

DEFINITION of OPTIMIZATION PROBLEM for ELECTROMAGNETIC LINEAR ACTUTOR

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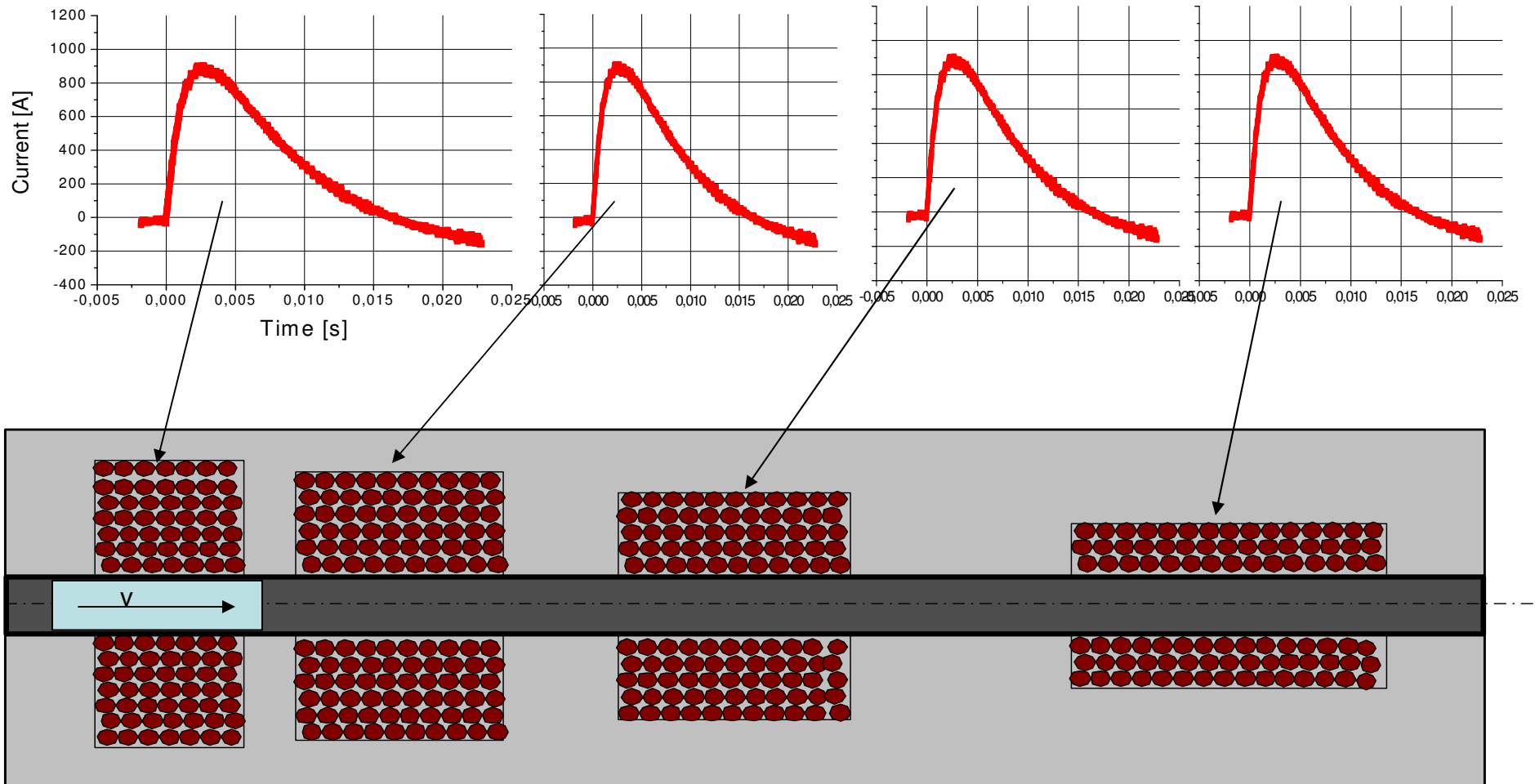


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1. Introduction

electromagnetic linear actuators



The electromagnetic linear actuator is built from a series of coils and a ferromagnetic plunger.
The coils are supplied by a series of current impulses.

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Advantages

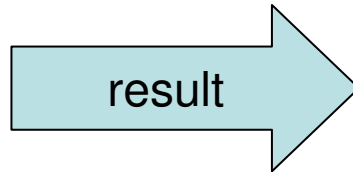
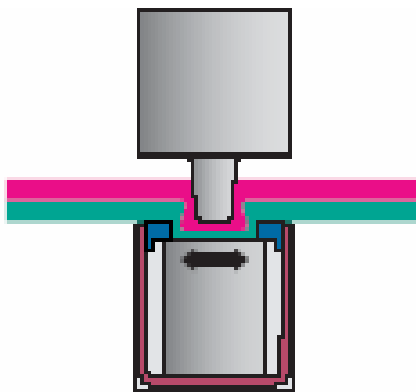
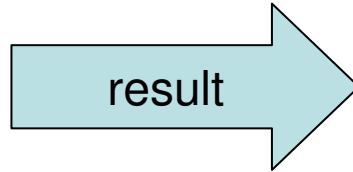
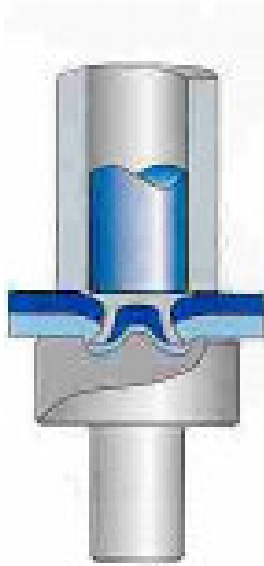
- simple design structure;
- the fast response for the input signal;
- a possibility to achieve a high linear acceleration;
- a low maintenance cost;
- linear motion is a natural output, so there is no need of any mechanical transmission.

