

A Simulator for the LWA

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Outline

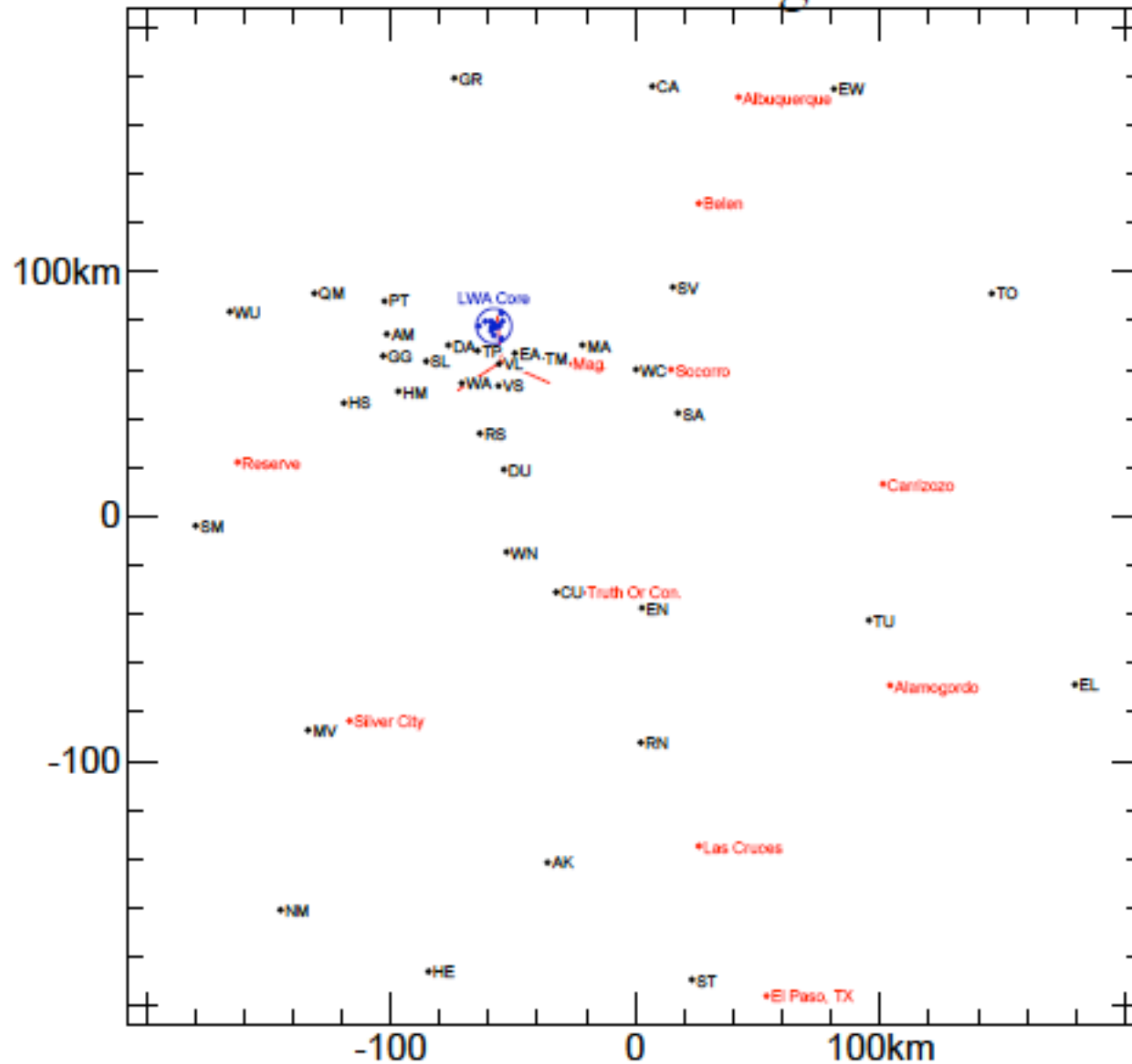
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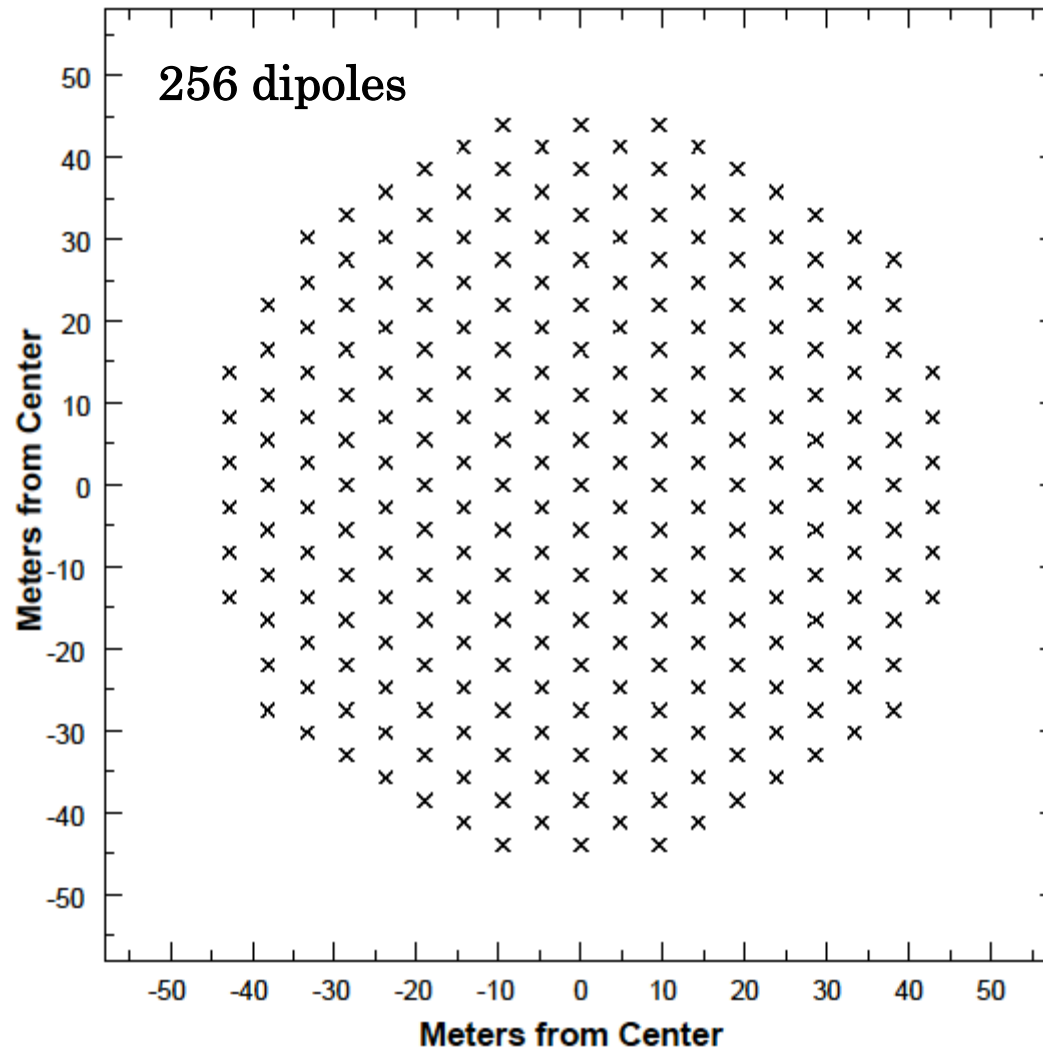
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LWA Station Configuration



(Aaron Cohen LWA Memo Series [55])

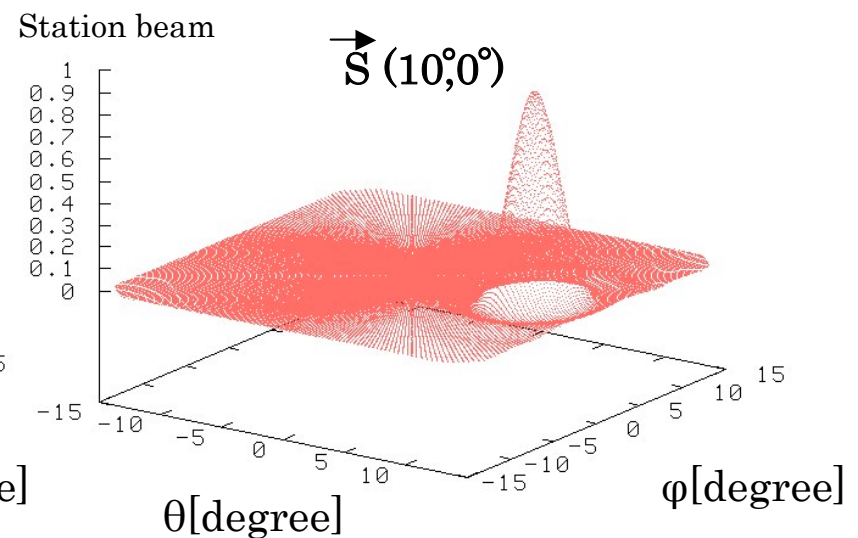
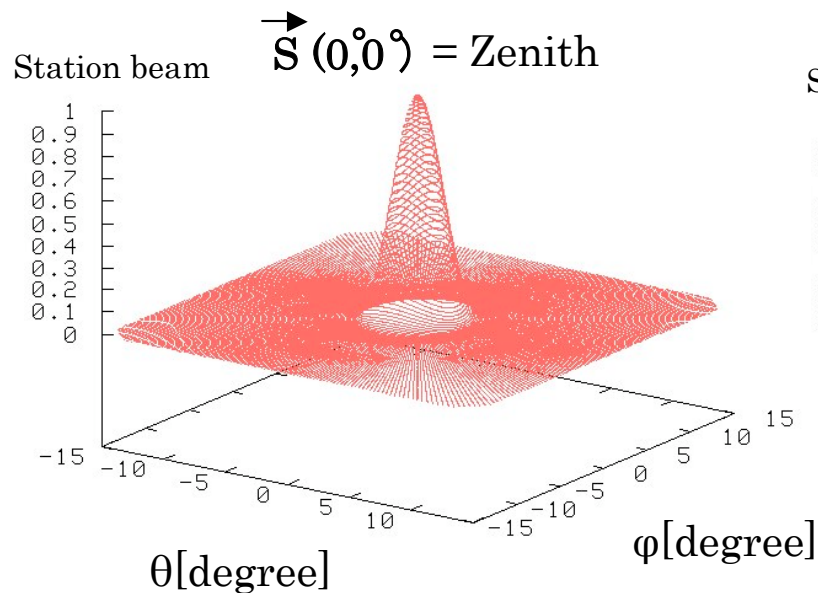


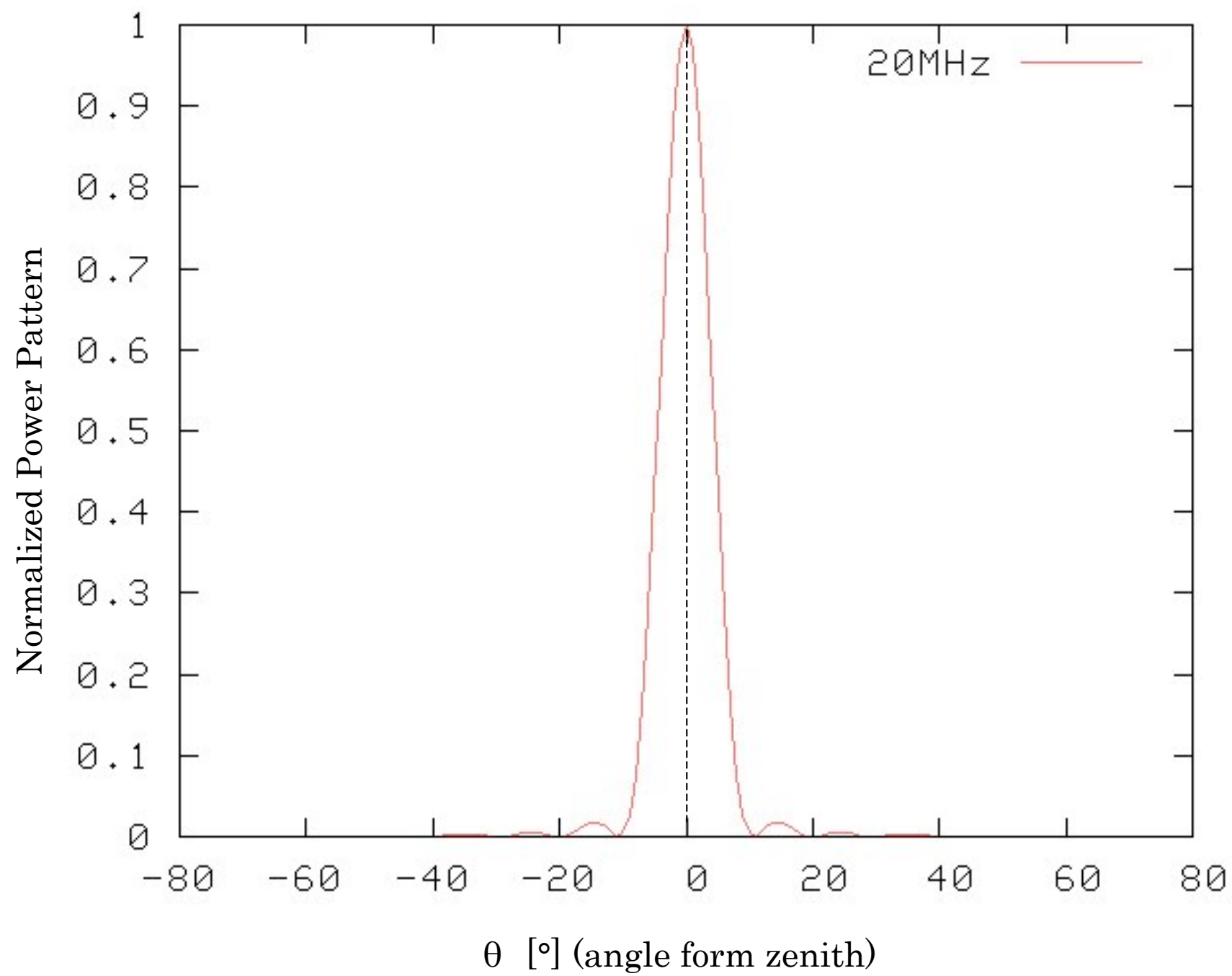
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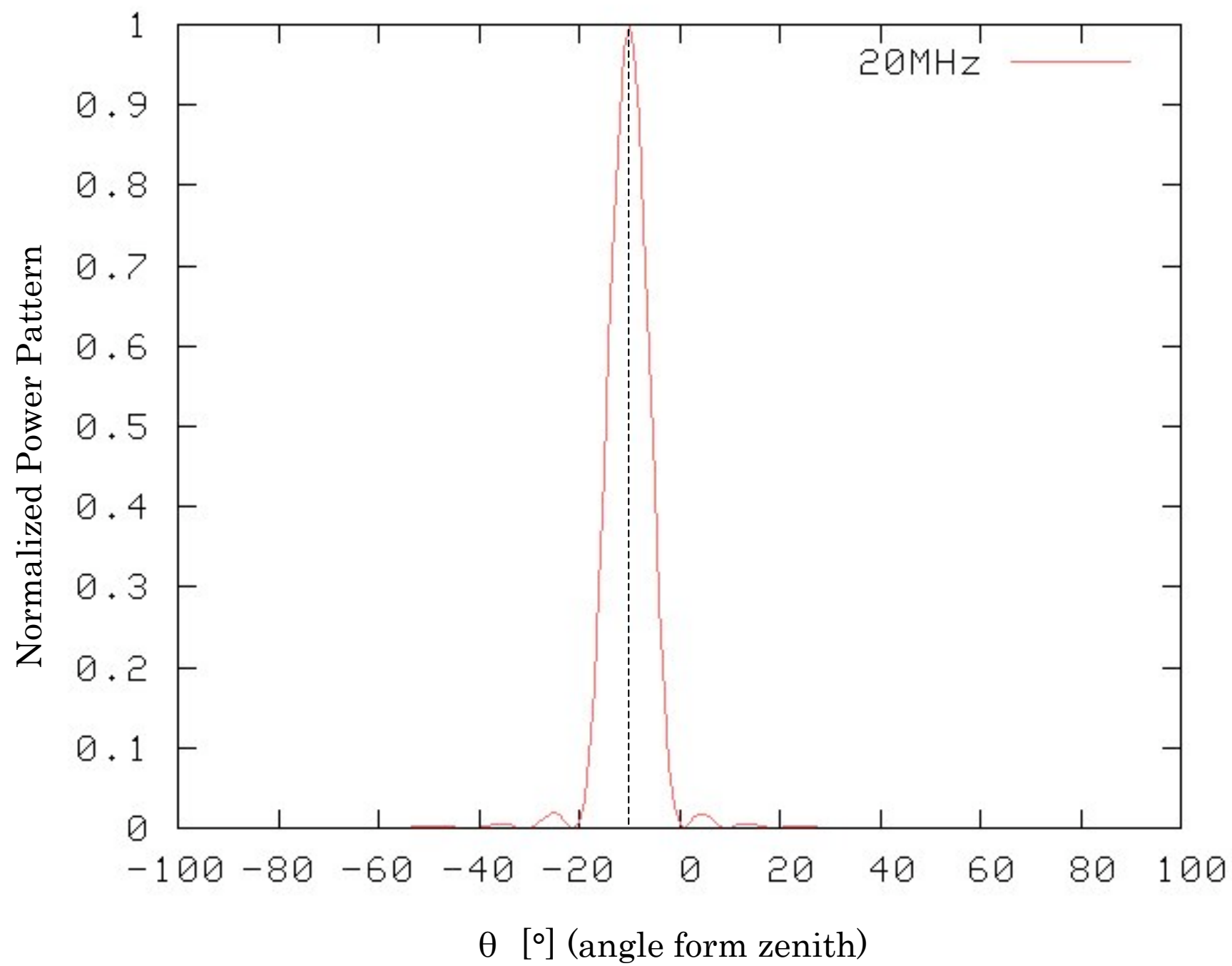
Simulation model for a station beam

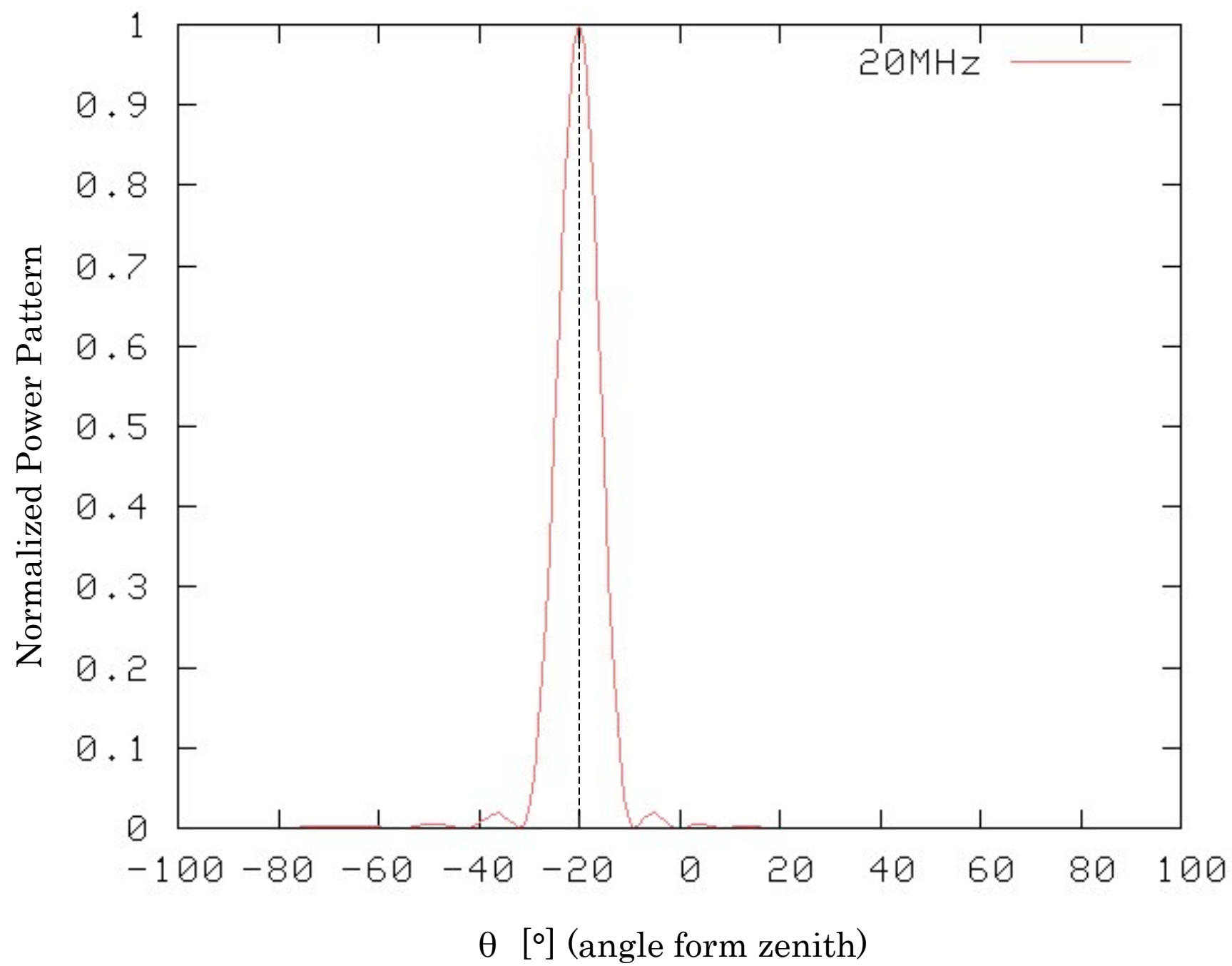
$$E(\theta, \varphi) = \sum_{j=0}^{255} \text{Gaussian}(\theta, \varphi) \exp(iP_j) \exp(i\Psi_j - i\Phi_j) + N_{\text{noise}}$$

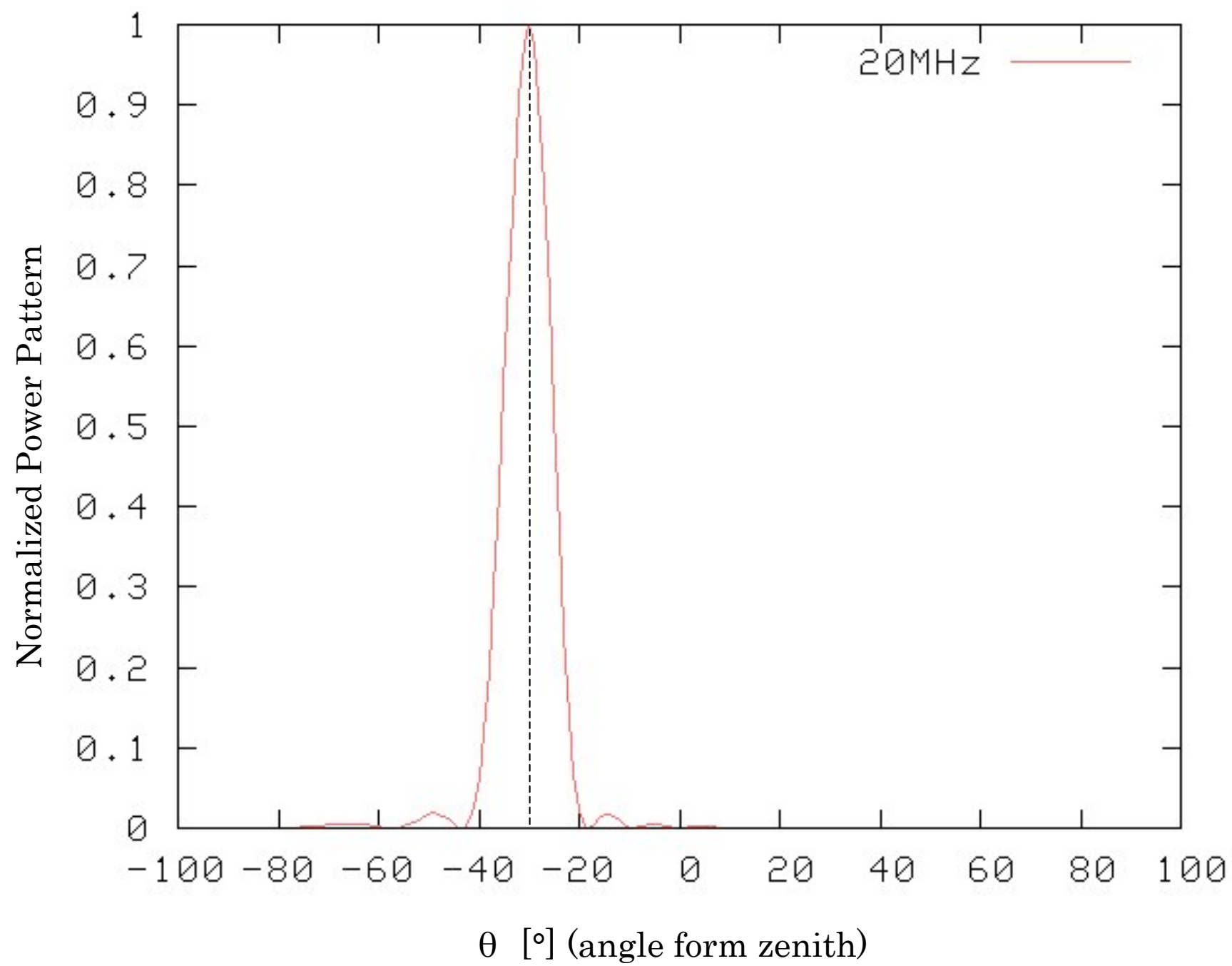
$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Gaussian}(\theta, \varphi) = \text{individual primary beam} \\ \Psi_j = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} (\vec{D}_j \cdot \vec{u}) \\ \Phi_j = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} (\vec{D}_j \cdot \vec{S}) \end{array} \right)$$

