

# Moment approach to the closure theory for toroidal plasmas

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# Closure vs. transport theory

- Closure theory for 5 moment  $(n_a, \mathbf{V}_a, T_a)$  equations

$$d_a n_a + n_a \nabla \cdot \mathbf{V}_a = 0 \quad (d_a \equiv \partial_t + \mathbf{V}_a \cdot \nabla)$$

$$\frac{3}{2} n_a d_a T_a + n_a T_a \nabla \cdot \mathbf{V}_a + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{h}_a + \nabla \mathbf{V}_a : \boldsymbol{\pi}_a = Q_a$$

$$m_a n_a d_a \mathbf{V}_a - n_a e_a (\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{V}_a \times \mathbf{B}) + \nabla p_a + \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\pi}_a = \mathbf{R}_a$$

Solve the kinetic equation or equivalently ( $n_a$ : non-Maxwellian moments)

$$D n_a + \Omega_a \mathbf{b} \times n_a = C n_a + G_a$$

Express  $\mathbf{h}_a(n_a^{11})$ ,  $\boldsymbol{\pi}_a(n_a^{20})$ ,  $Q_a$ ,  $\mathbf{R}_a$  in terms of  $n_a, \mathbf{V}_a, T_a$

$$\mathbf{R}_e = -(\alpha)(\mathbf{V}_{ei}) - (\beta)(\nabla T_e), \quad \mathbf{h}_e = (\beta)(\mathbf{V}_{ei}) - (\kappa)(\nabla T_e)$$

- Transport theory

Solve momentum balance equation

$$ne \mathbf{E}' + ne \mathbf{V}_{ei} \times \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{R}_e \quad \text{where } \mathbf{E}' = \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{V}_i \times \mathbf{B} + (ne)^{-1} \nabla p_e$$

Express fluxes in terms of thermodynamic drives

$$\mathbf{J} = (\sigma)(\mathbf{E}') - (\alpha')(\nabla T_e), \quad \mathbf{h}_e = (\alpha')(\mathbf{E}') - (\kappa')(\nabla T_e)$$

# Transport/closure theories

	Braginskii	Neoclassical	transport	Unified closure
Collisionality	high	high: PS	low	general <sup>*1</sup>
Magnetic field strength	general	strong	strong	strong
Magnetic geometry	general	nested	nested	general <sup>*2</sup>
Collision operator	Landau	Landau	model	Landau <sup>*3</sup>

- Solve general moment equations (not the drift kinetic equation)
- ★1 No ordering on collisionality (no subsidiary expansion)  $\Rightarrow$  Braginskii
- ★2 No flux surface average
- ★3 Exact full linearized Coulomb collision operators

# Moment expansion of a distribution function

- Landau kinetic equation

$$\partial_t f_a + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla f_a + \frac{q_a}{m_a} (\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}) \cdot \partial_{\mathbf{v}} f_a = \sum_b C(f_a, f_b)$$

- Moment expansion: expansion coefficients,  $m^{lk}$ 's, are symmetric traceless fluid moments

$$f_a(t, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v}) = f_a^{(0)} \sum_{lk} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sigma_k^l}} m_a^{lk}(t, \mathbf{x}) \cdot \mathbf{p}_a^{lk}$$
$$n_a^{lk} \equiv n_a m_a^{lk}(t, \mathbf{x}) = \int d\mathbf{v} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sigma_k^l}} \mathbf{p}_a^{lk} f_a(t, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v})$$

- $\mathbf{p}^{lk}$ 's are orthogonal, irreducible, tensorial polynomials and form a complete set

$$\int d\mathbf{v} \mathbf{p}^{jp} \mathbf{p}^{lk} \cdot m^{lk} f^M = \delta_{jl} \delta_{pk} \sigma_p^j n m^{jp}$$

