

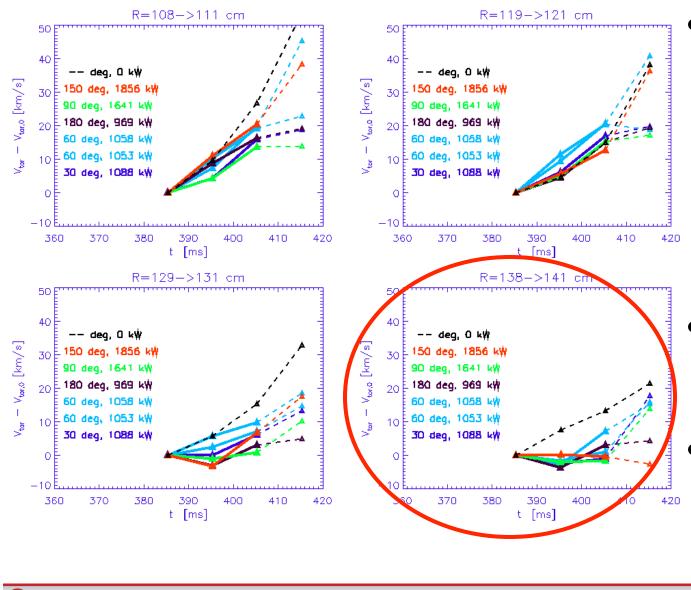


XP proposal: Effects of HHFW on toroidal rotation

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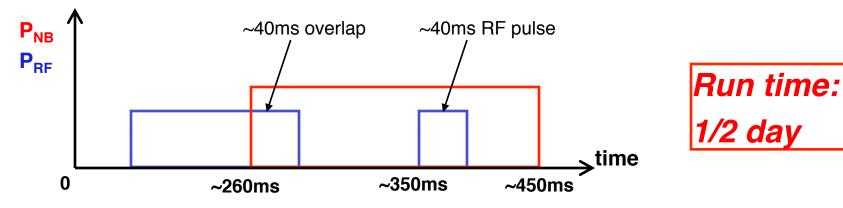
Effects of HHFW on plasma rotation observed in the past - no clear understanding



- Toroidal rotation seems to "freeze" at the edge during HHFW
 - See G. Taylor's APS invited '09
- Rotation "freed-up" when RF stops
- Phase/RF power dependence unclear

Systematic scan of RF, plasma parameters would allow to clarify the "RF clamping effect"

- Perform systematic study of edge rotation locking
 - RF phase scan, constant RF & NB power
 - RF power scan, constant RF phase & NB power: threshold?
 - NB power scan, constant RF phase & power
- Passive CHERS signal can be used to measure edge rotation during RF only



- Main issues to investigate:
 - Behavior of impurities and fast ions
 - Does RF "freeze" the rotation profile, or RF is an additional drag?

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