BNL REBCO activities

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Outline

- Highlights from 2020-2023
 - MDP Hybrid Dipole Test -2000
 - Defect-Tolerant Second-Generation Cable, BTG SBIR 2020
 - \circ CFS cable tests Infuse –2021
 - MDP-CORC insert 2023
- Facility and opportunities



Hybrid Dipole Test

- Two racetrack coils (NI/insulated).
- Background field provided by the CC.
- Tape parallel to field.
- Magnetization measurements using Hall probes.
- Field : 12.3 T (combined).





CFS cable tests

- AC losses measurement via calorimetry.
- Test the ability of acoustic and fiber-optic systems to measure temperature rise.
- Ramp rates of interest: 4 T/s.







VIPER

Cernox sensors only

PIT VIPER QA (quench detection system: acoustic)

- Acoustic pulser and sensor
- Heaters on jacket

Two locations for samples: roughly 300 mm x 60 mm x 31 mm







Defect-Tolerant Second-Generation Cable

- Test the performance of a coil wound from a defect-tolerant superconducting cable.
- Artificial breakage introduced every 1.2 meters.
- The coil was tested in a magnetic field up to 1 T at 77 K, and at 4.2 K.





Solovyov, Vyacheslav, et al. "Performance of a Test Coil Wound From Defect-Tolerant Second-Generation Cable."

MDP-CORC insert

• Quench performance of a CORC insert in the background field of common coil dipole.



Facility and opportunities

- Common coil:
 - Free aperture: rectangular 29 x 335 mm.
 - Background field up to 8.5 T.
 - Sample current up to 15 kA.

• Short sample test magnets:

- o 6 T at 4.2 K.
- Uniform field region: 600 mm
- Max current ~24 kA
- Magnet ramp-up time 15 minutes
- Bore diameter: 3 inches.
- Cable sample holder diameter: 2.5 inches.





Facility and opportunities

- **Conductor characterization:**
 - Test/validate design choice for the subscale programs. Ο
 - Feedback for conductor development. Ο

Examples:

- Mechanical strength. Ο
- V-I characterization with additional diagnostic tools. Ο
- Terminal design. Ο
- Interfaces with test facilities. \bigcirc



Xiaorong, MDP collaboration meeting 2023

