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トロイダルプラズマ・基礎直線プラズマにおける乱流の非線形過程の実験的研究

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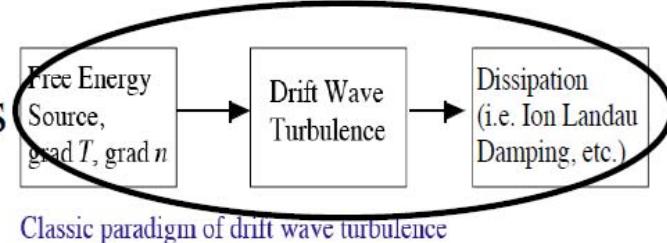
Importance of bispectrum [1,2] in Lagrangian nonlinearity

For example: Meso-scale structures driven by **turbulence Reynolds stress** (e.g. **drift wave-zonal flow systems**)

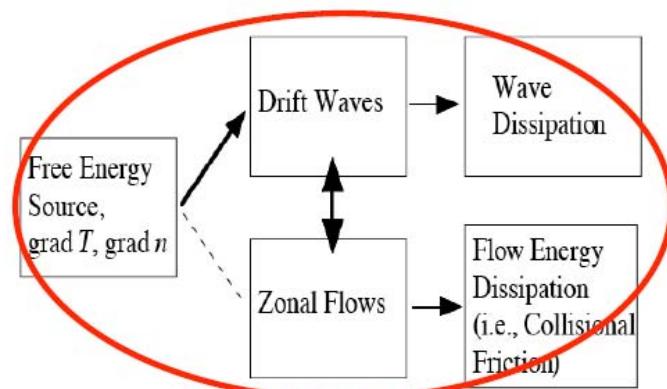
Energy transfer equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} |\bar{v}_\theta|^2 + \left(2\bar{v}_\theta^* \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \langle \tilde{v}_r \tilde{v}_\theta \rangle \right) = -\mu |\bar{v}_\theta|^2$$

bispectral functions.



Classic paradigm of drift wave turbulence



New paradigm of drift wave-zonal flow turbulence

Figure 1. New paradigm for the plasma turbulence.
Quoted from P.H. Diamond, et al., PPCF 47 R35 (2005)

[1] M. Hino, *Spectral Analysis* (Asakura Shoten, Tokyo, 1977).

[2] Y. Kim and E. Powers, IEEE Trans. Plasma Sci. **PS-7**, 120 (1979).

Bispectral functions

Bispectrum, spectrum of third order correlation function

$$B(\omega_1, \omega_2) = \int \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\tau_1 d\tau_2 \overline{x(t)y(t+\tau_1)z(t+\tau_2)} e^{i(\omega_1\tau_1 + \omega_2\tau_2)}$$
$$= \langle X(\omega_1)Y(\omega_2)Z^*(\omega_1 + \omega_2) \rangle,$$

squared bicoherence

$$\hat{b}^2(\omega_1, \omega_2) = \frac{\left| \langle X(\omega_1)Y(\omega_2)Z^*(\omega_1 + \omega_2) \rangle \right|^2}{\langle |X(\omega_1)Y(\omega_2)|^2 \rangle \langle |Z(\omega_1 + \omega_2)|^2 \rangle},$$

total bicoherence

$$\sum_{\omega_1 + \omega_2 = \text{const}} \hat{b}^2(\omega_1, \omega_2),$$

biphase

$$\Theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\text{Im}(\hat{B}(\omega_1, \omega_2))}{\text{Re}(\hat{B}(\omega_1, \omega_2))} \right)$$

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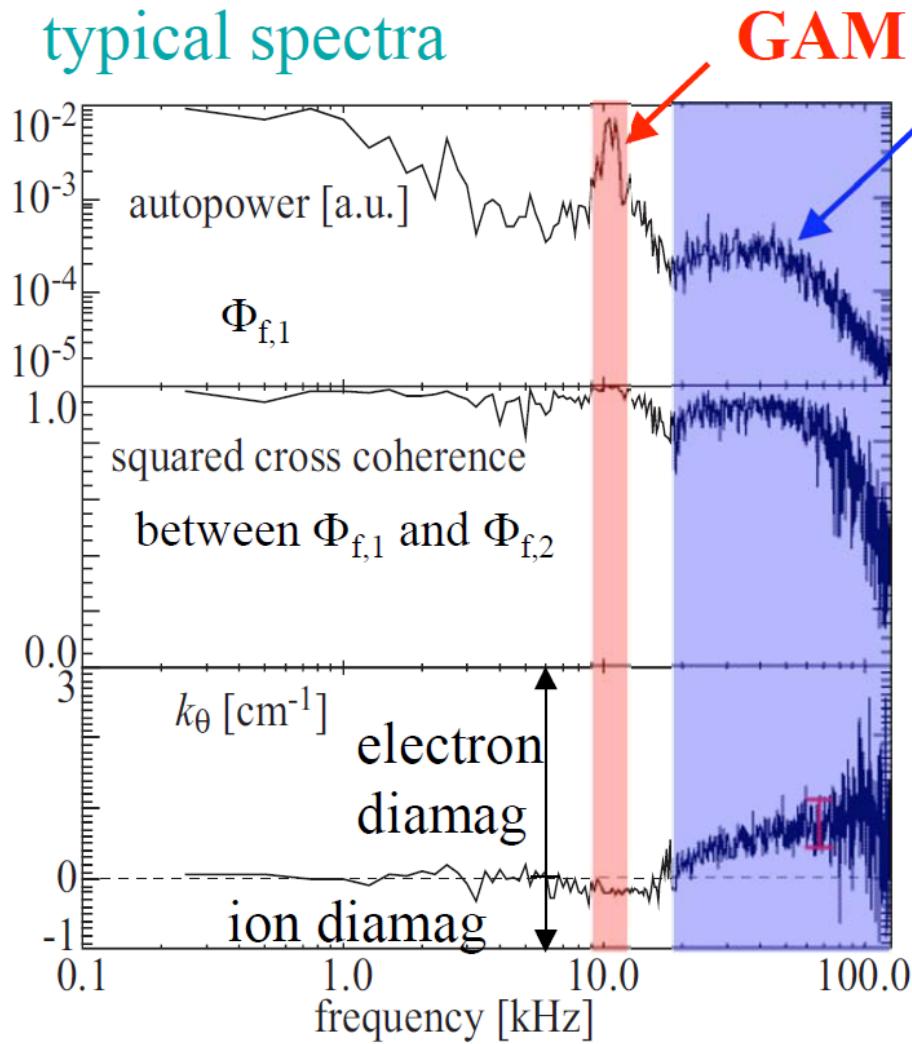
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Results of JFT-2M edge plasma

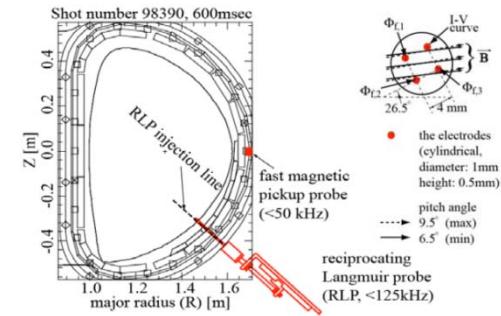
Relationship between geodesic acoustic mode (GAM) and turbulence

Experimental apparatus on JFT-2M and geodesic acoustic mode

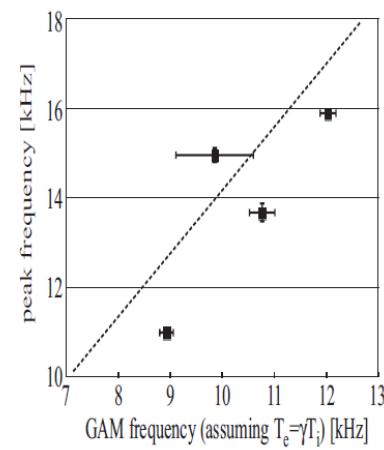
typical spectra



Broad-band
Turbulence
(drift waves)

