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Characterisation of the plasma edge turbulence: He study the behaviour of the plasma edge turbulence with different diagnostics, in particular with spectroscopic ones, characterising the spectral and statistical properties of the edge region of RFX-mod, TPE-RX, NSTX and Alcator C-Mod, with several visits to Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory (NSTX) and MIT (Alcator).

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