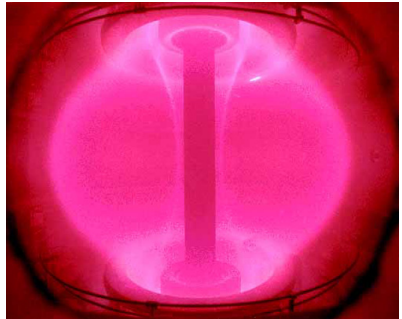
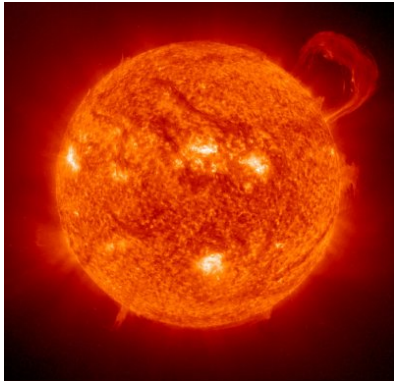
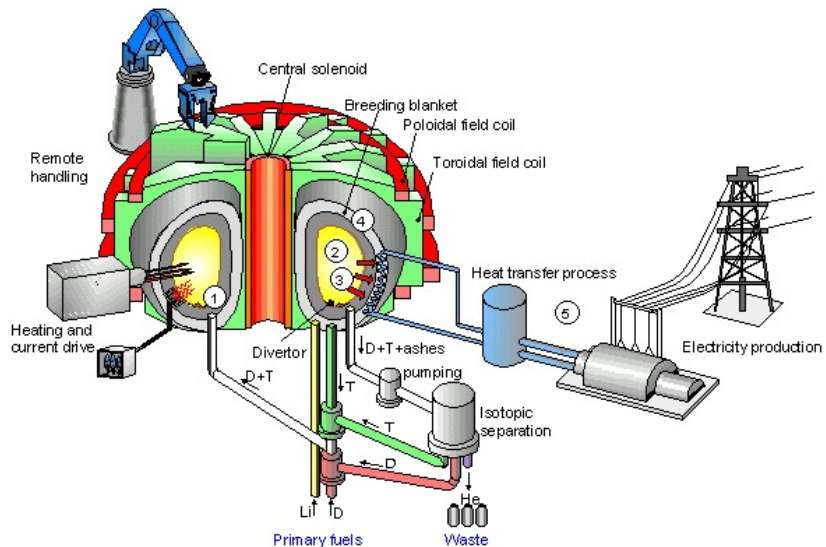


