









Manufacturing the European superconducting TF Winding Packs for ITER

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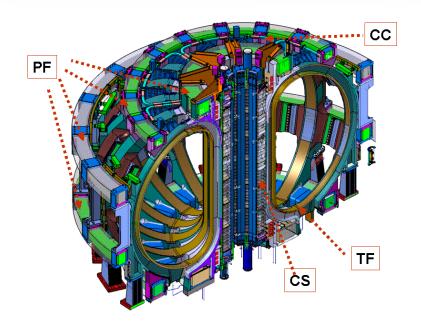
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First European Winding Pack



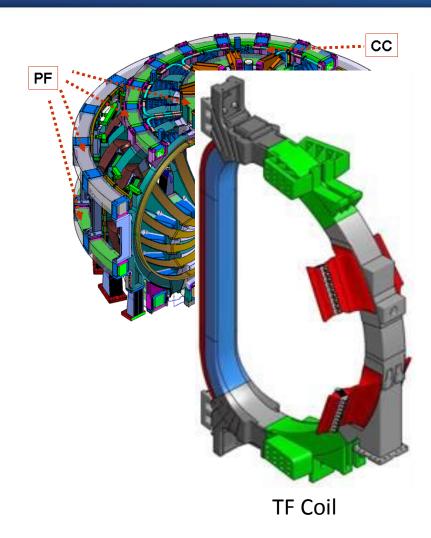






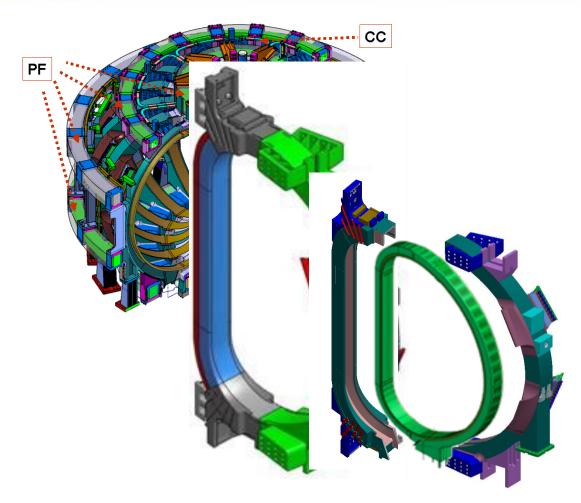
ITER Magnet System





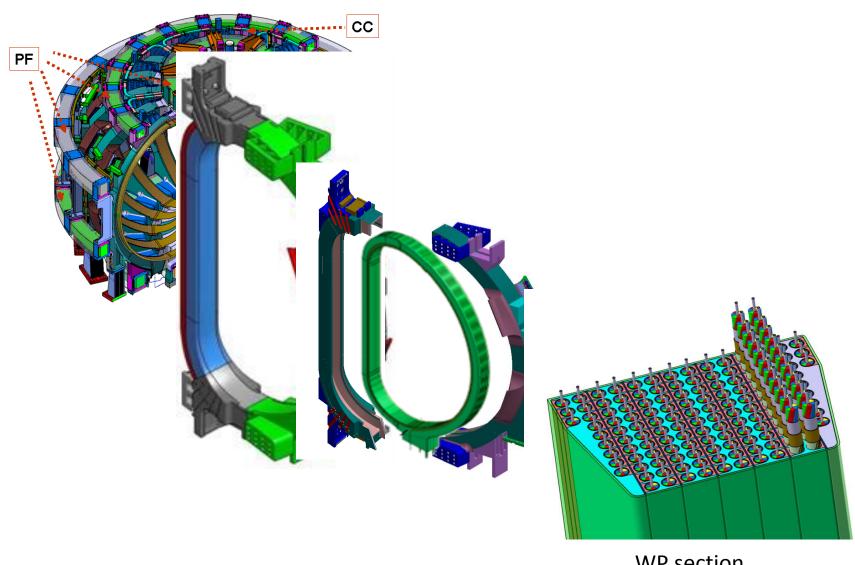
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TF Winding Pack & Coil Case

