# **TF Coil Subassembly**

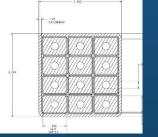
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Coil Winding + Wedge Castings = IF Coil Subassembly



- SS castings on leading edge
- 3x4 Cross-section
- Solid Copper Conductor
- LN2 Cooled

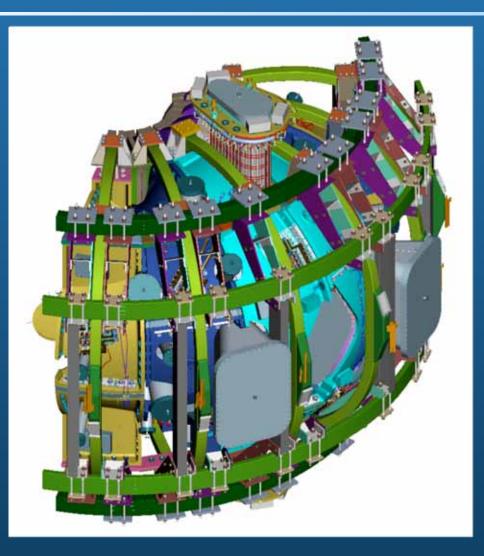




## **Structure Reacts Critical Loads**

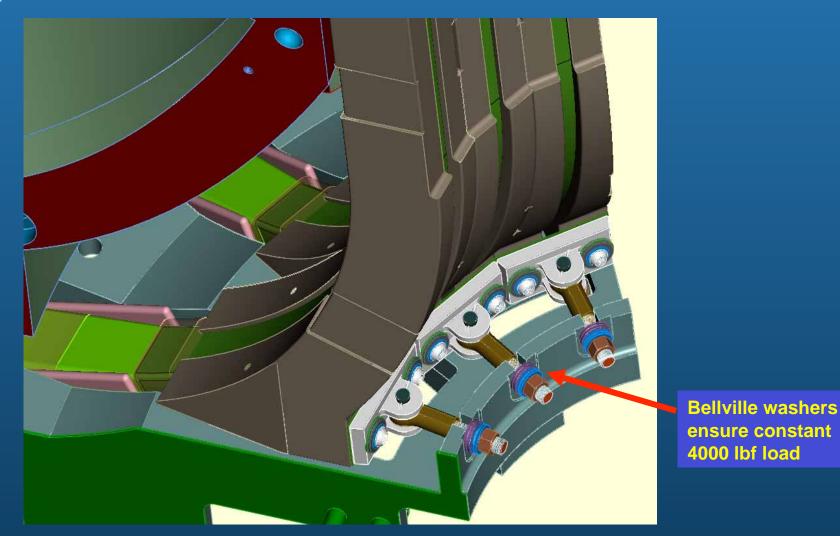
### NCSX

- TF Coils Assembled over Modular Coils
- Centering forces reacted through wedging
- Structure mounted to modular coil winding form reacts out of plane loads



## **Jack Screw Device Added Pulls Coil Forward**

### NCSX



## Winding Pack Insulation Scheme

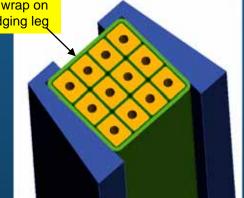
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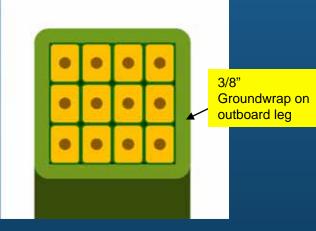
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	Adhesive	0.0015						
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		0.049	Inches	11.58	KV			
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x 21	Glass	0.009		0.81				
		0.375	Inches	33.8	KV			

• Kapton Tape applied directly to conductor to enhance turn to turn dielectric standoff and allow for decoupling of insulation from conductor during cool down.

1/8" Groundwrap on inboard wedging leg

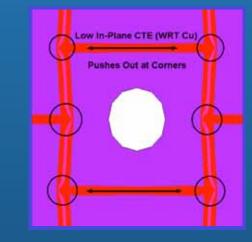
- Inner TF leg ground wrap thickness is 1/8"
- Outer leg of TF coil allows for the use of tough 3/8" ground wrap





## **Stress Analysis Insulation - Testing**

- Analysis showed risk of insulation cracking due to thermal stresses
- Original Plan to resolve thermal stress on winding pack issues
  - Remove Kapton to increase adhesion
  - Test to provide tensile stress allowables
  - Required greater than 10 MPa
- Results from CTD Testing Yielded Poor Results for Tensile strength / adhesion



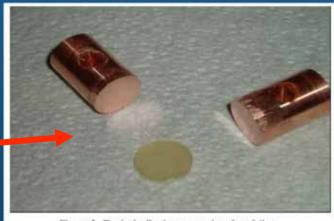


Figure 5. Typical adhesion to metal surface failure.

# **PDR Winding Pack Insulation Scheme**

- Original insulation scheme was reevaluated and evolved to address thermal stress issue
- ½ Lap Layer of Kapton to provide primary dielectric strength
- System to allow loss of adhesion to conductor
- Releasing Kapton layer resolves thermal stress issue.
- Analysis verifies that coil stiffness is adequate after releasing insulation from conductors
- Prototype testing proved out insulation winding pack approach





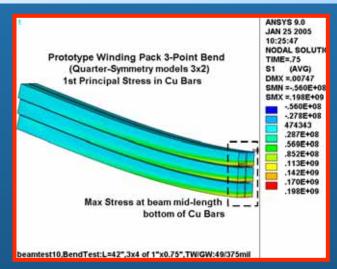
# **Prototype Bar Testing**

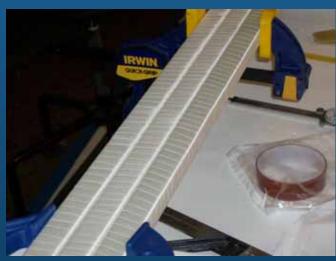
### NCSX

- Prototype bar underwent both thermal and stress cycling
- Proved durability of winding pack design
  - mechanical properties maintained after more than 2x stress at life
  - successful hipot tests

### • Proved validity of FEA as measured by:

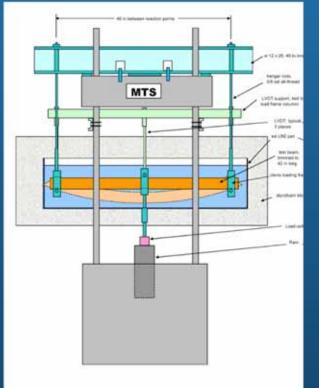
- bench mark of mechanical properties to Bar model before and after cycling of prototype
- While the test bar was not identical to the PF geometry cyclical stresses tested were 5x greater than PF cyclical stresses
- Insulation scheme is identical to PF Coils





