

The Divertor Tokamak Test Facility

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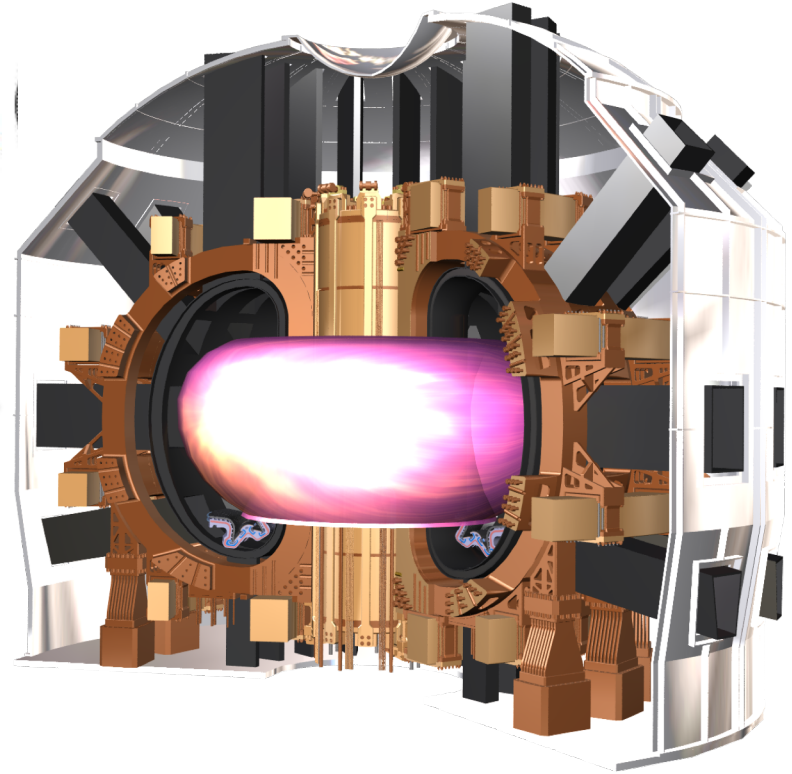
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Divertor Test Tokamak facility: 5.5 MA, 6 T, 45 MW



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Energy: ENEA and Eni join forces for international DTT project worth 600 million euros

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The companies together in the scientific and technological centre for fusion for the energy of the future: unlimited, sustainable and safe

Frascati (RM), 29 January 2020 - Italy comes to the forefront of the international stage with a project in which ENEA and Eni will work together in a strategic alliance. The project, worth over 600 million euros, focuses on the energy of the future, sustainable, safe and unlimited, and it involves the establishment of a scientific and technological centre for fusion DTT (Divertor Tokamak Test) in ENEA's Research Centre in Frascati (Rome) by DDT Scarl, a joint venture owned 25% by Eni, 74% by ENEA and 1% by Consorzio CREATE.



The project will have an impact of around 2 billion euros on the national GDP and will create 1,500 new jobs, among which 500 for scientists and technical specialists.



The agreement was signed today at the Research Centre of ENEA by the president of ENEA, **Federico Testa**, and the CEO of Eni, **Claudio Descalzi**, in the presence of the Secretary to the Prime Minister, **Riccardo Fraccaro**, of the Minister for Universities and Research, **Gaetano Manfredi**, the Minister of Economic Development, **Stefano Patuanelli** and the

DTT is here and running

- DTT is a new superconducting **tokamak** under construction in Italy (ENEA lab, Frascati)
- Main scientific goals:
 - Investigate **energy and particle exhaust systems**
 - Provide a state-of-the-art facility to accompany ITER and support DEMO design
- **Construction Budget closed**
- **Legal entity for construction established**
- **Team expanding** and for 2 positions selection is ongoing
- **Final design** started, first major **call for tender** (superconducting strand) closed, next one (TF coils) launched within few months
- Construction time: **7 years**
- Operation time: **25 years**

Main motivations for DTT

ITER baseline exhaust strategy: risks exist that it cannot be extrapolated to DEMO

Risk minimization: in parallel with ITER conventional divertor develop now credible **programme** to improve high heat flux components and to develop divertor alternative solutions

Exhaust linked with core performance: need for integrated approach and therefore plasma has to be ITER relevant

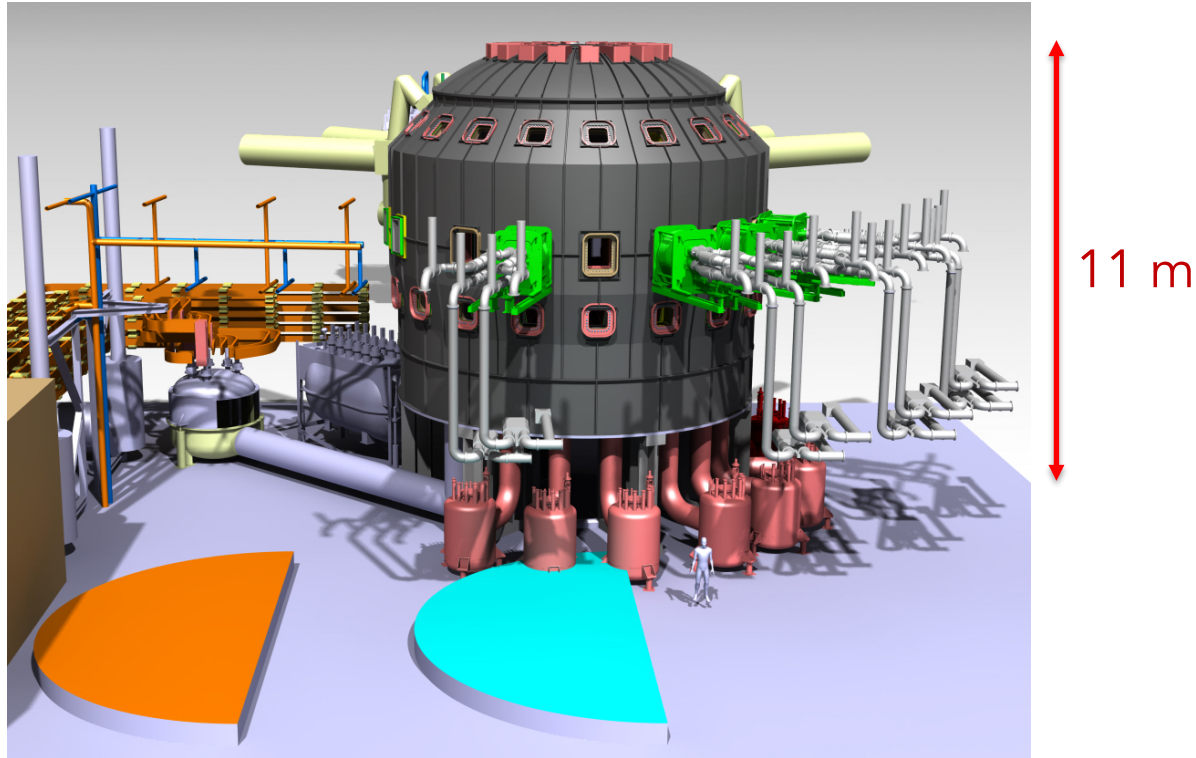
Support and complement ITER operation (e.g. disruption mitigation)