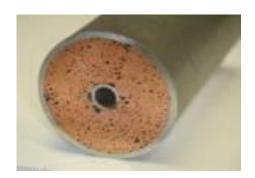




WP section

Winding the Double Pancake





TF Nb3Sn Conductor

Winding the Double Pancake





Wound conductor, according to geometry which anticipates change in length

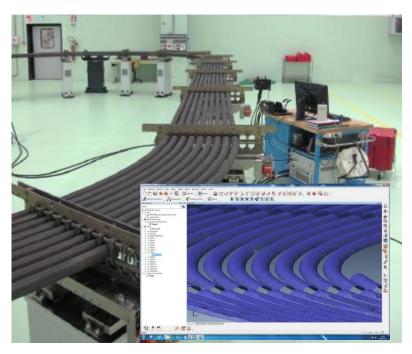
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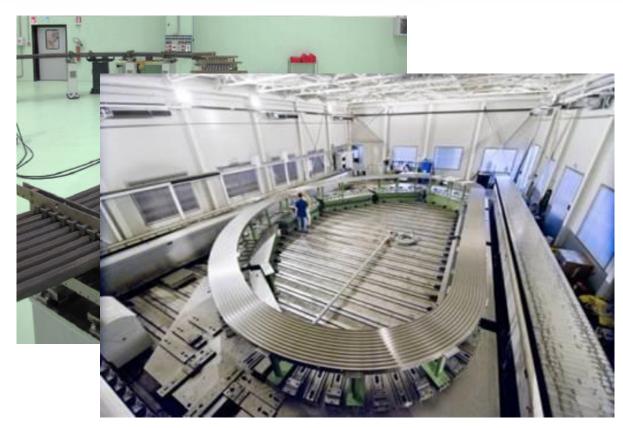
Conductors ready for HT cycle at 650°C





