

The Forward Silicon Tracker at STAR

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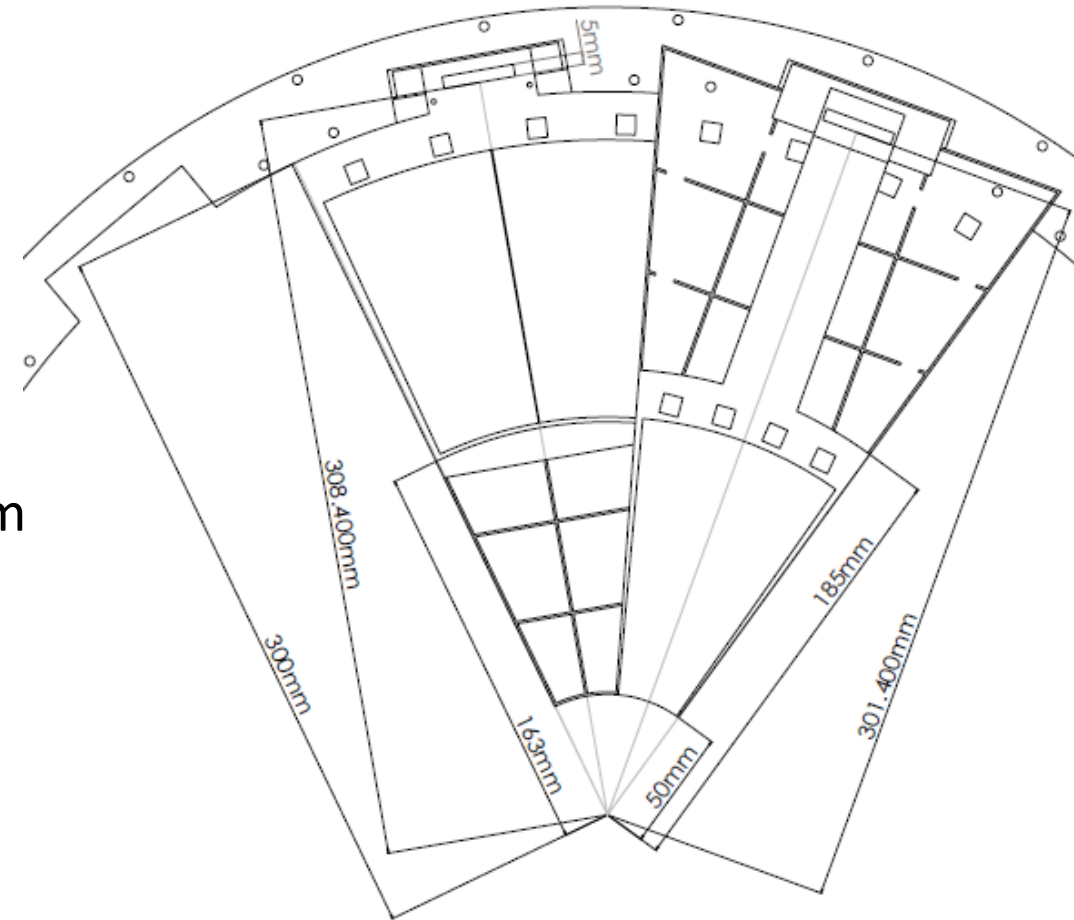
