



**U.S. MAGNET
DEVELOPMENT
PROGRAM**

The Canted-Cosine-Theta (CCT) Dipole Program

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CCT Motivation and outline

- “ ... investigate new designs for high field... ”
- “ ... understand and reduce training ... ”
- “ ... implement HTS materials into high-field magnets ... ”
- Status of the Canted-Cosine-Theta magnet program at LBNL
- Challenges and issues



CCT2

- 5.3 T short-sample dipole
- 23 strd. NbTi cable tested up to 4.7 T
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CCT3

- 10.4 T short-sample dipole
- 23 strd. Nb₃Sn cable tested up to 7.4 T
- Conductor damage suspected (69% of SS limit)

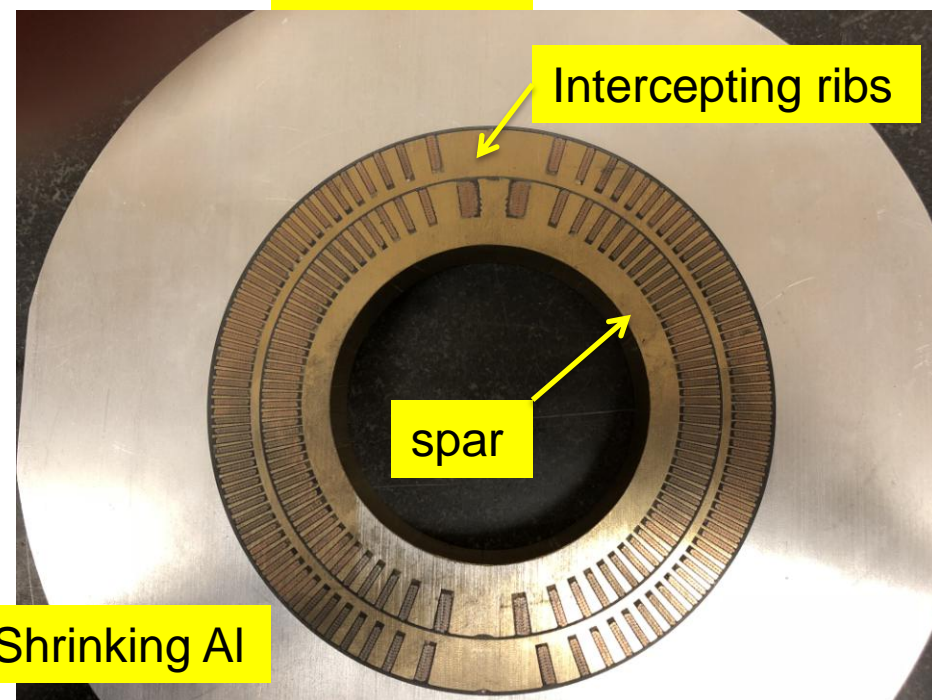
CCT4

- 10.4 T short-sample dipole
- 23 strd. Nb₃Sn cable tested up to 9.1 T
- Long training but good memory (86% of SS limit)

