Shaping light with metamaterials

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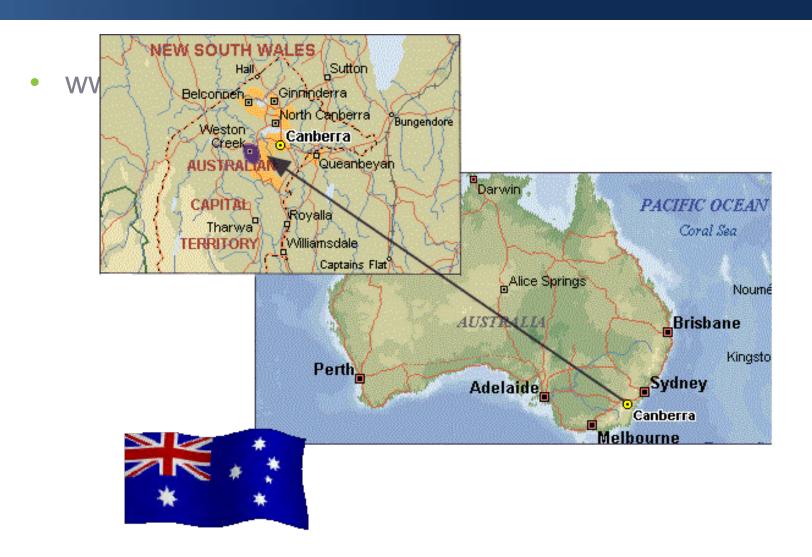


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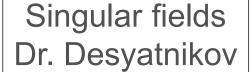
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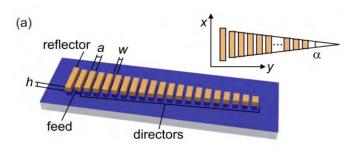


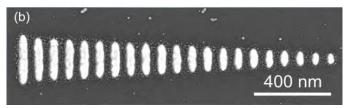
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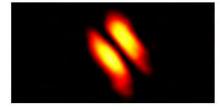
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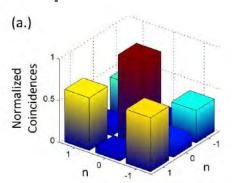
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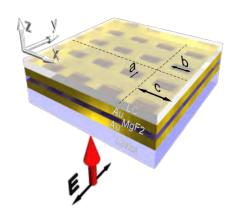


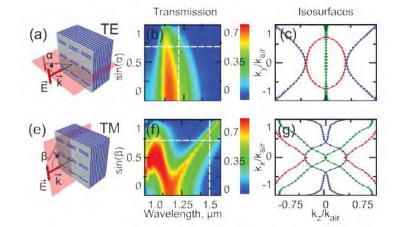


Photon pair generation and quantum walks



Metamaterials





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Конференции

4.12.12 (BT) Красный домик (холл), 10:00

Семинары

Dr. Andrey Miroshnichenko: Magnetic response of dielectric nanostructures: theory and applications

Семинар

Михаил Петров: Электрополевая модификация стёкол и стеклометаллических нанокомпозитов

6.12.12 (ЧТ) Красный домик (холл), 9:45

Elena Semouchkina: All-dielectric metamaterials: application perspectives and problems

Сергей Анатольевич Третьяков: Zero-scattering and perfect absorption

11.12.12 (ВТ) Красный домик (холл), 10:00

Andrei Andryieuski : Graphene Metamaterials for Terahertz Radiation

Pavel Ginzburg: Multi-photon processes in nanoplasmonic structures and metamaterials: Classical and Quantum

Подробнее...

Последние новости

Книга

Сотрудники лаборатории "Метаматериалы" П.А. Белов, А.А. Орлов и С.Ю. Косульников выпустили книгу "Передача изображений со сверхразрешением. Преодолевая

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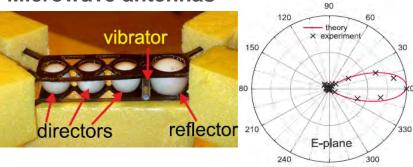
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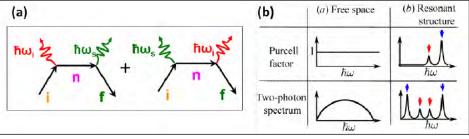
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Other recent research activities: St. Petersburg

Microwave antennas

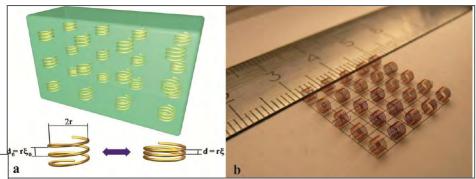


Purcell effect

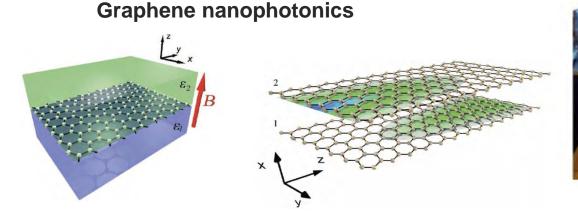


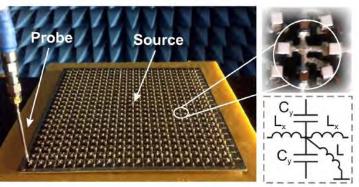
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Magnetoelastic metamaterials



Transmission lines: hyperbolic metamaterials

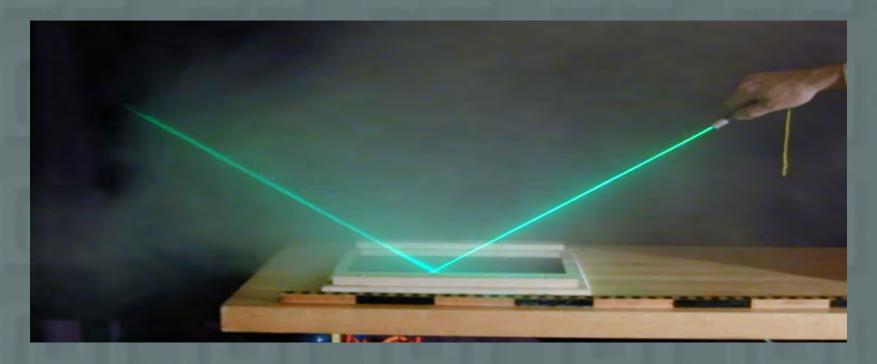




Outline of today's talk

- Introduction: the concepts & properties
- Backward waves
- Invisibility cloaking
- Tunable properties of metamaterials
- Nonlinear metamaterials
- Novel strategies: metamaterial circuitry

Light interaction with matter



- Interaction depends on ε and μ of the medium
- characterizes response to the electric field
- μ characterizes response to the magnetic field

