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Code home: <https://github.com/kripnerl/pleque/>

1.1 Accepted coordinates types

1D - coordinates

Coordinate	Code	Note
ψ_N	psi_n	Default 1D coordinate
ψ	psi	
ρ	rho	$\rho = \sqrt{\psi_n}$

2D - coordinates

Coordinate	Code	Note
(R, Z)	R, Z	Default 2D coordinate
(r, θ)	r, theta	Polar coordinates with respect to magnetic axis

3D - coordinates

Coordinate	Code	Note
(R, Z, ϕ)	R, Z, phi	Default 3D coordinate
(X, Y, Z)	X, Y, Z	

CHAPTER 2

Examples

Nothing here yet.

Please see examples in `notebooks` and `examples` folder. The examples will be also improved soon.

Flux expansion module

PLEQUE provides set of functions for mapping of upstream heat fluxes.

3.1 API Reference

`pleque.utils.flux_expansions.effective_poloidal_heat_flux_exp_coef` (*equilibrium:*
pleque.core.equilibrium.Equilibrium
coords:
pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates)

Effective poloidal heat flux expansion coefficient

Definition:

$$f_{\text{pol,heat,eff}} = \frac{B_{\theta}^u}{B_{\theta}^t} \frac{1}{\sin \beta} = \frac{f_{\text{pol}}}{\sin \beta}$$

Where β is inclination angle of the poloidal magnetic field and the target plane.

Typical usage:

Effective poloidal heat flux expansion coefficient is typically used scale upstream poloidal heat flux to the target plane.

$$q_{\perp}^t = \frac{q_{\theta}^u}{f_{\text{pol,heat,eff}}}$$

Parameters

- **equilibrium** – Instance of `Equilibrium`.
- **coords** – `Coordinates` where the coefficient is evaluated.

Returns

```

pleque.utils.flux_expansions.effective_poloidal_mag_flux_exp_coef (equilibrium:
                                                                    pleque.core.equilibrium.Equilibrium
                                                                    coords:
                                                                    pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates)

```

Effective poloidal magnetic flux expansion coefficient

Definition:

$$f_{\text{pol,eff}} = \frac{B_{\theta}^u R^u}{B_{\theta}^t R^t} \frac{1}{\sin \beta} = \frac{f_{\text{pol}}}{\sin \beta}$$

Where β is inclination angle of the poloidal magnetic field and the target plane.

Typical usage:

Effective magnetic flux expansion coefficient is typically used for λ scaling of the target λ with respect to the upstream value.

$$\lambda^t = \lambda_q^u f_{\text{pol,eff}}$$

This coefficient can be also used to calculate peak target heat flux from the total power through LCFS if the perpendicular diffusion is neglected. Then for the peak value stays

$$q_{\perp,\text{peak}} = \frac{P_{\text{div}}}{2\pi R^t \lambda_q^u} \frac{1}{f_{\text{pol,eff}}}$$

Where P_{div} is total power to outer strike point and λ_q^u is e-folding length on the outer midplane.

Parameters

- **equilibrium** – Instance of `Equilibrium`.
- **coords** – `Coordinates` where the coefficient is evaluated.

Returns

```

pleque.utils.flux_expansions.impact_angle_cos_pol_projection (coords:
                                                                    pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates)

```

Impact angle calculation - dot product of PFC norm and local magnetic field direction poloidal projection only. Internally uses *incidence_angle_sin* function where *vecs* are replaced by the vector of the poloidal magnetic field ($B_{\phi} = 0$).

Returns array of impact angles

```

pleque.utils.flux_expansions.impact_angle_sin (coords: pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates)

```

Impact angle calculation - dot product of PFC norm and local magnetic field direction. Internally uses *incidence_angle_sin* function where *vecs* are replaced by the vector of the magnetic field.

