



S49: NBI+ECRH+Detachment in high- ι

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Additional:

vape_003, mbeur_012	Detachment in NBI	Cover in passing
anla_021	Verification of residual ECCD for on-axis X2	TF request
boz_048	low-P, post B spontaneous density peaking in high-iota	SO discretion

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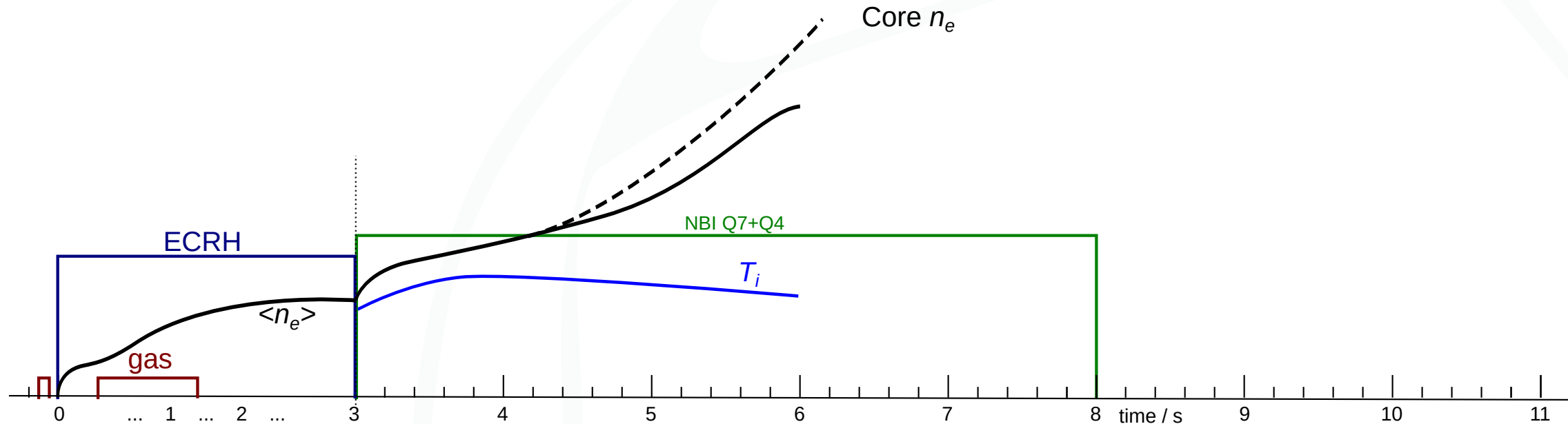
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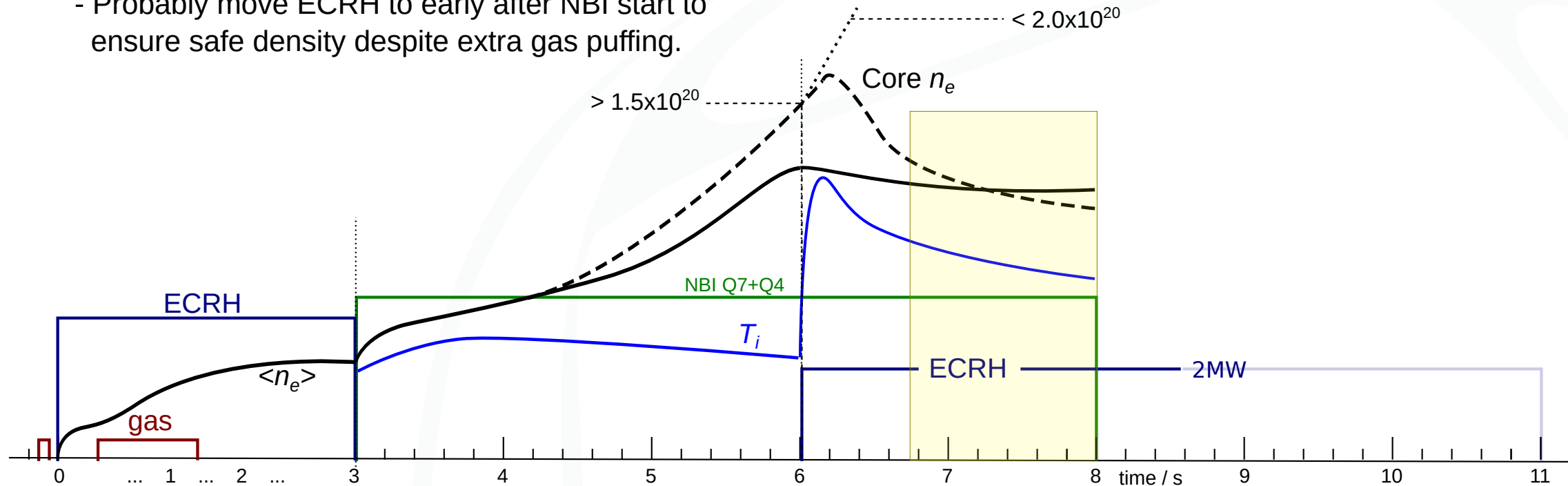