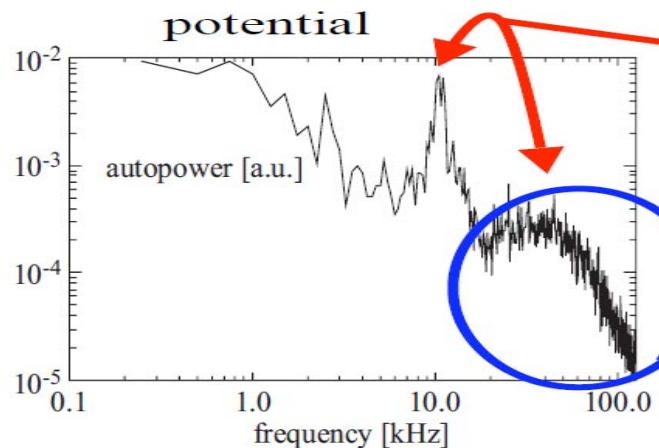


GAM frequency and
spectral peak frequency

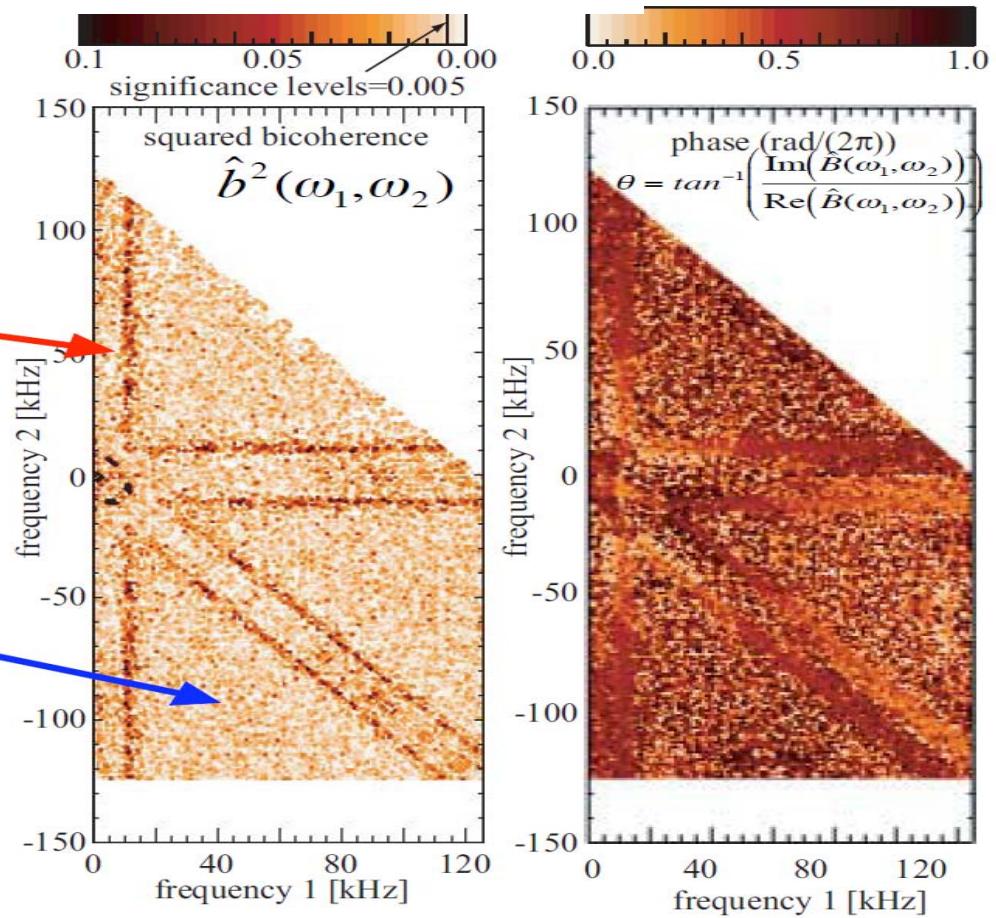


Results of bicoherence and biphasic planes

Nonlinear coupling between GAM and turbulence



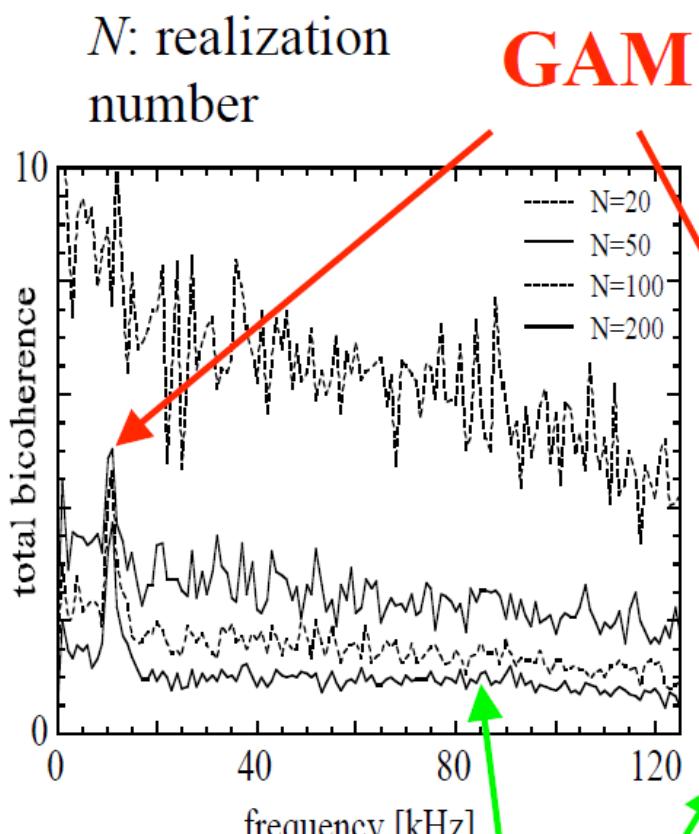
Nonlinear coupling among turbulence



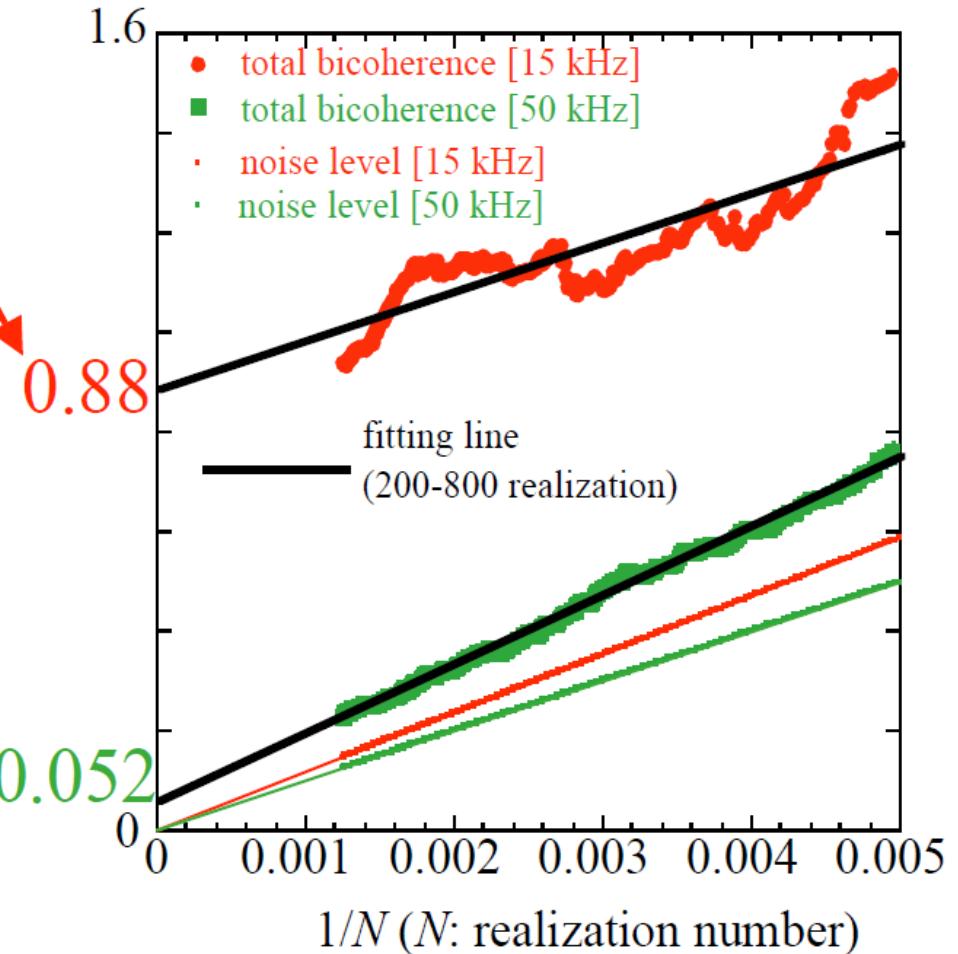
GAM is nonlinearly coupled to the broad-band fluctuations.

The biphasic is constant around $\sim\pi$ in the nonlinear coupling between GAM and turbulence.

Convergence property of total bicoherence



Broad-band turbulence



Comparison with theoretical prediction

Experimental parameters measured by the RLP and the HIBP are,

M : frequency segments

ρ_s : ion Larmour radius at T_e

k_θ : drift wave poloidal wavenumber

q_x : zonal flow radial wavenumber

$k_\perp = \sqrt{k_\theta + k_x}$

$h(k_\perp \rho_s)$: normalized turbulence deccorelation rate

τ : deccorelation time

ω_* : drift frequency

ϕ_Z : zonal flow potential amplitude

ϕ_d : drift wave potential amplitude

$$M = 125, \rho_s = 0.2 \text{ cm}, k_\theta \sim 1.5 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

$$q_x \sim 0.5 \text{ cm}^{-1}, k_\perp \sim \sqrt{2}k_\theta,$$

$$h(k_\perp \rho_s) = \tau^{-1} \omega_*^{-1} \phi^{-1} \sim 0.4,$$

$\tau \sim 6 \mu\text{sec}$ evaluated by autocorrelation time,

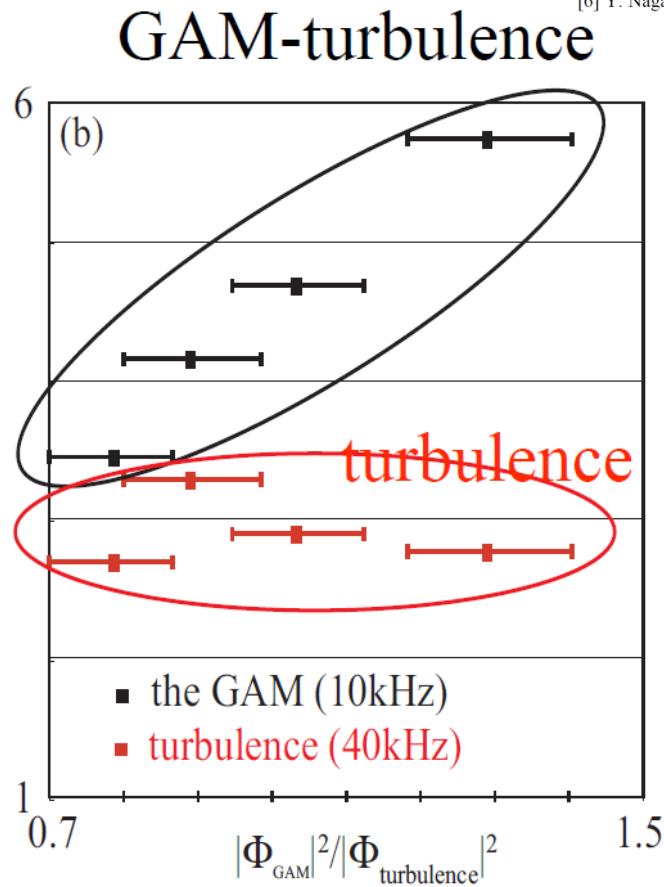
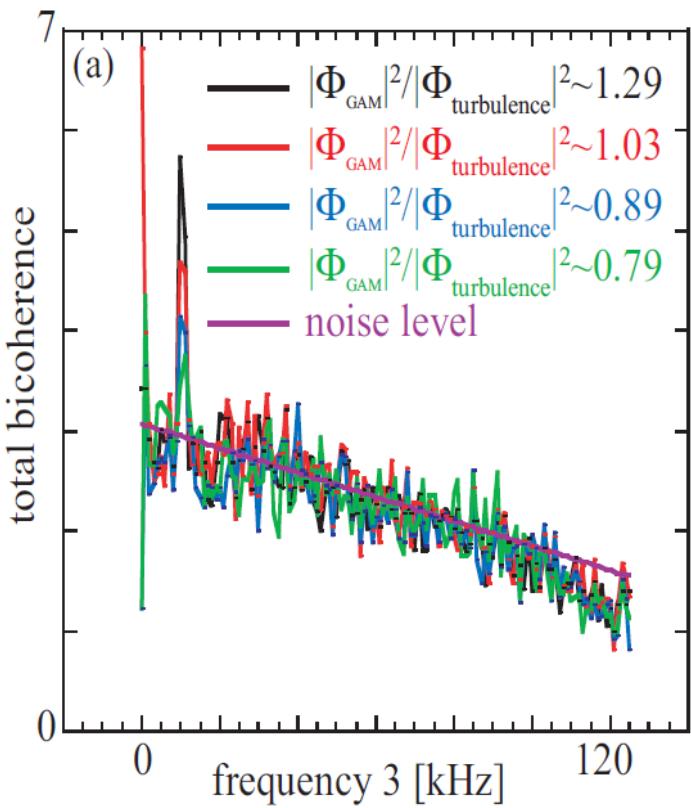
$$\omega_* \sim 4 \times 10^5 \text{ rad/sec, and } \phi_Z^2 / \phi_d^2 \sim 1.0$$

$$\sum \hat{b}^2(\omega) \sim 4M \left(\frac{1}{h(k_\perp \rho_s)} \frac{q_x k_\perp^2 \rho_s^3}{1 + k_\perp^2 \rho_s^2} \right)^2 \frac{\phi_Z^2}{\phi_d^2} + 3 \left(\frac{1}{h(k_\perp \rho_s)} \frac{k_x k_\perp^2 \rho_s^3}{1 + k_\perp^2 \rho_s^2} \right)^2$$

The estimated total bicoherence from theory at GAM of ~0.9 and the ambient fluctuations of ~0.05 are similar to the converged bicoherence.

Total bicoherence dependence of GAM amplitude

Experiments^[5]:



Comparison with theory^[6]:

$$\sum \hat{b}^2(\omega) \sim 4M \left(\frac{1}{h(k_\perp \rho_s)} \frac{q_s k_\perp^2 \rho_s^3}{1 + k_\perp^2 \rho_s^2} \right)^2 \left(\frac{\phi_x^2}{\phi_0^2} \right) + 3 \left(\frac{1}{h(k_\perp \rho_s)} \frac{k_\perp k_\perp^2 \rho_s^3}{1 + k_\perp^2 \rho_s^2} \right)^2$$

Total bicoherence at GAM is proportional to

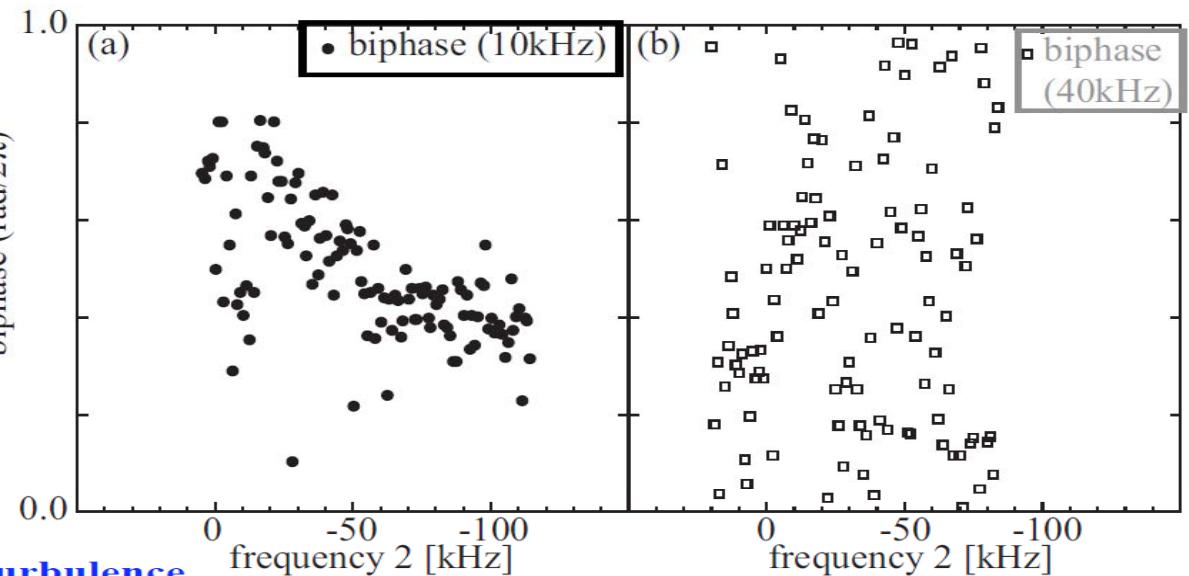
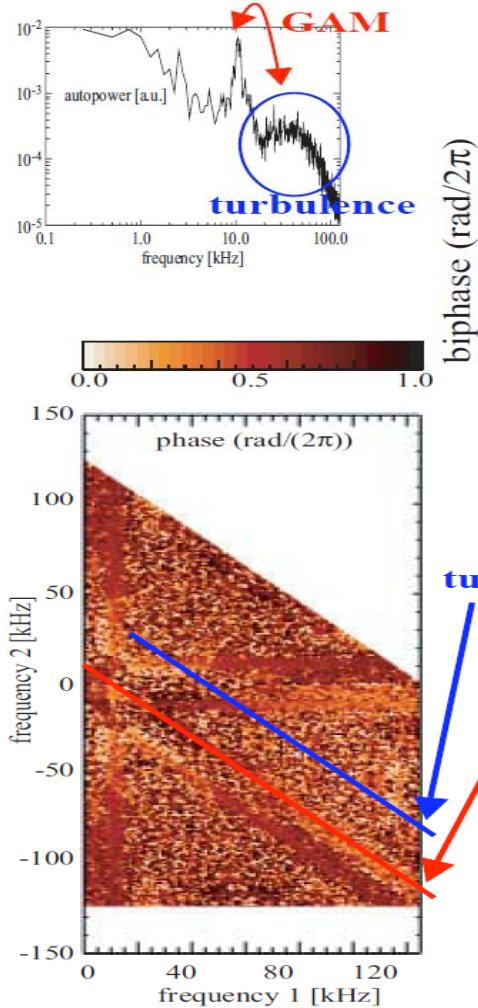
$$|\phi_{\text{GAM}}|^2 / |\phi_{\text{drift}}|^2$$