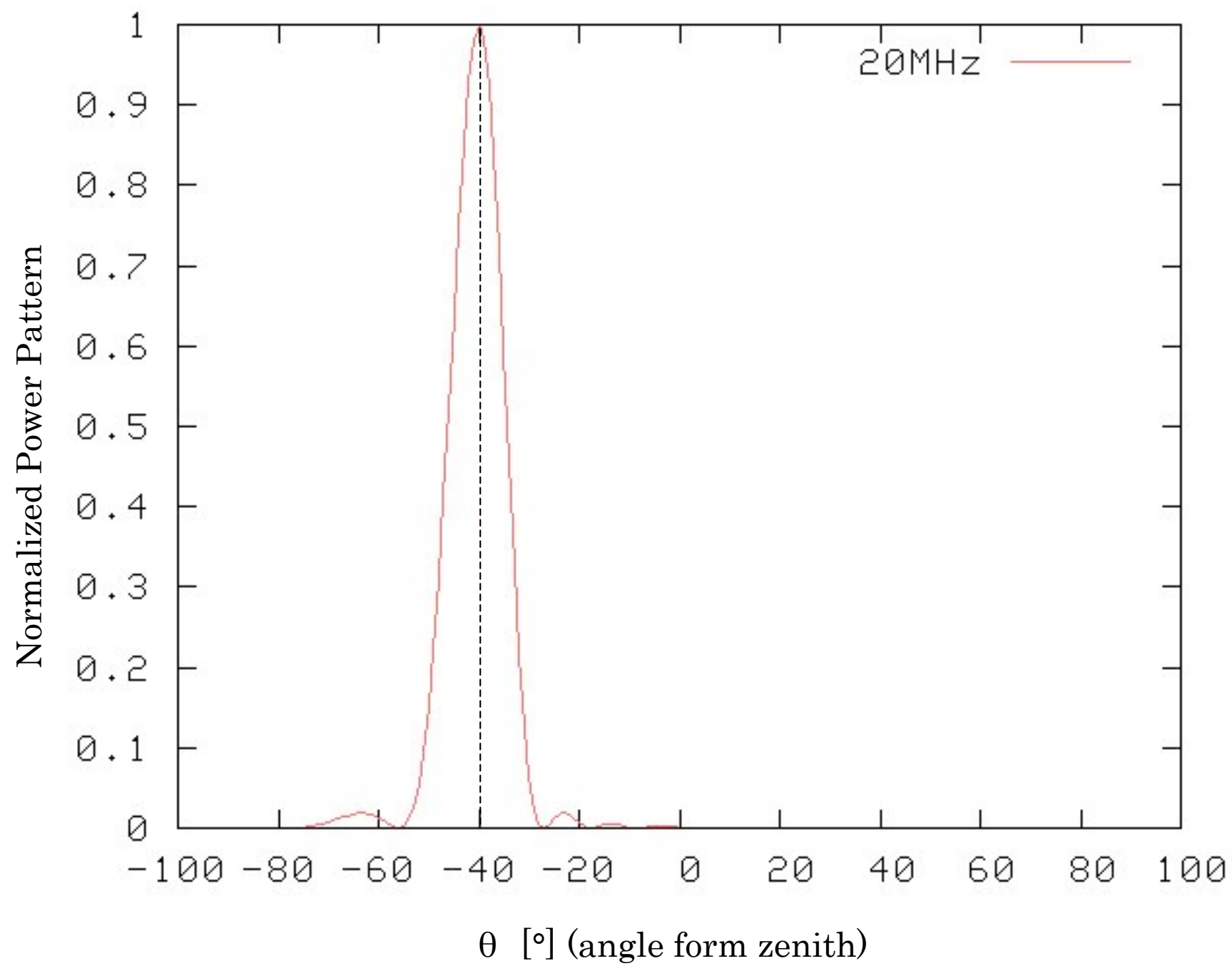


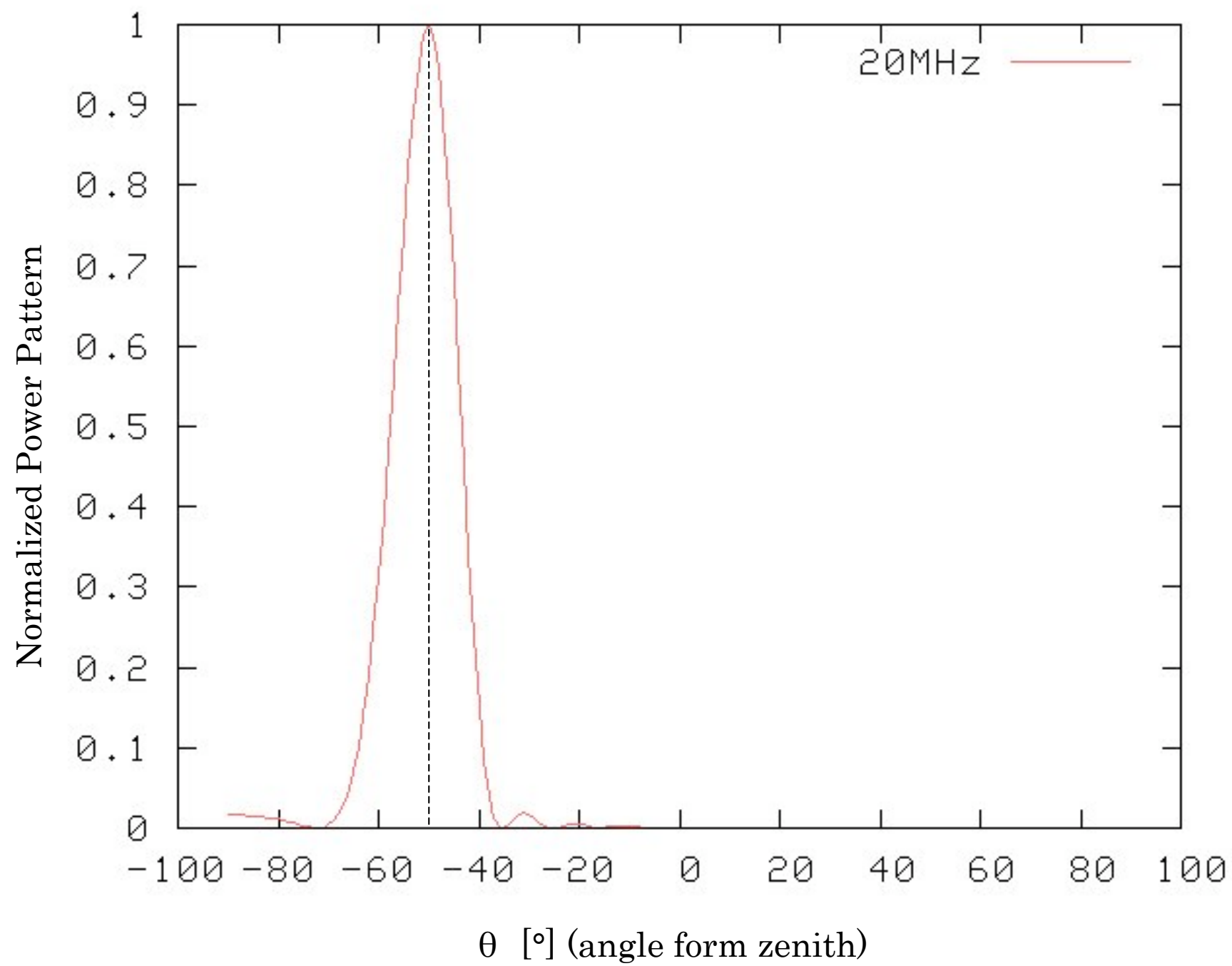


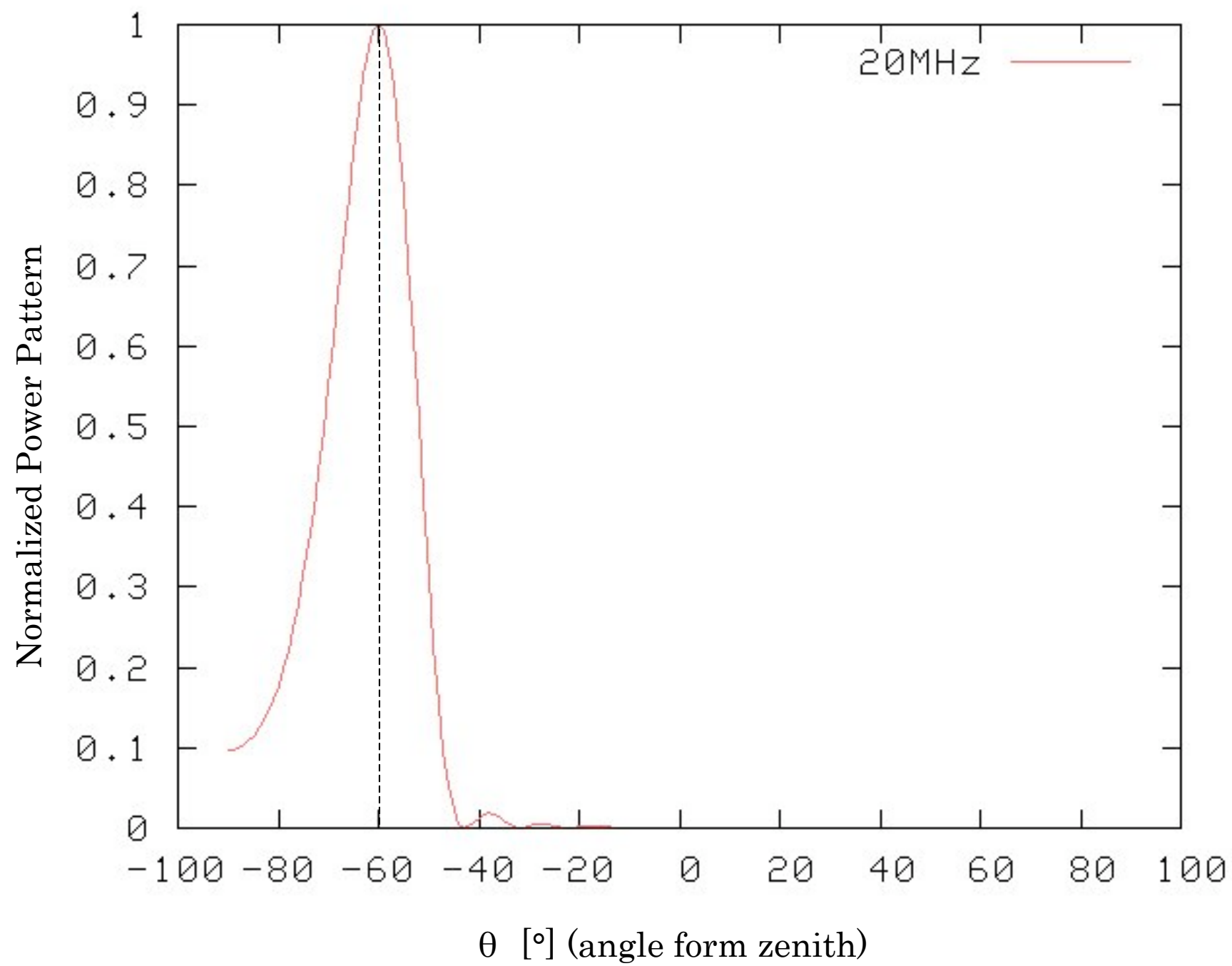


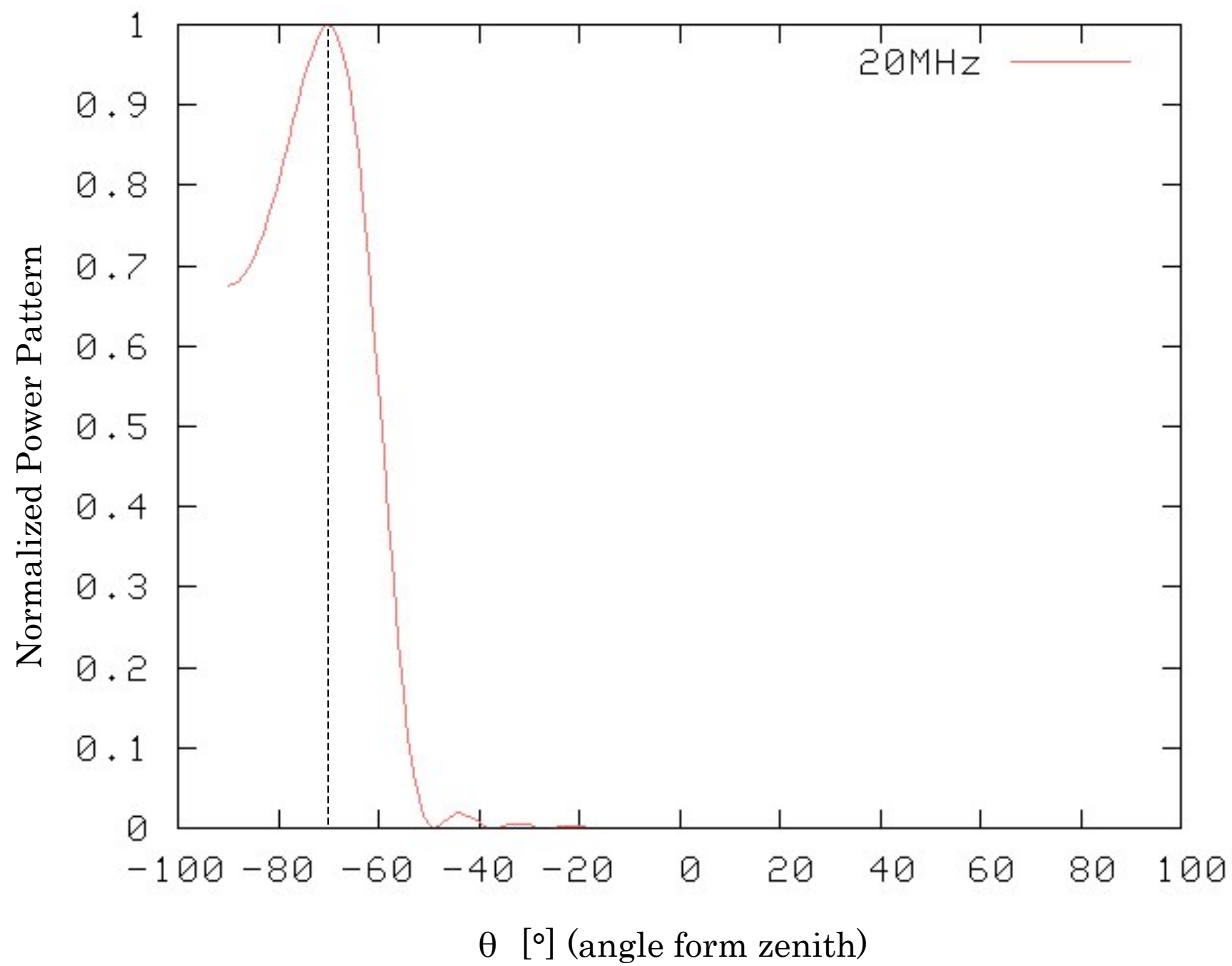


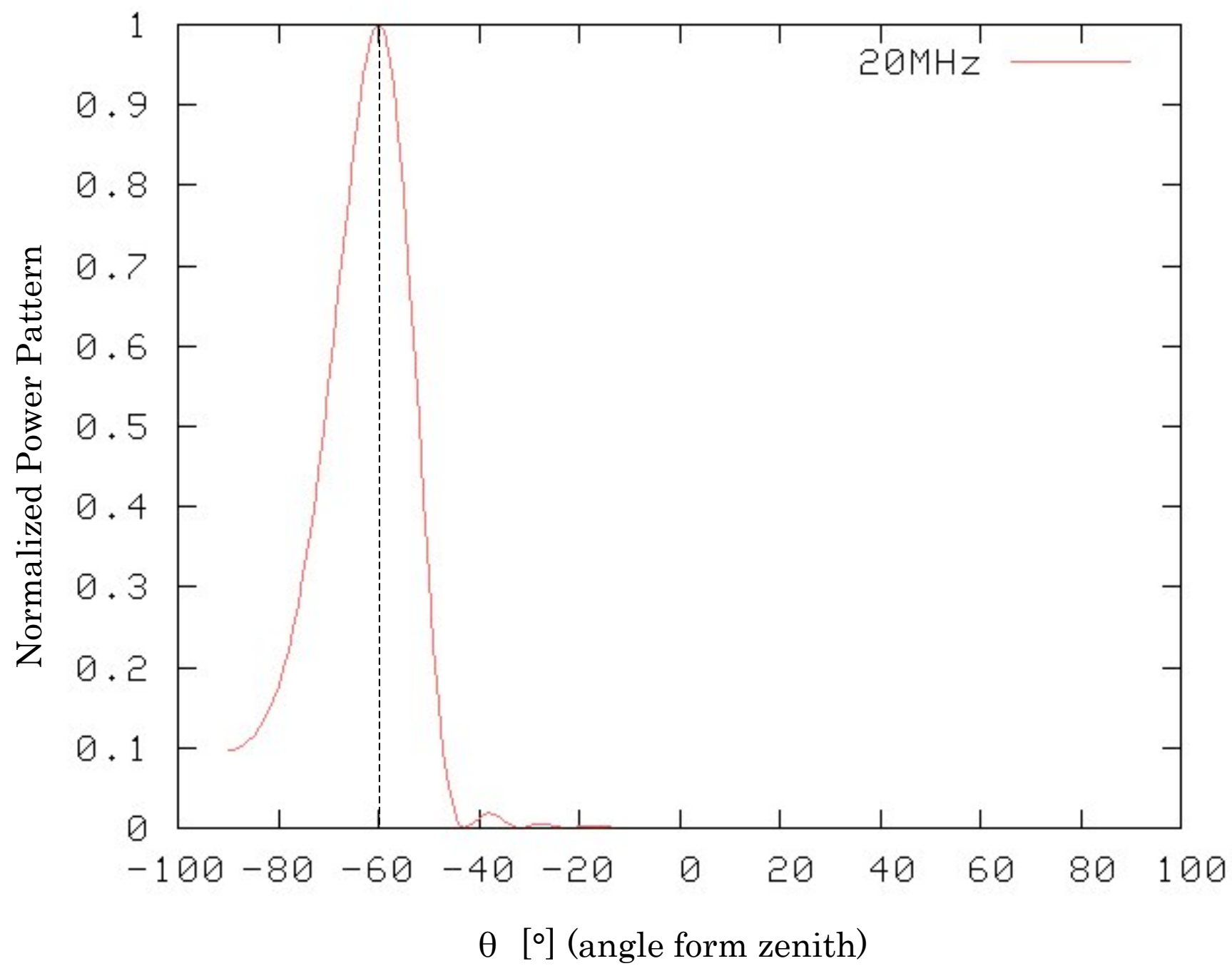


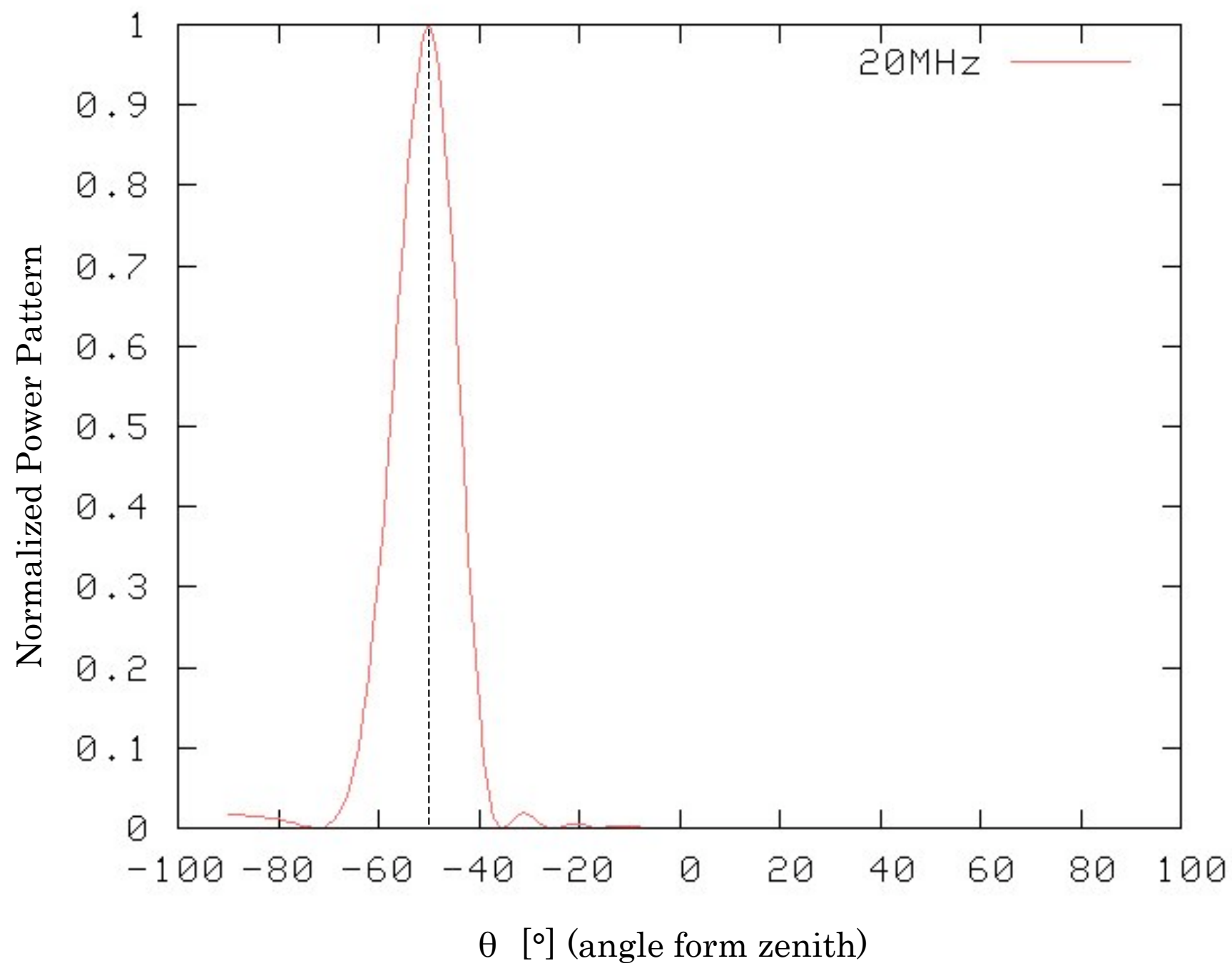


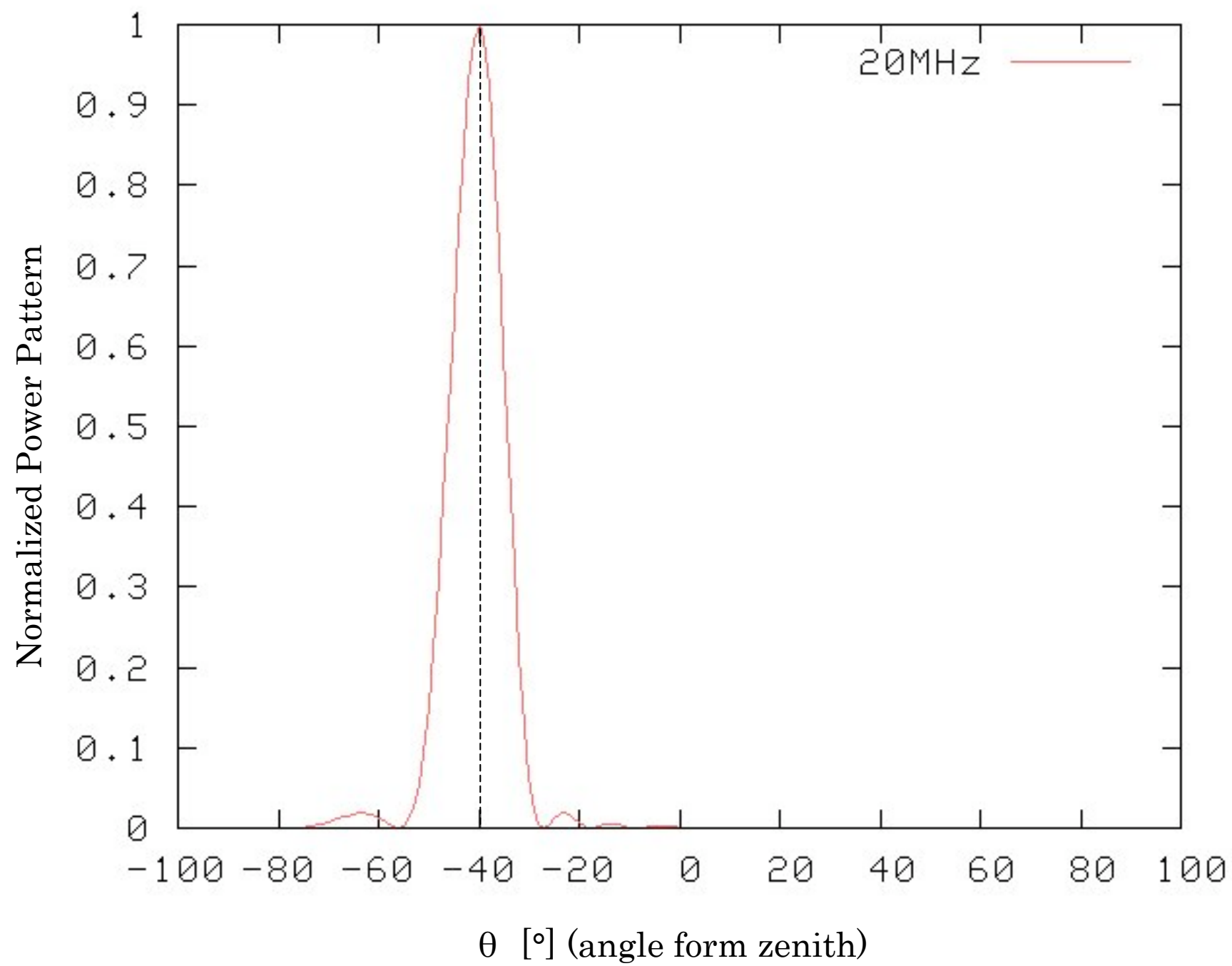


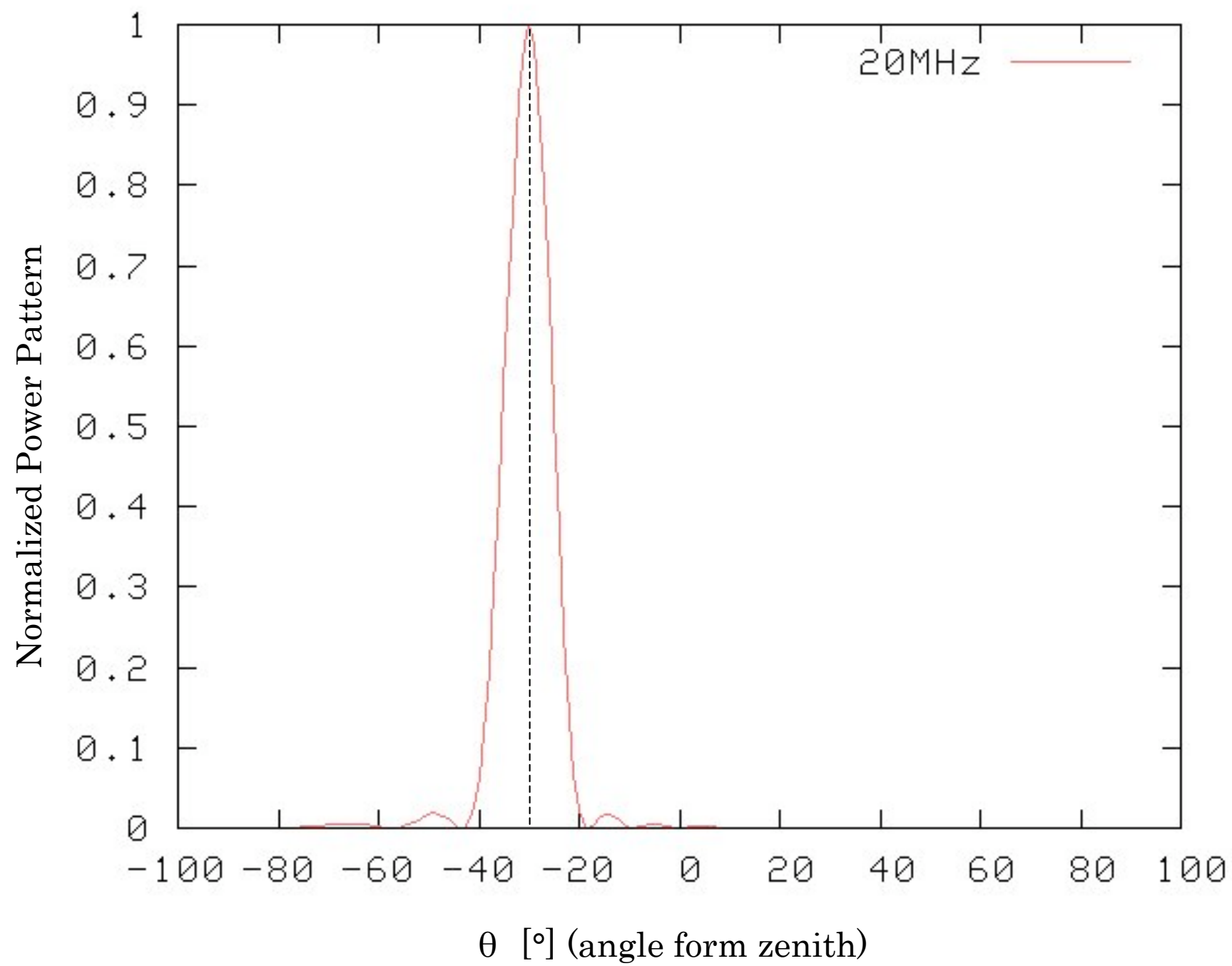


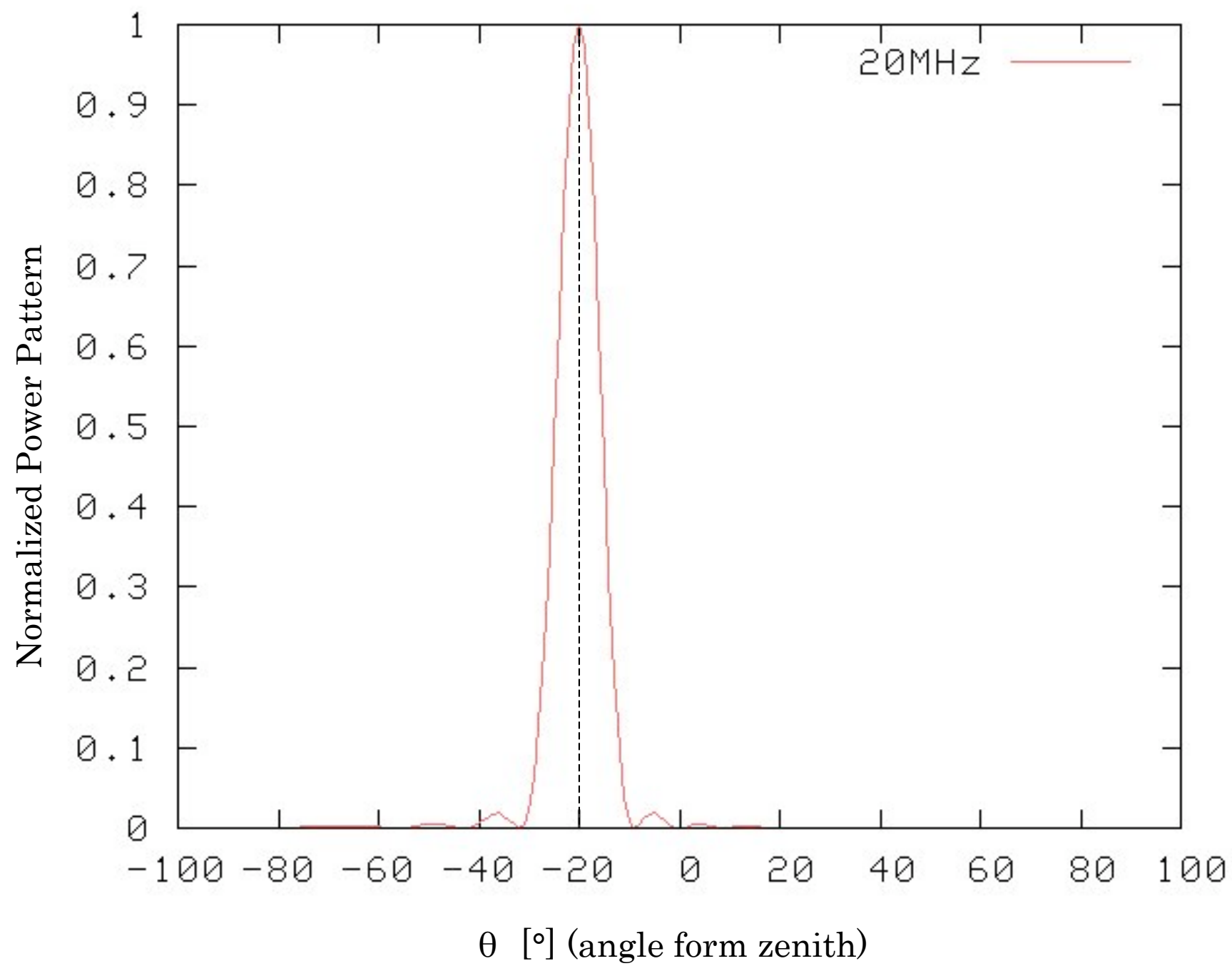


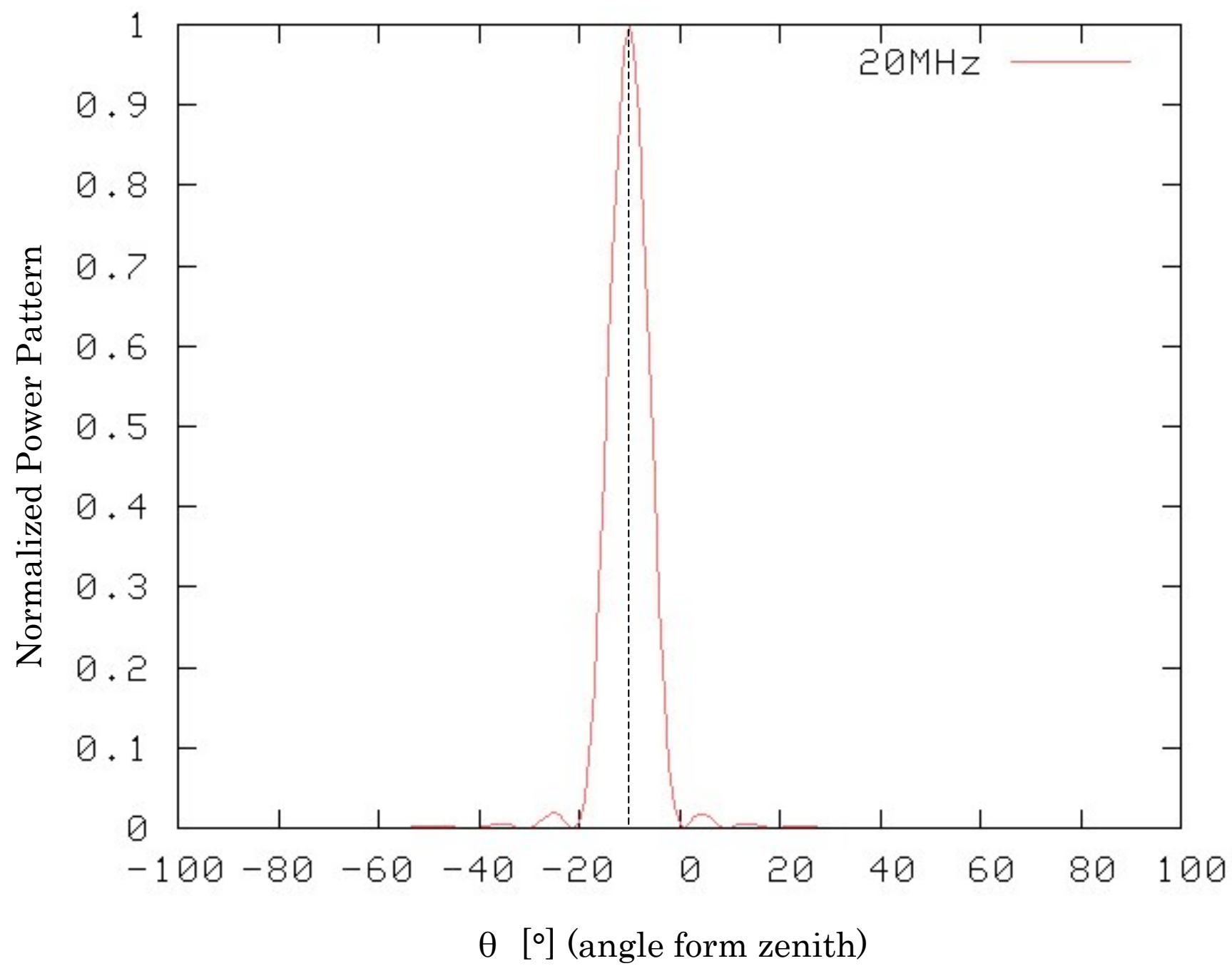


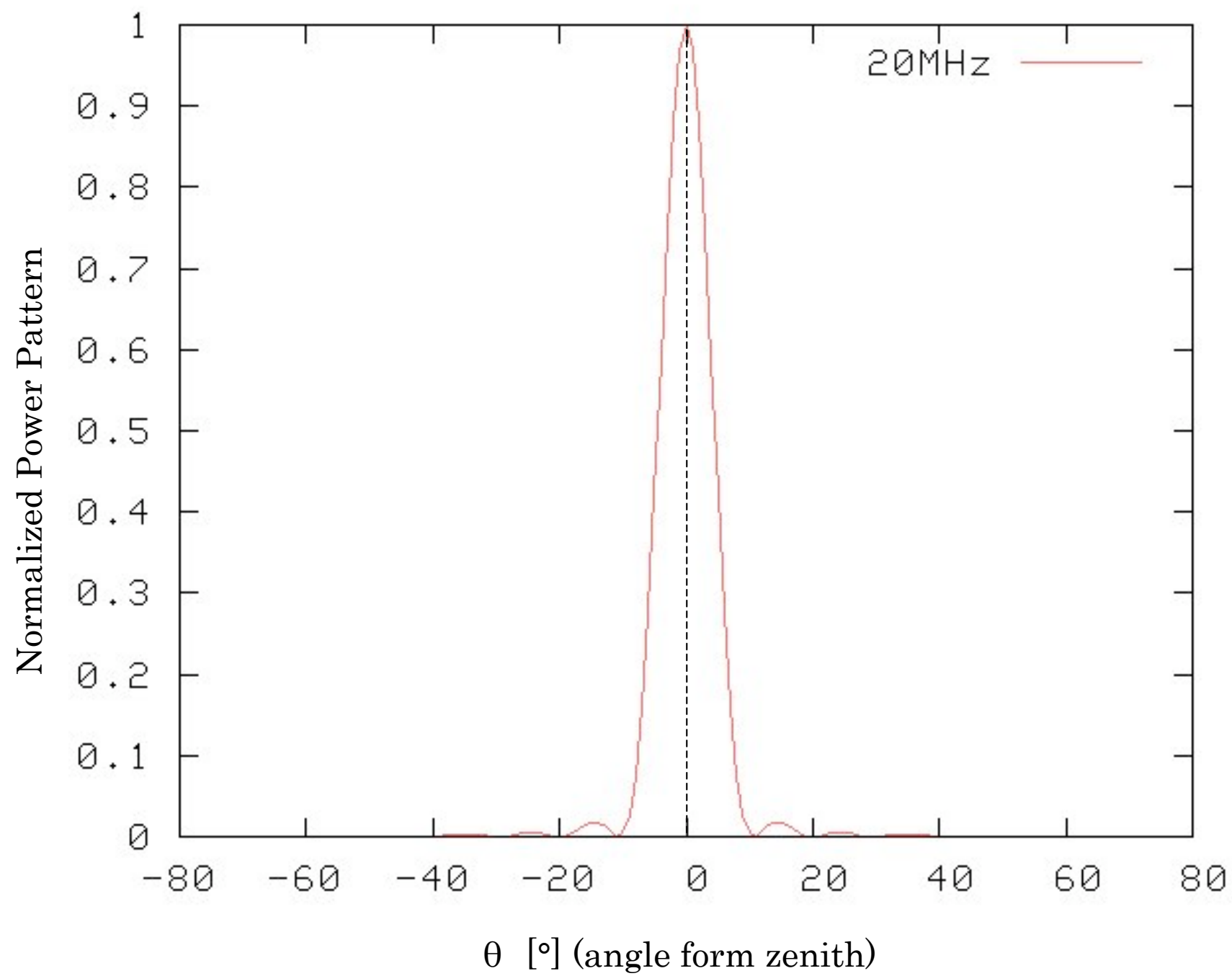


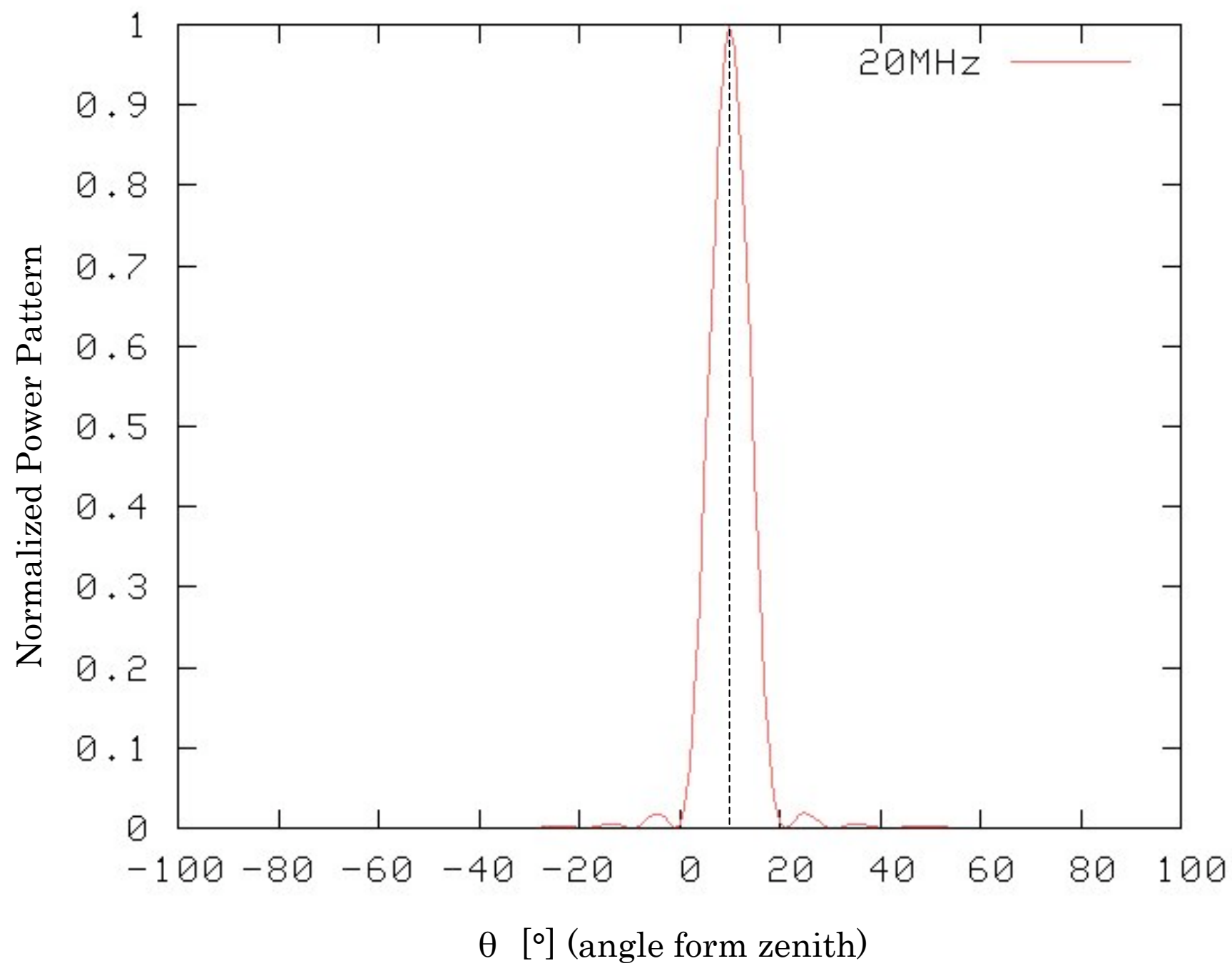


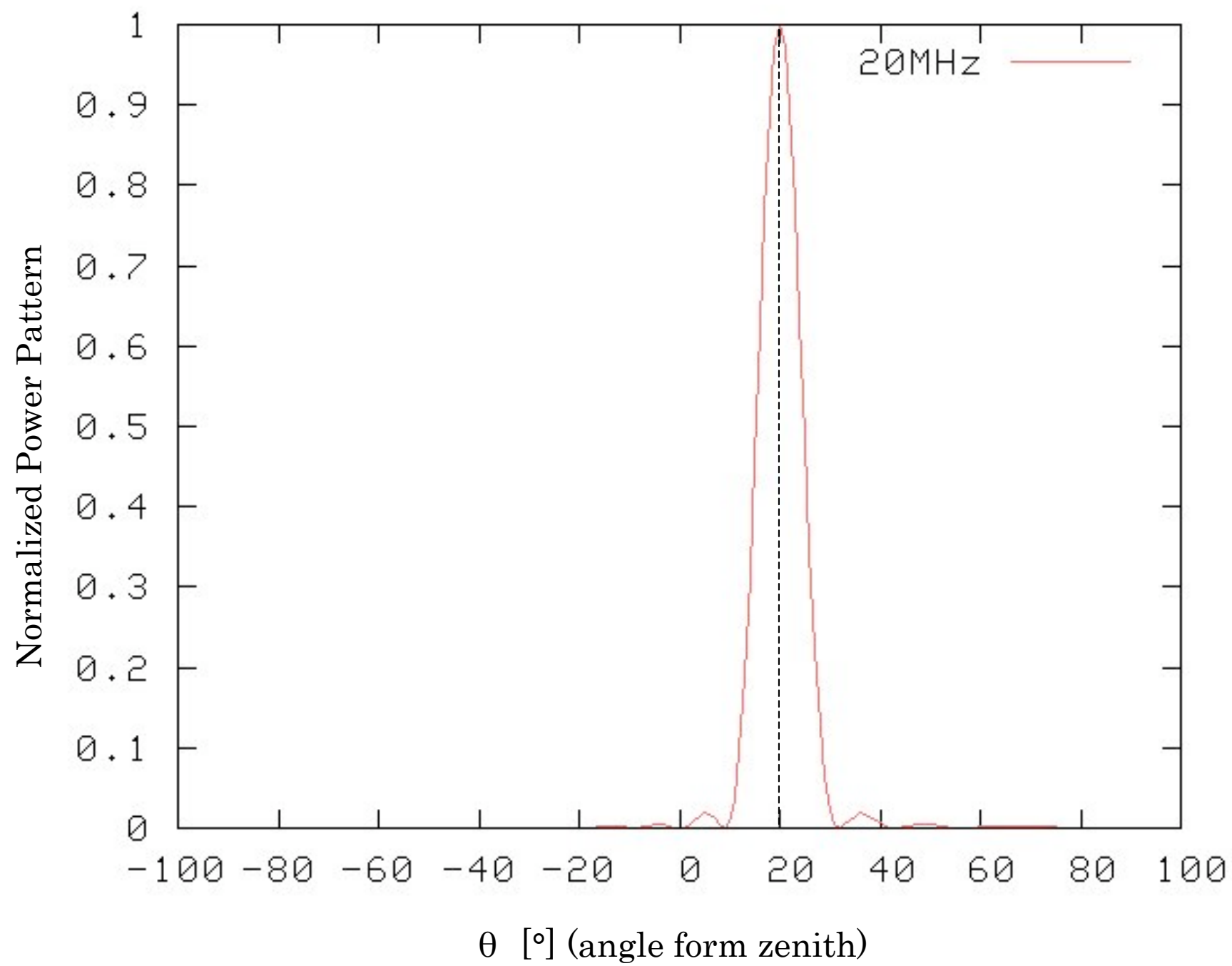


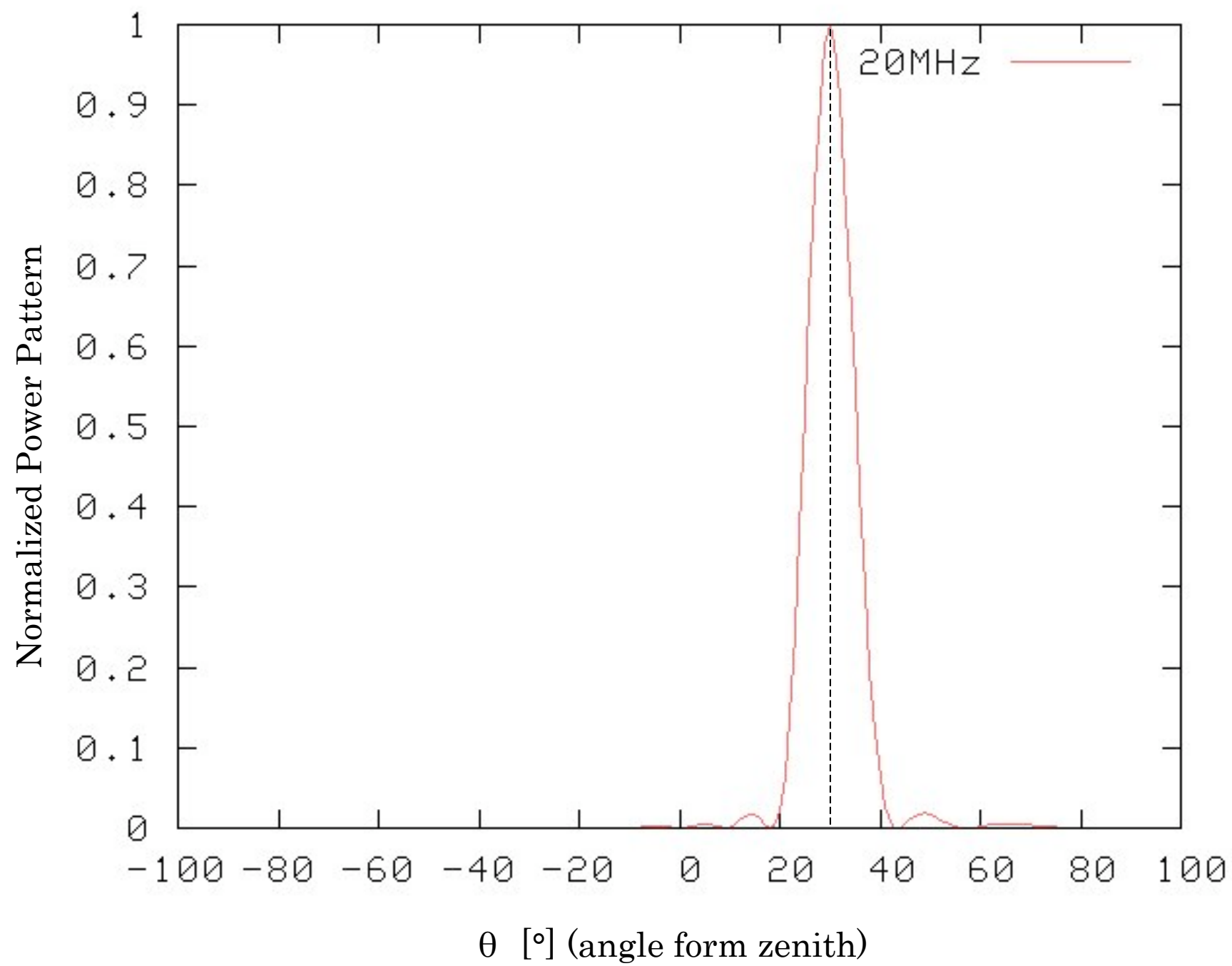


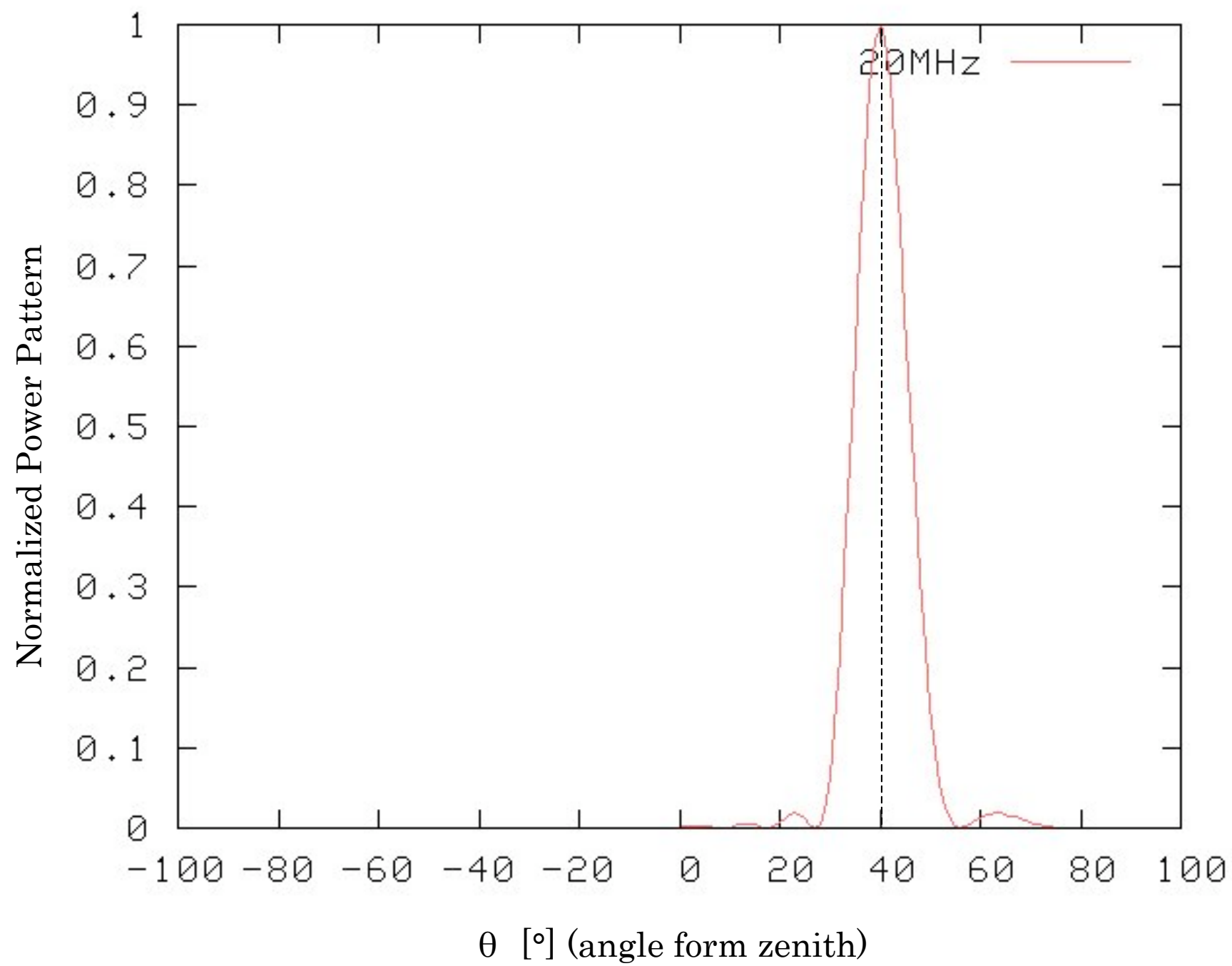


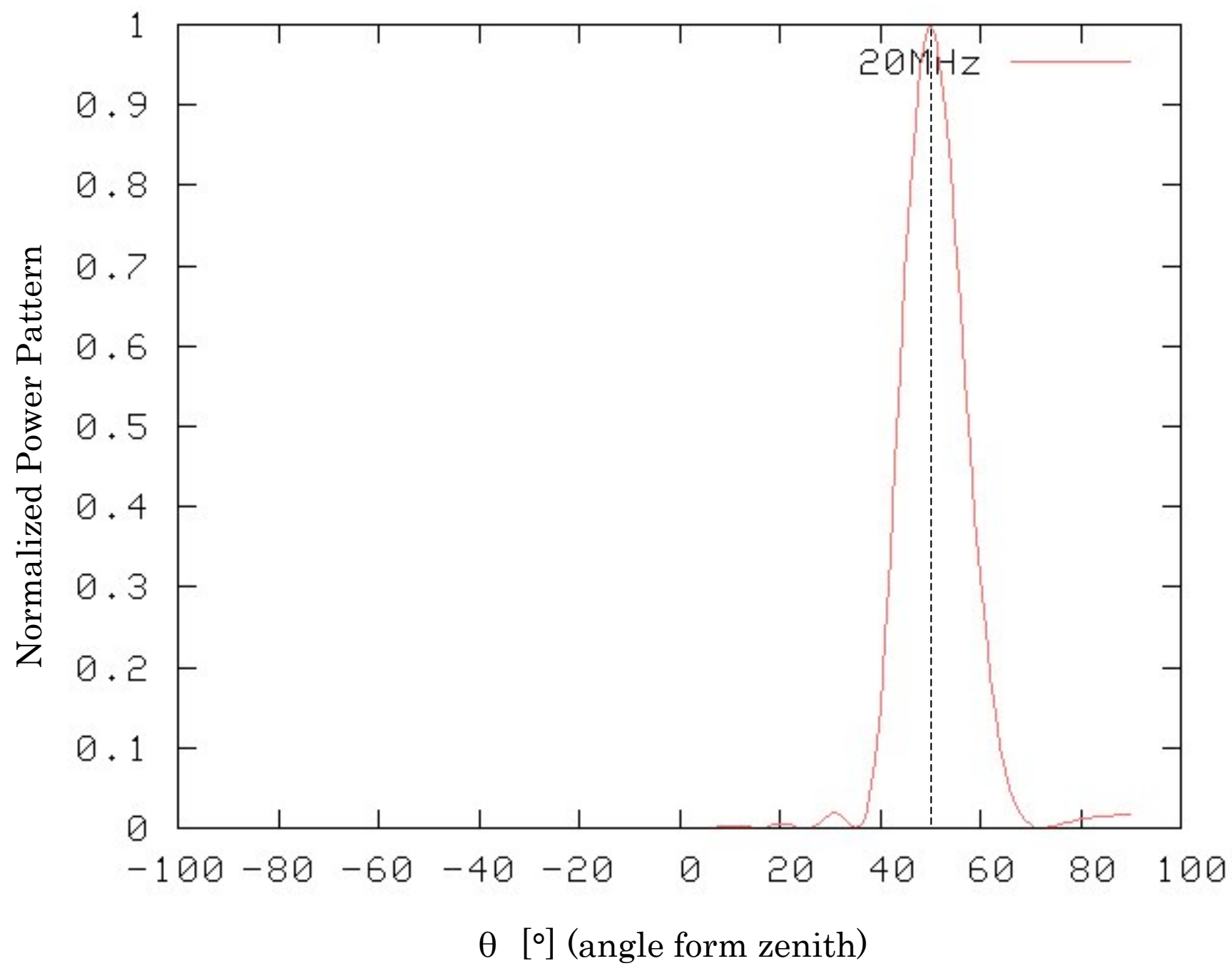


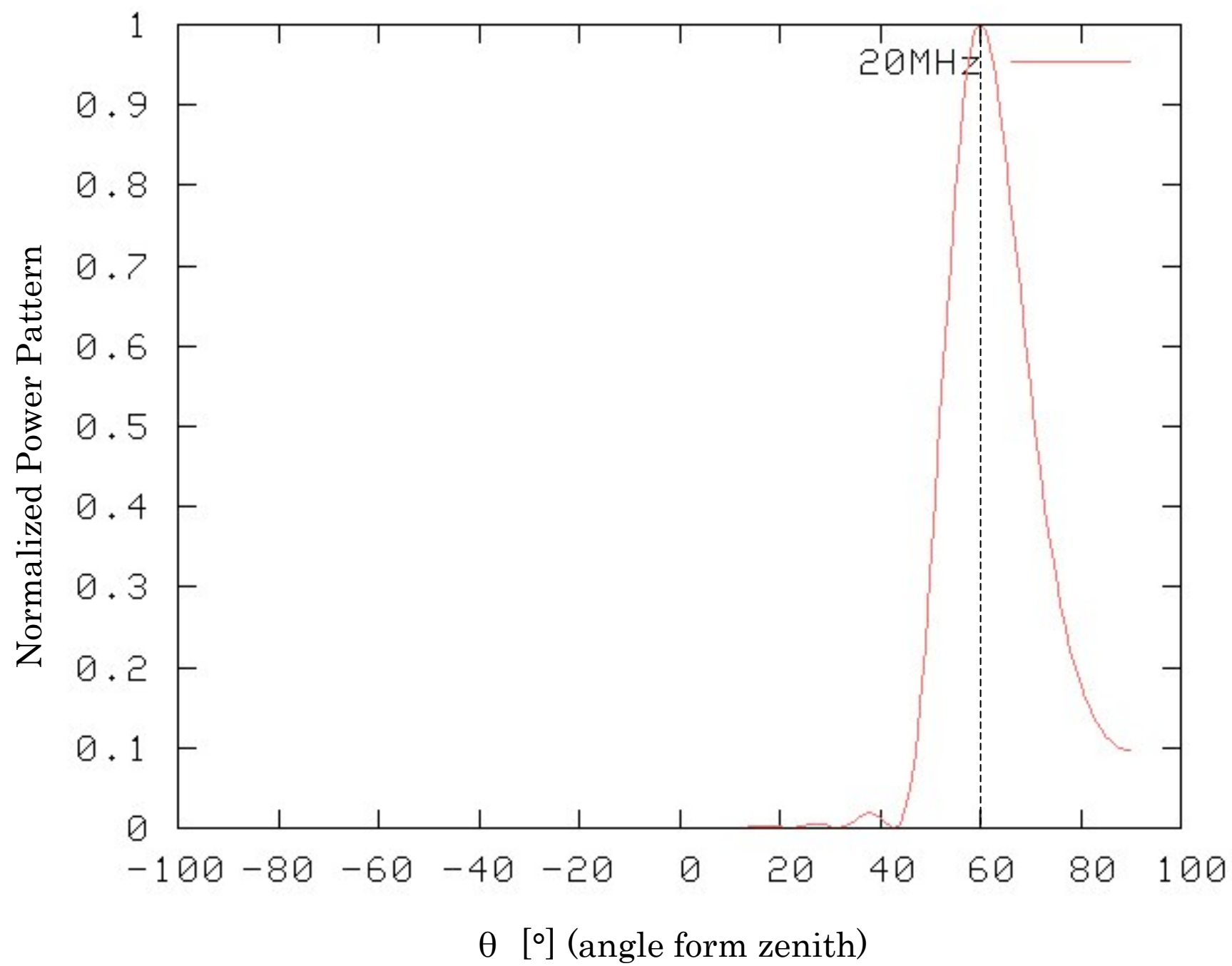


