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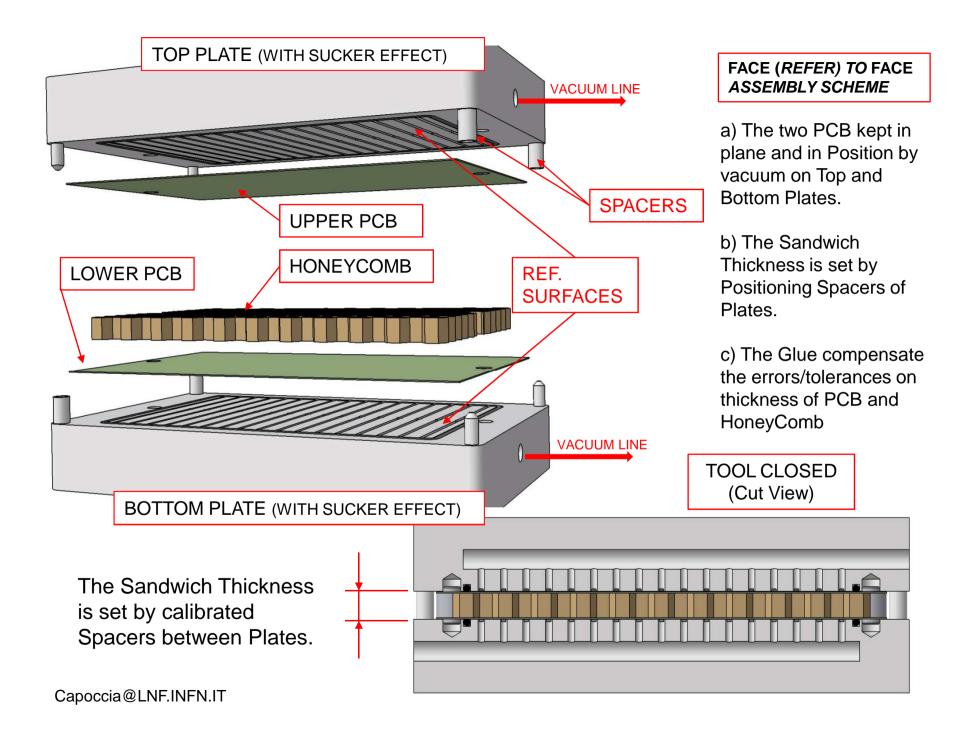
Gluing toolings



- Stiff-back method
- LHCb AL mold
- Dimensions (mm): 1600x390

- High precision surfaces (≈15µm)
- Vacuum line on both sides
- Environmental condition not controlled

