

**EXTENSION OF GATO
— AN IDEAL MHD STABILITY CODE
FOR AXISYMMETRIC
PLASMA EQUILIBRIA
TO BALLOONING MODE VARIABLES
VALID FOR HIGHER ($n > 5$)
TOROIDAL MODE NUMBERS**

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Stability of Finite- n Global Magnetohydrodynamic Modes Using the GATO Stability Code¹ M.S. CHU, S.K. WONG, L.L. LAO, A.D. TURNBULL, General Atomics, M.S. CHANCE, Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory — This work extends the capability of the GATO stability code² to analyze realistic numerical tokamak equilibria for their stability to higher n (~ 5 – 10) MHD modes. This is motivated by the experimental evidence of these modes being relevant for both plasma termination and the behavior of ELMs. The ballooning angle transformation³ is applied to the displacement variables in the GATO representation. The potential energy matrix is constructed with the inclusion of extra mapping quantities. The vacuum energy computed from the Greens function is also modified to couple to the transformed displacement at the plasma boundary. The resultant eigenvalue problem is solved with the modified boundary condition in the poloidal direction suitable for these transformed variables. The dependence of the plasma stability as a function of toroidal mode number and plasma equilibrium properties will be presented.

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²L.C. Bernard *et al.*, Comput. Phys. Commun. **24**, 377 (1981).

³R. Gruber *et al.*, Comput. Phys. Commun. **24**, 363 (1981).

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MOTIVATION

- Higher ($n \sim 5$) toroidal mode number MHD modes have been reported to be relevant for a number of experimental fluctuations, especially in NCS discharge at the plasma edge and also for low aspect ratio ST
- Success of correlation of these observations with either ballooning or peeling mode criterion demands a more realistic evaluation of stability of plasma to higher ($n > 5$)
- More intrinsic interest in the understanding of plasma behavior for higher n and non-circular cross-section especially the edge region of tokamaks with high triangularity and squareness
- The number of matrix elements required scales as $n_\psi n_\chi^2$. Computer time scales as $n_\psi n_\chi^2 \ln n_\chi$. For a tokamak configuration, $n_\psi \sim nq$ and $n_\chi \sim nq$. Therefore the computer time scales as $n^3 q^3 \ln(nq)$. An alternative formulation using the ballooning variables* allows $n_\chi \approx \text{constant}$. Therefore the resultant computer time scales as nq .

*R. Gruber et al., Computer Physics Communications 24, p. 363–376 (1981)

GATO POTENTIAL ENERGY FUNCTIONAL

$$W_p = \frac{\pi}{2} \mu_0 \int d\psi d\chi \delta W_\ell$$

where the local potential energy density δW_ℓ is a sum of positive contributions and one negative term

$$\begin{aligned} \delta W_\ell = & (\delta B_\psi)^2 \\ & + (\delta B_\chi + \xi_\psi J_\phi)^2 \\ & + (\delta B_\phi + \xi_\psi J_\chi)^2 \\ & + \text{Compressional Energy} \\ & - 2JX^2K \quad \text{Instability Drive} \end{aligned}$$

**($\vec{B} \cdot \vec{\nabla}$) TERMS IN POTENTIAL ENERGY FUNCTIONAL*
FORCE THE DISPLACEMENTS (X,U,Y) TO VARY FAST
IN THE POLOIDAL DIRECTION AS n INCREASES**

$$W_p = \frac{\pi}{2\mu_0} \int d\psi d\chi \delta W_1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta W_\ell = & \frac{1}{JB_p^2 r^2} \left| \frac{\partial X}{\partial \chi} + \frac{inJf}{r^2} X \right|^2 \\ & + JB_p^2 \left| inU - \frac{\partial X}{\partial \psi} + \frac{\mu_0 j_\phi X}{rB_p^2} - \alpha \left(\frac{\partial X}{\partial \chi} + in \frac{Jf}{r^2} X \right) \right|^2 \\ & + \frac{r^2}{J} \left| f \frac{\partial}{\partial \psi} \left(\frac{J}{r^2} \right) X + \frac{Jf}{r^2} \frac{\partial X}{\partial \psi} + \frac{\partial U}{\partial \chi} \right|^2 \\ & + \frac{\Gamma \mu_0 \rho}{J} \left| J \frac{\partial X}{\partial \psi} + \frac{\partial J}{\partial \psi} X + \left(\frac{\partial Y}{\partial \chi} + in \frac{Jf}{r^2} Y \right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \frac{\partial}{\partial \chi} \left(\frac{r^2}{f} \right) U + \frac{r^2}{f} \frac{\partial U}{\partial \chi} \right|^2 \\ & - 2JX^2 \left[\frac{\mu_0^2 j_\phi^2}{r^2 B_\phi^2} - \frac{\mu_0 j_\phi}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial \psi} (\ln r B_p)_v - \mu_0 \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \psi} \frac{\partial}{\partial \psi} (\ln r)_v \right] \end{aligned}$$

where

$$X = \vec{\xi} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \psi, \quad Y = \frac{r}{f} \xi_\phi, \quad U = \frac{f}{r^2} (\vec{\xi} \cdot \hat{t} - Y + J\alpha X)$$

IN BALLOONING (HIGH n) VARIABLES, THE PLASMA DISPLACEMENT IS ASSUMED TO VARY SLOWLY ALONG THE FIELD LINE

Or the variation along the eikonal (toroidal) angle

$$\tilde{\phi} = \phi - \int^{\chi} \frac{fJ}{r^2} d\chi = \phi - I_q(\chi, \psi)$$

is small. The displacement is assumed to have the following dependence on this angle

$$\xi e^{in\phi} = \tilde{\xi} e^{in\tilde{\phi}} .$$

Terms in the potential energy transforms in the following way

$$\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial \psi} \rightarrow \frac{\partial \tilde{\xi}}{\partial \psi} - in \tilde{\xi} I_{q,\psi}$$

$$\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial \chi} \rightarrow \frac{\partial \tilde{\xi}}{\partial \chi} - in \tilde{\xi} \frac{fJ}{r^2} \quad \text{or}$$

$$\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial \chi} + in \frac{fJ}{r^2} \xi \rightarrow \frac{\partial \tilde{\xi}}{\partial \chi}$$

Then the potential energy functional does not contain factors of $\left[(\partial / \partial \chi) + in(Jf / r^2) \right]$ operating on physical quantities

**FOR GATO POTENTIAL ENERGY FUNCTIONAL
IN HIGH n VARIABLES, TERMS MULTIPLIED
WITH n ARE ALWAYS IN THE COMBINATION
(U + Xl_{q,ψ})**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \delta W_\ell = & \frac{1}{JB_p^2 r^2} \left| \frac{\partial \tilde{X}}{\partial \chi} \right|^2 \\
 & + JB_p^2 \left| \text{in}(\tilde{U} + \tilde{X}l_{q,\psi}) - \frac{\partial \tilde{X}}{\partial \psi} + \frac{\mu_0 j_\phi \tilde{X}}{rB_p^2} - \alpha \frac{\partial \tilde{X}}{\partial \chi} \right|^2 \\
 & + \frac{r^2}{J} \left| -\text{in} \frac{fJ}{r^2} (\tilde{U} + \tilde{X}l_{q,\psi}) + \frac{\partial \tilde{U}}{\partial \chi} + \frac{Jf}{r^2} \frac{\partial \tilde{X}}{\partial \psi} + f \frac{\partial}{\partial \psi} \left(\frac{J}{r^2} \right) \tilde{X} \right|^2 \\
 & + \frac{\Gamma \mu_0 p}{J} \left| \text{in} J(\tilde{U} + \tilde{X}l_{q,\psi}) + J \frac{\partial \tilde{X}}{\partial \psi} + \frac{\partial J}{\partial \psi} \tilde{X} \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \frac{\partial \tilde{Y}}{\partial \chi} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \chi} \left(\frac{r^2}{f} \right) \tilde{U} + \frac{r^2}{f} \frac{\partial \tilde{U}}{\partial \chi} \right|^2 \\
 & - 2JX^2K
 \end{aligned}$$

