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#### **Radiation and Activation with SoLID**

#### Outline

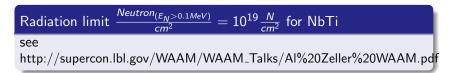
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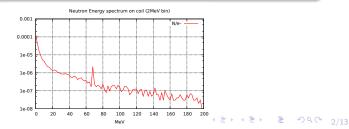
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# Radiation on Coils (From director review)



#### FLUKA Simulation FULL FLUX integrated in the total Coil

Also considering that FLUKA is off of an order of magnitude in this angle range, we are expecting a flux of  $Neutron_{(E_N > 0.1 MeV)} = 10^{18} N$ , well in the limit for NbTi



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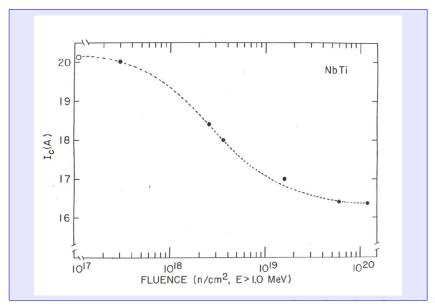
The direct offect of high neutron fluxes on NbTi superconductor will affect the Critical Current  $(I_c)$ 

- $I_c$  = The maximum current that a superconductor can carry with zero resistance.
- A current greater than *I<sub>c</sub>* will cause the superconductor to revert to its normal state.

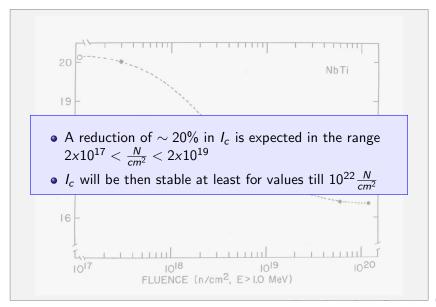
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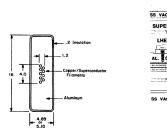
#### Suggested updates from communications with J.Benesch

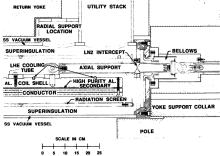
As for neutron damage to NbTi: did your calculations take into account 1. the 3-5 mm of stainless steel which is the inner bore of the cryostat

- 2. the 3-5 mm of aluminum thermal shield 3-5 cm beyond (1)
- 3. the 6+ mm of stainless steel which is the helium vessel
- 4. any winding forms left at the inner diameter of the coils
- 5. the copper matrix in which the NbTi is imbedded. Typical conductors of the era were 66-80% copper with balance NbTi (2:1 to 4:1 Cu:SC).

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#### Coil design for CLEOII

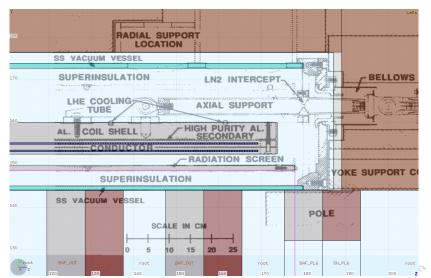




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#### Simulation update



#### Different SoLID configurations

The PVDIS configuration with Deuterium target present the main source for neutron fluxes on the coils

