

Developing of Vacuum Tight Ceramic-Metal Joints in Accelerator Technology

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The modernity of the problem

Vacuum tight metal/ceramic joints are widely using in particle accelerators as important connections – especially for Ultra High Vacuum (UHV) systems, RF systems, electro-magnetic systems, beamlines as Insulators, feedthroughs, windows, vacuum chambers, etc.;

There are many technologies for ceramic to metal vacuum tight connections (brazing, welding, soldering, etc.). The existing technological processes have many disadvantages and unsolved problems. Especially some lows and equations were received based combination of experemental and theoretical calculations and experiments. Some fundamental (chemical and mechanical) processes totally non described yet for ceramic to metals bonding. There are many non standard and new metal/ceramic joints in charged particle accelerators.

Design and fabrication of new reliable and effective vacuum tight metal/ceramic joints and developing new and improving existing bonding technologies for vacuum systems are modern tasks-problems.

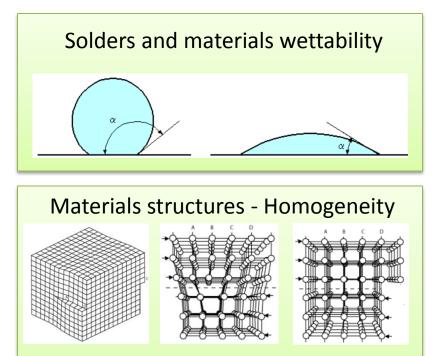
The objectives of this work

- Review of physical and mechanical characteristics of ceramics and metals for vacuum tight metal/ceramic joints;
- Review of existing technologies for ceramic to metals connections (Brazing, welding, sealing, gluing, etc.);
- Experimental activity metallization and brazing of ceramics to metals;
- Design of vacuum tight ceramic to metal joints;
- Mechanical simulation of ceramic to metal joints;
- Investigation of pressure receiving and spreading on materials surfaces during brazing process.

1.1. Materials for vacuum tight ceramic/metal joints.

Main requirements

- Low outgassing rate,
- Thermal shock resistance,
- Low material penetration,
- High mechanical strength,
- High weldability and brazability,
- High machinability,
- Reliable during long time,
- Repeatability and Dimentional stability,
- Eappropriate electro-mechanical characteristics,
- Absorbcion and desorbcion characteristics,
- Surface oxidation characteristics,
- Corrosion resistance,
- Metallization characteristics.



Without dislocations, content inhomogeneities, cracks, inner impurities, etc.



Main Properties of Vacuum Materials

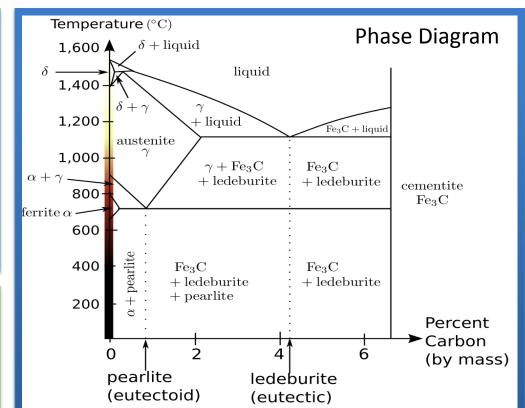
	Unit Alumina Al20		Al2O3	BeO Steatite		Cu	Cu Ag		Мо	Mn	Ni	Si	AI	Ti
		> 99.5%	95%											
Density	g/cm3	3.9	3.95	3.01	2.75	8,92	10.49	19.25	10.28	7.21	8.9	2.33	2.70	4.506
Atomic weight	(AMU)					63.5	107.8	183.84	95.94	54.93	58.69	28	27	47.9
Melting point	0C	2072		2,507		1083	961	3422	2623	1246	1455	1414	660.32	1668
Thermal conductavity	W / (m * K)	20 °C- 34.9	32	330	1.5-3.0	401	429	173	138	7.81	90.9	149	237	21.9
Thermal expansion	10-6/ K	7.3 20 - 500 °C -	7,8 10-7/ К	9.0	7-10 10-6 25 ℃	16.5 25 ℃	18.9 25 ℃	4.5 25 ℃	4.8 25 ℃	21.7 25 ℃	13.4 25 °C	2.6 25 ℃	23.1 25 °C	8.6 25 ℃
Specific heat	J / (kg * K)	20 °C - 900		1020										
Tensile strength	MPa			306	68,9									434
Young's modulus	GPa	380	460	400		110– 128	83	411	329	198	200	130- 188	70	116
Compressive Strength	MPa	3500	1900	2800	551,58							7000		
Yield strength	MPa												200- 600	
Hardness	Vickers Hardness MPa			13000		343– 369	251	3430 - 4600	1400– 2740		638		160– 350	830– 3420
Average Size of Crystallites μm	μm	10												
Dielectric Loss Tangent		30 - 40 GHz 20 * 10-4		0.006 @ 10 GHz	0.0014 1MHZ									
Magnetic ordering		Non magnetic	Non magnetic	Non magnetic		diama gnetic	diama gnetic	param agneti c	param agneti c	param agneti c	ferro magn etic	diama gnetic	Parama gnetic	Parama gnetic
Typical Color		ivory		white	gray- green	reddish -orange						gray color and a <u>metallic</u> luster	silver- colored	silver color

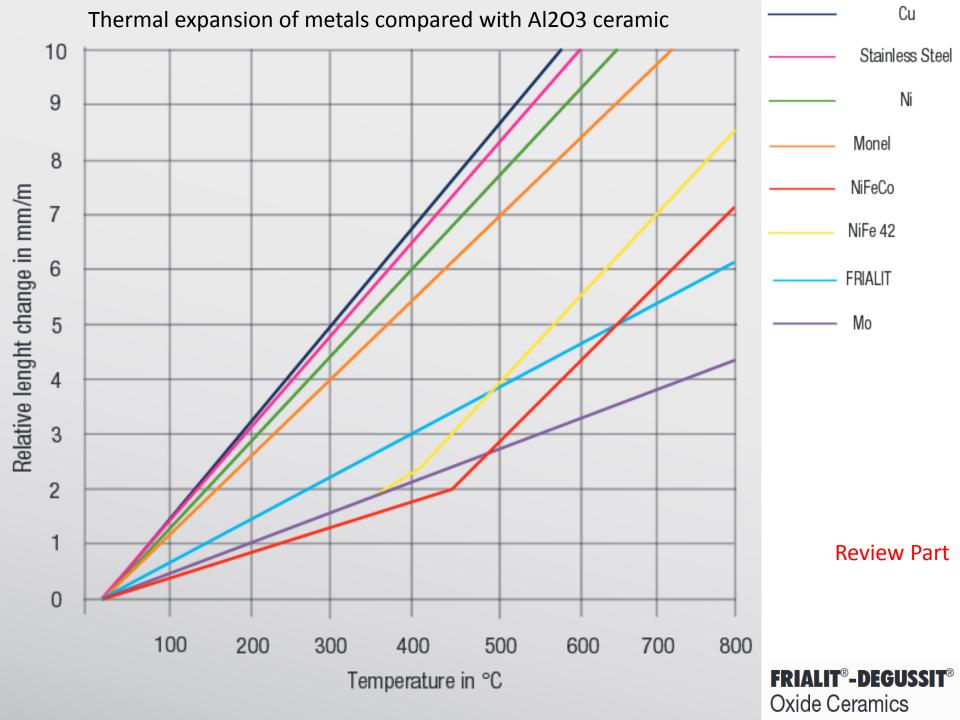
	Austanitic Stainless Steels											
ANSI Gra	ade C	max	Si max	Mn max	S max	P max	Ni	Cr	Mo max	N max		
316	0	.08	1.0	2.0	0.045	0.03	10.0-14.0	16.0-18.0	2.0-3.0	-		
316	- 0	.03	1.0	2.0	0.045	0.03	10.0-14.0	16.0-18.0	1.2- 2.75	-		
316L	N O	.03	1.0	2.0	0.045	0.03	10.5-14.5	16.5-18.5	2.0-3.0	0.12-0.22		
310	5 0	.08	1.2	2.0	0.045	0.03	19.0-22.0	24.0-26.0	-	-		
304	0	.08	1.0	2.0	0.045	0.03	8.0-10.5	18.0	-	-		
3041	N 0	.08	1.0	2.0	0.045	0.03	8.0-10.5	18.0-20.0	-	0.1-0.16		

Curie Temperature				
Material	Temp. K			
Iron (Fe)	1043			
Cobalt (Co)	1400			
Nickel (Ni)	627			

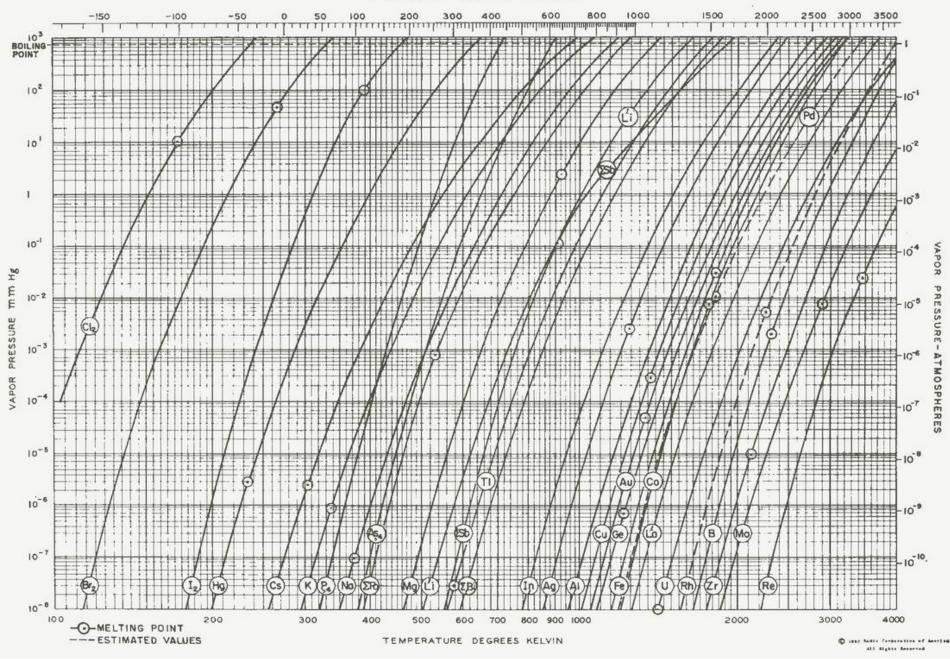
Solders									
Solder	M. P. 0C	Sn	Zn	In	Ag	Pd	Cu		
Palcusil [®] 10	850				58.5	10	31.5		
Palcusil [®] 5	814				68.5	5	26.5		
Cusil®	780				72		28		
Incusil 10	730			10	63		27		
Cusiltin	718	10			60		30		
ПСр-45	665—725		25.85		45		30.5		
ПСр-65			14.14 - 15.85		64.5 - 65.5		19.5 - 20.5		