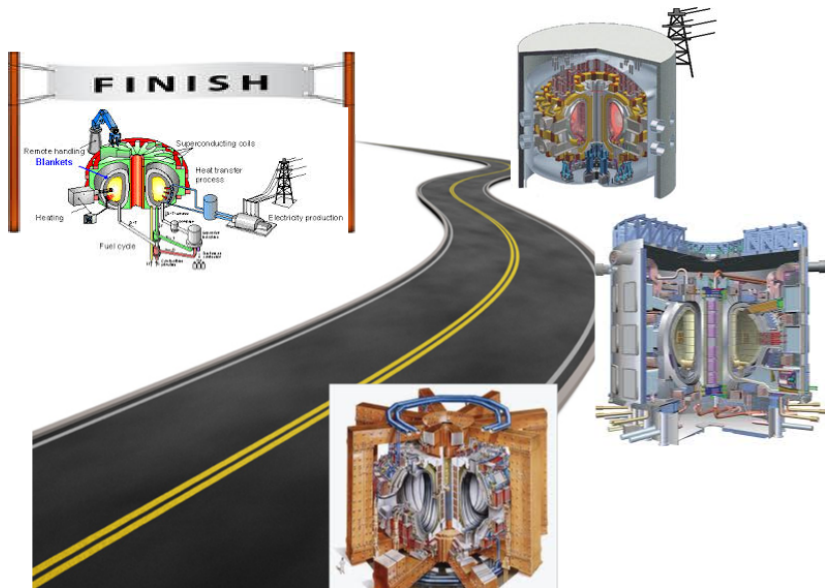
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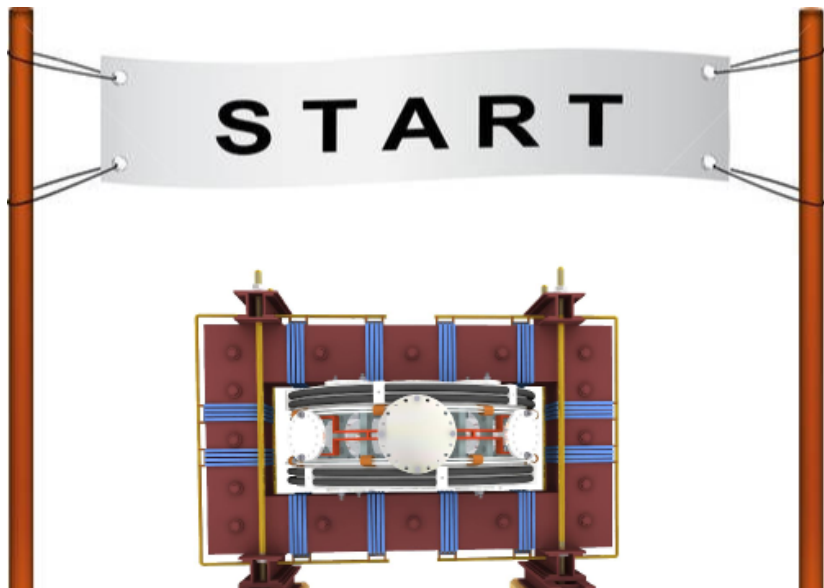
# Our mission



# Milestones to Fusion Power Plant



Start with tokamak GOLEM



# Introduction to tokamak operation (GOLEM specific) - Level 1

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on behalf of the tokamak GOLEM team

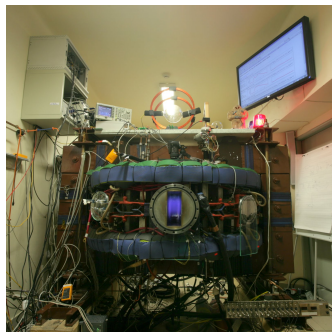
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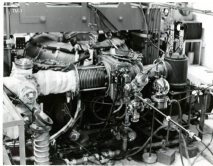
# Basic characteristics

- Major radius  $R_0 = 0.4$  m
- Minor radius  $r_0 = 0.1$  m
- Plasma radius  $a = 0.085$  m
- Toroidal magnetic field  $B_t < 0.5$  T
- Plasma current  $I_p < 8$  kA
- Plasma density  
 $n \approx 0.2 - 3 \times 10^{19}/\text{m}^{-3}$
- Electron temperature  $T_e < 100$  eV
- Ion temperature  $T_i < 50$  eV
- Length of the discharge  $\tau < 20$  ms



# Tokamak GOLEM for education - historical background

Kurchatov Institute near Moscow,  
Soviet Union  
1960: **TM1-MH**



1974



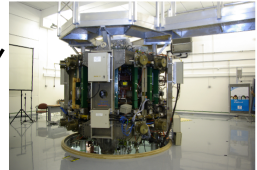
Institute of Plasma Physics  
Czech republic  
**CASTOR**      **COMPASS**



