



DETAILED CHARGE EXCHANGE NEUTRAL DISTRIBUTION MODELLING FOR THE ITER MAIN WALL

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Rationale

- ERO2.0 requires detailed distribution of neutral particles impinging specific „diagnostic“ surfaces, i.e. mirrors
(c.f. today's talk S. Rode, IO-Contract: IO/20/CT/4300002242)
- EIRENE post-processing of S. Lisgos „repository“ of SOLPS4.3 simulations with DivIMP extension of grids up to FW
- Set of simulations based on A. Khan NME 2019 WalldYN paper
- Some modifications in EIRENE to also have both energy and angular distributions
- Python tools for plotting & (statistical) data analysis after re-processing with EIRENE

Various extrapolation models for the far-SOL

- d** L-mode pedestal, low density far-SOL ($v_{\perp} = 35$ m/s), low temperature far-SOL ($T_e = 10$ eV, $T_i = 20$ eV)
- o** H-mode pedestal, high density far-SOL ($v_{\perp} = 100$ m/s), high temperature far-SOL ($T_e = 20$ eV, $T_i = 40$ eV)
- g** H-mode, $v_{\perp} = 35$ m/s, $T_e = 20$, $T_i = 40$ eV
- m** H-mode, $v_{\perp} = 100$ m/s, $T_e = 10$, $T_i = 20$ eV

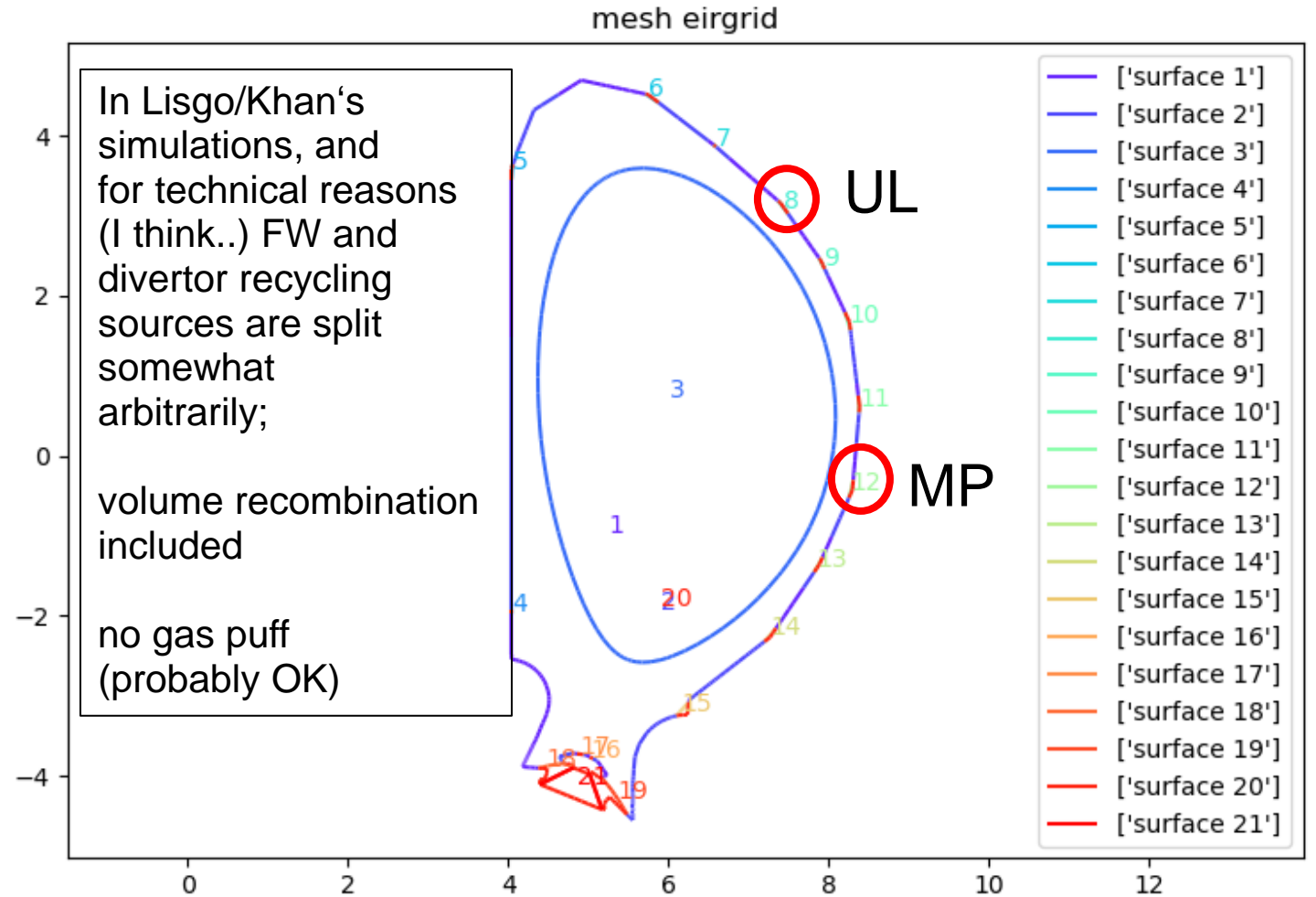
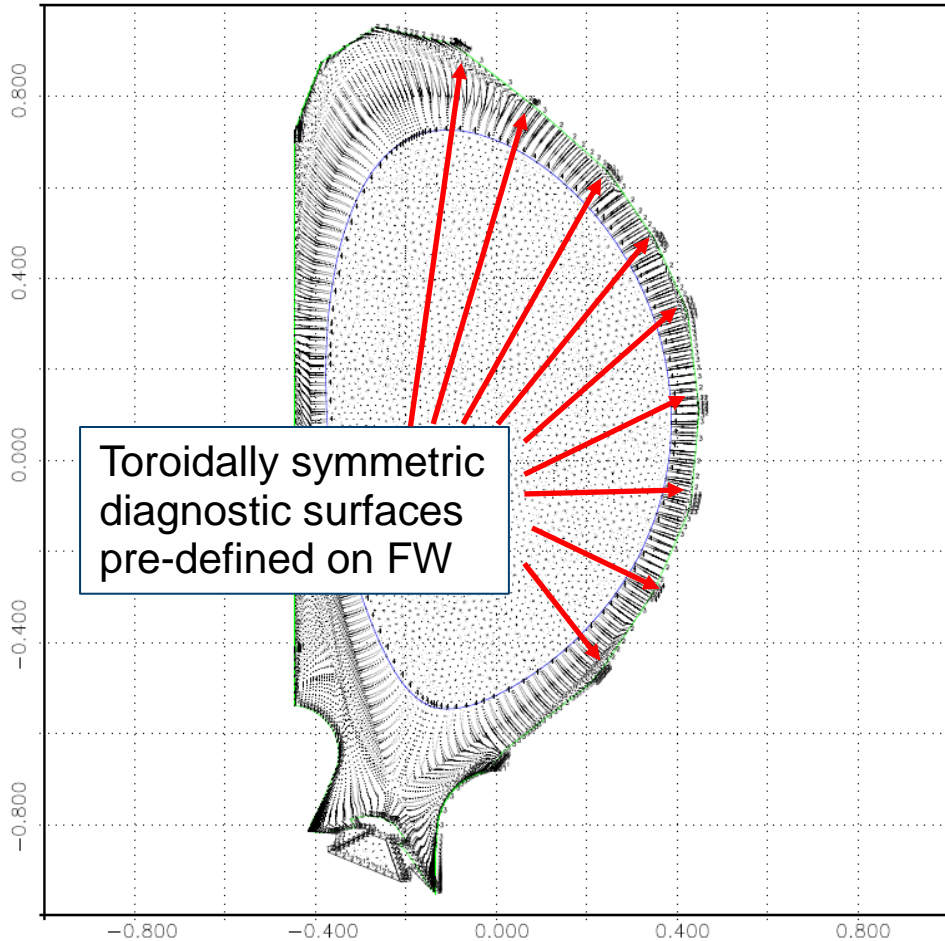
- 00** no near sol flow
- 01** near sol flow 0.5M

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Concentrate on case series
2258_00*