# Moment equations for electrons and ions $(a, b) = (e, i)$ or $(i, e)$

Ji and Held, PoP (2006, 2008, 2009)

$$\hat{D}_a \mathbf{n}_a + \Omega_a \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{n}_a = (\hat{C}_{aa} + \hat{A}_{ab}) \mathbf{n}_a + \mathbf{G}_a$$

$$\mathbf{n}_a = \begin{bmatrix} n_a^0 \\ n_a^1 \\ n_a^2 \\ n_a^3 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}, \quad n_a^0 = \begin{pmatrix} n_a^{02} \\ n_a^{03} \\ n_a^{04} \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}, \quad n_a^1 = \begin{pmatrix} n_a^{11} \\ n_a^{12} \\ n_a^{13} \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}, \quad n_a^2 = \begin{pmatrix} n_a^{20} \\ n_a^{21} \\ n_a^{22} \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}, \quad \dots$$

$$\mathbf{G}_a = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ G_a^1 \\ G_a^2 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}, \quad G_a^1 = \begin{pmatrix} G_{Ta}^{11} + \delta_{ae} \hat{A}_{ei}^{11,00} n_e \\ \delta_{ae} \hat{A}_{ei}^{12,00} n_e \\ \delta_{ae} \hat{A}_{ei}^{13,00} n_e \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}, \quad G_a^2 = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} n_a W_a \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}$$

$$G_{Ta}^{11} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \frac{n_a v_{Ta}}{T_a} \nabla T_a, \quad \hat{A}_{ei}^{1p,00} = -\frac{1}{\tau_{ei}} \sqrt{\frac{3(p + \frac{1}{2})!}{(p + \frac{3}{2})p!(\frac{1}{2})!}} \frac{\mathbf{V}_{ei}}{v_{Te}}$$

$$W_a = \nabla \mathbf{V}_a + \widetilde{\nabla \mathbf{V}_a} - \frac{2}{3} |\nabla \cdot \mathbf{V}_a$$

## Small gyroradius ordering $\delta = \rho/L \ll 1$

$$\hat{D}_a \mathbf{n}_a + \underbrace{\Omega_a}_{\delta^{-1}} \mathbf{b} \check{\times} \mathbf{n}_a = \hat{C}_a \mathbf{n}_a + \mathbf{G}_a$$

Temperature, electric potential and flow velocity on the flux surfaces ( $\psi$ )

$$T = T_0(\psi) + T_1(\mathbf{x})$$

$$\phi = \phi_0(\psi) + \phi_1(\mathbf{x}) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{a}_0 = \frac{q}{m} (-\nabla \phi_0 + \mathbf{V}_1 \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{V}_1(\mathbf{x})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{D}_0^{jp, lk} \mathbf{n}^{lk} &= v_{T0} [\hat{\Psi}_{pk}^{j-} \nabla + \hat{\Phi}_{pk}^{j-} \nabla \ln T_0] \mathbf{n}^{j-1, k} + v_{T0}^{-1} \hat{\Theta}_{pk}^{j-} \mathbf{a}_0 \mathbf{n}^{j-1, k} \\ &\quad + v_{T0} [\hat{\Psi}_{pk}^{j+} \nabla + \hat{\Phi}_{pk}^{j+} \nabla \ln T_0] \cdot \mathbf{n}^{j+1, k} + v_{T0}^{-1} \hat{\Theta}_{pk}^{j+} \mathbf{a}_0 \cdot \mathbf{n}^{j+1, k} \end{aligned}$$

Expand  $\mathbf{n}_a = \mathbf{n}_a^{(0)} + \mathbf{n}_a^{(1)} + \mathbf{n}_a^{(2)} + \dots$ ,  $\mathbf{G}_a = \mathbf{G}_a^{(0)} + \mathbf{G}_a^{(1)}$

