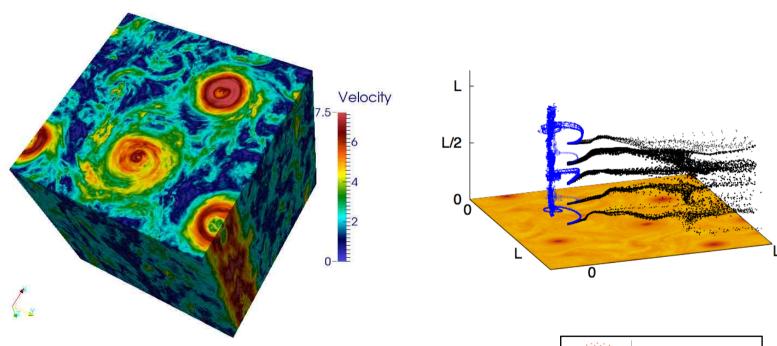
TURBULENT AT HIGH AND LOW ROTATION RATES: EULERIAN AND LAGRANGIAN STATISTICS



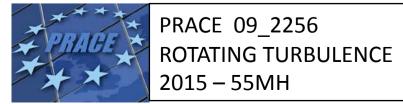
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THIS IS A STUDY ABOUT HIGH ORDER VELOCITY STRUCTURE FUNCTIONS AND VELOCITY PROBABILITY DENSITY FUNCTIONS IN TURBULENT ROTATING FLOW, TURBULENCE AND WAVES IN ROTATING THANK AND VORTICITY IN ROTATING FLUIDS:

High-order velocity structure functions in turbulent shear flows

F Anselmet, Y Gagne, El Hopfinger - J. Fluid Mech. 1984 - Cambridge Unix Press
Abstract: Measurements are presented of the velocity structure function on the axis of a
turbulent jet at Reynolds numbers R, Q 852 and in a turbulent duct flow at R,= 515. Moments
of the structure function up to the eighteenth order were calculated, primarily with a view to

Velocity probability density functions of high Reynolds number turbulence

B Castaing, Y Gagne, EI Hopfinger - Physica D: Nonlinear Phenomena, 1990 - Elsevier Abstract: This paper deals with the probability density function (PDF) of velocity differences between two points separated by distance r. Measurements of PDFs were made, for r lying in the inertial range, for two different flows: in a jet with R λ = 852 and in a wind tunnel with ...

Turbulence and waves in a rotating tank

El Hopfinger, FK Browand - Journal of Fluid Mech. 1982 - Cambridge Univ Press

Abstract A turbulent field is produced with an oscillating grid in a deep, rotating tank. Near
the grid, the Rossby number is kept large, 0 (3-33), and the turbulence is locally unaffected
by rotation. Away from the grid, the scale of the turbulence increases, the rms turbulent ...

Vortices in rotating fluids

El Hopfinger, G Heijst - Annual review of fluid mechanics, 1993

Abstract: The emergence of coherent vortex structures is a characteristic feature of quasigeostrophic or two-dimensional turbulence and because of their relevance to large-scale geophysical flows, the dynamics of these structures has been studied increasingly over the past ...

NAVIER STOKES EQS IN A ROTATING FRAME (NO BOUNDARIES)

DNS: A. Pouquet, P. Mininni, A. Alexakis, S. Chen, G. Eyink

$$\partial_t \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{\Omega} \times \mathbf{v} = \nabla P + \nu \nabla^2 \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{F} - \alpha \mathbf{v}$$

$$\Omega$$
 =rotation

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 =rotation $P = P_0 + rac{1}{2} |oldsymbol{\Omega} imes \mathbf{r}|^2$

