

Large arrays of superconducting devices

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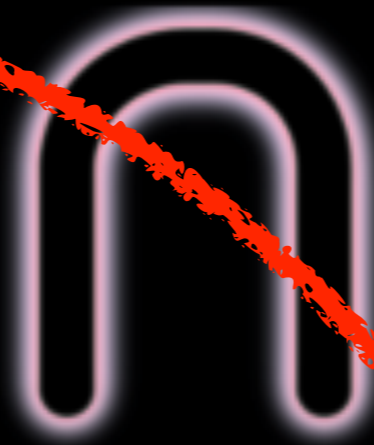


Intersections between
Nuclear Physics and
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Cosmology

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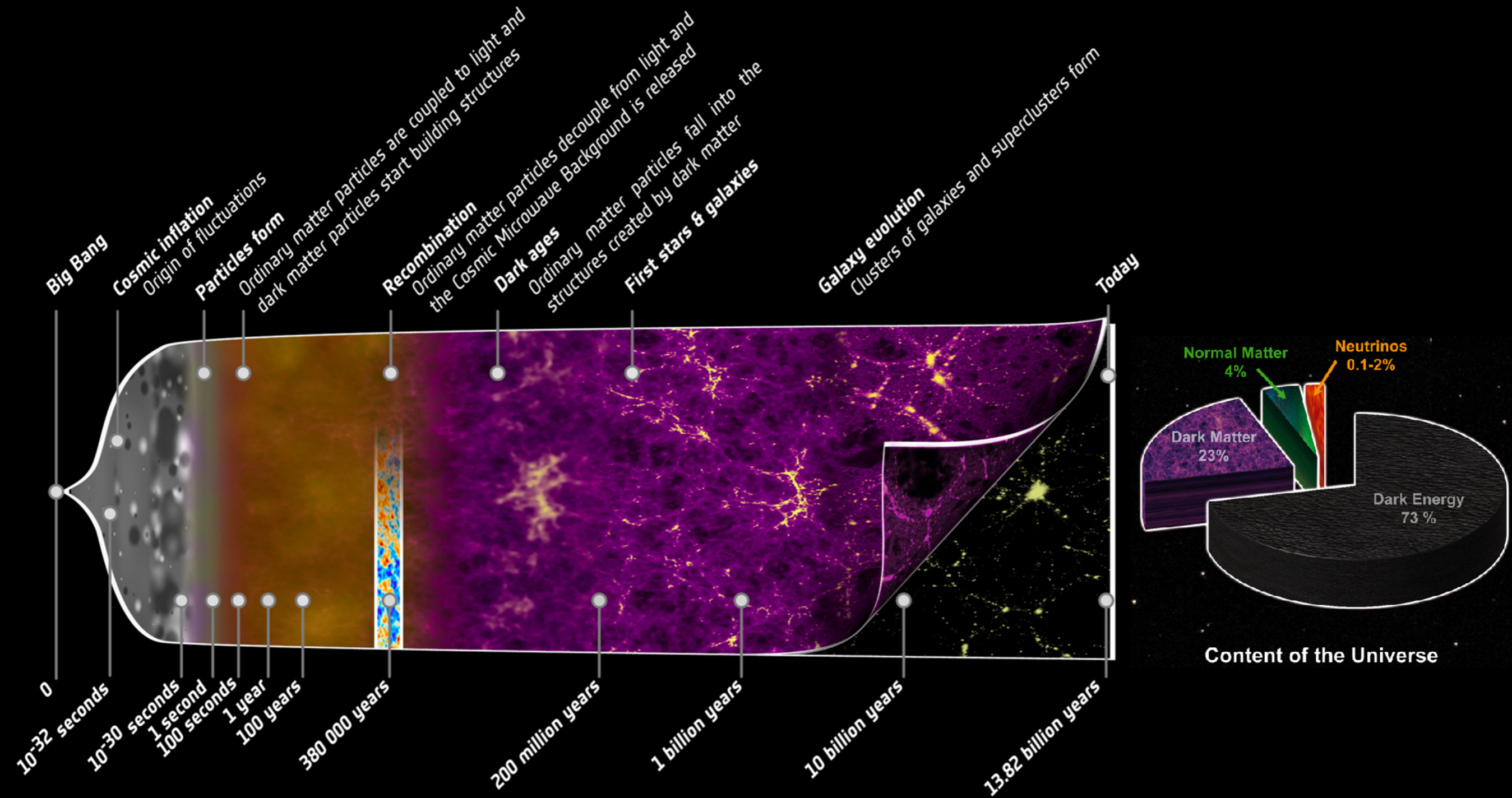
Cosmology

Cosmology - Wikipedia

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Cosmology (from the Greek κόσμος, kosmos "world" and -λογία, -logia "study of") is the study of the origin, evolution, and eventual fate of the universe.

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L'EXPANSION DE L'UNIVERS ⁽¹⁾

Je voudrais développer ici quelques aspects, quelques aspects seulement, de ce sujet de « l'Expansion de l'Univers ». Ce sujet est en effet fort vaste, non seulement au sens matériel du mot, mais vaste par le nombre de questions qu'il met en jeu ; il touche à la relativité, il touche à des conceptions assez abstruses de géométrie. Je voudrais me borner à vous dire les consé-



Letters to the Editor

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The Origin of Chemical Elements