Kovar contant %								
Fe	Ni	Со	С	Si	Mn			
53.49	29	17	<0.01	0.2	0.3			



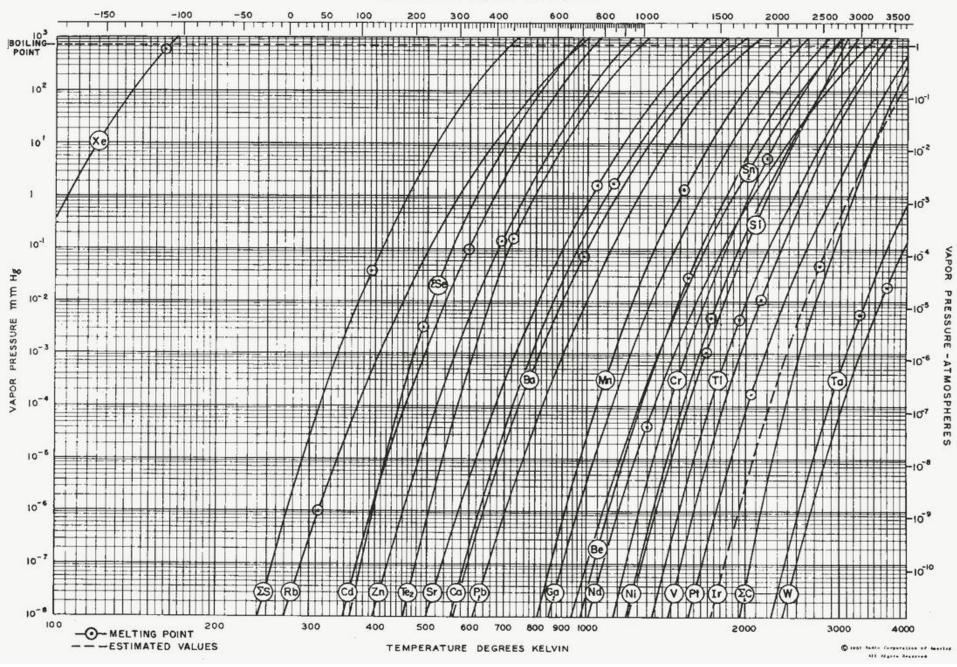






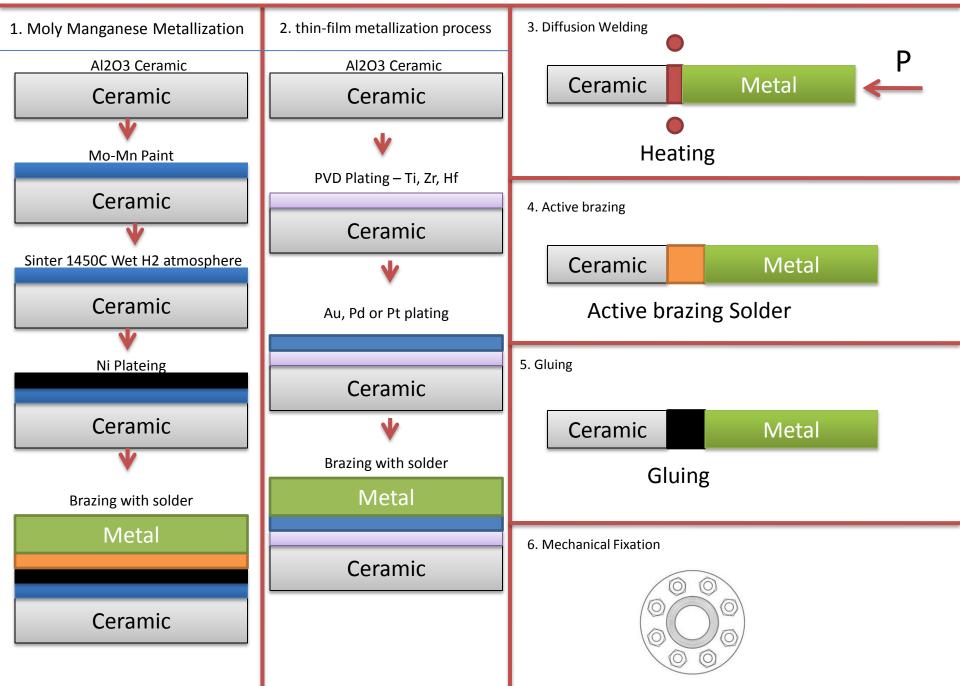
Vapour Pressure Curves for the Common Materials.

TEMPERATURE DEGREES CENTIGRADE



Vapour Pressure Curves for the Common Materials.

1.2. Existing Technologies for ceramic to metal bonding.



Moly-Manganese Metallization

Ceramic - Type		Metallization Past	Concentration %
Cearmaic Steatit	:, K-1	Mo : Fe	98 : 2
Ceramic Forsteri 555	t, ФС-5Л, АФ-	Mo : Mn Mo : TiH ₂ : Al ₂ O ₃	96 : 4 63.8-74,0.8-6.1
Alumina silicate ceramic		WC : TiC : Fe	60:10:30
	22X, 22XC	Mo Mo : Mn Mo : Mn : Si Mo : Mn : TiH ₂ Mn : Mo ₂ B ₅ , Mo	100 80 : 20 80:20 (+5) 80 :20 : 10 20 : 10-15 : 70-65
Alumina	M7	Mo ; Mn : MoB Mo : Mn : MoSi ₂ Mo ; Mn : C-48	62.5 : 20 : 17.5 77 : 20 : 3 75 : 20 :5
	ВГ - 4	Mo : Mn : Si	75-78:20:5-3
	A-995	Mo : Mn : Mo ₂ B ₅ : БД-22	74:15:5:6
	Sapphirite	Mo : Mn : V ₂ O ₅	75:20:5
	Policore	Mo : Mn : Si	80 : 20 : (+5)
Monocrystal	sapphire	Mo : Mn : Mo ₂ B ₅ : БВ22	74:15:5:6
	Rubine	Mo : glass CT-1	70:30
Beryllium ceram	ic	Mo : Mn : Si	80 : 20 : (+5%) Review Part

Metallization process

Coating type	Temperature ⁰ C	duration	Cooling speed ⁰ C/min	Environment
Mn, Mo (22X, 22XC, A- 995, M-7)	1 270 – 1 400	20 - 40	5 - 10	$N_2: H_2 = 2: 1$ $N_2: H_2 = 3: 1$ dew point +15 - +25°C
Mo, Mn, Si	1 280 – 1 320	40	Cooling - 4.2	N ₂ : H ₂ = 3 : 1 dew point +15 - +25 ⁰ C

Chemical Nickel Plating

- 1. Nickel chloride 45g/l
- 2. Ammonium chloride 50 g/l
- 3. Sodium citrate 45g/l
- 4. Sodium hypophosphite 20g/l
- 5. Ammonia water 25% 50g/l

pH level – 8.0-8.5

Before nickel plating - preparation in chemical liquid and blowing deionized water at 98 0C

Galvanic Nickel Plating

Plate 🖁 _	electrolyte		it pH	Current Density a/dm2	Time min	Anode material	Electrolit temperature	
	Thickness of layer mkm	Components	Composition g/l	Electrolit	, .			
Galvanic nickel plating	3-6	Sulfuric acid nickel Magnesium sulphate boric acid lemon acid Sodium chloride Sodium citrate	200-250 17-25 10-20 2 0я5-1я0 45	5.2-5.8	0.5-1.0	10-20	Ni	18-25
Galvanic nickel plating	8-12	Sulfuric acid nickel Magnesium sulphate Sodium sulphate Nickel chloride boric acid	220 85 85 10 30	4.5-5.5	3	15-30	Ni NPA-1	18-25

1.3. Test of Ceramic/Metal Joints

- Thermal tests;
- Vacuum tightness tests;
- Mechanical Tests;
- Vibration tests;
- Outgassing tests;
- Electro-mechanical tests;
- Humidity tests;
- Roughness measurement;
- Hardness measurement;
- rotation test.







Techanical test with high tempetature



Universal testing machine

Chapter 2. Materials Selection, Laboratory Equipment, Technologies.

2.1. Materials Selection.









Properties		Unit	Specific value
Main component		-	α - Al ₂ O ₃
Purity		wt-%	> 99.5
Density		g / cm ³	<u>></u> 3.90
Open Porosity		vol%	0
Average Size of Crystallites		μm	10
Bending Strength σ _m	DIN EN 843-1	MPa	350
Weibulls Modulus		-	> 10
Toughness K _{lc}	SEVNB	MPa * m ^{0.5}	3.5
Compressive Strength		MPa	3500
Young's Modulus	static	GPa	380
Poisson's Ratio		-	0.22
Hardness	Knoop, 100 g	GPa	23
Maximum Service Temperature in Air		°C	1950
Linear Coefficient of Expansion	-100 - 20 °C	10 ⁻⁶ / K	3.6
	20 - 500 °C	10 ⁻⁶ / K	7.3
	20 - 1000°C	10 ⁻⁶ / K	8.2
Specific Heat	20 °C	J / (kg * K)	900
Thermal Conductivity	20 °C	W / (m * K)	34.9
	1000 °C	W / (m * K)	6.8
	1500 °C	W / (m * K)	5.3
Resistivity	20 °C	Ω * cm	10 ¹⁵
	1000 °C	Ω * cm	10 ⁷
Dielectric Strength	20 °C	kV / mm	> 30
Relative Permittivity	70 MHz	-	10
	180 M Hz	-	9.9
	30 - 40 GHz	-	9.8
Dielectric Loss Tangent	70 MHz	-	270 * 10 ⁻⁴
	180 M Hz	-	150 * 10-4
	30 - 40 GHz	-	20 * 10 ⁻⁴
Typical Colour		-	ivory



Kovar Ni-Co-Fe

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2.2. Laboratory equipment.

UHV Test Stand



Vacuum level – 10-9Torr

Metallurgical microscope



100X - 1600X

Ceramic Cutting machine



Mixing machine



Vacuum Furnace



Vacuum up to 10-6 Heat – 2000 C

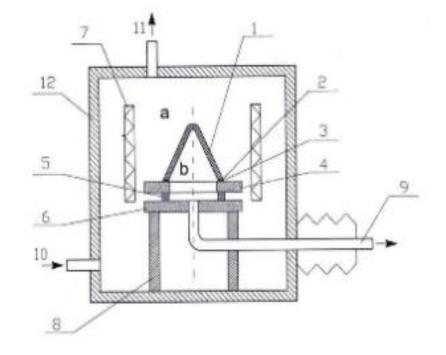
2.3. Methods.

Chapter 3. New Diffusion Brazing methods.

