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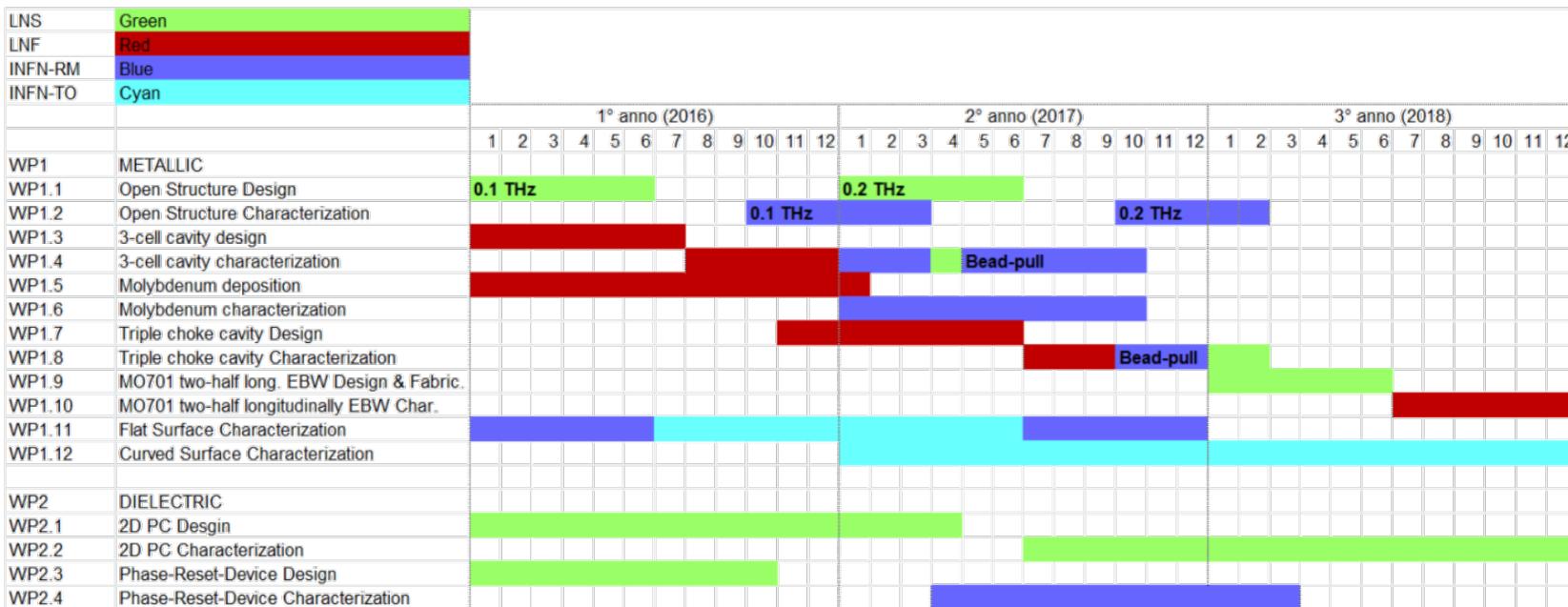
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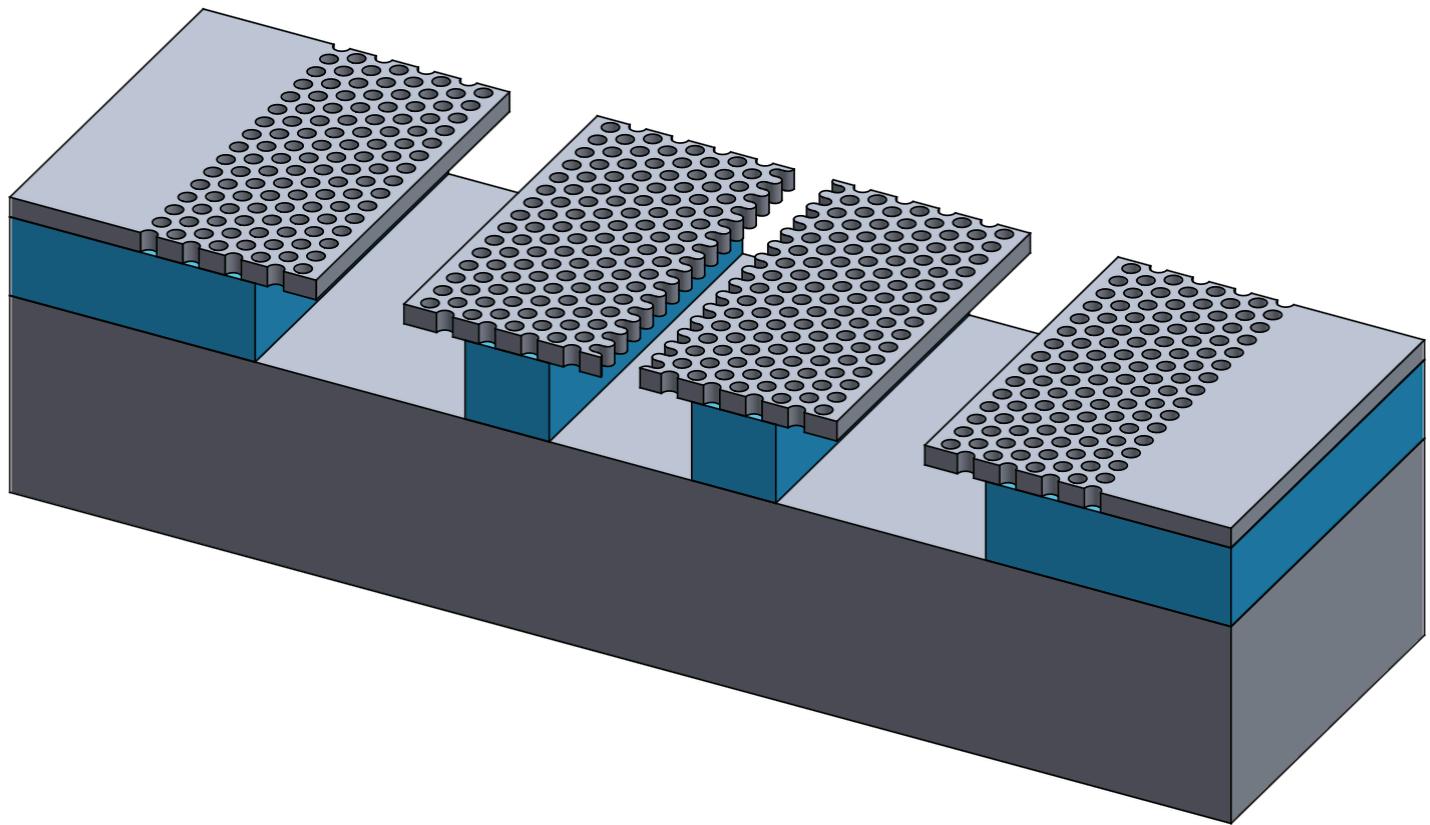
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WP2.1

2D PC Design. INFN–“Gruppo collegato di Brescia”

Photonic LASER driven accelerator



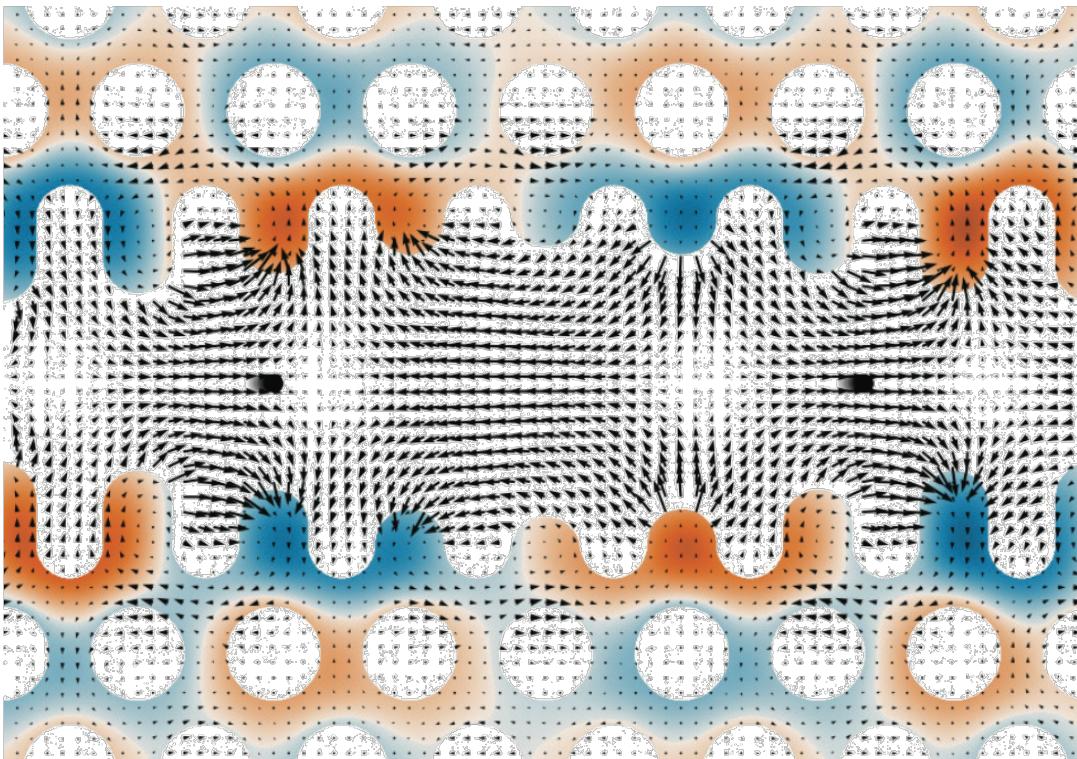
Single-layer accelerator. Gray material is silicon and blue material is a low dielectric material.



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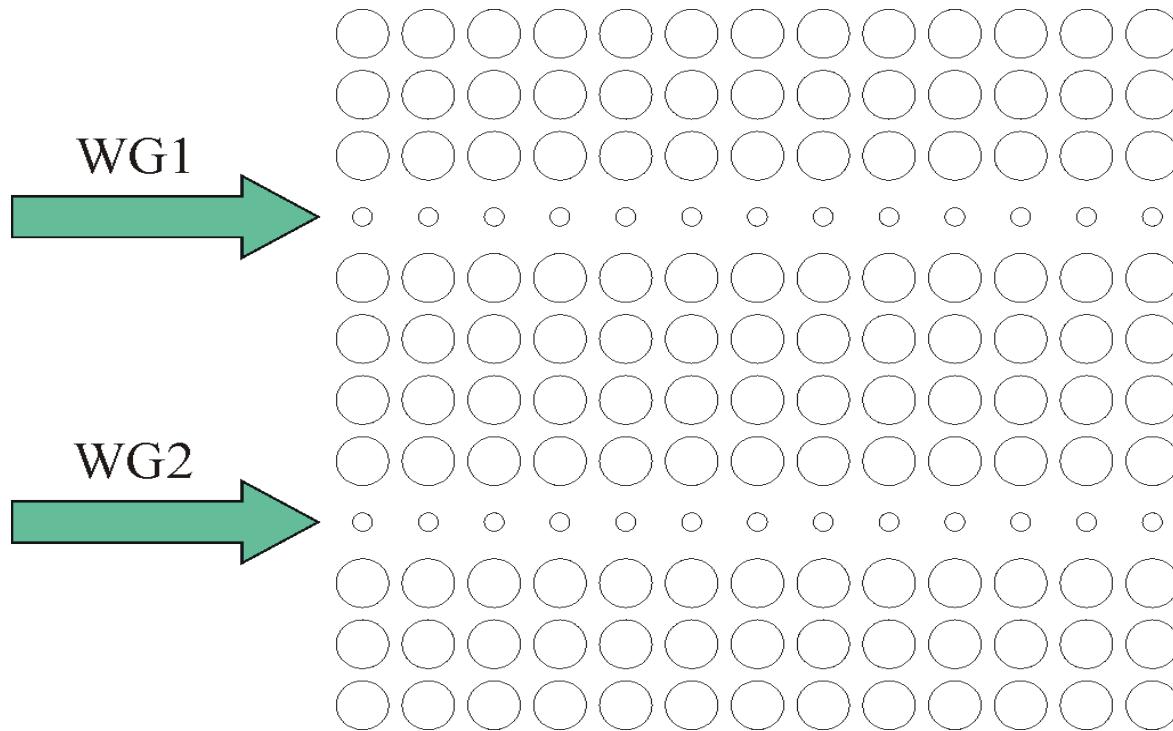
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Photonic LASER driven accelerator



Accelerator eigenmode having both transverse focusing and longitudinal acceleration. Arrows indicate electric field and shades indicate magnetic field in silicon.

Cristalli Fotonici



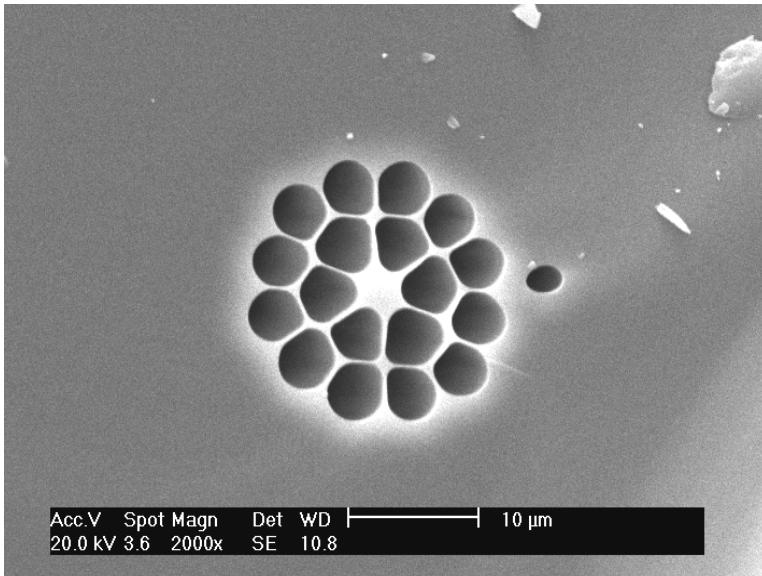
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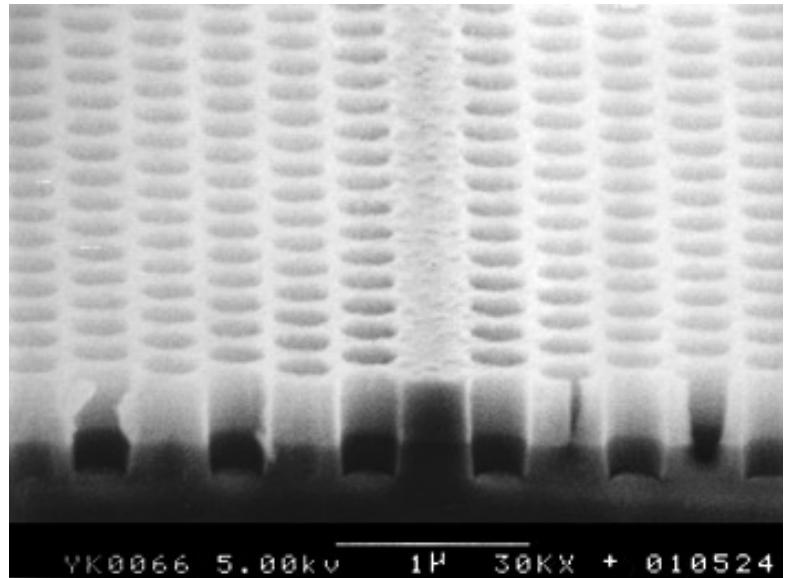
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Fibra a cristallo fotonico