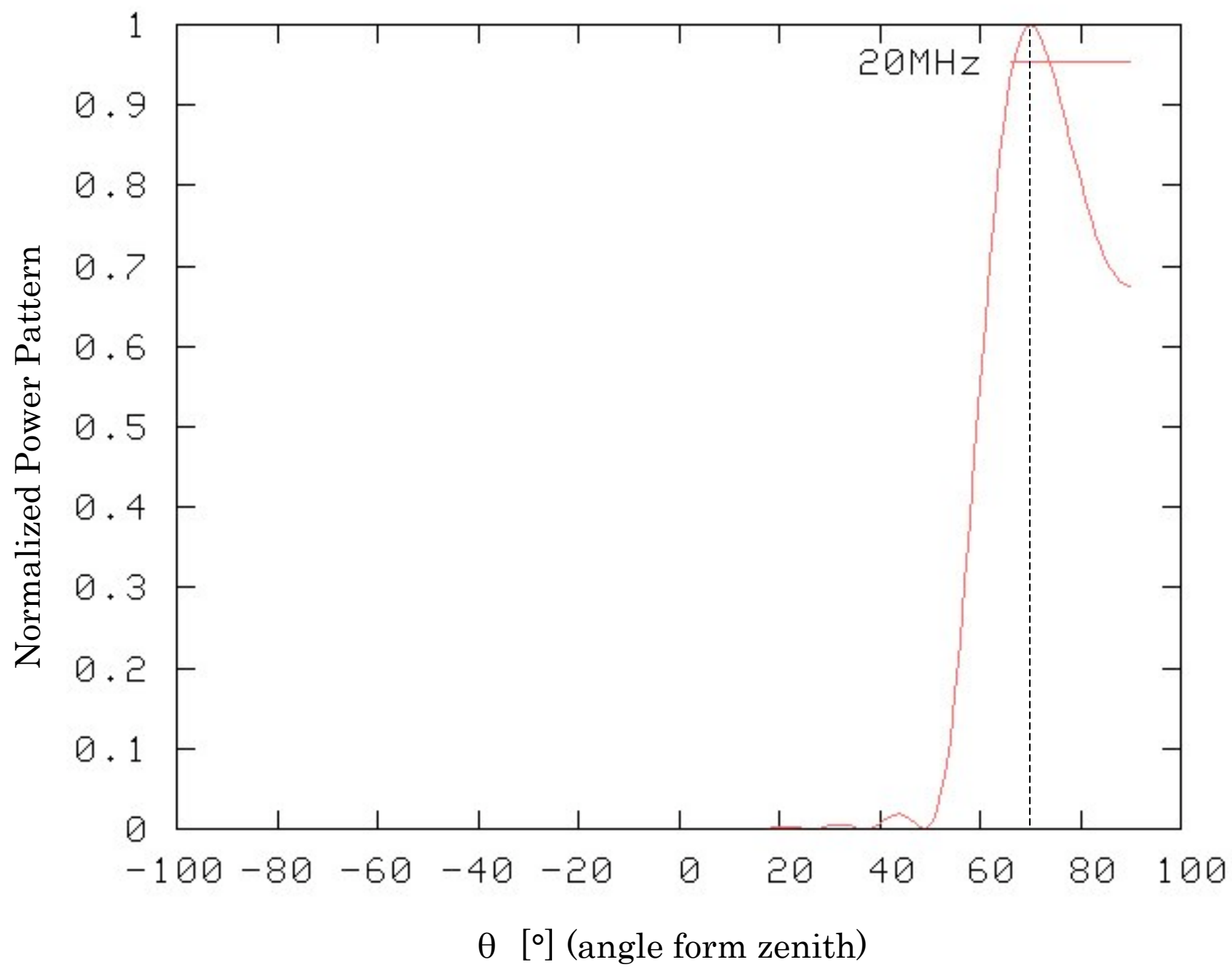


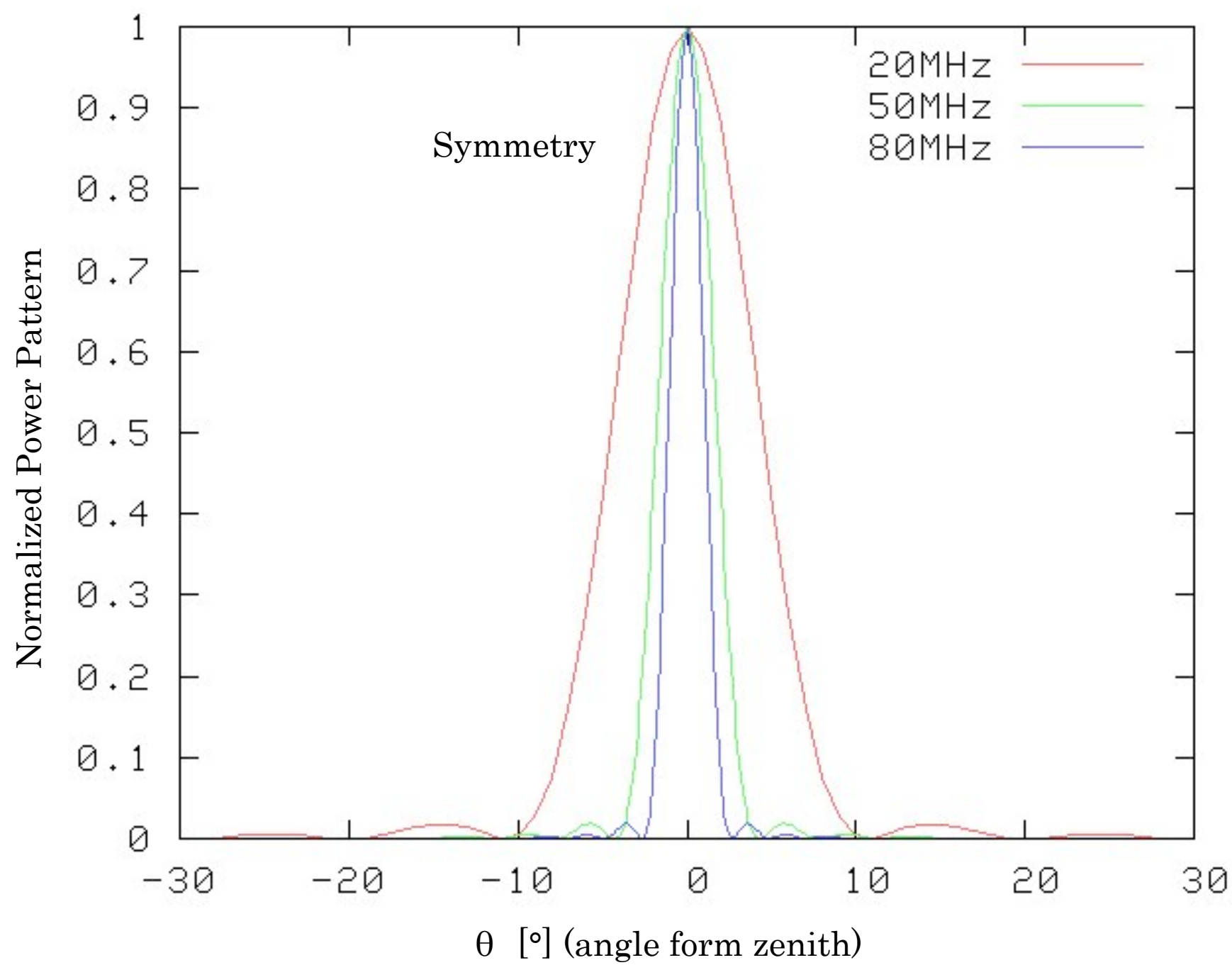


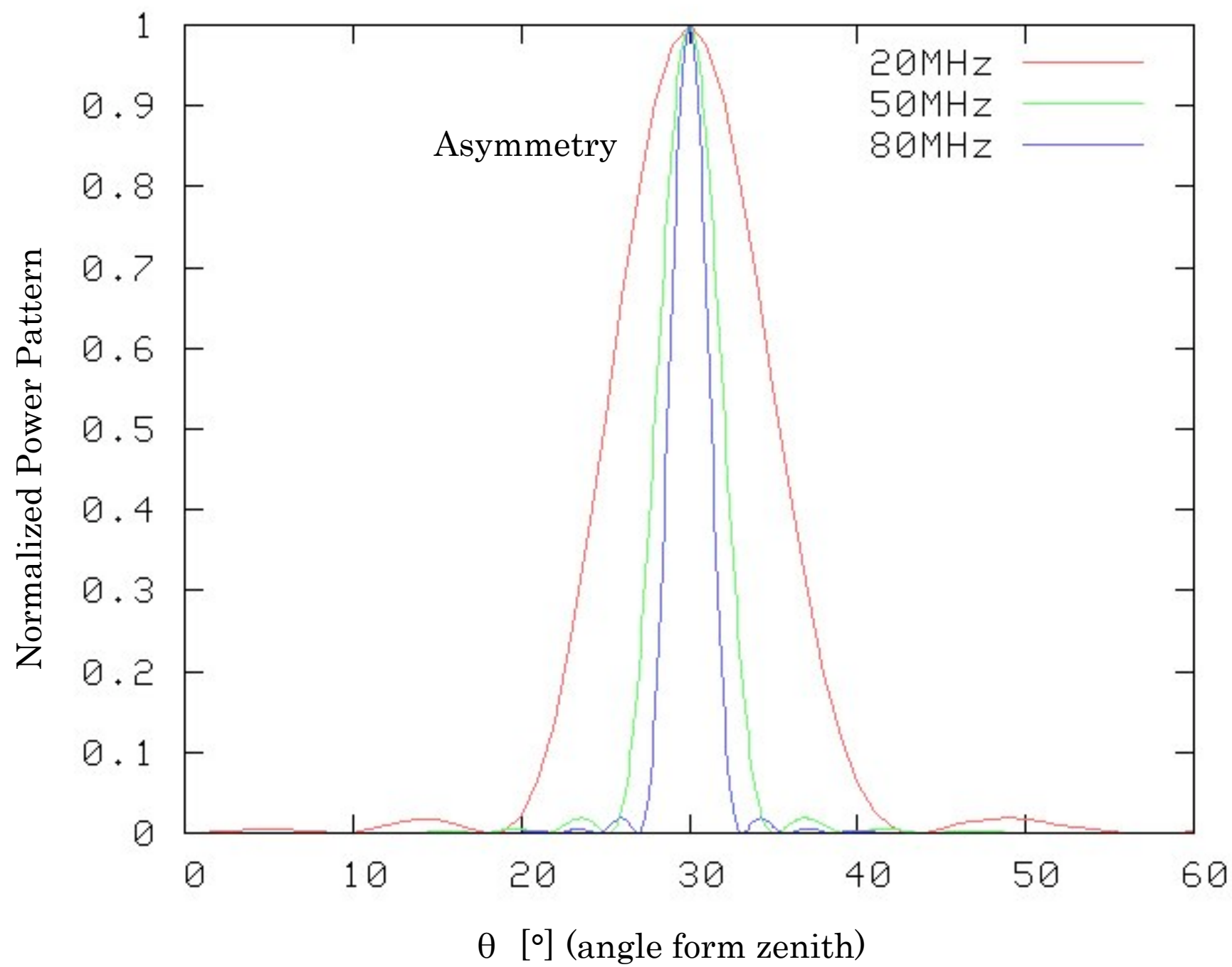


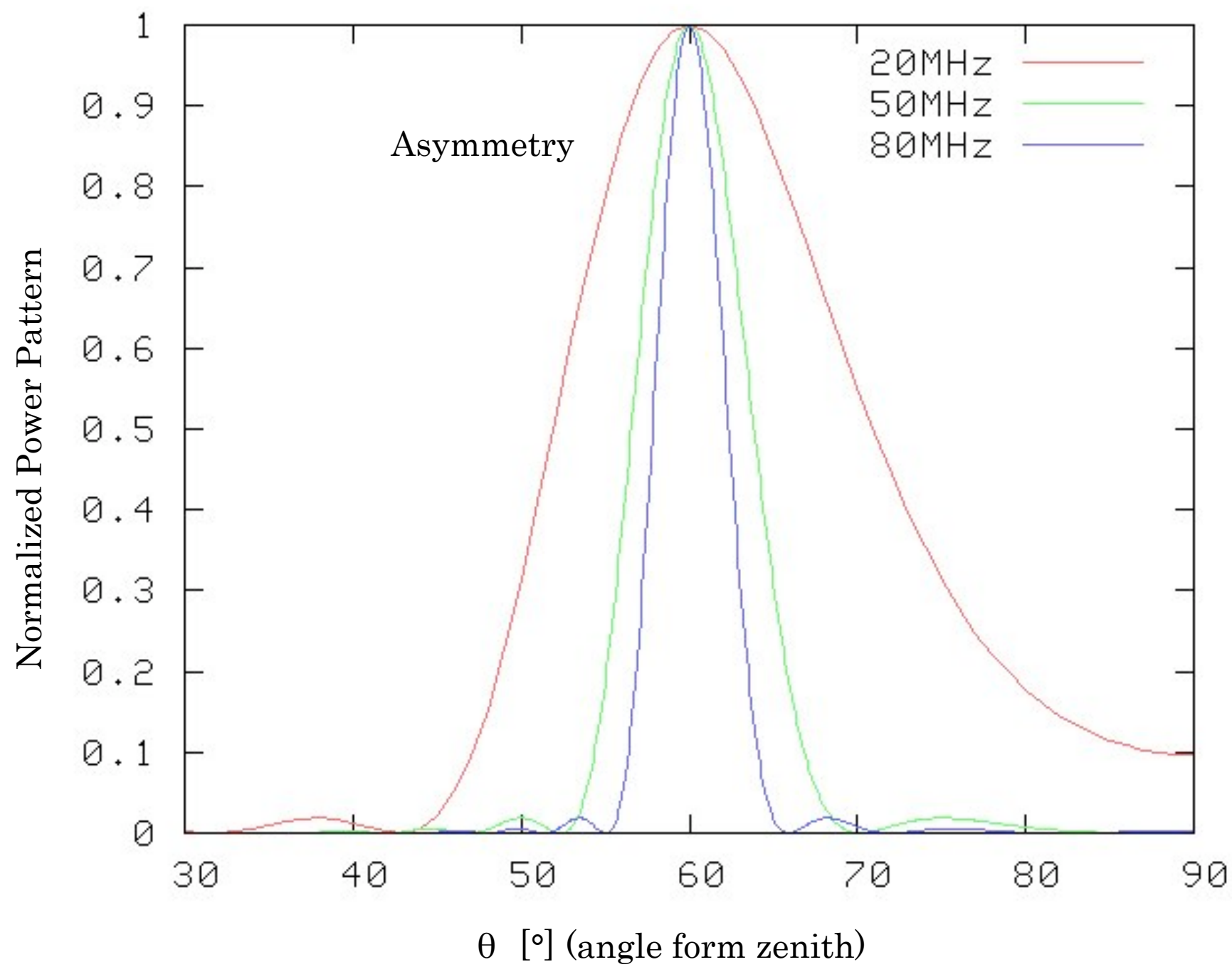


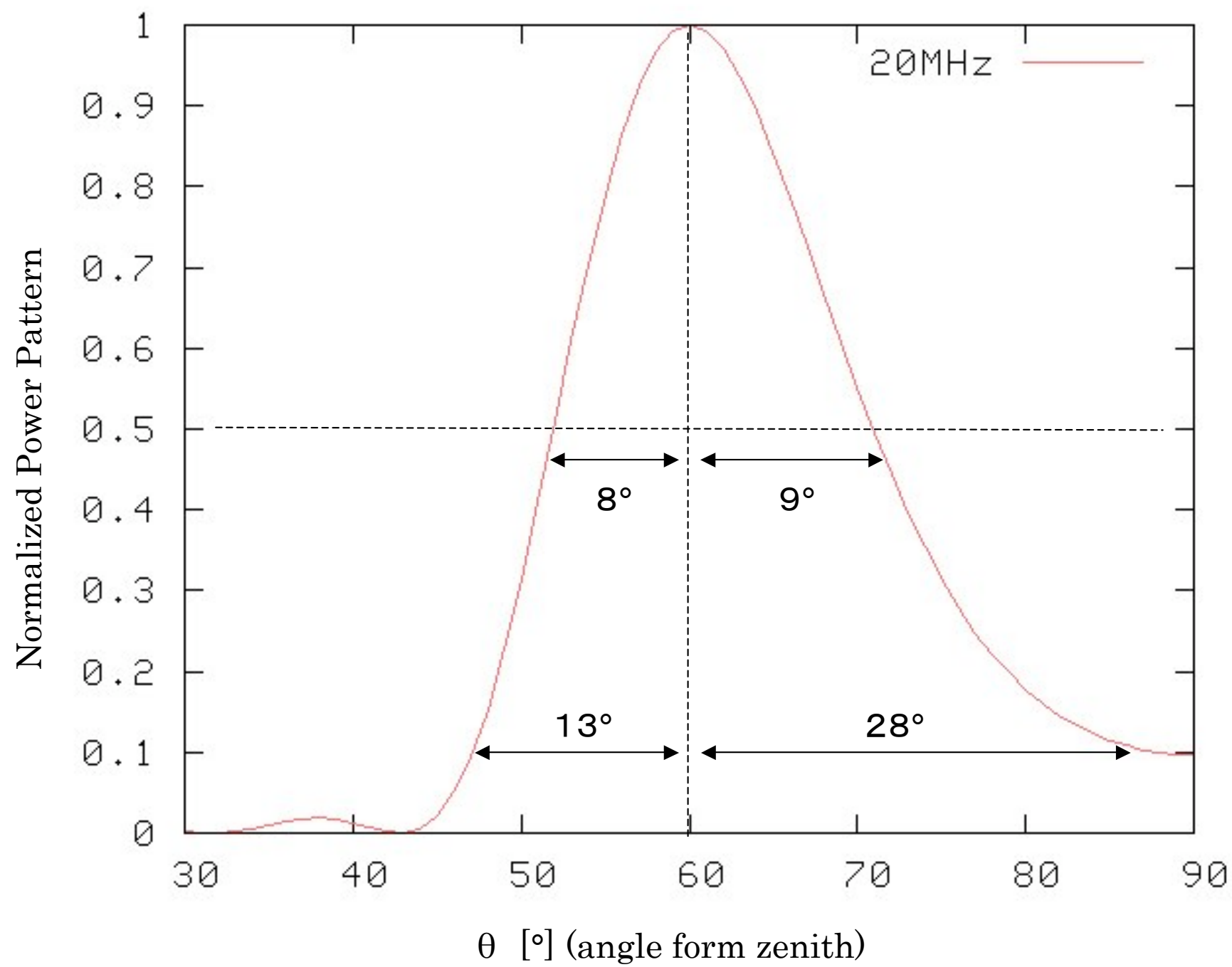




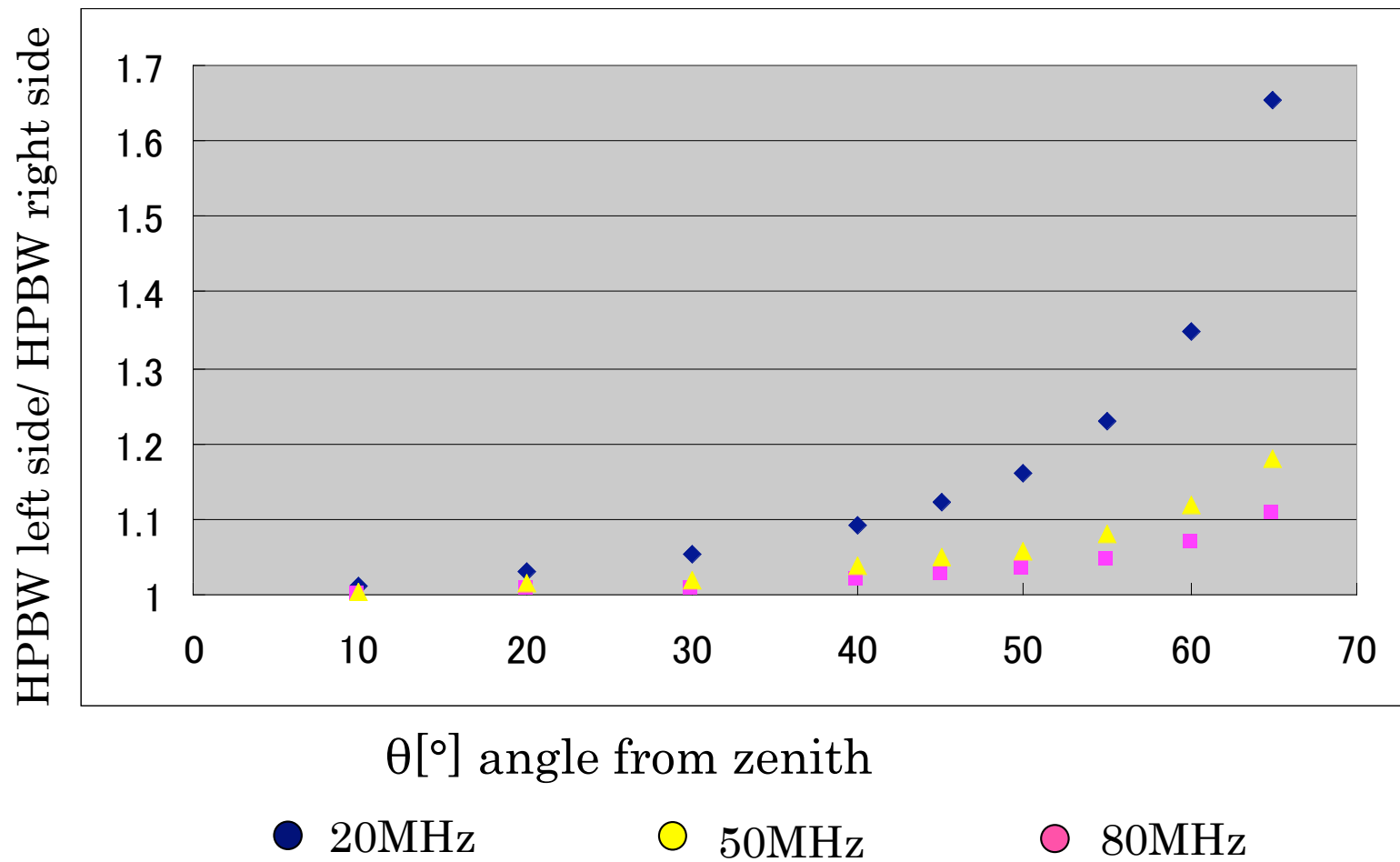


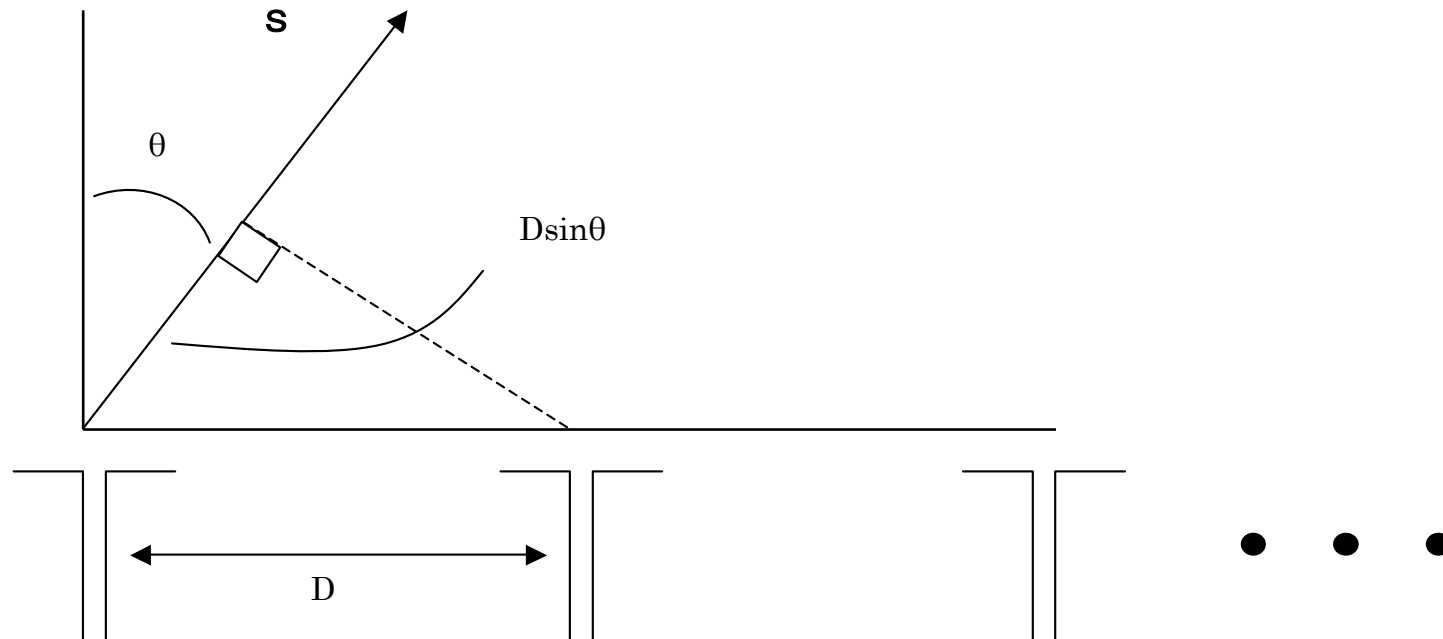




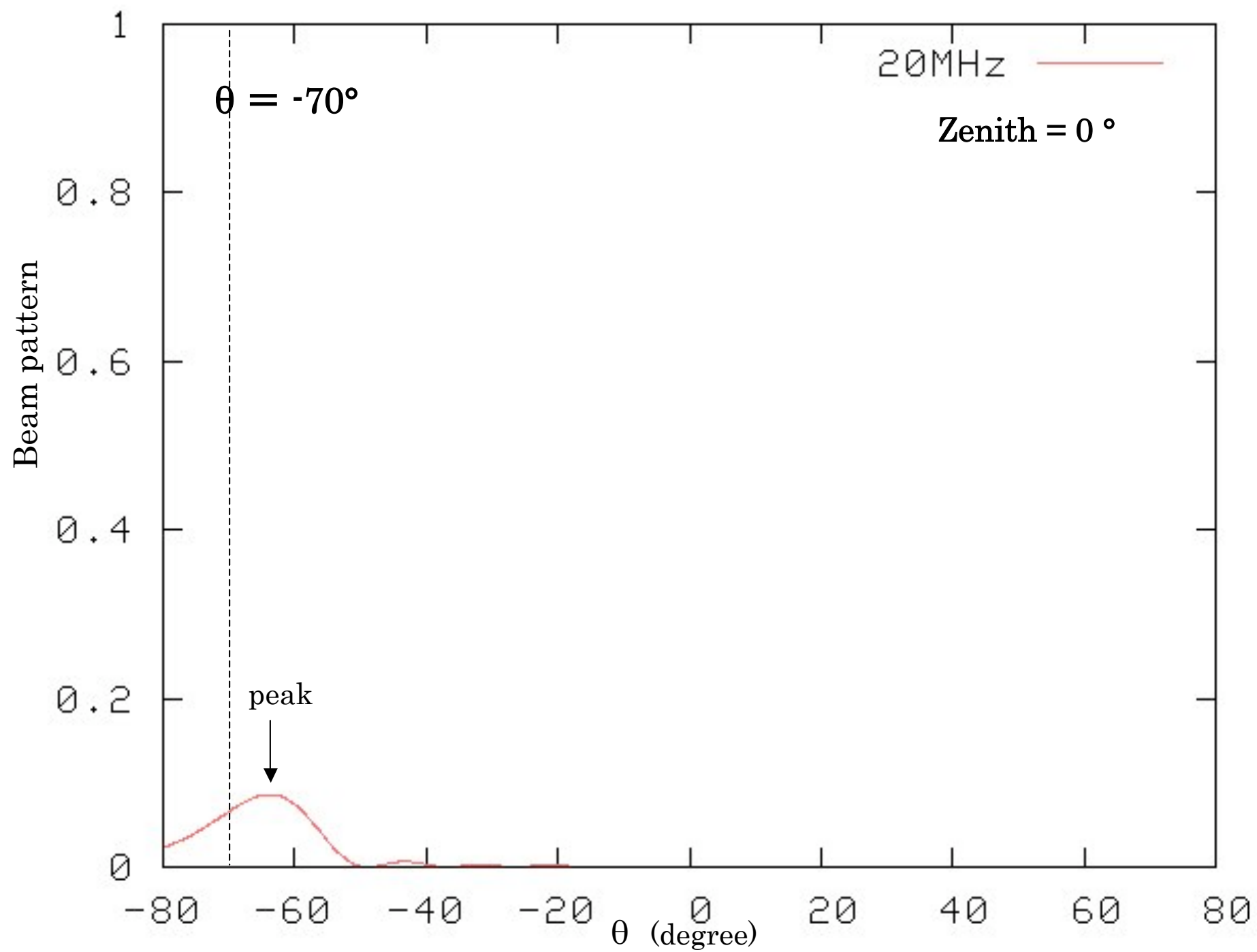


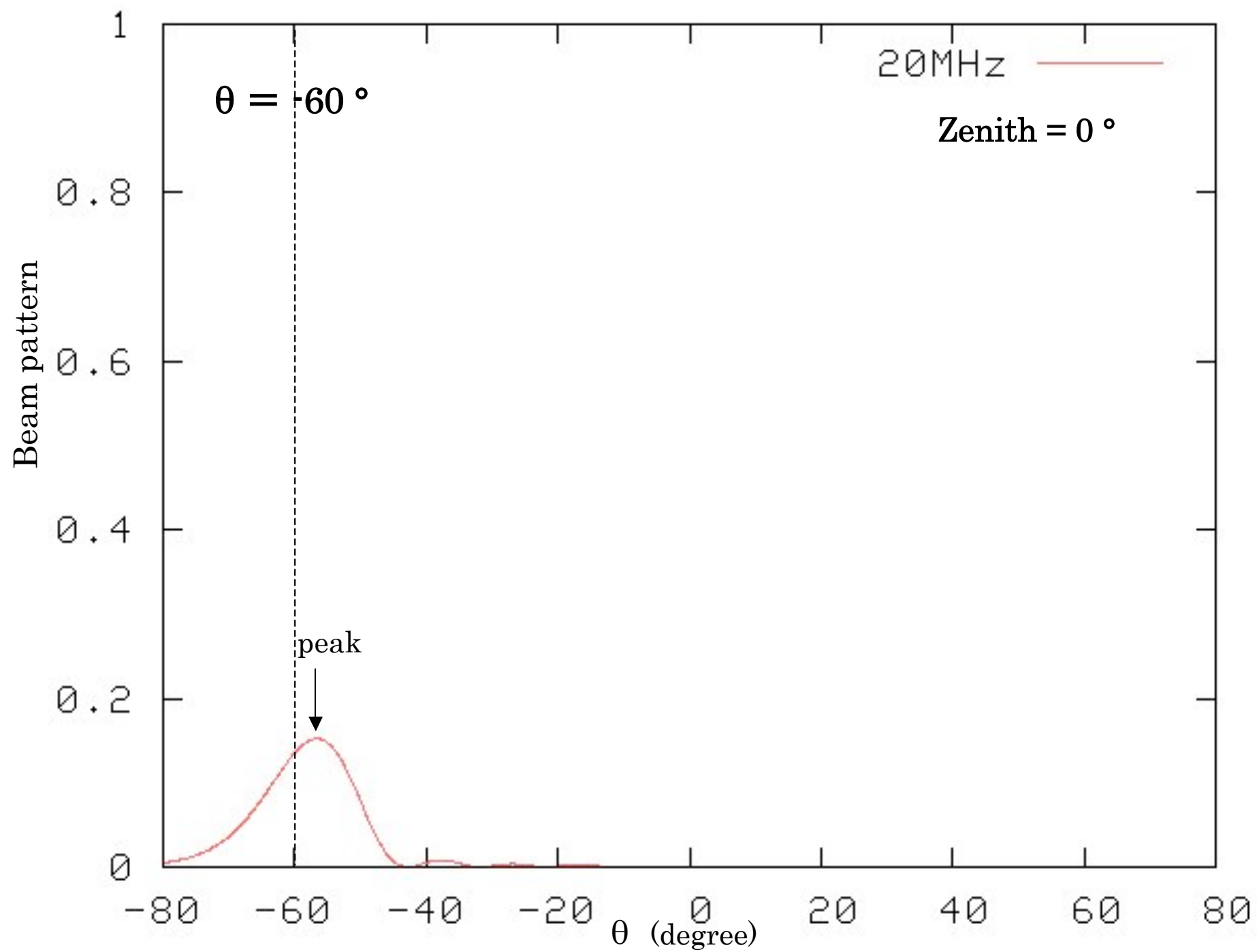
Asymmetry rate

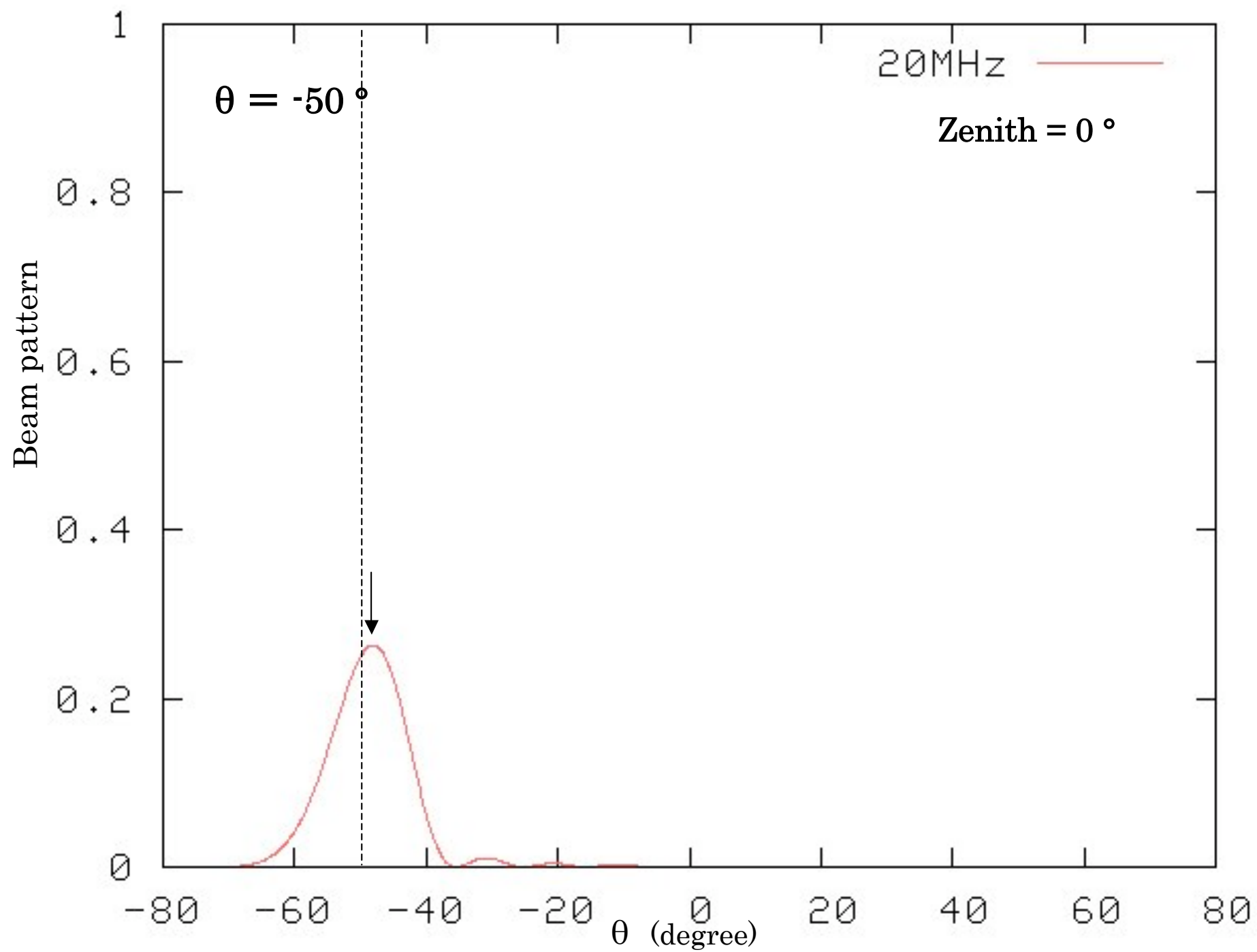


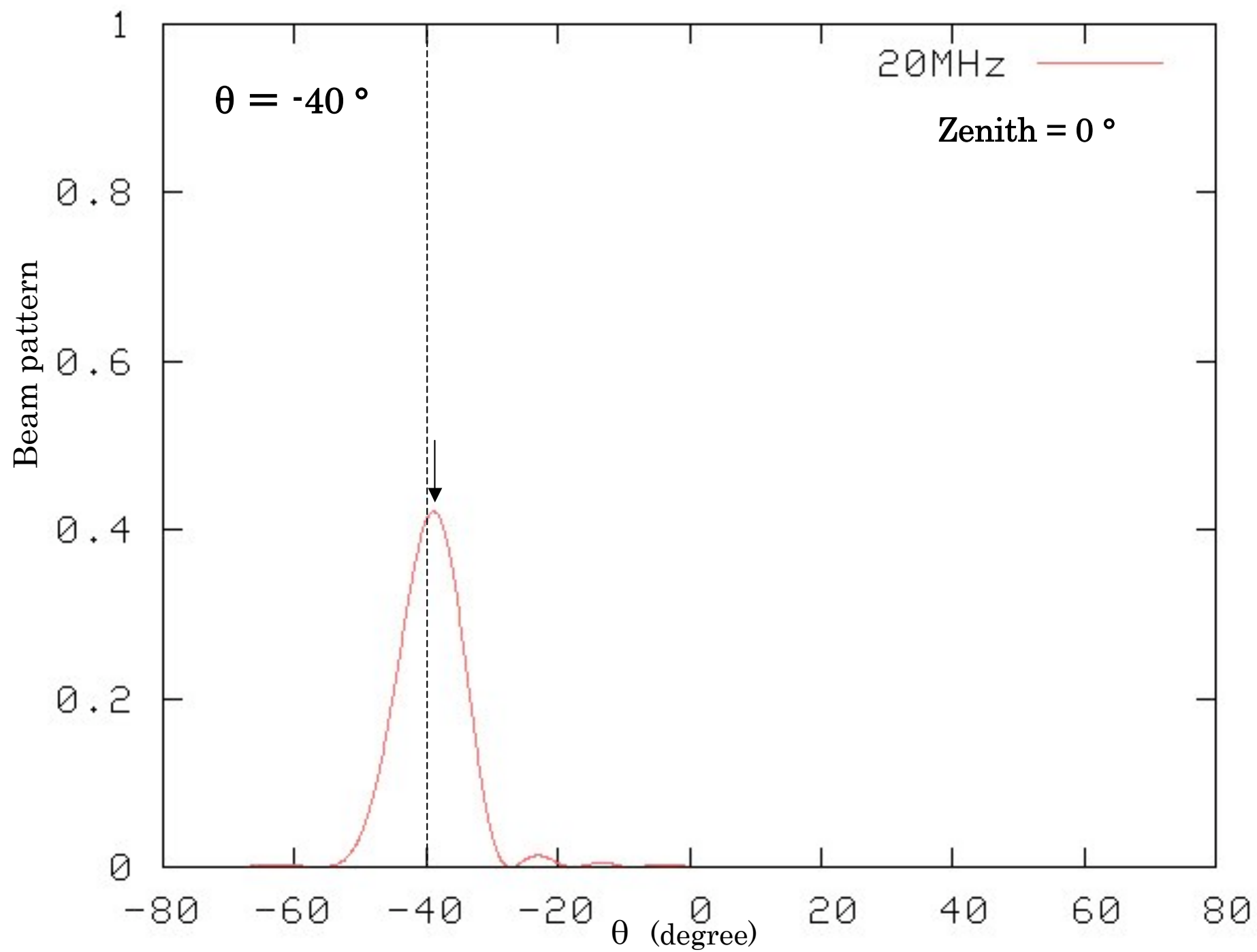


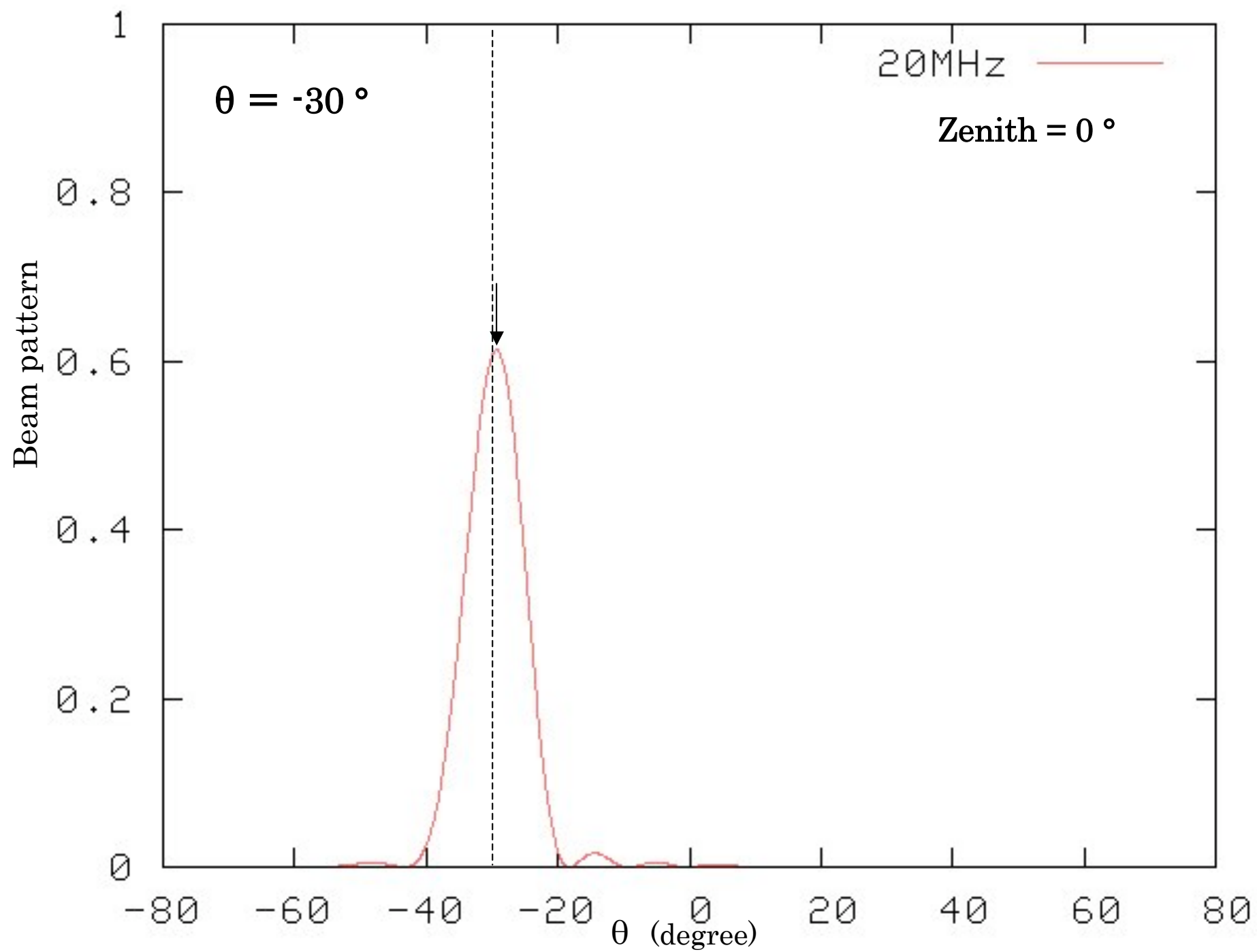
As the angle θ goes from 0 to $\pi/2$,
the value of $\cos \theta$ (differentiation of $\sin \theta$) gets smaller.
As a result, the beam becomes asymmetric.
This effect increases as the frequency decreases.