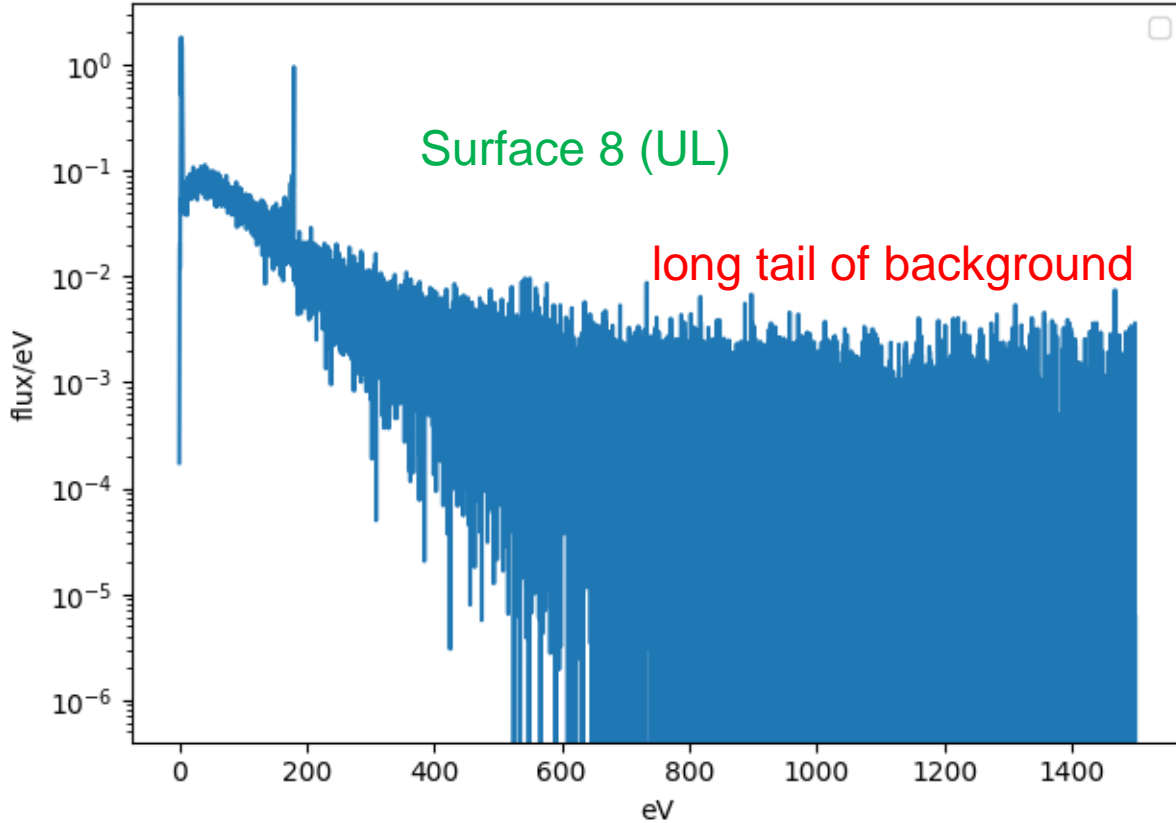
→ Semi-detached, high-power H-mode case

Collector surfaces (EIRENE tallies) for extended 2258 SOLPS4.3 geometry

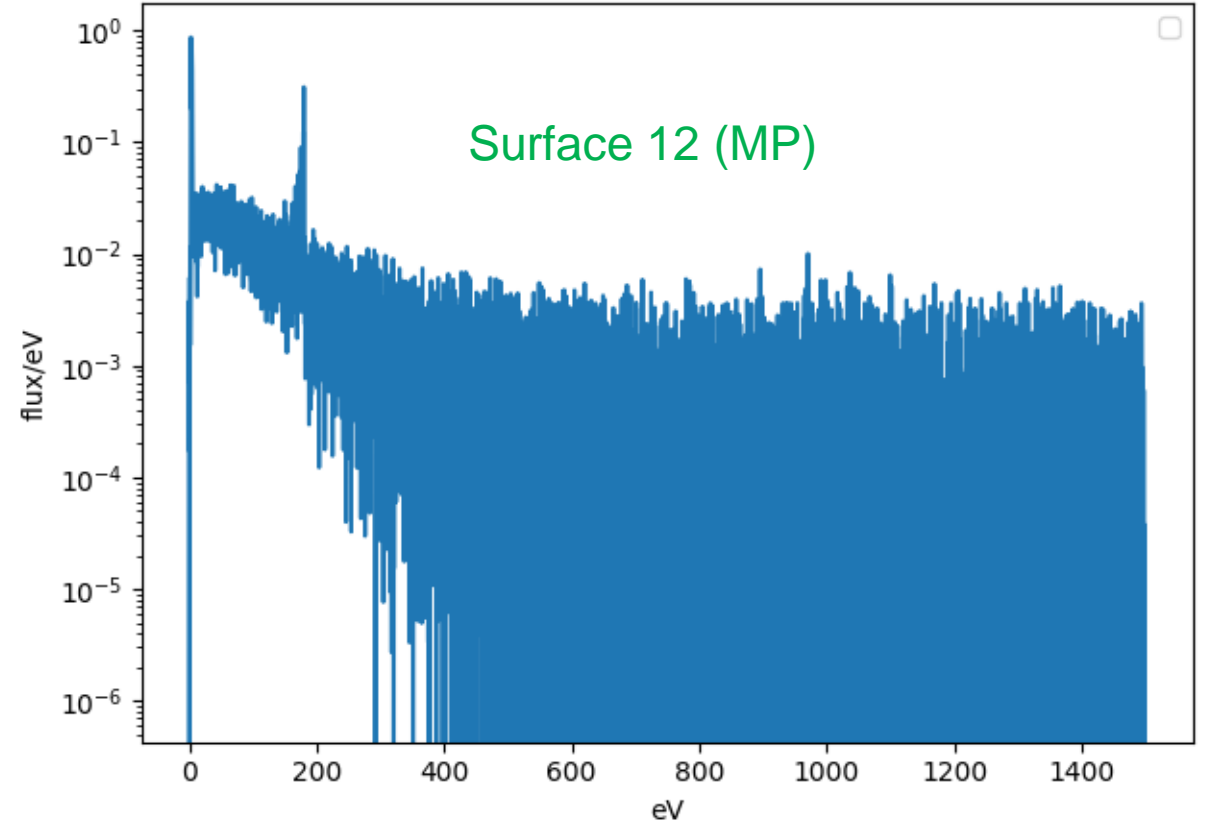


2258_00g D⁰ energy spectra

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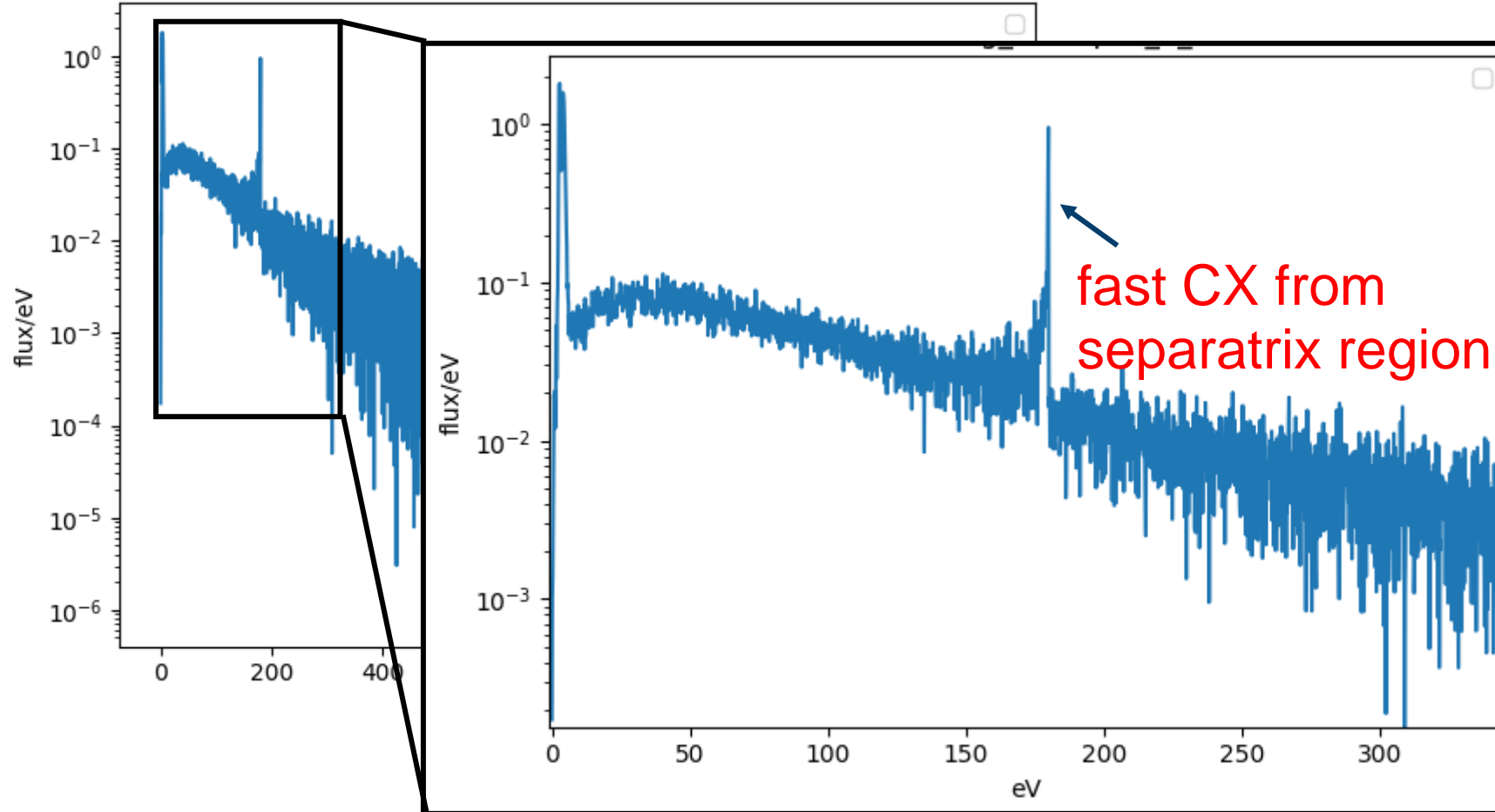
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normalised „EIRENE-units“ Amp/eV