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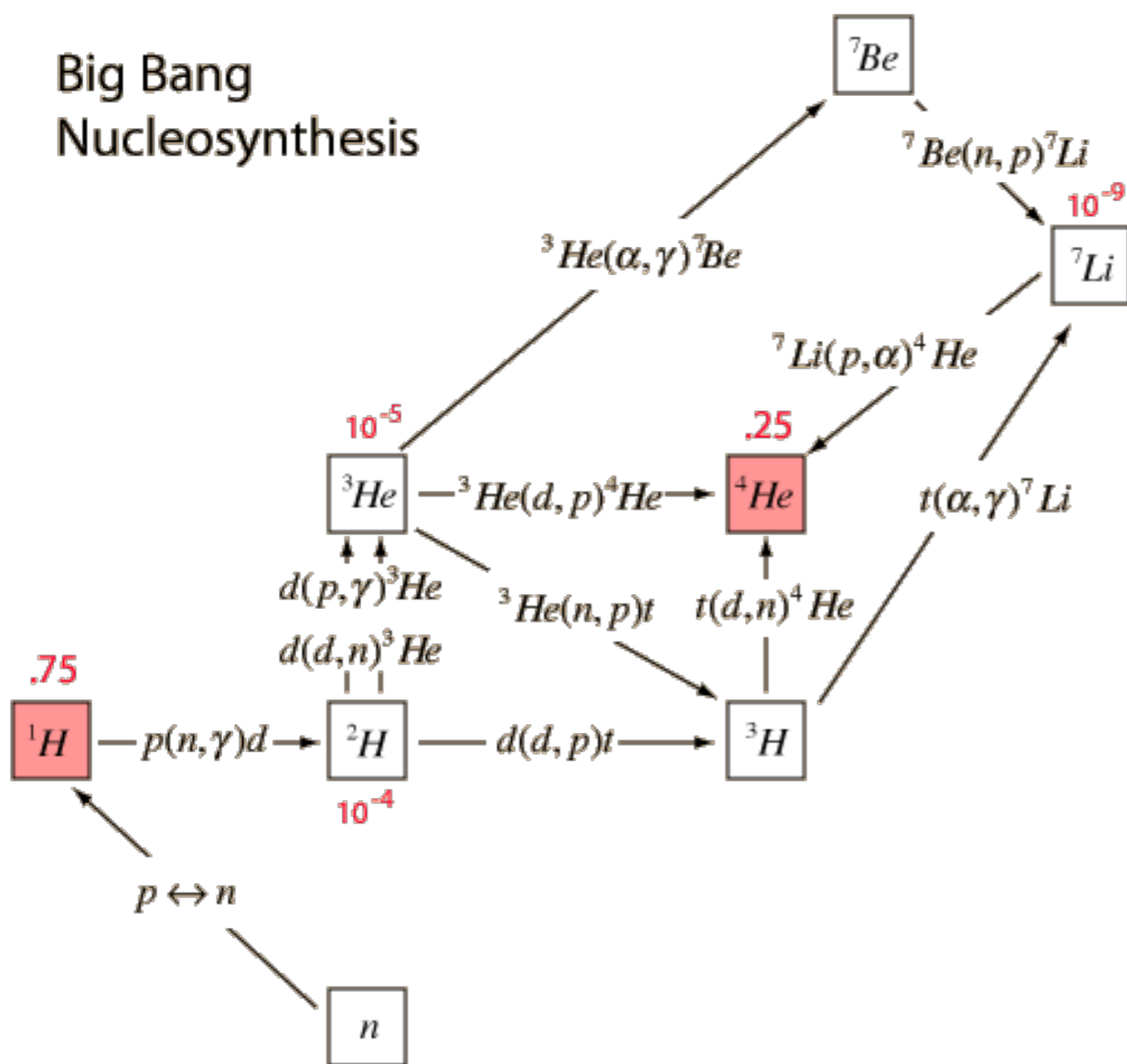
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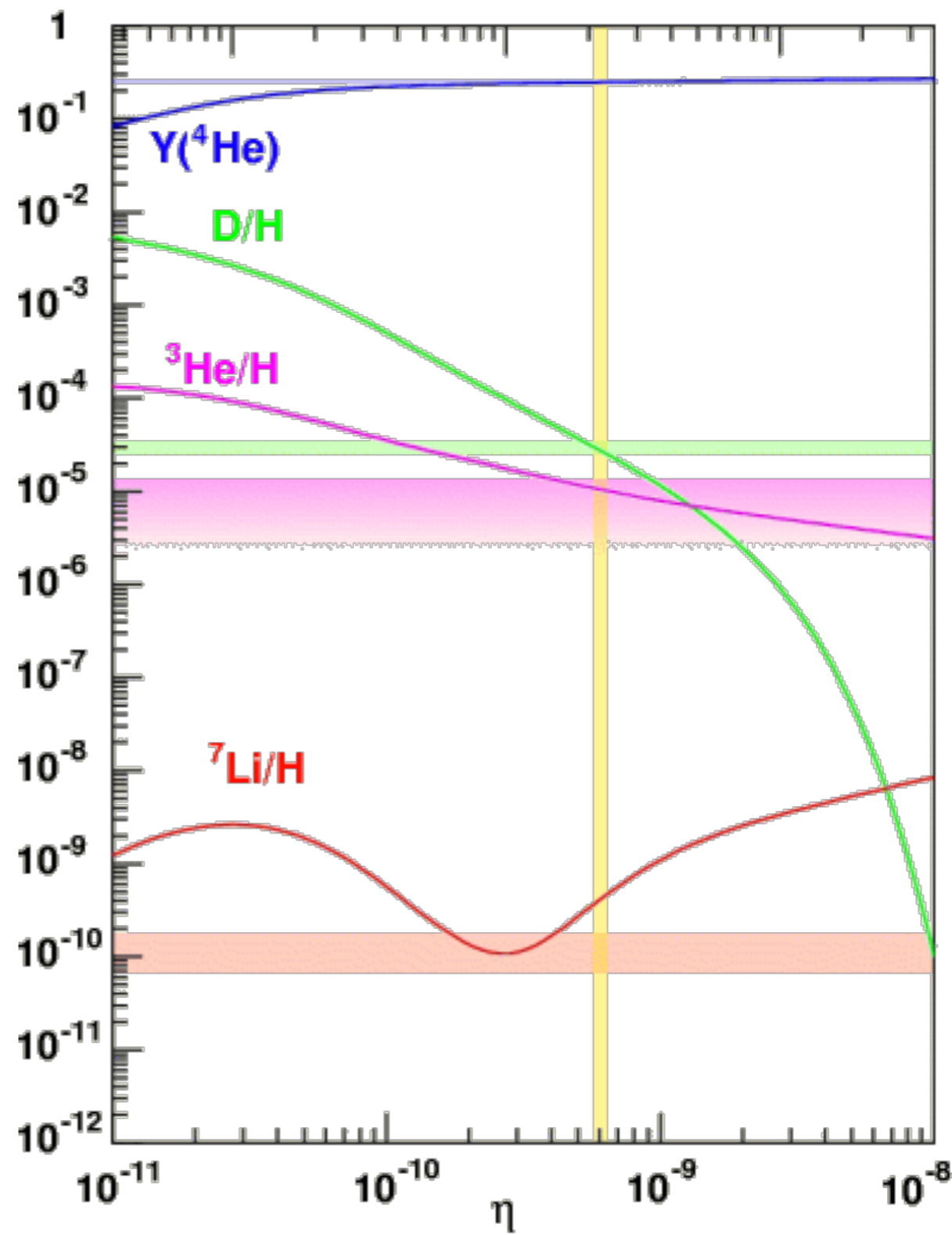
February 18, 1948

AS pointed out by one of us,¹ various nuclear species must have originated not as the result of an equilibrium corresponding to a certain temperature and density, but rather as a consequence of a continuous building-up process arrested by a rapid expansion and cooling of the primordial matter. According to this picture, we must imagine the early stage of matter as a highly compressed neutron gas (overheated neutral nuclear fluid) which started decaying into protons and electrons when the gas pressure fell down as the result of universal expansion. The radiative capture of the still remaining neutrons by the newly formed protons must have led first to the formation of deuterium nuclei, and the subsequent neutron captures resulted in the building up of heavier and heavier nuclei. It