Drawbacks

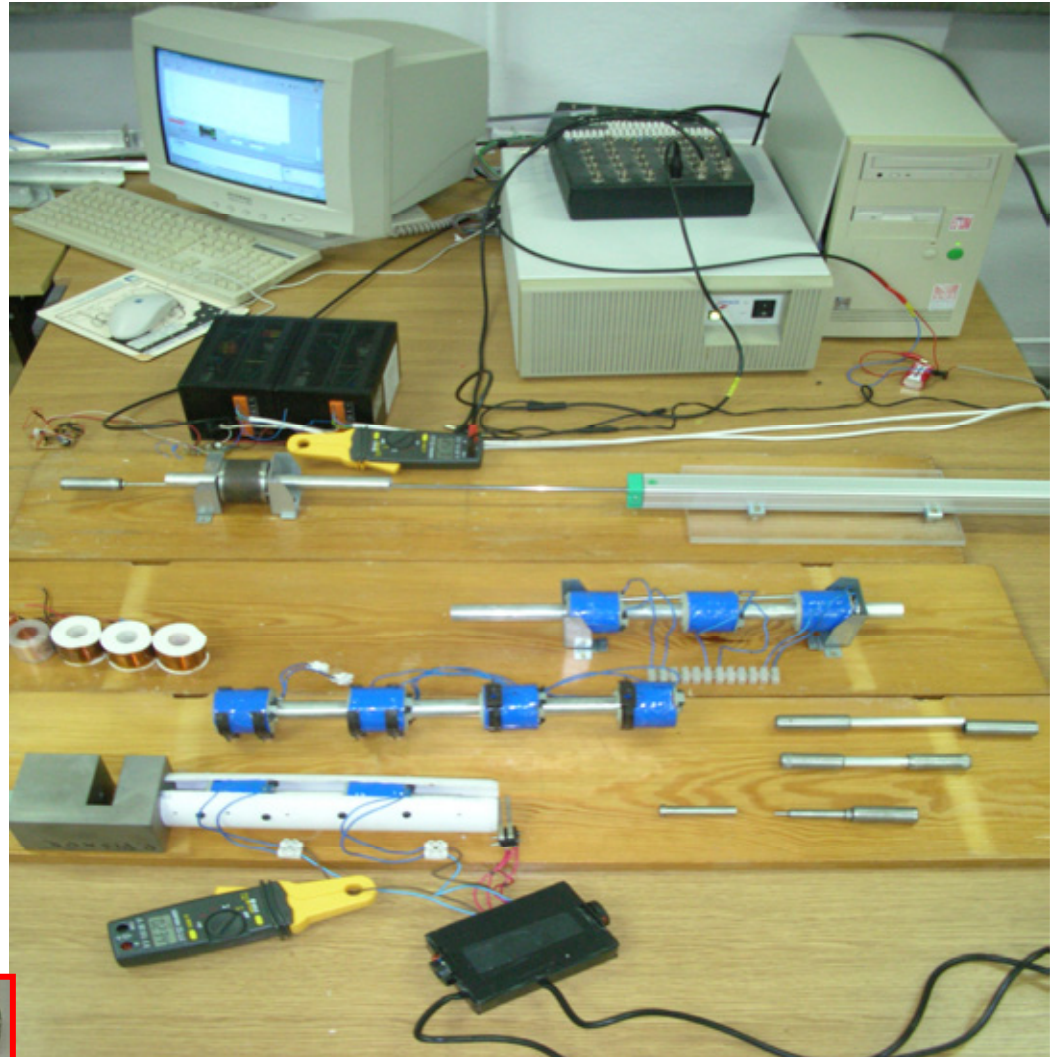
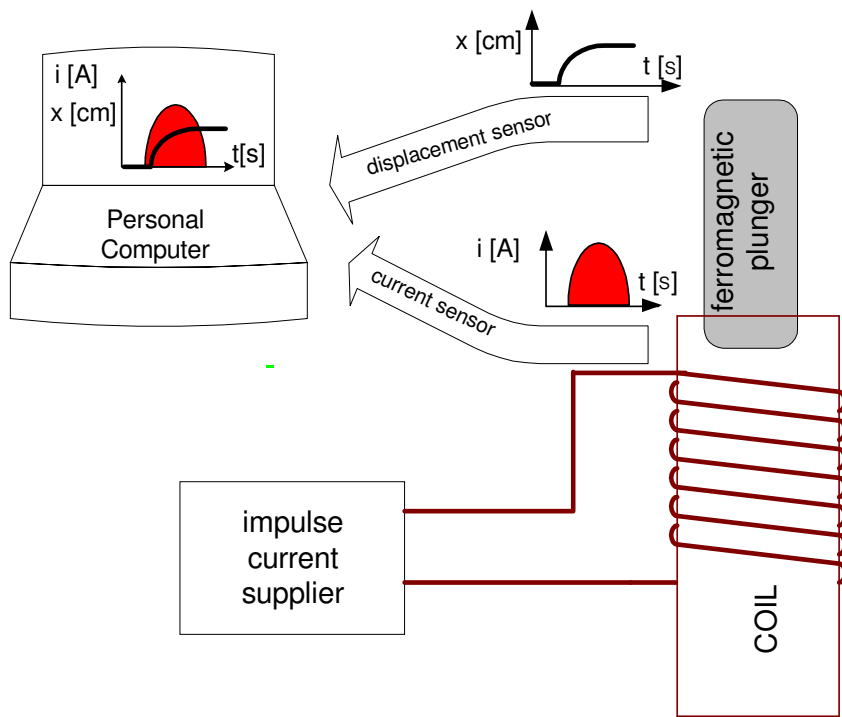
- a low energy efficiency;
- need of the great power current impulse source.

