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THE NEXT GENERATION OF SUPERCONDUCTING MAGNETS FOR FUTURE PARTICLE ACCELERATOR PROJECTS: LONG & SHORT-TERM ROADMAPS

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<u> Sergen Sta</u> **Introduction**

SCOPE:

This presentation describes the present and future status of HEP accelerator magnet technology. After a short introduction to explain which is the role of the magnets are their future requirements, the talk summarizes the on-going and proposed future accelerator projects with a special attention to their magnet needs. In parallel, a description of the State of the Art in High Field Magnet technology is first made, then an identification of the limits and challenges to be overcome and finally, a description of roadmaps and R&D Programmes for the next years and specifically the one recently developed by a Panel of Experts to the LDG

STRUCTURE:

- Introduction
- Basic Concepts of Magnets & SC Magnets for Accelerators
- The Next Generation of HEP Accelerators & the Magnets they Need
- State of the Art of Superconducting Magnets for HEP Accelerators
- Roadmap and Short & Long Term R&D Programmes for High Field SC Magnets
- Conclusions

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Relevant Applications of Superconductors

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MRI Accelerators NMR HEP Accelerators

Fusion Transmission SMES Maglev

ENERGY TRANSPORT

How These Applications are Implemented

MEDICAL SCIENCE

Fusion Transmission SMES Maglev

Some basic concepts on Particle Accelerator Magnets

Two types of particle accelerators

Circular Accelerators Need Bending Magnets

To bend the trajectory of the particle an external additional force must by applied to balance centrifugal force acting on the particle. Dipole magnets supply this force.

If we had used conventional magnets ($1\approx T$) for the LHC (E \approx 7 TeV) its radius would have been around **23000 m and its circumference around 150 km.**

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All Types of Accelerators Need Additional Magnets

Even for the case of linear accelerators, particles need to be focused (keep them inside a certain envelope) and this requires additional magnets: **the quadrupoles.**

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Besides quadrupoles, higher multipolar magnets are required to correct chromaticity and non-linear effects in the beam. Sextupoles, Octupoles and Decapoles are also used in particle accelerators.

Modern Accelerators Need Very Strong Magnets

If we want to increase the accelerator energy with reasonable accelerator sizes (Tunnel Cross-Section & Length), we need to increase the magnetic field, but not the sizes of the magnet producing that field.

The field produced by a magnet increases with its current and decreases with the reluctance of the magnetic circuit. Iron helps to reduce the reluctance while it is not saturated.

IRON-CORE MAGENT

Trying to achieve very high fields with conventional magnets leads to "impossible" magnets.

10T solenoid $> 8m$ in diameter $+ 20m$ in length $+$ 70MW in power consumption.

AIR-CORE MAGENT

The Solution: Using Superconducting Materials (I)

Since we need to augment the field and we can't reduce the reluctance, we have to increase the current, but we want to avoid losses and to limit the magnet sizes **> We need to increase the current density and the use of superconductors is mandatory.**

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Presently, there are a limited number of usable superconducting materials, which are globally classified in two big groups:

 $*$ LTS (Low T_c Superconductors): They obey to the BCS theory and their T_c is below 40K. The 3 most important materials are NbTi, $Nb₃Sn$ and MgB₂. They are arranged in the form of multifilamentary wires

* HTS (High T. Superconductors): They are based on copper oxides, with critical temperatures above 77K. Their behaviour is not explained by the BCS theory. The 2 most important materials are the (RE)BCO and the BSCCO groups. They are arranged in the form of tapes.

Once they are arranged in the form of conductors (wires, tapes or cables) their properties can be classified in three types:

ELECTRICAL: Defined in terms of the critical J, T & B values

ELECTROMECHANICAL & THERMAL: Usually in terms of yield strength and stress induced J_c degradation including bending radius and thermal conductivity. **TECHNOLOGIAL:** Which are more qualitative and related to their capability to fabricate magnets.

The Solution: Using Superconducting Materials (II)

LTS & HTS electrical properties can be compared for a common low temperature (4.2K). Interesting features can be noticed such as the much sharper Jc drop with the field for LTS, the much smaller dependence of Jc with B, BUT also a much stronger anisotropy of Jc with the field orientation.

The Solution: Using Superconducting Magnets (I)

IRON-CORE MAGENT **CONFIGURATION**

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SUPERCONDUCTING MAGNET CONFIGURATION

In a Superconducting magnet, the field is basically imposed by the current and the conductor position, although, usually, some iron is used to close the magnetic circuit. Current density in the conductors can be three orders of magnitude bigger than for a resistive magnet. The price to pay: The magnet must work at cryogenic temperatures.

The Solution: Using Superconducting Magnets (II)

Superconducting dipole magnets for high energy hadron colliders: Tevatron (1983) (NbTi, warm-iron, small He plant, 4.5K), HERA (1991) (NbTi, Al collar, cold iron), RHIC (2000) (simple and economical design) and LHC (2008) (2K super fluid He, double bore) - courtesy of Dr. Alexander Zlobin, (Fermilab).

