# Compton Sources of Electromagnetic Radiation\*

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#### **Compton Effect**

#### TABLE I



Wave-length of Primary and Scattered y-rays

Fig. 4. Spectrum of molybdenum X-rays scattered by graphite, compared with the spectrum of the primary X-rays, showing an increase in wave-length on scattering.



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Fig. 7. Comparison of experimental and theoretical intensities of scattered  $\gamma$ -rays.



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• Layout



• Energy

$$E_{\gamma} \boldsymbol{\Theta}, \boldsymbol{\varphi} = \frac{E_{\text{laser}} \boldsymbol{\langle} - \boldsymbol{\beta} \cos \boldsymbol{\Phi} \big]}{1 - \boldsymbol{\beta} \cos \boldsymbol{\theta} + E_{\text{laser}} \boldsymbol{\langle} - \cos \Delta \boldsymbol{\Theta} \big] E_{e^{-}}}$$

• Thomson limit

$$E'_{\text{laser}} \ll mc^2$$
,  $E_{\gamma} \ \theta, \phi \ \approx E_{\text{laser}} \frac{1 - \beta \cos \Phi}{1 - \beta \cos \theta}$ 



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# **Field Strength Parameter**

- Early 1960s: Laser Invented
- Brown and Kibble (1964): Earliest definition of the field strength parameters (normalized vector potential) K and/or a in the literature that I'm aware of

$$a = \frac{eE_0\lambda_0}{2\pi mc^2}$$
 Compton/Thomson Sources  $K = \frac{eB_0\lambda_0}{2\pi mc}$  Undulators

Interpreted frequency shifts that occur at high fields as a "relativistic mass shift".

- Sarachik and Schappert (1970): Power into harmonics at high K and/or a. Full calculation for CW (monochromatic) laser. Later referenced, corrected, and extended by workers in fusion plasma diagnostics.
- Alferov, Bashmakov, and Bessonov (1974): Undulator/Insertion Device theories developed under the assumption of constant field strength. Numerical codes developed to calculate "real" fields in undulaters.
- Coisson (1979): Simplified undulater theory, which works at low K and/or a, developed to understand the frequency distribution of "edge" emission, or emission from "short" magnets, i.e., including pulse effects





#### **Spectrum from a "Short" Magnet**

Coisson low-field strength undulater spectrum\*

$$\frac{dU_{\gamma}}{d\nu d\Omega} = \frac{r_e^2 c}{\pi} \gamma^2 \left[ 1 + \gamma^2 \theta^2 \right]^2 f^2 \left| \tilde{B} v \left[ 1 + \gamma^2 \theta^2 \right] / 2\gamma^2 \right|^2$$

$$f^2 = f_{\sigma}^2 + f_{\pi}^2$$

$$f_{\sigma} = \frac{1}{1 + \gamma^2 \theta^2} \sin \phi$$

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$$f_{\pi} = \frac{1}{1 + \gamma^2 \theta^2} \left( \frac{1 - \gamma^2 \theta^2}{1 + \gamma^2 \theta^2} \right) \cos \phi$$
\*R. Coisson, Phys. Rev. A **20**, 524 (1979)

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### **Dipole Radiation**



Polarized in the plane containing  $\hat{r} = \vec{n}$  and  $\hat{x}$ 





#### **Dipole Radiation**

Define the Fourier Transform

$$\widetilde{d} \, \mathbf{\Phi} = \int d(t) e^{-i\omega t} dt \qquad \qquad d(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int \widetilde{d} \, \mathbf{\Phi} \, \mathbf{e}^{i\omega t} d\omega$$

With these conventions Parseval's Theorem is



$$\frac{dU_{\gamma}}{d\Omega} = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2 \varepsilon_0 c^3} \int \vec{d}^2 t - r/c \quad dt = \frac{e^2}{32\pi^3 \varepsilon_0 c^3} \int \omega^4 \left| \vec{d} \right|^2 \omega d\omega$$
$$\frac{dU_{\gamma}}{d\omega d\Omega} = \frac{1}{32\pi^3 \varepsilon_0} \frac{e^2 \omega^4 \left| \vec{d}(\omega) \right|^2}{c^3} \sin^2 \Theta \quad \text{Blue Sky!}$$

This equation does not follow the typical (see Jackson) convention that combines both positive and negative frequencies together in a single positive frequency integral. The reason is that we would like to apply Parseval's Theorem easily. By symmetry, the difference is a factor of two.



