

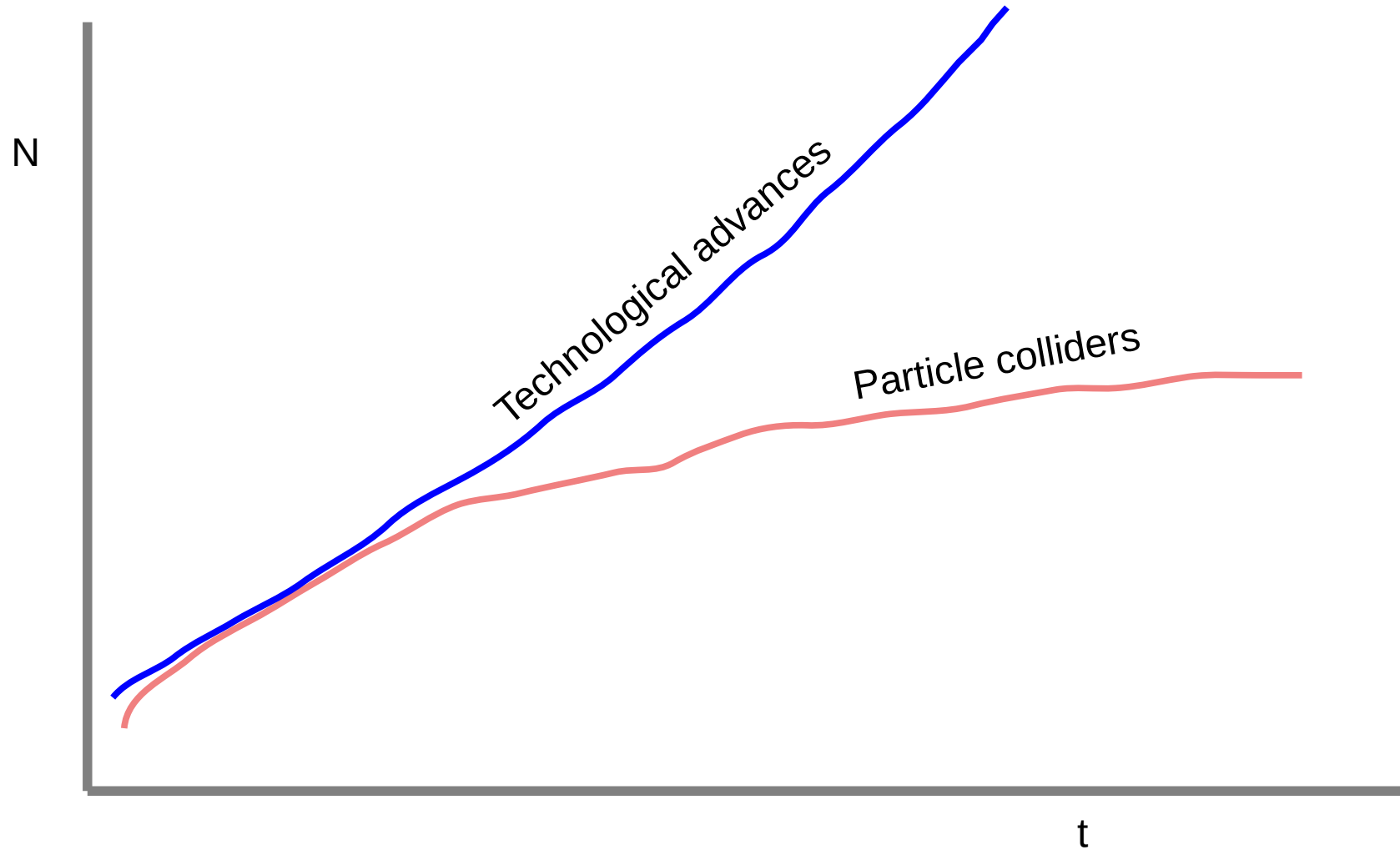


**Collider Instrumentation Challenges**  
(inspiration for a new vision)

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The Future of High Energy Physics: A New Generation,  
A New Vision

Close-up of ATLAS pixel detector, installed in 2007



- go to [www.slideo.com](https://www.slideo.com) and enter code 3393171 to be ready for interactive polls
- A standard future collider detectors talk in 5 slides (mostly stolen from recent talk by Petra Merkel)
- Meanwhile, the CHIPS act and the end of Moore's Law
  - And generative AI, which is closely connected
- What is co-design? (in the context of CHIPS)
- Changing our design paradigm
- What will you do with new technology?
- Conclusions
- (Shameless plug of NIM volume on Microelectronics in HEP)



# Tracking Detectors

x = significant R&D is needed

## Detector Requirements:

- driven by low mass and high granularity requirements
- increasingly moving to 4D tracking (throughout, or dedicated timing layer)

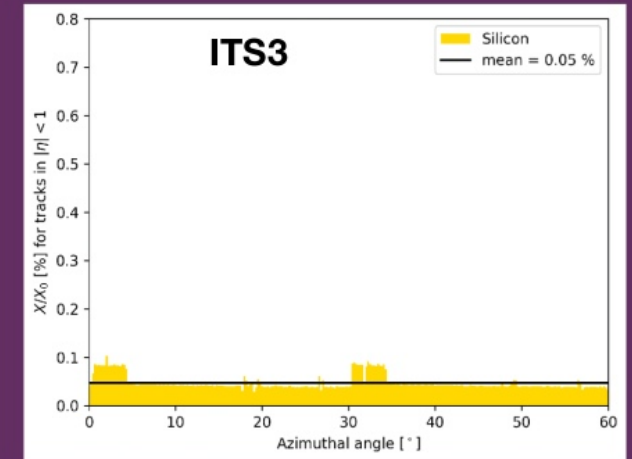
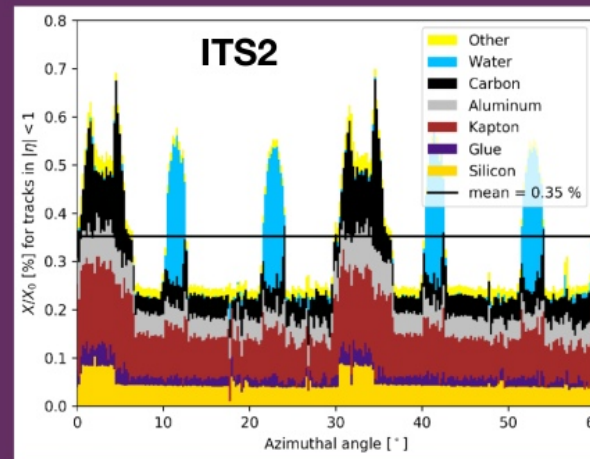
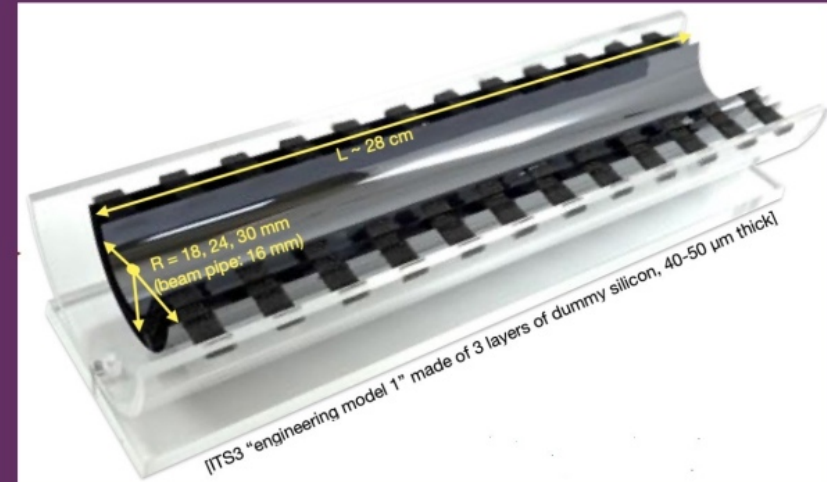
TRACKING	ILC	CLIC	FCC-ee	FCC-hh	MuC
spatial precision	x	x	x	x	x
low mass	x	x	x	x	x
low power	x	x	x	x	x
high rates				x	
ultrafast timing				x	x

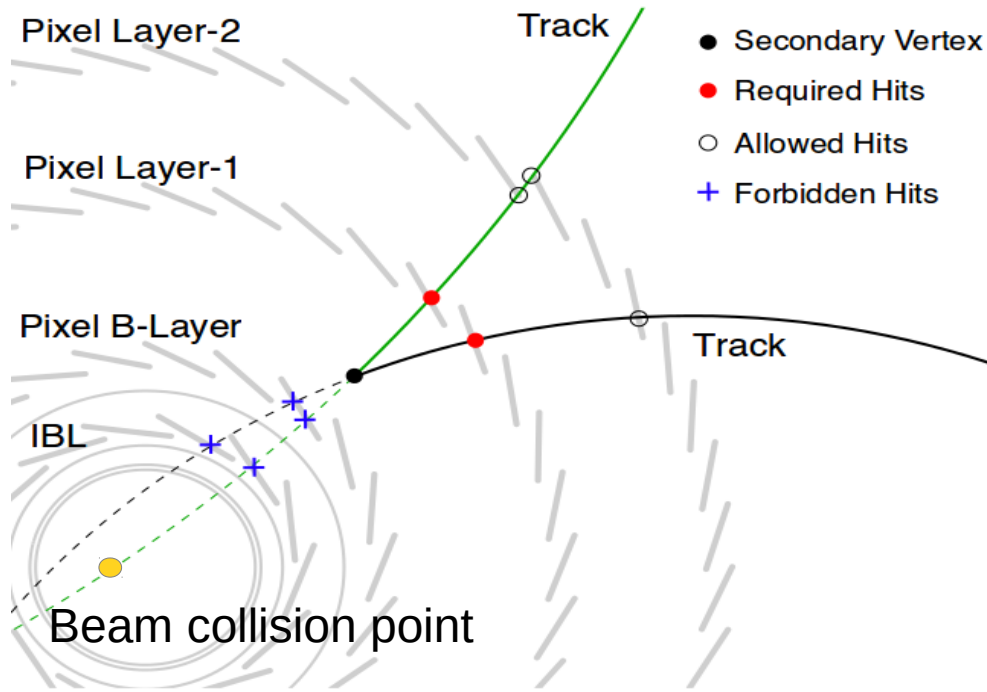
GAS TRACKERS	ILC	CLIC	FCC-ee	FCC-hh	MuC
low X0	x	x	x		
ion backflow (TPC)	x	x	x		
high granularity	x	x	x		
dE/dx	x	x	x		

