ESRF towards dynamic compression



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The HPLF project

First dynamic compression experiments at the ESRF

HPLF-I Technical design

Future perspectives



HIGH POWER LASER FACILITY PROJECT

Coupling of a ns powerful laser to synchrotron XAS, XDR, XRI and XES

HPLF-0 (2014-2018) :

Technical project evaluation Single X-ray pulse XRD/XRI/XAS Scientific project evaluation Workshops and Conceptual Design





HPLF-I (2018-2021) : installation of a ~100J laser and coupling ti the ED-XAS beamline ID24;



HPLF-II (from 2023):

extension of the facility to offer additional X-ray diagnostics: XRD, XRI, XES as part of the Extremely Brilliant Source (EBS) upgrade. An upgrade of the laser power to 200 J, is also envisaged.

From very big to very small

minimize the experimental setup (laser + target) to reduce the energy needed to reach extreme states

□ install a compact powerful and focusing laser at a high brilliance X-ray facility

Few KJ lasers on mm targets

few 10 J lasers on 100 µm targets



GCLT 40J



PROJECT HISTORY: FIRST DYNAMIC EXPERIMENTS



OPEN Probing the early stages of shockinduced chondritic meteorite formation at the mesoscale

Received: 28 November 2016 Mic Accepted: 20 February 2017 Phil

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3.59 µs

Michael E. Rutherford¹, David J. Chapman¹, James G. Derrick², Jack R. W. Patten¹, Philip A. Bland³, Alexander Rack⁴, Gareth S. Collins² & Daniel E. Eakins¹

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1.90 µs

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HIGH POWER LASER FACILITY AT ESRF: SCIENCE CASE

Workshop on Studies of Dynamically Compressed Matter with X-rays

Monday 16 and Tuesday 17 February 2015

Venue: ILL Chadwick Amphitheatre

march 2017





march 2016

many of the science cases call for the development of dynamic compression at ESRF and require the use of high power lasers

Extreme conditions for geophysics and planetary science

extra solar planets, warm dense matter





Dynamic behavior of matter and materials under high strain rates

impacts, spallation, materials synthesis, plasticity, phase transitions kinetics, nucleation...



DYNAMIC COMPRESSION: LASER SHOCK AND RAMP EXPERIMENTS



Time

laser ablation technique

shock or ramp compression



synchrotron temporal resolution: 100 ps

SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY

static high pressure community





dynamic high pressure community





Matériaux sous Hautes Vitesses de Déformation

Groupe de recherche CIIIS

13 laboratories working on laser plasmas, shock wave physics, materials and applications



HPLF PROJECT - PHASE I TIMELINE

2016 - 2017: Phase I (2018-2021) approved CFT awarded to

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2018: Delivery and commissioning of the laser front end vertice of the laser front end

2019: EBS upgrade - Infrastructure realization ID24 upgrade for EBS

15J, 10ns 40-200 GPa



2020: Full HPLF laser delivery, ID24 re-commissioning 100 J ns-shaped laser, transport, interaction chamber, diagnostics





First laser shock experiment at the ESRF

XRD XRI XAS







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ID09 - DIFFRACTION AND DYNAMIC COMPRESSION



ID19 - IMAGING AND DYNAMIC COMPRESSION

Laser-induced compression of a polymer foam:

elastic compression, compaction, pore collapse, fracture, and fragmentation

- Laser shock, 6J @ 532nm, 10 ns FWHM
- Single bunch 100 ps phase contrast imaging
- HPV-X2 Shimadzu camera

Olbinado et al., J. Phys. D: Appl. Phys., (2018)



Laser

ID24 - XAS AND DYNAMIC COMPRESSION

Laser shocked iron







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X-RAY ABSORPTION SPECTROSCOPY



IRON: SOLID-SOLID AND SOLID-LIQUID TRANSITIONS



the data quality allows for the comparison to theoretical models

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R. Torchio et al. Scientific Reports 2016



XAS STUDIES ON LASER SHOCKED FE



only EXAFS cost and availability (8 shots/day/245K\$/shot) Page 16

photon flux

energy range beam instability cost (204K\$/day)

limited P,T range diagnostics

availability and stability



DIFFERENT TIMING MODES AND DIFFERENT ENERGIES



Single bunch XAS at Ni, Ta and Mo



O. Mathon et al., HPR 36, 404 (2016)





Local Structure of laser shocked Ta A. Sollier et al., to be published

Local structure of laser shocked Fe-6.6%wtO M. Harmand et al., to be published







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HPLF I Technical design











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LASER CHARACTERISTICS

LASER provided by Amplitude Laser Group (Lisses, Fr. and San Jose, USA)



Front-end

- Pulse generation (CW laser)
- Pulse shaping
- Spectral broadening
- Pre-amplification stages





Amplification chain

- Nd:Glass DAH
- Liquid cooled amplifiers
- Pumped by flash lamps
- 3 DAHs for HPLF1
- Compatible 5 DAHs (upgrade)

Output

- 1-100 J adjustable
- Top-hat spatial profile N>8
- Adjustable temporal profile flat top variable (2-15ns) ramps t², t³, t⁴
- 1 shot every 4 minutes
- Jitter < 26 ps RMS



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ID24 ENERGY DISPERSIVE BEAMLINE





at each different E the sample environment has to rotate around the crystal



LASER ENVIRONMENT AND TRANSPORT







Interaction Chamber



DIAGNOSTICS

Velocity Interferometer System for any Reflector (VISAR) Streaked Optical Pyrometry (SOP)

Ρ, Τ, ρ

measure the spatial and temporal evolution of hydrodynamic parameters \rightarrow full compression history of the sample and planarity of the shock propagation











the future: EBS and HPLF II



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HPLF-I AND HPLF-II TOWARD EBS

ESRF Extremely Brilliant Source (EBS)



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Dynamic compression drivers at modern X-ray light sources 1 working – 4 becoming operational



ESRF facility the only one to offer multiple techniques





+ 1 ID24 dedicated scientist 1 laser engineer shock diagnostics second harmonic (LBO crystal) deformable mirror targets



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ESRF

High Power Laser Facility (HPLF) is an ESRF initiative to develop instrumentation to study matter under dynamic compression.

It includes:

HPLF-0 (2014-2018) Evaluation tests in XRD/XRI/XAS and conceptual design

HPLF-I (2018-2021)

Installation of a 100 J pulsed shaped laser on ED-XAS ID24 beamline 2018: laser front-end (15J, 10ns) 2021: laser amplifier (100J, 4 ns)

HPLF-II (from 2023)

Extension of the facility to offer additional X-ray diagnostics: XRD, XRI, XES Upgrade of the laser power to 200 J

EBS will improve the flux for single bunch XAS/XRD/XRI

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