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The Next Generation of HEP Accelerators and the Magnets they need

The ESPPU priorities for future particle physics accelerator facilities

The 2020 update of the European Strategy for Particle Physics Update (ESPPU) outlined the current status and prospects in the field, and identified priorities for future particle physics accelerator facilities. In time order, these are: completion and commissioning of the CERN High Luminosity LHC (HL-LHC); a future electron-positron Higgs factory; and a future hadron collider at the highest achievable energy and luminosity.

Next SC magnets for future accelerators: The HL-LHC (1)

THE HIGH LUMINOSITY LHC

It is an upgrade of the LHC aiming at increasing its luminosity by a factor of 5.

It includes different types of new and challenging magnets like the 11T Dipole magnet or the 130T/m Quadrupole, both using the $Nb₃Sn$ technology.

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Next SC magnets for future accelerators: The HL-LHC (2)

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Future Proposals for hadron Colliders

Future Proposals for muon Colliders

Muon Colliders has emerged in the past years as promising candidates to provide unique opportunities for particle physics applications. Since its mass is 207 higher than that of electron, synchrotron radiation intensity is much smaller. Although the idea is old (1969), now is becoming to be seriously considered with the creation of the International Muon Collider Collaboration (IMCC). **Solenoids are required for muon production & dipoles & quadrupoles for storage & focus**

Solenoids for muon production

- * Hybrid solenoid Outer Nb₃SN (15T)+Inner Resistive (5T) 300 mm aperture.
- $*$ 2T to 20 T Nb-Ti & Nb₃Sn solenoids
- $*$ 50 to 60 T LTS + HTS solenoids based on the 32T hybrid magnet

A MUON PRODUCTION B MUON COOLING C FINAL MUON COOLING

D. 150 mm

15 T superconducting coil outsert, Stored energy \sim 3 GJ, \sim 100 tons **Final-Focus** Upstream proton bean window Target/dump vessel 5 T copper-coil insert, Water-cooled, MgO insulated He-gas-cooled W-bead shielding (~ 100 tons)

SUPERFERRIC DIPOLES

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A BASED ON HTS **BEDIPOLES DIPOLE&QUADRUPOLE C DIPOLE & QUADRUPOLES FOR THE IR**

Magnets for muon storage & focus

- * Superferric fast-cycling HTS dipoles
- * Combined function 10.5T & 150 mm bore dipoles
- * 250 T/m 80 to 180 mm aperture quads
- * Possibility of Hybrid LTS+HTS 20 T magnet for a 10 TeV MC version

State of the Art of Superconducting Magnets for HEP Accelerators

Electrical Properties of Industrial Superconductors

This figure represents the J_e -B curve for the top performance present industrial superconductors

It includes:

- Je for a resistive conductor
- Je for the present generation of Nb₃Sn wire (11T dipole) @16T
- Required goal for Je in HTS in the EuCARD program

Electromechanical & Thermal Properties of Industrial Superconductors

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Apart from Electrical properties, Electromechanical & Thermal properties of the SC wires are also essential to define the performance of the magnet affecting its design and performance.

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In general, stress degradation is more severe in $Nb₃Sn$ and this requires to limit the stresses develop in the superconductor. On the contrary, thermal conductivity is much lower in HTS reducing the quench propagation velocity.

Highest Fields attained so far (1)

Magnets

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Technologies for Future Colliders

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Fields attained with Nb3Sn dipole magnets of various configurations and dimensions, either at liquid (4.2 K, red) or superfluid (1.9 K, blue) helium temperature. Solid symbols are short demonstrators, i.e. 'racetracks' with no bore, while open symbols are short models and long magnets with bore. For comparison, superconducting collider dipole magnets past and present are shown as triangles.

Fields attained with HTS short demonstrator magnets of various configurations, producing a dipole field. All tests performed in liquid helium (4.2 K). Solid symbols are racetrack magnets with no bore, while open symbols are magnets with bore. Round symbols are magnets built with REBCO, square symbols with BSCCO.

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Highest Fields attained so far (2): Two examples

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HTS Technology

FRESCA2: A CEA-CERN Collaboration started in 2009 in the frame of EuCARD. Based on $Nb₃Sn$ @ 1.9K. It reached 13,3 T in 2017 and 14.6 T in 2018 after a modification in the magnet prestressing

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THE FEATHER PROGRAM: It is a 40mm aperture magnet producing a 5T field in a background field of 13 T (Produced by FRESCA2). Working at 10 kA and capable of producing Accelerator Field quality. It was done in the framework of EuCARD2 and uses Roebel REBCO-based cable

We still need to improve and overcome problems

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Roadmaps and Short & Long Terms R&D Programmes for High Field SC Magnets

Overview of the HEP Accelerator Magnet Programmes

The High Field Magnets (HFM) R&D Programme for 2021-2027

In 2021 CERN´s Council endorsed the Laboratory Directors Group (LDG) the development of an Accelerator R&D Roadmap which was executed by different Panels of Experts. One of these panels was devoted to Magnets for the next generation of HEP accelerators.