## State-of-the-art: ALICE ITS3

A truly cylindrical vertex detector

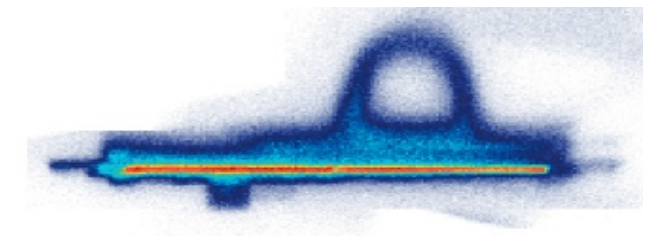
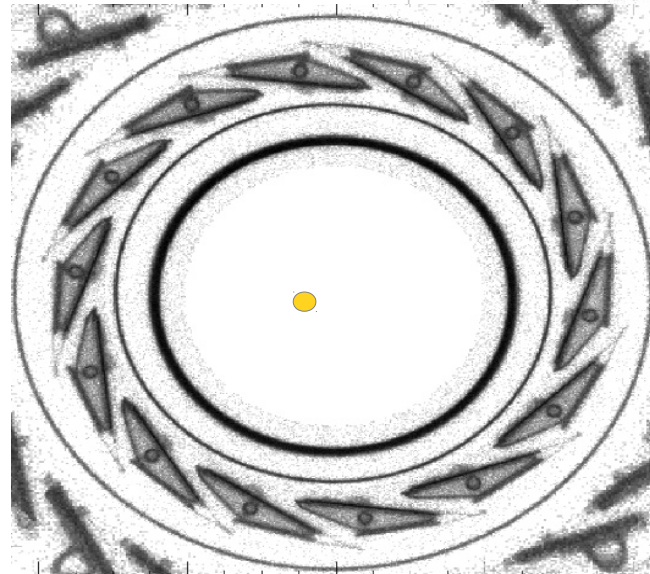
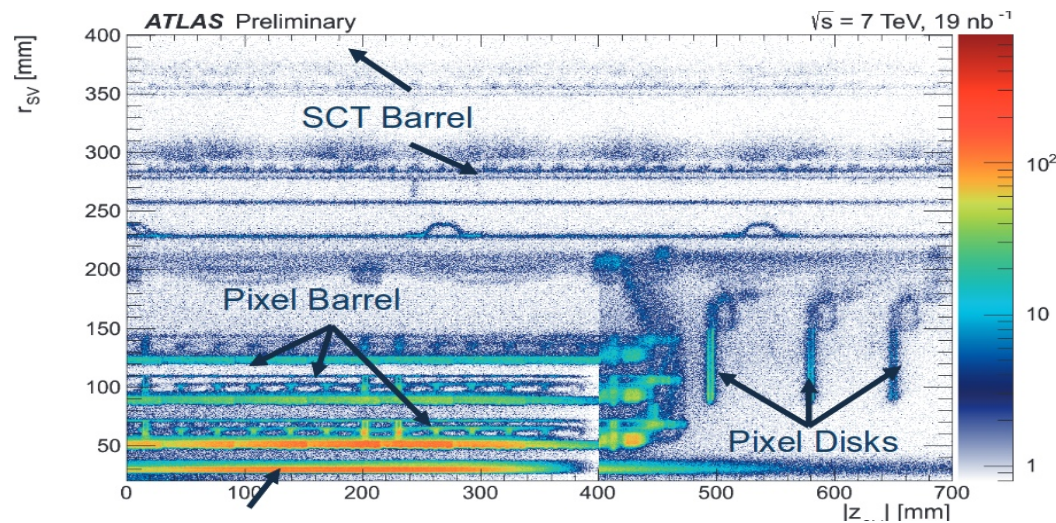
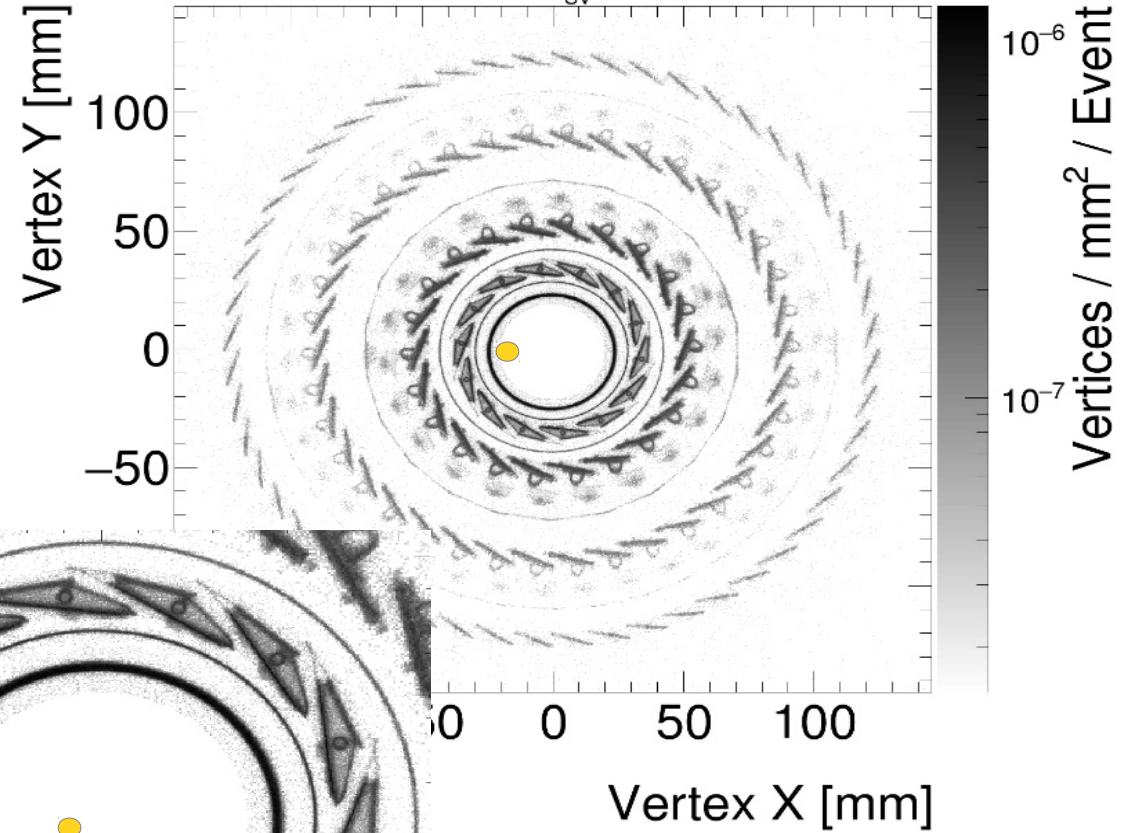
- 300mm wafer-scale MAPS fabricated from smaller chips using stitching
- Silicon thinned down to  $\leq 50\mu\text{m}$  making them flexible; bent to target radii
- mechanically held in place by carbon foam ribs
- Extremely low material budget:  $0.05\% X_0$ , homogeneous material distribution
- Planning to use air cooling ( $\sim 8\text{m/s}$ )
- To be installed during CERN LS3





**ATLAS Preliminary**

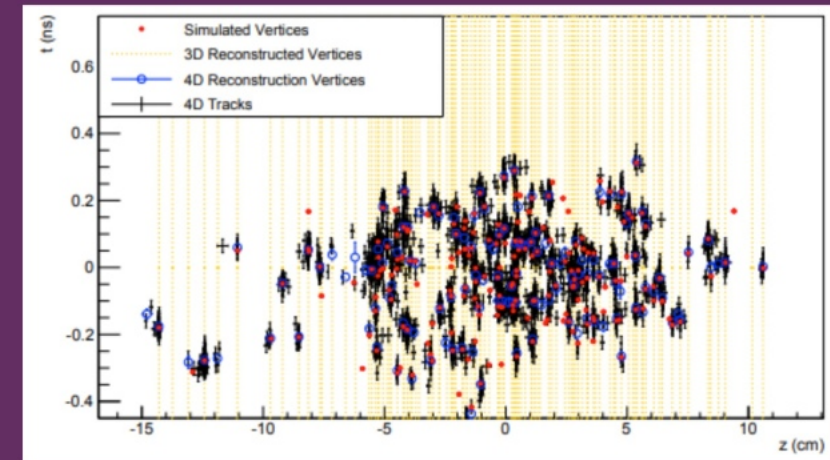
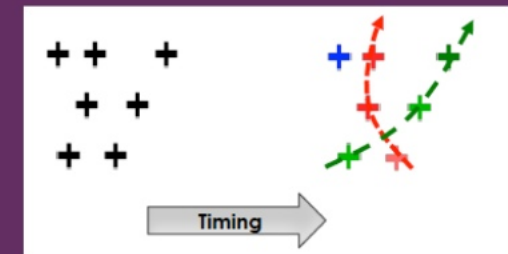
Data  $\sqrt{s} = 13$  TeV (2015)  $|\eta_{sv}| < 2.4$



## 4D Tracking

- 4D tracking: assign spatial and temporal coordinate to a hit
- Many time coordinates per track yield better performance, but require much more complex readout systems (=power)
- Some applications will be ok with limited set of timing points
- Power and cooling will determine 4D architecture (how many layers?), pixel size and temporal precision

Timing	(HL-LHC ~30ps)
100-1000 ps	ILC, CLIC
10-100 ps	FCC-ee, MuC
<10 ps	FCC-hh



## Calorimeter Choices

Project	~Earliest Start of data taking	Current Calorimeter options					
		Solid state	Scintilling tiles/strips	Crystals	Fibre based r/o (including DR)	Gaseous	Liquid Noble Gas
HL-LHC (>LS4)	2030			✓	✓		
SuperKEKb (>2030)	2030			✓			
ILC	2035	✓	✓			✓	
CLIC	2045	✓	✓				
CEPC	2035	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
FCC-ee	2045	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
EiC	2030		✓	✓	✓		
FCC-hh (eh)	>2050	✓	✓				✓
Muon Collider	> 2050	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Fixed target	"continous"		✓	✓	✓		✓
Neutrino Exp.	2030		✓				(✓)

in most cases, final choices still to be made

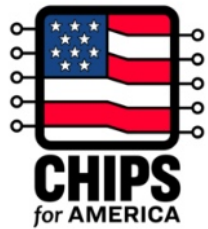
I hope so!



# Meanwhile...

280B for manufacturing  
13B for semiconductor research  
174B for public sector research

(authorized, not appropriated)



Funding Updates

R&D Funding Opportunities +

Incentives Funding -



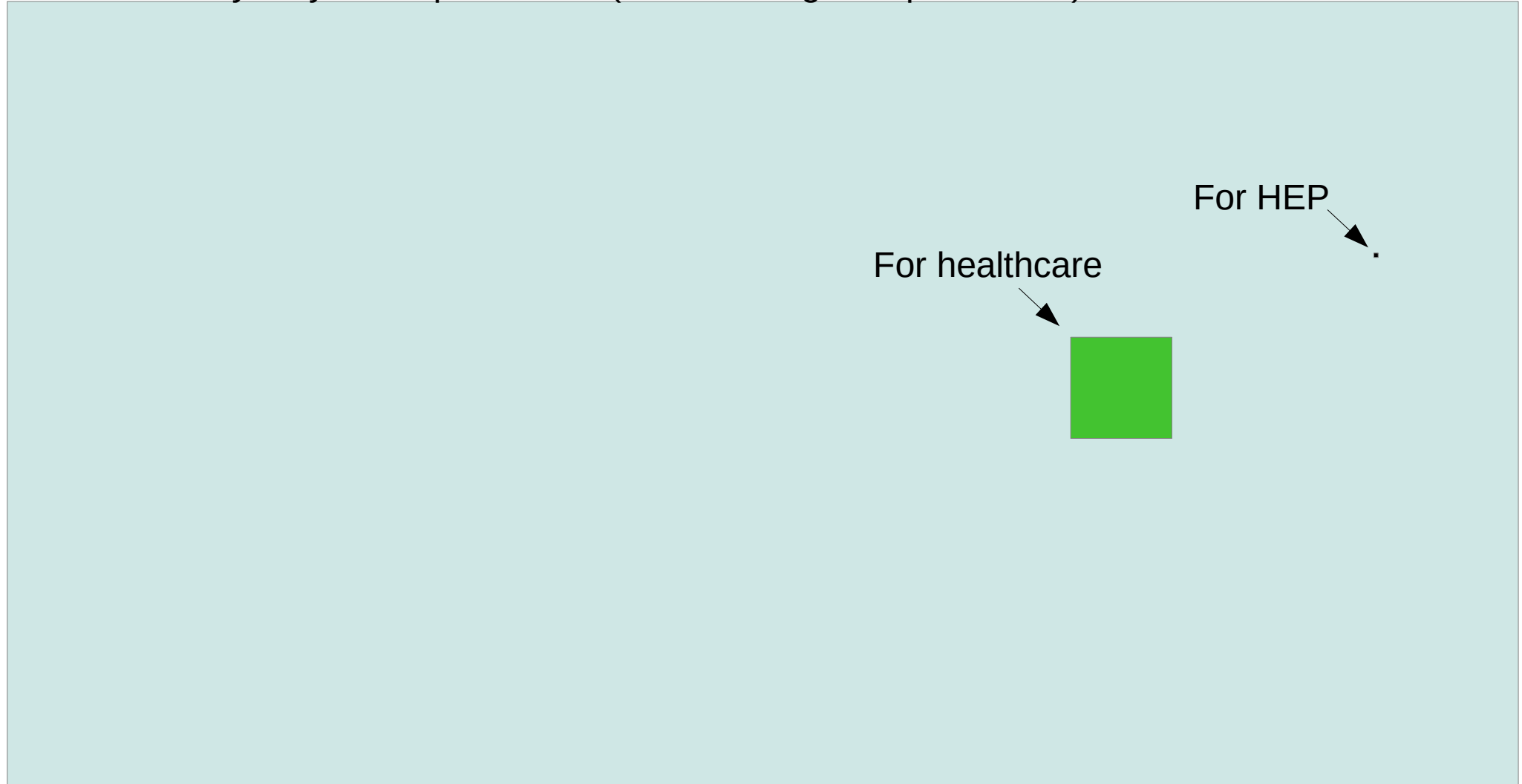
## The CHIPS and Science Act: A Game-Changer in its First Year

AUGUST 10, 2023

On August 9, 2022, President Joe Biden signed into law the "CHIPS and Science Act of 2022." The act authorizes historic investments in curiosity-driven, exploratory research and use-inspired, translational research. These investments will advance the most innovative ideas across all areas of science and engineering — accelerating their translation to solutions for today's challenges and tomorrow's — at speed and scale.

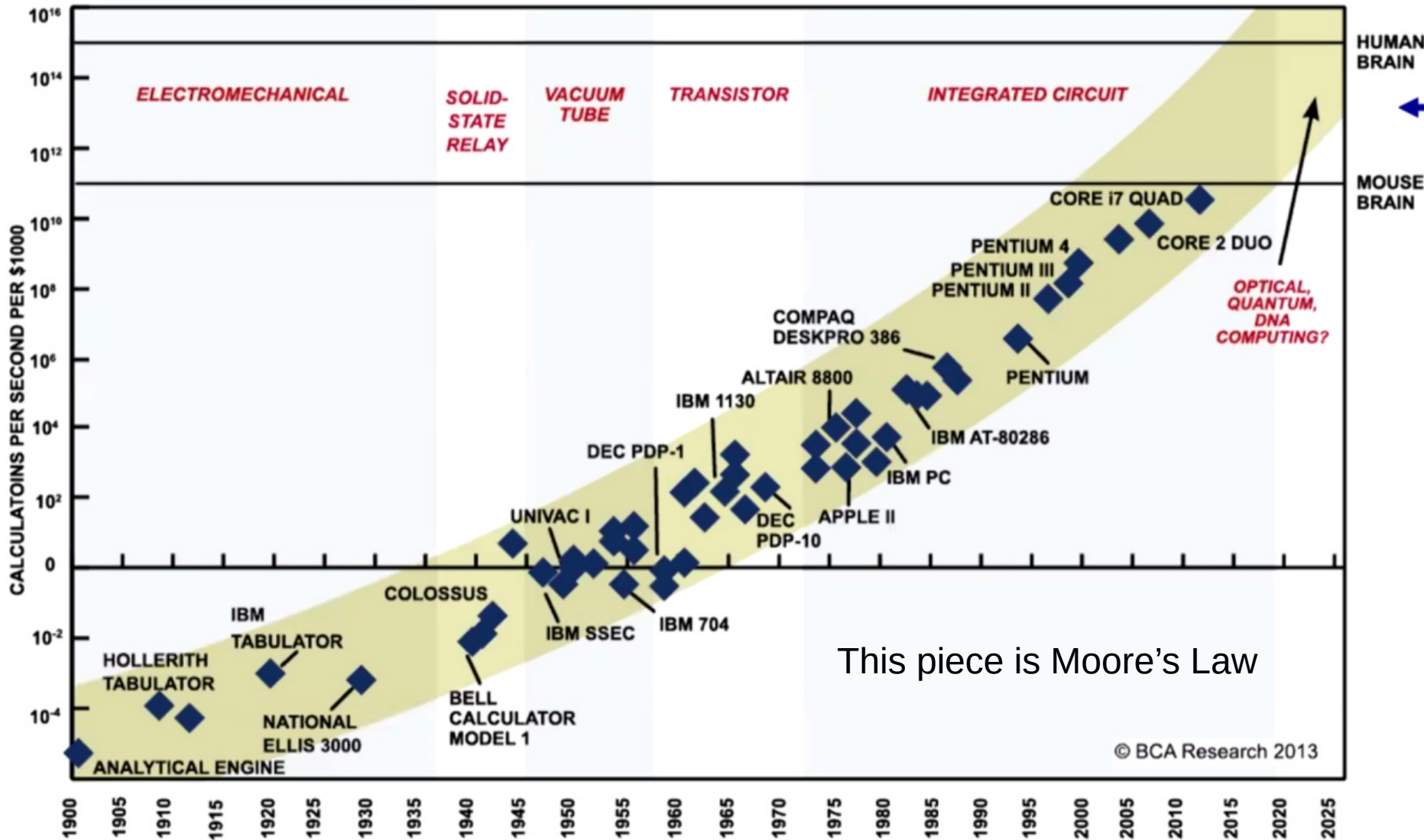
(P5 report referenced)

TSMC yearly wafer production (50% of the global production)



What technology applications outside of HEP do you work on?

