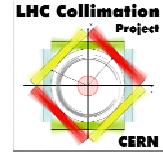




# The LHC Collimation project



## *LHC Collimators for Phase 1*

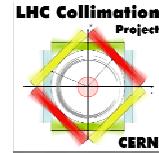
**Comparative Thermo-mechanical  
Analysis of Collimators  
(Different materials and different  
energy distribution)**

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# Thermo-mechanical Analysis



## Outline

- **General Hypotheses**
- **The FEM full-scale model**
- **Temperature distribution**
- **FEM analysis**
- **Results**



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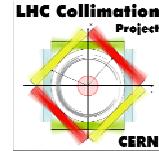


## General Hypotheses

- Water inlet temperature: **27°C**
- Water flow rate (per pipe): **5l/min (2.95m/s)**
- FLUKA Energy depositions:
  - Nominal Conditions  
V.V. 13.01.04 (symmetric) **6.2kW at 0.8e11p/s**
  - Nominal Conditions (worst case equiv.)  
V.V. Sept. 04 (non-symmetric) **TCS.B2 from TCP3**
  - **4.5kW at 0.8e11p/s.**  
**TCSG.A6.L1**
- Spring preload (avg. pressure): **3 bar**
- Materials:
  - AC150K 2-D C/C (properties as experimentally measured)
  - R4550 Isotropic Graphite (properties as experimentally measured)



# Thermo-mechanical Analysis



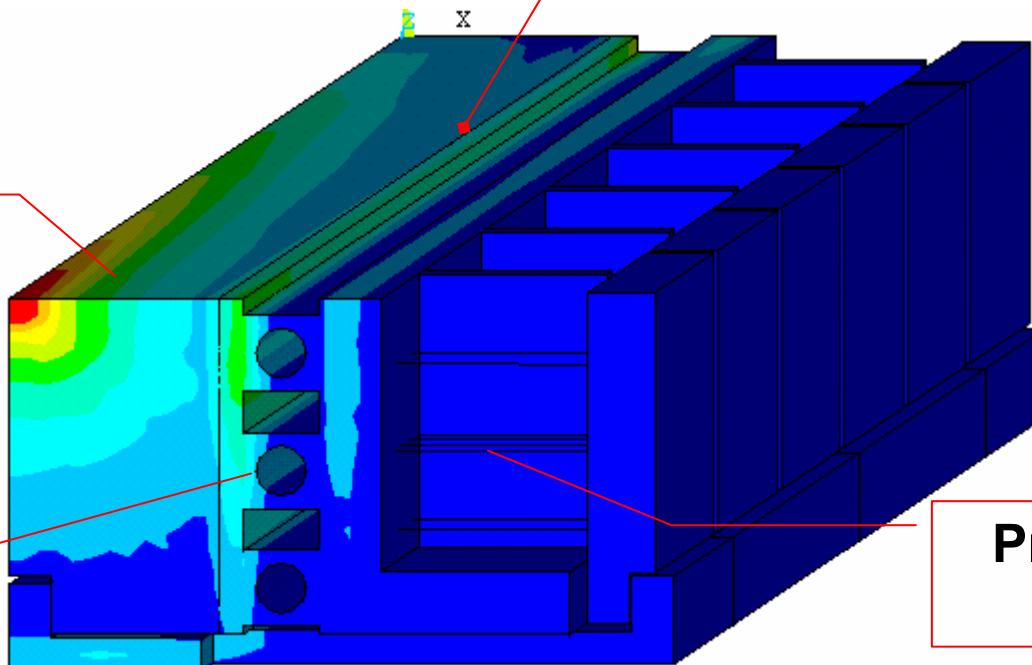
## FEM Model for 3-D analysis

Temperature  
dependent  
properties

Deposited  
Power ( $\text{W/m}^3$ )

Convection  
( $12360 \text{W/m}^2/\text{K}$ )

Contact elem.  
(Friction +  
Therm. Cond.)



