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I.CONFERENCE NEWS

. The 28th International Congress on Sound and Vibration(ICSV28) will be held in Singapore from 24 to 28 July 2022 and will be a hybrid conference.

Woon Siong Gan will be organising three structured sessions on:

1. Nonlinear acoustics and vibration
2. Acoustic metamaterials & phononic crystals: fundamentals and applications

3. Sound propagation in curvilinear spacetime

Please visit www.icsv28.org for more informations.

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II.ANNONCEMENTS

The Society of Acoustics(Singapore) will be sending out invoices to members with outstanding membership subscriptions. Members are encouraged to make payment in support of the Society.

The E-Newsletters will be made available to industrial contacts in an effort to promote the activities of the Society.

The Society is also exploring the possibility of organising zoom seminars/workshops and other professional events in collaboration with acoustic societies of the ASEAN countries.

Membership Certificates will soon be made available to all members who had made full payments of membership dues

The Society aims to increase membership by inviting all persons, including those from the institution of higher learning and other related societies such as the Institute of Architects, Singapore and the members of the mechanical engineering division of the Institution of Engineers, Singapore who are qualified in the various field of Acoustics to join our Society.

We are especially keen to invite students to join our society and we are establishing the Youth Chapter soon.

III.INTERNATIONAL ACOUSTICS NEWS

The International Liaison Committee(ILC) is under the Acoustical Society of America(ASA). The Society of Acoustics(Singapore) is a

member of the ILC. There is a Southeast Asia Chapter of the ASA and is under the umbrella of ILC. The ILC organised a committee meeting recently and the following is the Minutes of the committee meeting.

ASA Administrative Committee Report

Committee: International Liaison Chair Brigitte Schulte-Fortkamp

The Committee International Liaison convened on November 16th

from 10am to 11am EST. It was

attended by 7 members from Hongkong (1) India (1), USA (2), Singapore(1), Germany (2). 6 members

were excused. It is obvious that the Committee should meet earlier that all members can attend.

Next time the Committee should start the meeting latest at 9 am EST.

Topics discussed:

It was decided to publish a report of the session “Excellence in Acoustics around the world” in POMA.

The report will be written by Andy Chung, Maurice Yeung and Brigitte Schulte-Fortkamp. The draft

will be sent to all presenters for review. The plan is to finalize the report within the next two months.

A further decision was to write an Article about the committee's aim and work to enhance the

respective awareness. This article will be organized by Adrian K.C. Lee as soon as the POMA report is

finalized.

A report about the Acoustics Masters Lecture Series and the Royster student scholarship award

2021/2022 was prepared by Andy Chung and Maurice Yeung, and presented by Maurice.

The special session on "Excellence in Acoustics around the World Part II" is planned for the Chicago

Spring Meeting 2023. The session should go under "Interdisciplinary"

The next meeting of the International Liaison Committee is planned for Denver and should be

scheduled as a virtual meeting; nevertheless the committee plans to meet in person at the Spring

meeting in addition if possible.

Report written by

Brigitte Schulte-Fortkamp

Submitted to the committee:

November 17- 2021

IV.MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTION

Fellow	S\$70
Member	S\$50
Associate	S\$30
Student	S\$15
Corporate	S\$200

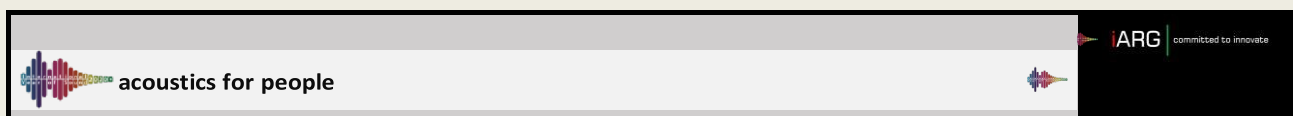
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www.acousticssingapore.com. Please complete and email to
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V.ARTICLES

The following is a powerpoint presentation of one of the speakers
Dr Iwan Yahya at the zoom joint seminar between the Society
of Acoustics(Singapore) and the Association of Acoustics and
Vibration Indonesia (AAVI) held on 7 December 2021.



Acoustic Metamaterials and Metasurfaces: the physics principles, inspirations idea and its applications

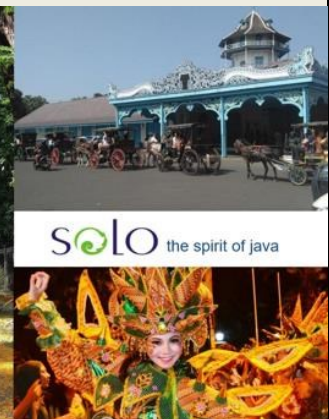


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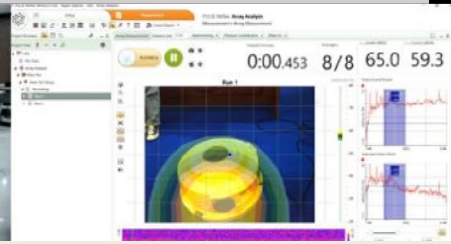


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<https://uns.ac.id>

Universitas Sebelas Maret (UNS) is a state university with thirteen schools and faculties, including sciences, medical, engineering, law, agriculture and culture to serve undergraduate and graduate courses. We have around 40.000 student body and 1900 faculty members. Our green campus located in Surakarta (SOLO city). A small city with the population around 578.500. Regarded as culture city with two royal family. Very famous fine batik and culinary festivals.

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Acoustics Research Lab – iARG
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Content Level:
Basic Introduction and Brief Review


Target Audience:
Public with no Physics Background. Some equations appears for denoting the physics fundamental idea and parameters purposes.


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idea

inspiration






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introduction


noise and sound propagation


- ★ The Unusual Phenomena
- ★ Metamaterial Definition
- ★ The Pioneers in the Field

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acoustics for people





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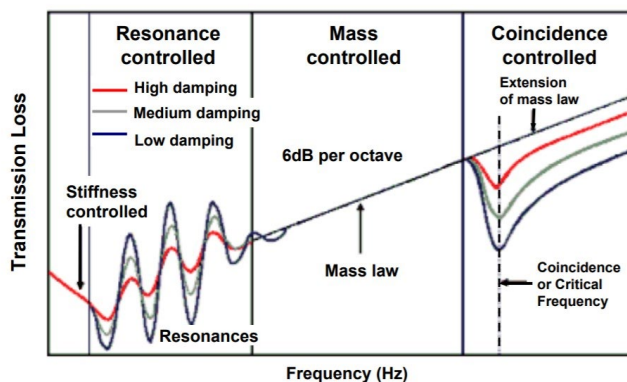
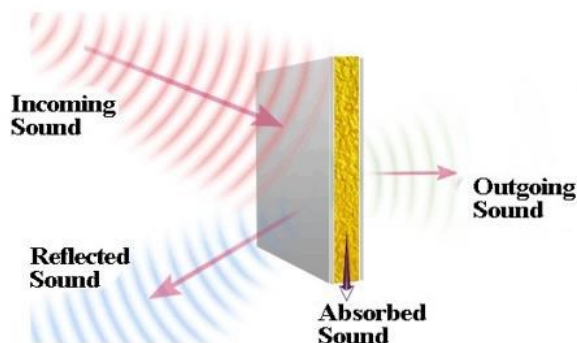
<https://resonics.co.uk/metamaterials-soundproofing-the-future/>

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introduction: sound propagation

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The sound waves propagation and its interaction with (conventional) materials



What if we can replace any material molecules with an artificial and tailored unit cell structure in the order of much less than the wavelength?

