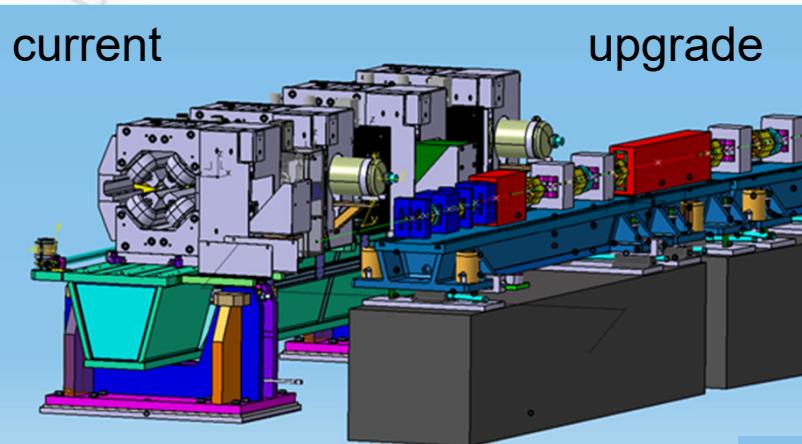


**Design of girders on the new  
upgrade lattice at SOLEIL**

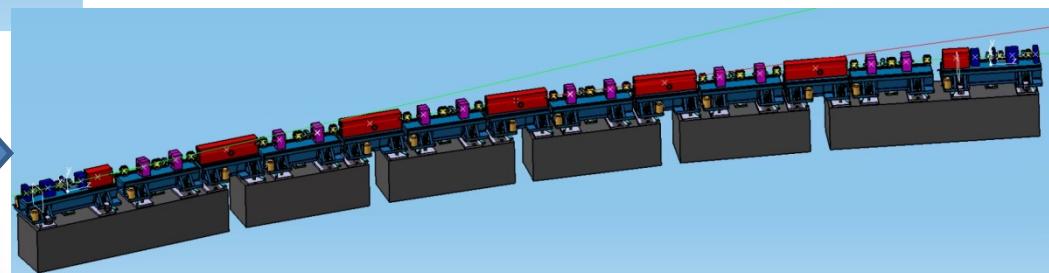
# What's new for the upgrade?



Current girder set features 4 girder types:

- weight : 1.85 Ton to 3 Tons
- mass payload : 4.1 Tons to 8 Tons
- length : 2.40 m to 4.80 m

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FOR UPGRADE CDR :



Smaller size of new generation magnets :

- size and weight reduction of the magnet-girder assemblies.
- number of magnets and girders increased by a factor of 3.
- alignment and installation operations must be optimized.

Greater compactness of the new lattice :

- Limited access in the area between girders and tunnel wall.

# Main guidelines for magnet / girder design

- Smaller magnets => distance between beam axis and top face: 240 mm vs 400 mm.
- Girder/ground position higher => the previous pedestal system is no longer suitable.
- Great number of magnets and girders => alignment operation must be optimized.
- needs cost effective manufacturing.
- Lighter payload and shorter girders => better mass/stiffness ratio.
- Greater stability requirements => use of high preload on levelling system.



## Specifications not yet defined or subject to change:

- Dynamic sensitivity of beam towards magnet position: lowest frequency > 70 Hz
- Sensitivity of beam towards magnet alignment: girder to girder 30 µm vertical and 50µm horizontal  
100 µm RMS in both planes for all girders
- Thermal stability based upon BPM specification:
  - 50 nm a couple of minutes
  - 500 nm on one day
  - ~ 1 µm on a week
- Actual size of all magnets not yet defined.
- Ex situ bake-out has been decided => use of C-shape dipoles and transverse motion mandatory to insert or remove the vacuum chamber.

## Common features of the new magnet / girder

- Girders lay on steel or granite blocs glued to the ground with  $\pm 1\text{mm}$  accuracy.
- 4 or 6 setting points using wedge jacks and pushing screws.
- Magnet positioning using top and side datum surfaces.
- Permanent pre-load springs on setting points.
- Motorized setting not necessary considering the stability of the slab.
- Construction based on cast steel parts welded to plates.
- Integration of Hydrostatic Levelling System (HLS): used during alignment operations only.

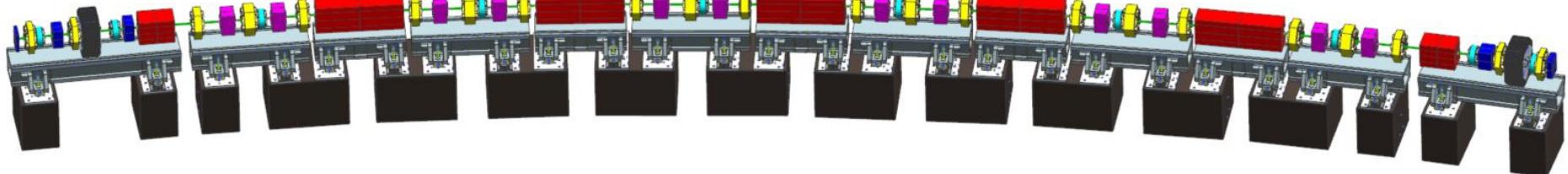
### 3 LAYOUTS HAVE BEEN STUDIED:

- 212 girders
- 116 girders
- 172 girders with standalone long dipoles

# Typical lattice setup with 212 girders

Girder type	Length	Width x height	Mass	Payload*	Number	Plinth type	Width x height	Length	Mass	Number
long	1.80 m	400 x 250 mm	712 Kg	500 Kg	8	double	700 x 575 mm	0.85 m	923 Kg	168
medium	1.50 m		650 Kg	400 Kg	32	simple		0.40 m	435 Kg	64
short	1.24 m		570 Kg	300 Kg	96					
dipole	0.96 m		485 Kg	490 Kg	76					