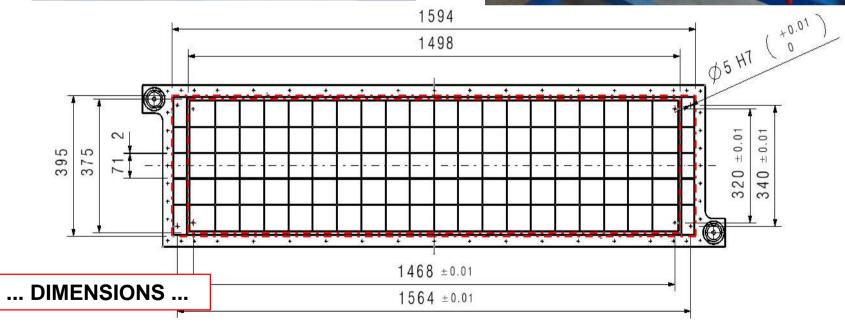




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Gluing procedure



1. Both PCBs are kept in plane on both sides of the mold with vacuum



4. 1st gluing: molds are separated by precision spacers



2. Glue is applied on bottom PCB



5. PCB are exchanged. Gluing is always on the bottom side



3. Honeycomb is layed on the PCB



6. Final gluing. Two days for one sandwich

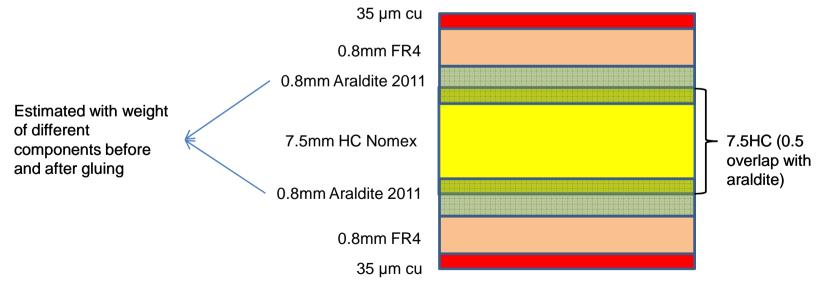
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Goals and Materials

• Acquire experience in gluing sandwiches

- Validate the stiff-back solution and verify precisions (planarity and expected thickness)
- Investigate the possibility to join two or more preglued sandwiches (in progress)
- Make reproducibility tests on sandwiches (in progress)

	Dimension (mm^2)	Thickness (mm)
Sandwich 0	400x440	9.5
Sandwich 1	890x335	9.5
Sandwich 2	1595x340	9.5



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Sandwich measurements

Systems of measurement

Laser tracker INFN Frascati Coordinate-measuring machine (CMM) – INFN PISA





Measurement conditions

•Laser tracker and CMM don't allow to put sandwich in vertical position

- No frame in sandwich, free edges:
 - Edges are not flat, (PCB tends to bend on the copper side)

•In order to avoid effects on measures, sandwiches are suspended with 4 or 6 supports

•Both sides of the sandwiches have been measured to understand macroscopic effect on the shape. Sandwich deformation is really sensitive to the supports position: relevance of this effect has been fully understood only after the measurements

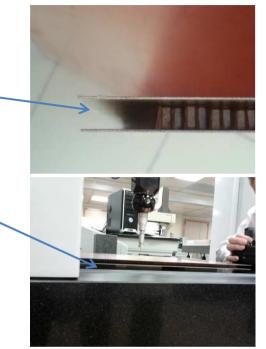
•Laser tracker CCR has a not negligible weight of 195gr

•CMM-probe apply only 4grams on measure point

•CMM measures was done in controlled environment and after 24h conditioning

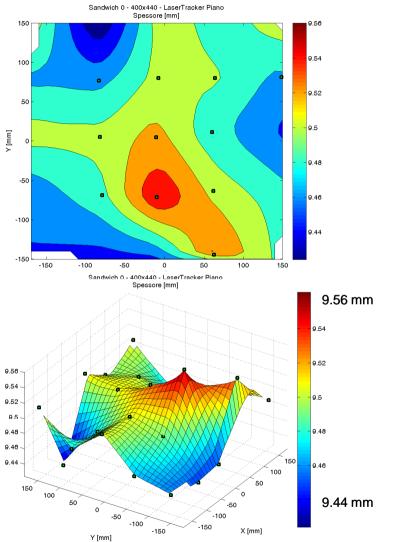
•Use of CMM with optical probe on vertical sandwich would be the best solution



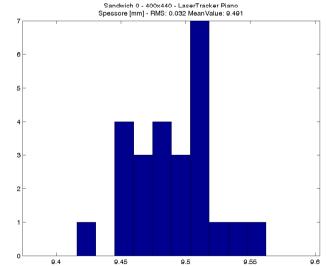


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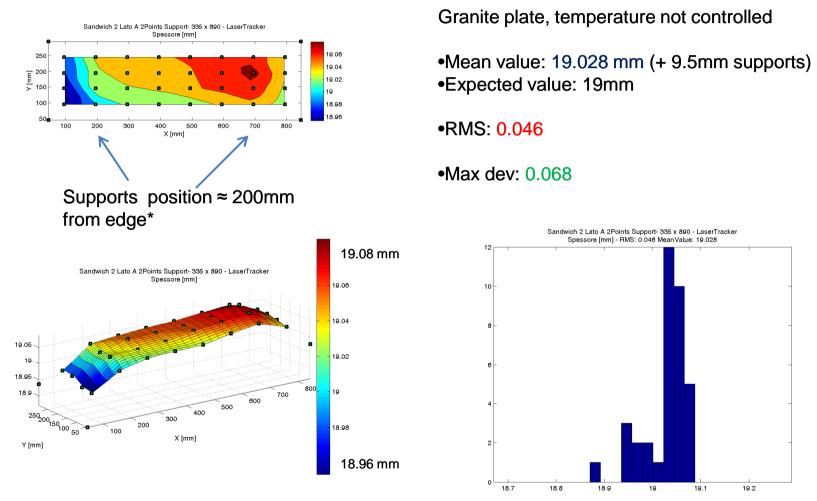
Sandwich 0 – 400x440 – Laser Tracker



