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15T Demonstrator: mechanical design, analysis and optimization

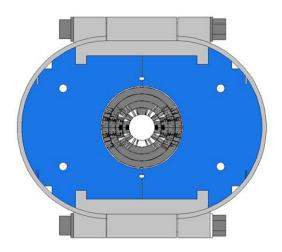
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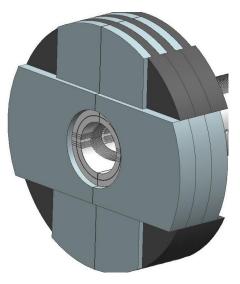
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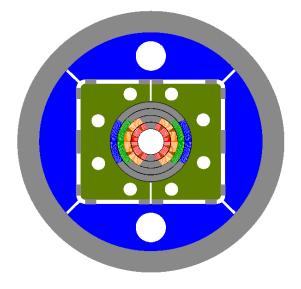
Magnet Concept Evolution



C-Clamp Magnet



I-Clamp Magnet

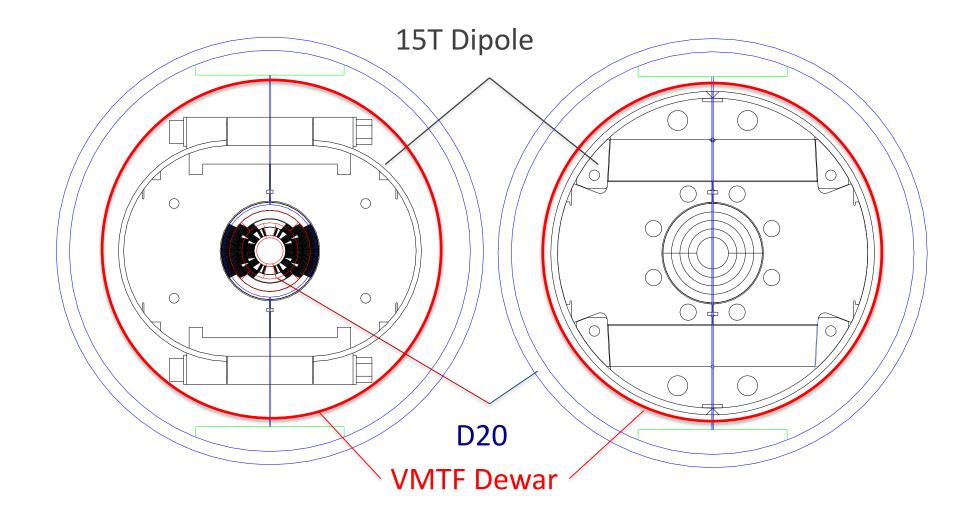


Al Shell Magnet



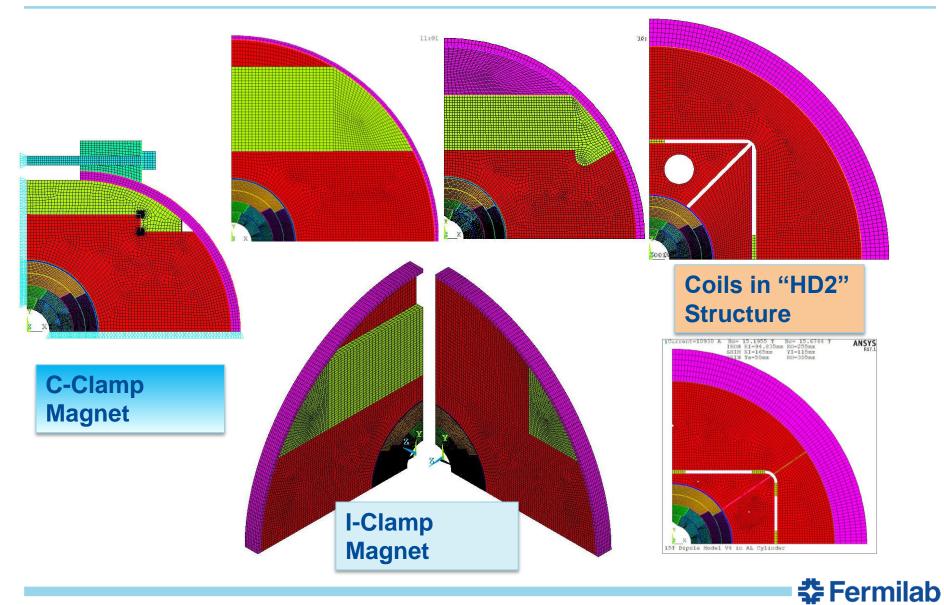
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Geometry Comparison





