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# Magnet group activities at ALBA



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## What is ALBA?

 ALBA is a 3<sup>rd</sup> generation Synchrotron Light facility in operation for users since 2012, located in Cerdanyola del Vallès, close to Barcelona.



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- ALBA currently has 11 BLs in operation, +2 in final commissioning stage, and +1 in construction.
- 2 Electron Microscopes are in operation, an additional +1 to be installed in 2025.





 Following the worldwide wave of upgrade plans for 3<sup>rd</sup> generation facilities, aimed to decrease the beam emittance and to became diffraction limited at higher photon energies, ALBA started thinking in its own upgrade in 2018.



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	ALBA		
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Energy	3 GeV		
Circumference	268.8 m		
Symmetry	4-fold		
Lattice	8×2-DBA cells		
Emittance	4.5 nm∙rad	÷20	
Nº of cells	8+8		
# of straights	4 / 12 /8		
Straight length	7.8 / 4.0 / 2.3m		۷





M. Carlà et al. "Status of the ALBA II lattice studies", **IPAC24, THPC01** 

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- We received the approval from our Governing body to start ALBA II design study on Dec 2020.
- The **tentative cost** for the upgrade is **120M**€, to be added to ALBA budget along **10 years** (increase of **30%** on average).
- The project's White Paper was issued on Jun 2023.
- The upgrade project has been approved by ALBA's council on May 2024, but we are still waiting for it to be included into Government budget (hopefully along 2025).
- A 4-year project (ALBA01) devoted to the development of prototypes and funded with 7.5M€ started on 2022.

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#### ALBA II timeline

#### ALBA II White Paper (Jun '23)

https://www.cells.es/en/assets/pdfs/science/alba-ii-whitepaper.pdf/



ALBA II

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#### Project ALBA01

"Enabling advanced technologies for ALBA II"



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 The responsibility for ALBA II magnets design, procurement and acceptance/characterization falls into Insertion Devices and Magnets Group at ALBA.



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• We have completed the group's expansion that started at the end of





- One of the difficulties to design the magnets for an upgrade project (usually within tight schedule and with constraints inherited from parent facility) is having a <u>frozen lattice</u>.
- Evolution of ALBA II lattice (still on-going...):



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Given that the **prototyping project has its own timing** (all items shall be received by the end of 2025), prototype magnets have been designed according to the lattice version available at each moment.



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Even if the prototypes will be different from the magnets for the final lattice, we are confident that the lessons learnt from them will be useful for the design of the final series magnets.



• As per today, ALBA II lattice is based in 16 identical 5BA cells, with 12 magnet types, for a total of 720 individual magnets (currently 264 magnets at ALBA SR)

Function	Types	# per cell	total	Leff [mm]	В [T]	G=B' [T/m]	S=½B'' [T/m²]	O=%B''' [T/m³]
Bending	QD	3	48	1050	1.05	-13.0		
	QDS	2	32	605	1.04	-15.2		
Reverse	QF	4	64	160	-0.52	+65.0		
Bend	QFS	4	64	160	-0.46	+70.0		
Quadrupole	Q1	2	32	200		≤110		
	Q2	2	32	250		≤110		
	Q3	2	32	200		≤110		
Sovtupolo	SH	4	64	130			≤5000	
Sextupole	SV	7	112	130			≤5000	
Octupole	ОН	4	64	50				≤2.5e5
	OV	7	112	50				≤2.5e5
Fast Corr	CORR	4	64	40	10 T·m	ım (0.5mra	d) in both	planes
TOTAL		45	720					



Distances between effective lengths in [cm]



- Main dipoles (QD and QDS) have transversal gradient, with a moderate gradient-to-field ratio. They have been implemented as 2-pole conventional C-shape magnets, with a vertical opening of 20mm.
- In the case of QDS, where field tuning is not mandatory, a pure PM version has been designed.
- In the case of QD, an alternative "Superbend" version with a central high-field pole (3.2T, 10.2mm pole gap) powered with NdFeB blocks has been developed for dipole BLs requiring higher critical energies.