3D-scan of the conductor after HT





Radial Plate

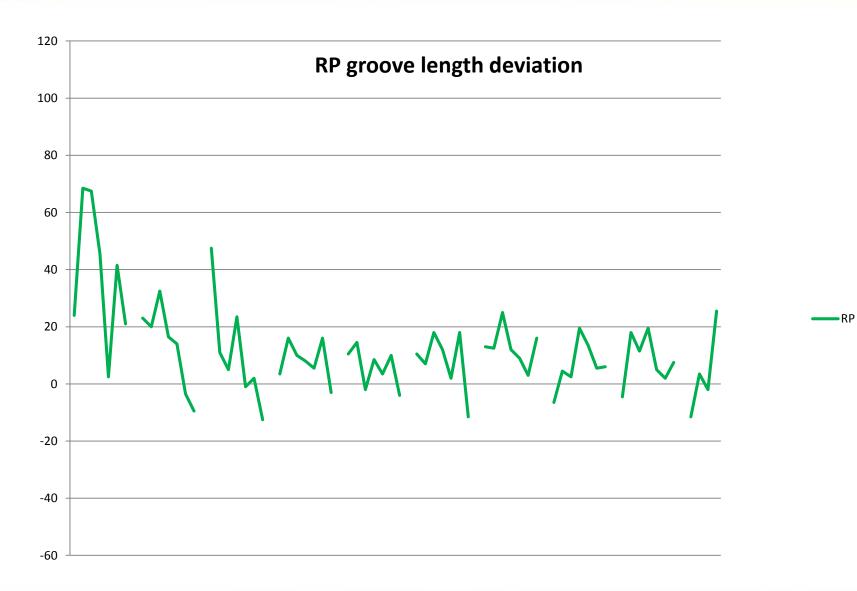




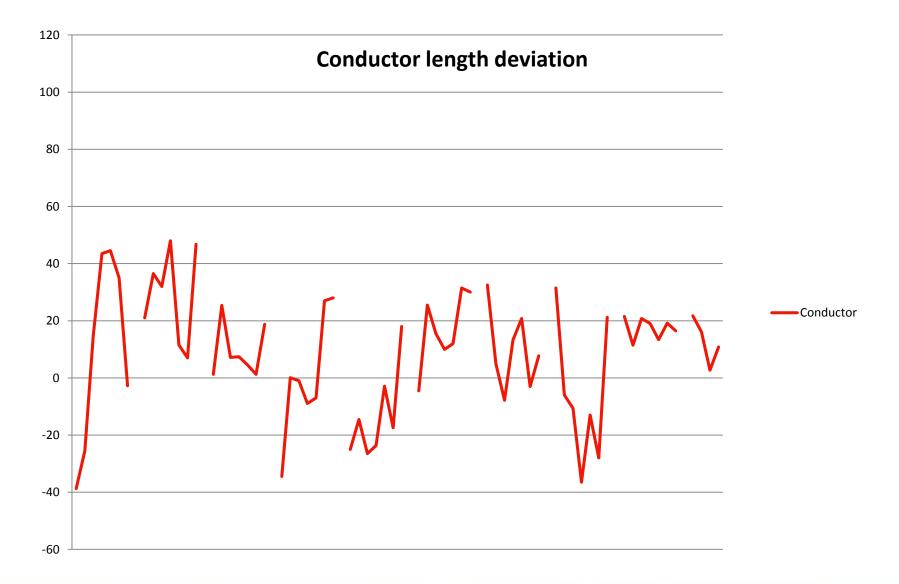




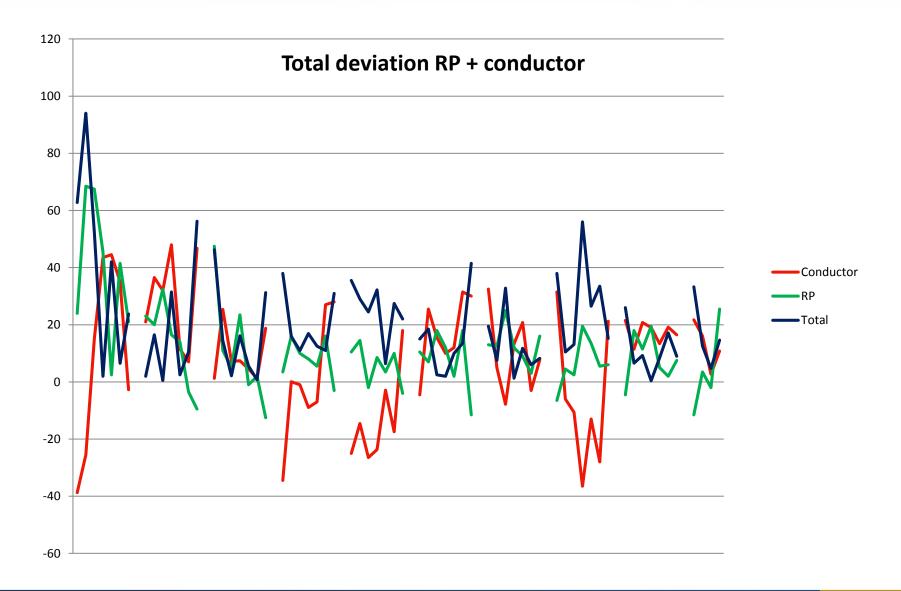
















Successful fitting





Conductor insulation wrapping





Wrapping heads





CP laser welding

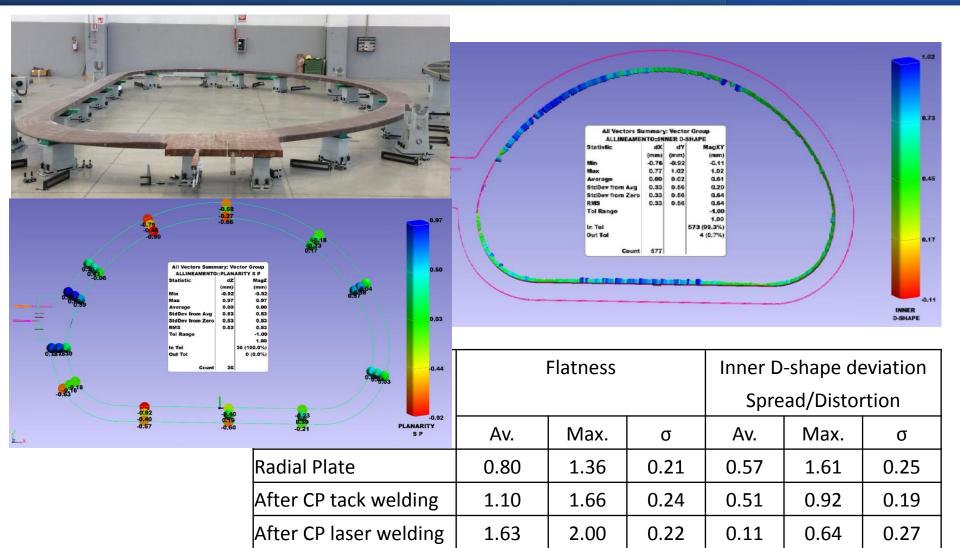




DP ground insulation and impregnation

Completed Double Pancake dimensional control





1.40

1.89

0.26

1.64

1.96

Completed DP

0.23

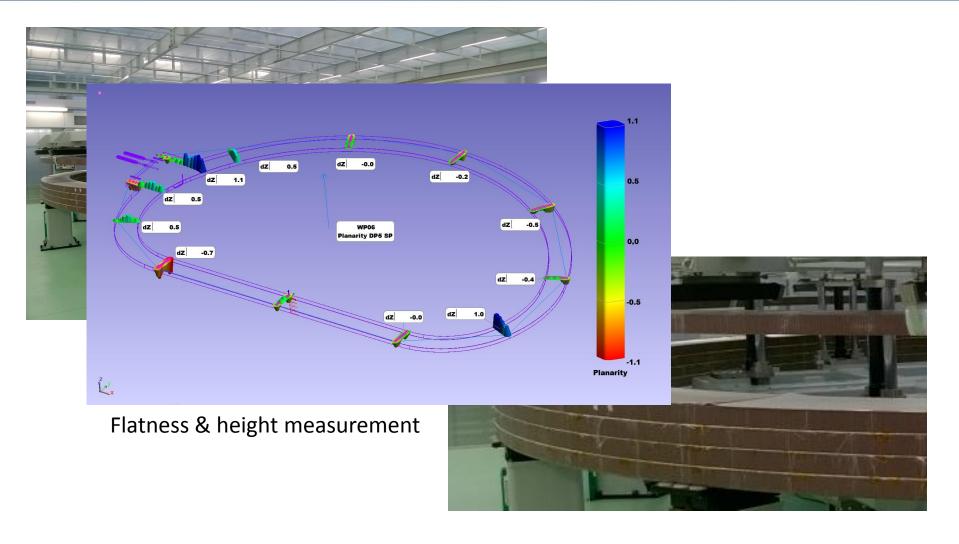




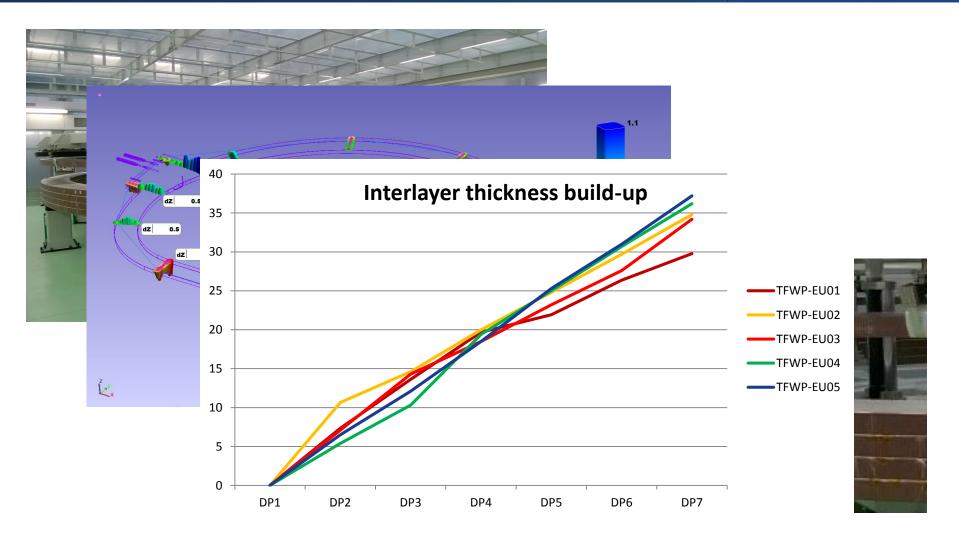
DP alignment and stacking

Interleave material

