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Magnets for Scattering & Axion Detection

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Axion Basics

~95% of the universe is believed to consist of dark matter & energy.

Axions are one of several candidate particles that might constitute dark matter.

The Power of some axion detectors is given:

$$P = \kappa g V \frac{Q}{m_a} \rho_a g_{a\gamma}^2 B_e^2$$

Approximate as $B_0^2 V$: square of central field multiplied by volume of detector.

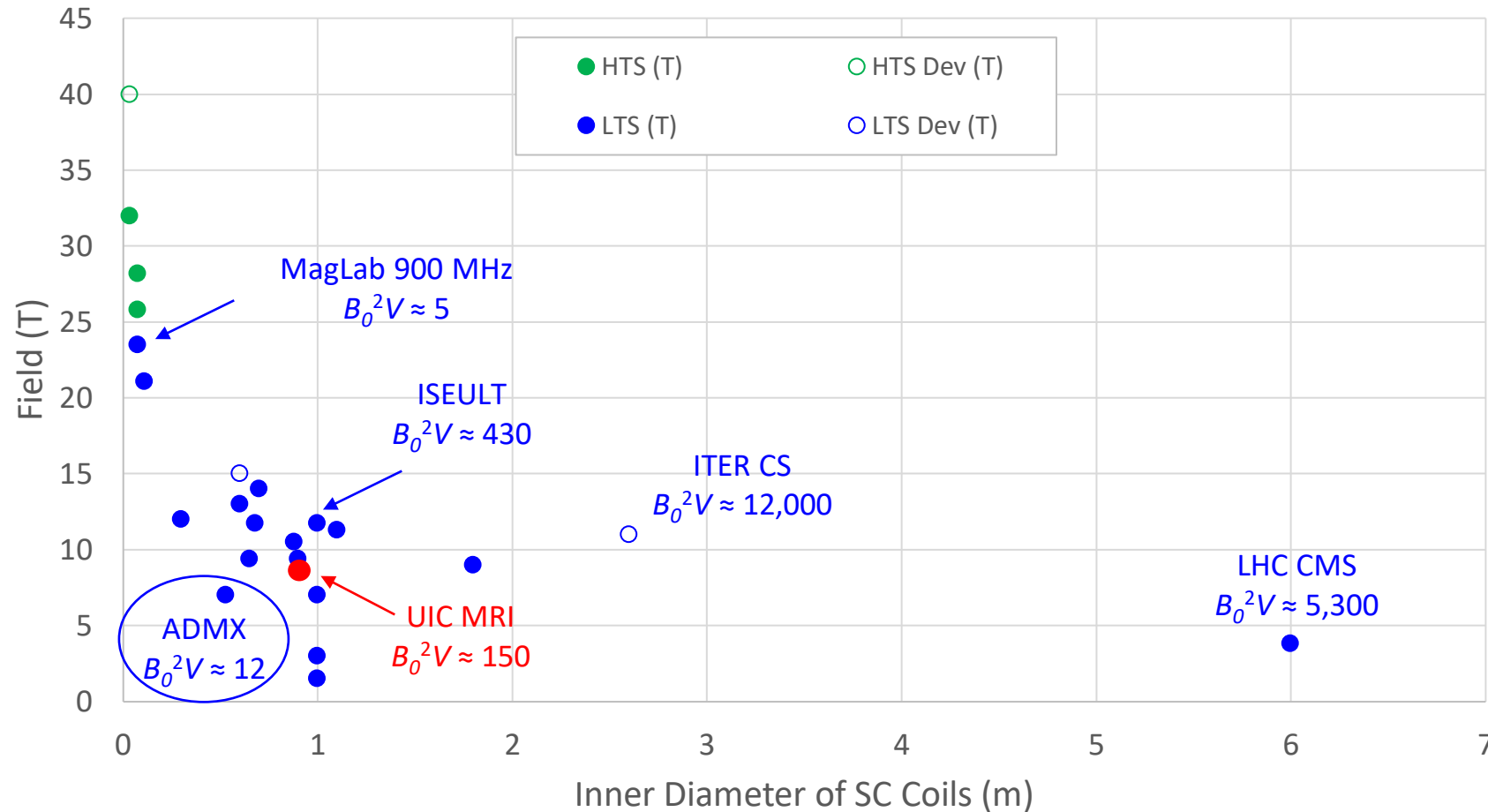
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Field vs Bore of some Superconducting Solenoids Worldwide



To maximize B_0^2V : ITER CS
(11 T, 2.6 m,
~12,000 T²m³).

To get higher B_0^2V than the
existing ADMX: UHF MRI
magnet.

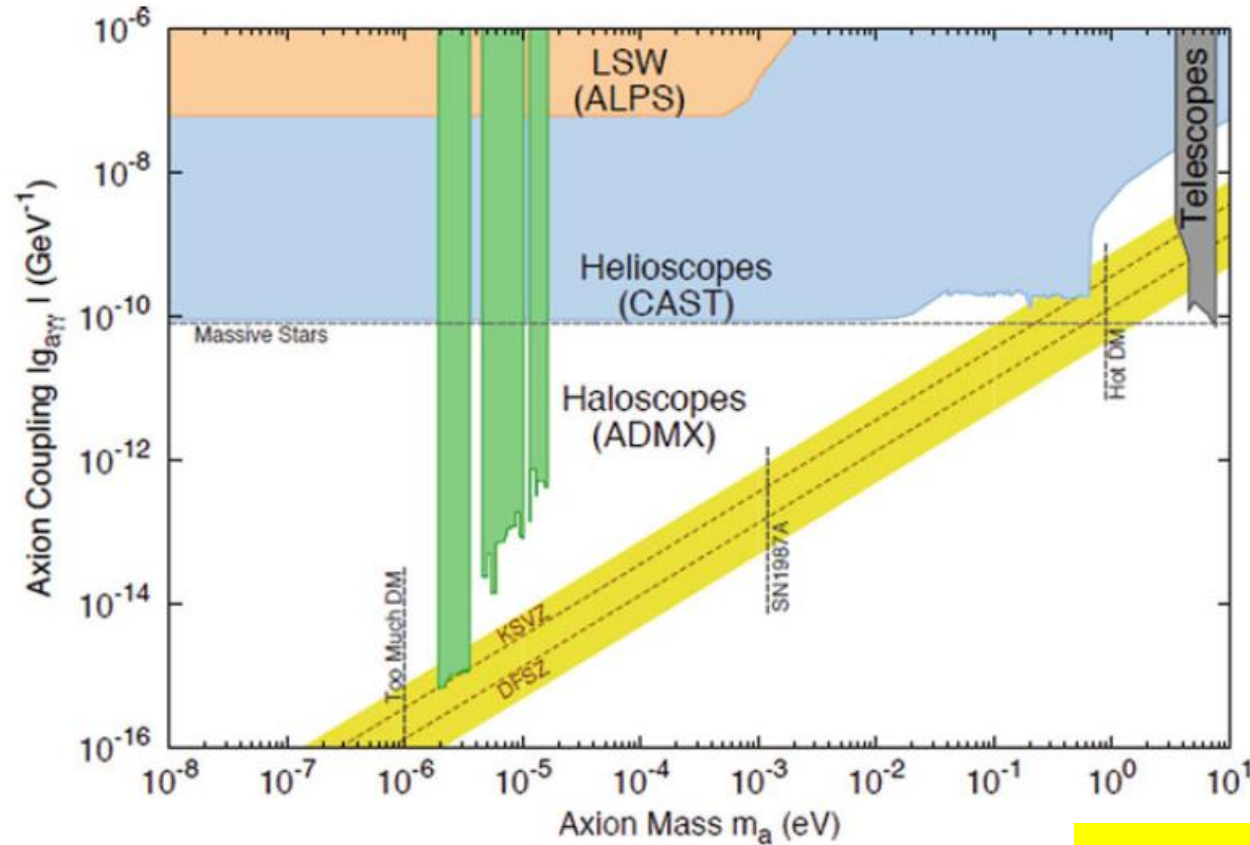
ADMX recently acquired a
9.4T MRI magnet built by
Magnex/GE and owned by
the University of Illinois at
Chicago (UIC). (150 T²m³)