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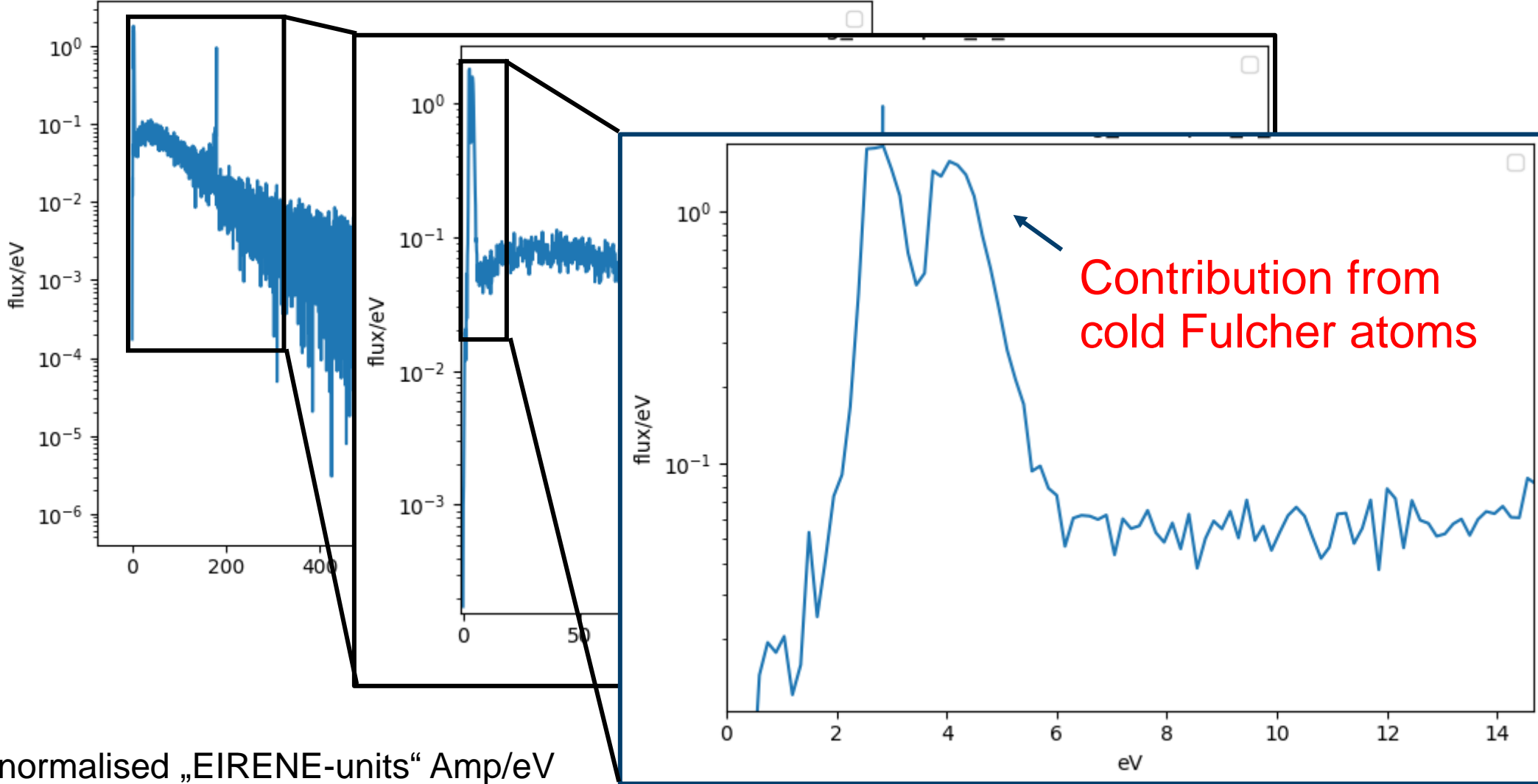
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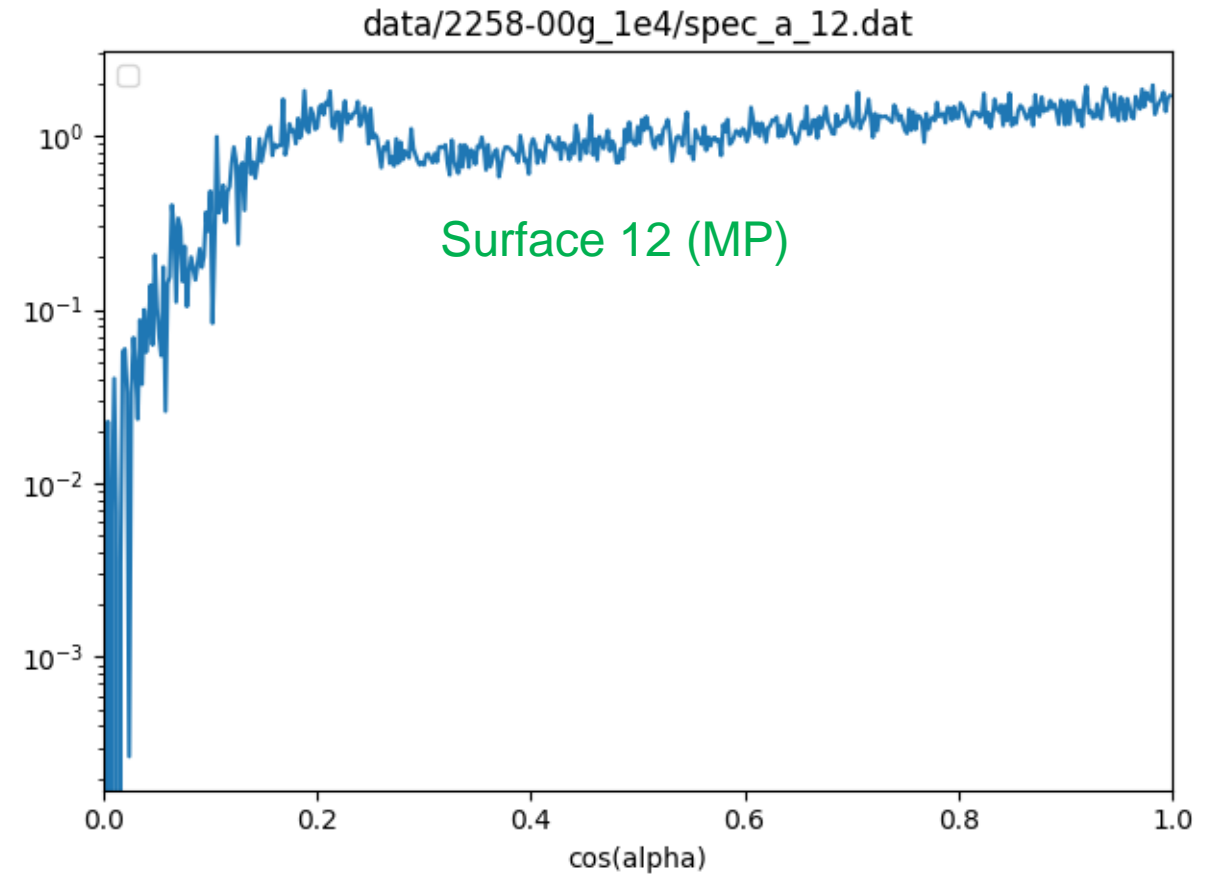
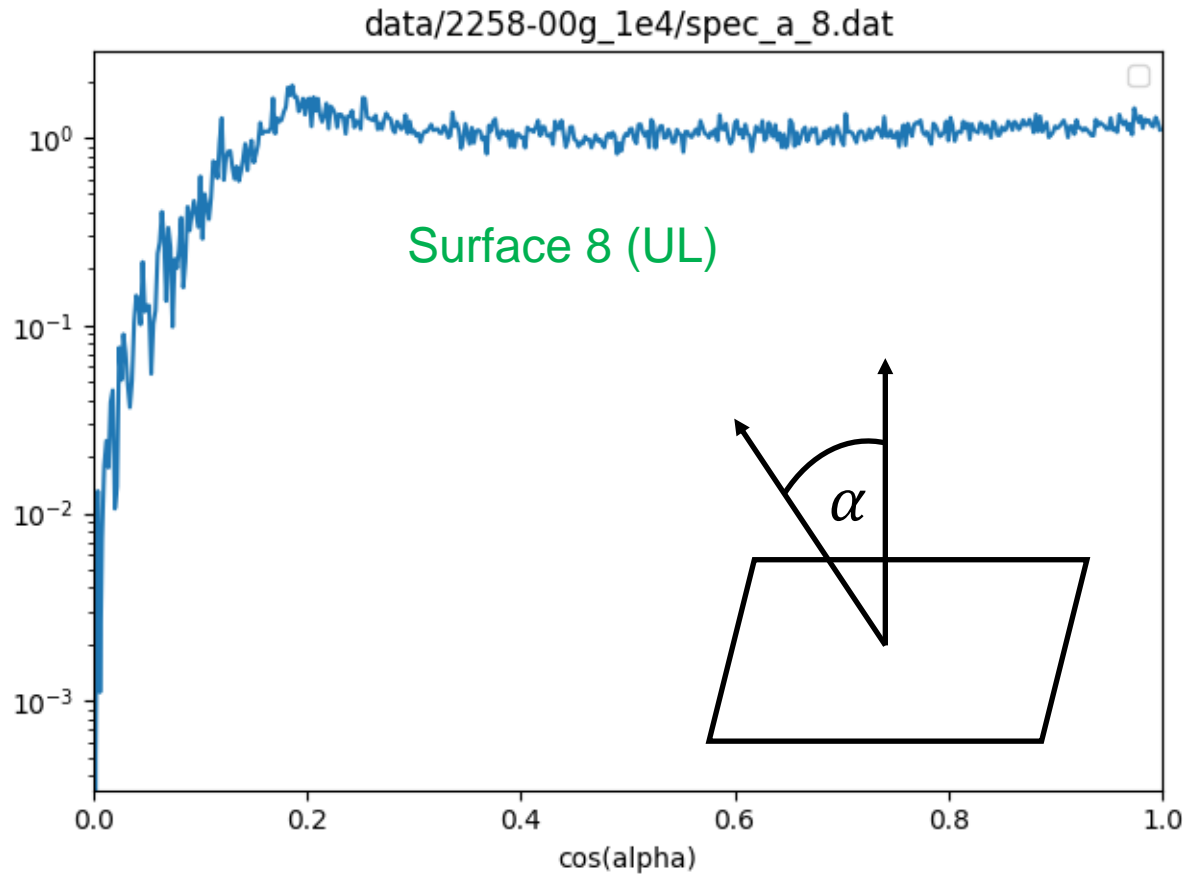
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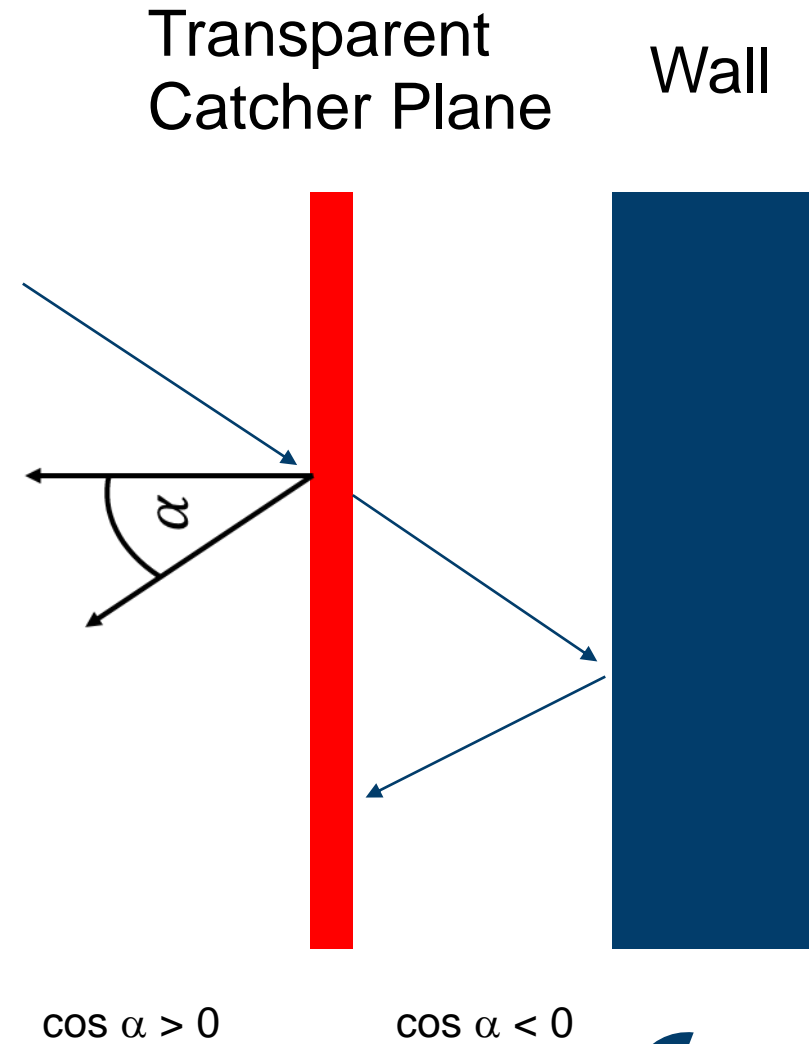
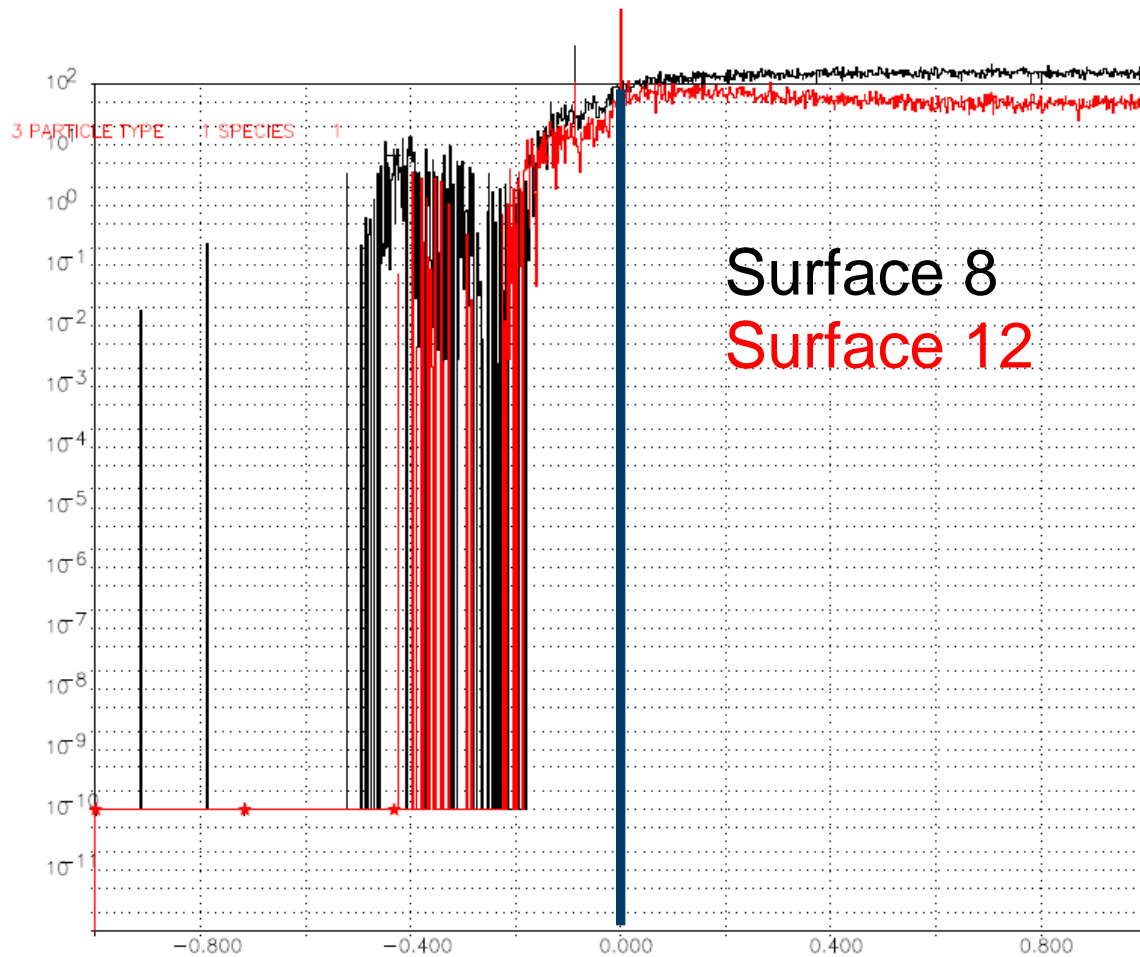
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2258_00g D⁰ angular distribution (polar angle only, 2D-sym)

