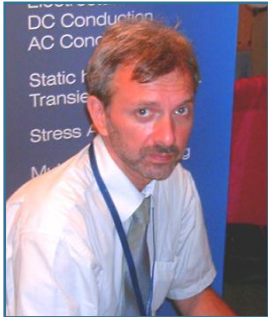




# Transformers modeling in QuickField



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# QuickField Analysis Options

## Magnetic Suite

AC Magnetics

Transient + DC Magnetics

DC Magnetics

## Electric Suite

AC conduction + Electrostatics & DC conduction

Transient Electric + Electrostatics & DC conduction

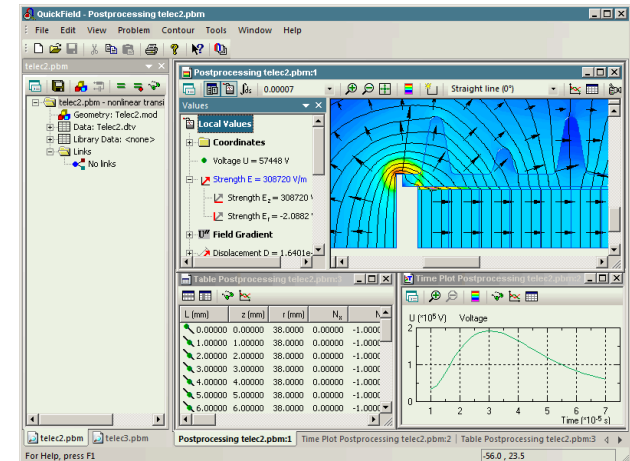
Electrostatics & DC conduction

## Thermostructural

Stress Analysis

Transient Heat transfer

Steady State Heat transfer

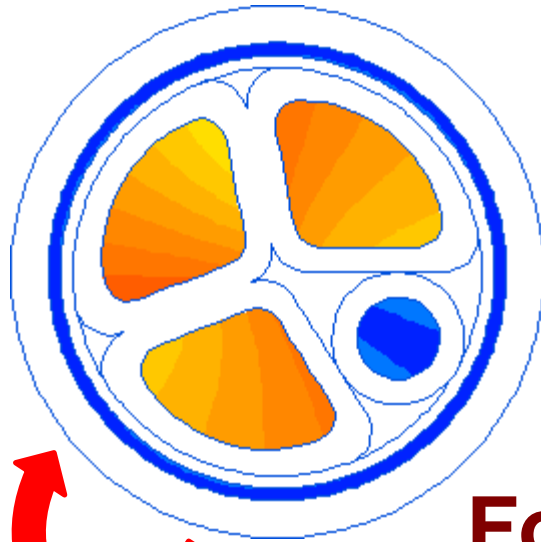
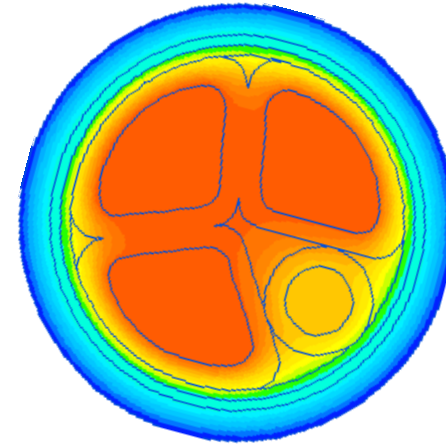




