Two-dimensional van der Waals Heterostructures for Next-generation Light Source

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French Fries

Onion Rings

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3D Materials

Onion Rings 2D Materials (van der Waals materials)







Graphite

Van der Waals Materials



Graphene



2D GROWTH IS FORBIDDEN



growth means temperature close to melting causes violent vibrations destroys order in 2D

A. Geim PPT slides

Peierls; Landau; Mermin-Wagner; ...

(only nm-scale flat crystals are possible to grow in isolation)

THERMODYNAMIC STABILITY



graphene: thermodynamically unstable for <24,000 atoms or size < 20 nm

Shenderova, Zhirnov, Brenner Crit Rev Mat Sci 2002

graphene sheets should scroll

Kaner Science 2003 Braga et al Nanolett 2004



THERMODYNAMICALLY UNSTABLE does not mean IMPOSSIBLE -JUST METASTABLE-

A. Geim PPT slides

Discover of Graphene





Andre Geim

Konstntin Novoselov

Two-dimensional atomic crystals

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We report free-standing atomic crystals that are strictly 2D and can be viewed as individual atomic planes pulled out of bulk crystals or as unrolled single-wall nanotubes. By using micromechanical deavage, we have prepared and studied a variety of 2D crystals indiuding single layers of boron nitride, graphite, several dichalcogenides, and complex oxides. These atomically thin sheets (essentially gignatic 2D molecules unprotected from the immediate environment) are stable under ambient conditions, exhibit high crystal quality, and are continuous on a macroscopic scale. wafer (Fig. 1d), because even a monolayer adds up sufficiently to the optical path of reflected lights to that the interference color changes with respect to the one of an empty substrate (phase contrast). The whole procedure takes literally half an hour to implement and identify probable 2D crystallites. Their further analysis was done by atomic force microscopy (AFM), for which single-layer crystals were selected as those exhibiting an apparent (12) thickness of approximately the interlayer distance in the corresponding 3D crystals.

Despite its simplicity, the described cleavage technique has

several nonobvious features that are instructive to analyze,

graphene | layered material

Idea from "Friday Night Experiments (starting 1977)"





K. Novoselov et al, PNAS (2005)

Discover of Graphene Flying Frog (1997) Gecko Tape (2003)





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The 2000 Ig Nobel Prize Winners

The 2000 Ig Nobel Prizes were awarded on Thursday night, October 5th, 2000 at the 10th First Annual Ig Nobel Prize Ceremony, at Harvard's Sanders Theatre. The ceremony was webcast live. You can watch the video on our youTube Channel.

PHYSICS: Andre Geim of the University of Nijmegen (the Netherlands) and Sir Michael Berry of Bristol University (UK), for using magnets to levitate a frog. [REFERENCE: "Of Flying Frogs and Levitrons" by M.V. Berry and A.K. Geim, European Journal of Physics, v. 18, 1997, p. 307-13.] [REFERENCE: VIDEO] NOTE: Ten years later, in 2010, Andre Geim won a Nobel Prize in physics (for research on another subject).

The Nobel Prize in Physics 2010

The Nobel Prize in Physics 2010 was awarded jointly to Andre Geim and Konstantin Novoselov "for groundbreaking experiments regarding the twodimensional material graphene."





Konstantin

Novoselov Prize share: 1/2





Graphene: Dirac Particles in 2D



Linear dispersion relation Zero band gap Dirac fermion Integer quantum Hall





Graphene Quantum Transport



Columbia, Manchester, MIT



Negative refraction and Veselago lens (Electro-Optics)

Columbia, Stanford, Postech



Twistronics in van der Waals Heterostructure

Twisted bi-layer graphene One + One is Two?





Superlattice in 2D electrons (~10 nm scale)



Magic angle ~ 1.1 degree

Analogy to high Tc superconductor?





Y. Cao et al, Nature (2018)

Not possible bulk crystal structure

Graphene Applications



Graphene have great potential for future technology



Graphene alone is not enough to change the world ! (due to zero-band gap)



Van der Waals Materials



2D van der Waals Heterostructure

2D building block

Multifunctional Quantum Material

Next-generation technolgoy

P-N Junction

Memory

Van der Waals Heterostructure

No lattice match Control angle orientation

Light emitting device Tunneling Diode

Solar cell

Ultrafast Optoelectronics

Graphene Based Optoelectronics

Graphene properties

Linear dispersion relation

Ultrahigh mobility

Transparency

 $E_F=\pm \hbar v_F k_F \, \text{,} \label{eq:EF}$ where , $v_F{\sim}10^6 \, \, \text{m/s}, k_F=\sqrt{\pi n}$

Bolotin, K. I. et al. Solid State Communications (2008). Drude model $\mu = \sigma/en$

