

Self-Consistent Full-Wave Simulation of Wave Heating and Current drive in Tokamak Plasmas

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Outline

- TASK: **T**ransport **A**nalysing **S**ystem for tokama**K**
- Full Wave Analysis of EC Waves in a Small Tokamak
- Integro-Differential Full Wave Analysis including FLR effects
- Present Status of Self-Consistent RF Simulation
- Summary

TASK Code

- **Transport Analysing System for TokamaK**
- **Features**
 - **A Core of Integrated Modeling Code in BPSI**
 - Modular Structure
 - Reference Data Interface
 - **Various Heating and Current Drive Scheme**
 - EC, LH, IC, AW, (NB)
 - **High Portability**
 - Most of Library Routines Included (except LAPACK and MPI)
 - Own Graphic Libraries (gsaf, gsgl)
 - **Development using CVS** (Concurrent Version System)
 - Open Source (by the end of October 2005)
 - **Parallel Processing using MPI Library**
 - **Extension to Toroidal Helical Plasmas**

Modules of TASK

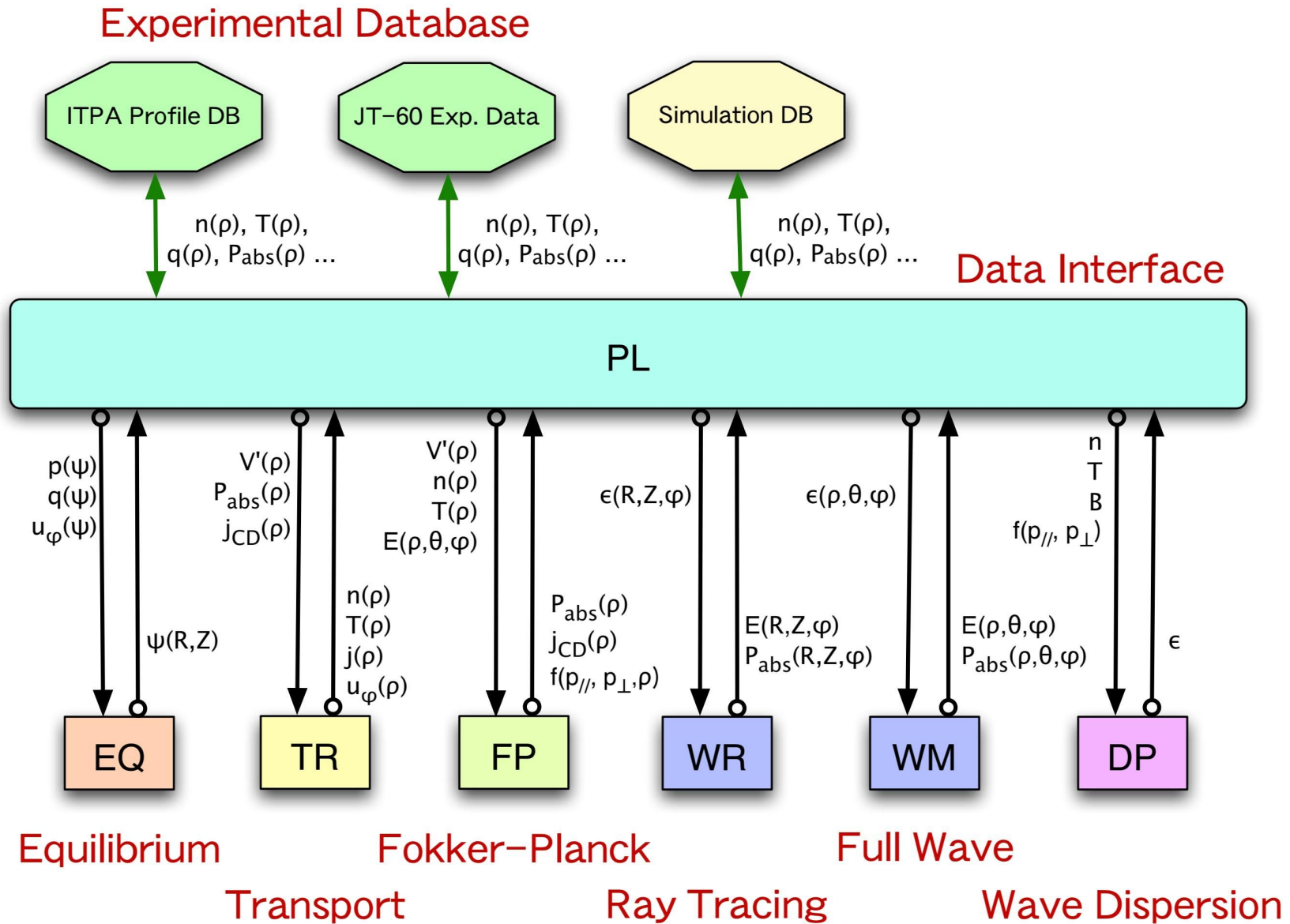
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| EQ | 2D Equilibrium | Fixed boundary, Toroidal rotation |
| TR | 1D Transport | Diffusive Transport, Transport models |
| WR | 3D Geometr. Optics | EC, LH: Ray tracing, Beam tracing |
| WM | 3D Full Wave | IC, AW: Antenna excitation, Eigen mode |
| FP | 3D Fokker-Planck | Relativistic, Bounce-averaged |
| DP | Wave Dispersion | Local dielectric tensor, Arbitrary $f(v)$ |
| PL | Data Interface | Data conversion, Profile database |
| LIB | Libraries | |

Associated Libraries

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| GSAF | 2D Graphic library for X Window and EPS |
| GSGL | 3D Graphic library using OpenGL |

All developed in Kyoto U

Modular Structure of TASK



Under Development

- **New Modules**

- **EX**: 2D equilibrium with free boundary
- **TX**: Transport analysis based on flux-averaged fluid equation
- **WA**: Global linear stability analysis
- **WI**: Integro-differential wave analysis (FLR, $k \cdot \nabla B \neq 0$)

- **Extension to 3D Helical System**

- **3D Data Structure**
- **3D Equilibrium**: VMEC, HINT
- **Wave Analysis**: Already 3D
- **Transport Analysis**: New transport model

