



X-PIC – Deliverable

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This report regards the communication impact, exploitation and dissemination activities realized between April 1st 2022 and September 30th 2023 and it's an update of the dissemination and exploitation plan submitted in March 2022.

The strategy at the base of the communication impact, exploitation and dissemination activities plan has not changed and we confirm the expected impact on technology and society and on future leadership, the needs solved thanks to the results of the project and the outputs created.

2. Repositories, achieved stakeholders, used channels

The following data are available on the X-PIC website at https://www.x-pic.eu/project/deliverables/

DATA	SHORT DESCRIPTIONS
X-PIC Deliverable D4.1	FIRST VERSION OF THE PROJECT WEBSITE - Website and project logo
X-PIC Deliverable D4.2	Data Management Plan
X-PIC Deliverable D4.3	1st report about the communication impact, the exploitation and the dissemination activities.

The X-PIC consortium has identified these target groups and reached the following entities/people:

TARGET GROUPS	DESCRIPTIONS
Scientific Community (Hig	her Physics & Metrology
Education, Research)	– dr. Akira Ozawa, Max-Planck- Institut für Quantenoptik (Germany)
	Photonics (Spectroscopy, Lasers)
	- prof. Francesca Calegari, DESY and Hamburg University (Germany)





Industry	Laser sources development			
	- dr. Aivaras Urniežius, LightConversion (Lithuania)			
	Microfluidics			
	- dr. Guillaume Laffite, Klearia (France)			
	Microoptics from the IR to the X-Rays			
	- dr. Adam Kubec, Xrnanotech (Switzerland)			
General Public	Broad audience of photonics and physics enthusiasts, met during outreach activities (see Section 3).			

3. Outreach activities

3.1 Outreach activities already realized

- POLIMI and CNR participated to the national yearly event **Italian Quantum Weeks** hold in Milan (Italy) from April 5th -12th 2022 with outreach activities on X-PIC project. This event was promoted by Italian engineers, disseminators and educators on the occasion of the first World Quantum Day (on 14th April, 2022) with the aim of raising awareness of the quantum world and the opportunities that the quantum revolution is about to offer (see Figure n.1). The number of persons visiting the event was estimated to be 600, 360 of which were high-school students.
- CNR and Polimi, in collaboration with OPTICA EPS SPIE Student Chapters of Politecnico di Milano participated to the "Festival della Scienza" di Genova (Italy) from October 20th to November 1st 2022. The Genoa Science festival is a reference point for science dissemination in Italy and it has been a perfect opportunity to introduce X-PIC project to general audience and to reach scientist from other fields that might be interested in X-PIC technology. Moreover 2022 was the Year of Glass, which is the material where the X-PIC platform is fabricated thus the title of the presentation regarding X-PIC project was "Luce e vetro una storia millenaria: dalla diffrazione alle tecniche laser" "Light and glass a thousand year story: from diffraction to laser techniques" (see Figure n.2). The number of persons visiting the stand and following the X-PIC description was estimated in 2056.





- POLIMI and CNR together with the X-PIC partners organized the first workshop entirely dedicated to X-PIC for the of Promotion of an "ecosystem" of scientists, enterprises, and users around EUV-SXR integrated photonics. The workshop took place in Milan on March 23rd 2023. Multi-disciplinary speakers from both the academic and industrial worlds participated to the workshop with the aim to create a large community around the technology, open novel collaboration and exploitation routes and pave the way to future large conferences in this novel field (see Figures n.3a-c and 4). The number of attendees was 25, in line with the estimated number foreseen in the project.

4. Communication, dissemination and exploitation activities already implemented

4.1 Communication activities

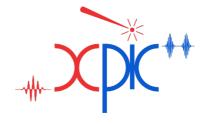
Social media communications on TWITTER, FACEBOOK, LINKEDIN and on the project website

	Media		
TWITTER	CNR participation to CLEO Europe 2023		
	Link: https://twitter.com/fastgroup_ifn/status/1674334876785360899/photo/1		
	Type of account: FastGroup, CNR		
	Number of Interactions: 15 likes		
	See Figure 5		
	Pasquale Barbato price at conference LMPA 2023 (Japan)		
	Link: https://x.com/fastgroup_ifn/status/1699702593411256618?s=20		
	Type of account: FastGroup, CNR		
	Number of Interactions: 11 likes		
	See Figure 8		





