
Power Supply and Energy Extraction System for the CBM magnet

Conceptual Design Report

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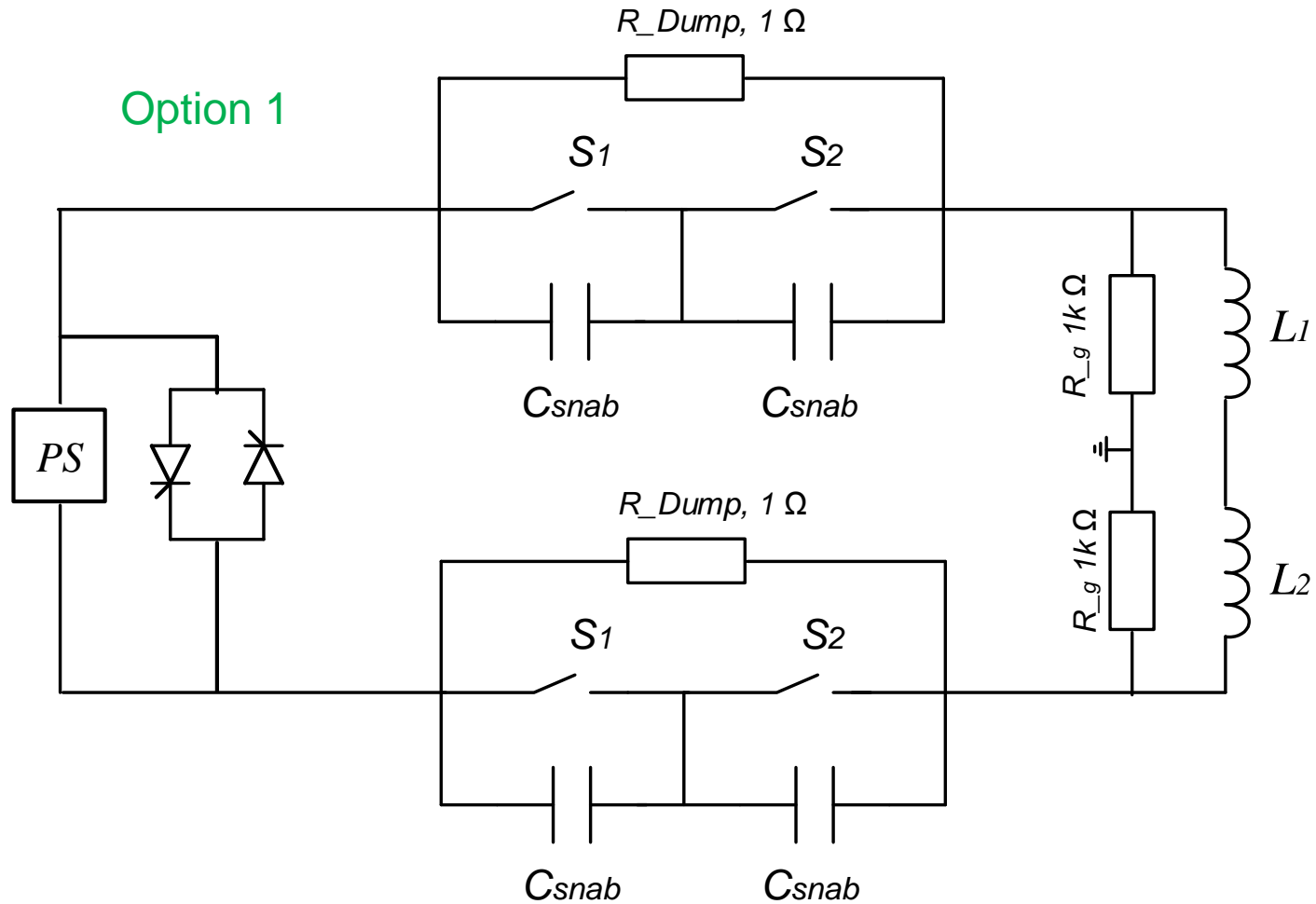
Introduction

Requirements for the external protection system (Quench detection and Energy Extraction):

- The amount of the stored energy to be extracted is 5.1MJ. Stored energy should be extracted to the external dump resistor with the value of 2 Ohm. The active elements of the dump resistor should not be hotter than 100C. Cooling time should be specified;
- Quench detection circuit should provide fast detection of the normal phase appearing. The discrimination time should be about 6ms and the threshold – about 0.6V (0.6V corresponds to 6 wounds in the normal state);
- Number of the voltage tabs and the locations of their connections should be determined;
- Dump resistor should be introduced to the circuit not later than in 40 ms. That gives the demands on the energy extraction switch (current breaker);
- Dump resistor value - 2 Ohm. Middle point should be introduced and grounded in order to minimize the voltage between the coil and ground.

