

Figure 2.3.3 “Attracting-like” displacement of the magnetic field lines by a ferromagnetic shield: a) closed shield with external source (homogeneous field), b) open shield (three-phase field) and c) closed shield with internal source (single-phase field).

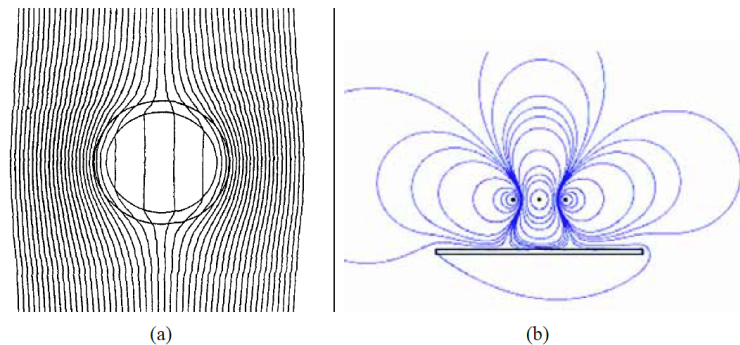


Figure 2.3.14 “Repelling-like” displacement of the magnetic field lines by a pure conductive shield: a) closed shield with external source (homogeneous field), b) open shield (three-phase source)

SHIELDING BENCHMARK

Static Shielding and Eddy Current Shielding

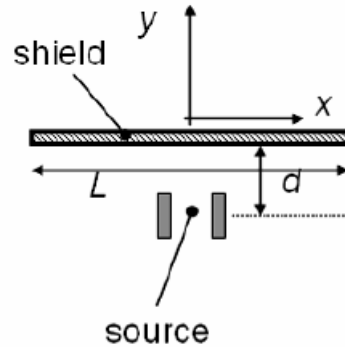
OBJECTIVES

- 2D benchmarks
 - Static shielding
 - Eddy current shielding
- 3D benchmarks
 - Static shielding
 - Eddy current shielding
- Substation example
 - Import of HyperMesh model
 - Thin regions



BENCHMARK CASE

- CIGRE 373-2009 document: MITIGATION TECHNIQUES OF POWER-FREQUENCY MAGNETIC FIELDS ORIGINATED FROM ELECTRIC POWER SYSTEMS



The analysis is developed for simplicity making reference to a two-dimensional source, formed by a lead-and-return conductor. The shield (with thickness Δ and permeability μ) is realized by a planar sheet (having width L) or a by a U-shaped sheet, and it is placed at a distance d from the source (see Figure 2.3.8). It must be noted that, in the U-shaped arrangement, each side has the same length L as the planar sheet. Hence, the U-shaped shield involves more shielding material than the planar shield.

The shielding factor depends on the position; the value is plotted along the y -axis (at $x = 0$) and along the x -axis (at $y = d + 0.5$, that is at 0.5 m from the shield).



STATIC SHIELDING BENCHMARK

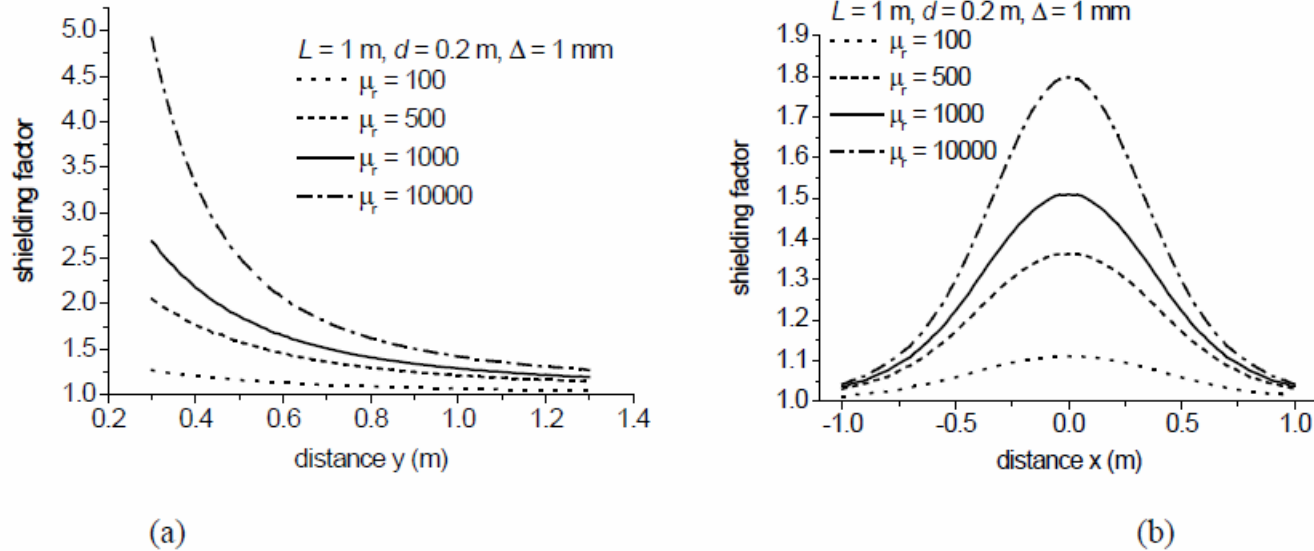


Figure 2.3.9 SF of the flat shield of Figure 2.3.8(a) for different values of magnetic permeability: (a) plot along y axis at $x = 0$, (b) plot along x axis at $y = 0.7$ m.

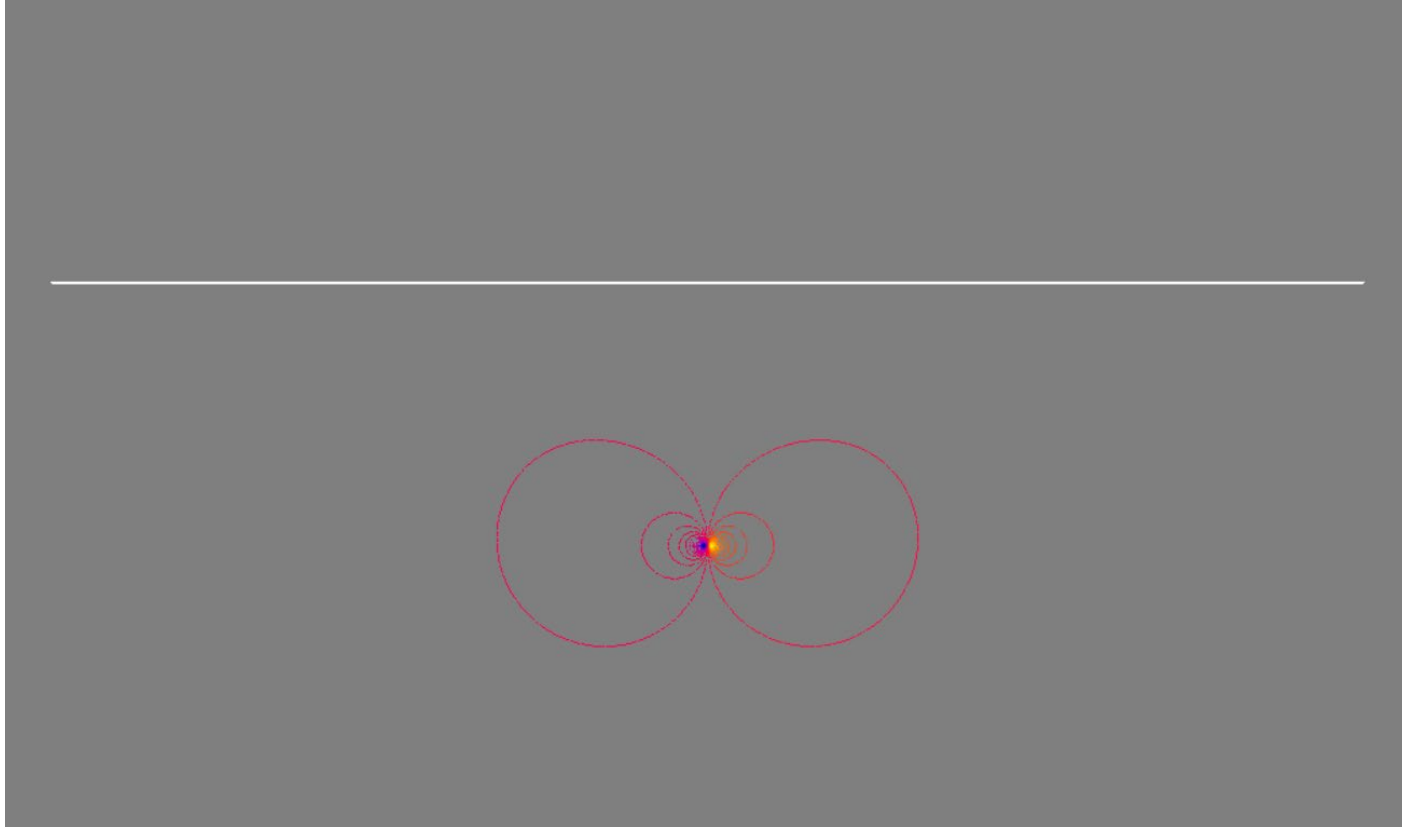


STATIC SHIELDING BENCHMARK FEA MODEL

- Source
 - Lead and return conductor with 4000 A DC
 - Infinite long conductor
- Plate dimensions
 - Length = 1000 mm
 - Thickness = 1 mm
 - Axial length = 1000 mm
 - 2D (infinite long)
 - 3D (actual length)
- Material
 - Linear steel $\mu_r = 1000$
- Model
 - 2D
 - 3D
 - 3D extruded
- Boundary conditions
 - Infinite box for 2D and 3D
 - 10000 mm radius for 3D extruded

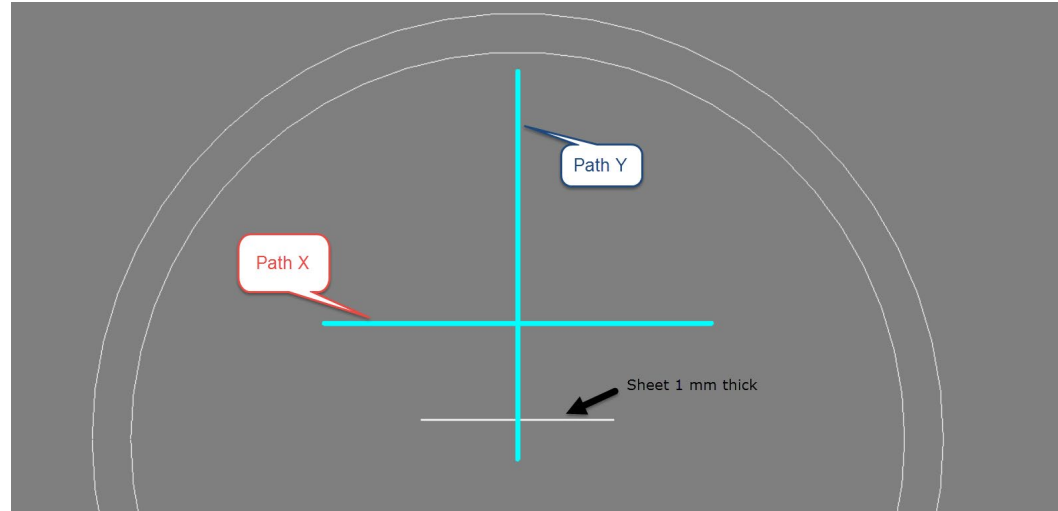


STATIC SHIELDING BENCHMARK 2D FEA EQUIFLUX LINES

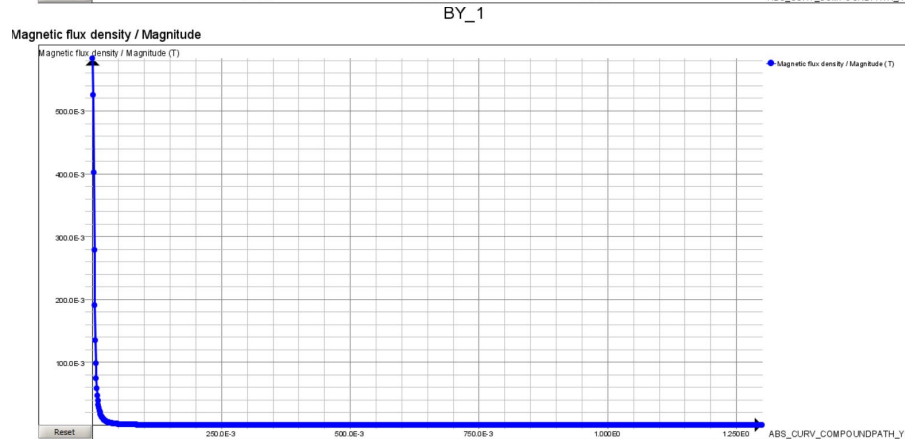
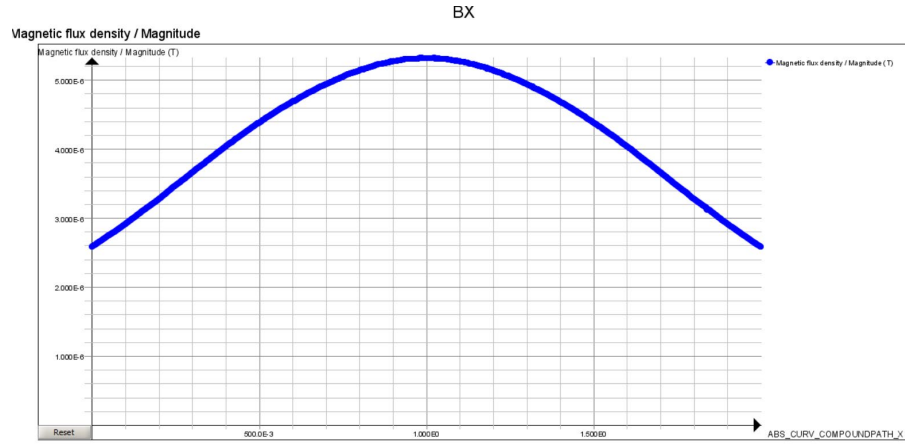


STATIC SHIELDING – 2D FEA POST-PROCESSING

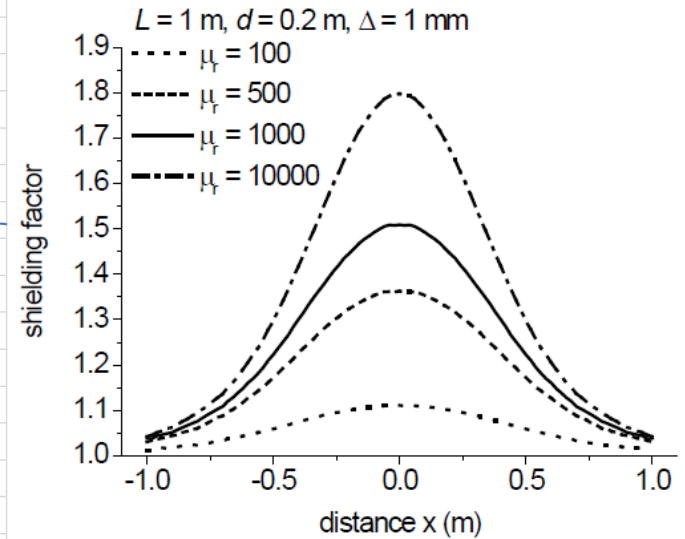
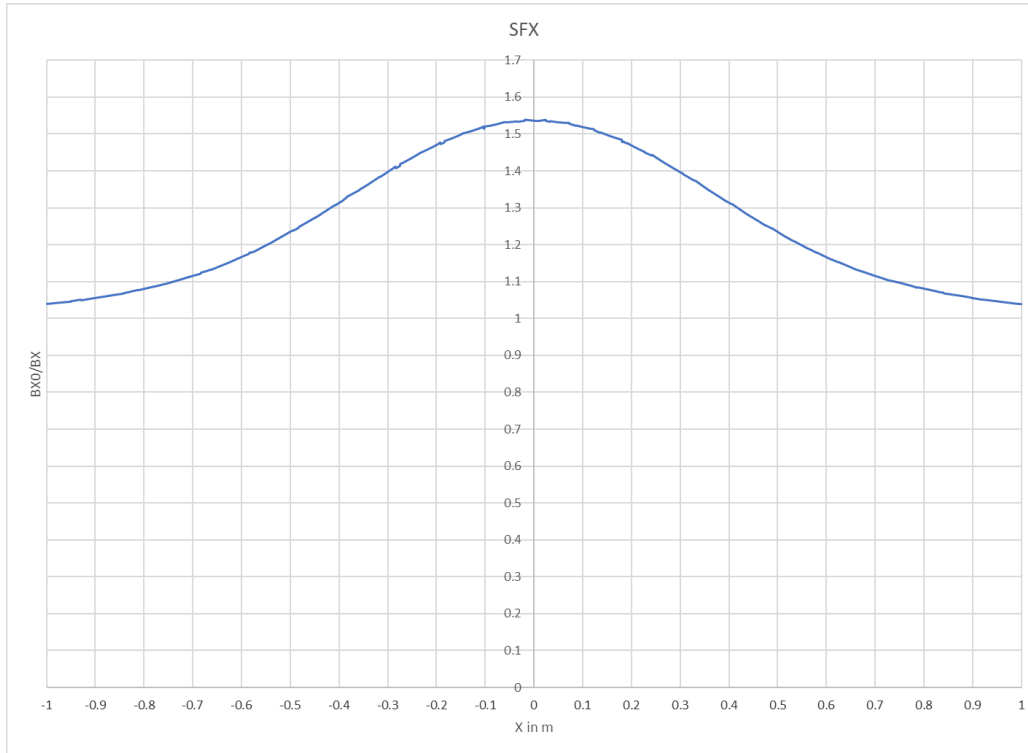
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- SFY: Shielding factor = $BY0/BY$



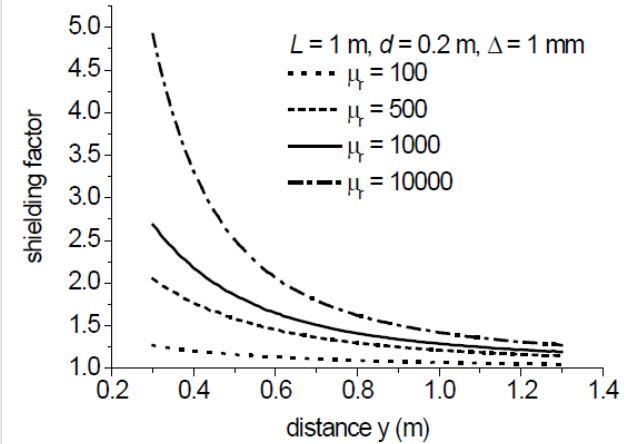
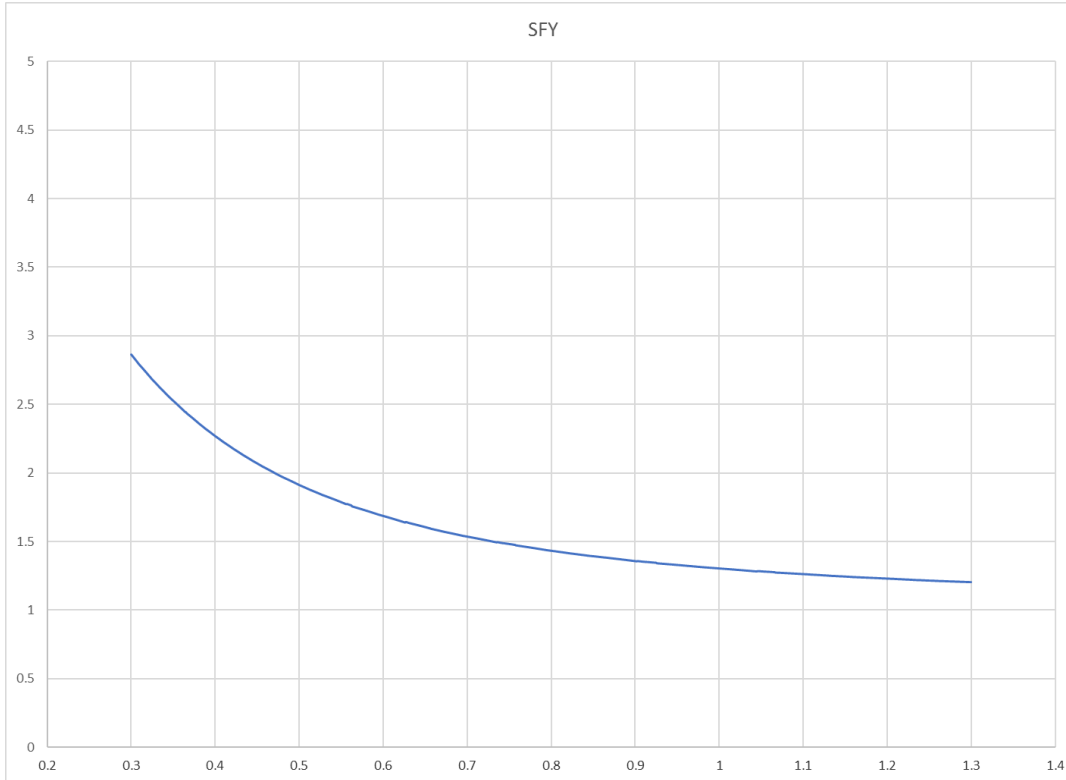
STATIC SHIELDING – 2D FEA POST-PROCESSING – BX & BY



STATIC SHIELDING – 2D FEA POST-PROCESSING – SFX



STATIC SHIELDING – 2D FEA POST-PROCESSING – SFY



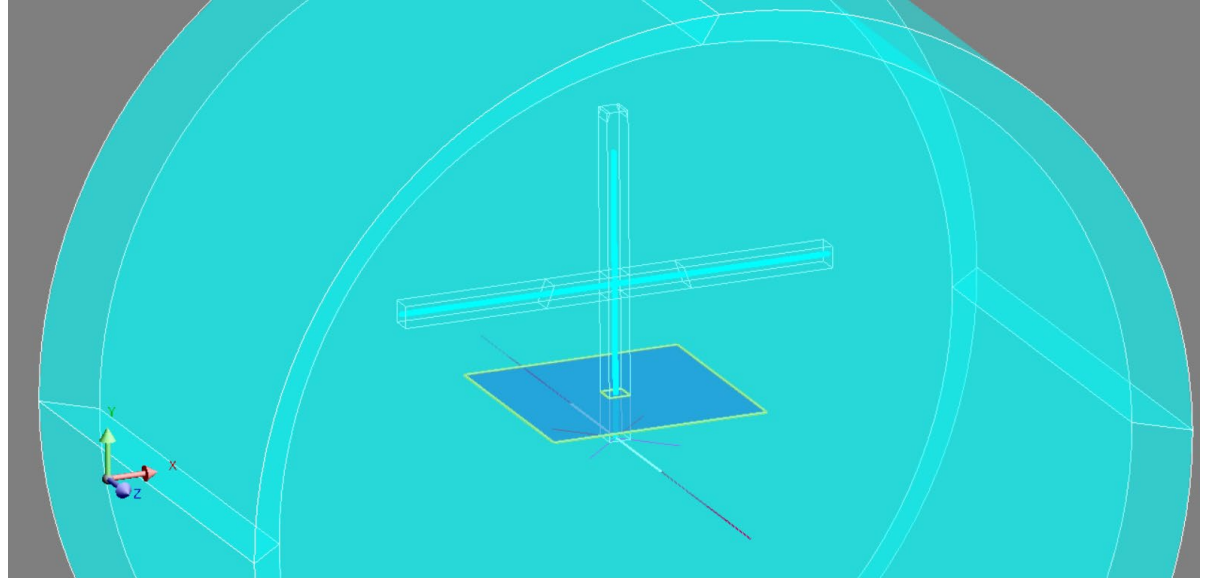
STATIC SHIELDING – 2D FEA MODEL - COMMENTS

- Good correlation between 2D FEA results with CIGRE data
 - Model of Fig. 238 a
 - Data of Fig. 239 a and b
- 2D FEA model
 - Assumes infinite long conductor
 - Assumes infinite long sheet (axially)
 - Even though the axial length is defined for 1000 mm
 - Uses of infinite box for open field boundaries



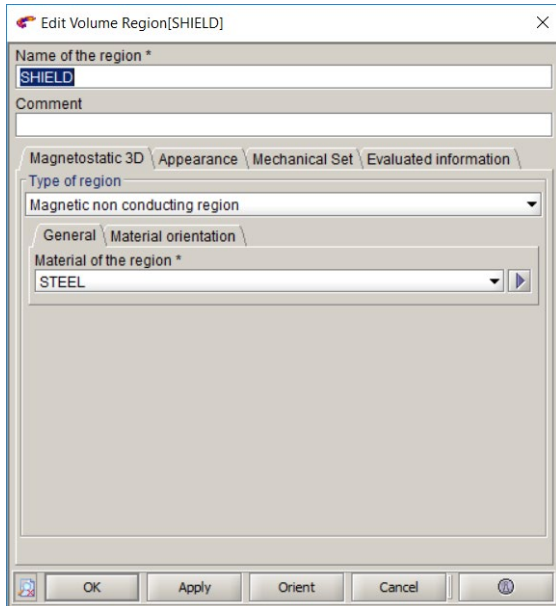
STATIC SHIELDING BENCHMARK – 3D MODEL

- Open field boundary conditions with Infinite Box
- Conductors
 - Non meshed coils
 - Infinitely long
- Sheet
 - Volume region with mesh
 - Thin magnetic face region with 1 mm thickness