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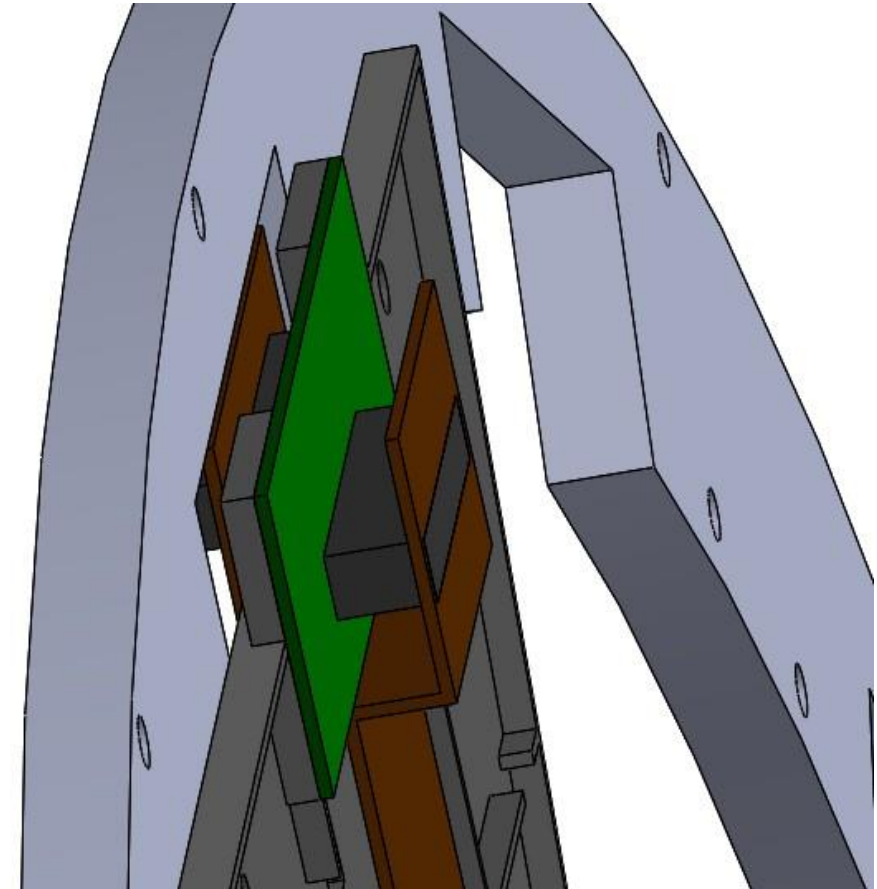
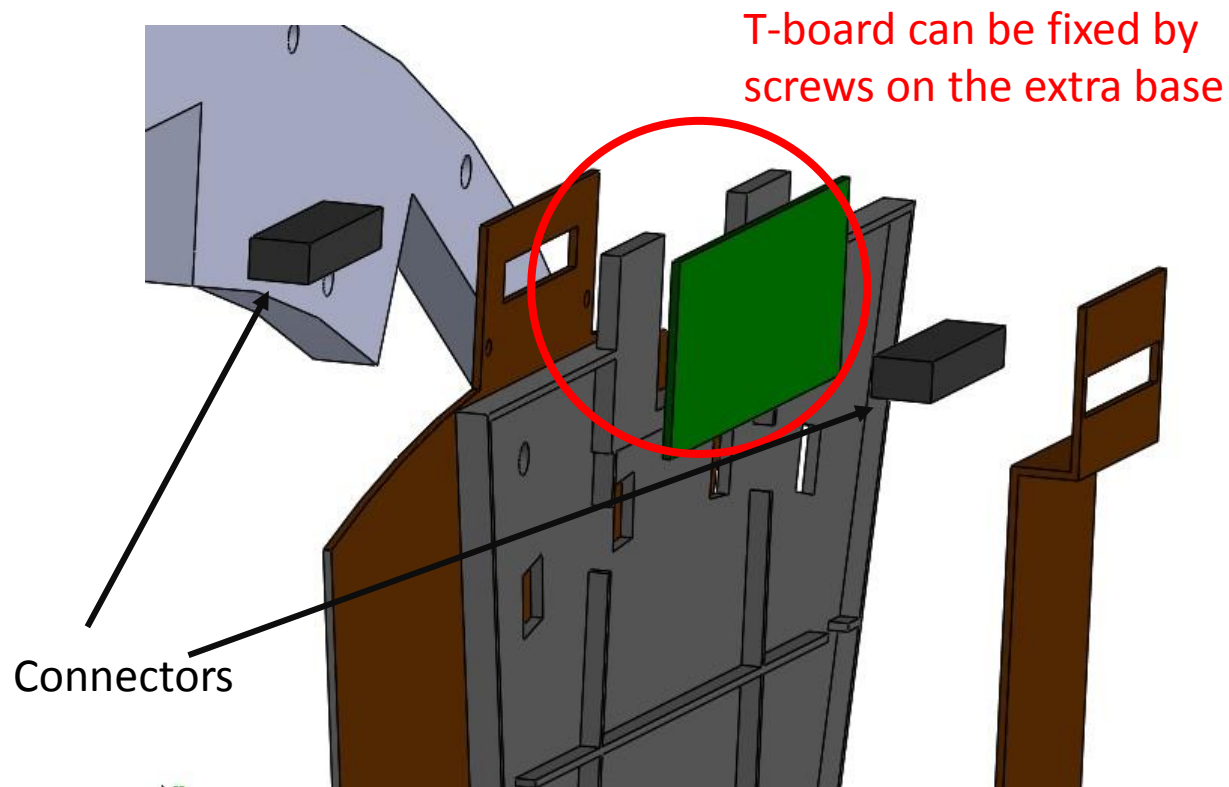
■ Check list