Big Bang Nucleosynthesis

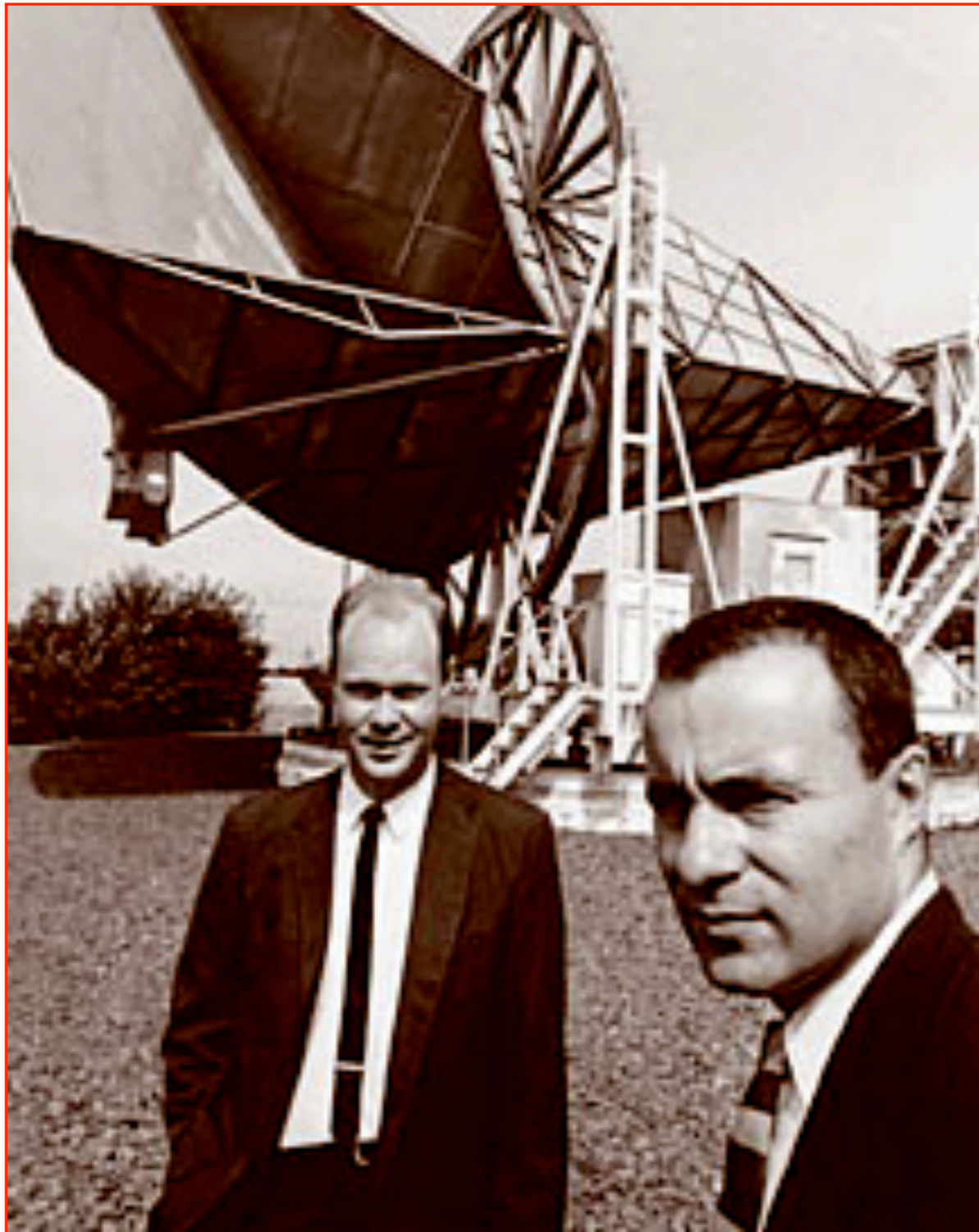


Also predicts relic abundance of photons

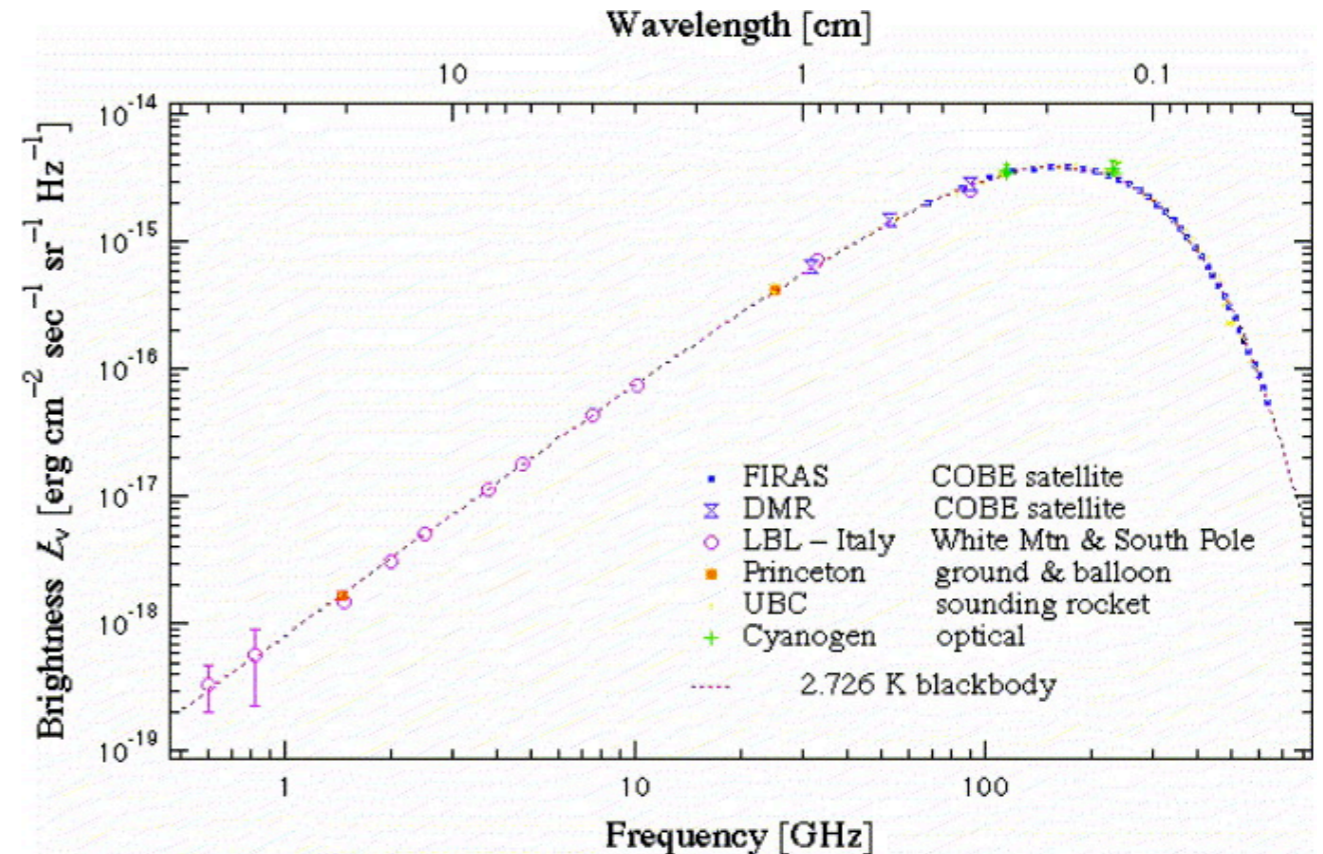


Discovery of the Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB)

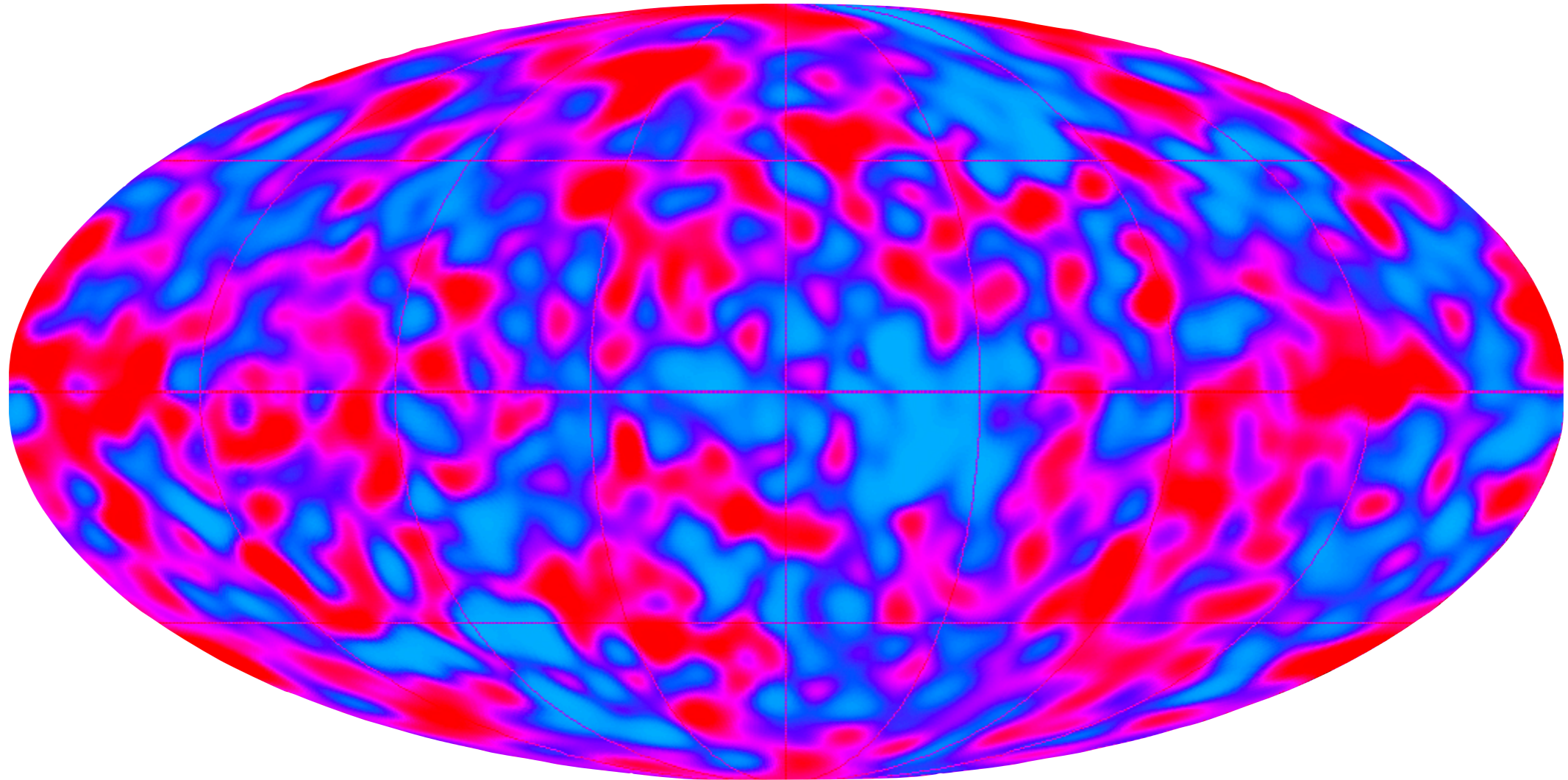
Arno Penzias & Robert Wilson in front of the 20 ft Bell Labs antenna used to discover the microwave background in 1965



