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## Lasing Reporting Summary

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### • Experimental design

### Please check: are the following details reported in the manuscript?

### 1. Threshold

	Plots of device output power versus pump power over	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
	a wide range of values indicating a clear threshold	🗶 No	
2.	Linewidth narrowing		
	Plots of spectral power density for the emission at pump	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
	powers below, around, and above the lasing threshold, indicating a clear linewidth narrowing at threshold	🗶 No	
	Resolution of the spectrometer used to make spectral	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
	measurements	🗶 No	
3.	Coherent emission		
	Measurements of the coherence and/or polarization	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
	of the emission	X No	
4.	Beam spatial profile		
	Image and/or measurement of the spatial shape and	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
	profile of the emission, showing a well-defined beam above threshold	× No	
5.	Operating conditions		
	Description of the laser and pumping conditions	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
	Continuous-wave, pulsed, temperature of operation	🗶 No	
	Threshold values provided as density values (e.g. W cm <sup>-2</sup>	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
	or J cm <sup>-2</sup> ) taking into account the area of the device	🗶 No	
6.	Alternative explanations		
	Reasoning as to why alternative explanations have been	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
	ruled out as responsible for the emission characteristics	🗶 No	
	modification of fluorescence spectrum by the cavity		
7.	Theoretical analysis		
	Theoretical analysis that ensures that the experimental	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
	values measured are realistic and reasonable e.g. laser threshold, linewidth, cavity gain-loss, efficiency	× No	
8.	Statistics		
	Number of devices fabricated and tested	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
		× No	
	Statistical analysis of the device performance and lifetime (time to failure)	Yes	Our study does not use lasing processes, only synchrotron radiation.
		× No	