3.1. New Diffusion Brazing Method for Dissimilar Details with Difficult Geometry.



New Diffusion Brazing Method



Diffusion brazing methods of difficult geometry dissimilar details. Patent number – AM201453 Vardan Shavarsh Avagyan, Vahagn Vanik Vardanyan Intellectual Property Agency of the Republic of Armenia

Experimental results

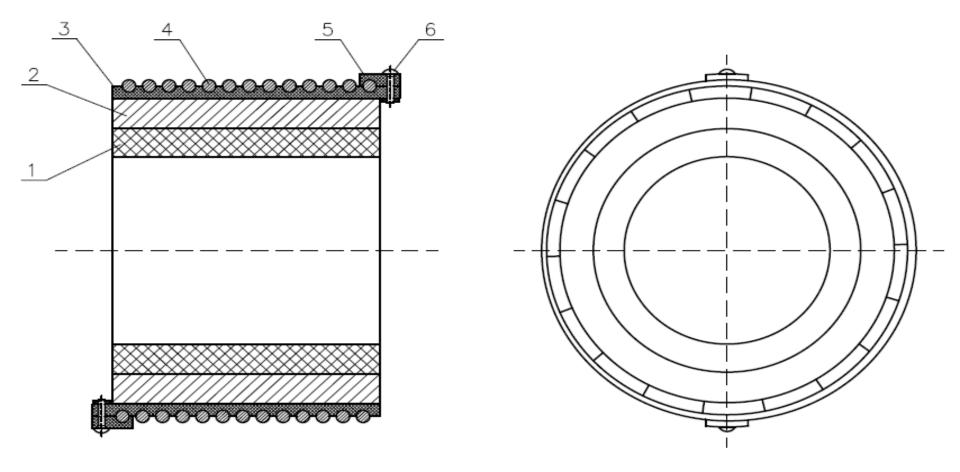






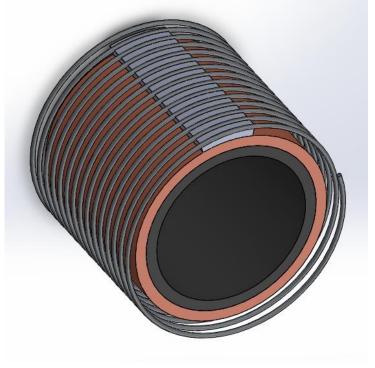
Side a) – 10-3Torr Side b) – atmospheric or 0.5atm pressure.

3.2. Brazing method with heating and pressure combination.



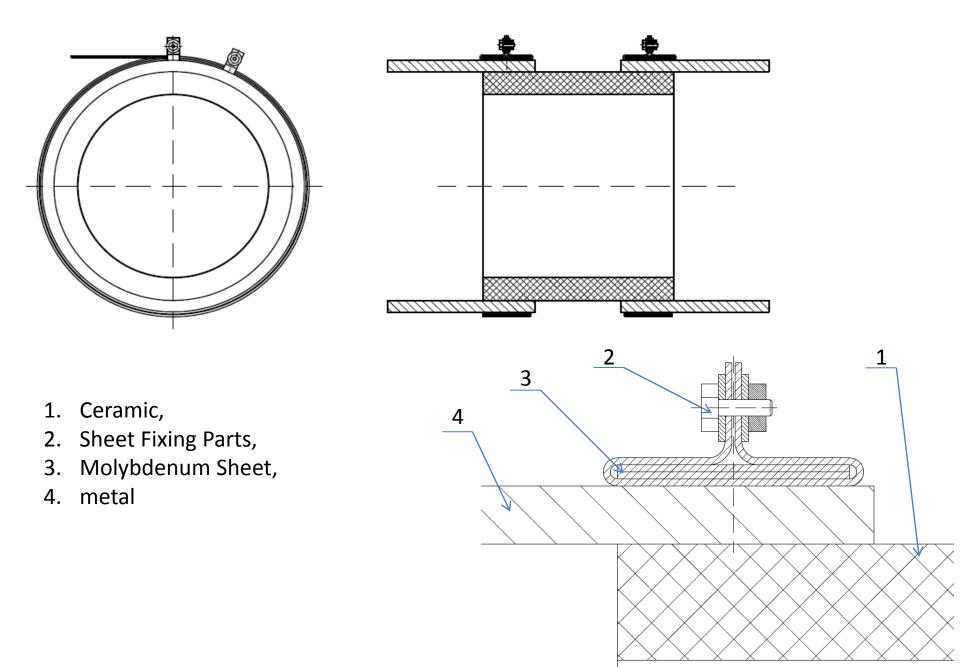
- 1. Ceramic,
- 2. Metal,
- 3. Ceramic,
- 4. Molybdenum wire,
- 5. 6. Wire fixators.

Advantage – local heating and temperature control, Equal Pressure exert

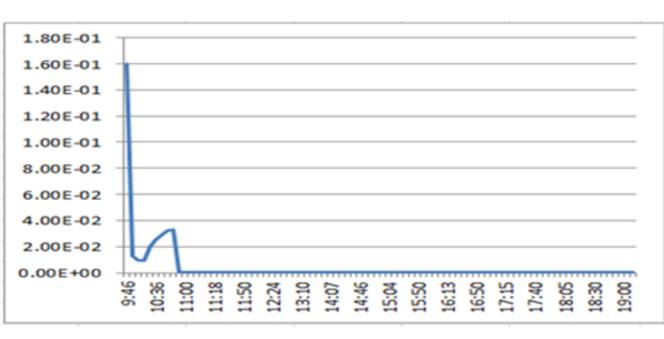




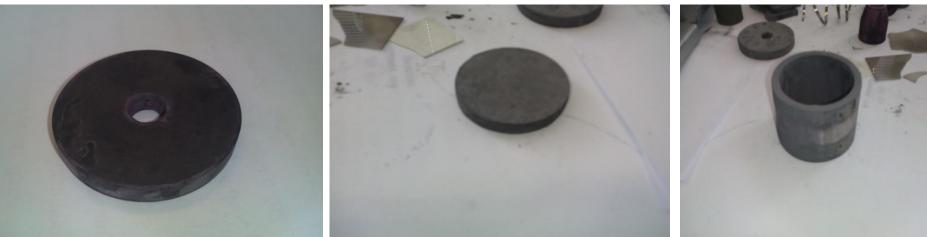
3.3. Pressure receiving based molybdenum sheet.