- ❖ All layers impregnated
- ❖ All tests at 4.4 K



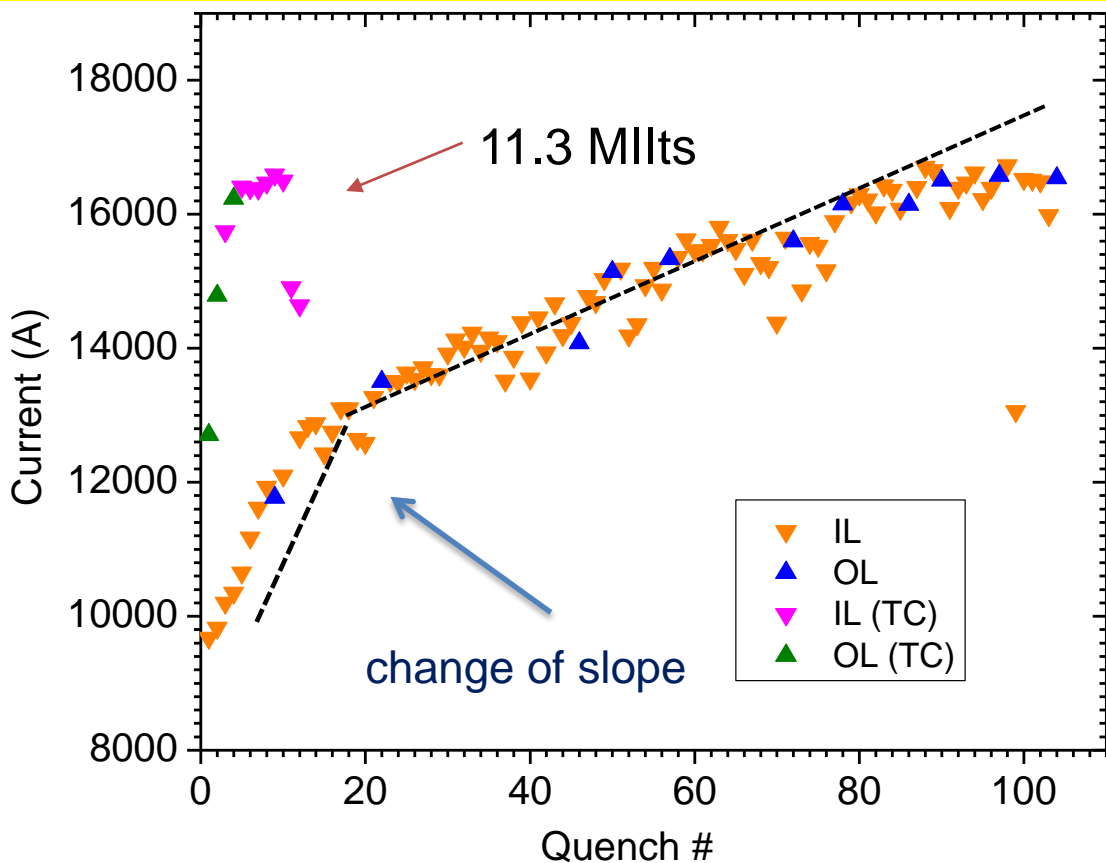
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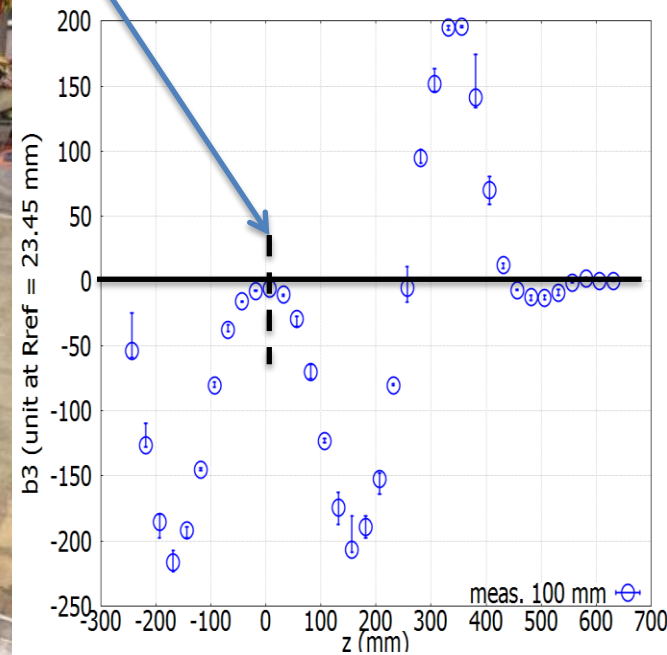
CCT4 Test Results

- CCT4 Bore Reached 9.14 T, 16.7 kA, 86% of short sample (90 mm aperture)
- Long training but good memory after thermal cycle
- **Reduction in training is the main focus for CCT5**



❖ Iron for return flux only

Magnet center – mostly ends



Sextupole - from center to "end" integrates to 0

Initial training location form a cluster near the pole then spreads towards the mid-plane

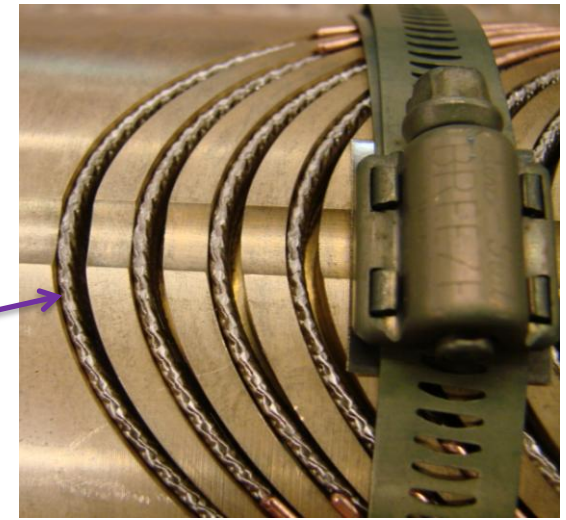
Lessons Learned

Changes Proposed for CCT5 ...

