

Laser beam - electron beam Compton scattering Technology and applications. Description of the new ATF four-mirror cavity

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Properties and interests in laser-electron Compton scattering

Properties of Compton scattering



We are interested by using the scattered photon

Scattered photon properties given by the Compton differential cross-section:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega^{*}} = \sigma_{0} + \sigma_{1} + \sigma_{2} + \sigma_{3} + \sigma_{4}$$
Tolhoek, Rev.Mod.Phys.28(1956)277
$$\uparrow$$
Independent of
polarisations
Polarisation of the 4 particles
are observed

Interests in Laser electron Compton scattering

1^{rst} interest: the energy boost

(no polar. are observed)



Energy distribution ~flat with $\omega_{f,max} = 4\gamma^2 \omega_{laser}$

with
$$\gamma \sim 100$$
 (E_{electron}=50MeV)

 $\omega_{\rm f,max}$ =45000eV if $\omega_{\rm laser} \approx 1 \text{eV}$

Compton scattering is the most powerful mechanism to boost photon energies

Sprangle et al. JAP72(1992)5032

2nd interest: the angular energy correlation



3rd interest: incident electron and laser polarisation effects (2 polar. are 'observed')

Differential Compton cross-section with 2 polarisations observed (energy distribution):



Knowing S₃ one can determine the polarisation of electrons above ~ 4GeV
 electron/positron Compton polarimeters used in accelerators

e.g. Barber at al. Nucl.Instrum.Meth.A329(1993)79

4th interest: polarisation effects in the final state

(3 polar. observed: incident e & laser, final photon)

- (
$$P_e$$
, $S_{3,laser}$) = (0, 1)



$$S_{3f} = 1 \text{ for } \omega_f = \omega_{f, max} \& S_{3, laser} = 1$$

Compton scattering acts as a mirror for circular polarisation at low energy **if** highest values of \mathcal{O}_{f} are selected (i.e. backscaterred photons are selected)

→Polarised positron source (E_{electron}~1GeV) Omori et al. PRL 96(2006)114801

→γγ collider (E_{electron}~250-500 GeV) Ginzburg et al. NIM219(1984)5

5th interest: laser-electron beams crossing angle effects



→ Femtosecond X ray pulses

Kim et al. NIMA341(1994)351
Schoenlein et al., Science 274(1996)236
300fs pulses @ 30keV (Berkeley)



Laser systems for Compton scattering

Very simple in principle: One has to shoot an electron beam with a laser but much less easy in reality ...

Main drawback of Compton scattering: the flux

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathsf{Compton/Thomson cross section} \\ & \sigma_{\mathsf{T}} \text{ is very small} \end{aligned} \\ & \mathsf{Flux}_{\mathsf{cw}} \propto \frac{1}{\sin \alpha} \frac{\lambda \mathsf{P}_{\mathsf{L}} \mathsf{I}_{\mathsf{e}} \sigma_{\mathsf{T}}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{\mathsf{electron}}^2 + \sigma_{\mathsf{laser}}^2}} \overset{0.5}{\to 0} \overset{0.5}{\xrightarrow{\mathsf{I}}} \overset{1}{\xrightarrow{\mathsf{I}}} \overset{1}{\xrightarrow{\mathsf{L}}} \overset{1}{\xrightarrow{\mathsf{I}}} \overset{1$$

 $I_e: electron beam intensity P_L: laser power \lambda: laser beam wavelength \alpha: crossing angle \sigma_{electron} = electron beam size r.m.s \sigma_{laser} = laser beam size r.m.s$

To reach high photon fluxes: 2 main technical issues → High laser power Typically >1MW average power ! → Small laser beam waist Typically tens of microns or less All that for picosecond laser beam Best e_bunch length ~1ps

Techniques to increase the flux



Single-Collision schemes



Applications of Compton scattering at low energy

X-ray imaging (see also imaging in material science at AIST/Tsukuba)

X-ray imaging & radiotherapy applications

- What has been done with synchrotron light that we would like to do in a museum, hospital or lab. room
 - 1 example taken from results at ESRF synchrotron machine
 - Paleontology
 - (Painting analysis)
 - (Resonant radiotherapy)

Paleontology application

http://www.esrf.eu/news/general/amber/amber/



Piece of amber 100 millions years BC (France/Charentes)

> → non destructive 3D imaging of elements contained inside the amber since more than 100M years



 Compact X-ray machine needed for monochromatic X-ray imaging
 ➔ on going project at LAL: ThomX



Applications of Compton scattering at High Energy The polarised positron source for ILC: futur e+e- collider at 500GeV center of mass energy



Why polarized e⁺ and e⁺ beams?