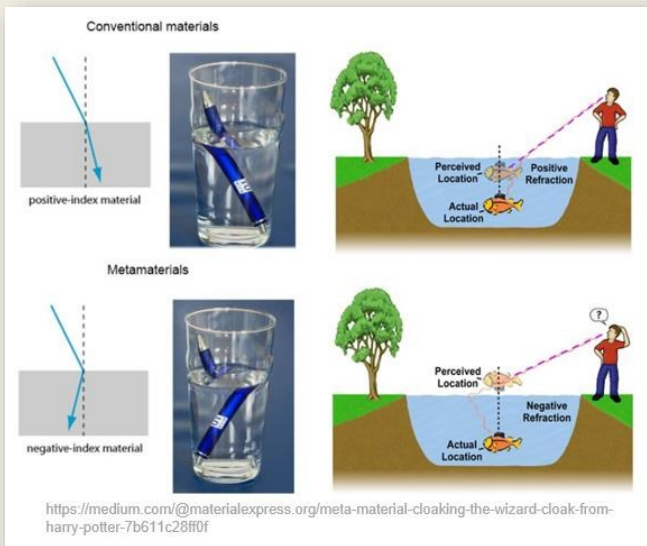
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metamaterials



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the exotic and unusual properties of metamaterials

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the definitions



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metamaterials*: etymology

Metamaterials is a compound word composed of two terms “meta” and “materials”.

Meta literary means “beyond” then metamaterials means “beyond-materials.”

definition

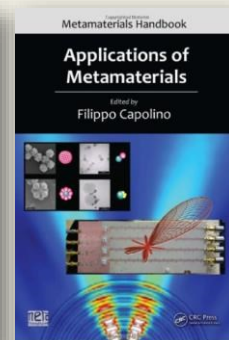
Referred to composite artificial materials which are engineered to produce unusual effective material properties or exhibit exotic behaviors which are not readily available in nature. This anomalous behaviors are not due their microscopic but effective material properties resulting from arrangement, geometrical shapes and dimensions of the engineered composite. **classification**

Metamaterials can be grouped using different criteria such as:

Geometry: can be 1D, 2D or 3D structures

Physics: can be studied in electromagnetics, acoustics, thermodynamics, mechanics, optics or other realms.

Effective material properties: can be categorized based on their negative, positive, extreme or near-zero effective material properties.



*Seyyed Hussein Seyyed Esfahlani: Electromagnetic inspired Acoustic Metamaterials: Studying the Applications of Sound-Metastructures Interactions based on Different Wave Phenomena. PhD. Thesis. Ecole Polytechnique Federale de Lausanne. 2017
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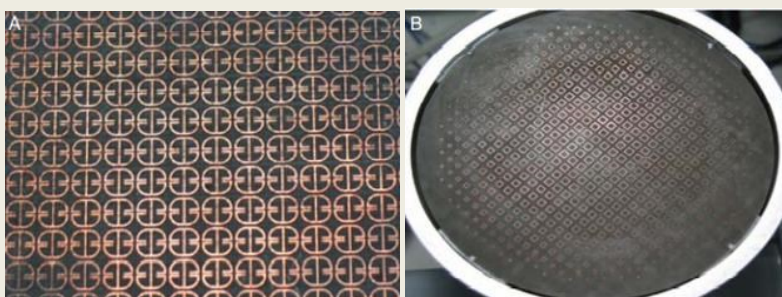


actual definition

metamaterials*:

A metamaterial is a **microscopic** composite of periodic or non-periodic structure, whose function is due to both cellular architecture and the chemical composition.

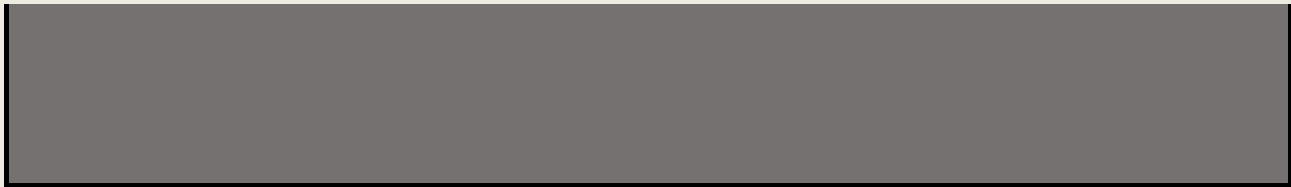
If the material is regarded as an effective medium, there is an additional requirement the cellular size is smaller than or equal to the **sub-wavelength**.




A periodic structure equivalent to medium inhomogeneous (gradient) medium


A non periodic structure equivalent to an homogeneous medium




*Tiu Jun Cui, David R. Smith., and Ruopeng Liu. Metamaterials Theory, Design and Applications. Springer. 2010
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the pioneers





early historical background electromagnetic metamaterials

First actual development
1948: Winston E. Kock [Bell System Technical Journal, 27(1):58-82, 1948]


First theoretical description of negative index materials
1968: Victor G. Veselago [Soviet Physics Uspekhi, 10(4): 509, 1968]
Hypothetic materials could transmit waves with phase velocity anti-parallel to the direction of Poynting vector which is contrary to wave propagation in conventional materials. **This study is considered as one of the pillars of metamaterial field.**

Chiral properties of material
1898: Jagadish Chandra Bose
1914: Karl Ferdinand Lindman


Ma et al.
Meta chirality: Fundamental, Construction and Applications. Nanomaterials 2017, 7, 116; doi:10.3390/nano7050116





Fully realize of the Left-Handed (LH) metamaterial.
John B. Pendry (British Professor) propose the LH metamaterial (as oppose to Right-Handed, RH, materials) which allows an electromagnetic waves to convey energy with group and phase velocities in opposite directions.
1996, 1998: metallic wires aligned along the direction of waves could provide negative permittivity (□□□).
1999: demonstrated a split ring with its axis palced along the direction of wave propagation could exhibit negative permeability (□□□).
2000: Proved that such a negative index materials makes a perfect lens..



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inspiration idea


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the brief physics


material properties

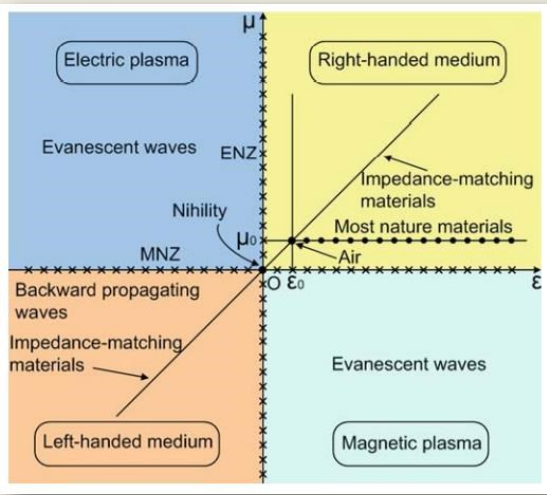
★ Metamaterials

★ Acoustic Metamaterials and Metasurfaces

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materials properties


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metamaterials properties: ε-μ Domain

Material properties characterized by an electric permittivity (ϵ) and magnetic permeability (μ).

Free space or air are regarded as the thinnest material in nature whose permittivity ϵ_0 and permeability is μ_0 . The relative value are defined as $\epsilon_r = \epsilon / \epsilon_0$ and $\mu_r = \mu / \mu_0$ respectively, which define another important parameter, the refractive index, as $n = \sqrt{\epsilon_r \mu_r}$.

Metamaterials brings the possibilities to realize all material properties by designing different cellular architectures and using different substrate materials.

First Quadrant [ϵ, μ]: Right =handed material (RHM), Second quadrant [$\epsilon < 0, \mu > 0$] denotes electric plasma which support evanescent waves. Third quadrant [$\epsilon < 0, \mu < 0$] is wellknown as left-handed material (LHM). Forth quadrant [$\epsilon > 0, \mu < 0$] represent magnetic plasma which support evanescent waves.

