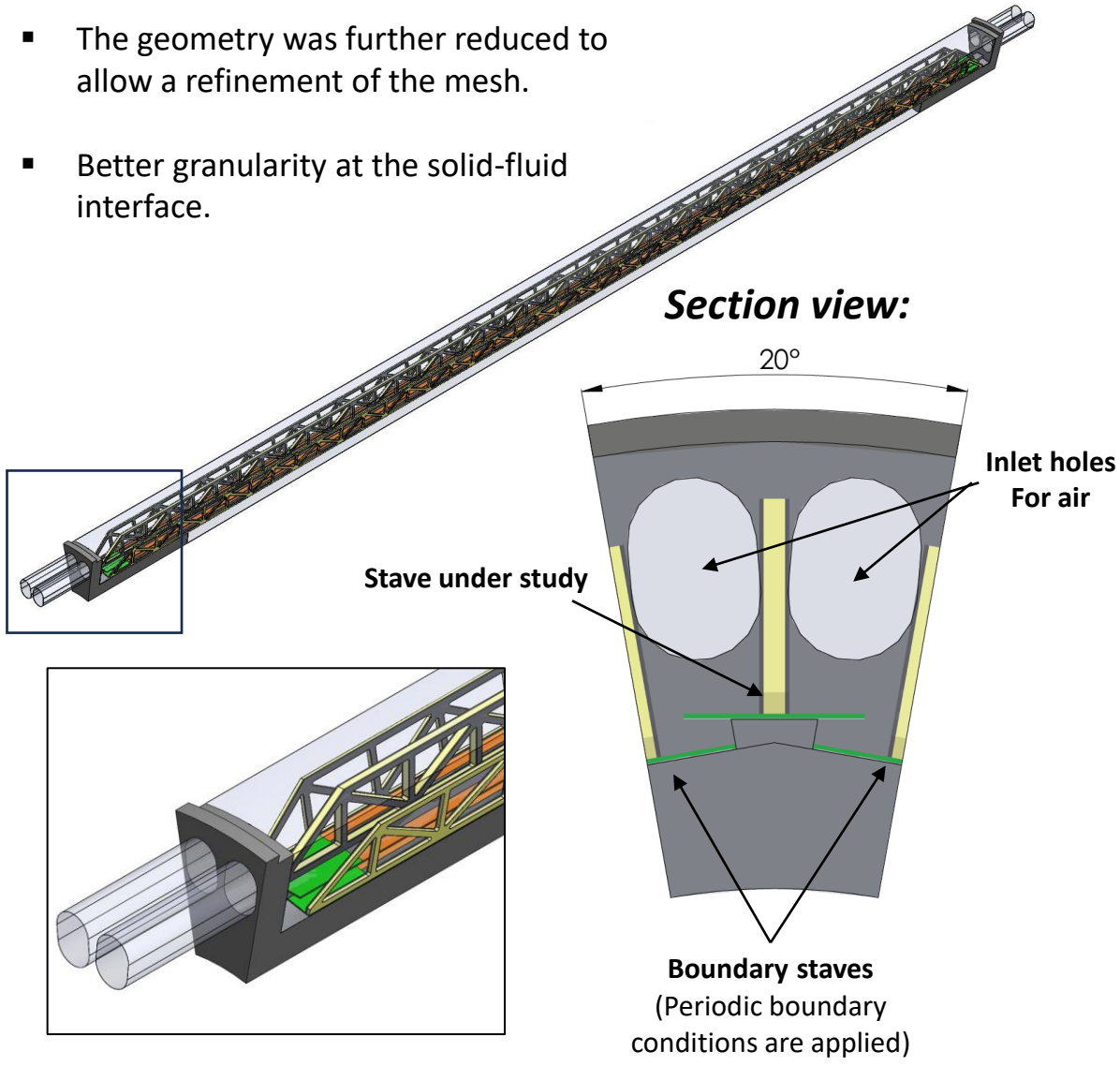
Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD) + Finite element analysis (FEA)
Software: Ansys Fluent + Ansys Mechanical

A MULTIPHYSICS MODEL FOR THE EVALUATION OF MECHANICAL STRESS

- Define a tool to evaluate whether the air flow necessary to remove the heat generates excessive vibrations on the stave.