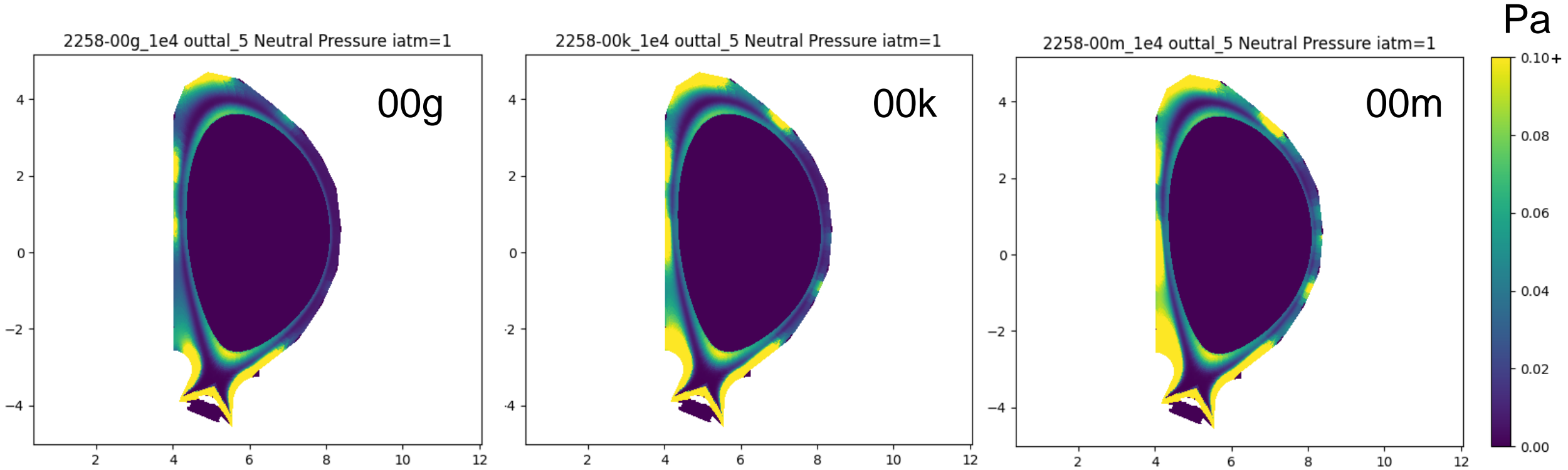


$f(\cos \alpha)$ normalised to 1

Expert's advice: don't tally wrong..