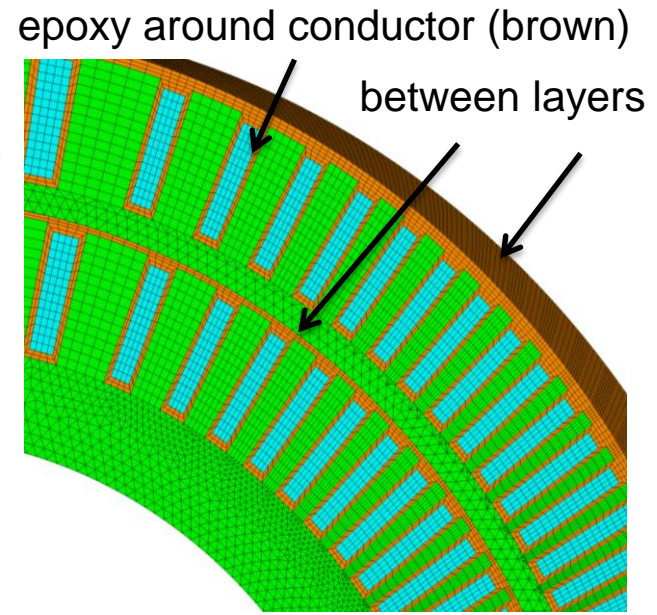
1. *Training despite an inner structure and reduce conductor stress*
2. *Good memory up to 9 T*

Main suspects/Change:

1. Channel size and cable size
Pole-gaps in channels (cable follows mandrel during reaction)
2. Stick-slip between layers
Impregnating layers separately
3. Epoxy cracking
Replace CTD-101K with FSU Mix-61 epoxy
4. Analysis and FEA studies
Details and multi-physics (Lucas Brouwer)



5. Two distinct training regimes (Acoustic Emission).
Acoustic Emission, Reacted cable studies and extracting, sintering, cu etching, visual filament inspection (Maxim Martchevskii, Emelie Nilsson- CERN)
6. **External structure**
Utility structure (Mariusz Juchno)