DTT design boundary conditions and key objectives

- Tackling the plasma exhaust issue
 - at power levels relevant for ITER and DEMO
 - with scenarios relevant for core – edge integration (not merely a power dump)
- Using proven technologies
- Providing a facility for:
 - Divertor concepts
 - DEMO relevant technologies
- Keeping schedule to comply with stakeholders expectations

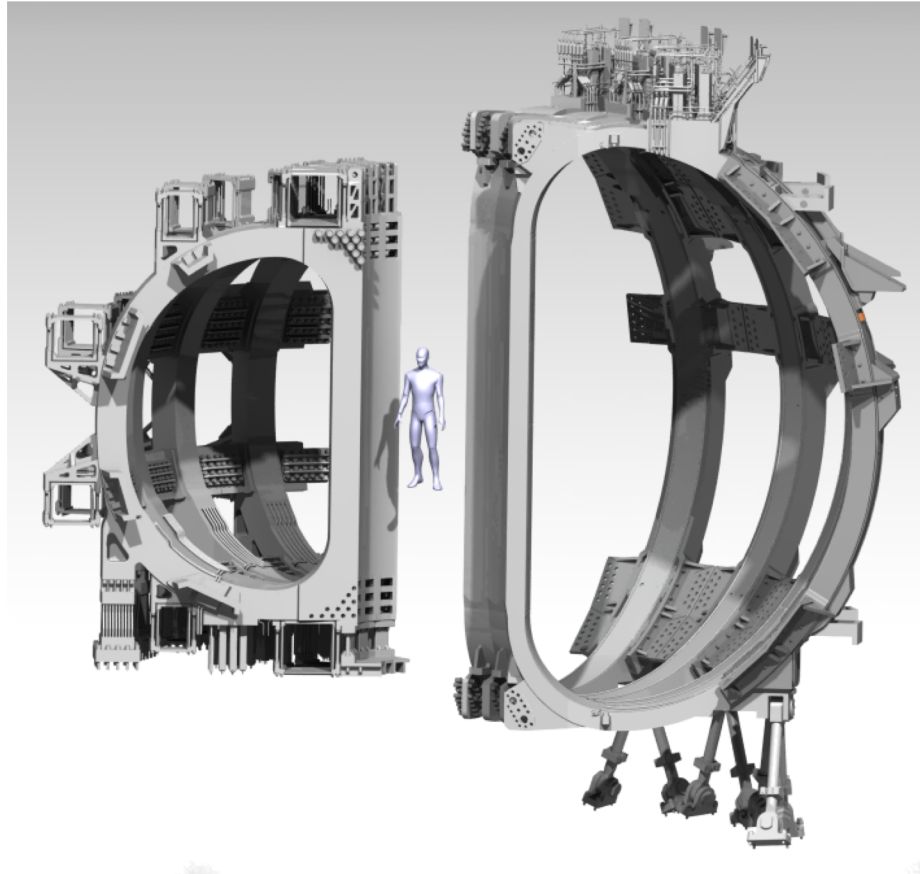
B_T (T)	I (MA)	Plasma Vol. (m ³)	Add Heating (MW)	R/a (m/m)	Pulse length (s)	Total # shots
6	5.5	~28	45	2.14 / 0.65 (0.68)	~100	25000

n/n_G	0.45
P_{sep} (MW)	32
P_{sep}/R	15
$\langle T \rangle$ (keV)	6.1
$\langle n \rangle$ (10 ²⁰ m ⁻³)	1.72
k	1.89
δ	0.46
β_N	1.5
v^*	2.5
ρ^*	2.8