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GOALS OF THE PROGRAMME

1. DEMONSTRATE Nb₃Sn MAGNET TECHNOLOGY FOR LARGE SCALE DEPLOYMENT

1.a) Quantify & demonstrate Nb₃Sn ultimate field Conductor development and fabrication of model magnets aimed at achieving next generation ultimate field (16T)

2.b) Develop Nb₃Sn magnet technology for Collider-Scale production.

Fabrication of few tens of magnets able to achieve today´s ultimate field (>12T) with better performance tan present Nb3Sn magnets (HL-LHC) . Fabrication processes adapted to an industrial production of thousands of magnets.

2. DEMONSTRATE THE SUITABILITY OF HTS FOR ACCELERATOR MAGNET APPLICATIONS

Probing a proof of concept of HTS magnet technology beyond the reach of $Nb₃Sn$. A suitable target dipole field could be 20T HTS to be considered for specific applications where not only high field is required but also higher operating temperature.

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Innovation through a fast-turnaround R&D Programme

The HFM R&D Programme must achieve decisive progress in the 3 areas of **Performance, Robustness and Cost** for both Nb3Sn & HTS **:**

Performance: Not only achieving the required field but retaining the performance avoiding degradation during operation **Technology Robustness:** Measured in terms of scalability referred to dimensions and number of units **Cost Target**: based on an accelerator scale production. It will impact on the design, process and material optimization

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The Nb₃Sn Conductor & Magnet R&D Programme

On the left hand side, the Technology Pyramid towards the development of $Nb₃$ Sn ultimate dipole magnets. The first tasks are shared, then two final objectives are pursued in parallel: The left path towards ultimate-field Nb₃Sn Accelerator Magnets, the right path towards long $Nb₃Sn$ robust Accelerator magnets. On the right hand, the timeline to achieve the Pyramid goals.

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The HTS Conductor & Magnet R&D Programme

On the left hand side, the Technology Pyramid for HTS magnets. The first steps are exploratory and depend heavily on the results of the design studies. Sub-scale magnets will precede the work on the two identified routes of hybrid or all-HTS magnets. It will conclude in the design, construction and test of HTS demonstrator magnets

The HFM Associated Technologies R&D Programme

SOURCE: P. VEDRIN et. Al. European Strategy for Particle Physics. Accelerator R&D Roadmap

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MATERIALS: It includes all the materials & components for the construction of magnets (exc. Superconductors). Characterization at room & cold of mechanical, thermal, electrical & tribological properties. **CRYOGENICS**: To deal with the extra He consumption ω 1.9K required for FCC versus HTS @ 10K **MODELS**: Integration of new modelling & simulation tools.

POWER & PROTECTION: Will be devoted to developing strategies and methods to detect and safety dump the magnet stored energy, specifically for $Nb₃Sn$ & HTS.

INSTRUMENTATION & INFRASTRUCTURES: Workshops for the construction of short magnets as well as cryogenic facilities for small components, short magnets and demonstrators as well as identification of critical missing capabilities including manufacturing infrastructures for cables and magnets and test stations and instrumentation for wires and magnets

Summary & Conclusions

> Present and future Particle Accelerators require powerful magnets that can only be superconducting magnets > Although the major needs come from bending magnets, other types should also be superconducting

> In this context, three possible scenarios appear:

- * LTS Magnets: Limited to \approx 12-16T. Affordable & use a well known technology
- * HTS Magnets: Unaffordable for the All-HTS. Possibility of working at higher temperatures (\approx 20 K)
- * Hybrid Magnets (LTS+HTS): Allows increasing the field up to 20 T

> ESPPU Roadmap for future accelerators establishes three global sequential phases: Completion of the HL-LHC, Construction of a Higgs Factory and Development of a highest possible energy Hadron Collider

> Future Accelerator magnets requirements can be grouped in **Electron Colliders** (SC are not relevant although there will be many) **Hadron Colliders** where SC magnets will be protagonist and **Muon Colliders** with also a great presence of SC magnets

> At this moment field up to 14T with LTS and 5 T with HTS in a 13T background field have been achieved

> A number of Roadmaps and R&D Programmes are ongoing or have been running recently in USA, Europe, China & Japan

> In 2021 CERN´s Council endorsed LDG to carry out a Roadmap on HEP Accelerator Magnets with the goals of demonstrating the $Nb₃Sn$ magnet technology for large scale deployment and the suitability of HTS for Accelerator Magnet Applications.