Acc.V Spot Magn Det WD
20.0 kV 3.6 2000x SE 10.8

Guida a cristallo fotonico



VK0066 5.00kV 1μ 30KX + 010524

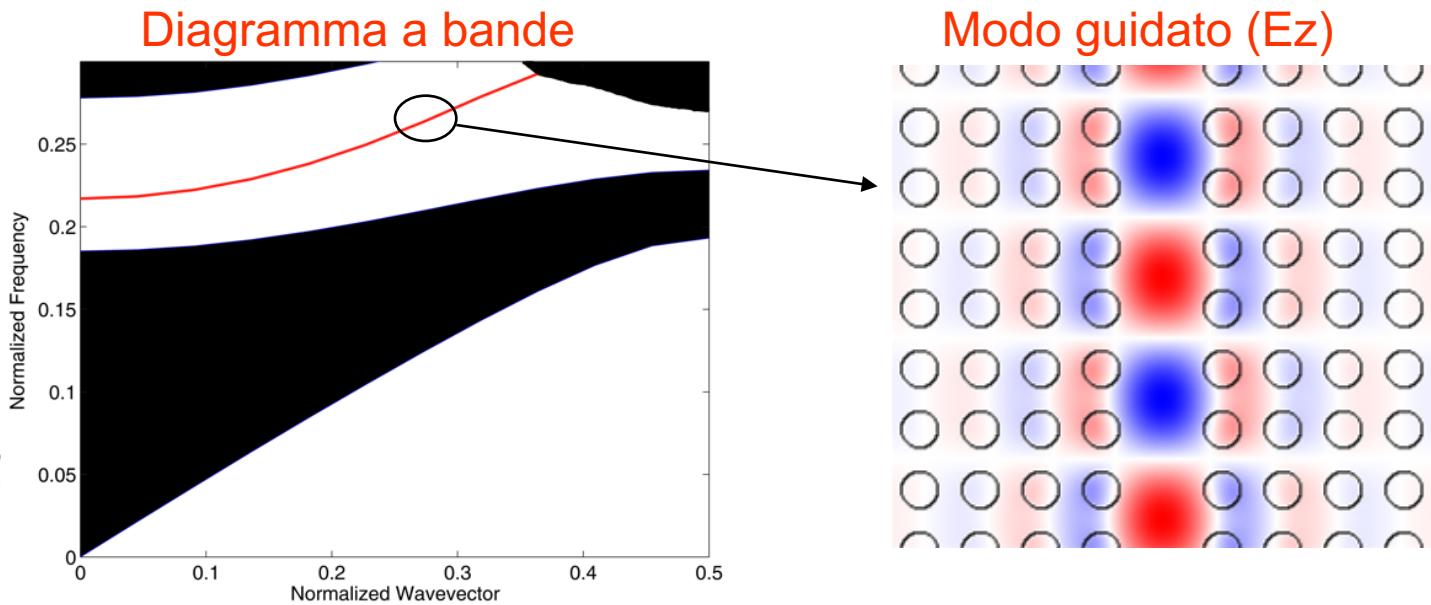
- Confinamento maggiore
- Dispersione arbitraria

- Raggi di curvatura minori
- Dispositivi fotonici integrati



Cristalli Fotonici: Funzionamento

- La periodicità induce bande di frequenza proibite
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- Strutture complesse: necessità di metodi numerici



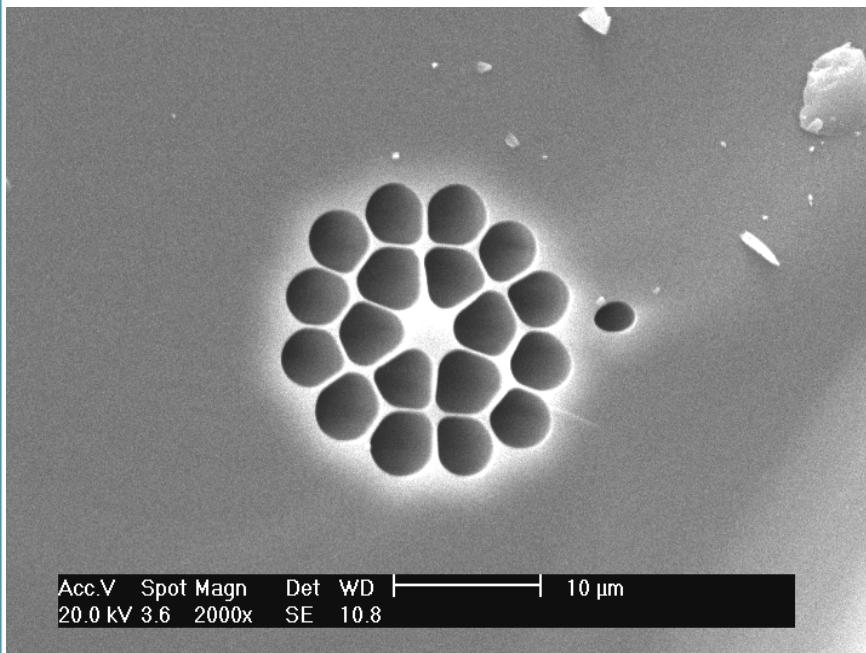
Introduzione

- Le guide a cristallo fotonico consentono di ingegnerizzare la relazione di dispersione dei modi guidati
- Velocità di fase e velocità di gruppo “accordabili”
- Concetto chiave nelle interazioni a più onde e nel phase matching (ottica non lineare e amplificatori parametrici)
- I metodi numerici sono strumento insostituibile
 - MIT Photonic Bands package (MPB)
 - COMSOL
 - CST
 - In house developed codes (FEM)

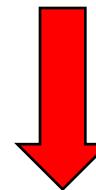


Esempio: PCF COST exercise (1)

SEM photo

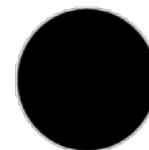


Extracted profile



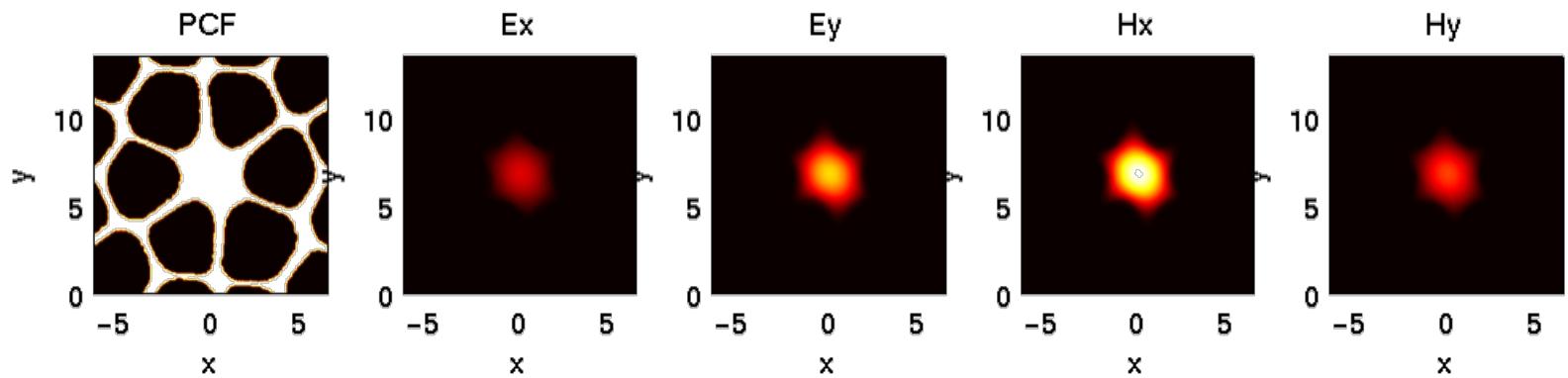
Rough model

$D \sim 3.4 \mu\text{m}$

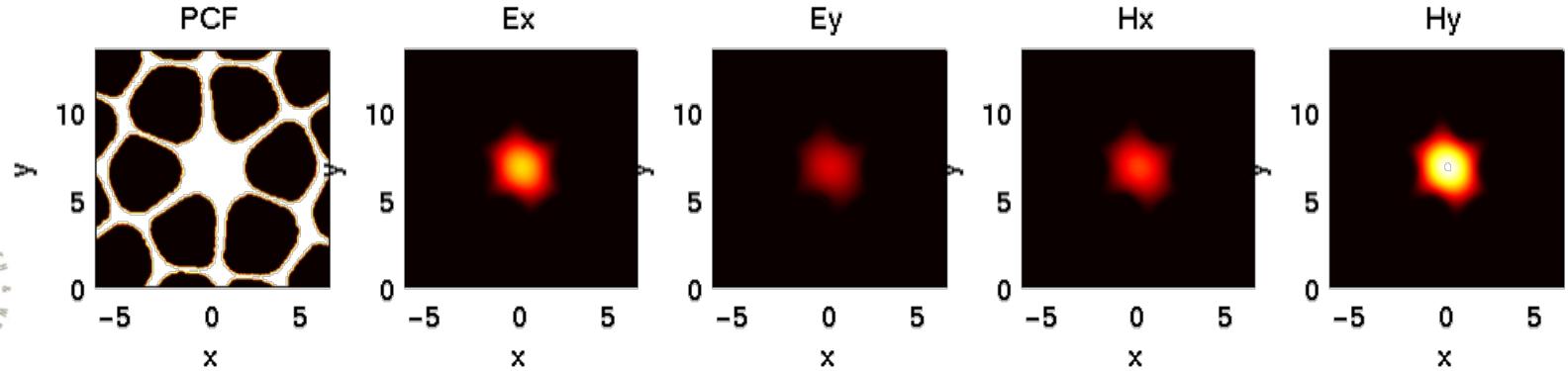


PCF COST exercise (2)

1st mode

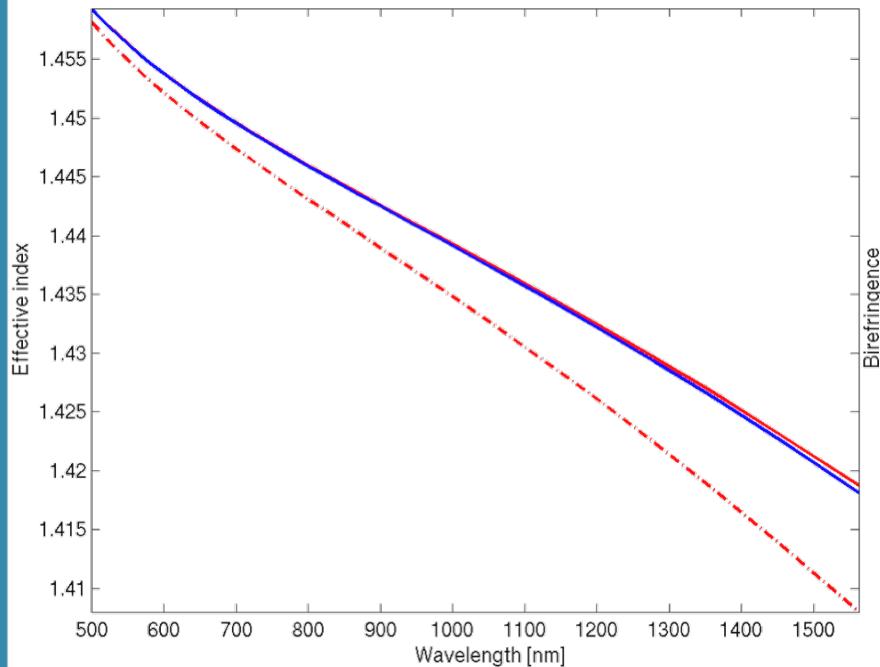


2nd mode



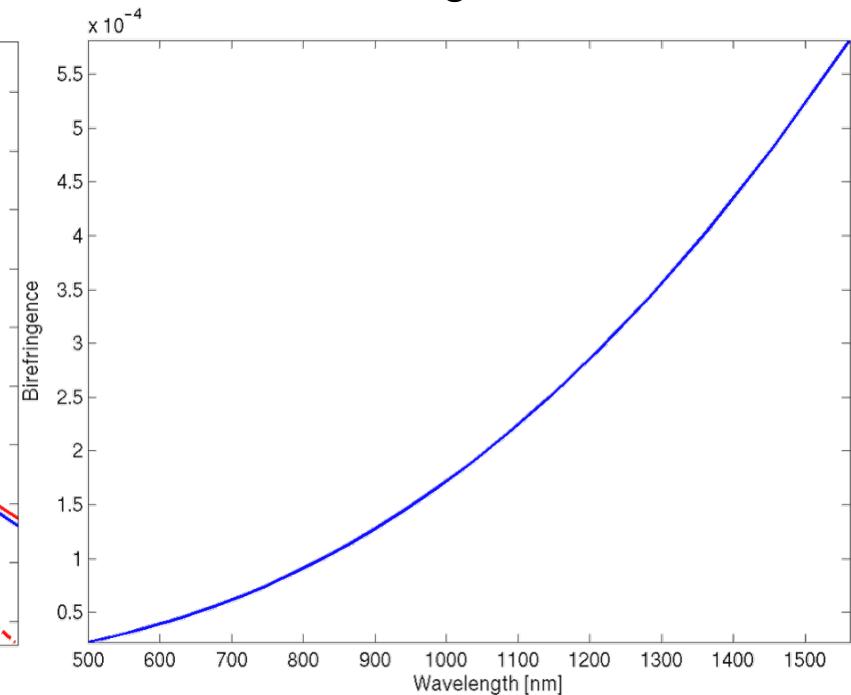
PCF COST exercise (3)

Effective indices



Solid: 1st mode, real PCF
Dash-dotted: 1st mode, rough model
Solid: 2nd mode, real PCF

Birefringence

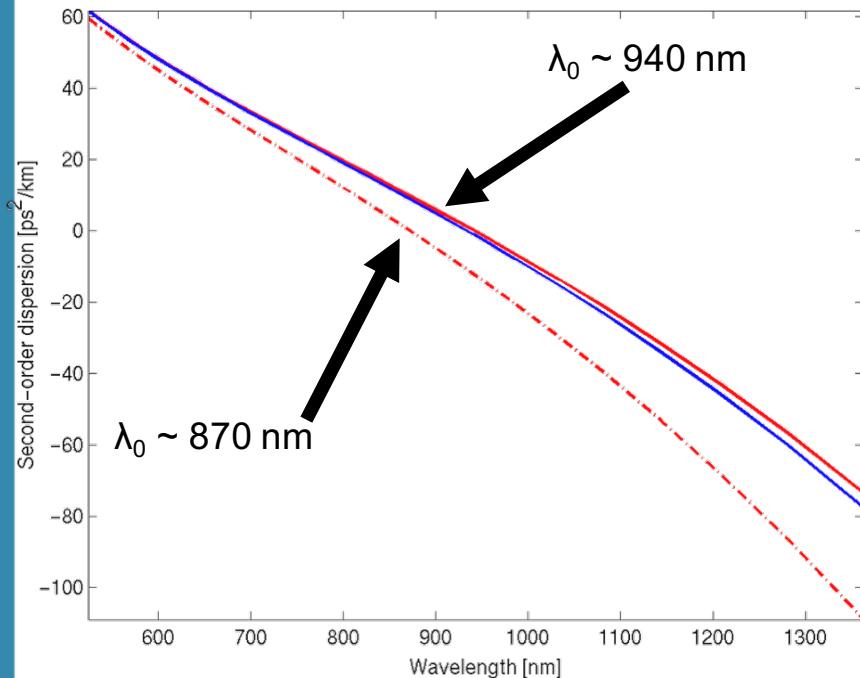


Solid: real PCF

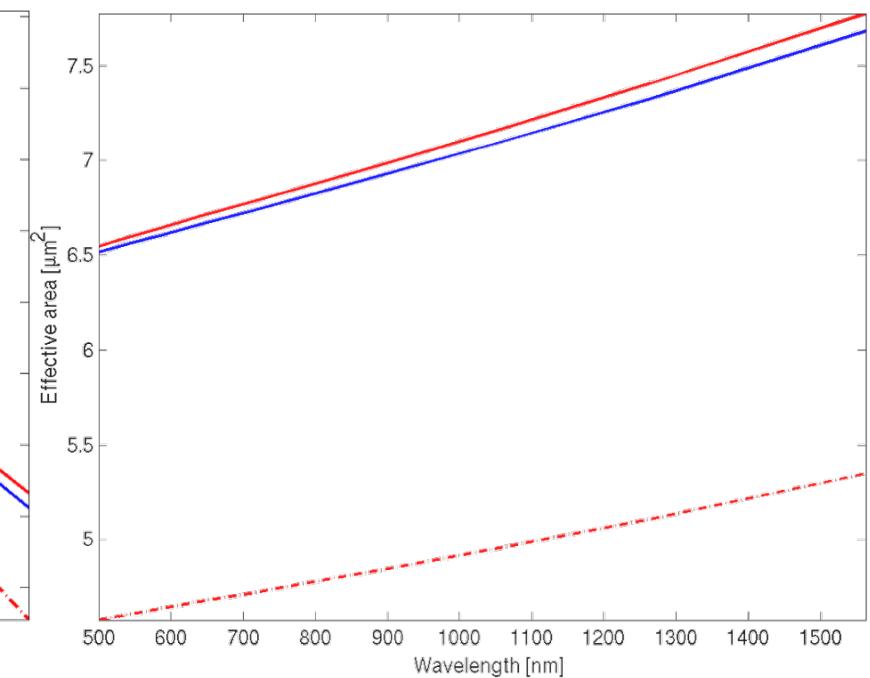


PCF COST exercise (4)

Second-order dispersion



Effective area

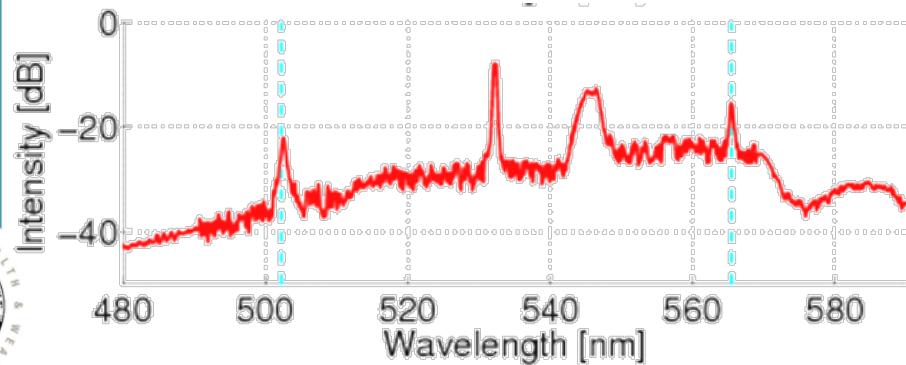


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High-birefringent fiber (1)

