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High-Field Magnets R&D in France Status update

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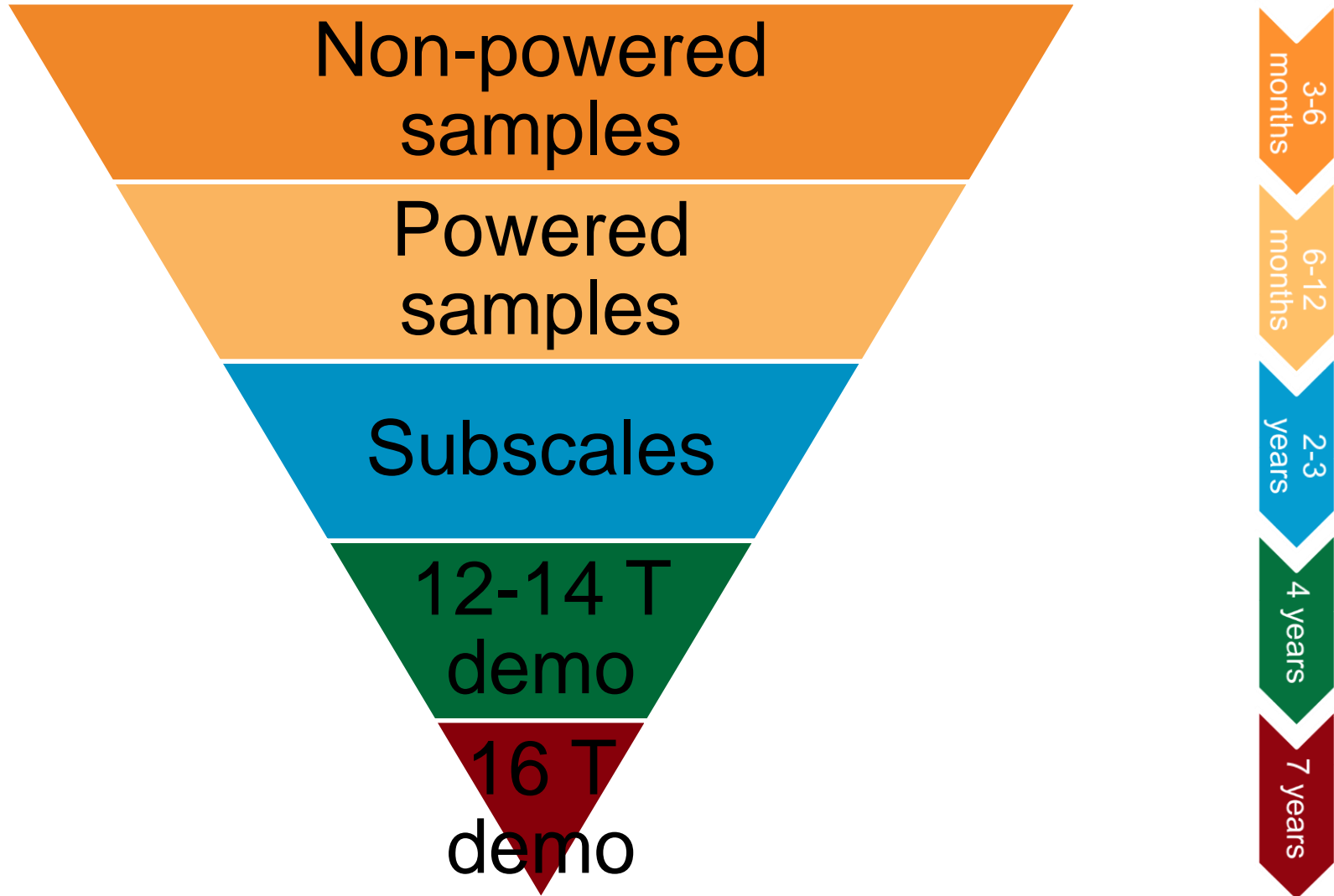
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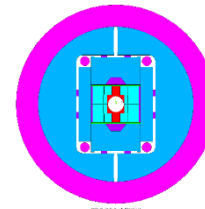
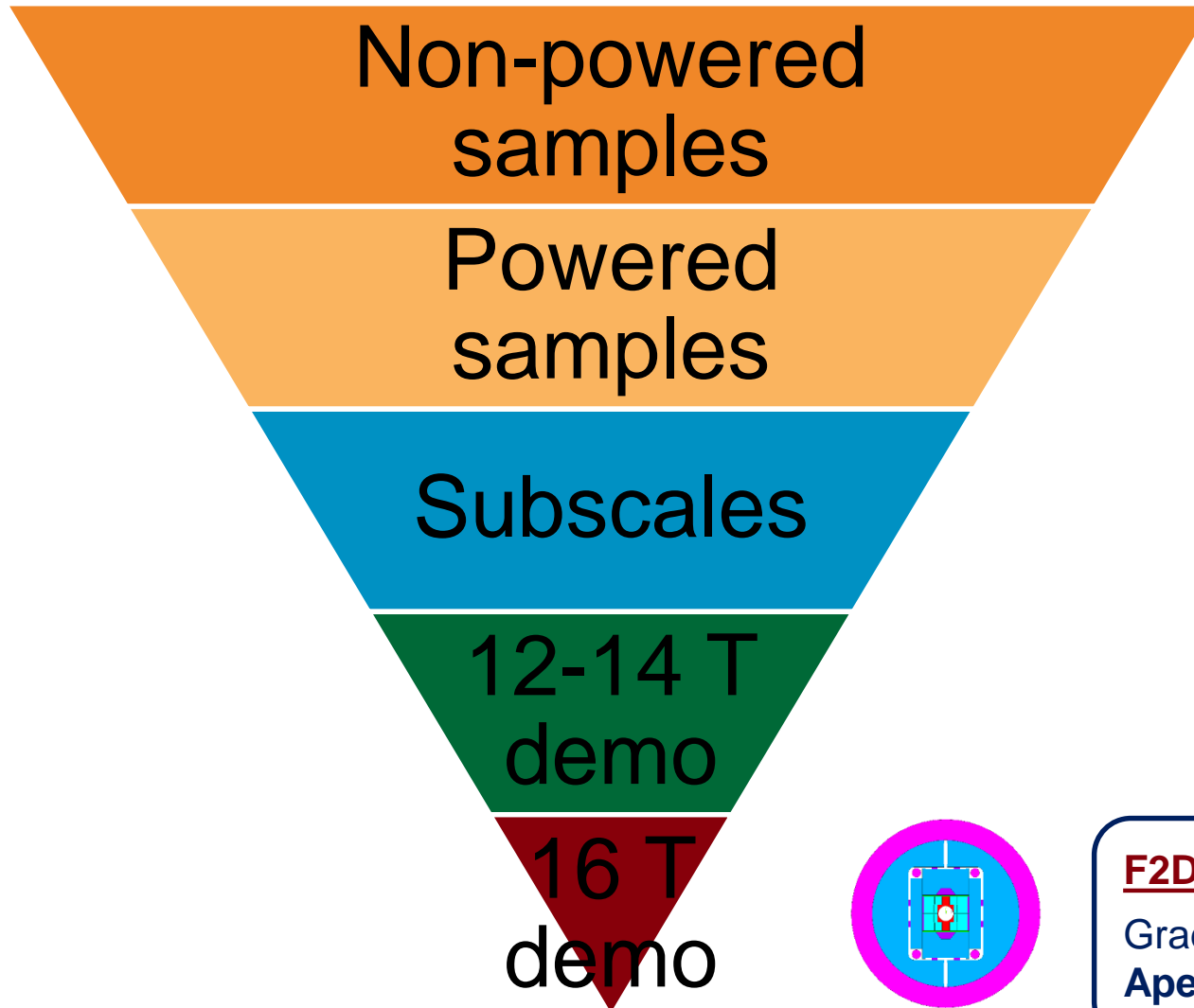
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High Field 16T Nb₃Sn magnet development