 $\mu > 200,000 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$

^(s) 100 ^(s)

Graphene absorption $\pi e^2/\hbar c = \pi \alpha = 2.3\%$

Graphene optoelectronic device

Broadband response Ultrafast dynamics

Strong light-matter interaction

Graphene Based Nanophotonics

42 GHz Chip integrated hBN/Gr/hBN photodetector (Columbia University, MIT)

fc =42 GHz, Responsivity: 360 mA/W, 1 pJ/bit (down to 5 fJ/bit by reducing area)

30 GHz Graphene electro-optic modulator (Columbia)

Nature Photons. (2015)

Tuning thermalization pathway in Gr/hBN/Gr (MIT)

Nature Phys. (2016) Interlayer photocurrent response time (< 100 fs) by adjusting interlayer bias voltage.

Hybrid graphene-quantum dot photodetector (ICFO, Spain)

Responsivity: 10⁷A/W

30 Gbps, 15 dB per 10 V, 800 fJ/bit

Hot Electrons in Graphene

Excitation

Strong e-e interaction

- Carrier multiplication
- Hot electrons

Electron cooling in intrinsic graphene ? Bucket Bottleneck

Energy Relaxation in Graphene

•Hot electrons cooling pathway bottleneck

•Very weak electron-acoustic phonon coupling.

•Non-equilibrium phonon mode.

•Non-equilibrium temperature of graphene $T_E \sim T_{OP} > T_{AP}$

Light Emission from Graphene?

Graphene

- •Zero-bandgap
- •Klein tunneling (No rectification in p-n junction)
- •Ultrafast energy relaxation
- -Electron-electron: ~ 10 fs
- -Electron optical phonon: 10 ~ 100 fs
- -Optical phonon decay to acoustic phonon: ~ 1 ps

Non-efficient radiative electron-hole recombination

Klein Tunneling

Incandescence

Light bulb

 $I = \frac{2hc^2}{\lambda^5} (\exp \frac{hc}{\lambda k_B T} - 1)$

T: electron temperature

Electron temperature is important, not phonon temperature.

Blackbody radiation

Hot Electrons Luminescence in Graphene

Ideal material for thermal radiation

Excitation T_E Electron T_C T_E T_C T_CP T_CP T_CP T_CP Optical phonon Relaxation Bottleneck T_AP Acoustic phonon

Ambient

Planck's law $I(\omega) \sim 1/(\exp(\hbar\omega/k_B T_e) - 1)$

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Efficient thermal radiation source

Graphene on Substrate

M.-H Bae et al, Nano Lett. (2010)

M. Freitag et al, Nature Nanotech. (2010)

•Graphene under high bias.

- •Thermal radiation at near IR emission.
- •Follow Planck's law (T < 600 K). $I(\omega) \sim \omega^3 / (\exp(\hbar \omega / k_B T) - 1)$
- •Low radiation efficiency (~10⁻⁶)
- Dominant heat dissipation by substrate
- Strong electron scattering (charged impurity, defects of substrate)

Performance of graphene light emitters are limited by substrate.

Suspended Graphene

Y. D. Kim et al, Nature Nanotech. (2015)

- Minimize the substrate effect
- Reduce vertical heat dissipation to substrate
- Approaching to the intrinsic characteristic

Bright Visible Light Emission from Graphene

Vsd = 2.4V -> 2.9V -> 2.4V

Electric pulsed |Vsd| = 7.5 V -> 8 V

World's Thinnest Light Source

POPULAR SCIENCE THE WALL STREET JOURNAL FOX NEWS SINDEPENDENT nature Mational = WIEBD.CO.UK Daily Mail materialstoday

Plan: Electrical measurements of mechanical oscillation of graphene

Problem: Dirty graphene Solution: Current annealing Try, but fail!

Thermal induced stress

 $T = -\alpha \Delta t E \omega t$

Negative thermal expansion coefficient : Tensile stress Positive thermal expansion coefficient : Compressive stress

From 2012 Ph.D. Defense ppt Slides

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Discovery something new by wrong Labview

Radiation Spectrum of Graphene Light Emitter

Monolayer graphene ($L = 6 \mu m$, $W = 3 \mu m$, $D \sim 1 \mu m$)

Si

Photoen Energy (eV)

2.4

2.8

2.0

1.2

1.6

Hot Electron Localization

F (V/µm)

Graphene-Si Hybrid Photonic Circuit

Photodetector (~42 GHz)

R.-J. Shiue et al. Nano Lett. (2015)

Optical modulator (~ 30 GHz)

C. T. Phare et al. Nature Photonics (2015)

Q. Bao and K.P. Loh, ACS Nano (2012)

Graphene light emitter? How fast light modulation?

