TeV Acceleration in a Tiny Chip

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Content

• 2-step Laser Conversion:

- 1PW Opt. Laser →10PW Opt. Laser →1EW X-ray Laser30fs, 40J, 1eV3fs, 30J, 1eV0.3as, 0.3J, 10keV
- LWFA at solid density

10keV photon: $n_{cr} = 10^{29}/\text{cc}$ ---- solid density $n = 10^{23}/\text{cc}$ wakefield energy gain = $2mc^2 a_0^2 (n_{cr} / n) = a_0^2 \text{TeV}$ accelerating gradient = $a_0 (n / n_{18})^{1/2} 1\text{GeV/cm} = 300a_0 \text{GeV/cm}$

• X-ray crystal optics

X-ray (γ-ray) optics-----Habs et al.

nonlinear optics in vacuum----self-focus (P > P_{cr} ~ 25PW @10keV)

- Vacuum acceleration: intense X-rays Schwinger fiber acceleration
- Collaboration THEXAC formed (7 organizations)
- Test of wakefield acceleration in crystal at FACET (SLAC)
- A preview == A new idea: catching neutrinos by lasers

"When can we reach 1 PeV ?" (A. Suzuki/KEK DG/ former ICFA Chair)



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(http://tesla.desy.de/~rasmus/media/Accelerator%20physics/slides/Livingston%20Plot%202.html)







Single Cycle Thin Film Compressor



G. Mourou, S. Mironov, E. Khazanov and A. Sergeev, Single cycle thin film compressor opening the door to Zeptosecond-Exawatt Physics , Eur. Phys. J. Special Topics, **223**, 1181(2014)

Ultrarelativistic Mirror in the λ^3 Regime



N. M. Naumova, J. A. Nees, I. V. Sokolov, B. Hou, and G. A. Mourou, Relativistic generation of isolated attosecond pulses in a 13 focal volume, Phys. Rev. Lett. **92**, 063902-1 (2004).

Scalable Isolated Attosecond Laser Pulses

(Naumova et al. PRL, 2004)



Isolated zeptosecond X-ray laser pulse

(simulation by N. Naumova, I. Sokolov, G. Mourou, 2014)



Extreme Light Roadmap

(modified from Tajima and Mourou, PR 2002)





Laser Wakefield (LWFA): nonlinear optics in plasma







Maldacena (string theory) method: ys QCD wake (Chesler/Yaffe 2008)

No wave breaks and wake peaks at v≈c





Wave **breaks** at v<c

(Plasma physics vs. String theory) Hokusai



Maldacena



(The density cusps. Cusp singularity)

Theory of wakefield toward extreme energy

$$\Delta E \approx 2m_0 c^2 a_0^2 \gamma_{ph}^2 = 2m_0 c^2 a_0^2 \left(\frac{n_{cr}}{n_e}\right), \quad \text{(when 1D theory applies)}$$

$$In \text{ order to avoid wavebreak,}$$

$$a_0 < \gamma_{ph}^{1/2},$$

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where
$$\gamma_{ph} = (n_{cr} / n_e)^{1/2}$$

$$n_{cr} = 10^{21} (1eV \text{ photon})$$

$$\rightarrow 10^{29} (10 \text{ keV photon})$$

$$n_e = 10^{16} (\text{gas}) \rightarrow 10^{23} (\text{solid})$$

$$L_d = \frac{2}{\pi} \lambda_p a_0^2 \left(\frac{n_{cr}}{n_e}\right), \quad L_p = \frac{1}{3\pi} \lambda_p a_0 \left(\frac{n_{cr}}{n_e}\right),$$
(when 1D theory applies)

X-ray LWFA in crystal suggested

X-ray Laser Wakefield Accelerator in crystal:

LWFA pump-depletion length:

$$L_{acc} \sim a_{\chi} (c/\omega_{p}) (\omega_{\chi}/\omega_{p})^{2}, \qquad (a_{\chi} = eE_{\chi}/mc\omega_{\chi})$$

LWFA energy gain

 $\varepsilon_{\chi}=2a_{\chi}^{2}mc^{2}(n_{cr}/n_{e}),$

Here, $n_{cr} = 10^{29}$, $n_e = 10^{23}$, $a_{\chi} \sim 30$ (pancake laser pulse with the Schwinger intensity, with focal radius assumed the same as optical laser radius. Could be greater if we further focus by optics, or nonlinearity, or if we not limit the intensity at Schwinger. see below)

