

- 1) Aspect ratio scan systems solutions
- 2) FW and divertor heat flux calculation
- 3) ELM heat load specification

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1) $A = R/a = 2.0, 2.5, 3.0, 4.0$ aggressive physics and aggressive tech

Fixed

$A = ??$

$\alpha_T = 0.8$

$\alpha_n = 0.3$

$\delta = 0.7$

$li = 0.5$

$\eta_{CD} = 0.27$

$drat = 0$

$trat = 0$

$f_{imp} = 0.002$ (Ar)

Scanned

$n/n_{Gr} = 0.5-1.1$

$Q = 15-40$

$\tau_{He}^* / \tau_E = 5-10$

Constraints

$B_{T,max} \leq 18$ T LTSC

$P_{elec} = 970-1030$ MW

$H_{98} < 1.8$

$n/n_{Gr} < 1$

$q_{div}^{peak} < 5-15$ MW/m²

SiC blanket build

$f_{div,rad} = 0.9$

$A = 4.0$

$R = 4.0-8.0$

$B_T = 4.0-9.0$ T

$\beta_N = 4.0-6.0$

$q_{95} = 3.2-5.4$

$\kappa = 1.8-2.2$

$A = 3.0$

$R = 4.0-8.0$

$B_T = 3.0-6.5$ T

$\beta_N = 4.0-6.0$

$q_{95} = 3.2-5.4$

$\kappa = 1.9-2.3$

$A = 2.5$

$R = 2.5-7.0$

$B_T = 1.5-4.5$ T

$\beta_N = 4.0-7.0$

$q_{95} = 4.5-7.0$

$\kappa = 2.1-2.5$

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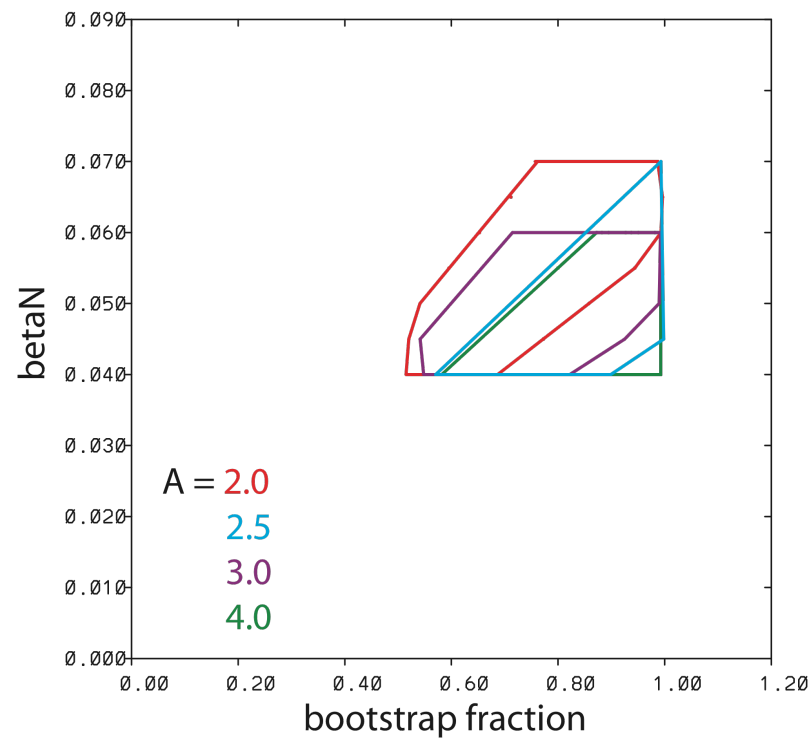
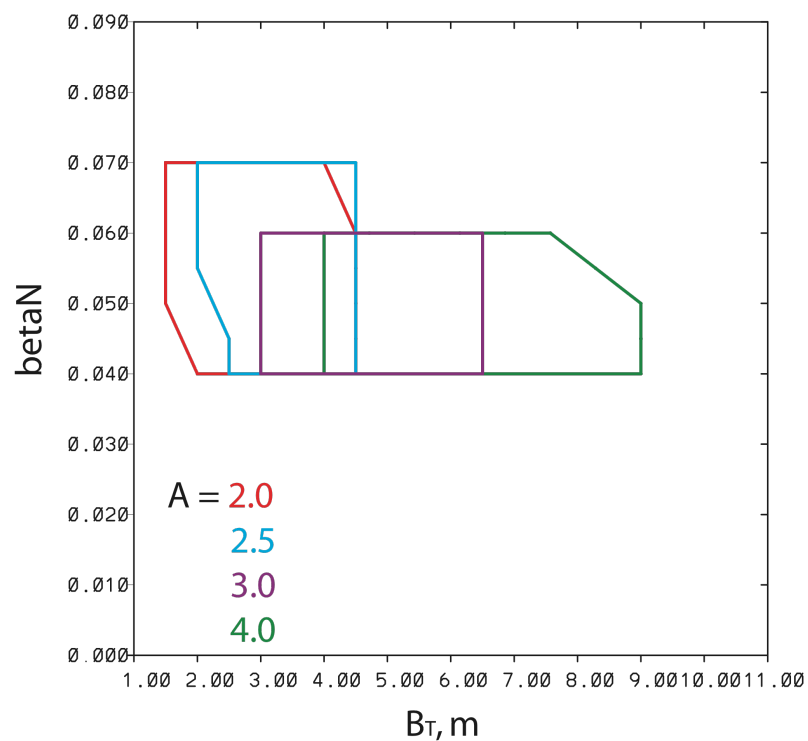
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$\kappa = 2.2-2.7$

