Gravity is related to gravitational mass of the bodies. According to the weak form of Einstein’s General Relativity equivalence principle, the gravitational and inertial masses are equivalent. However recent calculations (gr-qc/9910036) have revealed that they are correlated by an adimensional factor, which depends on the incident radiation upon the particle. It was shown that there is a direct correlation between the radiation absorbed by the particle and its gravitational mass, independently of the inertial mass. This finding has fundamental consequences to Unified Field Theory and Quantum Cosmology. It was also shown that only in the absence of electromagnetic radiation this factor becomes equal to one and that, in specific electromagnetic conditions, it can be reduced, nullified or made negative. This means that there is the possibility of control of the gravitational mass by means of the incident radiation. This unexpected theoretical result was recently confirmed by an experiment (gr-qc/0005107). Consequently there is a strong evidence that the gravitational forces can be reduced, nullified and inverted by means of electromagnetic radiation. This means that, in practice we can produce gravitational binaries, and in this way to extract energy from a gravitational field. Here we describe a process by which energy can be extracted directly from any site of a gravitational field.

INTRODUCTION

In a previous paper\(^1\) we have shown that the general expression of correlation between gravitational mass \(m_g\) and inertial mass \(m_i\), is given by

\[
m_i = m_i - 2 \left[ \left( \frac{U}{m_i c^2} \right)^2 \left( \frac{\varepsilon \mu \sigma}{2 (1 + \frac{\sigma}{2 \omega})} \right)^2 - 1 \right] m_i \tag{1}
\]

where \(U\) is the electromagnetic energy absorbed by the particle; \(\varepsilon, \mu\) and \(\sigma\) are the electromagnetic characteristics of the outside medium around the particle in which the incident radiation is propagating. For an atom inside a body, the incident radiation on this atom will be propagating inside the body, and consequently, \(\sigma = \sigma_{\text{body}}\), \(\varepsilon = \varepsilon_{\text{body}}\), \(\mu = \mu_{\text{body}}\). So, if \(\omega << \sigma_{\text{body}}/\varepsilon_{\text{body}}\), equation above reduces to

\[
m_g = m_a - 2 \left[ \left( \frac{U}{m_a c^2} \right)^2 \left( \frac{\varepsilon \mu_{\text{body}} \sigma_{\text{body}}}{4 \omega} \right)^2 - 1 \right] m_a \tag{2}
\]

where \(m_a\) is the inertial mass of the atom.

This equation shows clearly that, atoms (or molecules) can have their gravitational masses strongly reduced by means of extra-low frequency (ELF) radiation.

We built a system to verify the effects of the ELF radiation on the gravitational mass of a body. The experimental setup and the obtained results were presented in a recent paper\(^2\). That experiment confirmed that the general expression of correlation between gravitational mass and inertial mass (Eq.1) is true. In practice, this means that the gravitational forces can be reduced, nullified and inverted by means of electromagnetic radiation. Therefore we can build gravitational binaries, and in this way to extract energy from any site of a gravitational field.

In this work we present a system to extract energy directly from a gravitational field, which is basically a gravitational binary produced by means of gravity control. We named this system: Gravitational Motor.
THE GRAVITATIONAL MOTOR

The experimental system is shown in Figure 1. It is based on the system-G presented in reference[2].

The annealed pure iron utilized in the system-G, is now in three tubes in the rotor of the motor (2 externals and 1 internal, see fig.1a). It has an electric conductivity \( \sigma=1.03\times10^7 \text{S/m} \), magnetic permeability \( \mu=25000\mu_0 \), thickness 20 mm (to absorb totally the ELF radiation produced by the antenna). Here the ELF antenna is encapsulated by a ceramic ferromagnetic material, which must have \( \sigma_p = 10 \text{ S/m}; \mu_p = 7500\mu_0 \). Note that, the relative permeability is 100 times greater than the relative permeability of the iron powder of the System-G. The antenna physical length is \( z_0 = 12 \text{ m} \), (see Fig.1c). The power radiated by the antenna can be calculated by the well-known general expression, for \( z_0 << \lambda \):

\[
P = (l_0 \omega z_0^2)^2 / 3\pi e^3 v^2 \{ [1 + (\sigma/\omega e)^2]^{1/2} - 1 \}\]  \( (3) \)

where \( l_0 \) is the antenna current amplitude; \( \omega = 2\pi f; f = 0.6 \text{Hz} \) (Note that here the frequency is 100 times less than in the system-G); \( e = e_0 \); \( \sigma = \sigma_p \) and \( v \) is the wave phase velocity in the ceramic ferromagnetic material (given by Equation 1.02, in reference [1]). The radiation efficiency \( e = P / P + P_{\text{ohmic}} \) is nearly 100%.