BOUNDARY CONDITION

With the ballooning angle transformation, the computation domain remains

$$\chi_0 \leq \chi \leq \chi_0 + 2\pi$$

But the boundary condition is changed from

$$\xi(\chi_0 + 2\pi) = \xi(\chi_0)$$

to

$$\tilde{\xi}(\chi_0 + 2\pi) = \tilde{\xi}(\chi_0) e^{2in_q(\psi)\pi}$$

VACUUM ENERGY

The vacuum package has to be modified to accept the $\tilde{\xi}$ as input variable

$$\delta W_v = \sum_{ij} X_i w_{ij}^{\text{vac}} X_j$$

transforms into

$$W_v = \sum_{ij} \tilde{X}_i \tilde{w}_{ij}^{\text{vac}} \tilde{X}_j$$

where

$$\tilde{w}_{ij}^{\text{vac}} = e^{in[q(\chi_i) - q(\chi_j)]} w_{ij}^{\text{vac}}$$

For high n , accurate vacuum energy computation requires putting more grid points at the vacuum boundary than inner plasma surfaces

MODIFICATIONS TO THE GATO CODE PACKAGE

(1) Mapping: Compute $I_q(\chi, \psi), I_{q,\psi}$

(2) Matrix Elements Generation:

Compute $\delta W_I, \delta W_V$

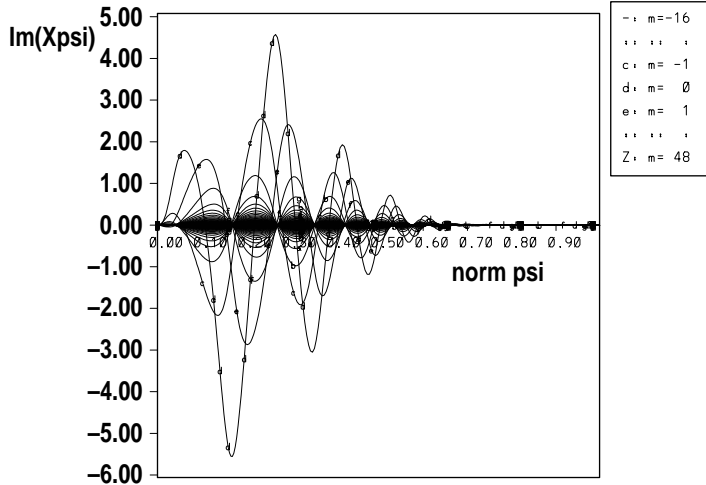
(3) Eigenvalue Solver: No change

(4) Plotting: transform back from $\tilde{\xi}$ to ξ

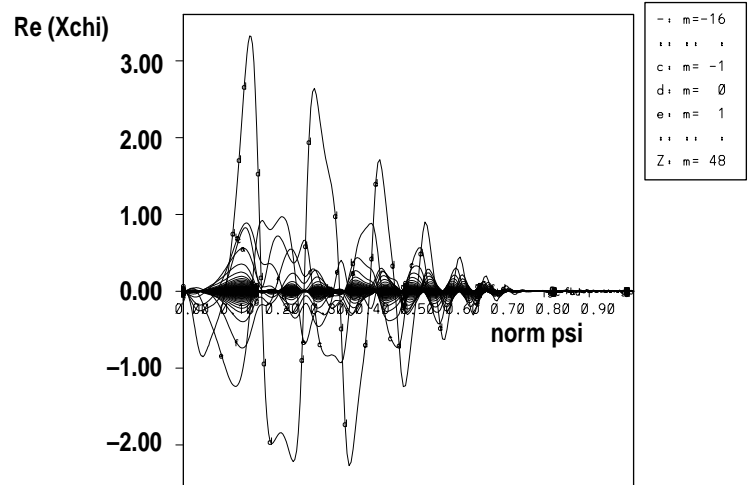
COMPARISON OF $n = 10$ MODE FOURIER HARMONICS OF (ξ_ψ, ξ_χ)

