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Recent Development of Magnetic Field Measurements on Rotamak DHARA KALARIA, JERMAIN GOSS, XIAOKANG YANG, TIAN-SEN HUANG, Prairie View A&M University — The new development of magnetic field measurements includes a series of Mirnov array for the study of magnetohydrodynamic (MHD) instability, and a magnetic probe array for the measurement of internal 3-Dimension magnetic field. The system of Mirnov array consists of four sets magnetic pick-up coils located at $Z=\pm 4$ cm and $Z=\pm 30$ cm along chamber axis; each array is made up of eight B_R -oriented coils mounted around the chamber surface at an equal interval of 45° toroidal angle. The 3-Dimentinal probe array was originally made at RPPL with University of Washington, Seattle; the probe array has a total of 90 windings that can be used to simultaneously measure B_r , B_θ , and B_z at 30 radial positions. The detailed system design which includes the data acquisition system and the primary experimental results will be presented.

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