### **Testing Prototype Bar, Thermal / Fatigue/ Electrical**

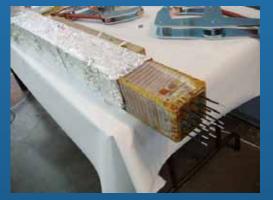
### NCSX



**Test Equipment** 

Sealed Insulation box with test bar Inside





Bar Fitted with Probes for Electrical Testing after Cycling

Test Bar in the fixture with insulation box



## Lead Redesign – PDR Design = High Stresses

### NCSX

• PDR Lead Design Produced stresses as high as 300MPa

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• Lead Area was redesigned and analyzed

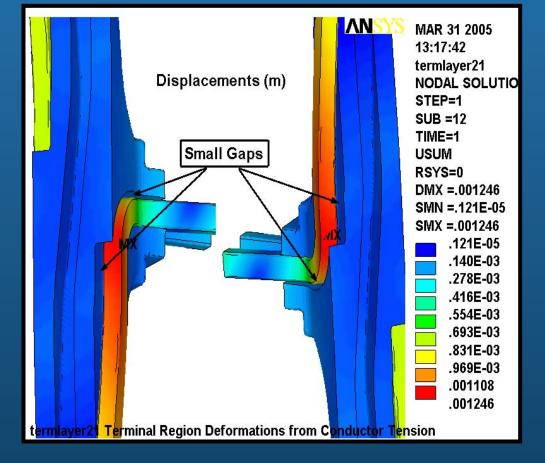
**Tensile Loading Produces Bending** 

3" bend radius

Irom Conductor Tensio

Stresses on the inside surface of

termlayer21 Terminal Str





## Lead Redesign – Stress Analysis Cu

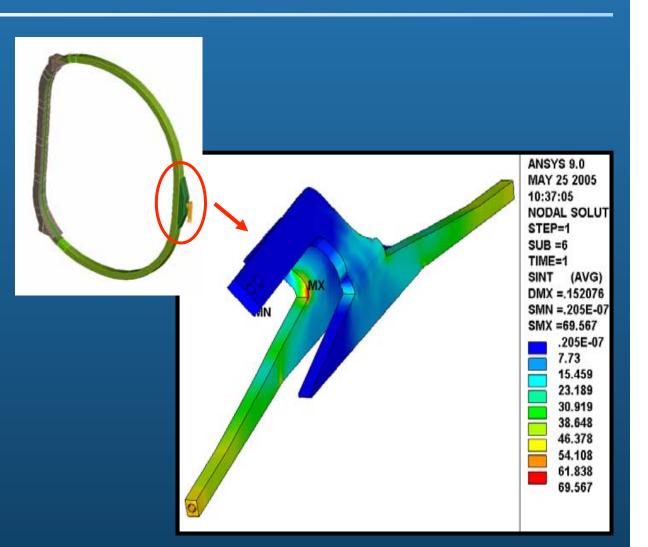
#### NCSX

• Redesigned lead area lowers maximum copper stress from 300 MPa to 70 MPa

• This compares to a maximum allowable stress of 270 MPa (1.5Sm)

• The equivalent alternating stress is only 27 MPa which easily meets the fatigue design requirement

• Annealing of Braze area is addressed in specification



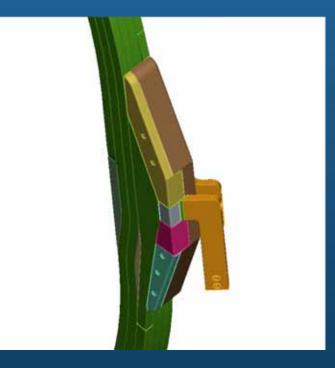
# Lead Design – FDR Design



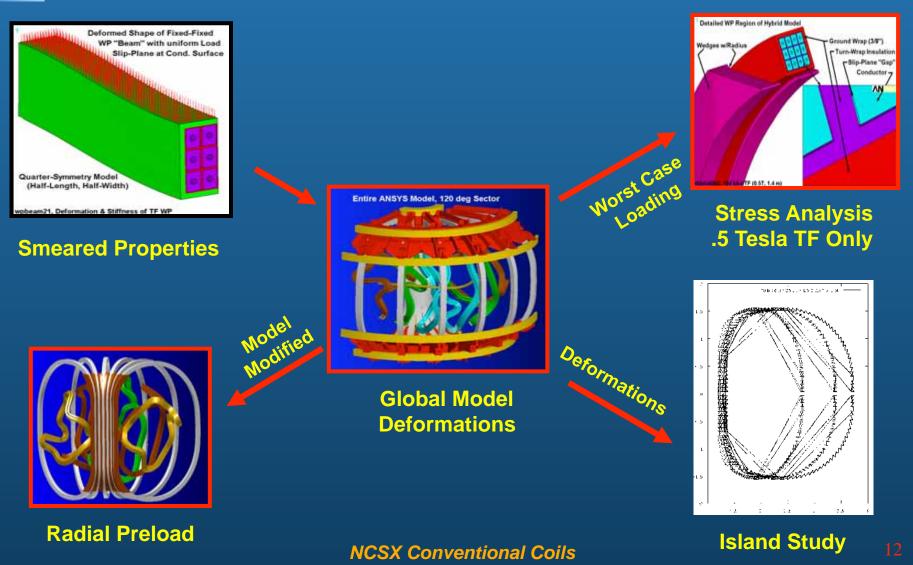
NCSX

• G11 Pins help carry shear load

- Lead Spur added to distribute stresses
- Lead Blocks transfer load to opposing lead spur



## **Evolution of Structural Design Calculations (PDR)**



# Deflections Produce some non-ideal Flux Islands (as analyzed by A. Brooks)

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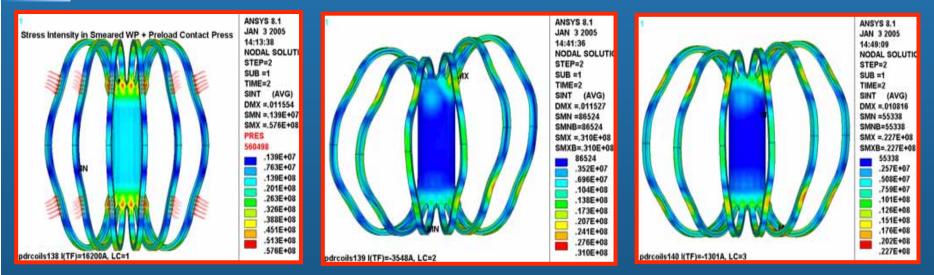
\* Global requirement is that toroidal flux in island regions shall not exceed 10%
\* Leads and Transitions must have a less than 1% effect on toroidal flux in island regions

