

Hands-on session with 1D BEPS Codes
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The codes for today's hands-on session are in the directory:
new_beps1.source

Included are 3 main codes and supporting libraries:

- new_beps1.f, an unmagnetized electrostatic code
- new_bbeps1.f, a magnetized electromagnetic code
- new_dbeps1.f, a magnetized darwin code.

These are simple codes intended for teaching:

- Periodic, electrons only

The mathematical foundations for these codes is in the file:
UPICModels.pdf

Details about the codes themselves are in the file:
README1.txt

Generally, these codes are intended to run interactively. The preferred mode of operation is to use X11. This requires installation of a free graphics library called Ygl. The preferred compiler is gfortran, although other compilers should work.

To compile these codes, type: make

In addition, there are two post-processors, which performs time and frequency analysis of waves in the various models.

- spectrum1.f, for analyzing the potential
- vspectrum1.f, for analyzing the vector potential

To compile these codes, type: make -f spectrum1.make

It is also possible to run the codes in batch mode, producing post-script files which require some viewer to examine, such as Preview on the Macintosh. Details are in the README1.txt file.

Units:

These codes use dimensionless units, where distance is normalized to the size of the grid $\delta = L_x / N_x$, and time to the plasma frequency $\omega_0 = \omega_{pe}$. Thus:

$$\tilde{x} = x/\delta \quad \tilde{t} = \omega_0 t \quad \tilde{\mathbf{v}} = \mathbf{v}/\delta\omega_0 \quad \tilde{q} = q/e \quad \tilde{m}_e = m/m_e$$

The grid spacing is then related to some other dimensionless parameter, typically the Debye length. Thus

$$\lambda_{De}/\delta = \frac{v_{the}}{\delta\omega_{pe}} = \tilde{v}_{the}$$

The dimensionless thermal velocity is an input to the code. It is often set to 1, which makes the grid space equal to a Debye length. Further details about the units can be found in the UPICModels.pdf file.

There are 9 sample input files for the session:

input1.plasma

input1.test

input1.light

input1.weibel

input1.LR

input1.X

input1.darwin

input1.whistler

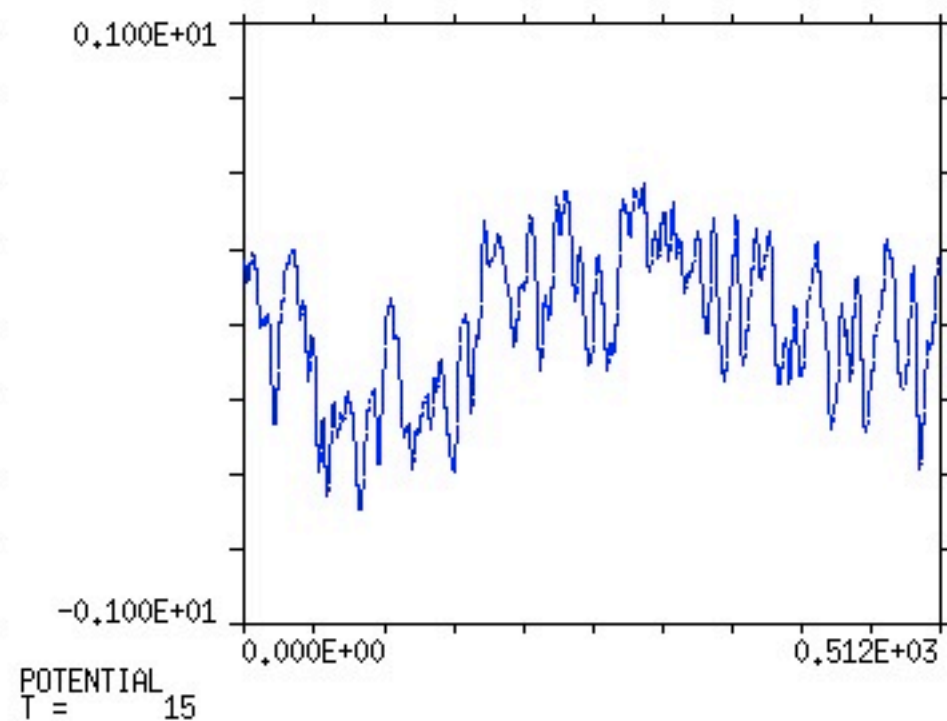
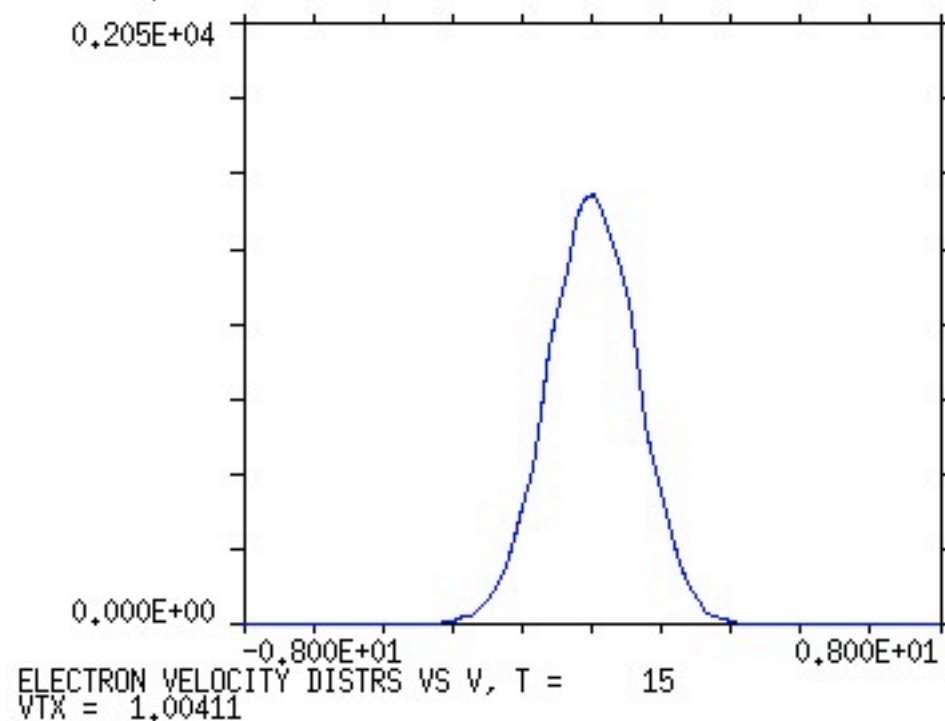
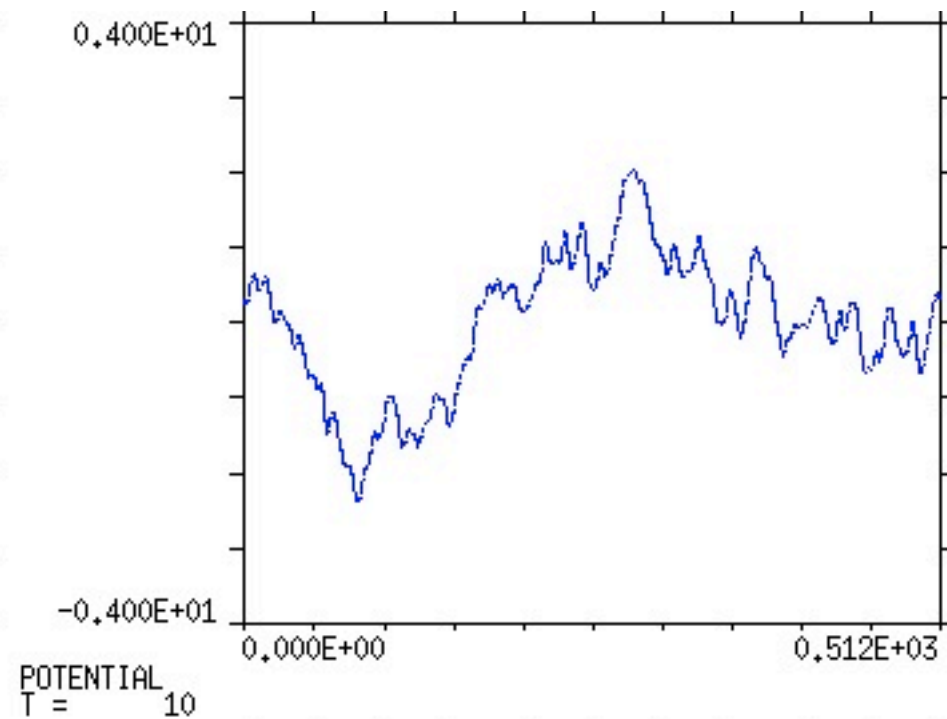
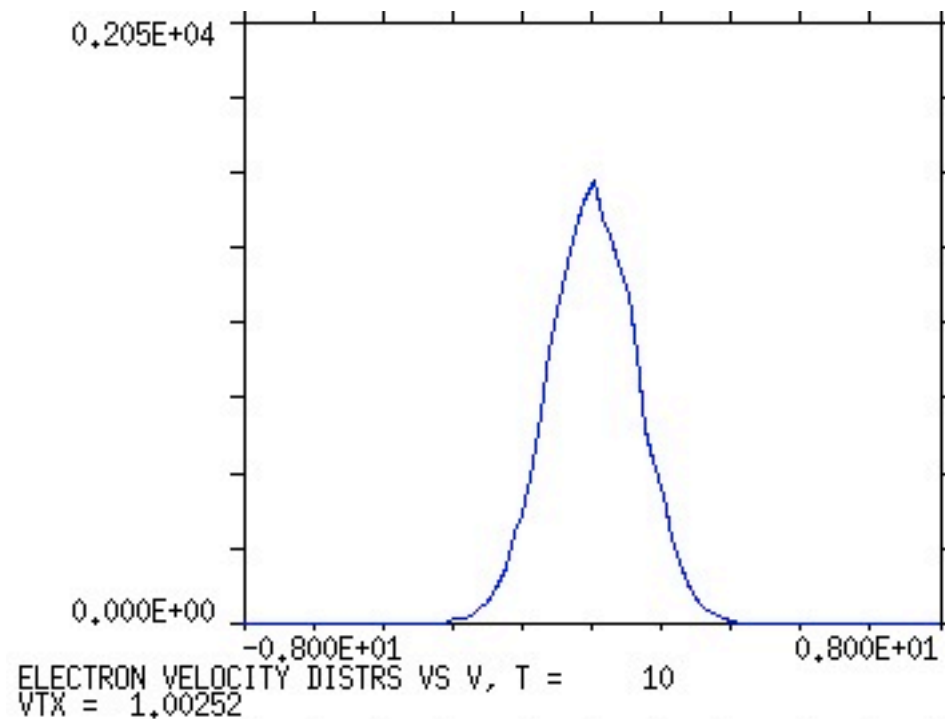
input1.dweibel

They are intended to be starting points for exploration.

The input to the codes are a namelist file, which must be called input1. Let's look at a typical input file for the electrostatic code.

```
&input1
IDRUN = 10
INDX = 9, NPX = 18432, NPXB = 0
INORDER = 1
NTW = 1, NTP = 5, NTV = 5
TEND = 1000.000, DT = 0.200
QME = -1.000, VTX = 1.000, VX0 = 0.000
AX = .912871
MODESXP = 40
NPLOT = 4
/
```

Start by copying input1.plasma into the file input1, by executing:
cp input1.plasma input1. Then execute ./new_beps1



