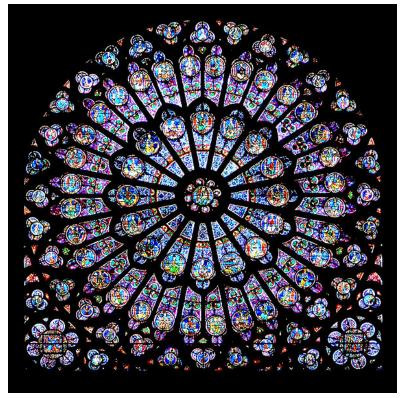
Properties are more than the sum of their parts...



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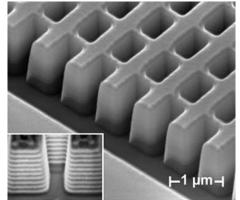
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Enable exotic optical and mechanical properties...

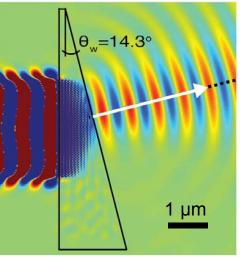
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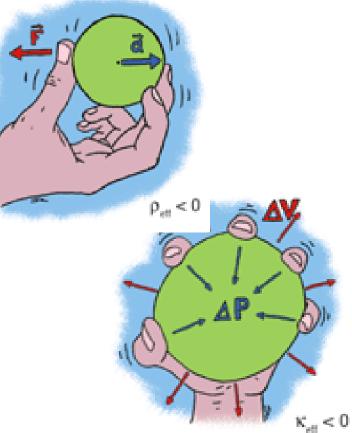


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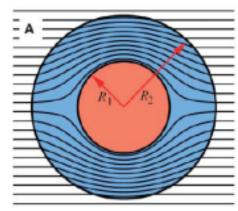
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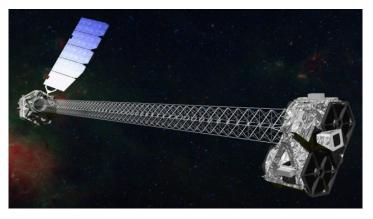
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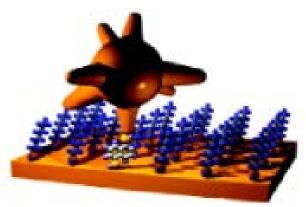
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Critical damping of vibrations



NuSTAR deployable mast



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