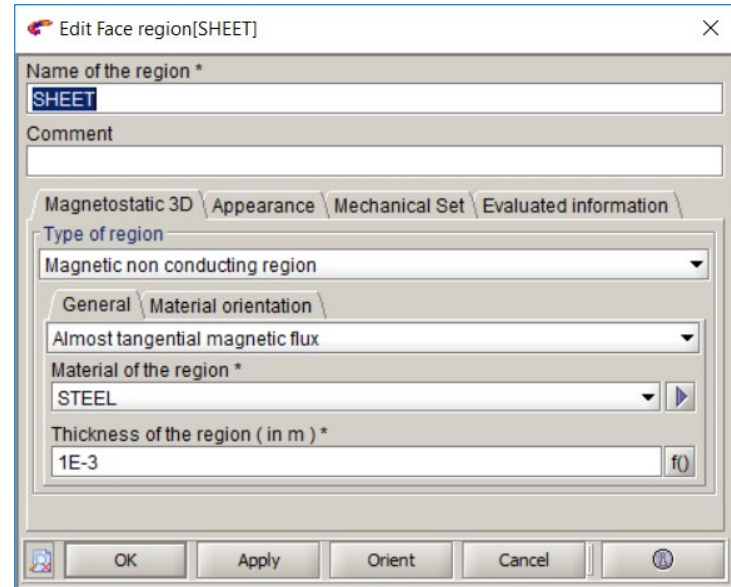


STATIC SHIELDING BENCHMARK – SHEET

- Sheet with volume region
 - Geometrically represented
 - Volume meshed
 - Magnetic region

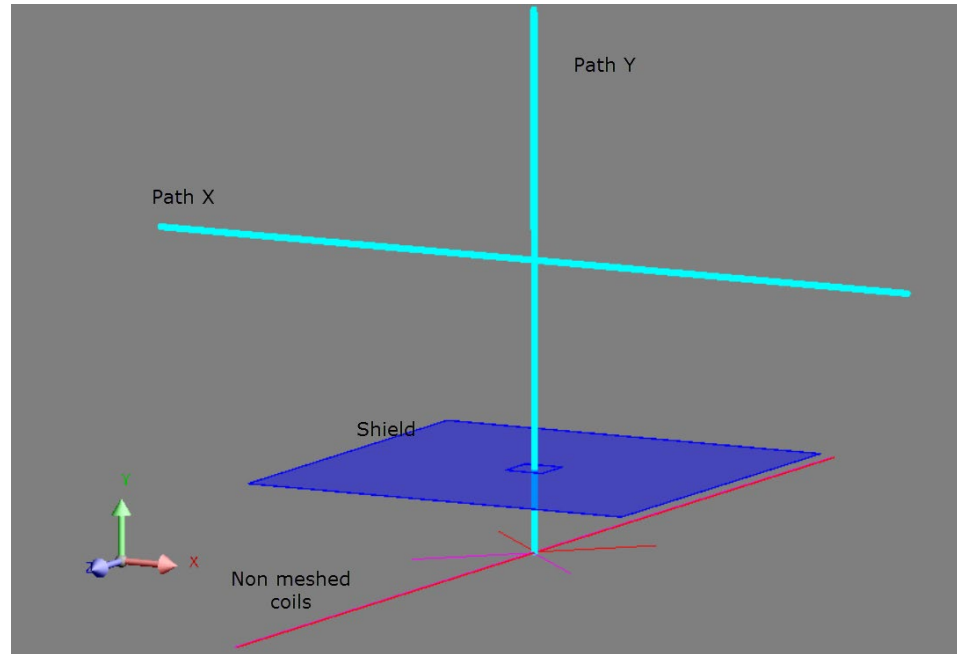


- Sheet with thin faceregion
 - Geometrically represented by a face
 - Magnetic thin face region
 - Thickness of 1 mm

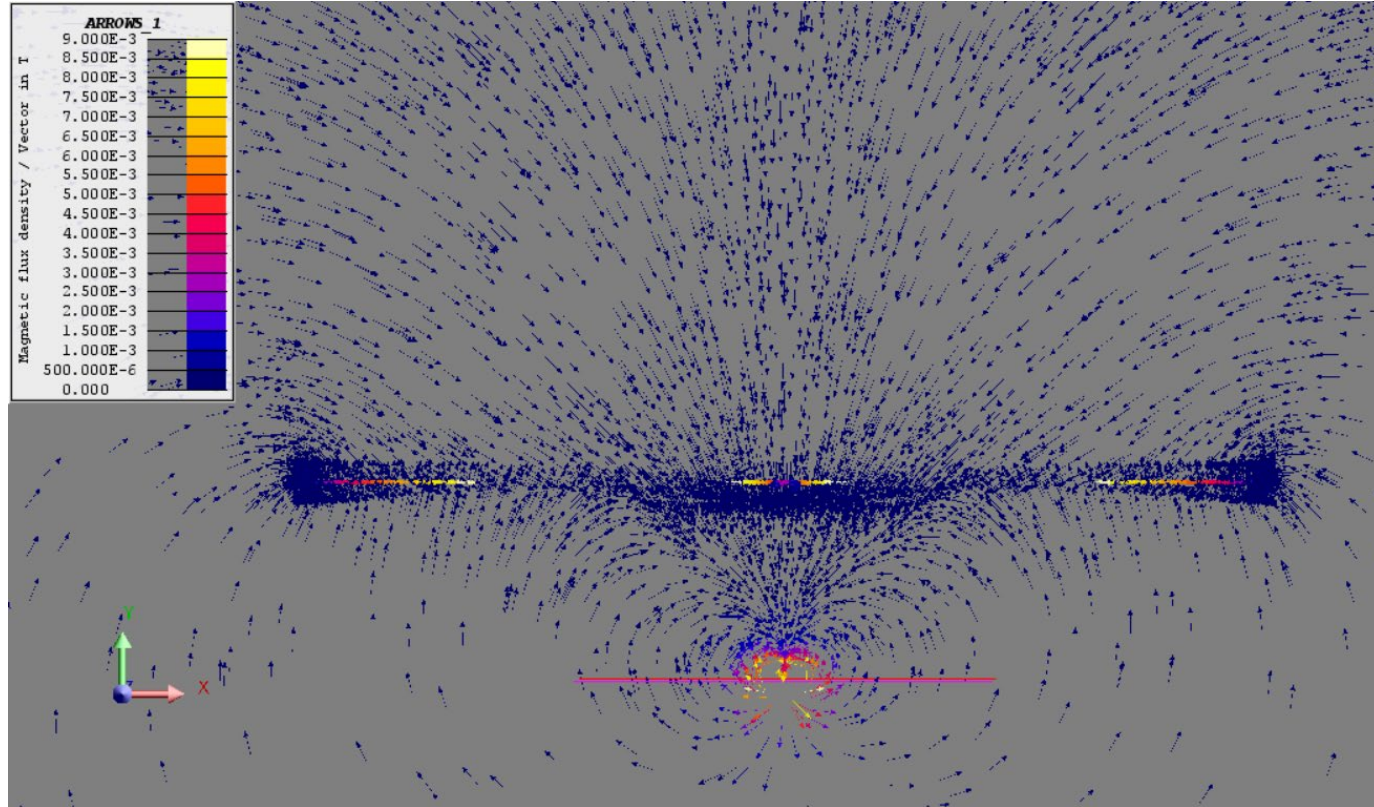


STATIC SHIELDING – 3D FEA POST-PROCESSING

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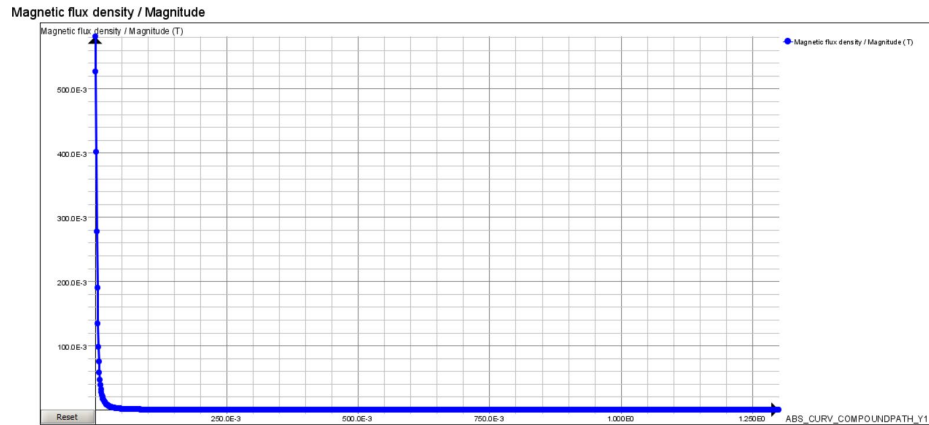


STATIC SHIELDING BENCHMARK 3D FEA – FLUX DENSITY B ON X-Y PLANE – 3D VOLUME REGION

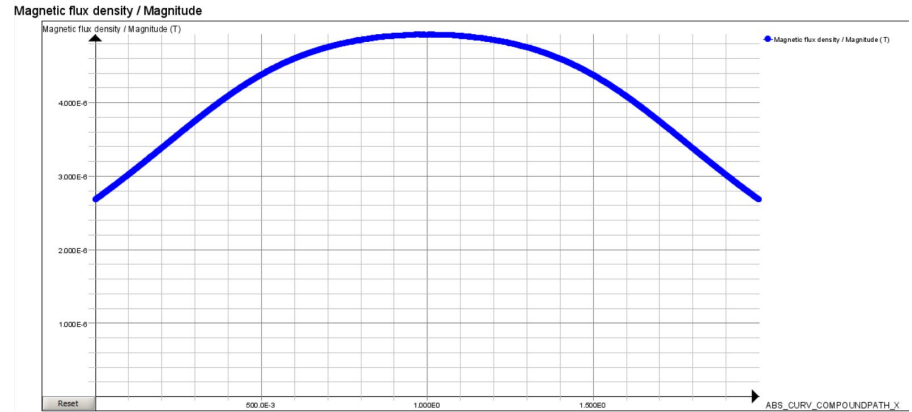


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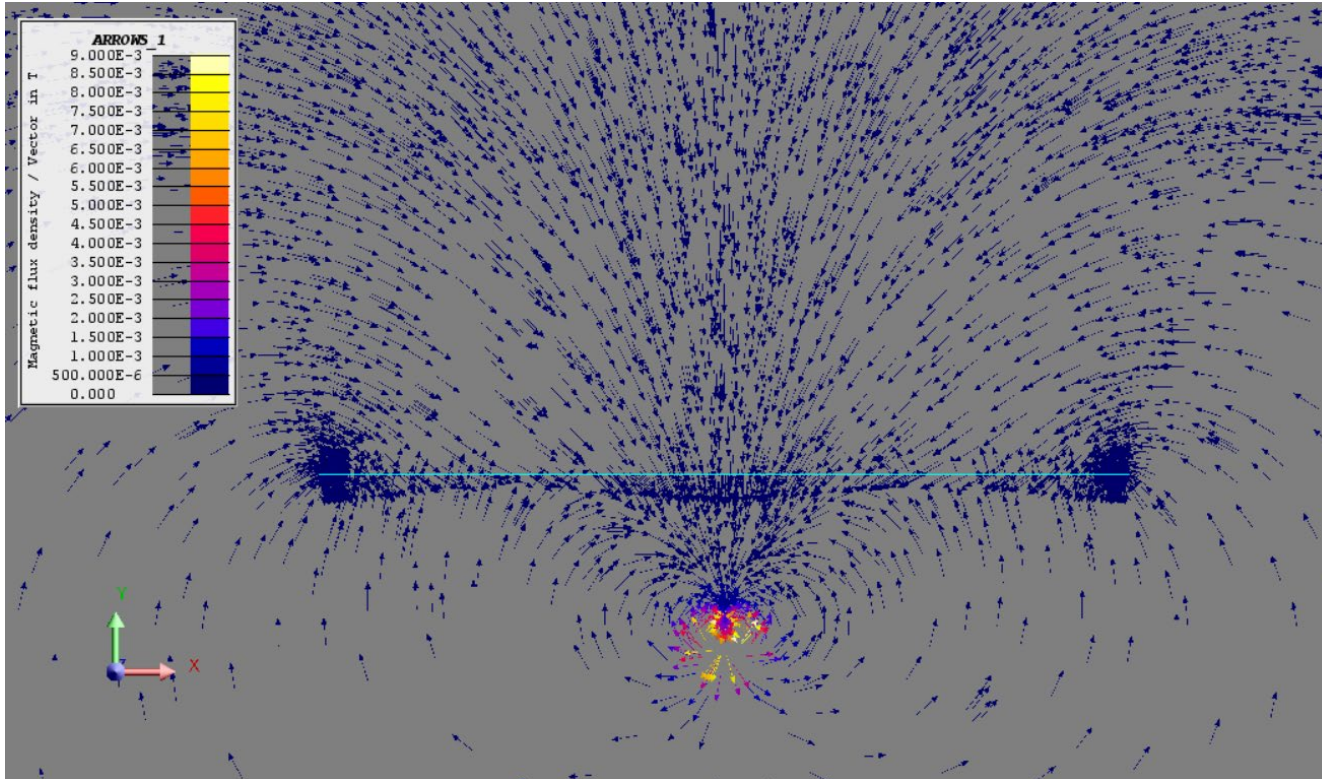
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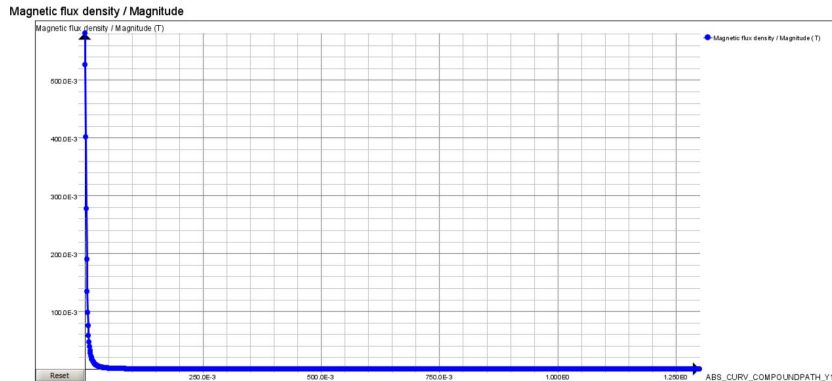


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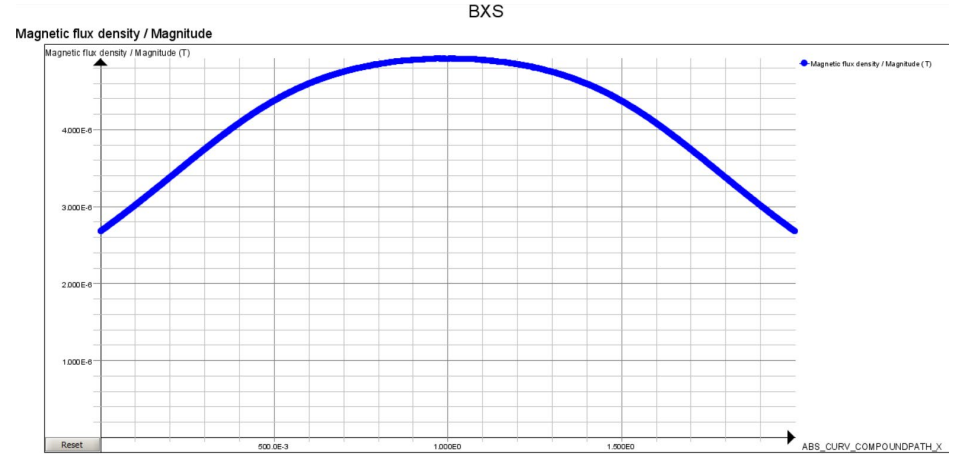


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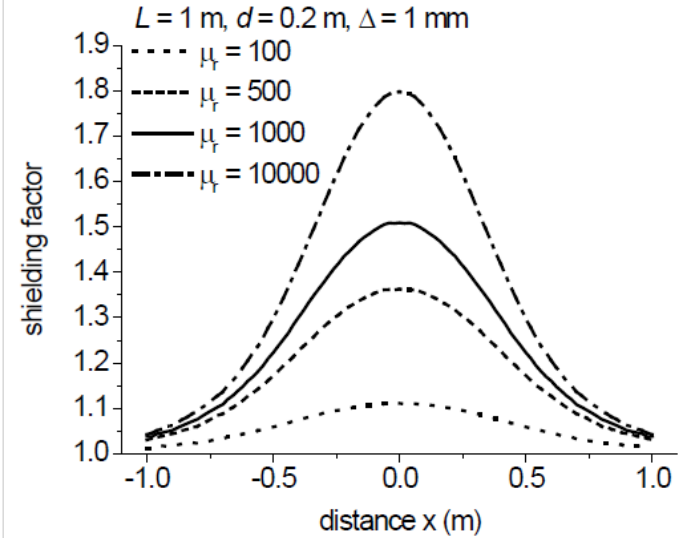
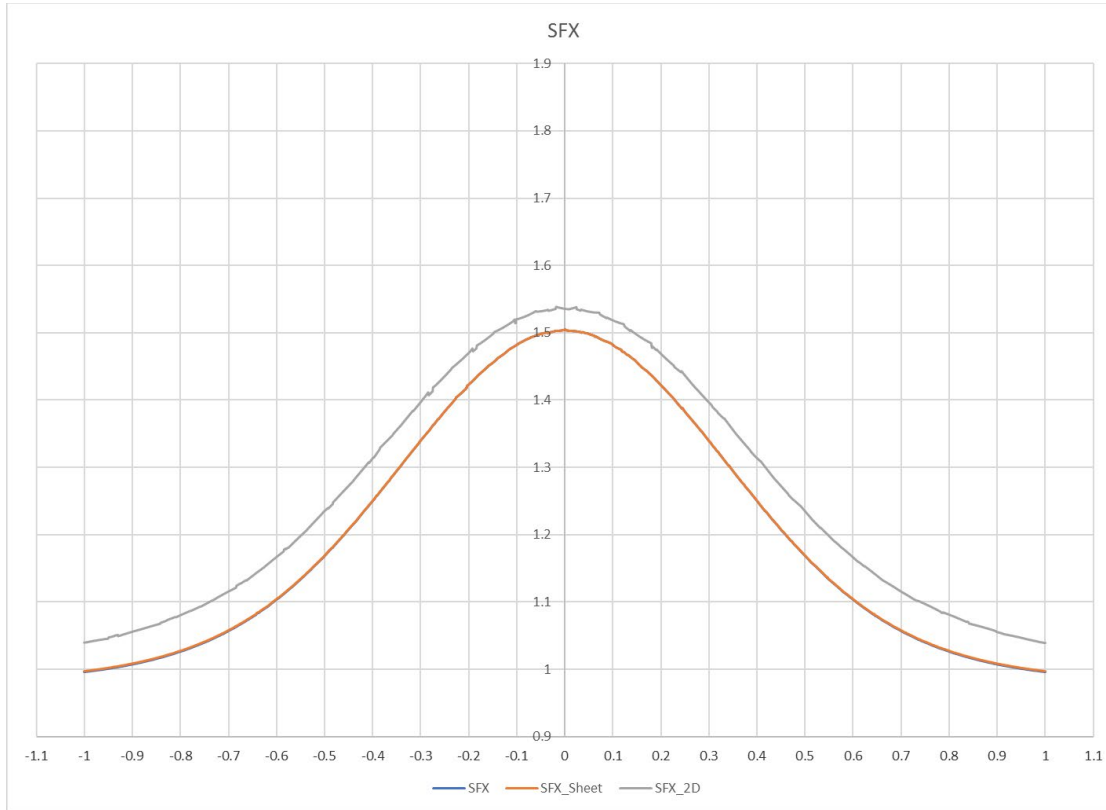
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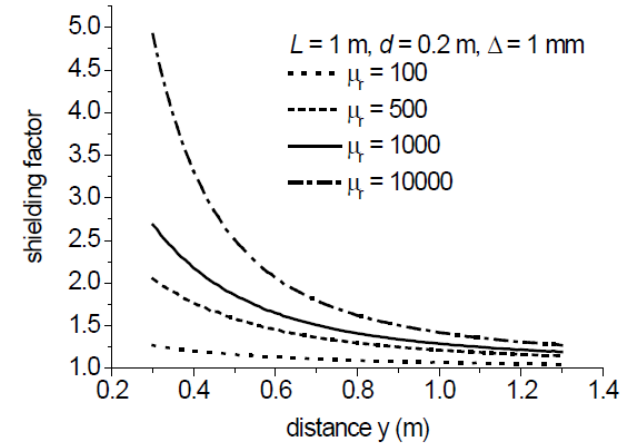
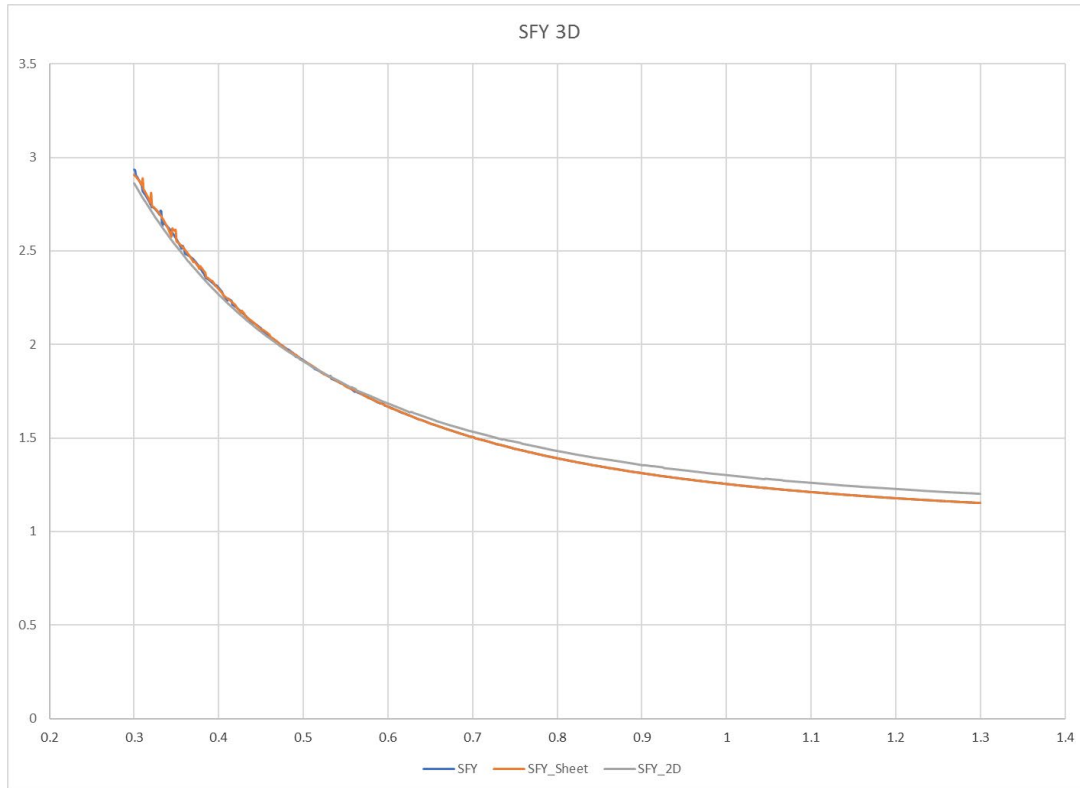
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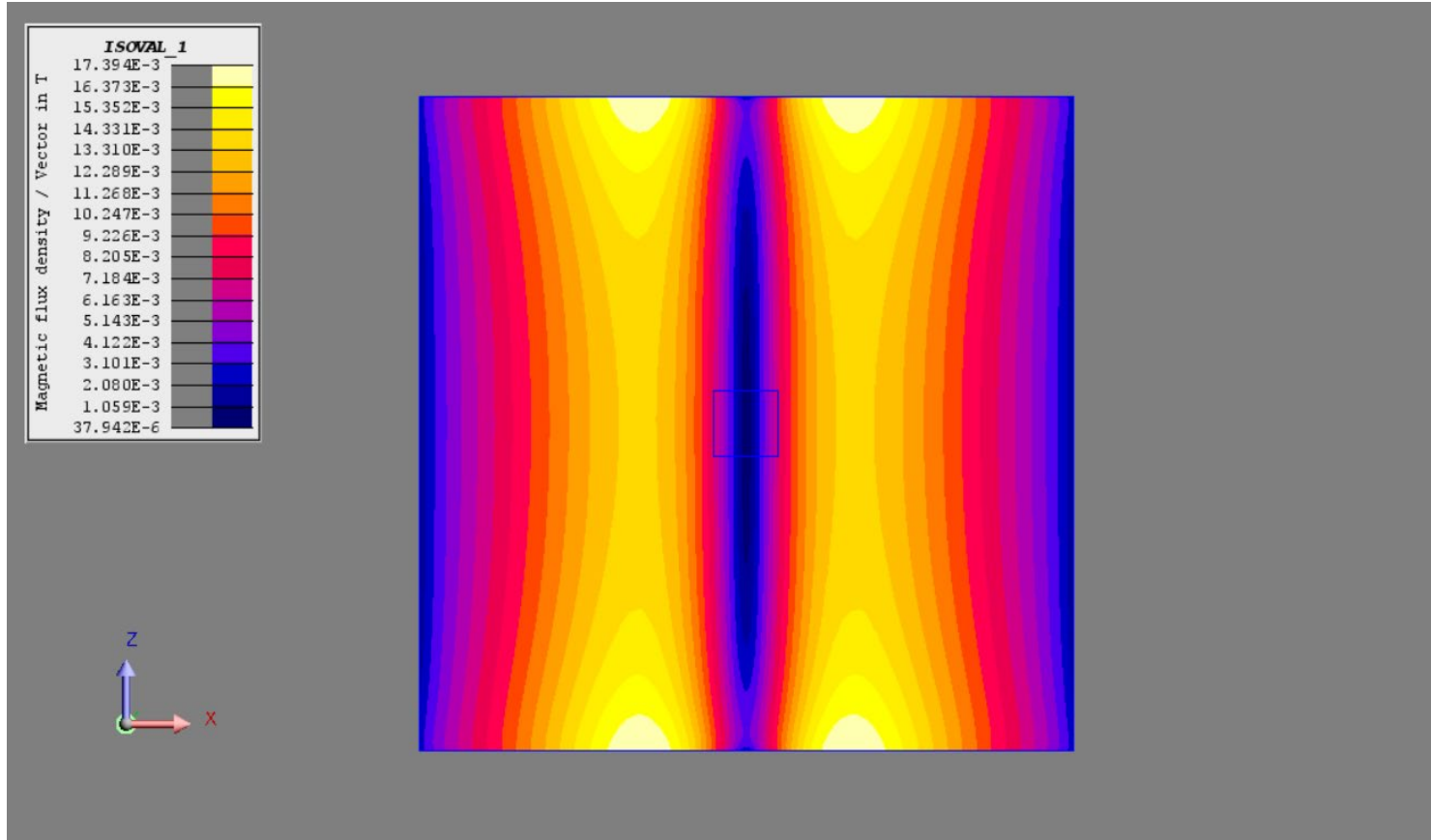
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STATIC SHIELDING – 3D FEA POST-PROCESSING – SFY