LTS = Low Temperature Superconductors (NbTi, Nb₃Sn)

HTS = High Temperature Superconductors (REBCO, Bi-2223, Bi-2212)



Some Limitations in the Resonator Size for Sikivie Haloscope



The Axion is expected to have a mass between 10^{-6} and 10^{-3} eV.

Diameters of ADMX rf cavities

Existing cavity	0.40 m
Cavity required for next octave	0.07 m

We can only slave a few cavities together.

Next generation magnet for ADMX should have a bore of ~ 0.15 m with as high a field as possible (~ 30 T?). Similar to 40 T project.

Plasmonic Haloscope

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~~Sikivie haloscope (1983)~~ = radio frequency (rf) cavity

~~(Axion Dark Matter eXperiment = ADMX)~~

Plasmonic haloscope (2019) = array of parallel metamaterials wires

(Axion Longitudinal Plasma Haloscope = ALPHA) (Frank Wilczek)

If the Plasmonic Haloscope works as intended, its resonator will not have the size limitation of the Sikivie Haloscope.

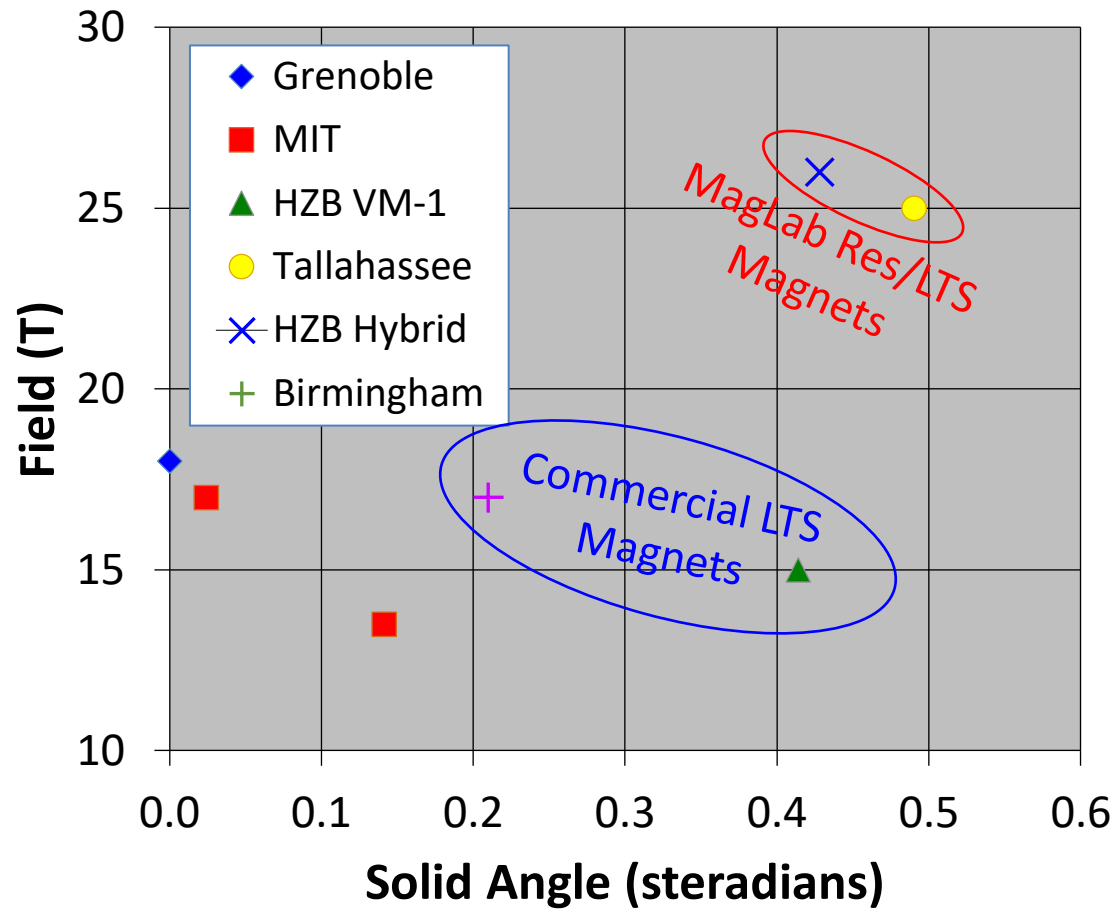
Next generation magnet for ALPHA should:

Maximize $B_0^2 V$ subject to a cost constraint.

Similar to our hybrid outserts.

