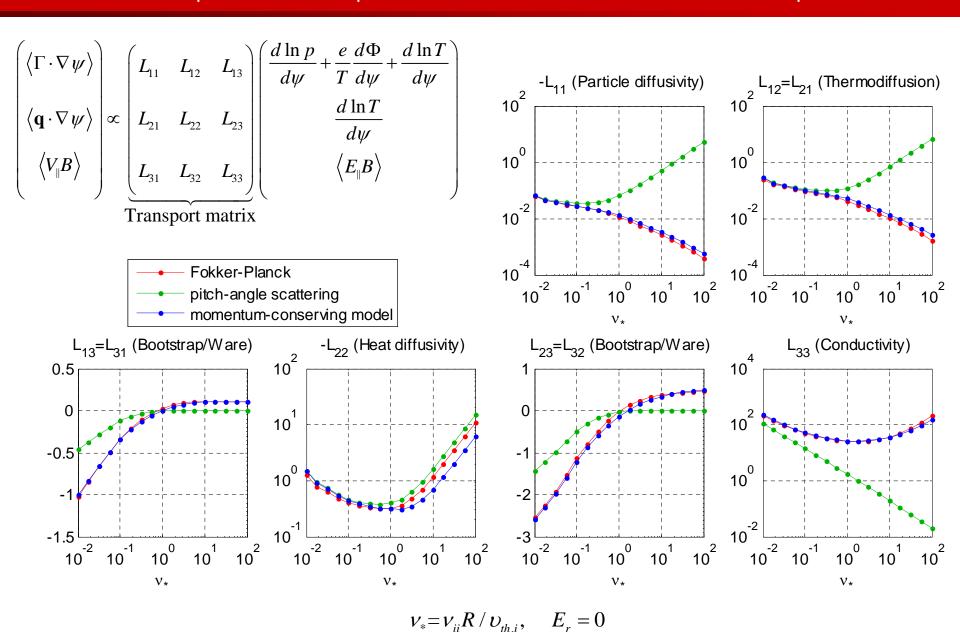
## For ion neoclassical physics in LHD, momentum-conserving model collision operator compares well to full Fokker-Planck operator.



## In SFINCS, you can choose between several versions of the drift-kinetic equation

1. "Incompressible" ExB drift, used e.g. in DKES:

$$\left(\upsilon_{\parallel}\mathbf{b} + \frac{c}{\left\langle \mathbf{B}^{2}\right\rangle} \frac{d\Phi}{d\psi} \mathbf{B} \times \nabla \psi\right) \cdot \nabla f_{1} - \frac{\left(1 - \xi^{2}\right)}{2B} \upsilon\left(\nabla_{\parallel}B\right) \frac{\partial f_{1}}{\partial \xi} - C\left\{f_{1}\right\} = -\mathbf{v}_{m} \cdot \nabla \psi \frac{\partial f_{M}}{\partial \psi}$$

$$\text{where } \xi = \upsilon_{\parallel} / \upsilon$$

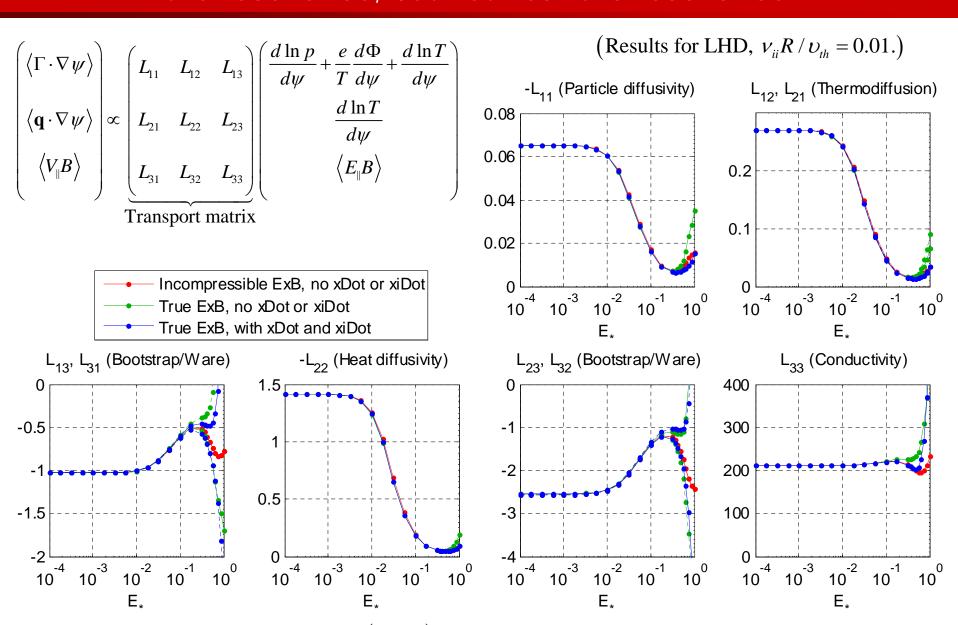
2. Correct ExB drift:

$$\left(\upsilon_{\parallel}\mathbf{b} + \frac{c}{\mathbf{B}^{2}}\frac{d\Phi}{d\psi}\mathbf{B} \times \nabla\psi\right) \cdot \nabla f_{1} - \frac{\left(1 - \xi^{2}\right)}{2B}\upsilon\left(\nabla_{\parallel}B\right)\frac{\partial f_{1}}{\partial\xi} - C\left\{f_{1}\right\} = -\mathbf{v}_{m} \cdot \nabla\psi\frac{\partial f_{M}}{\partial\psi}$$

3. Including other terms required to conserve  $\mu$ :

$$\left(\upsilon_{\parallel}\mathbf{b} + \frac{c}{\mathbf{B}^{2}}\frac{d\Phi}{d\psi}\mathbf{B}\times\nabla\psi\right)\cdot\nabla f_{1} + \left[-\frac{\left(1-\xi^{2}\right)}{2B}\upsilon\left(\nabla_{\parallel}B\right) + \frac{c\xi\left(1-\xi^{2}\right)}{2B^{3}}\frac{d\Phi}{d\psi}\mathbf{B}\times\nabla\psi\cdot\nabla B\right]\frac{\partial f_{1}}{\partial\xi} \\
+ \frac{c\upsilon}{2B^{3}}\left(1+\xi^{2}\right)\frac{d\Phi}{d\psi}\left(\mathbf{B}\times\nabla\psi\cdot\nabla B\right)\frac{\partial f_{1}}{\partial\upsilon} - C\left\{f_{1}\right\} = -\mathbf{v}_{m}\cdot\nabla\psi\frac{\partial f_{M}}{\partial\psi}$$

## The various options for the $E_r$ terms agree when $E_r$ is well below the resonance, but not near the resonance.



 $E_* = E_r cR / (\iota \upsilon RB)$ , so  $E_* = 1$  is the "resonance."