

Transformational R&D for a 100 TeV scale pp colliders

National high-field magnet program (including material development)

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*White Paper for a National Program on
High Field Magnet R&D*

The charge provided by the sub panel

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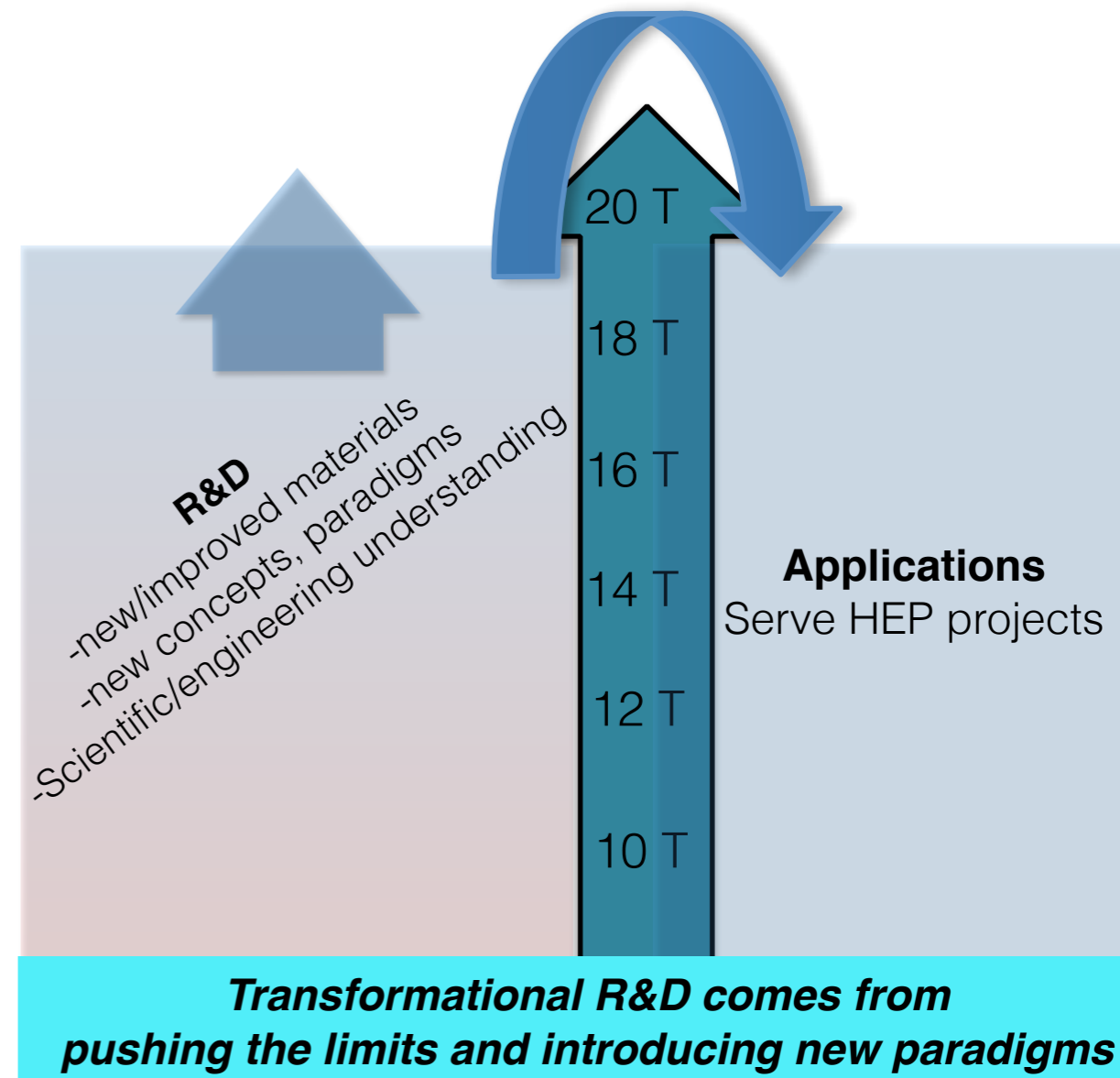
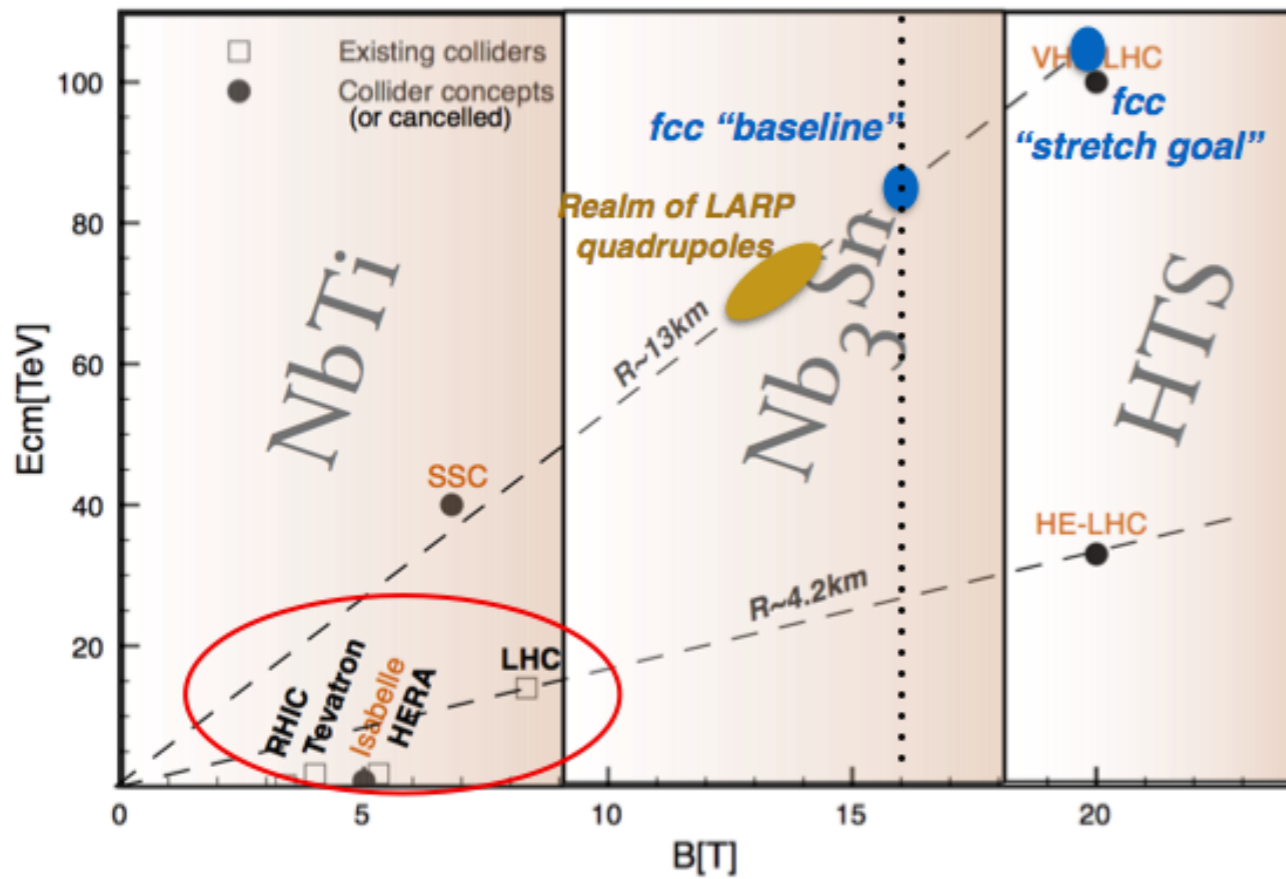
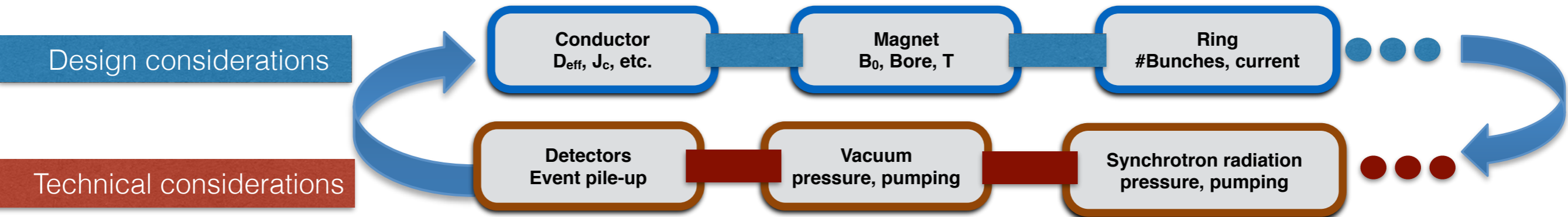
Superconductors and high field magnets play lead role

- A 100 TeV scale pp collider will be...
 - ➔ the largest experiment ever undertaken by the HEP community
 - ➔ the largest single experiment consumer of modern superconductors
- The cost of the collider will be driven by...
 - ➔ Tunneling \Rightarrow cost reduction driven by others
 - ➔ Magnets \Rightarrow cost reduction driven by HEP (frankly no one else cares)