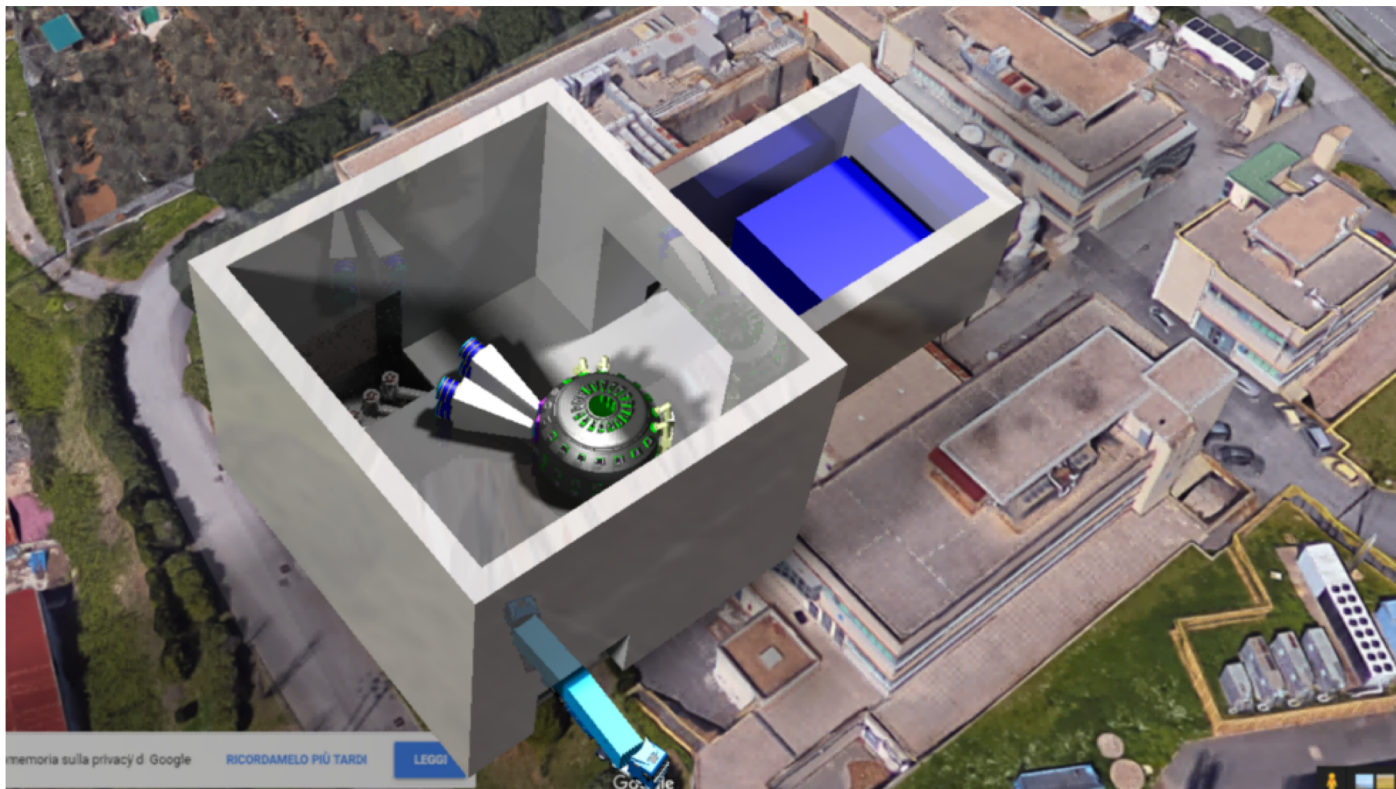


Small modification wrt. Interim design report still possible

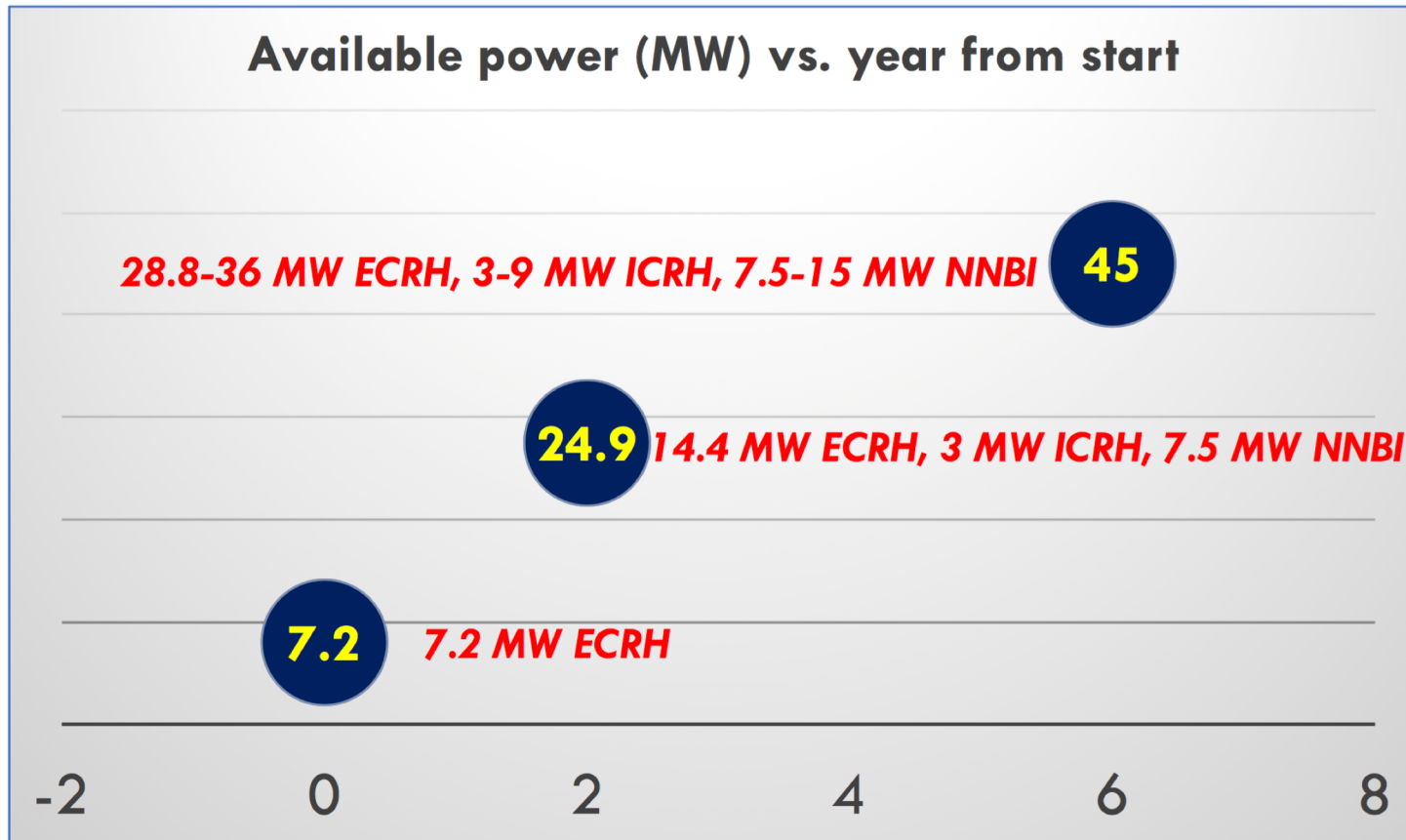
DTT vs JT-60SA



DTT site – torus hall



Heating 45 MW $P_{sep}/R \sim 15$ (ITER=14 DEMO=17)