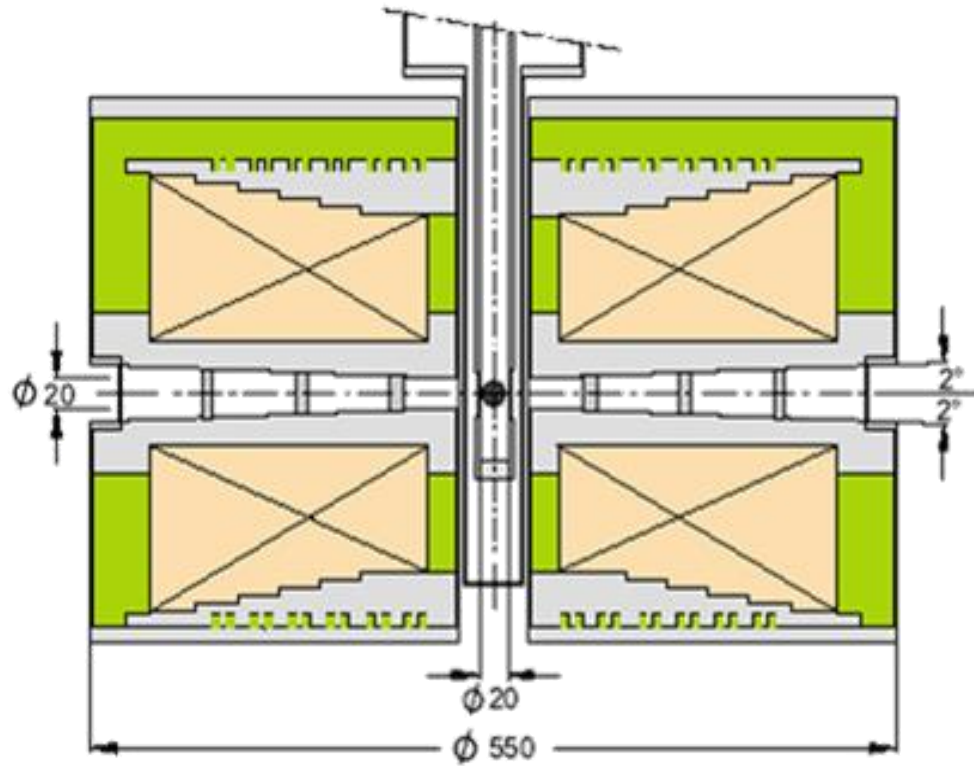
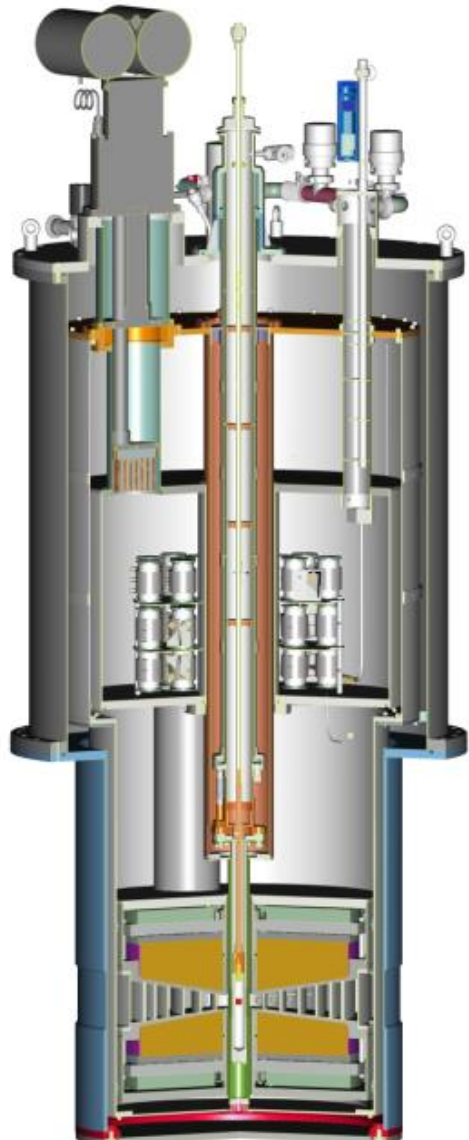


