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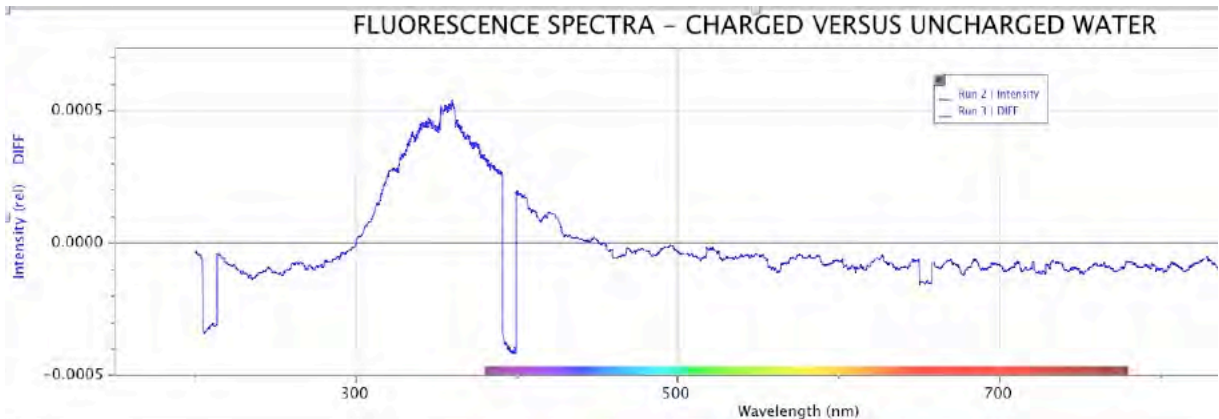
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Happy Holidays and New Year 2014!

From James DeMeo and OBRL (a bit tardy, nevertheless ...)



Fluorescence Emission Spectra of Orgone-Charged Water in a State of Excitation (publication forthcoming).



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**Here's what's been going on at OBRL in 2013,
and what's in store for the future.**

Dear Friends and Supporters,

The last several years have marked a transition in orgonomic research, at least as far as my own work is concerned. Not only were many new publications made available through our own publishing house, *Natural Energy Works*, but research papers on my various experimental confirmations of Dr. Wilhelm Reich's original findings, have increasingly appeared in various mainstream peer-reviewed science and history journals. This transition from the marginalized "dissident science" status into something closer to mainstream tolerance has not been without its problems, but is a welcomed change indeed. In some ways, it reflects the axiom of Max Planck, who once stated: "Science progresses funeral by funeral", as the old guard of obstructionism is no longer around to block the path. Most of the worst detractors who attacked and slandered Reich during the latter half of the 20th Century are today either dead and gone, or confined to wheel-chairs in old folks homes, limited to scribbling angry rants on computer blogs which fewer people bother to read. New and younger "academic terrorists" have appeared to hurl their mud, certainly, but they aren't scientific people, and others increasingly see through their shabby tactics. Meanwhile, the clinical and research findings of Reich, and of his associates and supporters, grows in good appreciation with each passing year.

Several of my own research papers and books have been published this year, such as, *In Defense of Wilhelm Reich: Opposing the 80-Year's War of Defamatory Slander Against one of the 20th Century's Most Brilliant Physicians and Natural Scientists*. This Newsletter will detail them for you. 2013 also marked the occurrence of a major *Conference on Orgonomy* in Rome, Italy, organized by the *Italian Association for Orgonomy*, which now can be viewed on DVD disks, available for purchase.

Laboratory Research has also continued at OBRL, with major new findings in the field of spectroscopy, including a confirmation of Reich's concepts of *Orgonotic Lumination* as it occurs within orgone-charged water (but not uncharged water samples). Other new findings indicate an orgone-like charging effect from new plastic materials, which mimic the orgone accumulator but without the need for the usual metal layer. Mysteries exist in regards to this phenomenon, which has implications for orgonomic research, experimental designs and procedures.

I also tried, but failed, to raise funds for a major drought-breaking project in the American Southwest.

All of these recent new steps will be discussed below.

Your interest in keeping abreast of my work as supported via OBRL is most appreciated. Please consider to make a donation, or purchase our books, both the older and newer ones, for both yourself, as well as for gifts to students and friends.

