

## Photonic crystal fiber is a future paradigm in the field of medical Science

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### ABSTRACT

The present communication presents a noteworthy application pertaining to biomedical application related to the generation of 16 types of different laser beams which has been applying in various medical operations now-a-days. The said laser beams have been created with the help of single photonic structure where photonic structure deals with the plasmonic based photonic crystal fiber (PCF) with having 5×5 periodic air holes with defect at centre. The principle of generation of surgical laser beams relies on both physics and mathematics of photonic crystal fiber in such a way that physics deals with structure and configuration of proposed PCF including lattice spacing and diameter of air holes where mathematics manipulates with plane wave expansion method to find out the electric field distribution in the fiber. Finally the outcomes of the works disclose that suitable configuration of plasmonic structure with respect to green signal generates different type of laser beams which could be used for bio-medical application.

**Keywords:** Photonic crystal fiber; biomedical laser; plasmonic material; plane wave expansion method

### I. INTRODUCTION

Nevertheless the research on science and technology is burgeoning in hasty manner now-a-days, research related to medical field needs to improve in swift manner to solve various problems for the necessity of society. To envisage the same, the field of electronics via biotechnology and bioscience have been focused by the researchers from both government and non-government sectors. Again considering the medical diagnosis, the field of optoelectronics and laser technology revolution is the investigation of diagnosis and clinical medicine. Further moving to laser based light wave technology, it brings contact free and keeps little impact in the integrity of living matter, which can easily be deployed for medical operation [1]. Furthermore the advanced optical technologies such as femtosecond laser have been used now-a-days to detect and monitor the cellular biochemistry, integrity of organs and characterizes the tissues. Moreover the optical tags have been used to make the label DNA cells and the properties of blood. Again the hi-tech laser technology have been deployed now-a-days to make the diagnosis the structure of retina and optic nerve of human body. Apart from this the optical coherence tomography has been employed in medical science to detect the precise information of retina vessel and its pigments of epithelium and choroid etc. Furthermore the photonics with endoscopic technology evaluate the dysfunction of swallowing and phantom. Asidethis, lasertechnology have been extensively used for the sake of medical therapy

and operation to minimize the complication. To realise the above said medical diagnosis and medical operation, the different types of laser beams such as gas laser (excimer ArF, ArCl, XeCl, XeF), solid state laser (KTP/Nd: YAG, Ruby, Alexandrite, Te: sapphire, Ho: YAG, Er: YAG), semiconductor laser (GaAs) and free electron laser have been generated in this research. As far as the applications of above said laser is concerned, gas lasers deal with the many surgical applications related to ionizes molecule in tissues, ophthalmology and UV radiation etc. Similarly solid state laser is concerned, it deals with medical applications related to human skin, ophthalmologist (retina), controlling of haemoglobin, removal of tattoos and hair follicles, urology, pulmonology, gastroenterology and implant treatment etc have been made using the aforementioned laser. Beside this, different types of bio-medical applications such as ablation of tissues in ophthalmology, wound healing and neurosurgery etc [2]. To understand the same lucidly, the current paper discloses a figure 1, which explains the wavelength and its applications of the aforementioned lasers; Keeping the importance of above said application the present paper presents the method of generation of such kind of lasers with the help of single photonic structure which deals with photonic crystal fiber. Further the current works

isorganisedasfollows;section 2 emphasiseson the structure of photonic crystalfiber and the principle of generationof the signals. Similarly, the

resultand interpretationisdivulgedinsection3 andconclusionsaredisclosedinsection4.

## II. 2.STRUCTUREOF PROPOSEDPCFANDGENERATIONOF LASERBEAM

The proposedstructurein thiswork isa twodimensionalphotonic crystalfiber is made of plasmonicmaterial substratehaving5×5airholeswithdefect(noappearanceofairholes) atcentre,whichis shownin figure2(a).

