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NONLINEAR LONGITUDINAL RESONANCE INTERACTION OF ENERGETIC CHARGED PARTICLES AND VLF WAVES IN THE MAGNETOSPHERE

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#### ABSTRACT

This study treats the longitudinal resonance of waves and energetic electrons in the earth's magnetosphere, and the possible role this resonance may play in generating various magnetospheric phenomena. The first part of the study is concerned with the derivation of time-averaged nonlinear equations of motion for energetic particles longitudinally resonant with a whistler mode wave propagating with non-zero wave normal. It is shown that the wave magnetic forces can be neglected at lower particle pitch angles, while they become equal to or larger than the wave electric forces for  $\alpha>30^{\circ}$ . The time-averaged equations of motion were used in test particle simulations which were done for a wide range of wave amplitudes, wave-normals, particle pitch angles, particle parallel velocities, and in an inhomogeneous medium such as the magnetosphere. It was found that there are two classes of particles, trapped and untrapped, and that the scattering and energy exchange for those two groups exhibit significantly different behavior. The trapped particles are characterized by a bounded phase variation (with respect to the wave) which is less then  $2\pi$ , whereas the phase variation of untrapped particles is unbounded. It is also found that the trapping of the particles requires that the wave amplitude exceed a certain threshold value, and that the trapped electrons become space bunched due to the interaction. The full distribution simulations indicate that the expected particle precipitation is considerably smaller (one order of magnitude) compared to gyroresonance-induced precipitation for waves of comparable amplitude, which shows that the scattering efficiency of the longitudinal resonance is small. amplitude threshold effect, together with the space bunching effect, was found to support one of the mechanisms suggested to explain whistler precursors.

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#### I. INTRODUCTION

#### A. ORGANIZATION OF MATERIAL

This study treats longitudinal resonance interactions between energetic electrons and VLF waves in the earth's magnetosphere. The aim was to derive suitable analytical methods for test particle studies, and then to use those methods to investigate various aspects of the longitudinal resonance process.

The first part of the study is concerned with the derivation of equations of motion and their applications to the longitudinal resonance for a wide range of magnetospheric parameters. The second part gives the results of the numerical simulation of wave-particle interactions. The numerical simulations are done using a test particle approach to determine the perturbations of pitch angle for various wave functions. Also investigated are the perturbations of the full particle distribution and the energy exchange process.

In conclusion the longitudinal resonance interaction is compared to the cyclotron resonance interaction, and is related to phenomena observed in the magnetosphere.

#### B. WAVE-PARTICLE INTERACTIONS IN THE MAGNETOSPHERE

The magnetosphere, a magnetized region extending from about 1000 km altitude up to distance of roughly 100,000 km from the earth, is filled with both 'cold' and 'hot' plasma; the cold plasma consists of electrons and protons with energies in the 0.1-1 eV range, while the hot plasma consists of energetic particles with higher energies in the range from 100 eV to tens of MeV. The cold plasma together with the earth's static magnetic field determines the wave propagation properties of the magnetosphere. The hot plasma is a source of energetic particles which participate in the wave-particle interactions that result in radio wave emissions. As seen from both ground and satellite observations the magnetosphere supports numerous modes of wave propagation. It can be shown that the hot plasma, due to its very low density, does not affect the wave dispersion properties of the magnetosphere, i.e. the dispersion of waves can be explained assuming that only cold plasma is present.

It is known that very-low-frequency waves can propagate in the magnetosphere with phase velocities much smaller than the velocity of light, and that those waves, called whistler-mode waves, can undergo interactions with energetic particles both through longitudinal resonance and cyclotron (gyro) resonance. In longitudinal resonance the particle parallel velocity is matched to the wave phase velocity, whereas in the cyclotron resonance the doppler-shifted frequency of the wave (shifted due to the particle parallel velocity) matches the gyrofrequency of the energetic particle. Both types of interactions may induce perturbations of the energetic particle distribution through

pitch angle scattering, and may also result in different types of radio wave emissions, wave amplification (growth) and wave attenuation. The purpose of this study is to investigate the longitudinal resonance interactions of energetic particles with whistler mode signals propagating at an oblique angle to the static magnetic field. The approach taken is to use a test particle analysis and to study how the resonance process depends on various parameters. The particle trajectories are then used to estimate other effects such as wave growth/damping and particle trapping and precipitation. The trajectory calculations were done using a set of nonlinear equations of motion which are averaged over one gyroperiod [Inan and Tkalcevic, 1982].

### C. PREVIOUS WORK ON LONGITUDINAL RESONANCE

The longitudinal resonance process has been invoked by many authors to explain various magnetospheric wave phenomena. One of the early works considered the traveling-wave-tube type of process as a generation mechanism for VLF emissions [Gallet and Helliwell, 1959], and this process was also considered for amplification of whistler mode signals [Brice, 1961]. The traveling-wave-tube mechanism was also considered by Dowden [1962] as a possible mechanism of hiss generation. Bell [1964] derived linearized solutions for the trajectories of longitudinally resonant particles, but these have not been extended to cover the nonlinear regime. The various emission-generation theories have been reviewed by Brice [1964], including both Cerenkov radiation and the traveling wave amplification hypothesis. The Cerenkov mechanism

is a process in which charged particles radiate electromagnetic waves as they travel through a medium. The necessary condition for the existence of this type of radiation, called a coherence condition, is easily found, and is the same as the condition required for the longitudinal interaction between the wave and the particle. Therefore, it is evident that those two processes, the longitudinal resonance interactions and Cerenkov radiation, are based on the same physical principle.

The Cerenkov radiation mechanism has been suggested by many authors [Ellis, 1959,1960; Dowden, 1960; McKenzie, 1963] in order to explain VLF hiss. The problem of stability of whistler mode signals, i.e. the possibility of wave growth, accounting both for longitudinal and gyroresonance effects, was discussed by Kennel and Petschek [1966], Kennel and Thorne [1967], and also by Brinca [1972]. The work on radiation from moving charged particles, which includes Cerenkov radiation, includes the analysis done by Liemohn [1965]. Mansfield [1967], and Seshadri [1967]. A good review of work done on Cerenkov radiation, along with additional analysis of the hiss power density spectrum, was given by Taylor and Shawhan [1974]. Their work gives examples of the power spectral density of hiss, both measured [Gurnett, 1966; Gurnett and Frank, 1972], and calculated [Jorgensen, 1968; Lim and Laaspere, 1972]. Swift and Kan [1975] showed that an electron beam can excite a whistler mode instability near the resonance cone through the longitudinal resonance interaction. Maggs [1976] and Kumagai at al. [1980] investigated beam amplification due to Cerenkov radiation from longitudinally resonant electrons, and considered this type of beam instability as a generating mechanism of VLF hiss. The whistler

precursor generation mechanism of Park and Helliwell [1977] was based on modifications of the particle distribution function achieved through longitudinal interaction between whistlers and energetic electrons.

Most of the above studies were primarily concerned with wave growth calculations using the wave dispersion relation. On the other hand, the detailed nonlinear motion of longitudinally resonant particles was studied only for the case of electrostatic waves [Nunn, 1971; 1973]. Palmadesso [1973] derived equations of motion for a case of oblique propagation, and used particle trajectories to estimate the nonlinear time dependent Landau damping rate of the wave.

#### D. CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE PRESENT WORK

The motion of electrons longitudinally resonant with a whistler mode wave propagating at an angle to the static magnetic field is represented by a simple set of equations motion which are averaged over the cyclotron period. It is shown that these nonlinear equations are a very accurate representation of the electron motion for a wide range of magnetospheric parameters.

Using the time-averaged nonlinear equations of motion in numerical simulations involving whistler mode signals propagating in an inhomogeneous medium it was found that the effects of wave magnetic forces can be neglected for low pitch angles, high wave normal angle, and/or high normalized wave frequency. At the higher pitch angles the wave magnetic forces become very important and it is necessary to

include the additional force terms as derived.

The sample calculations indicate that there are two classes of electrons, distinguished by the behavior of their phases with respect to the wave. In a case when the phase variation is bounded, i.e. less then  $2\pi$ , the electron is said to be trapped, whereas unbounded phase variation characterizes the untrapped electrons. The scattering and corresponding energy exchange for the trapped and untrapped electrons exhibit significantly different characteristics.

It is also found that the trapping of electrons is easier under conditions of spatial amplitude variation of a narrowband signal rather than for a constant amplitude. Analysis was done for a constant amplitude CW signal, a CW signal amplified at the equator through gyroresonance, and also for a spatial amplitude variation of the pulse formed by a nonducted signal.

It is also shown that the longitudinal resonance process involves a wave amplitude threshold effect, i.e. the trapping of electrons is possible only if the amplitude of the wave parallel electric field E<sub>II</sub> exceeds a certain value. The trapped electrons also become space bunched and temporarily increase the electron density over a particular range of parallel velocities.

The full distribution results show that the expected precipitation is small when compared to gyroresonance—induced precipitation for waves of comparable amplitude. In general, the results indicate that the longitudinal resonance scattering efficiency (scattering vs. amplitude) is considerably smaller, i.e. the efficiencies of the two processes differ by as much as an order of

magnitude.

The amplitude threshold effect was tested on whistler precursors, and it was found that the whistler amplitudes are well correlated with the occurrence of precursors, i.e. only whistlers with amplitudes above a certain threshold resulted in precursors. This provides support for the whistler precursor generation mechanism suggested by Park and Helliwell [1977], which involves longitudinal resonance interactions, and therefore it should exhibit a threshold effect as indicated by the measurements.

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#### II. BASIC PHYSICS AND TIME AVERAGED EQUATIONS OF MOTION

#### A. MOTION OF CHARGED PARTICLES IN EARTH'S MAGNETIC FIELD

Motion of the charged energetic particles in the magnetosphere is governed by the earth's magnetic field. The earth's field in the inner magnetosphere can be approximated by the dipole model with the magnetic field strength B given as

$$B_0 = 0.312 \cdot 10^{-4} (R_0/R)^3 \cdot (1 + 3\sin^2 \lambda)^{1/2} Wb/m^2$$
 (2.1)

where  $\lambda$  is the geomagnetic latitude, R is geocentric radius, and R<sub>o</sub> is the radius of the earth. The axis of the magnetic dipole is inclined with respect to the rotation axis by  $11^{\circ}$ .

The motion of a particle in the magnetosphere is uniquely described by either the parallel and perpendicular velocities of the particle,  $v_{\shortparallel}$  and  $v_{\centerdot}$  respectively, or by the parallel (perpendicular) velocity and pitch angle  $\alpha$  = arctan( $v_{\centerdot}$ / $v_{\shortparallel}$ ). Fig. 2.1 shows a typical geometry with the definitions of  $v_{\shortparallel}$ ,  $v_{\backprime}$ , and  $\alpha$ .

It can be shown that for a spatially changing magnetic field, such as the earth's magnetic field given by Eq.2.1, charged particles will bounce forth and back along the field line between the mirror points [Northrop, 1963; Buneman 1980]. This is so because the particle perpendicular velocity must change in order to satisfy adiabatic

invariants, while the total kinetic energy of the particle must remain constant. The first adiabatic invariant is the invariance of the orbital magnetic moment, given as

$$W_{\perp}/B = constant$$
 (2.2)

where  $W_{\perp}$  is the perpendicular kinetic energy of the particle.

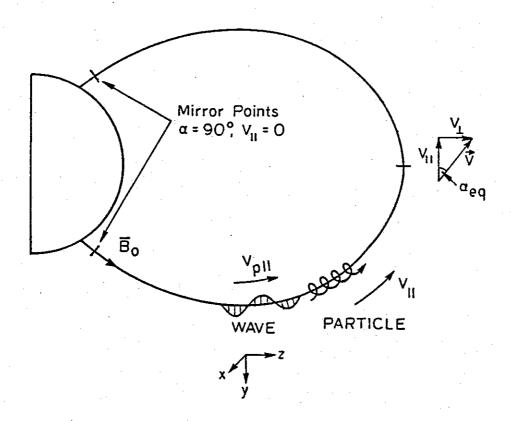


FIGURE 2.1 DIPOLE GEOMETRY AND SYMBOLS USED FOR PARTICLE IDENTIFICATION. Note that the z-axis is aligned with the magnetic field line and that both the wave and the particles travel in the  $\pm z$  direction. Particle orbits are described in terms of equatorial values of  $v_n$  and  $\alpha$ .

The second adiabatic invariant requires that the magnetic flux through the circle described by the particle gyrating around the field line remains constant, or

$$r_{\rm H}^2 \times B = {\rm constant}$$
 (2.3)

where  $\boldsymbol{r}_{\boldsymbol{H}}$  is the electron gyroradius.

Thus if the magnetic field  $\overline{B}_0$  increases, the perpendicular kinetic energy  $W_1$  must also increase according to Eq. 2.2. Furthermore, the parallel energy  $W_n$  of the particle must decrease so that the total energy  $W_n + W_1$  remains constant. Therefore, the particle pitch angle  $\alpha = \arctan\left(\sqrt{\frac{W_1}{W_n}}\right)$  increases as  $\overline{B}$  increases up to the point where  $\alpha = 90^{\circ}$ . At this point the parallel velocity of the particle has been reduced to zero, and the particle begins to travel in the opposite direction along the same field line. When the particle reaches the conjugate point where again  $\alpha = 90^{\circ}$ , the process repeats. Hence the particle bounces back and forth along the magnetic field line between the two mirror points where  $v_n = 0$ .

Finally, the motion of a particle trapped along a field line can be described by the following equations

$$\frac{dv_n}{dt} = -\frac{v_\perp^2}{2B_0} \cdot \frac{dBo}{dz}$$
 (2.4)

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}_{\perp}}{d\mathbf{r}} = \pm \frac{\mathbf{v}_{\parallel} \ \mathbf{v}_{\perp}}{2\mathbf{B}_{0}} \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{B}_{0}}{d\mathbf{z}} \tag{2.5}$$

which can be derived from the first adiabatic invariant and the law of

energy conservation.

#### B. LONGITUDINAL RESONANCE

The bounce motion of the particles can be affected by resonant interactions between waves and the particles. The resonance condition is satisfied whenever the doppler-shifted frequency of the wave seen by the particle is equal to an integral multiple of the particle gyrofrequency, i.e.

$$\omega - k_{H} v_{H} = m \omega_{H} \qquad m = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, ...$$
 (2.6)

where  $\omega$  is the wave frequency,  $k_{_{\rm H}}$  is the wave number in the direction of the static magnetic field, and  $\omega_{_{\rm H}}$  is the particle gyrofrequency.

The resonance condition given by Eq. 2.6 can be further divided into three subgroups according to different values of the parameter m. For m>0 we have the resonance condition for the m-th order gyroresonance; m<0 is the resonance condition for the m-th order anomalous gyroresonance; m=0 yields the resonance condition for the longitudinal or Landau resonance. The last condition is given as

$$\omega - k_n v_n = 0 \tag{2.7}$$

or

$$v_{p^{n}} = v_{n} \tag{2.8}$$

where  $\mathbf{v}_{p}$  is the wave phase velocity measured in the direction of the static magnetic field.

Before discussing the longitudinal resonance we should note that this resonance (m=0) is fully separable from the gyroresonances (m≠0), since the longitudinal resonance is possible only when the wave and the particles travel in the same direction, while the gyroresonance condition is satisfied only if the wave and the particles travel in the opposite direction. This separability of the different resonances makes their analysis much simpler. It is still possible for the same particle to interact simultaneously in both resonances with two different waves that satisfy corresponding resonant conditions. In this report we shall limit ourselves to discussion of the longitudinal resonance, although a comparison with the gyroresonance mechanism is given later in the text.

The condition given in Eq. 2.8 is the necessary condition for the longitudinal resonance. However, in order for the particle and the wave to exchange energy through the particle trapping process, the parallel component of the wave electric field must have a non-zero value. Therefore, even if the particle parallel velocity matches the wave phase velocity there will be no energy exchange between the particle and the wave if  $E_{ii} = 0$ . The direction of the energy exchange (whether wave or particle gains energy) depends on the initial velocity of the particle  $v_{ii}$ . In the case when  $v_{ii}$  is initially less than the phase velocity  $v_{ij}$  the particle will gain energy; if the initial  $v_{ii}$  is larger than  $v_{ij}$  the particle will lose some of its energy. We shall now present a simple analytical model for the longitudinal resonance and trapping process similar to that given by Seshadri [1973].

Let us assume that the longitudinal component of the wave electric field, propagating in the homogeneous medium, is given by

$$E_{ii}(s,t) = E_{ii} \sin(k_{ii} \cdot s - \omega \cdot t) \qquad (2.9)$$

where s is the space coordinate. Eq. 2.9 is written in the laboratory coordinate system, but it is useful to do the analysis in the wave frame which moves at the phase velocity  $\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{p}_{i}}$ . In this case a new space coordinate z is defined as

$$z = s - v_{pa}t \tag{2.10}$$

Now, Eq. 2.9 can be rewritten as

$$E_{ii}$$
 (s,t) =  $E_{ii}$  sin  $[k_{ii}$  (s -  $\frac{\omega}{k_{ii}}$  t)] (2.11)

and using Eq. 2.10 and  $v_{p_{ii}} = \frac{\omega}{k_{ii}}$  Eq. 2.11 simplifies to

$$E_{ii}(z) = E_{ii} \sin(k_{ii} z)$$
 (2.12)

The electric field given by the Eq. 2.12 is static in the wave frame and it is possible to derive a corresponding scalar potential  $\Phi(z)$ , by integrating  $E_{\mu}(\eta)$  where  $\eta$  is a dummy variable.

$$\Phi(z) = -\int_{0}^{z} E(\eta) \cdot d\eta \qquad (2.13)$$

$$\Phi(z) = -\int_{0}^{z} E_{\eta_{0}} \sin(k_{\eta}\eta) d\eta \qquad (2.13a)$$

$$\Phi(z) = \frac{E_{H_0}}{k_H} (\cos(k_H z) - 1)$$
 (2.13b)

Next we consider an electron (a similar derivation is possible for other types of charged particles) and its potential energy  $W_{\mathbf{p}}(z)$  which, in the wave frame is given by

$$W_{p}(z) = -e \cdot \Phi(z) \tag{2.14}$$

$$W_{p}(z) = \frac{eE_{H_{0}}}{k_{H}} (1 - \cos(k_{H}z)) = W_{p_{max}} (1 - \cos(k_{H}z)) (2.14a)$$

The constant of the integration is chosen such that the minimum potential energy given by Eq. 2.14a is zero. Thus, the potential energy of the electron is a periodic function, as shown in Fig. 2.2.

It can be shown that the possibility of an electron being trapped depends on the initial kinetic energy of that electron measured in the wave frame. In a case when the initial kinetic energy of an electron, placed at z at the time t=0, is larger than the potential energy given by Eq. 2.14a, Wpmax, there is no net interaction between the wave and electron, regardless of the electron initial velocity. The electron simply slides up and down the potential well as it moves either forward or backward through the wave, and there is no net energy exchange when averaged over one wavelength.

However, if the kinetic energy of the electron in the wave frame,  $W_{\bf k}(t=0)$ , is less than the potential energy given by Eq. 2.14a,

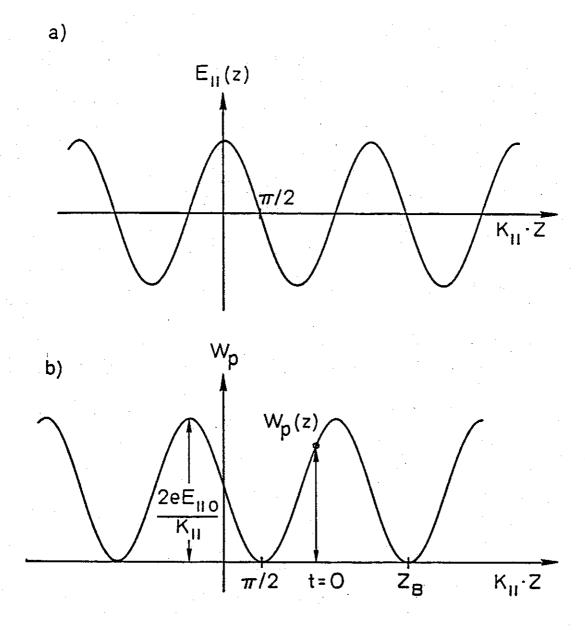


FIGURE 2.2 PARALLEL ELECTRIC FIELD AND THE CORRESPONDING POTENTIAL ENERGY. Both the parallel electric field E, and potential energy  $W_p$  of the electron are periodic functions in a reference frame moving at at the parallel phase velocity  $v_p$ . In (b)  $z_B$  indicates the bottom of the potential well.

 $W_{\mbox{\scriptsize pmax}}$  as shown in Fig. 2.2 the electron is trapped in the potential well. The trapping condition is then given as

$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 m  $(v_{\parallel} - v_{p\parallel})^2 < W_{p_{\text{max}}}$  (2.15)

$$\frac{1}{2} m (v_{ii} - v_{pii})^2 < \frac{eE_{ii_0}}{k_{ii}}$$
 (2.15a)

$$|v_{ii} - v_{pii}| < \sqrt{\frac{2eE_{ii_0}}{mk_{ii}}}$$
 (2.15b)

Rewriting the inequality of Eq. 2.15b as

$$v_{p_{ii}} - \sqrt{\frac{2eE_{ii_{O}}}{mk_{ii}}} < v_{ii} < v_{p_{ii}} + \sqrt{\frac{2eE_{ii_{O}}}{mk_{ii}}}$$
 (2.16)

we have a range of velocities for which it is possible to trap an electron. Therefore, all electrons with parallel velocities that satisfy Eq. 2.16 are trapped in the wave potential well. The trapping velocity bandwidth  $\mathbf{v_t}$  is given as

$$v_{t} = \sqrt{\frac{2eE_{HO}}{mk_{H}}}$$
 (2.17)

Furthermore, it can be shown that the total energy,  $\Delta W$ , exchanged between the wave and electrons during the trapping process is

$$\Delta W = \int_{\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{v}_{\parallel})}^{\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{p}_{\parallel}} + \mathbf{v}_{\mathsf{t}}} \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{v}_{\parallel}) \Delta E \, d\mathbf{v}_{\parallel}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{p}_{\parallel}} - \mathbf{v}_{\mathsf{t}}$$
(2.18)

where  $f(v_n)$  is the electron distribution function;  $\Delta E$  is the amount of

energy exchanged through trapping of a single electron, and it is expressed as

$$\Delta E = \frac{1}{2} m (v_{p_{11}} + \hat{v}_{11})^{2} - \frac{1}{2} m v_{11}^{2}$$
 (2.19)

$$\Delta E = - m_e v_{p_{ii}} (v_{ii} - v_{p_{ii}})$$
 (2.19a)

where  $\hat{v}_n$  is a time-varying periodic function describing the oscillation of an electron at the bottom of the potential well. Expanding  $f(v_n)$  in a Taylor series around  $v_n = v_{p_n}$  we obtain

$$f(v_{ii}) = f(v_{p_{ii}}) + (v_{ii} - v_{p_{ii}}) \frac{\partial f(v_{ii})}{\partial v_{ii}} |_{v_{ii} = v_{p_{ii}}}$$
 (2.20)

and finally substituting Eq. 2.20 in Eq. 2.18 the total energy exchanged in the trapping process,  $\Delta W$ , is given as

$$\Delta W = -\frac{2}{3} m v_{p_{11}} v_{t}^{3} f'(v_{p_{11}})$$
 (2.21)

The result derived in Eq. 2.21 shows that the net energy exchanged between the trapped electrons and the wave depends on the slope of the distribution function at a point where the electron velocity is equal to the phase velocity of the wave. In the case when the number of electrons moving faster is larger than the number of electrons moving slower than the phase velocity, the wave gains energy and its amplitude grows. Similarly, if the number of slow electrons is larger than the number of fast electrons, the amplitude of the wave is

reduced.

The above analysis, using a longitudinal plasma wave and one-dimensional distribution function  $f(v_n)$ , has demonstrated that it is possible to have wave damping in the absence of collisions, also known as Landau damping. It was also shown that the wave amplitude grows if the slope of the distribution function is positive. However, the expressions for the energy exchange were derived assuming that the particles are already trapped. It was also assumed that the medium is homogeneous, and that both the wave and the distribution function are one-dimensional.

In the magnetosphere Eq. 2.18 is still valid, but the trapping process is governed by the particle equations of motion. Thus in order to find the energy exchanged between a wave and particle (  $\Delta E$  in Eq. 2.18) it is necessary to derive the equations of motion for a single particle when it is in longitudinal resonance with waves in the magnetosphere.

# C. NONLINEAR EQUATIONS OF MOTION FOR LANDAU RESONANCE INTERACTIONS WITH A WHISTLER MODE WAVE

Now we consider an elliptically polarized wave propagating in the cold plasma of the magnetosphere with a static magnetic field  $\overline{B}_{0}$ . The wave frequency f is assumed to be less than the electron gyrofrequency  $f_{H}$ ; in that case there is only one propagating wave [Ratcliffe, 1959; Budden, 1961], which is called a whistler wave.

In the most general case all Cartesian components of the wave electric  $\overline{E}_w$  and magnetic field  $\overline{B}_w$  have non-zero values. All of these components can be expressed in terms of  $\delta_z$  through the cold-plasma dispersion relation. Without any loss of generality the wave vector  $\overline{k}$  is confined to the x-z plane, at an angle  $\theta$  from the static magnetic field. The coordinate system used is shown in Fig. 2.3.

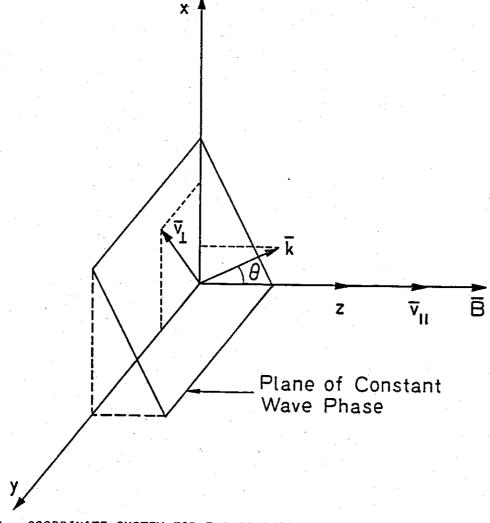


FIGURE 2.3 COORDINATE SYSTEM FOR THE EQUATIONS OF MOTION. The wave vector  $\overline{k}$  is at an angle  $\theta$  from the static magnetic field  $\overline{B}_0$ .

We also assume propagation as exp  $i(\omega t - \overline{k \cdot r})$ . Using a plasma dispersion relation [Stix, 1962]

$$\begin{aligned} \varepsilon_{1} - n^{2} \cos^{2}\theta & -i\varepsilon_{X} & n^{2} \sin\theta \cos\theta \\ i\varepsilon_{X} & \varepsilon_{1} - n^{2} & 0 & \varepsilon_{y} & = 0 \end{aligned} \qquad (2.22)$$

$$n^{2} \sin\theta \cos\theta & 0 & \varepsilon_{n} - n^{2} \sin^{2}\theta & \varepsilon_{z} \end{aligned}$$

all electric field components can be expressed in terms of  $\delta_z$  as follows

$$\delta_{2} = E_{11} \cos(\omega t - \overline{k \cdot r}) \tag{2.23}$$

$$\mathcal{E}_{\mathbf{x}} = \frac{n^2 \sin\theta - \varepsilon_{\text{H}}}{n^2 \sin\theta \cos\theta} \quad \mathbf{E}_{\text{H}} \cos \left( \omega t - \overline{\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r}} \right) \tag{2.24}$$

$$\mathcal{E}_{y} = \frac{\varepsilon_{x}}{n^{2} - \varepsilon_{x}} \frac{n^{2} \sin\theta - \varepsilon_{y}}{n^{2} \sin\theta \cos\theta} E_{y} \sin(\omega t - \overline{k \cdot r})$$
 (2.25)

where  $\epsilon_{\text{H}}$  = 1 -  $\frac{\omega_{p}^{2}}{\omega^{2}}$ ,  $\epsilon_{\text{L}}$  = 1 -  $\frac{\omega_{p}^{2}}{\omega^{2} - \omega_{H}^{2}}$ ,  $\epsilon_{\text{X}}$  =  $\frac{\omega_{H}}{\omega} \frac{\omega_{p}^{2}}{\omega^{2} - \omega_{H}^{2}}$ . The refractive index

n can be derived from Eq. 2.22 as (QL approximation)

$$n^{2} = 1 + \frac{f_{p}^{2}}{f(f_{H}\cos\theta - f)}$$
 (2.25a)

Using Maxwell's equation  $\nabla \times \overline{E} = -\frac{\partial \overline{B}}{\partial t}$  the wave magnetic components are

$$\mathfrak{Z}_{x} = -\frac{k\cos\theta}{\omega} \, \delta_{y} \tag{2.26}$$

$$\mathfrak{B}_{y} = \frac{k \cos \theta}{\omega} \, \mathcal{E}_{x} - \frac{k \sin \theta}{\omega} \, \mathcal{E}_{z} \tag{2.27}$$

$$\mathfrak{B}_{z} = \frac{k \sin \theta}{\omega} \quad \mathcal{E}_{y} \tag{2.28}$$

which can be also expressed in terms of & using Eqs. 2.23, 2.24, and 2.25.

The variation of the total electron velocity  $\overline{\mathbf{v}}$  is governed by the Lorentz force equation

$$m \frac{d\overline{v}}{dr} = q \left[ \overline{E}_{w} + \overline{v} \times (\overline{B}_{w} + \overline{B}_{o}) \right]$$
 (2.29)

where m and q are electron mass and charge. For the case when  $|\overline{B}_w| << |\overline{B}_o|$ , the electron gyromotion can be assumed to be unaffected by the wave to the first order, so that the Cartesian components of the electron velocity vary as

$$v_{\mathbf{Z}} = v_{\mathbf{u}} \tag{2.30}$$

$$v_x = v_{\perp} \cos (\omega_H t + \beta_O)$$
 (2.31)

$$v_y = v_1 \sin (\omega_H t + \beta_Q) \qquad (2.32)$$

where  $\omega_H$  is the electron gyrofrequency and  $\beta_O$  is the initial cyclotron phase. Furthermore, as long as the wave field is much smaller than the earth's magnetic field, it is permissible first to derive the force applied to an electron by the wave fields and then to superimpose the

adiabatic variation of  $v_1$  and  $v_n$ . Therefore, the perturbation of the electron motion induced by the wave fields only is given by

$$m \frac{d\overline{v}}{dt} = q[\overline{E}_w + \overline{v} \times \overline{B}_w]$$
 (2.33)

It is useful to examine each Cartesian component in Eq. 2.33 separately. These three components are given as

$$F_{x} = q[\mathcal{E}_{x} + v_{y}\mathcal{B}_{z} - v_{z}\mathcal{B}_{y}]$$
 (2.34)

$$F_y = q[\delta_y + v_z \beta_x - v_x \beta_z]$$
 (2.35)

$$F_z = q[\mathcal{E}_z + v_x \mathcal{B}_y - v_y \mathcal{B}_x]$$
 (2.36)

Before investigating those equations we simplify cos(  $\omega t$  -  $k \cdot r$ ), which can be expressed as

$$\cos(\omega t - k \cos\theta \cdot z - k \sin\theta \cdot x)$$
 (2.37)

or letting  $\gamma = \omega t - k \cos\theta z$  in Eq. 2.37 we have

$$cos(\gamma - k sin\theta x)$$
 (2.38)

Eq. 2.38 can be further simplified using the fact that

$$x = \frac{v_1}{\omega_H} \sin(\omega_H t + \beta_0)$$
 (2.39)

which is derived by integrating Eq. 2.31. Finally, replacing x in Eq. 2.38 by (2.39)

$$\cos(\omega t - \overline{k \cdot r}) = \cos(\gamma - \eta \sin \phi)$$
 (2.40)

where 
$$\phi = \omega_H t + \beta$$
 and  $\eta = \frac{v_{\perp} k \sin \theta}{\omega_H}$ .

Now, using the result derived in (2.40) we can rewrite three Cartesian components of the Lorentz force as

$$F_{x} = q \left[E_{x} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi) + v_{x} \sin\phi \quad B_{y} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi) - v_{y} B_{z} \cos(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi)\right]$$
 (2.41)

$$F_{y} = q \left[ E_{y} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin \phi) + v_{\parallel} B_{x} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin \phi) - v_{\perp} \cos \phi B_{z} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin \phi) \right]$$
 (2.42)

$$F_{z}=q\left[E_{z}\cos(\gamma-\eta\sin\phi)+v_{\perp}\cos\phi\ B_{y}\cos(\gamma-\eta\sin\phi)\right.$$
 
$$\left.-v_{\perp}\sin\phi\ B_{x}\sin(\gamma-\eta\sin\phi)\right] \tag{2.43}$$

Note that  $E_X$ ,  $E_Y$ ,  $E_Z$ ,  $B_X$ ,  $B_Y$ , and  $B_Z$  are the real magnitudes of the fields, with the phase differences taken separately into account through  $\sin \cos (\gamma - \eta \sin \phi)$  terms.

At this point we have three equations which can be used to describe the motion of particles in resonance with a whistler wave. However, it is desirable to reduce the number of required equations to simplify numerical simulations. In this case it is useful to combine

the x and y components of the Lorentz force in one perpendicular component. This is done by taking the time derivative of the square of the perpendicular velocity  $v_1^2 = v_x^2 + v_y^2$ 

$$v_{\perp}^2 = v_{x}^2 + v_{y}^2 / \frac{d}{dt}$$
 (2.44)

$$v_1 \frac{dv_1}{dt} = v_X \frac{dv_X}{dt} + v_Y \frac{dv_Y}{dt}$$
 (2.44a)

and multiplying it by m/v1

$$m\frac{dv_{\perp}}{dt} = m \frac{v_{x}}{v_{\perp}} \frac{dv_{x}}{dt} + m \frac{v_{y}}{v_{\perp}} \frac{dv_{y}}{dt}$$
 (2.45)

However,  $\frac{v_x}{v_1} = \cos \phi$ ,  $\frac{v_y}{v_1} = \sin \phi$ ,  $m \frac{dv_1}{dt} = F_1$ ,  $m \frac{dv_x}{dt} = F_x$ , and  $m \frac{dv_y}{dt} = F_y$ , and (2.45) reduces to

$$F_{\perp} = \cos\phi F_{X} + \sin\phi F_{y} \qquad (2.46)$$

Now, combining Eqs. 2.46, 2.41, and 2.42 the perpendicular force term is

$$F_{\perp} = \cos\phi \left\{ q \left[ E_{X} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi) + v_{\perp} \sin\phi \quad B_{y} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi) \right] \right.$$

$$\left. - v_{\parallel} B_{Z} \cos(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi) \right] \right\}$$

$$+ \sin\phi \left\{ q \left[ E_{y} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi) + v_{\parallel} B_{X} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi) \right] \right.$$

$$\left. - v_{\perp} \cos\phi B_{Z} \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi) \right] \right\} \qquad (2.47)$$

The motion of a particle is now described in terms of the parallel and perpendicular forces, given respectively by Eqs. 2.43 and

2.47. If the  $\sin_{\cos s} (\gamma - \eta \sin \phi)$  terms in these equations are expanded (Appendix A), the result is an infinite series of harmonics at frequencies  $n\omega_H$  with amplitudes given by  $J_n(\eta)$ . In a general formulation all terms must be kept and Eqs. 2.43 and 2.47 must be used as they stand. However, the equations can be considerably simplified when time averaged over one cyclotron period,  $T_H$ , because the higher order force terms ( $n \ge 2$ ) vanish. Also, qualitatively, the  $v_x 3_y$  term should average out to zero since wave phase does not vary in the y-direction. In the next section we present the necessary conditions for the averaging to be valid, along with the time averaged equations of motion.

## D. TIME AVERAGING OF EQUATIONS OF MOTION

Before averaging Eqs. 2.43 and 2.47 over one gyroperiod we have to make sure that the wave phase variations, as seen by the particles during one gyroperiod, are negligible. For the small field case this condition can be stated as

$$\omega - \overline{k} \cdot \overline{v} \ll \omega_{H} \tag{2.48}$$

which would certainly be the case for the Landau resonance described by

$$\omega - \overline{k} \cdot \overline{v} \simeq 0 \tag{2.49}$$

Note that Eq. 2.49 is the equivalent of Eq. 2.8.

We have stated condition (2.48) assuming small amplitude waves. This requires that the wave field be small enough that it cannot move the particle by a substantial fraction of a wavelength during a gyroperiod. This condition can be stated as

$$\left|a_{p}\right| \frac{1}{f_{H}^{2}} \ll \frac{c}{nf} \tag{2.50}$$

where  $a_p$  is the peak parallel acceleration, c is the speed of light, n is the refractive index,  $f=\frac{\omega}{2\pi}$  is the wave frequency and  $f_H=\frac{\omega_H}{2\pi}$  is the electron gyrofrequency. The peak value of the parallel acceleration  $a_p$  during a gyroperiod can be taken to be that for  $\phi=\frac{3\pi}{2}$  and  $\gamma-\eta\sin\phi=\frac{\pi}{2}$ . From Eq. 2.43 we have

$$|a_{\rm p}| = |\frac{q}{m} (E_{\rm z} - v_{\rm y} B_{\rm x})|$$
 (2.51)

In a order to express  $E_z$  in terms of  $B_x$ , we have from Eq. 2.25

$$\delta_{y} = \rho_{z} \delta_{z} \tag{2.52}$$

where  $\rho_z = i \frac{\varepsilon_x}{n^2 - \varepsilon} \frac{n^2 \sin\theta - \varepsilon_B}{n^2 \sin\theta \cos\theta} = \frac{\delta y}{\delta_z}$ . Substituting Eq. 2.52 in Eq. 2.26

$$B_{x} = -\frac{k \cos \theta}{\omega} \rho_{z} E_{z}$$
 (2.53)

$$E_{\mathbf{Z}} = -\frac{B_{\mathbf{X}}}{\rho_{\mathbf{Z}}} \frac{\omega}{\mathbf{k} \cos \theta} \tag{2.54}$$

Furthermore, for the near resonant particles  $\frac{\omega}{k\cos\theta} = v_{p} = v_{n}$  and Eq. 2.54 yields

$$E_Z = -\frac{B_X}{\rho_Z} v_{ii} \qquad (2.55)$$

Replacing the  $E_z$  in Eq. 2.51 with the above expression the peak acceleration  $\left|a_p\right|$  is

$$|a_p| = \left| \frac{q}{m} \left( -\frac{B_X}{0z} v_n - v_\perp B_X \right) \right|$$
 (2.56)

$$|a_p| = \frac{q}{m} B_x v_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{|\rho_z| \tan \alpha}\right)$$
 (2.56a)

where tan  $\alpha = \frac{v_{\perp}}{v_{\parallel}}$ .

The final step is to substitute (2.56a) in (2.50) in order to get the condition on wave intensity for which the averaging of equations (2.43) and (2.47) is valid;

$$B_{x} \ll B_{u} = \frac{mf_{H}^{2}c}{qv_{1}nf} \frac{|\rho_{z}|\tan\alpha}{1+|\rho_{z}|\tan\alpha}$$
 (2.57)

Thus  $B_{\rm u}$  represents the upper limit on wave magnetic field intensity. Note that  $B_{\rm x}$  is equal to the total transverse  $B_{\rm w}$  for circularly polarized whistler waves. Assuming  $B_{\rm u}$  to have a value much higher ( > 100 times ) than the typical field intensities for whistler mode waves in the magnetosphere [Burtis and Helliwell, 1975], as shown later

in the text, we shall now time average Eqs. 2.43 and 2.47 over one gyroperiod. In doing so we use the identities derived in Appendix A. The averaged equations of motion become

$$< m \frac{dv_z}{dt} > = < q \tilde{\phi}_z > - < q v_y \Re_x >$$
 (2.58)

$$< m \frac{dv_1}{dt} > = < q \&_y > - < q v_z \&_x >$$
 (2.59)

or

$$m \frac{dv_n}{dt} = q E_z J_0(\eta) \left[1 - \frac{v_t \cos\theta}{\omega} \rho_z \frac{J_1(\eta)}{J_0(\eta)}\right] \sin(\omega t - k z \cos\theta) \quad (2.60)$$

$$m \frac{dv_{\perp}}{dt} = -q\rho_{z} E_{z} J_{1}(\eta) \left[1 - \frac{v_{H} k \cos \theta}{\omega}\right] \sin(\omega t - k z \cos \theta) \qquad (2.61)$$

Since the brackets on the left hand sides are dropped,  $\frac{dv_n}{dt}$  and  $\frac{dv_1}{dt}$  should be understood to be the average rates of change of  $v_n$  and  $v_1$ , respectively.