- **Open Source**: <http://bpsi.nucleng.kyoto-u.ac.jp/task/>

Wave Dispersion Analysis : TASK/DP

- **Various Models of Dielectric Tensor** $\overleftrightarrow{\epsilon}(\omega, \mathbf{k}; r)$:
 - **Resistive MHD** model
 - **Collisional cold** plasma model
 - **Collisional warm** plasma model
 - **Kinetic plasma** model (**Maxwellian**, non-relativistic)
 - **Kinetic plasma** model (**Arbitrary** $f(\mathbf{v})$, relativistic)
 - **Gyro-kinetic plasma** model (Maxwellian)
- **Numerical Integration in momentum space**: **Arbitrary** $f(\mathbf{v})$
 - Relativistic Maxwellian
 - Output of TASK/FP: Fokker-Planck code

Full wave analysis: TASK/WM

- **magnetic surface coordinate**: (ψ, θ, φ)

- Boundary-value problem of **Maxwell's equation**

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = \frac{\omega^2}{c^2} \overleftrightarrow{\epsilon} \cdot \mathbf{E} + i \omega \mu_0 \mathbf{j}_{\text{ext}}$$

- Kinetic **dielectric tensor**: $\overleftrightarrow{\epsilon}$

- **Wave-particle resonance**: $Z[(\omega - n\omega_c)/k_{\parallel}v_{\text{th}}]$

- **Fast ion: Drift-kinetic**

$$\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + v_{\parallel} \nabla_{\parallel} + (\mathbf{v}_d + \mathbf{v}_E) \cdot \nabla + \frac{e_{\alpha}}{m_{\alpha}} (v_{\parallel} E_{\parallel} + \mathbf{v}_d \cdot \mathbf{E}) \frac{\partial}{\partial \varepsilon} \right] f_{\alpha} = 0$$

- Poloidal and toroidal **mode expansion**

- **Accurate estimation of k_{\parallel}**

- Eigenmode analysis: **Complex eigen frequency** which maximize wave amplitude for fixed excitation proportional to electron density

Fokker-Planck Analysis : TASK/FP

- **Fokker-Planck equation**

for **velocity distribution function** $f(p_{\parallel}, p_{\perp}, \psi, t)$

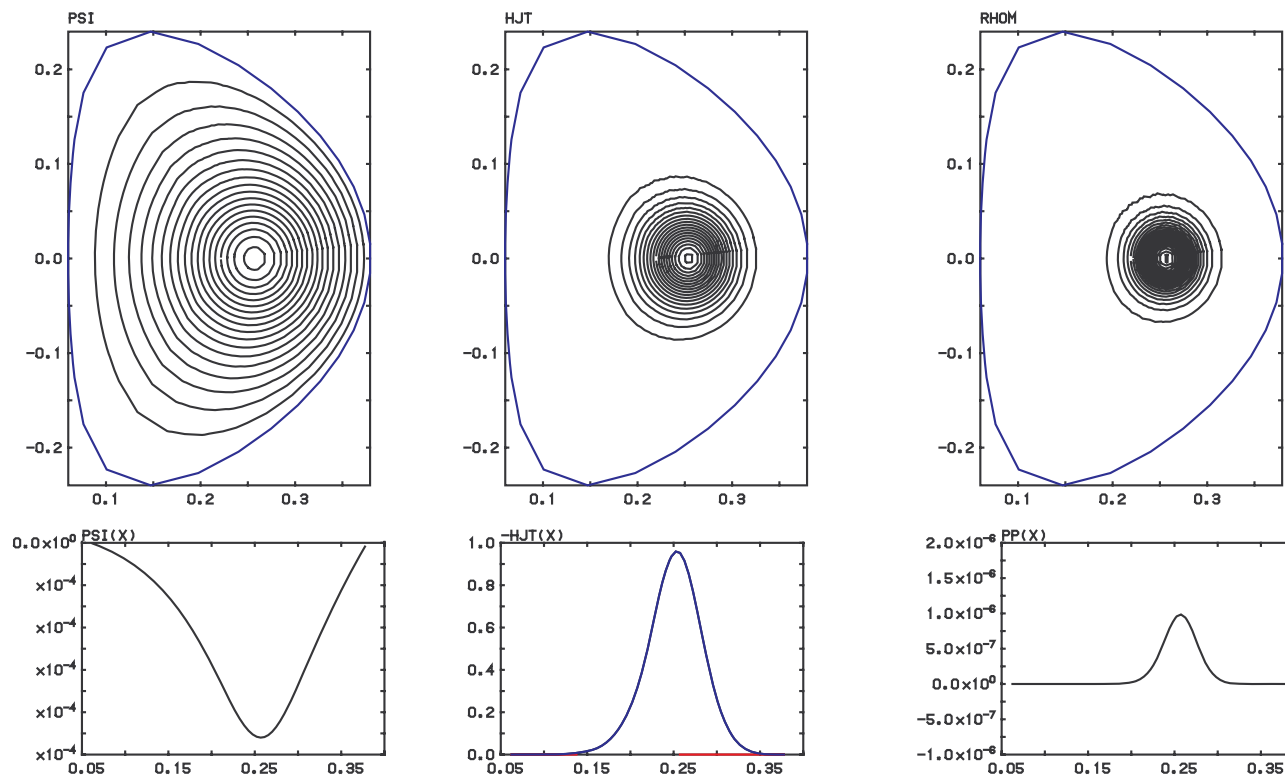
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = E(f) + C(f) + Q(f) + L(f)$$

- $E(f)$: Acceleration term due to DC electric field
 - $C(f)$: Coulomb collision term
 - $Q(f)$: Quasi-linear term due to wave-particle resonance
 - $L(f)$: Spatial diffusion term
- **Bounce-averaged**: Trapped particle effect, zero banana width
 - **Relativistic**: momentum p , weakly relativistic collision term
 - **Nonlinear collision**: momentum or energy conservation
 - **Three-dimensional**: spatial diffusion (neoclassical, turbulent)