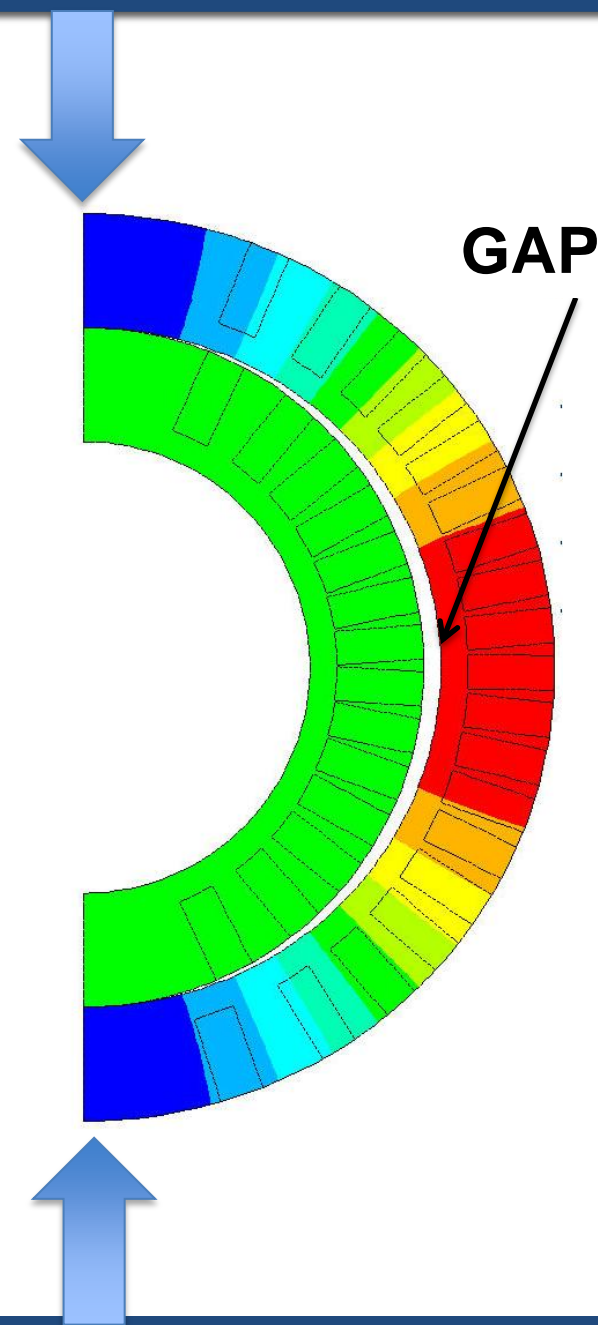
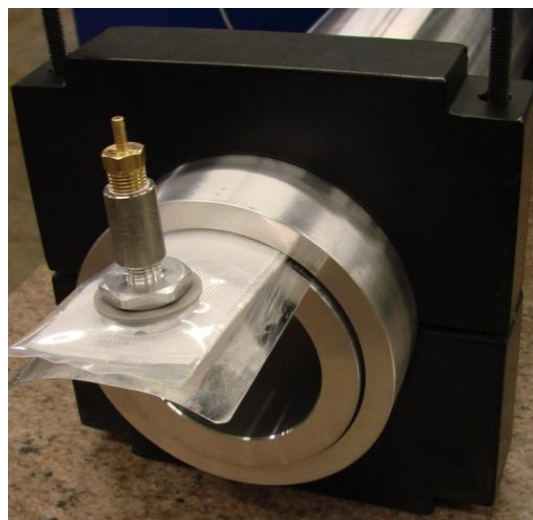
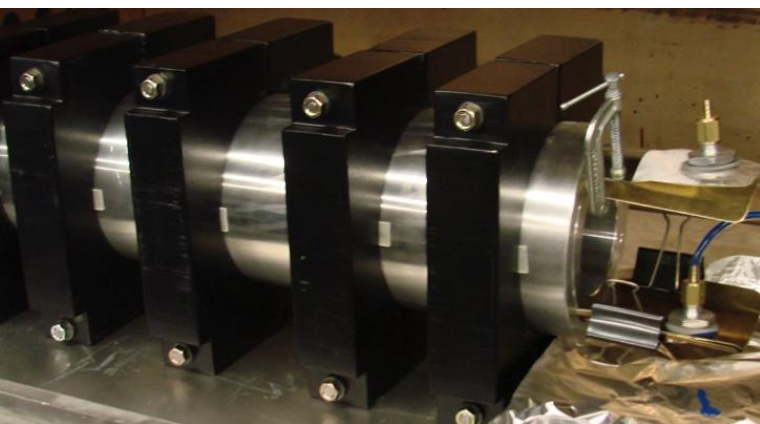
Assembly:

1. **Slide layers into each other by force**
Slip planes (shims) between layers, "bend & shim" to assemble/disassemble



“Bend-Shim” assembly using “Smart-Shims”

- Insert layer 1 into layer 2 (~1.5 mm radial gap)
- Bend outer layer, insert “smart-shim”, inject epoxy, cure, remove force, springs back
- Taking care of any geometry irregularity
- Disassembling by reversing the process





Magnetics

- **19 T – Lorentz forces**
 - 6 layers
 - Any conductor – Nb₃Sn, HTS (carrying the same current)

Internal Structure

- **CCT spars integrate Lorentz forces**
- **Magnet Assembly/Disassembly using “smart-shims”.**

