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Dedication

Preface

Introduction

Optomechanics is the study of light-matter interactions; it is the study of how the intangible (light) can affect change in the tangible (matter) and visa-versa. Injecting light into a material under specific conditions allows for an exchange of energy to occur between the light and the mechanical oscillations of the material which changes the mechanical energy of the material. This interaction can be controlled to deposit or withdraw mechanical energy into/from a system and thus leave the system in a more, or less, mechanically energizetic state respectively. The same interaction can be harnessed instead for passive observation of material properties. Mechanical systems from bulk to atomic scales can be probed and characterized with light by retrieving the inelastically scattered light resulting from interaction with the material. This retrieved light contains embedded information about the energy exchange that occured which, when considered as part of a population of scattering events, reveals natural resonances of a mechanical system.

1.1 Spontaneous Brillouin Scattering

1.2 Stimulated Brillouin Scattering

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1.5 Raman Scattering

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1.6 Raman-like Brillouin Modes

Foundational Experimental Techniques and Instrumentation

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2.1 Experimental Techniques

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2.5.1 Description of Python Script for CABS Data Collection

2.5.2 Description of Plotting Data in Go Program

Manuscript I: Laser cooling of traveling wave phonons in an optical fiber

- 3.1 Optomechanical Cooling and Heating
- 3.2 Cooling Platform: CS₂-Liquid Core Optical Fiber
- 3.2.1 Optomechanical Properties
- 3.2.2 Fabrication
- 3.2.3 Fabrication Iterative Refinement
- 3.3 Intention of the Pump-Probe Experiment
- 3.4 Experimental Setup
- 3.4.1 Main Experiment
- 3.4.2 Pump-Probe Experiment
- 3.5 Results
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Manuscript II: A coherently stimulated phonon spectrometer

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4.1 Abstract

4.2 Introduction

State of brillouin microscopy Applications and usefulness Challenges: selection of backscattered signal conflated with Stokes field phase-matching requires probe wavelength to be exactly that of Stokes Wouldn't it be nice if we could break free of strict phase-matching requirements, therefore perfectly isolating the signal In this work

4.2.1 Theory of CABS

description of physics with scattered power equation

4.2.2 Phase-matching at short lengths

phase-matching bandwidth description with equation

4.3 Methods

4.3.1 Theory of CABS

full CABS theory arriving at scattered power

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4.3.2 Phase-matching bandwidth

phase-matching bandwidth theory

4.4 Results

4.4.1 Design of instrument

description of design figure: instrument apparatus design sensitivity measurements

4.4.2 From fiber-coupled to micrometer-scale free-space

figure: demonstration measurements 1mm uhna3 fiber 1mm CS2 bulk comparison to stimulated brillouin and spontaneous brillouin?

4.4.3 Relaxation of Phase-matching conditions

figure: phase-matching peak vs pump-probe separation 1cm uhna3, CS2 peak vs pump-probe separation 1mm uhna3, CS2

4.5 Discussion

4.6 Acknowledgements

4.7 Appendix

4.7.1 Equal contribution of P, S, Pr

figure: P, S, Pr equal contributors

100 μm CS2 CABS



Figure 4.1: CABS measurement of 100um of CS2.

Manuscript III: Brillouin-induced Raman modes

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	EMISS	0.96	Emissivity					
	thick	0.05	Upper layer thickness [m]					
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Thermal	DENS2	1800	Lower layer density [kg/m ³]					
Parameters	lbound	18	Interior heat flow $[mW/m^2]$					
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Parameters	RLAY	1.3	Layer thickness multiplier					
	N1	26	Number of layers					
	N24	288	Timesteps per day (5 min steps)					
	DJUL	0	Start date					

Manuscript IV: Nanoscale Brillouin scattering

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Appendix A

Acronyms

AGU American Geophysical Union

Appendix B

 \mathbf{Code}

B.1 Python Code for CABS Data Collection

B.2 Plotting Data In Go Program

Appendix C

Supplementary Information for Chapter 3: Manuscript I

C.1 Data

Appendix D

Supplementary Information for Chapter ??: Manuscript II

D.1 Data

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