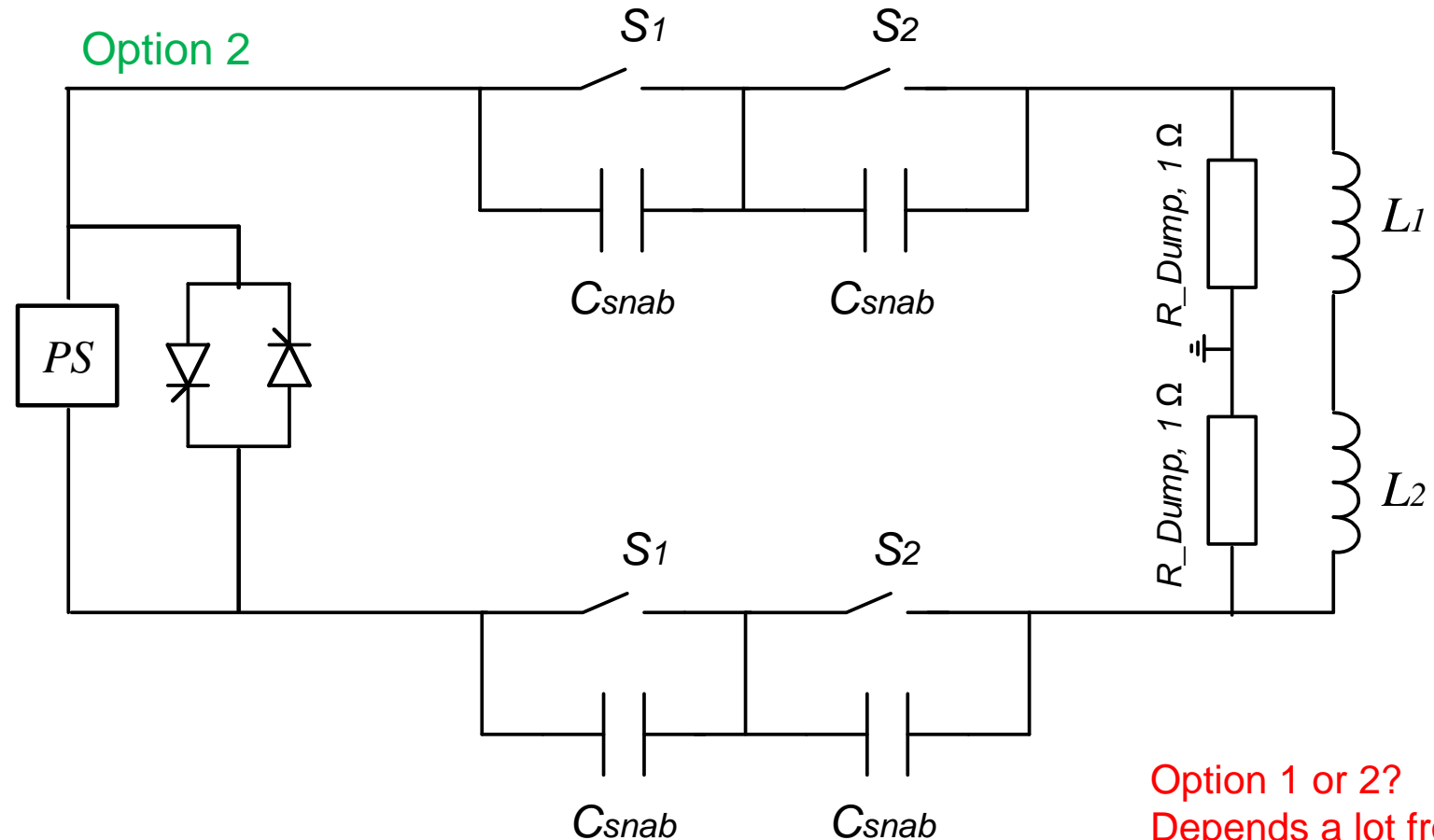
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