

# High Temperature Superconducting Tapes for Undulators



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## Outline

- Motivation for short period high field undulators
- Technology comparison: superconducting versus permanent magnet undulators
- HTS tape SCUs
  - Advantages
  - Challenges
  - EuMAHTS
- Summary

## Novel undulators: short period and high field

- Novel technologies to reach short period and high field undulators leading to

- harder X-rays with larger tunability

in the present accelerators

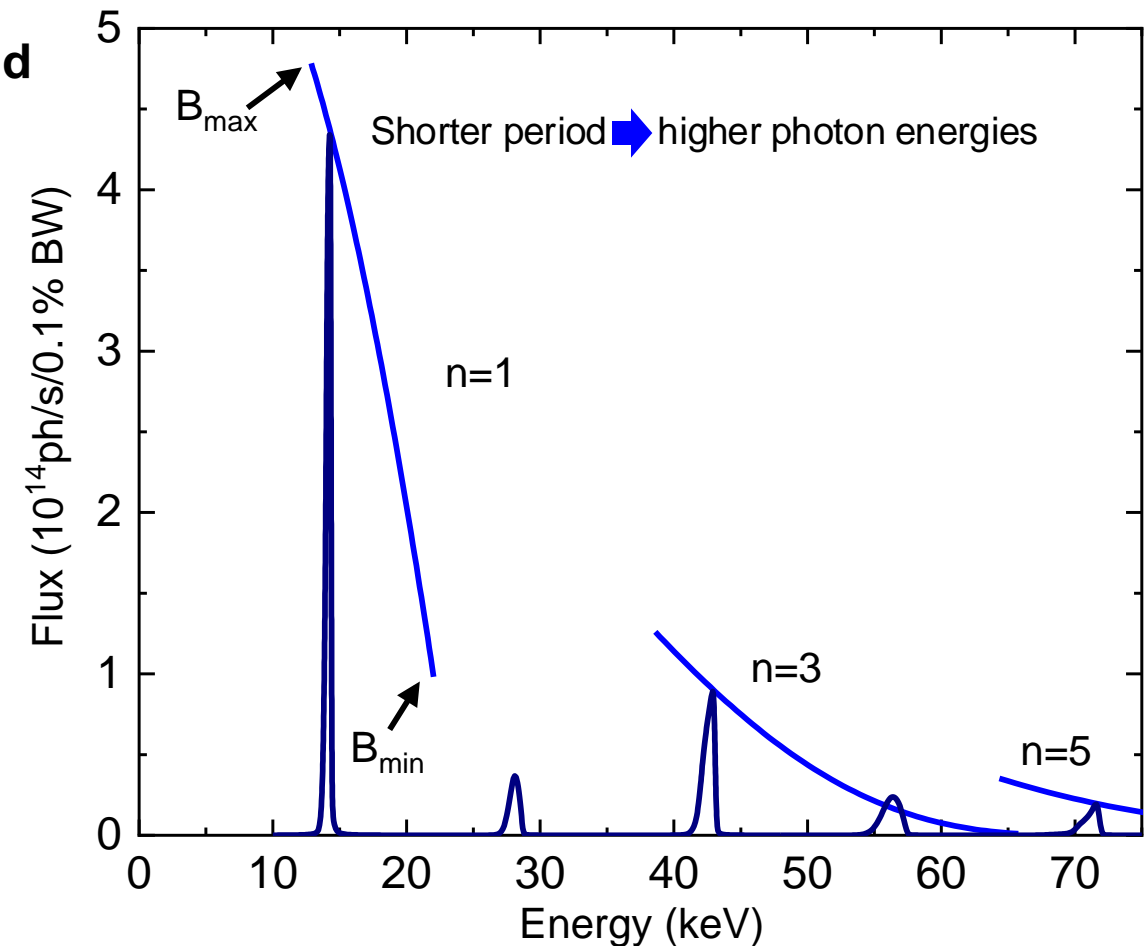
- more sustainable and compact accelerators with lower electron beam energies to achieve present photon energy range

$$\lambda = \frac{\lambda_U}{2n\gamma^2} \left( 1 + \frac{K^2}{2} + \gamma^2\theta^2 \right)$$

$$K = \frac{e}{2\pi mc} B_0 \lambda_U = 0.9336 B_0 [T] \lambda_U [cm]$$

- Shorter period => higher photon energies

- Higher field => larger tunability of photon energies



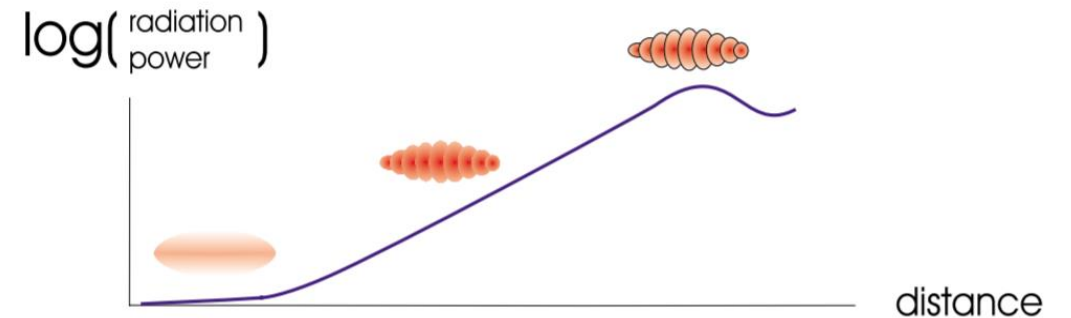
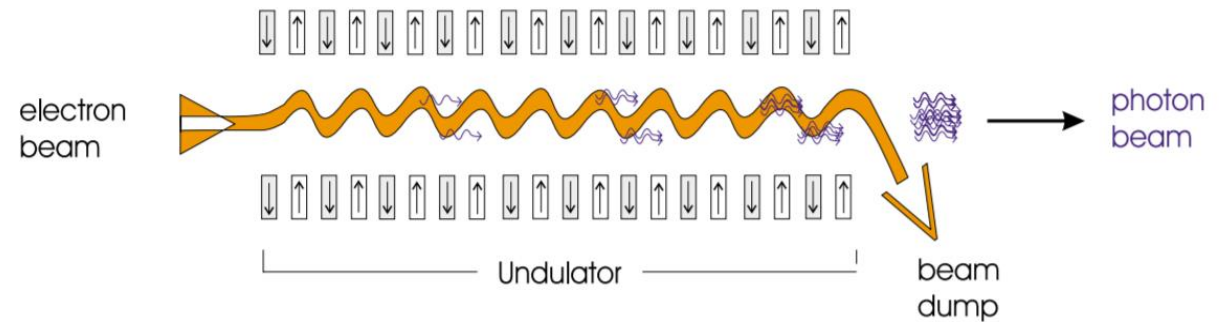
The position of the harmonics is shifted by changing the on axis peak magnetic field  $B_0$