F-large scale Forcing

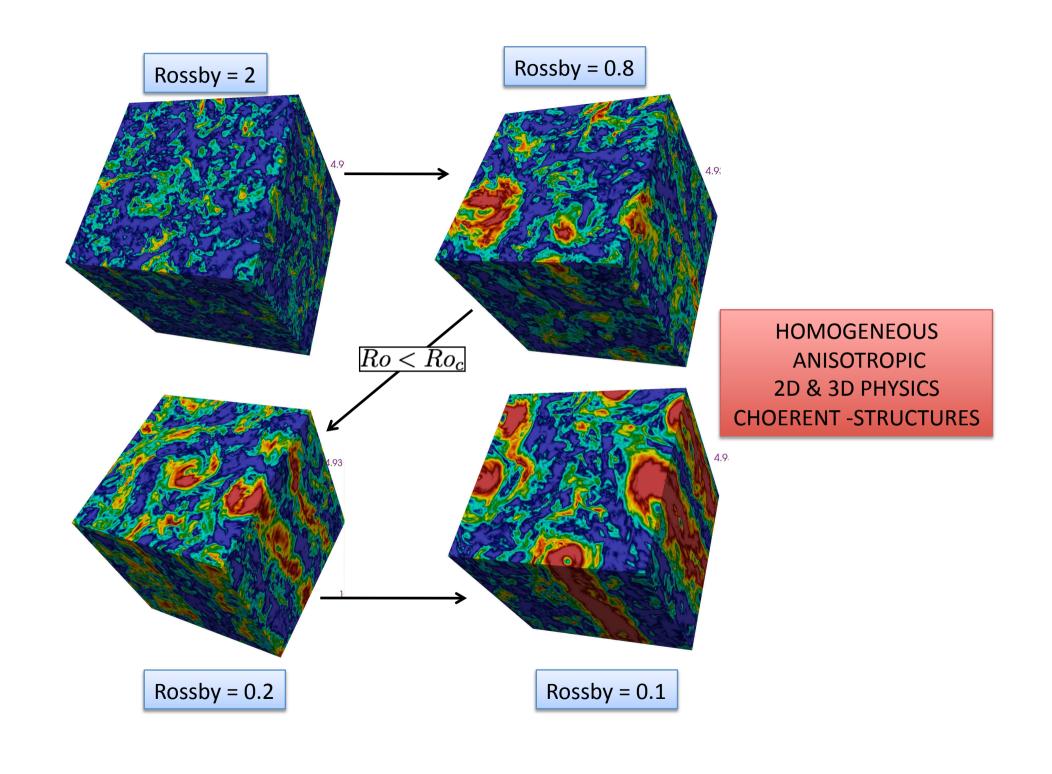
 $\alpha = \text{large scale energy sink}$