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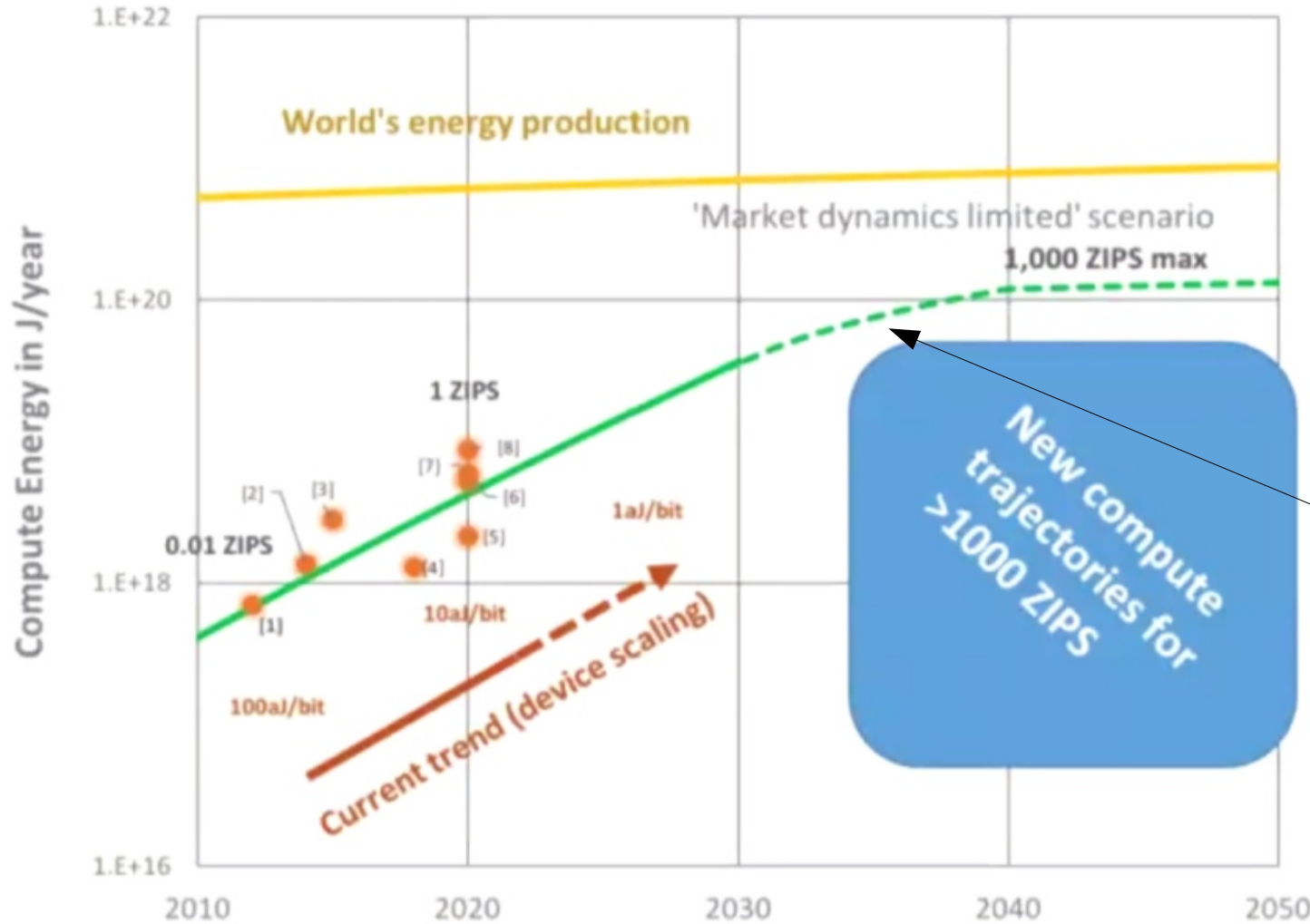
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timing not an accident  
We are at an interesting point in time

This piece is Moore's Law

SOURCE: RAY KURZWEIL, "THE SINGULARITY IS NEAR: WHEN HUMANS TRANSCEND BIOLOGY", P.67, THE VIKING PRESS, 2006. DATAPOINTS BETWEEN 2000 AND 2012 REPRESENT BCA ESTIMATES.

# Power used = The motivation for CHIPS



fun fact, the brain also consumes 20% of the body's power

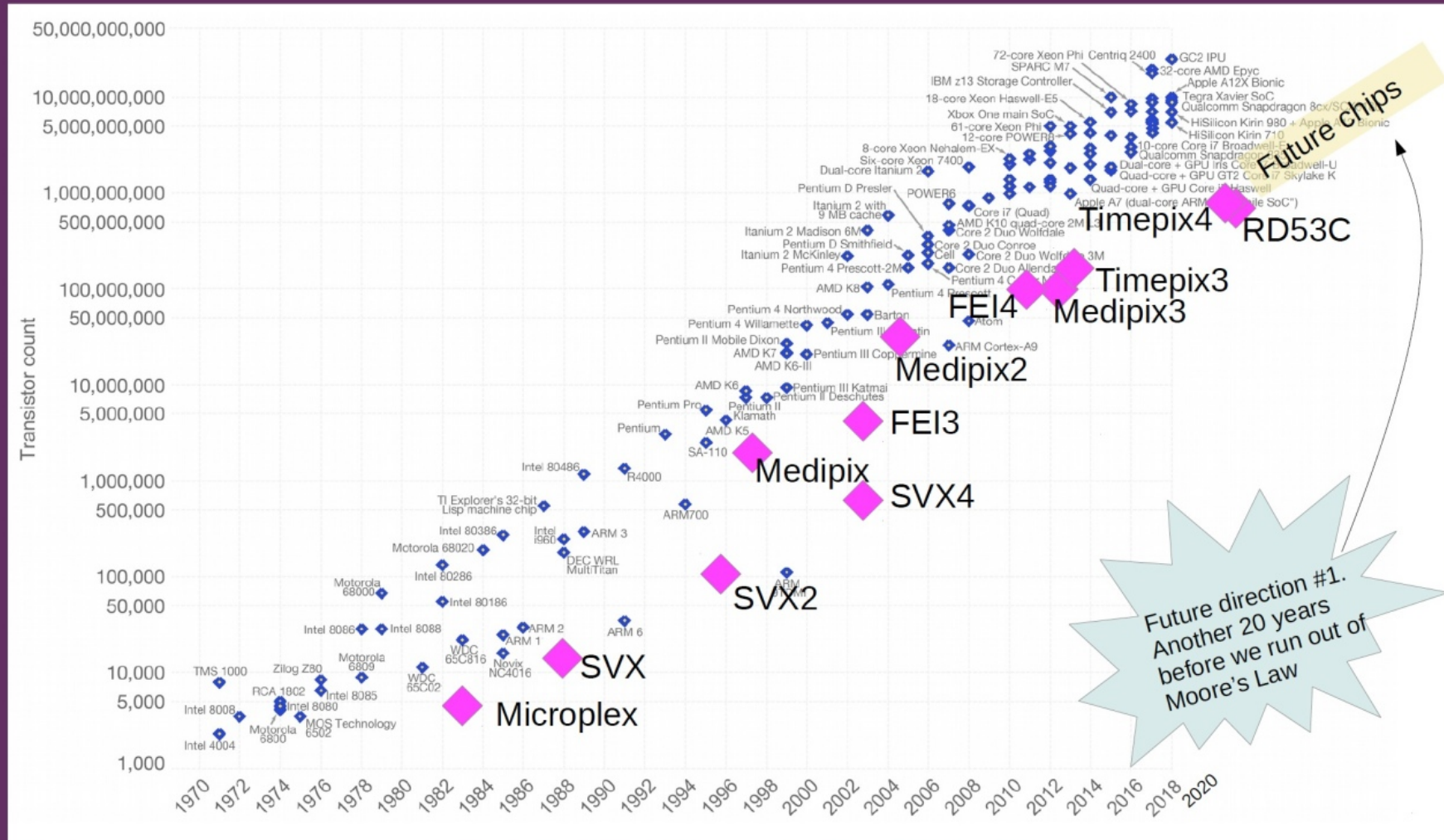
Big technology shift will happen In the time frame we're talking about

$z=10^{21}$

Semiconductor Research Corp. Decadal Plan for Semiconductors

# ASICs (Application Specific Integrated Circuits)

credit: Maurice Garcia-Sciveres @ HSTD13



February 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024

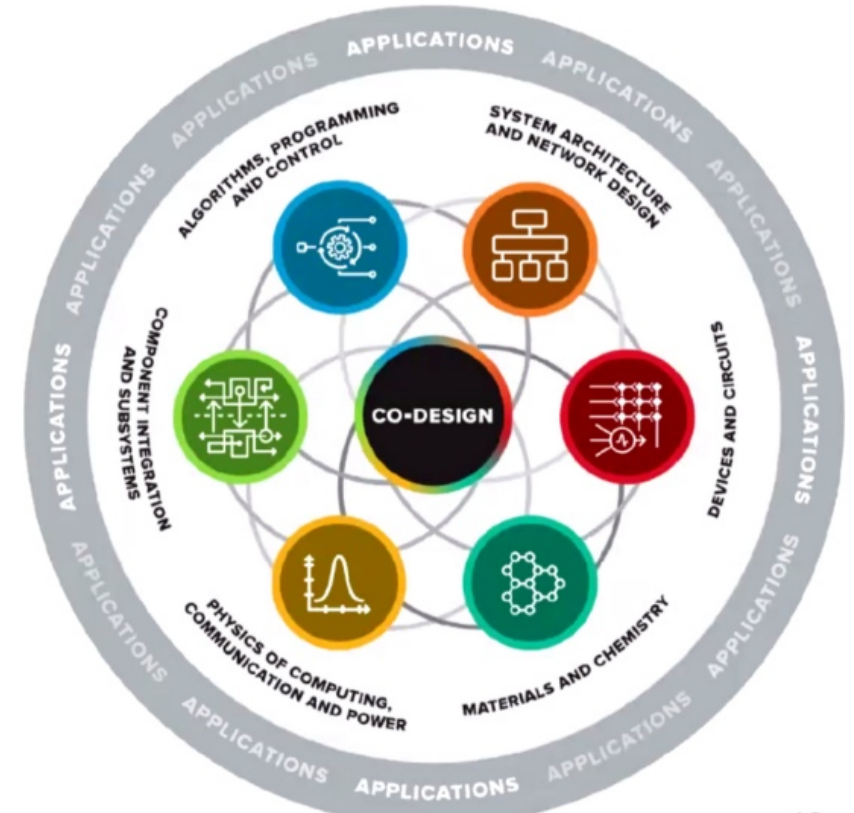
Detectors for Future Colliders – Petra Merkel (Fermilab)

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## Future Semiconductor R&D

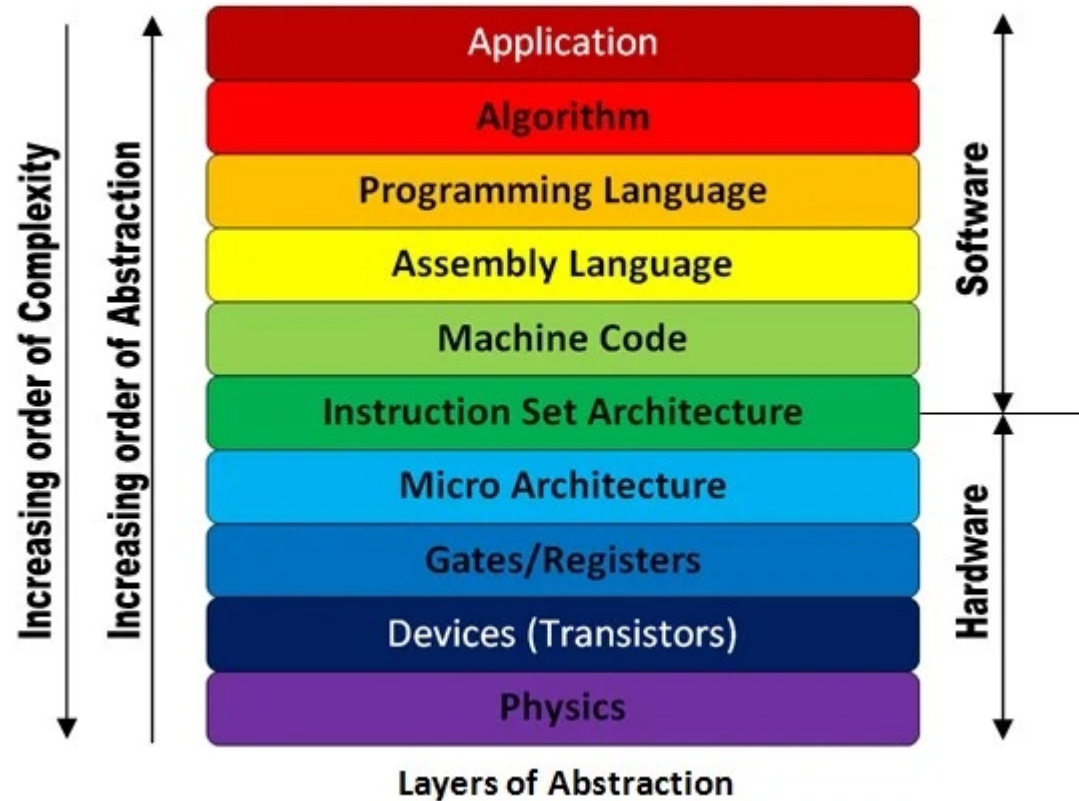
Report of the Office of Science Workshop on Basic Research Needs for Microelectronics, Oct 2018