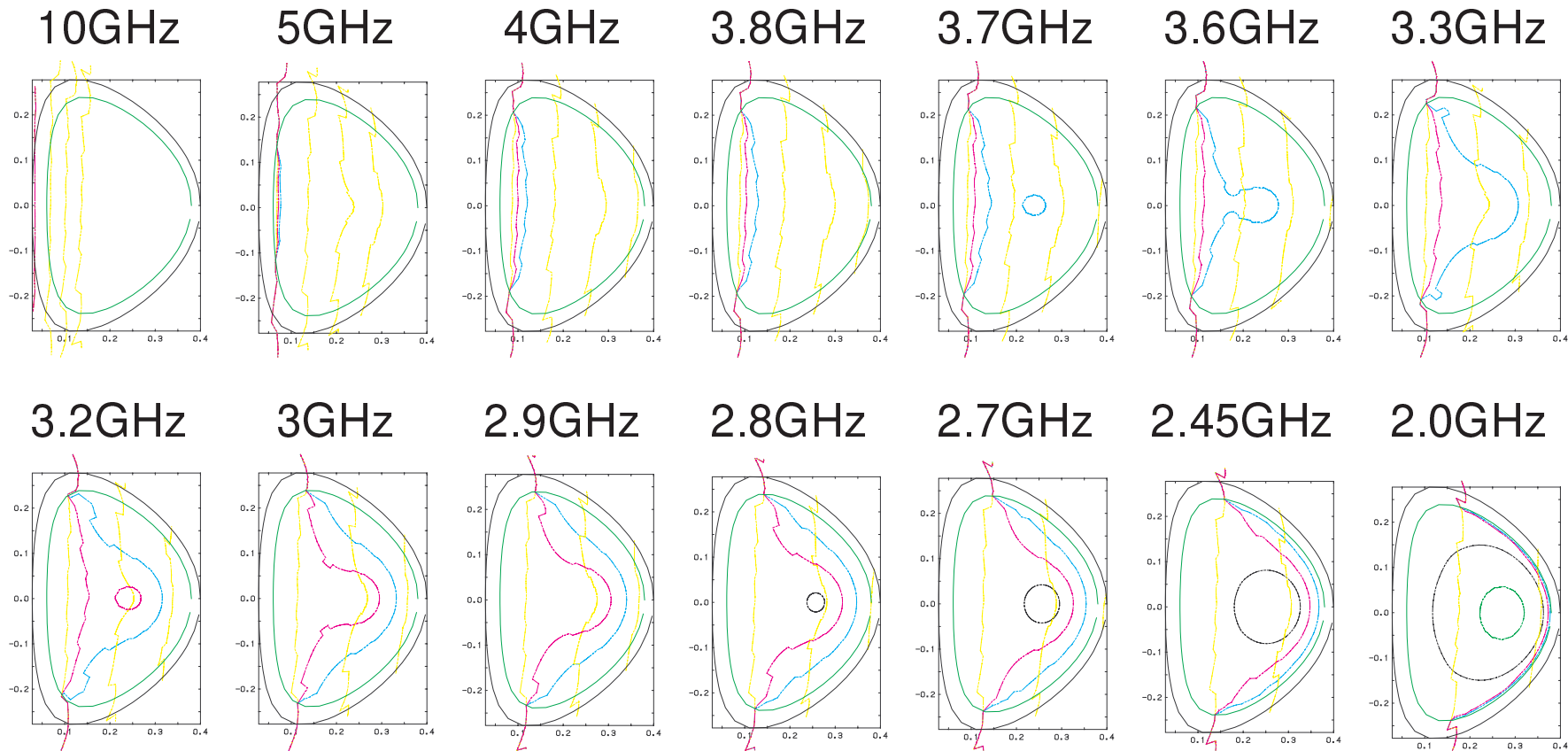
Full Wave Analysis of ECH in Small-Size ST (1)

- **Small-size spherical tokamak: LATE** (Kyoto University)
 - T. Maekawa et al., Proc. 20th IAEA Fusion Energy Conf., IAEA-CN-116/EX/P4-27 (Vilamoura, Portuga, 2004)
 - $R = 0.22$ m, $a = 0.16$ m, $B_0 = 0.0552$ T, $I_p = 6.25$ kA, $\kappa = 1.5$

Poloidal Flux Current Density Number Density



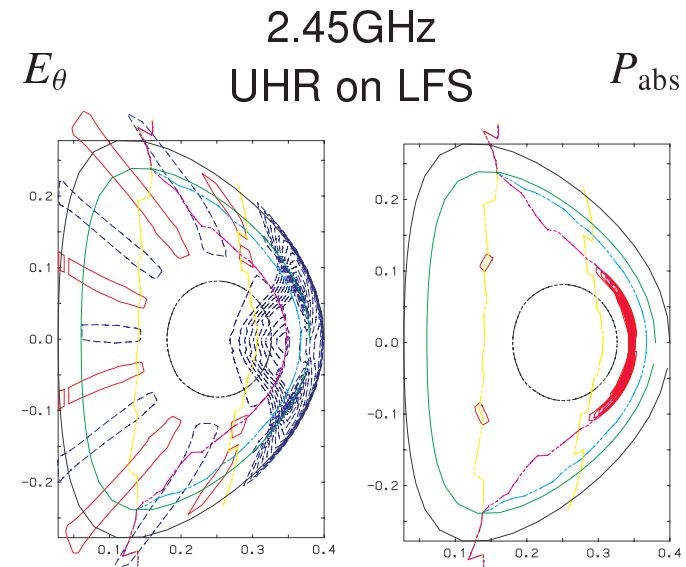
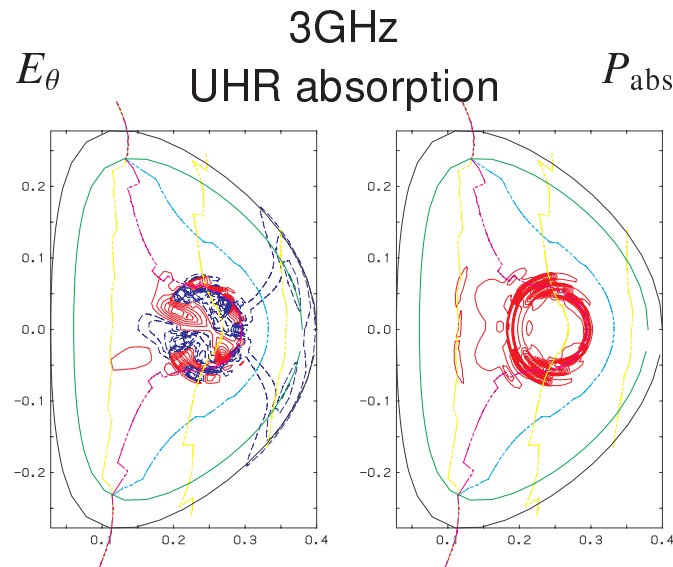
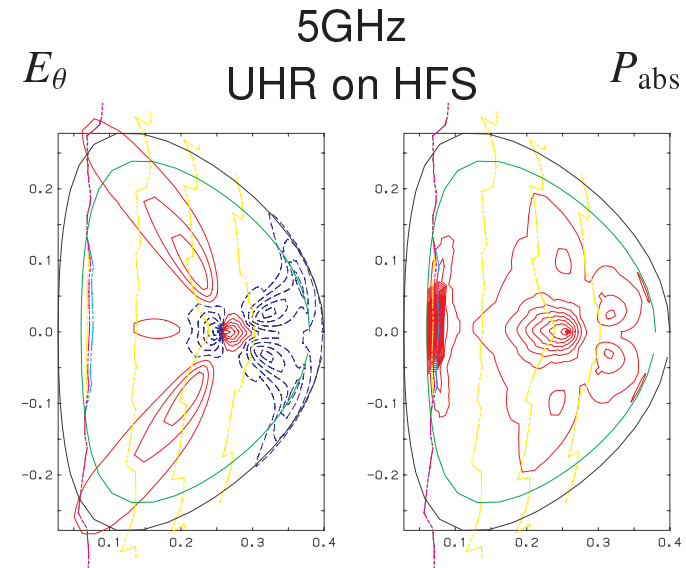
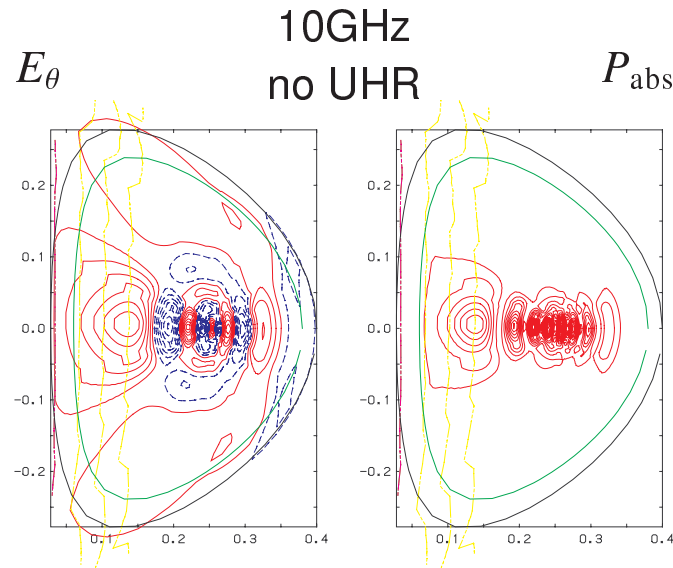
Full Wave Analysis of ECH in Small-Size ST (2)