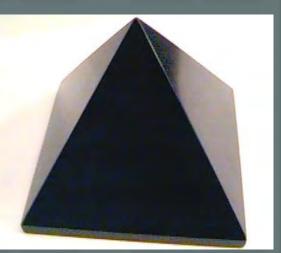
Natural materials

Transparent



Non-transparent



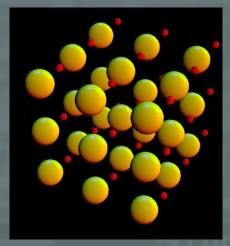


Electromagnetic properties of materials

- Response to the electromagnetic field is determined by internal structure of the material
- For large wavelengths any material can be described by ε and μ
- Classical Macroscopic Electrodynamics

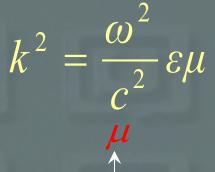
$$curl \mathbf{E} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \qquad \qquad \widetilde{\mathbf{D}} = \varepsilon(\omega) \widetilde{\mathbf{E}}$$

$$curl \mathbf{H} = \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} \qquad \qquad \widetilde{\mathbf{B}} = \mu(\omega) \widetilde{\mathbf{H}}$$



Natural materials and metamaterials









RHM

$$\varepsilon < 0, \mu > 0$$

$$\varepsilon < 0, \mu < 0$$



Left Handed Materials

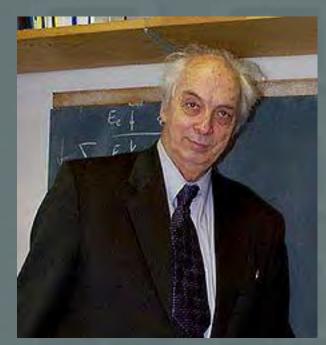


 $\varepsilon > 0, \mu > 0$



The first Paper on Left-Handed Materials

Viktor G. Veselago



• The Electrodynamics of Substances with Simultaneously Negative Values of ε and μ . Soviet Physics Uspekhi **10** (4), 509-514 (1968)

Left-handed waves

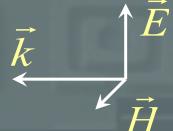
$$\vec{k} \times \vec{E} = \frac{\omega}{c} \mu \vec{H}$$

$$\vec{k} \times \vec{H} = -\frac{\omega}{c} \varepsilon \vec{E}$$

• If $\varepsilon > 0$, $\mu > 0$ then $(\vec{E}, \vec{H}, \vec{k})$ is a *right* set of vectors:

$$\vec{H}$$
 \vec{k}

• If $\varepsilon < 0$, $\mu < 0$ then $(\vec{E}, \vec{H}, \vec{k})$ is a *left* set of vectors:

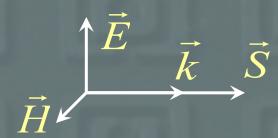


Energy flow in left-handed waves

• Energy flow (Poynting vector):

$$\vec{S} = \frac{c}{4\pi} \left[\vec{E} \times \vec{H} \right]$$

Conventional (right-handed) medium

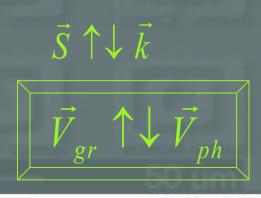


$$\vec{S} \uparrow \uparrow \vec{k}$$

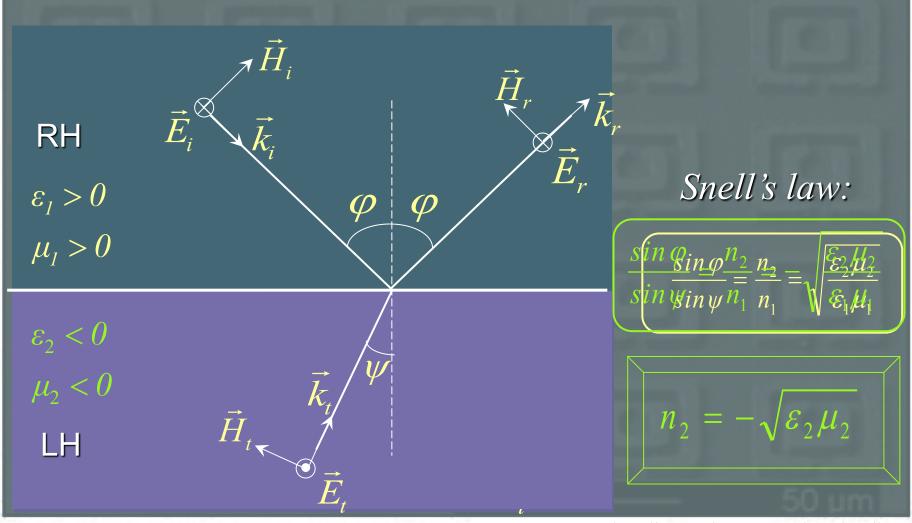
$$\vec{V}_{gr} \uparrow \uparrow \vec{V}_{ph}$$

Left-handed medium

$$\vec{k}$$
 \vec{S}



Refraction of light at the LH/RH interface



Negative refraction

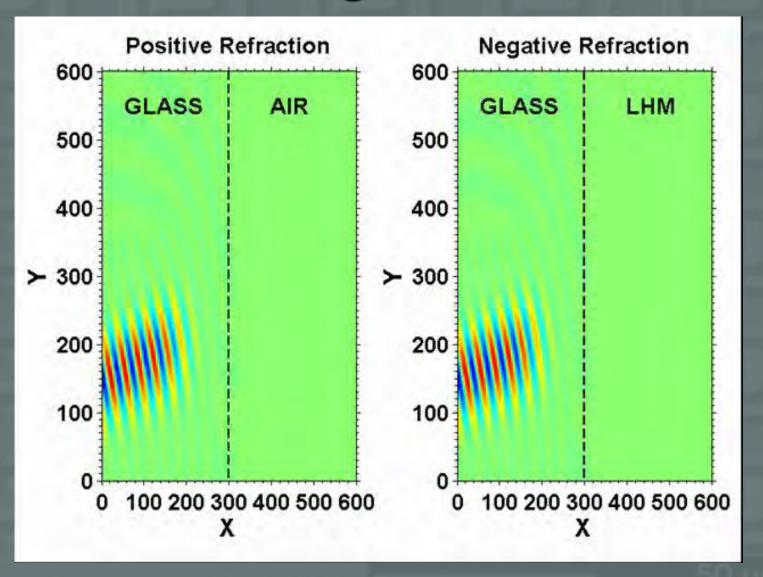
- Negative refraction is a property of backward waves and it has been observed in many materials:
 - Photonic crystals
 - Anisotropic media
 - Left-handed materials
 - LHM are materials with negative refraction
 - Not all materials with negative refraction are LHM