[5] Y. Nagashima, et al., PRL 95, 095002 (2005),

[6] Y. Nagashima, et al., PPCF 48, S1 (2006)

Biphase at GAM and broad-band turbulence

Experiments^[6]:



Comparison with theory:

coherent at GAM

random at broad-band turbulence

$$\frac{c_s}{L_n} \frac{q_x k_y k_{\perp}^2 \rho_s^4}{1 + k_{\perp}^2 \rho_s^2} \phi_z \phi_d$$

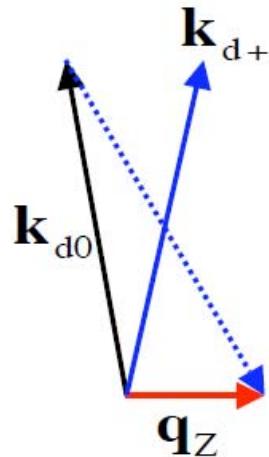
$$\frac{c_s}{L_n} \frac{k_x k_y k_{\perp}^2 \rho_s^4}{1 + k_{\perp}^2 \rho_s^2} |\phi_d|^2$$

Biphases demonstrate the phase angles of nonlinear interaction terms in drift wave-zonal flow systems.

Proposal of GAM measurement by envelope modulation technique

Nonlinear property of the GAM

Four wave process(parametric-modulational instability)



$$\mathbf{k}_{d+} = \mathbf{k}_{d0} + \mathbf{q}_z$$

$$\mathbf{k}_{d-} = \mathbf{q}_z - \mathbf{k}_{d0}$$

Quoted from P.H. Diamond, et al.,
PPCF 47 R35 (2005)

k_{d0} : Primary drift wave wavenumber

k_{d-}, k_{d+} : Secondary drift wave wavenumbers

q_z : GAM radial wavenumber

Drift wave turbulence is modulated by zonal flows

---> **Envelope of the turbulence has ZF information.**

Drift waves have the condition $\frac{\tilde{\phi}}{T_e} \sim \frac{\tilde{n}}{n}$

---> **Close relationship between density and potential**

Envelope of turbulent density fluctuations has information of zonal flows

The envelop of the density fluctuation has the GAM info.

$\phi(t)$

Raw data

$\phi(t)$

Band-pass (12 < f < 18 kHz,
GAM frequency)

$n(t)$

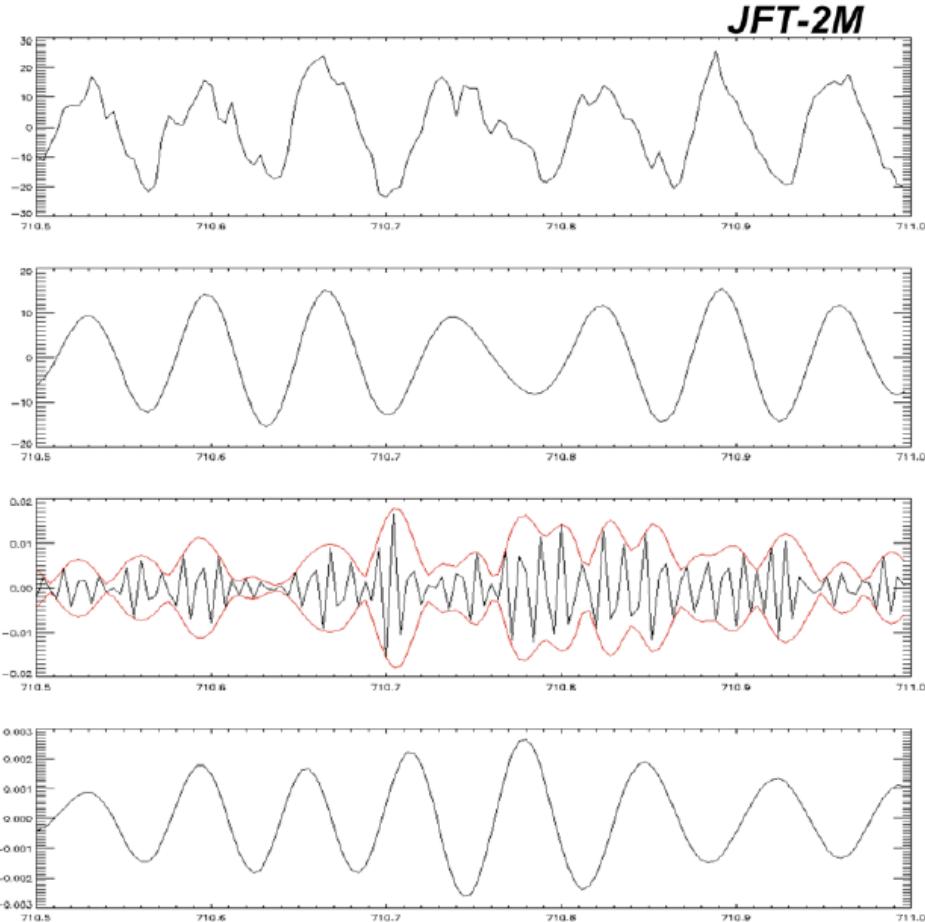
Black: high-pass (80 kHz < f ,
frequency of turbulence)

Red: the envelope of black
signals by Hilbert transform

$$Hf(\tau) = \int_R \frac{f(t)}{t - \tau} dt$$

$n(t)$

Band-pass (12 < f < 18 kHz,
GAM frequency)

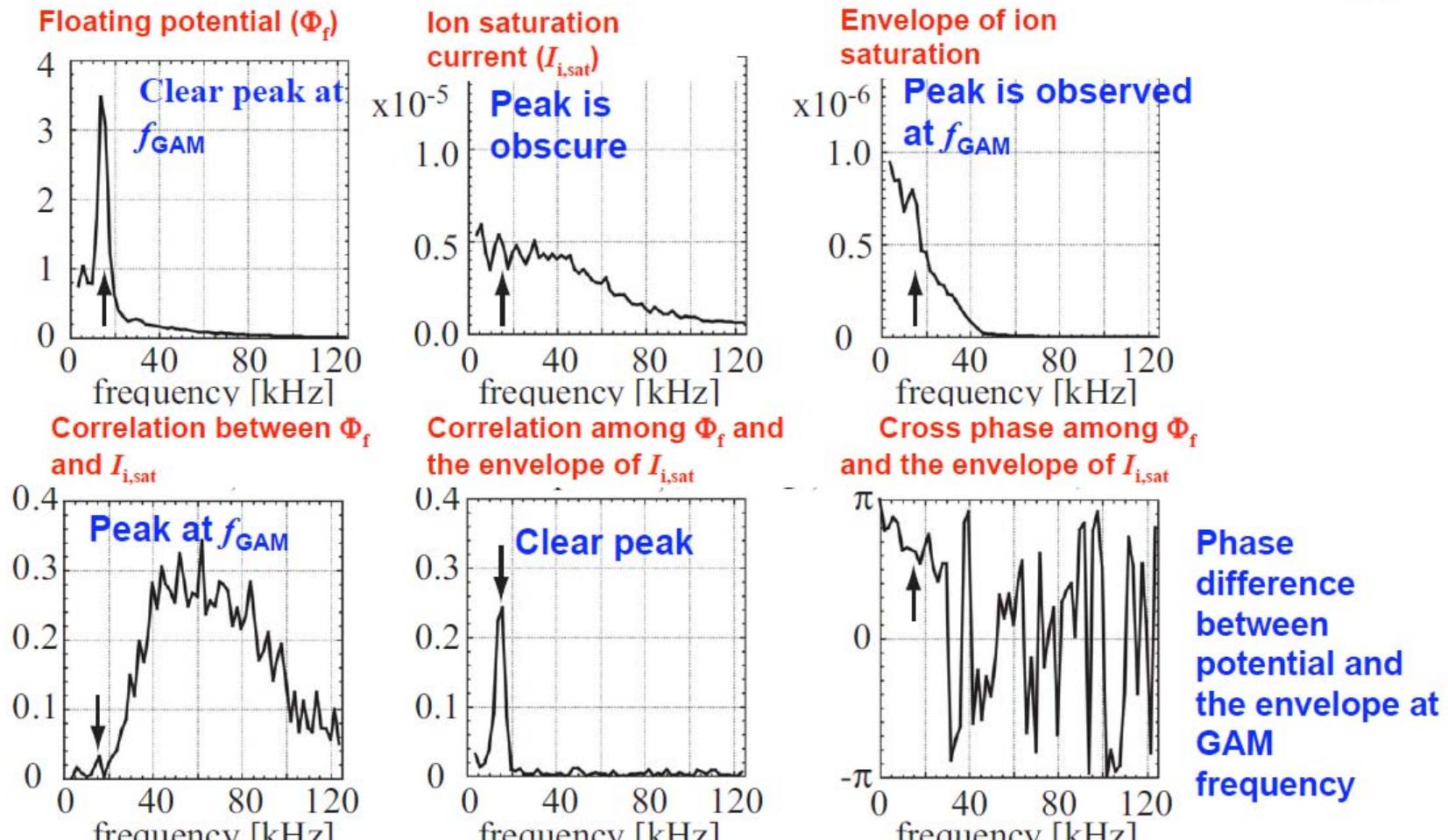


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Time [msec]

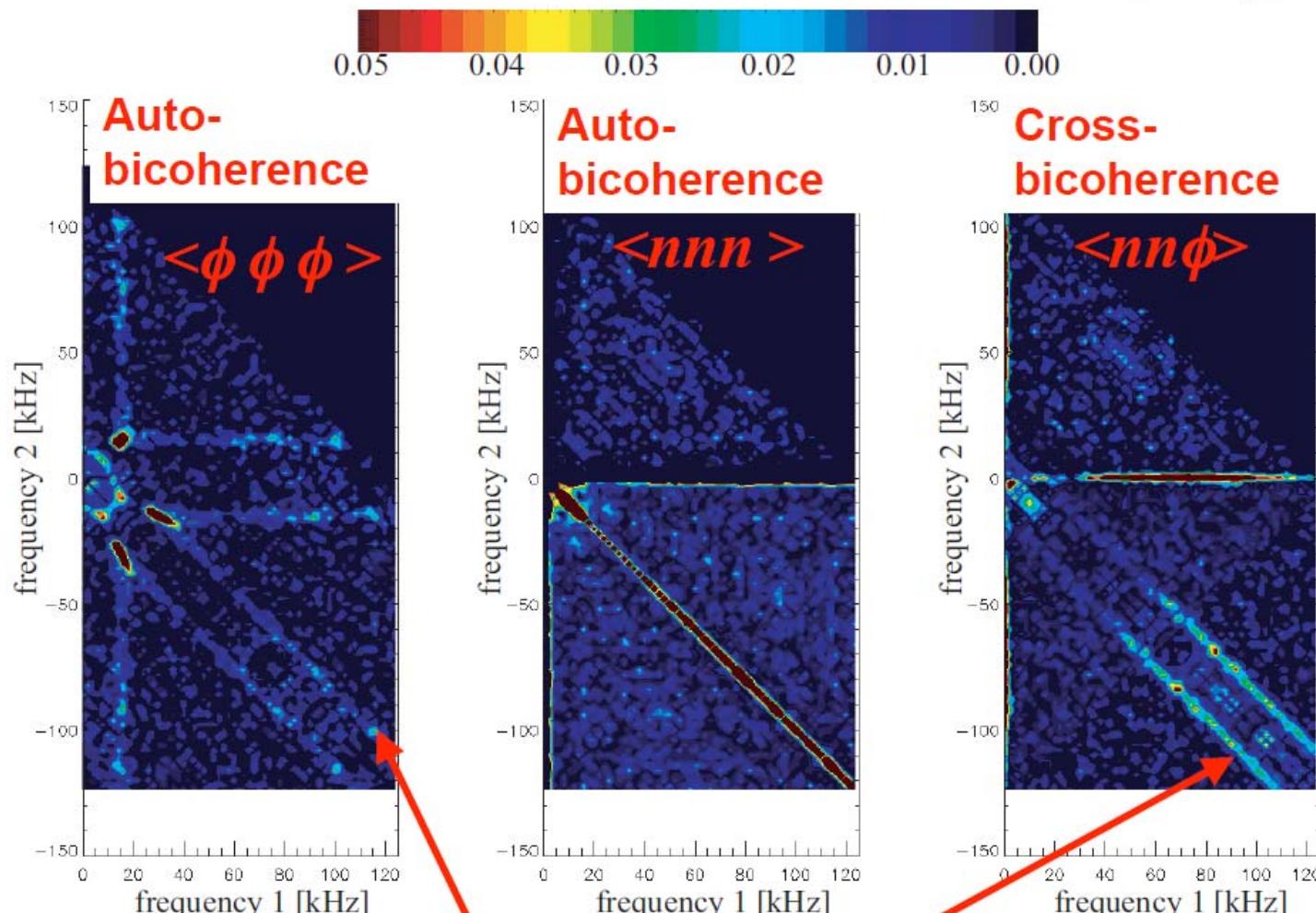
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Quadratic spectra (Φ_f , I_{is} , $Env(I_{is})$)