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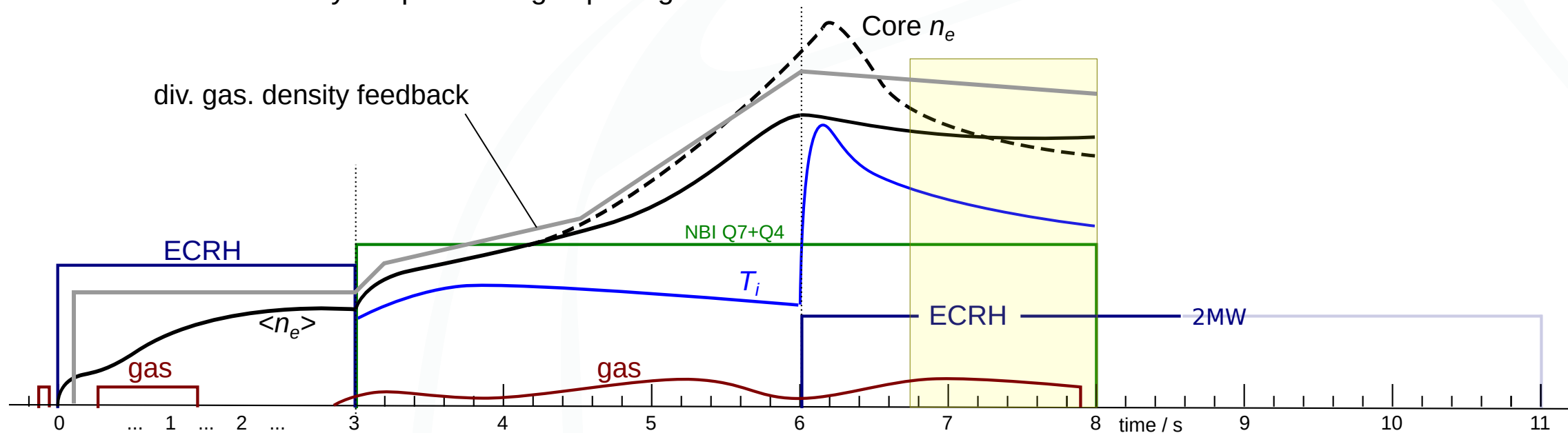