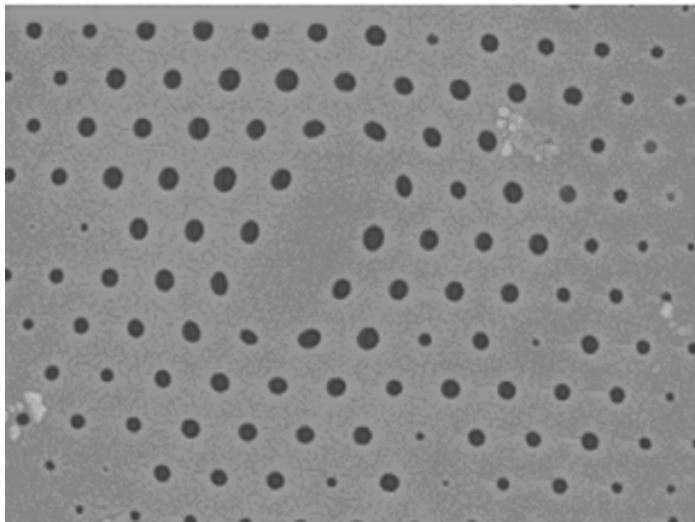
- Triangular lattice, pitch 1.04 μm , holes diameter 0.42 μm , 3 removed holes
 - LPUB group: experimental and numerical study of modulational instability in PCFs
 - Key parameters: β_2 and β_4



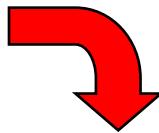
High-birefringent fiber (2)

- Extracted refractive index profile

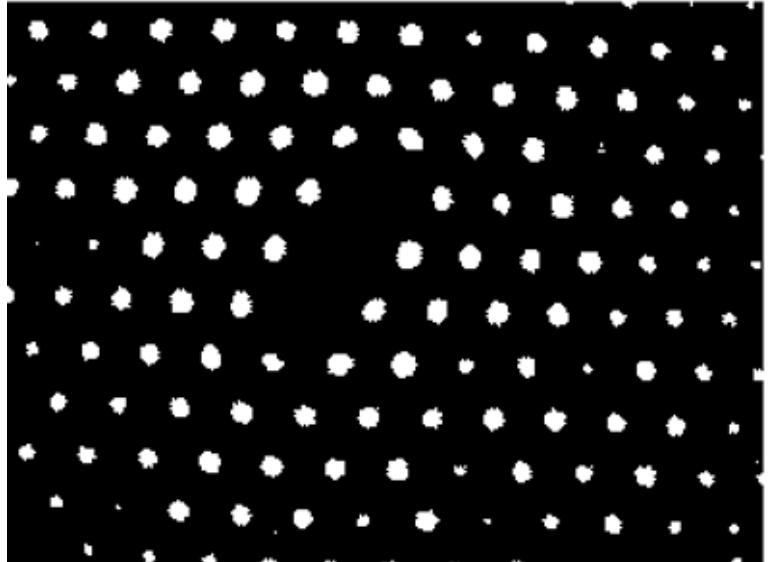
SEM photo



(Fabricated by Lublin University, SEM image from Wroclaw University)

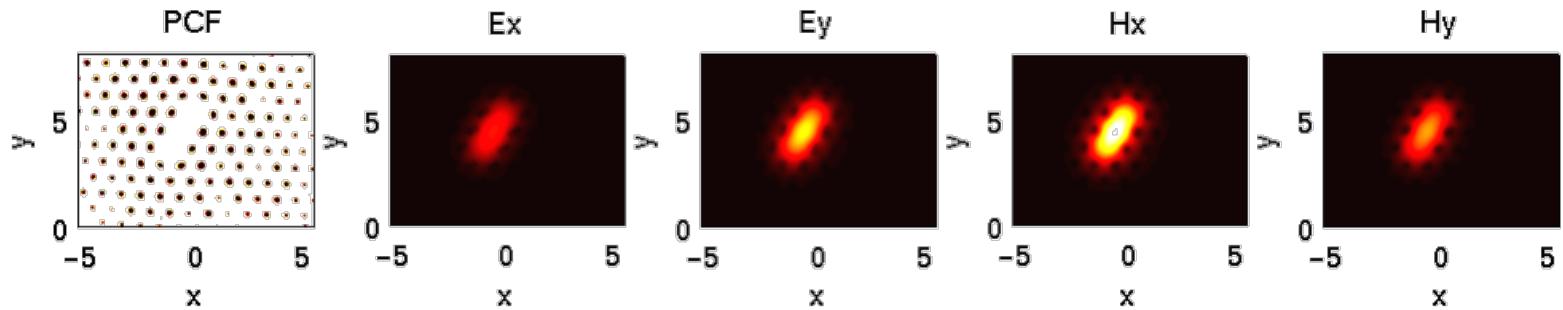


MPB input profile

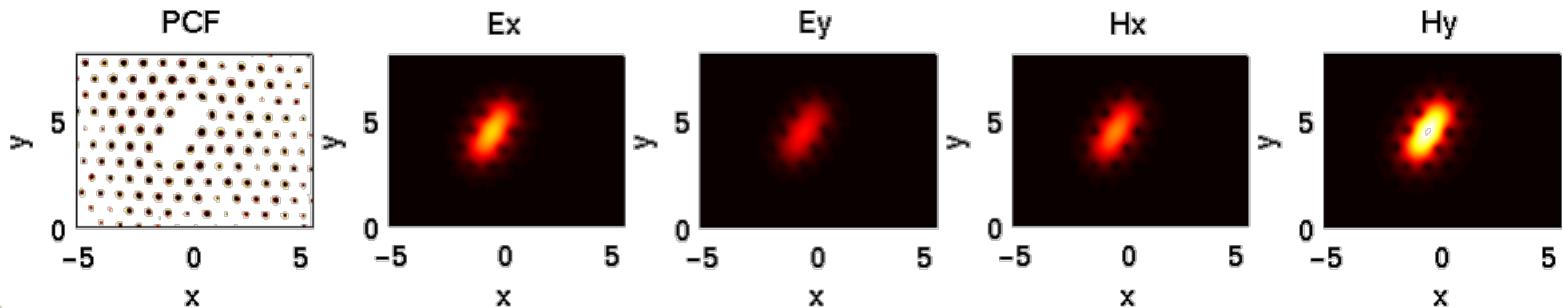


High-birefringent fiber (3)

1st mode

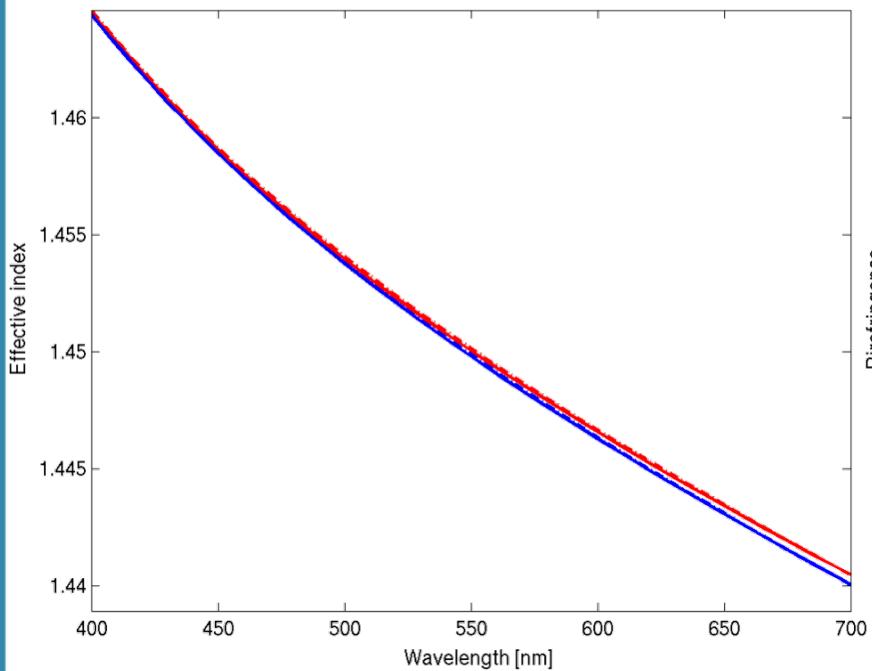


2nd mode



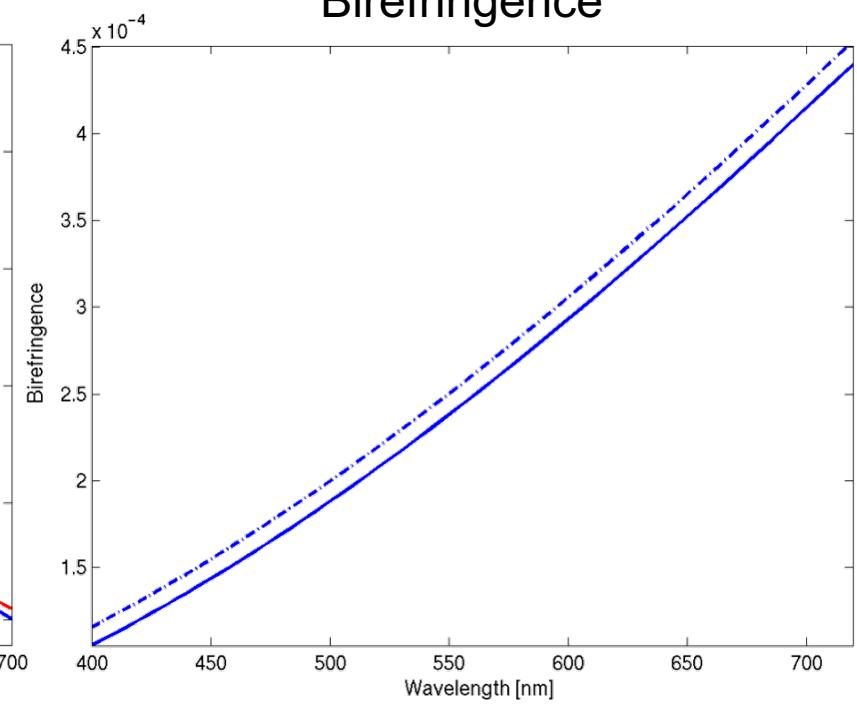
High-birefringent fiber (4)

Effective indices



Solid: 1st mode, real PCF
Dash-dotted: 1st mode, ideal PCF
Solid: 2nd mode, real PCF
Dash-dotted: 2nd mode, ideal PCF

Birefringence

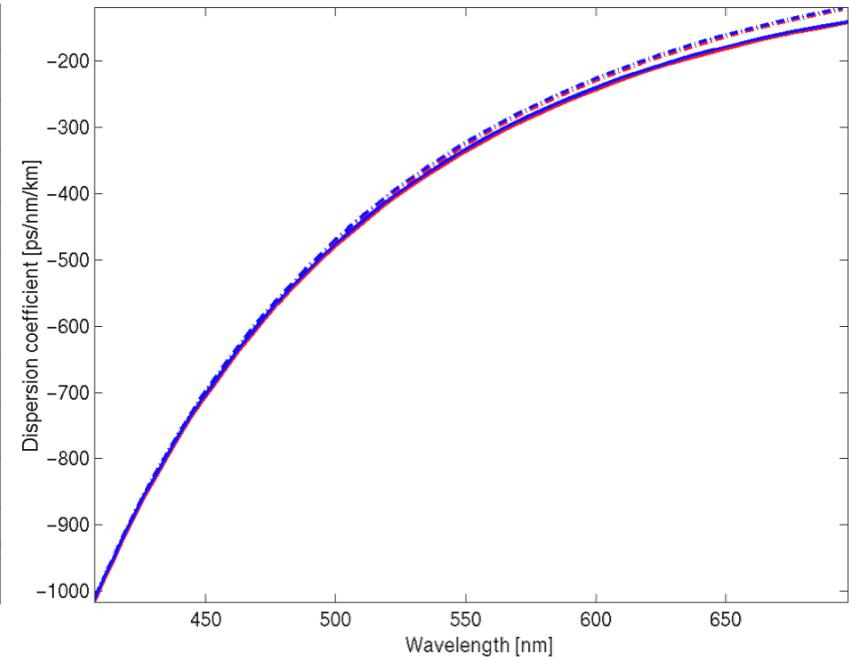
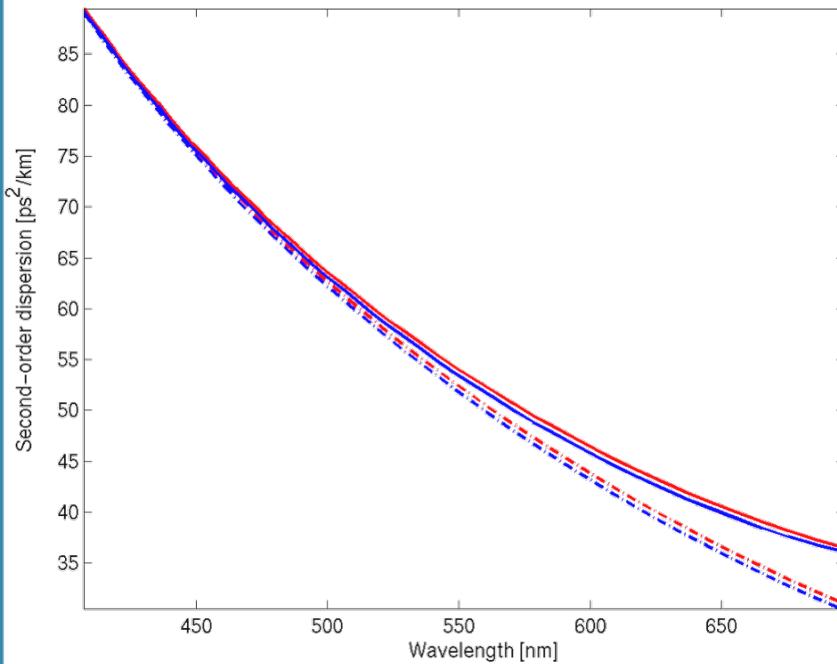


Solid: real PCF
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High-birefringent fiber (5)

Second-order dispersion

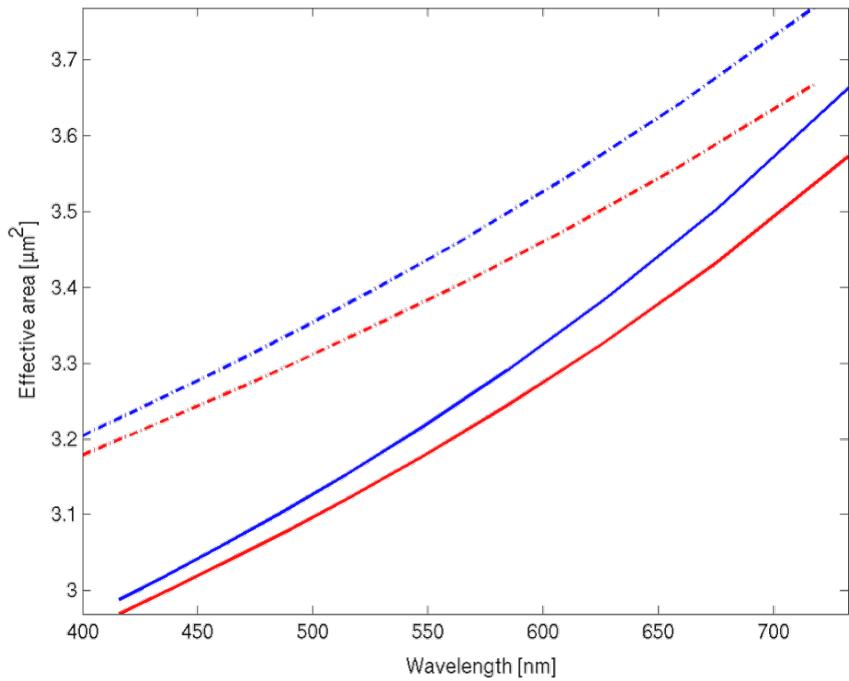


- Solid:** 1st mode, real PCF
- Dash-dotted:** 1st mode, ideal PCF
- Solid:** 2nd mode, real PCF
- Dash-dotted:** 2nd mode, ideal PCF



High-birefringent fiber (6)