2. Applications

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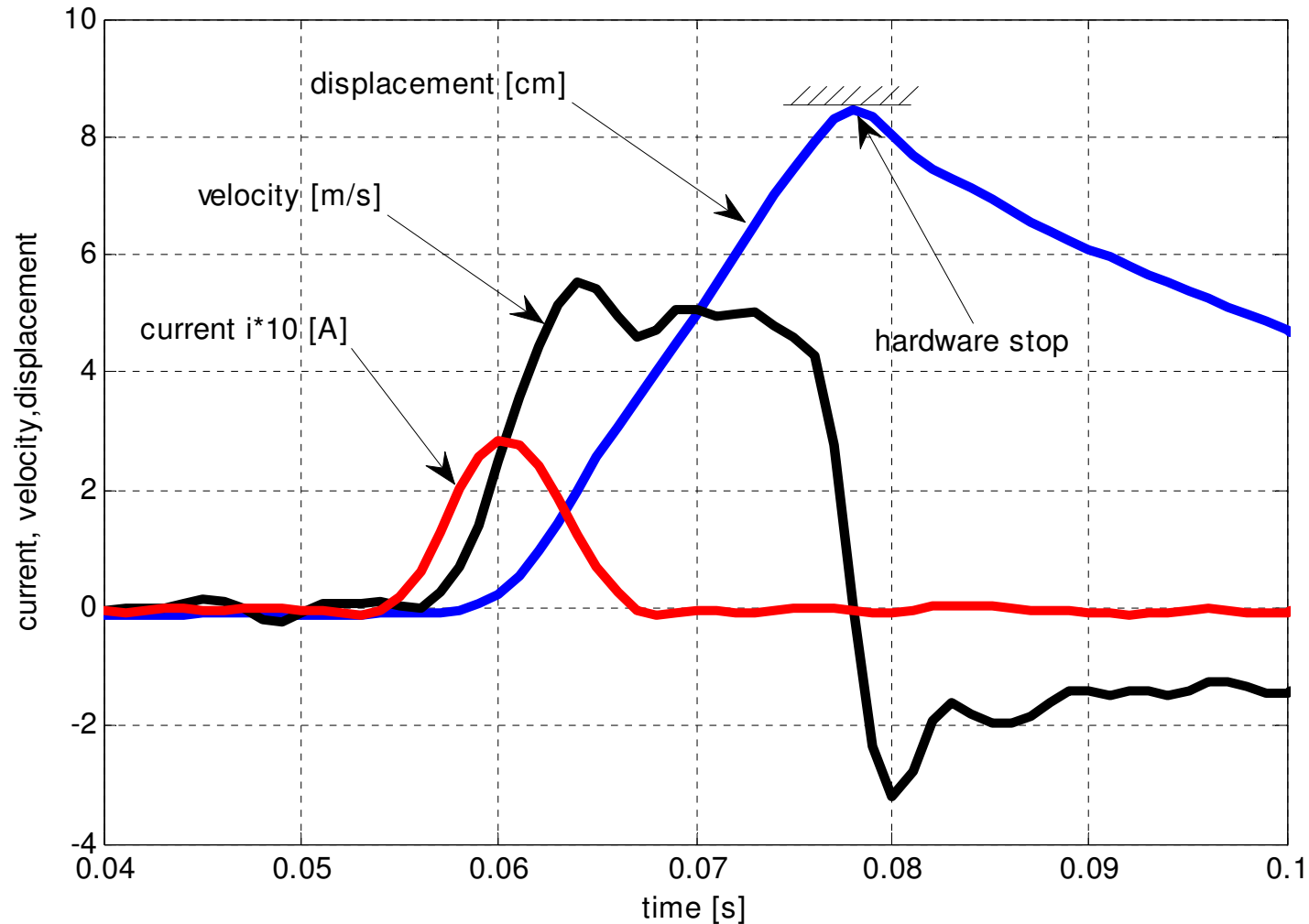
3. Experiment



laboratory equipment set up

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data visualization for the single coil system



Energy efficiency = 5%

4. Optimization criteria

The primary optimization criterion is:

$$\eta = \frac{E_{KINETIC}}{E_{SUPPLY}} 100\%$$

The kinetic energy of the plunger – to be maximal:

$$E_{KINETIC} = \frac{1}{2} m_p \cdot v^2 \quad \longrightarrow \quad v = \int \frac{F}{m_p} dt$$

F → max.

