

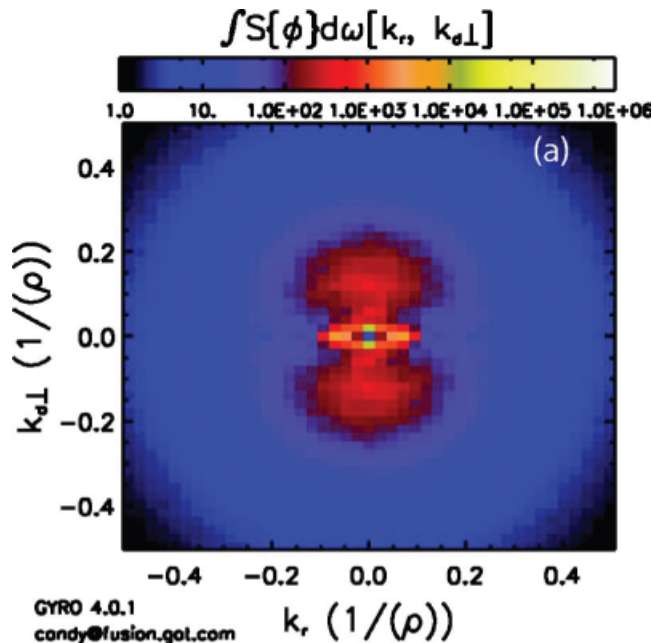
XP to investigate
the k_r - k_θ isotropy of high-k fluctuations

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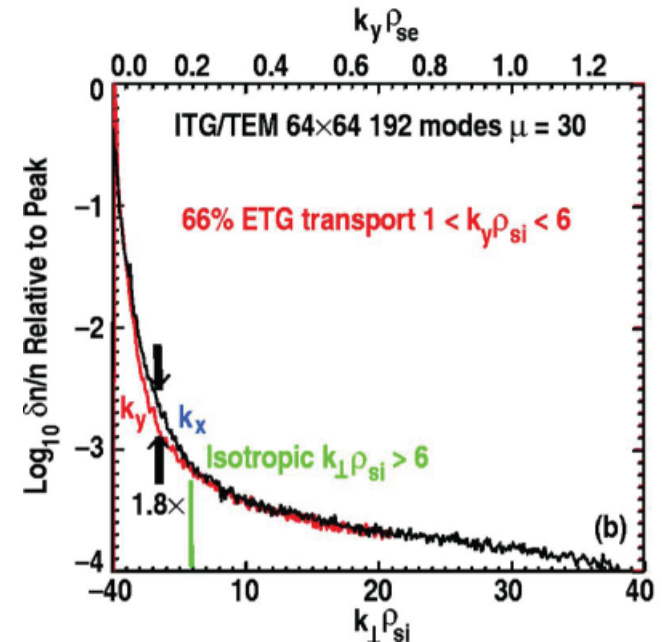
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The k_r - k_θ isotropy of ETG turbulence is an area of disagreement among NL GK simulations

Nevins et al, PoP, 2006
predict strong ETG anisotropy



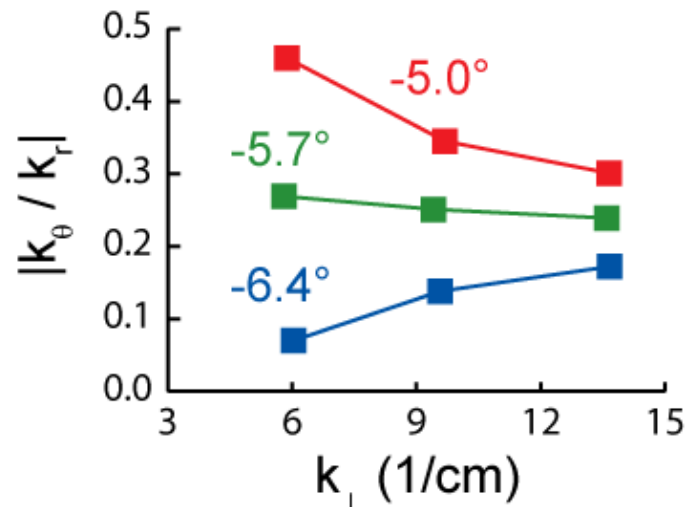
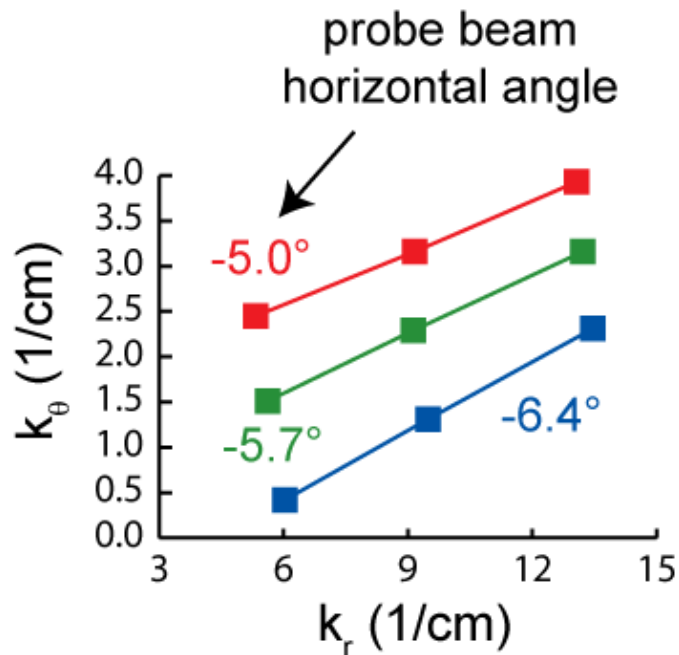
Waltz et al, PoP, 2007
predict ETG isotropy
(or slight anisotropy)