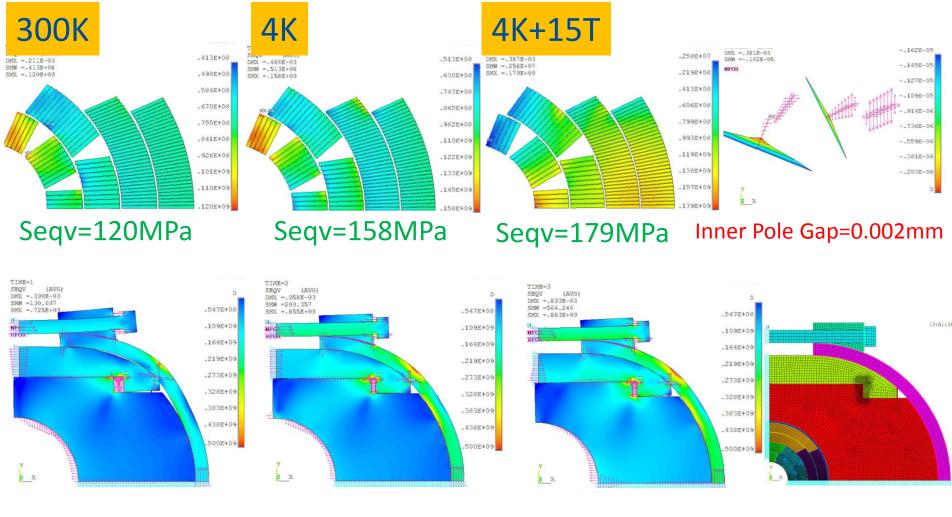
FEA Models



Structural element	Material	Thermal contract. (300-2 K),	Elasticity modulus, GPa		Yield stress, MPa	
		mm/m	warm	cold	warm	cold
Coil (rad/azim)	Nb ₃ Sn composite	2.9/3.3	35/20	40/40	n/a	n/a
In.coil pole blocks	Ti-6Al-4V	1.7	115	125	650	>900
Out.coil pole blocks	St St	2.9	195	215	230	500
Wedges	Bronze	3.2	110	120	280	350
Coil-yoke spacer	St St	2.9	190	210	230	500
Clamp	Aluminum	4.1	70	81	500	700
Yoke	Iron	2.0	205	225	220	500
Skin	St St 316	2.9	190	210	290	580



Design 1: C-Clamp+20mm Skin, FEA Results



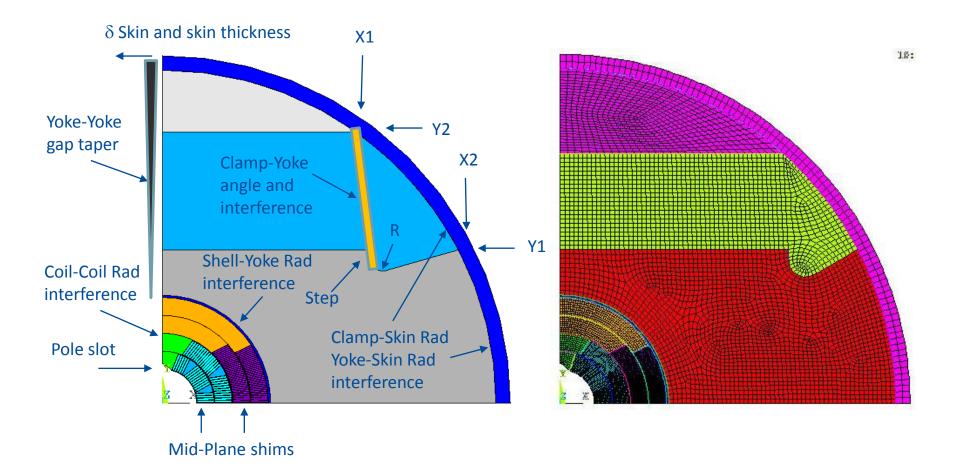
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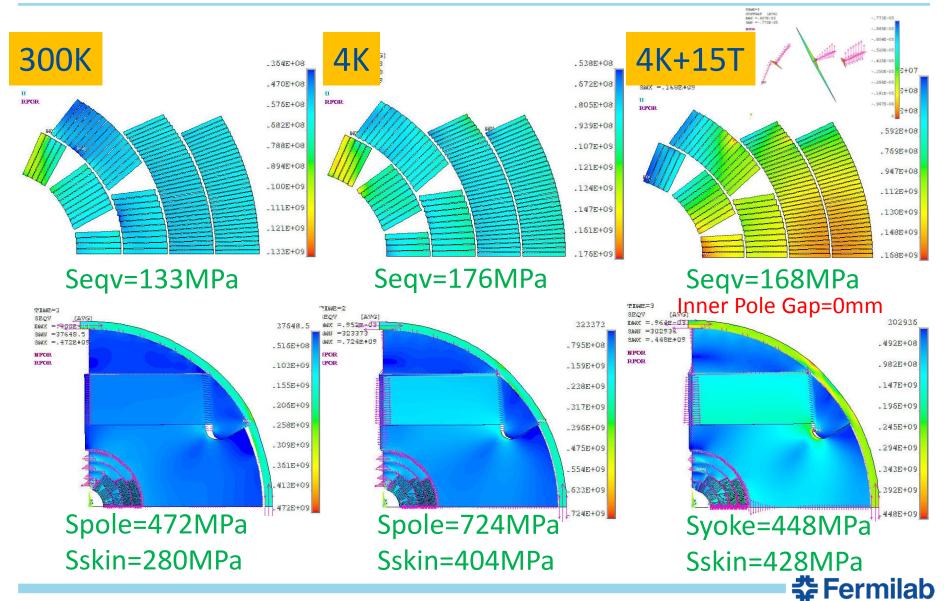


