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# **Advanced Aeropower Technology**

## **Integrated Power Management & High Efficiency Superconducting Electric Rotating Machinery**

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# Outline

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  - FAMU-FSU College of Engineering
  - Center for Advanced Power Systems & Magnet Lab
- Relevant Experience and Related Activities
  - All-electric ship initiative (ONR)
  - Other CAPS programs
- Power Technology Component of URETI
  - Overall vision
  - Fuel cells
  - Integrated power management, new network topologies
  - Superconducting rotating machinery for reduced space and weight (aircraft application)



# FAMU-FSU College of Engineering



HBCU, part of the Florida Public University System  
~ 15,000 students



Research I university, part of the Florida Public University System  
~ 35,000 students

- Off-campus for both universities
- All faculty with dual appointment

- Independent admission, math & science track, and degrees
- Full integration for engineering curriculum

# FAMU-FSU COE by the numbers

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- Founded in 1982
- 5 Departments ~ 2000 students (1700 undergrad, 300 grad)
  - Electrical Engineering: 600 (550 BS, 40 MS, 10 PhD)
  - Mechanical Engineering: 400 (300 BS, 50 MS, 50 PhD)
  - Chemical Engineering: 350 (300 BS, 30 MS, 20 PhD)
  - Civil Engineering: 350 (300 BS, 30 MS, 20 PhD)
  - Industrial Engineering: 300 (250 BS, 40 MS, 10 PhD)
- Engineering education for under-represented minorities
  - 55% African-American
  - 25% Women (over half African-American)
  - Breakdown by university:
    - BS: 45% FAMU, 55% FSU
    - MS: 25% FAMU, 75% FSU
    - PhD: 10% FAMU, 90% FSU
- ~ \$15M/yr (about 1/3 Mech. Eng. alone) in direct research funding, plus access to extra funding and collaborations through affiliated research centers



# Affiliated Centers (Partial List)

FAMU-FSU College of Engineering



National High Magnetic Field Laboratory

- Magnet Science & Technology
- Condensed Matter Physics
- \$30M/yr funded mostly by NSF



Center for Advanced Power Systems

- Power Engineering
- Superconductivity and Power Tech.
- \$6M/yr mostly from ONR



Materials Research & Technology

- Basic materials research
- \$2M/yr mostly from the State of Florida





# National High Magnetic Field Laboratory



# CAPS (Center for Advanced Power Systems)

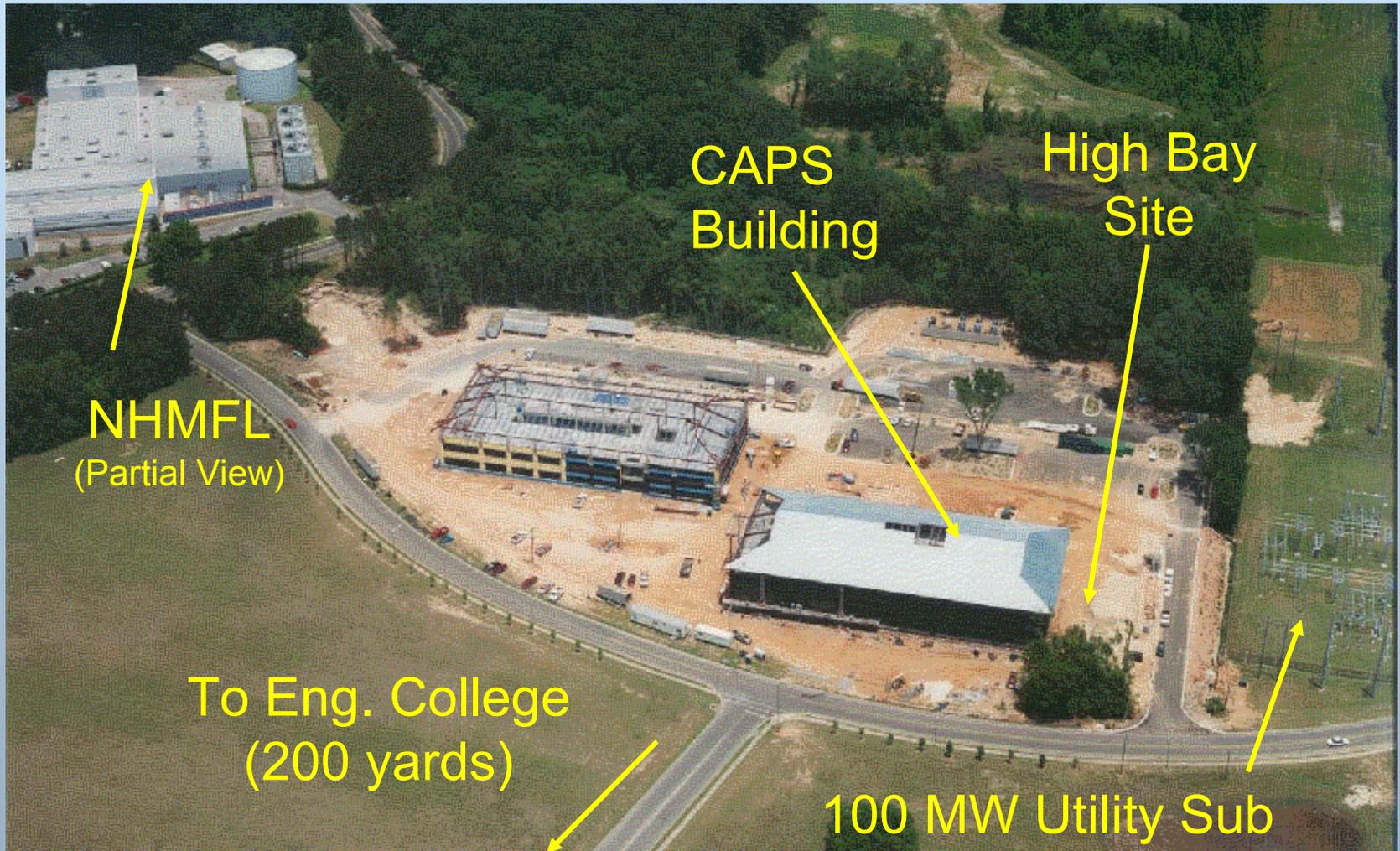
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- Established in 2000 with grant from ONR as part of all-electric ship initiative, with the following goals:
  - Lead the resurgence of interest in power engineering
  - Establish a world class research center and facility focusing on power system issues
  - Develop a world class engineering education program
    - Undergraduate
    - Graduate
    - Continuing
  - Establish wide spectrum of interactions
    - Government – Federal, DOD, DOE – State
    - Industrial – Military and Commercial
    - Academic – Other Universities
  - Be a National Center for Power Engineering Research



# CAPS Facilities



# CAPS Research Infrastructure

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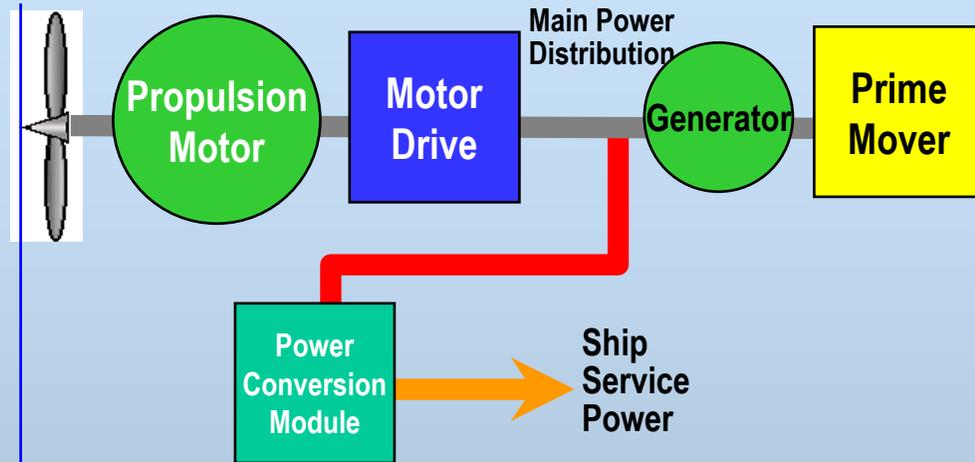
- New Building
  - Site in Innovation Park, Tallahassee, between substation and NHMFL, near engineering school
  - Completion 12/31/02
    - Offices occupied 1Q/03
    - Phase I of test facilities complete 3Q/03
  - Space
    - Office - for 48 persons - 10,000 SF
    - Classrooms – 4,000 SF
    - Labs - 10,000 SF
    - High Bay Area - 4,000 SF
    - Yard space – 14,000 SF
    - Total Program Area – 40,000 SF (approx.)
  - All necessary infrastructure to establish a power engineering program



# Electric Ship Concept

## Definition

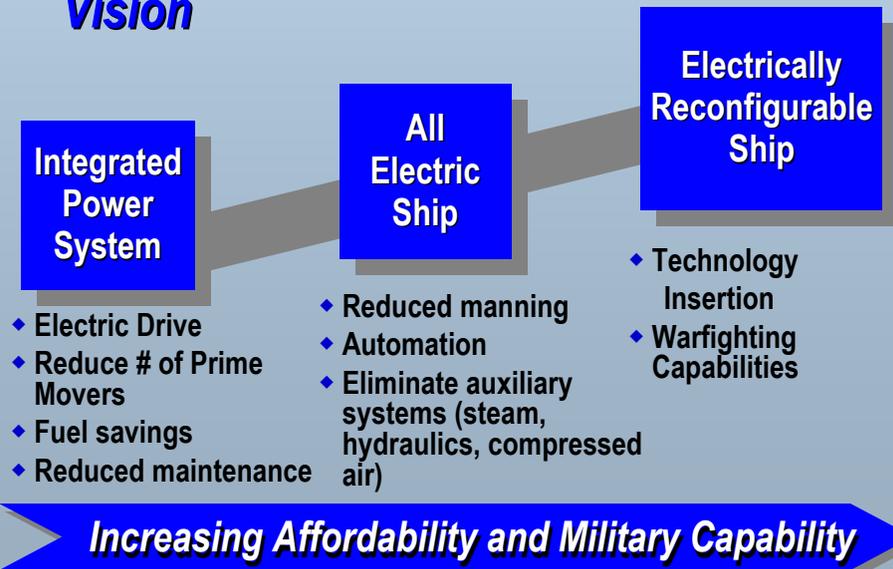
Ship electric power system which integrates power generation, electric propulsion, ship service distribution, combat systems support, and power management



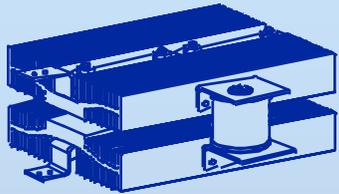
## Why Integrated Power Systems?

- Warfighting Improvements
  - Rapid Reconfiguration of power
  - Enables advanced pulse-power weapons
- Reduced Cost
  - Improved fuel economy from more efficient loading
  - Reduced manning from reduced prime movers
- Reduced Noise
  - Eliminates gear ( motor noise is lower level and better controlled)
  - Enables lower speed propellers
- Naval Architecture Flexibility

## Vision

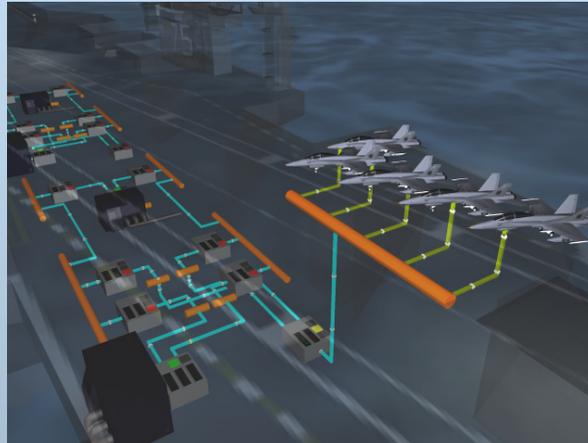


# Key All-Electric Ship Technologies



## Power Electronics

- Reduces cost
- Increases power density



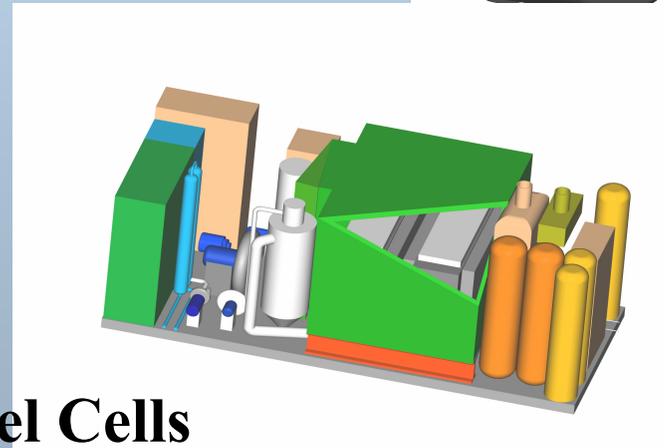
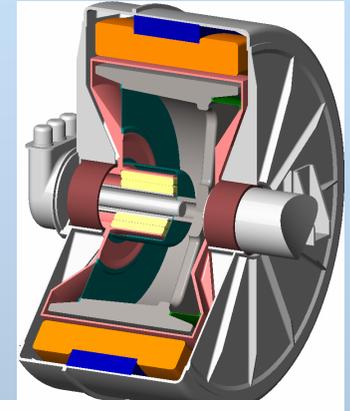
## Advanced Linear Motor