Tiu Jun Cui, David R. Smith., and Ruopeng Liu. Metamaterials Theory, Design and Applications. Springer, 2010

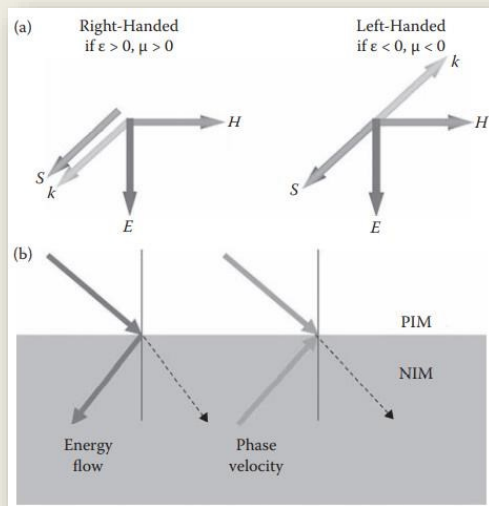
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metamaterial properties



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Naginov and Podolskiy, Tutorials in Metamaterials. CRC Press. 2012

metamaterials properties: □-□Domain [2]

According to Maxwell Equations,

It is suggest that for RHM, the electric field E , the magnetic field

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

$$k \times H = -\frac{\omega}{c} \epsilon E.$$

H support propagating waves and form right handed system with the wave vector k , and the refractive index is positive (positive index material, PIM). The Poynting vector defined as,

$$\nabla \times E = -\partial B / \partial t$$

$$\nabla \times H = +\partial D / \partial t$$

$$\nabla \cdot D = \rho$$

$$\nabla \cdot B = 0$$

$$S = \frac{c}{4\pi} E \times H$$

is parallel to the k -vector.

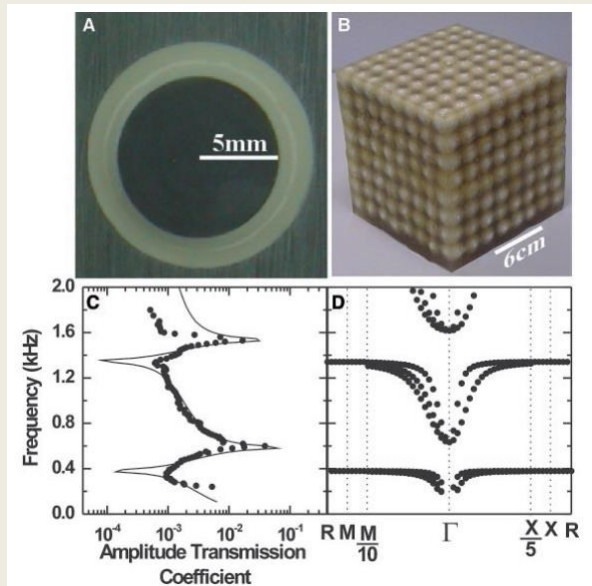
Contrary to the RHM, for the LHM the electric field, the magnetic field and wave vector form a left-handed system. The refractive index value is negative (NIM), and the Poynting vector is anti-parallel to the k -vector.

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acoustic metamaterials



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Inspired by the work in electromagnetic waves, in 2000, Liu et al. proposed the first realization of acoustic metamaterials, which consist of a matrix of silicone rubber-coated lead spheres. The first resonance frequency is around 400 Hz and the size of the structure is two orders of magnitude smaller than the corresponding wavelength, thus bringing the long existed concept of phononic crystals into the acoustic metamaterials realm.

The strong dispersion in the dynamic mass density, either extremely large or negative, breaks the mass-density law of sound transmission. This revolutionized the way we treat and manipulate acoustic waves.

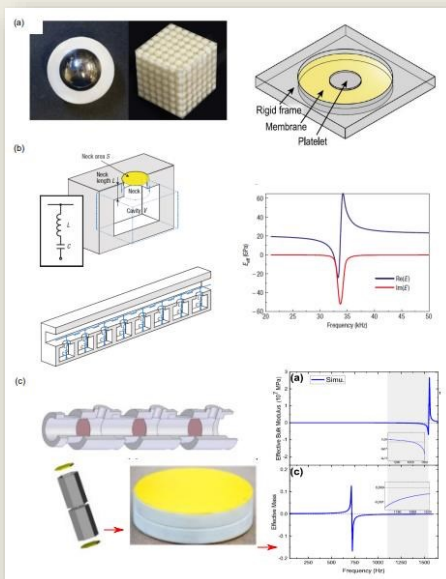
Locally Resonant Sonic Materials
Zhengyou Liu *et al.*
Science **289**, 1734 (2000);
DOI: 10.1126/science.289.5485.1734

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The acoustic metamaterials, which exhibit exotic constitutive parameters in the effective medium sense, can therefore control the acoustic waves in an unusual manner unprecedented. By taking the effective medium theory, the size of the unit cells of the acoustic metamaterials generally needs to be sufficiently smaller compared to the operating wavelength (typically about ten times smaller).

Examples of resonant acoustic metamaterials:

- (a). Negative mass density ($\rho < 0$) schematic illustrations of sonic crystals and a decorated membrane-type metasurface;
- (b). Negative effective bulk modulus ($E < 0$): the Helmholtz resonator unit cell, consisting of a rectangular cavity and a cylindrical neck, filled with water;
- (c). Double negativity ($\rho < 0, E < 0$): the composite structure consisting of interspaced membranes and side holes.

Crystals 2020, 10, 686; doi:10.3390/cryst10080686

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the major theories

acoustic wave equation

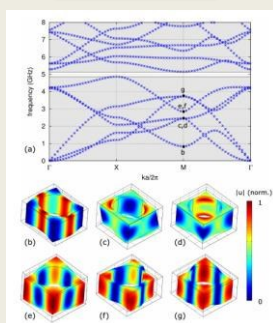
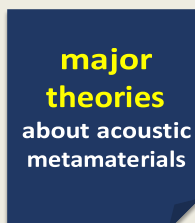
Acoustic waves are mechanical waves and are therefore characterized by three interrelated quantities: acoustic pressure P , particle velocity u , and change of density ρ .

The particle motion equation (Newton's second law), describes the relationship between P and u ; the continuity equation (the law of mass conservation), describes the relationship between u and ρ ; whereas the equation of state describes the relationship between P and ρ .

$$\rho \frac{du}{dt} = -\frac{\partial P}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 P}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{c_0^2} \frac{\partial^2 P}{\partial t^2}$$

Liao et al. Adv. Mater. Technol. 2021, 6, 2000787
DOI: 10.1002/admt.202000787



Vincent Laude et al. 9 May 2011 / Vol. 19, No. 10 / OPTICS EXPRESS

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crystal lattice and energy band gap theory

Phononic crystals are periodic structures composed of acoustic metamaterials arranged in space that are similar to crystal structures in solid state physics. Because of the periodic structures, the energy band is defined with regard to the special dispersion relation when elastic waves propagate in a phonon crystal. The dispersion relation curves for a certain frequency range are called band structures. Within the frequency range of the bandgap, the propagation of acoustic waves is inhibited; by comparison, in other frequency ranges, the acoustic waves can propagate without loss.



