

# **DiMES and PFC relevant experiments from DIII-D**

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- 1. DiMES sample and hard wares**
- 2. VDE disruption shot #114667**

**Equilibrium and parameters**  
**Surface temperature distribution**  
**Particle flux distribution**  
**Tile currents**  
**Erosion of graphite DiMES**

- 3. C<sup>13</sup> co-deposition experiment**
- 4. He discharges on physical and chemical sputtering**

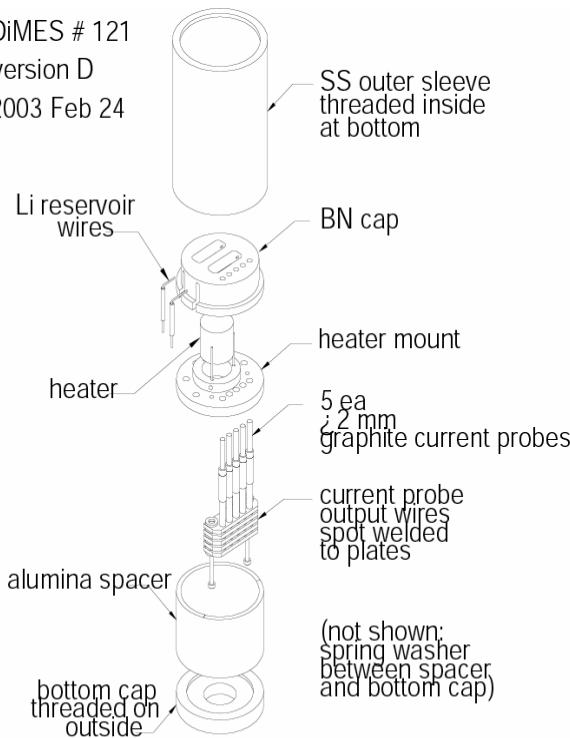
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# Li-DiMES and additional hard wares

DiMES # 121  
version D  
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Note:  
In order to have 5 current probes, 2 wires in each Li reservoir, heater, and thermocouple all on independent circuits, the shield wire must be used as a current carrying conductor.



DiMES rack with power supply



DiMES internal cables terminal

**5 channels of optically coupled isolated amplifiers are in order.**

# **Disruption in DIII-D to simulate ITER ELMs DiMES exposure to shot # 114667**

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- ITER FEAT ELMs<sup>1</sup>: 0.5-2 Hz,  $\Delta W_{th}/W_{th} \sim 2\text{-}6\%$ , implies 1.2 to 3.6 MJ, when  $W_{th}=60$  MJ, deposition time 0.1-1 ms.
- DIII-D VDE disruption: Total energy release 0.5 to 2 MJ (thermal+magnetic+conduction+radiation+auxiliary) dissipated in a 2-3 ms.

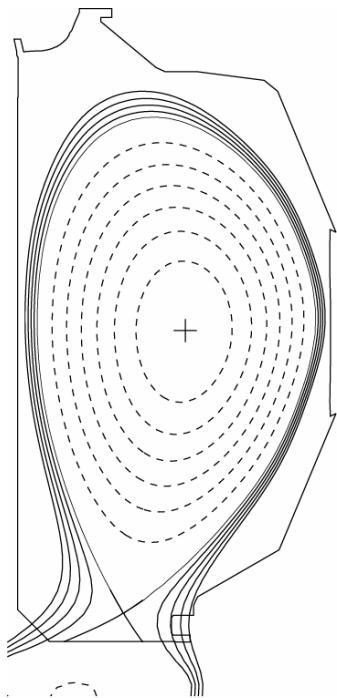
**The goal is to provide disruption data from DIII-D and corresponding DiMES material surface erosion/damage to bench mark ITER ELMs modeling.**



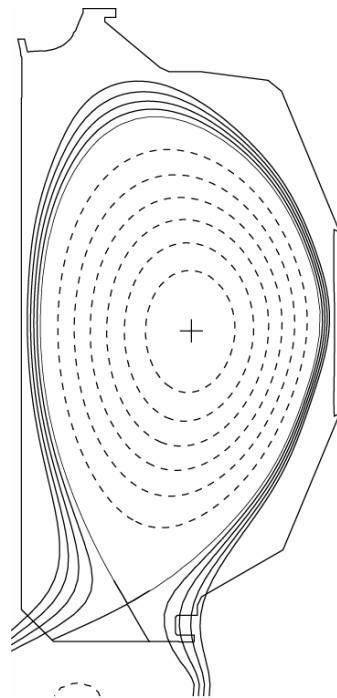
**<sup>1</sup>G. Federici PFC review 2001**

# DIII-D VDE Displacement shot # 114667

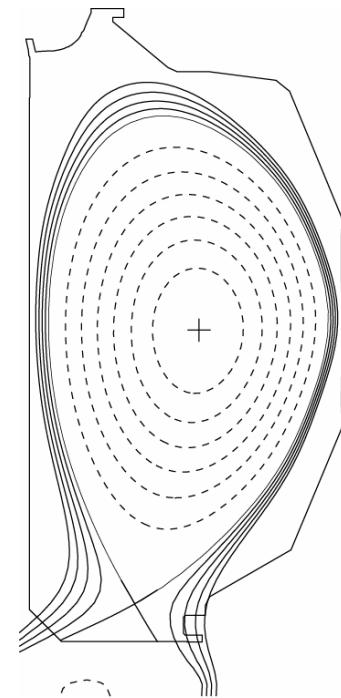
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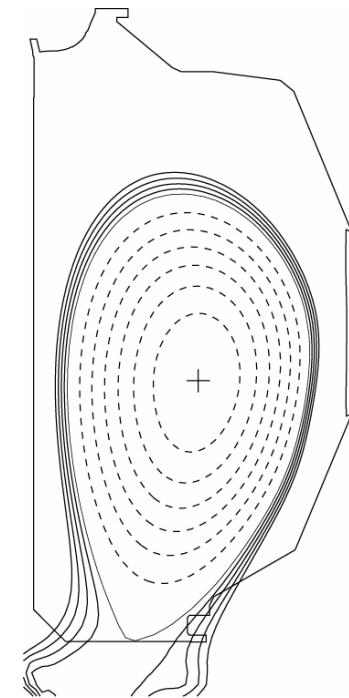
1000 ms