The vacuum self-focus power threshold

 $P_{cr} = (45/14) c E_s^2 \lambda^2 \alpha^{-1}, \qquad (E_s: \text{Schwinger field})$



(b)

Schwinger fiber acceleration in vacuum:

(no surface, no breakdown)

Vacuum photon dispersion relation with focus

$$\omega = c \sqrt{k_z^2 + \langle k_{perp}^2 \rangle},$$

The vacuum dispersion relation with fiber self-modulation $\omega / (k_z + k_s) = c, \quad (k_s = 2\pi / s)$

(Tajima and Cavenago, PRL, 1987)

Earlier works of X-ray crystal acceleration

-X-ray optics and fields (Tajima et al. PRL, 1987)

-Nanocrystal hole for particle propagation (Newberger, Tajima, et al. 1989, AAC; PR,..) -particle transport in the crystal (Tajima et al. 1990, PA)

APPLICATION OF NOVEL MATERIAL IN CRYSTAL ACCELERATOR CONCEPTS

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which incorporate regular macroscopic features on the underlying crystal lattice are of potential he application to crystal accelerators and coherent urces. We have recently begun an investigation of uterial, porous Si, in which pores of radii up to a lattice spacings are etched through finite volumes rystal. The potential reduction of losses to partianneled along the pores makes this a very interial in crystal accelerators for relativistic, positively icles. Our results on material properties which are this context will be presented. The consequences transport will be discussed. and $k = v_0/m_I c^2$, v_0 , is the "spring constant of th channel well. Its specific form depends on the mo construct the continuum potential of a string of atom purposes it suffices to take a typical value of 2×10^1 is the multiple scattering velocity space "diffusion" We have used¹⁰

$$D = z\pi r_e^2 N Z_{\rm val} \left(\frac{m_e}{m_I}\right)^2 L_R,$$

where r_E is the classical electron radius, Z_{val} is t of valence electrons, and N is the number density of tal. Logarithmic dependencies on particle energy neglected throughout: L_P is a constant with a ty

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BEAM TRANSPORT IN THE CRYSTAL X-RAY ACCELERATOR

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<u>Abstract</u> A Fokker-Planck model of charged particle transport in crystal channels which includes the effect of strong accelerating gradients has been developed¹ for application to VOLUME 59, NUMBER 13

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An ultimate linac structure is realized by an appropriate crystal lattice (superlattice) that serves as a "soft" irised waveguide for x rays. High-energy (\simeq 40 keV) x rays are injected into the crystal at the Bragg angle to cause Bormann anomalous transmission, yielding slow-wave accelerating fields. Particles (e.g., muons) are channeled along the crystal axis.

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An approach to the attainment of ever higher energies by extrapolating the linac to higher accelerating fields, higher frequencies, and finer structures is prompted by several considerations, including the luminosity requirement which demands the radius of the colliding-beam spot be proportionately small at high energies: a0 = $\pi^{-1/2}hc(fN)^{-1/2}P\epsilon^{-2}$, where f, N, P, and ϵ are the duty cycle, total number of events, beam power, and beam energy, respectively. This approach, however, encounters a physical barrier when the photon energy becomes of the order $\hbar \omega \simeq \hbar \omega_{\sigma} \simeq mc^2 a^2 \simeq 30 \text{ eV}$ (a=the fine-structure constant), corresponding to wavelength (scale length) $\lambda \simeq 500$ Å: The metallic wall begins to absorb the photon strongly, where ω_n is the plasma frequency corresponding to the crystal electron density. In addition, since the wall becomes not perfectly conducting for $\hbar \omega \ge mc^2 a^2$, the longitudinal component of fields becomes small and the photon goes almost straight into the wall (a soft-wall regime). As the photon energy $\hbar\omega$ much exceeds mc^2a^2 and becomes $\geq mc^2a$, however, the metal now ceases to be opaque. The mean free path of the photon is given by Bethe-Bloch theory as $l_i = (3/2^8 \pi)$ $\times a_{B}^{-2} a^{-1} n^{-1} (\hbar \omega / Z_{eff}^{2} \mathcal{R})^{7/2}$, where a_{B} is the Bohr radius, n the electron density, Z_{eff} the effective charge of the lattice ion, and \mathcal{R} the Rydberg energy.

