

# Novel Optoelectronics Devices for Broadband Photonics Network Applications

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# Major Breakthroughs in Optoelectronic Materials and Devices and Impacts on Communication

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- **1970's:**

- Low loss fibers & Heterojunction semiconductor lasers, e.g low threshold devices

➔ □ **Impacts: Foundation of modern fiber communication**

- **1980's:**

- DWDM & EDFA

➔ □ **Impacts: Deployment of Broadband DWDM systems**

- **1990's:**

- VCSEL, Raman amplifiers

- **2000's:**

- QD devices, Photonics crystals

➔ □ **Impacts: ?**

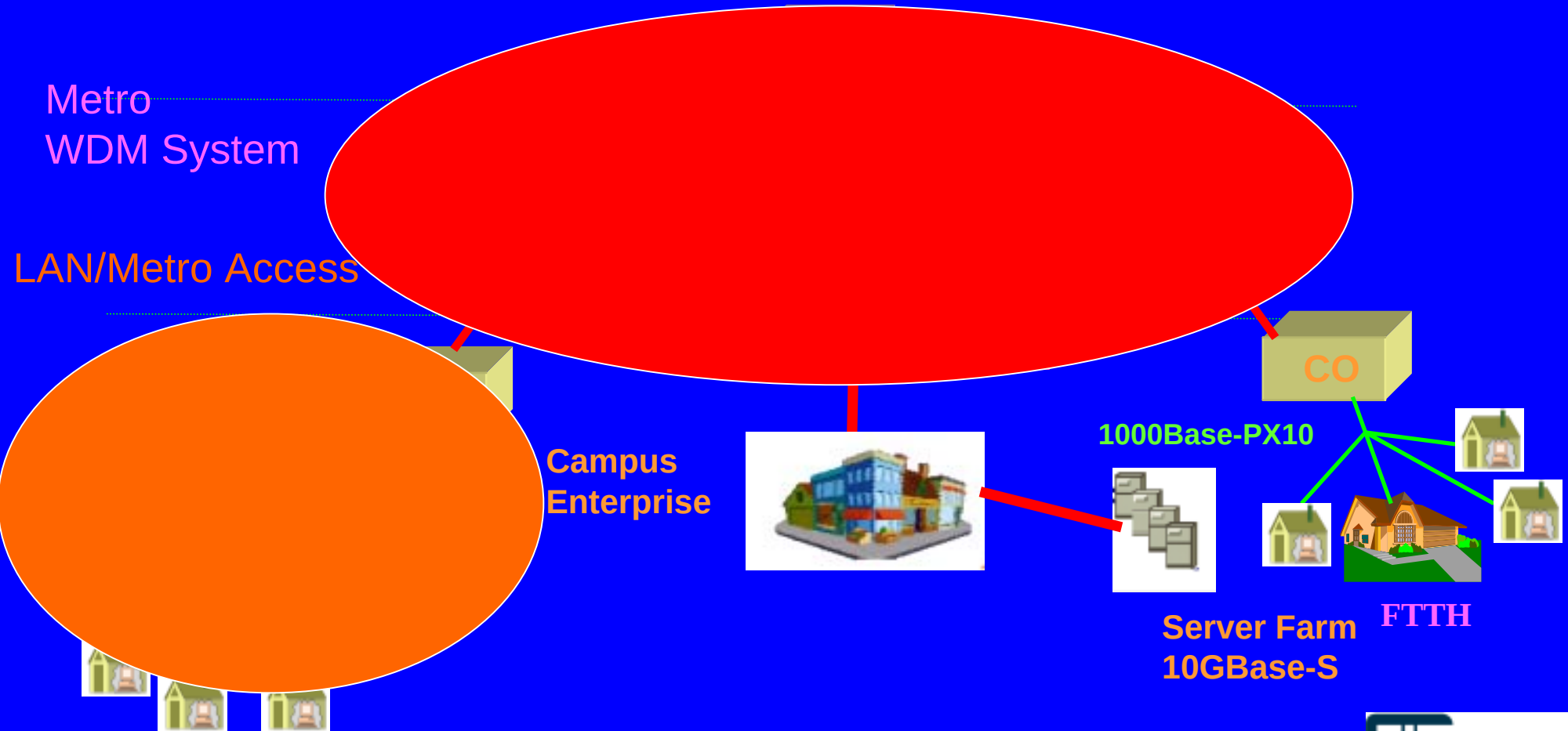
# Metro/Access and Ethernet-based Technology

↖ FTTX

↖ 10Gbps Metro Ethernet

Metro  
WDM System

LAN/Metro Access



# Device Technologies for Optical Communication

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  - High speed Ethernet modules
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    - QD devices
    - Photonic Crystals
    - ...

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# Technology Roadmap

光通訊元件技術發展趨勢



2006

Metro  
Access

**Low Cost**

Automation of  
Fiber based Devices

Si-based /InP-based  
Monolithic Integrated devices

Micro Optic Module

Optical Interconnects

Si-based  
Integrated devices

Low Temp. Thin Film Coating

Monolithic TR Packaging

PLC-based platform Tech.

Tunable lasers & I arrays

Optical MEMS Components

1.3/1.5um VCSEL

10G~100G  
High speed E/O Transform

**Ethernet**

# Current Devices Technologies

PLC type Interleaver



1x32 100GHz AWG



1x2/2x2  
MEMS Switch



MEMS VOA



10G 高速光通訊元件  
1550 nm DFB LD Chip



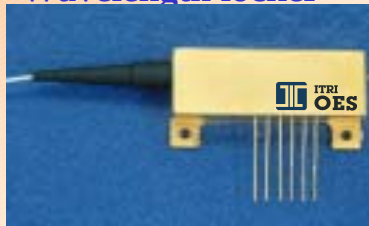
1 x N Planar  
Waveguide Splitter



高功率Pump雷射耦合器



Wavelength locker



10Gb/s XFP Transceiver



蝶式模組封裝技術



光電元件微構裝



10Gbps LC XENPAK  
Transponder



10Gbps SC XENPAK  
Transponder



10Gbps 1310nm  
DFB TOSA

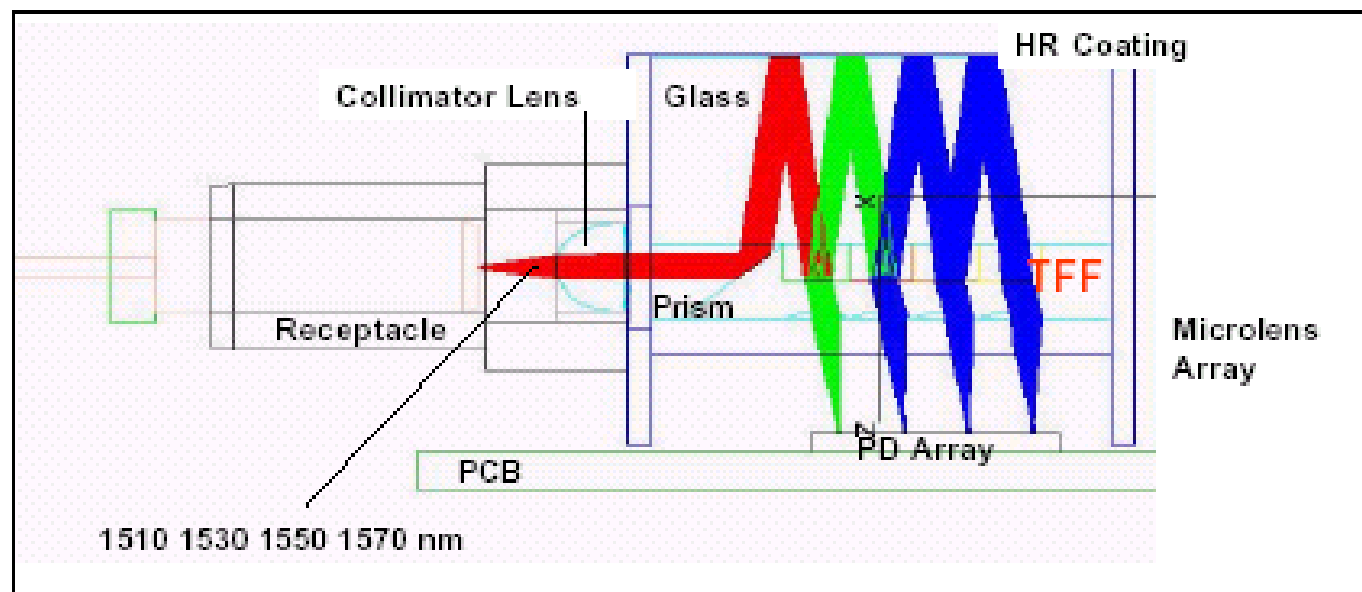
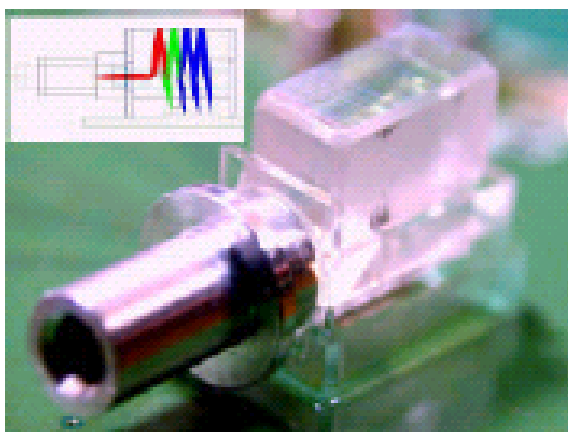


10Gbps Mini-Flat TOSA



12 Channels  
Array Transmitter

# CWDM Mini-ROSA\_Eye Pattern

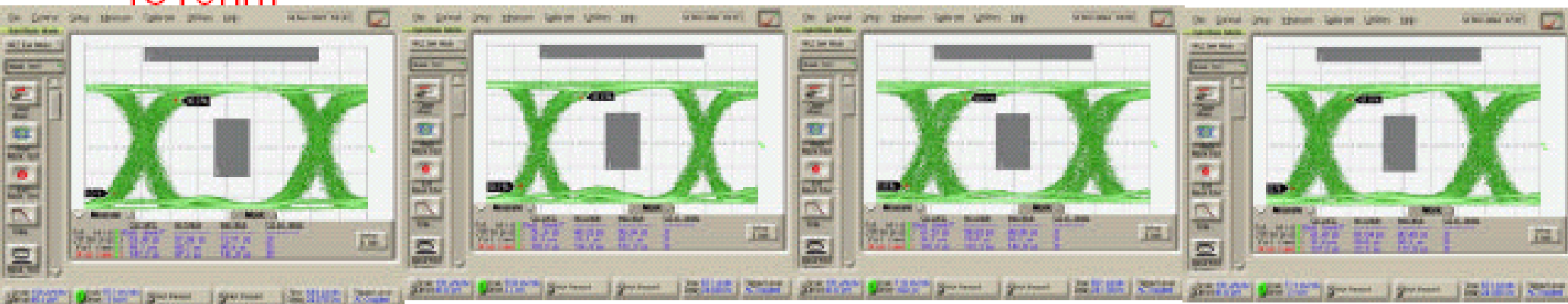


1510nm

1530nm

1550nm

1570nm



RS=-20.45dBm

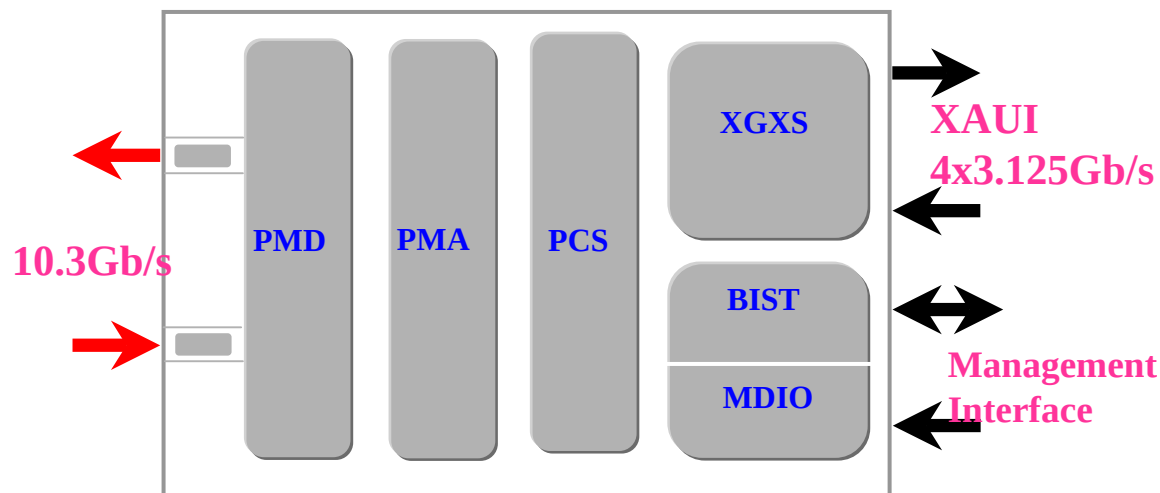
RS=-19.38dBm

RS=-18.23dBm

RS=-16.94dBm



# 10Gbps XENPAK Transponder



## Applications:

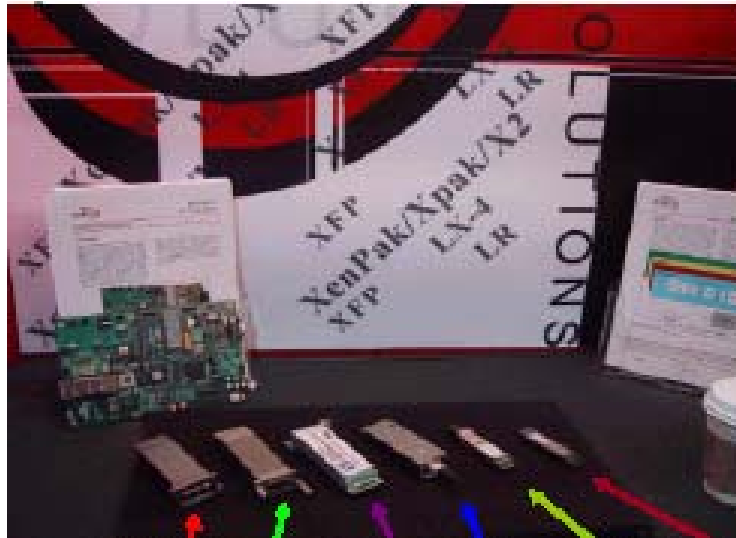
- Ethernet switches and routers
- Cross-connects
- WDM terminals
- Metro system equipments
- Optical test equipments

## Features

- 10.3 Gbps optical Tx/Rx with 4-channel XAUI 3.125Gbps I/O electrical interface
- Compliant with IEEE 802.3ae
- Compliant with XENPAK MSA
- 850nm VCSEL laser, and PIN Detector
- Hot pluggable in the Z- direction
- SC duplex fiber-optic connector

# OES Developed 10 Gbase-SR Xenpak Transponder

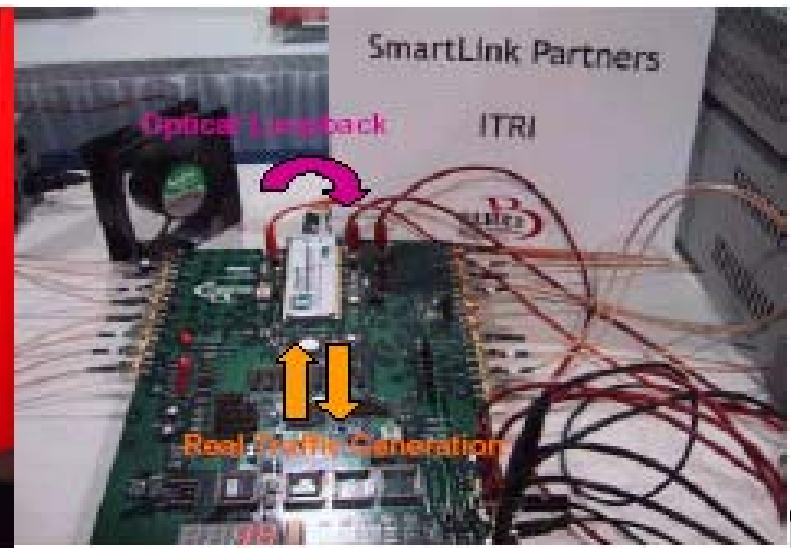
## Real Traffic Verification on OFC2003



Blaze Molex OES Alvesta Ignis E20



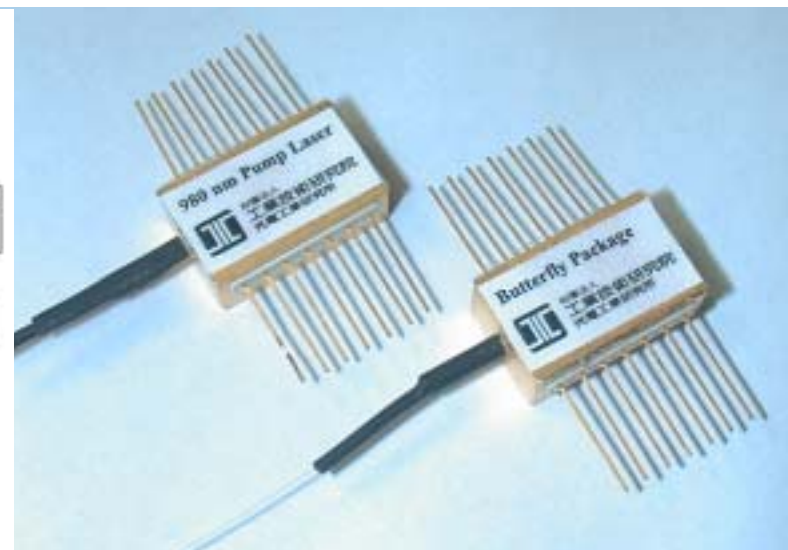
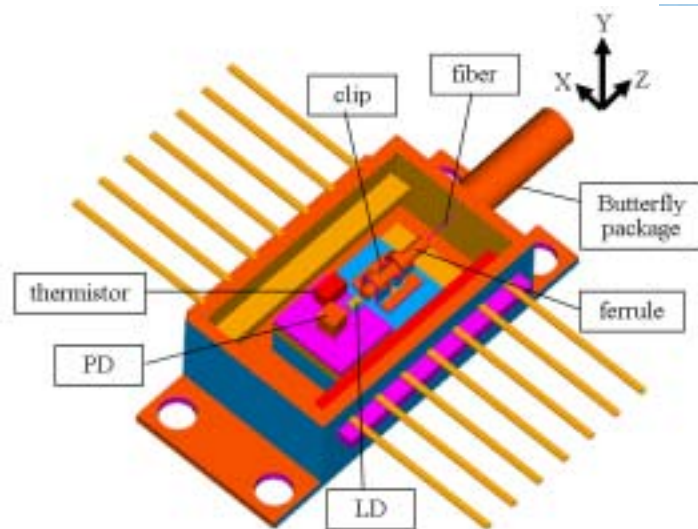
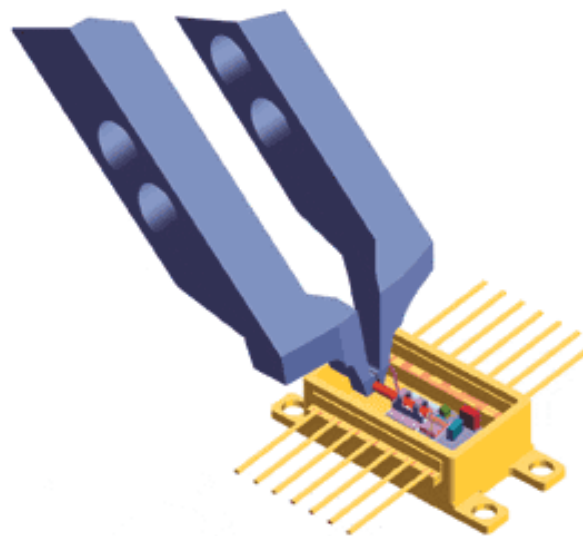
Clear & Open Eye



Error Free Indicator on LED Display

# 蝶式模組封裝技術

## (Butterfly Packaging for 980 nm Pump Laser Module)



### 關鍵技術

- 元件設計製作
- LD/PD 晶粒接合技術
- 透鏡光纖接合技術
- 模組封裝測試
- 主動對準
- 雷射焊接，  
精確度要求在 $0.5\mu\text{m}$ 以下

### 技術應用

- 高功率幫浦雷射元件的封裝
- 高速 ( $>2.5\text{Gbps/s}$ ) 雷射元件的封裝
- 光纖放大器

### 特色

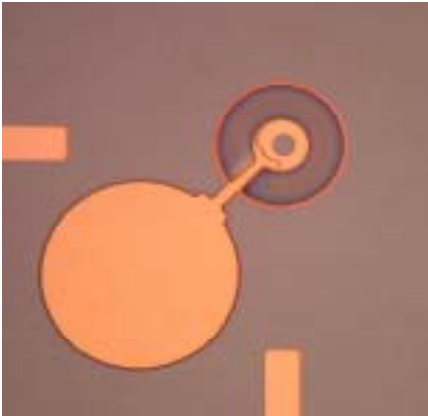
- 高功率模組
- 高穩定性
- 低成本封裝
- 散熱效率高
- 電磁干擾 (EMI) 低

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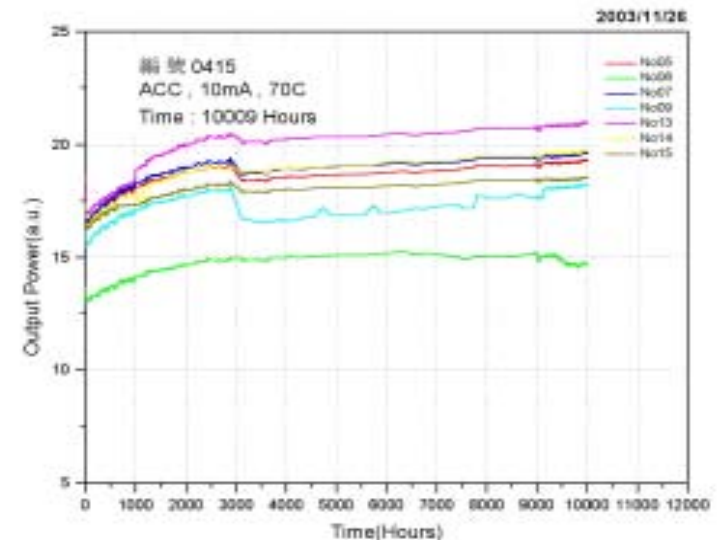
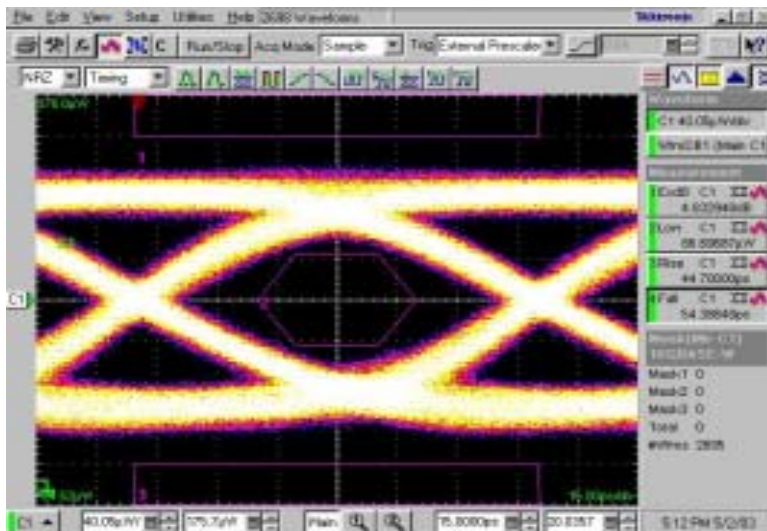
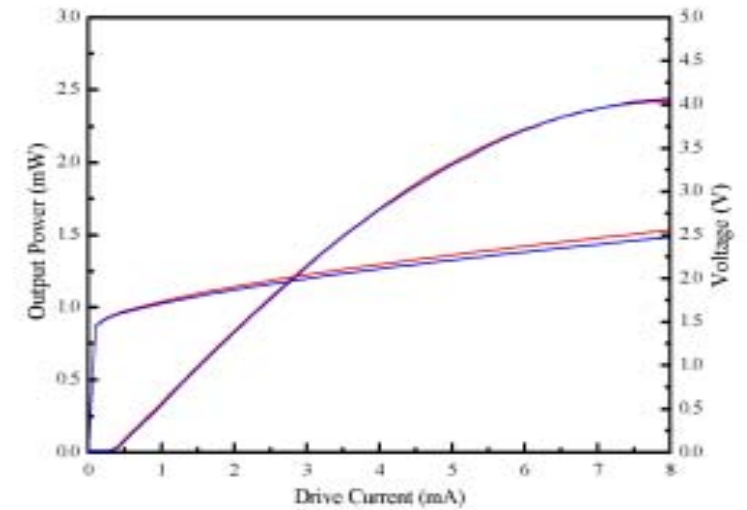
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# 850nm SM VCSEL Operating up to 10G