Finally, for an inhomogeneous medium with  $\overline{B}_0$  variable as in the magnetosphere, the adiabatic variations of  $v_{\parallel}$  and  $v_{\perp}$  can be superposed on the wave-induced perturbations as long as the variation of  $\overline{B}_0$  in one wavelength is negligible. Thus the complete averaged nonlinear equations of motion become

$$\frac{dv_{ii}}{dt} = \frac{q}{m} E_z J_0(\eta) \left[1 - \frac{v_{\perp} k \cos\theta}{\omega} \rho_z \frac{J_1(\eta)}{J_0(\eta)}\right] \sin(\omega t - kz \cos\theta) - \frac{v_{\perp}}{2B_0} \frac{dB_0}{dz}$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v_i}}{dt} = -\frac{\mathbf{q}}{\mathbf{m}} \rho_z \mathbf{E}_z \mathbf{J}_1(\eta) \left[1 - \frac{\mathbf{v_i} \cdot \mathbf{kcos}\theta}{\omega}\right] \sin(\omega t - \mathbf{kzcos}\theta) + \frac{\mathbf{v_i} \cdot \mathbf{v_i}}{2B_o} \frac{dB_o}{dz}$$
(2.63)

We shall discuss the relative importance of the different terms in Eqs. 2.62 and 2.63 in the next section.

#### E. DISCUSSION OF FORCE EQUATIONS

Two terms of the parallel force are:

$$\langle q \, \delta_z \rangle = q \, E_z J_O(\eta) \, \text{siny}$$
 (2.64)

$$\langle q v_y \Re_x \rangle = - q E_z J_1(\eta) \rho_z \tan \alpha \sin \gamma$$
 (2.65)

Also note that using (2.49)

$$\eta = v_{\perp} \frac{k \sin \theta}{\omega_{\perp}} = \frac{\omega}{\omega_{\perp}} \tan \theta \frac{k \cos \theta}{\omega} v_{\perp}$$
 (2.66)

$$\eta = \frac{\omega}{\omega_{H}} \tan \theta \tan \alpha \qquad (2.66a)$$

for near-resonant particles.

The term in (2.64) proportional to  $qE_zJ_0(\eta)$  is similar to the  $qE_z$  term that would be present in the case of electrostatic waves. The

 $J_{0}(n)$  represents the fact that the  $E_{Z}$  field seen by the particle at different points in its transverse orbit is changing since  $E_{Z}$  has a transverse phase variation given by k x sin  $\theta$ . The term in (2.65) represents the effect of the q  $\overrightarrow{v}$  x  $\overrightarrow{B}$  force, and the fact that since the plane of rotation of the particle and the wave polarization ellipse are at an angle ( $\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta$ ), there is a net longitudinal acceleration even after averaging over one gyroperiod. For cases in which (2.64) is the dominant term, the equations of motion for interaction with whistler mode waves are much the same as those for electrostatic waves [Nunn 1971, 1973].

Before comparing the relative magnitudes of (2.64) and (2.65) for the range of the parameters in the magnetosphere it should be noted that  $\frac{d\mathbf{v_1}}{dt}$ , given by Eq. 2.61, becomes very small for near-resonant particles with  $\mathbf{v_n} = \mathbf{v_{p_n}}$ . In this case  $1 - \frac{\mathbf{v_n k cos}\theta}{\omega} = 1 - \frac{\mathbf{v_n}}{\mathbf{v_{p_n}}} \simeq 0$ , and the perpendicular motion of the particles is primarily governed by the adiabatic term of Eq. 2.63. In the following figures we present the magnitudes of (2.64) and (2.65), as well as the longitudinal polarization  $\rho_z$  as a function of different parameters.

Figure 2.4 shows a plot of the longitudinal polarization  $\rho_Z$  as a function of the wave normal angle  $\theta$  , for different values of normalized frequency  $\frac{\omega}{\omega_H}$  . The results are computed by using the cold plasma dispersion relation [Stix, 1962]. The longitudinal polarization is  $\rho_Z = \frac{\delta y}{\delta_Z}$  , as defined in (2.52). A plasma frequency  $f_p$  = 180 kHz, corresponding to 400 el/cd at the magnetic equator at L = 4, along with the equatorial gyrofrequency  $f_H$  = 13.65 kHz, were used in computing  $\rho_Z$  . For  $f_p >> f_H$  the value of  $\rho_Z$  is not strongly dependent on  $f_p$ . Note from

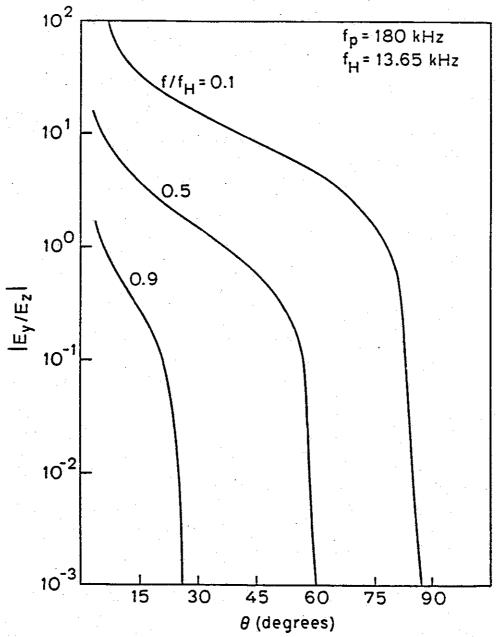


FIGURE 2.4 MAGNITUDE OF THE WAVE LONGITUDINAL POLARIZATION  $|\rho_z| = |\epsilon_y/\epsilon_z|$  AS A FUNCTION OF WAVE NORMAL ANGLE  $\Theta$ .  $|\rho_z|$  is shown for three different normalized frequencies.

Fig. 2.4 that  $\rho_Z$  is in general higher at lower frequencies and decreases with increasing  $\theta$ . Also recall that for longitudinal propagation, i.e.,  $\theta=0^{\circ}$ ,  $E_Z=0$  and there is no interaction between the particles and the waves.

Figures 2.5, 2.6 and 2.7 compare the peak magnitudes of the two terms as given by (2.64) and (2.65) for various parameters. Figure 2.5 shows variation of both terms with pitch angle  $\alpha$ , for various wave normal angles  $\theta$  and f=0.5 fH. It can be seen that the  $\langle qv_yB_x\rangle$  term is negligible for lower pitch angles, while it becomes equal to or larger than the  $\langle q\delta_z\rangle$  term for  $\alpha\rangle30^\circ$ . As long  $\alpha\langle30^\circ$ , the  $\langle q\delta_z\rangle$  term alone can be used to compute the motion of the Landau resonant particles with less than 10% error.

Figure 2.6 shows the dependence on the wave normal angle for various pitch angles  $\alpha$  and for  $f=0.5~f_H$ . The resonance cone angle for this frequency is  ${}^{\sim}60^{\circ}$  as shown. This result indicates that for any pitch angle  $\alpha$ , the  ${}^{<}qv_y\beta_x{}^{>}$  term is more important at lower wave normal angles, but that there is a strong dependence on pitch angle as was also indicated in Figure 2.5. For  $\theta$  approaching zero  $J_1(\eta)$  goes to zero and  $\rho_Z$  approaches infinity. As a result, the  ${}^{<}qv_y\beta_x{}^{>}$  term will go to zero and may be approximated by  ${}^{-}qE_z\sin\gamma\tan^2\alpha(1-f/f_H)/(2+2f/f_H)$  for small values of  $\theta$  (Appendix A).

Finally, Figure 2.7 shows the variation of the terms with normalized frequency f/f $_H$ . The curves are for  $\alpha=40^\circ$  and three different values of wave normal angle  $\theta$ . It can be seen that the magnetic field term is more important at lower frequencies, although the dependence on frequency is not as strong as that on  $\theta$  and  $\alpha$ .

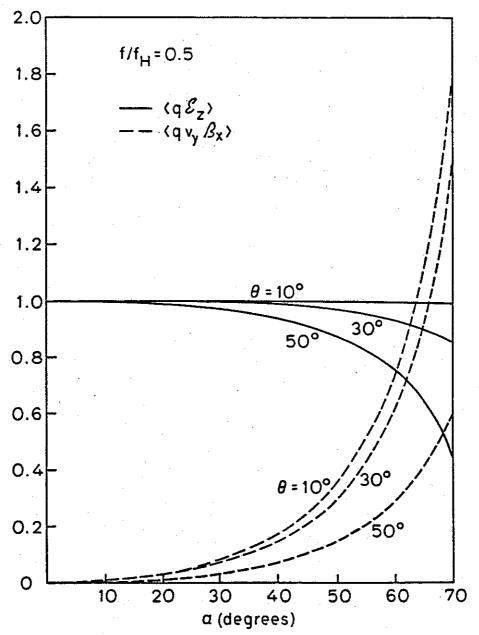
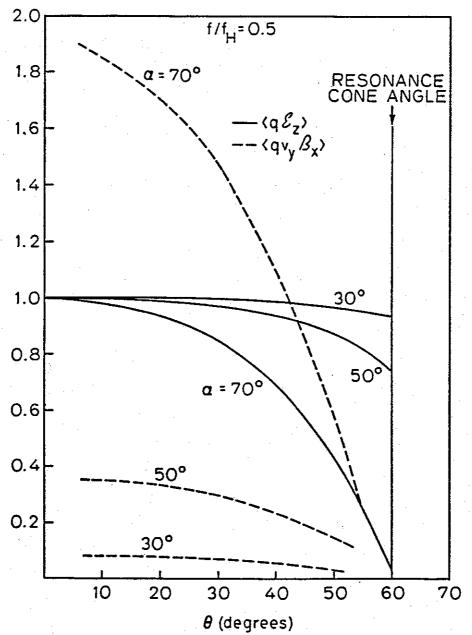
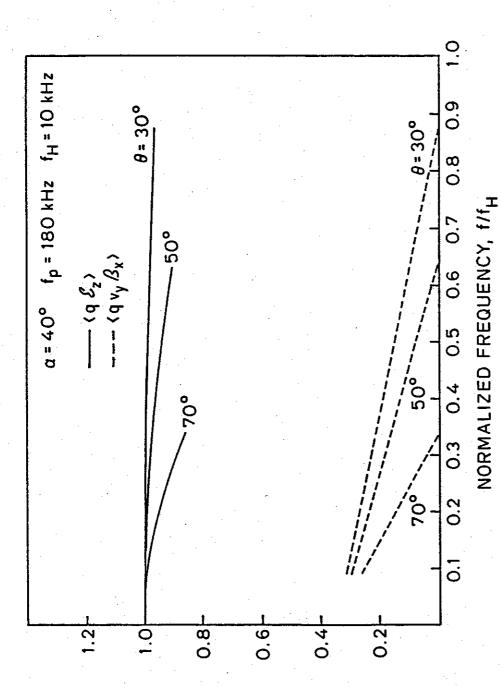


FIGURE 2.5 NORMALIZED PEAK MAGNITUDES OF THE  $\langle qv_y\mathfrak{B}_x\rangle$  AND  $\langle q\mathfrak{E}_z\rangle$  TERMS AS FUNCTIONS OF PITCH ANGLE  $\alpha.$  The results shown are for f = 0.5 fH, and for three different wave normal angles  $\theta$  .





NORMALIZED PEAK MAGNITUDES OF THE  $<_{qv_y} g_x>$  AND  $<_q 6_z>$  TERMS AS FUNCTIONS OF NORMALIZED FREQUENCY  $f/f_H$ . The results shown are for three different values of  $\alpha$  and  $\theta$  =  $40^\circ$ . FIGURE 2.7

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We can also use Fig. 2.4 to show that the upper limit on wave magnetic field intensity is really satisfied, as it was assumed when averaging the equations of motion. For the parameters of Fig. 2.4, and f=5 kHz,  $\alpha=45^{\circ}$ , and  $\theta=30^{\circ}$ ,  $B_{u}=1.3\times10^{5}$  pT, a value much larger than the typical field intensities in the 0.1 to 100 pT range for whistler mode waves. Therefore, the required small wave condition for the averaging over one gyroperiod is easily achieved in most cases.

We have presented a simple set of equations describing cyclotron averaged motion of Landau resonant particles in a whistler mode wave propagating at an angle to the static magnetic field. We have argued that for the parameters of the earth's magnetosphere and for f < f $_{\rm H}$ , as it is the case for the whistler mode waves, this would be a very accurate description of the near resonant particles. The fact that the equations are compact and simple makes them suitable for analytical as well as test particle computer simulation studies presented in the next chapters.

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### III. ANALYTICAL STUDY OF LONGITUDINAL RESONANCE INTERACTIONS

#### A. INTRODUCTION

In the preceding chapter we derived a set of equations of motion (Eqs. 2.62, 2.63) for an electron interacting with a whistler mode wave through a longitudinal resonance process. Before using those equations in numerical simulations it is useful to have a semi-quantitative analysis of that interaction process, the purpose of which is to:

- a) Determine, qualitatively, the effects of different parameters on the resonance process, and to
- b) Provide a reference for the testing and explaining of numerical results.

From the equations of motion and the resonance condition it is evident that the most important factors that affect the interaction process are:

- 1) The magnitude of the wave parallel electric field E,
- 2) The magnitudes of Bessel terms in the equations of motion
- 3) The wave phase velocity  $v_{\text{p}\,\text{\tiny{I}}}$
- 4) The electron parallel velocity va

The variations of Bessel terms have already been discussed in Section II.E.

In the following text we discuss the remaining parameters

starting with calculations of expected magnitudes of E, in the magnetosphere. Next we calculate the wave phase velocity  $v_p$ , and analyze the resonance condition  $v_{pu} = v_u$  for a wide range of magnetospheric parameters. We also stress the importance of the phase between a wave and the interacting electrons and examine its variations. Finally, we discuss the energy exchange between the wave and electrons through the longitudinal resonance interaction in an inhomogeneous medium such as the magnetosphere.

# B. RELATION OF E. TO B. AND MAGNITUDE OF E. FOR WHISTLER MODE WAVES

Two equations of motion of an electron (Eqs.2.62, 2.63) are given in terms of the wave parallel electric field  $E_{ii}$  ( $E_z$ ). However, it is useful to relate  $E_{ii}$  to the wave perpendicular magnetic field  $B_z$  ( $B_y$ ) because most often wave amplitudes are given and referred to in terms of  $B_z$ . We proceed now with a derivation of the quantitative relationship between  $E_{ii}$  and  $B_z$ .

Using the plasma dispersion relation (Eq. 2.22) it follows that

$$n^2 \sin\theta \cos\theta E_x + (\varepsilon_n - n^2 \sin^2\theta) E_z = 0$$
 (3.1)

or

$$n^2 \sin\theta \cos\theta E_x = -\left(1 - \frac{\omega_p^2}{\omega^2} - n^2 \sin^2\theta\right) E_z$$
 (3.1a)

Furthermore, from Maxwell's equation  $\nabla \times E = -\frac{\partial \overline{B}}{\partial t}$  we have

$$k \cos\theta E_x - k \sin\theta E_z = \omega B_v$$
 (3.2)

Note that we use only amplitudes of  $\mathcal{E}_z$  and  $\mathcal{B}_y$ ,  $\mathcal{E}_z$  and  $\mathcal{B}_y$ , because both  $\mathcal{E}_z$  and  $\mathcal{B}_y$  vary as  $\cos(\omega t - \overline{k} \cdot \overline{r})$ .

Now, substituting  $E_{x}$  from (3.2) in (3.1a) we have

$$n^2 \sin\theta \cos\theta \left(\frac{\omega B_y + k \sin\theta E_z}{k \cos\theta}\right) = -\left(1 - \frac{\omega_p^2}{\omega^2} - n^2 \sin^2\theta\right) E_z$$
 (3.3)

or

$$\frac{n^{2}\sin\theta \ \omega By}{k} + (n^{2}\sin^{2}\theta + 1 - \frac{\omega_{p^{2}}}{\omega^{2}} n^{2}\sin^{2}\theta) E_{z} = 0$$
 (3.4)

Finally,

$$E_{z} = \frac{n^{2} \sin \theta \omega}{k(\frac{p^{2}}{\omega^{2}} - 1)} \quad B_{y}$$
 (3.5)

or

$$E_{II} = \frac{c \, n \, \sin \theta}{f_{D}^{2}/f^{2} - 1} \quad B_{\perp} \tag{3.6}$$

Equation 3.6 relates  $E_{ii}$  to  $B_{i}$  for whistler mode waves, and it can be further simplified if  $f_p^2 >> f \cdot f_H$  when it becomes possible to use the QL approximation for the refractive index. The refractive index is

then given as

$$n^2 = \frac{f_p^2}{f(f_m \cos\theta - f)}$$
 (3.7)

and substituting (3.7) for n in Eq. 3.6 the final result is

$$E_{ii} = \frac{c}{n} \frac{\sin \theta}{(f_{H}/f) \cos \theta - 1} B_{L}. \tag{3.8}$$

Eq. 3.8 was also derived by Helliwell [1965]. It relates  $E_{ii}$  to  $B_{ii}$  for whistler mode signals assuming that QL approximation for a refractive index is valid.

Equation 3.6 can be applied to any whistler mode signal, although it is possible to derive similar equations for some special cases of propagation. One such special case is a whistler mode signal propagating in the Gendrin mode. This mode of propagation is characterized by the Gendrin angle  $\theta_G$  which can be found by setting  $\frac{d}{d\theta}$  (n cos  $\theta$ ) = 0. The resulting wave normal angle  $\theta_G$  is

$$\cos \theta_{G} = 2 \frac{f}{f_{H}} \tag{3.9}$$

It clearly follows from Eq. 3.9 that the propagation in the Gendrin mode is possible only if f <  $f_{\rm H}/2$  and that  $\theta_{\rm G}$  varies from 0° to 90° as  $f/f_{\rm H}$  decreases from 0.5 to 0. The interesting properties of propagation at the Gendrin angle are summarized as follows:

i) Substituting (3.9) in (3.7) the refractive index is

$$n_{G}(\theta_{G}) = \frac{f}{f}$$
 (3.10)

ii) The phase velocity in the direction of  $\overline{B}_{o}$  is

$$v_{p_{G}} = \frac{v_{p}}{\cos \theta_{G}} = \frac{c}{2} \frac{f_{H}}{f_{p}}$$
 (3.11)

iii) The group refractive index and velocity are

$$n_{g_G}(\theta_G) = n_G(\theta_G) = \frac{f}{f}$$
 (3.12)

$$v_{g_G}(\theta_G) = v_p = c \frac{f}{f_p}$$
 (3.13)

iv) The group ray refractive index and velocity are

$$n_{g_{r_G}}(\theta_G) = n_{g_G}(\theta_G) \cos \theta_G = 2 \frac{f_p}{f_H}$$
 (3.14)

$$v_{g_{r_G}} = v_{p_{H_G}} = \frac{c}{2} \frac{f_H}{f_p}$$
 (3.15)

Figure 3.1 illustrates the shape of the refractive index curve for f/f < 0.5, and also shows the Gendrin angle  $\theta_G$ . The second angle indicated in Fig.3.1, $\theta_R$ , is the resonance cone angle where the refractive index becomes infinite.

Thus, waves propagating at the Gendrin angle have their wave packets traveling in the direction of  $\overline{B}_0$  with the velocity  $v_{gr_G}$ , which is identical to the phase velocity in that direction  $v_{pr}$ , and both

velocities are independent of the wave frequency. This property makes Gendrin mode waves rather interesting for longitudinal resonance interactions since electrons in resonance with those waves, i.e.  $v_{\parallel} = v_{p\parallel} = v_{gr} \ , \ do \ not \ drift \ through \ the \ wave \ packet \ during \ the interaction as they do in the most general case when the wave phase and ray group velocities along the magnetic field line are different.$ 

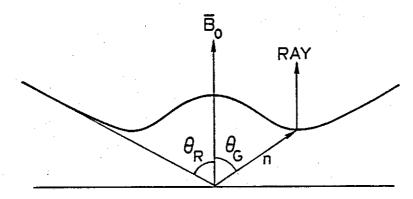


FIGURE 3.1. REFRACTIVE INDEX SURFACE FOR f<f $_{\rm H}/2$ .  $\theta_{\rm R}$  indicates the resonance cone where  $n\to\infty$ .  $\theta_{\rm G}$  is the Gendrin angle, for which the ray is aligned with the static magnetic field.

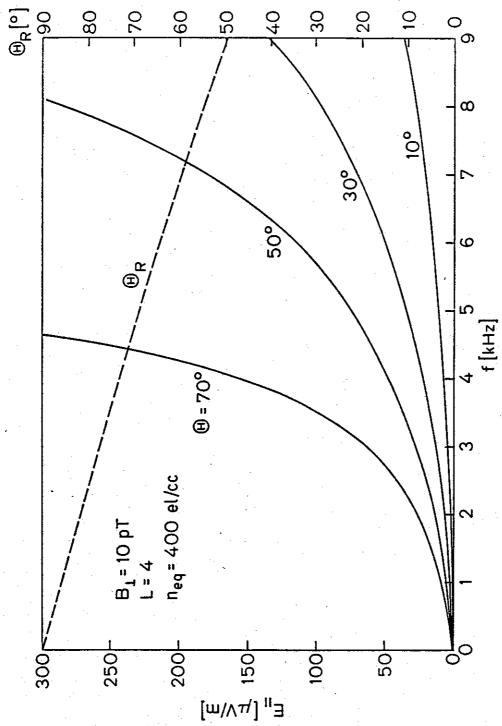
Returning to the derivation of the parallel electric field for the Gendrin mode waves we can substitute  $n(\theta_G)$ ,  $\cos\theta_G$  and  $\sin\theta_G = \sqrt{1-\cos^2\theta_G}$  for n,  $\cos\theta$  and  $\sin\theta$  in Eq. 3.8 assuming that  $f_p^2/f \cdot f_H << 1$  is valid. The final result is then

$$E_{HG} = c \cdot B_{\perp} \cdot \frac{f}{f_p} \sqrt{1 - \frac{4f^2}{f_H^2}}$$
 (3.16)

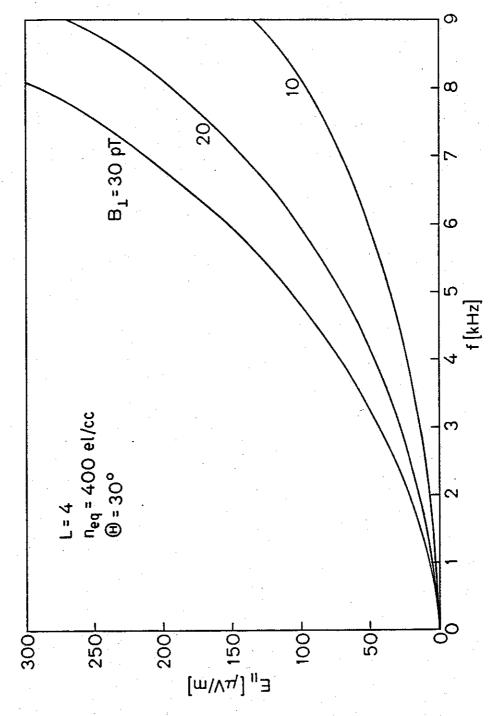
Note that Eq. 3.8 represents the most general expression for  $E_n$ 

(allowing for the QL approximation) and can also be used to compute  $\mathtt{E}_{^{11}\mathrm{G}}$  , whereas Eq. 3.16 is valid only for the Gendrin mode. At this point we can use Eqs. 3.8 and 3.16 to plot the magnitude of the parallel electric field E, as a function of frequency. Three curves shown in Figure 3.2 are calculated for different values of the wave normal angle (30°, 50° and 70°), while the wave perpendicular magnetic field  $B_{\scriptscriptstyle \perp}$  is taken to be 10 pT. This figure clearly shows the resonance cone effect; for a fixed wave frequency f the parallel electric field  $E_{\rm m}$  increases as the wave normal angle increases and E\_m approaches infinity as  $\theta$  +  $\theta_R$  . The resonance cone angle  $\theta_{\tilde{R}}$  can be found from Eq. 3.7 which yields (for the QL approximation)  $\cos\theta_R = \frac{f}{f_H}$  and  $\theta_R$  as a function of frequency is illustrated by the dashed line in Fig. 3.2. At this point we recall that an upper limit on the magnitude of E, was already set during the derivation of equations of motion when they were time-averaged. Although this limit is not exceeded in most practical cases it is possible that those equations become invalid in a situation when  $\theta$  -  $\theta_R^{} < 0.5^{\circ}.$  In such a case it would be necessary to use the complete equations of motion (Eqs. 2.41, 2.42 and 2.43).

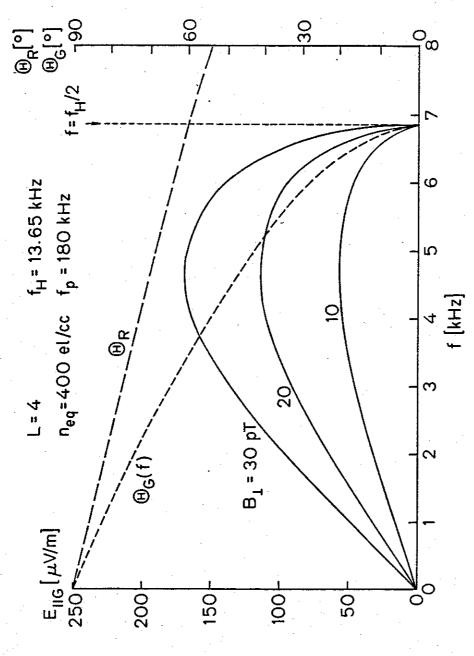
Figure 3.3 shows the wave parallel electric field E<sub>H</sub> as a function of frequency and parametric in B<sub>1</sub> (10, 20 and 30 pT), while the wave normal angle  $\theta$  for all curves is 30°. Figure 3.4 shows the wave parallel electric field E<sub>HG</sub> for the Gendrin mode propagation as a function of frequency and parametric in B<sub>1</sub>. The dashed curves show  $\theta_G$  and  $\theta_R$  as functions of frequency. By setting  $\frac{d}{df} E_{HG}(\theta_G) = 0$  it can be shown that E<sub>HG</sub> reaches a maximum at the frequency  $f = 0.354 f_H$  at which  $\theta_G = 45$ °. This result is interesting in the light of data on chorus



PARALLEL ELECTRIC FIELD E., AS A FUNCTION OF FREQUENCY FOR A WHISTLER MODE SIGNAL WITH  $B_{\star}$  = 10 pT. Different solid curves represent different values of the wave  $\theta$ . The dashed curve shows the resonance angle  $\theta_R$  as a function of frequency. normal angle FIGURE 3.2



PARALLEL ELECTRIC FIELD E., AS A FUNCTION OF FREQUENCY FOR A WHISTLER MODE SIGNAL, PARAMETRIC IN  $\mathbf{B_{1}}\text{.}$ FIGURE 3.3



PARALLEL ELECTRIC FIELD E. AS A FUNCTION OF FREQUENCY FOR A WHISTLER MODE WAVE PROPAGATING IN THE GENDRIN MODE. Note that E. has a maximum at  $f=0.354~{
m fH}$ . The two dashed curves indicate the resonance cone and Gendrin angles,  $\theta_R$  and  $\theta_G.$ FIGURE 3.4

activity obtained by Burtis [1974]. It was found that in the equatorial region there are often observed two narrow bands of chorus. The upper band is commonly centered just above half the electron gyrofrequency, 0.5  $f_{\rm H}$ , while the lower band is centered near 0.35  $f_{\rm H}$ . Therefore, it may be speculated that the chorus lower band is made up of waves propagating in the Gendrin mode and that those waves are amplified through the strong longitudinal resonance due to their maximum  $E_{\rm HG}$ . This wave growth could then account for the observed peak of chorus activity.

Finally, Figure 3.5 shows E<sub>n</sub> as a function of wave-normal angle  $\theta$ ; different curves in that figure correspond to different wave frequencies, while the B<sub>L</sub> is 10 pT. Again we see the resonance cone effect where E<sub>n</sub>  $\to \infty$  as  $\theta \to \theta_p$ .

All of the above calculations were done at the equator of the the magnetic field line given by L = 4 and assuming  $n_{\rm eq}$  = 400 el/cc. Similar calculations can be carried out for different L values and corresponding values of  $n_{\rm eq}$ . Figure 3.6 shows the results of such calculations for a range of L values; corresponding values of  $n_{\rm eq}$  used in those calculations are shown in Figure 3.7, with a plasmapause, characterized by the sharp decrease of electron density, located at L = 4. The wave parallel electric field E<sub>m</sub> is also normalized by B<sub>1</sub> and given in  $\mu V/m/pT$ . From this figure it is evident that E<sub>m</sub> for a given L value increases as the frequency of the signal increases, as already found before (see Fig. 3.2). Furthermore E<sub>m</sub> is larger outside than inside the plasmapause, a fact which is directly related to lower electron density outside the plasmapause.

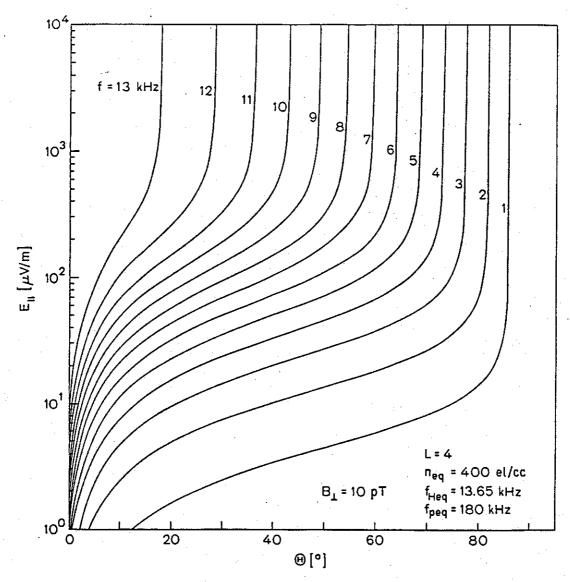


FIGURE 3.5 PARALLEL ELECTRIC FIELD E, AS A FUNCTION OF WAVE NORMAL ANGLE  $\theta.$  Different curves correspond to different wave frequencies. Note that E,  $\rightarrow \infty$  as  $\theta \rightarrow \theta_R$ .

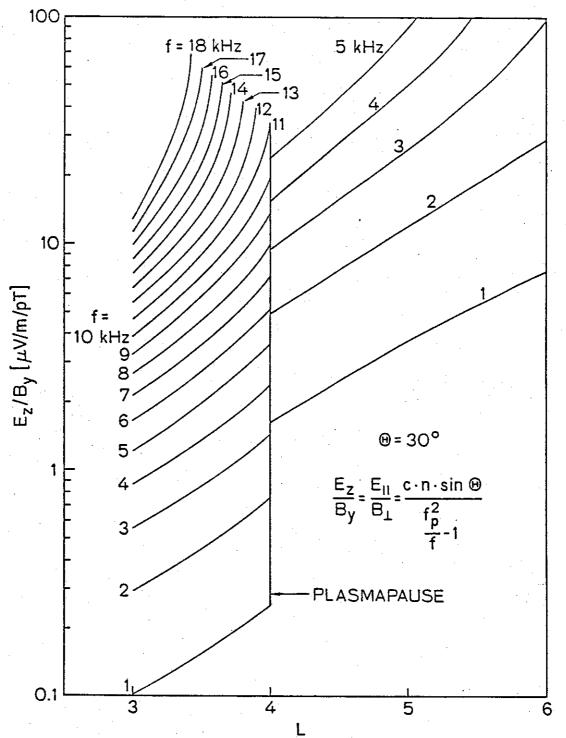


FIGURE 3.6 NORMALIZED PARALLEL ELECTRIC FIELD E<sub>"</sub>/B<sub>"</sub> AS A FUNCTION OF L VALUE. The normalized parallel electric field  $E_{"}/B_{"}$  is computed for different wave frequencies and the equatorial density profile shown in Fig. 3.7.

Summarizing, a stronger  $E_{\pi}$  (for a given  $B_{\perp}$ ) can be achieved by increasing the wave frequency, or by raising the wave-normal angle, or both.

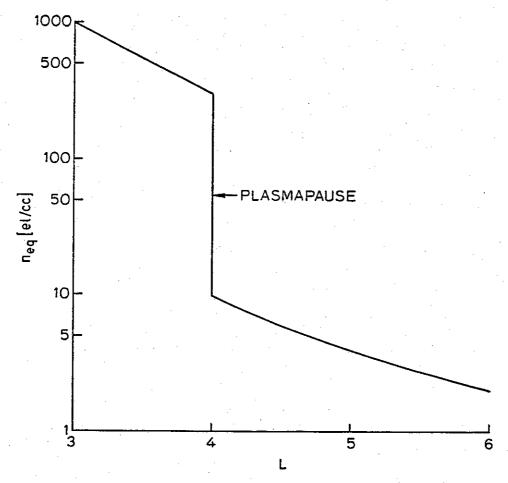


FIGURE 3.7 EQUATORIAL ELECTRON DENSITY AS A FUNCTION OF L VALUE. The plasmapause is located at L=4.

An additional increase in  $E_{\rm m}$  is also possible for waves propagating outside the plasmapause. However, waves with high wave-normal angles are usually associated with a non-ducted mode of wave propagation which in general is not field aligned, whereas in the ducted mode the wave normals are very nearly aligned with the magnetic field [Smith et al. 1960]. In the latter case guiding is based on the presence of linear field-aligned enhancement (or depression) of ionization referred to as a duct. Therefore, the effects of the longitudinal resonance involving ducted waves are limited by the low wave-normal angles of propagation at which magnitudes of the parallel electric field are low (see Fig. 3.2). There are other possibilities for wave guiding along the field line not limited to low wave-normal angle waves, such as when the plasmapause acts as a one-sided duct [Inan and Bell, 1978]. Still another possibility is to have a non-ducted wave which propagates in a field-aligned mode over a portion of the magnetospheric path. Although those waves usually remain field aligned only for a short period of time, their large E, may be sufficient to cause a strong longitudinal resonance interaction.

The importance of field aligned propagation arises from the fact that electrons in the magnetosphere follow the earth's magnetic field as explained in Section II.A. Thus, if the ray path is not field aligned, or is only partially aligned, the interaction may be relatively weak.

## C. RESONANCE CONDITION $v_{ii} = v_{D^{ii}}$

Beside the equations of motion another important factor to be considered is the resonance condition  $v_{\shortparallel} = v_{p^{\shortparallel}}$  (Eq.2.8). As discussed above, this condition requires that the wave phase velocity in the direction of  $\widetilde{B}_{o}$  match the particle velocity in that direction. However, for an inhomogeneous medium such is the magnetosphere, both the phase velocity  $v_{p^{\shortparallel}}$  and the electron parallel velocity  $v_{\shortparallel}$  are variable and their variations depend on the magnetospheric model. Hence, in a case when the resonance condition is satisfied for a given wave and electron at some location in the magnetosphere, it will not in general hold at some other location. For that reason it is necessary to study how  $v_{p^{\shortparallel}}$  depends on different models used to represent electron density along the field line. It is also essential to examine variations of both phase and parallel velocities with latitude and to study variations of  $v_{\shortparallel}$  for different pitch angles.

First, let us consider the phase velocity in the direction of  $\overline{B}_{0}^{}$  which is given as

$$v_{pii} = \frac{c}{n \cdot \cos\theta} \tag{3.17}$$

where n is the refractive index given by Eq. 3.7. Using Eq. 3.17 it is a simple task to calculate the phase velocity of a whistler mode wave for a wide range of parameters. Figure 3.8 shows the equatorial phase velocity as a function of L value; values of  $n_{\rm eq}$  used here are again those of Fig. 3.6. Figures 3.9a,b show the phase velocity as a function

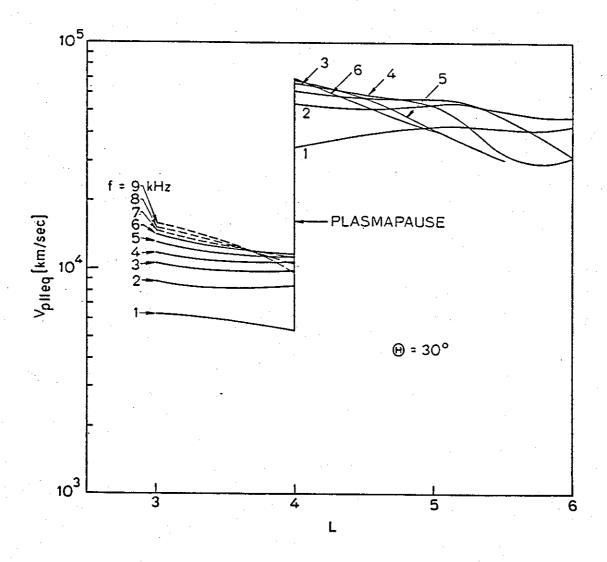
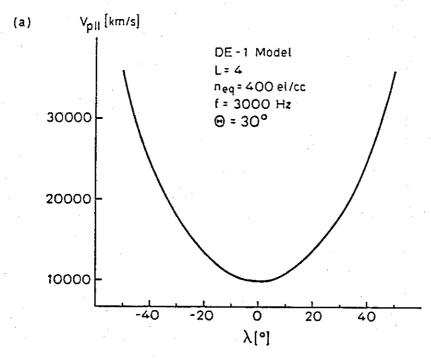


FIGURE 3.8 EQUATORIAL PARALLEL PHASE VELOCITY AS A FUNCTION OF L VALUE. Values of  $n_{\mbox{\footnotesize eq}}$  used to compute  $v_{\mbox{\footnotesize p}_{\mbox{\tiny H}}}$  are those of Fig. 3.7.



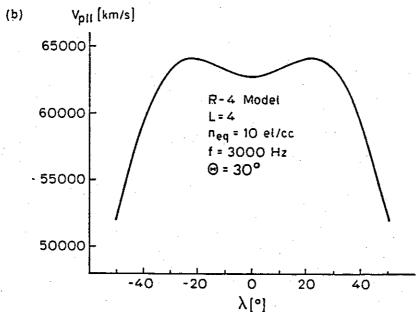


FIGURE 3.9 PARALLEL PHASE VELOCITY AS A FUNCTION OF LATITUDE FOR DIFFERENT MODELS OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRON DENSITY ALONG THE FIELD LINE. In (a) electron density along the field line is represented by the diffusive equilibrium model DE-1, whereas in (b) the electron density is calculated the collisionless model R-4.

of latitude; Fig. 3.9a shows a typical shape of  $v_{p''}$  inside the plasmapause, while Fig. 3.9b shows  $v_{p''}$  outside the plasmapause. The difference between Figs. 3.9a and 3.9b reflects not only the assumed equatorial electron densities  $n_{\rm eq}$ , but also the electron density distribution along the field line. Figure 3.9a is calculated using a diffusive equilibrium model [Park,1972], which is usually used inside the plasmapause. On the other hand, the electron density model of Fig. 3.9b is a collisionless model [Park, 1972] with the electron density along the field line approximated by

$$n = n_{eq} \left( \frac{1}{\cos^2 \lambda} \right)^4 \tag{3.18}$$

where  $\lambda$  is the latitude.

Evidently, from Fig. 3.9, the phase velocity of whistler mode waves outside the plasmapause exceeds that found inside. Therefore, the parallel velocity of an electron, which has to match the phase velocity of the wave, is also larger outside the plasmapause. Since the electrons are moving faster when interactions take a place outside the plasmapause the corresponding interaction times are shorter compared to interaction times inside the plasmapause. Thus, the effects of a stronger wave parallel electric field Em, related to propagation outside the plasmapause, tends to be offset by a reduced interaction time.