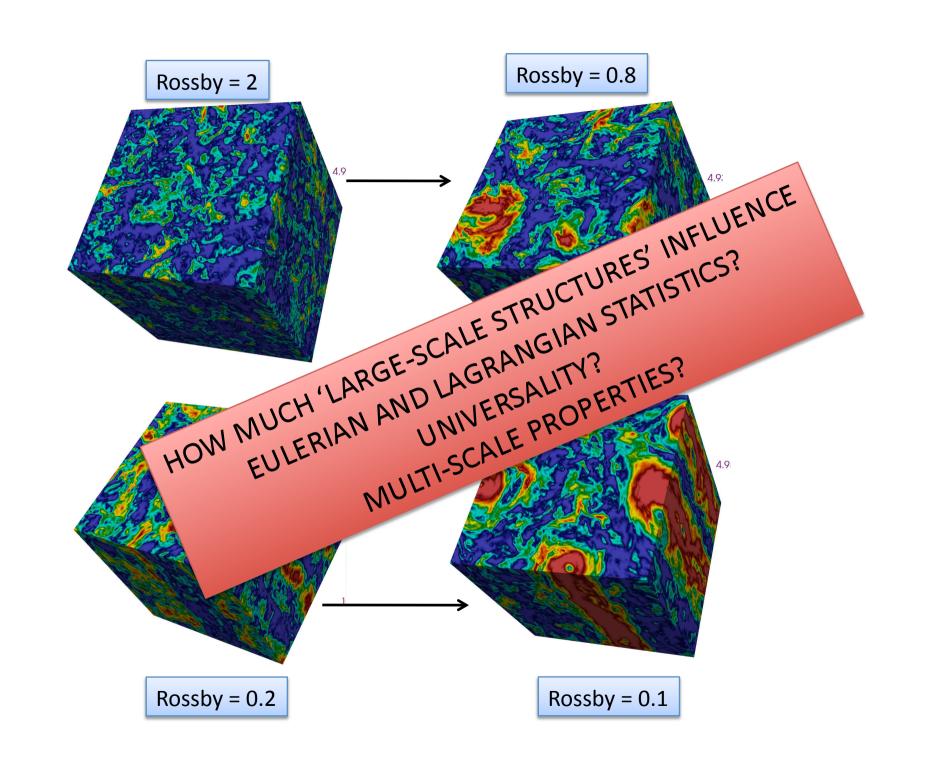
ROSSBY NUMBER ~ NON-LINEAR/ROTATION

Ro
$$\sim \frac{v_0}{\Omega L_0}$$

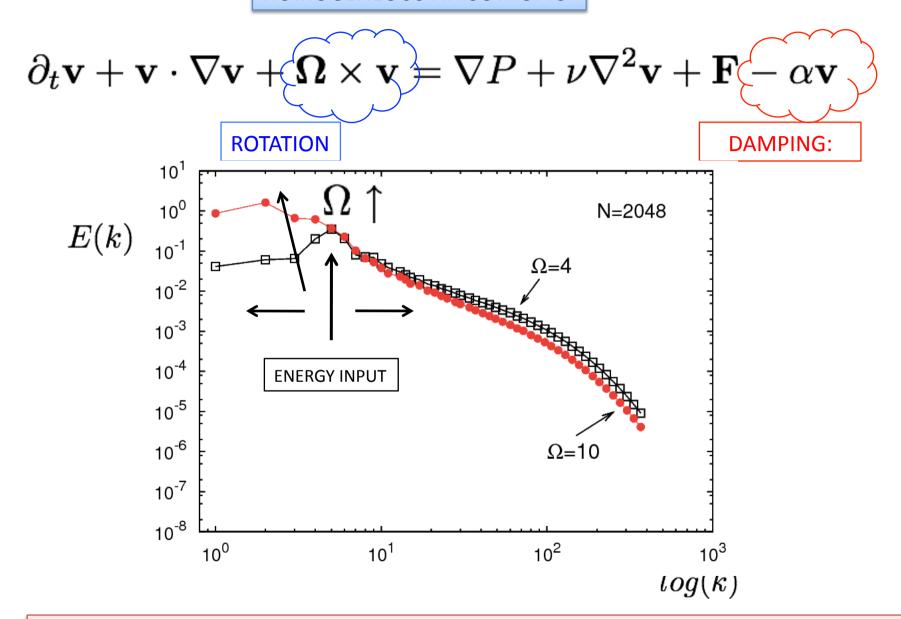
$$\mathrm{Ro} \geq Ro_c o$$
 forward energy transfer

$$\mathrm{Ro} < Ro_c
ightarrow$$
 forward & backward energy transfer





HOMOGENEOUS-ANISOTROPIC



FORCING: 2°-order OU-PROCESSS: ISOTROPIC, HOMOGENEOUS NOT DELTA-CORRELATED

Transfer of energy to two-dimensional large scales in forced, rotating three-dimensional turbulence

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$$\mathbf{u}(\mathbf{k}) = u^{+}(\mathbf{k})e^{+it\omega^{+}(\mathbf{k})}\mathbf{h}^{+}(\mathbf{k}) + u^{-}(\mathbf{k})e^{+it\omega^{-}(\mathbf{k})}\mathbf{h}^{-}(\mathbf{k})$$