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### **Comments/Sum Rule**

- There is no radiation parallel or anti-parallel to the *x*-axis for *x*-dipole motion (gives the 0.5 in Compton's curve)
- In the forward direction  $\theta' \rightarrow 0$ , the radiation polarization is parallel to the *x*-axis for an *x*-dipole motion

$$\frac{dU_{\gamma,\sigma}}{d\omega'} = \frac{1}{32\pi^{3}\varepsilon_{0}} \frac{e^{2}\omega'^{4}}{c^{3}} \left| \tilde{d}_{x}' \omega' \right|^{2} + \left| \tilde{d}_{y}' \omega' \right|^{2} 2\pi$$

$$\frac{dU_{\gamma,\pi}}{d\omega'} = \frac{1}{32\pi^{3}\varepsilon_{0}} \frac{e^{2}\omega'^{4}}{c^{3}} \left[ \left| \tilde{d}_{x}' \omega' \right|^{2} + \left| \tilde{d}_{y}' \omega' \right|^{2} \frac{2\pi}{3} + \left| \tilde{d}_{z}' \omega' \right|^{2} \frac{8\pi}{3} \right]$$

$$\frac{dU'_{\gamma}}{d\omega'} = \frac{1}{32\pi^{3}\varepsilon_{0}} \frac{e^{2}\omega'^{4} \left| \tilde{\vec{d}} \cdot \omega' \right|^{2}}{c^{3}} \frac{8\pi}{3}$$

Generalized Larmor (in frequency space)



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Total energy sum rule

$$U_{tot}' = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{12\pi^2 \varepsilon_0} \frac{e^2 \omega'^4 \left| \tilde{\vec{d}}' \omega' \right|^2}{c^3} d\omega'$$

Parseval's Theorem again gives "standard" Larmor formula

$$P' = \frac{dU'_{tot}}{dt'} = \frac{1}{6\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{e^2 \vec{\vec{d}}'^2 t'}{c^3} = \frac{1}{6\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{e^2 \vec{a}'^2 t'}{c^3}$$



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#### **Weak Field Undulator Spectrum**

$$\begin{split} \widetilde{d}' \, \mathbf{\Phi}' & = \widetilde{d}' \, \mathbf{\Phi}' \, \mathbf{\hat{s}} = -\frac{ec}{mc^2} \, \frac{\widetilde{B} \, \mathbf{\Phi}' / c\beta_z \gamma}{\omega'^2} \, \mathbf{\hat{s}} & \widetilde{B} \, \mathbf{\Phi} = \int B \, \mathbf{\Phi} \, \mathbf{\hat{e}}^{-ikz} dz \\ \\ \frac{dU_{\gamma,\sigma}}{d\omega d\Omega} &= \frac{1}{32\pi^3 \varepsilon_0} \, \frac{e^4}{m^2 c^5} \, \frac{\left| \widetilde{B} \, \omega \, 1 - \beta_z \cos\theta \, / c\beta_z \, \right|^2}{\gamma^2 \, 1 - \beta_z \cos\theta^{-2}} \sin^2 \phi \\ \\ \frac{dU_{\gamma,\pi}}{d\omega d\Omega} &= \frac{1}{32\pi^3 \varepsilon_0} \, \frac{e^4}{m^2 c^5} \, \frac{\left| \widetilde{B} \, \omega \, 1 - \beta_z \cos\theta \, / c\beta_z \, \right|^2}{\gamma^2 \, 1 - \beta_z \cos\theta^{-2}} \left( \frac{\cos\theta - \beta_z}{1 - \beta_z \cos\theta} \right)^2 \cos^2 \phi \\ \\ \lambda &= \frac{\lambda_0}{2\gamma^2} \qquad \qquad \left( -\beta_z \cos\theta \, \mathbf{\hat{s}} + \beta_z \, \mathbf{\hat{s}} \, \frac{1}{\gamma^2} + \theta^2 + \dots \approx \frac{1 + \gamma^2 \theta^2}{\gamma^2} \right) \end{split}$$

Generalizes Coisson to arbitrary observation angles



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### **Weak Field Thomson Backscatter**

