

## Final ADAS-EU Meeting; some introductory remarks

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### Outline

- A few remarks on the ADAS-EU project
- ADAS-EU contribution to the Integrated Tokamak Modelling Task Force (ITM-TF)
- Organisation of the EU fusion progrmme (outiside ITER) in Horizon 2020
- Conclusions





## A few words on the ADAS-EU project

- The ADAS project, which has its origin at the JET Joint Undertaking and has grown to a project with global reach, was identified as an important support activity for the Fusion Programme in FP7.
- As a result, the Commission decided to contribute to the funding by awarding a "Coordination on and Support action" (an FP7 funding instrument) to the ADAS-EU project.





- Originally the CSA covered the period 2009 to 2012, but the end date was extended to 30/09/2013 by an amendment in 2012.
- The CSA was awarded to the University of Strathclyde, with Prof Hugh Summers as the Coordinator of the project.
- There was also four lead Associated EU labs linked to ADAS-EU
  - CCFE Cuham
  - CEA Cadarache
  - IPP Garching/Greifswald
  - TEC Juelich





- The objectives of the project included:
  - support for efficient implementation of atomic data in:
    - diagnostics,
    - Modelling,
      - -Transport,
      - Plasma wall interaction,
      - -Heating and current drive,
    - throughout European laboratories and in ITER
  - Management of databases
  - A number of science related objectives (see next slide)
  - Strong interaction with EFDA-JET and ITER was foreseen.



# There were five main science themes in the ADAS-EU plan:

- **1.** Heavy element spectroscopy and models,
- 2. Charge exchange spectroscopy,
- 3. Beam stopping and emission,
- 4. Special features,
- 5. Diatomic spectra and collissional radiative models.

# The project objectives were largely to be achieved by:

- Placement of staff in selected EU fusion laboratories
- Staff visits to EU fusion labs to interact with local programmes,
- Training courses in ADAS data techniques and modelling,
- A website (http://www.adas-fusion.eu).



#### The CSA has allowed ADAS-EU to fund:

- Six part-time ADAS-EU personnel (corresponding to almost 3 fulltime professionals per year),
- mission costs,
- subcontracts to a number of EU universities,
- IT equipment, software etc.,
- administration and logistics.



- The ADAS-EU project has involved 36 Work Packages,
- It has been monitored in terms of:
  - 24 deliverables (all have been received, but some updates expected)
  - 30 milestones (2/3 reached 31/12/12).



- The scientific achievements of ADAS-EU will not be discussed in this presentation.
- Nevertheless, it clear that ADAS-EU project has made substantial progress, not least for modelling of tungsten ions, which of course is very significant for JET with the ILW and for ITER.
- On a personal note I would like to say that I had very positive interaction with ADAS-EU (especially Hugh Summers and Martin O'Mullane) during my time as deputy leader of the ITM task force.





#### A few words on integration of ADAS data into the ITM-TF\* framework

#### **ITM-TF** philosophy and approach

Comprehensive integrated tokamak modelling:

- ✓ infrastructure describing both the tokamak physics and the machine within a unique framework
- ✓ strategy: divide the global problem into Elementary Physics Problems (equilibrium, transport, MHD, sources, diagnostic response, …)

\*TF Leaders: G Falchetto, D. Coster and R. Coelho http://portal.efda-itm.eu/itm/portal/



- ✓ fully modular and flexible simulation platform
- standardized interfaces for physics and technology
  Consistent Physical Objects (CPO)
  This includes to atomic data
- ✓ completely generic workflow
- Verification and validation of codes and workflows should be an integral part of the process
  - Version control of all codes and data (including atomic) going into simulations is therefore essential



Schematic view of ITM-TF interlinking between models and AMNS (Atomic, Molecular, Nuclear Surface) data

Data from the ADAS database are read into an ITM database (AMNS) for standardised delivery to different ITM codes.