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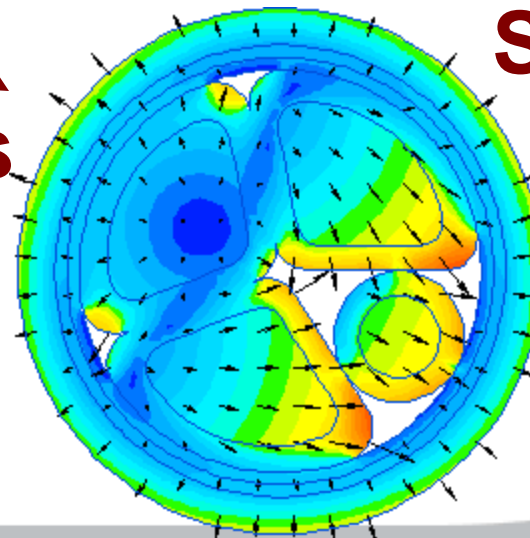
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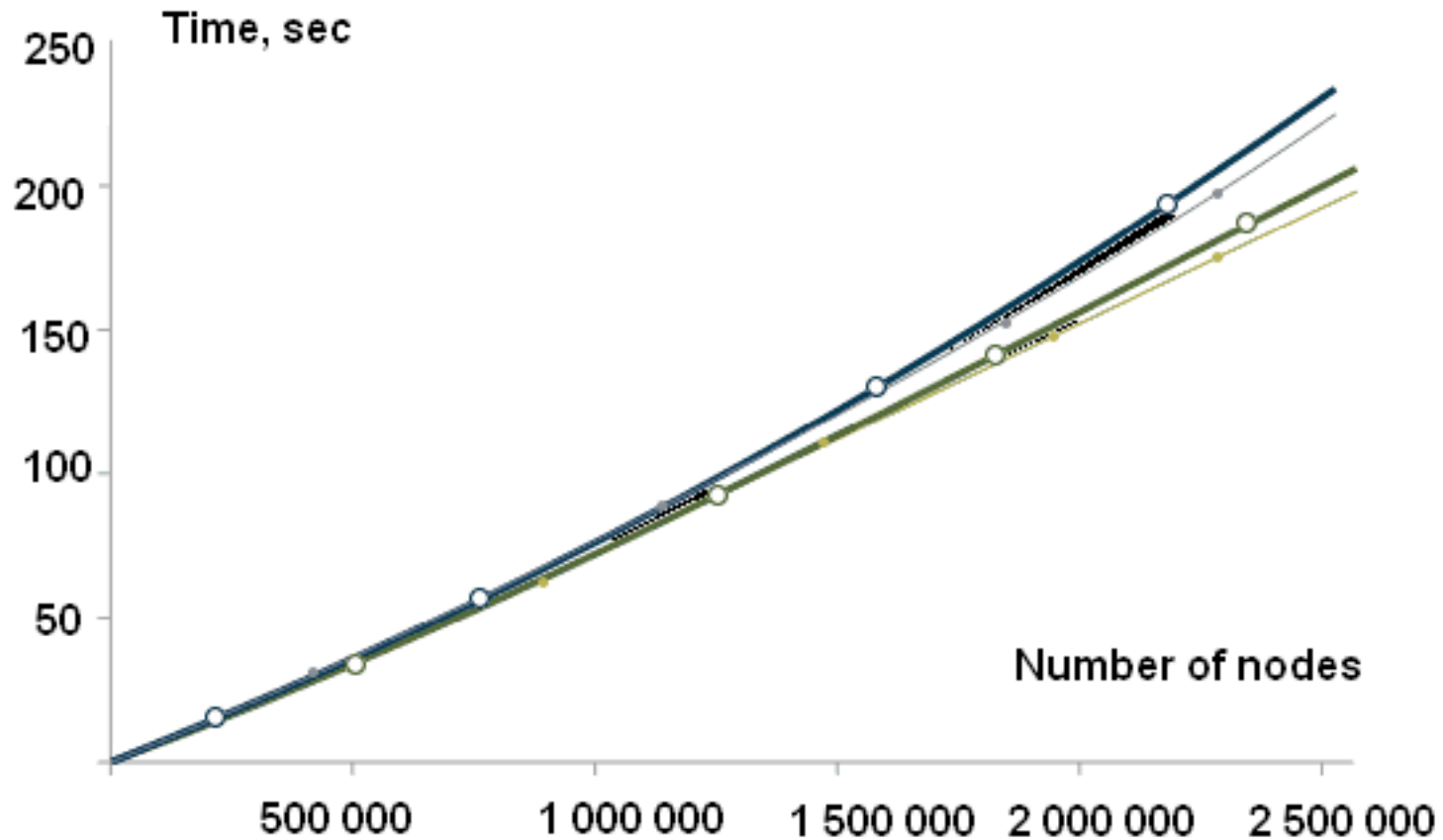
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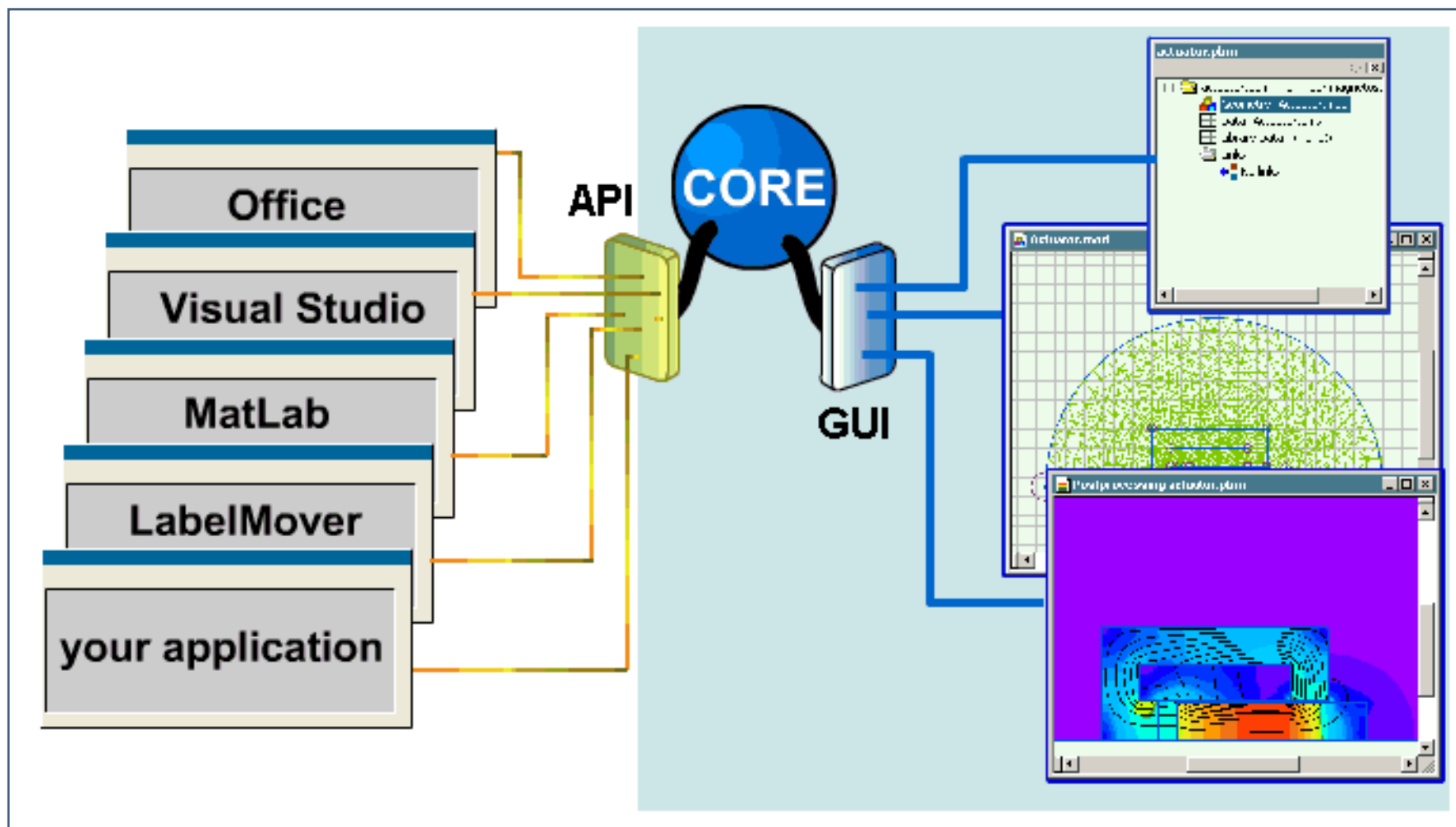
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# Open object interface