“Smoking Gun” evidence for the Big Bang



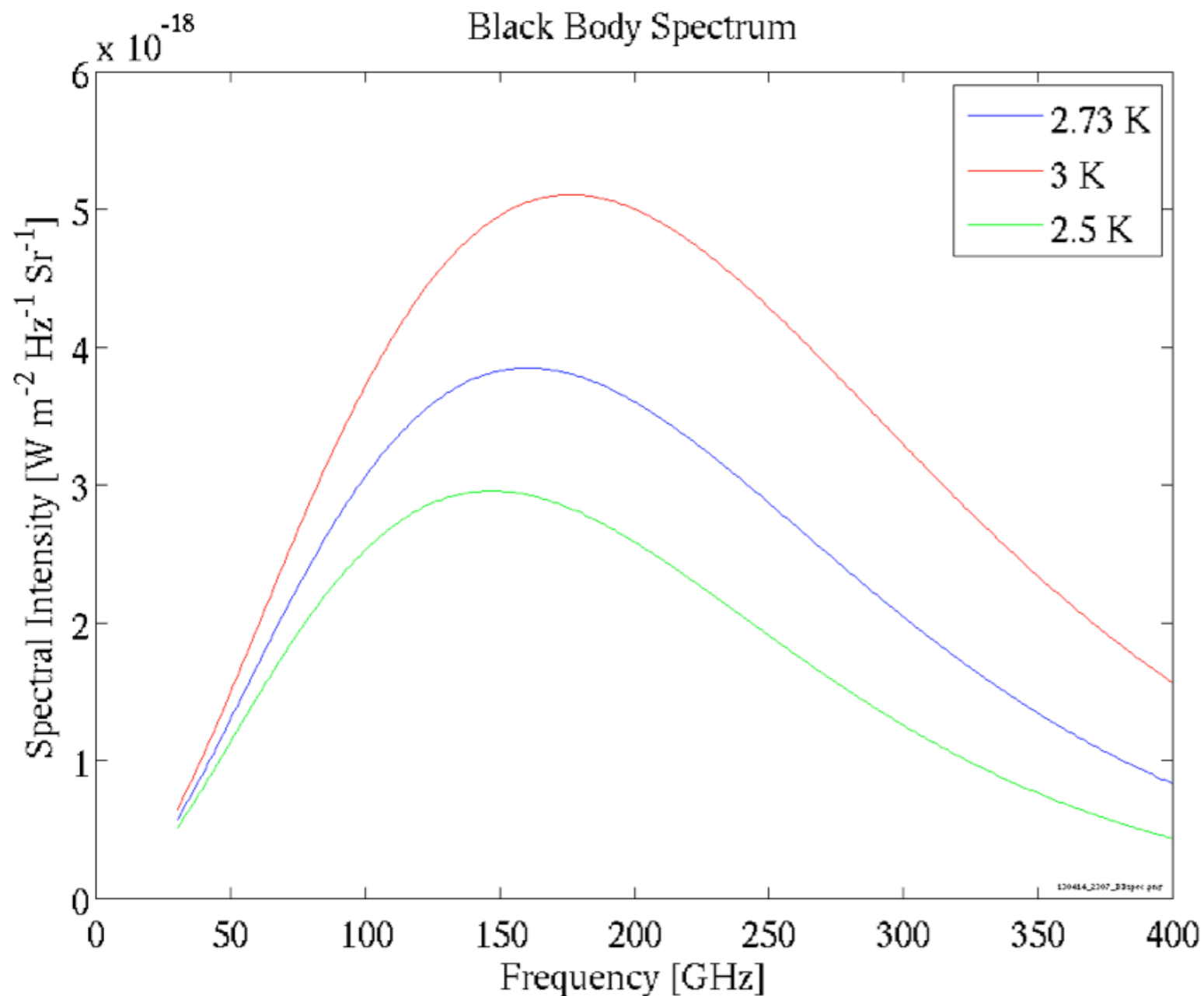
CMB: from prediction to tool



- Detect anisotropy!
- Superhorizon scales
- Small $1e-5$.

Can see entire early universe.
Understanding content limited by
fidelity of measurement.

$$B_\nu(T) = \frac{2h\nu^3}{c^2} \frac{1}{e^{h\nu/kT} - 1}$$

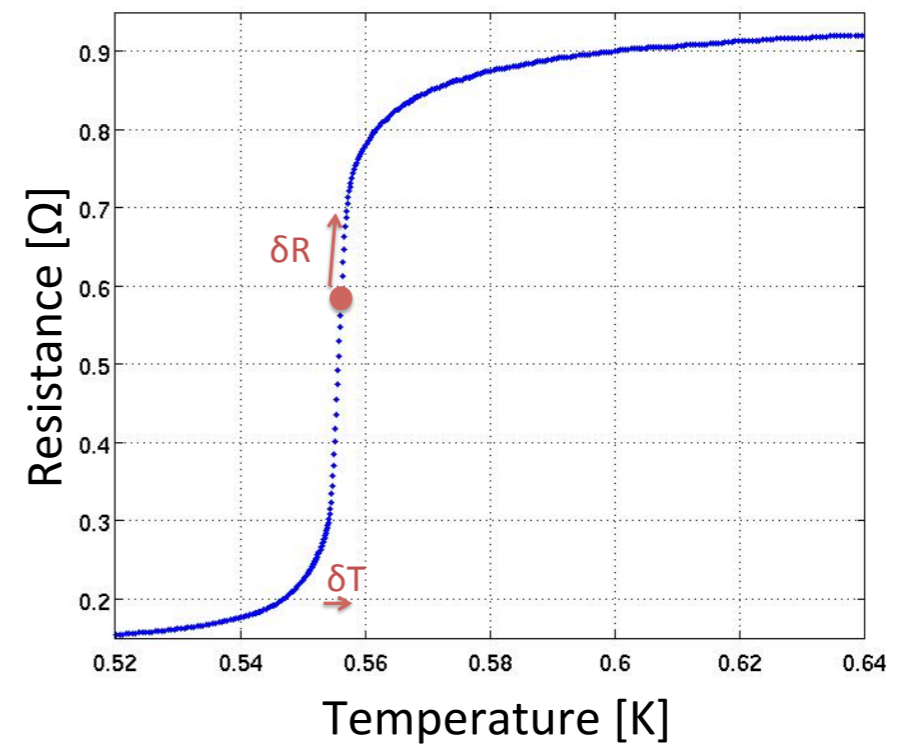
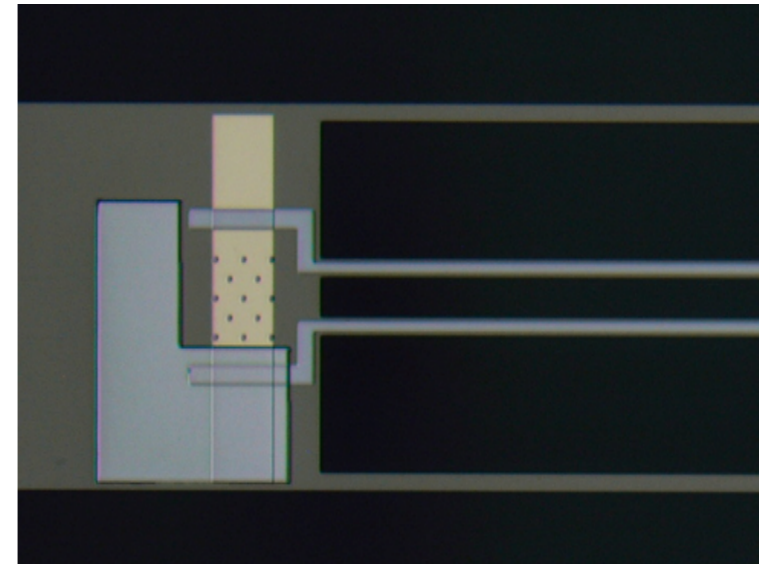
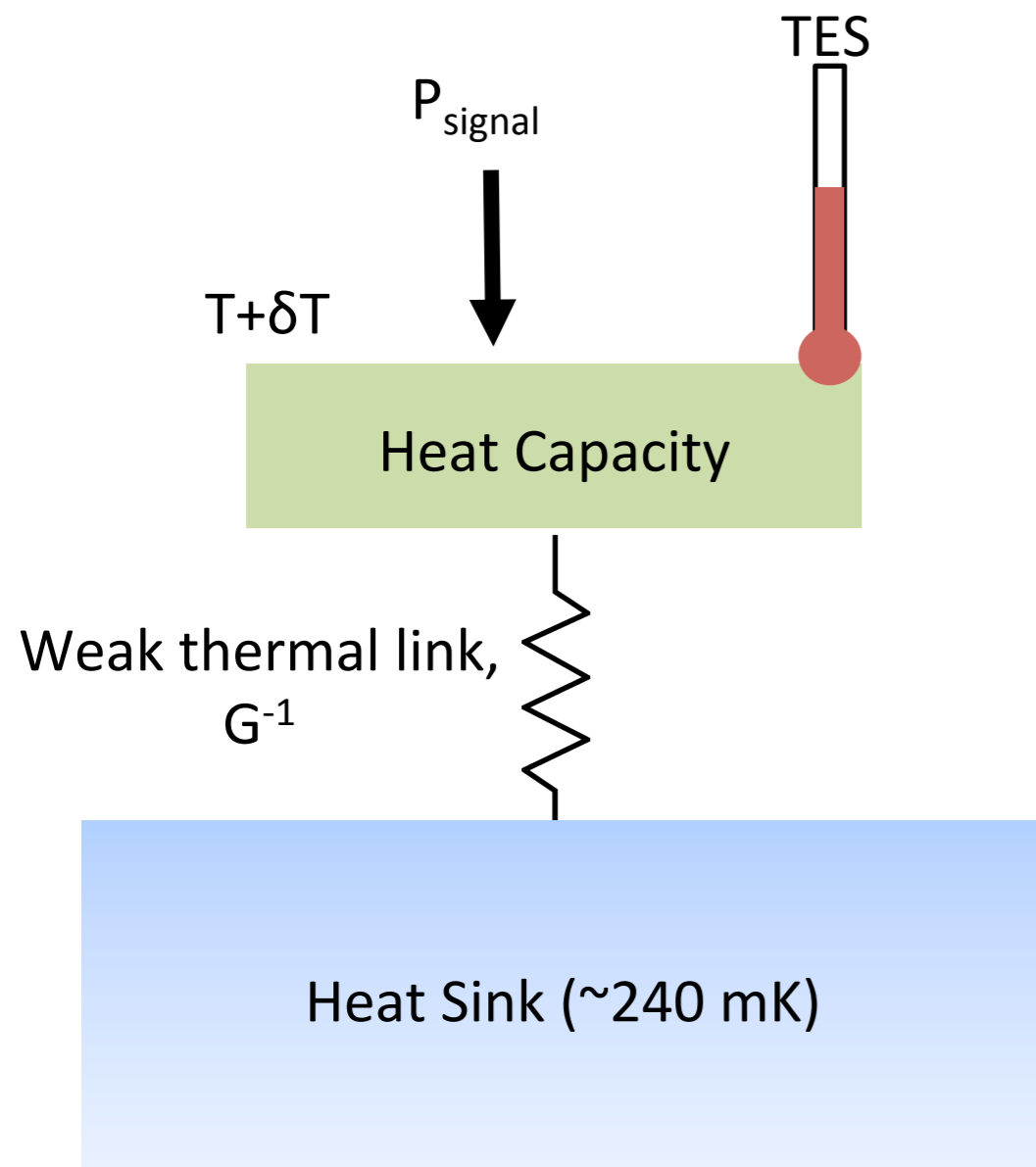


