

# Evidence of reduced magnetic sensitivities in low beta SRF cavities

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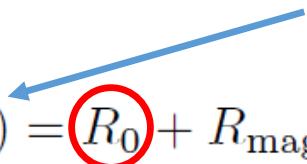


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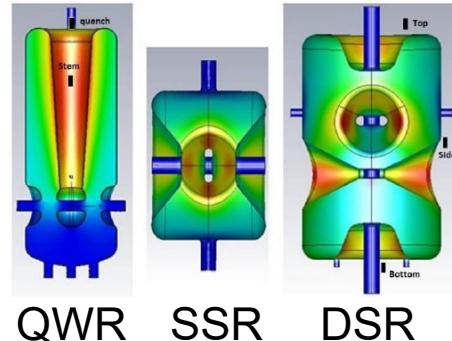
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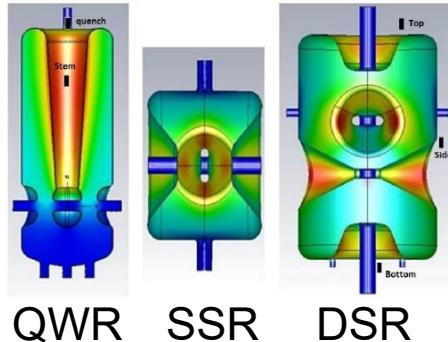
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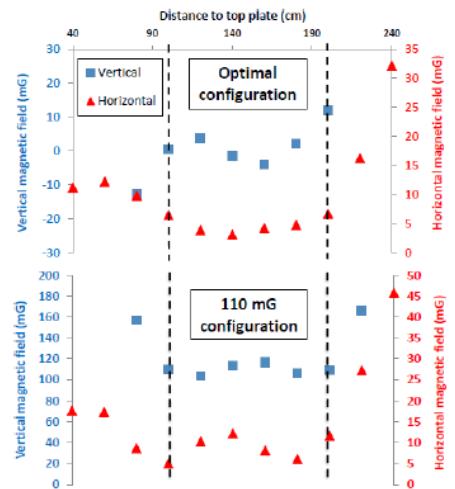
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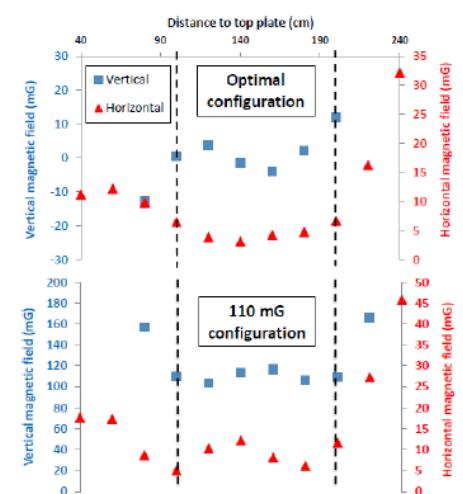
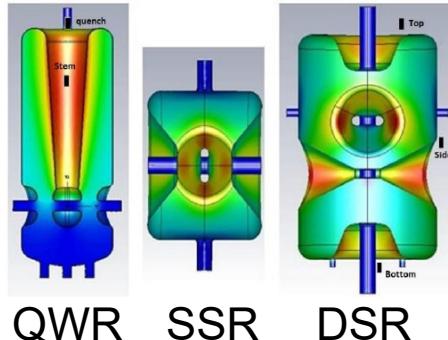
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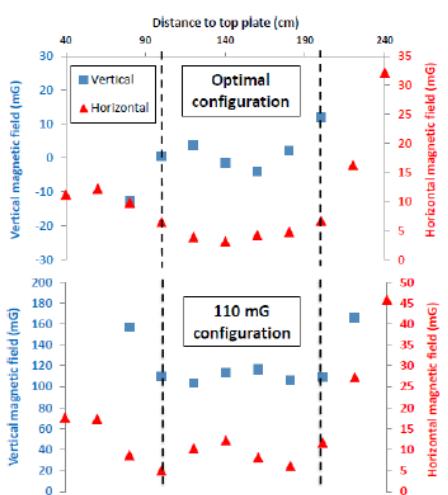
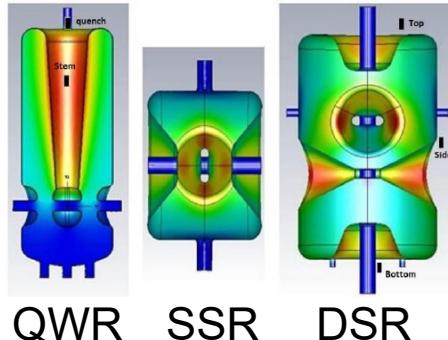