- A new paradigm is needed to advance computing:
  - **Innovations in materials, devices & architectures driven by applications**



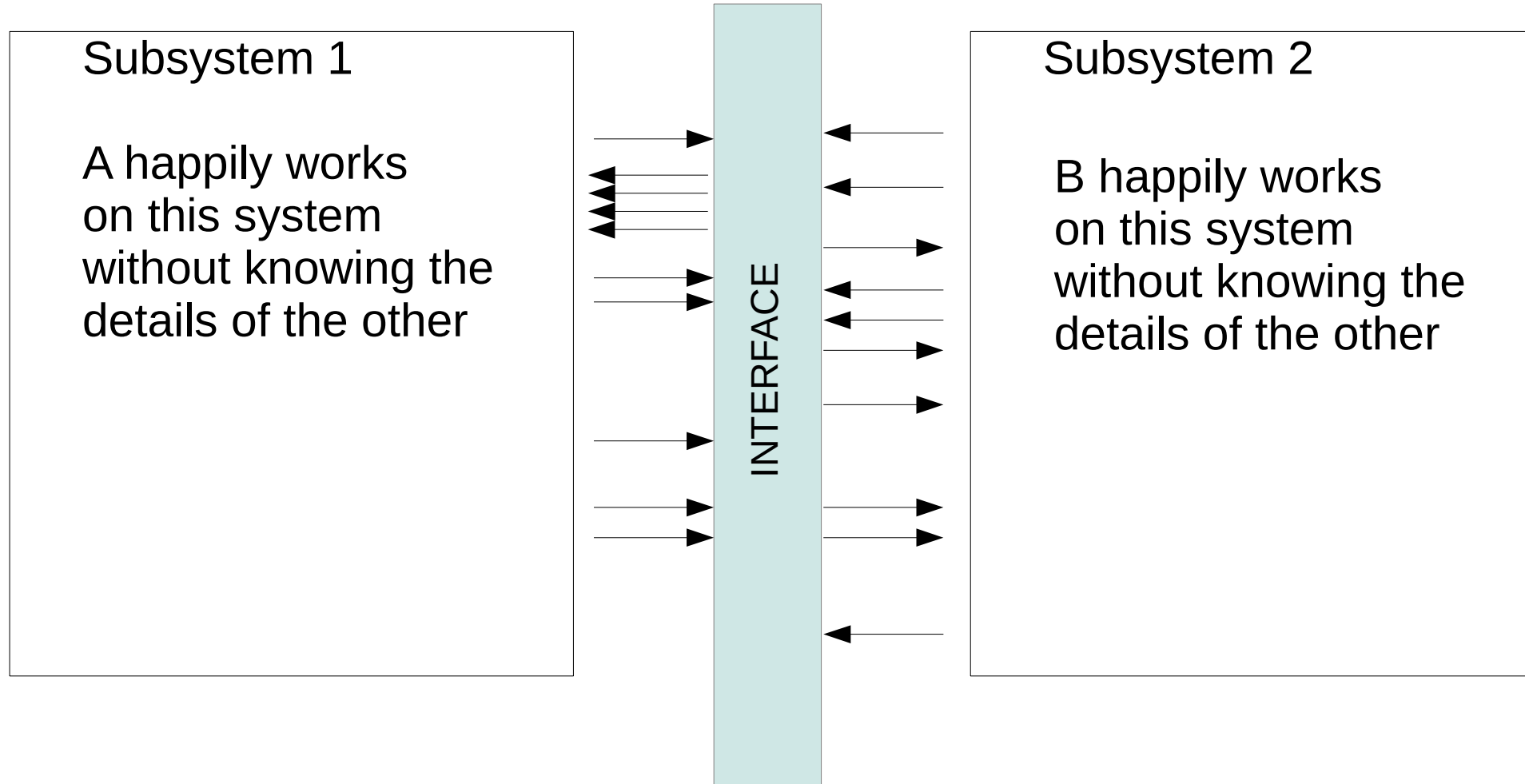
# Co-design = the technology stack is suddenly the problem

How electronics are developed, made, and used.

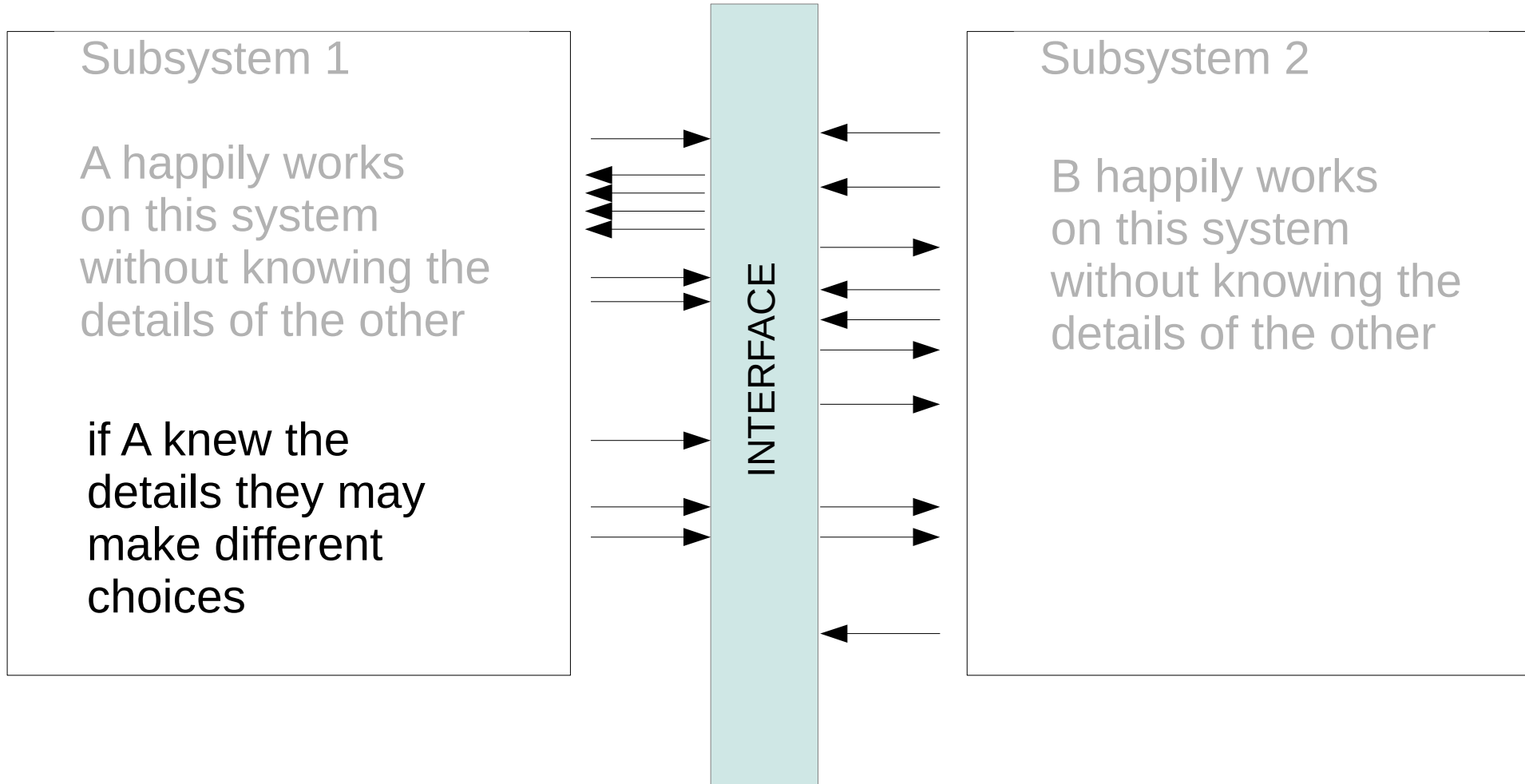


It combines independently optimized pieces instead of performing a global optimization  
And that misses opportunities for increased performance





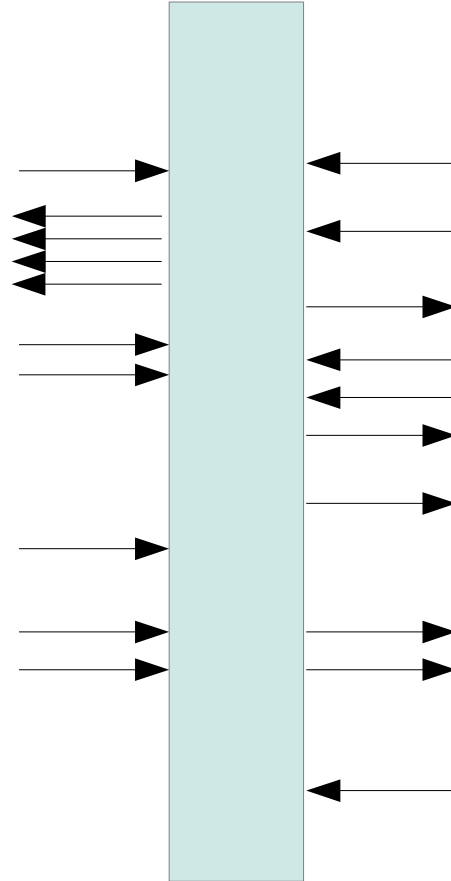
The interface ensures 1 and 2 will work together  
**BY IMPOSING CONSTRAINTS**



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## Architecture development

Data compression of pixel addresses used a binary tree: a simple algorithm a human can easily remember and implement in C++



## Design implementation

The chip readout with pipelined processing needed a lookup table, not an algorithm.

Given the information that address compression is implemented with a lookup table, A more efficient compression than the binary tree encoding can be found in an afternoon. But by then we were stuck with the binary tree codes.

## Diffraction-limited system

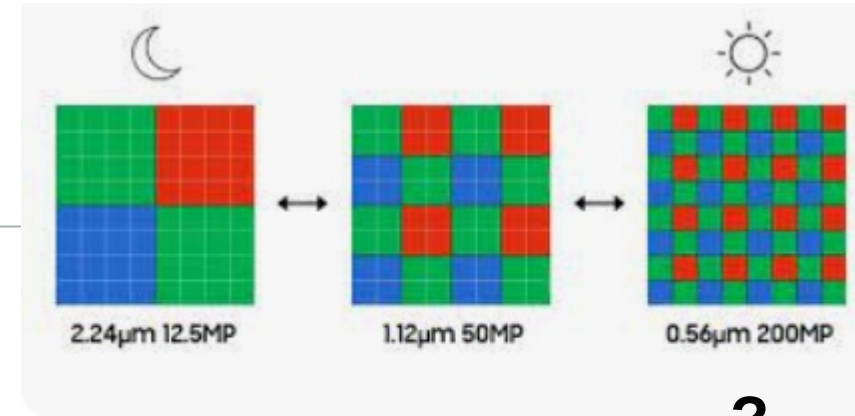
Optics Express Vol. 18, Issue 6, pp. 5861-5872 (2010) • <https://doi.org/10.1364/OE.18.005861>



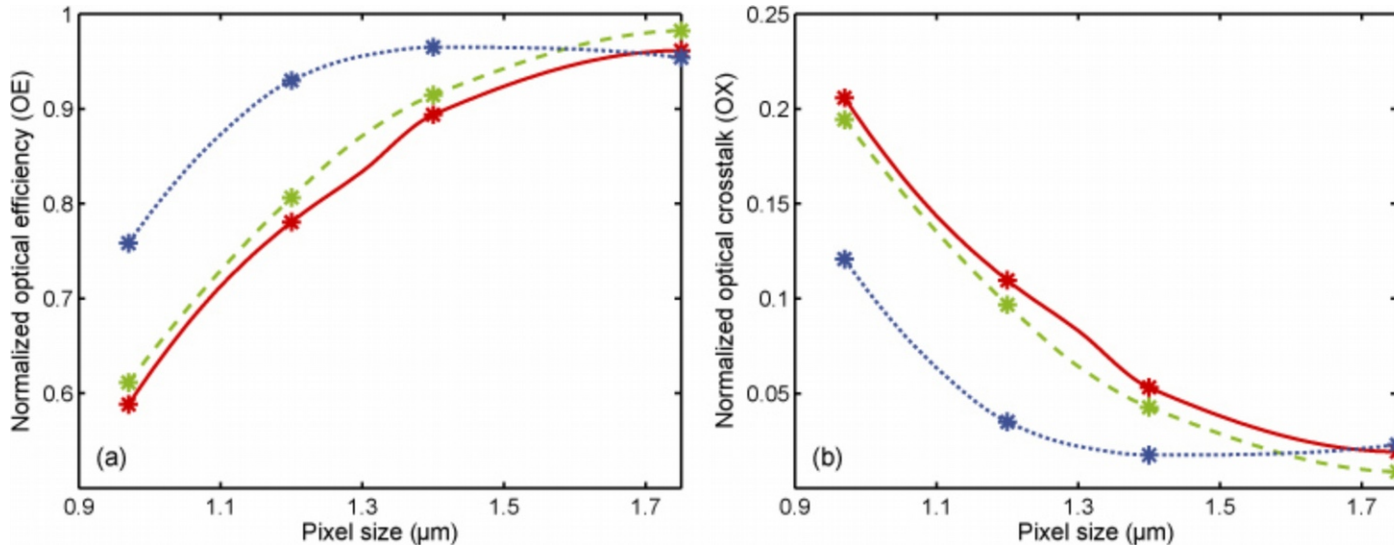
### Microlens performance limits in sub-2 $\mu\text{m}$ pixel CMOS image sensors

Yijie Huo, Christian C. Fesenmaier, and Peter B. Catrysse

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Diffraction Limit determines minimum useful pixel size. End of story?