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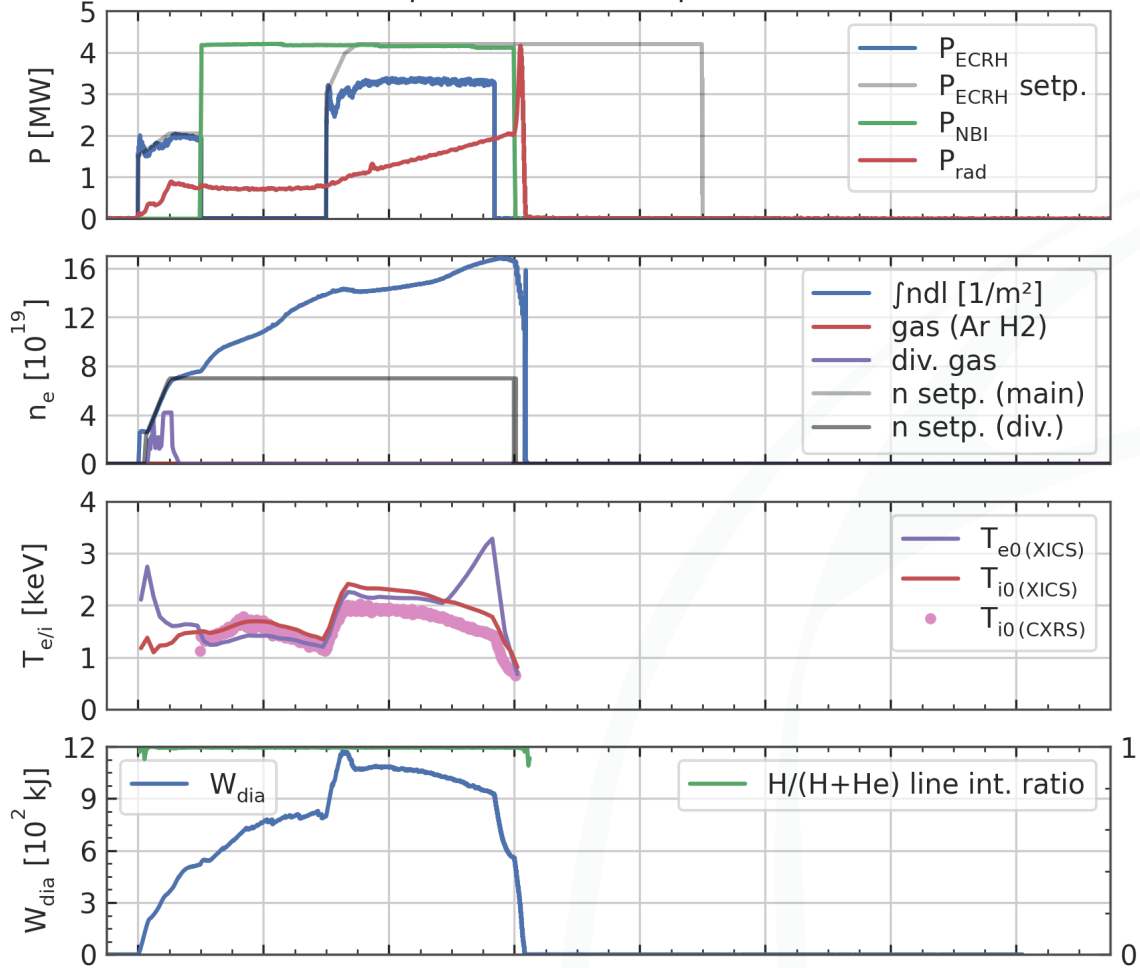