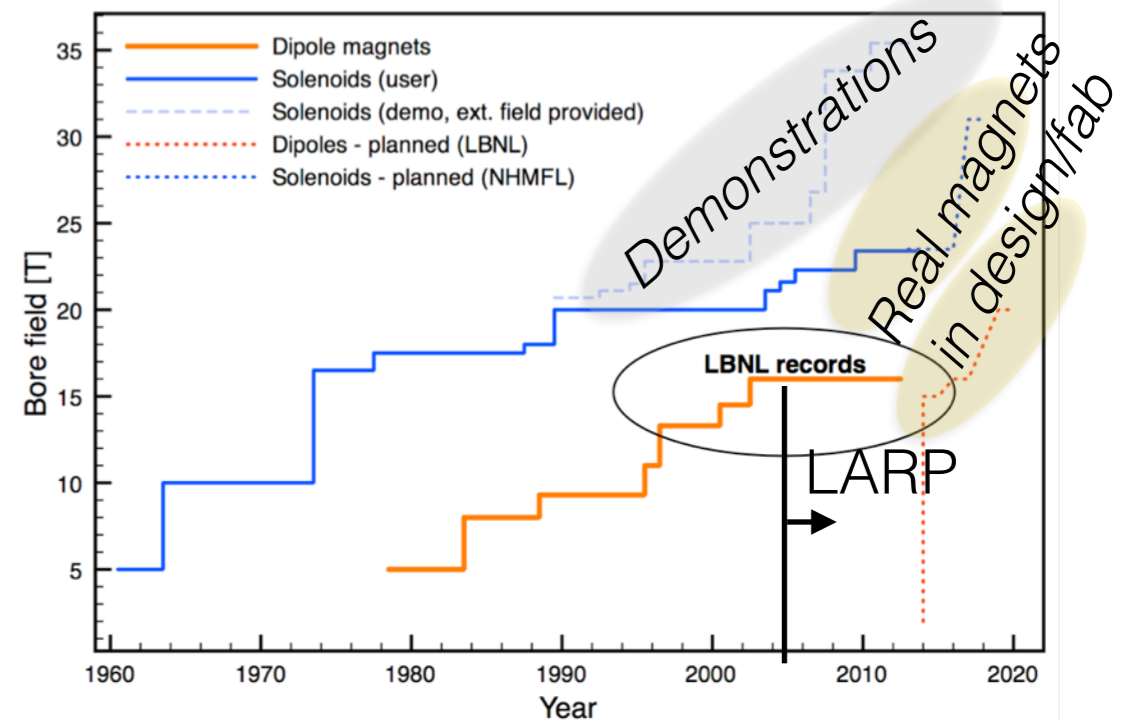
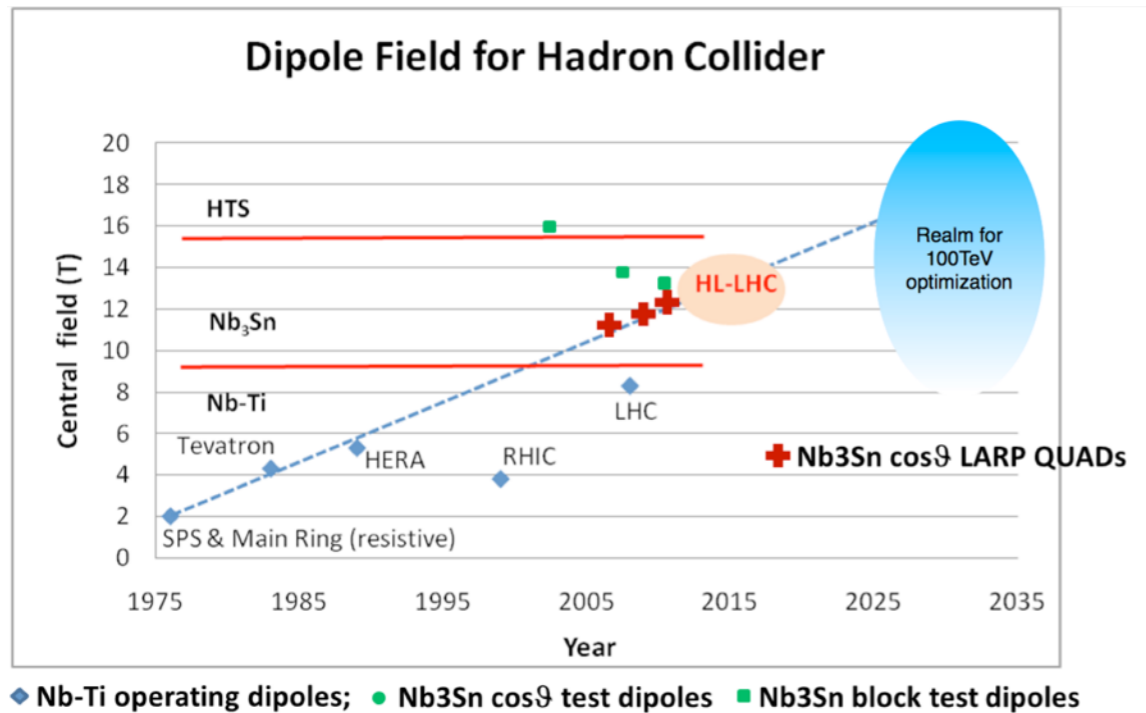
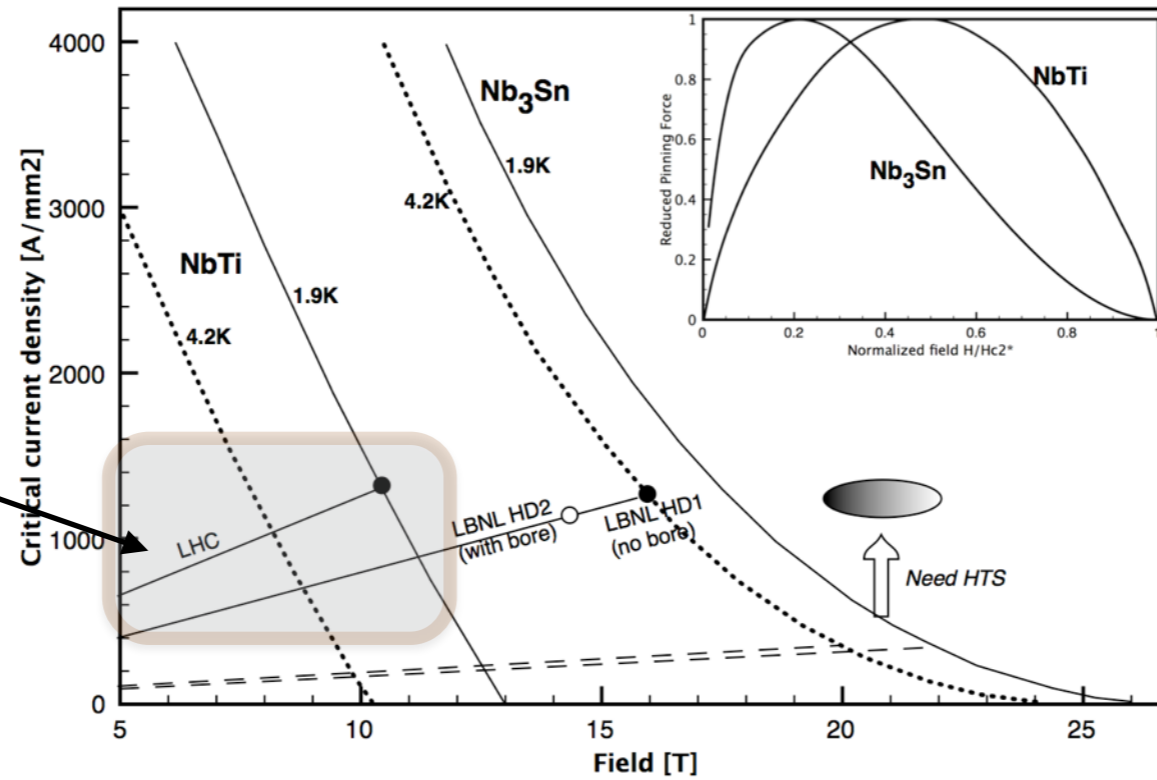
The US is ***the recognized world leader*** in high-field magnet technology, the primary technology pillar of a 100TeV collider

R&D to maximize science: Start with broad parameter space, identify drivers



Setting the context: There has been significant progress \Rightarrow US Leadership

Benefitted significantly from US-lead NbTi improvements, US magnet program developments for SSC



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Goals based on *performance, realizability, and cost*

- Goals should
 - ➔ take into account performance:
 - ✓ *deliver significant materials improvements*
 - ✓ *deliver magnet technology advancements*
 - ➔ consider realizability:
 - ✓ *stress/probe the limits of technology (without breaking them!)*
 - ✓ *focus on simplicity, ability to industrialize*
 - ➔ ultimately focus on cost:
 - ✓ *approaching cost from multiple angles can result in significant subsystem/system/facility cost reductions*