STATIC SHIELDING – 3D FEA MODEL – Z DIRECTION EDGE EFFECTS



STATIC SHIELDING – 3D FEA MODEL - COMMENTS

- 3D FEA model
 - Use infinite long conductor
 - Assumes finite axial length sheet (1000 mm)
 - Uses of infinite box for open field boundaries
 - Shield represented by 3D volume and thin magnetic face region of 1 mm thick show good agreement for SFX and SFY

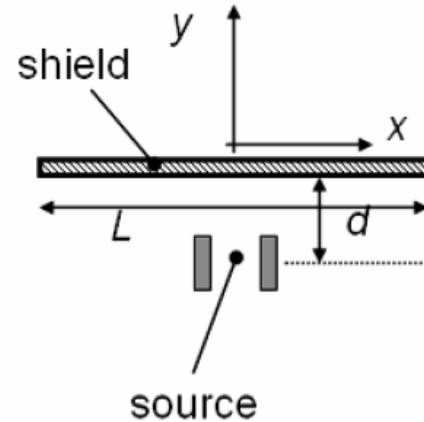
- Small delta in SFX and SFY between 2D and 3D model (less)
 - 3D edge effect in the axial direction Z
 - Longer 3D model will reduce delta on SFX and SFY



CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – EDDY CURRENTS

- Conductive sheet with 10 mm thickness
 - Non magnetic: $\mu_r = 1$
 - Conductivity = 50 MS/m
- Current conductors at 4000 A rms and 50 Hz
- Plate dimensions
 - Length = 1000 mm
 - Thickness = 1 mm
 - Axial length = 1000 mm
 - 2D (infinite long)
 - 3D (actual length)
- Boundary conditions
 - Infinite box for 2D and 3D
 - 10000 mm radius for 3D extruded

- Model
 - 2D
 - 3D



CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – EDDY CURRENTS

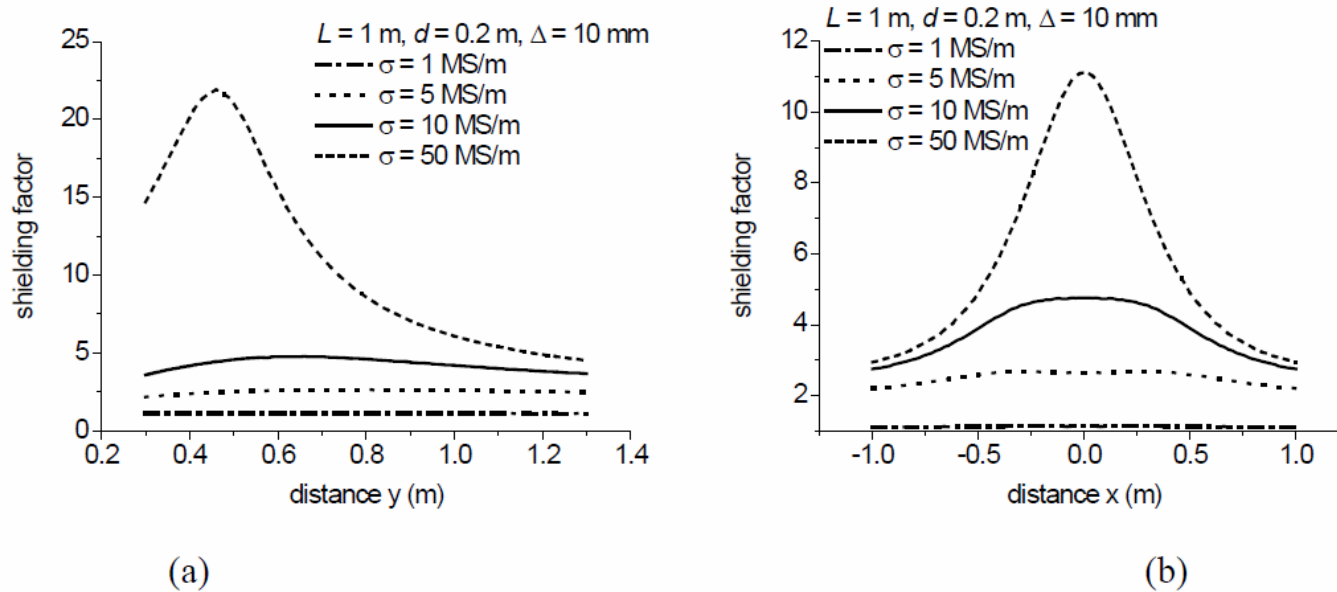
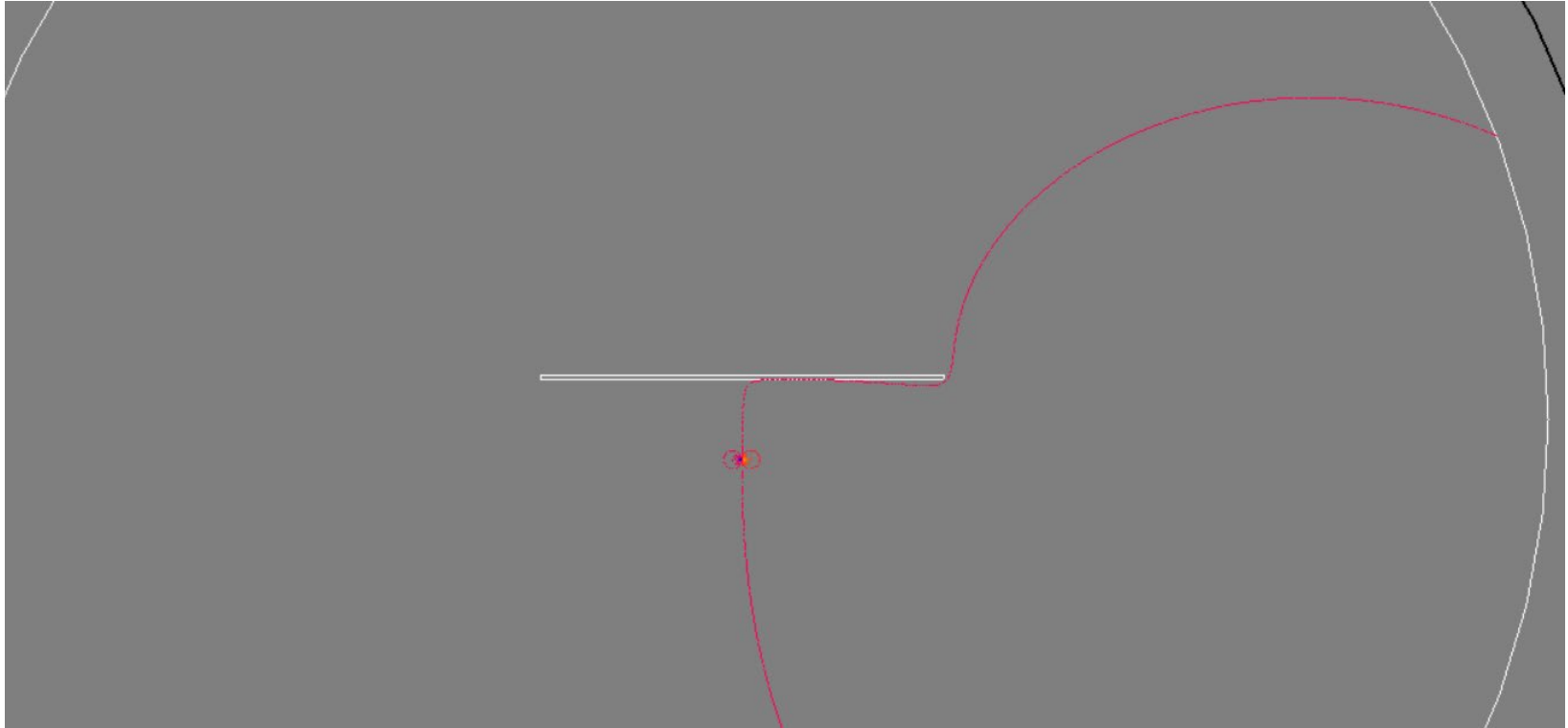


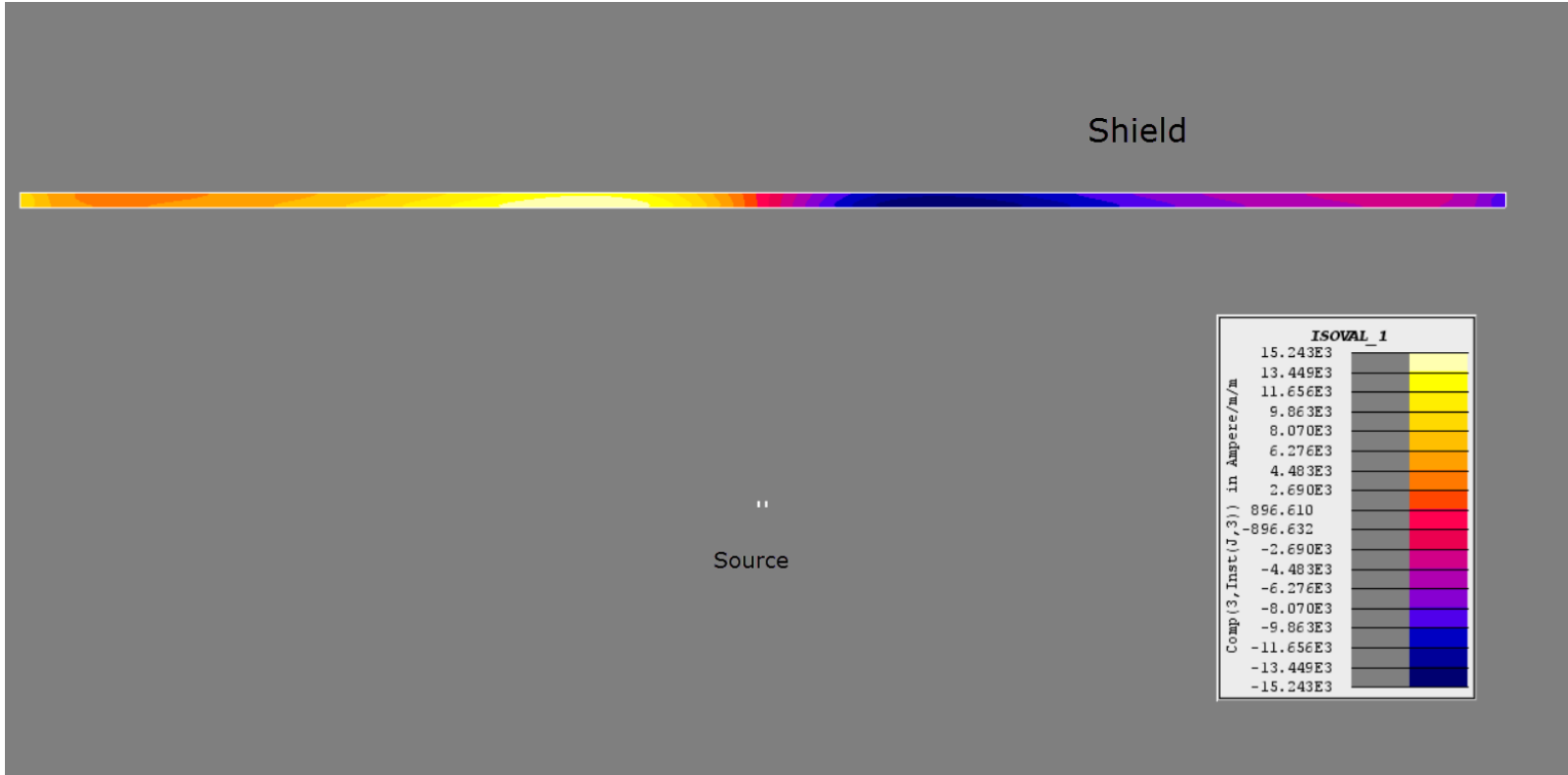
Figure 2.3.16 *SF* for different electrical conductivities of the shield of Figure 2.3.8(a): (a) plot along y axis at $x = 0$, (b) plot along x axis at $y = 0.7$ m.



CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 2D MODEL – ISOFLUX



CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 2D MODEL – EDDY CURRENTS IN SHIELD

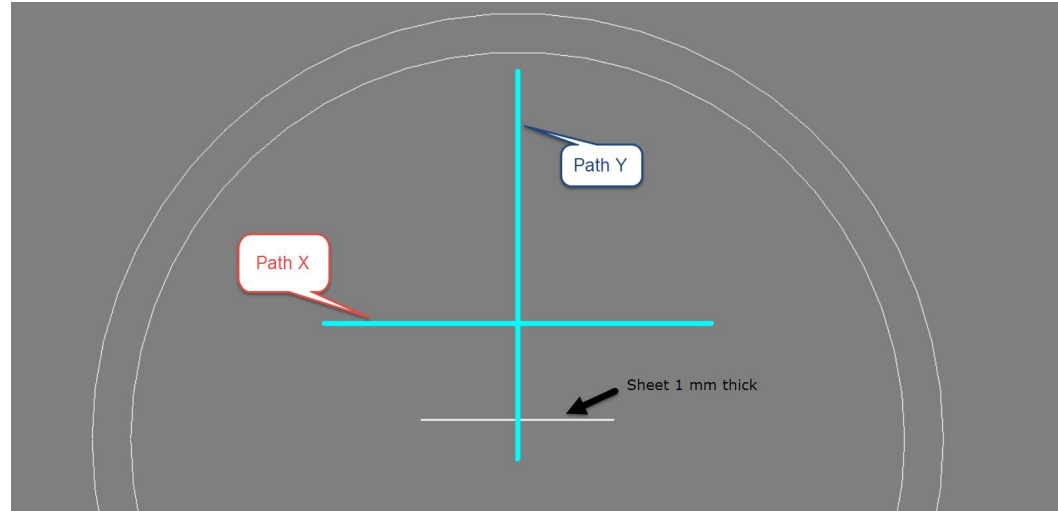


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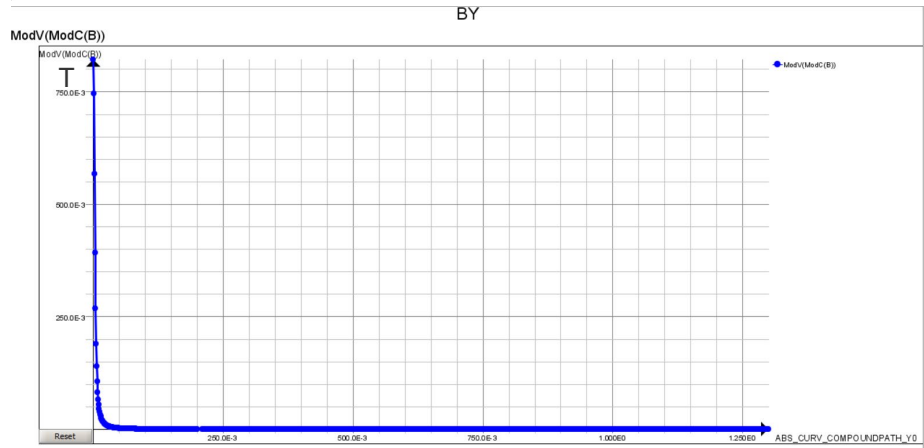
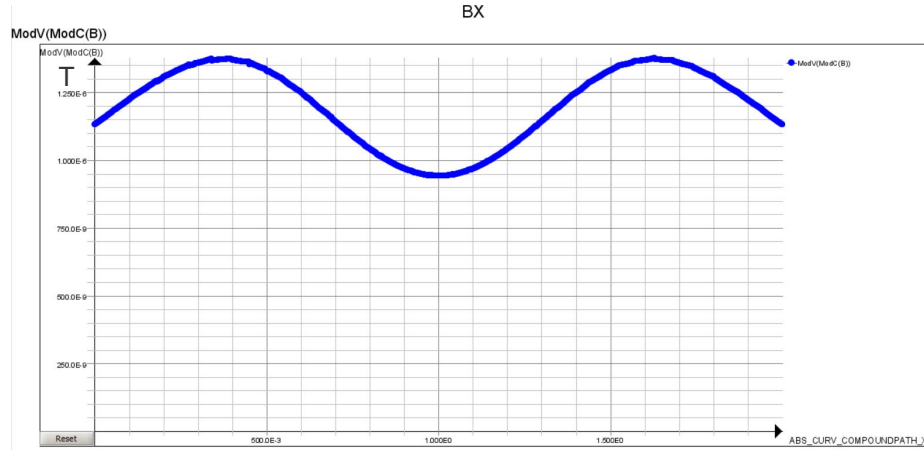
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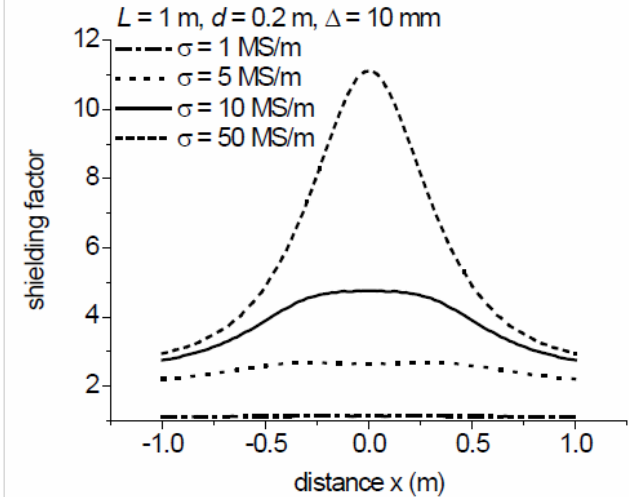
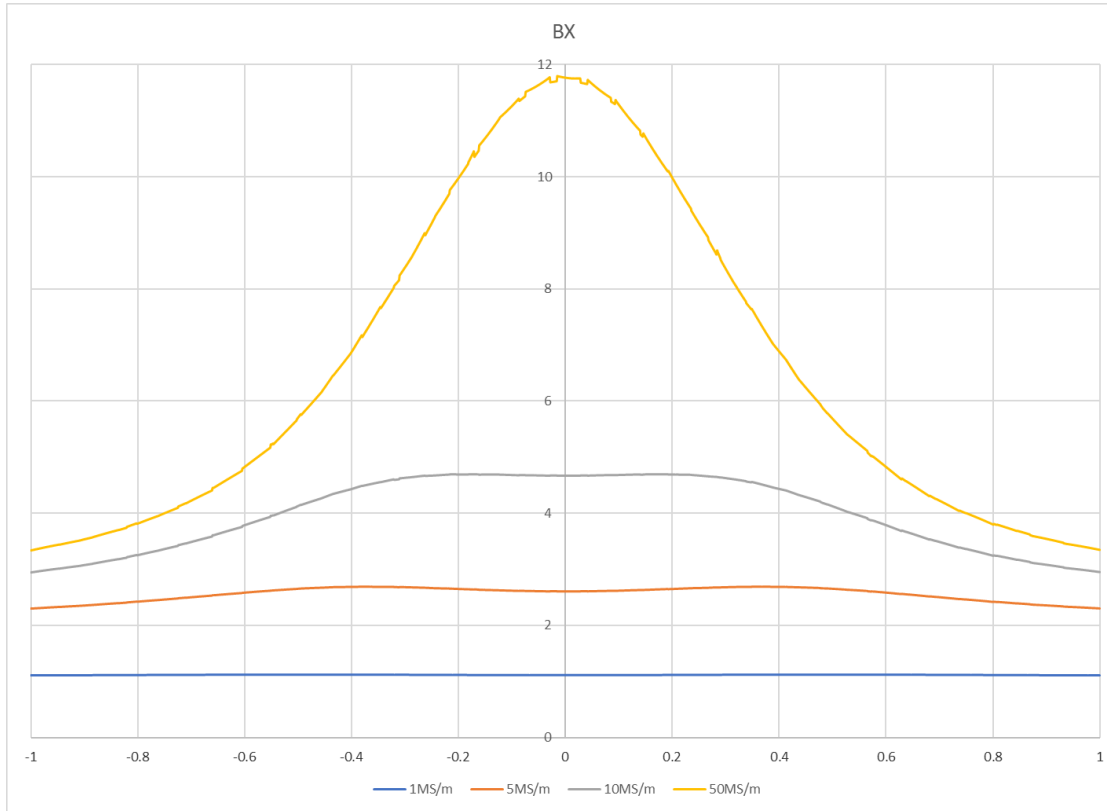
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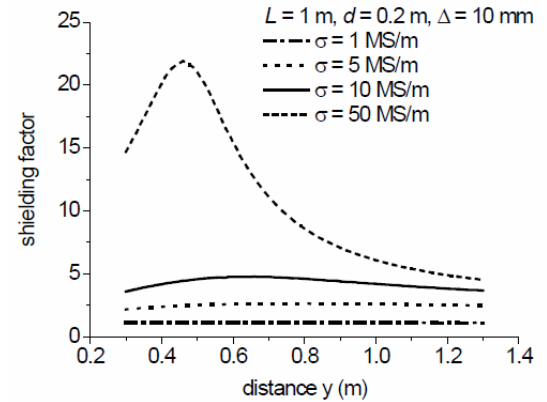
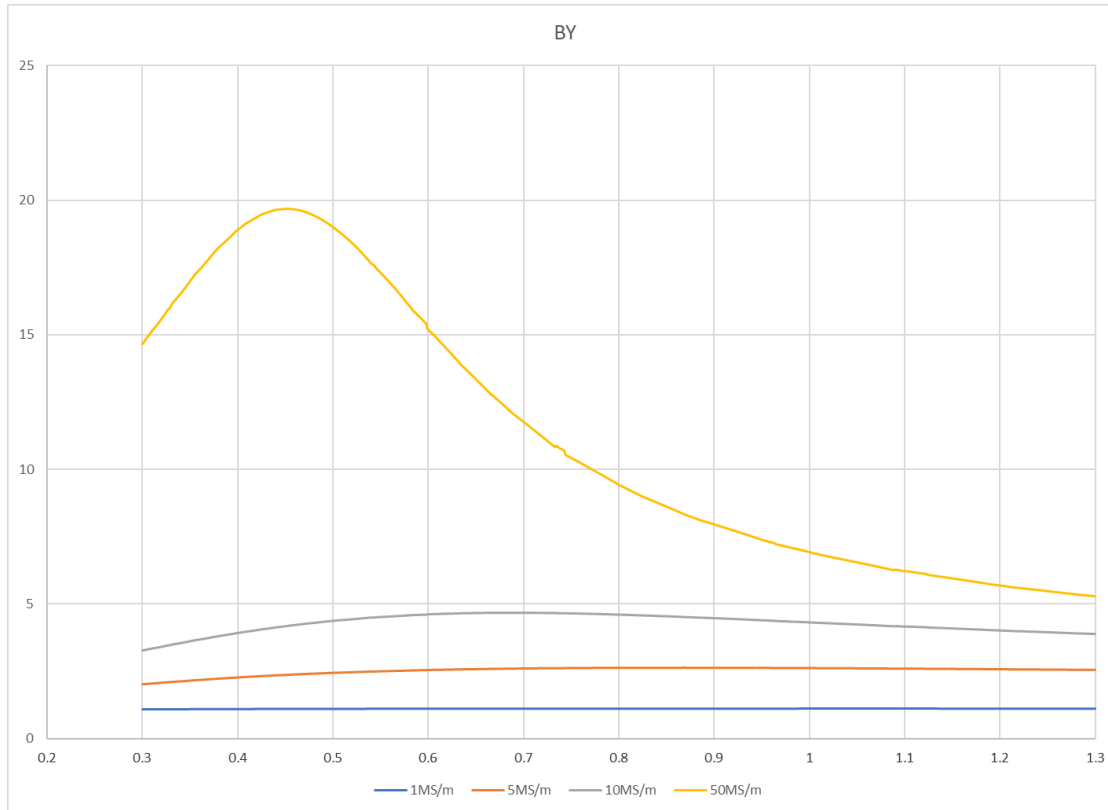
CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 2D FEA POST-PROCESSING – BX & BY



CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 2D FEA POST-PROCESSING – SFX