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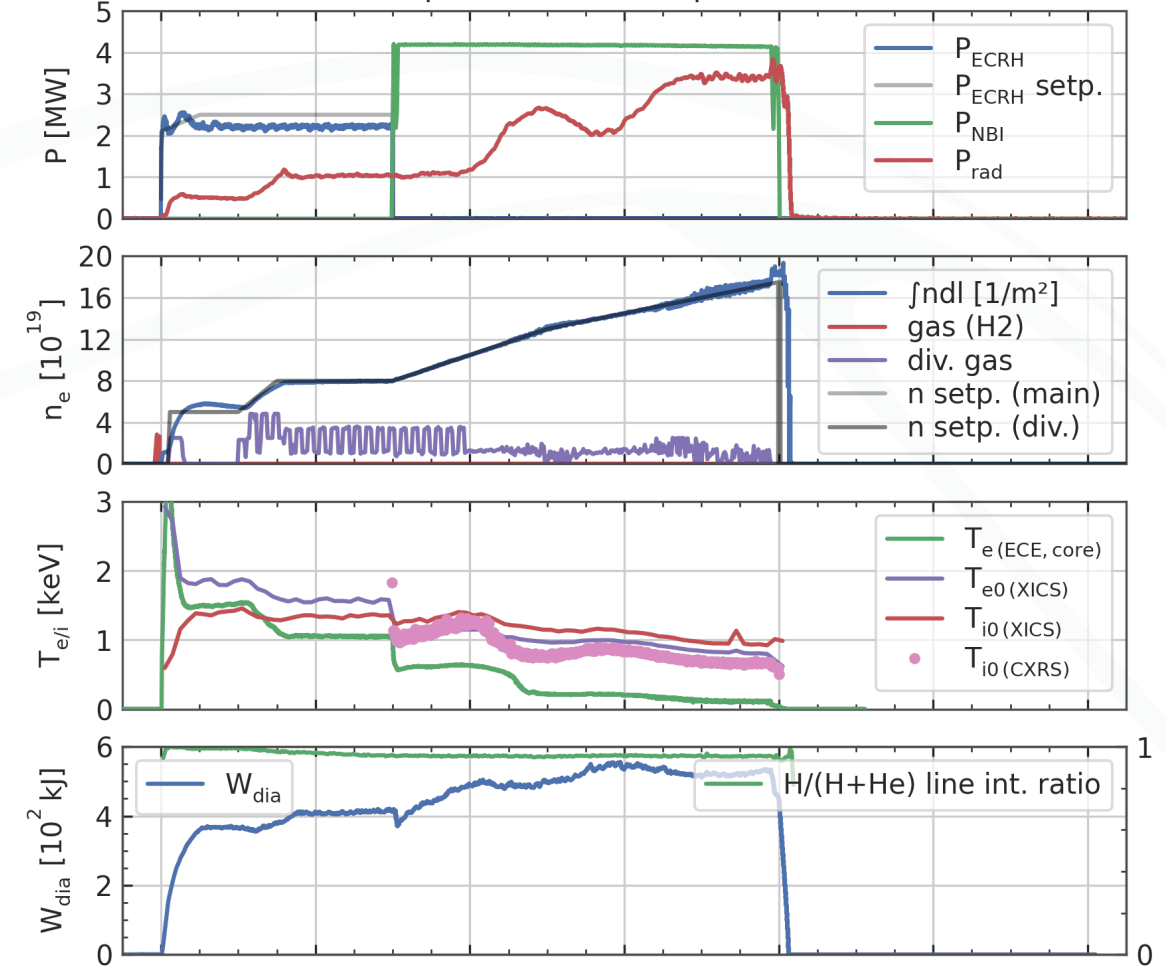


Combination of on-going development of NBI+O2 ECRH and pure NBI detachment (14.02.2023)

