

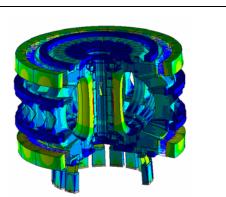
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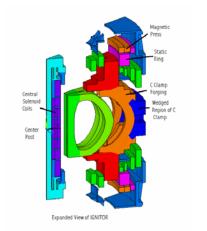
With Contributions from CVIP, Dave Rakos of Everson, and Bob Weggel

BNL Pulsed Magnet –Inertially Cooled , 80K LN2 Cooled Between Shots

BNL pulsed magnet design builds off of copper magnet experience in fusion research:



FIRE – Preconceptual Design and Snowmass Review. Inertially Cooled Beryllium Copper, LN2 Cooling Between Shots, with a Helium Purge to Limit Activation.



IGNITOR – Snowmass Review. - Inertially Cooled Copper , 30K He Gas Cooled Between Shots.



Alcator C-Mod. MIT-PSFC operating Tokamak –Inertially Cooled, LN2 cooled between shots.

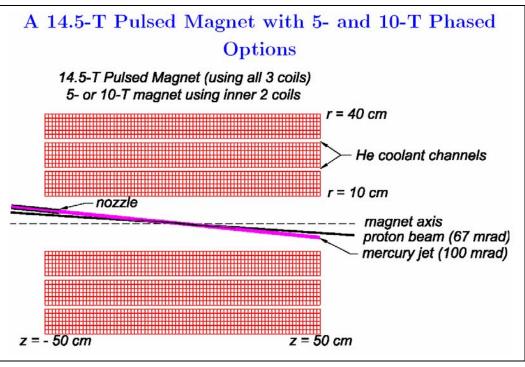
Cost issues dictated a modest coil design.

Power supply limitations dictate a compact, low inductance, high packing fraction design.

A three segment, layer wound solenoid is used for the pulsed magnet. External segment leads allow series and parallel connections.

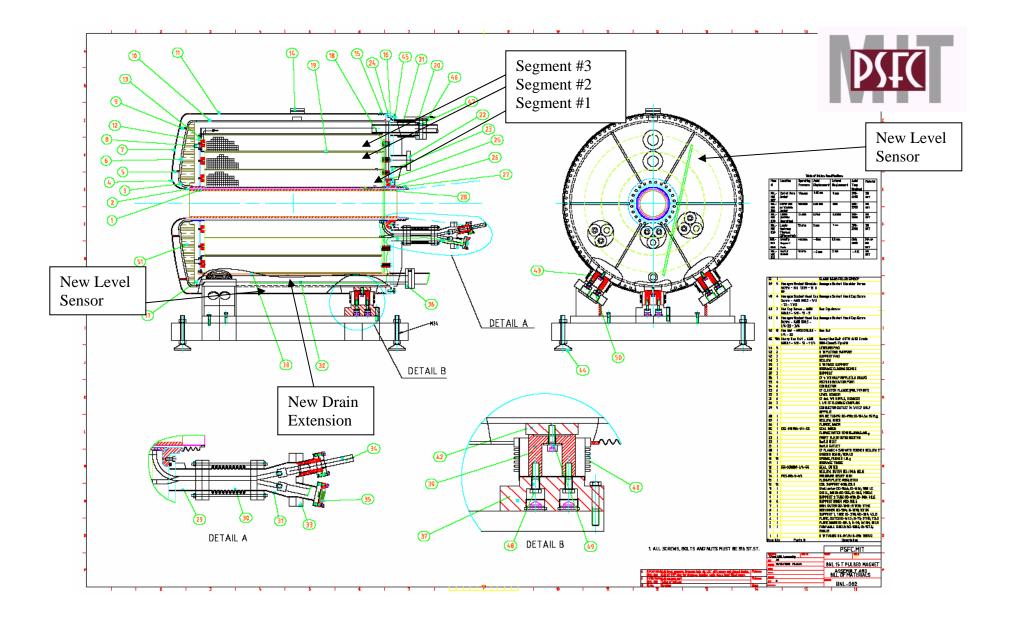
The conductor is half inch square, cold worked OFHC copper.