INSTAGRAM	CNR participation to ECIO 2022 Link: https://www.instagram.com/p/CdVI67UMmBn/ Type of account: FastGroup, CNR			
	Number of Interactions: 30 likes			
	See Figure 6			
	CNR participation to FESTIVAL DELLA SCIENZA			
	Link:			
	https://www.instagram.com/p/CkVzHlxL4uo/?igshid=NjZiM2M3MzIxNA==			
	Type of account: FastGroup, CNR			
	umber of Interactions: 32 likes			
	See Figure 7			
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	Type of account: Fisica – Politecnico di Milano			
	Number of Interactions: 2 likes <i>See figure n. 3c</i>			
LINKEDIN	Link:			
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	Type of account: Fisica – Politecnico di Milano			
	Number of interactions: views, 11 reactions. See figure n. 4			
Project Website	An X-PIC publication on the APL Photonics journal cover page			
i rojece website	Link:			
	https://www.x-pic.eu/articolo-in-copertina-di-apl-photonics/			
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4.2 Dissemination activities

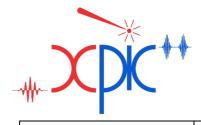
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		https://	re.public.po	olimi.it/hand	le/11311	1/1223886		
Opt. I	Mater. Express	12, Title of	publication	: "Advanced	ohotonic	and optoflui	dic devices fab	ricated
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		https://r	e.public.poli	mi.it/handle/	11311/12	31324		

	Conferences
European Conference on	Pasquale Barbato, Femtosecond Laser Micromachining of Integrated
Integrated Optics, Milan,	Hollow-core Waveguides for High-order Harmonic Generation and XUV
4-6 may 2022,	Filtering
Oral presentation	
Congresso Nazionale	Pasquale Barbato, Femtosecond laser micromachining of integrated
Società Italiana di Fisica,	devices for XUV generation
Milan, 12-16 sept 2022,	
Oral presentation	
ATTO VIII - Attosecond	Caterina Vozzi, HHG in chip for Attosecond soft-X spectroscopy
Science and Technology	
Conference, 11-15 July	
2022 - Orlando, USA	





Local and Annual	
Invited talk	
International Congress	Anna Cabriella Ciriola Coberent VIII/ Congretion and Manipulation Incide
	Anna Gabriella Ciriolo, Coherent XUV Generation and Manipulation Inside
on Applications of Lasers	Microfluidic Devices Fabricated by Femtosecond Laser Micromachining
& Electro-Optics	
(ICALEO), 17-20 October	
2022, Orlando (USA).	
Invited talk	
2023 Conference on Lasers	Rebeca Martínez Vázquez, Integrated glass chips for XUV radiation
and Electro-Optics/Europe	generation and manipulation
– European Quantum	
Electronics Virtual	
Conferences	
(CLEO®/Europe-EQEC 2023)	
, 26 – 30 June 2023,	
Munich, Germany	
Oral presentation	
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Conference on Attosecond	Nistico, and Salvatore Stagira; Modeling EUV and SXR generated by mid-IR
Science and Technology, 9-	femtosecond pulses in hollow core fibers
14 July 2023, Korea	Katalin Kovacs and Valer Tosa; Three ways to select from two attosecond
	pulses
n. 2 posters	
7th International	Caterina Vozzi, High-order harmonic generation for the investigation of
Symposium on Intense	ultrafast dynamics in semiconductors: attosecond soft-X spectroscopy and HHG in solids
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Atomic and Molecular	
Processes, 21-23 July 2023,	
St. Sauveur, Québéc,	
Canada	
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4.3 Exploitation activities

Project exploitation activities aimed at multidisciplinary scientific communities

An online meeting with the Scientific Advisory Board (SAB) took place on September 14th, 2023 (see Figure 10).

During this meeting the project partners described the achievements obtained after the first two years of the project. The SAB has not yet provided a written report about the project activities, however few technical and some general advises were informally told to the project partner and will be considered during the remaining part of the project.

5. Project Internal Communication

The internal communication is being carried on by means of short and timely internal meetings within each research Unit involving all the members of the local research team at work on the project, or part of it, depending on the specific activity to be discussed.

From April 2022 to September 2023 we had n. 10 internal meetings, as detailed below:

- Internal meetings among POLIMI, CNR, INCDTIM and C5 regarding the project evolution:
 06/05/2022, 21/12/2022; attendees S. Stagira, A. Frezzotti, R. Martínez Vázquez, V. Tosa, Philipp Merkl, Robert Riedel.
- Internal meetings among POLIMI, CNR and INCDTIM regarding XUV waveguiding: 21/06/2022, 09/09/2022 and 25/01/2023; attendees S. Stagira, R. Martínez Vázquez, V. Tosa, P. Barbato, A. G. Ciriolo.
- Internal meetings between CNR and POLIMI regarding HHG chip for high pressures: 12/07/2022, 04/10/2022, 13/12/2022 and 01/02/2023; attendees R. Martínez Vázquez, A. Frezzotti, A. G. Ciriolo, A. Nisticò.
- Internal meeting between POLIMI and INCDTIM about the modelling of laser-chip coupling for HHG: 04/08/2023; attendees S. Stagira and V. Tosa.