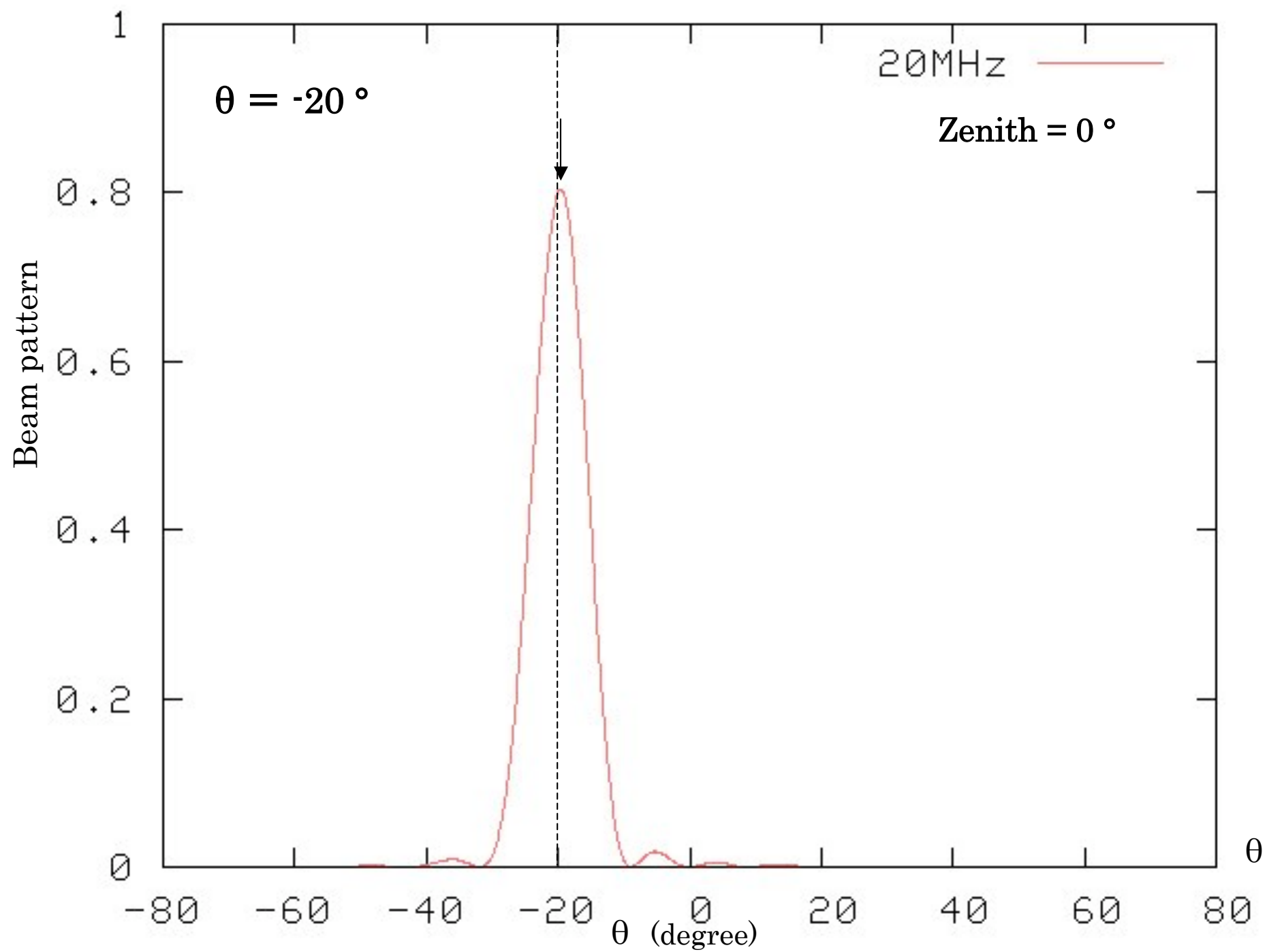


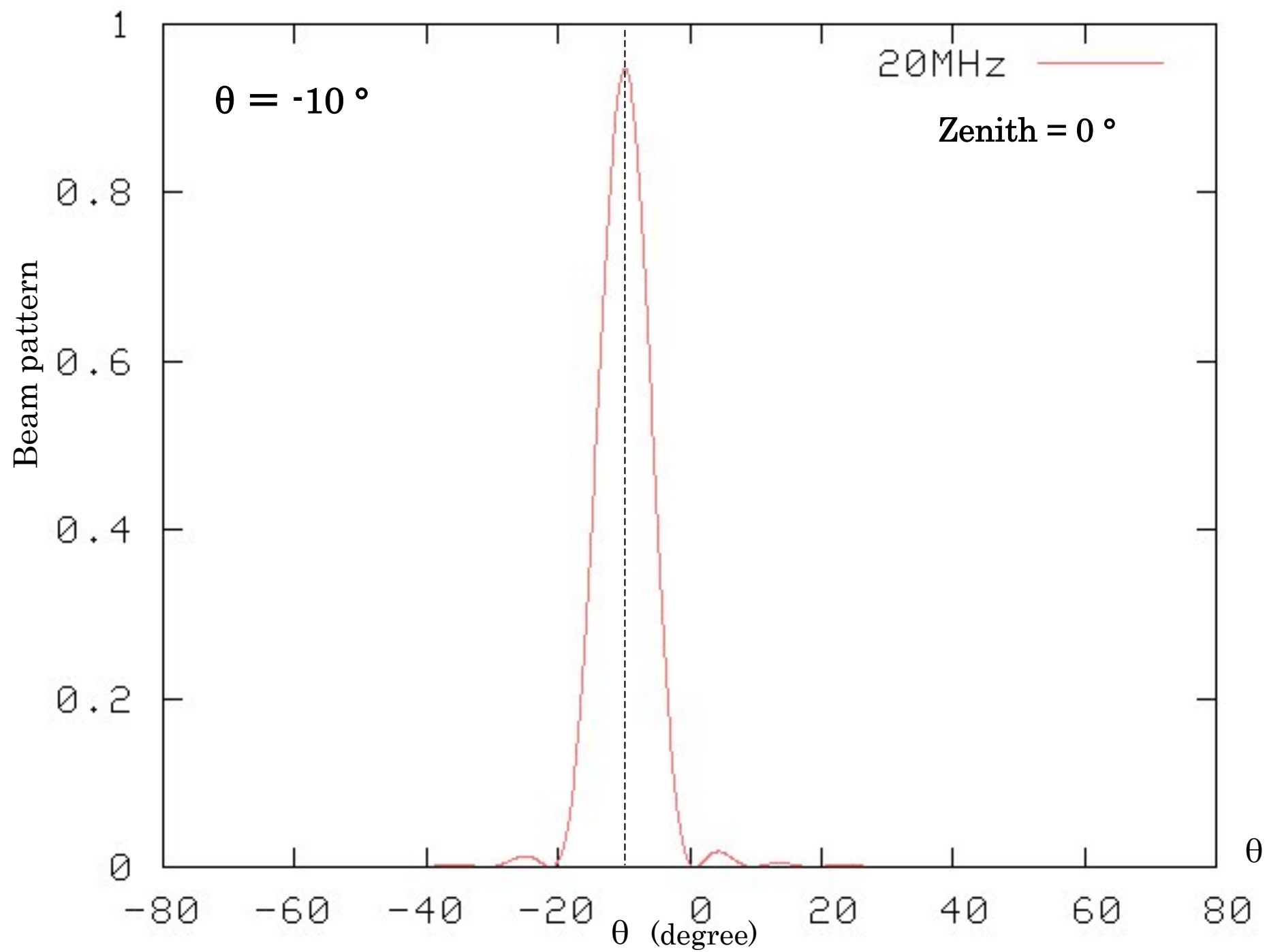


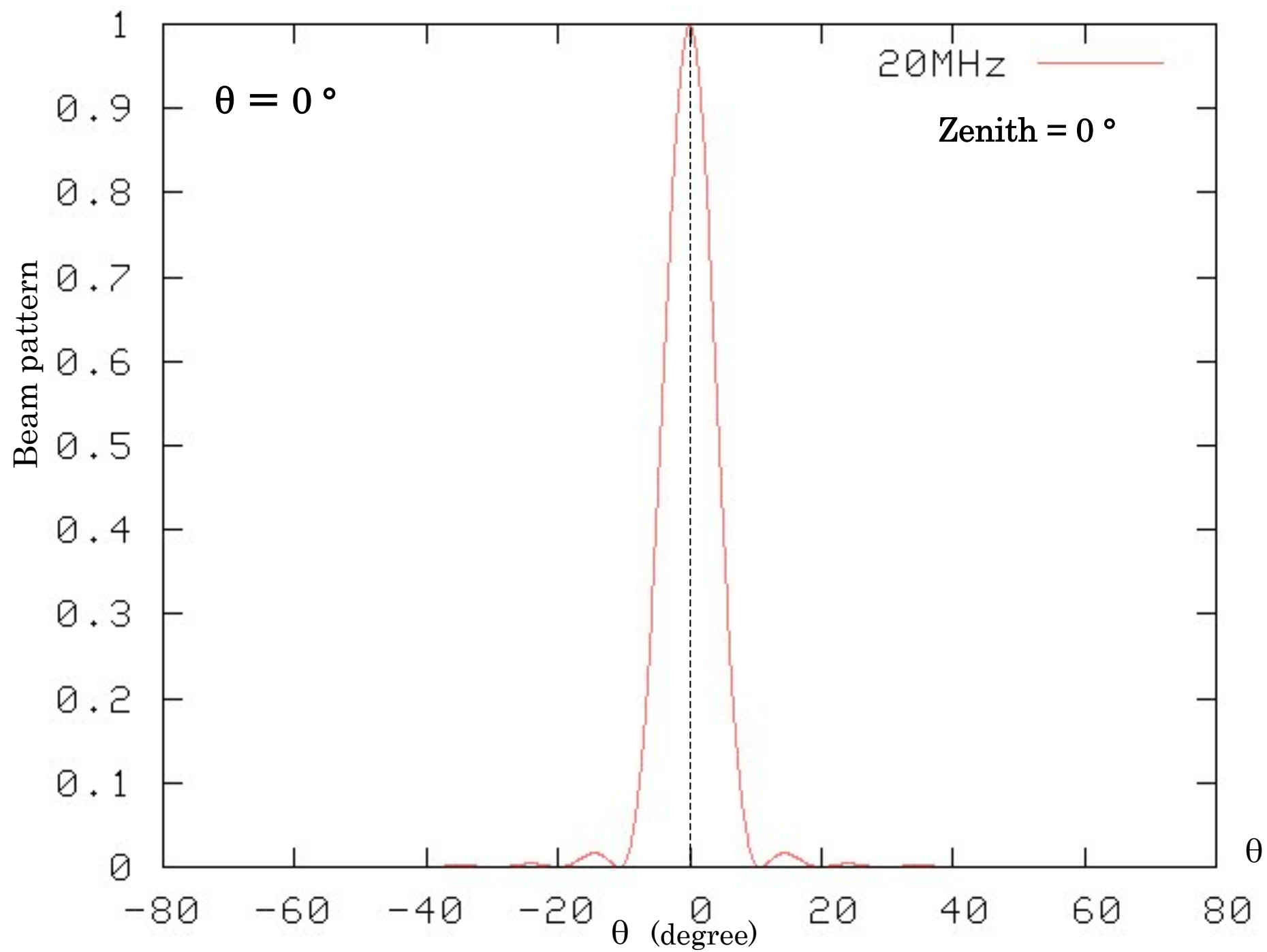


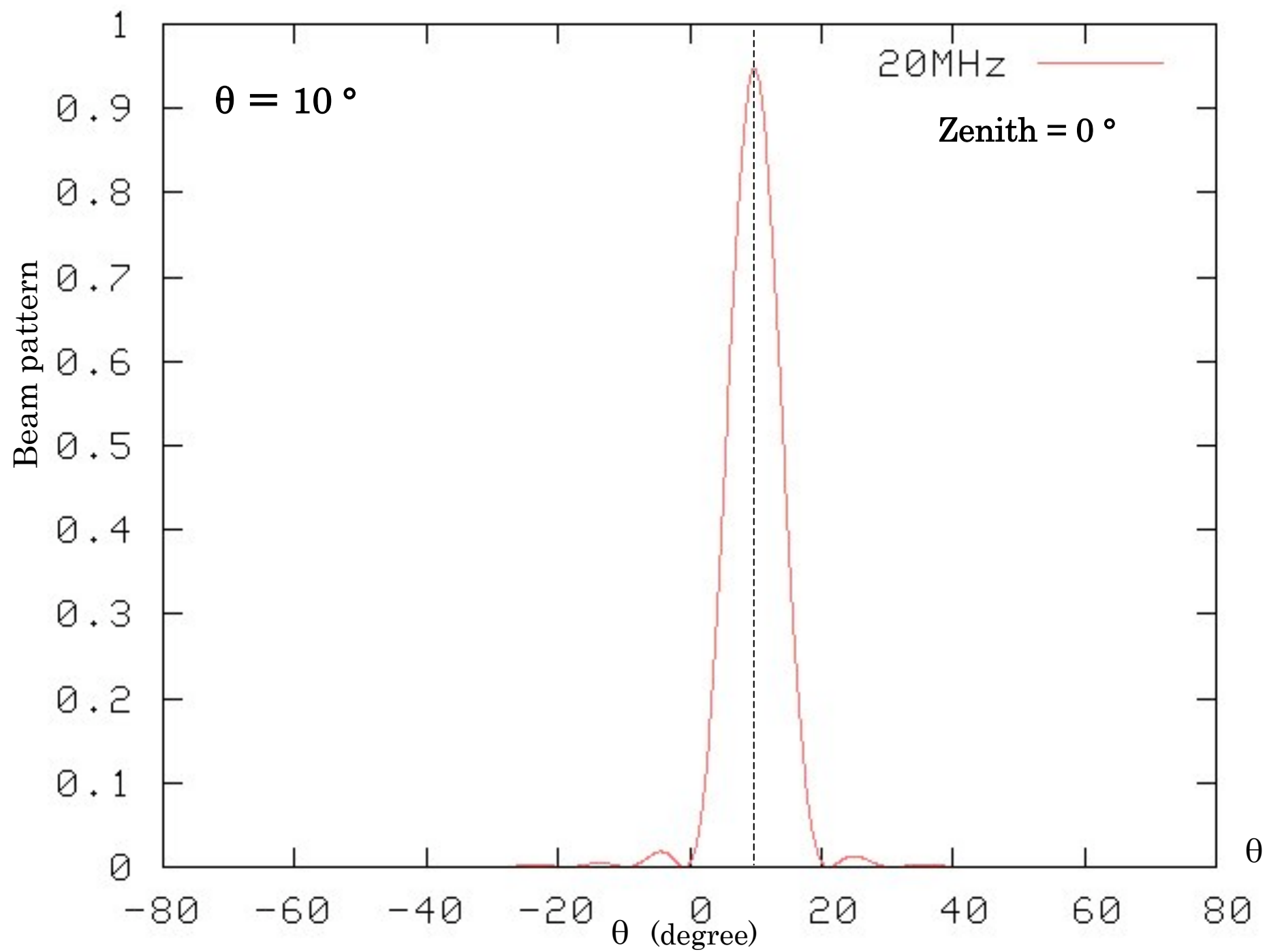


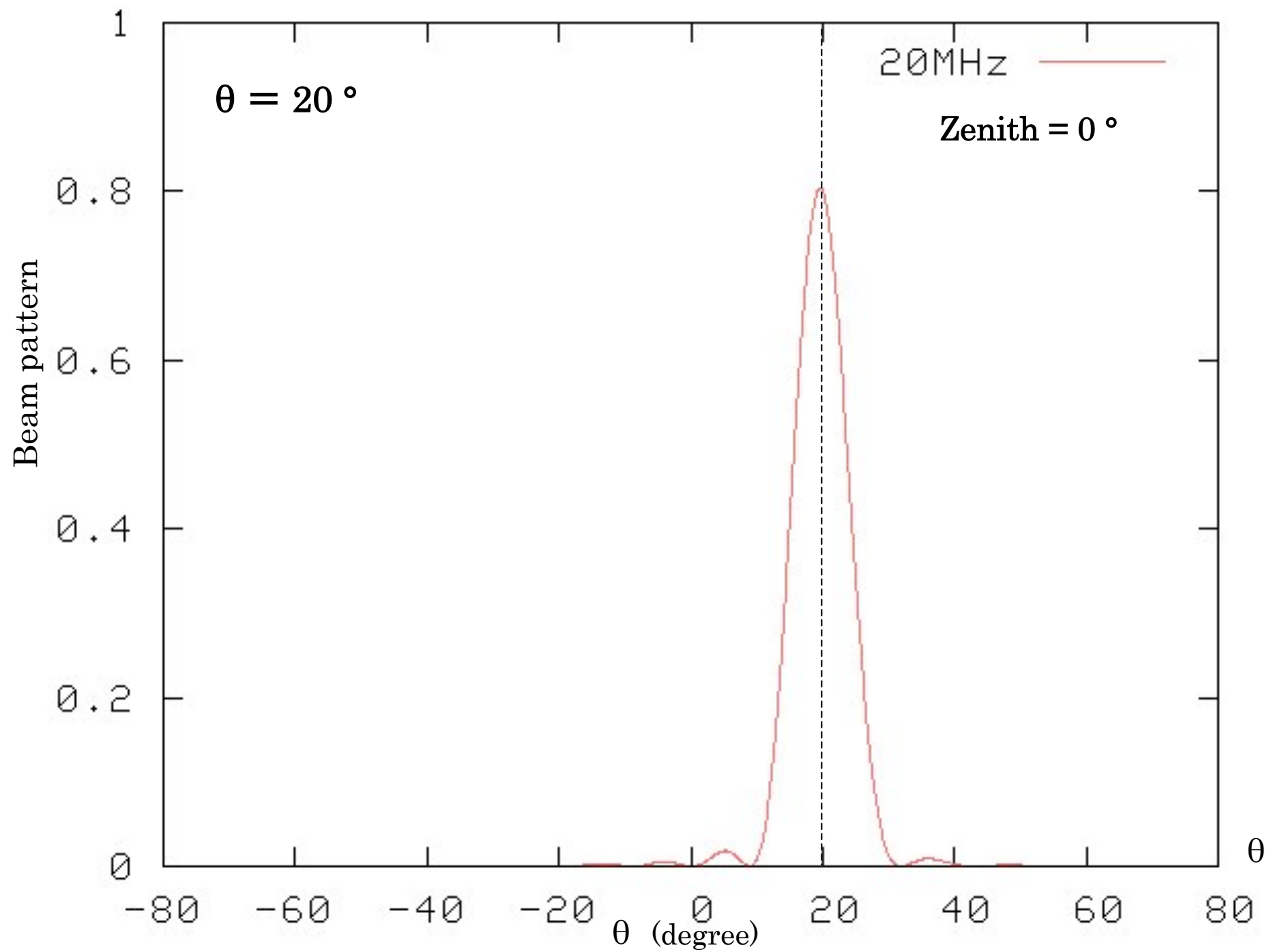


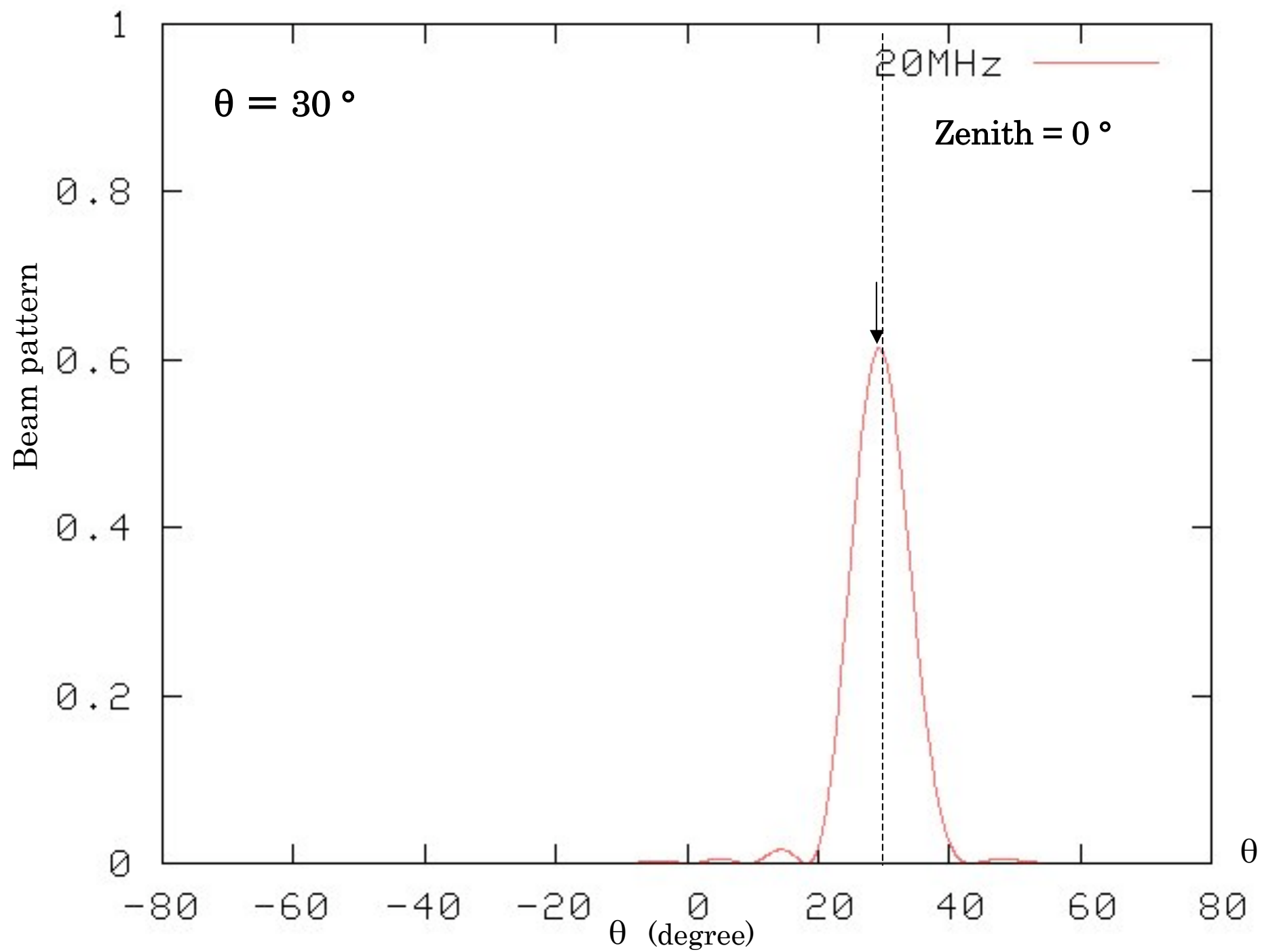


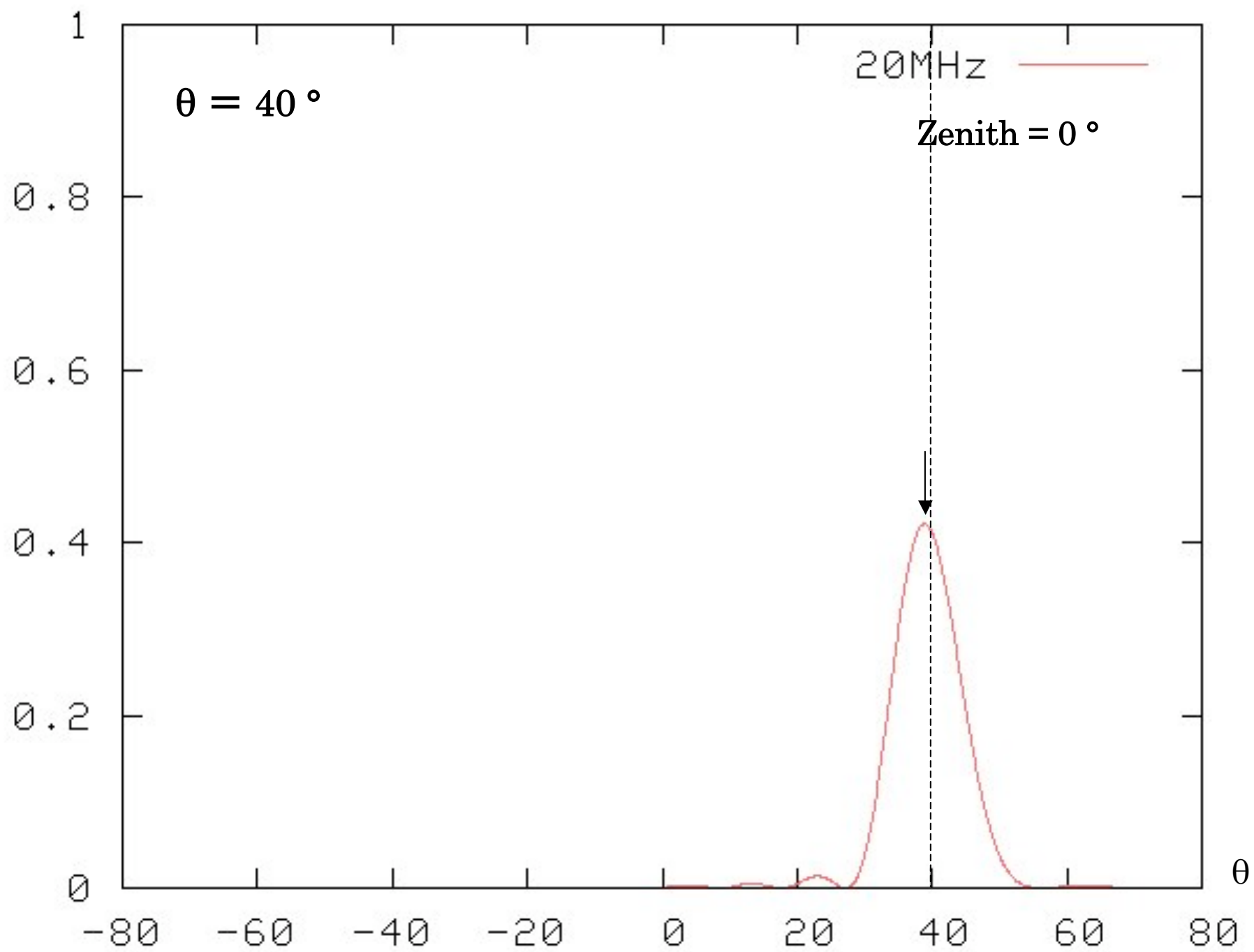


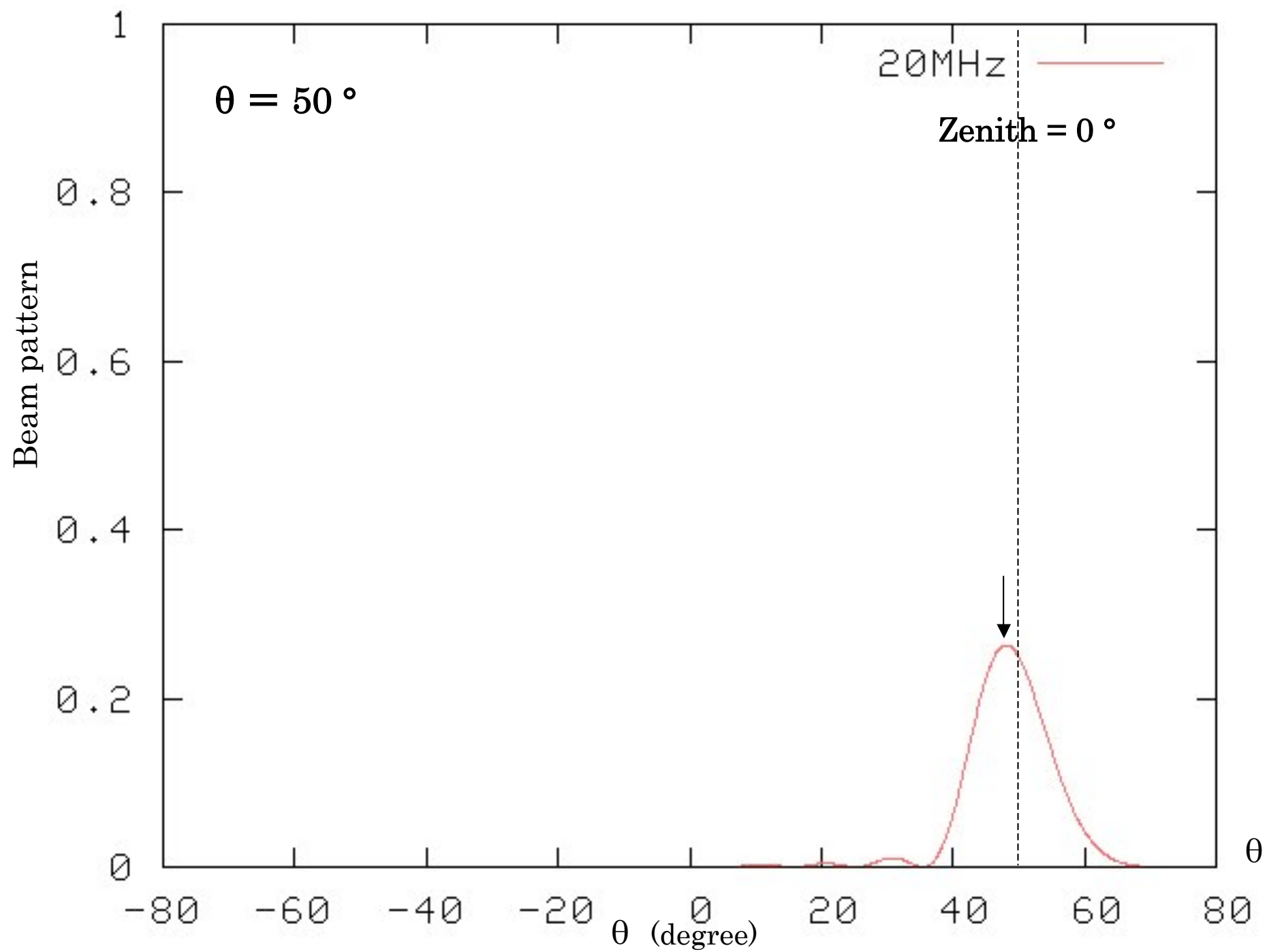


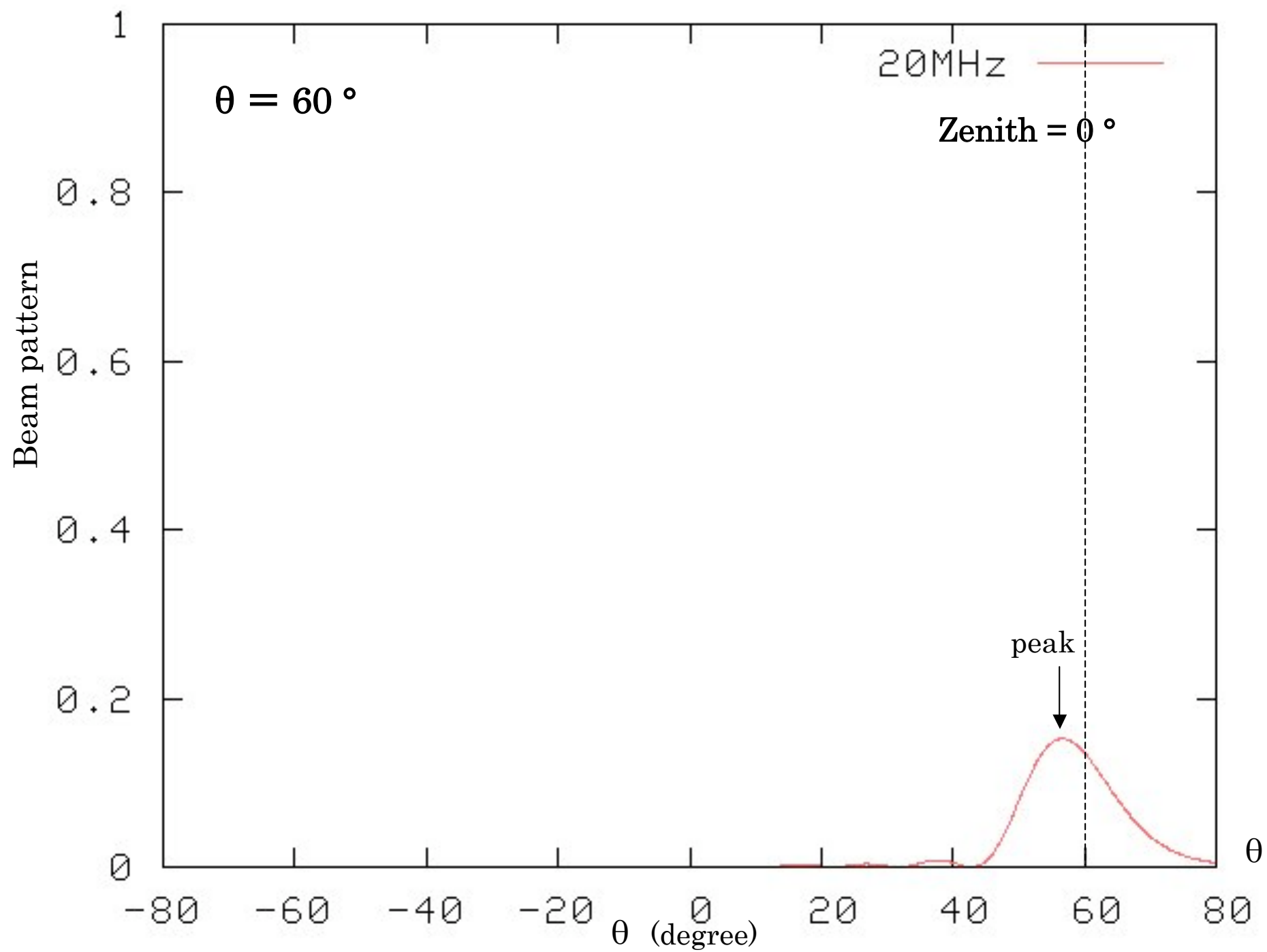


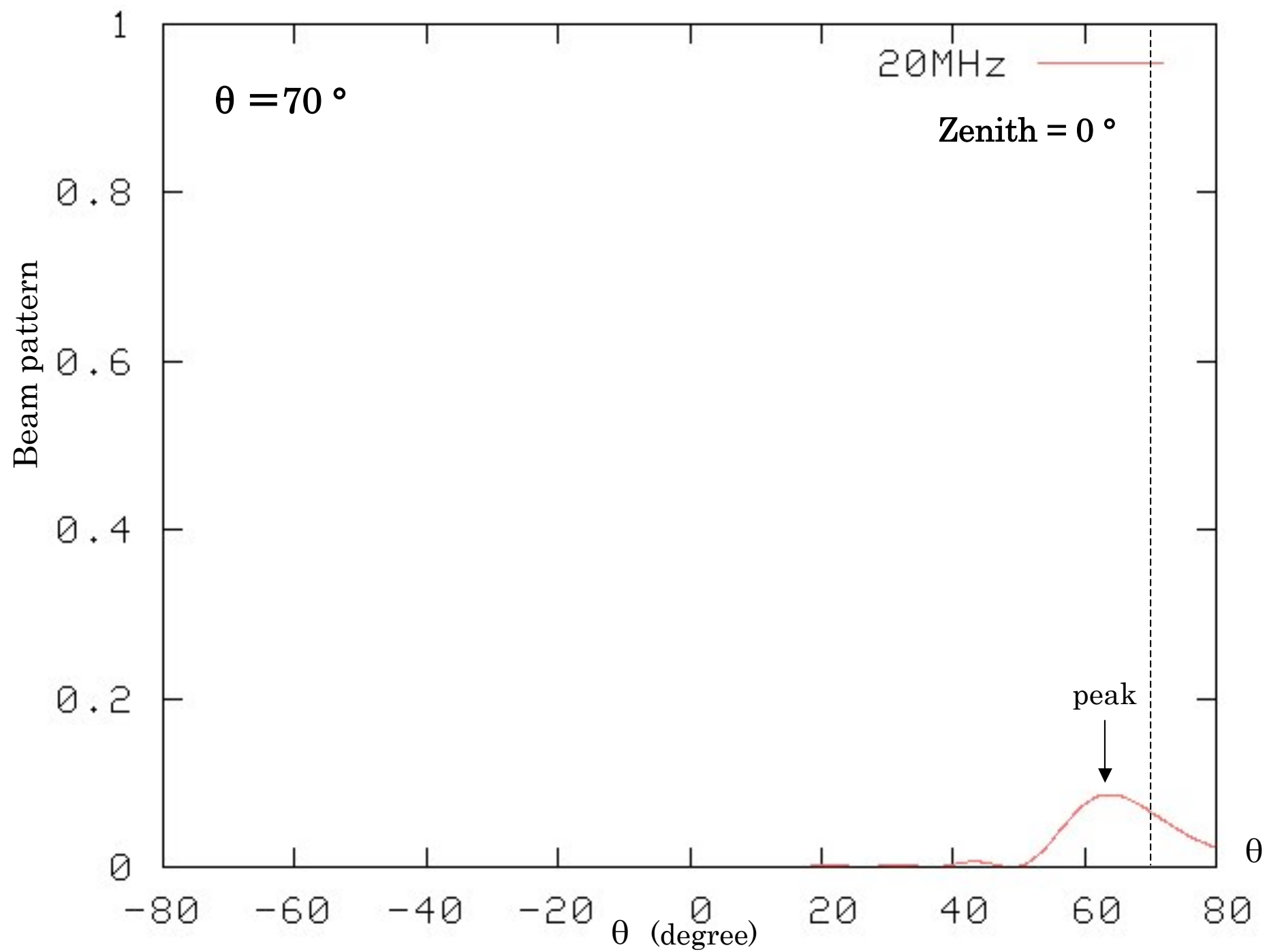


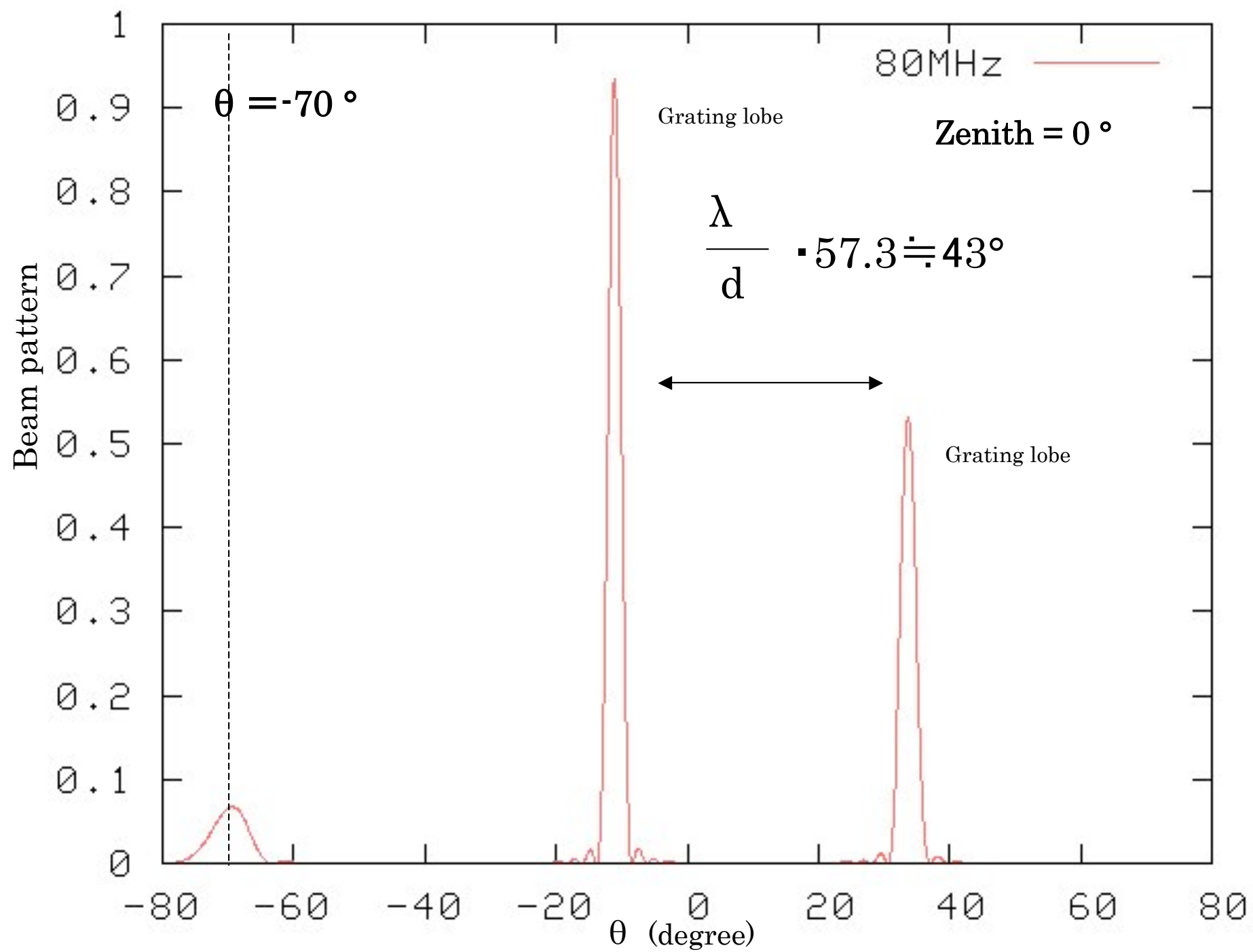


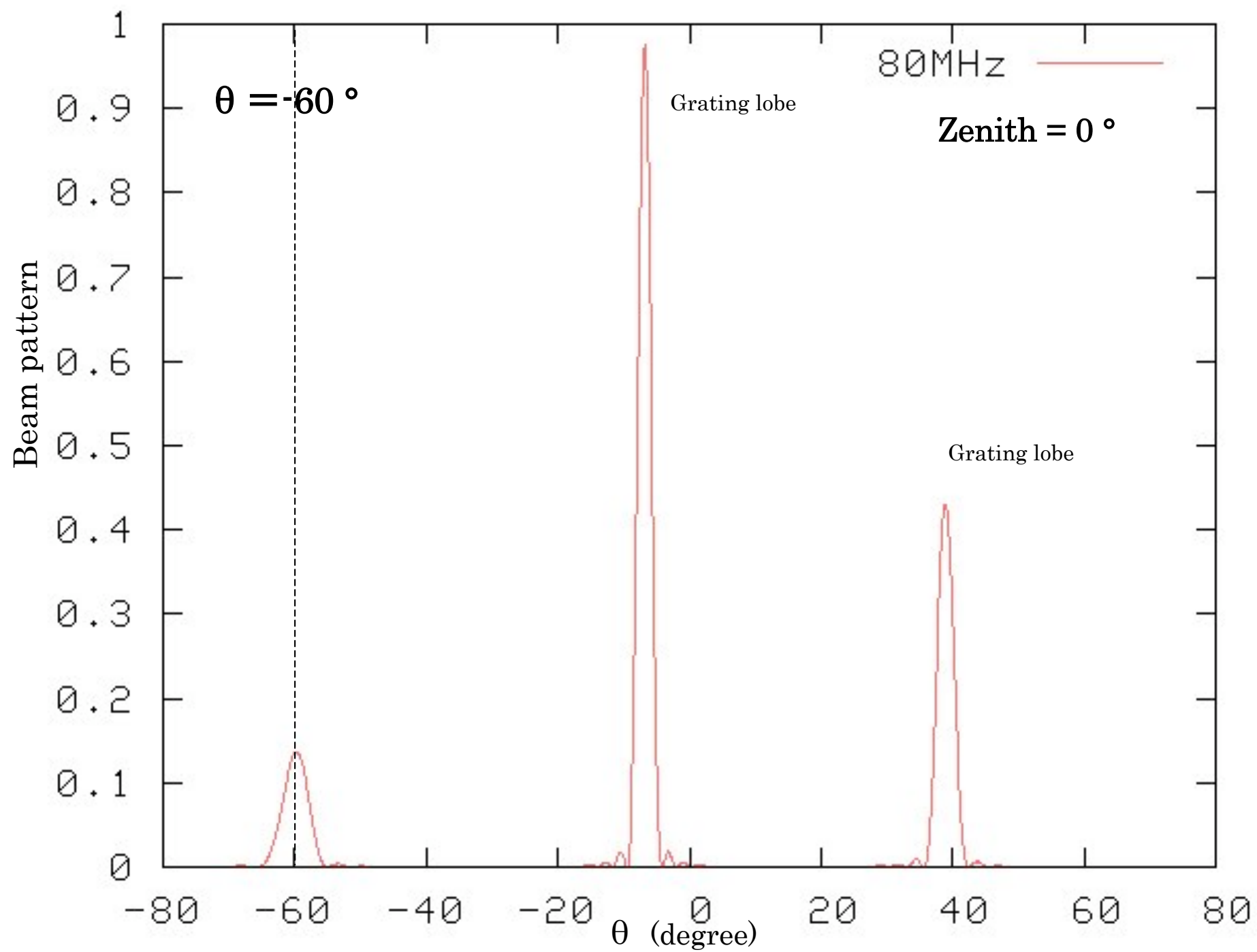


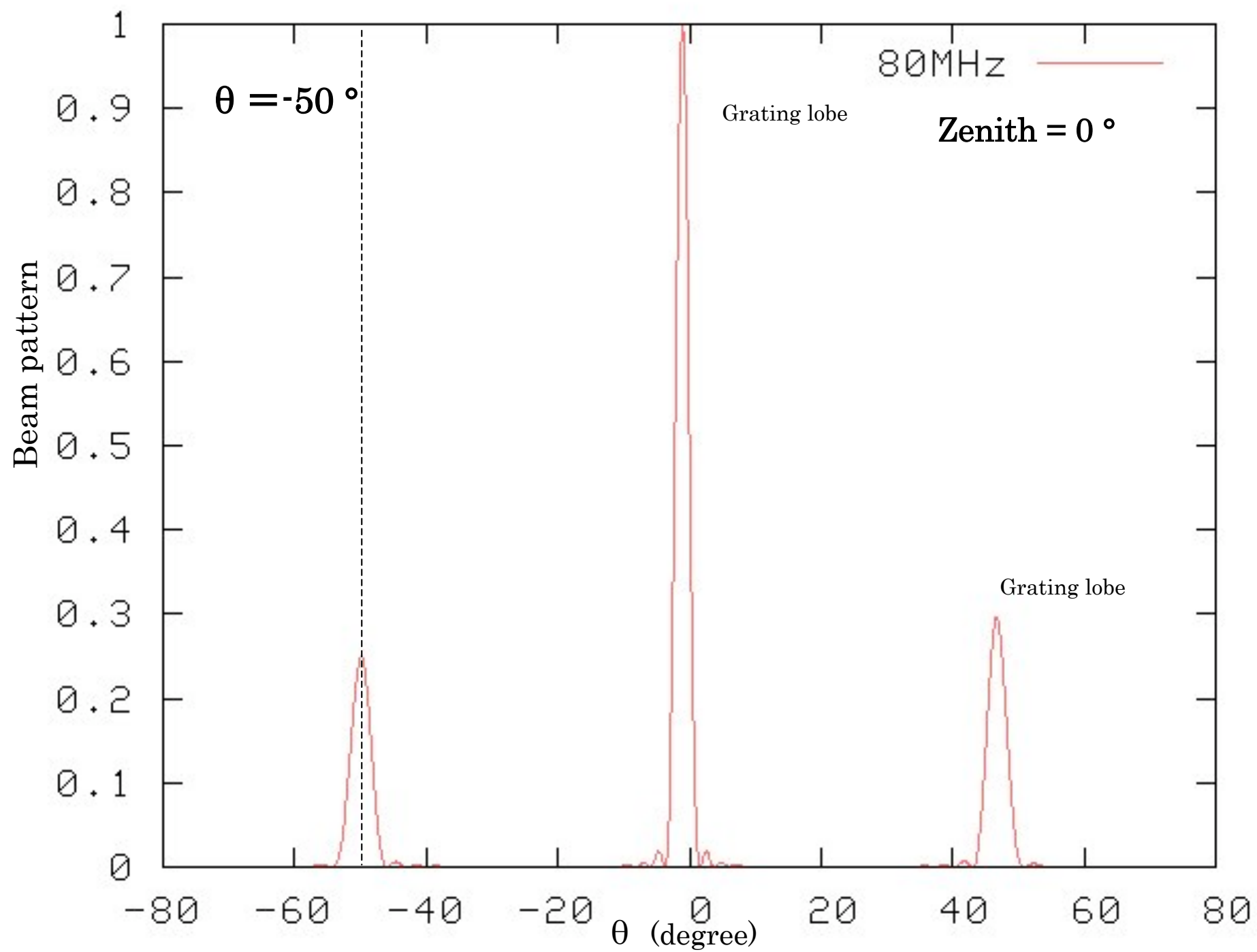


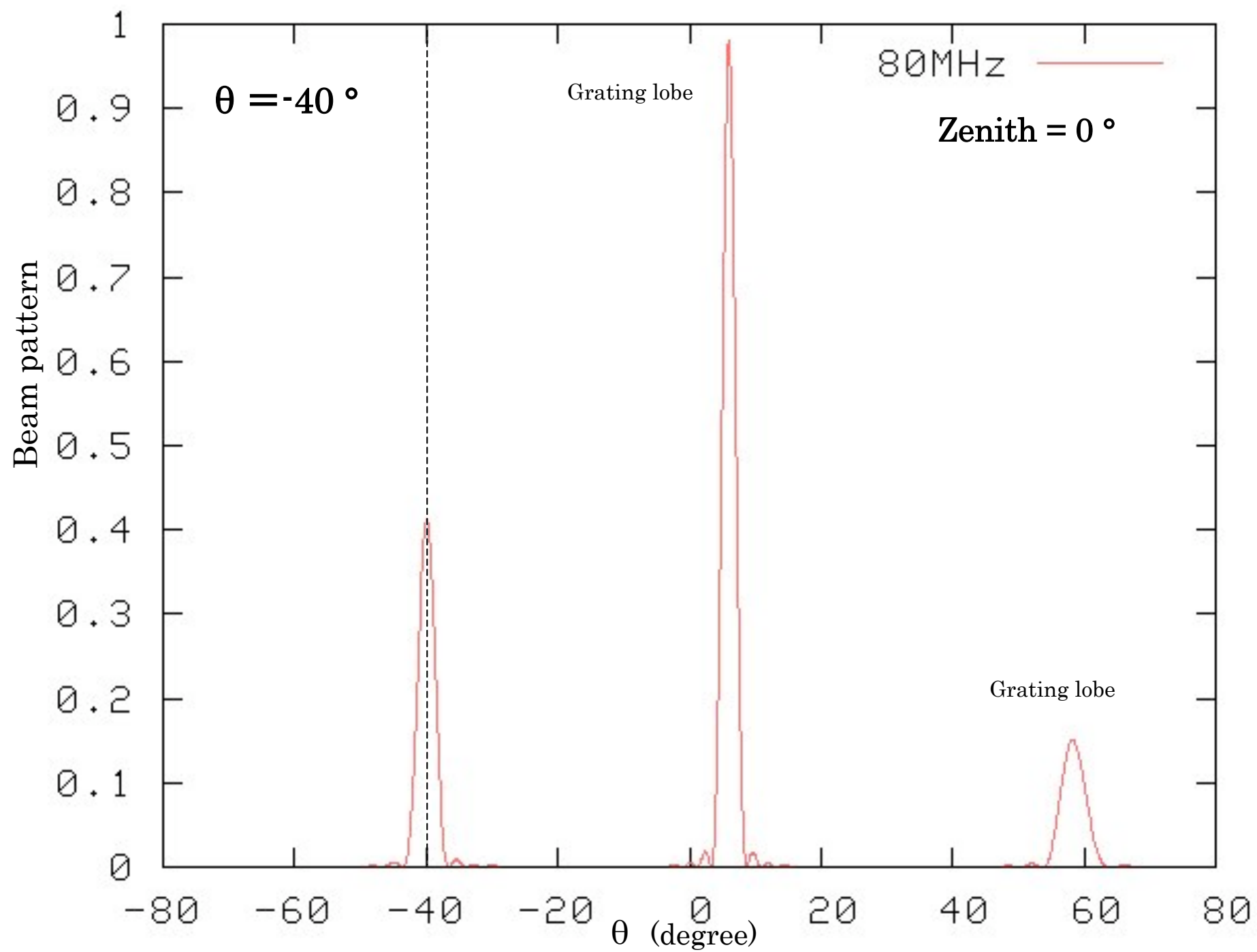


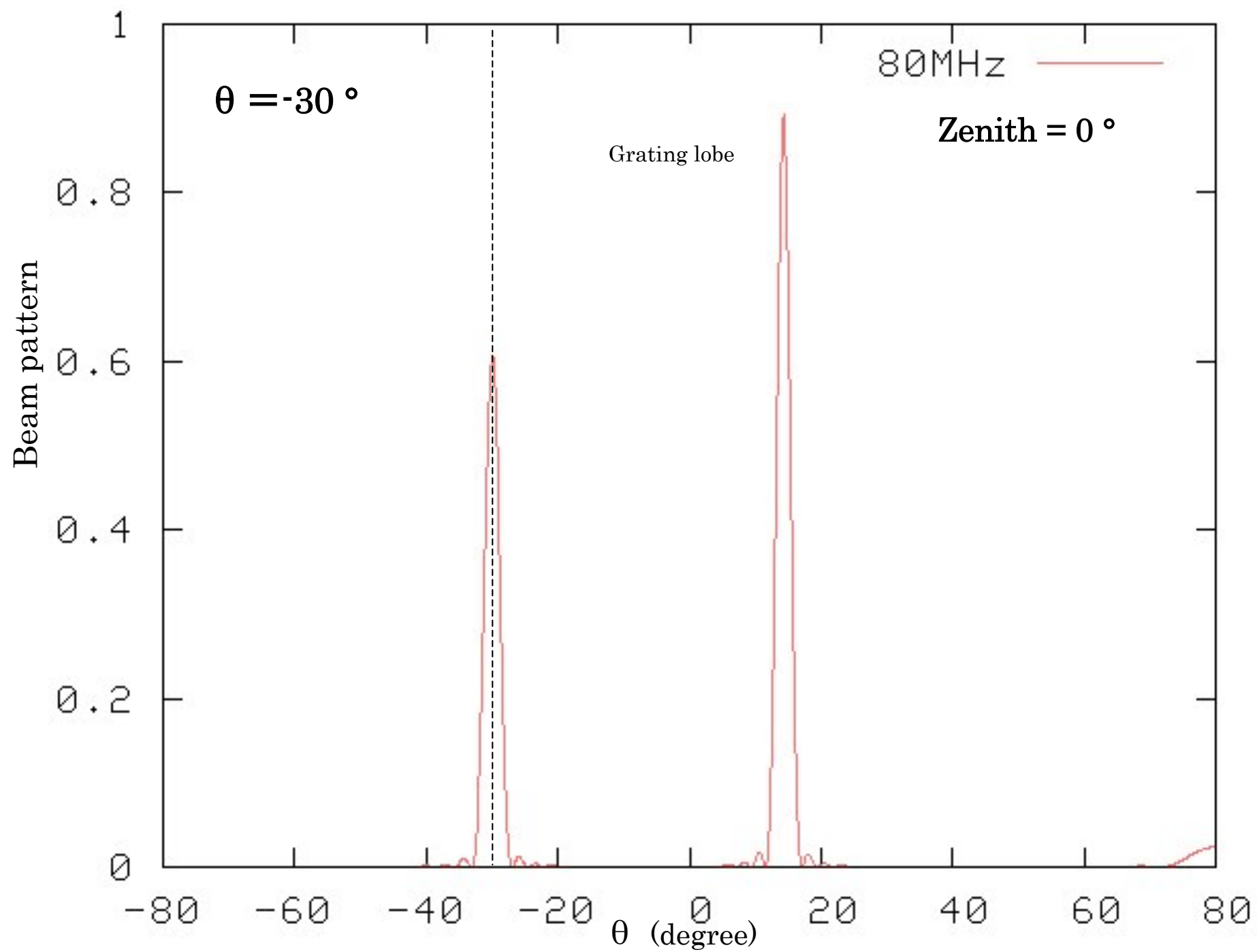


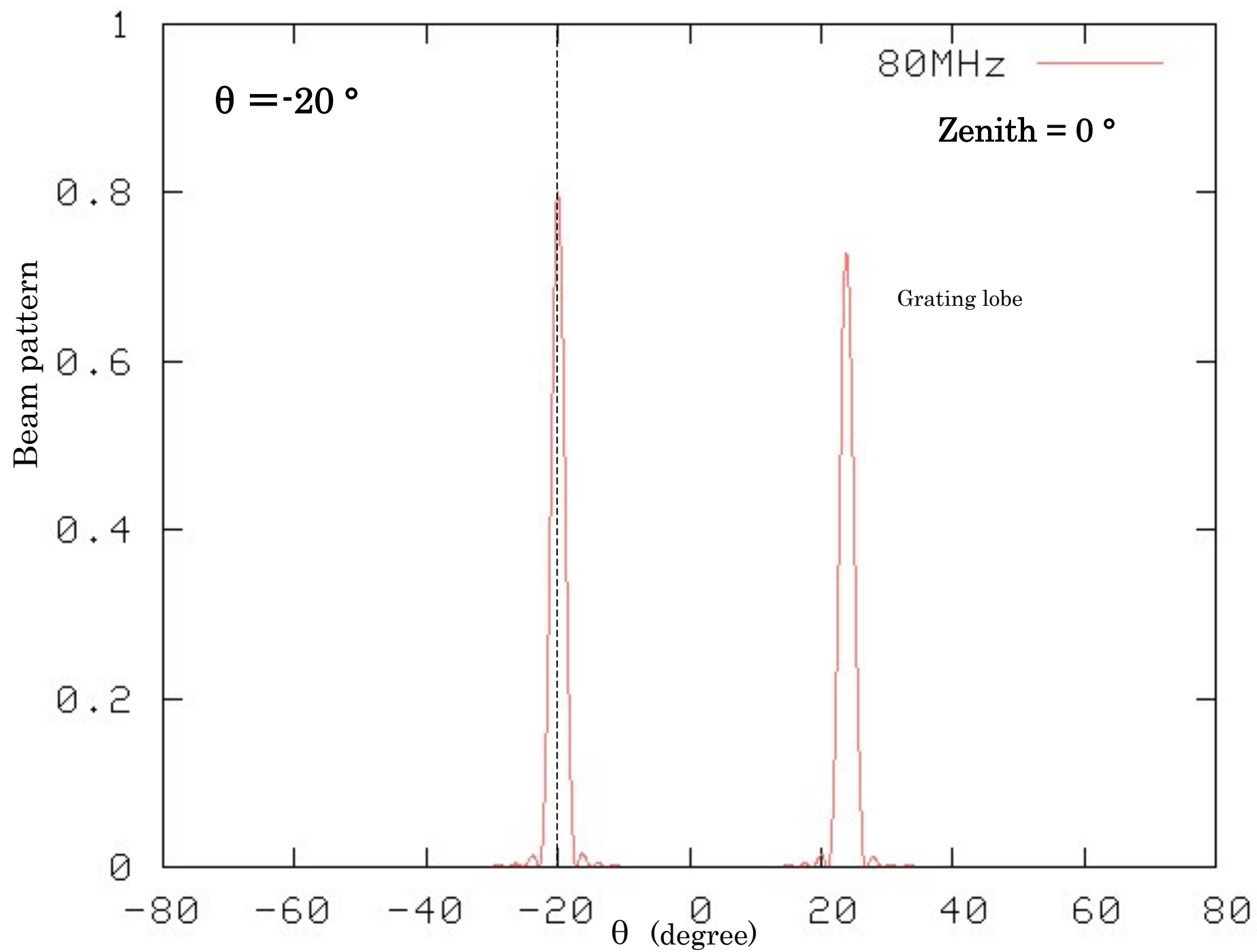


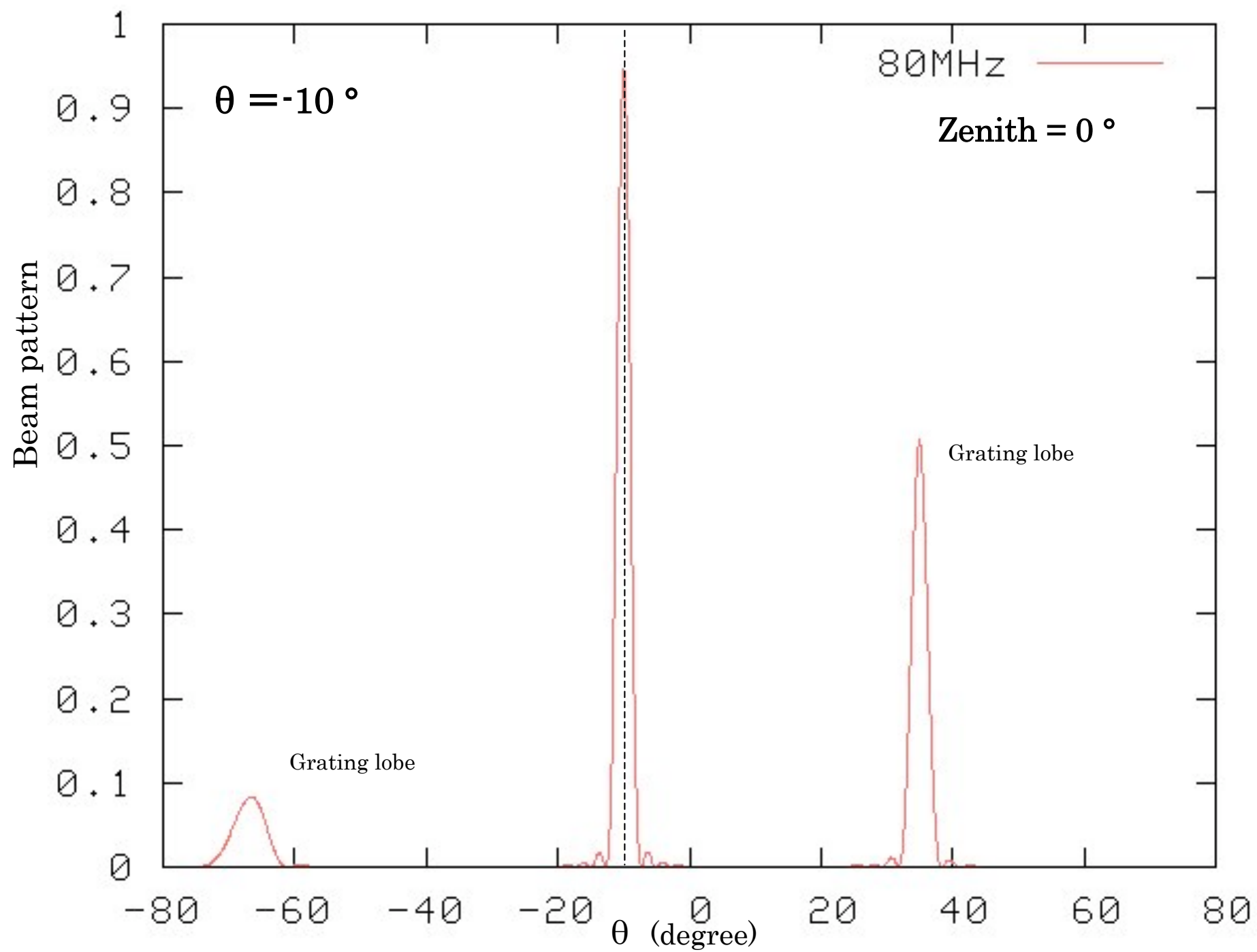


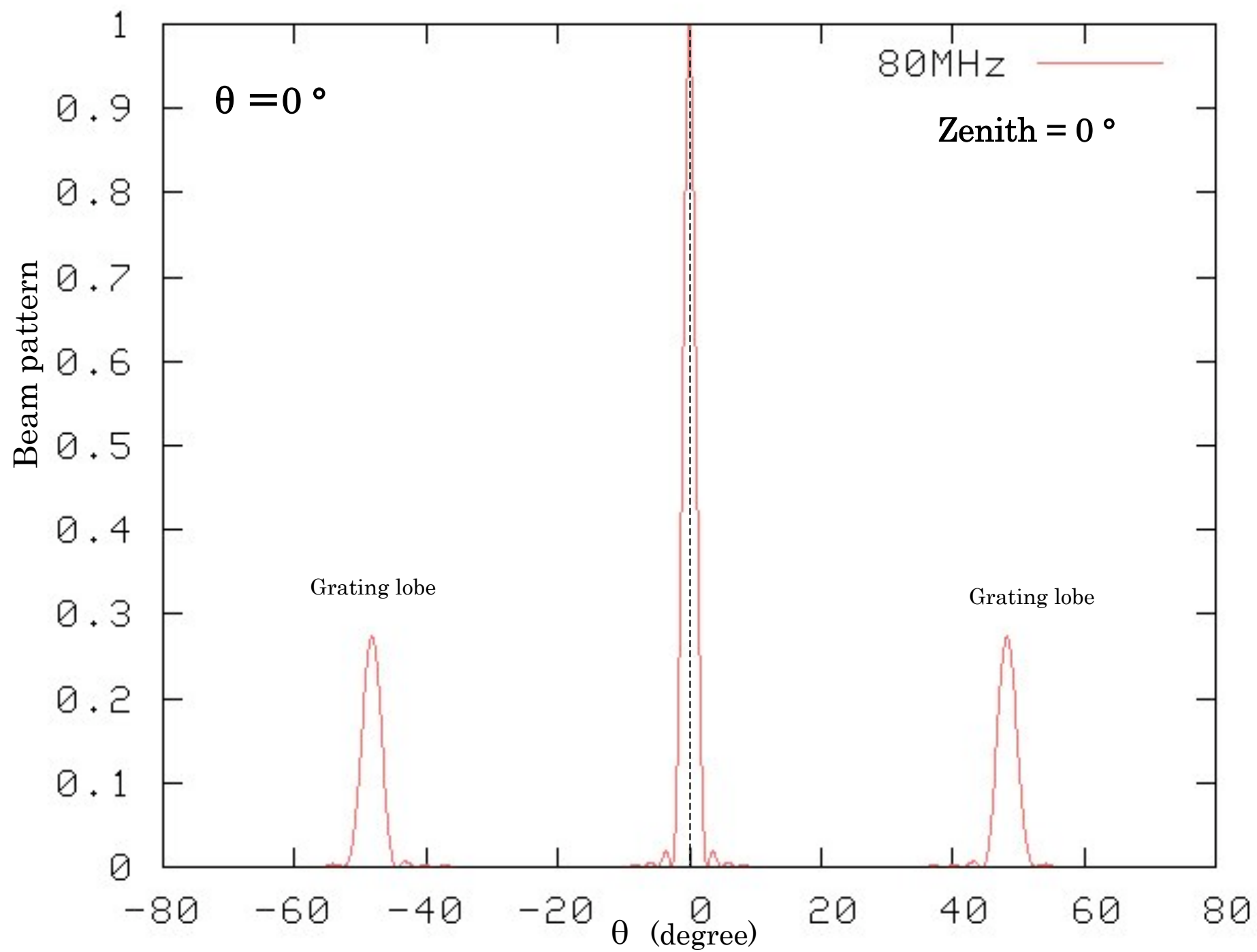


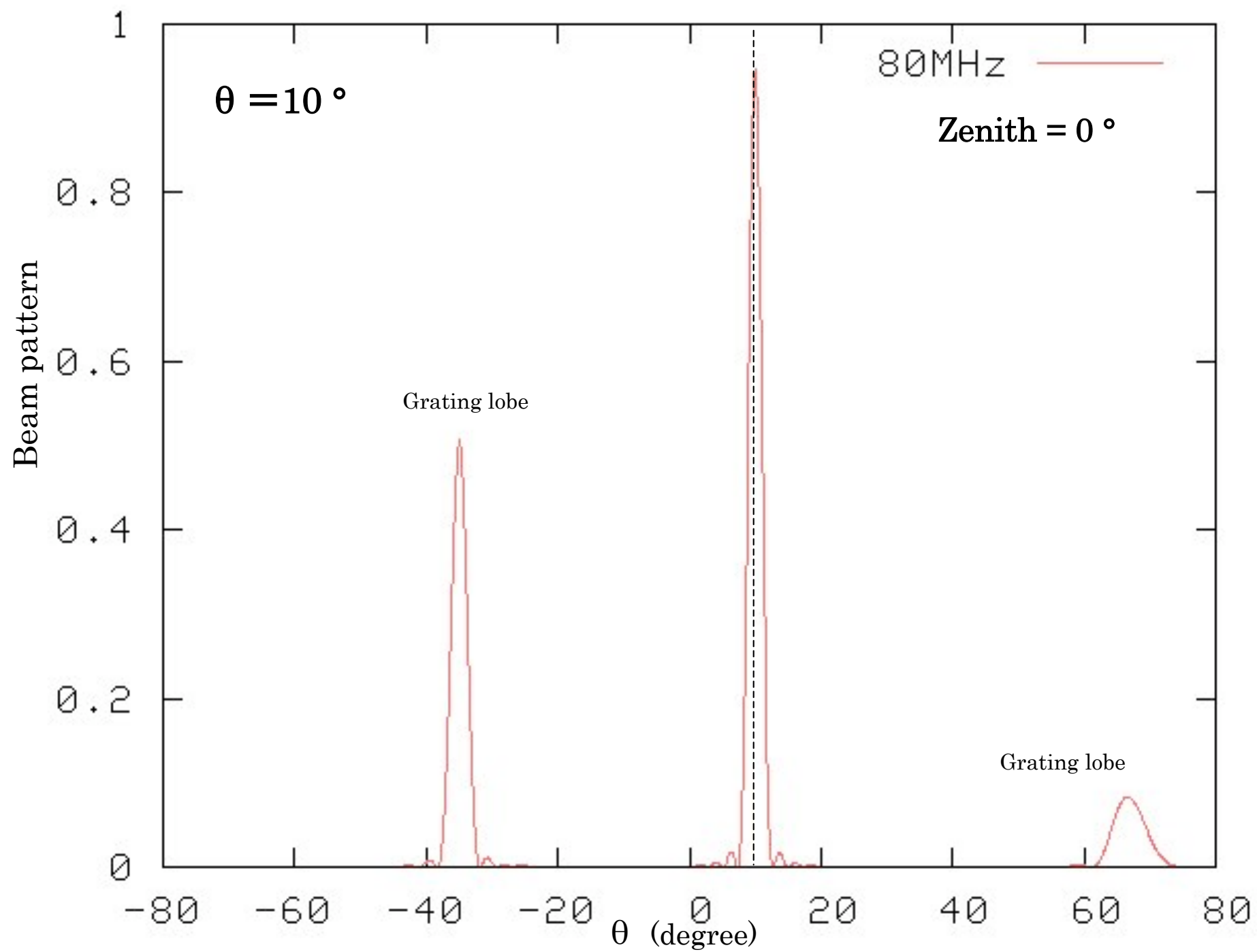


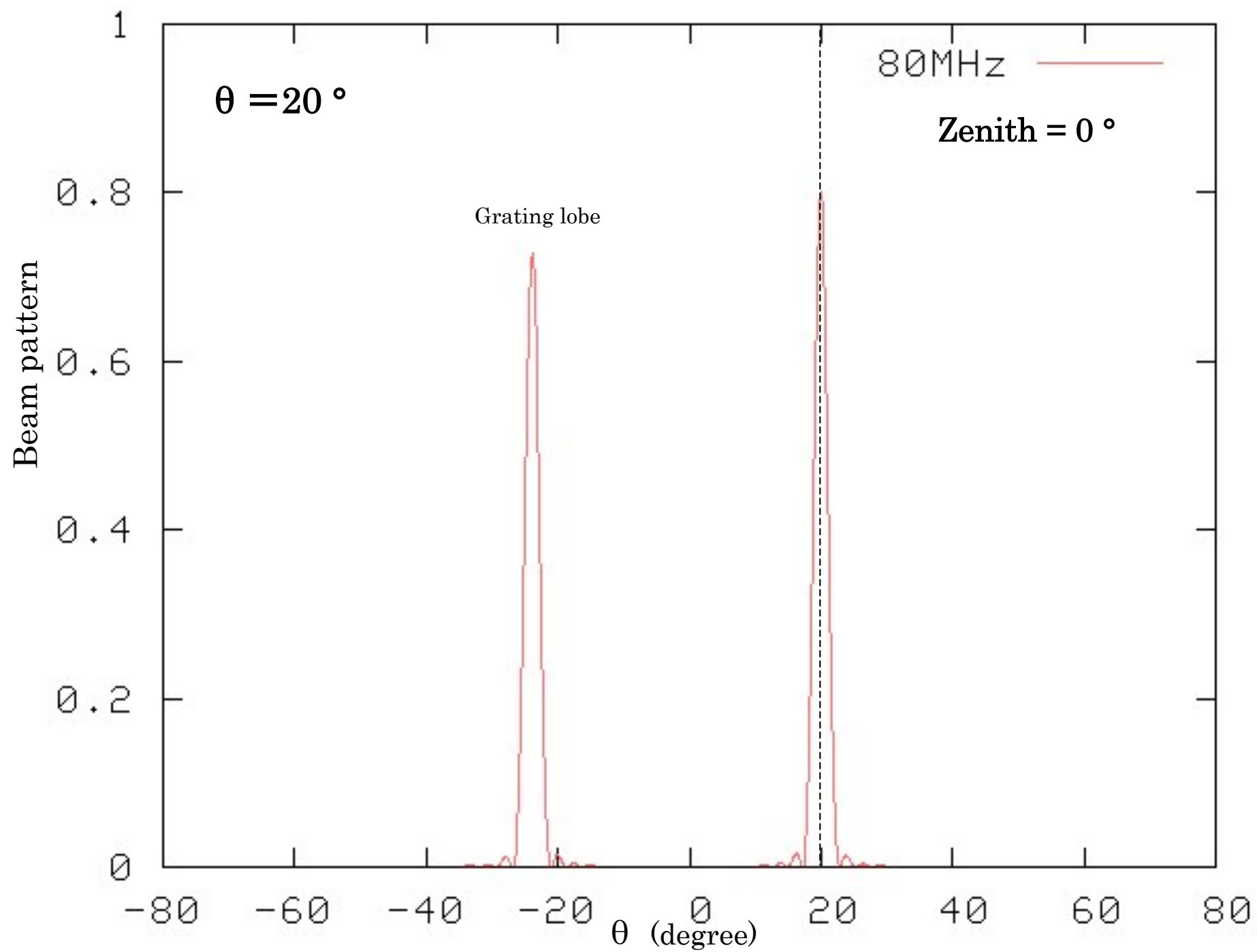


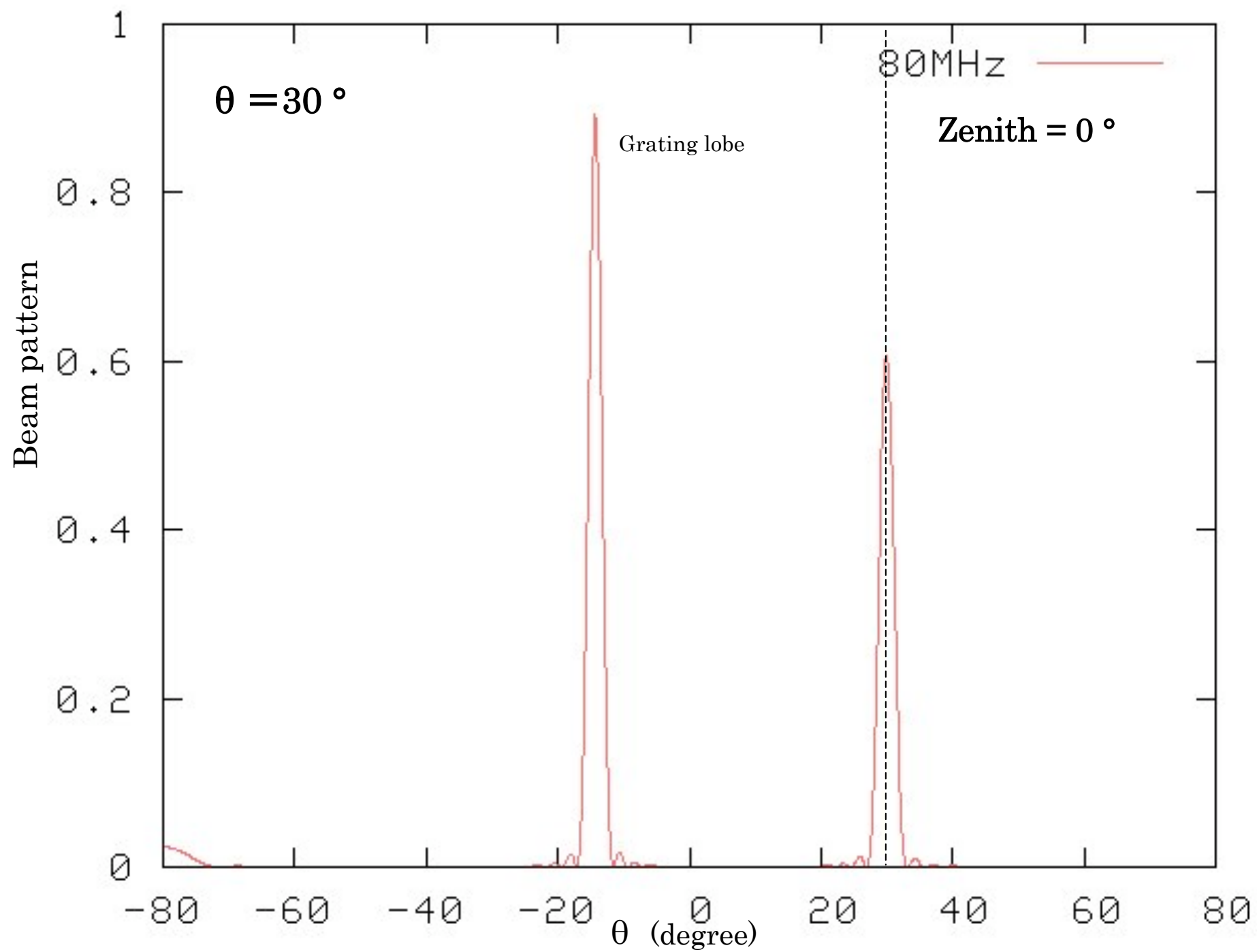


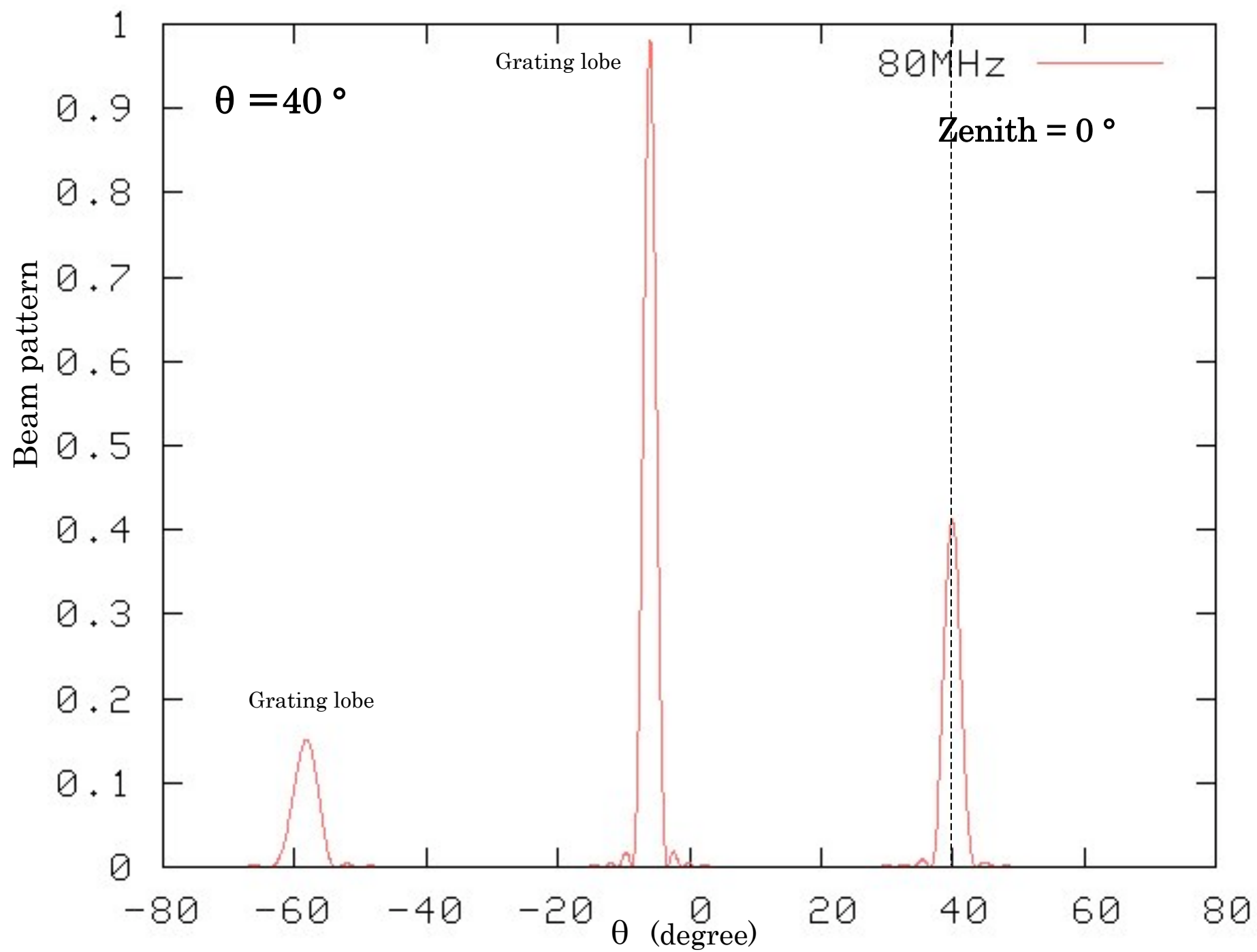


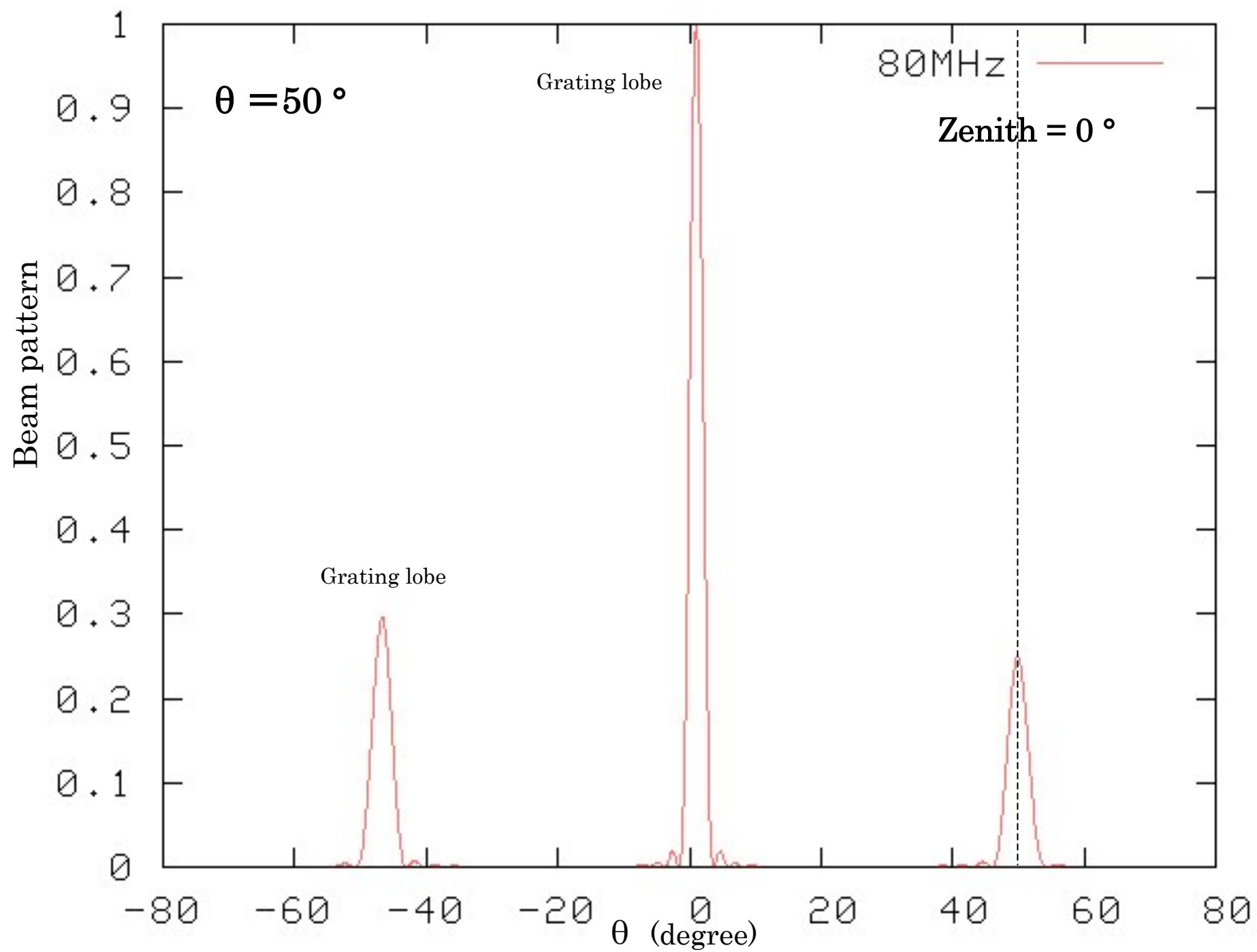


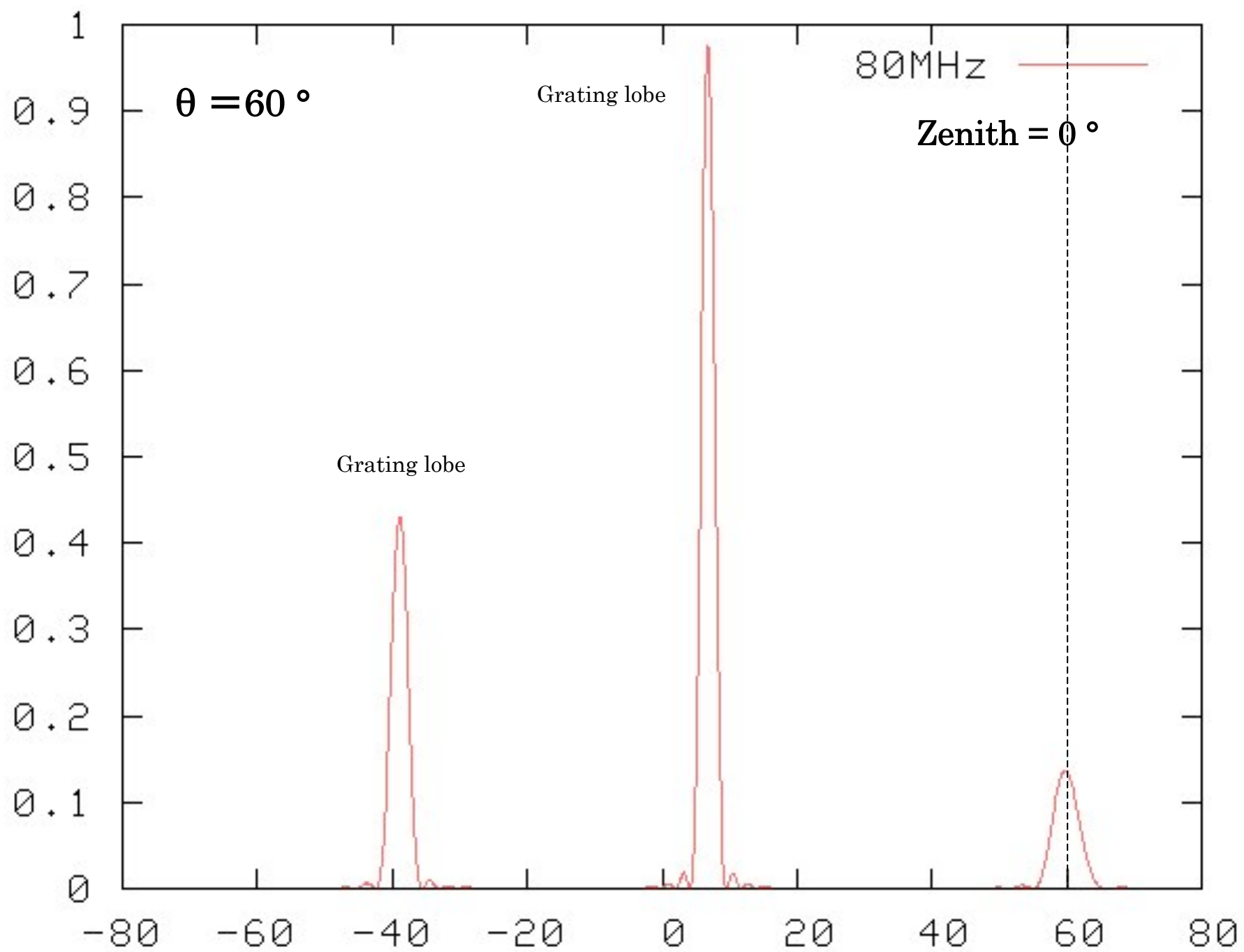


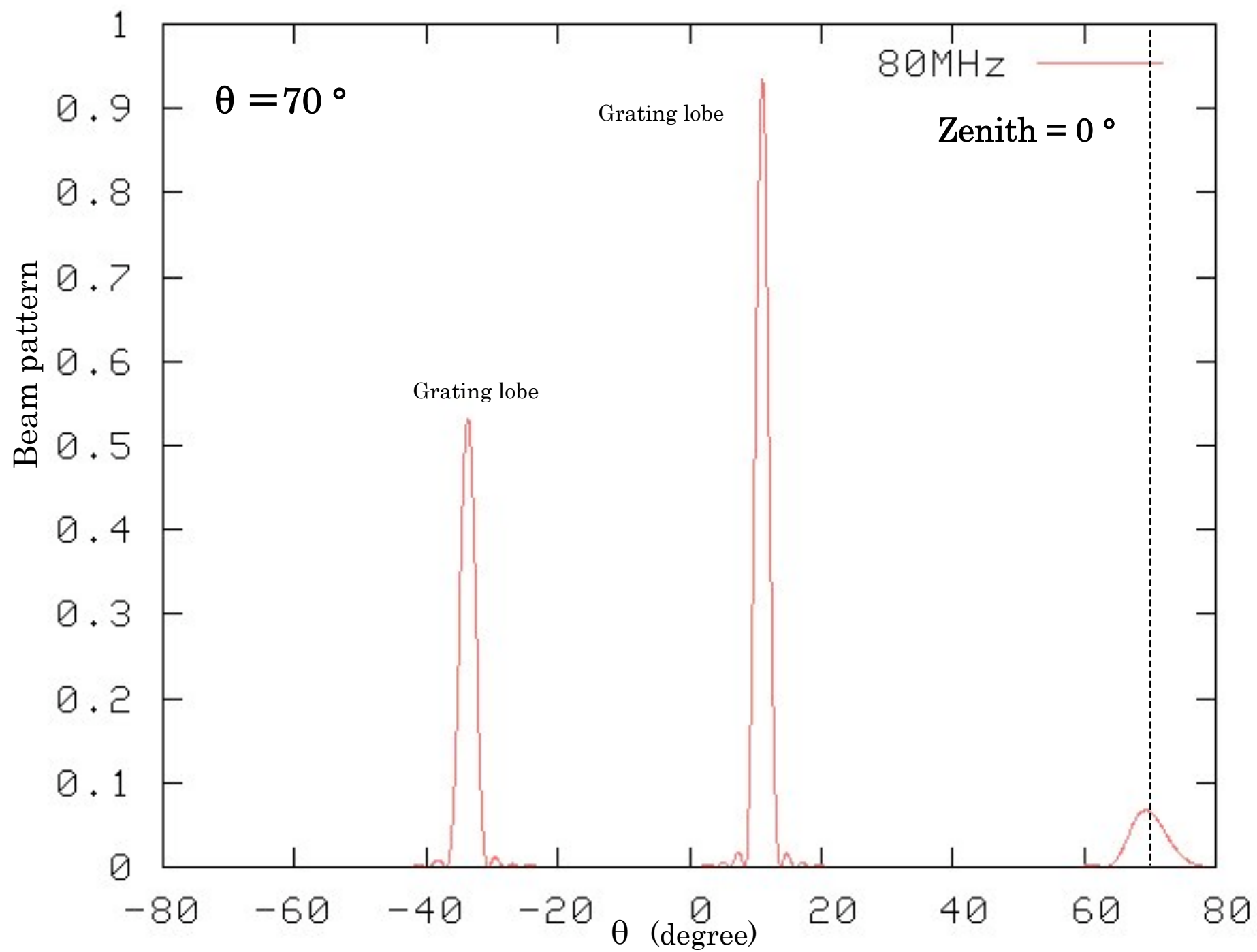






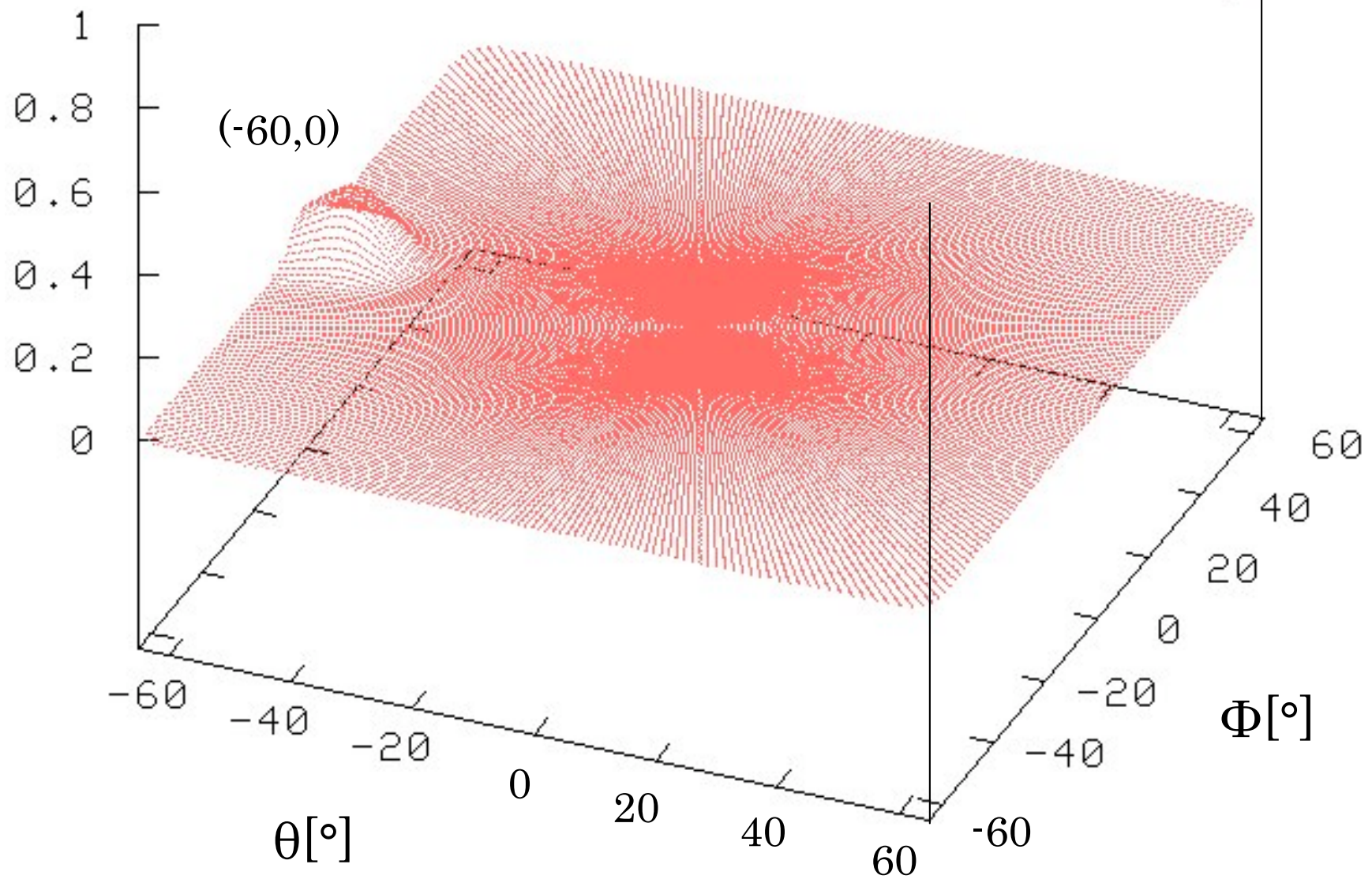






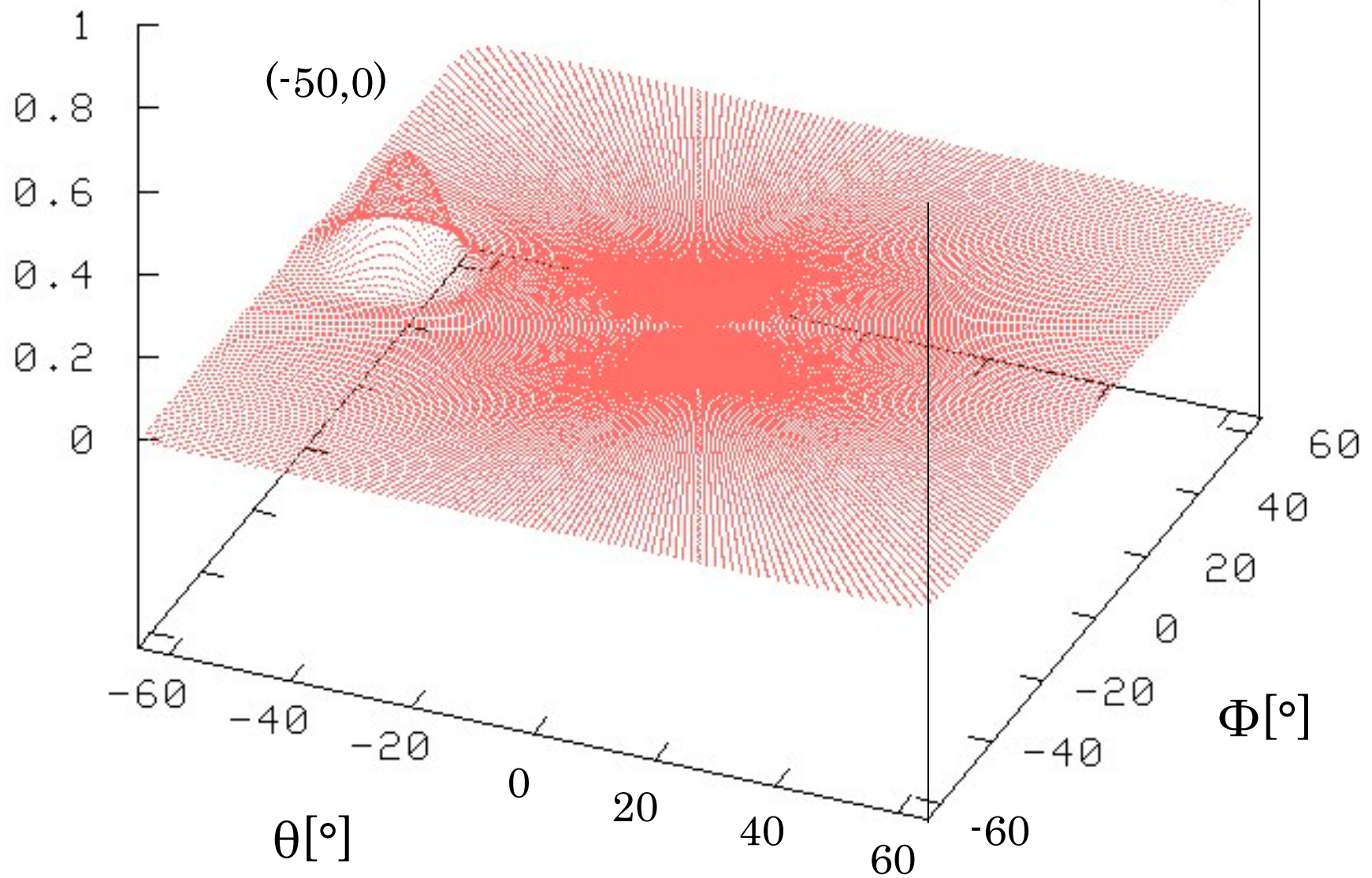
Station beam at 20MHz

