



Multi-physics considerations of NI HTS Solenoid

for PSI Positron Production Experiment

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FCC-ee: electron-positron collider





"A 100 km tunnel hosting a circular electron-positron collider as a first stage towards a 100 TeV proton-proton collider would probe new phenomena coupled to the Higgs and electroweak sectors with unparalleled precision." [1]

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FCC-ee injector





"portions of the same linac are used for multiple purposes" [2]

6 GeV e^- available as a precursor for e^+ beam

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[2] P. Craievich, https://www.psi.ch/en/gfa/fcc-ee-injector-design-and-psi-positron-source-pss-project



Yield=
$$\frac{N_{e^+}}{N_{e^-}} = 7 [3]$$

[3] N. Vallis https://doi.org/10.18429/JACoW-LINAC2022-TUPORI16

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FCC-ee injector





numeric and analytical optimization

- Y Zhao. Optimisation of the FCC-ee Positron Source Using a HTS Solenoid Matching Device, 2022.
- Y Zhao. Comparison of Different Matching Device Field Profiles for the FCC-ee Positron Source, 2021.
- *R. Chehab et al., "An adiabatic matching device for the Orsay linear positron accelerator", IEEE Trans. Nucl. Sci., 1983.*

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PSI Positron Production (P³) Experiment @ SwissFEL

Aims to demonstrate high yield positron source in 2026





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PSI Positron Production (P³) Experiment



Aims to demonstrate high yield positron source



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N. Vallis, https://doi.org/10.1103/PhysRevAccelBeams.27.013401

Solder-potted NI HTS: an attractive option

🌔 PSI

- DC application
- Loose magnetic field quality requirement
- No risk of insulation radiation damage
- Mechanically strong
- Good thermal conductivity
- Compact

Upscaled version of 18 T PSI NI solenoid

Experimental results of 18 T stack used as P^3 simulation input

Current injection method & parts of soldering technology via licensing agreement with





PSI 18 T solenoid

Radiation



P³ will demonstrate high yield, but not radiation robustness

P3 (unshielded)	FCC-ee (2 cm Tungsten)
18 kGy/year	23 MGy/year
10^{-8} DPA/year	$2\cdot 10^{-4}$ DPA/year

B. Humann, doi:10.18429/JACoW-IPAC2022-THPOTK048

Conduction-cooled system 15 T bore, 20 T conductor @ 1.2 kA, 15 K





Electromagnet/thermal simulation

2D axisymmetric *H*-formulation,

- homogenized winding pack,
- Anisotropic resistivity matrix with off-diagonal terms to account for the spiral nature of the coils [5]

+2D thermal

+ thermal network





[5] R Mateira, DOI 10.1088/1361-6668/ab9688



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Experiment vs model



💙 PSI

Turn-turn resistance used a fitting parameter

 $ho_{turnturn} \propto
ho_{copper RR20}(B,T)$ Works reasonably over a 15-77 K range

Example: 1.8 kA at 15 K in cryogen-free setup



P3 simulation geometry





Magnet charging





Obtainable field strongly depends on thermal aspects





17 T reachable*, but magnet at risk of quenching during failure

[5] R Mateira, DOI 10.1088/1361-6668/ab9688

*Not considering mechanical

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Fault scenario:



Coolers stop Cryocooler Current leads Solenoid stack Pb mass 1.07 m 0



Open circuit

Stored energy gets dissipated in coils+buffers





Mechanical



Tape structure explicitly modeled to capture -differential thermal contraction -plasticity

Max	radial stress	2	MPa
Min	axial stress	-150	MPa
Max	hoop stress (substrate)	373	MPa



Conclusions

- P³ experiment aims to demonstrate high yield positron source
- Positron source ideal application for NI HTS
- P³ experiment will feature a NI HTS solenoid, 15 T bore, at 15 K, 1.2 kA, conduction-cooled in cryogen-free cryostat
- Extra thermal mass can help prevent quenches in case of external faults
- Magnet under construction, scheduled for test in 2024