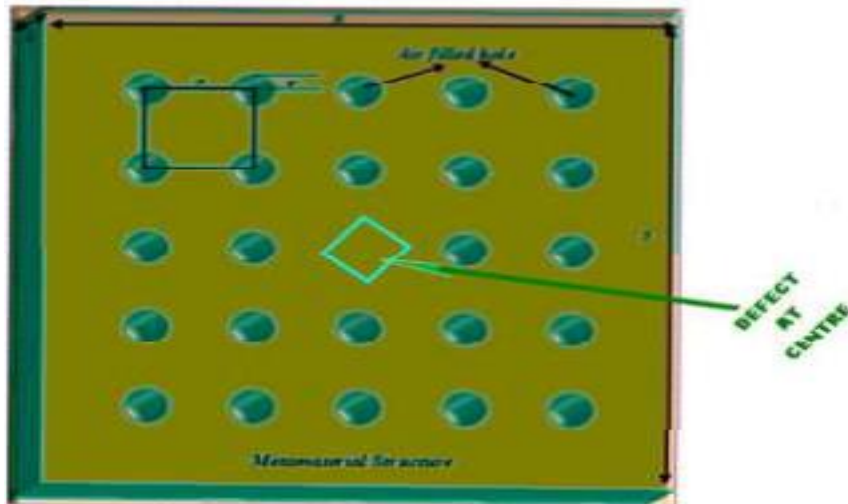


Figure2(a);schematicdiagramofproposedPCFstructure

The reasonfor choosingsuchstructure is thatdifferenttypesof laser beams could be generatedwith respectto such structure.Fromabovesaid structure, it is inferred that theconfigurationof presentPCF playsa vitalrole togenerate differenttypesoflaser beams.Though thepresentstructure isnotnew pertaining to current research scenario, the proposed applications is novel with respect to medical surgery. Furthermovingtothe discussiononliteraturesurvey ondifferentworksusingthepresent proposedstructure,itisrealisedthatreference[3-6]dealswiththedifferentapplicationsrelatedto sensingand networking. Forexamplesmeasurementofpotassiumchlorideandi

ntrallipidintheir aqueoussolution is made inference [3]and[4]respectively.Furthera couple of paper havebeen publishedinOPTIKintheyear 2018and 2019relatedtoopticalcomputerapplications [5-6].Though the above saidresearchexplores a new kindofapplications, the currentpaper alsofocusesanoteworthy applicationsvis-à-vis themedicalapplicationswith the helpof plasmonicbased photonic structure.The principle ofoperationsdealswiththeextractionofvarious laserbeamsfromphotoniccrystalfiberwhich we want to desire fromaspecific medicaloperation. The same extractionof a signalcan be understood fromfigure2(b).