2006



Culham Centre for Fusion Energy  
Great Britain  
1989: **COMPASS-D**



2008

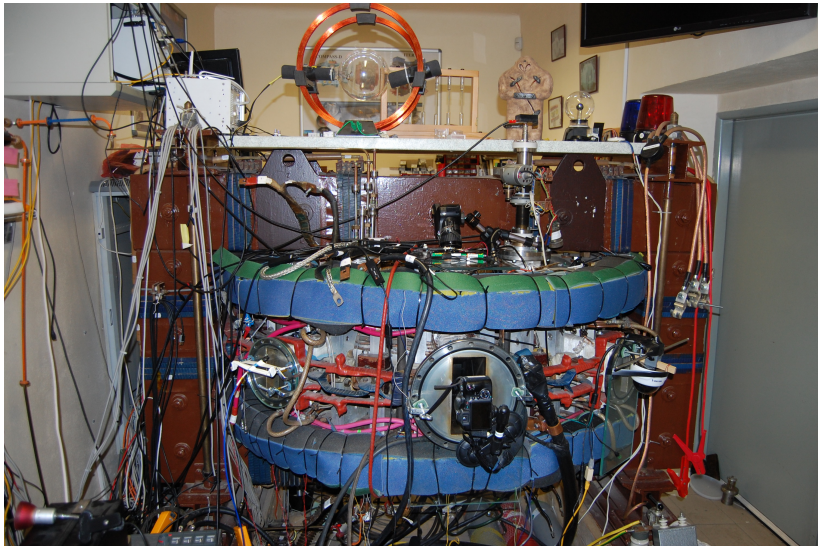


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**GOLEM**

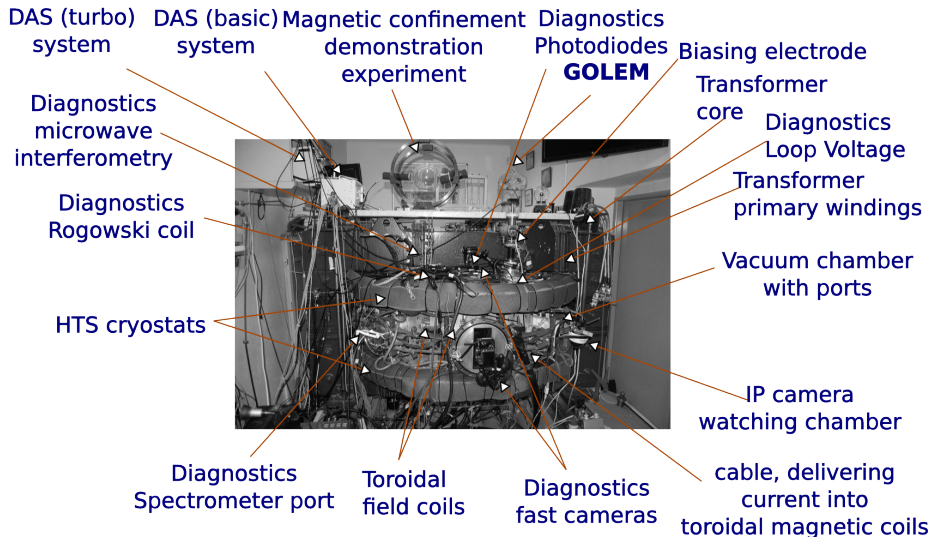




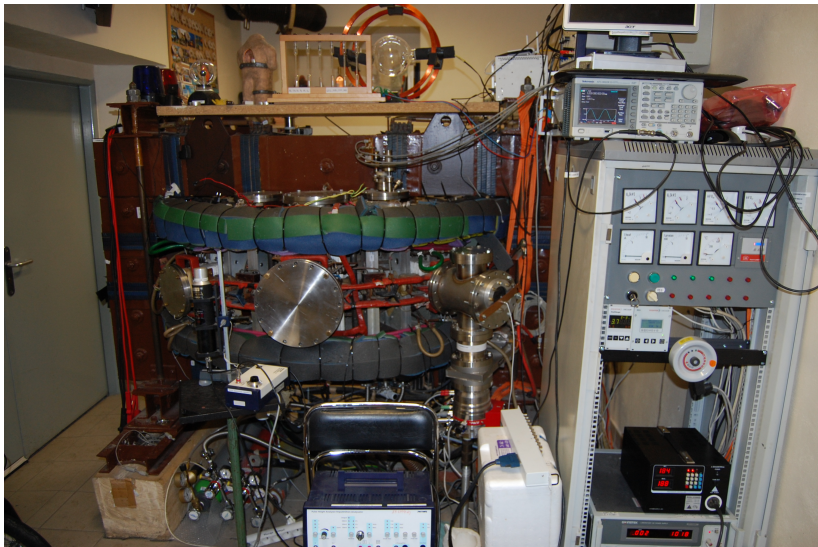
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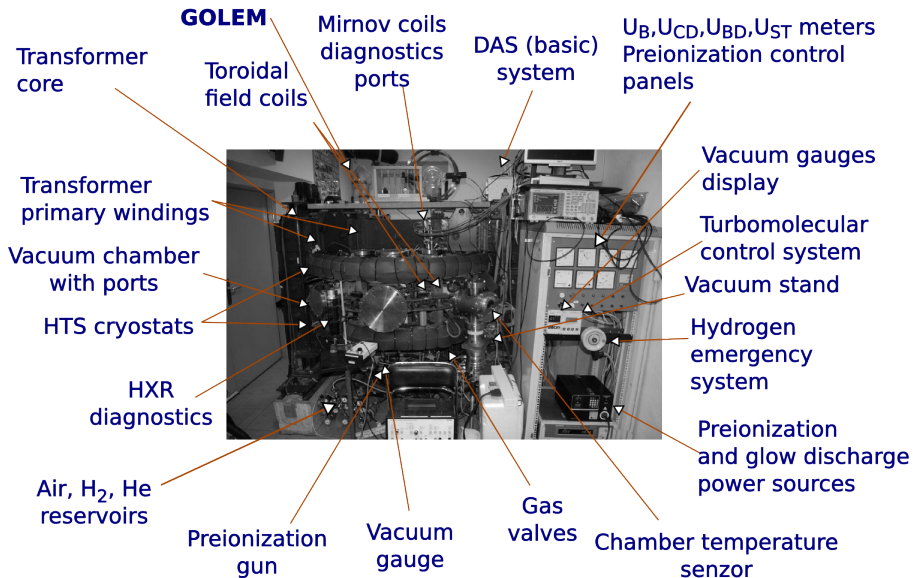