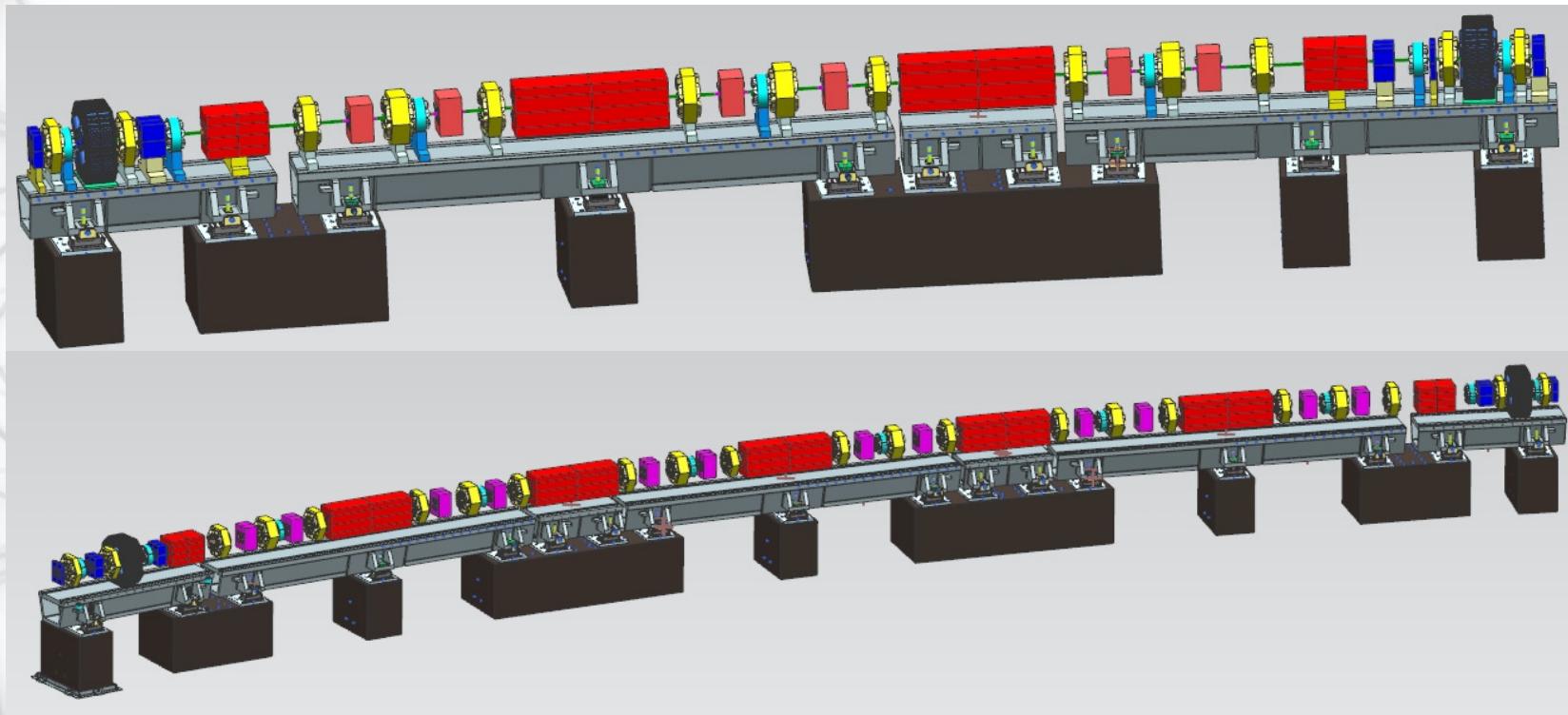
\* Estimated values based on preliminary design of magnets



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# Typical lattice setup with 116 girders

Girder type	Length	Width x height	Mass	Payload	Number	Plinth type	Width x height	Length	Mass	Number
long	3.60 m	450 x 290 mm	1516 Kg	900 Kg	44	triple	700 x 575 mm	2.10 m	2785 Kg	32
medium	2.95 m		1284 Kg	600 Kg	8	double		1.15 m	1525 Kg	32
matching 1	1.80 m		712 Kg	500 Kg	12	simple		0.40 m	530 Kg	92
Matching 2	1.50 m		650 Kg	400 Kg	20					
dipole	0.96 m		485 Kg	490 Kg	32					

