

FIG. 5. Contour plot of the intensity  $|h_x|^2$  in the xy plane corresponding to a localized diffraction-free beam of normalized propagation constant  $\beta p = 8.503$  and transverse frequency  $\gamma p = 2.008$  leading to  $(k_{\parallel}p)_{max} = 8.737$ . Intensity distributions along the coordinate axes are shown at the top and left sides. Inset: Isofrequency curve where shaded region corresponds to the excited spatial bandwidth.