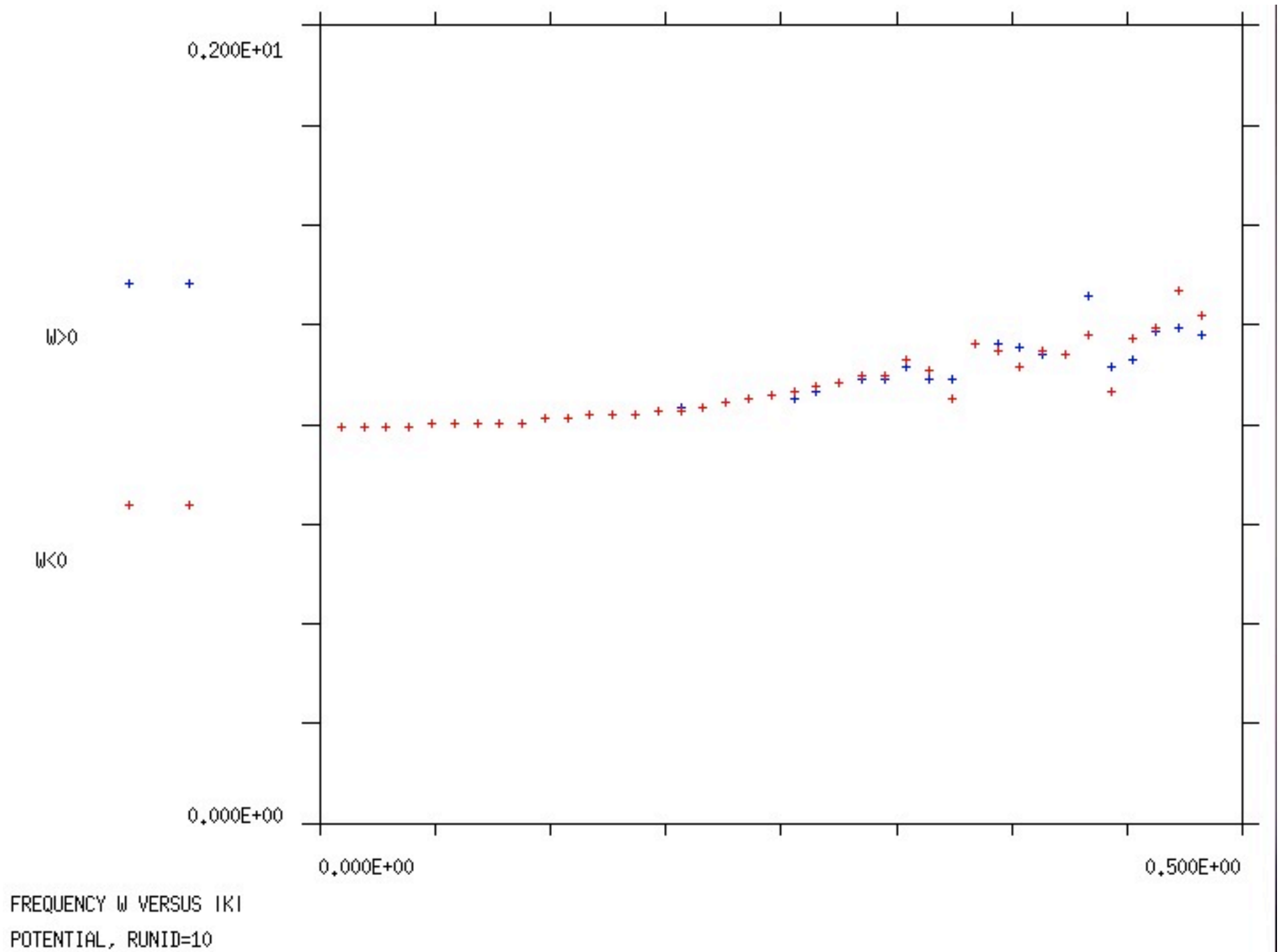
The input to the post-processors are usually entered interactively. Let's look at typical input for spectrum1:

```
&inspect1  
BATCH = 1  
DMETAF = '10'  
LTS = 1, ITS = 1, NTS = 1000  
KXMIN = 0, KXMAX = 39  
NTD = 1000, NTC = 333  
WMIN = 0.000, WMAX = 2.000, DW = 0.010  
NPLOT = 4, NTR = 0  
/
```

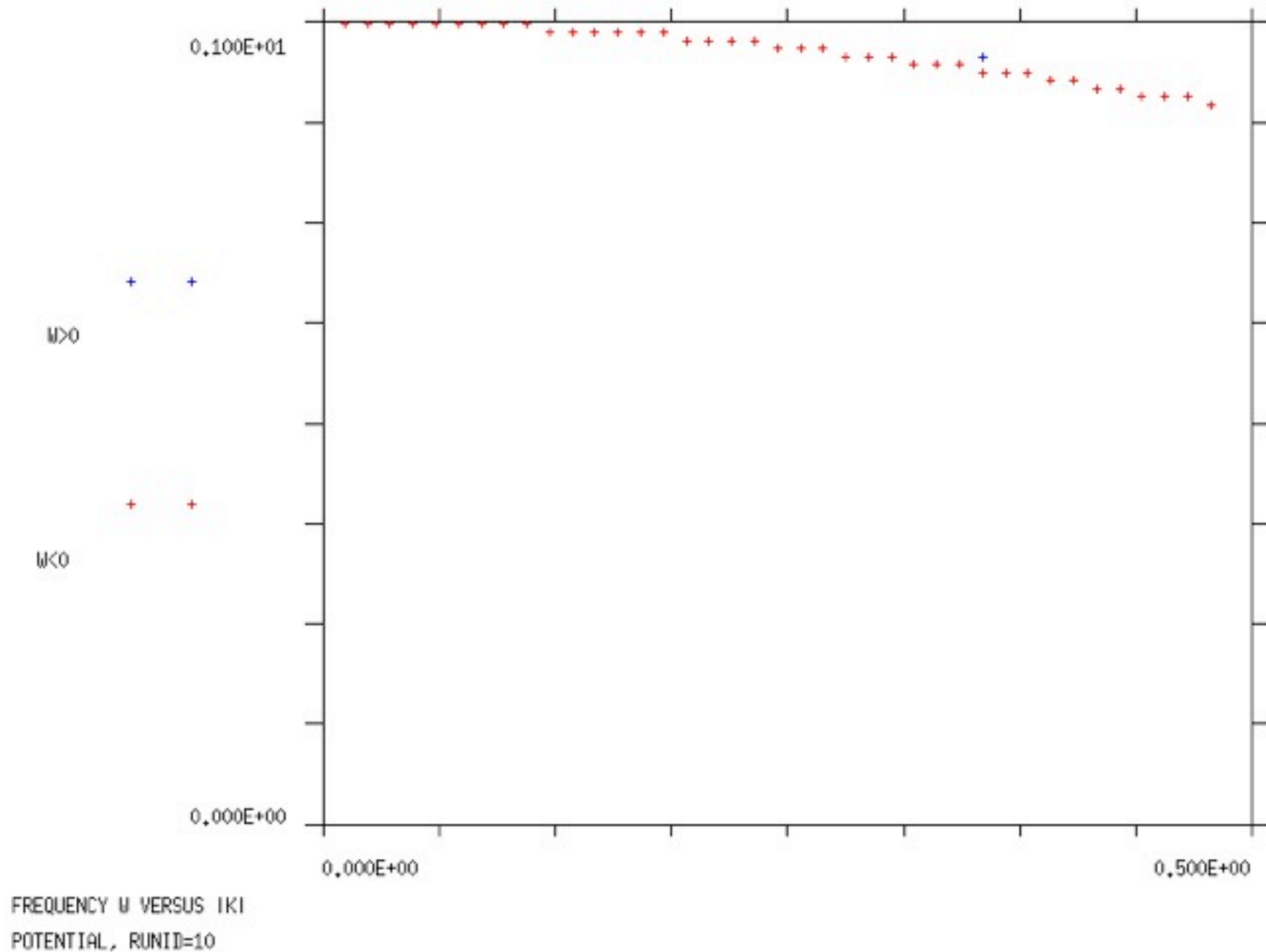
This input represents a plasma in thermal equilibrium, useful for looking at plasma waves.

Execute ./spectrum1

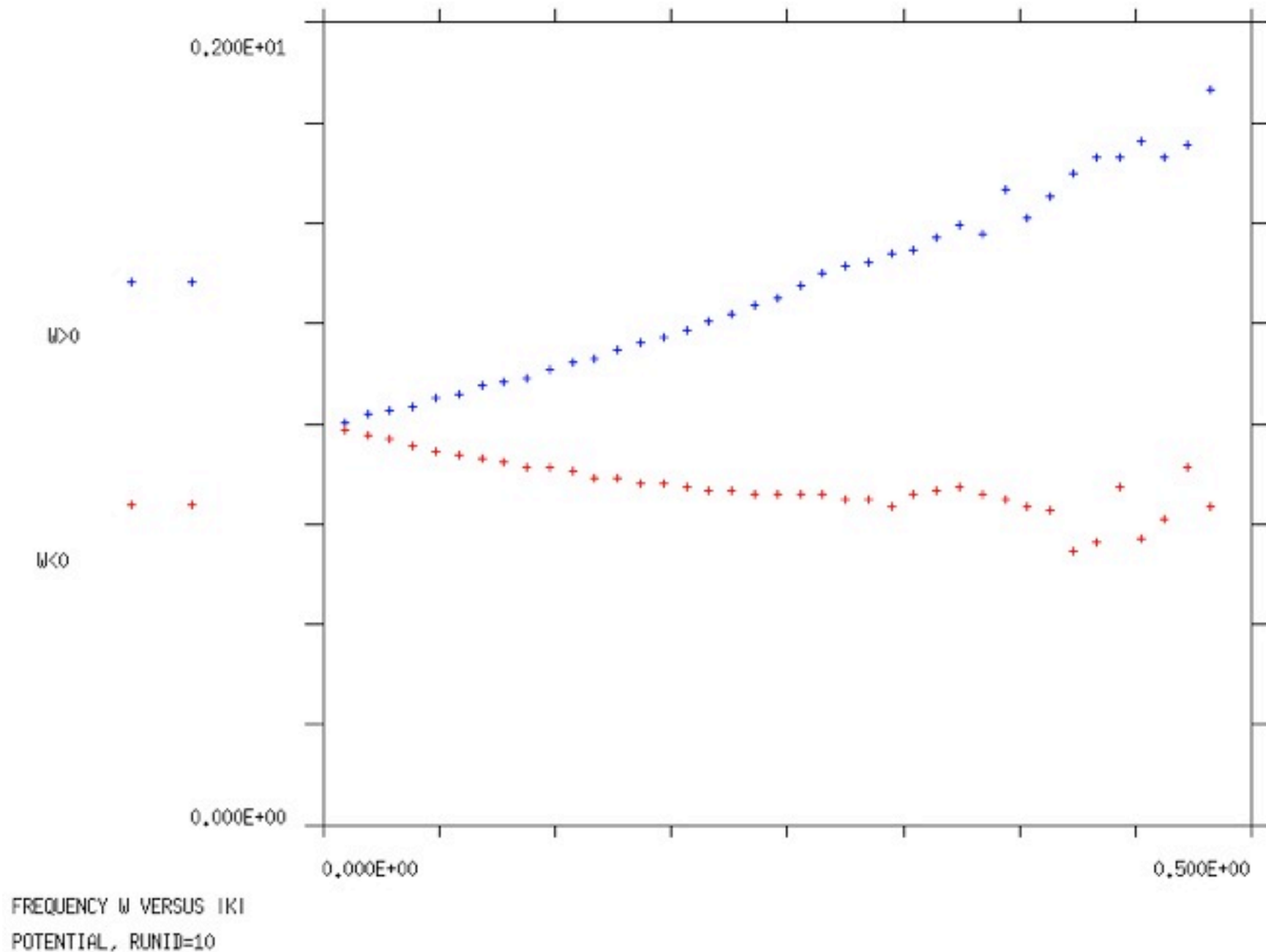
Enter 10 when prompted for the runid



Let's see what happens if we reduce the plasma temperature:
set $V_{TX} = 0.2$ and $INORDER = 2$



Let's see what happens if we make the plasma drift:
reset the original parameters, and set $VX0 = 1.0$