## Short period high field undulators for FELs

$$P \propto e^{2z/L_G}$$

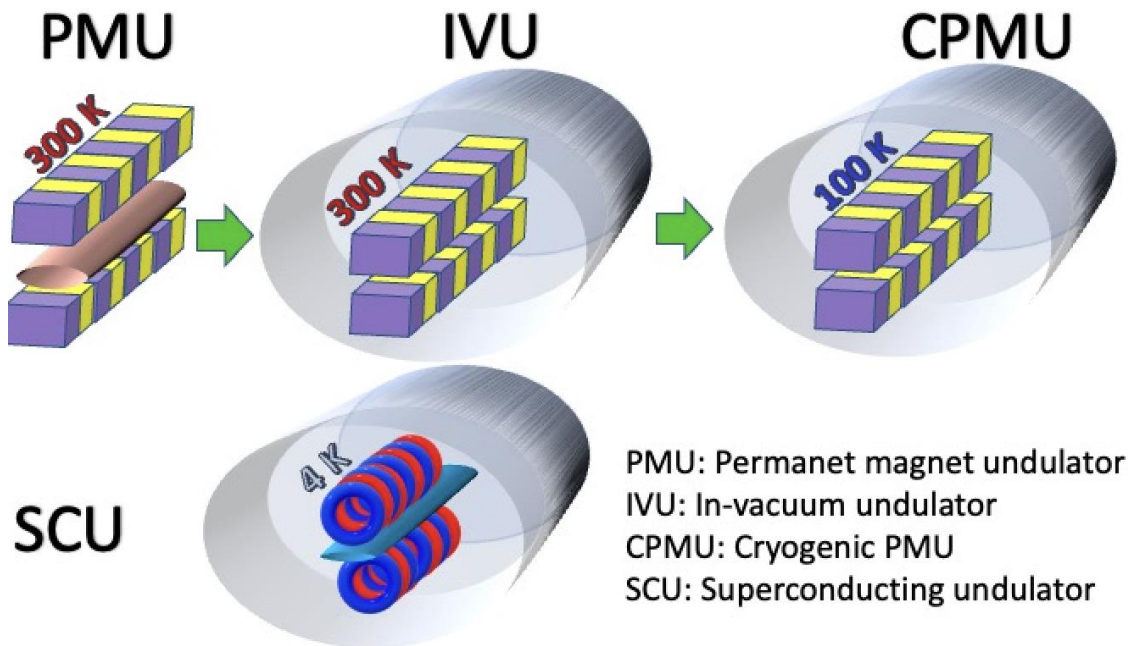
$$L_G \propto \lambda_U^{1/3} f(K)$$

- For fixed electron beam energy and  $K$ , a **shorter**  $\lambda_U$  implies a **shorter gain length**  $L_G$
- Shorter saturation length  $\Rightarrow$  shorter undulator line
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- Savings in civil construction cost
- By decreasing  $\lambda_U$ , the same or an increased photon energy tunability is obtained by increasing  $B_{max}$