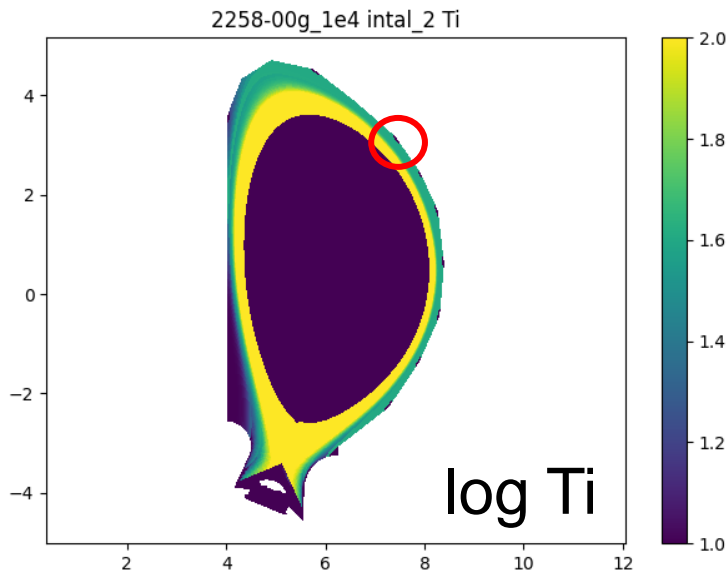
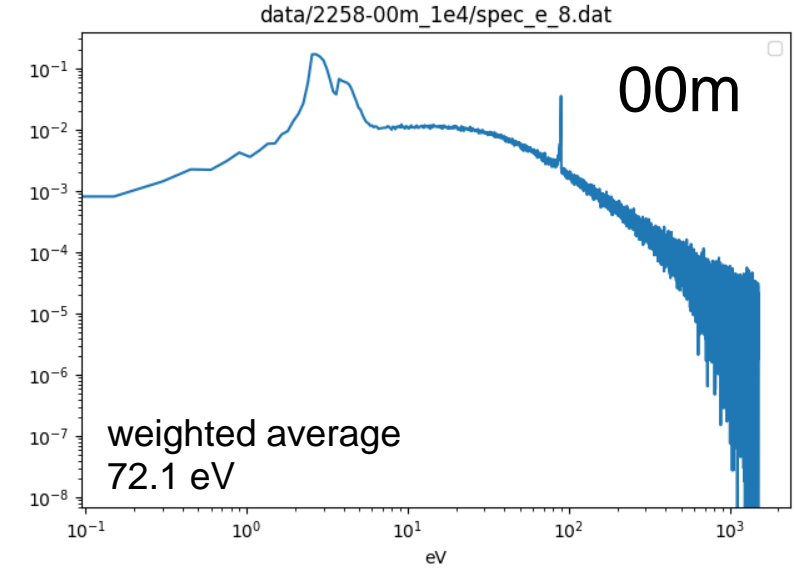
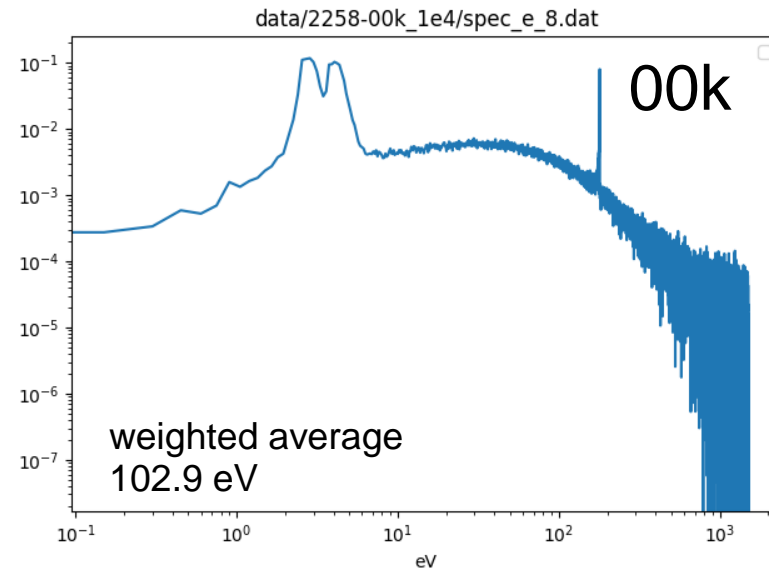
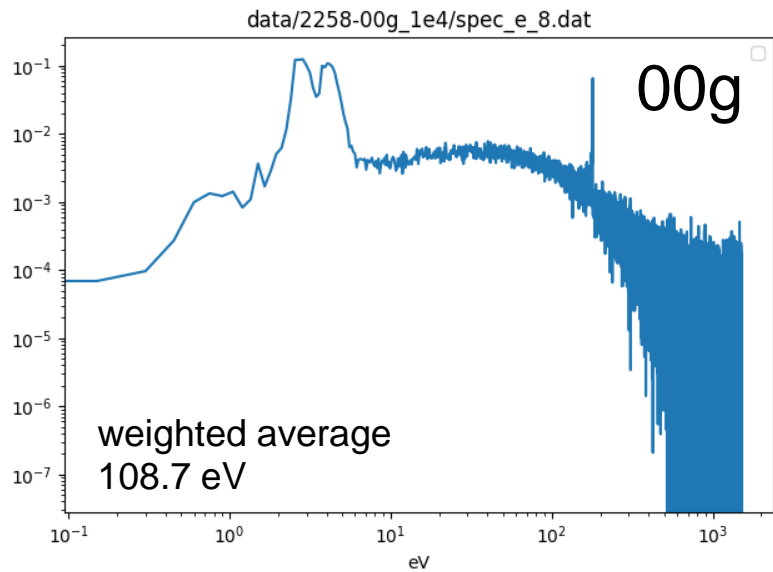


Comparison of far-SOL assumptions: D⁰ neutral pressure



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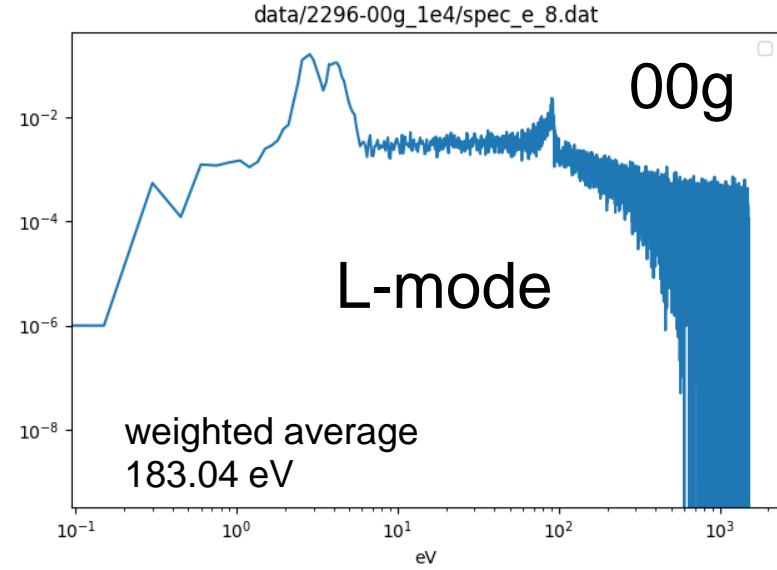
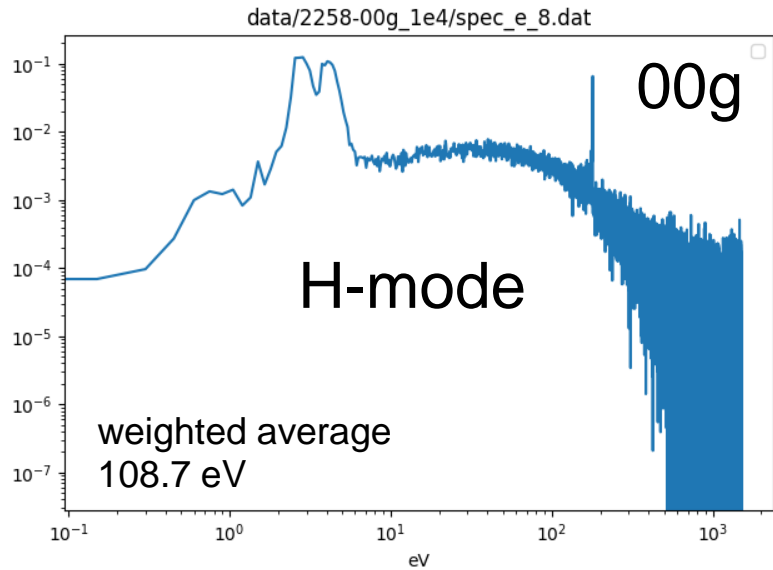
Comparison far-SOL assumptions: D⁰ spectra log-log (UL)