- N-type GaAs substrate
- Simple and manufacturable process (as the general semiconductor process)
- Probe screening prior to package





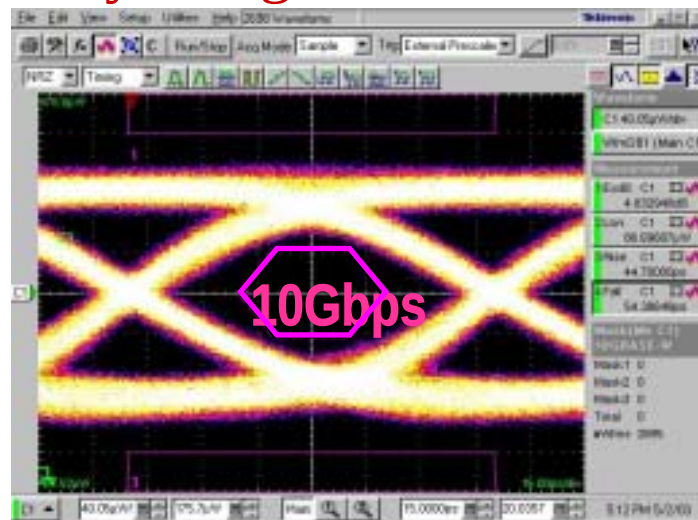
# 10Gbps 850nm VCSEL

- Simple and manufacturable process
- Probe screening prior to package
- N-type GaAs substrate
- TO-46 package for high speed

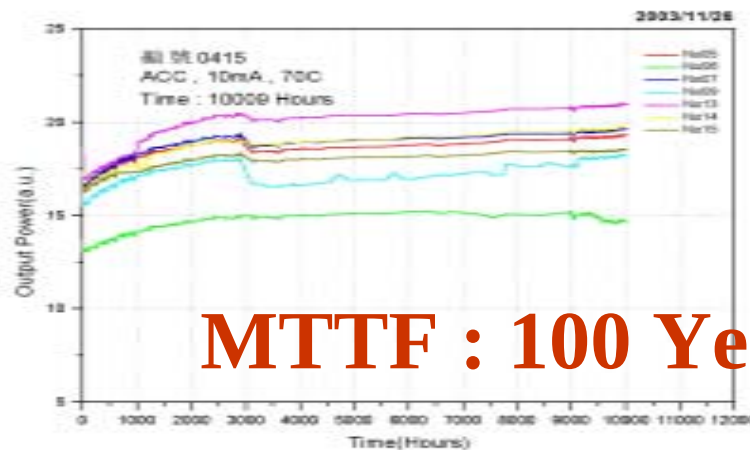


Epi-wafer & TO

## Eye diagram



## Reliability Test for Oxide VCSELs



**MTTF : 100 Years**

# 10Gbps 850nm VCSEL TOSA

## Optical Specifications

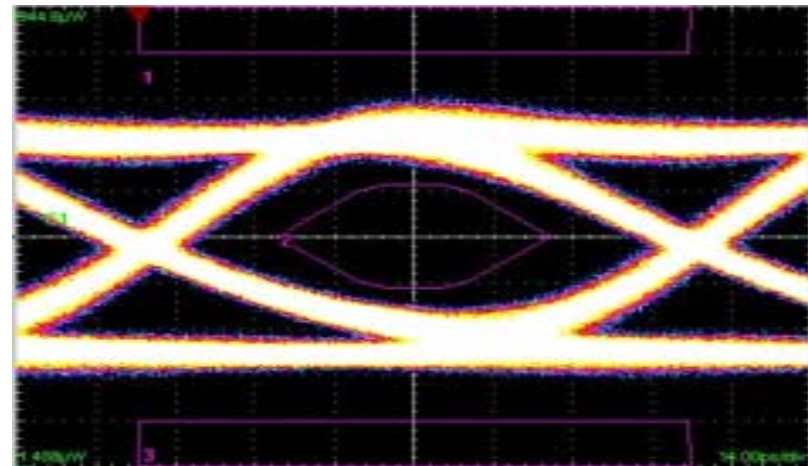
### Features

- Low cost TO-Can Package
- 850nm VCSEL TOSA
- 10Gb/s suitable for 10GE/10GFC
- SC/LC receptacle package
- Flexible board option
- Operate in a temperature range from 0°C to 85°C



| Parameter                     | Symbol                                               | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Unit  |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------|------|------|-------|
| Operating wavelength          | $\lambda$                                            | 830  |      | 860  | nm    |
| RMS spectral width (optional) | $\Delta\lambda_{rms}$                                |      |      | 0.85 | nm    |
| Rise/Fall Time                | $T_r/T_f$                                            |      | 35   |      | ns    |
| Average launch power in OMA   | OMA                                                  | -5.2 |      |      | dBm   |
| Average launch power (max)    | $P_{avg}$                                            |      |      | 0    | dBm   |
| Extinction ratio              | $r_e$                                                | 3.5  |      |      | dB    |
| $RIN_{OMA}$                   | $RIN$                                                |      |      | -128 | dB/Hz |
| Optical return loss           |                                                      | 12   |      |      | dB    |
| Eye Mask of optical output    | Compliant with IEEE 802.3ae draft 5.0 specifications |      |      |      |       |

### Eye Diagram



# 10Gbps 850nm VCSEL-based XFP

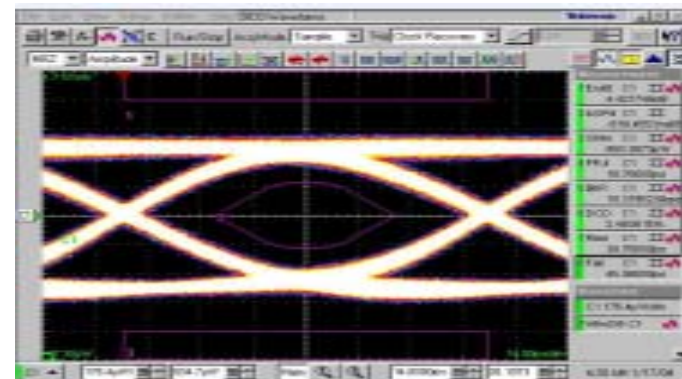
## Features :

1. IEEE 802.3ae compliant
2. XFP MSA compliant
3. 10 Gbps Tx/Rx with XFI high speed I/O electrical interface
4. Transmission distance up to 60M
5. Ultra small form factor
6. Hot pluggable in the Z direction
7. Duplex LC fiber-optic connector

## Optical Specification

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## Eye Diagram





# Applications of the New 1.3 $\mu\text{m}$ Technologies

## 1. VCSELs and FPs

- Low cost
- Temperature stability

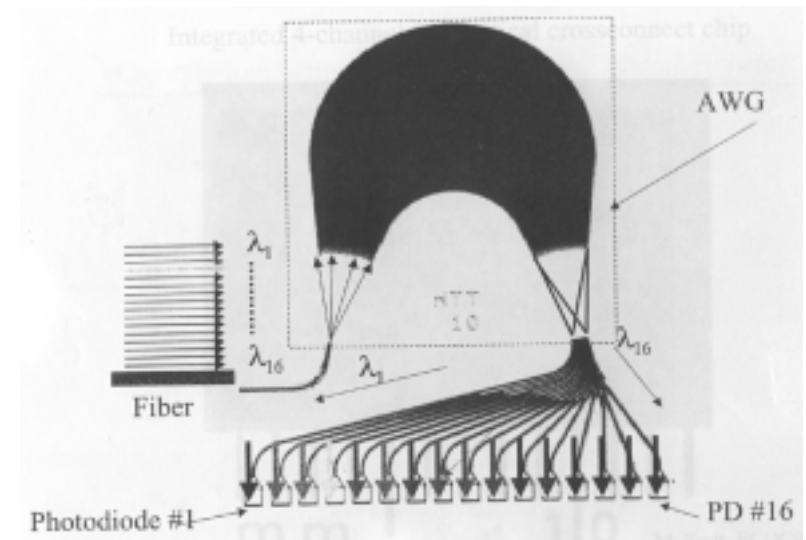
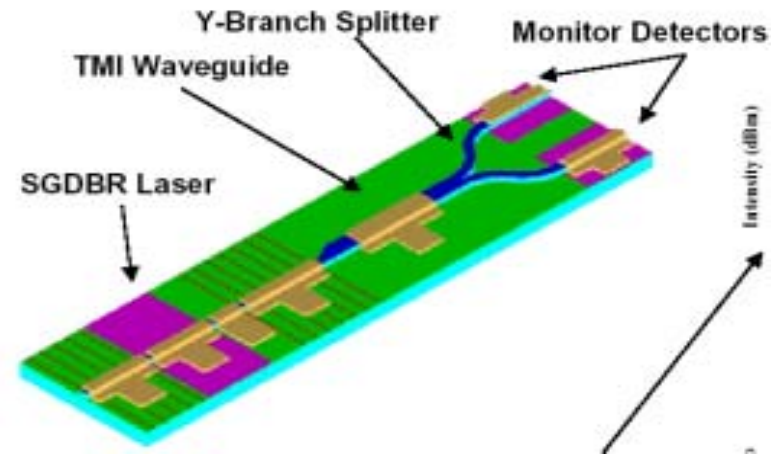
## 2. Optical Interconnect

- Low threshold QD VCSEL arrays

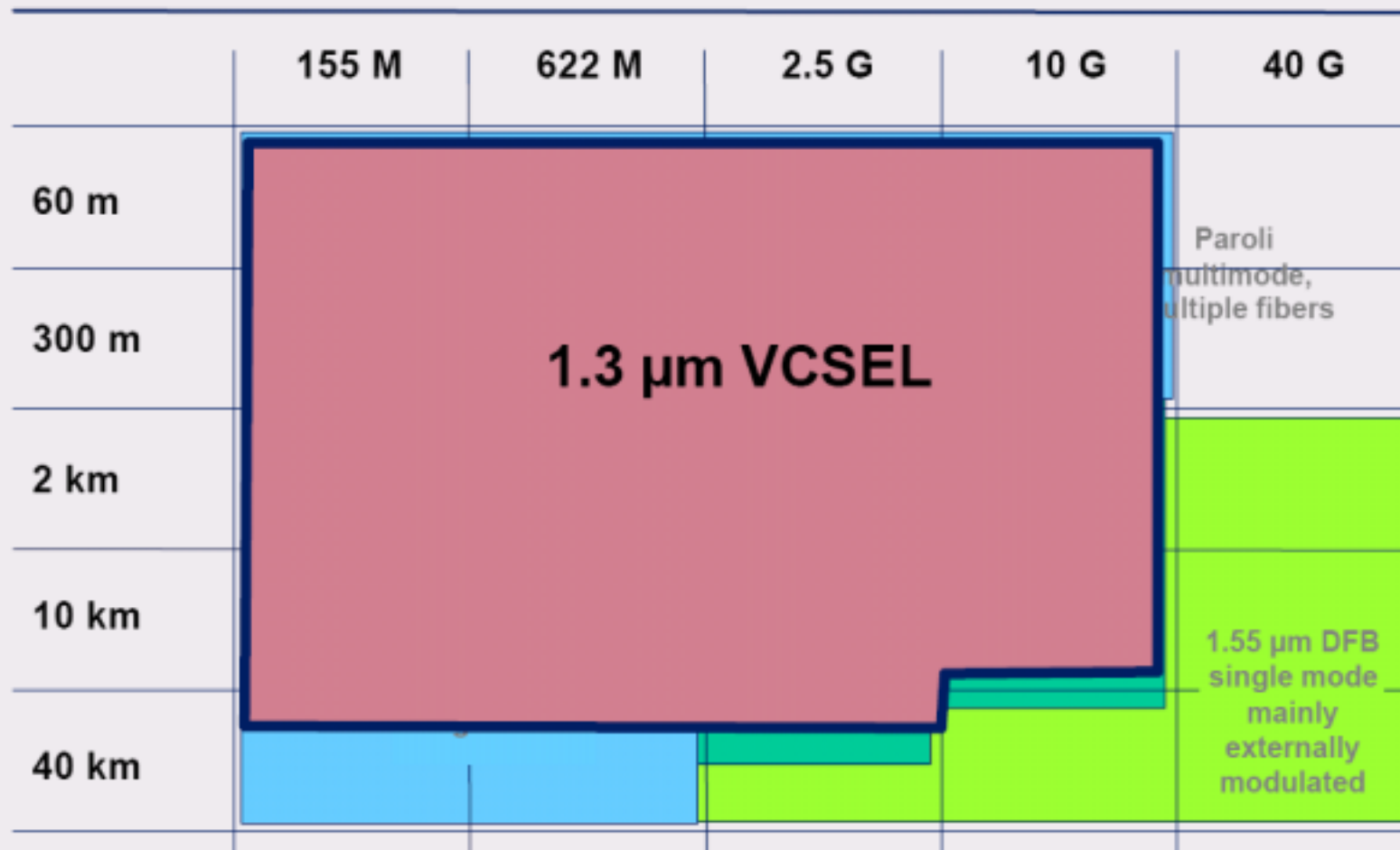
## 3. Integrated optical devices based on GaAs substrates

- III-V Waveguides
- Monolithic CWDM array
- Semiconductor Optical Amp. (SOA)
- EA+DFBs
- .....

## 4. Low power HBTs

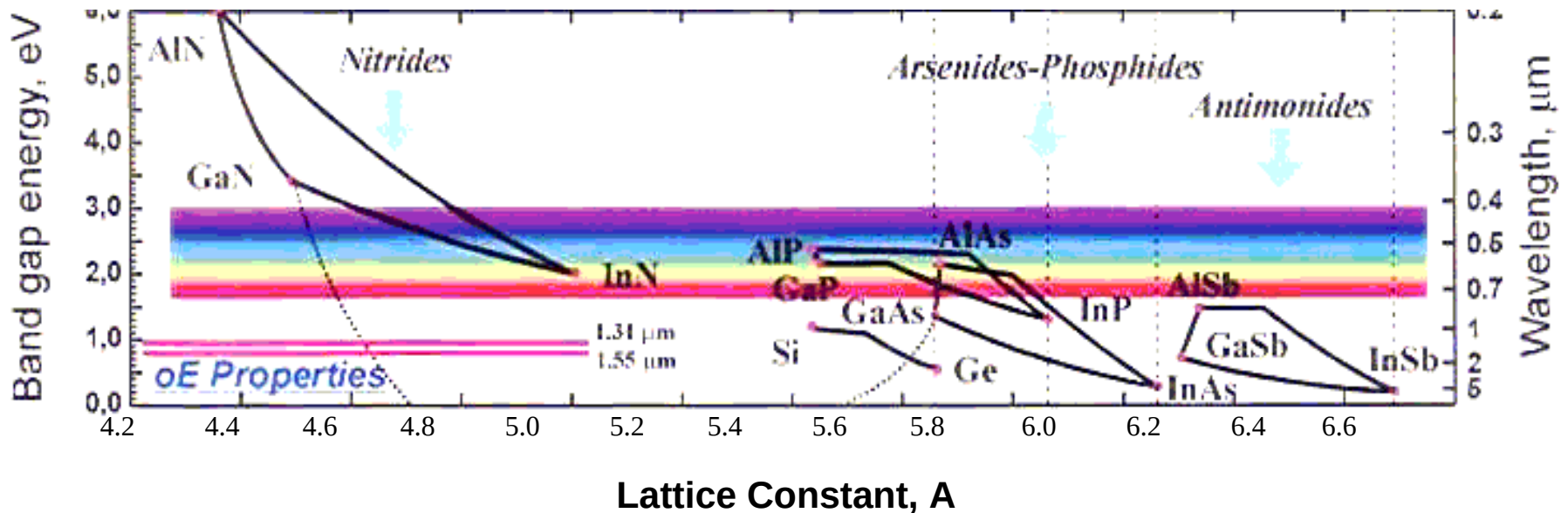


# Unique properties of 1.3 $\mu\text{m}$ VCSEL make it applicable for largest part of today's transmission market



- ➔ Replacement of 1.3  $\mu\text{m}$  edge emitters in Datacom due to more cost effective packaging
- ➔ Replacement of 850 nm VCSEL due to increased laser safety, larger reach in multimode fibers

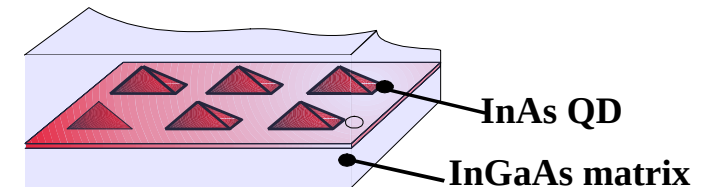
# Epitaxial materials for 1.3 $\mu\text{m}$ VCSELs



- Conventional long wavelength epitaxial materials, InGaAsP/InP, is not suitable for 1.31  $\mu\text{m}$  VCSELs!

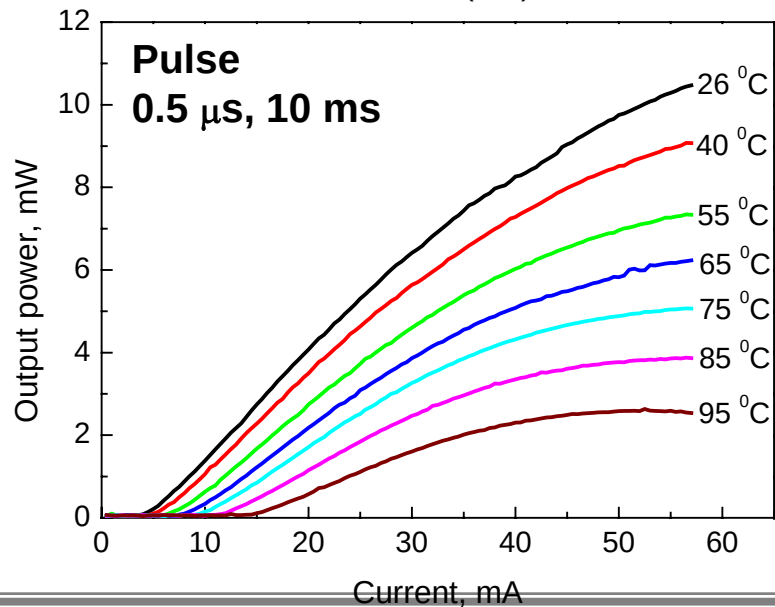
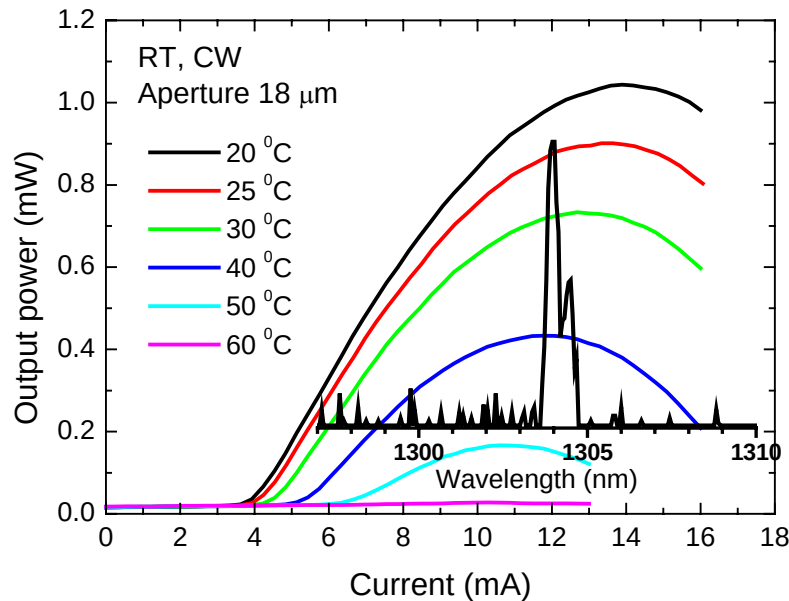
- New approaches are needed!