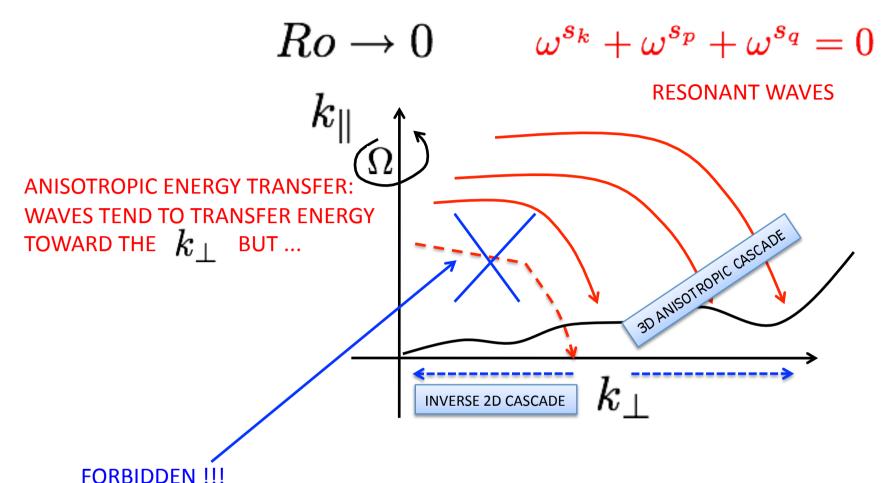
$$im{k} imesm{h}^{\pm}=\pm km{h}^{\pm} \qquad \omega^{\pm}(\mathbf{k})=\pm 2\Omegarac{k_z}{k}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}u^{s_k}(\mathbf{k}) + \nu k^2 u^{s_k}(\mathbf{k}) = \sum_{\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{q}=0} \sum_{s_p,s_q} g_{\mathbf{k},\mathbf{p},\mathbf{q}}(s_p p - s_q q)$$

$$e^{i(\omega^{s_k} + \omega^{s_p} + \omega^{s_q})t/Ro} \times [u^{s_p}(\mathbf{p})u^{s_q}(\mathbf{q})]^*. \tag{15}$$

TRIADIC WAVE-INTERACTIONS

$$\begin{array}{c}
\omega^{s_k} + \omega^{s_p} + \omega^{s_q} = 0 \\
Ro \to 0
\end{array}$$



NO DIRECT TRANSFER FROM 3D RESONANT WAVES TO 2D MODES

THERE EXISTS A BUFFER REGION IN THE K-SPACE CLOSE TO THE 2D MODES WHERE TRIADIC RESONANT WAVES ARE LESS AND LESS EFFICIENT:

- -) O(Ro) INTERACTIONS
- -) QUARTET-INTERACTIONS
- -) TURBULENCE

1 WHAT ARE THE INTERACTIONS/MECHANISMS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INVERSE ENERGY CASCADE, 2D-3D?

2. WHAT ABOUT THE SCALL-SCALES VELOCITY STATISTICS IN PRESENCE OF A LARGE SCALE INVERSE ENERGY TRANSFER: EFFECTS OF CHOERENT VORTEX STRUCTURES

OUR DNS DATA-BASE (EULERIAN + LAGRANGIAN)

NEW FEATURES:

- 1) IDEAL FORCING MECHANISM (AS NEUTRAL AS POSSIBLE: ISOTROPIC; NON HELICAL, TIME-COLORED) + LARGE SCALE FRICTION
- 2) UNPRECEDENTED NUMERICAL RESOLUTION/SCALE SEPARATION (UP TO 4096^3)
- 3) LAGRANGIAN STATISTICS (MILLIONS OF TRACERS AND INERTIAL PARTICLES)