| Line color | Large Location |
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| Yellow | n -th EC harmonics |
| Violet | Upper hybrid resonance |
| Blue | RHS cyclotron cutoff |
| Green | LHS cyclotron cutoff |
| Black | Plasma cutoff / resonance |

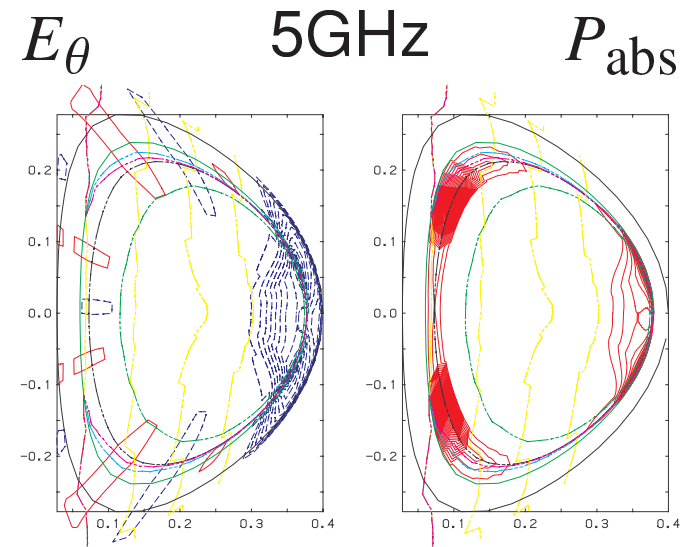
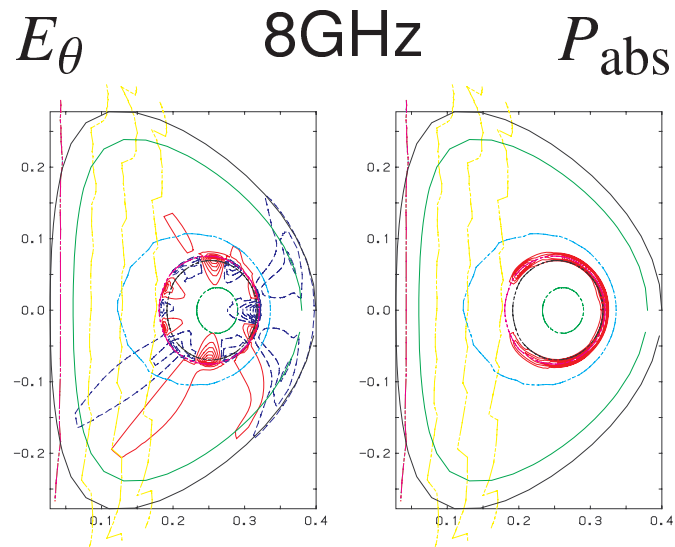
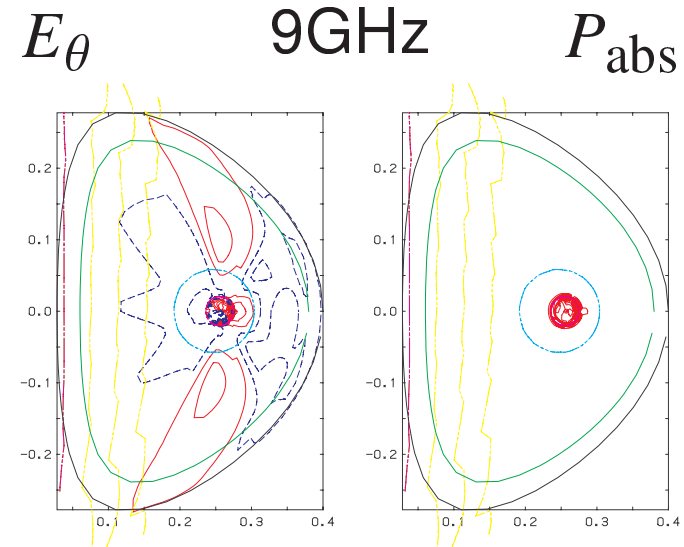
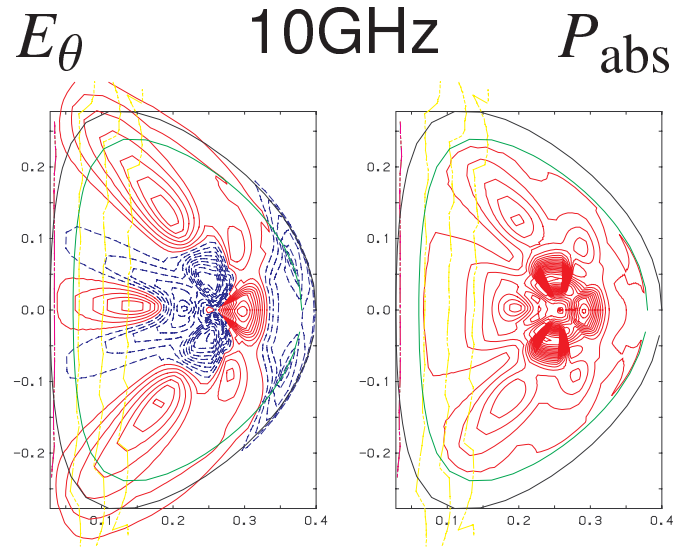
Full Wave Analysis of ECH in Small-Size ST (3)