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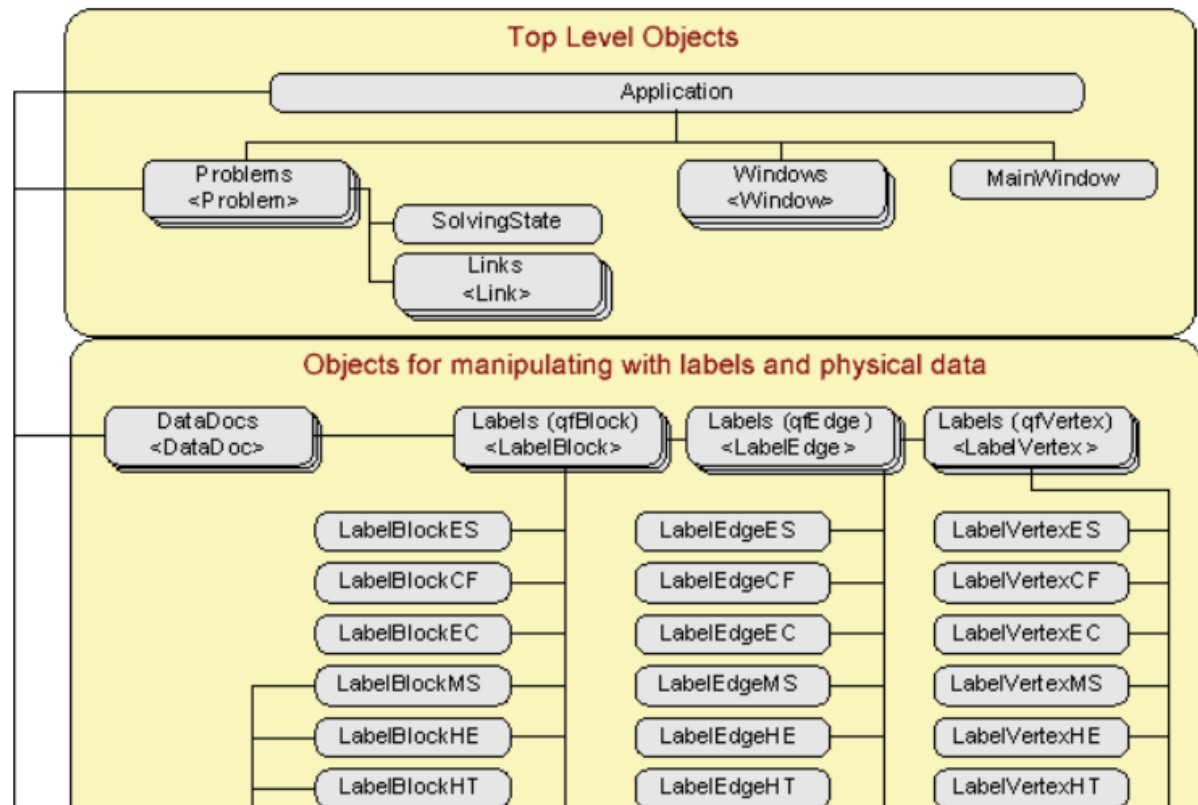
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## QuickField Object Model