## System Modeling

- Integration
- Controls

## Advanced Motors (incl. s/c)

- Increases power density



## Fuel Cells

- Fuel efficiency
- Reliability

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# **CAPS: Areas of Work**

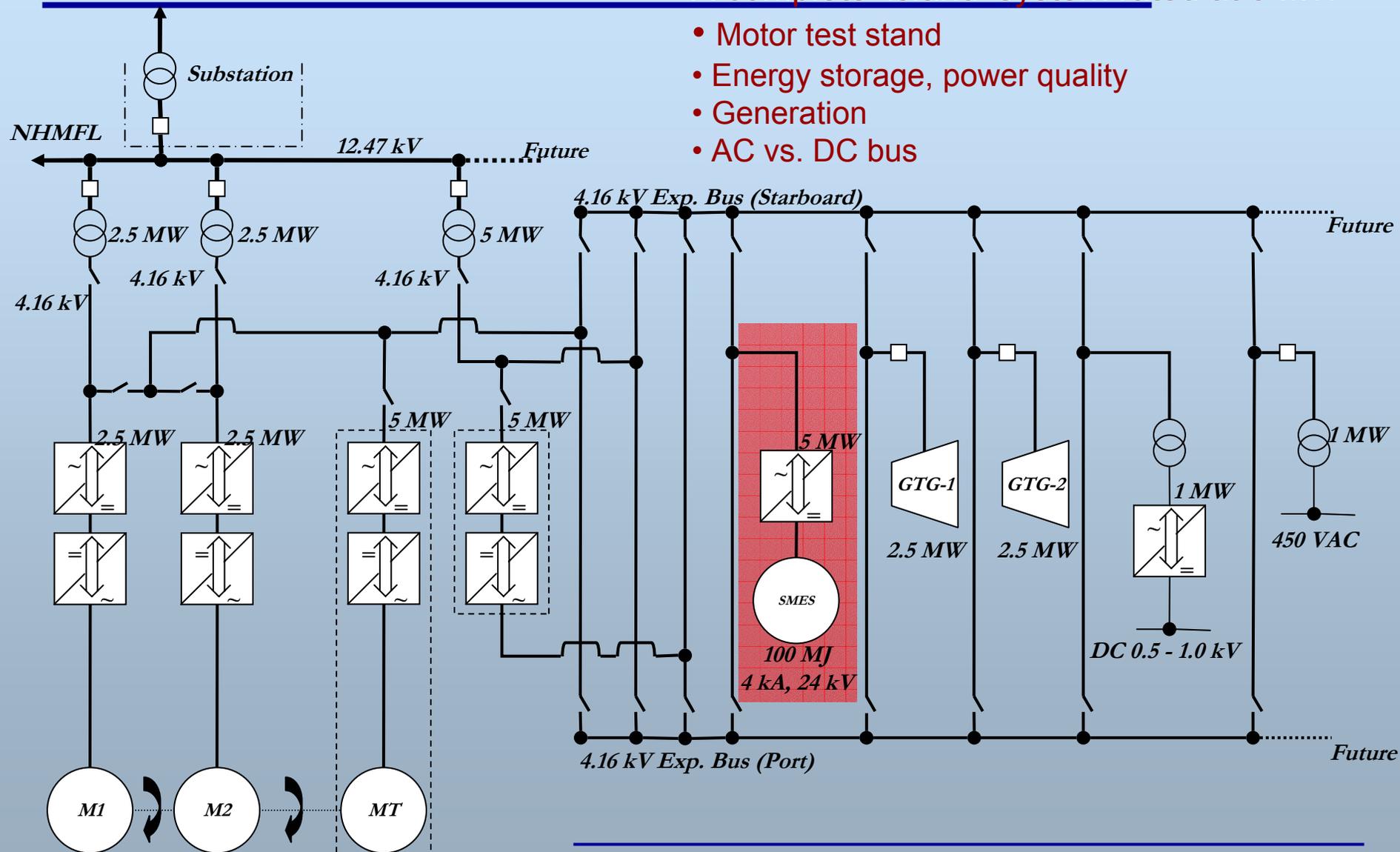
## Major Initiatives and Research Programs



# CAPS Test Bed Facility

A complete 'island' system rated at 5 MW

- Motor test stand
- Energy storage, power quality
- Generation
- AC vs. DC bus



# Commissioning @ CAPS: Hardware in the Loop Simulation

**Real Time Simulator**  
Model of the ship's power system with dynamics up to 3 kHz

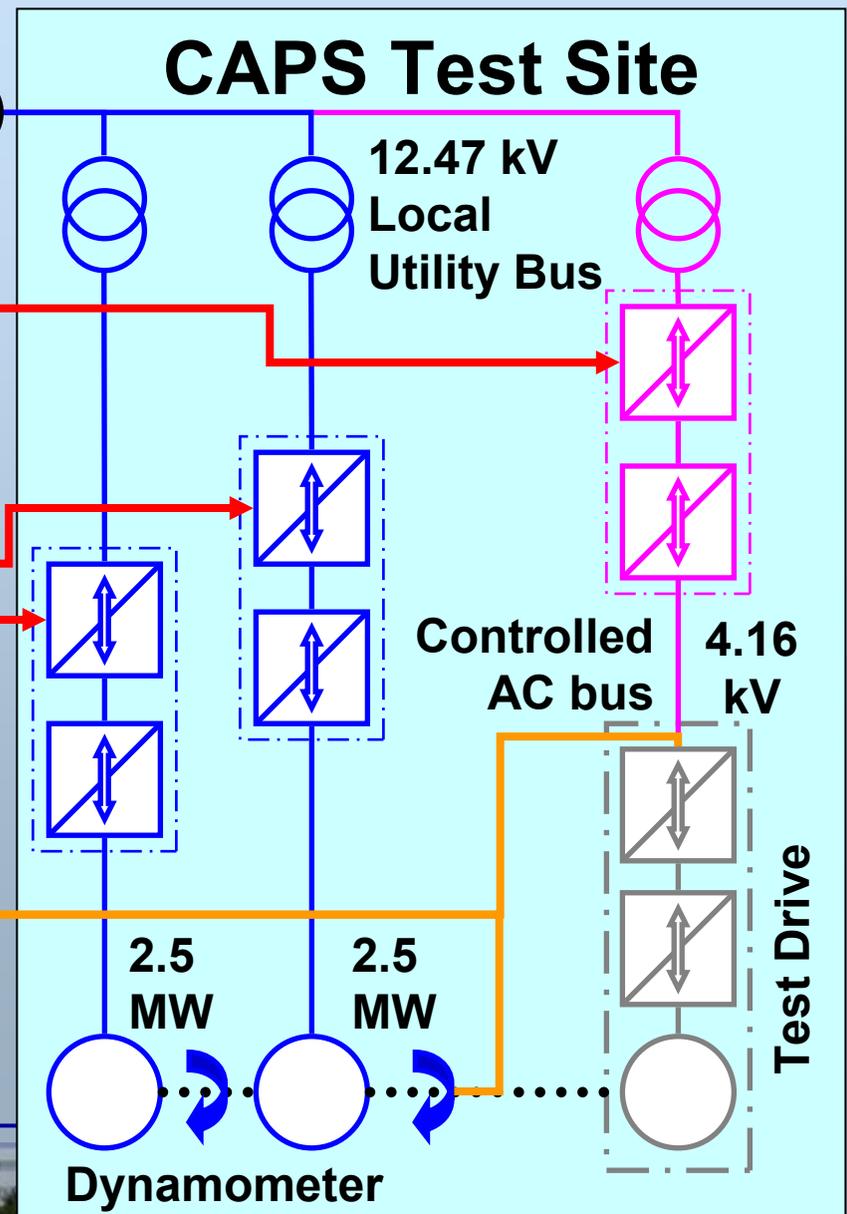


**Simulate Generator Bus**

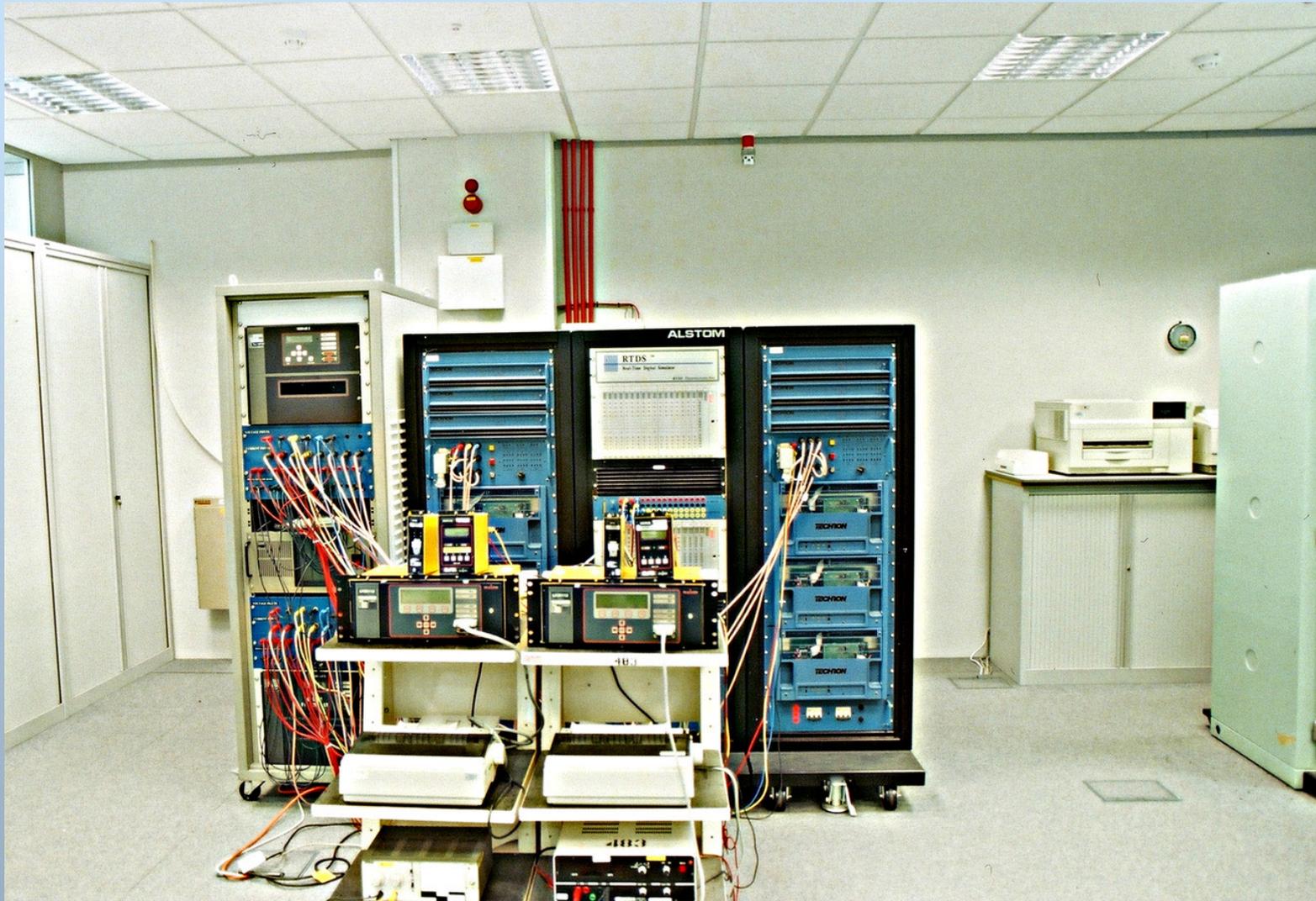
**Simulate Propulsion System**

**Feedback Measured Data**

115 kV Utility Grid



# RTDS linked to relays

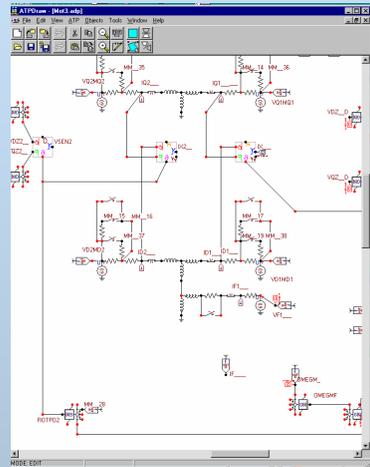


# Current Work: Healy Project

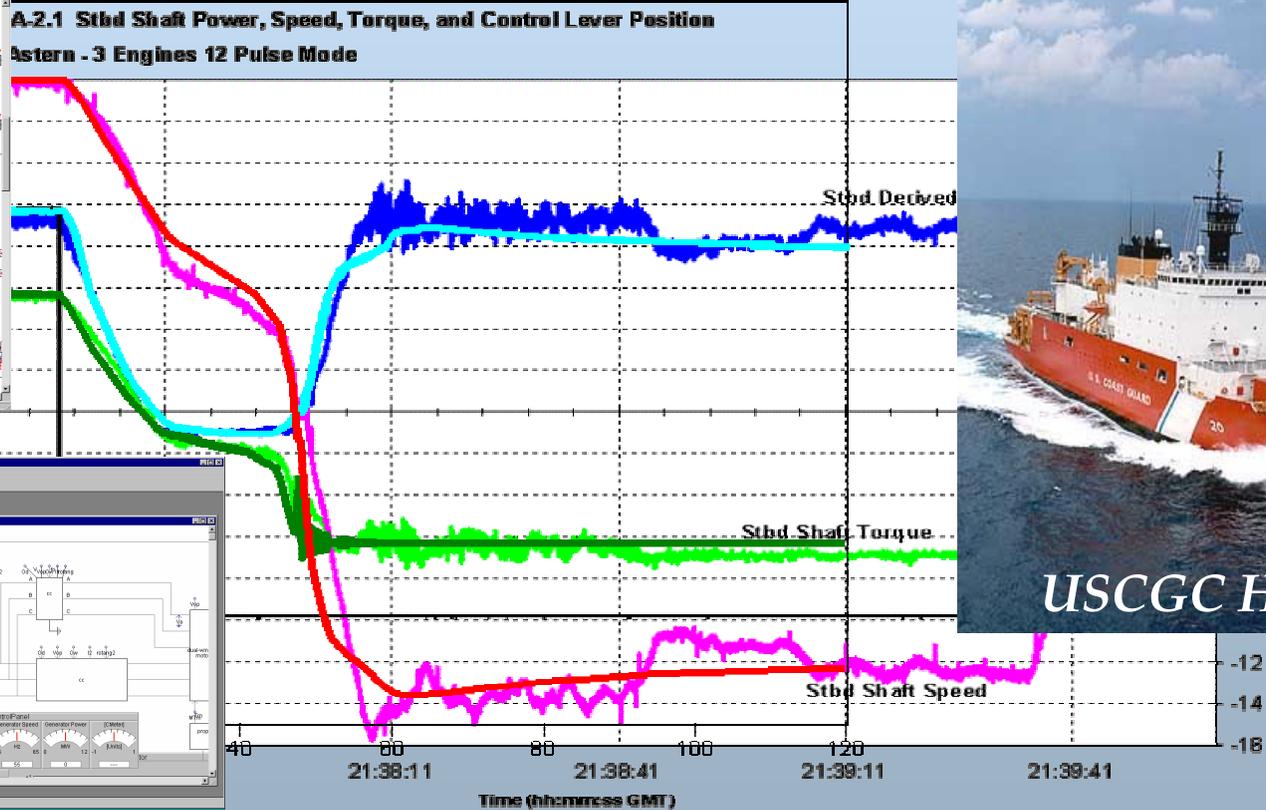
Existing Software



Operational Ship



Test A-2 (RPM, TRQ, D-PWR)



USCGC Healy

## Capability for Simulating Marine Propulsion Systems

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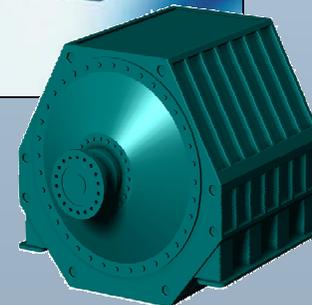
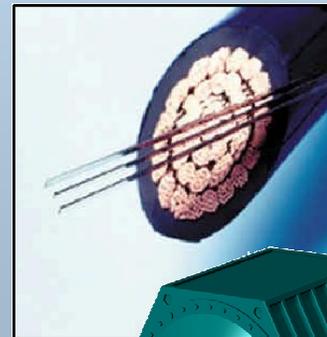
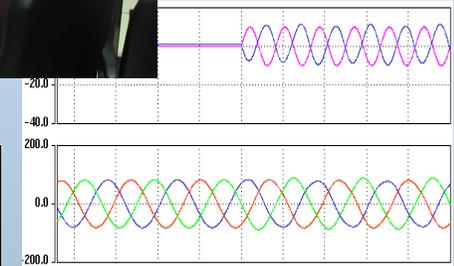
# URETI Activities

