

This powerpoint file contains a summary repertory of the models available with the QNM solver QNMEig.

The models have been developped over time from 2013 by students and postdocs working at LP2N-CNRS lab in Bordeaux

If you develop your own models with the solver and wish to make them available, you may propose a summary with the reference to the original publication and your email address, so that potential users may contact you directly.

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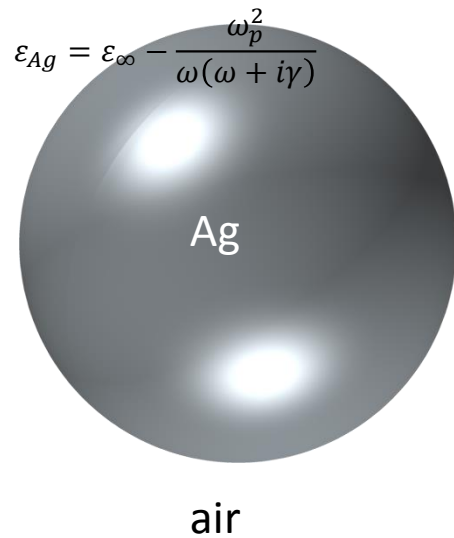
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plasmonic nanocavities

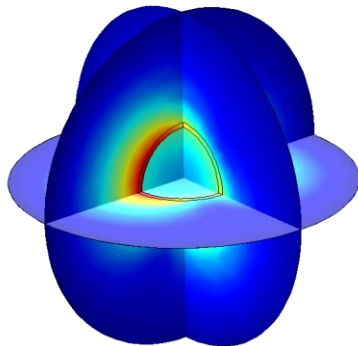
# Silver sphere in air

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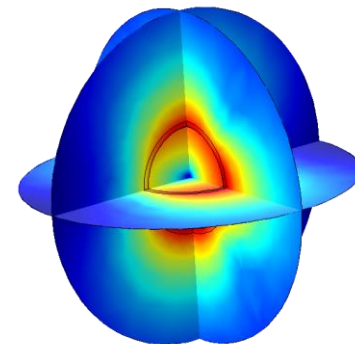
COMSOL model available on the website:  
"QNMEig\_Sphere.mph"



Eigenfrequency=9.2471E14+1.5213E14i Multislice: log(emw.normE)



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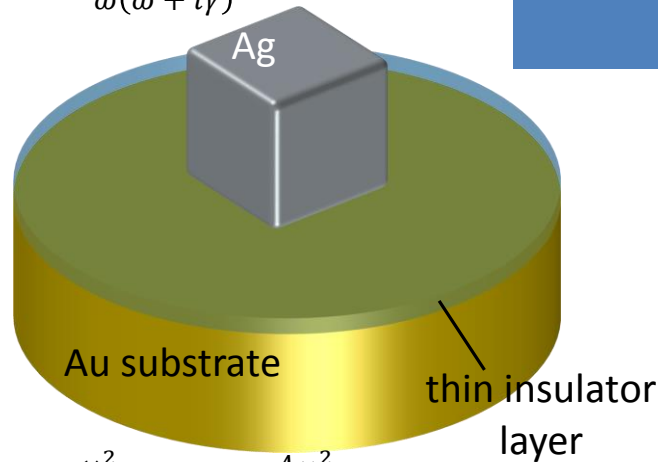


# Silver nanocube on a coated gold substrate

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"QNMEig\_Cubesubstrate.mph"

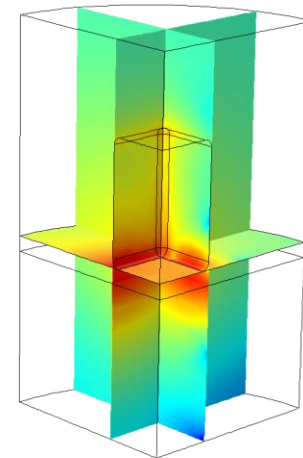
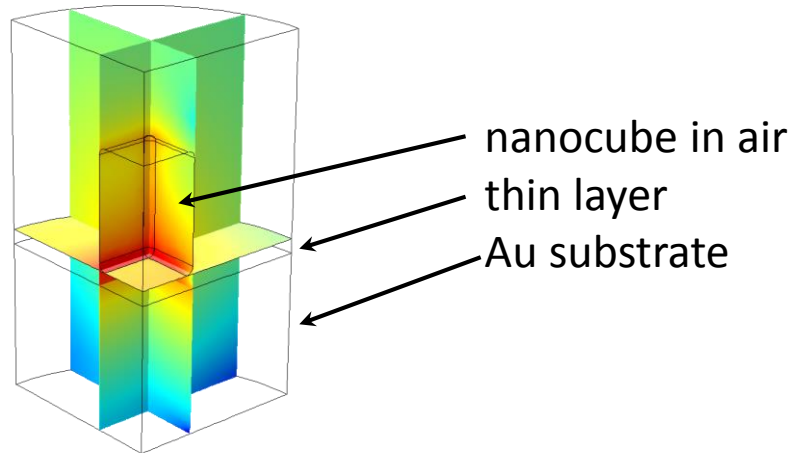
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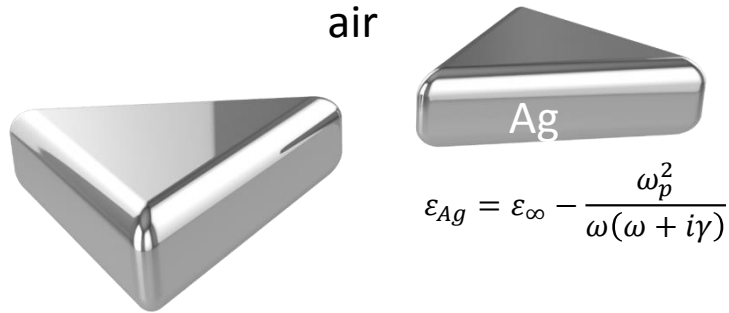
$$\varepsilon_{Au} = \varepsilon_{\infty} - \frac{\omega_p^2}{\omega(\omega + i\gamma)} - \frac{A\omega_1^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_1^2 + i\gamma_1}$$

Eigenfrequency=4.5032E14+1.0479E13i Multislice: log(emw.normE)

Eigenfrequency=5.8505E14+3.9778E13i Multislice: log(emw.normE)



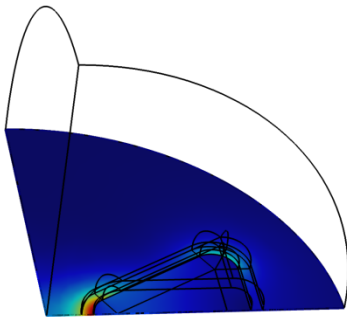
# Silver bowtie in air



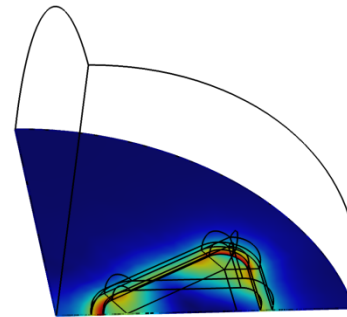
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COMSOL model available on the website:  
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Eigenfrequency=7.5277E14+2.947E13i Hz  
Slice: Electric field norm (V/m)