Materials with

LHM

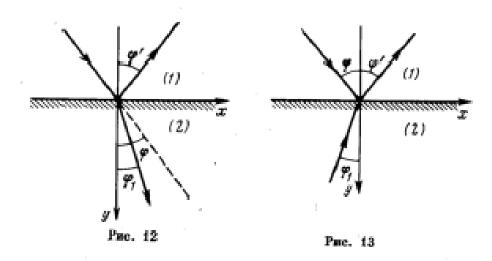
negative refraction

Positive vs. negative refraction



Negative refraction—back to 1942

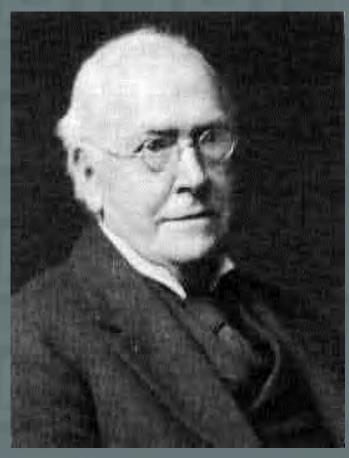
Требуя по-прежнему, чтобы энергия во второй среде *оттекала* от границы раздела, мы приходим тогда к тому, что фаза должна набезать на эту границу и, следовательно, направление распространения предомленной волны будет составлять с нормалью угол



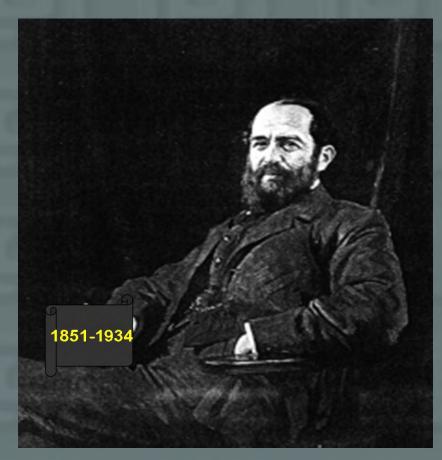
п — ф₁. Как ни непривычно такое построение, но, конечно, ничего удивительного в нем нет, ибо фазовая скорость еще ничего не говорит о направлении потока эвергии. Mandelshtam, 1942

"Lectures about waves"

Backward waves: Manchester, 1904

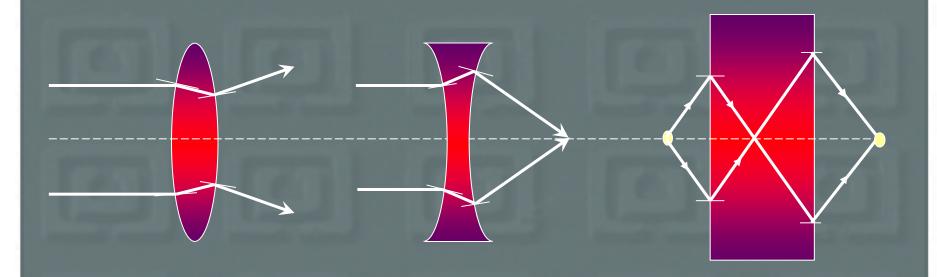


Sir Horace Lamb : 1849-1934 Professor of Mathematics



Sir Arthur Schuster: 1851-1934 Professor of Physics

Unusual lenses



LH lens does not have a diffraction resolution limit Improved resolution is due to the surface waves

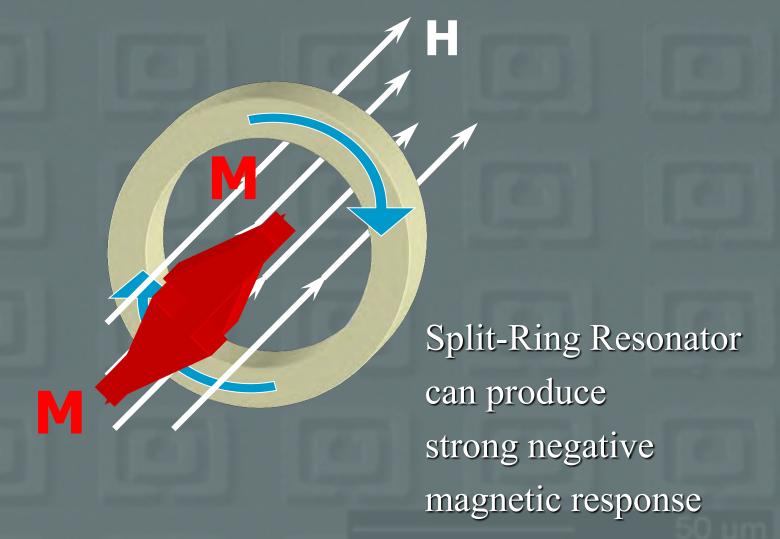
- V. G. Veselago, Soviet Physics Uspekhi **10** (4), 509-514 (1968)
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Right- and left-handed water

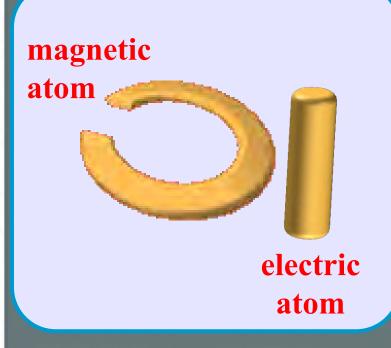




Magnetic response of a gold ring



Concept of metamaterials

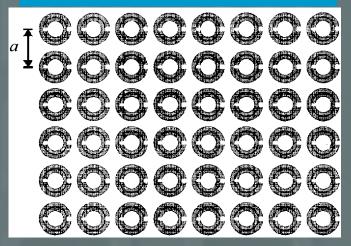




D. R. Smith et al, UCSD

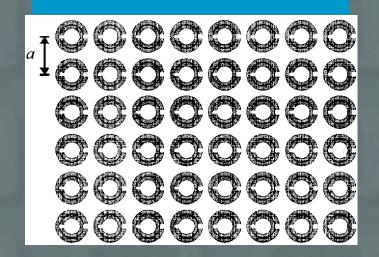
Periodic structures

$$\lambda >> a$$



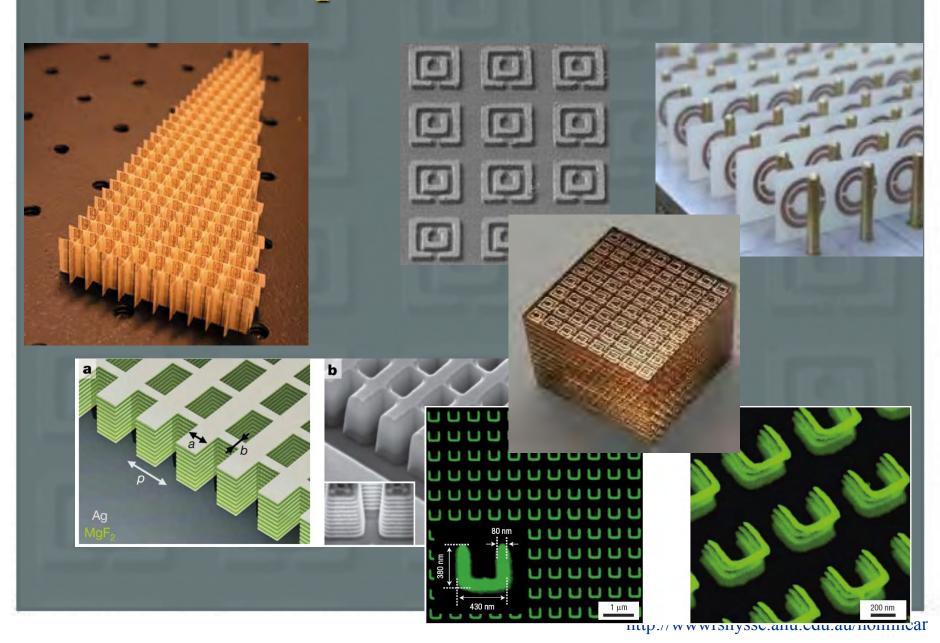
Continuous medium (Effective medium)