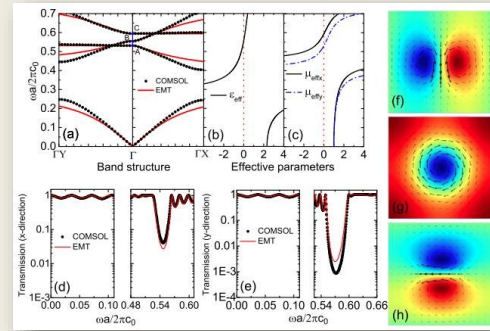
the major theories



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effective medium theory

In classical theory, the behaviors of transmitted and acoustic waves in a uniform medium can be solved using rigorous mathematical equations. On the other hand, characteristics can be difficult to analyze when the medium is nonuniform. It can be solved once the heterogeneous medium is treated as a homogeneous medium under certain conditions. In this way, an effective medium theory developed. Regarding an entire material composed of structures and materials as a uniform material through approximation method to gain the approximate value characteristic (such as effective sound velocity and the studied material is considered valid



Xiujuan Zhang & Ying Wu (2015),

the desired precision is satisfied, which is the core of the theory. Adv. Mater. Technol. 2021, 6, 2000787 DOI: 10.1038/srep07892

when concept

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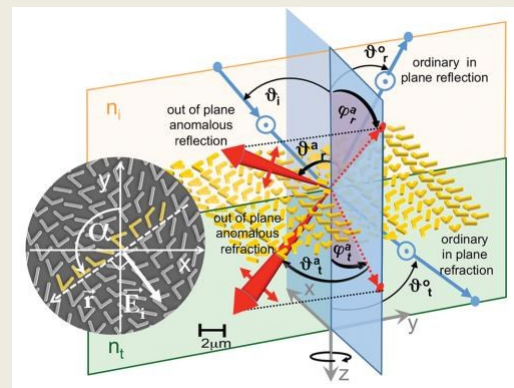
general Snell's law

The angle of refraction is related to the acoustic properties of the two media when the incident angle is fixed. However, this physical law is established on the condition that the phase of the acoustic waves increases gradually along the travel path. By contrast to natural materials, AMs can manipulate the wave front and phase of acoustic waves; therefore, the propagation of acoustic waves does not abide by traditional Snell's law.

A general Snell's law, which was quite different from traditional Snell's law, was first proposed by Yu et al. in the field of electromagnetism. Subsequently, the generalized Snell's law was extended by Li et al. to the field of acoustics. The direction of reflection or refraction can be changed by designed AMs that occupy a phase mutation covering the range $0-2\pi$, and abnormal acoustic refraction or reflection and other interesting phenomena may occur.

Li et al. SCIENTIFICREPORTS | 3 : 2546 | DOI: 10.1038/srep025462

N. Yu, P. Genevet, M. Kats, F. Aieta, J. Tetienne, F. Capasso, Z. Gaburro, Science 2011, 334, 333



F. Aieta, N. Yu, P. Genevet, M. Kats, J. Tetienne, F. Capasso, Z. Gaburro, Nano Letters. dx.doi.org/10.1021/nl300204s

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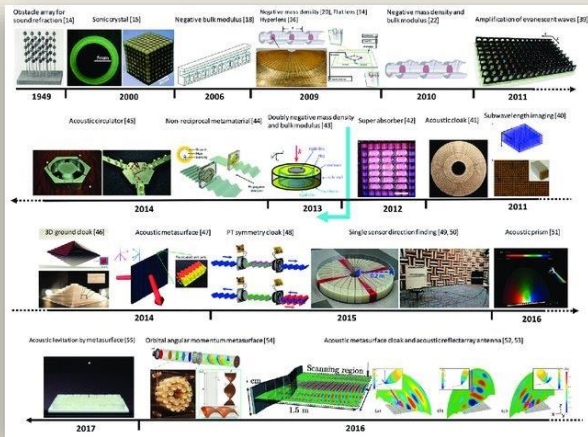
acoustic metamaterials: electromagnetic analogy



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time-laps of the evolution of acoustic metamaterials*

Acoustics	Electromagnetism (TMz)	Analogy
$\frac{\partial P}{\partial x} = -i\omega\rho_x u_x$	$\frac{\partial E_z}{\partial x} = -i\omega\mu_y H_y$	
$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = -i\omega\rho_y u_y$	$\frac{\partial E_z}{\partial y} = i\omega\mu_x H_x$	
$\frac{\partial u_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u_y}{\partial y} = -i\omega\beta P$	$\frac{\partial H_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial H_x}{\partial y} = -i\omega\epsilon_z E_z$	
Acoustic pressure P	Electric field E_z	$-E_z \leftrightarrow P$
Particle velocity u_x, u_y	Magnetic field H_x, H_y	$H_y \leftrightarrow -u_x, H_x \leftrightarrow u_y$
Dynamic density ρ_x, ρ_y	Permeability μ_x, μ_y	$\rho_x \leftrightarrow \mu_y, \rho_y \leftrightarrow \mu_x$
Dynamic compressibility β	Permittivity ϵ_z	$\epsilon_z \leftrightarrow \beta$



*Seyyed Hussein Seyyed Esfahani: Electromagnetic inspired Acoustic Metamaterials: Studying the Applications of Sound-Metastructures Interactions based on Different Wave Phenomena. PhD. Thesis. Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne. 2017

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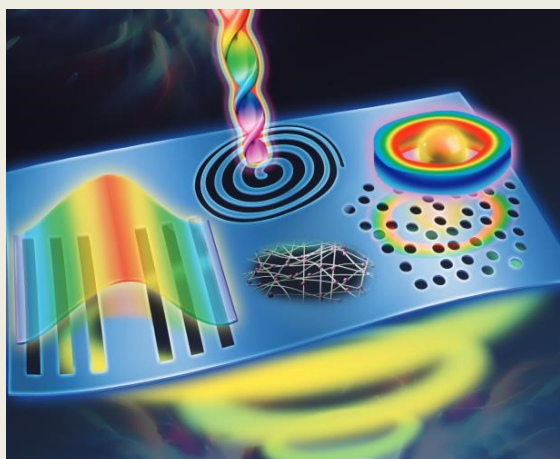


acoustic metasurfaces



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acoustic metasurfaces: frequency selective surface



absorption.

Acoustic metasurfaces, as a sub-category of acoustic metamaterials. The key feature of metasurfaces is that compared the bulk structures that are commonly associated with acoustic metamaterials, they usually have a sub-wavelength thickness, which greatly reduce the geometric complication.

The acoustic metasurface concept is based on arrays of subwavelength units (regarded as acoustic meta atom), including (but not limited to) Helmholtz resonators, membranes and coiling-up space structures. These units can be used to realize and showcase fascinating wavefront engineering features, including self-bending beams, a twisted wavefront (for example, acoustic vortices), non-diffraction beams, diffuse reflection, asymmetric transmission, beam focusing, artificial Mie resonances and near-perfect

Advanced Functional Materials, Vol 28, No 36, September 5, 2018

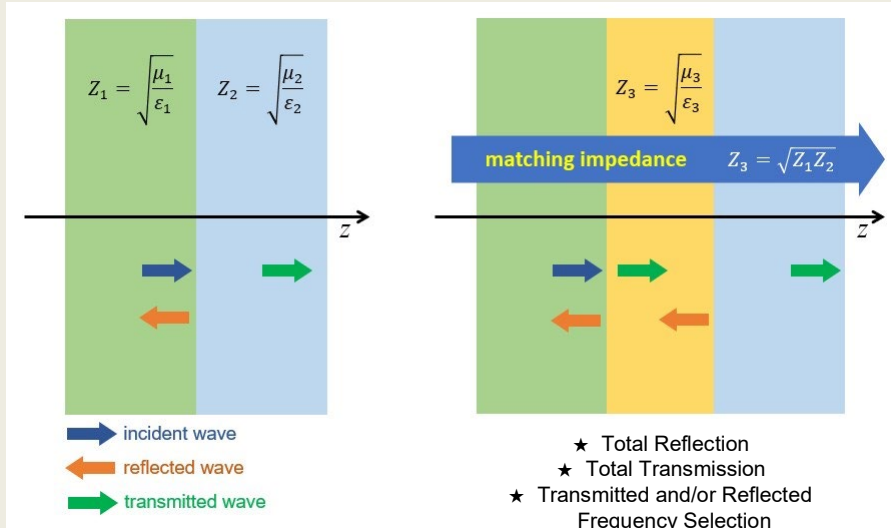
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idea of matching impedance

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wave propagation in layered medium: an approach for frequency selection purposes



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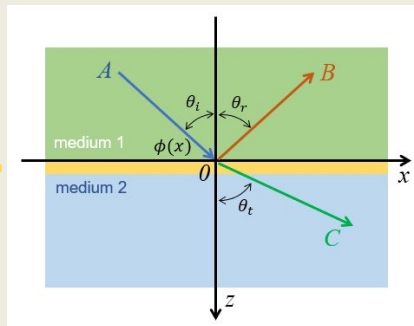
what if we can tailored the insertion layer?