1500 ms



1700 ms



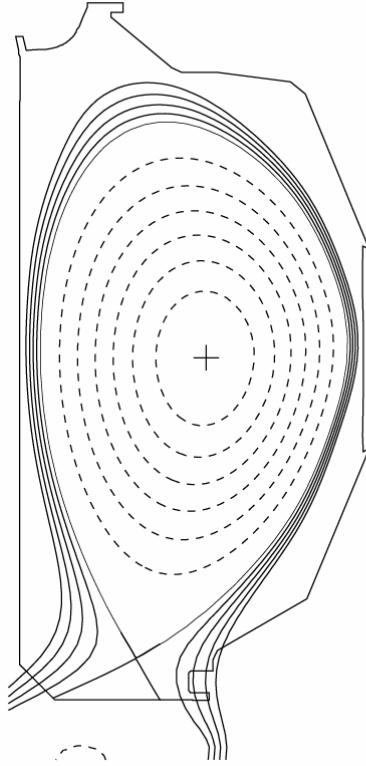
1725 ms

# Equilibrium parameters

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shot	114667
time	1700.00
chi**2	15.268
Rout(m)	1.695
Zout(m)	-0.160
a(m)	0.598
elong	1.745
utri	0.186
ltri	0.377
indent	0.000
V (m^-3)	18.708
A (m^-2)	1.796
W (MJ)	0.346
beta I(%)	0.701
betaP	0.241
betaN	0.600
in	1.167
Li	1.144
error(e-4)	27.309
q1	2.270
d95	2.295
dsep(m)	0.061
Rm(m)	1.742
Zm(m)	-0.034
Rc(m)	1.697
Zc(m)	-0.045
betaPd	0.158
betaTd	0.461
Wdia(MJ)	0.228
Iomeas(MA)	1.478
B1(0)(t)	1.103
ipit(MA)	1.469
Rmidin(m)	1.097
Rmidout(m)	2.091
gapin(m)	0.081
gapout(m)	0.061
gabtop(m)	0.019
gabbot(m)	0.151
Zts(m)	0.736
Rvsin(m)	1.146
Zvsin(m)	-1.359
Rvsout(m)	1.563
Zvsout(m)	-1.366
Rsep1(m)	1.469
Zsep1(m)	-1.204
Rsep2(m)	9.990
Zsep2(m)	9.990
psib(Vs/R)	-0.022
elongm	1.358
qm	1.941
nev1(e19)	2.850
nev2(e19)	2.835
nev3(e19)	2.285
nev0(e19)	3.008
ninc	-0.400
dRsep	-0.400
qmin	0.041
rhoqmin	0.000

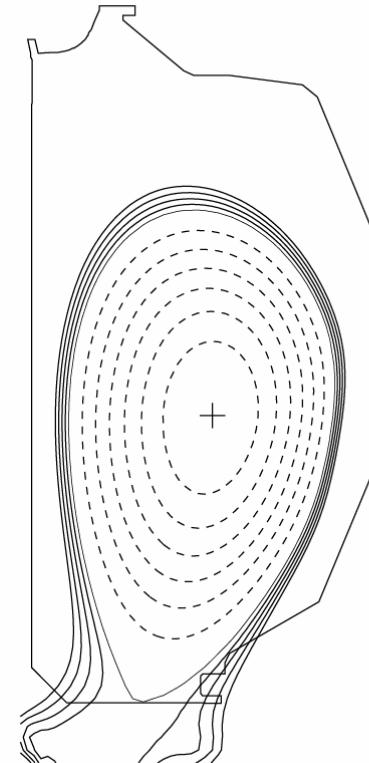
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1700 ms

