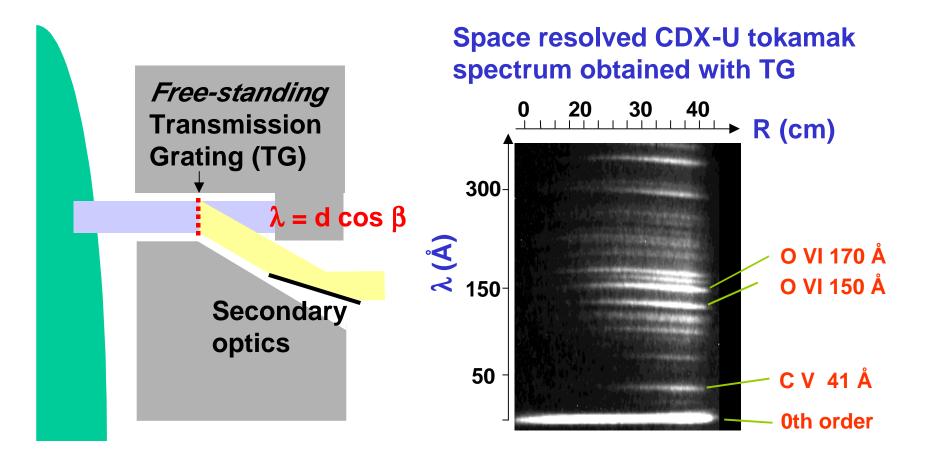
Soft X-ray to VUV diagnostics for ITER

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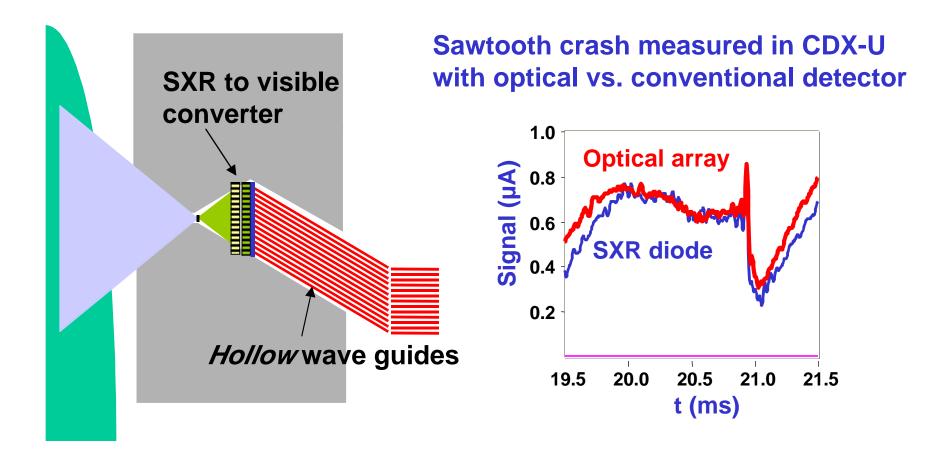
- New ideas and R&D strongly needed for:
 - Light extraction and detection
 Robust and modular imaging devices
 Atomic modeling tools
- Independent/alternate measurements of critical parameters essential
- Basic ITER diagnostics (CXRS, MSE, magnetics) prone to large uncertainties (first mirror, calibration, and SNR issues)
- SXR-VUV imaging spectroscopy can provide
 N_z, Z_{eff}, T_e, plasma shape & position, current profile constraint

Light extraction



- Transmissive-diffractive elements (tungsten grids) could avoid reflectivity degradation encountered with mirrors
- Approach might be scalable to longer wavelengths

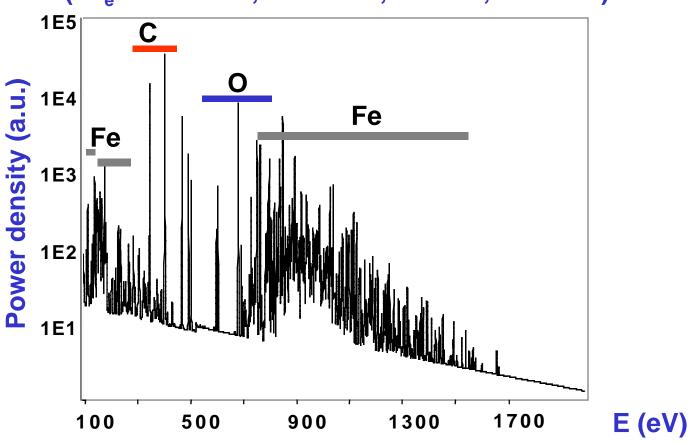
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- Optical arrays' of converter / hollow wave guides may enable wide angle SXR-VUV measurements
- Imaging designs possible with such extraction/detection techniques

Modeling tools

HULLAC simulation of tokamak spectrum ($T_e >= 0.6 \text{ keV}$, Fe 0.02%, C 1.5%, O 0.25%)



- Prediction of instrument specific spectral patterns essential
- Develop HULLAC database for low to high-Z elements in ITER