Field Quality Analysis of Short Model Quadrupoles for the LHC Low-Beta Insertions*, R. BOSSERT, J. BRANDT, J. CARSON, D. CHICHILI, J. DIMARCO, S. FEHER, T. HEGER, S. GOURLAY**, Y. HUANG, J. KERBY, M.J. LAMM, P.J. LIMON, F. NOBREGA, I. NOVITSKI, D. ORRIS, J.P. OZELIS, T.J. PETERSON, W. ROBOTHAM, G. SABBI, P. SCHLABACH, J. STRAIT, M. TARTAGILA, J. TOMPKINS, A.V. ZLOBIN, FNAL; S. CASPI, A.D. MCINTURFF, R. SCANLAN, LBNL - Under collision conditions, the field quality of the low-beta triplet quadrupoles determines the dynamic aperture of the LHC. Field errors must be less than 1 part in 10,000 out to a radius of 20 mm or more. A collaboration of Fermilab and LBNL is developing a high gradient quadrupole for the LHC insertions that must meet this requirement. In this paper we present the magnetic field measurements of several 2 m long model magnets and compare them with expectations based on the as-built dimensional parameters and with a preliminary table of field quality requirements. Strategies to achieve the required field quality are discussed.

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