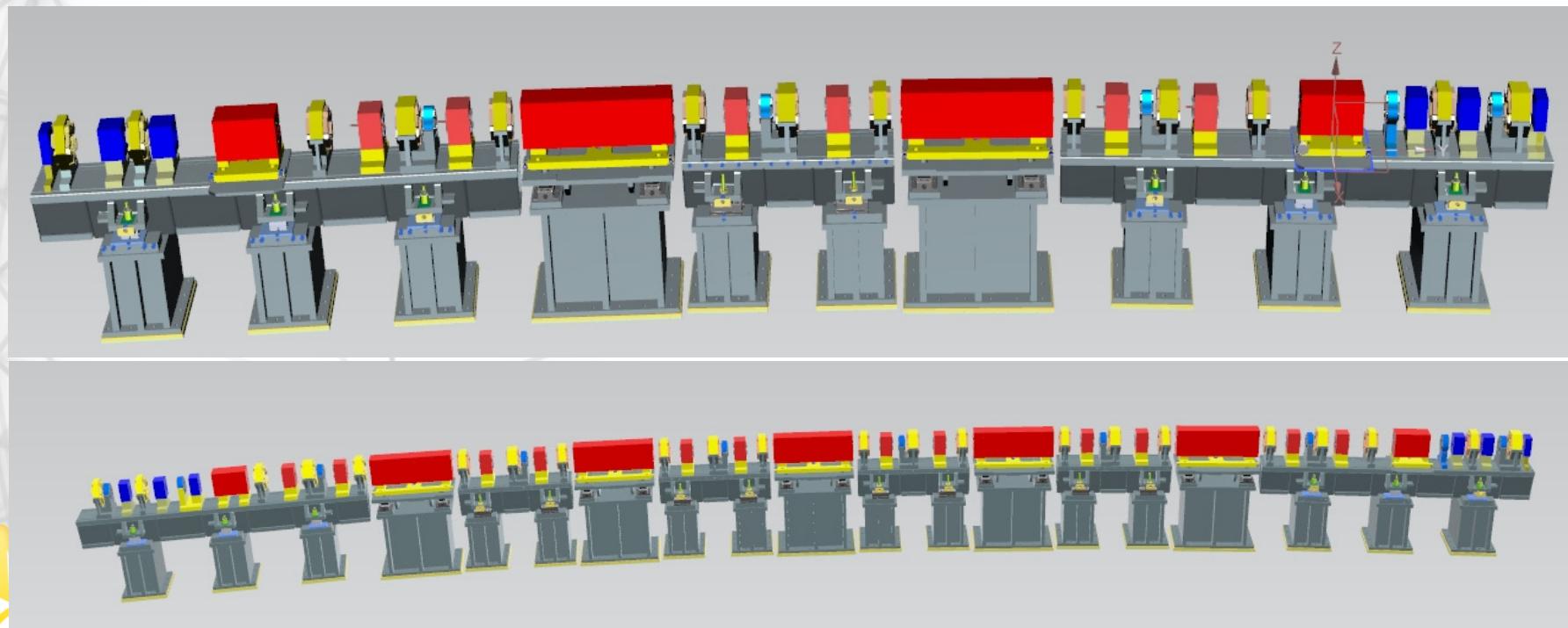


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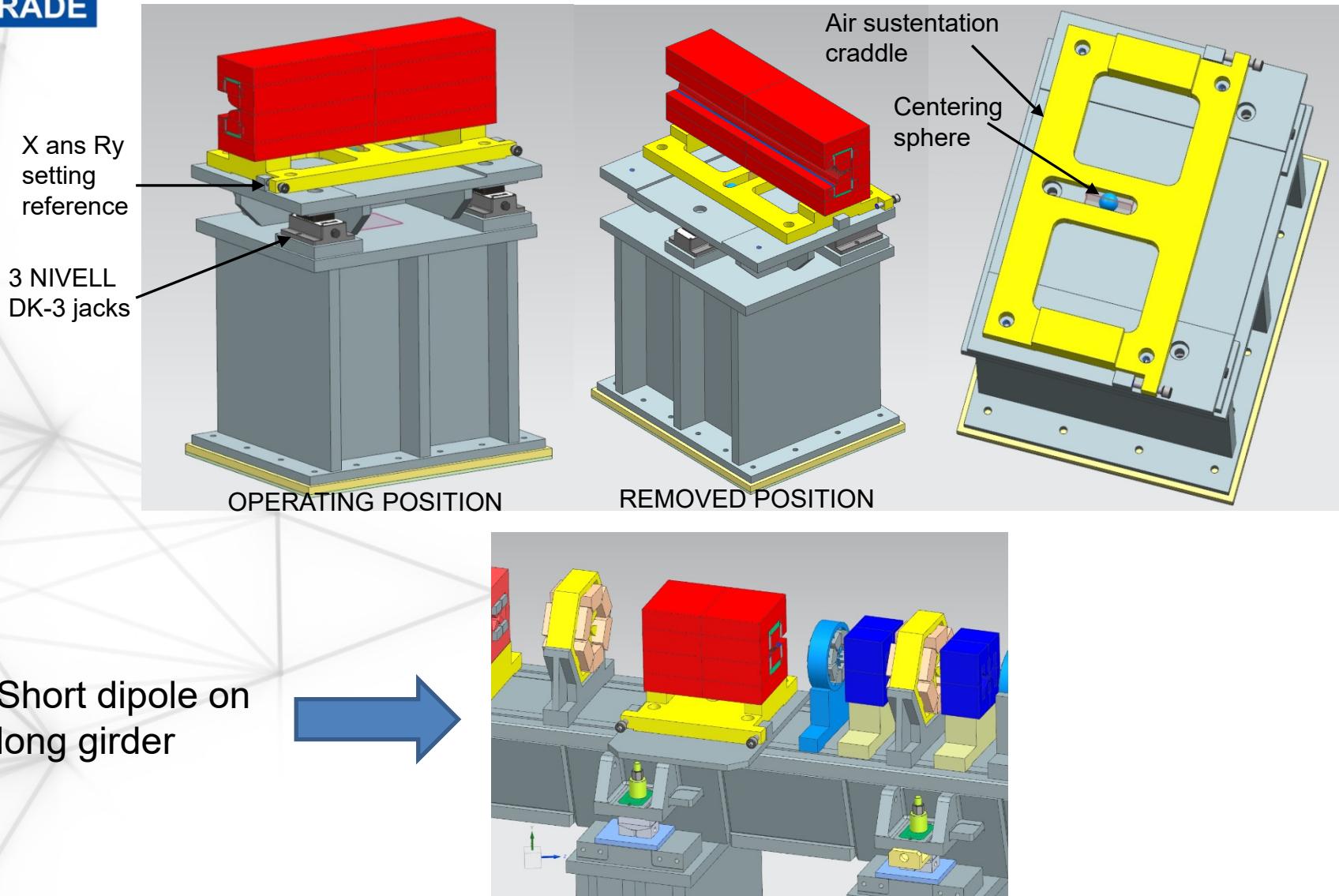
# Typical lattice setup with 172 girders

Girder type	Length	Width x height	Mass	Payload	Number	Plinth type	Width x height	Length	Mass	Number
Matching 1	3.20 m	450 x 290 mm	1516 Kg	900 Kg	20	dipole	700 x 575 mm	0.95 m	1525 Kg	76
Matching 2	2.95 m		1284 Kg	900 Kg	20	simple		0.40 m	530 Kg	232
single	1.30 m		712 Kg	500 Kg	56					
dipole	0.96 m		485 Kg	490 Kg	76					

Cast iron or welded steel stands

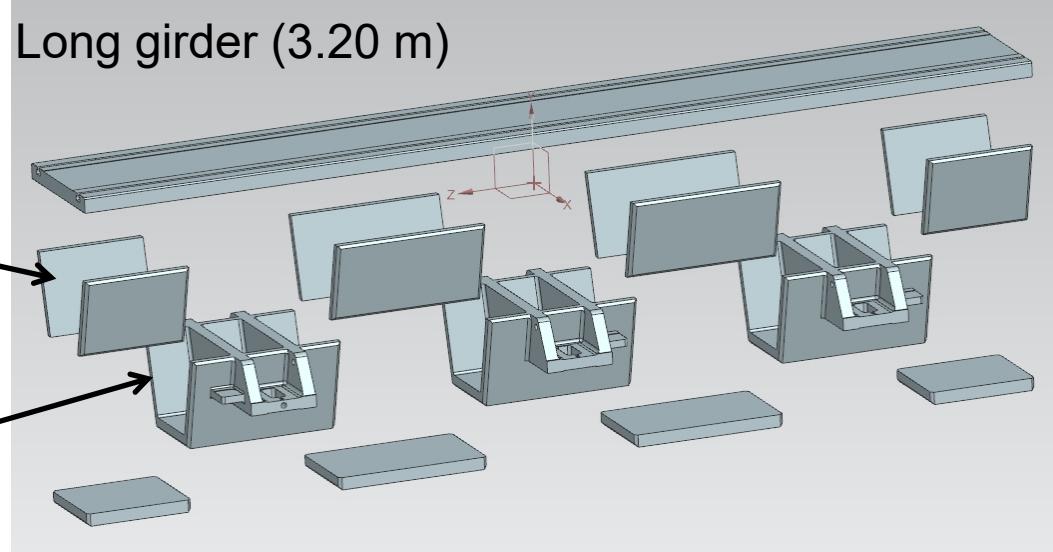


# Dipole supports



## Girder assembly

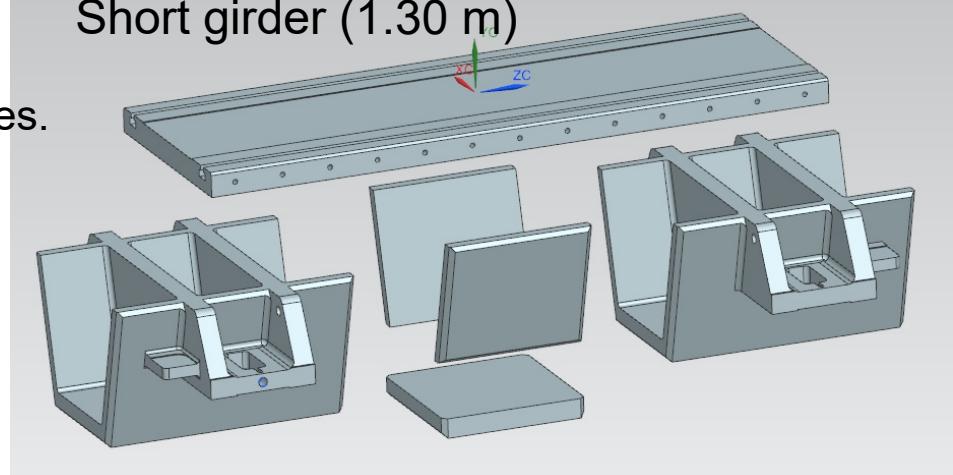
Long girder (3.20 m)