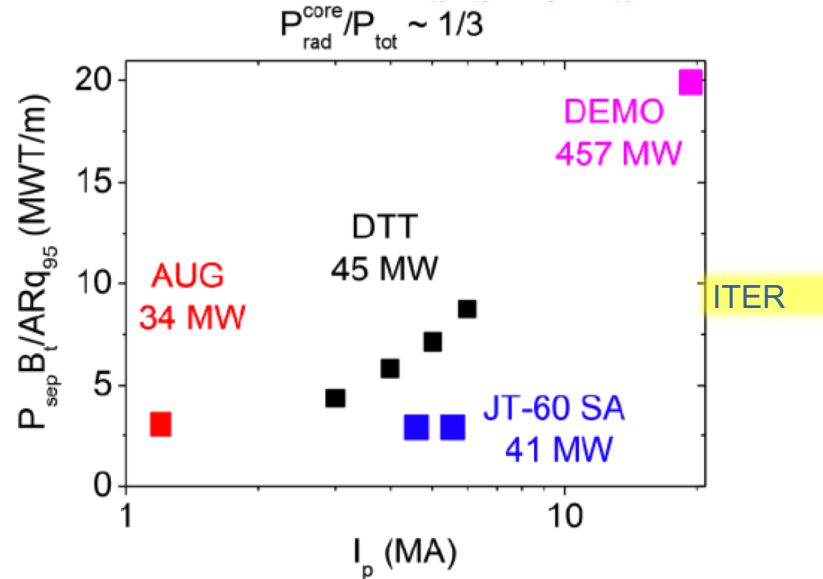
DTT comparative performance: normalized SOL power flow

DTT can reach high levels of SOL loading

Important for the study of dissipative divertor at high edge power flow levels

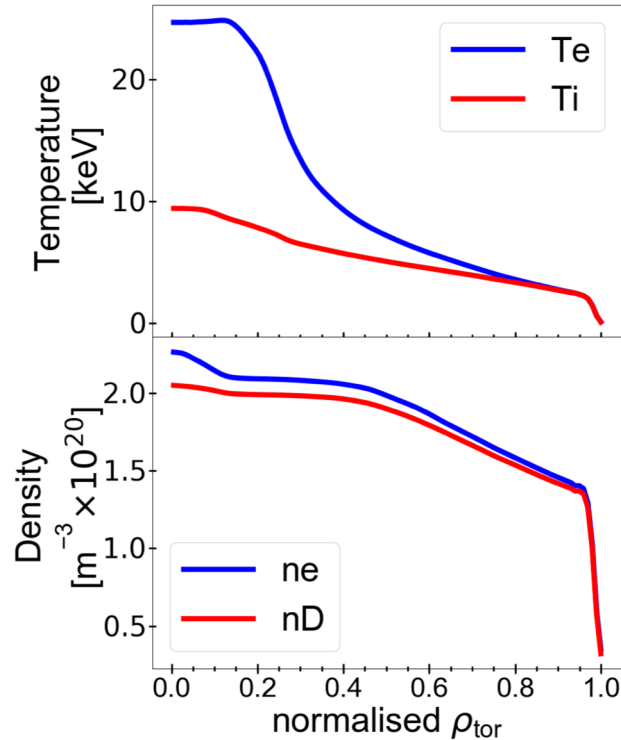
DTT can verify merits of high field

$$\lambda_q \propto Aq_{95}/R$$



Physics based simulations of SN full power plasma profiles

$B_T=6T$, $I_p=5.5$ MA, $P_{ECH}=29$ MW, $P_{NBI}=15$ MW, $P_{ICH}=3$ MW, $Z_{eff}=1.7$



- 1.5D simulations using JINTRAC/JETTO with TGLF and QuaLiKiz turbulent transport models
- Equilibrium and heating modelled self-consistently
- Pedestal from EPED
- Impurity radiation, rotation, sawteeth and ELMs not yet included

$$\tau_E \sim 0.28 \text{ sec}$$

$$\beta_N \sim 1.7$$

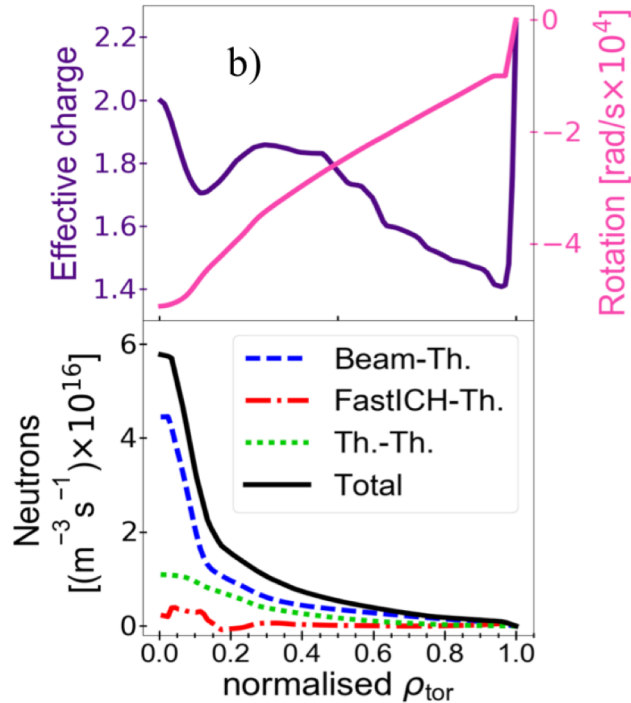
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Casiraghi, Mantica et al.)

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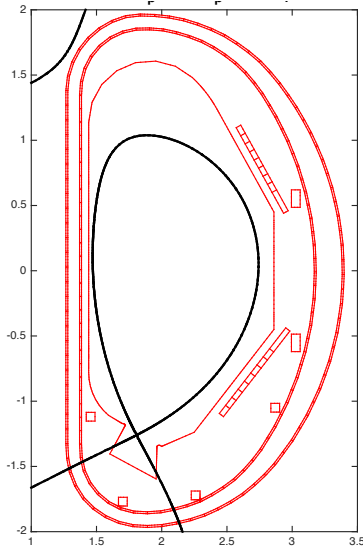
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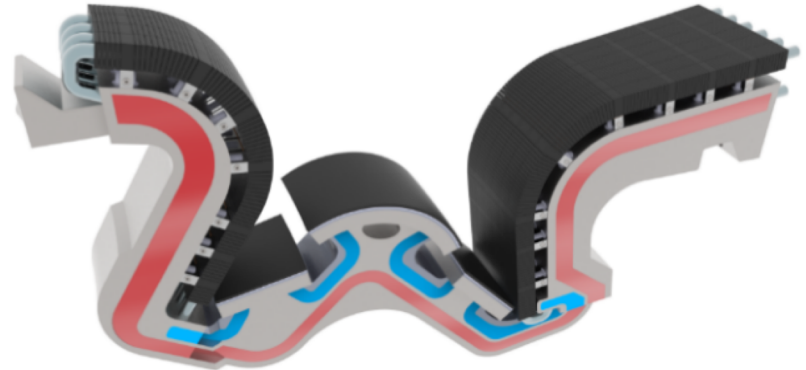
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DTT divertor flexibility

The facility will offer **sufficient flexibility** to incorporate the best candidate divertor concept even at a later stage of its construction, on the basis of the studies carried out in present tokamaks involved in the PEX activities (around 2022-2023, according to agreement with EUROfusion).