Returns array of impact angles cosines

```

pleque.utils.flux_expansions.incidence_angle_sin (coords:
                                                                    pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates,
                                                                    vecs)

```

Parameters

- **coords** – Coordinate object (of length `N_vecs`) of a line in the space on which the incidence angle is evaluated.
- **vecs** – array (3, `N_vecs`) vectors in (R, Z, phi) space.

Returns array of sines of angles of incidence. I.e. cosine of the angle between the normal to the line (in the poloidal plane) and the corresponding vector.

```

pleque.utils.flux_expansions.parallel_heat_flux_exp_coef (equilibrium:
pleque.core.equilibrium.Equilibrium,
coords:
pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates)

```

Parallel heat flux expansion coefficient

Definition:

$$f_{\parallel} = \frac{B^u}{B^t}$$

Typical usage:

Parallel heat flux expansion coefficient is typically used to scale total upstream heat flux parallel to the magnetic field along the magnetic field lines.

$$q_{\parallel}^t = \frac{q_{\parallel}^u}{f_{\parallel}}$$

Parameters

- **equilibrium** – Instance of `Equilibrium`.
- **coords** – `Coordinates` where the coefficient is evaluated.

Returns

```

pleque.utils.flux_expansions.poloidal_heat_flux_exp_coef (equilibrium:
pleque.core.equilibrium.Equilibrium,
coords:
pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates)

```

Poloidal heat flux expansion coefficient

Definition:

$$f_{\text{pol,heat}} = \frac{B_{\theta}^u}{B_{\theta}^t}$$

Typical usage: *Poloidal heat flux expansion coefficient* is typically used to scale poloidal heat flux (heat flux projected along poloidal magnetic field) along the magnetic field line.

$$q_{\theta}^t = \frac{q_{\theta}^u}{f_{\text{pol,heat}}}$$

Parameters

- **equilibrium** – Instance of `Equilibrium`.
- **coords** – `Coordinates` where the coefficient is evaluated.

Returns

```

pleque.utils.flux_expansions.poloidal_mag_flux_exp_coef (equilibrium:
pleque.core.equilibrium.Equilibrium,
coords:
pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates)

```

Poloidal magnetic flux expansion coefficient.

Definition:

$$f_{\text{pol}} = \frac{\Delta r^t}{\Delta r^u} = \frac{B_{\theta}^u R^u}{B_{\theta}^t R^t}$$

Typical usage:

Poloidal magnetic flux expansion coefficient is typically used for λ scaling in plane perpendicular to the poloidal component of the magnetic field.

Parameters

- **equilibrium** – Instance of `Equilibrium`.
- **coords** – `Coordinates` where the coefficient is evaluated.

Returns

`pleque.utils.flux_expansions.total_heat_flux_exp_coef` (*equilibrium:*
pleque.core.equilibrium.Equilibrium,
coords:
pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates)

Total heat flux expansion coefficient**Definition:**

$$f_{\text{tot}} = \frac{B^u}{B^t} \frac{1}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{f_{\parallel}}{\sin \alpha}$$

Where α is an inclination angle of the total magnetic field and the target plane.

Important: α is an inclination angle of the total magnetic field to the target plate. Whereas β is an inclination of poloidal components of the magnetic field to the target plate.

Typical usage:

Total heat flux expansion coefficient is typically used to project total upstream heat flux parallel to the magnetic field to the target plane.

$$q_{\perp}^t = \frac{q_{\parallel}^u}{f_{\text{tot}}}$$

Parameters

- **equilibrium** – Instance of `Equilibrium`.
- **coords** – `Coordinates` where the coefficient is evaluated.

Returns

3.2 References

Theiler, C., et al.: *Results from recent detachment experiments in alternative divertor configurations on TCV*, Nucl. Fusion **57** (2017) 072008 16pp

Vondracek, P.: *Plasma Heat Flux to Solid Structures in Tokamaks*, PhD thesis, Prague 2019

Naming convention used in PLEQUE

4.1 Coordinates

Here presented naming convention is used to read/create input/output dict/xarray files.