Courtesy T. Lecomte – CEA
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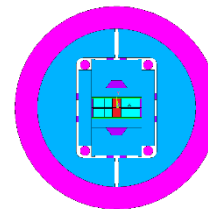
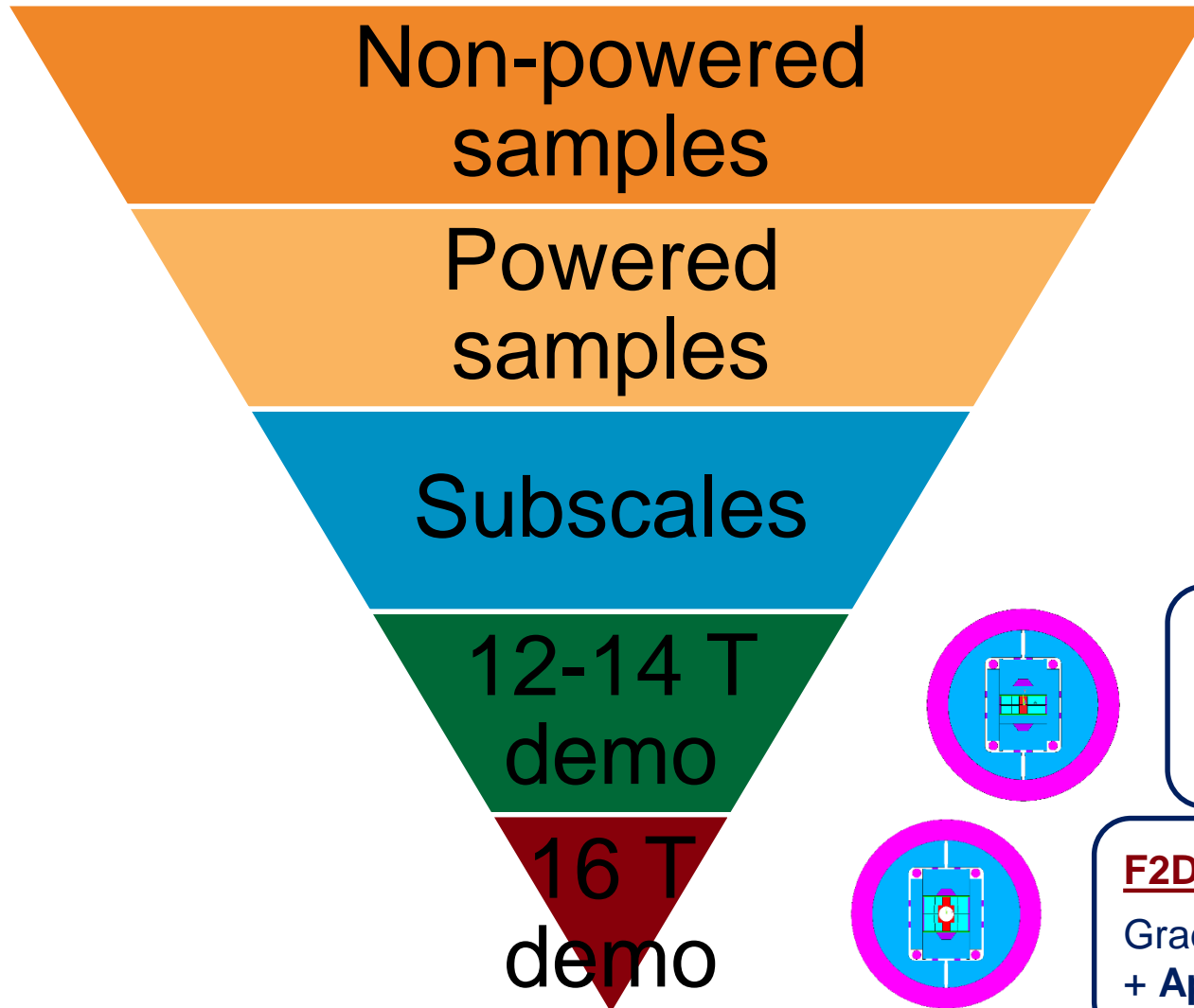
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 - **Quadrupole** conceptual design finalized
 - CEA/CERN **Dipole** Magnet strategy towards 16 T
- **CEA carrying parallel R&D programs:**
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 - Junctions → **grading**
 - Thermo-mechanics during HT → **Nb₃Sn performances**
 - Electrical insulation → **high voltages**
 - Mechanical structures → **high stresses**
- **CEA involved in many collaborations**