- ✓ Design of extra base for the T-board
- ✓ Dimensions of supporting structure
 - Opening angle for the wedge: 32°
 - Inner radius: 50 mm
 - Other dimensions are suitable for current design of hybrids
- Adjust the sensor inner radius from 50 mm to 49 mm
- Adjust the positions of heat sink, which depends on the new design of hybrids



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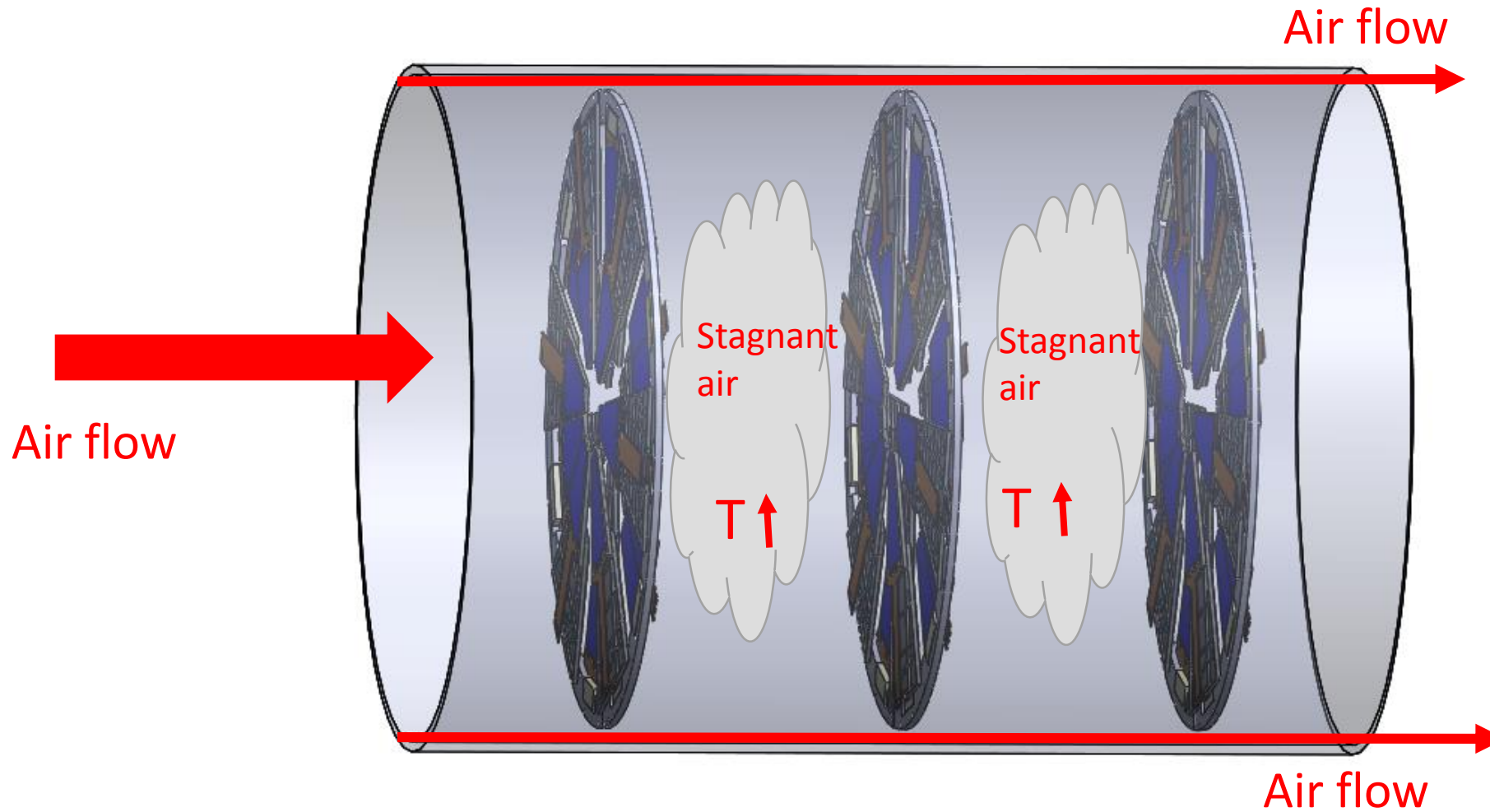
- Current design with the extra base for T-board



