

# Update from the US-MDP Modeling Working Group

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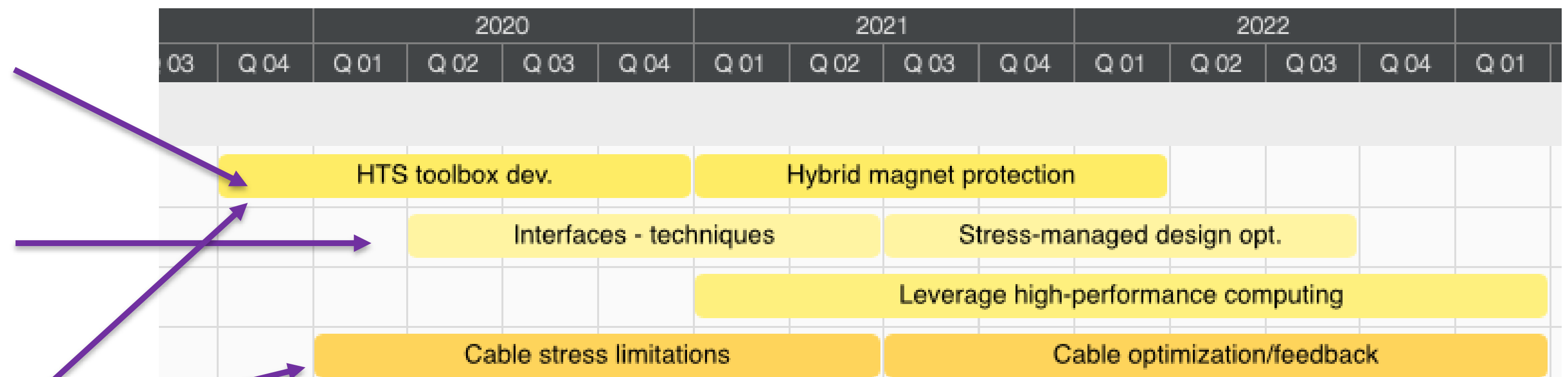


# Key Questions to Answer in the MDP Modeling Roadmap

How do we best protect LTS/HTS hybrid magnets and interpret results?

How does interface behavior in stress managed designs impact training?

Can we better understand and improve LTS/HTS conductor and cable?



# Connection to MDP Goals and Roadmaps

## Interface Modeling

- explores performance limits of Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn and HTS in stress managed designs
- guides technology development in epoxies and impregnation techniques

## Hybrid Magnet Design and Quench Protection

- new LTS/HTS roadmaps quickly converge with hybrid testing becoming a key priority for MDP

## LTS/HTS Conductor and Cable Modeling

- guides the design of new Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn strand for training reduction (high Cp)
- refines strain limits of Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn and HTS magnets
- optimization of LTS/HTS cable for accelerator applications

### US Magnet Development Program (MDP) Goals:

#### GOAL 1:

Explore the performance limits of Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn accelerator magnets with a focus on minimizing the required operating margin and significantly reducing or eliminating training.