# What if you model the sensor and incident light as one single system?

- (co-design approach)
- Photon absorption is a quantum process.
- Have to consider Hamiltonian of photon field and detector material

<https://doi.org/10.1038/s42005-023-01193-1>

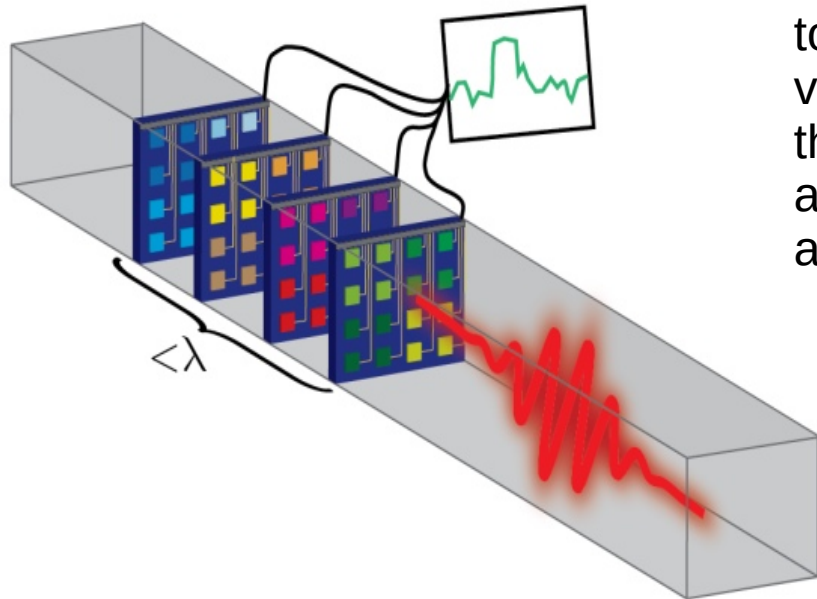
## Nanoscale Architecture for Frequency-Resolving Single-Photon Detectors

Steve M. Young, Mohan Sarovar, and François Léonard\*

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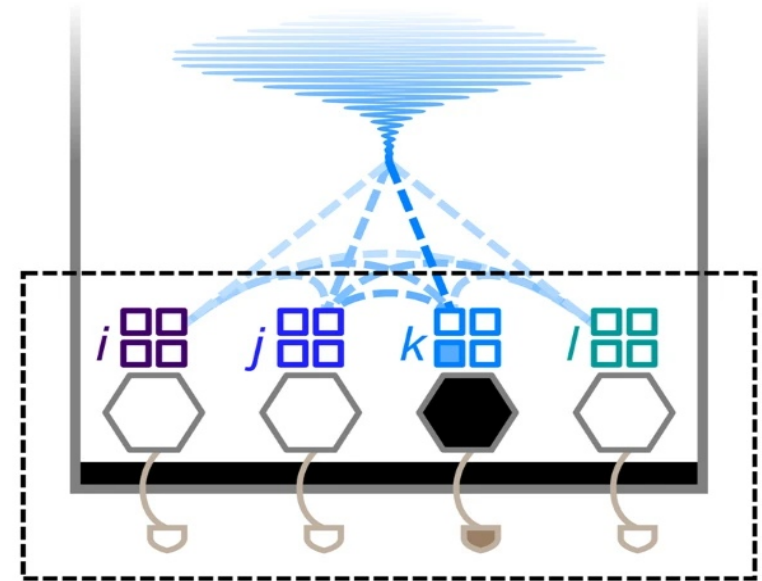
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concept

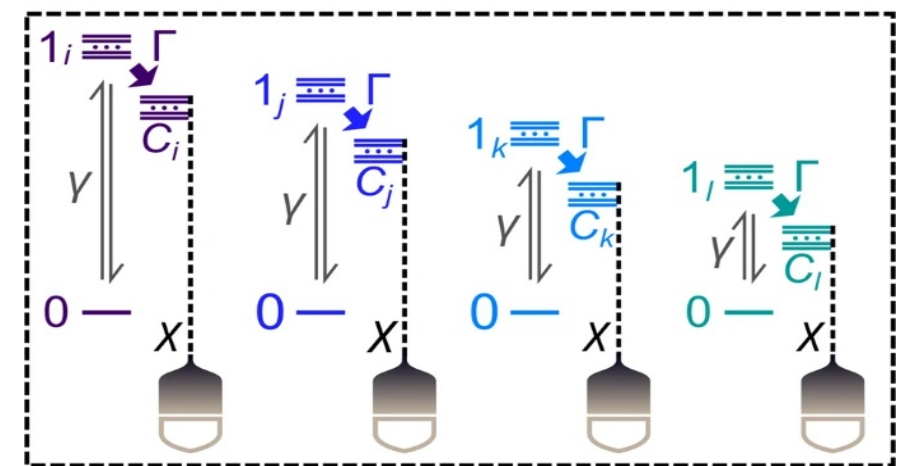


Readout analogous to qubit readout, via shelving states that prevent back action on photon absorption states

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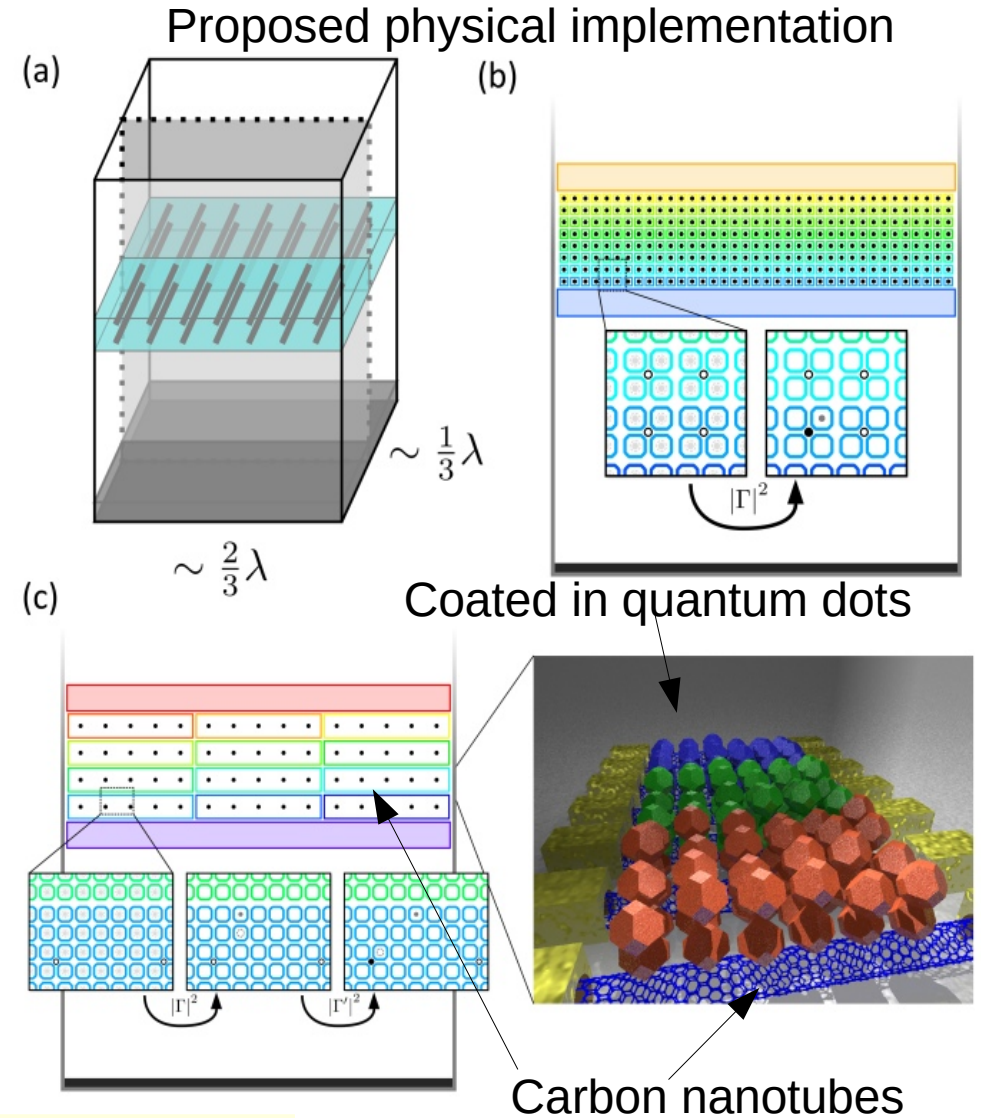
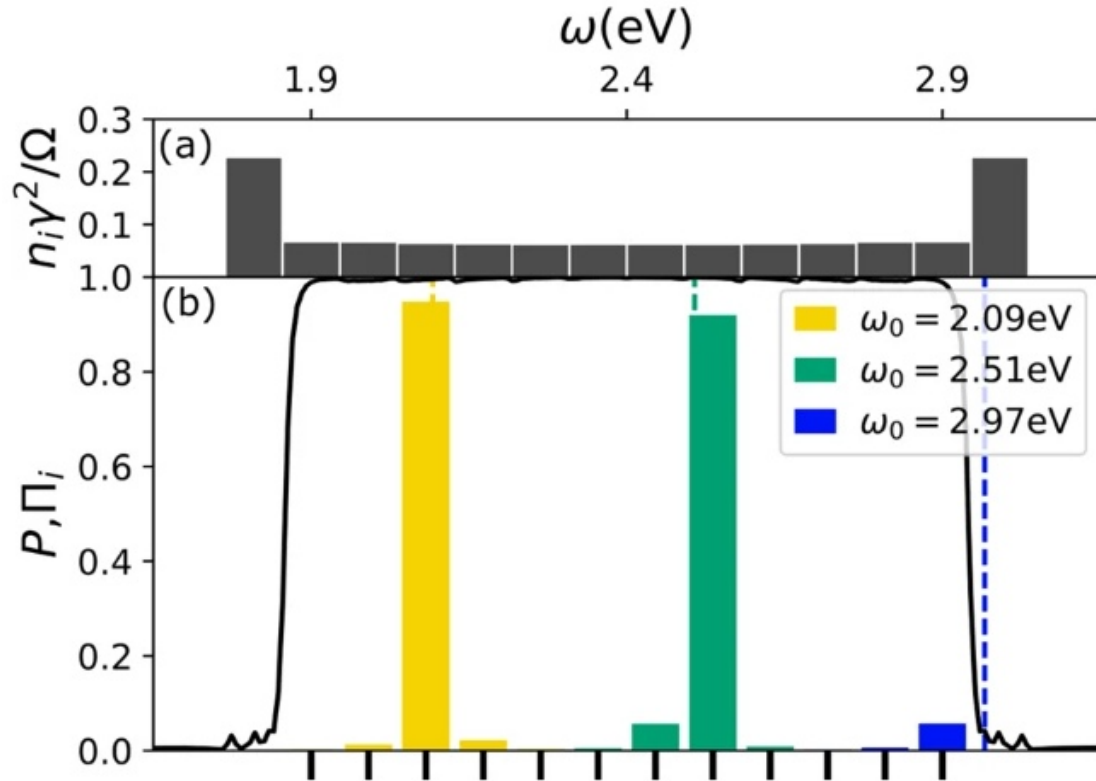


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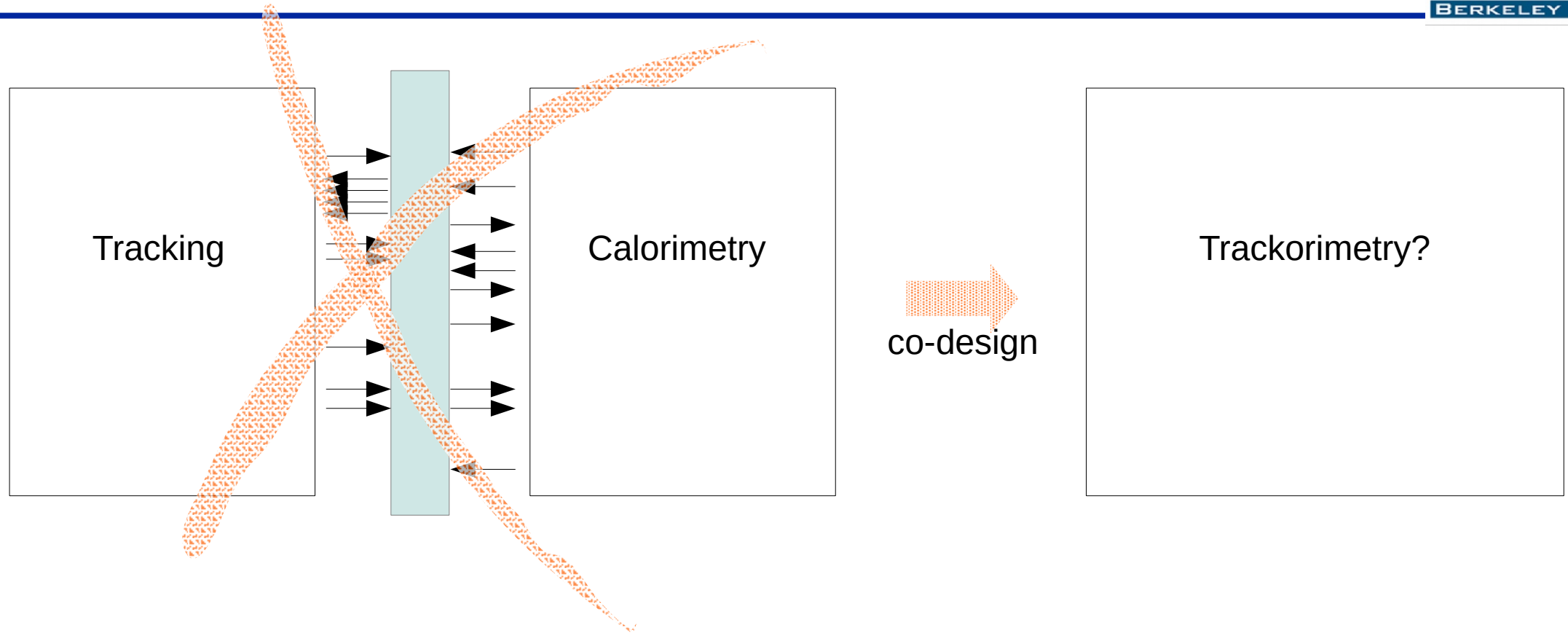