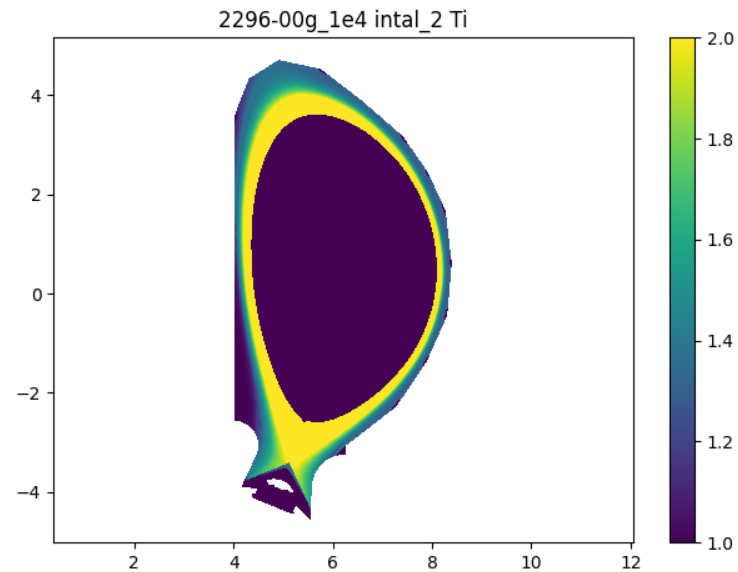
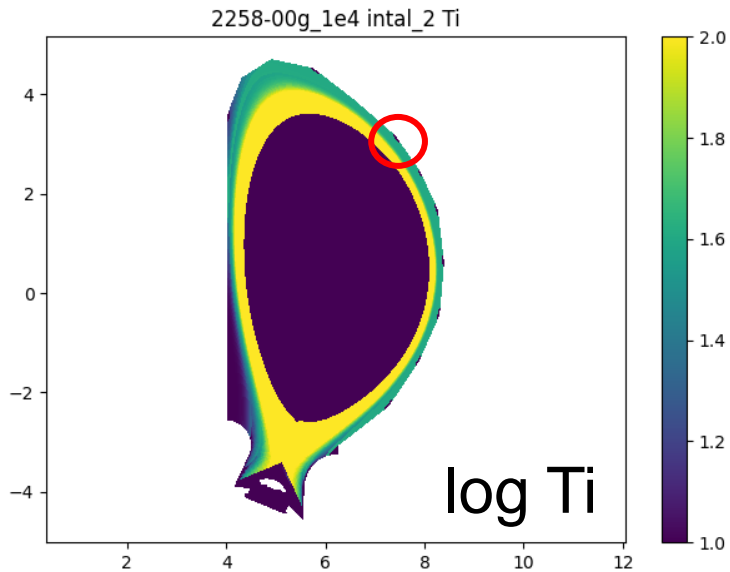
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- The “spx region peak” (CX) shifts and weighted average $\langle E \rangle$ depend on far-SOL Ti-conditions

Comparison H-mode vs L-mode (00g)



- In L-mode the strong peak is less prominent
- However the average energy $\langle E \rangle$ is significantly higher than in H-mode (tail contribution)



Revised H-mode (L-mode) yield estimates (00g, UL)

| | D on Be | D on W | Ne on W (*) |
|--|---------------|-----------------|-------------|
| $Y(\langle E \rangle, \cos \alpha \equiv 1)$ | 0.025 (0.029) | 0.0 | 0.00035 |
| $\langle Y(E, \cos \alpha \equiv 1) \rangle$ | 0.015 (0.016) | 0.0003 (0.0010) | 0.00038 |
| $\langle Y(E, \cos \alpha) \rangle$ | 0.031 (0.035) | 0.0007 (0.0024) | 0.00080 |

(*) wrongly (!) assuming same spectra for Ne as for D, and $\Gamma_{\text{Ne0}} = 1\% \Gamma_{\text{D0}}$
 → Need real MC calculations for Ne!

$$\langle Y(E, \cos \alpha) \rangle = \iint Y_{phys,93}^{EIRENE}(E, \cos \alpha) f(E, \cos \alpha) dE d \cos \alpha$$

Here: $f(E, \cos \alpha) = g(E) \cdot h(\cos \alpha)$

Roth, Bohdanský, Eckstein (SPUTER93):

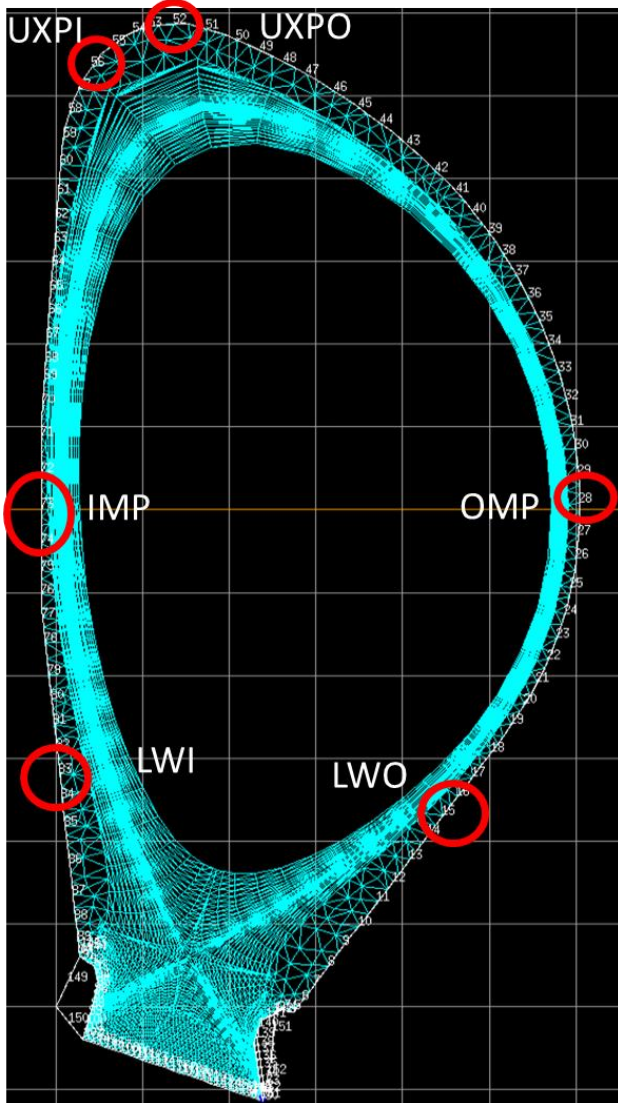
$$Y_{phys,93} = Q_p \left(1 - a^{2/3}\right) (1 - a)^2 \frac{\frac{1}{2} \ln(1 + 1.2288b)}{b + 0.1728\sqrt{b} + 0.008b^{0.1504}}$$

$$a = \frac{E_{th}}{E}, b = \frac{E}{E_{tf}}, Q_p = const$$

$$Y_{phys,93}^{EIRENE} = Y_{phys,93} \cdot (\cos \theta)^{-f} \exp\left(fc - \frac{fc}{\cos \theta}\right)$$