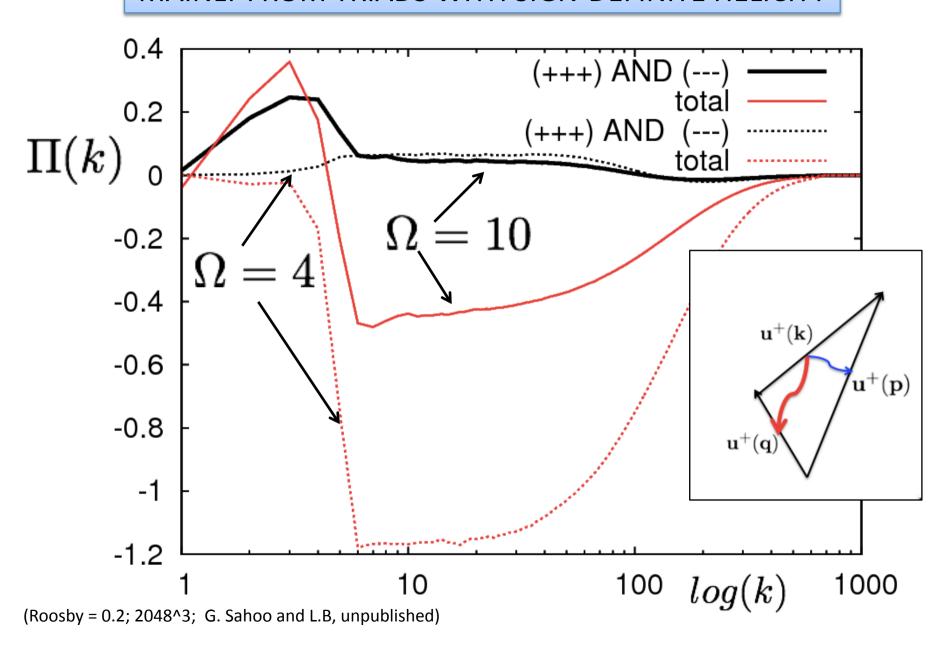
N	Ω	ν	ϵ	ϵ_f	u_0	η/dx	$ au_{\eta}/dt$	Re_{λ}	Ro	f_0	$ au_f$	T_0	α
1024	4	7×10^{-4}	1.2	1.2	1.05	0.67	120	150	0.78	0.02	0.023	0.17	0.0
1024	10	6×10^{-4}	0.46	0.59	1.6	0.76	294	580	0.24	0.02	0.023	0.25	0.1
2048	4	$2.8 imes 10^{-4}$	1.2	1.2	1.05	0.67	380	230	0.76	0.02	0.023	0.17	0.0
2048	10	2.2×10^{-4}	0.45	0.64	1.7	0.72	550	1170	0.25	0.02	0.023	0.3	0.1
4096	10	1×10^{-4}	0.46	0.65	1.7	0.78	1010	1600	0.25	0.02	0.023	0.3	0.1

TABLE I: Eulerian dynamics parameters. N: number of collocation points per spatial direction; Ω : rotation rate; ν : kinematic viscosity; $\epsilon = \nu \int d^3x \sum_{ij} (\nabla_i u_j)^2$: viscous energy dissipation; $\epsilon_f = \int d^3x \sum_i f_i u_i$: energy injection; $u_0 = 1/3 \int d^3x \sum_i u_i^2$: mean kinetic energy; $\eta = (\nu^3/\epsilon)^{1/4}$: Kolmogorov dissipative scale; $dx = L_0/N$: numerical grid spacing; $L_0 = 2\pi$: box size; $\tau_{\eta} = (\nu/\epsilon)^{1/2}$: Kolmogorov dissipative time; $Re_{\lambda} = (u_0\lambda)/\nu$: Reynolds number based on the Taylor micro-scale; $\lambda = (15\nu u_0^2/\epsilon)^{1/2}$: Taylor micro-scale; $Ro = (\epsilon_f k_f)^{1/3}/\Omega$: Rossby number defined in terms of the energy injection properties, where $k_f = 5$ is the wavenumber where the forcing is acting; f_0 : intensity of the Ornstein-Uhlenbeck forcing; τ_f : decorrelation time of the forcing; $T_0 = u_0/L_0$: Eulerian large-scale eddy turn over time; α : coefficient of the damping term $\alpha\Delta^{-1}u$.