- **Standard density: 10^{17} m^{-3} : Extra-ordinary wave excitation**



Full Wave Analysis of ECH in Small-Size ST (4)

- **High density: 10^{18} m^{-3} : Extra-ordinary wave excitation**



Integro-Differential Full Wave Analysis

- **Purpose**

- **FLR effects**

- **Existence of energetic particles**
 - **Cyclotron higher harmonics**

- **Inhomogeneous k along k**

- Landau damping in inhomogeneous plasmas
 - Cyclotron resonance along the field line

- **Present analysis: FLR effects**

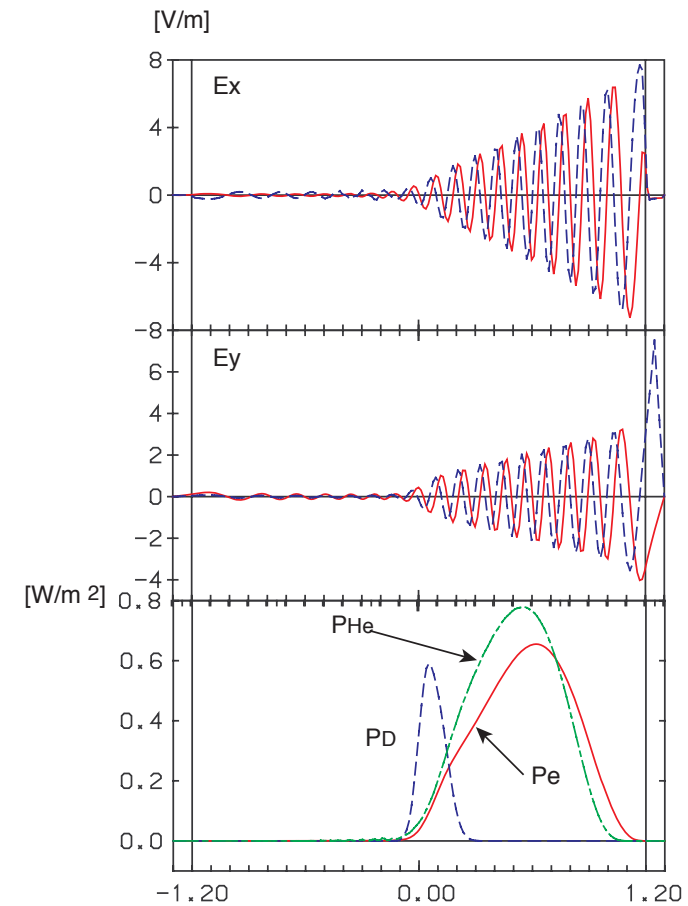
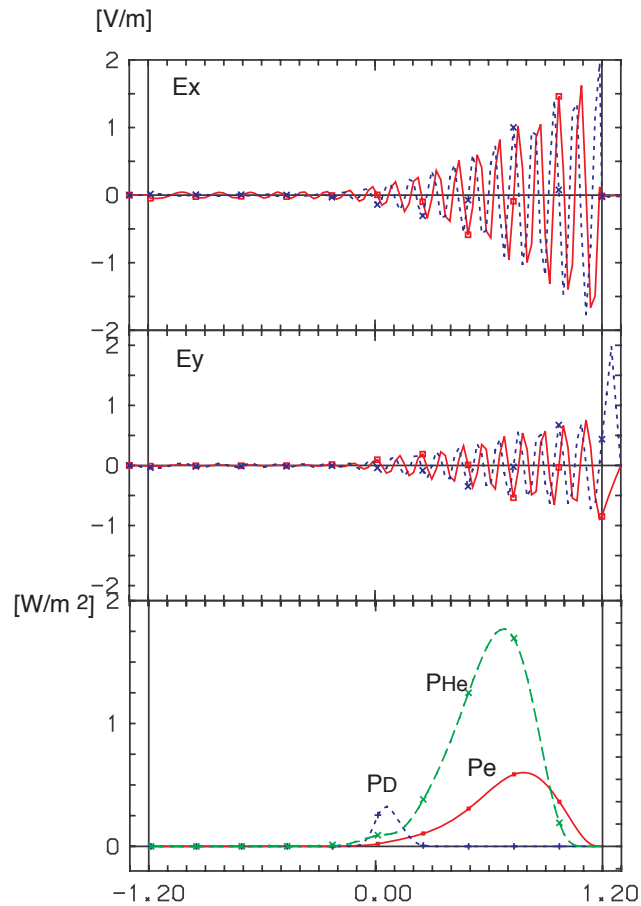
- **ICRF**: Analysis of absorption by α particles
 - **ECRF**: Analysis of electron Bernstein waves

1D Full Wave Analysis including FLR Effects

- **Absorption of ICRF wave by α particles:**
O. Sauter, J. Vaclavik (1992), Y. Uetani, A. Fukuyama (1998)

Differential analysis up to $k_{\perp}^2 \rho_H^2$

Integro-Differential Analysis



Overestimate α absorption

2D Formulation in Tokamaks (1)