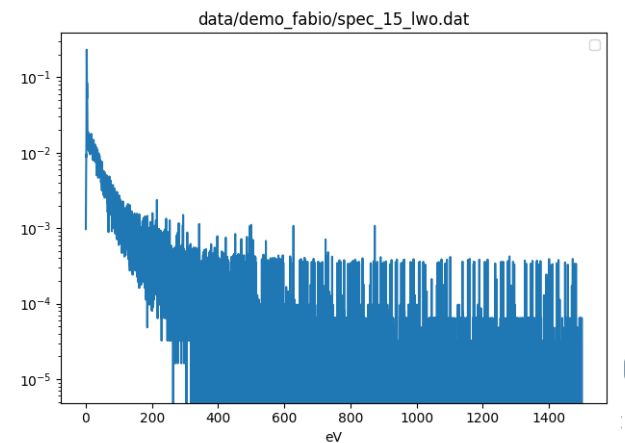
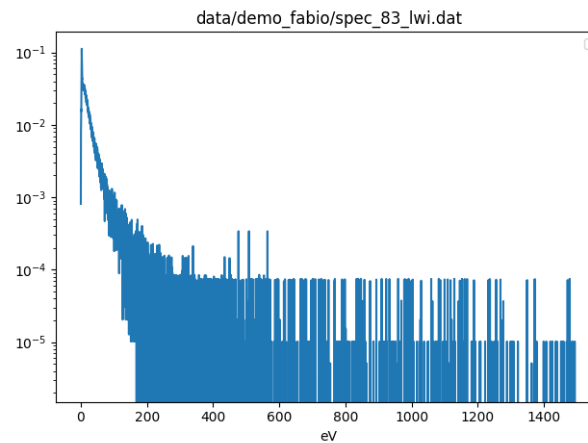
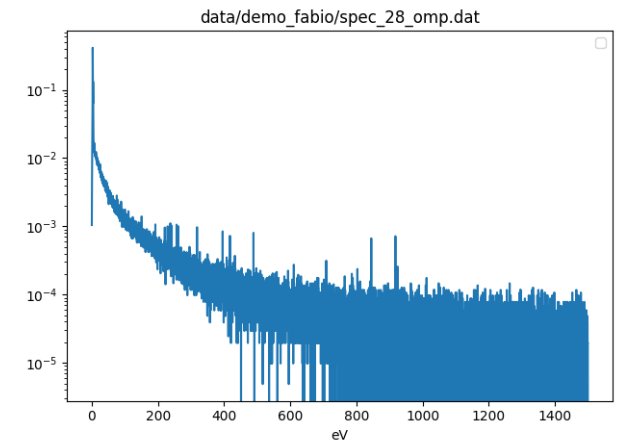
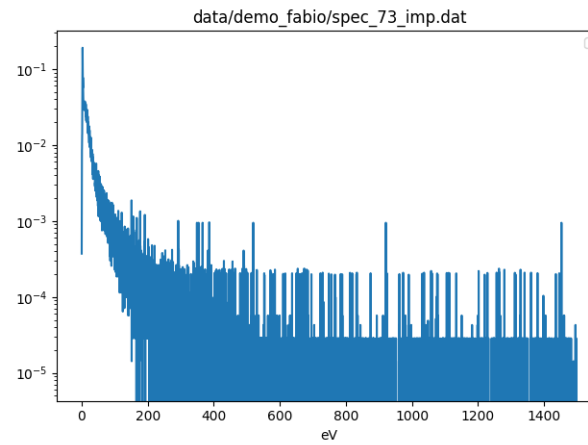
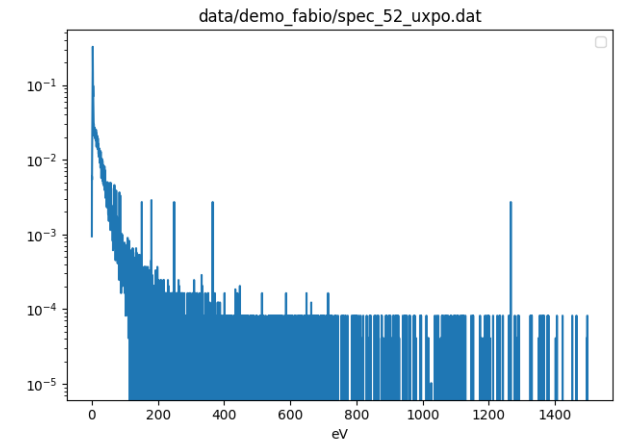
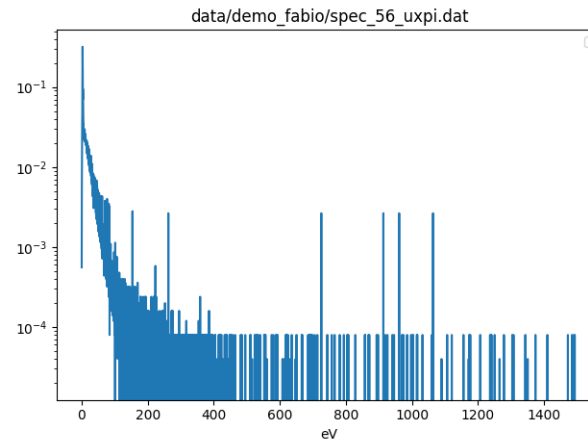
Yamamura-fit: $f = 2, c = 0.26$

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Comments on spectral statistics

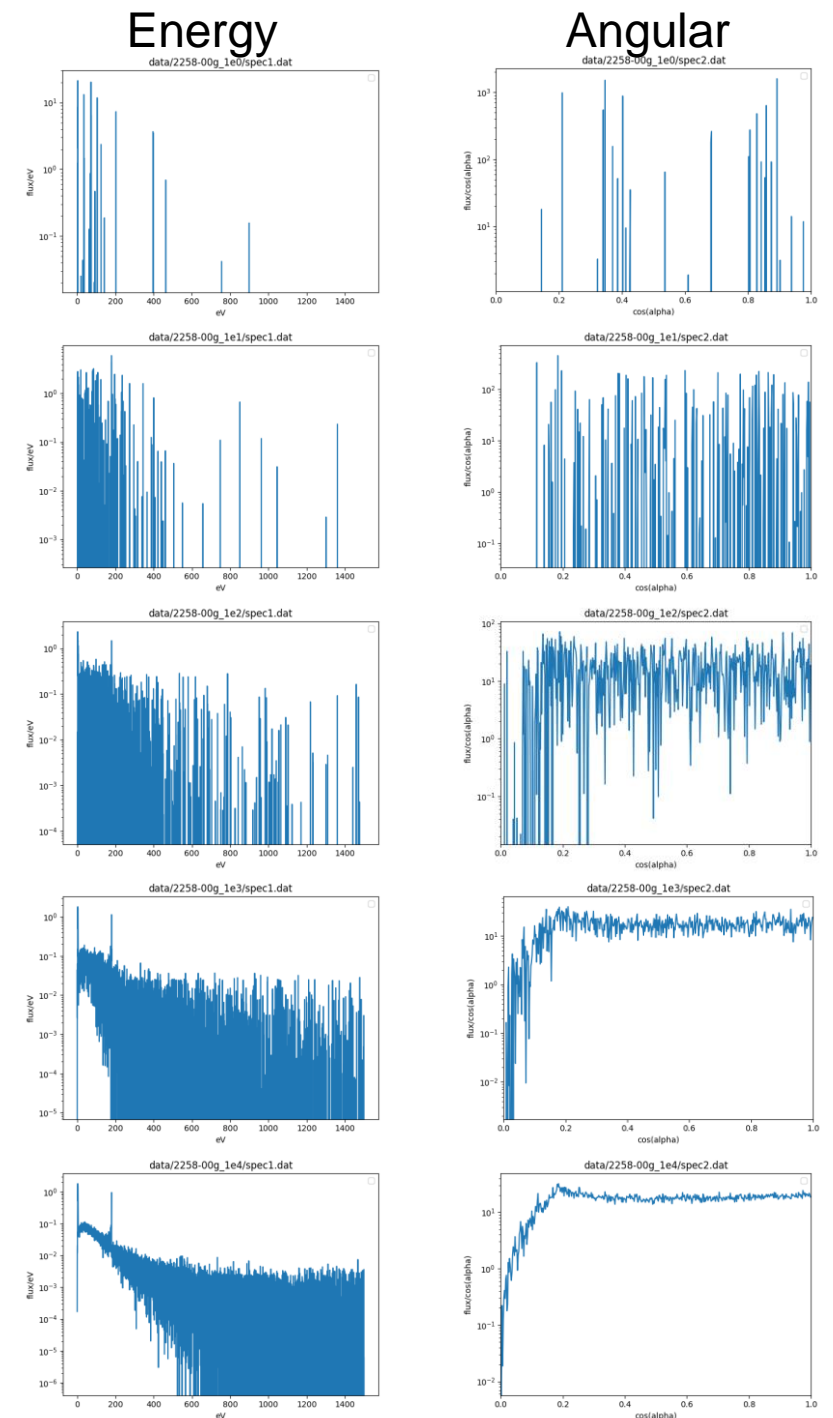
Shannon-Entropy

$$S = - \sum_k f_k \log f_k$$

| MC histories | Wall-clock time (12 CPUs) | $S(g(E))$ | $S(h(\cos \alpha))$ |
|--------------|---------------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| 1.92e5 | < 1min | 2.409 | 2.409 |
| 1.92e6 | 7 min | 4.097 | 4.143 |
| 1.92e7 | 71 min | 5.926 | 5.792 |
| 1.92e8 | 12.5 hs | 6.819 | 6.087 |
| 1.92e9 | 72 hs | 7.083 | 6.134 |

OK, but Shannon-Entropy mixing invariant!
Need a better figure-of-merit for statistical accuracy

Increase in MC particle histories



Towards optimised statistics and data compression

MaxEnt-regularised approach

Maximise

$$\mathcal{L} = S + \sum_{l=1}^L \lambda_l \left(\int_{x_0}^{x_1} x^l \rho(x) dx - \mu_l \right).$$

- Requires calculation of higher moments in EIRENE

→ mean $l = 1$ & variance $l = 2$ (both done)

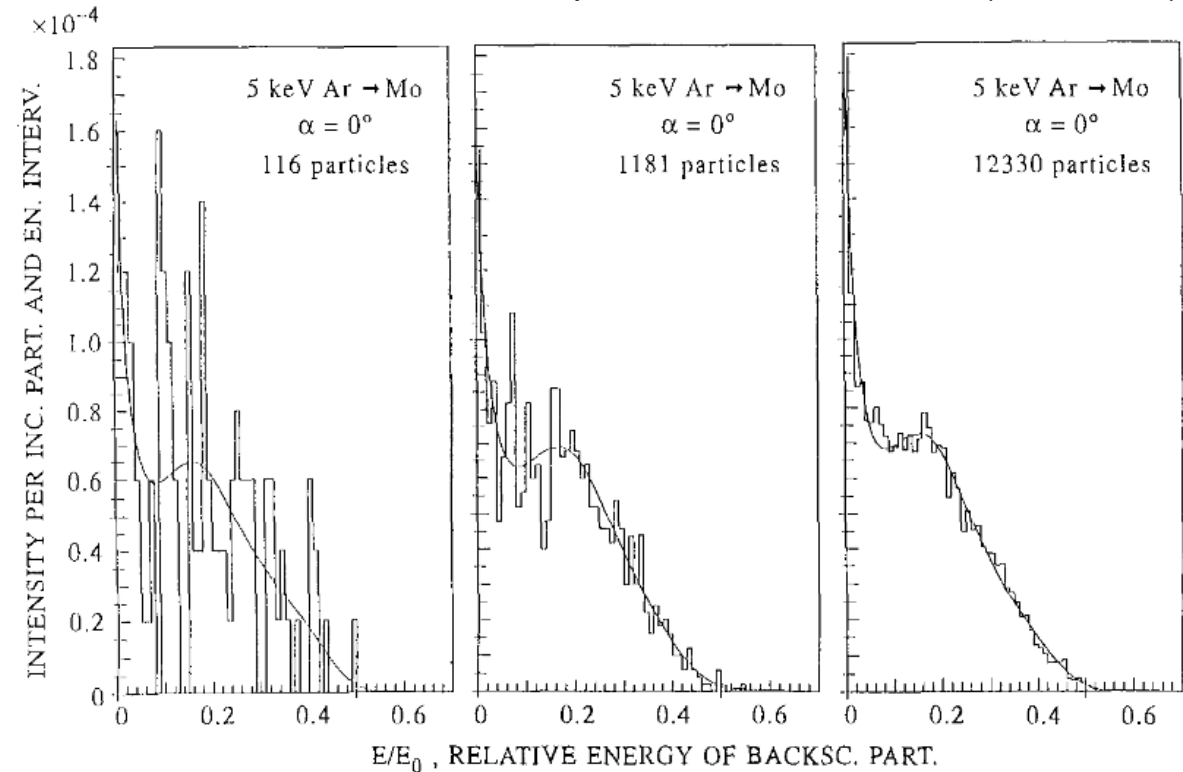
to be implemented $l > 2$:

→ skewness, kurtosis, hyper-skewness, hyper-tailness, ... → **recovers local/mixing structures**

- If statistical fluctuations < evolving structures
→ stop the EIRENE run
(implementation of a halt during run-time reqd.)