With  $\Phi = \pi$  and  $a \ll 1$  the result is identical to the weak field undulator result with the replacement of the magnetic field Fourier transform by the electric field Fourier transform





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### **Handy Formulas**

$$\frac{d^{2}U_{\gamma}}{d\omega d\Omega} = \frac{r_{e}^{2}\varepsilon_{0}}{2\pi c} \left| \tilde{E} \left[ \frac{\omega}{c} \frac{1-\beta\cos\theta}{c+\beta} \right] \right|^{2} \times \frac{\sin^{2}\phi (1-\beta\cos\theta)^{2} + \cos^{2}\phi (\cos\theta-\beta)^{2}}{\gamma^{2} (1-\beta\cos\theta)^{2/2}} U_{\gamma} = \gamma^{2} (1+\beta) \frac{N_{e}\sigma_{T}}{\sigma_{e}^{2} + \sigma_{laser}^{2}} N_{\gamma} = \sigma_{T} \frac{N_{e}N_{laser}}{2\pi (\sigma_{e}^{2} + \sigma_{laser}^{2})} N_{\gamma, \text{per }e} = \frac{2\pi\alpha N_{\lambda}a^{2}}{3}$$



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#### **Number Distribution of Photons**





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#### Flux

• Percentage in 0.1% bandwidth ( $\theta = 0$ )

$$N_{0.1\%} = 1.5 \times 10^{-3} N_{\gamma}$$

• Flux into 0.1% bandwidth

$$\mathcal{F} = 1.5 \times 10^{-3} \dot{N}_{\gamma}$$

• Flux for high rep rate source

$$\mathcal{F}=1.5\times10^{-3}\,fN_{\gamma}$$





#### **Energy Spread**

#### Sources of Energy Spread in the Scattered Pulse

| Source Term                             | Estimate                              | Comment                      |
|---|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
|   |                                       |                              |
| Beam energy spread                      | $2\sigma_{_{E_{e^-}}}$ / $E_{_{e^-}}$ | From FEL resonance           |
| Laser pulse width                       | $\sigma_{_{\! arnow}}$ / $\omega$     | Doppler Freq<br>Indepedent   |
| Finite $\theta$ acceptance (full width) | $\gamma^2\Delta	heta^2$               | $\theta = 0$ for experiments |
| Finite beam emittance                   | $2\gamma^2arepsilon$ / $eta_{e^-}$    | Beta-function                |





#### **Spectral Brilliance**

• In general

$$\mathcal{B} = \frac{\mathcal{F}}{4\pi^{2}\sigma_{x}\sigma_{y}\sigma_{y'}}$$
  
$$\approx \frac{\mathcal{F}}{4\pi^{2}\sqrt{\beta_{x}\varepsilon_{x}}\sqrt{\varepsilon_{x}/\beta_{x}+\lambda/2L}}\sqrt{\beta_{y}\varepsilon_{y}}\sqrt{\varepsilon_{y}/\beta_{y}+\lambda/2L}}$$

• For Compton scattering from a low energy beam

$$\mathcal{B} = \frac{\mathcal{F}}{4\pi^2 \varepsilon_x \varepsilon_y}$$





### **Compton Polarimetry**

• At high photon energy (in beam frame), scattering rate couples to the polarization variables





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# High a/K



 $\gamma$  = 100, distances are normalized by  $\lambda_0/2\pi$ 



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# **Energy Distribution**





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#### **Effective Dipole Motions**

$$D_{t} \ \omega; \theta, \varphi = \frac{1}{\gamma \ 1 - \beta \cos \Phi} \int \frac{eA \ \xi}{mc} e^{i\phi \ \omega, \xi; \theta, \varphi} d\xi$$

$$D_{p} \quad \omega; \theta, \varphi = \frac{1}{\gamma \ 1 - \beta \cos \Phi} \int \frac{e^{2}A^{2} \ \xi}{2m^{2}c^{2}} e^{i\phi \ \omega, \xi; \theta, \varphi} \ d\xi$$