With ballooning transformation only low order harmonics are large

Fourier Analysis for imag Xpsi, chi = pest chi

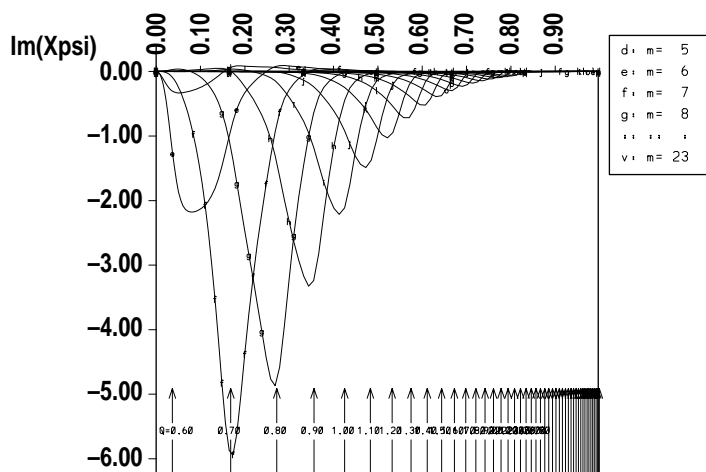


Fourier Analysis for real Xchi : chi = pest chi

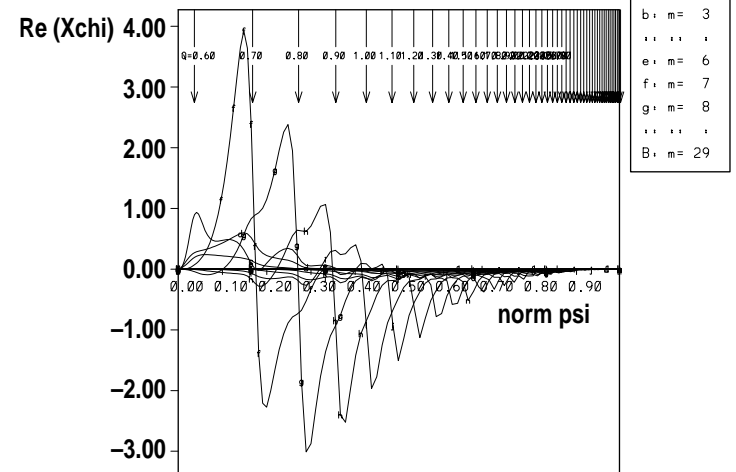


Without ballooning transformation higher order harmonics present

Fourier Analysis for imag Xpsi, chi = pest chi
norm psi

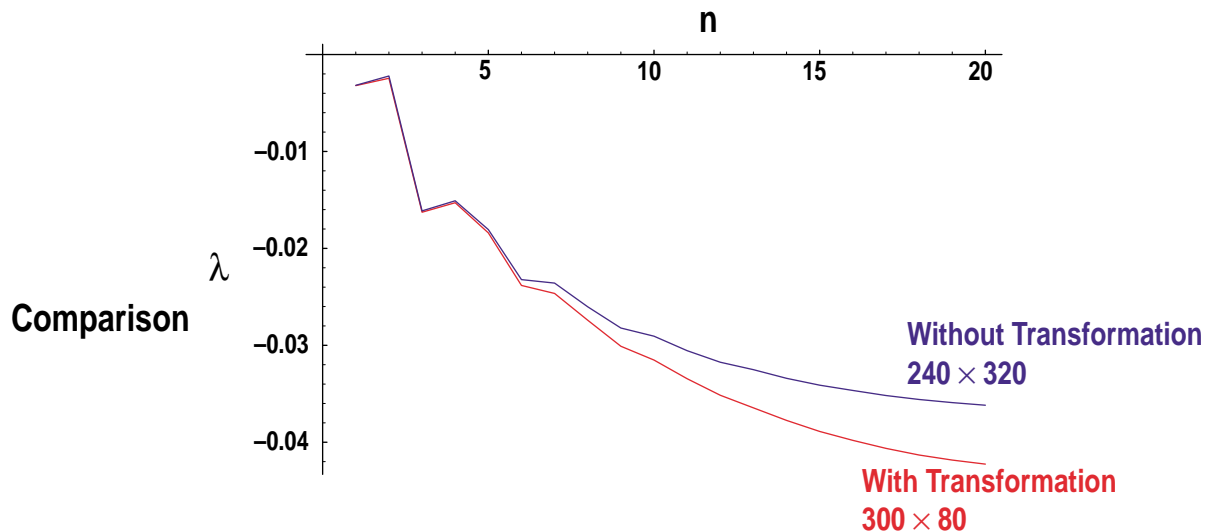
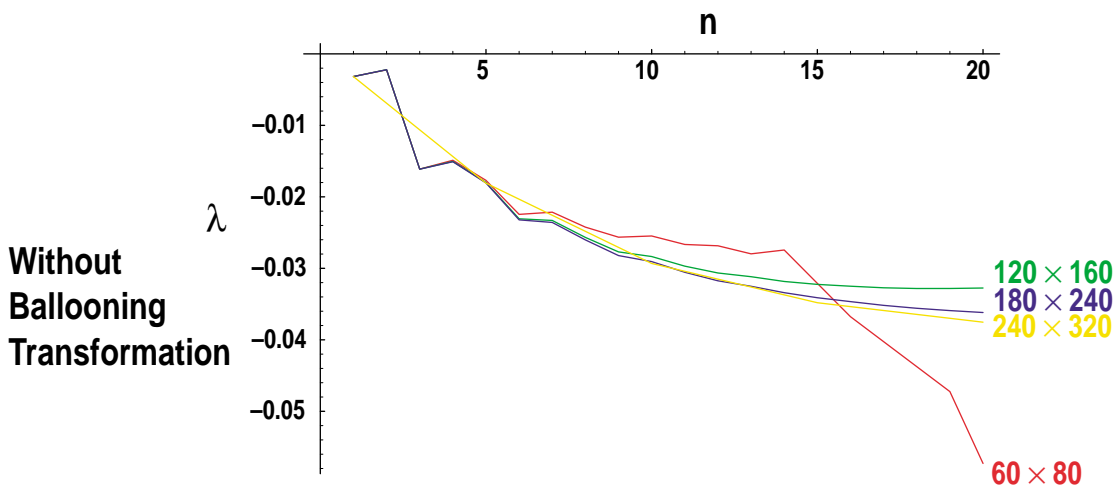
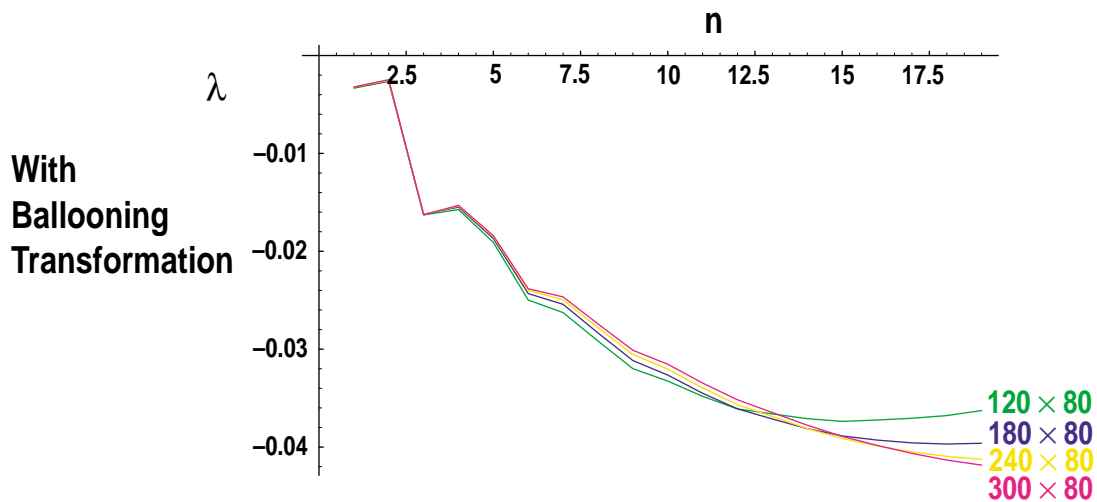


Fourier Analysis for real Xchi : chi = pest chi



COMPARISON OF GROWTH RATES

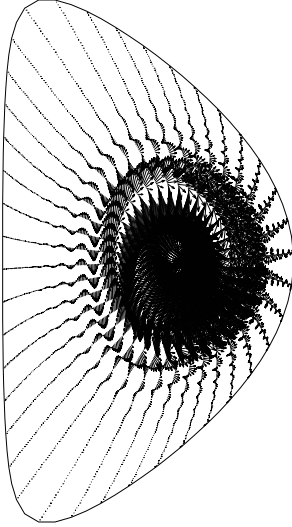
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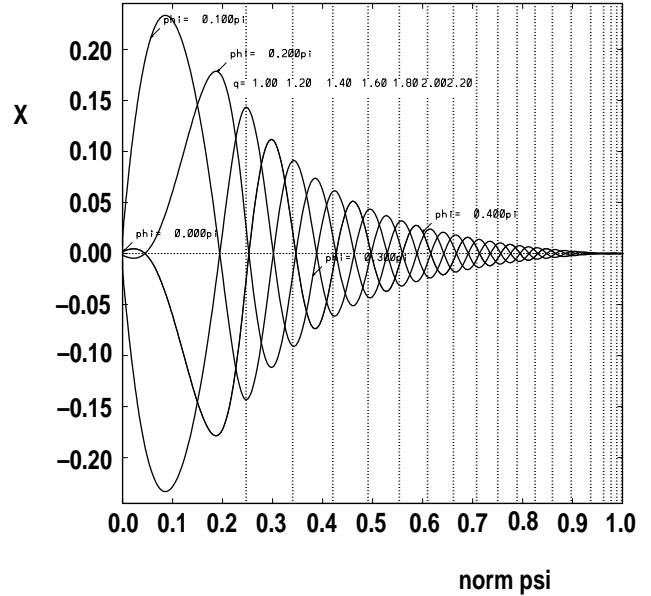
COMPARISON OF $n = 5$ MODE (X)

With ballooning transformation

Rayleigh quotient = $-0.8027E-01$ *** Eigenvalue = $-0.8027E-01$ *** Error = $0.5605E-06$
 Maximum number of iterations = 35 *** 8 Inverse iterations done
 There are 0 eigenvalues less than $-0.8027E-01$ *** nev = 2
 ntor = 5 jpsi = 300 ihtt = 80 next = 1.000 qaxe = 0.80695 phi = 0.00000pi