$$\lambda \approx a$$



Photonic crystal

Examples of metamaterials

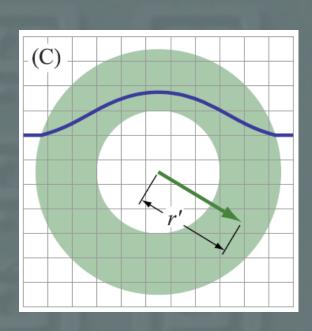


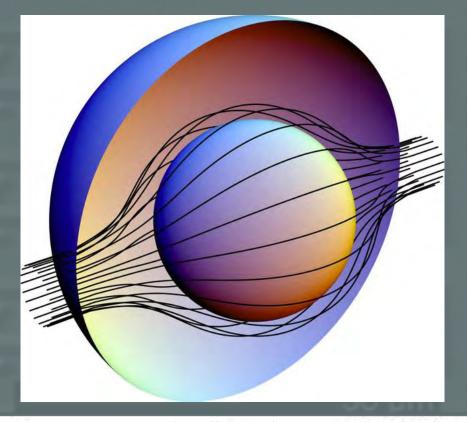
Now we can engineer 'atoms' for artificial materials with desired properties – what can we do with them?

Can we make an invisibility cloak?

Principle of invisibility cloak

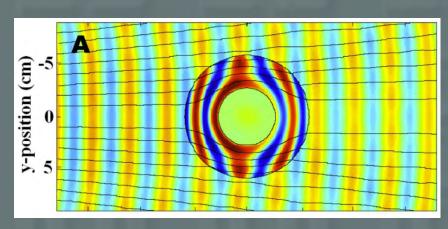
 Guide light around the object, so that it appears on the other side of the object unperturbed.



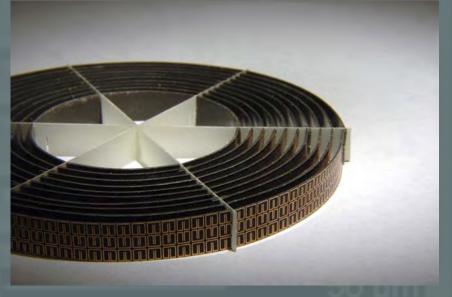


How does it work

- Complex mathematical approach 'Transforming Space'
- Challenging manufacturing requirements
- The first microwave cloak (by D. Smith)



D. Schurig et al, Science <u>314</u>, 977 (2006)



Earlier suggestions: 1961

известия высших учебных заведении

Tom IV, № 5

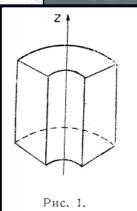
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О ВОЗМОЖНОСТИ СОПОСТАВЛЕНИЯ ТРЕХМЕРНЫХ ЭЛЕКТРО. МАГНИТНЫХ СИСТЕМ С НЕОДНОРОДНЫМ АНИЗОТРОПНЫМ ЗАПОЛНЕНИЕМ

Л. С. Долин

Показано, что, основываясь на инвариантности уравнений Максвелла, относительно определенного вида преобразований метрики пространства и проницаемостей среды, можно исследовать трехмерные системы с неоднородным анизотропным заполнением путем их сопоставления с другими, более простыми трехмерными системами.



L. S. Dolin, Izv. VUZov Radiofizika 4, 964-967 (1961)

Cloaks of a complex form

• The transformation are used to find the fields inside the cloak

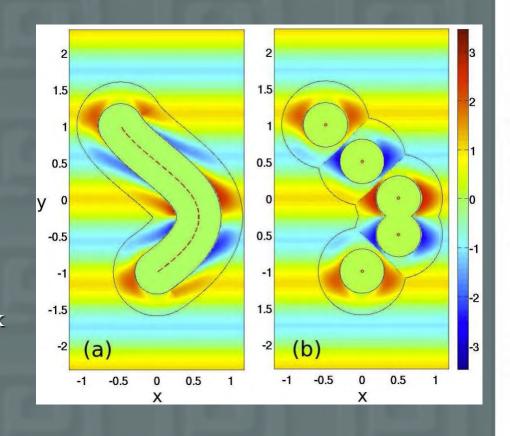
Coordinate transformation gives a recipe for creating the cloak

$$\widetilde{\varepsilon}^{mn} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{g}} \frac{\partial \widetilde{x}^m}{\partial x^a} \frac{\partial \widetilde{x}^n}{\partial x^b} \varepsilon^{mn}$$

$$\widetilde{\mu}^{mn} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{g}} \frac{\partial \widetilde{x}^m}{\partial x^a} \frac{\partial \widetilde{x}^n}{\partial x^b} \mu^{mn}$$

and the field distribution in the cloak

$$\widetilde{\mathbf{E}}_{\mathbf{i}} = \frac{\partial x^{k}}{\partial \widetilde{x}^{i}} \mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{k}} \qquad \widetilde{\mathbf{H}}_{\mathbf{i}} = \frac{\partial x^{k}}{\partial \widetilde{x}^{i}} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{k}}$$



N.A. Zharova, I.V. Shadrivov, A.A. Zharov, Yu.S. Kivshar (2008)

"Invisibility" means "publicity"

Australians join race for invisibility

Weaving Harry Potter magic

EVONNE BARRY

AN "invisibility cloak" that could make people and objects see-through is being developed by Australian scientists.

Turning science fiction into reality, researchers from the Australian National University in Canberra have created a material that — when wrapped around a solid object — makes it appear transparent.

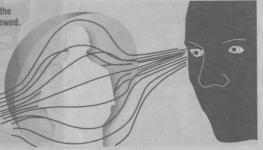
The concept was dreamed up by a British scientist and now Australian academics have joined the international race to put it into practice.

Dr David Powell, an electronics engineer, said his team at ANU's Nonlinear Physics Centre had built "artificial atoms" capable of producing the hi-tech illusion.

"The concept has been proved. We're hoping to see a real device within the next decade." 1. Light rays travel from the eye to an object being viewed.

2. The object is cloaked by a piece of 'smart metamaterial' which bends light around the object rather than letting it bounce back.

3. The viewer sees whatever is behind the cloaked object as the light rays bounce back.



The real-life version of Harry Potter's invisibility cloak is so far confined to a 30cm squared piece of "smart metamaterial" in Dr Powell's laboratory.

The metamaterial is made up of "kind of artificial atoms".

"They are a million times bigger than a real atom, and what happens is that these artificial atoms do things that real atoms can't do.

"They can bend light in strange ways, and that's where the 'invisibility cloak' comes into it. It bends light around the object, rather than bouncing off it," Dr Powell said.