Significant correlation between Φ_f and the envelope of $I_{i,sat}$ at f_{GAM}

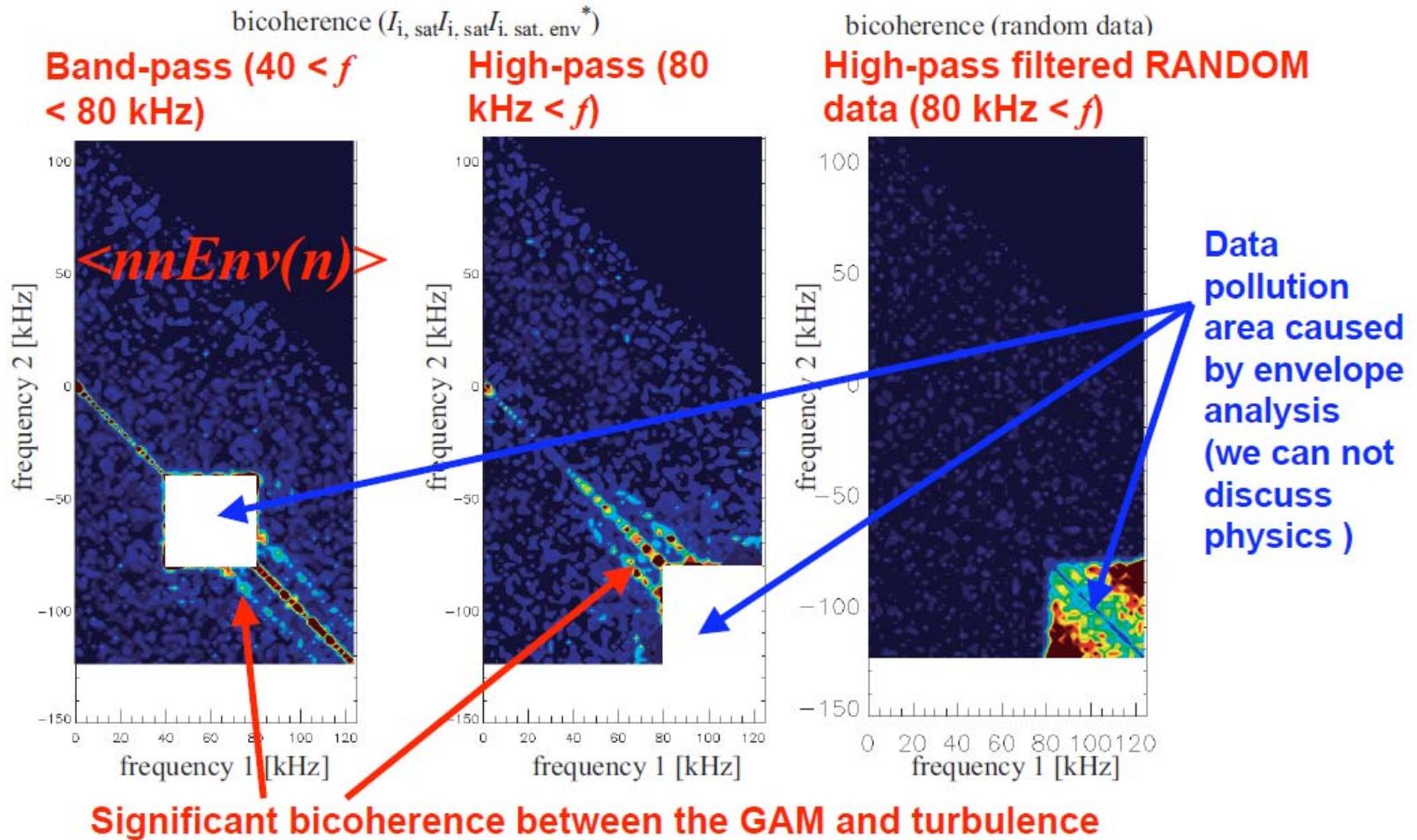
Auto/cross-bicoherence (Φ_f , I_{is})



Bicoherence between GAM and turbulence

Bicoherence of $nn\Phi_f$ is higher than that of $\Phi_f\Phi_f\Phi_f$

Cross-bicoherence (I_{is} , $Env(I_{is})$)



Bicoherence between turbulence and the GAM is observed only by using density fluctuation data

**This research is applicable to
GAM spectroscopy (S.-I. Itoh,
et al. PPCF 49 L7 (2007))**

Bispectral analysis in linear plasmas

Analysis of momentum transfer

Energy transfer function T by use of $E_{r,ZV}$ [7]

$$\begin{aligned} T &= \sum_{k_{r,Z3}=k_{r,d1}+k_{r,d2}} k_{r,Z3} \operatorname{Im} \left\langle \tilde{u}_{r,d1} \tilde{u}_{\theta,d2} U_{\theta,Z3}^* \right\rangle \\ &= \sum_{k_{r,Z3}=k_{r,d1}+k_{r,d2}} k_{r,Z3} \operatorname{Im} \left\langle \frac{\tilde{E}_{\theta,d1} \tilde{E}_{r,d2}}{B^2} E_{r,Z3}^* \right\rangle \\ &\propto \sum_{k_{r,Z3}=k_{r,d1}+k_{r,d2}} k_{r,Z3} \operatorname{Im} \left\langle \tilde{E}_{\theta,d1} \tilde{E}_{r,d2} E_{r,Z3}^* \right\rangle \end{aligned}$$

[7] G.R. Tynan, et al.,
Phys. Plasmas 8 (2001) 2691

The analysis reflects local interaction of waves.
-->more precise analysis than potential analysis

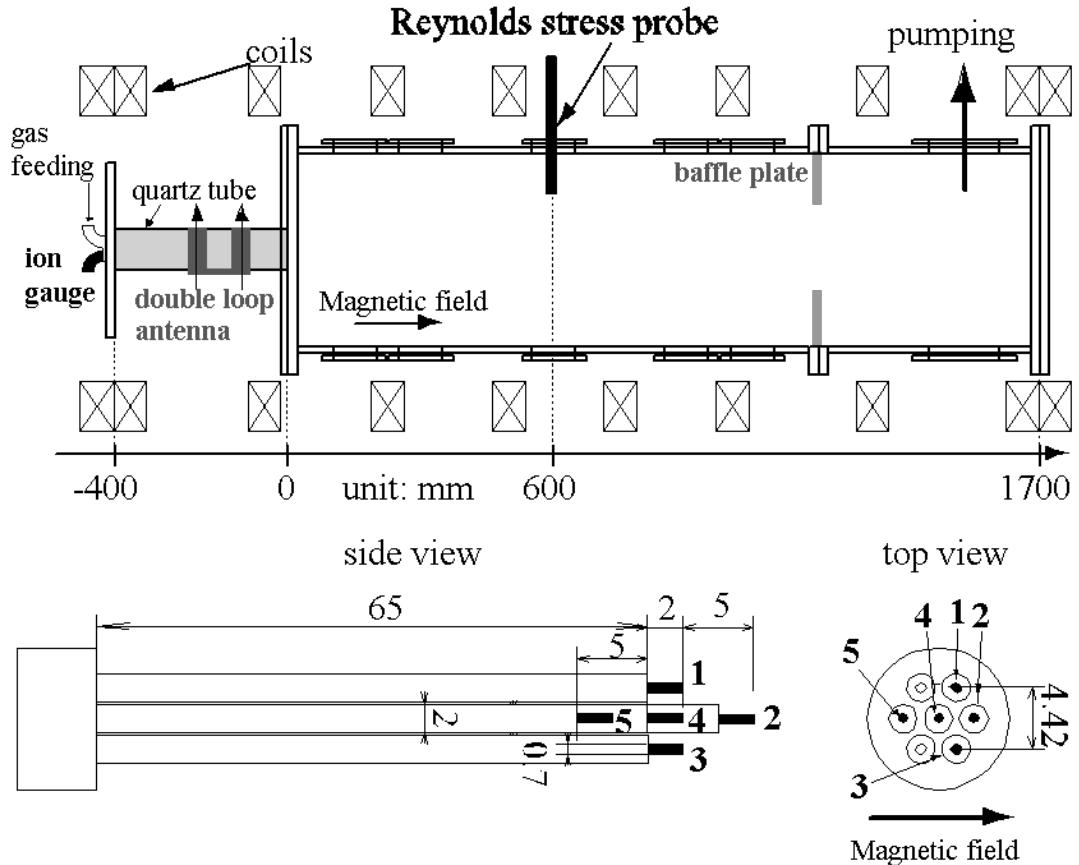
Experimental devices

The Large Mirror device (LMD [8])

[8] Y. Saitou, et al., Phys. Plasmas **14** (2007) 072301



**Helicon source (2kW,
7MHz) Ar gas**



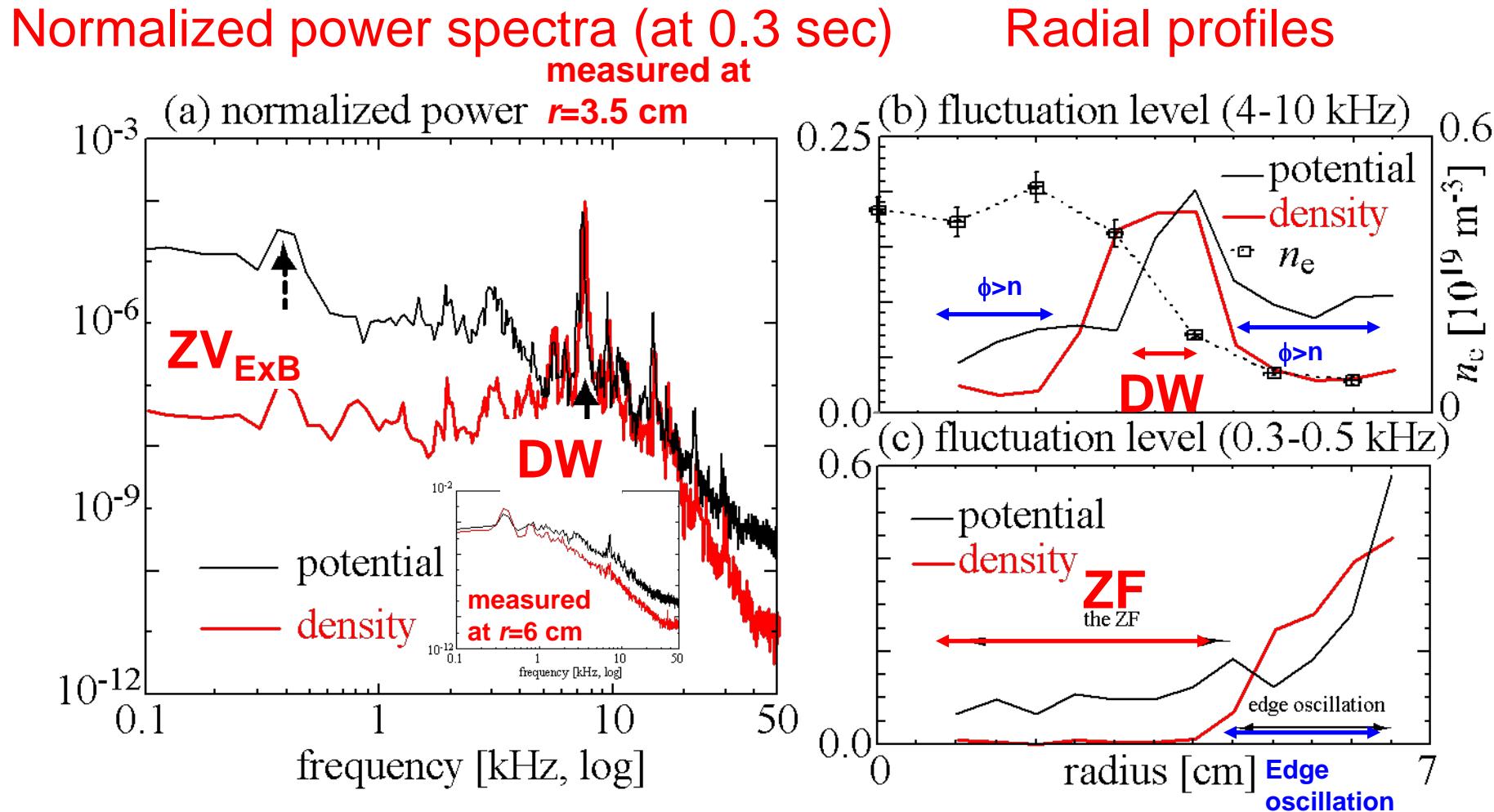
The Reynolds
stress probe

$$\tilde{E}_\theta = (\tilde{\Phi}_1 - \tilde{\Phi}_3)/d_\theta \quad (k_\theta)$$

$$\tilde{E}_r = \left\{ \tilde{\Phi}_2 - \left(\tilde{\Phi}_1 + \tilde{\Phi}_3 \right) / 2 \right\} / d_r \quad (k_r)$$