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Dimension & Structure

- ♦ Sub-wavelength in thickness
- ♦ Could be homogeneous or gradient materials
- ♦ Could be LH (NIM), RH (PIM), resonant or non resonant architecture.



Type

- ♦ Reflective [coiled up space]
- ♦ Transmission type [Helmholtz resonator]
- ♦ Resonant and anti-resonant [membrane]
- ♦ Secondary local grating

If the interface is located in the plane of $z=0$, it is able to create a phase discontinuity, denoted as $\phi(x)$, for the incident wave as it is reflected or passes through the interface. For 1D cases, we can derive the relationship between the angles of incidence and reflection from **Fermat's principle**: the acoustic path length (defined as the physical length multiplied by the refractive index of the medium) of a ray of an acoustic wave from point A to point B after being reflected off the interface (or to point C after being refracted into a different medium) is a minimum.

From wave theory, **the difference in the length of the acoustic path is equivalent to the variation of the propagation phase**. Hence, Fermat's principle can also be understood by considering that the trajectory taken by the acoustic wave between two points, for example, A and B (or C), **should be the path of least phase change**.

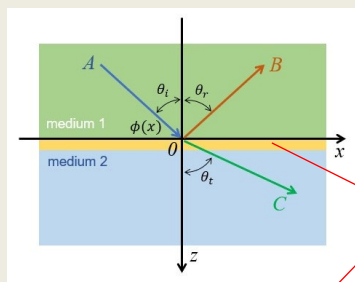
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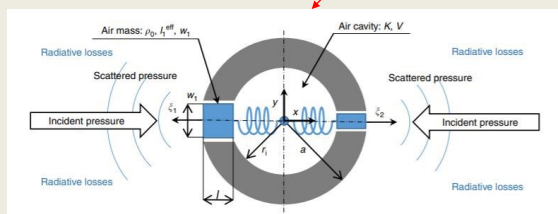
the way on tailoring the insertion layer



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regarded as
an array of
acoustic
meta-atom



acoustic metasurface: frequency selective surface

For the reflection case, it can be derived that when we desire a ray of an acoustic wave to leave point A located at (x_A, z_A) , impinge on point O located at $(x, 0)$ with an angle of incidence θ_i and then bounce back to point B located at (x_B, z_B) , the total phase variation along this path taken by the acoustic wave should be*:

$\Phi(x)$ is
a nonlinear
then the
reflection

$$\Psi'_r(x) = \phi(x) + k_1 \sqrt{(x-x_A)^2 + z_A^2} + k_1 \sqrt{(x_B-x)^2 + z_B^2}$$

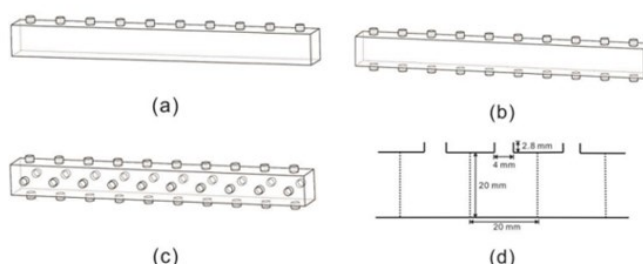
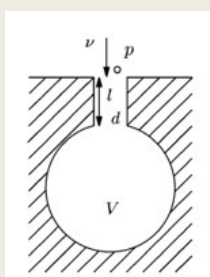
Furthermore, if
designed to be
function of x ,
angles of
and refraction

depend on the position along the interface, which can be easily understood in the context of geometrical acoustics. This theory suggests the possibility of producing arbitrary manipulation over the reflected and transmitted acoustic beams by controlling the nonlinear function such that the local acoustic response at each point behaves differently.

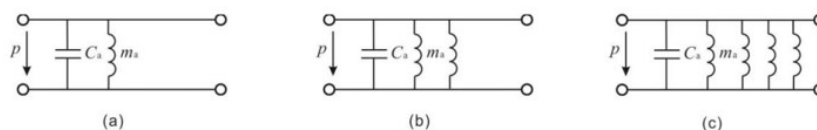
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design of the structure



Schematics of single branch and multiple branch opening metamaterials. (a) Single branch. (b) Double branch. (c) Quadruple branch. Ten unit cells are included in each structure. (d) The side view and dimensions of three unit cells with single branch openings. [Chen Shen, 2016]



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- ★ Locally Resonant Structure
- ★ Helmholtz Resonance Structure
- ★ Membrane-type Structure
- ★ Coiling Up Space Structure
- ★ Miscellaneous Structure

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REVIEW

ACOUSTICS

Acoustic metamaterials: From local resonances to broad horizons

Guancong Ma* and Ping Sheng*

Within a time span of 15 years, acoustic metamaterials have emerged from academic curiosity to become an active field driven by scientific discoveries and diverse application potentials. This review traces the development of acoustic metamaterials from the initial findings of mass density and bulk modulus frequency dispersions in locally resonant structures to the diverse functionalities afforded by the perspective of negative constitutive parameter values, and their implications for acoustic wave behaviors. We survey the more recent developments, which include compact phase manipulation structures, superabsorption, and actively controllable metamaterials as well as the new directions on acoustic wave transport in moving fluid, elastic, and mechanical metamaterials, graphene-inspired metamaterials, and structures whose characteristics are best delineated by non-Hermitian Hamiltonians. Many of the novel acoustic metamaterial structures have transcended the original definition of metamaterials as arising from the collective manifestations of constituent resonating units, but they continue to extend wave manipulation functionalities beyond those found in nature.

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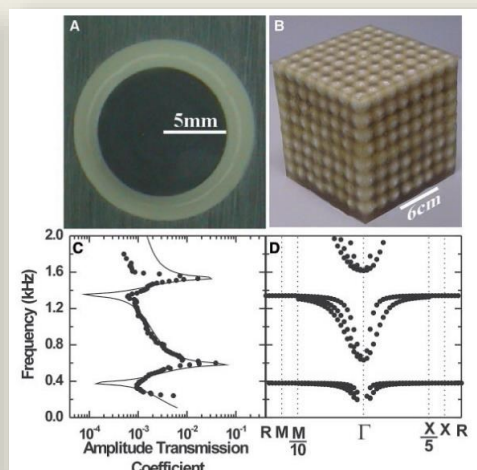
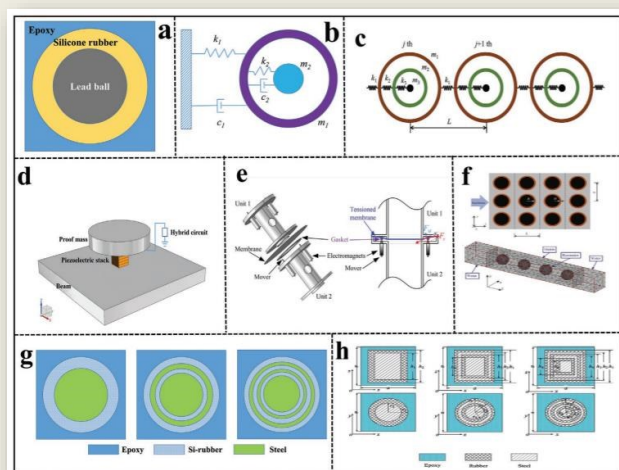
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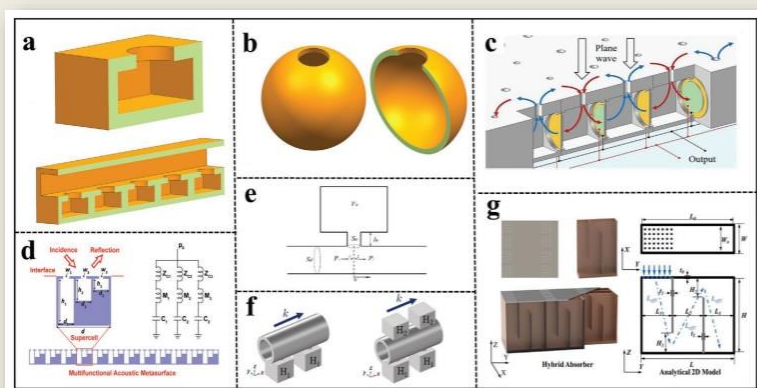
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Helmholtz resonance structures.

a) 1D Helmholtz resonant cavity.

b) Helmholtz resonant cavity with open hollow sphere model.

c) Contiguous coupled Helmholtz resonator array. Reproduced with permission.

d) Helmholtz resonator array of three adjacent Helmholtz resonators with different cavities.

e) Helmholtz resonators periodically arranged on one side of pipe. Reproduced with permission.

f) Cube Helmholtz cavities with different volumes arranged on one or both sides of pipe.