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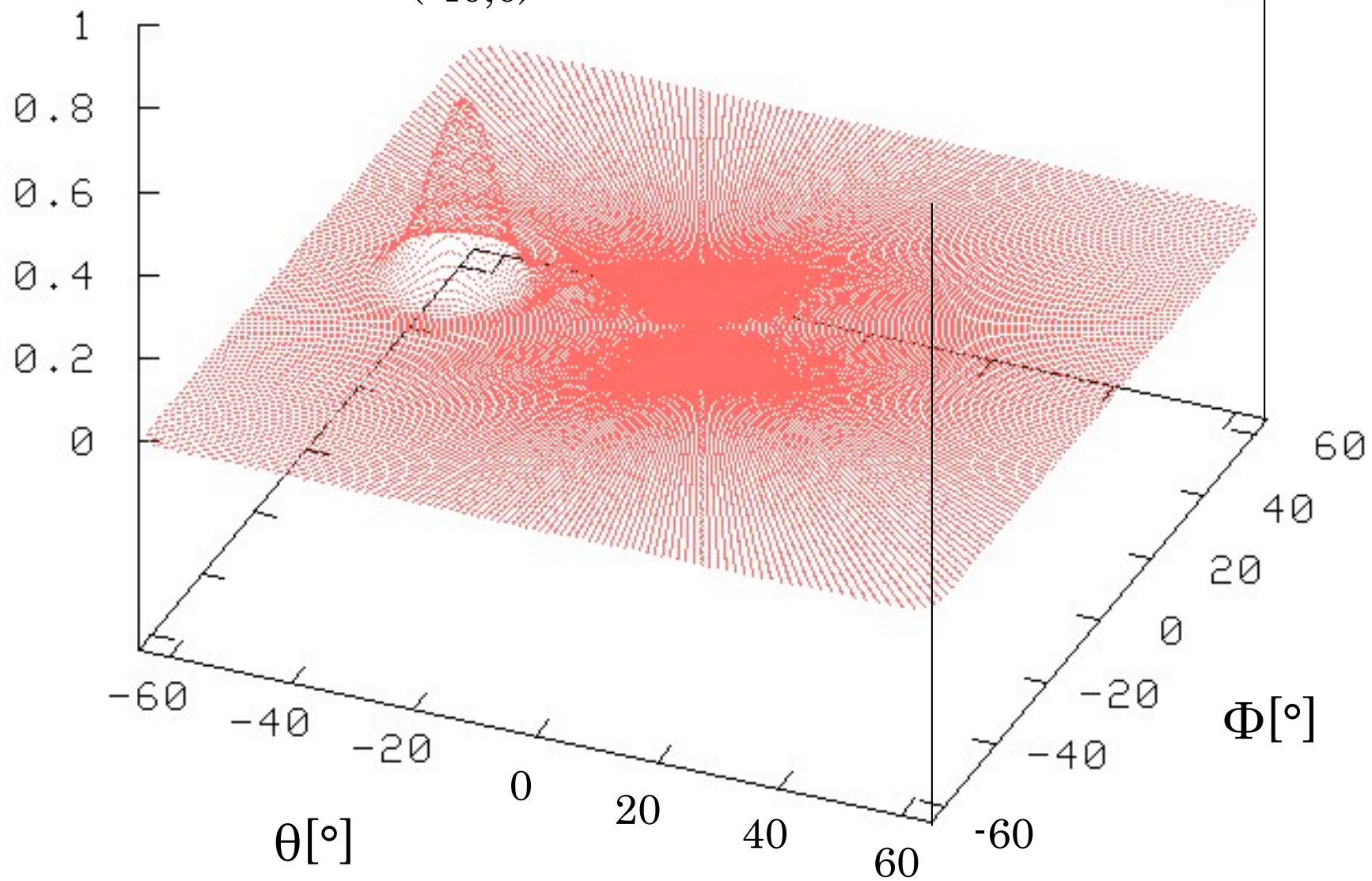
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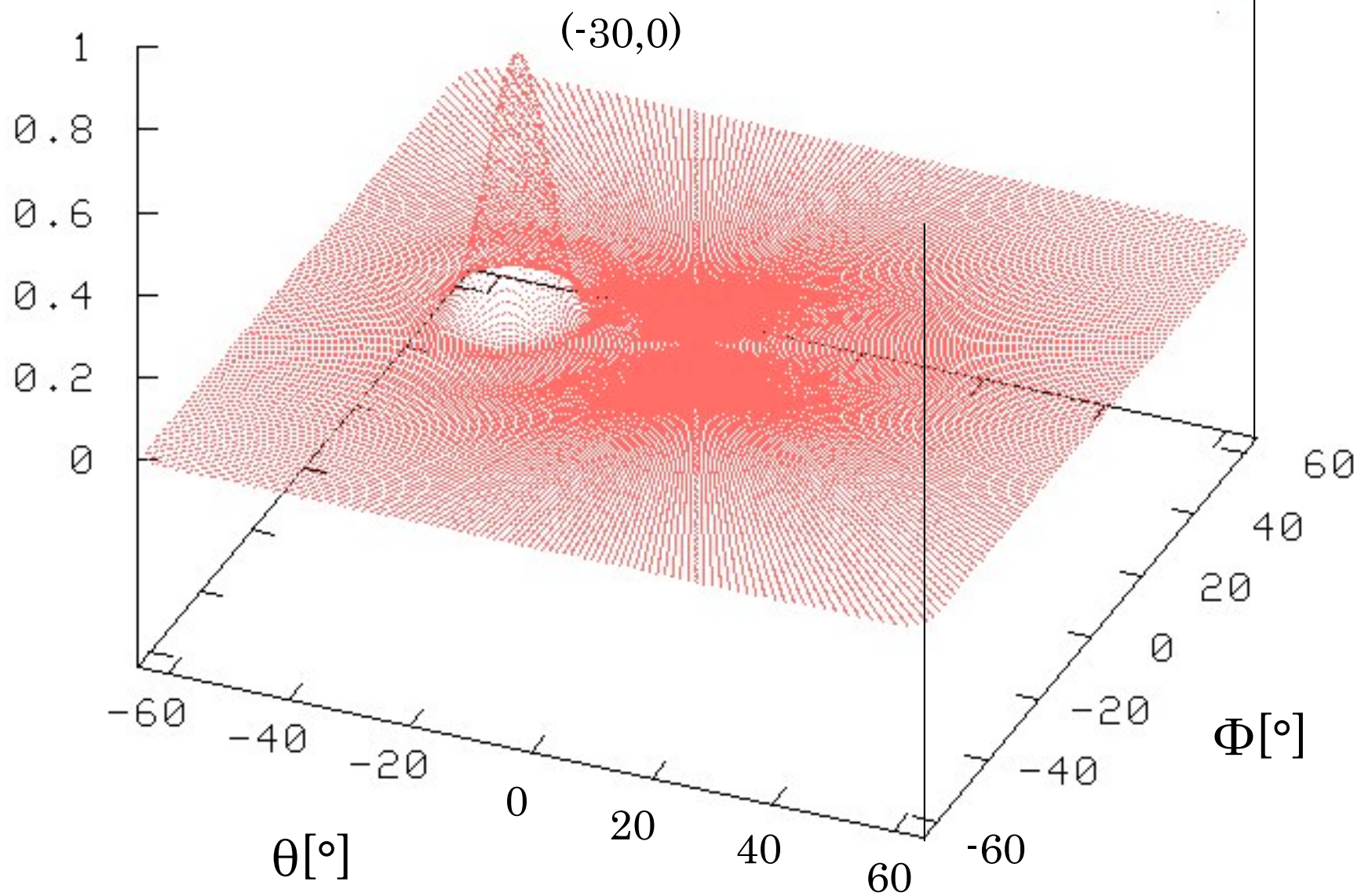
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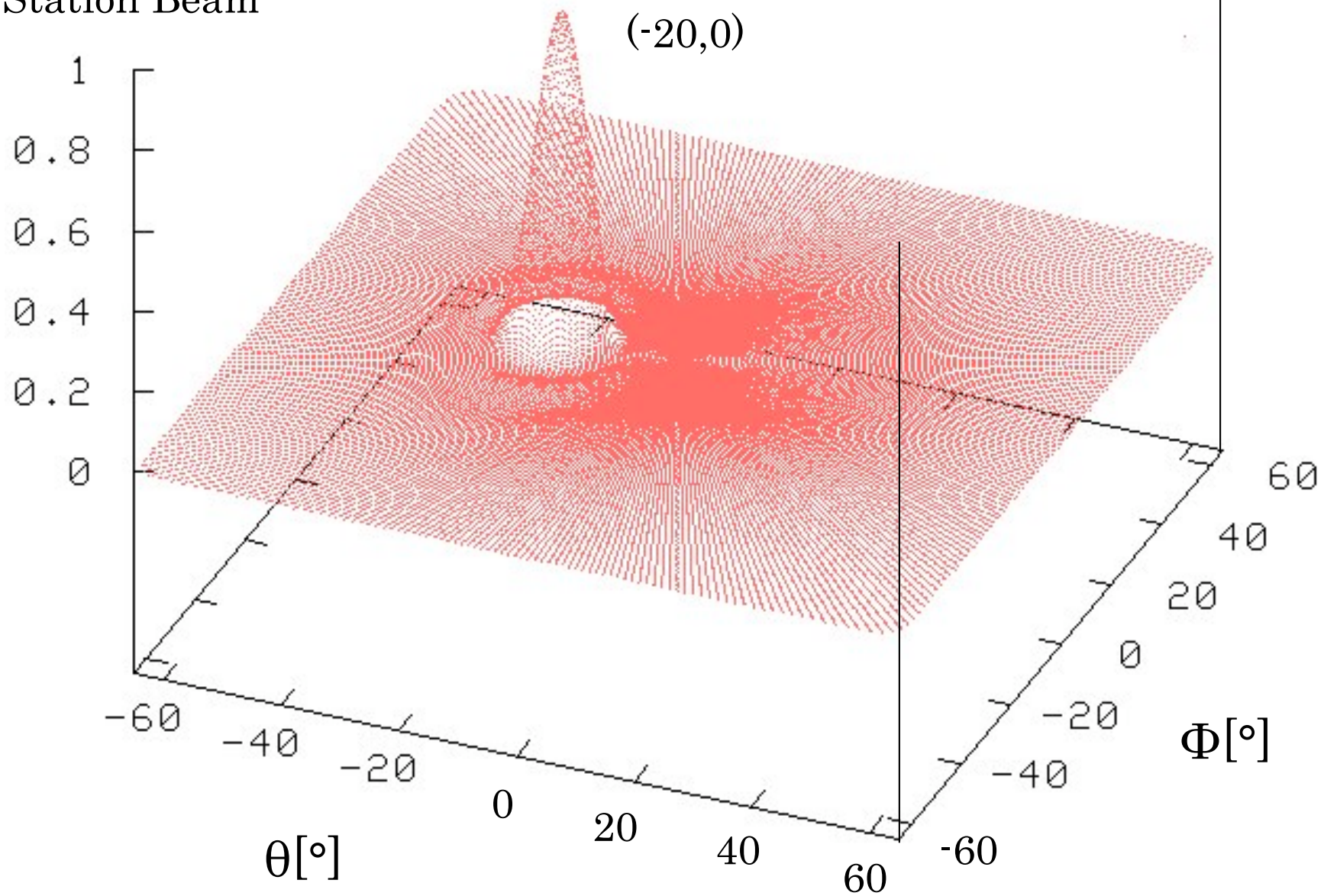
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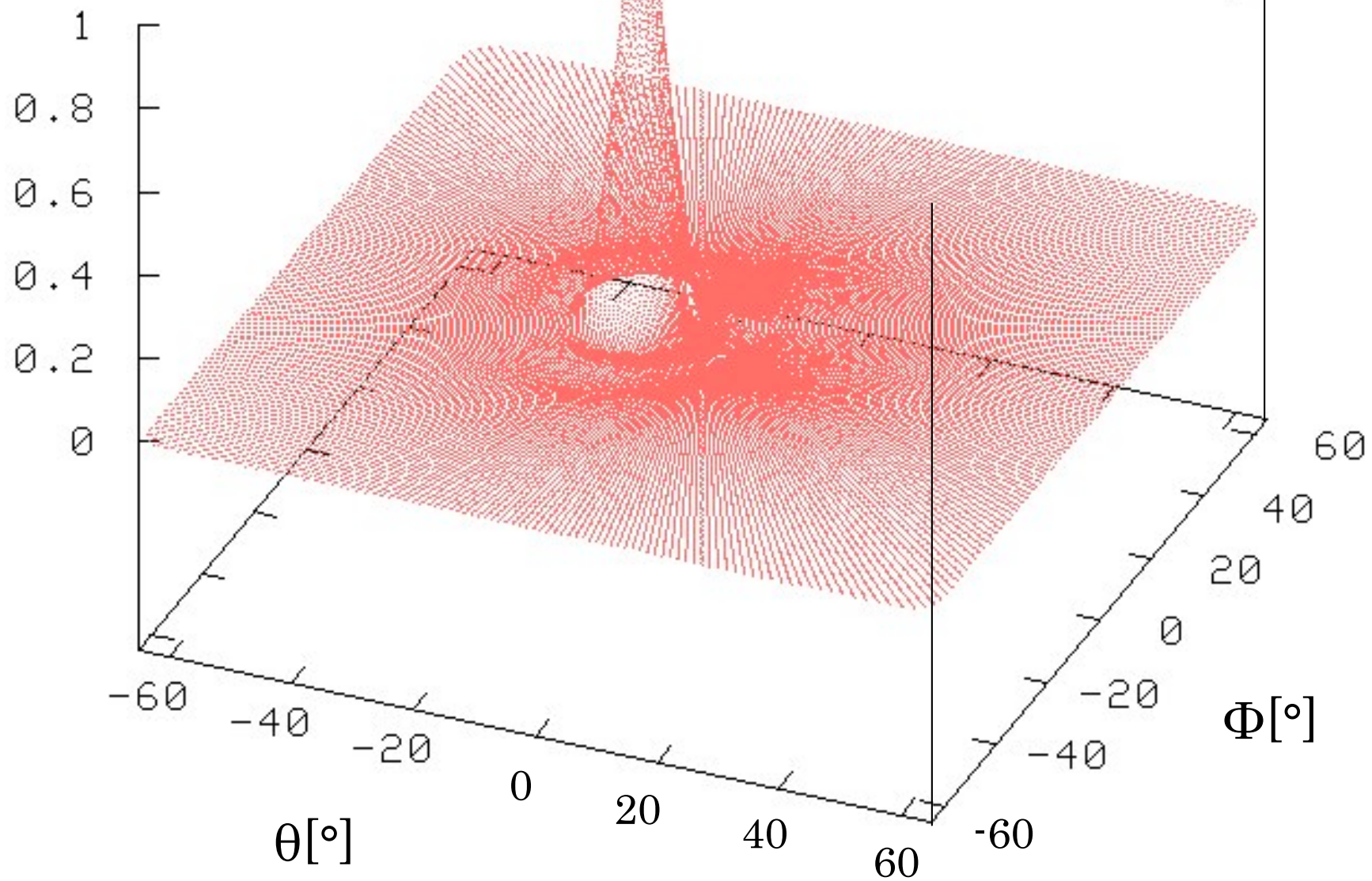
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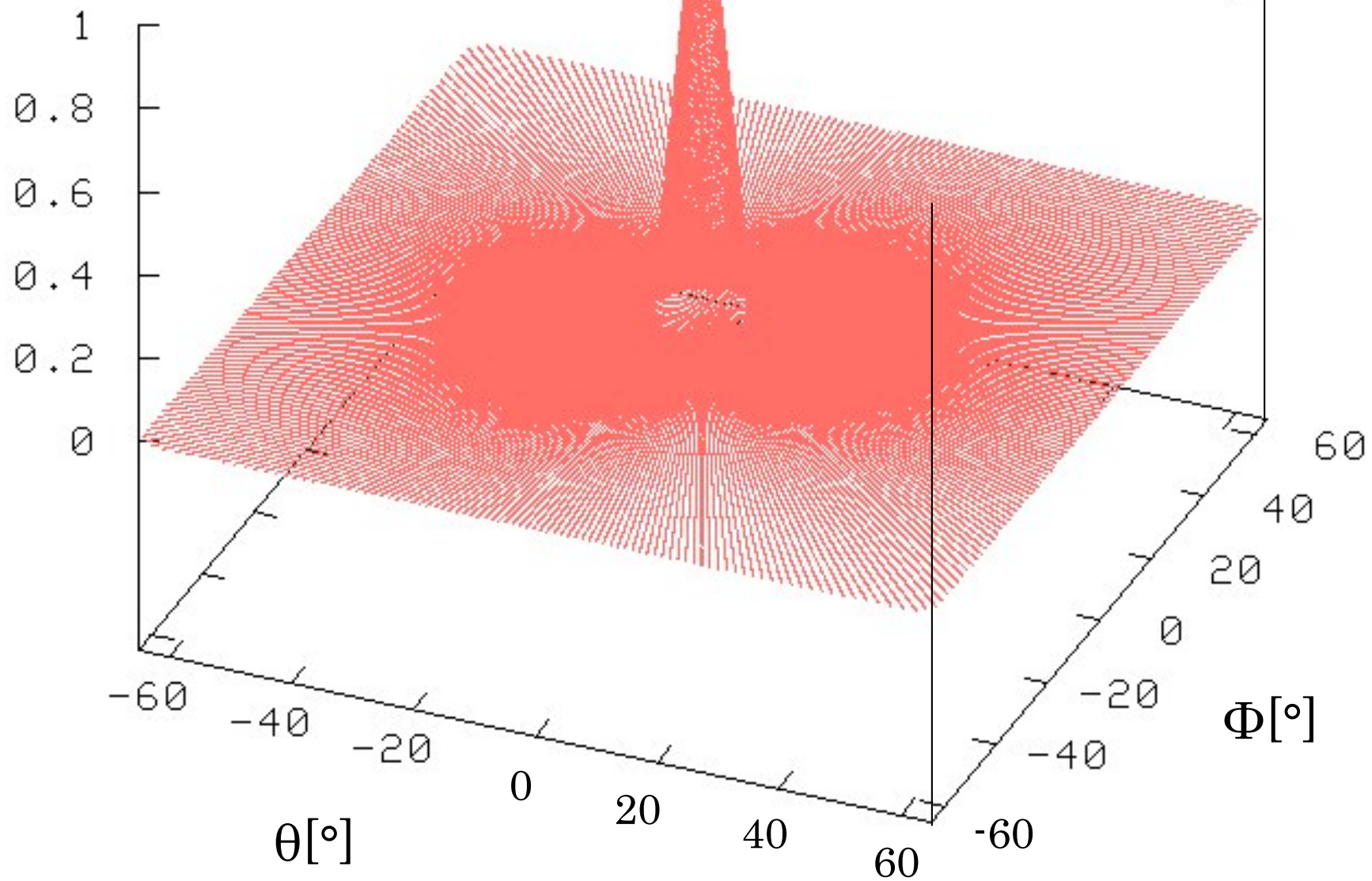
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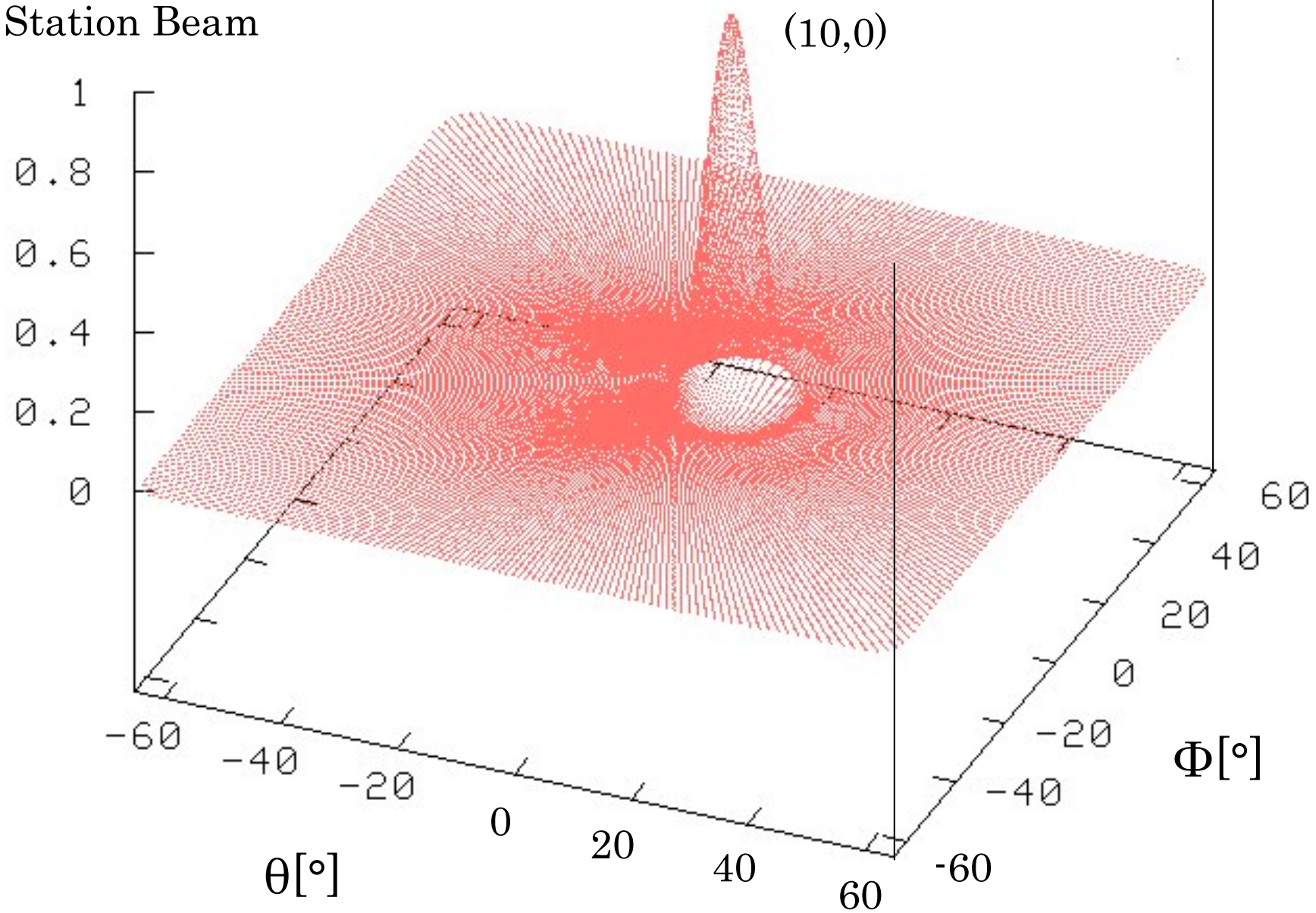
Station beam at 20MHz
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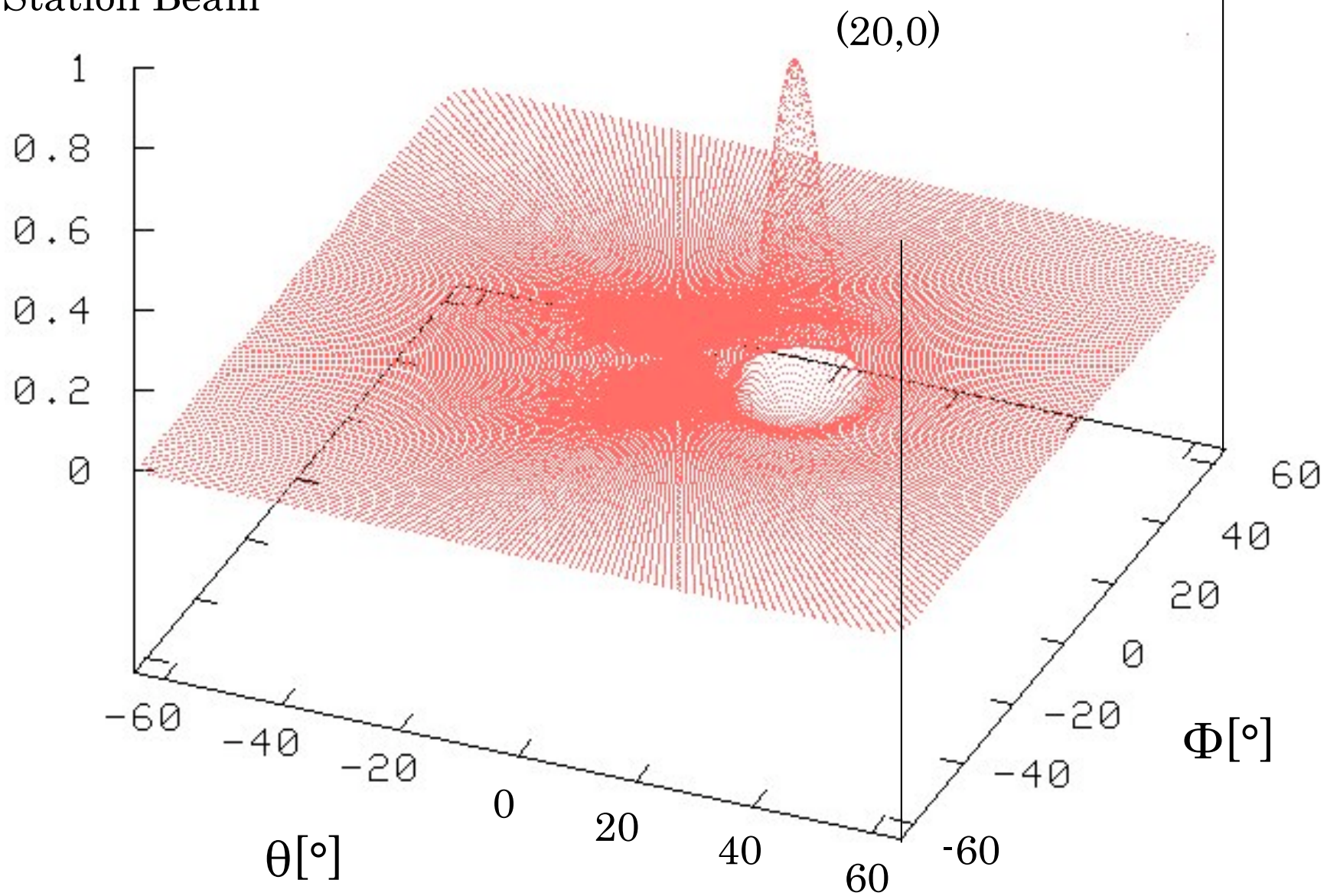
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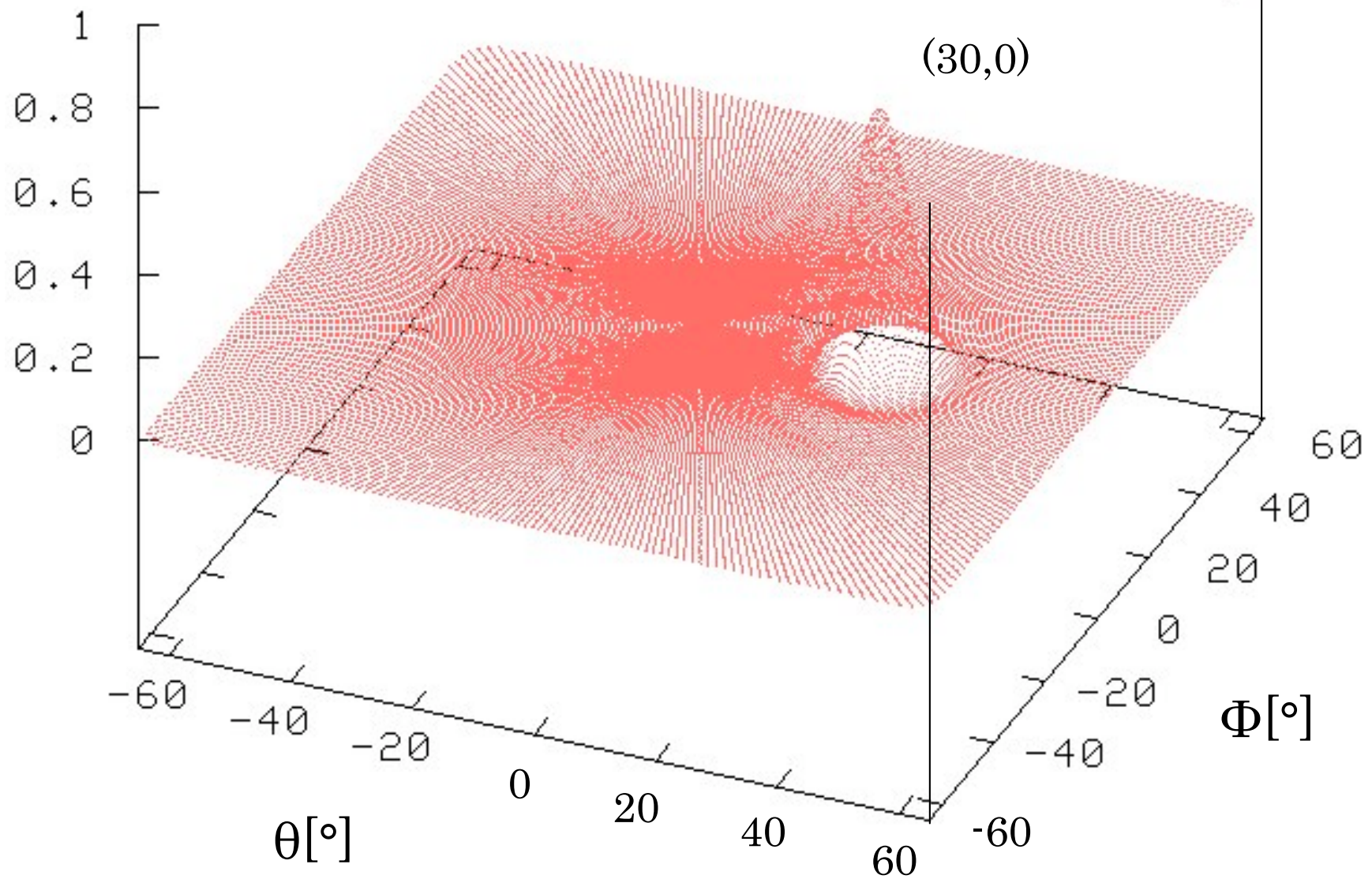
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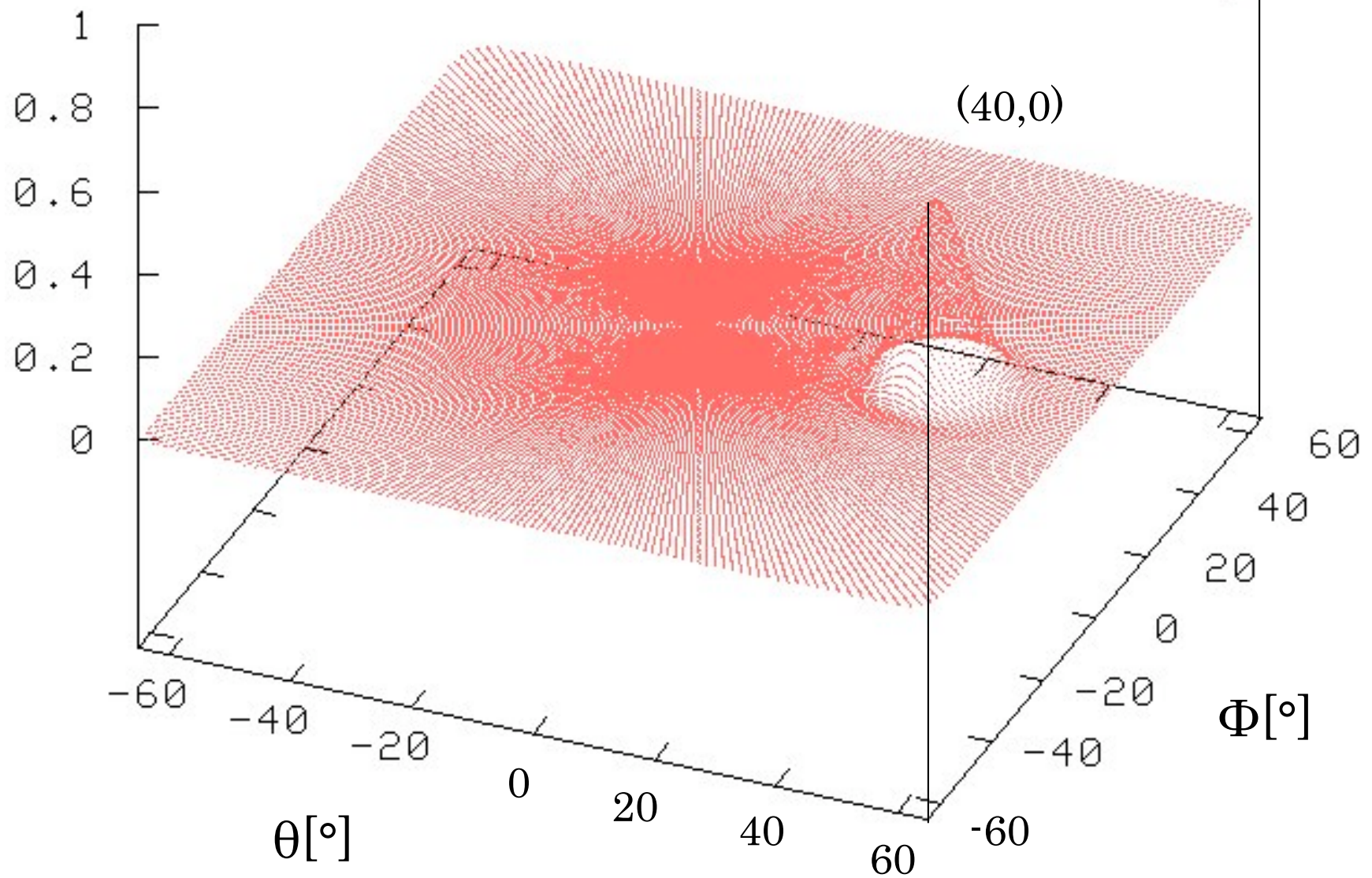
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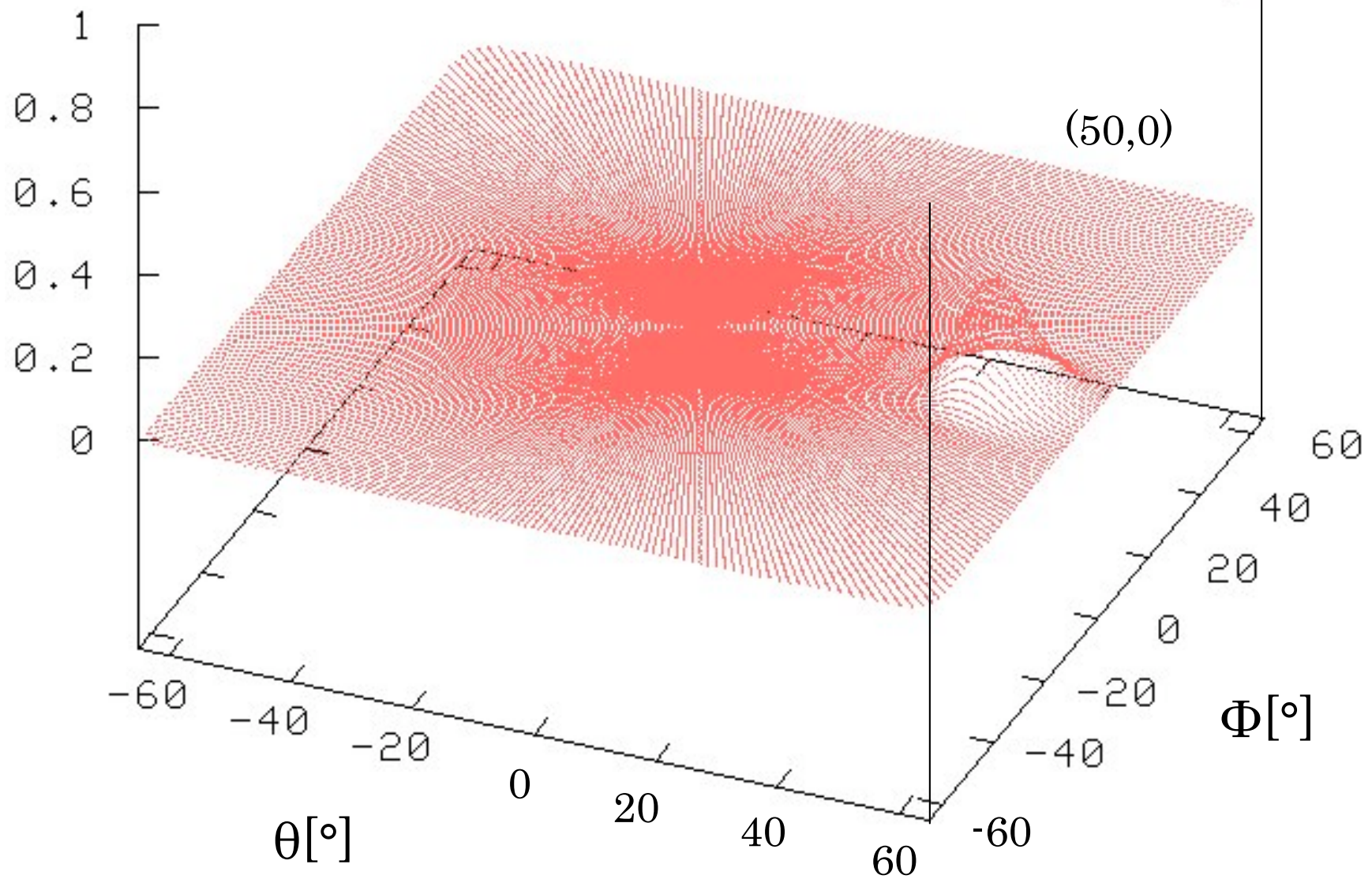
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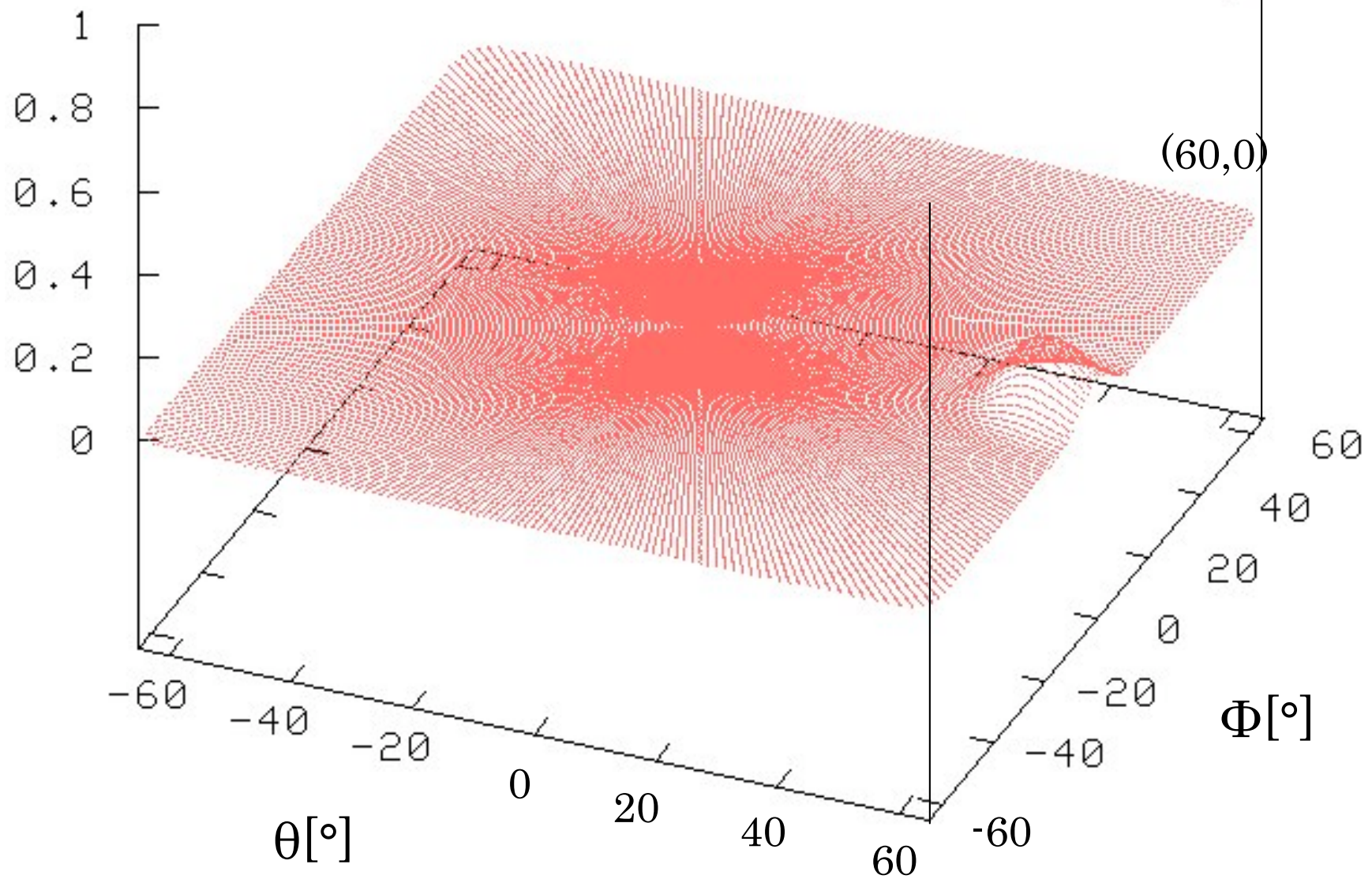
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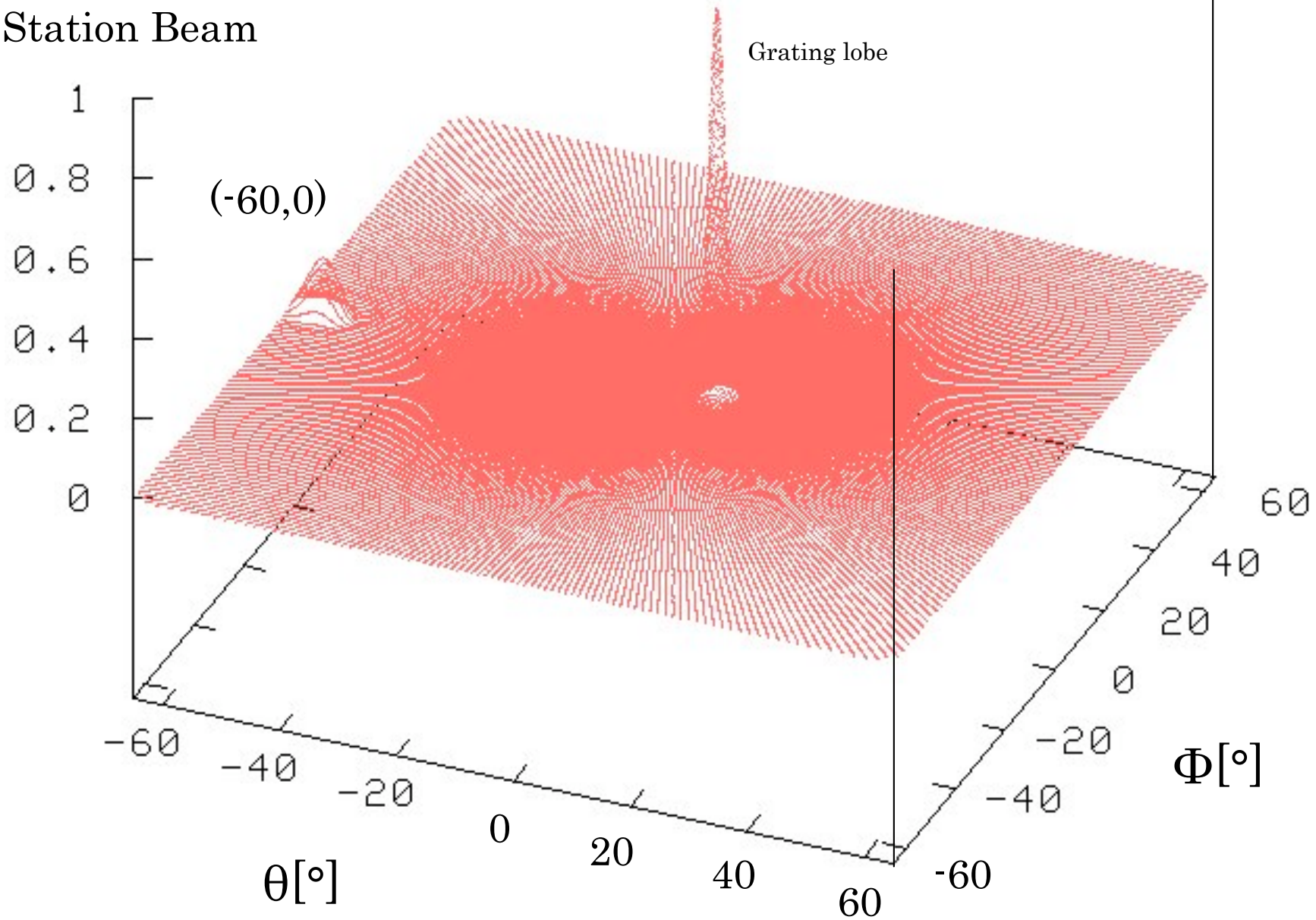
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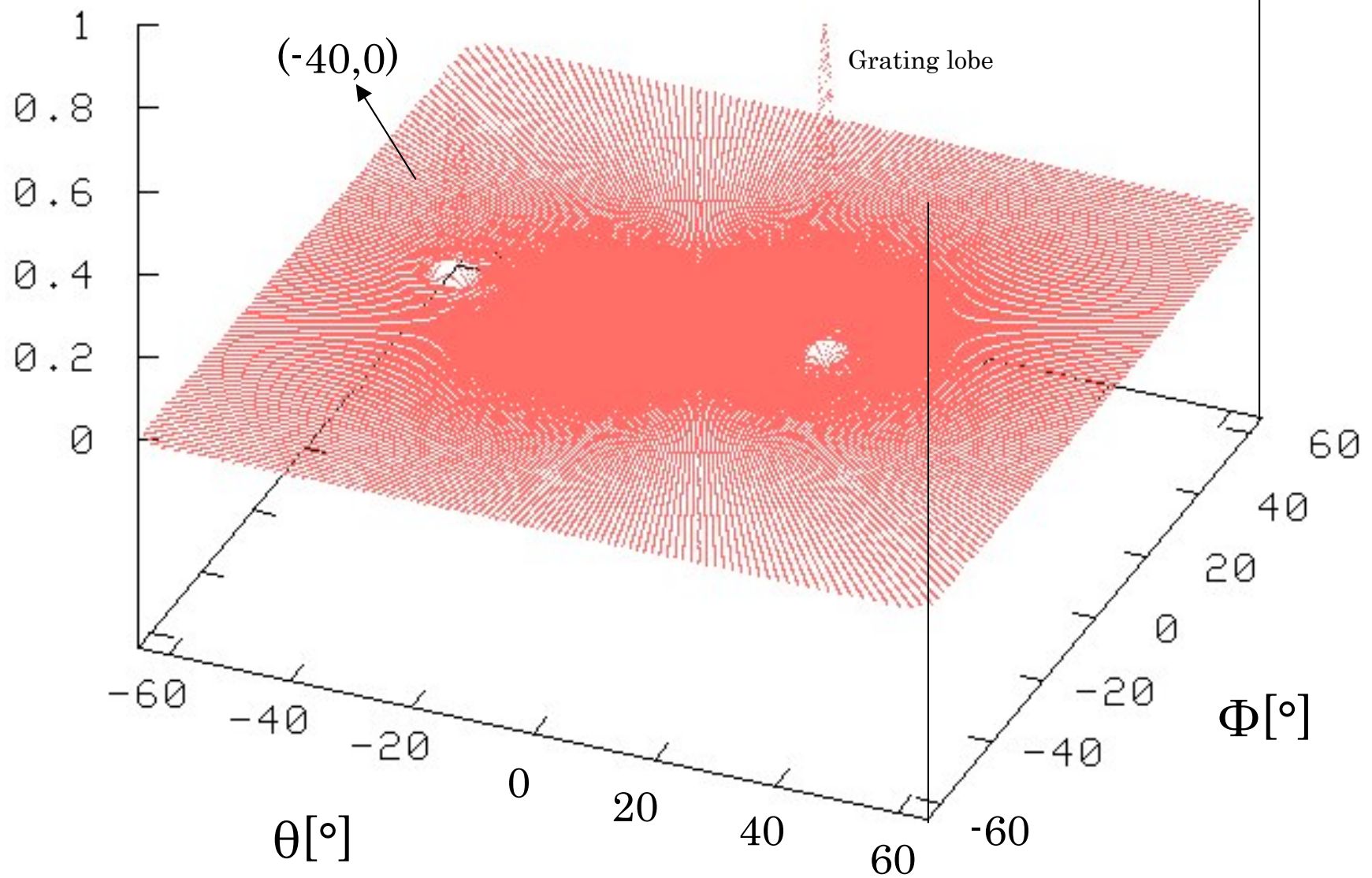
Station beam at 60MHz