- **Approach 1. InAs/InGaAs QDs/GaAs**



- **Approach 2. InGaAs/GaAs: Adding N to InGaAs to reduce the lattice strain and lower the bandgap**

# 1310 nm InGaAsN VCSEL (MBE)



**Intra-cavity design  
grown by MBE**

**Performance of 18  $\mu\text{m}$   
aperture**

**RT, CW,  $I_{\text{th}}$ =4 mA,**

**Max power=1 mW,**

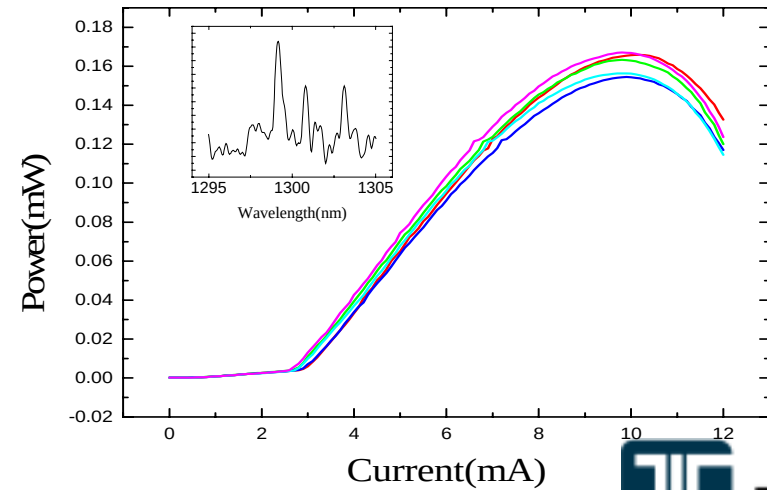
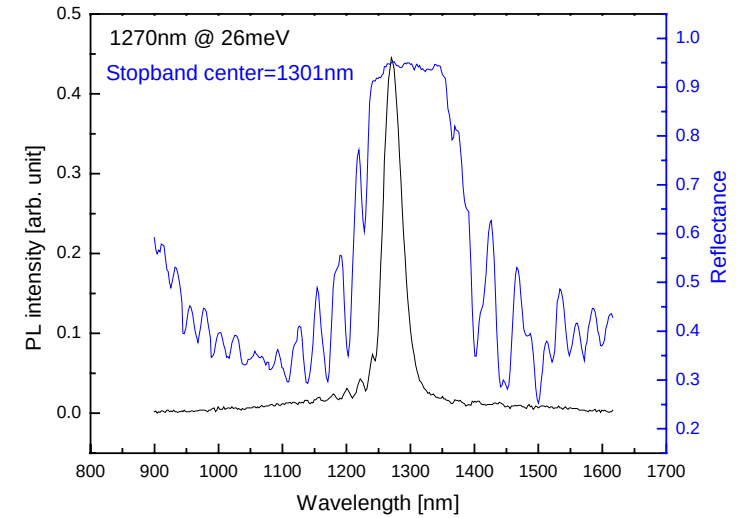
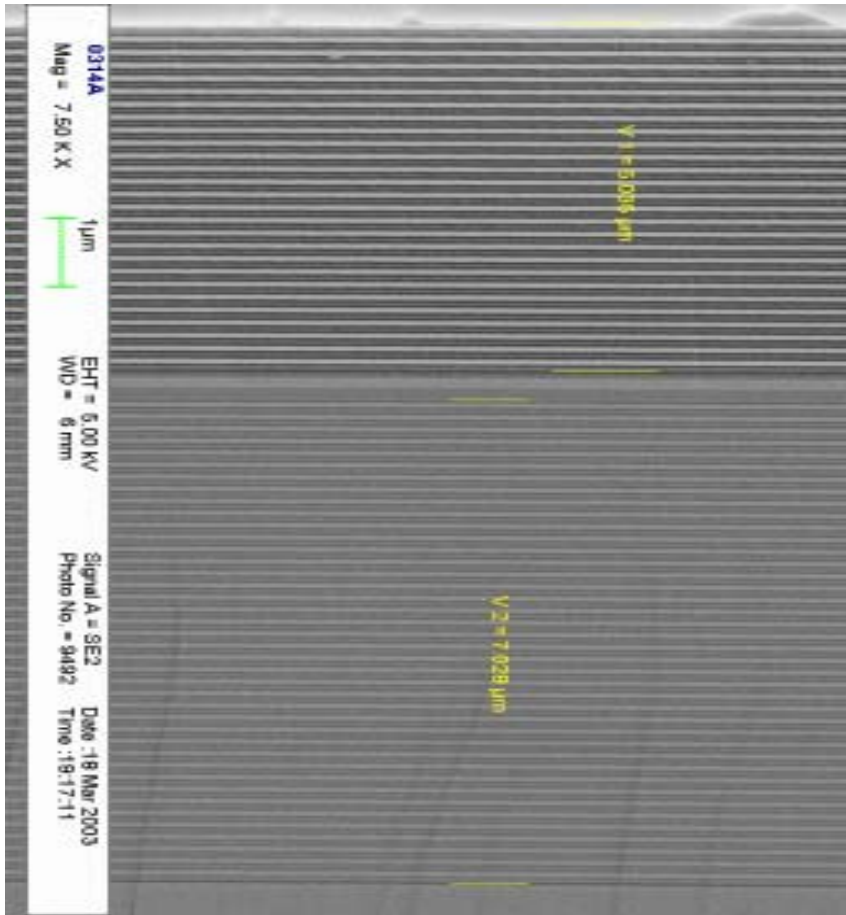
**Slope efficiency=0.15 W/A,**

**$J_{\text{th}}$ =1.6 KA/cm<sup>2</sup>,**

**Wavelength =1304 nm**

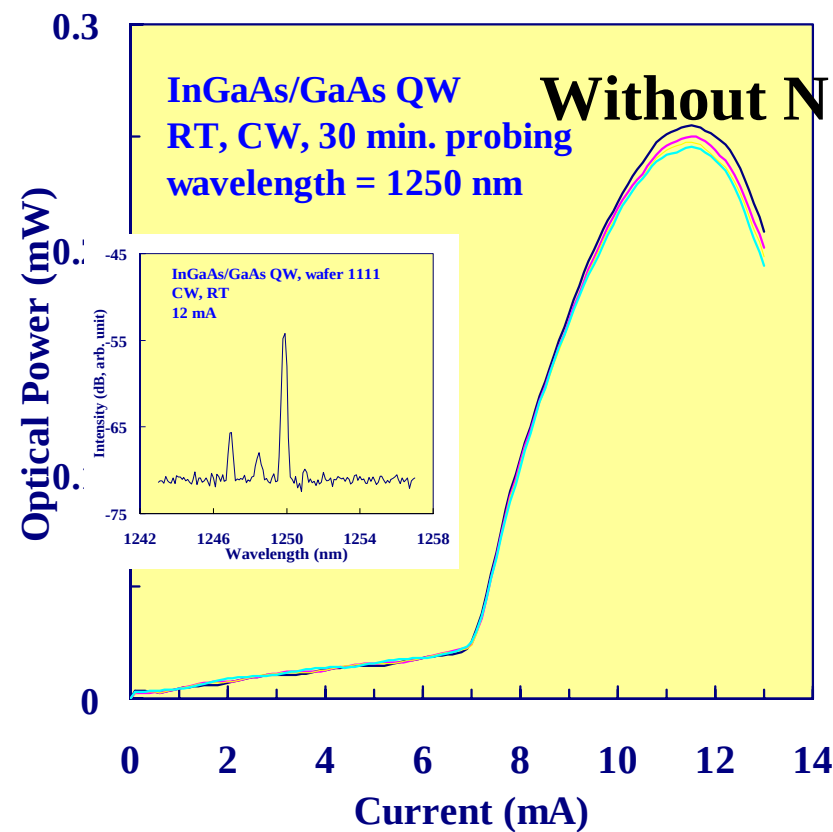
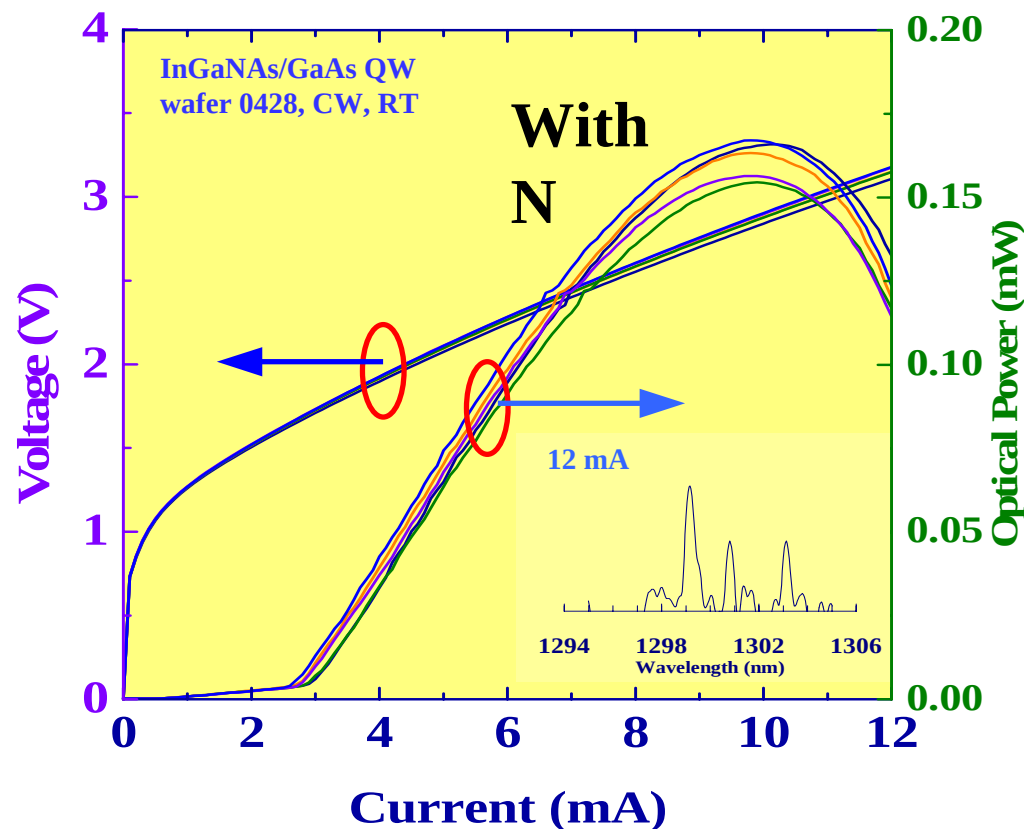


# MOCVD $\text{InGaAs}_{\text{QW}}$ VCSELs





# L-I-V and Spectra of InGa(N)As VCSELs(MOCVD)



◆  $I_{th} = 2.5 \text{ to } 3 \text{ mA @ } 20^\circ\text{C}$ ,  
 $J_{th} = 3.2 \text{ to } 3.8 \text{ kA/cm}^2$ .  
 $P_{o,max} = 0.17 \text{ mW}$ .

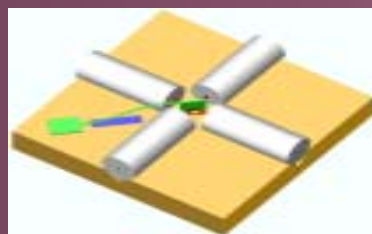
◆ Lasing wavelengths:  
 1299 to 1303 nm  
 @ 10 mA.

◆  $I_{th} = 6 \text{ to } 7 \text{ mA @ } 20^\circ\text{C}$ ,  
 $J_{th} = 5 \text{ to } 5.6 \text{ kA/cm}^2$ .  
 $P_{o,max} = 0.3 \text{ mW}$ .

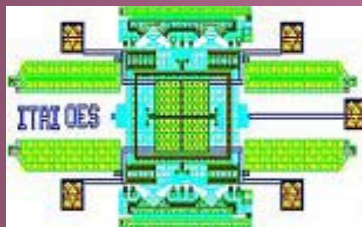
◆ Lasing wavelength  
 1245 to 1250 nm  
 @ 12 mA.

# ITRI/OES Optical MEMS

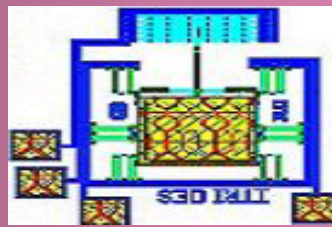
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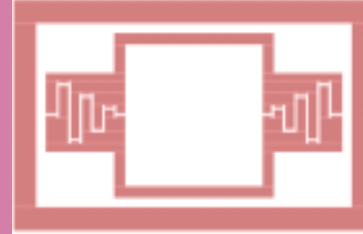
2x2 Design for OS



2D Scanning Mirror



1D Scanning Mirror



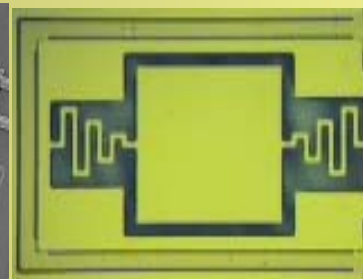
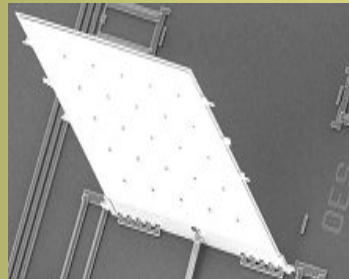
SOI Scanning Mirror



8x8 Optical Switch

Design & Core Technology

Fabrication



Fabrication

Packaging  
& Testing



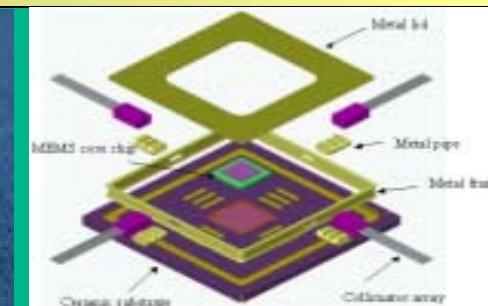
2x2 Switch Package



VOA TO Package



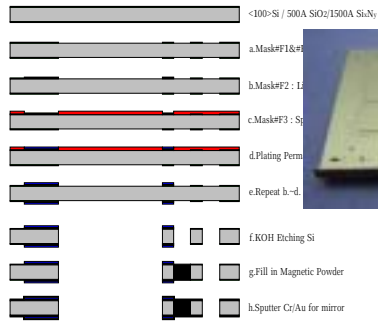
Collimator Array



Hermetic Packaging

Packaging & Applications

# 1D/2D Optical MEMS Switch



**Bulk Micromachining & UV-LIGA Process**

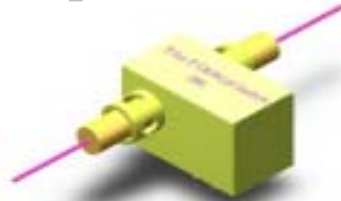


**Surface Micromachining**

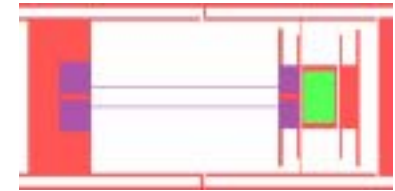
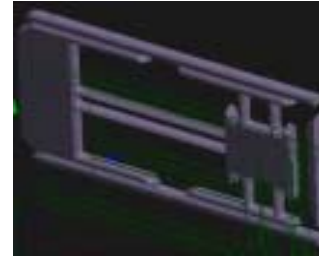
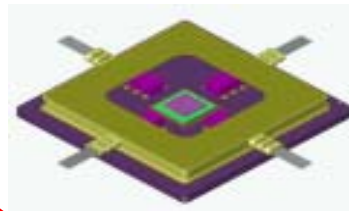


**Stress-Induced Self-Assembly**

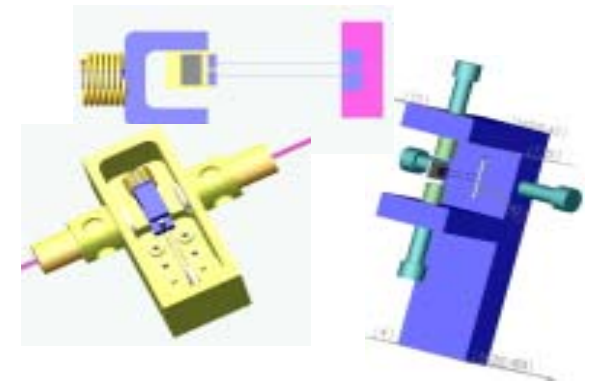
**2x2 Optical MEMS Switch**



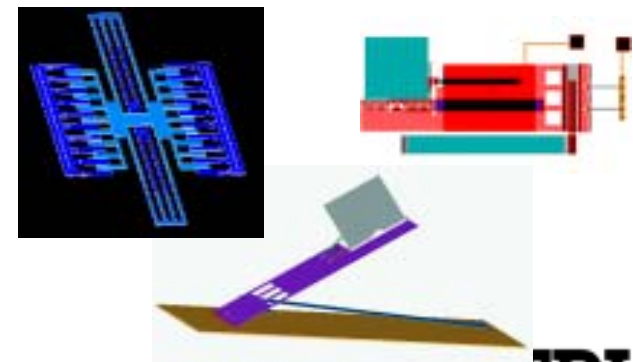
**1x4/4x4 Optical MEMS Switch**



**Chip Design & Simulation**

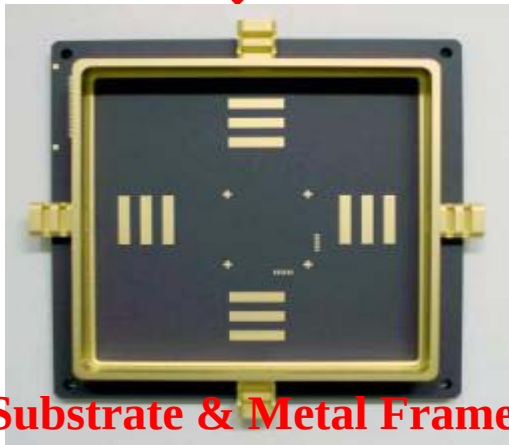
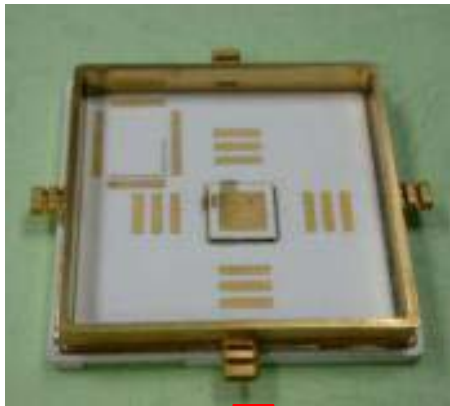


**Magnetic Circuit Design**



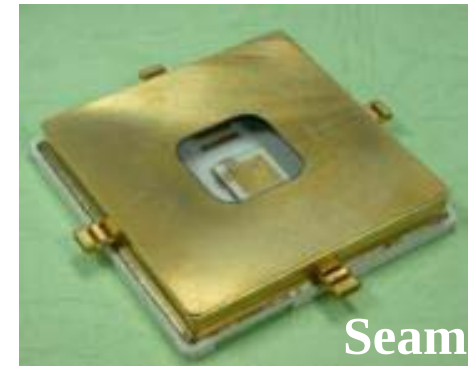
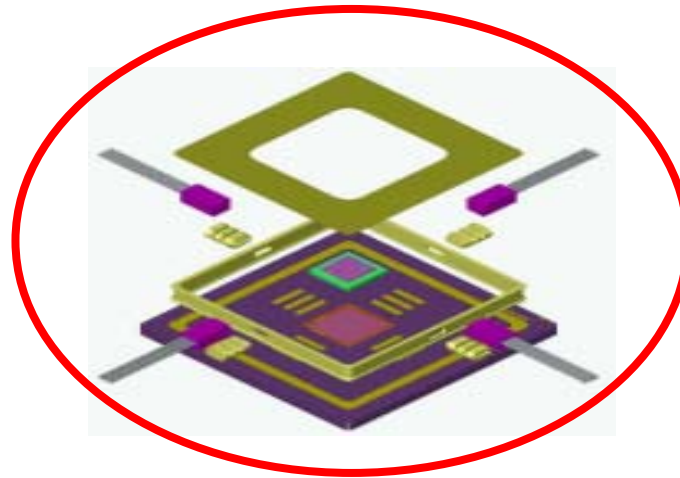
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# Packaging of NxN Optical Switch- ITRI/OES

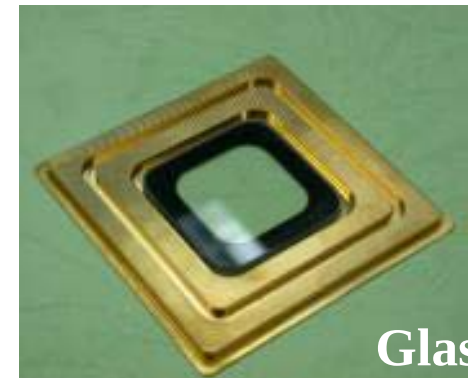


Substrate & Metal Frame

Hemertic-seal



Seam



Glas

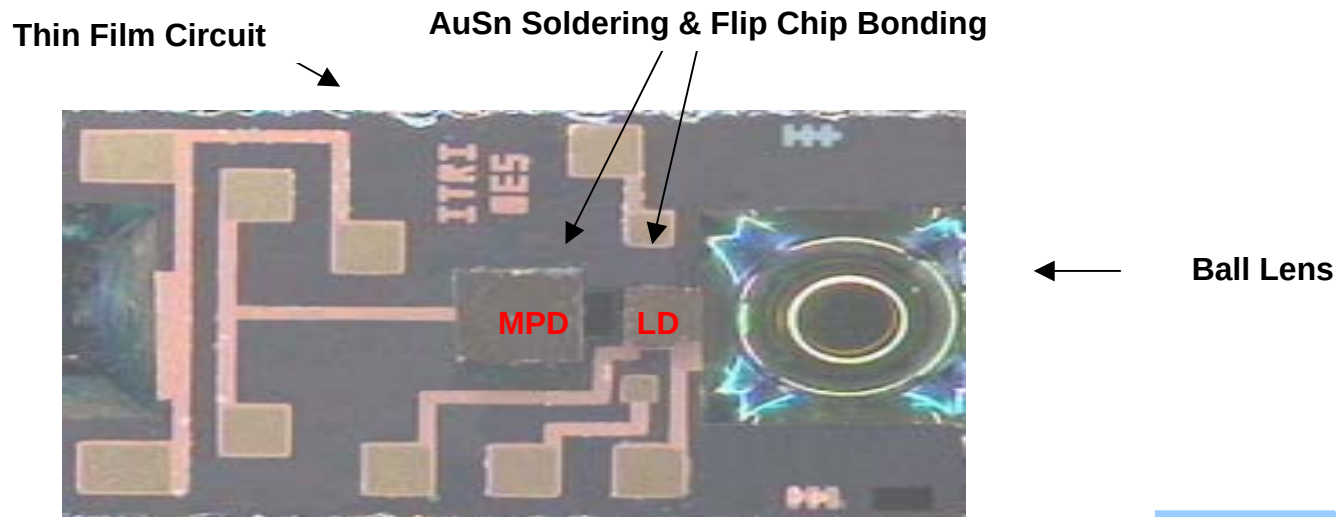
Metal & Glass Lid

Hemerticity (leak test) : achieved specs.  $1 \times 10^{-8}$  atm He.CC/sec

Isolation resistance : achieved specs.  $1 \times 10^{11}$  ohm



# High Speed Passively aligned OSA



## 關鍵技術

- Si Bench製程技術
- AuSn soldering製程技術
- Flip Chip bonding技術

## 技術應用

- 1.25G, 2.5G, 10G Transmitter / Receiver module

## 特色

- 被動對位構裝技術
- 用於陣列式模組技術
- 用於高速mini-DIL 或 Butterfly模組

## 規格

- Single channel 1310nm/1550nm LD
- Single channel 850nm VCSEL
- Multi-channel 1310/1550nm LD
- Multi-channel 850nm VCSEL

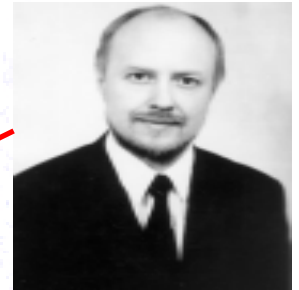
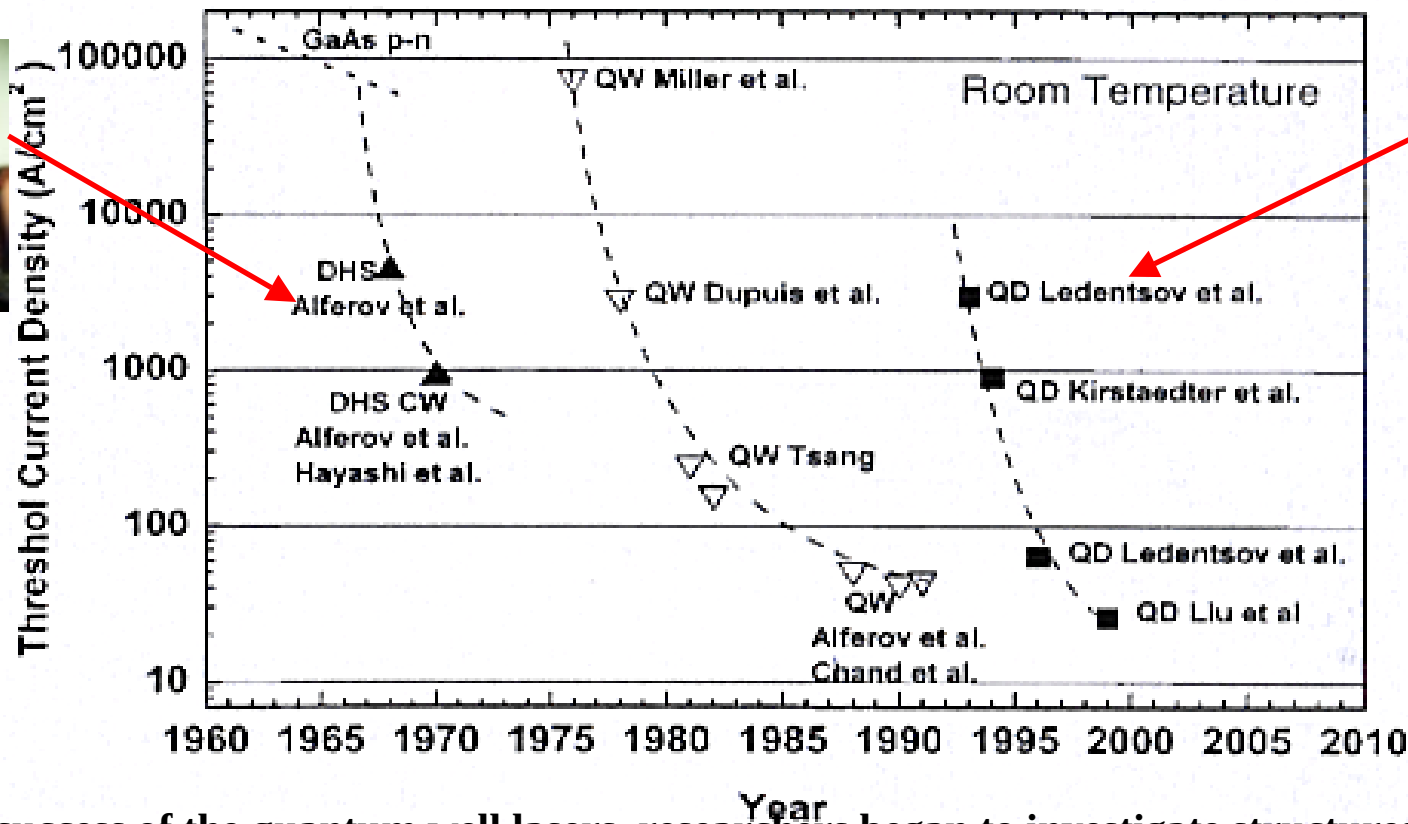
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- **Future devices technologies**
  - **Nano-photonics technology**
    - QD devices
    - Photonic Crystals



*N. Ledentsov, IEEE J. Select. Topics Quantum Electron., 6, 439, 2000*



After the success of the quantum well lasers, researchers began to investigate structures of lower dimensionality, e.g. quantum wires and dots. Several approaches have been investigated and soon found limitation due to the increased surface/interface area that lowers the radiative recombination efficiency of the injected electron-holes. SK mode of growth has the unique ability to avoid the surface effects!