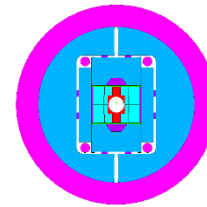
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Grading + Flared-ends +
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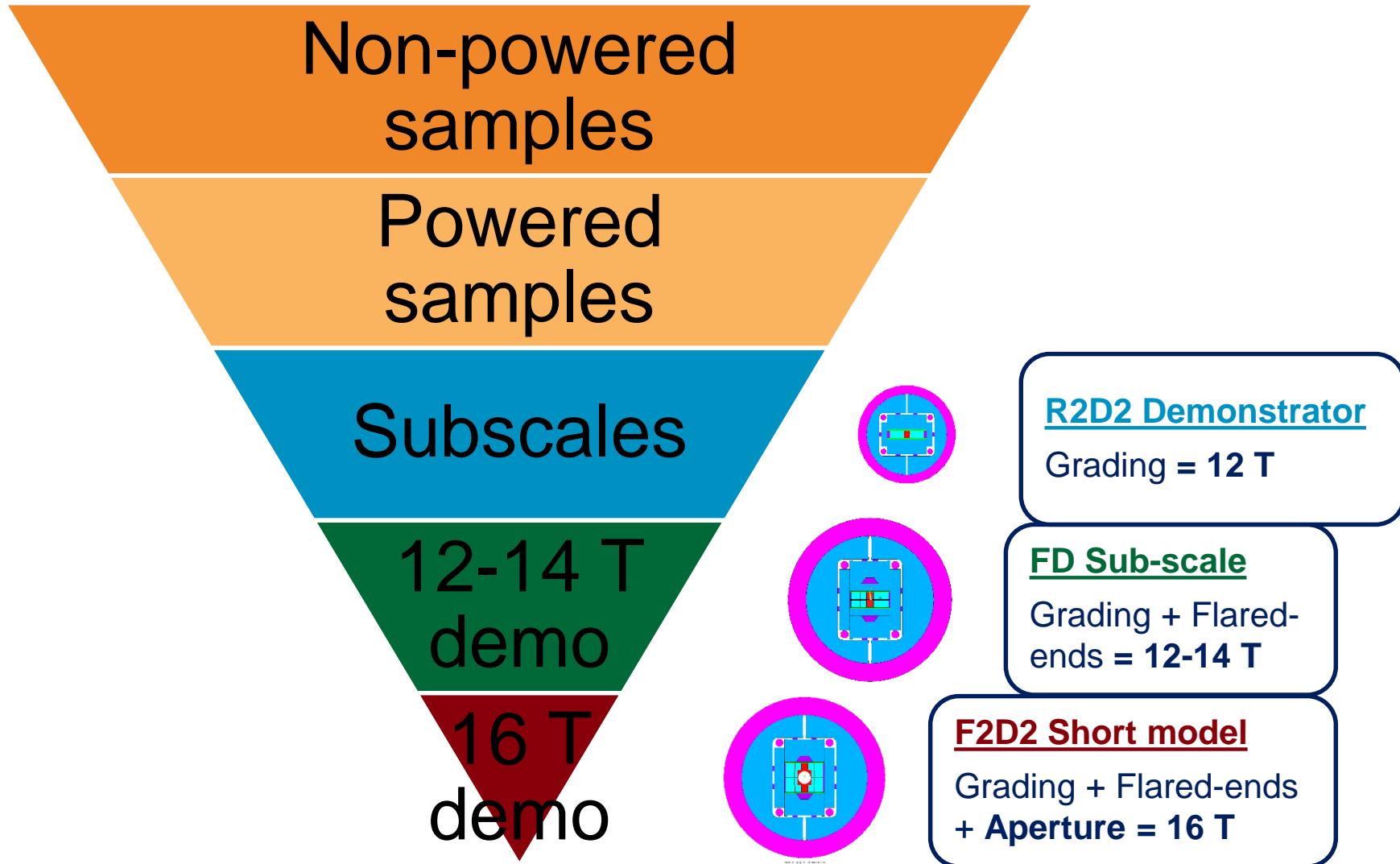
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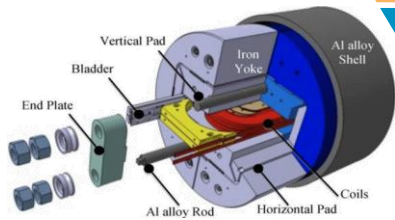
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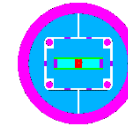
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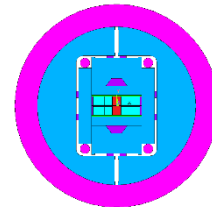
SMC Racetrack