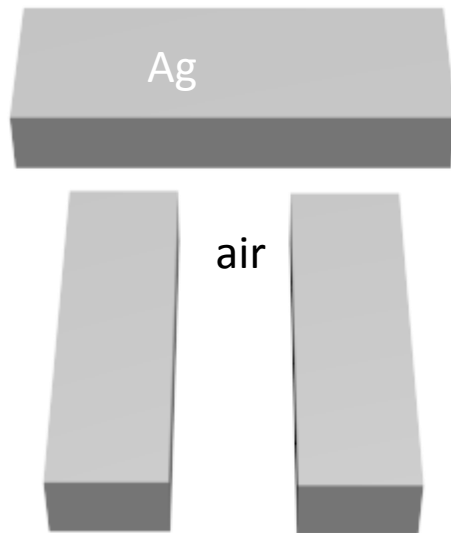
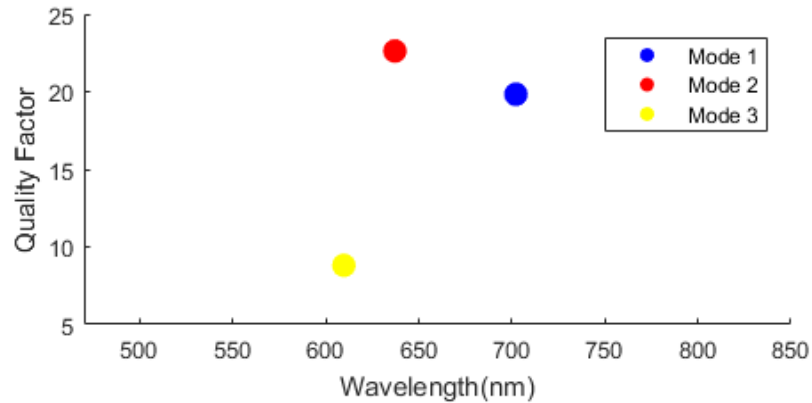
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Slice: Electric field norm (V/m)



# Dolmen nanoantenna

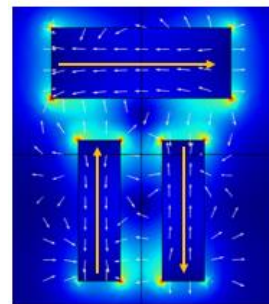
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COMSOL model available on the website:  
"QNM\_Dolmen.mph"  
"QNM\_Dolmen\_sym.mph"  
or associated matlab files

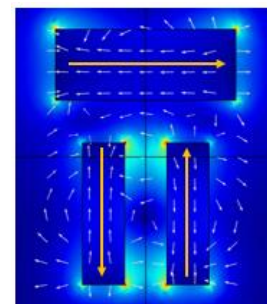


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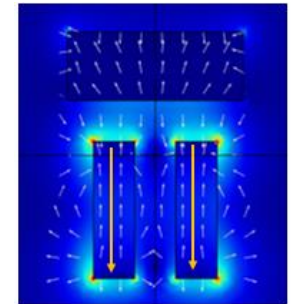
Eigen electric field distributions



Mode1



Mode2



Mode3

R. Faggiani, A. Losquin, J. Yang, E. Mårzell, A. Mikkelsen, P. Lalanne, ACS Photonics **4**, 897-904 (2017).

"[Modal analysis of the ultrafast dynamics of optical nanoresonators](#)"

T. Wu, A. Baron, P. Lalanne, K. Vynck, Phys. Rev. A **101**, 011803(R) (2020).

"[Intrinsic multipolar contents of nanoresonators for tailored scattering](#)"

# Multipolar decomposition of QNMs

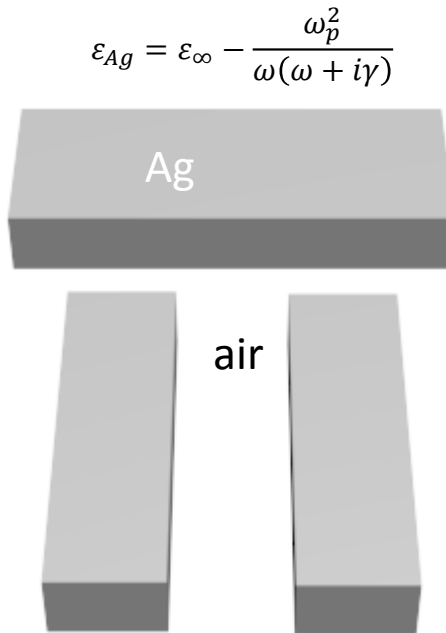
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COMSOL model available on the website:

“QNM\_Dolmen.mph”

“QNM\_Dolmen\_sym.mph”

or associated matlab files



Main features:

- Computation the multipolar decomposition in the vectorial spherical harmonics of a QNM at the complex frequency of the QNM
- Provide multipolar decomposition that is intrinsic (excitation-independent) to the the nanoparticle
- Avoid the traditional problem that a multipolar decomposition at real frequency excitation dependent, as it depends on the frequency, polarisation, incidence angle of the illumination

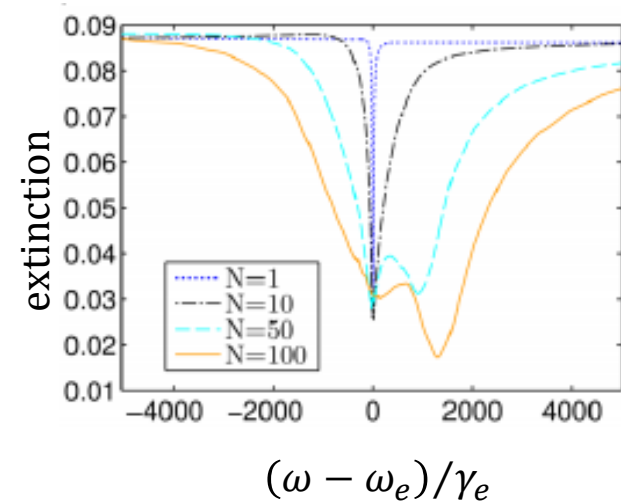
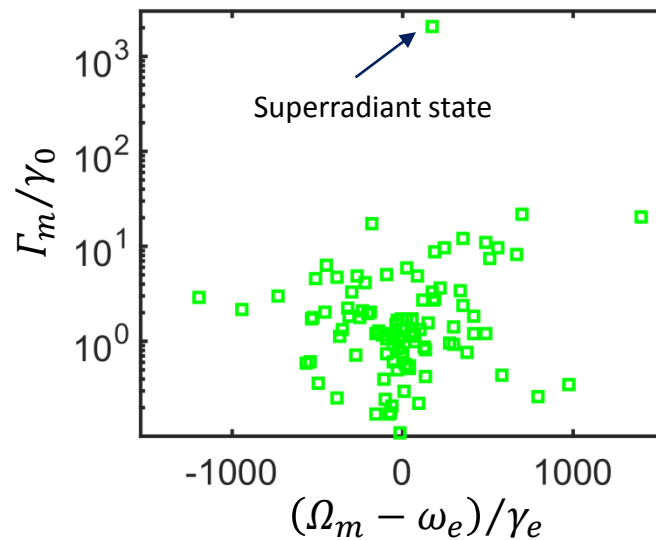
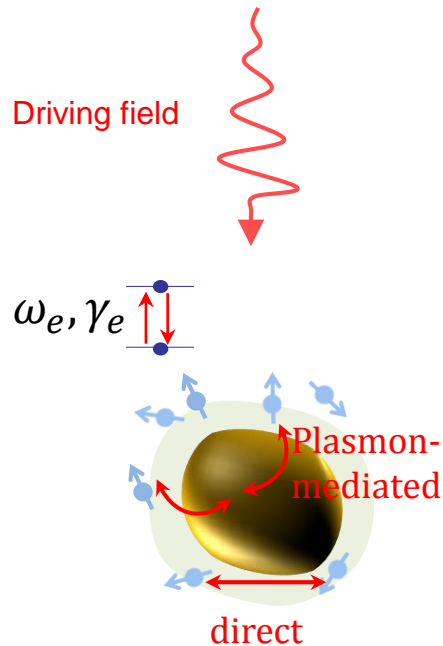
$$\tilde{\mathbf{E}} = \frac{n_b^2 \tilde{\omega}^2}{c^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=-n}^n E_{nm} \left[ \tilde{a}_{nm} \tilde{\mathbf{N}}_{nm}^{(3)}(\mathbf{r}) + \tilde{b}_{nm} \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_{nm}^{(3)}(\mathbf{r}) \right]$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \tilde{a}_{nm} = \frac{c^2 \int \tilde{\mathbf{E}} \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{N}}_{nm}^{(3)}(R, \Omega) d\Omega}{n_b^2 \tilde{\omega}^2 E_{nm} \int \left| \tilde{\mathbf{N}}_{nm}^{(3)}(R, \Omega) \right|^2 d\Omega} \\ \tilde{b}_{nm} = \frac{c^2 \int \tilde{\mathbf{E}} \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_{nm}^{(3)}(R, \Omega) d\Omega}{n_b^2 \tilde{\omega}^2 E_{nm} \int \left| \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_{nm}^{(3)}(R, \Omega) \right|^2 d\Omega} \end{array} \right. \xrightarrow{\quad} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \tilde{p}_x \\ \tilde{m}_z \\ \tilde{Q}_{xy}^e \end{array} \right.$$

# Superradiance of disordered ensembles of two-level resonators coupled by a plasmonic resonator

Contact: Philippe Lalanne<philippe.lalanne@institutoptique.fr>

Program to compute the superradiant and subradiant states of the coupled ensemble is available in PRB 95, 195418 (2017).