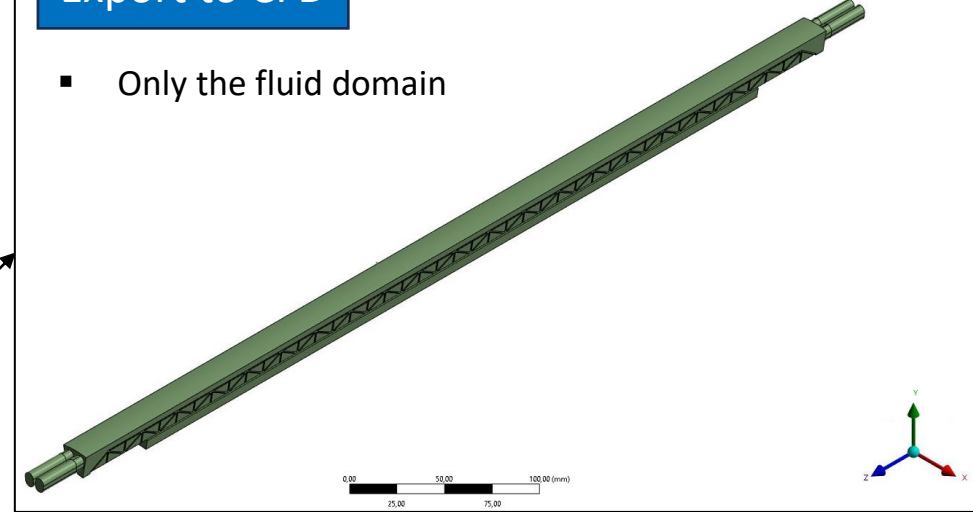


- The geometry was further reduced to allow a refinement of the mesh.
- Better granularity at the solid-fluid interface.



Export to CFD

- Only the fluid domain



Export to FEA

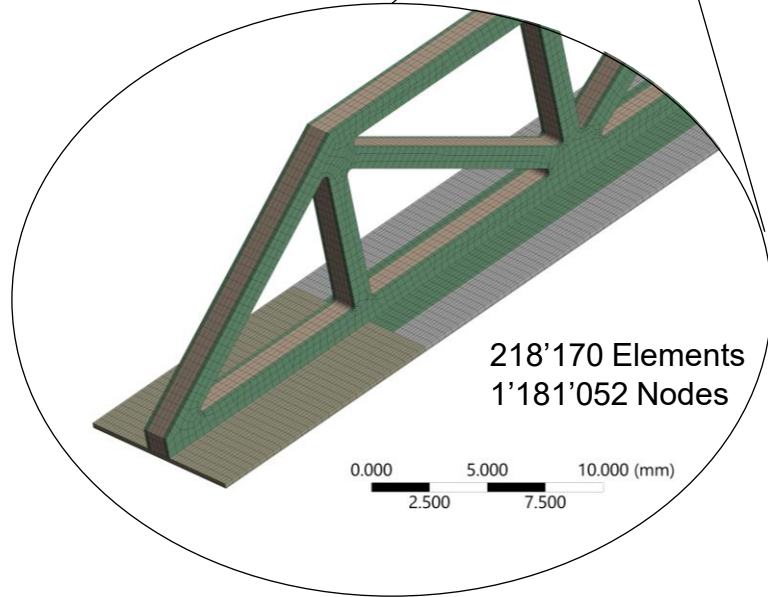
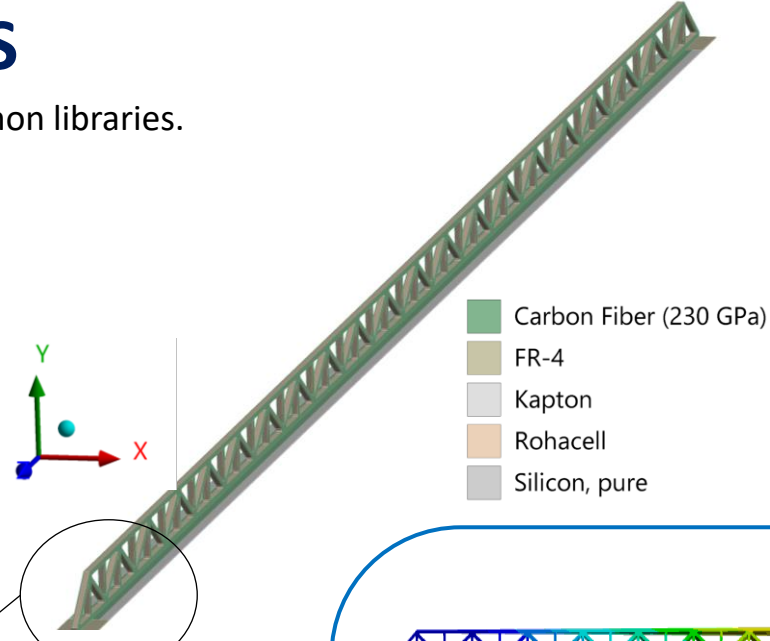
- Only the central stave