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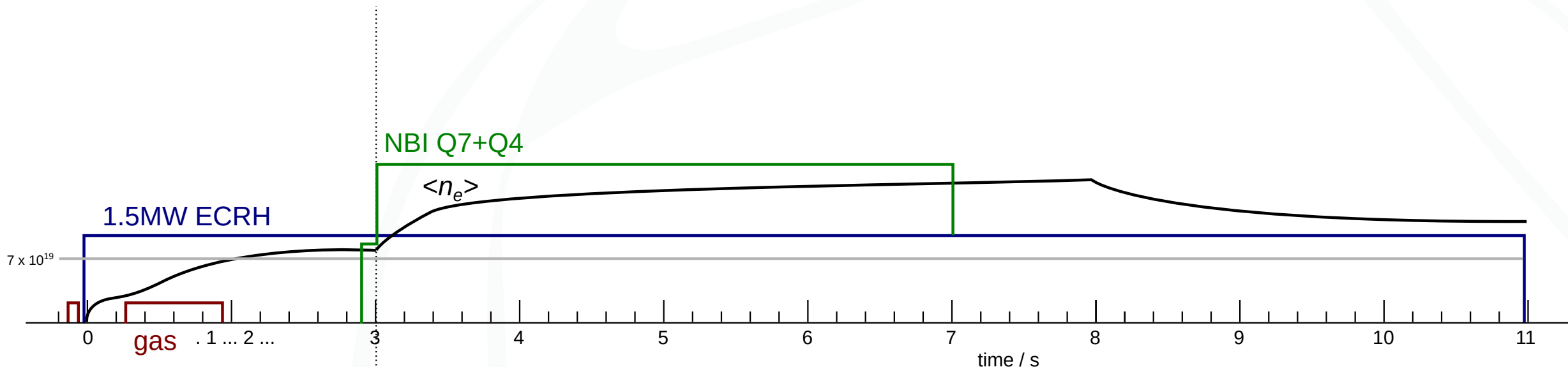
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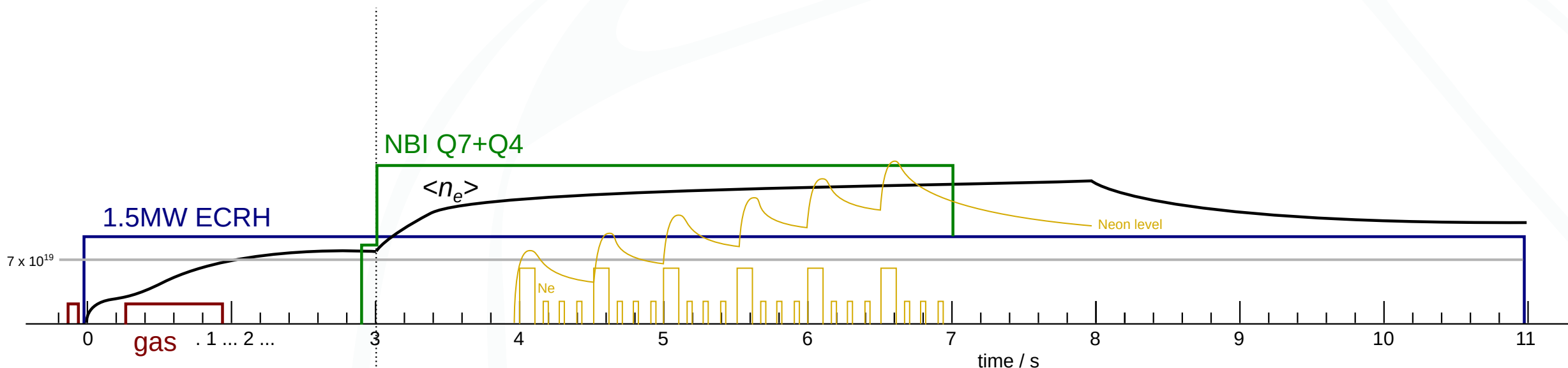
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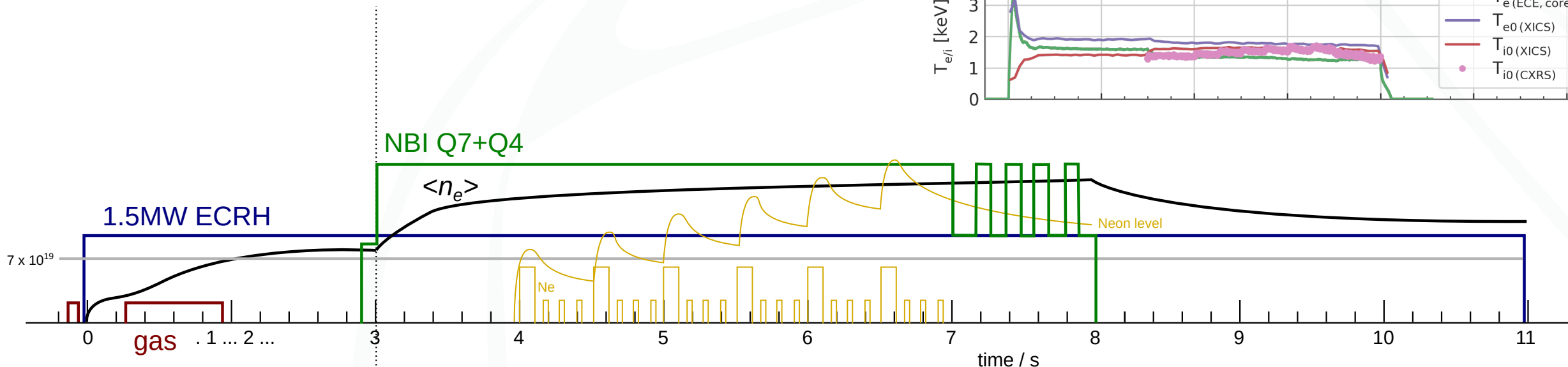
