

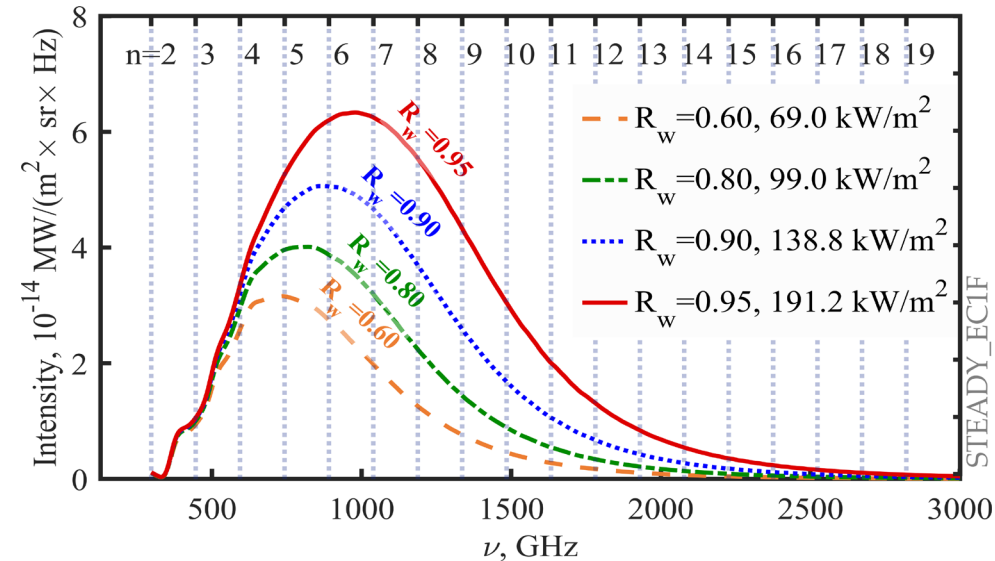
Parametric analysis of spectral intensity of electron cyclotron radiation coming out of plasma in ITER

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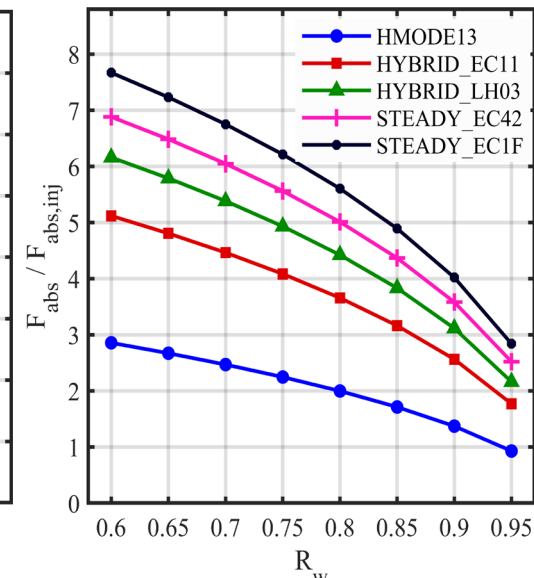
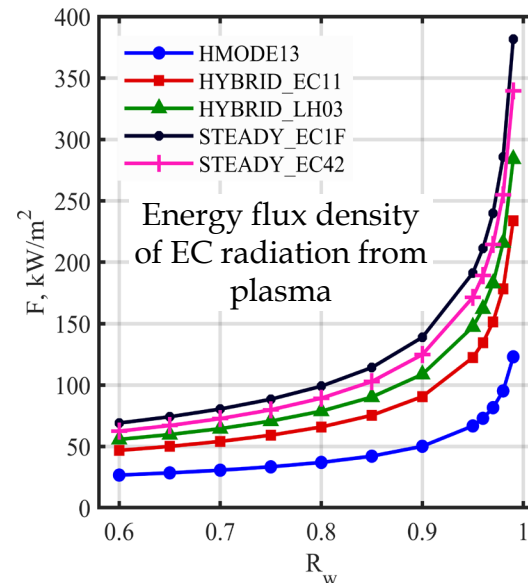


- Next-generation tokamak-reactors (ITER, DEMO): EC radiation from plasma will be an important factor: **(A)** significant role in the electron power loss balance, **(B)** source of additional thermal and electromagnetic loads on microwave and optical diagnostic.
- Impact of plasma-generated EC radiation upon diagnostics must be investigated (important for mm-wave diagnostics in ITER: microwave reflectometers and Collective Thomson Scattering system).
- 5 ITER scenarios considered. **CYNEQ** code calculations performed for the intensity of plasma EC radiation, emerging to the wall. Energy flux density in the range 30-200 kW/m² for the wall reflection coefficient in the range $R_w=0.6-0.95$ is predicted. The possible effect of this radiation on the in-vessel components and diagnostics of the ITER is estimated.



Steady-state ITER scenario

$\langle T_e \rangle_V = 15.3$ keV
 $\langle n_e \rangle_V = 0.52 \cdot 10^{20} \text{ m}^{-3}$
 Energy flux density:
 EC harmonics $n \geq 3$,
 $R_w = 0.9$,
 $F_{n \geq 3} = 138.8 \text{ kW/m}^2$
 $n=1, 2, F_{1,2} = 2.7 \text{ kW/m}^2$



The ratio of two values of energy density absorbed by stainless steel material:
 (1) absorption of EC radiation emerging from the plasma at the flat-top stage of the discharge, F_{abs} , (2) absorption of ECH stray radiation at the start-up stage of the discharge, $F_{abs,inj}$ (injected total ECH power 6.7 MW, neglecting plasma absorption)