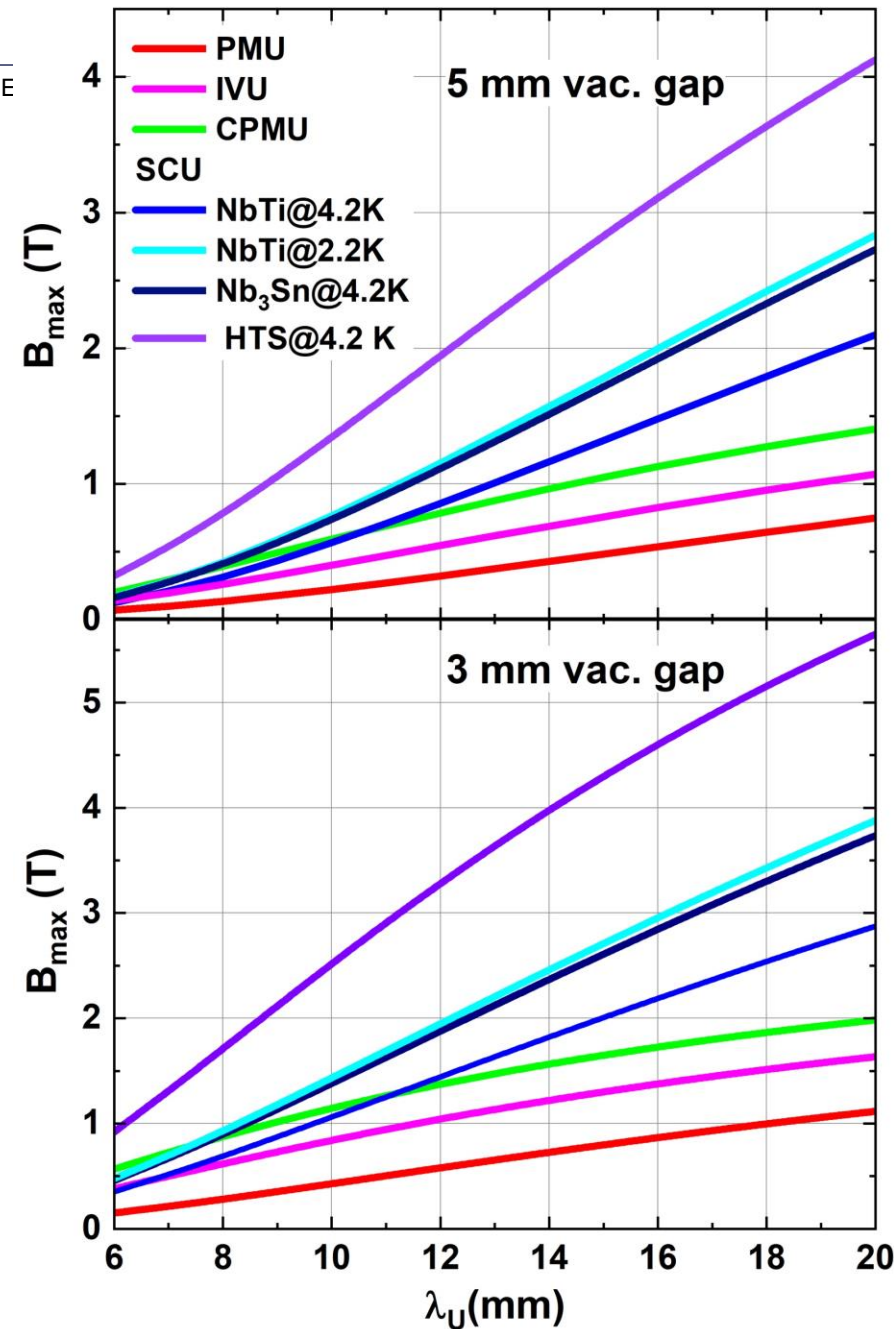
# Technology comparison: SCUs vs. PMUs

Technology development to increase  $B_{max}$



Further advantage is radiation hardness widely demonstrated for NbTi magnets (i.e. HERA, Tevatron, LHC)

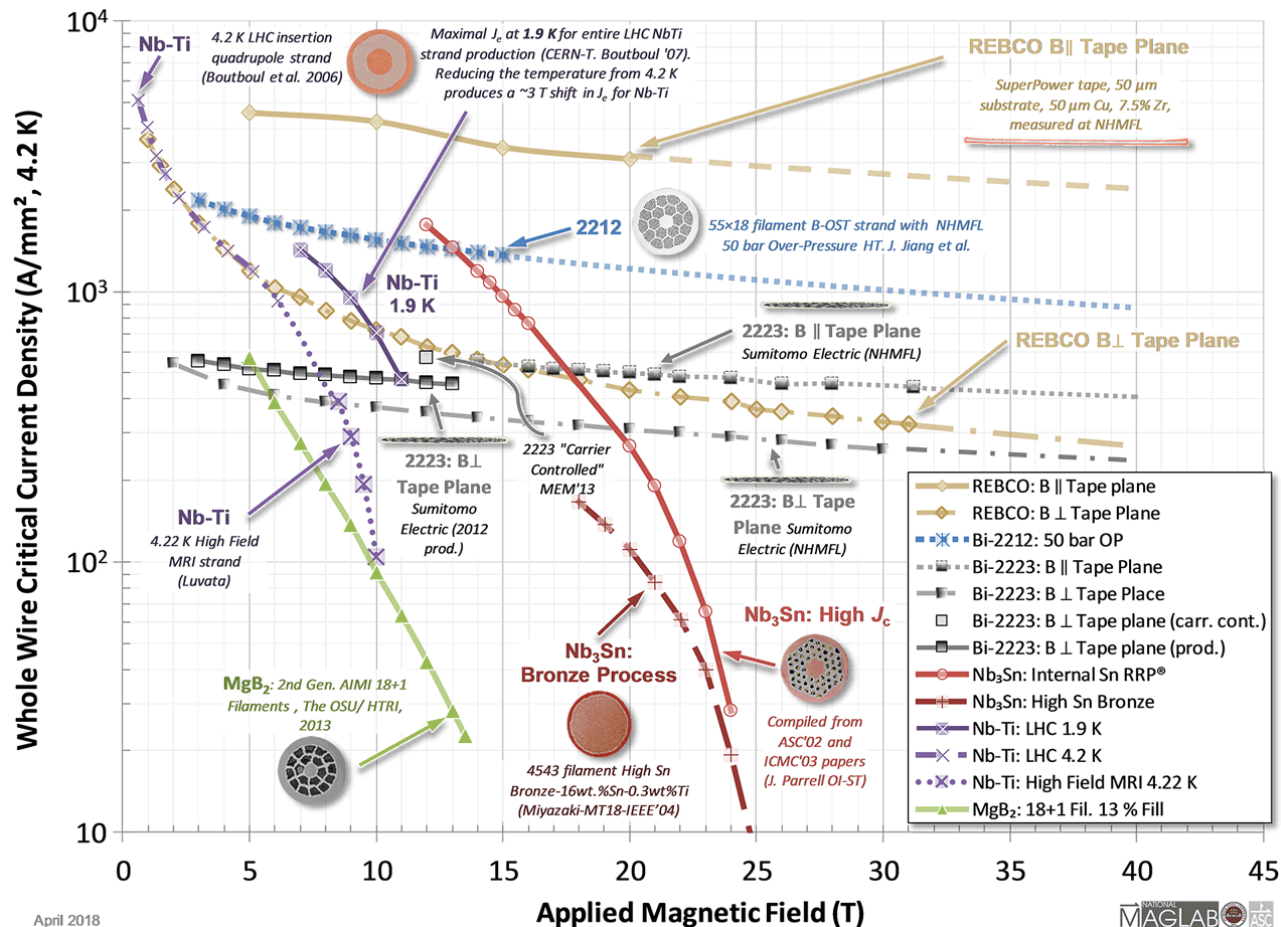
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temperature margin SCU NbTi: 1 K and Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn: ~ 2.5 K  
HTS (High Temperature Superconductors) ~ 11 K