- **2D**

- R (default): Radial cylindrical coordinates with zero on machine axis
- Z (default): Vertical coordinate with zero on machine geometrical axis

- **1D**

- `psi_n` (default): Normalized poloidal magnetic flux with zero on magnetic axis and one on the last closed flux surface

$$\psi_N = \frac{\psi - \psi_{ax}}{\psi_{LCFS} - \psi_{ax}}$$

- Following input options are not implemented yet.
- `rho`: $\rho = \sqrt{\psi_N}$
- `psi_ldprof` - poloidal magnetic flux; this coordinate axis is used only if `psi_n` is not found on the input. Output files uses implicitly `psi_n` axis.

4.2 2D profiles

- **Required on the input**

- `psi` (Wb): poloidal magnetic flux

- **Calculated**

- `B_R` (T): *R* component of the magnetic field.
- `B_Z` (T): *Z* component of the magnetic field.

- B_pol (T): Poloidal component of the magnetic field. $B_\theta = \text{sign}(I_p) \sqrt{B_R^2 + B_Z^2}$ **Todo** resolve the sign of B_pol and implement it!!!
- B_tor (T): Toroidal component of the magnetic field.
- B_abs (T): Absolute value of the magnetic field.
- j_R (A/m2): R component of the current density. **todo: Check the current unit**
- j_Z (A/m2): Z component of the current density.
- j_pol (A/m2): Poloidal component of the current density.
- j_tor (A/m2): Toroidal component of the current density.
- j_abs (A/m2): Absolute value of the current density.

4.3 1D profiles

- **Required on the input**

- pressure (Pa)
- pprime (Pa/Wb)
- F: $F = RB_\phi$

- **Calculated**

- pprime: $p\partial_\psi$
- Fprime: $F' = \partial_\psi F$
- FFprime: $FF' = F\partial_\psi F$
- fprime: $f' = \partial_\psi f$
- f: $f = (1/\mu_0)RB_\phi$
- ffprime: $ff' = f\partial_\psi f$
- rho, psi_n

- **Deriver**

- q: safety factor profile
- qprimeq' = $\partial_\psi q$
- **Not yet implemented:**
 - * *magnetic_shear*
 - * ...

4.4 Attributes

- To be written.

4.5 FluxSurface quantities

CHAPTER 5

Notebooks

6.1 API Reference

6.1.1 Equilibrium

```
class pleque.core.equilibrium.Equilibrium(basedata: xarray.core.dataset.Dataset,
                                           first_wall=None, mg_axis=None,
                                           psi_lcfs=None, x_points=None,
                                           strike_points=None, init_method='hints',
                                           spline_order=3, spline_smooth=0, cocos=3,
                                           verbose=True)
```

Bases: object

Equilibrium class ...

B_R (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=('R', 'Z'), grid=True, **coords)

Poloidal value of magnetic field in Tesla.

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

B_Z (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

Poloidal value of magnetic field in Tesla.

Parameters

- **grid** –
- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **coords** –

Returns

B_abs (**coordinates*, *R=None*, *Z=None*, *coord_type=None*, *grid=True*, ***coords*)
 Absolute value of magnetic field in Tesla.

Parameters

- **grid** –
- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **coords** –

Returns Absolute value of magnetic field in Tesla.

B_pol (**coordinates*, *R=None*, *Z=None*, *coord_type=None*, *grid=True*, ***coords*)
 Absolute value of magnetic field in Tesla.

Parameters

- **grid** –
- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **coords** –

Returns

B_tor (**coordinates*, *R: numpy.array = None*, *Z: numpy.array = None*, *coord_type=None*, *grid=True*, ***coords*)
 Toroidal value of magnetic field in Tesla.

Parameters

- **grid** –
- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **coords** –

Returns

Bvec (*coordinates, swap_order=False, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)
Magnetic field vector

Parameters

- **grid** –
- **coordinates** –
- **swap_order** – bool,
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **coords** –

Returns Magnetic field vector array (3, N) if swap_order is False.

