23rd IAEA Fusion Energy Conference - Summary Session

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Summary on ITR, FTP and SEE

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Evolution of the number of FTP/ITR/SEE Papers in the past and present IAEA-FECs



ITER papers increased with ITER/BA progress. FT papers are increasing constantly.

Roadmap to DEMO



Road Map to DEMO



ITER Master Schedule Established



Evacuation/Construction at ITER site started



Leveling





PF Building

HQ building (Annex build.) Tokamak building complex. PF building

(Sep. 2010)

(Motojima)



ELM Control is Essential in ITER Uncontrolled ELMs - Operation limited to $I_p \le 6 - 9$ MA

- $\Delta W_{FLM}^{uncontrolled}$ determined by ELM physics
- Material damage avoidance + ELM physics \rightarrow required $\Delta W_{FLM}^{controlled}$

0.5 MJm⁻² $\rightarrow \Delta W_{ELM}^{controlled} \sim 0.7$ MJ (15 MA, Q_{DT} = 10, A_{ELM} = A_{s.s.})



Uncontrolled ELM operation with low erosion up to $I_p = 6.0-9.0$ MA depending on $A_{ELM}(\Delta W_{ELM})$ \rightarrow No ELM damage for initial H-mode operation in ITER

Runaway electrons must be suppressed in ITER

 Massive runaway electrons can be produced during Current Quench of plasma disruptions in ITER. They must be suppressed by Disruption Mitigation System.



(Putvinski)

Modeling of CQ with repetitive gas injection show suppression of RE current at ~1 MA

• A new scheme based on injection of dense gas jets in Current Quench plasmas could allow reduction of RE current to a tolerable level at a reduced amount of gas.

ITER H&CD Analysis - Q=10 Scenario

Tools, assumptions, results:

JETTO with GLF-23 transport Δ_{barrier} : 6 cm

2 cases considered: flat and peaked n_e

Each heating system separately considered:

When P_α developed P_{ext} -> 40 MW

Inductive scenario:

$$f_{bs} = I_{bs}/I_{pl} = 0.2$$

 $f_{CD} = I_{CD}/I_{p} = 0.07$

Q on the pedestal pressure (H-mode)

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Discussion: ICRH ion heating pays off: $\Delta Q > 1$

(Wagner)

Extrapolation Backward From ITER Shows Required Conditions Exist in Present Experiments

- Desired pulse length, auxiliary power, and gain are specified
- Operational limits define the parameters consistent with the specifications
 - Density limit and necessity for H mode require operation with I>10.5 MA
 - Required H_{98y2} lies between 1.1 and 1.3
 - Divertor power load and required β_N are reasonable
- Conditions needed for ITER operation at Q=5 for almost 1 hour are consistent with present experience

Hybrid $\Delta t = 3000s$: P_{NB} = 33 MW, P_{EC} = 17 MW Operational limits at Q = 5: P_{loss}/P_{L-H} > 1, I_P < 15 MA.

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Superconducting Magnet (1/2)

Most of the Procurement Arrangements have been signed and an extensive progress has been made to meet the 2019 1st plasma.

Co	Sharing of	ITEF	k mag	net pro	cure	ment a	among	J DAS
onidal Pera	Component	10	CN	EU	ко	JA	RF	US
	TF Conductors		7%	20%	20%	25%	20%	8%
	TF Windings+Insert.			10 coils		9 coils		
	TF Case Sections					100%		
	CS Conductors					100%		
	CS Coils+Structure							7 coils
Central Solenoid coil	PF Conductors		65%	21%			14%	
(Shorchia)	PF Coils			5 coils			1 (PF1)	
(Sporchaj	TF, CS Supports		100%					

Reference Schedule of the Delivery of TF Coils



Major milestones •Delivery of 1st TF conductor in 2010 •Start of assembly of 1st TF coils in 2016 •Delivery of the last PF coil and the CS coils in 2017

Superconducting Magnet (2/2)

Large scale production of superconductors (strands, cables and jacketing) has started. (Takahashi, Sborchia)







TF conductor PF conductor (NbTi) (Nb₃Sn) and CS conductor (Nb₃Sn)



Jacketing facility is in operation in JA and RF, and is being set up in CN, EU and US.



First TF conductor (JA)

Demonstration of manufacturing technology has started. (Li, Wei, Sborchia)



Radial plate mock-ups for TF coil produced by HIP (left) and forging (right) (EU)



Prototype of side plate for TF coil case (JA)



Tooling for 1/3 scale dummy winding (JA)

Studies of radiation effect on the TF coil insulation (Weber) and R&D on 52kA HTS current lead (Zhou) support the ITER magnet design.