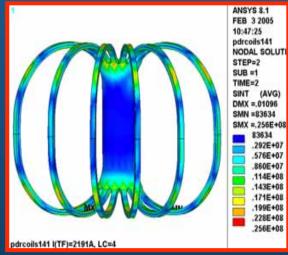
- Effects of islands analyzed for original and new insulation scheme
- Island size due to these deflections are within 1% requirement for individual systems chosen to satisfy overall 10% requirement
- Separate analysis shows islands from leads and transitions are well below 1% requirement

Island Siz	e, % Total Flux				
			Resonance		
ID	Scenario	3/5	6/10	3/6	
tfdisp25	TF @ 0.5T	0.02	0.00	0.00	2x6 Winding
tfdisp26	1.7T Ohmic	0.23	0.10	0.11	10/26/04
tfdisp27	2.0T High Beta	0.10	0.04	0.04	
tfdisp29	TF @ 0.5T	0.01	0.00	0.00	3x4 Winding
tfdisp30	1.7T Ohmic	0.35	0.13	0.15	12/16/04
tfdisp31	2.0T High Beta	0.24	0.08	0.09	12/10/04
tfdisp38	TF @ 0.5T	0.02	0.00	0.00	3x4 Winding
tfdisp39	1.7T Ohmic	0.40	0.13	0.15	<b>U</b>
tfdisp40	2.0T High Beta	0.27	0.08	0.09	12/30/04

## Global Model Gives Indication of Relative Stress Level Among Worst Case Time Points

#### NCSX





LC1(0.5 T TF): 58 MPa LC2 (1.7T Ohmic): 31MPa LC3(2T High-β): 23 MPa LC4(320kA Ohmic): 26 MPa

# **TF Manufacturing Process**





- Winding
- Induction Brazing
- Wedge Magnetic Permeability
- Vacuum Impregnation
- Coil Geometry Maintained Within Tolerances
- Precise Wedge Cut of front leg
- Electrical Testing Successful
- Final Hi-Pot Testing at Cryogenic Temperature





## **Fabrication of TF Coil Assemblies**

### NCSX



First Coil -Final Cryogenic Electrical Testing

Second Coil — Machine cut of Wedge

Third Coil ready for Vacuum Impregnation

Fourth Coil **•** Winding







### **Planarity Geometry Check**

### NCSX

• Height of center line of coil checked against the center plane of the coil and deviations are recorded. quality assurance

### Wedge Geometry



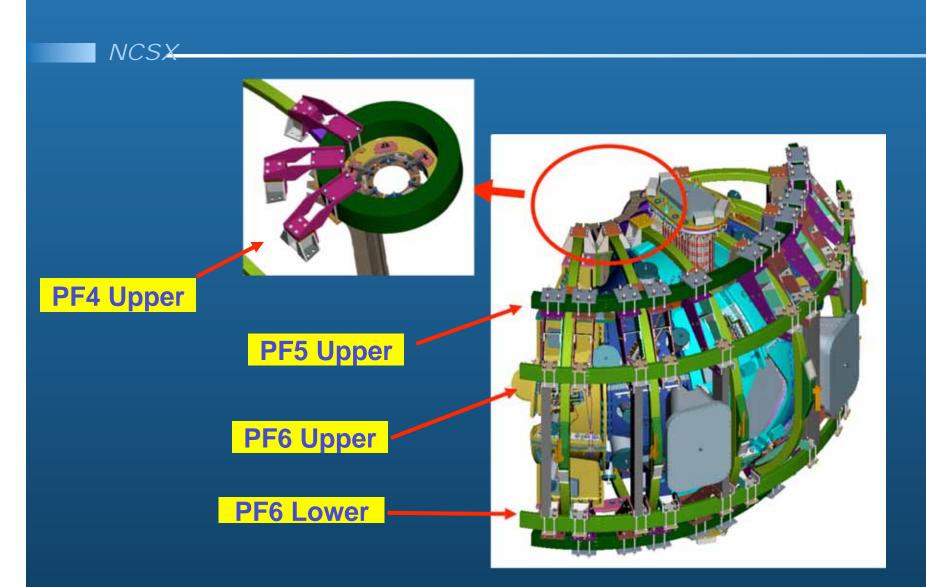
- The remaining coil geometry is located with respect to the axis described by the intersecting wedge planes by referencing back to an inspected point on the fixture
- The true position tolerance with respect to flatness and planarity of the wedge cut is inspected using a probe on the CNC machine

A precisely machined wedge template is used to inspect the wedge angle as well as the location of coil with respect to the intersecting axis formed by the angle





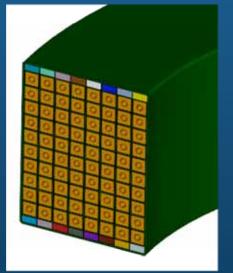


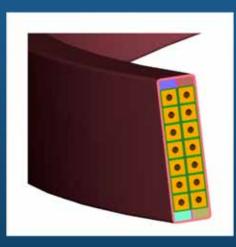


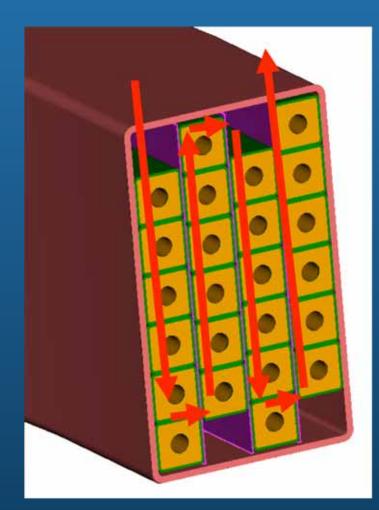
## **PF Coil Cross Section**

### NCSX

- **PF Coils of conventional design**
- Rectangular cross section
- Round Geometry