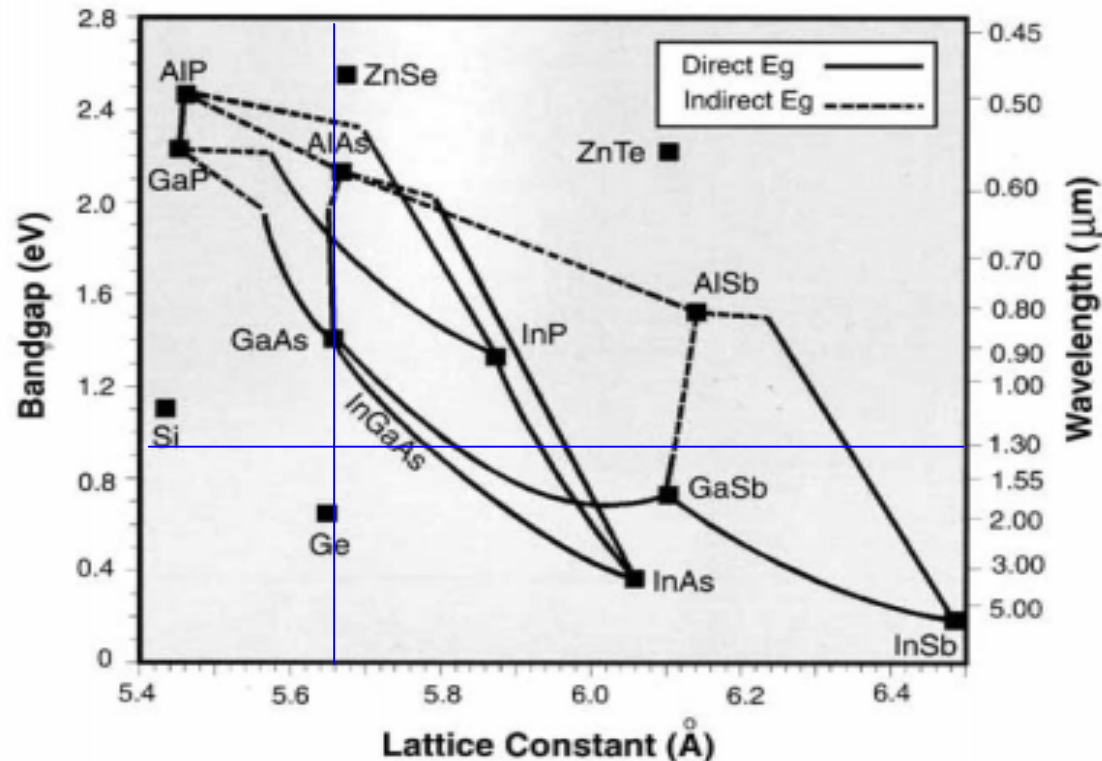
# Advantages of Quantum Dot Lasers

## - *the Ultimate Nanostructure*

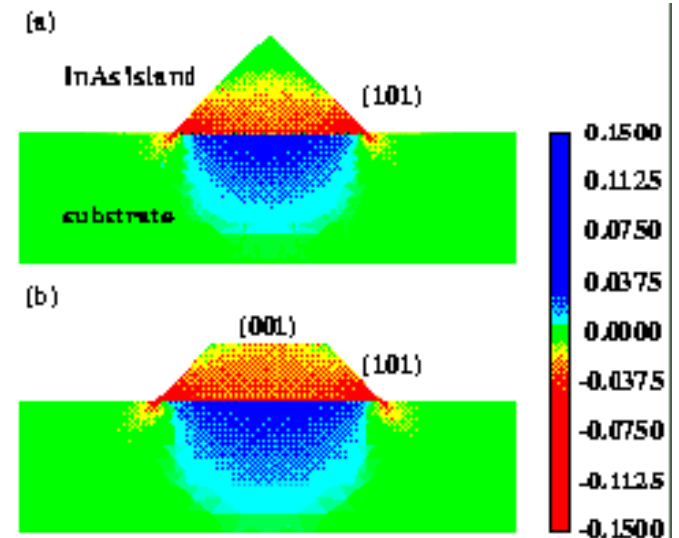
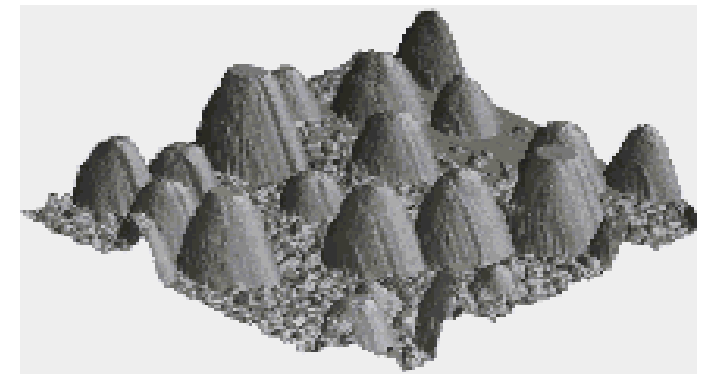
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- **Tunability** of emission wavelength by QD size and composition. GaAs-based *light sources* cover the entire range of wavelength, from 700-1310 nm that are important to communications.
- ✓ Extension of the possible wavelength regime on GaAs substrates to  $\lambda \geq 1300 \text{ nm}$
- ✓ **Lower threshold** current densities
- ✓ **High characteristic temperature  $T_0$**  at 1300 nm
- **Suppressed carrier diffusion**  $\Rightarrow$ 
  - lower facet temperature,
  - no beam filamentation,
  - lower  $M_2$  and
  - radiation hardness
  - higher output power
- **High modulation frequency, low alpha factor**
- **High-efficiency VCSELs at 1300 nm based on GaAs**

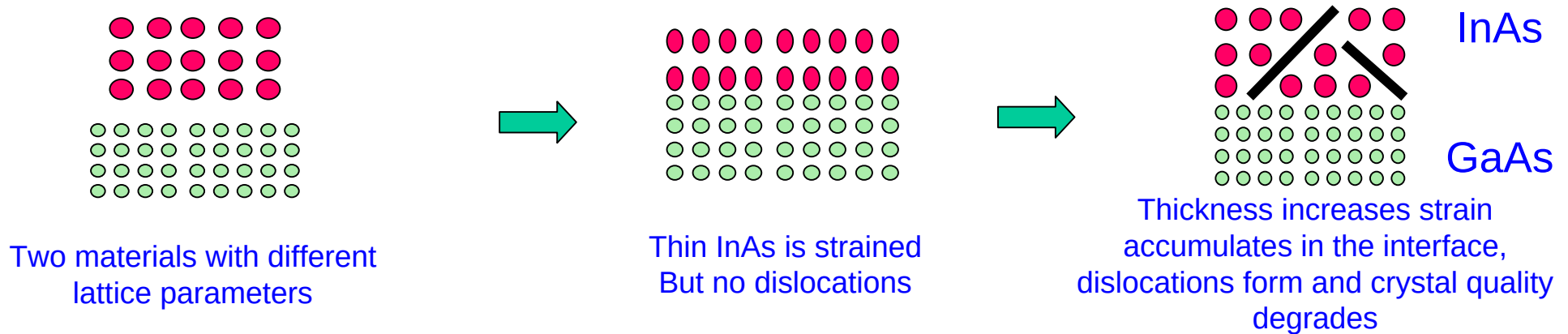
# InAs/GaAs QD



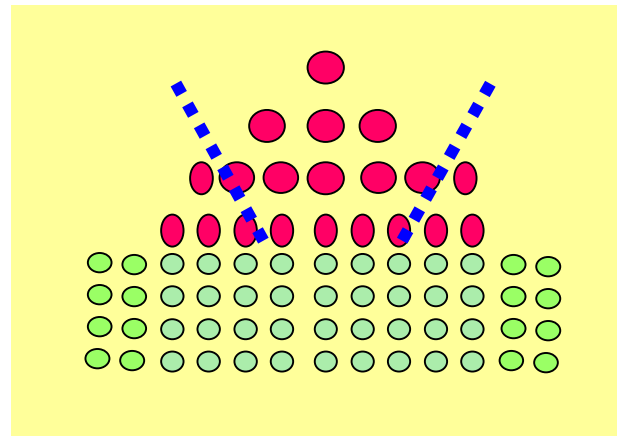
Dislocation-free epi-growth:  
 Lattice matched or slight lattice mismatched  
 Lattice mismatch: InAs/GaAs = 7.1%



# Epitaxy Growth of QW and QDs



## *QD formation by Stranski-Krawstanov Growth*



If islands are formed the strain may relax elastically

Our approach:

InGaAs QWs      ← MBE  
InAs/InGaAs QDs      ↗ MOCVD

# Quantum Dot Technologies



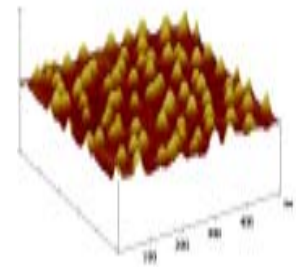
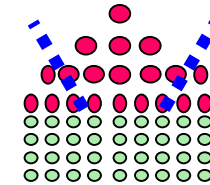
- Bandgap engineering
- 3D confinement
- Low threshold current
- Thermal stability
- High efficiency



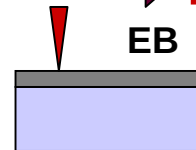
InGaN/GaN QD

InAs/GaAs QD

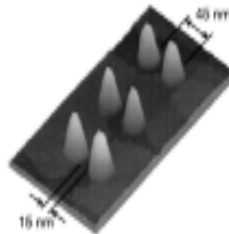
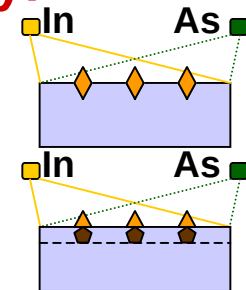
- Self assembled epitaxy
- Long wavelength emitting
- LD & VCSEL for fiber communication
- Patterned substrate for QD array



**Nano-technology!**



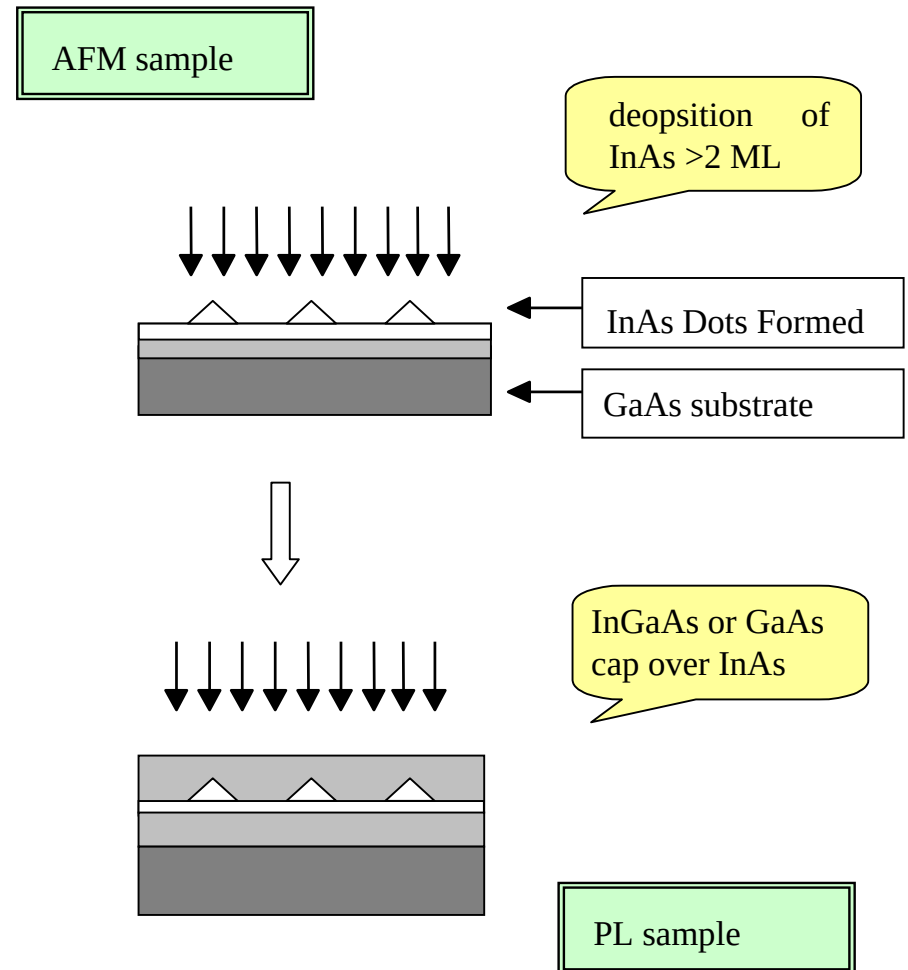
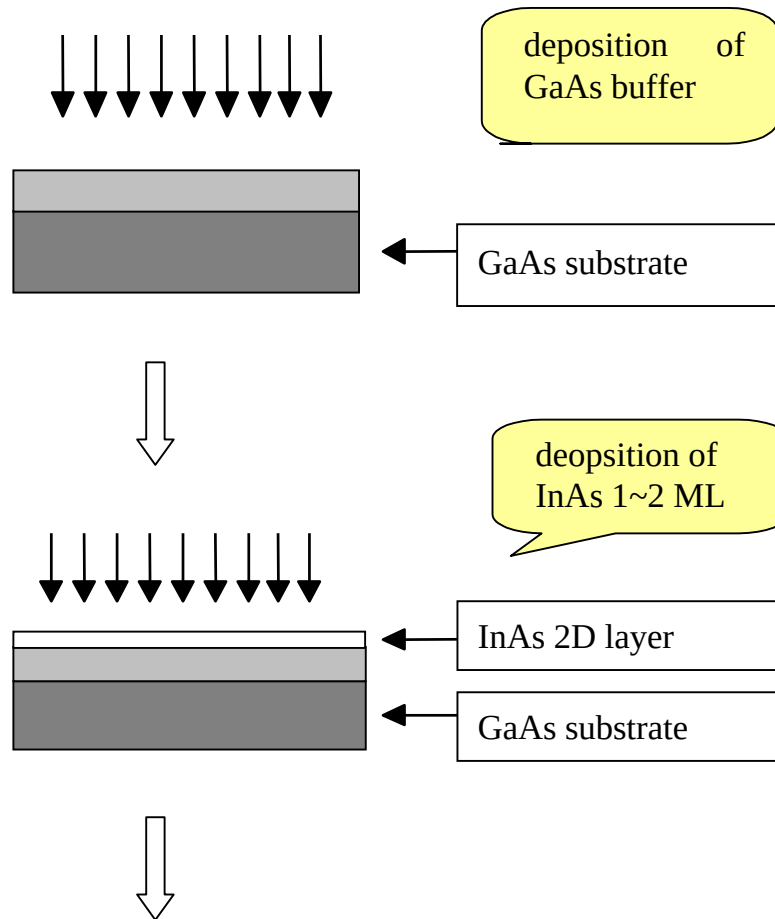
deposition



**White LED**

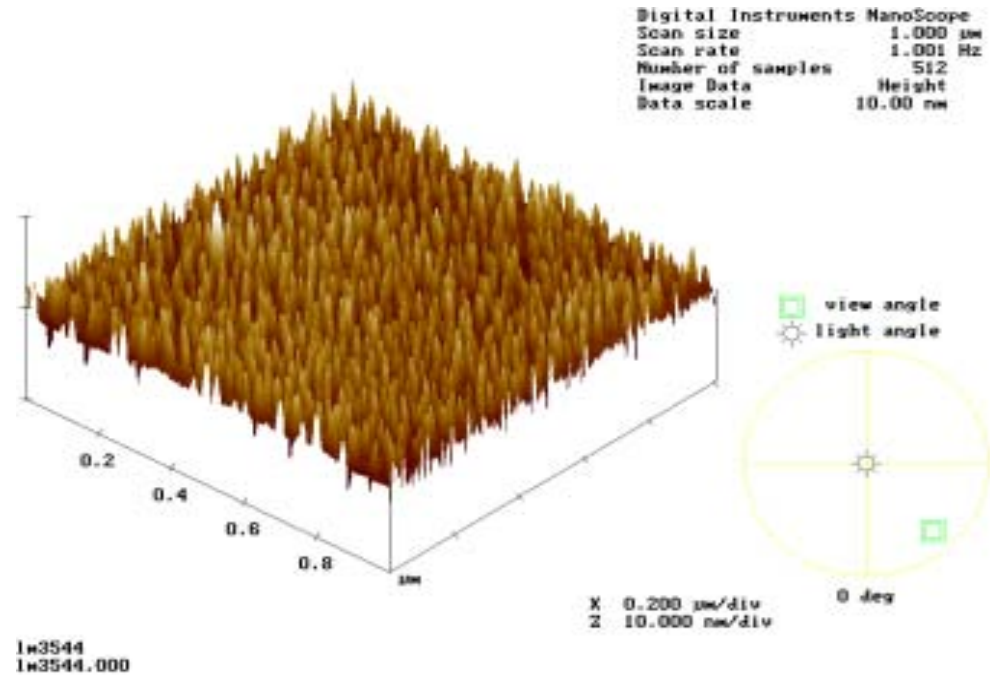
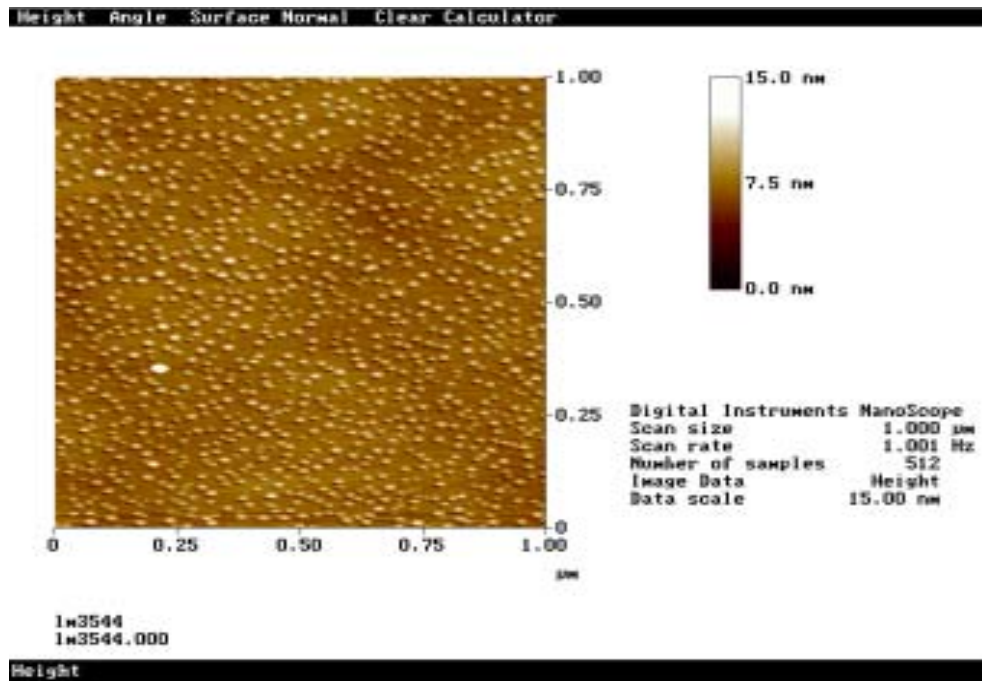