Thanks for your interest,

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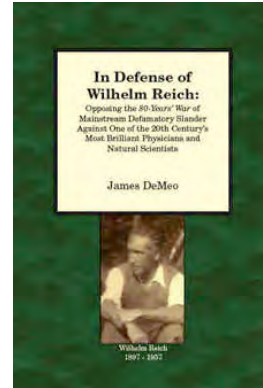
1. New Published Articles, Essays and Notes, by James DeMeo for 2013:

* New Article, "Sahasia: Geographical Comparisons of World Cultures and Civilizations", by James DeMeo, in Comparative Civilizations Review, No.69, Fall 2013, pp. 4-22.

<https://ojs.lib.byu.edu/spc/index.php/CCR/issue/view/2517>

* New Book: *In Defense of Wilhelm Reich: Opposing the 80-Year's War of Defamatory Slander Against One of the 20th Century's Most Brilliant Physicians and Natural Scientists*, by James DeMeo. Includes a time-line history of Reich's discoveries along with a year-by-year accounting of the attacks against him, along with new chapters on the modern detractors against Reich and his scientific advocates.

<http://obrlnews.wordpress.com/2013/06/29/update-two-new-books-in-defense-of-wilhelm-reich/>



New Translations of the Orgone Accumulator Handbook:



* *Manual Del Acumulador de Orgón* (New SPANISH Translation of the *Orgone Accumulator Handbook*, Nueva Edición Corregida y Aumentada)

<http://obrlnews.wordpress.com/2013/12/14/manual-del-acumulador-de-orgon-new-spanish-translation-nueva-edicion-corregida-y-aumentada/>



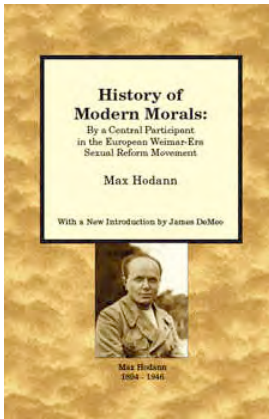
* *Il Manuale Dell'accumulatore Orgonico* (New ITALIAN Translation of the *Orgone Accumulator Handbook*, Terza edizione riveduta e ampliata)

<http://obrlnews.wordpress.com/2013/11/17/il-manuale-dellaccumulatore-orgonico-new-italian-translation-terza-edizione-riveduta-e-ampliata/>



* New Greek-Language Translation of the *Orgone Accumulator Handbook* (sorry we cannot reproduce the Greek characters here)

<http://obrlnews.wordpress.com/2013/11/06/new-greek-language-translation-of-orgone-accumulator-handbook/>



New Book: *History of Modern Morals: By Max Hodann, MD, a Central Participant in the European Weimar-Era Sexual Reform Movement*. With a new Introduction by James DeMeo, PhD.

<http://obrlnews.wordpress.com/2013/10/23/in-case-you-missed-these-two-new-books/>

Publications Forthcoming 2014:

* *Wilhelm Reich and the Cold War*, by James E. Martin

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2. Lectures with PowerPoint Presentations (where available):

* "Wilhelm Reich's Biophysical and Atmospheric Discoveries: A Fresh Look". From an invited presentation at the University of Milano-Bicocca. PowerPoint download 14.6 MB:

<http://www.orgonelab.org/PowerPoint/ReichRevisitedMilano2013.pdf>

* "Sahasasia: A Cross-Cultural Proof of Wilhelm Reich's Sex-Economic Theory and Origins of Violence Question". From an invited presentation at the Rome Conference on Orgonomy. PowerPoint download 20 MB:

<http://www.orgonelab.org/PowerPoint/SahasasiaRome2013.pdf>

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3. Conference on Orgonomy, Rome Italy.

This conference was hosted by the Italian Association for Orgonomy, held on October 4-5-6, with a long list of professional speakers from Europe and the USA. It was attended by over 100 persons, and covered both the basics of Wilhelm Reich's discoveries, as well as new findings, over the full subject area from gentle birthing of babies, to orgone therapy, to the orgone accumulator, the treatment of cancer and other diseases, orgone physics, cloudbusting, and even the UFO question. A set of DVD videos containing each presentation, or as a collection for the full Conference, is available from the organizers, as per the details given here:

<http://www.orgonelab.org/RomeDVDIngleseg.pdf>

or here:

<http://associazioneitalianadiorgonomia.blogspot.it/>

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4. Research Projects at OBRL

Spectrographic Research

While writing and publication of new books and articles, and presentation of my work and experiments at different international conferences has consumed much time over 2013, the year was not without some interesting new findings in orgone biophysics. Notably, studies on the spectroscopy of orgone-charged water has continued, alongside investigations of water surface tension and seed growth parameters. New findings were made in abundance, with additional new mysteries to be resolved. For example:

Several new plastic materials, when formed into a box-shape, appear able to stimulate changes in plant growth and also water spectroscopy similar to an orgone accumulator ... but not in every case. Some plastics will stimulate a strong change in water spectrographic parameters, but create a life-negative stunting effect upon plant growth. Others will stimulate plant growth, but have no influence upon water spectroscopy. Only the orgone accumulator seems able to stimulate both plant-growth and certain spectrographic signatures in water. This poses serious concerns for construction of plastic-based control enclosures in orgone accumulator experiments. If they are constructed of one of these plastic materials which yield up organotic influences all by themselves, then the overall results of the experiment will be cast into doubt. In such cases, the

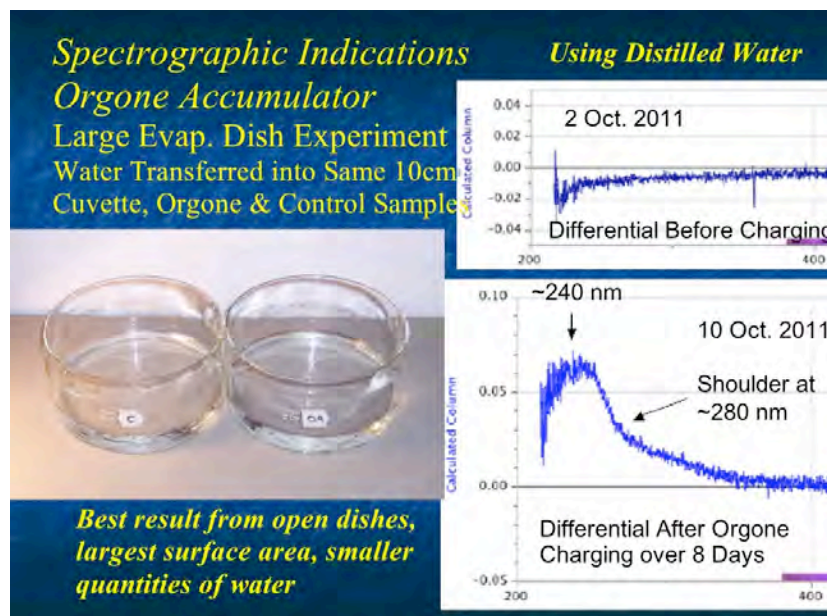
control would be "boosted" in growth almost as much as the accumulator, leading to the false conclusion that the orgone accumulator had no influence different from the "control", which in this case, was acting somewhat like an orgone accumulator itself. For these reasons, the best control enclosures for orgone accumulator experiments appear to be as intuitively developed by Reich and others over the years, using standard wood or cardboard materials, or the same sheep's wool or cotton fluff as is used in orgone accumulator layerings, but without any metals. Using plastics, resins or other modern petrochemically-derived materials runs the risk of creating a strong orgone-type of influence, even without the usual metal layering, and hence should be avoided in control enclosure or orgone accumulator construction until more is understood empirically about their radiant effects.

In another context, a study of water spectroscopy changes due to charging inside a standard orgone accumulator produced very clear evidence of a systematic effect. This has already been discussed in a 2011 paper of mine in the *Water* journal ("Water as a Resonant Medium for Unusual External Environmental Factors", *Water*, 3:1-47, 2011), and also in a subsequent 2012 lecture presentation at the Sixth Annual Conference on the Physics, Chemistry and Biology of Water ("Influences of the Reich Orgone Accumulator Upon Water, and By Water", unpublished). Details are here:

<http://www.orgonelab.org/demeopubsPDFs/2011Water.pdf>

and here:

<http://www.orgonelab.org/PowerPoint/DeMeoWaterConference11.ppt.htm>



Not only have newer spectrographic tests verified this result, but the same kind of orgone-charged water has revealed a clearly bluish fluorescence emission spectra when subjected to a high state of internal orgonotic excitation. The graphic of that result is presented on page 1 of the Newsletter.