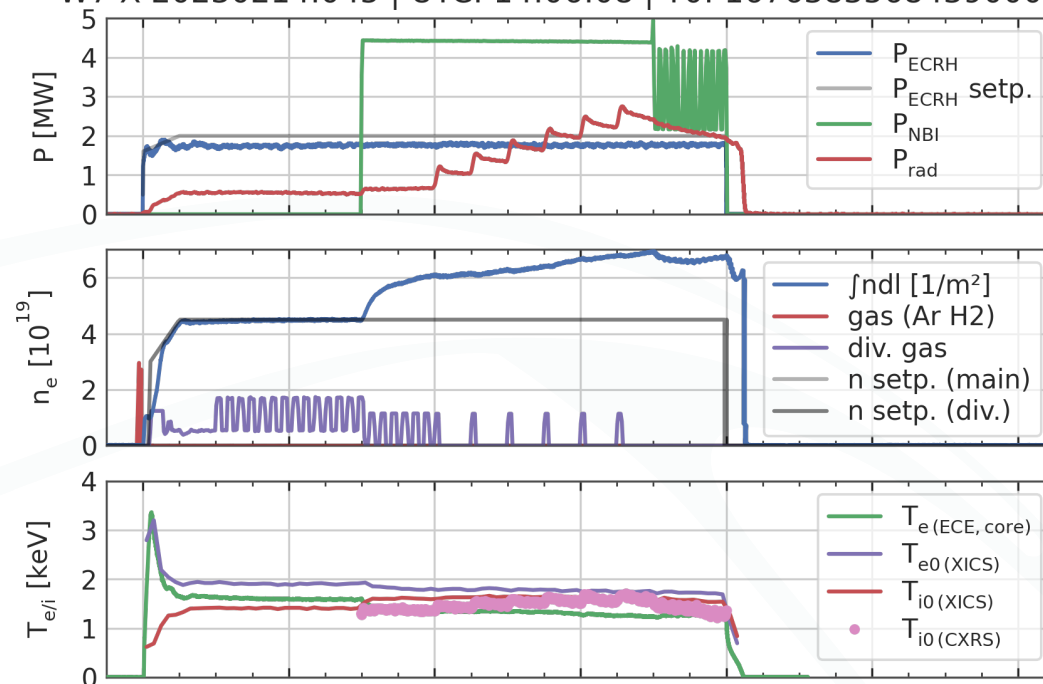
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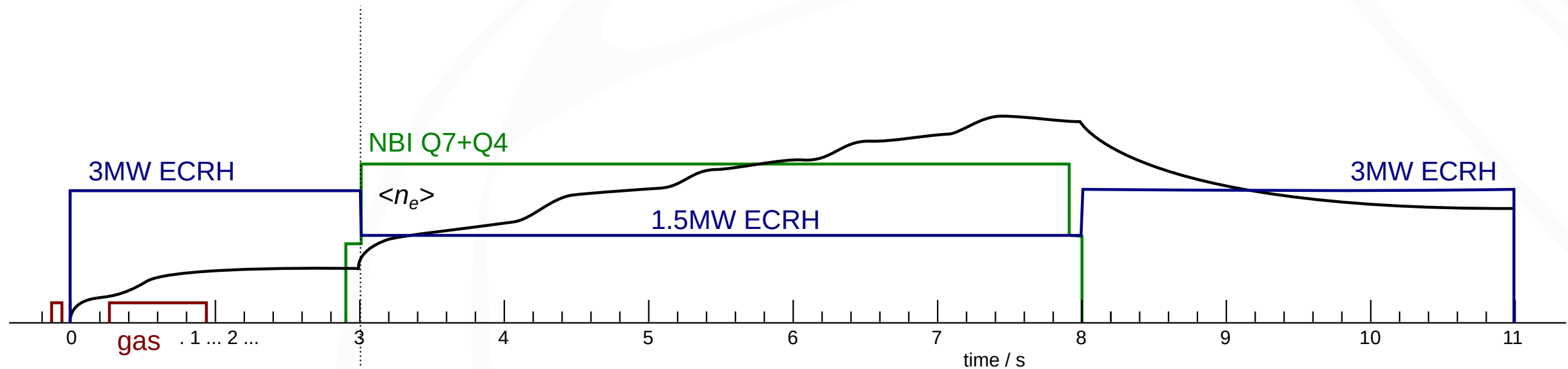
+Modulation of S7 (or 8) in place of S8 (or 7) for fast-ion measurements (for jove_006)