# Self-Assembled Quantum Dots



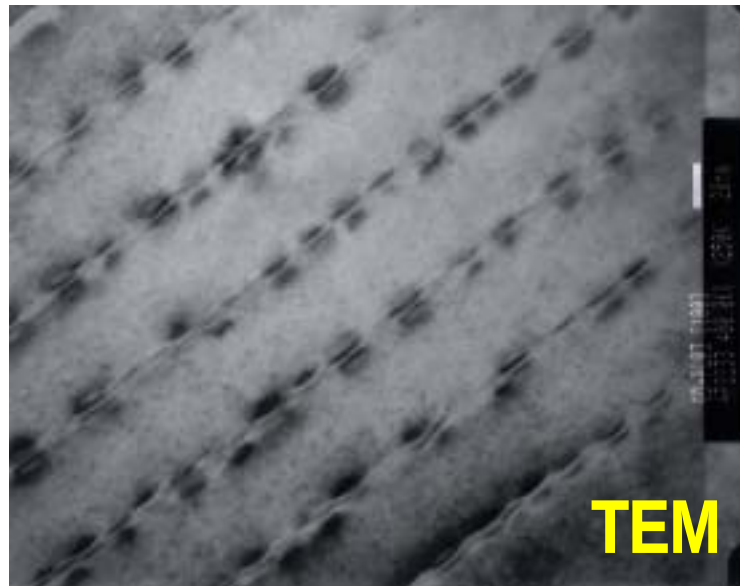
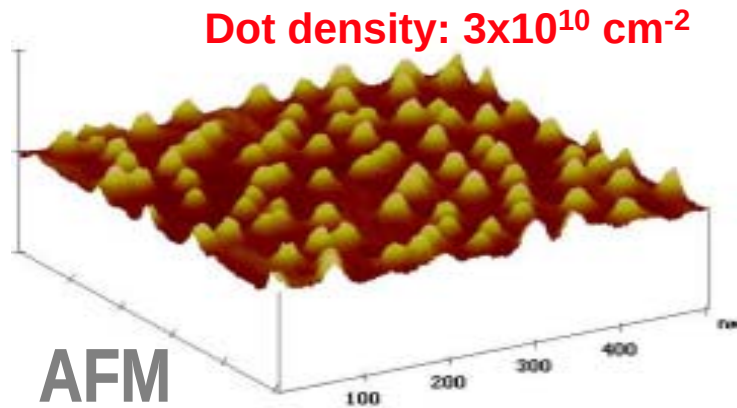


# QD Laser : AFM

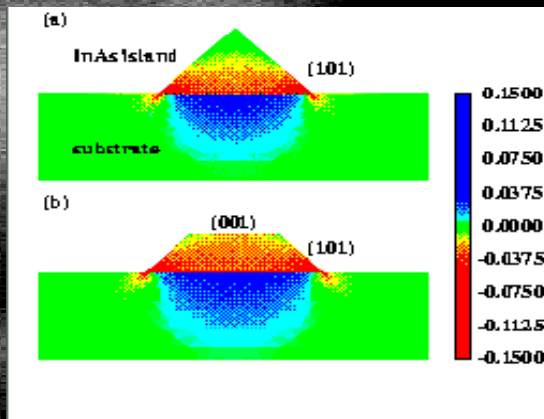


LM3544 :  $1 \times 10^{11}$  #/cm<sup>2</sup> with base width below 30 nm

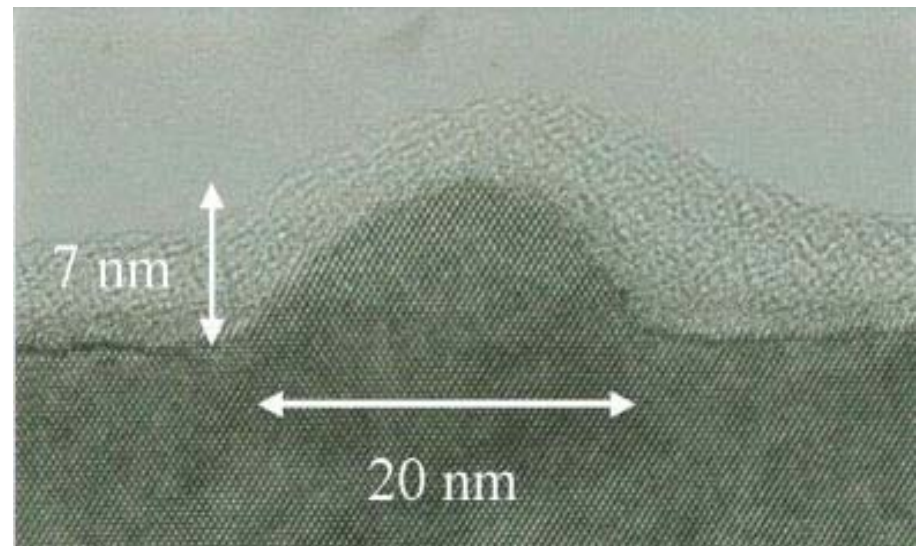
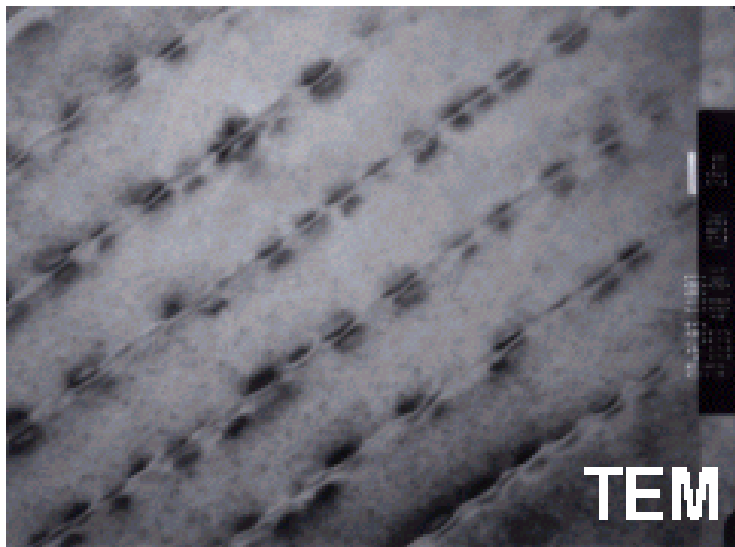
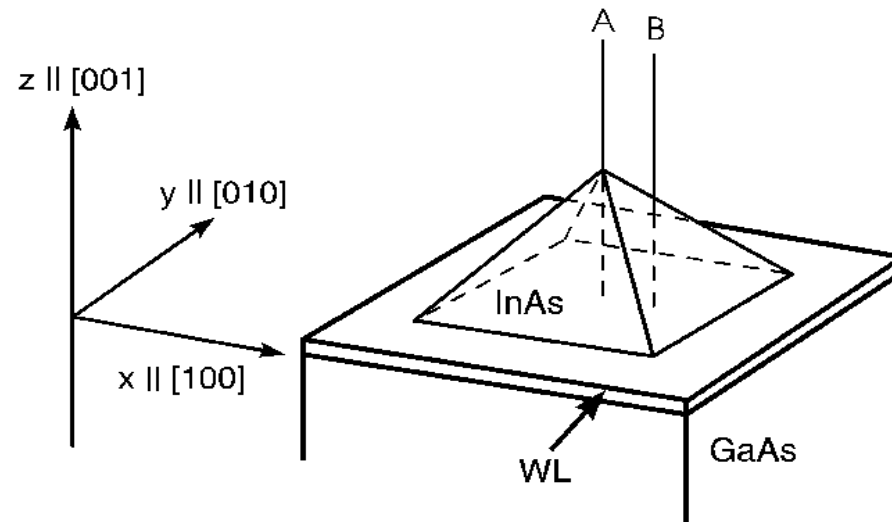
# QDs : Characterization



# InAs Quantum-Dot Lasers

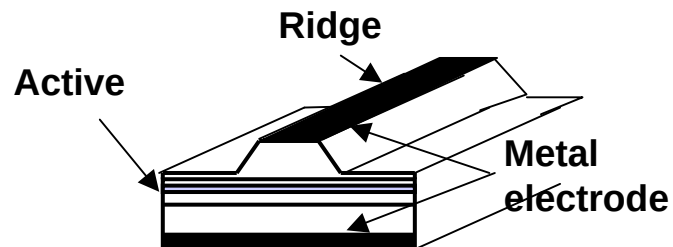
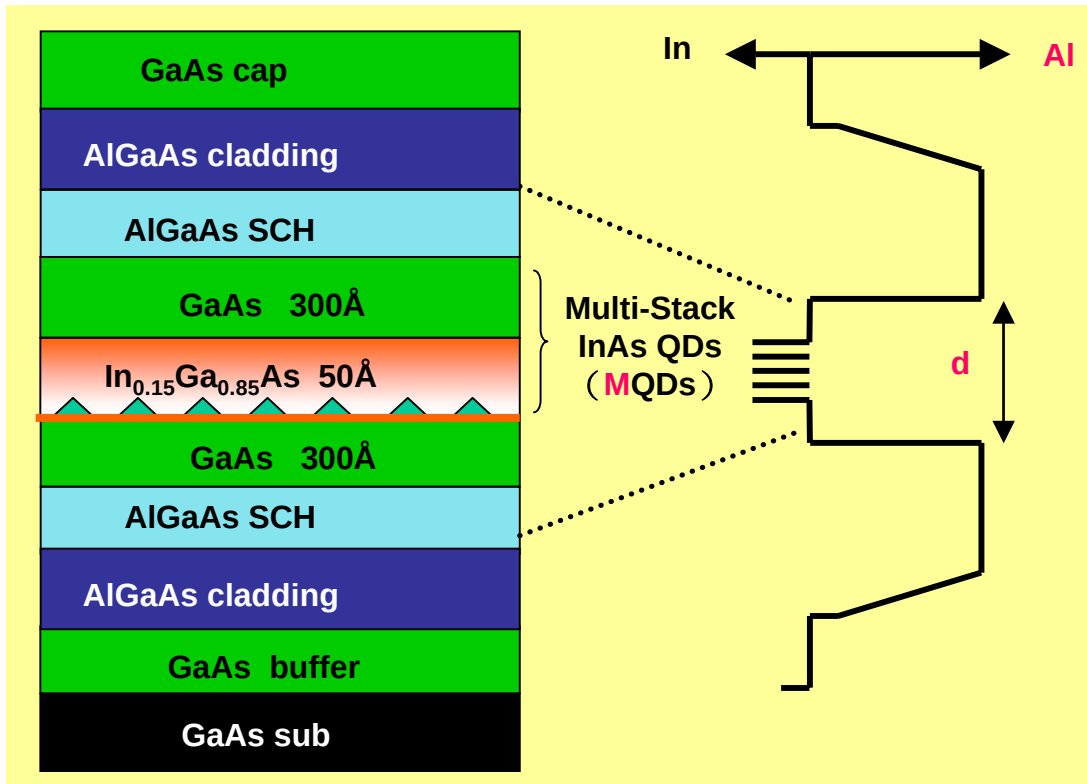


# QDs Characterization : TEM

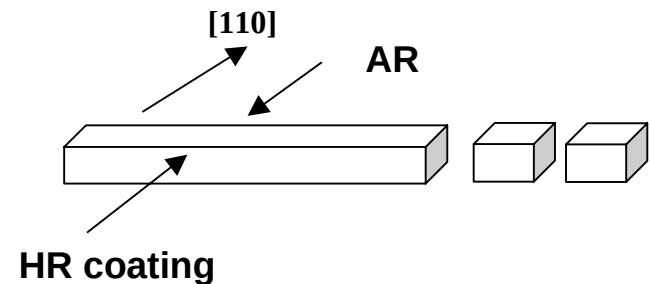
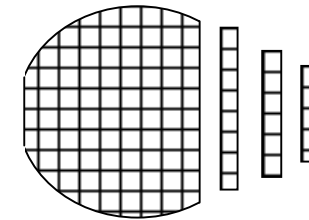
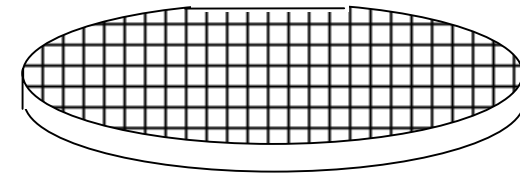


# QD Laser Structure

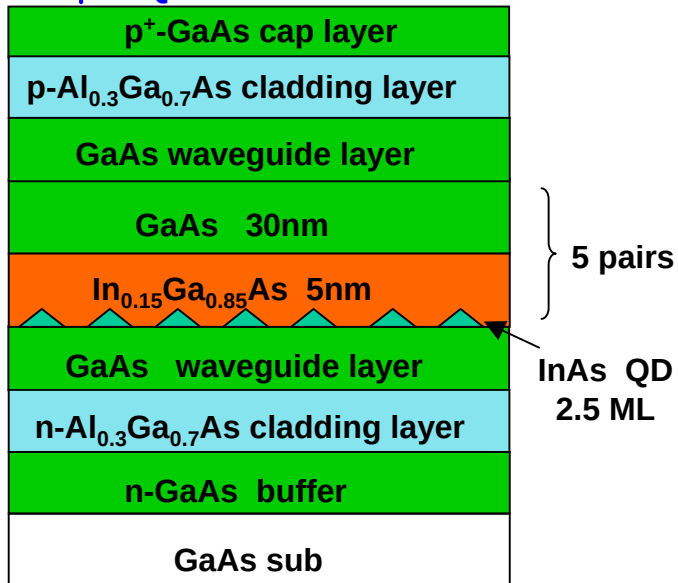
Layer Structure



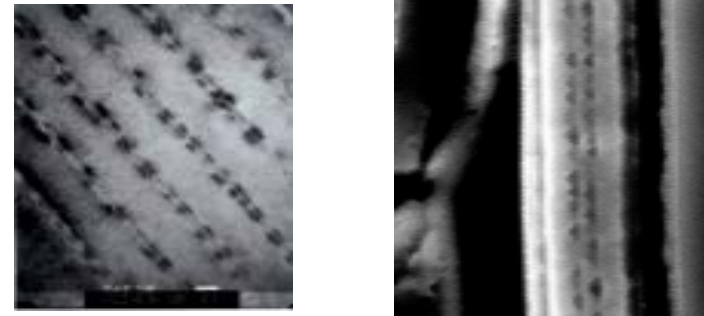
Laser fabrication



1.3  $\mu\text{m}$  QD laser structure

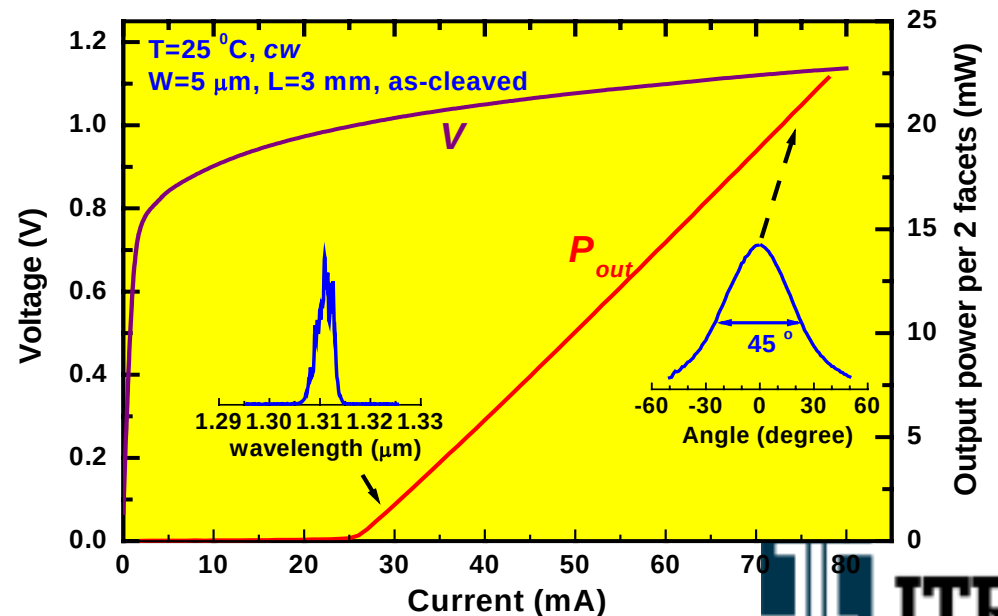
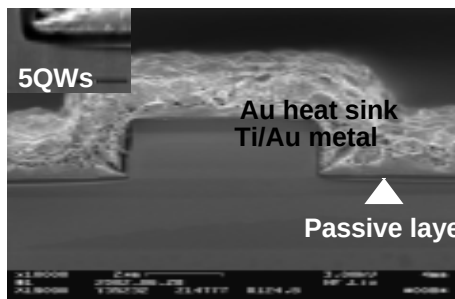


Cross-section TEM and SEM image of InAs/GaAs QD active layer



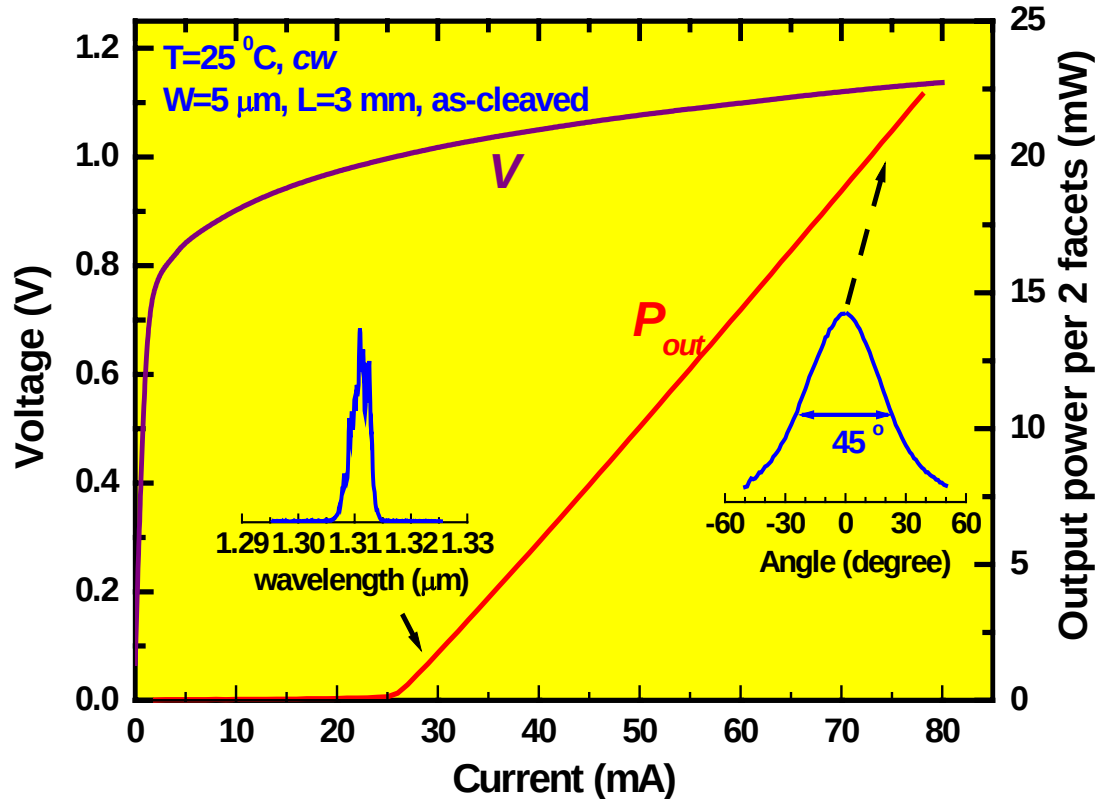
1.3  $\mu\text{m}$  QD ridge-waveguide laser characterization

Cross-section SEM image of 1.3  $\mu\text{m}$  QD ridge-waveguide laser



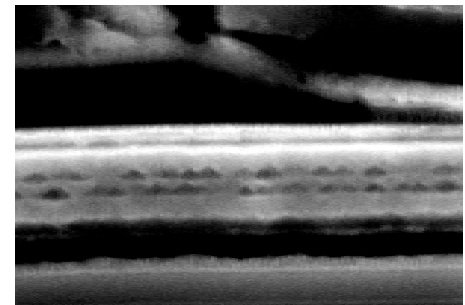
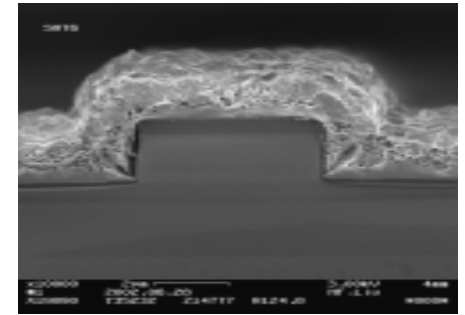
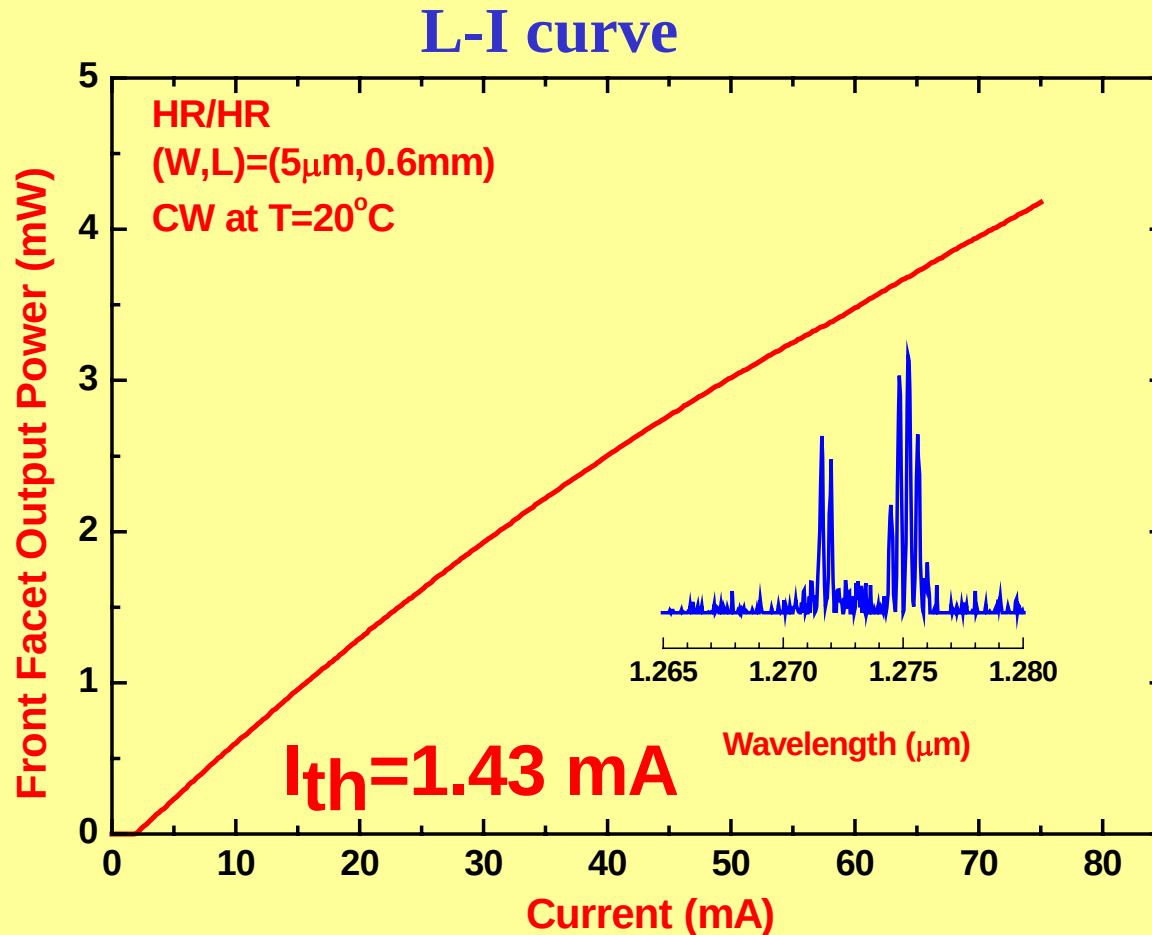


# Ridge-waveguide QD laser characteristics



Low divergent angle, high differential efficiency, single mode QD lasers have been obtained !