- Radiation at all frequencies (broadband)
- At all frequencies, higher (lower) temperature gives more (less) intensity
- Turn it around: at a given frequency, measuring intensity measures the temperature

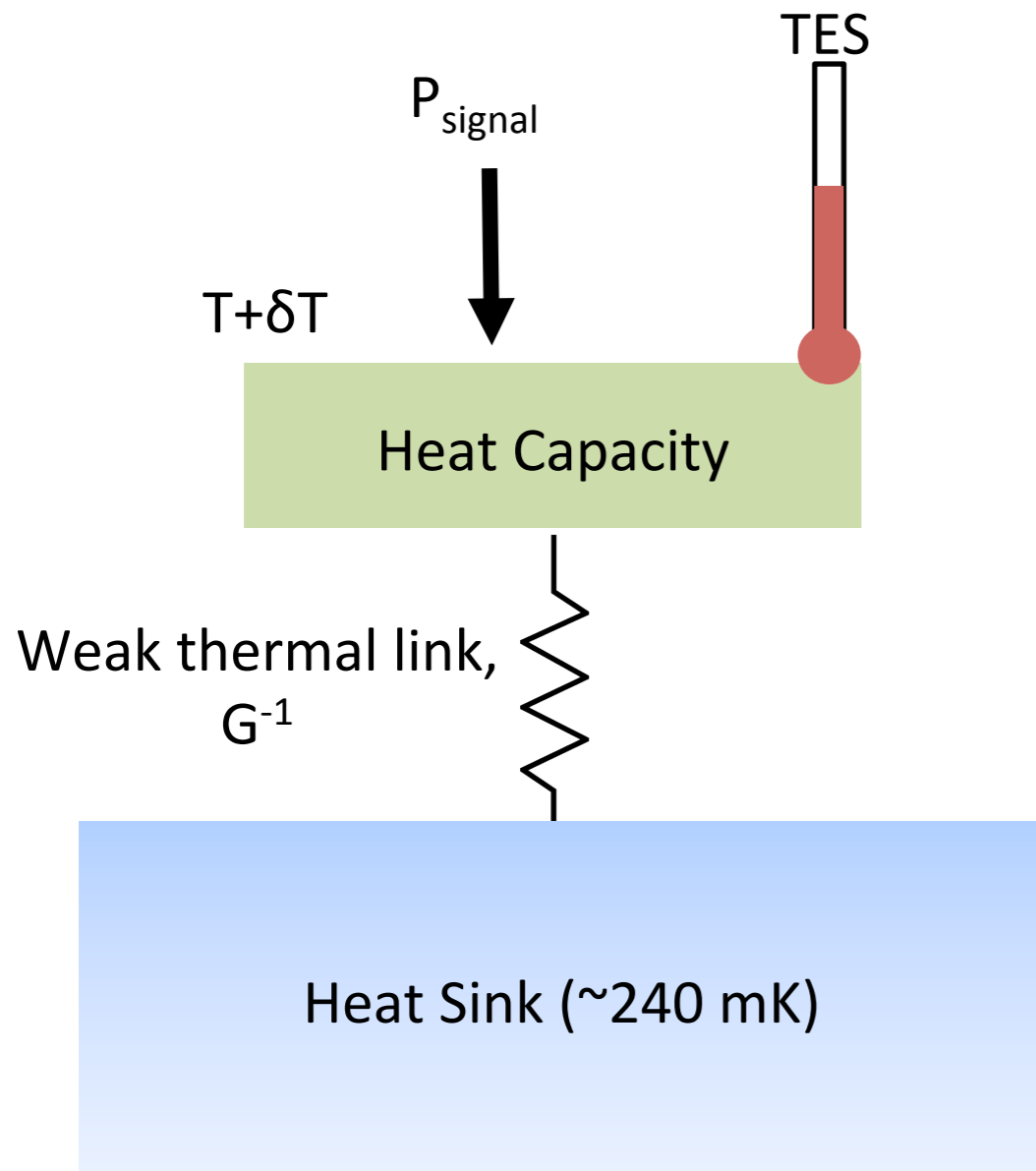
- Point at spot in sky
- Measure flux
- Move to new target
- Repeat