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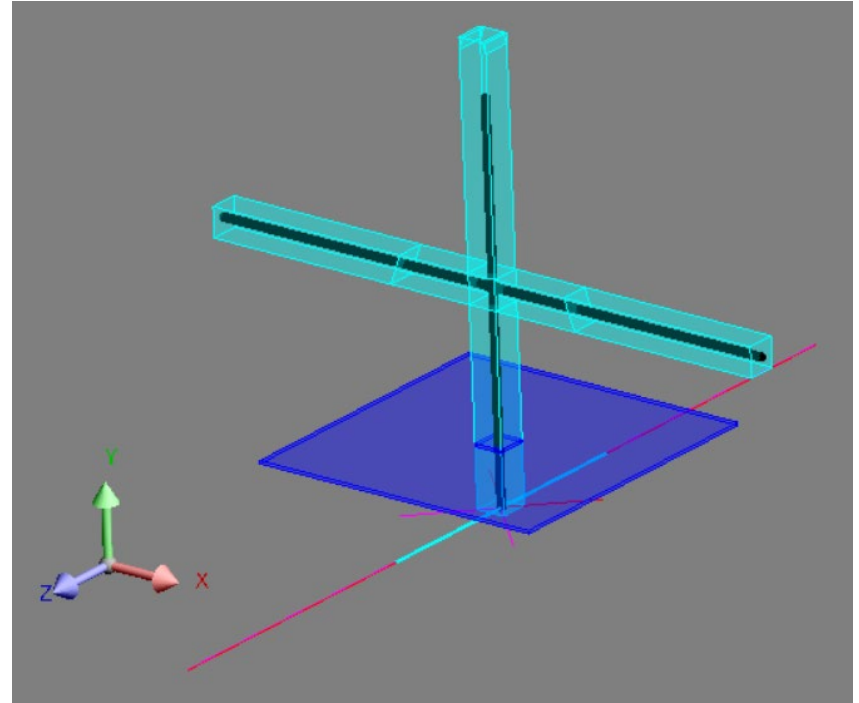
CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 2D FEA MODEL - COMMENTS

- Good correlation between 2D FEA results with CIGRE data
 - Model of Fig. 238 a
 - Data of Fig. 23.16 a and b
- 2D FEA model
 - Non magnetic conductive material
 - Assumes infinite long conductor
 - Assumes infinite long sheet (axially)
 - Uses of infinite box for open field boundaries



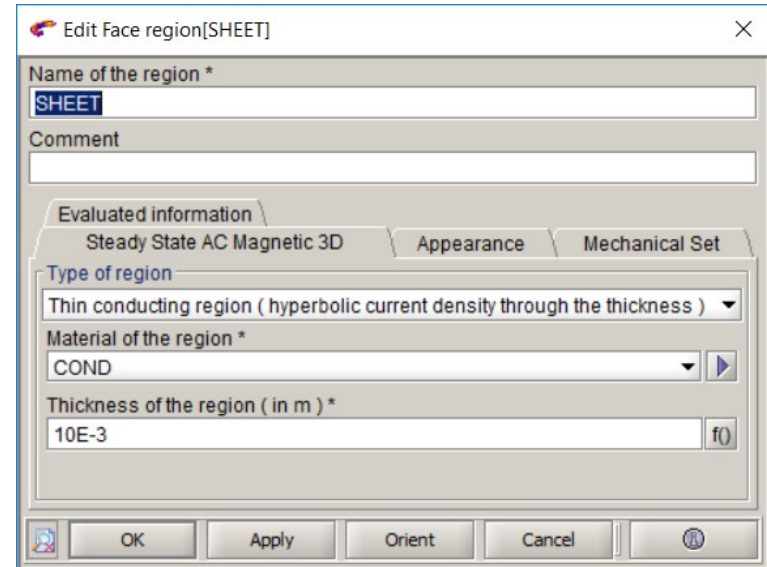
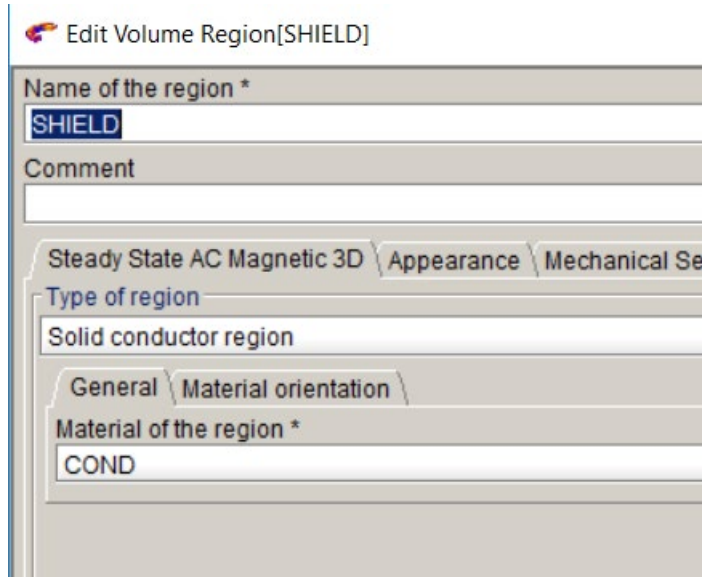
CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING BENCHMARK – 3D MODEL

- Open field boundary conditions with Infinite Box
- Conductors
 - Non meshed coils
 - Infinitely long
- Sheet
 - Volume region with mesh
 - Thin conductive face region with 10 mm thickness



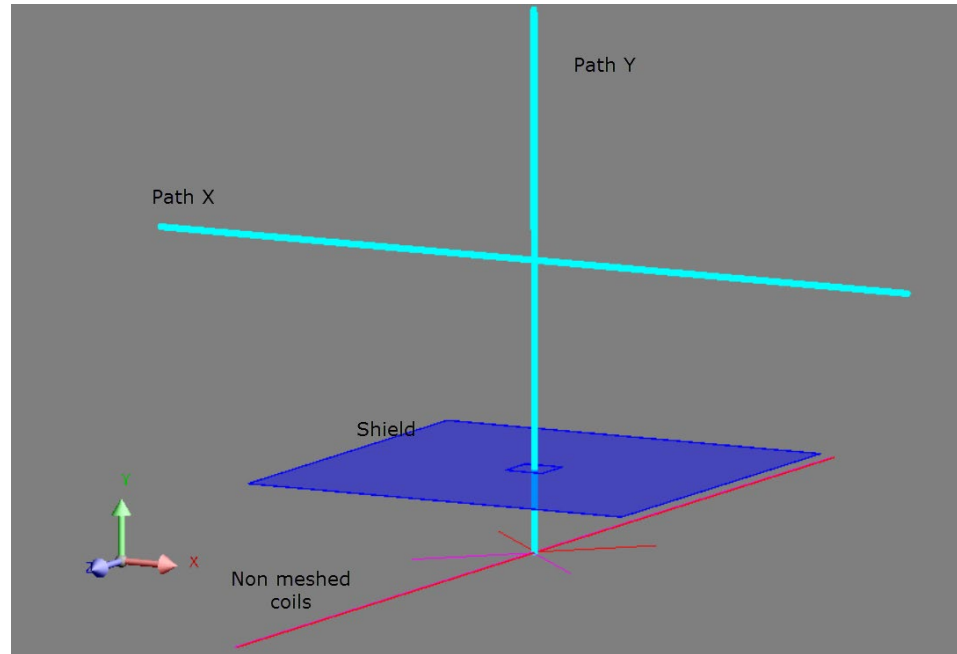
CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING BENCHMARK – SHEET

- Shield with volume region
 - Geometrically represented
 - Volume meshed
 - Solid conductor region
- Shield with thin face region: Sheet
 - Geometrically represented by a face
 - Conductive thin face region
 - Thickness of 10 mm

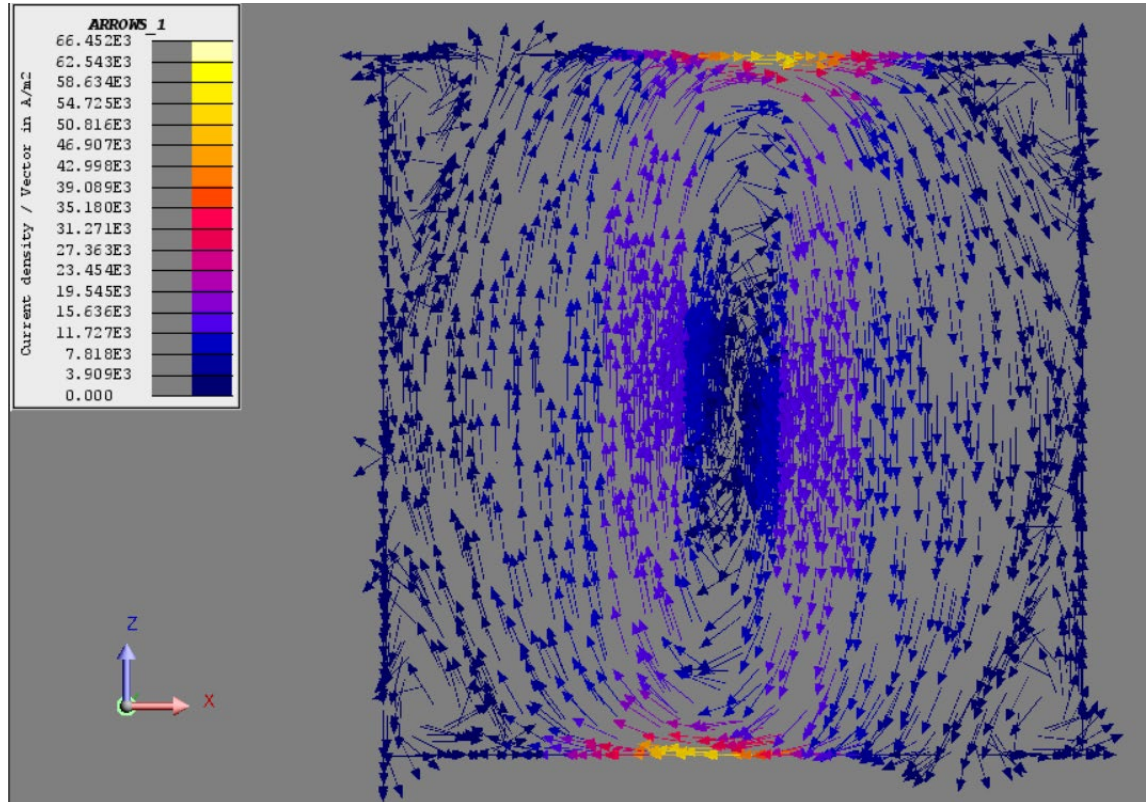


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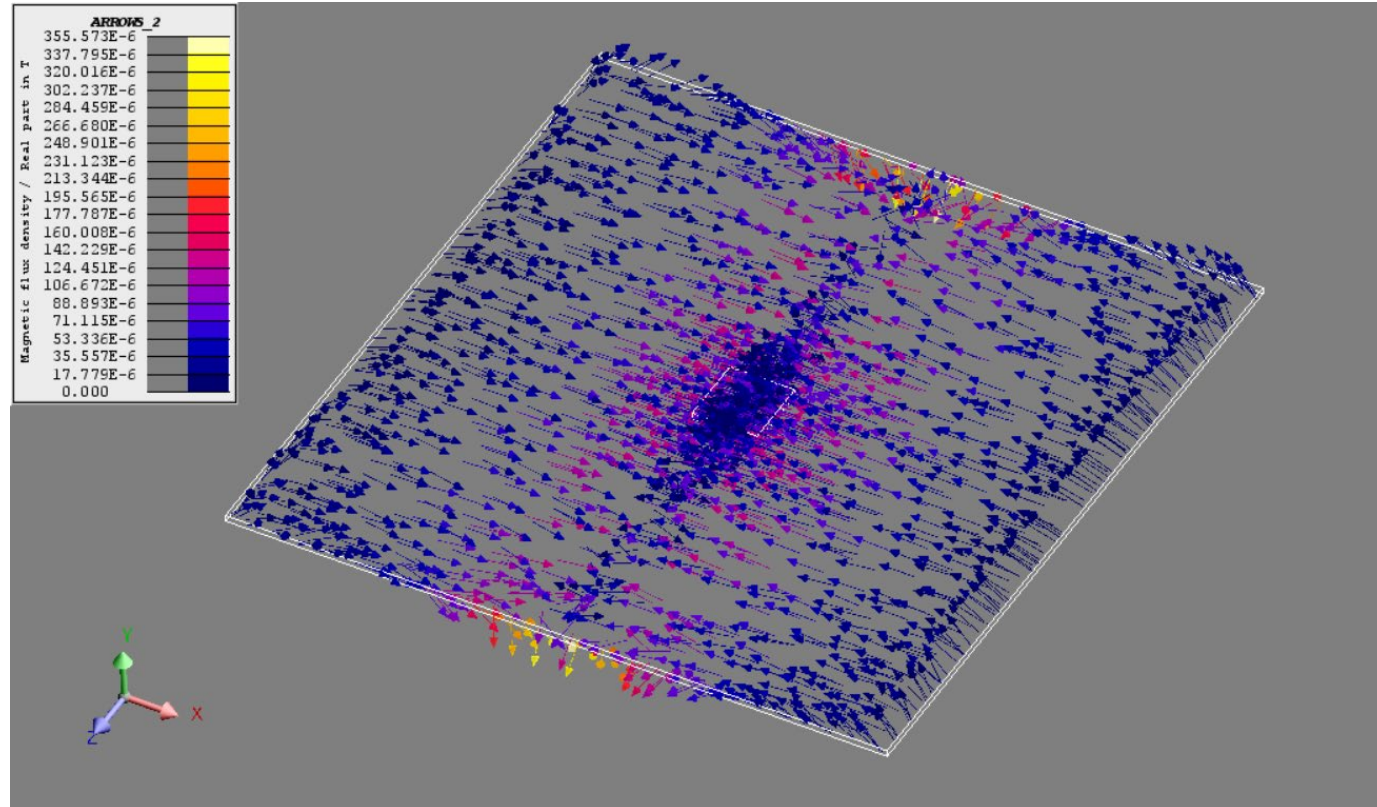
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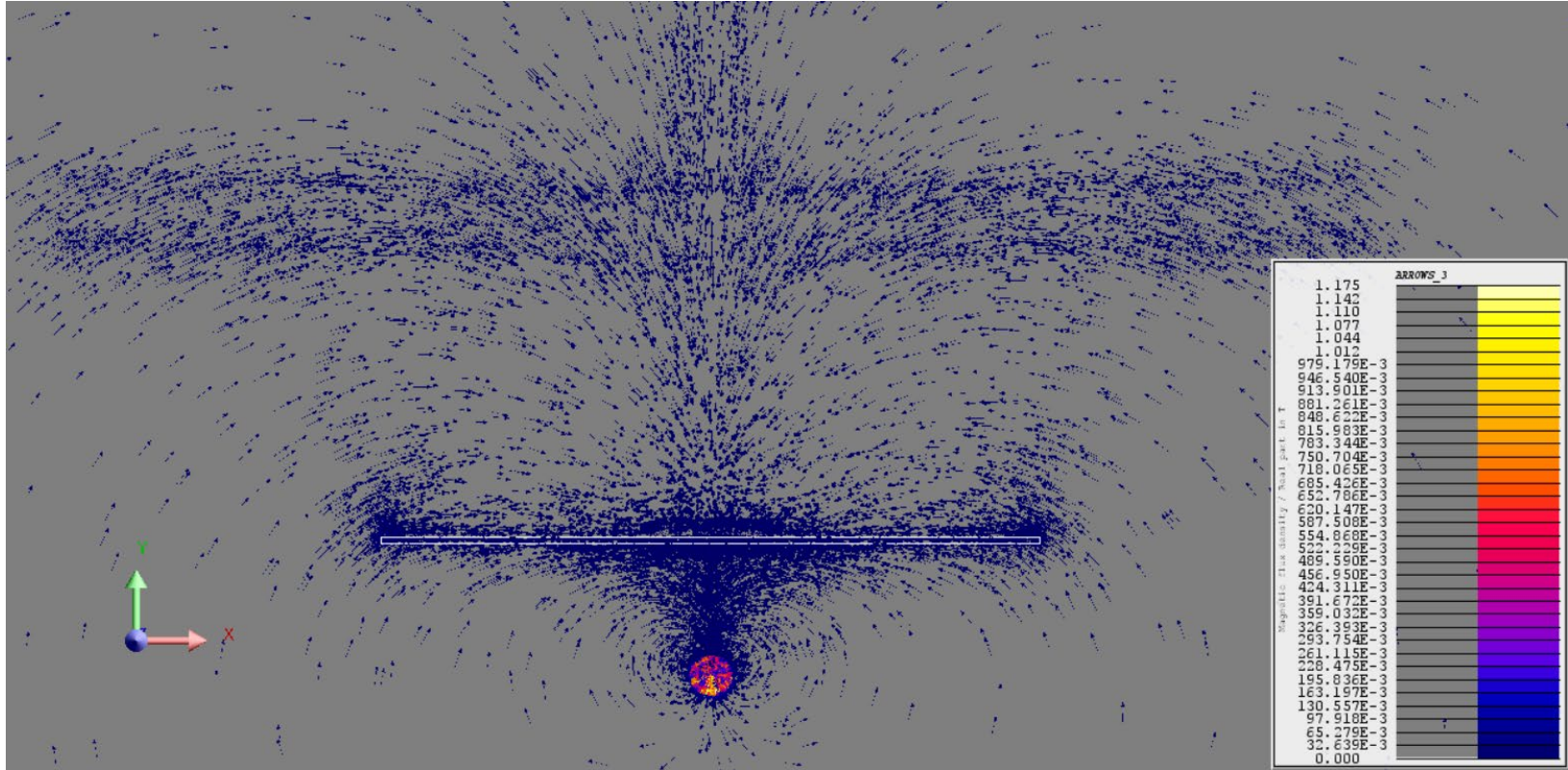
CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING BENCHMARK 3D FEA – CURRENT DENSITY J ON X-Y PLANE – 3D VOLUME REGION SHIELD



CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING BENCHMARK 3D FEA – FLUX DENSITY B – 3D VOLUME REGION SHIELD

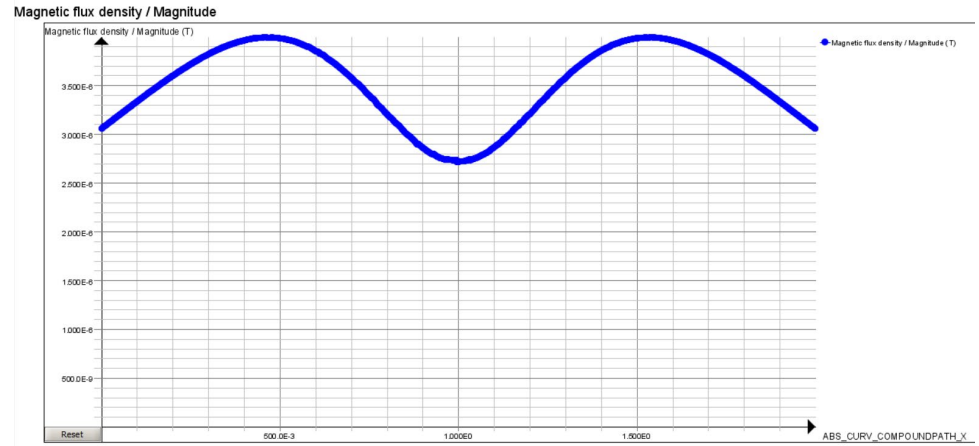


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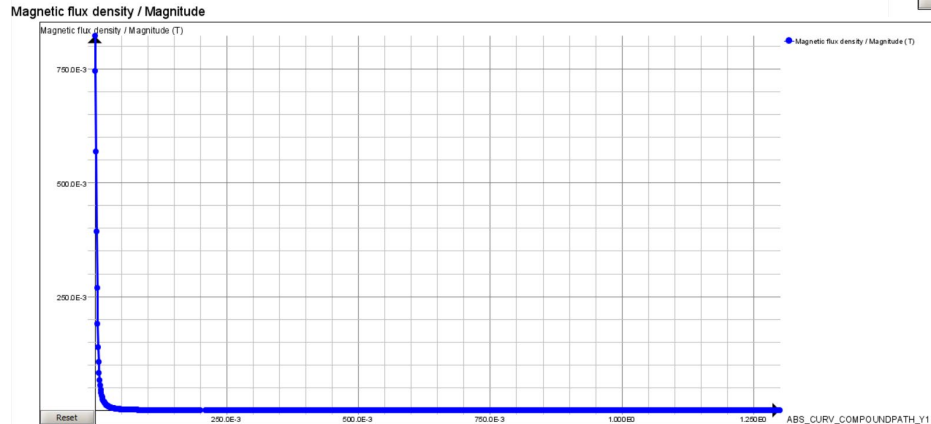


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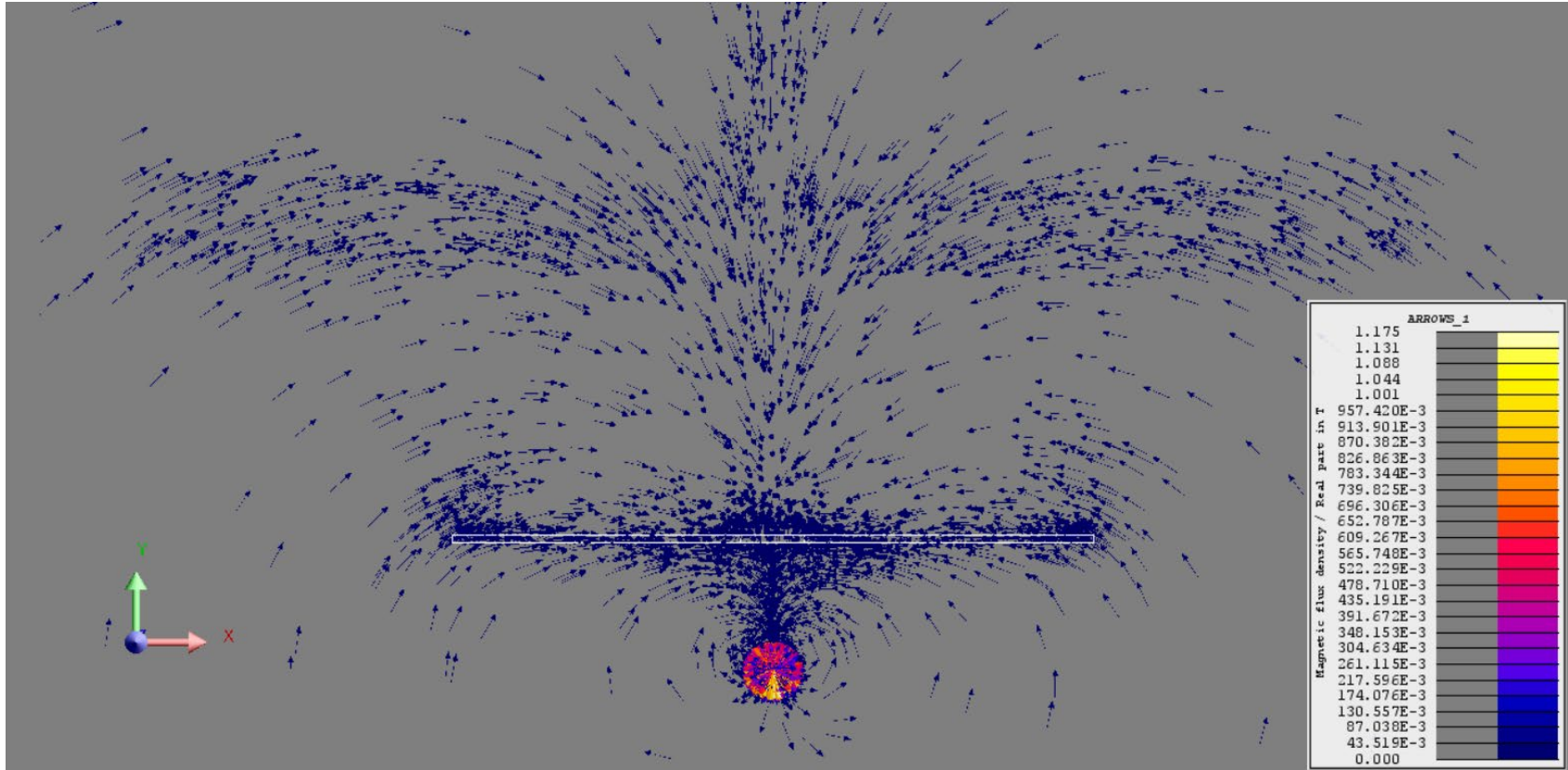
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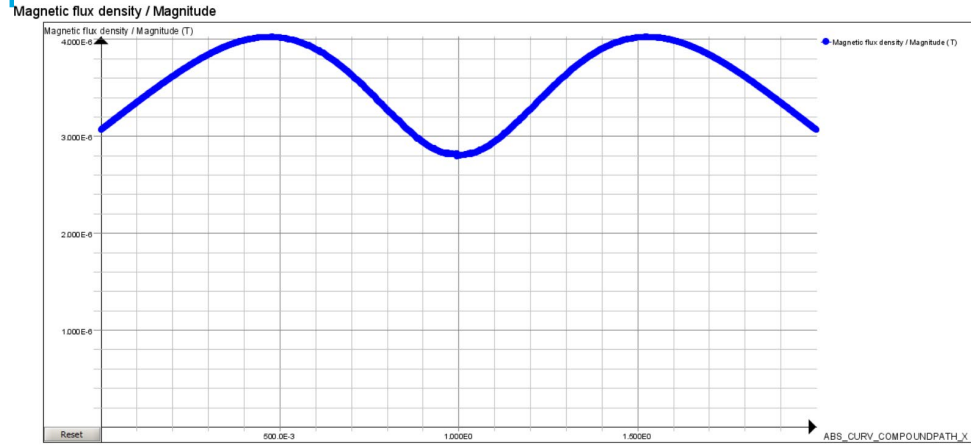


