

# ITER Coordinated Technical Activity Work Programmes

The Negotiators and the CTA Project Board established their work programmes in November 2001. For the negotiations, the following schedule was adopted:

Activity Name	2001		2002											
	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Negotiation Meetings	◆ N1		◆ N2		◆ N3	◆ N3	◆ N4				◆ N5			◆ N6
Joint Implementing Agreement	◆												Initialled	◆
Related Instruments			Draft 1		Draft 2	Draft 2	Draft 3				Final		Initialled	◆
Implementing Plan					Initial	Initial	Draft				Final		Initialled	◆
Joint Assessment of Specific Sites	◆							◆	Consensus on Preferred Site					
Nominee Director General							◆	Understanding Reached						
Procurement Sharing/Cost Allocation							◆	Consensus Reached						
	red = changes from plan agreed at N1													

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Dependent on this schedule, the CTA work programme up to the end of 2002 involves:

- ensuring coherency of the ITER reference baseline documentation, adapting it to the preferred site, and revising/confirming the construction schedule and costs;
- drafting preferred-site-specific safety reports and other documents needed for licensing;
- drafting technical specifications for long lead-time items:
  - magnet conductors
  - toroidal field coils
  - the main magnet structure
  - poloidal field coils
  - vacuum vessel
  - site excavations (especially tunnels)
  - tokamak building
  - cryogenic buildings (used for PF coil manufacture)
  - large piping (to be installed during building erection)
- checking technical definition of interfaces between systems, in particular those with machine assembly, maintenance, and computer control;
- defining the skeleton of remaining procurement documents, and establishing the schedule and resources needed to complete them;
- planning (and if possible initiation) of qualifying R&D needed prior to manufacture;

Progress on these topics is reported at each Negotiators Meeting.

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