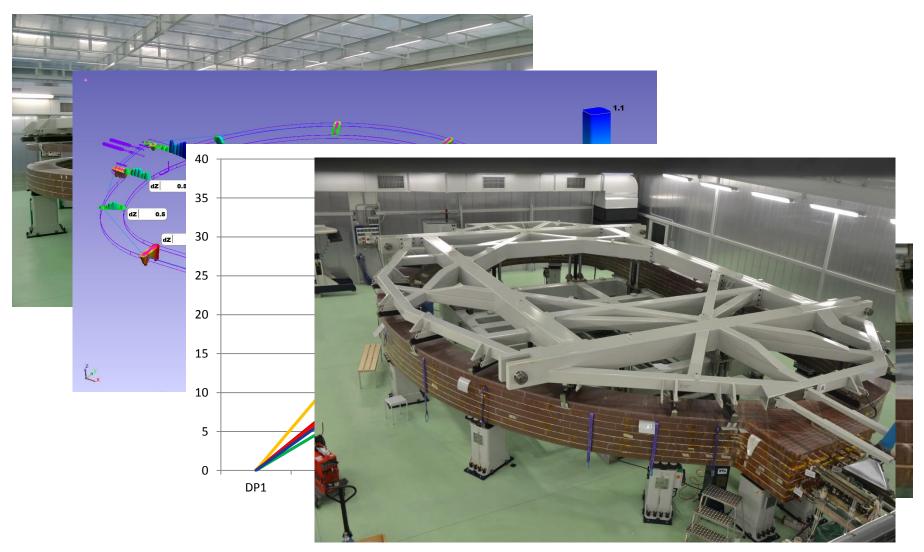












Stacking completed

Winding Pack ground insulation





Insulation wrapping and WP pre-compaction

Winding Pack compaction and impregnation



	TFWP-EU01	TFWP-EU02	TFWP-EU03
H after Stacking (HS)	812.4	817.4	816.8
Total interlayer thickness (IT)	29.8	34.8	34.2
H after Ground Insulation (HGI)	821.0	824.1	822.9
Ground insulation thickness (GI)	6.5	7.2	7.2
DH after ground insulation (HGI-HS)	8.6	6.7	6.1
Interlayer pre-compaction (IPC=2*GI-DH)	4.4	7.7	8.3
Vertical mould compaction (VMC)	3.4	3.7	5.6
Total compaction (TC=IPC+VMC)	7.8	11.4	13.9
Partial compaction ground insulation (PCGI=5%*2*GI)	0.7	0.7	0.7
Partial compaction interlayer material (PCI=TC-PCGI)	7.1	10.7	13.2
Compaction ratio interlayer material (PCI/IT)	24%	31%	39%



WP impregnation completed

Winding Pack final assembly



- Termination support structure
- He-circuit
- Instrumentation wiring





Magnetic measurements





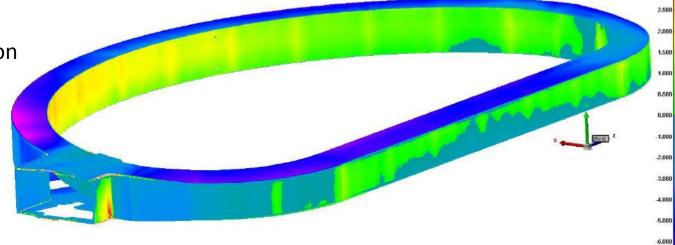
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- Electrical tests:
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	TFWP-EU01	TFWP-EU02	Nominal
WP height	816.8	819.0	824.6
WP length	13801.39	13799.4	13800.5
WP width	8681.2	8680.2	8680.9











Thank you for your attention