The electric energy supply to the coils – to be minimal:

$$E_{SUPPLY} = \int_{t=0}^{t=t_1} u(t) \cdot i(t) \cdot dt$$

E_{SUPPLY} = const.

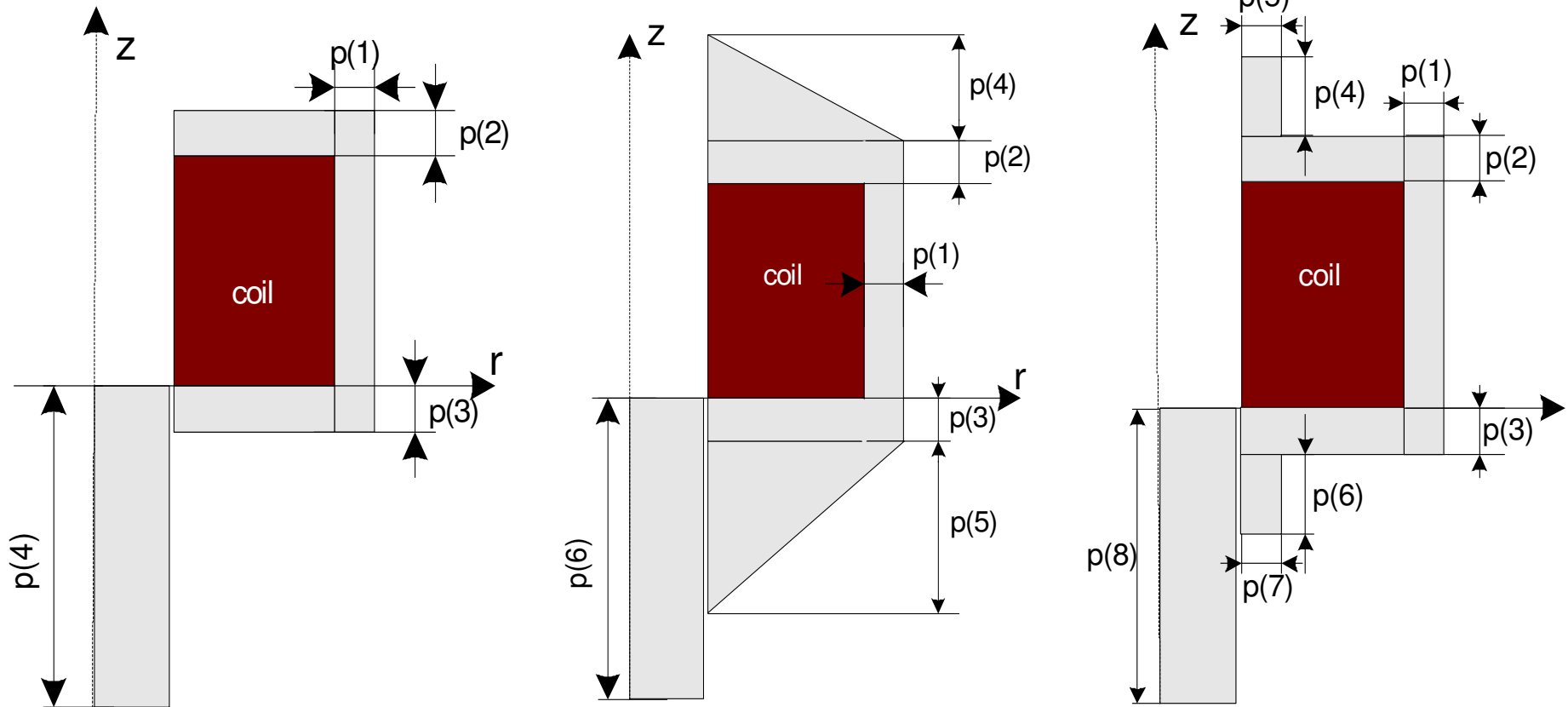
Total mass of the all device - to be minimal:

$$m = m_p + m_c$$

m → min.