The coil is inertially cooled with options for liquid nitrogen or gaseous Helium cooling between shots. Coolant flows through axial channels in the coil.



# Draft Test plan, Pictures, Drawings and Calculations at: http://www.psfc.mit.edu/people/titus/#BNL%20Memos

Bob Weggel performed the coil/power supply simulations. He has picked operating temperatures, and basic coil build.

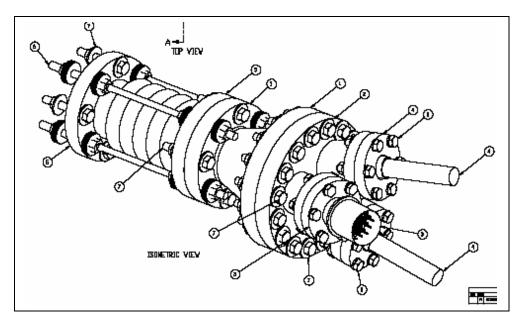


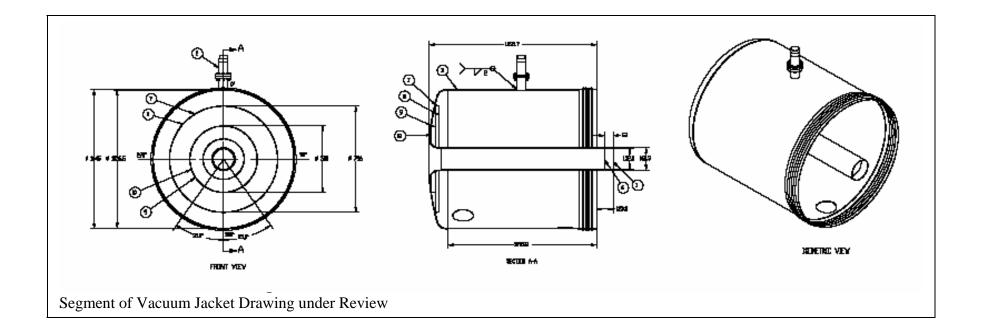
#### Status of Vessel Drawing Submittal by CVIP

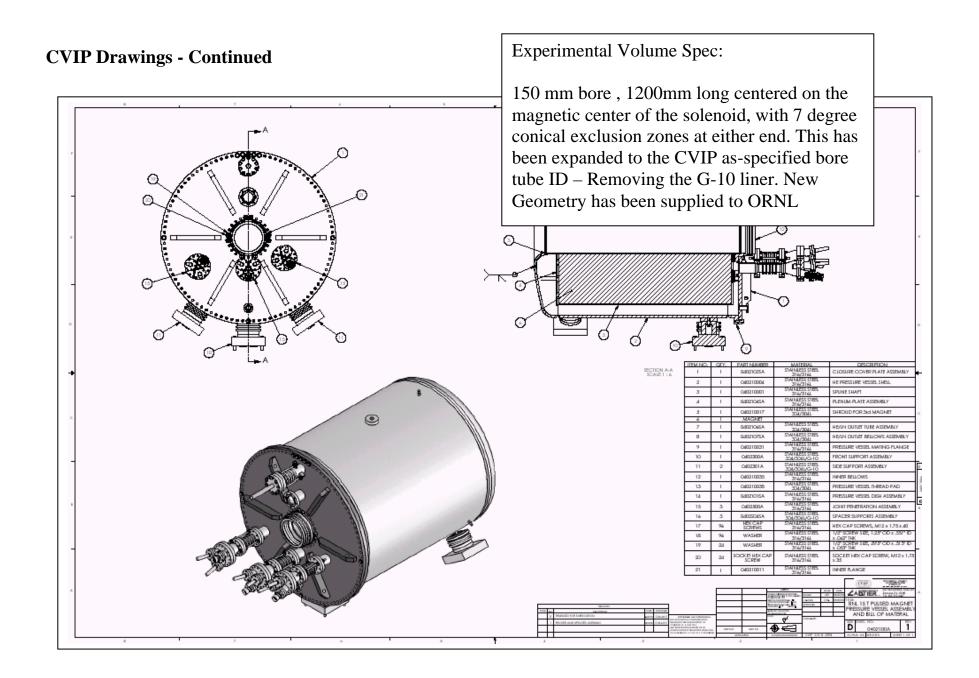
Inner Vessel drawings complete and all approved. Outer vessel drawings Complete and approved Final manufacturing procedure is approved, but there are some additions.