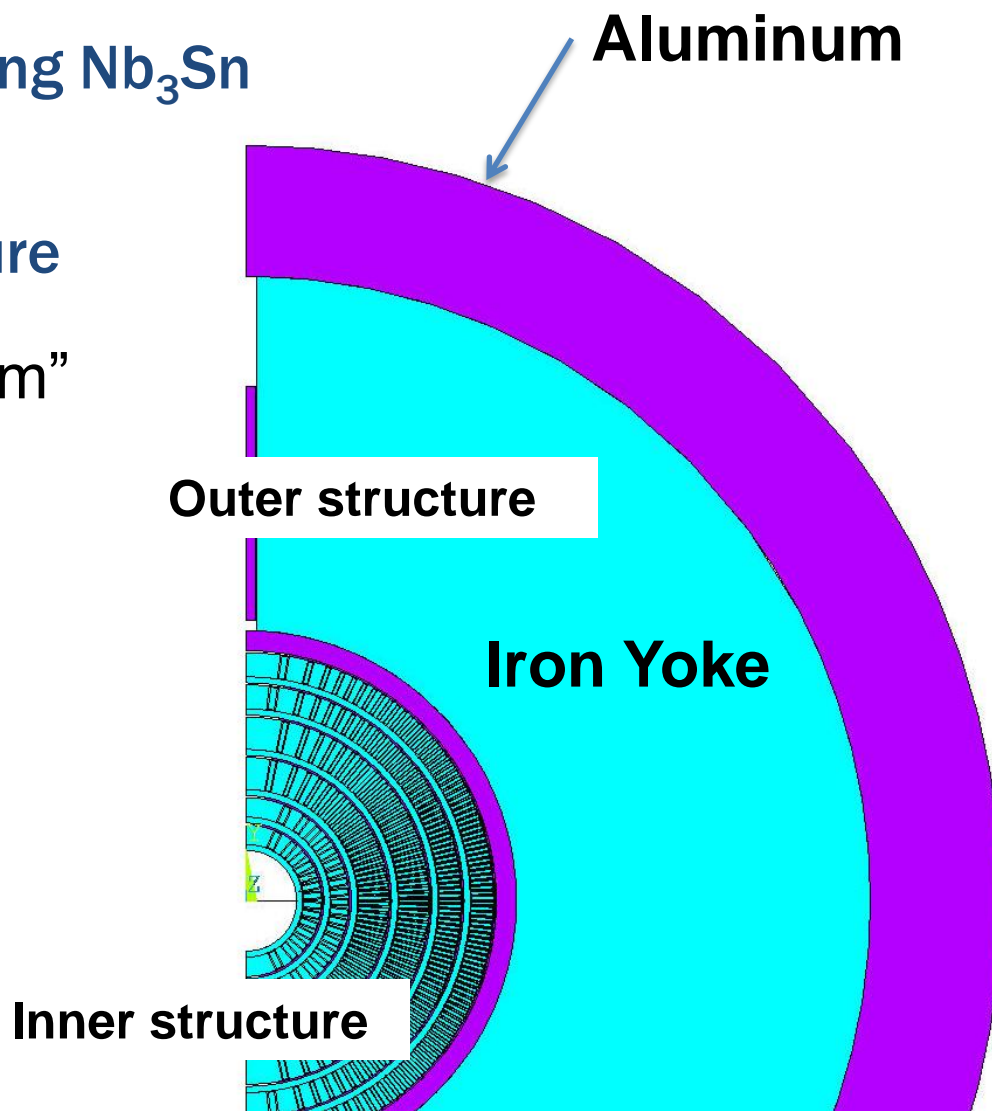
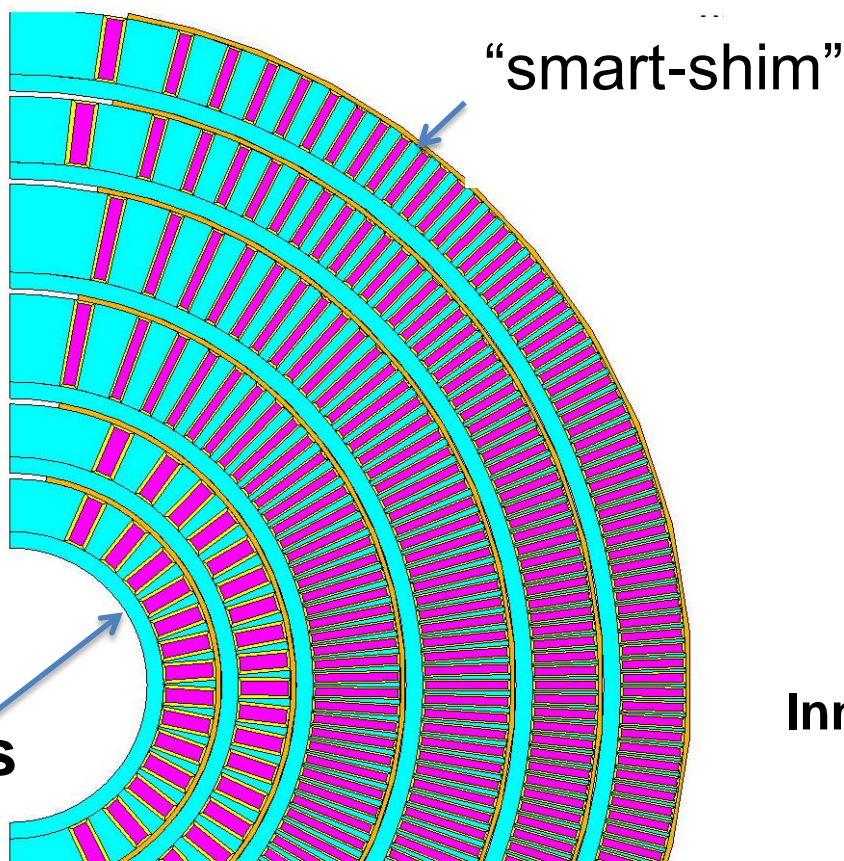
External structure