Attachment n.1

Italian Quantum Weeks

Posted on April 5, 2022 by Salvatore



X-PIC supporta la prima edizione Milanese dell'Italian Quantum Weeks che si svolgerà dal 5 al 12 Aprile 2022 al Politecnico di Milano con la partecipazione di CNR – IFN Istituto di Fotonica e Nanotecnologie, Università statale di Milano e Optica, EPS e SPIE Student Chapters Milano

Per maggiori informazioni e iscrizione ai seminari: www.eventi.polimi.it/events/mostra-dire-lindicibile-la-sovrapposizione-quantistica

Evento Nazionale: www.quantumweeks.it

X-PIC supports the first edition in Milano of the Italian Quantum Weeks initiative that will took place from 5th to 12th April 2022 in Politecnico di Milano with the contribution from CNR – IFN Istituto di Fotonica e Nanotecnologie, Università statale di Milano and Optica, EPS e SPIE Student Chapters Milano

For more details and for the registration to the seminars please have a look at: www.eventi.polimi.it/events/mostra-dire-lindicibile-la-sovrapposizione-quantistica

National event: www.quantumweeks.it

Figure 1 Outreach activities during the Italian Quantum Week





Festival della Scienza - Luce e vetro una storia millenaria

Posted on October 18, 2022 by Salvatore



Il progetto X-PIC (in collaborazione con il OPTICA EPS SPIE Student Chapters of Politecnico di Milano) partecipa al Festival della Scienza di Genova con il laboratorio interattivo dal titolo "Luce e vetro una storia millenaria: dalla diffrazione alle tecniche laser" per mostrare con il gioco come la luce e il vetro interagiscono e si influenzano a vicenda.

Quando: Dal 20 Ottobre al 1 Novembre 2022

Dove: Piazza delle Feste – Ponte Embriaco – Area Porto Antico – Genova

The X-PIC project (in collaboration with the OPTICA EPS SPIE Student Chapters of Politecnico di Milano) contributes to the Festival della Scienza in Genova with the interacting laboratory entitled "Luce e vetro una storia millenaria: dalla diffrazione alle tecniche laser" to show through games how light and glass interact and influence each other.

When: October 20th to November 1st 2022

Where: Piazza delle Feste - Ponte Embriaco - Area Porto Antico - Genova

Figure 2 Outreach activities during Festival della Scienza







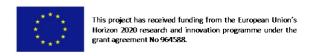


1st Workshop of the X-PIC project

23rd March 2023, Milan

Room Pedeferri (bulding 6) Campus Leonardo – Politecnico di Milano

09:00-09:30	Welcome & Registration
09:30-10:00	The X-PIC project: goals and vision (Salvatore Stagira, Politecnico di Milano)
10:00-10:30	On chip few-cycle UV pulse generation, applications and outlooks (Francesca Calegari, DESY and Hamburg University)
10:30-11:00	Simplyfing the EUV Transient grating trough integrated devices (Riccardo Mincigrucci,
11:00-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-12:00	Phase-matching strategies for XUV generation in hollow waveguides (Valer Tosa, INCDTIM)
12:00-12:30	Review about high-power MIR OPCPA systems (Philipp Merkl, Class 5 Photonics GmbH)
12:30-13:00	Modeling of femtosecond laser pulse energy deposition for the generation of high-order
	harmonics in microfluidics devices (Federico Bariselli, Aeronautics & Aerospace
	Department of the von Karman Institute)
13:00-14:30	Lunch (buffet)
14:30-15:00	Femtosecond laser micromachining of microfluidic devices for intense laser applications:
	technological limits and prospects (Rebeca Martinez Vazquez, CNR-IFN)
15:00-15:30	At-Resolution, 3D Metrology for the EUV Era (Andrea Invernizzi, ASML Research)
15:30-16:00	Soft and Hard-X-ray Reflective Optics at Thales SESO: opportunities for the project X-PIC
	(Luca Peverini, Thales SESO)
16:00-16:30	Coffee break
16:30-17:30	Round table and concluding remarks (Chair Salvatore Stagira)









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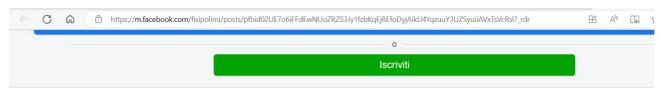
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Figure 3b Flyer of the First Workshop of the X-PIC project





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23 march 2023 9:00 am - room Pedeferri Politecnico di Milano CNR - IFN, Istituto di Fotonica e Nanotecnologie with Salvatore Stagira & partner https://www.x-pic.eu/