These results are today being double- and triple-checked, in preparation for presentation of results. All indications are, that this is a very real and reproducible phenomenon. It is also a very big confirmation for Reich's whole concept of *Orgonotic Lumination*, where excitation of a highly charged orgone energy system, or in this case a small vessel of distilled water charged in an orgone accumulator over several days, generates a dim bluish glow within the water when sufficiently excited by secondary energy. This result provides substance to the widely observed phenomenon, of the bluish glow of clean and vital waters as from hot springs, deep lakes and oceans, or within glacial pools or even blocks of glacial ice, when subjected to excitation by solar radiation. Not all water gives off such a blue glow. It is something that appears mysteriously in one body of water, but not in another. Why is that? The appearance of such blue glows gives the subjective impression of a "glowing" of the water, beyond what classical optics might say about preferential reflection of the bluish frequencies or absorption of the reds. Such blue glows are subtle, but frequently more intense than the background sky would suggest is created by merely frequency filtering. The solar excitation instead is absorbed at one set of frequencies, after which a visible glow is created in the bluish frequencies. And what is it that "glows blue", except the orgone energy which was used to charge the waters, and thereby create the effect which is not observed in uncharged water? These new results, if sufficiently confirmed, could build a bridge between orgone biophysics and an entire realm of life-energy functions as observed by scientists and naturalists, in the context of *Living Water*.

CORE: Southwestern Drought Emergency Project:

As many Americans will know, the drought situation which previously had been confined to only Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and Southern California, for perhaps 5 years, has now expanded to envelop all of California and other Western states. Newspapers and TV are now filled with stories about the disastrous situation of low rainfall and diminishing water reserves.

Around two years back, I initiated plans for a *Southwestern Drought Emergency Project*, the first steps of which were aimed at obtaining the necessary funds. This Project included an ambitious multi-year program CORE-cloudbusting against this drought situation, at various working sites in the West, much as I had done in Israel and several African nations during the 1990s.

Those prior overseas CORE operations produced spectacular results, ending drought crises and filling reservoirs over very large regions. (See my publications list for details: <http://www.orgonelab.org/demeopubs.htm>)

With help from two professionals who had better connections to government and industry than myself, we sought to finance this Project from grants or donations to the non-profit OBRL. A field station would be established in the American Southwest, much as Wilhelm Reich had done in his Tucson experiments of the early 1950s. Skilled cloudbuster operators from the *USA Core Network* would fly in on a rotating basis, to monitor the weather and undertake field work as would be necessary. Work would also be undertaken at other regional locations.

The funds required was approximately comparable for the purchase of *one large agricultural tractor, or a single small rural fire-truck*. While that amount (~\$250K) was considerably more than the average person or our personal financial situations could afford, it was nearly nothing as compared to the economic consequences of severe drought, the damages to economy from crop-loss, the ruination of entire small towns, the wildfires and homes burned down, the suicides of desperate farmers, the unemployment, etc., which can run into multiple Billions per year. We also knew that large cities, states and federal agencies, as well as large private agricultural concerns were quite used to financing projects many times more expensive than ours, but which offered no long-term drought-ending results as we have come to know by using the original Reich cloudbuster methods.

We did our best to seek out friendly donors of wealth, and sympathetic heads of various government agencies dedicated to "drought emergency" or "water resources", people who claimed to be open to new ideas and approaches. These efforts were fruitless, however. The reactions were mostly of frozen, stony silence. We then considered to get the project going with a small fraction of the original amount, but even that proved impossible. After around two years of trying, we had only a few thousand dollars in pledges from a handful of interested donors who lived in the Southwest, plus a few volunteers who offered to personally help out with time and labor in such a project. These were all wonderful people, freely offering what they could, and all of their offerings were *very much appreciated*. Unfortunately, we never accepted the pledges as we never got even close to the minimum threshold for this important project to begin. So, we were not able to launch a drought-relief project against the Southwestern drought situation, and the drought continued. Today, the drought region has spread to encompass a much larger area, and may eventually engulf all of the Western states. Only small efforts are underway, by isolated cloudbuster operators in our CORE Network, who do so under difficult

conditions and without outside support. We expect *some* local rains and drought relief, close to where they live, but the larger drought-breaking results may not be possible without a larger project being initiated, and that is simply impossible without considerable outside funding.

If anyone reading this report is well-connected to either government or financial resources which could allow for funding of such a larger *Southwestern USA Drought Emergency Project*, they should please contact me about it, by the email given below.

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Orgone Biophysical Research Lab

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Or you can send a check made out to “OBRL” or Orgone Biophysical Research Lab, and send to PO Box 1148, Ashland, Oregon 97520.

If you are able to provide a significantly larger donation for the Southwestern Drought Emergency Project, please contact us about it before making any donation.

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***Thanks very much for your interest and support!
Best wishes for the Holidays, and New Year.***

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