# Ultra-low Threshold Current QD EELs



SEM of 2 stack QD layers

Cf. D. L. Huffaker et al., IEEE J. Select. Topics Quantum Electron, VOL. 6, 2000. : 4.1 mA

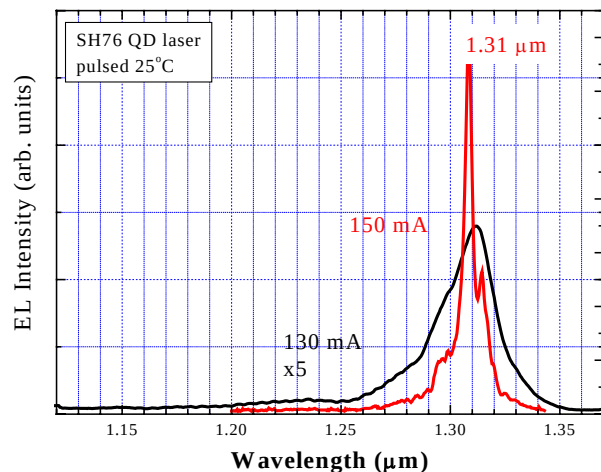
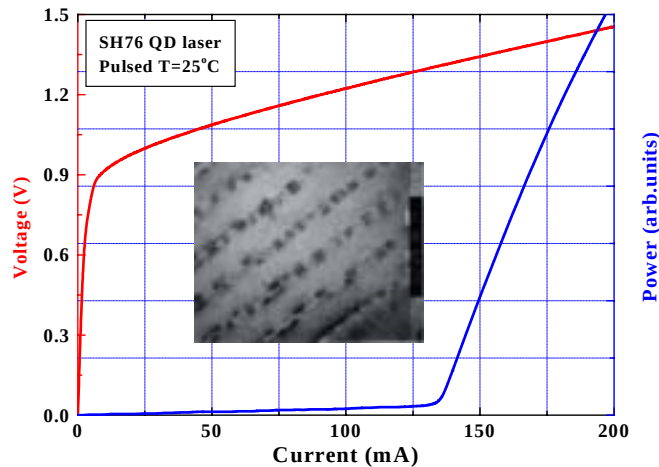
# InAs / InGaAs QD 1.3 um Lasers

**Lasing at 1.31  $\mu\text{m}$  @ 25°C  
with low  $I_{\text{th}}$  and high efficiency!**

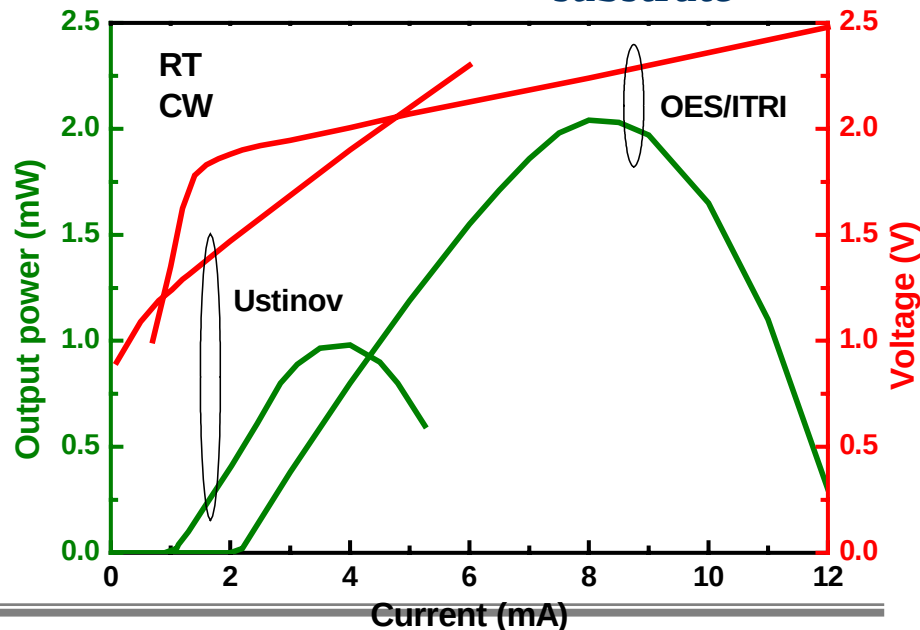
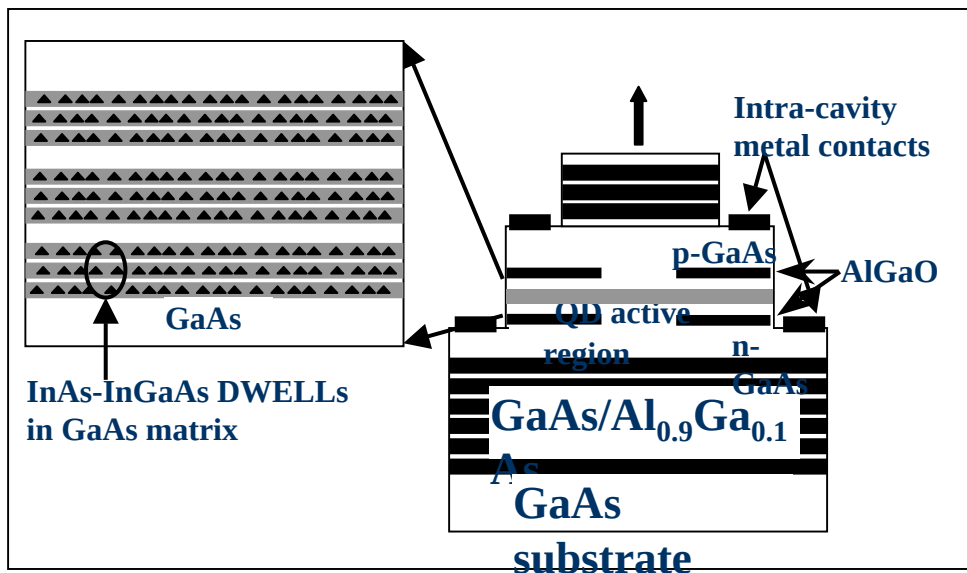
**Potential Impact:** Low cost VCSELs and LDs for metro/local-access fiber networks.

**Innovation:** Allow GaAs technology for uncooled 1.31  $\mu\text{m}$  components to replace the less developed InP technology. QD can be made on the cheaper and better GaAs substrates and is less temperature sensitive. It also allows integration with GaAs high speed electronics to lower the system costs.

**Importance:** The characteristics of InAs/InGaAs QD epi-structure were shown to be as good as other QW LD structures. ITRI/IOFFE collaborative program will aim to be the first in commercializing QD devices at 1.3 $\mu\text{m}$  in the world.



# 1310 nm QD VCSEL(MBE)



Room-temperature continuous operation of InAs QD intra-cavity VCSELs grown by Molecular beam epitaxy (MBE).

$\lambda : 1.3 \mu\text{m}$

$I_{\text{th}} : 2.2 \text{ mA}$

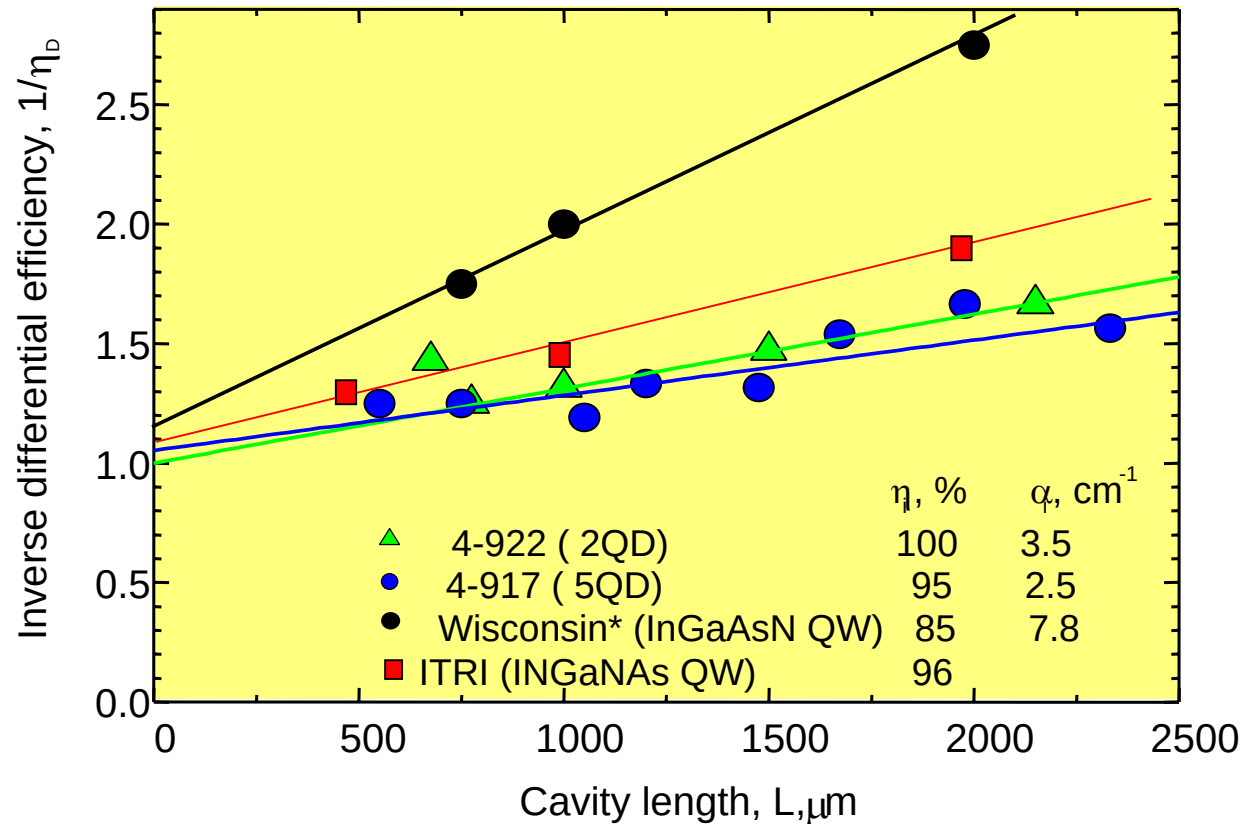
$P_{\text{max}} : 2 \text{ mW}$

Slope efficiency : 0.41 W/A

The *first* room temperature 1.3  $\mu\text{m}$  QD VCSEL with all semiconductor DBRs!

# Comparison of QDs and InGaNaAs QWs

**Internal Quantum Efficiency of QDs close to 100%!**



\*N. Tansu and L.J. Mawst, IEEE Photonics Technol. Lett. 14, 444 (2002)

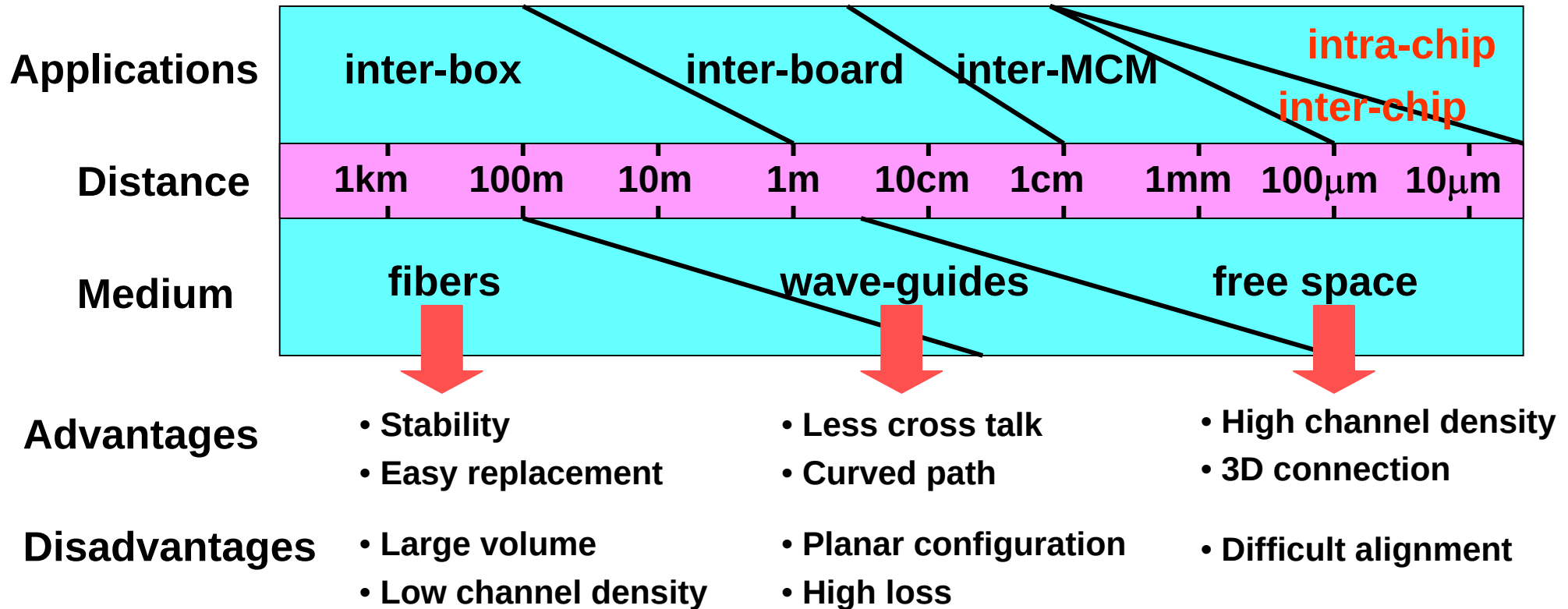
# Summary- QD Devices

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- RW multi-stack (N=2, 5 and 10)  
InAs/InGaAs/AlGaAs QD lasers of 1.3  $\mu\text{m}$  range have been fabricated. The threshold current densities per stack were about 25  $\text{A}/\text{cm}^2$ , 18  $\text{A}/\text{cm}^2$  and 10  $\text{A}/\text{cm}^2$  for 2-, 5- and 10-stack QDs, respectively.
- Low threshold current of 1.43 mA, High wall-plug efficiency exceeding 40%, and record high current density above  $100 \times J_{th}$  for 10-stack QD lasers for RT CW and GS lasing emission was achieved.



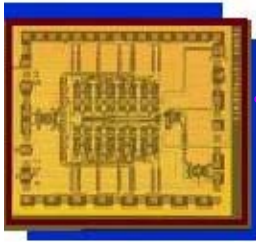
# Optical Interconnection Types and Applications



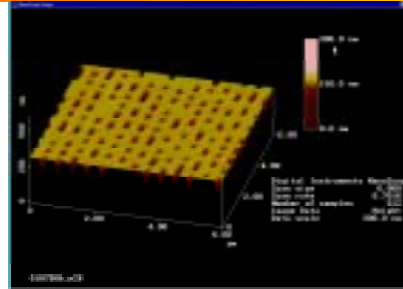
## Application Products

- Telecomm Switch, Telecomm Transmission Equipment
- High End Datacom Switch and Router
- Aerospace and avionics communication
- High End computer peripherals, Enterprise computer server
- Mainframe Supercomputer

nano-electronics  
(MRAM, SET)



high-density data storage  
(Terabyte)



carbon nanotube  
field-emission display  
(CNT-FED)



long-life fuel cell for  
mobile devices



ultra-thin &  
flexible display

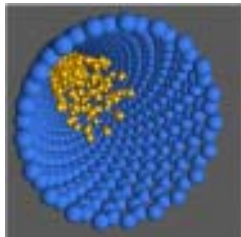


# Nanotechnology

## Strategic Applications

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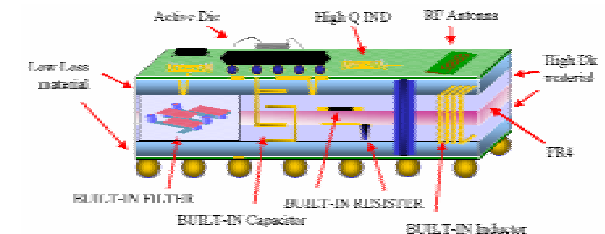
nano-fluid with  
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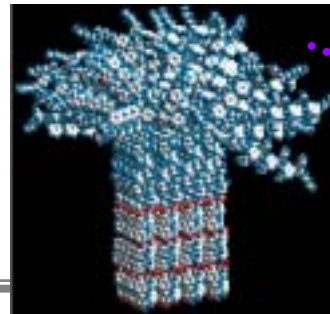
nano-optoelectronic  
communication components  
(QD Laser, Nanophotonics)



next-gen. electronic  
packaging technology



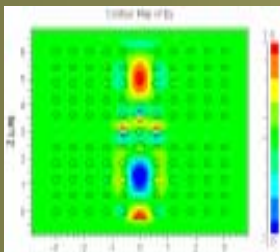
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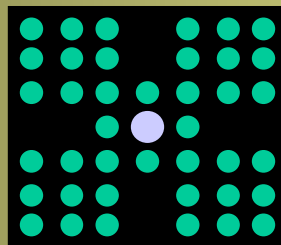
# Nano-Photonics Roadmap

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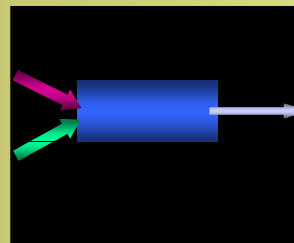
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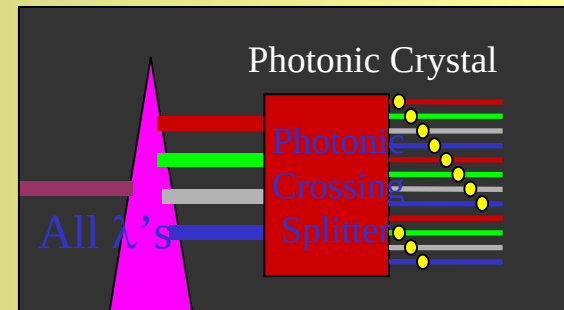
Crossing Splitter



Variable Optical Attenuator



Polarization Combiner

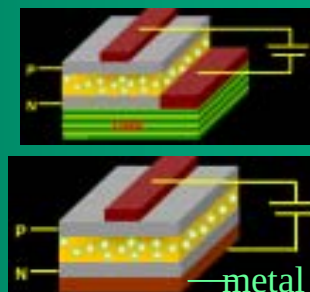


Total Integration

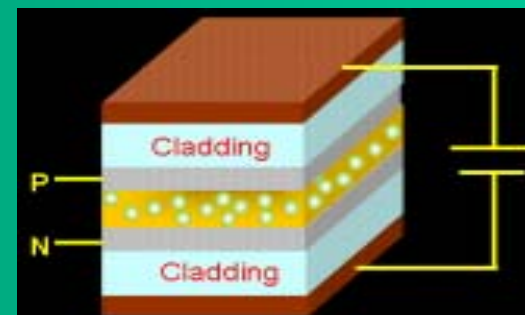
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Simple QD-LED



Enhanced QD-LED



Edge-emitting Laser

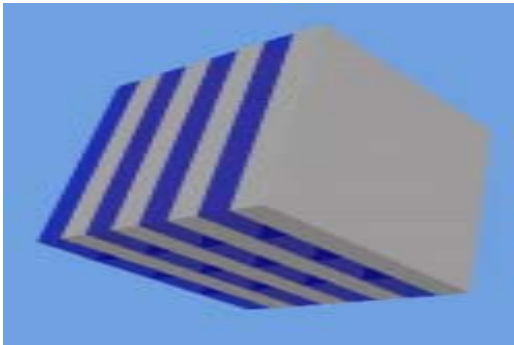
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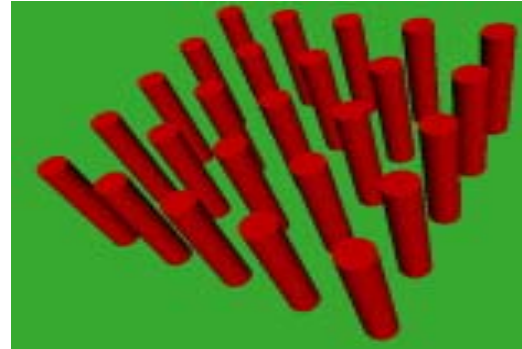
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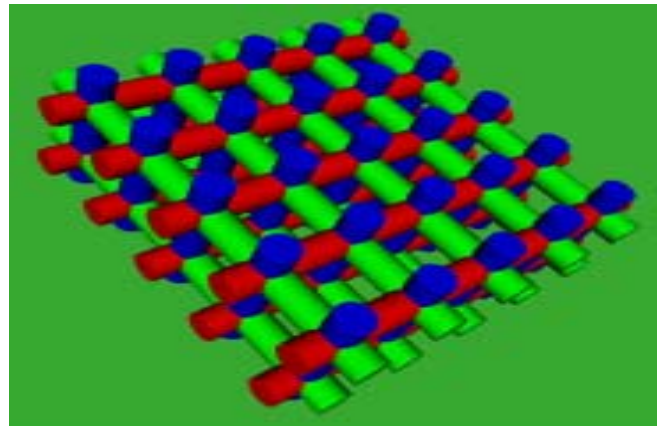
# Types of Photonic Crystal Structures



(a) 1D



(b) 2D



(c) 3D

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Nano-patterning  
Technology

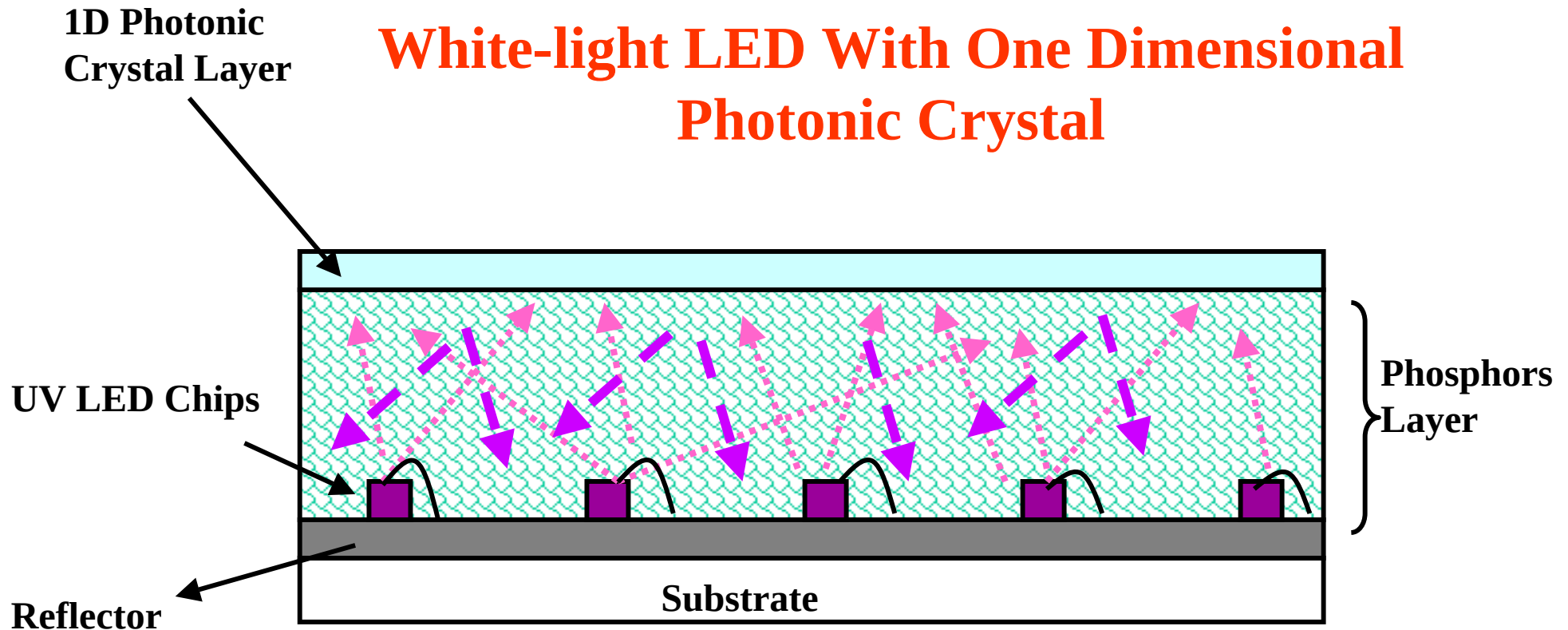
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**Features of  
Photonic Crystal**

