JT-60SA Magnet System Status

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Abstract— The JT-60SA experimental device will be the world's largest superconducting tokamak when it is assembled in 2019 in Naka, Japan (R=3m, a=1.2m). Institutions in the EU and Japan are constructing it jointly under the Broader Approach agreement. Manufacturing of the six NbTi equilibrium field coils, which have a diameter of up to 12 m, has been completed. So far 13 of the 18 NbTi toroidal field coils, each 7 m high and 4.5 m wide, have also been manufactured and tested at 4 K in a dedicated test facility in France. The first three of four Nb₃Sn central solenoid modules have been completed, as have all of the copper in-vessel error field correction coils. Installation of the toroidal field magnet, around the previously welded 340° tokamak vacuum vessel and its thermal shield, started at the end of 2016 and is currently underway. The TF magnet will in turn support the EF and CS coils.

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