# HTS tape engineering critical current

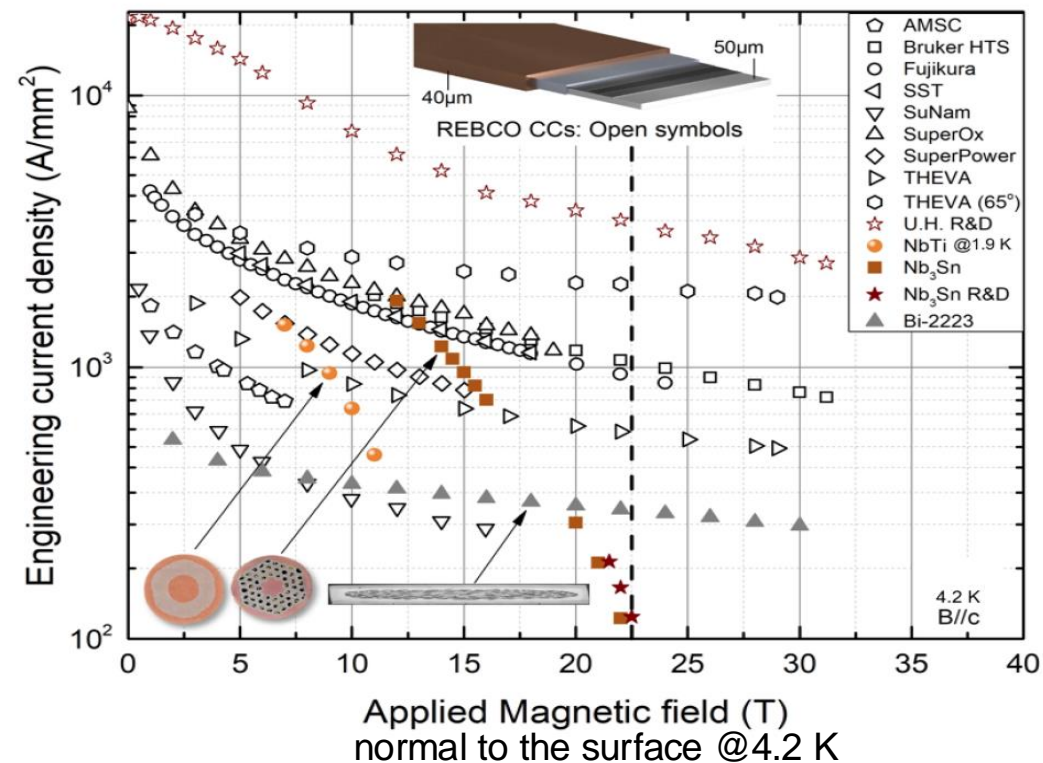
<https://nationalmaglab.org/magnet-development/applied-superconductivity-center/plots/>



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A .C. Wulff et al 2021 Supercond. Sci. Technol. 34 053003



Values scaled to 4 mm wide tape with 50 μm substrate with 40 μm Copper stabilizer, except AMSC

2018 => 2021



## Development process of 2G-HTS tapes

B perpendicular  
to the HTS tape surface

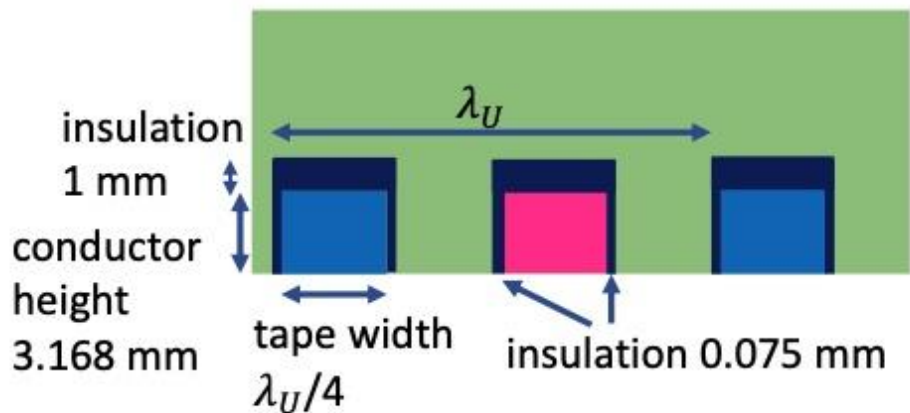
Continent	R&D and production institution (country)	Buffer layer and rebco-layer epitaxial route	Single tape current-carrying Record (Year)	Current-carrying capacity of tapes under magnetic field (B//c)
Asia	SuNAM (South Korea)	IBAD + RCE	275 A / 470 m (2010) 355 A / 920 m (2011) 422 A / 1000 m (2012) 579 A / 978 m (2014) 625 A / 1000 m (2015)	$I_c(4.2 \text{ K}, 18 \text{ T}) > 115 \text{ A}$ (2017)
	Fujikura (Japan)	IBAD + PLD	306 A / 368 m (2007) 350 A / 504 m (2008) 572 A / 816 m (2011) 580 A / 1040 m (2012)	$I_c(4.2 \text{ K}, 18 \text{ T}) \approx 750 \text{ A}$ (2020)
	SWCC (Japan)	IBAD + MOD	310 A / 500 m (2008)	$I_c(4.2 \text{ K}, 18 \text{ T}) > 125 \text{ A}$ (2018)
	Samri (China)	IBAD + MOCVD	150 A / 1000 m (2014) 570 A / 1130 m (2016)	$I_c(4.2 \text{ K}, 10 \text{ T}) = 710 \text{ A}$ (2022)
	SCSC (China)	IBAD + MOD	350 A / 500 m (2018)	$I_c(4.2 \text{ K}, 12 \text{ T}) = 300 \text{ A}$ (2022)
	SST (China)	IBAD + PLD	550 A / 1000 m (2018)	$I_c(4.2 \text{ K}, 18 \text{ T}) = 450 \text{ A}$ (2019)
North America	SuperPower (America)	IBAD + MOCVD	173 A / 595 m (2007) 153 A / 1311 m (2008) 282 A / 1065 m (2009)	$I_c(4.2 \text{ K}, 18 \text{ T}) > 125 \text{ A}$ (2020)
	AMSC (America)	RABiTS + MOD	466 A / 540 m (2010)	$I_c(4.2 \text{ K}, 18 \text{ T}) > 110 \text{ A}$ (2018)
Europe	Bruker (Germany)	ABAD + PLD	260 A / 100 m (2009) 350 A / 270 m (2014) 330 A / 600 m (2016)	$I_c(4.2 \text{ K}, 18 \text{ T}) = 454 \text{ A}$ (2019)