betaN vs B_T

betaN vs f_{BS}

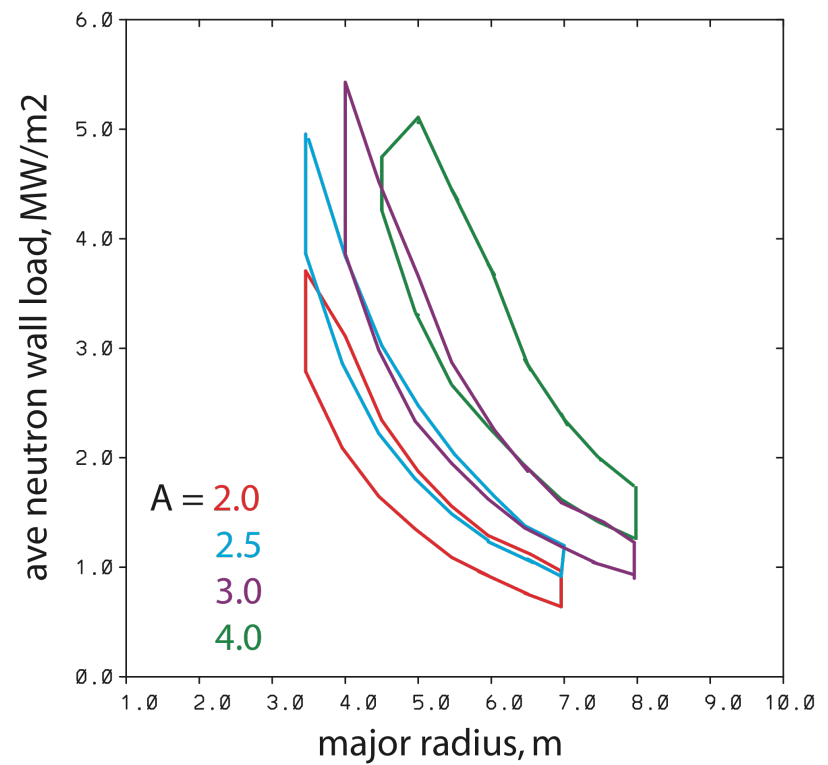
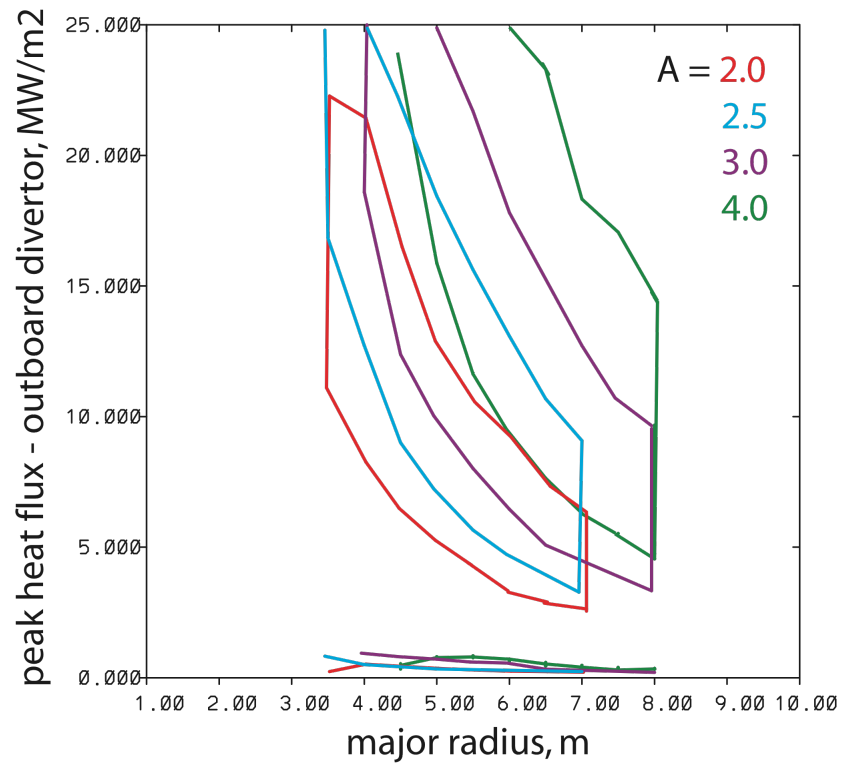
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$q_{\text{div}}^{\text{peak}}$ vs R

$\langle N_w \rangle$ vs R

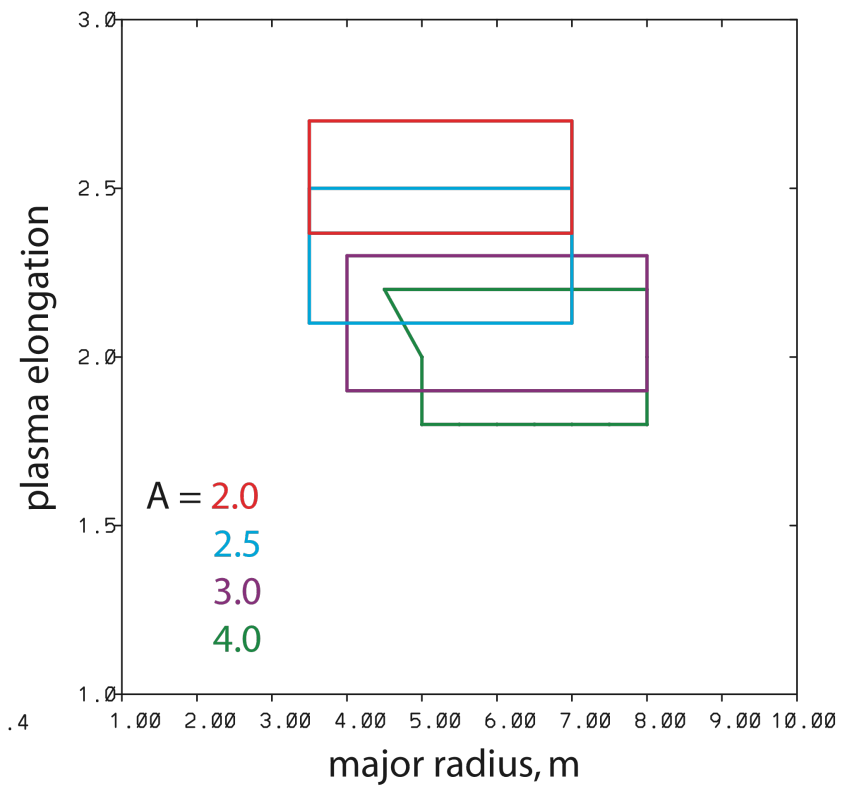
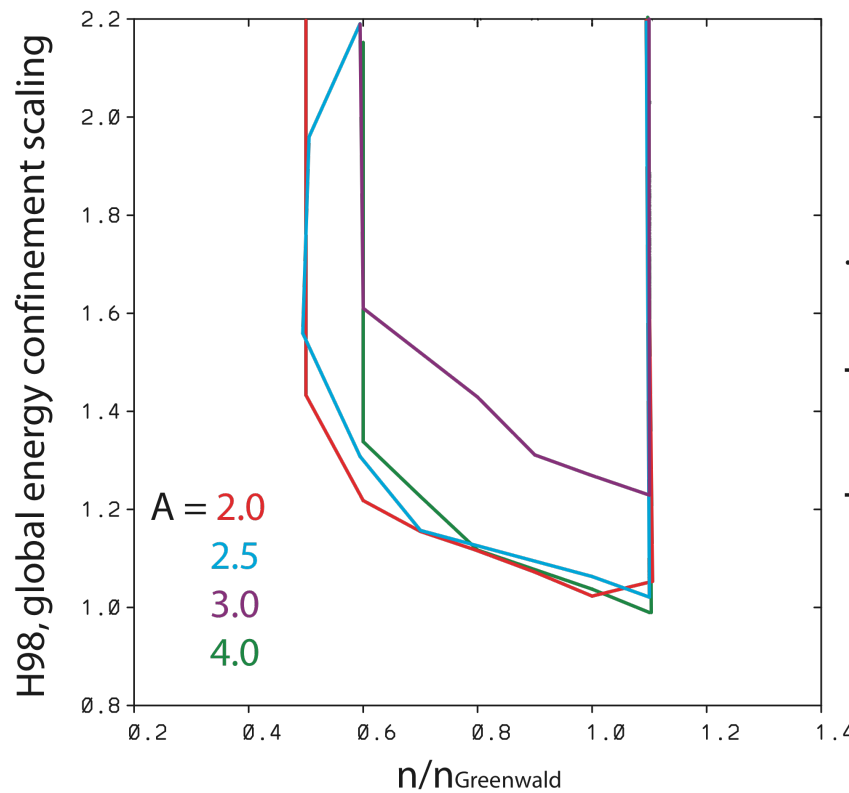
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H₉₈ vs n/n_{Gr}