Major dished heads have been manufactured and delivered to CVIP. Large cover has been partially machined.

Change Order Items Not yet Submitted to CVIP







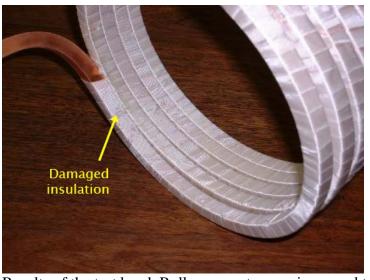
#### **Fabrication Status**



Everson autoclave (Box with Doors) Epoxy pumping equipment, and vacuum pumps) – Used for all three coil segments

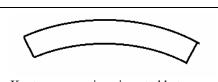


Winding Machine with the beginnings of segment #1



Results of the test bend. Roller geometry was improved to avoid fiberglass tape cuts.

Segment #1 As of Thursday January 27<sup>th</sup> :



Kapton arc sections inserted between every eighth turn on those layers that face the cooling channels The inner segment (Segment #1) has been impregnated at Everson and has been sent out for final machining of the OD. – This will be the first test on machinability of the outer rib geometry



Segment #1 being wound. Photo taken by Dave Rakos at Everson 09-08-04. Kapton layer spaced at every eighth turn relieves axial tension in the layers near the cooling channels. First Layer, Coil Segment#2



Coil Mold for Segment #1. Succesfully used for its impregnation



Segment 1 showing formed leads and portions of the mold

# Segment #1 – Continued



Segment #1 out of the mold. External Silicon fillers that form the "waffle" pattern have not yet been removed

### Segment #2

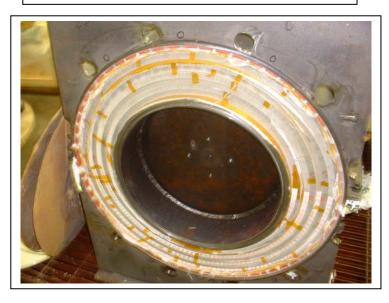
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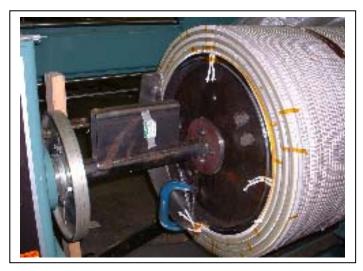
Segment #2 has been impregnated and is cooling. It has not yet been removed from the mold.



Segment #2 being assembpled in the mold.