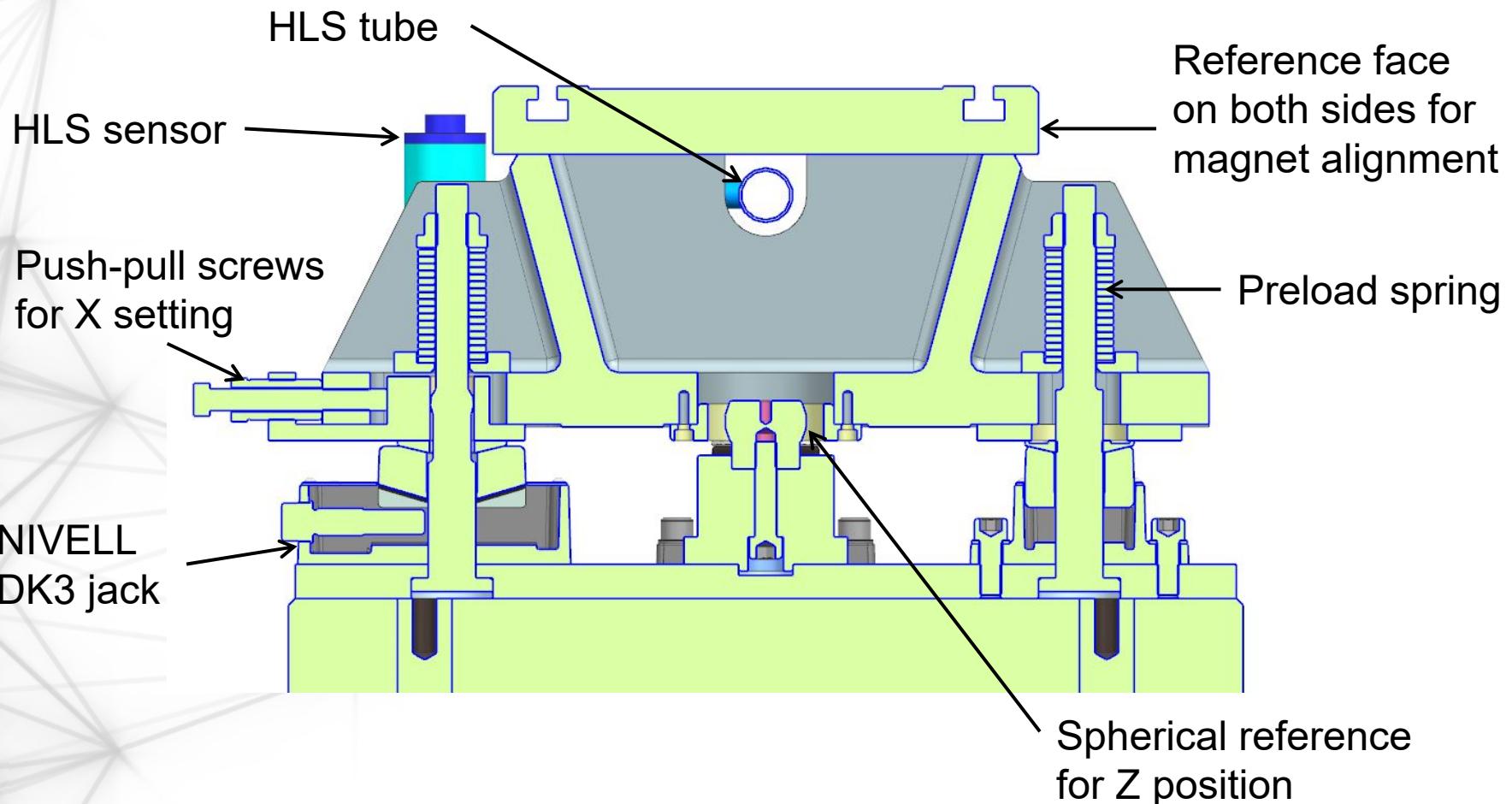
3 Cast steel parts

- Assembly of cast steel and welded plates.
- Allows internal stiffeners and complex shapes.
- Cast steel parts are all identical: 232 part series for 172 girder version.
- Less residual stress due to welding.