κ vs R

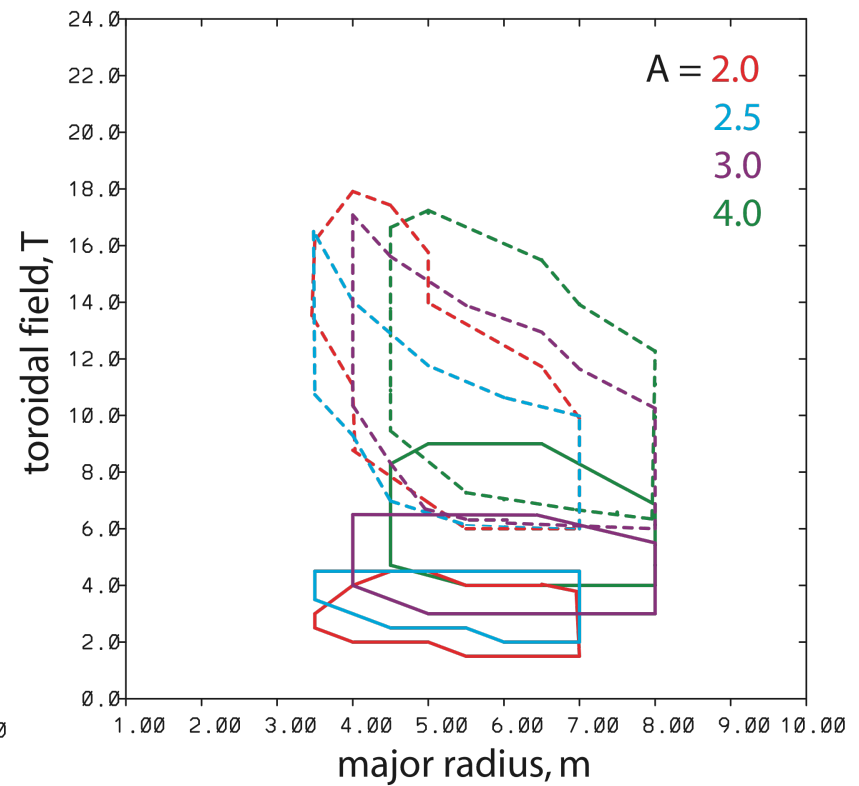
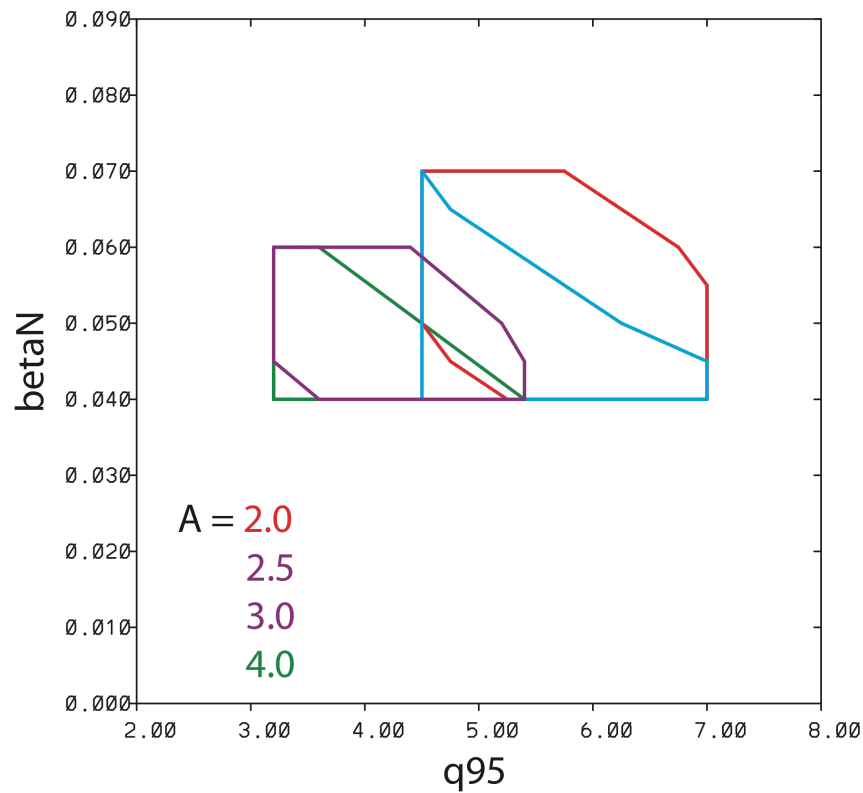
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betaN vs q₉₅