Reynolds stress per mass density $\langle \tilde{E}_r \tilde{E}_\theta \rangle / B^2$

Normalized fluctuation spectra



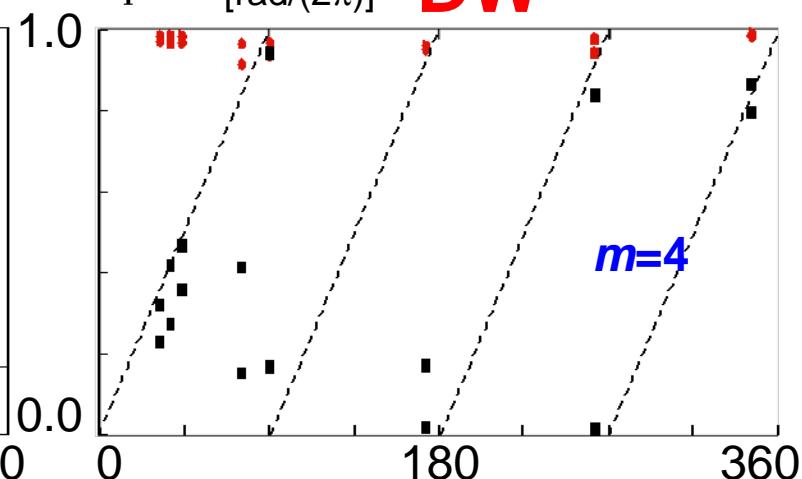
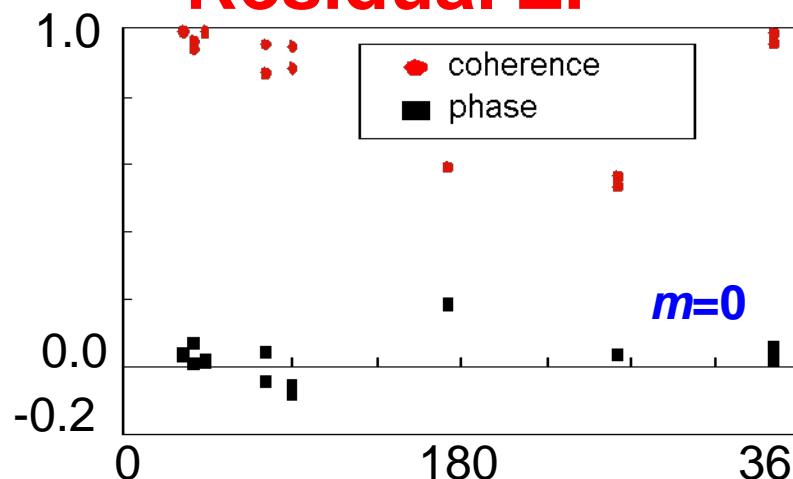
DW (density ~ potential) is located at $r=3.5\text{-}4\text{cm}$.

ZV_{ExB} exists at $r<\sim 4.5\text{cm}$ (edge oscillations $r>\sim 4.5\text{cm}$).

Poloidal and axial wave numbers

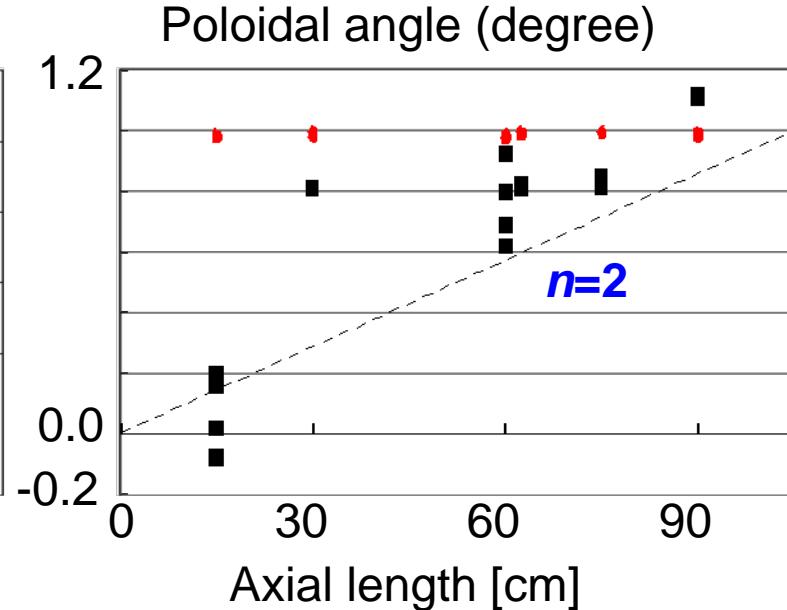
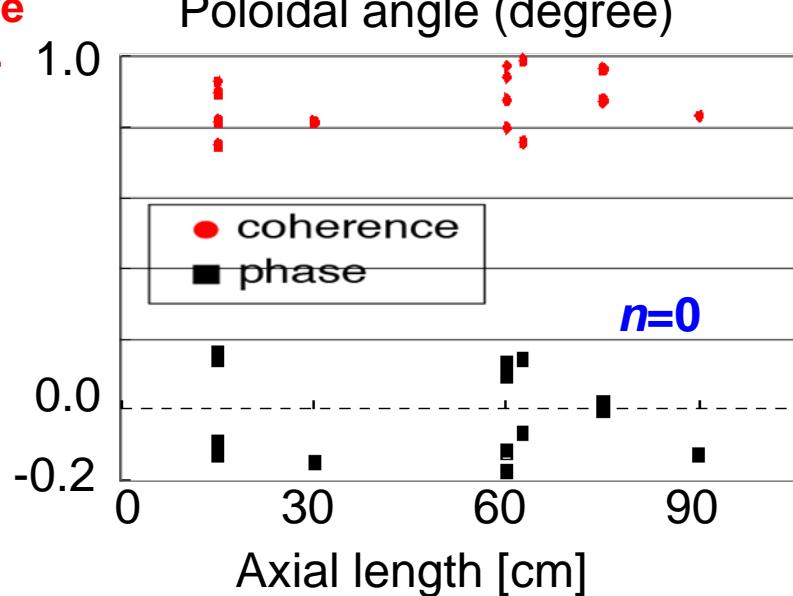
Residual ZF coherence DW

Poloidal



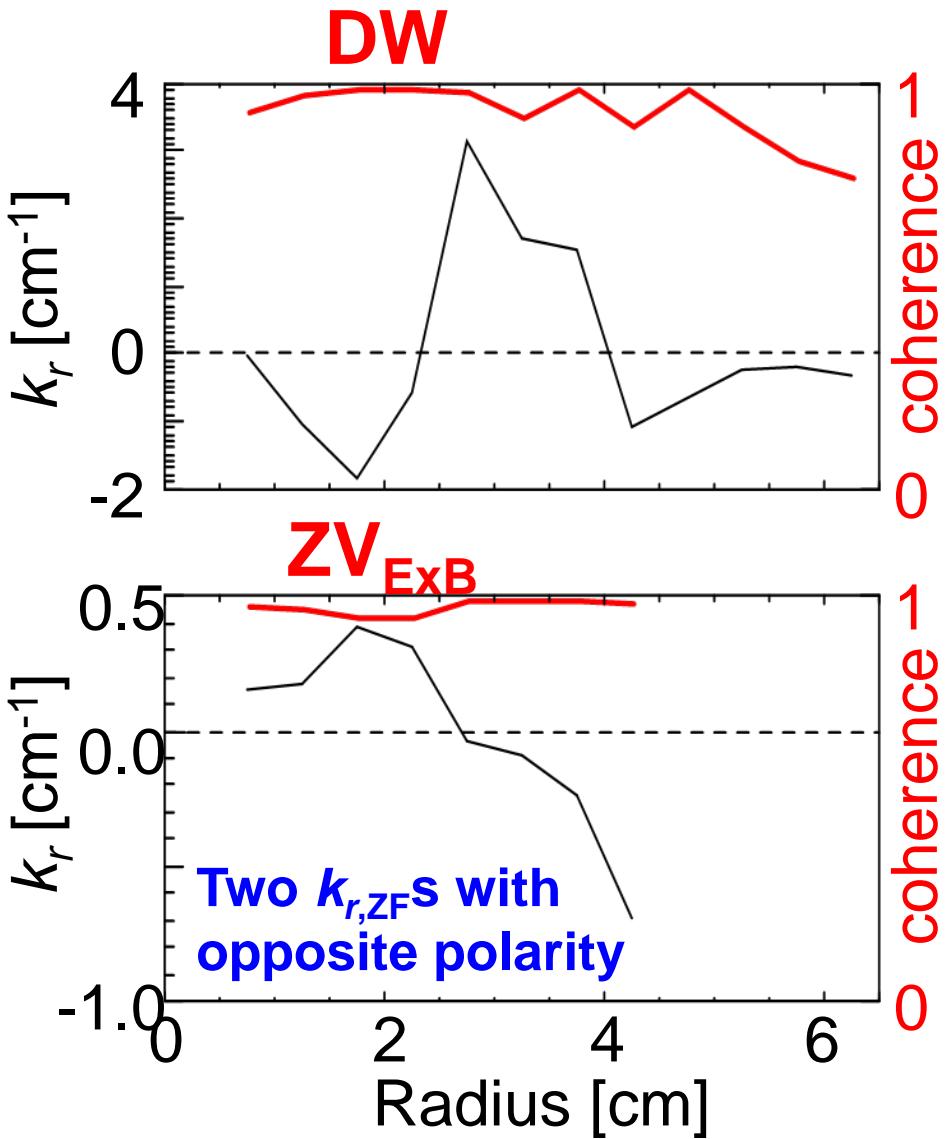
measure
d at $r=4$
cm

Axial

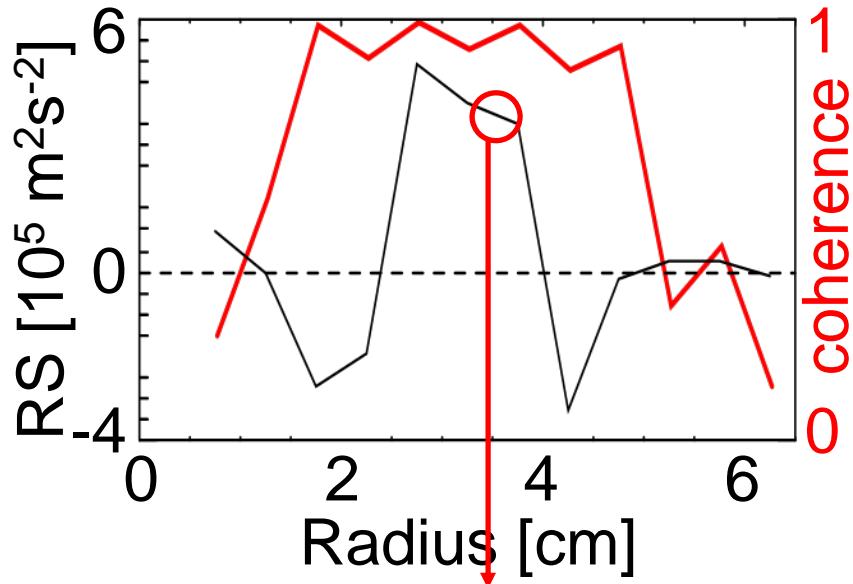


DW has $m=3-5$ and $n=2-3$, while residual ZF potential has $m,n\sim 0$.