Effective area

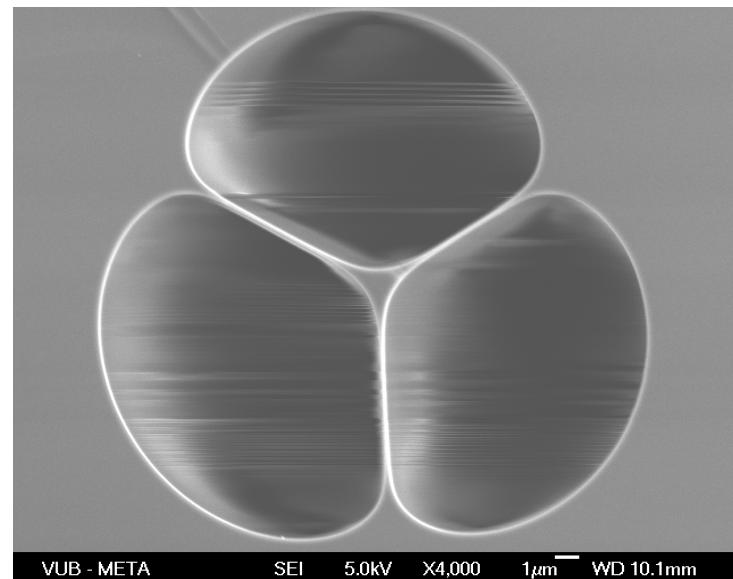
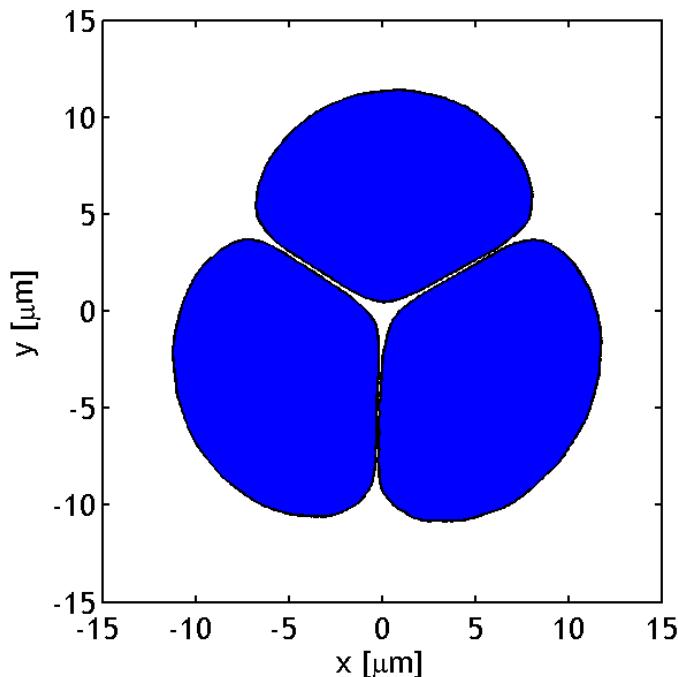


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Solid: 2nd mode, real PCF
Dash-dotted: 2nd mode, ideal PCF



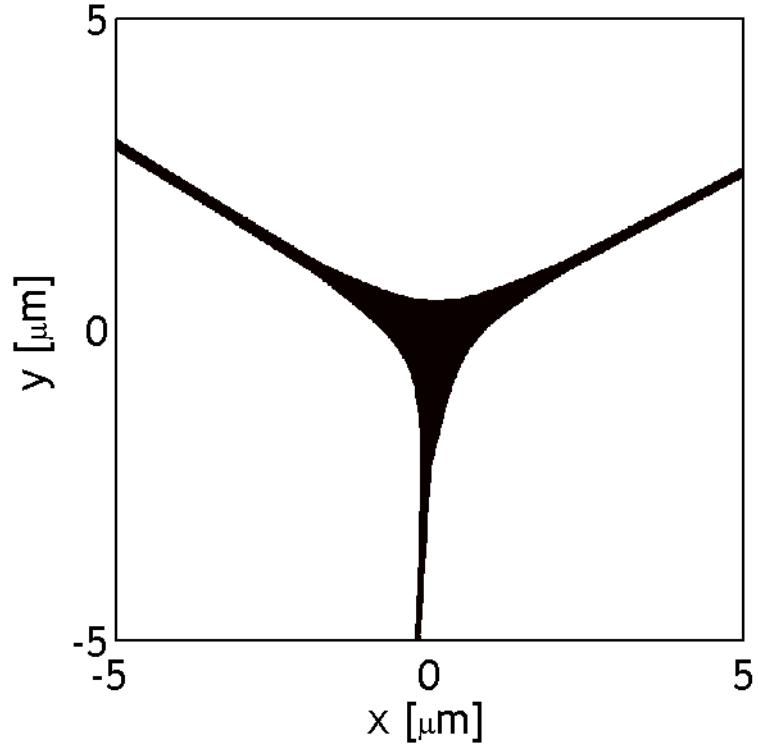
Exercise definition

- Starting point: thresholding of SEM images, edge detection, spline fit
 - Black lines: edges of the air holes
 - Blue regions: air
 - White regions: silica



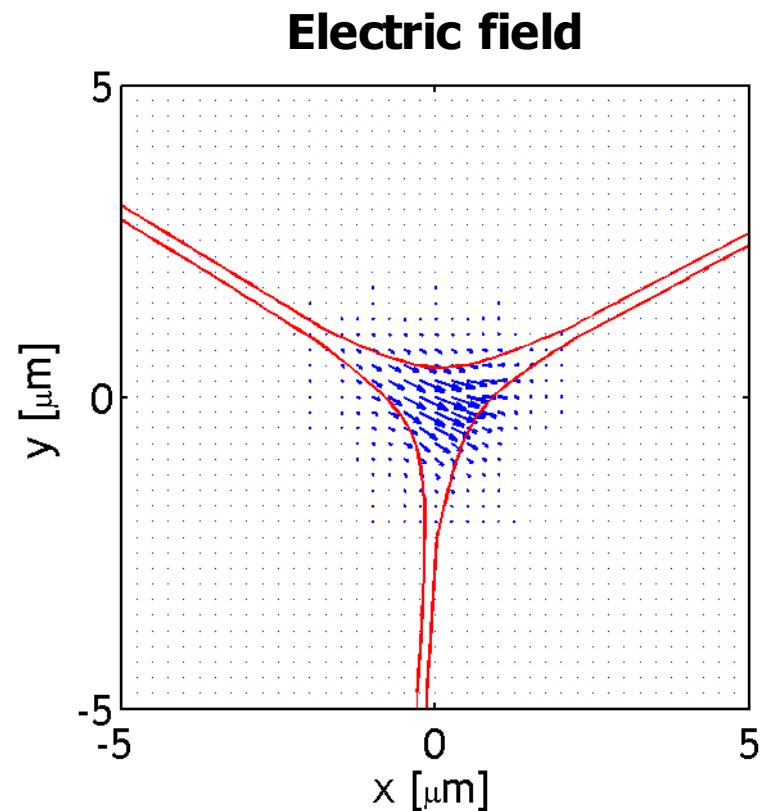
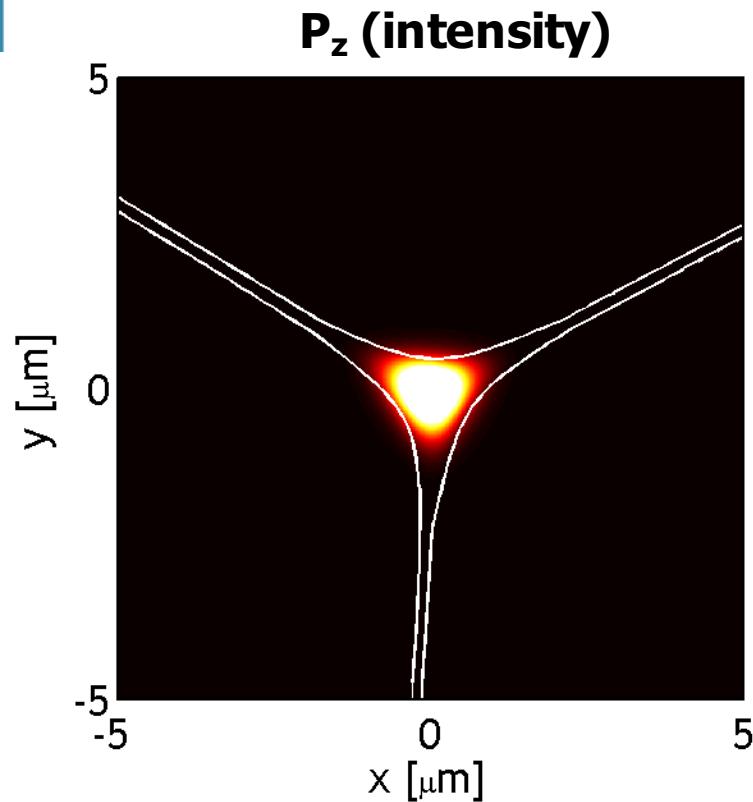
Numerical method

- Plane-wave expansion method
 - MPB (MIT Photonic Bands package)
- Computational window: $10 \text{ } \mu\text{m} \times 10 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$
- Grid size: 640×640
- Resolution: 64 pixels/ μm , uniform grid
- Sellmeier model for silica



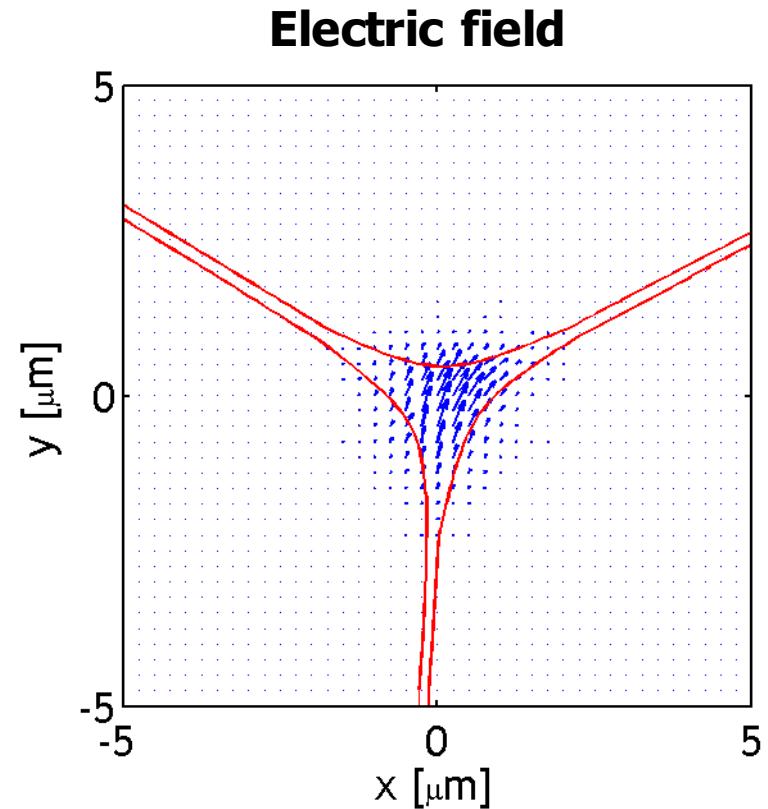
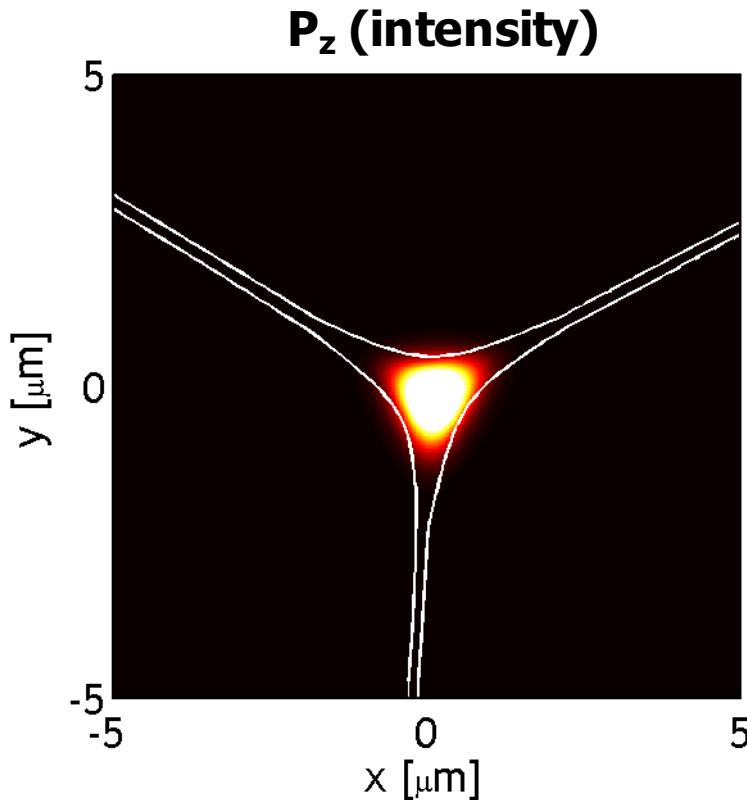
Propagating mode shapes (1)

- Mode 1, “HE₁₁-like”, $\lambda = 1550 \text{ nm}$
 - $n_{\text{eff}} = 1.30534$, $A_{\text{eff}} = 1.826 \mu\text{m}^2$



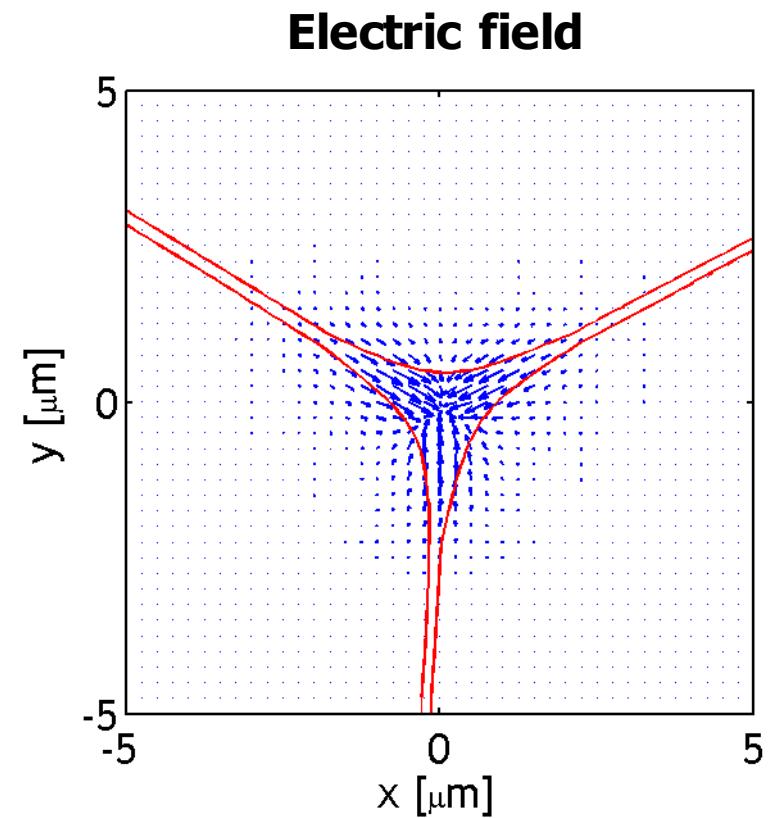
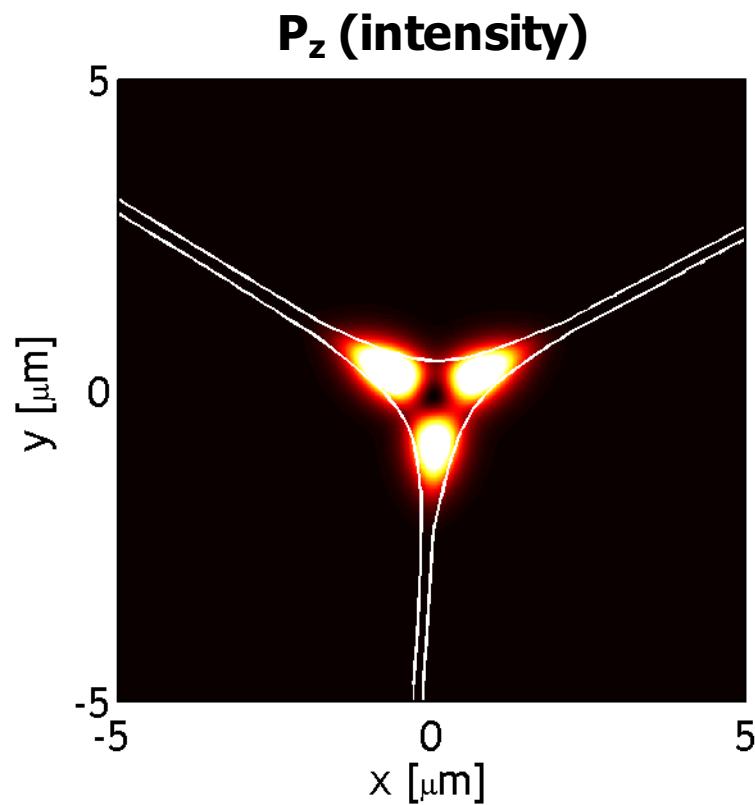
Propagating mode shapes (2)