The result is that the light bypasses the "cloaked" object, hitting

the scene behind it instead. This is why the background becomes visible, not the "invisible" object in the foreground.

Dr Powell says "metamaterial" has turned conventional scientific theory on its head because of its ability to manipulate the natural passage of light.

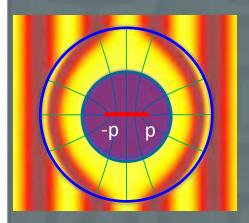
"A good analogy is what happens when you throw a stone into a pond. Normally the ripples go away from the stone. But what happens to the lightwaves (when they hit the invisibility cloak) is like the ripples going towards the stone instead."

Dr Powell, who has joined forces with ANU professors Ilya Shadrivov and Yuri Kivshar and student Steven Morrison to work on the cloak, said it was hard to predict its future.

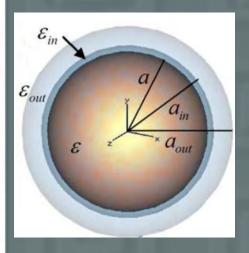
"It's wildly speculative at the moment," he said.

"Herald Sun": March 2008

Different approaches to cloaking

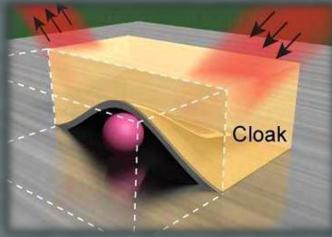


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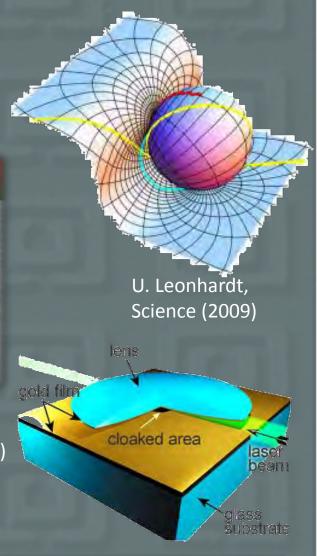
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Carpet Cloak: On a surface



Jensen Li & Pendry, PRL (2008)

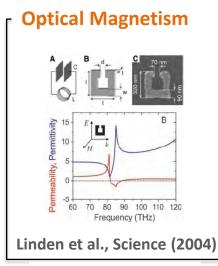
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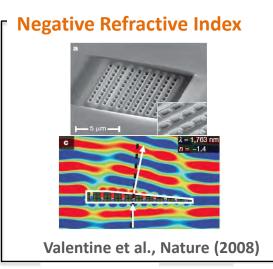


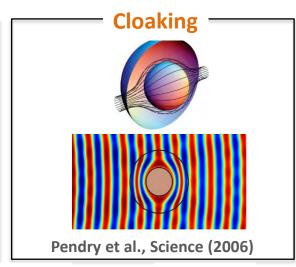
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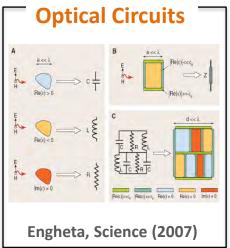
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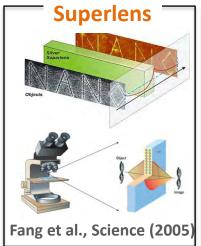
Metamaterials: Hypes and highlights

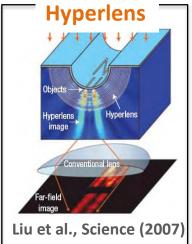


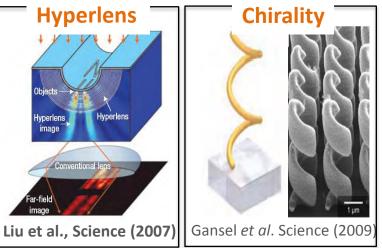








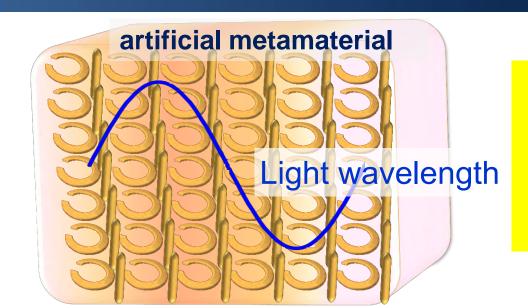




Current: Optical properties are fixed at the time of fabrication

Future: Active, tunable & reconfigurable metamaterials

Metamaterials: control of ε & μ



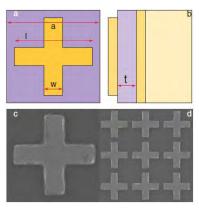
Two independent channels for control of electric and magnetic properties of light

Negative refraction

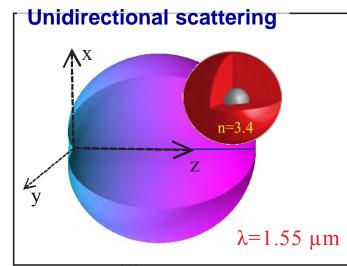
$$n = \pm \sqrt{\varepsilon \mu}$$

Veselago, Sov Phys Uspekhi (1968) Pendry, Phys Rev Lett (2000)

Perfect absorber



Liu et al. PRL **104**, 207403 (2010)

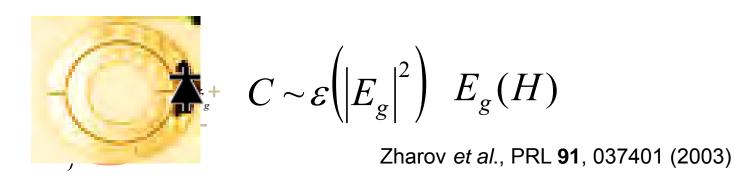


Liu et al., ACS Nano 6, 5489 (2012)

Nonlinear response in metamaterials

$$P = \varepsilon_0 \left(\chi^{(1)} \cdot E + \chi^{(2)} : EE + \chi^{(3)} : EEE + \dots \right)$$

$$M = \mu_0 \left(\chi_m^{(1)} \cdot H + \chi_m^{(2)} : HH + \chi_m^{(3)} : HHH + \ldots \right)$$