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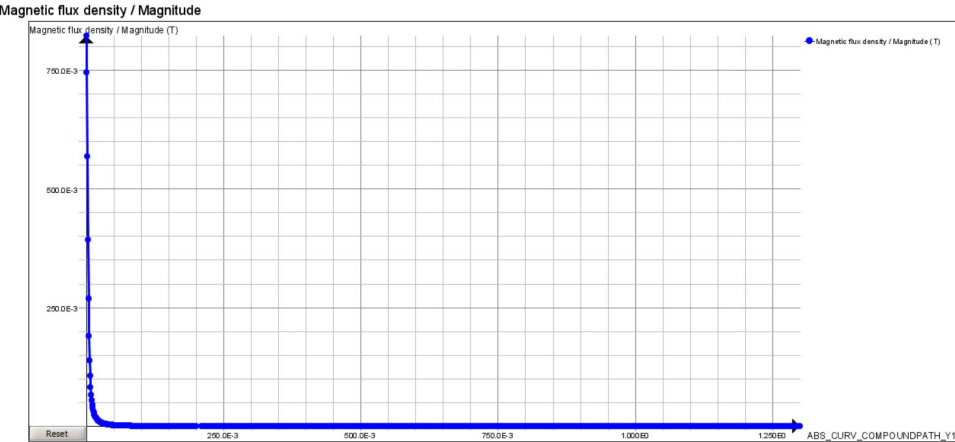


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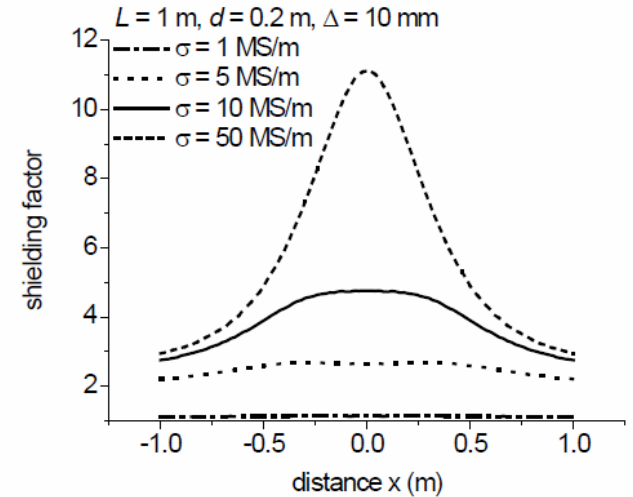
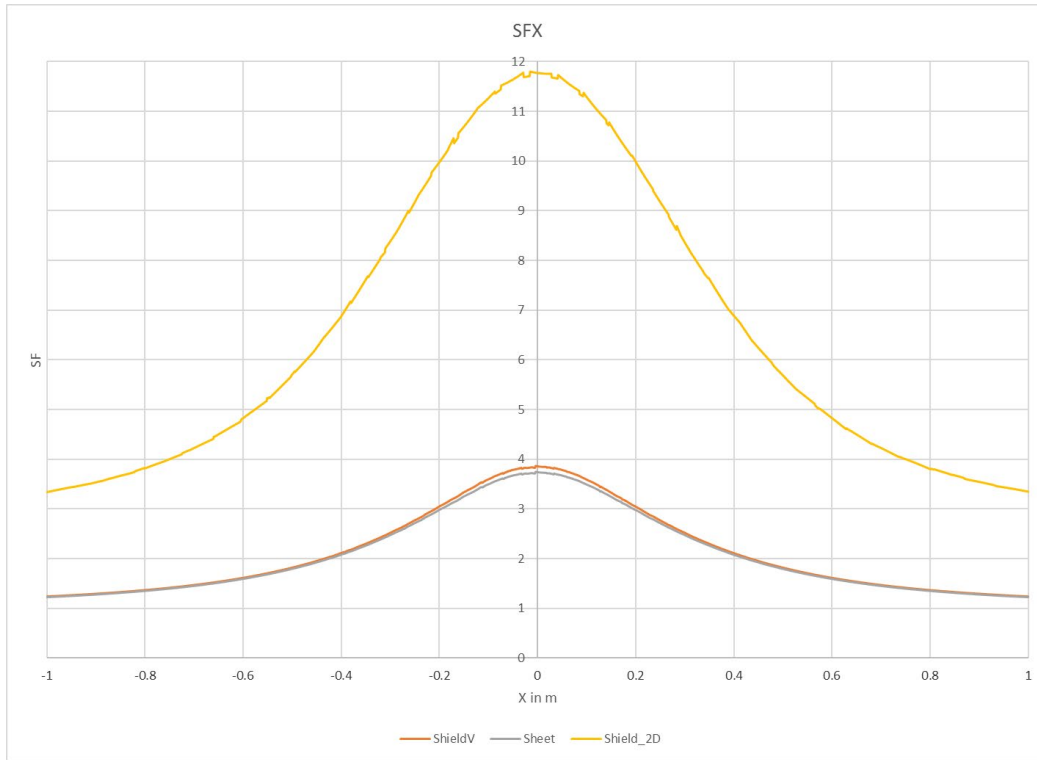
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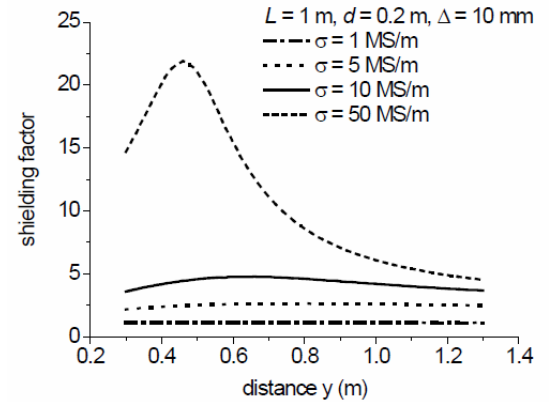
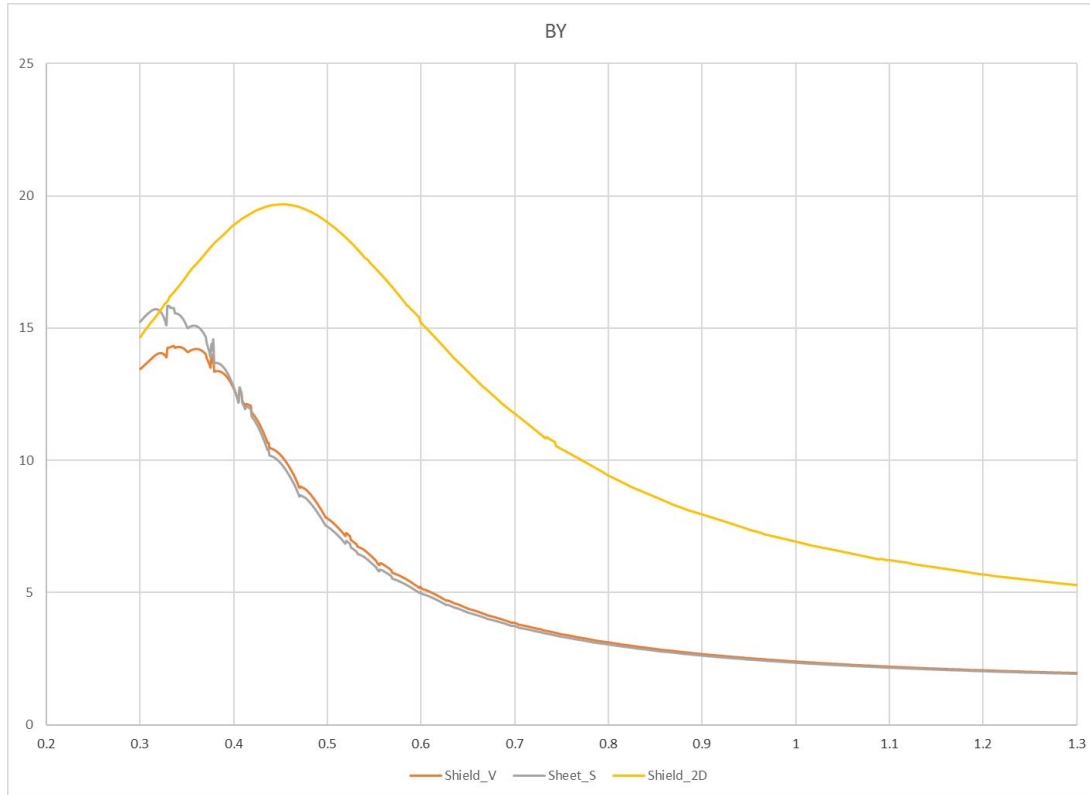
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STATIC SHIELDING – 3D FEA POST-PROCESSING – SFX



STATIC SHIELDING – 3D FEA POST-PROCESSING – SFY

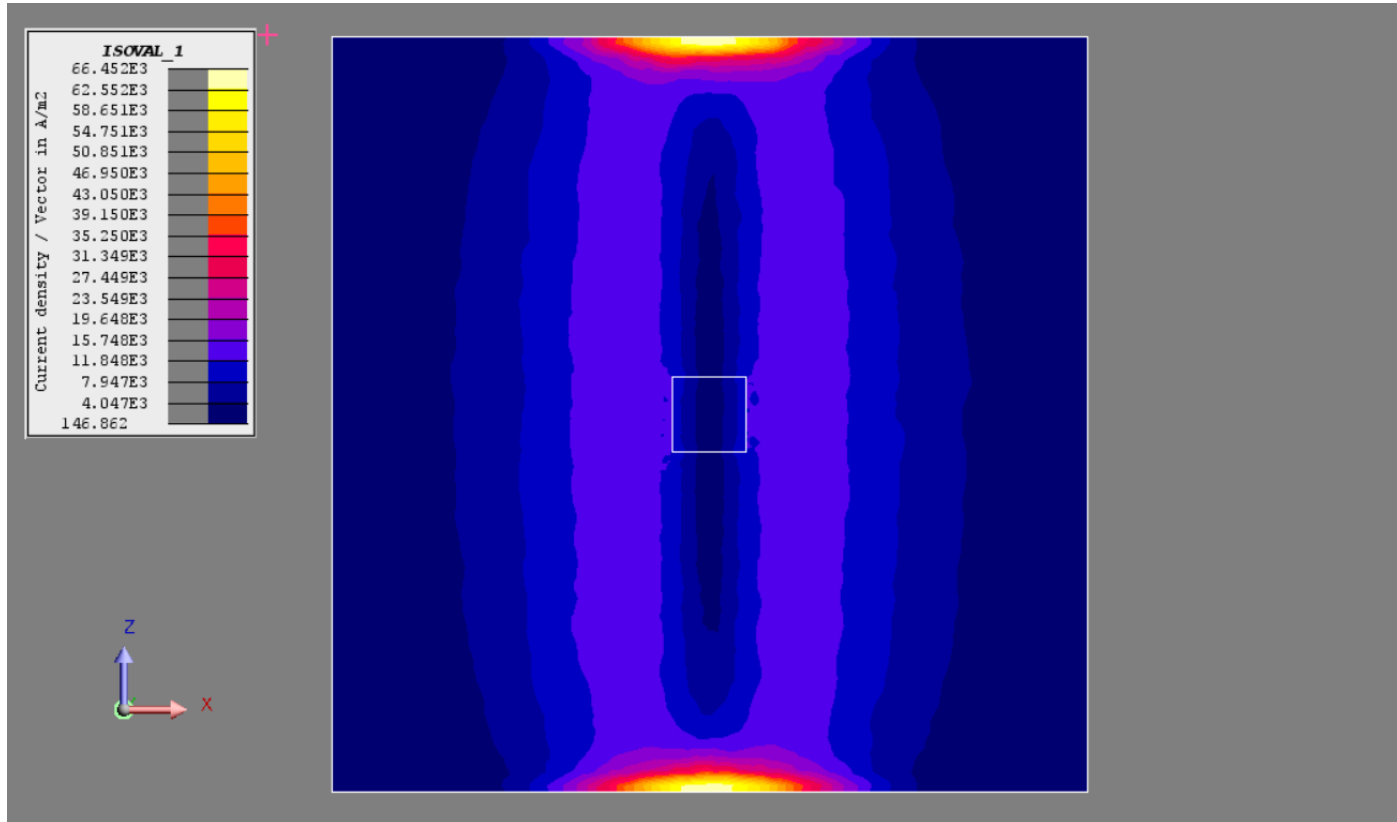


STATIC SHIELDING – 3D FEA MODEL - COMMENTS

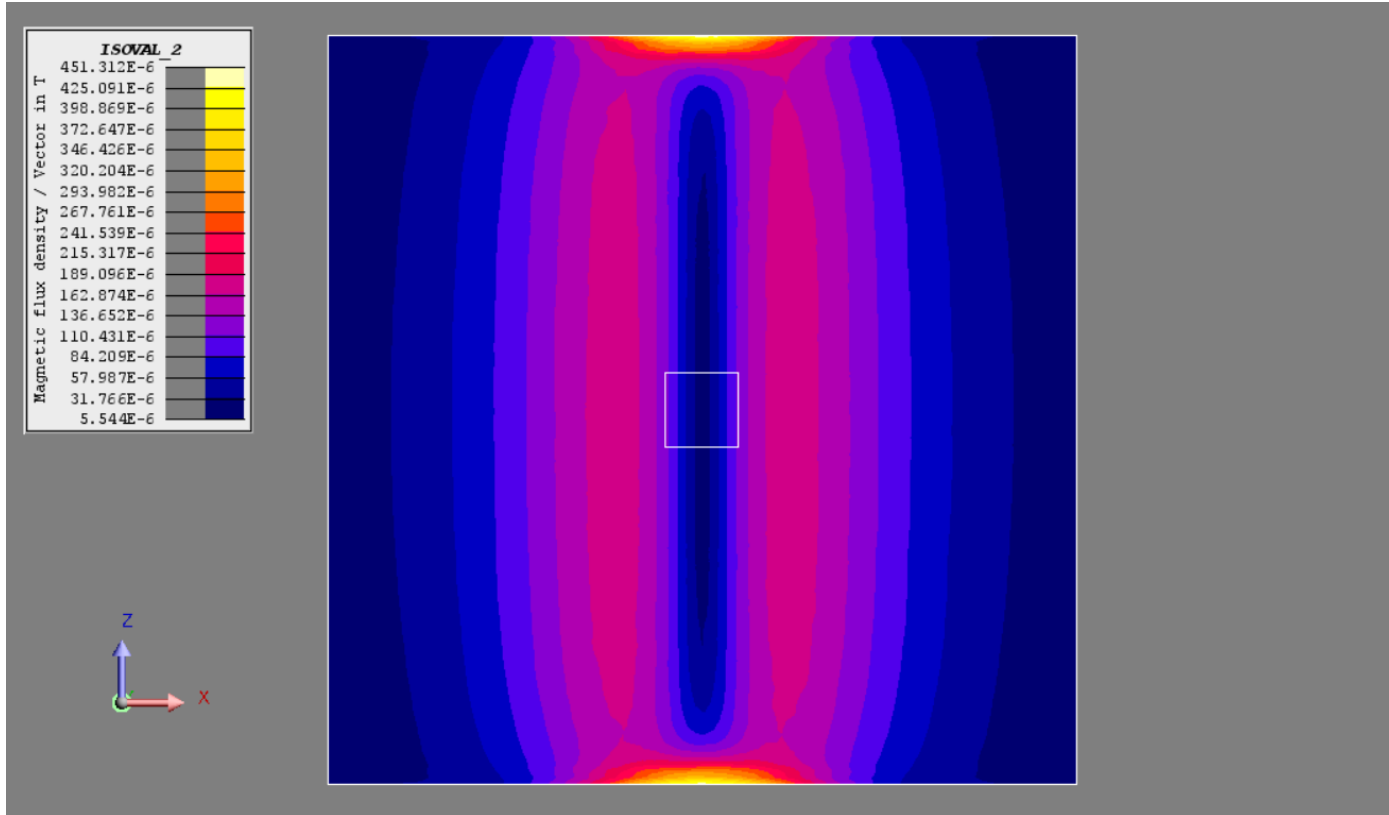
- 3D FEA model
 - Use infinite long conductor
 - Finite axial length shield (1000 mm)
 - Uses of infinite box for open field boundaries
 - Shield represented by 3D volume and thin conductor face region of 10 mm thick show good agreement for SFX and SFY
- Discrepancies in SFX and SFY between 2D and 3D model
 - 3D edge effect in the axial direction Z
 - Eddy current patterns
 - Flux density edge effects



CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 3D FEA MODEL – Z DIRECTION EDGE EFFECTS – CURRENT DENSITY J

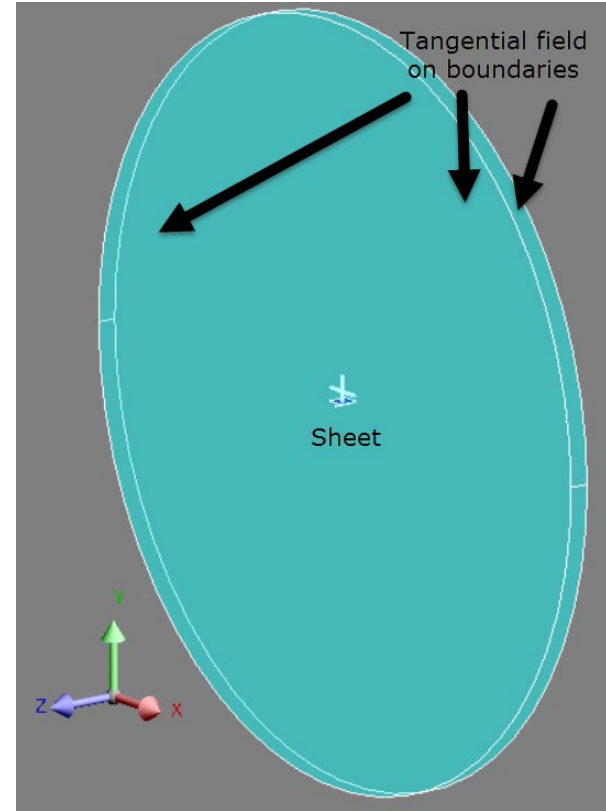
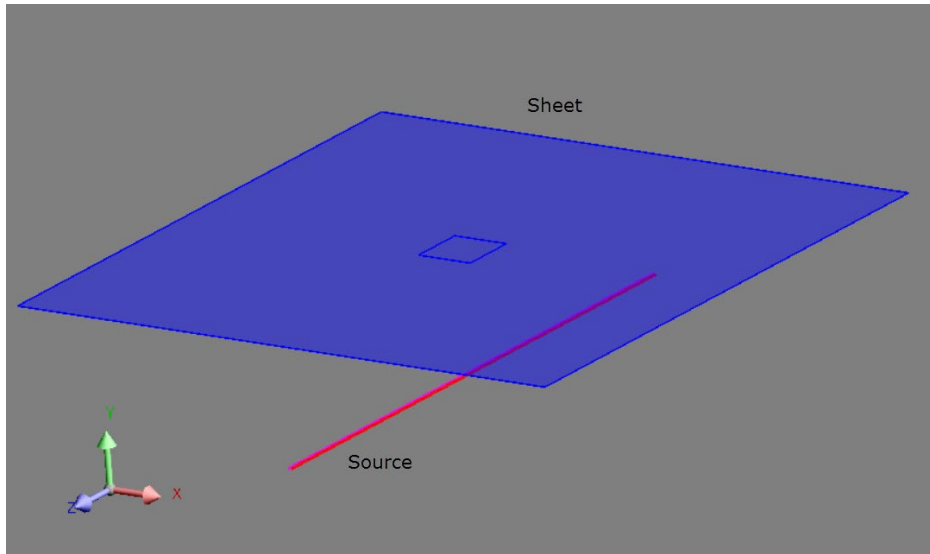


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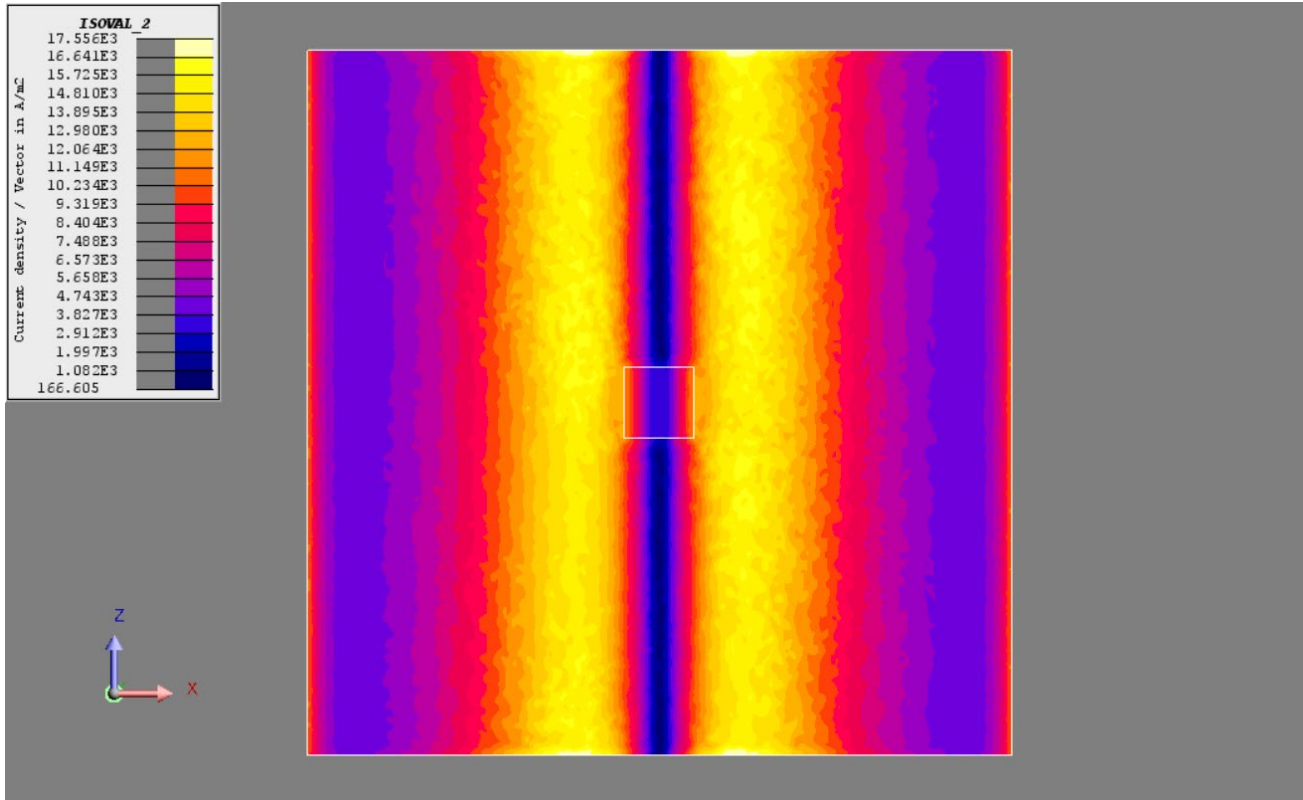


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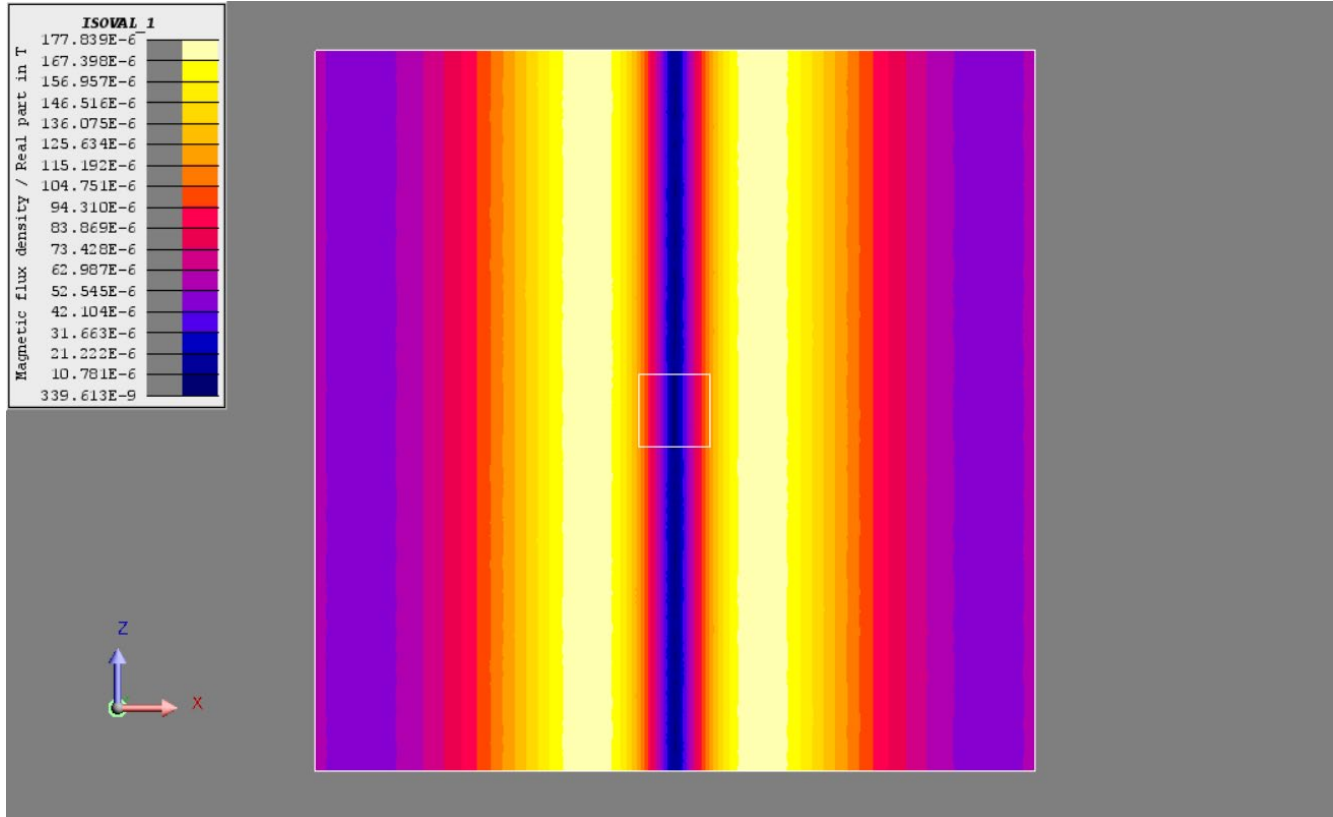
- 3D geometry extruded from 2D
- Tangential boundary conditions
- Outer diameter = 10 m to replicate infinite box