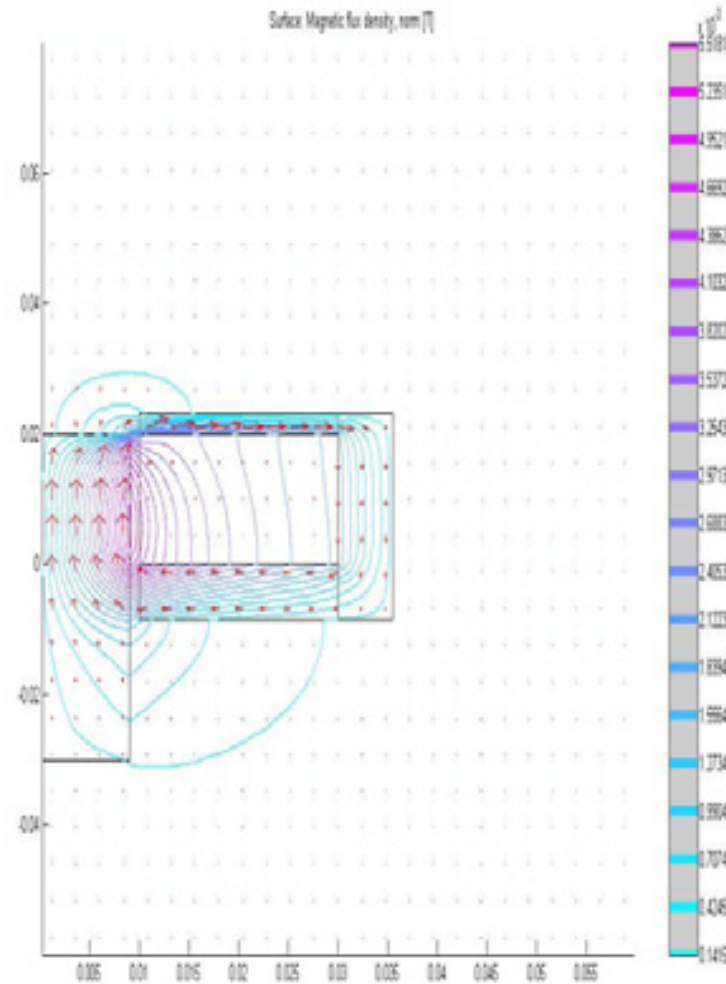
6. Optimization process

Decision variable: $p(1) \dots p(n)$



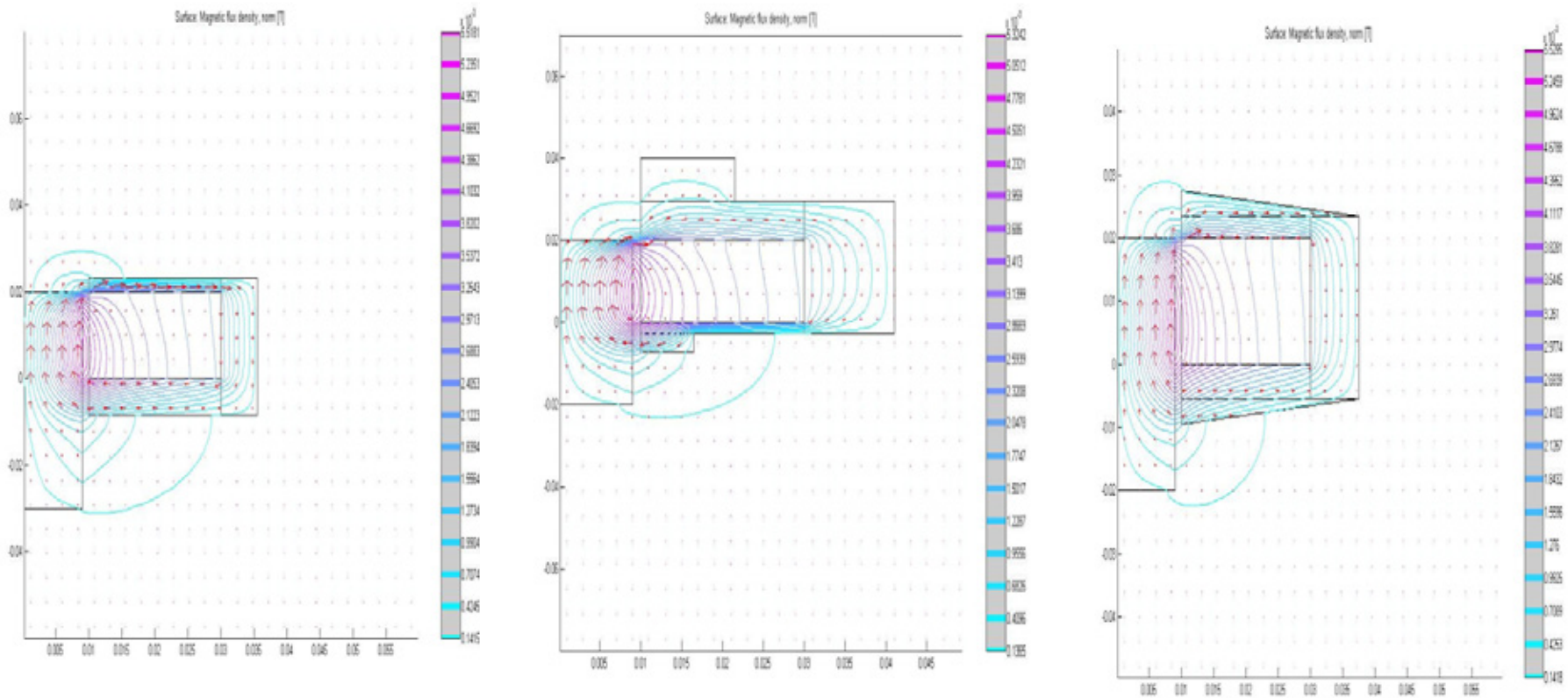
Three types of the cross sectional view of the case (half)

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Model in Comsol Multiphysics for decision variables vector
generated in Matlab program