Optical plate, temperature not controlled •Mean value: 9.491 mm (expected: 9.5mm) •RMS: 0.032 •Max dev: 0.069mm



Sandwich 1 SideA – 890x335 – Laser Tracker 4 supports



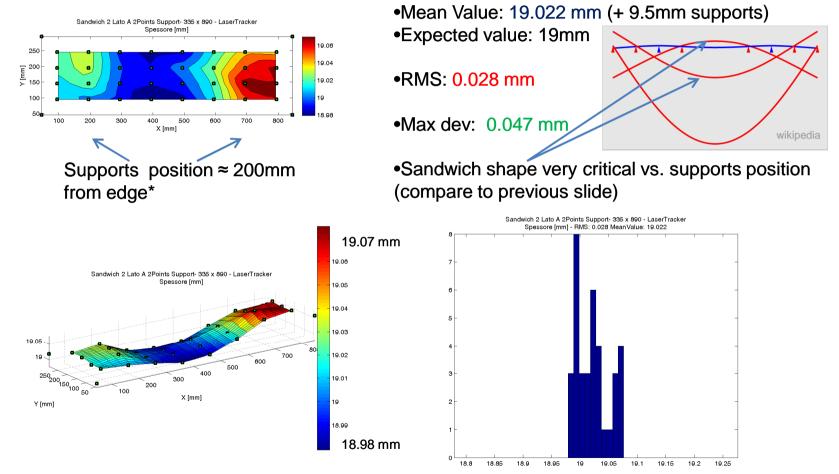
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Sandwich 1 SideB – 890x335 – Laser Tracker 4 support

•Granite plate, temperature not controlled



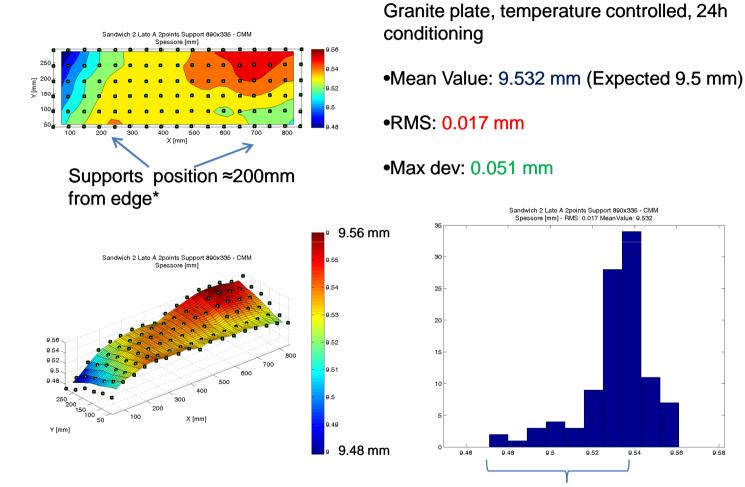
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Sandwich 1 SideA PISA CMM – 890x335

