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## **Transport and Turbulence priorities for FY2010**

- Investigate the mechanisms governing electron transport
- L-H transition physics
- Study relationship between particle/impurity transport and momentum pinch
- Beta scaling of confinement using dimensionless parameter scans in ELMy/ELM-free discharges
- Aspect ratio dependence of confinement scaling (DIII-D similarity, ITPA)

#### Research Milestone R(11-1): Study turbulence regimes responsible for ion and electron energy transport

- High-k (more availability)
- Low-k (BES)
- Magnetic fluctuations
- ITG, CTEM, micro-tearing, GAM, and ETG
- k spectrum will be measured as function of plasma parameters and correlated with energy diffusivities
- Reduce uncertainty of extrapolation to next-step ST

### T&T Breakout Session B-252 Wed 8:30-12:30

- 24 Proposals submitted requesting **21-36** run days
- T&T is allocated 5.5 1<sup>st</sup> priority and 1.5 2<sup>nd</sup> priority days
- Oversubscribed by 3-5x
- Prioritization will be crucial and probably unpleasant

# Please pay attention to other proposals using similar discharges Combining proposals that have *compatible* discharges is a must



## **Draft agenda, 5 minute presentations**

Time	Speaker	Title	Request
8:30	Howard Yuh	Introduction, run days guidance, priorities and FY2010 capabilities	-
8:35	Stan Kaye	ITPA tasks	-
8:40	S. Kaye	Impact of rotation on turbulence and energy and momentum transport	1-2
8:47	S. Kaye	Density dependence of L-H threshold	0.5
8:54	D. Battaglia	L-H power threshold for D and He plasmas using RF current drive with symmetric phasing	1
9:01	D. Battaglia	L-H power threshold versus lithium deposition and LLD temperature	0.5-1
9:08	D. Smith	Investigation of ETG turbulence isotropy	1
9:15	D. Smith	Investigation of low-k fluctuations as a source of anomalous momentum transport	1-2
<del>)</del> :22	D. Smith	Investigation of multi-scale turbulence	1-2
<del>)</del> :29	D. Smith	Survey of low-k fluctuations in NSTX	1-2
9:36	K. Tritz	Investigation of *AE induced electron transport	1-2
<del>)</del> :43	K.C. Lee	Reynolds Number Measurement on H-mode Transition	0.5-1
9:50	S. Kubota	Survey of Low-, Intermediate-, and High-kr Microturbulence, Simultaenously and Everywhere	1-2
9:57	S. Kubota	Ohmic H-Mode	0.5
10:04	S. Zweben	Ultra-high Speed GPI Measurements of the L-H transition with RF Heating	0.25-0.5
10:11	Y. Ren	Study of the Parametric Dependence of High-k Turbulence	2-3
10:18	E. Mazzucato	The spectrum of short scale turbulent fluctuations in NSTX	1-2
10:25	R. Maingi	Dependence of PLH on Radius_triangularity of the X-point	0.5-1
10:32	H. Yuh	Sustained ITBs and H-Mode ITBs	1-2
10:39	H. Yuh	Electron transport under high positive magnetic shear	РВ
10:46	R. Fonck	Investigation of ZMF and GAM zonal flows	1
10:53	R. Bell	Joint NSTX DIII-D poloidal rotation experiment	0.5-1
11:00	D. Stutman	Edgeimpurity transport dynamics using high resolutiojn ME-SXR	1
11:07	C. Petty	Aspect Ratio Scaling of Transport Between NSTX and DIII-D	0.5-1
1:14	G. McKee	Role of Edge & SOL Flows and Magnetic Geometry in the L-H Transition	1
L1:21	W. Solomon	Characterization of intrinsic torque using torque transients	1-2
11:28	W. Solomon	Determination of NTV offset rotation on NSTX	1-2
		Total requested run days	20.75-
		(Guidance for T&T is 5.5 1 <sup>st</sup> priority + 1.5 2 <sup>nd</sup> priority)	35.5