Conductor improvements \Rightarrow magnet performance

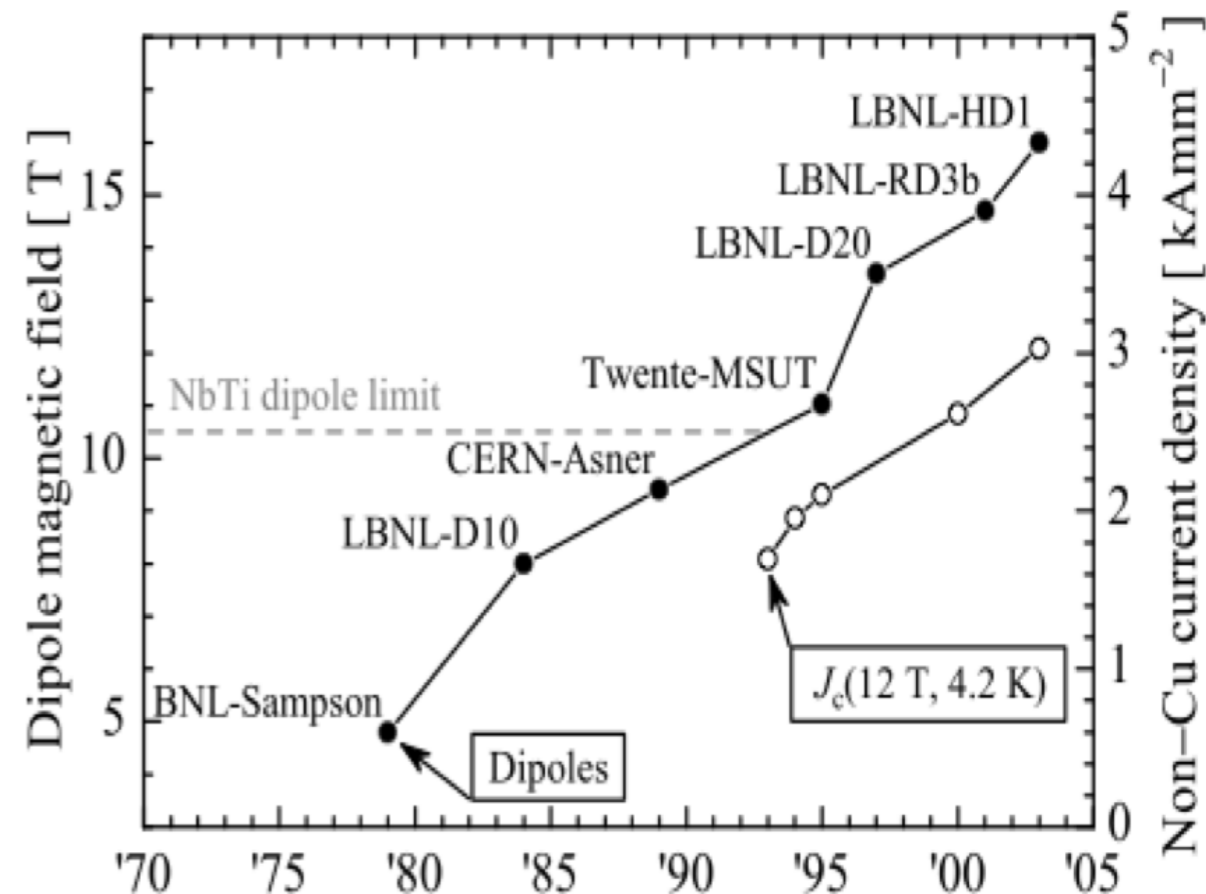
Wednesday, December 16, 1998

Dr. John O'Fallon
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 ER-22 GTN
 U.S. Department of Energy
 19901 Germantown Road
 Germantown, MD 20874

Dear John:

The first U.S. ... Workshop for a Very Large Hadron Collider, inspired by the report of the Gilman et al. PAC subcommittee, was held at Port Jervis, N.Y. on November 10-11, 1998. This workshop was a very effective forum for discussion of new magnet concepts and the potential for producing more cost-effective magnets. It is clear that a key element in developing high-field magnets will be better performing and cheaper superconductors. I am writing you at this time in order to inform you of some of the issues discussed at the workshop and to recommend a course that we believe will result in improved and less expensive superconductor. The essential parts of this proposal were discussed at the meeting, and there was a general consensus that this approach is necessary.

Formation of the Conductor Development Program



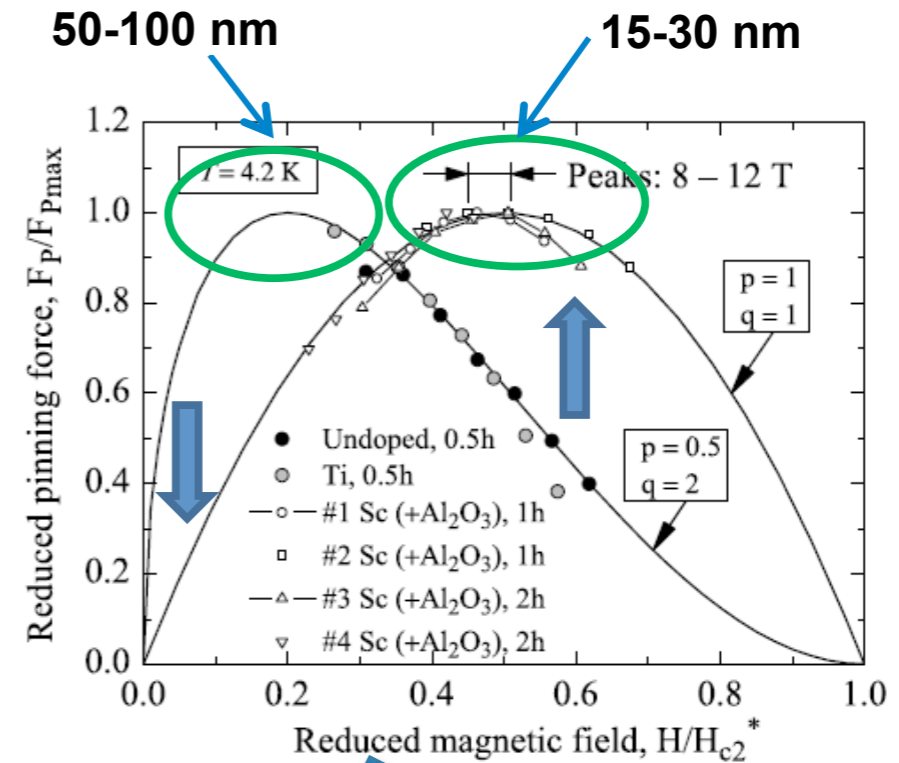
HEP-supported materials science at DOE&Universities+
Conductor Development Program+
Small-business Innovative Research+
Yearly Low-temperature Superconductor Workshop=
Consistent, significant conductor improvements

Nb₃Sn continues to impress: still has performance growth!

- Improve $J_c(15T) \Rightarrow 2200-2500A/mm^2$
- Maintain $RRR > 100-150$
- Reduce D_{eff}
- Improve strain dependence

Not yet possible to get all of these; work with acc. phy. and magnet designers to **optimize tradeoffs**

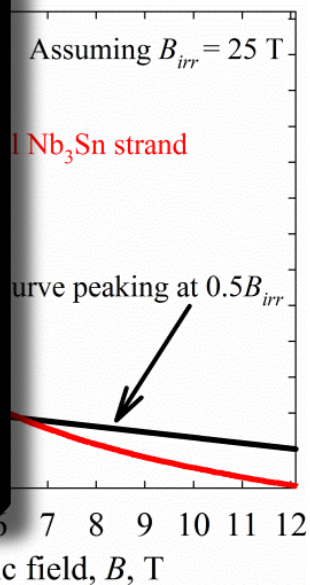
**Significant D_{eff} reduction;
Already sufficient?**



- Path forward:**
- Innovate with OST RRP through CDP
 - Support industry to develop pinning points in wires

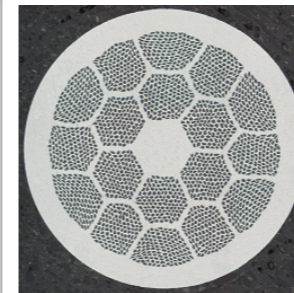
Only the US knows how to do this!

D_w	Sub
Wire	54/61
Diameter, mm	Stack
# of Sub-	
elements, N	54
1	93
0.85	79
0.8	74
0.778	72
0.7	65

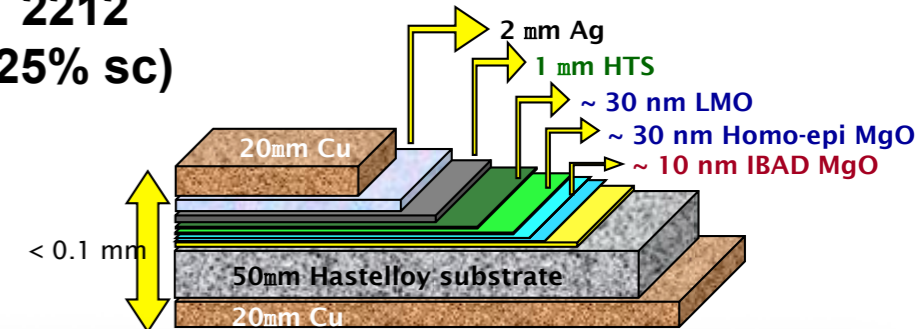


HTS: long-range critical technology for HEP, and DOE SC more broadly

- Long-term R&D is essential to:
 - ➔ Develop critical conductor characteristics
 - ➔ Identify material compatibility for magnets
 - ➔ Develop associated magnet technologies
 - ✓ Joints, insulation,...
 - ✓ Magnet protection
- Technology will feed broader HEP and other SC areas
 - ➔ Fast ramping magnets, conduction cooled systems, etc.



2212
(25% sc)

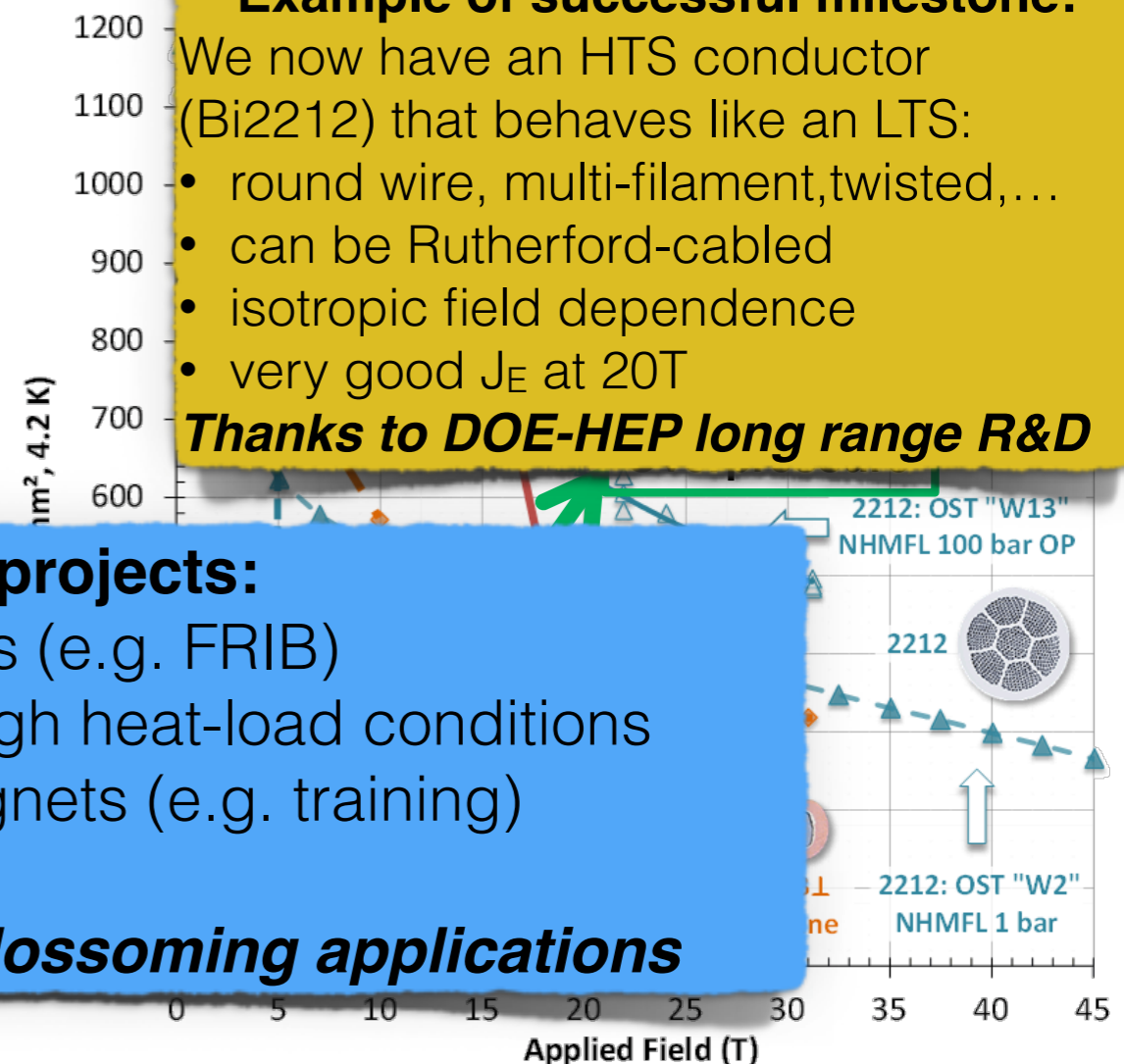


Example of successful milestone:

We now have an HTS conductor (Bi2212) that behaves like an LTS:

- round wire, multi-filament, twisted, ...
- can be Rutherford-cabled
- isotropic field dependence
- very good J_E at 20T

Thanks to DOE-HEP long range R&D



Broad potential for projects:

- Being applied to specific HEP projects (e.g. FRIB)
- Candidate for high-radiation and/or high heat-load conditions
- May alleviate issues for high-field magnets (e.g. training)

Further development will result in blossoming applications

Goals for conductor development

- Define aggressive goals, focussed on real need. Examples for Nb₃Sn are:
 - ➔ $J_c(15T, 4.2K) > 2200A/mm^2$
 - ➔ $D_{eff} < 40$ microns (30?; 20?); requires tradeoff with acc. physics
 - ➔ Cost reduction of factor 2 (3?; more?) in \$/kA-m(15T)

The existing HEP-driven CDP, SBIR programs, and LTSW structure are well-suited to identify goals for LTS and HTS materials, aligned with HEP needs

Summary

- Maintain (possibly grow) very successful CDP and SBIR programs, and LTSW
 - **Collaboration between HEP Univ. programs, DOE labs, and industry is exemplary**
- **Balanced program** focusing on cost/performance improvements:
 - Improving Nb₃Sn at higher field: ~x2 improvement in $J_c(15T)$ within ~5 years
 - Improving Nb₃Sn cost reduction potential through conductor design, scalability
 - Developing HTS for accelerator applications:
 - reliable $J_E > 600A/mm^2$ at ~20T in magnet-relevant lengths
 - cost-effective, magnet-suitable cables for high-current operation

Goals for magnets

- The magnet community needs
 - ➔ To make breakthroughs in *understanding* magnet performance
 - ✓ The *science* and *advanced engineering* of magnets and associated systems
 - ➔ To leverage knowledge to develop *improved concepts*
 - ✓ Address stresses, fabrication simplicity and reproducibility, system cost



Focus on significant cost reduction

Address key areas that are costly:

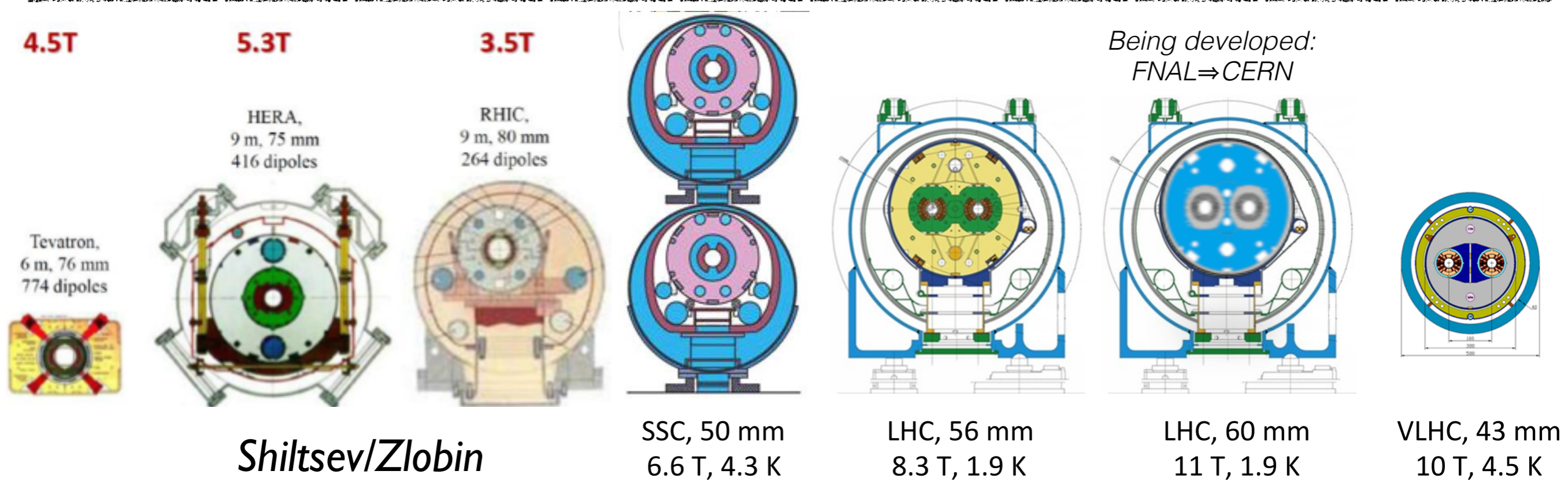
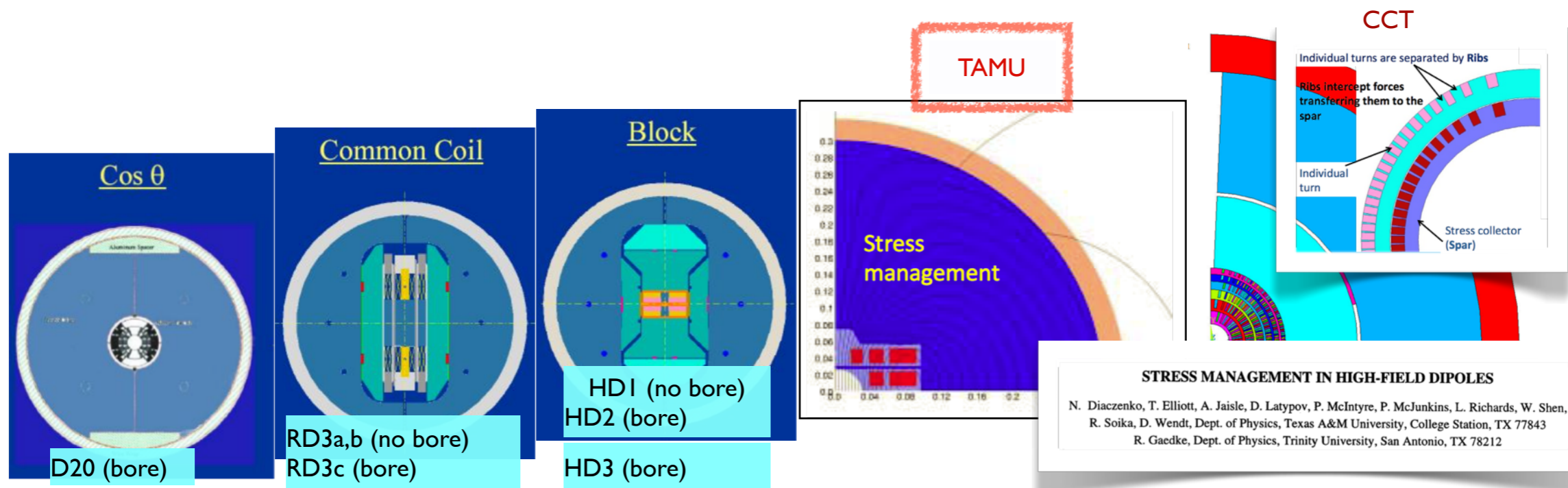
- *Fully leverage conductor potential*
- *Reduce training and required operational margin*
- *Reduce dramatically the touch-labor required in fab*

Current US Leadership in the field is testament to a historically robust program

Moving forward, a goal-oriented, coordinated National Program will serve to:

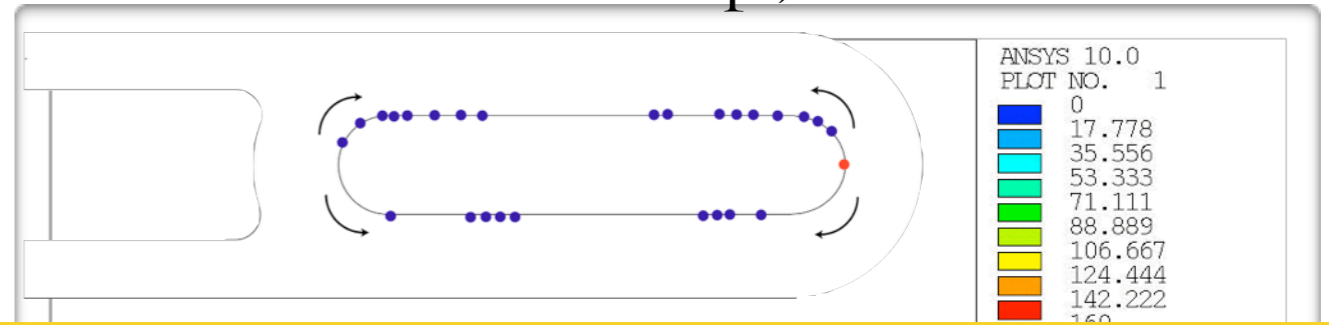
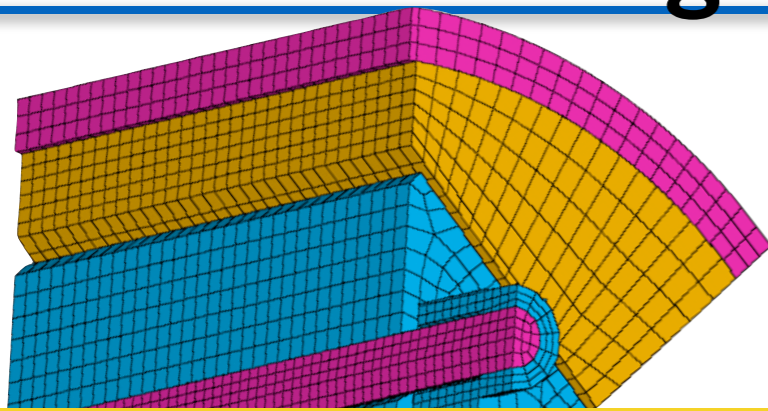
- focus research groups
- provide objective measures of progress/success
- provide quantitative measures for DOE Program Managers