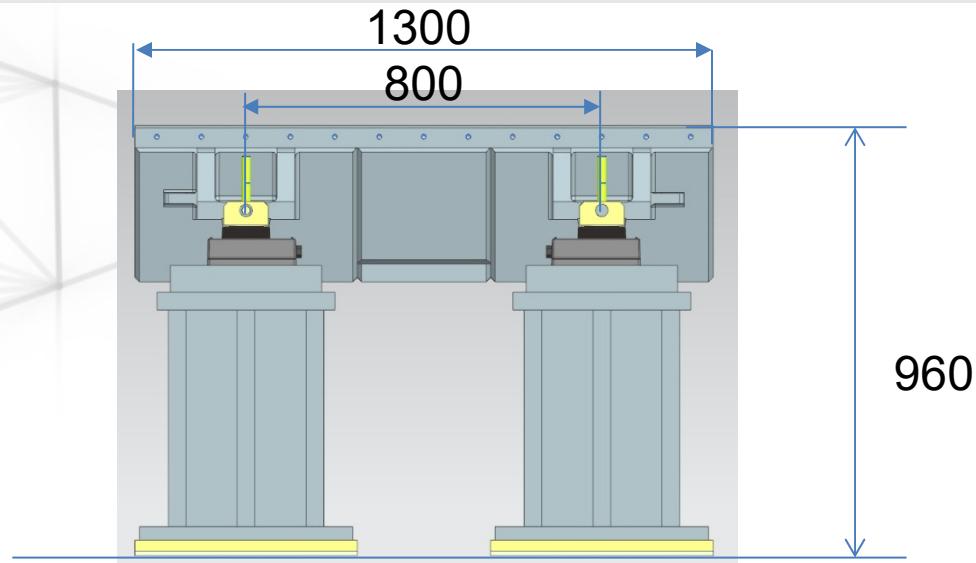
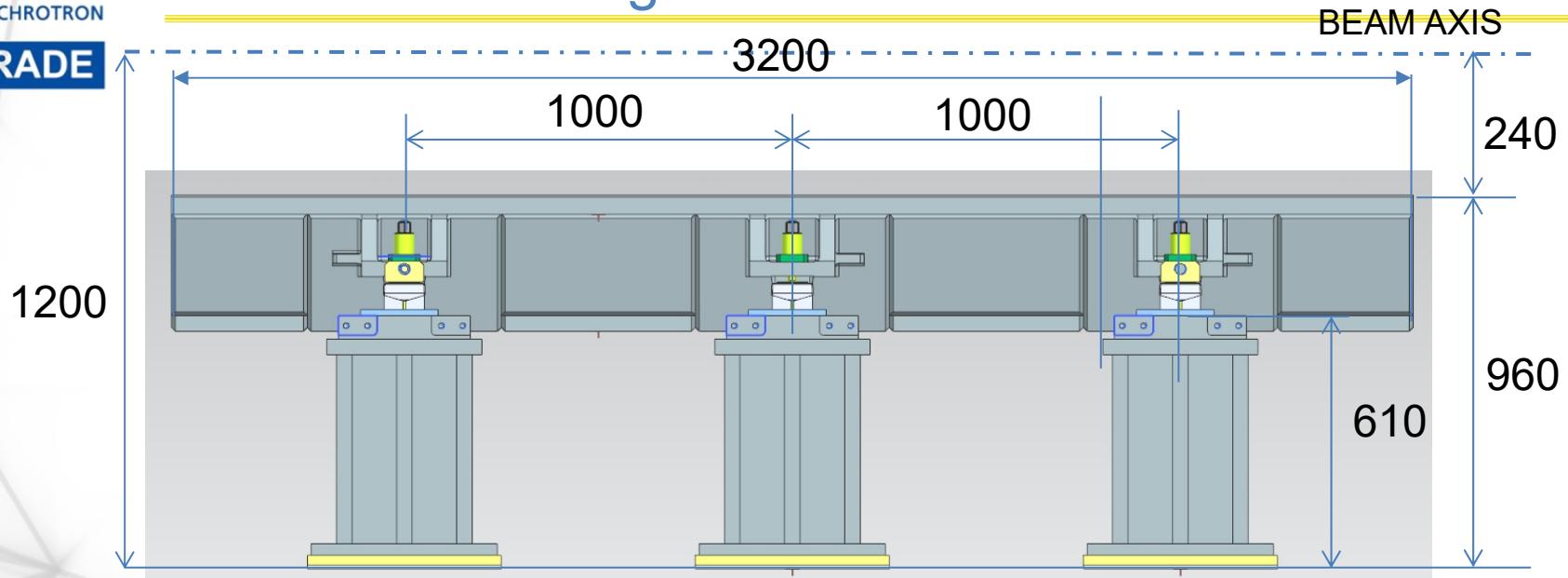
Short girder (1.30 m)



## Girder fixation and setting

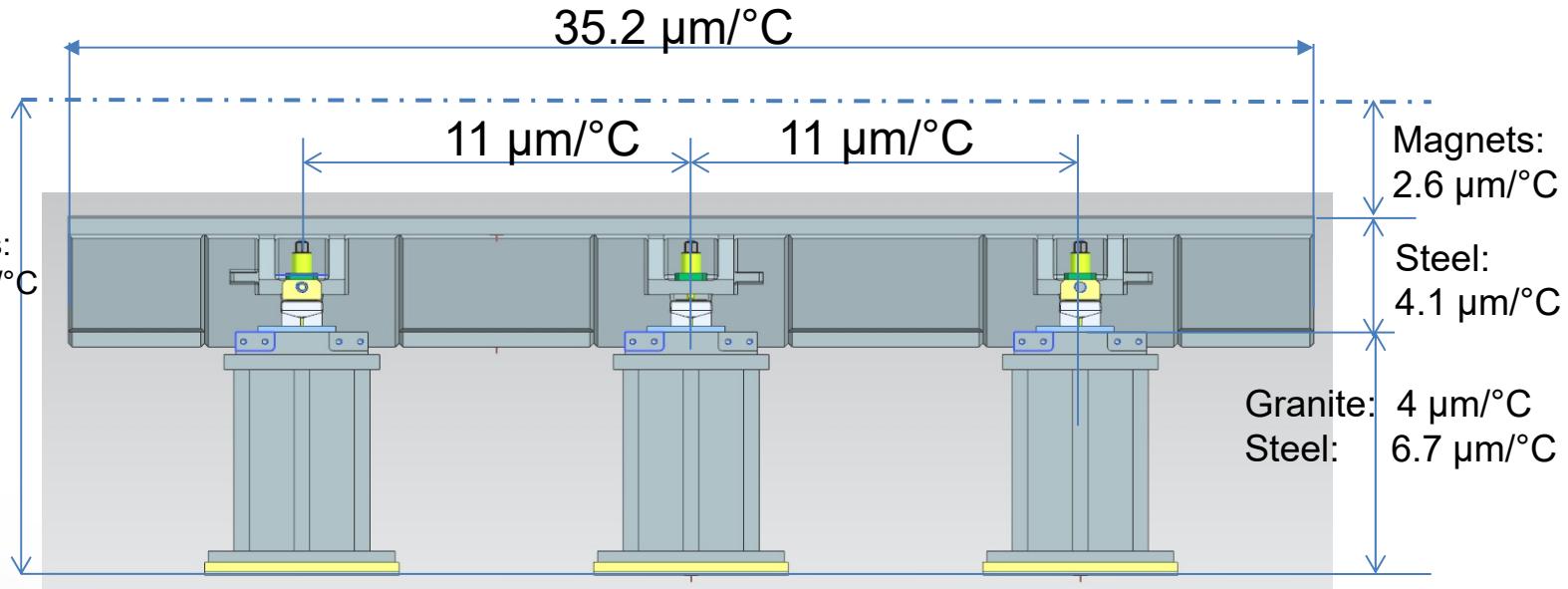


# Main girder dimensions



# Thermal drift evaluation

Total on vertical axis:  
 $\Delta y = 10.7 \text{ to } 13.4 \mu\text{m}/^\circ\text{C}$



Coefficient of thermal expansion (CTE):

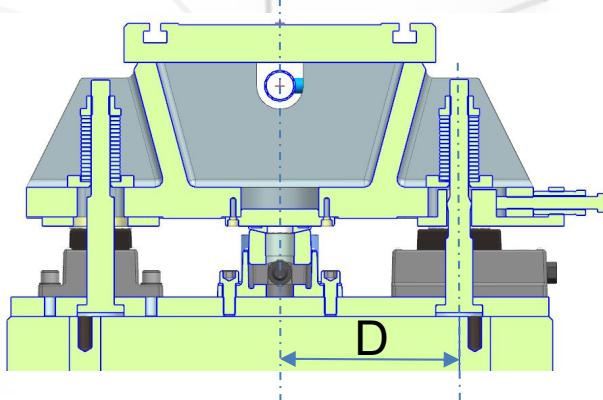
- granite:  $6.5 \times 10^{-6}$
- steel and magnets:  $11 \times 10^{-6}$

Temperature regulation is  $\pm 0.1^\circ$  in the tunnel

In the transverse direction, thermal expansion is supposed to be symmetrical if all the materials are the same.