MODAL ANALYSIS

- Material data taken from common libraries.
- Frequencies > 100 Hz
- 1° Mode torsional
- Natural frequencies are used to define the time step for next transient analysis:

$$\Delta t < \frac{1}{f_{max} \cdot 10}$$



Constraints

Hypothesis: support cone (anchoring of each stave) not deforming with time.

Lateral View

Bottom View

Results

Mode	Frequency [Hz]
1	118.8

(video)

Mode	Frequency [Hz]
2	147.1

(video)

Mode	Frequency [Hz]
4	292.1

(video)

Mode	Frequency [Hz]
5	394.4

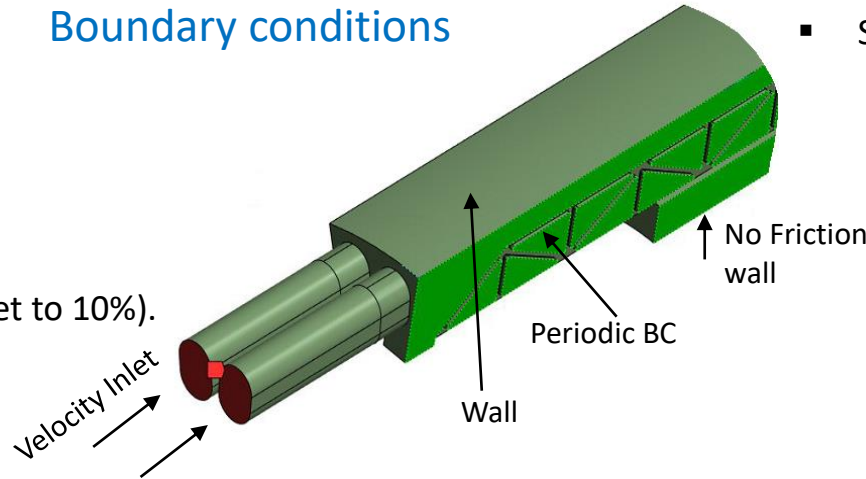
(video)

CFD TRANSIENT ANALYSIS

- $Re > 4'000$ – Turbulent flow $Re = \frac{F_{inertia}}{F_{viscous}} = \frac{\rho V D_H}{\mu}$
- Viscous model: Large Eddy Simulation (LES) Model
- Average velocity at inlet: $V_{in_avg} = 10$ m/s
- Turbulence generator at inlet (turbulence intensity set to 10%).
 - Spectral Synthesizer Algorithm [\[Link\]](#)

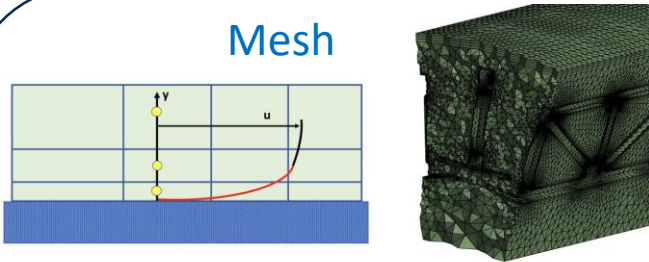
$$\mathbf{u}(\mathbf{r}, t) = 2K_t \sum_{i=1}^N \sqrt{q_i} \left[\sigma_i \cos(k_i \mathbf{d}^i \cdot \mathbf{r} + \phi_i + s_i \frac{t}{T_i}) \right]$$

Boundary conditions

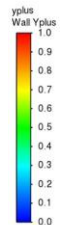


- Solver parameters:
 - Time step = $6.8e-4$ s
 - N° of time steps (Total simulated time) defined by the time a flow particle takes to cross the entire beam, given the RMS velocity of the flow along the axis.
 - NOTE: this involve long calculation time !