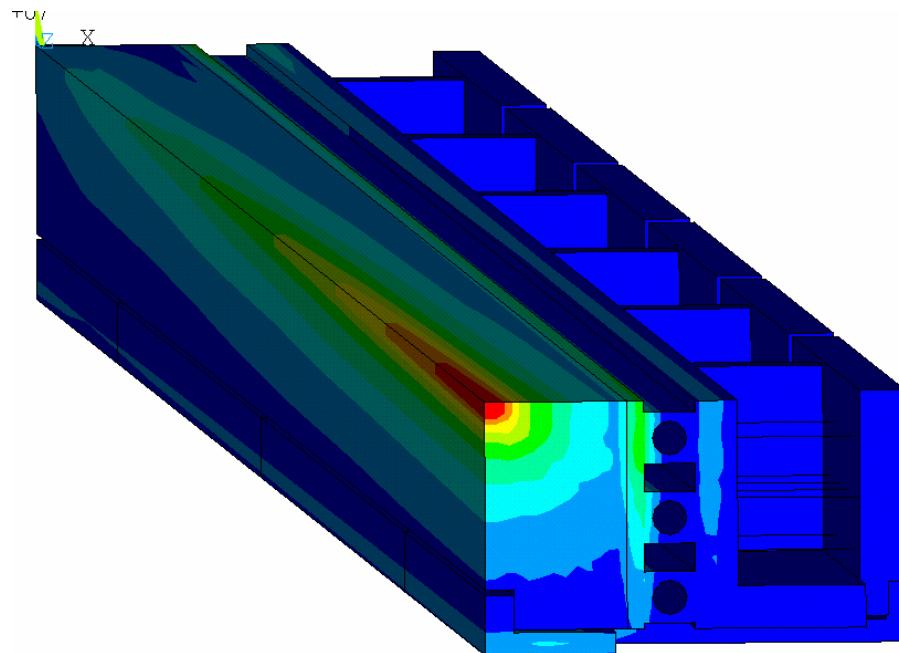


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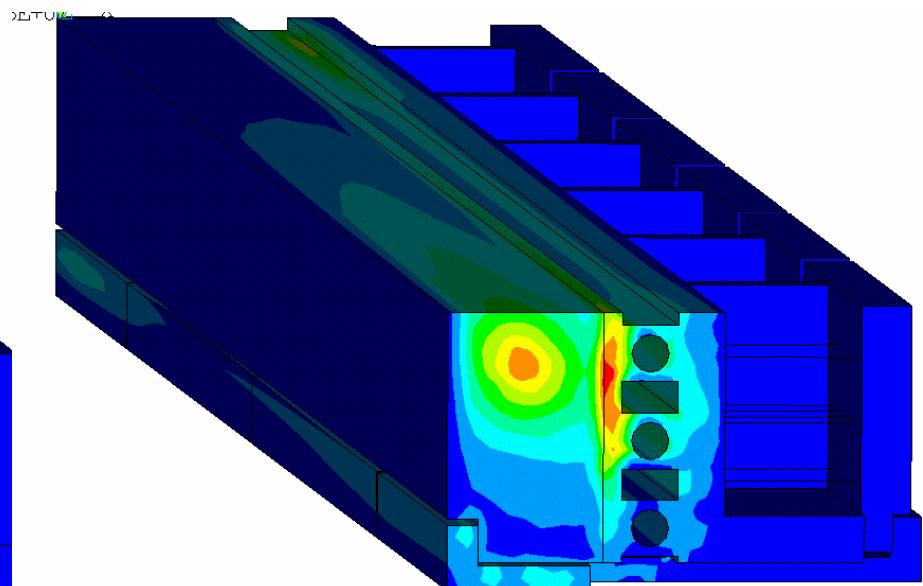


Nominal conditions:  $0.8 \times 10^{11} \text{ p/s}$  7TeV Steady-state

Symmetric Power Density Distribution



Unsymymmetric Power Density Distribution





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## Mechanical properties of C/C and Graphite (excerpts)

