# high luminosity searches at JLab: mixing, Compton, and beam dump

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### overview

- Recent and near-term LIPSS DM searches at FEL
  - hidden sector photons, millicharged particles, axion
     like particles, . . .
- Compton scattering: near-term search
  - uses electron beam and laser light in FEL vault
  - lower mass boson search (up to ~25 keV)
- FEL and CEBAF beam dump: longer-term search
  - require modest excavation at FEL dump
  - higher mass boson search (above e+e- threshold)

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#### light shining through a wall

can suppress background by over 20 orders of magnitude !!! kW lasers, ultra low noise detectors, ...



- light with magnetic field
  - (1985); Van Bibber et al (1987)



- kinetic mixing
- no magnetic field
- Afanasev et al (2009)

### LIPSS at FEL Lab 1





#### photon-boson kinetic mixing; next steps



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#### kinetic mixing J. Jaeckel, A. Ringwalk <u>arXiv:1002.0329</u>





## boson beam dump

- based upon LSW principle of photon regeneration
- Compton scattering at FEL
- long lifetimes
- coupling at vertex enters twice
- limited to ~25 keV mass boson production

#### boson beam dump





$$\ell \sim \frac{n_e \cdot n_{\gamma}}{\sigma_e \cdot \sigma_{\gamma}} \sim 2 \times 10^{43} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$
 luminosity

$$n_e \sim 5 \ mA = 3 \times 10^{16} \ Hz$$
 electron current  
 $n_{\gamma} \sim (50 KW, 1.6 \mu m) = 3 \times 10^{23} Hz$  photon flux  
 $\sigma \sim 200 \mu m$  beam diameter

simultaneous production of THz, 3 micron, and 10 keV X-rays



#### CTR electron bunch length measurement



from J. Boyce 2003

#### actual typical spectra



E<sub>x-ray</sub> (keV)

### from J. Boyce 2003 Compton scattering and high luminosity IPSS 2 IR(intra-cavity) ~ 10 x IR (extracted) elevated ~ 15 cm IR/e-beam overlap limited. above beamline at end of cavity IR can be focused to e-beam spot minimum e-beam size is 200 $\mu\text{m}.$ Intra-cavity X-rays

$$\begin{aligned} & boson \ beam \ dump \\ & \sigma_{\gamma_2 e}(s) = \frac{2\pi\alpha^2\chi^2}{(s-m_e^2)^3} \left( \frac{\beta}{2s} \left( s^3 + 15s^2m_e^2 - sm_e^4 + m_e^6 + \mu^2 \left( 7s^2 + 2sm_e^2 - m_e^4 \right) \right) + \\ & + 2 \left( s^2 - 6sm_e^2 - 3m_e^4 - 2\mu^2 (s - m_e^2 - \mu^2) \right) \operatorname{Log} \left[ \frac{s(1+\beta) + m_e^2 - \mu^2}{2m_e\sqrt{s}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

- Compton production of boson
- inverse Compton production of photon (photon regeneration)
- high density, high-Z detector

$$Y_{i} \sim r_{A^{0}} \cdot n_{t} \cdot t \cdot \sigma \cdot \varepsilon = 1 \cdot \sigma \cdot \varepsilon \quad \text{experimental yield, Hz}$$
  

$$\chi \sim 10^{-5} \quad \sigma \sim 10^{-33} cm^{2} \quad r_{A^{0}} \sim 10^{10} \text{ Hz}$$
  

$$n_{t}(Pb) \sim 10^{23} \text{ cm}^{-3} \quad t \sim 100 \text{ cm}$$
  

$$\varepsilon \sim 0.01$$

### boson beam dump



Marieke Postma, Javier Redondo, JCAP 0902:005,2009; arXiv:0811.0326

#### Geant4 mc studies



- also based upon LSW principle photon regeneration
- high power electron beam dump at FEL (phase 2)
- useful for large range of boson lifetimes
- coupling at vertex enters twice





~0.13 MW beam dump exists; excavation behind FEL beam dump(?)



$$Y_{i} \sim r_{e} \cdot n_{t} \cdot t \cdot \sigma \cdot \varepsilon = 1 \cdot \sigma \cdot \varepsilon \quad \text{experimental yield, Hz}$$

$$r_{e}(1 \text{ mA}) \sim 6 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}$$

$$n_{t} \sim 2 \times 10^{23} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$t \sim 100 \text{ cm}$$

$$1 \sim 10^{41} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \sim 1 \text{ ab/min} \quad \text{FEL beam dump}$$

$$\text{luminosity}$$

$$r_e (100 \ \mu A) \sim 6 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$$
  
 $n_t \sim 2 \times 10^{23} \text{ cm}^{-3}$   
 $t \sim 100 \text{ cm}$   
 $1 \sim 10^{40} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \rightarrow -1 \text{ ab/hour}$ 

Hall A, C beam dump luminosity



- SLAC E137
  - 2 x 10<sup>20</sup> elec
  - 20 GeV
  - d ~ 400 m
- SLAC E141
  - 2 x 10<sup>15</sup> elec
  - 9 GeV
  - d ~ 35 m
- FNAL E774
  - 5 x 10<sup>10</sup> elec
  - 275 GeV

JD Bjorken et al, <u>PhysRevD.80.075018</u> (2009)

<u>S. Andreas, A. Ringwald</u> contribution to 6th Patras Workshop on Axions, WIMPs and WISPs, Zurich University, Switzerland, 5-9 July 2010 <u>arXiv:1008.4519</u>



JD Bjorken et al, <u>PhysRev D80, 075018</u> (2009); <u>Freytsis</u>, <u>Ovanesyan</u>, <u>Thaler</u> ; <u>arXiv:0909.2862</u>



### summary

- FEL LSW with high power laser
  - mass reach up to ~1 eV
  - new kinetic mixing limits
- FEL Compton scattering experiment
  - mass reach up to ~25 KeV
  - comparison with solar limit
- FEL beam dump experiment
  - mass reach exceeding electron-positron limit
  - Improve upon current SLAC and FNAL limits
- CEBAF beam dump experiment
  - Mass reach exceeding a GeV; long lived bosons
  - Improve upon current SLAC and FNAL limits
- experience from recent FEL experiments by LIPSS collaboration
  - photon regeneration Dark Matter studies

### more info . . .