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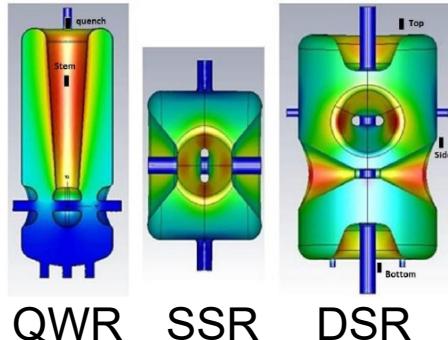
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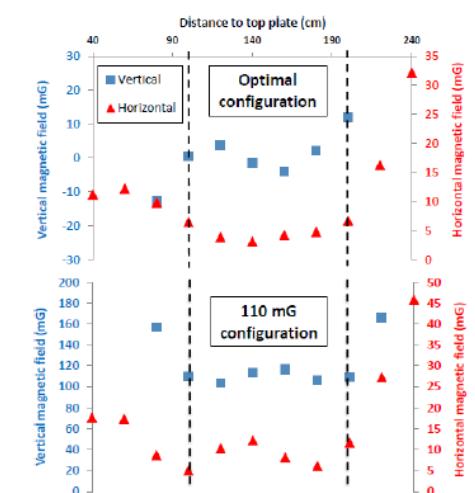


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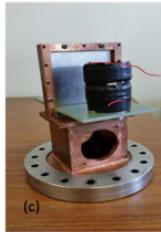
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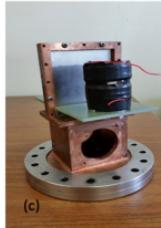


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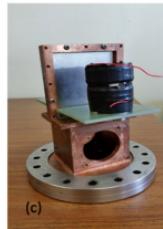
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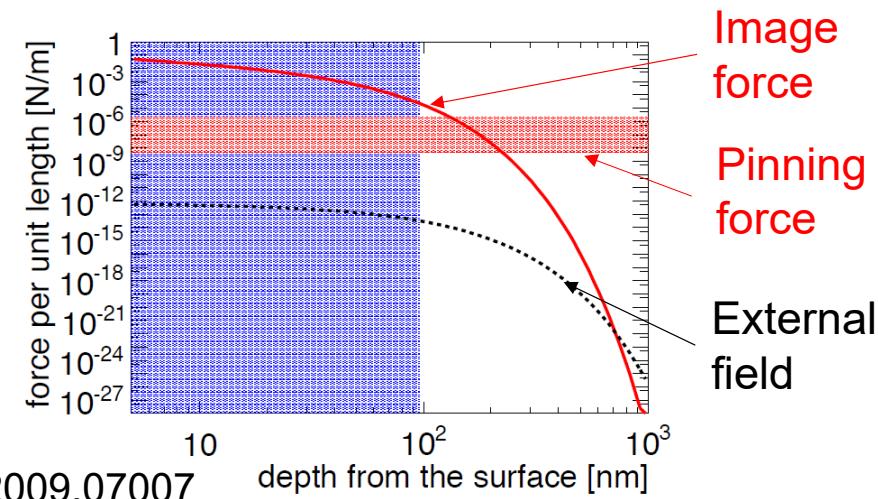
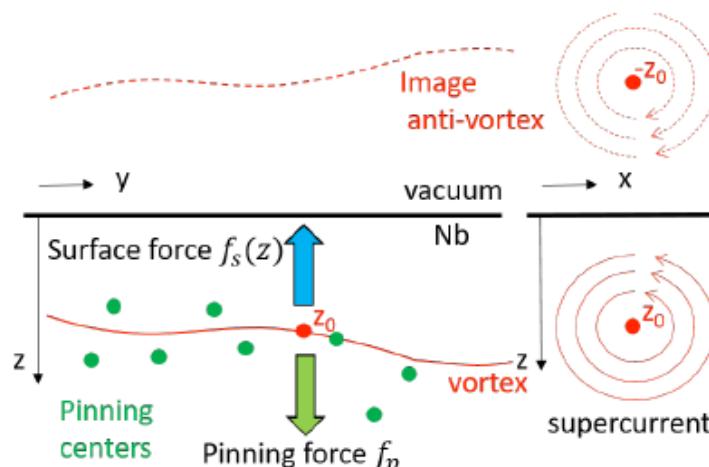
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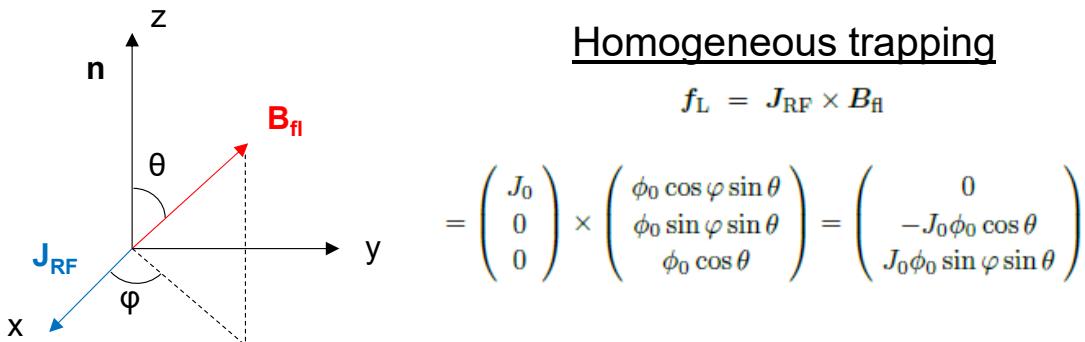