- Mode 2, “HE₁₁-like”, $\lambda = 1550$ nm
 - $n_{\text{eff}} = 1.30454$, $A_{\text{eff}} = 1.8135 \mu\text{m}^2$



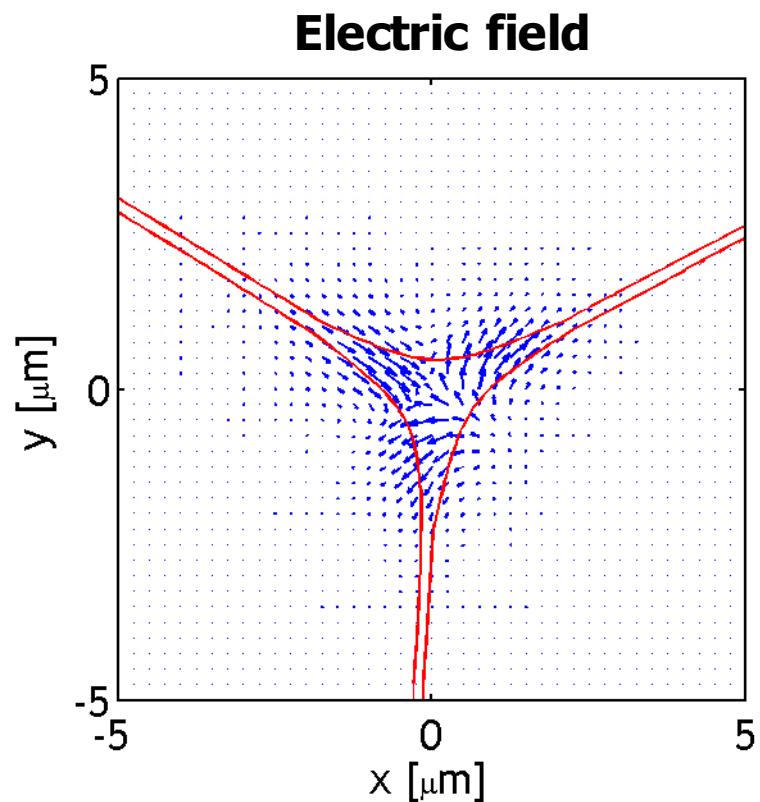
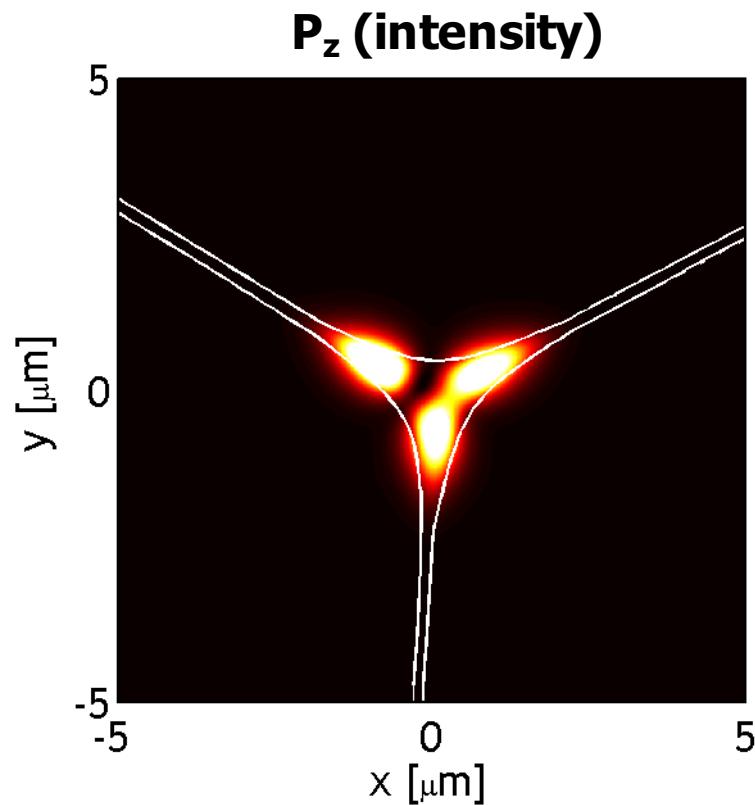
Propagating mode shapes (3)

- Mode 3, “ TM_{01} -like”, $\lambda = 1550 \text{ nm}$
 - $n_{\text{eff}} = 1.19253$, $A_{\text{eff}} = 3.7598 \mu\text{m}^2$



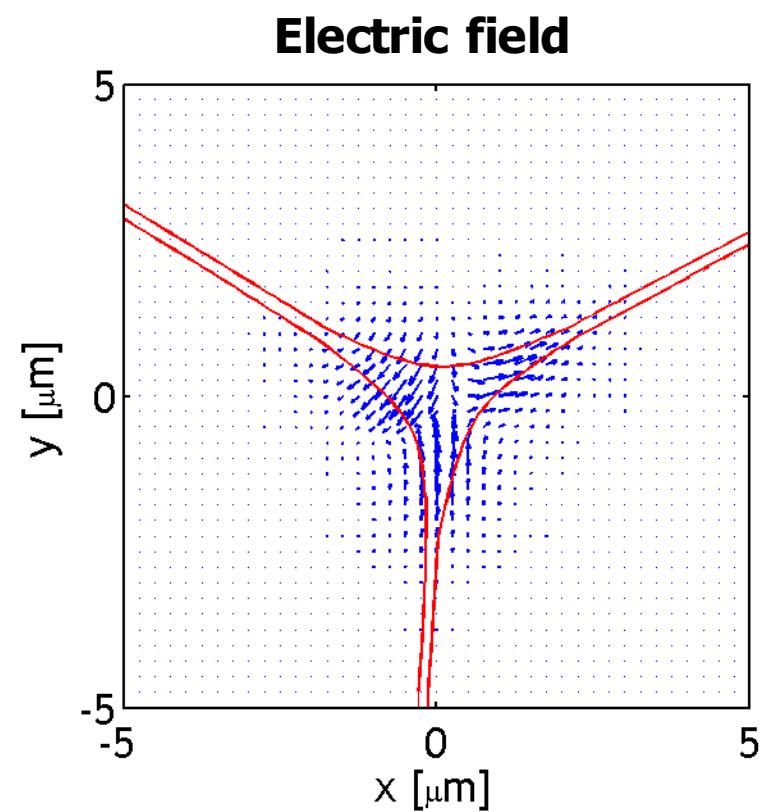
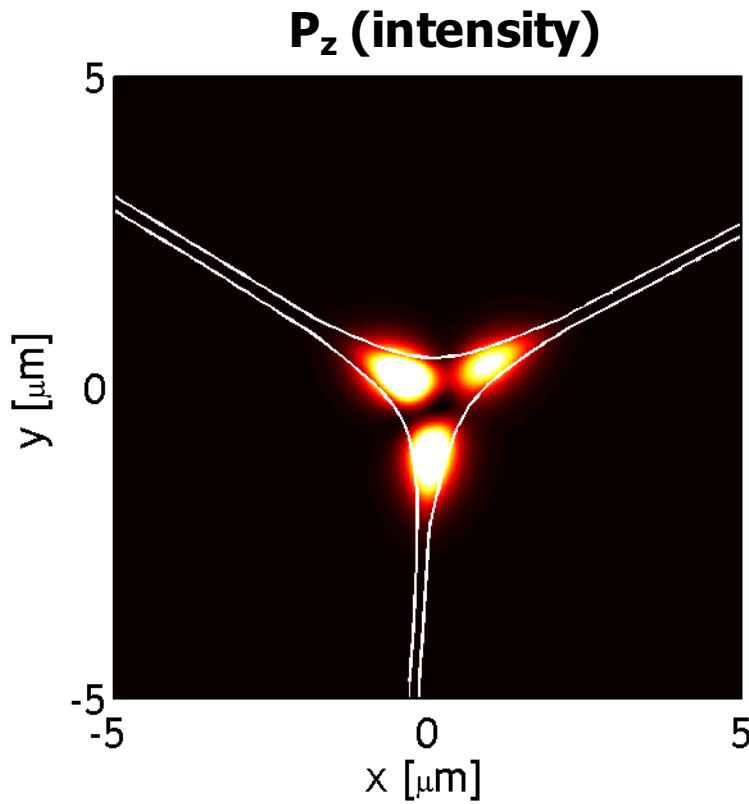
Propagating mode shapes (4)

- Mode 4, “HE₂₁-like”, $\lambda = 1550$ nm
 - $n_{\text{eff}} = 1.15643$, $A_{\text{eff}} = 4.0219 \mu\text{m}^2$



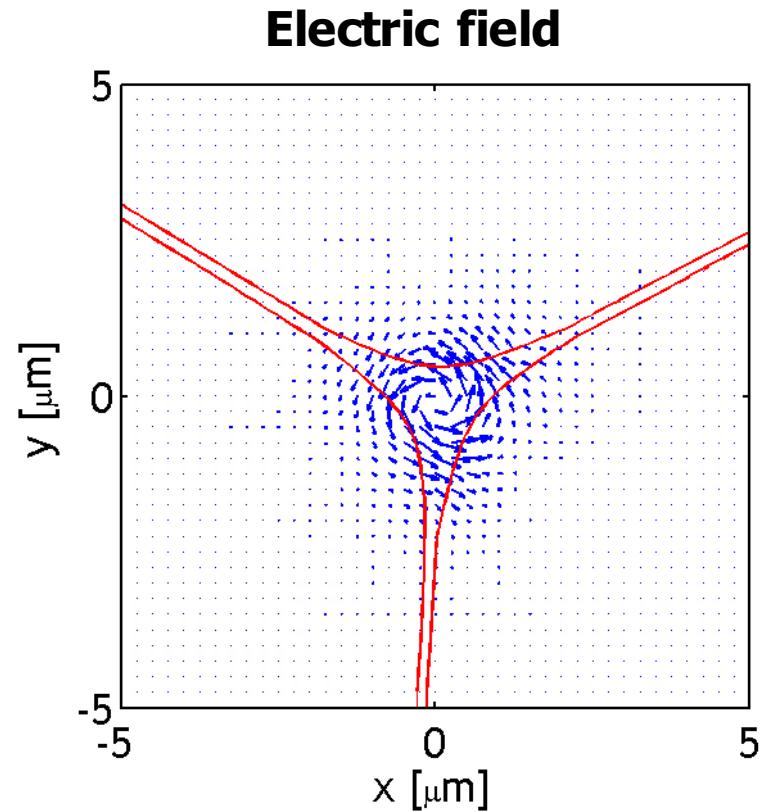
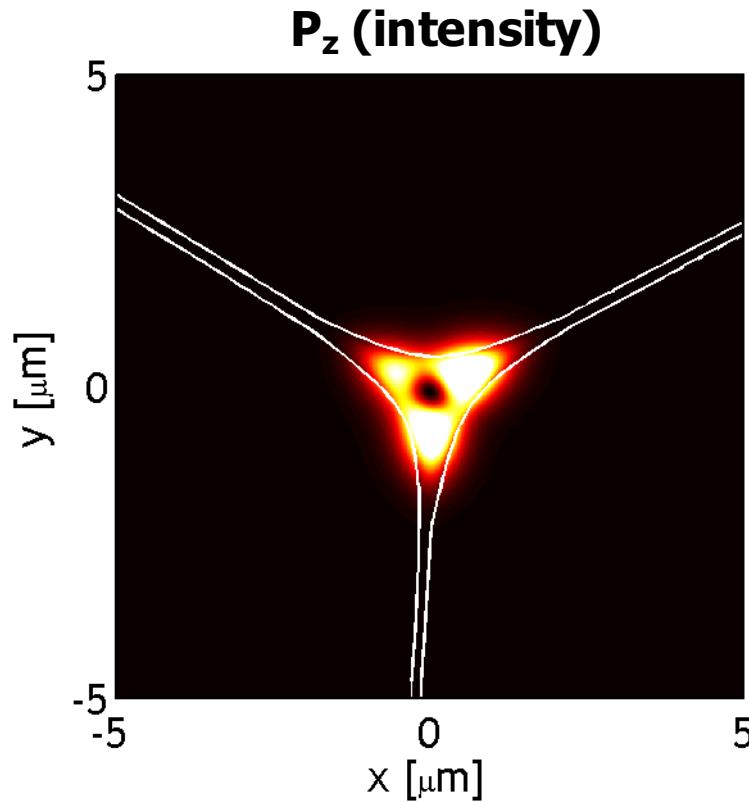
Propagating mode shapes (5)

- Mode 5, “HE₂₁-like”, $\lambda = 1550 \text{ nm}$
 - $n_{\text{eff}} = 1.15252$, $A_{\text{eff}} = 3.6320 \mu\text{m}^2$

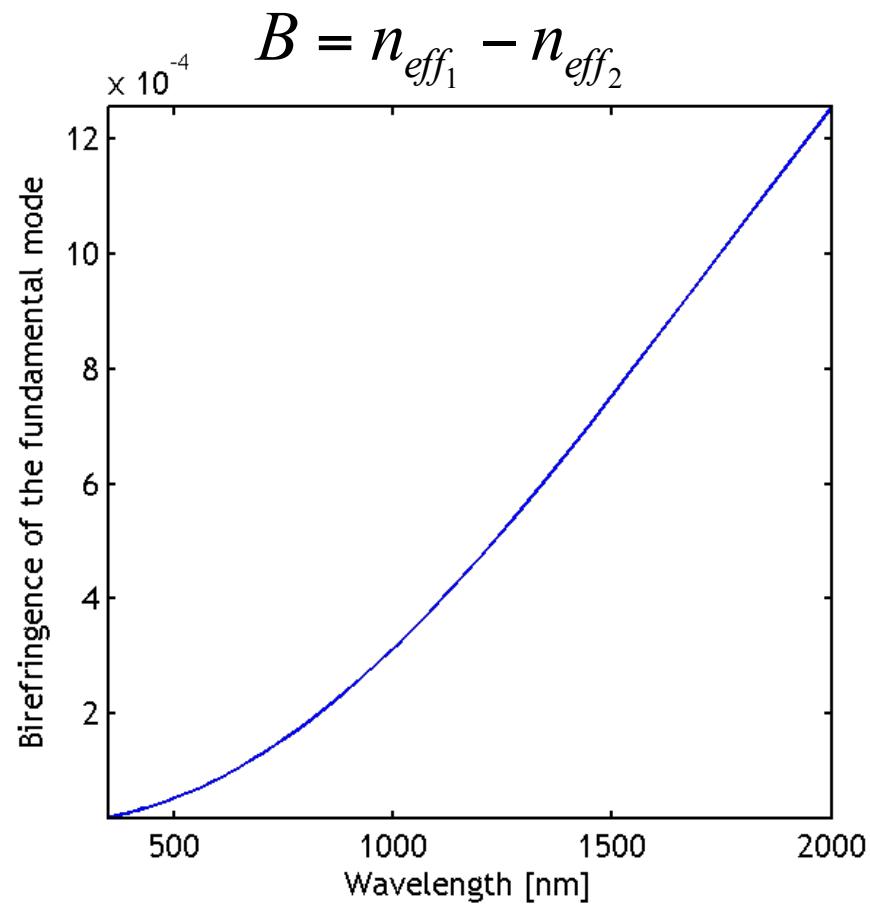
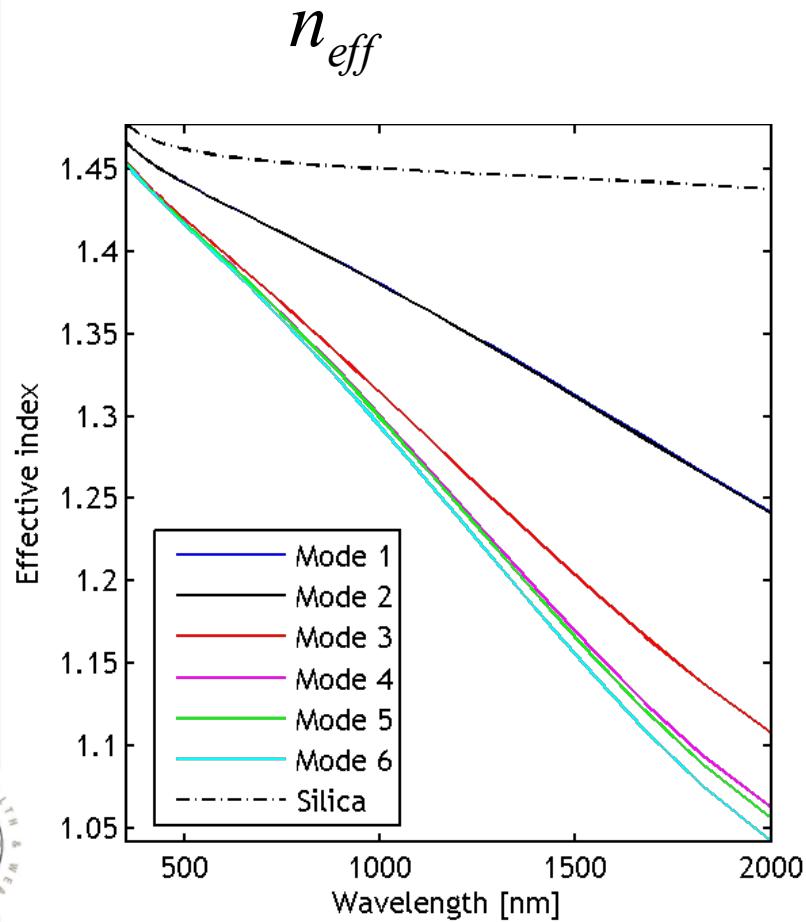