Mesh



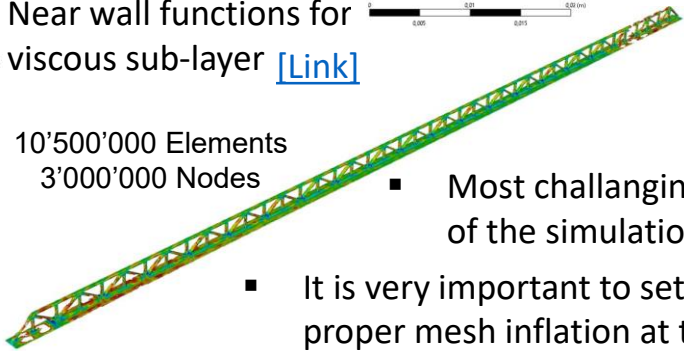
- Near wall functions for viscous sub-layer [\[Link\]](#)



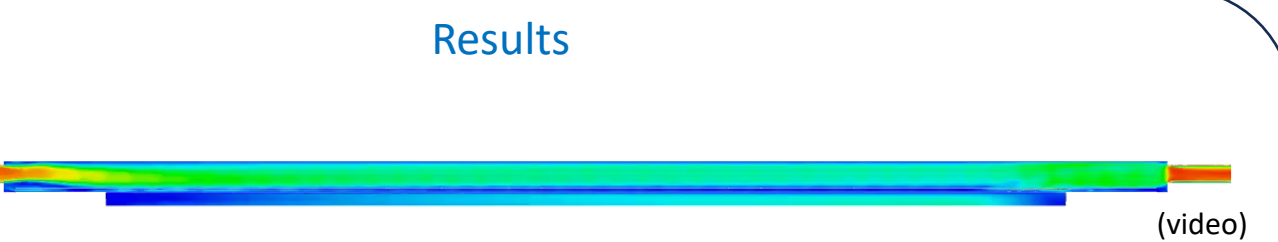
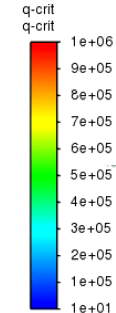
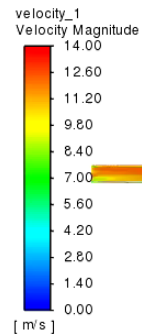
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3'000'000 Nodes

- Most challenging part of the simulation.

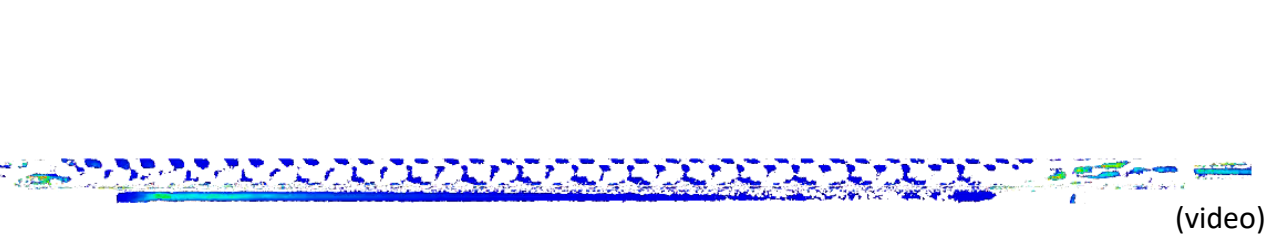
- It is very important to set a proper mesh inflation at the boundary layers.