ITM-TF uses ADAS atomic data e.g. for Transport and Heating & Current Drive modelling





Data, in the form of CPOs, are transported between codes and finally stored by a dedicated software called the Universal Actess Layer (UAL)



#### ETS (core transport) workflow





#### **Auxiliary heating sources workflow**







### Purpose and principles of the AMNS project\* within the ITM-TF

- Provide the ITM-TF with Atomic, Molecular, Nuclear and Surface (AMNS) data from appropriate sources.
- Develop modules which deliver AMNS data in a standardised way to ITM-TF codes.
- The system must be such that the provenance of the data used for a particular simulation is recorded to ensure that a simulation can be exactly replicated at a later date.

\*Leader D. Coster



- A key feature of the ITM-TF is the use of special data structures to communicate data between codes in a consistent manner (these are called CPOs)
- The simulation platform is adapted to CPOs and there is special software to communicate CPOs to the ITM database: the UAL (Universal Access Layer)
- It was therefore natural to also store AMNS data in the form of ITM data structures









### **ADAS involvement in ITM**

- Supplying data (obviously)
- Contributed to the development software for transferring data from the ADAS data base to the ITM database and storage of atomic data in the amns data structure.
- Contributed to routines for retrieving AMNS data from the ITM data base in a standardised fashion





#### **ADAS data currently used in ITM-TF**

Release 11 [DEFAULT] Data for H • Data for 2-H • Data for 3-H • Data for He • Data for 3-He • Data for Li • Data for Be • Data for B • Data for C • Data for N • Data for O • Data for F • Data for Ne • Data for AI • Data for Si • Data for S • Data for CI • Data for Ar • Data for Cr • Data for Fe • Data for Ni • Data for Cu • Data for Ge • Data for Kr • Data for Mo • Data for Xe • Data for W

For H: (i) Recombination; (ii) Electron Impact Ionisation; (iii) CX recombination coeffts; (iv) Recomb/brems power coeffts; (v) Line radiation; (vi) Effective Charge; (vii) Effective Square Charge; (viii) Effective Ionisation Potential; (iX) Total Elastic Cross-Section; (x) Differential Elastic Cross-Section

Conclusion ADAS data have been well integrated into the ITM-TF framework



## **EU fusion programme outside ITER** Current organisation (FP7)

- The European Commission (Euratom)
  - Overall programme management (including funding), representation of the programme internationally (fusion cooperation Agreements)

#### • Euratom Fusion Associations

- 26 bilateral "Contracts of Association" between Euratom and EU member states' fusion institutions (plus Switzerland)
- EFDA (The European Fusion Development Agreement)
  - An agreement between all the Associations and Euratom to support co-ordinated and collective activities





• JET is linked to EFDA and operated under a bilateral contract, JOC, between the Commission and CCFE



Structure of the Programme in Horizon 2020

- The organisation of the EU fusion programme outside ITER will be radically restructured in Horizon 2020.
- The key aim is to make effective progress along the EFDA roadmap\* while retaining the unity of the overall effort and the strengths of the current structure.
- The plan is to confer the implementation of the whole programme to a single Consortium made up of interested national fusion research institutions, with one national lab acting as a Consortium coordinator.

\*http://www.efda.org/wpcms/wp-content/uploads/2013/01/JG12.356-web.pdf



- The Community funding of the Consortium should be via a so-called co-fund grant (a new Horizon 2020 funding instrument), i.e. the joint programming activities of the Consortium Members will be co-funded by the Community.
- JET is still planned to be operated under a bilateral contract between the Commission and CCFE in Horizon 2020.
- The scientific exploitation of JET will be entrusted to the consortium.





- As a result, the Commission will in Horizon 2020 have a much lesser role in the actual implementation of the fusion programme.
- It is in this context one must see how ADAS fits into the EU fusion programme in the future.
- The first port of call for discussions of how ADAS can continue to be well integrated to the EU fusion programme should be with the Consortium.
- The interim Programme Manager of the Consortium is Francesco Romanelli and meetings on the formation of the Consortium are chaired by Sibylle Günter.





## Conclusion

- The ADAS-EU project has delivered on its objectives (scientifically, dispersal of knowledge, management of databases etc.).
- It is in the interest of fusion research that the built-up experience can be maintained.
- In the new structure of the EU fusion programme in Horizon 2020, the implementation of the fusion programme will be entrusted to a Consortium of EU fusion research institutions.
- It is principally this context one should consider the future of ADAS in the EU fusion programme.