## Development process of 2G-HTS tapes

- In the past 5 to 10 years:
  - increased engineering current density by a factor of 2-3 with potential to increase further
  - HTS tapes available from several companies in lengths ~ km
- Driving market FUSION: drive the cost from \$10 kA/m to \$kA/m

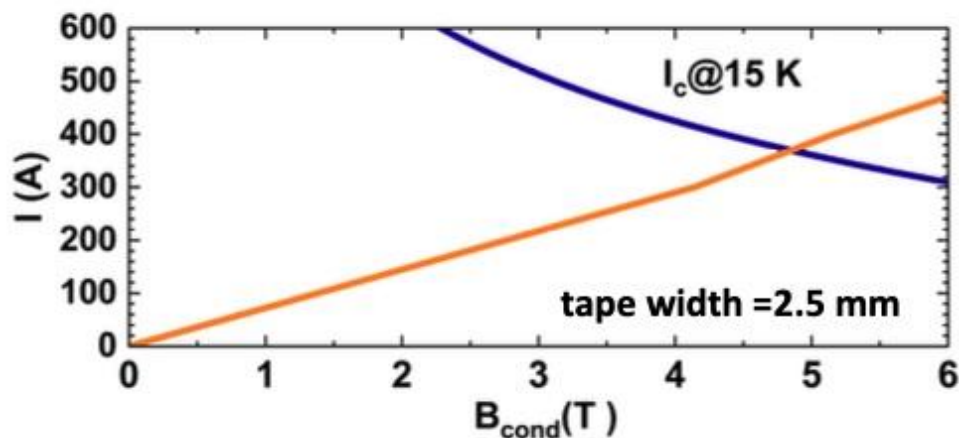


# HTS tape SCU



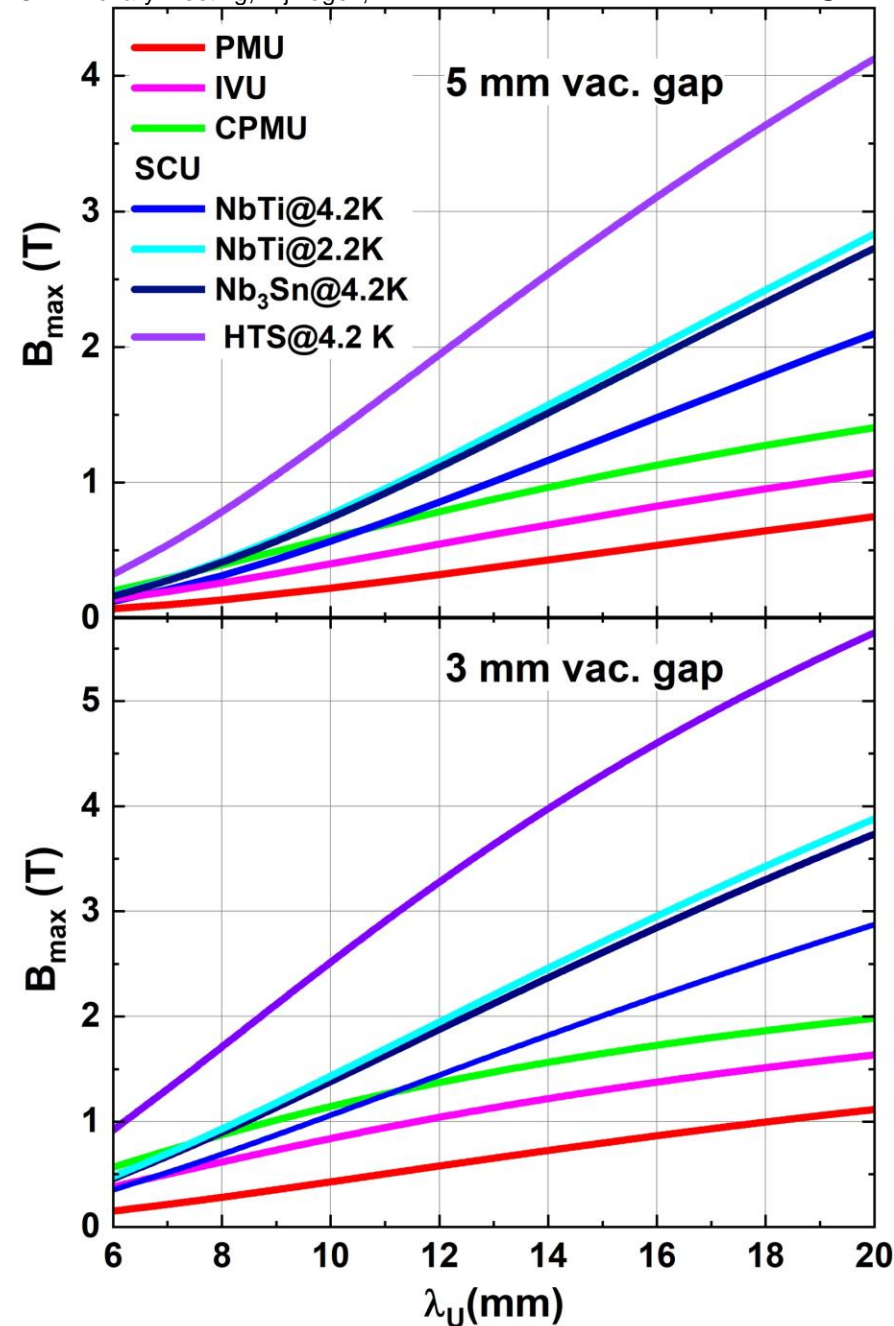
HTS tape  
 33  $\mu$ m  
 no stabilizer  
 96 layers