4 supports



Effect of supports and weight

9.56

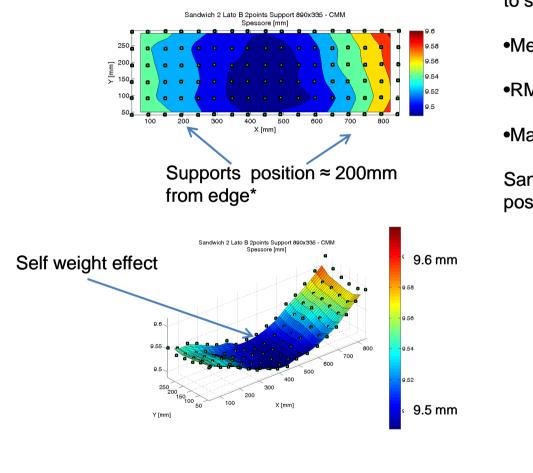
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Sandwich 1 SideB PISA CMM – 890x335 4 supports



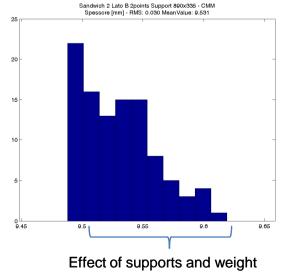
Granite plate, temperature controlled, 24h to stabilize materials

•Mean value: 9.531 mm (expected: 9.5mm)

•RMS: 0.030 mm

•Max dev: 0.1 mm

Sandwich shape very critical vs. supports position (compare to previous slide)

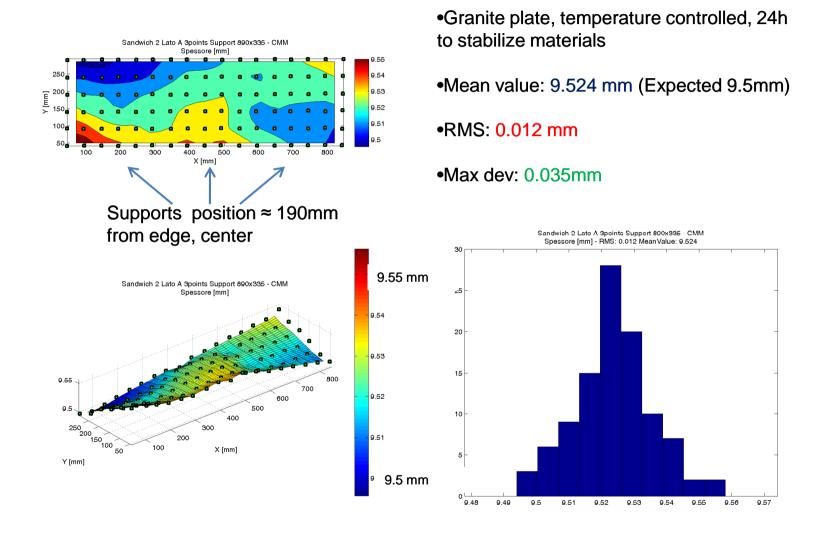


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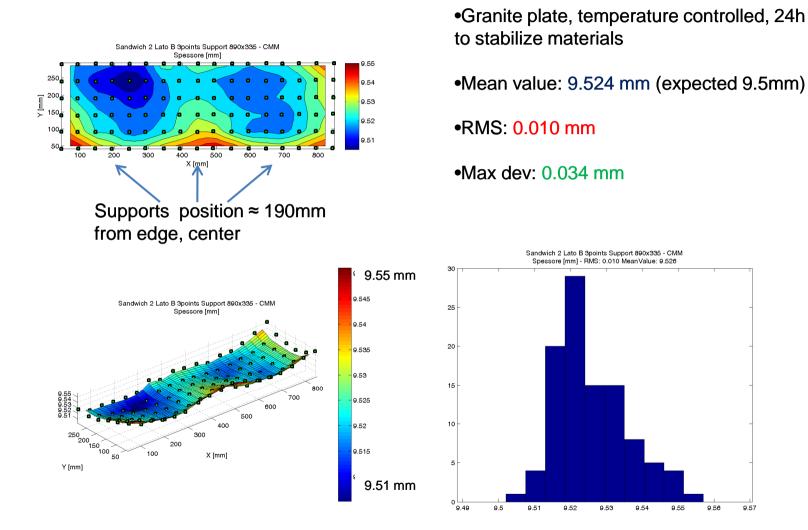
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Sandwich 1 SideA PISA CMM – 890x335 6 supports