Results



Velocity change due to turbulence

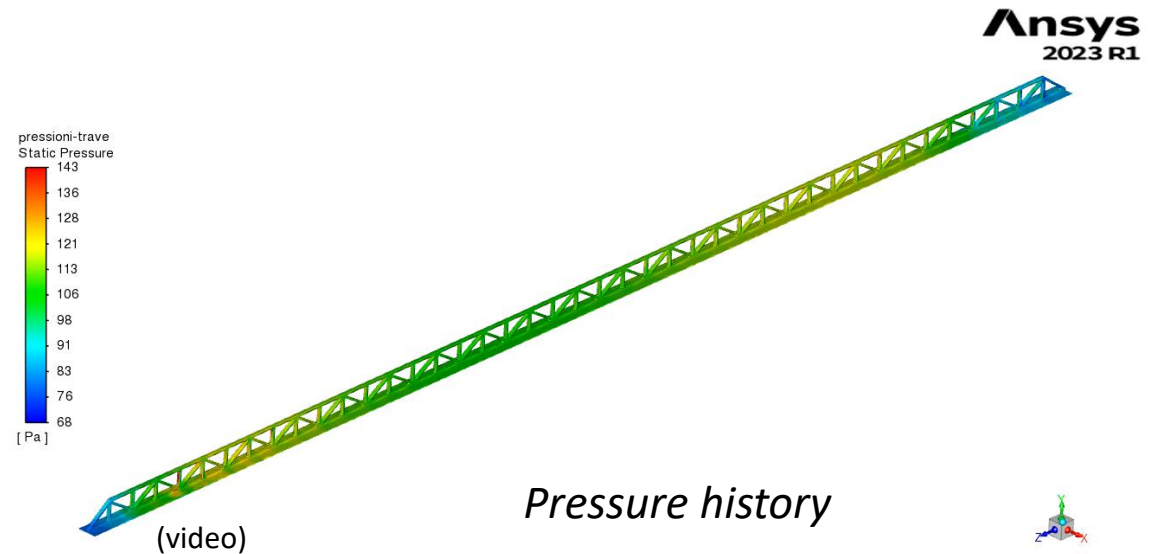
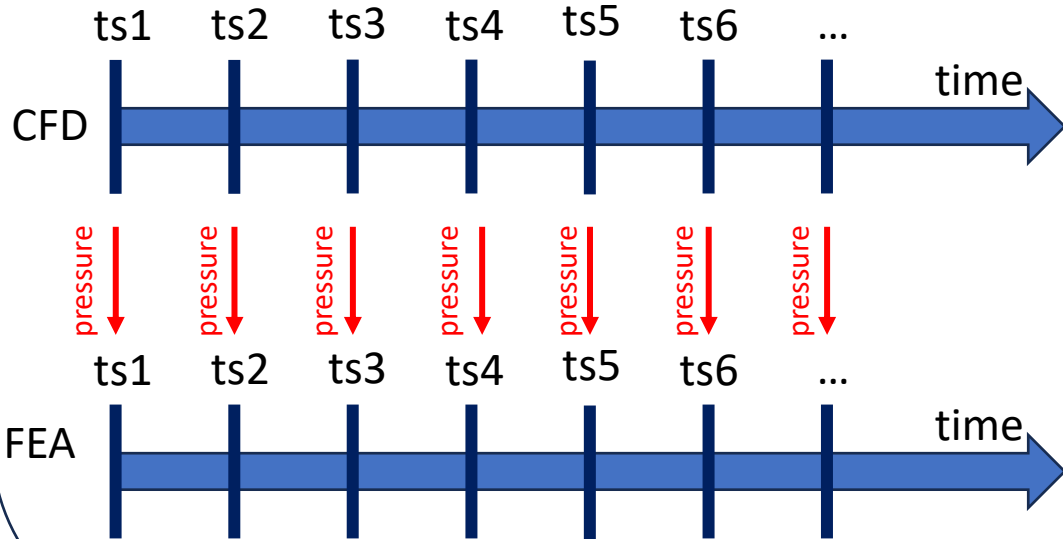
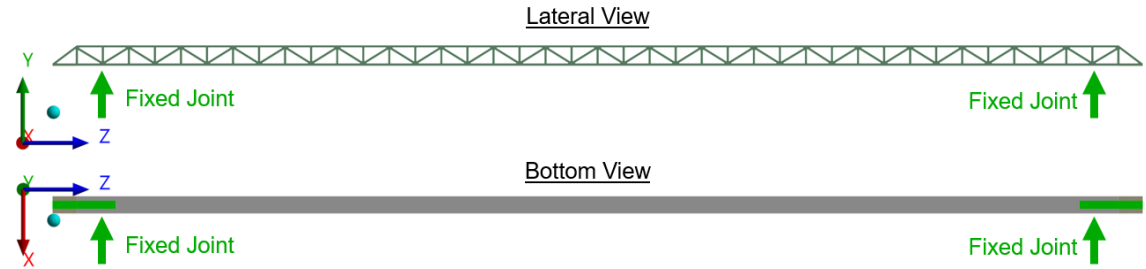


Q-criterion can be used for vortex visualization

SETTING THE MECHANICAL TRANSIENT ANALYSIS

Boundary conditions

- Same constraints and materials used for Modal analysis.
- Pressure history is imported from CFD as external load on all the boundary surfaces of the beam.
- Set time step (ts) for FEA simulations the same as for CFD (pressure load is updated each time step).