P. Fauché et al., Phys. Rev. B **95**, 195418 (2017).

["Collective scattering in hybrid nanostructures with many atomic oscillators coupled to an electromagnetic resonance"](#)



COMSOL model available on the website:

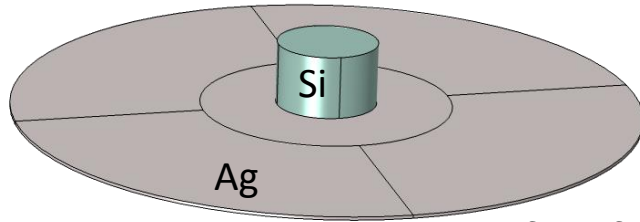
“QNMEig\_NanolettSi.mph”

“QNMpole\_NanolettSi.mph”

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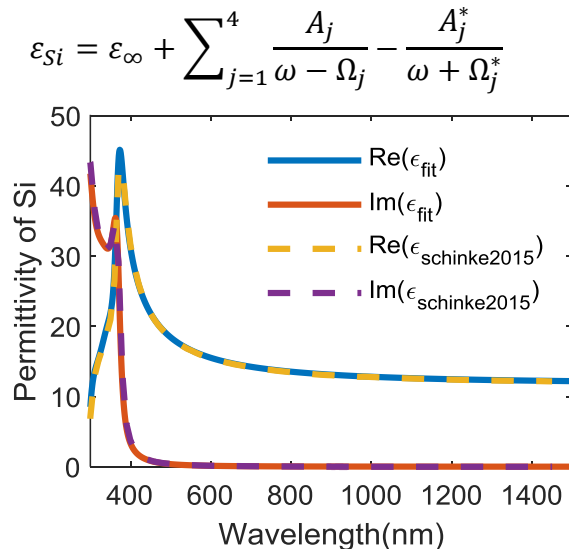
# Silicon cylinder above a thin Ag film

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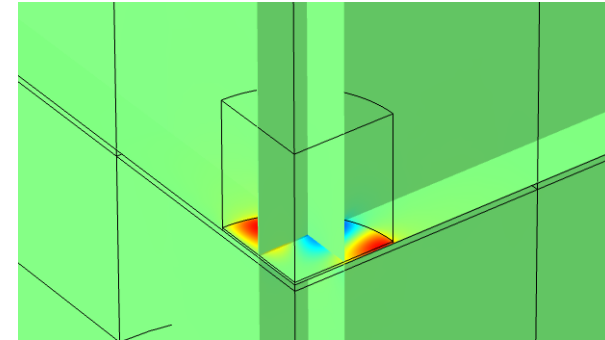
$$\epsilon_{Ag} = \epsilon_{\infty} - \frac{\omega_{pAg}^2}{\omega(\omega + i\gamma_{Ag})}$$

See Fig. 4 in Nano letters, **17**, 3238 (2017) for structure details.

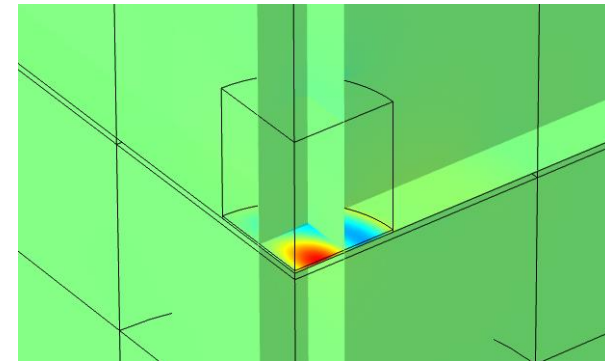


$\epsilon_{Si}$  taken from Opt. Lett. **42**, 1145 (2017) is in perfect agreement with the experimental data in AIP Advances **5**, 67168 (2015).

The weak form and normalization factor are specific for “QNMEig\_NanolettSi.mph” in the Si domains owing to the specific dispersion of Si.



Mode 1: Eigenfrequency 5.8384E14+4.0888E12i Hz



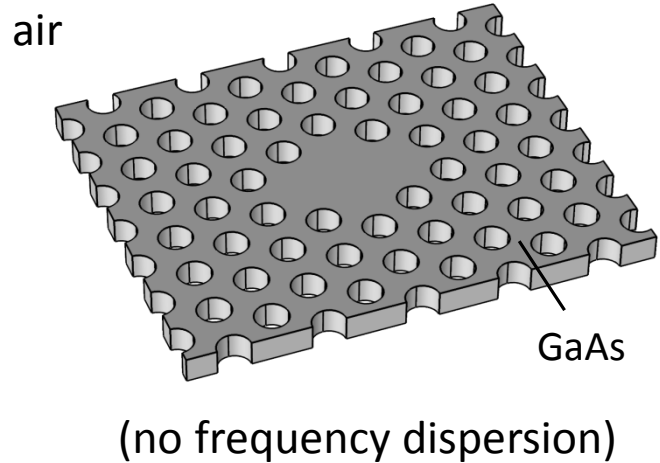
Mode 2: Eigenfrequency 5.8744E14+1.5474E13i Hz

# photonic microcavities and particles

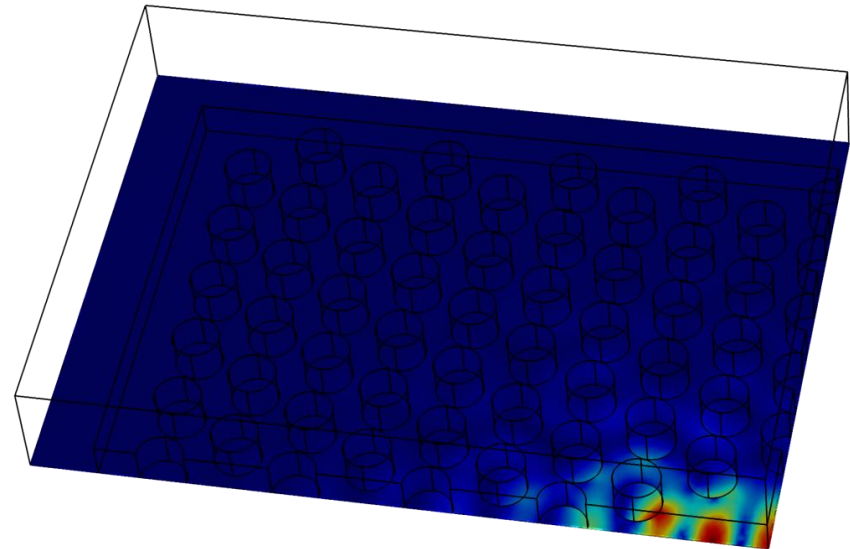
# GaAs photonic crystal membrane in air

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COMSOL model available on the website:  
"QNMEig\_GaAsPhc.mph"



Eigenfrequency=2.1975E14+2.1543E10i Hz Slice: Electric field norm (V/m)

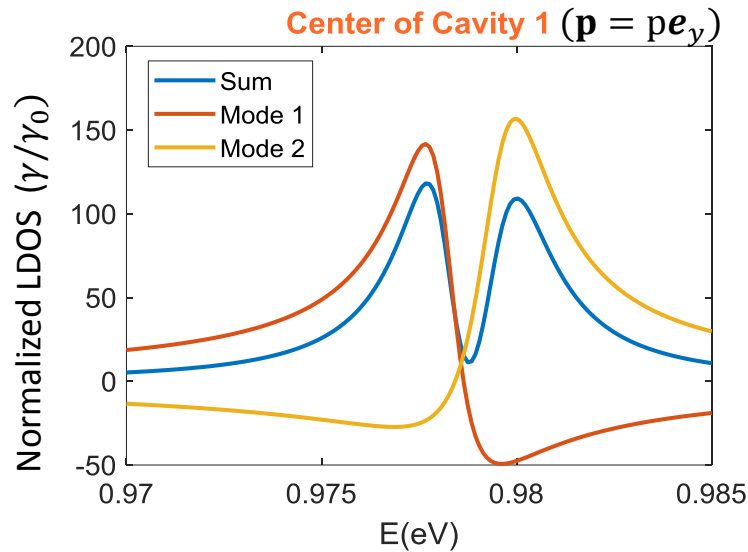


$$\text{Complex mode volume } \tilde{V}_n(\mathbf{r}) = \left[ 2\varepsilon_o \varepsilon(\mathbf{r}) (\tilde{\mathbf{E}}_n(\mathbf{r}) \cdot \mathbf{u})^2 \right]^{-1}$$