B_T, B_t^{max} vs R

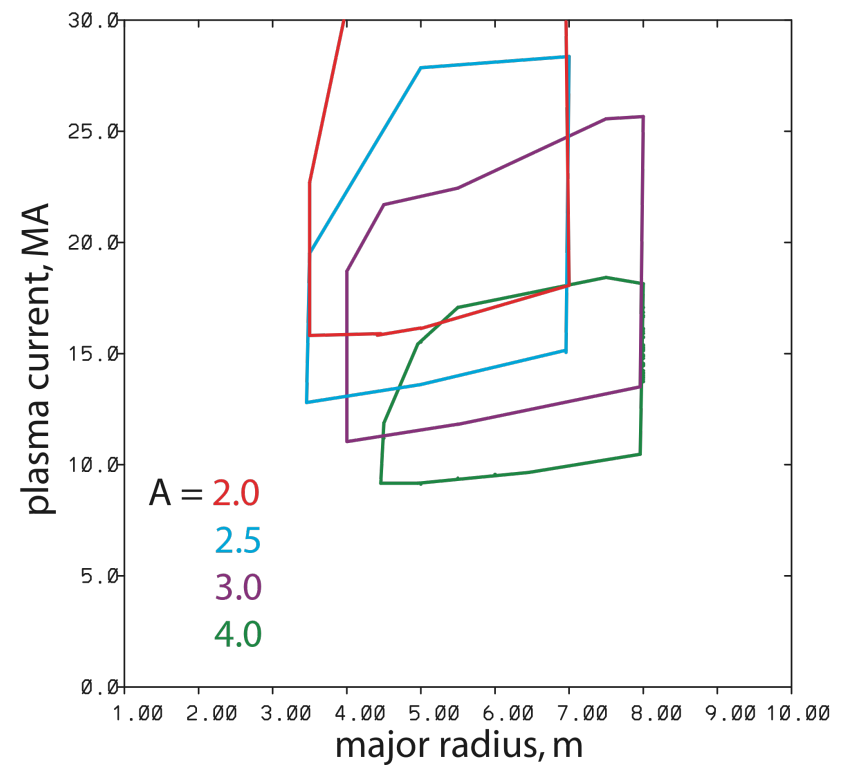
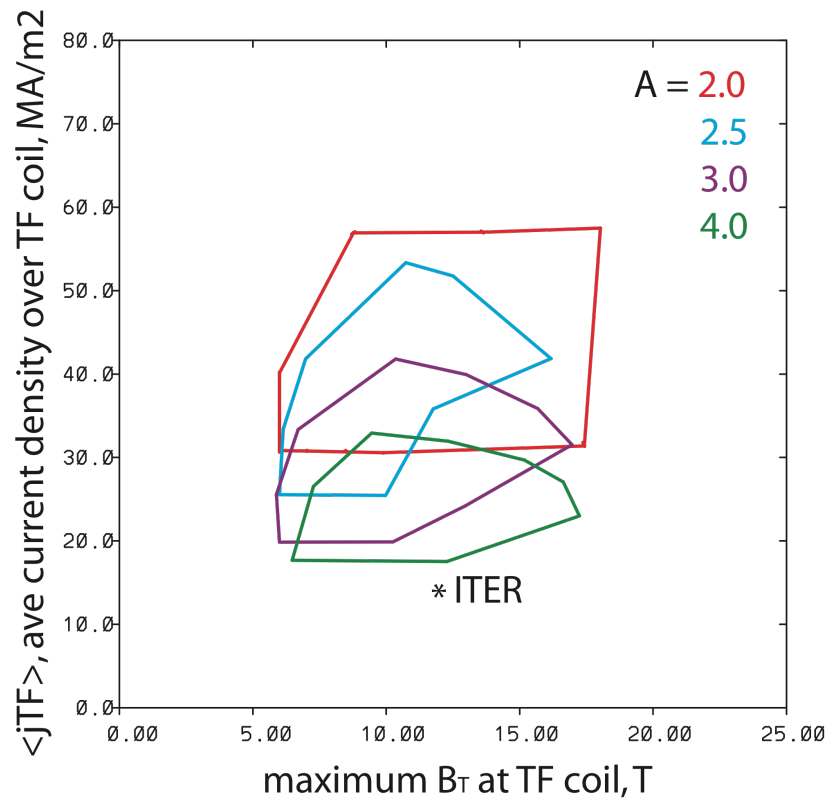
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$\langle j_{TF} \rangle$ vs $B_t^{\max}$