State of The Art for Scattering Magnets

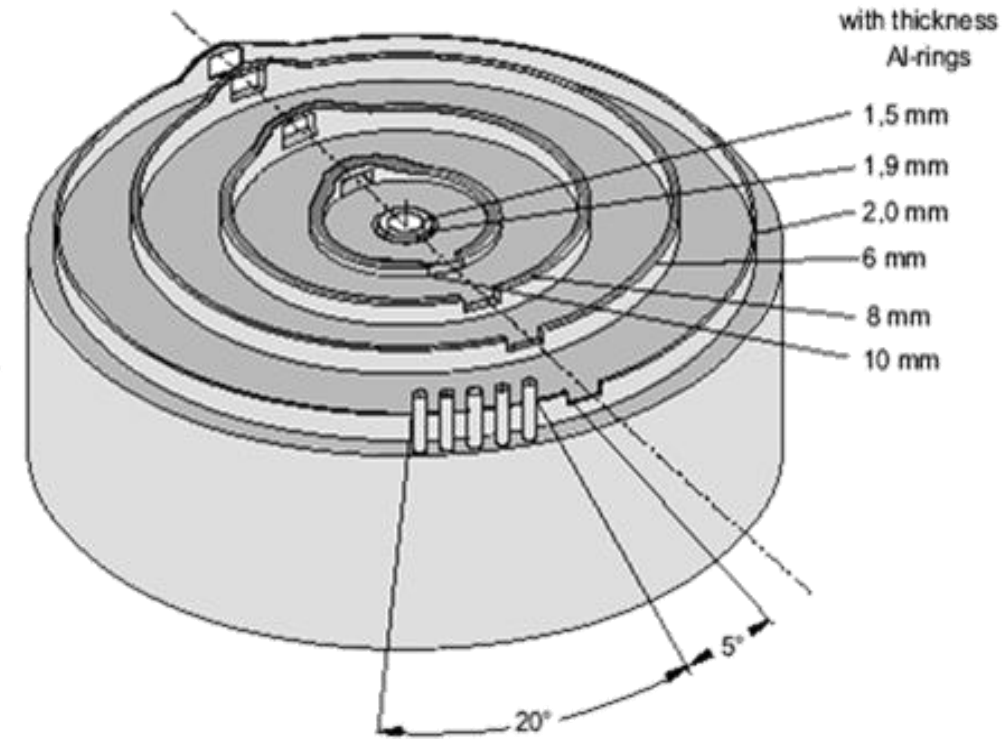


Vertical Field Split Magnets

15 T SC Vertical Field Split-Pair for Neutron Scattering



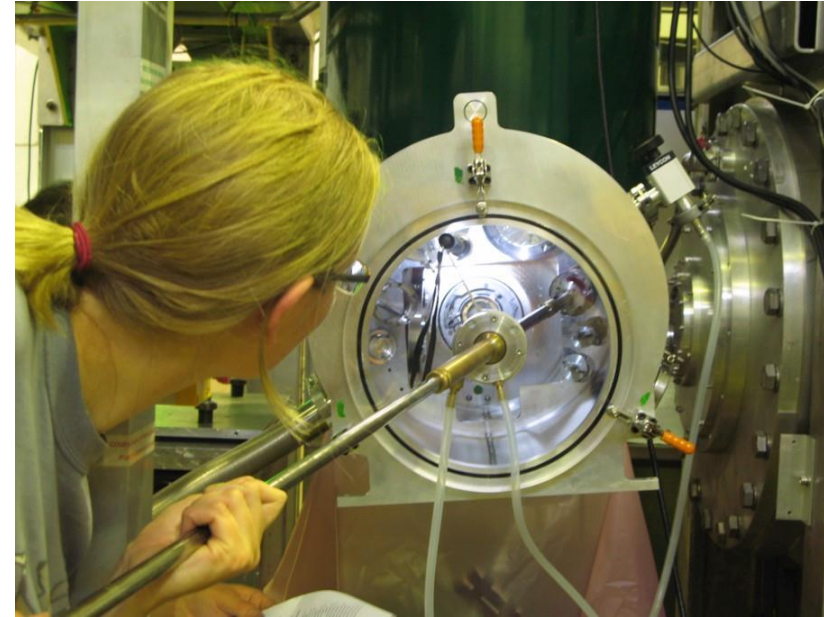
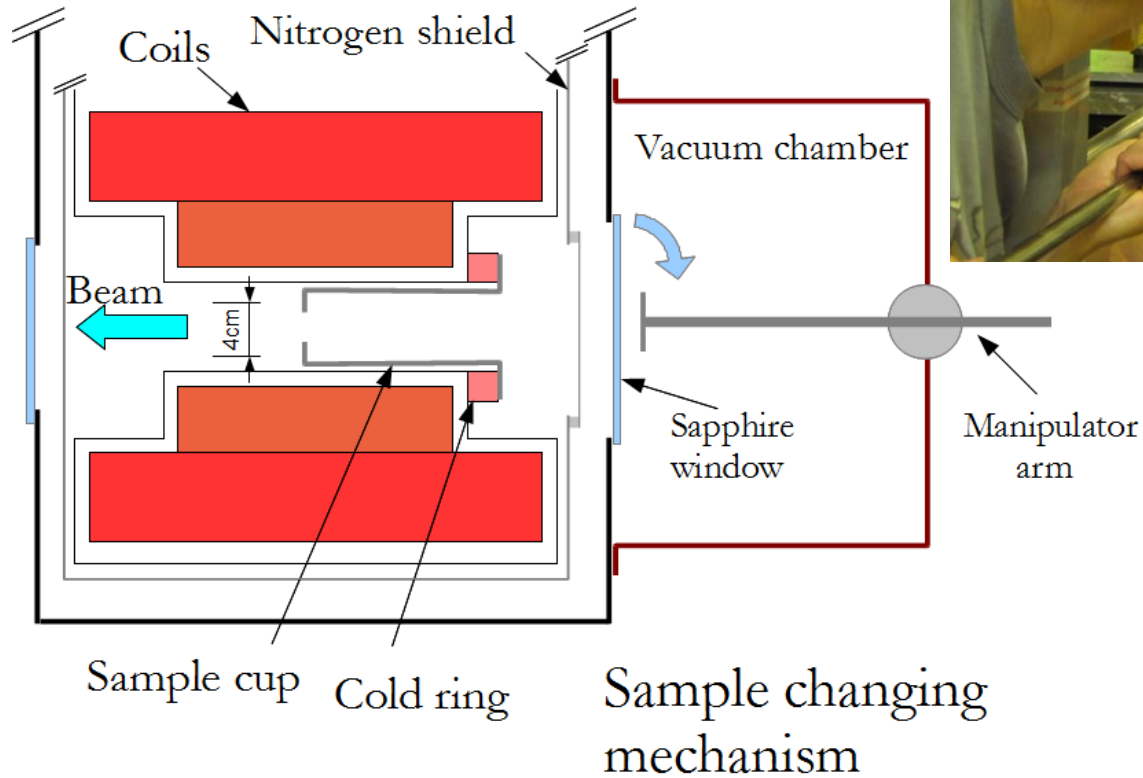
Similar magnets for x-rays use “wedges” instead of “rings”.



Horizontal Field Magnet with Conical Bore



Sample change is possible with magnet cold

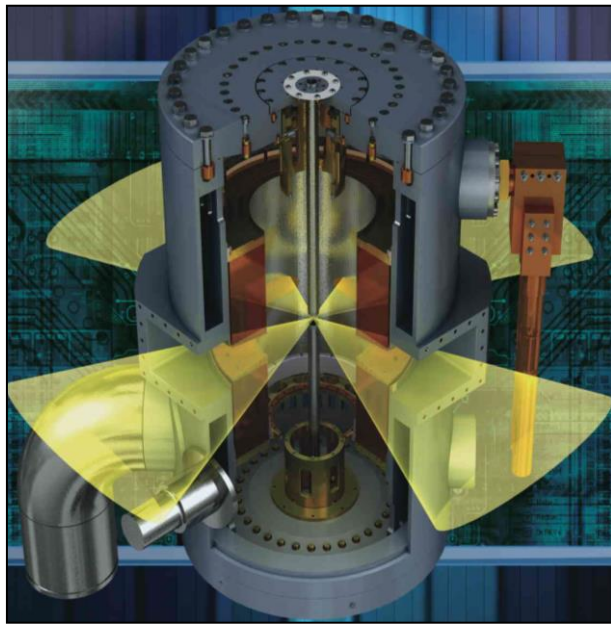


17 T SC Magnet for x-ray or Neutron scattering.

MagLab Split Resistive Magnet:

25 T, 28 MW

4 ports of 45° for fsec Optics, Raman, THz, X-rays

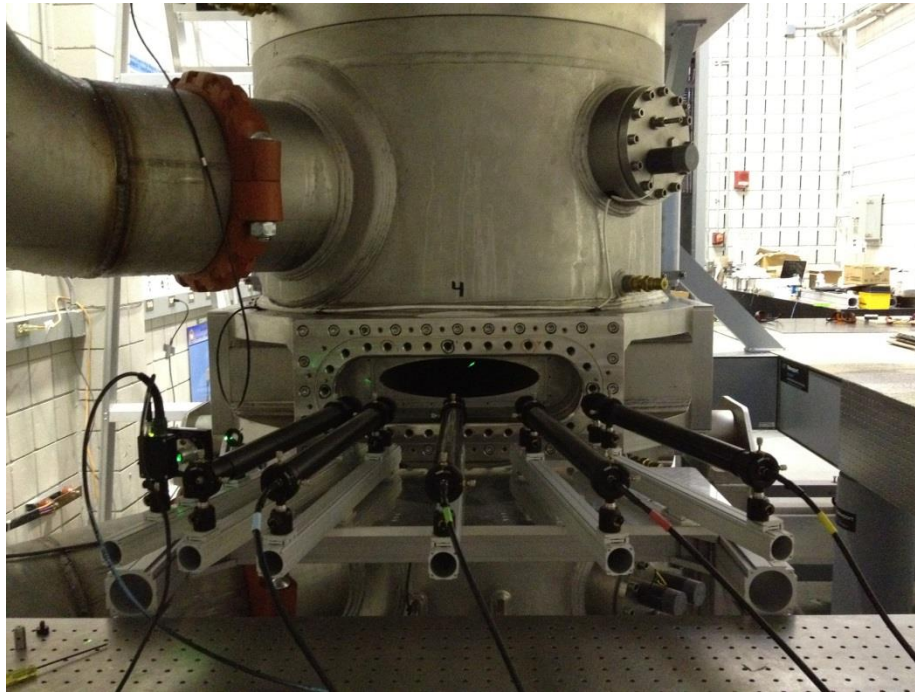


~1m



June 2011

New Technology:
Split Florida-Helix to
wrap coils around
vacuum space.