- $\delta^{-1}$ :  $\Omega \mathbf{b} \check{\times} \mathbf{n}^{(0)} = 0$
- $\delta^0$ :  $\hat{D}_0 \mathbf{n}^{(0)} + \Omega \mathbf{b} \check{\times} \mathbf{n}^{(1)} = \hat{C} \mathbf{n}^{(0)} + \mathbf{G}^{(0)}$
- $\delta^1$ :  $\hat{D}_0 \mathbf{n}^{(1)} + \hat{D}_1 \mathbf{n}^{(0)} + \Omega \mathbf{b} \check{\times} \mathbf{n}^{(2)} = \hat{C} \mathbf{n}^{(1)} + \mathbf{G}^{(1)}$

## Solutions of $\mathbf{b} \overset{\vee}{\times} \mathbf{n}^{lk(0)} = 0$

$$\mathbf{b}_{\parallel} \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{b} \mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{V} \equiv \mathbf{V}_{\parallel}, \quad \mathbf{b}_{\times} \mathbf{V} \equiv \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{V}_{\times}, \quad \mathbf{b}_{\perp} \mathbf{V} \equiv (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{b} \mathbf{b}) \cdot \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{V}_{\perp}$$

$$\mathbf{b}_{\times\perp} \mathbf{W} \equiv \mathbf{W}_{\times\perp}, \quad \mathbf{K}^{-1} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{b}_{\times\perp} + 2 \mathbf{b}_{\parallel\times}$$

- Vector moments:  $\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{n}^{1k(0)} = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{n}_{\perp}^{1k(0)} = 0$
- Rank 2 tensor moments:  $\mathbf{b} \overset{\vee}{\times} \mathbf{n}^{2k(0)} = \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{n}^{2k(0)} - \mathbf{n}^{2k(0)} \times \mathbf{b} = 0$

$$\mathbf{K}^{-1} (\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{n}^{2k(0)} - \mathbf{n}^{2k(0)} \times \mathbf{b}) = \mathbf{n}_{\text{CGL}}^{2k(0)} - \mathbf{n}^{2k(0)} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{n}^{2k(0)} = \mathbf{n}_{\text{CGL}}^{2k(0)} \equiv n_{zz}^{2k(0)} \left( -\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{e}_1 \mathbf{e}_1 - \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{e}_2 \mathbf{e}_2 + \mathbf{b} \mathbf{b} \right) = \frac{3}{2} n_{zz}^{2k(0)} (\mathbf{b} \mathbf{b} - \frac{1}{3} \mathbf{I})$$

- General-rank tensor moments ( $l \geq 3$ ): solve coupled equations for  $n_{\parallel \dots \times \dots \perp \dots}^{lk(0)}$   
 $n_{\parallel \dots \times \dots \perp \dots}^{lk(0)} = 0$  for odd number of  $\perp$  or  $\times$

$$\mathbf{n}^{lk(0)} = \frac{(2l-1)!!}{l!} n_{\parallel}^{lk(0)} \mathbf{P}^l(\mathbf{b})$$

$n_{\parallel}^{lk(0)} \equiv n_{zz \dots z}^{lk(0)}$  can be found from the  $\delta^0$ -order parallel moment equations

# $\delta^0$ -order equations $\hat{D}_0 n^{(0)} + \Omega \mathbf{b} \times n^{(1)} = \hat{C} n^{(0)} + \mathbf{G}^{(0)}$

- Parallel moments

$$D_{\parallel} n_{\parallel}^{(0)} = C n_{\parallel}^{(0)} + \underbrace{G_{\parallel}^{(0)}}_{=0}$$

$$n_{\parallel}^{(0)} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{n}^{(0)} = 0$$