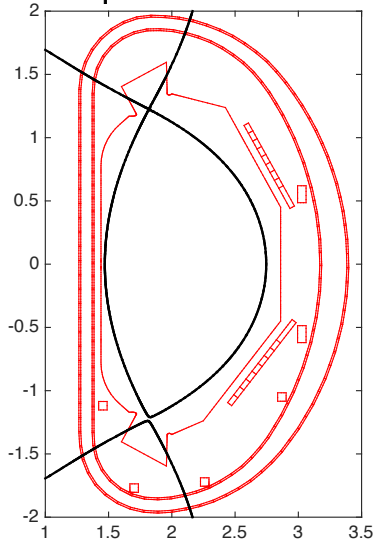


Single Null Reference configuration $I_{p1}=5.5$ MA

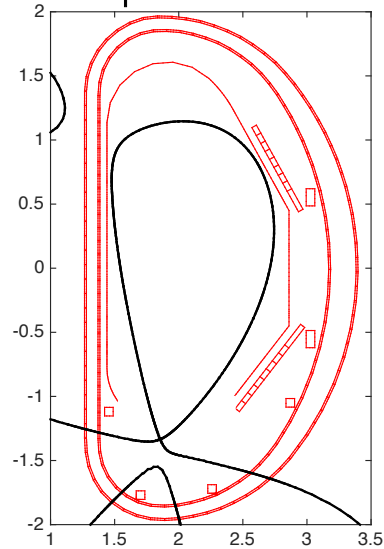


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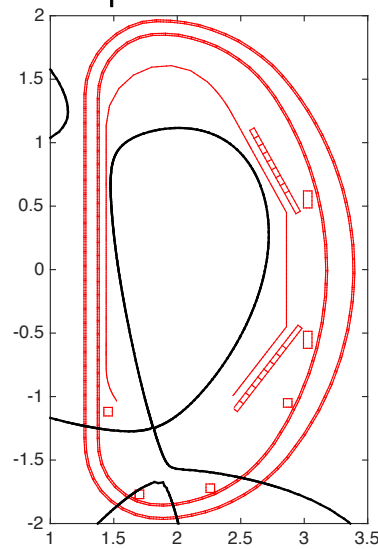
Double Null
 $I_{pl}=5$ MA