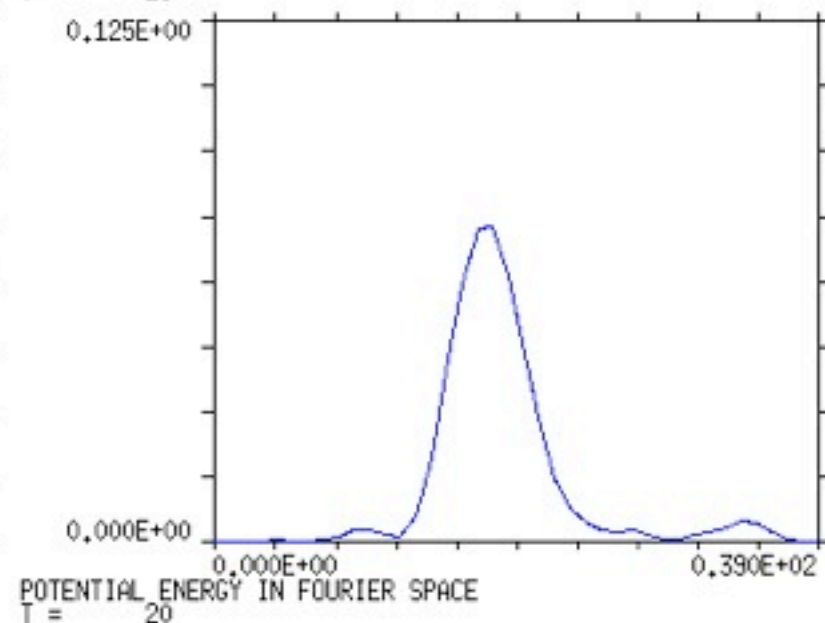
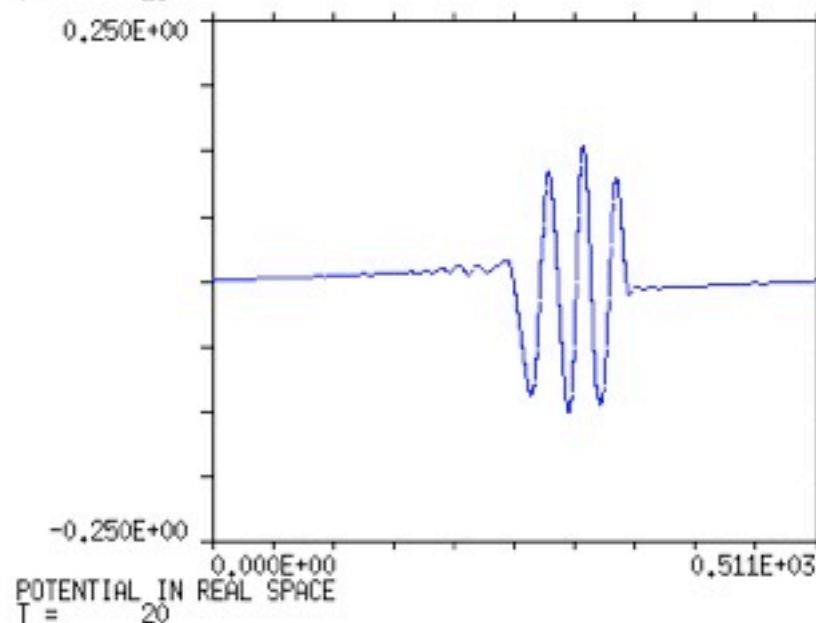
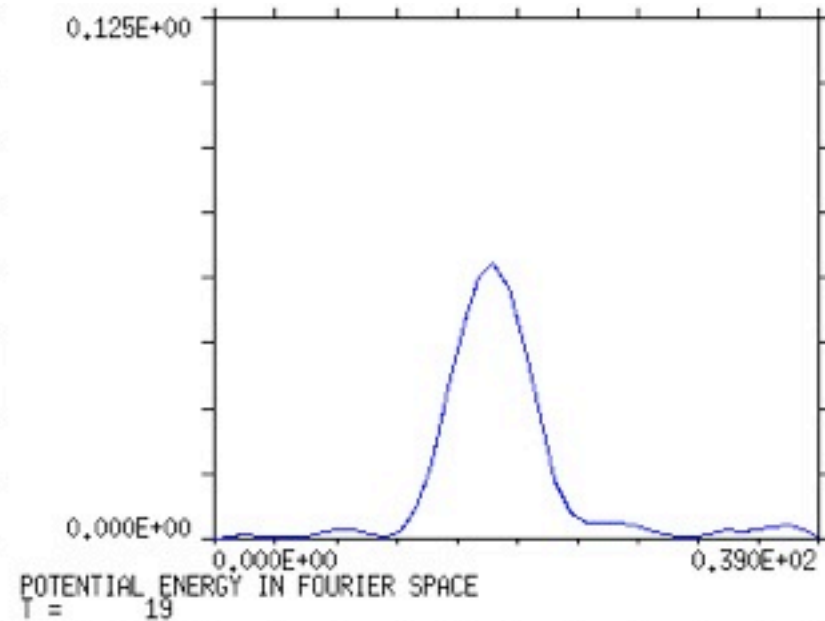
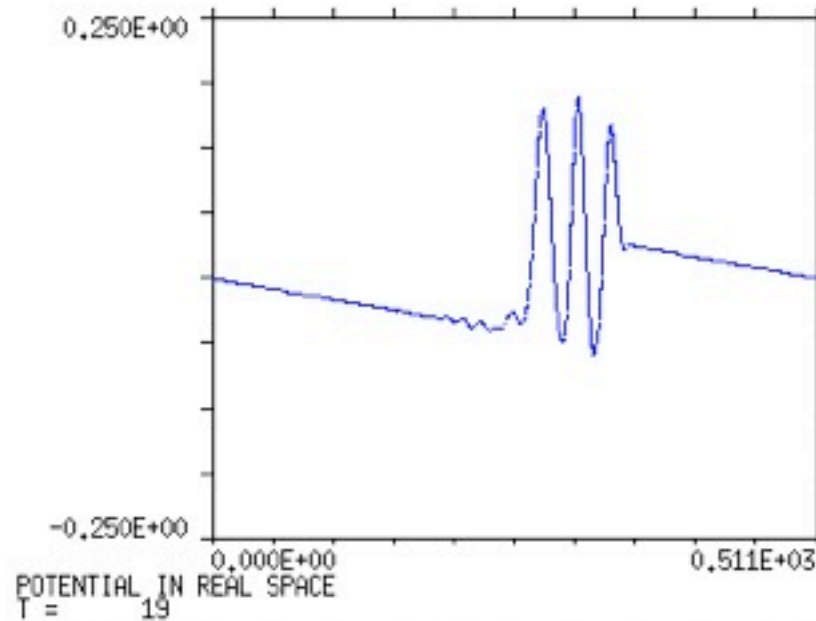


Now let us look at how a plasma responds to a test charge, by copying input1.test to input1, and executing ./new_beps1 We will add one beam particle, which is initially stationary.

```
&input1
IDRUN = 11
INDX = 9, NPX = 18432, NPXB = 1
INORDER = 1
NTW = 1, NTP = 5, NTV = 5
TEND = 100.000, DT = 0.200
QME = -1.000, VTX = 1.000, VX0 = 0.000
VTDX = 0.0, VDX = 0.0
AX = .912871
MODESXP = 40
NPLOT = 4
/
```

Now do a second run, where you change:
IDRUN=12 and VDX = 5.0

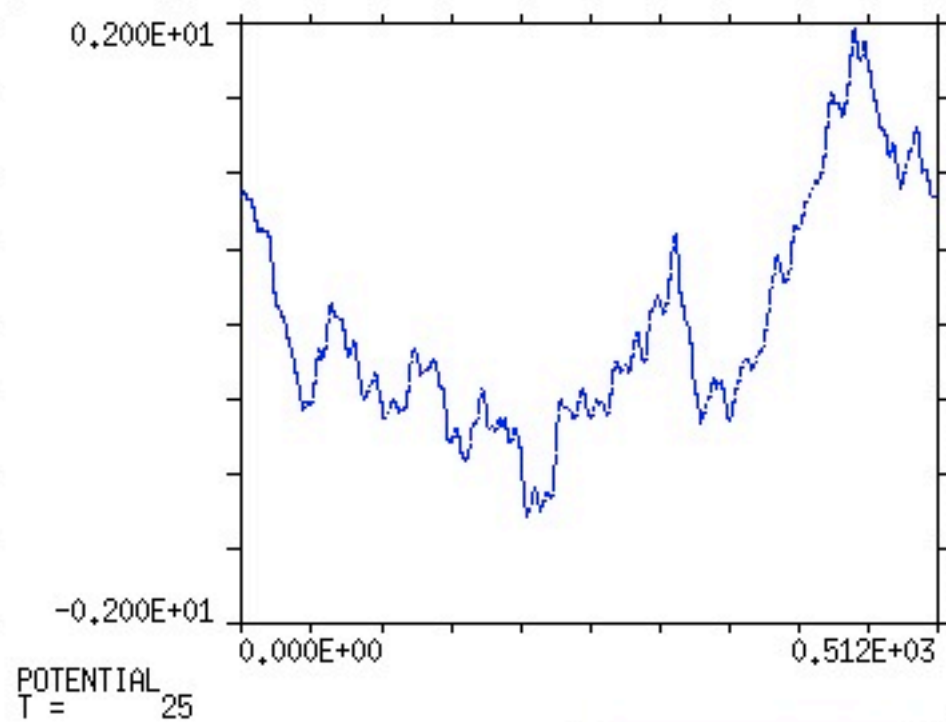
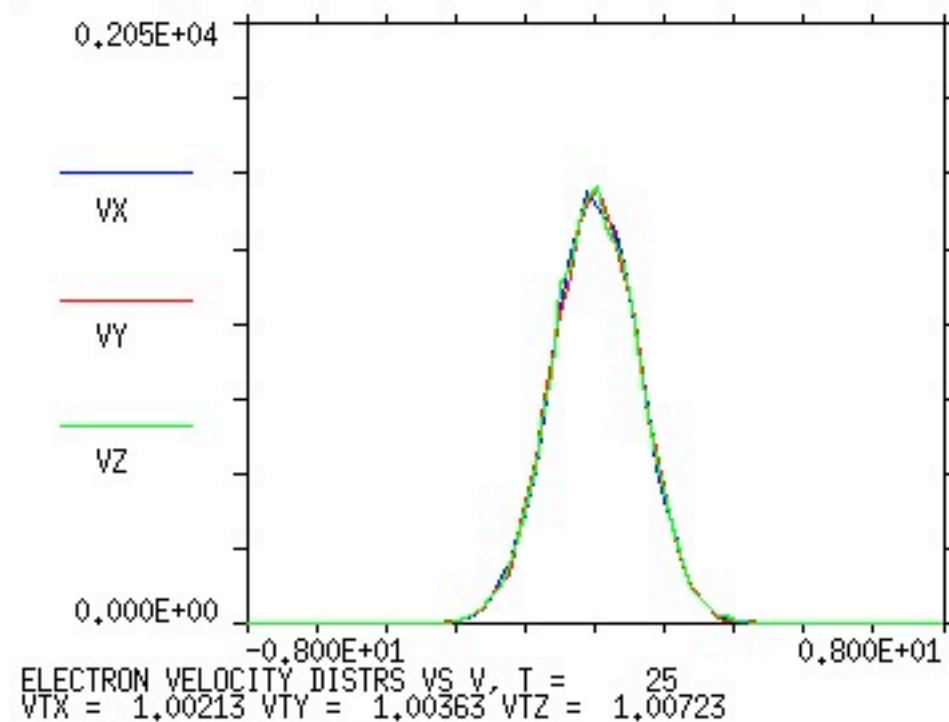
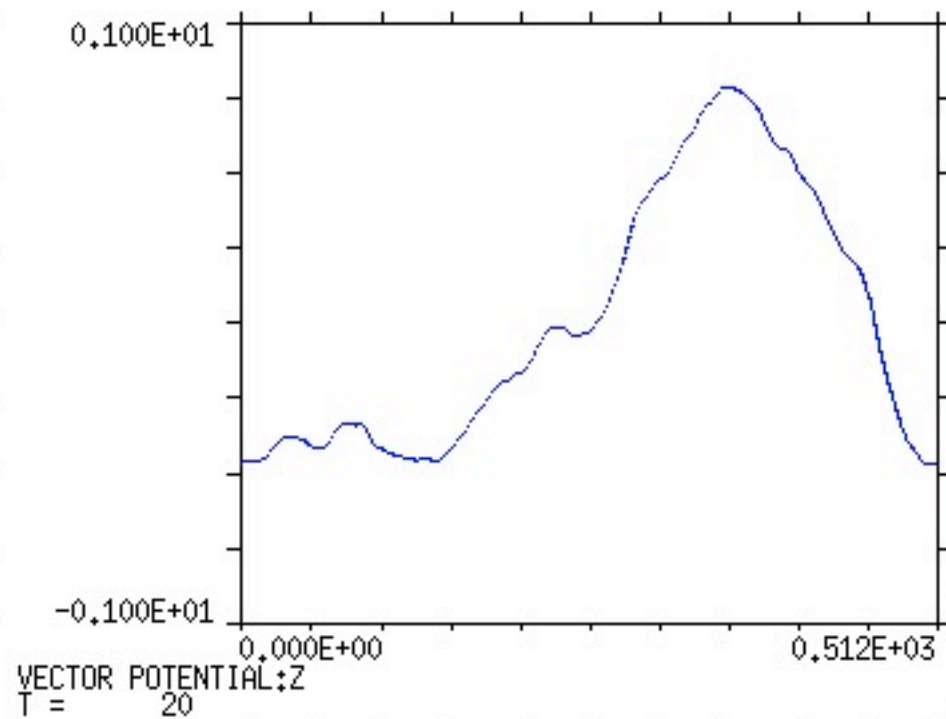
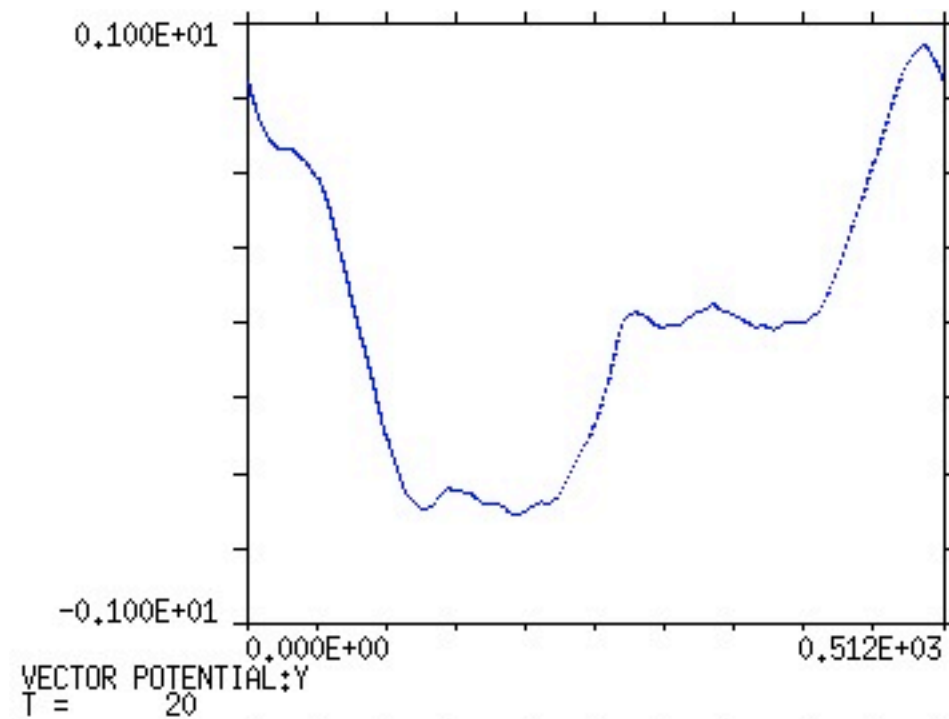
When you run the post-processor, enter 12/11 as the runid. This will display the differences between the two runs and you should see the wake created by the moving particle.