Vacuum Vessel

Characteristics of Vacuum Vessel

- A torus shaped double wall structure
- First containment barrier and highest safety importance
- Tight overall profile tolerances

DA	Procurement Item	kIUA
EU	Main vessel (7 sectors)	92.06
KO	Main vessel (2 sectors)	26.20
KÜ	Equatorial & lower ports	57.86
IN	In-wall shields	37.30
RF	Upper ports	20.86

DA	Activity	Milestone			
	PA signature	19 Nov 2009			
EU	Contract award	18 Oct 2010			
	1 st sector delivery (#5)	05 May 2015			
	PA signature	19 Nov 2008			
КО	Contract award	15 Jan 2010			
	1 st sector delivery (#6)	18 Mar 2015			
DE	PA signature	09 Jun 2009			
ĸr	Contract award	09 Jun 2009			
IN	PA signature	24 Sep 2009			
	Contract award	01 Sep 2010			

(Bak)





Divertor

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Dome

W

W

M



Outer Vertical Target

Status and Plan

- Pre-qualific. mock-up's testing successful (JA/EU/RF) by 2009.
- After successful completion of Prototypes testing (final qualification), each DA will start procurement, to be completed in 2019.

(Merola)

Procurement schedule

	2010	2011	2012	\sim	2018	2019	2020	
Inner Target							1	
Outer Target								
Dome								
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Cassette Body	'							

Procurement sharing and Qualification Prototypes

First Wall and Blanket ITER



(Merola)

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Neutral Beam H&CD

ITER NB Injector

Power supply procurement to be started soon by JA and EU.

EPROX



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(Tobari)

Accelerator voltage holding led to beam parameter improvement.



Gyrotron for ECH&CD

ITER Gyrotron development



New results on 170GHz gyrotrons

- 1MWx570s at Russian gyrotron (RF)
- 2.2MW (5ms) on coaxial gyrotron (KIT)
- Repetitive operation of 0.8MWx600s with every 30 min for 8 days (JAEA)
- 5kHz-1.1MW-CW power modulation was proved for NTM suppression (JAEA)
- 1.3MW outputs at 170GHz and 136GHz with dual frequency gyrotron (JAEA)

Gyrotron powers attained

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(Red: New data after 2008, >1s)



(Litvak, Sakamoto, Gantenbein)

ITER Test Blanket Module (TBM) Program

Unique testing to evaluate blanket functions of prototypical modules of DEMO Blankets in the real fusion environment of ITER.

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- ITER Council approved TBM Program be undertaken within ITER framework.

 ITER Organization will prepare infra-structure and components needed for TBM testing and provide space for testing.

Proposed is to test initial TBM in 2020 and to test DT phase TBM in 2027.

Present status of the selection of the six TBM Systems to be installed in ITER

Port No. and PM	TBM Concept	TBM Concept
16 (PM : EU)	HCLL (TL : EU)	HCPB (TL : EU)
18 (PM : JA)	WCCB (TL : JA)	DCLL (InCo : US (KO))*
2 (PM : CN)	HCCB (TL : CN)	LLCB (TL : IN)

(*InCo=Interfaces Coordinator (=TBM delivery not committed)) HCLL : Helium-cooled Lithium Lead, HCPB : He-cooled Pebble Beds (Ceramic/Beryllium) WCCB : Water-cooled Ceramic Breeder (+Be), DCLL : Dual Coolant (He & LiPb) Lithium Lead HCCB : He-cooled Ceramic Breeder (+Be), LLCB : Lithium-Lead Ceramic Breeder (DC type, He & LiPb)

R&Ds on TBM - Highlights of this Conference

Full-scaled TBM mock-ups successfully fabricated from Reduced Activation Ferritic/Martensitic (RAF/M) steel, and their functions confirmed. (JA: Tanigawa)



Tritium recovery ratio of 1.05 ± 0.08 from the ceramic breeder measured at 873 K under DT neutrons for the first time in the world. (JA: Ochiai)



DT neutron irradiation mock-up



RAFM(CLF-1)steel

For joining Be to RAF/M, HIP(hot isostatic pressing) technology applied, and performances verified by thermal fatigue test. (KO: Lee)

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A 500kg of RAFM (CLF-1)s teel was recently produced by vacuum induction melting and electroslag remelting method. Be pebbles and the Breeder pebbles (Li₂TiO₃, Li₄SiO₄) successfully fabricated. (CN: Feng)



Be Pebbles

Simulated ITER TBM Error Field Experiments Showed Effects to be Small and Probably Correctable

RESULTS

Small Effects on: Plasma startup L-mode confinement L-to-H transition ELMs RMP ELM suppression Fast ion power loss

Divertor splitting

Of Concern if Scaling is too Unfavorable:

H-mode confinement and plasma braking at high ß

• Confinement loss correlates with flow braking

THEORY says most TBM braking is NTV from a few n=1 harmonics

- Plasma amplifies n=1

IPEC predicts correction in DIII-D plasma

EXPERIMENT demonstrated n=1 compensation of TBM effect on locked modes

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- Despite uncorrected n>1





D retention in irradiated W-targets

Simulation of neutron irradiation by 12.3 MeV W⁴⁺ ions and subsequent exposure to ITER divertor like ion fluxes in Pilot-PSI (10²⁴ m⁻²s⁻¹, Te~1 eV)