# Coupled photonic crystal cavities: non-Lorentzian LDOS

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COMSOL model available on the website:  
 "QNMEig\_PhCcoupled.mph"  
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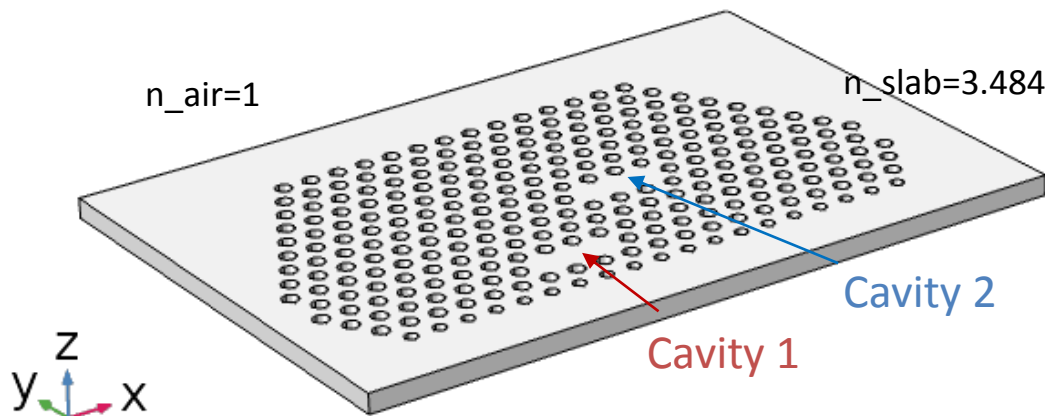
$$\frac{\gamma}{\gamma_0} = \sum_n F_n \frac{\omega}{\Omega_n} \frac{(\Gamma_n/2)^2}{(\omega - \Omega_n)^2 + (\Gamma_n/2)^2} \left( 1 + \frac{\text{Im}(\tilde{V}_n)}{\text{Re}(\tilde{V}_n)} \frac{\omega - \Omega_n}{\Gamma_n/2} \right)$$

$$F_n = \frac{3}{4\pi^2} Q_n \text{Re} \left( \frac{(\lambda/n)^3}{\tilde{V}_n} \right) \text{ (Purcell factor)}$$

$$\tilde{V}_n(\mathbf{r}) = \left[ 2\epsilon_o \epsilon(\mathbf{r}) (\tilde{\mathbf{E}}_n(\mathbf{r}) \cdot \mathbf{u})^2 \right]^{-1}$$

$$Q_n = -\frac{\text{Re}(\tilde{\omega}_n)}{2\text{Im}(\tilde{\omega}_n)} = \frac{\Omega_n}{\Gamma_n}$$

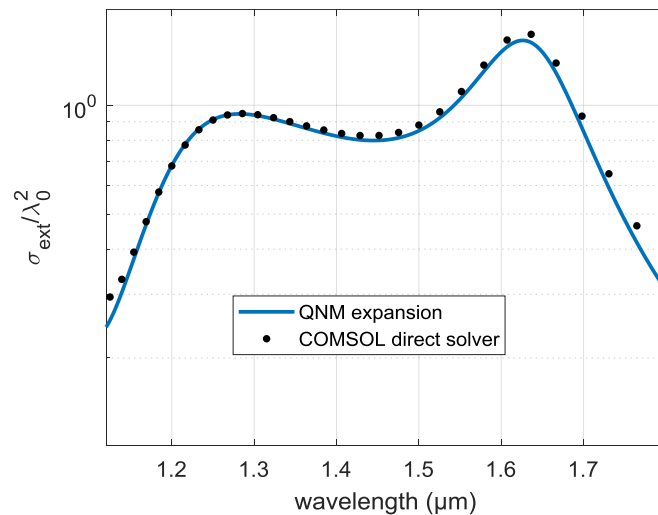
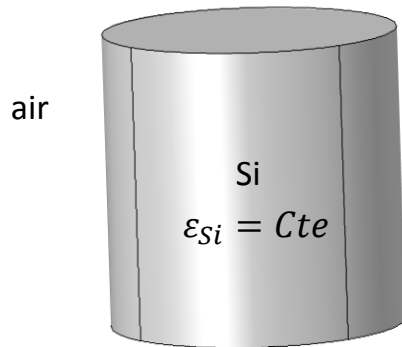
$$\gamma_0 = \frac{\omega^3 n}{3\pi\epsilon_0 c^3 \hbar} |\mathbf{p}|^2$$



D. Pellegrino et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. **124**, 123902 (2020)

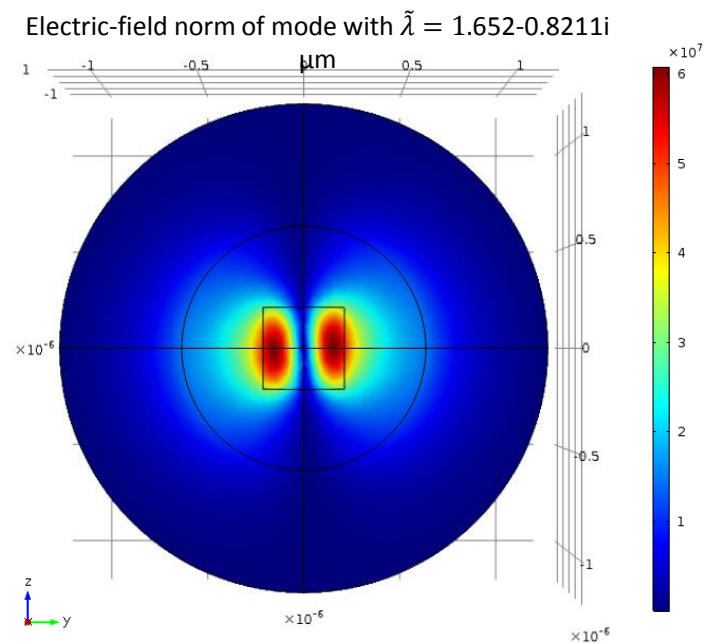
["Non-Lorentzian Local Density of States in Coupled Photonic Crystal Cavities Probed by Near- and Far-Field Emission"](#)

# Semiconductor nanorod in air



The extinction computed with the QNM-expansion is obtained with the toolbox **QNMEig\_toolbox\_1** for an incident plane wave that propagates parallel to the rod axis.