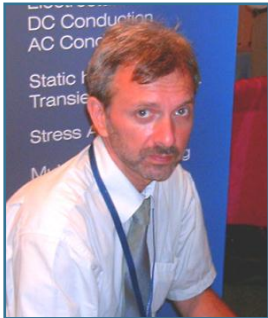


# QuickField Difference





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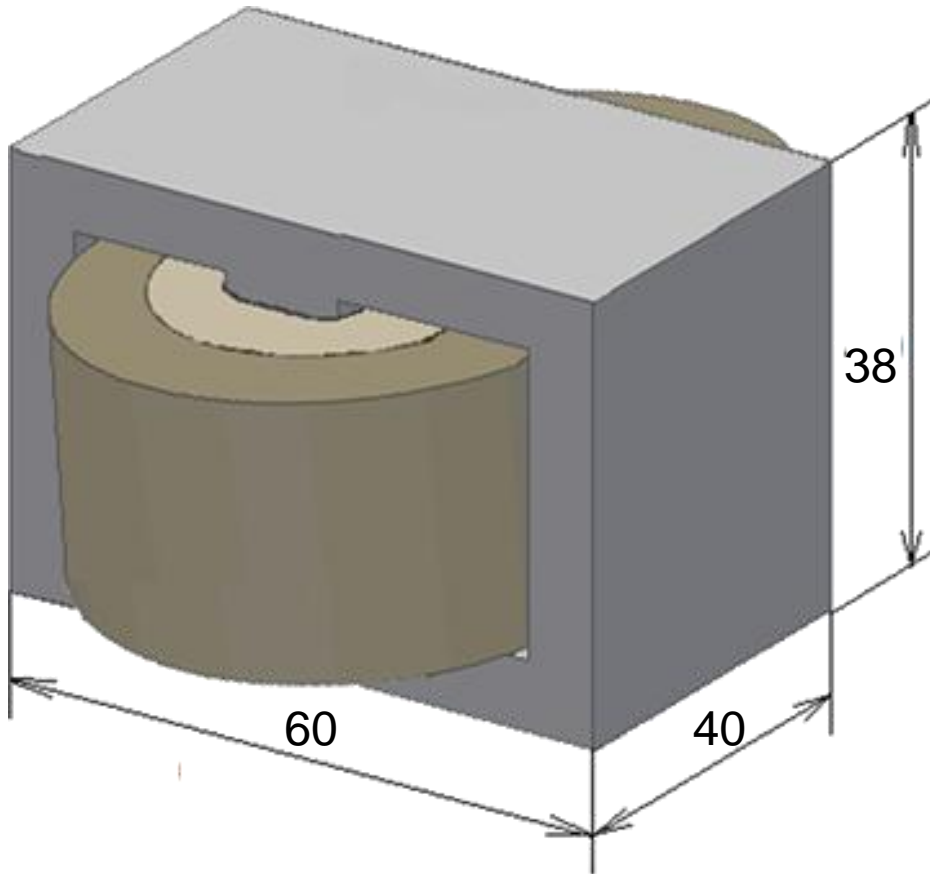


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# Single phase transformer



Dimensions are given in mm

## Given:

Voltage (RMS)  $U_1 = 36$  V,  
Frequency  $f = 50$  Hz,  
Core permeability  $\mu = 1000$ ,  
Windings (copper) conductivity  
 $\sigma = 56e6$  Sm/m.