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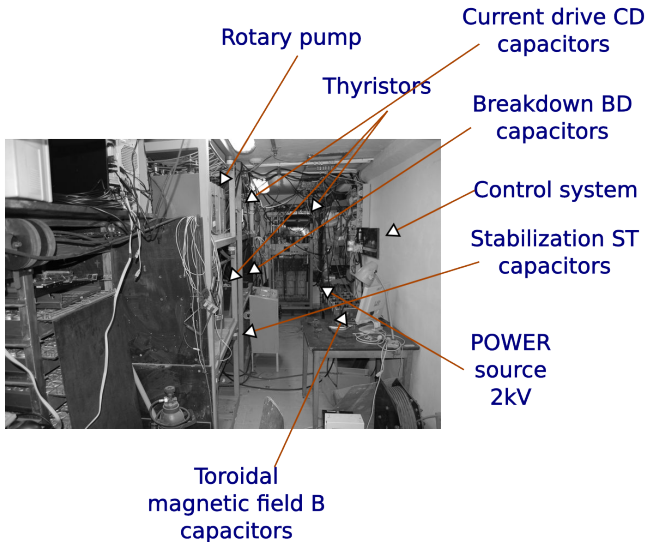
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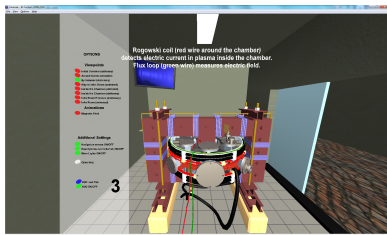
# Infrastructure room (below tokamak)



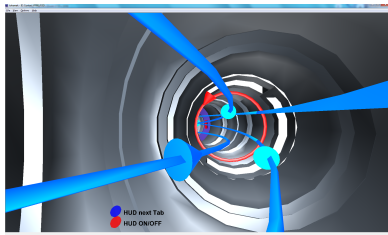
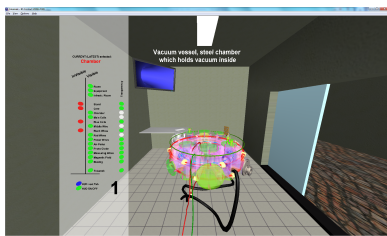
# Infrastructure room