Let's look at a typical input file for the electromagnetic code:

```
&input1
IDRUN = 20
INDX = 9, NPX = 18432, NPXB = 0
INORDER = 1
NTW = 1, NTP = 5, NTV = 5, NTA = 5, NTE = 5
TEND = 500.000, DT = 0.0250, CI = 0.1
QME = -1.000, VTX = 1.000, VTY = 1.000, VTZ = 1.000
VX0 = 0.000, VY0 = 0.000, VZ0 = 0.000
AX = .912871
MODESXP = 40, MODESXA = 40, MODESXE = 40
NPLOT = 4
/
```

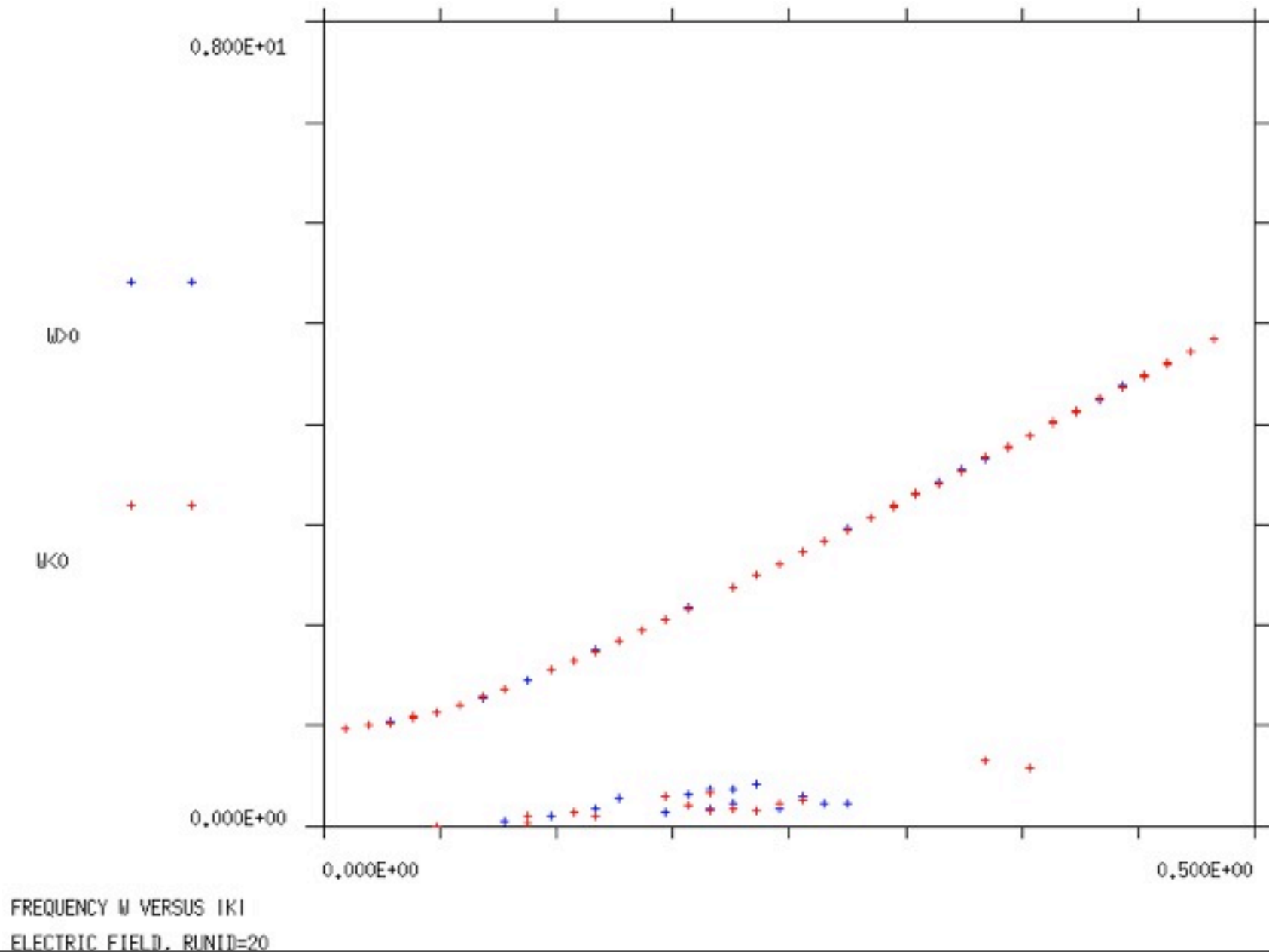
Start by copying input1.light into the file input1,
and executing ./new_bbeps1



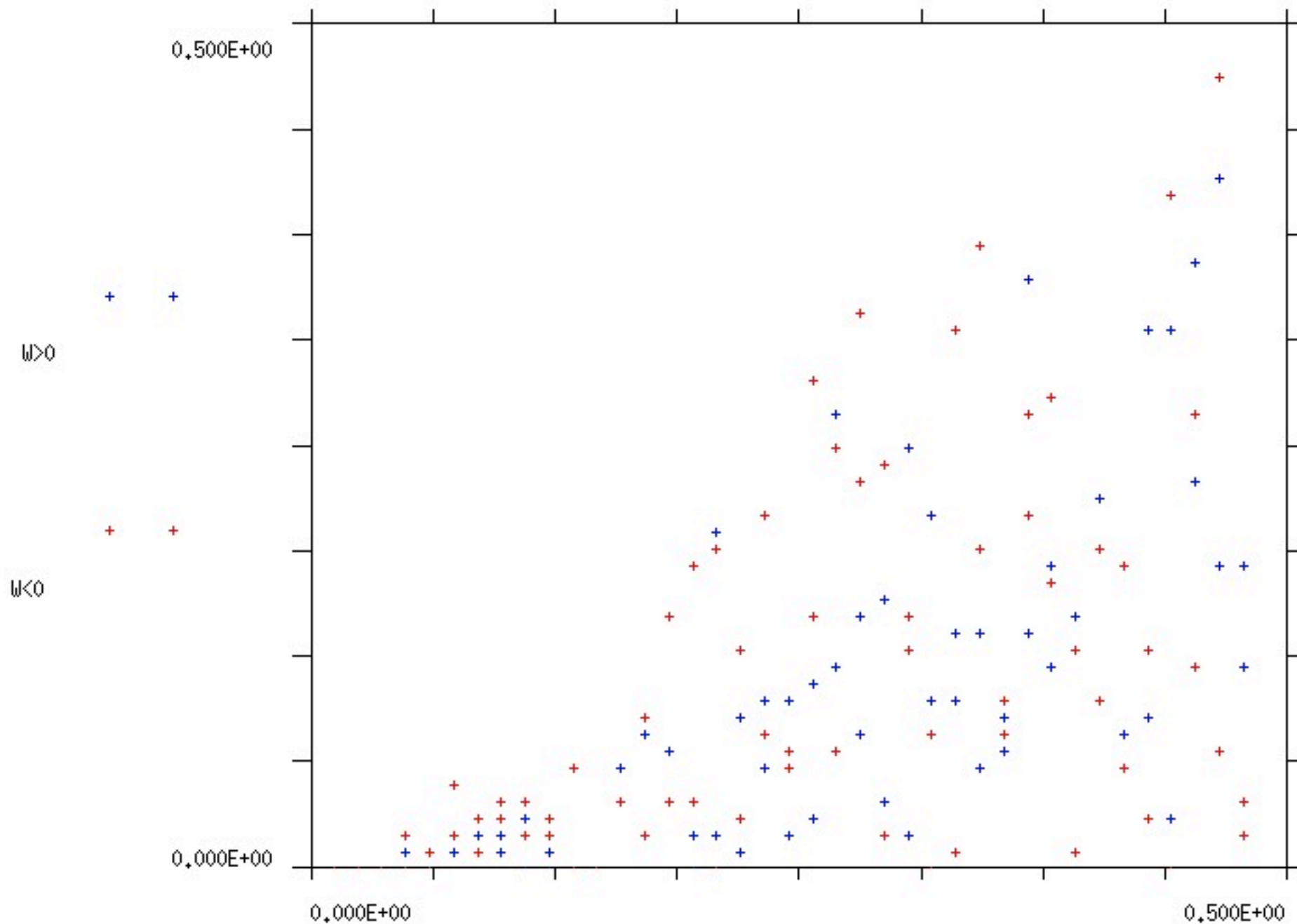
Execute ./vspectrum1

Enter 20 when prompted for the runid, then a for diagnostic type

Examine the Electric field, NVF=2:

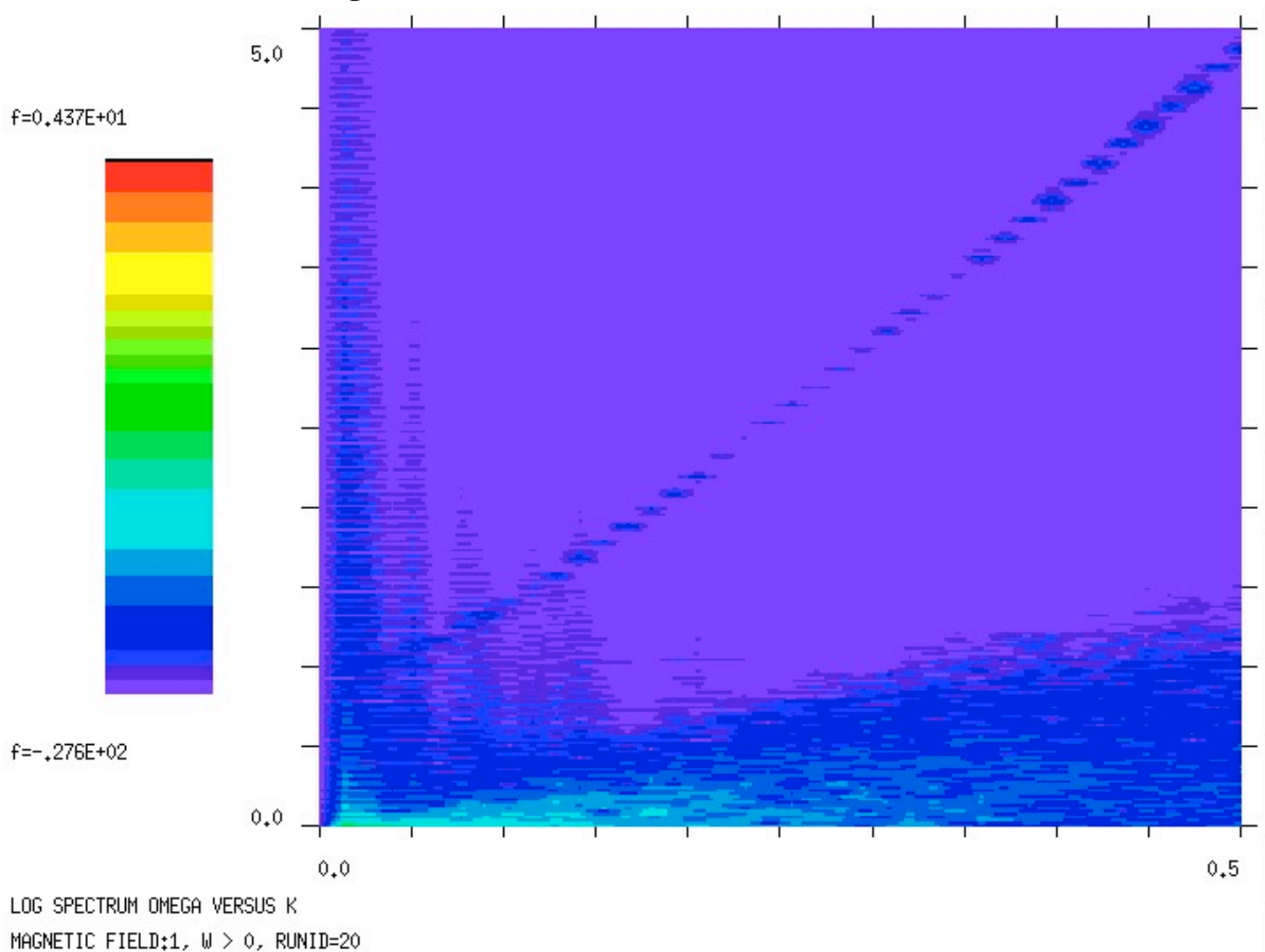


Examine the Magnetic field, NVF=3:

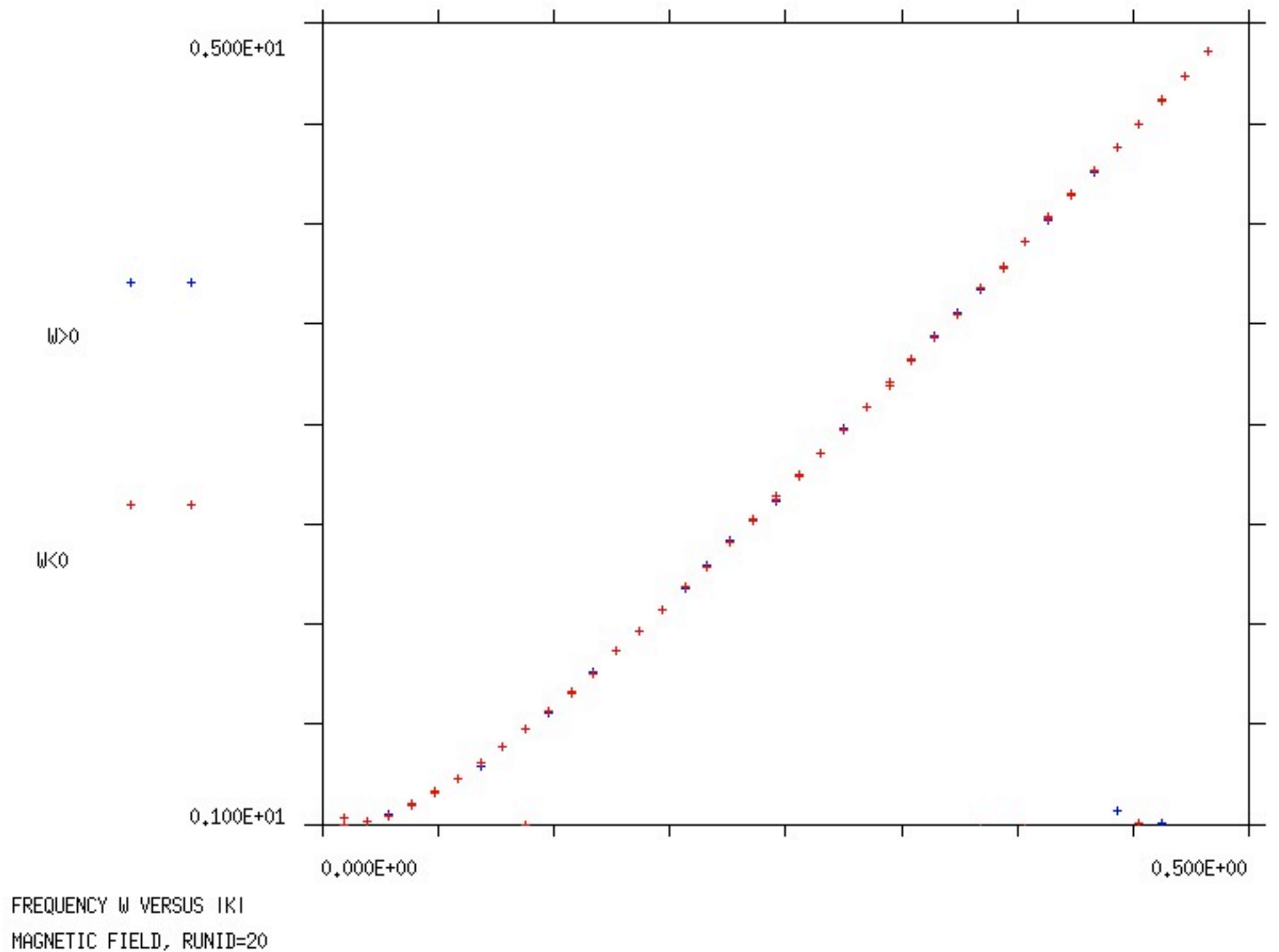


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MAGNETIC FIELD, RUNID=20

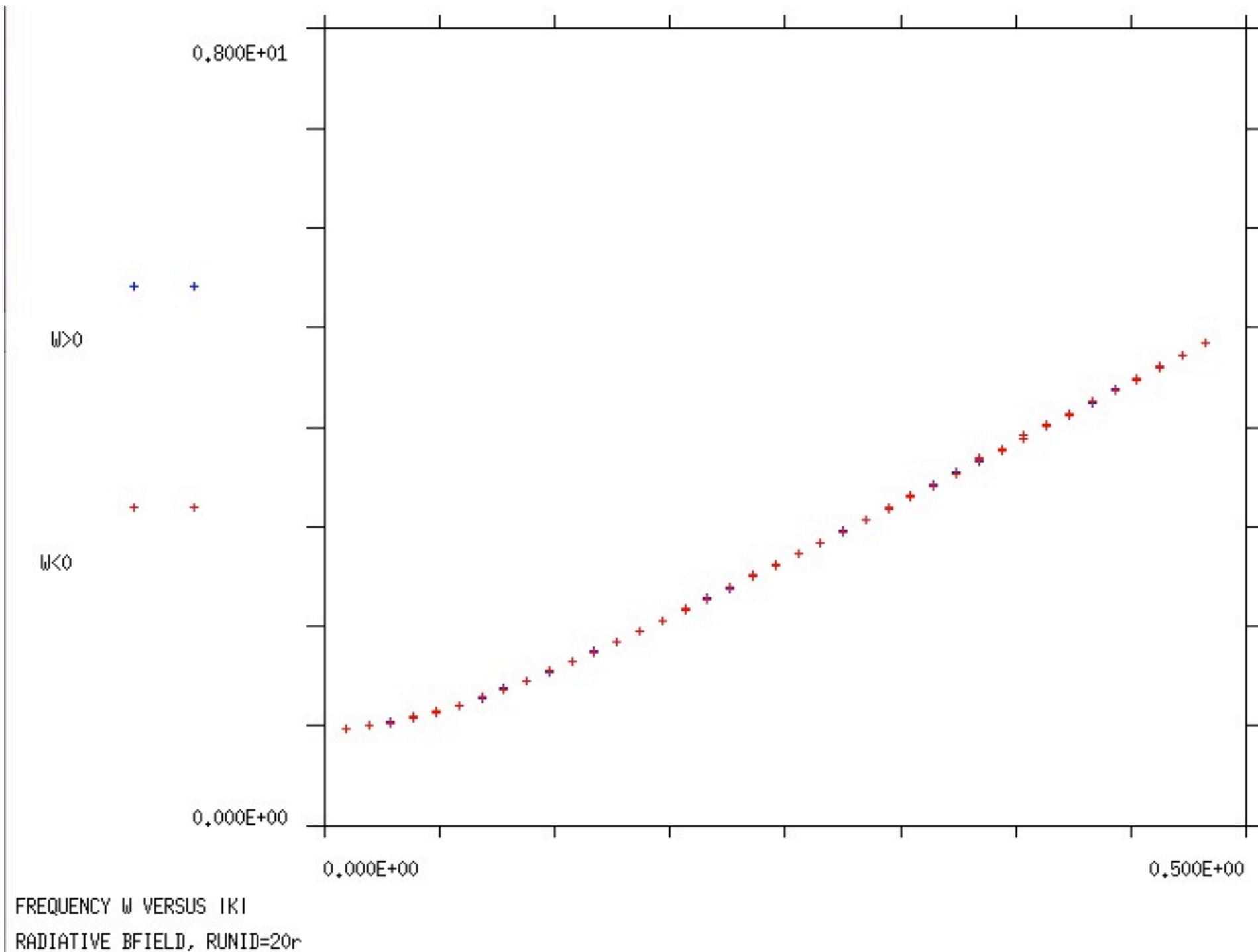
Examine the Magnetic field, NVF=3 and DMAP=1:



Examine the Magnetic field, NVF=3, exclude $0 < \omega < \omega_{pe}$:



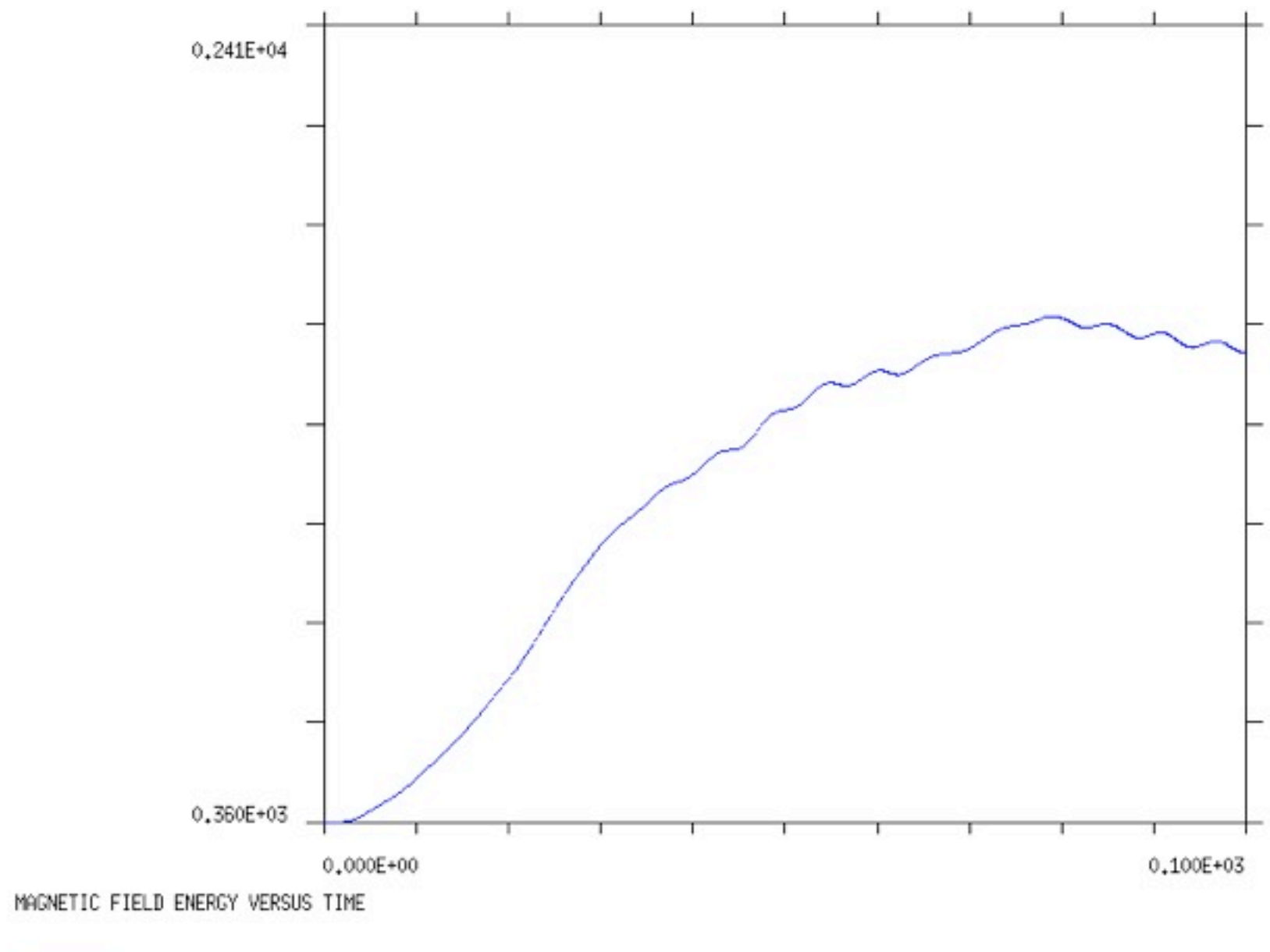
For diagnostic type e, examine the Radiative Magnetic field, NVF=3:



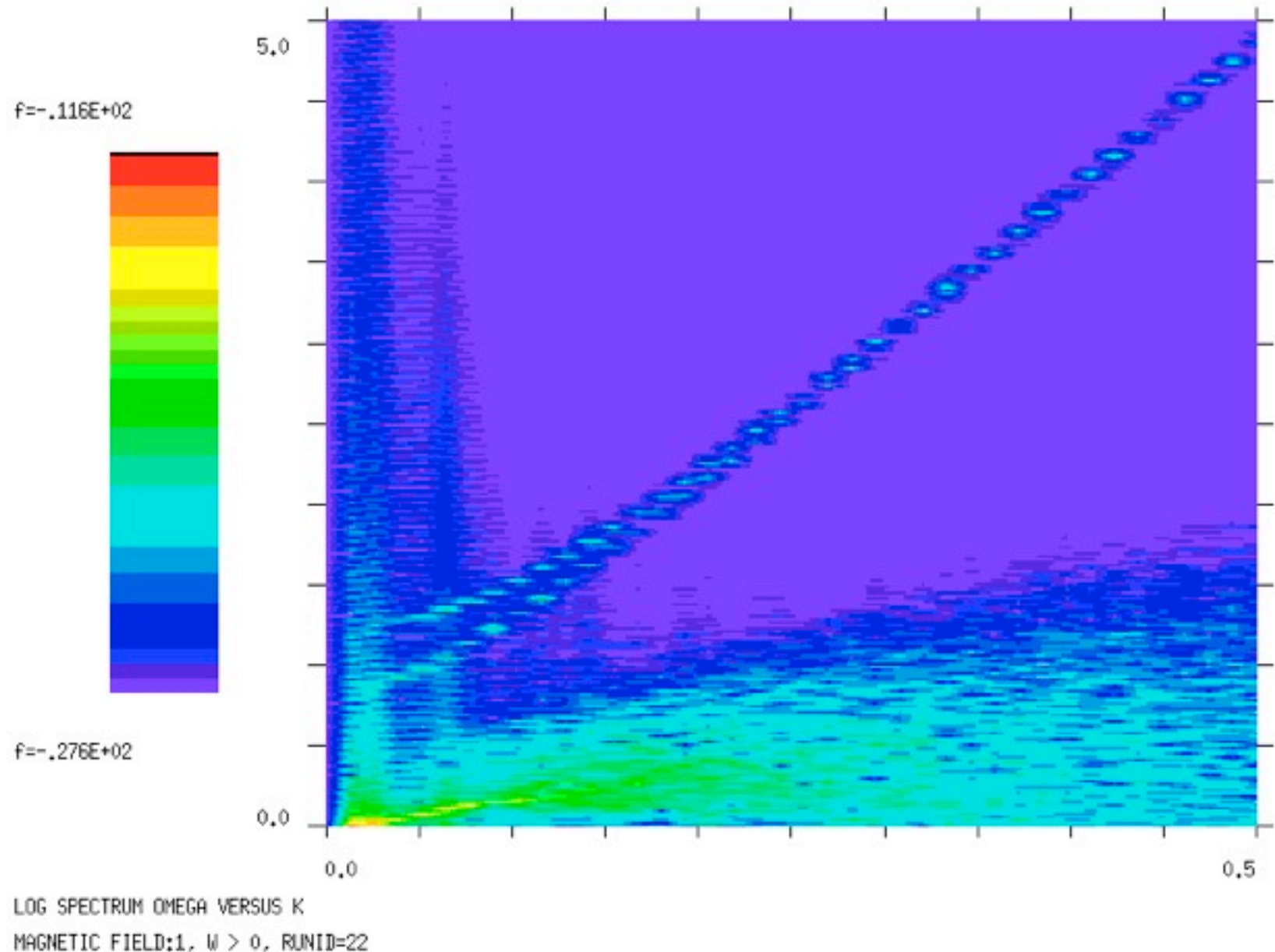
Let's see what happens if the temperature is anisotropic,
by copying input1.weibel to input1, and executing ./new_bbeps1

```
&input1
IDRUN = 21
INDX = 9, NPX = 18432, NPXB = 0
INORDER = 1
NTW = 1, NTP = 0, NTV = 40, NTA = 0, NTE = 0
TEND = 100.000, DT = 0.0250, CI = 0.1
QME = -1.000, VTX = 1.000, VTY = 2.000, VTZ = 1.000
VX0 = 0.000, VY0 = 0.000, VZ0 = 0.000
AX = .912871
MODESXP = 40, MODESXA = 40, MODESXE = 40
NPLOT = 4
/
```

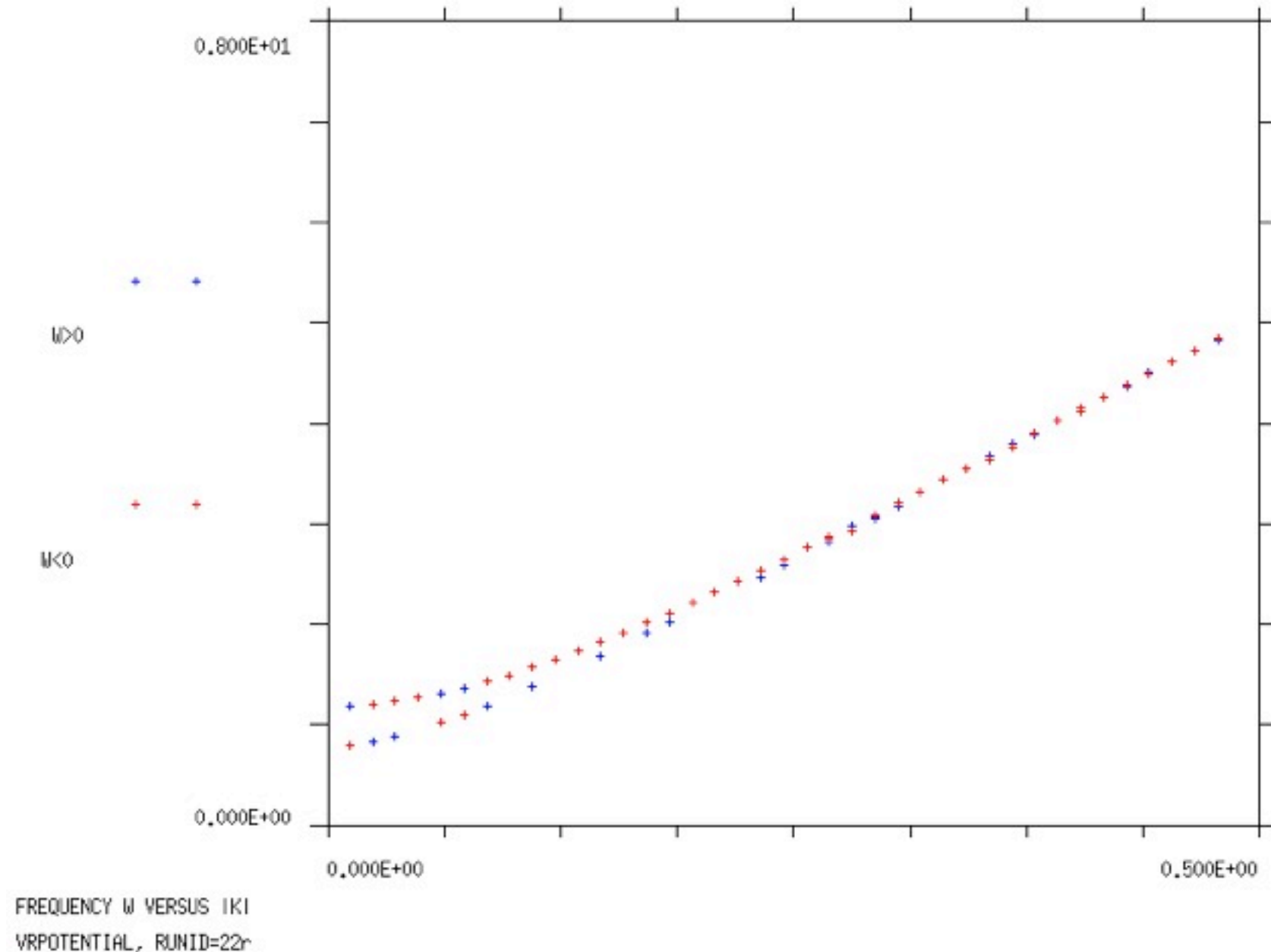
The final result: $V_{TX}=1.45$, $V_{TY} = 1.65$, $V_{TZ} = 1.04$
and magnetic fields grows via weibel instability



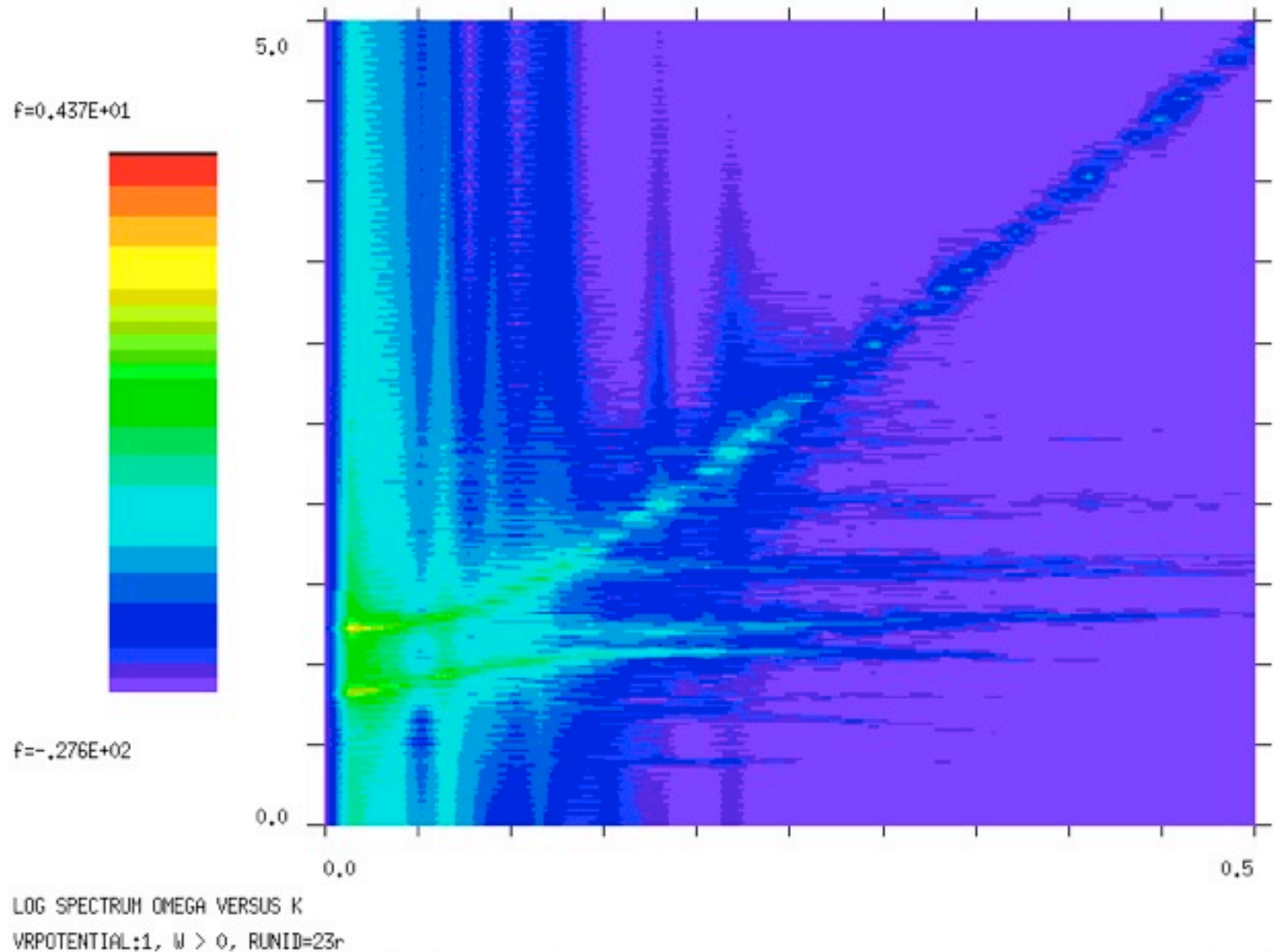
Let's look at waves in magnetized plasma, set $OMX = 0.4$ by copying input1.LR to input1, and executing `./new_bbeps1`. To see LR waves and whistler waves, execute: `./vspectrum1`