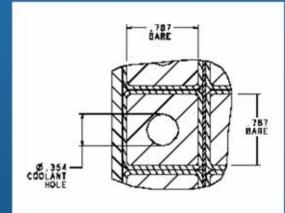


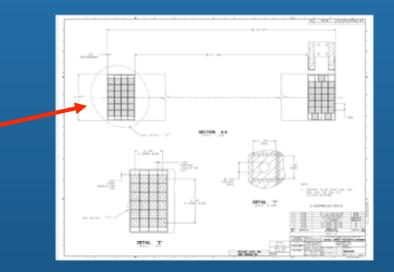




## **PF Coils, Conductor**

### NCSX



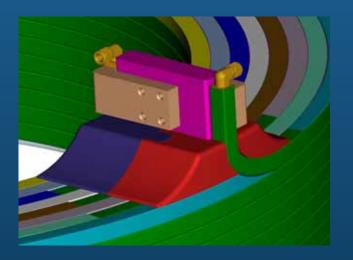


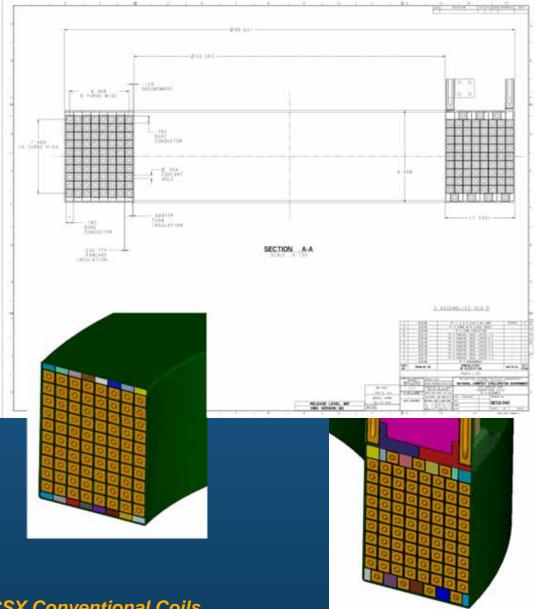


• A single copper conductor size is used for all three different types of PF coils to simplify their manufacture and reduce costs. 

## **PF4 Geometry**

- NCSX
- Turns •
  - **= 80**
- **Outer Diameter** ۲ = 49 inches
- **Cross Section** ٠ = 10 x 7.5 inches
- **Conductor Length** • = 861 ft





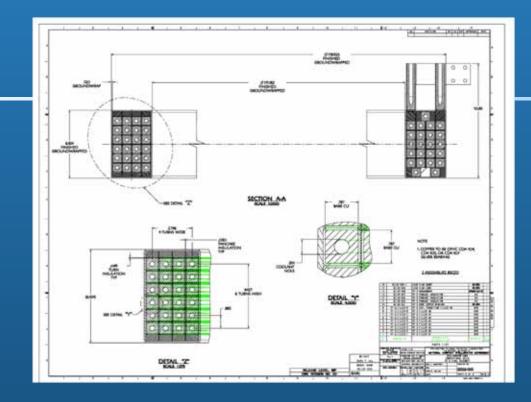
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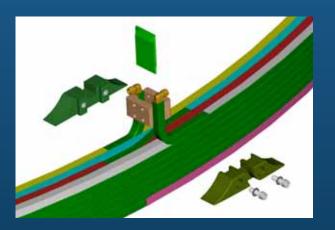
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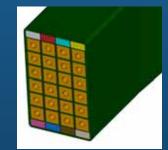
• Turns

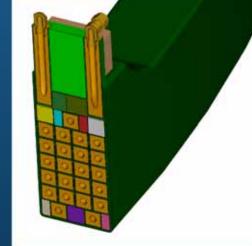
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- Outer Diameter = 179 inches
- Cross Section = 7.7 x 6.4 inches
- Conductor Length = 1100 ft









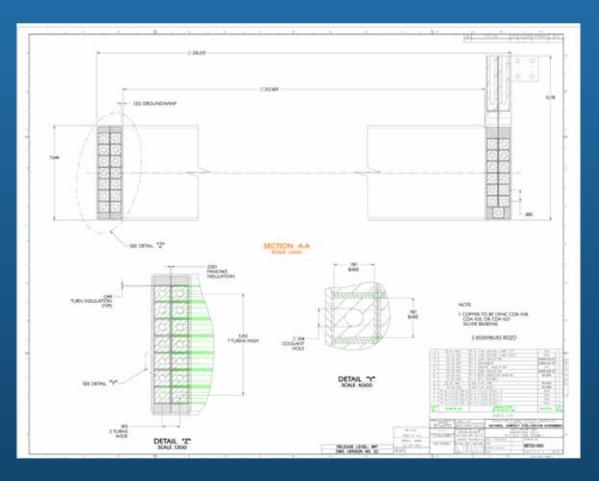
## **PF6 Geometry**

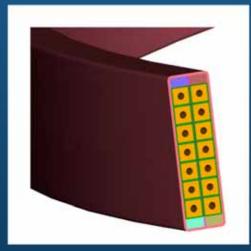
### NCSX

• Turns

= 14

- Outer Diameter = 216 inches
- Cross Section = 7.3 x 2.0 inches
- Conductor Length = 786 ft

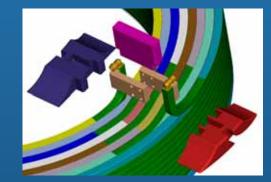


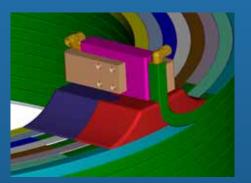


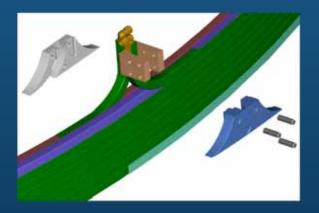
## **Lead Blocks**

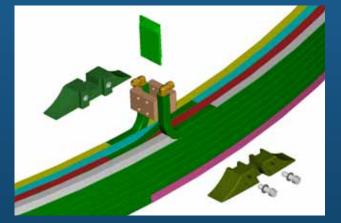
### NCSX

- Leads Locked together by G11 Blocks
- Forces on leads very low on the order of 10 lbs excluding exterior fields









## Winding Pack Insulation Design

#### NCSX

<b>PF Turn Insulaton</b>					
1/2 Lap Layer Kapton	Kapton	0.002		7.8	
	Adhesive	0.0015			
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	Adhesive	0.0015			
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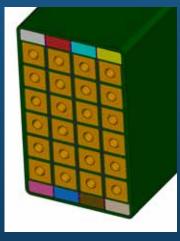
Kapton Tape applied directly to conductor to enhance turn to turn dielectric standoff and allow for decoupling of insulation from conductor during cool down.