Integrated Power Management  
&  
High Efficiency Superconducting Electric Rotating Machinery



# Power-related activities @ FAMU

- Integrated Power Management
  - Study relevant power network architectures
  - Apply real-time digital simulator to aircraft power systems
  - Trade-off studies
  - Integration of new technologies (e.g., fuel cells)
- High Efficiency Superconducting Electric Rotating Machinery
  - Concurrent effort on all-electric ship
  - Reduced volume and weight for electric motors



# Integrated Power Management Electrical Network Architecture

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- Objectives
  - Examine the impact of distributed generation, automatic reconfiguration (damage control), power electronics, and superconductivity on aircraft power systems
  - Provide simulation capabilities to examine the performance of individual components and control strategies
  - Provide input to guide fuel cell development efforts to better match optimum electrical network configuration
- Relevance/Impact
  - Increased reliability, safety, and performance through redundancy and reconfigurability
  - Provide platform for testing new concepts and technologies for power distribution networks applicable to aircraft



# Integrated Power Management Electrical Network Architecture

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- Activity Leader: Dr. Tom Baldwin, Assistant Professor, Electrical Engineering
- Level of Activity:
  - Research Associate/Post-Doc: 1 @ 50%
  - Graduate students: 1 @ 100%
  - Undergraduate students: 2 @ 100% (summer only)
  - Undergraduate students project: 1 project team per year
- First Year Activities and Deliverables:
  - Model the electrical system architecture of a small aircraft (e.g., Gulfstream jet) on the real-time digital simulator system
  - set up evaluation criteria and procedures to proceed with modeling of larger aircraft, or for trade studies on small systems



# Integrated Power Management Proposed Approach (I)

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- Leverage experience gained with USCG Healy project to develop model of aircraft electrical network using existing tools (technology cross-fertilization)
- Examine alternative system configurations using real-time digital simulation (RTDS)
  - model a base-line electric power system for the specified aircraft on the real-time digital simulator
  - create alternative designs of the power system and perform a comparison analysis (i.e. distributed generation and energy storage)
  - Establish requirements for fuel cell development applicable for aircraft application



# Integrated Power Management Proposed Approach (II)

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- RTDS modeling of power system of a small aircraft
  - Start with small aircraft (e.g. Gulfstream jet)
  - Future modeling involving more complex systems (larger aircraft)
- Conduct technical trade-off studies
  - Integration of fuel cells as an alternative power source
    - Impact of replacing APU with fuel cells
  - Performance analysis based on:
    - AC vs. DC
    - Voltage level
  - Sensitivity analysis of power system parameters



# Integrated Power Management Proposed Approach (III)

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- Study aircraft electrical system architecture
  - validate simulation software for design applications by modeling an existing small aircraft to compare simulations with actual data
  - identify simulation and modeling problem areas and define further development needs
  - model the power system and controls on the RTDS
  - simulate failures and damage to the aircraft power system and analyze the system responses and ability to restore power to critical flight systems
- Analyze the impact of new devices and technologies on performance
  - develop and insert RTDS simulator models for new technologies (i.e. fuel cell, superconducting machines and power electronics devices)



# Advanced Aeropower Technology

## High efficiency superconducting electric motor

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- Objectives
  - Establish targets for aircraft-based s/c motors
  - Develop s/c motor concepts to reach targets
  - Integrate to other technologies for new concepts of all-electric aircraft
  
- Relevance/Impact
  - Low weight/volume electric motors
  - Increased use of electrical actuators, elimination of mechanical/hydraulic systems
  - Enabling technology for all-electric aircraft concept



# High Efficiency Superconducting Motor

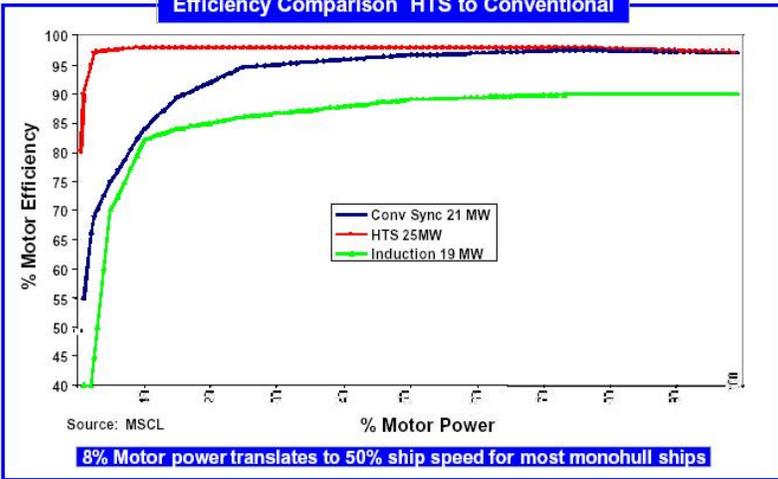
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  - Undergraduate students project: 1 project team per year
- First Year Activities and Deliverables:
  - Survey of relevant experience for superconducting rotating machinery in the power range of interest
  - Develop database of material properties and technology status for the development of an s/c motor design
  - Establish targets for development program and design envelope for future tasks



# Why superconducting motors?

Efficiency Comparison HTS to Conventional



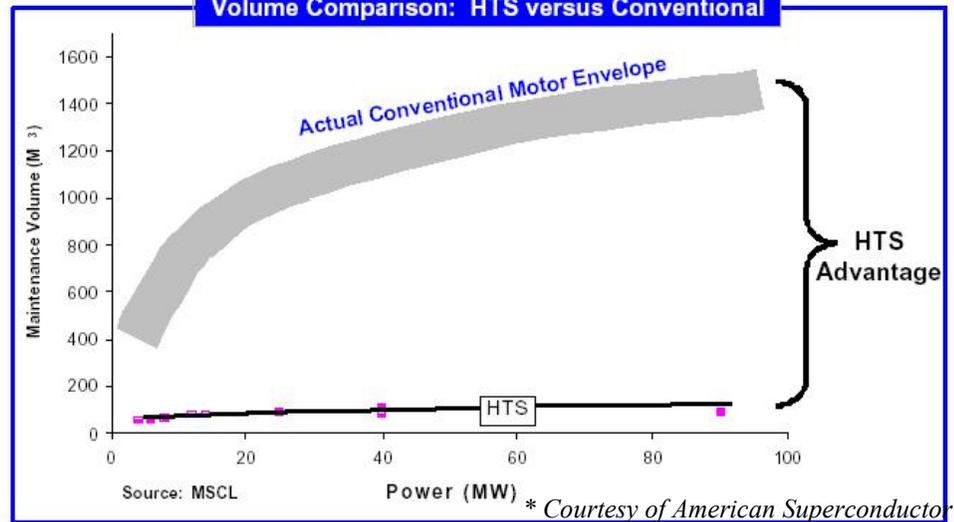
Efficiency

Volume/Weight

## Challenge:

To extend size advantage to lower power ratings (relevant to aircraft application)

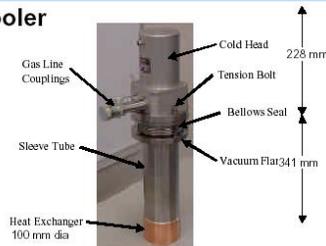
Volume Comparison: HTS versus Conventional



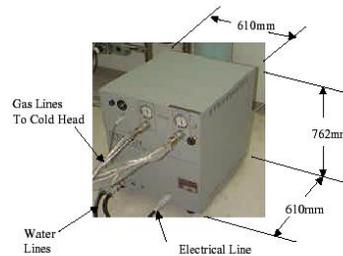
# Enabling technologies

## High Capacity Single Stage GM Cooler

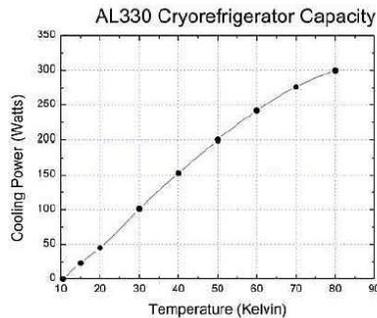
- Wire cost/performance optimization suggests operating with a winding temperature of 20-40K for most motor applications.
- Gifford McMahon cryocooler output at 30 K has improved by nearly a factor of 4 over the past 5 years.
- MTBF of similar GM coolers exceeds 9 years



Cold Head



Compressor

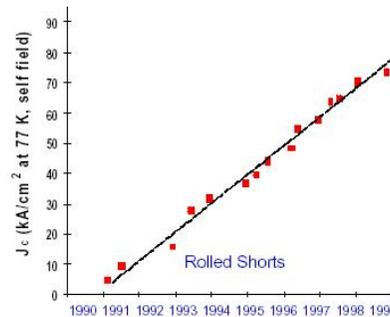


## Cryocoolers

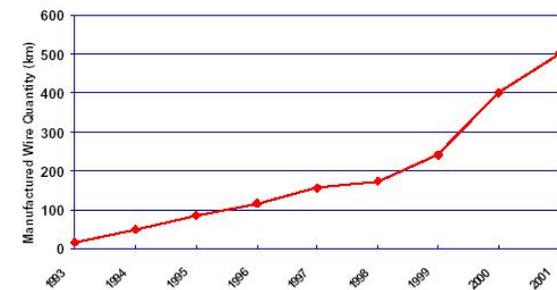
## HTS superconducting wire

### HTS Wire

### Multifilamentary Bi-2223 Wire Progress at AMSC



### High Performance Tape Creates Manufacturing Capacity



\* Courtesy of American Superconductor

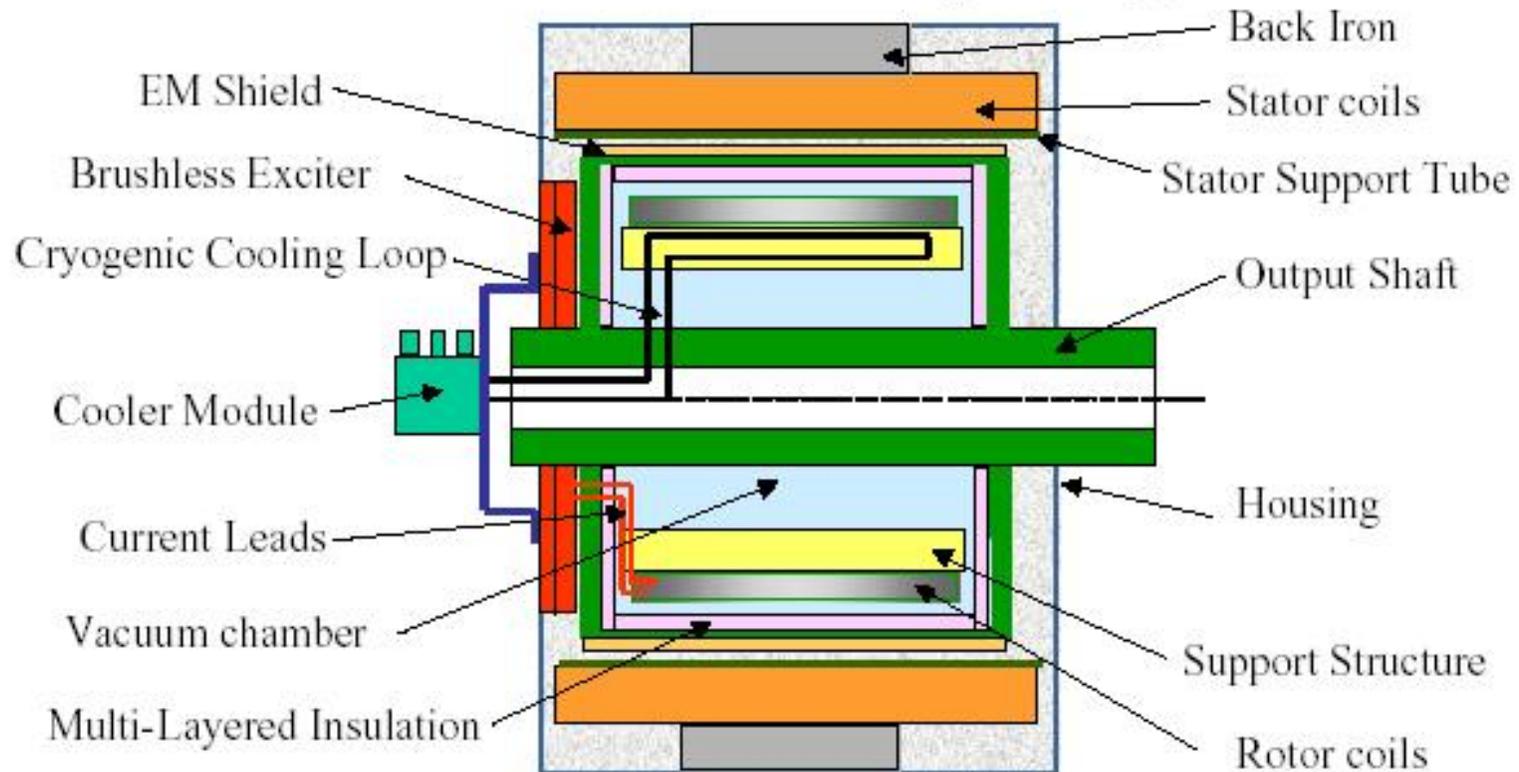
Increasing Availability and Performance

## Challenges:

- Integrate and take advantage of new technologies
- Application of low AC-loss wire
- Aggressive targets for operational parameters (high-B)

# Notional design

## HTS Machine Topology



\* Courtesy of American Superconductor

# Superconducting Motors

## Proposed Approach (I)

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- Develop database of relevant material properties (superconductor, insulation, cryogenic, etc.) for the design of high-performance s/c motors
  - Benchmark state-of-the-art in all technical areas of relevance for a superconducting motor
    - HTS materials
    - Cryocoolers
    - Insulators
- Establish power rating targets for aircraft-relevant motors. Develop performance targets for s/c motor (power density, weight, etc.)
  - Evaluate prior experience
  - Assess potential gains in performance (weight, size, etc.)
  - Reconcile with program needs (system integration)



# Superconducting Motors

## Proposed Approach (II)

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- Develop motor concepts capable of attaining targets. Perform trade-off to select most promising concept. Proceed with a detailed design of the s/c motor based on the preferred concept
- Integrate findings from this task to subtasks on electrical network architecture (Baldwin) and SO fuel cell studies (Parekh), as well as overall system integration tasks (Mavris)
- Determine best path for a prototype development program (sub-scale or full-scale), establish goals, schedule, and budget, and proceed with hardware demonstration program as resources allow





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**Ready to apply our resources and  
experience to advance the state-of-  
the-art of Aircraft Power Systems**