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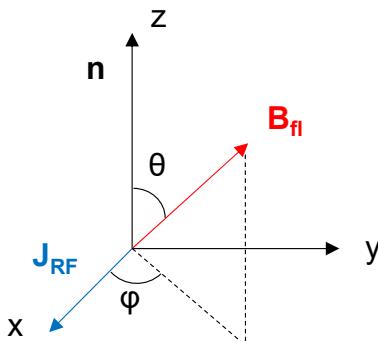


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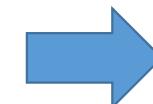
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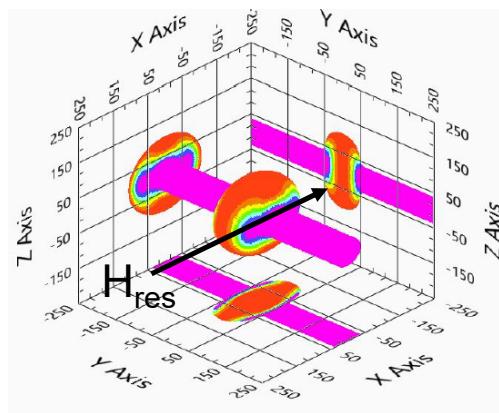
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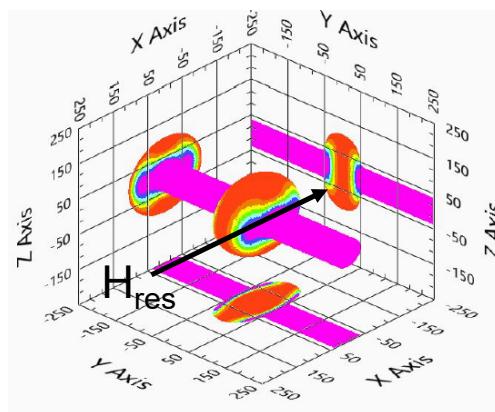
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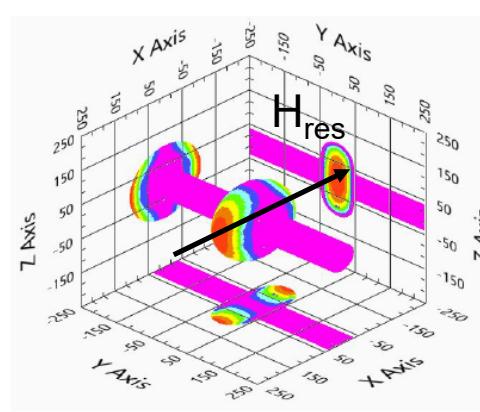
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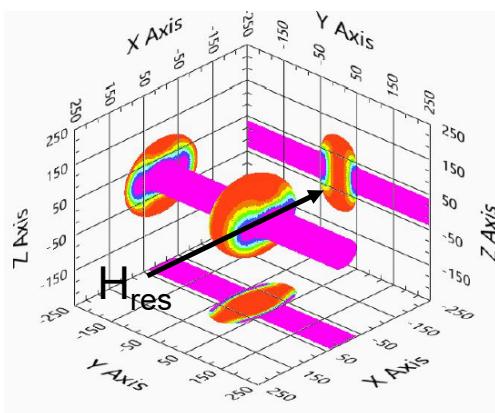
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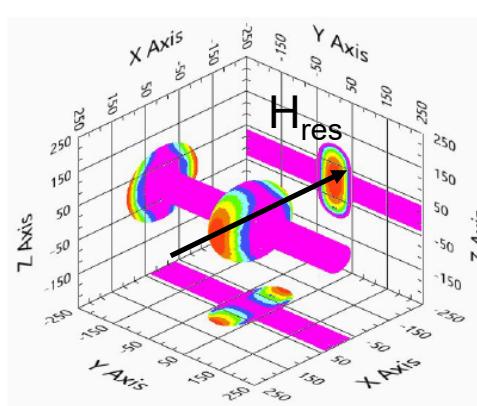
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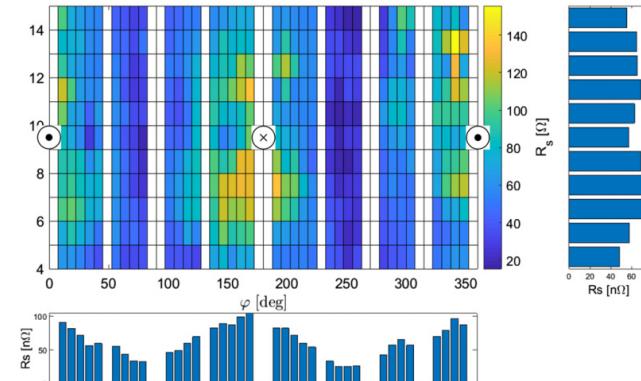
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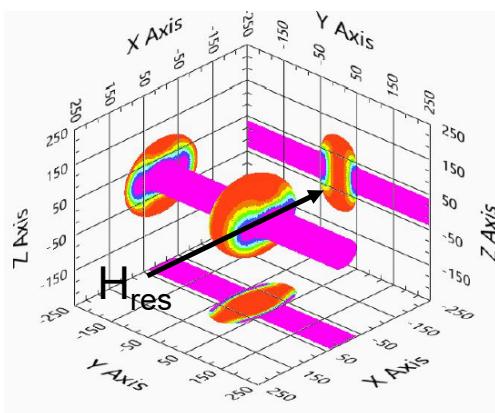
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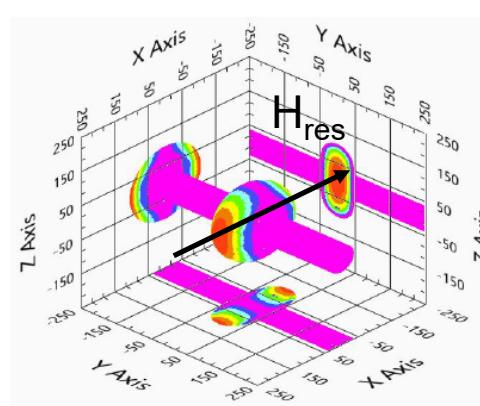
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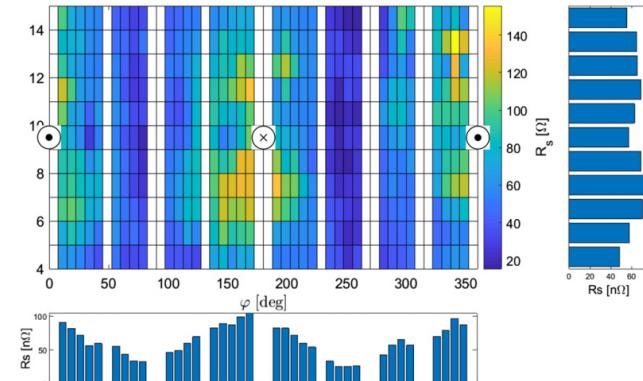