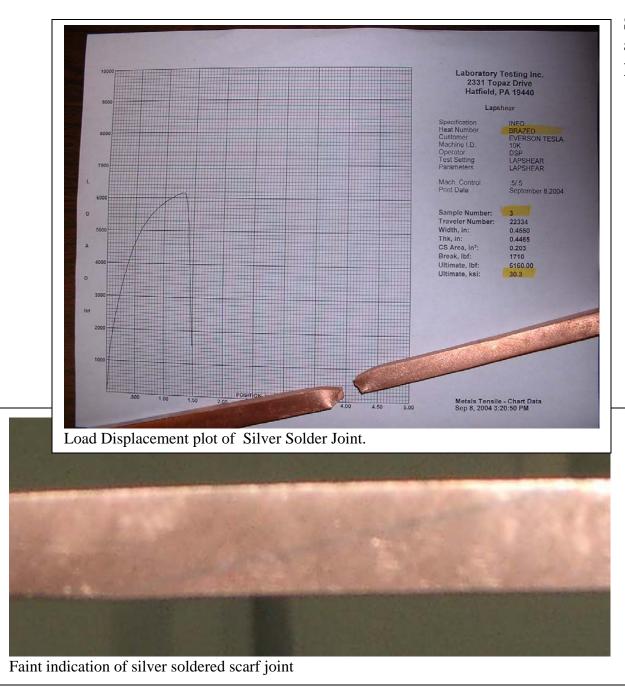
There was a leak in the longitudinal seam weld. This required application of RTV caulk and additional time to wait for the cure. This was to be held at 2 atm fopr 12 hrs prior to impregnation



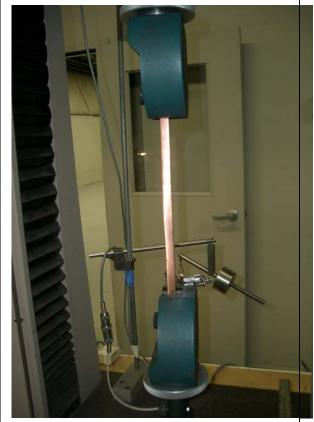


Segment #2 Mold (with Coil enclosed)





Segment #3 has Silver Solder Joints and these needed to be qualified prior to winding.



Silver Solder Joint Tensile Test

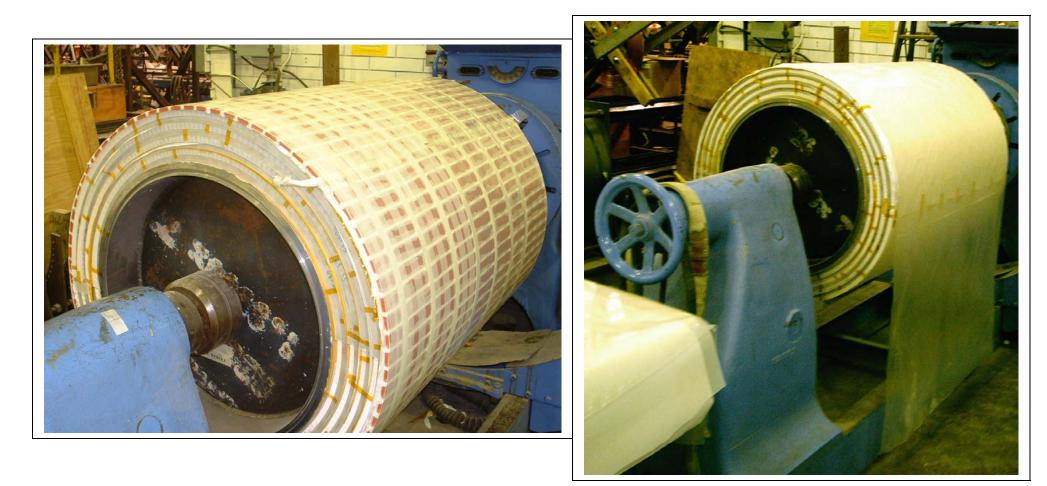
Segment #3

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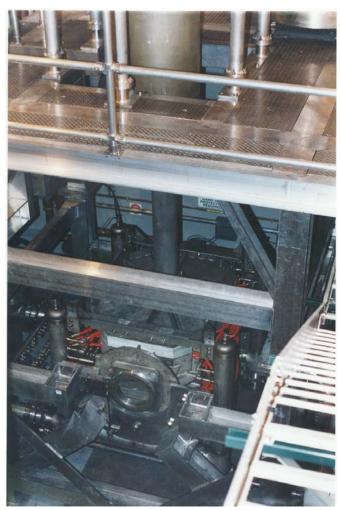
Segment #3 has been wound and the outer "waffle" pattern has been applied. This is scheduled for impregnation Feb 2 to 4