Radial wave numbers (radial profile)



Time averaged Reynolds stress per mass density



$\omega_{de,th} = 6.22\text{-}8.26 \text{ kHz}$ at
minimum RS gradient

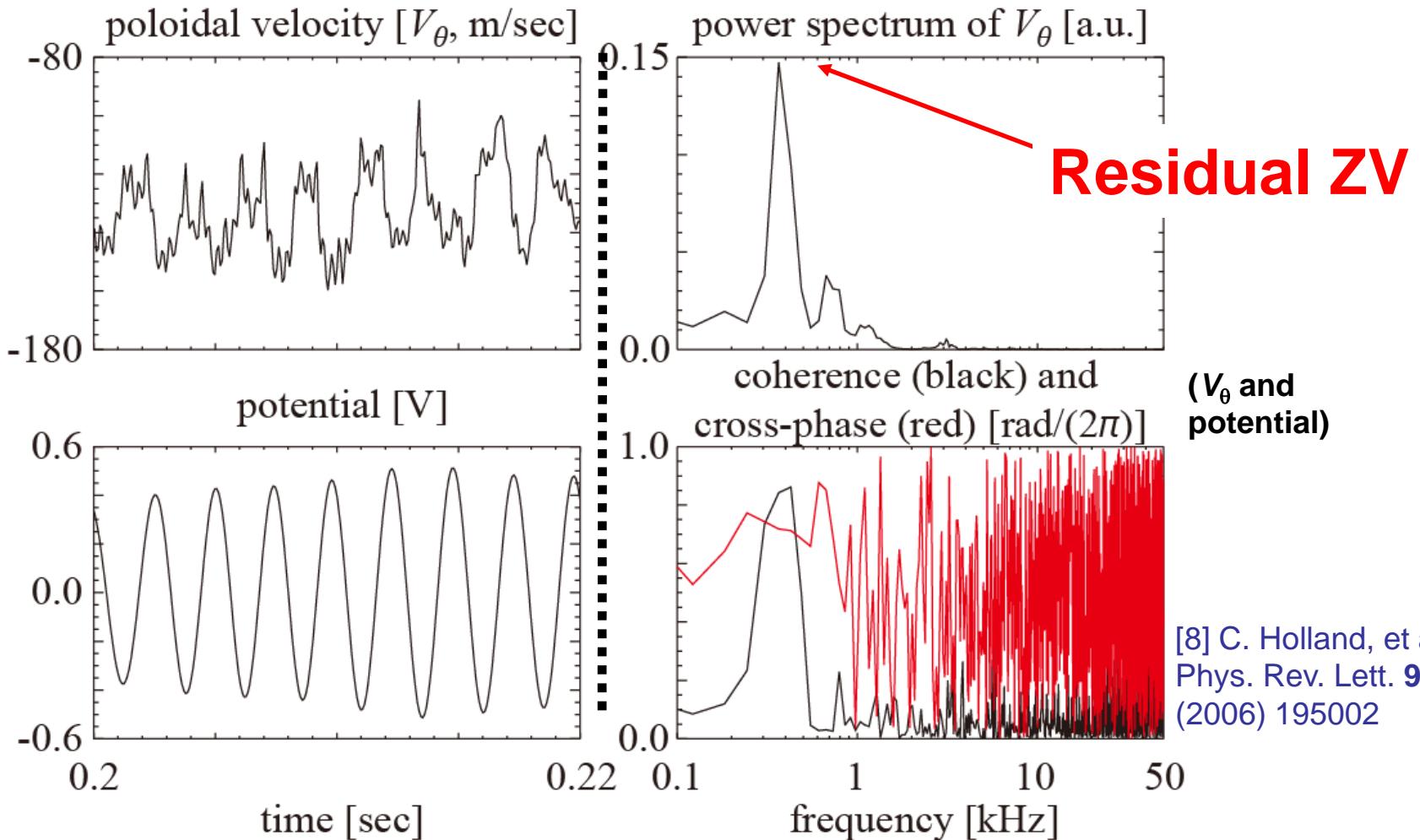
$\omega_{de,exp} = 7\text{-}8 \text{ kHz}$

$$\omega_{de,th} = \frac{\omega_{*,e}}{1 + k_{\perp}^2 \rho_s^2}$$

ZV_{ExB} has two radial wave numbers with opposite polarity.

Poloidal velocity fluctuation

measured at $r=2.5$ cm where E_r of the ZV is large.

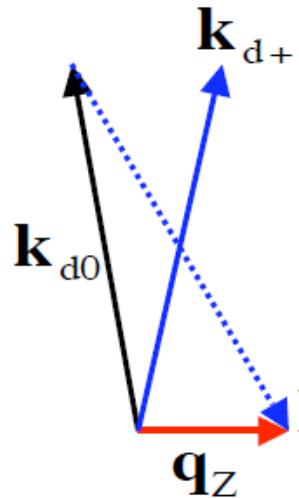


[8] C. Holland, et al.,
Phys. Rev. Lett. **96**
(2006) 195002

ZV is associated with the poloidal velocity fluctuation
derived from the Time Delay Estimation^[8].

Y. Nagashima, et al.,
JPSJ **77** 114501 (2008)

Four wave process(parametric-modulational instability)



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q_z : GAM radial wavenumber

Modulation of k , f , Φ_{zv} and $(v_r v_\theta)$

Notice: coordinate is corrected from left-handed (APS2007) to right-handed...

k_r , k_θ (two point cross-phase):

k_r modulation is significant.

k_θ or $V_{\theta,ph}$ is modulating at $r=4.25$ cm.

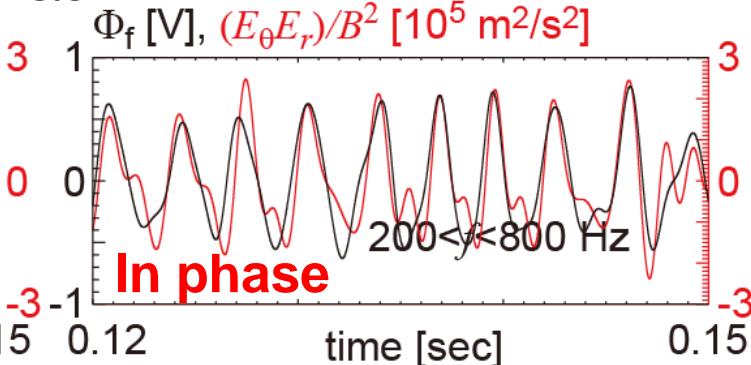
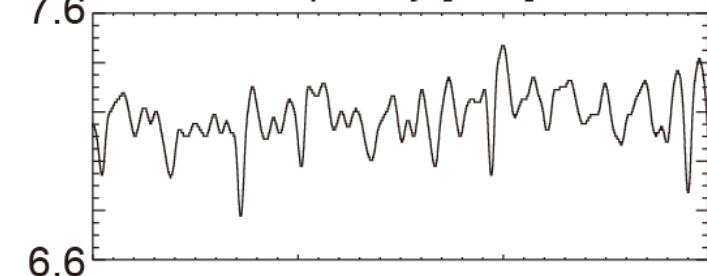
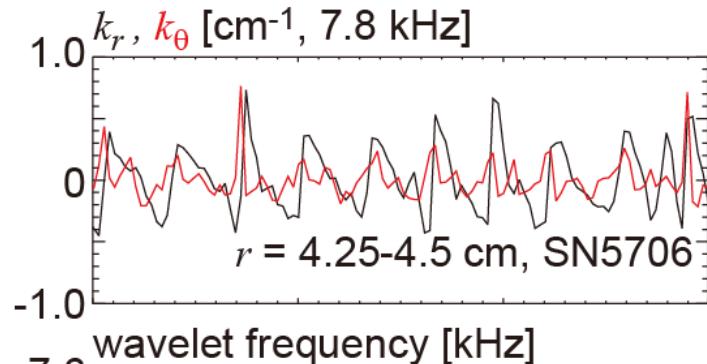
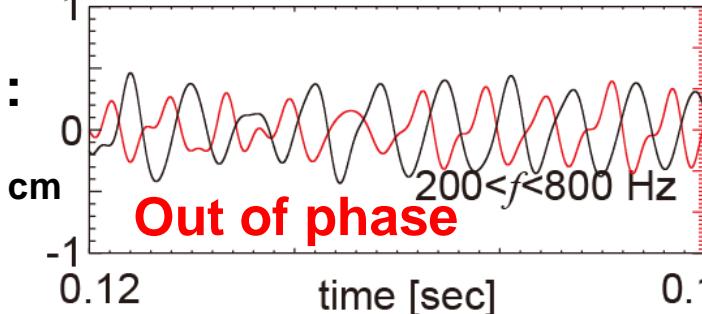
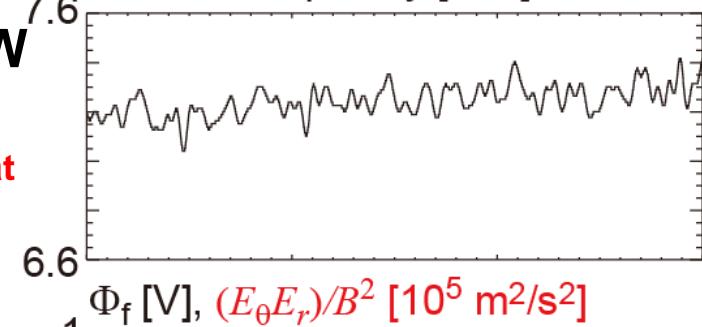
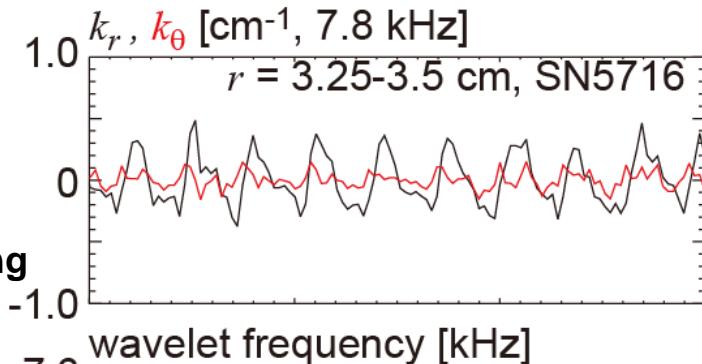
Peak f of the DW (wavelet) :

f modulation is large at large $E_{r,zv}$ location.

Φ_{zv} , $(E_\theta E_r)_{DW}/B$:

In phase at $r=4.25$ cm.