- Comprehensive overview in hep-ph/0507011, Phys.Rept.460 (2008), GMP et al.
 - executive summary: <u>http://www.ippp.dur.ac.uk/LCsources/</u>
- Goals: Polarized beams required to
 - analyze the structure of all kinds of physics
 - improve statistics: enhance rates, suppress backgrounds
 - get systematic uncertainties under control
- Discoveries via deviations from SM predictions in precision measurements !
 - important in particular at sqrt{s}≤500 GeV! (e.g. A_{LR})
- •e+ polarisation needed for the 3 scenarii !
 - LHC not detected anything
 - LHC only detected SM-like Higgs
 - LHC detected some new physics

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Polarised positron source: baseline solution, the undulator scheme



Simplified schematic view of the ILC





- The undulator solution for e+ polarised beams has some drawbacks
 - Complex accelerating structure with dependent e- and e+ sources
 - Very high gamma flux on target in short time (heat issue)
 - 'Fast' polarisation flip impossible
 - 150GeV e- beam needed, How to reduce the ebeam energy afterward ?

Alternative solution

Compton polarised positron source for the ILC

Araki et al. arXiv:physics/0509016





Now: 3 technical solutions

- Electron LINAC and CO2 laser
 - No stacking in a damping ring
 - But less e+ polarisation due to higher harmonics contribution
 - Regenerative cavities for high power laser
- A 'Compton' electron ring
- A 'Compton' ERL (Energy Recovery Linac)

ERL scheme

- Electron is provided by ERL (Energy Recovery Linac).
- Both advantages (high yield at Linac and high repetition at CR) are compatible in the ERL solution.
- Continuous stacking of e+ bunches on a same bucket in DR during 100ms, the final intensity is 2E+10 e⁺.
- Another 100ms is used for damping.



2 main issues for CR & ERL solutions

- e+ stacking in the damping ring
- The huge requested laser average power: 0.6J/pulse@54MHz~30MW !

We are contributing to a R&D activity whose goal is to obtain very high average power with a Fabry-Perot cavity

Fabry-Perot cavity

Principle and limitations



•But: $\Delta v / v_{\text{Laser}} = 10^{-11} \implies \text{STRONG & ROBUST laser/cavity}$ feedback needed...

Fabry-Perot cavity in pulsed regime



Difference between continuous and pulsed regime

Pulsed_laser/cavity feedback technique



T. Udem et al. Nature 416 (2002) 233

Technical constraints

•First technical constraint: laser phase noise

For all comb components $\omega_n = n\omega_r + \omega_0$ to be locked to a cavity of finesse F



Ivanov et al. IEEE Trans Ultr, 50(2003)355



High finesse cavity could be operated in ps regime as in cw regime up to the MW average power regime

State of the art is ps regime:

•Loewen (PhD, SLAC), gain 6000 for ~30ps pulse width

- •KEK/ATF cavities, gains ~1000 for ps lasers
- •At LAL we locked ps Ti:sapph oscillator to 10000 gain cavity (but few seconds...)
- •Garching (in 2010), gain=1800, Power_inside = 72kW

Four-mirror Fabry-Perot cavity R&D at ATF

- 1. Our setup/goal
- 2. Why 4 mirrors ?
- 3. The ATF 4-mirror cavity
- 4. The optical scheme
- 5. The laser/cavity feedback

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2 steps R&D

Started end 2008 STEP ONE: commissioning a 4-mirror cavity at ATF by end 2010 STEP TWO: upgrade mirrors & laser power



ATF 2-mirror cavity paper: Miyoshi, arXiv:1002.3462v1

Why a four-mirror cavity ?



Solution : use a four-mirror cavity which avoids this instability

Why a non planar four-mirror cavity ?



Prototype of nonplanar 4-mirror resonator (low finesse)
•Check the general astigmatism mode shape/propagation (*Arnaud, Bell Syst. Tech. (1970)2311*)
→ ok



Z = 50 cm

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Z = 60 cm

Non planar 4-mirror cavity design/construction for ATF



Mirror positioning system









Mirror mount troncated to decrease incident angle : 8°



Vacuum vessel for ATF







The optical scheme



 Signal reflected by the cavity used to build the laser/cavity feedback signal:
 interference between the modulated incident laser beam AND the leackage on the beam circulating inside the cavity

The laser amplification R&D



 \emptyset core = 40 μ m \emptyset cladding = 200 μ m



We use Ytterbium doped photonic crystal fiber as amplifier

- •We obtained 200W but spot was not stable
- •We fix the power to ~50W to get stable laser beam
- •Thermal control issues to be solved before increasing power
- Also damage protection issues are not easy to solve at very high power (we broke many fibers...)
 Recent publication shows
- 800W average power
- (11µJ/pulse) with same
- techniques (Limpert,OL35(2010)94)
- but we need long term stability and reliability...