State of the art coil
fabrication = 12 T



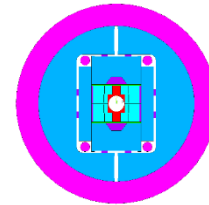
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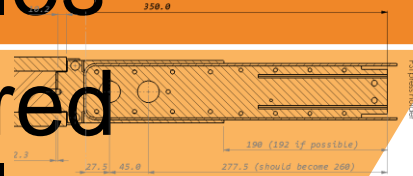


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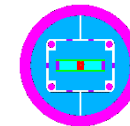
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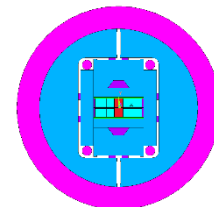
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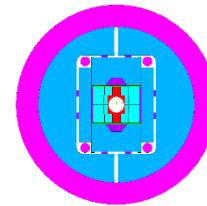
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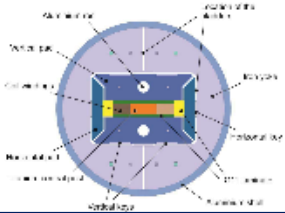


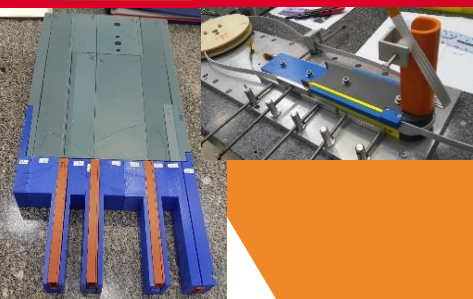
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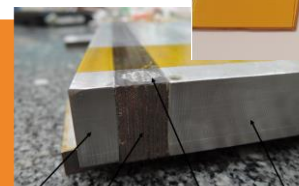
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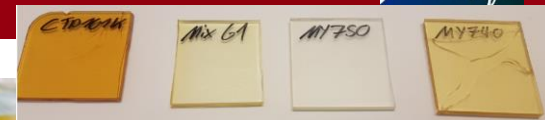




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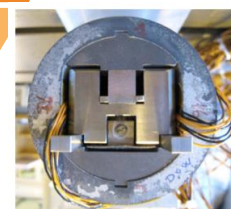
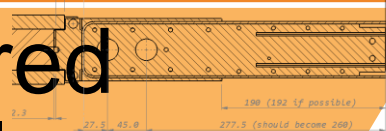


Rail inox
Emplacement de 5 conducteurs
Défaut d'impregnation
Bloc central



1000 1500 2000 2500 3000 3500 4000 4500

Powered samples



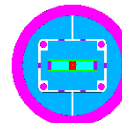
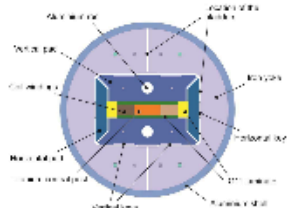
Subscales

12-14 T demo

16 T demo

SMC Racetrack

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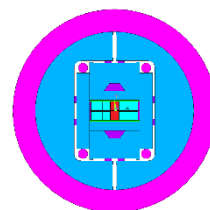


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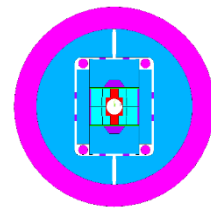
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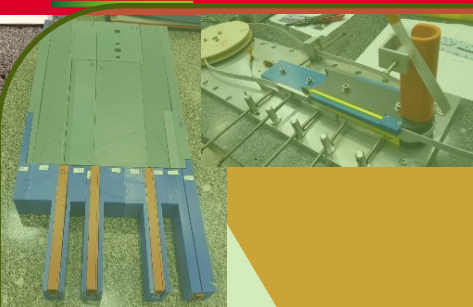
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F2D2 Short model

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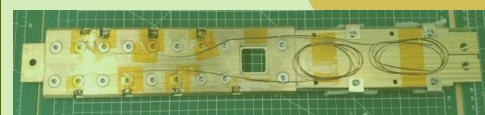




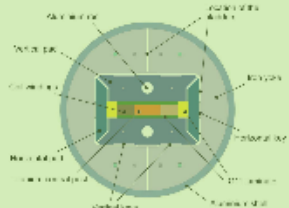
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Subscales