Design 2: IC-Clamp+12mm Skin, FEA Model



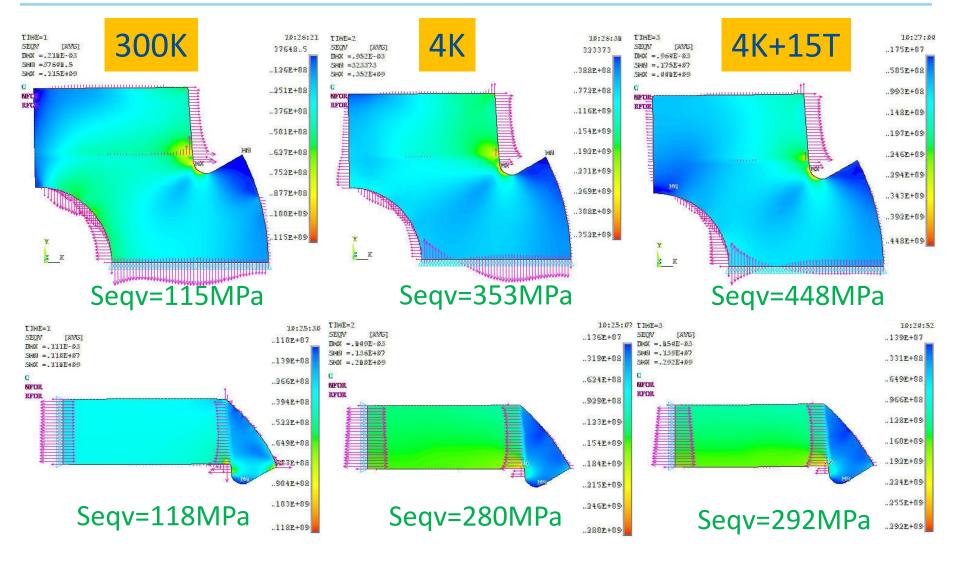


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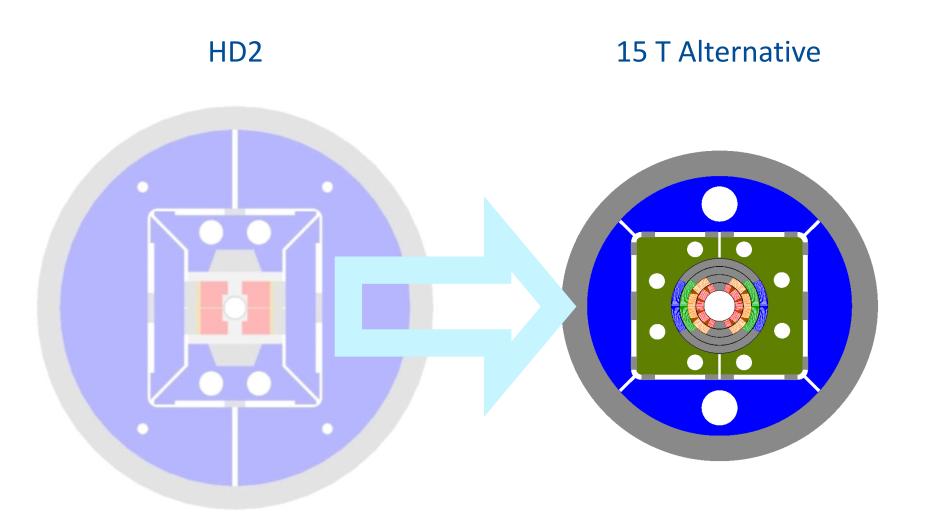
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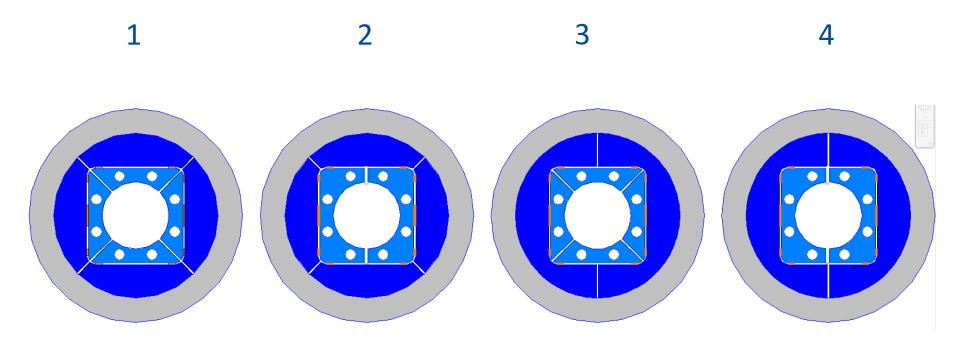
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AL Shell Design





