

Figure 1: The above plots show the simulation results of a passing particle with $v_{\parallel}=2.4\times10^6$ m/s, $v_{\perp}=7\times10^5$ m/s, including the particle orbit (red line in (a)), relative error of toroidal angular momentum P_{ϕ} (b) and energy E (c) using Boris and RK4 methods. The below plots show the simulation results of a trapped particle with $v_{\parallel}=7\times10^5$ m/s, $v_{\perp}=2.4\times10^6$ m/s, including the particle orbit (red line in (d)), relative error of P_{ϕ} (e) and E (f). The data points are plotted for every 100 timesteps.

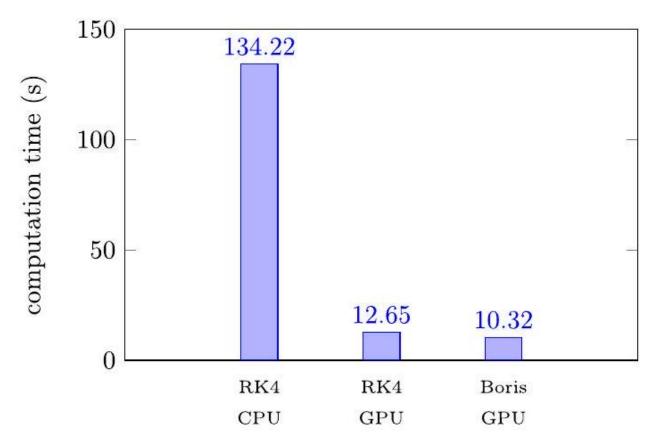


Figure 2: Computation time for pushing 16 million particles in a 3D mesh with 4toroidal planes (5679 elements per plane) using different methods and processors. For RK4 the particle-pushing was done for 50 steps and for the Boris algorithm the pushing was done for 200 steps with the timestep 1/4 of that used in RK4 simulation. Note that this is a comparsion for the computation time for particle pushing only and not including MHD calculation.

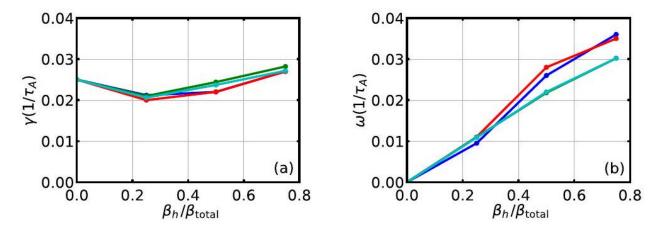


Figure 3: Simulation results of mode growth rate (a) and real frequency (b) as functions of EP beta fraction of the n = 1 fishbone. Blue line is the result of NIMROD [3]. Red line is the result of M3D-K [2]. Green line is the result of M3D-C1-K using pressure coupling, and the cyan line is the result using current coupling.

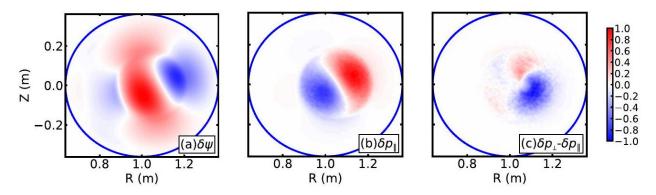


Figure 4: Structure of the perturbed poloidal flux δ_{ψ} (a), the perturbed EP parallel pressure δ pk (b) and the difference between the perturbed parallel and perpendicular EP pressure $\delta p_{\perp} - \delta p_{\parallel}$ (c) from the n=1 linear fishbone simulation with $\beta_h/\beta_{total}=0.5$ using M3D-C1-K. The values are normalized according to the maximum absolute value.