- periodic structure
- dimension in sub-wavelength region
- various device design

# Dielectric Omni-directional Reflector

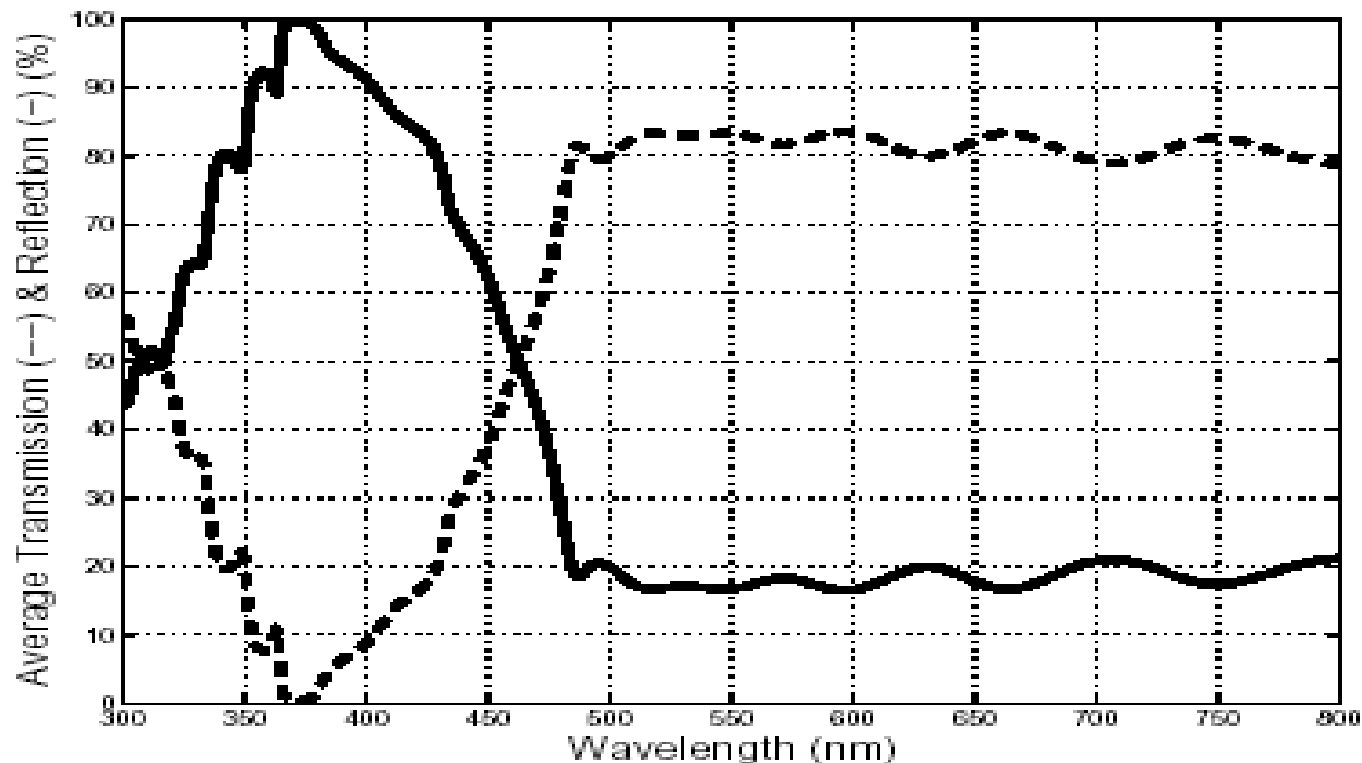
## White-light LED With One Dimensional Photonic Crystal



One Dimensional Photonic Crystal Structure with High Reflectivity at Certain Wavelength ( i.e. Band Gap) Irrespective to Incident Angles and Polarizations.

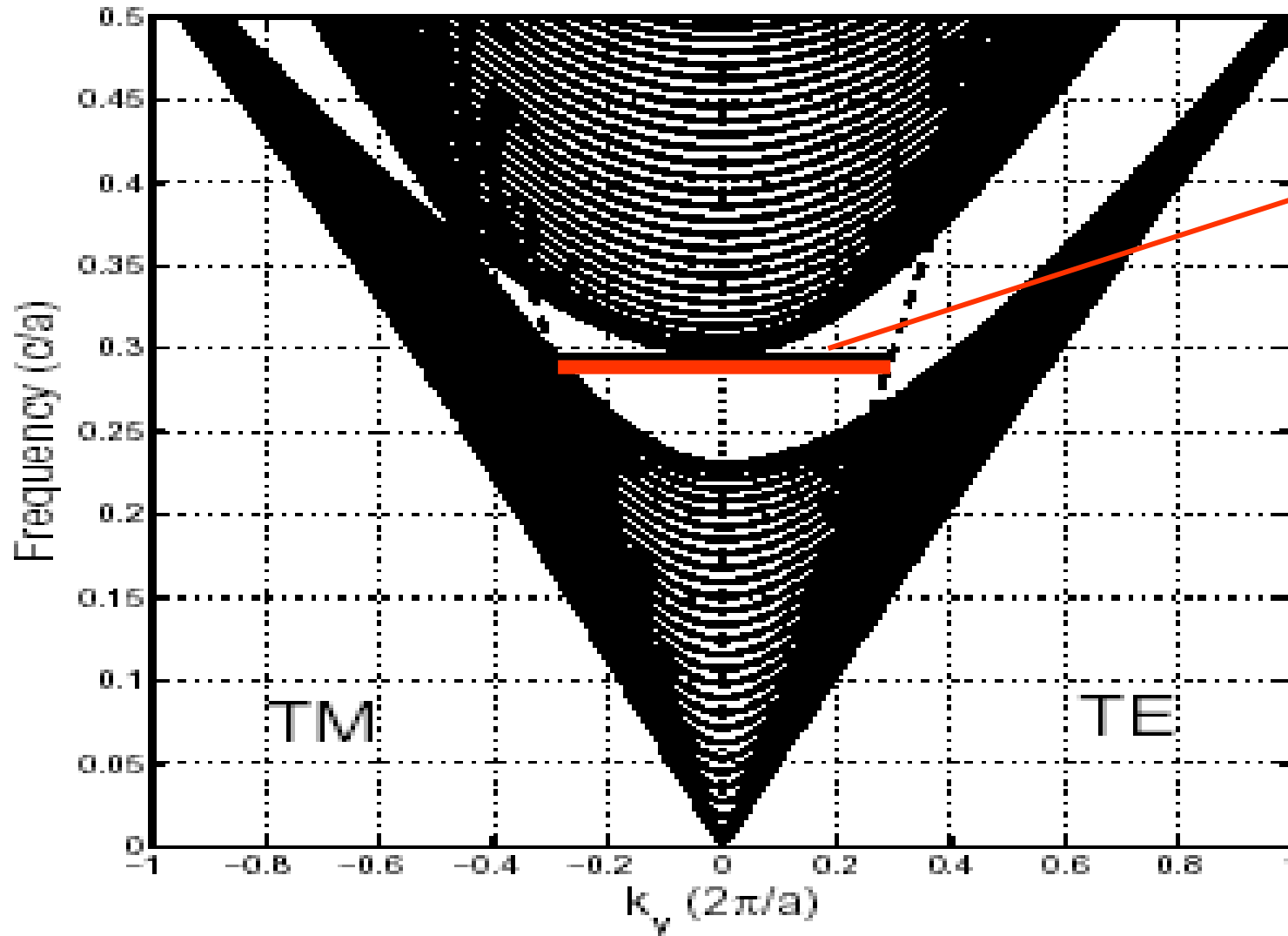
# Dielectric Omni-directional Reflector

Calculated Average Spectra of Omni-directional Reflector Structure For Unpolarized Light With All Incident Angle





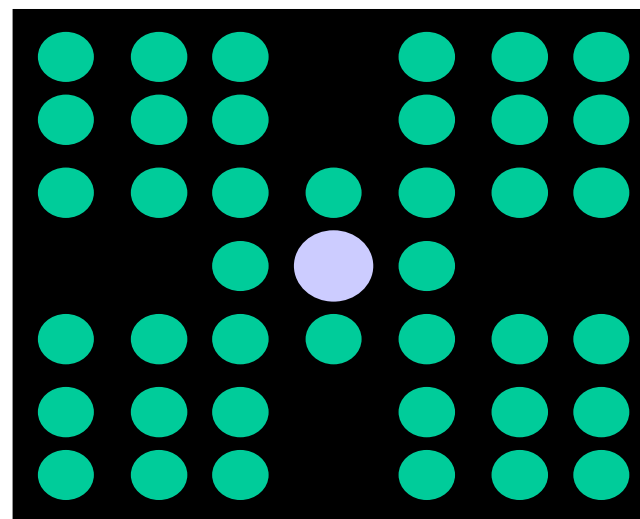
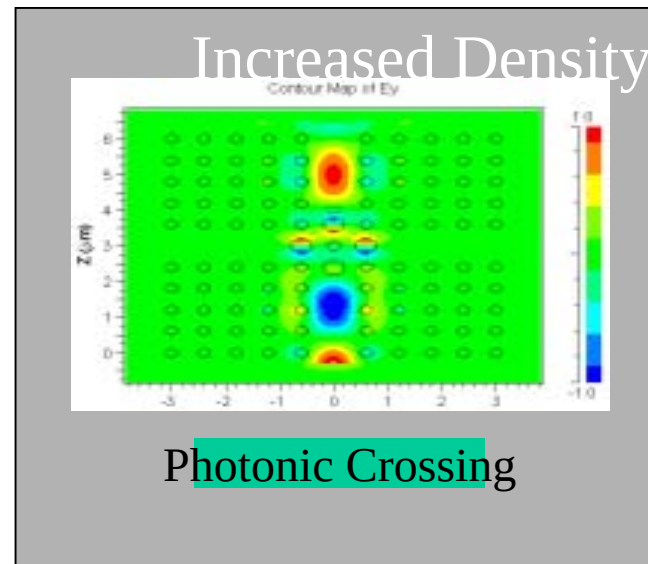
# Photonic Band Structure of an Omnidirectional One Dimensional Photonic Crystal



Omni-directional  
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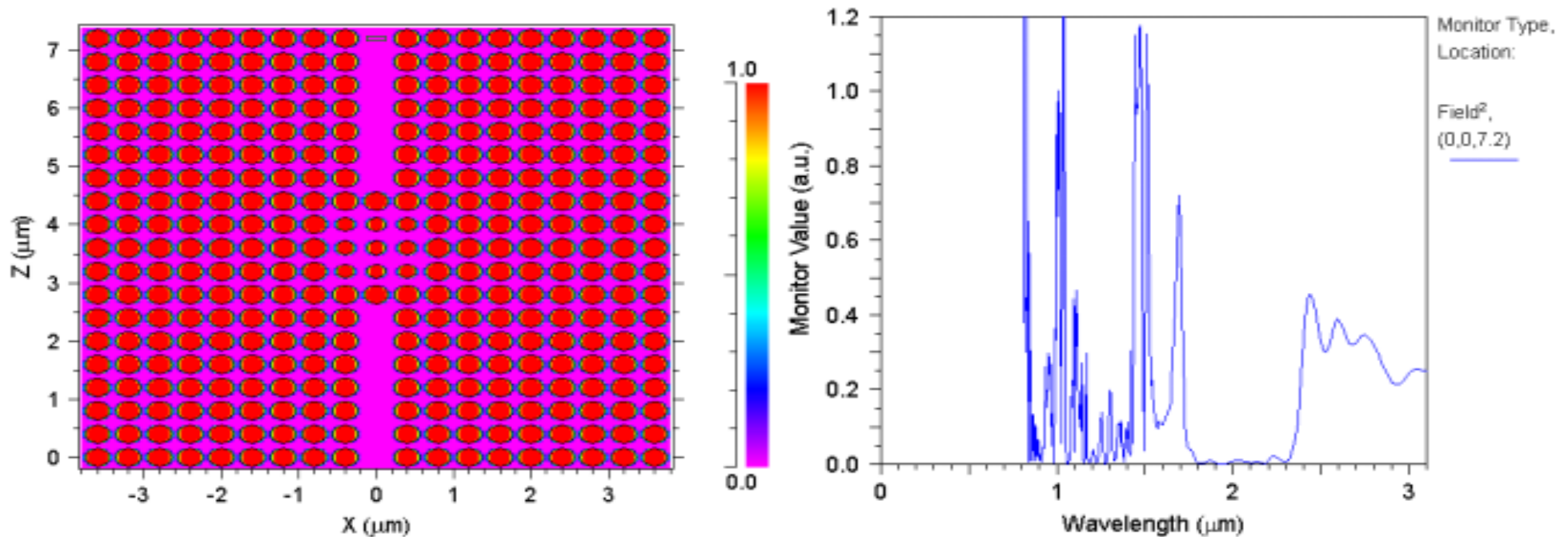
# Photonic Crystal Devices

- **Photonic splitters**
  - Integration with MUX/DeMUX
  - Increase Channel Count per Area
- **Photonic Crystal VOA (Transmission)**
  - Index Tuning
  - E-O Substrate
  - LC Filling
  - Geometric Tuning



# Device Design

- VOA



# Low Cost Sources (OFC 2004)

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ThD1 Kouji Nakahara 1.3- $\mu\text{m}$  InGaAlAs directly modulated MQW RWG DFB lasers operating over 10 Gb/s and 100°C

ThD2 Satoshi Shirai 120°C un-cooled operation of direct modulated 1.3 $\mu\text{m}$  AlGaInAs-MQW DFB laser diodes for 10Gb/s telecom applications

ThD3 Tetsuro Okuda Low-operation-current and highly-reliable 1.3- $\mu\text{m}$  AlGaInAs strain compensated MQW-BH-DFB lasers for 100°C, 10-Gb/s operation

ThD4 Hélène Debrégeas-Sillard Low-cost coolerless 10Gb/s integrated laser-modulator

ThD5 Osamu Kagaya Record high mask margin in uncooled directly-modulated laser diode modules with a driver IC for 10.7 Gbit/s SONET applications

ThD6 Takashi Kondo Isolator-free, uncooled operation of highly strained 1.1  $\mu\text{m}$  GaInAs/GaAs vertical cavity surface emitting laser for 10 Gb/s single mode fiber data transmission

ThD7 Alexei Sirbu VCSELs emitting in the 1550 nm waveband with 0.6 mW single mode output in 20-80 °C temperature range

# Practical applications of holey optical fibers

D.J. Richardson, K. Furusawa, H. Ebendorff-Heidepriem, P. Petropoulos, V. Finazzi, J.C. Baggett, W. Belardi, T.A. Kogure, J.H. Lee, Z. Yusoff, J. Nilsson, Y. Jeong, J.K. Sahu and T.M. Monro

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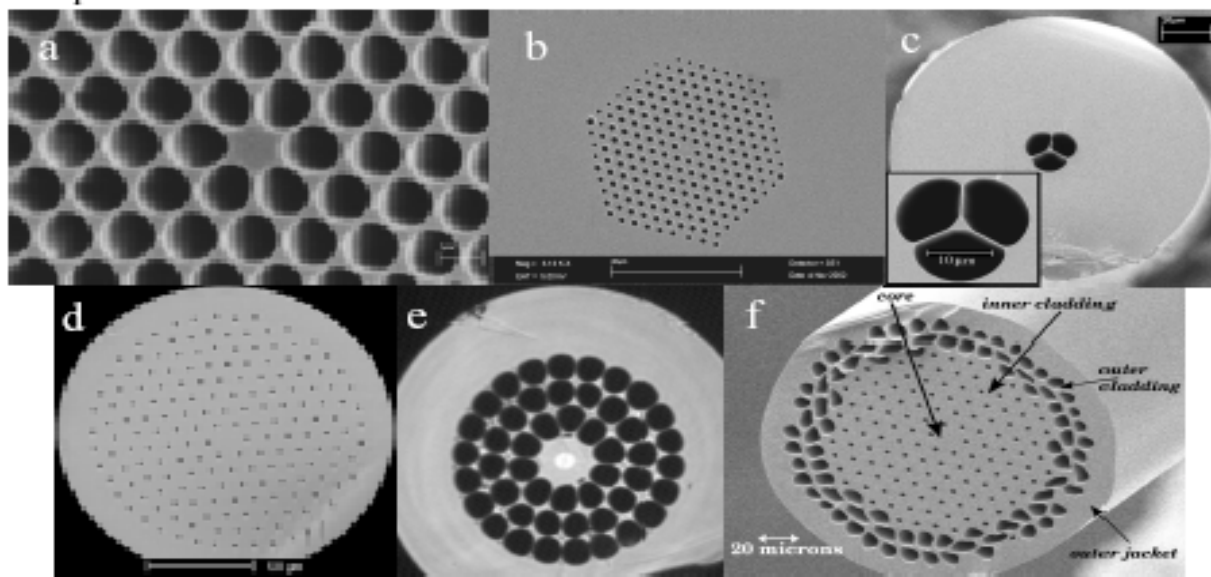
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**Abstract:** We review recent advances in the development of HF technology and describe various practical applications of the technology in the areas of nonlinear and active fiber devices.

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**OCIS codes:** (060.2280) Fiber design and fabrication (060.4370) fiber lasers, nonlinear fibers, microstructured fiber

**1. Introduction:** The microstructured fiber is a new class of optical fiber that has emerged in recent years (for recent reviews see [1] and [2]). Microstructured fibers contain an arrangement of air holes that run along the fiber length, and examples are shown in figure 1. The holes within these fibers act as the fiber cladding, and light can be guided using either one of two quite different mechanisms.



**Figure 1** Various nonlinear and rare earth doped holey fibres: (a) Small core highly nonlinear silica fiber with  $\sim 2\mu\text{m}$  core [18]. (b) small core Er doped fiber (dopant is confined to a region of diameter  $\sim 1\mu\text{m}$  within the  $\sim 2\mu\text{m}$  core) [29]. (c) High nonlinearity extruded SF57 glass HF [4]. (d) Large core endlessly single mode fiber [1,2]. (e) Cladding pumped fibre with a conventional core as used for high power Yb-doped 980nm lasers [26]. (f) Large mode area cladding pumped holey fiber for high power laser applications [25,27].

# Practical Applications of Holey Optical Fibers

(cont.) - D.J. Richardson, et al, University of Southampton, (OFC 2004)

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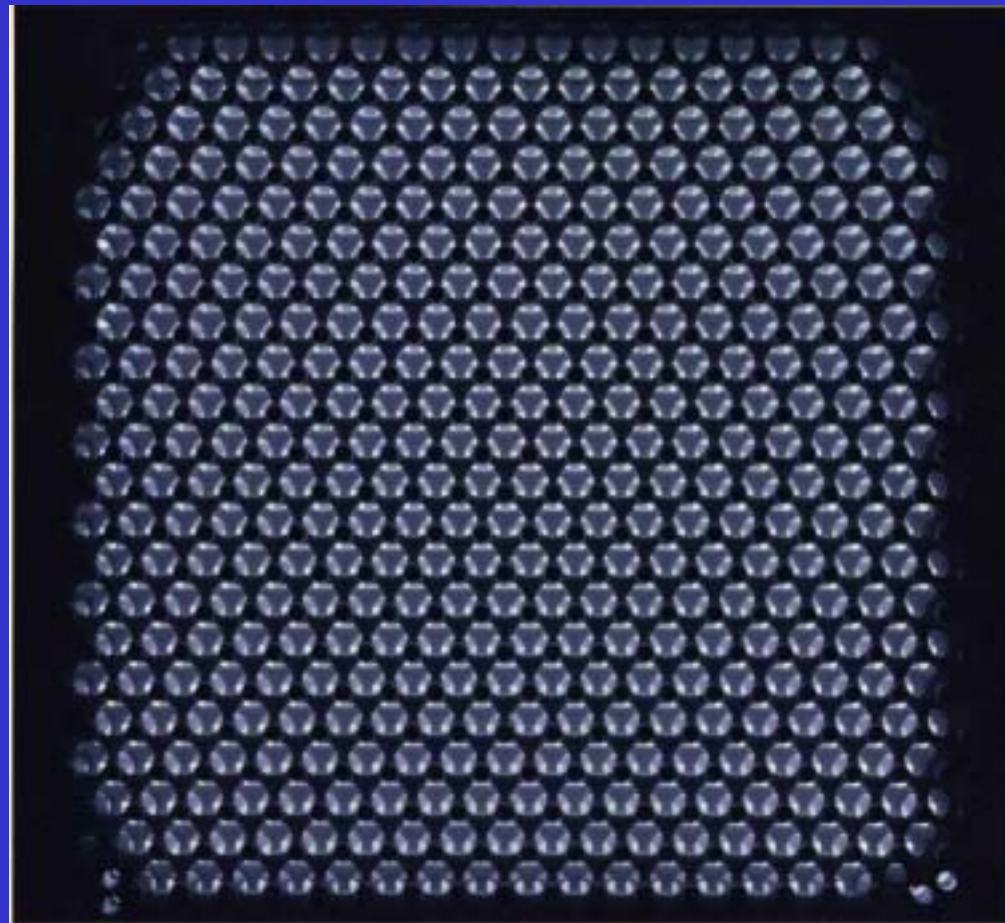
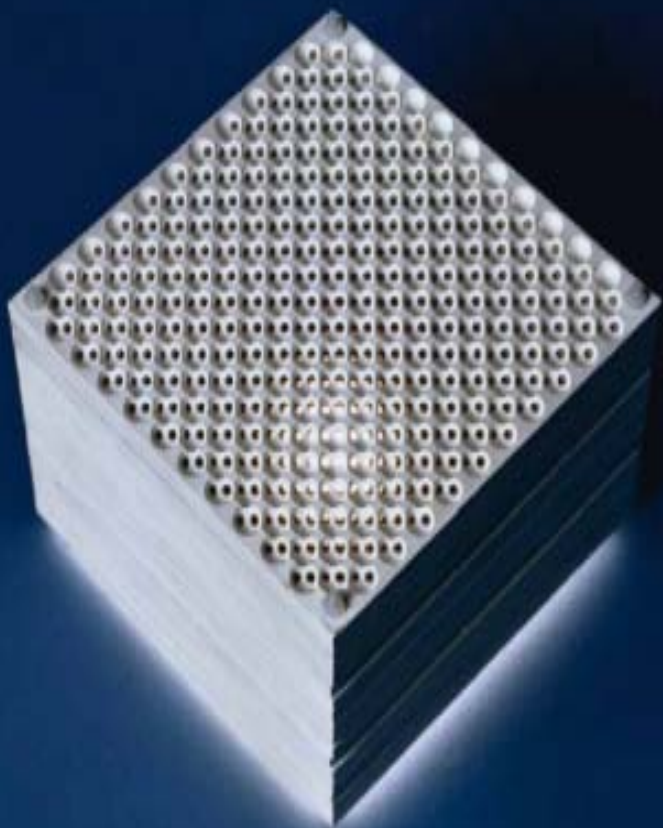
## 5. Conclusion.