 Generous 3/8" of ground wrap applied to provide "bullet proof" protection to prevent unforeseen potential damage



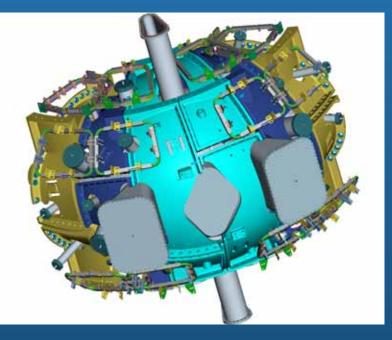


# Manufacturability - Manufacturing Tolerances

- Requirement = In plane and out of plane installed perturbations shall be less than +/- 3mm
- Coil specification will require +/- 1.5mm using half of the allowable installed tolerance budget
- D Shaped NCSX TF Coils have been manufactured to about a +/-1.5mm tolerance in their free state but a guarantee of that over the larger diameters for the PF Coils is not guaranteed
- Coil as it is removed from the VPI mold will be within +/- 1mm but coil is likely to distort in it's free state
- Support structure must be capable of re-shaping coil as required
- Coils can be positioned during installation to average out of tolerance conditions

# **Trim Coil Configuration**

### NCSX



- 48 Coils
- Only two coil types
- All Coils Planar
- Top bottom symmetric half period patterns



### 48 Coil Trim Coil Configuration Meets Design Design Point **Objective with Margin**

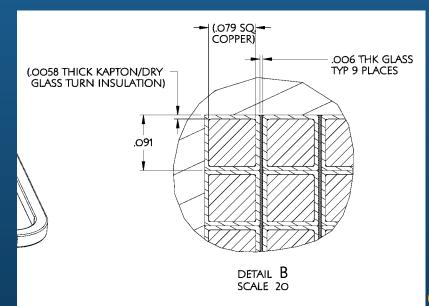
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Total					
	Number	Total Island		Total Island	
Trim Coil Configuration	Coils	Size	Max Current	Size	Max Current
		%Total Flux	kA-T	%Total Flux	kA-T
Original 36 coils, 24 circuits	36	4.42	8.34	3.35	10.00
Original with 12 Midplane Coils	48	4.41	7.85	2.55	10.00
All Inner/Outer Coils Only (as Modified)	54	4.30	9.96	2.87	10.00
All Inner/Outer Coils Only (as Modified)	48	4.29	11.36		
(but without Outer AA)		6,95	10.00		
All Inner/Outer & Midplane Coils	66	4.26	9.21	2.17	10.00
All Inner/Outer & Midplane Coils	60	4.25	9.56	2.17	10.00
(but without Outer AA)	00	1.20	0.00		
All Inner/Outer Coils (port12 split)	60	4.47	10.00	2.89	10.00
(with Outer AA Coils)	00	4.21	10.30	2.05	10.00
All Inner/Outer Coils (port12 split)	54	7.98	10.00	3.00	10.00
	54			3.00	10.00
(without Outer AA Coils)		4.18	11.88		
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All Inner/Outer Coils (port12 split)	48		10.00	3.12	10.00
(without Outer AA and CC Coils)		4.06	12.25		
Above Dive Winge Distorted (40 mile				2.00	10.00
Above Plus Wings Distorted +40 mils		-	-	3.88	10.00
(Stellarator Symmetric) -40 mils			-	3.88	10.00
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(1 HP Only, Non Stellarator Sym)					

# **Trim Coil Requirements**

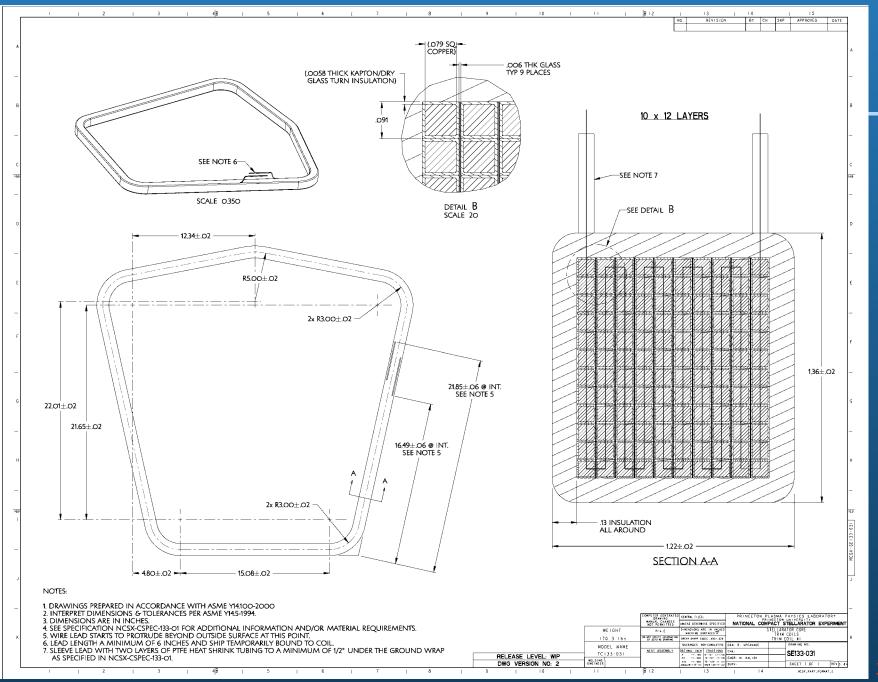
- Meet Requirements when subjected to GRD reference scenarios
- Island Suppression 10%
  - 20 kAmp Turns
  - 48 Coil Configuration
- Thermal Excursions and Stress within limits
  - 2 second pulse every 15 minutes
  - 167 amps
- Withstand Operating Voltages
  - Max Operating Voltage 1.0kV
  - Design Standoff Voltage to Ground of 6.7 kV
  - Design Standoff Voltage Turn to Turn of 1.0 kV
- Winding Tolerances
  - Installed tolerance +/-12mm
  - Fabrication tolerance +/- 6mm
  - Location measured to within 2mm

## Winding Pack Insulation Scheme

- Kapton Tape applied directly to conductor to enhance turn to turn dielectric standoff
- One half lap layer of glass to allow for epoxy impregnation
- Additional .006" thk by 1" wide glass between layers to wick epoxy



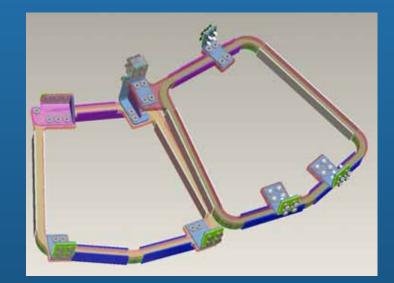
	Trim Ground Wrap					
	1/2 Lap Layer Dry Glass	Glass	0.006		0.54	
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		Glass	0.006		0.54	
			0.12	Inches	10.8	KV
	Trim Turn to Turn					
	1/2 Lap Layer Dry Glass	Glass	0.0012		0,108	
		Glass	0.0012		0.108	
		Kapton	0.0017		7.7	
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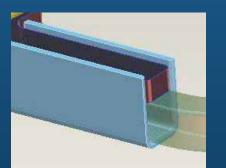