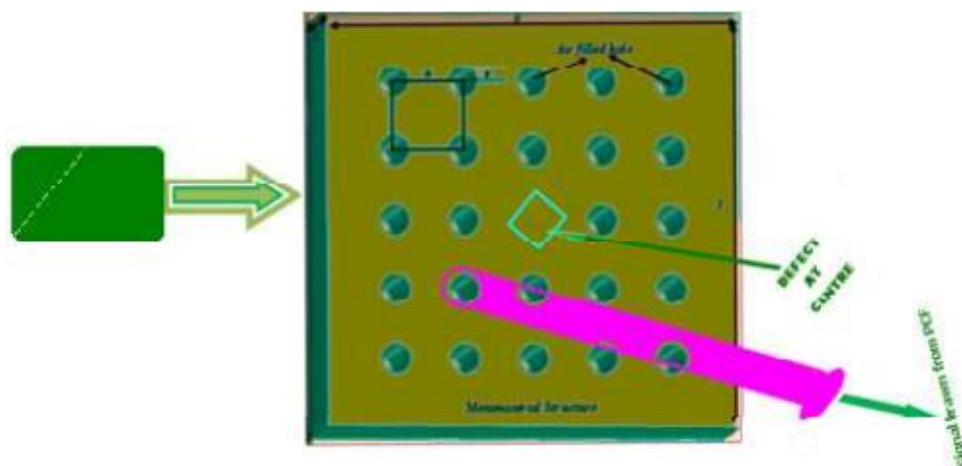


Figure2(b);thegenerationofsignalofbiomedicallaserfrom greensignal

From figure 2(b), a source of green signal acts as an input light incident to the proposed photonic crystal fiber and then the transmitted signal shall be appeared at output end after suffering various type of losses. Further it will be observed that the different signals emerge from different positions of the fiber. These different signals would be given different wavelengths but we need a specific wavelength from it which would be used for medical surgery purposes only. In this figure, a particular extracting signal is shown with respect to a particular position of x and y on the fiber substrate which is drawn through a narrow fiber. Further the physics of principle of operation deals with the refractive indices of background material (plasmonic) of PCF with respect to the green signal and the structural configuration including lattice spacing of the structure and diameter of air holes laser, which we want to design for a specific medical operation. For example an alexandrite laser having wavelength of 791 nm is generated at the lattice spacing of 50 nm and diameter of air holes of 17 nm, whereas lattice spacing of 50 nm and diameter of air holes of 45 nm of PCF generates a signal of 1045 nm wavelength of free electron laser. Similarly other laser beams would be generated for different configuration, which is clearly discussed in next section.

### III. RESULT AND DISCUSSION

As far as the result and discussion on the generation of different laser beams is concerned, it depends on both physics and mathematics of proposed plasmonic based photonic crystal fiber. The physics of this work deals with the structure parameter including the refractive indices of plasmonic material including the configuration of the PCF including lattice spacing and diameter of air holes, where the mathematics of the research deals with the plane wave expansion method [7] through which the electric field distribution inside the fiber is measured. Further the mathematics interacts with the computation of wavelength of the emerging signal from said fiber as

From equation (1), it is found that all are known quantities except effective refractive indices and electric field which are emerging from photonic crystal fiber. The effective refractive indices can be determined by knowing the refractive index of plasmonic material (background material) and air filled holes on the substrate at the green signal. Similarly the values of an electric field can be computed with the help of plane wave expansion method, where it determines the electric field distributions in the photonic crystal fiber. Nevertheless the simulations for generating all the wavelengths related to biomedical laser beams have been made, result for the signal 191 nm is disclosed here, which is shown in figure 3.