Air flow

■ Question

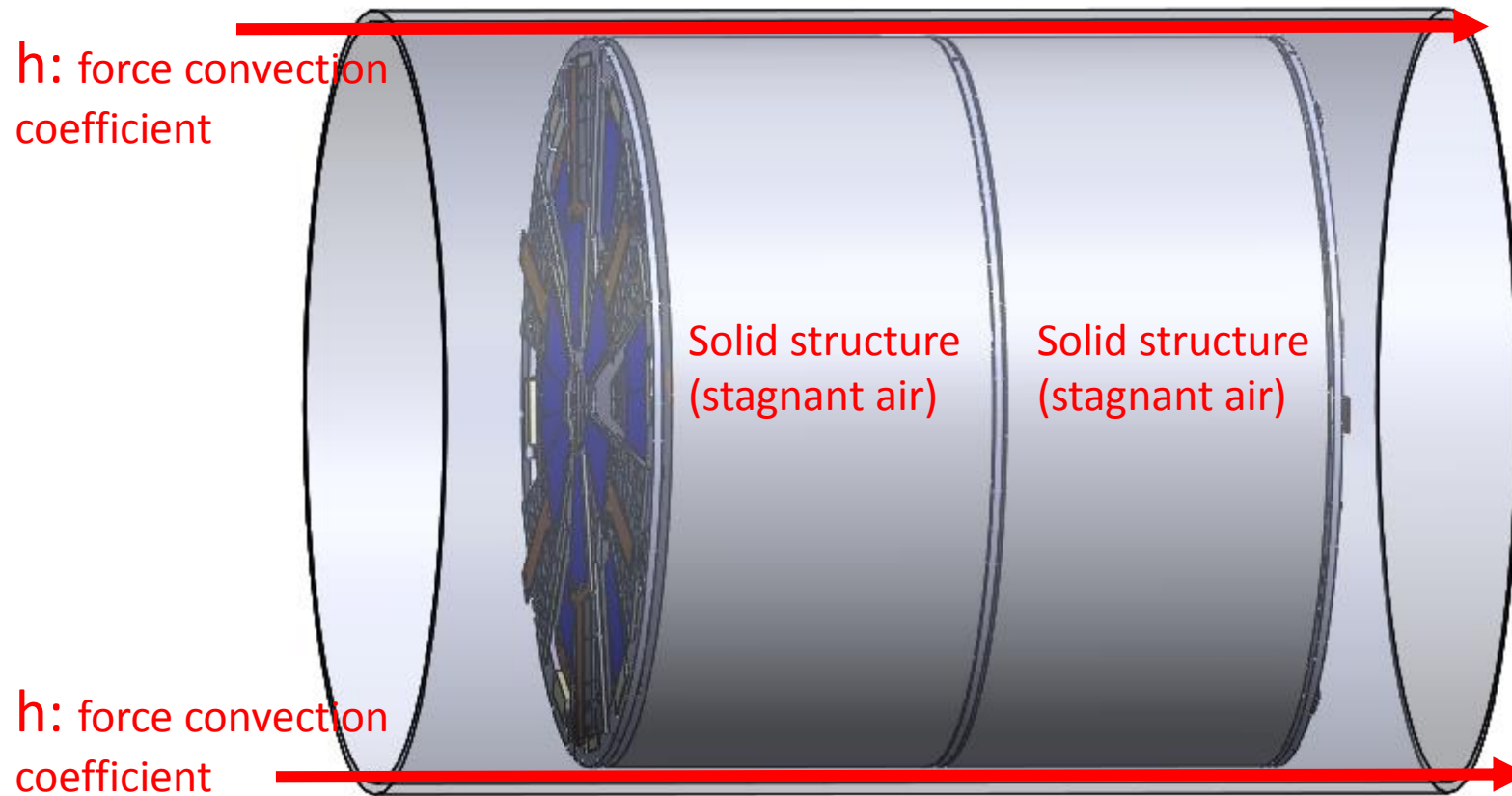
The trapped stagnant air will be heated, if the air flow do not involve in the inside space