# The GOLEM tokamak virtual model



Tokamak Room & Infrastructure Room



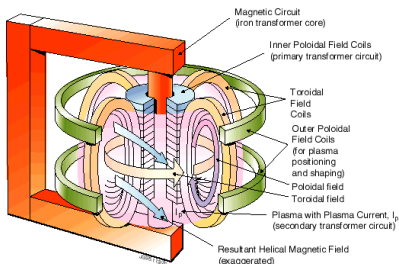
Inner view & Inside chamber

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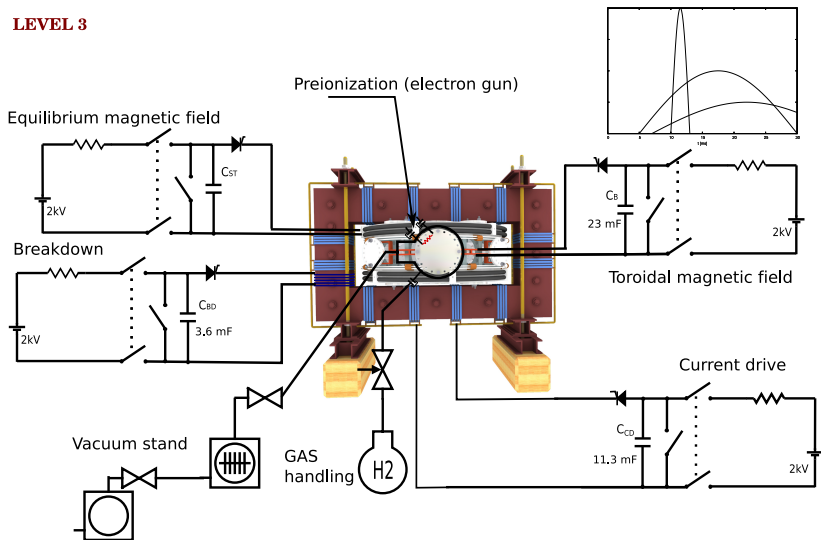
# Plasma in Tokamak (GOLEM) - the least to do



- Evacuate the chamber.
- Fill in the working gas.
- Preionization
- Toroidal magnetic field to confine plasma.
- Toroidal electric field to breakdown neutral gas into plasma.
- Toroidal electric field to heat the plasma.
- Plasma positioning (under construction).
- Diagnostics.

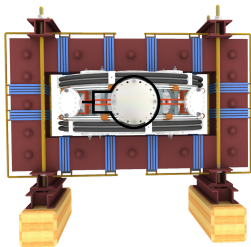
# Tokamak GOLEM - engineering scheme

## LEVEL 3



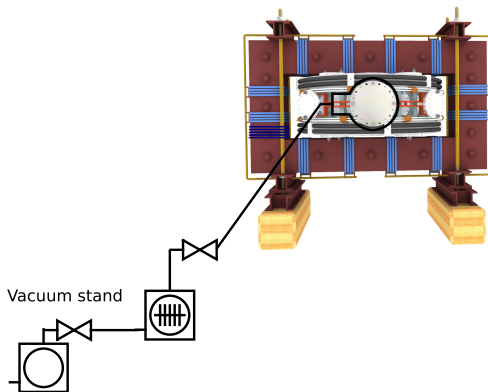
# Tokamak GOLEM - basic

**LEVEL 0**



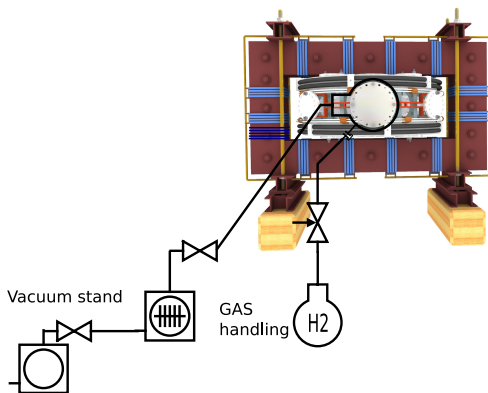
+ vacuum pumping system (100 kPa  $\rightarrow$   $\approx$  1 mPa)