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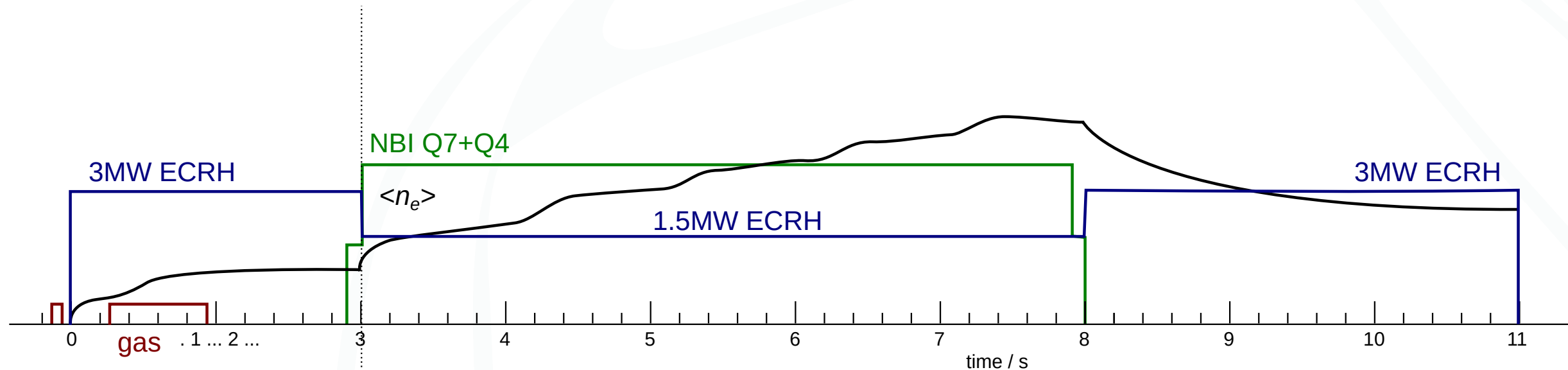
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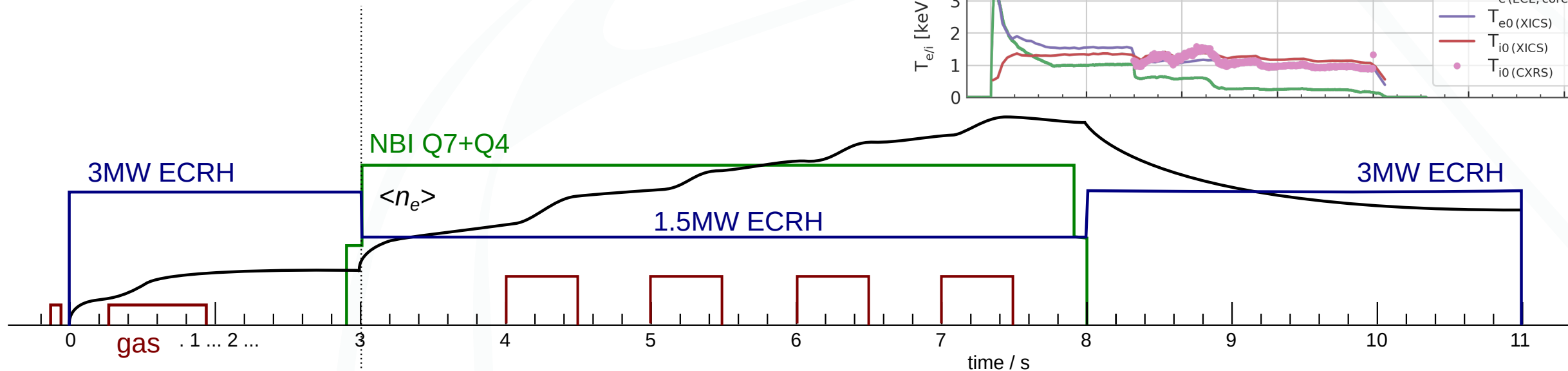
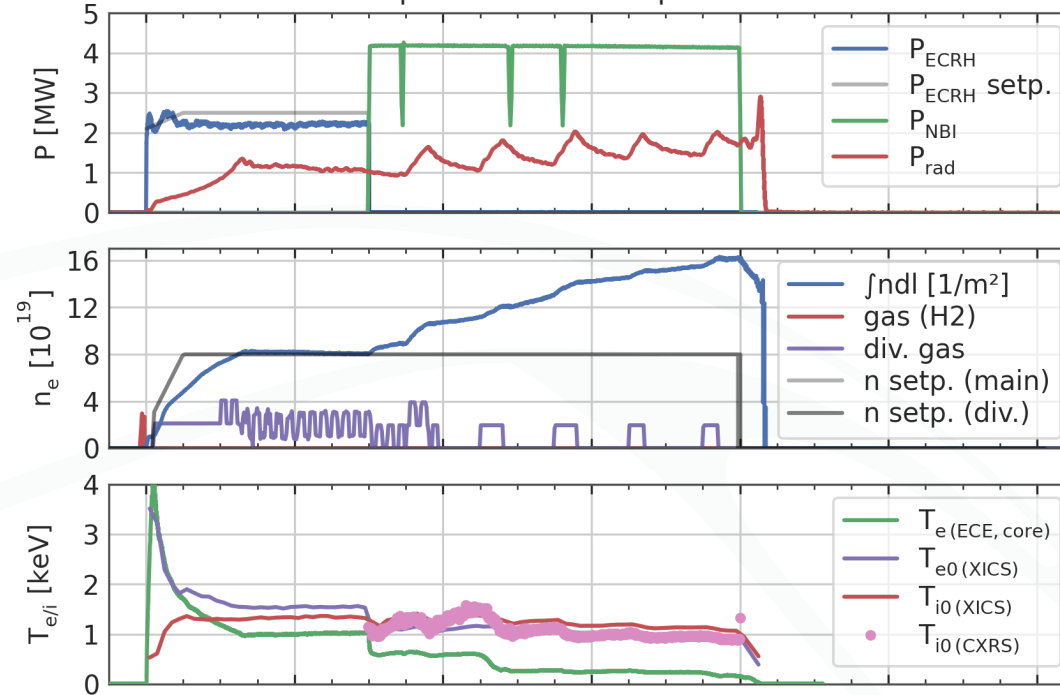