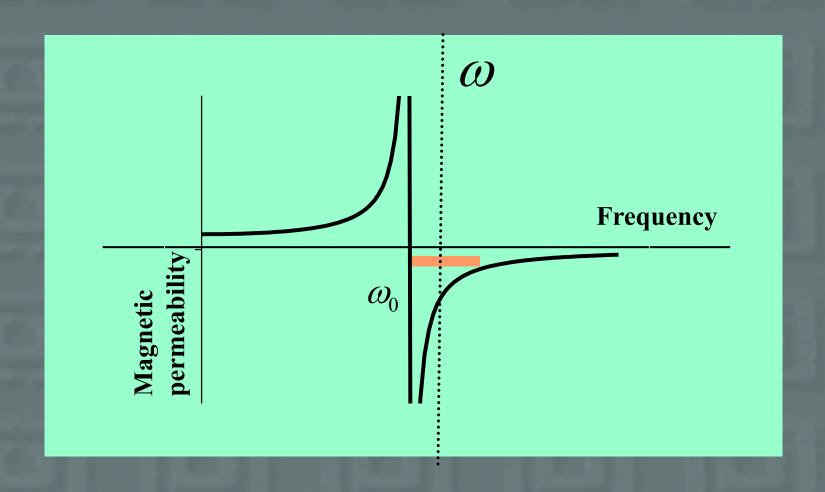


$$\vec{P}^{(2)} \sim \sum_{q,r} \left[\bar{\bar{\chi}}_{eee}^{(2)} \vec{E}_{q} \vec{E}_{r} + \bar{\bar{\chi}}_{emm}^{(2)} \vec{H}_{q} \vec{H}_{r} + \bar{\bar{\chi}}_{eme}^{(2)} \vec{H}_{q} \vec{E}_{r} + \bar{\bar{\chi}}_{eem}^{(2)} \vec{E}_{q} \vec{H}_{r} \right]$$

$$\mu_{0} \vec{M}^{(2)} \sim \sum_{q,r} \left[\bar{\bar{\chi}}_{mmm}^{(2)} \vec{H}_{q} \vec{H}_{r} + \bar{\bar{\chi}}_{mee}^{(2)} \vec{E}_{q} \vec{E}_{r} + \bar{\bar{\chi}}_{mme}^{(2)} \vec{H}_{q} \vec{E}_{r} + \bar{\bar{\chi}}_{mem}^{(2)} \vec{E}_{q} \vec{H}_{r} \right]$$

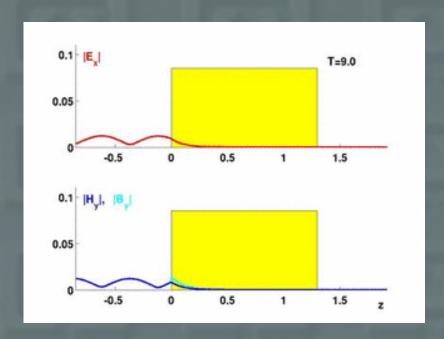
Two independent channels for control (enhancement) of nonlinearity or emission: electric and magnetic

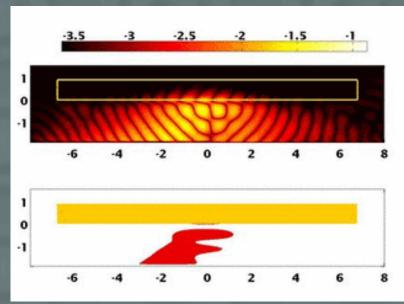
Why nonlinear metamaterials



Phys. Rev. Lett. <u>91</u>, 037401 (2003)

Nonlinearity-induced transparency



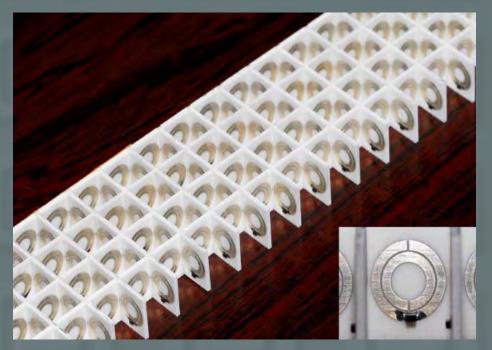


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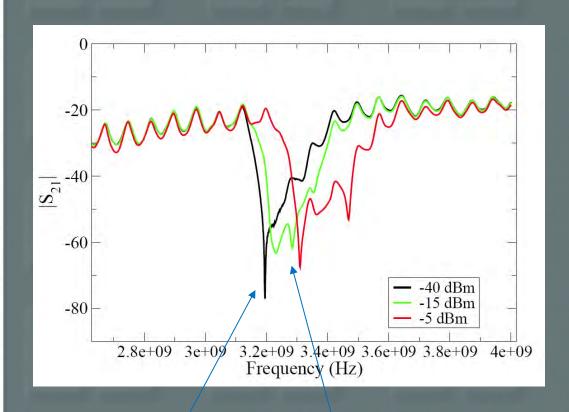
Nonlinear metamaterial for microwaves

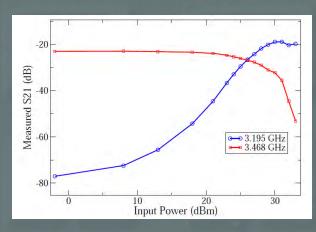
- Nonlinear electronic components provide required response
- Second and third order nonlinear response
 - Resonance shift
 - Harmonic generation





Nonlinear magnetic metamaterials





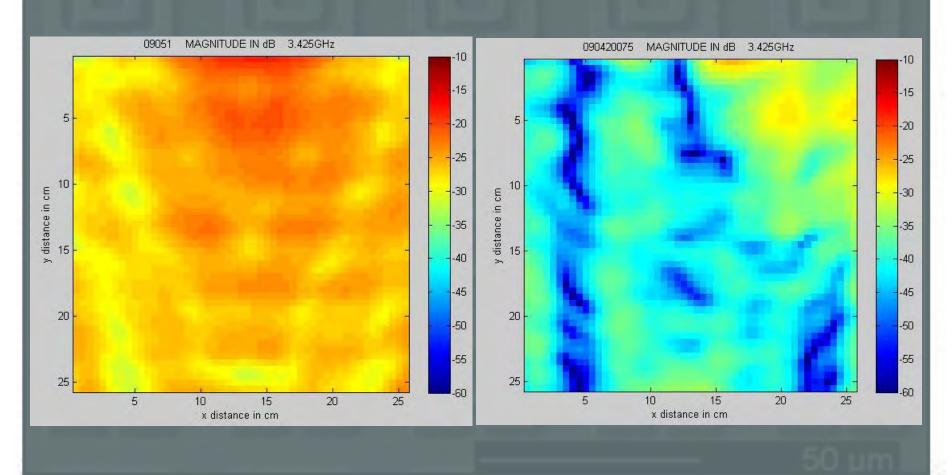
Induced transmission

Suppressed transmission

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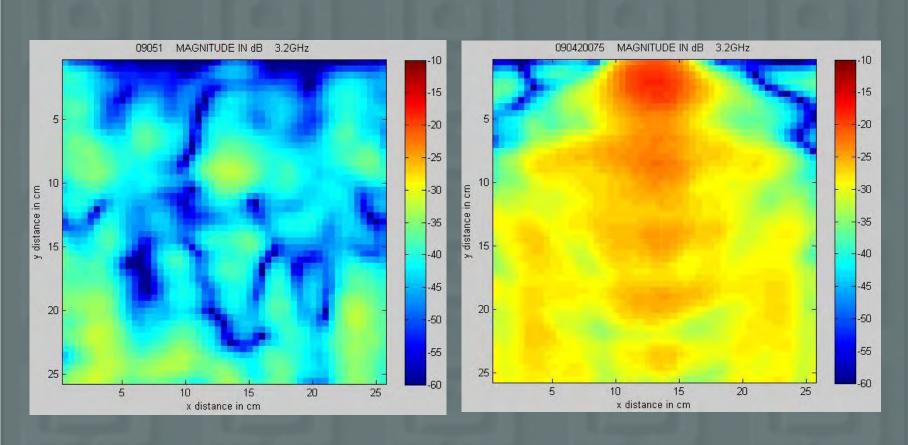
Nonlinearity-suppressed transmission