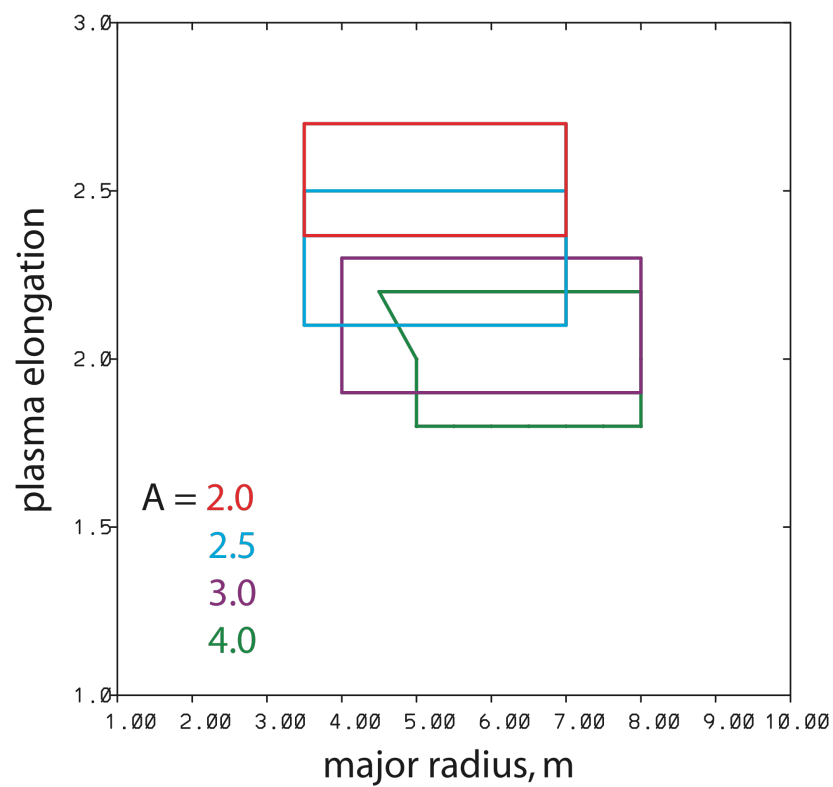
I_p vs R

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K vs R

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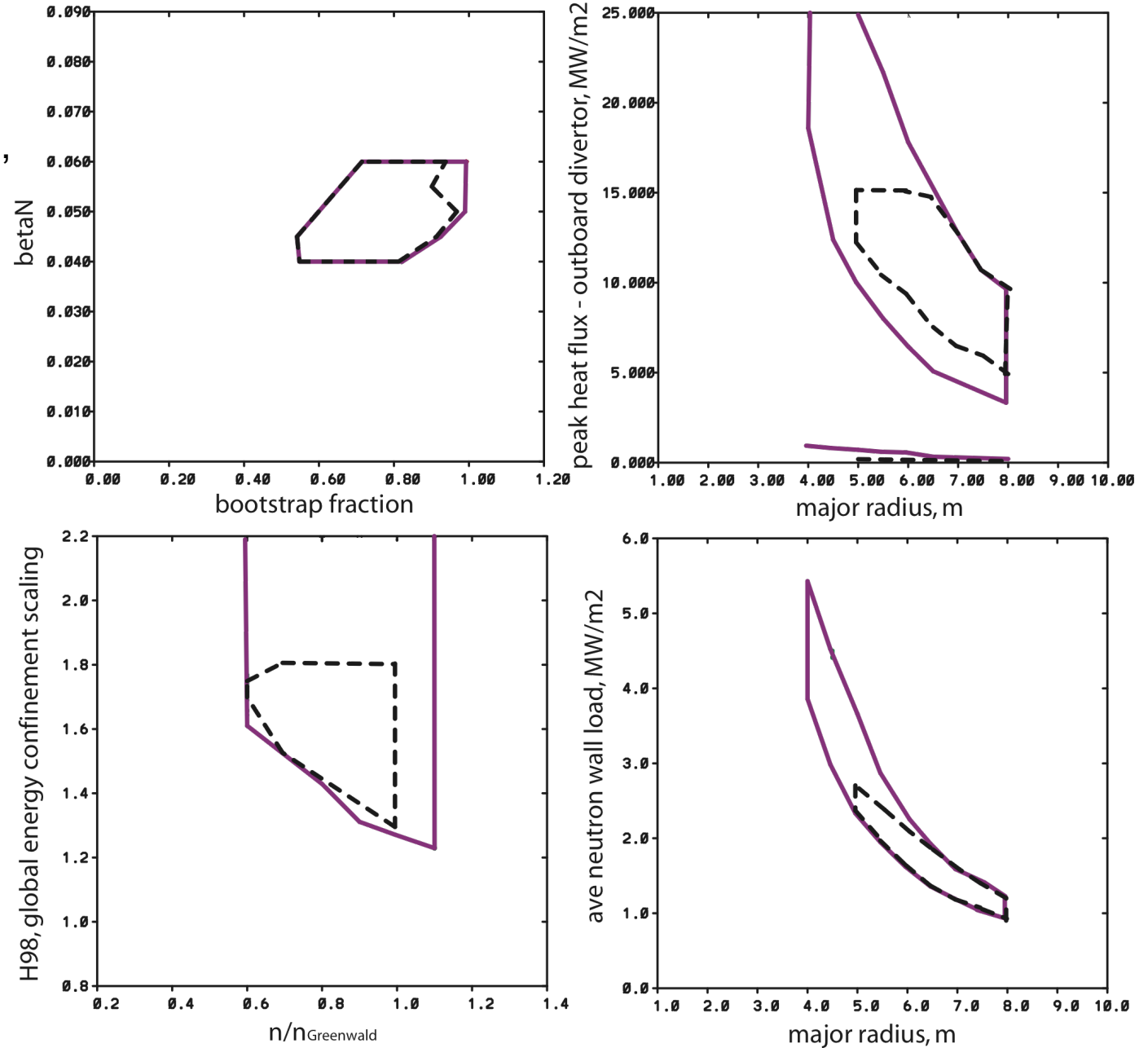


$A = 3$, SiC, $f_{\text{div,rad}} = 0.9$, $q_{\text{div}}^{\text{peak}} \leq 15 \text{ MW/m}^2$, $H98 \leq 1.8$,
 $n/n_{\text{Gr}} \leq 1$, lowest R solutions