Bvec_norm (*coordinates, swap_order=False, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)
Magnetic field vector, normalised

Parameters

- **grid** –
- **coordinates** –
- **swap_order** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **coords** –

Returns Normalised magnetic field vector array (3, N) if swap_order is False.

F (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

FFprime (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

Fprime (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **psi_n** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

I_plasma

Toroidal plasma current. Calculated as toroidal current through the LCFS.

Returns (float) Value of toroidal plasma current.

```
__init__(basedata: xarray.core.dataset.Dataset, first_wall=None, mg_axis=None, psi_lcfs=None,
          x_points=None, strike_points=None, init_method='hints', spline_order=3,
          spline_smooth=0, cocos=3, verbose=True)
```

Equilibrium class instance should be obtained generally by functions in `pleque.io` package.

Optional arguments may help the initialization.

Parameters

- **basedata** – `xarray.Dataset` with $\psi(R, Z)$ on a rectangular R, Z grid, $f(\psi_{\text{norm}})$, $p(\psi_{\text{norm}}) = B_{\text{tor}} * R$
- **first_wall** – array-like ($N_{\text{wall}}, 2$) required for initialization in case of limiter configuration.
- **mg_axis** – suspected position of the o-point
- **psi_lcfs** –
- **x_points** –
- **strike_points** –
- **init_method** – str On of (“full”, “hints”, “fast_forward”). If “full” no hints are taken and module tries to recognize all critical points itself. If “hints” module use given optional arguments as a help with initialization. If “fast-forward” module use given optional arguments as final and doesn’t try to correct. *Note:* Only “hints” method is currently tested.
- **spline_order** –
- **spline_smooth** –
- **cocos** – At the moment module assume cocos to be 3 (no other option). The implementation is not fully working. Be aware of signs in the module!
- **verbose** –

```
abs_q(*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, grid=False,
      **coords)
```

Absolute value of q .

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

cocos

Number of internal COCOS representation.

Returns int

```
connection_length(*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, direction=1, **coords)
```

Calculate connection length from given coordinates to first wall

Todo: The field line is traced to min/max value of z of first wall, distance is calculated to the last point before first wall.

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **direction** – if positive trace field line in/cons the direction of magnetic field.
- **stopper** – (None, 'poloidal', 'z-stopper) force to use stopper. If None stopper is automatically chosen based on ψ_n coordinate.
- **coords** –

Returns

contact_point

Returns contact point as instance of coordinates for circular plasmas. Returns None otherwise. :return:

coordinates (*coordinates, coord_type=None, grid=False, **coords)

Return instance of Coordinates. If instances of coordinates is already on the input, just pass it through.

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

diff_psi (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=False, **coords)

Return the value of $\nabla\psi$. It is positive/negative if the ψ is increasing/decreasing.

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **psi_n** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

diff_q (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=False, **coords)

Parameters

- **self** –
- **coordinates** –

- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **psi_n** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns Derivative of q with respect to psi.

effective_poloidal_heat_flux_exp_coef (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

Effective poloidal heat flux expansion coefficient

Definition:

$$f_{\text{pol,heat,eff}} = \frac{B_{\theta}^u}{B_{\theta}^t} \frac{1}{\sin \beta} = \frac{f_{\text{pol}}}{\sin \beta}$$

Where β is inclination angle of the poloidal magnetic field and the target plane.

Typical usage:

Effective poloidal heat flux expansion coefficient is typically used scale upstream poloidal heat flux to the target plane.

$$q_{\perp}^t = \frac{q_{\theta}^u}{f_{\text{pol,heat,eff}}}$$

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

effective_poloidal_mag_flux_exp_coef (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

Effective poloidal magnetic flux expansion coefficient

Definition:

$$f_{\text{pol,eff}} = \frac{B_{\theta}^u R^u}{B_{\theta}^t R^t} \frac{1}{\sin \beta} = \frac{f_{\text{pol}}}{\sin \beta}$$

Where β is inclination angle of the poloidal magnetic field and the target plane.