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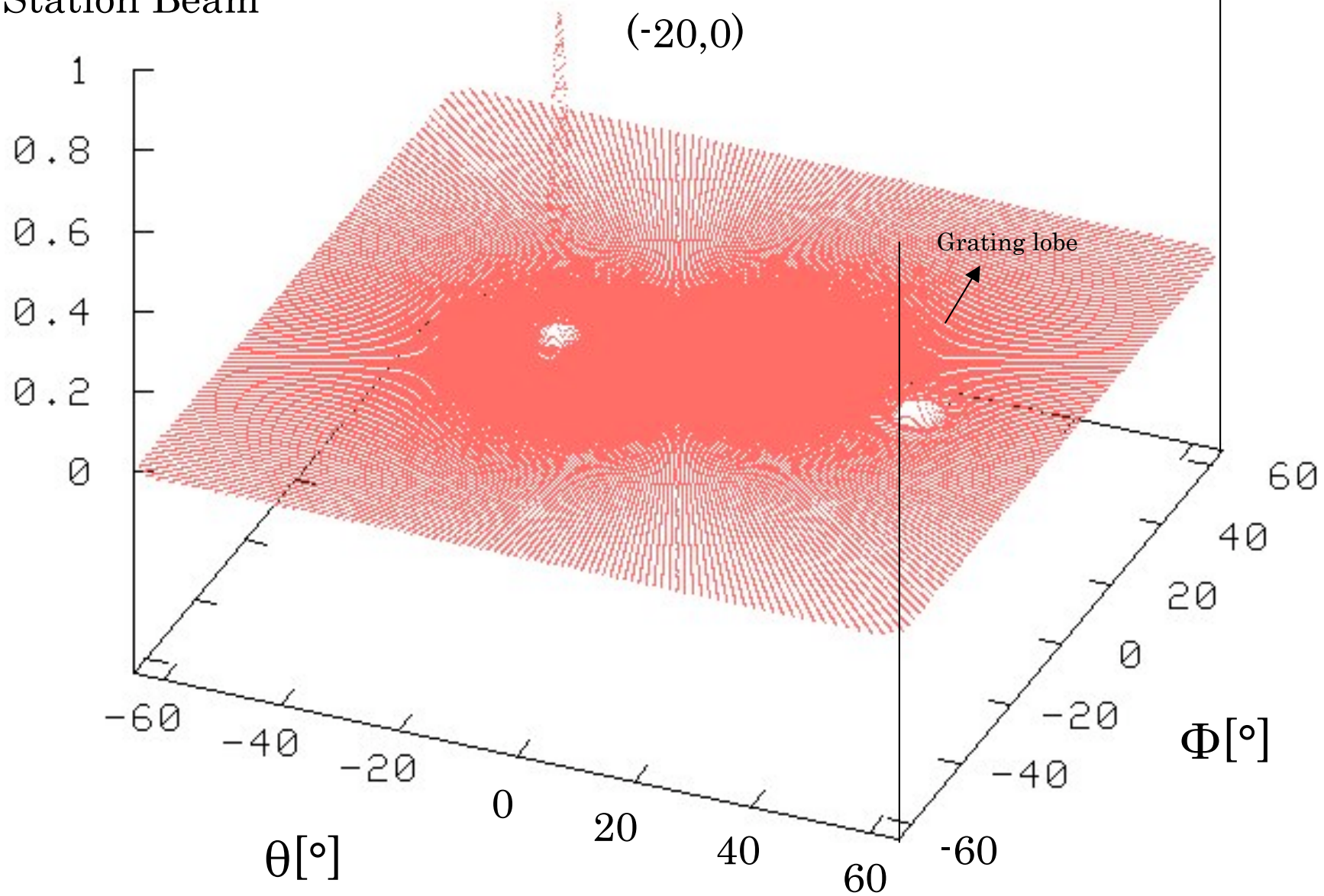
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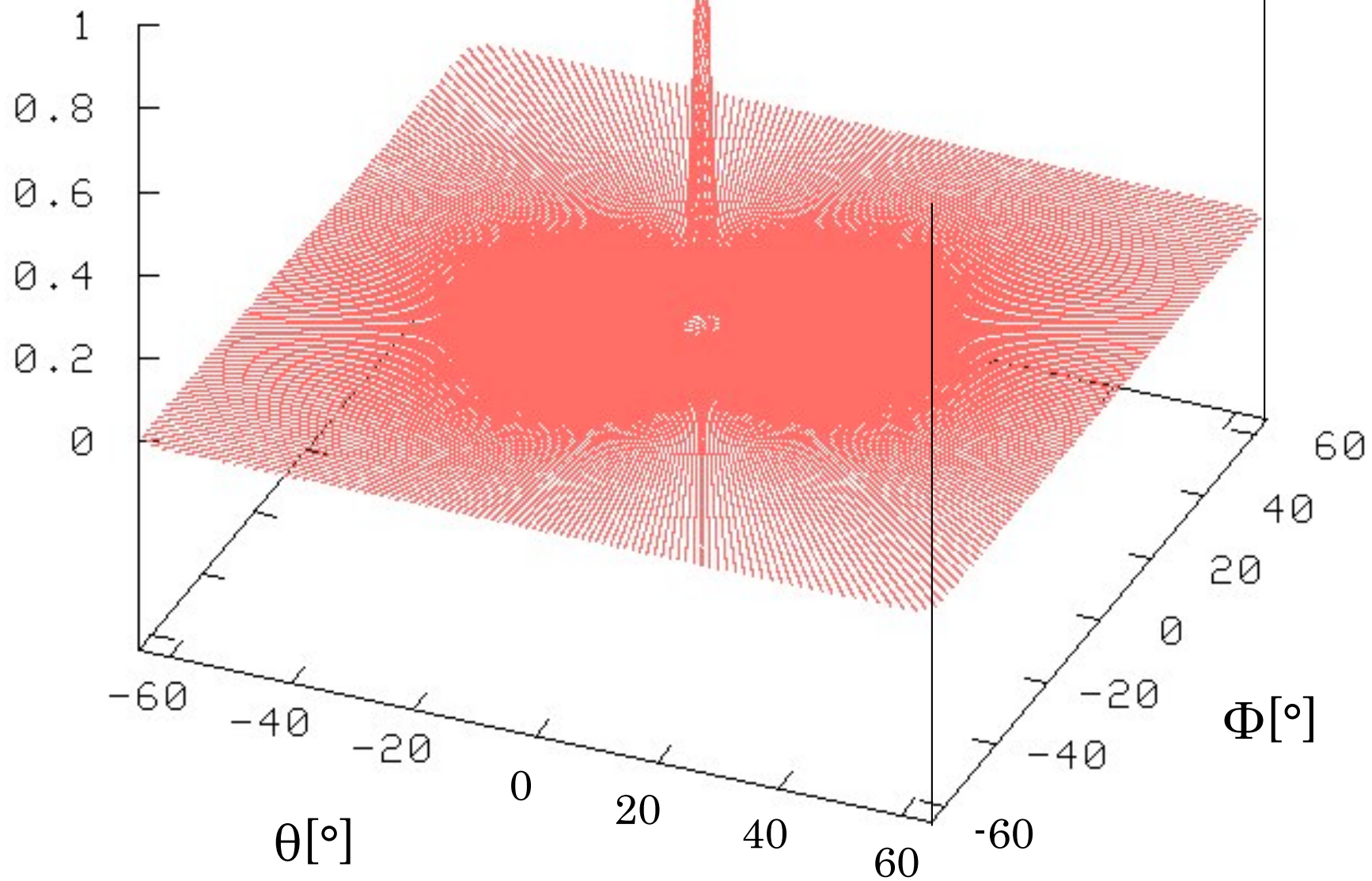
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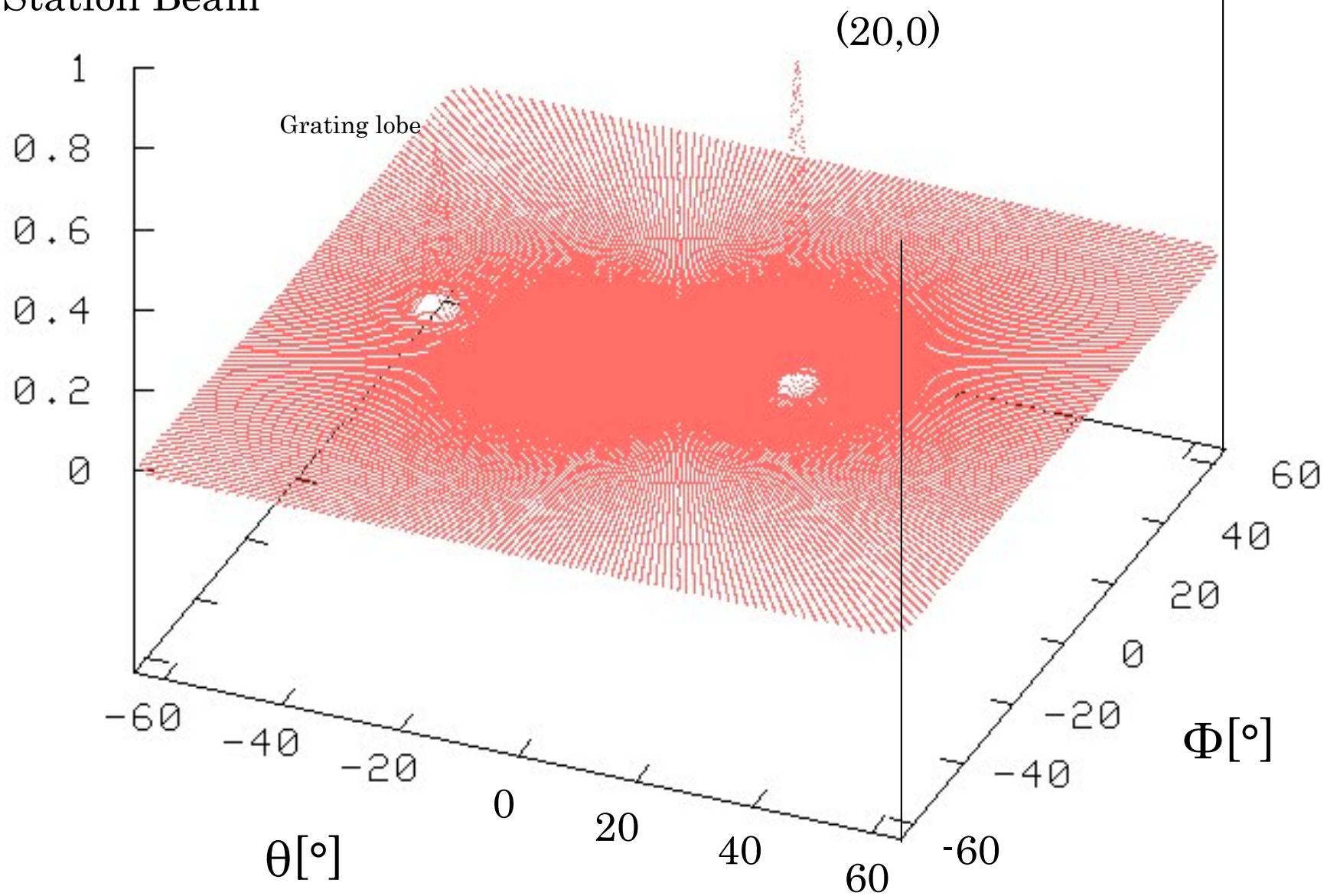
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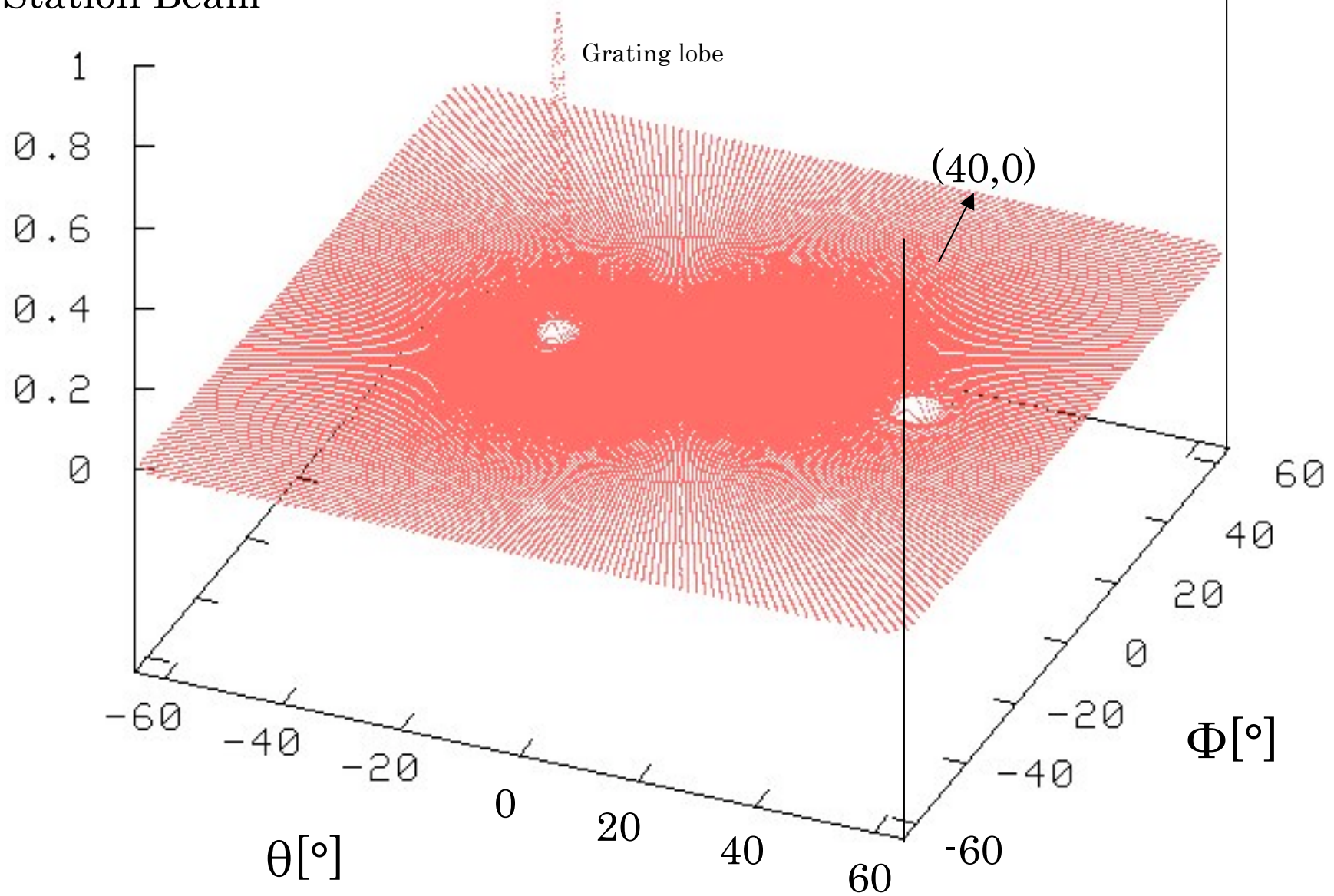
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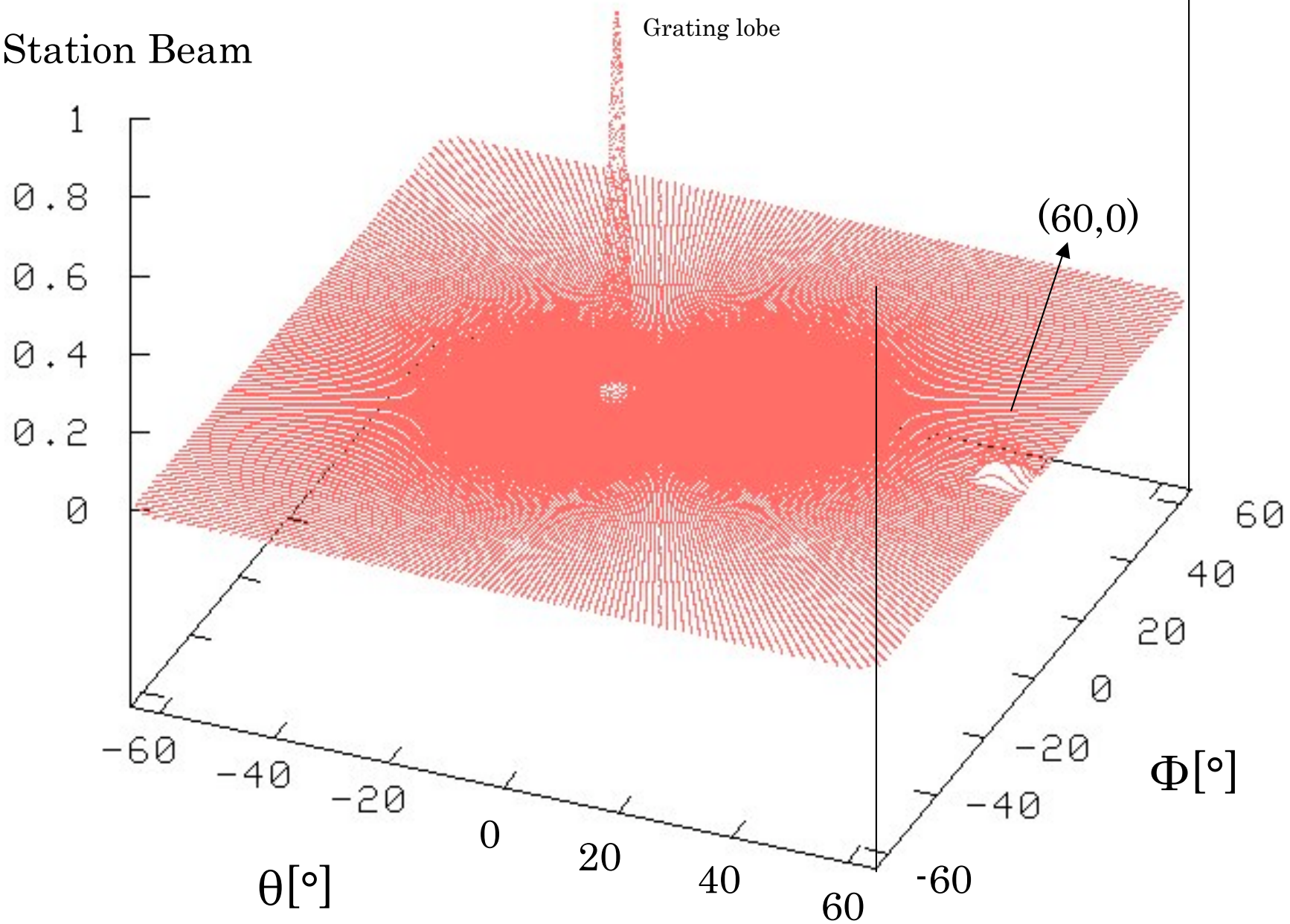
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Summary

1. Asymmetry rate of a station beam → beam elevation & observing frequency
2. The direction error of a station beam → beam elevation & primary beam

Future Plan

@ Addition of a real dipole beam pattern to the simulator

@ Addition of band widths to the simulator

@ Dipole configuration to remove the grating lobes

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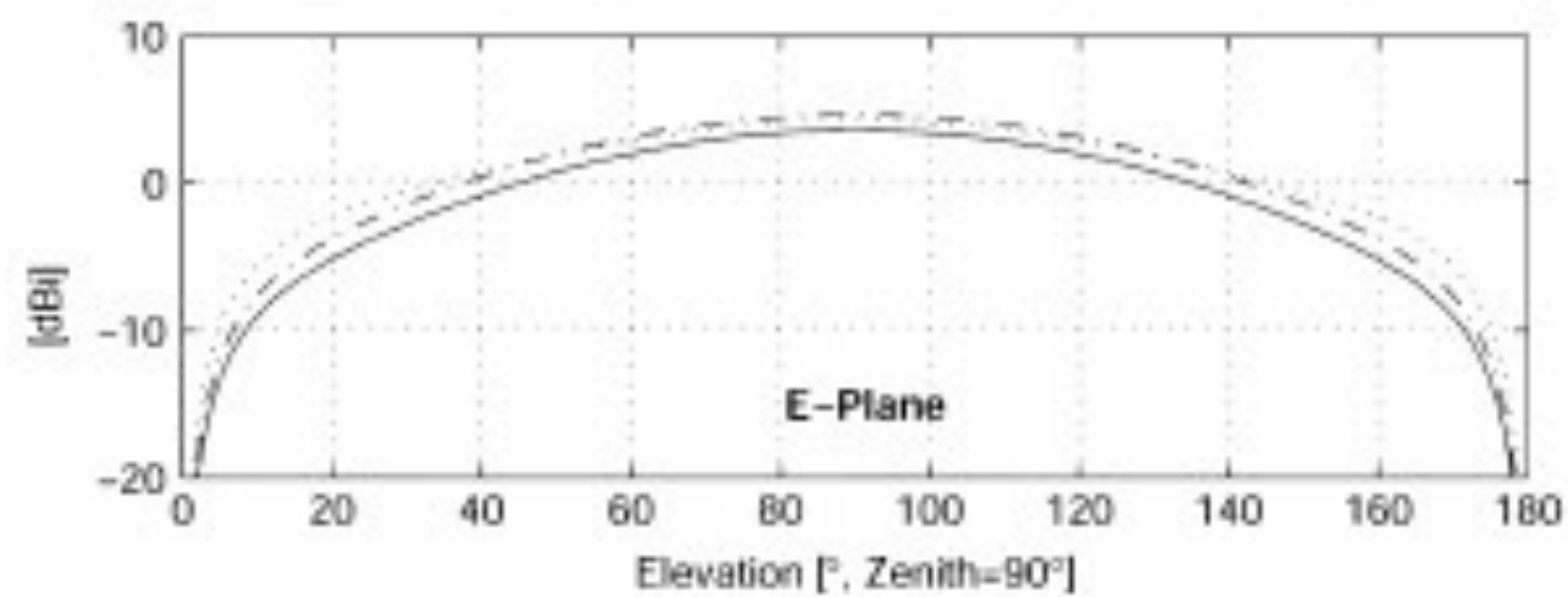
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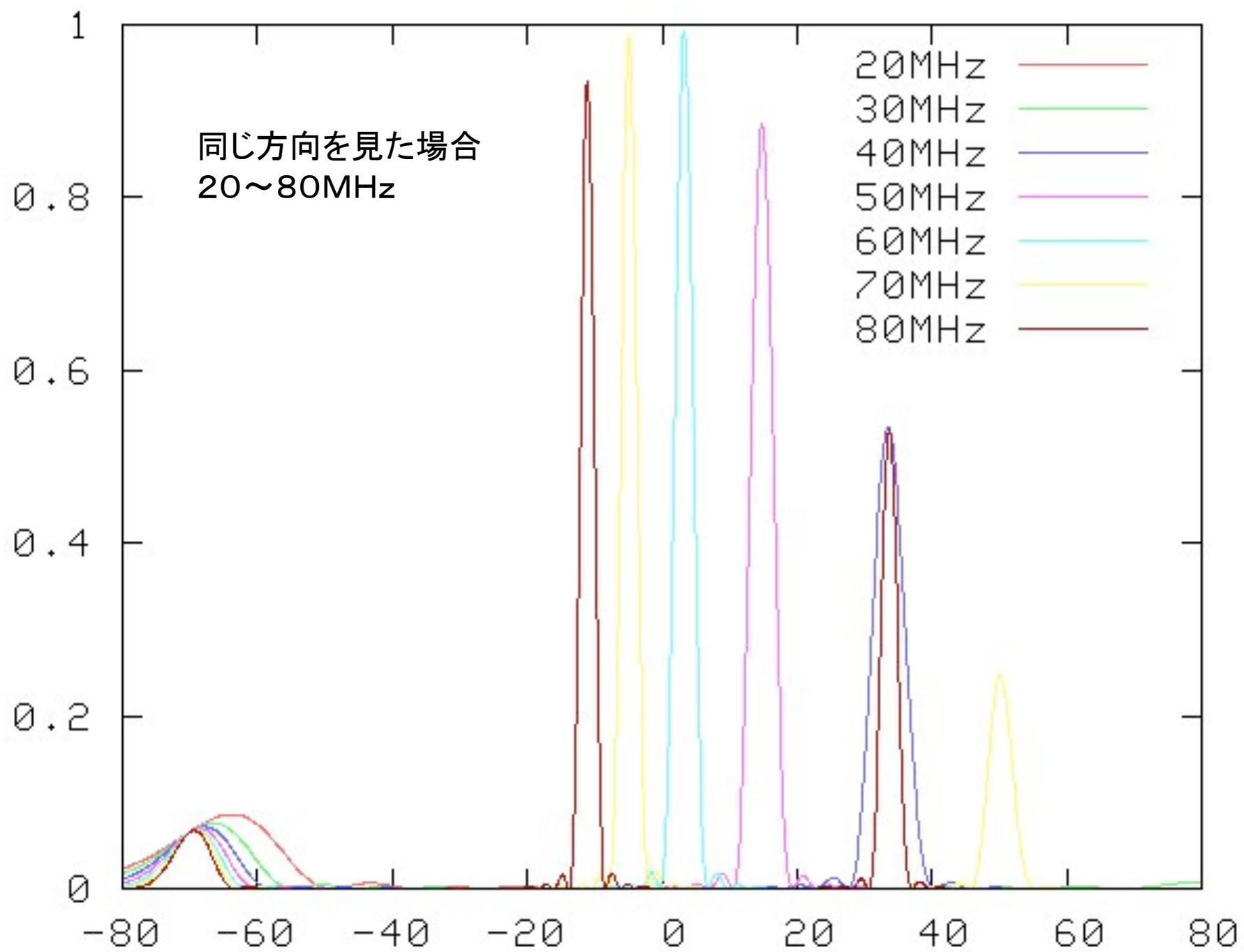
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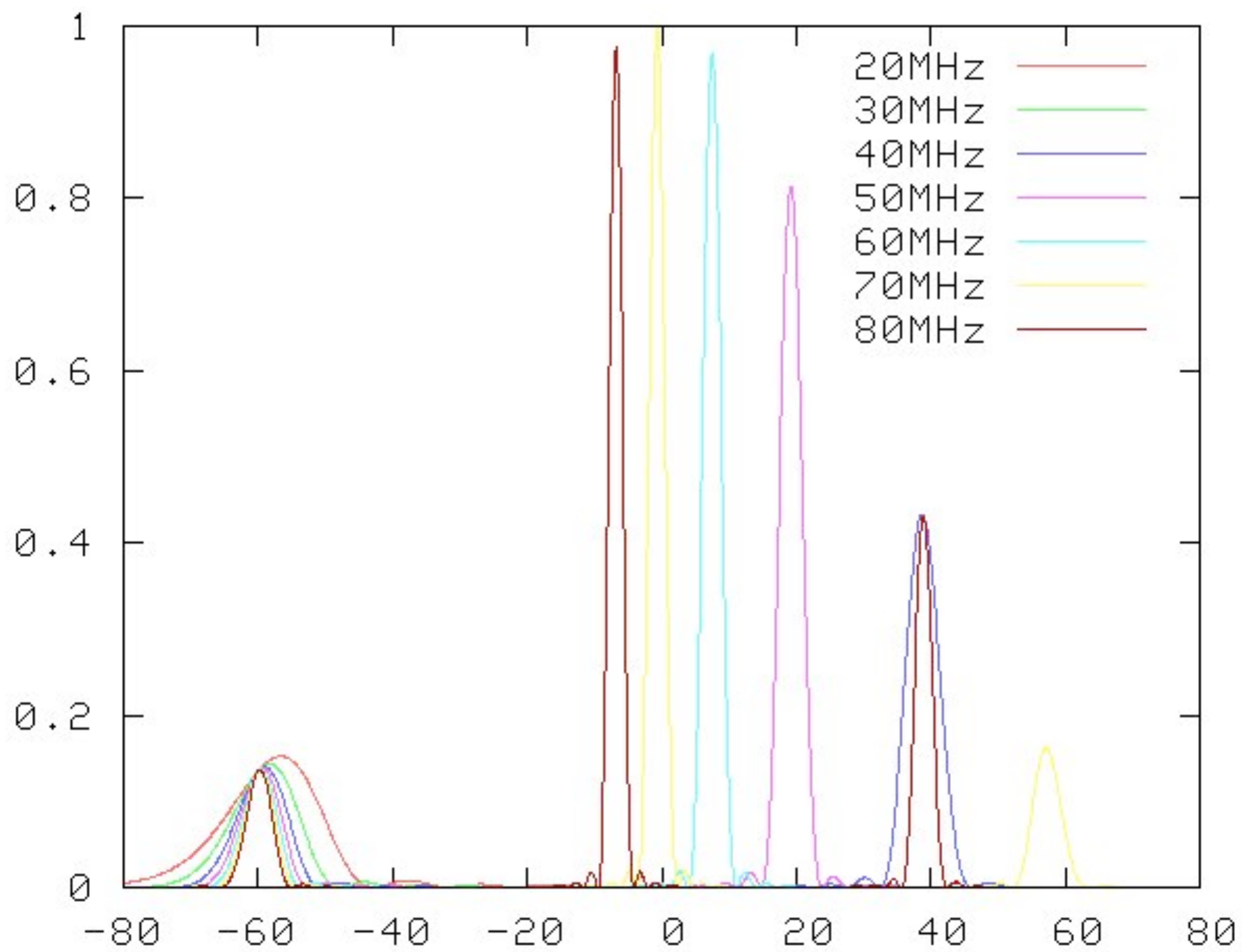
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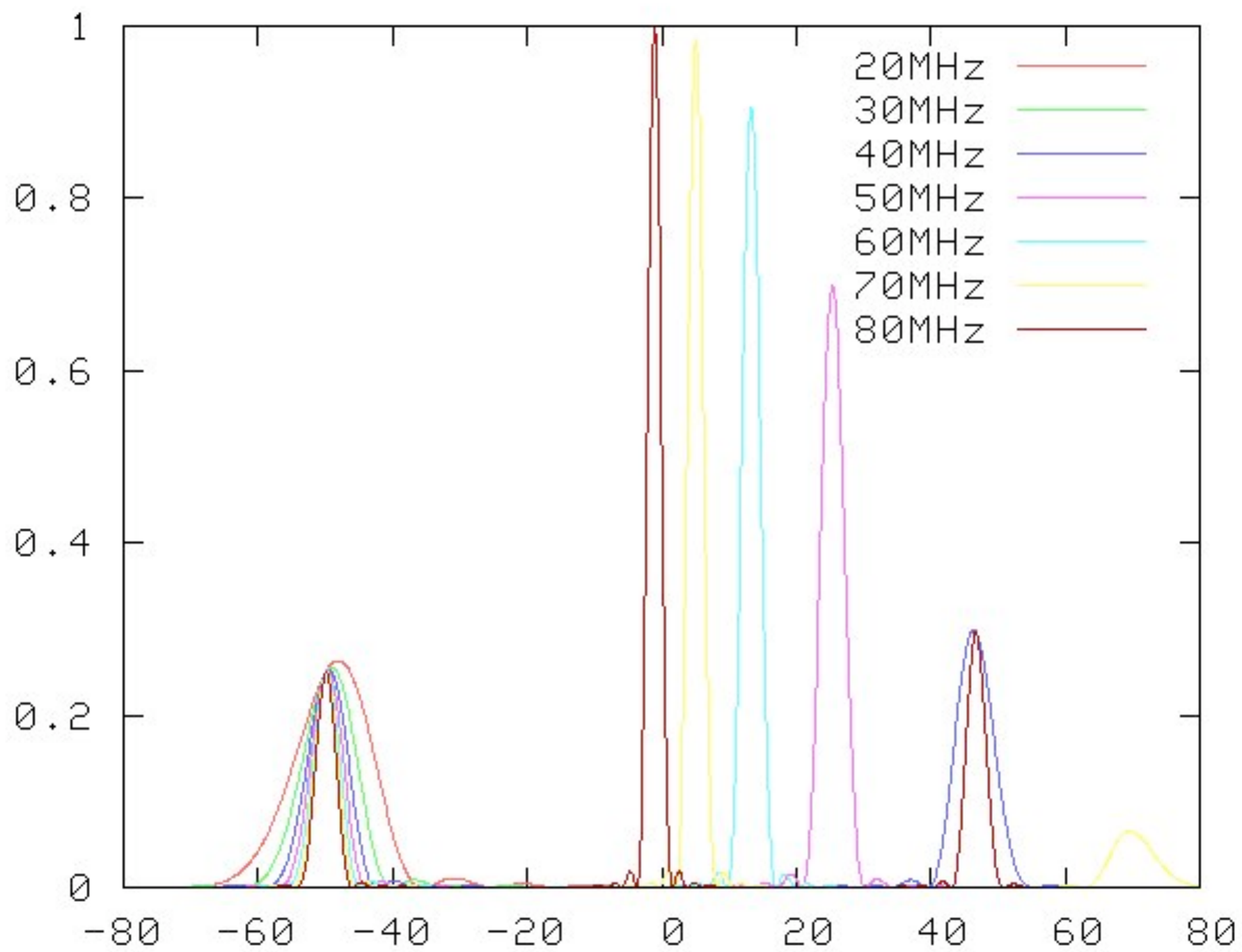
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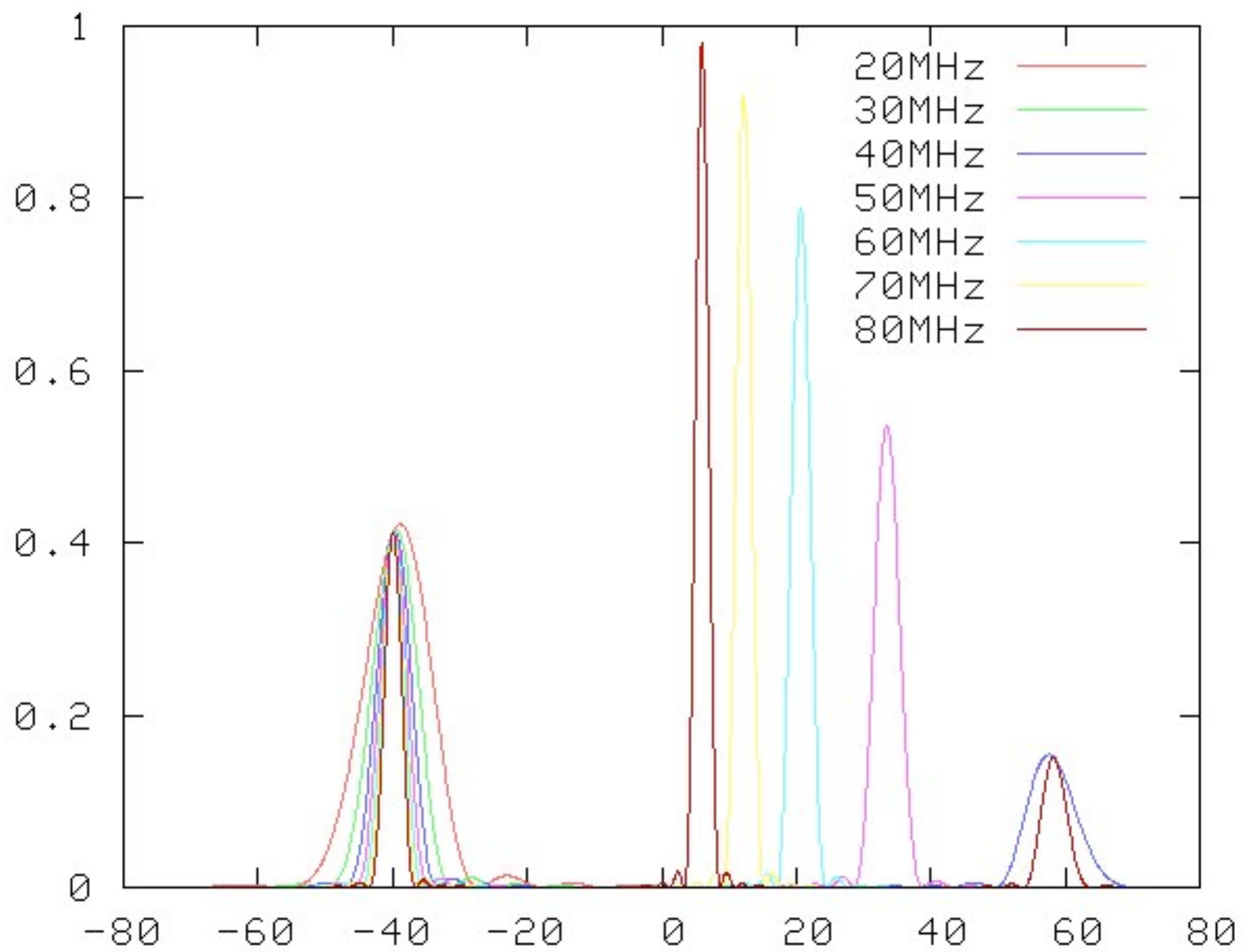
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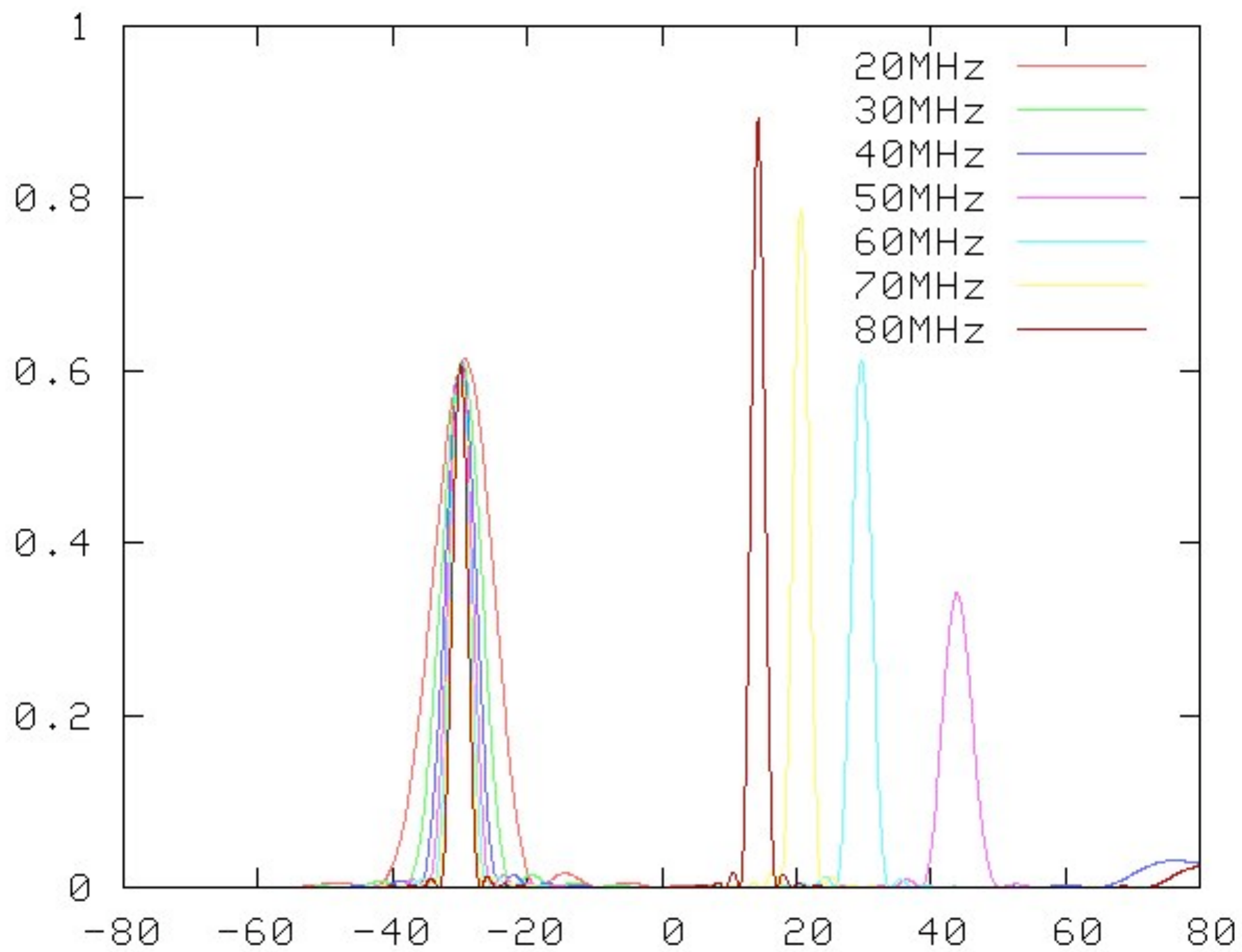


