

NSTX-U T&T TSG Contributions to FY15 JRT

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T&T TSG Experimental Ideas

- NSTX-U will have a set of experimental knobs to vary/control pressure and current profiles
 - Two NBIs (6 independent sources), HHFW, 3D coils and lithium deposition
 - Different pressure and current profiles from using a subset of the 6 NBI sources
 - Heating/current drive from HHFW with NBI or used independently
 - 3D coils used to modify rotation profile coupled with NBI
 - Different profiles with/without lithium
 - Need to identify ways to decouple pressure and current profile variations
 - Different time scales of pressure and current profile relaxation
 - HHFW in heating mode

T&T TSG Experimental Ideas

- T&T researches to support the FY15 JRT
 - q_{min} dependence of confinement (fixed q₉₅)
 - DIII-D observation of degraded confinement with broader current profile and with q₉₅ fixed
 - B_T, Ip and collisionality scalings with different [□]
 NBI source combinations and HHFW
 - Try to decouple pressure and current profile
 - 3D coils to modify rotation profile
 - Lithium scan to vary pressure and current profile
 - Need to assess the coupling between pressure and current profile
 - Lithiated and non-lithiated plasma comparison
 - Confinement and pressure profiles are known to be different between the cases from NSTX experiments
 - Also impurity and momentum confinement

