

CULTASK, Launching Axion Experiment in Korea

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OUTLINE

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- Axion & Dark Matter
- CAPP's Axion programs
- R&D projects
- CULTASK (CAPP's Ultra Low Temperature Axion Search in Korea) 2016 with Two BlueFors DRs
 - Cavity Development & RF Testing
 - Engineering Run (complete RF chain) in 2016

• Plans beyond 2016

- Low Vibration Pads (LVP) with Four more DRs in 2016
- Major improvements by 2018

Summary



Axion & Dark Matter

- Peccei and Quinn (1977) postulated an elegant solution by adding a new global symmetry to resolve the Strong CP Problem in Standard Model
- Axion is an excellent (and attractive) dark matter candidate
 - Pseudo Goldstone Boson
 - No Electric Charge
 - Small Mass (1µeV<m_a<10meV)
 - Extremely Weakly Interacting
 - Local Halo Density of 0.45 GeV/cm³
 - $\beta \sim 10^{-3} \rightarrow Q_a \sim 10^{-6}$
- Detection scheme by P. Sikivie (PRL 51:1415 1983) : Haloscopy
 - Axions will convert to photons in a strong magnetic field

a

$$\gamma$$

 $L_{a\gamma\gamma} = g_{\gamma} \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \frac{a}{f_a} \vec{E} \cdot \vec{B}$



Overview

Lead: Woohyun Chung

2 DRs installed and operational Complete RF chain (w/ DAQ) soon 4 more frig. in Nov. at LVP



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Large Toroid

Lead: Lino Miceli First installation at CAST

Lead: Yunchang Shin NMR based R&D in progress

Lead: Beongrok Ko Requires big collaboration R&D in progress









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P. Sikivie's Haloscope:

Axion Conversion Power (~10⁻²⁴W): $P_{a \to \gamma\gamma} = g_{a\gamma\gamma}^2 \frac{\rho_a}{m_a} B^2 V C_{mnp} \min(Q_L, Q_a)$ Signal to Noise Ratio: $SNR = \frac{P_{signal}}{P_{noise}} = \frac{P_{a \to \gamma\gamma}}{k_B T_{syst}} \sqrt{\frac{t_{int}}{\Delta f_a}}$ Scan rate: $\frac{df}{dt} \sim B^4 V^2 C^2 Q_L T_{syst}^{-2}$

Cryogenics

<100mK Prof. Hyoungsoon Choi of KAIST



High Field SC Magnet 25T and then 35T or 40T BNL (HTS Technology) Design





SQUID Amplifier

Outsourced Research from KRISS



High Q Tunable Cavity

Superconducting Coating Prof. Jhinhwan Lee of KAIST











Refrigerators & SC Magnets





BF3:RF and Cavity test

BF4:Complete RF readout with DAQ + HEMT + 10cm Cu

cavity + FTS





NbTi

8T-15cm

BF5



BF6



DRS-1000



JANIS-He3







HTSHTS25T-10cm21T-5cmFrom BNLSuNAM

LTS 12T-35cm Oxford



HTS 26.4T-3.5cm SuNAM - WR

RF Room

LVP

NbTi

8T-10cm



Superconducting Cavity

Process for manufacturing of superconducting cavity

R&D of recipe for Nb₃Sn or FeSe film on small substrate
1. Molecular beam epitaxy system (Growth of Nb₃Sn film)
2. LEED & RHEED (Characterization of Nb₃Sn film)
3. Low temperature UHV-STM (Superconductivity)



Application of growth of Nb₃Sn film on cavity

- 1. Molecular beam epitaxy system (Growth of Nb₃Sn film)
- 2. Radiative thermal heater (Superconductivity)
- 3. 4 probe measurement (Superconductivity)

Anodized Al oxide for vortex pinning

- 1. Chemical etching system (Growth of AAO surface)
- 2. Atomic force microscope (Characterization of AAO surface)





By Won-Jun Jang



Superconducting Cavity

<u>청자색 내부면을</u> 거울 수준 (요철 1um 미만) polishing 처리. 눈에 보이는 수준의 가공 요철, 단차, 주름 등은 일체 없어야 함. Polishing에 의해 생기는 약간의 완만한 굴곡(범위 10mm이상에서 높낮이 0.1mm미만)은 허용.





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Two BlueFors Dilution Refrigerators were delivered, installed and are operational now!

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	BF3	BF4
Model	BlueFors LD400	BlueFors LD400
Magnet	None	8T (AMI), 12cm ID
RF lines	24	8
DC lines	72	72
Cool down to <10 mK	20 ~ 24 hours	40 ~ 48 hours
Base temp at MXC	9 mK	7 mK w/ SC magnet
MXC temp w/ Load	11 mk w/ Al cavity (4cm id) and HEMT amp	30 mk w/ 10 kg OFHC copper support structure and cavity + HEMT amp + Network Analyzer + Piezo Controller







BF4









OFHC Support Structure and Frequency Tuning System

- Cu Cavity of 10cm OD
- Modular design
- Sapphire tuning rod, 1cm OD
- Rotational piezo for tuning
- Linear piezo for antenna
- Piezo holder thermally linked to 1K plate





High Q-Factor Cavity Development:

- Variety of samples (OFHC Cu, 5N Al, 6N Al with sizes and different types of lids were tested
- Beginning to use Annealing Furnace to investigate annealing temp. and duration
- Superconducting Al:
 - Al becomes superconducting below 1.2K
 - Q-factor grows to >200,000 for TM010
 - TE011 mode (no contact problem: Fritz's suggestion)
 Q-factor : ~2M at ~800 mK and ~20M at 11 mK
- Split cavity < --- > diffusion bonding
 - Q-factor of cavity cut in half stays the same verified
 - It could eliminate contact problem between lids and wall
 - Will be useful for superconductor coating







Complete RF chain with DAQ





- New Lab space in
 - KAIST Munji Campus Creation Hall (RF room) completed
- Two BlueFors DRs (one w/ 8T SC magnet)
 - RF Room infrastructure done (esp. electricity and chiller)
 - Delivered and installed: end of Feb.
 - Design 10 cm cavity (~2.5 GHz) and support structure with frequency tuning system
 - Cryo RF noise figure measurement
 - Complete RF chain set-up with DAQ
 - Fake axion signal injection (blind test?)
 - Take reasonable sensitivity DATA in 2016
- 4 More DRs and 2 magnets in Oct. (LVP)



Plans beyond 2016

Axion Lab with 7 Low Vibration Pads in KAIST Munji campus





Plans beyond 2016







- State of the Art Axion Research at CAPP/IBS in Korea
- Major R&D Efforts
 - Higher B Field: HTS (21T, 25T...) + LTS (12T-35cm)
 - Higher Q Factor with B Field: Factor of >10 Improvement
 - Larger Volume: Toroidal Cavity
 - R&D for Higher Frequencies (>10 GHz)
- CULTASK 2016 ready to build a complete experiment
 - Cavity R&D and Cryo-RF testing
 - Could reach close to QCD Axion Sensitivity soon!
- Major improvement in Axion Experiment as early as in 5 years



Thank You For Your Attention!