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Current Agreement

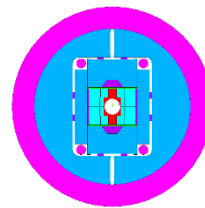
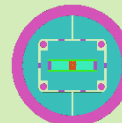
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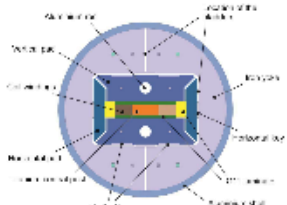
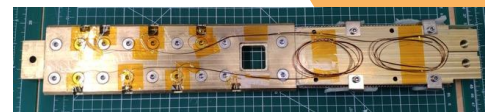
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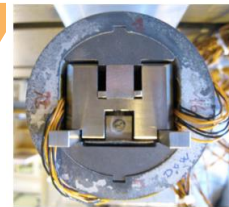
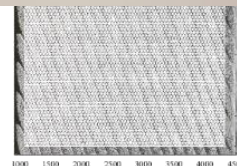
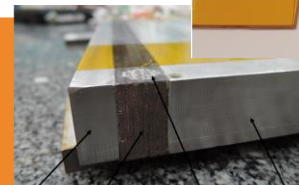
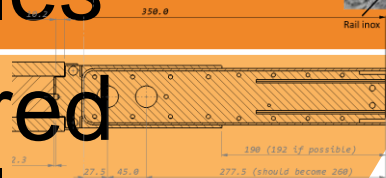
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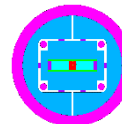




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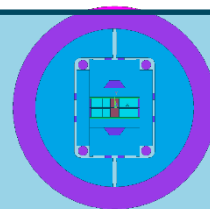
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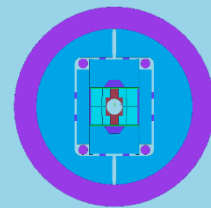
State of the art coil
fabrication = **12 T**

12-14 T demo



Grading + Flared-ends = 12-14 T

16 T
demo



Grading + Flared-ends
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Future Agreement

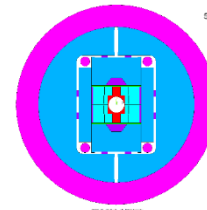
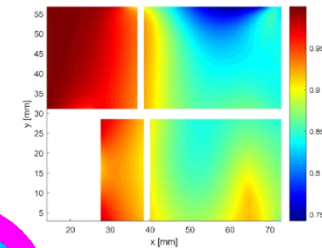
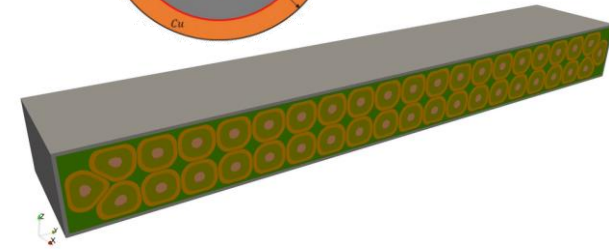
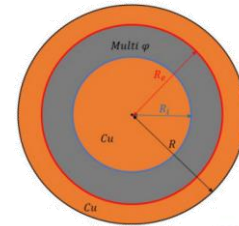
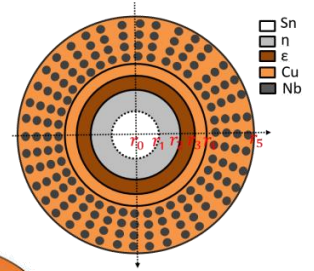
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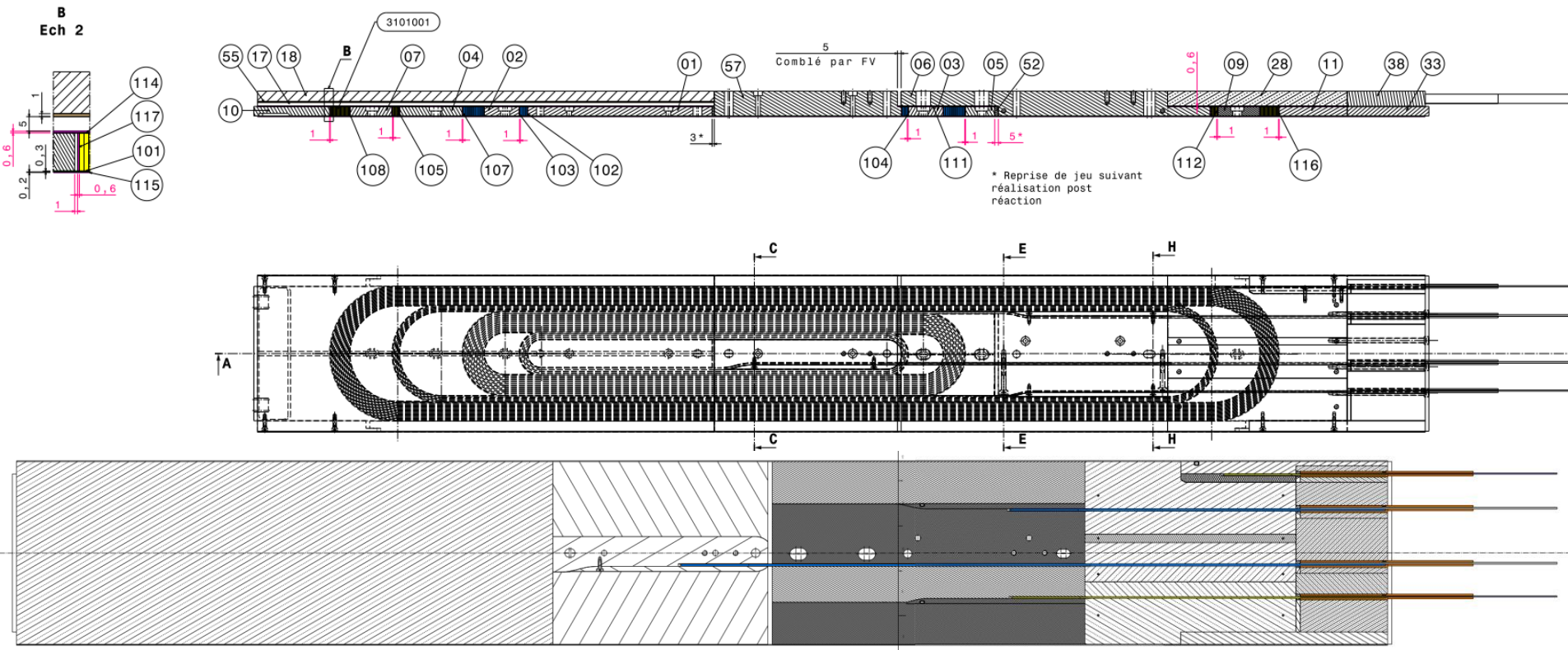
Cables