**Eager to be part of a great team**



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# Back-Up Slides

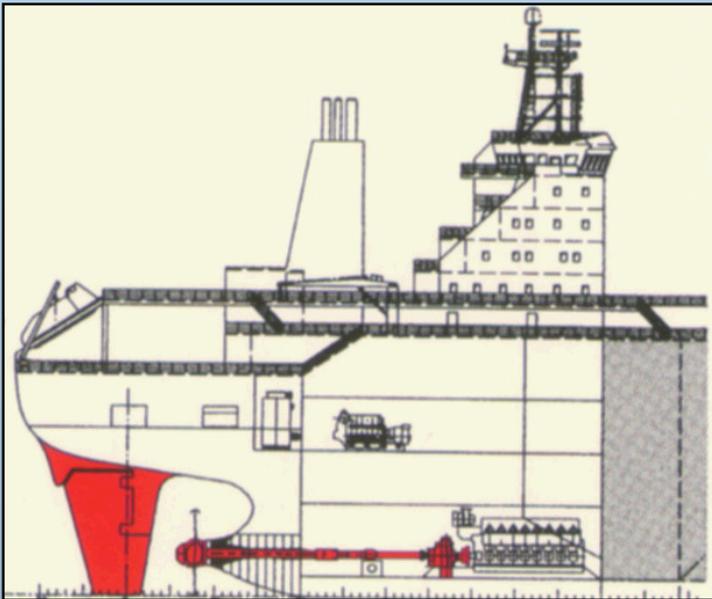


# Advantage: Design Flexibility

## Alternative Propulsion Systems on 120,000 DWT Arctic Tanker

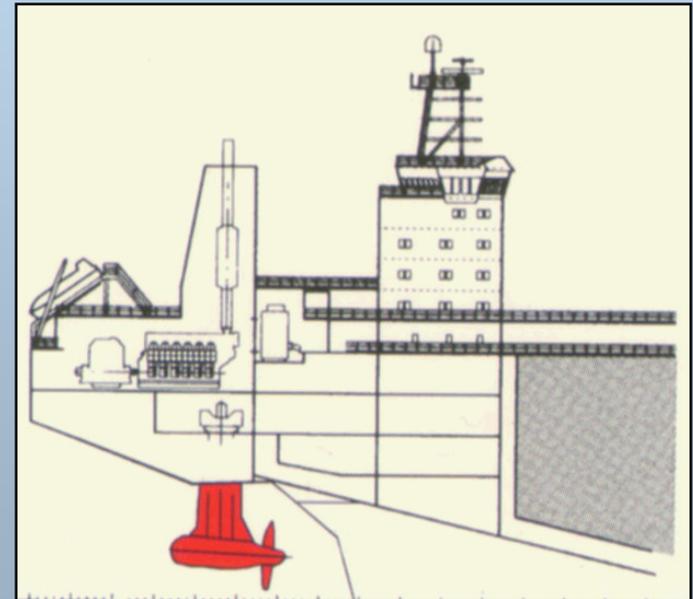
Diesel/Electric/Podded Propulsor  
Allows Design Flexibility

### Diesel/Mechanical Propulsion



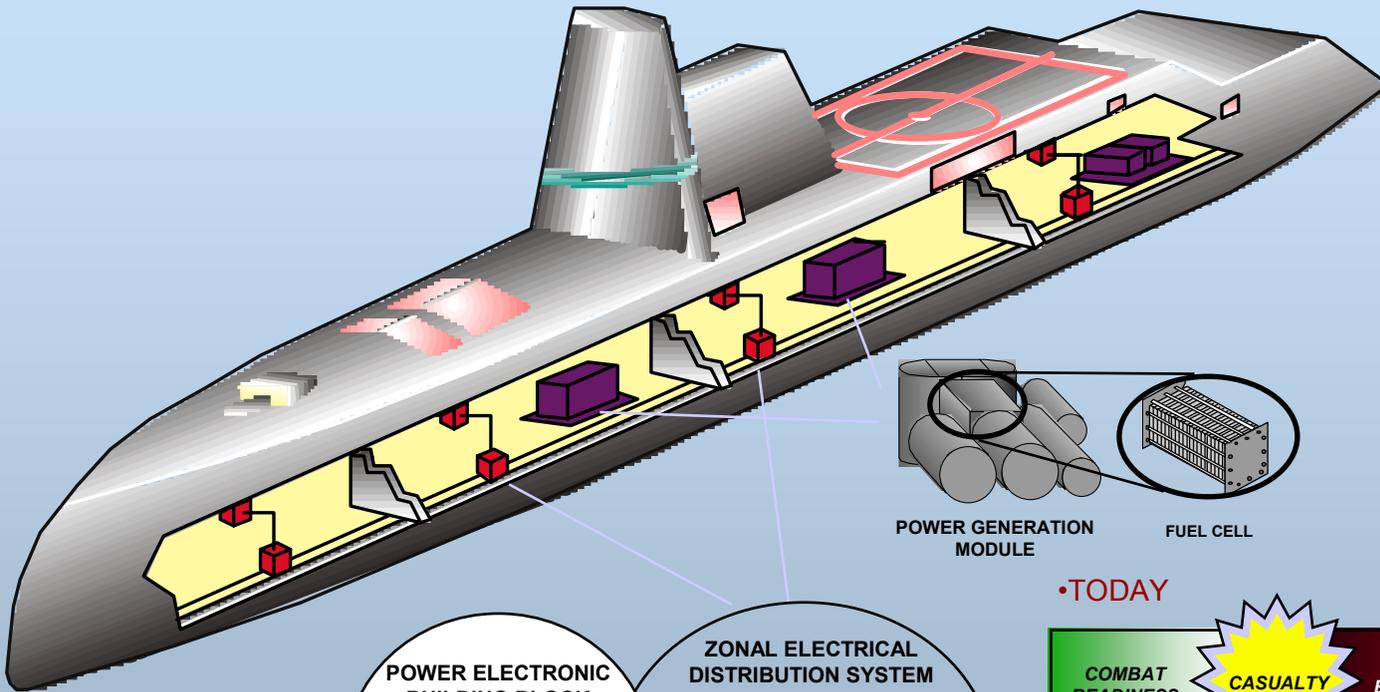
Courtesy, ONR

### Diesel/Electric Propulsion



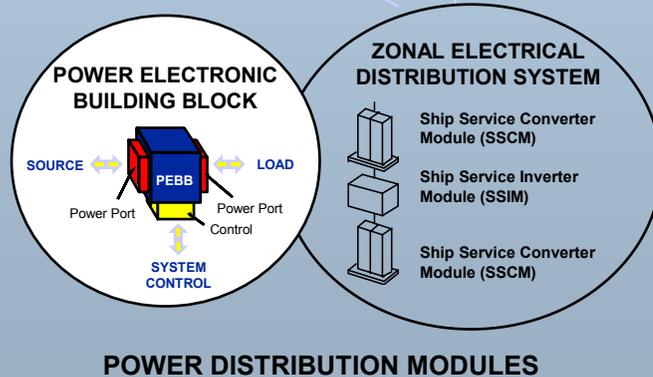
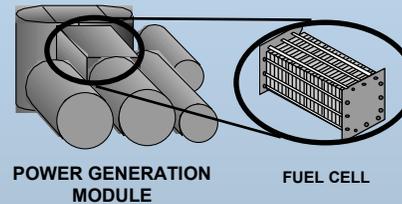
with Podded Propulsor

# Advantage: Reconfigurable, Survivable Power System



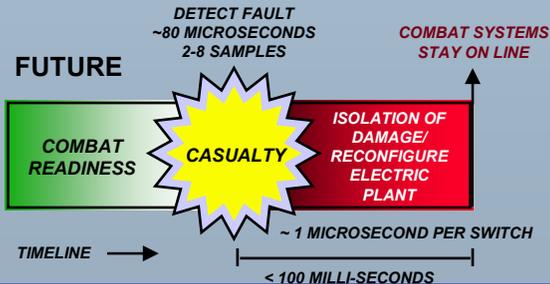
## Challenges:

- ↑ Power Density
- ↑ Energy Density
- ↑ System Efficiency
- ↑ Resource Management and Control



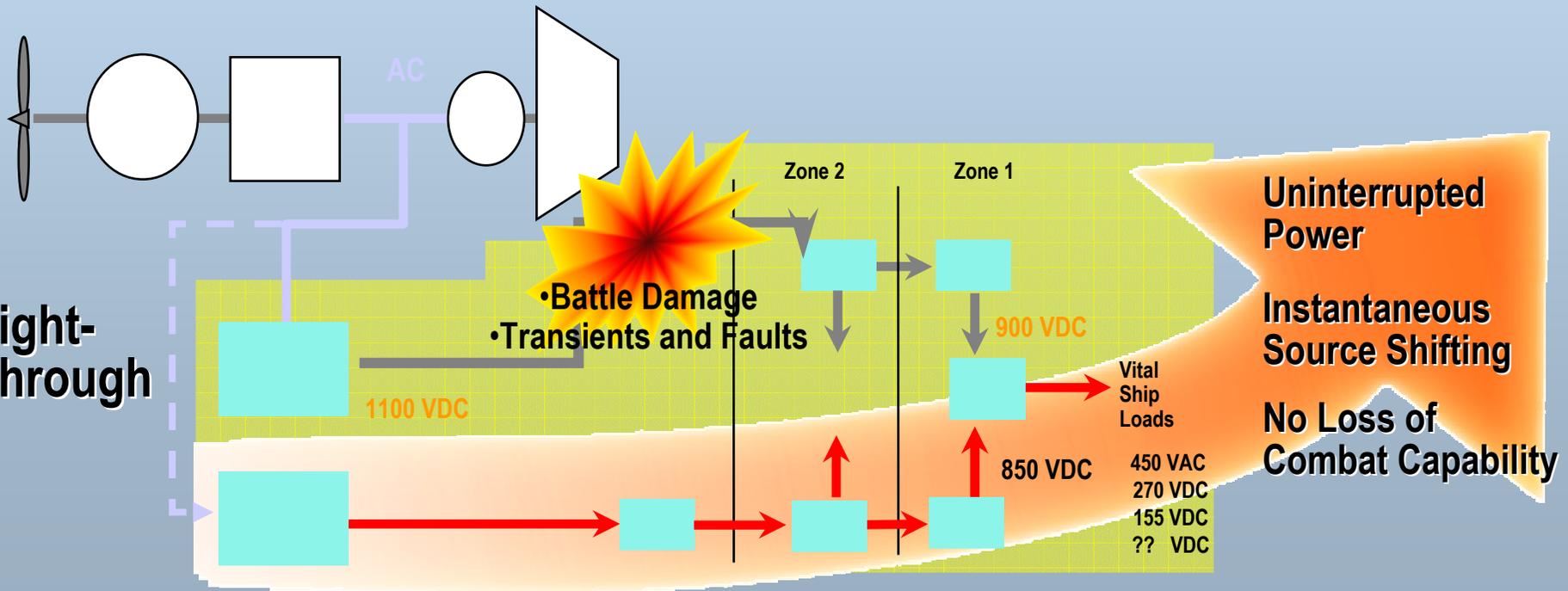
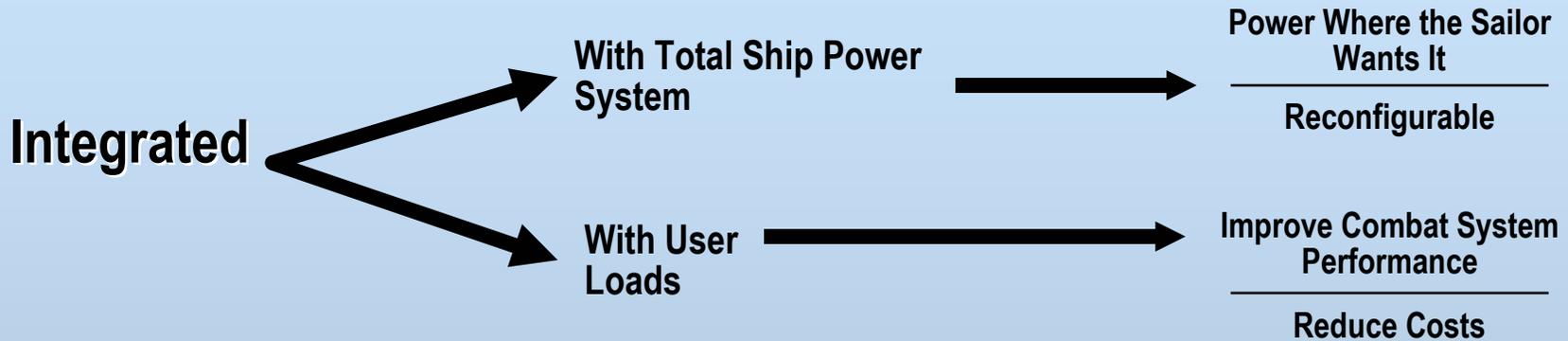
POWER DISTRIBUTION MODULES

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# Integrated Fight-Through Power



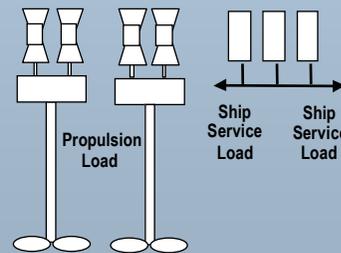
# Advantage: Lower O&M costs

## Next-generation destroyer (DDX)



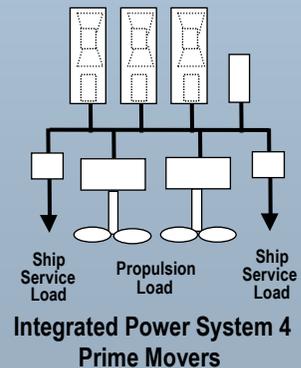
- Electric drive enables lower O&M costs:
  - Integrated propulsion and ship service power (fewer running prime movers)
  - Reduce fuel usage
  - Better match to total ship power requirements (fewer prime movers)
  - “Plug & Play” maintenance