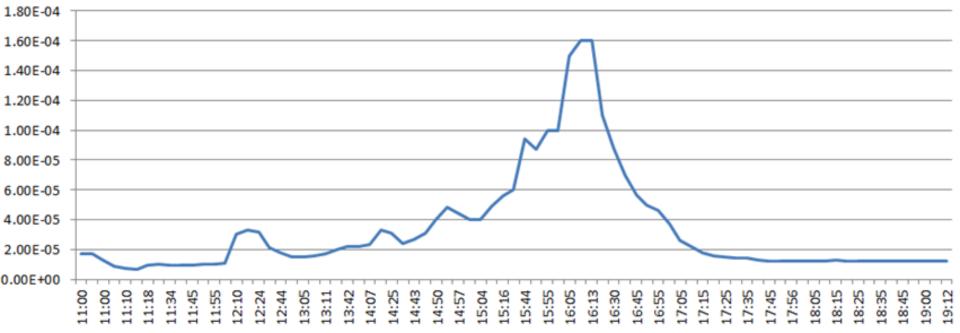
4.1. Metallization of Ceramics

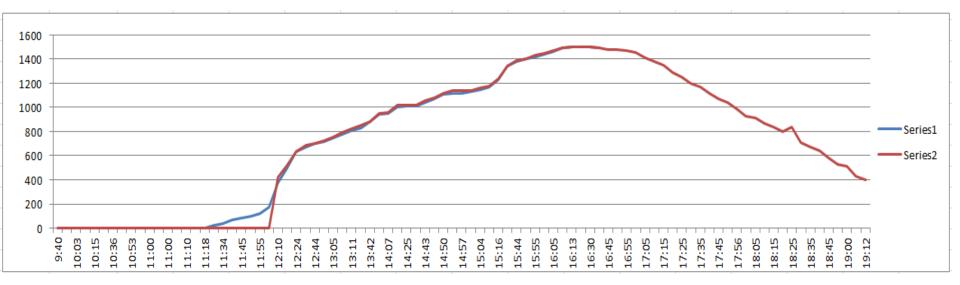




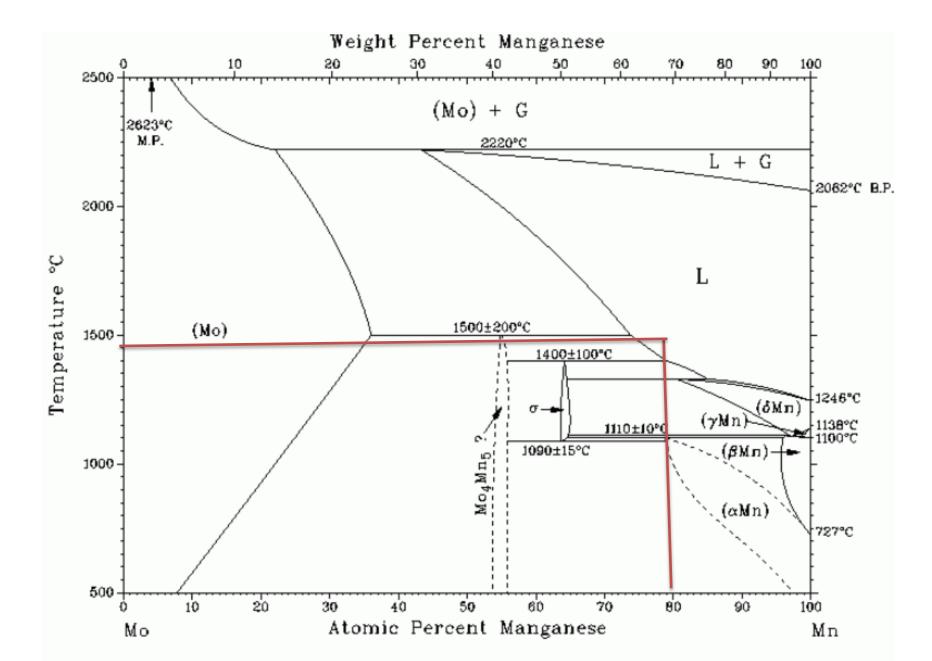








Mo-Mn pleting on F99.7 Ceramic Surface



Metallized Alumina





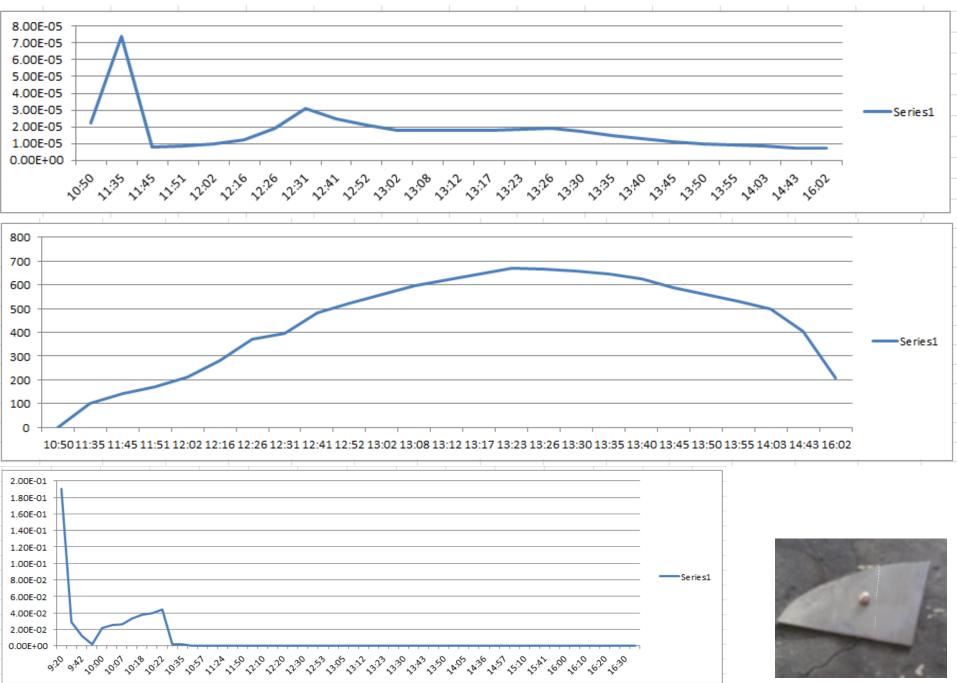
4.2 Nickel Plating based on Galvanic

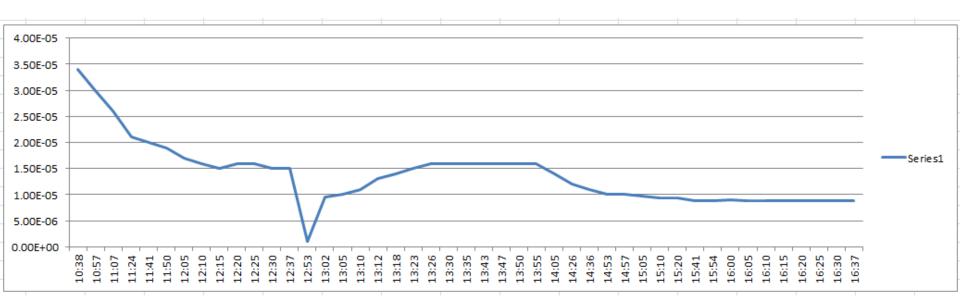


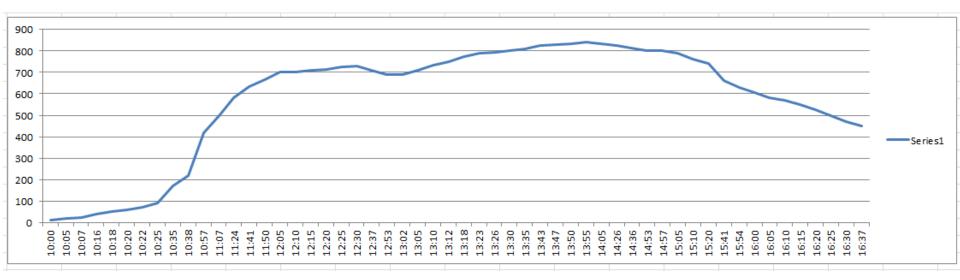




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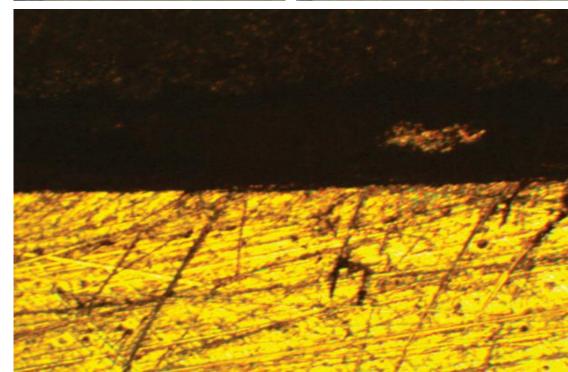






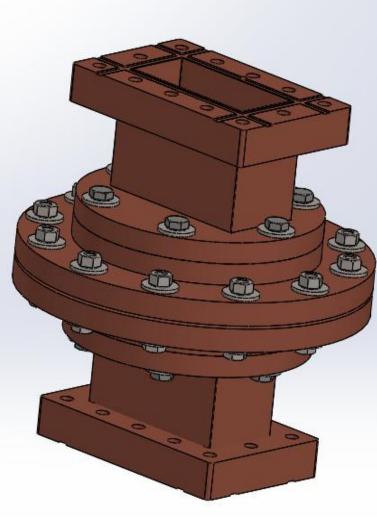


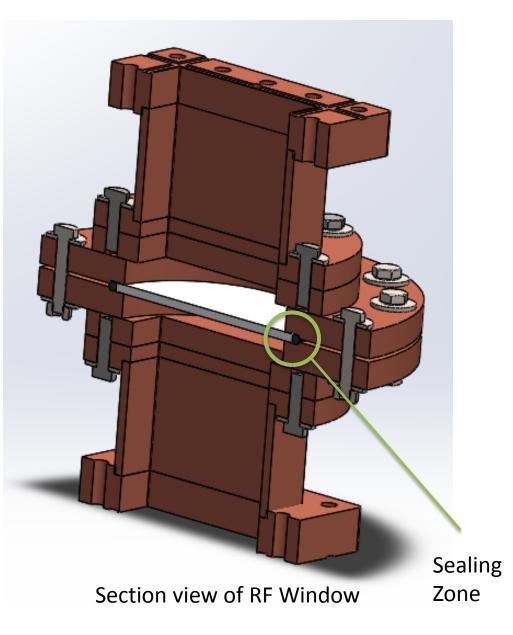




Chapter 5. Design of Vacuum Tight Metal/Ceramic Joints, Experiments, Simulations.

5.1. RF Window (S-band, C-band, etc.)





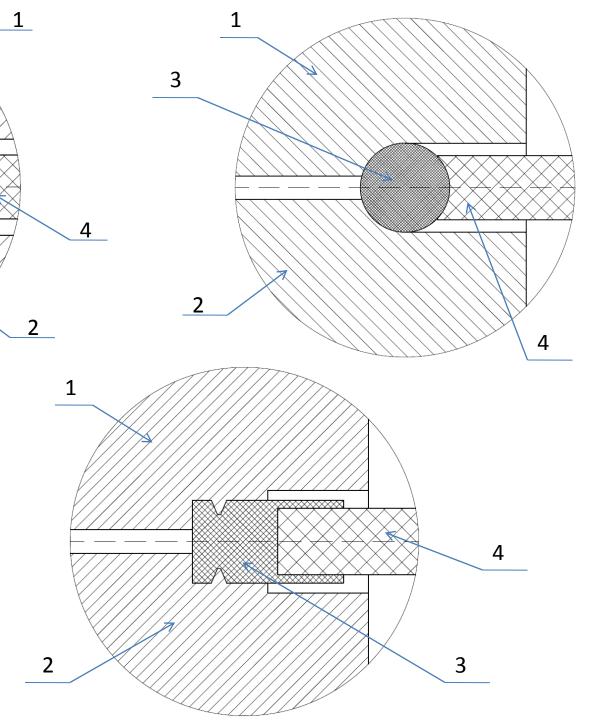
3D Model of RF Window

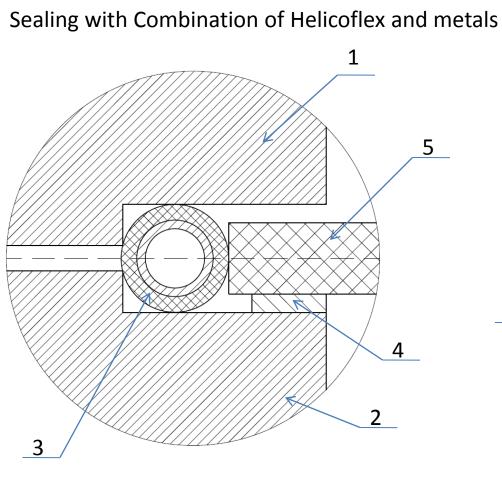
Viton - specific fluoroelastomer polymer, Working Temperature - -20°С до +200°С, Outgassing approx. ... 1 x 10-8 (strongly depending on treatment)

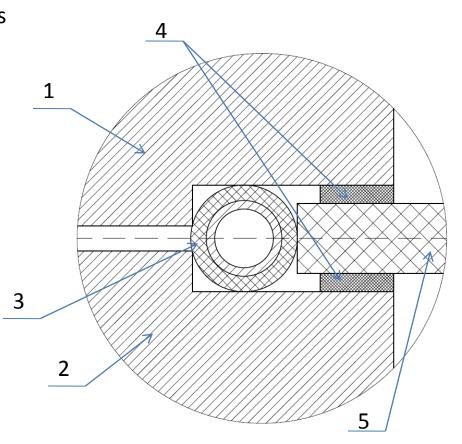
1. Metal – 1;

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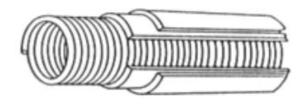
- 2. Metal 2;
- 3. Viton or Teflon (sealing);
- 4. Ceramic.





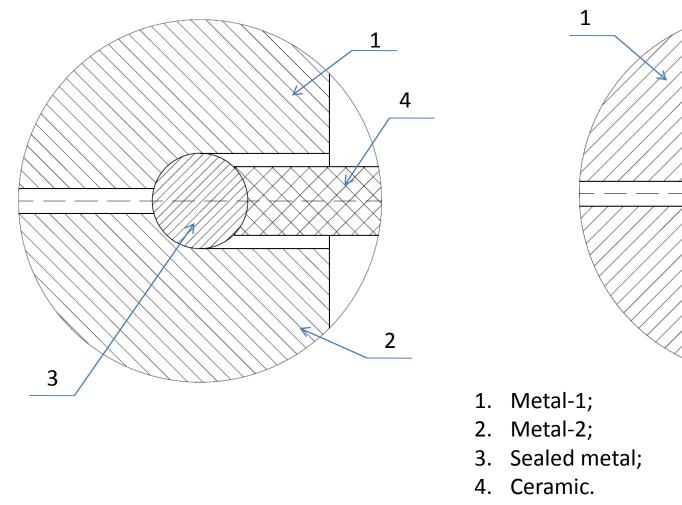


- 1. Metal 1;
- 2. Metal-2;
- 3. Helicoflex;
- 4. Metal seal;
- 5. Ceramic.