Out of phase at $r=3.25$ cm

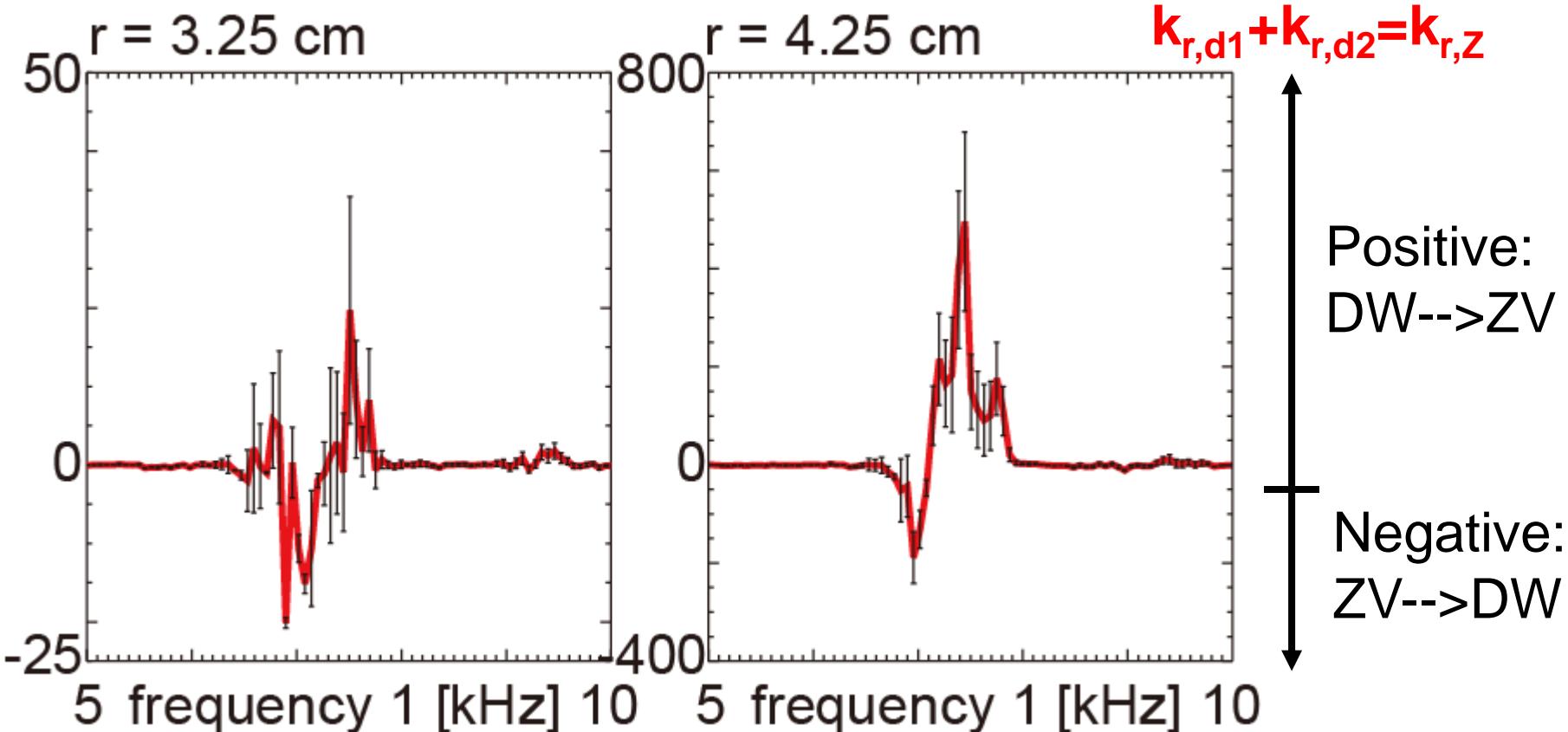


Measured at $r=3.25$ cm

Measured at $r=4.25$ cm

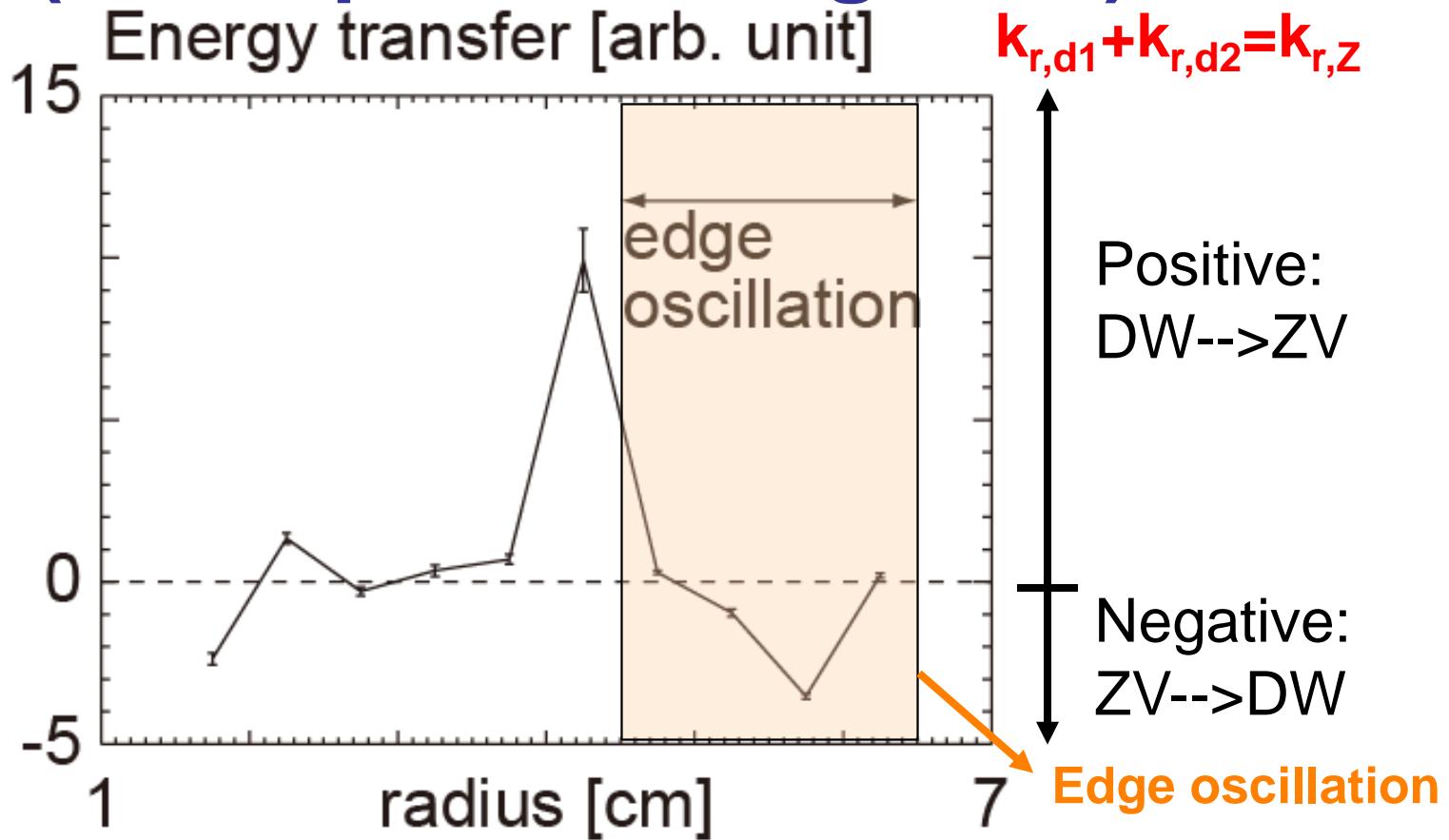
Modulational relationship is different in radius.

$(k_{r,d1}+k_{r,d2}) \operatorname{Im}\langle E_{\theta,d} E_{r,d} E_{r,z}^* \rangle$
estimation (frequency space)



Transfer direction is different in frequency.
Momentum transfer from the DW to the ZV_{ExB}
occurs totally at $r=4.25 \text{ cm}$.

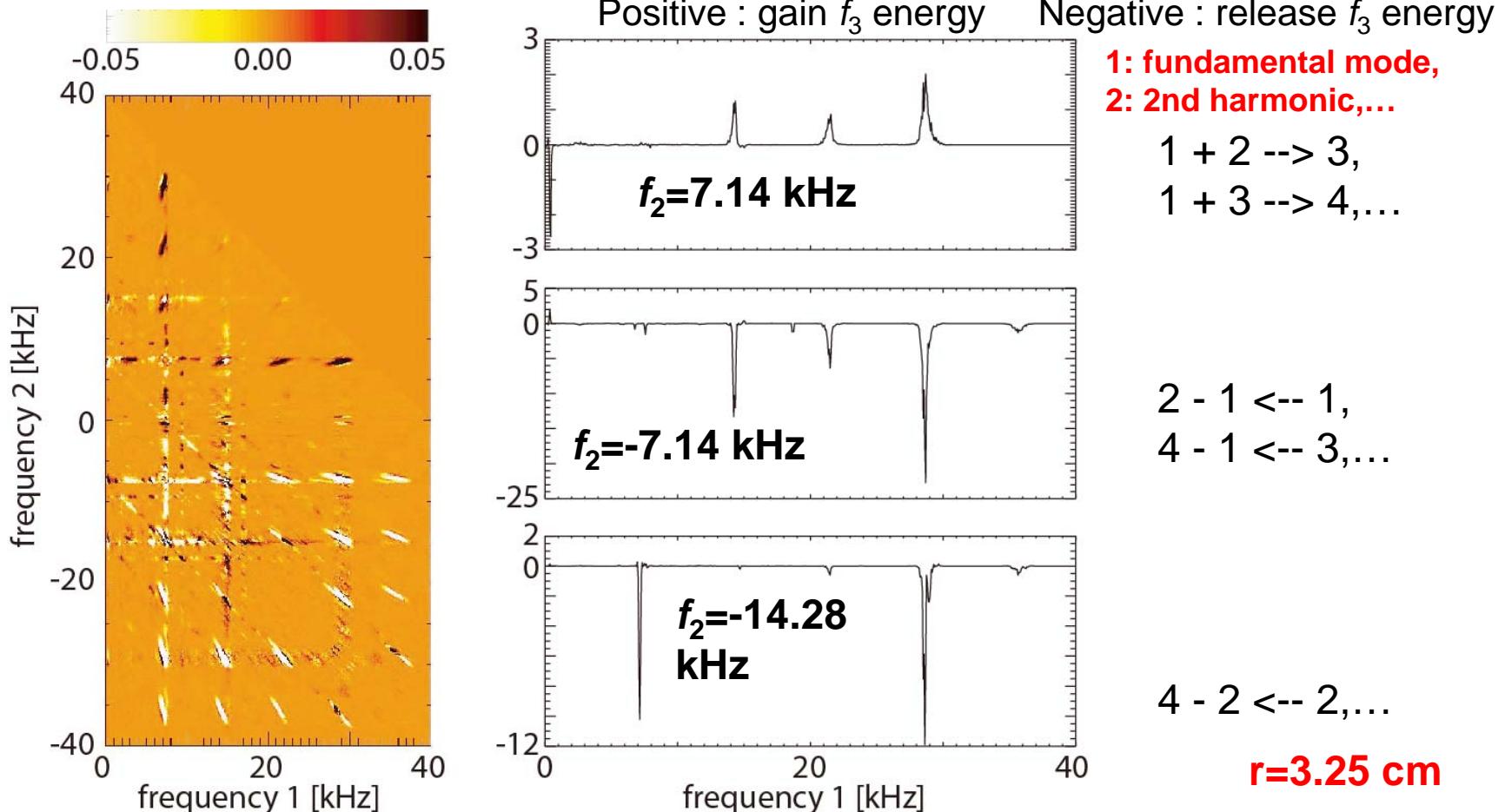
$(k_{r,d1}+k_{r,d2}) \text{Im}\langle E_{\theta,d} E_{r,d} E_{r,z}^* \rangle$ (radial profile, integrated)



Transfer direction is different in radius.

Strong momentum transfer from the DW to the
 ZV_{ExB} occurs at $r=4.25$ and 2.25 cm.

Estimation of Hasegawa-Mima type equation $\Sigma \mathbf{k}_1 \times \mathbf{k}_2 \cdot \mathbf{e}_z \cdot (\mathbf{k}_2^2 - \mathbf{k}_1^2) \operatorname{Re} < \Phi_1 \Phi_2 \Phi_3^* >$

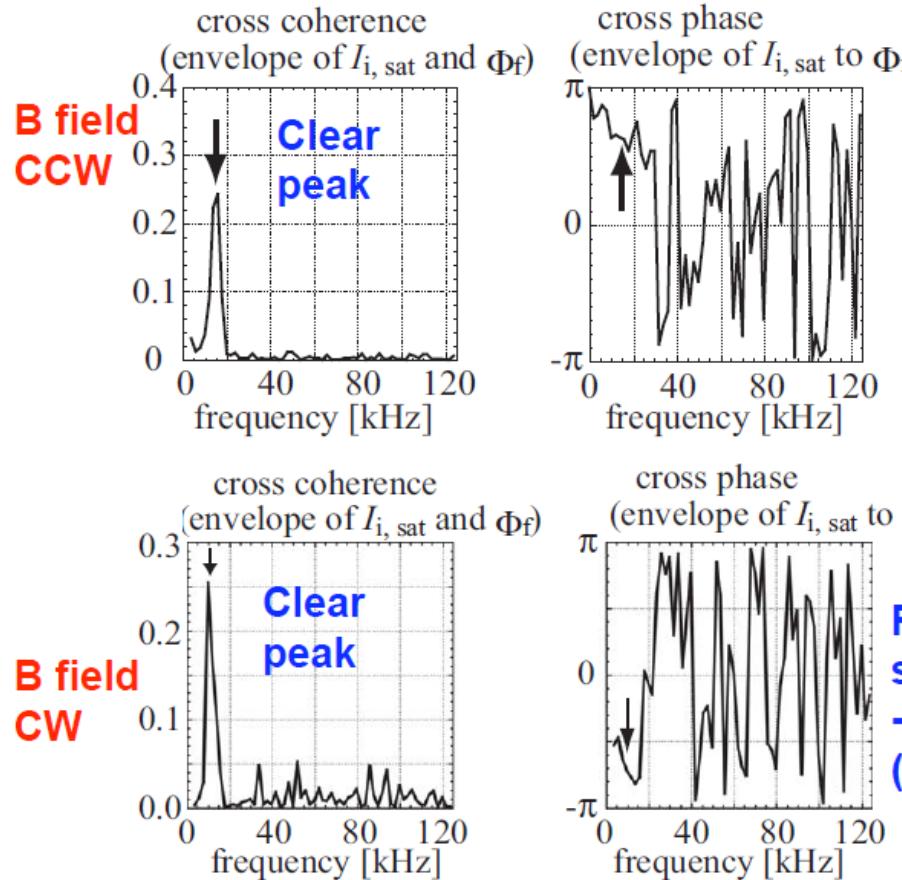


Forward transfer of the DW energy to higher harmonics occurs in frequency space

Conclusion

- 1. In the JFT-2M tokamak, bispectral analysis of the drift-wave-zonal flow turbulence succeeded in clarifying nonlinear process of turbulence.**
- 2. The combination of the bispectral and envelope analysis is proposed to detect GAMs by density fluctuation measurement and “GAM spectroscopy”.**
- 3. In the Large Mirror device (linear plasma device), coexistence of the low-frequency Er oscillation and drift-wave fluctuation is observed.**
- 4. Nonlinear /nonlocal energy transfers between drift wave and the low-frequency Er are identified in real and spectral spaces.**

Phase difference (Φ_f , and $Env(I_{is})$)



Theoretical prediction of phase shift between potential and the envelope

K. Itoh, et al., PPCF **47** (2005) 451

$$\frac{\delta \phi_{\text{micro}}^2}{|\phi_{\text{micro}}^2|} \cong \frac{4\rho_s^2 k_\theta^2}{\omega_{\text{GAM}}(1 + \rho_s^2 k_{\perp,0}^2)} \left(-i\theta s q_r^2 \phi \frac{B_z}{|B_z|^2} \right)$$

$$\propto -i\theta s q_r^2 \frac{B_z}{|B_z|}$$

θ : poloidal angle
 s : shear parameter
 q_r : zonal flow radial wavenumber
 B_z : magnetic field

