NuMI AIP 1 MW Target Analysis

TSD Topical Meeting

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Introduction

- NuMI AIP to accelerate physics goals by increasing number of protons on target
- Higher beam power of ~<u>1 MW</u>
 - Beam spot size: 1.5 mm
 - Graphite fin width: 9 mm

Evaluate thermal/structural performance of NOvA target design at 1 MW





<u>x-y direction:</u>

18 x 18 bins: x from 4.25 mm to -4.25 mm, y from -4.25 mm to 4.25 mm (0.5 mm x 0.5 mm bins) 6 x 6 bins: x from 3.75 mm to -3.75 mm, y from -51.7083 mm to -8.79167 mm (1.5 mm x 8.6 mm bins) 6 x 6 bins: x from 3.75 mm to -3.75 mm, y from -138.042 mm to -63.4583 mm (1.5 mm x 14.9 mm bins)

z-direction:

4 x-y data sets per fin for 48 fins

[(18 x 18 x 4) + (6 x 6 x 4) + (6 x 6 x 4)] x 48 = 76032 data points

MARS energy deposition data mapping in ANSYS







• Max energy deposition at downstream end of fin 3

ANSYS Workbench FEA

- 3D analysis of target assembly
 - Steady state thermal and static structural analysis of target fin assembly
 - Transient thermal and structural analysis of single fin (dynamic analysis)
 - Standard fin (max. energy deposition in fin number 3)
 - Winged fin (at DS end)
- Temperature dependent material properties for Al6061¹ and POCO ZXF-5Q²
 - Thermal conductivity (transient/steady-state thermal)
 - Specific heat capacity (transient thermal)
 - Coefficient of thermal expansion (transient/static structural)
 - Elastic modulus (transient/static structural)

¹Summers et al., "Overview of aluminum alloy mechanical properties during and after fires", Fire Sci Rev (2015), 4, 3. <u>https://doi.org/10.1186/s40038-015-0007-5</u> ²POCO Graphite - An Entegris Company, "Properties and characteristics of graphite", January 2015.

FEA boundary conditions

- 1. Cooling water heat transfer coefficient calculation (applied to inner surface of tube)
- Tube inner diameter: 9 mm
- Flow rate: 5.5 GPM
- Inlet T: 31 °C
- Outlet T: 35 °C
- Using friction factor for smooth surface (conservative)

$$f = (0.790 \ln Re_D - 1.64)^{-2}$$
 $3000 \le Re_D \le 5 \times 10^6$

• Nusselt number = 353

$$Nu_D = \frac{(f/8)(Re_D - 1000)Pr}{1 + 12.7(f/8)^{1/2}(Pr^{2/3} - 1)}$$

$h = 24500 W/m^2.K$

Eq. 8.21 and 8.62 from Incropera & DeWitt, "Fundamentals of Heat and Mass Transfer", 5th edition, Wiley.

FEA boundary conditions

- 2. Free convection on graphite fin and Al surfaces: **5** W/m².K
 - Ambient He temperature: 100 °C (scaled NOvA 700 kW CFD results by ~35%)
- 3. Radiation on graphite fin surfaces
 - Emissivity: 0.75*
 - Ambient He temperature: 100 °C (scaled NOvA 700 kW CFD results by ~35%)
- 4. Al cooling rail and pressing plates volumetric heat generation
 - MARS data: 0.132 GeV/proton
 - Internal heat generation: 4.30e5 W/m³ (time-averaged)
- 5. Assumed perfect thermal contact conductance between graphite fins and Aluminum pressing plates

Initial analysis

- 9 mm wide fins
- No winged fins



Updated Budal fins and brackets design

- Reduce conduction path length in Aluminum
 - Shorten and keep Al brackets closer to cooling rail
 - Longer graphite fins extending towards cooling rail