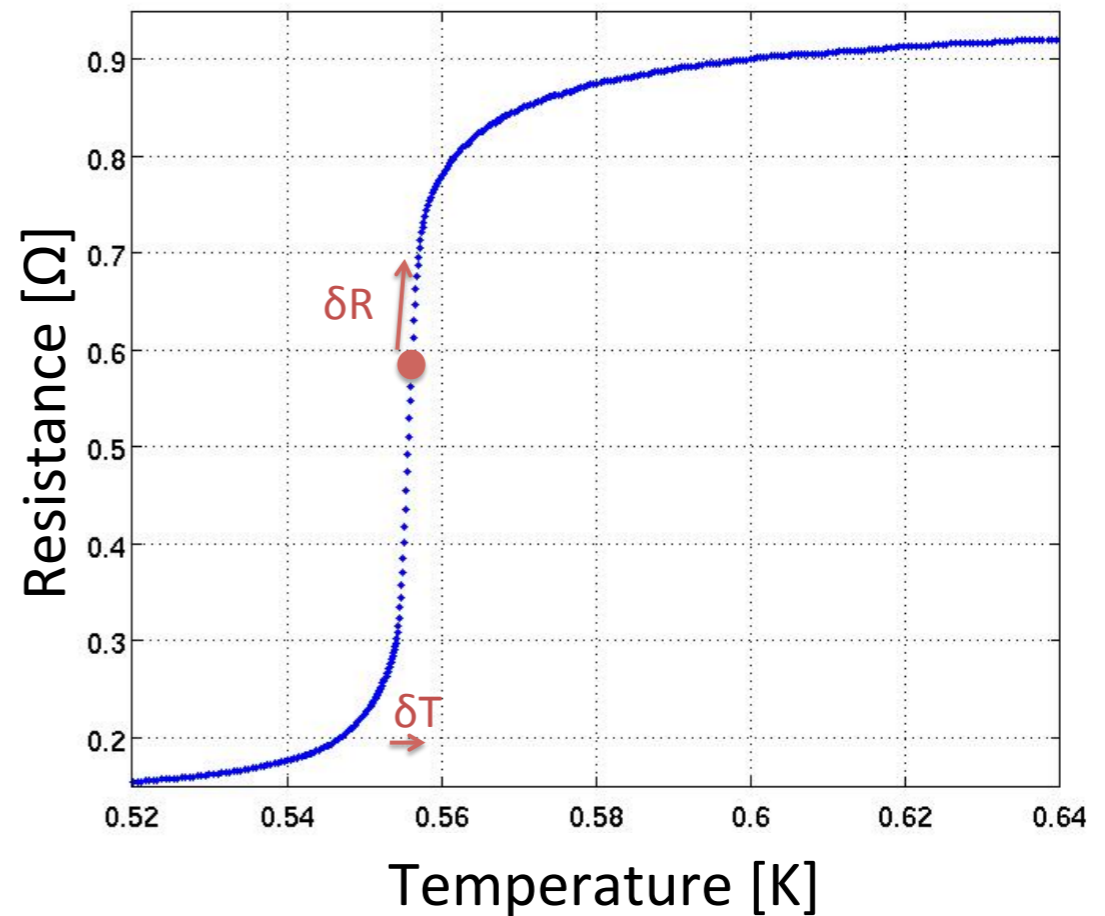
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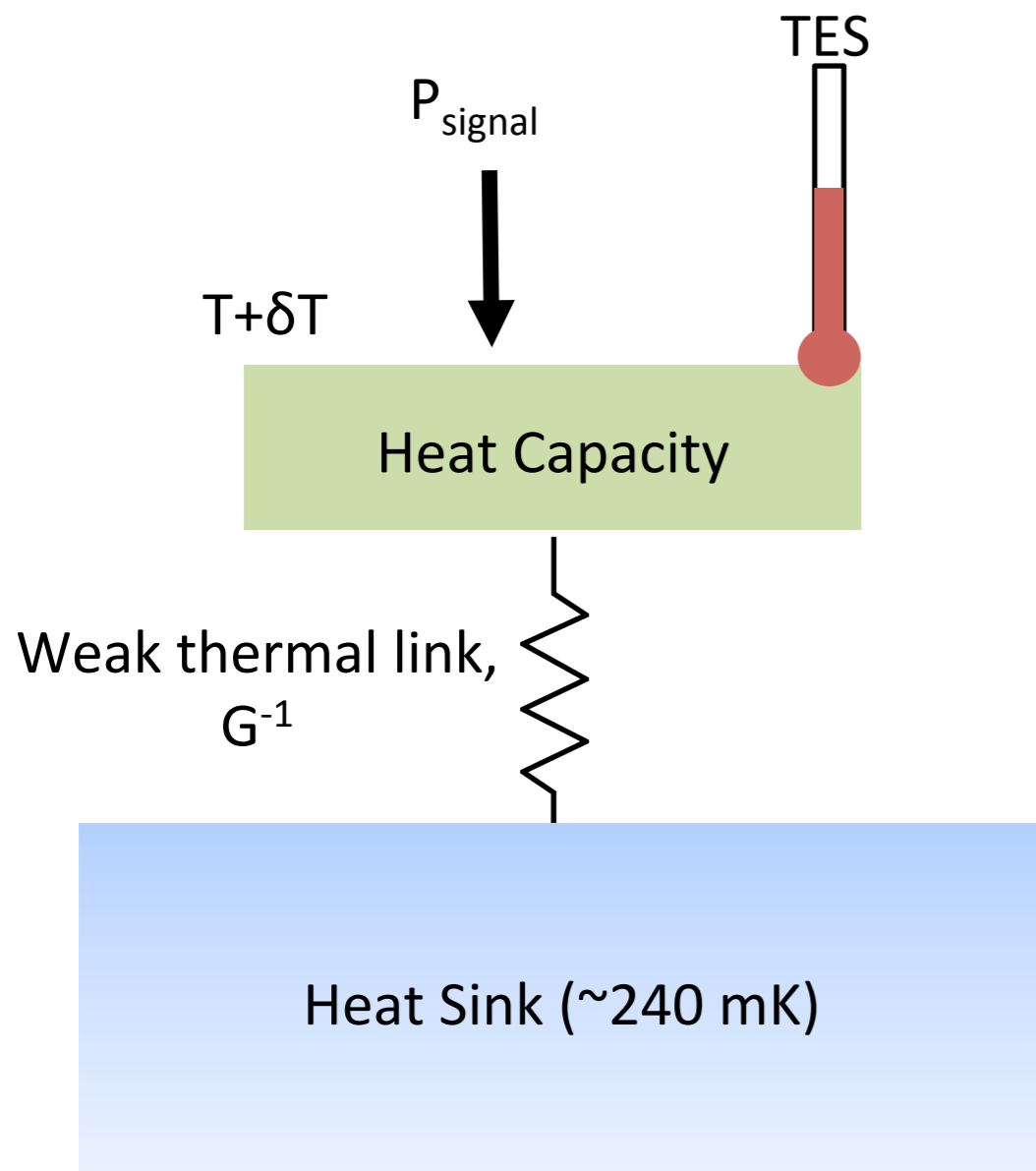
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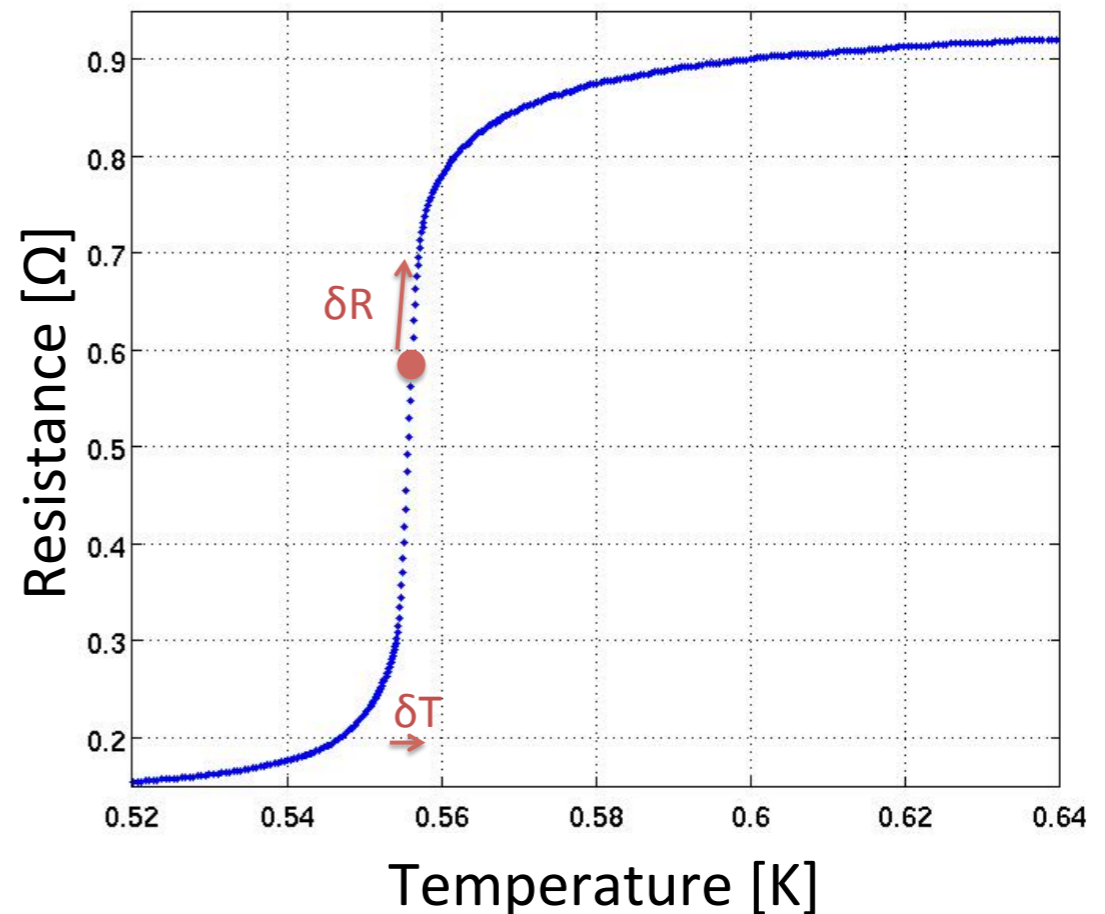
$$P_{\text{Joule}} = \frac{V_0^2}{R(T)}$$