- Perpendicular moments

$$\mathbf{G}_a^{11(0)} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{4}} \frac{n_{a0} v_{Ta0}}{T_{a0}} \nabla T_{a0} \quad \mathbf{G}_a^{lk(0)} = 0 \quad (l, k \neq 1, 1)$$

$$n_{a\perp}^{11(1)} = -\sqrt{\frac{5}{4}} \frac{1}{\Omega_a} \frac{n_{a0} v_{Ta0}}{T_{a0}} \mathbf{b} \times \nabla T_{a0} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{h}_{a\perp}^{(1)} = \frac{5}{2} \frac{n_{a0} T_{a0}}{m_a \Omega_a} \mathbf{b} \times \nabla T_{a0}$$

$$n^{lk(1)} = \frac{(2l-1)!}{l!} n_{\parallel}^{lk(1)} \mathbf{P}^l(\mathbf{b}) \quad (l, k \neq 1, 1)$$

$n_{\parallel}^{lk(1)} \equiv n_{zz\dots z}^{lk(1)}$  can be found from the  $\delta^1$ -order parallel moment equations



# Parallel $\delta^1$ order equations $[\hat{D}_0 \mathbf{n}^{(1)} + \Omega \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{n}^{(2)} = \hat{C} \mathbf{n}^{(1)} + \mathbf{G}^{(1)}]_{\parallel}$

$$\hat{\Psi}_{pk}^{l-} \left( \overline{\nabla \mathbf{n}^{l-1,k}} \right)_{\parallel} \Rightarrow \bar{\Psi}_{pk}^{l-} \left( \partial_{\ell} \bar{n}_{\parallel}^{l-1,k} + \frac{l-1}{2} \partial_{\ell} \ln B \bar{n}_{\parallel}^{l-1,k} \right)$$

$$\hat{\Psi}_{pk}^{l+} \left( \nabla \cdot \mathbf{n}^{l+1} \right)_{\parallel} \Rightarrow \bar{\Psi}_{pk}^{l+} \left( \partial_{\ell} \bar{n}_{\parallel}^{l+1} - \frac{l+2}{2} \partial_{\ell} \ln B \bar{n}_{\parallel}^{l+1} \right)$$

$$\bar{G}_{a\parallel}^{1p(1)} = \delta_{p1} \frac{\sqrt{5} n_a v_{Ta0}}{2} \frac{\partial T_{a1}}{T_{a0} \partial \ell} - \delta_{ae} \frac{1}{\tau_{ei}} \sqrt{\frac{3(p + \frac{1}{2})!}{(p + \frac{3}{2})p!(\frac{1}{2})!}} \frac{V_{ei\parallel}}{v_{Te}}$$

$$\bar{G}_{a\parallel}^{20(1)} = -\sqrt{3} n_a \mathbf{b} \mathbf{b} : \overline{\nabla \mathbf{V}_{a1}}$$

$$\bar{G}_{a\parallel \nabla}^{02(1)} = -v_{Ta0} \bar{\Psi}_{21}^{0+} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{n}_{a\perp}^{11(1)} = -\sqrt{\frac{10}{3}} \frac{n_{a0}}{q_a} \nabla \cdot \frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla T_{a0}}{B^2}$$

$$\bar{G}_{a\parallel \nabla}^{20(1)} = -v_{Ta0} \bar{\Psi}_{01}^{2-} \mathbf{b} \mathbf{b} : \overline{\nabla \mathbf{n}_{a\perp}^{11(1)}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \frac{n_{a0}}{q_a} \left( \boldsymbol{\kappa} \cdot \frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla T_{a0}}{B^2} + \frac{1}{3} \nabla \cdot \frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla T_{a0}}{B^2} \right)$$

$$\bar{G}_{a\parallel \nabla}^{21(1)} = -v_{Ta0} \bar{\Psi}_{11}^{2-} \mathbf{b} \mathbf{b} : \overline{\nabla \mathbf{n}_{a\perp}^{11(1)}} = -\sqrt{\frac{14}{3}} \frac{n_{a0}}{q_a} \left( \boldsymbol{\kappa} \cdot \frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla T_{a0}}{B^2} + \frac{1}{3} \nabla \cdot \frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla T_{a0}}{B^2} \right)$$