Helicoflex-dictung

Sealing Ceramic to Metals with Metals



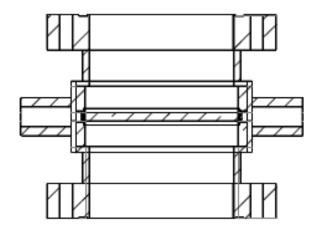
Metals – Aluminum, Indium, Indium and SS combination, Aluminum and SS combination, Copper, Coper and SS combination, etc.

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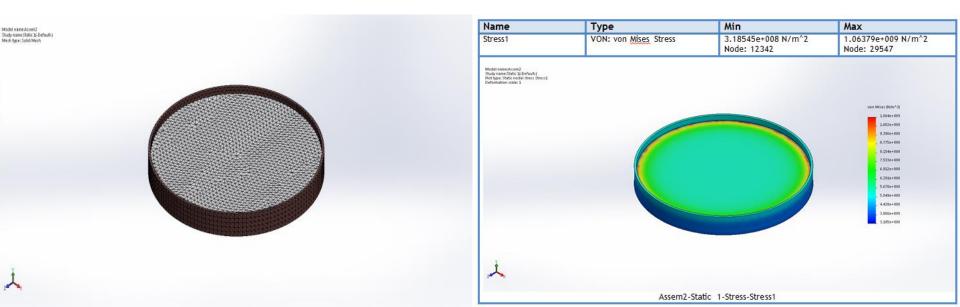
5.2. RF Windows - Brazing

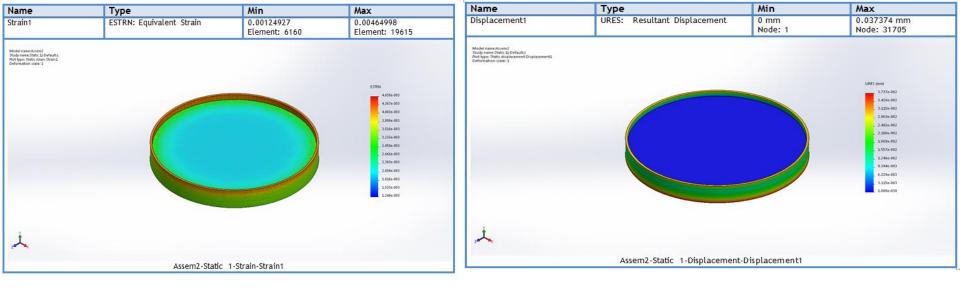




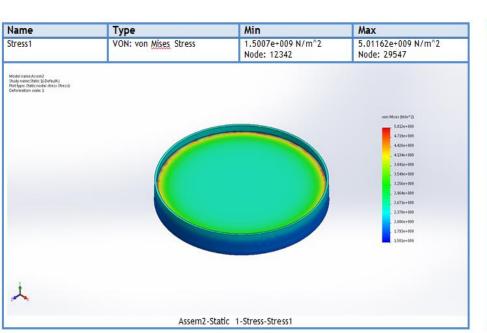
Cearmic/Copper joint

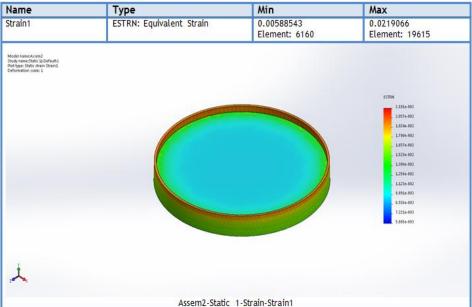
200 C

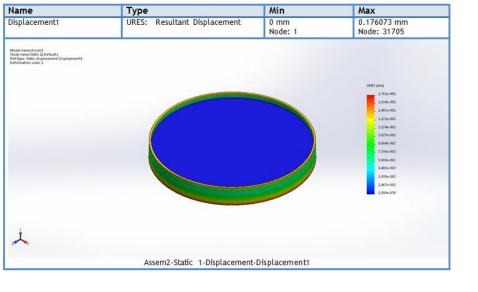




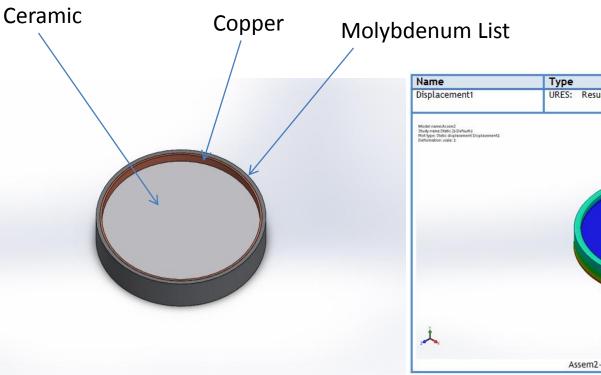
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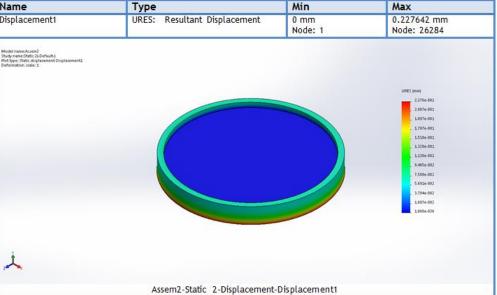


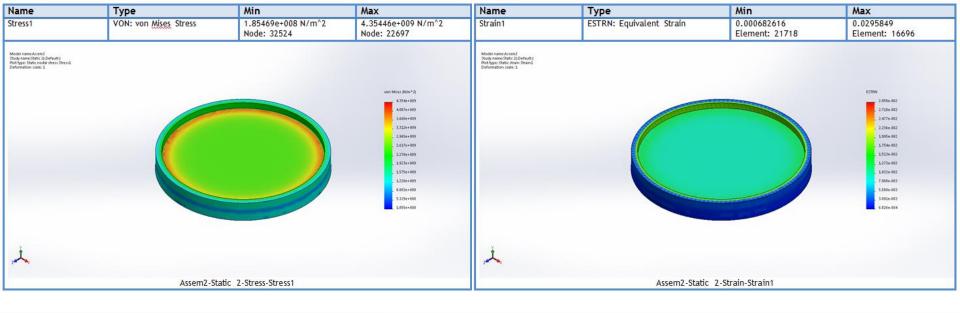




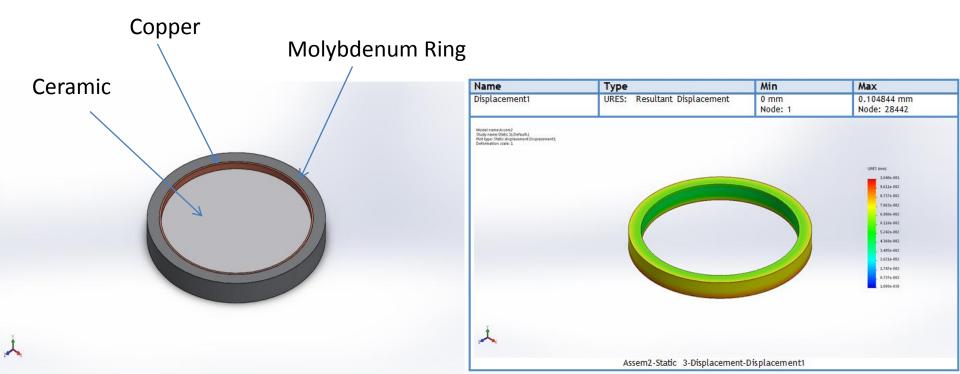
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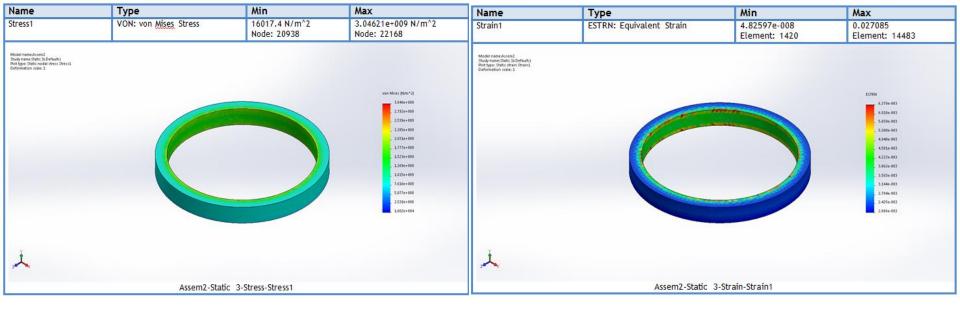


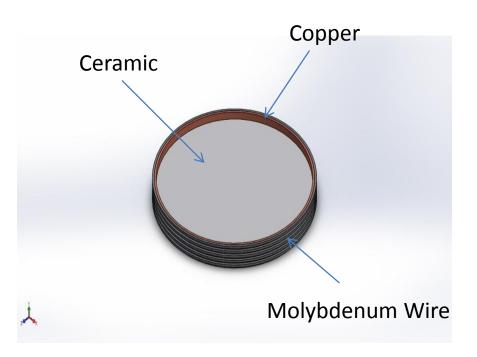




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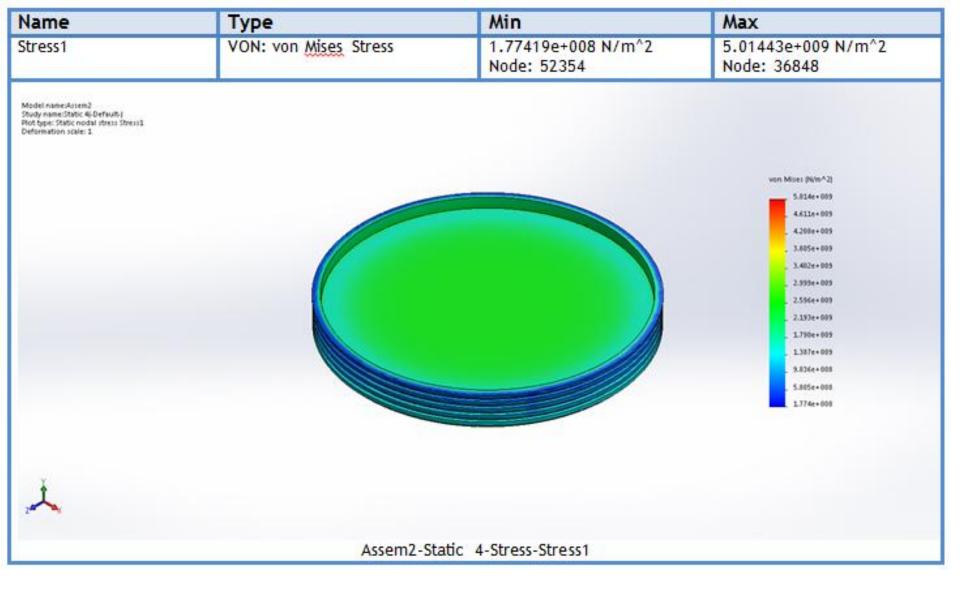