The parallel velocity as well as the wave phase velocity varies with latitude, as already shown in Section II.A, but the two variations are generally different. By combining the first adiabatic invariant and

the law of energy conservation we find that the parallel velocity is given by

$$v_{ii} = v_{ii} e_q \sqrt{1 + tan^2 \alpha_{eq}^2 - \frac{\sqrt{4 - 3cos^2 \lambda}}{cos^6 \lambda} tan^2 \alpha_{eq}^2}$$
 (3.19)

where  $v_{\text{meq}}$  is the electron equatorial parallel velocity,  $\alpha_{\text{eq}}$  is the equatorial pitch angle and  $\lambda$  is latitude.

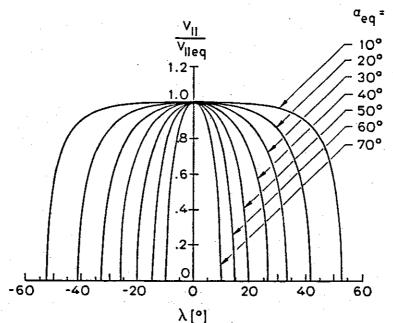


FIGURE 3.10 NORMALIZED ELECTRON PARALLEL VELOCITY AS A FUNCTION OF LATITUDE. Different curves correspond to different equatorial pitch angles. Note that the mirror point latitude, where  $v_{ii} = 0$ , decreases as the equatorial pitch angle increases.

Figure 3.10 shows the normalized parallel velocity as a function of latitude for different values of the equatorial pitch angle. This figure also shows mirror point latitudes where  $v_{ii}=0$ . From Figs. 3.9 and 3.10 it is evident that the resonance condition for a given wave and electron may, or may not, be satisfied depending on the ratio of the equatorial phase and parallel velocities. Typical examples shown in

Fig. 3.11 are for three different ratios of the equatorial velocities. Note that the parallel velocities shown in Fig. 3.11 represent the unperturbed motion of electrons, i.e. Fig. 3.11 shows only adiabatic variations of v<sub>n</sub>. Although the adiabatic motion of electrons is altered by the wave-particle interaction, the electrons are identified in terms of their initial unperturbed equatorial parameters which simplifies the problem of comparing properties of different electrons.

Those different variations of  $v_{p\pi}$  and  $v_{\pi}$  with latitude and their effects on the interaction process, along with effects of other factors are further discussed in the chapters on numerical results.

## D. PHASE BETWEEN WAVE AND ELECTRON IN LONGITUDINAL RESONANCE

In Chapter II it was shown that the electrons trapped in the wave potential well execute an oscillatory motion around the bottom of the potential well. In general the analytical solution of the equation of motion for that case is very complex, but it is possible to derive an approximate solution if the maximum amplitude of the oscillation remains relatively small. From Eq. 2.12 the parallel electric field Em , as seen by electrons in the wave frame, is given by

$$E_{\rm R} = E_{\rm R_O} \sin(k_{\rm R} \cdot z) \tag{3.20}$$

Therefore, the force exerted on an electron is

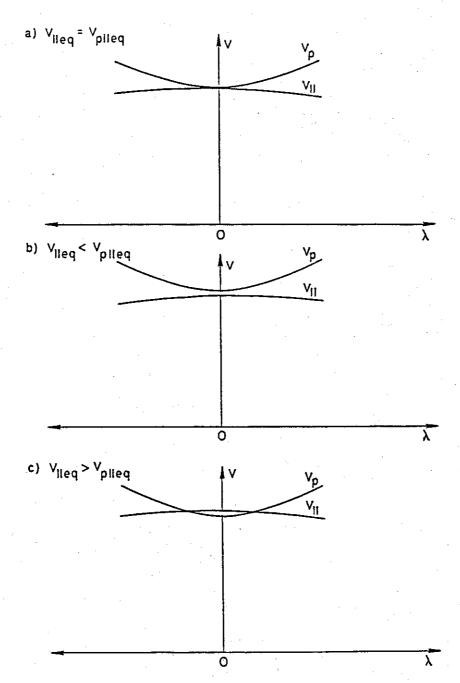


FIGURE 3.11 RELATION BETWEEN  $v_n$  AND  $v_{p_n}$  ALONG THE FIELD LINE. Depending on the ratio of  $v_{neq}/v_{p_n}$  eq there may be one (a), none (b), or two (c) latitudes at which the longitudinal resonance condition  $v_n = v_{p_n}$  is satisfied.

$$m\frac{d^2z}{dt^2} = q E_{HO}\sin(k_H \cdot z)$$
 (3.21)

which, for a small amplitude oscillation where  $\sin(k_n \cdot z) \stackrel{\sim}{=} k_n \cdot z$ , can be written as

$$\frac{d^2z}{dz^2} = \frac{q}{m} E_{n_0} k_n \cdot z \qquad (3.22)$$

The solution of Eq. 3.22 is

$$z = z_{B} \sin(\omega_{t} \cdot t) \tag{3.23}$$

where  $z_B$  is the position of the bottom of the potential well as shown in Fig. 2.2, z is the position of the electron and  $\omega_t$  is the period of oscillation given as  $\omega_t = \sqrt{\frac{e \ E_{\#_0} \ k_{\#}}{m}}$ . It should be noted that although this oscillation period is computed for a homogeneous medium, this result can also be used in the case of a slowly varying medium such as the magnetosphere. Now, dividing Eq. 3.23 by the wavelength, we obtain the relative phase between the reference point at the potential well bottom and the electron. This relative phase is

$$\phi_{\mathbf{r}} = \frac{\mathbf{z}_{\mathbf{B}}}{2\pi/k_{\mathbf{B}}} \sin(\omega_{\mathbf{t}} \cdot \mathbf{t}) \tag{3.24}$$

$$\phi_{r} = \phi_{R} \sin(\omega_{r} \cdot t) \tag{3.24a}$$

The relative phase between the wave and the trapped electron is also oscillatory in its nature and the phase variation is bounded such

that  $\phi_B^{} < 360^{\circ}$ . It should also be noted that the smallest amplitude of the phase oscillation—corresponds to the case of strongest trapping. On the other hand the relative phase variation for untrapped electrons is represented by constantly increasing  $(v_{p^{ij}} > v_{ij})$  or constantly decreasing  $(v_{p^{ij}} < v_{ij})$  phase as those electrons drift backward or forward through the wave, respectively.

All of the above computations, as already pointed out, are carried out in the wave frame which moves in the z direction at the phase velocity  $v_{pn}$ . In order to determine the total phase variation let us again assume propagation as exp  $i(\omega \cdot t - \overline{k} \cdot r)$ . The instantaneous frequency  $\omega_i$  can be found by taking the time derivative  $\frac{d}{dt}(\omega \cdot t - \overline{k} \cdot r)$  which yields

$$\omega_{i} = \omega - \overline{k} \frac{d\overline{r}}{dt}$$
 (3.25)

where  $\omega_{\bf i}$  is actually the Doppler shifted frequency of the wave as seen by an electron placed at a location defined by radius vector  $\overline{\bf r}$ . It is possible to rewrite Eq. 3.18 in the same form as that of Eq. 2.6 by using  $\frac{d\overline{\bf r}}{dt}$  =  $v_n$  and substituting  $m \cdot w_H$  for  $w_i$ . Equation 3.24 can now be used to examine a behavior of the total phase between a wave and an electron. First, rewriting (3.25) we have

$$\omega_{i} = \omega - k_{ii} \cdot v_{ii}$$
 (3.26)

If  $\omega_i = 0$  Eq. 3.26 reduces to Eq. 2.7, or

$$v_{pii} = v_{ii} \tag{3.27}$$

which is the original longitudinal resonance condition. Therefore, if  $v_{\text{m}}=v_{\text{p}}\text{,}$  the relative phase  $\phi_{\text{r}}$  remains constant (Eq. 3.24a).

However, if an electron has a parallel velocity which does not match the wave phase velocity exactly the instantaneous (Doppler shifted) frequency  $\boldsymbol{\omega}_i$  has a non-zero value. In that case both the sign and the magnitude of  $\boldsymbol{\omega}_i$  depend on the difference between the parallel velocity and the phase velocity; when  $\mathbf{v}_i < \mathbf{v}_{p\,ii}$ ,  $\boldsymbol{\omega}_i$  is positive and its magnitude increases as  $\mathbf{v}_{ii}$  decreases assuming that  $\mathbf{v}_{p\,ii}$  is constant; in a case when  $\mathbf{v}_{ii} > \mathbf{v}_{p\,ii}$  the instantaneous frequency  $\boldsymbol{\omega}_i$  is negative and its magnitude increases as  $\mathbf{v}_{ii}$  increases, again assuming a constant  $\mathbf{v}_{p\,ii}$ .

When  $\boldsymbol{\omega}_{\mathbf{i}}$  is known the total phase shift can be expressed as

$$\phi = \int_{\Gamma} \omega_{i} d\Gamma \qquad (3.28)$$

or as

$$\phi = \int_{S} \frac{\omega_{i}}{v_{p_{ii}}} ds$$
 (3.29)

where we have used the identity  $dt = \frac{ds}{v_{D^{H}}}$ .

Finally, Table 3.1 summarizes qualitatively the behavior of the total phase shift as a function of  $v_{\rm pu}$  -  $v_{\rm u}$  .

The phase between the wave and the electron is a very important factor in the trapping process. It is eventually the phase that determines if a given wave will trap any electrons, although all other

resonance conditions may already be met, i.e the parallel velocity is close to the phase velocity and the parallel electric field is strong enough to pull the electron into the potential well. There is no trapping if the phasing is wrong, i.e. if electrons are accelerated when trapping would require deceleration or vice versa. The numerical results will show that a small difference in phase, less than  $10^{\circ}$ , can make a large difference in the behavior of electrons for which the resonance condition  $v_{p_{11}} = v_{11}$  is satisfied. Furthermore, the phase directly translates into the position of an electron within a wave packet (Eq. 3.24) and if there is any space bunching of electrons there must exist a corresponding phase bunching.

| Velocity Conditions               | $v_{p_H} - v_H > 0$                           | $v_{p_{ii}} - v_{ii} \le 0$                             |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| Magnitude of Total  Phase Shift   | Positive and increases with time              | Negative and decreases with time                        |
| Rate of Phase<br>Change with Time | increases as v <sub>pu</sub> - v <sub>u</sub> | increases as v <sub>p"</sub> - v <sub>"</sub> decreases |

Table 3.1 PHASE SHIFT PROPERTIES OF LONGIDUTINALLY RESONANT ELECTRON AS A FUNCTION OF PARALLEL VELOCITY CONDITIONS.

## E. ENERGY EXCHANGE

In Chapter II we have discussed the energy exchange between the wave and trapped electrons in a homogeneous medium. For the case of an inhomogeneous medium the energy exchanged during a longitudinal interaction can be computed in a similar fashion. However, we shall see later when presenting numerical results that the longitudinal resonance in the magnetosphere may, or may not, involve trapping of electrons. It will also be shown that electrons in both cases, whether they are trapped or not, exchange their energy with a wave. The energy exchange process is quite different in those two cases, but it is still possible to use an equation similar to Eq.2.18 by using correct velocity limits for integration and an adequate value to represent the energy exchanged through the interaction with a single electron. It is then also essential to compare contributions from both groups of electrons (trapped and untrapped), and to determine whether there are situations where the contribution from either group is negligible.

Here we recall that in the case of a homogeneous medium the energy is exchanged only during the trapping process, i.e. only during the period when the electrons are accelerated/decelerated by the wave in order to match the phase and parallel velocities, and there is no net energy exchange after that process is finished, or alternatively, an electron has to be trapped in order to exchange its energy with a wave. There is still an instantaneous energy exchange after the trapping is completed because electrons oscillate at the bottom of the potential well, but when this instantaneous energy is averaged over one trapping

period there is no net effect. This is so because the electron's oscillatory motion is perfectly symmetric around the bottom of the potential well, shown by Eq. 3.20, whereas in the magnetosphere or any other inhomogeneous medium, the energy can also be exchanged after the electrons are trapped. This can be explained as follows; after an electron is trapped its parallel velocity is very close or equal to the wave phase velocity and it follows the phase velocity variations as long as that electron remains trapped. Thus, the perturbed parallel velocity is different from the parallel velocity that a particular electron would have in the absence of the wave. This difference,  $\Delta v_{ii}$ , is directly proportional to the phase velocity changes [Brice, 1960] and it is given as

$$\Delta v_{\parallel} = \left(\frac{\partial v_{p}}{\partial s}\right)_{f} ds + \left(\frac{\partial v_{p}}{\partial f}\right)_{f} df$$
 (3.30)

where, in general, phase velocity depends on both frequency and position. For the positive sign of  $\Delta v_{\parallel}$  the electron gains energy, while for the negative sign the wave gains energy. We shall discuss further various aspects of Eq. 3.30 later in the text.

In the next chapters we present results of a test particle simulation of the wave-particle interaction and illustrate various aspects of the interaction as they were discussed in the above analysis.

# IV. DESCRIPTION OF THE NUMERICAL SIMULATION

## A. INTRODUCTION

In this chapter we detail procedures used in numerical simulations of the time-averaged equations of motion. The method used in this report is a test particle simulation. This approach uses a single particle to find wave induced perturbations of the particle trajectory, and it is feasible to test quantitatively the effects of various factors already considered in a qualitative analysis presented in Chapter III. The test particle approach can be further expanded to determine the perturbations of a full particle distribution by computing the effects of the wave on an adequate number of particles that are appropriately distributed in the phase-velocity space. However, there are restrictions imposed on the full distribution simulations because there is no feedback that should account for variations of the wave amplitude as particles and the wave exchange their energies. This feedback problem is treated in more detail in a discussion of the numerical results.

The actual listing of the particle code used in all simulations presented here is given in Appendix B. Next we outline the basic operation of the program.

#### B. COMPUTATION OF PROPAGATION AND ADIABATIC MOTION PARAMETERS

The representation of the static magnetic field along the field line is based on a centered magnetic dipole model described by Eq. 2.1. Values of  $B_0$  obtained from that equation are then used to compute local values of the gyrofrequency  $f_H$ , as well as to compute a normalized gradient of the magnetic field  $\frac{1}{B_0} \frac{dB_0}{dz}$ . At the same time a cold plasma density variation along the field line can be calculated using two different models. One model assumes diffusive equilibrium [Angerami and Thomas, 1964] with the electron density along the field line given as

$$N_{DE}(r) = \left[\sum_{i=1}^{n} \delta_{i} e^{G/S_{i}}\right]^{1/2}$$
(4.1)

where the  $\delta_{i}$  are the relative concentrations of the ionic species, n is the number of species,  $G = r_b[1-(r_b/r)]$ ,  $r_b$  is the geocentric distance (in kilometers) to the base of the DE model,  $S_i = 1.506T(r_b/7370)^2(1/4^{i-1}), \text{ and T is temperature at the base of the DE model (r = 1000 km). A second model is a collisionless model for which the density is given by Eq. 3.18. The input parameters needed to uniquely define the field line and propagation properties are L value, the equatorial cold plasma density <math>n_{eq}$ , the wave frequency f, and the wave-normal angle  $\theta$ . Given those parameters the program divides the entire field line in spatial segments 10 kilometers long and than computes, and stores, values of  $v_{pn}(z)$ ,  $k_n(z)$ , and  $\frac{1}{B_0}\frac{dB_0}{dz}$  for each segment; z is a distance between the equator and a particular 10 km

segment measured along the field line. The stored values of  $\frac{1}{B_0} \frac{dB_0}{dz}$ , as seen from Eqs. 2.62, and 2.63, are used to compute adiabatic terms in the equations of motion. All of the above computations can be done either for a general whistler mode wave or for the Gendrin mode wave. In the latter case the program also computes, and stores, values of  $\theta_G(z)$  and  $E_{IIG}(z)$ . In addition the program also computes, and stores, values of wave phase change given as  $\int_Z k_{II} dz$ . In contrast to other parameters the values of  $\int_Z k_{II} dz$  are not symmetric about the equator and depend on the latitude where the particles are started. This starting latitude, i.e location where particles start their motion along the field line, is also one of the input parameters.

# C. NUMERICAL INTEGRATION OF THE EQUATIONS OF MOTION

Before we start with simulations each particle must be uniquely defined by an appropriate set of parameters. Those parameters then describe the particle's position in phase-velocity space. For particles in the magnetosphere the velocity coordinate is uniquely given by their equatorial parallel velocity  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{loeq}}$  and equatorial pitch angle,  $\mathbf{c}_{\text{oeq}}$ . As particles move along the field line their corresponding equatorial parallel velocities can be computed with the help of Eq. 3.19. At the same time the local pitch angle is related to the equatorial pitch angle through

$$\sin\alpha = \sqrt{\frac{B_o(z)}{B_{\text{oeq}}}} \sin\alpha_{\text{oeq}}$$
 (4.2)

where  $B_{\rm o}(z)$  is the local value of the static magnetic field, and  $B_{\rm oeq}$  is the equatorial magnetic field.

In this report a given particle is always identified in terms of the equatorial parameters which then simplifies the task of comparing properties of different particles. The conversion from local to equatorial values is made on the assumption of unperturbed particle motion.

In addition to the velocity  $v_n$  and pitch angle  $\alpha_{\text{oeq}}$ is a third parameter, the initial phase  $\phi_{_{\rm O}}$  , which determines the position of a particle with respect to the wave packet at the beginning of the interaction (this is a local, as opposed to an equatorial, quantity). In order to examine the dependence of the interaction results on the initial particle phase a simulation is actually done using twelve particles uniformly distributed in phase space; the parallel velocity and pitch angle are, however, identical for all twelve particles. This assembly of twelve particles uniformly distributed in phase is called a test sheet and is illustrated in Figure 4.1. It should be recalled that, as already emphasized in Section III.D, the phase between a particle and a wave is directly related to the particle's position in the z-axis direction. This is important because if particles are distributed in phase, i.e. space, the starting time t of the integration must be increased by  $\Delta t = \frac{\lambda}{12v_{p,n}}$  from particle to particle in order to maintain a correct phase separation between the particles in the sheet. This is especially important in particle phase (space) bunching calculations where particle positions determine the

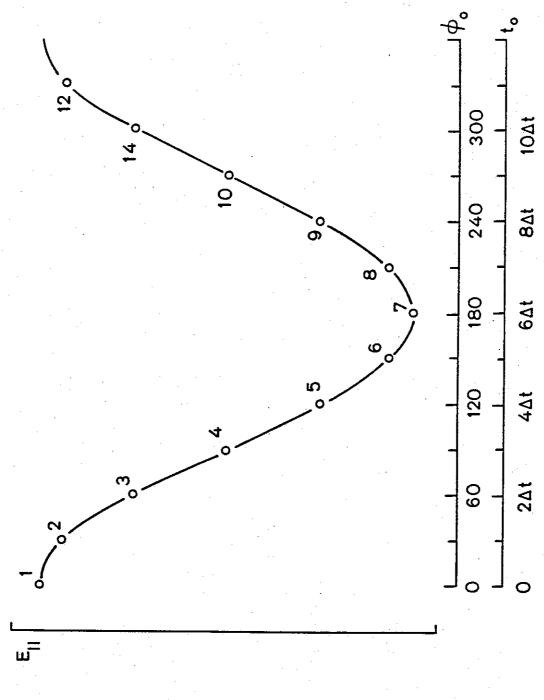


FIGURE 4.1 INITIAL UNIFORM DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRONS FORMING A TEST SHEET. At the beginning of the simulation electrons are uniformly spaced in phase every  $30^\circ$  throughout one cycle of E.. For explanation of different initial times to see text.

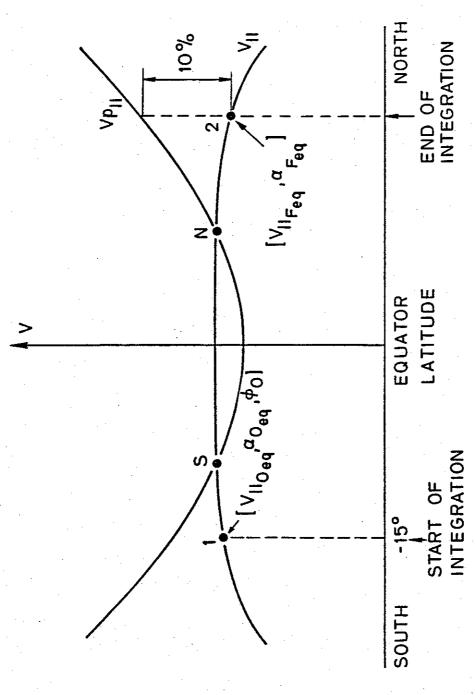


FIGURE 4.2 INTERACTION OF THE WAVE AND A TEST PARTICLE. Both the wave phase and particle parallel velocity vary with latitude, and, in general, the longitudinal resonance condition is satisfied at two locations along the field line.

extent of bunching.

After particles are injected at a given latitude their motion is altered due to the wave force which is computed by numerical integration of the equations of motion. A proper value of the starting latitude, for interactions with a monochromatic CW signal as illustrated in Fig. 4.2, was found experimentally by gradually increasing the distance between the first resonance location and the location of particle injection, and finding a latitude where further increase of this distance caused no significant changes of the final results. The actual integration of the equation of motions is done using a simple predictor-corrector method using temporal steps with  $\Delta t = 0.001$  msec. This time step size was also found experimentally, and for smaller size step there were only insignificant fluctuations of the final results in all of the examples presented later in the text. The integration method itself consists in predicting a position of a given particle after elapse of one time increment using current values of force, i.e. using those forces acting on the particle at the beginning of the time increment. However, after the particle reaches a new position forces acting on it are also different, and it is necessary to recompute (correct) the particle's position by using the average force. This average force is found as a mean value of two forces, one at the beginning and one at the end of the time interval  $\Delta$ t. This newly computed position of the particle is then taken as a new starting point, and the whole process is repeated.

For a case of a monochromatic CW wave particles travel along the field line and reach the first resonance point (Fig. 4.2) where the wave

induced perturbations of particles trajectories become stronger and stronger. At this point further behavior of the particles is very dependent on the initial phase  $\varphi_{0}$ . Although all particles have their motion altered by the wave forces only a certain class of particles becomes trapped, i.e. only those with an appropriate phase, while other particles remain untrapped. However, in both cases the integration is continued until all particles reach their second resonant point on the other side of the equator. After that moment the wave induced perturbations become smaller and smaller as the difference between particles parallel velocities and the wave phase velocity increases. The end point of the integration is then defined as the location where the absolute difference between the two velocities exceeds 10%. This value was determined experimentally, and the particular latitude where the above condition occurs is called the detrapping latitude.

As the particle moves along the field line from the starting point toward a detrap point it has its adiabatic pitch angle variation modified by the wave. Finally, after the particle reaches its detrap point it will have certain  $\alpha_F$  and  $\mathbf{v}_{\parallel F}$  which are then transformed into the corresponding equatorial values  $\alpha_{\rm Feq}$  and  $\mathbf{v}_{\parallel \rm eq}$  by using (4.1) and (3.19). The difference  $\alpha_{\rm oeq} - \alpha_{\rm Feq}$  gives the total pitch angle change, or scattering, while the difference  $\Delta \mathbf{v}_{\parallel} = \mathbf{v}_{\parallel \rm oeq} - \mathbf{v}_{\parallel \rm Feq}$  gives the total energy exchange through 1/2 m  $\Delta \mathbf{v}_{\parallel}^2$ . The final scattering and the amount of transferred energy are given both for each individual particle and for a complete test particle sheet (mean value for 12 particles).

In the next chapters we study the scattering of particles and

the energy exchange process for different wave functions and a wide range of particle initial parameters.

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# V. NUMERICAL ANALYSIS OF THE INTERACTION

#### A. INTRODUCTION

In the previous chapters we have derived a set of equations of motion for longitudinally resonant electrons, and we have studied analytically various aspects of the resonance process. Those analytical studies are now complemented by the results of the numerical simulation analysis. Numerical results should further illuminate the physics of the interaction process, and enable us to compare the effects of various parameters on a quantitative basis, i.e. in terms of scattering and energy exchange efficiencies. The behavior of individual electrons and sheets is studied for a wide range of the parameters such as  $E_0$ ,  $n_{\rm eq}$ , L,  $\alpha_{\rm eq}$ ,  $\phi_{\rm o}$ , and for different wave functions, i.e. for different wave amplitude variations along the field line. In our calculations we have used three different types of wave functions as they are described below:

- a) Monochromatic CW wave with a constant wave amplitude along the field line.
- b) One-sided wave function characterized by a very weak wave on one side of the equator and a strong wave on the other side. The transition region between the above regions is taken to be 1000 km long and starting at the equator. Such a wave function can be created through a gyroresonance process.

c) Spatial amplitude pulse formed by a non-ducted wave when its ray path is partially field aligned.
In the following discussion we present results of the numerical simulations.

# B. SCATTERING OF A SINGLE SHEET INTERACTING WITH CW SIGNAL

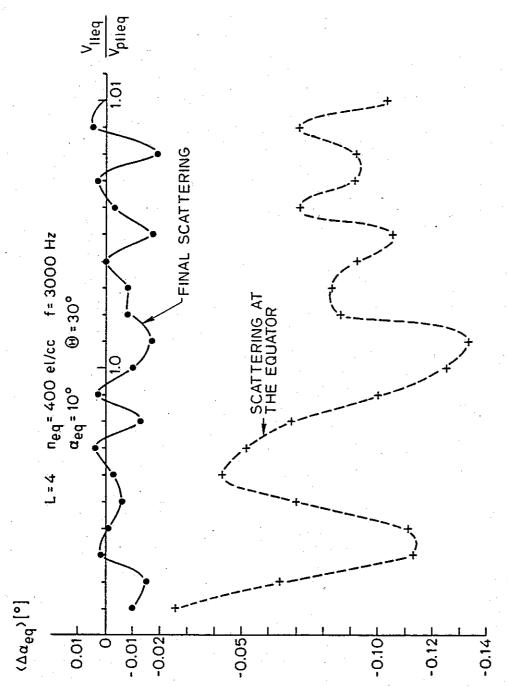
For a case of monochromatic CW signal the interaction geometry is already shown in Fig. 4.2, with electrons being injected at  $-15^{\circ}$  latitude. All electrons are identified in terms of their equatorial parameters,  $v_{\text{meq}}$  and  $\alpha_{\text{eq}}$ , with the initial phase  $\phi_{\text{o}}$  being a third parameter. First, we consider scattering of a single sheet (12 electrons uniformly distributed in phase at the injection point) as a function of the initial equatorial parallel velocity  $v_{\text{meq}}$ . Other parameters for this example are listed in Table 5.1 below.

| Field Line                         | L = 4                                    |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Equatorial Electron Density        | $n_{eq} = 400 \text{ el/cc}$             |
| Equatorial Gyrofrequency           | $f_{H} = 13.65 \text{ kHz}$              |
| Equatorial Plasmafrequency         | $f_p = 180 \text{ kHz}$                  |
| Wave Amplitude                     | $B_{\perp} = 10 pT$                      |
| Wave Frequency                     | f = 3  kHz                               |
| Wave Normal Angle                  | $\theta = 30^{\circ}$                    |
| Equatorial Parallel Phase Velocity | $v_{p} = 9.924 \cdot 10^{5} \text{ m/s}$ |
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Table 5.1 PARAMETER VALUES FOR THE EXAMPLE CASE

At this point we should note that we have used two approximations in numerical computations. First, it is assumed that the wave-normal angle is fixed, and second, the wave amplitude is also treated as though it has a constant value. However, it is well known that in the magnetosphere both wave-normal angle and wave amplitude change with location. The wave-normal angle changes as dictated by the guiding mechanisms [Helliwell, 1965] which is true for ducted waves, whereas wave-normals of nonducted waves can be found using ray-tracing analysis [Kimura, 1966, Burtis, 1974]. The wave amplitude variation arises from the inhomogeneity of the magnetosphere, and it is feasible to use a slowly-varying medium analysis to calculate those variations [Budden, 1961]. From ray-tracing and amplitude calculations it is obvious that both the wave-normal angle and the wave amplitude may change significantly along the field line, and affect the longitudinal resonance interaction. Nevertheless, if the interaction region is relatively small, the changes of wave properties are also small, and it is permissible to assume as a first order approximation that the wave-normal angle and wave amplitude are constant quantities. If there is a need for even more accurate analysis it is feasible to use ray-tracing along with WKB solution to derive exact solutions for both  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$ and  $B_{f 1}$  , and then incorporate those results in the longitudinal resonance calculations.

The mean scattering,  $<\!\Delta\alpha_{\rm eq}\!>$  (< > denotes averaging over the initial phases), of a single sheet of electrons as a function of sheet equatorial parallel velocity is illustrated in Figure 5.1. The wave



Electrons interacting with a CW signal exhibit a small final scattering (solid curve), whereas the cumulative scattering evaluated at the equator is significantly larger (dashed curve). The final scattering is computed at the end point of the integration which is defined in Fig. 4.2. MEAN SCATTERING AS A FUNCTION OF PARALLEL VELOCITY. FIGURE 5.1

intensity  $B_{\perp}=10$  pT corresponds to  $E_{H}=15~\mu\text{V/m}$ . A solid curve shown in that figure indicates the mean final scattering of a sheet at the end point of the integration of equations of motion (as defined in Fig. 4.2), while the dashed curve represents the mean scattering of a sheet computed at the equator. Comparing the equatorial, i.e. cumulative scattering when electrons reach the equator, and the final scattering it is obvious that the final scattering is, on average, one order of magnitude smaller than the equatorial scattering. It is also clear from Fig. 5.1 that the equatorial scattering is negative, i.e. the mean equatorial pitch angle of twelve electrons forming a sheet is lowered. To explain those results shown in Fig. 5.1 it is useful to study trajectories of individual electrons. For example Figure 5.2 illustrates typical electron trajectories and energy variations calculated for interactions with a monochromatic CW signal. Four electrons shown in Fig. 5.1 belong to a test sheet specified by  $v_{\text{eq}} = v$ , and  $\alpha_{\text{eq}} = 10^{\circ}$ . A main difference between those electrons are their initial phases  $\phi_0$  as indicated in Fig. 5.1 and defined in Fig. 4.1. The left column of Fig. 5.2 shows energies of the four electrons as a function of interaction time, while the right column of the same figure illustrates variations of both parallel and phase velocities as a function of latitude. Note that the time scale and the latitude scale cover the same portion of the field line. Next consider Fig. 5.2a where, as the electron approaches the equator, the parallel velocity becomes better matched to the wave phase velocity, and the wave effects become more cumulative. Those wave effects cause the oscillations of  $v_n$  and  $E_{\star}$  and as the electron comes closer to the

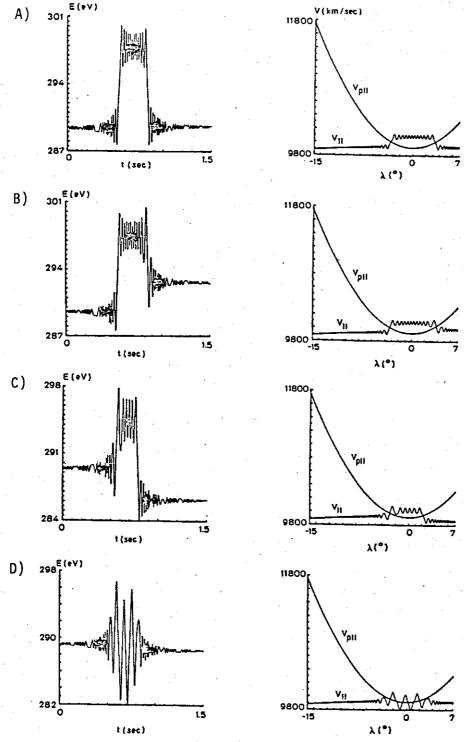


FIGURE 5.2 SINGLE ELECTRON TRAJECTORIES FOR B, = 10 pT. The electron energy and parallel velocity are shown as a function of latitude as it interacts with CW wave. The initial parallel velocity  $v_{\text{meoq}} = v_{\text{pmeq}}$ , and  $\alpha = 10^{\circ}$  for all electrons. The initial phase  $\phi_0$  is 30° in (a), 90° in (b), 120° in (c), and 270° in (d).

equator the amplitudes of the oscillations increase. At the point t = 0.52 sec ( $\lambda$  = -3.5°) the parallel velocity of the electron equals the phase velocity, and that point is called the first resonance point. Electrons shown in Figs. 5.2b, 5.2c, and 5.2d exhibit similar behavior before they reach the first resonance point. However, after electrons travel beyond the first resonance only the top three electrons shown in Fig. 5.2 are accelerated by the wave in such a manner that their parallel velocities become larger than the phase velocity. It is also clear from Figs. 5.2a, 5.2b, and 5.2c that this increase of the parallel velocity is accompanied by an increase of the total energy of the electrons. After those electrons have traveled beyond the first resonance their motion, as they travel across the equator, is still affected by the wave, but the parallel velocity remains larger than the phase velocity. However, on the other side of the equator the phase velocity again starts to increase and the electrons approach their second resonance point. At this second resonance point the electrons are decelerated by the wave and consequently their energy is also decreased. Thus the electrons shown in Figs. 5.2a, 5.2b, and 5.2c are being accelerated at the first resonance point and then decelerated at the second resonance point. The amount of acceleration and deceleration in general depends on the actual phase between a given electron and the wave, and as a final result electron energy can be unchanged (Fig. 5.2a), increased (Fig. 5.2b) or decreased (Fig. 5.2c). Compared to those top three cases (Figs. 5.2a, 5.2b, 5.2c) a fourth electron trajectory illustrated in Fig. 5.2d is quite different. This electron became trapped after the first resonance interaction and its parallel

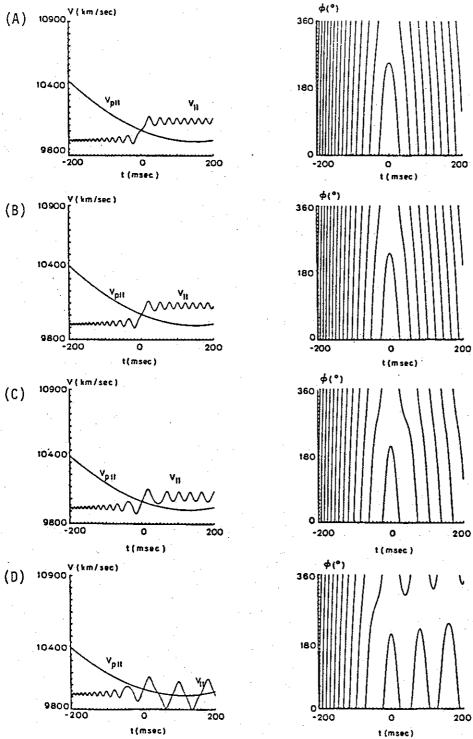


FIGURE 5.3 SINGLE ELECTRON TRAJECTORIES FOR  $B_1 = 10$  pT. The electron parallel velocity  $v_{ii}$  and phase  $\phi$  as a function of time. Time t=0 indicates occurrence of the first resonance. Other parameters are the same as those in Fig. 5.2.

velocity, as well as the total energy, shows oscillatory behavior which is characteristic of the trapped electrons.

Figure 5.3 is a time expanded view of the electron's behavior during a 400 msec window centered around the first resonance point at t = 0 msec. This figure shows both parallel velocity and electron phase behavior. From the phase diagrams it follows that the phase is increasing before the first resonance, with the rate of increase decreasing as electrons approach the first resonance point. This type of phase variation is consistent with that found analytically in Chapter III. At the resonance point the phase does not change, i.e. it becomes constant, and the first derivative is equal to zero, as indicated in Fig. 5.3. After the first resonance untrapped and trapped electrons undergo different phase variations. Untrapped electrons are associated with a constantly decreasing phase as a result of  $v_{\pi} > v_{p_{\pi}}$  , while trapped electrons exhibit an oscillatory phase behavior as they oscillate at the bottom of the potential well. Note that an electron is considered to be trapped if it executes at least one complete phase oscillation. Figure 5.3 also clearly illustrates significance of the phase between electrons and a wave. By comparing the phase behavior of the electrons shown in Figs. 5.3c and 5.3d, we see that the difference in their phases at the resonance point (t = 0 msec) is less then 5 degrees, but the electron of Fig.5.2c is not trapped, whereas the electron of Fig. 5.2d is trapped.

Those four sample trajectories are representative of typical perturbations of electron motion induced by the wave forces. Finally, to explain the results of Fig. 5.1 where the equatorial scattering is

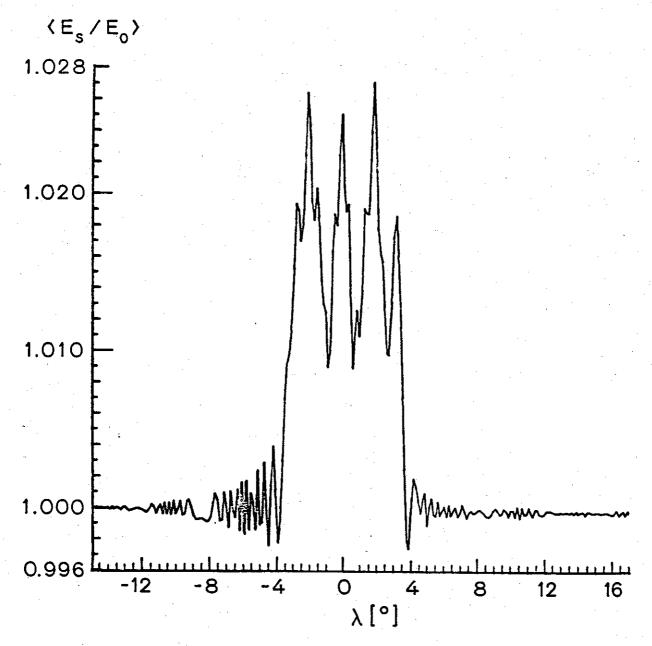


FIGURE 5.4 NORMALIZED ENERGY OF TEST SHEET AS A FUNCTION OF LATITUDE. The normalized energy of a test sheet (12 electrons) increases about 2.5% around the equator when those electrons interact with a CW signal. The sheet initial parallel velocity is  $v_{\text{meq}} = v_{\text{pmeq}}$  and  $\alpha = 10^{\circ}$ .

larger than the final scattering, the energies of all 12 electrons are added together and plotted as a function of latitude in Figure 5.4. From this figure it immediately follows that there is a region around the equator where the normalized total energy of the electron sheet is increased. This energy increase is on average about 2% of the initial total energy, and it is limited to latitudes between -4° and 4°. The jump in the energy is caused by the acceleration of untrapped electrons such as those shown in Figs. 5.2a, 5.2b, 5.2c, while the energy envelope oscillations are caused by trapped electrons such as that of Fig. 5.2d. In the particular example there were 7 untrapped electrons and 5 trapped electrons. Beyond  $\lambda = 4^{\circ}$  the total energy of the sheet returns almost to the initial level. Here we recall that an increase of the electron energy yields a decrease of the pitch angle, while a decrease of the electron energy yields an increase of the pitch angle. Bearing this relation in mind it is then easy to explain the results of Fig. 5.1 by translating energy variations shown in Fig. 5.4 into pitch angle variations. This transformation immediately reveals that the equatorial scattering is negative and larger than the final scattering, again as indicated in Fig. 5.1. It also explains why the final scattering can be both positive or negative because the final energy can be either larger or smaller than the initial energy. The final scattering appears, due to its randomness, as though it resulted from an incoherent interaction. On the other hand the equatorial scattering appears to be much less random implying a larger degree of coherence. This indicates that coherence of this particular type of longitudinal interaction is position dependent, and it is necessary to examine electron trajectories

rather than to rely only on scattering results.