Typical usage:

Effective magnetic flux expansion coefficient is typically used for λ scaling of the target λ with respect to the upstream value.

$$\lambda^t = \lambda^u f_{\text{pol,eff}}$$

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

f (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

ffprime (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

first_wall

If the first wall polygon is composed of 3 and more points Surface instance is returned. If the wall contour is composed of less than 3 points, coordinate instance is returned, because Surface can't be constructed :return:

flux_surface (*coordinates, resolution=(0.001, 0.001), dim='step', closed=True, inlcfs=True, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, **coords)

fluxfuncs

get_precise_lcfs ()

Calculate plasma LCFS by field line tracing technique and save LCFS as instance property.

Returns

grid (resolution=None, dim='step')

Function which returns 2d grid with requested step/dimensions generated over the reconstruction space.

Parameters

- **resolution** – Iterable of size 2 or a number. If a number is passed, R and Z dimensions will have the same size or step (depending on dim parameter). Different R and Z resolutions or dimension sizes can be required by passing an iterable of size 2. If None, default grid of size (1000, 2000) is returned.
- **dim** – iterable of size 2 or string ('step', 'size'). Default is "step", determines the meaning of the resolution. If "step" used, values in resolution are interpreted as step length in psi poloidal map. If "size" is used, values in resolution are interpreted as requested number of points in a dimension. If string is passed, same value is used for R and Z dimension. Different interpretation of resolution for R, Z dimensions can be achieved by passing an iterable of shape 2.

Returns Instance of *Coordinates* class with grid data

in_first_wall (*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

in_lcfs (*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

is_limiter_plasma

Return true if the plasma is limited by point or some limiter point.

Returns bool

is_xpoint_plasma

Return true for x-point plasma.

Returns bool

j_R (*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

j_Z (*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

j_pol (*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, grid=False, **coords)

Poloidal component of the current density. Calculated as

$$\frac{f' \nabla \psi}{R \mu_0}$$

[Wesson: Tokamaks, p. 105]

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

j_tor (*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

todo: to be tested

Toroidal component of the current density. Calculated as

$$Rp' + \frac{1}{\mu_0 R} f f'$$

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

lcfs

limiter_point

The point which “limits” the LCFS of plasma. I.e. contact point in case of limiter plasma and x-point in case of x-point plasma.

Returns Coordinates

magnetic_axis

outter_parallel_fl_expansion_coef (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

WIP: Calculate parallel expansion coefficient of the given coordinates with respect to position on the outer midplane.

outter_poloidal_fl_expansion_coef (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

WIP: Calculate parallel expansion coefficient of the given coordinates with respect to position on the outer midplane.

parallel_heat_flux_exp_coef (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

Parallel heat flux expansion coefficient

Definition:

$$f_{\parallel} = \frac{B^u}{B^t}$$

Typical usage:

Parallel heat flux expansion coefficient is typically used to scale total upstream heat flux parallel to the magnetic field along the magnetic field lines.

$$q_{\parallel}^t = \frac{q_{\parallel}^u}{f_{\parallel}}$$

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

plot_geometry (axs=None, **kwargs)

Plots the the directions of angles, current and magnetic field.

Parameters

- **axs** – None or tuple of axes. If None new figure with to axes is created.
- **kwargs** – parameters passed to the *plot* routine.

Returns tuple of axis (ax1, ax2)

plot_overview (ax=None, **kwargs)

Simple routine for plot of plasma overview :return:

poloidal_heat_flux_exp_coef (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

Poloidal heat flux expansion coefficient

Definition:

$$f_{\text{pol,heat}} = \frac{B_{\theta}^u}{B_{\theta}^t}$$

Typical usage: *Poloidal heat flux expansion coefficient* is typically used to scale poloidal heat flux (heat flux projected along poloidal magnetic field) along the magnetic field line.

$$q_{\theta}^t = \frac{q_{\theta}^u}{f_{\text{pol,heat}}}$$

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

poloidal_mag_flux_exp_coef (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

Poloidal magnetic flux expansion coefficient.