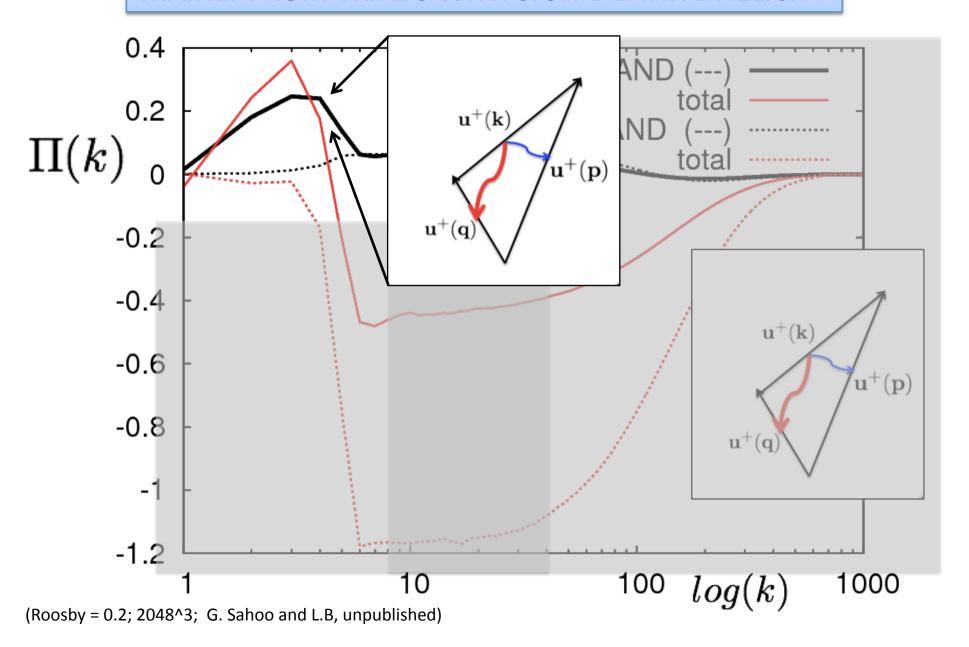
MAX RESOLUTION

$$\partial_t \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{\Omega} \times \mathbf{v} = \nabla P + \nu \nabla^2 \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{F} - \alpha \mathbf{v}$$