- **Induced current**

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{J}_{\text{ind}}(\mathbf{r}, t) &= \int d\mathbf{v} q\mathbf{v} f(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{v}, t) \\ &= -\frac{q}{m} \int d\mathbf{v} q\mathbf{v} \int_0^\infty d\tau [\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}', t - \tau) + \mathbf{v}' \times \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{r}', t - \tau)] \cdot \frac{\partial f_0(\mathbf{r}', \mathbf{v}')}{\partial \mathbf{v}'} \end{aligned}$$

- **Wave electric field**

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \sum_{MN} \mathbf{E}_{MN}(\mathbf{r}) \exp \{iM\theta + iN\phi - i\omega t\}$$

- **Equilibrium distribution function**

$$f_0(r_0, \mathbf{v}) = n_0(r_0) \left(\frac{m}{2\pi T_\perp(r_0)} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \left(\frac{T_\perp(r_0)}{T_\parallel(r_0)} \right) \exp \left\{ -\frac{mv_\perp^2}{2T_\perp(r_0)} - \frac{mv_\parallel^2}{2T_\parallel(r_0)} \right\}$$

2D Formulation in Tokamaks (2)

○ Induced current

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{J}_{\text{ind}}(\mathbf{r}, t_0) &= \int dv_{\parallel} \int dv_{\perp} \int d\psi \int_0^{\infty} d\tau (-q^2) \exp i\omega\tau \\
 &\cdot n_0 \left(\frac{m}{2\pi T_{\perp}} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \left(\frac{T_{\perp}}{T_{\parallel}} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \exp \left\{ -\frac{mv_{\perp}^2}{2T_{\perp}} - \frac{mv_{\parallel}^2}{2T_{\parallel}} \right\} \overleftrightarrow{\mathbf{G}}_0 \\
 &\cdot \sum_{M,N} \begin{pmatrix} E_{r'MN} \\ E_{\theta'MN} \\ E_{\phi'MN} \end{pmatrix} \exp i [M\theta + N\phi - \omega t_0 - k_{\parallel}v_{\parallel}\tau + \omega\tau] \\
 &\times \sum_{n_1, n_2 = -\infty}^{\infty} J_{n_1} \left(\frac{k_{\perp}v_{\perp}}{\Omega} \right) J_{n_2} \left(\frac{k_{\perp}v_{\perp}}{\Omega} \right) \exp i \{n_1(\Omega\tau - \theta_0 + \psi) - n_2(-\theta_0 + \psi)\} \\
 \overleftrightarrow{\mathbf{G}}_0 &= \begin{pmatrix} v_{\perp}^2 \sin(-\theta_0 + \psi) \\ -v_{\perp}^2 \cos(-\theta_0 + \psi) \\ v_{\parallel}v_{\perp} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{v_{\perp}}{T_{\perp}} \sin(\Omega\tau - \theta_0 + \psi) + v_{\perp}v_{\parallel} \left(\frac{1}{T_{\perp}} - \frac{1}{T_{\parallel}} \right) \frac{N}{R\omega} \sin(\Omega\tau - \theta_0 + \psi) \\ \frac{v_{\perp}}{T_{\perp}} \cos(\Omega\tau - \theta_0 + \psi) - v_{\perp}v_{\parallel} \left(\frac{1}{T_{\perp}} - \frac{1}{T_{\parallel}} \right) \frac{N}{R\omega} \cos(\Omega\tau - \theta_0 + \psi) \\ -\frac{v_{\parallel}}{T_{\parallel}} + v_{\perp}v_{\parallel} \left(\frac{1}{T_{\perp}} - \frac{1}{T_{\parallel}} \right) \left\{ \frac{M}{r_0\omega} \cos(\Omega\tau - \theta_0 + \psi) + \frac{i}{\omega} \sin(\Omega\tau - \theta_0 + \psi) \frac{\partial}{\partial r'} \right\} \end{pmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

2D Formulation in Tokamaks (3)

- **Variable transformation**

- Velocity $(v_{\perp}, \psi) \rightarrow$ Position (r', r_0)

$$\begin{cases} r = r_0 + \frac{v_{\perp}}{\Omega} \cos(-\theta_0 + \psi) \\ r' = r_0 + \frac{v_{\perp}}{\Omega} \cos(\Omega\tau - \theta_0 + \psi) \end{cases}$$

- Jacobian: $J = \frac{\partial(v_{\perp}, \psi)}{\partial(r', r_0)} = -\frac{\Omega^2}{v_{\perp} \sin \Omega\tau}$

- Then

$$\int_0^{\infty} dv_{\perp} \int_0^{2\pi} d\psi = \int_0^R dr' \int_0^R dr_0 |J| = \int_0^R dr' \int_0^R dr_0 \frac{\Omega^2}{v_{\perp} |\sin \Omega\tau|}$$

- **Fourier expansion with respect to $\Omega\tau$**

- **Time integral with respect to τ**

- **Velocity integral with respect to v_{\parallel}**

2D Formulation in Tokamaks (4)

- **Finally we obtain:**

$$\mathbf{J}_{\text{ind}}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \sum_{MN} \int_0^R dr' \overleftrightarrow{\sigma}_{MN}(r, r') \mathbf{E}_{MN}(r') \exp i \{M\theta + N\phi - \omega t\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \overleftrightarrow{\sigma}_{MN}(r, r') &= - \sum_{n_1 n_2} \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} \int_0^R dr_0 q^2 \Omega^2 n_0 \left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \right)^{\frac{5}{2}} \frac{i}{v_{T\perp}^2} \\ &\times \int_0^{2\pi} d\lambda \frac{1}{|\sin \lambda|} \exp \left\{ -\frac{R_v^2 \Omega^2}{2v_{T\perp}^2} \right\} \overleftrightarrow{G}_2 J_{n_1}(k_{\perp} R_v) J_{n_2}(k_{\perp} R_v) \\ &\times \exp(-in_1 \lambda) \left\{ \frac{r - r_0 + iR_m}{R_v} \right\}^{n_1 - n_2} e^{i\ell \lambda} \end{aligned}$$

$$G_{rr} = A_1 R_v^2$$

$$G_{r\theta} = -(r' - r_0) A_1 R_m$$

$$G_{r\phi} = R_m \left[A_2 + A_3 \left\{ \frac{M}{r'} (r' - r_0) + iR_p \frac{\partial}{\partial r'} \right\} \right]$$