Air flow

■ Worse case estimation

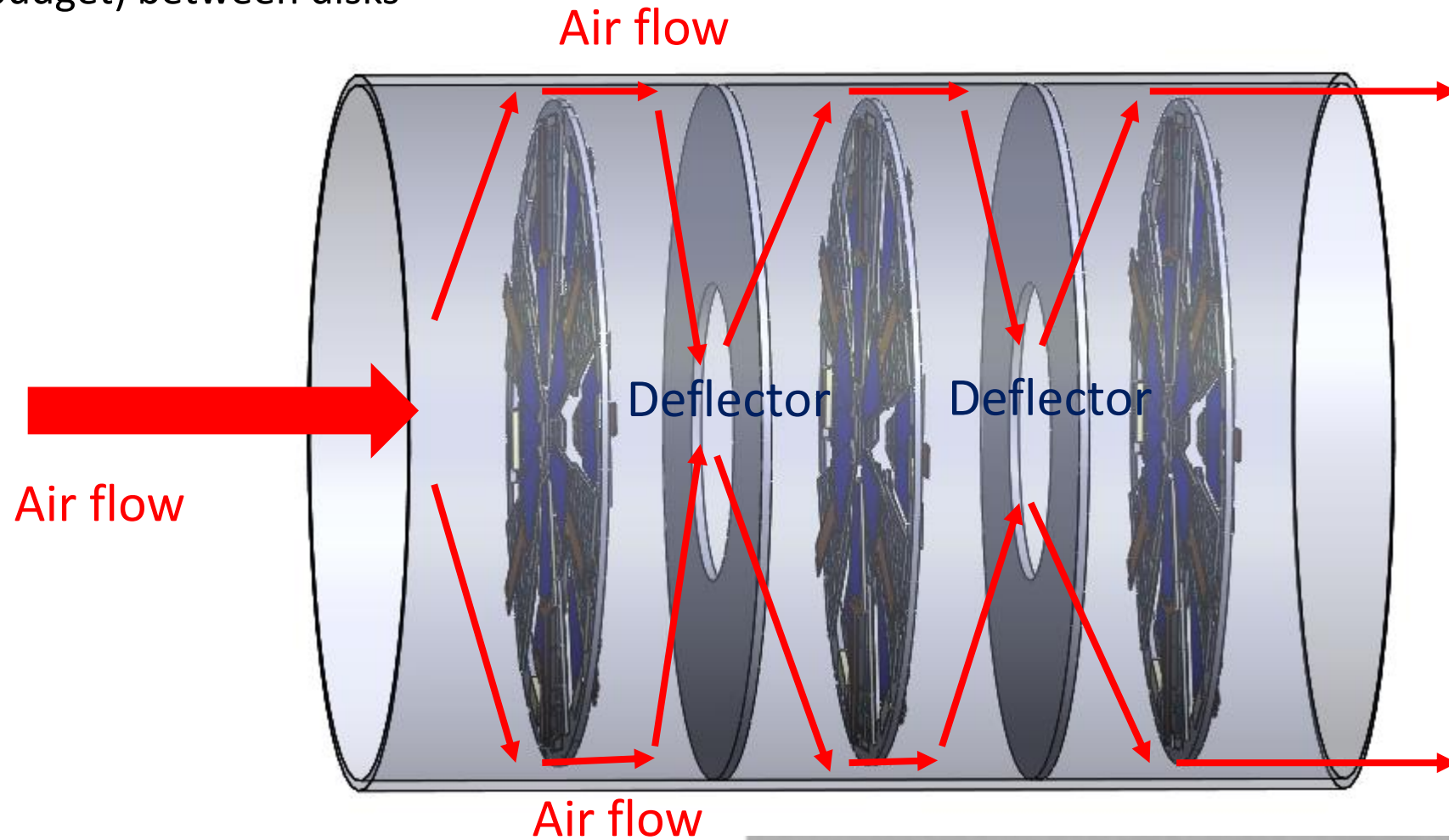
- In the simulation, we put solid structures assigned with air thermal conductivity as the stagnant air, and set up the force convection coefficient inside the cylinder.
- The first result will be presented next week and confirmed with experts at Department of ME



Air flow

■ One proposal

To facilitate air flow covering surface of disks, we can mount deflectors (very thin and low material budget) between disks



Temperature profile for full disk

■ Setup

□ Ambience temperature: 22°C

□ Heat generation

■ The power consumption (per chip): $300 \frac{\text{mw}}{\text{per chip}} = 0.01524 \frac{\text{w}}{\text{mm}^3}$