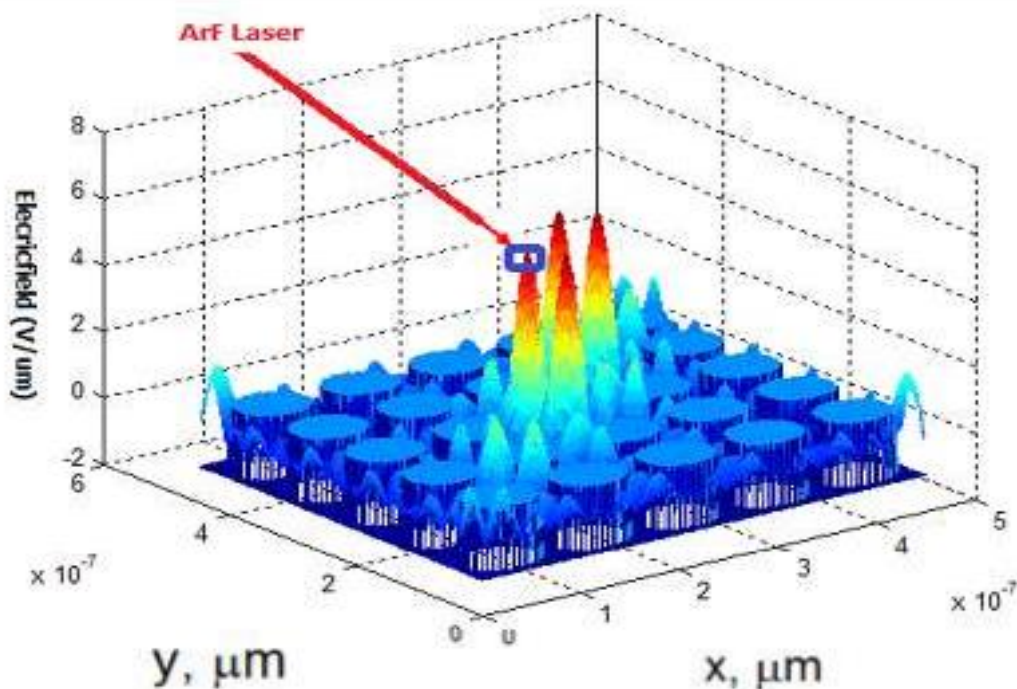


Figure 3; shows the electric field distribution in plasmonic based photonic

crystal fiber with the lattice spacing and diameter of air holes of 50 nm and

39nm respectively. In this figure, the length and breadth of the fiber and filed distribution is taken along x, y and z axis respectively. Further it is observed that the electric filed distribution are emerged from different position of the fiber. Though many signals are coming out from the fiber but we have to select a specific signals which will be used for medical operation. Moreover observing the location of x and y coordinates of the structure and its corresponding to electric field, it is realised that the values of electric field of 1.725V/um at the coordinate of (174nm, 195nm) (x,y) respectively. Similarly the wavelength of the emerging signal from the fiber

corresponding to the above said information is compute using equation (1) and the calculated result is 191nm, that wavelength is called as ArFlasers and it is used for Tissue ionization related to surgical applications. Similarly, the simulation results for electric field of other configuration are made and all the wavelengths corresponding to the same wavelength have found. Even though these graph have not been disclosed directly, the outcomes of the same have been divulged in tabular form and placed in table 1

**Table 1,** Complete information regarding the generation of sixteen different types of bio-medical laser

Sl no	Lattice spacing in nm	Diameter of fiber holes in nm	Position (x,y) in nm	Generating Wavelength in nm	Name of the laser beam	Applications area
1	50	20	(174,195)	191	ArF	Tissue ionization
2	50	19	(170,180)	223	ArCl	Skin
3	50	18	(125,128)	249	KrF	Endoscopic retina
4	50	13	(130,115)	308	Excimer Xe:Cl	Ophthalmology
5	50	14	(75,105)	351	Excimer Xe:F	Tissue destruction
6	50	12	(125,90)	511	Cu(metal)	Ophthalmology
7	50	11	(88,60)	578	Cu(Vapour)	Ophthalmology
8	50	8	(150,60)	532	KTP	Pulmonology
9	50	46	(350,60)	1064	Nd:YAG	Endoscopic investigation
10	50	40	(55,95)	694	Ruby	Removal of tattoos
11	50	17	(140,40)	791	Alexandrite	Lithotripsy
12	50	15	(250,100)	904	GaAs	thoracic disorders

13	50	16	(350,40)	815	Ti:Sapphire	haemoglobin and protein investigation
14	50	42	(320,70)	2100	Ho:YAG	Thermal keratoplasty
15	50	44	(220,60)	2940	Er:YAG	smoothing skin and dermatology
16	50	45	(380,40)	1054	Free electron	ophthalmologic, otolaryngology, neurosurgical

Table 1 signifies a serial number, lattice spacing, diameter of air holes, position of (x,y), the wavelength of emerging laser beams, type of laser and its application are mentioned in column 1,2,3,4,5,6 and 7 respectively. Moreover, the outcomes of table 1 declare that the position of (x,y) coordinates of the fiber varies nonlinearly with the generating or emerging signal from the structure.

#### IV. CONCLUSIONS

The generation of sixteen types of biomedical laser beams including gas, solid state, semiconductor and free electron are obtained with the help of plasmonic based photonic crystal fiber through plane wave expansion method. The principle of measurement deals with the computation of electric field emerging from fiber with respect to the position of coordinates of the fiber. This simulation outcomes declare that diameter of air holes and lattice spacing of the structure determine the amount of wavelength which emerges from the proposed photonic crystal fiber. The present approaches help to medical science to improve the surgical section of the biomedical field.

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