RESULTS

D: Transient Structural

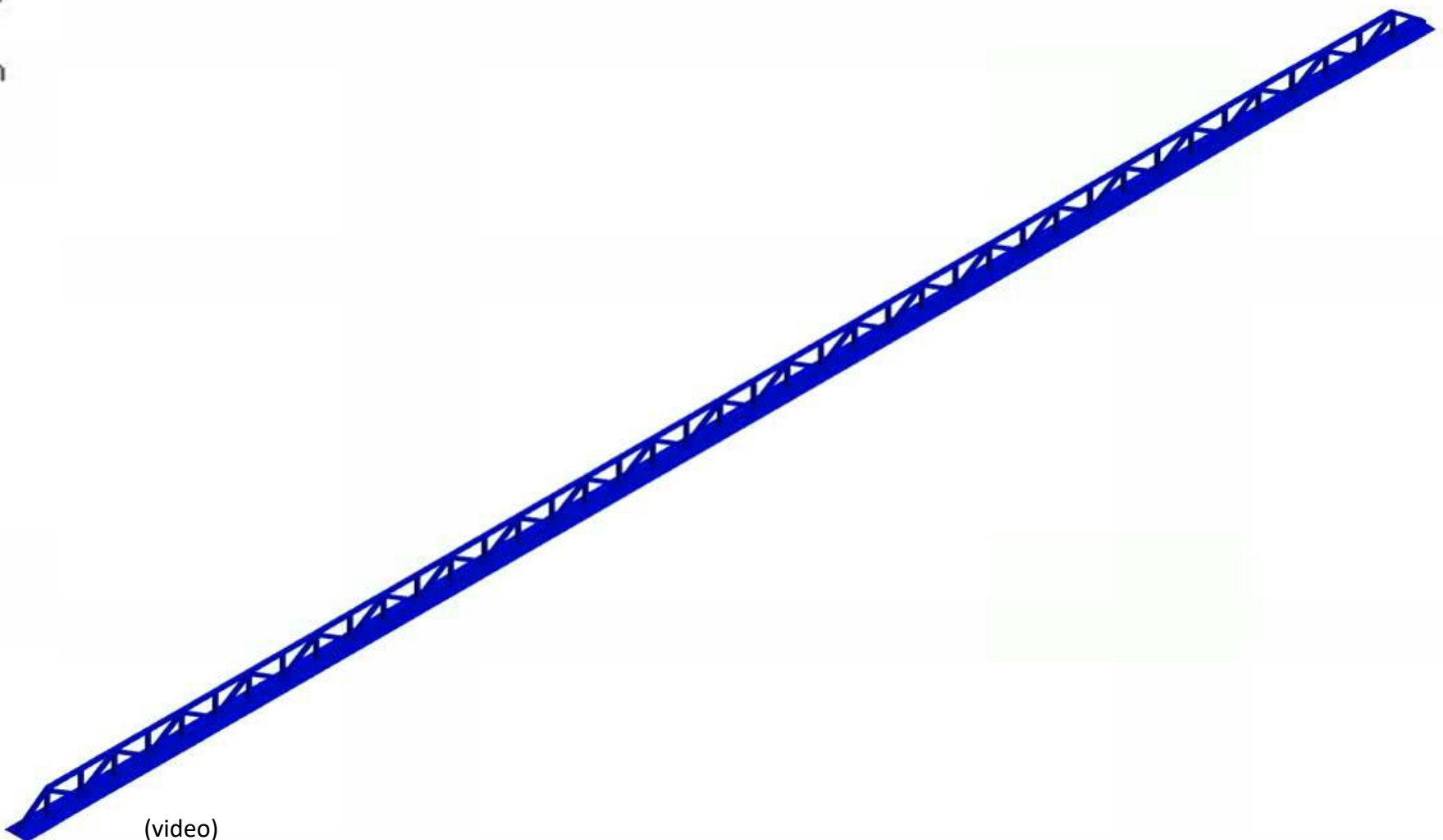
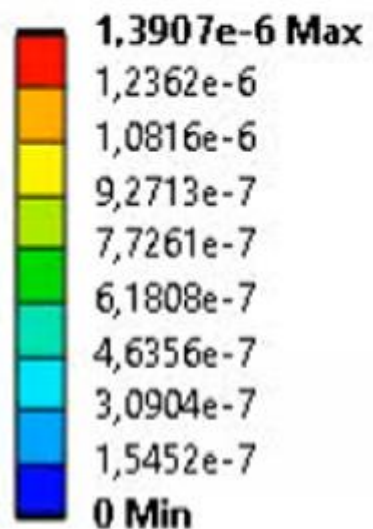
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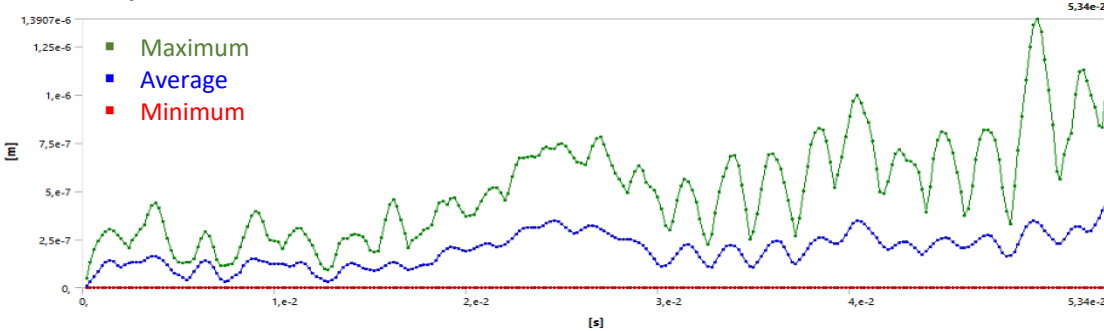