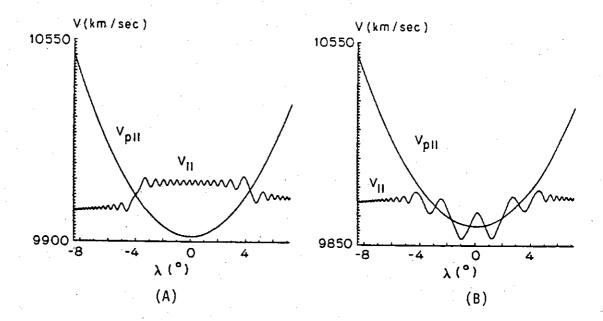
The energy gained by the electrons is extracted from the wave which means that the wave amplitude must be reduced around the equator. For test particle studies involving only twelve particles this attenuation of the wave amplitude is negligible, but it should be considered in full distribution computations where significant loss of the wave energy will cause a strong wave attenuation and consequently weaken the interaction process.

From Fig. 5.3d it follows that the trapping period is about 82 msec. Because the medium inhomogeneity is very small around the equator this trapping period can be also computed using a relation derived for the homogeneous medium

$$T_{t} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{m}{eE_{H}k_{B}}}$$
 (5.1)

Using (5.1) with  $k_{\rm H}=1.9\ 10^{-3}$  and  $E_{\rm H}=15\,\mu{\rm V/m}$ , the trapping period is computed to be 81.5 msec, which is in very good agreement with the numerical result. It is also easy to check the oscillation period of  $v_{\rm H}$  for untrapped electrons. For example consider the electron shown in Fig. 5.2b and its parallel velocity at t = 100 msec. The period of parallel velocity oscillation at that point is about 20 msec, which may also be found by computing the doppler shifted frequency of the wave  $\omega_1=\omega-k_{\rm H}v_{\rm H}$ . Taking  $\omega=2\pi\cdot3000$  rad/sec,  $k_{\rm H}=1.9\ 10^{-3}$ , and  $v_{\rm H}=1.9\ 10^{-3}$ , a

As mentioned earlier results shown in Figs. 5.2, 5.3, and 5.4



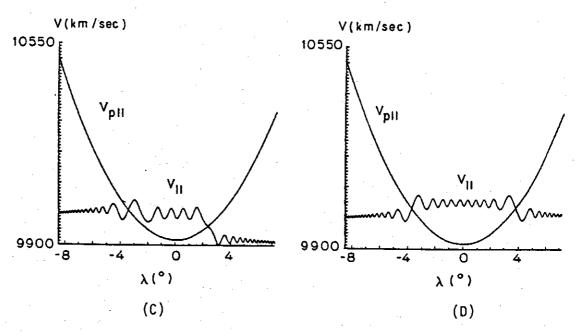


FIGURE 5.5 SINGLE ELECTRON TRAJECTORIES FOR B = 10 pT. Electron parallel velocities as functions of latitude for a case when the initial parallel velocity is  $v_{\text{HS}} = 1.050 \ v_{\text{pHeq}}$ . The pitch angle and initial phases of electrons are the same as those in Fig. 5.2.

are calculated for a sheet with initial equatorial parallel velocity  $v_{\text{meq}_0}$  equal to the equatorial phase velocity  $v_{\text{pmeq}}$  of a wave. For purposes of comparison, Figure 5.5 shows the parallel velocity behavior of four electrons, from a sheet with  $v_{\text{meq}_0} = 1.050 \ v_{\text{pmeq}}$ , and again as a function of latitude. The motion of the electrons is similar to that shown in Fig. 5.2. The possibility of trapping, or not trapping, depends on the initial phase  $\phi_0$  of each individual electron, and the final scattering can be both positive and negative.

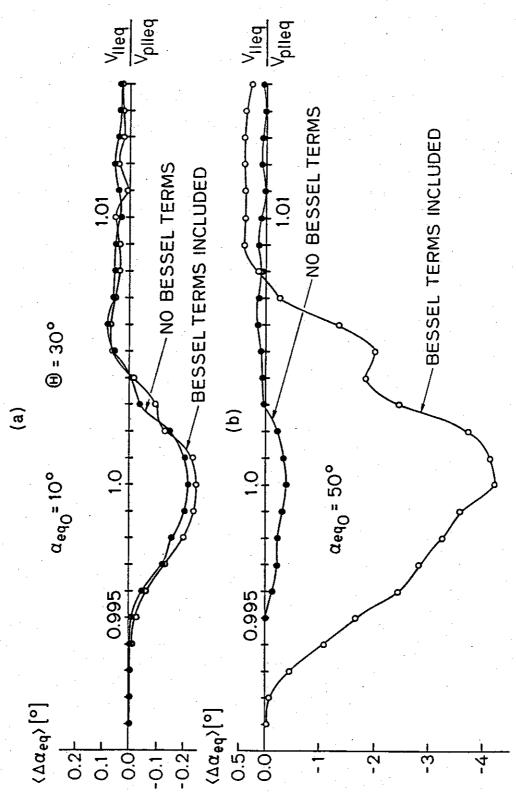
The above results suggest that the longitudinal resonance interaction with a monochromatic CW signal is confined to a relatively small region around the equator. The controlling factor in the interaction is the variation of phase  $\phi$  which determines if electrons become trapped or not, and affects the amount of exchanged energy.

C. SCATTERING OF A SINGLE SHEET INTERACTING WITH CW WAVES

AMPLIFIED AT THE EQUATOR THROUGH THE CYCLOTRON RESONANCE

Next we consider the scattering of single electron sheet interacting with a monochromatic CW wave whose amplitude is increased through the gyroresonance process. The amplification process of CW waves takes place close to the equator [Helliwell, 1967], and in our calculations the growth region is taken to be 1000 km long. The wave amplitude, before it reaches the equatorial growth region, is 0.1 pT.

Figures 5.6 and 5.7 illustrate the scattering of a single sheet as a function of the initial parallel velocity  $v_{\text{Heq}_{\Omega}}$  . In all



The results indicate that the wave magnetic forces become important at larger pitch anglongitudinal resonance interactions with a CW signal which is amplified after it crosses MEAN SCATTERING AS A FUNCTION OF PARALLEL VELOCITY. The mean scattering is computed for les; then it is necessary to include Bessel terms in the equations of motion. the equator. FIGURE 5.6

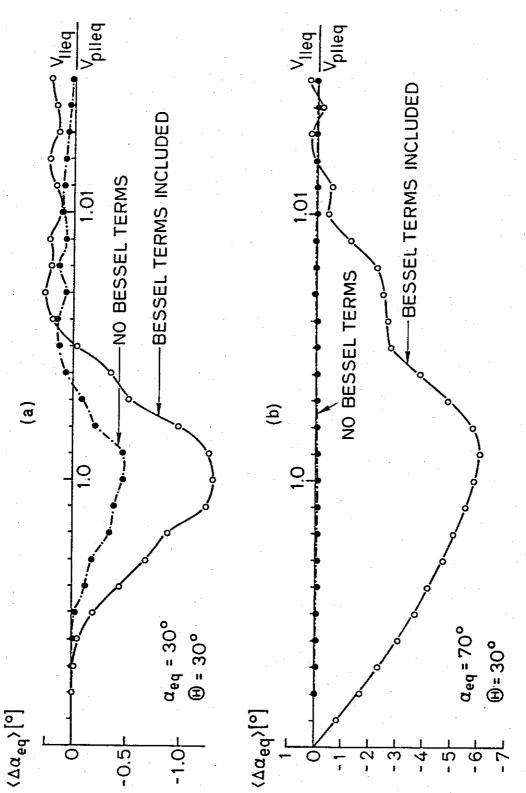
computations the wave amplitude is B = 10 pT, or E  $_{\rm H}$  = 15  $\mu V/m$ , while the equatorial pitch angle is taken to be 10°, 30°, 50°, and 70°. The total sheet scattering is computed twice for each parallel velocity increment; once it is computed using complete averaged equations of motion, and once using only the qE term of Eq. 2.61 as though the wave is electrostatic, i.e. it is assumed that  $J_0(\eta) = 1$  and  $J_1(\eta) = 0$ . As discussed earlier, the effects of the Bessel terms, i.e. the effects of the wave magnetic field forces, should become significant at larger pitch angles, while at lower pitch angles the difference between the two computational methods is expected to be small. From Fig. 5.6a, which is calculated using  $\alpha_{eq}$  = 10°, it is evident that the two methods produce very similar results, as expected. On the other hand, as the pitch angle increases the difference between the results becomes much larger and for  $\alpha_{\text{eq}}$  = 70° there is almost no scattering if we exclude the Bessel terms from the equations of motion (Fig. 5.7b), whereas the scattering calculated using the complete equations is about  $-6^{\circ}$  at  $v_{\text{meg}} = v_{\text{pmeg}}$ . Those examples confirm the results of Chapter II, where it was found that the Bessel terms will be a very important factor in governing the motion of electrons with high pitch angles. This is especially true for the  $J_1(\eta)$  term, which represents effects of the wave magnetic force, as already indicated in Figs. 2.5, 2.6 and 2.7.

As discussed earlier the longitudinal resonance interaction depends strongly on the wave amplitude. This wave amplitude dependence is depicted in Figure 5.8. Three different curves shown in that figure represent scattering of sheets with three different initial parallel velocities  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{ueq}_0}$ . A sheet with  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{ueq}_0} = \mathbf{v}_{\text{pueq}}$  has the optimal parallel

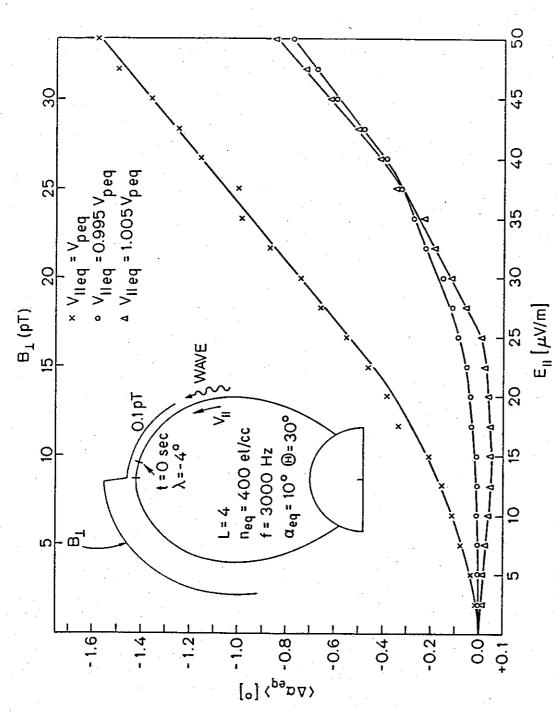
velocity as required by the resonance condition. Two other sheets with  $v_{\text{meq}_0}$  = 0.995  $v_{\text{pmeq}}$  and  $v_{\text{meq}_0}$  = 1.005  $v_{\text{pmeq}}$  are slightly off the resonance when they encounter the wave growth region at the equator; the first is slower and the second is faster than the phase front of the wave, respectively. The effects of different sheet velocities are best illustrated by considering the amount of pitch angle scattering for a given wave amplitude. The particle sheet with  $v_{\text{meq}} = v_{\text{pmeq}}$  is scattered about -  $0.1^{\circ}$  when interacting with a relatively weak wave with  $B_{\perp} = 5$ pT. On the other hand, the other two sheets require a wave with  $B_{\perp} = 18$ pT to achieve the same amount of scattering. Below  $B_1 = 18 \text{ pT}$ scattering of the sheet with  $v_{\text{meq}} = 0.995 v_{\text{pmeq}}$  is small and negative, whereas scattering of the sheet with  $v_{\text{meq}} = 1.005 v_{\text{pmeq}}$  is also small, but positive. We recall from Section III.E that the direction of energy exchange depends on the relative magnitudes of the parallel and phase velocities; if an electron is faster than a wave it is decelerated and loses its kinetic energy; if an electron is slower than a wave it is accelerated and gains kinetic energy. An increase, or decrease, of the kinetic energy is accomplished by changing the parallel velocity of the electron through the resonance process. If the parallel velocity of an electron is increased, its equatorial pitch angle becomes smaller, or equivalently, if the parallel velocity of an electron is decreased, its equatorial pitch angle becomes larger. It is this type of process that explains the behavior of the two sheets with  $v_{\text{leq}_0}$  = 0.995  $v_{\text{pueq}}$  and  $v_{\text{meq}_0}$  = 1.005  $v_{\text{pmeq}}$  for B  $_{\text{L}}$  < 18 pT. It may be wondered why a sheet with  $v_{\text{meq}_0} = v_{\text{pmeq}}$  does not show similar behavior, and what is happening when  ${\rm B}_{\scriptscriptstyle \perp}$  > 18 pT in the other two cases. The answers may be found by

examining trajectories of individual test electrons. From those results it was found that for weak waves all electrons remain untrapped regardless of their initial parallel velocities. As long as the electron is not trapped, i.e as long as the electron parallel velocity does not follow the phase velocity variation, the longitudinal interaction is generally limited to two relatively small regions around the two resonance points. In our case the interaction is further limited to only one side of the equator where the wave amplitude is sufficiently strong. Next, as the wave amplitude increases beyond the equator the interaction becomes stronger, and from the trajectory calculations, it is evident that some electrons become trapped. This transition between the untrapped and trapped mode of the longitudinal interaction is characterized by a significant increase in the scattering. amplitude threshold at which the trapped mode scattering overtakes the untrapped mode scattering depends on the initial parallel velocity vuego, as shown in Fig. 5.8. The threshold amplitude for  $v_{\text{meq}_0} = v_{\text{pmeq}}$  is as low as  $B_1 = 3$  pT, with a relatively smooth transition between the two interaction regimes. The amplitude threshold in the two other cases is about  $B_1 = 18$  pT with a much sharper transition between two interaction regimes.

The individual particle trajectories are illustrated in Figures 5.9, 5.10, and 5.11. Figure 5.9 shows parallel velocities and phases of four electrons with  $v_{\text{meq}_0} = v_{\text{pmeq}}$ ,  $\alpha = 10^{\circ}$ , and different initial phases  $\phi_0$ , as functions of latitude and time, respectively. The wave amplitude is  $B_1$ = 10 pT. As in the case for a CW signal the parallel velocity variation of those electrons is controlled by the phase



The format is the same as Fig. 5.6, MEAN SCATTERING AS A FUNCTION OF PARALLEL VELOCITY. except that  $\alpha_{\rm eq} = 30^\circ$  in (a), and  $\alpha_{\rm eq} = 70^\circ$  in (b). FIGURE 5.7



effect, i.e. significant scattering is possible only if the wave amplitude exceeds a certain value. The threshold amplitude increases as the absolute difference between the initial parallel MEAN SCATTERING AS A FUNCTION OF WAVE AMPLITUDE FOR THE AMPLIFIED CW SIGNAL. The behavior of the mean scattering indicates the presence of an amplitude threshold and phase velocity becomes larger. FIGURE 5.8

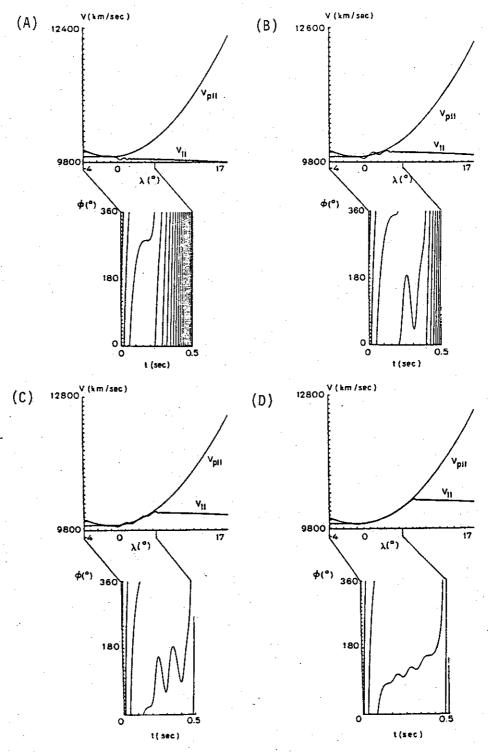


FIGURE 5.9 SINGLE ELECTRON TRAJECTORIES FOR B, = 10 pT. Parallel velocity and phase behavior for electrons with Vmeq = Vpeq and  $\alpha$  = 10° interacting with variable amplitude CW signal. The initial electron phase is 0° in (a), 120° in (b), 150° in (c), and 300° in (d).

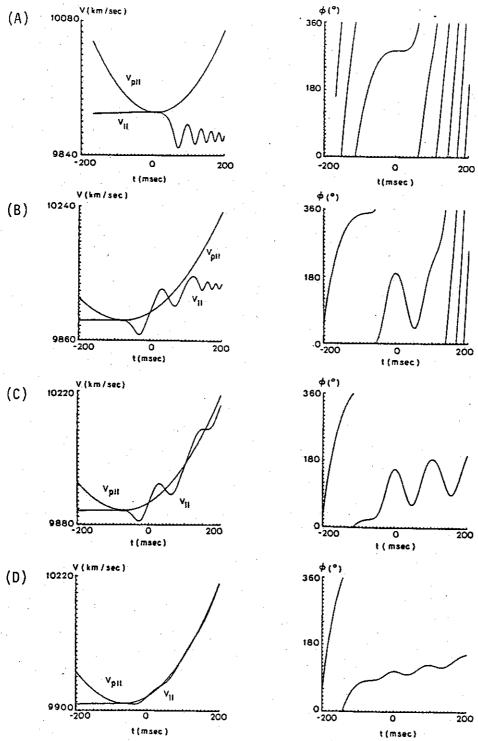
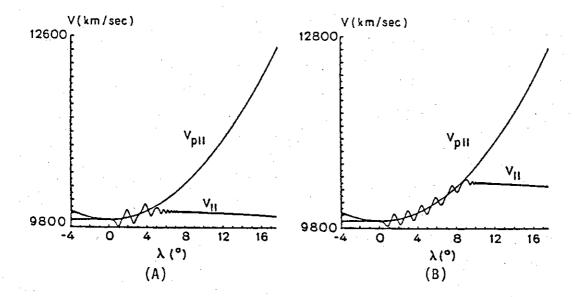


FIGURE 5.10 SINGLE ELECTRON TRAJECTORIES FOR  $B_1$  = 10 pT. Shown here are the parallel velocity and phase variations around the first resonance point at t=0. Other parameters are same as those in Fig. 5.9.

variation. For example, the electron trajectory of Fig. 5.9a indicates absence of trapping because of an improper phase, whereas the number of oscillations for trapped electrons in the other three cases also depends on the phase at the moment when the parallel velocity equals the wave phase velocity. Figure 5.10 depicts a time expanded view of the electron trajectories around the first resonance point. Before analysing those trajectories we recall from section II.B that the variation of E, is described, in the wave frame, as cos k,z, and that the bottom of the potential well is at  $\mathbf{Z}_{\mathbf{R}}$  as shown in Figure 2.2. In Figure 5.10 the time t = 0 indicates the first resonance where  $v_{\text{\tiny H}} = v_{\text{\tiny D}_{\text{\tiny H}}}$  . The phase at this point is a crucial factor governing the further motion of a particular electron. For example, the phase of electron shown in Fig. 5.10a is such that it is strongly decelerated and by the time of phase reversal, i.e. electron acceleration, the parallel and wave phase velocity are too different for trapping to be possible. Observing the phase of the electron in Fig. 5.10b at t = 0 we find this phase to be significantly smaller than the phase in Fig. 5.10a. Due to this different phase the second electron is less decelerated, eventually becomes trapped, and executes one oscillation at the bottom of the potential well. For the next two electrons shown in Figs. 5.10c and 5.10d the phases at t = 0 are even smaller resulting in an increasing number of oscillations. We note that the amplitudes of both velocity and phase oscillations decrease as the phase at t = 0 decreases. In the example shown in Fig. 5.10d the phase at t = 0 is very close to the optimal  $90\,^{\circ}$  which then results in the strongest trapping. As discussed earlier the  $90\,^{\circ}$  phase indicates that an electron is exactly at the



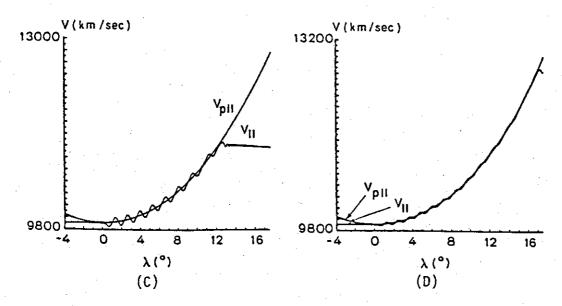


FIGURE 5.11 SINGLE ELECTRON TRAJECTORIES FOR B = 30 pT. The electron parameters are same as those in Fig. 5.9.

bottom of the potential well. To illustrate the effects of wave amplitude Figure 5.11 shows the same four electrons, but the wave amplitude is increased to  $B_1 = 30$  pT. In this case even the first electron becomes trapped, and the other three electrons now remain trapped for longer periods of time.

Figure 5.12 shows the scattering of individual electrons as a function of their initial phases  $\boldsymbol{\varphi}_{\!\scriptscriptstyle O}$  for three different wave amplitudes. This figure confirms the importance of phase as a controlling factor in the longitudinal resonance interaction. Figure 5.12 shows that it is possible to achieve a significant increase of the scattering efficiency by changing the inital phase  $\varphi_{0}$  from  $0\ensuremath{^{\circ}}$  to  $180\ensuremath{^{\circ}}.$  We summarize the results of the above analysis in Figure 5.13 which shows the normalized total energy of a single sheet as a function of latitude. The initial equatorial parallel velocity equals the equatorial phase velocity and wave amplitude is  $B_1 = 10$  pT. Before electrons reach the equator the wave amplitude is very small and there are no significant changes of the sheet energy. After the equator crossing the wave amplitude starts to increase and electrons become trapped. As long as those electrons remain trapped their parallel velocities increase and so does the total energy of the electron sheet. As the electrons move away from the equator some of them become detrapped, but the energy increase continues up to the point where the last electron becomes detrapped. At that point the energy of a sheet has reached its maximum and remains constant. From Figure 5.13 we see that the particular sheet has gained about 4.6% over the initial energy. The energy gain region is between  $\lambda$  = 1° and  $\lambda$  = 7°. Recall that this energy increase must be accompanied

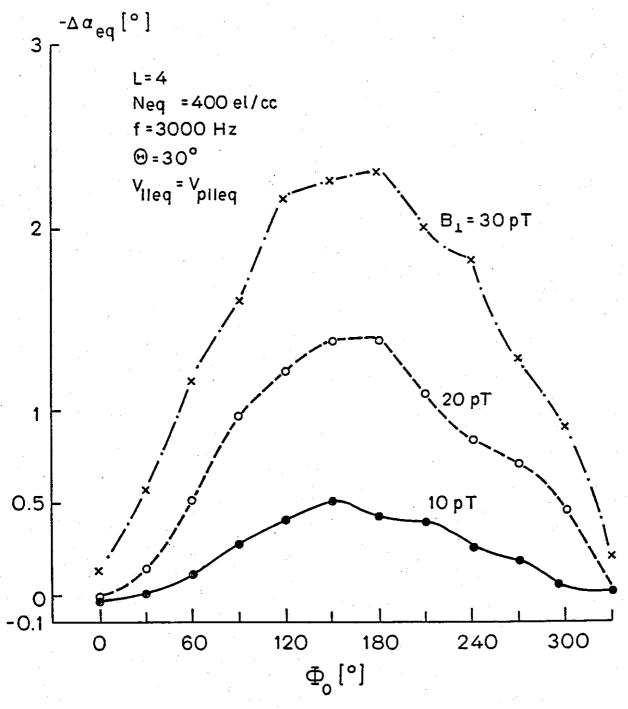


FIGURE 5.12 TOTAL SCATTERING,  $\Delta\alpha_{eq}$ , VERSUS INITIAL PHASE FOR DIFFERENT WAVE AMPLITUDES. The initial pitch angle is  $\alpha_{eq}$ = 10°.

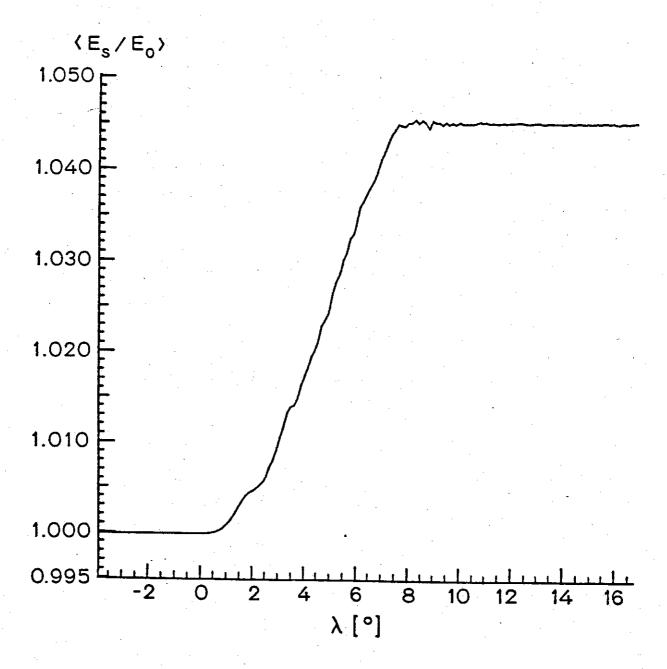


FIGURE 5.13 NORMALIZED ENERGY OF TEST SHEET AS A FUNCTION OF LATITUDE. The energy of the test sheet is increased as it interacts with the variable amplitude CW signal.

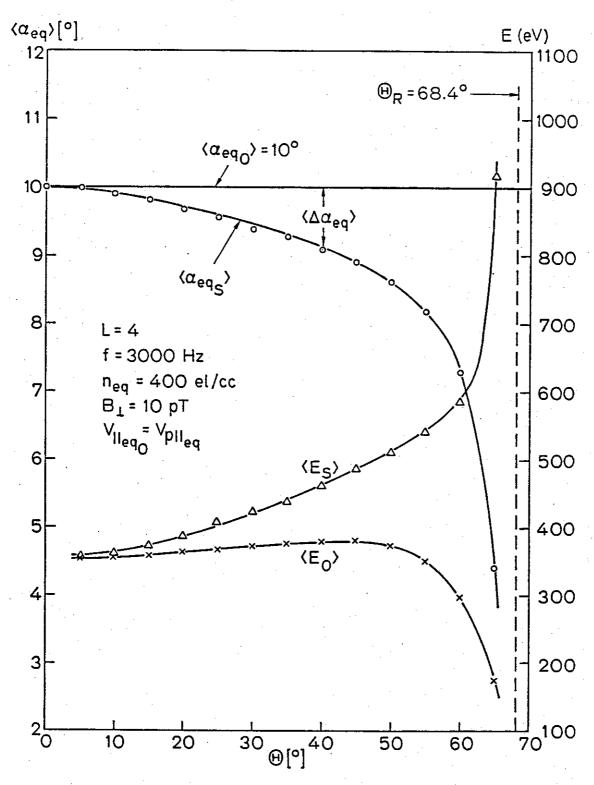


FIGURE 5.14 MEAN SCATTERING AS A FUNCTION OF WAVE NORMAL ANGLE. The difference  $\langle E_s \rangle$  -  $\langle E_o \rangle$  represents the amount of energy gained by electrons.

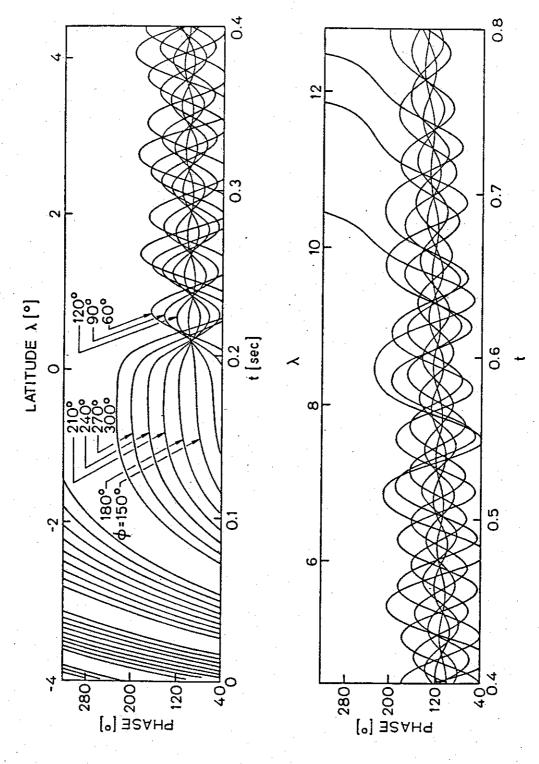
by wave attenuation which is not considered in the test particle studies, i.e there is no feedback to account for wave amplitude changes. The feedback effects can be neglected in a test particle simulation where the number of electrons is small, but they must be considered in a full distribution analysis.

Next we take into account the scattering efficiency dependence on the wave-normal angle. Figure 5.14 shows  $<\!\Delta\alpha_{eq}\!> vs$ .  $\theta$  for  $B_1$  = 10 pT,  $\alpha_{eq}$  = 10° and  $v_{"eq}_{o}$  =  $v_{p"eq}$ . The wave function corresponds to one given in Fig. 5.3. Also shown are the initial energy of the sheet,  $<\!E_{o}\!>$  and the final energy  $<\!E_{g}\!>$ . We have found earlier that the main effect of the wave-normal angle increase is seen through an increase of  $E_{II}$ . Thus, as the wave normal increases the longitudinal interactions become more effective, as indicated in Fig. 5.14. Furthermore, when the wave-normal approaches the resonance cone electrons are scattered by as much as -5.5°, and the sheet energy is increased about five times. For such a strong interaction the wave amplitude would most likely be heavily attenuated, although to find the exact solution it is necessary to include a previously discussed feedback term. The inclusion of the feedback term would than probably diminish the scattering effects as the wave amplitude becomes smaller with the increasing scattering.

In Chapter II we discussed the possibility of space bunching of electrons through the longitudinal resonance process. Figure 5.15 shows the phases of nine electrons from a sheet with  $v_{meq_0} = v_{p^meq}$ ,  $c_{eq} = 10^\circ$  and interacting with a 30 pT wave. Three remaining electrons are omitted from this figure because they are very weakly trapped as already illustrated in Fig. 5.12. Initially all electrons are uniformly

distributed in phase space and maintain this phase separation as they approach the equator. At the equator they reach a wave growth region and trapping takes place. As electrons become trapped around t = 0.21 sec their maximum phase separation is reduced to about 150°, and can be as small as  $50^{\circ}$  at the moment when all electrons reach the bottom of potential well nearly simultaneously at t = 0.21, t = 0.24, and t = 0.27 sec. Thus the original spacing between the electrons is reduced and we have a case of space bunching. In this particular example 9 out of 12 electrons are bunched in about a half of the original separation. Thus, the density increase is roughly 9/12 × 360/150, or about 180% of the initial density for  $v_{\text{meq}} = v_{\text{pmeq}}$ . For other velocities the density increase is smaller because the resonance condition is not satisfied exactly at the equator. Note that after a few initial oscillation periods electrons go out of phase and start to reach the bottom of the potential well at different times. It is possible to have a new synchronization later in time, as occurs at t = 0.54 and t = 0.565 sec (Fig. 5.15). This problem may be understood as though we have 9 harmonic oscillators with slightly different periods of oscillation caused by different phases at the moment those electrons entered the trap.

Figure 5.16 shows  $\langle \Delta \alpha_{eq} \rangle$  vs. v<sub>n</sub>, and  $\langle \Delta E \rangle$  vs. v<sub>n</sub> for interactions taking place inside and outside the plasmapause. Those results clearly show that interactions outside the plasmapause result in less scattering, but in more energy exchange, than those interactions inside the plasmapause. This interesting result may be explained as follows; as  $n_{eq}$  drops outside the plasmapause the wave phase velocity



PHASE BUNCHING DUE TO THE LONGITUDINAL RESONANCE INTERACTIONS. FIGURE 5.15

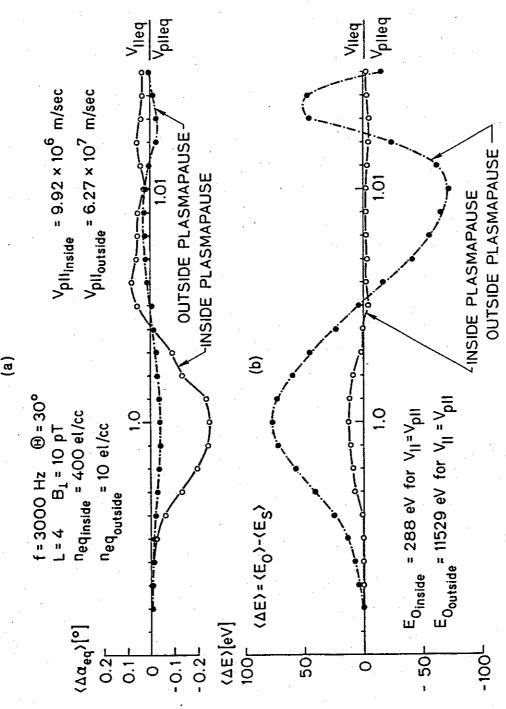


FIGURE 5.16 COMPARISON BETWEEN THE EFFECTS OF LONGITUDINAL RESONANCE INTERACTIONS INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE PLASMAPAUSE. Shown in (a) is the mean scattering  $<\!\alpha_{eq}\!>$ , while (b) depicts the corresponding energy exchange  $<\!\Delta E\!>$ .

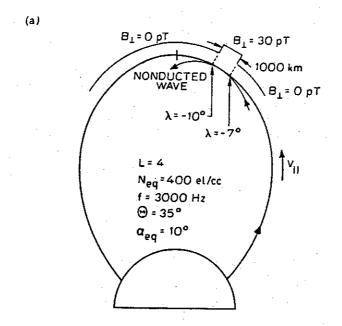
increases and the parallel resonant energy becomes higher. Higher energy electrons move faster through the wave and hence have a shorter time to be scattered. Note that although the resonant energy is about 288 eV for  $n_{\rm eq}$  = 400 el/cc it is 11529 eV for  $n_{\rm eq}$  = 10 el/cc. Because of that difference in resonant energies even a relatively small scattering outside the plasmapause results in energy changes that are larger compared to those found inside the plasmapause.

This concludes our discussion of single sheet scattering interacting with a one-sided wave function. In the next section we present results involving sheet scattering by a spatial pulse.

## D. SCATTERING OF A SINGLE SHEET INTERACTING WITH A SPATIAL PULSE

In this section we examine the scattering of a single electron sheet as it moves through a spatial amplitude pulse formed by a non-ducted wave when its ray direction stays field aligned for a certain portion of the wave path. As depicted in Figure 5.17a the ray direction is field aligned between  $\lambda$  = - 10° and  $\lambda$  = - 7°, which is equivalent to 1000 km in length. Other interaction parameters are specified in the same figure. The interaction is studied for a wide range of initial parallel velocities,  $\Delta v_{\rm H}$ , as illustrated in Figure 5.17b. The minimum parallel velocity is 1.012  $v_{\rm PHeq}$ , the maximum parallel velocity is 1.106  $v_{\rm PHeq}$ , and the parallel velocity increment is 0.001  $v_{\rm PHeq}$ . The wave amplitude is assumed to be zero everywhere except for - 10° <  $\lambda$  < -7°. The scattering results are shown in Figure 5.17. To explain those

results we can use Figure 5.17b as follows; when the initial parallel velocity is small, for example  $v_{npeq} = 1.012 v_{pneq}$ , the latitude of the first resonance point is also small, i.e. it is close to the equator. Hence, as those electrons travel up the field line toward the equator they encounter the spatial amplitude pulse but parallel and phase velocities are rather different resulting in a very weak interaction. As the initial parallel velocity of a sheet is increased the first resonance point moves away from the equator and closer to the amplitude pulse, and the two velocities become better matched. This better velocity match results in a stronger interaction and a negative scattering  $<\!\!\Delta\alpha_{\mbox{\footnotesize{eq}}}\!\!>$  . A negative sign of  $<\!\!\Delta\alpha_{\mbox{\footnotesize{eq}}}\!\!>$  means that electrons are accelerated. This acceleration is consistent with the relative ratio of two velocities; namely, before electrons reach the first resonance point their velocity is less than the wave phase velocity in which case electrons are accelerated in order to match the phase velocity. However, further increase of the parallel velocity beyond 1.082  $v_{p\,\text{meq}}$ results in a change of sign of the effective scattering. This occurs when the first resonance point falls within approximately ±0.5° of the pulse front edge at -  $10^{\circ}$ . The principal difference is that electrons become trapped as they interact with the pulse, whereas for lower parallel velocities there were no trapped electrons. When trapping takes place the parallel velocity follows the phase velocity, which decreases as electrons approach the equator, and this results in a positive sign of scattering  $\mbox{$<\!\Delta\alpha_{\rm ed}$>$}$  in Fig. 5.18. Furthermore, as the parallel velocity is increased beyond 1.094  $\boldsymbol{v}_{\text{pueq}}$  the first resonance moves even further down the field line and interactions become small



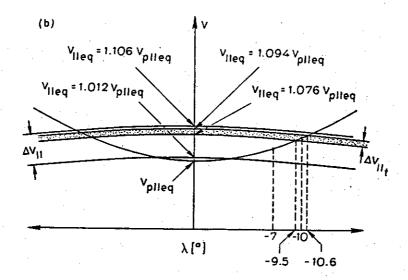


FIGURE 5.17 INTERACTION WITH SPATIAL AMPLITUDE PULSE EXTENDING BETWEEN  $\lambda$ =-10° AND  $\lambda$ =-7°. Shown in (a) is the position of spatial pulse on the field line. The range of affected initial parallel velocities is shown in (b).

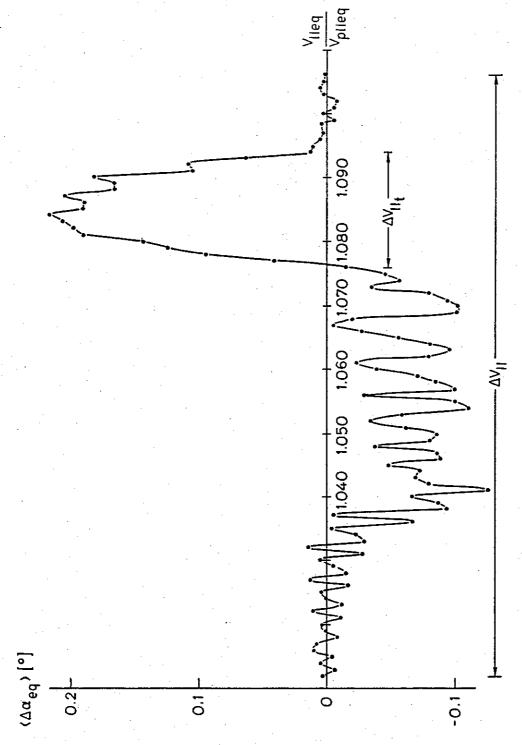
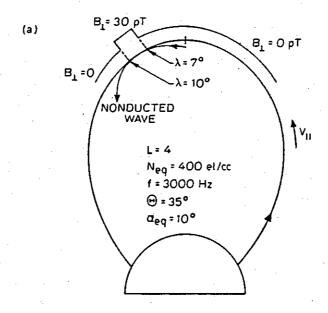


FIGURE 5.18 MEAN SCATTERING FOR INTERACTIONS WITH A SPATIAL AMPLITUDE PULSE EXTENDING BETWEEN  $\lambda$ =-10 AND  $\lambda$ =-7. Electrons with initial velocities within the  $\Delta v_{n_L}$  range are trapped, while electrons with other initial parallel velocities remain untrapped.