Segment #3 wit Dave Rakos standing next to the coil for scale

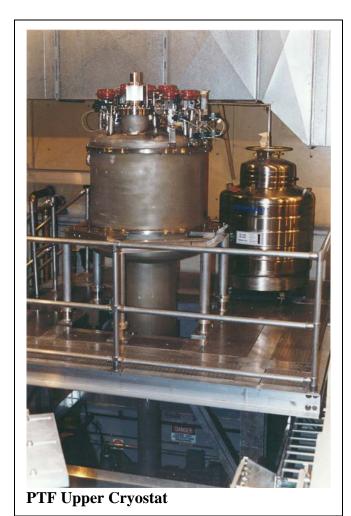


# **Plans for Testing at MIT:**

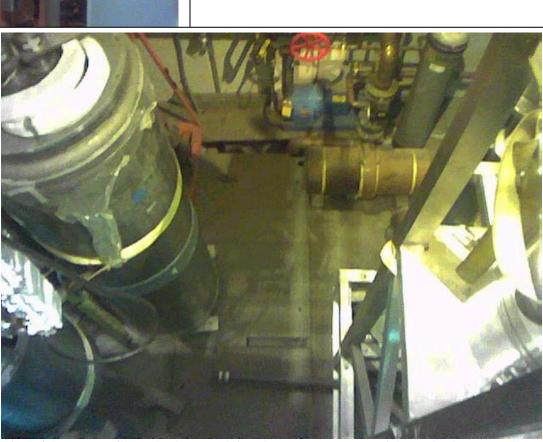


Lower Water Cooled Split Pair Copper Magnet - The BNL Pulsed Magnet will be in front of this, where the HXC Prototype cryostat is now positioned.

A formal proposal for testing has been submitted to BNL, and approval is imminent. The test location is the Pulsed Test Facility (PTF) at MIT-PSFC primarily used for testing of superconducting joints in a transient high field background. The test area will need to be cleared of extraneous equipment. Magnetic materials and tools will be removed.



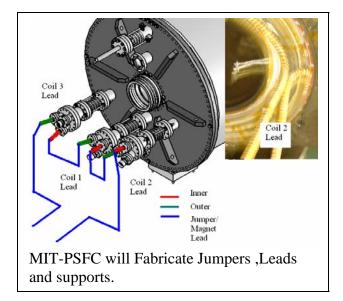
View of test area at floor level

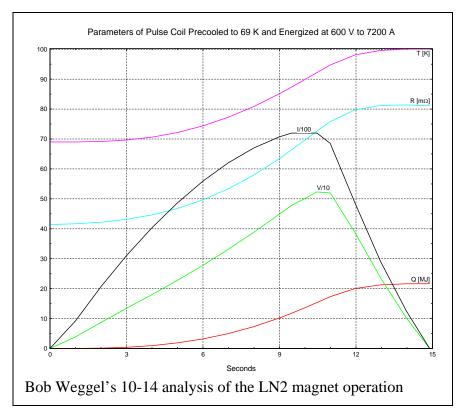


View of the test area floor. The dewars at left and HCX components at right need to be removed

Review of the current /voltage profiles indicates that the PTF power supplies will meet the test requirements. Modifications/Repairs are needed and will progress with approval of the Test plan proposal.