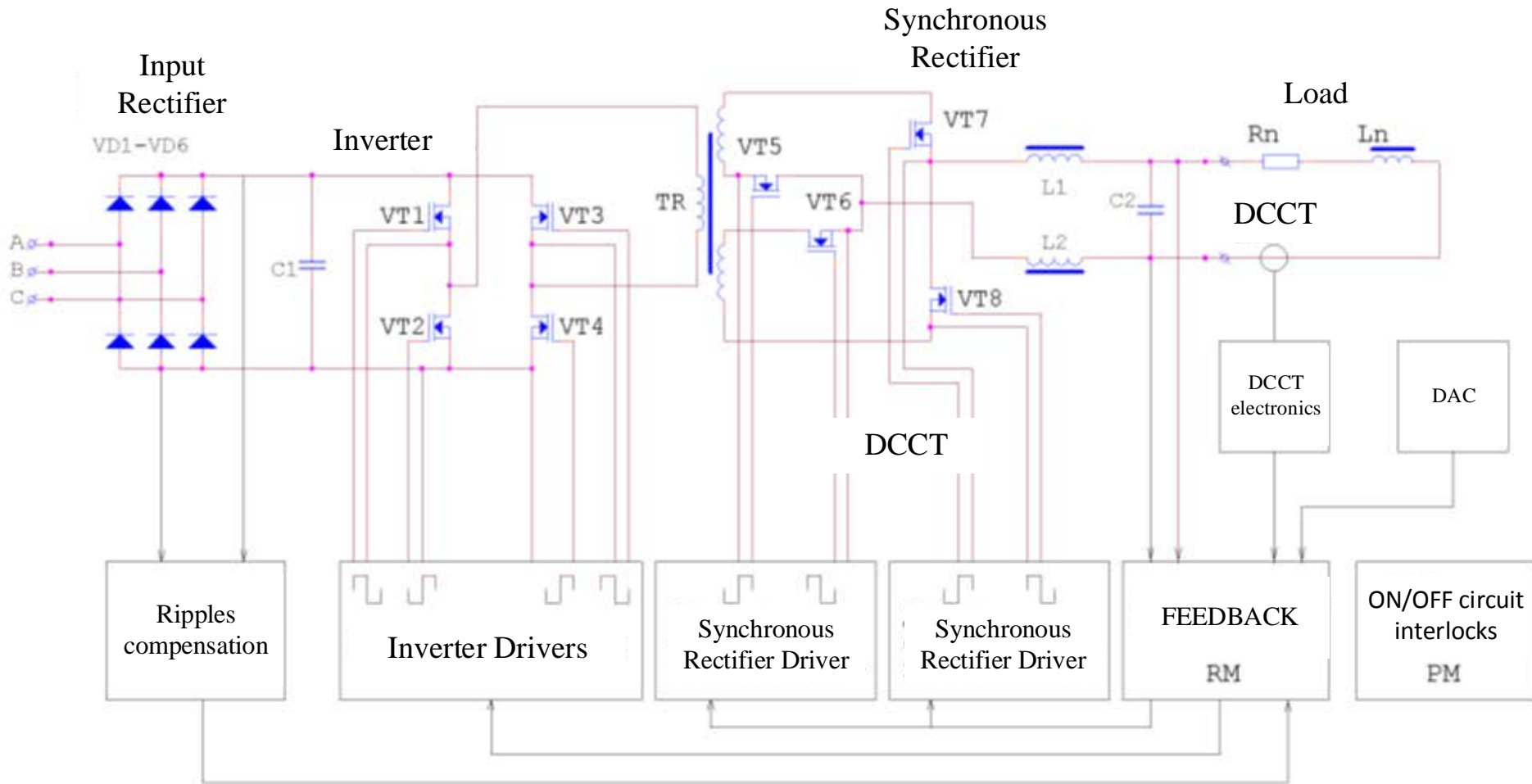