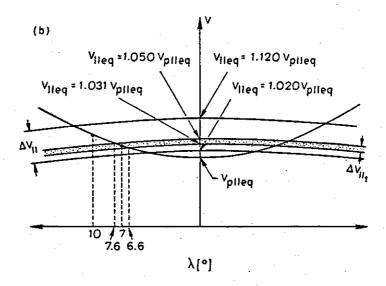
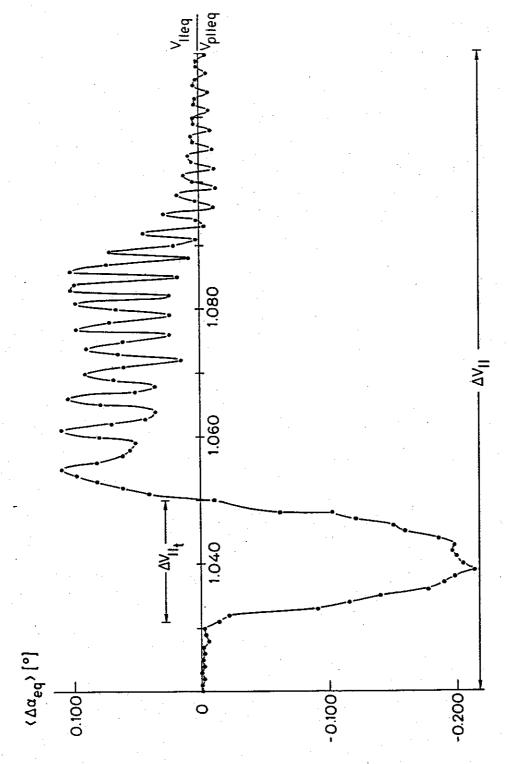


FIGURE 5.19 INTERACTION WITH SPATIAL AMPLITUDE PULSE EXTENDING BETWEEN  $\lambda$ =7° AND  $\lambda$ =10°. The format is the same as that of Fig. 5.18.



MEAN SCATTERING FOR INTERACTIONS WITH A SPATIAL AMPLITUDE PULSE EXTENDING BETWEEN  $\lambda=7^\circ$  AND  $\lambda=10^\circ$ . Only electrons with v., in the  $\Delta v_{\rm int}$  range are trapped. FIGURE 5.20

again. The shaded area in Fig. 5.17a indicates the trapping velocity bandwidth  $\Delta v_{\rm t}$  which is also indicated in Fig. 18. When comparing areas of positive and negative scattering in Fig. 5.18 they turn out to be approximately the same which means that the energy exchange is small.

This example is a good illustration of the different features of the longitudinal resonance interaction. We see that the electron behavior is very dissimilar in cases with and without trapping.

Untrapped electrons change their velocity depending on the relative ratio of phase and parallel velocities, while trapped electrons become space bunched and their parallel velocity follows the wave phase velocity.

Figure 5.19 illustrates a similar type of interaction as the one discussed above, only the spatial amplitude pulse is on the other side of the equator. The corresponding scattering results are shown in Figure 5.20. Those results may be explained using the same analysis as the one used in the previous example. The trapping occurs when the first resonance point is close to the pulse front edge at  $\lambda = 7^{\circ}$ , although the trapped electron scattering is now negative as the phase velocity increases. The untrapped particle scattering is positive because the phase velocity is smaller than the parallel velocity before the resonance point is reached.

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# VI. FULL DISTRIBUTION SIMULATIONS

#### A. INTRODUCTION

In Chapter V we have presented results of single sheet simulations. The purpose of that analysis was to clarify various aspects of the longitudinal resonance process. In this chapter we carry those calculations one step further by increasing the number of test electrons in order to simulate a full distribution. Such calculations are interesting for two reasons:

- 1) It is possible to calculate a precipitated flux, and
- 2) It is feasible to estimate wave amplitude changes due to the energy exchange.

In the following examples of full distribution calculations electrons are assumed to interact with a one-sided wave function. As it was already shown in Chapter V, this type of wave function may produce a significant amount of scattering, whereas interactions with narrowband signals (not amplified through gyroresonance) may result in a very small final scattering. Therefore, based on those results, it appears that the constant amplitude CW signals represent a very weak source of precipitation, although those CW waves still may have some amplitude variations around the equator as a consequence of the interaction with electrons.

The energetic electron population is readily described in terms

of an equatorial distribution function  $f_{eq}$  ( $v_{neq}$ ,  $\alpha_{eq}$ ). From this point on we drop the subscript 'eq', and all quantities represent equatorial values unless specified otherwise. The distribution function is given in  $v_n - \alpha$  space because it is a convenient representation which directly shows the pitch angle scattering,  $\Delta\alpha$ , and it is easy to determine a normalized velocity  $v_n/v_{pn}$  which is one of the prime factors affecting the interaction process. The velocity space volume element is then given as  $v_n^2 \frac{\sin\alpha}{3} \, d\alpha dv_n d\phi$  [Inan, 1977].

Now we recall results of Figures 5.6 and 5.7 showing the mean scattering of a single sheet as a function of the sheet initial parallel velocity. From those figures it is evident that the trapping velocity range considered is limited to a narrow strip around  $v_n = v_{pn}$  , while the pitch angle range extends from  $\alpha_{lc}$  to  $\alpha_{max}$ . The value of  $\alpha_{max}$  may be as large as 90°, and specifically in our calculations it may be limited to a slightly lower value due to time averaging in the equations of motion. The angle  $\alpha_{1c} = 5.5^{\circ}$  is the nominal loss cone angle for the dipole field line L = 4, i.e. all electrons with pitch angles lower than  $5.5^{\circ}$  have mirror points at ionospheric heights (h < 200 km) and are assumed to be lost through precipitation. As already shown in Figs. 5.6 and 5.7, the trapping velocity bandwidth increases with increasing pitch angle due to the effects of the wave magnetic field forces. This trapping velocity bandwidth  $\Delta v_{\text{ut}}$  is about 0.4% of  $v_{\text{pueq}}$  for  $\alpha$  = 10°, and about 1% of  $v_{p,eq}$  for  $\alpha = 70^{\circ}$ . Again, it should be noted that this velocity bandwidth refers to the trapped electrons only. The untrapped electrons have a quite different behavior; if the initial parallel velocity is smaller than the lower trapping velocity limit the

scattering is negligible because the wave phase velocity and the parallel velocity of the electron are never matched along the field line. On the other hand, if the initial parallel velocity of an untrapped electron is larger than the upper trapping velocity limit there are always two resonances; at the first resonance scattering is negligible because the wave amplitude is very small, whereas at the second resonance point, where the electron parallel velocity exceeds the wave phase velocity, the untrapped electrons are decelerated. All of the above mentioned classes of electrons are illustrated in Figure 6.1. The scattering of untrapped electrons is much smaller than it is for the trapped electrons, but the interaction velocity range for untrapped electrons is larger than the trapping velocity bandwidth. The effects of trapped and untrapped electrons on the wave amplitude are exactly opposite; the trapped electrons are accelerated and the wave loses energy, whereas the untrapped electrons are decelerated and the wave gains energy. This dissimilar behavior of trapped and untrapped electrons indicates that, in order to calculate a net transfer, it is necessary to consider a wide range of initial parallel velocities of electrons which then requires a very large number of test electrons. While the wave amplitude variation calculations require a large number of test electrons the precipitation calculations may be carried out by considering a significantly smaller number of electrons, because only a certain class of electrons can be scattered into the loss cone, i.e. only trapped electrons with sufficiently small initial pitch angles are precipitated in the ionosphere.

From Fig. 6.1 it is obvious that there is always an  $\alpha_{max} < \pi \,/\, 2$ 

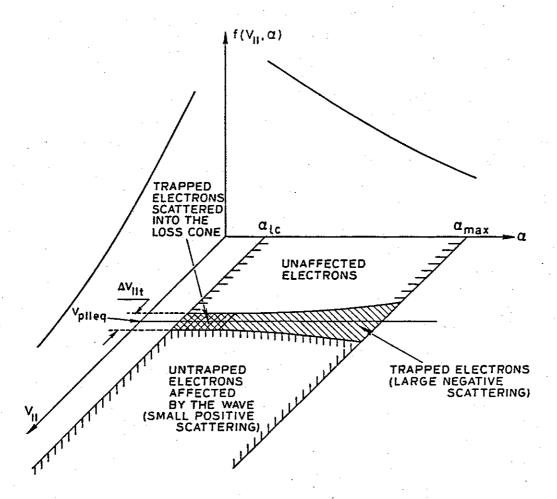


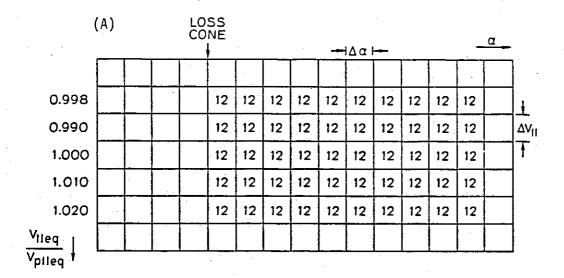
FIGURE 6.1 GENERAL DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION. Differently shaded areas indicate the various behavior of electrons as they interact with the variable amplitude wave.

such that electrons with  $\alpha > \alpha_{max}$  cannot be scattered into the loss cone. As noted above those scattered electrons must have been trapped, i.e only trapped electrons may have their pitch angles decreased by the amount required for precipitation. Based on the above limits for  $\mathbf{v}_n$  and  $\alpha$  it is feasible to define a region in  $\mathbf{v}_n - \alpha$  space (cross-shaded in Fig. 6.1) containing electrons that can be scattered into the loss cone. This region in the  $\mathbf{v}_n - \alpha$  space is further divided into a number of mesh points identified by their  $\mathbf{v}_n$  and  $\alpha$ , and this mesh then represents the initial distribution. The number of electrons at each mesh point is equal to twelve, reflecting the fact that electrons are uniformly distributed in phase. Figure 6.2a illustrates the unperturbed distribution function; note that we use the number density of electrons  $\mathbf{N}_E$  rather than  $\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{v}_n, \alpha)$ . The number density and  $\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{v}_n, \alpha)$  are related through [Inan, 1977]:

$$N_{E} = 2\pi f(v_{II}, \alpha) v_{II}^{2} \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos^{3} \alpha} \Delta v_{II} \Delta \alpha \qquad (6.1)$$

Using Eq. 6.1 it is also possible to find the actual number of electrons represented by a single test electron.

During the interactions the initial distribution of electrons (Fig. 6.2a) is perturbed by the wave, and the final distribution is shown in Figure 6.2b. Note that the velocity mesh size is different in Figs. 6.2a and 6.2b, since the energy of the electrons tends to be significantly increased through the interaction process. Beside an overall increase in electron energies, three electrons are scattered into the loss cone. In the next section precipitation fluxes are



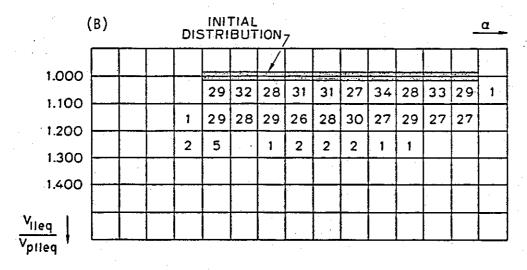


FIGURE 6.2 SIMULATION OF THE DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION. (A) The unperturbed distribution. (B) Perturbed distribution. The numbers in each individual cell indicate the number density of electrons.

computed for three particular cases.

## B. PRECIPITATED ELECTRON FLUX

Here we compute the precipitated electron fluxes involving a one-sided wave function, and for three different maximum wave intensities ( $E_{\rm H}$  = 50, 150 and 250  $\mu V/m$ ). The maximum initial pitch angle considered in these calculations is  $10^{\circ}$ , since there are no electrons with  $\alpha > 10^{\circ}$  scattered into the loss cone even when the electrons interact with a very strong wave, i.e.  $E_{\rm H}$  = 250  $\mu V/m$ . The initial unperturbed number density function is the same in all three examples, and was already shown in Fig. 6.2a. Furthermore, the distribution function is taken as

$$f(v,\alpha) = \frac{A}{v^4} g(\alpha)$$
 (6.2)

where A is a constant and  $g(\alpha)$  is some function of pitch angle. In our calculations  $g(\alpha)$  is assumed to be an isotropic function given by

$$g(\alpha) = g_1(\alpha) = 1$$
  $\alpha > \alpha_{1c}$  (6.3)

$$= 0$$
  $\alpha < \alpha_{lc}$ 

The following analysis is similar to that presented by Inan [1977], although in his work electron scattering was due to

gyroresonance interactions. First, before computing the precipitation, it is feasible to compute the wave induced pitch angle perturbations given by  $f(\alpha)$  which is obtained by integrating  $f(v_n,\alpha)$  over the velocity range of interest. In our examples, involving a 5 kHz wave, it is found that the maximum parallel velocity after the interaction is  $v_{max} = 1.8v_{pn}$ , whereas the minimum parallel velocity is  $v_{min} = 0.98 \ v_{pn}$ . The equatorial phase velocity  $v_{pn}$  for a 5 kHz wave is 11.23 10 m/sec. Thus the pitch angle distribution is given by

$$v_{ii} = 1.8 v_{pii}$$

$$f(\alpha) = 2\pi \int f(v_{ii}, \alpha) v_{ii}^2 dv_{ii}$$

$$v_{ii} = 0.98 v_{pii}$$
(6.4)

remembering that electrons are uniformly distributed in initial phase, which results in the factor  $2\pi$  in Eq. 6.4.

Figure 6.3 shows the normalized pitch angle distribution  $f(\alpha)$  as a function of  $\alpha$  for different wave intensities. The dashed curves show the initial unperturbed distributions, whereas the solid curves indicate the final distributions. These results show that the longitudinal resonance interaction requires rather strong waves in order to scatter electrons into the loss cone. For a wave with  $E_n = 50~\mu\text{V/m}~(B_1=14~\text{pT})$  the perturbations are very small, and only a few electrons are scattered below  $\alpha_{1c}$ . When the wave amplitude is increased the loss cone starts to fill with electrons, and also electrons with higher pitch angles are scattered down to lower pitch angles. This process is best illustrated in the case of a 250  $\mu\text{V/m}$  wave, where the loss cone is filled with

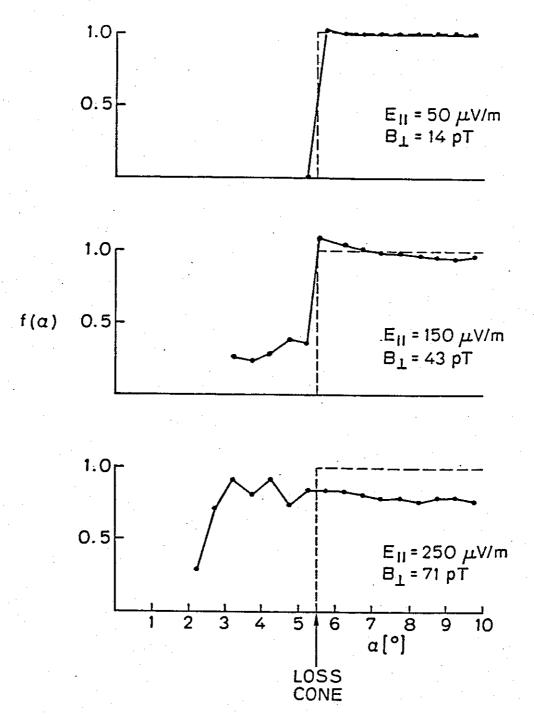


FIGURE 6.3 NORMALIZED ELECTRON DISTRIBUTION  $f(\alpha)$ . The dashed lines represent the unperturbed distribution. The solid curves represent the perturbed distribution.

electrons having a wider range of initial pitch angles than the electrons reaching the loss cone in the two other cases.

The total number density of electrons precipitated in the velocity range 0.98  $v_{p\,\text{\tiny H}}$  to 1.8  $v_{p\,\text{\tiny H}}$  is given by

$$\alpha_{1c} = 2\pi \int_{0}^{1.8v_{pH}} \int_{0.98v_{pH}}^{1.8v_{pH}} f(v_{H}, \alpha) v_{H}^{2} \frac{\sin\alpha}{\cos^{3}\alpha} dv_{H} d\alpha L^{3} (1+3\sin^{2}\lambda)$$
 (6.5)

where the factor  $L^3(1+3\sin^2\lambda)^{1/2}$  accounts for the convergence of the field line going from the equator to ionospheric heights. The precipitated energy deposition rate is computed in similar fashion by including the energy weighting factor  $\frac{1}{2}$  m  $\frac{v_n^2}{\cos^2\alpha}$  in (6.5) which then yields

$$Q = 2\pi \int_{0}^{\alpha} \int_{0.98v_{pu}}^{1.8v_{pu}} f(v_{u},\alpha) v_{u}^{2} \frac{v_{u}^{2}}{\cos^{3}\alpha} \frac{1}{2m} \frac{v_{u}^{2}}{\cos^{2}\alpha} dv_{u} d\alpha L^{3} (1+3\sin^{2}\lambda)^{1/2}$$
 (6.6)

The integrals in Eqs. 6.5 and 6.6 are easily evaluated by a numerical integration. For the three examples considered the normalized energy deposition rate, defined as  $Q_N = Q/A$  where A is defined in Eq. 6.2, are:

To compute the total energy deposition it is necessary to evaluate the constant A. This can be done by computing the total number density N $_{E}$  in el/cc in the specific velocity range 0.98-1.8  $v_{p\,\text{\tiny II}}$ . In this case

$$N_{E} = 2\pi \int \int \frac{A}{v^{4}} v^{2} \sin \alpha \, dv \, d\alpha$$

$$0.98v_{pu}$$
(6.7)

The above integral yields

$$A = 2 \times 10^8 N_{E}$$
 (6.8)

Finally, to compute A it is necessary to estimate  $N_E$  from the reported measurements. From Schield and Frank [1970] we find that N=1 el/cc in the 1-2 KeV range and that the number density varies as  $v^{-4}$  with velocity ( $E^{-2}$  with energy). In our case the electron energies are 300-1000 eV which results in  $N_E=10$  el/cc, since the number density increases with decreasing electron energy. Substituting  $N_E=10$  el/cc in Eq. 6.8 we find that  $A=2\times10^9$ .

The next step is to compute the absolute energy deposition rates by multiplying the normalized rates  $\mathbf{Q}_{N}$  by the constant A. The results are shown below:

$$E_{\rm H} = 50 \, \mu \text{V/m}$$
  $Q = 1.94 \times 10^{-5} \, \text{erg/cm}^2/\text{sec}$ 

 $E_n = 150 \,\mu\text{V/m}$   $Q = 1.66 \times 10^{-3} \,\text{erg/cm}^2/\text{sec}$ 

 $E_{II} = 250 \, \mu V/m$   $Q = 7.40 \times 10^{-3} \, erg/cm^2/sec$ 

The above values indicate that the fluxes precipitated by a 5 kHz wave, which is amplified at the equator through the gyroresonance interaction, are rather small, especially when compared to those computed for gyroresonance interactions. Results for the gyroresonance process calculated by Inan [1977] indicate flux levels of 0.01-0.2 erg/cm²/sec for a 10 pT wave. Note that 10 pT corresponds to  $E_{\rm H}=30$   $\mu V/m$  for  $\theta=30^{\circ}$  and f=5 kHz. Thus, the scattering efficiency is considerably higher for the gyroresonance than it is for the longitudinal resonance.

### C. ENERGY EXCHANGE AND BALANCE

From the analytical and numerical studies it is evident that the scattering of electrons is always associated with energy transfer, i.e. if electrons gain energy then the wave is attenuated, or if electrons lose energy then the wave is amplified. Also, a large scattering is always associated with a large energy exchange. Such behavior constitutes another major difference between the longitudinal and the gyroresonance processes; namely, electrons can be scattered significantly through the gyroresonance interactions with a very small amount of energy transfer. This is explained by the fact that in gyroresonance it is the momentum transfer that causes pitch angle

changes, whereas the energy remains almost unchanged [Inan, 1977].

The total energy balance calculations for the longitudinal resonance process are extremely complicated as they involve a large number of electrons. As indicated in Fig. 6.1 the electrons with parallel velocities close to the wave phase velocity become trapped which then results in scattering from -0.2° up to -6° for pitch angles from 10° to 70°, respectively. The scattering of untrapped electrons is smaller and positive, about 0.05-0.1° on the average. However, only a fraction of the electron population becomes trapped, while the number of untrapped electrons is much larger. From the sample calculations it was estimated that the upper velocity limit for untrapped electrons can be as high as 1.30  $v_{\mathrm{p}\,\mathrm{n}}$  , i.e. even if the initial parallel velocity of the electron is  $v_{\mu}$  = 1.30  $v_{p_{\mu}}$  the electron is still scattered more than ±0.005°. The scattering of ±0.005° represents a practical threshold of resolution for the numerical integration method used in our simulations. This resolution limit was found by setting  $E_{ii} = 0 \mu V/m$ , i.e. computing only the adiabatic motion of the electrons and comparing the initial and the final pitch angles. Theoretically, the difference between these two pitch angles should be zero, whereas the numerical results have shown ±0.005 fluctuations, which are than used as the limit of accuracy (resolution). These fluctuations are primarily due to the integration scheme, which uses linear interpolation. Returning to the energy exchange problem, it is evident that both trapped and untrapped electrons play important roles, and it is rather difficult to find an exact solution to this problem as the number of electrons involved is very large.

However, it is possible to estimate the energy transfer as follows; let us consider the example of Fig. 5.7a (solid curve) showing scattering as a function of the initial parallel velocity for a fixed initial pitch angle  $\alpha=10^{\circ}$ . This curve can be replotted substituting energy changes for pitch angle changes and also expanding the velocity range. Note that these results must be weighted by an appropriate function to account for different number densities at different velocities. This weighting function is assumed to have a  $v^{-2}$  characteristic (Eq. 6.1). Figure 6.4 shows both unweighted and weighted energy transfer, i.e. the average energy gain (loss) per electron with a given initial parallel velocity, as well as the weighting function (dashed curve). Now it is possible to use a numerical integration to estimate the total energy balance for this particular case.

The total energy exchange is given as

$$E_{2}(1.03v_{pn})$$

$$\Delta E = \int dE$$

$$E_{1}(0.99v_{pn})$$
(6.9)

where  $\Delta E$  represents the total energy exchanged through the longitudinal interaction with electrons whose initial parallel velocities are in 0.99-1.03  $v_{p:}$  range, and all those electrons have the same pitch angle  $\alpha = 10^{\circ}$ . The quantity dE gives the weighted amount of energy exchanged per electron at a particular parallel velocity, and it is shown in Fig. 6.4. The final result of the above integration is  $\Delta E = 0.03$  eV. Though this number is obtained using only twelve electrons it is evident that

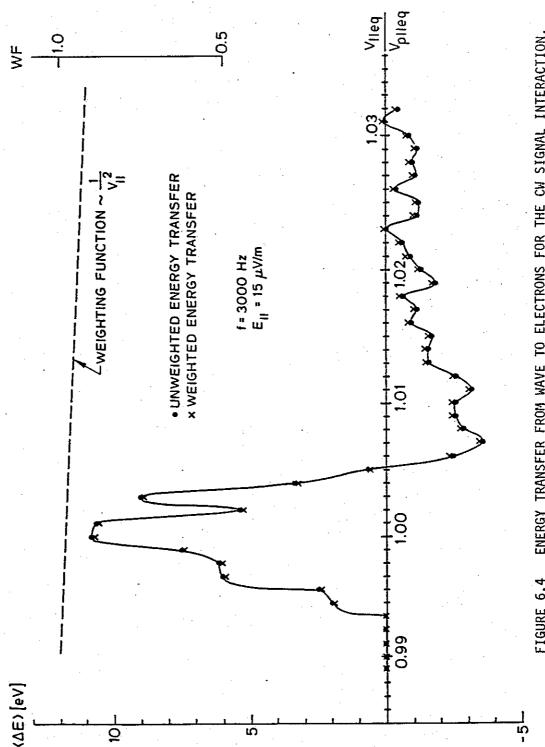


FIGURE 6.4 ENERGY TRANSFER FROM WAVE TO ELECTRONS FOR THE CW SIGNAL INTERACTION. The energy transfer is shown as a function of electron parallel velocity, and positive  $\langle \Delta E \rangle$  indicates that electrons gain the energy.

the total energy exchange at the particular pitch angle is very small even when the actual number of electrons is much larger.

To compute the overall energy balance similar calculations should be done for other pitch angles. A rough estimate using Figs. 5.6 and 5.7 indicates that the total energy transfer is very small, since the positive and negative scattering cancels out, i.e. the total area underneath  $<\!\Delta\alpha_{\rm eg}\!>$  curve is approximately zero.

Summarizing, it appears that both the precipitation and wave amplitude amplification (attenuation) for our sample case are small. Thus, it may be very difficult to observe the presence of this type of longitudinal interaction using ground observations. Another possibility for detection would be to use satellite borne particle detectors and to measure a relatively sharp depletion of electron density around  $v_{\parallel} = v_{p\parallel}$ . However, the problem is that particle detectors measure energies and pitch angles rather then parallel velocities and pitch angles. Note that the problem arises from the fact that the narrow range of parallel velocities which are affected (and wide range of pitch angles) maps into a wide range of energies (and pitch angles).

For example, if the parallel velocity equals the phase velocity,  $v_{\text{H}} = v_{\text{p}}$ , and pitch angles vary from 5° to 70°, the corresponding electron energies vary from  $E_{\text{O}}$  to  $E_{\text{O}}(1+\tan^270^\circ)/(1+\tan^25^\circ) = 8.48~E_{\text{O}}$ , where  $E_{\text{O}}$  is the energy of the electrons with 5° pitch angle. Beside the above mentioned spreading effect, which tends to dilute the effects of the longitudinal resonance when measured on an energy basis, the particle detector resolution itself may pose a problem. The typical

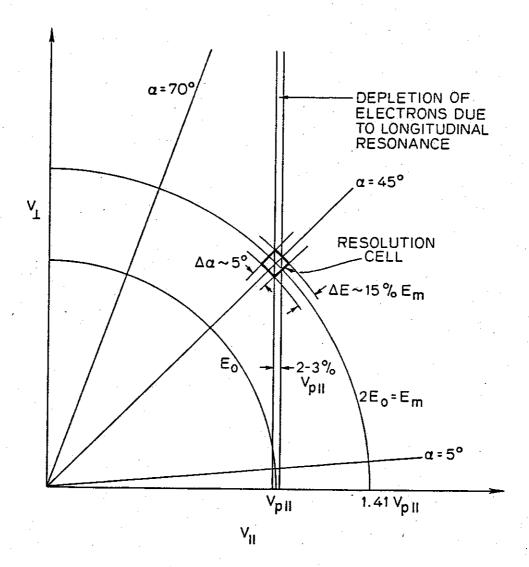


FIGURE 6.5 PARTICLE DETECTOR RESOLUTION AND DETECTION OF LONGITUDINAL RESONANCE EFFECTS. The effects of the resonance interactions are best seen as a depletion of electrons around  $v_{\tt m}{\simeq}v_{\tt p_{\tt m}}$ .

resolution of particle detectors is about 2.5°- 5° in pitch angle, and about 15% in  $E_{o}$ , where  $E_{o}$  is the energy of interest. For example, if we want to measure the density of electrons with energy  $\rm E_m$  =  $\rm 2E_{o}$ , and pitch angle  $\alpha$  = 45°, the corresponding resolution cell would be as shown in Figure 6.5. On the other hand, the longitudinal resonance will tend to remove electrons from a narrow velocity band around vpm, leaving a depletion region in the distribution (Fig. 6.5). The width of the depletion region is very small, so that it occupies only about 30% of the resolution cell, as indicated in Fig. 6.5. Therefore, even if we remove all of the electrons from this depletion region, the particle detector would see only a 30% decrease in the number of electrons within the resolution cell. We recall from Chapter V that longitudinal resonance interactions, involving moderate amplitude waves, result in trapping of only about 30% of the electrons that satisfy the resonance condition (we considered only the trapped electrons, because only those electrons undergo sufficient change in vn to be moved from one resolution cell to another). Thus the maximum total depletion factor for the resolution cell is estimated to be about 10%. On the other hand, typical particle detector measurements (e.g. Kimura at al., 1982) indicate large temporal variations of the electron flux, approaching an order of magnitude in intervals as short as 50 sec. For that reason the particle detector sensitivity is reduced, because it becomes very difficult to distinguish between variations due to spatial changes in particle distribution and wave induced variations. Thus, present particle detectors are probably not capable of detecting perturbations of the electron distribution due to longitudinal resonance interactions.

### VII. APPLICATIONS TO MAGNETOSPHERIC PHENOMENA

Although it was found that the scattering efficiency of the longitudinal resonance process is small, it is possible that the bunching effects of the process may have important magnetospheric applications. In this chapter we consider applications of the longitudinal resonance to the generation of whistler precursors and to the generation of broadband VLF hiss. We also discuss the size of the internal electric field created in the bunching process.

# A. GENERATION OF WHISTLER PRECURSORS

Whistler precursors are discrete rising tone emissions that precede two-hop whistlers, starting shortly (0.1-0.3 sec) after the one-hop delay. The precursor may consist of one or more discrete emissions. For the particular measurements of August 2, 1973, the number of emissions varied from one to seven. Figure 7.1 illustrates three typical cases of precursors showing both one-hop whistlers (recorded at Siple, Antarctica), and precursors with corresponding two-hop whistlers (recorded at Roberval, Canada). There is no precursor in Fig. 7.1b, illustrating the fact that not all whistlers propagating on the same path trigger a precursor. Figure 7.1d depicts a single emission precursor, while Fig. 7.1f shows a multi-emission precursor.



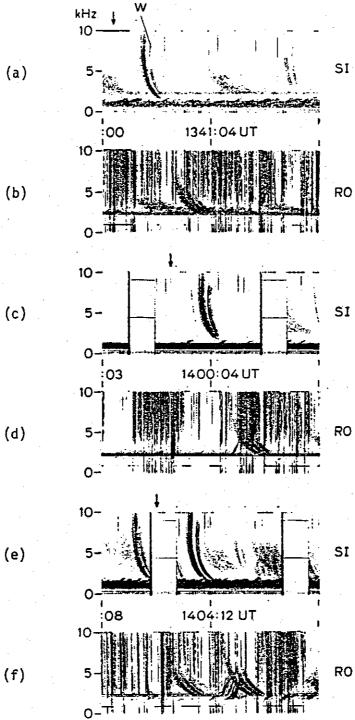


FIGURE 7.1 SPECTROGRAMS OF WHISTLER PRECURSOR EVENTS RECORDED AT SIPLE/ROBERVAL CONJUGATE STATIONS. The causative spheric is marked with an arrow, and the whistler component which triggers the precursor is marked by a W. (b) shows no precursor, (d) shows a single emission precursor, and (f) shows a multi-emission precursor event.

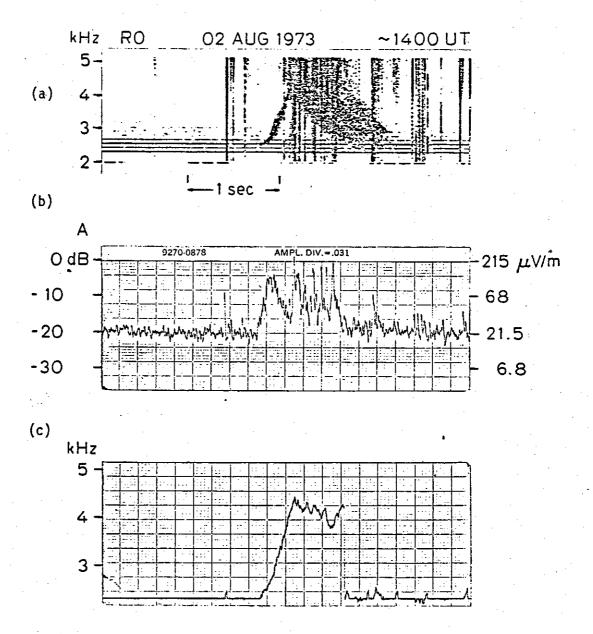


FIGURE 7.2 EXPANDED SPECTROGRAM OF THE PRECURSOR AT 1400 UT FROM FIGURE 7.1. (b) shows the corresponding amplitude variation in a 300 Hz bandwidth, and (c) indicates the rate of frequency change of the frequency-tracking filter used.

These particular data were analyzed by Park and Helliwell [1977], and it was found that the precursors were triggered only by the whistlers propagating in one particular duct, and that the precursors themselves propagated in the same duct. The duct parameters were L = 3.6 and equatorial electron density  $n_{eq} = 440$  el/cc. The center of the plasmapause was located at about L = 4.2 where the equatorial electron density dropped by factor of ten. Figure 7.2 shows an expanded frequency-time spectrogram of the precursor at 1400:03 UT, along with amplitude and frequency changes measured using a frequency-tracking filter. The growth rate deduced from that figure is about 105 dB/sec, and the rate of frequency change is about 6.5 kHz/sec.

Park and Helliwell [1977] have reviewed different proposed generating mechanisms for precursors, including the hybrid mechanism suggested by Helliwell [1965] and Dowden [1972]. This is based on the presence of hybrid whistlers, which first propagate in the earth-ionosphere waveguide to the conjugate hemisphere and than return through the magnetosphere and trigger precursor emissions. Other mechanisms include one proposed by Reeve and Rycroft [1976] in which the nonducted whistler is reflected in the conjugate hemisphere at the lower hybrid resonance (LHR) frequency, and is then deflected by the plasmapause such that it enters the duct near the equator, triggers the precursor through the gyroresonance, and then leaves the duct. A third mechanism involving a nonlinear multiple wave interaction known as parametric decay has been suggested by Reeve and Boswell [1976].

Considering various precursor mechanisms for the Aug. 2, 1973 case, the hybrid-whistler hypothesis can be immediately excluded because

there was no evidence of hybrid whistlers. The mechanism suggested by Reeve and Rycroft [1976] requires special propagation conditions which are difficult to apply to multi-component precursors with a wide range of starting frequencies (~1 kHz for the example shown in Figure 7.1f). Furthermore, the L-shell values of the duct and the plasmapause differed by more than the 0.15 required by their model. Finally, the parametric decay mechanism cannot explain the multicomponent precursors; hence Park and Helliwell [1977] have suggested a new mechanism.

The new mechanism is illustrated in Figure 7.3 and its time sequence is described below:

- a) A lightning impulse in the northern hemisphere produces a whistler propagating toward the equator.
- b) The whistler wave train signal and the energetic electrons streaming toward the equator interact with one another through the longitudinal resonance process.
- c) Due to the longitudinal interaction, electrons become space bunched, which then temporarily increases the electron flux within a certain range of parallel velocities.
- d) This enhanced electron flux reaches the equator while the whistler signal that caused the bunching continues to travel toward the southern hemisphere.
- f) After crossing the equator the enhanced electron flux interacts with northward traveling power line harmonic (PLH) waves through the gyroresonance process. The enhancement of the electron flux is sufficient to lower the threshold of this interaction below the level required for triggering of an emission by one or more lines of PLH

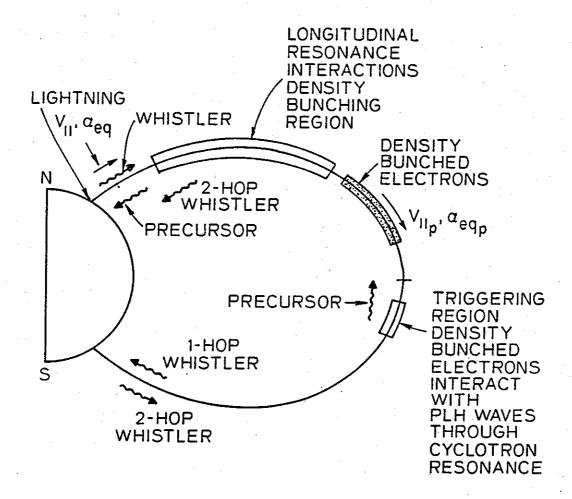


FIGURE 7.3 SCHEMATIC ILLUSTRATION OF THE WHISTLER PRECURSOR GENERATION MECHANISM. See the text for details.

waves. These emissions travel toward the northern hemisphere.

- g) While the triggered emission (precursor) travels toward the northern hemisphere, the one-hop whistler reaches the conjugate point in the southern hemisphere, where it is reflected. It then travels back to the northern hemisphere.
- h) The precursor reaches the northern hemisphere followed by a two-hop whistler, resulting in a frequency-time spectrograms similar to those depicted in Fig. 7.1.

The detailed timing of this process was worked out by Park and Helliwell [1977] and it was shown that this mechanism can explain different properties of the Aug.2, 1973 precursors such as variable starting frequency, multicomponent emissions and variable starting time. However, there are some special requirements that have to be met in order for this mechanism to work. First, the enhancement of the electron flux achieved through longitudinal resonance must be large enough and should last about 200 ms, so as to provide both the threshold for triggering through gyroresonance as well as the temporal growth time required for emission generation. Second, the PLH waves (which obviously must be present for this mechanism to work) must have amplitudes such that they approach the triggering threshold level.

PLH activity appeared from time to time in the August 2, 1973 case; during some intervals it dominated the VLF spectrum. Park and Helliwell [1977] found that the PLH propagated in the same duct with the precursor; this suggests that PLH waves were present at the time of the precursor observations and, when not detected, were probably close to the threshold for triggering emissions through cyclotron resonance.

As already stated the gyroresonance triggering mechanism will work only if the electron density perturbations achieved through the longitudinal resonance result in an electron flux increase which lasts at least ~200 ms. The 200 msec requirement is associated with a typical temporal growth time [Stiles and Helliwell, 1977], i.e. a typical delay from onset of temporal growth to emission triggering. This flux increase can be achieved, in principle, through electron bunching. We have shown in Chapter V that the longitudinal resonance interaction results in significant space bunching, which in our particular case of a monochromatic signal was about 180%, i.e. the electron density was enhanced roughly by factor of two at  $\mathbf{v}_{11} = \mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{p}_{11}}$ , with the density enhancement decreasing for other parallel velocities.

However, in order to explain multi-component precursors it is necessary to increase the electron flux over a relatively wide range of parallel velocities. At each velocity the flux increase should last for about 200 msec. To illustrate this process we consider a multi-component precursor consisting of two emissions with starting frequencies  $f_1 = 2$  kHz and  $f_2 = 3$  kHz, and assume that those emissions are triggered at the equator, although the triggering location must be slightly off the equator to account for the rising frequency-time characteristics. From the gyroresonance condition at the equator  $f(1+v_{meq}/v_{p_meq}) = f_H$  the parallel velocities at which the flux must be increased are  $v_{meq1} = 76.6 \cdot 10^6$  m/s and  $v_{meq2} = 57.1 \cdot 10^6$  m/s, where we used  $f_{Heq} = 18.7$  kHz and  $f_{peq} = 188.8$  kHz. Thus the whistler interacting with the energetic electrons must be able to produce an increased flux at those two velocities for 200 msec. We also recall from Chapter III

that the parallel velocities  $v_{u_1}$  and  $v_{u_2}$  vary along the field line as indicated in Fig. 3.11, and that the electrons with higher pitch angles mirror closer to the equator.

Next we recall that the longitudinal resonance condition is given as  $v_{n}$  =  $v_{p_{\, H}}$  = c  $f^{\, 1\!/\! 2}(f_{\, H}$  -  $f_{\, j})^{\, 1\!/\! 2}/f_{\, p}$  , which yields the resonance frequency  $f = 1/2 \left( f_H \pm \left[ f_H^2 - 4(v_H f_p/c)^2 \right]^{1/2} \right)$  (the plus sign gives  $f > f_H/2$ , where the waves become unducted, so we can disregard that solution). The resonance frequency changes as we change the parallel velocity. For example, if we consider electrons with  $v_{\text{meq}_1}$  and  $v_{\text{meq}_2}$  and assume  $\alpha = 10^{\circ}$ , their parallel velocities at 50° latitude are  $v_{ij} = 0.30 v_{ij} = 10^{\circ}$ 22.9  $10^6$  m/s and  $v_{"2}$  = 0.30  $v_{"eq_2}$  = 17.1  $10^6$  m/s, and the corresponding resonant frequencies are  $f_1 = 2.65$  kHz and  $f_2 = 2$  kHz. Thus a whistler train of appropriate frequency range can interact with electrons with different parallel velocities, such that when those velocities are mapped back to the equator they satisfy the gyroresonance condition at different frequencies. If the perturbations of the electron flux at those different velocities are large enough and last long enough (~200 msec), they could result in emission triggering at those frequencies. This would then provide a basis for explaining the generation of multi-emission precursors.