**LEVEL 0**

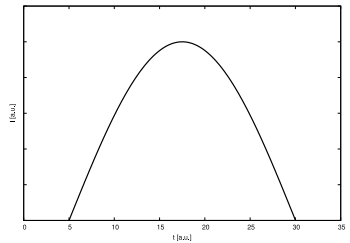
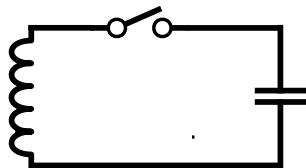
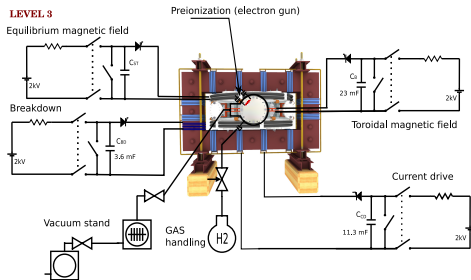


# + working gas management ( $H_2$ or He)

## LEVEL 0

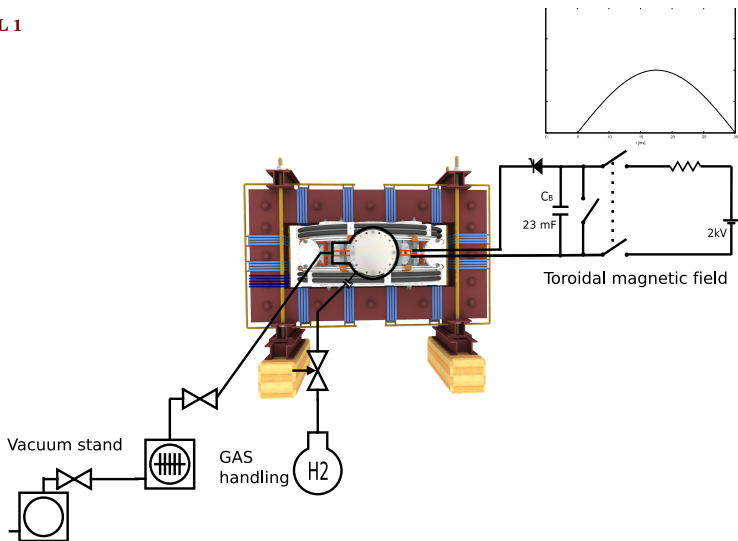


# Insertion - LC circuit



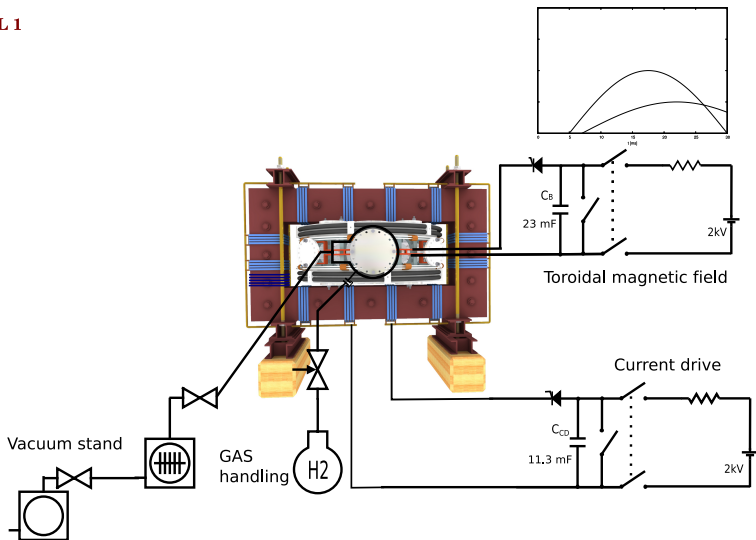
# + toroidal magnetic field $B_t$ .. plasma confinement