Option 1 or 2?
Depends a lot from
the racks positions

Power Supply (Current Source – VCH1000)



Power Supply – block diagram



Power Supply – parameters:

- Nominal output power 12kWt;
- Nominal output current 1000A;
- Nominal output voltage 12V;
- 8 hours run Stability - < 0.01% from nominal;
- Output ripples in voltage:
 - 0-300Hz - < 10mV rms,
 - 0-40кГц – < 100mV rms;
- Control Interface – CAN
- Form factor 19” x 4U

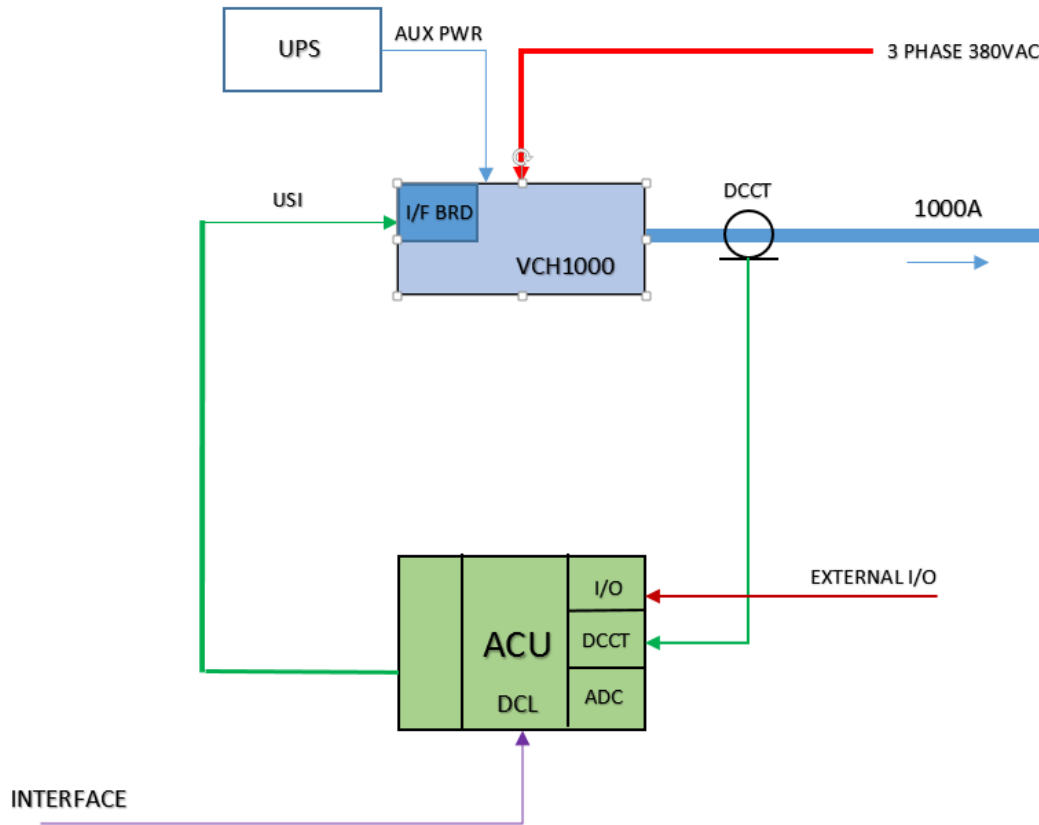
Interlocks:

- ❑ Overcurrent ($I > "I_{max}"$);
- ❑ Overpower ($P_{load} > "P_{max}"$);
- ❑ Phase distortion for more than 20% ;
- ❑ Over temperature of the power part;
- ❑ External Load faults (temperature, water).

Conditions:

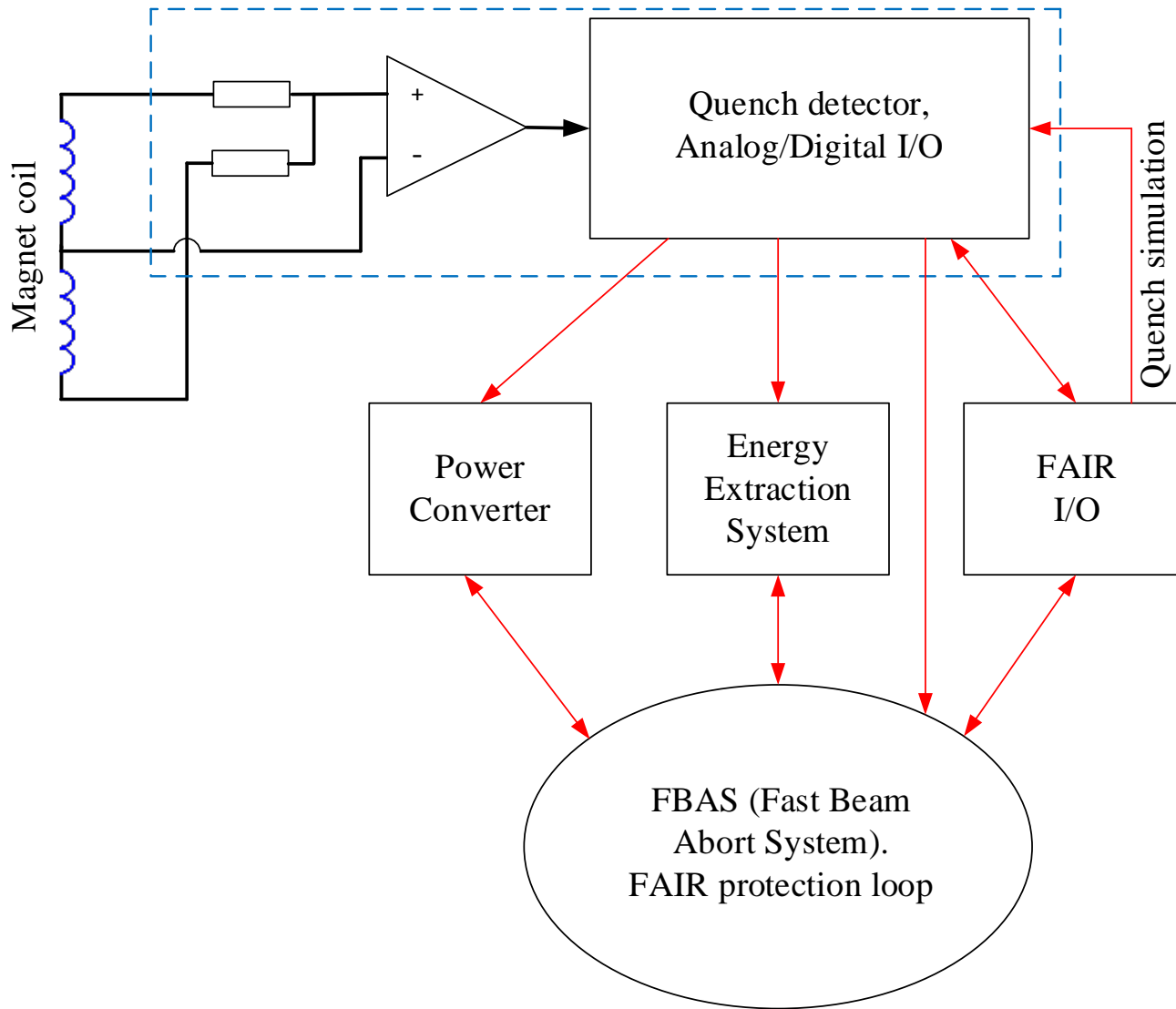
- ❑ External conditions – room temperature 10– 35⁰C;
- ❑ Input power line – 3 phases 380V with neutral.
- ❑ Cooling – distilled water not warmer than 30⁰C,
- ❑ Maximal input pressure 6bars,
- ❑ Water consumption 2 liters/min,
- ❑ Water gradient with the maximal power < 10⁰C
- ❑ Sizes 547*550*133mm, weight 25kg.

PS control electronics

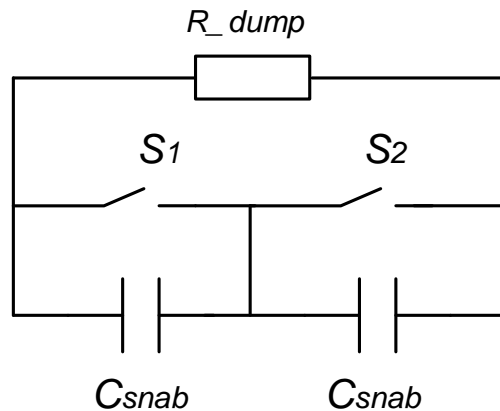


DCCT – digital control loop current sensor
ACU – Adaptive Control Unit
DCL – digital control loop

