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Week 7 Assignment 7

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.
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Due on 2018-09-19, 23:59 IST.

1) 1 point

MULTIPLE correct option type (Q.1 – Q.2)

Which of the following is/are not true about KDP, KD*P, ADP (Crystal class 42m)

- (A) Crystals possess one 4 - fold axis of symmetry, a rotation of the crystal about this axis by $\frac{2\pi}{4}$ leaves it invariant
- (B) Crystals possess 2 mutually orthogonal axes of symmetry (x, y) crystals exhibit invariance rotation of π
- (C) In absence of field crystals are naturally isotropic
- (D) In presence of the field crystals become anisotropic

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

(C)

2) 1 point

KDP (KH_2PO_4) is an important and widely used electrooptic crystal for light modulators. Which following is/are true about this crystal?

- (A) It has only 6 non-zero electro-optic tensor elements
- (B) In presence of an applied electric field the crystals becomes biaxial
- (C) Crystal structure is cubic
- (D) Optical transmission range is 200-1500nm

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

(B)

(D)

3) 1 point

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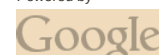
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Read the following paragraph and answer the following questions (Q.3 - Q.9).

MULTIPLE correct option type.

Consider longitudinal configuration of KDP crystal under an applied electric field E . The length crystal travelled by light is l , the relevant EO coefficient of KDP is r_{63} .

For above configuration of KDP crystal, what happens to RI's, birefringence and phase change presence of applied E -field?

- (A) The new RI's become $n_{x'} = n_0 - \frac{n_0^3}{2} r_{63} E$ and $n_{z'} = n_e + \frac{n_0^3}{2} r_{63} E$
- (B) Induced birefringence between x' and y' polarised light becomes $\Delta n_{x'y'} = \frac{1}{2} n_0^3 r_{63} E$
- (C) Induced phase change between x' and y' polarised light becomes $\Delta \phi_{x'y'} = k_0 l n_0^3 r_{63} E$
- (D) For equal excitation of x' and y' polarised input light, this configuration can be used as a modulator

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

- (C)
- (D)

4)

1 point

For setting up amplitude modulation using this longitudinal configuration of KDP crystal which following is/are the key requirement/s?

- (A) a linearly polarised light will be propagating through the crystal along the z -direction
- (B) the input light will be polarised along x -axis or along y -axis (principal axes in absence of E)
- (C) the emergent light from crystal must pass through a crossed (w.r.t. input) polariser (analyser)
- (D) a voltage of $V = \frac{\lambda}{2n_0^3 r_{63}}$ has to be applied to make the output intensity of modulated optic a minimum.

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)

5)

1 point

Which of the following about the input light is/are the correct requirement/s so as to achieve modulation?

- (A) a linearly polarised light will be propagating through the crystal along the z -direction
- (B) the input light will be polarised making an angle of 45° with x -axis (old coordinate system without electric field)
- (C) the input light will be polarised along new x' -axis (in presence of electric field)
- (D) the input light will be polarised along y -axis (old coordinate system without electric field)

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)

6)

1 point

In case of phase modulation of an optical beam using the above configuration of KDP crystal, one/ones is/are not correct?

- (A) For a given applied voltage, the phase change of the optical beam is proportional to the length of crystal travelled by optical beam
- (B) For a given travel-length of light beam in the crystal, the phase change suffered by the output is linearly proportional to the voltage applied across the crystal
- (C) The input light should be x' or y' polarized (i.e., along one of the new principal axes)
- (D) The input light is x or y polarized (principal axes without voltage), i.e., the polarization of light makes 45° with x' or y' (principal axes in presence of applied voltage)

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

- (A)
- (D)

7)

1 point

For KDP crystal in the longitudinal configuration having equal excitation of x' and y' polarised light, the modulator half voltage V_π

- (A) does not depend on the length of the crystal travelled by optical beam
- (B) does not depend on the transverse width of the crystal modulator
- (C) corresponds to a phase change of $\pi/2$
- (D) is such that the KDP crystal behaves as a $\lambda/4$ wave plate