Figure 3c Facebook post





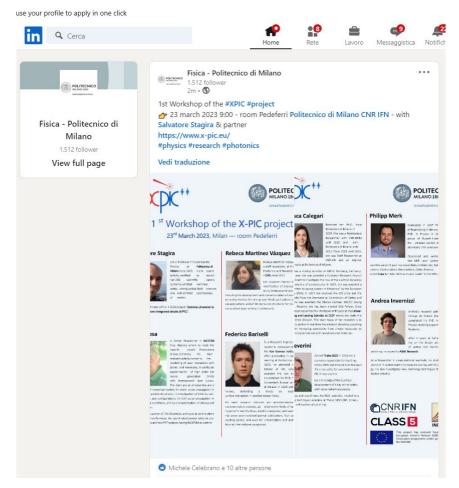


Figure 4 Linkedin post







Figure 5. Twitter post CLEO Europe 2023





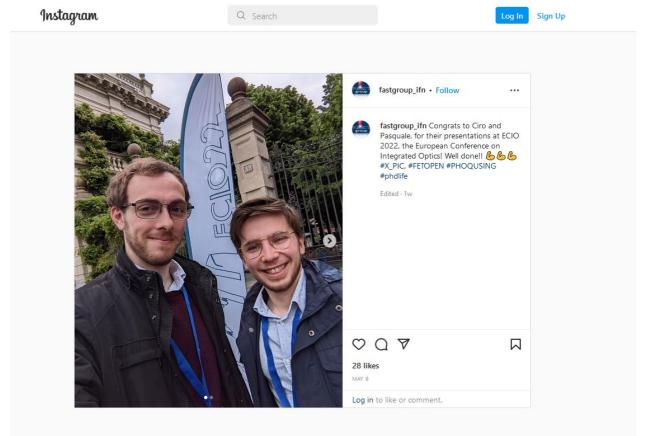


Figure 6. ECIO 2023 Milan, Italy

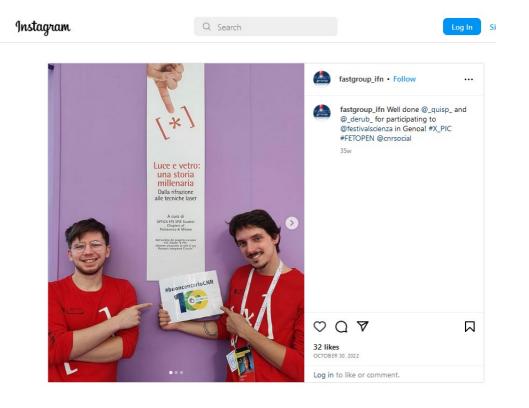


Figure 7. Festival della Scienza







We are very proud of our student Pasquale we won the #Poster competition at #LMPA2023 in Japan! Well done and congratulations! #X_PIC



Figure 8. Tweet LMPA2023





APL Photonics: a new X-PIC study on the cover page

Posted on December 15, 2022 by Salvatore



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The recently published paper "Microfluidic devices for quasi-phase-matching in high-order harmonic generation" has been selected for the cover page of the APL Photonics journal.

The Authors of the paper are: A. G. Ciriolo, R. Martínez Vázquez, G. Crippa, M. Devetta, D. Faccialà, P. Barbato, F. Frassetto, M. Negro, F. Bariselli, L. Poletto, V. Tosa, A. Frezzotti, C. Vozzi, R. Osellame, and S. Stagira.

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Figure 9. The announcement about the cover page attributed to a X-PIC paper on APL Photonics.



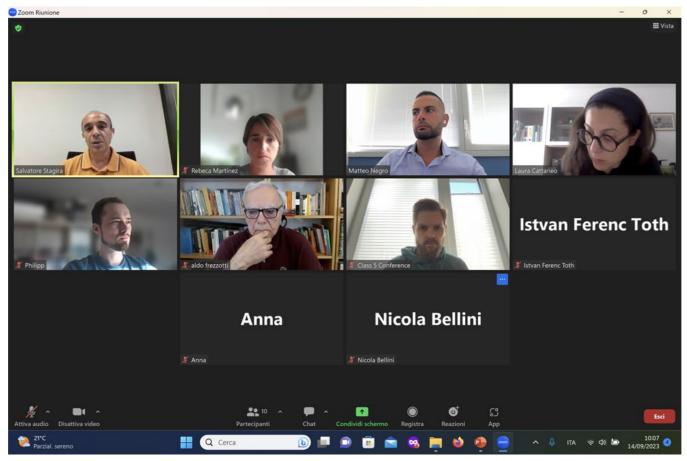


Figure 10. Online meeting of the X-PIC Consortium with the Scientific Advisory Board on September 14th 2023.