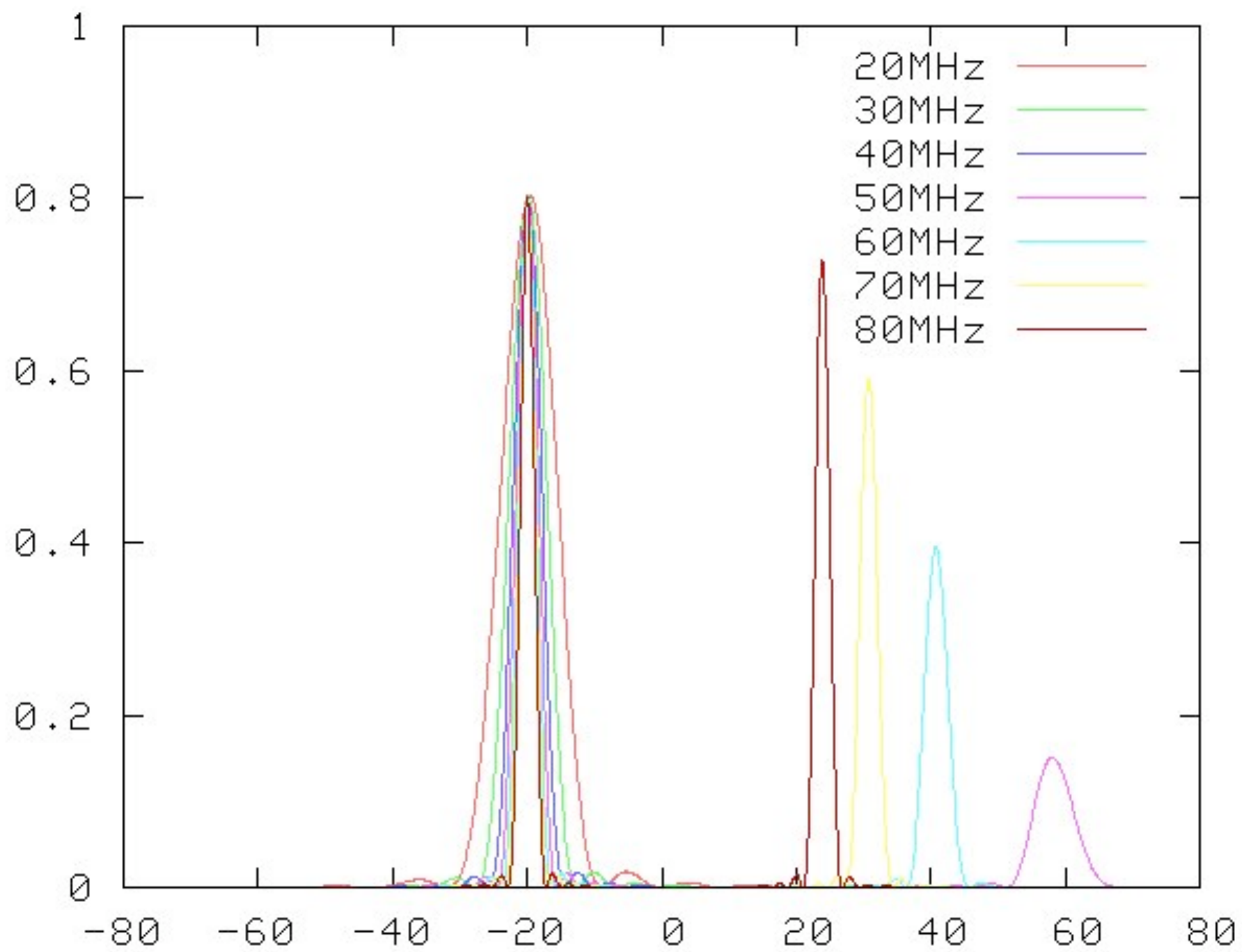


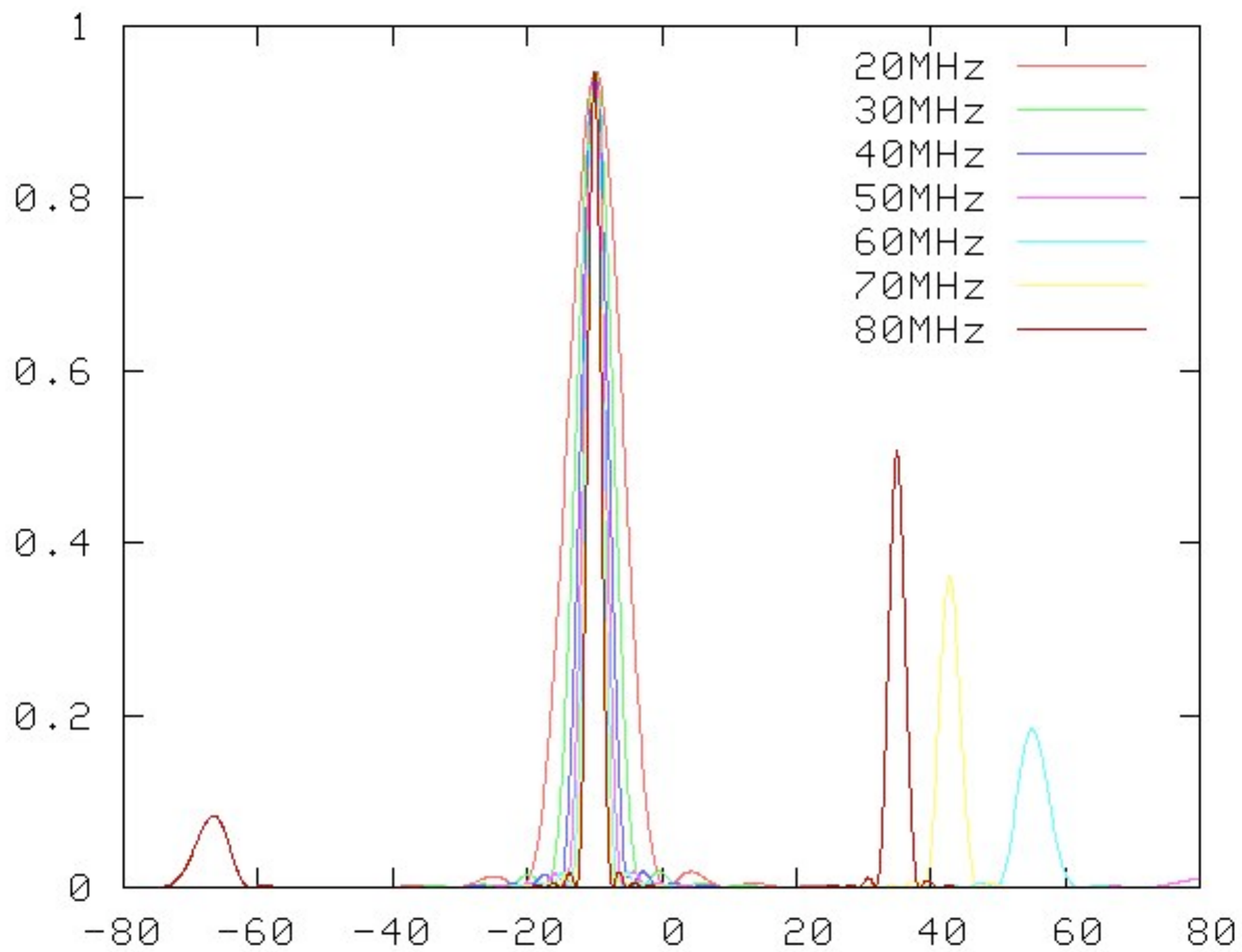


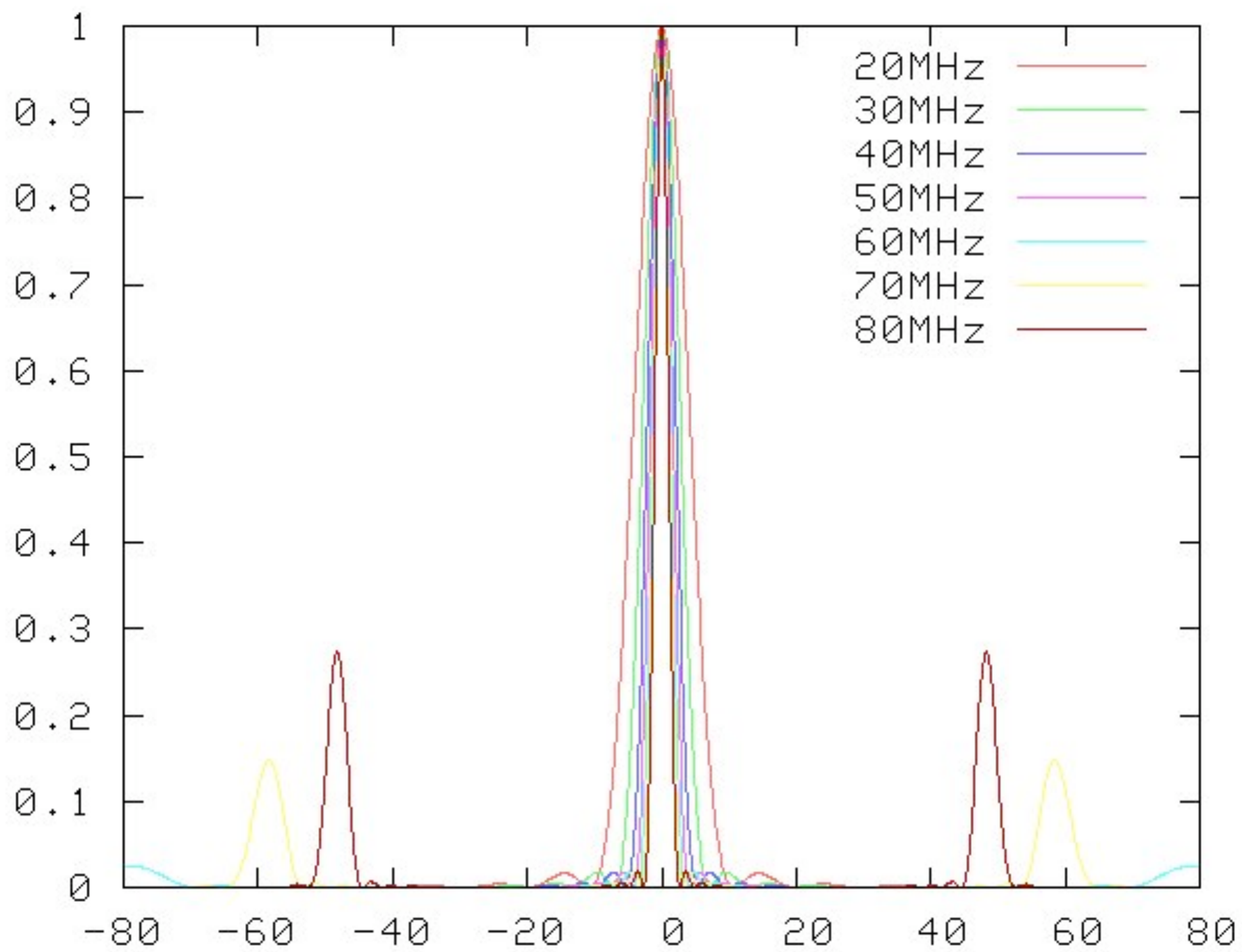


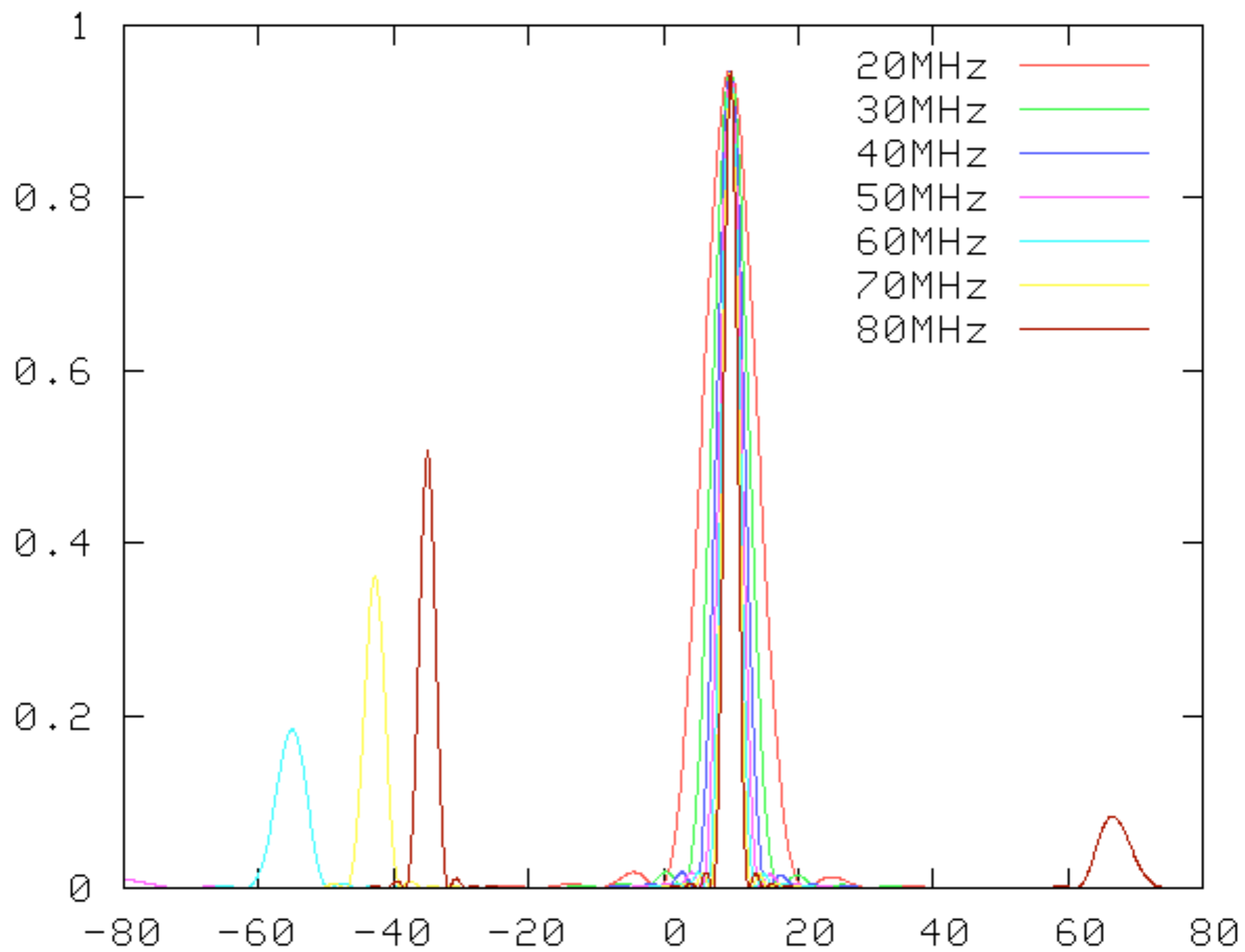


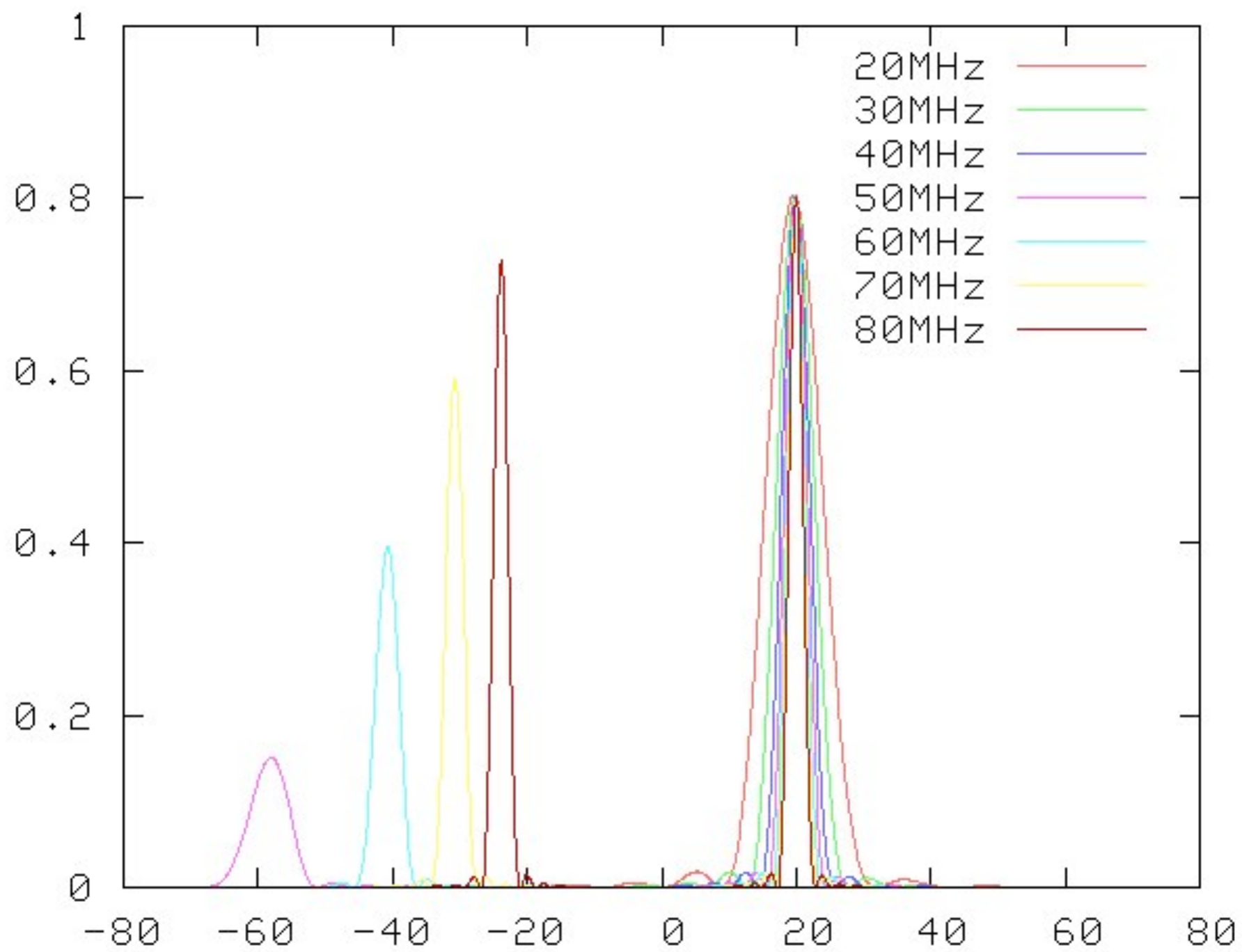


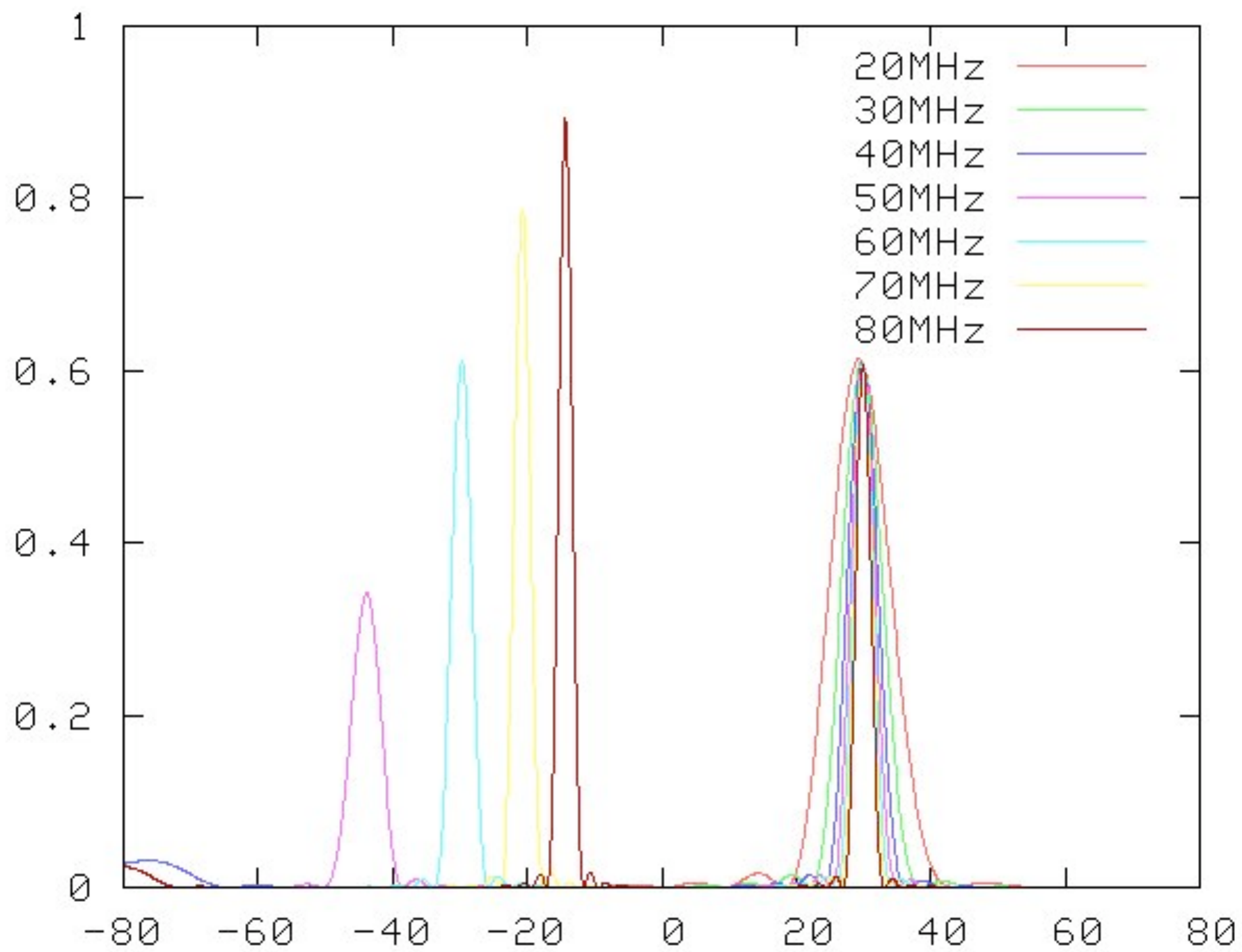


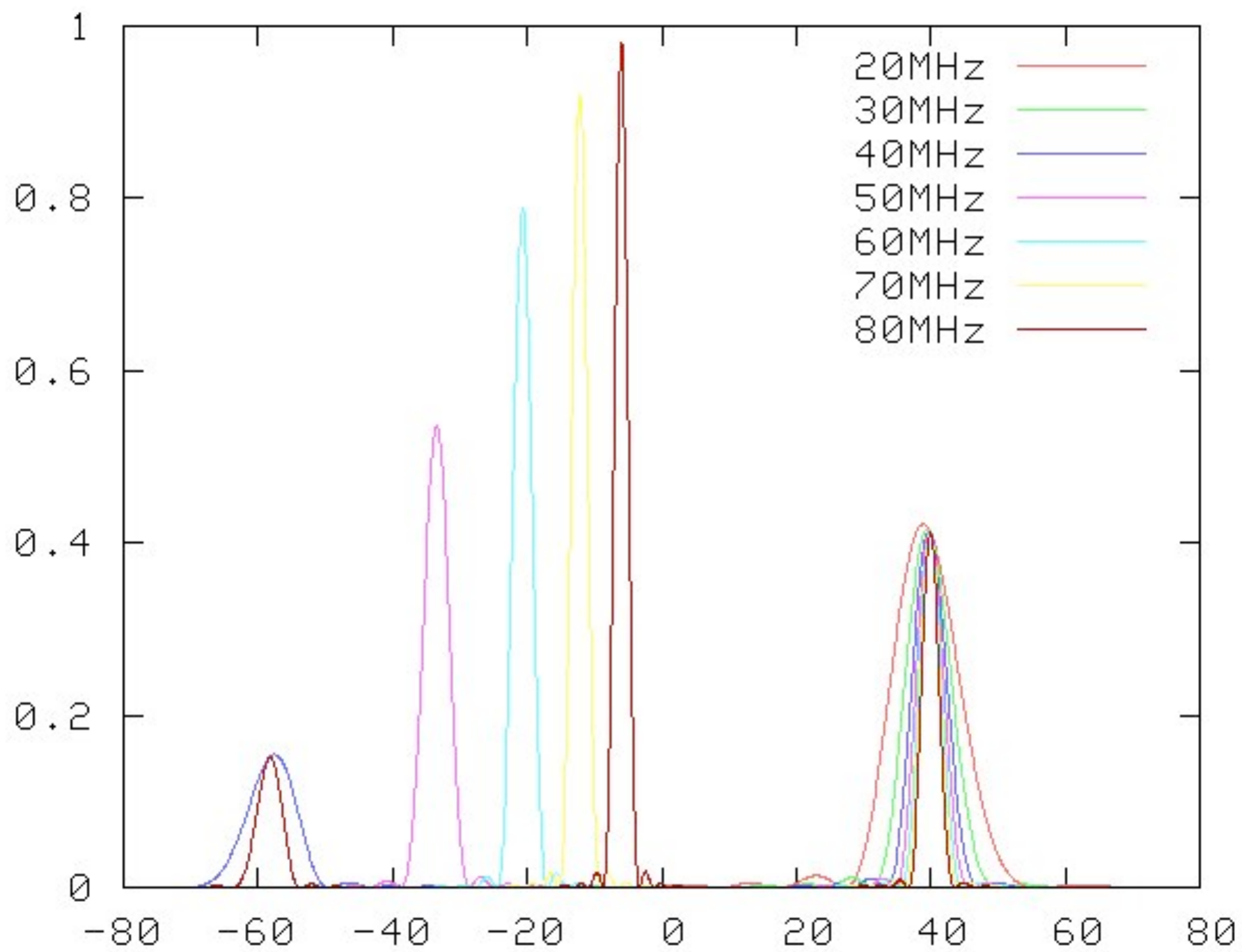


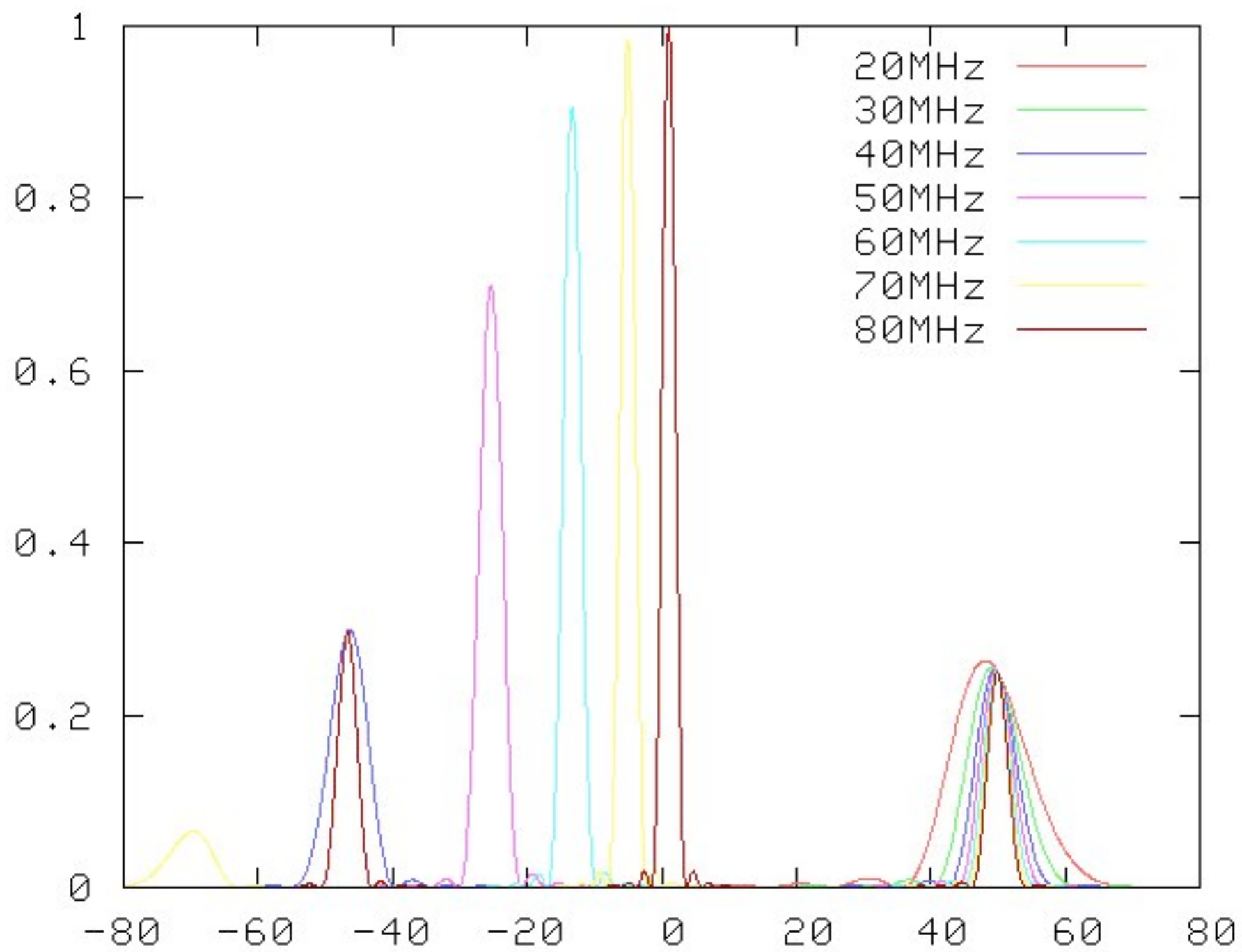


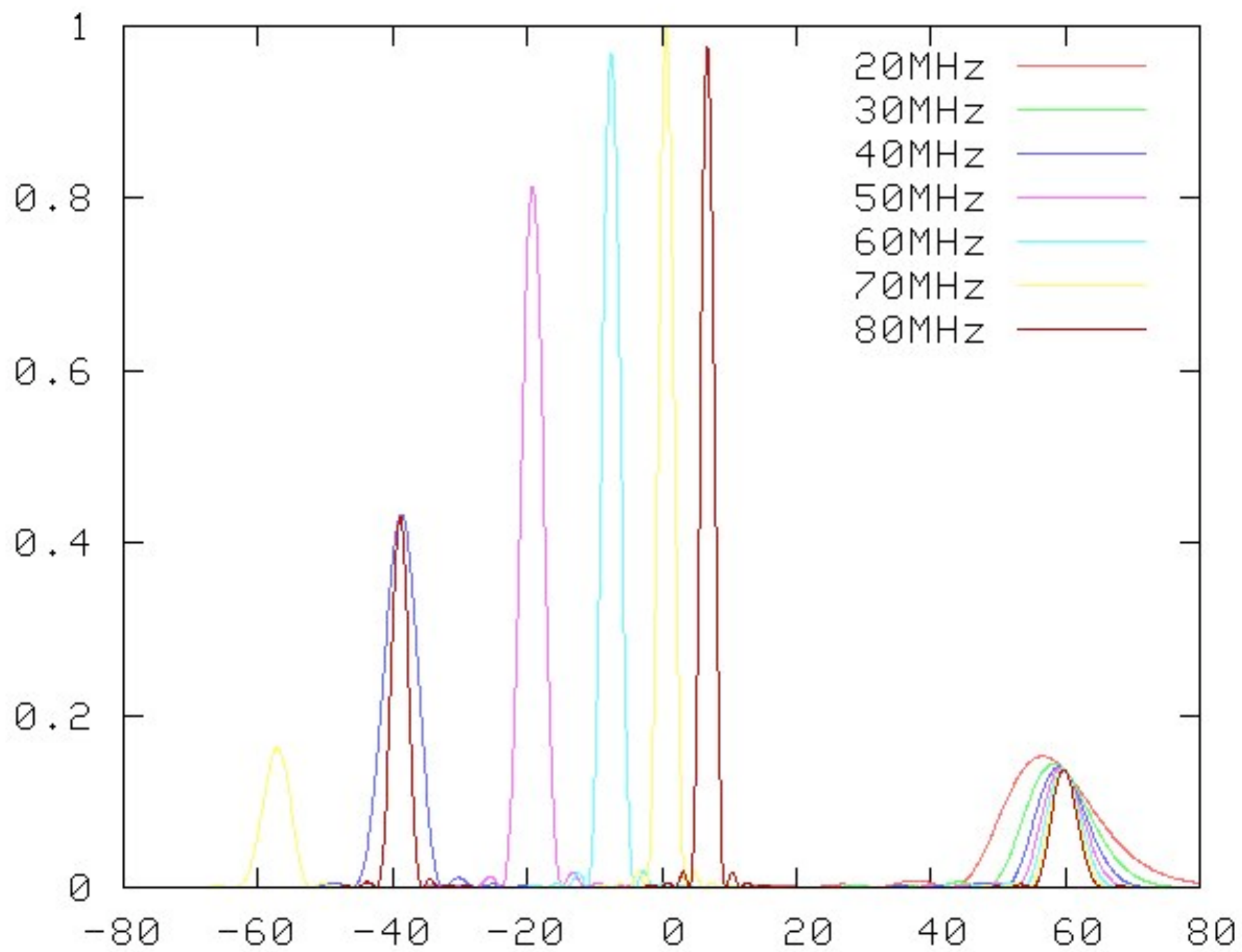


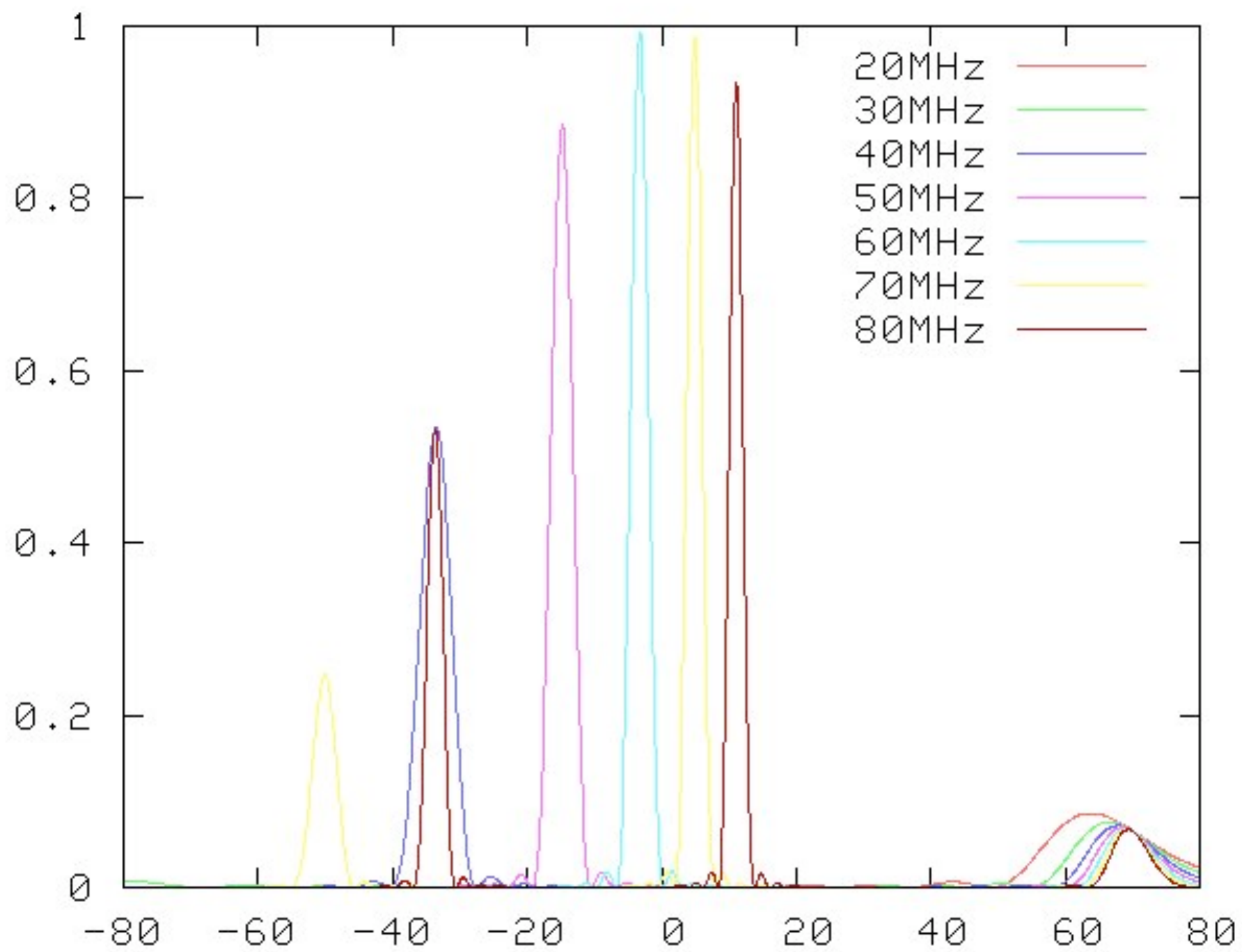












The gap between beams.

29MHz -> 172 degrees

30MHz -> 115 degrees

40MHz -> 86 degrees

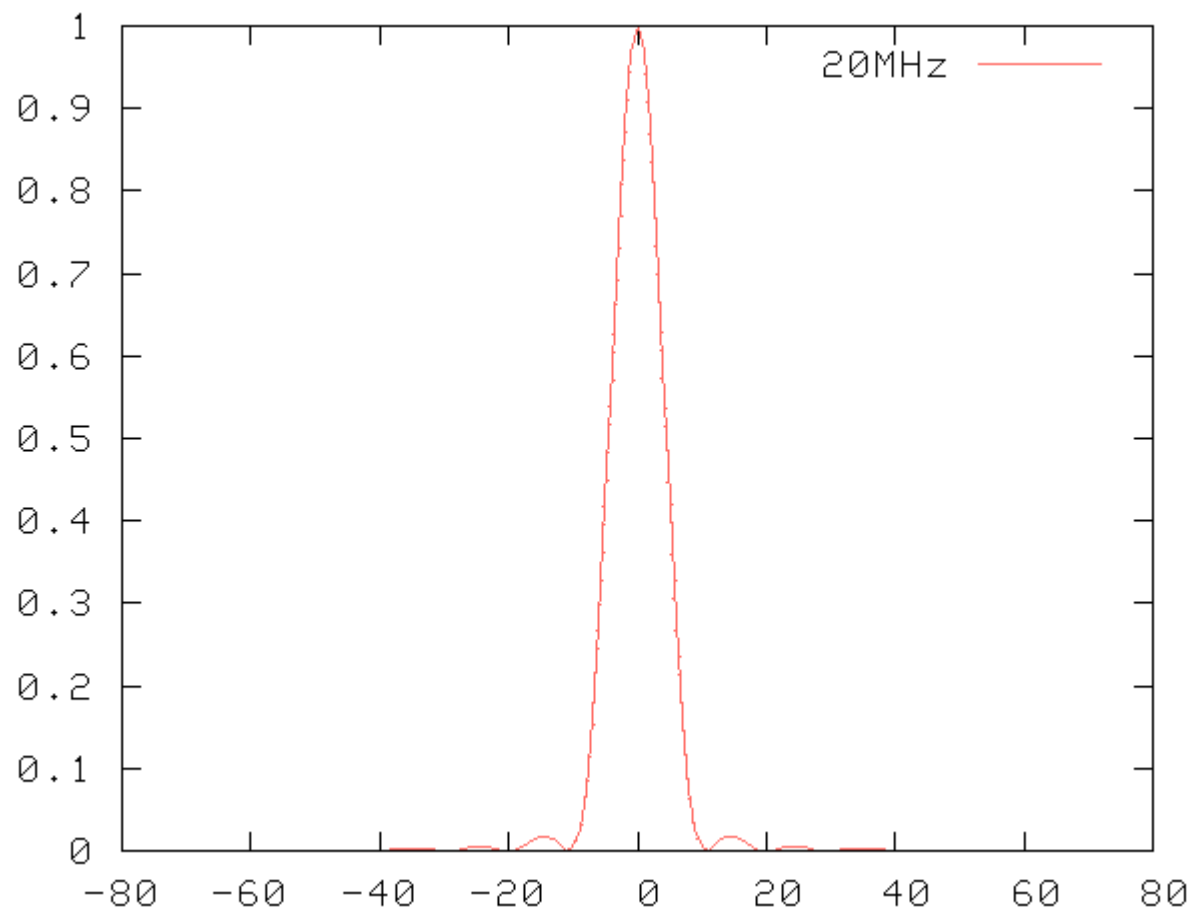
50MHz -> 69 degrees

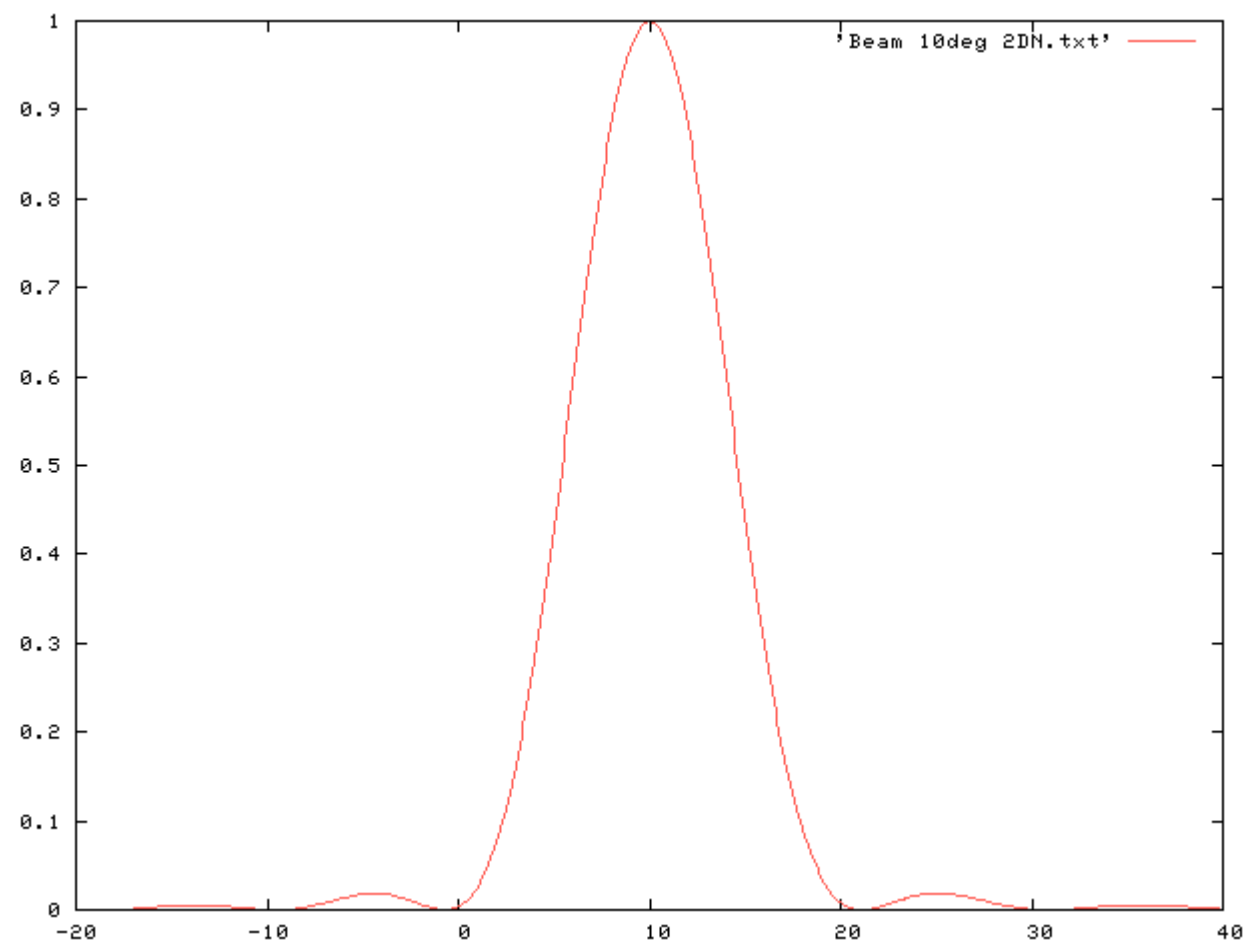
60MHz -> 57 degrees

70MHz -> 49 degrees

80MHz -> 43 degrees

20MHz Station Beam

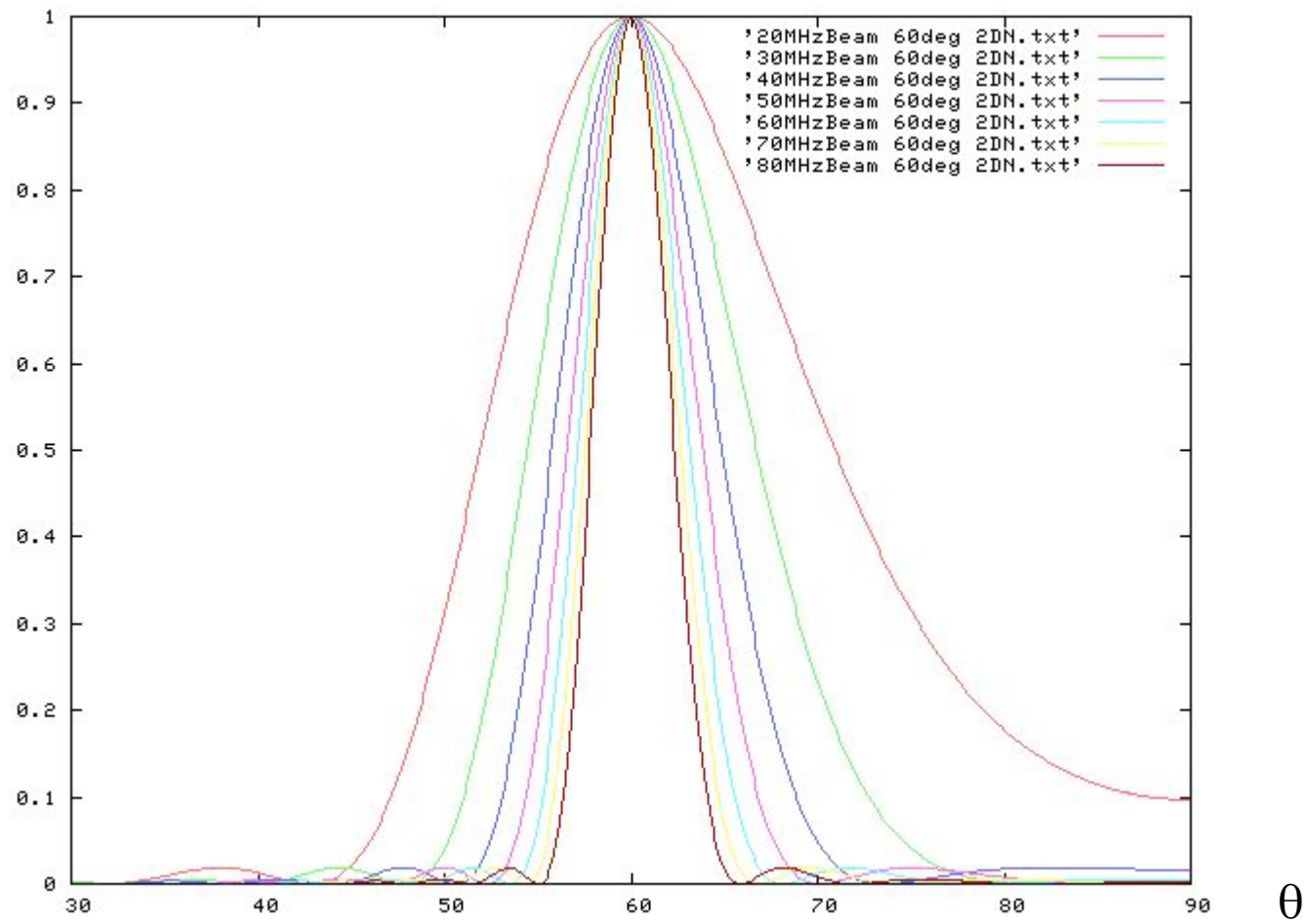


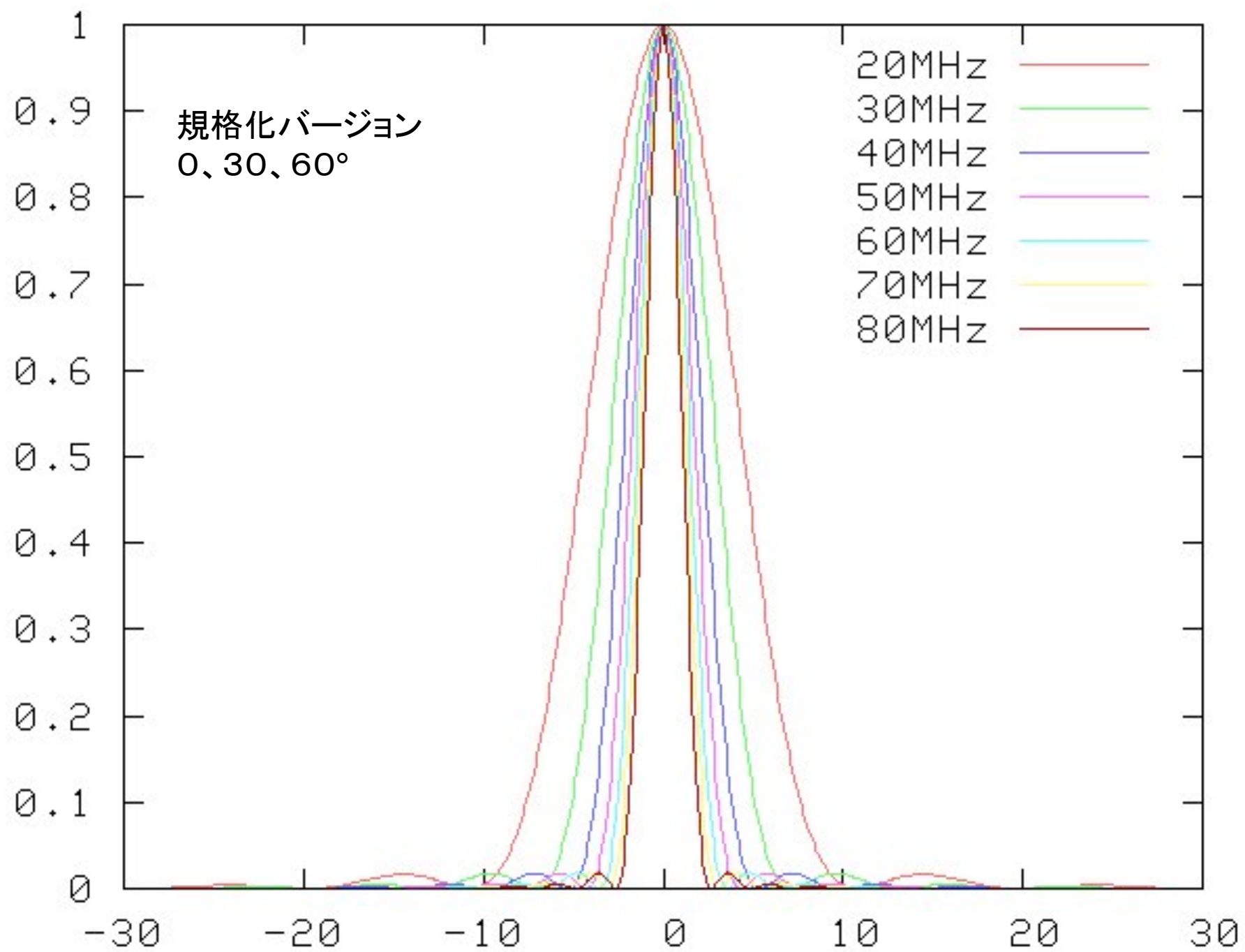


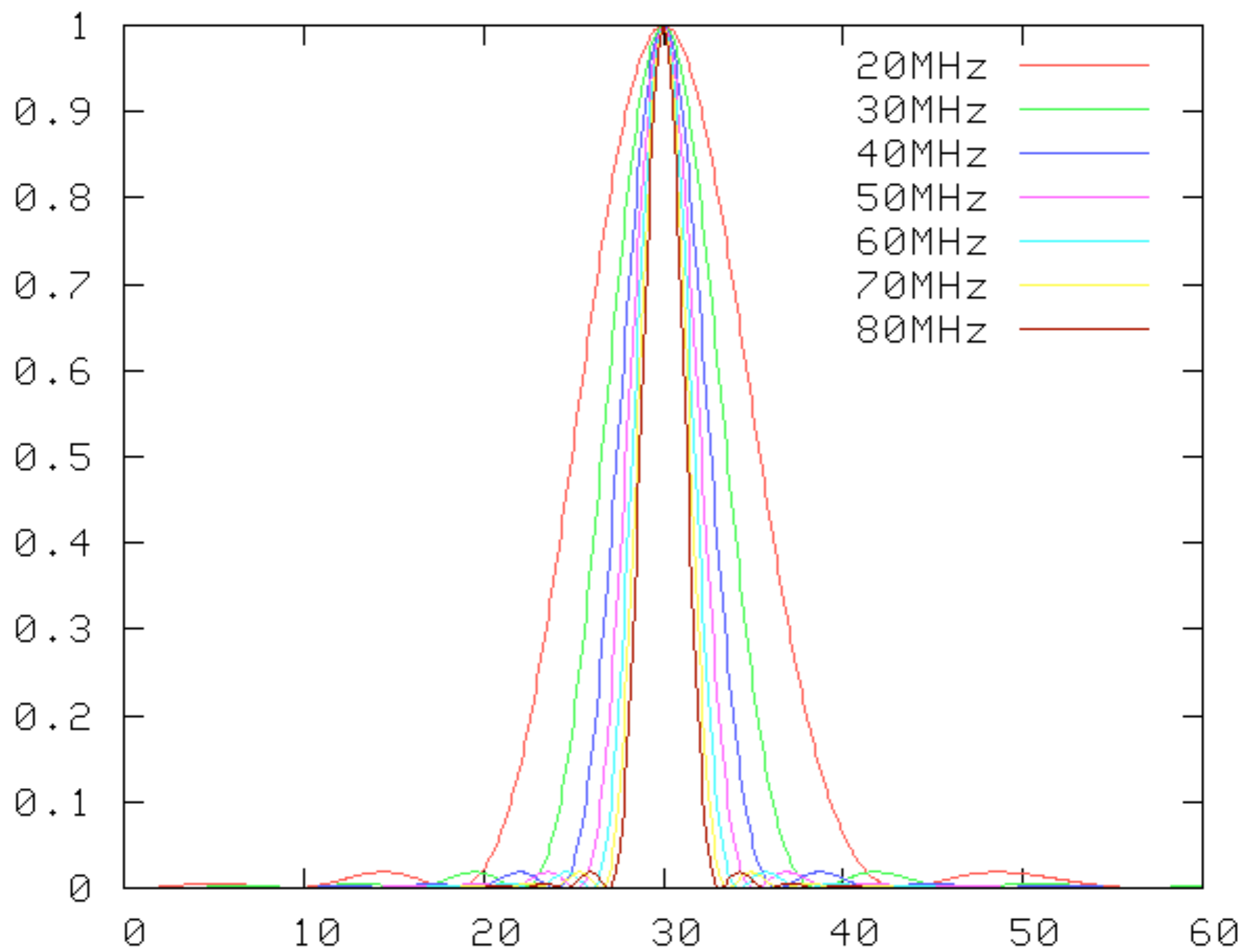
3D one station beam figure
20MHz 0deg 20deg 40deg 60deg

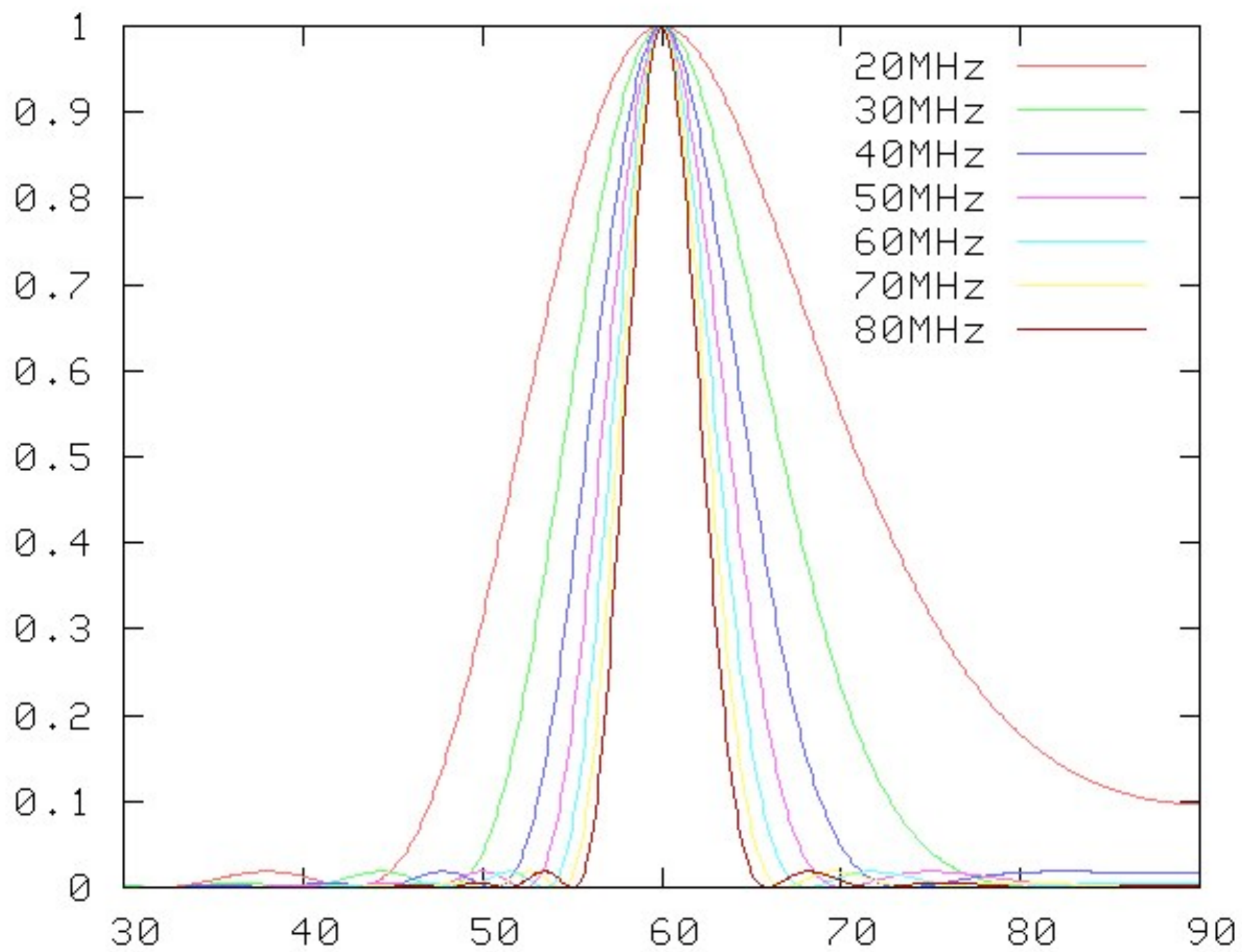
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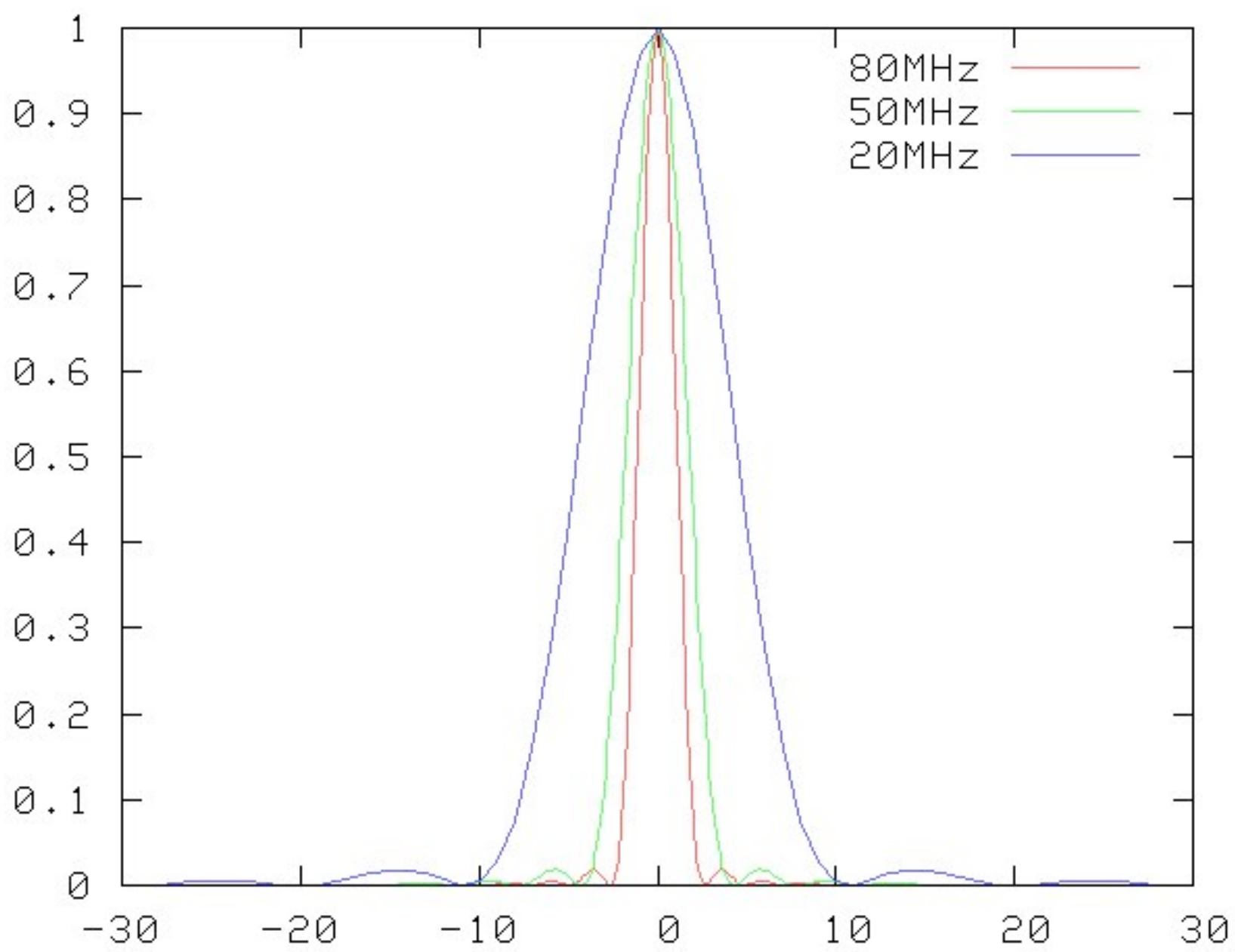
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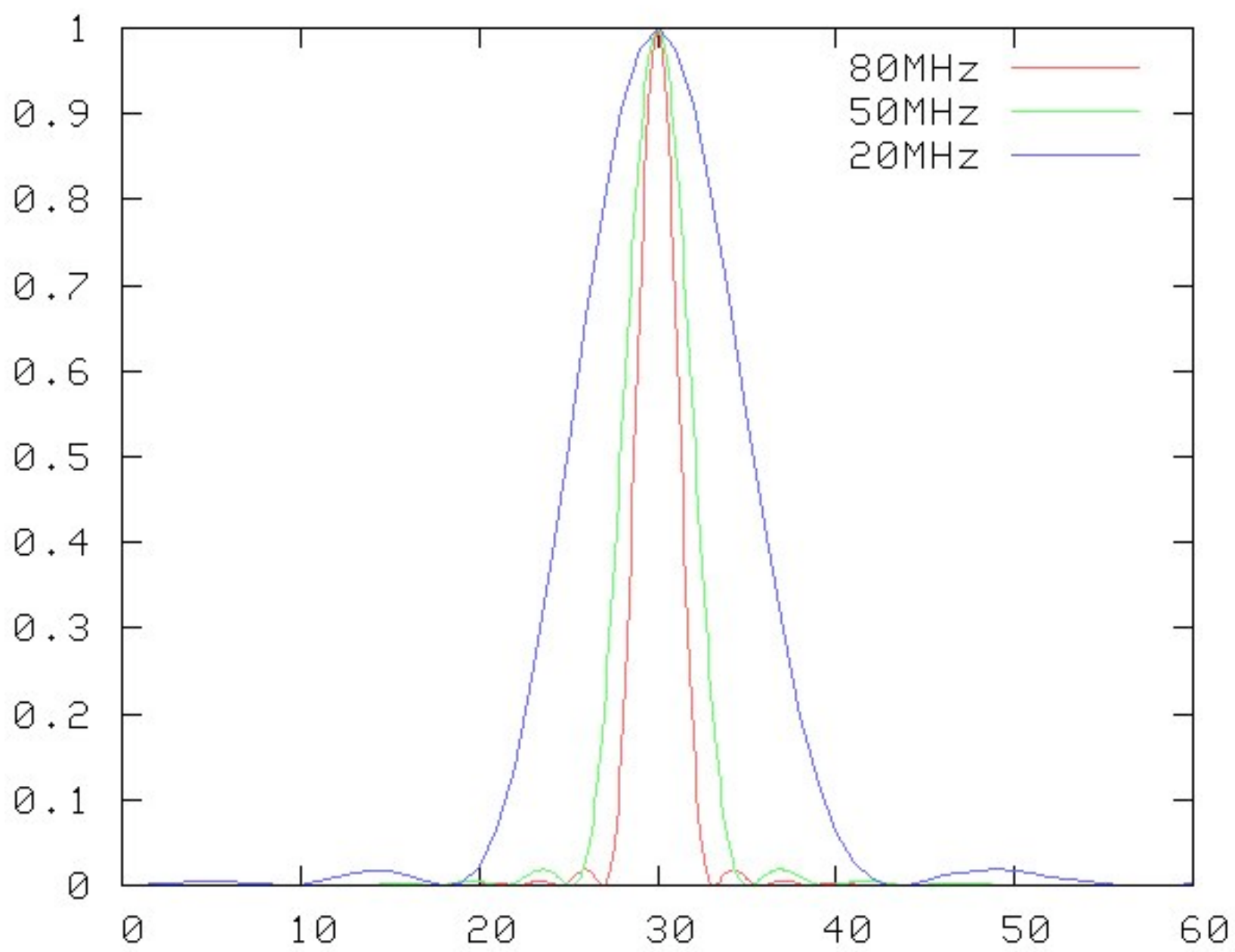