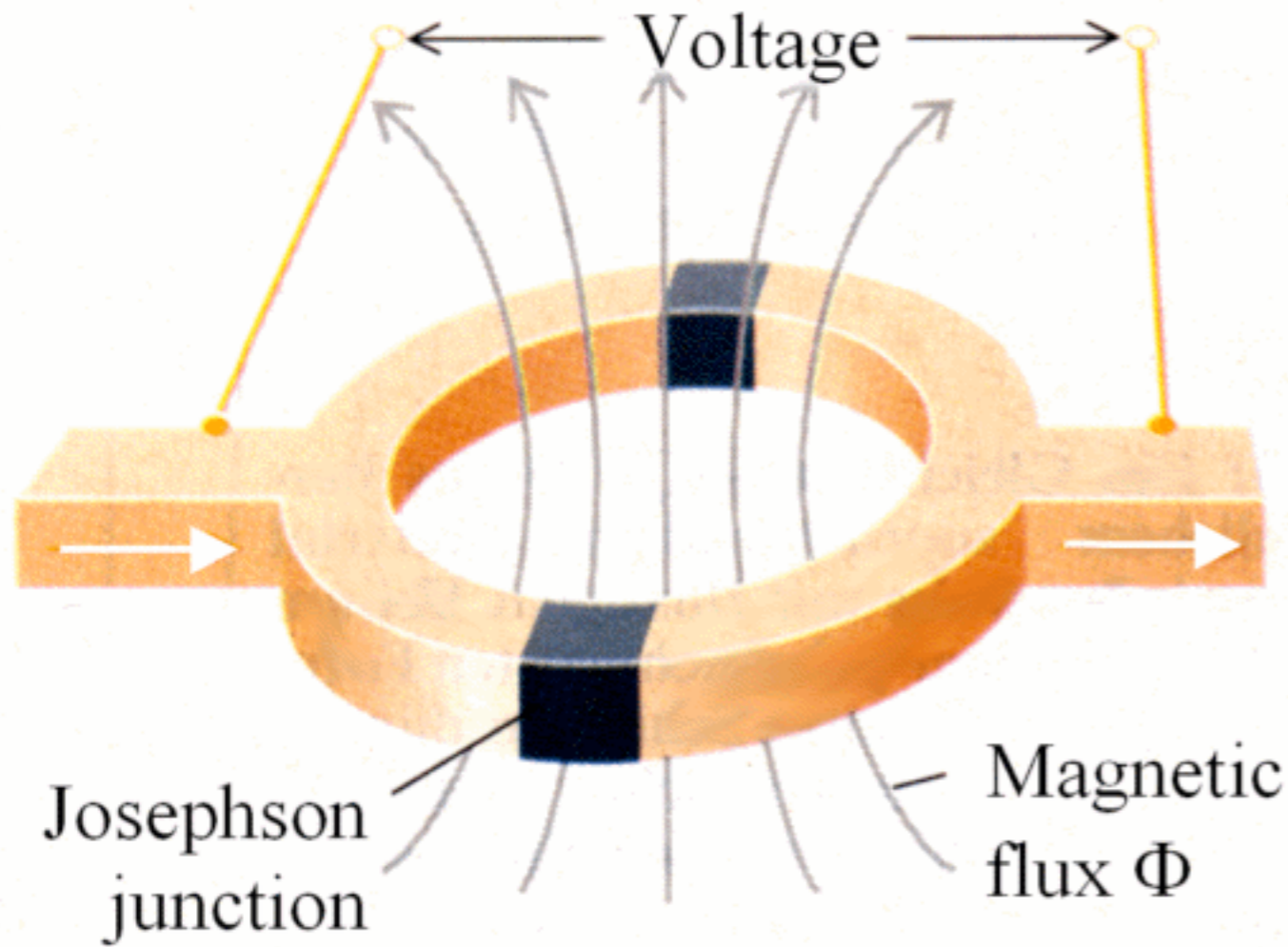
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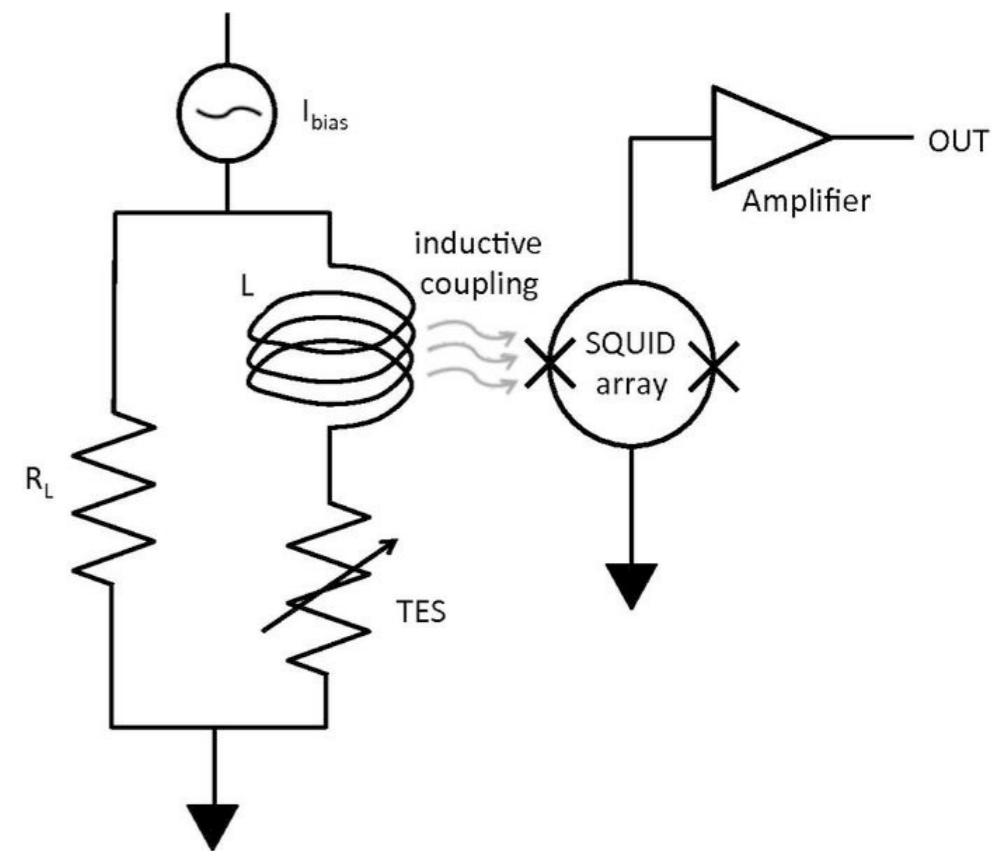
$$\delta P_{\text{Joule}} = \frac{d}{dT} \left(\frac{V_0^2}{R(T)} \right) = - \left(\frac{V_0}{R} \right)^2 \frac{dR}{dT} \delta T$$



Superconducting QUantum Interference Device



Current



Fundamental limits of CMB measurement

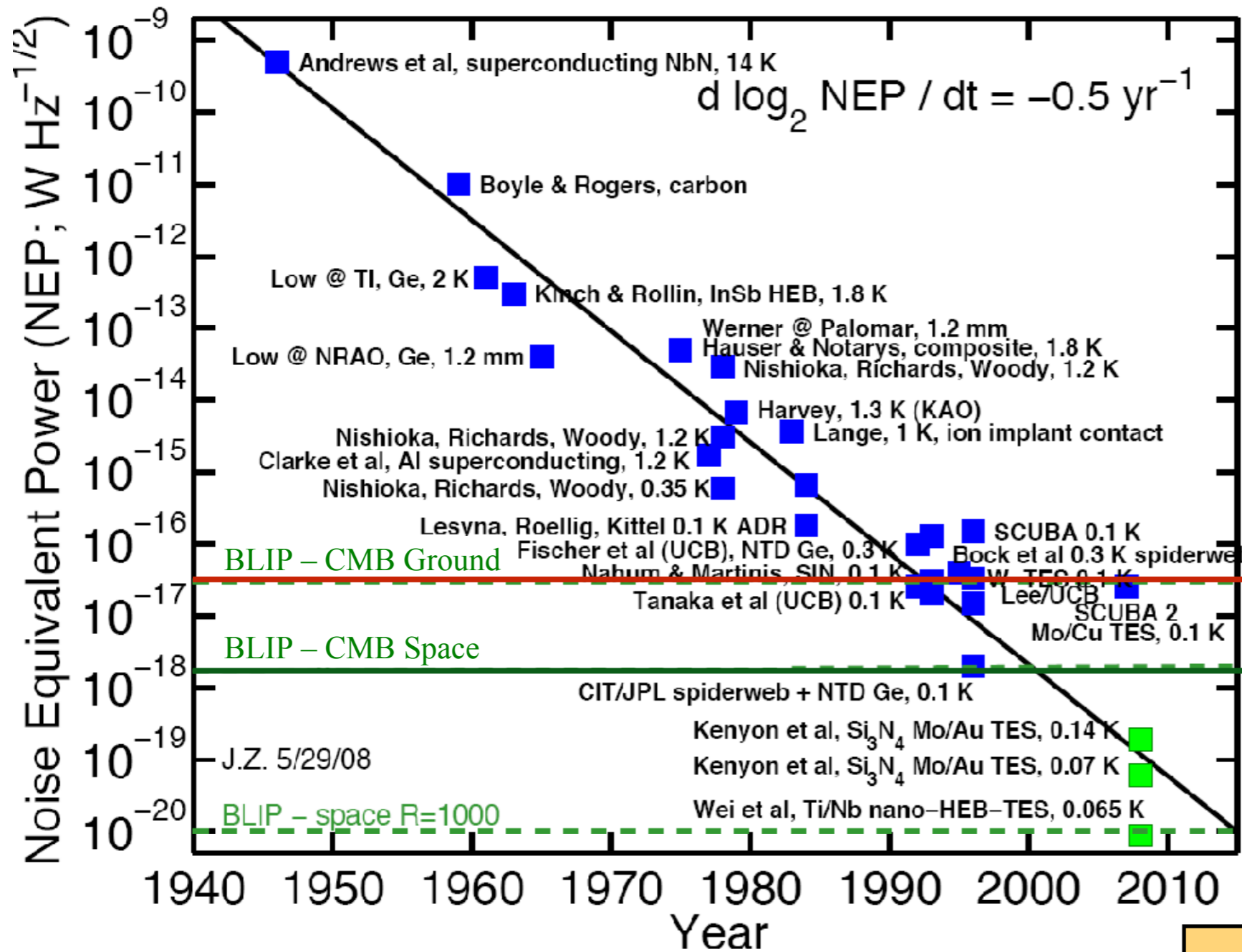
- Uncertainty on measured photon power in time, τ

$$\sigma_P = \frac{h\nu\sigma}{\eta} = \frac{h\nu}{\sqrt{\Delta\nu\tau}} \sqrt{\frac{n_0(1 + \eta n_0)}{\eta}} \Delta\nu$$

Jonas Zmuidzinas

Applied Optics, Vol. 42, Issue 25, pp. 4989-5008 (2003)

Background limited detectors



Plot from Jonas Zmuidzinas

- Phonon noise:
 $\sigma_G = 4k_B G T^2$;
 subdominant
 with $T \sim 0.5 \text{ K}$

Ground
Space

Need lots of detectors!