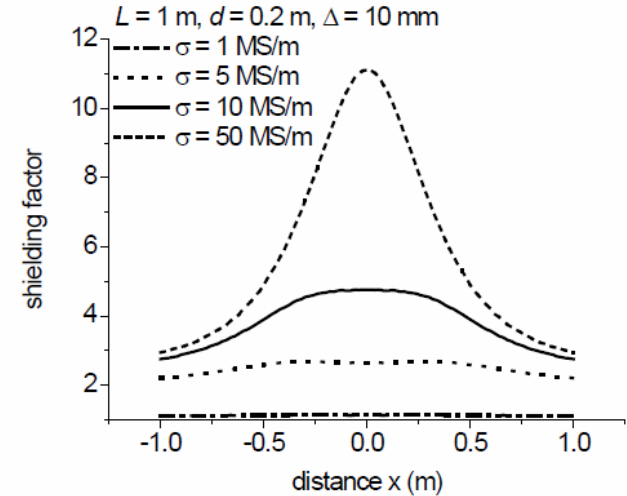
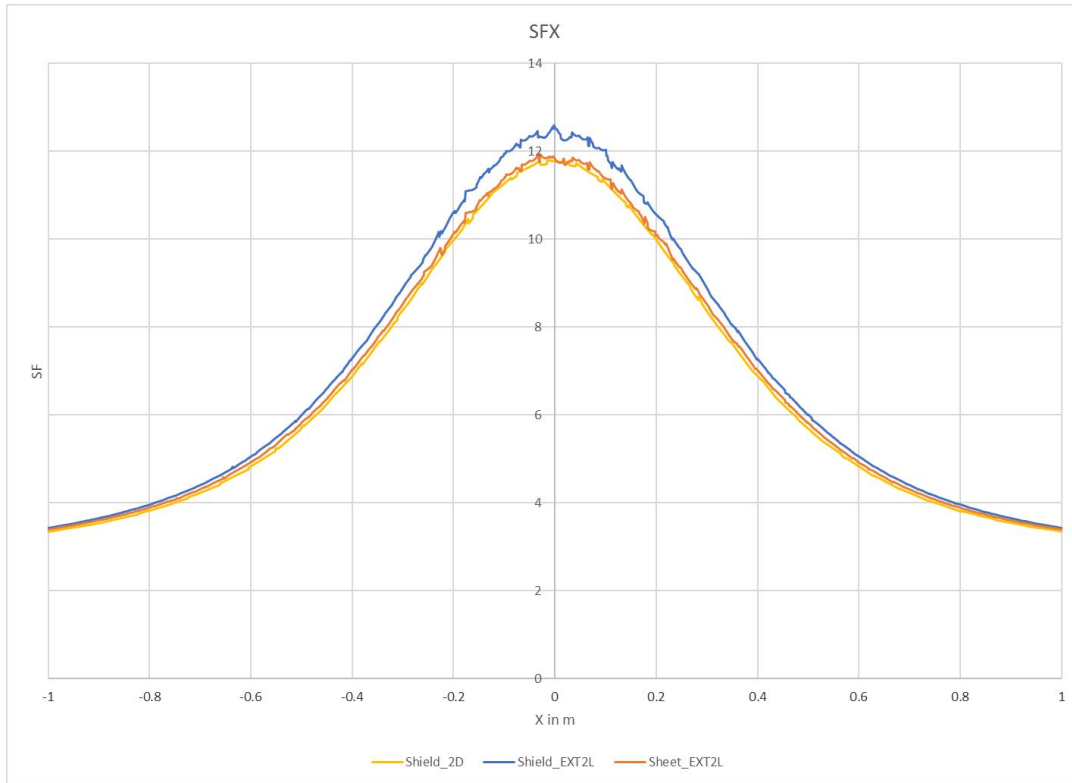
CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 3D EXTRUDED FEA MODEL – CURRENT DENSITY J



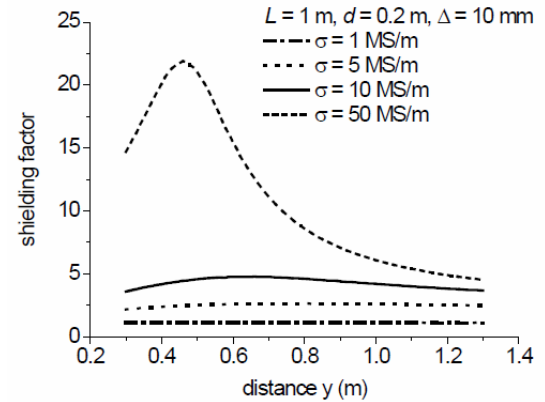
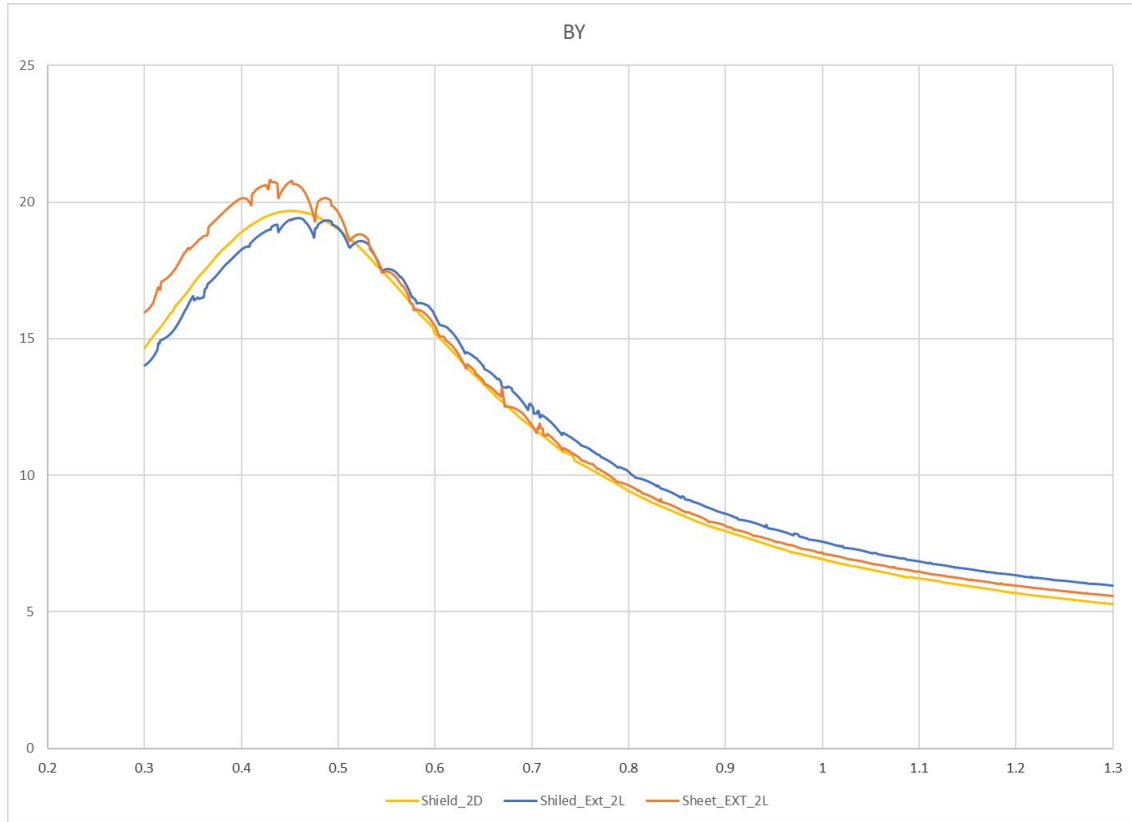
CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 3D EXTRUDED FEA MODEL – FLUX DENSITY B



CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 3D FEA POST-PROCESSING – SFX



CONDUCTIVE SHIELDING – 3D FEA POST-PROCESSING – SFY



STATIC SHIELDING – 3D EXTRUDED FEA MODEL - COMMENTS

- 3D Extruded FEA model
 - Use infinite long conductor
 - Infinite long axially with tangential boundary conditions
 - 10 m radius for boundary conditions
 - Shield represented by 3D volume and thin conductor face region of 10 mm thick show good agreement for SFX and SFY
- Good agreement in SFX and SFY between 2D and 3D model
 - True representation of 2D is 3D “extruded” albeit Infinite Box is not available with 3D extruded and can be replaced with large radius boundary condition.



HYPERMESH MODEL OF SUBSTATION

- Substation
 - Wall
 - Wall thickness represented
 - Volume with volume elements
 - Metal sheet on both sides of the wall with much small thickness
 - No geometric representation with thickness
 - Face region with shell elements
 - Roof
 - Roof thickness represented
 - Volume with volume elements
 - Metal sheet for shielding on surfaces of roof
 - No geometric representation with thickness
 - Face region with shell elements
 - Steel Beam
 - Thin cross section not represented
 - Face region with shell elements
 - Room
 - Volume with volume elements



HYPERMESH MODEL OF SUBSTATION

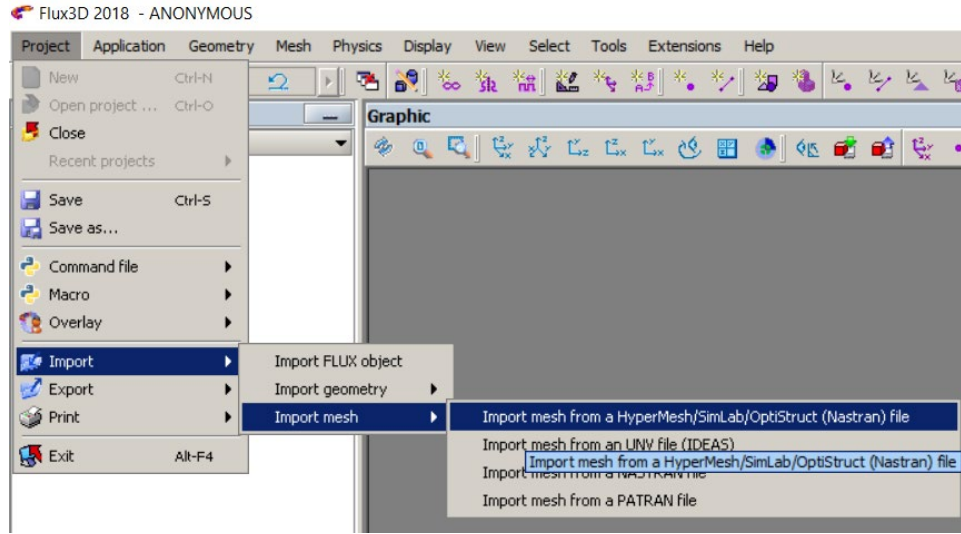
- Preparations for Flux import
 - Air box: Volume in parallelepiped shape to envelop the whole SubStation
 - Air box volume and elements

- Shell or face where post-processing paths occurred
- Uniform shell elements



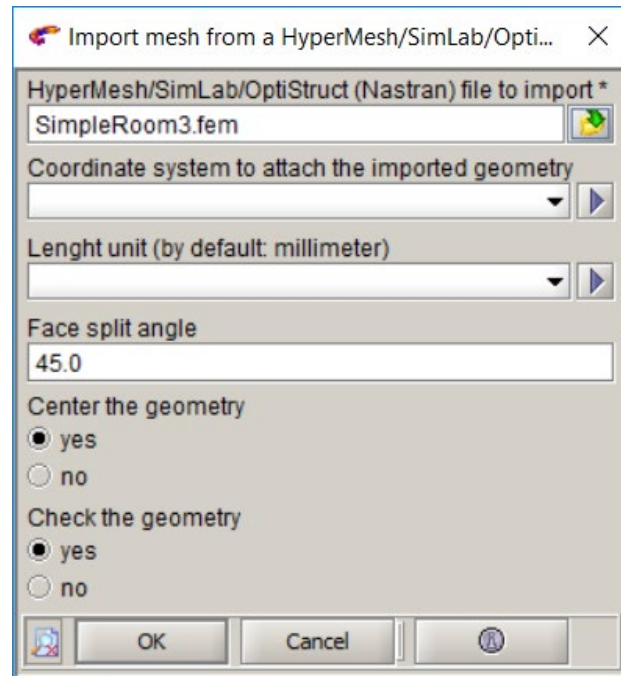
FLUX IMPORT OF SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL

- Under Flux context
 - Import/Import mesh/Import mesh from HyperMesh-SimLab-OptiStruct (Nastran) file

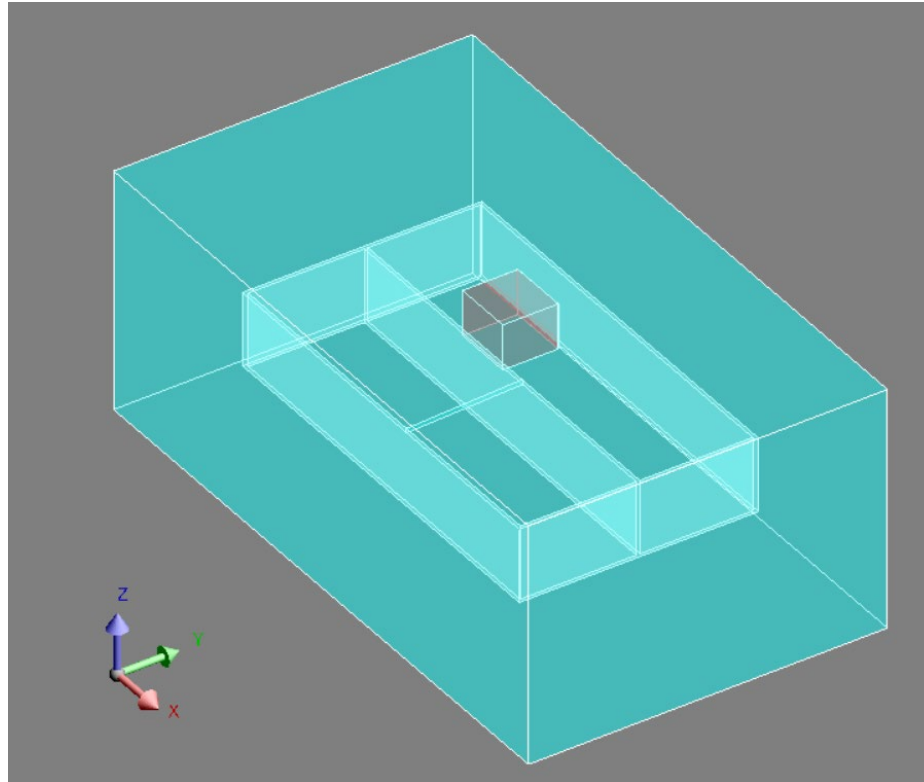


FLUX IMPORT OF SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL

- File to import
- Face split angle: 45 (default)
- Center the geometry: (recommended yes)
- Check the geometry: yes (default)



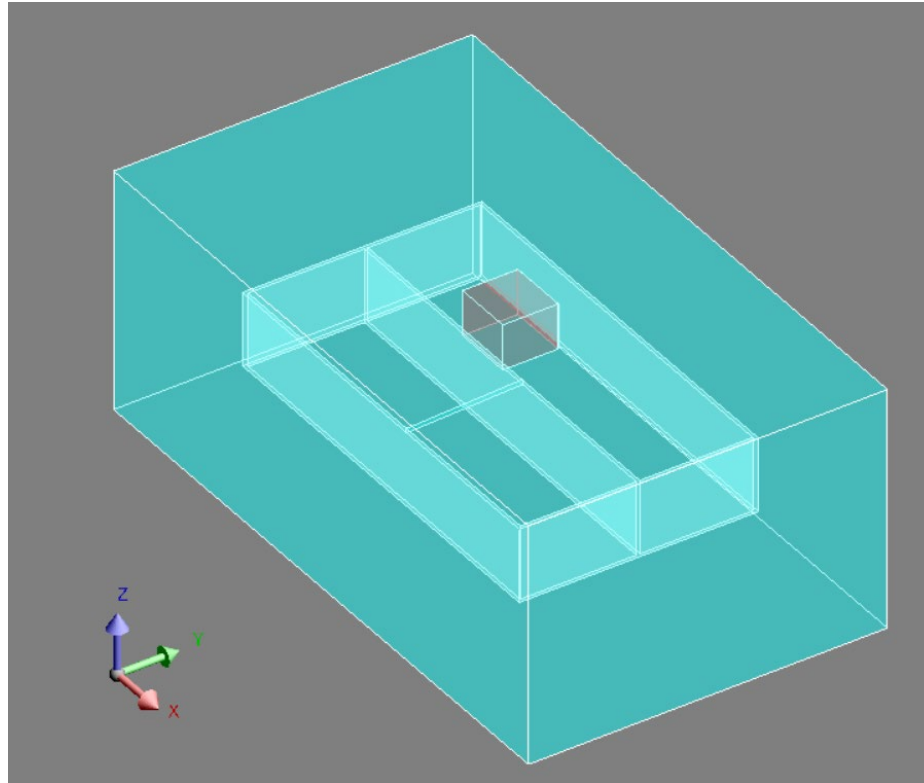
SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – FACES



32 faces



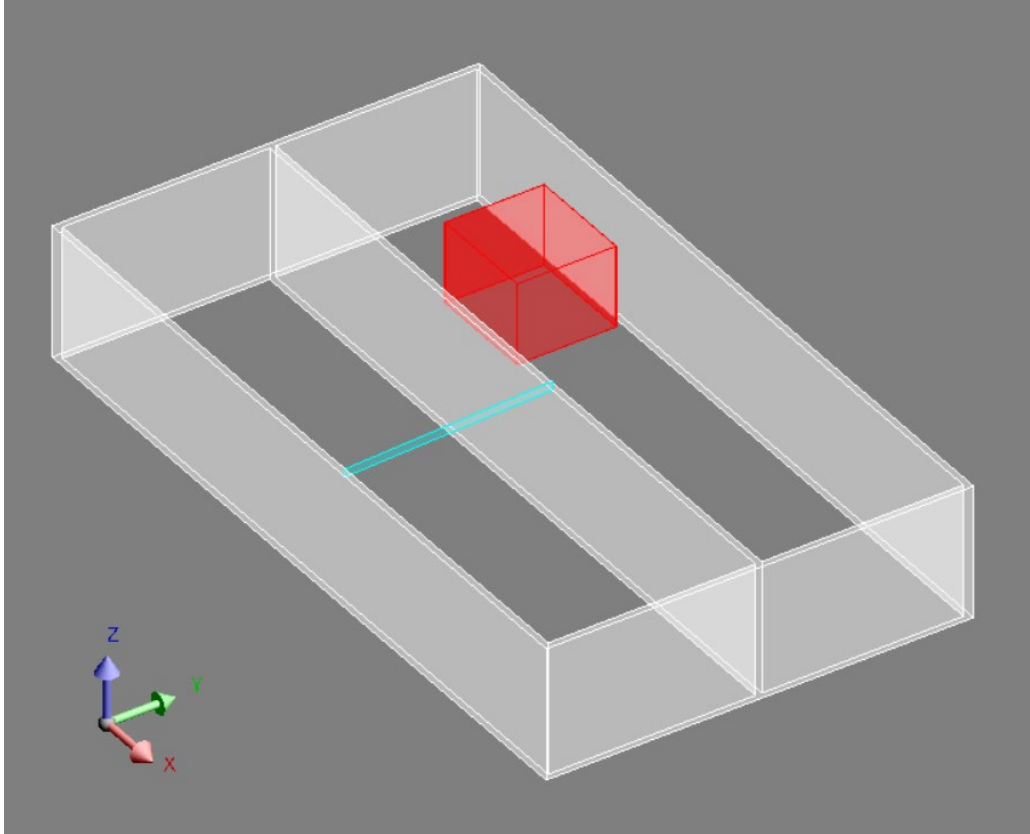
SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – VOLUMES



3 volumes



SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – FACE (SHELL) REGIONS

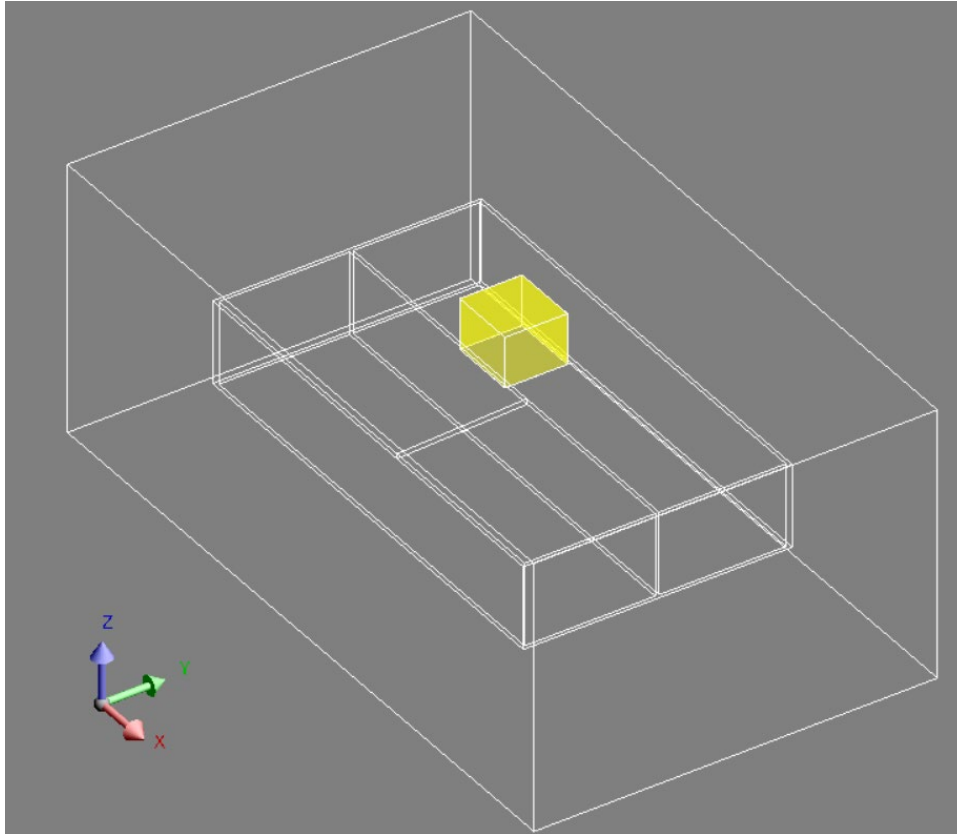


3 shell regions

- Roofbeam (turquoise)
- TransformerFace (red)
- WallSkins (white)



SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – VOLUME REGIONS

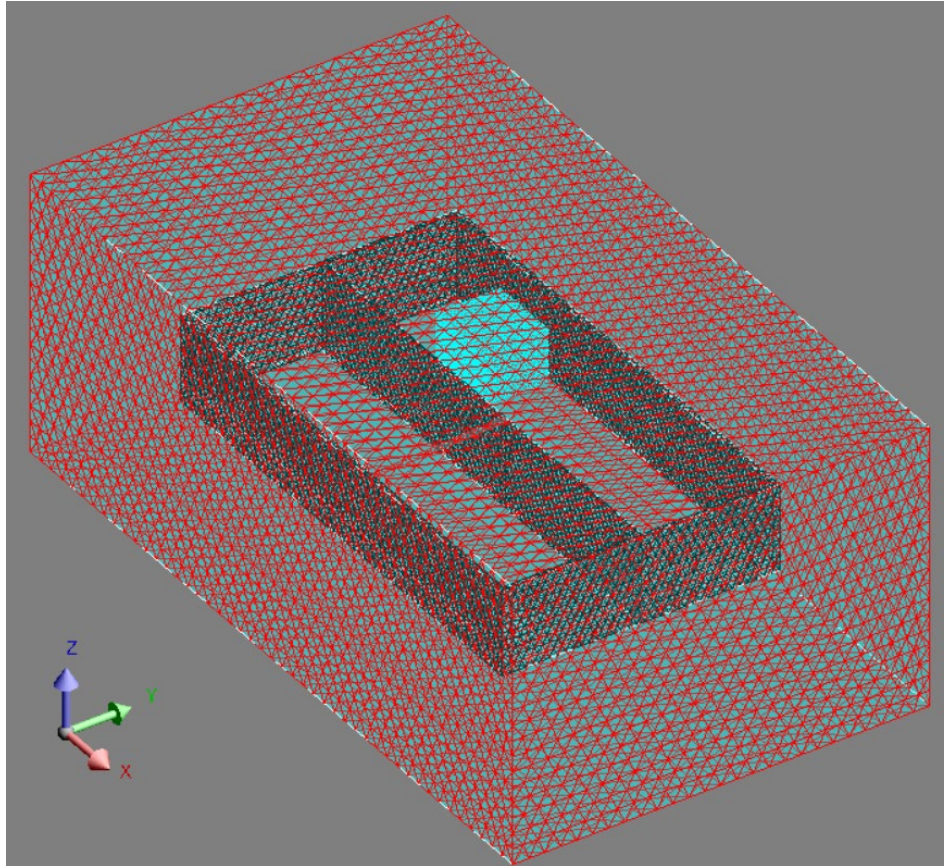


1 volume region

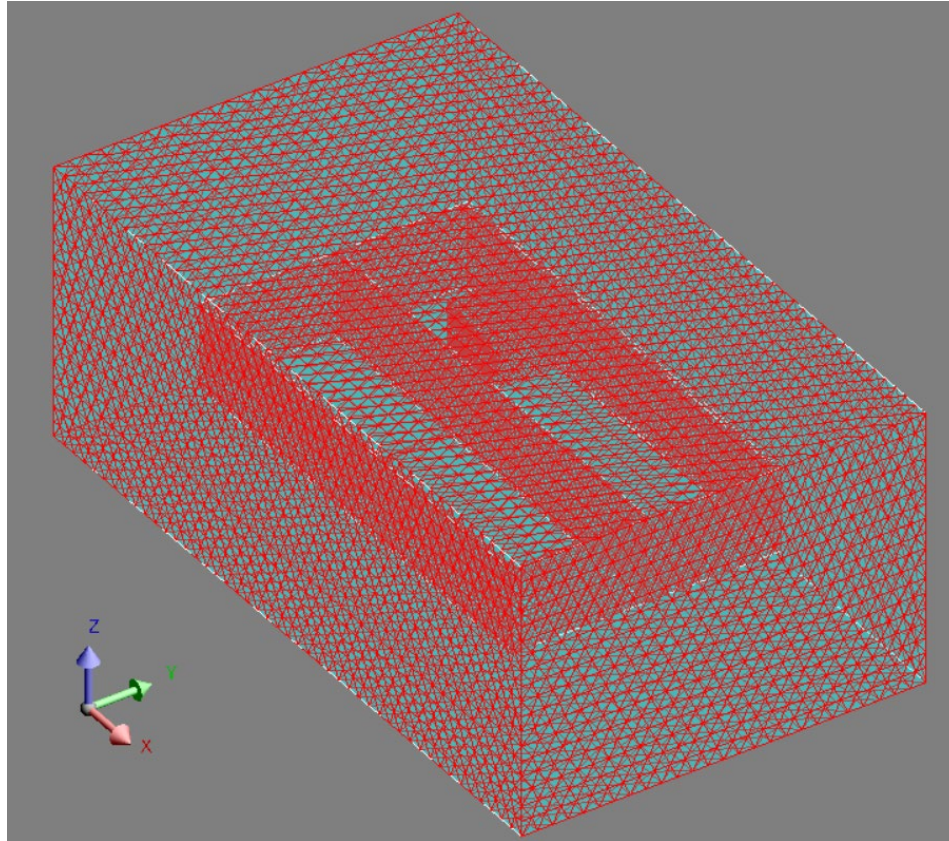
- TransformerFace (yellow)