Original Budal



Aluminum bracket

US Budal fin

DS Budal fin

Graphite winged fins

- Addition of four winged fins at downstream end of target
- Provides protection for decay pipe window and Horn 1 neck in the event of completely mis-steered beam



Updated assembly - F10109309





BUDAL FIN BRACKETS

Transient structural analysis

Dynamic stresses

- Analysis of Fin 3 (highest energy deposition)
- Single beam pulse starting at room temperature (22 °C)





POCO ZXF-5Q Tensile strength: 79 MPa Compressive strength: 175 MPa





Maximum Principal Stress at max. nodal location



Transient structural analysis

Dynamic stresses at fin corner nodes









Transient structural analysis (winged fin)

Dynamic stresses

Temperature

Time: 5.e-005

Unit: "C

Type: Temperature

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102.68

92.63

82.579

72.529

62.479

0.0066136

0.00013448 Min

112.73 Max

N: Transient Thermal - winged fin 48

- Analysis of winged fin (Fin 48)
- Single pulse starting from room temperature (22 °C)

ΔT ~113 °C







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BCs sensitivity analysis

- Cooling water HTC: 5000 W/m².K (instead of 24500 W/m².K)
- Radiation emissivity: 0.5 (instead of 0.75)
- Free convection HTC: 2 W/m².K (instead of 5 W/m².K)



Peak graphite fin temperature **1022 °C**



Peak Aluminum temperature 114 °C



Updated approved/released drawings



- 1. F10108227: Cooling rail support base plate
- 2. F10107744: Cooling rail upstream bracket
- 3. F10108973: Budal brackets
- 4. F10108968: NOVA 1 MW vertical Budal fin
- 5. F10110482: NOVA 1 MW horizontal Budal fin
- 6. F10107571: NOVA 1 MW upstream target fin

- 7. F10107446: NOVA 1 MW target fin
- 8. F10107571: NOVA 1 MW downstream target fin
- 9. F10108485: NOVA 1 MW upstream winged fin
- 10. F10108487: NOVA 1 MW winged fin
- 11. F10108486: NOVA 1 MW downstream winged fin
- 12. F10107743: Cooling rail downstream bracket

Next steps

- Static structural analysis
 - Expansion and displacement along cooling rail
- Off-axis beam condition analysis
- Transient analysis of winged fins when positioned in upstream location
- Target canister downstream beryllium window analysis
- Fins procurement and new parts fabrication/modification
 - Plan to install 1 MW target during 2019 shutdown

Back-up slides

BCs sensitivity analysis

Cooling water HTC: 5000 W/m².K (instead of 24500 W/m².K)



Peak graphite fin temperature 917 °C



Peak Aluminum temperature **107 °C**

BCs sensitivity analysis

- Graphite emissivity: 0.5 (instead of 0.75)
- Ambient He temperature: 100 °C



Peak graphite fin temperature **1002 °C**



Peak Aluminum temperature 91 °C

BCs sensitivity analysis

- Free convection HTC: 2 W/m².K (instead of 5 W/m².K)
- Ambient He temperature: 100 °C



Peak graphite fin temperature 919 °C



Peak Aluminum temperature 87 °C

BCs sensitivity analysis

- Non-perfect thermal contact conductance
 - Assume at 25 μm He gap between contacts
 - Gap conductance: 7240 W/m².K (k_{He} @ 100 °C = 0.181 W/m.K)



Peak graphite fin temperature 964 °C



Peak Aluminum temperature 104 °C

Boundary conditions sensitivity analysis summary

Steady-state temperature

Boundary conditions sensitivity analysis		Case 1	Case 2	Case 3	Case 4
Emissivity	0.75	0.75	0.5	0.75	0.5
Free conv. HTC (W/m².K)	5	5	5	2	2
Water cooling HTC (W/m ² .K)	24500	5000	24500	24500	5000
Peak Graphite Temperature (°C)	910	917	1002	919	1022
Peak Aluminum Temperature (°C)	86	107	91	87	114

Graphite material properties