Parametric Model of the Structure

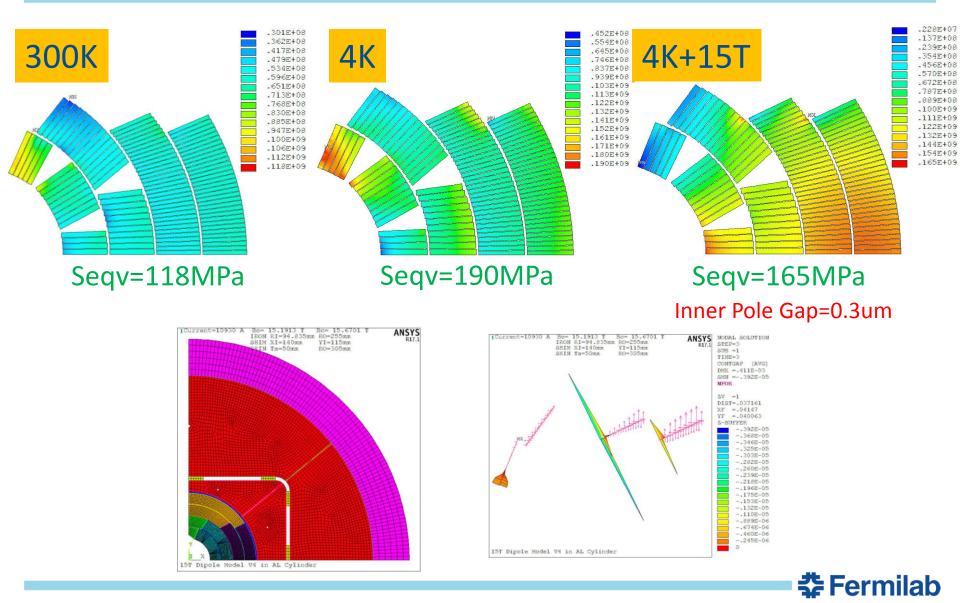


Al Shell: 50 and 70 mm thick Iron Pad: 2 or 4-piece Iron Yoke: 2 or 4-piece

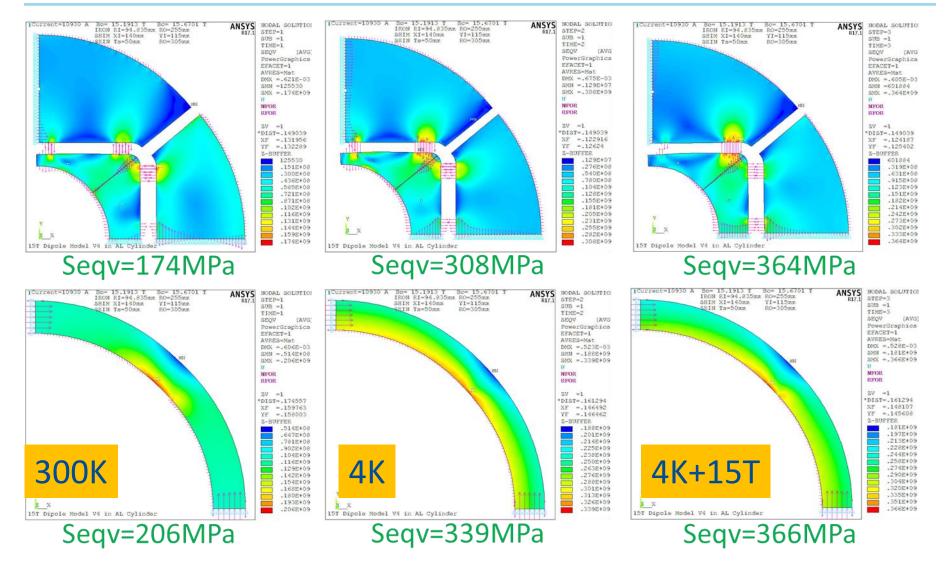


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Design 3: 50mm AL Cylinder, FEA Results



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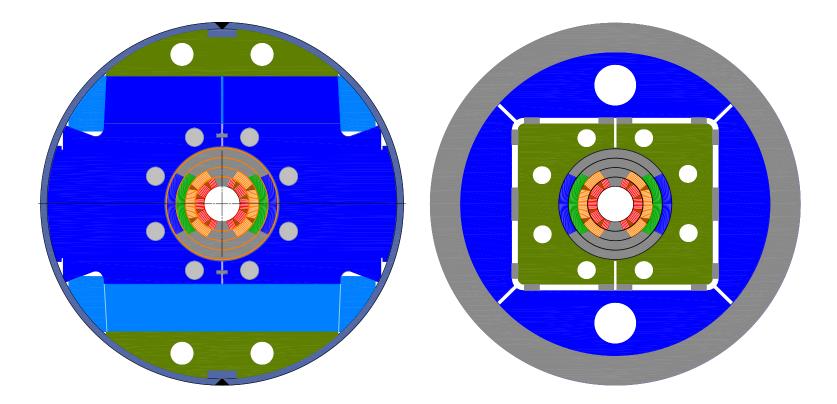


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15 T Demonstrator Support Structures



Baseline

Alternative



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Comparison of Baseline and Alternative Designs

Position in coil —	Baseline, Azimuthal Coil Stress, MPa			Al Shell, Azimuthal Coil Stress, MPa			
	Assembly	Cool down	B=15 T	Assembly	Cool down	B=15 T	
Pole 1	88	138	9	89	168	3	
Pole 2	46	75	21	45	87	21	
Pole 3	64	97	36	65	123	37	
Pole 4	62	95	62	61	113	63	
Mid-plane 1	64	95	153	59	99	149	
Mid-plane 2	65	107	127	66	134	127	
Mid-plane 3	62	92	153	61	107	153	
Mid-plane 4	66	103	153	67	131	157	