➔technological R&D

Digital Pound-Drever-Hall feedback



Cavity locked (*gain* ~10000) •Digital feedback (5k lines of VHDL code) •Already ∆f_{rep}/f_{rep}~10⁻¹¹ → ∆f_{rep}~7.6mHz for f_{rep}~76MHz

We developed this feedback system to lock a Ti:sapph laser oscillator to a 30000 finesse cavity at Orsay
We have also locked at Orsay the 4-mirror cavity installed at ATF



Cavity locked With gain 10000

Installation of the experiment at ATF

Sunday 25th july Arrival of the french team at KEK











11th August : The laser passes through the 5mm beam pipe aperture → cavity mirrors aligned



Laser inspection tomorrow (17/08)

Summary

Compton scattering is a very useful process

But X-section is small → huge laser power required → R&D
There is now a new 4-mirror fabry-perot cavities in ATF to contribute to this R&D effort



The new cavity has 4 mirrors and is non-planar to match requests of futur Compton e+ polarised sources or compact X-ray machines

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Painting analysis

'K edge imaging'

- Heavy chimical elements are contained in painting pigments
 - Characterised by K absorptsion edges

Total Cross Section of X-ray attenuation

for various elements Total Cross section[b/a K 1s: 33.169 keV 10 Iodine (Z=53) 10^{3} **Gives high contrast** 10² Carbon (Z=12) 10 Oxygen (Z=16) Hydrogen(Z=1) 10 2040 100 60 80 X-ray energy [keV]

K-edge imaging (Pb→blanc, Hg→ vermillion...) of a Van-Gogh's painting



But ~30k€ insurance for 2 days → Compact machine inside Le Louvre museum foreseen ...

J. Dik et al., *Analytical Chemistry*, **2008**, *80*, 6436 <u>http://www.vangogh.ua.ac.be/</u>

Linac Scheme (1)

 \triangleright CO₂ laser beam and 4 GeV e-beam produced by linac.

- 4GeV 15nC e- beam with 12 ns spacing.
- 10 CPs, which stores 10 J CO₂ laser pulse repeated by 83 Mhz cycle.

► 5E+11 γ-ray -> 2E+10 e+ (2% conversion)

► 1.2µs pulse, which contains 100 bunches, are repeated by 150 Hz to generated 3000 bunches within 200ms.

- Laser system relies on the commercially available lasers but need R&D for high repetition operation.
- -Ring cavity with laser amplifier realizes the CO₂ laser pulse train.



CLIC Compton Scheme

- It is based on CR scheme.
- Due to the less bunch intensity, it is slightly easier than that for ILC.



Positron Stacking (1)

- Except linac scheme, # of positron by a single collision is not sufficient.
- We need accumulate positrons from many collisions to achieve the required bunch intensity for ILC and CLIC.
- Positron stacking: many positron bunches are injected to a same bucket in DR/PDR.







I. Applications/gg collider

Le projet ThomX (LAL - SOLEIL - CELIA - C2RMF - ILE - L.M.A. - Thalès)



circonférence	~ 14m	
énergie	50 MeV	
bunch charge	1 nC	
σ_{T} (rms)	70 µm	
émittance	5.10 ⁻⁸ π m rad	
longueur bunch	20 ps	
Frép. injection	50-100 Hz	
Laser σ_T (rms)	40 µm	
Laser Frép.	40 MHz	
longueur pulse	~ ps	
< P > laser	100 W	
gain cavité	~ 10000	
< P > intra-cavité	~ MW	
Frép. collision	20 MHz	

Energy	MeV	50
Relativistic gamma factor		97,84735812
Circumference	m	16,8
Crossing-Angle (full)	degrees	2
b _x @ IP	cm	20
b _y @ IP	ст	20
Emittance x (without IBS and Compton)	nm	100,00
Emittance x (with IBS and Compton)	nm	300,00
Emittance y (without IBS and Compton)	nm	100,00
Emittance y (with IBS and Comtpon)	nm	300
Bunch length (injection)	mm	4
Bunch length (@ 20 ms)	mm	10
Beam current	mA	10
Ion gap	%	0
RF frequency	Hz	5,00E+08
Revolution frequency	Hz	1,78E+07
Harmonic number	#	28
Number of bunches	#	1
N. Particle/bunch	#	6,60E+09

s _x @ IP (injection)	microns	44,721 67
s _y @ IP (injection)	microns	44,721
s _{x'} @ IP (injection)	mrad	2,2
s _{y'} @ IP (injection)	mrad	2,2
Hourglass reduction factor		0,020
Tune x		
Tune y		
Energy Loss/turn	keV	200
Momentum compaction factor ac		0,000000001
Momentum compaction		1,04E-04
Equilibrium Energy spread	dE/E	2,00E-02
Injection Energy spread	dE/E	3,00E-03

ThomX parameters



4-mirror cavity control room

Nakanoshima area

ATF



Feedback issues

- Complexity: (10k C++ + 5k VHDL) code lines
- Xilinx firmware : long compilation time > 1h
- Locking Feedback: 3 Integrators + Adaptive Feedback Multiple In/Out Different Dynamic Ranges
- Fixed point computation : complex filter synthesis and implementation to achieve required precision

Second-Order-Section implementation with 18 bits Multipliers

Data path to increase loop computing precision to 36 bits



Compton Ring

- Inverse Compton scattering between electron stored in a ring (CR) and laser light stored in optical cavities.
- Energy spread of the electron beam is increased by the scattering. 10 ms interval for the beam cooling.
- 100 times stacking in a same bucket of DR makes the required bunch intensity.