- **Yoke and Shell structure controlling bending**



6-Layer CCT Design

- 2 inner layers HTS + 4 outer layers using Nb₃Sn
- Assembly using “bend and shim”
- Outer structure to confine inner structure





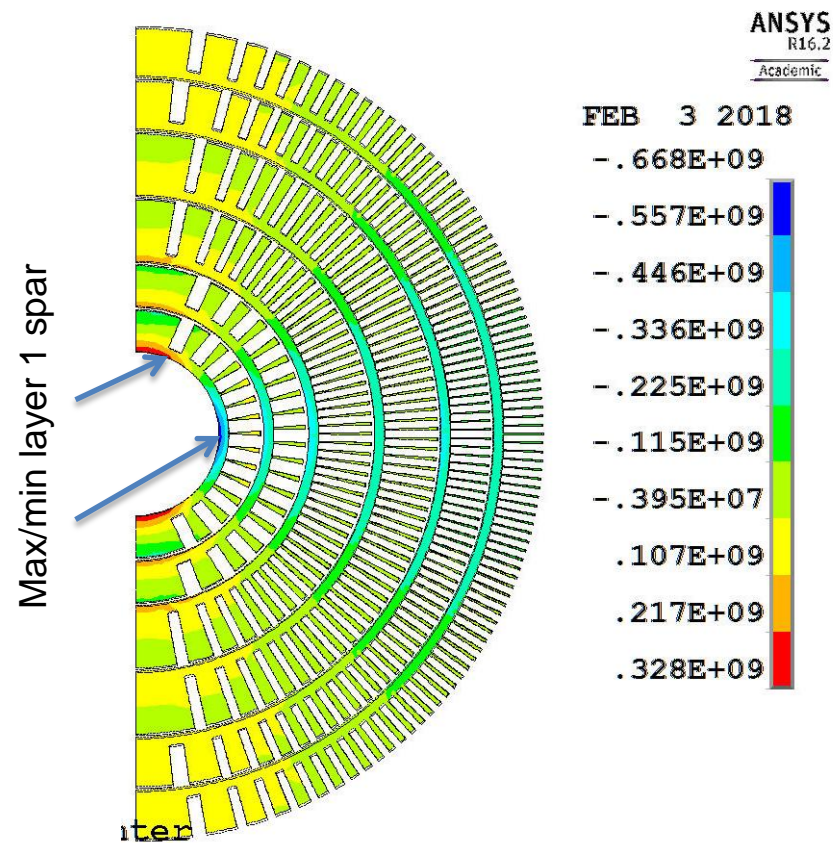
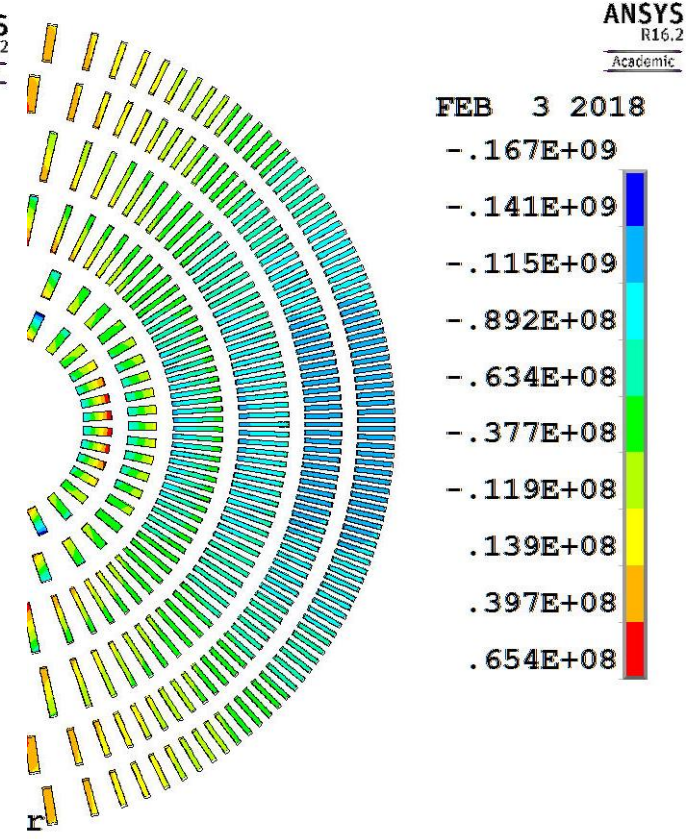
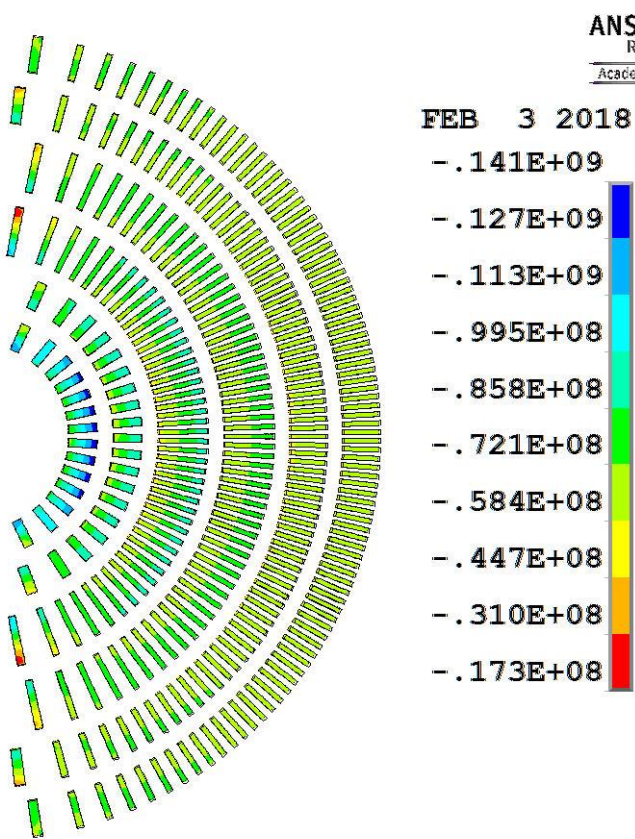
6 layers azimuthally stressed