Does not need to be super cold

Modeling quantum efficiency and spectral resolution

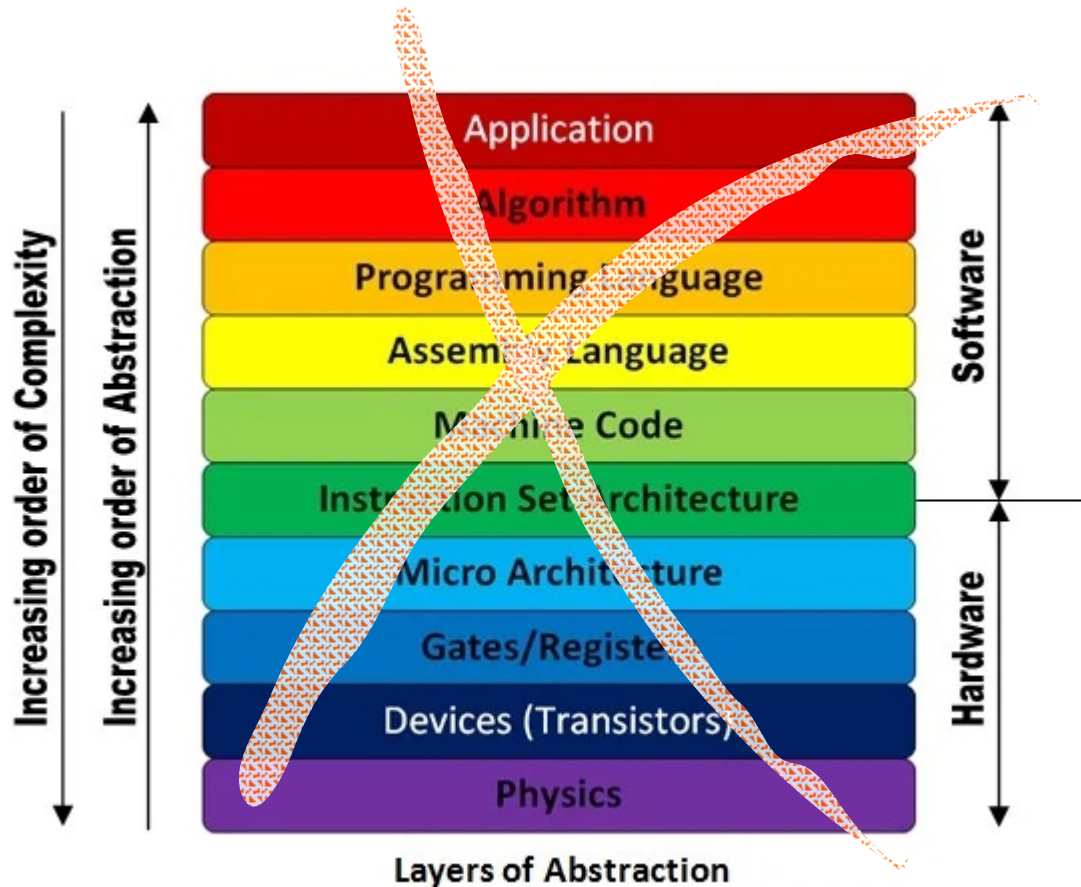


Ongoing project: details beyond scope of this talk



Already  $dE/dX$  is calorimetry with a tracker, and particle flow is tracking with a calorimeter,  
But what opportunities are being missed with separate groups developing separate subdetectors?





Unlikely that one person can know all the details of the full technology stack,  
Or of the detector + collider + analysis stack

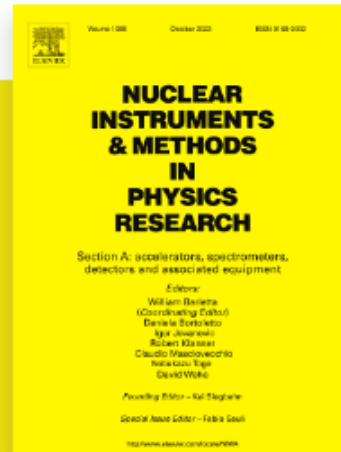
System Interfaces were invented to allow humans to work complex designs

...But why does it have to be humans any more?  
Generative AI can learn all the details and maybe identify the co-design opportunities  
This is not currently part of our design process

- Generative AI has already arrived
- Many others are just around the corner
  - Room temperature superconductivity (remember LK99? One of those sensational media frenzy items. The limelight moved away, but LK99 and R.T.S. development are not dead)
  - Ultra low power electronics
  - Photonic computing
  - Metamaterial coatings
  - Precision, wafer-scale self-assembly
  - ...
- POLL:  
Which new technology (above ones or others) will have the greatest impact on future detectors?

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- A lot of work already done on future collider detector designs
  - Mostly assuming present technology and design methods
  - (example ILC designs predate ALICE ITS3 development and are already obsolete compared to ITS3 R&D)
  - Technology and design methods **WILL CHANGE A LOT** between now and detector construction
  - Maybe dream about what a physically limited detector can do rather than a technology limited one...
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- PS: very high precision measurements may require something incompatible with a general purpose detector.



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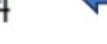
Alain Blondel<sup>1</sup>, Patrick Janot<sup>2</sup>: FCC-ee overview: new opportunities create new challenges

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**Table 3.** Measurement of selected precision measurements at FCC-ee, compared with present precision. The systematic uncertainties are initial estimates, aim is to improve down to statistical errors. This set of measurements, together with those of the Higgs properties, achieves indirect sensitivity to new physics up to a scale  $\Lambda$  of 70 TeV in a description with dim 6 operators, and possibly much higher in specific new physics (non-decoupling) models.

Observable	present value $\pm$ error	FCC-ee Stat.	FCC-ee Syst.	Comment and leading exp. error
$m_Z$ (keV)	91186700 $\pm$ 2200	4	100	From Z line shape scan Beam energy calibration
$\Gamma_Z$ (keV)	2495200 $\pm$ 2300	4	25	From Z line shape scan Beam energy calibration
$\sin^2 \theta_W^{eff} (\times 10^6)$	231480 $\pm$ 160	2	2.4	from $A_{FB}^{00}$ at Z peak Beam energy calibration
$1/\alpha_{QED}(m_Z^2) (\times 10^4)$	128952 $\pm$ 14	3	small	from $A_{FB}^{00}$ off peak QED&EW errors dominate
$R_L^Z (\times 10^4)$	20767 $\pm$ 25	0.06	0.2-1	ratio of hadrons to leptons acceptance for leptons
$\alpha_s(m_Z^2) (\times 10^4)$	1196 $\pm$ 30	0.1	0.4-1.6	from $R_L^Z$ above
$\sigma_{had} (\times 10^3)$ (nb)	41541 $\pm$ 37	0.1	4	peak hadronic cross section luminosity measurement
$N_\nu (\times 10^3)$	2996 $\pm$ 7	0.005	1	Z peak cross sections Luminosity measurement
$R_b (\times 10^6)$	216290 $\pm$ 660	0.3	< 60	ratio of bb to hadrons stat. extrapol. from SLD
$A_{FB,0}^b (\times 10^4)$	992 $\pm$ 16	0.02	1-3	b-quark asymmetry at Z pole from jet charge
$A_{FB}^{\tau, \gamma} (\times 10^4)$	1498 $\pm$ 49	0.15	< 2	$\tau$ polarization asymmetry $\tau$ decay physics
$\tau$ lifetime (fs)	290.3 $\pm$ 0.5	0.001	0.04	radial alignment
$\tau$ mass (MeV)	1776.86 $\pm$ 0.12	0.004	0.04	momentum scale
$\tau$ leptonic ( $\mu\nu_\mu\nu_\tau$ ) B.R. (%)	17.38 $\pm$ 0.04	0.0001	0.003	e/ $\mu$ /hadron separation

← = where systematics are not dominated by beam energy or luminosity  
Or theory



Blondel and Janot  
arXiv:2106:13885v2 Dec 2021

Slide from C. Haber at MIT FCC-ee workshop this week

Observable	Best Present value	Source	FCC-ee Stat	FCC-ee Syst*	Leading error*	NLE
$R_\ell^Z$ ( $\times 10^3$ )	20725 +/-33 <b>+/-20</b> +/-5	ALEPH	0.06	0.2-1	Acceptance for leptons	
$R_b$ ( $\times 10^6$ )	216340 +/-670 <b>+/-600</b>	DELPHI	0.3	<60	B tag efficiency?	
$A_{FB}^b$ ( $\times 10^4$ )	1000 +/-27 <b>+/- 11</b>	ALEPH	0.02	1-3	Jet charge	
$\tau$ Lifetime (fs)	290.17 +/-0.53 <b>+/-0.33</b>	Belle	0.001	0.04	Radial alignment	Asymmetry
$\tau$ mass (MeV)	1776.91 +/- 0.12 <b>+0.10</b> <b>-0.13</b>	BES	0.004	0.04	Momentum scale	
$\tau$ leptonic ( $\mu\nu_\mu\nu_\tau$ ) B.R. (%)	17.319 +/- 0.070 <b>+/-0.032</b>	ALEPH	0.0001	0.003	e/ $\mu$ /h separation**	Bkg, $\tau$ -selection**

\*From Blondel and Janot

- Standard statistical error improves by a factor of  $\sim 500$
- They assume less than scaling by statistics

- Changed present values from PDG averages to best single value to see also statistical and systematic errors
- Also, to understand how to improve systematics, it seems best to focus on the best single experiment, and try to understand what systematics they faced
- \*\* all ID's are equal at  $\sim 0.02$  contribution to sys error

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## Theory systematics

Observables	Present value	FCC-ee stat.	FCC-ee current syst.	FCC-ee ultimate syst.	Theory input (not exhaustive)
$m_Z$ (keV)	$91187500 \pm 2100$	4	100	10 ?	Lineshape QED unfolding Relation to measured quantities
$\Gamma_Z$ (keV)	$2495500 \pm 2300$ [*]	4	25	5 ?	Lineshape QED unfolding Relation to measured quantities
$\sigma_{\text{had}}^0$ (pb)	$41480.2 \pm 32.5$ [*]	0.04	4	0.8	Bhabha cross section to 0.01% $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ cross section to 0.002%
$N_\nu (\times 10^3)$ from $\sigma_{\text{had}}$	$2996.3 \pm 7.4$	0.007	1	0.2	Lineshape QED unfolding $(\Gamma_{\nu\nu}/\Gamma_{\ell\ell})_{\text{SM}}$
$R_\ell (\times 10^3)$	$20766.6 \pm 24.7$	0.04	1	0.2 ?	Lepton angular distribution (QED ISR/FSR/IFI, EW corrections)
$\alpha_s(m_Z) (\times 10^4)$ from $R_\ell$	$1196 \pm 30$	0.1	1.5	0.4 ?	Higher order QCD corrections for $\Gamma_{\text{had}}$
$R_b (\times 10^6)$	$216290 \pm 660$	0.3	?	< 60 ?	QCD (gluon radiation, gluon splitting, fragmentation, decays, ...)