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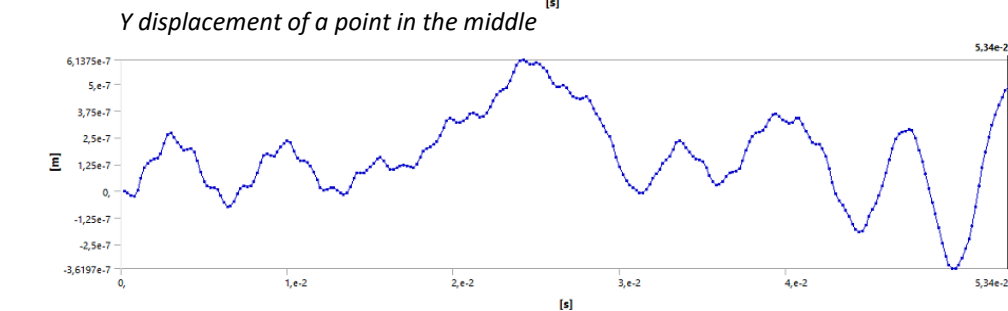
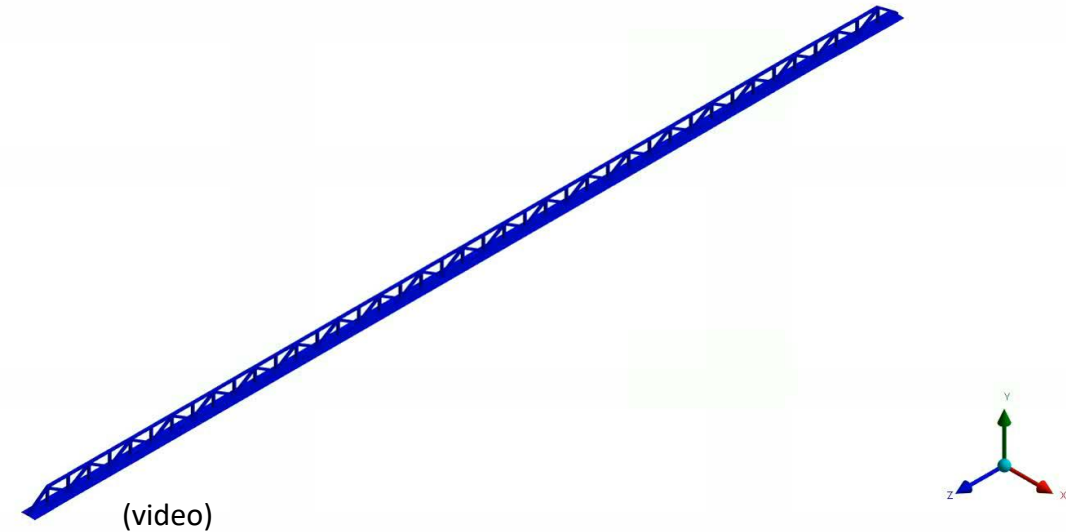
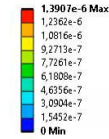
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- Simulation takes some time steps before first modes are fully triggered.