- Pronounced increase of D retention for damage levels of 0.5 dpa and higher
- Relative enhancement of D-retention is highest at high target temperature (Rapp)

Simulation of neutron irradiation by 3-4 MeV ⁴He²⁺ ions and subsequent exposure to ITER first wall like ion fluxes in Lenta (E_i=250 eV)

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- Irradiation by ⁴He²⁺ ions led to large voids (Δ=2μm) and nano-structures in the material
- D-retention was highest in those voids (Koidan)

Broader Approach (BA) Activities



IFMIF/EVEDA Status



- Manufacturing of the Accelerator Prototype has started.
- Assembly of the EVEDA Lithium Test Loop is almost completed.
- IFMIF Engineering Design has started, with the goal to deliver the Engineering Design Report by mid 2013. (Garin)

JT-60SA is being constructed





$$\begin{split} I_p &= 5.5 \text{ MA, } B_t = 2.25 \text{ T} \\ R &= 2.97 \text{ m, } a = 1.18 \text{ m, } A ~2.5 \\ \text{Shape: } \kappa_x ~2, \, \delta_\chi ~0.6, \, \text{S} ~7 \\ \text{Fully superconducting magnets} \\ \text{Heating power: } 41 \text{ MW (D}^0 \text{ into } D^+) \text{ with} \\ \text{N-NBI(500 keV), } P\text{-NBI and ECRF} \\ \text{Duration: } 100 \text{ sec} \\ \text{In-vessel: divertor cassette, control coils} \end{split}$$

- To explore high beta steady state and ITERrelevant regimes with high performance and high shaping capability for ITER and DEMO.
- International project for construction and exploitation contributed by EU/JA.
- Machine design completed in 2008.
- Procurement activities started for TF and PF magnets, vacuum vessel, divertor, first wall materials, cryostat and power supply.
- PF magnet and vacuum vessel are being manufactured.



- Disassembly of JT-60 facilities proceeds.
- Start of tokamak assembly and first plasma are planned in 2012 and 2016, respectively.
- JT-60SA research plan development started.

Development of Reduced-activation Structural Materials



Candidate materials:

Ferritic/martensitic (RAF/M) steels as a leading candidate (F82H, EUROFER)
ODS, V-alloys and SiC/SiC composite as advanced candidates

Fusion Technology

Evaluation of RAF/M steels:

- On-going with irradiation database toward the design window
- Suppression of irradiation-induced hardening and embrittlement possible (F82H) by applying appropriate heat treatment (Ohkubo)
- Low cycle fatigue lifetime after 70dpa irradiation comparable to that of unirradiated (EUROFER97) (Gaganidze)
 China(CLAM) and Russia (RUSFER)
 initiated development of RAF/M
 (Chernov)

Designs / Concepts for Next-Term D-T Facilities

•FAST (ENEA), FNSF-ST (ORNL), FDF / FNSF-AT (GA)

•R = 1.3m - 2.7m; Aspect ratio = 1.6 - 4; Q_{DT} = 0.1 - 7

•Support or complement ITER: ITER: (R;Q_{DT}) = (6.21m;5-10)





FAST (1.85m;<1.5)

FNSF-ST (1.3m;<3)



FDF / FNSF-AT (2.7m;<7)



(Peng, Chan, Crisanti)

Pilot Plant (AT/ST/CS) (Menard)

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- In the sessions of ITR, FTP and SEE, 159 contributions were presented in total, showing remarkable progress of the ITER Project and good progress in the areas of a variety of complementary activities to DEMO, including BA activities and long-term fusion technology.
- ITER Baseline has been established, and procurement activities have been started in the member countries as planned under the leadership of IO. In particular, those for the long lead-time components are now in a serious manufacturing phase with a target to realizing the first plasma in 2019.
- ITER physics basis is sound. Operation scenarios and operational issues (ELM, RE, etc.) have been extensively studied in close collaboration with ITPA. Further efforts are strongly encouraged with a focus on some of the key operational issues.

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- Test Blanket Module program has been incorporated in the ITER Program, and extensive R&Ds has been on-going in the member countries with a view to delivering their own TBMs in a timely manner according to the ITER master schedule.
- Broader Approach Activities (EU-JA collaboration) are now at a full swing. Dismantling of JT-60 and manufacturing of key components are on going in JT-60SA Project, and engineering validation activities by prototypical accelerator and Li loop has started in IFMIF/EVEDA Project.
- Development of reduced-activation structural materials is one of the most critical, long-term R&D items toward DEMO, and very promising progresses were reported in this conference.
- Also presented and discussed in this conference were interesting concepts of near-term DT facilities with a mission to mitigate physics and/or technology risks from ITER to DEMO, which are subject to further discussions in the fusion community.