## TH/P1-37: Simulations of Runaway Electron Generation including

## Hot-Tail Effect by H. NUGA et al.



- Contribution of the hot-tail effect, which arises from fast thermal quench, is studied using 2-D Fokker-Planck simulation for ITER parameters.
- High electron density achieved by MGI (modeled as Fig.1) suppresses the RE generation (Fig.2).
- In high density plasma (n<sup>ℓ</sup><sub>e</sub> = 12 × 10<sup>20</sup>m<sup>-3</sup>), the hot-tail effect enhances the primary RE generation (3.3 × 10<sup>-3</sup> A → 1.4 × 10<sup>-2</sup> A) though magnitude is small.
- ► The avlanche effect, however, doubles the total RE current (1.09MA $\rightarrow$ 2.12MA) in MGI region  $(n_e^f = 12 \times 10^{20} \text{m}^{-3})$ . (Fig.2)
- Hot-tail effect broadens the radial profile of RE current density (Fig.3).

If  $\tau_q$  is short, hot-tail effect may double the total RE current for high density plasma with MGI.