If the stand is made of granite, an horizontal drift is induced by the difference between granite and steel CTE applied to the  $D=230 \text{ mm}$  distance.

In this case:  $\Delta x = 1.5 \mu\text{m}/^\circ\text{C}$



# STEEL OR GRANITE ?

	STEEL	GRANITE
CTE	$11 \times 10^{-6}$	$6.4 \times 10^{-6}$
Density	$7.8 \text{ Kg.m}^{-3}$	$2.7 \text{ Kg.m}^{-3}$
Thermal capacity	$435 \text{ J.Kg}^{-1}.K^{-1}$	$837 \text{ J.Kg}^{-1}.K^{-1}$
Volumic thermal capacity	$3393 \text{ J.m}^{-3}.K^{-1}$	$2260 \text{ J.m}^{-3}.K^{-1}$
Young modulus	210 GPa	60 GPa

Although volumic heat capacity of granite is lower, stands are massive blocks and yield a better thermal inertia than welded steel plate stands.

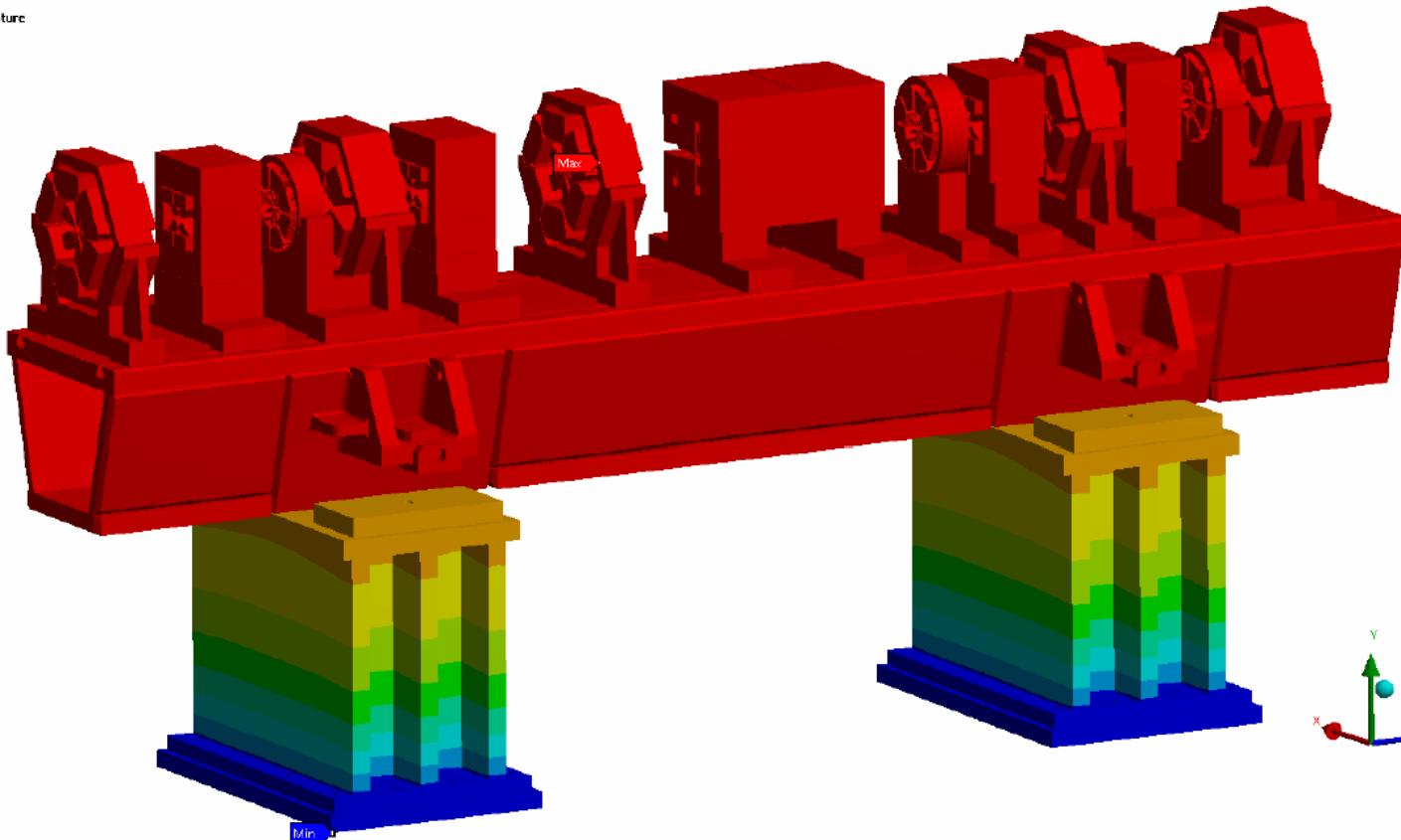
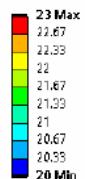
In the same way, considering stiffness, low Young modulus of granite is compensated by greater inertia of granite stands.

Steel allows more complex shapes than natural granite.

Cost depends on design and manufacturing process for both materials.

# Thermal simulation

As Poutre 2950 : température  
 Temperature  
 Type: Temperature  
 Unit: °C  
 Time: 1