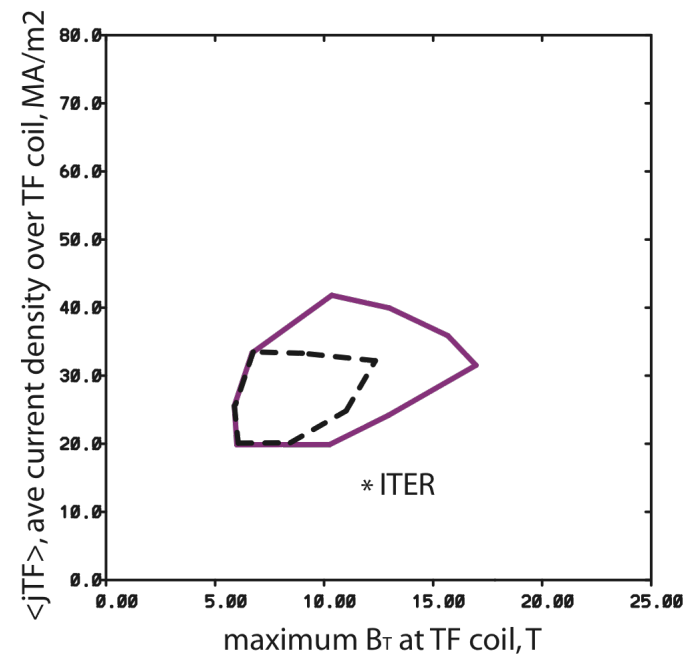
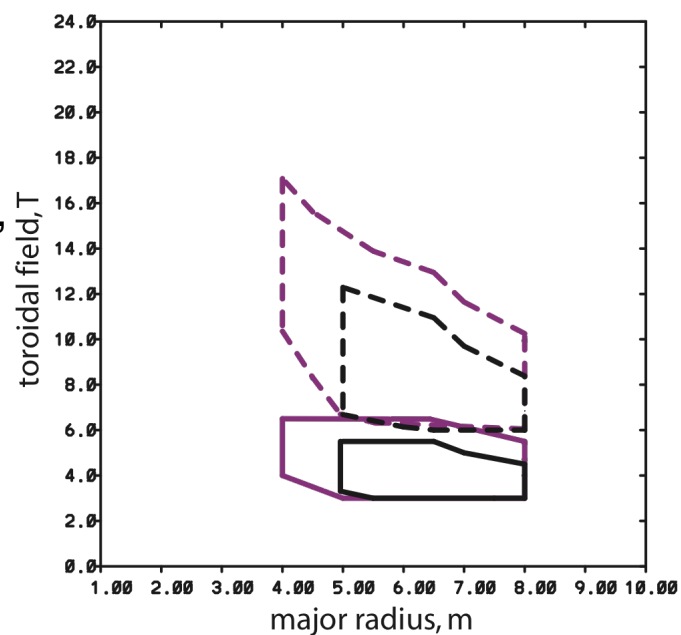
R	B _T	I _p	β _N	q ₉₅	n/ n _{Gr}	Q	H98	P _{aux}	f _{BS}	κ	<Nw >	B _T ^m	<j _{TF} >
5.0	3.0	14.0	6.0	3.4	0.9	25	1.7	70	0.76	2.3	2.4	6.7	33
5.0	3.5	14.0	5.5	3.8	0.9	25	1.6	71	0.78	2.3	2.4	7.8	33
5.0	4.0	14.0	4.5	4.6	1.0	25	1.5	73	0.77	2.3	2.5	8.9	33
5.0	4.0	14.0	5.0	4.6	1.0	30	1.7	59	0.86	2.3	2.5	8.9	33
5.0	4.5	13.0	4.0	5.2	1.0	25	1.5	72	0.77	2.3	2.5	10.0	33
5.0	4.5	14.0	4.5	5.0	0.9	25	1.8	71	0.84	2.3	2.4	10.0	33
5.0	5.0	14.0	4.0	5.4	0.9	30	1.7	60	0.80	2.3	2.5	11.0	32
5.0	5.0	13.0	4.5	5.0	1.0	30	1.8	58	0.85	2.1	2.6	11.0	32

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 SiC ,
 $f_{\text{div,rad}} = 0.9$,
 $q_{\text{div}}^{\text{peak}} \leq 15 \text{ MW/m}^2$,
 $H98 \leq 1.8$,
 $n/n_{\text{Gr}} \leq 1$

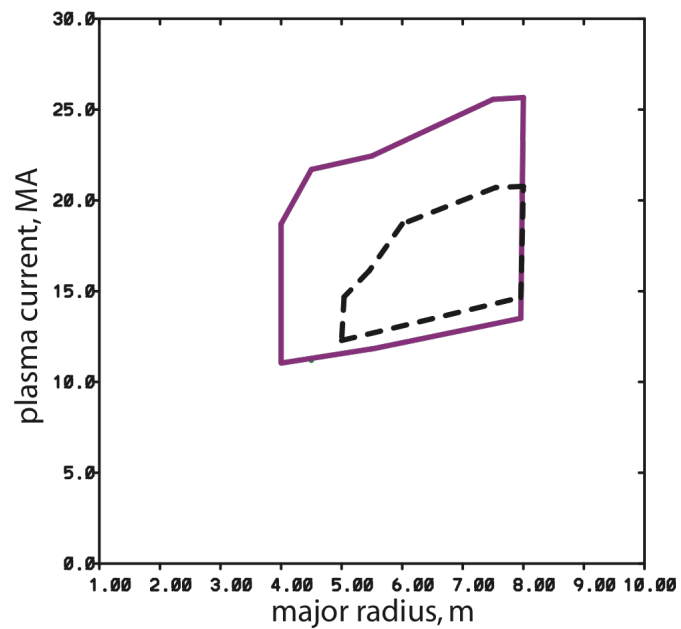
Original scan, $A = 3$



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Original scan, $A = 3$



Leave other constraints/filters the same, now drop $q_{\text{div}}^{\text{peak}} \leq 10 \text{ MW/m}^2$, lowest radius points are at $R = 6.0 \text{ m}$

	R	B _T	I _p	β _N	q ₉₅	n/ nGr	Q	H98	P _{aux}	f _{BS}	κ	<Nw >	B _T ^m	<j _{TF} >	
	6.0	3.0	16.0	5.5	3.6	1.0	20	1.6	89	0.74	2.3	1.7	6.1	27	
	6.0	3.0	15.0	5.5	3.8	1.0	25	1.7	71	0.78	2.3	1.7	6.1	27	
	6.0	3.5	14.0	4.5	4.6	1.0	25	1.6	71	0.77	2.3	1.7	7.2	27	
	6.0	3.5	14.0	5.0	4.6	1.0	25	1.8	70	0.86	2.3	1.7	7.2	27	
	6.0	4.0	16.0	4.5	4.8	1.0	25	1.7	73	0.80	2.3	1.7	8.2	27	
	6.0	4.5	16.0	4.0	5.4	1.0	25	1.7	71	0.80	2.3	1.7	9.2	27	

Then increase, $f_{\text{div,rad}} \leq 0.95$, we recover wide range of $R = 5.0 \text{ m}$ solutions.....so what values of $f_{\text{div,rad}}$ are credible? ITER assumes 0.7 for partial detachment based on B2/Eirene simulations

Dropping $q_{\text{div}}^{\text{peak}} \leq 7.5 \text{ MW/m}^2$, with $f_{\text{div,rad}} \leq 0.95$, leads to minimum radius solutions at $R = 5.5 \text{ m}$. This may be reasonable if our max allowed heat load is 15 MW/m^2 and we must accommodate ELMs

Systems analysis R/a scan

- Using LTSC coils, and SiC aggressive blanket design, $f_{\text{div,rad}} = 0.9$, $A = 2-4$ have been examined
 - Basic filters:
 - $R_{\text{min}}(A=2) = 3.5 \text{ m}$,
 - $R_{\text{min}}(A=2.5) = 3.5 \text{ m}$,
 - $R_{\text{min}}(A=3) = 4.0 \text{ m}$,
 - $R_{\text{min}}(A=4) = 4.5 \text{ m}$
 - $H_{98} / n/n_{\text{Gr}} / q_{\text{div}}^{\text{peak}} \leq 15 \text{ MW/m}^2$ filters:
 - $R_{\text{min}}(A=2) = 3.5 \text{ m}$
 - $R_{\text{min}}(A=2.5) = 4.0 \text{ m}$
 - $R_{\text{min}}(A=3) = 5.0 \text{ m}$
 - $R_{\text{min}}(A=4) = 5.5 \text{ m}$
 - Lowering $q_{\text{div}}^{\text{peak}}$ leads to increased R, increased $f_{\text{rad,div}}$ allows smaller R
- Input files for varying R/a are established, maybe some tweaking
 - Need to do SiC and DCLL (aggr and cons tech)
 - Need to do betaN = 4-6+ and betaN = 2.5-3.5 (aggr and cons phys)
 - Include new updates to power distribution and so forth from UCSD
 - Are we interested in doing other characteristics to distinguish aggr from cons.... $\langle jTF \rangle / B_T$, elongation, $f_{\text{div,rad}}$, or others?