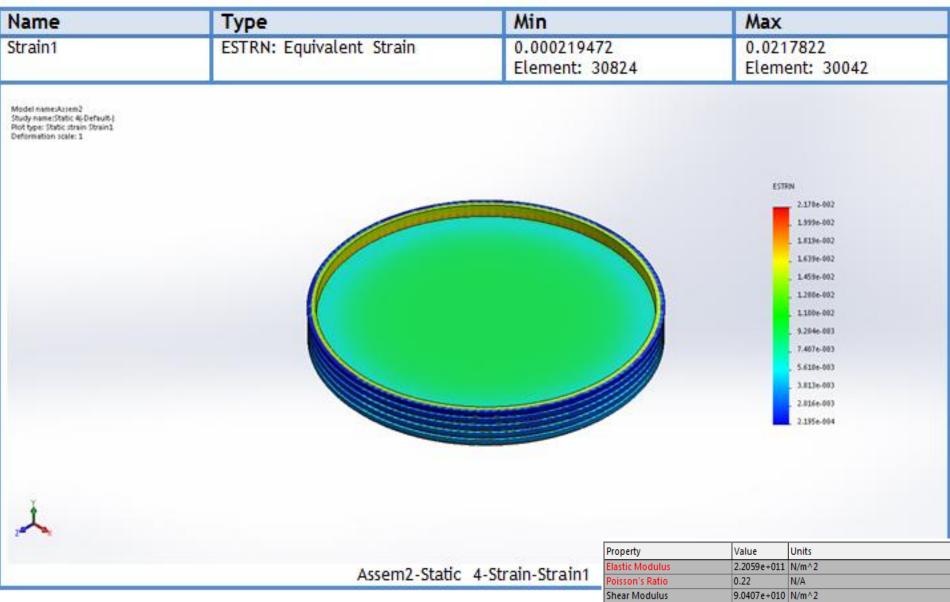


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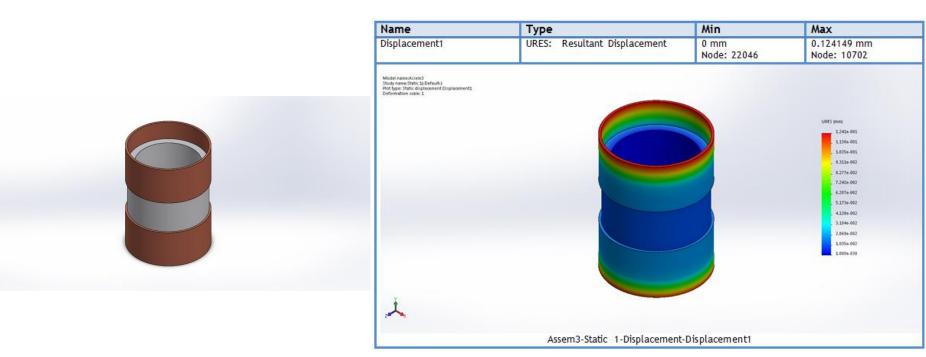
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Displacement1	URES: Resultant Displacement	0 mm Node: 49	0.218824 mm Node: 39858
Model name:Accen2 Study name:Static 4(-Default-) Riot type: Static displacement1 Deformation scale: 1			
			URES (mm) 2.188e-001
			2.006+.001
			1.641+-001
			1.4598-001
			12764-001
			1.0946-001
			9.118+-002
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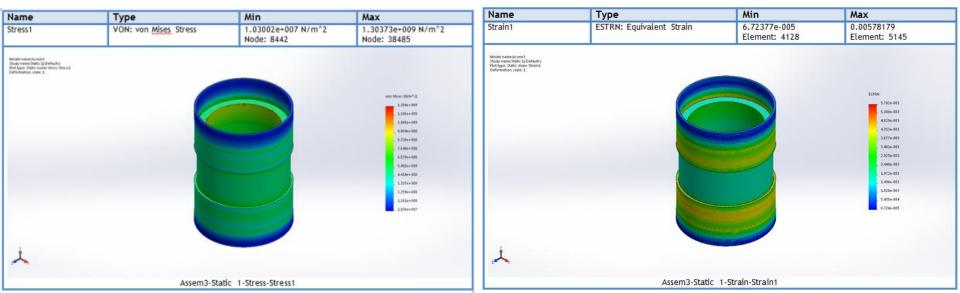




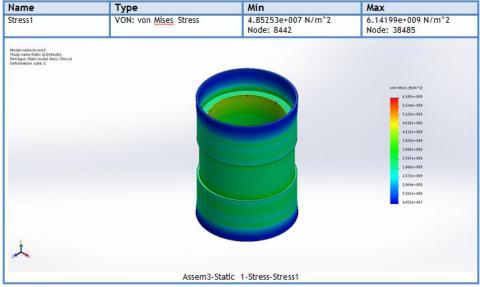
	Property	value	Units
1	Elastic Modulus	2.2059e+011	N/m^2
_	Poisson's Ratio	0.22	N/A
	Shear Modulus	9.0407e+010	N/m^2
	Mass Density	2300	kg/m^3
	Tensile Strength	172340000	N/m^2
	Compressive Strength	551490000	N/m^2
	Yield Strength		N/m^2
	Thermal Expansion Coefficient	1.08e-005	/K
	Thermal Conductivity	1.4949	W/(m·K)
	Specific Heat	877.96	J/(kg·K)
	Material Damping Ratio		N/A

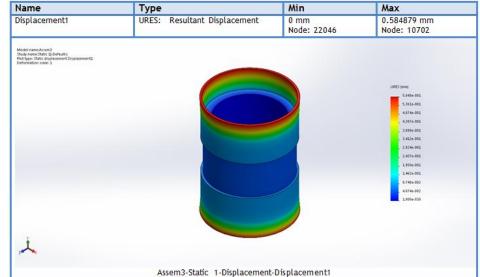


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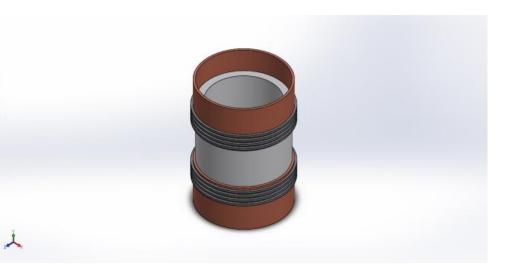
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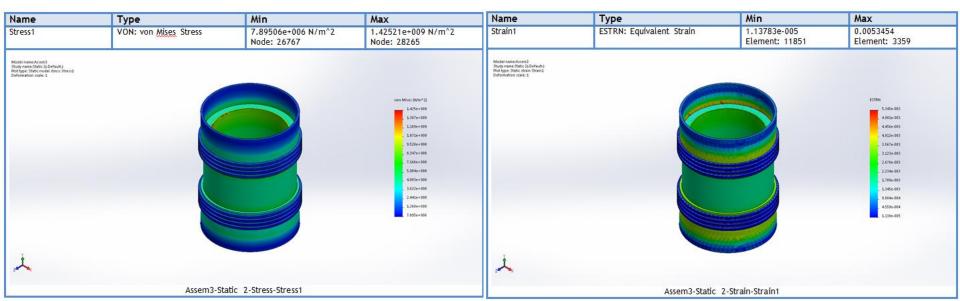


Name	Туре	Min	Max
Strain1	ESTRN: Equivalent Strain	0.000316764 Element: 4128	0.0272386 Element: 5145
Model matericizen3 Model matericizen3 Rot byes Static chain Stain2 Defermation scale: 1			ESTRN 2.7266-002 2.2556-002 2.2558-002 2.2558-002 1.5556-002 1.5556-002 1.5556-002 1.5556-002 1.5556-002 1.5556-003 1.5566-003 3.1568-004
~	Assem3-Static	1-Strain-Strain1	

200 °C



Displacement1 URES: Resultant Displacement 0 mm Node: 27826 0.124158 mm Node: 11718	Name	Туре	Min	Max
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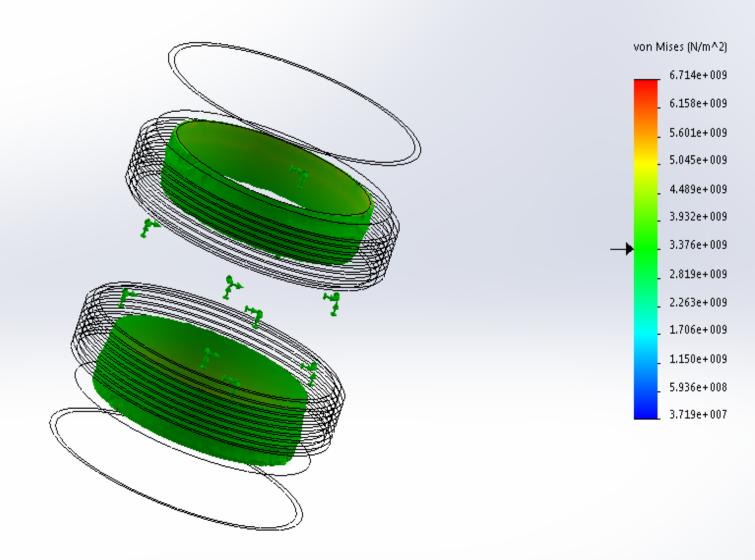


