COOLING AND AMPLIFICATION OF A VACUUM-TRAPPED NANOPARTICLE

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TRAPPING



 $\langle \mathbf{F} \rangle = -(\alpha'/2) \nabla \langle |\mathbf{E}|^2 \rangle$



DECELERATION



Cavity opto-mechanics using an optically levitated nanosphere

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Toward quantum superposition of living organisms

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PARAMETRIC COOLING



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CAVITY OPTOMECHANICS



particle : Ω_0 cavity : ω_0

Principles of Nano-Optics, 2nd ed. (Cambridge University Press 2012)

PROBLEM STATEMENT



SMALL OSCILLATION AMPLITUDES

$$\ddot{x}(t) + \Gamma_0 \dot{x}(t) + \Omega_0^2 x(t) = (1/m) \left[F_{\text{fluct}}(t) + F_{\text{opt}}(t) \right]$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\Omega_0 = \sqrt{k_{\text{trap}}/m}.$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$k_{\text{trap}} = 4\pi^3 \frac{\alpha P}{c\varepsilon_0} \frac{(\text{NA})^4}{\lambda^4}$$

EXPERIMENTAL PARAMETERS

R = 73 nm
n = 1.45 + <i>i</i> 8 10 ⁻⁹
m = 4 10 ⁻¹⁸ kg
$\sigma_{\text{scatt}} = (10 \text{nm})^2$

 $k_{trap} = 10 \ \mu N/m$ $\Omega_0 = 2\pi \ 125 \ kHz$

MEASURING THE TRAP STIFFNESS





QUALITY FACTOR



 $P_{\rm gas} = 10^{-5} \,\mathrm{mbar} \longrightarrow \Gamma_0/2\pi = 10 \,\mathrm{mHz} \longrightarrow Q = 10^7$

$$P_{\rm gas} = 10^{-9} \,\mathrm{mbar} \longrightarrow Q \sim 10^{11}$$

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AMPLIFICATION



AMPLIFICATION



 $\ddot{x}(t) + \Gamma_0 \dot{x}(t) + \Omega_0^2 x(t) = (1/m) [F_{\text{fluct}}(t) + F_{\text{opt}}(t)]$ nonlinear! $F_{\text{opt}}(t) = \Delta k_{\text{trap}}(t) x(t)$ $k_0 \sin(\Omega_{\text{mod}} t) \quad x_0 \sin(\Omega_0 t)$





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BISTABILITY / HYSTERESIS



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Modulation: 0.1V / Pressure: 3 10⁻³ mBar

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OSCILLATION IS PHASE-LOCKED



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NONLINEAR FREQUENCY FLUCTUATIONS



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$$\ddot{x}_i + \Omega_i Q_i^{-1} \dot{x}_i + \Omega_i^2 \left(1 + \sum_{j=x,y,z} \xi_j x_j^2 \right) x_i = \mathcal{F}_{\text{fluct}} / m$$

$$\Delta \Omega_{\rm L} = \Omega_0 Q^{-1}$$
$$\Delta \Omega_{\rm NL} = \frac{3}{8} \xi \Omega_0 r_{\rm th}^2 \longrightarrow r_{\rm th} = \sqrt{2k_{\rm B}T/m\Omega_0^2}$$

$$\mathcal{R} = \frac{\Delta \Omega_{\rm NL}}{\Delta \Omega_{\rm L}} = \frac{3\xi Q k_{\rm B} T}{4 \Omega_0^2 m} \longrightarrow \mathbf{Q} \mathsf{T}$$

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BOOSTING SENSITIVITY

Force noise spectral density : $S_F = 4k_B Tm\Omega_0/Q \rightarrow Q/T$

$$\longrightarrow F_{min} = S_F^{1/2} B^{1/2}$$



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-> GENERATION OF SIDEBANDS



COOLING

PARAMETRIC FEEDBACK



FEEDBACK LINEARIZED





CENTER-OFF-MASS TEMPERATURE

$$S_{x}(\Omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \langle x(t)x(t-t')\rangle e^{-i\Omega t'}dt' = \frac{\Gamma_{0}k_{B}T/(\pi m)}{([\Omega_{0}+\delta\Omega]^{2}-\Omega^{2})^{2}+\Omega^{2}[\Gamma_{0}+\delta\Gamma]^{2}}$$

Integrating over
$$\Omega$$
: $\langle x^2 \rangle = \langle x(0)x(0) \rangle = \frac{k_B T}{m(\Omega_0 + \delta \Omega)^2} \frac{\Gamma_0}{\Gamma_0 + \delta \Gamma}$

Equipartition principle : $k_{\rm B}T_{\rm c.m.} = m(\Omega_0 + \delta\Omega)^2 \langle x^2 \rangle$

For $\delta \Omega \ll \Omega_0$:

$$T_{\rm c.m.} = T \frac{\Gamma_0}{\Gamma_0 + \delta \Gamma}$$

CENTER-OFF-MASS TEMPERATURE





PRL 109, 103603 (2012)

QUANTUM GROUNDSTATE



Mean thermal occupancy :
$$\langle n \rangle = \frac{k_B T_{\text{c.m.}}}{\hbar \Omega_0}$$

Quantum groundstate : $\langle n \rangle < 1 \longrightarrow T_{c.m.} \sim 6 \ \mu K$

Extrapolating cooling curve: $\longrightarrow P_{gas} = 10^{-10} \text{ mbar}$

Problem : Signal (area of Lorentzian lineshape) $\propto T_{c.m.}$

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Pressure: 3 10⁻⁴ mBar







FLUCTUATION THEOREM



 $\langle E(t) \rangle = k_B T_0 + k_B (T_{\text{eff}} - T_0) e^{-\Gamma_0 t}$

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For
$$\Omega = \Omega_0$$
 and $S_f^{1/2} = k_{trap} S_x^{1/2}$: $S_f^{1/2} = \sqrt{2 k_{trap}^2 x_{rms}^2 / (\pi Q f_0)}$

Minimum detectable force in bandwidth B : $F_{min} = S_f^{1/2} B^{1/2}$ $= \sqrt{2 B \, k_{
m trap} \, k_B T \, / (\pi Q f_0)}$

For
$$P_{\rm gas} = 10^{-9}\,{
m mbar}$$
 : $F_{min} \approx 10^{-20}\,{
m N}$ in 1 sec

T. D. Stowe et al., Appl. Phys. Lett. 71, 288 (1997).

COUPLING OF COM AND INTERNAL (SPIN) DEGREES OF FREEDOM



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Opt. Lett. 38, 2976 (2013)



SUMMARY

$$\ddot{q} + \Gamma_0 \dot{q} + \Omega_0^2 \left[1 + \underbrace{\epsilon \cos\left(\Omega_{\rm m} t\right)}_{\rm parametric \ drive} + \underbrace{\Omega_0^{-1} \eta q \dot{q}}_{\rm feedback} + \underbrace{\xi q^2}_{\rm Duffing \ term} \right] q = \frac{\mathcal{F}_{\rm fluct}}{m} \approx 0$$

- Trapping and cooling with a single laser beam
- Parametric active feedback (amplification and cooling)
- Compression ratio of 10⁴ (< 50 mK)
- Ultrahigh force sensitivity



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