



Coil Fabrication Status and NCRs - BNL

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BNL Coil Fabrication Status

- Coils to date = 9 (4 compete (1 quarantined), 2 rejected, 3 underway,):
 - QXFA202 Complete and shipped (1st coil fabricated at BNL).
 - QXFA203 Complete and shipped.
 - QXFA204 Complete and shipped.
 - QXFA205 Cable damaged during winding coil rejected.
 - QXFA206 Complete and shipped shipping anomalies, impact is under investigation.
 - QXFA207 Impregnation complete, final prep underway.
 - QXFA208 Cable damaged during wind/cure coil rejected.
 - QXFA209 Reaction underway.
 - QXFA210 Winding underway.
 - QXFA202 & 204 used in magnet MQXFA03



QXFS04 – Impreg test with QH Swap

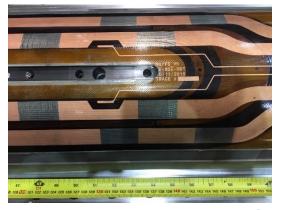
- Coil that was set aside after reaction a few years ago not impregnated.
- Recently used for an impregnation test with fiberglass under trace.
 - 1 layer of fiberglass was installed under the trace.
 - (change from 2x Hexcel over trace to 1x under & 1x over)

Hipot Checks - leakage < 1 μ A

- Impregnation quality looks good.
- Heaters / Coil passed standard electrical checks.

150 µm (6 mil) 1 layer of Hexcel 4522 (under trace)	125 μm (5 mil) Mylar (mold released, removed after impregnation)	
100 µm (4 mil) Polyimide trace (no perforations)	150 µm (6 mil) 1 layer of Hexcel 4522 /(over trace)	
250 µm (10 mil) 1 layer of BGF 6781 S2 glass	125 µm (5 mil) Mylar (mold released, removed after impregnation) 125 µm (5 mil) G11	

QXFS04		Grounded / Monitored Component		
		Coil	LE OL Saddle	RE OL Saddle
Powered Component	PHB01	3680 V - OK	2500 V - OK	2500 V - OK
	PHB02	3680 V - OK	2500 V - OK	2500 V - OK
	PHB03	3680 V - OK	2500 V - OK	2500 V - OK
	PHB04	3680 V - OK	2500 V - OK	2500 V - OK







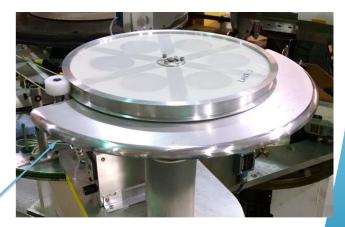
QXFA205 - NCR

- Cable was damaged during winding of inner layer.
 - Winding was paused to address oil leaking from a gearbox.
 - Cable spool was clamped and control power was turned off.
 - Winding was resumed without removing the spool clamp.
 - Immediately paused to remove clamp.
 - When resume again there was some slack in the cable that went unnoticed, as a result the cable was not fully in contact with the guide pulley.
 - When cable tension was applied, the cable was pulled below the guide pulley and got caught against the guide roller bracket.
- Coil was unwound, all parts were recovered.
- Improvements made to prevent in future:
 - Added a guard below the guide pulley to prevent cable from dropping / becoming caught in the event of tension loss.
 - Incorporated interlock to prevent start when spool is clamped.

Guide Pulley



Guide Roller / Spring Loaded Lump Detector



Guard Added



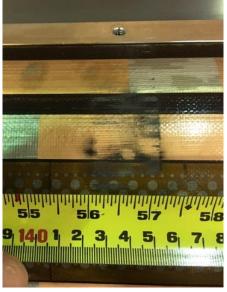


QXFA206 - NCR

- Coil movement on shipping fixture during transport, discrepancies noted upon receipt at LBNL:
 - Rub marks on coil from aluminum coil OD clamps.
 - Indications of small axial motion.
 - End restraint screws not in contact with coil end.
 - One rubber tip appears to be cracked.
- Coil disposition under evaluation.
- Improvements for future shipments:
 - Add thin rubber between coil and aluminum coil OD clamps.
 - Add lock nuts to end restraint screws.
 - Replace end restraint screw rubber tips with swivel pads.





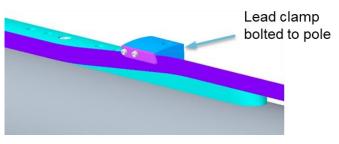






QXFA208 - NCR

- Cable was damaged during curing of inner layer.
 - Cable was not in correct position in the transition ramp area during curing of layer 1.
 - Transition lead was dislodged during prep for curing / Teflon wrapping.
 - Lead was thought to have been repositioned correctly prior to curing.
 - Damage was discovered after curing layer 1.
- Coil was unwound, all parts were recovered.
- Improvements made to prevent in future:
 - Added clamp on pole to be installed at start of winding, when the lead is initially positioned in the ramp, and to remain in place thru curing.
 - Added clamp at end of coil to be installed before moving L2 spool prior to Teflon wrapping.
 - Revised procedure for installing LE filler segments & inspecting lead prior to curing.
 - Eased sharp edges on filler segments.













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- Thank you
- Questions?