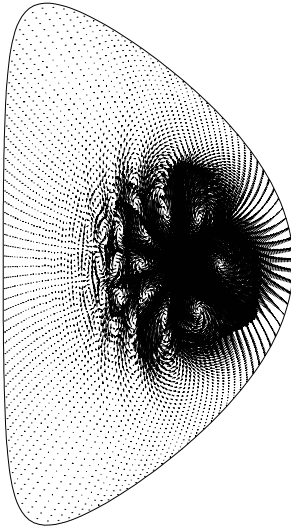


Displacement psi vs. Psi at chi (1) = 0.01250pi

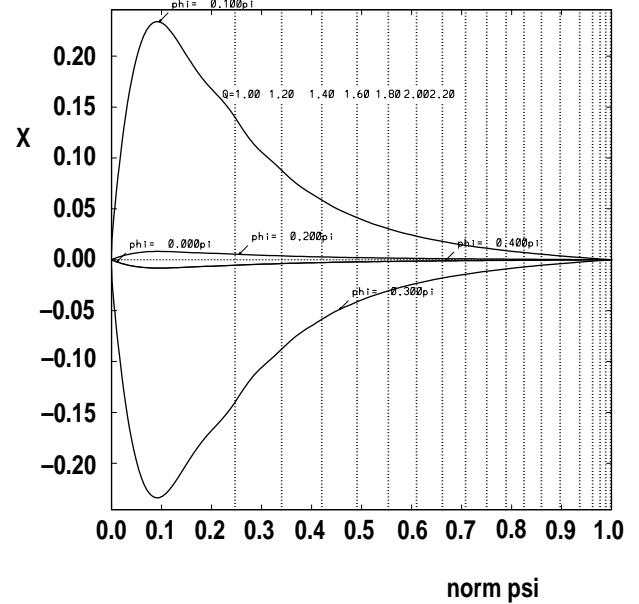


Without ballooning transformation

Rayleigh quotient = $-0.7731E-01$ *** Eigenvalue = $-0.7731E-01$ *** Error = $0.7951E-05$
 Maximum number of iterations = 35 *** 4 Inverse iterations done
 There are 0 eigenvalues less than $-0.7731E-01$ *** nev = 1
 ntor = 5 jpsi = 120 ihtt = 240 next = 1.000 qaxe = 0.80695 phi = 0.00000pi



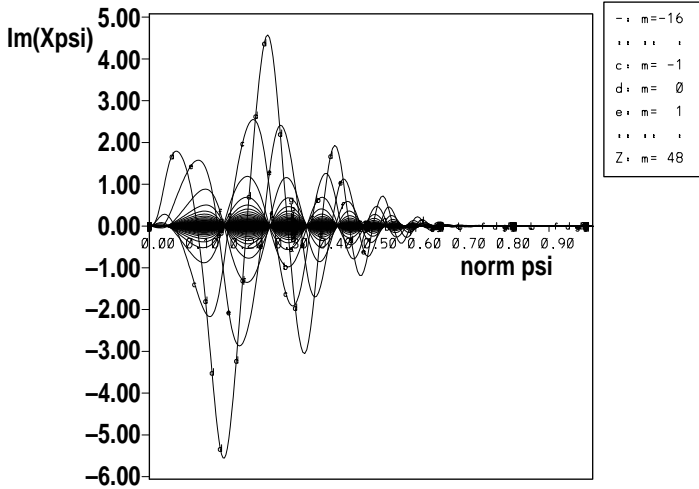
Displacement psi vs. Psi at chi (1) = 0.00417pi



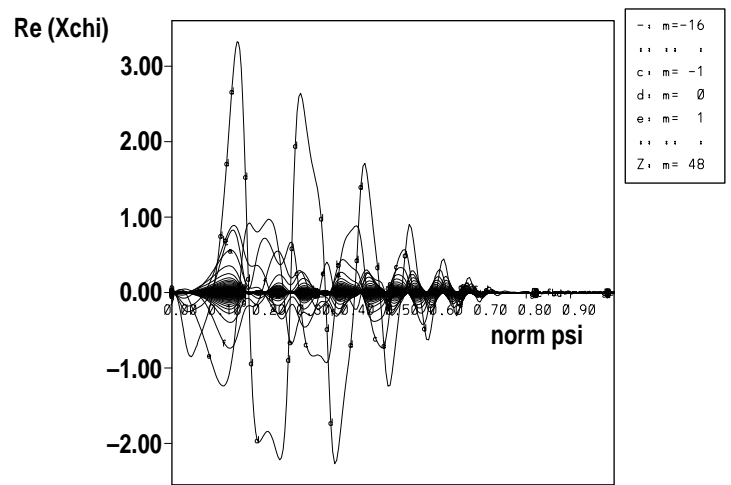
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With ballooning transformation
only low order harmonics are large

Fourier Analysis for imag Xpsi, chi = pest chi

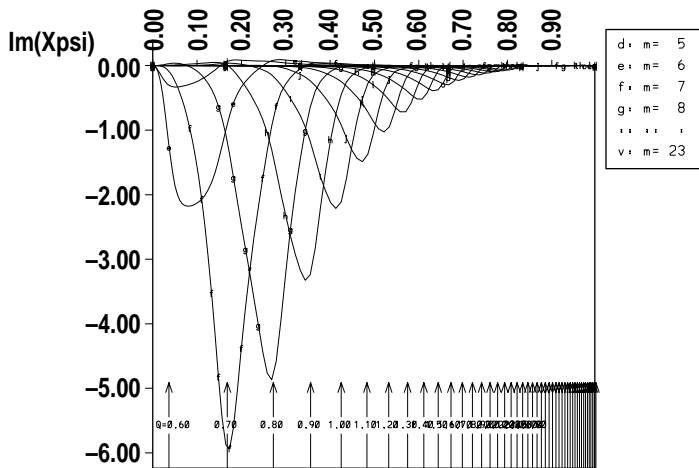


Fourier Analysis for real Xchi : chi = pest chi

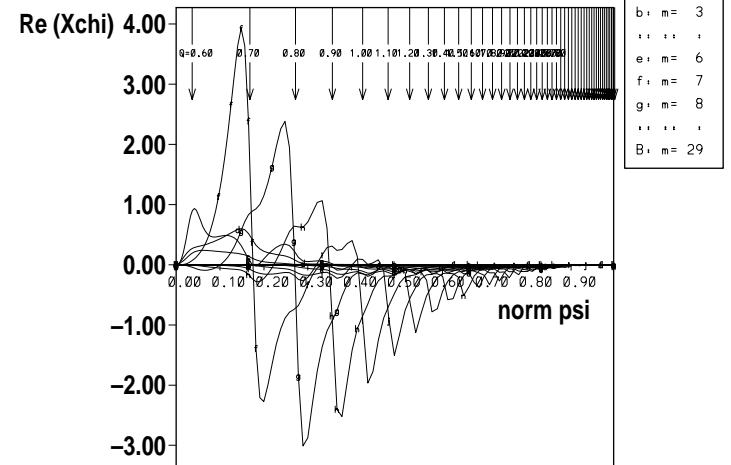


Without ballooning transformation
higher order harmonics present

Fourier Analysis for imag Xpsi, chi = pest chi
norm psi



Fourier Analysis for real Xchi : chi = pest chi

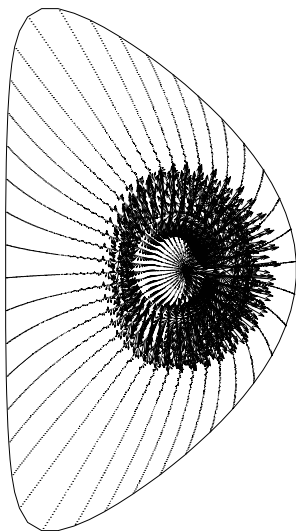


COMPARISON OF $n = 15$ MODE (X)