CONTRIBUTION TO THE INVERSE ENERGY FLUX MAINLY FROM TRIADS WITH SIGN-DEFINITE HELICITY



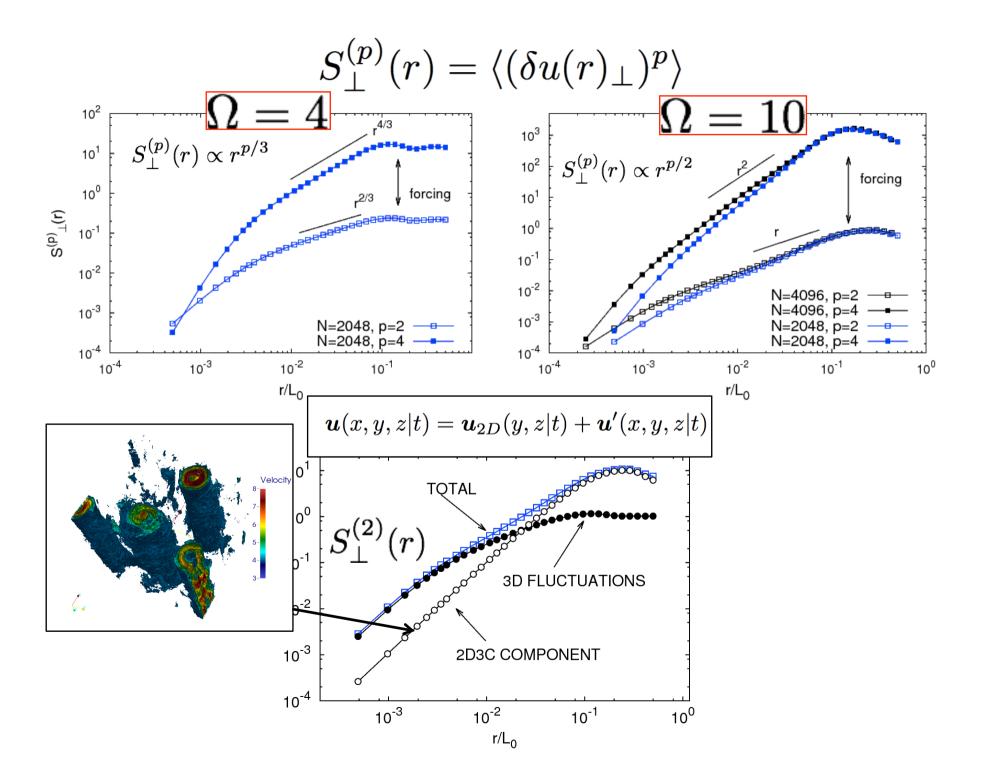
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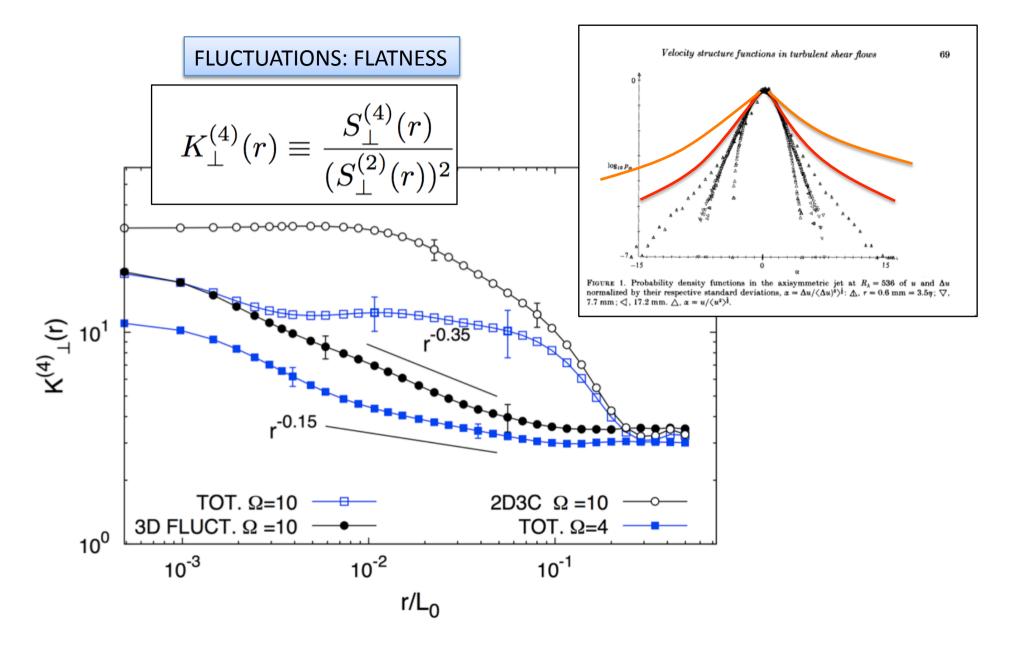


$$\begin{cases} E = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} |u^{+}(\mathbf{k})|^{2} + |\mathbf{v}^{-}(\mathbf{k})|^{2}; \\ H = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} k(|u^{+}(\mathbf{k})|^{2} - |\mathbf{u}^{-}(\mathbf{k})|^{2}). \end{cases}$$

$$\downarrow 0^{-1} \\ \downarrow 10^{-2} \\ \downarrow 10^{-3} \\ \downarrow 10^{-4} \\ \downarrow 10^{-5} \\ \downarrow 10^{-5} \\ \downarrow 10^{-1} \\ \downarrow 10$$

L.B., S. MUSACCHIO & F. TOSCHI Phys. Rev. Lett. 108 164501, 2012.