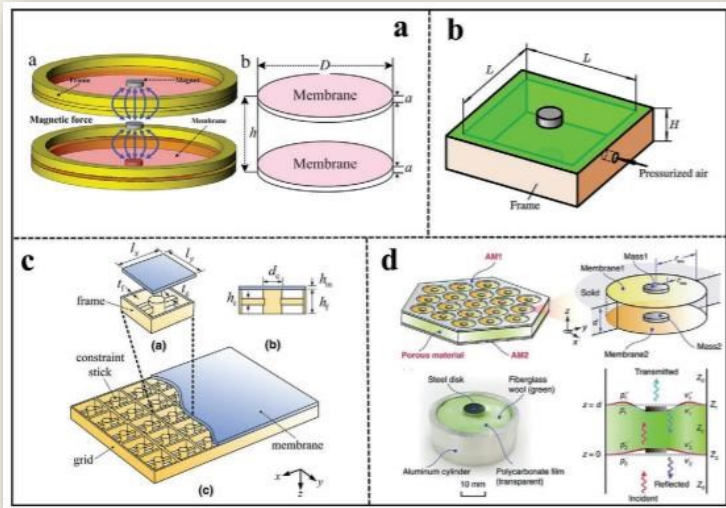
g) Hybrid resonance structure combining Helmholtz resonator and coiling-up space structure.

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membrane type structure



Membrane-type AMs with mass block attached.

- Two-layer actively controlled AMs with membrane-type structure.
- Static pressurization membranetype AMs.
- Constrained membrane-type AMs.
- Layered membrane-type AMs filled with porous materials.

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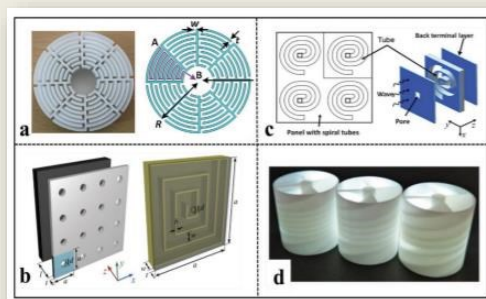
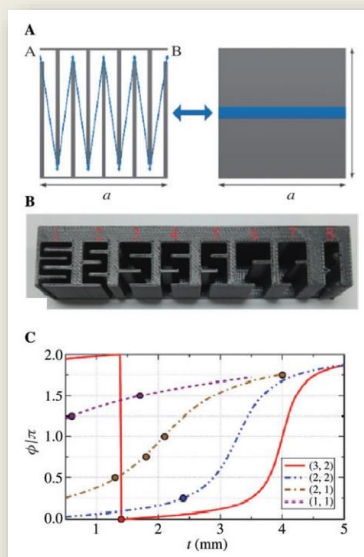
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coiling up space structure



The idea of slow sound

Reflective Metasurface Structure.

Acoustic metasurfaces based on coiling-up space structures with subwavelength dimensions force acoustic waves to propagate along a coiled path, which is substantially longer than the physical dimensions of the structure. This longer path length allows the modulation of reflected waves and for the reflected phase shift to be tailored within the full $0-2\pi$ range. However, the zigzag structure must be designed to avoid excessive thermoviscous losses and for optimal impedance matching.

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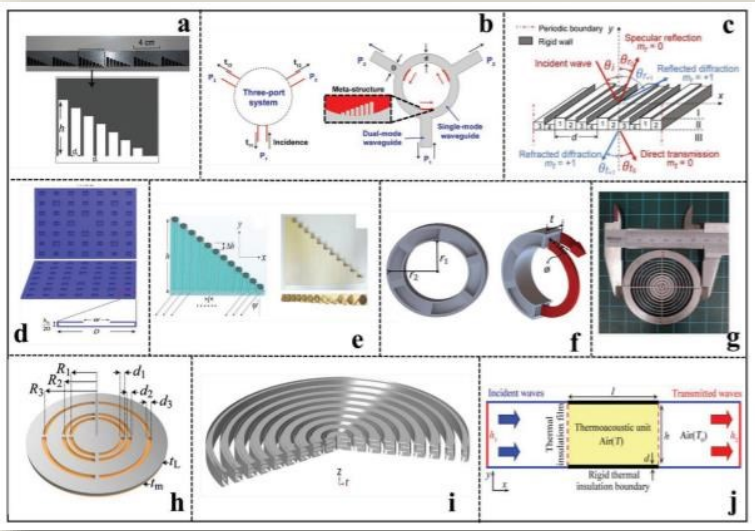


miscellaneous structures



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other structures of
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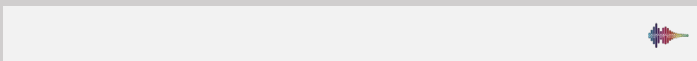


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cloaking invisibility and super lens



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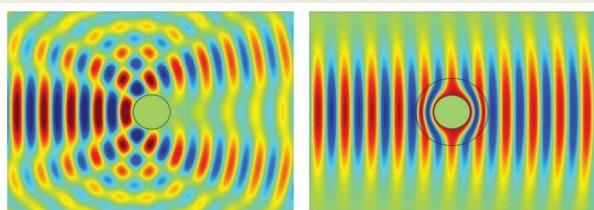
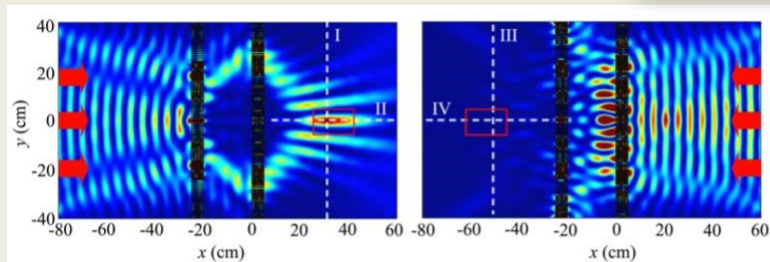
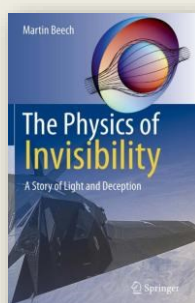
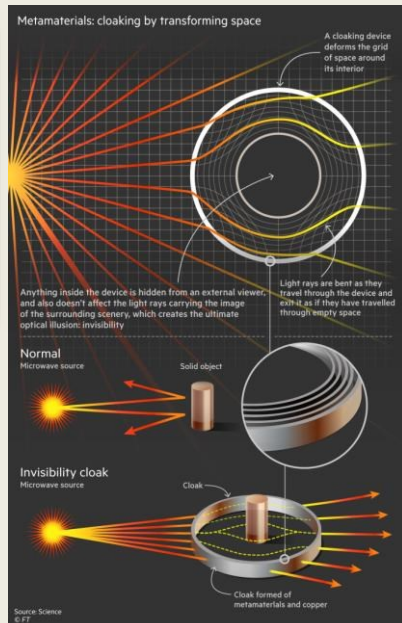