Rising of Hexagonal Boron Nitride

Boron Nitride

Comparison of h-BN and SiO₂

	Band Gap	Dielectric Constant	Optical Phonon Energy	Structure
BN	6.4 eV	~4	>150 meV	Layered crystal
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- chemically inert, stable to high temp.
- no dangling bonds- good dielectric properties

hBN Encapsulated Graphene

At limit of acoustic phonon

Ultrafast Graphene Light Emitter

hBN/Gr/hBN heterostructure

- •Bright visible light emission
- •Electron scattering suppress is more dominant
- •hBN encapsulation for practical light source even in ambient condition
- •Life-time above 4 year

Graphene

Black body thermal radiation

$$I(\omega,T) = \int E(\omega)n(\omega,T)D(\omega)$$

 $E(\omega)$: Mode energy, $n(\omega, T)$: photon occupation $D(\omega)$: Local optical density

Strong light-matter interaction of graphene
Engineering local optical density in subwavelength

Optical cavity Fas, die integration to arbitrary structures

Y.D. Kim et al, Nano Letters (2018).

Graphene

- •Graphene light emitter hybrid to Si photonic crystal
- •Resonance at telecommunication wavelength (1550~1600 nm)
- •Strong light-matter interaction- enhance radiation efficiency 39

Polaritons in van der Waals interface

Hybrid of Graphene plasmon- hBN phonon polariton

Direct efficient electronic cooling pathway (Graphene-hBN interface)

A. Principi et al., PRL (2017)

Polaritons in van der Waals interface

Hybrid graphene plasmonic- hBN phonon polariton mode Extra hot electron cooling pathway

Ultrafast Graphene Light Emitters

•Electrically driven GHz range thermal radiation source

•Thermal relaxation time $\tau = C_e/\Gamma$ (heat capacity of graphene and hot electron cooling rate)

Ultrafast Graphene Light Emitters

80 ps electrical excitation

- •10 GHz bandwidth (FWHM ~ 92 ps)
- •Hybrid graphene plasmon-hBN phonon polariton (2~3 nm hBN contribution)
- •Direct and efficient electron cooling pathway by graphene/hBN interface

Chip-Integrated Graphene Light Emitter

Large Scale Graphene Light Emitter

PECVD Graphene on arbitrary substrate

CVD Graphene on Cu foil

unpublished

Hyung-sik Kim Ken Shepard group/ Samsung Display

- Scale up using large scale CVD graphene
- Over 60,000 graphene light emitter array on chip
- PECVD graphene No need transfer process
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Large Scale Graphene Light Emitter

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- Large-scale graphene light emission
- Potential transparent display module and augmented reality display

unpublished

Incandescent Lamp

Inventors of the Modern Incandescent Lamp

Large bulb is essential for vacuum and inert gas!

Nernst Lamp

Walther Nernst (1864-1941)

plugs.

The elements of the Nernst Lamp are the glower, heater (made up of two or four heater (nbes), ballast and cut-out. These are assembled in the lamp body and the holder.

> $_{\sim}$ ide (ZrO₂) $um Oxide (Y_2O_3)$

No oxidation under high temperature and air.

No need vacuum and noble gas

No current flow at room temperature.

Heater

reserved until th a this statute was then applied. Walther Nernst therefore received his Nobel Prize for 14 sater, in 1921.

3rd law of thermodynamics

"The entropy of a system approaches a constant value a its temperature approaches absolute zero"

Invented in 1897

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hBN Band Structure

Wide bandgap (>7.25 eV) and Indirect bandgap material. Very large exciton binding energy (0.2 eV).

Quantum Emitter in Wide Bandgap Material

NV center Diamond (3D)

Single photon source at Room Temperature.

Key material for quantum information system.

hBN based Quantum Emitter

Singe color center (Defect) in hBN (2D) Single photon source at Rom Temperature

T. T. Tran et al, Nature Nanotech. (2016)

Tunable quantum emitter by strain

Electric field Stark tuning

G. Noh et al, Nano Lett. (2018)

2D Quantum emitter with various tunability!

2D Semiconductors

K. Kalantar-zade et al, Advanced Funct. Mat. (2015)

Direct band gap - PL

Exciton-Polariton in 2D Semiconductors

X. Liu et al, Nature Photonics. (2015).

Exciton-Polariton Applications

C. Schneider et al, Nature (2013).

Bose-Einstein condensation in solid

2D materials: large exciton binding energy

Interlayer exciton: room temperature BEC

(2014). GaAs: ~3.5 meV (15 nm Bohr radius) MoS2: ~ 140 meV (1 nm Bohr radius) Type II TMDC: >200 meV

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- Bosonic quasi particle
- High temperature superconductivity and superfluidity
- Quantum simulator and quantum information

2D Materials for Next-generation Light Source

J. D. Caldwell et al, Nature Reviews Materials. (2019)

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