## LEVEL 1



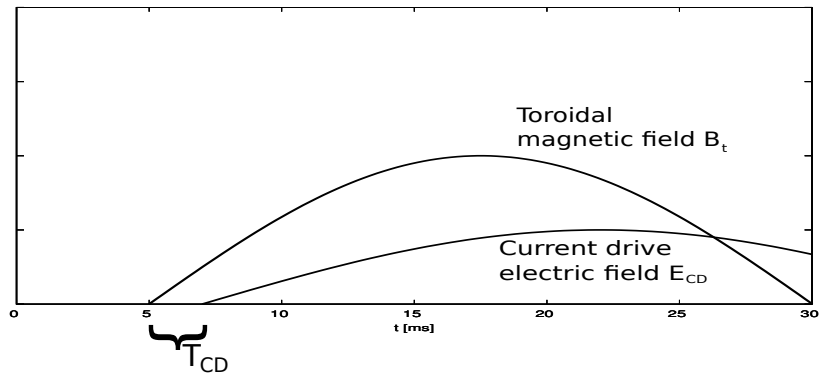
# + toroidal electric field $E_{CD}$ .. plasma heating

## LEVEL 1

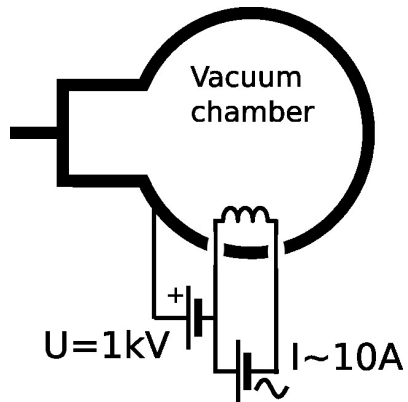




# Triggering sequence



# Preionization



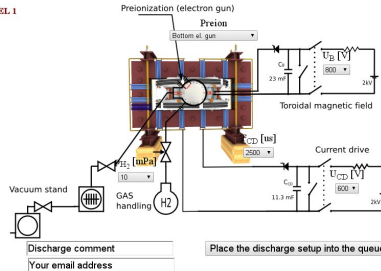
# The GOLEM tokamak Control Room - level I

*Tokamak Golem \*\*REMOTE\*\* for MASTER (Level I)*

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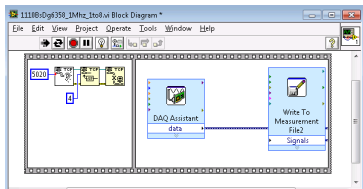
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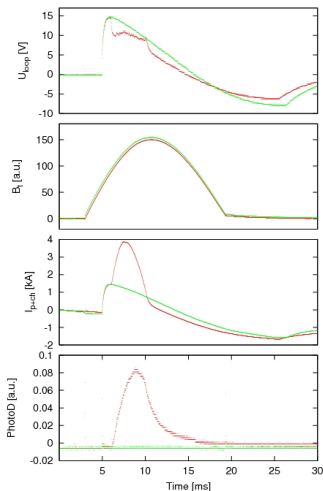
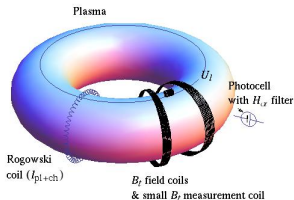
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# Basic plasma diagnostics in tokamak GOLEM

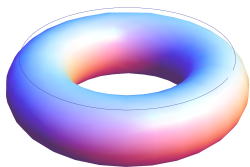


PXI system with PXIe 6358

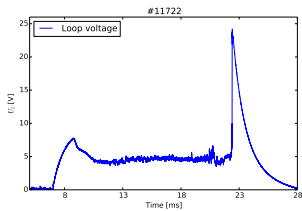


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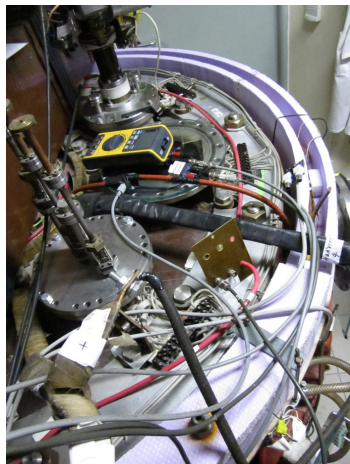
# Basic diagnostics: Loop Voltage $U_{loop}$