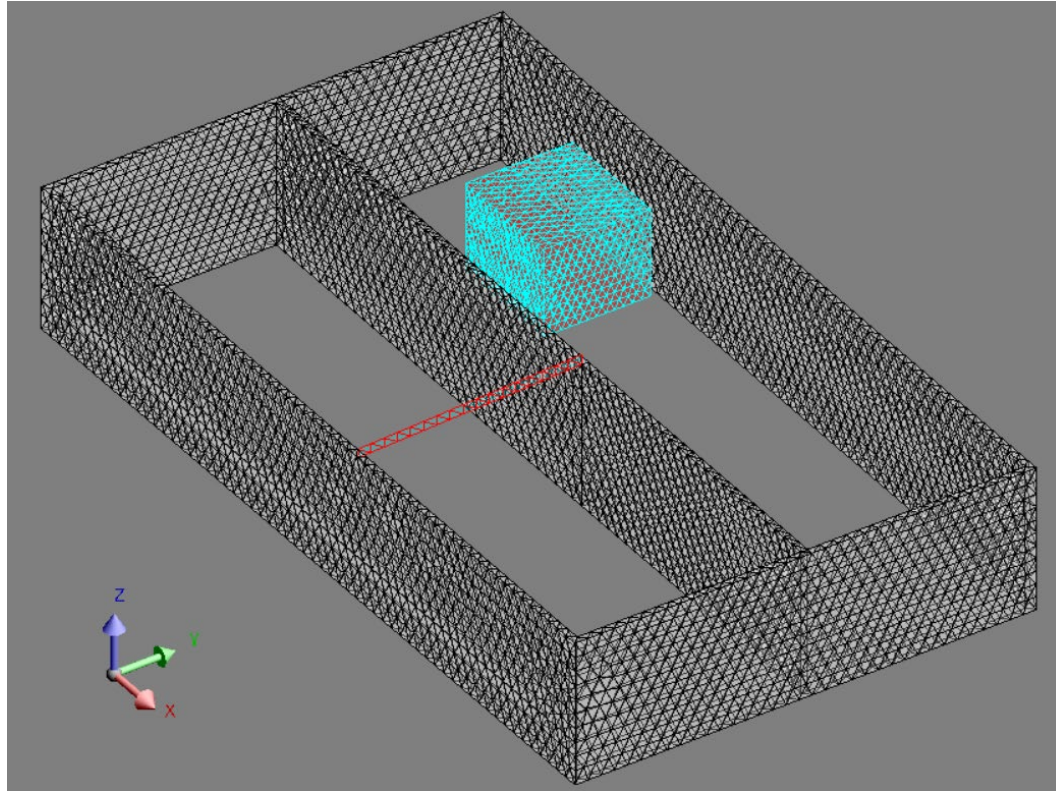
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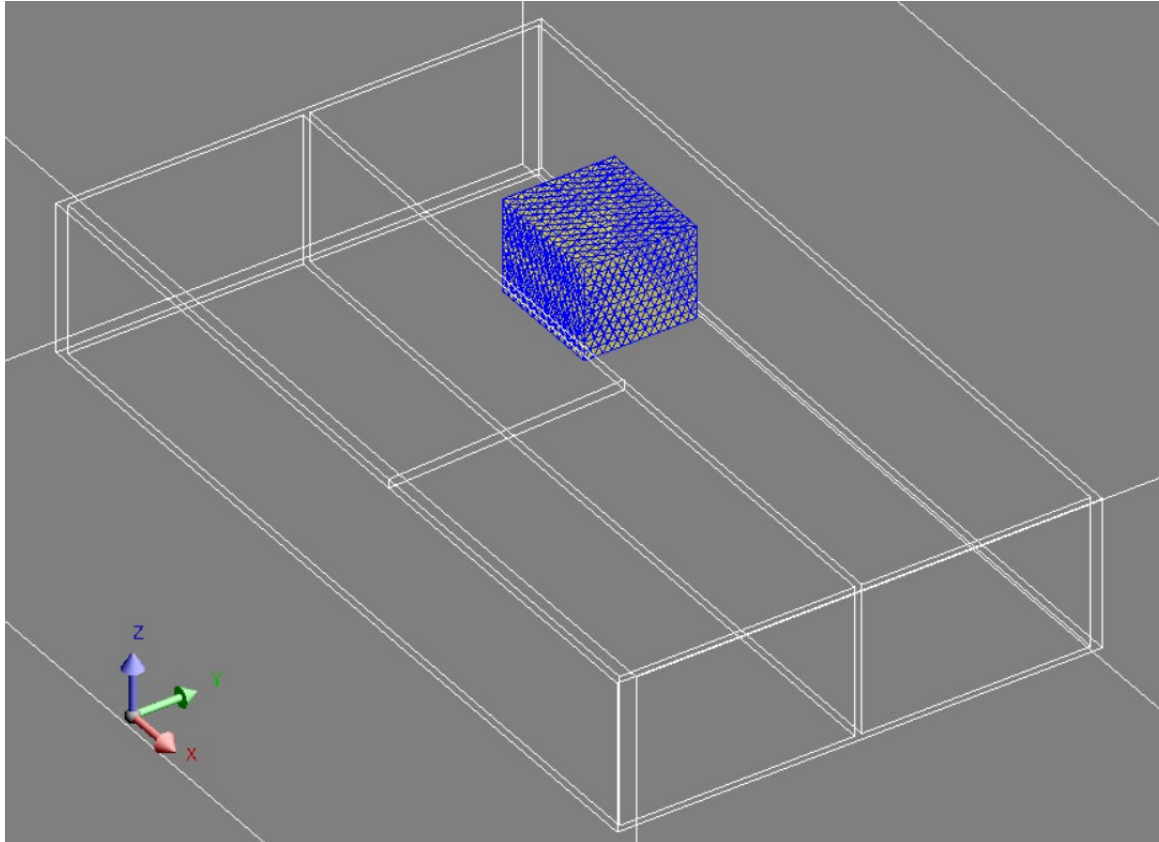
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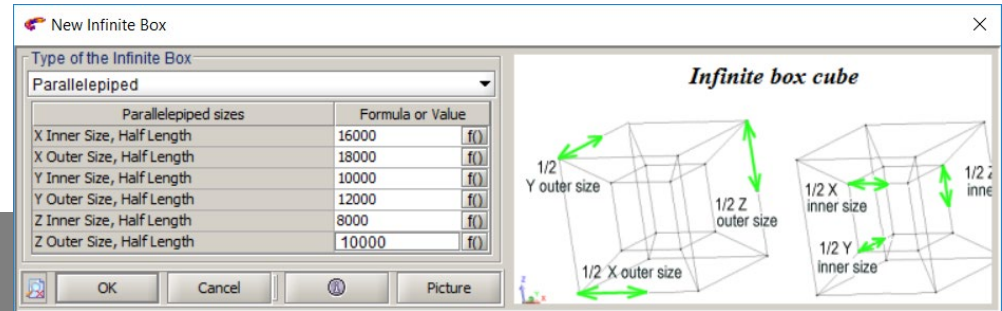
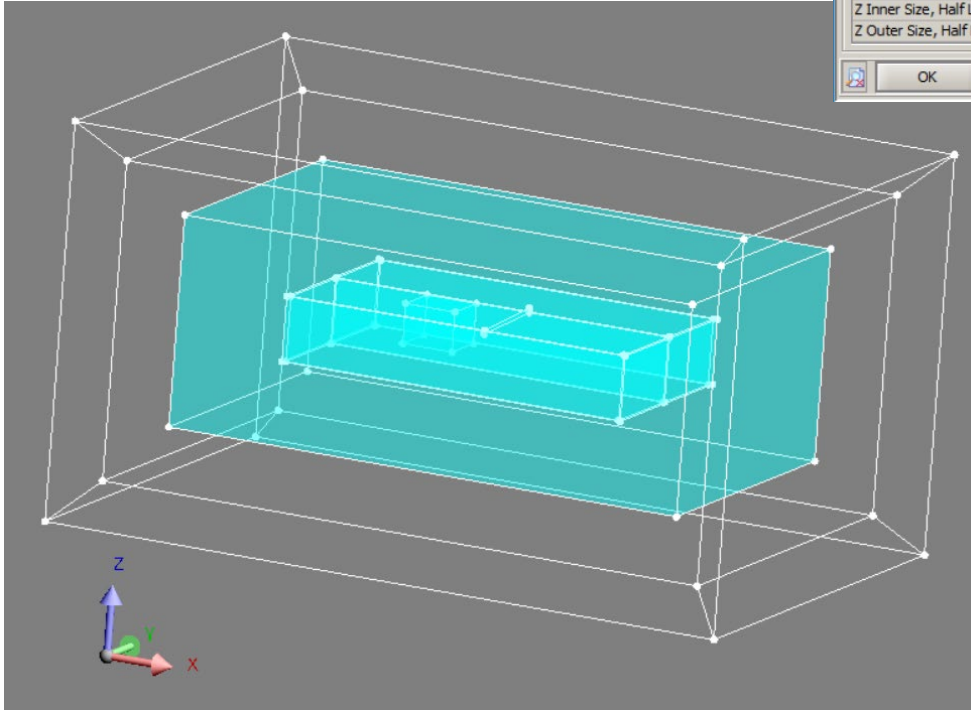
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SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – VOLUME REGION MESH



SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – ADDING INFINITE BOX

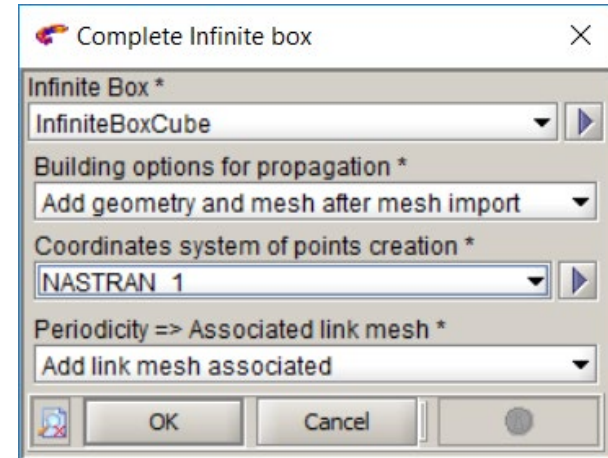
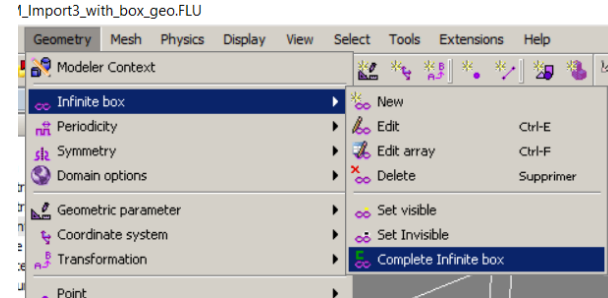


- Geometry/Infinite Box/New
- Dimensions are in mm (default)



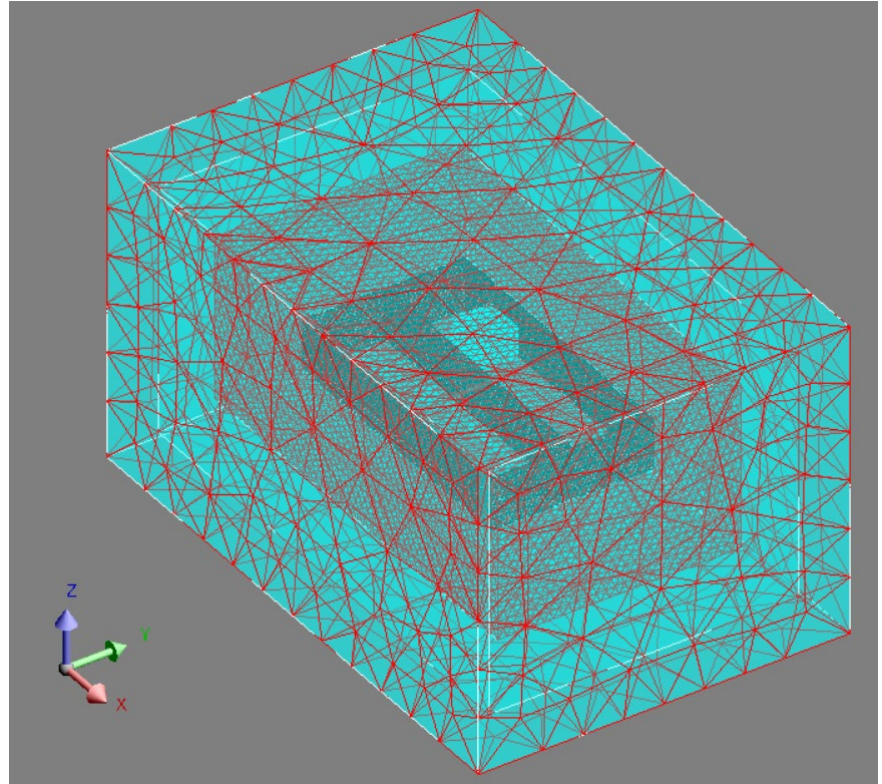
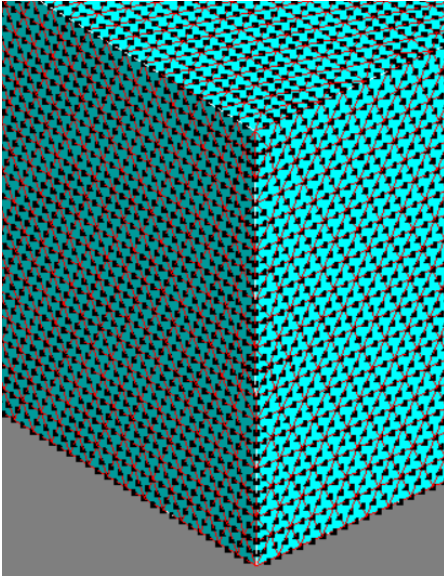
SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – COMPLETE INFINITE BOX

- Geometry/Infinite Box/Complete
- Building options for propagation
 - Add geometry and mesh after mesh import
- Coordinates system of points creation
 - Nastran_1
- Periodicity
 - Add link mesh associated



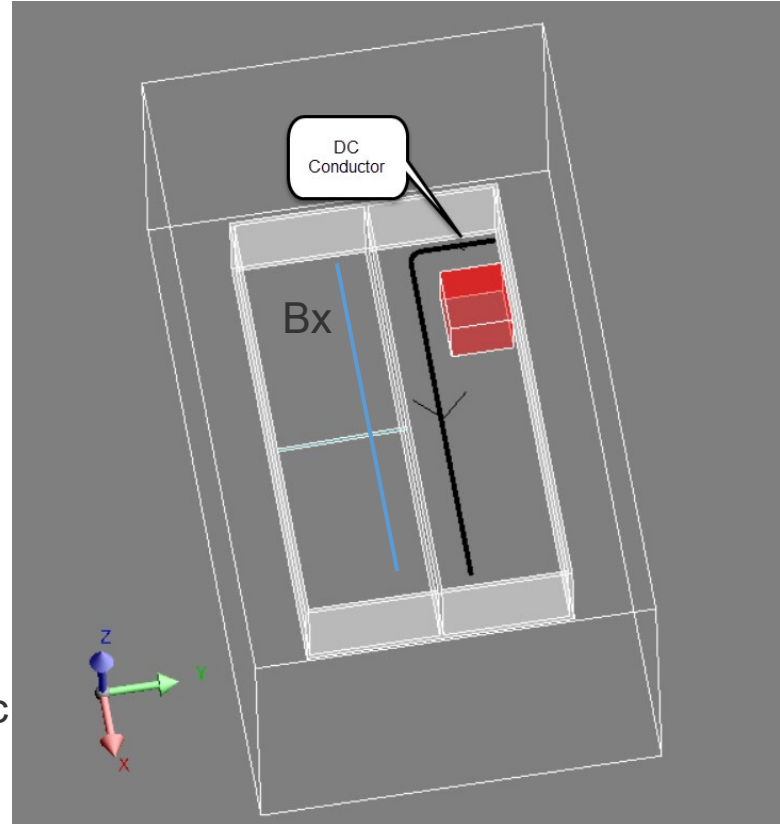
SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – INFINITE BOX MESH

- First order mesh
- Generate second order mesh if needed



SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – MS TEST CASE

- 4000 A DC conductor
- Steel with $\mu_r = 1000$
- Roofbeam with 10 mm wide thick xsection
- Transformerface with 1 mm thick sheet
- Wallskins with 1 mm thick sheet
 - Middle wall
 - No sheet
 - 1 sheet
 - Sheets on both side
- Transformercore and wall are non magnetic
- Flux density along the middle wall Bx

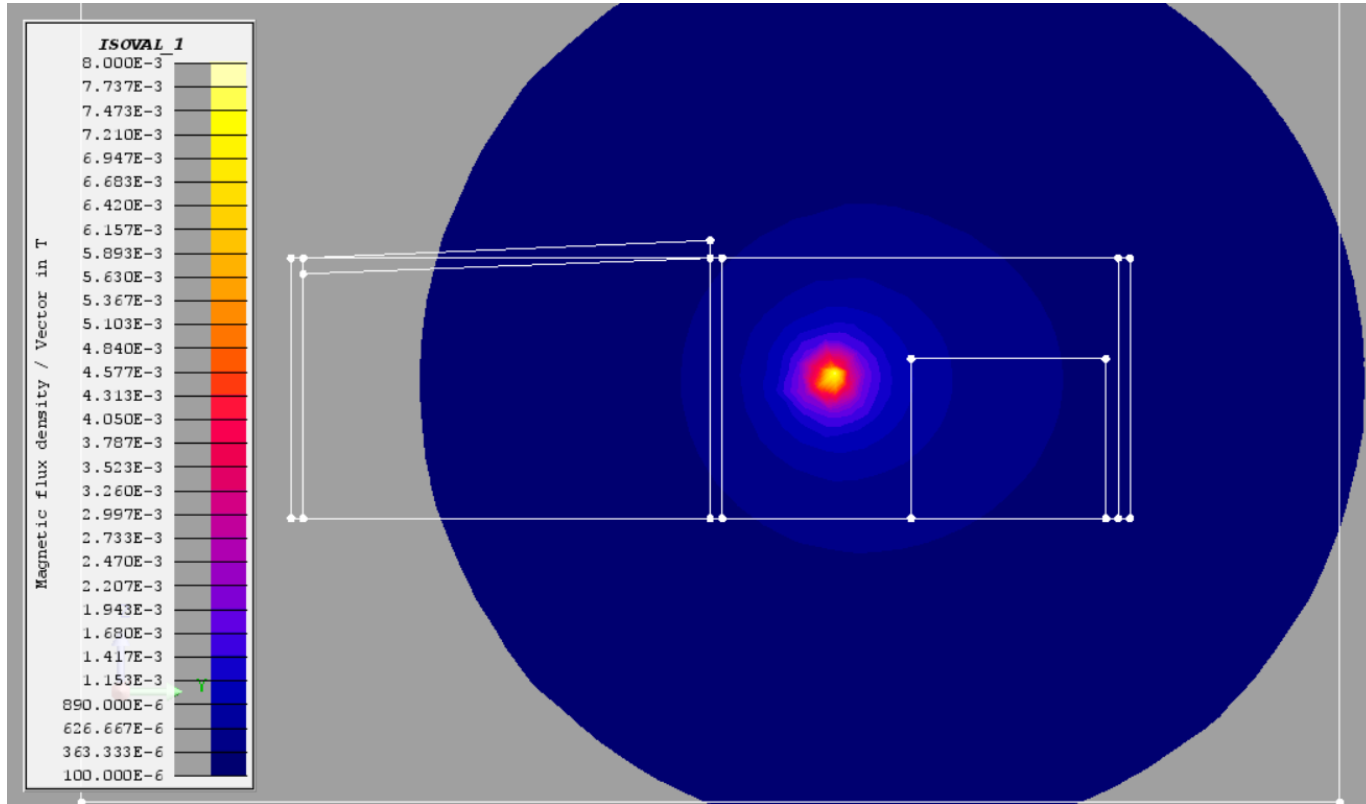


SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – MS TEST CASE – SIMULATIONS

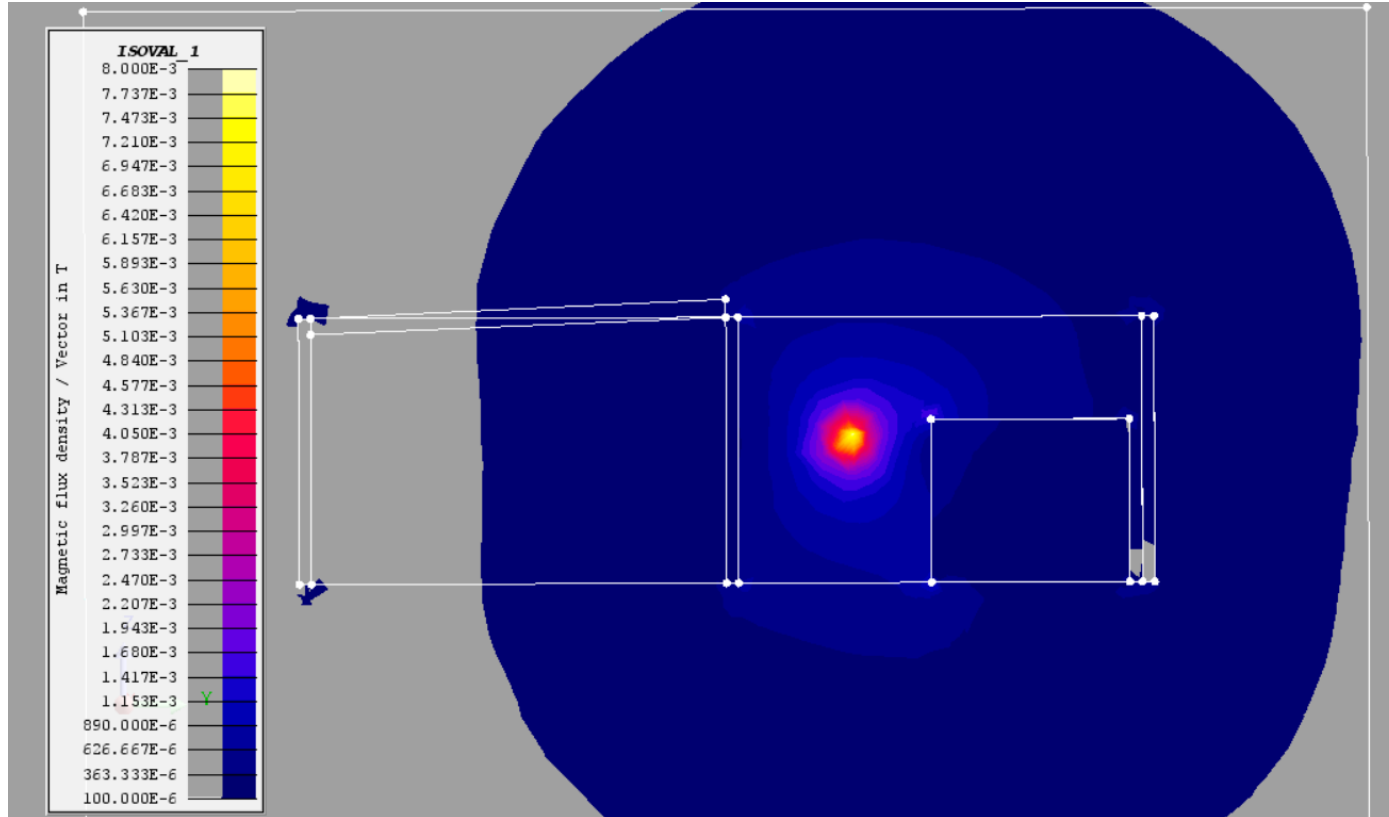
- Reference case: NoMag – No magnetic materials – Just DC source in the air
- Middle wall has no magnetic sheets: NoSheet
- Middle wall has magnetic sheet on 1 side: 1Sheet
- Middle wall has magnetic sheets on both sides: 2Sheets