Each atom of the annealed pure iron tubes absorbs an ELF energy \( U = \eta P_d/f \), where \( \eta \) is a particle-dependent absorption coefficient (the maxima \( \eta \) values occurs, as we know, for the frequencies of the atom’s absorption spectrum) and \( P_a \) is the incident radiation power on the atom; \( P_a = DS_a \), where \( S_a \) is the atom’s geometric cross section and \( D = P/S \) the radiation power density on the iron atom( \( P \) is the power radiated by the antenna and \( S \) is approximately equal to the lateral area of the encapsulated antenna). We are assuming that \( D \) is approximately constant inside the iron tubes). Thus, we can write:

\[
U = \eta S_d (l_0 z_0)^2 / 3\pi e^3 v^2 \{ [1 + (\sigma/\omega e)^2]^{1/2} - 1 \} \]  \( (4) \)

Consequently, according to Eq.(1), for \( \omega \ll \sigma/\varepsilon \), the gravitational masses of these iron atoms, under these conditions, will be given by:

\[
m_g = m_a - 2[1 + 6.2\times10^{-4} l_0^4 S^{-2}]^{1/2} - 1 \]  \( (5) \)

Equation above shows that the gravitational masses \( (m_g) \) of the atoms of the annealed pure iron can be nullified for \( l_0 = 6.7 \text{A} \) if \( S=1\text{m}^2 \). Above this critical value the gravitational masses becomes negatives.

The iron tubes of the rotor start to spin when the symmetry of the gravitational forces acting on them is broken .i.e., when the gravitational forces acting on the part submitted to the ELF radiation start to be reduced (the left side of the iron tubes, see Fig.1d).

Let us assume that \( m_i \) is the inertial mass of each half of a iron tube and \( m_g \) the gravitational mass of the half submitted to the ELF radiation, and that \( m_g \) was made negative, in such way that \( m_g = -N m_i, N > 0 \). Then we can consider that on the left side of the iron tube the weight is inverted and its intensity is \( |m_g| = N m_i \), in accordance with Eq.(2.05) of the reference [1]. On the other hand, on the right of the tube the weight it is preserved and equal to \( m_i \). Therefore, it is easy to see that the tangential acceleration \( a_T \) of the tube will be equal to \( g \). Thus, the medium angular acceleration \( \alpha \) of the tube will be given by:

\[
\alpha = \frac{a_T}{r} = g/r \]  \( (6) \)
where \( r = (r_1 + r_2)/2 \); \( r_1 \) and \( r_2 \) are respectively, the external and internal radius of the tube.

Consequently, the Torque \( T \), will be given by: \( T = \frac{1}{2}I \alpha = \frac{1}{2} I g \), where \( I = \frac{1}{2} M_s \left( \frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2}{r_1^2 + r_2^2} \right) \) is the moment of inertia of the tube.

Note that the equation of the moment of inertia contains \( |M_s| \) instead of the inertial mass. This is a consequence of the new expression for the kinetics energy,

\[
K = \frac{1}{2} |M_s| v^2, \quad (7)
\]

which is obtained from the equation of the Total Energy (Eq.(2.07) of the reference [1]). It is known that we can write \( K = \frac{1}{2} \left( \sum m_j r_j^2 \right) \omega^2 \) where \( \left( \sum m_j r_j^2 \right) = I \) is called moment of inertia of the body in respect to its rotation axis. Consequently, due to the equation(7), the \( m_j \) in the equation above, refers now to the gravitational masses.

Finally, we can write \( K = \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2 = \text{(Force)} \times \text{(Displacement)} = \left( |M_s| g + m_i g \right) \times (2\pi r) \). Consequently, we obtain

\[
\omega = \sqrt{\frac{8\pi g \left( \frac{r_1 + r_2}{r_1^2 + r_2^2} \right)}{\frac{2\pi g \left( \frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2}{r_1 + r_2} \right) \left( \frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2}{r_1 + r_2} \right)}}} \quad (8)
\]

Thus, the power of the spinning iron tube gives

\[
P = T \omega = |M_s| \sqrt{\frac{2\pi g \left( \frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2}{r_1 + r_2} \right)}{\frac{8\pi g \left( \frac{r_1 + r_2}{r_1^2 + r_2^2} \right)}}} \quad (9)
\]

where \( |M_s| = |m_s| + m_i = (N + 1)m_i \).

Therefore, if we assume that the internal iron tube of the rotor has the followings characteristics: \( r_1 = 0.10 \text{m}; r_2 = 0.08 \text{m}; L = H = 0.50 \text{m} \) (L is the length of the tube); \( \rho = 7.8 \times 10^3 \text{kg/m}^3 \) (pure iron), and that \( S = 0.4 \text{m}^2 \) and \( l_0 = 29 \text{A} \), then equation(5) tells us that \( N = 10^2 \). Thus, according to equation(9) we obtain

\[
P = 57.4 \text{ Kw} \equiv 77 \text{ HP}
\]

Note that this power refers solely to the power of the internal iron tube. The rotor presented in Fig.1, still has two external iron tubes with \( r_1 = 0.15 \text{m}; r_2 = 0.13 \text{m}; L = 0.24 \text{m} \); that provide more 51.4 Kw each one. Therefore, the total power of the motor gives

\[
P = 57.4 + 2 \times 51.4 = 160.2 \text{ Kw} \equiv 214 \text{ HP}
\]

It is easily seen that the only difficulty to build the motor, it is to get the ceramic ferromagnetic material with the previously mentioned characteristics. i.e., \( \sigma_p = 10 \text{ S/m} \); \( \mu_p = 7500\mu_0 \).

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Figure 1 – Schematic diagram of the Gravitational Motor

(a) Top View of the Rotor

(b) Cross section of the Motor

(c) Antenna configuration (dipole elements=wire #3AWG with insulation paint; length=z_0/2=6m)

(d) Gravitational forces acting on the iron atoms