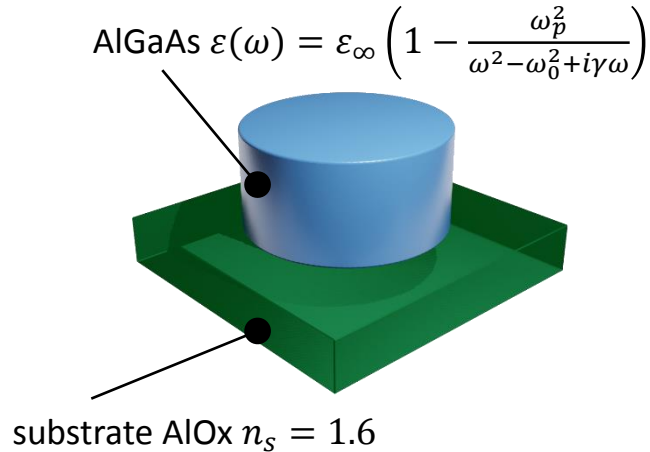
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January 2019



# Nonlinear generation in dielectric nanoparticles on substrate

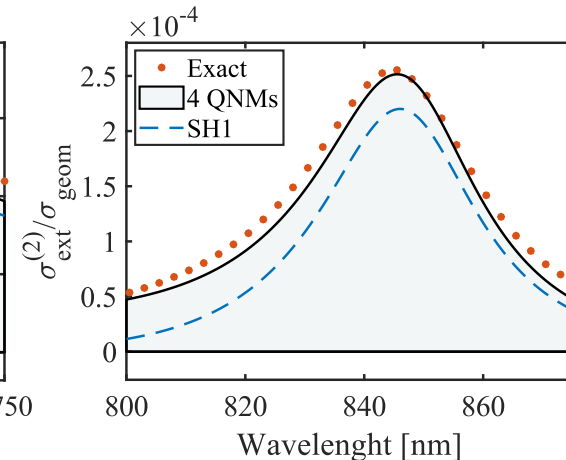
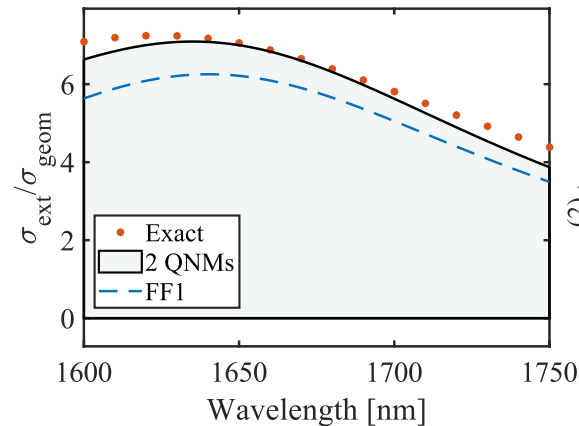
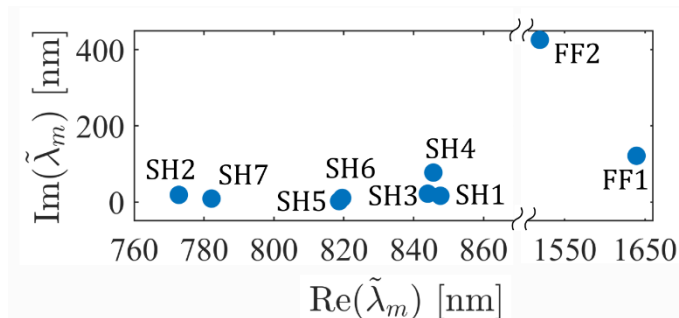
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COMSOL model available on the website:  
"QNMEig\_NLnanodisk.mph"  
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Main features:

- Computation of linear and nonlinear scattering efficiencies by a nanoresonator on a substrate
- Analysis of mode contribution to the scattering
- Study of nonlinear overlap integral and phase matching conditions



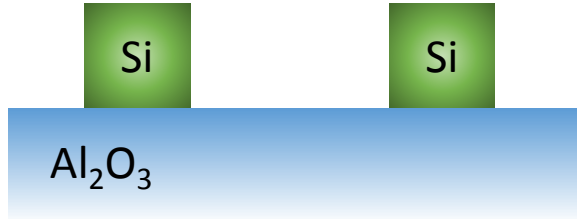
# Two silicon wires on sapphire: TE

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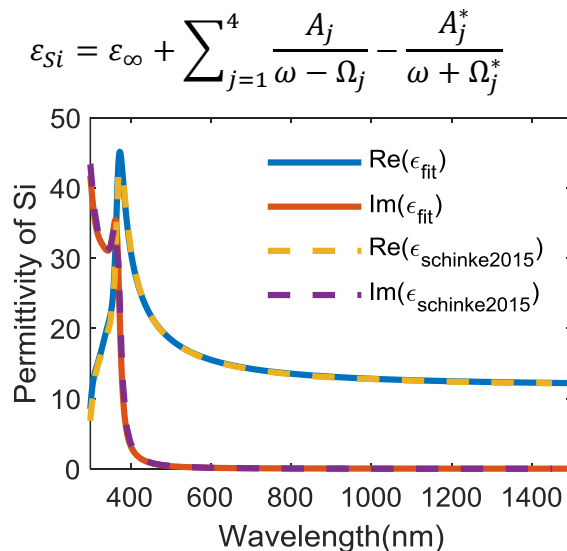
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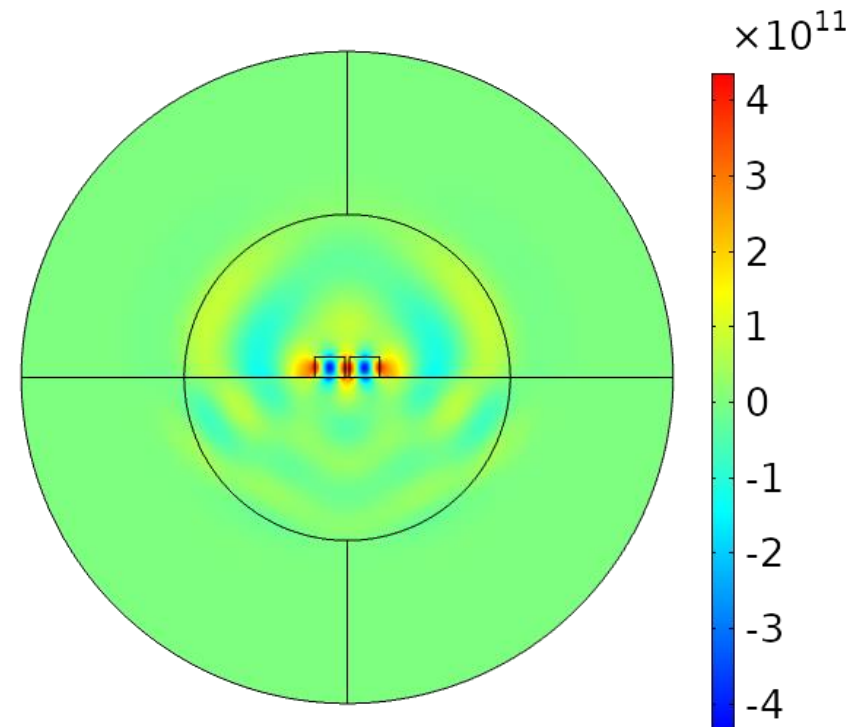
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- The “Script\_QNM\_web\_multiobj2D\_TE.m” should be used together with “QNMpole\_2DSi\_wire\_TE.mph”
- For “QNMEig\_2DSi\_wire\_TE.mph”, the weak form and normalization factor are changed for the Si domains