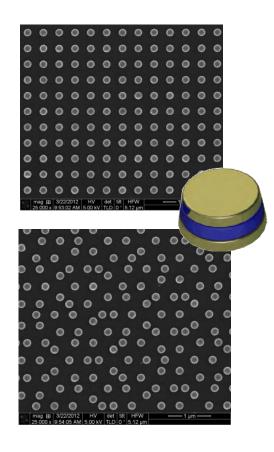
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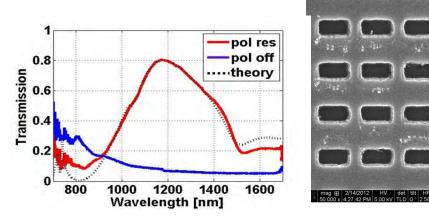


Optical metamaterials in Canberra

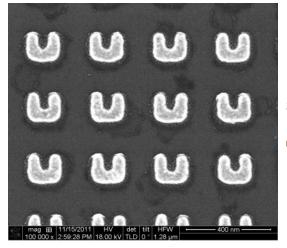
Regular and disordered lattices of meta-atoms

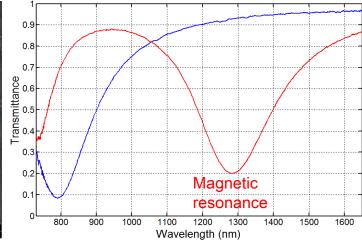


Fishnet metamaterials Negative Index @ 1.45μm



Magnetic Metamaterials, resonances @ 1.3μm

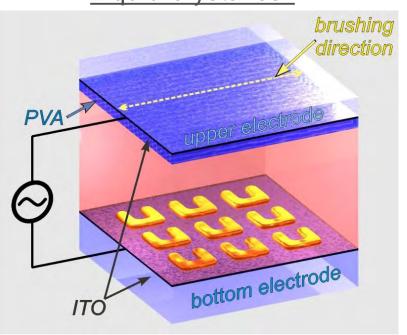




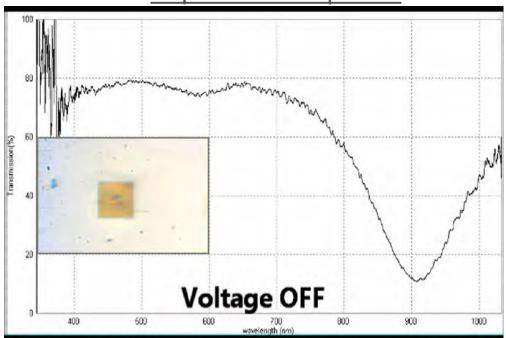
Liquid crystal tuning and switching

Electro-optical mode switching in SRR metamaterials:

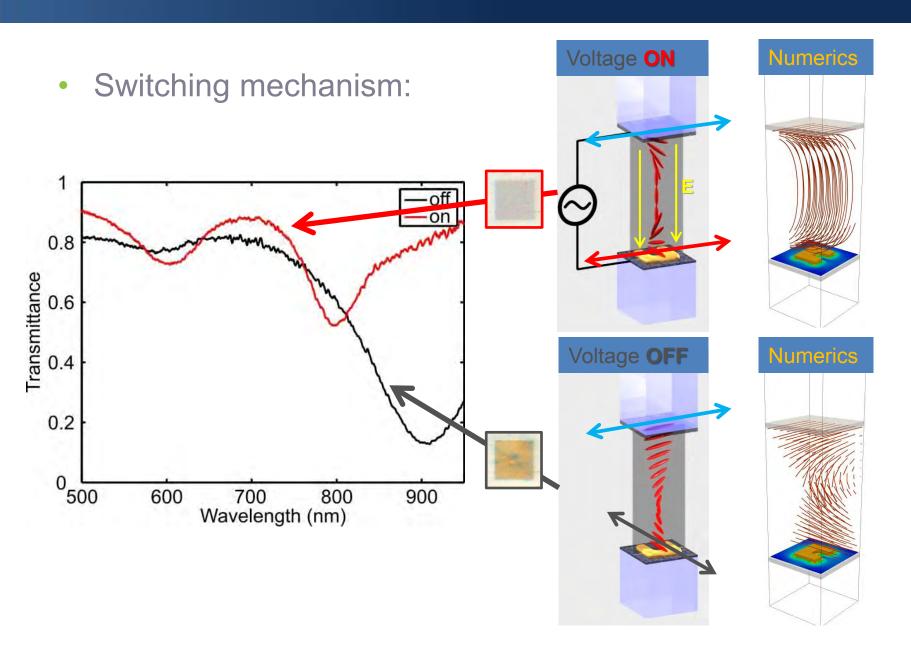
Liquid-crystal cell



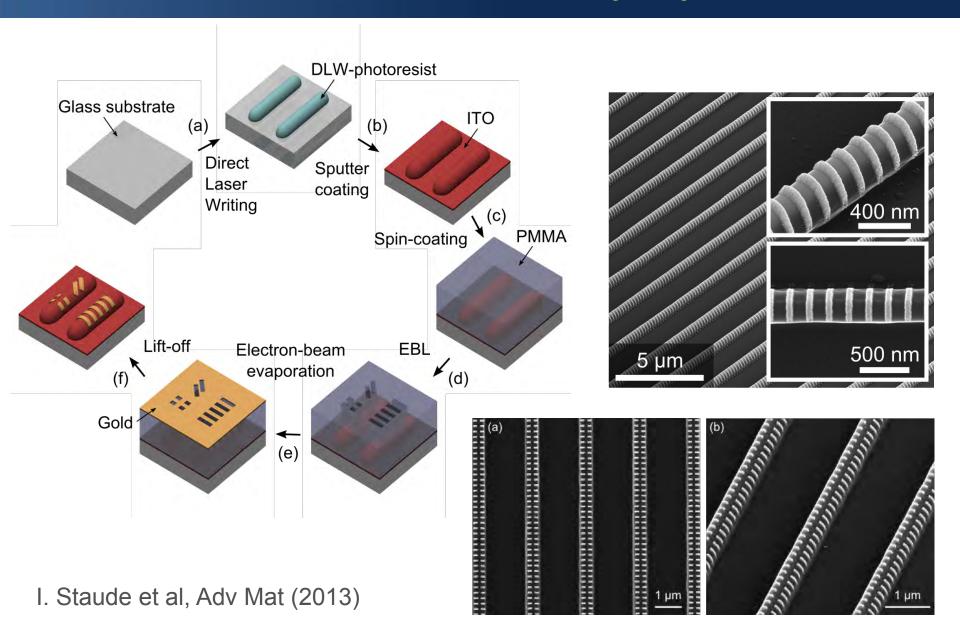




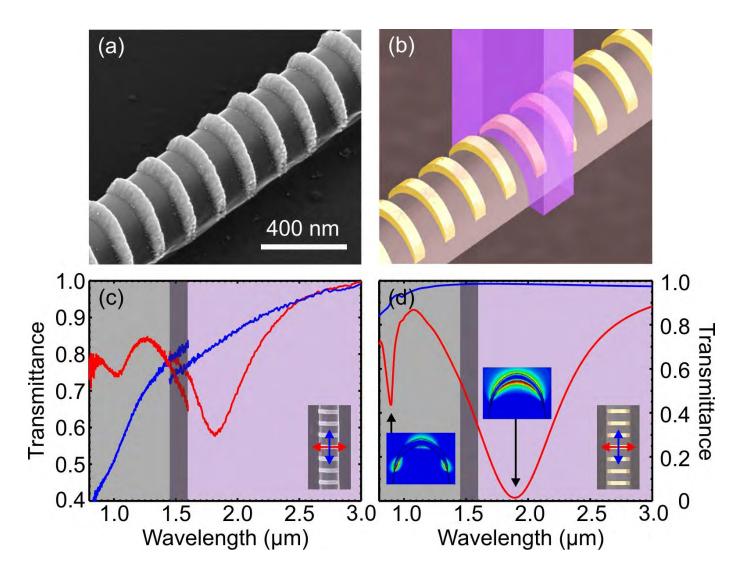
Functional metasurfaces



Towards metamaterial circuitry: Hybrid fabrication



Optical characterization: magnetic resonance



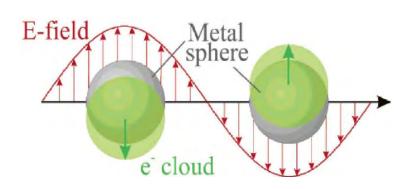
I. Staude et al, Adv Mat (2013)

All-Dielectric Nanophotonics

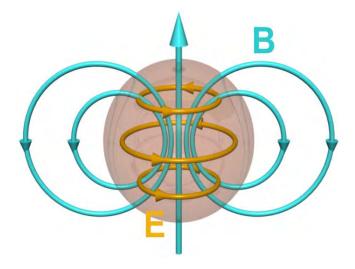




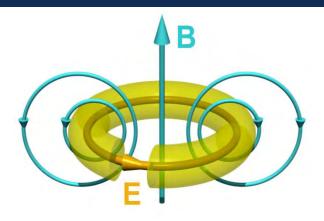
Electric and magnetic response of nanoparticles



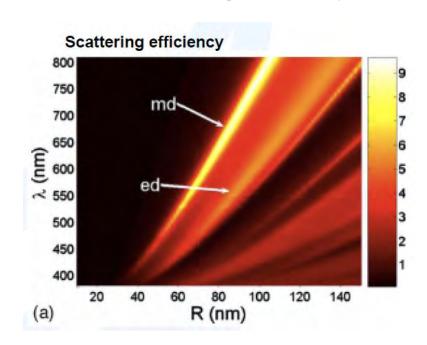
Metal nanoparticle with electric response



Dielectric nanoparticle with magnetic response

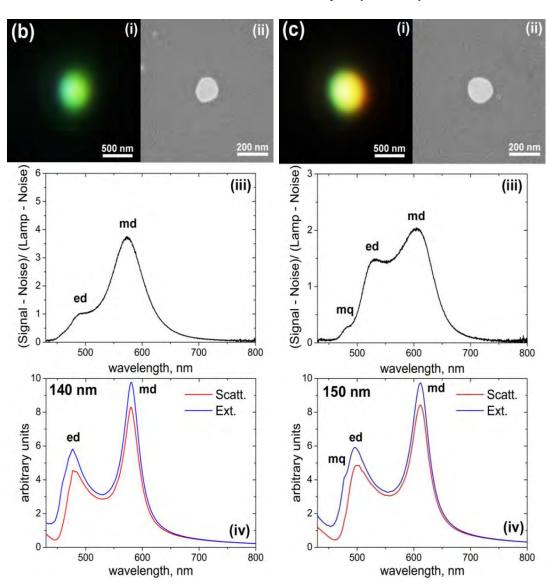


Metal split-ring with magnetic response

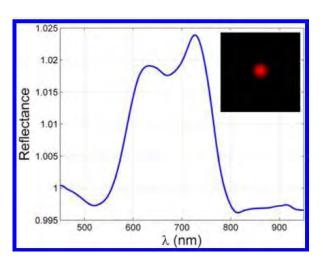


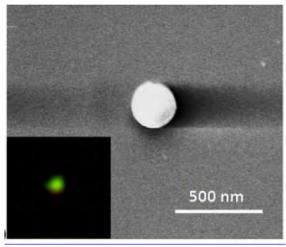
Experiment: Si nanoparticles

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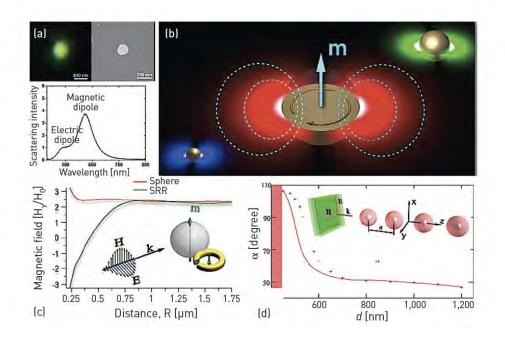
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Magnetic Light: Optical Magnetism of Dielectric Nanoparticles

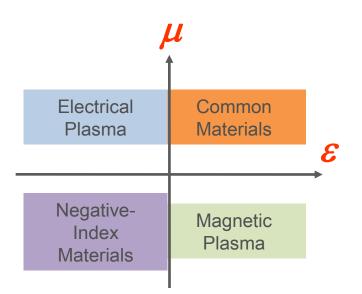
A split-ring resonator (SRR) is an inductive metallic ring with a gap that can support an oscillating current, giving rise to an optically induced magnetic moment. Unfortunately, metal intrinsic loss sets the limit for using SRRs at optical frequencies. But according to our work, spherical silicon nanoparticles can make an attractive alternative.

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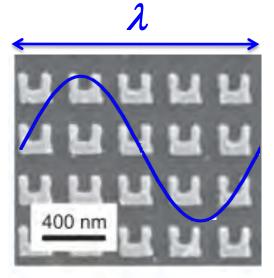


Opportunities with metamaterials

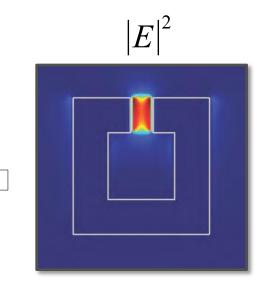
Dispersion engineering



Miniaturization



Strong Field Localization



Materials

Artificial Magnetism

Negative Index

Zero-index

Devices

Smaller

Thinner

Lightweight

Applications

Antennas

Sensors

Absorbers

Summary

- Novel approaches for controlling light with nanostructured matter--metamaterials
- Nonlinear effects in metamaterials
- Novel ideas for metamaterial integration
- New trends-- functional metadevices and alldielectric nanophotonics

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From metamaterials to metadevices

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