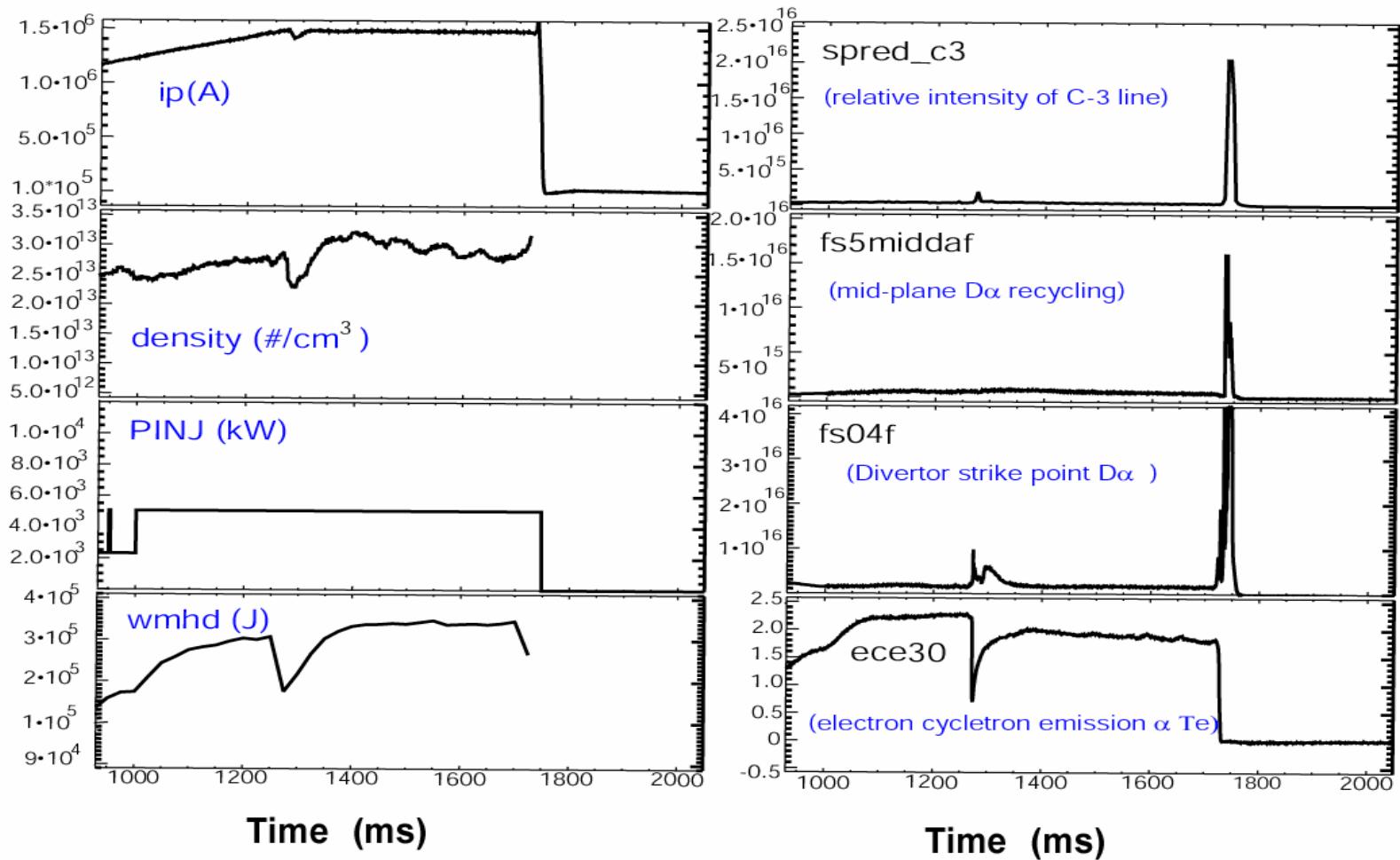
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chi**2	105.802
Rout(m)	1.678
Zout(m)	-0.407
a(m)	0.518
elong	1.853
utri	0.080
ltri	0.490
indent	0.000
V (m^-3)	15.237
A (m^-2)	1.471
W (MJ)	0.266
beta I(%)	0.600
betaP	0.190
betaN	0.486
in	1.339
Li	0.853
error(e-4)	0.014
q1	4.903
d95	2.884
dsep(m)	0.000
Rm(m)	1.720
Zm(m)	-0.248
Rc(m)	1.666
Zc(m)	-0.273
betaPd	0.056
betaTd	0.192
Wdia(MJ)	0.079
Ipmearus(MA)	1.483
B1(0)(t)	2.111
ipit(MA)	1.471
Rmidin(m)	1.182
Rmidout(m)	2.185
gapin(m)	0.144
gabtop(m)	0.031
gabbot(m)	0.740
gabbot(m)	0.000
Zts(m)	0.438
Rvsin(m)	0.000
Zvsin(m)	0.000
Rvsout(m)	0.000
Zvsout(m)	0.000
Rsep1(m)	1.404
Zsep1(m)	-1.383
Rsep2(m)	1.225
Zsep2(m)	1.106
psib(Vs/R)	0.017
elongm	1.623
qm	1.429
nev1(e19)	3.392
nev2(e19)	3.750
nev3(e19)	3.893
nev0(e19)	3.893
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qmin	1.429
rhoqmin	0.000

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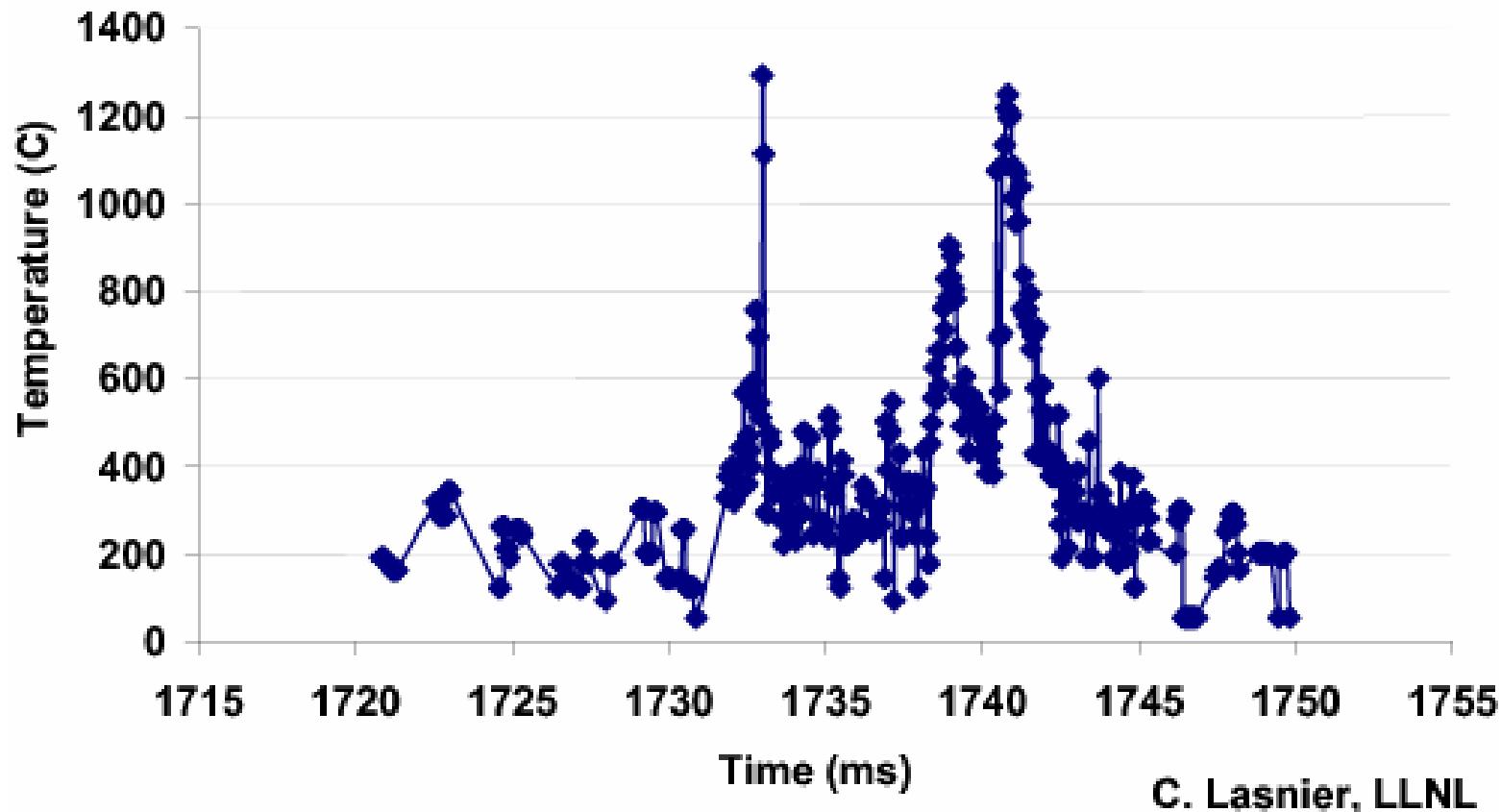
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# Selected plasma parameters (disruption shot 114667)