$$G_{\theta r} = -(r - r_0) A_1 R_p$$

$$G_{\theta\theta} = A_1(r - r_0)(r' - r_0)$$

$$G_{\theta\phi} = -(r - r_0) \left[A_2 + A_3 \left\{ \frac{M}{r'}(r' - r_0) + iR_p \frac{\partial}{\partial r'} \right\} \right]$$

$$G_{\phi r} = \left\{ A_2 + \frac{1}{k_{\parallel}} \frac{\omega - \ell\Omega N}{\Omega} A_3 \right\} R_p$$

$$G_{\phi\theta} = - \left\{ A_2 + \frac{1}{k_{\parallel}} \frac{\omega - \ell\Omega N}{\Omega} A_3 \right\} (r' - r_0)$$

$$G_{\phi\phi} = \frac{1}{k_{\parallel}} \frac{\omega - \ell\Omega}{\Omega} \left[A_2 + A_3 \left\{ \frac{M}{r'}(r' - r_0) + iR_p \frac{\partial}{\partial r'} \right\} \right]$$

where $A_1, A_2, A_3, R_v, R_p, R_m$ are defined by

$$A_1 \equiv \frac{\Omega^2}{T_{\perp}} \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{k_{\parallel} v_{T\parallel}} Z(\eta_{\ell}) + \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\Omega^2}{k_{\parallel}} Z'(\eta_{\ell}) \left(\frac{1}{T_{\perp}} - \frac{1}{T_{\parallel}} \right) \frac{N}{R\omega}$$

$$R_v^2 = \left(\frac{r + r'}{2} - r_0 \right)^2 \frac{1}{\cos^2 \frac{1}{2}\lambda} + \left(\frac{r - r'}{2} \right)^2 \frac{1}{\sin^2 \frac{1}{2}\lambda}$$

$$A_2 \equiv - \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\Omega}{k_{\parallel} T_{\parallel}} Z'(\eta_{\ell})$$

$$R_p = \frac{r - r'}{2} \frac{1}{\tan \frac{1}{2}\lambda} + \left(\frac{r + r'}{2} - r_0 \right) \tan \frac{1}{2}\lambda$$

$$A_3 \equiv \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\Omega^2}{k_{\parallel} \omega} Z'(\eta_{\ell}) \left(\frac{1}{T_{\perp}} - \frac{1}{T_{\parallel}} \right)$$

$$R_m = \frac{r - r'}{2} \frac{1}{\tan \frac{1}{2}\lambda} - \left(\frac{r + r'}{2} - r_0 \right) \tan \frac{1}{2}\lambda$$

and

$$\eta_{\ell} \equiv \frac{\omega - \ell\Omega}{k_{\parallel} v_{T\parallel}}, \quad k_{\parallel} \equiv \frac{M B_{\theta}}{r_0 B} + \frac{N B_{\phi}}{R B}, \quad k_{\perp} \equiv \frac{M B_{\phi}}{r_0 B} - \frac{N B_{\theta}}{R B}$$

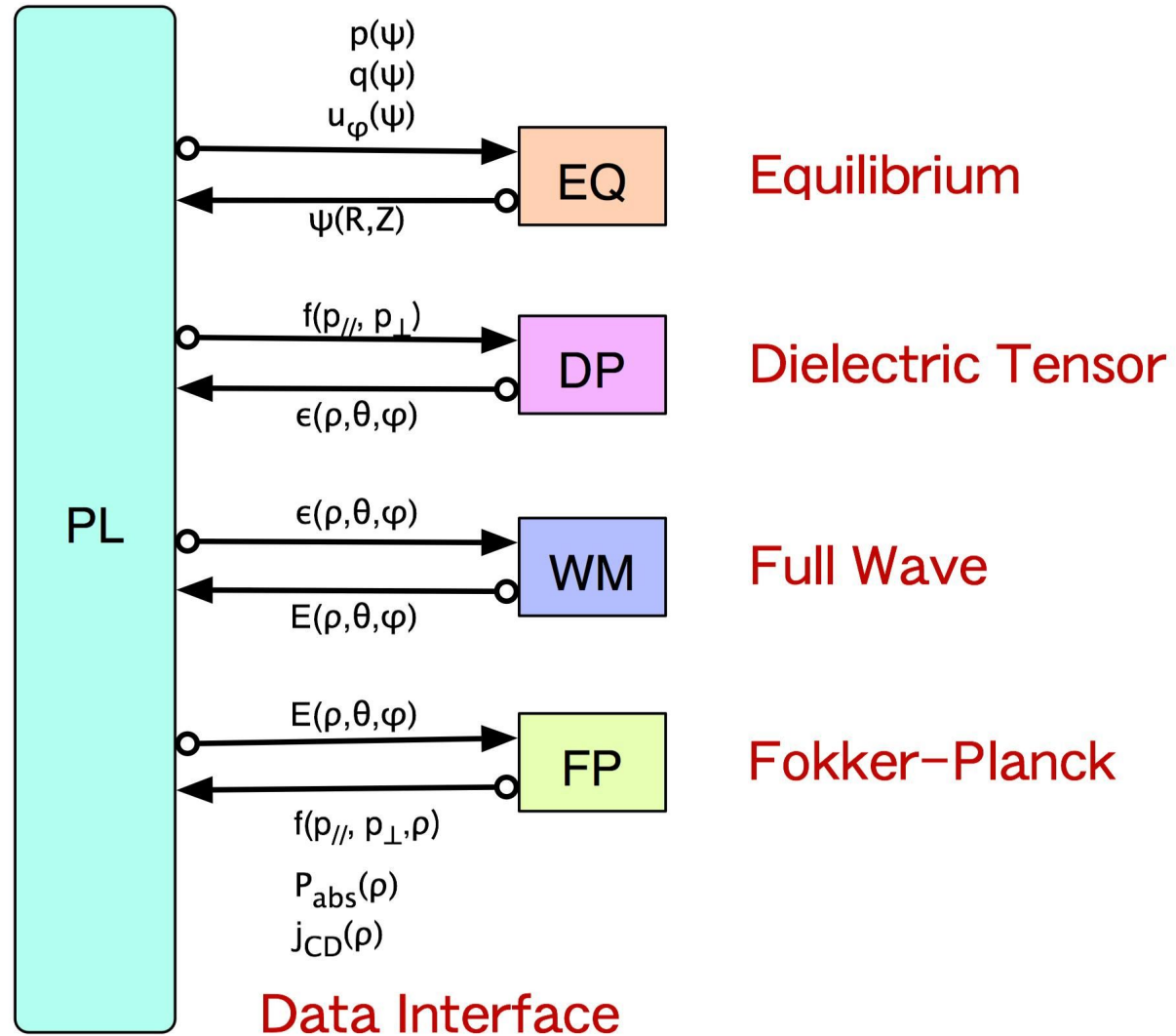
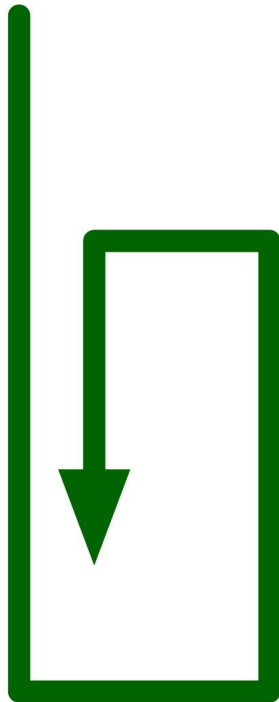
Code development using FEM is under way