Quench detection, functional diagram

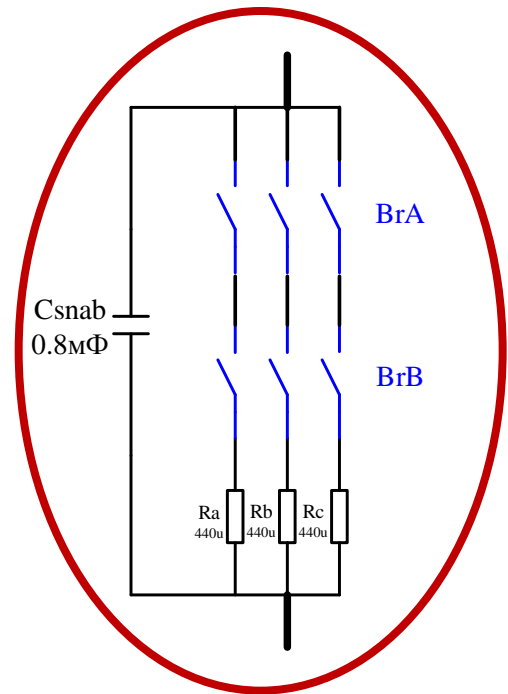
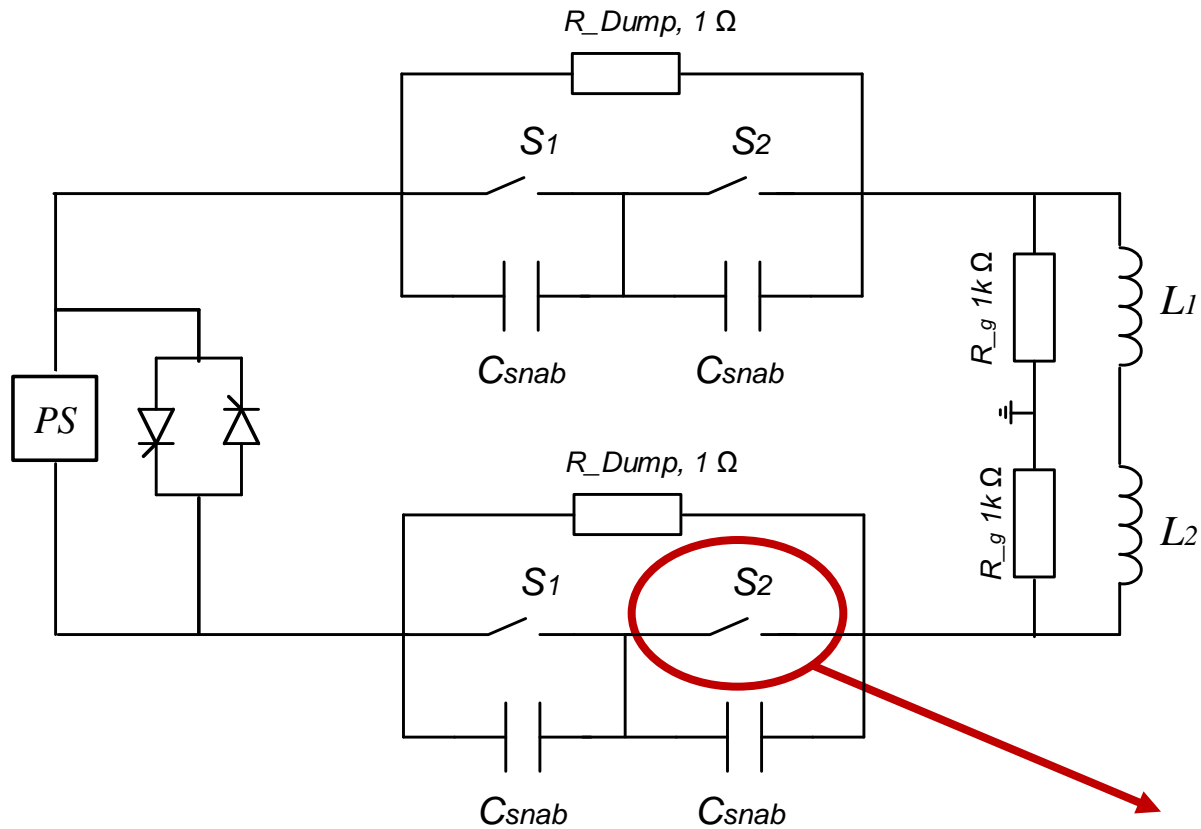