Coils

Magnet
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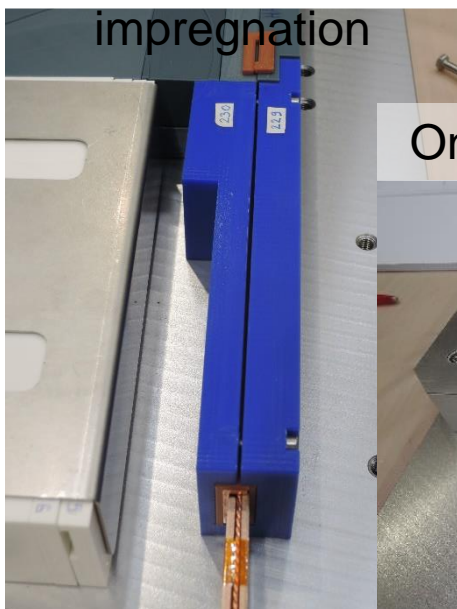
- Detailed CAD design ongoing (drawings for production)
- Coil components + winding/heat treatment for end Nov.
- Splice tooling + structure for end Dec.
- Impregnation tooling for beginning of 2022
- Other minor tooling (handling, assembly...) for spring 2022



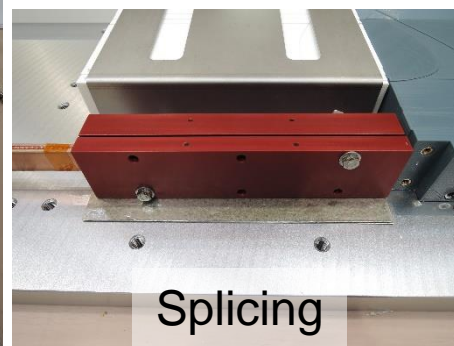
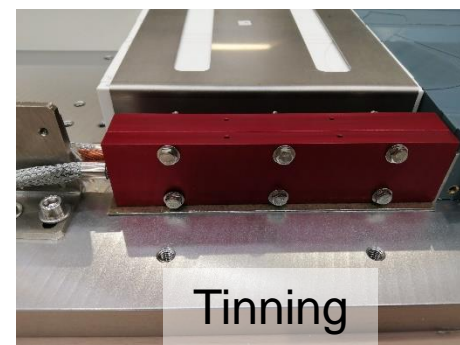
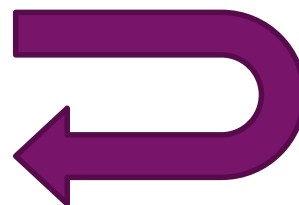
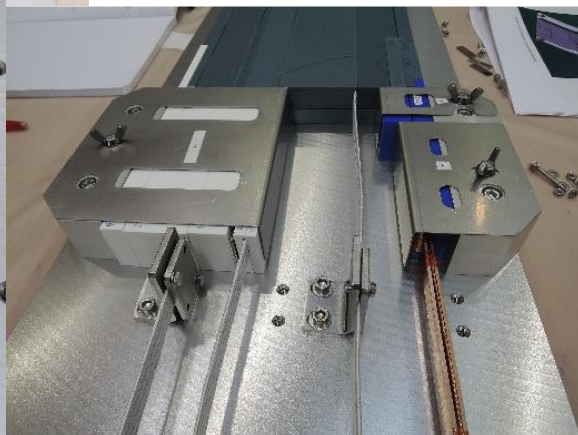
- Test of process for the assembly of external splice
- 3D printed parts + SCM-11T cable
- **No show-stopper identified**
- **Feedback for the detailed design**



Before
impregnation

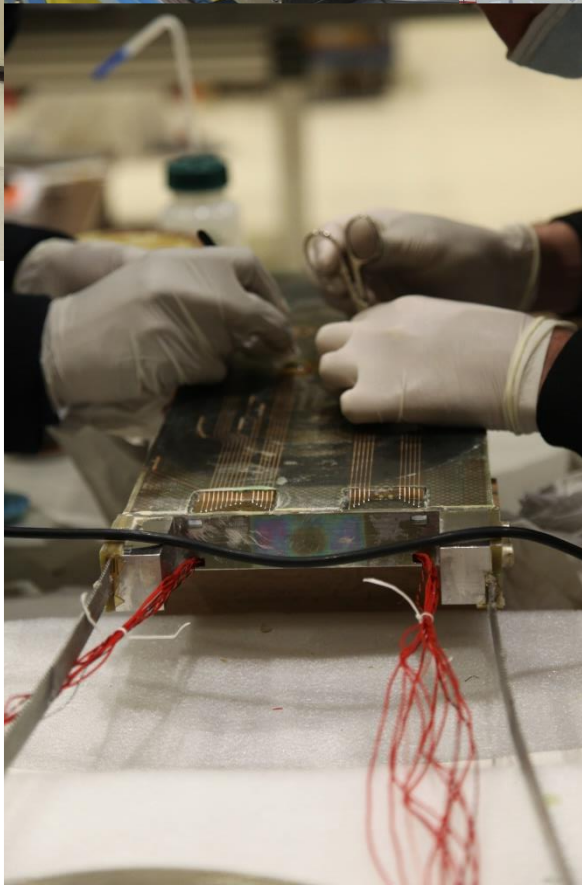


One splice after another



1st Nb₃Sn coil entirely manufactured at Saclay since 10 years!