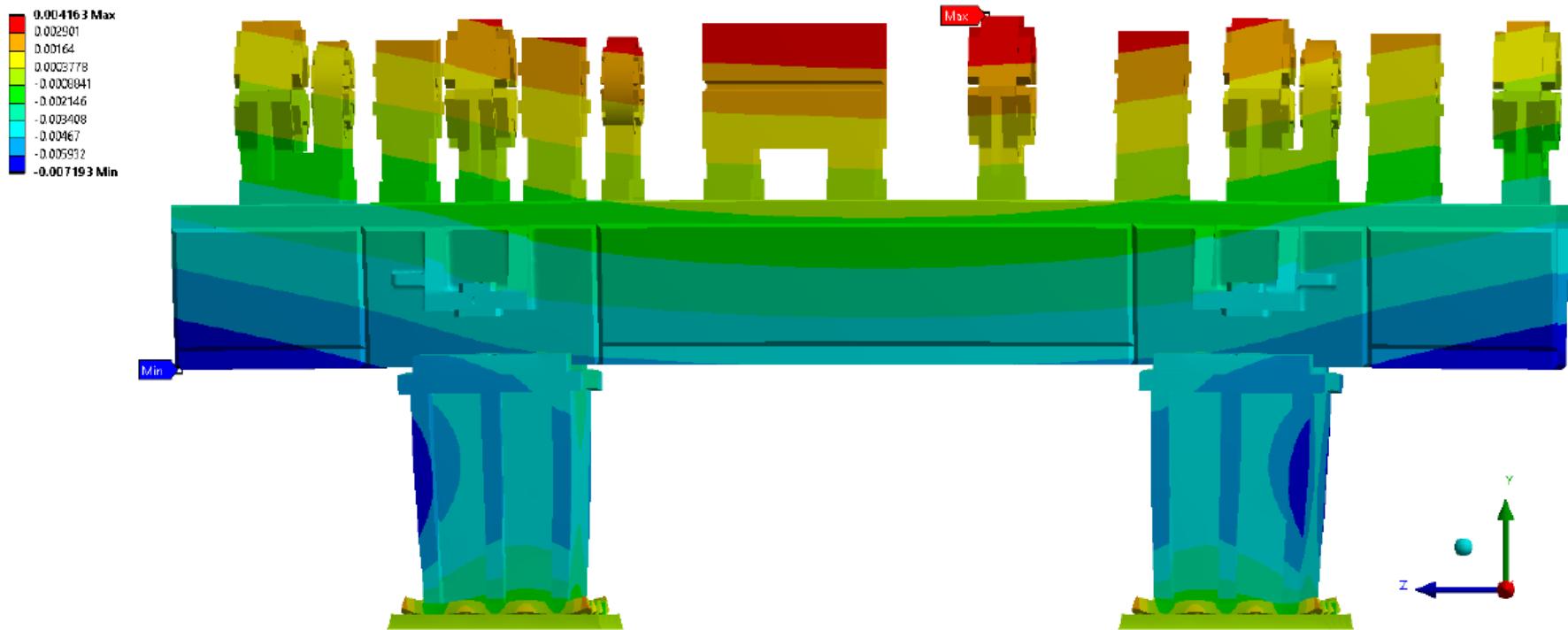


Ground plates temperature is fixed at 20°C, which is the temperature of the slab.  
 Jacks are modeled by a thermal link.  
 The whole system exchanges heat by convection in 23°C air ( $10 \text{ W.m}^{-2}.\text{°C}^{-1}$  ).

D: Poutre 2950 : température  
 Directional Deformation 2  
 Type: Directional Deformation(Y Axis)  
 Unit: mm  
 Global Coordinate System  
 Time: 1  
 Custom  
 Deformation Scale Factor: 4.0e+003 (0.5x Auto)

## Heat-induced deformation

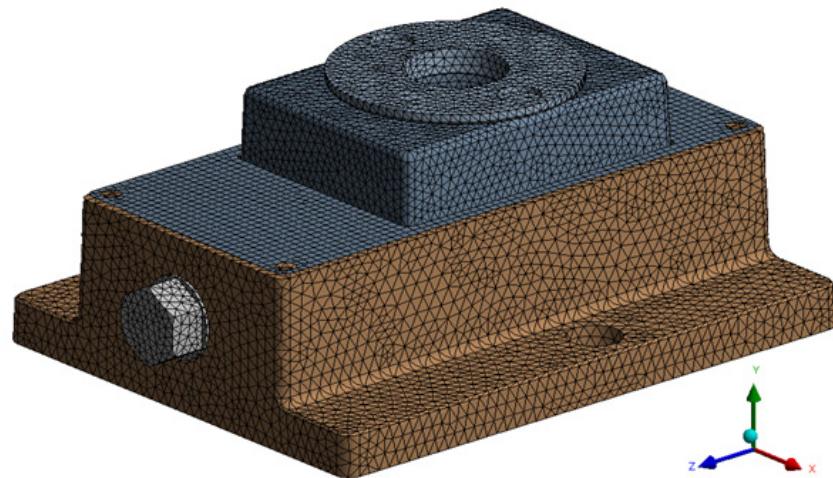
Thermal stability based upon BPM specification:  
 50 nm a couple of minutes  
 500 nm on one day  
 ~ 1  $\mu\text{m}$  on a week



Ground at 20°C Air temperature 23°C

Temperature gradient effect: maximum deflection along Y axis= -7.2 / + 4.2  $\mu\text{m}$

# NIVELL DK-3 model used for stiffness evaluation



Max load= 25 KN  
 Stroke  $\pm 3.5$  mm  
 Stiffness:  $6 \cdot 10^9$  N.m $^{-1}$