Structure similar to low n

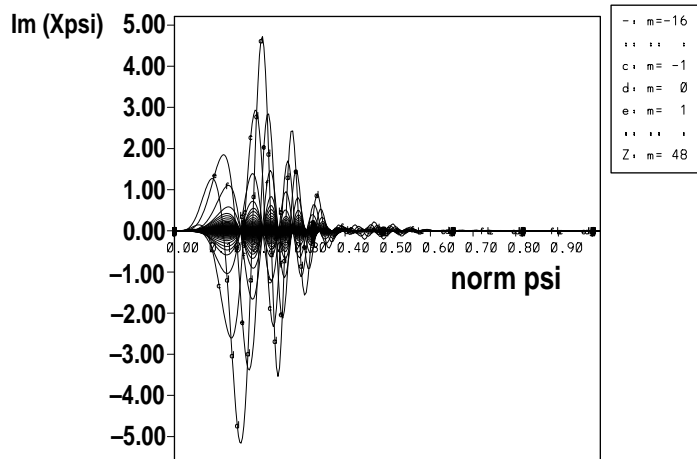
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Rayleigh quotient = -0.1373E+00 *** Eigenvalue = -0.1373E+00 *** Error = 0.8243E-05
Maximum number of iterations = 35 *** 24 Inverse iterations done
There are 0 eigenvalues less than -0.1373E+00 *** nevp = 2
ntor = 15 jpsi = 300 ihtt = 80 next = 1.000 qaxe = 0.80695 phi = 0.00000pi
    
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Lower harmonics

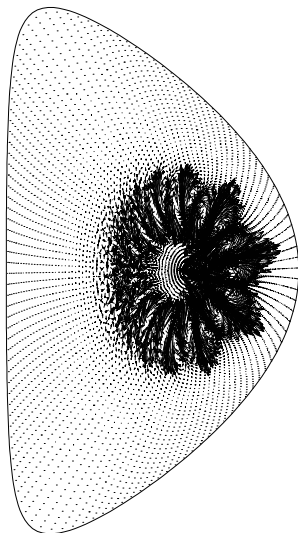
Fourier Analysis for imag Xpsi: chi = pest chi



Finger like structure

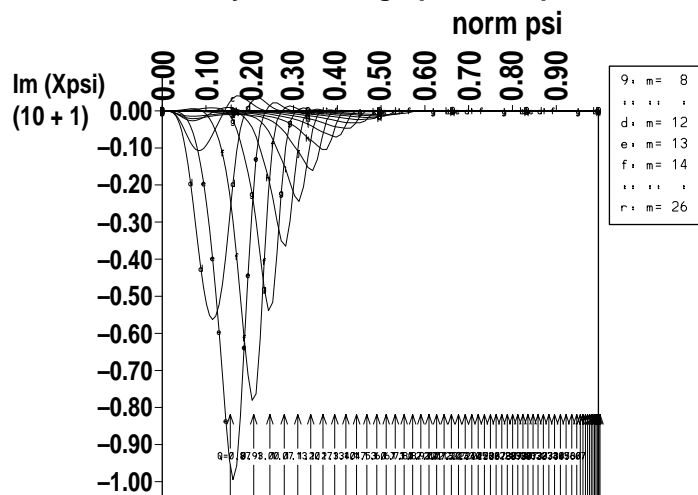
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Maximum number of iterations = 35 *** 35 Inverse iterations done
There are 0 eigenvalues less than -0.1199E+00 *** nevp = 1
ntor = 15 jpsi = 120 ihtt = 240 next = 1.000 qaxe = 0.80695 phi = 0.00000pi
    
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Higher harmonics

Fourier Analysis for imag Xpsi: chi = pest chi



SUMMARY AND FUTURE DIRECTIONS

- (1) The GATO code has been modified to the ballooning variable
- (2) Initial testing utilizing both a circular and an elongated equilibrium in DIII-D geometry indicates that this approach can be utilized to facilitate study of high (~ 20) n stability with modest number of grid points
- (3) The vacuum package needs to be modified to the ballooning variables for the study of peeling modes (with Chance)
- (4) Add an up-down symmetric option

TEST CASE: A HIGH β TOKAMAK WITH A D SHAPE CROSS-SECTION AND $q_0 < 1$

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ntor = 1
ncase = 0
norm = 0
nmod = 0
nit = 0
nlm = 0
jpsf = 60
itht = 80
isym = 0
nmap = 1
lgrid = 0
idnsty = 0
nham1 = 0
nham2 = 0
nham3 = 2
nmesh = 2
pepk0 = 0.5000000E+00
pepk1 = 0.5000000E+00
pepk2 = 0.5000000E+00
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pslinc = 0.9520000E+00
chlwth = 0.0000000E+00
dpsisl = 0.0000000E+00
epsaxs = 0.1000000E-06
stepfac = 0.2000000E-01
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delac = 0.1000000E-01
psispl = 0.1000000E-01
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nustep = 5
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nanglm = 360
narcmx = 721
nbpmax = 5
nltmax = 20
nlmax = 10
nhfmax = 4
ntrymx = 1
nldccr = 7
ntemin = 360
tolspIn = 0.2500000E+00
roundff = 0.1000000E-10
bigno = 0.1000000E-31
ibal = 1

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gato-DIII-D
gato-DIII-D
n = 1 Wall at 1.00*a

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bides = 0.0000000E+00
qxin = 0.0000000E+00
qsurf = 0.2000000E-01
gamma = 0.1666667E+01
rmantl = 0.2000000E-01
rwall = 0
nwall = 60
irext = 0
rext = 0.1000000E+01
nev = 1
nreslv = 0
nbrmax = 10
nismax = 4
ncymax = 2
nitmax = 35
ncyfin = 1
a10 = -0.1000000E-01
da10 = 0.1000000E-02
a10bas = 0.0000000E+00
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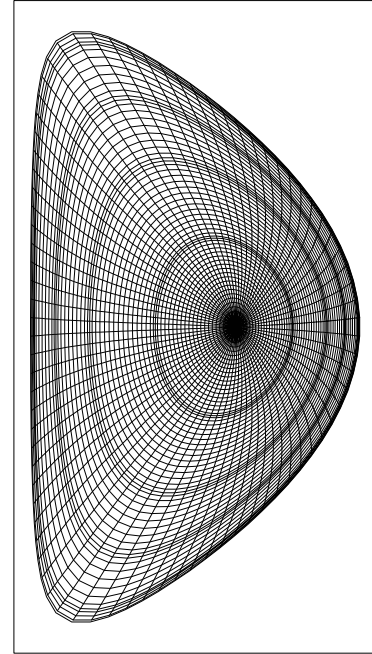
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ncnt = 10
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mshpst = 1
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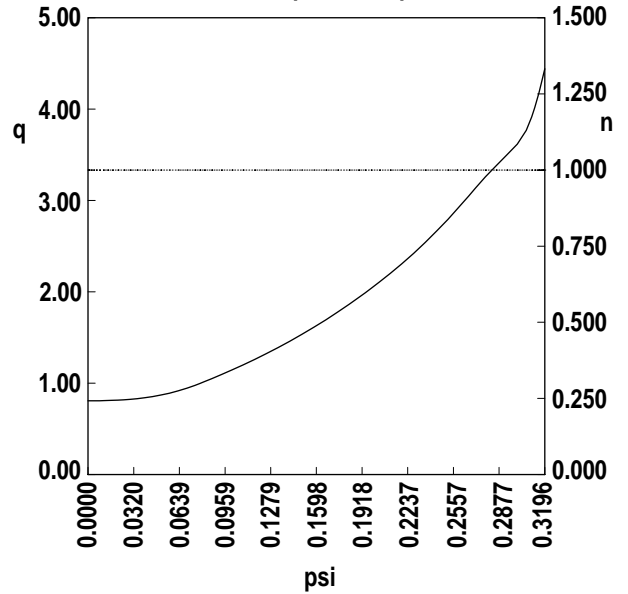
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Equilibrium Grid
Equal Arc coordinates