■ The power consumption (per sensor): $1 \frac{\text{mw}}{\text{per sensor}}$

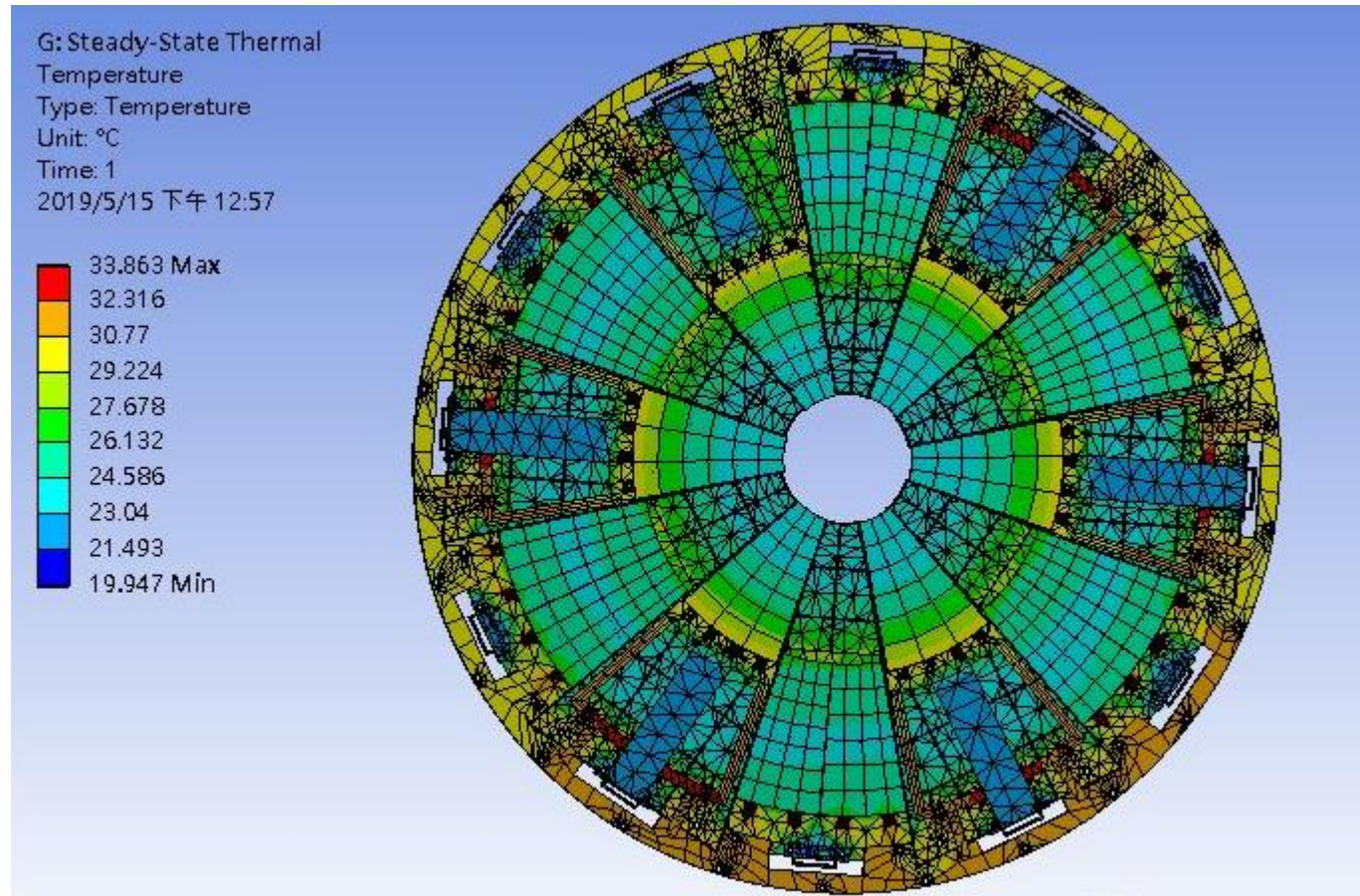
□ Convection

■ The nature convection coefficient to stagnant air: $3 \times 10^{-6} \frac{\text{w}}{\text{mm}^2 \cdot ^\circ\text{C}}$ (a lower, but less precise, value calculated from text book)

■ We have checked the thermal simulation result with our calculations from text book, and applied a thermal model to obtain more precise convection coefficient, but it is still in the process. The specific calculation and model will be presented next week.

Temperature profile for full disk

- The temperature profile of full disk is consistent with previous result in the single wedge
- The power consumptions from sensors are negligible



Next Steps

- Finalize the design of mechanical structure
- Provide specific thermal coefficients
- Conduct the thermal experiment (ME department)
- Compare the simulation result with the thermal experiment