Energy extraction system

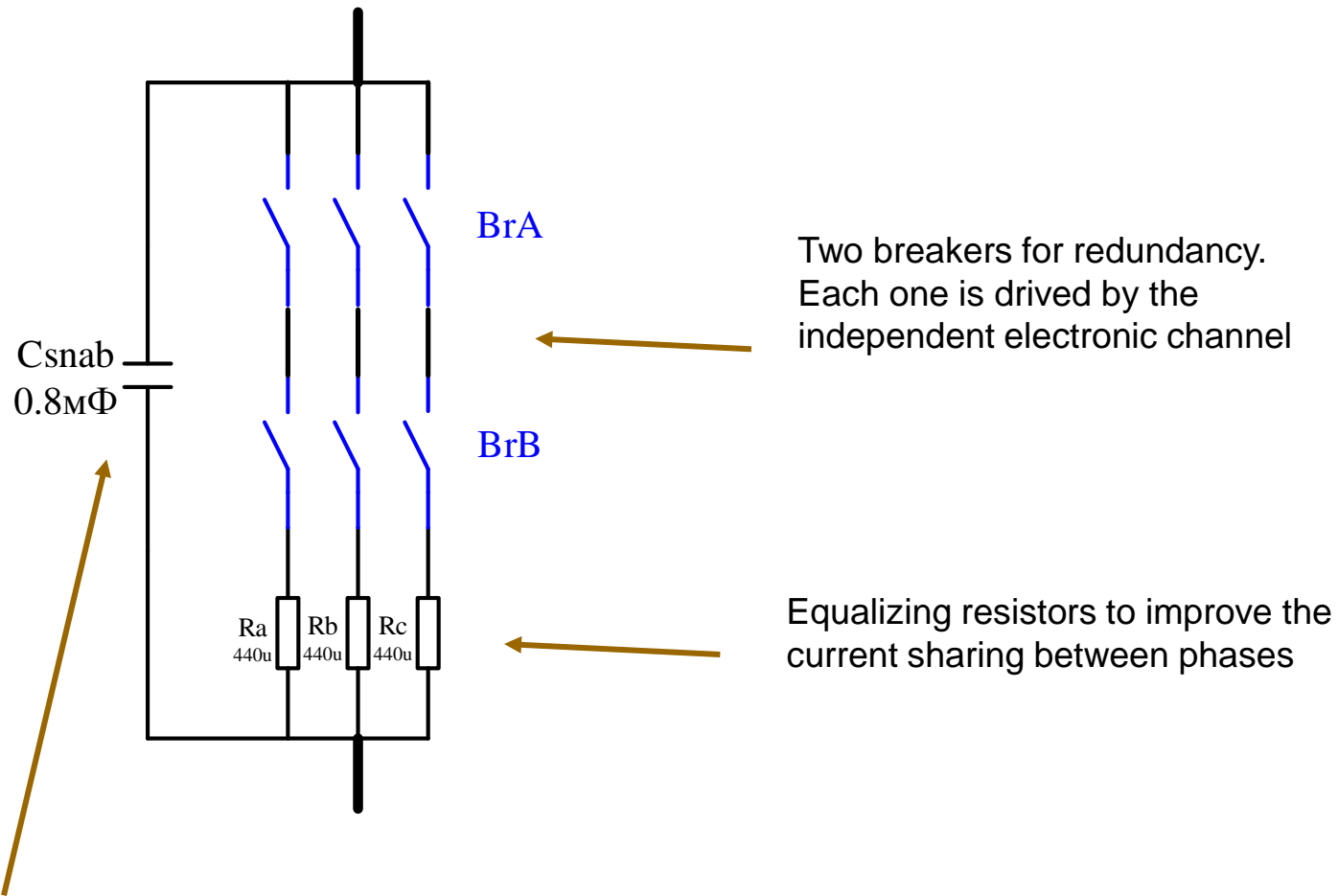


№	Parameter	Value	Unit
1.	Maximal current	686	A
2.	Energy stored in the magnet	5.1	MJ
3.	Current polarity	bipolar	
4.	Maximal inductance in a circuit	20+20	Hn
5.	Dump resistor value	$2 \pm 5\%$	Ohm
7.	Maximal overtemperature of the Dump Resistor	80	K
8.	Maximal time delay for the energy extraction	<0.04	s

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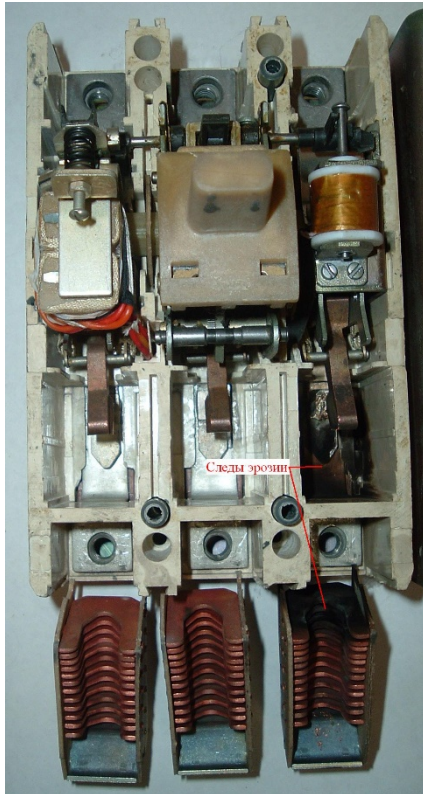
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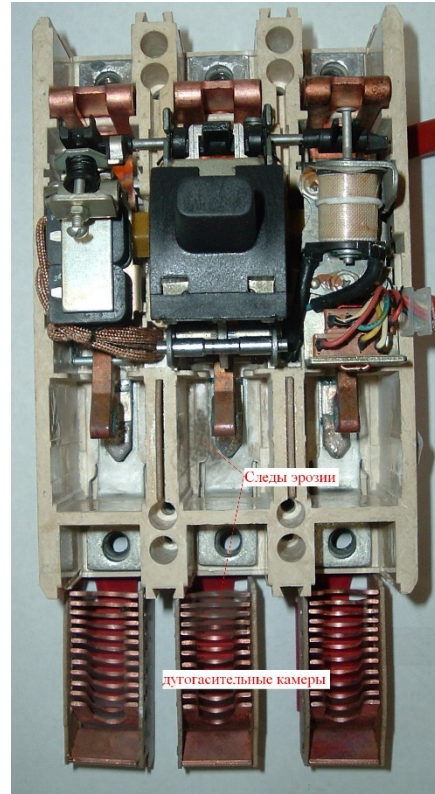
C_{snab} – snubber capacitor to minimize the arc effect.