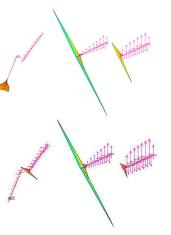
MAXIMUM EQUIVALENT STRESS IN KEY STRUCTURAL ELEMENTS (MPA).

Structural	Baseline design			Design with Al shell		
element	Assembly	Cool down	B=15 T	Assembly	Cool down	B=15 T
Coil	133	176	168	118	190	165
Yoke	115	353	448	174	308	364
Clamp	118	280	292	-	-	-
Skin	280	404	428	206	339	366

Contact gaps at poles

Al Shell at 15T: Inner Pole Gap=0.3um (30%) Layer 3 pole Gap=4um (15%)

Baseline at 15T: Inner Pole Gap =0um Layer 3 pole Gap=7um (20%)





Summary

- Several concepts of mechanical structure have been analysed and compared.
- Mechanical designs with IC-Clamps (Baseline) provides the required coil prestress and restricts turn radial, azimuthal and longitudinal motion for the operating current range up to 15T.
- Alternative magnet support structure based on a 50 mm thick aluminum shell, 4-piece iron yoke and 2-piece iron pad behave likewise.
- Both structures allow keeping the stresses in the coil and support structure within acceptable limits during magnet assembly and operation.

