DIII–D DiMES and MiMES Planning 2006 "Continue Analyses And Experiments In Support of ITER"

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1. Support and analyze:

- Gap experiments Mirror experiments Porous plug exposure...Support Hydrogen sensor Tile current monitor Carbon dust
- 2. DiMES vertical extension...EDR and implementation
- 3. MiMES...CDR, EDR and implementation
- 4. Plan and perform FY06 experiments
- 5. Continue atomic data and modeling support





DiMES Modification "Raise Sample by 11.27cm Surface Align to 0.1 mm"





Lower Divertor DiMES LTOA Modification Task Outline Summary

Task 1. Guide-tube/chimney extension (D. Taussig)

- New vertical height and fine alignment with surrounding tiles
- Vertical alignment is very important for smooth DiMES sample insertion
- Installation has to be well coordinated with the installation of the new divertor floor opening and tiles

Task 2. Hydraulic cylinder extension (C. Wong)

- Disassembly and examination
- Manufacturer in Canada has been contacted, quotations and schedule received for rework and a new cylinder option is a backup
- Hydraulic cylinder to be sent after June 14th

Other tasks: (C. Wong)

Task 3. Miscellaneous: PLC service or upgrade (always insertion mode), limit switches

Task 4. Systems reconditioning: hydraulics, PIV/vacuum, diagnostics, electrical, sample exchange window screws and nuts

Task 5. Re-assembly, testing and alignment



Midplane Material Evaluation Sample (MiMES) Coordinator: D. Rudakov

Physics Validation Review Completed April 27, 2005



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DiMES old window



Fast Probe and MiMES Physics Value Added Summary (Specific to MiMES)

- Airlock
 - Fast repair of the plunging probe head
 - Using changeable probe heads for specialized physics measurements: flows, Reynolds stress, magnetic fluctuations, ion temperature, etc.
 - Enable MiMES
 - No functionality of the present setup will be lost
- MiMES (Midplane Material Evaluation Sample)
 - Net erosion/deposition measurements (integrated over exposure time)
 - Tritium retention in the first wall elements (including tile gaps)
 - Complement to the existing DiMES system
- Optical view of probes/MiMES
 - Single chord filterscope view: real-time, in-situ erosion rates
 - 2D camera view: mass transport of the eroded material
 - Edge recycling and chemical sputtering of carbon



MiMES Status

- Passed PVR
- Will prepare for CDR and EDR
- Aim for implementation before 3/2006
- Leo Chousal (UCSD) will be the design engineer support by DIII-D personnel
- Planning has just been initiated



FY2006 Budget Estimate

• DiMES + MiMES (Rudakov, Wong, Taussig, Chousal, technicians)

- Scientists + subcontract + engineers + technicians + material and services = \$ 340* k

• ALPS (Evans, Deranian)

– Atomic physics + modeling + material and services = \$60 k

Total = \$ 400 k same as FY2005

*A new window would cost ~ \$50k additional (design and hardware)