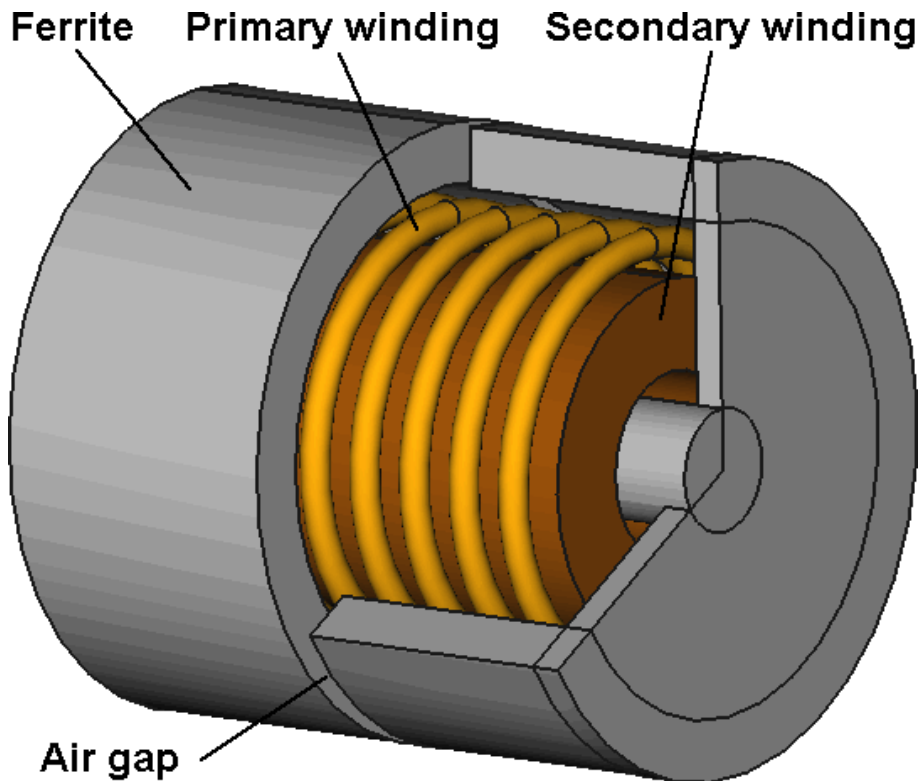
Windings turns:  
 $N_1 = 640$ ,  $N_2 = 168$ .

## Calculate:

No-load current  $I_0$   
Secondary voltage  $U_2$   
Magnetic flux density  $B_0$   
Short circuit current  $I_{SC}$