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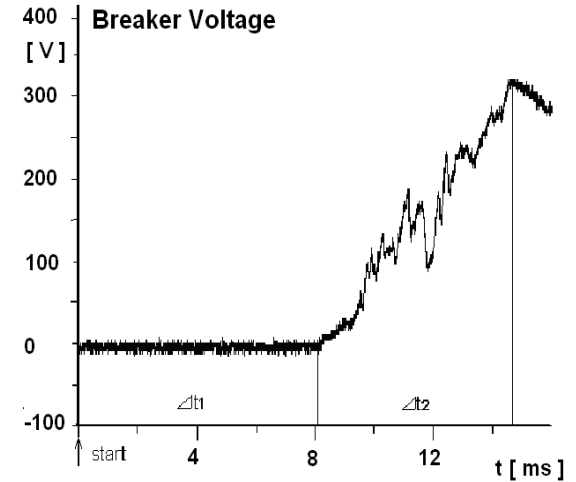
Electromechanical Breaker and use of snubber



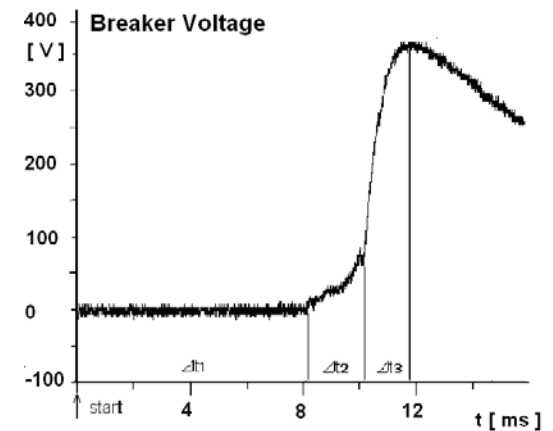
VA57-35 after 100 cycles under the full current , without snubber



VA57-35 after 100 cycles under the full current , with snubber , $C_{snab} = 0.8 \text{ mF}$



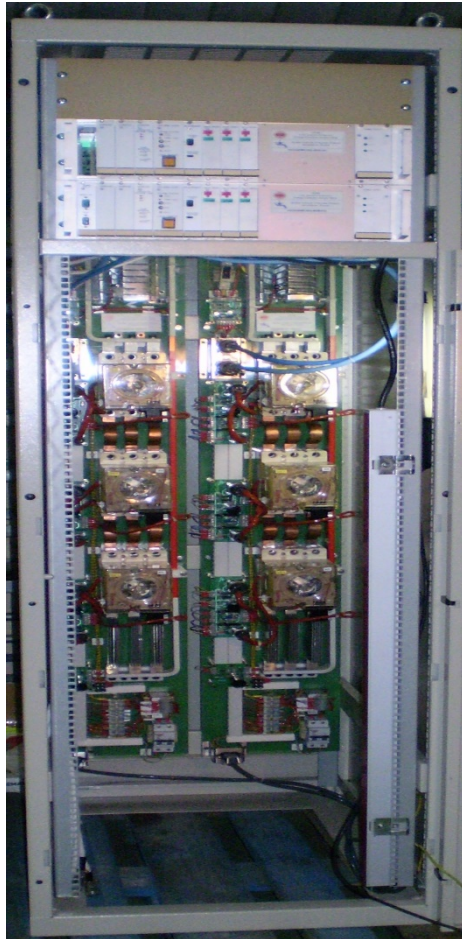
Voltage over the contacts while opening the circuit with $C_{snab} = 0$



Voltage over the contacts while opening the circuit with $C_{snab} = 0.8 \text{ mF}$

Energy extraction system

Example - 202 energy extraction systems for the LHC corrector magnets delivered by BINP to CERN.



Two systems per rack



Racks in the LHC tunnel

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