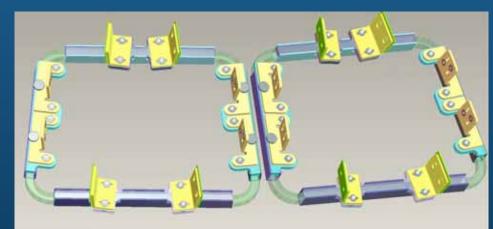
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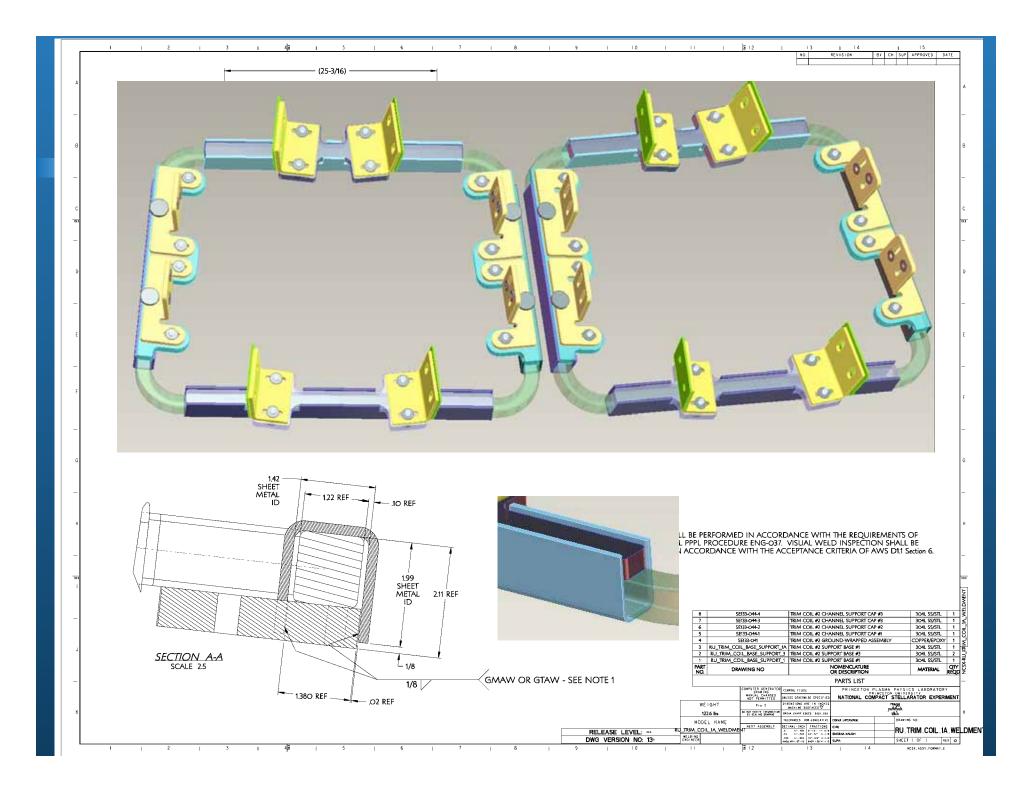
### NCSX

- Coil Assemblies assembled off line and then bolted to TF and PF Coils supports
- Brackets offer 3 degrees of adjustment
- Custom shimming may be required to correct for angle in one plane only
- With all frames accurately machined a representative aluminum template can be used to pre-fab shims if required





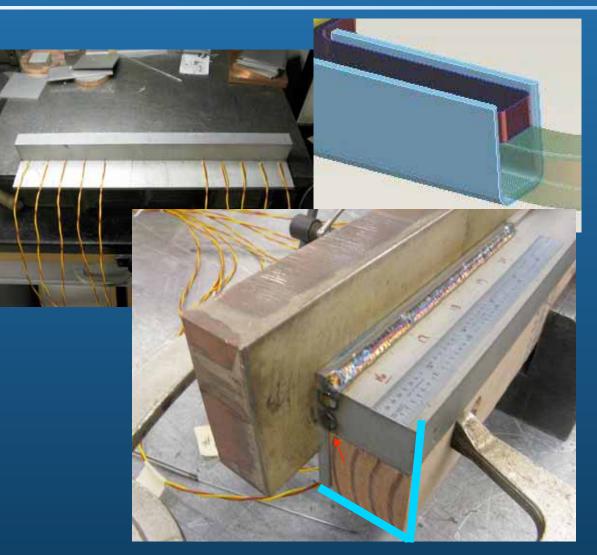




# **R&D Weld Testing Setup**

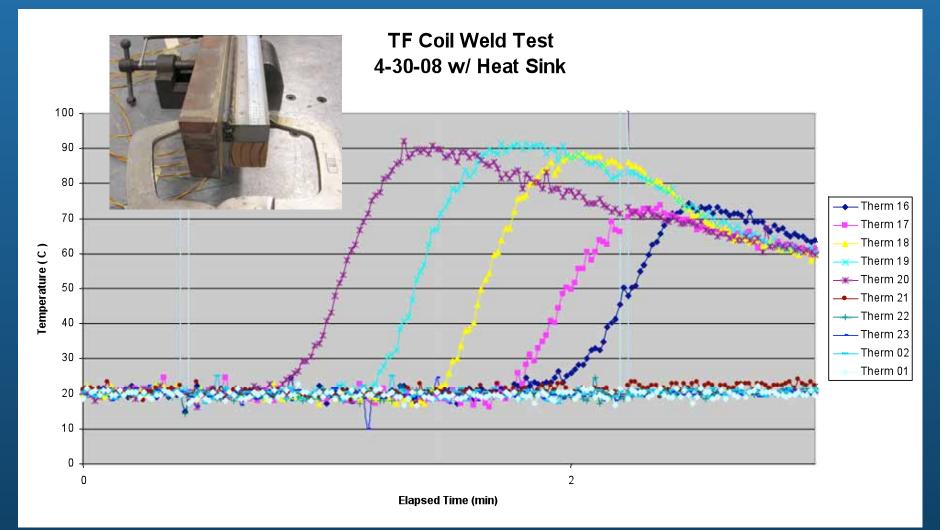
### NCSX

- Testing to assure U Channel welding did not exceed 120C at coil surface
- Wooden Block assembled to mockup of Coil Structure
- Ten thermocouples record temperature
- Method and results logged for assembly procedure



