

XP 709: SOL width scaling (Feb. 22, 2007)

- Goal: measure the I_p and B_t dependence of the SOL n_e , T_e , particle and heat flux widths at the outer midplane
 - The first three quantities are measured by the reciprocating probe (Boedo, Ahn), and the latter one is obtained from the divertor IR camera (Maingi) data after field line mapping
 - Also obtain SOL turbulence data (Maqueda)
- Ultimate aim: devise a physics-based model to extrapolate the measured SOL widths for NHTX, to better predict the heat and particle flux footprints for PFC design
- Requirements: 200ms quasi-steady window free of large excursions for optimum reciprocating probe data
- Result: obtained good IR camera data (analysis in progress), but nearly all discharges only had at most a 100ms steady phase, plagued by a reconnection that varied in time
 - Probe plunged into the scrape-off layer in many discharges, but a reconnection or large event often hit the probe, causing arcing -> analysis in progress
- Will require more run time to complete
- General comment: steady PF2L LSN discharge not yet obtained, hopefully will improve with machine conditions over next few weeks

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- Reproduce baseline PF2L LSN #119083 or newer version from 2007 with 1100-1200 Torr on CS to suppress large ELMs, $B_t=0.4$ T, and $P_{\text{NBI}}=3$ MW. Use source C at reduced voltage to get 3 MW. **If discharge does not have a minimum 200ms quasi-steady period**, consider either increasing B_t to 0.44 T or κ to 2.2 for higher q_{95} . (5 shots)
- Repeat above with $P_{\text{NBI}}=5$ MW + src B. (2 shots)
- Perform I_p scan at approximately fixed q_{95} (at fixed $I_p/B_t=2$, or 1.818 if $B_t=0.44$ T is used above) and at $P_{\text{NBI}}=3$ MW, 5 MW (15 shots)

- I. 1.1 MA, 0.55 T (1.0 MA, 0.55 T if lower I_p/B_t)
- II. 1.0 MA, 0.5 T (0.9 MA, 0.495 T if lower I_p/B_t)
- III. 0.9 MA, 0.45 T (~~1.1 MA, 0.55 T to test I_p scaling~~)
- IV. 0.7 MA, 0.35 T (0.7 MA, 0.385 T if lower I_p/B_t)
- V. 0.8 MA, 0.4 T (0.8 MA, 0.44 T if lower I_p/B_t)

- ~~• Time permitting: Perform B_t scan at $I_p=0.8$ MA, $P_{\text{NBI}}=5$ MW (6 shots)
 - I. 0.8 MA, 0.55 T
 - II. 0.8 MA, 0.35 T
 - III. 0.8 MA, 0.5 T~~