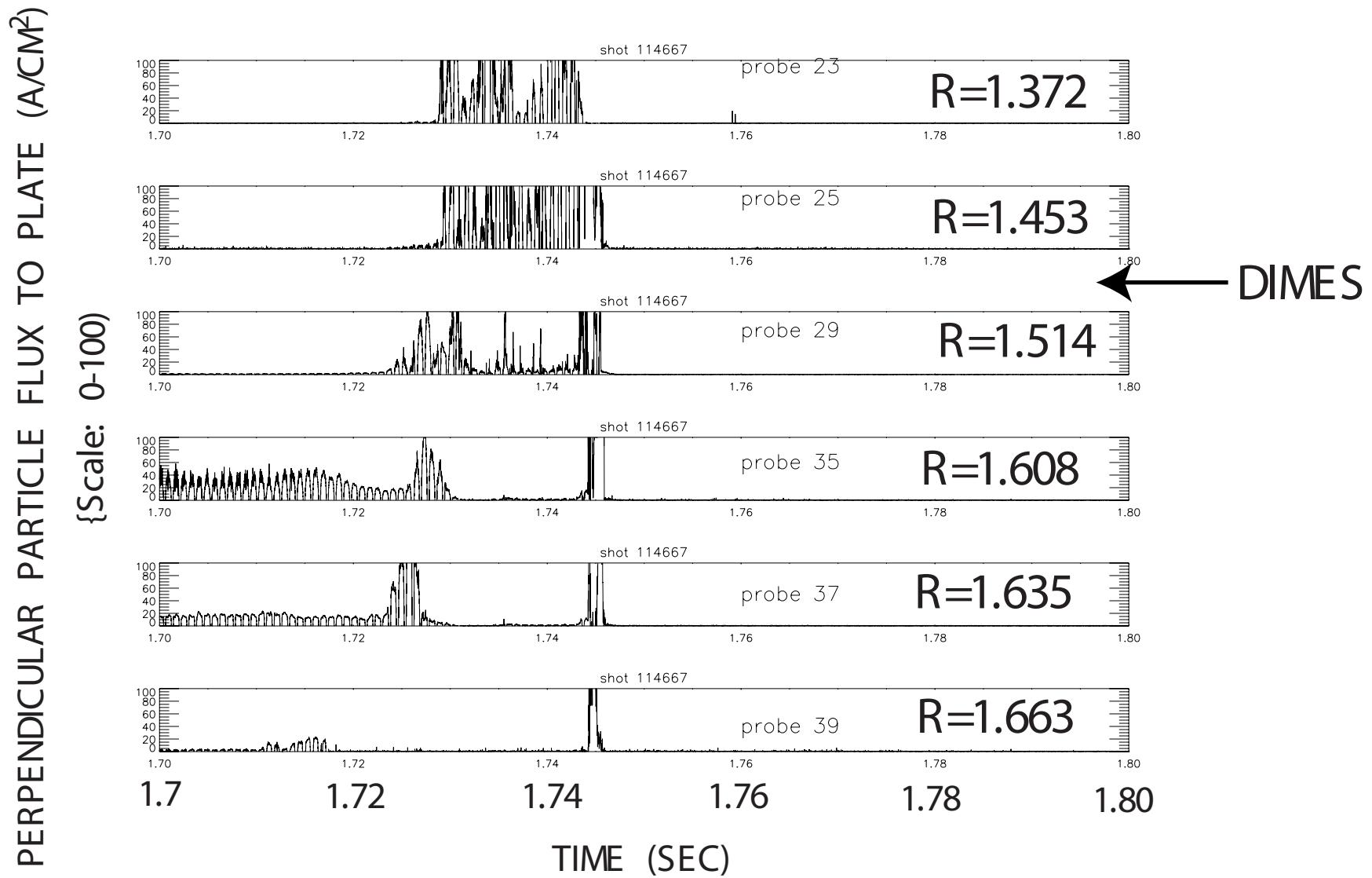


## Surface temperature response to disruption (#114667)

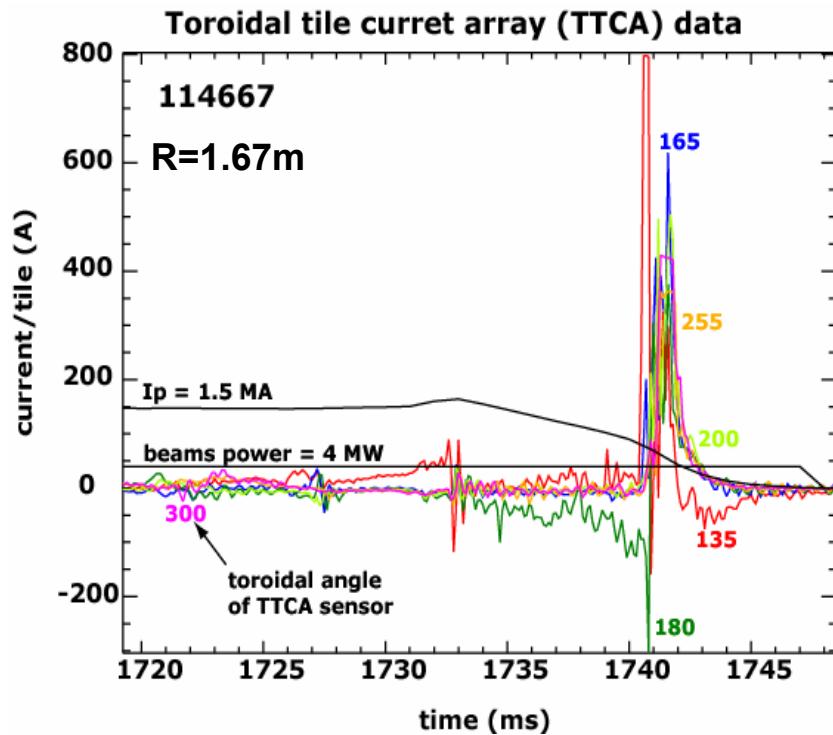
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# FAST TARGET PLATE MEASUREMENTS SHOW DISRUPTION CONDITIONS



# SOL current distribution in the toroidal tiles from DIII-D disruption # 114667 (array located 1 tile out from DiMES)



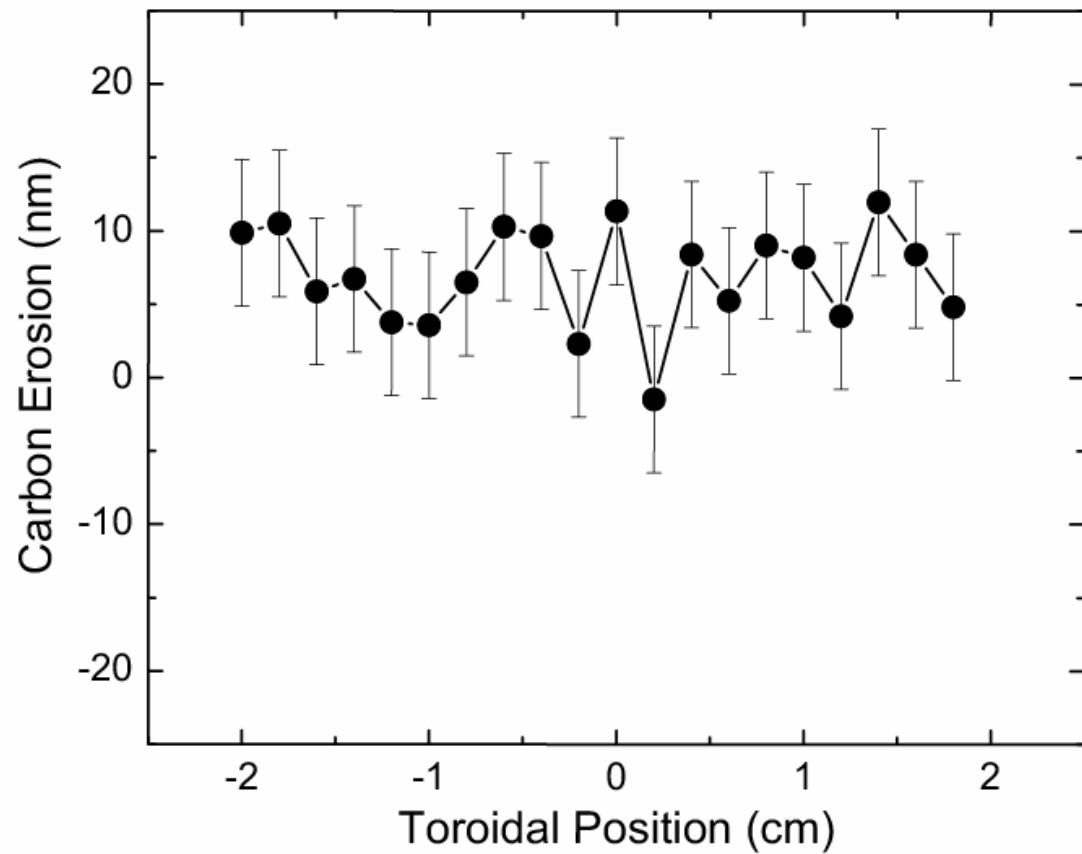
- The new high resolution DiMES tile current array will be used to study:
  - ELMs during stochastic boundary ELM control experiments
  - ITER ELMs simulations during DIII-D disruptions, and
  - The detailed structure of the SOL currents across the separatrix for MHD stability modeling.



- Large toroidal asymmetries are observed in the SOL currents during ELMs and disruptions in DIII-D.
- Similar currents can have strong impacts to the structural loading of ITER divertor components and the migration of evaporated or melted materials.
- These tile currents should be included in the ELMs and disruption modeling.