Assuming Lorentz forces at a 19T level

Conductor
Cold
-17 to -141 MPa

Conductor
19 Tesla
+65 to -167 MPa

Bronze mandrel
19 Tesla
+328 -668 MPa



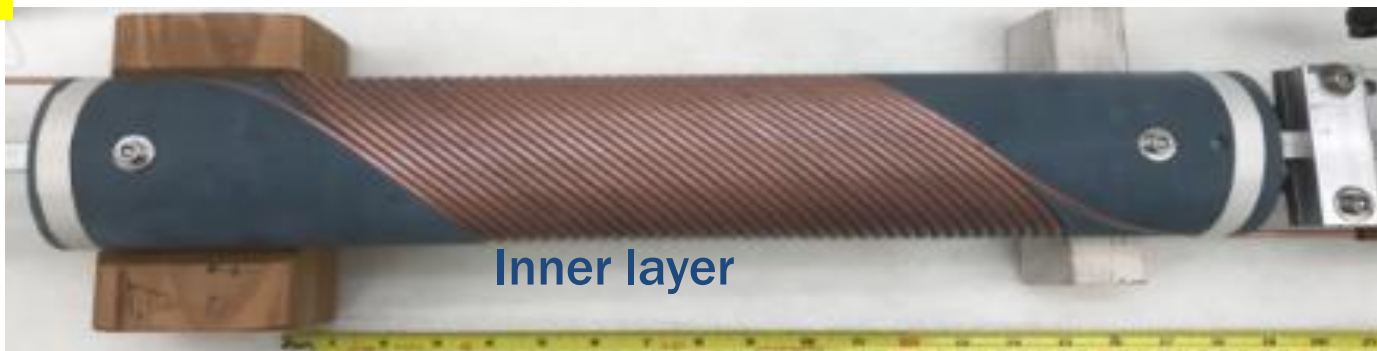
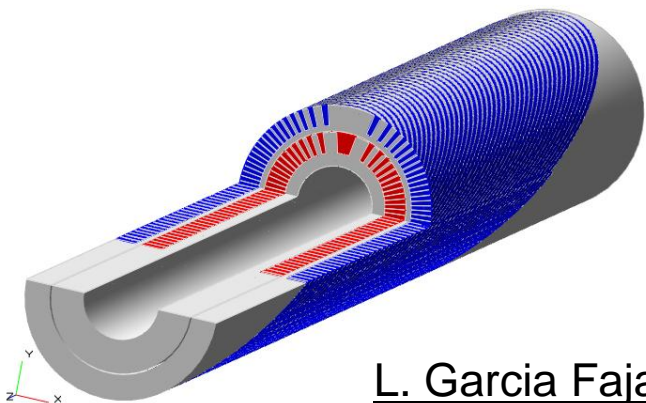