Propagating mode shapes (6)

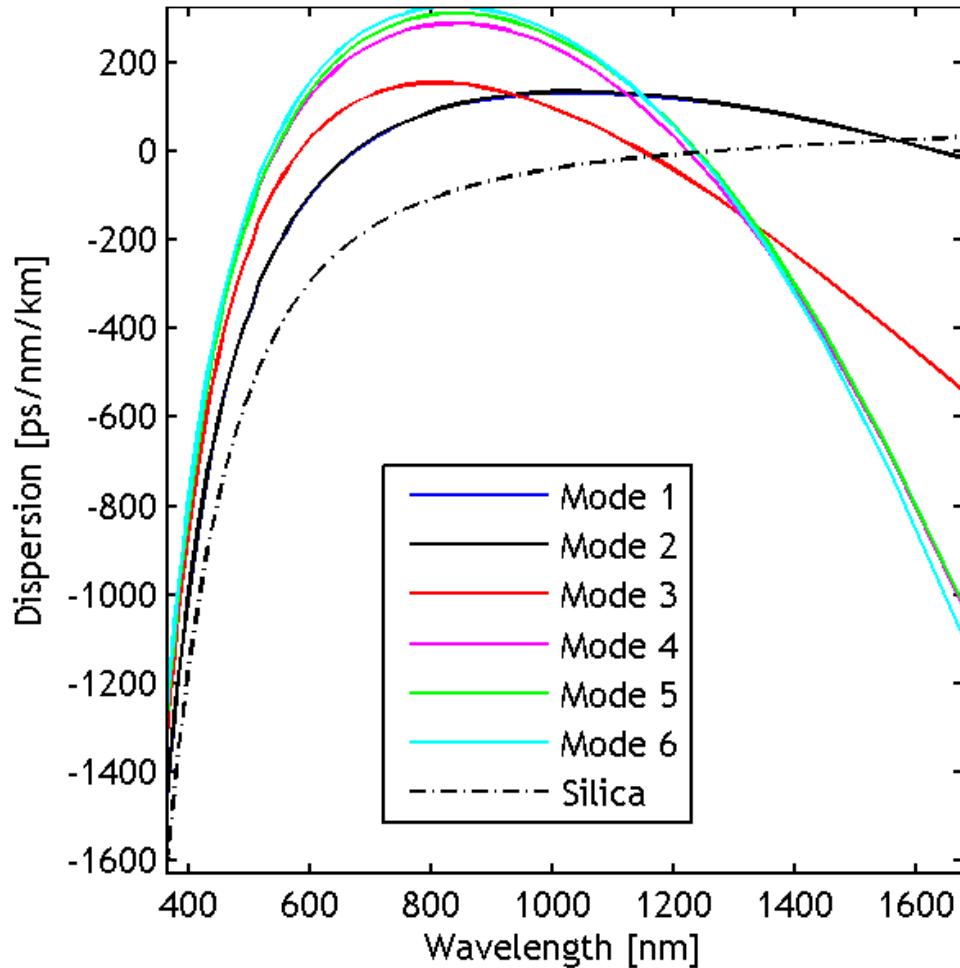
- Mode 6, “TE₀₁-like”, $\lambda = 1550$ nm
 - $n_{\text{eff}} = 1.14160$, $A_{\text{eff}} = 3.8150 \mu\text{m}^2$



Effective indices



Chromatic dispersion

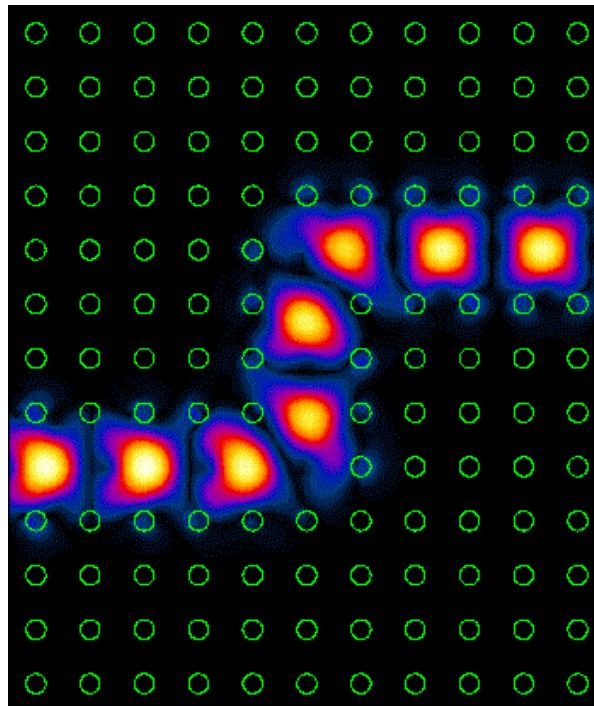


$$D = -\frac{2\pi c}{\lambda^2} \beta_2$$

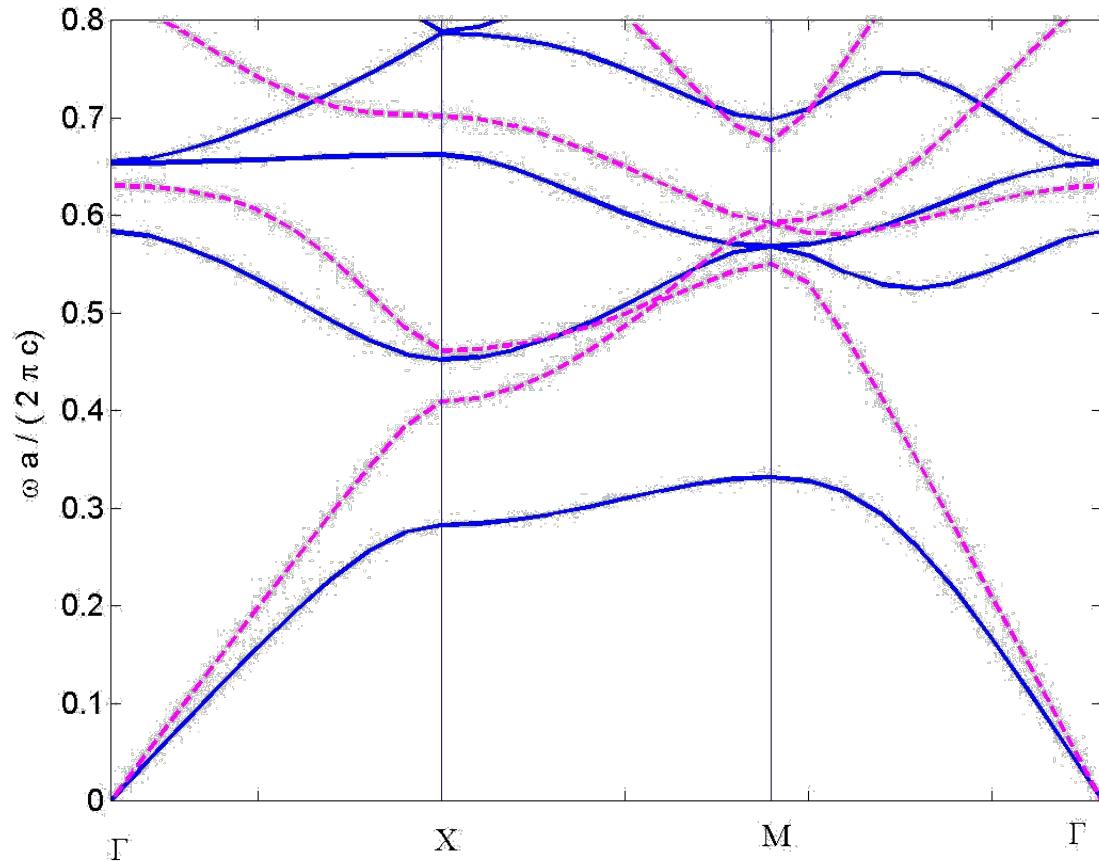
Mode 1:
 $\lambda_{ZD_1} = 674 \text{ nm}$
 $\lambda_{ZD_2} = 1634 \text{ nm}$
 $D = 31 \text{ ps/nm/km}$
@ 1550 nm

Strutture guidanti

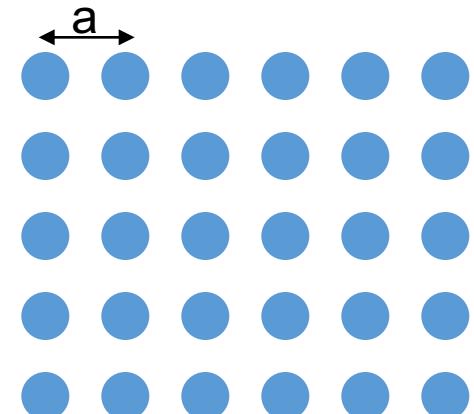
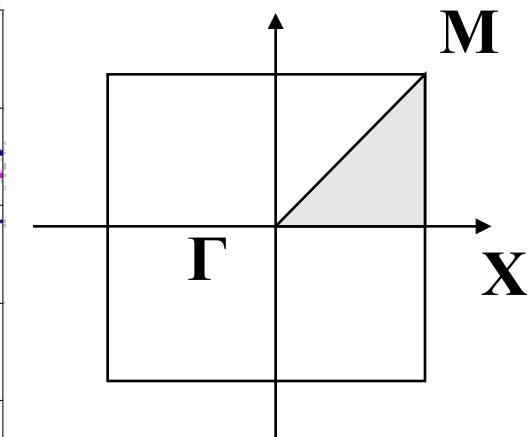
- Inserendo un difetto lineare nella struttura cristallina si crea una guida d'onda.
- Il difetto si crea rimuovendo una linea di colonne o variandone il diametro.



Struttura quadrata di cilindri in aria

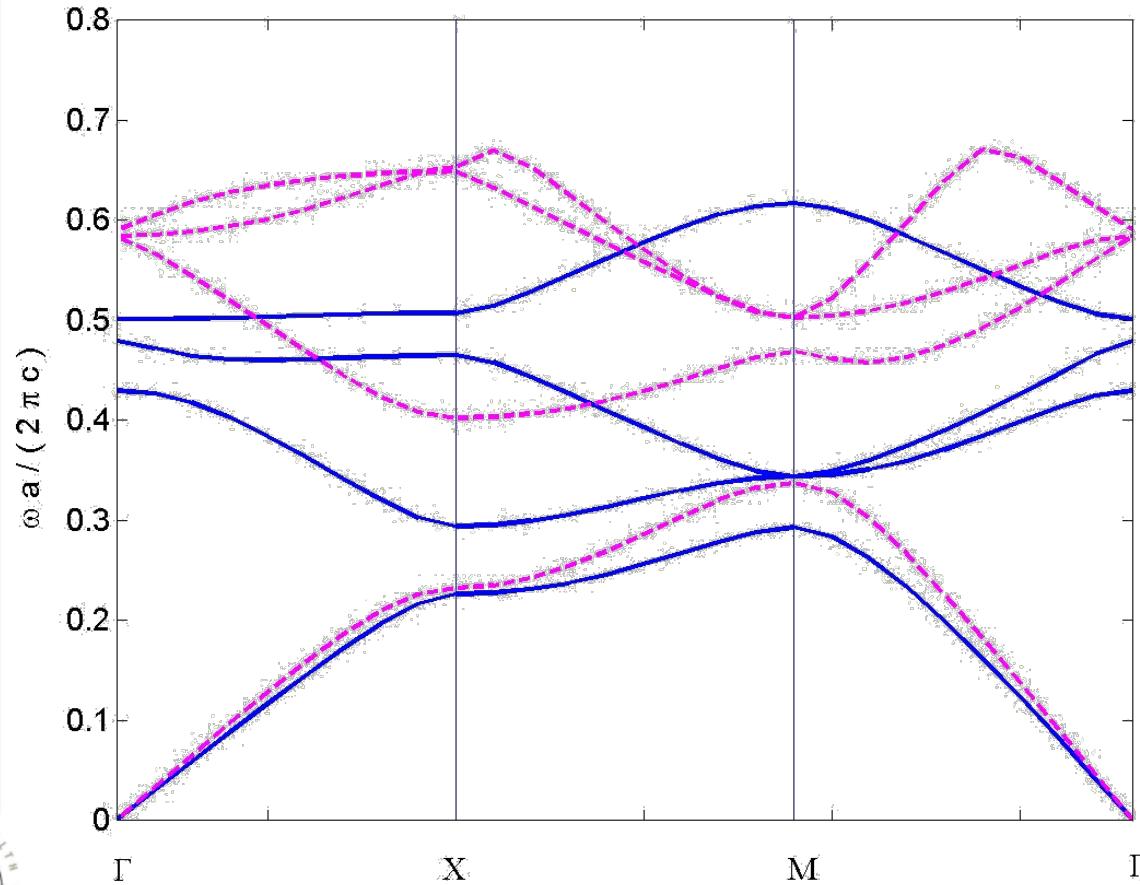


Band-gap per modi TM

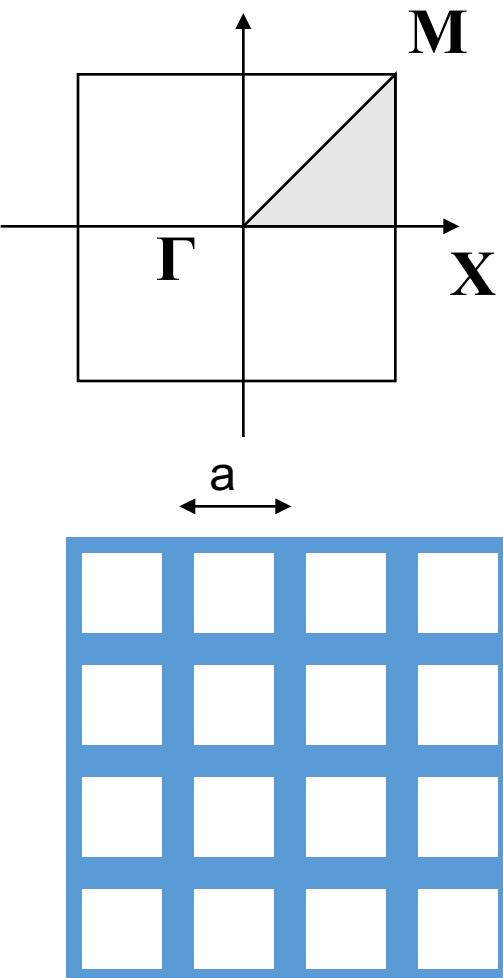


$\varepsilon_r = 12$

Struttura quadrata di fori quadrati

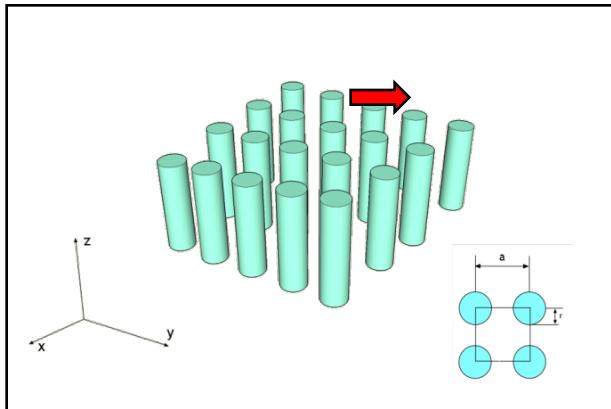


Band-gap per modi TE

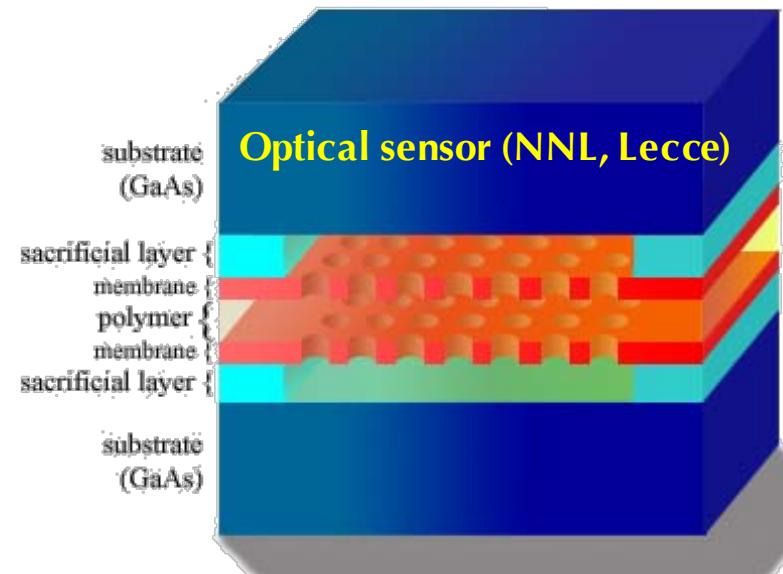
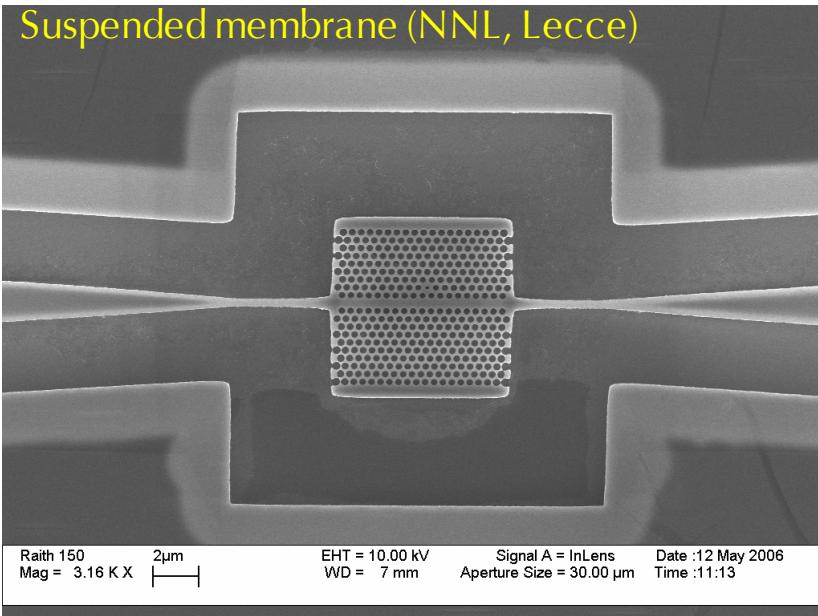