$$\bar{G}_{a\parallel A}^{02(1)} = -v_{Ta0}^{-1} \bar{\Theta}_{21}^{0+} \mathbf{a}_0 \cdot \mathbf{n}_a^{11(1)} = -\sqrt{\frac{10}{3}} \frac{n_{a0}}{T_{a0}} \mathbf{V}_{a1\perp} \cdot \nabla T_{a0}$$

$$\bar{G}_{a\parallel A}^{21(1)} = -v_{Ta0}^{-1} \bar{\Theta}_{11}^{2-} \mathbf{b} \mathbf{b} : \overline{\mathbf{a}_0 \mathbf{n}_a^{11(1)}} = -\frac{1}{3} \sqrt{\frac{14}{3}} \frac{n_{a0}}{T_{a0}} \mathbf{V}_{a1\perp} \cdot \nabla T_{a0}$$

## Parallel $\delta^1$ -order equations $\Rightarrow n_{\parallel}^{(1)}$

$$[\Psi]\partial_z \bar{n}_{\parallel}^{(1)} = [c]\bar{n}_{\parallel}^{(1)} + g_{\parallel}^{(1)} - \{\partial_z \ln B[\Psi_B] + \partial_z \ln T_0[\Phi] + a_{0\parallel}[\Theta]\}\bar{n}_{\parallel}^{(1)}$$

- Solution of  $[\psi]\partial_z \bar{n}_{\parallel}^{(1)} = [c]\bar{n}_{\parallel}^{(1)} + g_{\parallel}^{(1)} \Rightarrow$  integral closures

$$\bar{n}_{\parallel}^{jp(1)}(y) = \int K^{jp,lk}(y-z)g_{\parallel}^{lk(1)}(z)dz$$

where  $dz = dl/v_T\tau = dl/L_C$  [Ji Held Sovinec 2009 PoP]

$$g_{\parallel}^{lk(1)} \Leftarrow \frac{\partial T_1}{\partial z}, \frac{V_{ei\parallel}}{v_{Te}}, (\overline{\nabla \mathbf{V}_1})_{\parallel}, \boldsymbol{\kappa} \cdot \frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla T_0}{B^2}, \nabla \cdot \frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla T_0}{q_a B^2}, \mathbf{V}_{1\perp} \cdot \nabla T_0$$

- Axi-symmetric geometry  $\mathbf{B} = I(\psi)\nabla\varphi + \nabla\varphi \times \nabla\psi$ ,  $\frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla\psi}{B^2} = \frac{I\mathbf{B}}{B^2} - R\hat{\varphi}$

$$\nabla \cdot \frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla T_0}{qB^2} = \mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla \left( \frac{nI}{qB^2} \frac{dT_0}{d\psi} \right)$$

$$\int K(y-z)\nabla \cdot \frac{\mathbf{B} \times \nabla T_0}{qB^2} dz = \frac{nI}{q} \int K(y-z)\mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla B^{-2} dz \frac{dT_0}{d\psi}$$

# Perpendicular $\delta^1$ -order $(\hat{D}n)^{l(1)} + \mathbf{b} \times n^{l(2)} = Cn^{l(1)} + \mathbf{G}^{l(1)} \Rightarrow n_{\perp}^{(2)}$

- Perpendicular vector moments

$$n_{\perp}^{1p(2)} = -\Omega^{-1} \mathbf{b} \times [C^{1p1} n^{11(1)} + \mathbf{g}^{11(1)} - \mathbf{D}_0^{11,0k} n^{0k(1)} - \mathbf{D}_0^{11,2k} \cdot n^{2k(1)}]$$