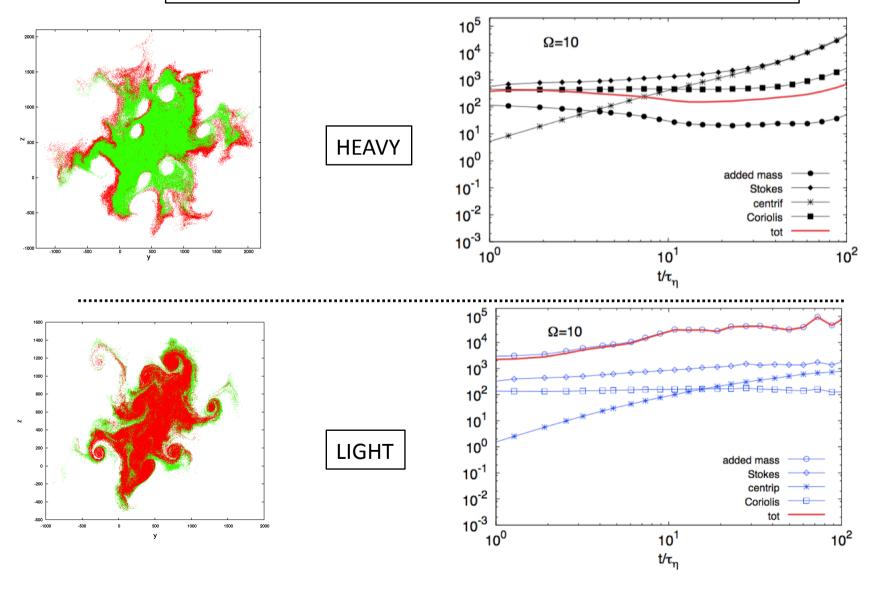




- NON-GAUSSIAN PROPERTIES DEPEND ON THE WAY YOU DECOMPOSE THE FIELD
- AFTER FILTERING THE 2D3C COMPONENT: SCALING PROPERTIES ARE BACK (BUT NOT HIT!)

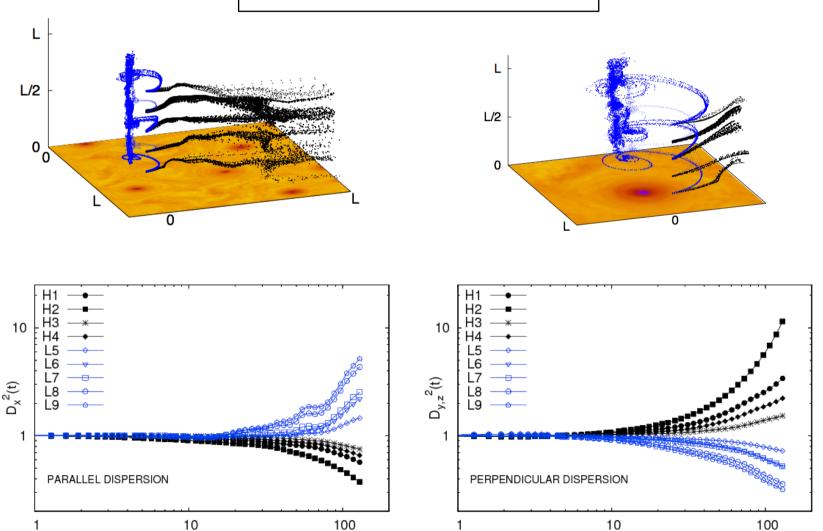
RMS FORCES ALONG TRAJECTORIES

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = \beta \frac{D\mathbf{u}}{Dt} - \frac{1}{\tau_p} (\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{u}) + 2(\mathbf{v} - \beta \mathbf{u}) \times \mathbf{\Omega} - (1 - \beta)\mathbf{\Omega} \times (\mathbf{\Omega} \times \mathbf{r})$$



INERTIA: SINGULAR EFFECT ON SINGLE PARTICLE DISPERSION

$$D_{St,\beta}^{i}(t) = \frac{\langle (r_t^i - r_0^i)^2 \rangle_{St,\beta}}{\langle (r_t^i - r_0^i)^2 \rangle_{tracer}}$$



CONCLUSIONS

-HIGH RESOLUTION ROTATING TURBULENCE: FIRST ATTEMPT TO CONTROL SIMULTANEOUSLY EULERIAN & LAGRANGIAN STATISTICS

-IDEAL SET-UP (1): HOMOGENEOUS AND ISOTROPIC TIME-COLORED FORCING

-IDEAL SET-UP (2): SCALE-SEPARATION

-STRONG INFLUENCE OF LARGE-SCALE (NON-UNIVERSAL?) VORTICAL STRUCTURES

-DEPARTURE FROM GAUSSIANITY (DEPENDING ON HOW YOU MEASURE IT: 2D3C-3D3D)

-EFFECTS OF LARGE-SCALE STRUCTURES ON PARTICLES' DISPERSION

