

SHG phase matching

Phase matching:

$$\Delta k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n_1 \omega_1}{c} + \frac{n_2 \omega_2}{c} = \frac{n_3 \omega_3}{c}$$

for SHG,
 $\omega_1 = \omega_2 \Rightarrow n(\omega) = n(2\omega)$

\therefore We need to consider phase matching such that incident & generated pulses have different polarizations & thus experience different refractive indices

$$n_o(\omega) \omega + n_o(\omega) \omega = n_e(2\omega) \cdot 2\omega$$

i.e. $n_o(\omega) = n_e(2\omega)$ [$n_e(\omega) < n_o(\omega)$
negative uniaxial crystal]

Now,

$$\left(\frac{1}{n_e(\theta)} \right)^2 = \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{n_e^2} + \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{n_o^2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{n_e(\theta)} = \sqrt{\frac{\sin^2 \theta}{n_e^2} + \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{n_o^2}}$$

$$\therefore \Delta k = n_e(2\omega) \cdot \frac{2\omega}{c} - 2n_o(\omega) \cdot \frac{\omega}{c}$$

Since, the crystal is tilted

$$L_{\text{eff}} = \frac{L}{\cos(\theta)} \quad (\text{path length changes})$$

$$\therefore \frac{I}{I_{\text{max}}} = \left[\frac{\sin(\Delta k \cdot L_{\text{eff}}/2)}{\Delta k \cdot L_{\text{eff}}/2} \right]^2$$

SHG Signal vs Angle
(for Quartz Crystal illuminated with Ruby Laser)