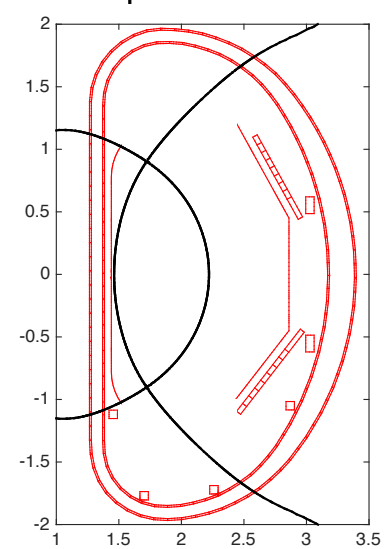
Snowflake
 $I_{pl}=4.5$ MA



X-divertor
 $I_{pl}=4.5$ MA

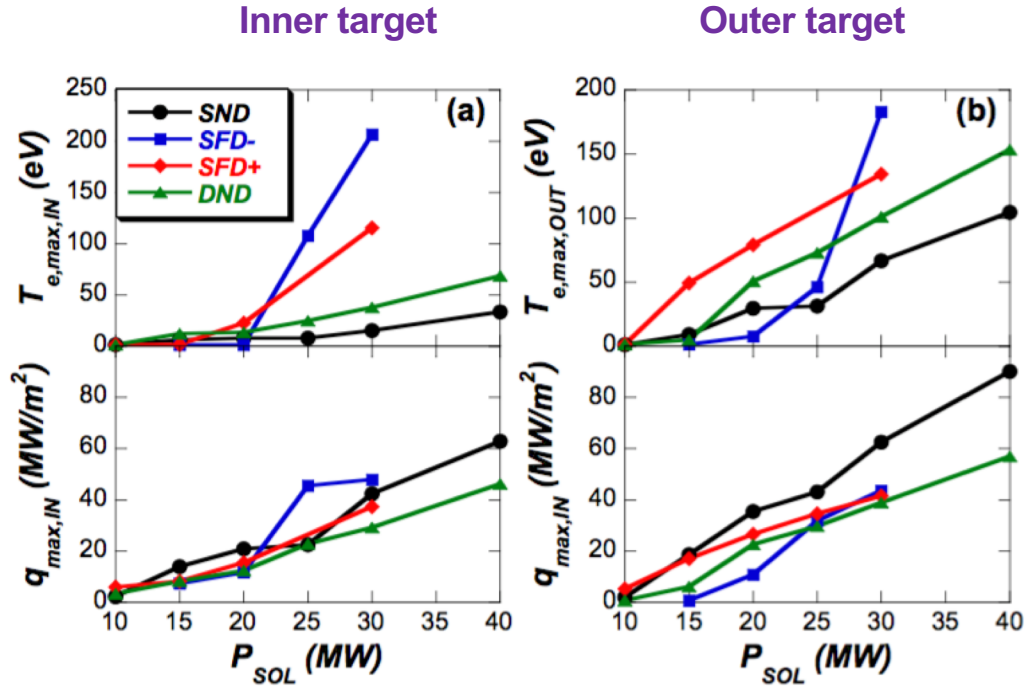


Double Super-X
 $I_{pl}=3$ MA



Fluid modeling of power exhaust: pure deuterium

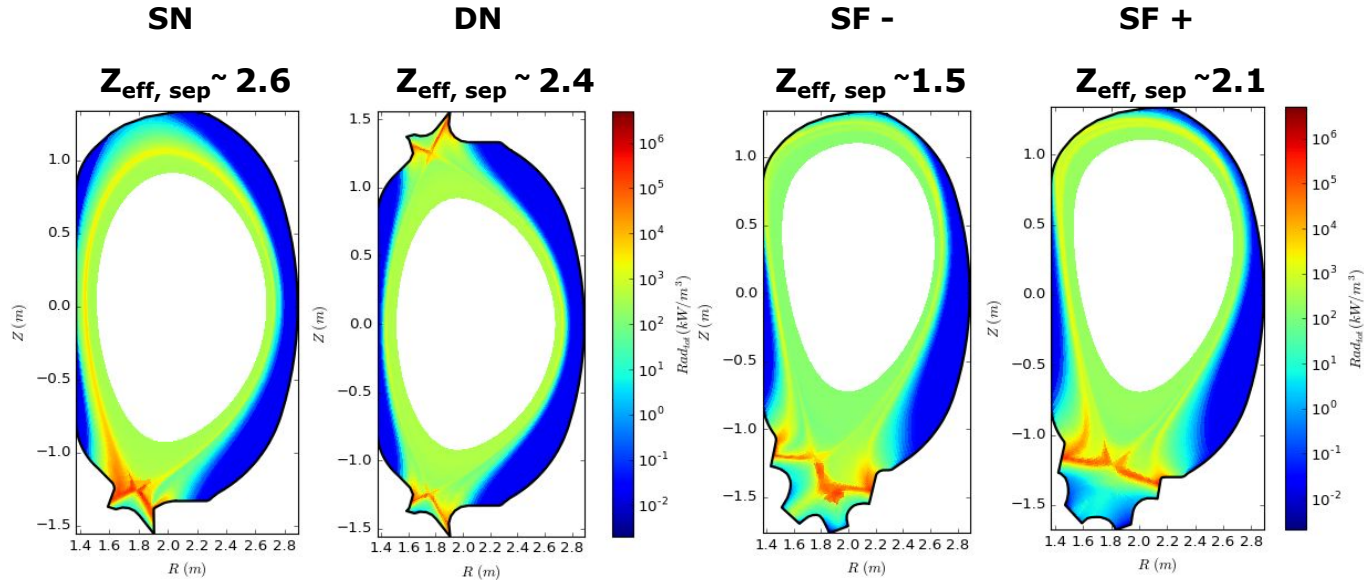
High radiation fraction needed to operate DTT at maximum power



For acceptable divertor conditions (power load and detachment) in pure D need to reduce P_{SOL} at a very low value (~ 10 MW for SN)

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Impurity seeding: 90% radiation fraction with Ar and Ne

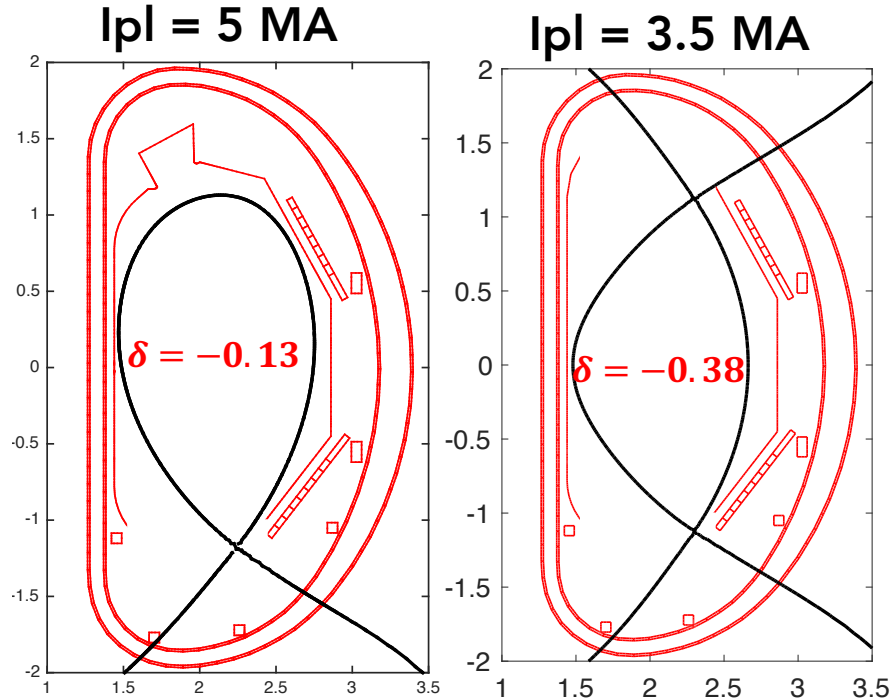


$$P_{SOL} = 36 \text{ MW} - P_{rad}/P_{sol} \sim 90\%$$

$$n_{sep} = 1 \times 10^{20} \text{ m}^{-3}$$

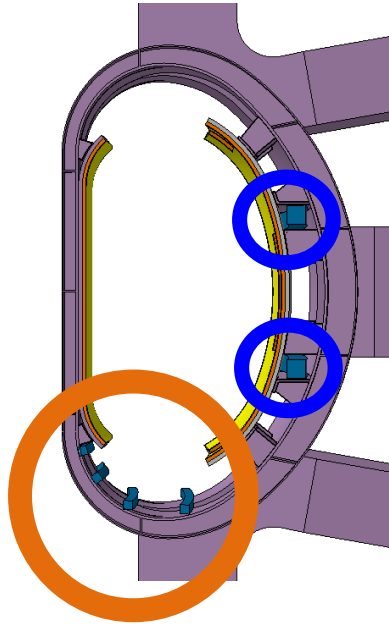
Ne seeding requires higher Z_{eff}

Negative Triangularity



- Available space inside TF coils allows for optimization of.
 - first wall
 - stabilizing plates
 - Vessel
- Vessel being redesigned now

In-vessel coils and DMS



2 independent $n=0$ copper coils and 2 stabilizing plates for

- Vertical stabilization
- Fast radial control (breakdown, L-H & H-L transitions)
- DN wobbling

4 independent $n=0$ divertor coils for:

- Magnetic configuration control in the divertor region
- Strike point sweeping (DEMO option)

Internal coils for ELM/MHD control under design

DMS system (shattered pellet) to support ITER

Physics organization: areas and coordinators

'Plasma exhaust and divertor physics' (Paolo Innocente)