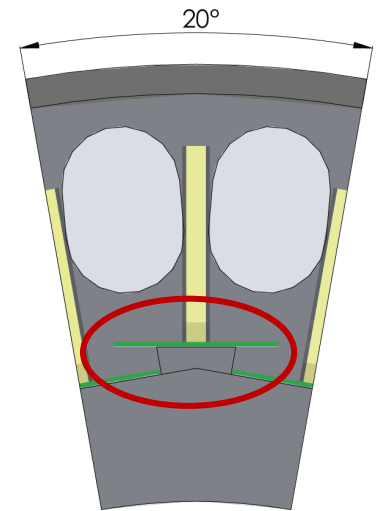
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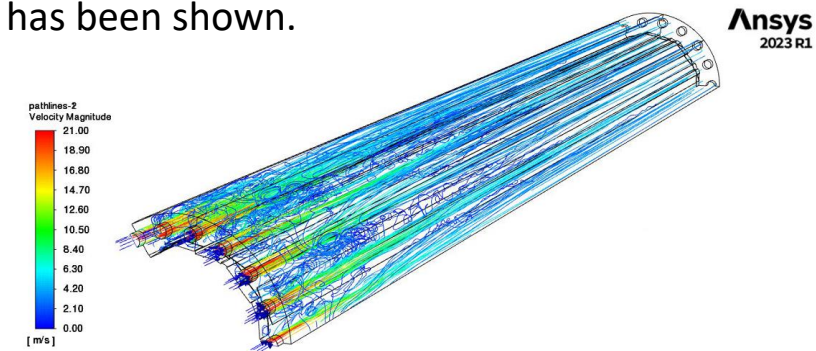
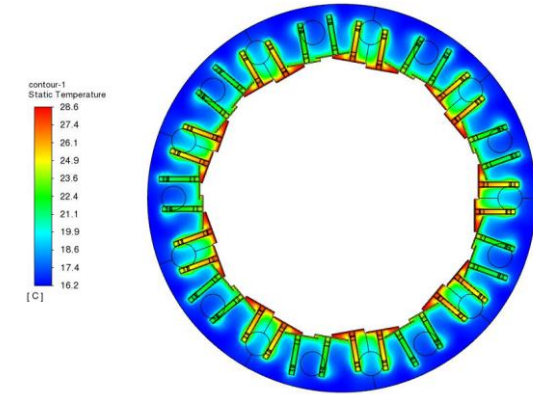


- Maximum displacement magnitude about $1.5 \mu\text{m}$ @ $v_{in} = 10\text{m/s}$
 - Mainly due to first-mode
 - This give hint to improve stiffness in the fixation region to the support cone.
- Model must be tuned with experimental data



SUMMARY & FINAL REMARKS

- The silicon vertex detector for the IDEA concept at FCC-ee has a well defined design.
- A **FVM model** for evaluating the thermal performance for air cooling solution has been shown.
 - **Conjugate heat transfer**: solid and fluid simulated at same time.
 - **Steady** simulation with **RANS** modeling of turbulence.
- A **multiphysics** model joining CFD and FEA is proposed for the study of the dynamic behavior has been shown.
 - **Separated geometry** for the solid and the fluid part.
 - **One-way-coupling** of the pressure at the interfaces.
 - **Transient** simulation with **LES** modeling of turbulence.
- Both the models provide useful hints for geometry optimization and design of experiments for lab tests.
- An experimental validation is crucial to tune the model (especially for the turbulence model to be used) !
- Given the model complexity, the resources needed for this kind of analysis are not a negligible point.



Thanks for your attention

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