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

- (B)

8)

1 point

If a sinusoidal modulating voltage $V = V_0 \sin \omega_m t$ is applied to the KDP crystal in this configuration for phase modulation, then the output light

- (A) varies sinusoidally with peak value p that is proportional to the peak value of applied voltage
- (B) consists of light at fundamental frequency ω with amplitude $J_0(p)$
- (C) has a phase modulation index that is independent of applied peak voltage V_0
- (D) contains various side-bands at frequencies $\omega \pm \omega_m, \omega \pm 2\omega_m \dots$ with respective amplitudes $J_1(p), J_2(p), J_3(p) \dots$

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

- (A)
- (B)
- (D)

9)

1 point

Assume typical values for KDP crystal: $r_{63} = 10.5 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m/V}$, $n_o = 1.512$. In the longi configuration, an optical beam at operating wavelength $\lambda = 0.5 \mu\text{m}$ and polarized along y -d travels a length $l = 1 \text{ cm}$ of the crystal under an applied voltage of $V = 10 \text{ kV}$

- (A) The induced birefringence between x' and y' polarised light $\approx 2 \times 10^{-5}$
- (B) Between x' and y' polarised light a phase change $\approx 0.8\pi$ is developed
- (C) At applied voltage $\approx 8.3 \text{ kV}$, the KDP crystal under this condition for light of $\lambda = 0.6 \mu\text{m}$ as a quarter-wave plate
- (D) under exactly same configuration, if the crystal is replaced by KD*P (KD_2PO_4) with $r_{63} = 2 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m/V}$ for light of $\lambda = 0.6 \mu\text{m}$, the required half voltage is $\approx 4.3 \text{ kV}$

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

- (A)
- (B)

10)

1 point

Read the following paragraph and answer the following questions (Q. 10 - Q. 12).

MULTIPLE correct option type.

Consider transverse configuration of KDP crystal. Under an applied electric field E applied al light beam propagates along y' -axis (principal axis in presence of field). The length of the crys travelled by light is l , and the width of crystal is d across which the voltage is applied; the rel coefficient of KDP is r_{63} . Also n_o is the RI of polarisation parallel to xy plane (ordinary RI's). Which of the following correspond/s to an amplitude modulation setup using this transverse configuration of KDP crystal?

- (A) Incident light should be polarised at 45° to x' in $x'z$ plane
- (B) The emergent light from crystal must pass through an analyser which will be at crossed po w.r.t. the input polariser.
- (C) the net birefringence between the x' and z polarized light at the output of the crystal will I $\frac{1}{2} n_o^3 r_{63} E$
- (D) The principal RI of the z -polarised light (in presence of electric field) should be electric field dependent

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

- (A)
- (B)

11)

1 point

In the above transverse configuration of KDP crystal as an amplitude modulator of light

- (A) in absence of applied electric field, the two components along x' (x) and z travelling thro crystal will see RI's: $n_{x'} = n_o$ and $n_z = n_e$
- (B) in presence of applied electric field, the two components along x' and z travelling through crystal will see RI's : $n_{x'} = n_o$ and $n_{z'} = n_e - \frac{n_o^3}{2} r_{63} E$
- (C) even in absence of any applied electric field, there is always a phase delay between the x' polarized light
- (D) the modulator under this configuration operates in the linear region

- (A)
- (B)
- (C)

(D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

(A)

(C)

12)

1 point

In amplitude modulation setup using this transverse configuration of KDP crystal

(A) the half-voltage is inversely proportional to width d of the crystal

(B) for high performance of the transverse modulator, d should be linearly proportional to l

(C) the half-voltage for transverse modulator is much greater than that for longitudinal modul

(D) a voltage of $V = \frac{\lambda}{n_0^3 r_{63}} (d/l)$ is needed to make the output intensity of modulated optical

maximum

 (A) (B) (C) (D)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

(D)

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