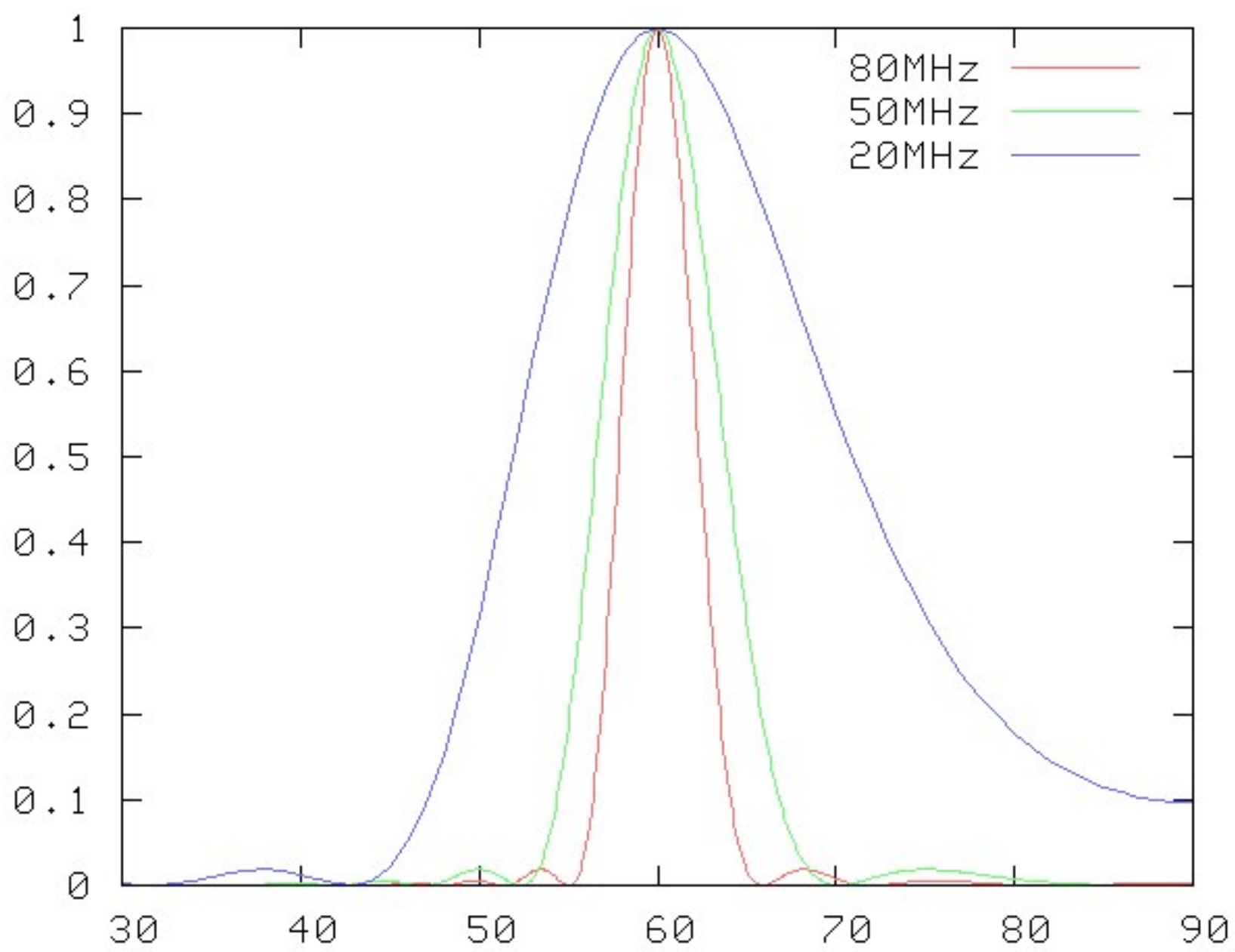










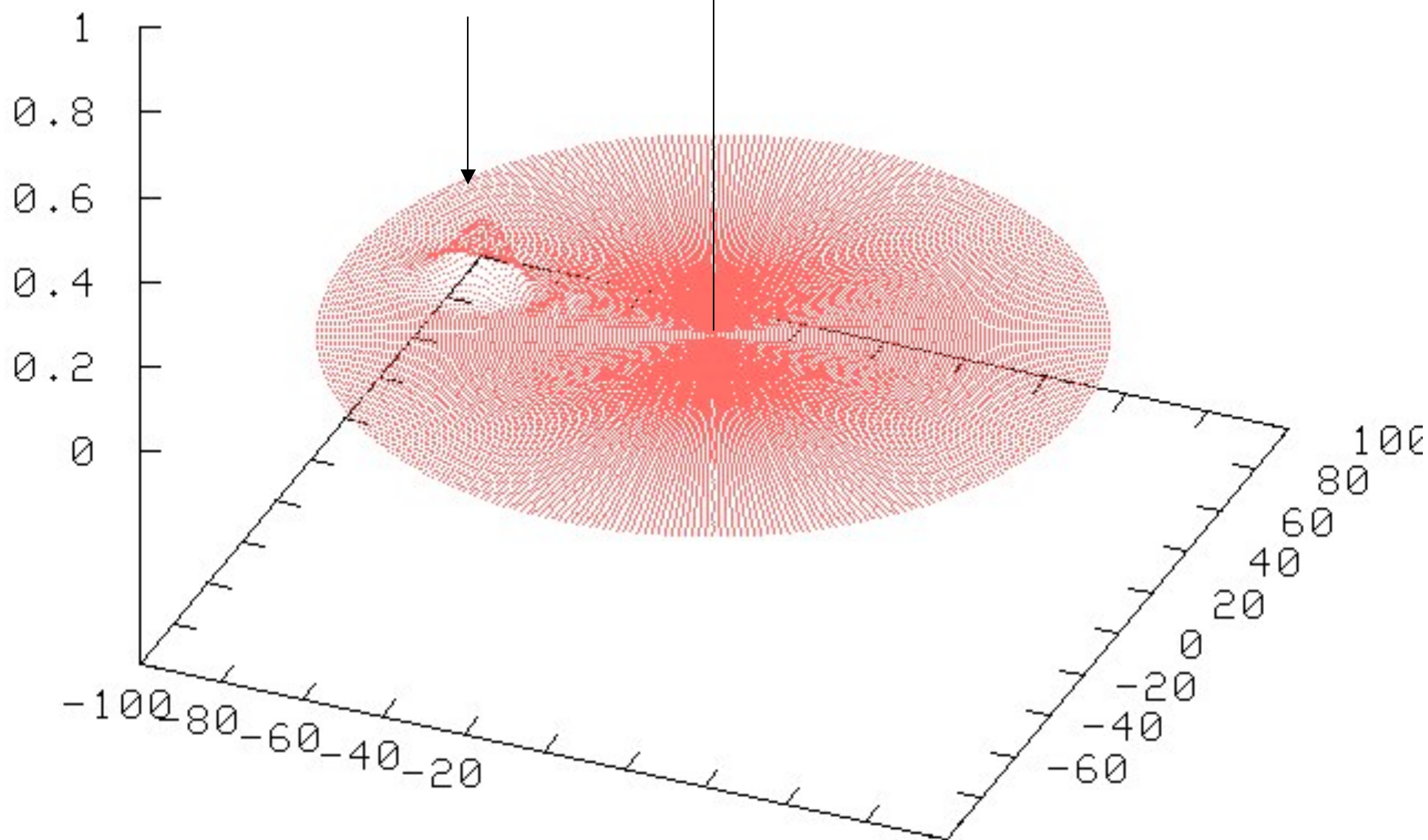


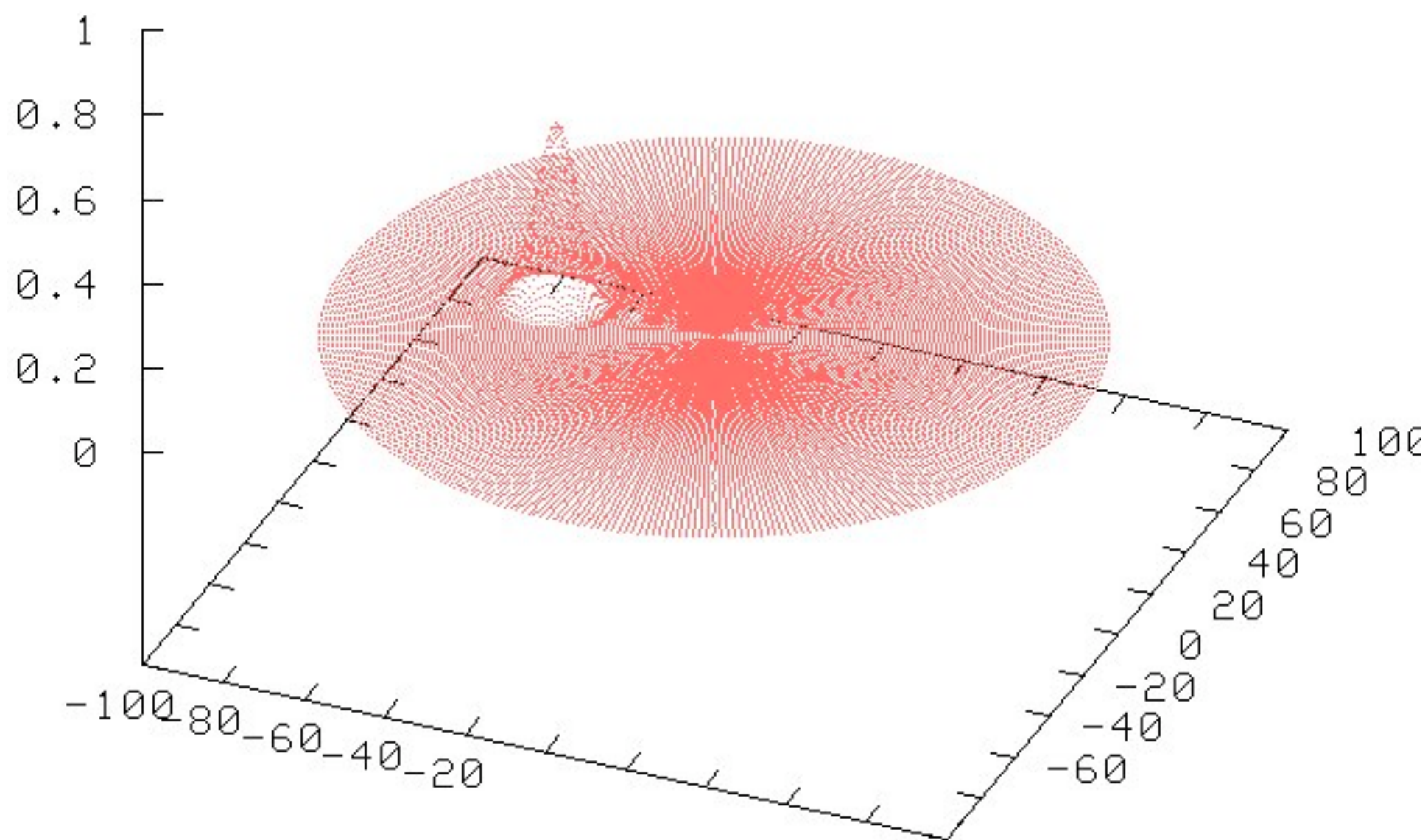
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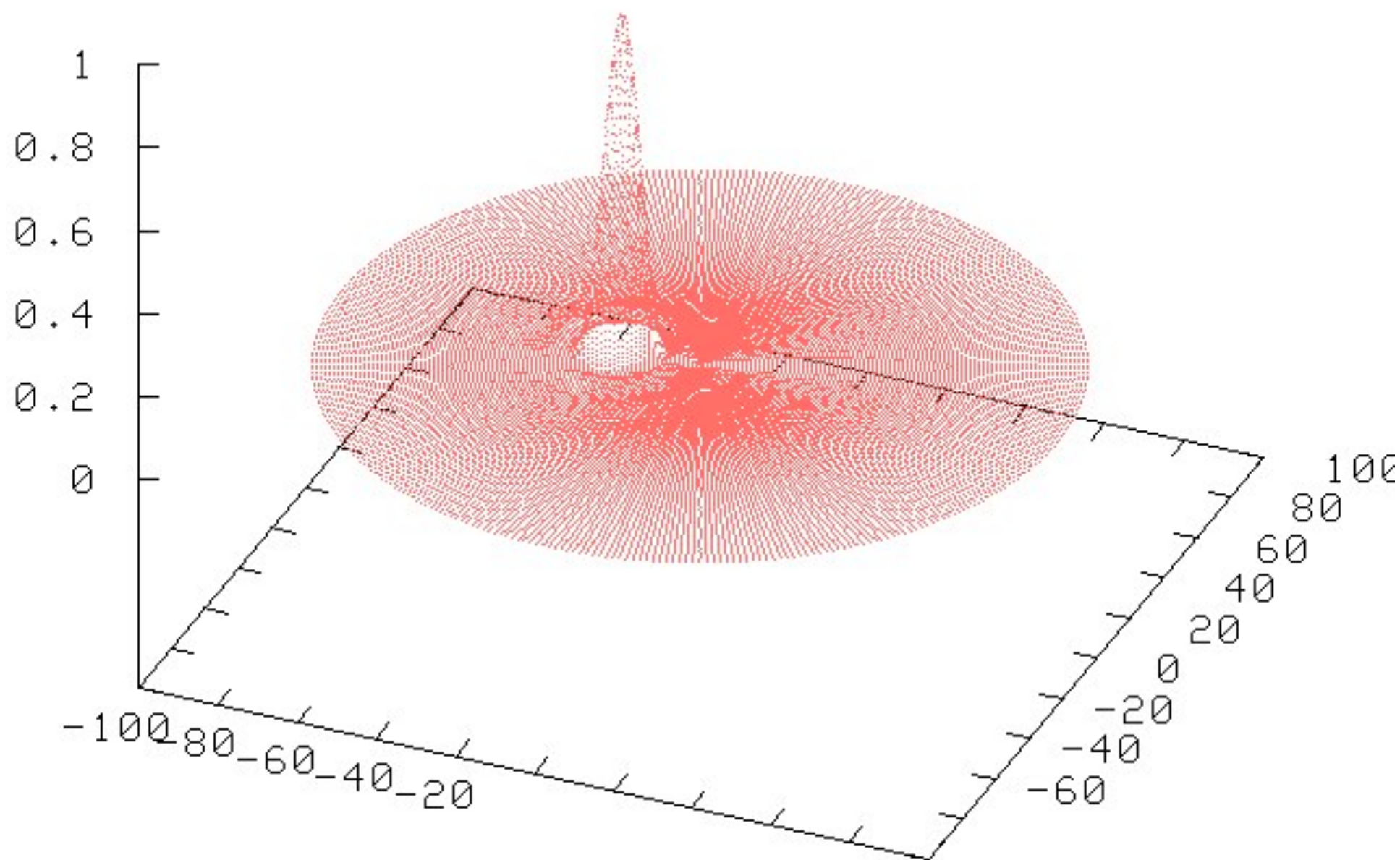
なぜ小さいか理由も入れる

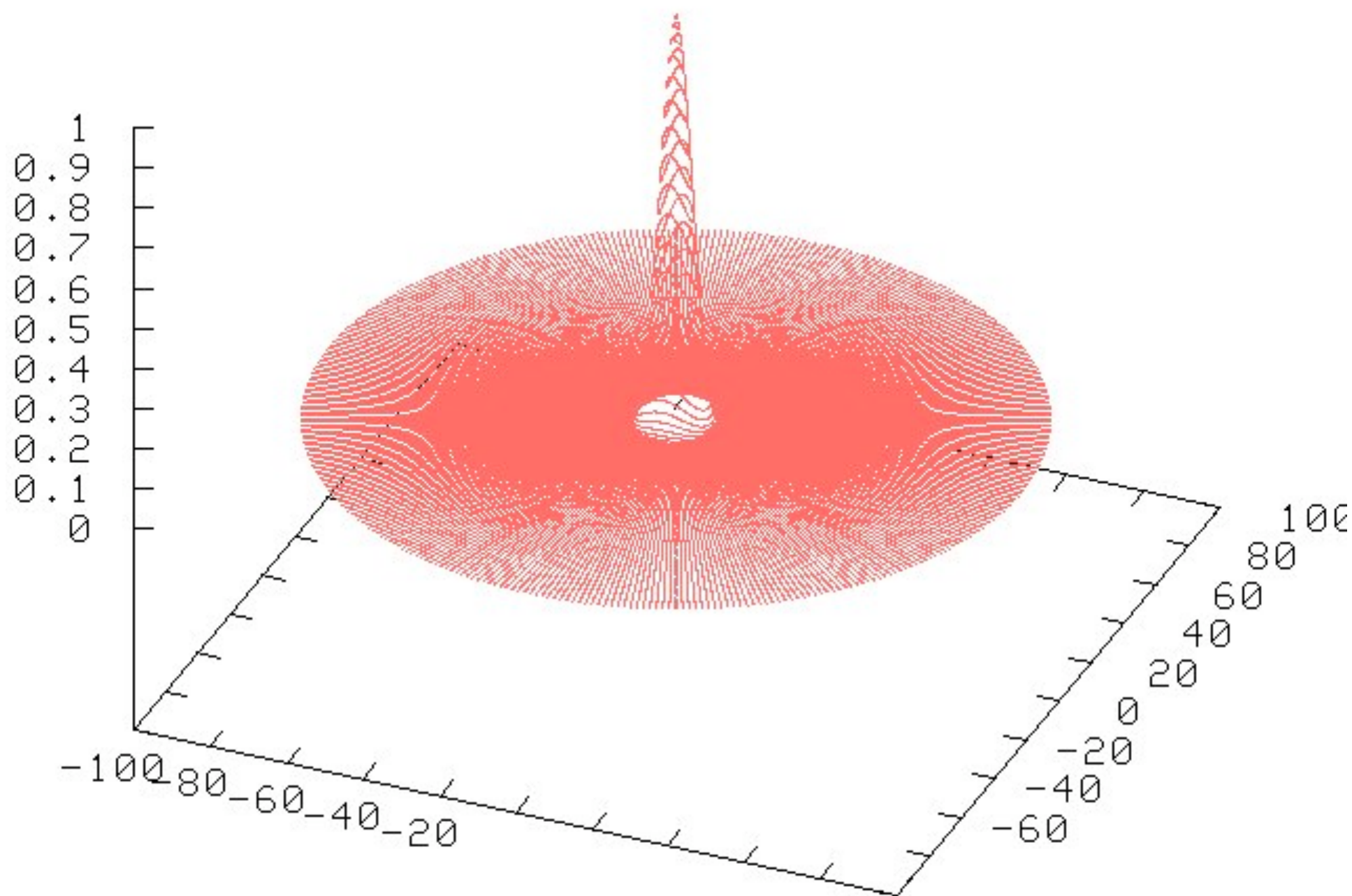
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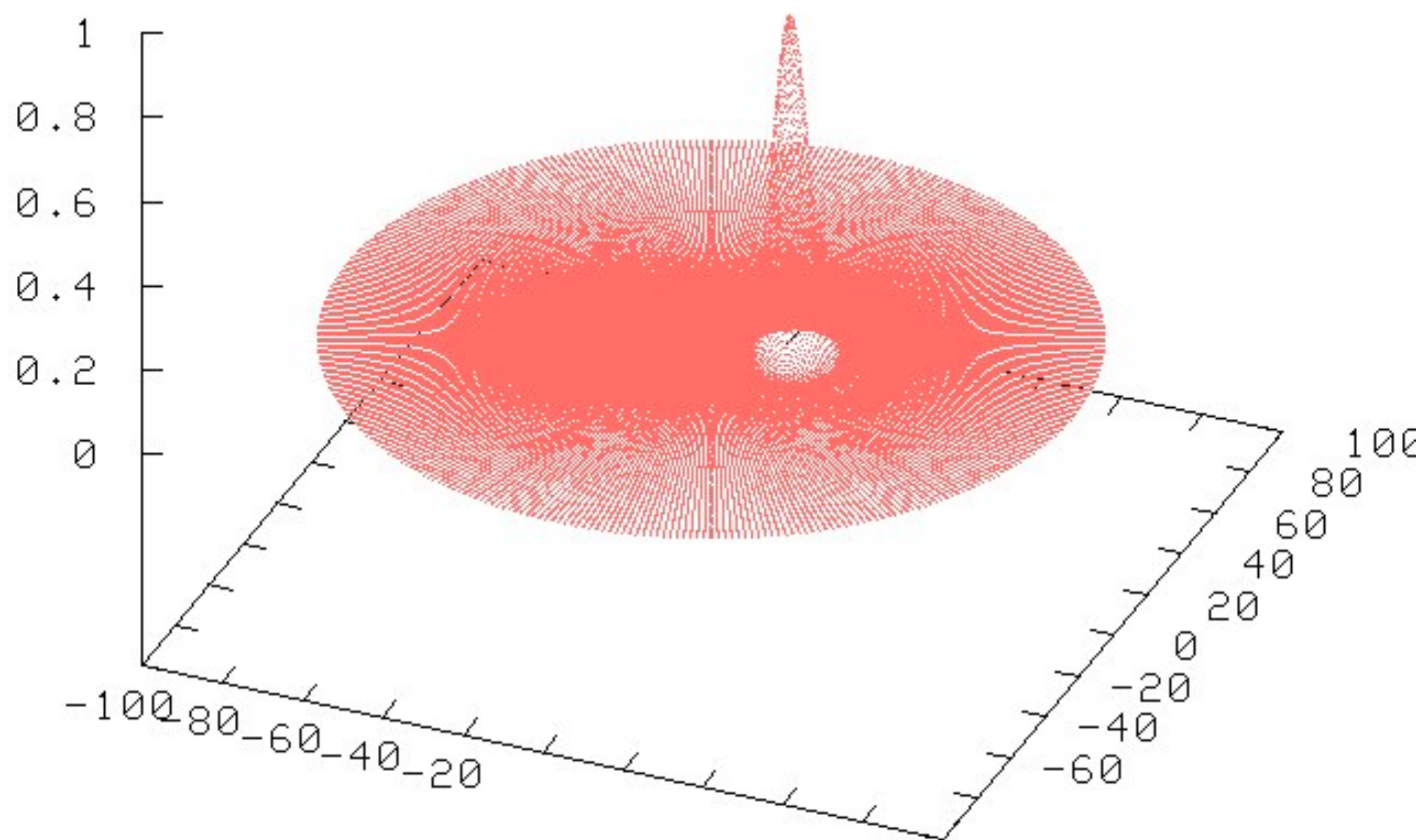
軸を消してもいいかも！

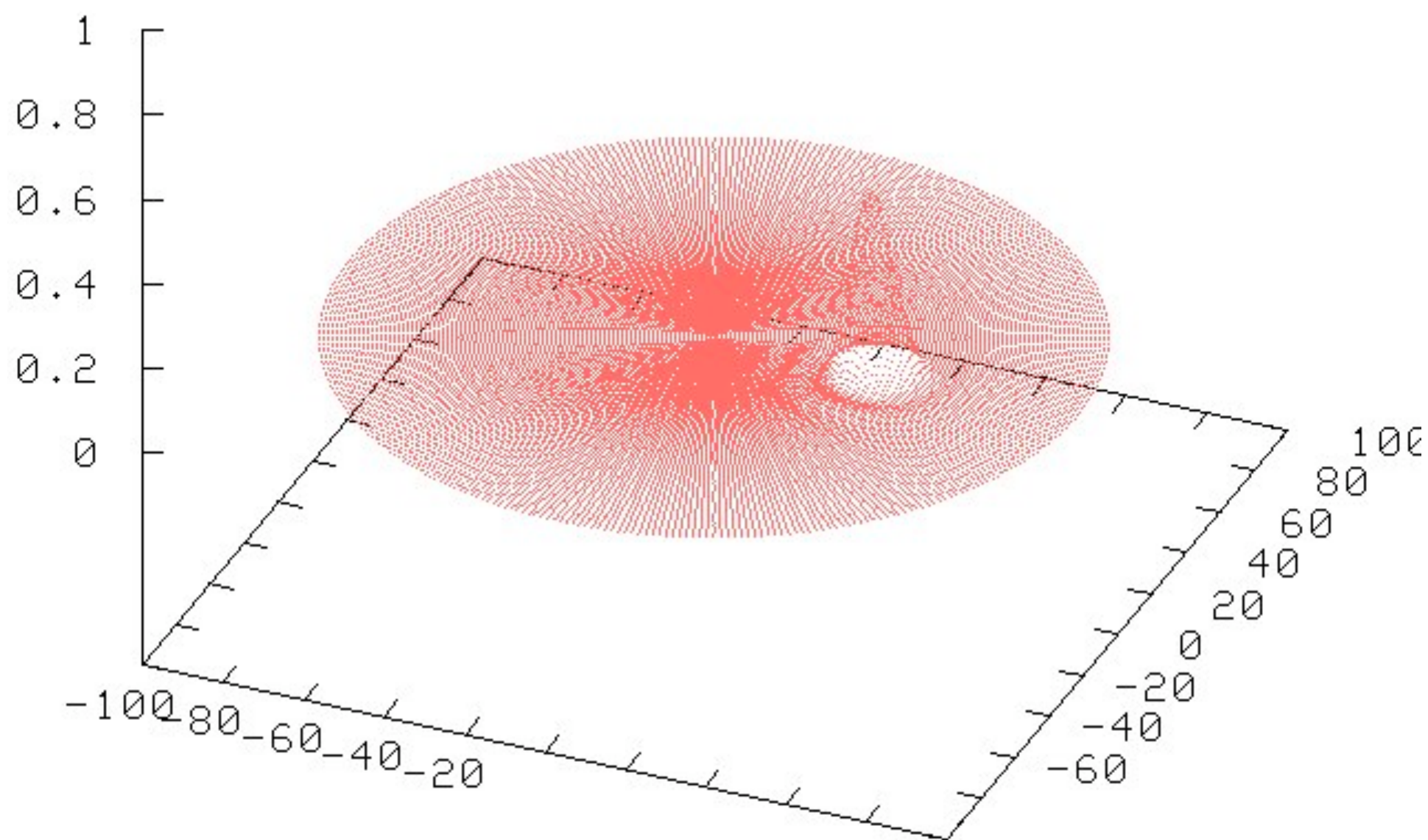


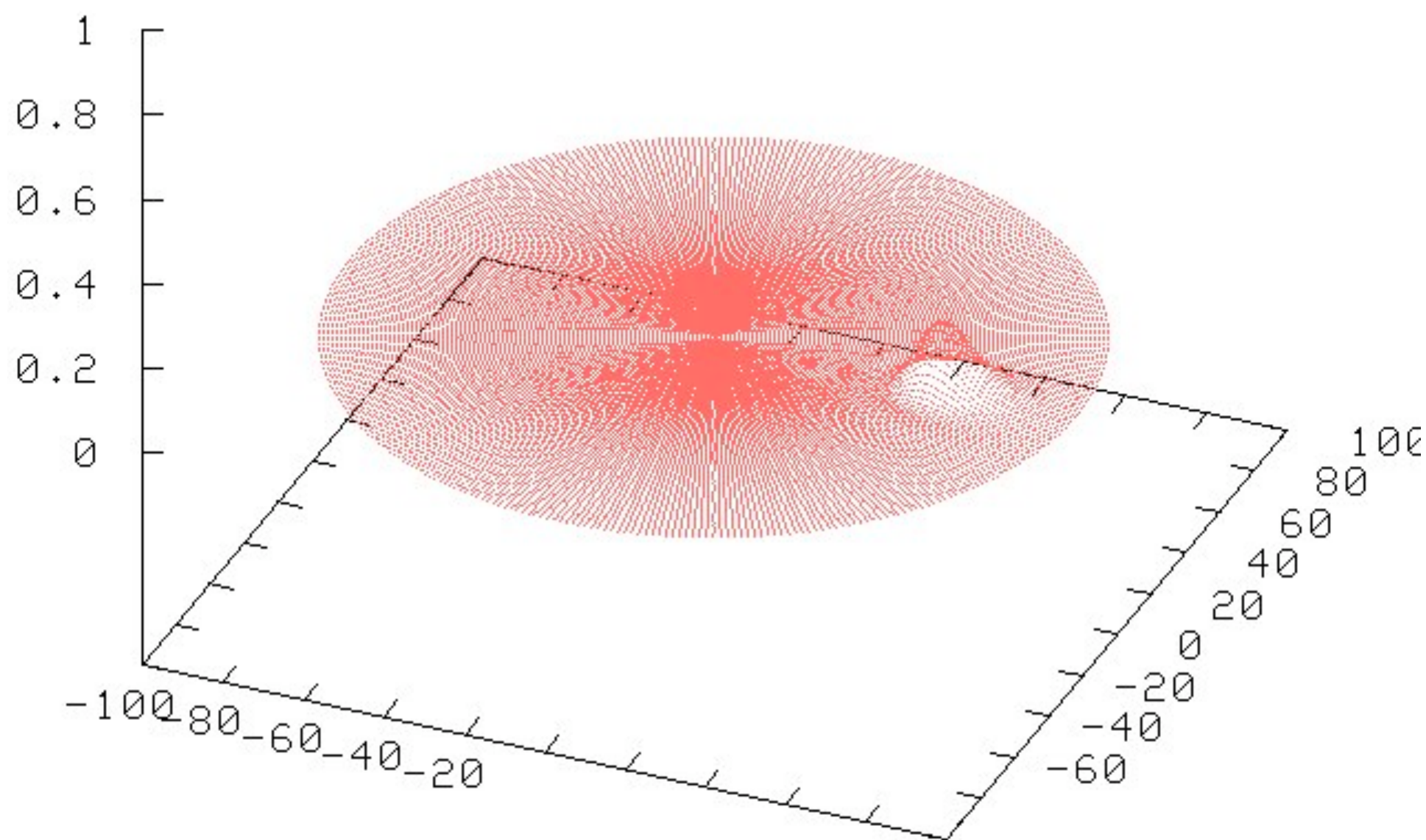


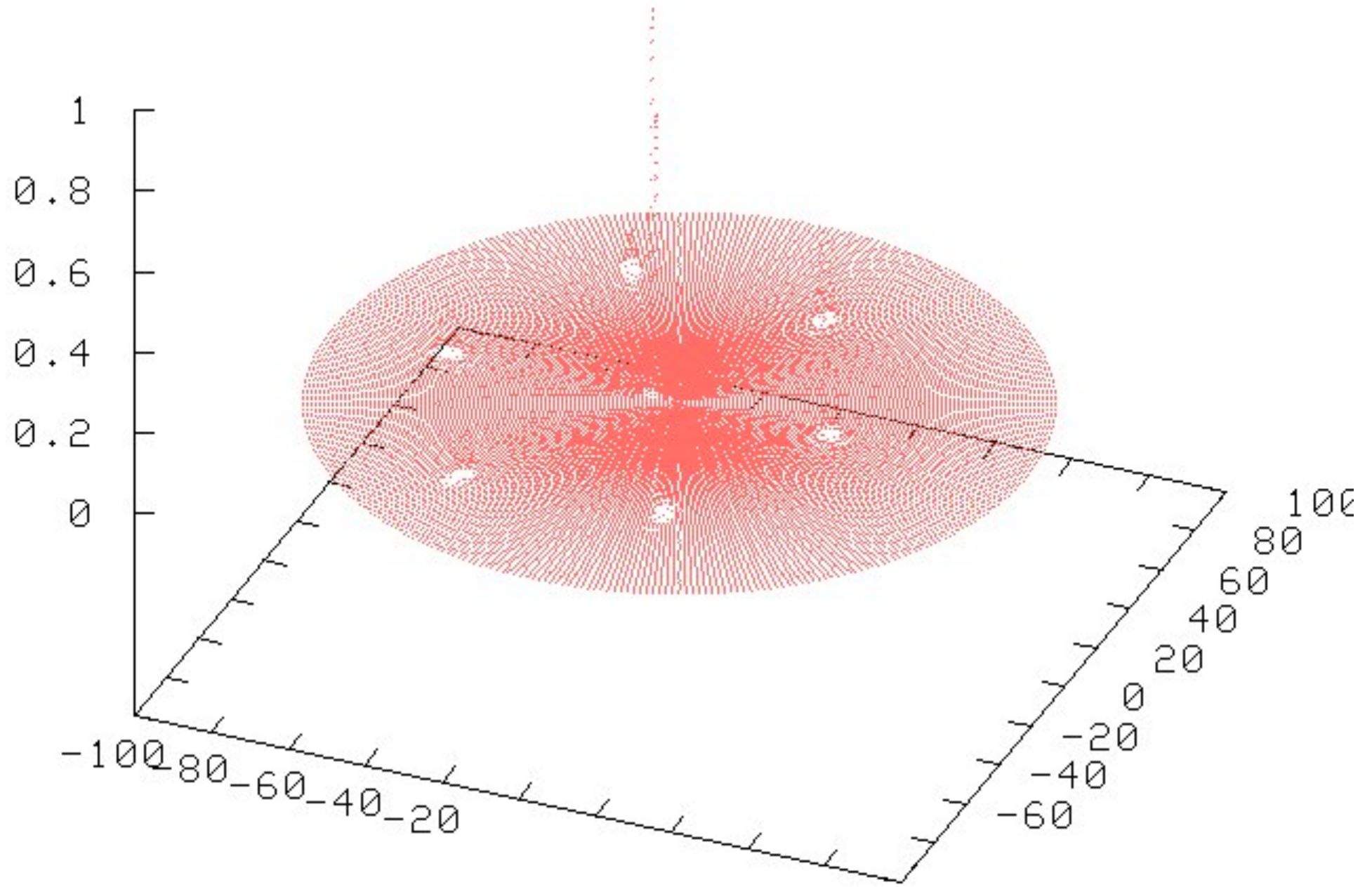


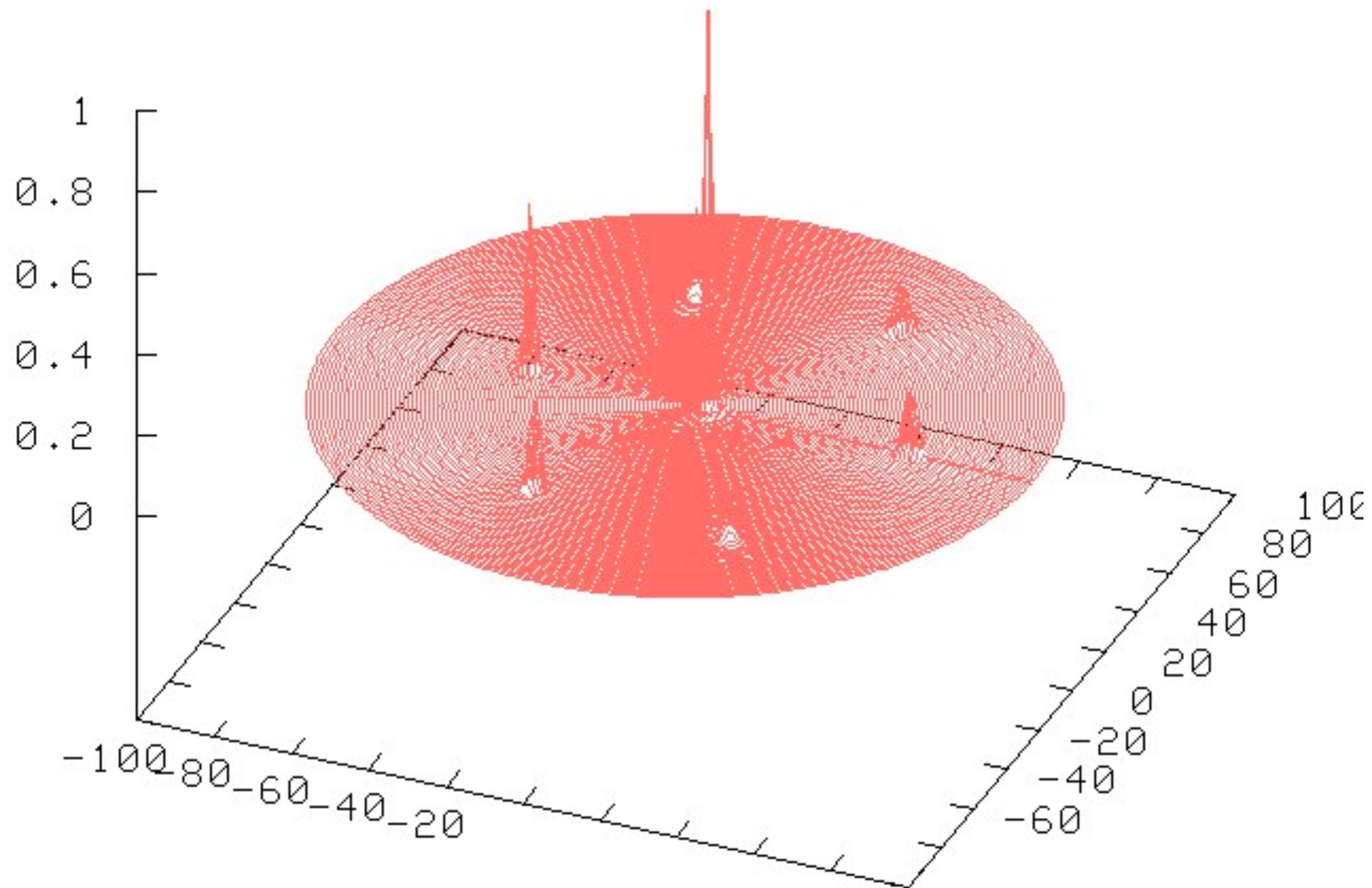


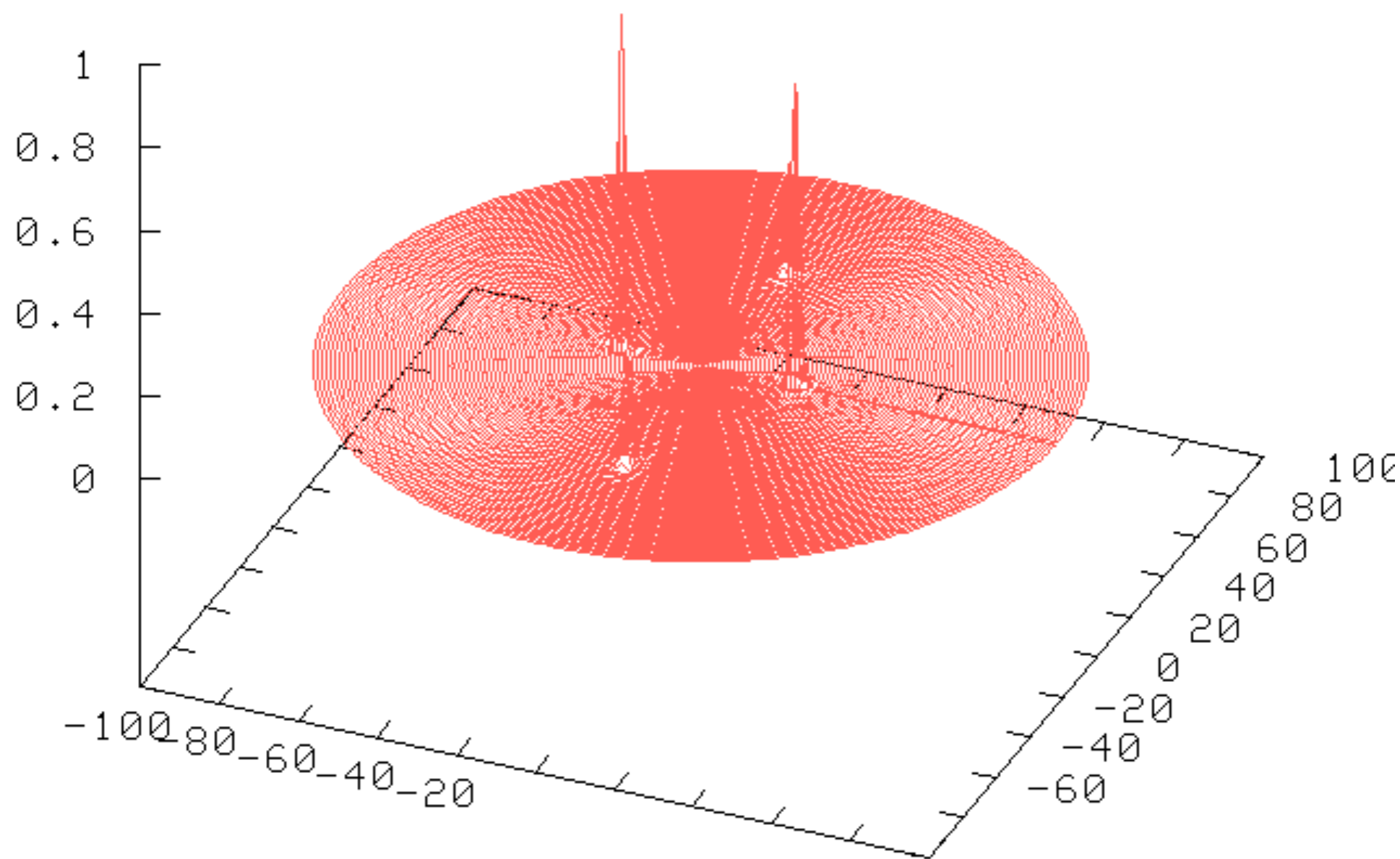


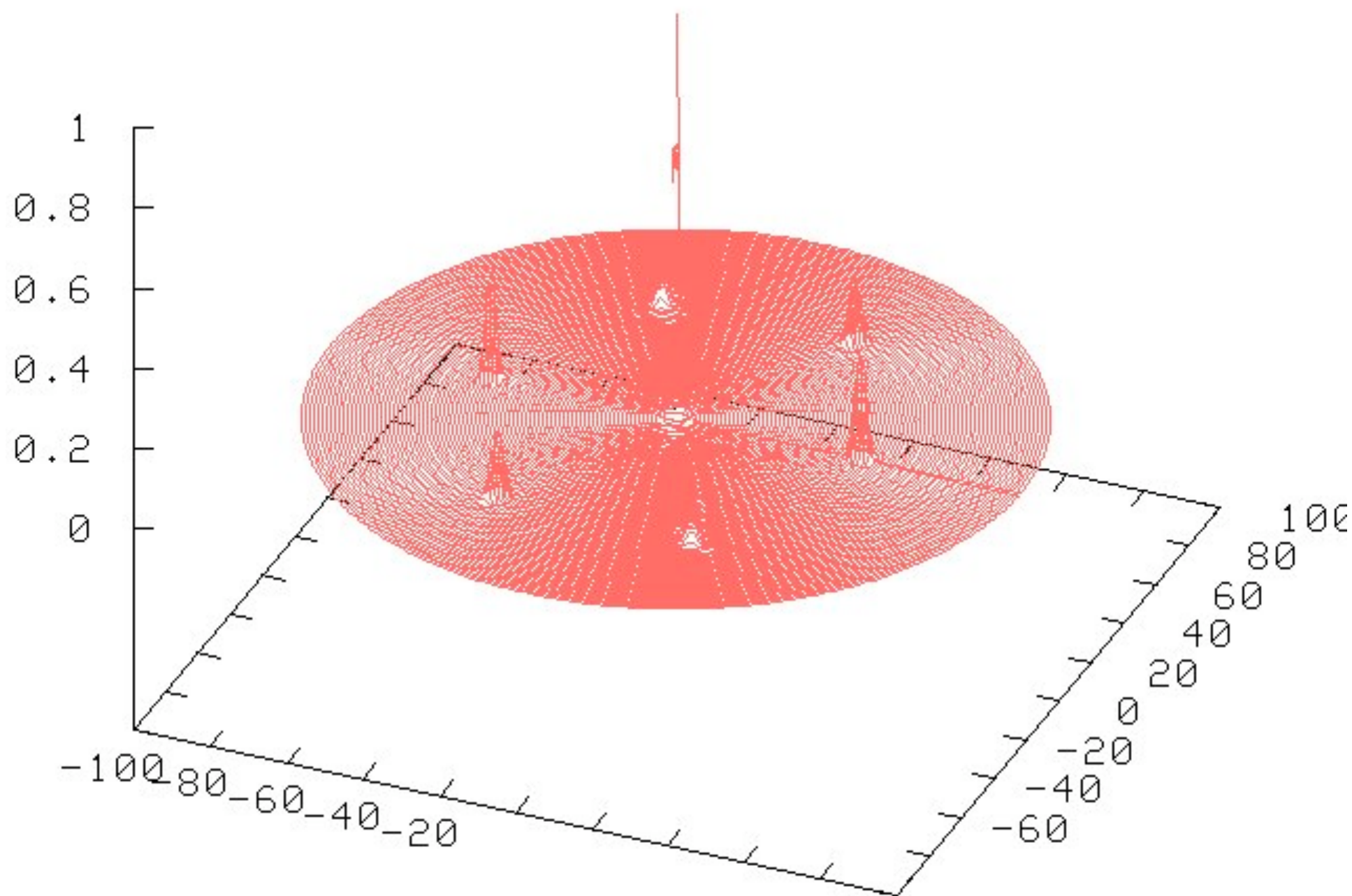


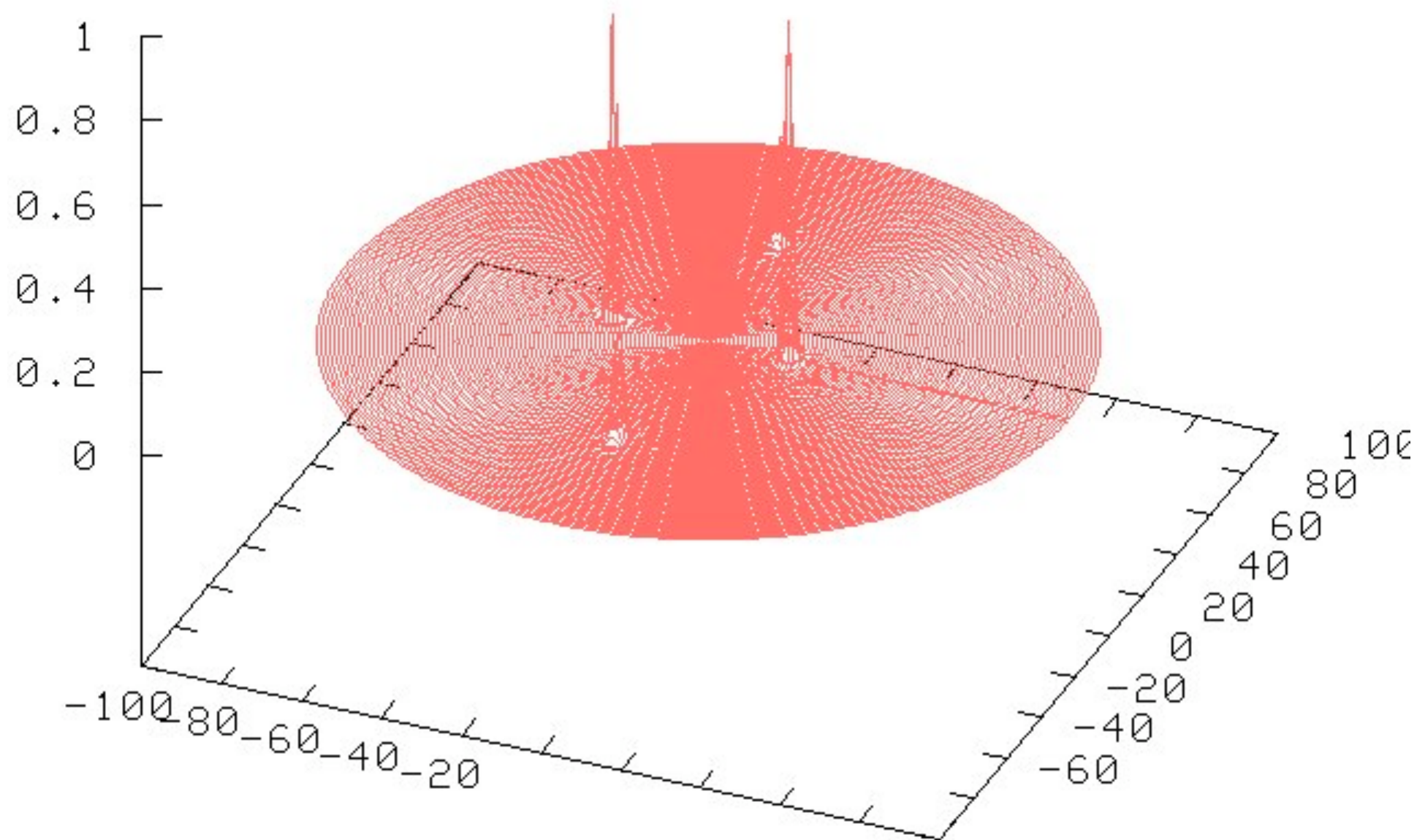


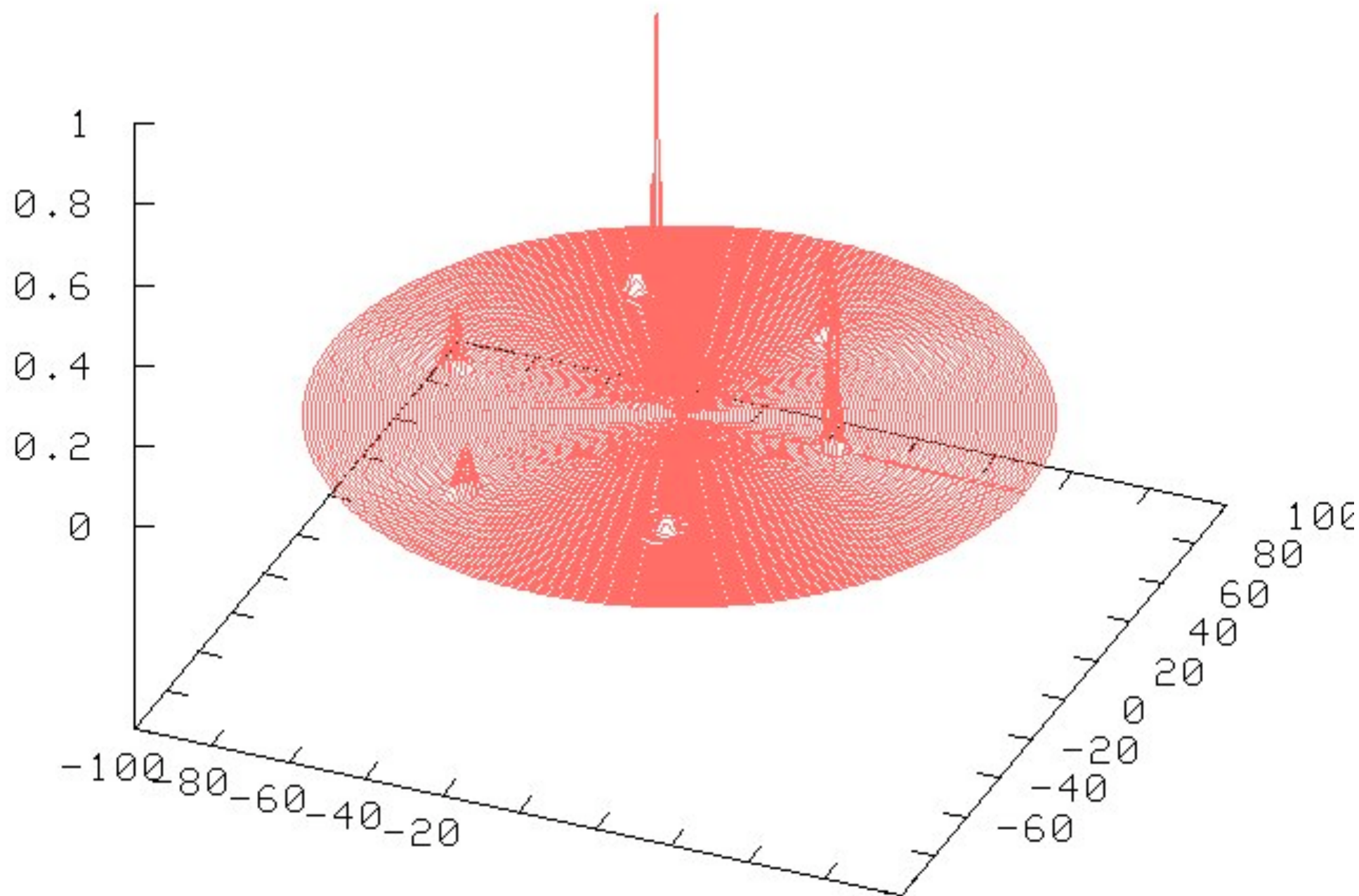


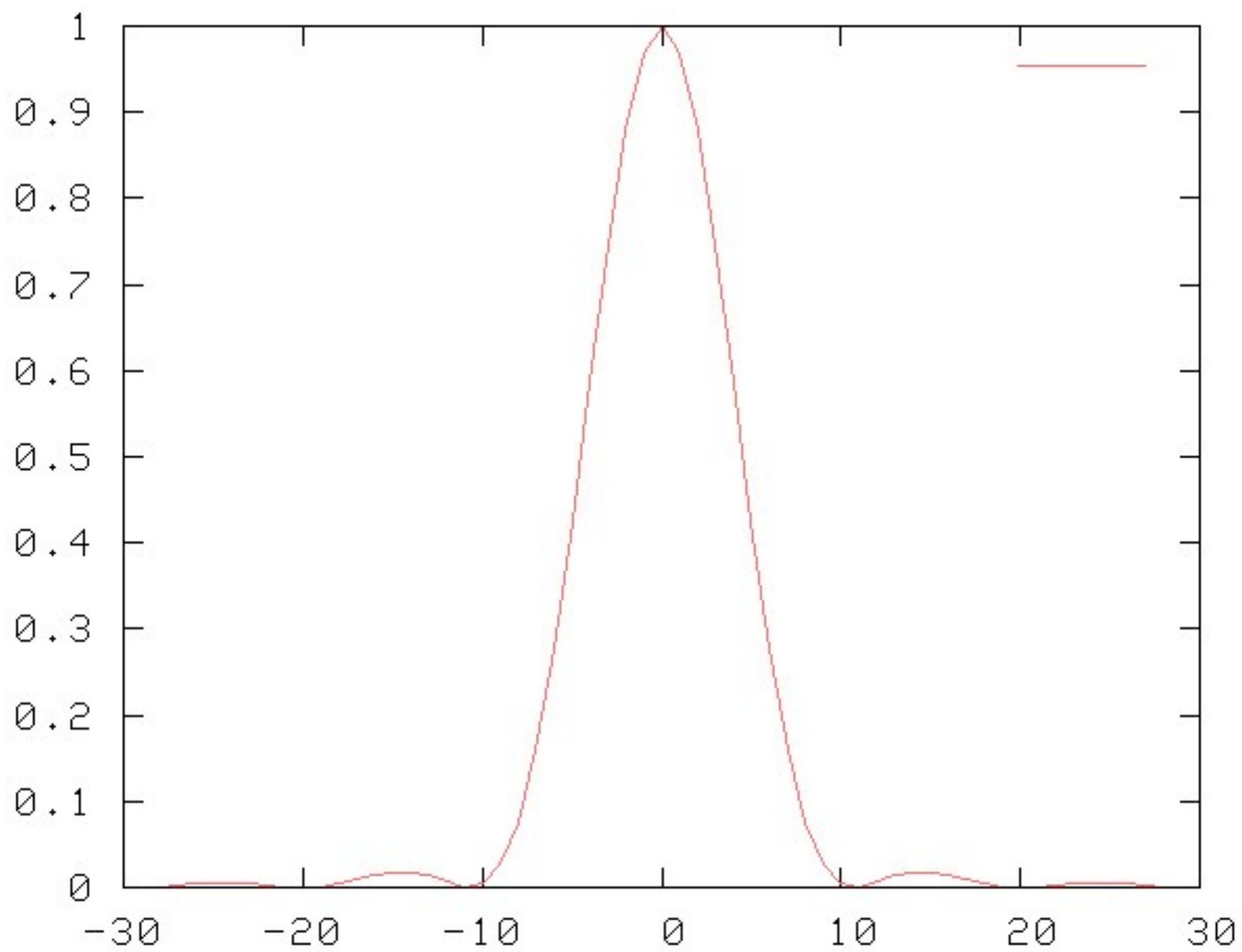


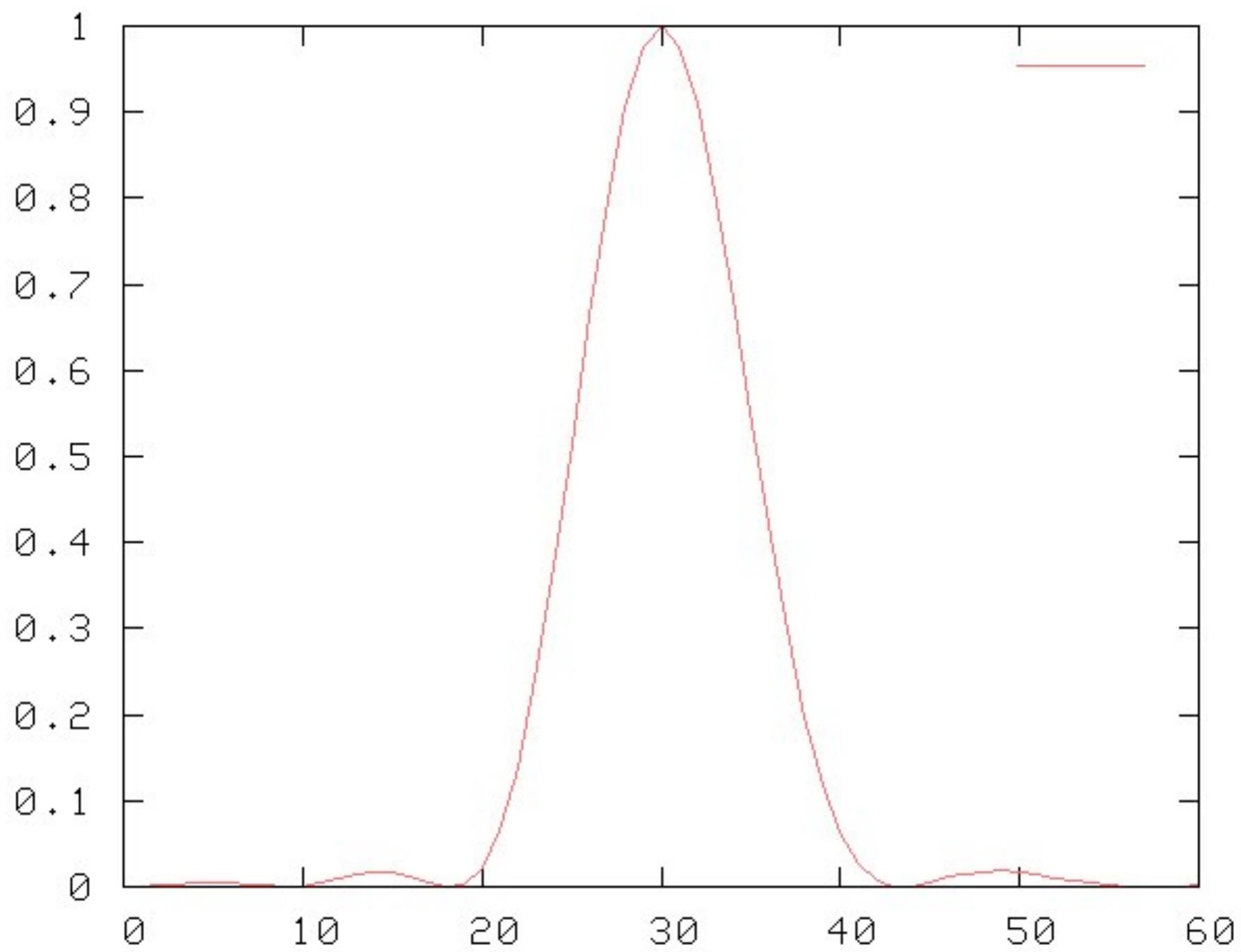


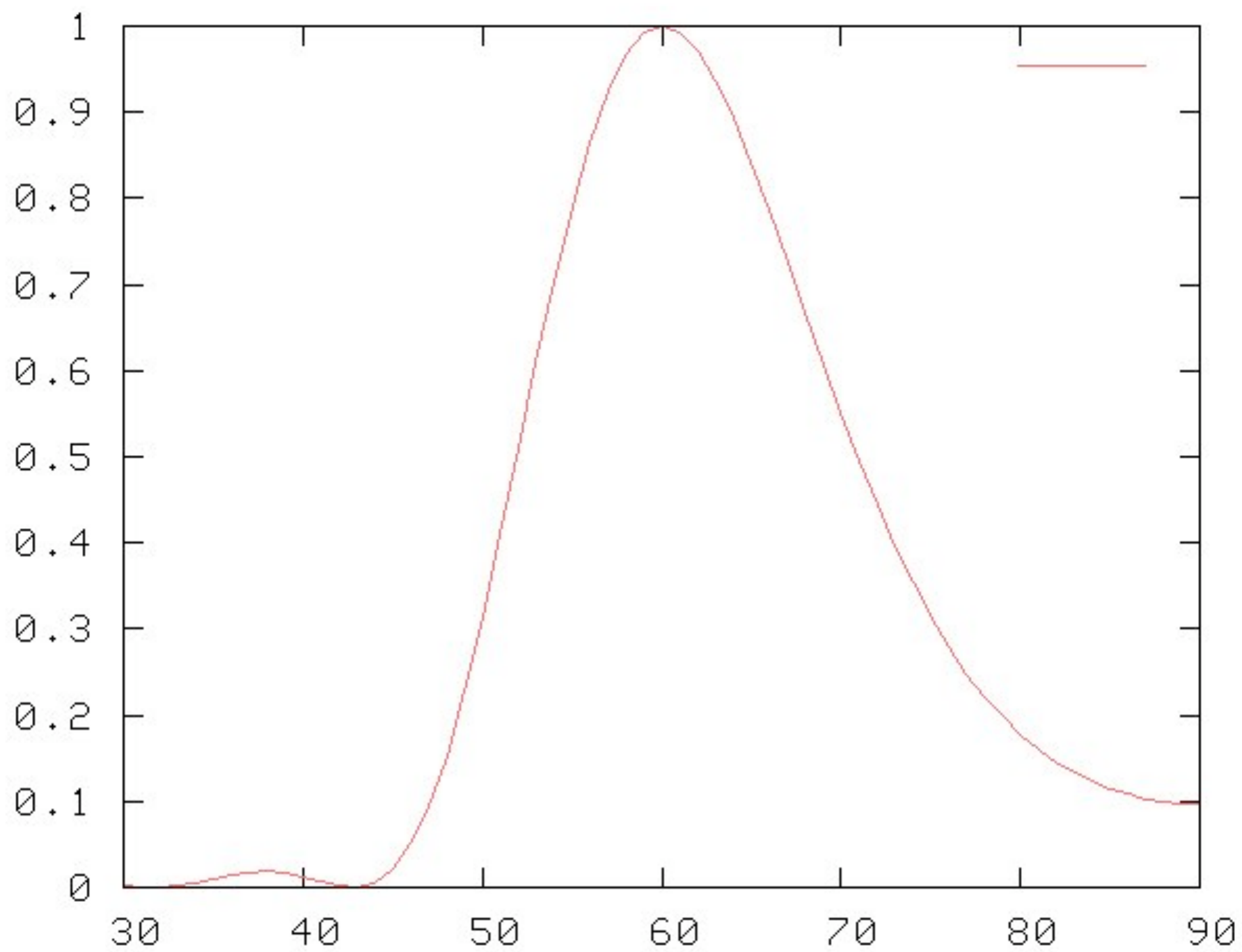












We need a simulator because there is no LWA station.
If you get the simulator, you could find some problems in LWA before the construction.

ここにkumarからもらったシミュレーションソフトを
改造してLWA100mバージョンにした
最終的な(クリーン後)を入れる

最終的にこのようなソフトを作りたい
しかし、これは1ステーションを100mと
考えた時の、実際のステーションの位置
を入れたデータである。

実際に256ダイポールからなるステーションビーム
でシミュレーションソフトを作成することが目的。