#### GOAL 2:

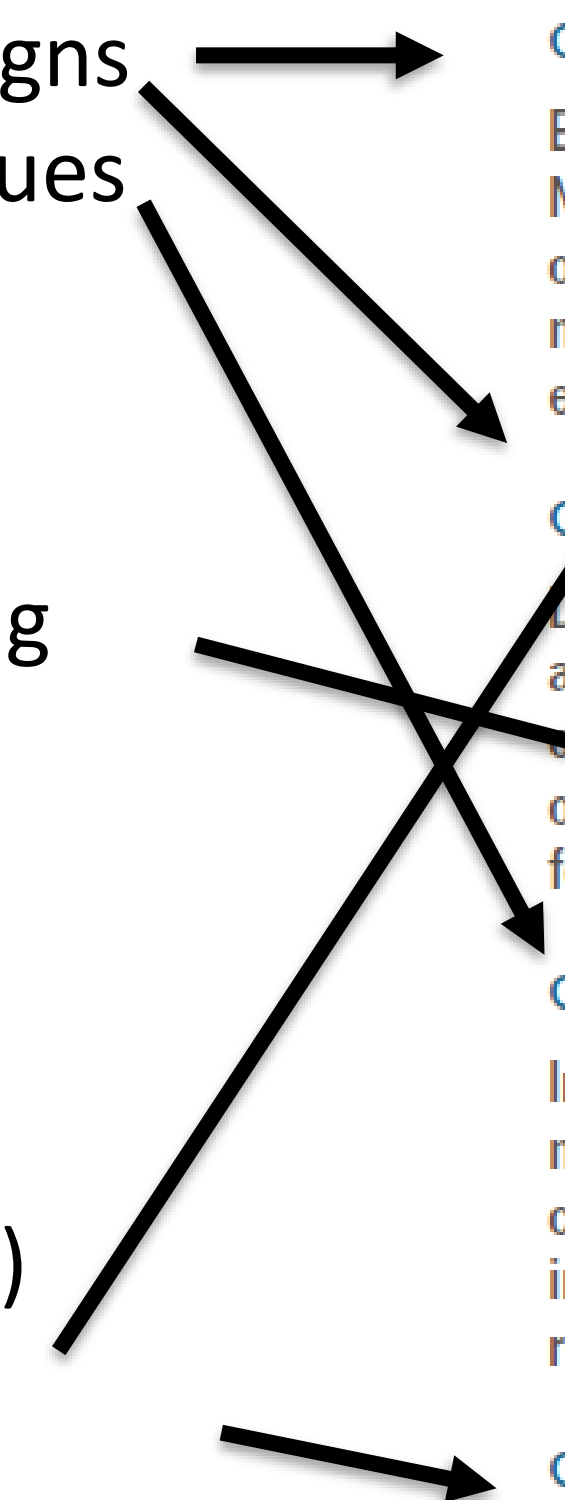
Develop and demonstrate an HTS accelerator magnet with a self-field of 5 T or greater compatible with operation in a hybrid LTS/HTS magnet for fields beyond 16 T.

#### GOAL 3:

Investigate fundamental aspects of magnet design and technology that can lead to substantial performance improvements and magnet cost reduction.

#### GOAL 4:

Pursue Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn and HTS conductor R&D with clear targets to increase performance and reduce the cost of accelerator magnets.



# We now have a dedicated, open, monthly meeting of the modeling working group

## Goals/Purpose:

- (1) detailed discussion of modeling techniques (opportunity to go “into the weeds” and learn from each other)
- (2) coordinating and working together towards MDP roadmap milestones
- (3) form the basis of future updates to the general MDP (in summary / conclusions)

## April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020 (kickoff)

- discussion of working group goals and purpose/format for future meetings
- selection of initial topics for upcoming meetings

We plan to announce meeting topics ahead of time so anyone interested from MDP can join – email [lnbrouwer@lbl.gov](mailto:lnbrouwer@lbl.gov) to be placed on mailing list

# Topics for the next several months are set

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## May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (multi-scale modeling of conductor and strain limits – 1)

- Diego Arbelaez, “multi-scale modeling of conductor and magnets”
- Giorgio Vallone, “a methodology to compute the critical current limit in Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn magnets”

## June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (multi-scale modeling of conductor and strain limits – 2)

- Emanuela Barzi, “overview of sub-modelling at FNAL and in the broader community”

## July 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020 (review of multi-physics tools for quench protection studies)

- TBD: (pos. Dan Davis and/or Vittorio Marinozzi), “overview of STEAM/LEDET for quench protection”
- Lucas Brouwer, “ANSYS user elements for hybrid magnet protection studies”

Future topics: advanced techniques for interface modeling, simulation tools for HTS, current sharing in HTS cables, .....