In the present concept the photon energy is taken at the hard x-ray range of $\hbar\omega \approx mc^3a$ and the linae structure is replaced by a crystal structure, e.g., silicon or GaAs-AlAs. (A similar bold endeavor was apparently undertaken by Hofstadter already in 1968.) Here the crystal axis provides the channel through which accelerated particles propagate with minimum scattering (channeling³) and the x rays are transmitted via the Bormann effect (anomalous transmisson^{3,4}) when the x rays (wavelength λ) are injected in the xz plane with a where b is the transverse lattice constant and later a the longitudinal lattice constant ($a \approx b$) (see Fig. 1). The row of lattice ions (perhaps with inner-shell electrons) constitutes the "waveguide" wall for x rays, while they also act as periodic irises to generate slow waves. A superlattice² such as Ge,Si_{1-c}S₁ (in which the relative concentration c ranges from 0 to 1 over 100 Å or longer in the longitudinal z direction) brings in an additional freedom in the crystal structure and provides a small Brillouin wave number $k_c = 2\pi/s$ with s being the periodicity length. We demand that the x-ray light in the crystal channel walls becomes a slow wave and satisfies the high-energy acceleration condition

$$\omega/(k_z + k_s) = c,$$
 (2)

where ω and k_z are the light frequency and longitudinal wave number.

The energy loss of moving particles in matter is due to ionization, bremsstrahlung, and nuclear collisions. We can show⁶ that a channeled high-energy particle moving fast in the z direction oscillates in the xy plane according to the Hamiltonian

$$H = \frac{1}{2m} (p_x^2 + p_y^2) + V(x,y), \quad (3)$$



THEXAC (Transformative High Energy X-ray Acceleration in Crystal): Collaboration [UCI, Stanford (SLAC), Fermilab, NIU, EP, ELI-NP, Aarhus U.] formed What we'd like to do initially at FACET

- Detect and quantify wakefield excitation
- FACET provides dense bunches of positrons
 - better channeling than e^- , less scattering of channeled beam
 - dense bunches can excite wakefields.
- FACET has a spectrometer or the channeled particles
 - wake excitation => energy loss (can detect ≤ 0.1% E-loss)
 - the γ -ray spectrum should also indicate this.
- Synergy with FACET E212 and ESTB T513.
 - we are combining forces.

In Collaboration with Stanford SLAC E212 (PI: Prof. Uggerhoj)

Radiation from GeV electrons in diamond – with intensities approaching the amplified radiation regime

... en route towards the 'gamma-ray laser'



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On behalf of the collaboration

In collaboration with E212: from Prof.Uggerhoj Undulator Radiation from Positron Channeling in a Single Crystal

A. Solov'yov, A. Korol, W. Greiner et al.



A first Positron Run

- Unique chance to study wake-field generation in crystal
 - Channeling parameters, etc.
 - Detect energy absorption into wake

-charge-dependent *E*-loss.

- Use T-513 crystal, or Aarhus diamond (better)
- T-513 hardware should work in FACET
- Tune spectrometer vertically imaging
- Three 12-hour shifts likely sufficient
 - based on T513 and Aarhus experience, known crystal

Wakefield excitation by electron (or positron) beam (vs. by X-ray pulse)



Shin (2014)

Wakefield excitation and witness bunch that accelerated



Shin (2014)

In collaboration with E212 (Uggerhoj)

Placement of Crystal



Fermilab efforts on crystal acceleration

16th Advanced Accelerator Concept Workshop (AAC2014)



TeV/m Nano-Accelerator

Current Status of CNT-Channeling Acceleration Experiment



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Detecting neutrinos by strong laser

- Landau-Yang's theorem= no interaction between photons and neutrinos
- A new term (the diffractive term, i.e. the boundary sensitive wave-like, or global term) does NOT vanish for photons-neutrinos
- Contributions from this term: many orders of magnitude increase in sensitivity of detection neutrinos by laser
- Neutrinos from accelerators, reactors, the Sun, SNs are observable with much enhanced detectability

Conclusions

- EW 10keV X-rays laser from 1PW optical laser
- X-ray LWFA in crystal: accelerating gradient 1-10TeV/cm, accelerating length 1-10m, energy gain per stage PeV; *miniaccelerators* (mm-m; portable) for GeV, TeV, PeV (and beyond)
- Crystal nanoengineering: s.a. nanoholes, arrays, focus optics
- Zeptosecond nano beams of electrons, protons (ions), muons (neutrinos), coherent γ-rays to very high energies over mm to m -----answering Suzuki's Challenge
- Start of zeptoscience
- Vacuum self-threshold may be exceeded by this X-rays--- selfacceleration in vacuum (Schwinger) may be possible
- Collaboration THEXAC formed
- Test of wakefield excitation in crystal in FACET proposed
- More work, applications, and call for collaboration sought
- (preview) Laser can enhance the detectability of neutrinos