And the (Lorentz invariant!) phase is

$$\varphi \ \omega, \xi; \theta, \phi = \frac{\omega}{c} \left( \begin{array}{c} \frac{1 - \beta \cos \theta}{1 - \beta \cos \Phi} - \frac{\sin \theta \cos \phi}{\gamma \ 1 - \beta \cos \Phi} \int_{-\infty}^{\xi} \frac{eA \ \xi'}{mc} d\xi' \\ + \frac{1 - \sin \theta \sin \phi \sin \Phi - \cos \theta \cos \Phi}{\gamma^2 \ 1 - \beta \cos \Phi} \int_{-\infty}^{\xi} \frac{e^2 A^2 \ \xi'}{2m^2 c^2} d\xi' \right) \end{array} \right)$$





# **High Field Thomson Backscatter**

For a flat incident laser pulse the main results are very similar to those from undulaters with the following correspondences



NB, be careful with the radiation pattern, it is the same at small angles, but quite a bit different at large angles



# Modifications at High a

• Resonance frequency in forward direction red-shifts

$$E_{\gamma,n} = n \frac{4\gamma^2 E_{laser}}{1 + a^2 / 2}$$

• Flux into the *n*th harmonic (*n* odd)

$$F_{n} a = \frac{n^{2}a^{2}}{1+a^{2}/2} \begin{cases} J_{n-1/2} \left[ \frac{na^{2}}{4 + a^{2}/2} \right] \\ -J_{n+1/2} \left[ \frac{na^{2}}{4 + a^{2}/2} \right] \end{cases}$$

 Non-flat illumination pulses give ponderomotive broadening





#### **Flat Illumination Pulse**

20-period equivalent undulater:  $A_x \notin = A_0 \cos (\pi \xi / \lambda_0)$  $\omega_0 \equiv 1 + \beta_z^2 \gamma^2 2\pi c / \lambda_0 \approx 4\gamma^2 2\pi c / \lambda_0, \quad a = eA_0 / mc$  $10^{3}$ = 0.50a = 0.01 $10^2$ 10 Effective motion spectrum  $D_x(\omega)/\lambda_0$ 10 10  $10^{-2}$ 10<sup>-3</sup>  $10^4$ 10-5 10-6 0.0 1.0 2.04.0 5.0 6.0 7.0 3.0 8.0 Scaled Frequency ( $\omega/\omega_0$ )

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#### **Spectral Broadening: Gaussian Pulse**

 $A_{peak}$  and  $\lambda_0$  chosen for same intensity and same *rms* pulse length as previous slide



G. A. Krafft, Phys. Rev. Lett., 92, 204802 (2004)



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### **Source Illumination Method**

- Direct illumination by laser
  - Earliest method
  - Deployed on storage rings
- Optical cavities
  - Self-excited
  - Externally excited
  - Deployed on rings, linacs, and energy recovered linacs
- High power single pulses
  - Deployed on linacs





#### **Early Gamma Ray Sources**



Fig. 1. - Overall view of the experimental set-up.

Compton Edge 78 MeV

Federici, *et al.* Nouvo. Cim. B 59, 247 (1980)



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Fig. 4 A plan of the LEGS facility at BNL.



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PAC83, 3083 (1983)

# **Electrotechnical Laboratory (Japan)**



Fig. 2. Experimental arrangement.

Compton Edge 6.5 MeV

Yamazaki, *et al.* PAC85, 3406 (1985)



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#### **Optical Cavities**





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#### **Self Excited**



| Location             | Wavelength | Circulating<br>Power | Spot<br>Size | Rayleigh<br>Range |
|----------------------|------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------------|
|                      |            |                      |              |                   |
| Orsay                | 5 microns  | 100 W                | mm           | 0.7 m             |
| UVSOR                | 466 nm     | 20 W                 | 250 microns  | 0.4 m             |
| Duke Univ.           | 545 nm     | 1.6 kW               | 930 microns  | 5 m               |
| Super-ACO            | 300 nm     | 190 W                | 440 microns  | 2 m               |
| Jefferson<br>Lab FEL | 1 micron   | 100 kW               | 150 microns  | 1 m               |



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#### **Externally Excited**



| Location                     | Wavelength | Input<br>Power | Circulating<br>Power | Spot Size<br>(rms) |
|------------------------------|------------|----------------|----------------------|--------------------|
|                              |            |                |                      |                    |
| Jefferson Lab<br>Polarimeter | 1064 nm    | 0.3 W          | 1.5 kW               | 120 microns        |
| TERAS                        | 1064 nm    | 0.5 W          | 7.5 W                | 900 microns        |
| Lyncean                      | 1064 nm    | 7 W            | 25 kW                | 60 microns         |
| HERA<br>Polarimeter          | 1064 nm    | 0.7 W          | 2 kW                 | 200 microns        |
| LAL                          | 532 nm     | 1.0 W          | 10 kW                | 40 microns         |