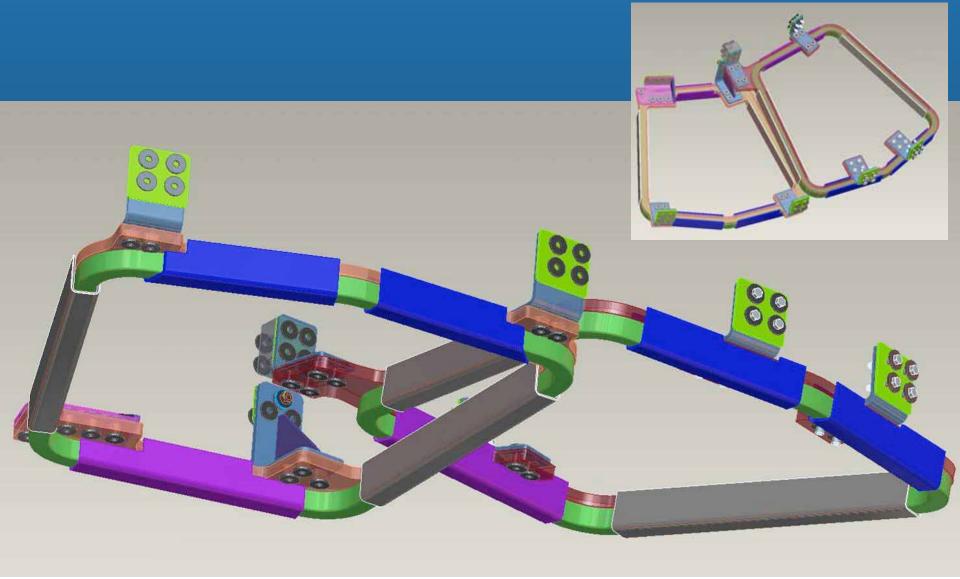
## **R&D Weld Testing- With Heat Sink**

### NCSX



# **Structural Design Upper / Lower Coils**

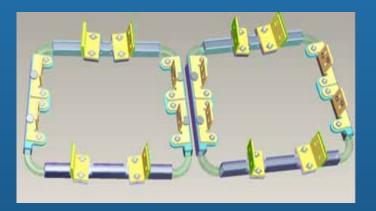


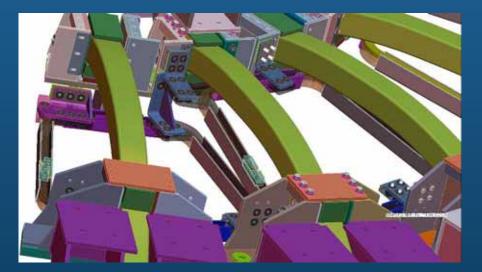


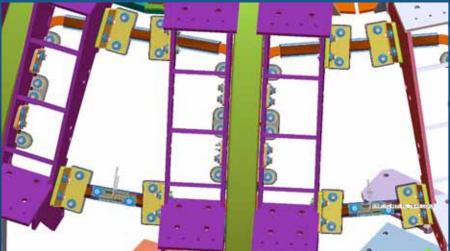
# **Structural Design - Installed**

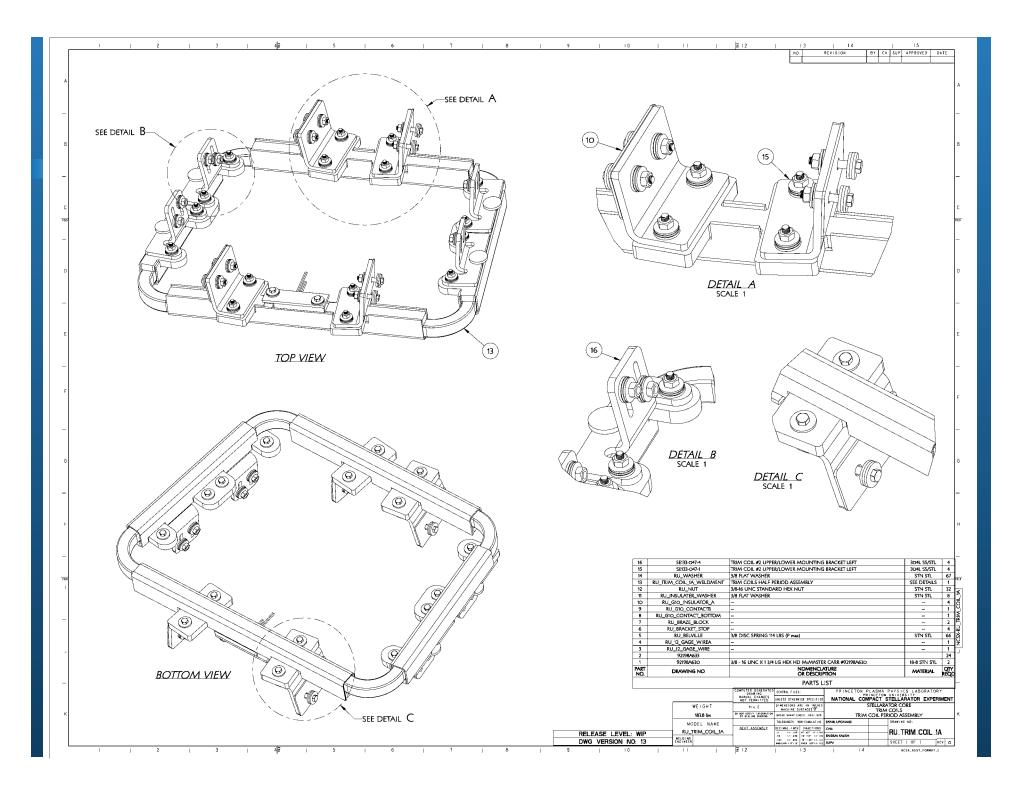








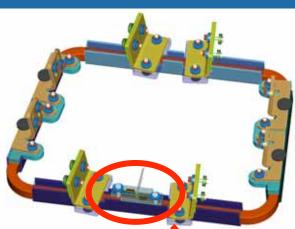




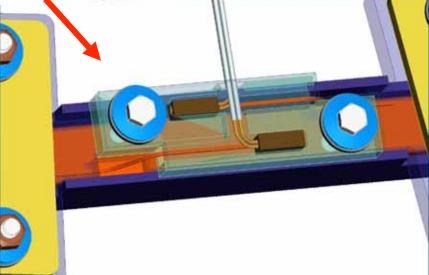
# **Coil Leads Supports**

### NCSX

- Leads protrude from a notch in the <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inch support plate
- Leads are sleeved with Teflon for improved dielectric standoff
- Leads and Trim Coil cables are brazed into a copper transition block
- G11 blocks strain relieve leads and cable transition







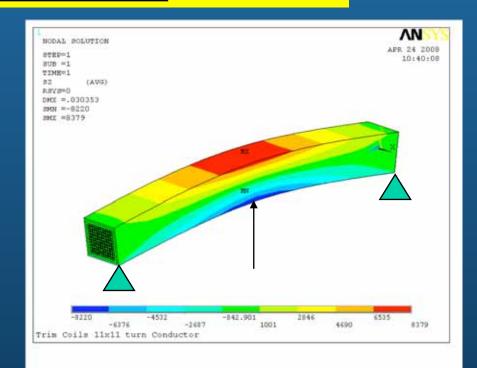
### Conductor Modeled with Equivalent Properties calculated from Flexural Modulus Simulation