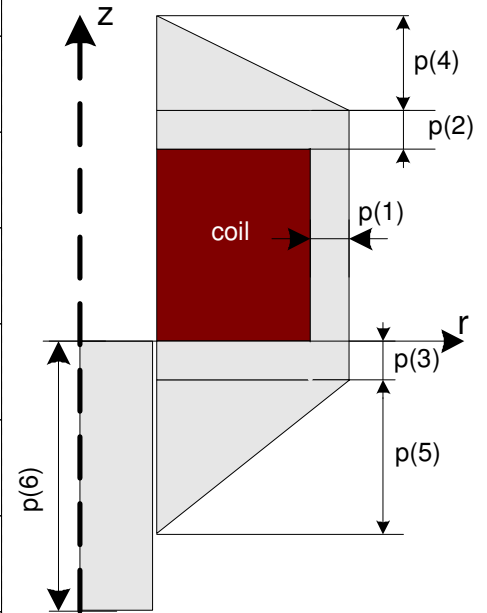
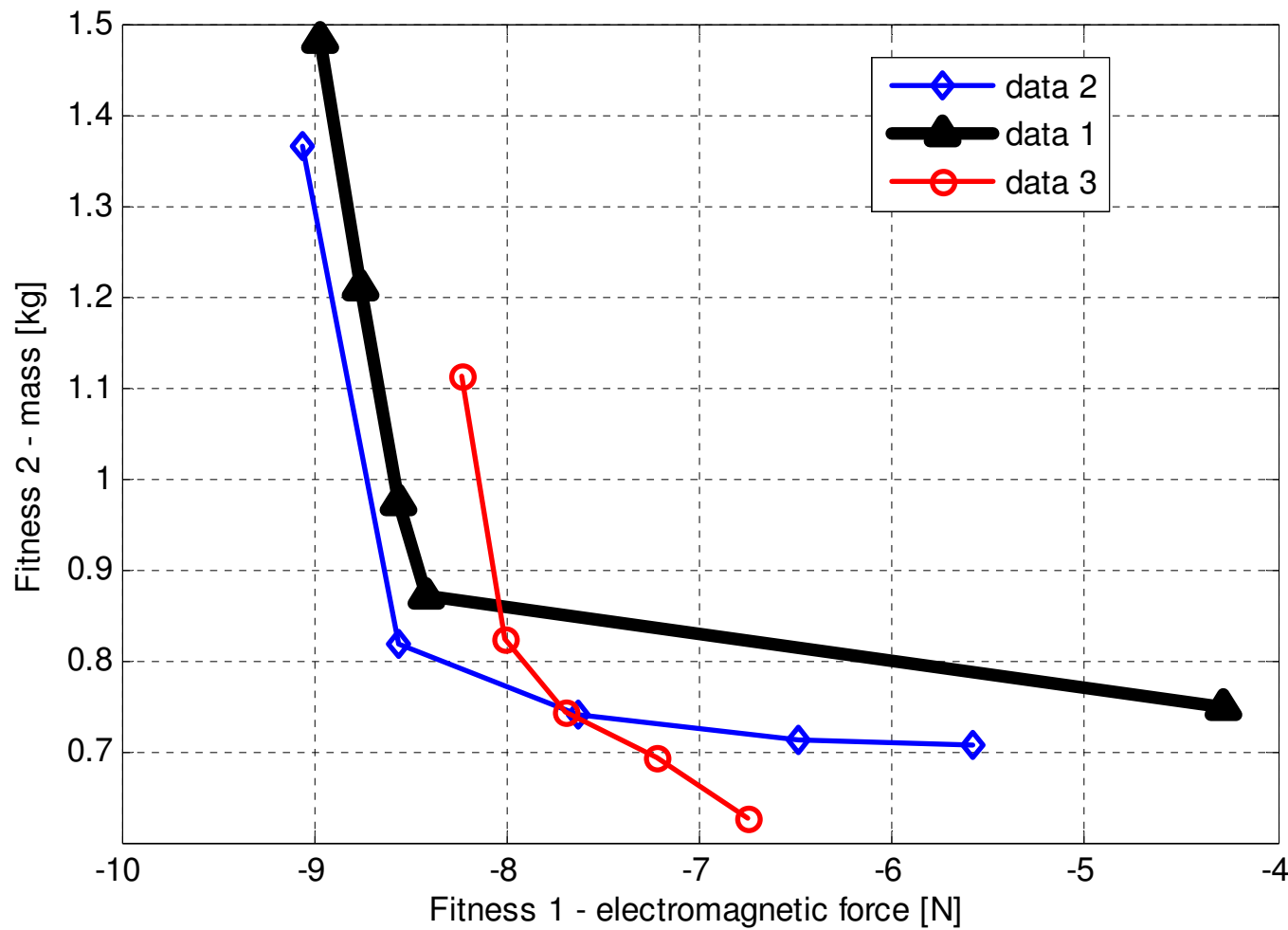
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