# Flyback (pulse) transformer

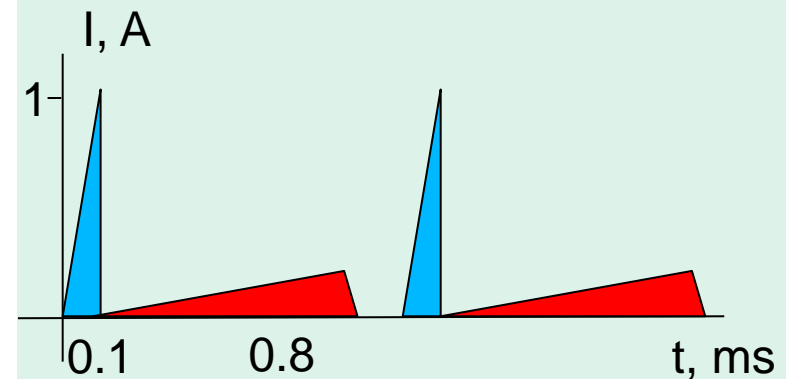


## Given :

Winding turns

$$N_1 = 13, N_2 = 200$$

Currents of windings are given

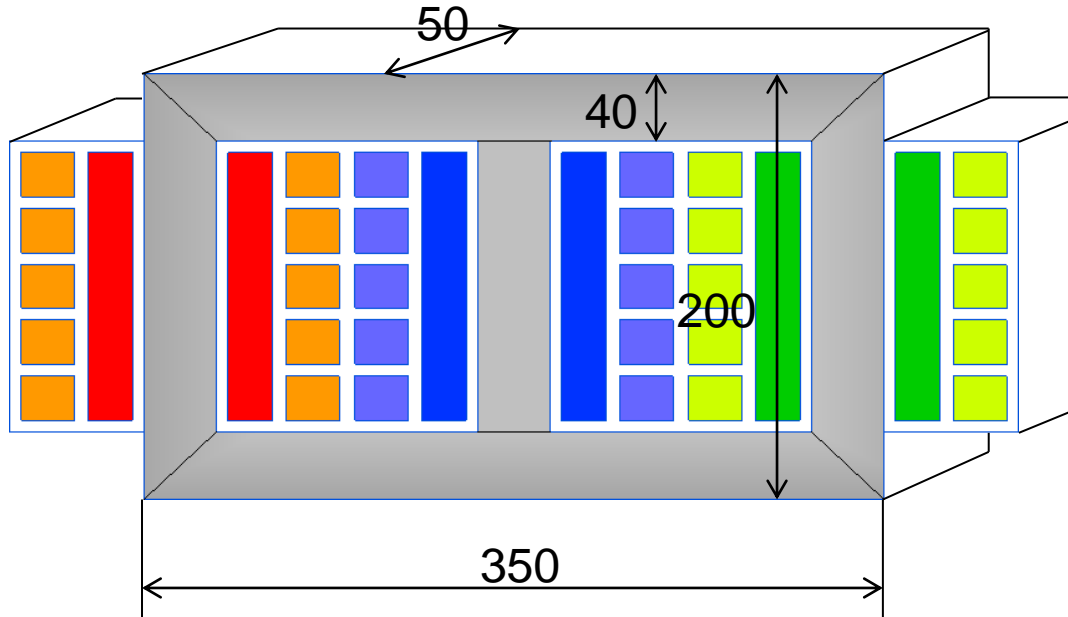


## Calculate:

Magnetic flux density  
outside the transformer.



# Three phase transformer



## Given:

Phase voltage  $U = 220 \text{ V}$ ,  
Frequency  $f = 50 \text{ Hz}$ ,

Load:

$$R(A) = 4 \Omega,$$

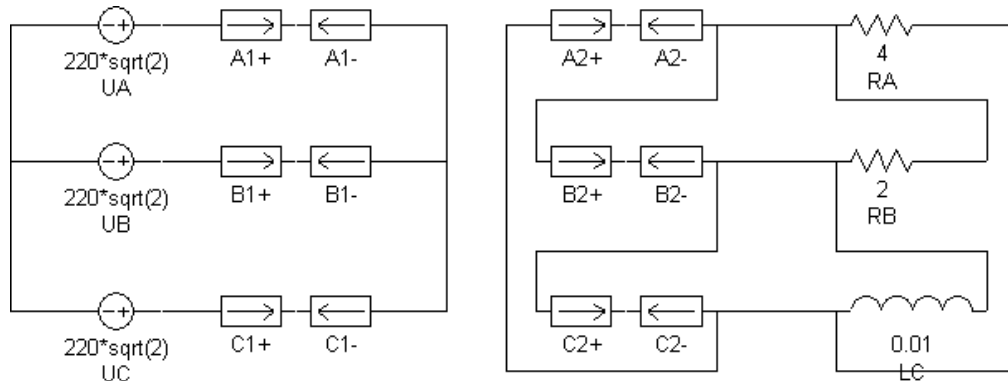
$$R(B) = 2 \Omega,$$

$$L(C) = 0.01 \text{ H (} 3.1 \Omega \text{)}.$$

Windings turns (Y/ $\Delta$ ):