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Shot list



ECRH program: Detachment, NBI strike-point matching

Safety

Scenario dev.

Diagnostic

#	eDescription	References	ECRH	init ne	NBI	Diagnostic perturbation	Proposals
1	low P, post B spontaneous density peaking	#?	1MW			No	boz_048
2	Verification of residual ECCD for on-axis X2	#20230119.20				?	anla_021
3	Verification of residual ECCD for on-axis X2	#20230119.21				?	
4	NBI energy extension 0.5s					Outside NBI?	
5	Mimick NBI divertor loads with ECRH (+trim coils scan?)					?	sul_040, (+sul_041?)
6	NBI energy extension 1.0s					Outside NBI?	
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8	NBI energy extension 5.0s, safety+comparison					No	
9	Mimick NBI divertor loads with ECRH (+trim coils scan?)					?	sul_040, (+sul_041?)
10	NBI + reintroduce O2, best of S42 repeat, (no gas)		3 MW		8.5 Q7+Q4	No	oliford_002, jove_006, sul_035
11	Mimick NBI divertor loads with ECRH (+trim coils scan?)						sul_040
12	NBI + reintroduce O2, H fueling for detachment, (chasing setpoint)	#20230214.056, #20230216.63, S42	3 MW		8.5 Q7+Q4	No	cak_024, daz_014, +vape_003
13	Detachment preparation					?	daz_015, cak_024, +vape_003
14	Constant NBI+ECRH, Ne for detachment	#20231207.054	1-3MW		Q7+Q4	?	daz_014, sul_035, oliford_002, cak_024, jove_006, +mbeur_012
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19	Boron injection					?	roblu_002
20	Constant NBI+ECRH, H detachment	#20231207.054	1-3MW		8 Q7+Q4	?	daz_014, sul_035, oliford_002, cak_024, jove_006, +mbeur_012
21	Boron injection					?	roblu_002
22	Constant NBI+ECRH + Boron dropper (no detachment)	#20231207.054	3 MW		8 Q7+Q4	?	roblu_002, +oliford_006