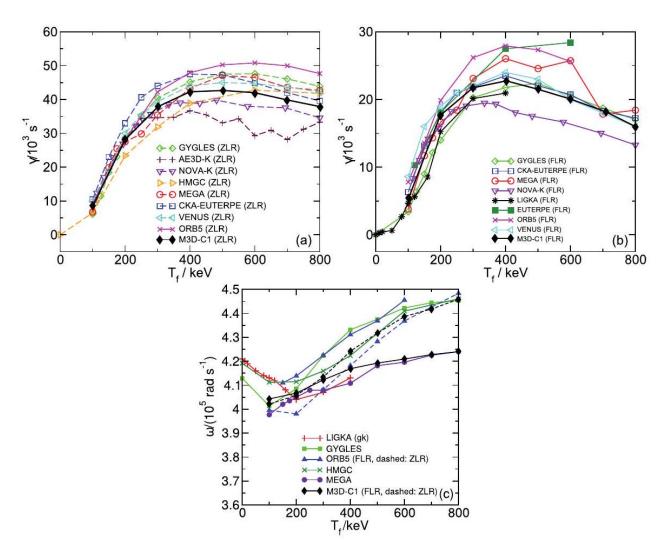


Figure 5: Mode growth rates from calculations without FLR effects (a), with FLR effects (b) and the mode frequencies (c) as functions of T for the linear n = 6 TAE simulation. The black diamonds show the results from M3D-C1-K, on top of results from other codes presented in [30].

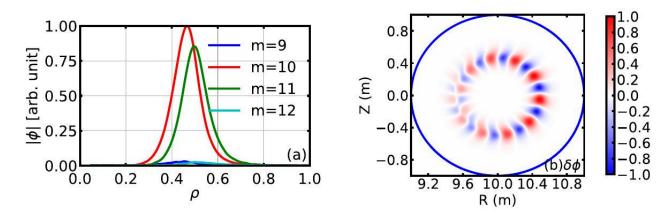


Figure 6: (a) Poloidally averaged radial structure of perturbed poloidal vorticity δ_{ϕ} of different poloidal harmonics from the n=6 TAE simulation using M3D-C1-K. (b) Poloidalstructure of δ_{ϕ} . The values are normalized according to the maximum absolution value.

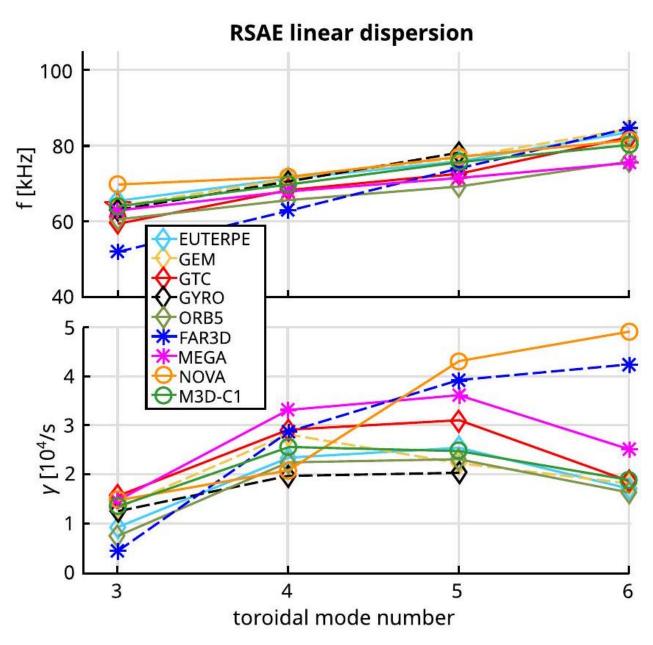


Figure 7: Mode frequencies (f) and growth rates (γ) from calculations with FLR effects for different n numbers for the linear RSAE simulation. The green circles show the results from M3D-C1-K, on top of results from other codes presented in [34].

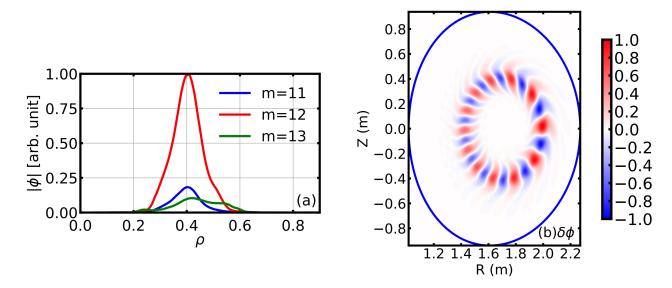


Figure 8: (a) Poloidally averaged radial structure of perturbed poloidal vorticity δ_{ϕ} of different poloidal harmonics of the n=4 RSAE simulation using M3D-C1-K. (b) Poloidal structure of δ_{ϕ} . The values are normalized according to the maximum absolution value.