Many design concepts: room for new paradigms: Block and CCT challenge traditional $\text{Cos}(\theta)$

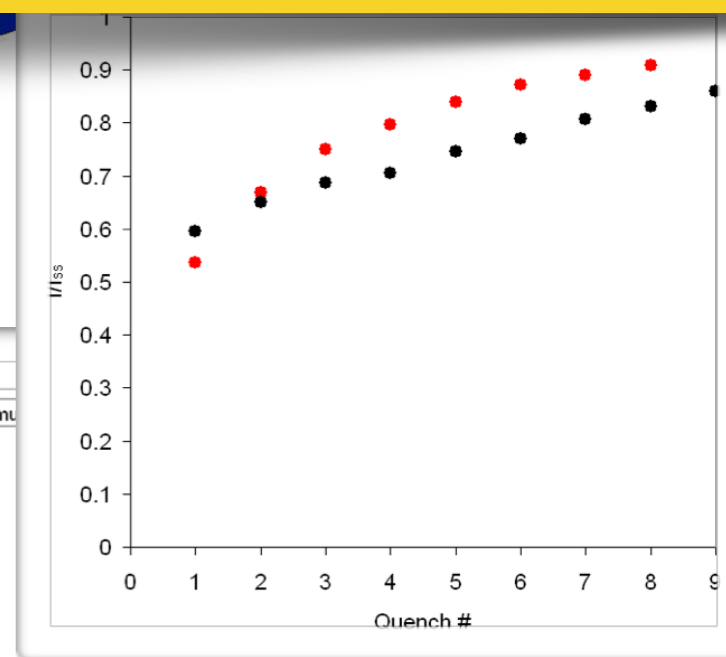
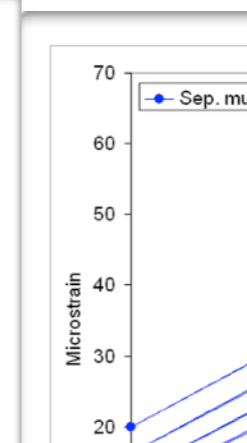
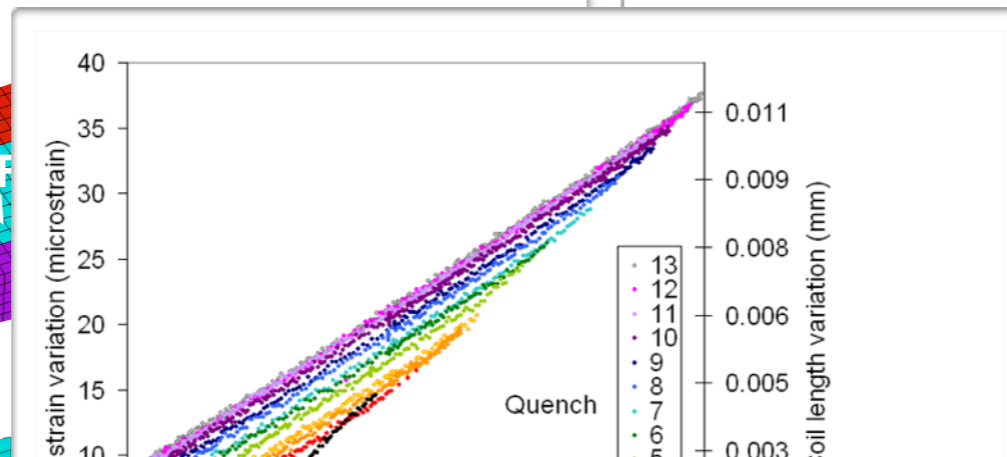
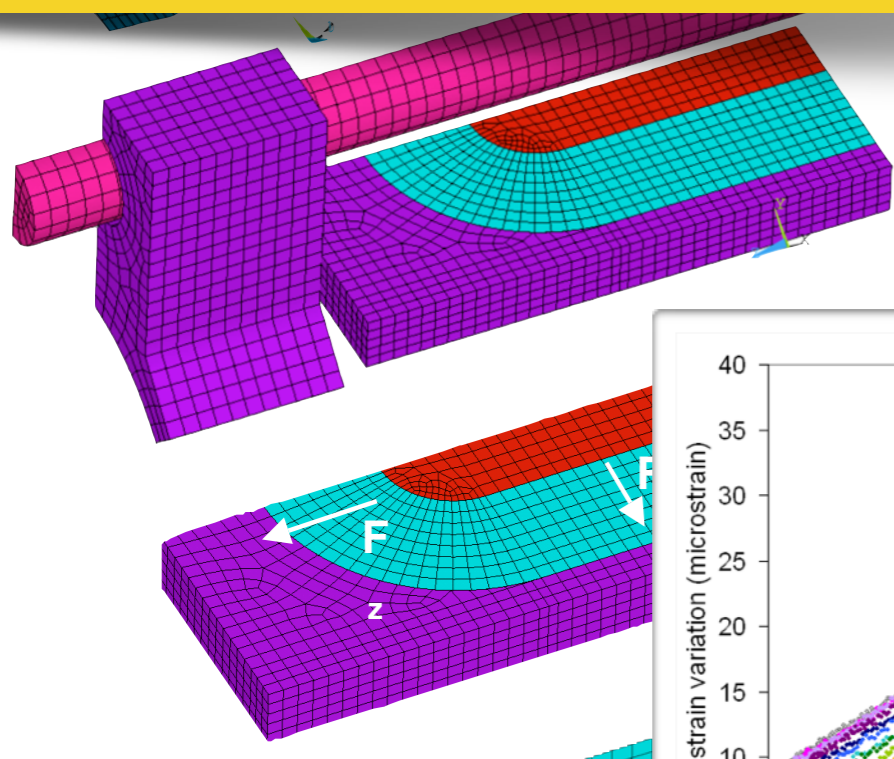


Example of magnet science: *Understanding* is critical to sustained progress

P. Ferracin and S. Caspi, CHATS-AS 2006

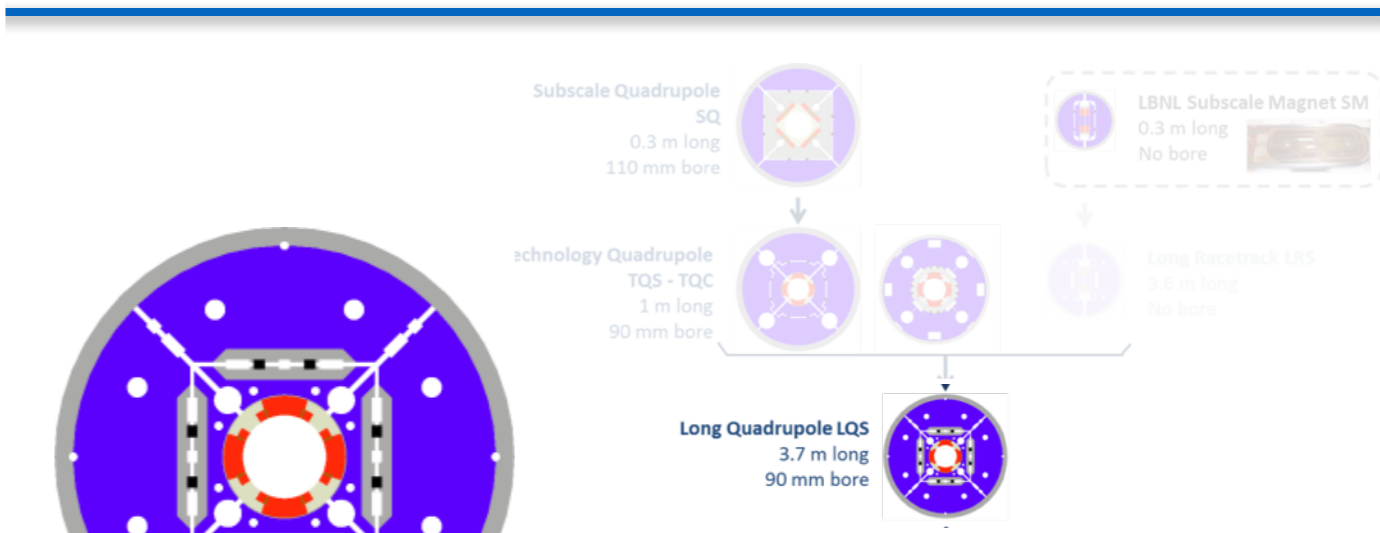
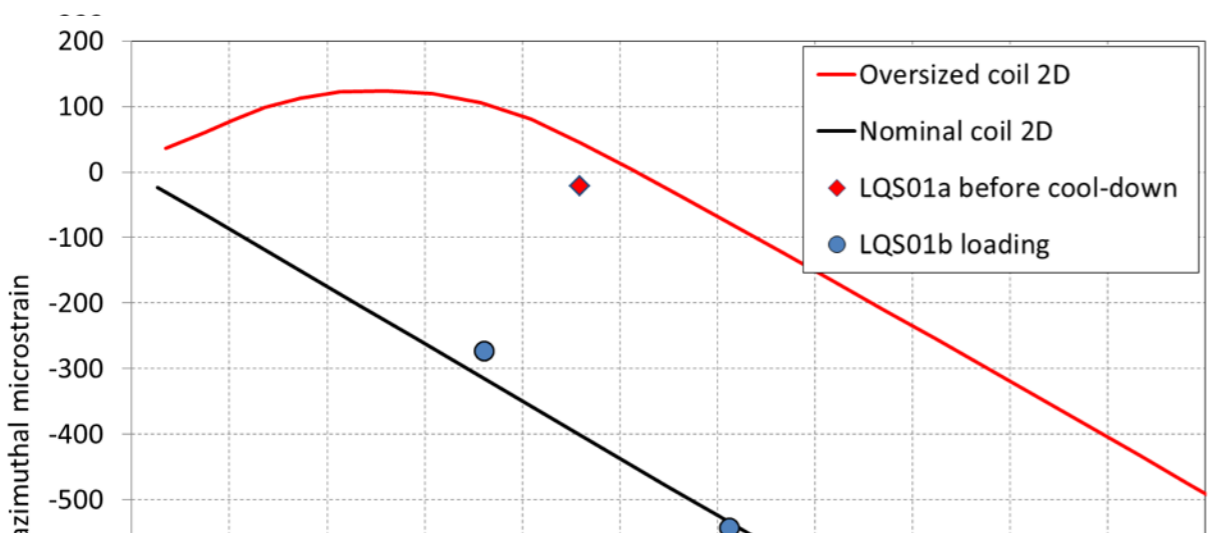