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TM-mode



Mode : Eigenfrequency 5.7413E14+1.1172E13i Hz

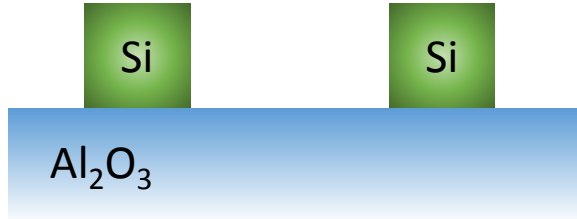
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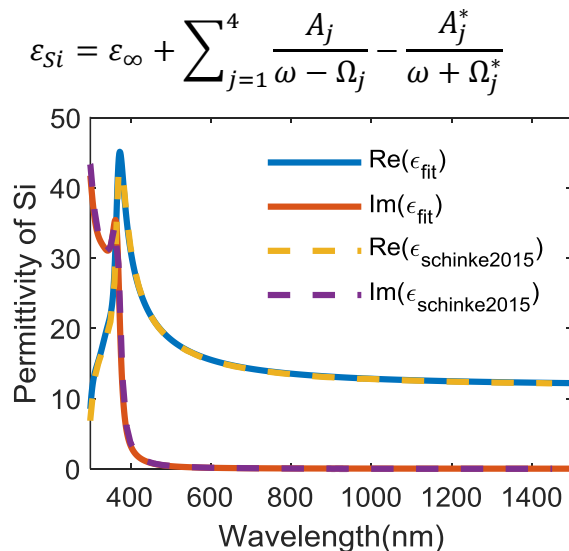
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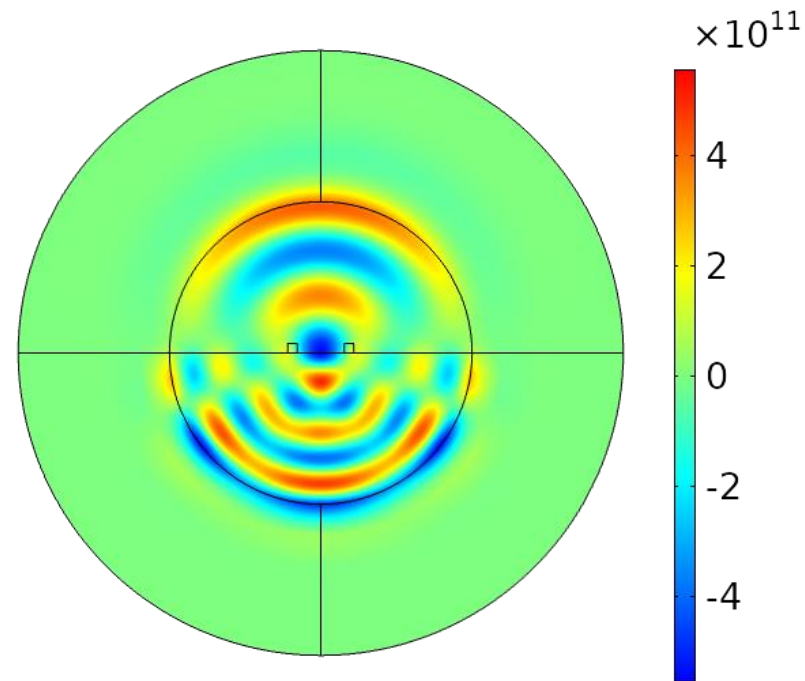
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TE-mode



Eigenfrequency  $6.5099\text{E}14 + 6.6392\text{E}13\text{i}$  Hz

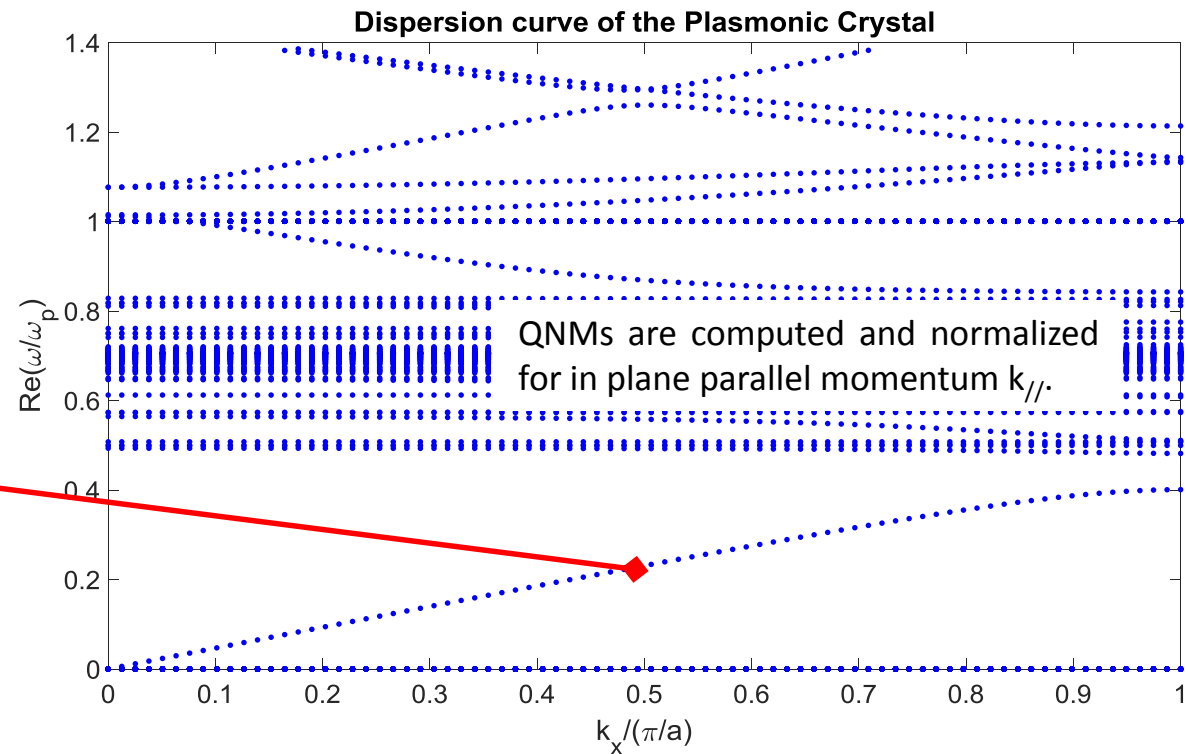
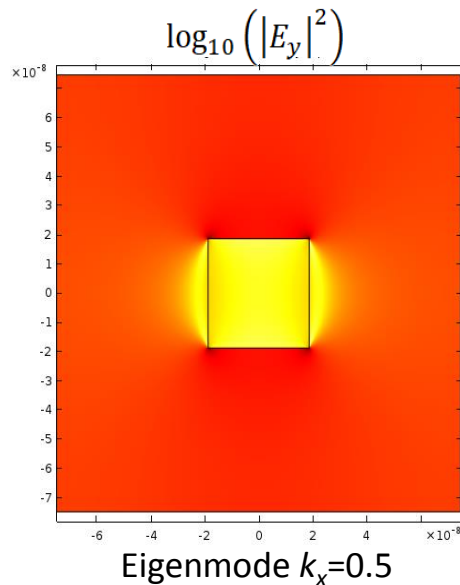
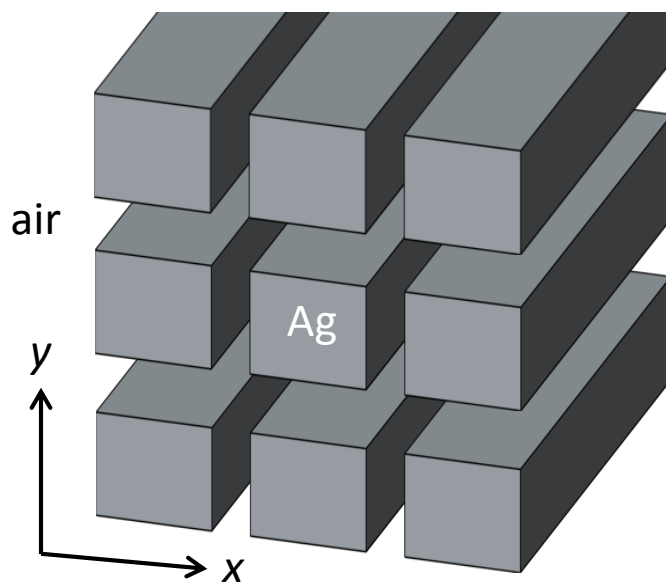


gratings and crystals

# 2D plasmonic crystal

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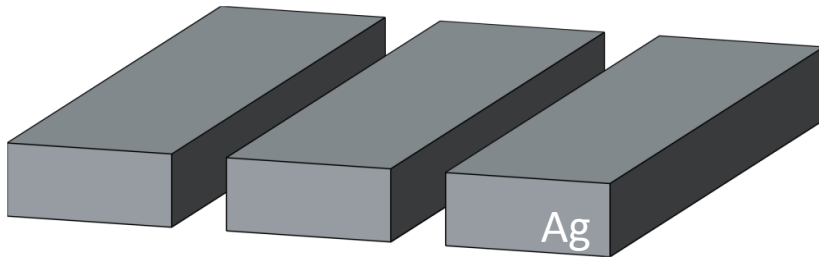


P. Lalanne, W. Yan, A. Gras, C. Sauvan, J.-P. Hugonin, M. Besbes, G. Demesy, M. D. Truong, B. Gralak, F. Zolla, A. Nicolet, F. Binkowski, L. Zschiedrich, S. Burger, J. Zimmerling, R. Remis, P. Urbach, H. T. Liu, T. Weiss, J. Opt. Soc. Am. A **36**, 686 (2019).  
"Quasinormal mode solvers for resonators with dispersive materials"