	<b>AC150K C/C 2D (z direction)</b>	<b>R4550 Graphite</b>
<b>CTE @ RT <math>\alpha</math> [<math>^{\circ}\text{K}^{-1}</math>]</b>	<b>-1.5e-6</b>	<b>4.3e-6</b>
<b>Young Modulus <math>E</math> [GPa]</b>	<b>76.84</b>	<b>11.5</b>

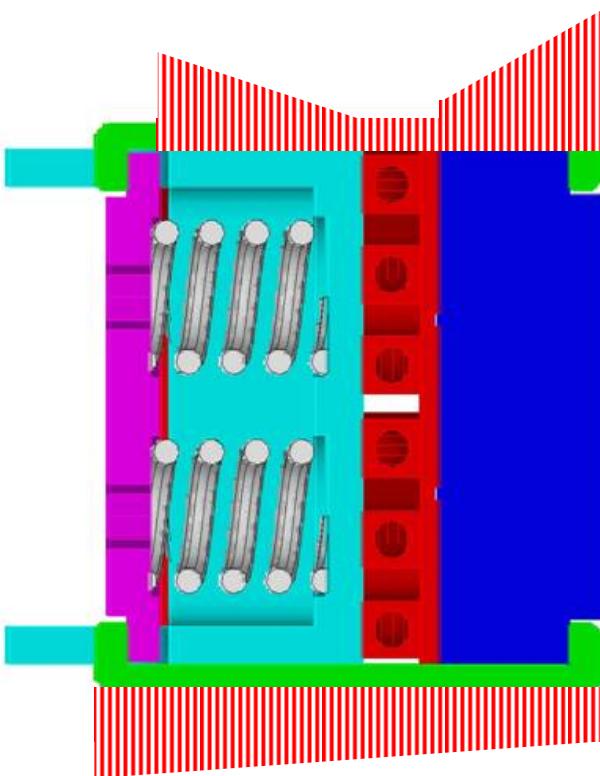


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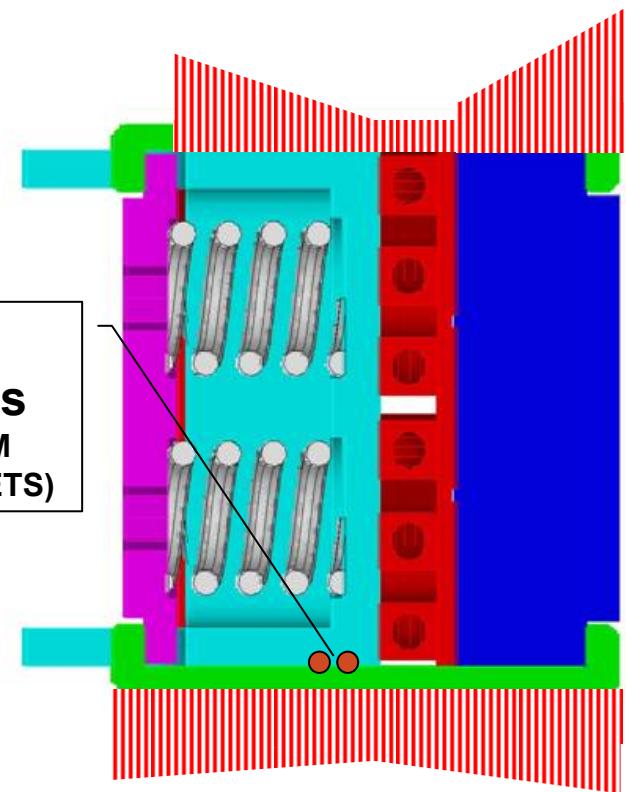
## Temperature distribution with updated design

Previous set-up



Current Set-up with a new contact surface

**Contact  
C\_bar – Clamps  
(COPPER-BERILLIUM  
SPIRAL SHIELD GASKETS)**





# Thermo-mechanical Analysis



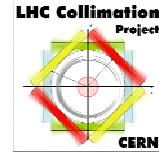
## Thermal analysis

Nominal conditions:  $0.8 \times 10^{11}$  p/s 7TeV Steady-state

	AC150 C/C 2D	R4550 Graphite
Symmetric Power Density Distribution	48[°C]	52[°C]
Unsymmetrical Power Density Distribution	43[°C]	47 [°C]