- Pure quadrupoles at the end of each cell (Q1-Q2-Q3) have a common transversal geometry and an aperture diameter of 20mm, allowing them to reach up to 110T/m with an efficiency >90%.
- Reverse bends (QF-QFS) require a high gradient (~70T/m) and a moderate field (~0.5T), and hence they have been implemented as horizontally displaced quadrupoles (5-8mm). Due to this, a larger aperture diameter of ~28mm is required.
- Sextupoles (SH-SV) shall reach 5000T/m<sup>2</sup> and they shall include correctors for H/V position and skew quadrupole. An aperture diameter of 23mm has been used.
- Fast correctors (COR) integrate a horizontal and vertical steerer on the same yoke, with a 6-pole design similar to the one developed for ESRF-EBS.
- Octupoles (OH-OV)... we will look into them when we are back in Barcelona.





- All magnet types (except octupoles) are currently being prototyped. Prototypes will be received by the end of 2025, and they will be used to test/verify:
  - Different magnet technologies: EM vs PM, conventional vs embedded coils...
  - **Magnetic performance** of the developed designs: field/gradient levels, linearity/efficiency, multipolar content, magnetic axis stability with current, cross-talk between main component and correctors for sextupoles...
  - **Mechanical accuracy** issues: pole machining precision, repeatability upon dismounting/remounting, tolerances coil manufacturing, compactness of the engineering design (power/water distribution systems)...
  - **Mechanical integration** aspects: mounting mechanism on girders, vacuum chamber assembly...
  - Cross-talk effects between adjacent magnets.
- Characterization will be carried out at Magnetic Measurements laboratory at ALBA.



- In the case of the series magnets, the strategy for the characterization is still under development.
- We will explore the possibility of outsourcing at least a part of the characterization to manufacturing companies, but taking into account the experience from other labs <u>our</u> <u>"Plan A" assumes that the characterization will be carried out in-house</u>.
- We will have to characterize:
  - 80 curves magnets (QD and QDS)  $\rightarrow$  Hall probe bench
  - 640 straight magnets (multipolar magnets of all sorts) → Stretched Wire (SW) bench
- According to the current plan, we are allocating 2 years to characterize all the magnets.





- For the Hall probe measurements we will use the existing system (x1) at our Magnetic Measurements Lab. Assuming 180 working days per year, we will have at least 4 days to characterize each dipolar magnet.
- In the case of Stretched Wire (SW) measurements, assuming 1 day/magnet and 180 working days per year, we will need at least two (x2) systems in order to complete the task (640 magnets) within 2 years.
  - We are in the process of procuring one system  $\rightarrow$  hopefully to be at ALBA by the **end of 2025**.
  - The second system will be procured later on (it will not be needed until mid 2027).



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- By the moment Beam Dynamics group at ALBA has set an error budget for magnets positioning of 30µm rms.
- With this error allowance, our initial plan is fiducializing individual magnets using SW bench (which according to ESRF provides an accuracy of 20µm in both planes). Each magnet will have its own support allowing to adjust horizontal/vertical position and roll angle, and they will be mounted on the girders according to the obtained fiducialization data.
- No magnetic verification of the relative alignment between the magnets assembled on each girder (vibrating wire measurements or similar) is intended.



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Spaces for magnetic characterization





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e-beam energy [GeV]

**Magnet characteristics** 

2.98

2.4

560

12.7

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5.06

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Characterization of Permanent Magnet
Iongitudinal gradient dipole for CIEMAT.



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- The magnet has already been characterized on Nov 2021, and results reported in last IMMW (IMMW22 <a href="https://indico.cnpem.br/event/2/contributions/27/">https://indico.cnpem.br/event/2/contributions/27/</a>).
- In particular, a 5-6% field defect in the medium and low field poles was observed, and preliminary associated to a missing anneal of Armco poles.









 On Oct 2023, after the Armco poles of one of the low field poles have been remanufactured including an annealing procedure, the magnet was sent back to ALBA for characterization with conventional Hall probe bench.









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- We concluded: The reason for the **missing field** has to be looked for somewhere else.
  - -We confirmed the **repeatability of our system** over a long period of time.