# 2D periodic slit array in a silver membrane in air

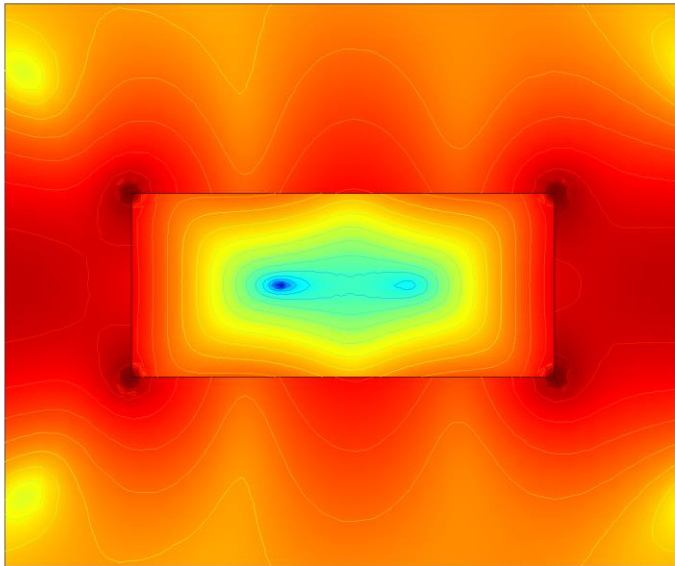
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COMSOL model available on the website:  
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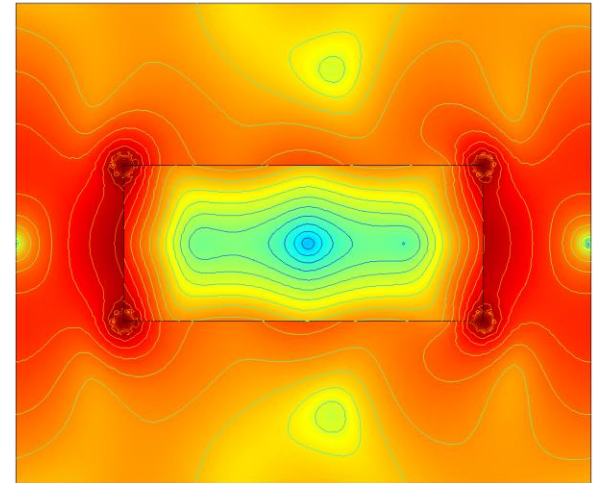


air

Eigenfrequency= $8.7238\text{E}14 + 8.8110\text{E}12\text{i}$  Surface:  $\log(\text{emw.normE})$   
Contour:  $\log(\text{emw.normE})$



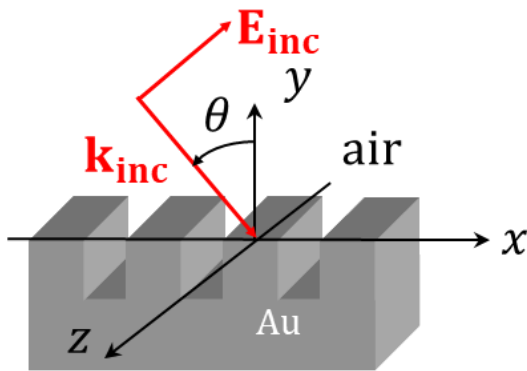
Eigenfrequency= $1.1029\text{E}15 + 7.1210\text{E}12\text{i}$  Surface:  $\log(\text{emw.normE})$   
Contour:  $\log(\text{emw.normE})$



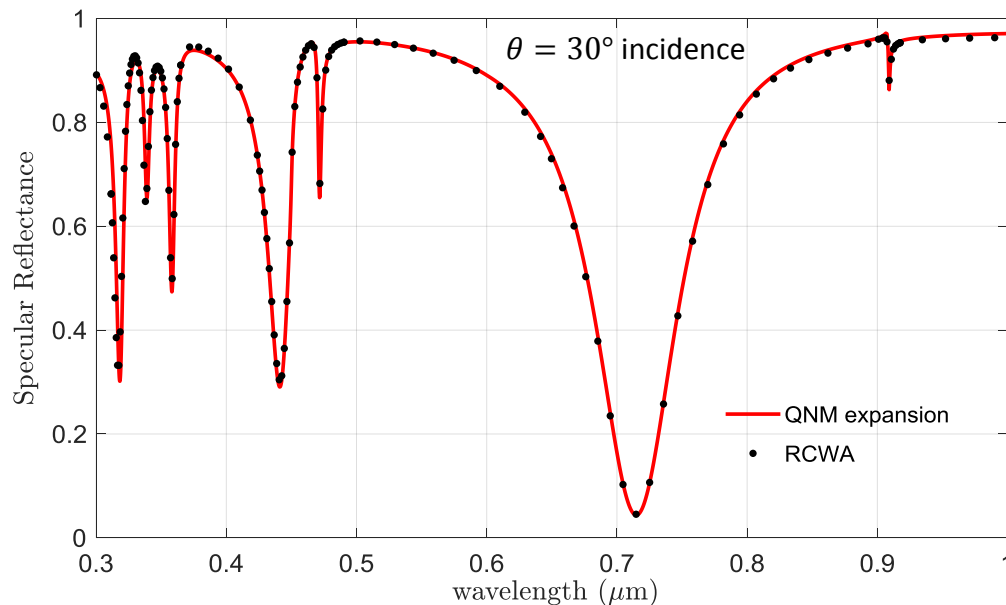
# 2D grating with grooves on a gold substrate with fixed incidence angle

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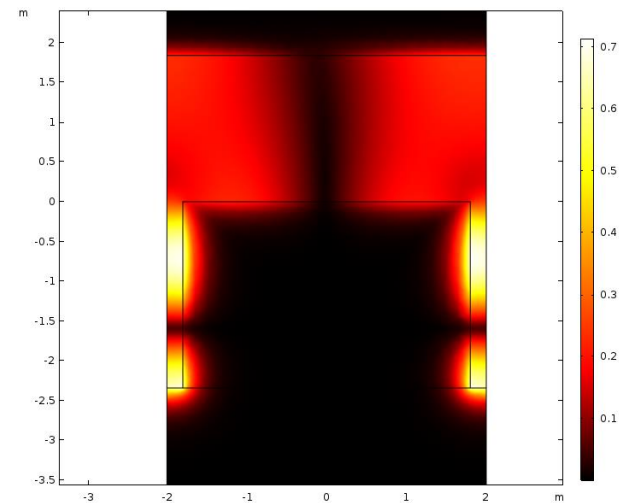
COMSOL model available on the website:  
"QNMEig\_grating\_theta.mph"



The specificity of the model is that QNMs are computed and normalized for a fixed angle of incidence  $\theta$ , which is exactly what is happening in many experiment: the wavelength is scanned while  $\theta$  is maintained constant.



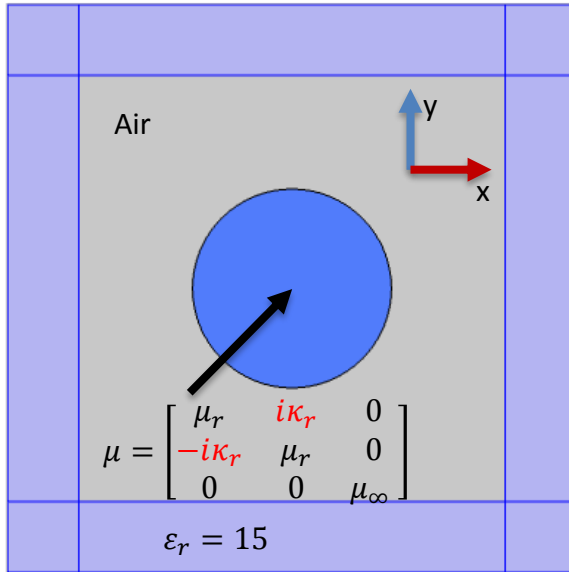
Normalized  $|\tilde{H}_z|$  of mode at  
 $\tilde{\lambda}_m = 714.8 + 39.0i$  nm  
for  $\theta = 30^\circ$