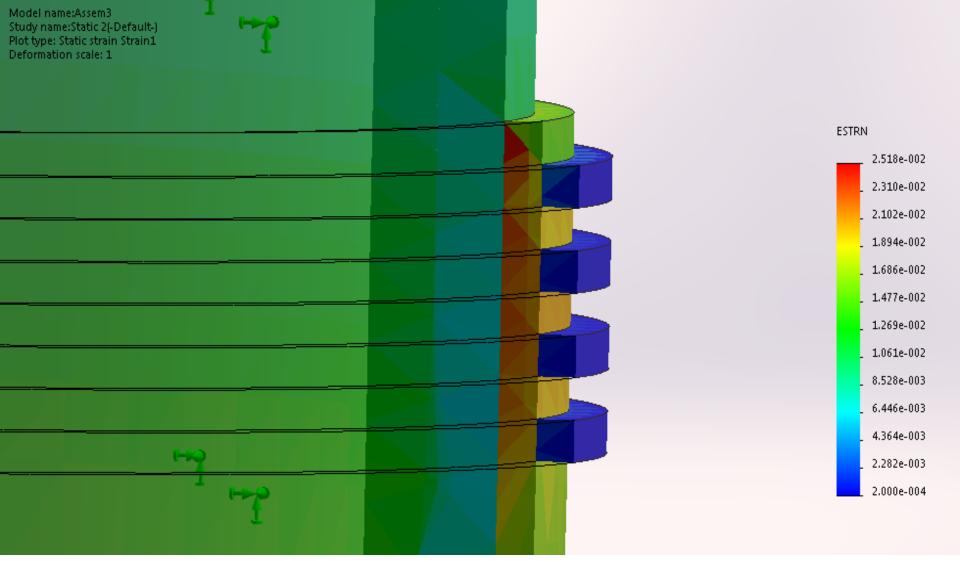
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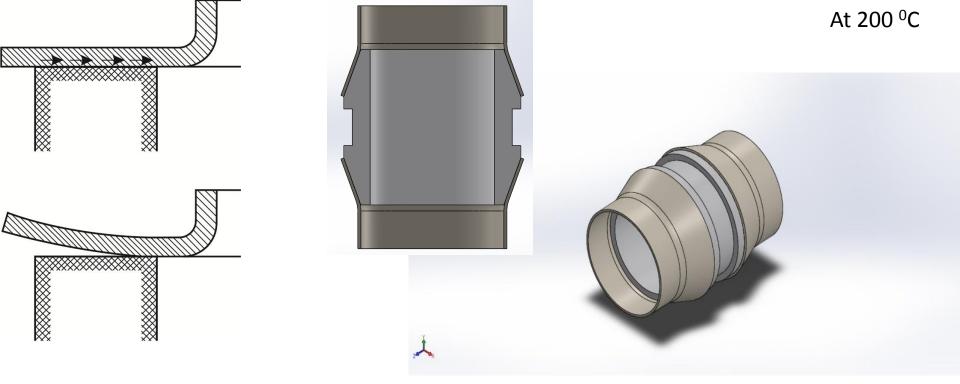
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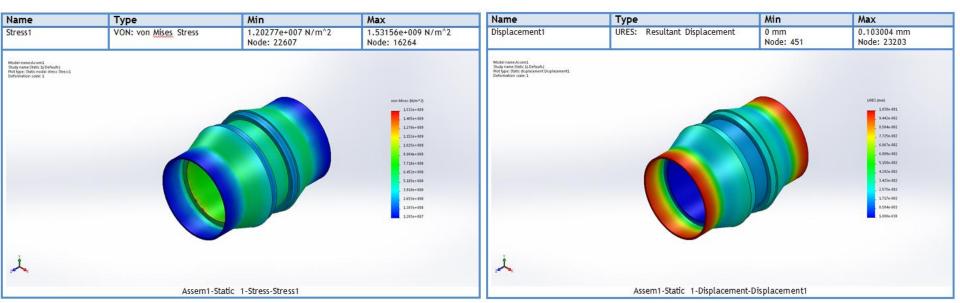
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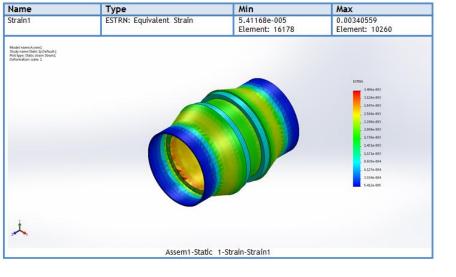
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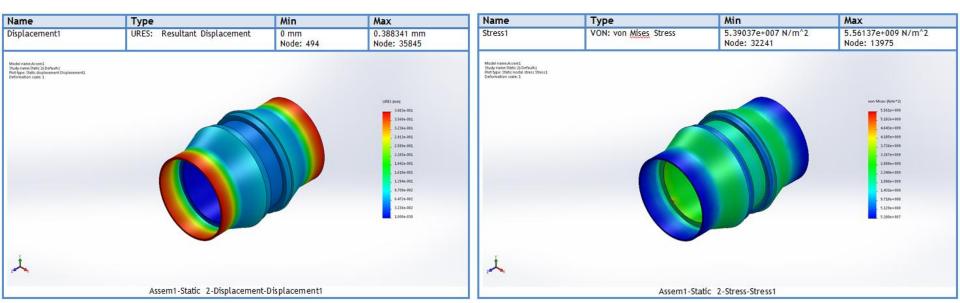


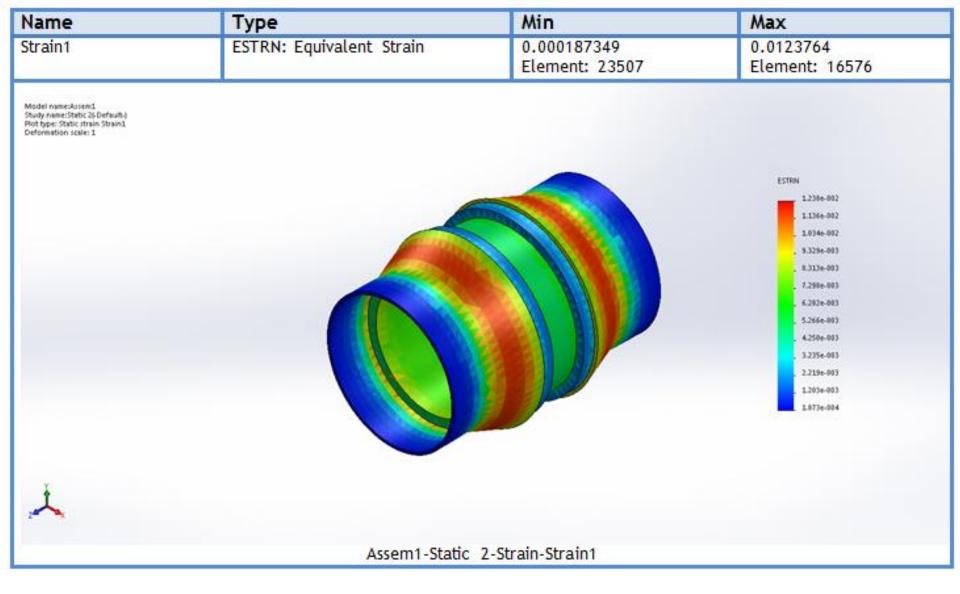


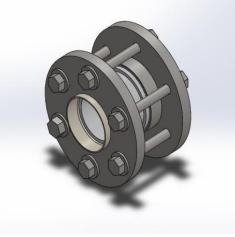




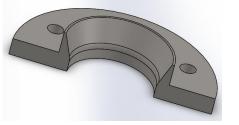
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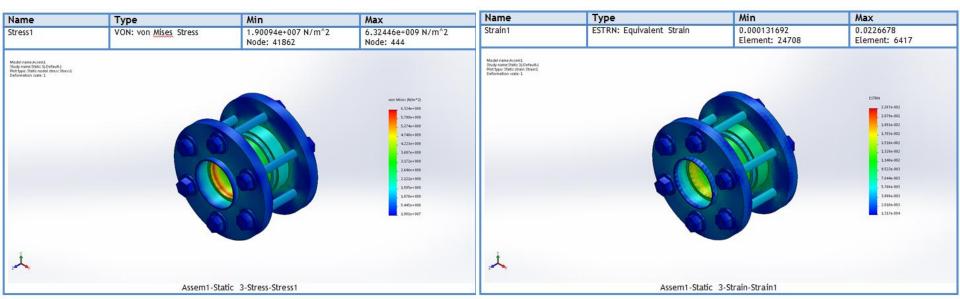




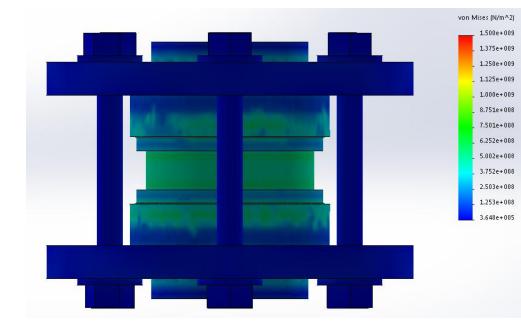
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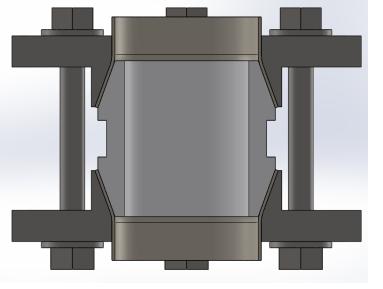


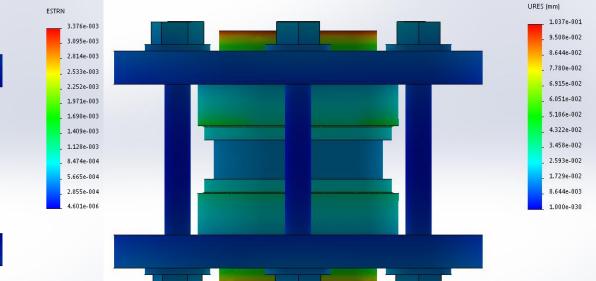
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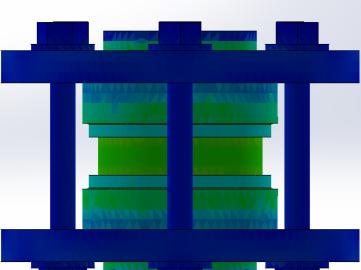


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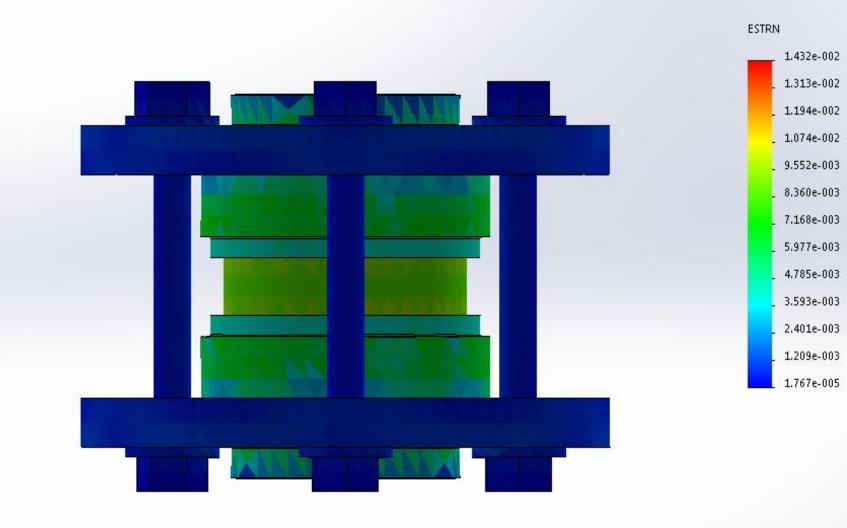