Principle



Signal

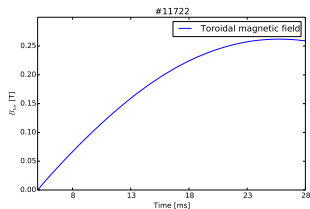


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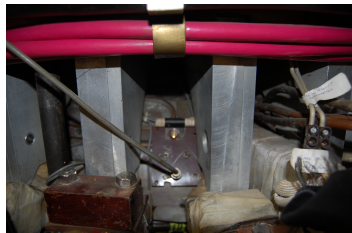
# Basic diagnostics: Toroidal magnetic field $B_{tor}$



Principle

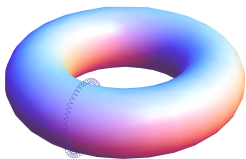


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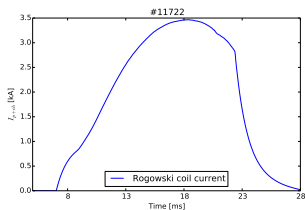


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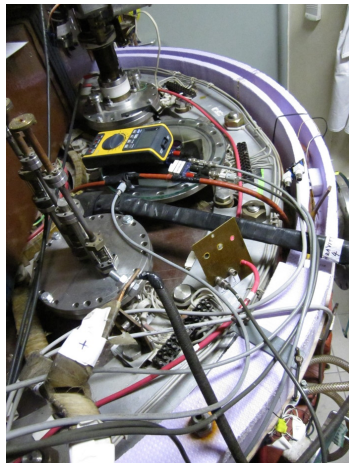
# Basic diagnostics: Total chamber+plasma current $I_{ch+p}$



Principle



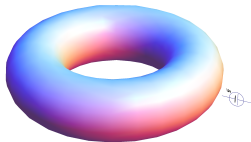
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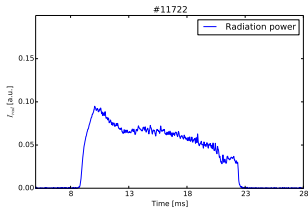
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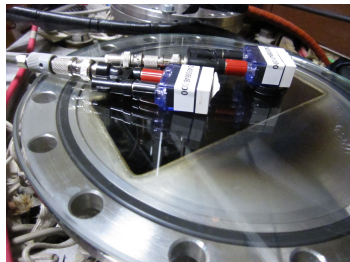
# Basic diagnostics: Visible radiation $I_{rad}$



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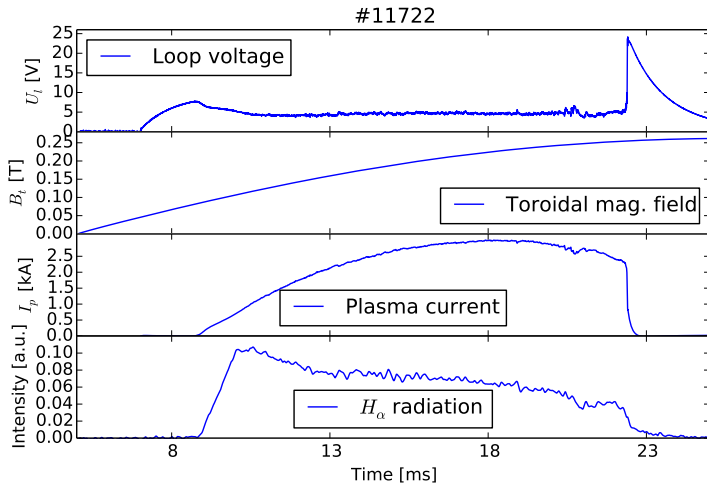


Signal



Photo

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