$$\varepsilon_r = 8.9$$

Membrane sospese

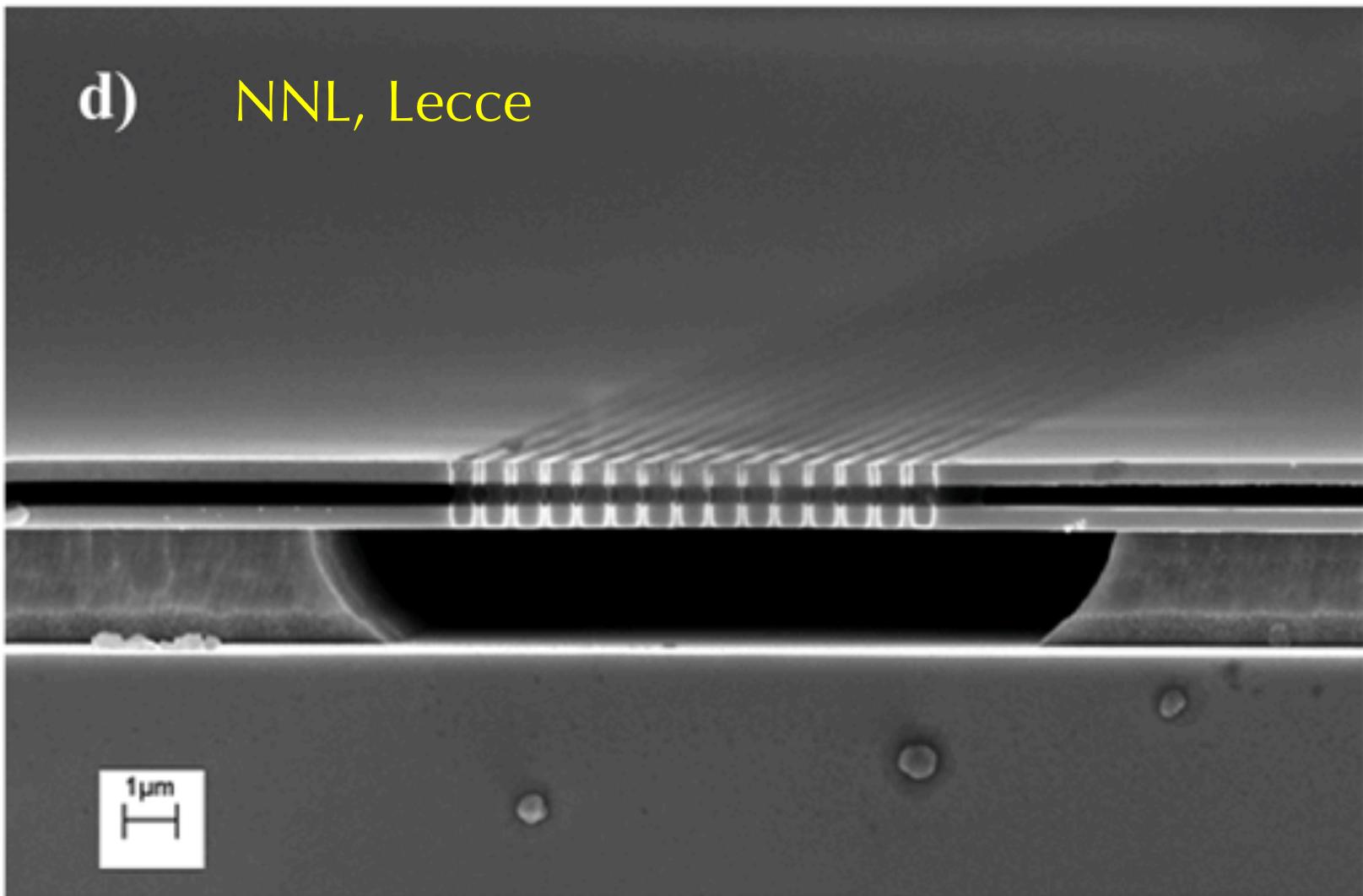


Suspended membrane (NNL, Lecce)

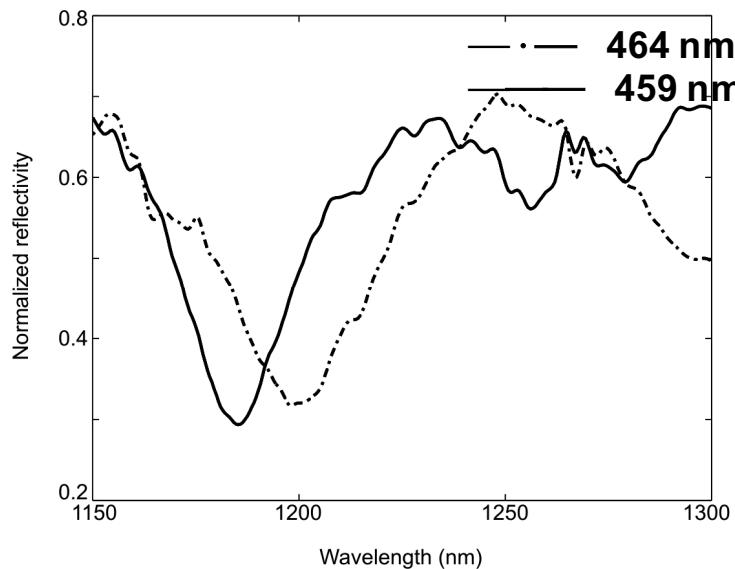
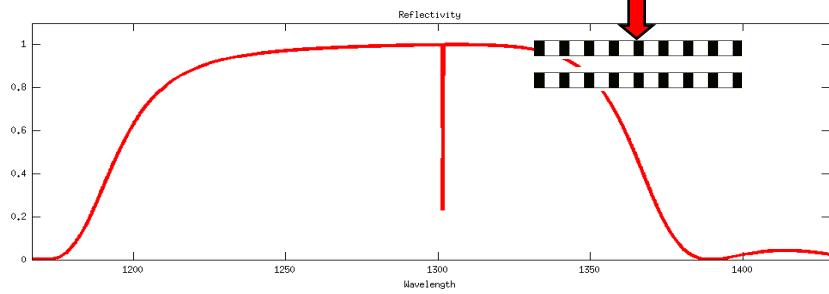
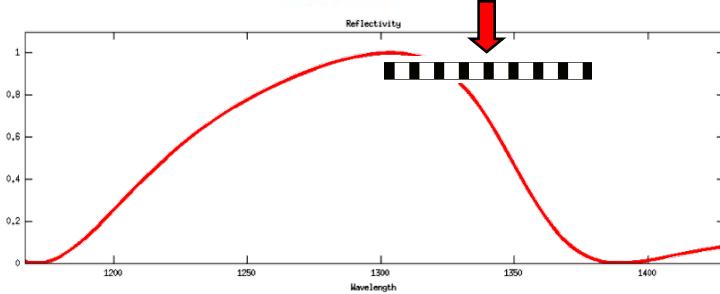
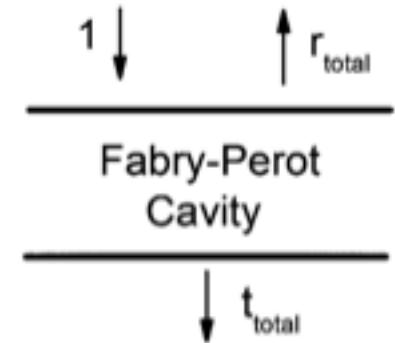
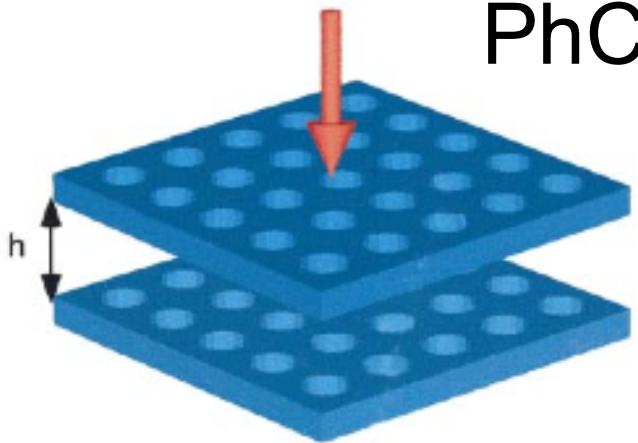


Optical sensor based on coupled double PhC membranes

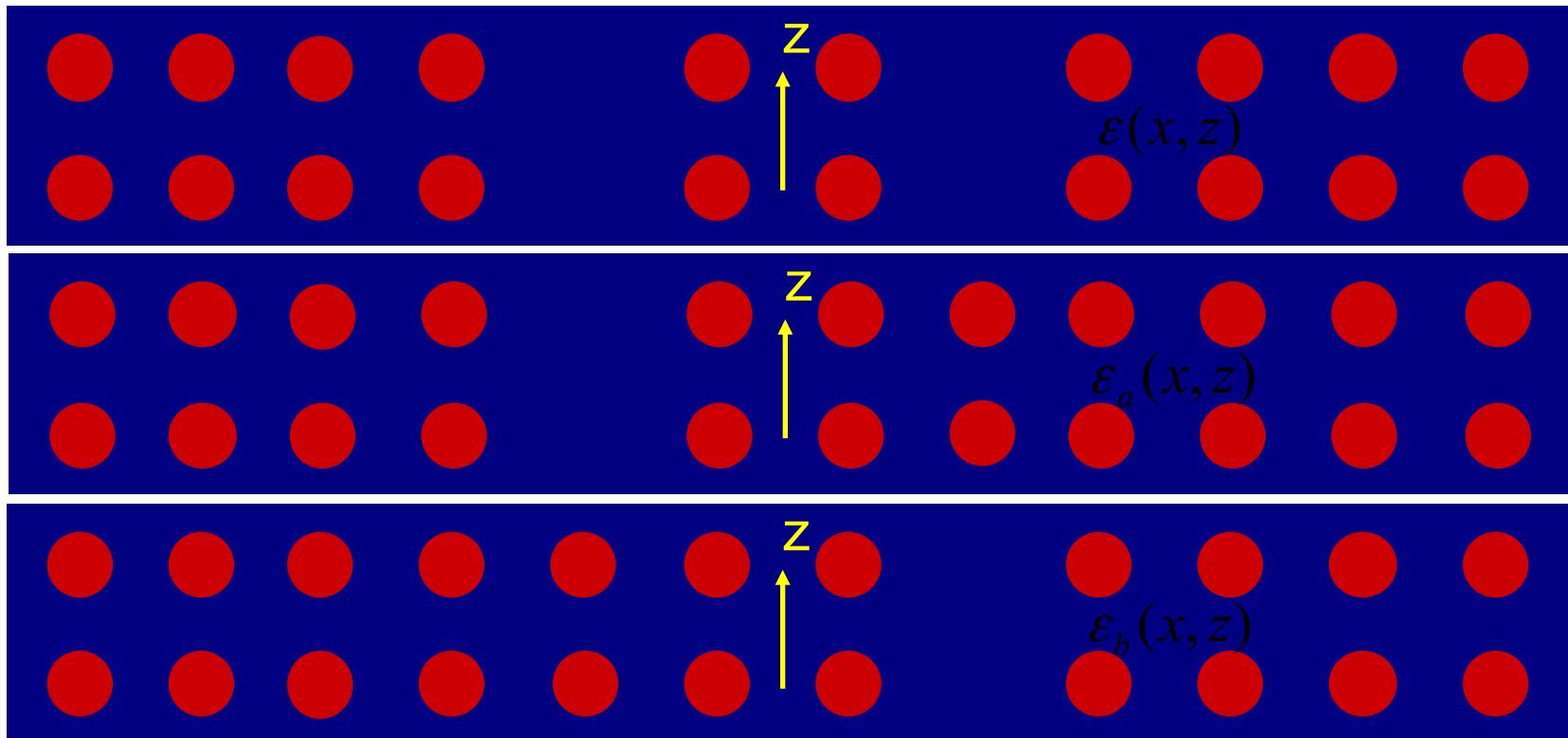
d) NNL, Lecce



Optical sensor based on coupled double PhC membranes



Photonic crystal directional couplers

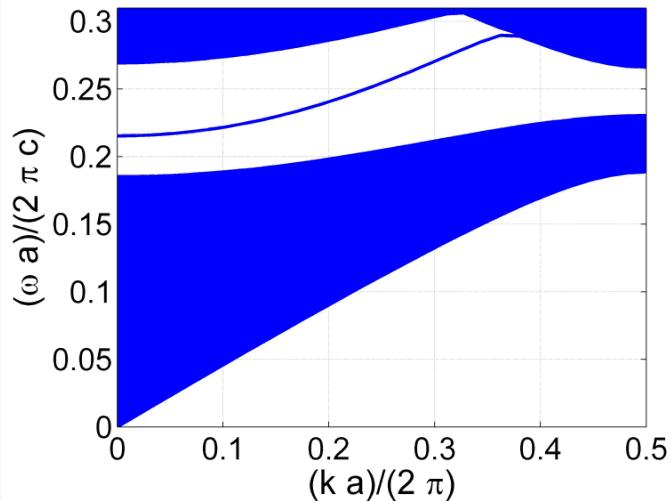
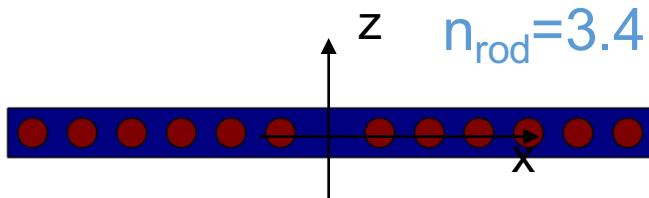


$$\varepsilon(x, z) = \varepsilon_a(x, z) + \Delta\varepsilon_b(x, z)$$

$$\varepsilon(x, z) = \varepsilon_b(x, z) + \Delta\varepsilon_a(x, z)$$

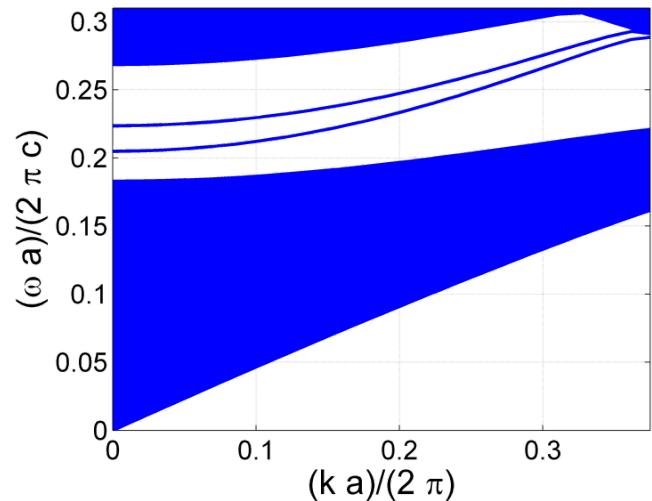
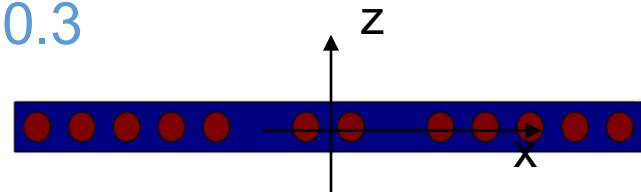
Photonic crystal directional couplers