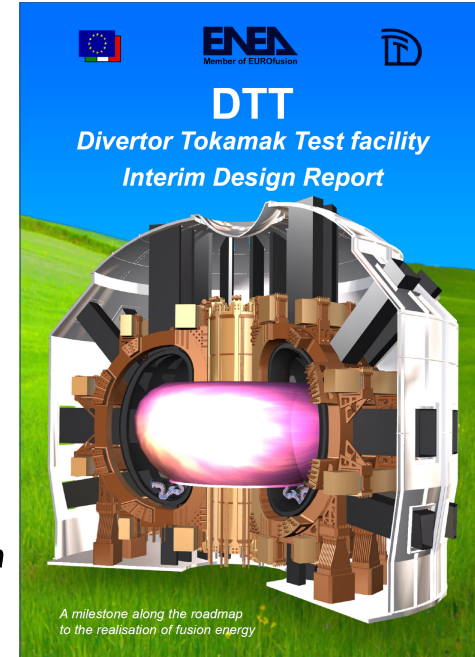
'Plasma scenarios and transport' (Paola Mantica)

'Diagnostics' (Marco Valisa)

'MHD stability and its control, and disruptions ' (Gregorio Vlad)

'Plasma theory' (Fulvio Zonca)

Executive Board: Aldo Pizzuto (PL), Raffaele Albanese, Flavio Crisanti, Piero Martin



<https://www.dtt-project.enea.it>

DTT interim design report



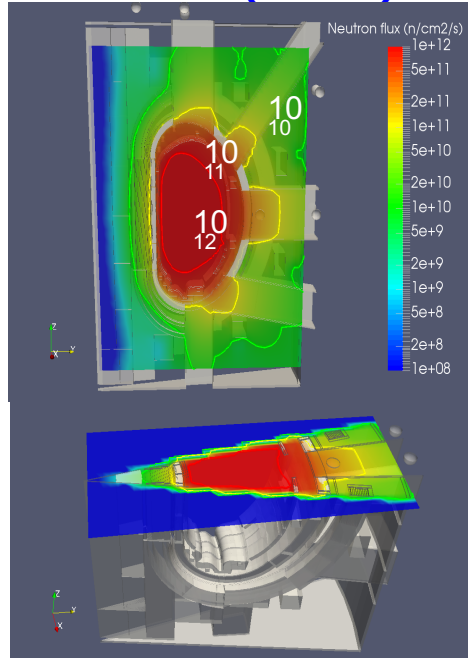
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Spare slides

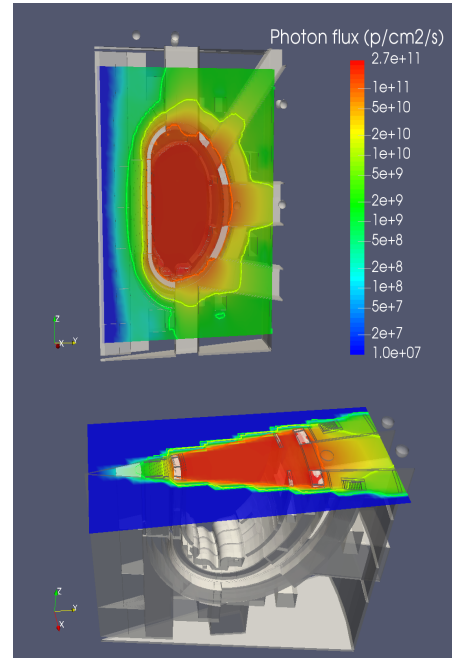
DTT Neutronics

- **DD neutron yield rate** in max performance (P_{add} 45 MW): $1 \cdot 10^{17}$ n/s
- **DT neutron yield due to Triton burn-up** in max performances: $1 \cdot 10^{15}$ n/s (1%)

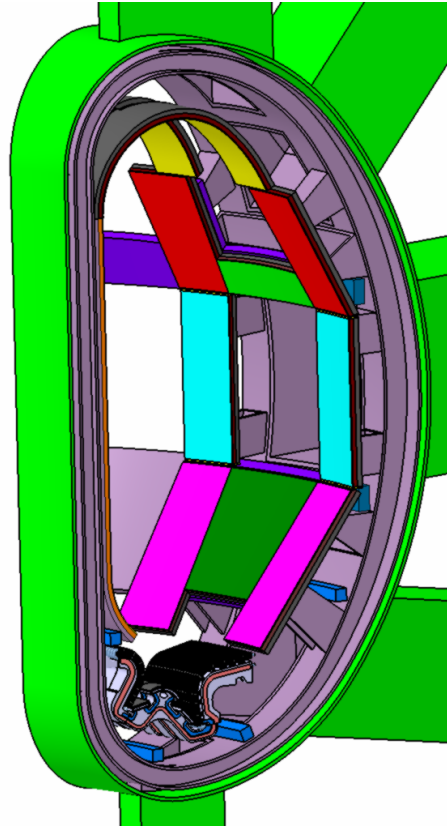
Neutron (n/cm²s)



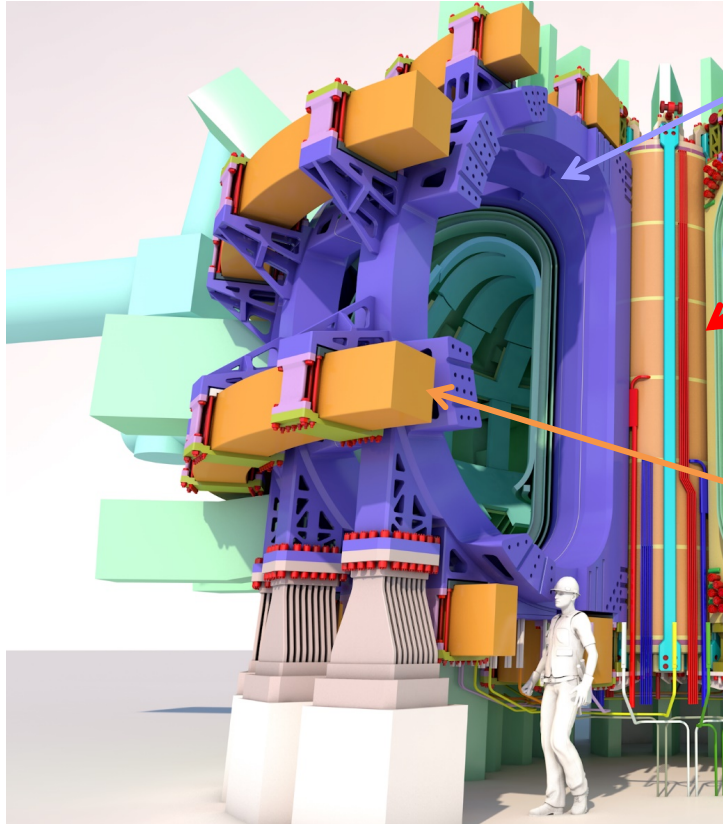
Gamma (p/cm²s)