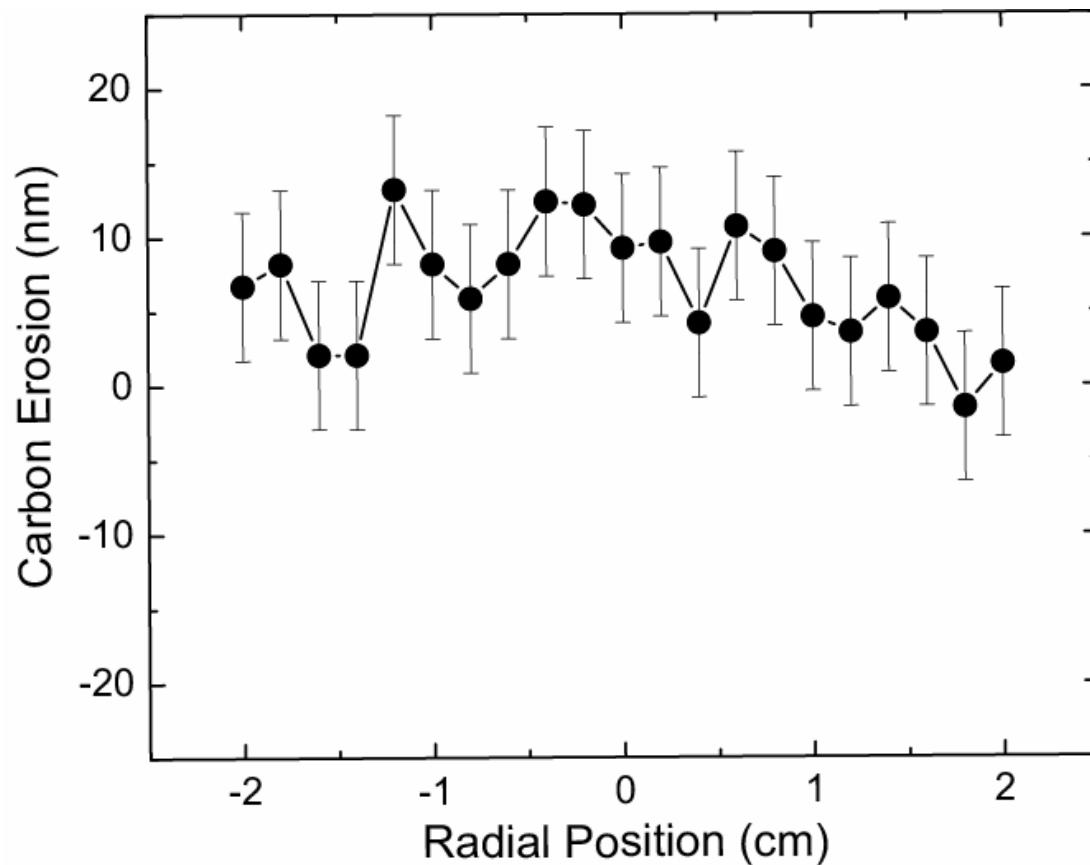
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DiMES sample101 after exposure to VDE disruption 114667  
(Toroidal position)



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**DiMES sample 101 after exposure to VDE disruption 114667  
(Radial position)**



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# ITER ELM simulation observations

- Fast diagnostics are needed to quantify ELMs and disruptions physics. Optical measurements are usually too slow to distinguish details.
- Temperature, particle flux, tile current variations and distributions have been recorded for shot # 114667
- Significant toroidal, radial and temporal variations are shown.
- Similar variations have been observed for both ELMs and disruptions.
- These variations should be included in the ELMs and disruptions modeling codes.
- Further analysis on available data on shot #114667 will continue.
- Consistent yet very low erosion of graphite surface has been measured on disruption shot #114667 with different toroidal and radial distributions.
- We should continue to perform well planned experiments to investigate different ways to perform experiments using DiMES and/or in DIII-D to provide experimental data to bench mark modeling efforts. (e.g. ELMing discharges on DiMES surface with low melting point metal like Li or Al, disruption discharge on a DiMES multiple materials sample...)

## CoDep Tracer Experiment on DIII-D

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Question: Where does chemically sputtered carbon from the main chamber wall redeposit?

Why are we interested: Chemical sputtering is an important source of carbon in the DIII-D main chamber