# Summary

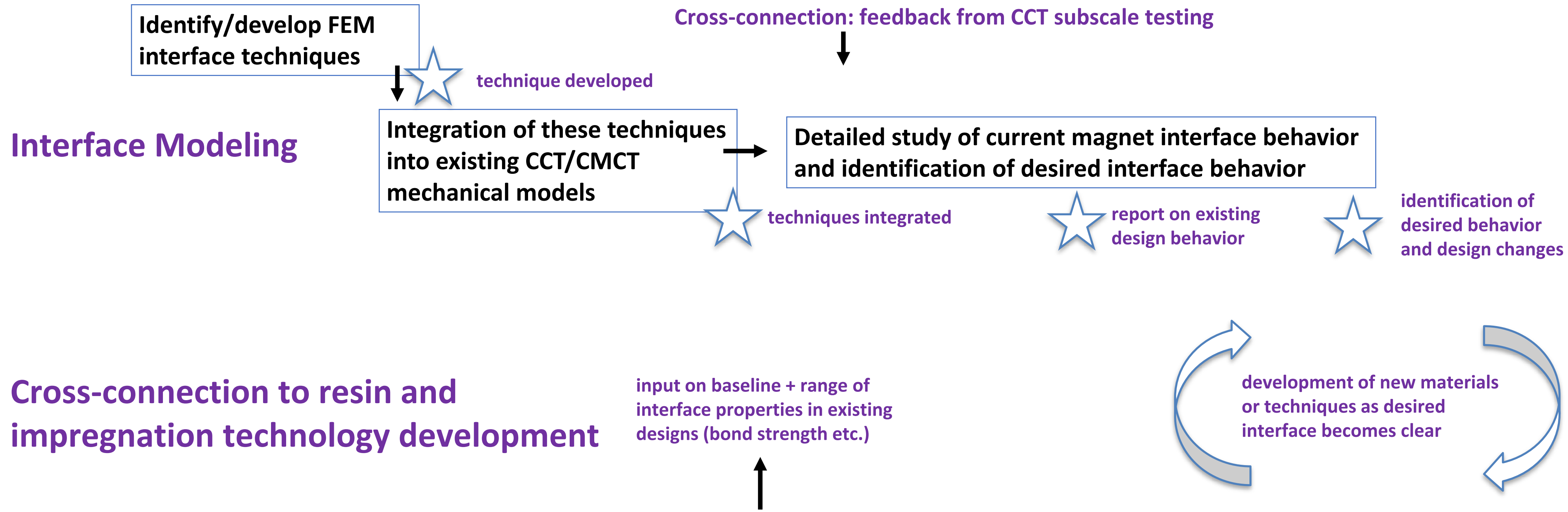
- MDP modeling effort supports general R&D roadmap: interfaces in stress managed coils, conductor development, magnet protection for hybrids, + more .....
- a standing monthly meeting is established for review of existing work and development of new modeling techniques relevant to the MDP program plan
- meetings are open with upcoming topics advertised to the larger MDP group

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# Interface Modeling Roadmap Elements and Milestones