Phase shift depends upon

- Poloidal angle,
- shear parameter,
- complex radial wavenumber of zonal flow and
- direction of magnetic field

Inversion of phase shift is observed in opposite B direction

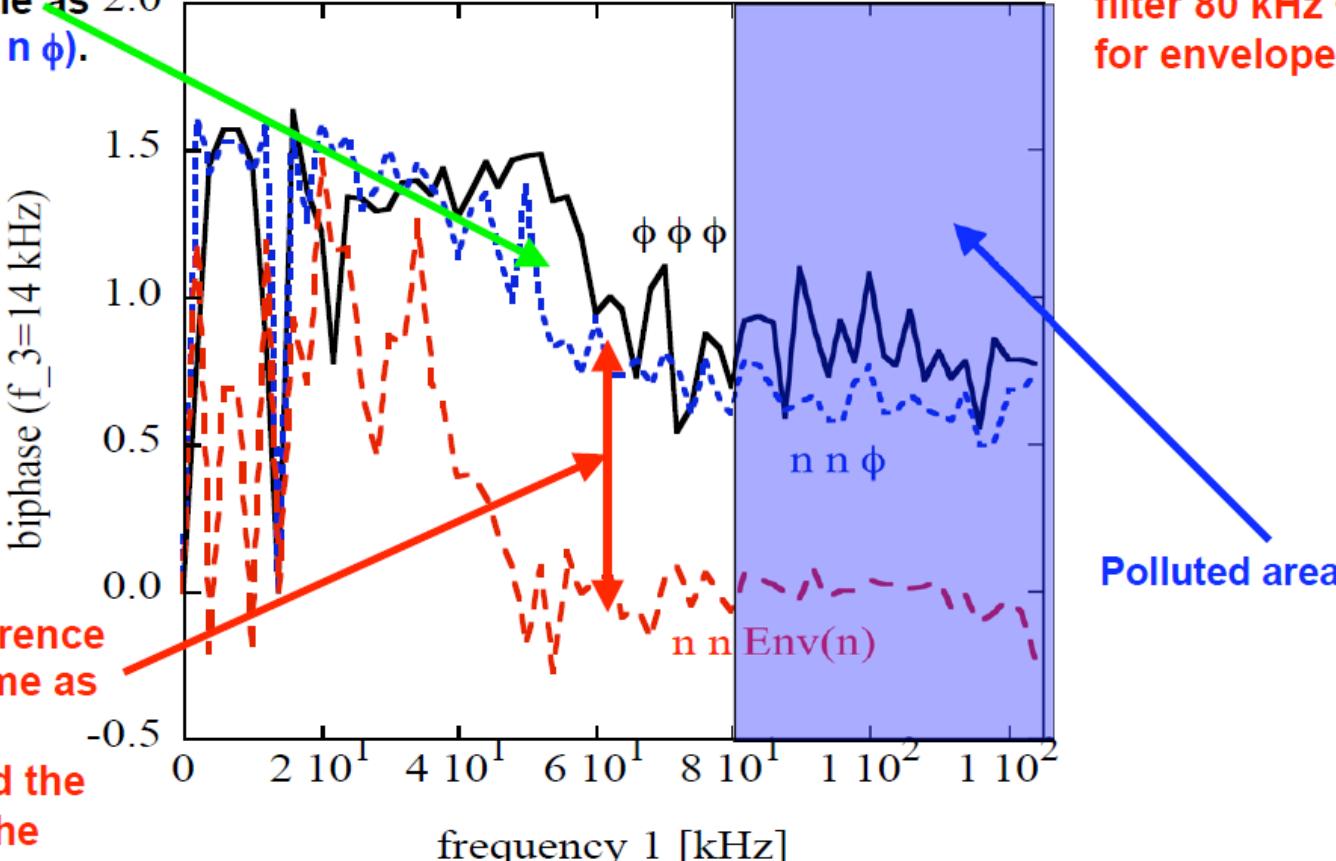
Biphase (Φ_f , I_{is} , $Env(I_{is})$)

Biphase of ($\phi \phi \phi$)
is almost same as 2.0
biphase of ($n n \phi$).

biphase_div_500micro2

High-pass
filter 80 kHz < f
for envelope

Biphase difference
 $\sim 0.7-0.8\pi$, same as
phase shift
between f and the
envelope of the
GAM

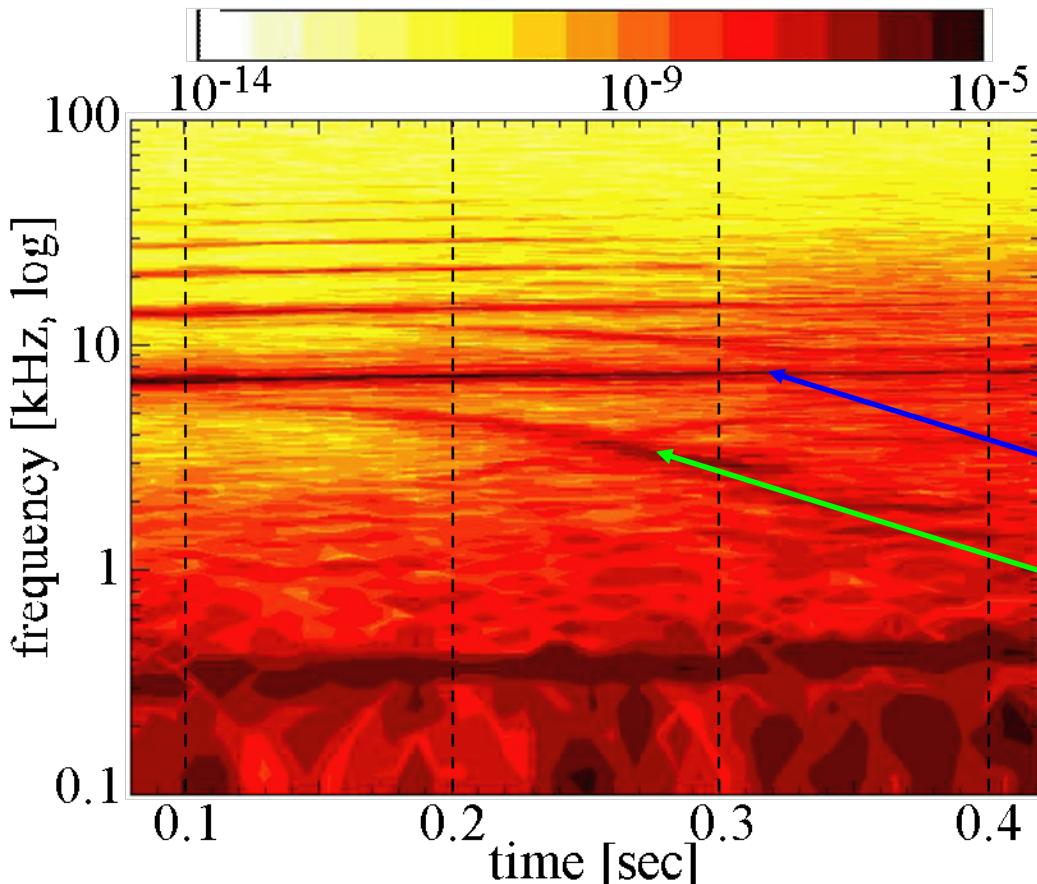


Polluted area

**Biphase analysis is applicable
considering phase between ϕ and the envelope**

The drift wave and the zonal $\mathbf{E}\times\mathbf{B}$ flow

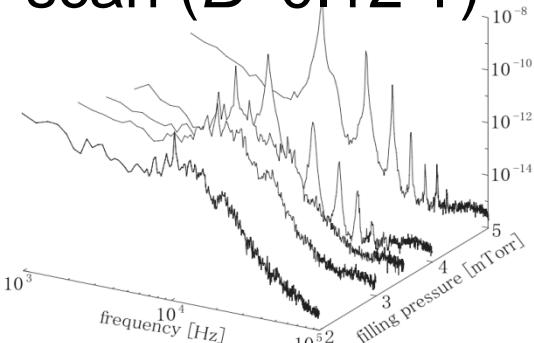
Time evolution of the potential spectrum during a single discharge



Measured at $r=3.5$ cm (plasma radius $a=\sim 5$ cm)

DW (7-8 kHz) and residual $ZV_{\mathbf{E}\times\mathbf{B}}$ (~ 400 Hz) are observed.

Filling pressure scan ($B=0.12$ T)



Marginal transition to strong turbulence at 3.5 mTorr

the Drift Wave (DW)
quasi-modes
(future scope)
the residual Zonal
 $\mathbf{E}\times\mathbf{B}$ Velocity ($ZV_{\mathbf{E}\times\mathbf{B}}$)

Comparison of bicoherence

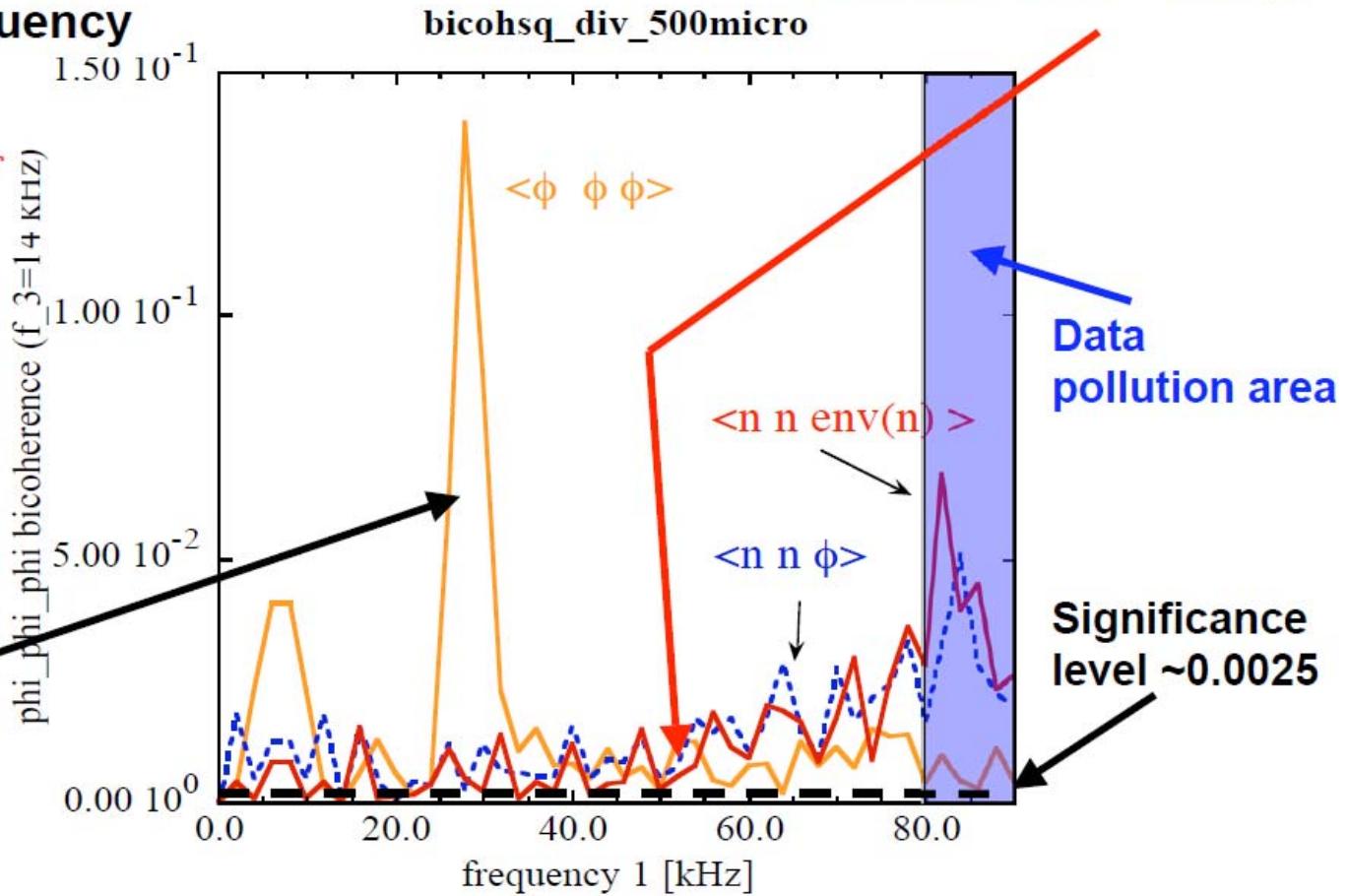
Cross-section of bicoherence at $f_3 =$ the GAM frequency

High-pass filter 80 kHz $< f$ for envelope

Self coupling of GAM in $(\phi \phi \phi)$, which is not observed in $(n n \phi)$

phi_phi_phi bicoherence ($f_3=14$ kHz)
n_n_phi bicoherence ($f_3=14$ kHz)
n_n_envn bicoherence ($f_3=14$ kHz)

Bicoherence of $(n n \text{env}(n))$ is similar to that of $(n n \phi)$



Bicoherence of $\langle nnEnv(n) \rangle$ is same as that of $\langle nn\Phi \rangle$