We want first to illustrate that the flux perturbation at a given parallel velocity (actually in a narrow range of about 1% around that velocity) can last longer than 200 msec. In order to do that we recall the results for the interaction with a spatial pulse from Chapter V. From Figs. 5.17, 5.18, 5.19, and 5.20 we see that a 1000-km-long spatial pulse can trap electrons in a narrow band of velocities ( $\simeq 2\%$ ),

and that those electrons beside being trapped, i.e. space bunched, undergo pitch angle scattering on the order of a few tenths of a degree. Although this spatial pulse is stationary and monochromatic, the results from that analysis can be related to the whistler train if we consider the whistler train to be composed of segments of approximately constant frequency. We consider one of those segments with frequency f = 2 kHz; the group velocity of that segment at 50° latitude (L = 3.6) is about 30 10<sup>6</sup> m/s, and if it interacts with electrons for about 2000 km (this is comparable to the length of the spatial pulse considered in Chapter V) the total interaction time is about 70 msec. On the other hand, as long as an electron is trapped it does not matter if the trapping signal is a stationary amplitude pulse (not moving along the field line) or a moving segment of a whistler. If the length of the interaction region in the two cases is comparable, the trapping and scattering effects should also be comparable.

This segment of the whistler is therefore capable of increasing the flux in a narrow band of parallel velocities, but this increased flux should last at least 200 msec at the equator in order to provide the basis for emission triggering. The total duration of the flux perturbation depends on the latitude at which the resonance takes place, and on the pitch angle of the electrons involved. For example, if we want the triggered emission to start at 3 kHz it is necessary to increase the electron flux in a narrow band of velocities around  $v_{\parallel} = v_{\parallel} eq_2$ , as noted above. However, electrons with  $v_{\parallel} = v_{\parallel} eq_2$  will have different pitch angles at the equator, and will thus mirror at different latitudes (see Fig. 3.10). For  $\alpha = 10^{\circ}$  the mirror point is at  $53^{\circ}$ 

latitude, while for  $\alpha = 50^{\circ}$  the mirror point is at 20° latitude. Thus our whistler segment at 2 kHz, as it travels toward the equator (from higher latitudes toward lower latitudes), first encounters electrons with  $\alpha = 10^{\circ}$  at about 50° latitude (the time of this encounter is the reference time t = 0). As noted earlier, if the interaction lasts for about 70 msec, it should be sufficiently long time to bunch the electrons. During those 70 msec both wave and electrons move from about 50° to about 48° latitude. After the interaction is over it takes about 0.43 sec for the bunched electrons to reach the equator, or essentially the travel time from 48° latitude to the equator. When the electrons arrive at the equator they have  $v_{\parallel} = v_{\parallel}_{eq2}$  (we have neglected the parallel velocity changes due to the interaction, as it is assumed that the scattering is small). Furthermore, as our whistler segment gets closer to the equator it interacts with electrons with progressively higher pitch angles. The arrival time at the equator for those electrons with higher pitch angles can be calculated using the above described method. For  $\alpha = 50^{\circ}$  the interaction occurs at 20° latitude, and those electrons arrive at the equator at t  $\simeq 0.69$  sec (0.5 sec for whistler travel time from  $50^{\circ}$  to  $20^{\circ}$  latitude,  $\sim 0.1$  sec for the interaction, and 0.18 for particle transit from 20° to the equator). Thus the perturbation at the equator would last about t = 0.69 - 0.43 =0.26 sec, which is sufficient for the development of emission triggering. Computations for the whistler segment with f = 2.65 kHzindicate that the corresponding flux perturbation lasts about 210 msec. Therefore it is found that the electron flux perturbation may last long enough and may cover a sufficiently wide range of parallel frequencies.

Note that similar computations were done by Park and Helliwell [1977], but without consideration of the interaction time.

As noted earlier in Chapter V, this perturbation (space bunching) is associated with an amplitude threshold of the waves driving the longitudinal resonance. This suggests that one could measure the amplitudes (on the ground) of whistlers with and without precursors, and therefore test for the presence of the threshold. Such amplitude measurements were made on one-hop whistlers recorded at Siple, Antarctica, and propagating at L = 3.6 on August 2, 1973. The data were taken at two frequencies, 4000 Hz and 4600 Hz, using a bandpass filter with  $\Delta f$  = 300 Hz. This provided the temporal resolution needed to distinguish a particular whistler component connected with precursor generation from other multipath components. The results of those measurements are shown in Figure 7.4 as amplitude vs. time diagrams. The whistlers without precursors are indicated by crosses, the whistlers with single emission precursors are indicated by circles, and the whistlers with multicomponent precursors are indicated by squares, where the numbers above the squares represent the number of individual emissions forming a single precursor event.

Figure 7.4 shows that the amplitudes of the one-hop whistlers decreased, on average, from -15 dB (0 dB level corresponds to 100  $\mu$ V/m) to about -22 dB for f = 4600 Hz. For f = 4000 Hz the average amplitude decreased from -13 dB to about -17 dB in the same period of time between 1335 UT and 1415 UT. This overall decrease of the whistler amplitudes is most likely a result of increased absorption in the ionosphere because of transition from nighttime to daytime conditions (sunrise time

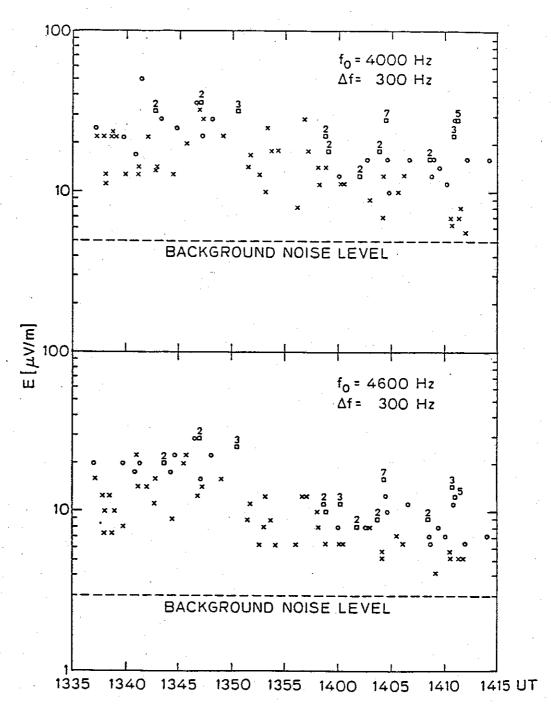
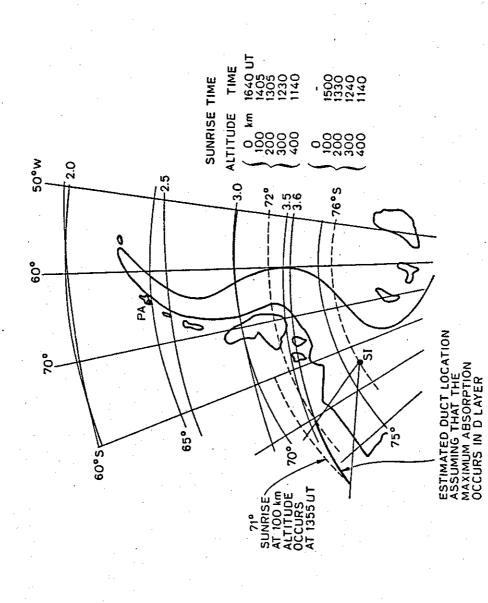


FIGURE 7.4 AMPLITUDE OF WHISTLER COMPONENTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE PRECURSOR ACTIVITY OF AUGUST 2, 1973. For symbol explanation see the text.

was around 1400 UT). Helliwell [1965] has shown that there is a significant increase in the ionospheric absorption at VLF for the night-day transition, and that the amount of the absorption increases rapidly with increasing frequency. This prediction is consistent with the above observations; the amplitude level at 4000 Hz drops about 4 dB, whereas the amplitude level at 4600 Hz drops about 7 dB. If we further assume that the maximum ionospheric absorption occurs in the D region at about 100 km altitude [Helliwell, 1965] it is possible to estimate the duct exit point using the path L value as one coordinate and sunrise time at 100 km altitude as the second coordinate. From Fig. 7.4 we see that the amplitudes of the whistlers start to decrease around 1355 UT which is then assumed to indicate the beginning of sunrise effects. On the other hand calculations show that for sunrise times of 1355 UT and 1405 UT at 100 km altitude, the terminator reaches the latitudes of 71°S and 72°S, respectively. This period of time (1355-1405 UT) is the time when the whistler amplitudes are rapidly decreasing (Fig. 7.4), suggesting that the latitude of the whistler duct exit point was between  $71^{\circ}$ S and  $72^{\circ}$ S. Because the whistler duct was on L = 3.6, we can find where this line intercepts the above latitudes; the result is shown in Figure 7.5. The estimated location of the duct exit point lies in the north-west direction from Siple Station, at a distance of about 490 km for 71°S latitude, and about 830 km for 72°S latitude.

A more important feature of Fig. 7.4 is the presence of a threshold level that a whistler amplitude must exceed in order to trigger a precursor. This amplitude threshold is most clearly seen between 1335 and 1350 UT. As found earlier in Chapter V, such behavior



ESTIMATED LOCATION OF THE WHISTLER DUCT EXIT POINT FOR THE PRECURSOR EVENTS OF AUGUST 2, 1973. FIGURE 7.5

is one of the characteristics of the longitudinal resonance interaction, which then supports the precursor generation mechanism suggested by Park and Helliwell [1977]. We note that the apparent gap in the precursor activity between 1350 and 1400 UT is artificial. At least five precursor events were observed at Roberval, but it was not possible to measure the corresponding amplitudes of the one-hop whistlers due to the operation of a VLF transmitter at Siple (receiver preamplifier muted).

In the next period of time, between 1400 and 1415 UT, the precursor activity still exhibited a threshold, although not as clearly as before. The presence of many multicomponent precursors indicates favorable triggering conditions for the gyroresonance interaction between electrons and PLH waves. This is supported by the level of spontaneous magnetospheric emissions, which increased sharply around 1400 UT, and strong PLR (power line radiation) which was observed for a period of a few minutes.

The data show that the precursor generation was associated with an amplitude threshold in the driving whistler, but the model suggested by Park and Helliwell [1977] also requires that the space bunching produced by the one-hop whistler be sufficient for triggering emissions. As it was found earlier, the space bunching process can roughly double the electron density (flux). According to Helliwell and Inan [1982] who proposed a feedback model to explain VLF growth and discrete emission triggering in the magnetosphere (through gyroresonance), a doubling of the electron flux is usually sufficient to result in the triggering of emissions. In their model the loop gain G is directly proportional to the electron flux. For G<1 the system acts like an amplifier, while for

G>1 the system becomes unstable and can generate emissions. Therefore, a doubling of the flux could easily boost the loop gain G to a value larger than unity and thus result in triggering.

Thus the precursor generating mechanism suggested by Park and Helliwell [1977] appears to be supported by the results found for the longitudinal resonance, including both the amplitude threshold and the level of the density bunching.

In the next section we discuss some other aspects of the longitudinal resonance interaction that may be important in other magnetospheric processes.

#### B. VLF HISS

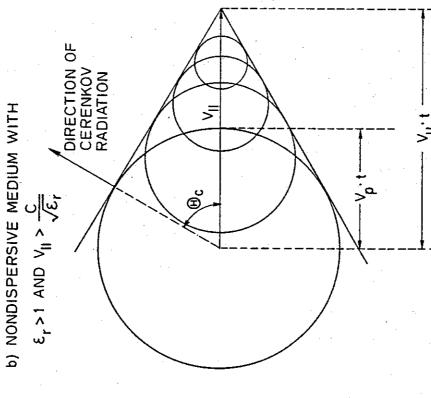
One of many magnetospheric processes for which the generating mechanism is not certain is VLF hiss, most often observed on the ground as relatively broad band (several kilohertz) noise. VLF hiss often shows no discrete structure, having the appearance on a spectrogram of band-limited white noise. This type of spectrum is characteristic of auroral and plasmaspheric hiss, whereas mid-latitude hiss usually shows some kind of discrete structure. Therefore, the hiss generating mechanism must be such that it can explain the generation of relatively wideband signals, and also account for the observed amplitudes of such signals.

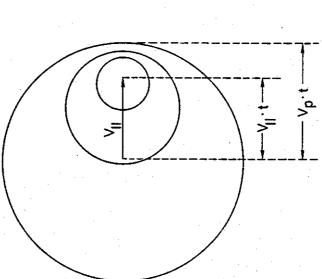
An electron propagating in a dielectric medium does not radiate as long as its velocity remains less than the phase velocity in that

medium; if the electron velocity is larger than the phase velocity we have a case of Cerenkov radiation. The two situation are depicted in Figure 7.6, and we note that the electron radiates at only one angle when  $v_{\rm H} > c/\sqrt{\epsilon_{\rm T}}$ . However, in the case of a dispersive medium different frequencies are radiated in different directions, as shown in Figure 7.7. In the magnetosphere the radiated frequencies are within the VLF range. Thus if the amplitude of the Cerenkov radiation is large enough it could account for the hiss generation. It should be noted that the condition for Cerenkov radiation is exactly the same as the condition for longitudinal resonance, i.e. the electron velocity must match the phase velocity (in the direction of electron travel) in a particular medium.

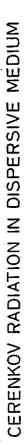
In the magnetospheric case it can be shown that there are in general two Cerenkov frequencies radiated at each angle, and that the radiation condition is not met when the parallel velocity exceeds the critical velocity v<sub>"c</sub> [Brice, 1964]. The critical velocity corresponds to propagation in the Gendrin mode, which was defined in Section III.B. As noted earlier, the broadband nature of Cerenkov radiation makes it interesting as a possible source of VLF hiss, and it was considered by many authors [Ellis, 1959,1960; Dowden, 1960; McKenzie, 1963; Liemohn, 1965; Mansfield, 1967; Seshadri,1967; Jorgenson, 1968; Lim and Laaspere, 1972; Taylor and Shawhan, 1974]. However, all of the power density calculations fell short of explaining the observed power density of VLF hiss, indicating that incoherent Cerenkov radiation is not sufficiently strong to account for VLF hiss. For this reason other mechanisms were suggested which are still based on the Cerenkov radiation, but in which

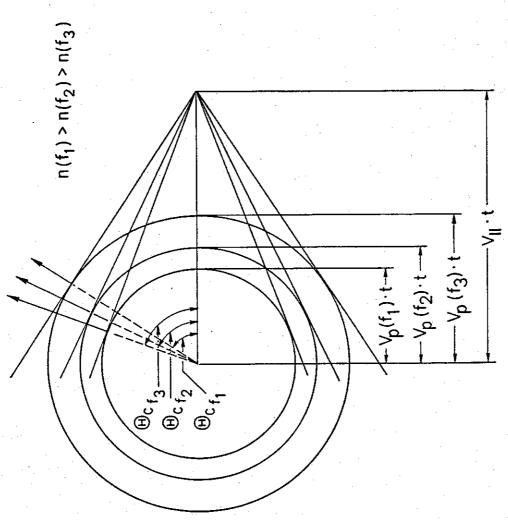






CERENKOV RADIATION CONDITIONS IN A NONDISPERSIVE MEDIUM. (a)  $v_{\rm H} < c/\sqrt{\varepsilon_T}$  and (b)  $v_{\rm H} > c/\sqrt{\varepsilon_T}$ FIGURE 7.6





CERENKOV RADIATION IN A DISPERSIVE MEDIUM. In this case different frequencies are radiated at different angles. FIGURE 7.7

radiation is either coherent [Taylor and Shawhan, 1974], or amplified through interaction with an electron beam [Swift and Kan, 1975; Maggs, 1976]. In the case of the coherent radiation it is assumed that the radiation from n electrons is in phase, resulting in  $P = n^2 P$ , where P is the power radiated by each electron. On the other hand, if all n electrons radiate incoherently (random phase) the total radiated power is given by P = nP.

Due to the  $n^2$  dependence, a relatively small number of electrons radiating coherently could produce power levels which are in agreement with the measurements. Thus the problem is to identify a process that could result in electron bunching such that the bunch dimensions are much less than a wavelength (smaller dimensions mean greater coherence). As already shown, the longitudinal resonance interactions may produce such bunches of electrons, and it may be speculated that the radiation coherence needed to explain VLF hiss is created in the following way: (i) first a strong signal bunches a significant number of electrons (stronger waves would produce better coherence), and (ii) the bunched electrons become detached from the bunching wave. The detachment may be due to difference in phase and group velocity, as is the case for the whistler mode where the phase and the group velocity are always different (except for  $f = f_H/2$ ). For example, consider a pulse with f <  $f_{\rm H}/2$  so that  $v_g$  >  $v_{p_{\rm H}}$  . Electrons trapped by this pulse will have  $v_{_{\rm H}} \simeq v_{p_{_{\rm H}}}$ , but because the wave energy propagates with  $v_g > v_{_{\rm H}}$ , those electrons slide backwards through the pulse, and eventually emerge from the tail end of the wave packet. Such a blob of electrons could radiate coherent Cerenkov radiation.

However, it remains to be seen how long this blob of electrons remains bunched, because it may contain electrons with different pitch angles and different parallel velocities. For the moment let us assume that all electrons have the same parallel velocity, but different pitch angles which means that they have different variations of parallel velocity as required by their adiabatic motion. Thus, for a given spread in pitch angle it may be determined how long it takes the separation between the low and high pitch angle electrons to become larger than the wavelength, which than destroys the radiation coherence. The sample calculations have shown that the coherence time for a given initial spread in pitch angles depends strongly on the latitude where the electrons become detached from the bunching wave, i.e. on the latitude at which their motion begins to be entirely governed by the static magnetic field. For example, assuming the initial range of pitch angles to be from  $\alpha = 10^{\circ}$  to  $\alpha = 20^{\circ}$ , and detachment at  $20^{\circ}$  latitude (electrons are moving toward the equator), it takes only about 1 msec before the separation between 10° and 20° electrons becomes larger than one wavelength. On the other hand, if the detachment occurs at 1° latitude (for the same initial range of pitch angles) it takes about 0.2 sec for the same process to occur. Note that after 0.2 sec the electrons reach 4° latitude, but on the other side of the equator.

A blob of electrons created through the longitudinal resonance interaction and with a spread in pitch angle only could radiate coherently for a substantial period of time (few tenths of second). However, the electrons within a blob have slightly different parallel velocities, e.g. a typical spread in parallel velocity is about 400

km/sec (Figs. 5.10 and 5.15). Thus it will take only about t=2/400=5 msec for those electrons to become separated more than a wavelength at the equator, assuming the wavelength to be 2 km at the equator. From this result it is evident that spreading due to the finite range of parallel velocities occurs much faster than the spreading due to a finite range of pitch angles, and that the life time of the blob is about one hundredth of a second. We also note that the blob of electrons could further be dispersed due to interaction with other waves.

Thus it is possible that the short life time during which the blob can radiate coherently, together with the fact that there may not be many electrons within a single blob, makes the radiated power level insufficient to account for the observations. However, there could be more than one blob formed through the above described process, which could further enhance the radiation (as long as the radiation from different blobs does not interfere). Even stronger radiation effects could probably be achieved if the velocity of the electron blob equals the critical velocity, because in that case all radiated frequencies satisfy the Gendrin condition given in Chapter II. The enhancement of radiation is expected because for the Gendrin mode the ray direction is field aligned for all radiated frequencies, and the group velocity is independent of the wave frequency so that wave packets radiated at different frequencies travel together [Helliwell, private communication].

Another explanation for VLF hiss generation is based on amplification of incoherent Cerenkov radiation through the wave-beam interaction where the beam provides for the 'bump-on-tail' distribution.

As mentioned earlier, a distribution function which has a positive slope, as is the case for the bump-on-tail distribution, may result in Landau growth.

#### C. COMMENTS ON THE INTERNAL FIELDS OF THE BUNCH

At this point we should note that space bunching always gives rise to an internal electric field through the Poisson equation. This electric field will then act to debunch the electrons, as it opposes the wave bunching field. Although this effect can be neglected in test particle simulations where the number of electrons is small, it may become important depending on the actual flux of particles. We have shown that significant bunching occurs for a parallel electric field around 50  $\mu$ V/m and higher, so that we choose 5  $\mu$ V/m as the limit for the internal field, i.e. we assume that internal fields up to 5 uV/m do not significantly affect the bunching process. Using the  $5 \mu V/m$  field we can find an electron density N that is needed to produce that field. In Chapter IV we showed how the twelve test electrons are uniformly distributed in phase before the interaction, and in Chapter V (Fig. 5.15) we showed that the same electrons are compressed in phase space, i.e. space bunched. The typical compression is about 90° in phase, or 500 m assuming  $\lambda = 2 \text{ km}$ .

At the same time each single test electron actually represents a large number of electrons in the real distribution, i.e. each test electron represents a sheet of electrons. Thus the question is, if we

have twelve initially equidistant sheets of electrons, and we displace those sheets so that the total displacement is 500 m, what is the maximum electron density for which the internal field (due to the compression of the sheets) does not exceed 5  $\mu$ V/m? It turns out that this computation is rather simple, and the electron density is given as [Buneman, 1980]

$$N = -\frac{\varepsilon_0 E}{e \Delta s} \tag{7.1}$$

where E is our maximum allowable internal field (negative), and  $\Delta s$  the total displacement of the sheets. Using E =  $5 \,\mu\text{V/m}$ ,  $\Delta s$  =  $500 \,\text{m}$ , and  $\epsilon_0$  =  $8.854 \, 10^{-12}$  we find N =  $0.55 \, \text{el/m}^3$  which is the maximum allowable density, i.e. densities larger than this produce internal fields stronger than  $5 \,\mu\text{V/m}$ , which can reduce the bunching effects. When the density of the electrons is known we can relate it to the electron flux as discussed below.

It was shown that trapping occurs in a narrow range of parallel velocities centered around the wave phase velocity, so we use 1% as a typical value. The next step is to compute the actual number of electrons in that velocity range, and then to compare with the previously computed N =  $0.55 \text{ el/m}^3$ . The electrons are assumed to have an initial energy of 300 eV and  $\alpha = 10^\circ$ , so that the corresponding parallel velocity is  $v_{ii} = 9.654 \cdot 10^6 \text{ m/s}$ . In that case the total number of electrons, within 1% velocity range around  $v_{ii}$ , is given as (assuming an isotropic distribution in pitch angle)

$$N = 2\pi \int_{0}^{\pi} \int_{v_1}^{v_2} \frac{A}{v^n} v^2 \sin \alpha \, dv \, d\alpha \qquad (7.2)$$

where A is a constant that can be deduced from the flux. It can be shown [Inan, 1977] that for E = 1keV and  $\alpha = 90^{\circ}$ , A = 2  $\phi$ , where  $\phi$  is the differential energy spectrum for 1 keV electrons with  $\alpha = 90^{\circ}$ . Note that this relationship between  $\phi$  and A holds only for a  $v^{-4}$  distribution, and it is necessary to use a different relation for other distributions. Thus, substituting for A in Eq. 7.2, and integrating we have  $(n \neq 3)$ 

$$N = 4 \pi A \left(-\frac{v^{-n+2+1}}{n-2-1}\right) \begin{vmatrix} v_2 \\ v_1 \end{vmatrix}$$
 (7.3)

whereas for n = 3 we have

$$N = 4 \pi A \ln v \begin{vmatrix} v_2 \\ v_1 \end{vmatrix}$$
 (7.3a)

and Table 7.1 shows the results for various values of the differential flux  $\phi$  (1 keV,  $\alpha$  = 90°) and various values of n (the constant A is given as  $\frac{m^2}{2} \left[ \frac{2}{m} \right]^{n/2} \phi$  where m is the electron mass).

Thus, from Table 7.1 we can find the values of n and  $\phi$  for which the electron density is lower than 0.55 el/m<sup>3</sup>, i.e. we see when it is possible to have bunching without creating a strong internal electric field which may significantly decrease the bunching effects. Also note that only the trapped electrons contribute to the internal field.

| <del></del>  |   |                      | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |
|--|---|----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Flux   | n | $\mathbf{A}^{\perp}$ | N (el/m³)                             |
| (el cm <sup>-2</sup> sr <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> kev) |   | . •                  |                                       |
| 108  | 3 | 1.3 10-7             | 1.3 10-3                              |
| 108  | 4 | 2 10 <sup>8</sup>    | 21658                                 |
| 10 <sup>8</sup>  | 5 | 2.9 10 <sup>23</sup> | 3.1 10 <sup>5</sup>                   |
| 10 <sup>8</sup>  | 6 | 4.4 10 <sup>38</sup> | 6.8 10 <sup>10</sup>                  |
| 104  | 3 | 1.3 10-11            | 1.3 10 <sup>-7</sup>                  |
| 104  | 4 | 2 104                | 2.17                                  |
| 104  | 5 | 2.9 10 <sup>19</sup> | 31                                    |
| 104  | 6 | 4.4 1034             | 6.7 10 <sup>6</sup>                   |
| 10 <sup>2</sup>  | 3 | 1.3 10-13            | 1.3 10-9                              |
| 10 <sup>2</sup>  | 4 | 2 10 <sup>2</sup>    | 0.02                                  |
| 10 <sup>2</sup>  | 5 | 2.9 1017             | 0.31                                  |
| 10 <sup>2</sup>  | 6 | 4.4 1032             | 6.7 10                                |
|  |   |                      |                                       |

TABLE 7.1 Total number of electrons within 1% velocity bandwidth for 300 eV electrons as a function of flux and various distribution functions.

Because most of the flux measurements are made at higher energies the exact fluxes and distributions at lower energies are uncertain, but as those data become available Table 7.1 can be used as a guide to determine if the bunching of the electrons is affected by the internal fields. Present measurements indicate that the flux can be on the order of  $10^3$  to  $10^9$ , and the exponent n can vary between 3 and 5 [Kimura, 1982; Shield and Frank, 1970].

We have presented two examples in which longitudinal resonance

interactions may play an important role, along with an analysis of the limiting electron flux for the bunching. We conclude our discussion with a summary and suggestions for future work.

#### VIII. CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE WORK

#### A. SUMMARY

We have analyzed the nonlinear longitudinal resonance interactions between energetic electrons and coherent VLF waves in the magnetosphere. The longitudinal resonance, which may result either in wave growth or wave damping, and also causes space bunching of energetic electrons, was numerically simulated using time averaged nonlinear equations of motion. The simulations were done for single electrons, sheets of electrons, and a full distribution of electrons. Those studies, done for different types of wave functions, have shown how the the wave forces modify the electron trajectories, and that the trajectory perturbations result in nonlinear pitch angle scattering. The nonlinear pitch angle scattering variations have been studied for a wide range of the initial pitch angles, wave amplitudes, cold plasma densities and wave normal angles. It was found that there are two basic groups of electrons, trapped and untrapped, where the trapped electrons, in contrast to the untrapped electrons, are trapped in the potential well formed by the wave. The trapped electrons cause the space bunching which increases the electron flux at certain parallel velocities.

The nonlinear scattering for the longitudinal resonance is found to be much smaller compared to that for the gyroresonance interactions, indicating a higher efficiency for the gyroresonance process. This is so because the scattering for gyroresonance is achieved through the conversion of perpendicular momentum of the electron into parallel momentum with very small energy exchange between the wave and electrons, while the scattering for the longitudinal resonance is solely based on the energy exchange. Due to the smaller scattering efficiency a full distribution simulation produced only small precipitated fluxes, i.e. for moderate strength VLF waves the precipitation due to the longitudinal interactions is below the detectable level of about 0.01 ergs/cm²/sec.

In a study of magnetopsheric applications we found support for a mechanism proposed by Park and Helliwell [1977] to explain whistler precursors. We conclude that the longitudinal resonance is a likely candidate to drive a process in which a whistler wave perturbs the particles along a field line through longitudinal resonant bunching. This bunching has the effect of creating an enhancement, near the equator, of particle flux in a particular parallel velocity range. enhancement is of sufficient amplitude and duration to permit a gyroresonance interaction with wave activity such as power line harmonics. We find that the longitudinal resonance is not at first look a likely process for creating coherence in Cerenkov process of hiss generation, but that features of the longitudinal resonance may merit further study in this direction. Also presented was an analysis of the limiting electron flux for the bunching, i.e. we estimated the electron density at which the internal fields of the bunch may become large enough to affect the bunching process.

## B. SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE WORK

In our presentation we have shown the results of computer simulation of the nonlinear longitudinal resonance interactions with constant frequency whistler mode waves in the magnetosphere. This work could be further extended as described below:

- i) We have indicated in Chapter V that both the wave amplitude (E<sub>H</sub>) and the wave normal angle are treated as though they are constant quantities. It was said that this approximation will be valid as long as the interaction region is small, but there may be cases where it is necessary to include effects due to the variation of those quantities. The wave amplitude can be computed as a function of position using a standard WKB approach, while the wave normal angle variations can be calculated using a ray tracing analysis. Those additional computations could either be done separately and entered as data, or they could be added to the existing code.
- ii) Another extension of the present work could deal with CW pulse signals propagating along the field line. In this case it should be realized that the wave group and parallel velocities have in general different values (except for the Gendrin mode) which poses additional problems. It can be easily visualized that an electron trapped in the wave potential well, i.e. an electron whose parallel velocity is very close to the wave phase velocity, has to slide either backward or forward through the wave packet when the group velocity is either smaller or larger than the phase velocity, respectively; for f <  $f_{\rm H}/2$

the whistler mode group velocity always exceeds the phase velocity. In the case of a CW pulse signal it would also be possible for electrons to enter the wave packet from both ends, depending on the ratio of their parallel velocities and the group velocity of the pulse.

From the above discussion it is obvious that this problem would require significant changes in the present program, but could also reveal some additional features of the longitudinal resonance.

- iii) Another extension of the work presented here would be to investigate the longitudinal interaction for the case of variable frequency pulse signals. In this case the calculations would have to take into the account the fact that different frequencies of the signal interact with different electrons, and also at different locations along the field line. It should be feasible to investigate the behavior of whistlers interacting with energetic electrons by approximating the whistlers with an appropriate number of segments of linearly changing frequency, as was done in the discussion of the precursor.
- iv) It was noted earlier that the wave amplitude may be significantly changed due to the interaction, especially in a full distribution simulation. Although in our particular case in Chapter VI it was found that the total energy exchange is small, it will change for other distribution functions. For example, if we assumed a  $v^{-6}$  instead of a  $v^{-4}$  dependence, there would be many fewer electrons at higher parallel velocities, as the weighting function would change from  $v^{-2}$  to  $v^{-4}$  (see Fig. 6.4). In this case there would be more energy transferred from the wave to the trapped electrons compared to the energy transferred from the untrapped electrons to the wave, and the final

result would be wave attenuation. Thus in cases like this it may become necessary to include an energy feedback term that accounts for the amplitude changes. However, for a single particle simulation this feedback effect is very small and can be omitted.

## APPENDIX A: USEFUL IDENTITIES

Below is the list of identities used in the derivation of time averaged equations of motion, as well as the derivation of an approximation for the  $\langle qv_y g_x \rangle$  term for small  $\theta$ .

```
cos(\gamma - \eta sin\phi) = cos \gamma cos(\eta sin\phi) + sin\gamma sin(\eta sin\phi)
\sin(\gamma - \eta \sin \phi) = \sin \gamma \cos(\eta \sin \phi) - \cos \gamma \sin(\eta \sin \phi)
\cos(\eta \sin \phi) = J_0(\eta) + 2 J_2(\eta) \cos(2\phi) + 2 J_4(\eta) \cos(4\phi) + ...
\sin(\eta \sin \phi) = 2 J_1(\eta) \sin(\phi) + 2 J_3(\eta) \sin(3\phi) + 2 J_5(\eta) \sin(5\phi) + ...
     cos(Y - Nsin\phi) d\phi = J_O(N) cosY
     \sin\phi \cos(\gamma - \eta \sin\phi) d\phi = J_1(\eta) \sin\gamma
    \cos \phi \cos (\gamma - \eta \sin \phi) d\phi = 0
    \pi \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin \phi) d\phi = J_0(\eta) \sin \gamma
    sin\phi sin(\gamma - \eta sin\phi) d\phi = - J_1(\eta) cos\gamma
    \cos \phi \sin(\gamma - \eta \sin \phi) d\phi = 0
```

The  ${\langle qv_y \Re_{\chi} \rangle}$  term (Eq. 2.62) is given as

$$\langle qv_y \mathcal{B}_x \rangle = -qE_{ii}J_1(\eta) \sin \gamma \rho_z \frac{v_i k \cos \theta}{\omega}$$

For small  $\theta$  sin  $\theta \simeq \theta$ ,  $\cos \theta \simeq 1$ , and  $\tan \theta \simeq \theta$  so that  $\eta = \frac{\omega}{\omega_H}$  tan $\theta$  tan $\theta$ , as already found in Section II.C. Furthermore, we note that

$$\frac{\mathbf{v}_{\perp} \mathbf{k} \cos \theta}{\omega} = \frac{\mathbf{v}_{\perp} \frac{\mathbf{n} \omega}{\mathbf{c}}}{\omega} \cos \theta = \frac{\mathbf{v}_{\perp}}{\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{p}}},$$

and that near the resonance  $\boldsymbol{v}_{p_{\boldsymbol{H}}} = \boldsymbol{v}_{_{\boldsymbol{H}}}$  so that

$$\frac{\mathbf{v}_{\perp} \mathbf{k} \cos \theta}{\omega} = \frac{\mathbf{v}_{\perp}}{\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{p}_{\parallel}}} = \tan \alpha.$$

Therefore,  $\langle qv_yg_y \rangle = -qE_u\sin\gamma\tan\alpha\rho_zJ_1(\eta)$ , and for small  $\theta$ 

$$J_1(\eta) = \frac{\eta}{2} = \frac{\omega \theta \tan \alpha}{2\omega_H}$$

Also, for small  $\theta$  ,  $\rho_{\mathbf{z}}$  is given as

$$\rho_{z} = \frac{1}{\omega/\omega_{H}} \frac{1 - \omega/\omega_{H}}{1 + \omega/\omega_{H}} \frac{1}{\theta} .$$

Substituting for  $J_1\left(\eta\right)$  and  $\rho_{\mathbf{Z}}$  in the expression for  $<\!q\mathbf{v}$  , the final result is

$$\simeq -qE_H \sin \gamma \tan^2 \alpha \frac{1-\omega/\omega_H}{2(1+\omega/\omega_H)}$$

## APPENDIX B: PROGRAM LISTING

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ANGLES ARE IN RADIANS EXCEPT IN INPUT AND OUTPUT
                   DIMENSION Z(3000), PHI(3000), BZ(3000), WN(3000), VP(2000)
                   DIMENSION FDAT(20), ENDAT(10), ALPDAT(10), KTEMP(40)
  3
                   DIMENSION BESEL(2), ETA(3598), 8MULT(3588)
                   DIMENSION RKDZ(3883), RKDZL(3888), CTHG(3888)
                   (BORCE) IHLIAMA, (EDDE) WOLAMPLHI (3DOB)
                  COMMON DVPA, EQALD, ALGRD, VPA, FVPA(400), SDIST, ALEQ, A, SVPA, FDIST(180,400), EQAL, FPDIST(180), PI, EM, EL, RPHI, VPE, E, EV, KMAX, VMIN, VPMAX,
  9
                  ALMIN, ALMAX, ALDC(12), R, RO, VPAEQ, EPA, EVDC(12), IG, EPAG(3000)
COMHON/BLOCK1/ KFDIST(180, 400), IFDIST(180, 20)
10
                  COMMON/BLOCK2/ SFDIST(180), IIAS, IIAF, NVG, ALFALO, ALFAHI
11
                   ALFA(35),JLO,JHI
                  COMMON/BLOCKS/ TC(400,12), CARGU(400,12), VPHA(400,12), VPARA(400,12), ENER(850,12), PBCARGU(505,12), P3VPH(505,12),
13
14
15
                  PBVPA(505,12), TMIN, TMAX, TR(12), TTRACE(12), INDEX(12)
16
                  MLO, MHI, MSTEP, TEN(850), TPB(505), DISTAN(850), DISTAN1(505)
17
                  Z=ARC LENGTH, PHI=INVARIANT LATITUDE,
18
                  BZ=(1/B)*DB/DZ, WN=WAVE NUMBER K, VP= PHASE VELOCITY
19
20
21
                  IREAD IN ALL NECESSARY DATA
22
23
                  CHOOSE GENDRIN MODE OR NOT (IG=1 OR IG=0)
24
                  READ(5.35Ø) IG
25
          35Ø
                  FORMAT(12)
26
                  READ(5,350) ICONT99
27
                  READ(5,35Ø) ICONT88
28
29
                  COLLISIONLESS MODEL OR DIFUSSION MODEL (ICLM=1 OR ICLM=3)
3Ø
        C
                  GET MODEL PARAMETERS TE, XIO, XIH, XIHE, ENEQ
31
                  READ(5,351) ICLM, POWER, TEMP, XIO, XIH, XIHE, ENEQ
32
                  FORMAT(12,6F1Ø.5)
33
          351
34
        C
35
        C
36
37
       ¢
                  THE WAVE AMPLITUDE IS DIFFERENT IN THE CASE OF GENDRIN MODE THAN IT IS IN NON-GENDRIN CASE. GENDRIN MODE WAVE INTENSITY IS BW WHILE NON-GENDRIN MODE WAVE INTENSITY IS LABELED EPA. THE PROPER SETTING OF WAVE INTENSITIES IS DONE IN FOLLOWING WAY:
       Ċ
38
        ¢
39
42
        C
41
       C
42
       ¢
                  1) GENDRIN MODE
                  WAVE INTENSITY IS BW=CONST*2**IBW WHERE IBWLOKIBWKIBWHI.
IBWLO AND IBWHI ARE READ FROM INPUT CARD DECK. AT THE SAME TIME
43
       ¢
44
45
                  EPA IS NOT USED WHICH IS ACCOMPLISHED SETTING IELO=IEHI=1
       C
46
47
       , C
                  2) NON-GENDRIN MODE
4ε
                  WAVE INTENSITY IS EPA=CONST*2**IE WHERE IELO<IE<IEHI.
49
       ¢
                  AT THE SAME TIME GENDRIN MODE IS SUPPRESED USING IBWLO=IBWHI=1
50
       C
                  READ(5,352) IBWLO, IBWHI, IELO, IEHI
51
52
          352
                  FORMAT(412)
       C
53
       C
54
                  FREQUENCY ITERATION
                  ENTER THE NUMBER OF DIFFERENT WAVE FREQUENCIES AND THEY WILL BE READ
55
       C
56
       C
                  FROM INPUT CARD DECK
57
58
                  READ(5,35Ø) INFREQ
59
                  DO 1013 ICNT=1, INFREQ
60
                  READ(5,353) FDAT(ICNT)
         1913
61
                  CONTINUE
62
          353
                  FORMAT(F1Ø.5)
       c
63
       С
64
                  READ L VALUE AND ANGLE BETWEEN K&3Ø (THETA)
       С
65
                  READ(5,354) EL, THETA
66
57
          354
                  FORMAT(2F18.5)
```