$$N_1 = 2560, N_{LV} = 150$$

Dimensions are given in mm

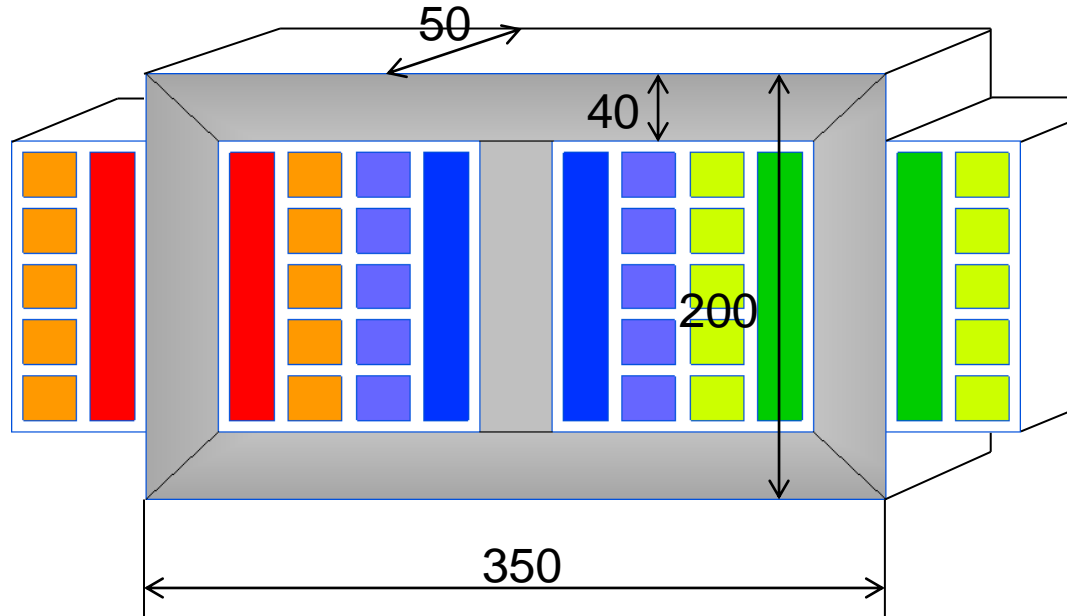


## Calculate:

Phase currents  $I$ .



# Transformer heating



Dimensions are given in mm

Winding (electric) losses density

$$\rho_{electric} = j^2 / g \quad [\text{W/m}^3]$$

$j$  – current density,  $g$  – electrical conductivity.

Core (magnetic) losses density

$$\rho_m = C_m * (f/50)^\alpha * (B/1.5)^\beta * \rho \quad [\text{W/m}^3],$$

$\alpha = 1, \beta = 2, C_m = 1.5 \text{ [W/kg]}, \rho = 7650 \text{ [kg/m}^3]$

## Given:

Thermal conductivity:

copper  $\lambda = 380 \text{ W/K*m}$ ,

steel  $\lambda = 40 \text{ W/K*m}$ ,

Insulation  $\lambda = 0.5 \text{ W/K*m}$ ,

Convection coefficient  
 $\alpha = 12 \text{ W/K*m}^2$

Radiation coefficient  $\beta = 0.9$

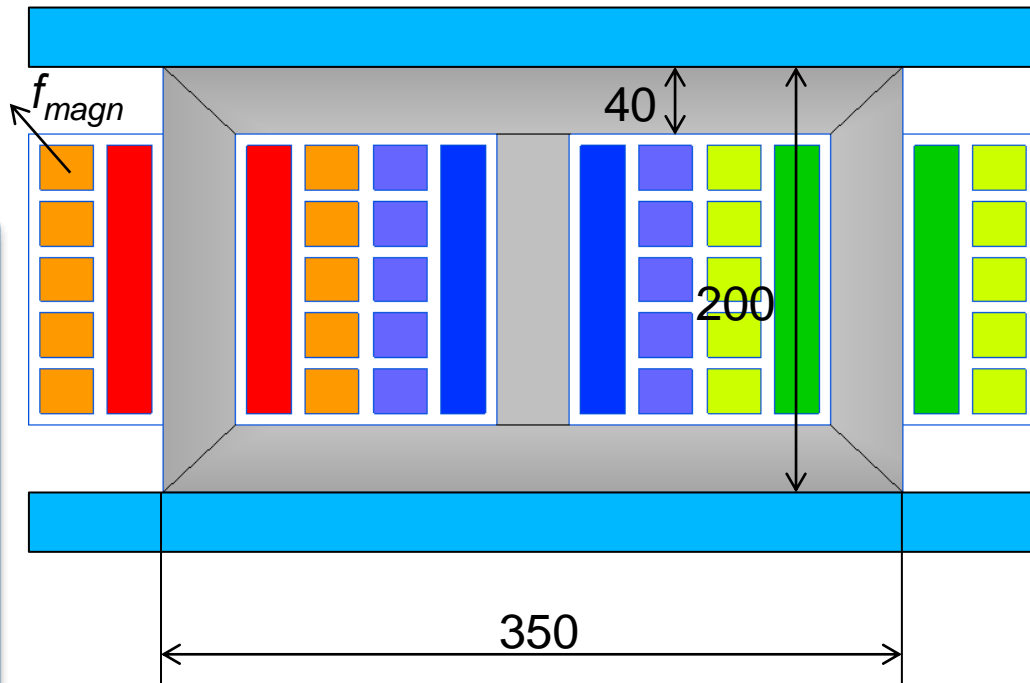
Temperature  $T_0 = 20^\circ \text{ C}$

## Calculate:

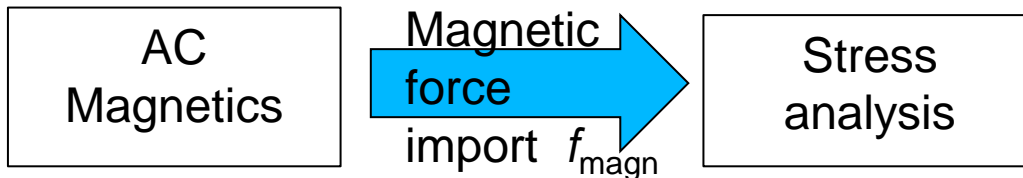
Windings temperature



# Mechanical stress



Dimensions are given in mm



## Given:

Young modulus of steel

$$E = 20 \text{ GPa}, \nu = 0.33.$$

Young modulus of copper

$$E = 17 \text{ GPa}, \nu = 0.33.$$

Young modulus of insulation

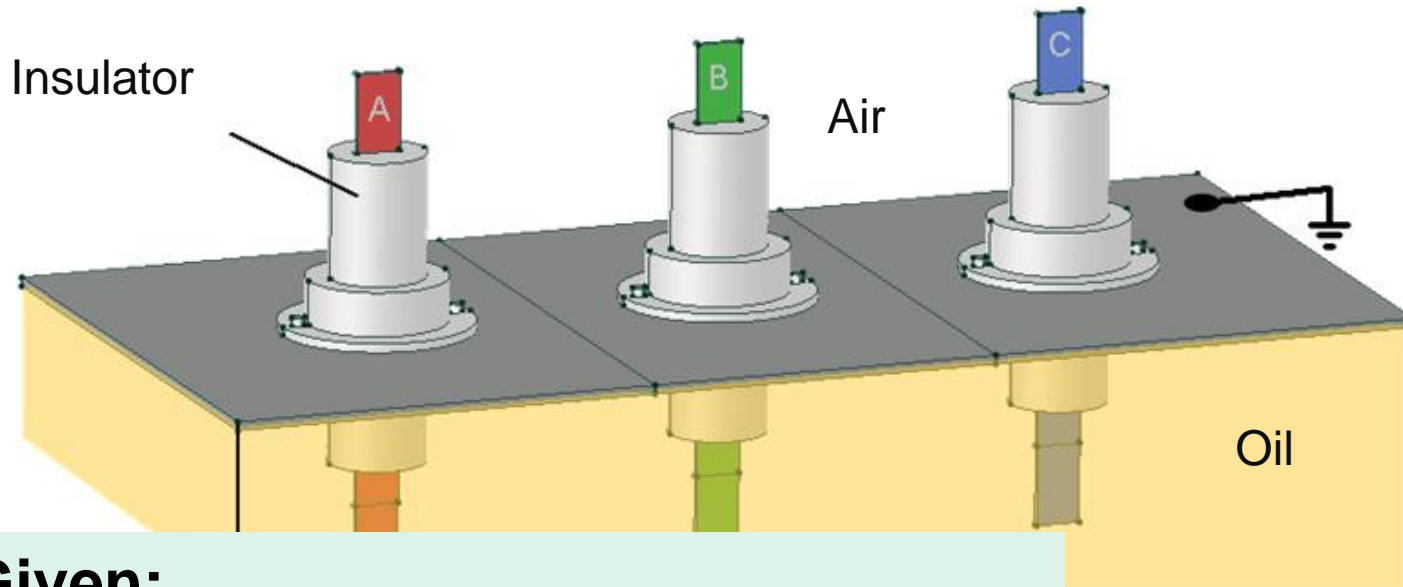
$$E = 3 \text{ GPa}, \nu = 0.45.$$

## Calculate:

Windings deformation and mechanical stress in the core.



# Transformer tank 3-phase bushing insulator



## Given:

$$U_A = 10000 \sqrt{2} / \sqrt{3} \times \cos(0^\circ) = 8165 \text{ V}$$

$$U_B = 10000 \sqrt{2} / \sqrt{3} \times \cos(120^\circ) = -4082.5 \text{ V}$$

$$U_C = 10000 \sqrt{2} / \sqrt{3} \times \cos(240^\circ) = -4082.5 \text{ V}$$

## Calculate:

Electric field strength distribution