**Operational Since June
2011, Tallahassee**

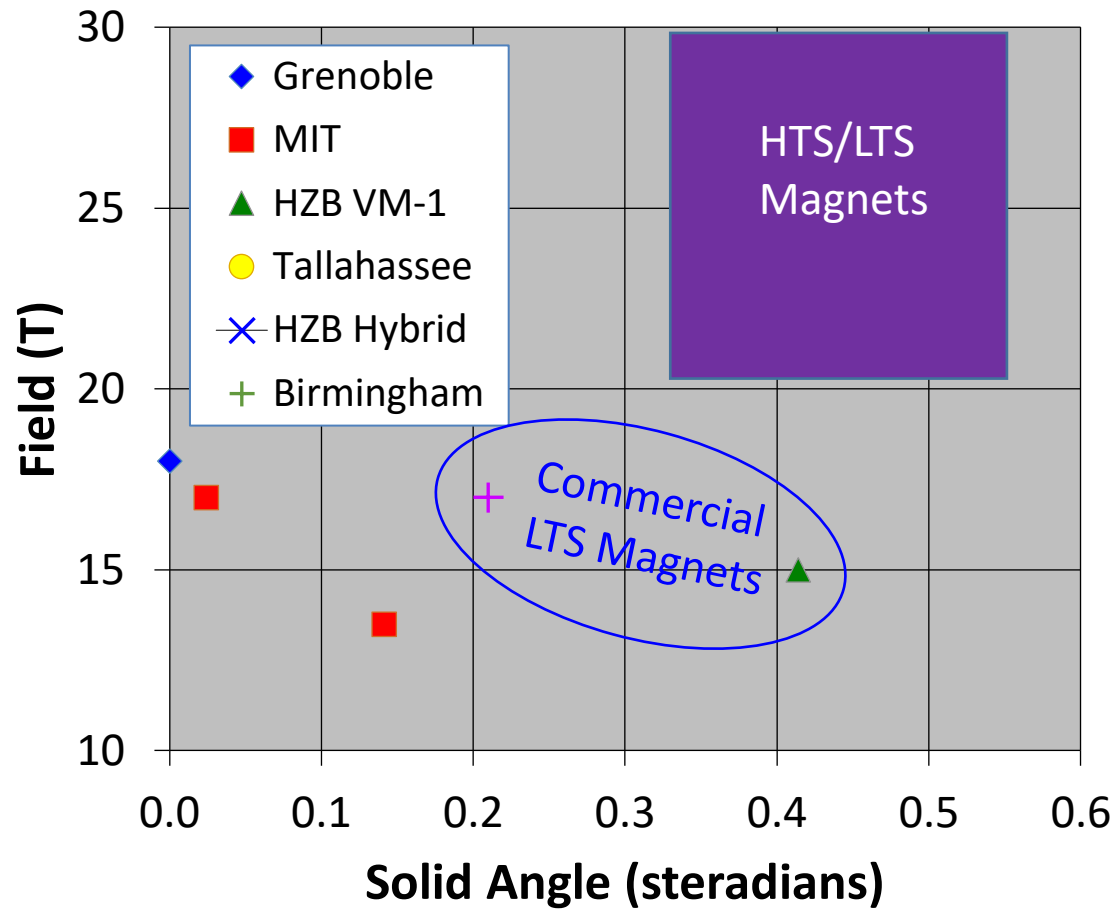
At the Mid-Plane:

51% vacuum space. 584 tons of compression.
160 kA of current. 220 l/s of cooling water.
10% steel.



