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# **APA14 Broken Wire**

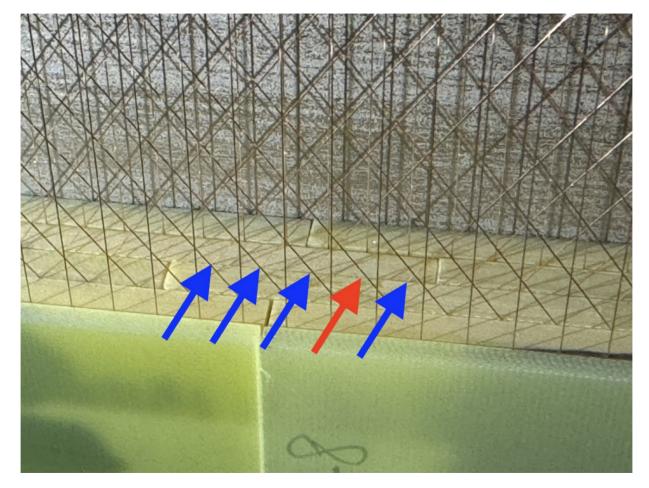
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# Overview

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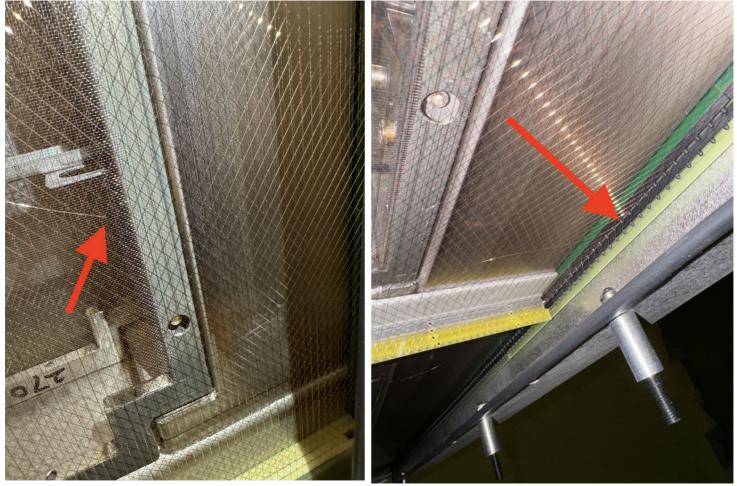
- On removal from the cold box, it was observed that a wire on APA14 had broken.
- From the CE readout we observe that this wire broke during warmup over the weekend (Sat morning), at a temperature of ~270 K.
- The wire is on the V layer, 2<sup>nd</sup> from the edge of its head board, and broke at the soldier joint.
- The Compliance inspection report (with photos) can be found on EDMS here: https://edms.cern.ch/document/3181578/1

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## IMPERIAL Course of Action

- Daresbury will send an expert to remove the broken wire, and take samples for electron microscopy + load testing.
- APA14 must be cold cycled again.
  - Questions: with full instrumentation? With a preceding DWA measurement?
- Both APAs received a shock during transport (report: https://edms.cern.ch/document/3177756/1), so the outcome of the cold test of APA15 will give some indication of whether there is a causal link.