Definition:

$$f_{\text{pol}} = \frac{\Delta r^t}{\Delta r^u} = \frac{B_{\theta}^u R^u}{B_{\theta}^t R^t}$$

Typical usage:

Poloidal magnetic flux expansion coefficient is typically used for λ scaling in plane perpendicular to the poloidal component of the magnetic field.

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

pprime (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

pressure (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

psi (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)
Psi value

Parameters

- **psi_n** –
- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –

- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

psi_n (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

q (*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, grid=False, **coords)

r_mid (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

rho (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

separatrix

If the equilibrium is limited, returns lcfs. If it is diverted it returns separatrix flux surface

Returns

strike_points

Returns contact point if the equilibrium is limited. If the equilibrium is diverted it returns strike points.

:return:

surfacefuncs

to_geqdsk (file, nx=64, ny=128, q_positive=True)

Write a GEQDSK equilibrium file.

Parameters

- **file** – str, file name
- **nx** – int
- **ny** – int

tor_flux (*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, grid=False, **coords)

Calculate toroidal magnetic flux Φ from:

$$q =$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{d\Phi}{d\psi}$$

param coordinates

param R

param Z

param coord_type

param grid

param coords

return

total_heat_flux_exp_coef (*coordinates, R=None, Z=None, coord_type=None, grid=True, **coords)

Total heat flux expansion coefficient

Definition:

$$f_{\text{tot}} = \frac{B^u}{B^t} \frac{1}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{f_{\parallel}}{\sin \alpha}$$

Where α is inclination angle of the total magnetic field and the target plane.

Typical usage:

Total heat flux expansion coefficient is typically used to project total upstream heat flux parallel to the magnetic field to the target plane.

$$q_{\perp}^t = \frac{q_{\parallel}^u}{f_{\text{tot}}}$$

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **coords** –

Returns

trace_field_line(*coordinates, R: numpy.array = None, Z: numpy.array = None, coord_type=None, direction=1, stopper_method=None, in_first_wall=False, **coords)

Return traced field lines starting from the given set of at least 2d coordinates. One poloidal turn is calculated for field lines inside the separatrix. Outer field lines are limited by z planes given by outermost z coordinates of the first wall.

Parameters

- **coordinates** –
- **R** –
- **Z** –
- **coord_type** –
- **direction** – if positive trace field line in/cons the direction of magnetic field.
- **stopper_method** – (None, 'poloidal', 'z-stopper) force to use stopper. If None stopper is automatically chosen based on psi_n coordinate.
- **in_first_wall** – if True the only inner part of field line is returned.
- **coords** –

Returns

trace_flux_surface(*coordinates, s_resolution=0.001, R=None, Z=None, psi_n=None, coord_type=None, **coords)

Find a closed flux surface inside LCFS with requested values of psi or psi-normalized.

TODO support open and/or flux surfaces outside LCFS, needs different stopper

Parameters

- **R** –

- **z** –
- **psi_n** –
- **coord_type** –
- **coordinates** – specifies flux surface to search for (by spatial point or values of psi or psi normalised). If coordinates is spatial point (dim=2) then the trace starts at the midplane. Coordinates.grid must be False.
- **s_resolution** – max_step in the distance along the flux surface contour

Returns FluxSurface

x_point

Return x-point closest in psi to mg-axis if presented on grid. None otherwise.

