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Anomalous space-charge field enhancement in Fe:KNbO₃ GARY COOK, WPAFB, DEAN EVANS, WPAFB, SERGEI BASUN, A. F. Ioffe Physico-Technical Institute, JENNIFER GIBSON, WPAFB, MOHAMMAD SALEH, WPAFB, WPAFB TEAM, A. F. IOFFE PHYSICO-TECHNICAL INSTITUTE TEAM — Photorefractive measurements on Fe:KNbO₃ using self-pumped two-wave mixing have revealed the formation of a large bulk electric field with characteristics similar to those arising from the photovoltaic effect. The magnitude of the field necessary to account for the observed optical effects is much greater than the directly measured photovoltaic field.

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