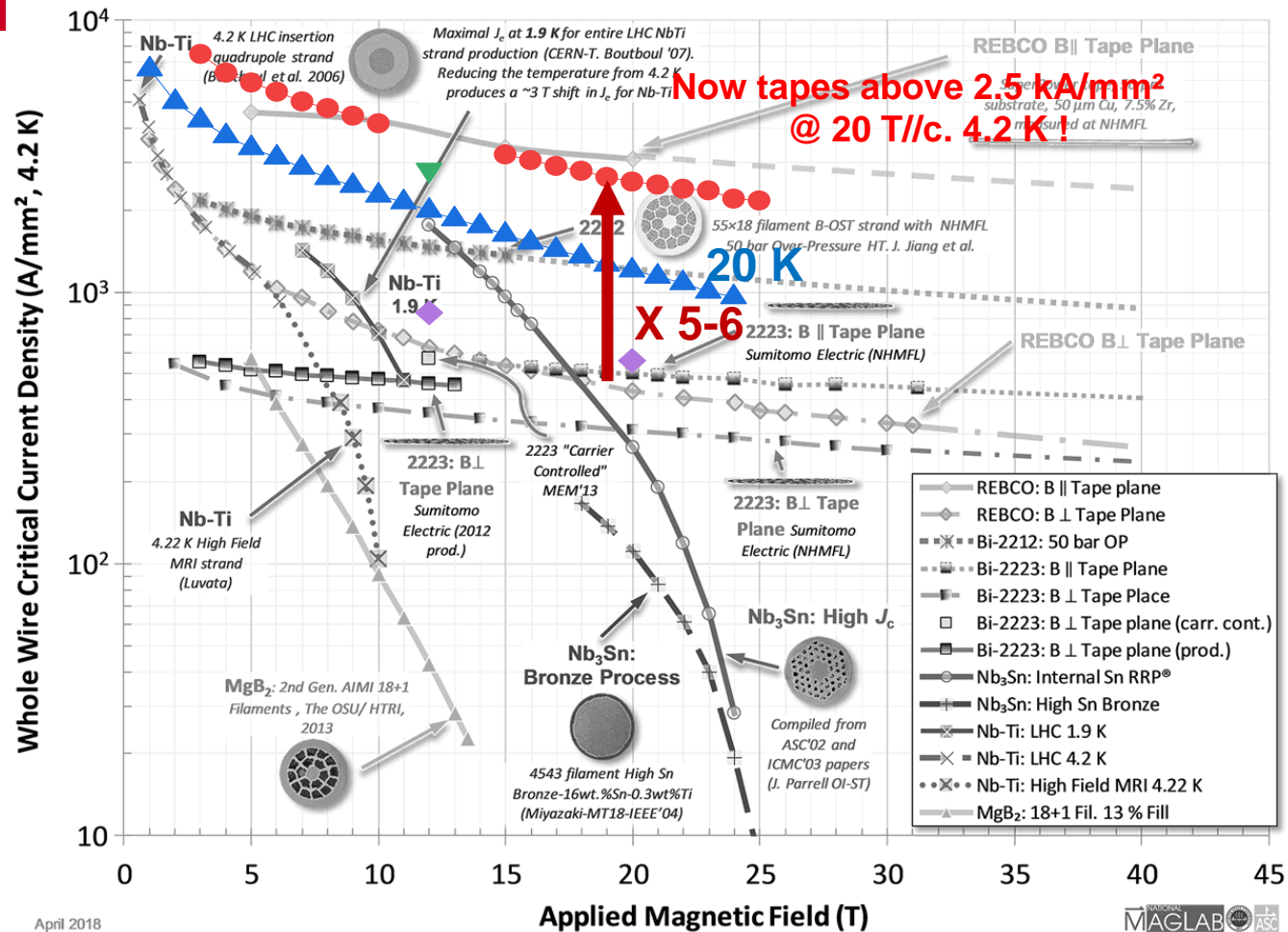




High Field 20T HTS magnet development

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- SuperOx 4.2 K B//c [1]
- ▲ SuperOx 20 K B//c [1]
- ▼ SuperPower 4.2 K B//c [2]
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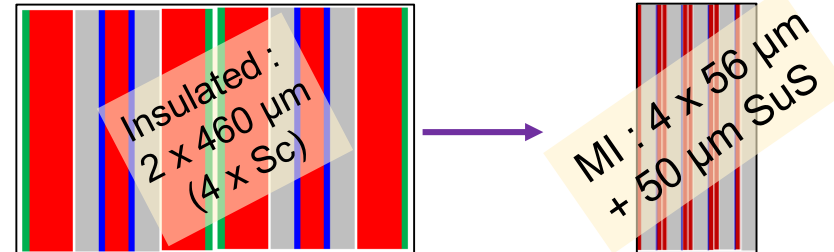
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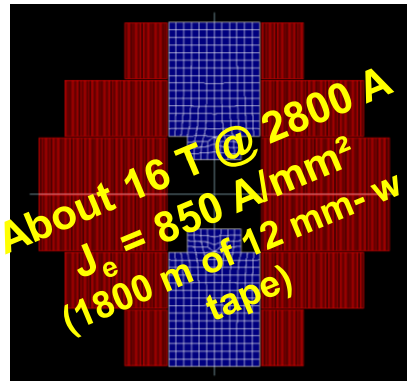
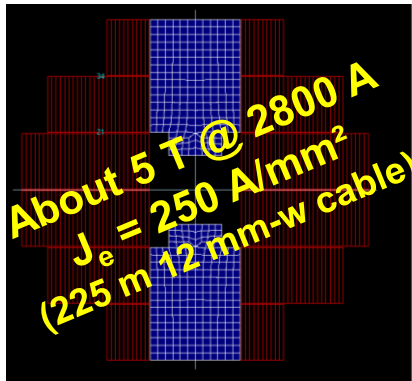
[1] Molodyk. A. et al 2021 Scientific Reports vol. 11. 2084

[2] J D Weiss et al 2020 Supercond. Sci. Technol. 33 044001

- ▶ Same dimension as Eucard 1 standalone magnet
- ▶ Preliminary design
- ▶ Update of the tape performance to [Molodyk. A. et al 2021 Scientific Reports vol. 11. 2084](#)



Only an idea and some **quick numbers**



Advantages of this approach :

- ▶ “Lower” risks/cost and “short time” developments
- ▶ Change of central coil : aperture
- ▶ Adapt the winding to the studies (R_c , I_c ...)

@ 4.2 K : 3600 A (j_e of 1095 A/mm²)
→ 20.1 T (%LL : 60)

SS limit : 6000 A (j_e of 1825 A/mm²)
→ 33.0 T

@ 20 K : 2900 A (j_e of 882 A/mm²)
→ 16.4 T (%LL : 58.6)

SS limit : 4950 A (j_e of 1505 A/mm²)
→ 27.4 T

20 K working might lower exploitation cost (savings has to be evaluated) or simplify the cryogenics

Phase 1 : preliminary work

- low cost + medium risks
- Development of concepts and technologies

Phase 2 :
Subscale model w/o aperture

- medium cost + high risks
- 8 T+ Subscale model

Phase 3 :
Subscale magnet w/o aperture

- high cost + low risk
- 16+ T demonstrator

Phase 4 :
Subscale model with aperture + tests

- medium cost + high risk
- central coil with aperture

Phase 5 :
Subscale magnet with aperture + tests

- low risk + high cost
- 16 T+ demonstrator

First collaboration : phase 1 to 3 : 5 years

Second collaboration : phase 4 and 5 : 3 more years

| Phase | Milestone (M) or Deliverable (D) | | Year | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|---|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 1 : Preliminary Work | M1 | Critical parts identification & development plan | ■ | | | | | | | |
| | M2 | Quench Mock-up design and conductor choice | | ■ | | | | | | |