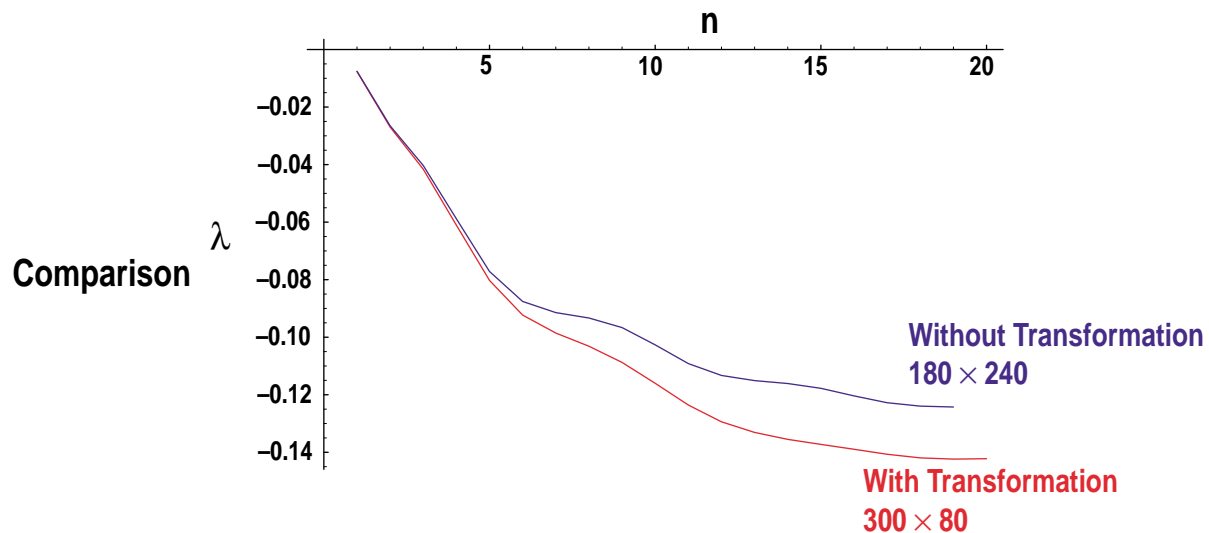
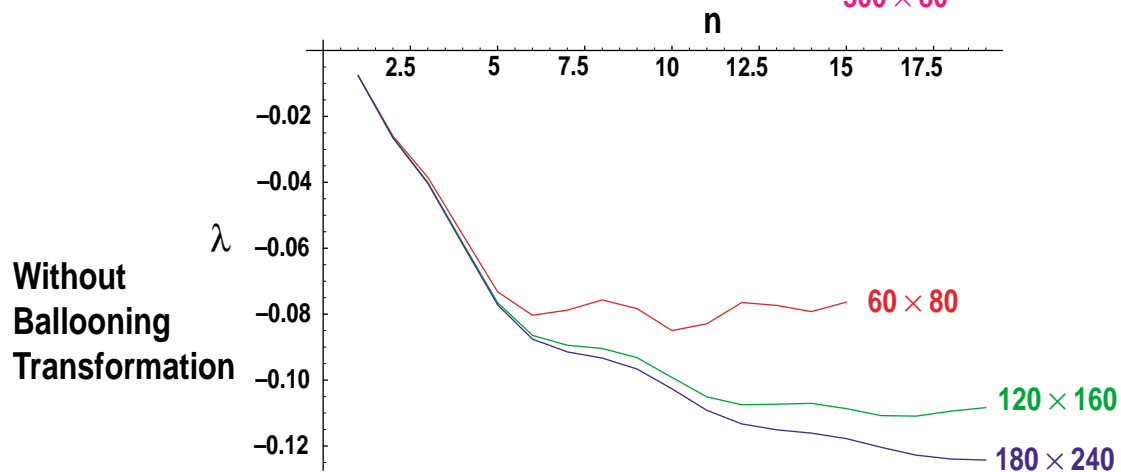
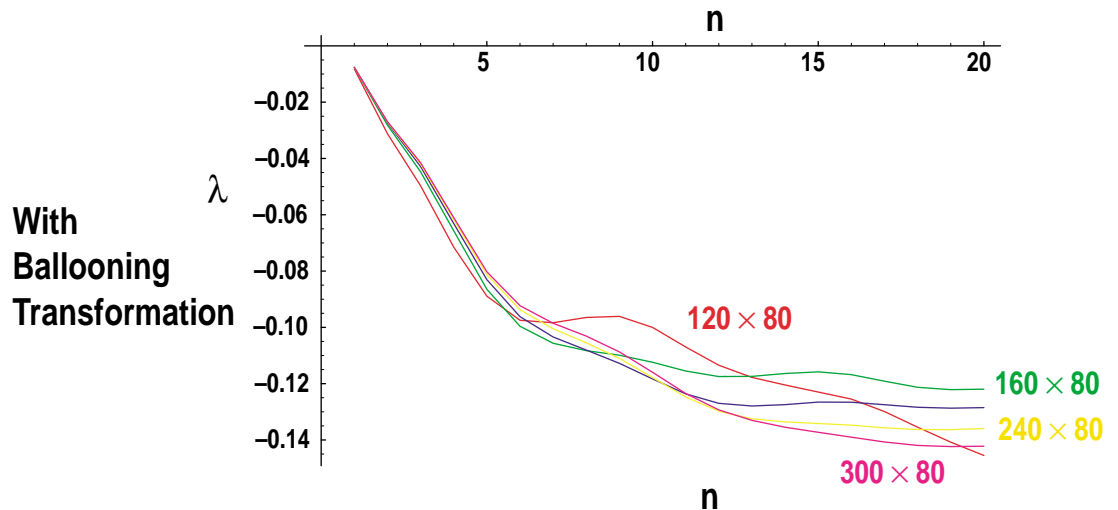
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totcur	1.67798E+06				

Plot of q and n vs psi



COMPARISON OF GROWTH RATES

- For the equilibrium with DIII-D cross-section the growth rate using ballooning transformation converges relatively fast at high n . Shown are the comparison of growth rates as a function of number of flux surfaces and grid points in the poloidal direction ($n_\psi \times n_\chi$).