Loadline for an HTS SCU with a period of 10 mm



$I_c$  for field perpendicular to the HTS tape surface

Temperature margin  
 HTS ~ 11 K



## HTS tape SCU

$\lambda_U > 12$  mm

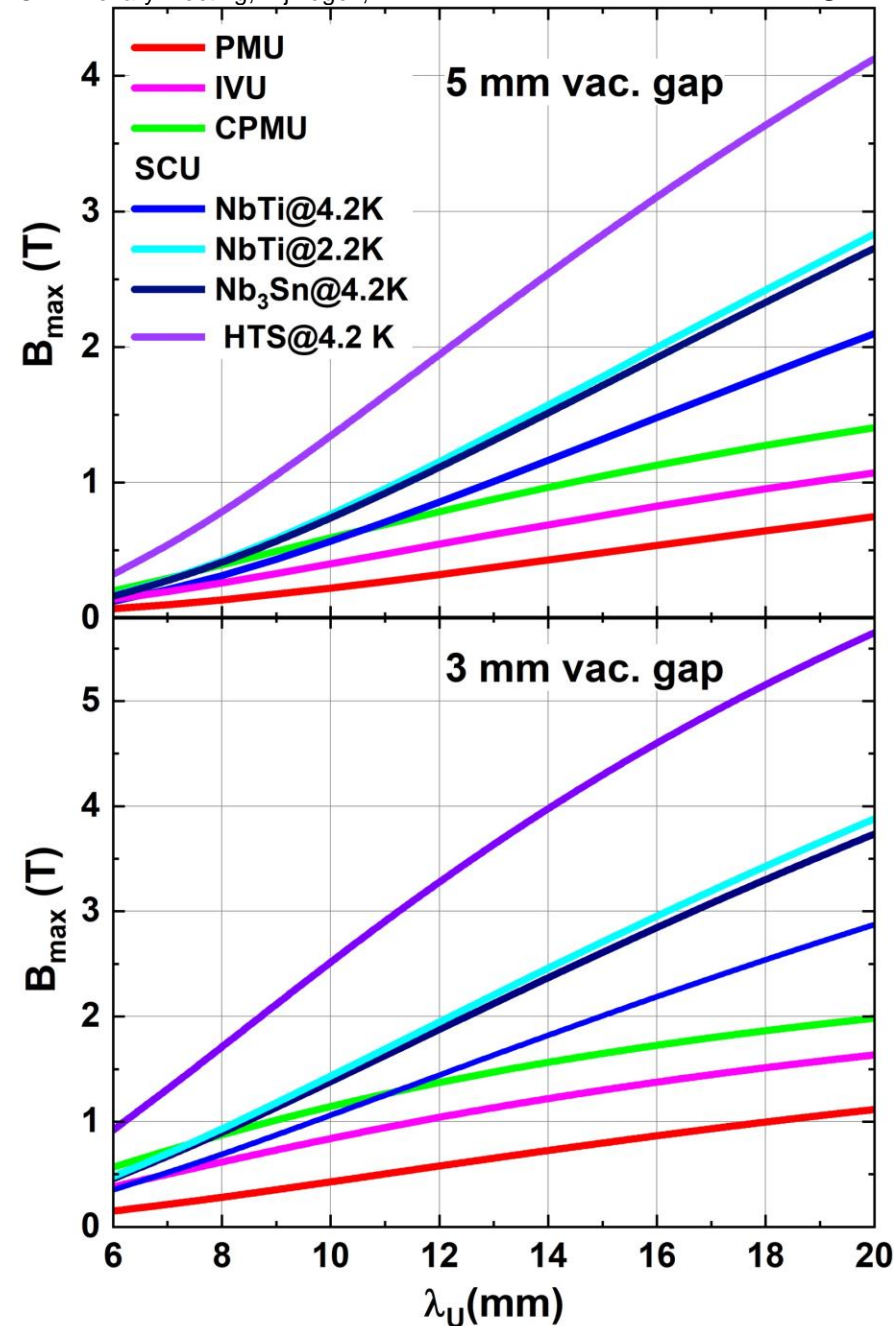
beam stay clear = 5 mm

$B_{max} > 2$  T

$T \approx 4$  K

Temperature margin  $\approx 11$  K

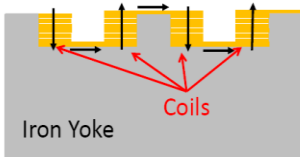
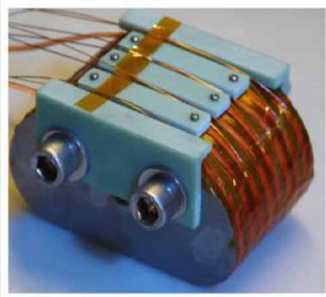
doubles  $B_{max}$  with respect to NbTi-SCUs @4.2 K



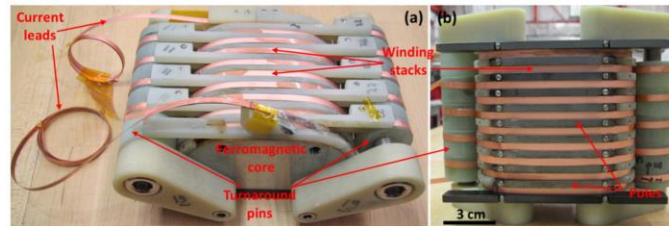
# HTS undulators: possible geometries

- HTS (High Temperature Superconducting) tapes and bulks
  - Not yet demonstrated in accelerator environment
  - HTS tape: Noell, KIT, ANL, FNAL and EuXFEL started

## Planar HTS SCUs



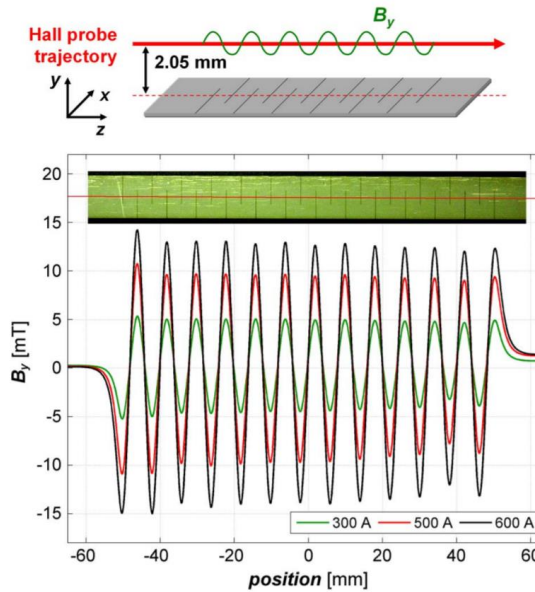
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I. Kesgin et al., SUST 30 04LT01 2017