- **Bonus: moment-representation possible for spectra, data-compression rate > 100 possible**

W. Eckstein Nucl. Instr. And Meth. In Phys Res B 95 (1995)
“Efficient tabulation of plasma interaction data” (SDTrimSP)



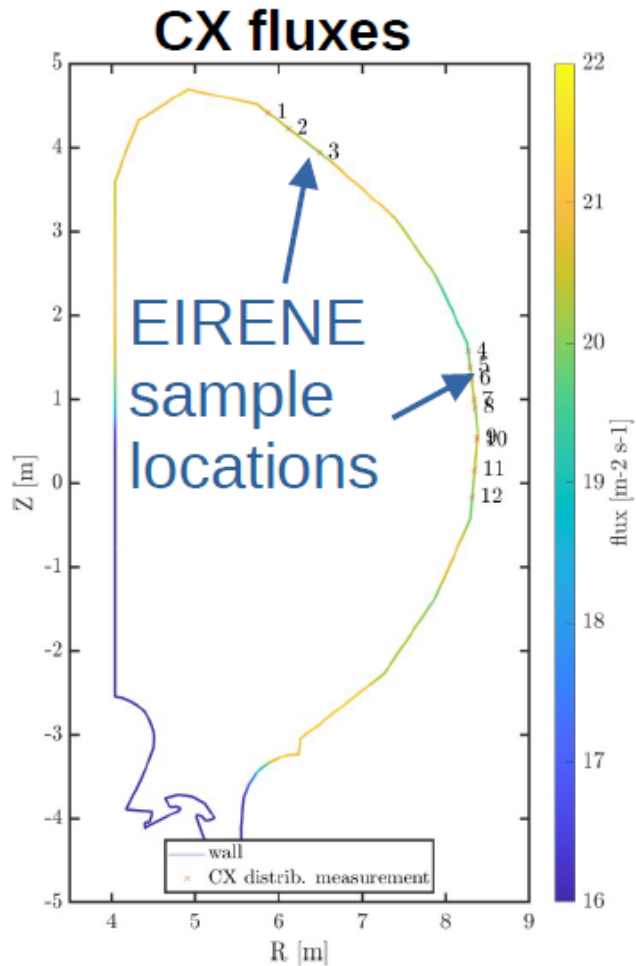
Summary / Conclusion

- Neutral particle energy and angular distributions $f(E, \cos \alpha)$ collected on diagnostic surfaces for ITER reference SOLPS-ITER plasmas with manually extended grid up to FW (A. Khan et al)
- **Result: detailed distributions give 2-3 larger D \rightarrow W sputter yields $\langle Y(E, \cos \alpha) \rangle$ compared to standard estimates $Y(\langle E \rangle)$, depends on far-SOL assumptions or H/L-mode, $\cos \alpha$ -dependence gives a factor 2, H-mode: main contribution from tail of distribution**
- Next Step: Ne \rightarrow W calculation, and compare relevance to D \rightarrow W
- SOLPS-ITER with wide-grid option should provide a better picture
- Also: JET post-processing with EIRENE on-going (M. Groth et al), DEMO (Wiesen, Brenzke FZJ)
- So far only uncorrelated energy and angular distributions collected
 - \rightarrow extension to multi-variate distribution functions possible $f = f(E, \cos(\alpha))$
 - \rightarrow requires longer EIRENE run-times for improved statistics and requires large memory
 - \rightarrow data compression through MaxEnt regularization
- Only polar angles are collected (toroidally symmetric)
 - \rightarrow extension to full 3D possible (e.g. post-processing EMC3 plasma-backgrounds)

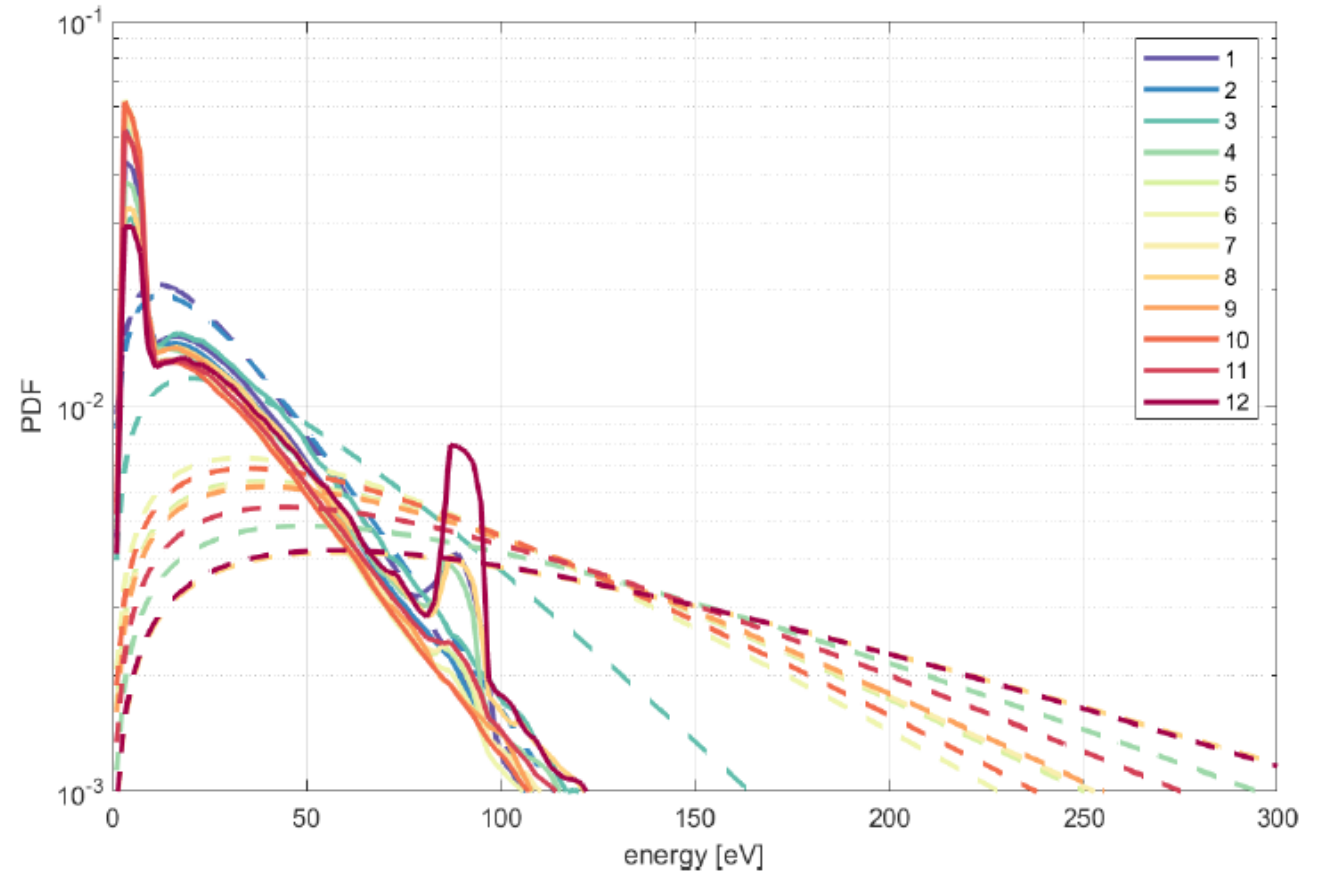
Backup

Example: CX distributions from Steve Lisgo for ITER (case #1514)

- File name “i-cxd-0003-1514-00g.wall_energy_spectra” -> I guess that’s not a standard EIRENE output…?
- Energy distributions at 12 locations, however no angular distributions.



CX energy distributions at the 12 sample locations



Modifications to the EIRENE code for angular distributions

- (Output/outspec)
- (Plotting/eirmod_plteir)
- Modules/eirmod_parmmod
Modules/eirmod_cestim → introduction of ISPCOPT flag (for angular spectra)
- Scoring/update_spectrum
- Startup_routines/input.f
Startup_routines/plasma.f
- Assistant/learca2
- Particle_tracing/folneut.f → bugfix in case of transparent srfs