In conclusion, HF technology has advanced to the point that km-lengths of robust coated fiber can be produced with losses approaching those of conventional fiber. HFs can be processed and spliced using established procedures and thus readily integrated with low loss to conventional fiber components and systems. HF fabrication, and associated post fabrication filling approaches have been shown to be compatible with a broad range of glasses and optical materials greatly enhancing the range and scope of devices and application that can be considered. HF technology thus promises a host of new functional passive and active fiber devices.



# Photonic Crystals

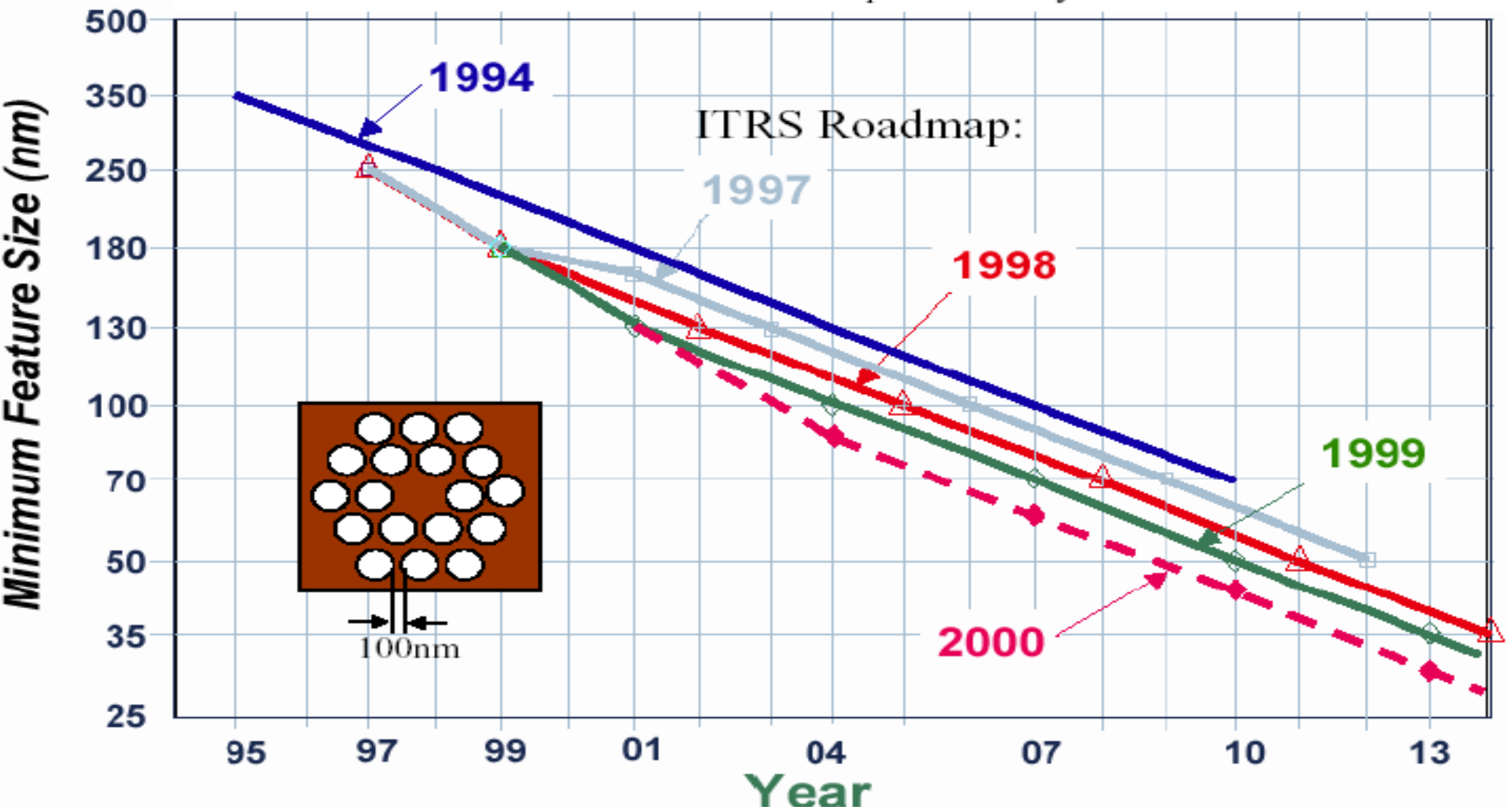
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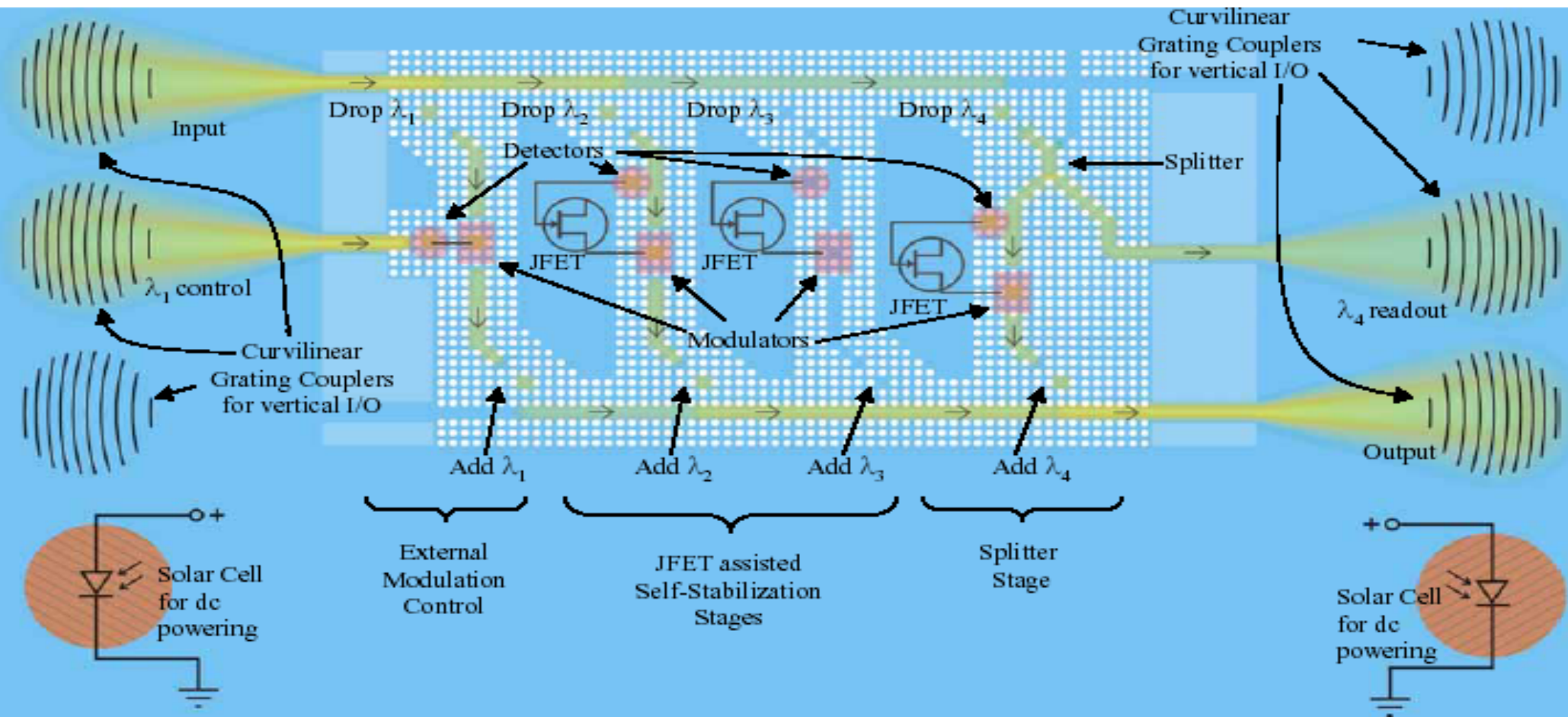


Critical Dimension for Photonic Integrated Circuit:  $\lambda \approx 1550\text{nm}$   
 $\lambda/n \approx 440\text{nm}$   
critical dimension for photonic crystal  $\approx 100\text{nm}$



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# Photonic Bandgap based Nano-Photonic Integrated Circuit Concept

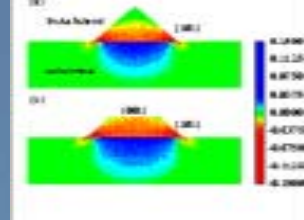


(4 WDM channels are shown, but are meant to be representative of many more channels per chip.)

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# Nano-Photonics and Future Impacts

## - Display, Lighting and Communication



***“ Where this thing  
is going to stop,  
only Lord  
knows.”***

**- Thomas Edison  
October 1879**



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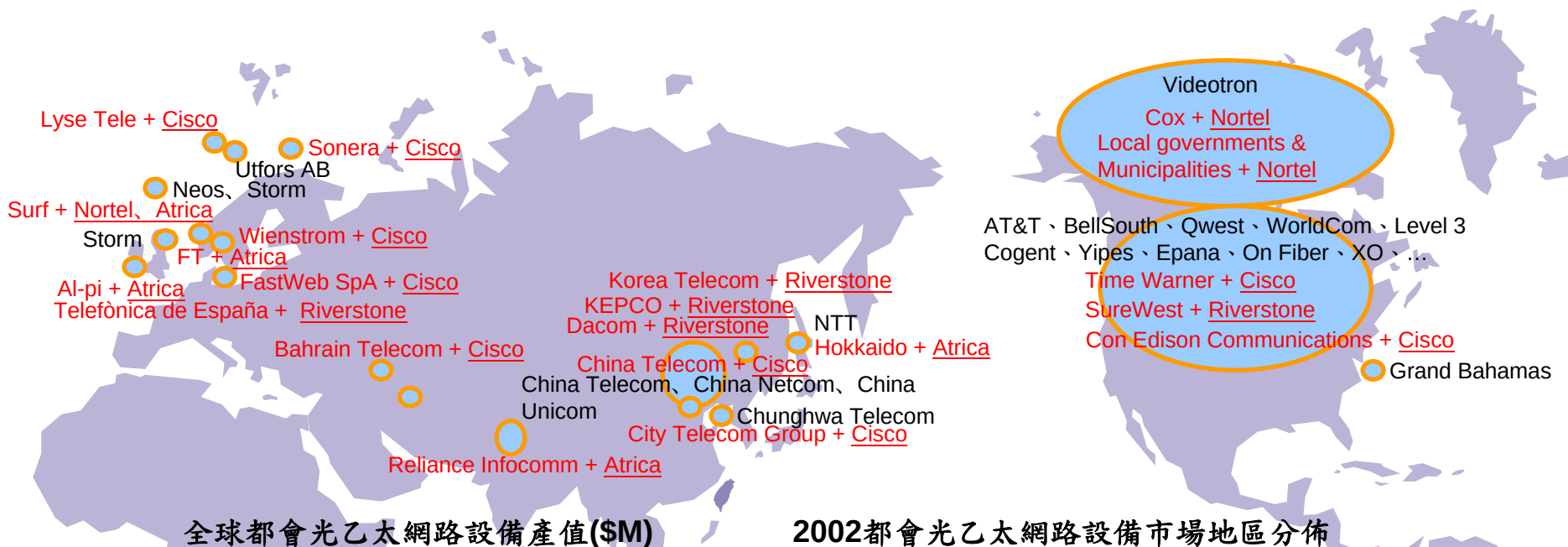
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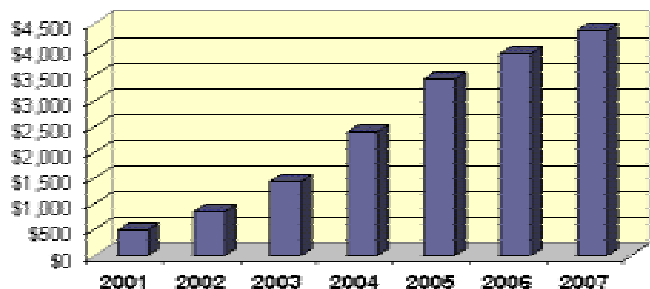
# 商機一：都會光纖乙太網路市場

- 2002年都會乙太網路建設正式起飛
- 設備方面主要競爭者：**Cisco**、**Nortel**、**Riverstone**、**Atrica**

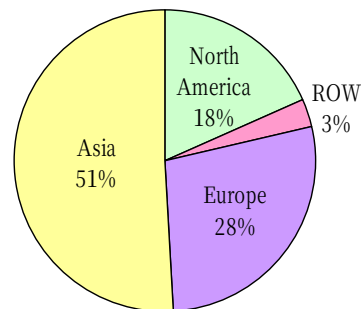


全球都會光乙太網路設備產值(\$M)

2002都會光乙太網路設備市場地區分佈



Source : IDC , 2003/01



- 2002年已開通

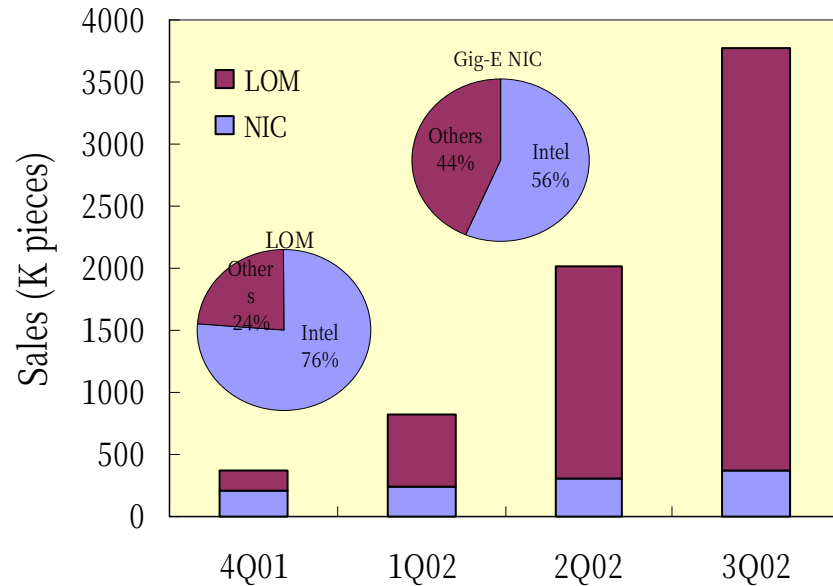
- 2002年後新建設案



## 商機二：區域及儲存網路市場

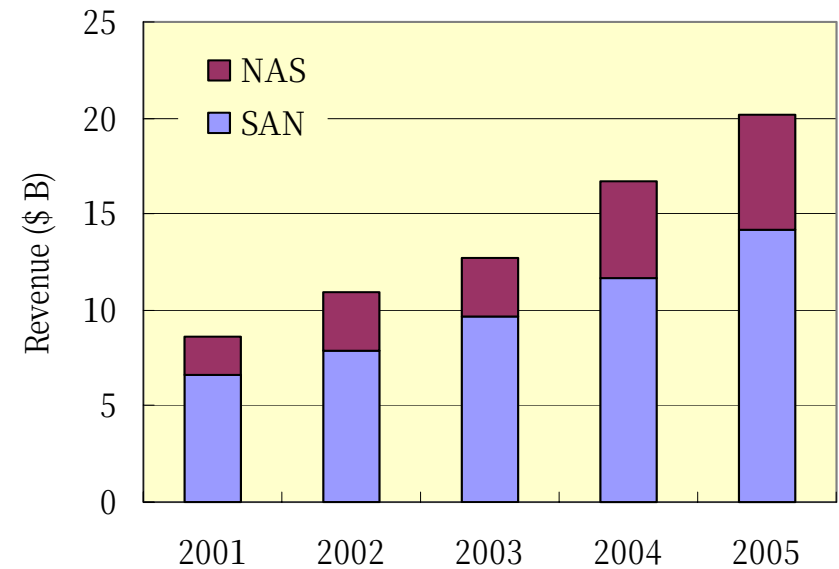
- 2002年Gig-E NIC出貨量大幅成長，顯示LAN市場的Gig-E需求開始成熟
- 儲存網路近期蓬勃發展，系統廠商的技術發展動向值得關切

Gig-E 網路卡出貨量統計



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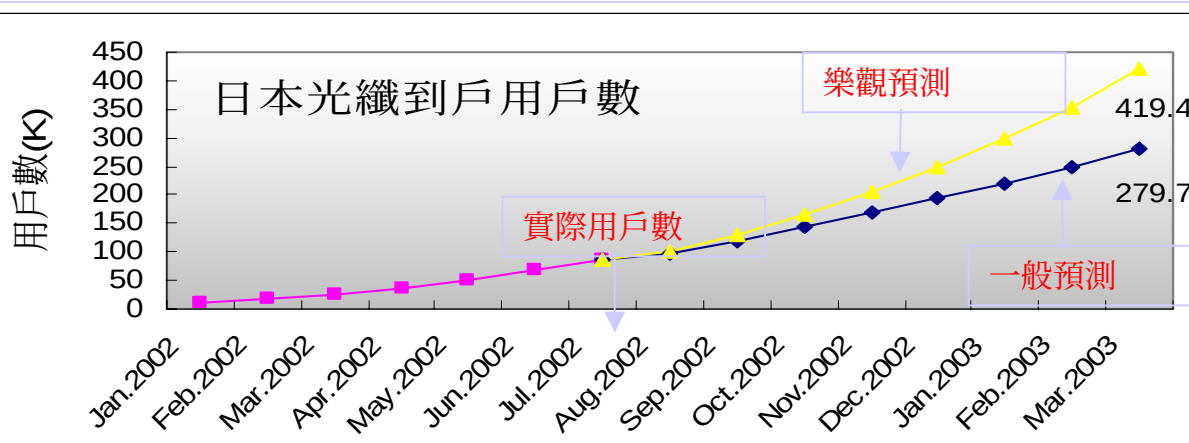
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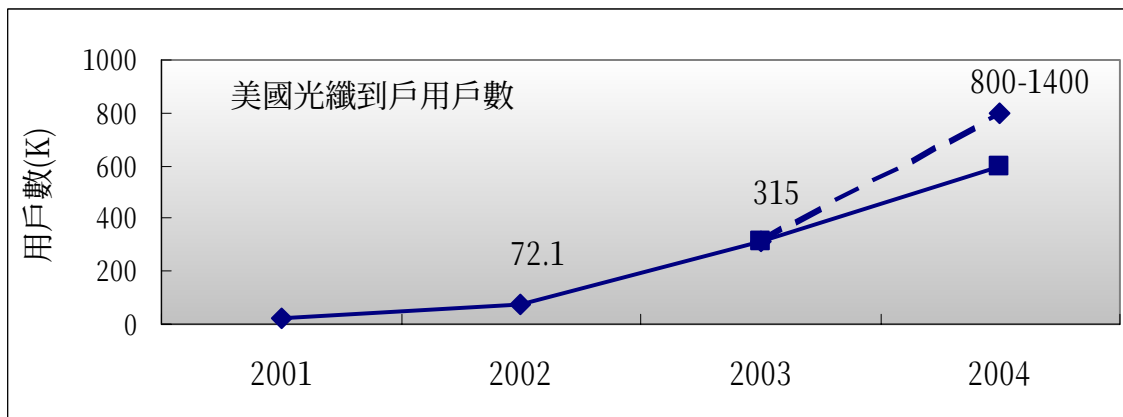
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## 商機三：光纖到戶(FTTP)市場

- 美、日等國的經驗證明，透過數位內容的充實與服務價格的降低，FTTH發展可期
- 亞洲包括韓國、台灣與大陸都即將推出FTTH服務



- 日本-推行FTTH服務最力的國家
- 由政府政策主導，推動業者提供低價的FTTH服務
- 以10Mbps為例，月費4,000日圓
- 以10Mbps為例，月費6,000-8,000日圓
- 2001三月開始提供服務之後，連續六個月成長率超過130%



- 美國-最早推出FTTH服務的國家(1995)
- 由電信業者根據市場需求推動
- 早期由於成本過高，內容服務不足，推行效果不彰
- 2001寬頻通訊熱潮之後，搭配數位內容服務的增加，開始有較大的成長

- **Taiwan's Optoelectronic Industry**
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  - **International & University Collaboration**
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# 加強推動國際合作建立領先優勢

- Cambridge 40 G 高速元件
- UMBC 下世代 PLC 技術應用於 ROADM
  - PLC based optical transceiver sub-assembly
- Telcordia 標準驗證技術引進
- Agilent 測試實驗室共同合作

- 可疊式開關技術合作 (ethernet stackable switch)
- Advanced transponder
- SOA 、SLED 及 DFB Laser

## • Standard Activities

- IEEE SA Cooperate membership
- IEEE 802.3ah EFM
- IEEE 802.3ae 10Gbps Ethernet
- Multisource Agreement (MSA)
- Optical Internetworking Forum Principal Member



- 在 OFC 2003 與國外大廠共同發表 10GE Transponder

## 光通訊 FTTP 產業的機會與挑戰

- 新興市場應用將帶動新一波產業成長
  - 都會乙太網路市場於2002年正式起飛，市場成長力道強勁，
  - 區域網路升級至**Gigabit Ethernet** 需求浮現
  - 儲存網路市場蓬勃發展，元件廠商需密切配合系統廠商技術規格發展
  - **FTTH**市場蓄勢待發，元件廠商需首重價格因素
- 光通訊產業屬新興產業，國際化規格正熱絡制定
  - **IP**及規格可引導新技術開發帶動產業發展，大陸及台灣協手協訂規格、跳脫以往跟隨者角色
- **LCD-TV will accelerate digital media centers to home and create demand for FTTP**
- 大陸、台灣應加強分工合作以掌握國際未來市場

# 台灣光通訊產業現況與發展

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# InAs/InGaAs QD 1.3 um Lasers

**Lasing at 1.31  $\mu\text{m}$  @ 25°C  
with low  $I_{\text{th}}$  and high efficiency!**

**Potential Impact:** Low cost VCSELs and LDs for metro/local-access fiber networks.

**Innovation:** Allow GaAs technology for uncooled 1.31  $\mu\text{m}$  components to replace the less developed InP technology. QD can be made on the cheaper and better GaAs substrates and is less temperature sensitive. It also allows integration with GaAs high speed electronics to lower the system costs.

**Importance:** The characteristics of InAs/InGaAs QD epi-structure were shown to be as good as other QW LD structures. ITRI/IOFFE collaborative program will aim to be the first in commercializing QD devices at 1.3 $\mu\text{m}$  in the world.