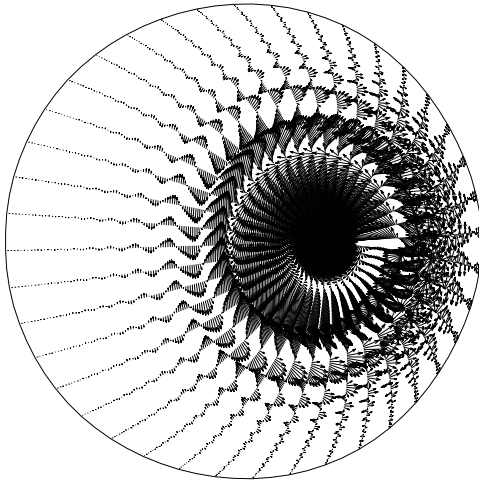


COMPARISON OF $n = 5$ MODE (X)

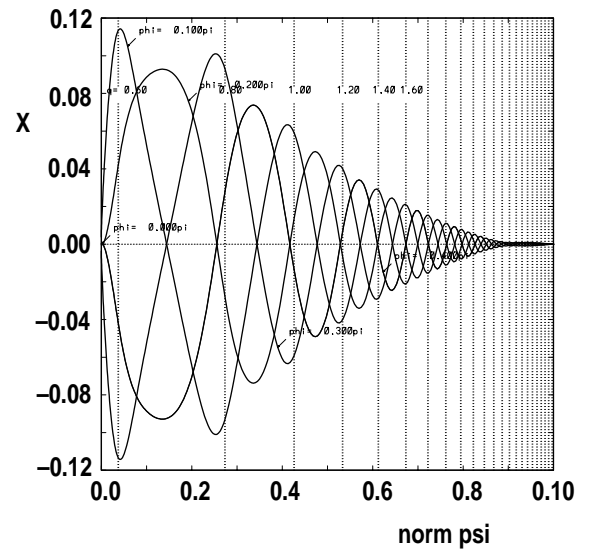
With ballooning transformation

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Rayleigh quotient = -0.1841E-01 *** Eigenvalue = -0.1841E-01 *** Error = 0.7854E-05
Maximum number of iterations = 35 *** 11 Inverse iterations done
There are 0 eigenvalues less than -0.1841E-01 *** nexp = 2
ntor = 5 jpsi = 300 ihti = 80 rext = 1.000 qaxe = 0.57612 phi = 0.00000pi
    
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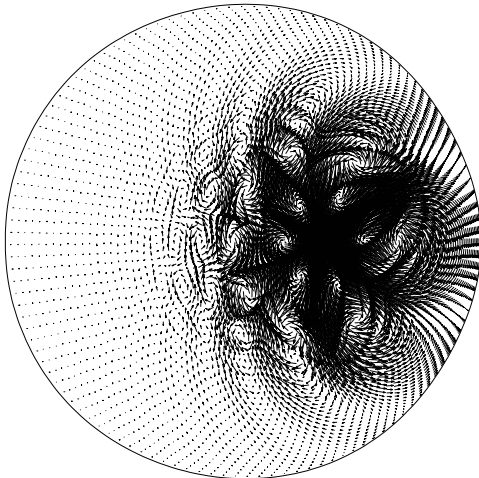
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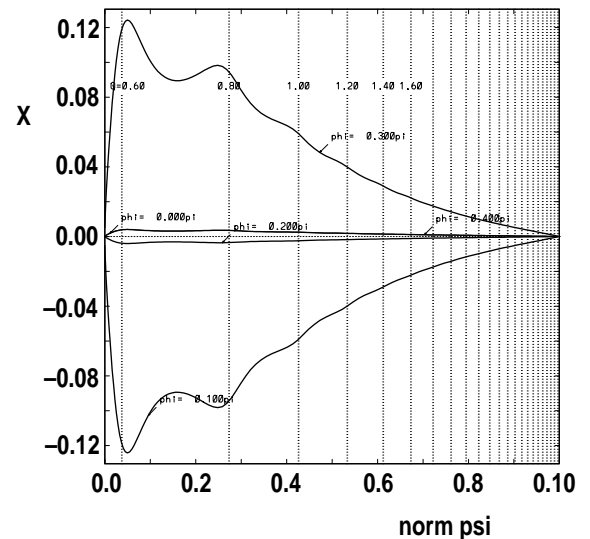
Without ballooning transformation

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Maximum number of iterations = 35 *** 12 Inverse iterations done
There are 0 eigenvalues less than -0.1821E-01 *** nexp = 1
ntor = 5 jpsi = 120 ihti = 240 rext = 1.000 qaxe = 0.57612 phi = 0.00000pi
    
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Displacement psi vs. Psi at chi (1) = 0.00417pi