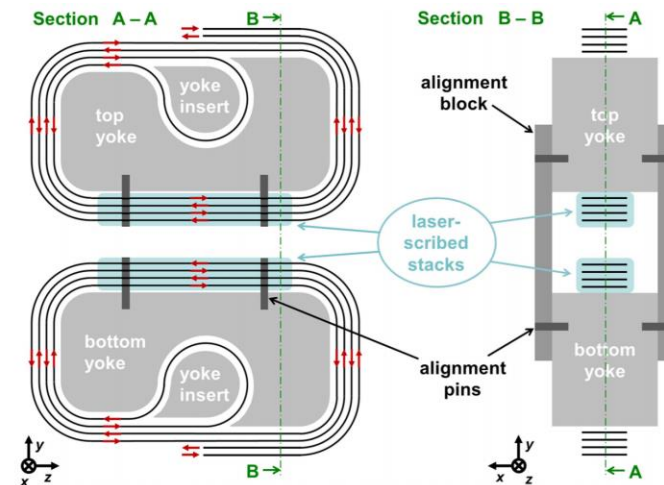
Period length = 16 mm  
 m. gap = 9.5 mm  
 Estimated  
 B = 1.0 T more than 30% NbTi@4K

## HTS structured SCU



Period length = 8 mm  
 m. gap = 2.5 mm  
 Estimated  
 w = 12 mm B = 1.0 T  
 w > 20 mm B = 1.4 T

T. Holubek et al., IEEE Trans. on Appl. Supercond. 4602204 Vol. 23-3 (2013)



T. Holubek et al., SUST 30 115002 2017

## HTS tape SCUs



### Advantages:

- Higher peak field on axis with respect to PMUs and other SCUs
- The large temperature margin of the HTS allows to operate these coils at higher temperatures without losing in magnetic field performance, leading to more robust and/or sustainable operation with reduced cooling power
- Compared to presently under development bulk HTS SCUs concepts, HTS tape SCUs allow practical tunability of the magnetic field and therefore photon energy

### Open issues:

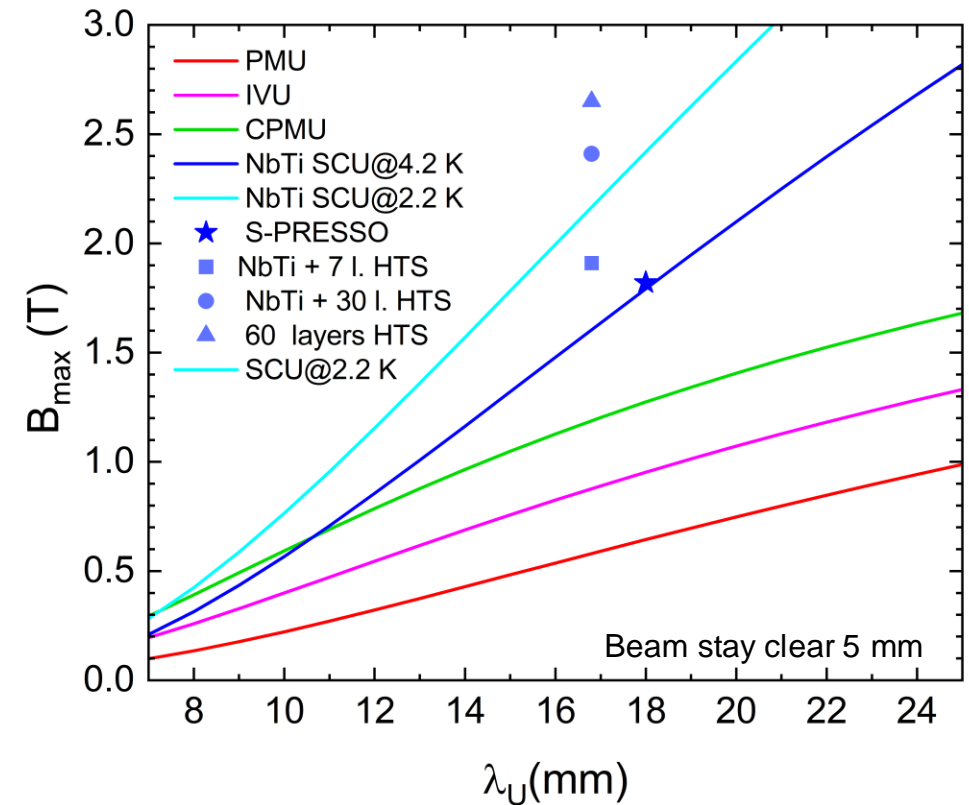
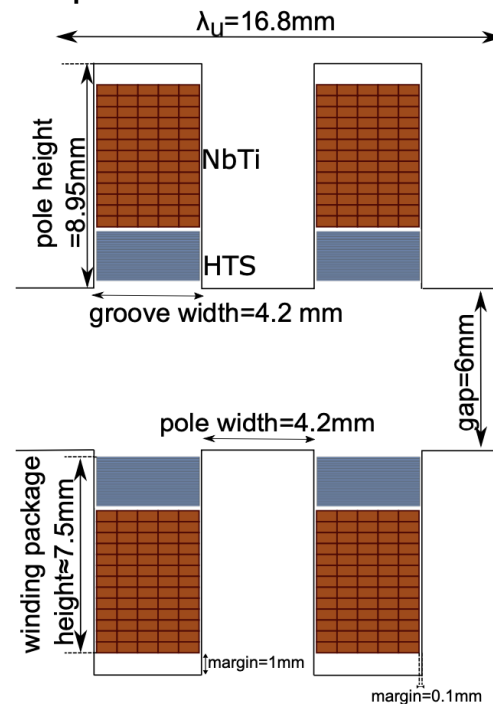
- Uniformity, repeatability, mechanical properties, quench protection, available length for the tape, and production rate of high quality HTS tape and bulk