:return Coordinates

6.1.2 Fluxsurface

class `pleque.core.fluxsurface.FluxSurface` (*equilibrium*, **coordinates*, *coord_type=None*, *grid=False*, ***coords*)

Bases: `pleque.core.fluxsurface.Surface`

__init__ (*equilibrium*, **coordinates*, *coord_type=None*, *grid=False*, ***coords*)

Calculates geometrical properties of the flux surface. To make the contour closed, the first and last points in the passed coordinates have to be the same. Instance is obtained by calling method *flux_surface* in instance of *Equilibrium*.

Parameters **coords** – Instance of coordinate class

contains (*coords*: `pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates`)

contour

Deprecated. Fluxsurface contour points. :return: numpy ndarray

cumsum_surface_average (*func*, *roll=0*)

Return the surface average (over single magnetic surface) value of *func*. Return the value of integration

$$\langle func \rangle (\psi)_i = \oint_0^{\theta_i} \frac{dlR}{|\nabla\psi|} a(R, Z)$$

Parameters **func** – func(X, Y), Union[ndarray, int, float]

Returns ndarray

distance (*coords*: `pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates`)

elongation

Elongation :return:

eval_q

geom_radius

Geometrical radius a= (R_min + R_max)/2 :return:

get_eval_q (*method*)

Evaluate q using formula (5.35) from [Jardin, 2010: Computational methods in Plasma Physics]

Parameters **method** – str, ['sum', 'trapz', 'simps']

Returns

max_radius

maximum radius on the given flux surface :return:

min_radius

minimum radius on the given flux surface :return:

minor_radius

a= (R_min - R_max)/2 :return:

straight_fieldline_theta

Calculate straight field line θ^* coordinate.

Returns

surface_average (*func*, *method*=*'sum'*)

Return the surface average (over single magnetic surface) value of *func*. Return the value of integration

$$\langle f_{unc} \rangle (\psi) = \oint \frac{dlR}{|\nabla\psi|} a(R, Z)$$

Parameters

- **func** – func(X, Y), Union[ndarray, int, float]
- **method** – str, ['sum', 'trapz', 'simps']

Returns

tor_current

Return toroidal current through the closed flux surface

Returns

triangul_low

Lower triangularity :return:

triangul_up

Upper triangularity :return:

triangularity

Returns

class `pleque.core.fluxsurface.Surface` (*equilibrium*, **coordinates*, *coord_type*=None, *grid*=False, ***coords*)

Bases: `pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates`

__init__ (*equilibrium*, **coordinates*, *coord_type*=None, *grid*=False, ***coords*)

Calculates geometrical properties of a specified surface. To make the contour closed, the first and last points in the passed coordinates have to be the same. Instance is obtained by calling method *surface* in instance of *Equilibrium*.

Parameters **coords** – Instance of coordinate class

area

Area of the closed fluxsurface.

Returns

centroid

closed

True if the fluxsurface is closed.

Returns

diff_volume

Differential volume $V' = dV/d\psi$ Jardin, S.: Computational Methods in Plasma Physics

Returns**length**

Length of the fluxsurface contour

Returns**surface**

Surface of fluxsurface calculated from the contour length using Pappus centroid theorem : https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pappus%27s_centroid_theorem

Returns float**volume**

Volume of the closed fluxsurface calculated from the area using Pappus centroid theorem : https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pappus%27s_centroid_theorem

Returns float

6.1.3 Coordinates

```
class pleque.core.coordinates.Coordinates (equilibrium, *coordinates, coord_type=None,  
                                           grid=False, cocos=None, **coords)
```

Bases: object

R

X

Y

Z

```
__init__ (equilibrium, *coordinates, coord_type=None, grid=False, cocos=None, **coords)
```

Basic PLEQUE class to handle various coordinate systems in tokamak equilibrium.

Parameters

- **equilibrium** –
- ***coordinates** –
 - Can be skipped.
 - array (N, dim) - N points will be generated.
 - One, two or three comma separated one dimensional arrays.
- **coord_type** –
- **grid** –
- **cocos** – Define coordinate system cocos. If *None* equilibrium default cocos is used. If *equilibrium is None* cocos = 3 (both systems cnt-clockwise) is used.
- ****coords** – Lorem ipsum.
- **1D**: ψ_N ,
- **2D**: (R, Z) ,
- **3D**: (R, Z, ϕ) .