2020				2021			
Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4

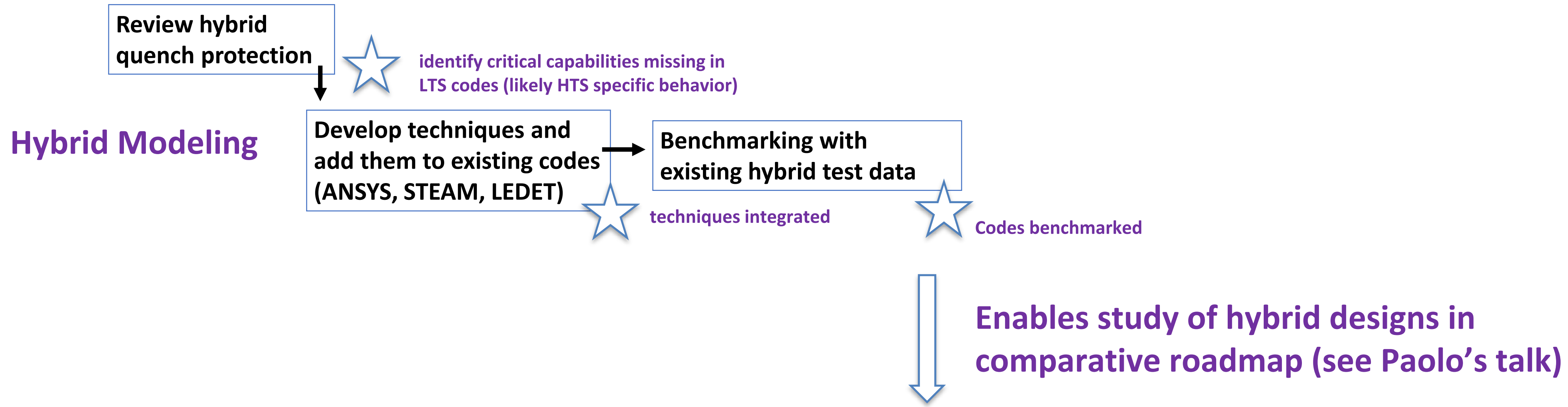


Novel impregnation techniques														
	Resin optimization for magnets													



# Hybrid Modeling Roadmap Elements and Milestones

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Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4



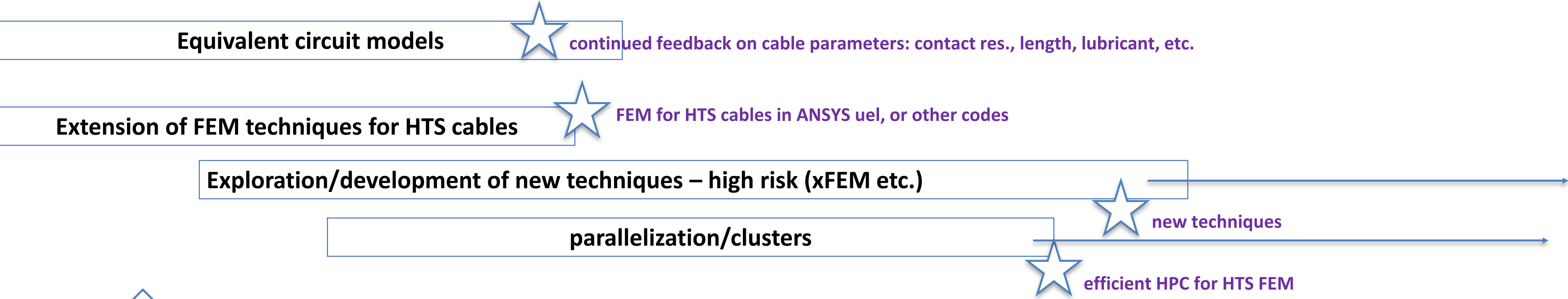
**U.S. MAGNET DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM** Hybrid program and goals of the design studies (II)

- Hybrid program
  - “Medium term” (~2022-2024)
    - CCT6 and/or SMCT
      - 11-12 T in 120 mm aperture
    - CCT Bi2212 and/or SMCT Bi2212 and/or CCT REBCO and/or COMB REBCO
      - Towards 5 T field level
  - Target hybrid field: towards 14-15 T
- Goals of the design studies
  - Evaluate different designs (both LTS and HTS)
  - Investigate alternatives (common-coil and blocks)
  - Perform a comparative analysis in view of a 20 T hybrid magnet, considering both modelling and experimental results
    - Margin, mechanics, field quality, quench protection strategies, fabrication-assembly-loading, performance of previous models, scalability, cost.....
    - Basically, help converging on all the and/or
  - Continue the analysis of challenges specifically of hybrid magnets

# Conductor Modeling Roadmap Elements and Milestones

HTS

2020				2021			
Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4



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**Feedback/ benchmarking from  
controlled experiments**