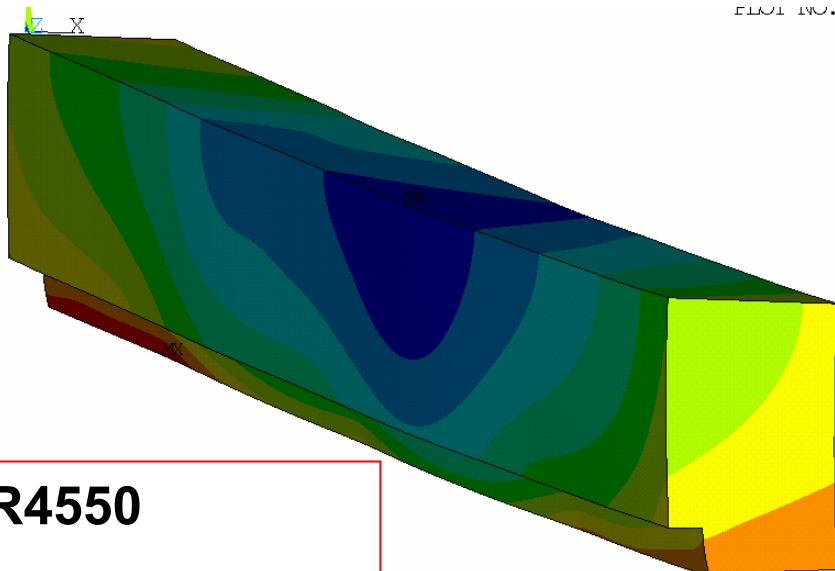


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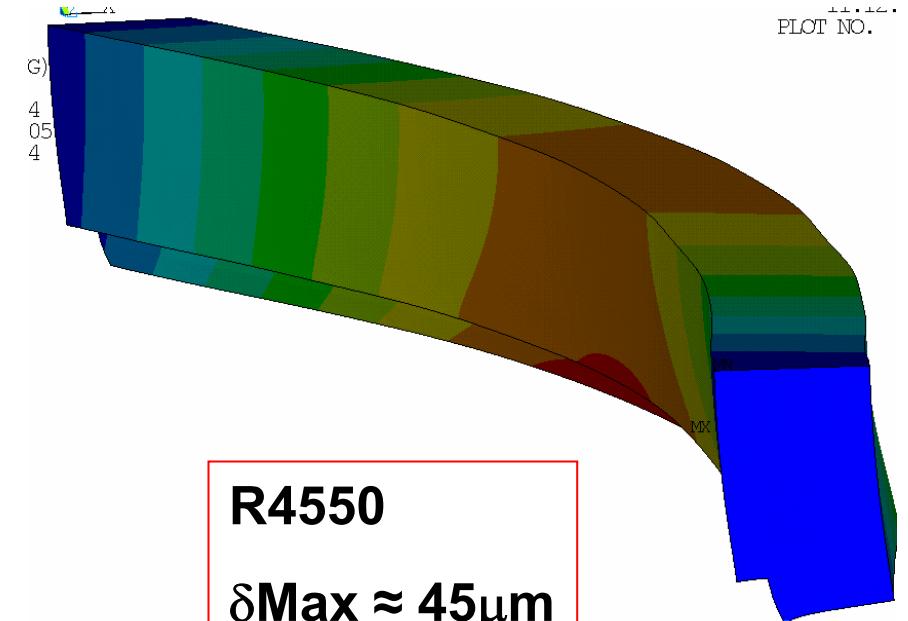


Displacement analysis – Isotropic graphite  
Nominal conditions:  $0.8e11 p/s$  7TeV Steady-state

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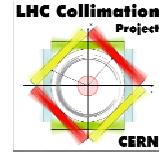