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## **Modern Ring Based Systems**



FIG. 1. Schematic of the OK-4/Duke storage ring FEL and  $\gamma$ -ray source. Two electron bunches spatially separated by one-half the circumference of the ring participate both in lasing and  $\gamma$ -ray production via Compton scattering of intracavity photons. A collimator installed downstream selects a narrow cone of quasimonoenergetic  $\gamma$  rays.

Litvinenko, et al., Phys. Rev. Lett., 78, 4569 (1997)





#### **Duke HIGS Facility**





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#### **Some Modern Parameters**

| Parmeter          | Value                   | Unit              |
|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
|                   |                         |                   |
| Photon Energy     | 100                     | MeV               |
| Production Rate   | <b>10</b> <sup>10</sup> | photons/sec@9 MeV |
| Laser Wavelength  | 545                     | nm                |
| Circulating Power | 1.6                     | kW                |
| Polarization      | 100%                    |                   |
|                   |                         |                   |

Topoff allows larger circulating power now!

H. R. Weller, et al., Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys., 62, 4569 (2009)



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#### Lyncean Compact X-ray Source





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#### Lyncean Source Performance

| Parmeter            | Value              | Unit   |
|---------------------|--------------------|--|
|                     |                    |  |
| Photon Energy       | 10-20              | keV  |
| Production Rate     | 10 <sup>11</sup>   | photons/sec                                    |
| Laser Wavelength    | 1064               | nm   |
| Circulating Power   | 25                 | kW   |
| Polarization        | 100%               |  |
| Ultimate Brilliance | 5 10 <sup>11</sup> | p/(sec mm <sup>2</sup> mrad <sup>2</sup> 0.1%) |



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#### **The Jefferson Lab IR FEL**



Neil, G. R., et. al, Physical Review Letters, 84, 622 (2000)



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#### **FEL Accelerator Parameters**

| Parameter                           | Designed        | Measured                                |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| Kinetic Energy                      | 48 MeV          | 48.0 MeV                                |
| Average current                     | 5 mA            | 4.8 mA                                  |
| Bunch charge                        | 60 pC           | Up to 135<br>pC                         |
| Bunch length (rms)                  | <1 ps           | 0.4±0.1 ps                              |
| Peak current                        | 22 A            | Up to 60 A                              |
| Trans. Emittance<br>(rms)           | <8.7 mm-<br>mr  | 7.5±1.5<br>mm-mr                        |
| Long. Emittance (rms)               | 33 keV-<br>deg  | 26±7 keV-<br>deg                        |
| Pulse repetition<br>frequency (PRF) | 18.7<br>MHz, x2 | 18.7 MHz,<br>x0.25, x0.5,<br>x2, and x4 |





#### **Thomson Source Scattering Geometry**





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### 60 sec FEL Short-pulse X-ray Spectrum



Boyce, et al., 17th Int. Conf. Appl. Accel., 325 (2002)



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#### Linac-based Sources aka Blast Away

- Take the biggest laser you can get and focus to smallest spot you can
- Single shots at low repetition rate
- High peak brilliance (but not at FEL levels)



Pogorelsky, *et al., Phys. Rev. ST-AB*, **3**, 090702 (2000) F. Albert, *et al., Phys. Rev. ST-AB*, **13**, 070704 (2010), Daresbury ALICE Group

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#### **BNL Scattering Chamber**





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#### **X-ray Experiment**





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| Laser                            |                                     |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Repetition rate                  | 10 Hz                               |
| Wavelength                       | 532 nm                              |
| Bandwidth (FWHM)                 | 0.1 nm                              |
| Total pulse energy <sup>a</sup>  | 150 mJ                              |
| Pulse length (FWHM) <sup>b</sup> | 16 ps                               |
| rms spot size                    | $34 \times 38 \ \mu m$              |
| Electrons                        |                                     |
| Repetition rate                  | 10 Hz                               |
| Energy                           | 116 MeV                             |
| rms energy spread                | 0.2%                                |
| Beam charge                      | 800 pC                              |
| Bunch length (FWHM)              | 16 ps                               |
| rms spot size                    | $23 \times 42 \ \mu m$              |
| rms normalized emittance         | $4 \times 8 \text{ mm} \text{mrad}$ |

<sup>a</sup>Energy in 100 µm aperture and 16 ps FWHM main pulse: 22 mJ. See text for details. <sup>b</sup>Based on models of frequency conversion.