DTT symmetric up-down to increase flexibility



Superconducting magnet system: overview



18 Toroidal Field coils

Nb₃Sn Cable-In-Conduit Conductors
5 *Double-Pancakes* (3 regular + 2 side)

6 Central Solenoid module coils

Nb₃Sn Cable-In-Conduit Conductors
6 *independent modules*

6 Poloidal Field coils

4 **NbTi** Cable-In-Conduit Conductors
2 **Nb₃Sn** Cable-In-Conduit Conductors
6 *independent modules*

**Design based on proven
and reliable technologies**

ECRH System

32-40 MW installed (16 MW in the first phase) exploiting existing technology:

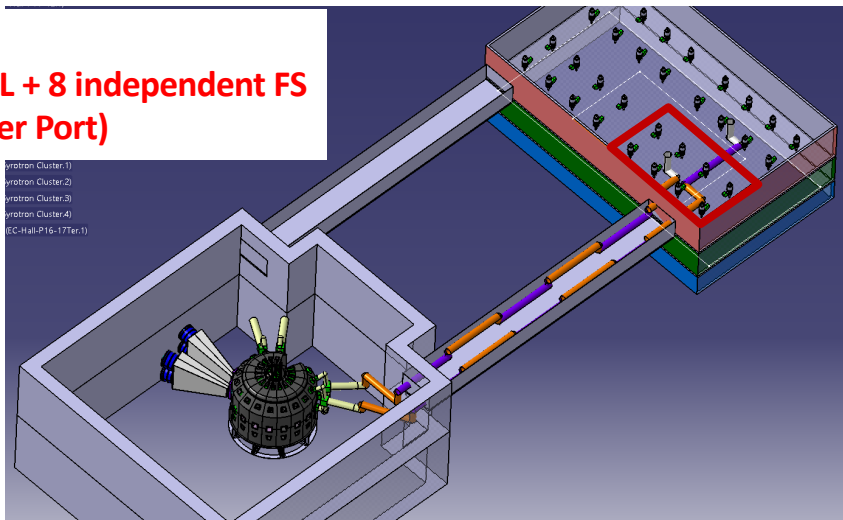
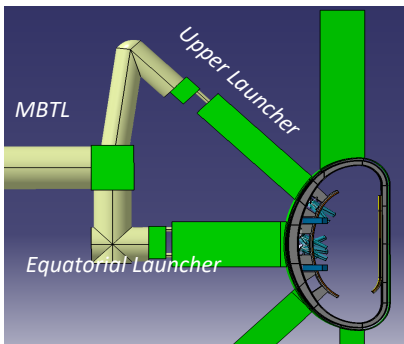
Gyrotron (170 GHz/1 MW/100 s) + High Voltage Power Supply: RoX from ITER

Quasi Optical Evacuated Transmission Line (TL): RoX from W7-X

Antenna: Front Steering Launchers fully independent

Clusters Architecture:

**8 Gyrotron (feed in couple) + 1 QOTL + 8 independent FS
Launcher (6 in Eq. Port and 2 in Upper Port)**



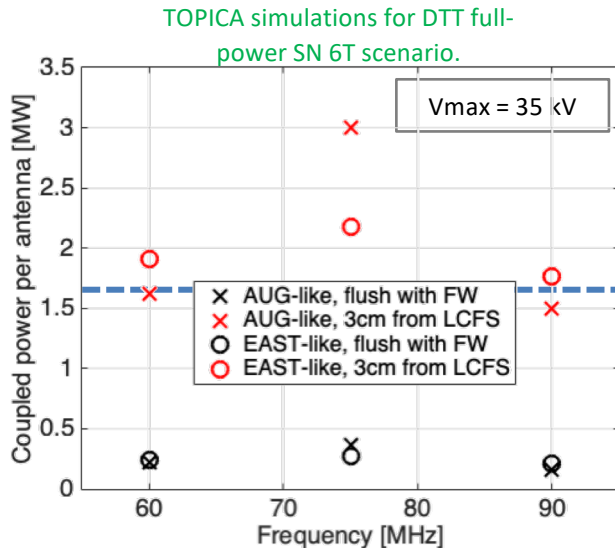
Central CD (~25 kA/MW) for 0.72 MA of non inductive contribution

Ion Cyclotron Resonance Heating

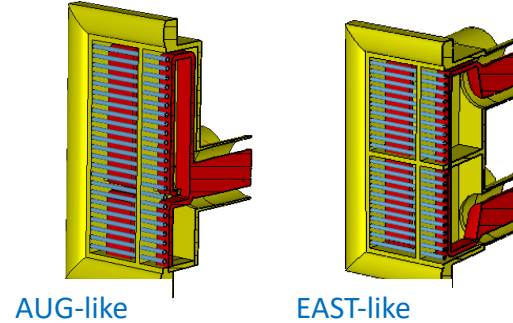
3 MW at plasma from day-1, up to 9 MW at final stage

Base Module

- 2 or 4 transmitters: (60 MHz- 90 MHz) for 4 MW
- 4 coaxial TL with ECT matching scheme
- 2 Antennas (2 x Straps, movable)



Antenna Options



Antenna concept (present reference):

- 2 straps (single or double feeding)
- Port-plug radially movable: 0 – 6 cm
- Power density : 3- 3.5 MW/m²
- Stand-off Voltage 36 kV/cm
- **Plug-in efficiency: ~40%**

The power distribution in the 3 systems for the **day-1** will be:

ECRH: 16 Gyrotron for 14.4 MW at plasma - 170 GHz/1
MW/100 s

ICRH: 3 MW at plasma

NNBI: 1 Injector for 7.5 MW at plasma

The decision for power distribution in the **final stage** still open:

	Option1	Option2	Option3
NNBI	15 MW	7.5 MW	7.5 MW
ECRH	28.8 MW	36 MW	28.8 MW
ICRH	3 MW	3 MW	9 MW
Power (MW)	46.8 MW	46.5 MW	45.3 MW

NNBI main parameters

- Power to plasma: **7.5 MW per injector**
- Beam energy: **400 keV** in 2 acc. stages
- Extracted current: **40 A** of D⁻
- Target wall plug efficiency: ~45%

- 8 RF plasma sources
- Hybrid vacuum system (NEG + cryo)
- 40 ° Injection at LCMS

Shine through losses Evaluations