# Nonreciprocal resonator

# Non-reciprocal YIG cylinder

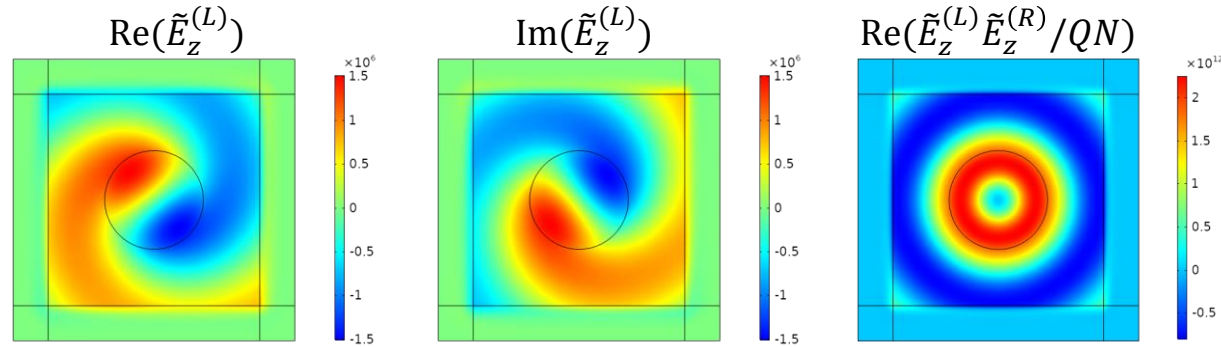
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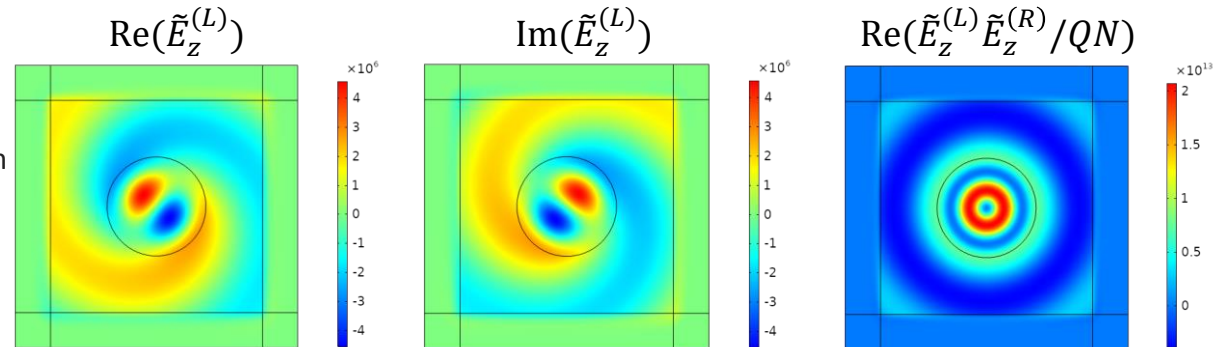
The permeability formula for the YIG is taken from  
 [Phy. Rev. B **97**, 014419 (2018) ]

$$\mu_r = \mu_\infty \left[ 1 + \frac{(\omega_H - i\alpha\omega)\omega_M}{(\omega_H - i\alpha\omega)^2 - \omega^2} \right]$$

$$\kappa_r = \frac{\mu_\infty \omega \omega_M}{(\omega_H - i\alpha\omega)^2 - \omega^2}$$



Mode 1: Eigenfrequency 7.901+0.040627i GHz



Mode 2: Eigenfrequency 9.7908+0.16432i GHz

The weak form and normalization factor are changed for the YIG.

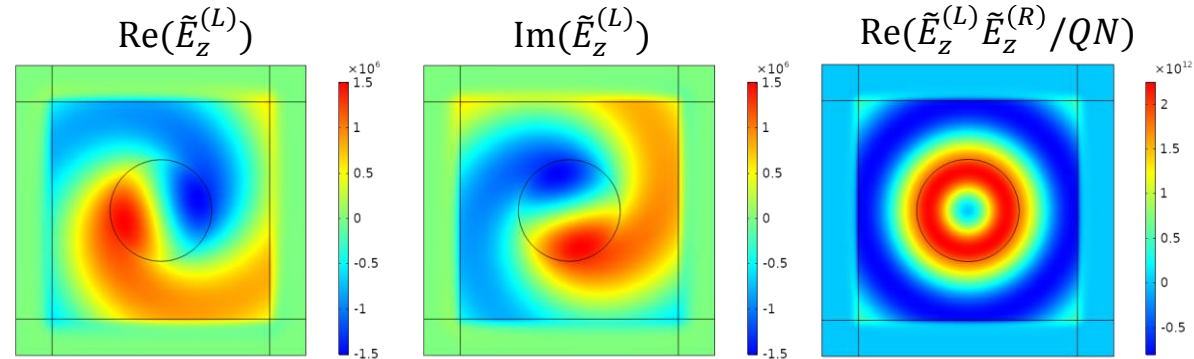
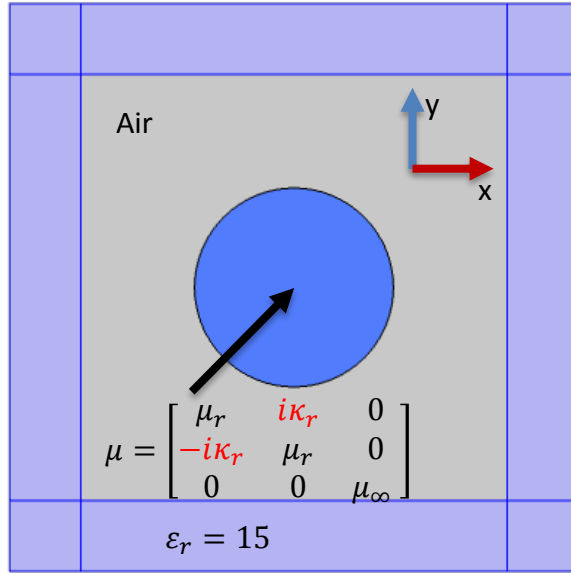
COMSOL model available on the website:

“QNMPole\_wire\_YIG.mph”

“QNMPole\_unis.m” should be used for the computation.

# Non-reciprocal YIG cylinder

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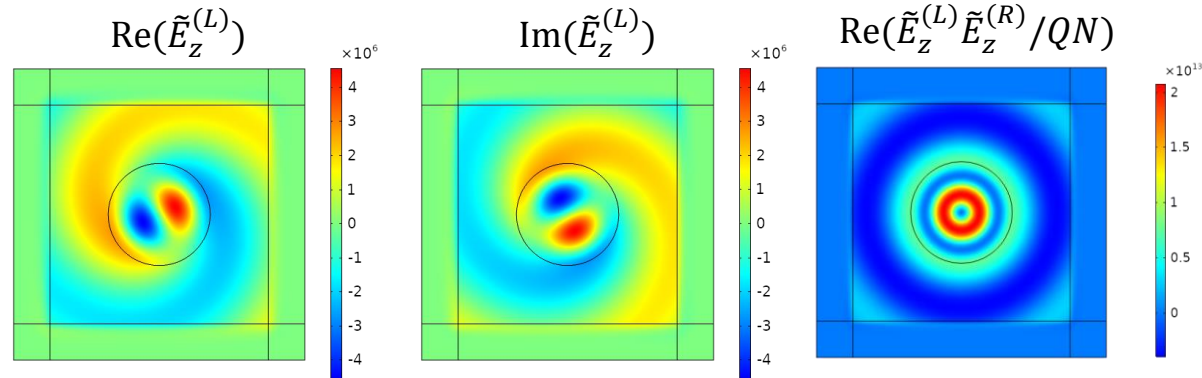


Mode 1: Eigenfrequency 7.901+0.040627i GHz  
(exactly same with the result given by QNMEig)

The permeability formula for the YIG is taken from  
[Phy. Rev. B **97**, 014419 (2018)]

$$\mu_r = \mu_\infty \left[ 1 + \frac{(\omega_H - i\alpha\omega)\omega_M}{(\omega_H - i\alpha\omega)^2 - \omega^2} \right]$$

$$\kappa_r = \frac{\mu_\infty \omega \omega_M}{(\omega_H - i\alpha\omega)^2 - \omega^2}$$



Mode 2: Eigenfrequency 9.7908+0.1643i GHz