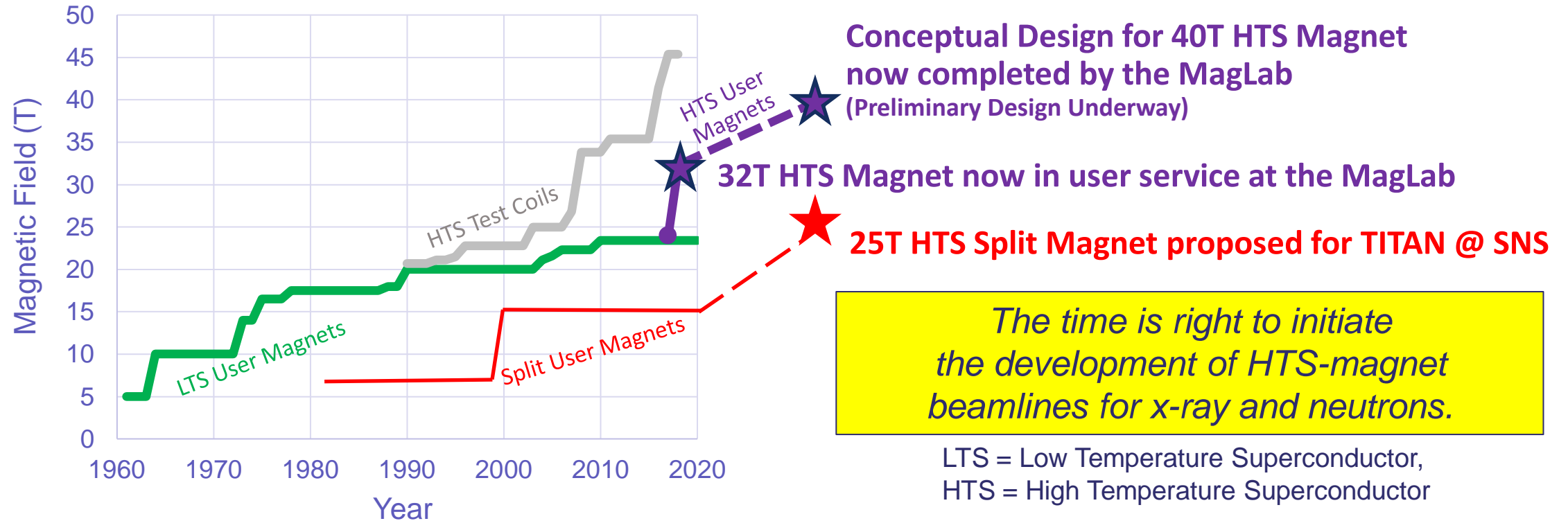
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**WHAT
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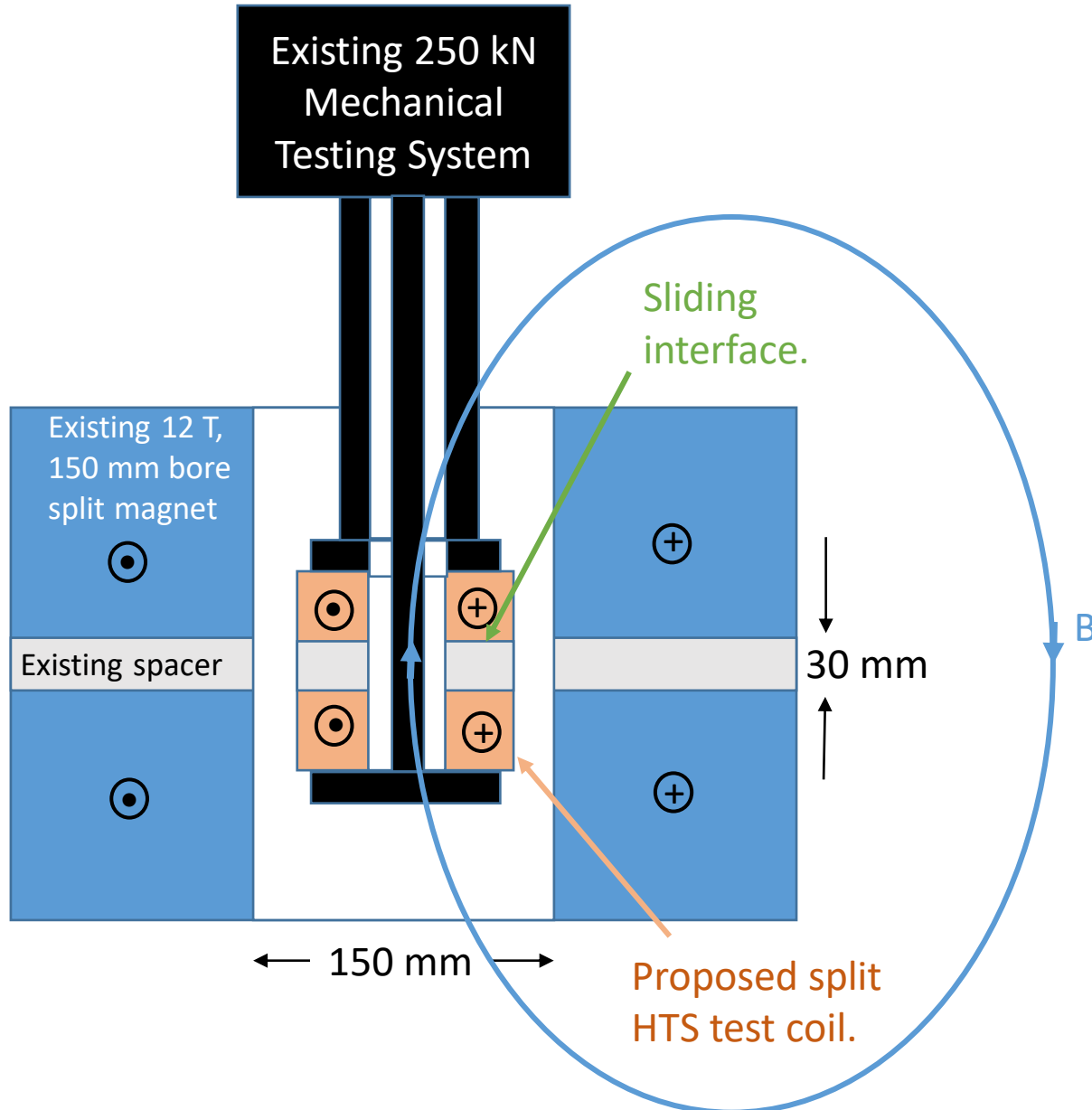
High Temperature Superconductors are enabling dramatic increases in magnetic field available from Superconducting magnets!



Increases in Superconducting Magnetic Fields Available to Users Since 2016

Magnet Type	Increase since 2016	Future Advances Proposed
Condensed Matter Physics	45% (32 T at the MagLab)	82% (40 T, underway at the MagLab)
Nuclear Magnetic Resonance	20% (1.2 GHz by Bruker)	30% (1.3 GHz, underway at both RIKEN and MIT)
Split for Neutron Scattering	No increase since 2000	67% (This Proposal)

