

Joint session of WP3, WP6, WP7, WP11 on **Circuit protection**

Introduction

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Session overview versus HL circuit table





Goals and time line for circuit protection

Recommendation from Cost and Schedule Review 03.2015

"Reduce the number of redundant systems for quench protection to a safe level and explore the possibility of replacing the costly and risky energy extraction systems by less expensive solutions."

Questions to each speaker

- Project scope
- State protection simulations
- V-taps, routing of instrumentation cables, required thresholds and allowed evaluation times
- ELQA compatibility (voltage levels)

Time line for circuit protection

- HL- LHC Circuit Review early spring 2016
- Technical Design Report V1 spring / summer 2016
- Cost & Schedule Review autumn 2016



Deliverables and Actors - for each circuit type

- Detection specification (Mr. Circuit, WPs 3, 6, 7, 11)
 - Magnet (symmetric/asymmetric), busbar and joints, leads, SC link.
 - V-tap definition
 - Thresholds voltage and evaluation time,
 - documentation of flux-jump voltage spikes,
 - peak temperature vs. threshold parameters.
 - Documentation of measured propagation velocities

(long. & transv. in high and low field region).

- Heater design documentation (WPs 3, 7, 11)
 - Documentation of heater-efficiency experiments and simulations.
- Active-protection specification (Mr. Circuit, WPs 3,

6, 7, 11)

- Crowbar
- EE (max. current, max. load, switch delay)
- CLIQ (capacitance, leads dimensions)
- Heater power-supplies (capacitance, switch delay, leads dimensions)

- Specification of ELQA tests voltages (Mr. Circuit and WPs 3, 6, 7, 11)
 - During manufacture, at reception, and in tunnel.
- **PIC interface documentation** (Mr. Circuit, WP 7)
- Busbar specification (Mr. Circuit, WPs 3, 6, 7, 11)
- CLIQ, EE: reliability studies (Mr. Circuit, WP 7)
- Electric circuit diagram incl. instrumentation (Mr. Circuit, WPs 3, 11, 15)
- **Definition of instrumentation routing** (Mr. Circuit and WPs 3, 6, 11, 15)

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