## Next-generation carrier (CVX)



Segregated Power System  
7 Prime Movers

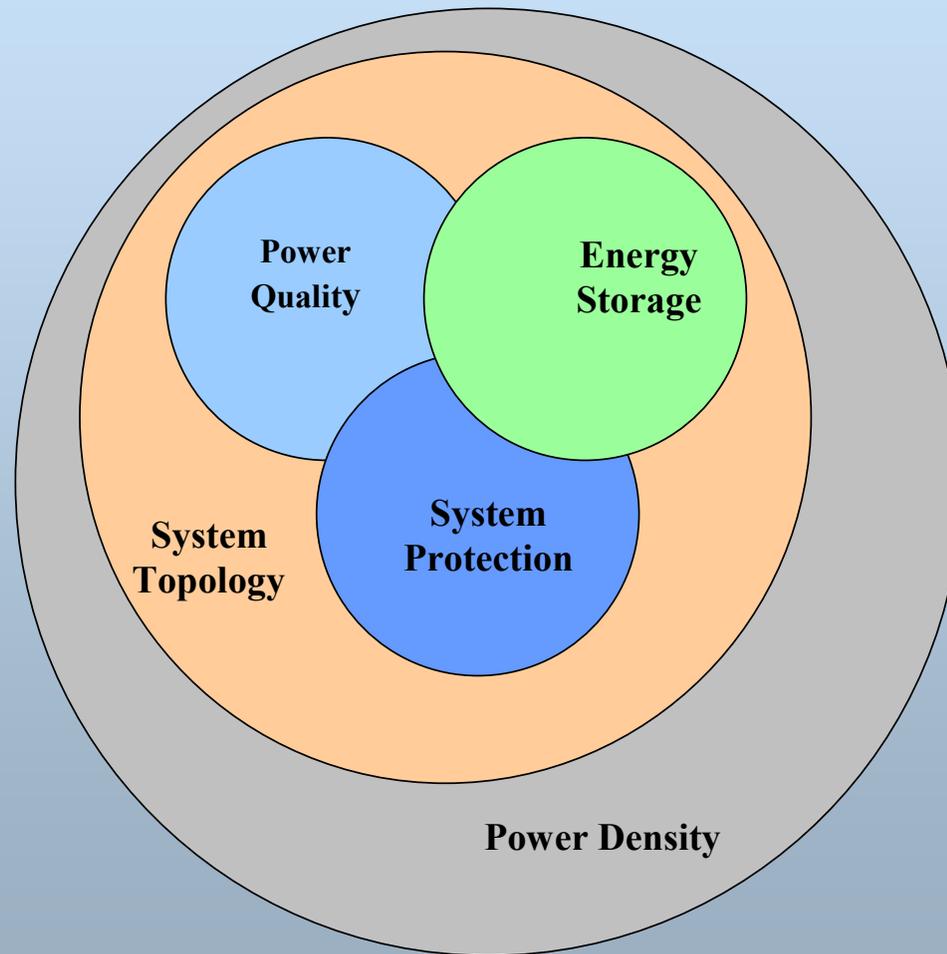
or



Integrated Power System  
4 Prime Movers

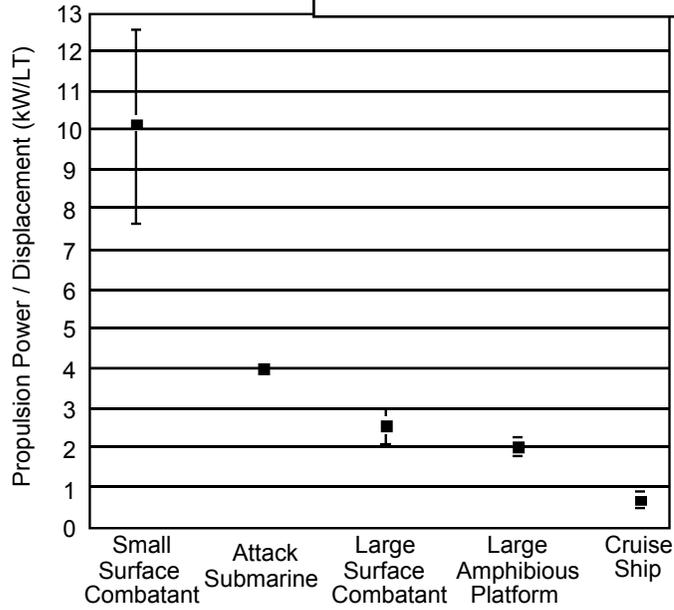
# Challenge: Power density

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# Challenge: Power Density (Navy vs commercial)

## PROPULSION POWER/DISPLACEMENT



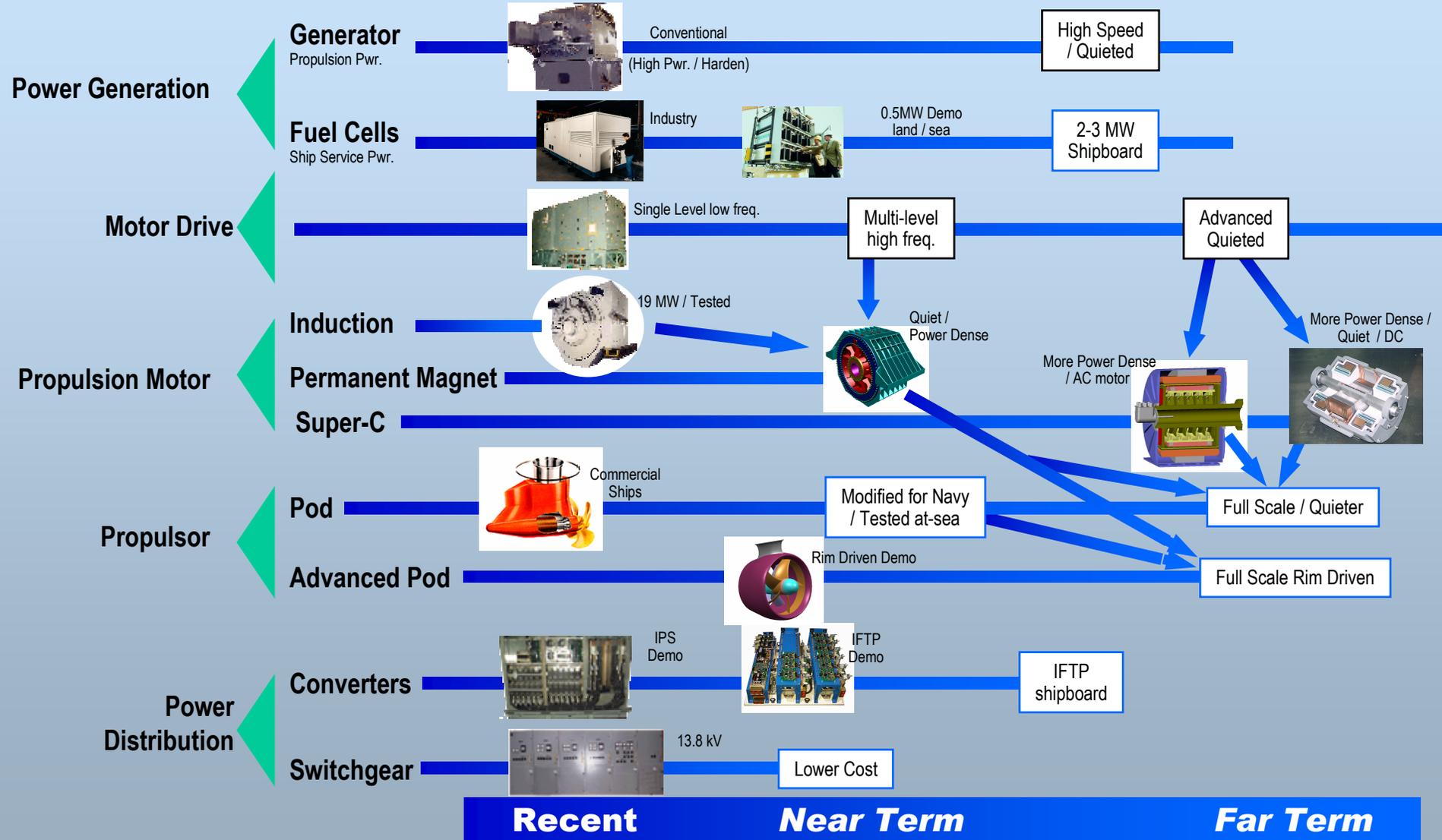
## SHIP TYPE CHARACTERISTICS

		Small Surface Combatant	Attack Submarine	Large Surface Combatant	Large Amphibious Platform	Cruise Ship
Size	L (ft)	500 - 550	300 - 350	900 - 1,000	500 - 650	700 - 920
	B (ft)	60 - 70	32 - 35	125 - 135	65 - 85	100 - 120
	D (ft)	15 - 20	Diameter	35 - 40	18 - 22	25 - 27
Displacement	(long tons)	6,000 - 10,000	6,000	70,000 - 100,000	15,000 - 20,000	45,000 - 55,000
Propulsion	(MW)	76	24	210	35	24 - 42
Ship Service	60 Hz (MW)	4	2	35	10	10 - 25
	400 Hz (MW)	0.4	0.08	0.5	0.02	-
Prop RPM		CRPP 160 - 180	FPP <100	FPP 165 - 175	CRPP 160 - 180	FPP 150 - 190
Prop.Power/Disp.	(KW/LT)	7.6 - 12.7	4	2.1 - 3.0	1.8 - 2.3	0.5 - 0.9

FPP Fixed Pitch Propeller  
CRPP Controllable Reversible Pitch Propeller



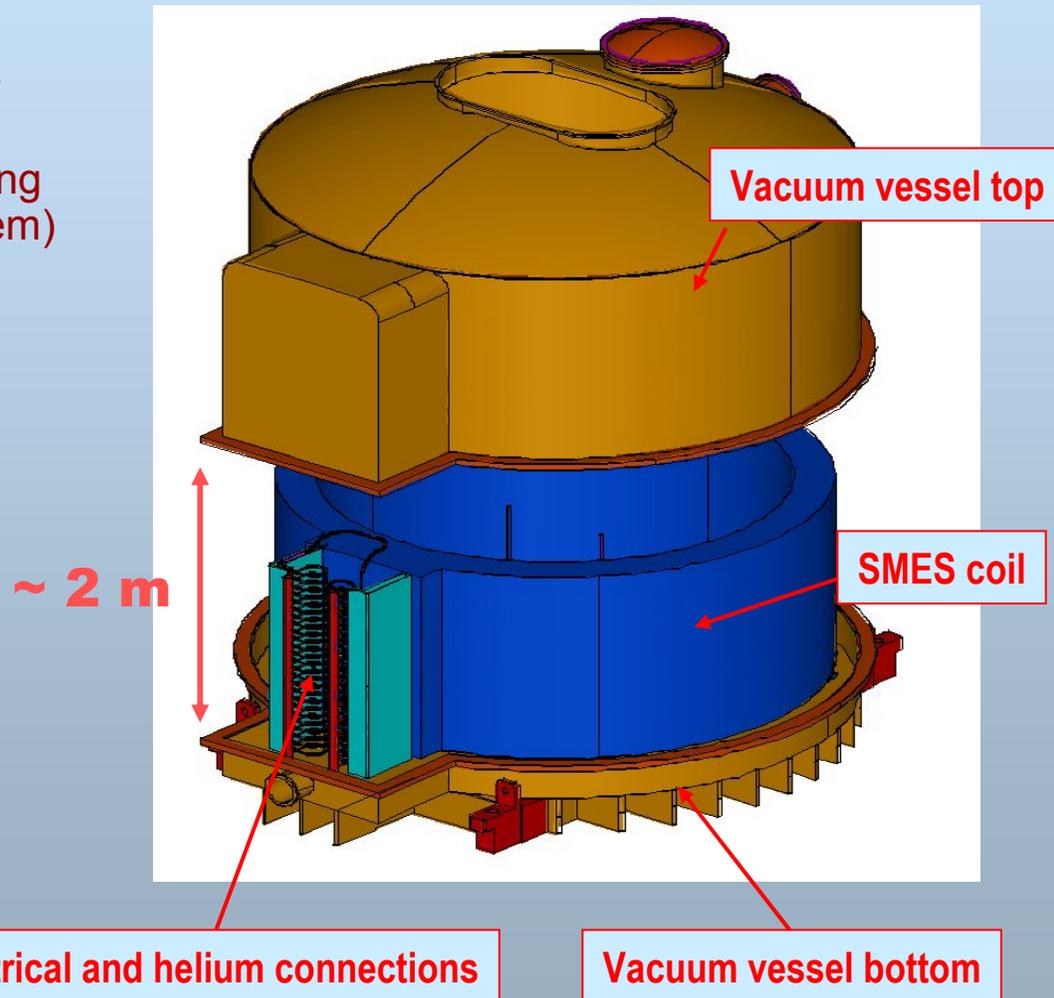
# Potential Electric Warship Technology Areas



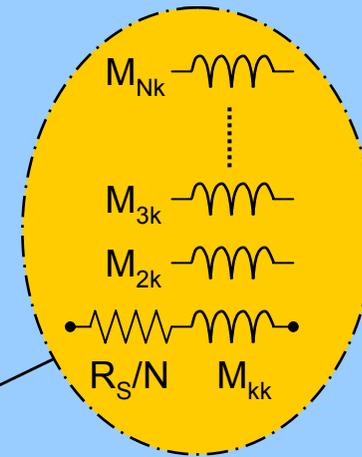
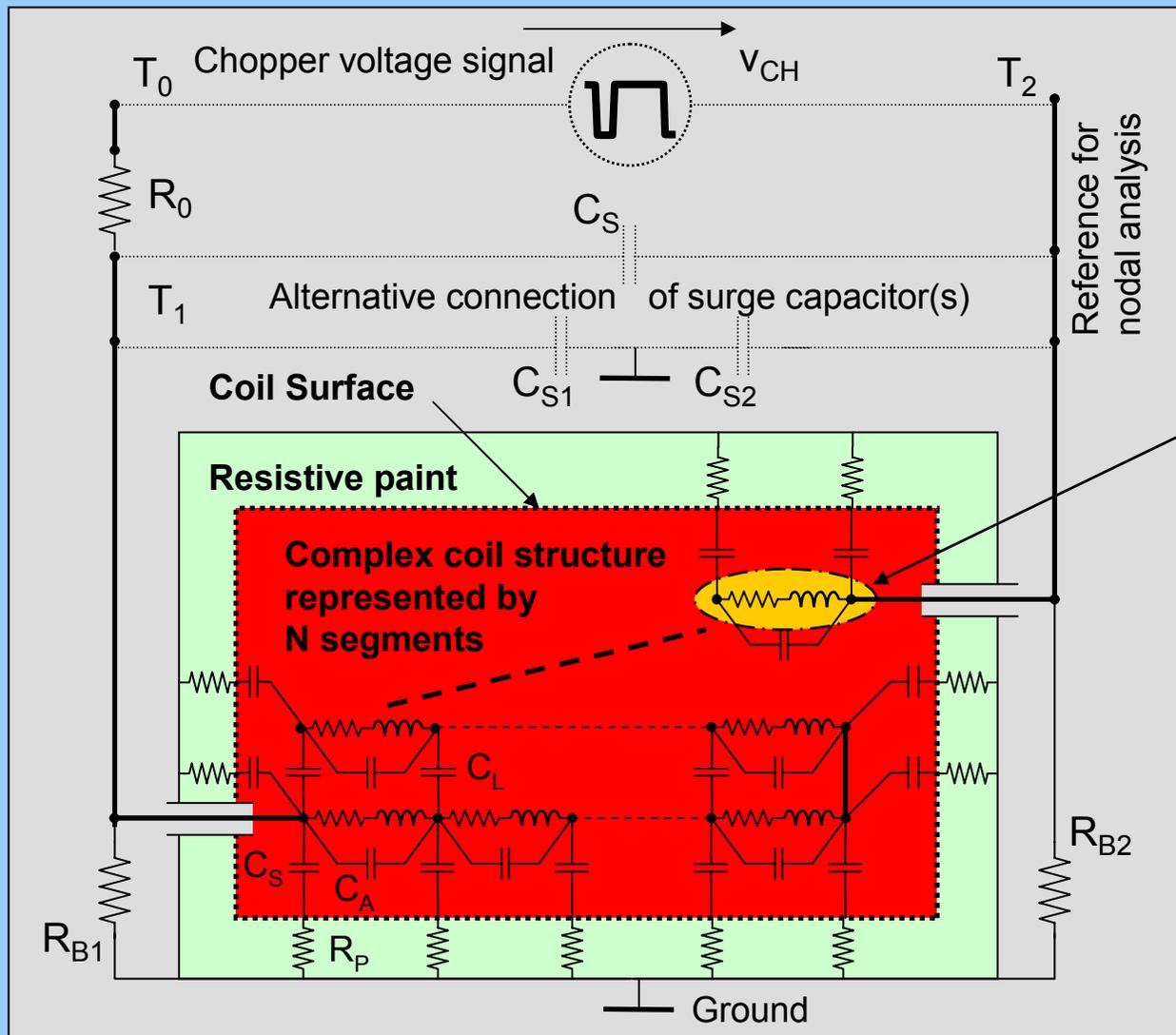
# Under construction: 100 MJ SMES (Superconducting Magnetic Energy Storage)