Systems analysis R/a scan, cont'd

- Several parameters need specification from more detailed analysis
 - l_i , tr_{at} , nr_{at} → plasma module, profile matching to 1.5D equilibrium/transport
 - $f_{div,rad}$, radiation dist along divertor, flux expansion, etc → engr module, LLNL modeling
- Need to fix a bug in physics module
- Updates to engineering module, divertor heat flux and some hardwired numbers.....showing on next few VGs

2) Algorithm for calculation of FW and divertor heat loads

Determine plasma power and radiated power from core/mantle:

$$P_{\text{plas}} = P_{\text{alpha}} + P_{\text{aux}}$$
$$P_{\text{rad}} = P_{\text{brem}} + P_{\text{cycl}} + P_{\text{line}}$$

Calculate average and peak heat flux on FW:

$$f_{\text{peak,FW}} = 1.25$$
$$Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{FW}} = P_{\text{rad}} \times f_{\text{peak,FW}} / A_{\text{FW}}$$
$$Q_{\text{ave}}^{\text{FW}} = P_{\text{rad}} / A_{\text{FW}}$$
$$A_{\text{FW}} = 2\pi R \times 2\pi a \times \sqrt{(1+\kappa^2)}/2$$

Calculate power to divertor:

$$f_{\text{div}}^{\text{rad}} = 0.9$$
$$f_{\text{sym}} = 0.65 \text{ (DN) and } 1.0 \text{ (SN)}$$
$$f_{\text{outboard}} = 0.8 \text{ (DN), } 0.67 \text{ (SN)}$$
$$f_{\text{inboard}} = 0.2 \text{ (DN), } 0.33 \text{ (SN)}$$
$$P_{\text{div}} = P_{\text{plas}} - P_{\text{rad}}$$
$$P_{\text{div}}^{\text{rad}} = P_{\text{div}} \times f_{\text{div}}^{\text{rad}}$$
$$P_{\text{outboard}}^{\text{cond}} = (P_{\text{div}} - P_{\text{div}}^{\text{rad}}) \times f_{\text{outboard}} \times f_{\text{sym}}$$
$$P_{\text{inboard}}^{\text{cond}} = (P_{\text{div}} - P_{\text{div}}^{\text{rad}}) \times f_{\text{inboard}} \times f_{\text{sym}}$$

Algorithm for calculation of FW and divertor heat loads, cont'd

$$P_{\text{outboard}}^{\text{rad}} = P_{\text{div}}^{\text{rad}} \times f_{\text{outboard}} \times f_{\text{sym}}$$
$$P_{\text{inboard}}^{\text{rad}} = P_{\text{div}}^{\text{rad}} \times f_{\text{inboard}} \times f_{\text{sym}}$$

$$\lambda_{\text{pow}} = 0.029 \times 2.5 \times q_{95}^{0.75} \times n_{e,u}^{0.15} / (P_{\text{div}}^{0.4} \times B_T)$$

$$n_{e,u} = 0.35 \times n_{e,L}$$

$$n_{e,L} = (n/n_{Gr}) \times (I_P / \pi a^2)$$

$$f_{\text{exp}}^{\text{out}} = f_{\text{exp}}^{\text{in}} = 10$$

$$Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{div,out}} = P_{\text{outboard}}^{\text{cond}} / [2\pi(R-a/2) \times f_{\text{exp}}^{\text{out}} \times \lambda_{\text{pow}}]$$

$$Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{div,in}} = P_{\text{inboard}}^{\text{cond}} / [2\pi(R-a) \times f_{\text{exp}}^{\text{in}} \times \lambda_{\text{pow}}]$$

$$Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{div,rad,out}} = P_{\text{outboard}}^{\text{rad}} / [2\pi(R-a/2) \times 2 \times (a/2)]$$

$$Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{div,rad,in}} = P_{\text{inboard}}^{\text{rad}} / [2\pi(R-a) \times 2 \times (a/4)]$$

$$Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{out}} = Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{div,out}} + Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{div,rad,out}}$$

$$Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{in}} = Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{div,in}} + Q_{\text{peak}}^{\text{div,rad,in}}$$