| | M3 | Test station setup ready | | ■ | | | | | | |
| | M4 | Quench mockup ready for tests | | | ■ | | | | | |
| | D1 | Test report on quench mockup | | | ■ | | | | | |
| 2 : Subscale model w/o aperture | M5 | Subscale full design | | ■ | | | | | | |
| | M6 | Winding and assembly procedure validated | | ■ | | | | | | |
| | M7 | Subscale model ready for tests | | | ■ | | | | | |
| | D2 | Subscale model tests analysis report | | | ■ | | | | | |
| 3 : Subscale magnet w/o aperture | M8 | Magnet w/o aperture full scale design | | | | ■ | | | | |
| | M9 | Dummy winding and assembly done | | | | ■ | | | | |
| | M10 | Subscale magnet w/o aperture ready for tests | | | | | ■ | | | |
| | D3 | Subscale magnet w/o aperture test and analysis report | | | | | ■ | | | |
| 4: Subscale model with aperture + tests | M11 | Design update for magnet with aperture | | | | | | ■ | | |
| | M12 | Central coil with aperture technology choice | | | | | | ■ | | |
| | M13 | Subscale dummy central coil fabrication | | | | | | ■ | | |
| | M14 | subscale model with aperture ready for tests | | | | | | | ■ | |
| | D4 | Subscale model with aperture tests report | | | | | | | ■ | |
| 5: full scale with aperture + tests | M15 | Design update for full scale magnet with aperture | | | | | | | ■ | |
| | M16 | subscale dummy central coil fabrication | | | | | | | ■ | |
| | M17 | Subscale magnet with aperture ready for tests | | | | | | | | ■ |
| | D5 | Subscale magnet with aperture tests report | | | | | | | | ■ |

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 - **Quadrupole** conceptual design finalized
 - CEA/CERN **Dipole** Magnet strategy
 - Small Coil fabrication ongoing
 - 12 T R2D2 Demonstrator: detailed design ongoing
 - 16 T F2D2 Demonstrator: conceptual design proposed
- **CEA carrying parallel R&D programs:**
 - Winding → **grading**
 - Junctions → **grading**
 - Thermo-mechanics during HT → **Nb₃Sn performances**
 - Electrical insulation → **high voltages**
 - Mechanical structures → **high stresses**
- **CEA involved in many collaborations, for instance:**
 - **European institutes** : CERN, EPFL-SPC, PSI, ETHZ...
 - **French universities** : LMT-ENS Paris-Saclay