- Magnet under construction
  - BWXT, Lynchburg VA
  - Expected completion 6/2003
  - Transported to CAPS for installation and commissioning (30 ton magnet, 35 ton system)
- Installation at CAPS
  - Vacuum vessel and cryostat
  - Refrigeration system
  - 5 MW power supply
- Commissioning and test
  - Operational in 2004
  - Pulsed operation and power quality demonstration
  - Research and education component

## Expanded view of SMES system



# Current work: Study of s/c coil-converter interactions



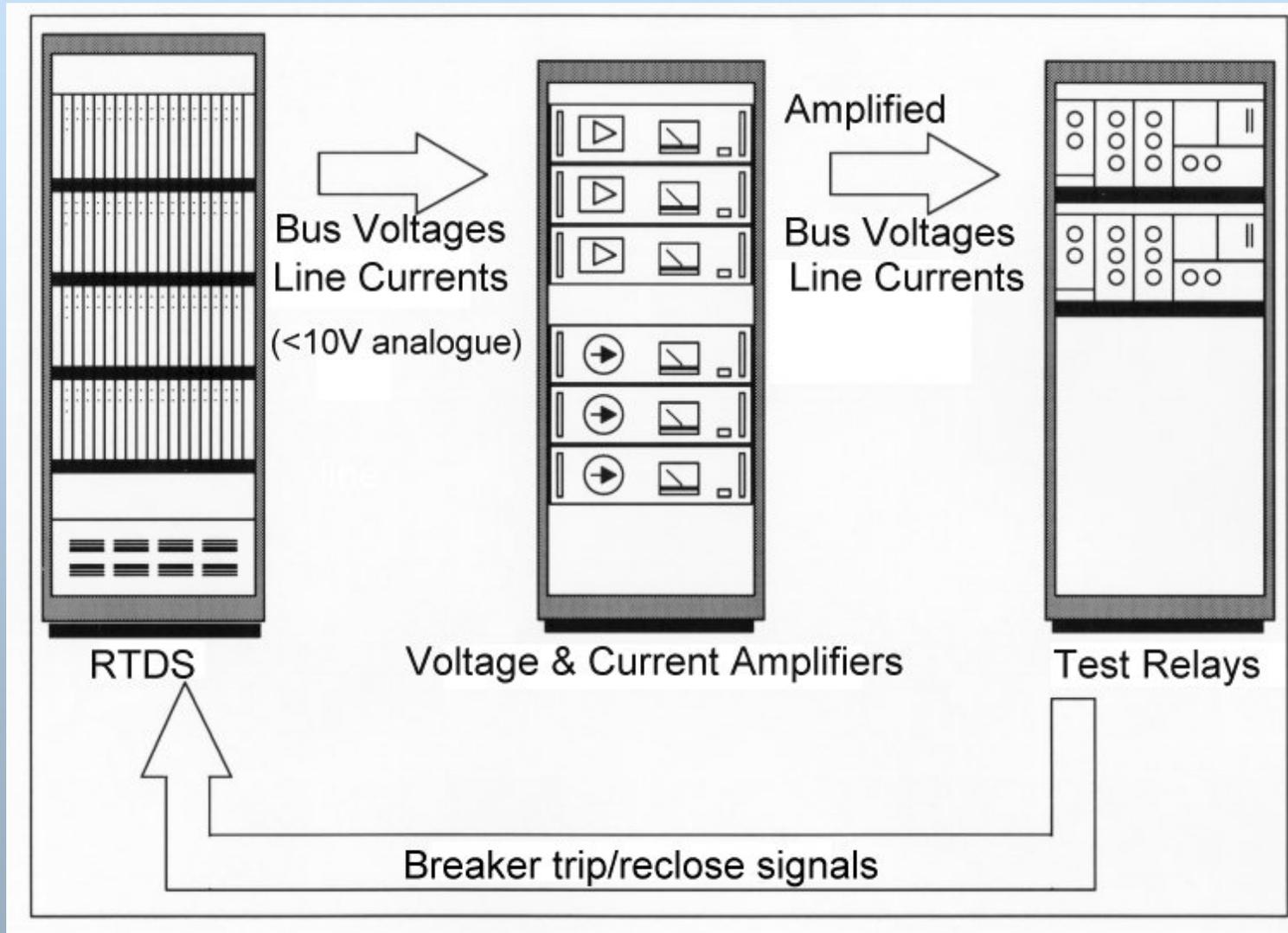
$R_s/N$ : series damping resistor per segment  
 $M_{kk}$ : self inductance  
 $M_{Nk}$ : mutual inductance to all other segments  
 $R_p$ : equiv. resistance of surface, i.e. resistive paint  
Capacitance  
 $C_L$ : between layers  
 $C_S$ : to surface  
 $C_A$ : between turns

# USCG Ice Breaker Healy (all-electric): Electrical Network Simulation

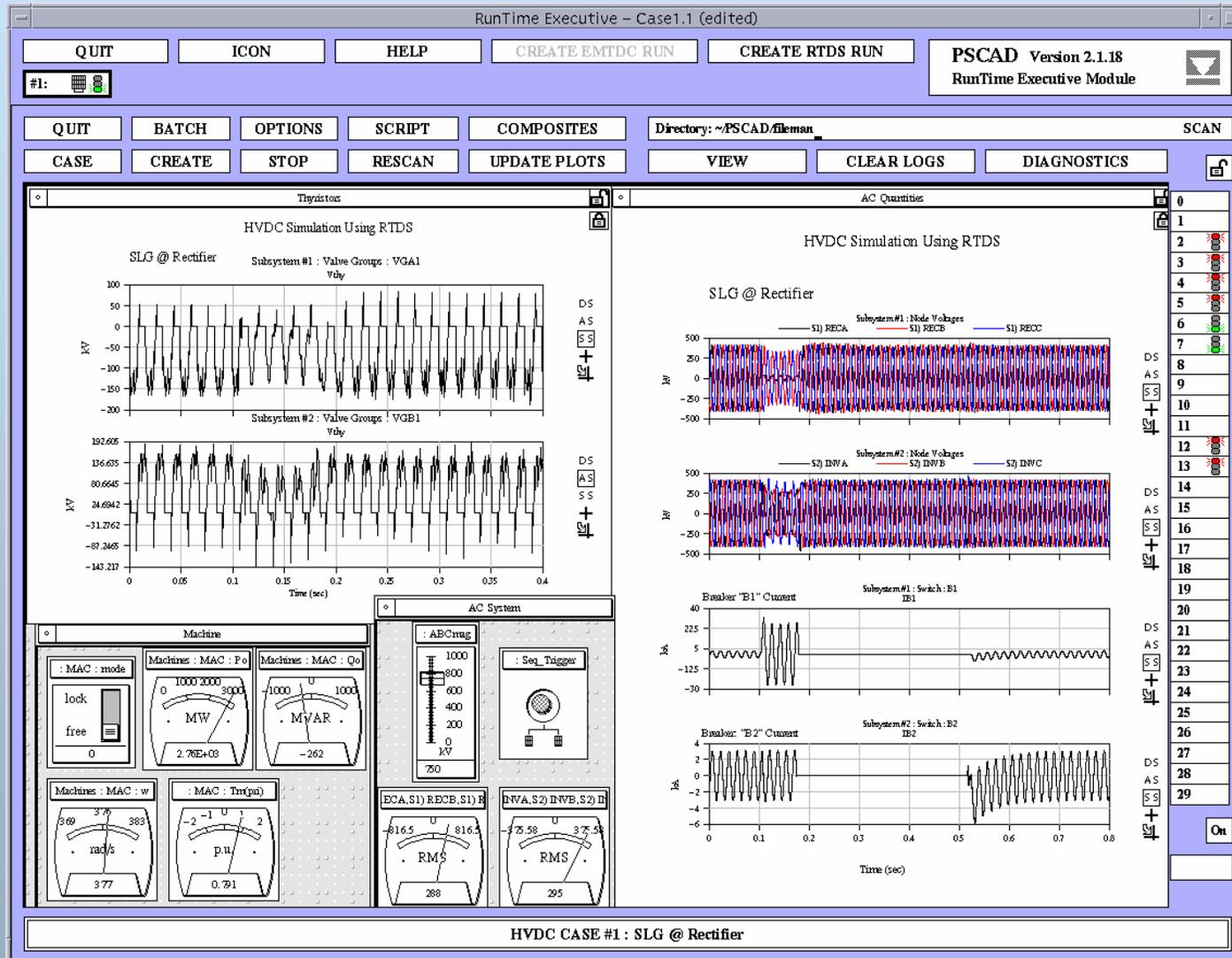
- Length – 420 ft
- Maximum Beam – 82 ft
- Design Draft – 29 ft
- Displacement – 16,300 LT
- Four Sulzer Diesel Engines
  - 12 cylinders, 7.92 MW, 514rpm
- Four Westinghouse Generators
  - 7.2 MW, 6.6kV, 60 Hz, 0.7 PF
- Two Alstom Propulsion Motors
  - 15,000 HP, 2,320 V, 160 rpm
  - Variable frequency cyclo-converter drive – 0 to 13.3Hz



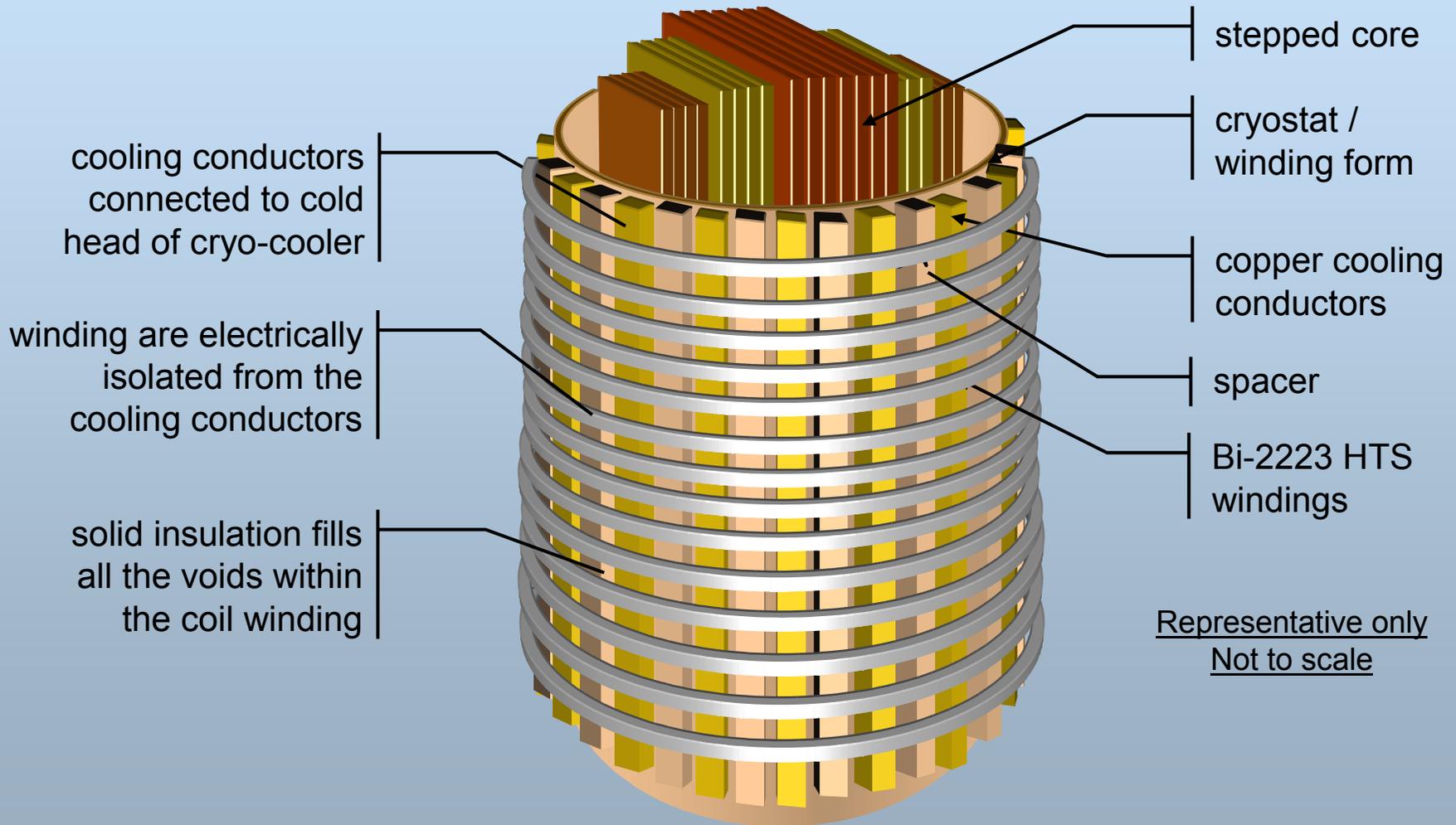
# Application of Real Time Digital Simulator