R = major radius
 a = minor radius

Outboard divertor location = $R - a/2$

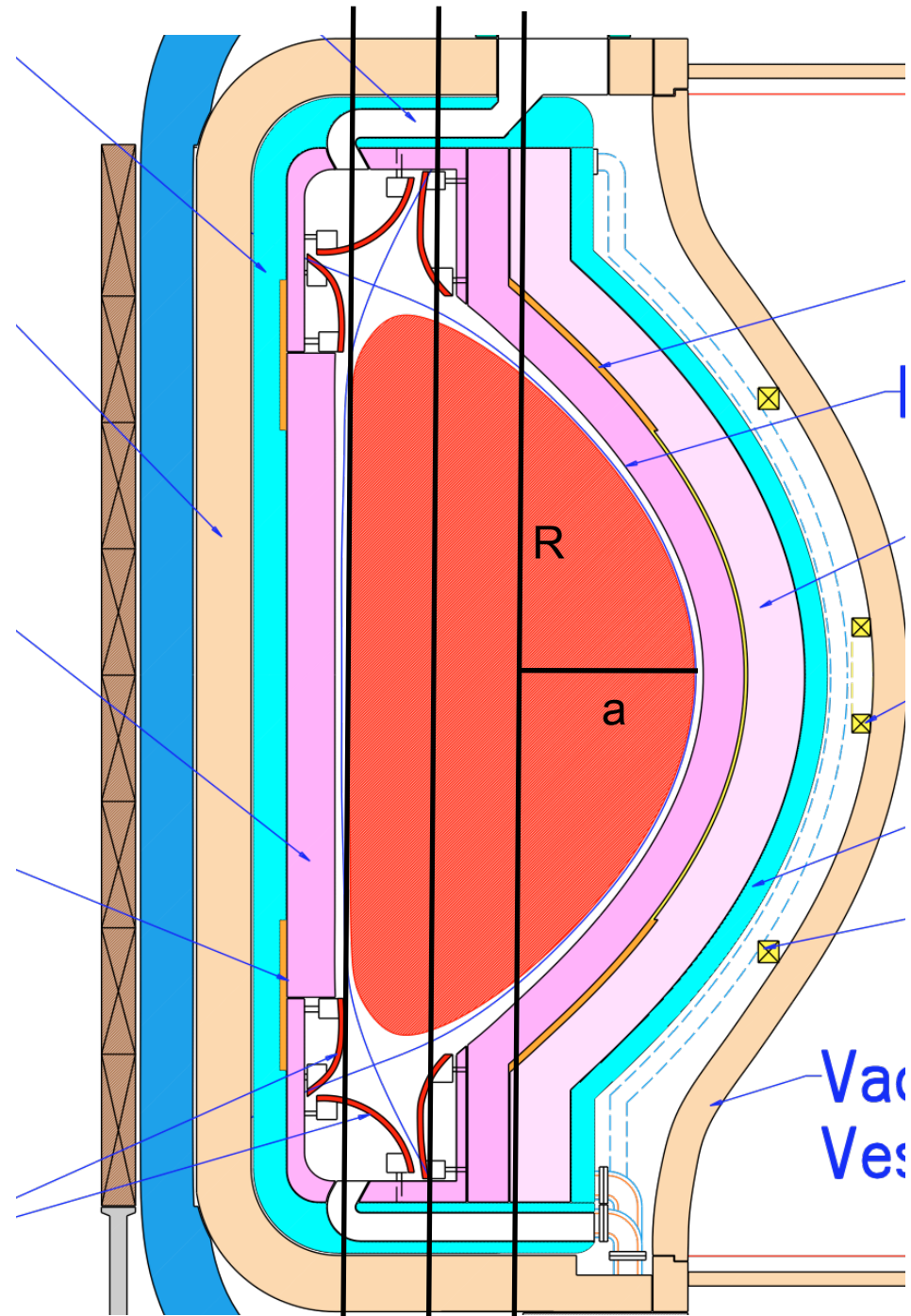
Inboard divertor location = $R - a$

Area for conducted heat divertor
 outboard = $2 \pi (R - a/2) \times \lambda_{\text{pow}} \times f_{\text{exp}}$

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 outboard = $2 \pi (R - a) \times \lambda_{\text{pow}} \times f_{\text{exp}}$

Area for radiation heat flux in outboard
 divertor = $2 \pi [(R - a/2) \times 2 \times a/2]$

Area for radiation heat flux in inboard
 divertor = $2 \pi [(R - a) \times 2 \times a/4]$



3) Beginning of specification for heat loads in power plants

FW/heat	<u>nominal nominal transient off-normal transient</u>		
	$P_{\text{rad,core}}$ CX neutrals stationary core MARFE stationary X-pt MARFE	ELMs	disruption runaway electrons fast confinement loss fast alpha particles
FW/particle	<u>nominal nominal transient off-normal transient</u>		
	DT flux CX flux	ELMs	disruption runaway electrons fast confinement loss fast alpha particles

Beginning of specification for heat loads in power plants

divertor/heat	<u>nominal</u>	<u>nominal transient</u>	<u>off-normal transient</u>
	$P_{\text{SOL}(\text{rad}+\text{cond})}$	ELMs	disruption
divertor/particle	<u>nominal</u>	<u>nominal transient</u>	<u>off-normal transient</u>
	DT,He,Ar	ELMs	disruption

divertor surface heat load, nominal and ELMs

Nominal heat load to the divertor

Conducted and radiated powers in divertor ($P_{\text{div}} = P_{\alpha} + P_{\text{aux}} - P_{\text{brem}} - P_{\text{cycl}} - P_{\text{line}}$)

Conducted power within λ_{power}

Radiation distributed along divertor “slot” (uniform or other?), ITER assumes 70% radiated

Nominal transient heat load (ELMs) to divertor

$\Delta W_{\text{ELM}} \times f_{\text{ELM}} \sim \text{constant} = 0.2-0.4 \times (P_{\alpha} + P_{\text{aux}} - P_{\text{brem}} - P_{\text{cycl}} - P_{\text{line}})$

(assumption, $\Delta W_{\text{ELM}}/W_{\text{ped}}$ function of plasma collisionality)

f_{ELM} (ITER, worst) = 1-2 Hz & ΔW_{ELM} (ITER, worst) = 20 MJ

ΔW_{ELM} to divertor 100% for small ELMs and ~ 50% for largest ELMs

$\tau_{\text{ELM, rise}} \sim 2 \times 2\pi R q_{95}/c_{s, \text{ped}}$ for ~ 40% of ΔW_{ELM} to arrive

$\tau_{\text{ELM, drop}} \sim 4-6 \times 2\pi R q_{95}/c_{s, \text{ped}}$ for remaining ~ 40-50% of ΔW_{ELM} to arrive

Toroidally symmetric, except in farthest SOL

λ_{power} remains same during ELM and between ELMs

→ ITER is looking for $f_{\text{ELM}} \sim 30-70$ Hz and $\Delta W_{\text{ELM}} \sim 0.6$ MJ

→ ITER limited by erosion (carbon) or melting (tungsten) of divertor target

FW heat load, nominal and ELMs

Nominal heat load to FW

Core plasma radiation to FW ($P_{\text{brem}} + P_{\text{cyc}} + P_{\text{line}}$)

Peaking of 1.5-2

Nominal transient loads (ELMs) to FW

5-20% of ΔW_{ELM} (lower for small ELMs and larger for large ELMs)

all power to outboard

$$\tau_{\text{ELM, rise, FW}} \sim 2 \pi R q_{95} / c_{s, \text{ped}}$$

$$\tau_{\text{ELM drop, FW}} \sim 2-3 \times 2 \pi R q_{95} / c_{s, \text{ped}}$$

peaking 2-4x, associated with filaments expanding off the plasma

They do not land in the same place all the time, random