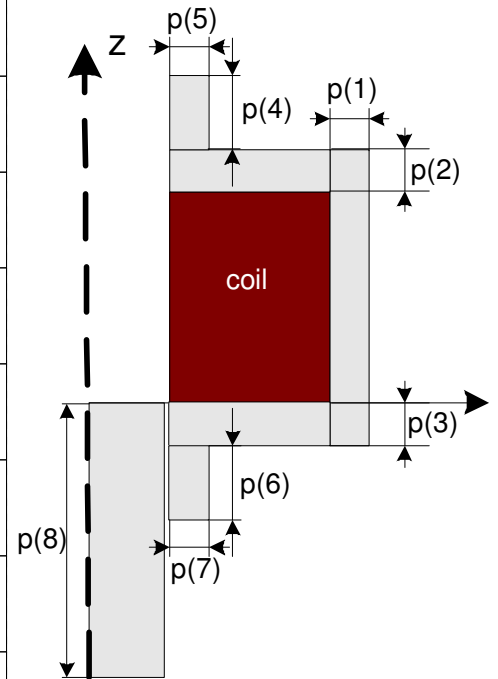
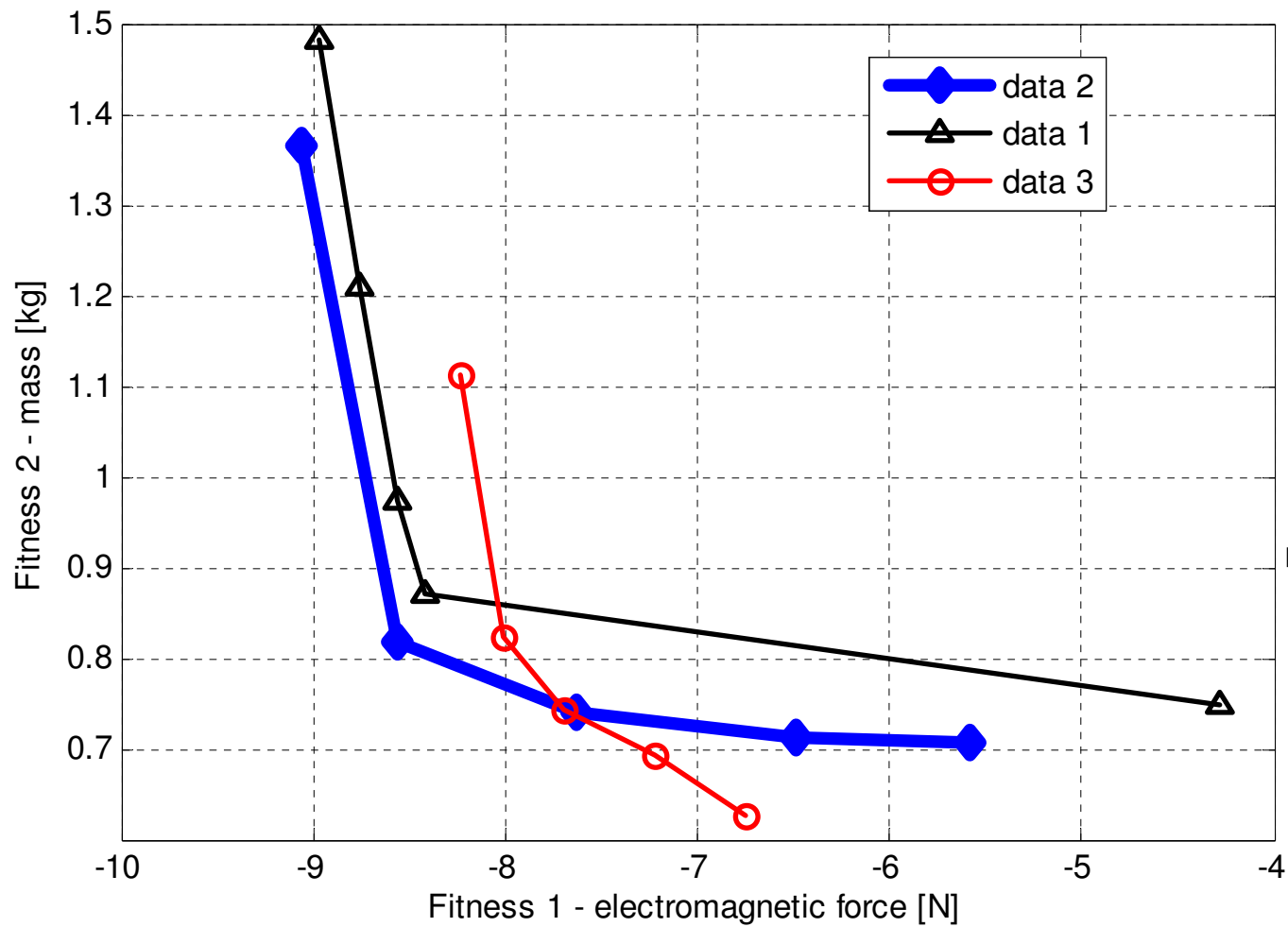
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Pareto-optimal solutions



