## TSD report: project updates

PIP II: Bolting Design for 25 kW Absorber (Nandhini Dhanaraj)

- Working list of the bolting design for absorbers:
  - Connecting aluminum and steel plates around the Graphite cylinder core
  - Estimating the necessary preload, bolting torque to optimize the performance for good heat transfer and thermal conductance
  - Studying non-uniform expansions due to the thermal expansion coefficients among different materials
  - Also, decided NOT to use Belleville washer to change the bolt preloads due to the non-uniform distribution. We will only use lock washers.
  - The same design will be used for the 2 kW portable absorber.

Absorber Showing Bolt Holes

Resulting Working Loads in Newtons

47653 Max
45686
43719
41752
39785
31817
35850
33883
31916
29949 Min

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## PIP II: Booster Collimator System (Vladimir Sidorov)

- Completed the booster primary collimator survey
- Welded the booster secondary collimator vacuum chamber
- Assembled collimator motor-controls

**Collimator motors** 



**Booster secondary collimator vacuum chamber** 