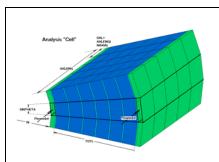




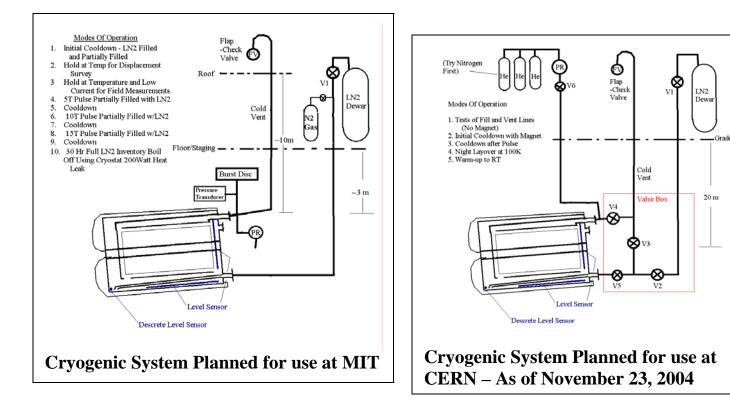
**Cryogenic System for the Test** 

Only atmospheric liquid nitrogen cooling will be employed during pre-operational testing at MIT, although the system is intended to retain the capability to be cooled using gaseous Helium, or sub-cooled LN2.

The requirement to remove the LN2 during the experiments in CERN stems from the radiation environment causing activation of Nitrogen, and the creation of Ozone. Neither of these problems exists during preoperational testing. This allows a further simplification of the system planned for CERN. The system at MIT will simply be a feed and exhaust, and will pulse with remnants of LN2 in the magnet.



The Simulation originally assumed axial gas flow. Circumferential grooves have been added to allow pool boiling cooling.



### Main Elements of the Planned Test Procedure

# **Initial Set-Up**

# **Baseline data for CERNOX sensors at RT**

First Room Temperature Electrical Tests

Hipot the coils.

# **Initial Cooldown, Dimensional Characterization**

Stabilize at 80 to 77K. Check instrumentation, Baseline data for CERNOX sensors at LN2 temperature. Check Level sensors. Compare Capacative and discrete sensors.

# **Boil-Off – Heat Leak Test**

At <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> fill height, measure level change with respect to time, Calculate heat leak

# **Record Cold Dimensional Changes**

Map bore dimensional changes due to cooldown.

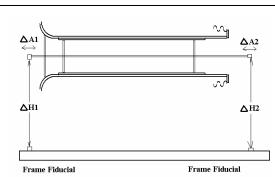
# **Inductance Measurement**

Measure 3 coil low current static resistance. Measure constant-Low Voltage current ramp

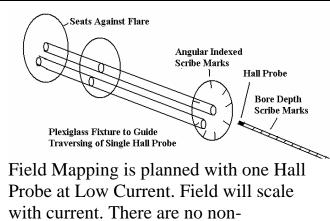
# <u>5T Test</u>

Demonstrate temperature uniformity in the three coil segments. Check target current time traces. Obtain final temperatures for the three coil segments. Check against predictions.

# 10T Test (First)



Cooldown Displacement Measurements The fixture is a rod or tube with circular disks that fit against the bore and one disk at the end that rests against the flare in the vacuum jacket. The flare is the entry point for the mercury jet cassette



with current. There are no nonlinearities. A Shunt resistor will be used to calibrate CERN power supplies to MIT's Demonstrate temperature uniformity in the three coil segments. Check target current time traces. Obtain final temperatures for the three coil segments. Check against predictions. Time to cool with primarily gaseous cooling (1/3 fill height of LN2)

#### 10T Test (Second)

Demonstrate temperature uniformity in the three coil segments Time to cool with primarily pool boiling cooling (2/3 fill height of LN2)

Second Room Temperature Electrical Tests Warm to RT. Conduct Electrical tests

### **10T Test (Third)**

Slow cool to 80K, Run 10T test. Check target current time traces. Obtain final temperatures for the three coil segments. Check against predictions. Cool with LN2 1/3 fill height to 80 K. Stabilize temperatures in 3 coils.

### **15T Test (First)**

Demonstrate 15T operational capability. Check target current time traces. Obtain final temperatures for the three coil segments. Check against predictions.

### 15T Test (Second)

Demonstrate 15T operational capability. Check target current time traces. Obtain final temperatures for the three coil segments. Check against predictions.

Cooling Behavior 2/3 immersed, Obtain Time temperature plot for cooldown

#### **Third Room Temperature Electrical Tests**

### **Report Test Results**