These tools, and staff expertise, support the broader DOE SC complex:
- FRIB, JLAB 12GeV Upgrade, Mu2E, etc.

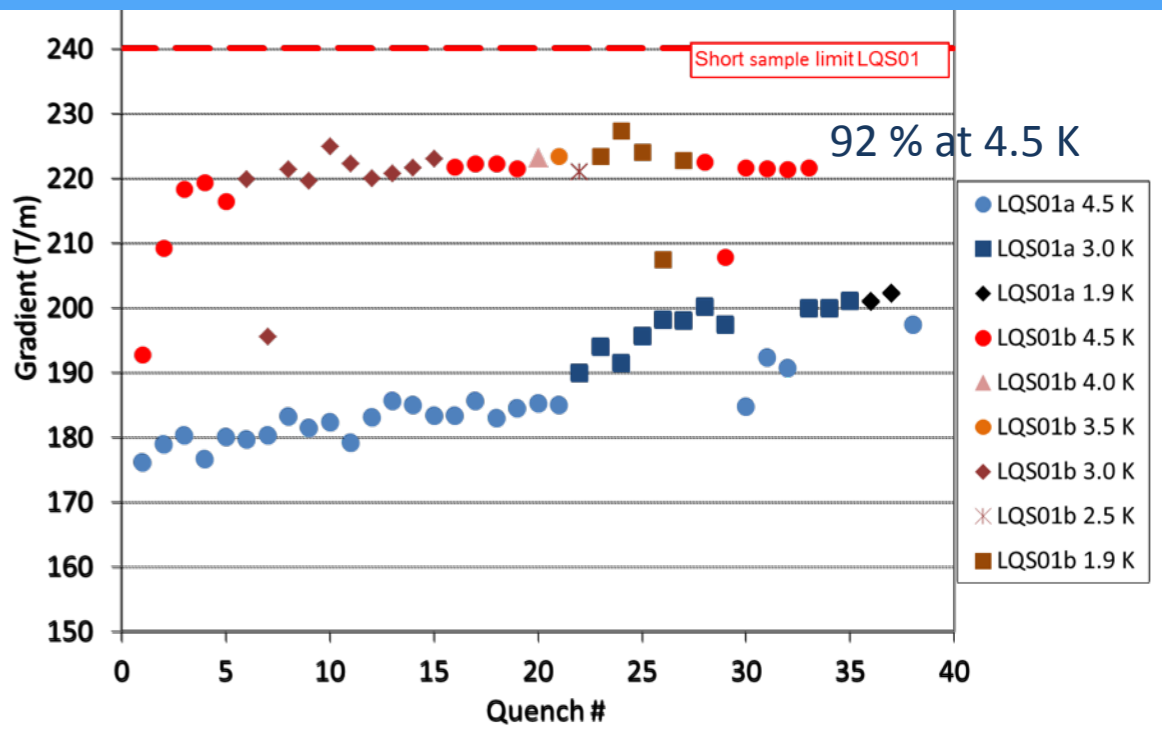
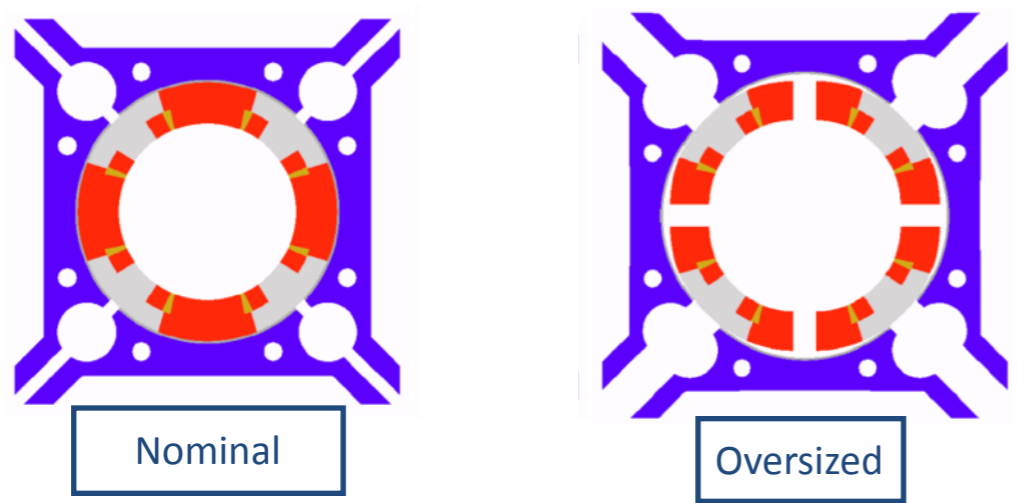
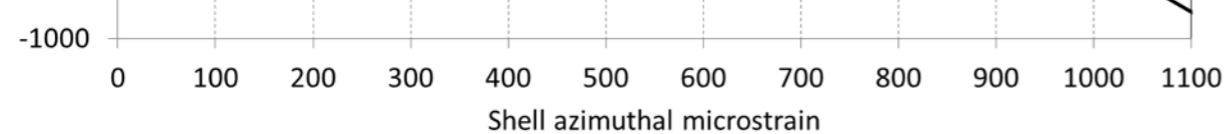


Understanding ***mechanisms*** of magnet ***training***
Result of modeling \Rightarrow diagnostics \Rightarrow testing \Rightarrow feedback

Example of integrated approach between magnet modeling, assembly and performance

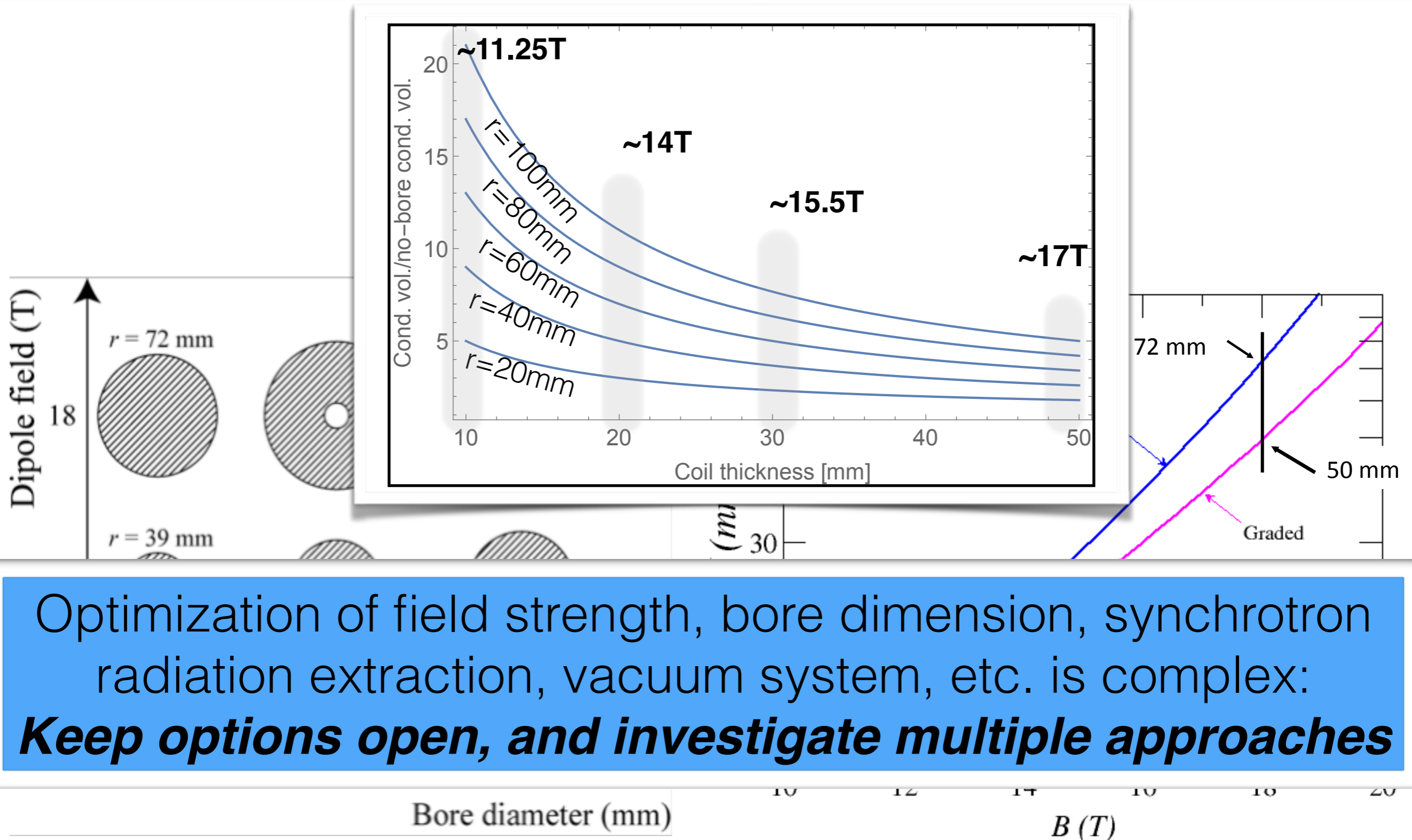


Dramatic improvement in performance: **training and margin**
 Result of modeling \Rightarrow fabrication & assembly \Rightarrow testing \Rightarrow feedback