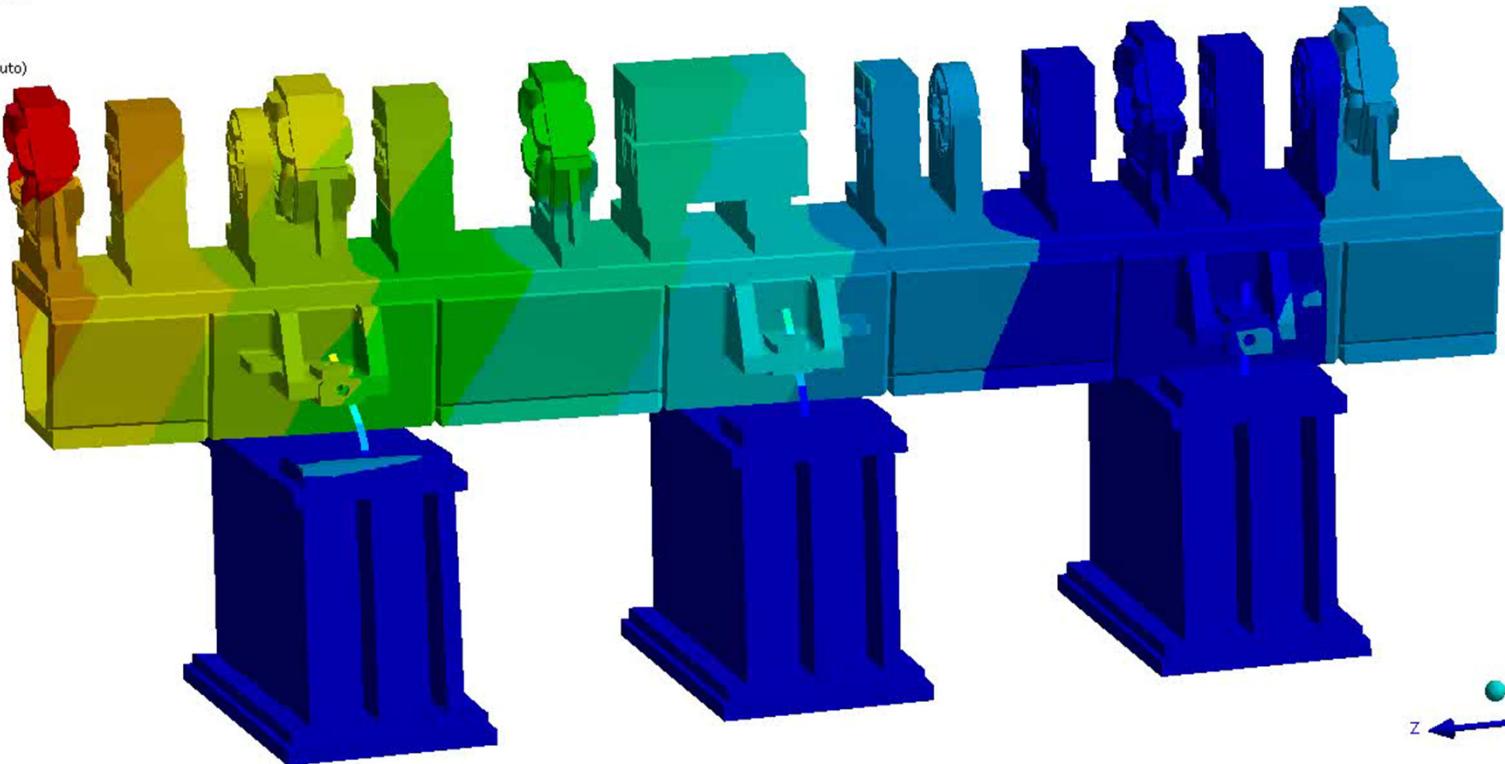
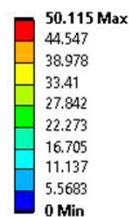
Stiffness along X		
Effort (N)	deflexion (m)	Stiffness (N/m)
1 000	7,16E-06	1,40E+08
5 000	3,58E-05	1,40E+08
10 000	7,16E-05	1,40E+08
25 000	1,79E-04	1,40E+08
50 000	3,56E-04	1,40E+08
100 000	7,10E-04	1,41E+08

Stiffness along Y		
Effort (N)	deflexion (m)	stiffness (N/m)
1 000	1,35E-07	7,39E+09
5 000	7,27E-07	6,88E+09
10 000	1,46E-06	6,87E+09
25 000	3,64E-06	6,87E+09
50 000	7,28E-06	6,87E+09
100 000	1,45E-05	6,87E+09

Stiffness along Z		
Effort (N)	deflexion (m)	stiffness (N/m)
1 000	4,09E-06	2,45E+08
5 000	2,04E-05	2,45E+08
10 000	4,09E-05	2,45E+08
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50 000	2,04E-04	2,45E+08
100 000	4,08E-04	2,45E+08

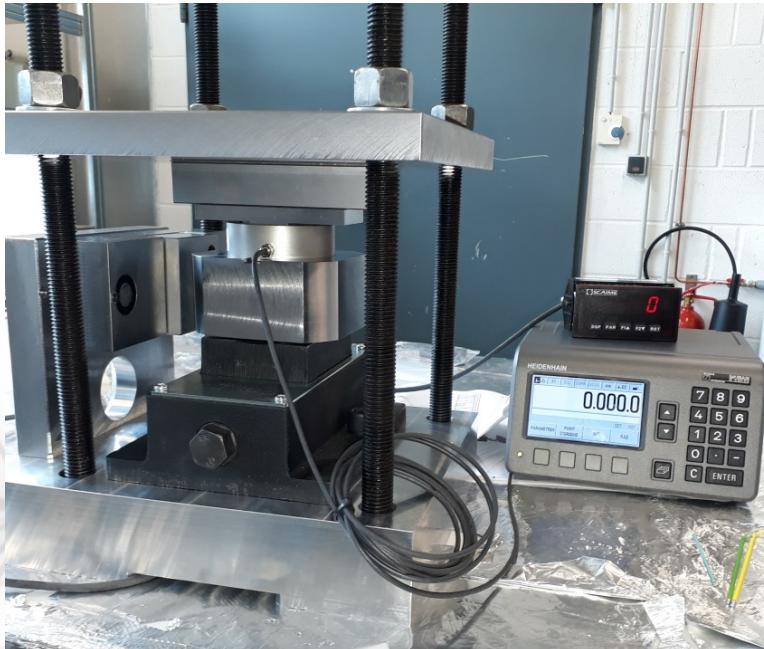
# Dynamic simulation on a 6 point 2,95 m girder

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Type: Total Deformation  
Frequency: 76.951 Hz  
Unit: mm  
Deformation Scale Factor: 7.1 (2x Auto)

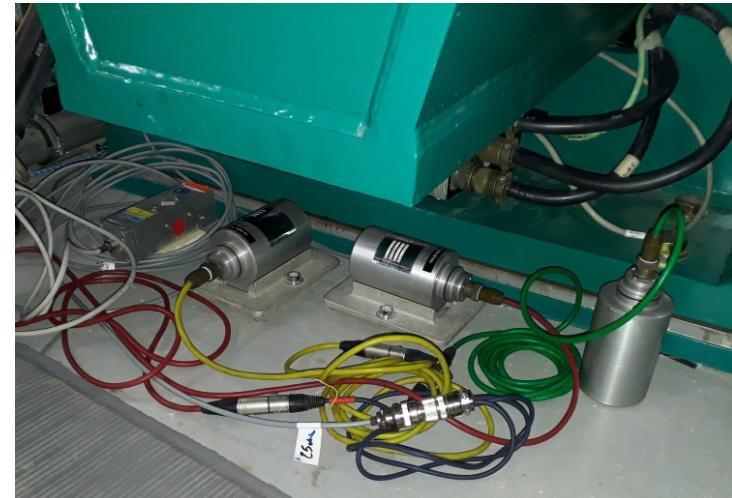


First mode: Yaw motion at 77 Hz

# Experimental tests



Jack stiffness measurement bench (load 10 to 50 KN)



Set of velocimeter triadres implemented at the 4 quadrants on SR floor

Experimental results will be used as input data for dynamic simulation on girders:

- jack stiffness matrix
- ground vibration spectrum

A girder prototype with dummy magnets will be launched as soon as the configuration on lattice is fixed (212, 172 or 116 girders).

# Conclusion

- Several setups have been evaluated, choice will be made considering stability, alignment and dark time reduction.
- Magnets are still in design phase, but the preliminary models of girders can be easily changed to meet the final requirements.
- Need for experimental measurements to get realistic data for FEA simulation, in particular a correct stiffness evaluation of jacks.
- Construction of a pedestal prototype to perform thermal and dynamic tests.
- Prototype of a complete girder planned for first term of 2022, but depending on magnet definition.

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