From: P.Janot talk at FCC theory workshop in June 2022

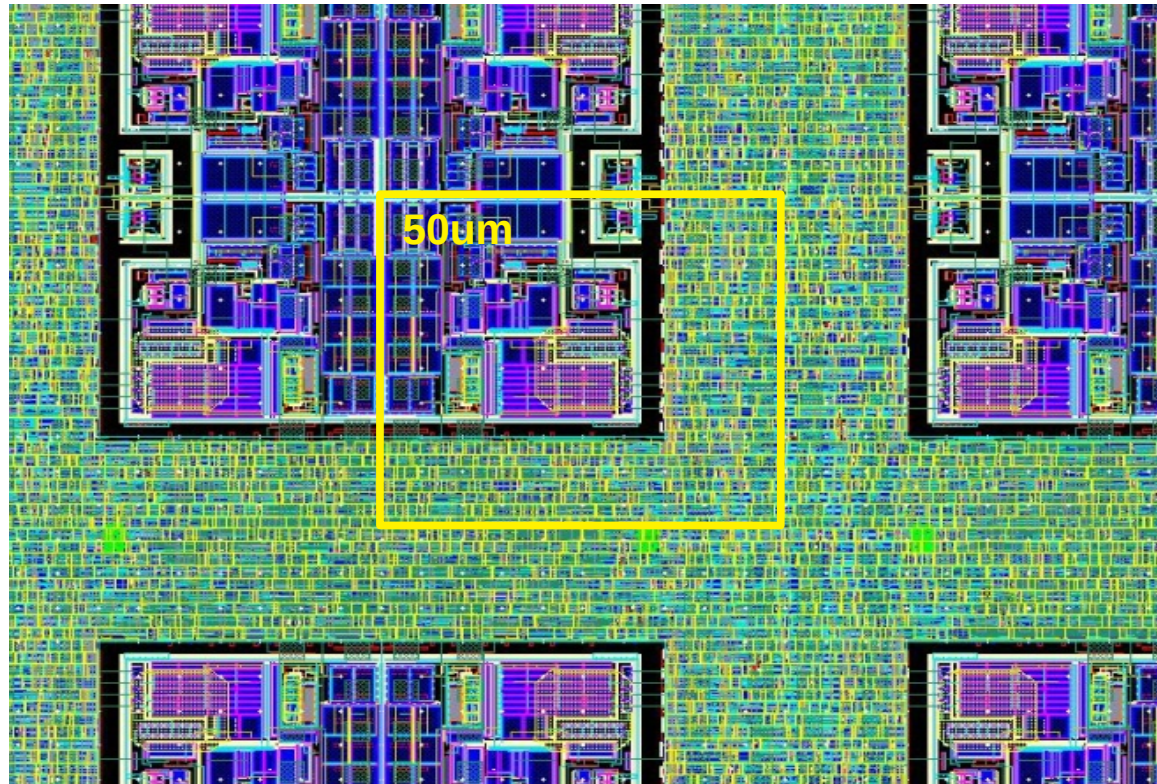
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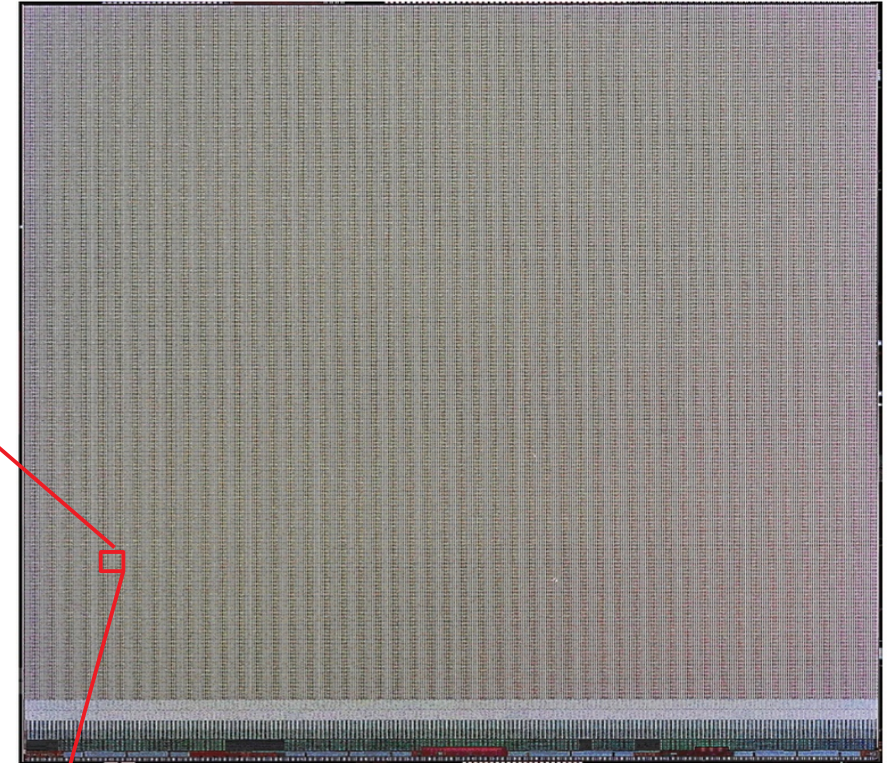
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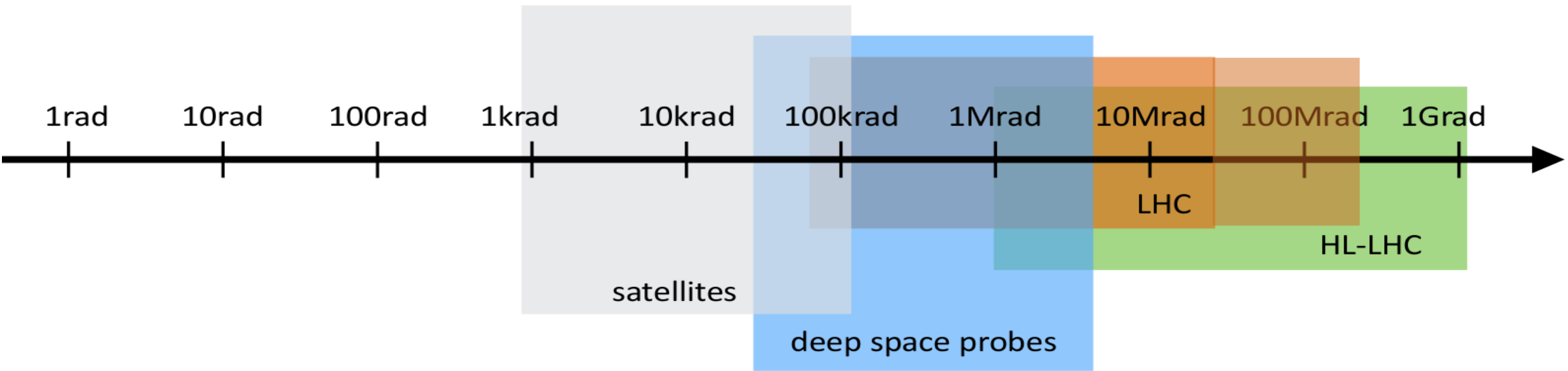


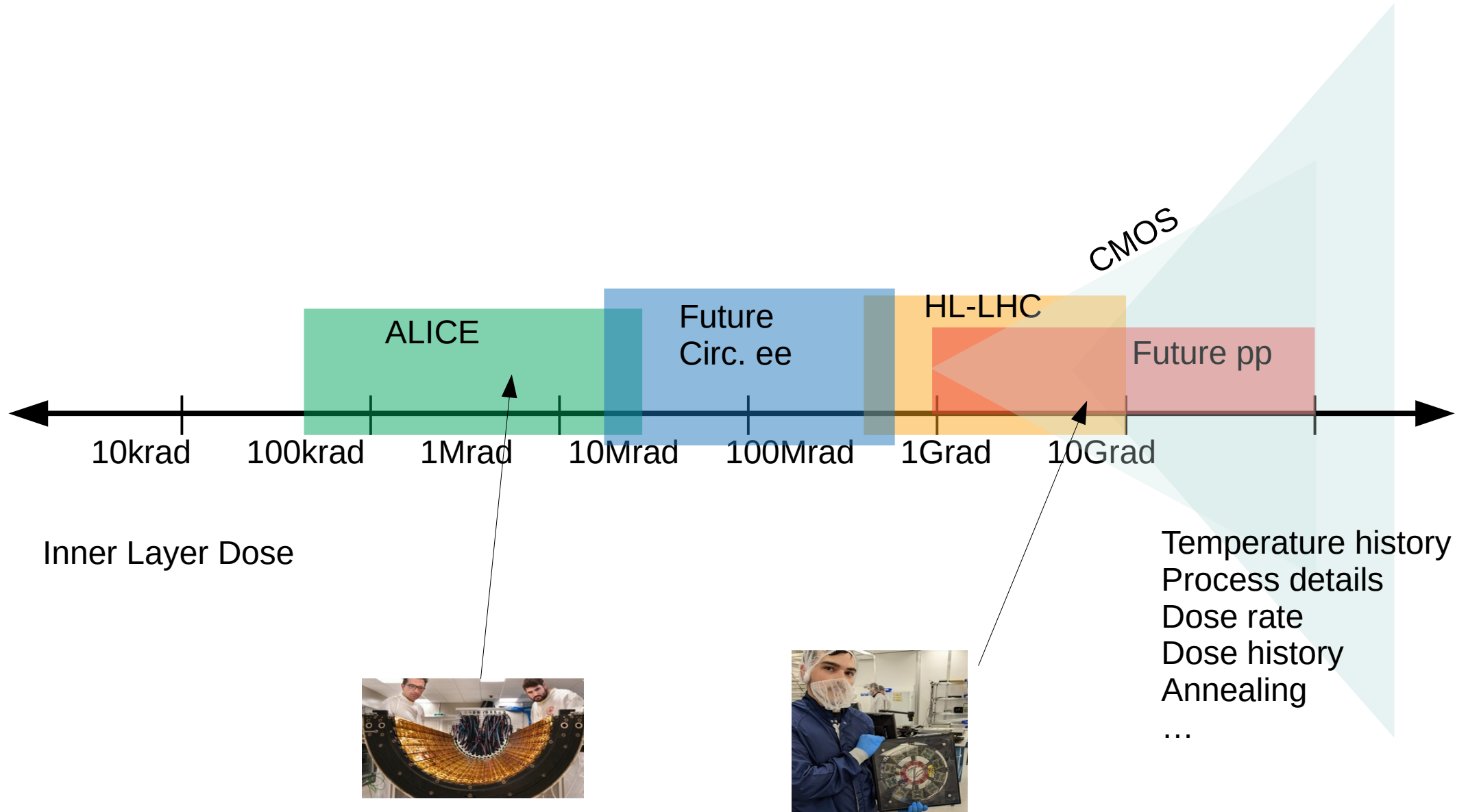
RD-53 will design and produce the next generation of readout chips for the [ATLAS](#) and [CMS](#) pixel detector upgrades at the [HL-LHC](#). More details can be found in the [2018 extension proposal](#) and the original [collaboration proposal](#).

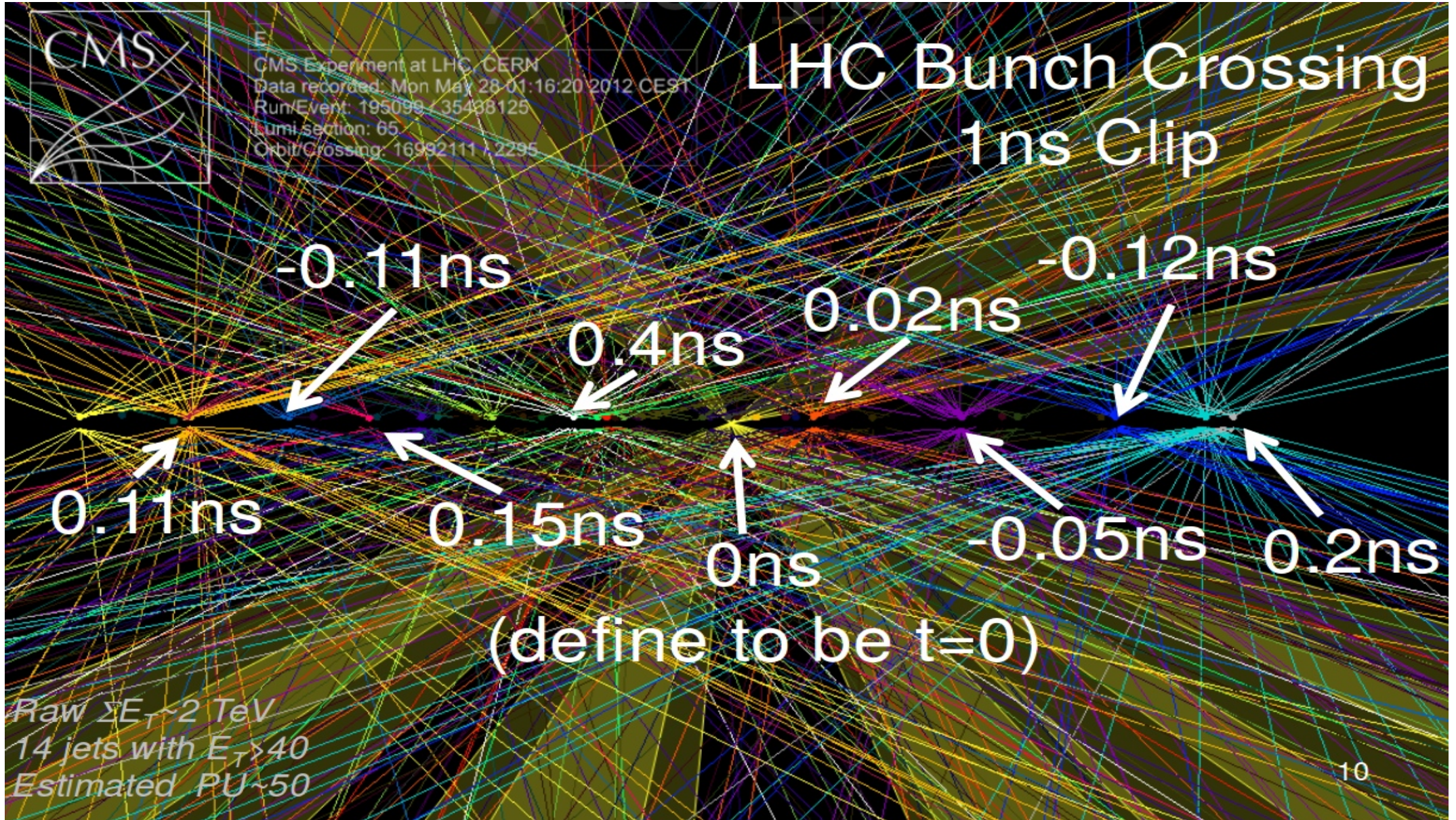


~1000  
transistors









L0 central most probable maps

Hitmap	Number of occurrences	Probability	Cumulative
10000000	112507	0.107	0.107
00000001	112021	0.106	0.213
11000000	72585	0.069	0.282
00000011	71430	0.068	0.350
00000010	41231	0.039	0.389
00001000	41206	0.039	0.428
00000100	41080	0.039	0.467
01000000	40968	0.039	0.506
00010000	39965	0.038	0.544
00100000	39806	0.038	0.581
00001100	39359	0.037	0.619
01100000	39054	0.037	0.656
00000110	39015	0.037	0.693
00011000	37448	0.036	0.728
00110000	37373	0.035	0.764
00000111	33691	0.032	0.796
11100000	33337	0.032	0.827
11110000	17193	0.016	0.844
00001111	17047	0.016	0.860
00001110	16714	0.016	0.876
00011100	16606	0.016	0.891
01110000	16420	0.016	0.907