Self-Consistent Full Wave Analysis (1)

- **Deviation of velocity distribution from Maxwellian may strongly affect**
 - Power absorption of ICRF waves in the presence of energetic ions
 - Current drive efficiency of LHCD
 - NTM controllability of ECCD
- **Systematic analyses including the modification of velocity distribution by TASK code is under way.**
 - **Full wave analysis with arbitrary velocity distribution**
 - **Bounce averaged Fokker-Planck analysis**
- **Upgrade of Fokker-Planck module is not completed yet.**

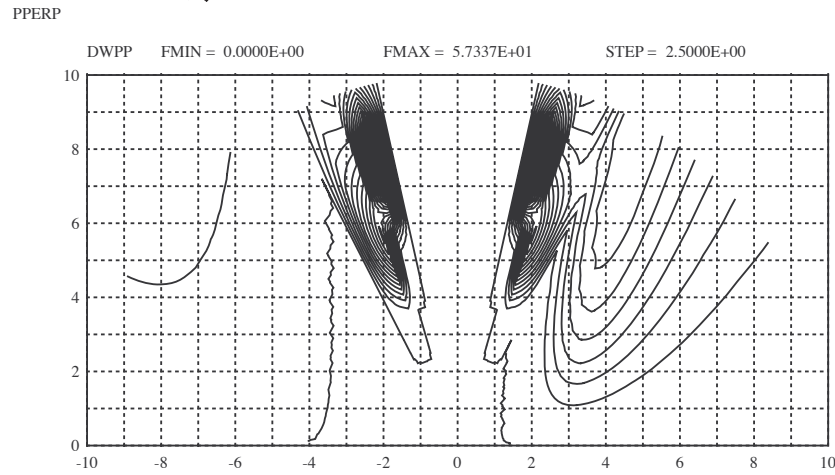
Self-consistent Full Wave Analysis (2)

Time Evolution

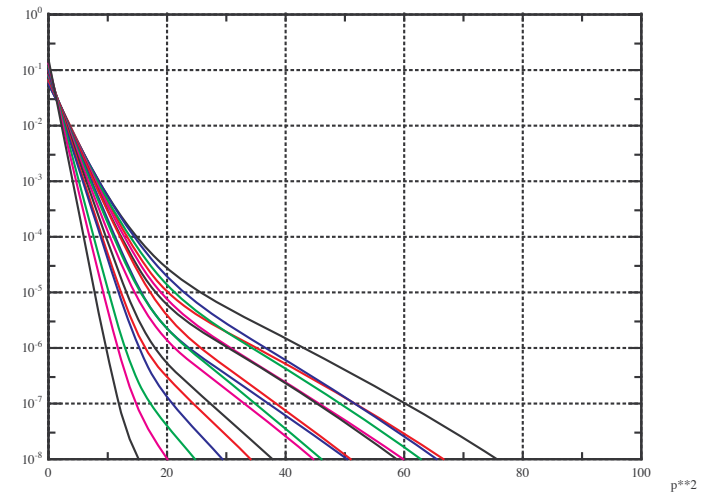


Fast Ion Tail Formation by ICRF

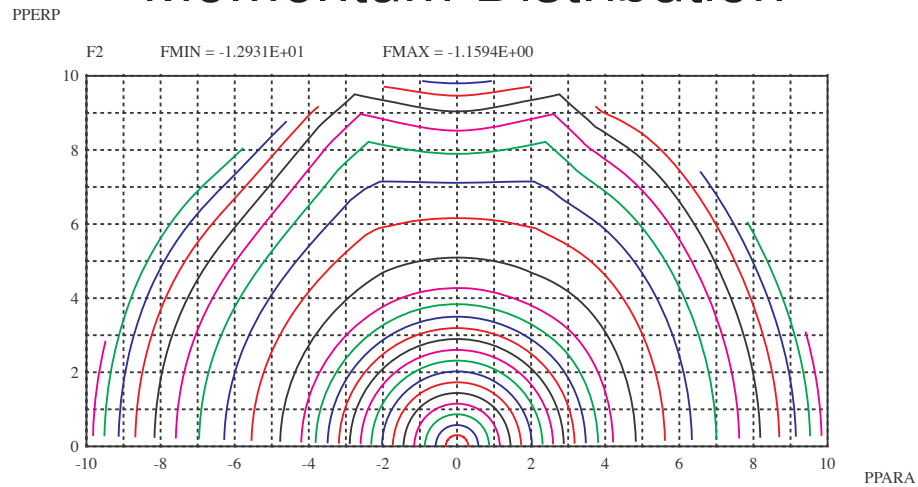
Quasi-linear Diffusion



Tail Formation



Momentum Distribution



Summary

- **Several improvement of the TASK code for full wave analysis of wave heating and current drive is under way.**
- **Full wave analysis of EC wave propagation in a small-size ST**
 - Tunneling through the cutoff layer and absorption on the upper hybrid layer were described.
 - The description of electron Bernstein waves requires to include FLR effects in TASK/WM.
- **Formulation of 2D integro-differential full wave analysis including FLR effects**
 - Formulation was extended to 2D configuration.
 - Implementation is under way.
 - Behavior of power absorption should be examined.

- **Self-consistent analysis including modification of velocity distribution**
 - Full wave analysis with arbitrary velocity distribution was completed.
 - Fokker-Planck analysis can use wave electric fields calculated by the full wave module.
 - Coupling of the full-wave module and the Fokker-Planck module is almost completed.