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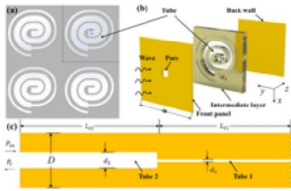


absorption and noise reduction



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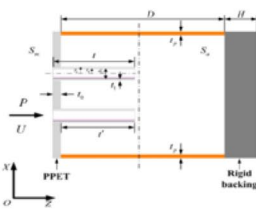


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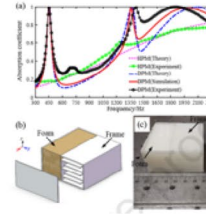
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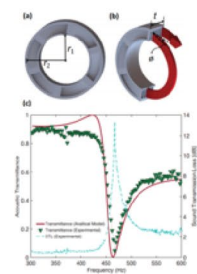
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Fano, Split Ring and Combined Structure



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Acoustic metamaterials for sound attenuation and air ventilation performance

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- ★ Batik Inspired Design
- ★ Open – Ventilated Metamaterials,
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acoustic metamaterials for aircraft noise



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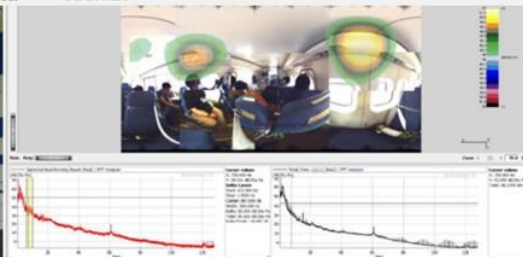
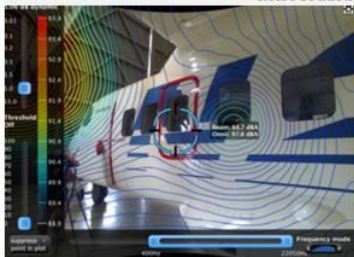


● Sound insulation layer for engine nacelle

● Sound absorber, barrier material for cabin sidewall noise reduction

● Sound absorption and noise reduction performance of cabin window material and structure

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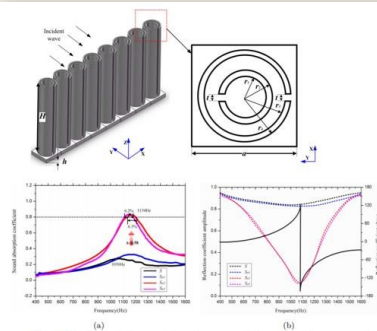
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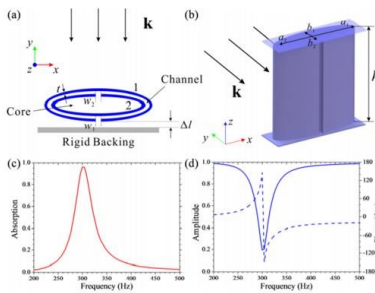
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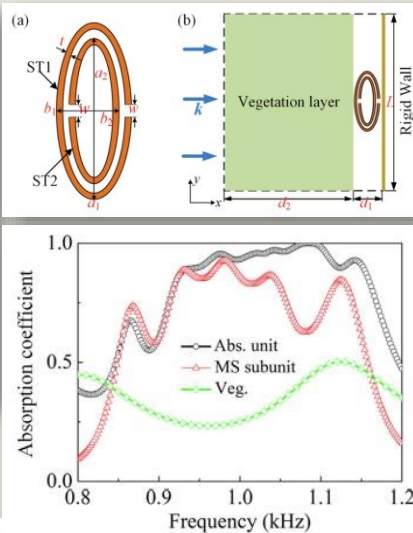
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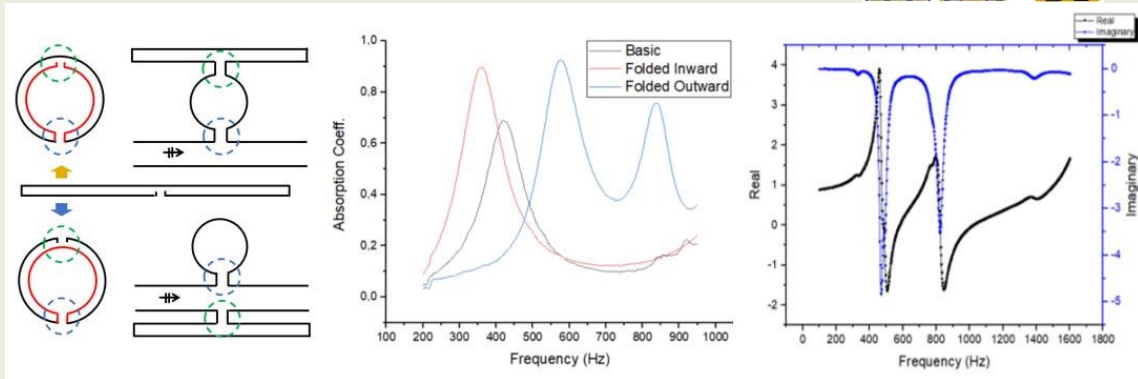


batik inspired structure:kawung



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folded coplanar resonator inspired by kawung batik design



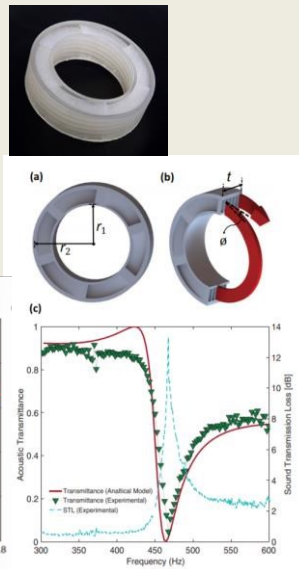
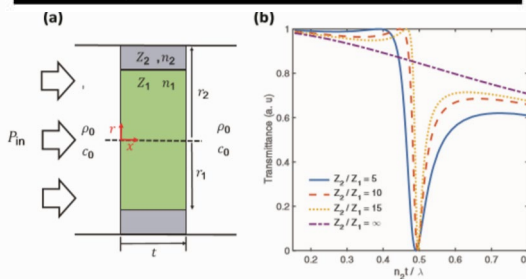
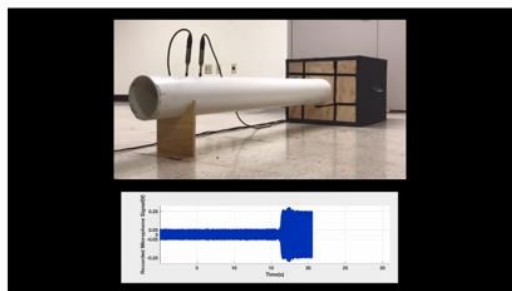
Tunable, multi-resonance, flexibility in design, high performance, low frequency absorption

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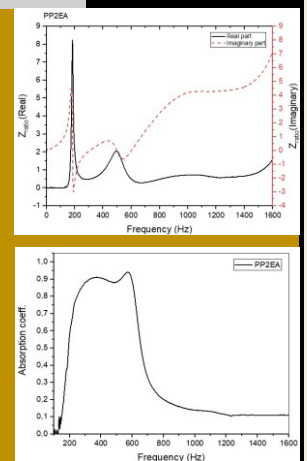
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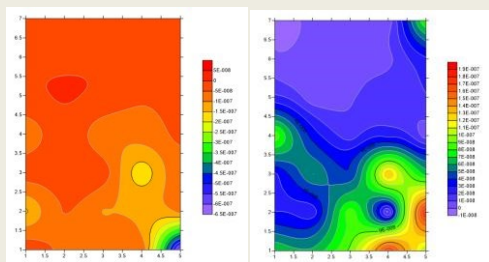