Data Set	H (bits)	Bin. Tree (bits/map)	Huffman(L0) (bits/map)	3-6-14 (bits/map)
L0 central	4.69	5.83	4.71	5.13
L3 outer ring	4.17	5.12	4.47	5.00
L4 inner ring	4.29	5.27	4.50	5.03

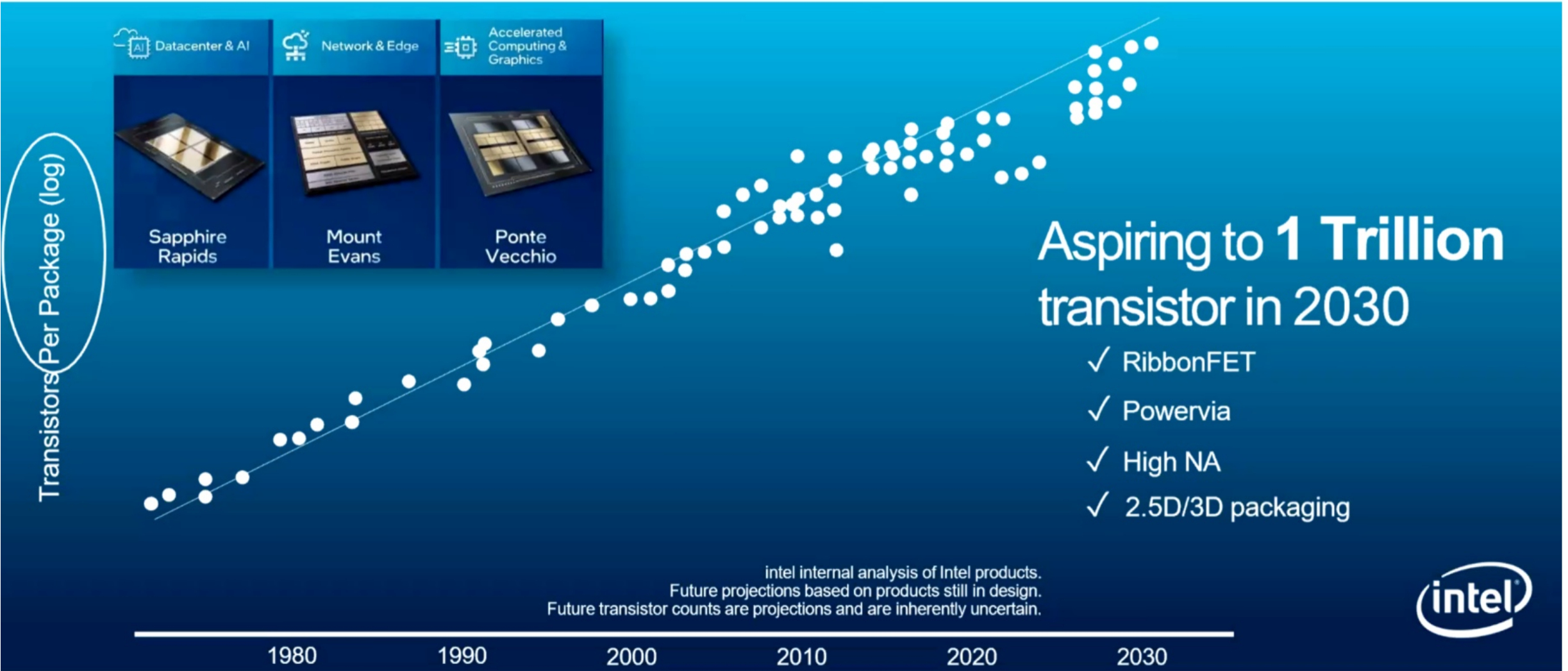
Data Set	H (bits)	Bin, Tree (/H)	Huffman(L0) (/H)	3-6-14 (/H)
L0 central	4.69	1.24	1.01	1.10
L3 outer ring	4.17	1.23	1.07	1.20
L4 inner ring	4.29	1.23	1.05	1.17

12% missed opportunity  
3% missed opportunity  
5% missed opportunity

Not compatible with  
RD53 data flow

Just change the  
values on the LUT,  
Nothing else

From 100 billion transistors today to 1 trillion transistors per package in 2030: 30% growth year on year





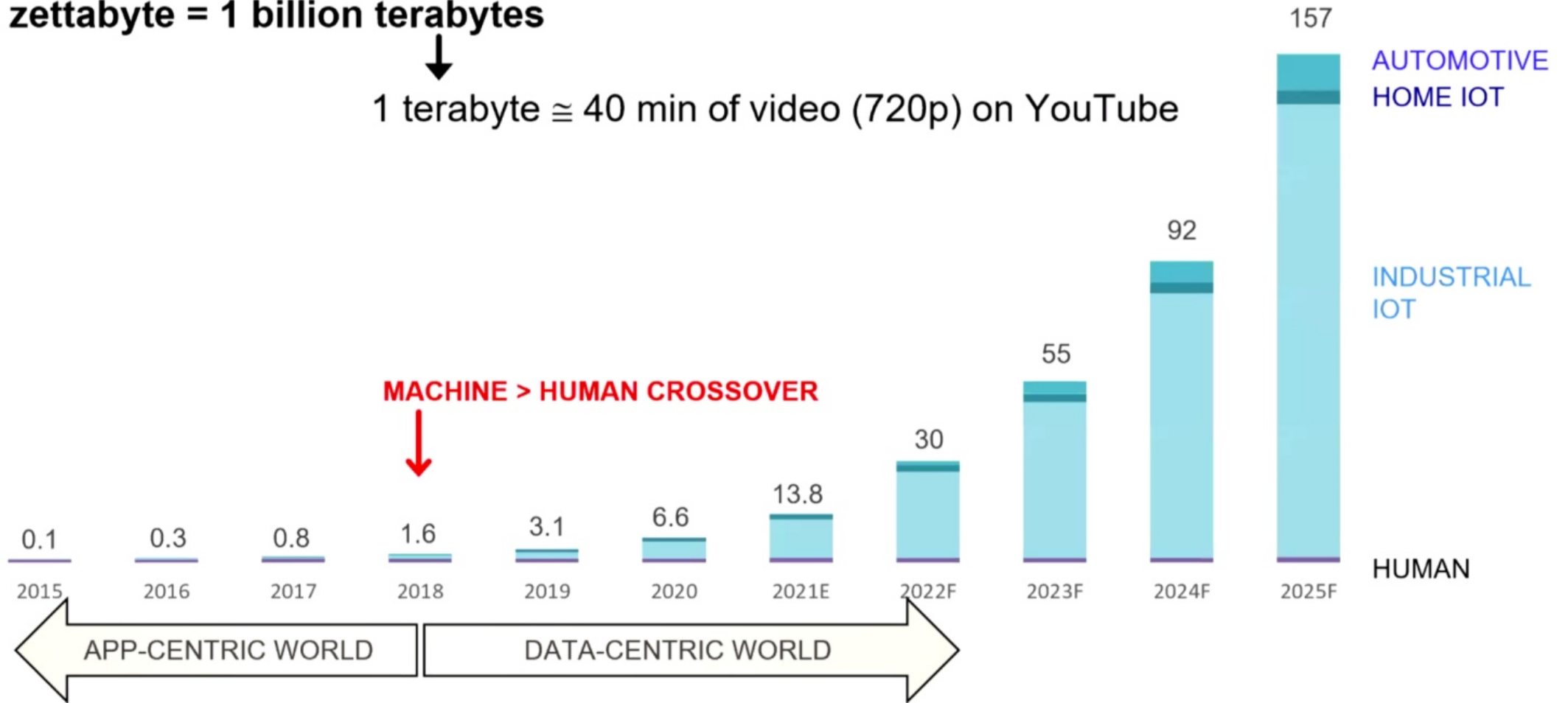
## Proliferation of Data (zettabytes)

Source: Om Nalamasu (Applied Materials), SEMI International Trade Partners Conference, November 2022

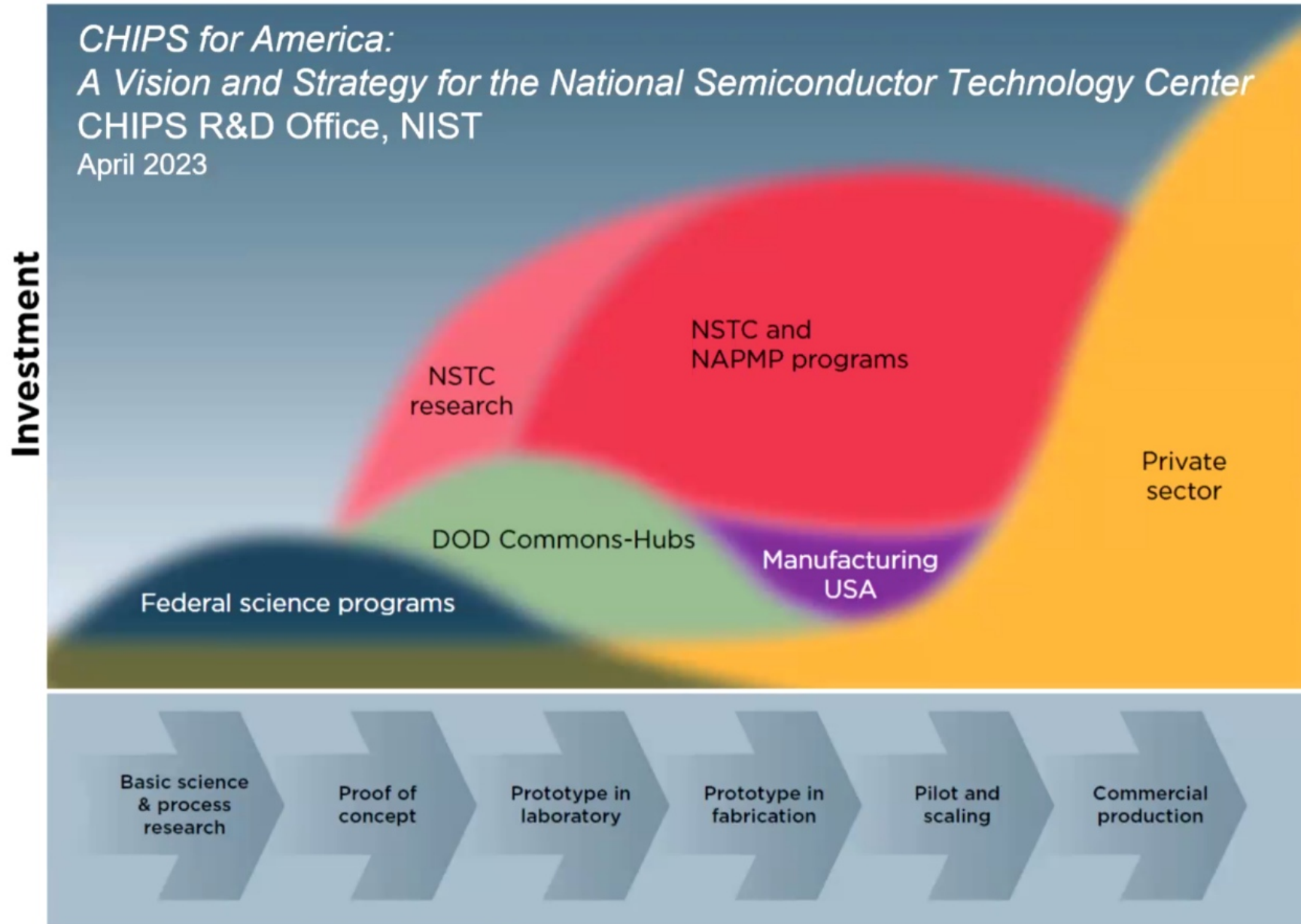
1 zettabyte = 1 billion terabytes



1 terabyte  $\cong$  40 min of video (720p) on YouTube



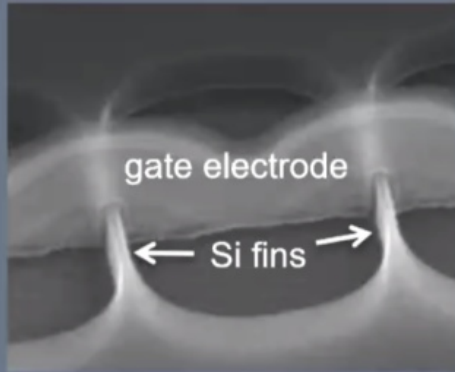
# New tech development path



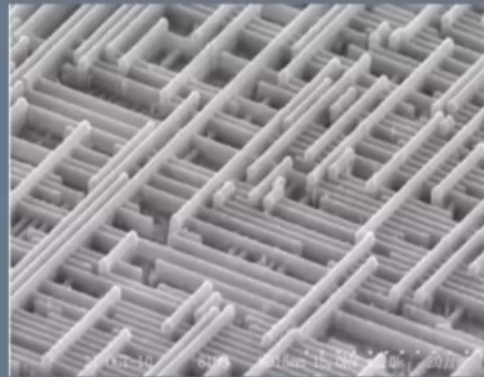
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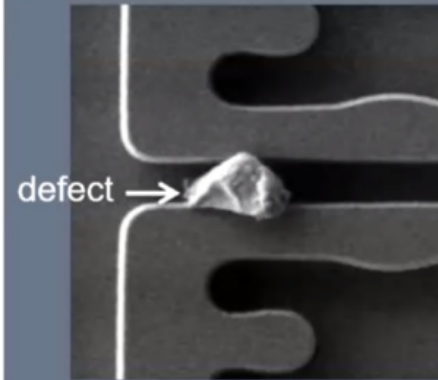
*Manipulating materials  
with atomic precision on  
an industrial scale*



Fin-shaped transistors with gate insulator layer formed by atomic layer deposition



20+ miles of nanoscale copper wiring in a little more than a half-inch square



Inspection equivalent to spotting a single ant from outer space, then identifying its species, in less than 1 sec



- A leading-edge semiconductor fabrication plant (fab) costs ~\$10B
  - 300 mm wafers
  - >1000 process steps
  - 100,000 wafers/month