Unsymymmetric Power Density Distribution



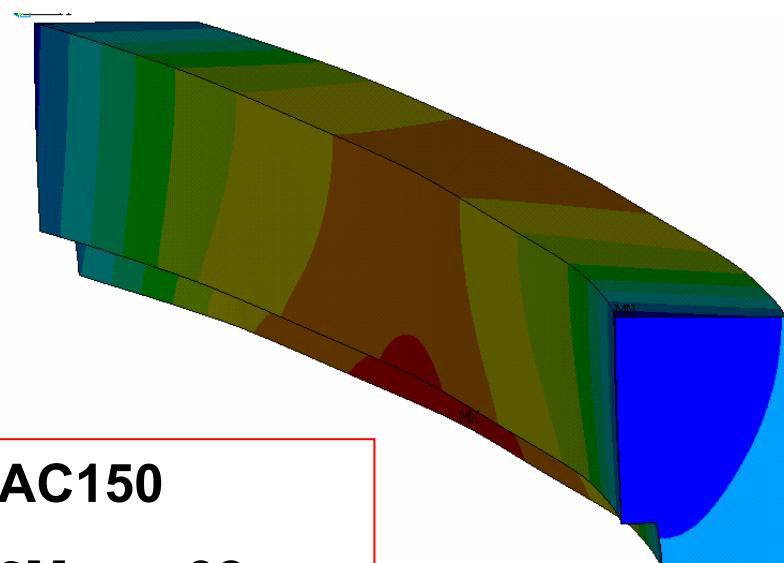


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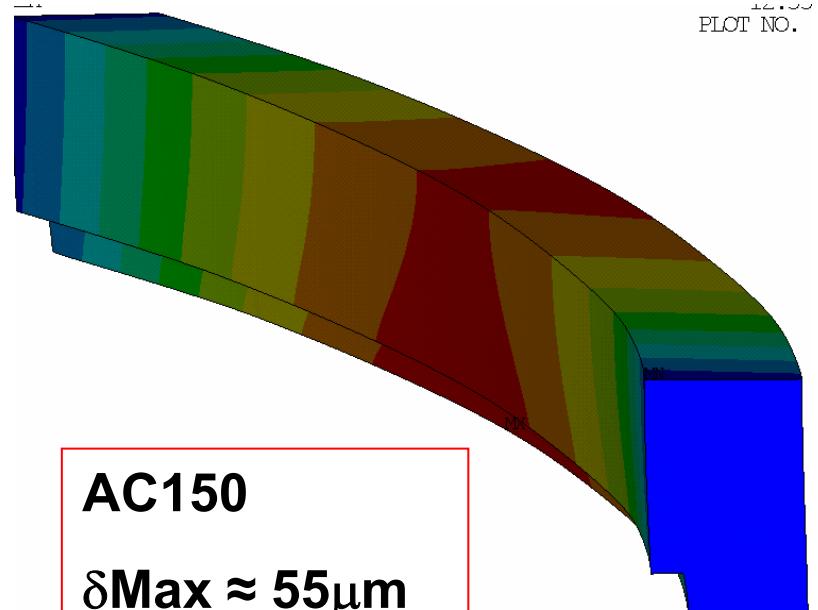


Displacement analysis – 2D C/C composite  
Nominal conditions:  $0.8 \times 10^{11}$  p/s 7TeV Steady-state

Symmetric Power Density Distribution

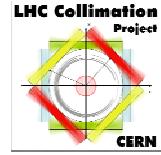


Unsymymmetric Power Density Distribution





# Thermo-mechanical Analysis



## Conclusions

- Both materials and both Fluka distributions give acceptable temperature values (springs not included)
- New Fluka distribution worsens maximum deflections for both materials in steady-state (8e10 p/s)
- 2D - C/C with negative CTE is better than graphite in terms of T distribution, but worse for displacements.
- Newly added contact surface improves significantly thermal deflections, making the system less sensible to jaw material and overall more stable
- Transient analysis ongoing ... (possible problems with unsymmetric pwr distribution)