HTS Using CORC[®] wire

C1 reached 4.8 kA, 1.2 T at 4.2 K, $J_e = 640 \text{ A/mm}^2$, (reproducible after thermal

Next C2, 4 layers 3 T, 2018

<http://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.1088/1361-6668/aaad8f>



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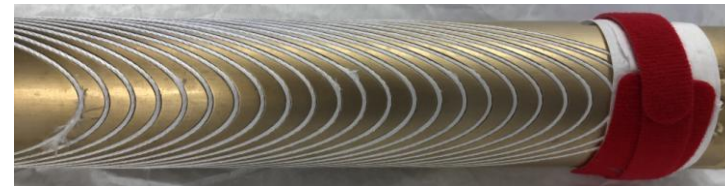
HTS Using 2212 wire

RC5 reached 8.3 kA with wire J_E of 940 A/mm^2 (quench detection shown to be feasible)

Next BIN4, 9 strands, 1 bar, 2018

Next BIN5, 9 strands, 50 bar 2018

Next BIN7, 19 strands, 2020 – 5.4 T





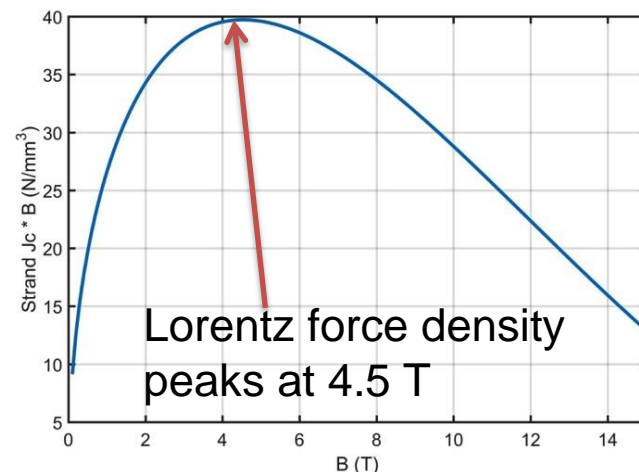
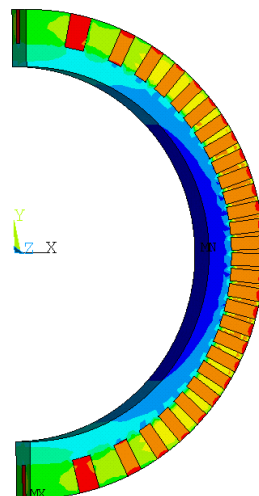
Motivation

- Faster turn-around to understand CCT behavior
- Can be tested in small cryostat

Better understanding of CCT magnets

- Testing of epoxies and interfaces
- Cable expansion experiments
- Mandrel deformation during heat treatment
- Test new instrumentation methods
- Test new winding method – Wind-React-Wind
 - Cable reacted without insulation
 - Cable extracted
 - Cable placed back into an insulated mandrel

CCT Subscale



Extracted

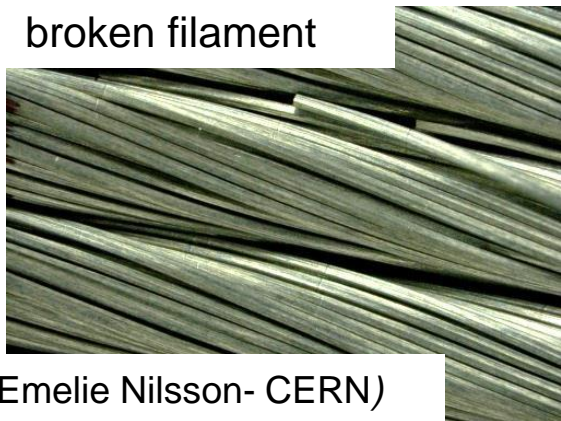


Etched Cable

No apparent damage



broken filament



Emelie Nilsson- CERN)



- Initial CCT R&D technology is advanced through 2-layer models
- A high field 6-layer CCT is in the early design stage
- Issues with conductor damage have been addressed (gaps)
- Next model is focus on reduced training (CCT5 and subscale)
 - Single layer impregnation, mix-61 epoxy, new assembly – Bend and Shim
- CCT using HTS 2212 cable and CORC[®] wire
- Subscale CCT dipoles to expedite training experiments
- Acoustic Emission studies and new techniques to validate de-bonding