### HTS undulator technology is yet to be tested in a light source

# HybriSCU

- HybriSCU, a graded SCU combining NbTi and HTS tape has been proposed and studied
  - To use the high engineering current density of the HTS tape in the most effective location
  - To increase  $B_{max}$  and take advantage of the larger temperature margin of HTS tapes

Hybrid NbTi/HTS tape



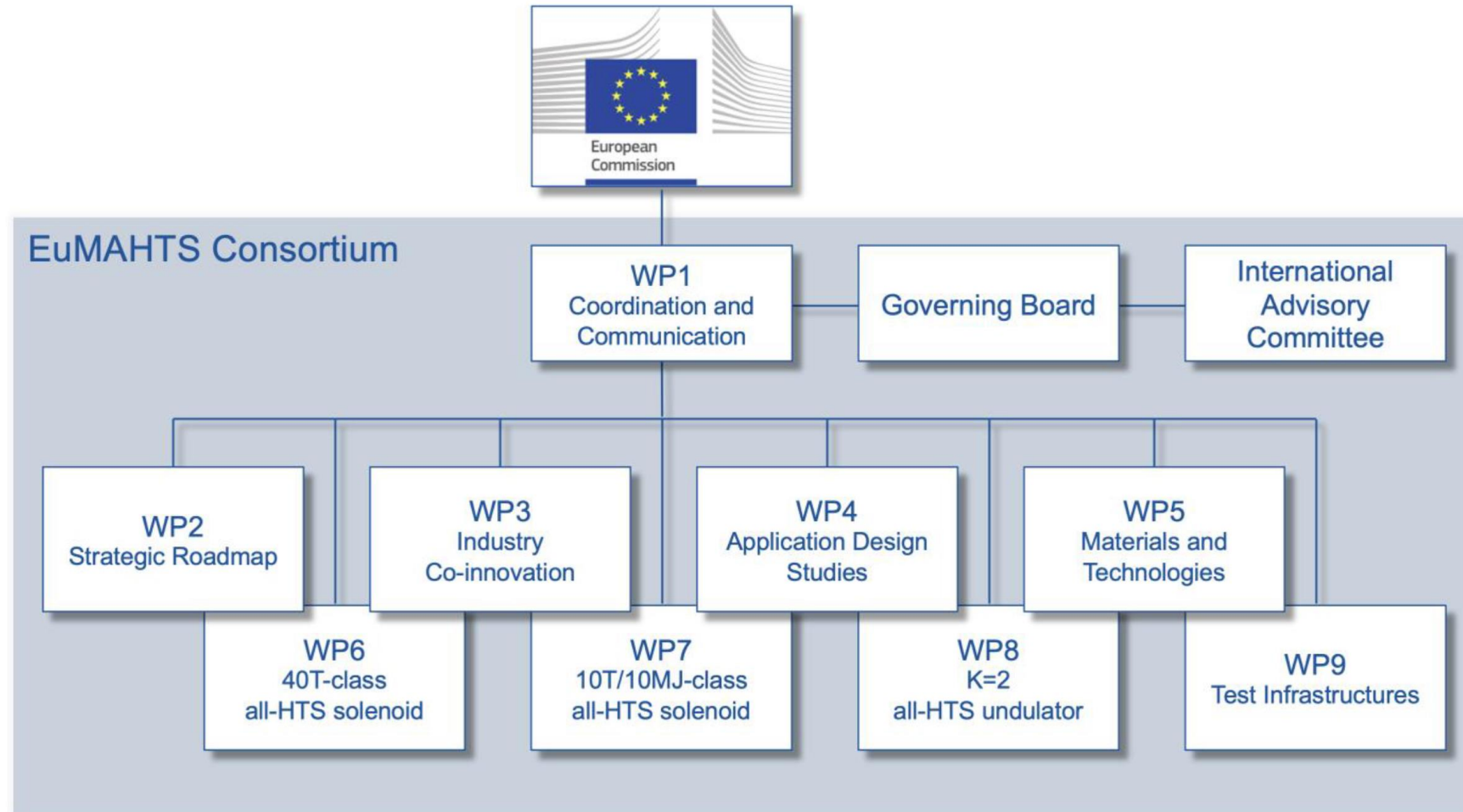


## EuMAHTS

- The prime objective of EuMAHTS (Magnet technology Advances for European research infrastructures through HTS) is to advance High Temperature Superconductor (HTS) magnet technology and demonstrate the perceived disruptive potential of this class of superconductors for multiple fields of scientific and societal application.
- Demonstrate higher magnetic field reach, but also to develop technology for energy efficient, compact, cost effective, and sustainable device
- Designing, building and testing three prototype magnets that implement a high degree of technology innovation
- Prepare European industry response to upcoming requests for such magnets, as well as facilitate market penetration of HTS magnet technology in a near future

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# EuMAHTS



WP8 – K=2 All-HTS Undulator, will design, produce and test a high field, short period undulator with technology relevant to achieve a 2 T field target, <15 mm period and 5 mm gap



## EuMAHTS

- WP8 Objectives: Design, fabrication, and test an all-high-temperature superconductor (HTS) short period undulator ( $K=2$ ,  $B=2T$ ,  $p<15\text{mm}$ ,  $g=5\text{mm}$ ) to demonstrate the superior magnetic field performance of HTS compared to NbTi.
  - T8.1 – Coordination
  - T8.2 - Engineering design
  - T8.3 – Samples and models
  - T8.4 – Prototype fabrication
  - T8.5 – Prototype test and analysis

## Summary

- HTS tape SCUs have the potential to substantially outperform NbTi SCUs
- Presented advantages and open issues with respect to other technologies including HTS bulk SCUs
- HTS undulator technology is yet to be tested in a light source
- EuMAHTS proposal
- **It's time to invest more resources in applying HTS tape for SCUs!**

# Thank you for your attention !