Development for SNS Split Magnet

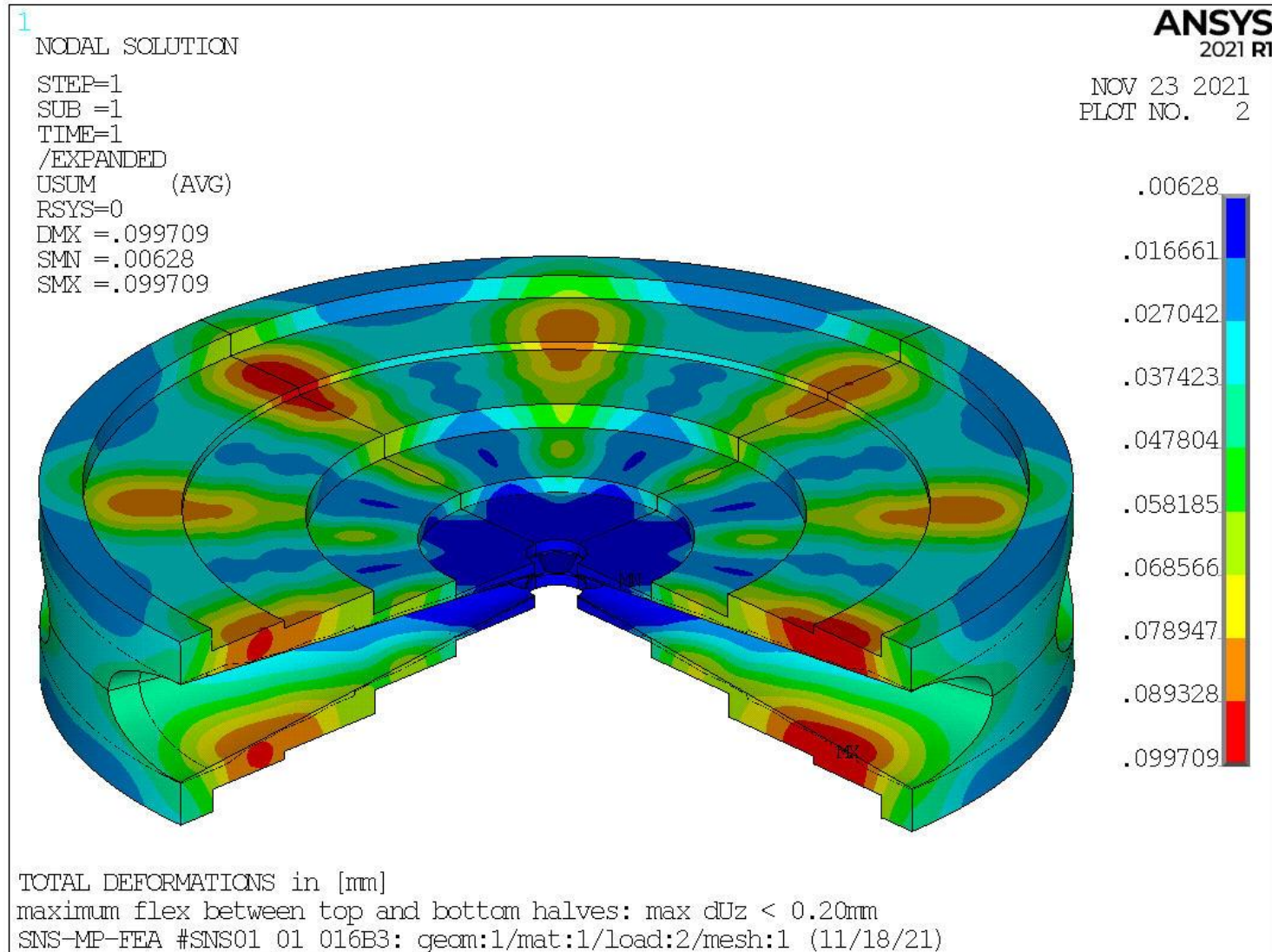
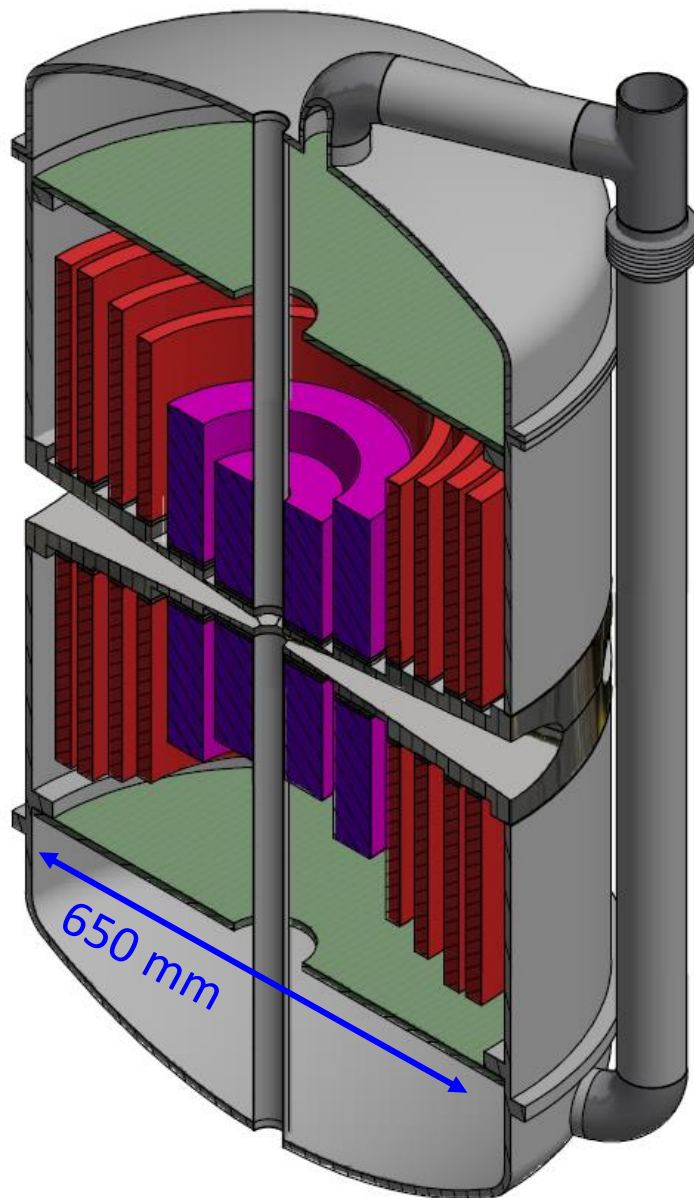


- Built a split HTS coil.
- Installed in existing 12 T split LTS magnet at MagLab.
- Apply cyclic axial compression with MTS machine.