Heat flow across the flux surface  $\hat{\psi} = \nabla\psi/|\nabla\psi|$ ,  $\mathbf{b} \times \hat{\psi} = \mathbf{t}$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\psi} \cdot \mathbf{h}^{(2)} = & \frac{5}{2} \frac{c^{111}}{\tau} \frac{n_0 T_0}{m \Omega^2} \hat{\psi} \cdot \nabla T_0 - \frac{5}{2} \frac{n_0 T_0}{m \Omega} \mathbf{t} \cdot \nabla T_1 \\ & - \frac{T_0^2}{m \Omega} \mathbf{t} \cdot \nabla \left( \sqrt{\frac{10}{3}} n^{02} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} n_{zz}^{20} + \sqrt{\frac{7}{2}} n_{zz}^{21} \right) + \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} T_0 \hat{\psi} \cdot \mathbf{V}_1 n_{zz}^{20} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\mathbf{t} \cdot \nabla n_{\parallel}^{lk} \propto \hat{\psi} \cdot \mathbf{b} \times \nabla \left[ \left( \int K^{lk,A}(y-z) B \partial_{\ell} B^{-2} dz \right) \frac{nI}{q} \frac{dT_0}{d\psi} \right] + \dots$$

$\mathbf{b} \times \nabla\theta$  and  $\mathbf{b} \times \nabla\varphi$  yield terms of transport across the flux surfaces

# Perpendicular $\delta^1$ -order $(\hat{D}\mathbf{n})^{l(1)} + \mathbf{b} \times \check{\mathbf{n}}^{l(2)} = C\mathbf{n}^{l(1)} + \mathbf{G}^{l(1)} \Rightarrow \mathbf{n}_\perp^{(2)}$

- Viscous stress  $\Omega \mathbf{b} \times \check{\mathbf{n}}^{20(2)} = C^{20k} \mathbf{n}^{2k(1)} + \mathbf{G}^{20(1)} - (\hat{D}\mathbf{n})^{20(1)}$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{n}^{20(2)} &= \mathbf{n}_{\text{CGL}}^{20(2)} - \Omega^{-1} \mathbf{K}^{-1} [\mathbf{G}^{20(1)} - D_{0k}^{2-} \mathbf{n}^{1k(1)} - D_{0k}^{2+} \mathbf{n}^{3k(1)}] \\ &= \mathbf{n}_{\text{CGL}}^{20(2)} - \Omega^{-1} \mathbf{K}^{-1} [-\sqrt{2}n \overline{\nabla \mathbf{V}} - \overline{\mathbf{D}_{01}^{2-}} \mathbf{n}^{11(1)} - \overline{\mathbf{D}_{00}^{2+}} \mathbf{n}^{30(1)}] \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{K}^{-1} \mathbf{W} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{W}_{\times \perp} + 2 \mathbf{W}_{\parallel \times}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \int d\mathbf{v} m (\mathbf{w} \mathbf{w} \mathbf{w} - \frac{3}{5} \{\mathbf{w} | \}) f = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} v_T^3 n^{30}, \quad \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{v} - \mathbf{V}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\pi}^{(2)} = \boldsymbol{\pi}_{\text{CGL}}^{(2)} + \Omega^{-1} \mathbf{K}^{-1} [2p \overline{\nabla \mathbf{V}} + \frac{4}{5} \overline{\nabla \mathbf{h}^{(1)}} + \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}^{(1)}]$$

$$\mathbf{K}^{-1} \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}^{(1)} = \frac{5}{2} \sigma_{\parallel}^{(1)} (\mathbf{b} \times \boldsymbol{\kappa} \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{b} \mathbf{b} \times \boldsymbol{\kappa})$$

- Transport theory  $\Leftarrow$  Closures and

$$m n d_t \mathbf{V} - n q (\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{V} \times \mathbf{B}) + \nabla p + \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\pi} = \mathbf{R}$$

# Summary and future work

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- Unified closures for general collisionality/magnetic geometry
  - Braginskii's theory in the high collision limit
  - More accurate neoclassical transport theory
  - Transport theory without flux surface average
- Find fitting functions for kernels
- Compare with neoclassical transport theory
  - Flux surfaces
  - Axi-symmetric geometry
- Apply to interesting fusion devices