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D. J.Gibson, et

al., Phys. Rev.

070703 (2010)

*ST-AB*, **13**,





FIG. 10. (Color)  $\gamma$ -ray beam profiles from scintillator-coupled CCD cameras for the three laser frequencies. The beam energies are: left—295 keV (128.4 MeV + 1 $\omega$ ), center—466 keV (114 MeV + 2 $\omega$ ), and right—906 keV (130 MeV + 3 $\omega$ ).

|                           | Guinna source performance parameters.   |
|---------------------------|---|
| Photons per interaction   | $1.6 	imes 10^5$  |
| Peak (on-axis) energy     | 478 keV   |
| rms energy spread         | 12%   |
| Repetition rate           | 10 Hz   |
| Peak (on-axis) brightness | $1.5 \times 10^{15} \frac{\text{photons}}{\text{mm}^2 \text{ mrad}^2 \text{ s} 0.1\% \text{ BW}}$ |
| Inferred rms spot size    | ~36 µm  |
| Beam divergence           | $10 \times 6 \text{ mrad}$  |

TABLE III. Gamma source performance parameters.



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### **High Power Optical Cavities**



V. Brisson, *et al., NIM A*, **608**, S75 (2009)

#### N.B., 10 kW FEL there, sans spot!

In this paper we described our first results on the locking of a Ti:sapph oscillator to a high finesse FPC. For the first time, to our knowledge, we demonstrate the possibility of stacking picosecond pulses inside an FPC at a very high repetition rate with a gain of the level of 10000. By studying the stability of four-mirrors resonators, we developed a new promising nonplanar geometry that we have just started to study experimentally. Finally, we mentioned that we shall next use the recent and powerful laser fiber amplification scheme to reach the megawatt average power inside FPC as required by the applications of the Compton X and gamma ray sources.



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#### LAL/Thales THomX



#### BES Workshop on Compact Light Sources (2010)



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#### Hajima, et al.

#### **Uranium Detection**



Fig. 3. Layout of the 350-MeV ERL designed for a high-flux  $\gamma$ -ray source. An electron beam generated by the 7-MeV injector is accelerated up to 350 MeV by the main linac and transported to the recirculation loop. The collision point for LCS  $\gamma$ -ray generation is located in the middle of the straight section.

#### Hajima, et al., NIM A, 608, S57 (2009) TRIUMF Moly Source?



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#### Table 1

Design parameters of a high-flux  $\gamma$ -ray facility.

| Electron beam                |                                   |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Maximum energy               | 350 MeV                           |
| Current                      | 13mA                              |
| Bunch charge                 | 100 pC                            |
| Normalized emittance $(x/y)$ | 2.2/1.0 mm-mrad                   |
| Laser and laser supercavity  |                                   |
| Laser                        | 1.8µJ, 1064 nm                    |
| Repetition rate              | 130 MHz                           |
| Supercavity gain             | 3000                              |
| γ-ray                        |                                   |
| Total flux                   | $1.0 \times 10^{13} \text{ ph/s}$ |

In the design, we consider a laser supercavity that stores an intracavity laser power of 700 kW (1.8  $\mu$ J, 130 MHz, gain of 3000, Rayleigh length of 1.1 cm). The  $\gamma$ -ray flux in the above-mentioned



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# **MIT CUBiX**



Fig. 2. Major technical components including cryocooled high-power laser and SRF linac.