TEST CASE: A HIGH β TOKAMAK WITH A CIRCULAR CROSS-SECTION AND $q_0 < 1$

```

ntor = 1
ncase = 0
norm = 0
nmod = 0
nit = 0
nlim = 0
jpsi = 60
itht = 80
tsym = 0
nmap = 1
igrd = 0
idnsty = 0
nhan1 = 0
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nhan3 = 2
nmesh = 2
pepk0 = 0.5000000E+00
pepk1 = 0.5000000E+00
pepk2 = 0.5000000E+00
psipak = 0.2000000E+01
psincr = 0.9950000E+00
chiwth = 0.0000000E+00
dpsisl = 0.0000000E+00
epsaxs = 0.1000000E-06
stepfac = 0.2000000E-01
fixstp = 0.1500000E+00
delac = 0.1000000E-01
psispl = 0.1000000E-01
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delpake = 0.0000000E+00
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serarm = 0.1000000E-09
seritm = 0.1000000E-07
arccin = 0.2000000E-02
delgap = 0.1000000E+00
stepcut = 0.5000000E+00
endtol = 0.1000000E+00
cnvtag = 0.1000000E-09
nwtmag = 25
npfit = 150
nustp = 5
npcmin = 1
narcin = 120
nangax = 144
nanglm = 360
narcax = 721
nbpmax = 5
nwtmax = 20
nlimax = 10
nltmax = 4
ntrymx = 1
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tolpsi = 0.2500000E+00
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bigno = 0.1000000E+31
ibal = 1

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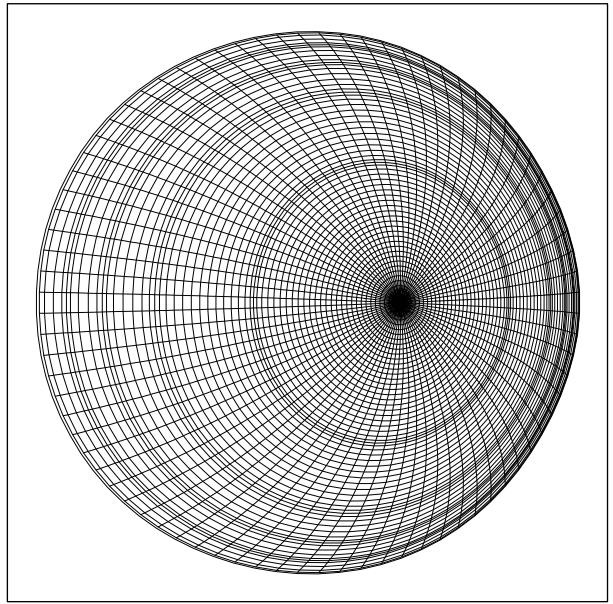
**gato-circle
gato-circle
n = 1 Wall at 1.00*a**

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bides = 0.0000000E+00
qfin = 0.0000000E+00
qsurf = 0.2000000E+01
gamma = 0.1666667E+01
reanll = 0.2000000E-01
ival = 0
nwall = 60
irext = 0
nev = 1
nreslv = 0
nbrmax = 10
nismax = 4
nitmax = 2
ncyfin = 1
a10 = -0.1000000E+01
da10 = 0.1000000E+02
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a10min = -0.4000000E+03
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epscon = 0.1000000E-04
njplot = 100
niplot = 1
nkpj = 2
ncont = 10
ncplot = 10
ncchip = 1
nxisgn = 1
nxiplt = 0
mshpsi = 1
mshchi = 3
nvfft = 0
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toevalp = 0
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toconp = -2
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toutm = 0
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ioutp = 9
npak = 0
nedge = 1
npkmax = 370
nrat = 15
nrepeat = 0
ncutedg = 0
cspak = 0.5000000E+00
pkfrac = 0.6666667E+00
qpfrac = 0.3333333E+00
sedg0 = 0.0000000E+00
sedg1 = 0.0000000E+00
epsrat = 0.1000000E-09
minpak = 1
maxpak = 4
incpak = 4
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swidmx = 0.1000000E+03

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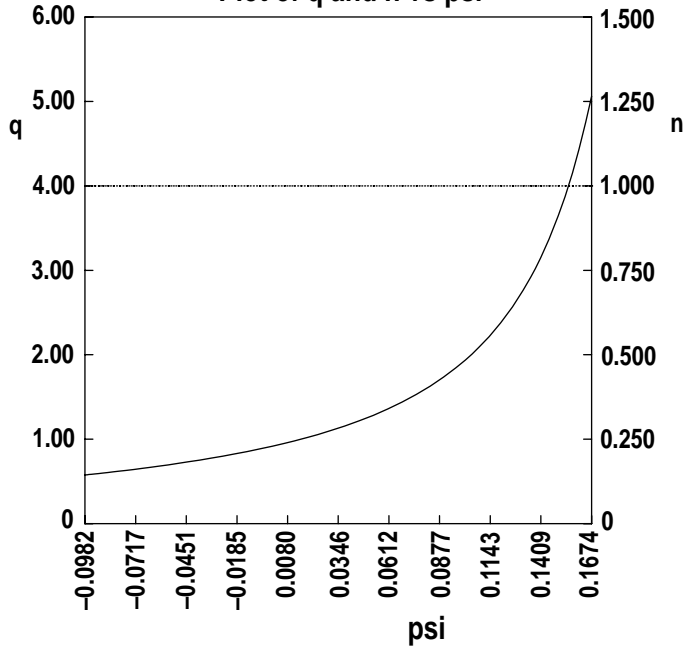
**Equilibrium Grid
Equal Arc Coordinates**



version: vs 09/95

jpsi	60	rcnt	1.63915E+00	qcyl	3.04189E+00
itht	80	rcgeom	1.63904E+00	q0surf	0.00000E+00
nmap	1	aminor	6.20975E-01	volume	0.00000E+00
ncase	0	epsilon	3.78865E-01	vhalf	0.00000E+00
isym	0	capa	9.97535E-01	welln	0.00000E+00
redge	9.55553E-01	triangl	-1.14510E-02	bpave	0.00000E+00
xdim	1.36720E+00	xaxis	1.85023E+00	btave	0.00000E+00
zdim	1.36261E+00	eaxe	1.11984E+00	betap	0.00000E+00
psilim	1.68000E-01	taxe	0.00000E+00	betat	0.00000E+00
psisep	-9.82323E-02	qaxe	5.76124E-01	bporrl	0.00000E+00
psimaxu	-9.82323E-02	qmer	0.00000E+00	allim	0.00000E+00
psimaxl	0.00000E+00	btmer	0.00000E+00	mantle	0.00000E+00
btor	2.06889E+00				
totcur	8.00062E+05				

Plot of q and n vs psi



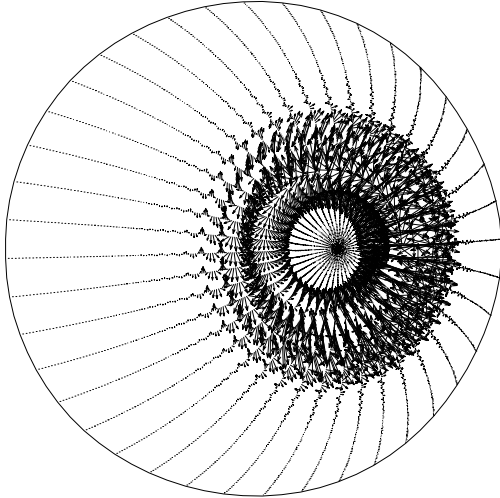
COMPARISON OF $n = 15$ MODE (X)

With ballooning transformation

Structure similar to low n

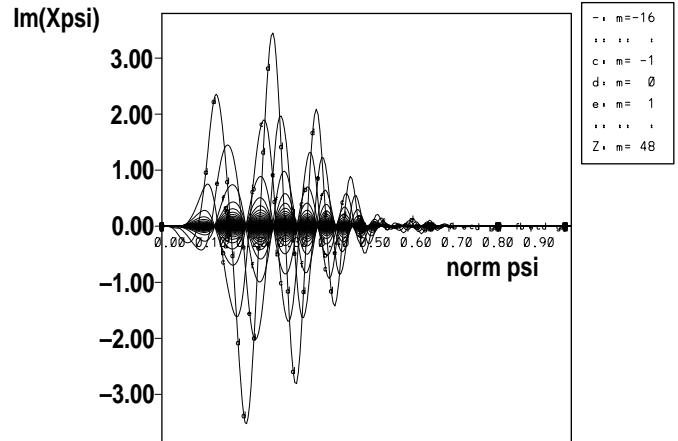
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Rayleigh quotient = -0.3891E-01   ***   Eigenvalue = -0.3891E-01   ***   Error = 0.4460E-06
Maximum number of iterations = 35   ***   9 Inverse iterations done
There are 0 eigenvalues less than -0.3891E-01   ***   nevpt = 2
ntor = 15   jpsi = 300   itht = 80   rext = 1.000   qaxe = 0.57612   phi = 0.00000pi
    
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Lower harmonics

Fourier Analysis for imag Xpsi, chi = chi

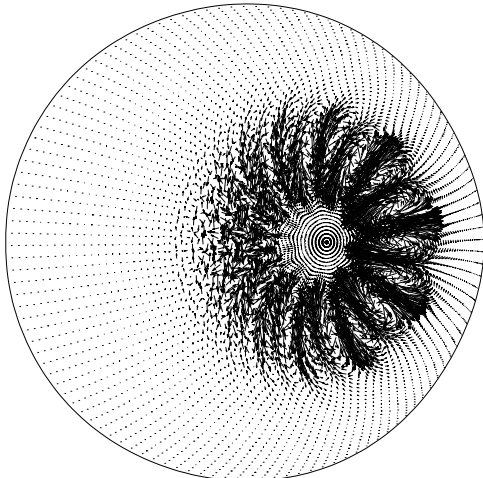


Without ballooning transformation

Finger like structure

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Rayleigh quotient = -0.3530E-01   ***   Eigenvalue = -0.3530E-01   ***   Error = 0.8339E-06
Maximum number of iterations = 35   ***   5 Inverse iterations done
There are 0 eigenvalues less than -0.3530E-01   ***   nevpt = 1
ntor = 15   jpsi = 120   itht = 240   rext = 1.000   qaxe = 0.57612   phi = 0.00000pi
    
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Higher harmonics

Fourier Analysis for imag Xpsi: pest = chi