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	E, Mpsi Sz	z, p <b>s</b> i	E, Mpsi	Sz, psi	Sz/Sz	Sz/Sz_max
Cu Wire	17	18390	5.85	6620	2.78	2.19
Insulation	1.5	2111	5.85	8379	0.25	0.25

- Detailed Model of 120 Turn Coil
- Distinct Elements for Copper and Glass Insulation
- Equivalent properties used for large composite model
- Results from composite model scaled to determine maximum stresses



## Load Cases Investigated for EM Forces

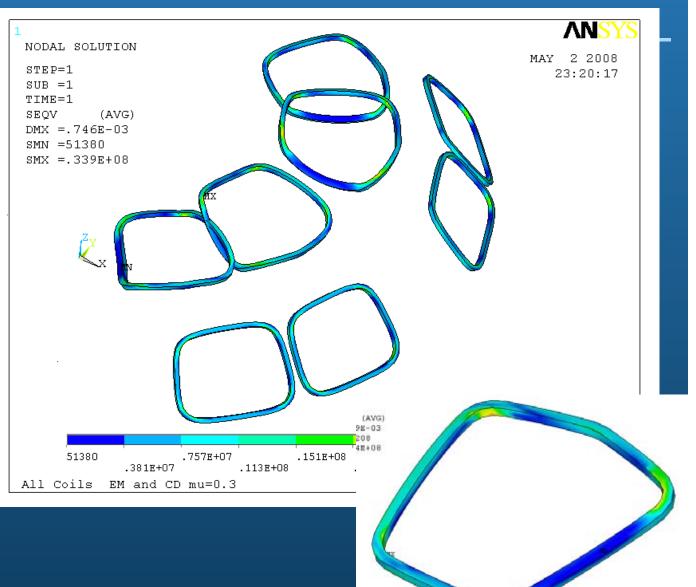
- All GRD Load Cases at Multiple (5) time points
- Additional Flexibility Cases
   Identified by Physics
  - lota Scan (2)
  - Shear Scan (2)
- Max Running Loads Found
  - 80 lb/in Inner Coils
  - 60 lb/in Outer Coils
- Subsequent analysis is run for the worst load case iota .19 case

- 2T High Beta
- 1.7T High beta
- 1.2T Long Pulse
- 1.7T Ohmic
- 320KA Ohmic
- 0.5 T TF
- Iota/Shear Scan
  - iota -0.10
  - iota 0.19 (High TF Field)
  - iota +0.20
  - iota 0.65

## **Conductor Stress Result**

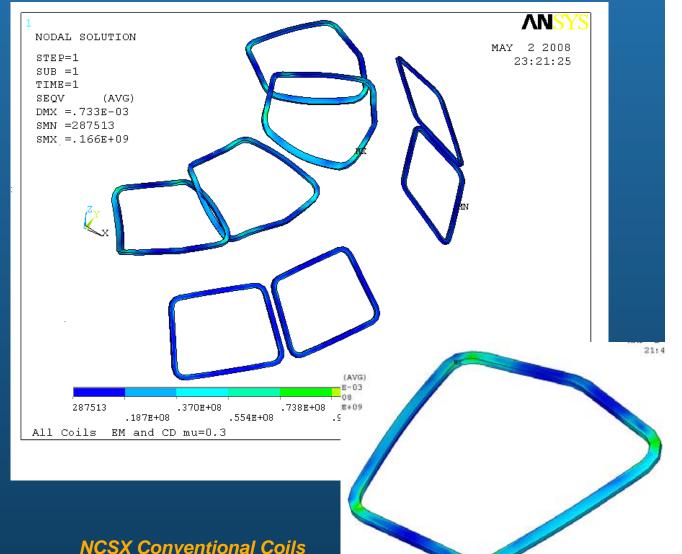
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- EM only= 7.3Ksi
- EM only allowable= 1.5Sm=10.3ksi (at 77K for local bending)
- Cool Down only= 8ksi
- CD only allowable 3xSm=20.7ksi (for secondary thermal stress + primary)
- CD+EM= 10.7ksi
- Allowable 3xSm=20.7ksi (for secondary thermal stress + primary)



## 3/4" Support Plate Stress Result

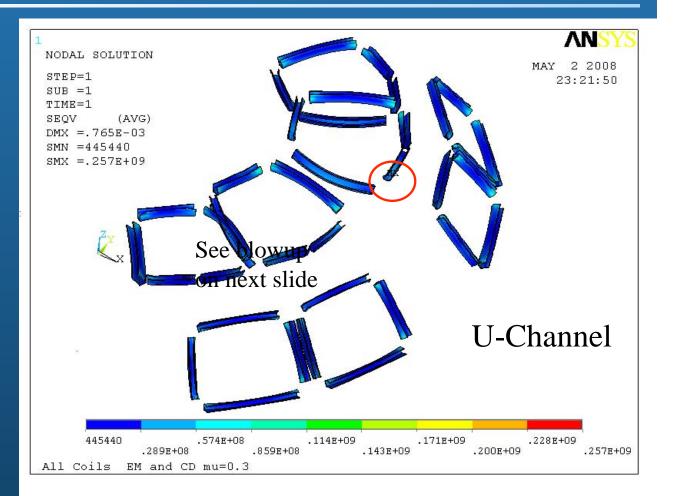
- EM only= **11.3ksi**
- EM only allowable= Sm=20.0ksi (Primary Member Stress)
- Cool Down only= 16.7ksi
- Allowable 3xSm=60.0ksi (for secondary thermal stress + primary)
- CD+EM= 23.7ksi
- Allowable 3xSm=60.0ksi (for secondary thermal stress + primary)



## **U Channel Stress Result**

#### NCSX

- EM only= **16.6** ksi
- Allowable= 1.5Sm=35.0ksi (Primary Member Stress)
- Cool Down only= 26.9ksi
- Allowable 3xSm=60.0ksi (for secondary thermal stress + primary)
- CD+EM= 36.7ksi
- Allowable 3xSm=60.0ksi (for secondary thermal stress + primary)
- Element Average Stress is only 30% of Max Stress Result 36.7ksi→10.9ksi



### **Coil Cooling Analysis**

## **Comfortable Design Margins With Convection Cooling**

- Requirement
  - 2 second pulse every 15 minutes
  - 20 Kamp Turns
  - Equivalent average power of 27 watts
- For 120 Turn Coil With 2mm Conductor (10X20)
  - Convection cooling adequate
  - Temperature increase per pulse is only approx.= 2.6 C
  - Equilibrium reached with temperature rise approx.= 9.0C
- Margin Available
  - Doubling the current to 40 amp turns
  - Equivalent Average Power of 107 watts
  - Temperature increase per pulse is only approx.= 10.3 C
  - Equilibrium reached with temp. rise approx.= 35C