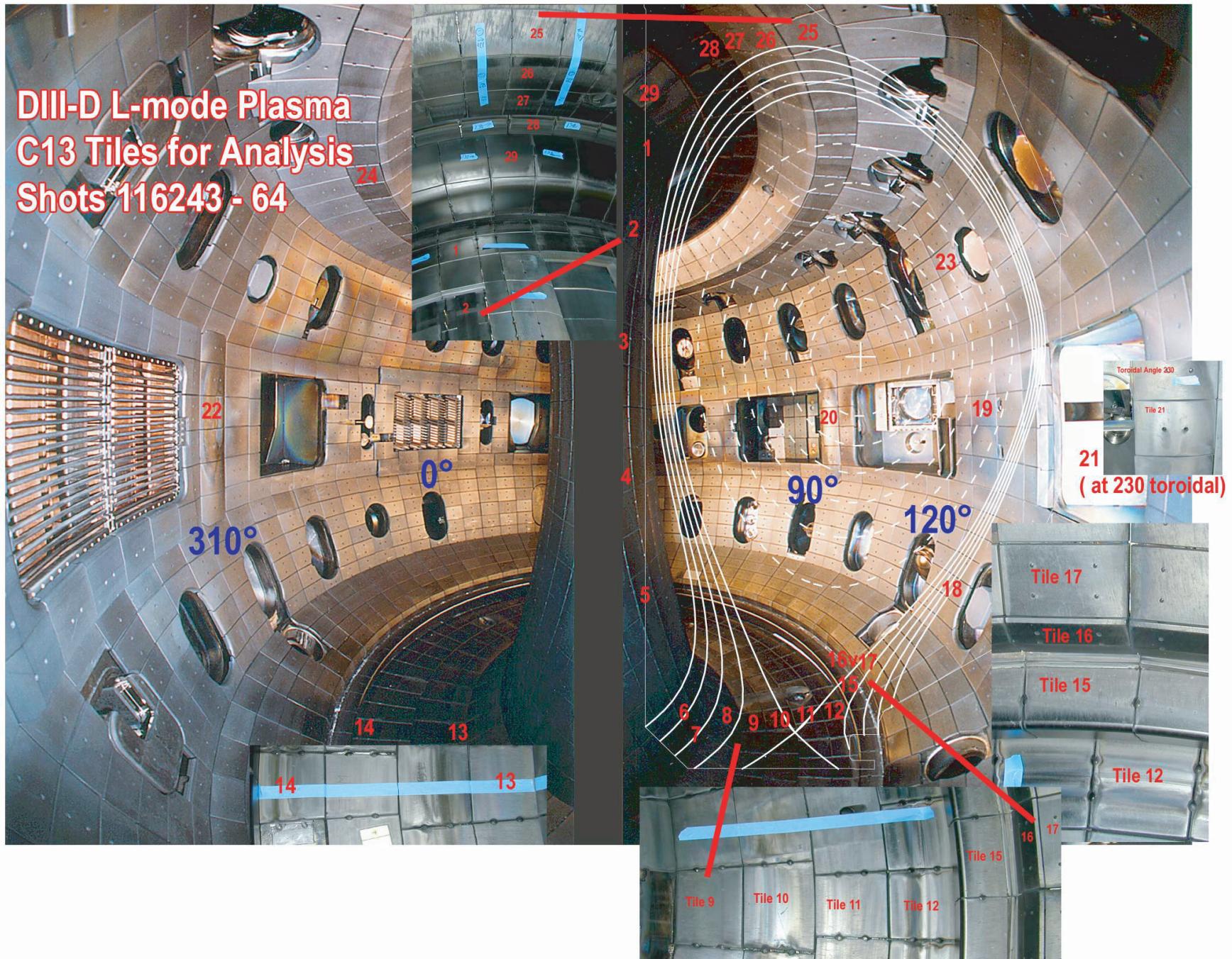
Redeposition of C leads to Codeposition of hydrogen isotopes. Location of codeposition of tritium is a key issue for ITER

Experiment to address this question:

- Inject  $^{13}\text{CH}_4$  into main chamber on last day of operations before a major vent
- Remove a poloidally distributed set of tiles and analyse surface for  $^{13}\text{C}$  content.
- Inject methane under upper baffle to provide a toroidally distributed source
- Use highly repeatable L-mode plasmas for 1) injection of sufficient  $^{13}\text{C}$  for detection above the background and 2) use previous detailed diagnostic characterization so that fluid models can be applied to analysis.

Success: 20 identical (as best as we can tell) discharges with  $^{13}\text{CH}_4$  injection.  
29 tiles removed and delivered to SNL-NM for Ion Beam Analysis.

## Location of the 29 Tiles Removed from DIII-D and Photos of Tiles In-situ



# DISTINGUISHING PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL SPUTTERING FROM ANALYSIS OF C I LINESHAPES

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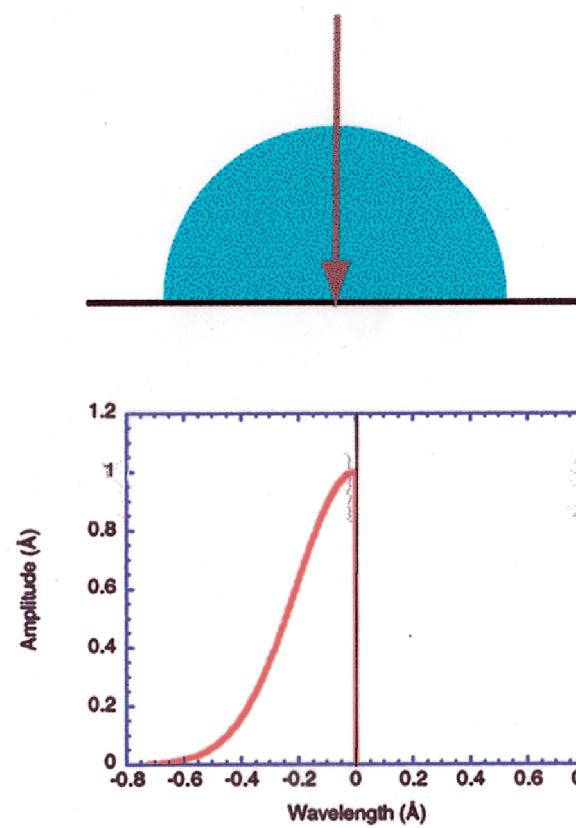