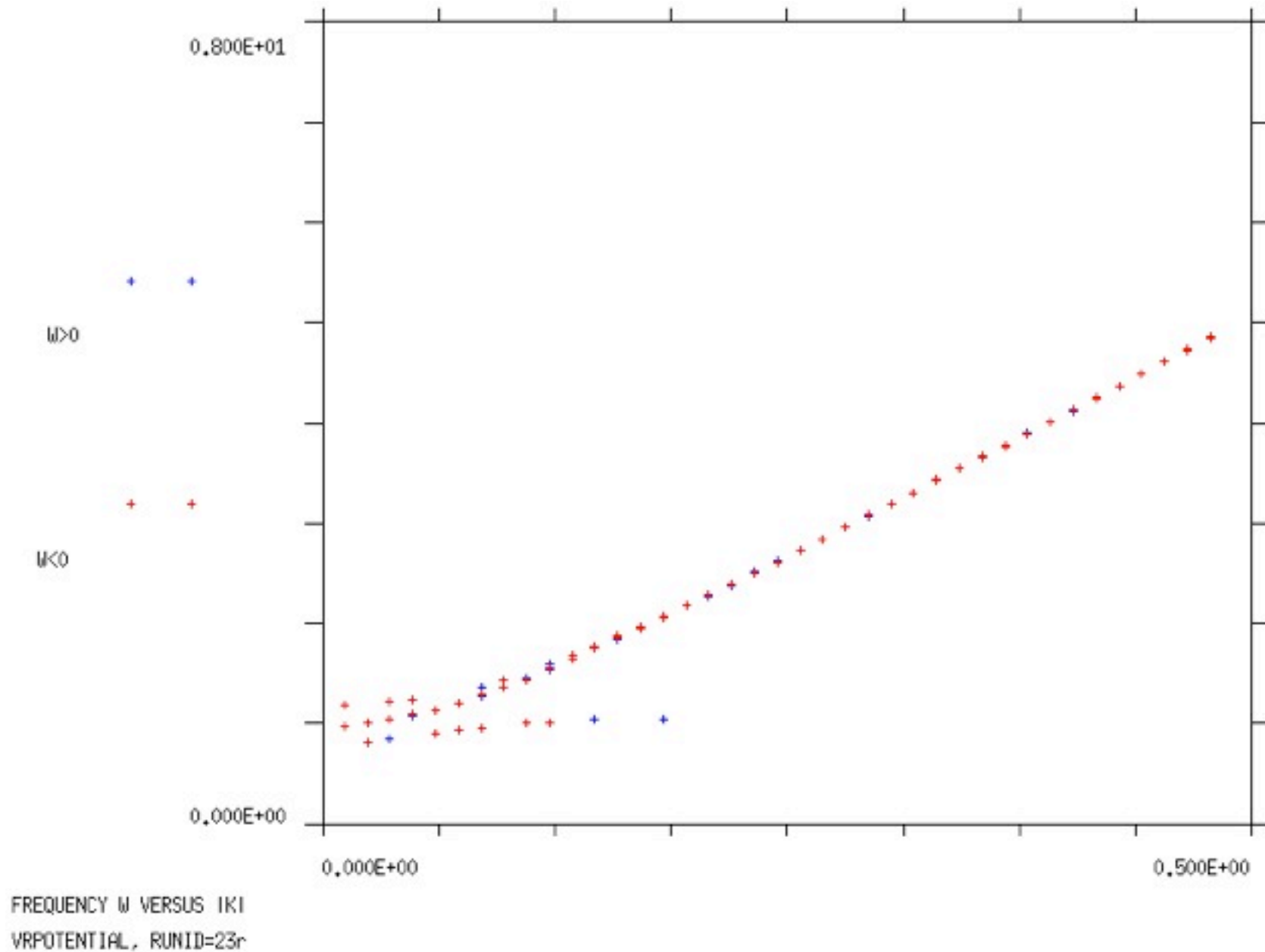
For diagnostic type e, Note LR waves are radiative, whistlers are not



Let's look at more waves in magnetized plasma, set $OMZ = 0.4$ by copying input1.X to input1, and executing ./new_bbeps1. To see X waves, execute: ./vspectrum1, for diagnostic type e

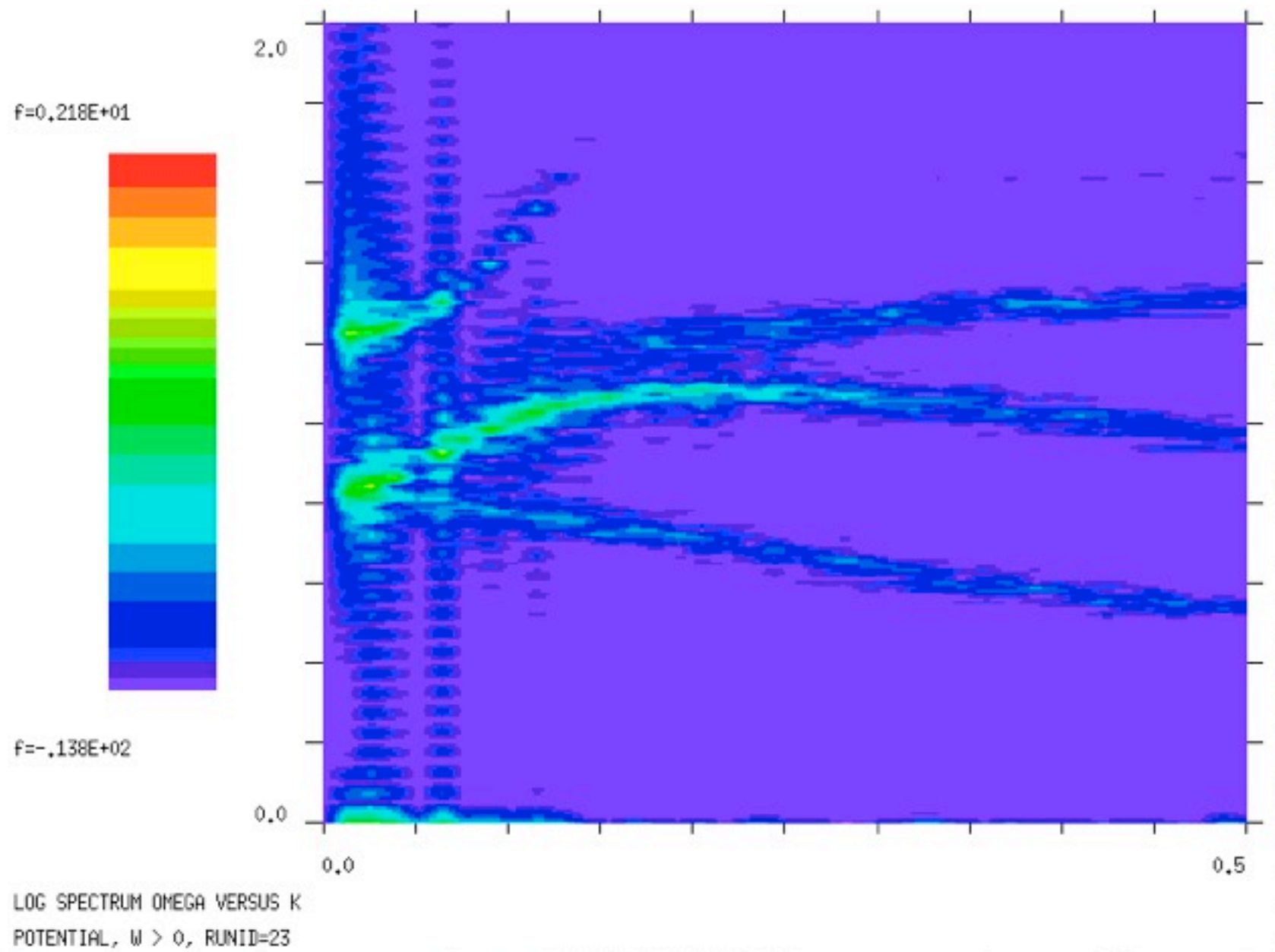


Note Extraordinary (X) waves are radiative, but so are some of the Bernstein waves



To see Bernstein waves, execute: `./spectrum1`

Bernstein waves are hybrid waves, partly EM and ES

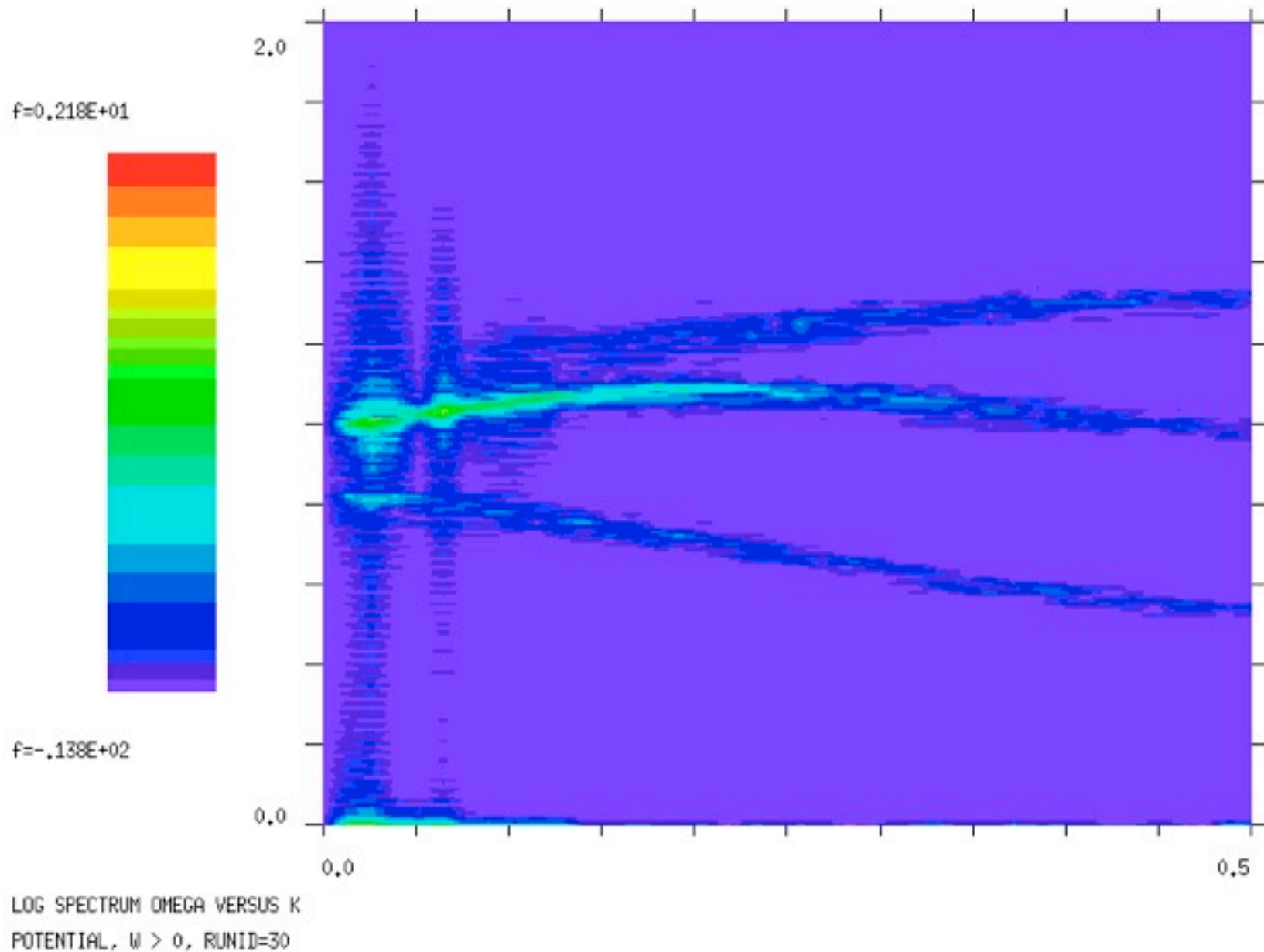


Let's look at a typical input file for the darwin code:

```
&input1
IDRUN = 30
INDX = 9, NPX = 18432, NPXB = 0
INORDER = 1
NTW = 1, NTP = 5, NTV = 5, NTA = 5
NDC = 2
OMX = 0.0, OMY = 0.0, OMZ = 0.4
TEND = 500.000, DT = 0.200, CI = 0.1
QME = -1.000, VTX = 1.000, VTY = 1.000, VTZ = 1.000
VX0 = 0.000, VY0 = 0.000, VZ0 = 0.000
AX = .912871
MODESXP = 40, MODESXA = 40
NPLOT = 0
/
```