```
DEFINE DIRECTION OF PROPAGATION
69
                  IWD=1 --> POSITIVE DIRECTION
        С
 7Ø
                  IWD=-1 --> NEGATIVE DIRECTION
72
73
        C
                  READ(5.35Ø) IWD
        С
 74
                  PARAMETERS ALONG FIELD LINE PRINTED IF ICONTI=1
 75
 76
        ¢
                  READ(5,35Ø) ICONT1
 77
 78
        C
                  FULL DISTRIBUTION USED IF IFULL=1, ADIABATIC APPROXIMATION USED BEYOND RESONANCE POINT IF IADIA=1, DIFFUSION COEFFICIENTS
 79
        C
        C
 82
                  COMPUTED IF IDIFF=1
        C
 81
 82
                  PROGRAM CAN TRACE EITHER A SINGLE PARTICLE OR GIVEN DISTRIBUTION
83
                  GIVEN BY THE DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION FDIST(VPARALEL, ALFAEQ).
 84
        ¢
 85
        C
                  1) SINGLE PARTICLES TRACING
 86
                  TO DO SINGLE PARTICLE TRACING IT IS NECCESSARY TO SPECIFY ITS
        С
87
                  PARALLEL VELOCITY AND EQUATORIAL PITCH ANGLE.
THIS IS DONE DEFINING TWO PARAMETERS: IV (LOOP 206)
 89
        C
        С
                  AND IA (LOOP 294).
 9.0
                  GIVEN RANGE IVIIVS, IVF] PARTICLE VELOCITY IS GIVEN AS VPAI=VMIN*(1+(IV-1)/10)*1.05 AND PITCH ANGLE IS READ FROM INPUT CARD DECK USING IA AS POINTER WITH RANGE (IAS, IAF).
 91
        C
 92
        C
 93
 94
                  2) FULL DISTRIBUTION TRACING
 95
                  IN THE CASE OF FULL DISTRIBUTION ALL DATA CONCERNIG SINGLE PARTICLE
 96
                  WILL BE NEGLECTED. THE INITIAL DISTRIBUTION IS GIVEN BY THE NUMBER
        ¢
 97
                  OF BINS IN VELOCITY AND PITCH ANGLE RANGE.
 98
        С
                  NUMBER OF VELOCITY BINS IS READ AS INPUT DATA (NVG) SAME AS PITCH AN
 99
        С
                  RANGE [IIAS, IIAF].
100
        C
1Ø1
                  READ(5,355) IADIA, IFULL, IDIFF
102
103
          355
                  FORMAT(312)
104
        C
                  IF(IFULL.EQ.1) GO TO 1Ø15
105
                  READ(5,352)IVS, IVF, IAS, IAF
1Ø6
1Ø7
                  DO 1Ø14 ICNT1=IAS, IAF
                  READ(5.353) ALPDAT(ICNT1)
108
         1214
                  CONTINUE
105
110
                  GO TO 1Ø16
                  READ(5,341) NVG, IIAS, IIAF, VRANGE, VINITL
111
          1215
                  FORMAT(312,2F10.5)
          341
112
                  CONTINUE
113
          1016
                  IF(IFULL.EQ.1) IVS=1
114
                  IF(IFULL.EQ.1) IVF=1
115
                  IF(IFULL.EQ.1) IAS=1
IF(IFULL.EQ.1) IAF=1
116
117
118
                  PRINT PHASE ANGLE YES=1, NO=8
READ(5,363) ICONT2, MLO, MHI, MSTEP, TMIN, TMAX
        C
119
120
                  FORMAT(412,2F1Ø.5)
           363
121
        С
122
                  READ THE STARTING LATITUDE WHERE TRACING SHOULD BEGIN
123
124
        C
125
                  READ(5,353) SRPHID
        C
126
                  READ WAVE AMPLITUDE INFORMATION
127
                  READ(5,35Ø) IGROW
128
                  READ(5,358) XPHIOD, XLEN, XAMPL
129
           358
                  FORMAT(3F1Ø.6)
130
                  READ(5.35Ø) ICONT5
131
                  READ(5,35Ø) ICONT25
132
                  READ(5,353) XMAX
READ(5,353) VDELTA
133
134
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135
136
                 ITERATE FOR BW IN GENDRIN MODE. IF GM IS NOT USED SET IBW=1.1
137
 138
                 WRITE(6.7007) IG, ICLM, TEMP, XIO, XIH, XIHE, ENEQ
139
         7677
                 FORMAT(213.5F10.5)
                 WRITE(6,7008) IBWLO, IBWHI, IELO, IEHI, INFREQ, FDAT(1)
143
141
         7883
                 FORMAT(513,F10.5)
142
                 WRITE(6,7009) EL, THETA, IVD, ICONTI, IADIA, IFULL, IDIFF
143
         7.639
                 FORMAT(2F1Ø.5.513)
                 WRITE(6.7010) IVS.IVF, IAS, IAF, ICONT2, SRPHID, ALPDAT(1)
144
145
         7010
                 FORMAT(513,2F18.5)
145
                 DO 216 IBW=IBWLO, IBWHI
147
                 BW=3.75E-12*2**IBW
                 DO 208 IEF=1, INFREQ
148
149
                 F=FDAT(IEF)
        Ċ
15Ø
151
        C-
152
                 DEFINE ALL NEEDED CONSTANTS
153
154
                 E=1.6021E-19
155
                 C=2.9978E8
                 PI=3.1416
156
157
                 RO≖6.37E6
158
                 PHIO=ATAN(SQRT(EL-1.))
159
                 A=3.1415927/18Ø.
160
                 EM=9.1Ø66E-31
161
                 DZ=1.E4
162
                 R1=7.37E6
163
                 CTH=COS(THETA*A)
154
                 STH=SIN(THETA*A)
                OM=2.*PI*F
165
166
                BOLTZ=1.38Ø5E-16
167
                EMI=9.1Ø66E-28*1837.
                G1=988.67*RO*RO/R1/R1
168
                OMS=(PI/12./36ØØ.)**2
169
179
171
172
       C
                TEST PROGRAM FOR FULL DISTRIBUTION
173
                IF(ICONT88.EQ.Ø) GOTO 713
174
                WRITE(6,3958)
                FORMAT(///'TEST BESSEL FUNCTION COMPUTATIONS'//)
175
         3958
176
                ARG=Ø.
                CALL BESJR(ARG, 1, BESEL, IER)
177
                WRITE(6,3956) ARG, BESEL(1), BESEL(2)
178
179
         3956
                FORMAT(3F12.4)
18Ø
                ARG=1.
                CALL BESJR(ARG, 1, BESEL, IER)
181
182
                WRITE(6,3956) ARG, BESEL(1), BESEL(2)
183
         713
                CONTINUE
184
185
186
       C
                DENSITY MODEL DATA ARE READ FROM INPUT CARD DECK
                COMPUTE PF(PLASMA FREQUENCY), FH (GYROFREQ.) AND RIND(REFRACTIVE INDEX) ALONG GIVEN FIELD LINE USING QL APPROXIMATION.
       C
187
188
       Ċ
                ALSO COMPUTE WN(WAVE NUMBER IN MAG. FIELD DIRECTION) AND VP(PHASE
189
       C
       Ċ
190
                VELOCITY IN MAG. FIELD DIRECTION).
                Z(N) AND PHI(N) GIVE POSITION ALONG THE LINE.
191
       C
192
                WN AND VP ARE DIFFERENT FOR GENDRIN AND NON-GENDRIN MODES.
193
       C
194
       C
195
                HH=BOLTZ*TEMP/EMI/G1*1.E-2
196
                SCALE HEIGHTS ARE CONVERTED TO METERS
197
                HHE=HH/4.
198
                HO=HH/16.
199
                GPHEQ=R1-R1*R1/RO/EL-ONS/2./G1/RO/EL*((RO*EL)**3-R1**3)
                ENFAC=XIH*EXP(-GPHEQ/HH)+XIHE*EXP(+GPHEQ/HHE)+XIO*EXP(-GPHEQ/HO)
200
                ENFAC=ENEQ/SQRT(ENFAC)
291
202
                N = 1
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Z(N)=\emptyset.
2Ø3
                PHI(N)=Ø.
204
                R=RO*EL
2.85
2.06
                CDEL = 1.
                BZ(N)=Ø.
2Ø7
                FP=SQRT(80.6*ENEQ*1.E6)
FH=8.736E5/EL**3
208
2Ø9
                RIND=FP/SQRT(F#(FH*CTH-F))
210
                VP(N) IS PHASE VELOCITY IN MAG FIELD DIRECTION
211
                IF GENDRIN MODE USED THAN NEXT LINES EXECUTED, OTHERWISE
212
       С
213
                GO TO 11
214
                IF( IG .NE. 1 ) GO TO 11
VP(N)=C/2.*FH/FP
215
216
                CTHG(N)=2.*F/FH
217
                WN(N)=2.*PI*F/VP(N)/CTHG(N)
218
                EPAG(N)=C*BW*F/FP*SQRT(1.-4.*F*F/FH/FH)
219
220
                GO TO 12
221
           11
                VP(N)=C/RIND/CTH
                WN(N)=RIND/C=2.*PI*F
222
           12
                RKDZ(N) = \emptyset.
223
       С
224
       c
                 NEXT LOOP (LABEL 10) COMPUTES ALL MEDIUM PARAMETERS ALONG GIVEN
225
                FIELD LINE
226
227
           10
228
                N = N + 1
                Z(N)=Z(N-1)+DZ
229
                PHI(N)=PHI(N-1)+DZ*CDEL/R
230
                CPHI=COS(PHI(N))
231
                 SPHI=SIN(PHI(N))
232
                 R=RC*EL*CPHI**2
233
                 SRF=SORT(1.+3*SPHI**2)
234
                 CDEL=CPHI/SRF
235
                 SDEL=2.*SPHI/SRF
236
                 BZ(N)=3./R*(SPHI*CPHI*CDEL/SRF/SRF+SDEL)
237
                 BZ IS DELTA B OVER DELTA Z DIVIDED BY B
238
       C
                 Z(N)=RO/2./SQRT(3.)/COS(PHIO)**2*(ALOG(SQRT(3.)*SPHI+SRF)
239
                 +SQRT(3.)*SPHI*SRF)
248
                 GPH=R1-R1*R1/R-OMS/2./G1/R0/EL*(R**3-R1**3)
241
                 EN⇒XIH*EXP(-GPH/HH)+XIHE*EXP(-GPH/HHE)+XIO*EXP(-GPH/HO)
242
                 EN=SQRT(EN)*ENFAC
243
                IF(ICLM.EQ.1) EN=ENEQ*(RO*EL/R)**POWER
FP=SQRT(8Ø.6*EN*1.E6)
244
245
                 FH=8.736E5*(RO/R)**3*SRF
246
                 RIND=FP/SQRT(F#(FH*CTH-F))
247
                 FACT1=1-(FP/F)**2
248
                 FACT2=1-FP**2/(F**2-FH**2)
249
                 FACT3=(FH/F)=FP=*2/(F*=2-FH**2)
25Ø
                 IF(IG.NE.1) GO TO 14
251
                VP(N)=C/2.*FH/FP
CTHG(N)=2.*F/FH
252
253
                 VM(N)=2.*PI*F/VP(N)/CTHG(N)
254
                 RIND2=(FP/F)**2
255
                 STHG2=1-CTHG(N)**2
255
257
                 STHG=SQRT(STHG2)
                 EPAG(N)=C*BV*F/FP*SQRT(1.-4.*F*F/FH/FH)
238
                 RKDZ(N)=(VN(N)+VN(N-1))/2.*DZ*CTHG(N)+RKDZ(N-1)
259
26Ø
                 GO TO 15
                 WN(N)=RIND/C*2.*PI*F
261
                 VP(N)=C/RIND/CTH
262
                 RKDZ(N)=(WN(N)+WN(N-1))/2.*DZ*CTH+RKDZ(N-1)
263
                 CTHG(N)=CTH
264
                 RIND2=RIND**2
265
                 STHG2=STH**2
266
267
                 STHG=STH
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263
            15
                  IF (VP(N).GT.VP(N-1)) VPMAX=VP(N)
 269
                  BMULT(N)=FACT3/(RIND2-FACT2)*(RIND2*STHG2-FACT1)/RIND2
 279
                  /STHG/CTHG(N)
 271
                  ETA(N)=VN(N)=STHG/FH
 272
                  MMAX = N
 273
                  IF (R.GT.RO) GO TO 19
 274
                 ALL PARAMETERS COMPUTED
 275
                 11=0
 275
277
                 RFHI=SRPHID*A
           46
                 N = N + 1
 278
                 IF(ABS(RPHI).GT.PHI(N)) GOTO 46
 279
                 INDMAX=N
 28Ø
                 RKDZL(N)=Ø.
 281
            47
                 N = N - 1
 282
                 RKDZL(N)=(WN(N+1)+WN(N))/2.*DZ*CTH+RKDZL(N+1)
283
                 IF(N.GT.1) GOTO 47
284
                 DO 48 N=1,NMAX
 285
            48
                 RKDZ(N) = RKDZ(N) + RKDZL(1)
 286
        · C -
287
        C
        C
288
                 TO PRINT PARAMETERS ALONG FIELD LINE ICONTI=1
289
        C
29Ø
                 IF(ICONTI.NE.1) GO TO 6000
291
                 \mathbb{I} \simeq \emptyset
                 N= I * 1Ø+1
292
         6002
293
                 IF(N.GT.NMAX) GO TO 6200
294
                 PHID=PHI(N)/A
295
                 WRITE(6,6001) PHID, Z(N), EPAG(N), VP(N), CTHG(N), WN(N)
296
         6ØØ1
                 FORMAT(F18.2,5E12.4)
297
                 I = I + 1
298
                 GO TO 6002
299
3ØØ
        C
301
         6ជធធ
                 CONTINUE
        C
3.672
3Ø3
        ¢
                 THIS CODE WILL BE EXECUTED IF VARIABLE AMPLITUDE WAVE
3Ø4
        С
                 IS USED PROGRAM
3.05
                 IF(IGROW.NE.1) GO TO 8061
306
                 XPHIO=XPHIOD*A
3Ø7
                 XSTART=R0/2./SQRT(3.)/COS(PHIO)**2*(ALOG(SQRT(3.)*SIN
308
                 (XPHIO)+SQRT(1.+3.*SIN(XPHIO)**2))+SQRT(3.)*SIN(XPHIO)*
                 SQRT(1.+3.*SIN(XPHIO)**2))
309
31Ø
                 XEND=XSTART+XLEN=1000.
                 DO 8032 I=1,3000
311
312
                 AMPLOV(I) = \emptyset.
313
         8Ø32
                 CONTINUE
314
                DO 8Ø33 I=1,3ØØØ
315
                AMPLHI(I)=\emptyset.
316
                IF((PHI(I).GT.Ø.12217).AND.(PHI(I).LT.Ø.17453)) AMPLHI(I)=45.E-6
317
         8233
                 CONTINUE
318
        8Ø61
                 CONTINUE
319
       C
32Ø
       C
                AMPLITUDE DATA STORED
321
322
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323
                 INITIALIZE FINAL DISTRIBUTION FUCTION TO Ø IF FULL DISTRIBUTION
       С
324
                 IS USED IN PROGRAM.
       С
325
                 THE INITIAL DISTRIBUTION IS SET UP ACCORDINGLY TO NVG FOR VELC
326
                 BIN AND ITAS AND ITAF FOR PITCH ANGLE BIN.
       C
327
                 THE FINAL DISTRIBUTION BINS ARE COMPUTED FOR VELOCITY TO GIVEI
       C
328
                 THE BEST RESOLUTION AND FIXED FOR PITCH ANGLE (Ø.5 DEGREE IN
329
       C
       C
                 Ø-9Ø RANGE)
33Ø
       C
331
                 IF (IFULL.EQ.Ø) GO TO 43
332
                 J FOR ALPHA GOES FROM 1-18Ø
333
                 NVG IS NUMBER OF GRIDS IN VPARALLEL IN INITIAL DIST FUNCT
       C
334
                 DVPA=VP(1)*VRANGE/(NVG+1)
335
336
                 K ≠ 1
                 FVPA(1)=Ø.25*VP(1)
337
           4Ø
                 K=K+1
338
                FVPA(K)=FVPA(K-1)+DVPA*1Ø
339
                 IF(FVPA(K).LT.(VP(1)*3.24)) GOTO 4Ø
340
341
                 KMAX=K
                 DO 42 K=1,KMAX
342
343
                 DO 41 J=1,18Ø
344
                 IF(K.LT.21) IFDIST(J,K)=\emptyset
                 KFDIST(J,K)=\emptyset
345
346
           41
                FDIST(J,K)=\emptyset.
347
           42
                 CONTINUE
                CONTINUE
348
           43
       C
349
35Ø
                PARTICLE TRACING STARTS
351
                ITERATE FOR WAVE INTENSITY FOR GENDRIN MODE WAVE INTENSITY IS SPECIFIED BY
       ¢
352
353
       С
354
                 MAGNETIC COMPONENT NEAR BEGINNING OF PROGRAM.
                NEXT DO LOOP SHOULD HAVE ONLY ONE LOOP (IBWLO=IBWHI=1) DO 207 IE=IELO, IEHI
355
356
357
                EPA=45.E-6
358
                 IF (ICONT25.EQ.Ø) GOTO 4Ø8Ø
                EPA=1.E-6*XMAX
359
                 IF(EPA.EQ.Ø) IMAX=1
         4Ø8Ø
359
361
                 IF (EPA.NE.Ø) IMAX=12
362
                 FOR GENDRIN MODE EPA IS REPLACED BY EPAG(1) FOR OUTPUT PRINTING
363
                 IF (IG.EQ.1) EPA=EPAG(1)
                VFMIN=1.E16
364
365
       С
       С
                 INITIALIZATION OF PLOTTING DATA ARRAYS
366
367
       C
                 IF(ICONT2.EQ.Ø) GOTO 1721
363
369
                DO 1716 I=1,12
                TR(I)=100.
37Ø
         1716
                DO 1717 I=1,850
DO 1761 J=1,12
371
372
373
                ENER(I,J)=-1.
374
         1761
                CONTINUE
375
         1717
                CONTINUE
                 DO 1718 I=1,12
376
                DO 1719 J=1,505
IF(J.GT.400) GOTO 1720
377
378
379
                 TC(J,I)=1.E36
388
                CARGU(J,I)=1.E36
                 VPHA(J,1)=1.E36
381
                VPARA(J,I)=1.E36
382
383
         1728
                PBCARGU(J.I)=1.E36
                 PBVPH(J,I)=1.E36
384
385
                PBVPA(J,I)=1.E36
386
         1719
                CONTINUE
387
                CONTINUE
         1718
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DO 1762 I=1,850
IF(I.GT.505) GOTO 1763
388
389
390
                 TPB(I)=1.E36
391
                 DISTAN1(I)=1.E36
392
         1763
                 TEN(I)=1.E36
393
                 DISTAN(I)=1.E36
394
         1762
                 CONTINUE
395
         1721
                 CONTINUE
396
                 VFMAX=Ø.
397
                 JCOUNT=Ø
398
                 EOTOT=Ø.
399
                 EFTOTů.
400
                 ALFALO=1.ElØ
401
                 ALFA!!I=Ø.
402
                 IF(IFULL.EQ.Ø) VINITL=1.
                 VMIN=VINITL*VP(1)
4Ø3
404
                 ITERATE FOR PARTICLE VELOCITY
                IVS AND IVF ARE VELOCITY RANGE DATA FOR SINGLE PARTICLE TRACING IF (IFULL.EQ.1) IVF=IVS
4Ø5
4Ø6
407
                DO 206 IV=IVS,IVF
4Ø8
                 VPAI=VMIN*(1.192+IV*Ø.991)
                 IF (ICONT25.EQ.Ø) GOTO 4Ø81
429
                 VPAI=VP(1)*VDELTA
410
         4Ø81
411
                 IIVS=I
412
                 IF(IFULL.EQ.Ø) NVG=Ø
413
                 IIVF=NVG+1
414
                   (IFULL.EQ.Ø) IIVF=IIVS
415
                 DO 205 IIV=IIVS.IIVF
416
                 VPAII=VMIN+DVPA*(IIV-1)
417
                 IF((IIV.EQ.IIVS).AND.(IFULL.EQ.1)) VSTART=VPAII
418
                 IF((IIV.EQ.IIVF).AND.(IFULL.EQ.I)) VEND=VPAII
419
                   (IFULL.EQ.1) SVPA=VPAII
422
                   (IFULL.EQ.Ø) SVPA=VPAI
                ITERATE FOR EQUATORIAL PITCH ANGLE LAF AND IAS ARE PITCH ANGLE RANGE DATA FOR SINGLE PARTICLE TRACING
421
422
423
                 IF (IFULL.EQ.1) IAF=IAS
424
                DO 204 IA=IAS, IAF
425
                ALEGI = ALPDAT(IA)
426
       Ç
                 IIAS AND IIAF ARE PITCH ANGLE RANGE FOR FULL DISTRIBUTION
427
                 IF(IFULL.EQ.Ø) IIAF=1
                 IF(IFULL.EQ.Ø) IIAS=1
428
429
                IF (IFULL.EQ.Ø) IIAF=IIAS
43Ø
                ALMIN=5.25+Ø.5*IIAS
                ALMAX=5.25+Ø.5*IIAF
431
432
                DO 203 IIA=IIAS,ITAF
433
                ALEGII=5.25+Ø.5=IIA
434
                 IF (IFULL.EQ.1) ALEG=ALEGII
                   (IFULL.EQ.Ø) ALEQ=ALEQI
(IFULL.EQ.Ø) WRITE (6,998) ALEQ
435
436
                ALEQ IS IN DEGREES
437
       C
433
          998
                FORMAT(1H1.' EQ PITCH ANGLE='.F7.3/)
439
                ITERATE FOR BETA
440
                DO 2Ø2 I=1, IMAX
441
                BETAD=30. * I-30.
442
                 BETA=BETAD*A
443
                 STARTING LATITUDE IS INPUT DATA
       C
444
                RPHI=SRPHID*A
445
                SPHI=SIN(ABS(RPHI))
445
                CPHI=COS(ABS(RPHI))
447
                SRF=SQRT(1.+3.#SPHI*=2)
448
                 S=RO/2./SQRT(3.)/COS(PHIO)**2*(ALOG(SQRT(3.)
449
                *SPHI+SRF)+SQRT(3.)*SPHI*SRF)
45Ø
                 IF (RPHI.LT.Ø) S=Ø.-S
                TANS=TAN(ALEQ*A)**2
451
452
                FHRAT=SQRT(1.+3.*SPHI**2)/CPHI**6
453
                VPA=SVPA*SQRT(1.+TANS-FHRAT*TANS)
454
                SVPE=SVPA*TAN(ALEQ#A)
                VPE=SVPE*SGRT(FHRAT)
455
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456
                  EO=EM/2.*(VPE*VPE+VPA*VPA)
457
                  EVO=EO/E
                  IF(IFULL.EQ.I) GOTO 135
458
459
                  IF(I.NE.1) GOTO 135
                  IF(ICONT25.EQ.1) RATIO=VDELTA
460
                  IF(ICONT25.EQ.Ø) RATIO=VPAI/VMIN
461
462
           135
                  CONTINUE
                  IF((I.EQ.1).AND.(IFULL.EQ.Ø)) WRITE(6,7Ø51) SRPHID
463
                  FORMAT(' TRACING STARTS AT ', F6.2,' DEGREES LATITUDE')
IF(IGROW.EQ.1) EPA=XAMPL
         7.051
464
465
466
                  IF((IFULL.EQ.Ø).AND.(I.EQ.1)) WRITE(6.999) EL,ENEQ,F,SVPA,EVO,EPA
467
                   , VPA, VP(1), RATIO
                  FORMAT (' EL=',F5.2,3X,'EQ DEN=',F6.1,'CM-3',3X,'FREQ=',-3PF6.3,'KHZ',3X,'EQ PAR VEL=',ØPE1Ø.3,' M/SEC',3X,'INIT ENERGY=',E12.6,' EV',3X,'EPA=',E1Ø.4,'V/M'/' VPA=',E11.4,'M/S',3X,'EQ PHASE VEL=',E11.4,'M/S',3X,'RATIO(VPAR/VPHASE)=',F7.5)
           999
468
459
470
471
                  IRDONF = Ø
4.72
                  IRDON=Ø.
473
                  IT1=9
474
475
                  1T2=Ø
                  IC=Ø
476
477
                  IND=Ø
478
                  IC2=Ø
                  IMDONE =Ø
479
480
                  IMIRR=Ø
                  T=Ø.
481
                  DT=Ø.ØØØ1
482
                  IT≕Ø
483
484
                  N == 1
485
           100
                  N = N + 1
                  IF (ABS(S).GT.Z(N)) GO TO 100
486
487
                  M = UM
438
                  NL = N - 1
489
                  IF(I.EQ.1) WRITE(6,49) INDMAX,NL,NU
                  FORMAT(//315//)
            49
490
                  VPHASE=IVD*(VP(NL)+(VP(NU)-VP(NL))*(ABS(S)-Z(NL))/(Z(NU)-Z(NL)))
491
                  IF (VPA.GE.(VPHASE*IWD)) ITEST=1
492
                  IF (VPA.LT.(VPHASE*IVD)) ITEST=-1
493
494
           110
                  BZF=(BZ(NU)-8Z(NL))*(ABS(S)-Z(NL))/(Z(NU)-Z(NL))+BZ(NL)
495
                  IF(S.LT.Ø.) RKDZ1=RKDZL(NL)
                  IF(S.GE.Ø.) RKDZ1=RKDZ(NL)
436
497
                  IF(S.LT.Ø.) RKDZ2=RKDZL(NU)
498
                  IF(S.GE.Ø.) RKDZ2=RKDZ(NU)
                  RKF=IWD*(RKDZ1+(RKDZ2-RKDZ1)*(ABS(S)-Z(NL))/(Z(NU)-Z(NL))
499
590
              1
5Ø1
                  IF (S.LT.Ø.) BZF = -1 \times EZF
502
                  CARG=OM*T-RKF+BETA
                  IF((IGROW.EQ.1).AND.(S.LE.Ø.)) EPA=AMPLOW(NU)
IF((IGROW.EQ.1).AND.(S.GE.Ø.)) EPA=AMPLHI(NU)
5#3
5Ø4
                  IF(ICONT99.EQ.Ø) GOTO 37Ø8
5.95
                  COSINE = CTH
5Ø6
                  IF(IG.EQ.1) COSINE=(CTHG(NU)+CTHG(NL))/2.
5Ø7
                  TERM1=VPE*(WN(NU)+WN(NL))/2.*COSINE/F/2./PI
508
5Ø9
                  ARG=(ETA(NU)+ETA(NL))/2.*VPE
                  CALL BESJR(ARG, 1, BESEL, IER)
512
                  TERM3=BESEL(1)*(1-TERM1*(BMULT(NU)+BMULT(NL))/2.*BESEL(2)
511
                  /BESEL(1))
512
513
                  GOTO 3789
         37£8
                  TERMS=1.
514
                  CONTINUE
515
         3789
                  IF( IG .NE. 1 ) GO TO 5000
516
                  EPAF=EPAG(NL)+(EPAG(NU)-EPAG(NL))*(ABS(S)-Z(NL))/(Z(NU)-Z(NL))
517
518
                  VPAT=VPA-VPE**2/2.*BZF*DT-E/EM*EPAF*TERM3*COS(CARG)*DT
519
                  GO TO 5ØØ1
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520
           50.00
                    VPAT=VPA-VPE**2/2.*EZF*DT-E/EM*EPA*TERM3*COS(CARG)*DT
 521
           5381
                    ST=S+(VPAT+VPA)/2.*DT
 522
                   UM=OUN
 523
                    IF (ABS(ST).LE.ABS(S)) GO TO 1Ø1
 524
                   NU = NU - 1
 525
            122
                   NH = NH + 1
 526
                   IF (ABS(ST).GT.Z(NU)) GO TO 102
 527
                   NL = NU - 1
 528
                   GO TO 184
 529
            161
                   NL = NL + 1
 53Ø
            1Ø3
                   NL=NL-1
 531
                   IF (ABS(ST).LT.Z(NL)) GO TO 183
 532
                   NU#NL+1
 533
            104
                   CONTINUE
 534
                   BZS=(BZ(NU)-BZ(NL)
                   IF(S.LT.Ø.) RKDZ1=RKDZL(NL)
IF(S.GE.Ø.) RKDZ1=RKDZ(NL)
 535
 536
 537
                   IF(S.LT.Ø.) RKDZ2=RKDZL(NU)
                   IF(S.GE.Ø.) RKDZ2=RKDZ(NU)
 538
                   RKS=IVD*(RKDZ1+(RKDZ2-RKDZ1)*(ABS(ST)-Z(NL))/(Z(NU)-Z(NL)
 539
 540
                   ))
 541
                   IF(ST.LT.Ø.) BZS=-1*BZS
                   CARG=OM*T-Ø.5"(RKF+RKS)+BETA
 542
 543
                   IF(ICONT99.EQ.Ø) GOTO 3715
544
                   COSINE = CTH
545
                   IF(IG.EQ.1) COSINE=(CTHG(NU)+CTHG(NL))/2.
546
                   TERMI=VPE*(WN(NU)+WN(NL))/2.*COSINE/F/2./PI
547
                   ARG=(ETA(NU)+ETA(NL))/2.*VPE
548
                   CALL BESJR(ARG, 1, BESEL, IER)
549
                   TERM3=BESEL(1)*(1-TERM1*(BMULT(NL)+BMULT(NU))/2.*BESEL(2)
550
                   /BESEL(1))
551
                   GOTO 3716
552
          3715
                   TERM3=1.
553
          3716
                   CONTINUE
554
                   IF(IG.NE.1) GO TO 5005
                   EPAS=EPAG(NL)+(EPAG(NU)-EPAG(NL))*(ABS(ST)-Z(NL))/(Z(NU)-Z(NL))
555
556
                   VPAT=VPA-VPE==2/4.*(BZF+BZS)=DT-E/EM*(EPAF+EPAS)
557
                  /2.*TERM3*COS(CARG)*DT
GO TO 2400
558
                   VPAT=VPA-VPE**2/4.*(BZS+BZF)*DT-E/EM*EPA*TERM3*COS(CARG)*DT
553
          5025
                  IF(IG.EQ.1) EPATEM=(EPAF+EPAS)/2.-
IF(IG.NE.1) EPATEM=EPA
€ 6Ø
          2490
561
562
                   IF(ICONT99.EQ.Ø) GOTO 3726
                   TERM2=VPAT*(WN(NL)+WN(NU))/2.*COSINE/F/2./PI
563
564
                  TERM4=BESEL(2)*(BMULT(NU)+BMULT(NL))/2.*(1-TERM2)
565
                  VPE=VPE+VPAT*VPE/4.*(BZS+BZF)*DT+E/EM*TERM4*COS(CARG)*DT
566
                  *EPATEM
567
                  GOTO 3727
                  VPE=VPE+VPE*VPAT/4.*(BZS+BZF)*DT
568
          3726
                  CONTINUE
569
          3727
                  SC=S+(VPA+VPAT)/2.*DT
CHECK FOR EQUATOR CROSSING
IF ((SC*S).GT.Ø) GO TO 24Ø1
57Ø
571
        C
572
573
                  CALL EQCONV
                  IF(IFULL.EQ.Ø) WRITE(6,2402) T,EV,EQALD,IRDONE FORMAT (' EQUATOR XING',3X,'T=',F7.4,3X,'ENERGY=',E8.3,'EV', 3X,'EQ PITCH ANGLE=',F6.3,3X,'NO OF RESONANCES=',I3)
574
575
          2402
576
577
                  IRDONE = Ø
578
                  CONTINUE
         2421
579
                  FIND MIRROR POINT
530
                     (IMDONE.EQ.1) GO TO 2500
581
                  IF ((VPA*VPAT), LT.S) IMIRR=1
582
                     (IMIRR.NE.1) GO TO 2500
583
                  CALL EQCONV
584
                  IF (IFULL.EQ.Ø) WRITE (6,253) H,RPHID,S,T,EV,EQALD
535
                  FORMAT (' MIRROR POINT', 3X, 'H=', E12.5, 'KM', 3X, 'PHI=', F7.3, 3X, 'S=', E12.5, 3X, 'T=', F7.4, 3X, 'ENERGY=', E8.3, 'EV', 3X,
           253
586
587
                  'EQ PITCH ANGLE=', F6.3 )
533
                  IMDONE = I
589
                  GO TO 312
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VPA=VPAT
59Ø
        25ØØ
                ENGY=EM/2./E*(VPE*VPE+VPA*VPA)
591
                ERROR=ENGY-EO/E
592
                AL=ATAN(VPE/VPA)
593
                IF(ABS(SC).LE.ABS(ST)) GO TO 105
594
595
                NU=NU+1
                NU=NU+1
          106
596
                IF (ABS(SC).GT.Z(NU)) GO TO 106
597
                NL = NU - 1
598
                GO TO 1Ø8
599
          1Ø5
                NL = NL + 1
688
                NL = NL - 1
601
          197
                IF (ABS(SC).LT.Z(NL)) GO TO 107
602
                NU=NL+1
693
          1Ø8
                CONTINUE
6Ø4
685
                NUO=NU
                S=SC
606
                RPHI=(PHI(NU)-PHI(NL))*(ABS(S)-Z(NL))/(Z(NU)-Z(NL))+PHI(NL)
627
                IF (S.LT.Ø.) RPHI=Ø.-RPHI
608
                RPHID=RPHI/A
689
                R=RO*EL*COS(RPHI)**2
610
                H=(R-RO)/1000.
61 I
                VPHASE=IVD*(VP(NL)+(VP(NU)-VP(NL))*(ABS(S)-Z(NL))/(Z(NU)-Z(NL)))
612
       С
                FIND RESONANCE POINT
613
                   ((VPA*IWD).LT.Ø) GO TO 25Ø
514
                   (((VPA-VPHASE)*ITEST).LE.Ø) GO TO 251
                ΙF
615
616
                GO TO 25Ø
         251
                CONTINUE
617
                IF((IFULL.EQ.Ø).AND.(IRDON.EQ.Ø)) TR(I)=T
618
619
                IRDON=IRDON+1
                IF(IFULL.EQ.1) GOTO 137
620
                CARGD=CARG/A
621
                IF(AES(CARGD).LT.36Ø.) GOTO 138
622
          139
                IF(CARGD.GT.Ø.) CARGD=CARGD-36Ø.
623
                IF(CARGD.LT.Ø.) CARGD=CARGD+36Ø.
624
                GOTO 139
625
626
         138
                IF(CARGD.LT.Ø.) CARGD=CARGD+36Ø.
        . 137
                CONTINUE
627
                IF((IFULL.EQ.Ø).AND.(IRDONE.EQ.Ø)) WRITE(6,252) VPHASE,R,RPHID,S,T
628
629
                 CARGO
                FORMAT (' RESONANCE VEL=',E12.5,5X,'AT R=',E12.5,5X,'PHI=',F7.3,
638
          252
                5X, 'S=', E12.5, 5X, 'T=', F7.4, 3X, 'BETA=', F7.2)
631
                IRDONE = IRDONE + 1
632
                ITEST=Ø-ITEST
633
634
          25Ø
                CONTINUE
635
                T = T + DT
                THE NEXT CARD .GO TO 300. BYPASSES WRITING OF PHASE ANGLE
       ¢
636
637
       C
                SAMPLING OF PLOT DATA
638
639
       С
                IF((ICONT2.EQ.Ø).OR.(IFULL.EQ.1)) GOTO 1732
54Ø
641
       C
                RESONANCE POINT SAMPLING
642
       C
643
                IF(T.GT.5.Ø) GOTO 1732
644
                IT=IT÷1
645
646
                IF(IT.LT.20) GOTO 1726
                IF(ABS((VPA-VPHASE)/VPA).GT.Ø.1Ø) GOTO 1729
647
                IF((T-TR(I)).GT.Ø.2Ø) GOTO 1729
648
649
                CARGD=CARG/A
                IF(ABS(CARGD).LT.36Ø.) GOTO 1728
       1727
653
                IF(CARGD.GT.Ø.) CARGD=CARGD-36Ø.
651
                IF(CARGD.LT.Ø.) CARGD=CARGD+36Ø
652
                GOTO 1727
653
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654
          1728
                  IC=IC+1
                  IF((IC.LT.1).OR.(IC.GT.453)) WRITE(6,1741) I,T,IC
655
                  FORMAT(/' FIRST RESONANCE ERROR (BAD INDEX)', 15, F13.5.15)
656
          1741
                  IF((IC.LT.1).OR.(IC.GT.409)) GOTO 1726
657
658
                  TC(IC,I)=T
                  CARGU(IC.I)=CARGD
659
                  VPHA(IC.I)=VPHASE/1000.
660
661
                  VPARA(IC, I)=VPA/1000.
662
          1729
                  IT=Ø
663
        C
                  ENERGY SAMPLING (EVERY 6 MSEC)
664
665
        С
          1725
666
                  1T1 = IT1 + 1
667
                  IF(IT1.LT.6Ø) GOTO 1730
668
                  IND=INT(T*1030/6)+1
                  IF((IND.LT.1).OR.(IND.GT.850)) WRITE(6,1742) I,T,IND FORMAT(/' TOTAL ENERGY ERROR (BAD INDEX)', 15,F10.5,15)
669
67Ø
          1742
671
                  IF((IND.LT.1).OR.(IND.GT.85Ø)) GOTO 173Ø
672
                  ENER(IND, I)=ENGY
673
                  IF(I.EQ.1) DISTAN(IND)=PHI(NL)/A
674
                  IF((I.EQ.1).AND.(S.LT.Ø.)) DISTAN(IND)=-1.*PHI(NL)/A
675
                  IT1=Ø
676
         173Ø
                  CONTINUE
677
                  PHASE BUNCING DETECTION (TMIN<T<TMAX)
678
679
68Ø
                  IF((T.LT.TMIN).OR.(T.GT.TMAX)) GOTO 1732
681
                  IT2=IT2+1
                  IF(IT2.LT.2Ø) GOTO 1732
682
683
                  IC2=IC2+1
                  IF((IC2.LT.1).OR.(IC2.GT.5Ø5)) WRITE(6,1743) I,T,IC2
FORMAT(/' PHASE DATA ERROR (BAD INDEX)',I5,F1Ø.5,I5)
684
685
         1743
686
                  IF((IC2.LT.1).OR.(IC2.GT.5Ø5)) GOTO 1732
687
                  CARGD=CARG/A
688
         1778
                  IF(ABS(CARGD).LE.360.) GOTO 1779
689
                  IF(CARGD.LT.Ø.) CARGD=CARGD+36Ø.
690
                  IF(CARGD.GT.36Ø.) CARGD=CARGD-36Ø.
                  GOTO 1778
691
692
         1779
                  CONTINUE
693
                  PBCARGU(IC2, I)=CARGD
694
                 PEVPH(IC2, I)=VPHASE/1000.
695
                  PBVPA(IC2,I)=VPA/1000.
                  IF(I.EQ.1) TPB(IC2)=T
IF(I.EQ.1) DISTANI(IC2)=PHI(NL)/A
696
697
698
                  IF((I.EQ.1).AND.(S.LT.Ø.)) DISTAN1(IC2)=-1.*PHI(NL)/A
599
                  IT2 = \emptyset
789
                 IF(IRDONE.GT.1Ø) INDEX(I)≈1
7Ø1
                  IF(IRDONE.LE.1Ø) INDEX(I)=Ø
                 CONTINUE
702
         1732
7Ø3
                 IF (T.GT.IØ) GO TO 2Ø9
764
        C
                  TEST FOR DETRAPPING.
                                           IF PARTICLE VEL DIFFERS FROM WAVE VEL BY
        С
705
                 MORE THAN SPECIFIED AMOUNT, NO INTERACTION IS ASSUMED AND ALL
                 PARTICLE PARAMETERS CALC FROM ADIABATIC THEORY
796
727
                  IF (IADIA.EQ.Ø) GO TO 31Ø
703
                     ((VPA*IWD).GT.Ø.AND.IRDONE.GT.Ø.AND.(ABS(VPHASE-VPA)/VPHASE).
7Ø9
                 GE.Ø.2) GO TO 311
719
          319
                 IF (R.LT.(RO+1.E5)) GO TO 201
                 GO TO 11Ø
711
712
          221
                 CONTINUE
713
                 CALL EQCONV
                 IF (IFULL.EQ.Ø) WRITE (6,4000) H,RPHID,S,T,EV,EQALD FORMAT ('LANDING POINT',3X,'H=',E12.5,' KM',3X,'PHI=',F7.3,3X,'S=',E12.5,3X,'T=',F7.4,3X,'ENERGY=',E8.3,'EV',3X,
714
715
         4300
716
717
                 'EQ PITCH ANGLE=', F6.3 )
718
                 GO TO 312
719
          311
                 CALL EQCONV
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IF (IFULL.EQ.Ø) WRITE (6,313) H,RPHID,S,T,EV,EQALD
720
                 FORMAT (' DETRAP POINT',3X,'H=',E12.5,' KM',3X,'PH1=',F7.3,3X,'S=',E12.5,3X,'T=',F7.4,3X,'ENERGY=',E8.3,'EV',3X,'EQ PITCH ANGLE=',F6.3 )
          313
721
722
723
                 IF (IFULL.EQ.1) CALL DFUNC
          312
724
                 IF PARTICLE CROSSES EQUATOR, IRDONE PRINTED HERE IS COUNTED
725
                 FROM EQUATOR CROSSING.
726
                 IF(IFULL.EQ.Ø) WRITE(6.314) BETAD, IRDONE
727
                 FORMAT(' BETA=', F7.2, 5X, 'NO OF RESOMANCES=', 13/)
728
          314
                 ALDC(I)=EQAL
729
                 EVDC(I)=EV
73Ø
                 EOTOT=EOTOT+EVO
731
                 EFTOT=EFTOT+EV
732
                 IF(VPAEQ.LE.VFMIN) VFMIN=VPAEQ
733
                  IF(VPAEO.GE.VFMAX) VFMAX=VPAEQ
7.34
                 IF(EQALD.GT.ALFAHI) ALFAHI=EQALD
735
                 IF(EQALD.LT.ALFALO) ALFALO=EQALD
736
                 JCOUNT=JCOUNT+1
737
                 TTRACE(I)=T
738
          282
                 CONTINUE
739
                 IF (IFULL.EQ.Ø.AND.IDIFF.EQ.1) CALL DIFCO
740
                 IF((ICONT2.EQ.1).AND.(IFULL.EQ.8)) CALL PLOTTING
741
          2Ø3
                 CONTINUE
742
                 CONTINUE
743
          204
          205
                 CONTINUE
744
745
          2Ø6
                 CONTINUE
                 IF (IFULL.EQ.1) CALL SUMARY
746
                 IF(IFULL.EQ.1) WRITE(6.3200) VSTART, VEND, VFMIN, VFMAX FORMAT(//// DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION PARAMETERS'///
747
748
749
         3200
                   SVPAMIN=',E1Ø.4,' SVPAMAX=',E1Ø.4,' FVPAMIN=',E1Ø.4,
FVPAMAX=',E1Ø.4//)
75Ø
                 IF(IFULL.EQ.1) DVPA1=DVPA*1Ø
751
752
                 IF(IFULL.NE.1) GOTO 35Ø4
                 WRITE(6,3300) DVPA,DVPA1
FORMAT(/' INITIAL VEL. BIN=',E10.4,' FINAL VEL. BIN='
753
         33ØØ
754
755
                  ,E1Ø.4)
                 K1=INT((VFMIN-FVPA(1))/DVPA1)+1
756
                 K2=INT((VFMAX-FVPA(1))/DVPA1)+1
757
                 J1=INT(ALMAX*2)+2
758
                 WRITE(6,351Ø) JCOUNT
759
                 IF(JHI.LT.35) GOTO 617
∵6ø
761
                 WRITE(6,35Ø5)
                 FORMAT(/' FINAL DISTRIBUTION (# OF PARTICLES PER CELL)')
762
         3505
                 FORMAT(//// TOTAL NUMBER OF TRACED PARTICLES WAS=',16//)
         351Ø
763
                 DO 35Ø1 K=K1,K2
754
765
                 DO 35Ø2 J=1.J1
                 PITCH=J*Ø.5-Ø.25
766
                 WRITE(6,35Ø3) PITCH,K,KFDIST(J,K)
767
         35Ø2
                 CONTINUE
758
         3551
                 CONTINUE
769
                 FORMAT(F1Ø.4.14. # OF PARTICLES=',14)
77Ø
         35Ø3
771
                 CONTINUE
          617
772
                 WRITE(6,361Ø)
         3612
                 FORMAT(//' INITIAL DISTRIBUTION AFTER SCATTERING'/)
773
                 DO 36Ø3 K=1,2Ø
77.4
775
                 DO 3654 J=1,J1
                  IF(K.GT.(NVG+1)) GOTO 3603
776
777
                  PITCH1=J#Ø.5-Ø.25
778
                 WRITE(6.36Ø5) PITCHI,K,IFDIST(J,K)
779
         36.84
                 CONTINUE
78Ø
         3603
                  CONTINUE
         3695
                  FORMAT(F1Ø.4, I4, ' NUMBER OF PARTICLES=', I4)
731
782
         36.76
                  CONTINUE
                  DIFEN=EFTOT-EOTOT
783
                 WRITE(6,364Ø) DIFEN
FORMAT(/' TOTAL ENERGY EXCHANGE (EV)=',E1Ø.4)
784
785
          364Ø
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786
787
        ,C
                  FULL DISTRIBUTION TABLE
788
789
                  IF((JHI-JLO).GT.32) GOTO 6Ø1
79Ø
                  DO 602 J=1,32,2
791
           692
                  ALFA(J)=J*\varnothing.5-\varnothing.25
                  WRITE(6,693) (ALFA(J),J=1,32,2)
792
                  FORMAT(IH1, 'EQUATORIAL DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION (# OF PARTICLES)'
793
           6Ø3
794
                     VPARALEL (KM/SEC)',50x,' PITCH ANGLE (DEG)'
X,16F6.2/9x,32(' 1'))
795
                  /8X,16F6.2/9X,32( '
796
                  IF(K1.GT.1) K1=K1-1
797
                  IF(K2.LT.4ØØ) K2=K2+1
798
                  DO 6Ø4 K=K1,K2
799
                  VEL=FVPA(K)/1800.
                  DO 606 J=1,33
8ØØ
801
           6Ø6
                  KTEMP(J)=KFDIST(J,K)
                  WRITE(6,605) VEL,(KTEMP(J),J=1,33) FORMAT(1X,F8.0,'--',33(12,''))
832
803
           6Ø5
824
           624
                  CONTINUE
S35
           6Ø1
                  CONTINUE
886
          35Ø4
                  CONTINUE
897
           267
                  CONTINUE
888
                  IF(IGROW.NE.1) GOTO 9003
809
                  WRITE(6,8201)
810
          82Ø1
                  FORMAT(/' WAVE AMPLITUDE DATA')
811
                  WRITE(6,8081) XSTART, XEND, XLEN, XAMPL
FORMAT(/' START=',E12.4,' END=',E12.4,' LENGTH=',F10.3,' AMPL='
         8081
812
813
                  ,E12.4)
                  PHII=PHI(NTOP)/A
814
815
                  PHI2=PHI(NBOT)/A
816
                  WRITE(6,9320) PHI1,PHI2
                  FORMAT( / ' ABSOLUTE VALUES OF STARTING AND ENDING LATITUDE ARE:
817
         9£2Ø
                   ,F1Ø.5,3X,F1Ø.5)
818
819
                  IF(ICONT5.EQ.1) GO TO 9002
820
                  GO TO 9ØØ3
821
         9002
                  CONTINUE
822
                 WRITE(6,9004)
FORMAT(/' WAVE AMPLITUDE DATA')
823
         9ØØ4
                  CO 9005 II=1,3000,10
824
825
                  WRITE(6,9006) II,Z(II),AMPLOW(II),AMPLHI(II)
826
         9206
                 FORMAT(15,3X,3(E12.4,3X))
827
         9005
                  CONTINUE
828
         9033
                  CONTINUE
                 CONTINUE
829
          208
                 GO TO 210 WRITE (6,3001)
FORMAT (///' INTEGRATION TIME EXCEEDS 10 SEC LIMIT')
830
831
          209
832
         3001
833
          210
                  CONTINUE
834
                  STOP
835
                  END
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836
         C
                   SUBROUTINE PLOTTING
837
                   COMMON/BLOCK3/ TC(400,12), CARGU(400,12), VPHA(400,12),
838
                   VPARA(400,12),ENER(850,12),PBCARGU(505,12),PBVPH(505,12),PBVPA(505,12),TMIN,TMAX,TR(12),TTRACE(12),INDEX(12)
839
840
                   ,MLO.MHI.MSTEP.TEN(850),TPB(505),DISTAN(850),DISTAN1(505)
DIMENSION SAVE(350),XX1(850),XX2(400),XX3(400,2),XX4(400),
841
842
843
                   TLO(12), THI(12)
                    TMAXI=Ø.
844
                   DO 1 J=1,12
845
                    IF(TTRACE(J).GT.TMAXI) TMAXI=TTRACE(J)
846
847
                   CONTINUE
                   DO 2 J=1,12
848
                   DO 3 I=1,400
849
85/
                   IF((INT(TC(I,J)*19000)-INT(TR(J)*19200)),EQ.0) INDEX(J)=I
851
                   CONTINUE
              2
                   CONTINUE
852
853
                   WRITE(6,6) TMAXI
                   FORMAT(/// PLOTTING ROUTINE STARTED'// MAXIMUM TRACING TIME=
854
              6
               1
                    .F19.5)
855
                   DO 10 J=1,12
856
                   WRITE(6.11) J,TR(J),TTRACE(J)
FORMAT(' PARTICLE#',12,' FIRST RES.=',F1Ø.5,' END=',F1Ø.5)
857
             10
853
             11
         C
859
860
                   FILL UP ENERGY ARRAY
                   DO 2Ø J=1,12
DO 21 I=1,85Ø
861
862
                   IF(ENER(I,J).LT.\emptyset.) ENER(I,J)=ENER((I-1),J)
863
                   CONTINUE
864
             21
             2Ø
                   CONTINUE
865
         C
866
867
                              SUM ENERGIES FOR ALL PARTICLES
863
         ¢
269
                   DO 22 I=1,85Ø
87Ø
                   TEMP = \mathcal{G}.
871
                   DO 23 J=1,12
                   TEMP=TEMP+ENER(I.J)
872
             23
873
                   ENER(I,1)=TEMP/1900.
874
             22
                   ENER(1,2)=ENER(1,1)/ENER(1,1)
                   WRITE(6,24) ENER(1,1), ENER(850,1)
FORMAT(' TOTAL ENERGY DATA'//' INITAL ENERGY (EV)', E12.4/
' FINAL ENERGY (EV)=', E12.4)
875
876
             24
877
878
879
         C
         C
                   SET UP TIME ARRAY
888
         Č
881
882
                   II = INT(TMAXI*1999/6)+19
                   DO 60 I=1,850
IF(I.LE.II) GOTO 61
883
284
885
                   TEN(I)=1.E36
336
                   ENER(I,1)=1.E36
887
                   ENER(1,2)=1.E36
888
                   GOTO 6Ø
             61
889
                   TEN(I)=I*0.006
89Ø
             6Ø
                   CONTINUE
891
         C
€92
         C
                   PLOT ENERGY VS. TIME (DISTANCE)
893
         C
894
         ¢
895
         C
                   DEFINE CURVE WINDOW
896
         C
897
                   KK=1
898
             50
                   FORMAT(' THIS IS STEP', 13)
299
         C
                   CALL AGSETF('GRID/LEFT.', Ø.10)
CALL AGSETF('GRID/RIGHT.', Ø.90
99ø
9Ø1
                   CALL AGSETF('GRID/RIGHT.',Ø.9Ø)
CALL AGSETF('GRID/BOTTOM.',Ø.1Ø)
932
                   CALL AGSETF('GRID/TOP.',Ø.85)
9Ø3
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984
  9Ø5
            C
                        DEFINE BACKGROUND
            C
  986
  9Ø7
                        CALL AGSETI('BACKGROUND.'.3)
  90'8
            C
  989
            C
                        TURN ON WINDOWING
  910
            C
 911
                        CALL AGSETI('WINDOWING.',1)
            С
 912
                       CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.','L')

CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',180)

CALL AGSETP('LINE/TEXT.',' ENERGY (KEV)S',1)

CALL AGSETF('X/MINIMUM.',00)

CALL AGSETF('X/MAX.',TMAXI)

CALL AGSETI('BOTTOM/MAJOR/TYPE.',1)

CALL AGSETI('BOTTOM/MAJOR/BASE.',0.5)

CALL AGSETI('BOTTOM/MINOR/SPACING',4)
 913
 914
 915
 916
 917
 918
 919
 92Ø
                       CALL AGSETI('BOTTOM/MINOR/SPACING.',4)
 921
           C
 922
                       CALL AGSETF(11HLABEL/NAME.,1HB)
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',-190)
CALL AGSETP(10HLINE/TEXT.,11HTIME (SEC)S,1)
 923
 924
 925
 926
           С
                       LOAD TEMP ARRAYS WITH DATA
 927
                       DO 63 I=1.85Ø
 928
                       XX1(I)=ENER(I,1)
                63
 929
           С
 93Ø
                       CALL EZXY(TEN, XX1, 85Ø, 22HTOTAL ENERGY VS. TIMES)
 931
           С
 932
                       DO 64 I=1,85Ø
 933
               64
                       XX1(I)=ENER(1,2)
 934
           C
                      CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.','L')
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',100)
 935
 936
                       CALL AGSETP('LINE/TEXT.', 'E/EØS',1)
 937
938
           C
939
                      CALL EZXY(TEN, XX1, 850, 27HNORMALIZED ENERGY VS. TIMES)
 940
           C
941
           C
942
           С
                       RESET X AND REDEFINE 'NICE'
943
           C
944
                      CALL AGSETF('X/MAX:',1.E36)
945
                      CALL AGSETI('X/NI.'.3)
946
          C
947
                      PLOT ENERGY VERSUS LATITUDE
948
          C
                      CALL AGSETF('X/MIN.',1.E36)
CALL AGSETF('X/MAX.',1.E36)
CALL AGSETF(11HLABEL/NAME.,1HB)
949
95Ø
951
952
                      CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',-188)
CALL AGSETP(18HLINE/TEXT.,19HLATITUDE (DEGREES)$,1)
953
                      CALL EZXY(DISTAN, XX1, 85¢, 31HNORMALIZED ENERGY VS. LATITUDES)
PLOT RESONANCE DATA
954
955
          C
956
957
                      XMAXI = \emptyset.
958
                      XMINI=1000.
959
                      DO 65 J=1,12
DO 66 I=1,400
IF(TC(I,J).GT.1000.) GOTO 67
96Ø
961
962
              66
                      TC(I,J)=(TC(I,J)-TR(J))*1939.
963
                      THI(J)=TC((I-1),J)
              67
264
                      IF(THI(J).GT.XMAXI) XMAXI=THI(J)
965
                      CONTINUE
965
                      DO 68 J=1,12
967
                      TLO(J)=TC(1,J)
968
                      IF(ABS(TLO(J)).LT.ABS(XMINI)) XMINI=TLO(J)
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WRITE(6,69) J,TLO(J),THI(J)
FORMAT(' RESCNANCE #',I3,'TMIN=',F1$.4,'TMAX=',F1$.4)
 969
              58
 97Ø
              69
                    XMAXI=INT(XMAXI/10.)*10.
 971
 972
                    XMINI=INT(XMINI/10.)*10.
                    IF(ABS(XMINI).GT.200.0) XMINI=-200.0
 973
 974
                    WRITE(6,13Ø) XMINI,XMAXI
                    FORMAT(/' RESONANCE TIME WINDOW'/' TMIN=',F1Ø.4/' TMAX='
 975
             13Ø
                    ,F1Ø.4//)
 976
 977
          ¢
                    SET XMIN AND XMAX
 978
          C
 979
                    CALL AGSETI('X/NI.',-1)
CALL AGSETF('Y/MIN.',Ø.Ø)
CALL AGSETF('Y/MAX.',36Ø.Ø)
 980
 981
 982
                    CALL AGSETI('LEFT/MAJOR/TYPE.',1)
CALL AGSETF('LEFT/MAJOR/BASE.',50.8)
 983
 984
                    CALL AGSETI('LEFT/MINOR/SPACING.',5)
 985
                    CALL AGSETF('X/MI.',XMINI)
CALL AGSETF('X/MA.',XMAXI)
 986
 987
 9889
 989
          C
                    DO PHASE PLOTS
 59Ø
          C
 991
          С
                    CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.','L')
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',198)
 992
 993
                    CALL AGSETP('LIME/TEXT.', 'PHASE (DEGREES)S',1)
 994
 995
          С
                    CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.',1HB)
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',-100)
CALL AGSETP(10HLINE/TEXT.,12HTIME (MSEC)S.1)
 996
 997
 998
 999
1000
                    SET BOTTOM AXIS PARAMETERS
          С
1001
1902
                    CALL AGSETI('BOTTCM/MAJOR/TYPE.',1)
CALL AGSETF('BOTTOM/MAJOR/BASE.',5$\mathcal{g}$)
1603
1624
                    CALL AGSETI('BOTTOM/MINOR/SPACING.',4)
1005
1506
1007
          C
          C
1028
1009
          C
                    DO 103 J=1,12
1010
                    DO 102 I=1,850
1511
                    XX1(I)=1.E36
1512
1Ø13
             182
                    ENER(I,1)=1.E36
1814
                    ICNT=1
                    ENER(ICNT, 1) = CARGU(ICNT, J)
1915
1.016
                    XXI(ICNT)=TC(ICNT,J)
1617
                    ICNT=2
1218
                    DO 104 I=2,400
1.019
                    DIFF=ABS(CARGU((I-1),J)-CARGU(I,J))
                    IF(DIFF.LT.180.0) GOTO 105
1020
                    ENER(ICNT,1)=36Ø.Ø+CARGU(I,J)
1921
1922
                    IF(CARGU(I,J).GT.CARGU((I-1),J)) ENER(ICNT,1)=CARGU
1523
                    (I,J)-36Ø.Ø
1924
                    XX1(ICNT)=TC(I,J)
1225
                    ICNT=ICNT+1
1Ø26
                    ENER(ICNT,1)=1.E36
1027
                    XXI(ICNT)=TC(I,J)
1028
                    ICNT=ICNT+1
1029
                    ENER(ICNT,1)=CARGU((I-1),J)-36\emptyset.\emptyset
                    IF(CARGU(I,J).GT.CARGU((I-1),J)) ENER(ICNT,1)=CARGU((I-1),J)
1030
1031
                    +360.2
1832
                    XX1(ICNT)=TC((I-1).J)
                    ICNT=ICNT+1
1633
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1234
                125
                         ENER(ICNT, 1) = CARGU(I, J)
                         XX1(ICNT)=TC(I,J)
 1835
 1836
                154
                         ICNT=ICNT+1
 1937
                         CALL EZMXY(XXI, ENER, 850, 1,850, 15HPHASE VS. TIMES)
 1038
                103
                         CONTINUE
                         CALL AGSETF('Y/MINIMUM.',1.E36)
CALL AGSETF('Y/MAXIMUM.',1.E36)
 1039
 1848
 1041
 1042
            C
 1943
                        CALL AGSETF('LEFT/MAJOR/TYPE.',1.E35)
CALL AGSETF('LEFT/MAJOR/BASE.',1.E36)
CALL AGSETF('LEFT/MINOR/SPACING.',1.E36)
 1044
 1045
 1946
 1047
 1.048
10749
            C
                        PLOT VP AND VPA VS. TIME
 1252
            c
                        CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.','L')
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',100)
CALL AGSETP('LINE/TEXT.','VELOCITY (KM/SEC)S',1)
 1Ø51
 1552
 1053
 1954
            С
 1.055
                        DO 72 J=1,12
DO 73 I=1,409
1856
                        XX2(I)=TC(I,J)
 1657
 1358
                        XX3(I,1)=VPHA(I,J)
1Ø59
                        XX3(I,2)=VPARA(I,J)
1Ø5Ø
                73
                        CONTINUE
1361
                        CALL EZMXY(XX2,XX3,400,2,400,18HVELOCITY VS. TIMES)
1Ø62
                72
                        CONTINUE
1063
           . C
            C
                        PLOT PHASE BUNCHING SET X, Y AND LABELS
1264
1865
            C
1065
                       CALL AGSETF('Y/MI.',4Ø.Ø)
CALL AGSETF('Y/MA.',32Ø.Ø)
CALL AGSETI('BOTTOM/MAJOR/TYPE.',1)
CALL AGSETF('BOTTOM/MAJOR/BASE.',Ø.Ø5)
1067
1068
1Ø69
1070
                       CALL AGSETI('BOTTOM/MINOR/SPACING.',4)
1871
1872
1.073
                       CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.','L')
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.', 100)
CALL AGSETP('LINE/TEXT.', 'PHASE (DEGREES)S',1)
1074
1975
1975
1277
                       CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.',1HB)
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',-1ØØ)
CALL AGSETP(1ØHLINE/TEXT.,11HTIME (SEC)$,1)
1078
1879
1080
1081
           C
                       DO 45Ø J=1,12
1.082
                       DO 401 I=1.850
IF(1.GT.505) GOTO 402
1883
1884
                       IF(INDEX(J).EQ.3) ENER(I,J)=1.E36
1885
1886
                       IF(INDEX(J).EQ.1) ENER(I,J)=P8CARGU(I,J)
1287
                       GOTO 4Ø3
                       ENER(1,J)=1.E36
1.088
              402
1089
              463
                       CONTINUE
1Ø9Ø
              401
                       CONTINUE
1591
                       CONTINUE
              45.6
1992
                       DO 410 I=1,850
IF(I.LE.505) XX1(I)=TPB(I)
1093
1994
                       IF(I.GT.5Ø5) XXI(I)=1.E36
1395
              418
                       CONTINUE
1996
                       MINT=INIMT
1697
                       TMAXII=TMIN+Ø.1
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1398
                      DO 200 I=1,20
                      IF(TMAXII.GT.TMAXI) GOTO 201
1£99
                     CALL AGSETF('X/MIN.',TMINI)
CALL AGSETF('X/MAX.',TMAXII)
1100
1101
                      CALL EZMXY(XX1, ENER, 850, 12, 850, 15HPHASE VS. TIMES)
1102
                      TMINI=TMINI+9.1
1173
              200
                      TMAXII=TMAXII+Ø.1
1194
                      CONTINUE
1185
             2#1
1106
1107
                      RESET X
1198
           С
                     CALL AGSETF('X/MAX.',TMAX)
CALL AGSETF('X/MIN.',TMIN)
CALL AGSETF('BOTTOM/MAJOR/TYPE.',1.E36)
CALL AGSETF('BOTTOM/MAJOR/BASE.',1.E36)
1109
1110
1111
1112
                      CALL AGSETF('BOTTOM/MINOR/SPACING.',1.36)
1113
           ¢
1114
                      PLOT VPA&VPHASE VS. TIME
           С
1115
1116
                     CALL AGSETF('Y/MI.',1.E36)
CALL AGSETF('Y/MA.',1.E36)
CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.','L')
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',188)
1117
1118
1119
1120
                     CALL AGSETP('LINE/TEXT.','VELOCITY (KM/SEC)$',1)
CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.',1HB)
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',-100)
1121
1122
1123
                      CALL AGSETP(18HLINE/TEXT., 11HTIME (SEC)$,1)
1124
1125
                      DO 11Ø I=1,85Ø
                      IF(I.LE.505) XX1(I)=TPB(I)
1126
                      IF(I.GT.505) XX1(I)=1.E36
1127
                      CONTINUE
1128
              110
1129
                      DO 111 J=1,2
                      DO 112 I=1,85Ø
1130
                      ENER(I,J)=1.E36
              112
.1131
1132
              111
                      CONTINUE
1133
                      DO 113 J=1,12
1134
                      DO 114 I=1,505
ENER(I,1)=PBVPA(I,J)
1135
1136
1137
              114
                      ENER(I,2)=PBVPH(I,J)
                      CALL EZMXY(XX1, ENER, 850, 2, 850, 18HVELOCITY VS. TIMES)
1138
              113
                      CONTINUE
1139
          С
1140
1141
           C
                      PLOT VELOCITY VS. LATITUDE
1142
           č
1143
                      DO 400 I=1,850
IF(I.LE.505) XXI(I)=DISTANI(I)
IF(I.GT.505) XXI(I)=1.E36
1144
1145
1146
              400
                      CONTINUE
1147
                      CALL AGSETF('X/MAX.',1.E36)
CALL AGSETF('X/MIN.',1.E36)
1148
1149
                      CALL AGSETI('X/NI.',5)
115Ø
                      CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.',1HB)
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',-190)
1151
1152
                      CALL AGSETP(10HLINE/TEXT., 19HLATITUDE (DEGREES)$,1)
1153
           C
1154
                      DO 3ØØ J=1,12
1155
1156
                      DO 3Ø1 I=1,5Ø5
                      ENER(I,1)=PBVPA(I,J)
1157
                      ENER(I,2)=PBVPH(I,J)
              3Ø1
1158
                      CALL EZMXY(XX1, ENER, 850, 2, 850, 22HVELOCITY VS. LATITUDES)
1159
1169
              3ØØ
                      CONTINUE
                      CALL AGSETI('X/NI.',-1)
1161
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1162
1163
                    PLOT EACH PHASE CHANGE SEPARATELY
1164
                    CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.','L')
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',190)
CALL AGSETP('LINE/TEXT.','PHASE (DEGREES)S',1)
CALL AGSETF('LABEL/NAME.',1HB)
CALL AGSETI('LINE/NUMBER.',-100)
CALL AGSETP(10HLINE/TEXT.,11HTIME (SEC)S,1)
1165
1166
1167
1158
1139
1170
                    CALL AGSETF('X/MI.',TMIN)
CALL AGSETF('X/MA.',TMAX)
CALL AGSETF('Y/MIN.',Ø.Ø)
CALL AGSETF('Y/MAX.',36Ø.Ø)
1171
1172
1173
1174
                    CALL AGSETI( LEFT/MAJOR/TYPE.
1175
                    CALL AGSETI('LEFT/MAJOR/TYPE.',1)
CALL AGSETF('LEFT/MAJOR/BASE.',63.3)
1176
                    CALL AGSETI('LEFT/MINOR/SPACING.',5)
1177
1178
                    DO 122 J=1,12
                    DO 121 II=1,85Ø
1179
1180
                    XX1(II)=1.E36
1181
             121
                    ENER(II,1)=1.E36
1182
                    ICNT=1
1183
                    ENER(ICNT,1)=PBCARGU(ICNT,J)
1184
                    XX1(ICNT)=TPB(ICNT)
1185
                    ICNT=2
1186
                    DO 123 I=2,505
                    DIFF=ABS(PECARGU((I-1),J)-P8CARGU(I,J))
1187
1188
                    IF(DIFF.LT.18Ø.Ø) GOTO 124
                    ENER(ICNT, 1)=36Ø.+PBCARGU(I,J)
1189
1190
                    IF(PBCARGU(I,J).GT.PBCARGU((I-1),J)) ENER(ICNT,1)=
1191
                    PBCARGU(I,J)-36Ø.Ø
1192
                    XX1(ICNT)=TPB(I)
1193
                    ICNT=ICNT+1
1194
                    ENER(ICNT, 1)=1.E36
1195
                    XXI(ICNT)=TPB(I)
1196
                    ICNT=ICNT+1
1197
                    ENER(ICNT,1)=PBCARGU((I-1),J)-360.0
1198
                    IF(PBCARGU(I,J).GT.PBCARGU((I-1),J)) ENER(ICNT,1)=
1199
                    PBCARGU((I-1),J)+360.0
12.50
                    XX1(ICNT)=TPB(I~1)
12Ø1
                    ICNT=ICNT+1
1247
            124
                    ENER(ICNT,1)=PBCARGU(I,J)
1293
                    XXI(ICNT)=TPB(I)
1294
            123
                    ICNT=ICNT+1
                    CALL AGSETF('Y/MI.',Ø.Ø)
CALL AGSETF('Y/MA.',360.Ø)
1205
1296
1207
                    CALL EZMXY(XX1, ENER, 85ø, 1, 85ø, 15HPHASE VS. TIME$)
1208
                    CONTINUE
            122
12Ø9
                    WRITE(6,1Ø1)
1210
            1Ø1
                    FORMAT(///' ALL DONE II')
1211
                    RETURN
1212
                    END
1213
1214
         C
1215
                    SUBROUTINE EQCONV
1216
         C
                    COMMON DVPA, EQALD, ALGRD, VPA, FVPA(400), SDIST, ALEQ, A, SVPA, FDIST(18
1217
1218
                    Ø,400), EQAL, FPDIST(180), PI, EM, EL, RPHI, VPE, E, EV, KMAX, VMIN, VPMAX,
1219
                    ALMIN.ALMAX,ALDC(12),R,RO.VPAEQ,EPA,EVDC(12),IG,EPAG(3898)
1228
                    SF=SORT(1.+3.*SIN(RPHI)**2)
1221
                    WPA=EM/2.*VPA*VPA
1222
                    WPE=EH/2.*VPE*VPE
                    EV=(WPA+WPE)/E
1223
1224
                    WPEEO=WPE/SF/(RO*EL/R)**3
1225
                    WPAEQ=WPA+WPE-WPEEQ
1226
                    VPAEQ=SORT(2.*WPAEQ/EM)
                    EQAL =ATAN(SQRT(WPEEQ/WPAEQ))
1227
1228
                    EQALD=EQAL/A
1229
                    RETURN
1233
                    END
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1231
         С
                   SUBROUTINE DEUNC
1232
1233
         C
                   COMMON DVPA, EQALD, ALGRD, VPA, FVPA(405). SDIST, ALEQ.A, SVPA, FDIST(18
1234
                   g, 49g), EOAL, FPDIST(18g), PI, EM, EL, RPHI, VPE, E, EV, KMAX, VNIN, VPMAX,
1235
                  ALMIN.ALMAX.ALDC(12),R,RO,VPAEQ.EPA,EVDC(12),IG,EPAG(3550)
1236
                   COMMON/BLOCK1/ KFDIST(180,400), IFDIST(130,20)
1237
         C
                   IDENTIFY SLOT FOR FVPA AND EQALD
1233
                   J = INT(EQALD/Ø.5) + 1
1239
                   ALGRD=J=3.5-0.25
1240
                   K=INT((VPAEQ-FVPA(1))/DVPA/10)+1
1241
                   KFDIST(J,K)=KFDIST(J,K)+1
1242
                   K1 = INT((VPAEQ-VMIN)/DVPA)+1
1243
                   IF((K1.LT.1).OR.(K1.GT.23)) GOTO 4
1244
                   IFDIST(J,K1) = IFDIST(J,K1)+1
1245
                   CONTINUE
1246
                   IF (ALEQ.GE.5.5) SDIST=(COS(ALEQ*A)/SVPA)**4
1247
                      (ALEQ.LT.5.5) SDIST=Ø.
1248
                   FDIST(J,K)=FDIST(J,K)+SDIST/12.*(FVFA(K)/SVPA)**2*SIN(ALGRD*A)
1249
                   /SIN(ALEG*A)*(COS(ALEG*A)/COS(ALGRD*A))**3
1252
                   RETURN
1251
                   END
1252
1253
         С
                   SUBROUTINE SUMARY
1254
1255
                   COMMON DVPA, EQALD, ALGRO, VPA, FVPA(400), SDIST, ALEQ, A, SVPA, FDIST(18
1256
                   Ø,45Ø),EQAL, FPDIST(18Ø), PI, EM, EL, RPHI, VPE, E, EV, KMAX, VMIN, VPMAX,
1257
                   ALMIN, ALMAX, ALDC(12), R, RO, VPAEQ, EPA, EVDC(12), IG, EPAG(3898)
1258
                   COMMON/BLOCK2/ SFDIST(180), IIAS, IIAF, NVG, ALFALO, ALFAHI
1259
                    ALFA(35),JLO,JHI,
125Ø
                   EMIN=EM/2.*VMIN*VMIN
1261
                   EMAX=EM/2.*VPMAX*VPMAX
1262
                   EFMIN=EM/2.*FVPA(1)*FVPA(1)
1253
                   EFMAX=EM/2.*FVPA(KMAX)*FVPA(KMAX)
1264
                   EVMIN=EMIN/E
1265
                   EVMAX=EMAX/E
1266
                   EVFMIN=EFMIN/E
1267
                   EVFMAX=EFMAX/E
1268
1269
                   IF( IG .NE. 1 ) WRITE(6,53)EPA
                   IF(IG .EQ. 1) WRITE(6,51) EPAG(1)
FORMAT(1H1,' EQ PAR E FIELD FOR GENDRIN MODE=',E1Ø.4,' V M-1'//)
FORMAT (IH1,' PARALLEL WAVE ELECTRIC FIELD=',E1Ø.4,' VOLT M-1'//)
1270
             51
1271
1272
             5Ø
                   WRITE (6,6)
FORMAT (' INTEGRATION RANGE'//)
1273
              6
1274
                   WRITE (6,5) VMIN, EMIN, EVMIN FORMAT ('MIN INITIAL VEL=',E18.4,' M SEC-1',3X,E18.4,' JOULES',
1275
1276
                   3X,Eig.4,' EV'/)
1277
                1
                   WRITE (6,4) VPMAX, EMAX, EVMAX FORMAT (' MAX INITIAL VEL=', E1Ø.4,' M SEC-1', 3X, E1Ø.4,' JOULES',
1278
1279
                   3X,E1Ø.4,' EV'/)
1280
                1
                   WRITE (6,3) FVPA(1), EFMIN, EVFMIN FORMAT ('MIN FINAL VEL=', E1g.4,' M SEC-1', 3X, E1g.4,' JOULES',
1231
1282
               3
                   3X,E12.4,' EV'/)
1233
                1
                   WRITE (6,2) FVPA(KMAX), EFMAX, EVFMAX FORMAT (' MAX FINAL VEL='.E1Ø.4.' M
1284
                               MAX FINAL VEL=',EIG.4,' M SEC-1',3X,EIG.4,' JOULES',
              2
1285
                   3X,E1Ø.4,' EV'/)
1236
                   WRITE (6,1) ALMIN, ALMAX FORMAT ('INITIAL PITCH ANGLE RANGE=',2F6.2,3X,' DEGREES'/)
1237
1288
                   DO 6Ø J=1,18Ø
1289
1299
                   SFDIST(J)=\emptyset.
                   FPDIST(J)=Ø.
1291
             EØ
1292
                   DO 11 J=1,18Ø
1293
                   CO 10 K=1,KMAX
                   FPDIST(J)=2.*PI*FDIST(J,K)*FVPA(K)**2*DVPA*1Ø+FPDIST(J)
1294
             13
1295
                   CONTINUE
             11
                   K4=NVG+1
1296
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1297
                    DO 100 J=IIAS, IIAF
1298
                    PITCHS=J*Ø.5+5.25
1299
                    DO 101 K=1.K4
1322
                    IF(PITCH3.GT.5.5) DIST=(COS(PITCH3*A)/(VMIN+DVPA*(K-1)))**4
1301
                    IF(PITCH3.LE.5.5) DIST=Ø.
1382
                    SFDIST(J+11)=2.*PI*DIST*(VMIN+DVPA*(K-1))**2*DVPA+SFDIST(J+11)
1303
            121
                    CONTINUE
1394
                    CONTINUE
            100
                    FINAL PITCH ANGLE DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION WRITE (6,20)
13Ø5
          C
13Ø6
                    FORMAT(///' FINAL PITCH ANGLE DISTRIBUTION'//' PITCH ANGLE',5X, 'NORM DIST FUNCT',8X,'INIT NORM DIST FUNCT'//)
JLO=INT(ALFALO*2)
1327
             2Ø
13Ø8
13Ø9
1310
                    JHI=INT(ALFAHI*2)+1
1311
                    IF((IIAS+11).LT.JLO) JLO=IIAS+11
1312
                    IF(JHI.LT.(IIAF+11)) JHI=IIAF+11 **
1313
                    DO 21 J=JLO,JHI
                    ALGRD=J*Ø.5-Ø.25
1314
                    WRITE(6,22) ALGRD, FPDIST(J), SFDIST(J)
FORMAT(F7.2,8X,E12.4,8X,E12.4)
1315
             21
1316
             22
1317
          C
                    PRECIPITATED PARTICLE AND ENERGY FLUX
                    JLOSS=INT(5.25/Ø.5)+1
1318
1319
                    PFLUX=Ø.
1328
                    EFLUX=Ø.
                   DO 31 J=1.JLOSS
DO 30 K=1.KMAX
1321
1322
                   EQAL=(J*Ø.5-Ø.25)*A
1323
1324
                    ACCUM=FDIST(J,K)*FVPA(K)**2*SIN(EQAL)/COS(EQAL)**3*DVPA
1325
                   *19*J.5*A
                    PFLUX=PFLUX+ACCUM
1325
                   EFLUX=EFLUX+ACCUM*Ø.5*EM*(FVPA(K)/CCS(EQAL))**2
1327
             3Ø
1328
             31
                   CONTINUE
1329
         C
                   CONVERT FLUXES TO ICNOSPHERIC VALUES AT 100 KM
                   PHII=ATAN(SQRT(6370.*EL/6470.-1.))
133Ø
1331
                    FAC=SQRT(1.+3.*SIN(PHII)**2)*EL**3
1332
                   PFLUX=PFLUX*FAC
1333
                   EFLUX=EFLUX*FAC
1334
                   EVFLUX=EFLUX/E
                   WRITE (6,40) PFLUX, EFLUX, EVFLUX
FORMAT (//' PRECIPITATION FLUX=', E10.4,' M-2 SEC-1'//' ENERGY FLUX
='.E10.4,' JOULE M-2 SEC-1 OR ', E10.4,' EV SEC-1')
1335
1336
             48
1337
1338
                   FLUXES ARE NORMALIZED TO F=V**-4
1339
                   RETURN
1348
                   END
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C
1341
                       SUBROUTINE DIFCO
1342
1343
                      COMMON DVPA.EQALD.ALGRD.VPA.FVPA(499),SDIST.ALEQ.A.SVPA.FDIST(18
9,499).EQAL.FPDIST(189),PI.EM.EL.RPHI.VPE.E.EV.KMAX,VMIN.VPMAX,
ALMIN.ALMAX.ALDC(12).R.RO.VPAEQ.EPA.EVDC(12),IG.EPAG(3999)
1344
1345
1346
                       ALDC IS IN RADIANS, ALEQ IN DEG
1347
           C
                       S = \emptyset
1348
                       S2=Ø
1349
                       CS=Ø
135.9
                       CS2=Ø
1351
                       SS≕Ø
1352
                       SCS=Ø
1353
1354
                       SE=Ø.
                       DO 10 I=1,12
1355
                       S=S+(ALDC(I)-ALEQ*A)/12.
1356
                       S2=S2+(ALDC(I)-ALEQ*A)**2/12.
1357
                       CS=CS+(COS(ALDC(I))-COS(ALEQ*A))/12.
1358
                       CS2=CS2+(COS(ALDC(I))-COS(ALEQ*A))**2/12.
                12
1359
                       SD=S/A
1365
                       S2=SORT(S2)/A
1361
                      WRITE(6,20) S,SD,S2,CS,CS2
FORMAT(//' DEL AL=',E10.4,' RAD OR ',F8.3,' DEG',3X,'DEL AL R
MS=',E10.4,' DEG',3X,'DEL COS AL=',E10.4,3X,'DEL COS AL SQ=',
E10.4)
1262
                2Ø
1363
1364
1365
                       DO 11 I=1,12
1366
                       SS=SS+(ALDC(I)-S-ALEQ*A)**2/12.
SCS=SCS+(COS(ALDC(I))-COS(S+ALEQ*A))**2/12.
1357
1368
                11
                       SS=SQRT(SS)/A
1369
                       WRITE (6,21) SS,SCS FORMAT (' REFERENCE CHANGED TO AVE SCATTERED PITCH ANGLE',5X,
137Ø
1371
                21
                       'DEL AL RMS=', E1Ø.4,5X, 'DEL AL COS SQ=', E12.4)
1372
                       DO 38 I=1.12
SE=SE+EVDC(I)/12.
1373
                3Ø
1374
                       WRITE(6,31) SE
FORMAT(' AVE FINAL ENERGY=',E12.6,' EV')
1375
1375
1377
                31
                       RETURN
1378
                       END
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