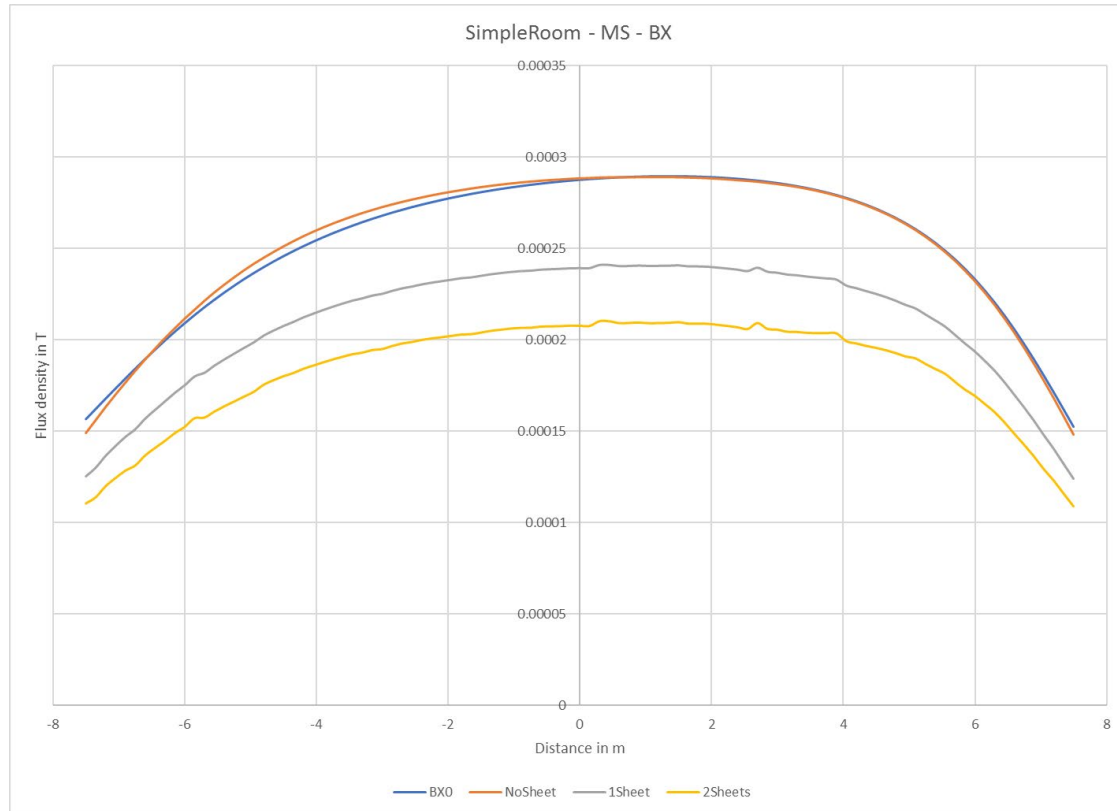
SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – MS TEST CASE – AIR ONLY (REFERENCE) – BMAP ON YZ XSECTION



SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – MS TEST CASE – 2 SHEETS MIDDLE WALL – BMAP ON YZ XSECTION

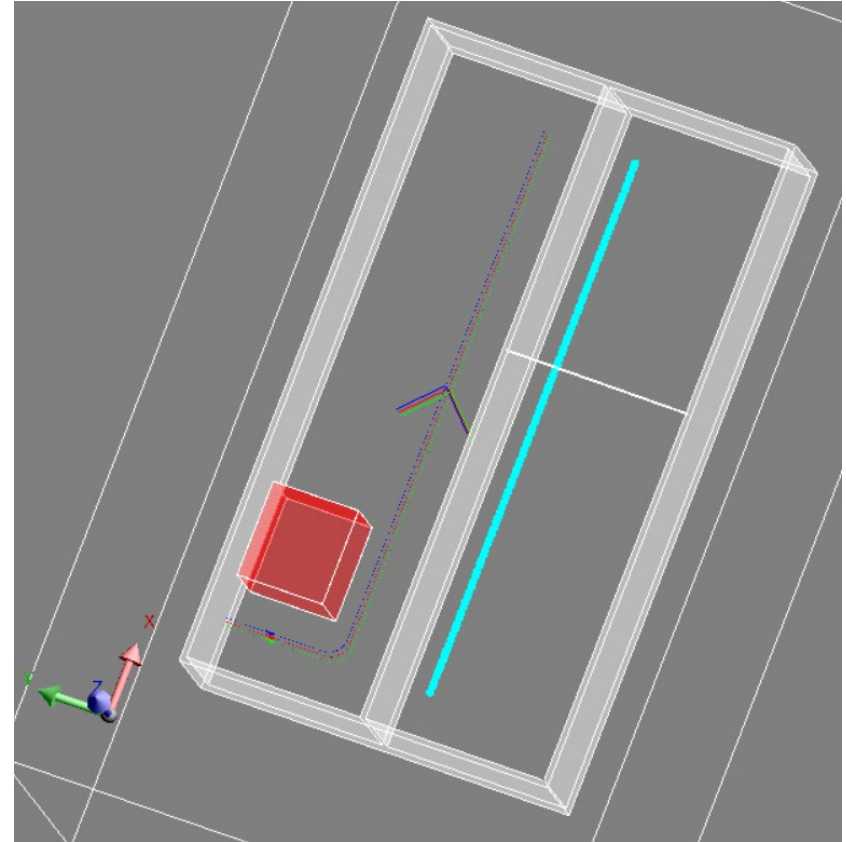


SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – MS TEST CASE – FLUX DENSITY BX ALONG THE MIDDLE WALL



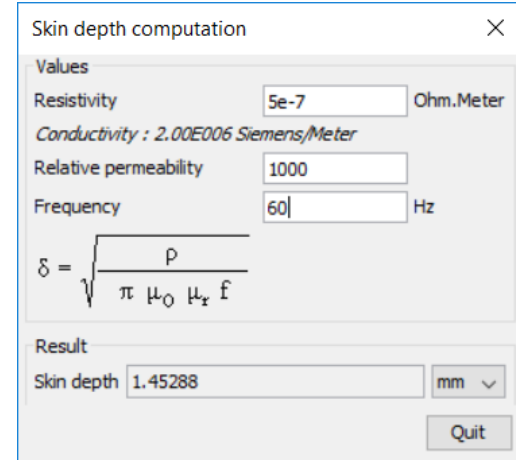
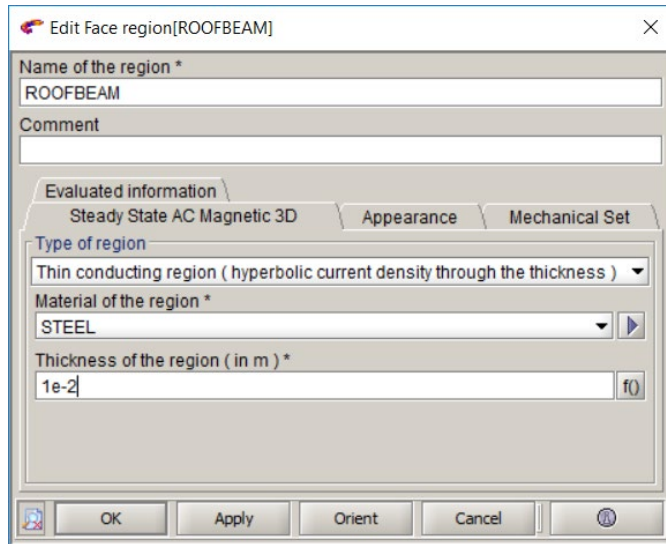
SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – AC TEST CASE

- Source 3 Phase
 - A (red): 4000 A rms – 0 deg.
 - B (green): 4000 A rms – 120 deg.
 - C (cyan): 4000 A rms – -120 deg.
- Steel with $\mu_r = 1000$ and $\text{Sigma} = 2 \text{ MS/m}$
- Roofbeam with 10 mm wide thick xsection
- Transformerface with 1 mm thick sheet
- Wallskins with 1 mm thick sheet
 - Middle wall
 - No sheet
 - 1 sheet
 - Sheets on both side
- Transformercore and wall are non magnetic
- Flux density along the middle wall Bx



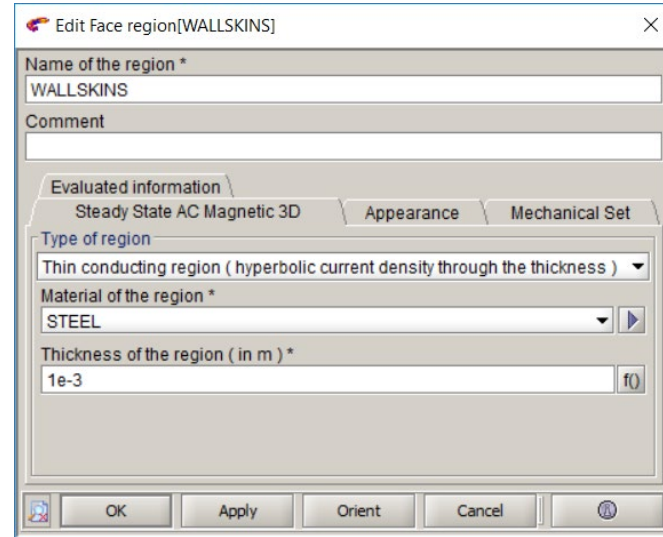
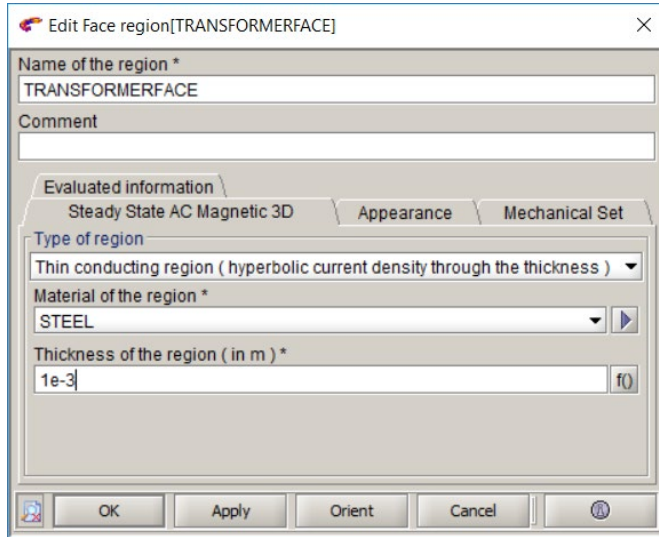
SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – AC TEST CASE – THIN CONDUCTOR REGIONS

- Roofbeam with 10 mm wide thick xsection
 - Thin conductor region



SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – AC TEST CASE – THIN CONDUCTOR REGIONS

- Transformerface with 1mm thick sheet
 - Thin conductor region
- Wallskins with 1mm thick sheet
 - Thin conductor region



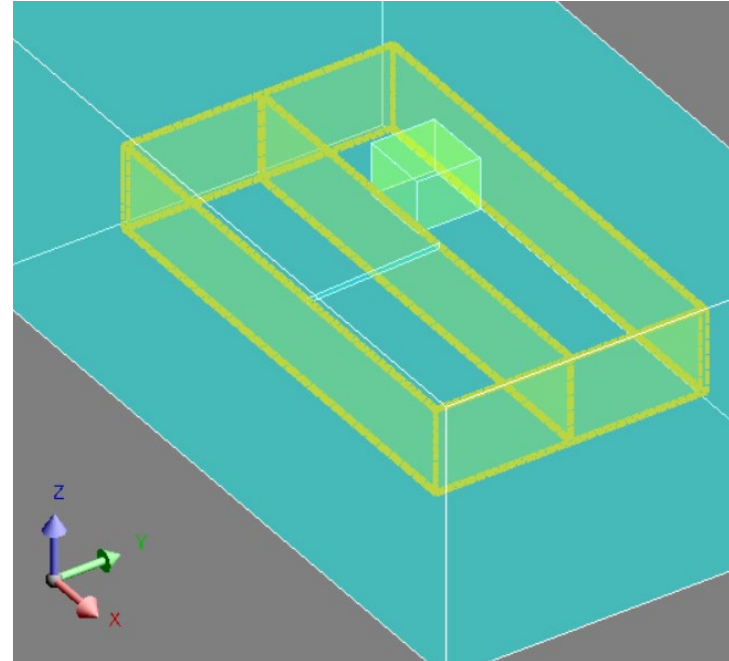
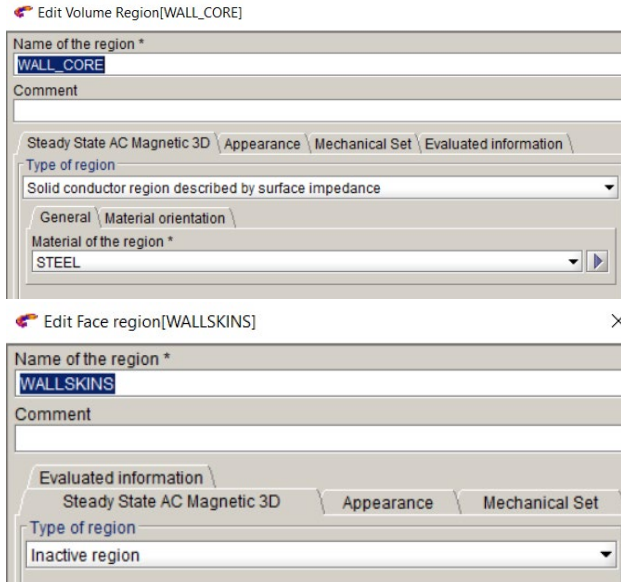
SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – AC TEST CASE – SIMULATIONS

- Reference case: NoMag – No magnetic and conductive materials – Just 3 phase sources in the air
- Middle wall has no magnetic & conductive sheets: NoSheet
- Middle wall has magnetic and conductive sheet on 1 side: 1Sheet
- Middle wall has magnetic and conductive sheets on both sides: 2Sheets
- Middle wall has magnetic and conductive sheets on both sides and surface impedance method: Surf_Imp

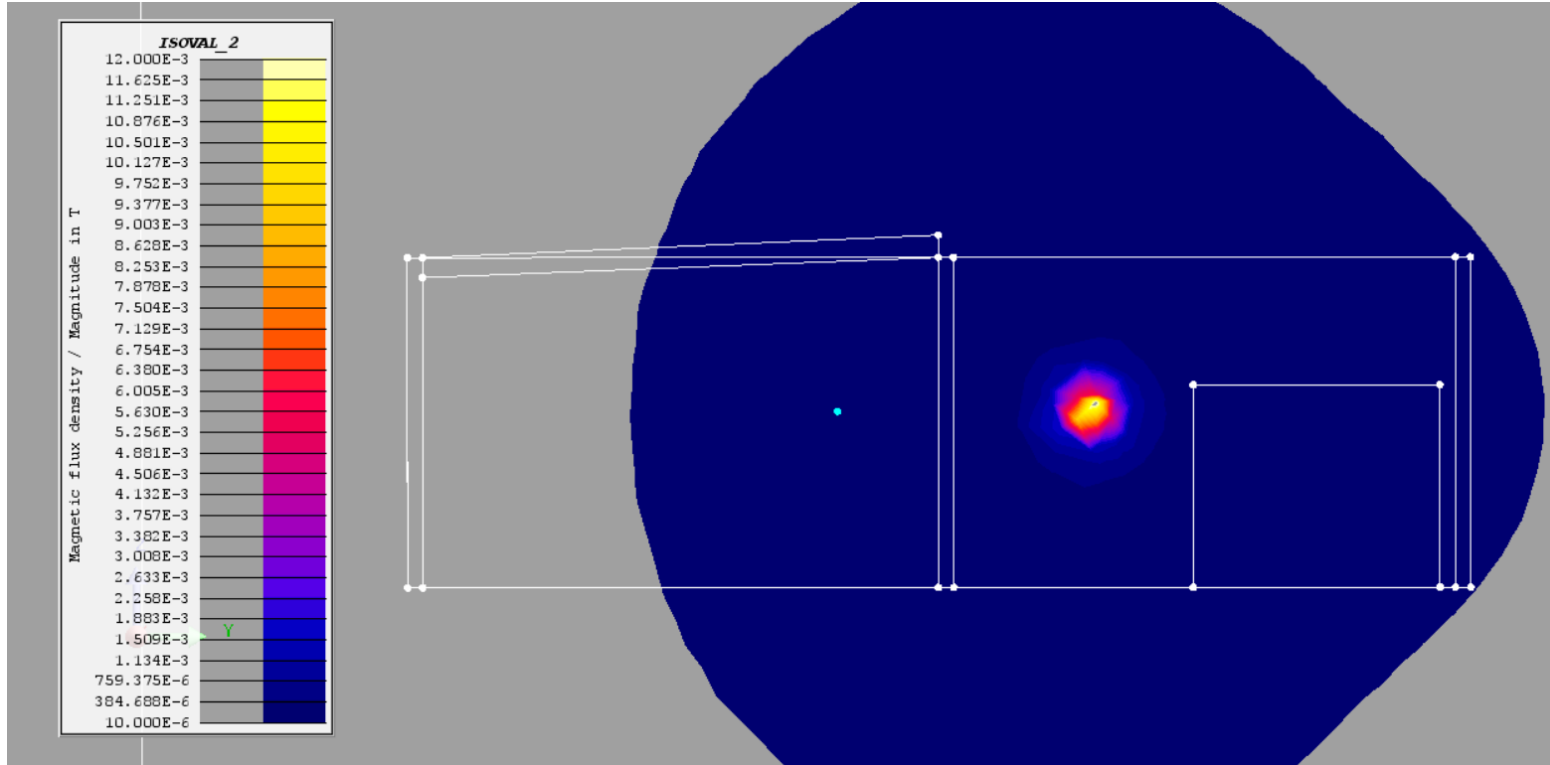


SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – AC TEST CASE – SURFACE IMPEDANCE

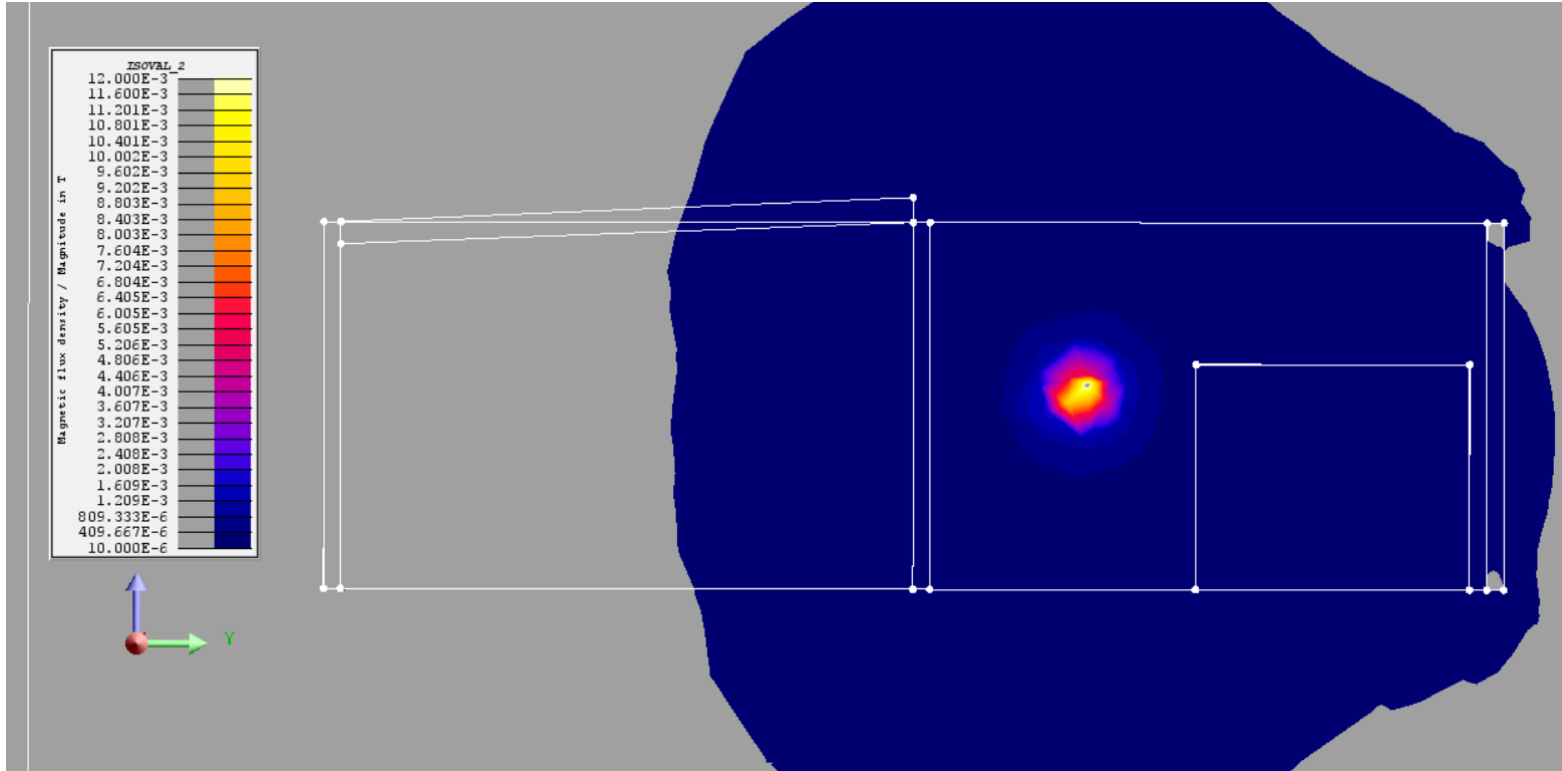
- Surface impedance for the magnetic and conductive sheets of the wall
- Apply to outer surface of wall volume region Wall_Core
- Shell region WallSkins inactive



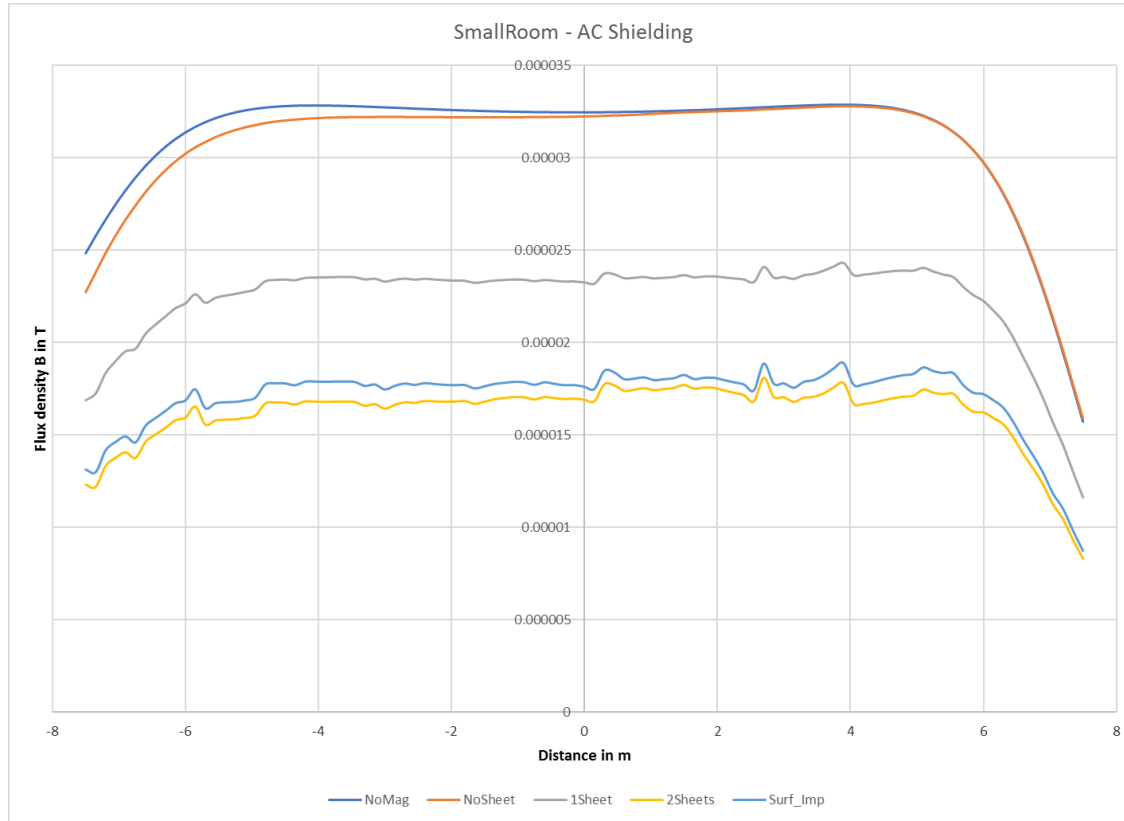
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SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – AC TEST CASE – 2 SHEETS MIDDLE WALL – BMAP ON YZ XSECTION



SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – SIMPLEROOM3 – MS TEST CASE – FLUX DENSITY BX ALONG THE MIDDLE WALL



SUBSTATION HYPERMESH MODEL – CONCLUSIONS

- 3D substation example – Process and requirements developed
 - Import of HyperMesh model
 - Volumes and Shells
 - Mesh
 - Thin regions
 - Magnetic thin region
 - Conductor thin region
 - Thickness > skin depth: hyperbolic
 - Thickness < skin depth: surface impedance
- Test cases – Validation of conductive shielding effectiveness with thin conductor regions
 - Static field with 4000 A DC conductor
 - AC field with 3 phase 60 Hz 4000 A rms conductors