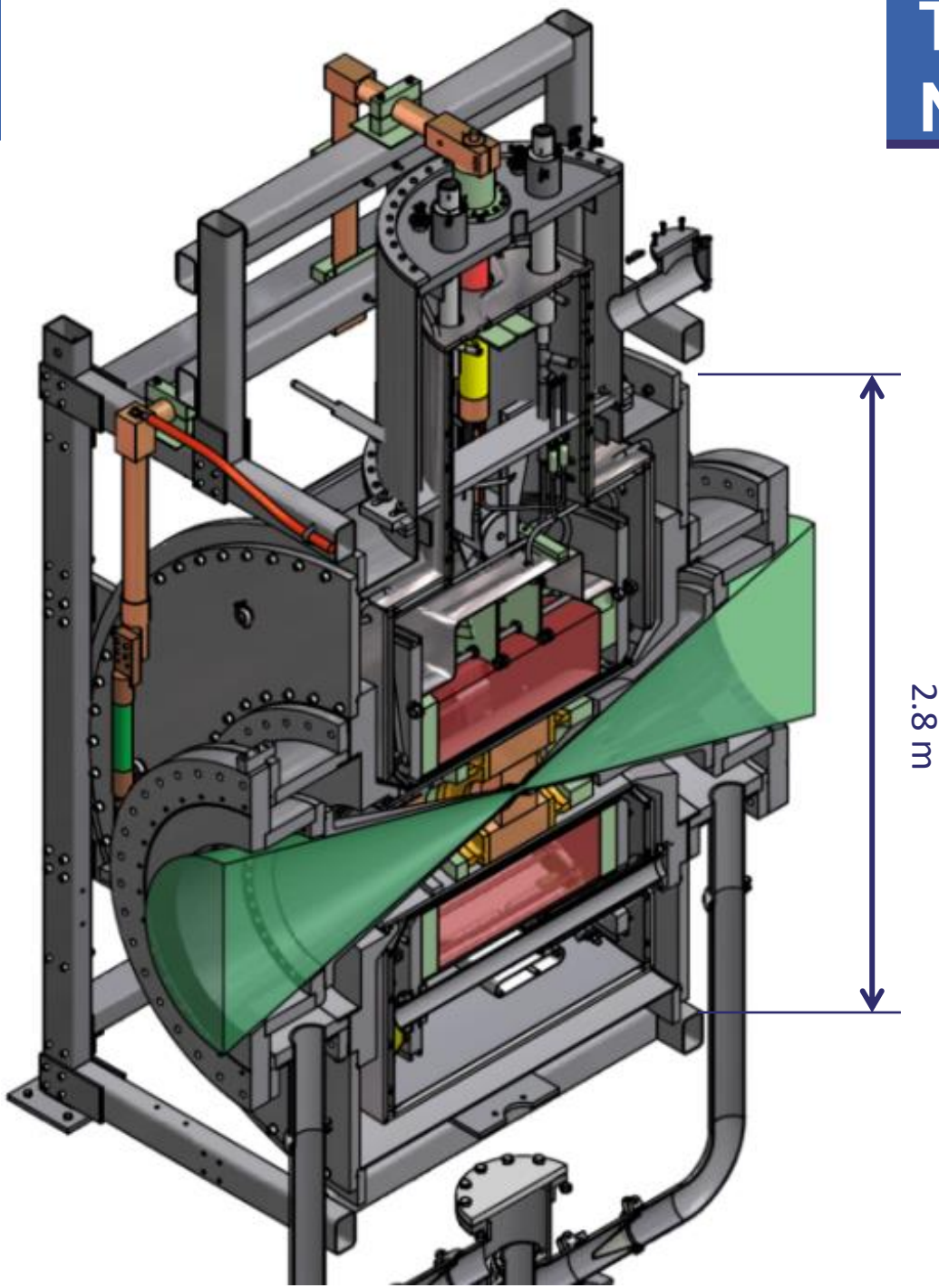
>20 T Split Magnet Design for Neutrons

REBCO Tape

8 ports of 25°



The MagLab/HZB 26 T Magnet for Neutron Scattering



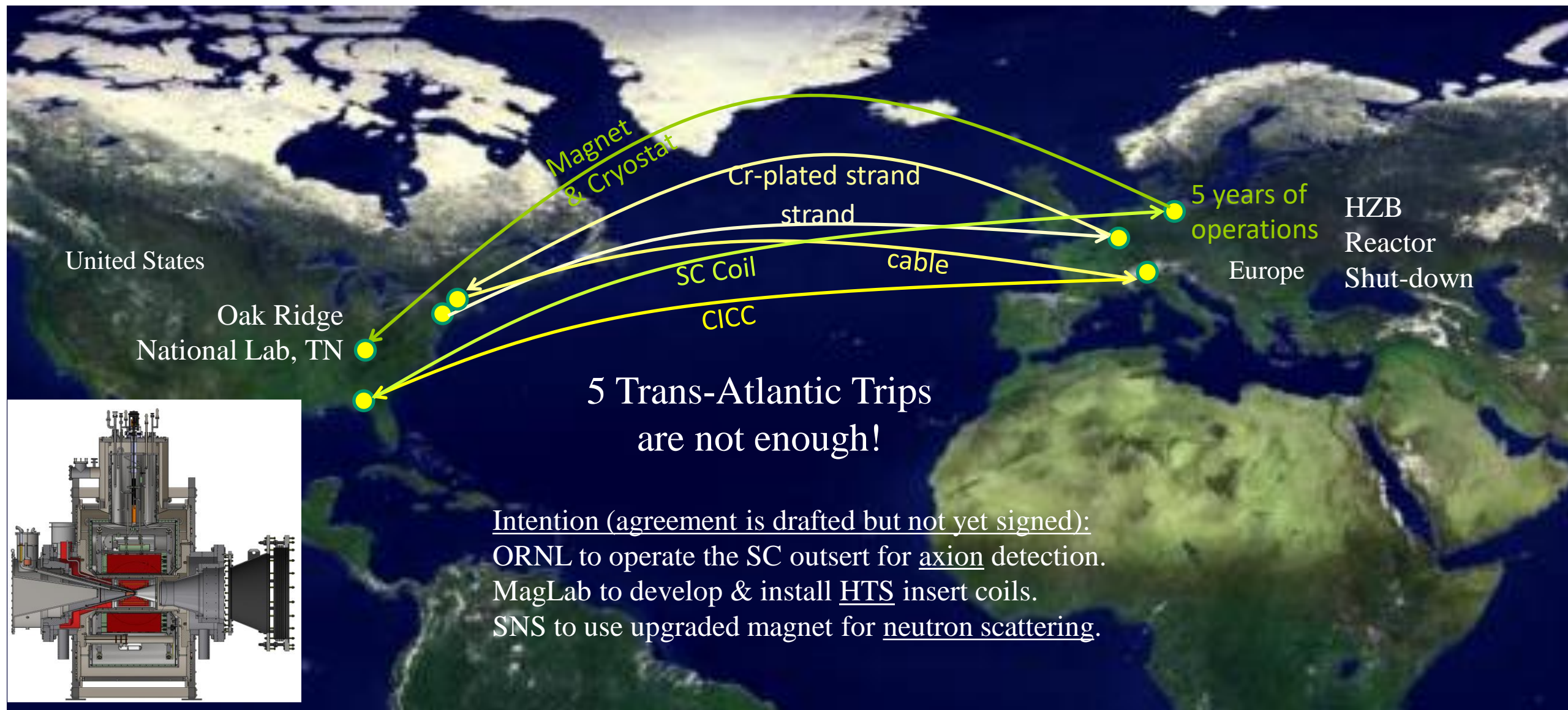
April 2014 Design Review



Highest field magnet worldwide for neutron scattering
Could be upgraded to 30 T with more power.

The MagLab/HZB 26 T Horizontal Field Magnet's Travel Itinerary

Bringing Magnets, Axions, & Neutrons Together.



Summary



- There are a number of applications for ultra-high field magnets based on HTS materials other than those the MagLab's user facilities serve.
- Scattering of X-Rays and Neutrons is a field the MagLab has worked in for many years.
 - 25 T vertical split resistive at MagLab (2011)
 - 26 T horizontal conical resistive/superconducting hybrid at HZB (2017)
- Axion detection has become one of the top priorities of the Particle Physics community
- MagSci recommends
 - SC scattering magnets up to 40 T
 - Similar to 40 T SC magnet underway at MagLab.
 - Axion detection magnets
 - Sikivie haloscope is similar to MagLab's 40 T SC,
 - Plasmonic Haloscope is similar to magLab's hybrid outserts