Single waveguide



Photonic crystal waveguides:
the mode shape
is periodic along z

Waveguide coupler



$$\bar{E}(x, z) = \bar{e}(x, z) \exp(-ikz)$$
$$\bar{H}(x, z) = \bar{h}(x, z) \exp(-ikz)$$

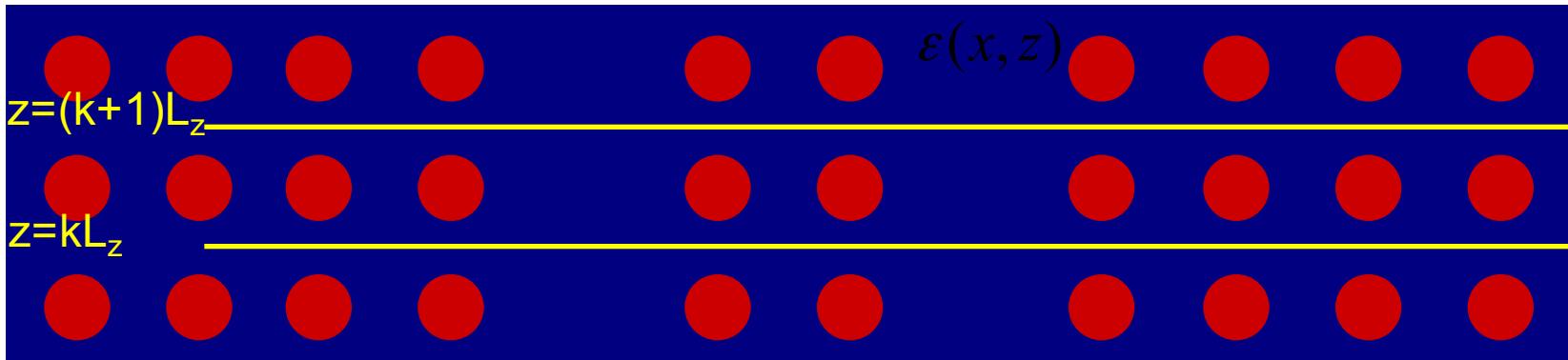
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$$\frac{dA(z)}{dz} + i\gamma A(z) = iCB(z)$$

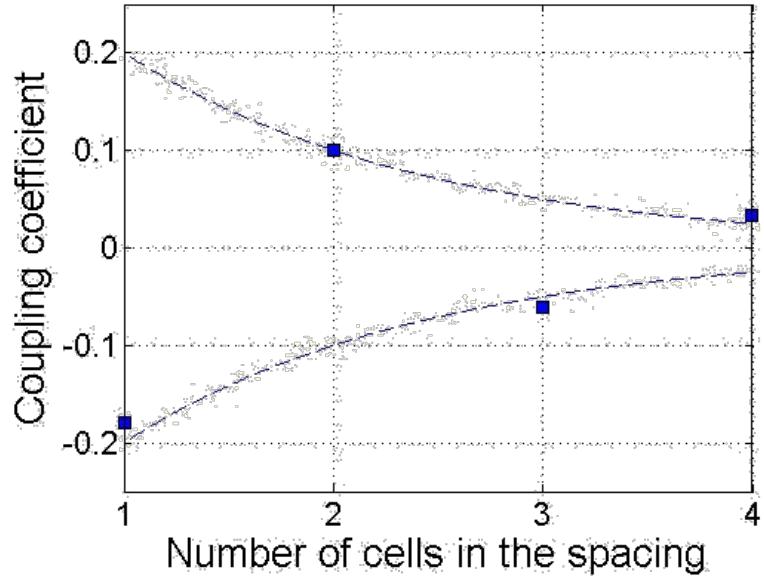
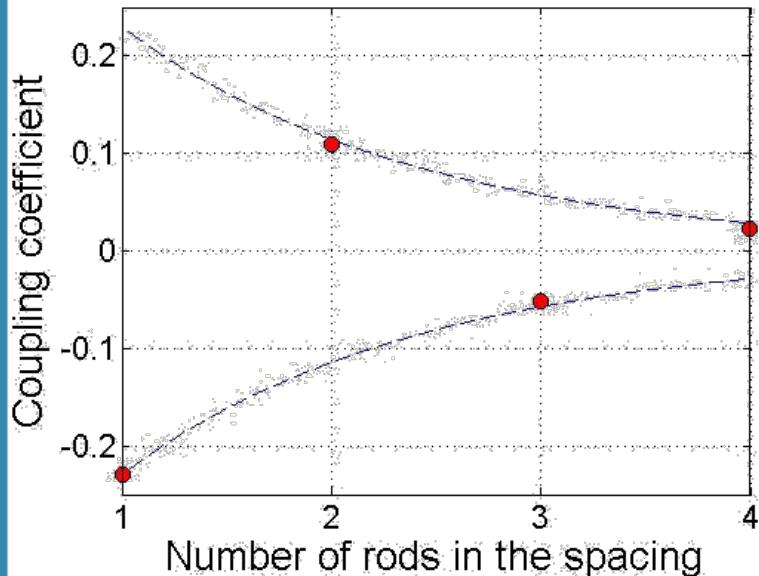
$$\frac{dB(z)}{dz} + i\gamma B(z) = iCA(z)$$

$$C = \frac{\omega}{I_a L_z} \int dx \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz (\varepsilon - \varepsilon_a) \left\{ \bar{e}_{a\perp}^* \cdot \bar{e}_{b\perp} + \frac{\varepsilon_b}{\varepsilon} \bar{e}_{az}^* \cdot \bar{e}_{bz} \right\}$$

$$I_a = 2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \left(\bar{e}_a^* \times \bar{h}_a \right)_z$$



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N even $C > 0$

(the fundamental mode of the coupler is **even**)

N odd $C < 0$

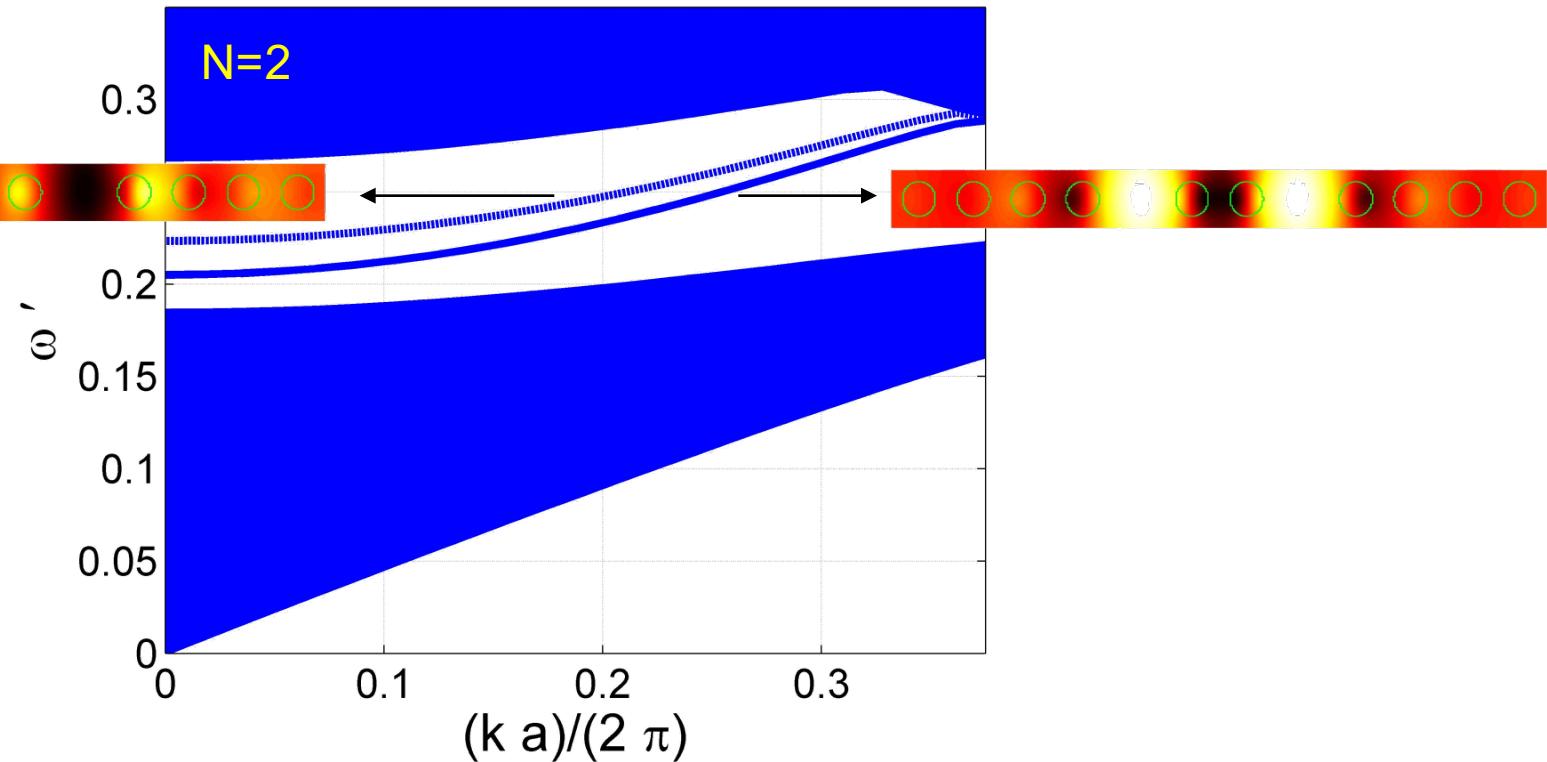
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$C > 0$ (the fundamental mode of the coupler is **even**)

$C < 0$ (the fundamental mode of the coupler is **odd**)

$$C = \frac{\beta_+ - \beta_-}{2}$$

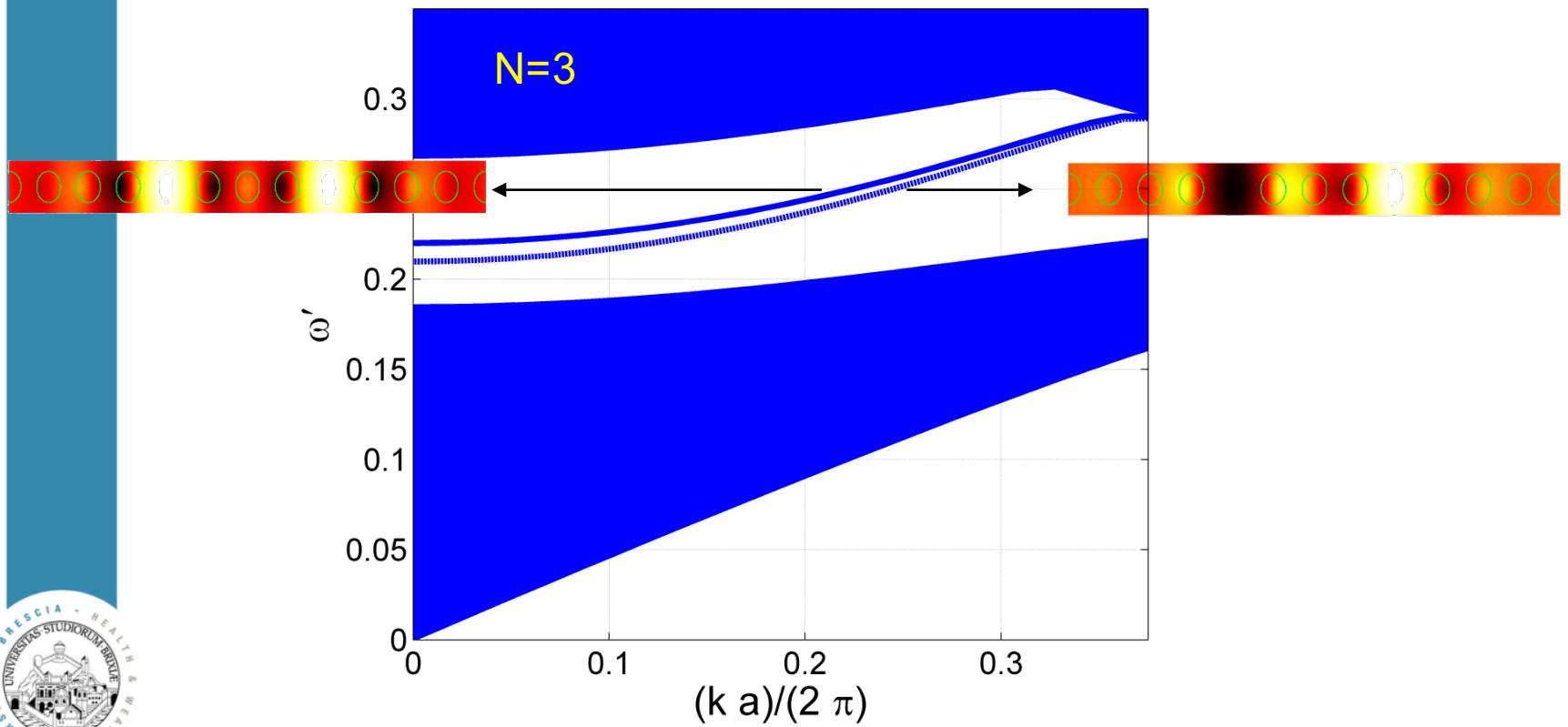


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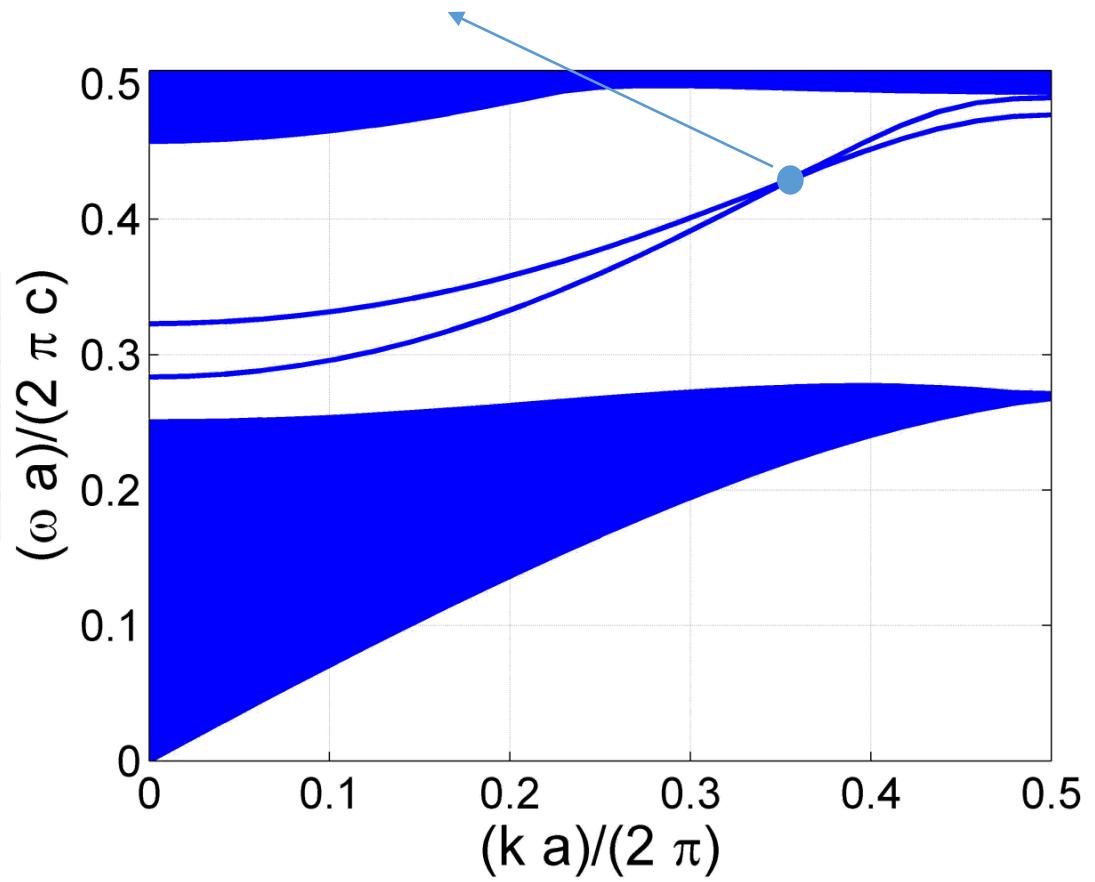
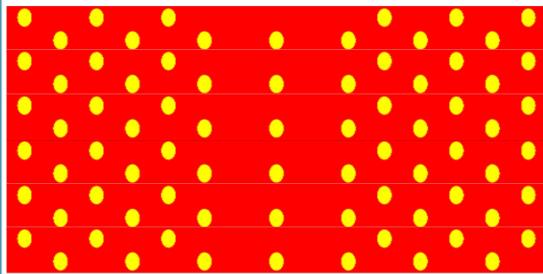
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$C = 0$: zero discrete diffraction



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