1D - coordinates

Coordinate	Code	Note
ψ_N	psi_n	Default 1D coordinate
ψ	psi	
ρ	rho	$\rho = \sqrt{\psi_n}$

2D - coordintares

Coordinate	Code	Note
(R, Z)	R, Z	Default 2D coordinate
(r, θ)	r, theta	Polar coordinates with respect to magnetic axis

3D - coordinates

Coordinate	Code	Note
(R, Z, ϕ)	R, Z, phi	Default 3D coordinate
(X, Y, Z)	(X, Y, Z)	Polar coordinates with respect to magnetic axis

as_array (*dim=None, coord_type=None*)

Return array of size (N, dim), where N is number of points and dim number of dimensions specified by coord_type

Parameters

- **dim** – reduce the number of dimensions to dim (todo)
- **coord_type** – not effected at the moment (TODO)

Returns

cum_length

Cumulative length along the coordinate points.

Returns array(N)

dists

distances between spatial steps along the tracked field line :return: self._dists

impact_angle_cos ()

Impact angle calculation - dot product of PFC norm and local magnetic field direction. Internally uses *incidence_angle_sin* function where *vecs* are replaced by the vector of the magnetic field.

Returns array of impact angles cosines

impact_angle_sin ()

Impact angle calculation - dot product of PFC norm and local magnetic field direction. Internally uses *incidence_angle_sin* function where *vecs* are replaced by the vector of the magnetic field.

Returns array of impact angles sines

impact_angle_sin_pol_projection ()

Impact angle calculation - dot product of PFC norm and local magnetic field direction poloidal projection only. Internally uses *incidence_angle_sin* function where *vecs* are replaced by the vector of the poloidal magnetic field ($B_{\phi} = 0$).

Returns array of impact angles cosines

incidence_angle_cos (*vecs*)

Parameters **vecs** – array (3, N_vecs)

Returns array of cosines of angles of incidence

incidence_angle_sin (*vecs*)

Parameters **vecs** – array (3, N_vecs)

Returns array of sines of angles of incidence

intersection (*coords2, dim=None*)

input: 2 sets of coordinates crossection of two lines (2 sets of coordinates)

Parameters **dim** – reduce number of dimension in which is the intersection searched

Returns

length

Total length along the coordinate points.

Returns length in meters

line_integral (*func, method='sum'*)

func = /oint F(x,y) dl :param func: self - func(X, Y), Union[ndarray, int, float] or function values or 2D
spline :param method: str, ['sum', 'trapz', 'simps'] :return:

mesh ()

normal_vector ()

Calculate limiter normal vector with fw input directly from eq class

Parameters **first_wall** – interpolated first wall

Returns array (3, N_vecs) of limiter elements normals of the same

phi

plot (*ax=None, **kwargs*)

Parameters

- **ax** – Axis to which will be plotted. Default is plt.gca()
- **kwargs** – Arguments forwarded to matplotlib plot function.

Returns

pol_projection_impact_angle_cos ()

Impact angle calculation - dot product of PFC norm and local magnetic field direction poloidal projection only. Internally uses *incidence_angle_sin* function where *vecs* are replaced by the vector of the poloidal magnetic field (Bphi = 0).

Returns array of impact angles cosines

psi

psi_n

r

r_mid

resample (*multiple=None*)

Return new, resampled instance of *pleque.Coordinates*

Parameters **multiple** – int, use multiple to multiply number of points.

Returns *pleque.Coordinates*

resample2 (*npoints*)

Implicit spline curve interpolation for the limiter, number of points must be specified

Parameters

- **coords** – instance of coordinates object
- **npoints** – int - number of points of the result

rho

theta

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