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 Characterization of solenoid for C-band gun for INFN-LNF





- Field maps and integrated field homogeneity
- Magnetic axis
- Excitation curve

Mayner characteristics					
# of coils	1				
Peak field Bz [T]	0.67				
Int field ∫ Bz [T⋅mm]	64				
Int field homogeneity	<5×10 <sup>-4</sup>				
GFR diameter [mm]	20				
Aperture $\varnothing$ [mm]	60				
Length [mm]	126				
Nominal current [A]	184				

Magnet characteristics





 Measurements carried out with Hall probe bench for closed structures at ALBA (presented at IMMW19 and IMMW20)







Hall sensor inside solenoid's aperture







• Magnetic field measured along 1-m long lines with 1mm sampling step.

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• Magnetic axis  $\rightarrow$  zero of minor components in the fringe field region





 Insertion Device for FAXTOR beamline at ALBA (fast X-ray microcomputed tomography at high resolution): in-vacuum multipole wiggler MPW54





5½ periods wiggler RADIA model (courtesy of AVS)

ID characteristics					
Magnetic configuration	Planar hybrid				
Period length [mm]	54				
PM blocks	NdFeB (B <sub>r</sub> =1.25T)				
Iron poles	Vanadium Permendur				
Number of periods	5.5				
Magnetic length [mm]	362				
Minimum magnetic gap [mm]	5.2				
Maximum peak field [T]	2.5				
Maximum K	11.5				





- Magnetic arrays were adjusted by the manufacturer (AVS|US) on a temporary support carriage, but a characterization of the system after its integration into the final support structure was missing, and shall be carried out at ALBA upon delivery.
- The adjustment of the magic fingers shall also be done at ALBA.



Combined arrays on temporary carriage

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Assembly into vacuum chamber prior to shipping





- ID was delivered to ALBA on Oct 2022 (just after IMMW22).
- Magnetic characterization was carried out using Hall probe bench for closed structures (local field data) and flipping coil (field integral adjustment).





 These measurements brought us the opportunity to test the Hall probe bench for closed structures for mechanical gaps down to 5mm.





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 Fielmaps at different gaps allowed to obtain the field vs gap dependence of the device, and confirming the predictions from magnetic model.



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- Measurements close to the surface of each individual array showed that there is a yaw misalignment between the individual magnetic arrays.
- This misalignment was not observed in the measurements carried out at AVS|US, and hence it was generated during the integration of the magnetic arrays into the final magnetic structure.
- Due to the horizontal roll-off of the field, the yaw misalignment gives rise to a decrease of the magnetic peak field along the structure, equivalent to a mechanical taper.
- As a consequence of the tight schedule for installation it was decided not to correct the misalignment, once it has been checked that it didn't compromise the performance of the device, neither from a beam dynamics nor radiation output point of view.





- Magic fingers where adjusted using field integrals measured with flipping coil.
- Due to tight schedule and problems with the machining of the magic fingers' receptacle, a **limited number of iterations was done**.





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## **Conclusions & Prospects**

- ID & Magnets group at ALBA is currently focused in the design and development of prototypes for ALBA II upgrade.
- Along 2025 it is expected to have a gradual increase in the Mag Meas lab activities, as we prepare to receive and characterize the first ALBA II prototypes by the end of that year.
- One of our priorities is completing the procurement of those pieces of equipment that will be essential for the series magnets characterization.
  On top of the 2 existing Hall probe benches (1 conventional, 1 for closed structures), we have identified that at least 2 ESRF-type Stretched Wire benches will be required. Suggestions are welcome!



## **Conclusions & Prospects**

- Experience gained with the characterization of ALBA II prototypes will be critical to define the protocols and procedures for the series magnets characterization.
- In particular, we will need to validate the strategy of characterizing magnets individually and assembling them into girders without further magnetic characterization (vibrating wire measurements or similar).
- Hall probe bench for closed structures is turning out to be a very useful system to characterize the <u>3D magnetic field distribution in difficult-to-</u> <u>access environments</u>. It will for sure be very helpful to map the magnetic field distribution of different combinations of ALBA II magnets in order to analyze crosstalk effects.



# Questions?

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