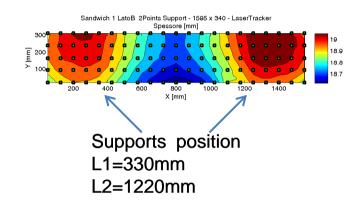


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Sandwich 1 LatoB PISA CMM – 890x335 6 supports



Sandwich 2 SideB – 1595x340 – Laser Tracker 4 supports

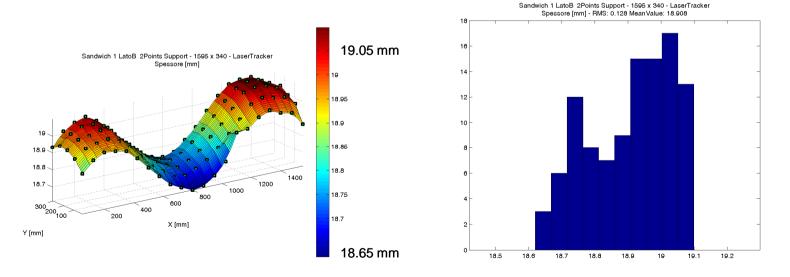


Granite plate, temperature not controlled Wait to produce others sandwiches before measure with CMM

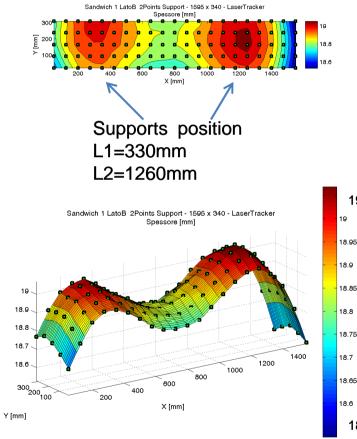
•Mean Value: 18.908 mm (+ 9.5mm support)

•RMS: 0.128 mm

•<u>Very clear effect due to the increased panel</u> length. Deformation up to 0.250mm



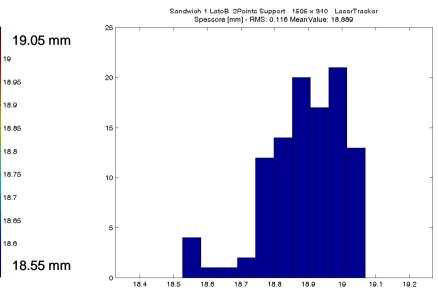
Sandwich 2 SideA – 1595x340 - LT 4 supports



Granite plate, temperature not controlled Wait to produce others sandwiches before measure with CMM

•Mean Value: 18.889 mm (+9.5mm support) Expected :19mm

•RMS: 0.116 mm



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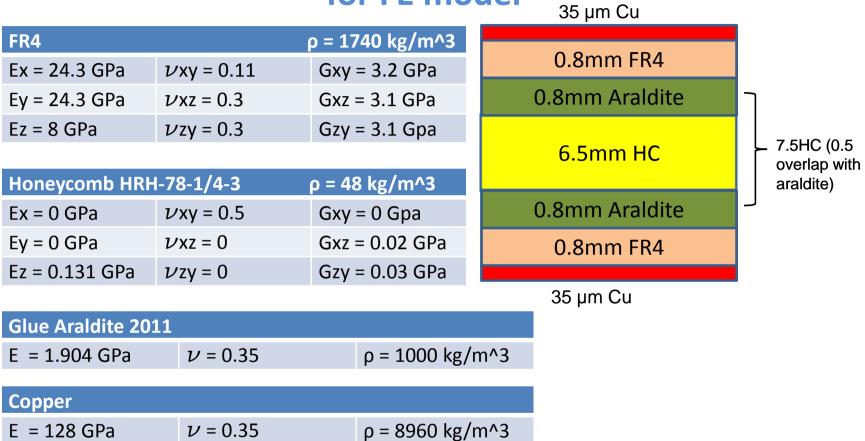
Systematic effects on measurements

•Use observed deformation to have a preliminary indication on panel properties and correct the measurements