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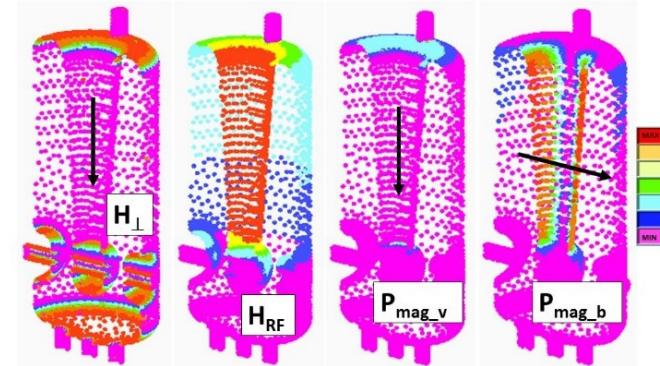
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→ Good agreement between predicted and measured sensitivity



# Conclusion

- Measurements of magnetic sensitivity have been performed at IJCLab unveiling geometrical effect
  - Sensitivities are systematically lower than expected for several type of cavities
  - Vertical sensitivity is significantly lower than transverse sensitivity
- Dedicated sample studies highlighted preferential trapping of perpendicular field
- Image force on a parallel vortex to the surface surpasses pinning forces within several London penetration depth (< 200 nm)
- A numerical model has been build to take into account :
  - Preferential trapping
  - Integration of local resistance weighted by RF currents : Higher resistance measured if power is dissipated!
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