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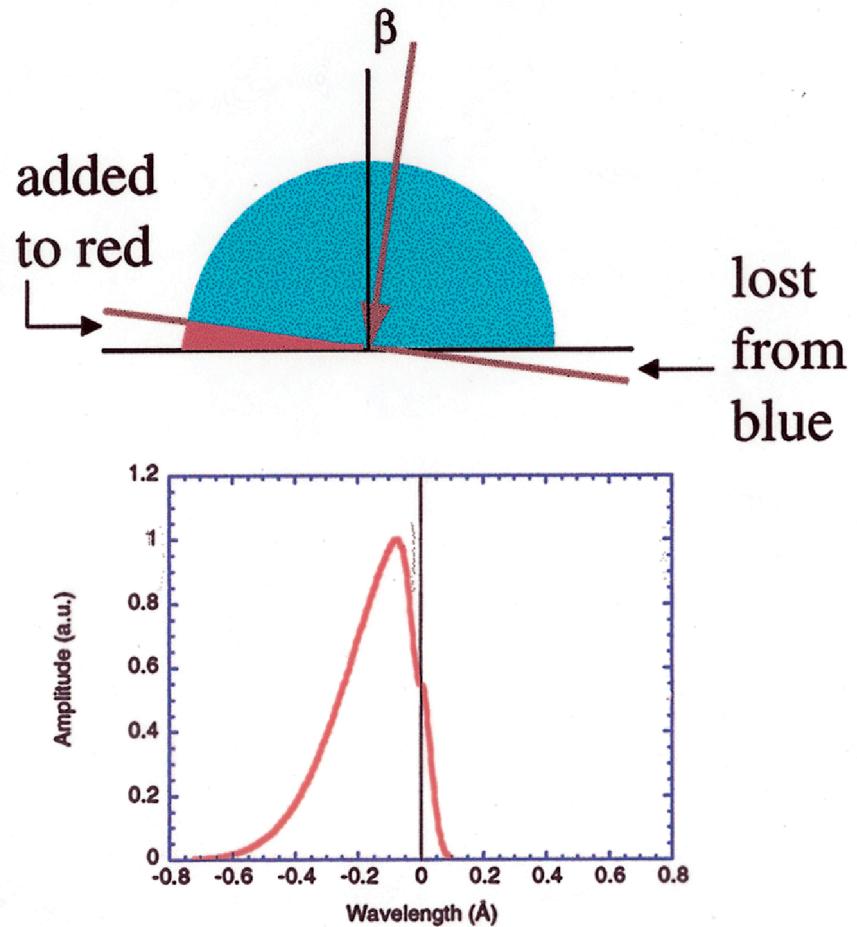
## Non-isotropic distributions

### Maxwellian hemisphere

Normal View

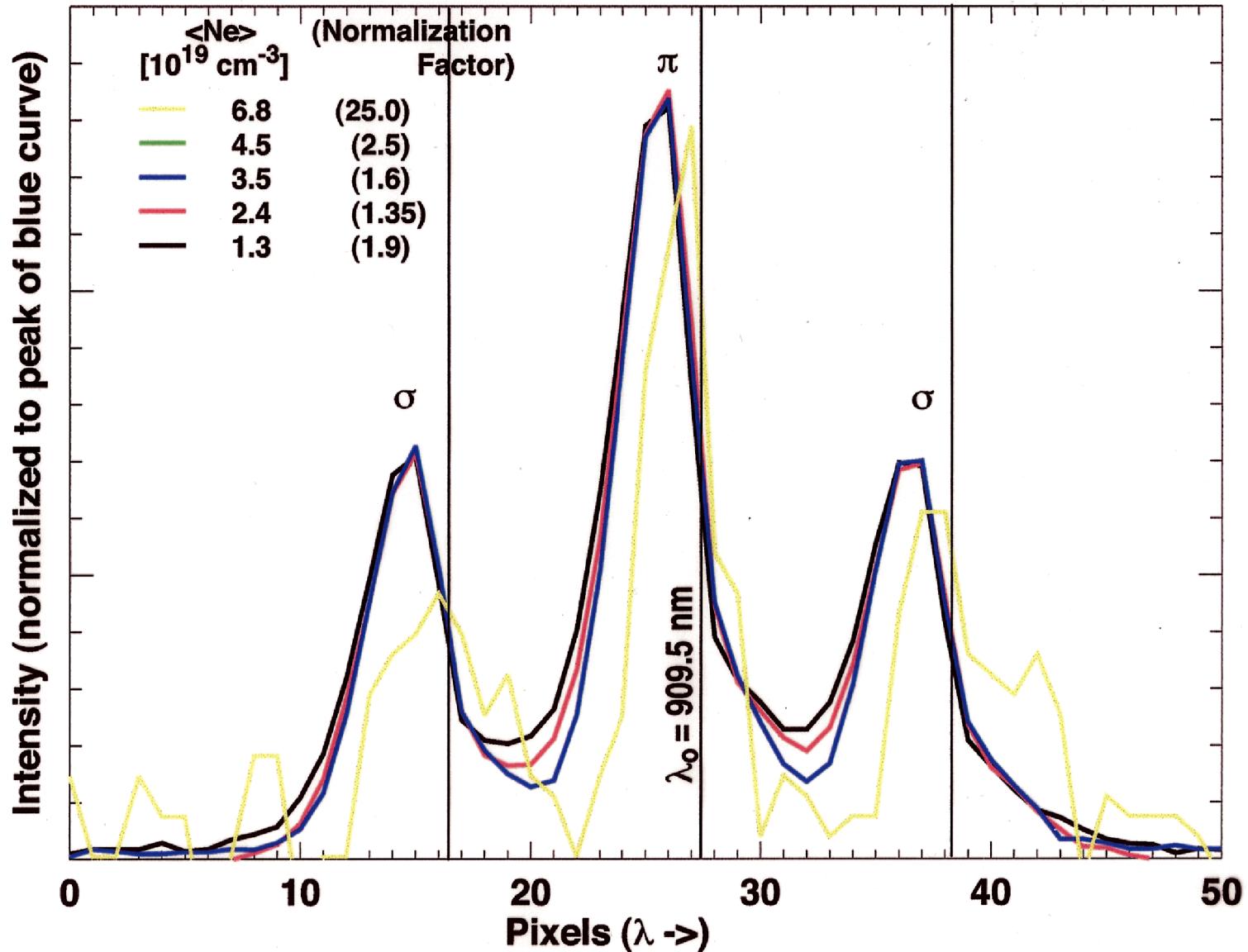


Angled View



# PHYSICAL SPUTTERING OF GRAPHITE BY HELIUM

- Centers of the C I zeeman components shift to shorter wavelength as ion impact energy rises
- Line profile broadens asymmetrically on blue side



# Profile modeling for #105500, V6

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