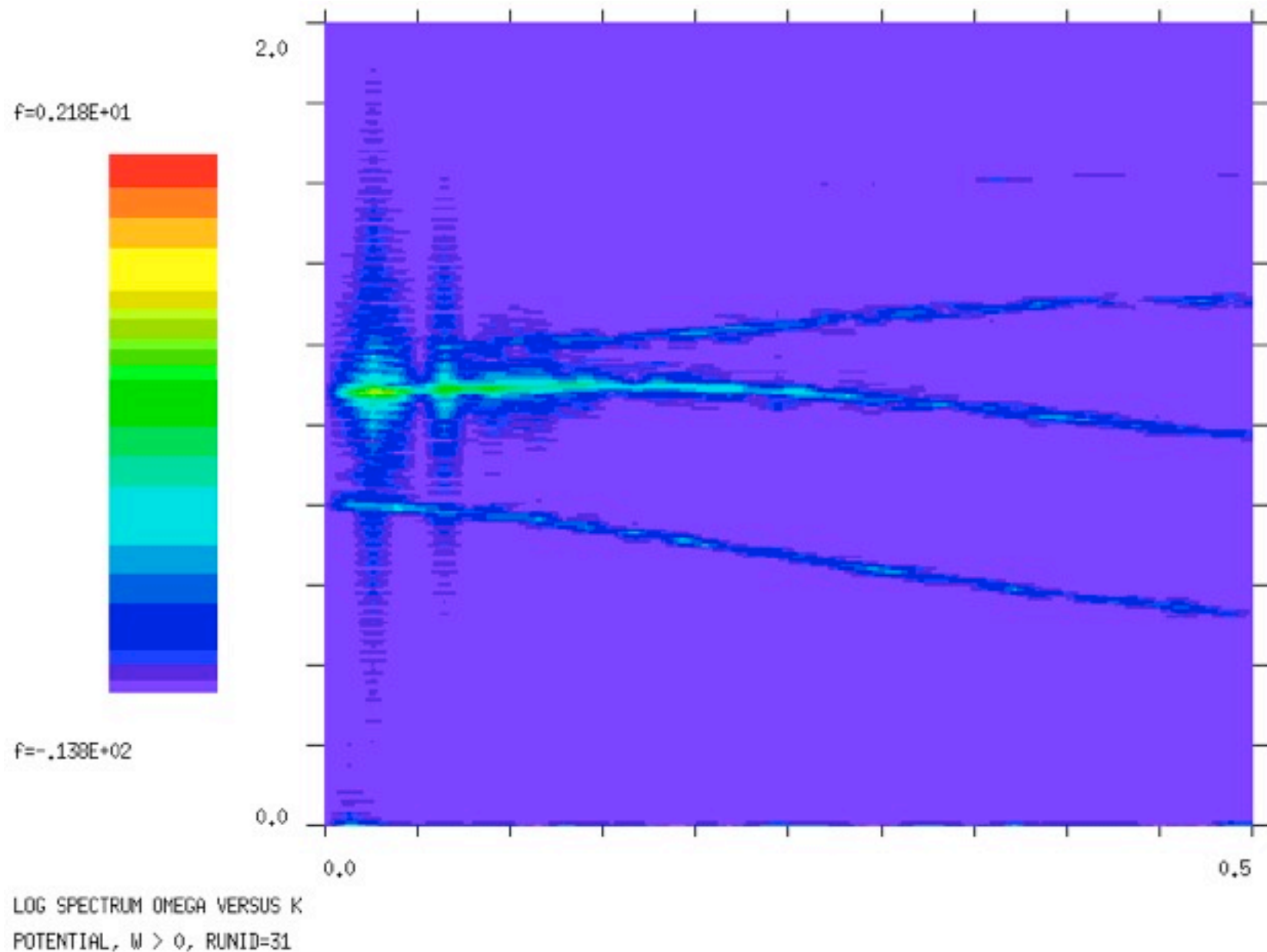
Start by copying input1.darwin into the file input1,
and executing: ./new_dbeps1

Longitudinal Waves perpendicular to \mathbf{B}_0 , $\Omega_{ce}/\omega_{pe} = 0.4$, $c = 10$

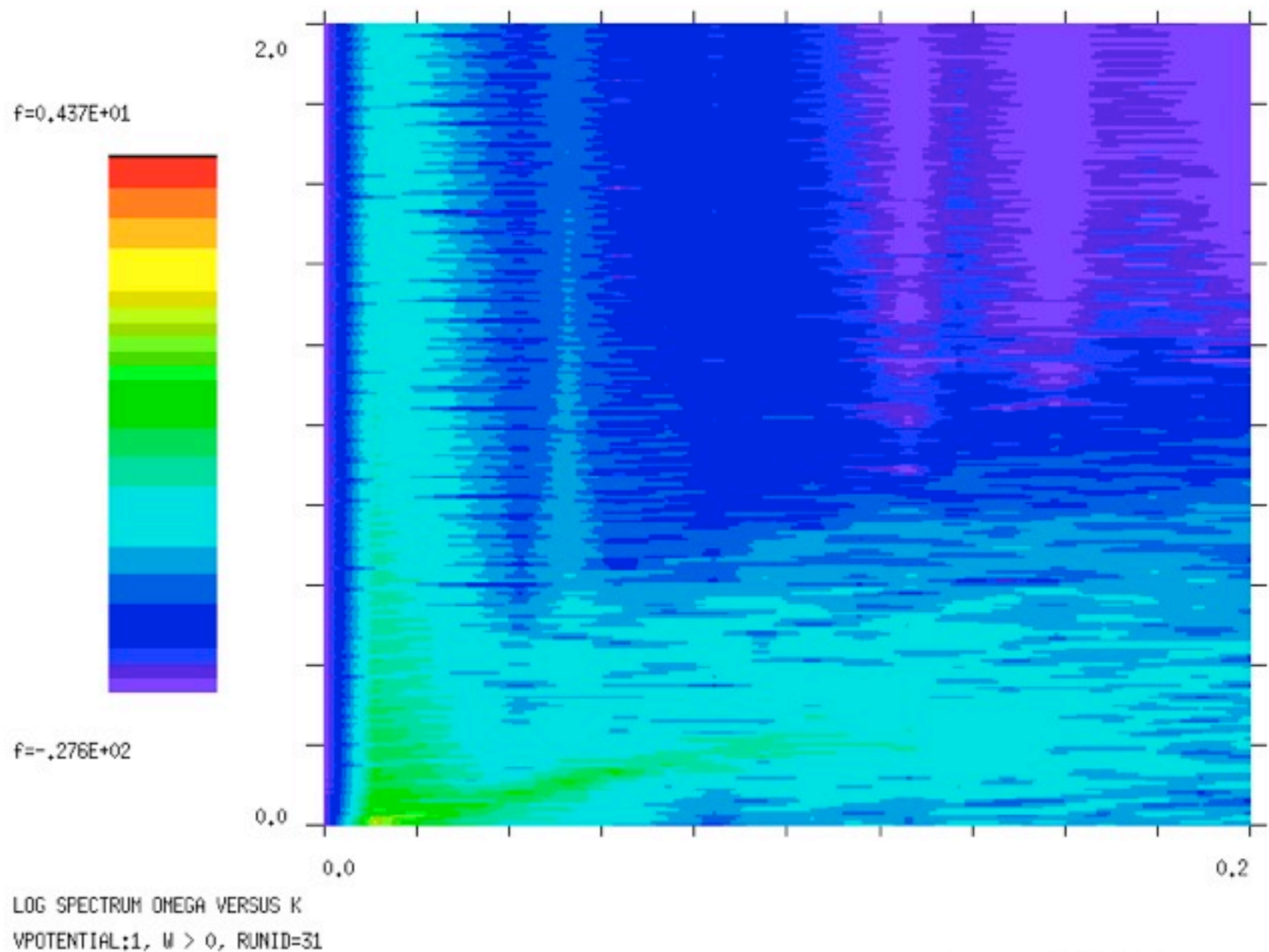


set $CI = 0$ ($c = \text{infinity}$)

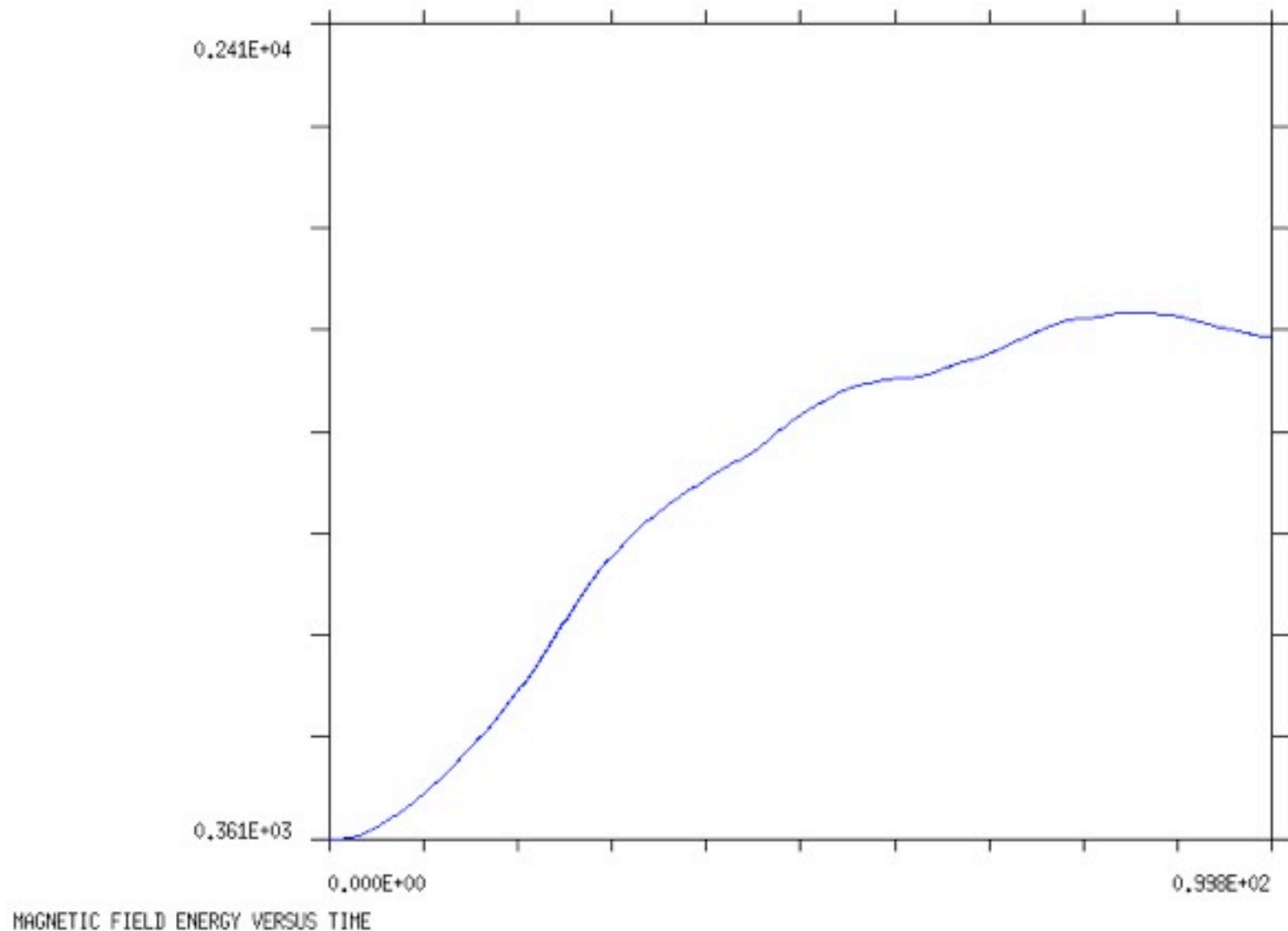
Electrostatic (Bernstein) Waves perpendicular to \mathbf{B}_0 , $\Omega_{ce}/\omega_{pe} = 0.4$



To see Whistler Waves Parallel to \mathbf{B}_0 , $\Omega_{ce}/\omega_{pe} = 0.4$, $c = 10$:
copy input1.whistler, and execute: `./new_dbeps1`
then `./vspectrum1`



To see Weibel with Darwin code, copy input1.dweibel to input1,
and execute: `./new_dbeps1`
Note Darwin gives same result for weibel instability as the EM code



To compile codes with moving ions, type: make bounded

To see Ion Acoustic modes with ES code, copy input1.ions to input1,
and execute: ./new_d0_beps1

Then, ./spectrum1, and select diagnostic type d