# RTDS: Ability to test hardware and controls under real-time conditions

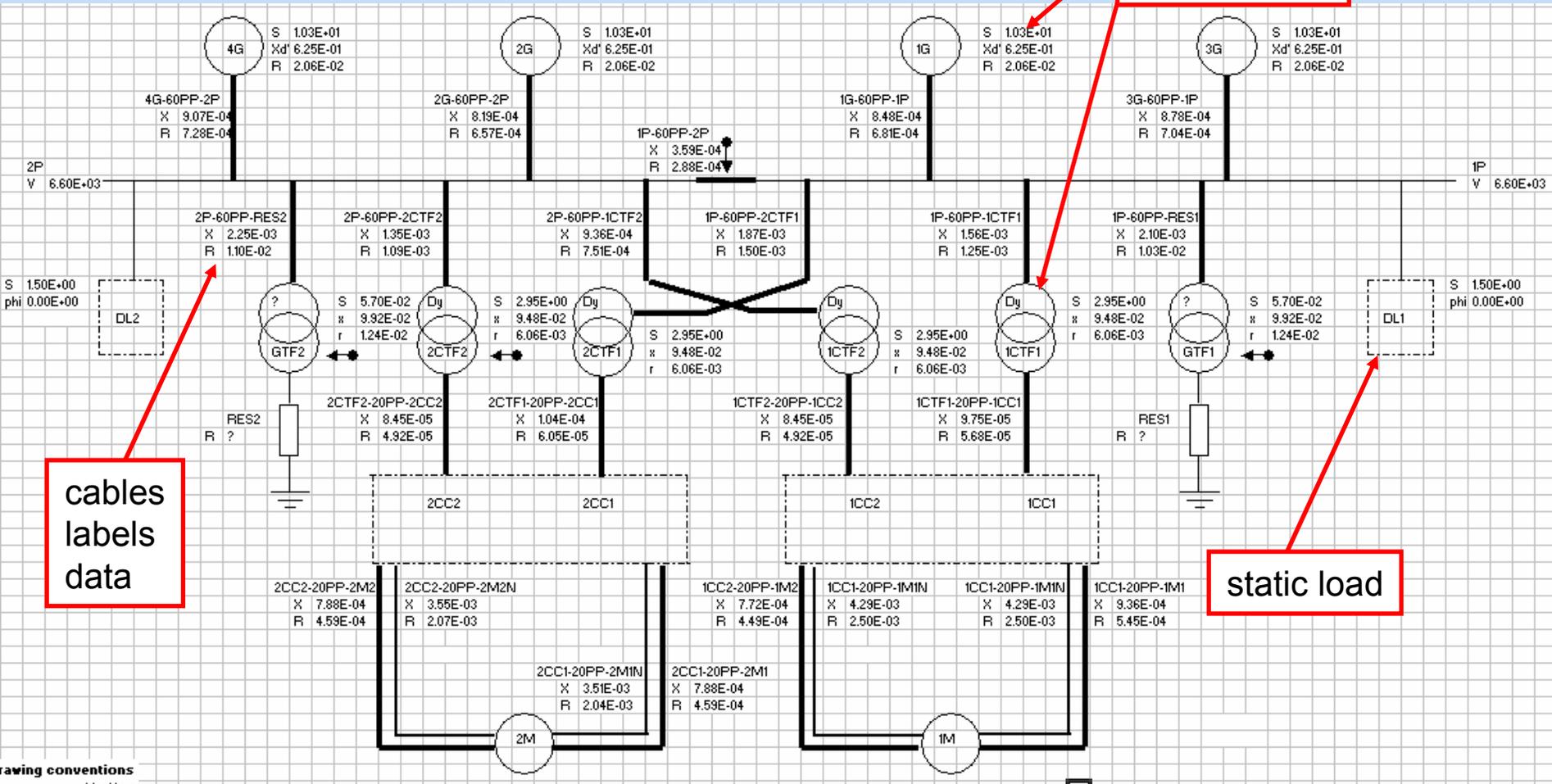


# Other CAPS Programs: HTS Transformer



# Basic schematic

generators  
transformers  
labels, data



cables  
labels  
data

static load

drawing conventions

# 3ph generator terminal fault – fault currents and bus voltage

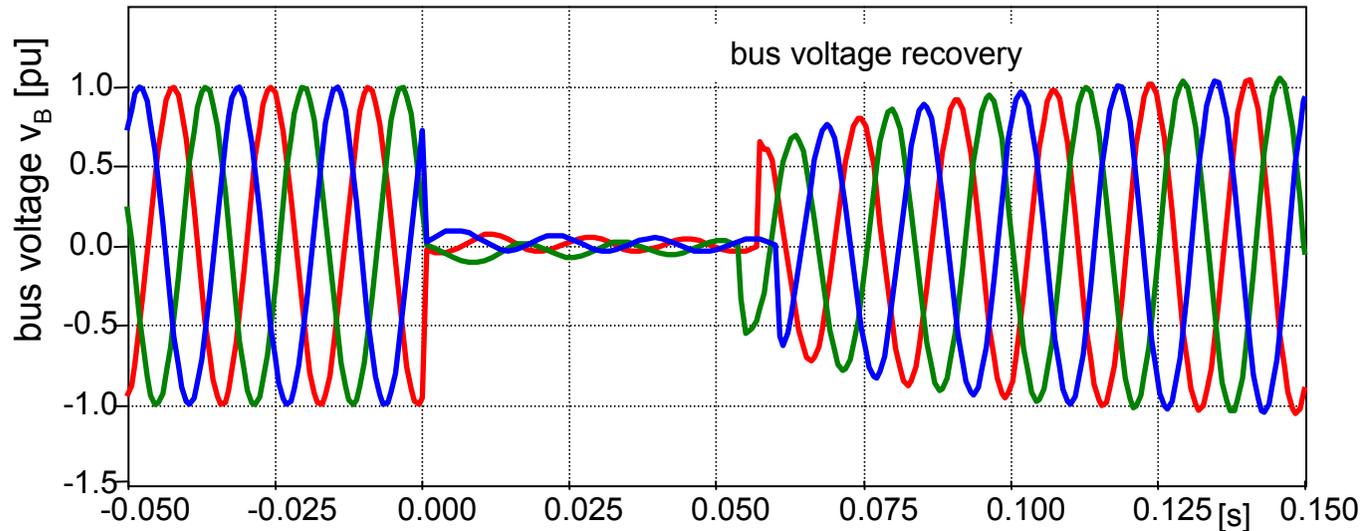
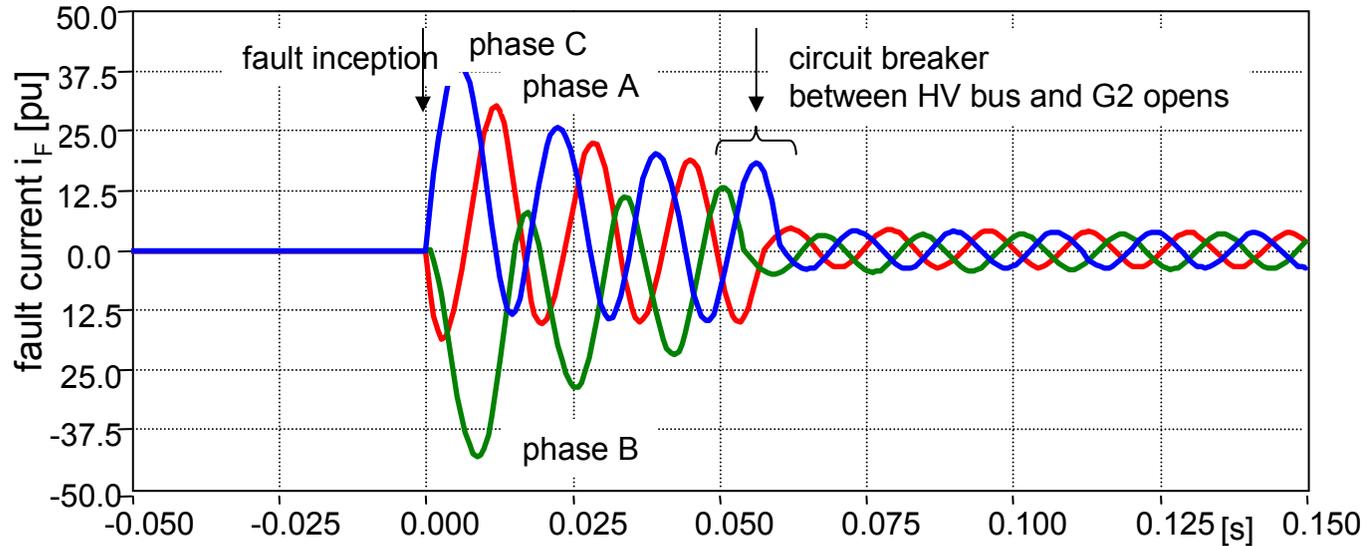


Table 52 to (s/n) and (a/n) on 68V Bus with Contribution for HV Loads Only

Item	EISA		%differe		DSS3D2		%differe		EIP		%differe	
	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)
Gm1(s/v)	2450	3039	-4.8%	-4.0%	2590	4070	-4.0%	-3.0%	2632	3957	-0.4%	-1.0%
Gm2(s/v)	2442	3006	-4.2%	-3.6%	2588	4052	-3.8%	-2.8%	2458	3946	-0.4%	-1.0%
Gm3(s/v)	2445	3001	-4.6%	-4.1%	2592	4064	-4.0%	-3.0%	2456	3944	-0.4%	-1.0%
Gm4(s/v)	2448	3003	-4.3%	-3.8%	2585	4058	-3.8%	-2.8%	2455	3945	-0.4%	-1.0%
PHVSV(s/v)	2453	3008	-4.8%	-4.2%	2570	4126	-4.3%	-3.6%	2460	3988	-0.3%	-1.0%
PHVSV(p/v)	2453	3008	-4.8%	-4.2%	2570	4126	-4.3%	-3.6%	2460	3988	-0.3%	-1.0%
BwThuster S(V)	2328	3674	4.0%	3.2%	2422	3667	3.7%	2.7%	2336	3498	-0.3%	-0.6%
SMG(s/v)	2322	2701	4.4%	3.8%	2408	2900	3.8%	2.8%	2333	2523	-0.4%	-1.1%
SMG(v/v)	2328	2932	4.4%	3.8%	2434	3002	3.8%	2.8%	2339	2336	-0.6%	-1.6%
SSFlar(s/v)	2384	3019	4.8%	4.3%	2425	3734	4.1%	3.3%	2346	3335	-0.4%	-1.0%
SSFlar(p/v)	2374	3051	4.5%	3.9%	2492	3803	4.0%	3.1%	2392	3395	-0.6%	-1.7%

- Note
1. Sander1 dsheet 10J AordieDVC810103
  2. Contribution for HV loads (M) 4D Arupelcaoz253F
  3. GmVd = 65/60/R0.03 233FCH-69/60/R7/5

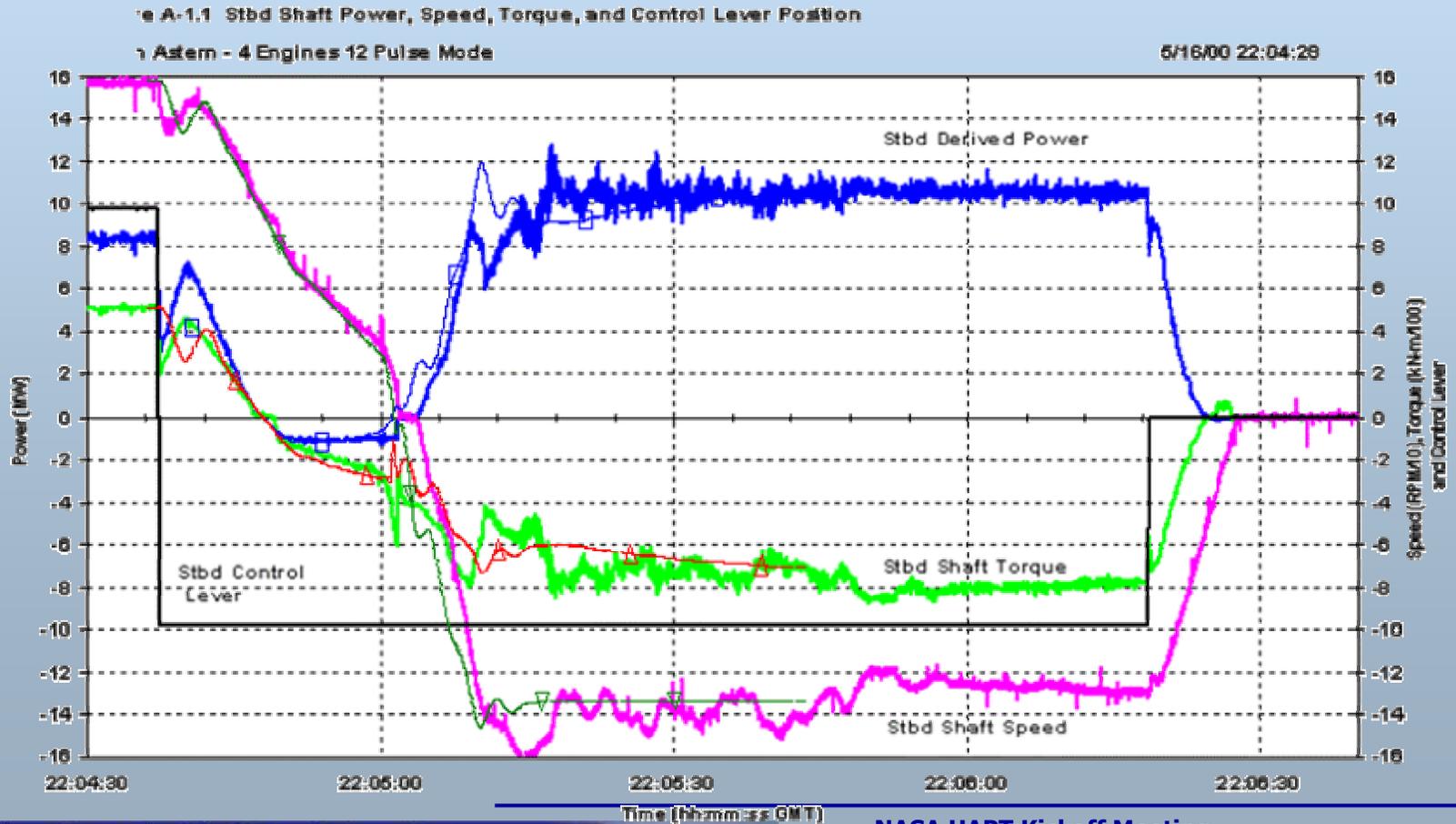
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Item	EISA		%differe		DSS3D2		%differe		EIP		%differe	
	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)	(s/n)	(a/n)
Gm1(s/v)	2477	3049	-3.4%	-3.2%	2580	4070	-4.2%	-3.2%	2458	3948	-0.6%	-1.0%
Gm2(s/v)	2478	3036	-3.2%	-2.8%	2588	4052	-4.0%	-2.8%	2458	3947	-0.6%	-1.0%
Gm3(s/v)	2471	3030	-3.6%	-3.3%	2592	4064	-4.2%	-3.2%	2456	3946	-0.6%	-1.0%
Gm4(s/v)	2473	3030	-3.3%	-3.2%	2585	4058	-4.1%	-3.0%	2452	3937	-0.6%	-1.0%
PHVSV(s/v)	2492	3066	-3.8%	-3.5%	2570	4126	-4.5%	-3.6%	2460	3989	-0.6%	-1.0%
PHVSV(p/v)	2492	3066	-3.8%	-3.5%	2570	4126	-4.5%	-3.6%	2460	3989	-0.6%	-1.0%
BwThuster S(V)	2348	3469	-3.2%	-3.5%	2422	3667	-4.2%	-3.3%	2329	3474	0.7%	-0.9%
SMG(s/v)	2340	2906	-3.2%	-3.2%	2408	2900	-4.1%	-2.8%	2309	2412	-0.6%	-0.9%
SMG(v/v)	2342	2902	-3.6%	-3.3%	2434	3002	-4.2%	-3.0%	2333	2411	-0.6%	-0.9%
SSFlar(s/v)	2384	3047	-3.8%	-3.7%	2425	3734	-4.3%	-3.6%	2346	3498	0.7%	-0.4%
SSFlar(p/v)	2386	3022	-3.8%	-3.6%	2492	3803	-4.3%	-3.6%	2392	3371	-0.6%	-1.0%