#### Graves, et al., NIM A, 608, S103 (2009)



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| X-ray parameters.  |                    |                    |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| Parameter  | Single shot        | High flux          |
| Tunable photon energy (keV)  | 3-30               |                    |
| Pulse length (ps)  | 2                  | 0.1                |
| Flux per shot (photons)  | $1 \times 10^{10}$ | $3 \times 10^{6}$  |
| Repetition rate (Hz)   | 10                 | 10 <sup>8</sup>    |
| Average flux (photons/s)   | $1 \times 10^{11}$ | $3 \times 10^{14}$ |
| On-axis bandwidth (%)  | 2                  | 1                  |
| RMS divergence (mrad)  | 5                  | 1                  |
| Source RMS size (mm)   | 0.006              | 0.002              |
| Peak brilliance (photons/(smm <sup>2</sup> mrad <sup>2</sup> 0.1%bw))    | $6 \times 10^{22}$ | $6 \times 10^{19}$ |
| Average brilliance (photons/(smm <sup>2</sup> mrad <sup>2</sup> 0.1%bw)) | $6 \times 10^{11}$ | $2 \times 10^{15}$ |

numerical simulation results assuming parameters of E = 25 MeV,  $\varepsilon_{nx} = 0.1 \,\mu\text{m}$ ,  $x_e = 2 \,\mu\text{m}$ ,  $\Delta t_L = 0.3$  ps,  $\lambda = 1 \,\mu\text{m}$ ,  $Q_e = 10$  pc, and  $W_{\gamma} = 10$  mJ. Note that no nonlinear effects were included in this



Table 1

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#### **Quarter Wave SRF Injector**



Developed in collaborations with Niowave Inc, UW-Madison, Naval Postgraduate School

| SRF Injector Parameters     |     |
|-----------------------------|-----|
| Energy gain [MeV]           | 4   |
| RF frequency [MHz]          | 176 |
| Average current [mA]        | 1   |
| Operating temperature [K]   | 4.2 |
| RF power [kW]               | 5   |
| Peak wall E-field [MV/m]    | 55  |
| Peak wall B-field [mT]      | 105 |
| Accelerating E-field [MV/m] | 32  |
| Cathode E-field [MV/m]      | 45  |

#### G. A. Krafft, CUBiX NSF Review (2010)



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#### 4K SRF CW Linac



| SRF Linac Parameters      |     |
|---------------------------|-----|
| Energy gain [MeV]         | 25  |
| RF frequency [MHz]        | 352 |
| Average current [mA]      | 1   |
| Operating temperature [K] | 4.2 |
| RF power [kW]             | 30  |

Jean Delayen developing cavities at newly formed Center for Accelerator Science at Old Dominion University (Chris Hopper of ODU/CASA) has a velocity-of-light design <u>4 K SRF Technology: Spoke cavities</u> Lower RF frequency => 4K operation More compact for given frequency Good mechanical rigidity Moderate gradient (10 - 12 MV/m CW)



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# **Longitudinal Compression Ideas**





#### **SPARC**



Fig. 1. Lay-out of the dog-leg like electron beam line for the TS experimental area.

# A. Bacci, *et al., NIM A*, **608**, S90 (2009)

#### Table 1

Electron beam at the interaction point.

| Parameter                               | Value     |
|---|-----------|
| Bunch charge (nC)                       | 1-2       |
| Energy (MeV)                            | 28-150    |
| Length (ps)                             | 15-20     |
| $\varepsilon_{n,x,y}$ (mm-mrad)         | 1-5       |
| Energy spread (%)                       | 0.05*-0.2 |
| Spot size at interaction point rms (µm) | 5-10      |
|   |           |



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# Conclusions

- Compton sources of high energy photons have existed for about thirty years
- The have followed the usual progression: [1] borrow an existing machine (1<sup>st</sup> generation), and [2] make it better by technological innovation (2<sup>nd</sup> generation?)
- We are perhaps approaching 3<sup>rd</sup> generation devices, i.e., accelerators specifically designed for Compton/Thomson sources.
- Expect "convergence" with high energy collider design ideas
- Lots of ideas, but still looking for the "killer ap".





### Conclusions

- A "new" calculation scheme for high intensity pulsed laser Thomson Scattering has been developed. This same scheme can be applied to calculate spectral properties of "short", high-*K* wigglers.
- Due to ponderomotive broadening, it is simply wrong to use single-frequency estimates of flux and brilliance in situations where the square of the field strength parameter becomes comparable to or exceeds the (1/*N*) spectral width of the induced electron wiggle
- The new theory is especially useful when considering Thomson scattering of Table Top TeraWatt lasers, which have exceedingly high field and short pulses. Any calculation that does not include ponderomotive broadening is incorrect.





#### Bend

#### Undulator







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