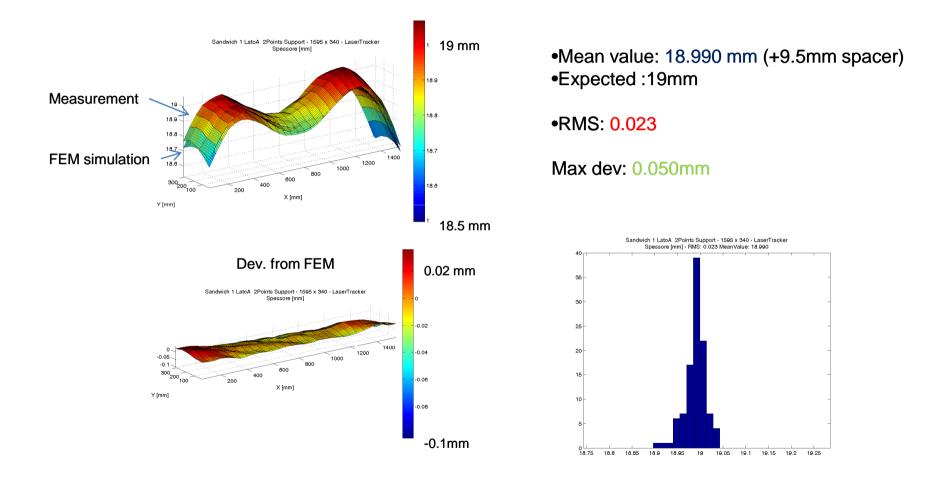
- Measurement setup effects:
 - Deformation of sandwiches due to self weight
 - CCR weight (195gr) when using laser tracker measuring system

 Correct measurements with ANSYS model, taking into account CCR weight and support position

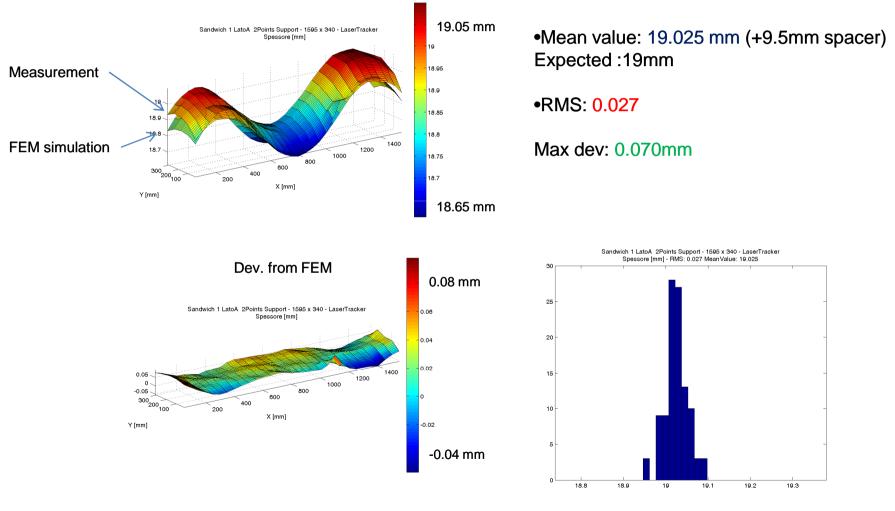
Sandwich lay-up and properties for FE model



Sandwich 2 SideA – 1595x340 4 supports



Sandwich 2 SideB – 1595x340 4 supports



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Conclusions

- Various sandwiches built up from 400x440 mm^2 to 1600x340 mm^2.
- Sandwiches have been measured with different methods and condition (controlled / not controlled, different supports)
- All sandwiches produced completely fulfill the requirements validating the stiff-back approach.
- The best accuracy (RMS≈12µm) obtained with CMM and in controlled environment (we are experiencing some limitation due to the measurement method)
- We would expect better results with panel built in clean and temperature controlled room

Plans

- Optimize gluing procedure, test different materials (AL HC, 0.5mm FR4/G10, glue)
- Join preglued sandwiches
- Optimize measurement methods
- Produce more sandwich 1600x340 mm² and measure them with CMM to repeat the quality of measures