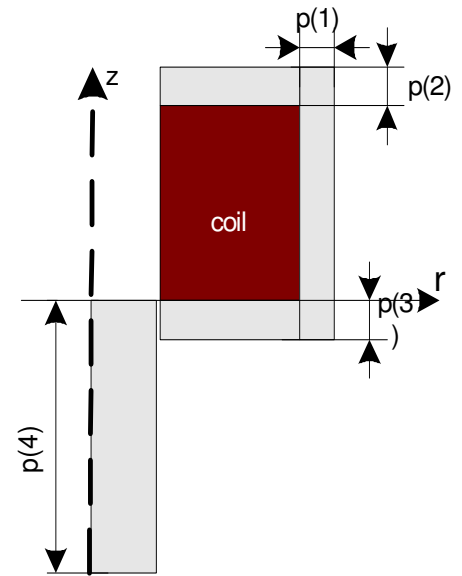
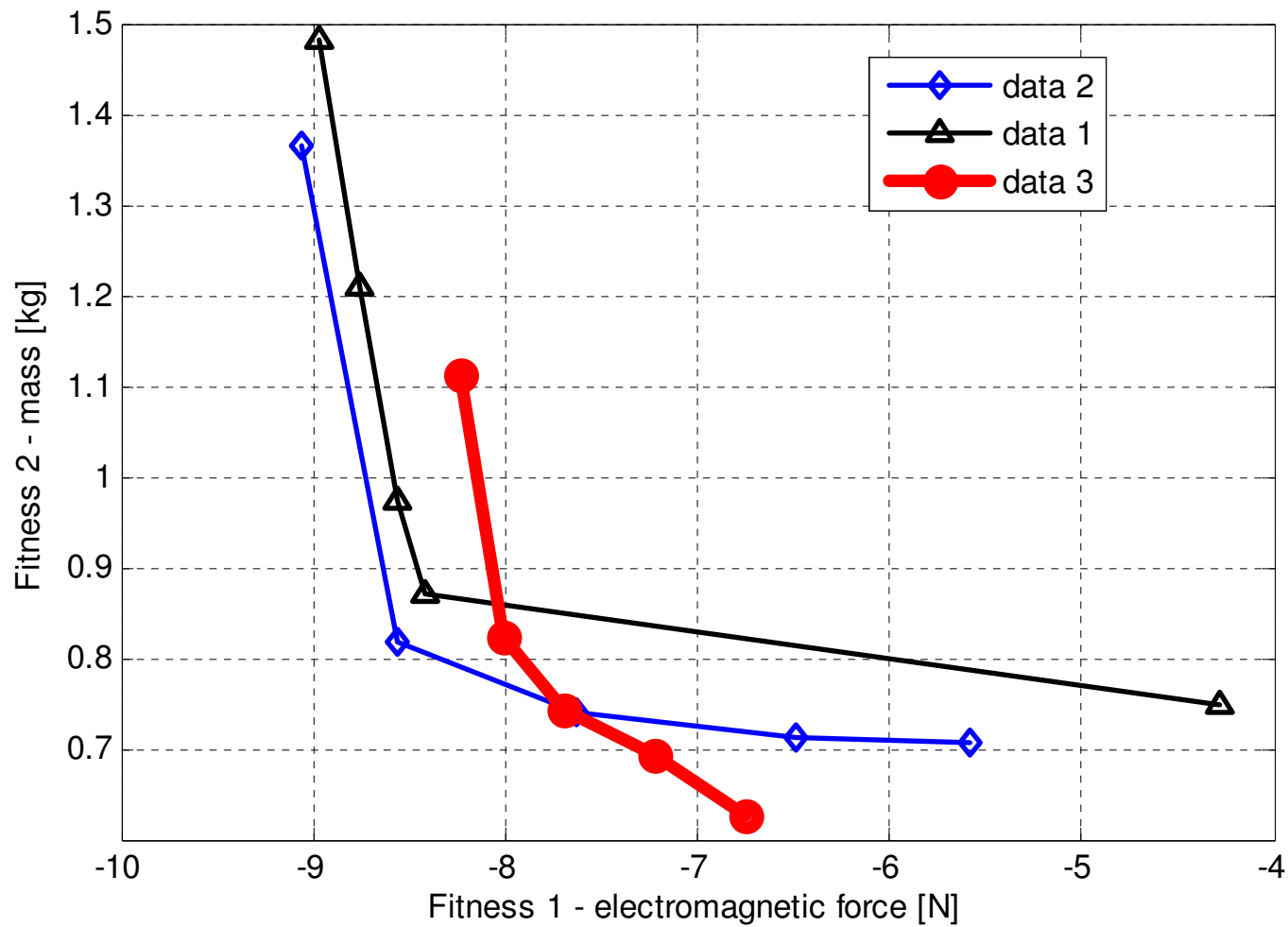
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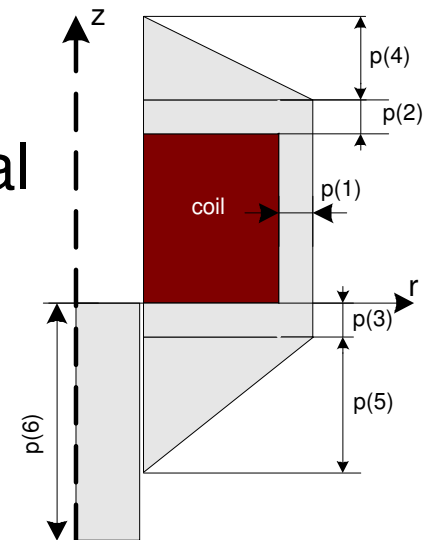
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7. Conclusions

- The accurate simulation model can be built in the Comsol Multiphysics;
- A combination of the two programs (Comsol and Matlab) gives a possibility to optimize structure and parameters simultaneously;
- The case type presented is not rational on two criteria:
force and mass.



8. Summary

- The electromagnetic device has been analyzed as the device for connection metal sheets process;
- The definition of optimization process has been defined;
- The Pareto-optimal solutions have been presented;

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