Accounting for coil size variations: from R&D to production

Focus on cost model assumptions: Relative impact of bore size decreases at high field



Optimization of field strength, bore dimension, synchrotron radiation extraction, vacuum system, etc. is complex:
Keep options open, and investigate multiple approaches

Bore diameter (mm)

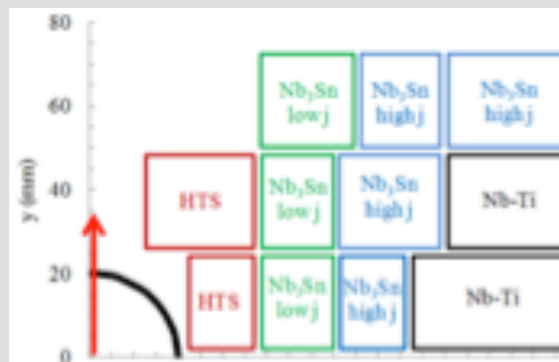
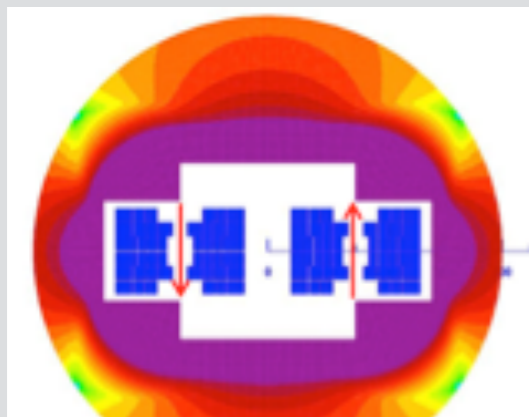
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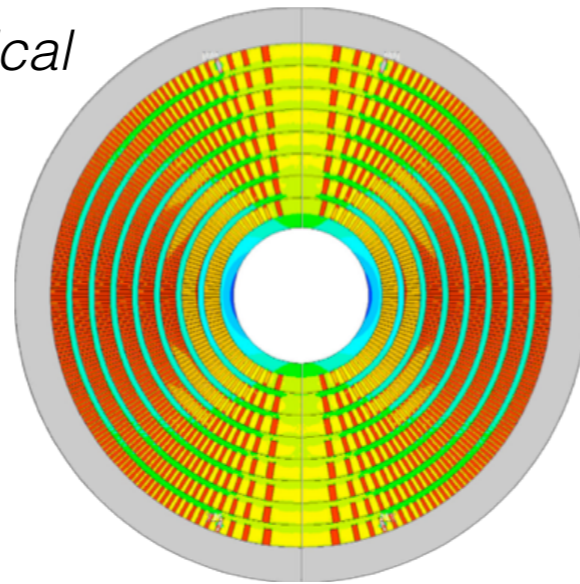
Grading the conductor \Rightarrow $\sim 40\%$ less conductor at 16T

- Example of CCT
 - ✓ *intercepting azimuthal stress is critical*
- LHC dipoles ($\cos(\theta)$) had 2 grades of conductor
- *Requires stress interception*

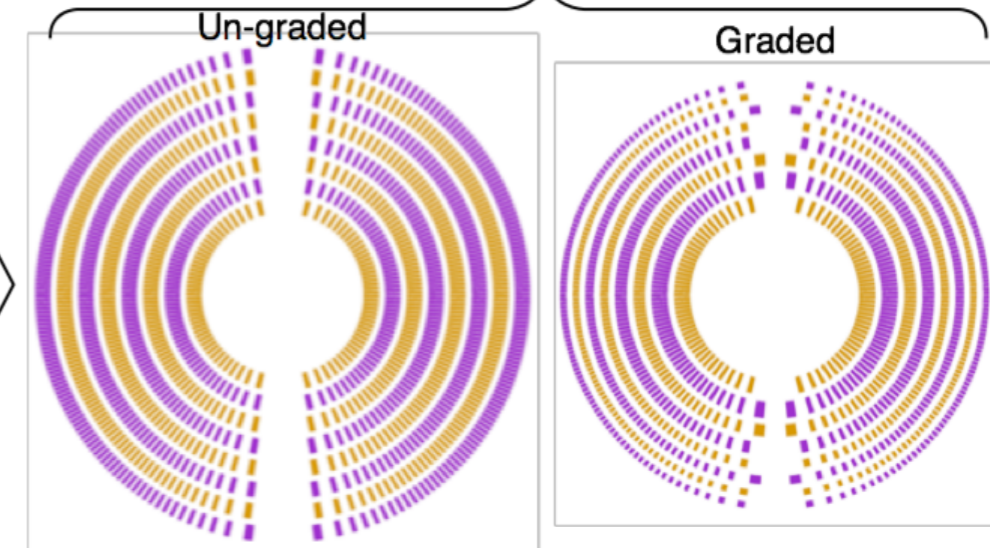
CERN concept for block:



Conductors and Structure

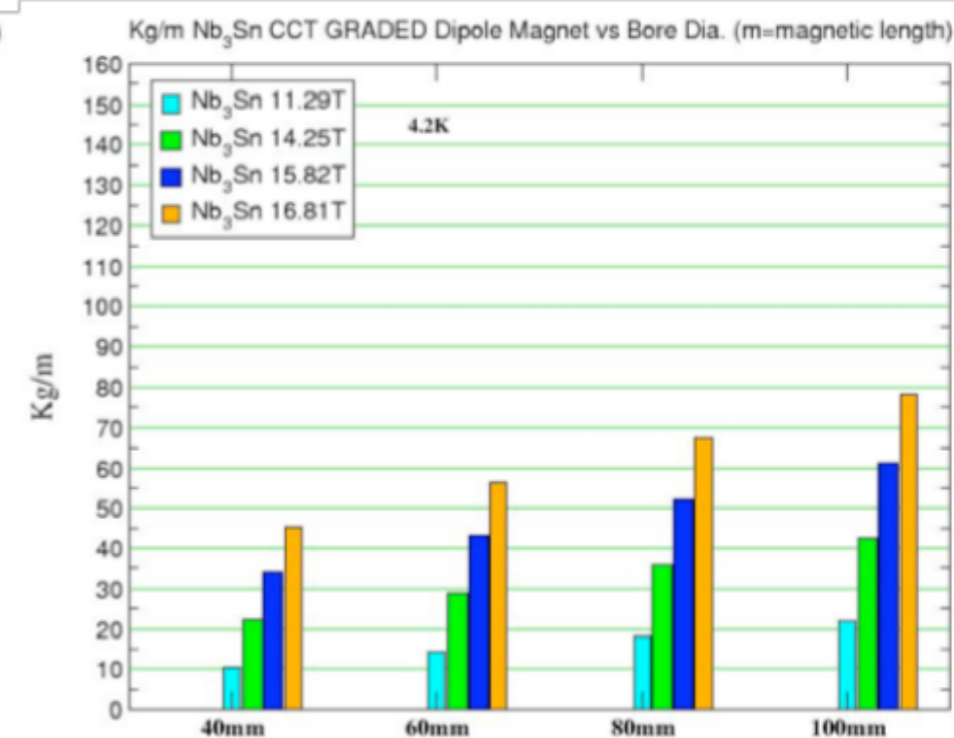
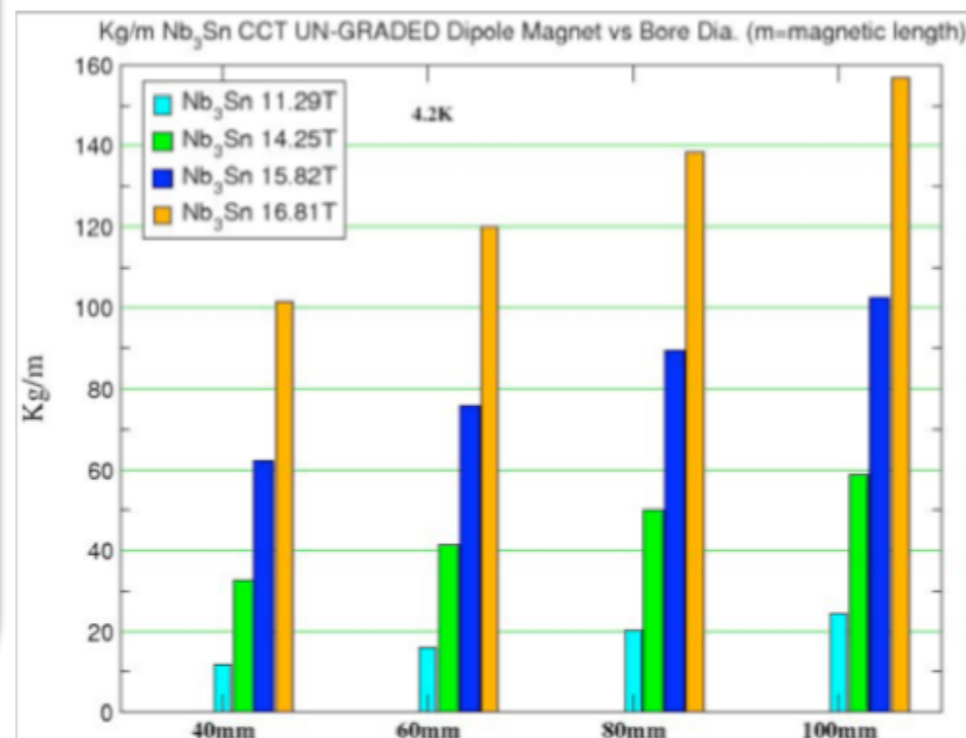


Conductors only



Un-graded CCT

Graded CCT



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Achieving the goals requires *resources* and *accountability*

- Progress in magnets requires consistent application of the research loop:
 - ➔ *Design&analysis - fabrication - test&diagnostics - feedback*
 - ➔ *Need to push for results, e.g. multiple tests/year*
 - ➔ *Need freedom to make mistakes, but expectation of real breakthroughs*
- Magnet research results in tools/capabilities that feed the community
 - ➔ *Design and analysis yields tools that support HEP projects*
 - ➔ *Materials developments (superconducting, dielectrics, etc.) that feed projects*
 - ➔ *Magnet testing provides novel diagnostics, feedback on design tools*

**US leadership in the field stems from a strong, large
US superconductor industry, closely linked to DOE-HEP,
and from innovative magnet programs that enable
new accelerator capabilities**

Achieving the goals requires *resources* and *accountability*

- Staff need to be dedicated to (or sizable fraction of time on) R&D
 - ➔ *need to foster culture of innovation & intensity/urgency of research*
 - ➔ *Interfacing/consulting with HEP projects is valuable*
 - ➔ *Need key expertise to make rapid progress*
- Need dedicated (or good availability of) fabrication and testing capabilities
- Funding must provide good balance of M&S and Staff
 - ➔ *need to avoid pitfall of “resources without hardware”*

Programs need...