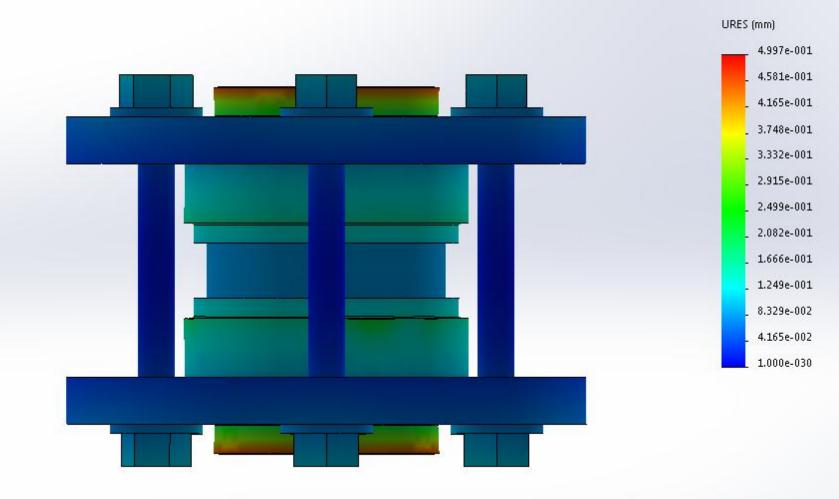
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Model name:Assem1 Study name:Static 1[-Default-) Plot type: Static nodal stress Stress1 Deformation scale: 1 von Mises (N/m^2) 5.678e+009 5.205e+009 4.733e+009 4.260e+009 3.788e+009 3.315e+009 2.843e+009 2.370e+009 1.898e+009 1.425e+009 9.526e+008 4.801e+008 7.571e+006 Model name:Assem1 Study name:Static 1(-Default-) Plot type: Static strain Strain1 Deformation scale: 1





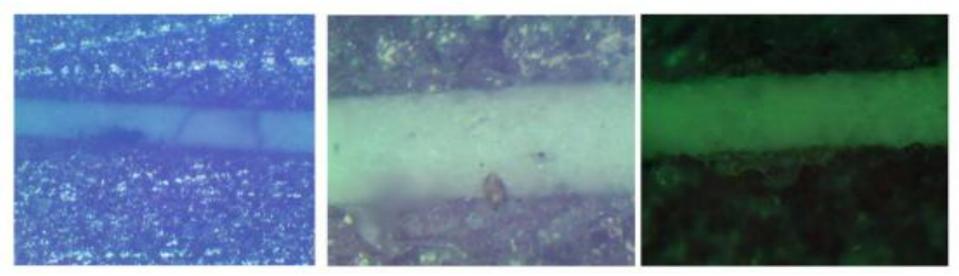
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4.4. Metal-ceramic bonding based on silicate adhesive.

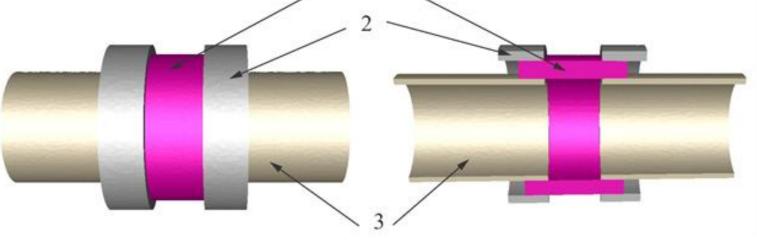
Disadvantages -Low mechanical strength, -Low working temperature, -Short lifetime,

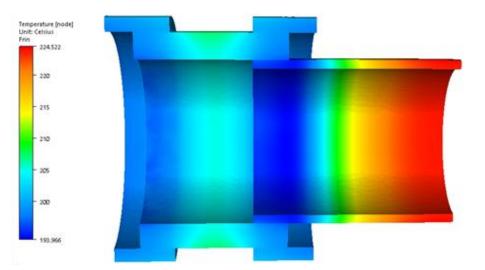


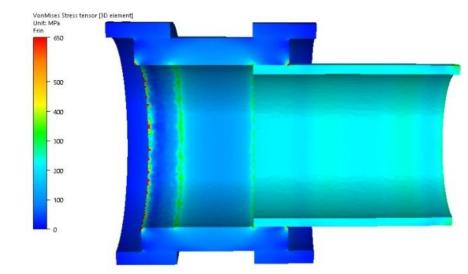


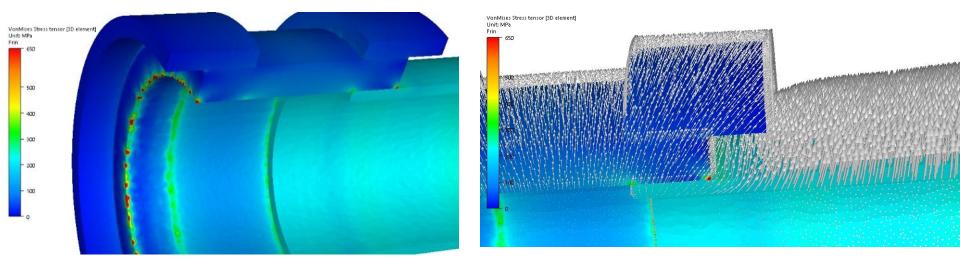
Optimal Bakeout Temperature simulation.

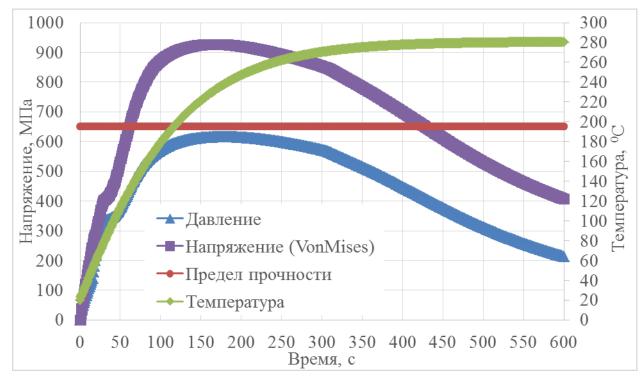
- 1. Ceramic,
- 2. Kovar,
- 3. Stainless steel.



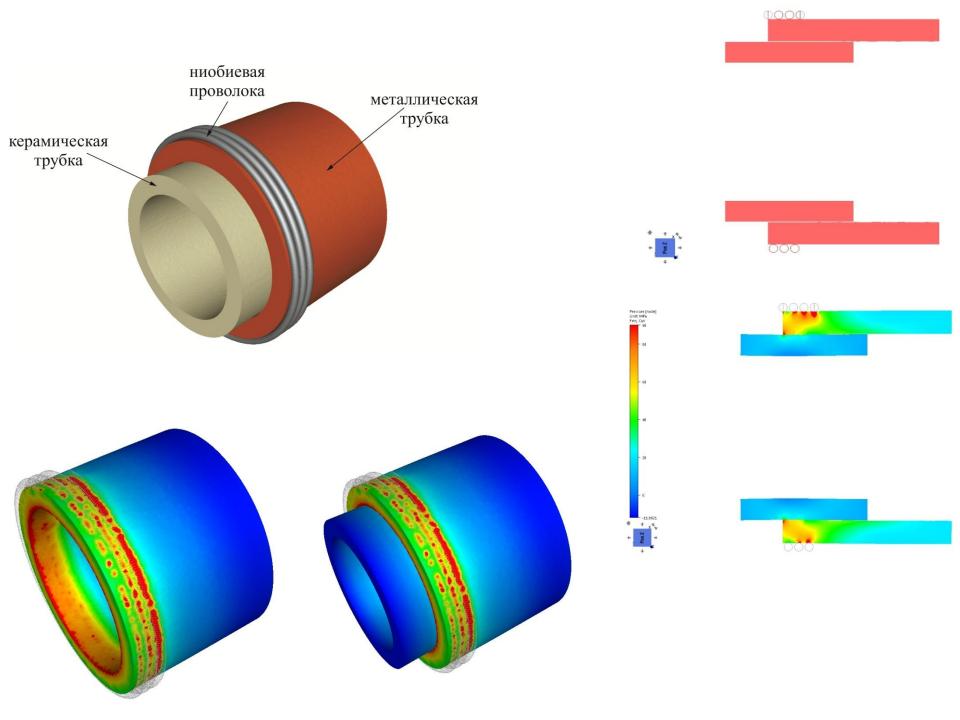


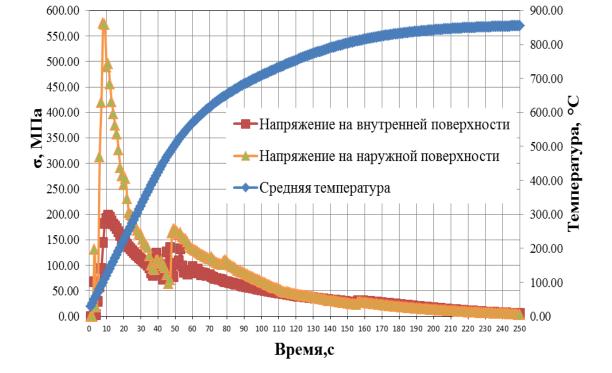


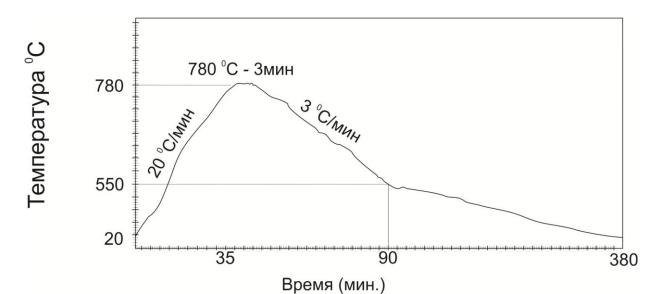




Bakeout temperature - 134 ^oC

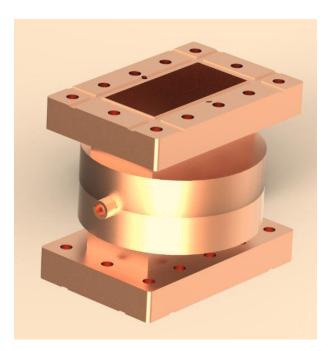


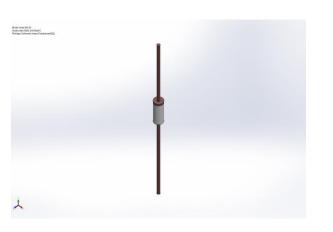


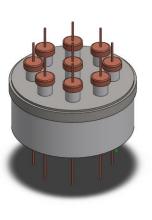


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- 1. Insulators,
- 2. Feedthroughs,
- 3. Chambers,
- 4. Kicker magnet chamber,
- 5. Beam line windows,
- 6. RF windows,







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Conclusions

- Materials and existing technologies for vacuum tight metal/ceramic junctions were reviewed,
- Materials for vacuum tight ceramic joints were selected,
- Alumina ceramics were metallized,
- Alumina ceramic with stainless steel and copper were brazed,
- New brazing methods for vacuum tight ceramic/metal joints were developed,
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