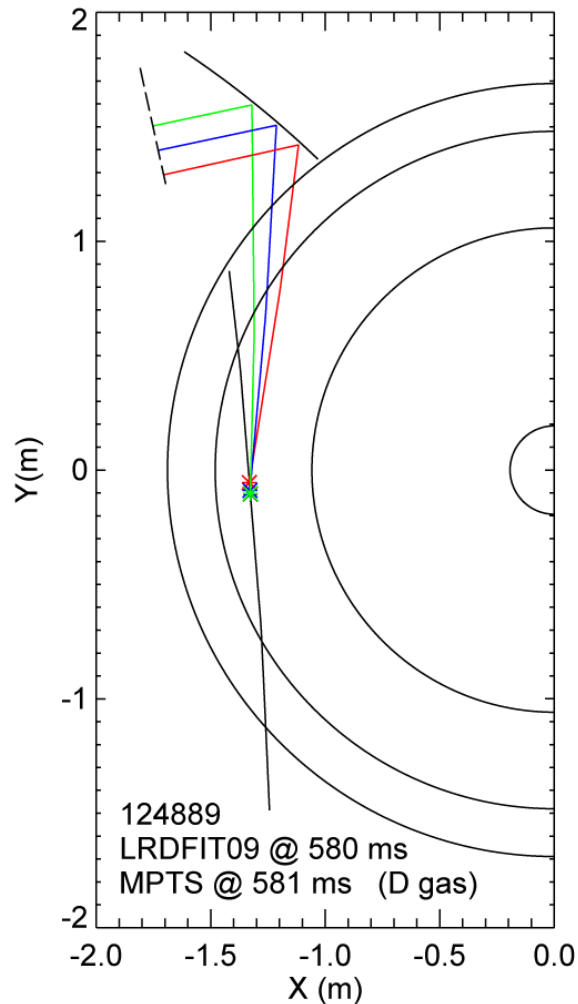
ETG radial streamers are anisotropic features
(simulations above do not use the same plasma conditions)

The NSTX high-k scattering system can access a range of k_θ/k_r ratios

unique capability for NSTX

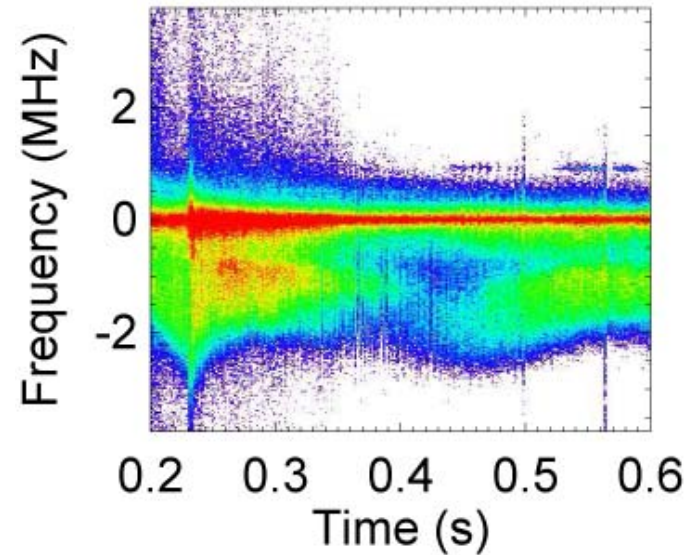


Previous measurements provide a starting point



700 kA and either 4.5 or 5.5 kG
(124888 and 124889)

high- k measurements
at $R=133$ cm and $r/a=0.55$



Shot grid

	$B_T = 4.5 \text{ kG}$	5.5 kG
PB Z angle -5.0°	x2	x2
-5.7°	x2	x2
-6.4°	x2	x2

(k_r and k_θ values on slide #3)