- ***to be sufficiently funded to accomplish their mission***
- ***to be accountable for progress on achieving goals***

Research management

- Consider mechanisms for national coordination of magnet community efforts, and develop a process to define and focus program goals
 - ➔ Characteristics sought:
 - ✓ coordination of efforts for efficiency
 - ✓ goal-oriented efforts, *but not project-ized!*
 - ✓ focus research on key areas (avoid dilution of funds)
 - ✓ research should have *science* at core: advances must *last*
- Magnet efforts should be communicated, and possibly coordinated, among the international research groups
- Design tradeoffs between accelerator physics and magnets must be understood for design optimization:
 - ➔ recommend strong communication between these areas, e.g. routine workshops

Goals, milestones, and performance should guide funding in a budget-limited environment

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Training and staff development

- The DOE labs, the NSF-funded NHMFL, and the HEP-funded university programs are the primary source of accelerator magnet expertise
 - ➔ *USPAS provides excellent opportunities for staff development*
- The US laboratories have successfully recruited top talent from international (primarily European) laboratories
 - ➔ *Recently this tide is changing due to HEP uncertainties*
- Reestablishment of a healthy HEP magnet program is necessary to rekindle interest from early-career talent, critical to maintain long-term leadership in the field
 - ➔ *Also critical to provide scientific support of LARP⇒HiLumi*

We are the go-to laboratories for superconducting accelerator magnet scientists, but maintaining this role requires sustained commitment in funding and programs

The Magnet Programs have fostered critical expertise

- Examples of magnet/materials staff that came up through the DOE / University programs:
 - ➔ In labs now: Cooley, Prestemon, Wang, Godeke, Shen, Holick...
 - ➔ In industry: Parrel, Field, ...
- Examples from Europe:
 - ➔ Sabbi, Ambrosio, Felice, Pong, ...
- But also the other way:
 - ➔ Ferracin [CERN], Bordini [CERN], Borgnolutti [SACLAY], Rochepault[CERN],...

Maintaining, and strengthening, the pool of expertise in superconducting materials and magnets is critical to DOE-SC's mission

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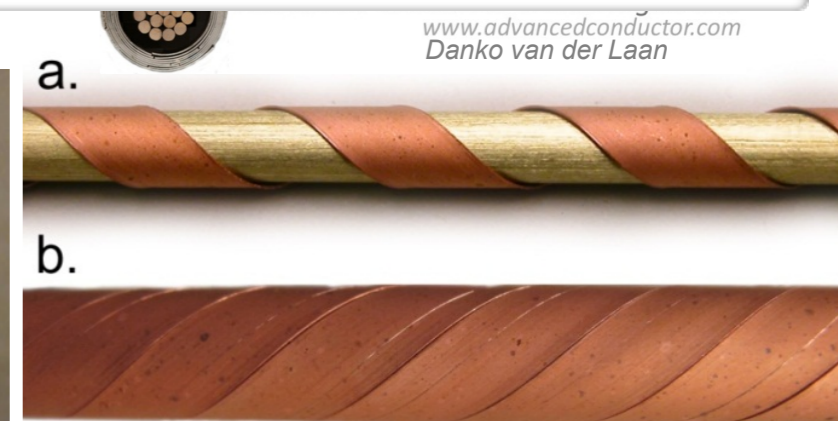
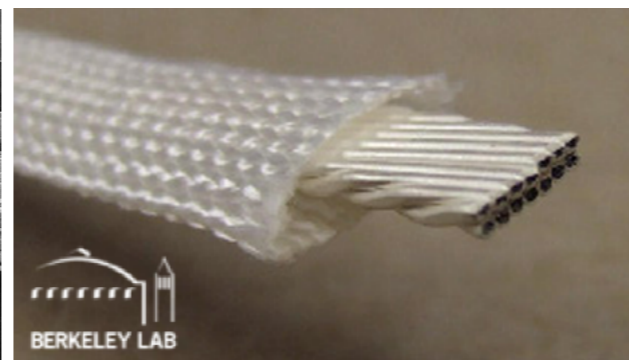
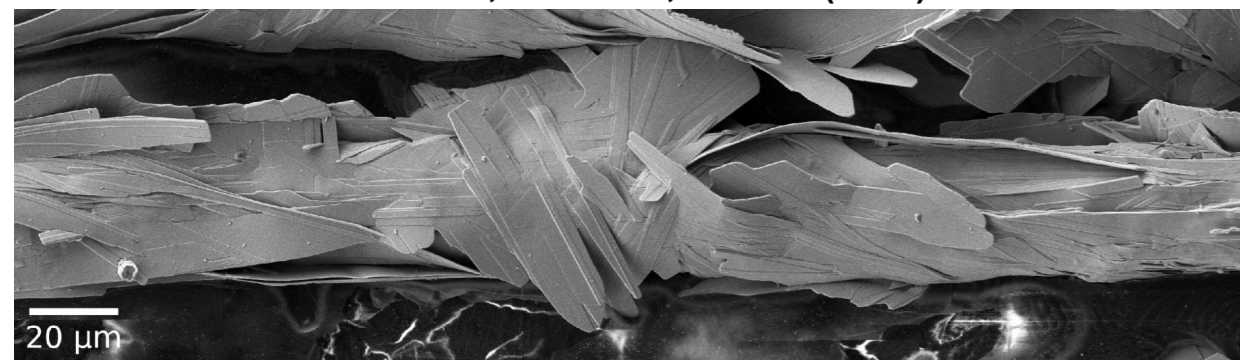
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A well-funded R&D effort starts with conductors

- Enhanced superconducting materials research:
 - ➔ *Fund parallel efforts to increase $J_c(15T)$ of Nb_3Sn*
 - ✓ impacts HEP, but also NMR, condensed matter physics
 - ➔ *Significant investment in both Bi2212 and YBCO efforts*
 - ✓ DOE labs and Universities can provide critical expertise in these efforts, and provide an application pull
 - ✓ Industry needs to see application pull to justify investing in development

Would impact other HEP and SC programs, e.g. fast-ramping synchrotrons, magnets in high-radiation environments

Kametani et al, SuST 24, 075009 (2011)



A well-funded magnet R&D effort would have broad impact

- Parallel investigation of new magnet concepts:
 - ➔ fast-paced, energetic, friendly but competitive concept development
 - ✓ most effective approach for fast R&D payback
 - ➔ investigate broader spectrum of magnet configurations for pp colliders to improve cost and performance models & system optimization \Rightarrow *significant US role in facility optimization*
 - ➔ would result in significant new diagnostics for the community, and insight into magnet performance \Rightarrow *understanding the science is key to long-term leadership*
 - ➔ would provide important magnet advances relevant to broader HEP and other SC arenas: fast-ramping magnets, magnets for high-radiation environments
- Strong staff development
 - ➔ provide effective *risk mitigation for LARP/HiLumi*
 - ➔ cement *US leadership* in this arena

A goal-oriented National Magnet Program is a core element of transformational R&D for a collider

- Focus programs on innovation towards cost reduction on 3 fronts:
 - ➔ Improved scientific/engineering understanding ⇒ reduce training, margin
 - ➔ Simplified magnet construction
 - ✓ Coil fabrication ⇒ *reduce hardware and touch-labor cost*
 - ✓ Structures
 - ➔ Improved use of conductor ⇒ leverage J_c improvements, incorporate grading

Area	Comment on today's technology	Improvement potential	Cost reduction potential
Training	Must be very low for dipoles		
Margin	Typically 20-25%, driven by "unknowns";	bring to <10%	factor 1.5 (?)
Coil & Structure	Lots of touch labor, special components	Significant; simplify parts, focus on scalability	factor 2-3 (more?)
Conductor	Nb ₃ expensive; HTS is early in development, very expensive	Nb ₃ Sn: significant increase in $J_c(15T)$ possible, and cost reduction also; HTS: significant increase in J	factor 2-3

Summary

- Focus on changing current paradigms \Rightarrow transformational R&D
 - ➔ Identify and address limitations of current state of the art
 - ➔ Identify and focus on cost drivers in current models

Historical Edisonian approach is being replaced with ***science-based research & development***

Magnet model (based on earlier studies[8, 9])

- Current densities vs. B by fits to NHMFL data[10]
- Assume degradations, packing factors, & margins from LHC[6]
- Determine a cos theta coils thickness
- Add Fe to return all flux² assuming $B_{sat} = 2$ T
- Leaving spaces for cryogenic insulation taken from LHC
- Cost super-conductor per kgm using HE-LHC[1] costs
- Cost structures \propto weight escalated from SSC[11]
- Cost cryogenics \propto cold surface area/ $T(K)$, scaled from SSC[11]
- Add linear costs based on escalated SSC[11]
- Iron & stainless steel, including manufacture, proportional to weights as determined from SSC[11] study

Three R&D pillars

Conductors

Science&Engineering

Magnet Construction