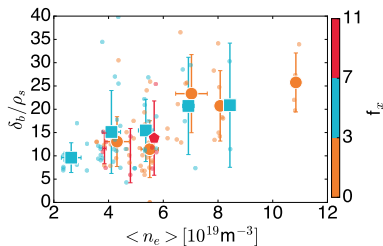




On Filamentary Transport in the TCV Tokamak: Addressing the Role of the Parallel Connection Length



- Filament size increase with $\langle n_e \rangle$ in TCV Ohmic discharges
- The trend does not exhibit dependence on flux expansion f_x

- Density scale length $\langle \lambda_n \rangle$ scale with

$$\Theta = \left(\frac{\delta_b R^{1/5}}{L_{\parallel}^{2/5} \rho_s^{4/5}} \right)^{5/2}$$

i.e. λ_n depends on blob size.

Weak dependence on L_{\parallel}

