

Tomographic inversion of visible camera data for JT-60SA

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- Limited number of diagnostics in JT-60SA commissioning phase
 - > Need to extract as many information from available ones

Proposal to support plasma **operation and modeling** by tomography assuming **toroidal symmetry** of EDICAM images

• Outputs:

- 1. 2D poloidal light emissivity
- 2. Comparison with electron cyclotron modelling (n & T radial profiles)
- 3. Plasma contact with first wall (PFCs), plasma shape...





Edicam field of view at JT-60SA (actual picture)



Tomographic inversion @COMPASS



Illustrative example towards JT-60SA application

Tomography applied to TCV data obtained from electron cyclotron plasmas







Camera observation of electron cyclotron plasmas for different vertical magnetic field on the TCV tokamak



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Electron cyclotron beam path at TCV

Courtesy T. Wauters

Camera probably **blind in the top part** (Z>0.2 m)



The reconstruction agrees very well with the electron cyclotron beam path



Comparison tomography and 1D code (tomator)

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Graph description:

- Radial light profile (averaged vertically, normalized 1. to neutral pressure)
- Radial density profile (experimental and model) 2.
- 3. Temperature profile (model)



Relation between light and n and T 2.













Other successful inversions @COMPASS



Tomographic inversion of a runaway beam



Tomographic inversion of a circular plasma





Tomographic inversion during detachment experiment



The inversion performs well for different plasma configurations



Work Plan in modeling (1/3)

2021: Achieved milestones

- Code development
 - Code calculating the geometrical matrix assuming toroidal symmetry
 - Implementing second algorithm (biorthogonal basis decomposition) to Python (more versatile)
 - Adapting code to be operational on JT-60SA servers
- ➢ Benchmarking code<u>s</u>
 - COMPASS: Runaway electron beam, circular plasmas...
 - TCV: Electron cyclotron plasmas
- Camera modelisation
 - Calcam calibration for EDICAM camera
- 2021: Achieved Deliverables
 - Presentations
 - One presentation in front of EU side
 - One presentation in front of QST side
 - One presentation at the plasma team meeting
 - One presentation at the WPSA Project Planning Meeting

Got access to the QST servers (FOB, credentials, nomachine...)



Tomography inversion algorithm ready to be applied to EDICAM data



2021: Future milestones

- Code development
 - Make code run on JT-60SA servers (libraries...)
 - Testing further second algorithm (biorthogonal basis decomposition)
- > Camera modelisation
 - Calcam calibration for other cameras (at section P15)

2021: Future deliverables

Comparison of tomography results with 1D electron cyclotron code



Work Plan in modeling (3/3)

2022 / 2023 / 2024 / 2025:

Possible milestones

- Combining different camera views
- Raytraced geometry matrices
- Improvements of current algorithms and/or implementation of new ones
- Implement helicoidale symmetry (along field lines)
- Test of robustness of algorithm
 - 1. Check precision and accuracy by Monte Carlo simulations
 - 2. Investigating the effect of reflections...

Possible deliverables

- Improve robustness of the tomographic inversion
- Continue comparison with plasma models





Work Plan for operation (1/2)

2021: Achieved milestones

- Image processing
 - Post processing of visible camera data located at section P15

2021: Milestones & Deliverables

- Apply tomography code to camera data
 - Electron cyclotron plasmas
 - Circular / D-shaped...
- Help in general analysis of camera data
 - Experience from COMPASS (EDICAM)
 - Tools for post processing of tomographically inverted data







Work Plan for operation (2/2)

2022 / 2023 / 2024 / 2025:

Possible milestones

- Light observation with filters in front of the camera
- Automatisation of algorithms (after shot results)
- Possibility to go for real time analysis

Possible deliverables

- Apply tomography for different plasma scenarios (not only electron cyclotron ones)
- Development of new and improvements of existing post-processing tools
- Provide feedback on plasma conditions as soon as possible



The algorithms could also be applied to circular plasmas, runaway beams... for instance



Summary of code capability



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Operation

► <u>2021</u>:

- Possible travel to QST
- Apply code to data (hopefully)
- Make a summary of achieved results (presentation / report)

Modelling

- ≻ <u>2021</u>:
 - Already many milestones achieved (see previous slide)
 - Code ready to be used by local user on QST server

≻ <u>2022</u>:

- Code available by general users (not locally only)
- Comparison of tomography results with 1D electron cyclotron code



Back-up slides



Illustrative reconstructions of runaway electron beam (#16694)

Reconstruction - t = 1.177 s



Reconstruction - t = 1.229 s

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Beam movement & size retrieved





Runaway electron beam movement vs magnetic reconstruction



Plasma position and movement can be inferred = **promising for JT-60SA**



Circular plasma observation at COMPASS

Reconstruction - t = 1.303 s











Electron cyclotron beam path at TCV

- Camera probably blind in the top part (Z>0.2 m) \rightarrow not seeing the first beam path
- The beam path explains the asymmetry in Z