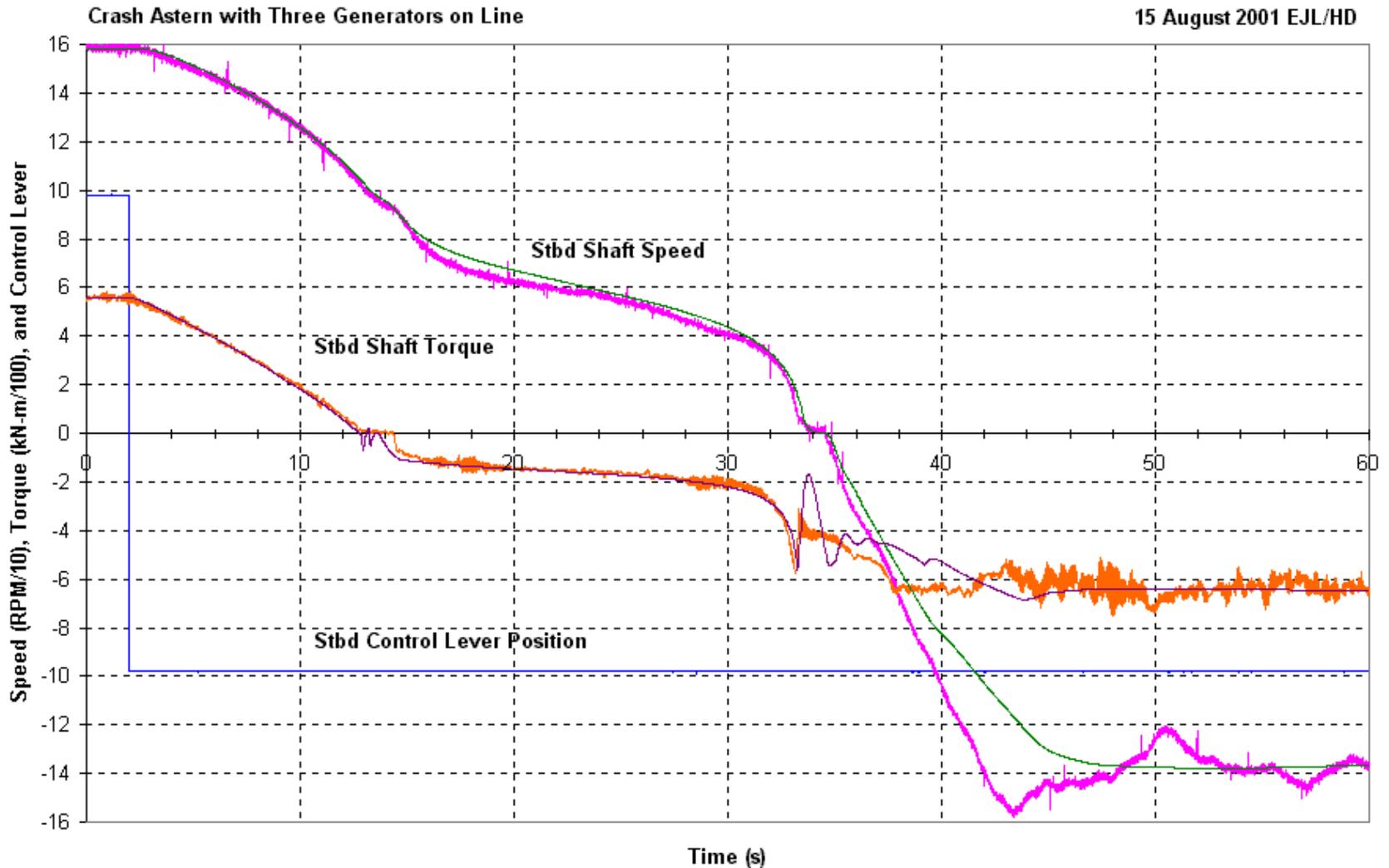
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  4. The Gm and BwThuster are in the HV bus and are applied to the HV bus load
  5. The bus for the Gm, BwThuster and SSFlar are in the HV bus and are applied to the HV bus
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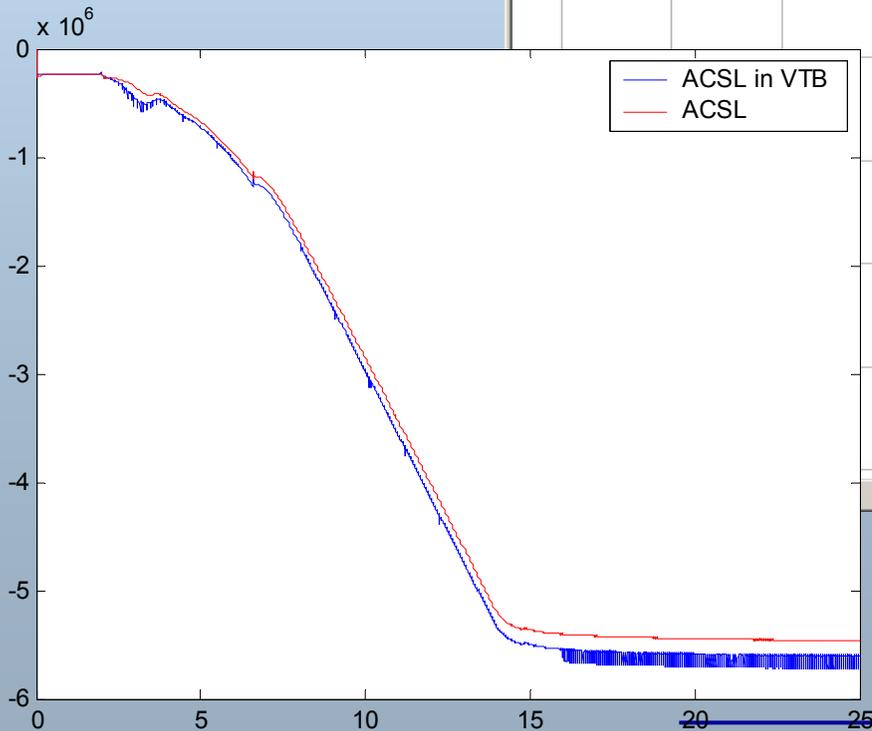
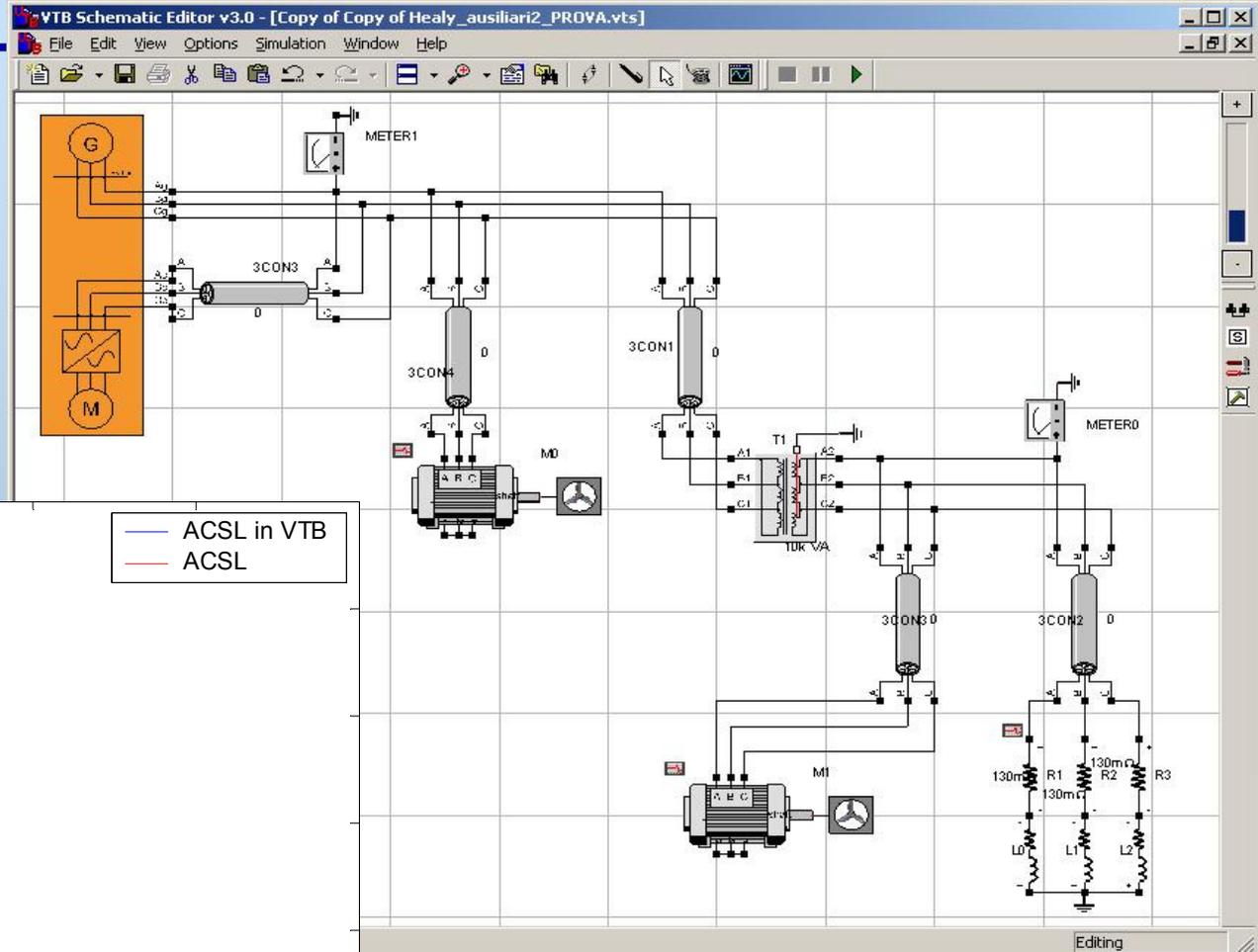
## Speed Control



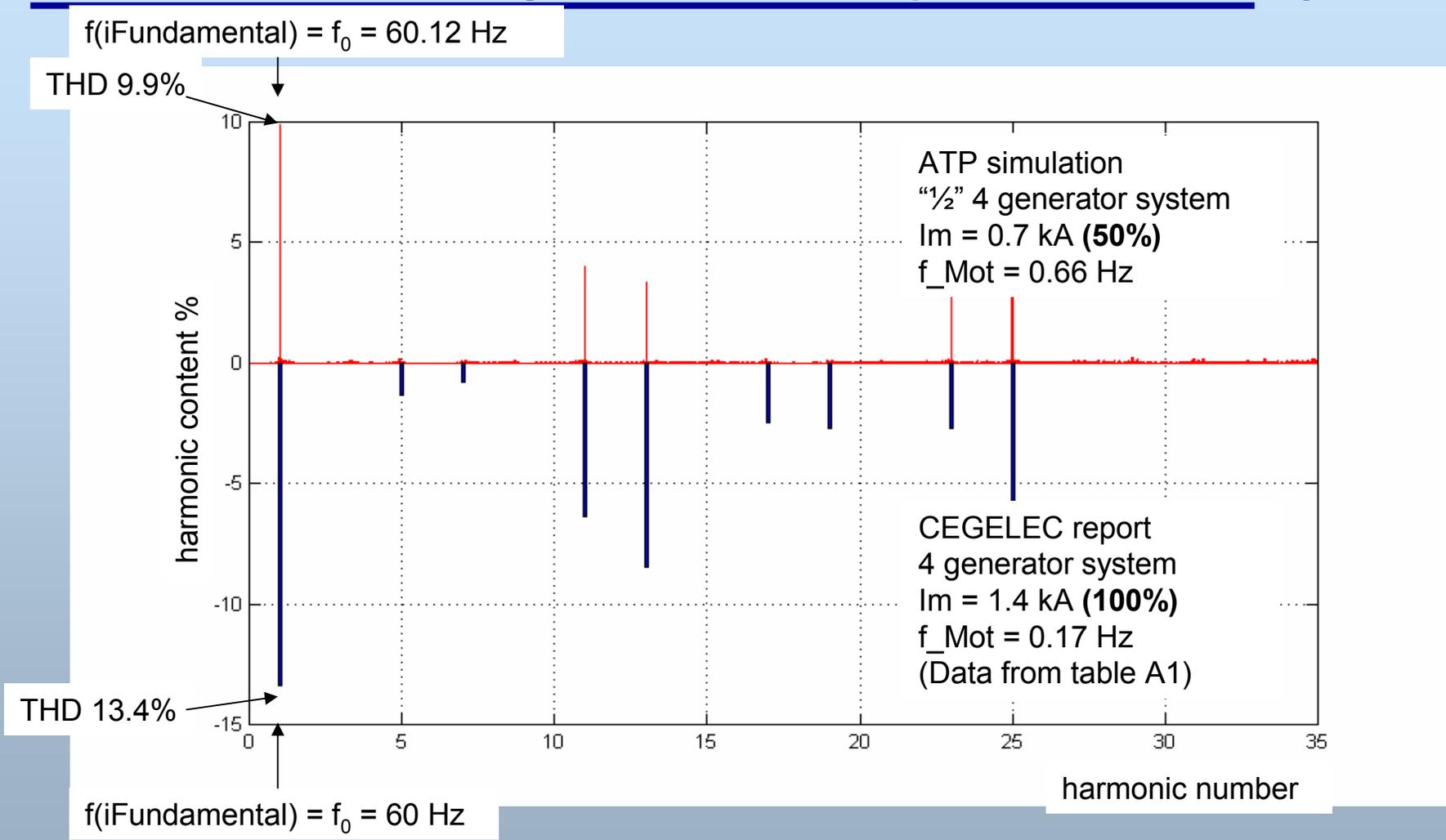
# ACSL – Crash Astern



# VTB: Co-simulation



## Voltage Harmonics 8 RPM – Comparison with CEGELEC analysis



# Integrated Power Management

## First Year Tasks

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- Model electrical system architecture of small aircraft (e.g., Gulfstream jet) on the real-time digital simulator
  - representation of the power system
    - electrical system
    - converters and drives
    - control systems (for energy management)
      - » load sharing
    - mechanical aspects
      - » speed-torque time relationships
    - new technologies
      - » fuel cells
  - level of modeling
    - averaged models
    - switching models
  - develop test cases for simulation and verification
- set up evaluation criteria and procedures for continuation work
  - analysis set-up for year two
    - electrical
      - » load flow and harmonics
      - » large-scale transients
    - electro-mechanical transients



# Build on prior experience



The AMSC-Reliance Electric Phase I development of a 200 HP motor successfully concluded in 1996



The AMSC-Rockwell 1,000 HP motor (Phase II) satisfactorily tested in Summer 2000 and has since exceeded performance expectations



Siemens Large Drive Division in cooperation with Siemens R&D center at Erlangen recently tested a 380 kW HTS-motor, funded by the German Ministry for Education and Research (BMBF).

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# Present development at ASC

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- 5000 hp, 1800 rpm, 60 Hz synchronous motor
- Line voltage 6.6 kV
- HTS field winding BSCCO-2223 operating at -405°F cooled by Gifford-McMahon cryogenic refrigerators
- Stator winding cooled with fresh water
- Frame dimensions 44 inch x 62.75 inch
- Weight – 15,000 lbf
- Efficiency – 97.7%
- Designed for Disassembly



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# Superconducting Motors

## First Year Tasks

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- Gather relevant design data
  - HTS materials
  - Cryocoolers
  - Insulators
- Survey prior and existing development programs
  - Map different types of rotating machinery
  - Determine best approach for this program
- Establish power rating targets for aircraft-relevant motors
  - Assess potential gains in performance (weight, size, etc.)
  - Reconcile with program needs (system integration)
- Establish development path for demonstration and implementation of a superconducting motor