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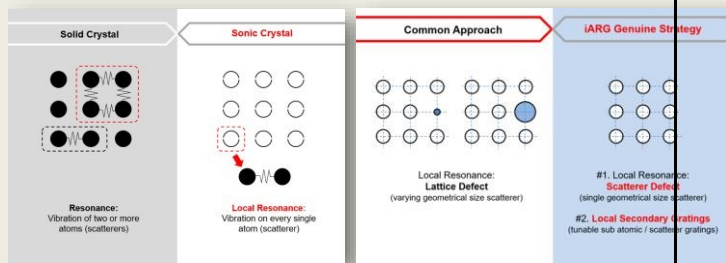
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Nissan Ariya Concept with acoustic meta-material for outstanding noise insulation



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Physicists discover special transverse sound wave

By acousticssg | 9th December 2021

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Physicists discover special transverse sound wave

Can you imagine sound traveling in the same way as light does? A research team at City University of Hong Kong (CityU) has discovered a new type of sound wave: The airborne sound wave vibrates transversely and carries both spin and orbital angular momentum like light does. The findings shattered scientists' previous beliefs about the sound wave, opening an avenue to the development of novel applications in acoustic communications, acoustic sensing and imaging.

The research was initiated and co-led by Dr. Shubo Wang, Assistant Professor in the Department of Physics at CityU, and conducted in collaboration with scientists from Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU) and the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST). It was published in Nature Communications, titled "Spin-orbit interactions of transverse sound."

Beyond the conventional understanding of sound wave

The physics textbooks tell us there are two kinds of waves. In transverse waves like light, the vibrations are perpendicular to the direction of wave propagation. In longitudinal waves like sound, the vibrations are parallel to the direction of wave propagation. But the latest discovery by scientists from CityU changes this understanding of sound waves.

“If you speak to a physicist about airborne transverse sound, s/he would think you are a layman without training in university physics because textbooks say that airborne sound (i.e., sound propagating in the air) is a longitudinal wave,” said Dr. Wang. “While the airborne sound is a longitudinal wave in usual cases, we demonstrated for the first time that it can be a transverse wave under certain conditions. And we investigated its spin-orbit interactions (an important property only exists in transverse waves), i.e. the coupling between two types of angular momentum. The finding provides new degrees of freedom for sound manipulations.”

The absence of shear force in the air, or fluids, is the reason why sound is a longitudinal wave, Dr. Wang explained. He had been exploring whether it is possible to realize transverse sound, which requires shear force. Then he conceived the idea that synthetic shear force may arise if the air is discretized into “meta-atoms,” i.e., volumetric air confined in small resonators with size much smaller than the wavelength. The collective motion of these air “meta-atoms” can give rise to a transverse sound on the macroscopic scale.

Conception and realization of ‘micropolar metamaterial’

He ingeniously designed a type of artificial material called “micropolar metamaterial” to implement this idea, which appears like a complex network of resonators. Air is confined inside these mutually connected resonators, forming the “meta-atoms.” The metamaterial is hard enough so that only the air inside can vibrate and support sound propagation. The theoretical calculations showed that the collective motion of these air “meta-atoms” indeed produces the shear force, which gives rise to the transverse sound with spin-orbit interactions inside this metamaterial. This theory was verified by experiments conducted by Dr. Ma Guancong’s group in HKBU.

Moreover, the research team discovered that air behaves like an elastic material inside the micropolar metamaterial and thus supports transverse sound with both spin and orbital angular momentum. Using this metamaterial, they demonstrated two types of spin-orbit interactions of sound for the first time. One is the momentum-space spin-orbit interaction, which gives rise to negative refraction of the transverse sound, meaning that sound bends in the opposite directions when passing through an interface. Another one is the real-space spin-orbit interaction, which generates sound vortices under the excitation of the transverse sound.

The findings demonstrated that airborne sound, or sound in fluids, can be a transverse wave and carry full vector properties such as spin angular momentum the same as light does. It provides new perspectives and functionalities for sound manipulations beyond the conventional scalar degree of freedom.

“This is just a precursor. We anticipate more explorations of the intriguing properties of the transverse sound,” Dr. Wang said. “In future, by manipulating these extra vector properties, scientists may be able to encode more data into the transverse sound to break the bottleneck of traditional acoustic communication by normal sound waves.”

The interaction of spin with orbital angular momentum enables unprecedented sound manipulations via its angular momentum. “The discovery may open an avenue to the development of novel applications in acoustic communications, acoustic sensing and imaging,” he added.

Dr. Wang is the first author and the corresponding author of the paper. Dr. Ma is another corresponding author. Collaborators include Professor Li Jensen from The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Ms. Tong Qing, a Ph.D. student from CityU, and other researchers from HKBU.

Source: <https://phys.org/news/2021-12-physicists-special-transverse.amp>

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The International Year of Sound 2020

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The IYS 2020 is a global initiative to highlight the importance of sound and related sciences and technologies for all in society.

A list of events and programs have been scheduled to stimulate the understanding

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For more info, visit: <https://sound2020.org/>

**Stay safe during the pandemic. Let's fight
through this together!**

VII. ACOUSTICAL NEWS

Joint zoom seminar held on 21 September 2021 with the Thailand Acoustics and Vibration Association.

Speaker: Prof Kwanchanok Yimtae

Title of talk: Bridging the Silence with Technology and Possibilities

This joint zoom seminar organised jointly with the Thailand Acoustics and Vibration

Association on 21 September 2021 has been a great success, with 42 participants . Out of which

28 were from Thailand. Compared with the usual number of 20 plus participants

when organised solely by SAS ,this showed joint organisation does work well.

Joint zoom seminar held on 7 December 2021 with the Association of Acoustics and Vibration

Indonesia(AAVI)

Theme: International Year of Sound 2020-2021:Acoustics for People

Speakers: Dr Iwan Yahya from Indonesia

Dr Linus Ang from Singapore

Titles of Talks: **Acoustic Metamaterials and Metasurfaces: the physics principles, inspirations idea and its applications by Dr Iwan Yahya**

Remote work: **Aircraft Noise in the Built Environment amid COVID-19 Pandemic by Dr Linus Ang**

Again it has been a great success with 54 to 58 participants.

Formation of ASEAN Acoustics and Vibration Association

This is the first step of collaboration with acoustical societies from ASEAN countries. We are planning a joint seminar with the Association of Acoustics and Vibration Malaysia to be held on the International Noise Awareness Day in 2022.

We are looking forward of organising joint seminars/workshops with the Acoustics and

Vibration Associations of Indonesia and Malaysia and even regional conferences.

In this pandemic age, regional collaboration can work better than international

collaboration. We have already organized the First Regional Conference on Acoustics and Vibration (RECAV 1) with AAVI of Indonesia in 2017. **We will be looking forward in forming a regional ASEAN Acoustics and Vibration Association compared with the Western Pacific Acoustics Commission.**

There is tremendous scope for regional collaboration in acoustics and vibration.

VIII.REPORT ON CONFERENCES

The Regional Conference on Acoustics and Vibration (RECAV) organised by the Society of Acoustics(Singapore) and the Association of Acoustics and Vibration Indonesia(AAVI) was successfully held in Bali,Indonesia from 27 to 28 Nov 2017. There were 110 presentations from 14 countries with 60% of them from Indonesia. There were also some 18 exhibition booths. This reflected strong local participation and the international nature of the conference.

IX. BID FOR FUTURE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

The Society of Acoustics(Singapore) will be hosting the ICSV28 in Singapore from 24 to 28 July 2022 at the Marina Bay Sands Hotel.

The Society of Acoustics(Singapore) will be bidding for hosting the ICA 2031 in Singapore in 2031.

The Society of Acoustics(Singapore) will bidding for hosting the ISTU 2024 in Singapore in 2024.

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