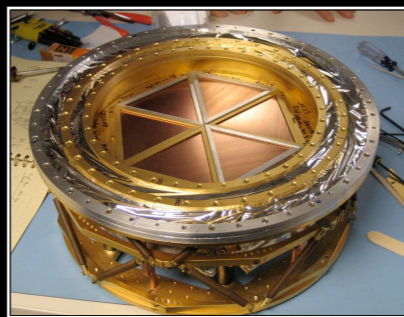
The South Pole Telescope (SPT)

10-meter sub-mm quality wavelength telescope

95, 150, 220 GHz and
1.6, 1.2, 1.0 arcmin resolution

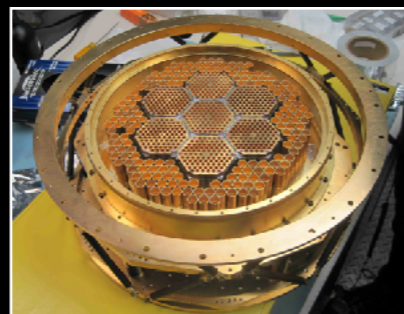
2007: SPT-SZ

960 detectors
95, 150, 220 GHz



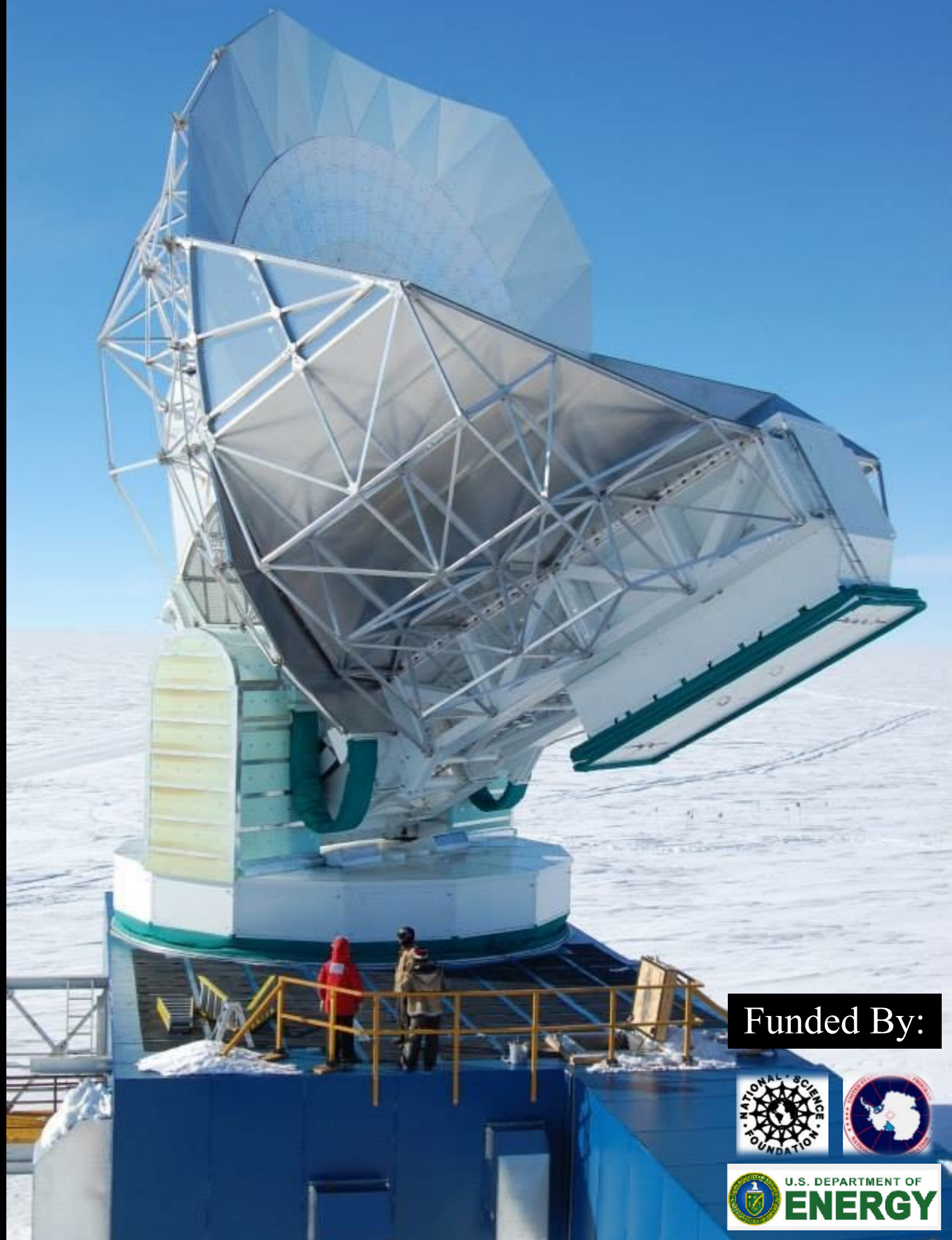
2012: SPTpol

1600 detectors
95, 150 GHz
+Polarization



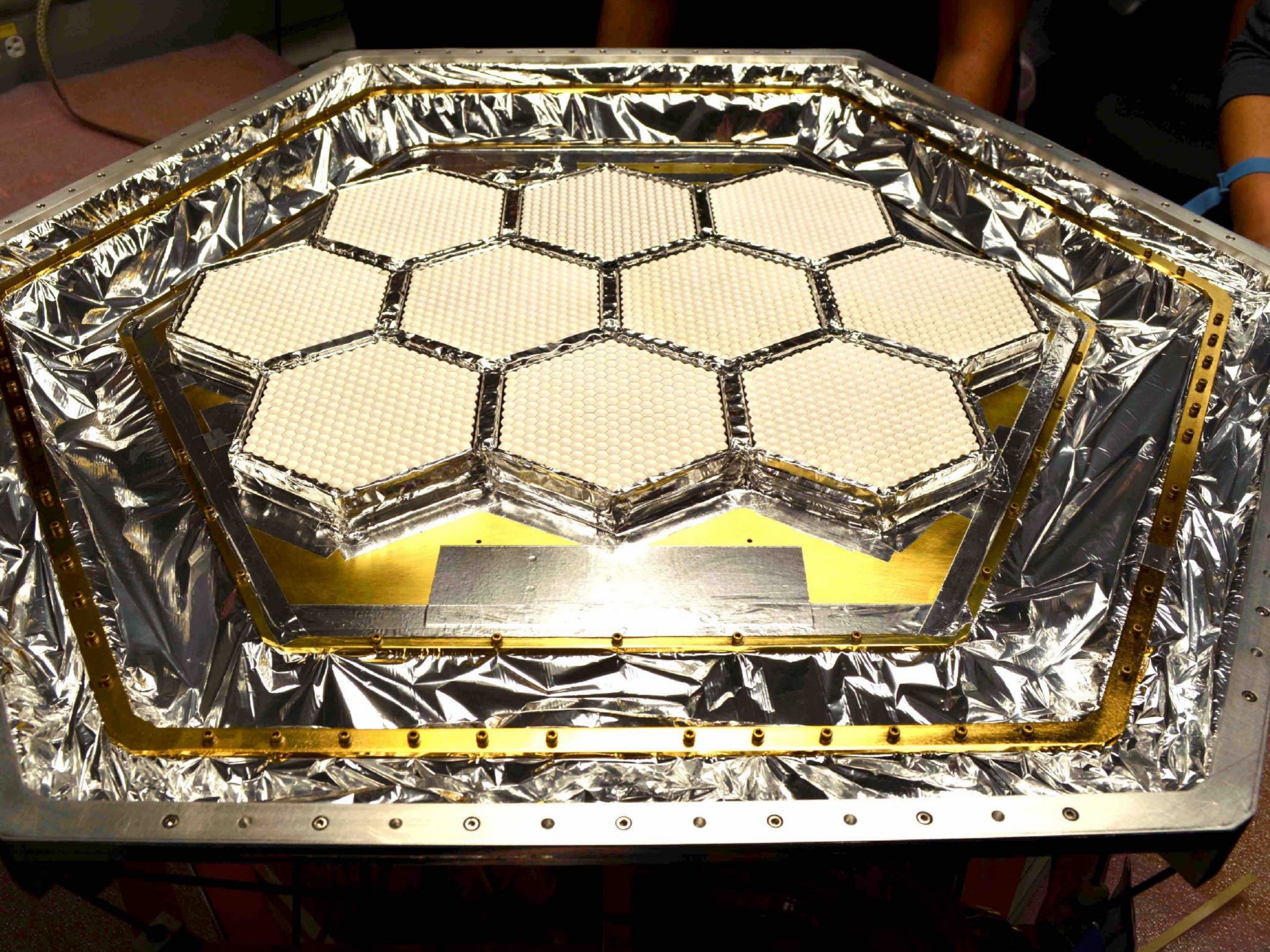
2017: SPT-3G

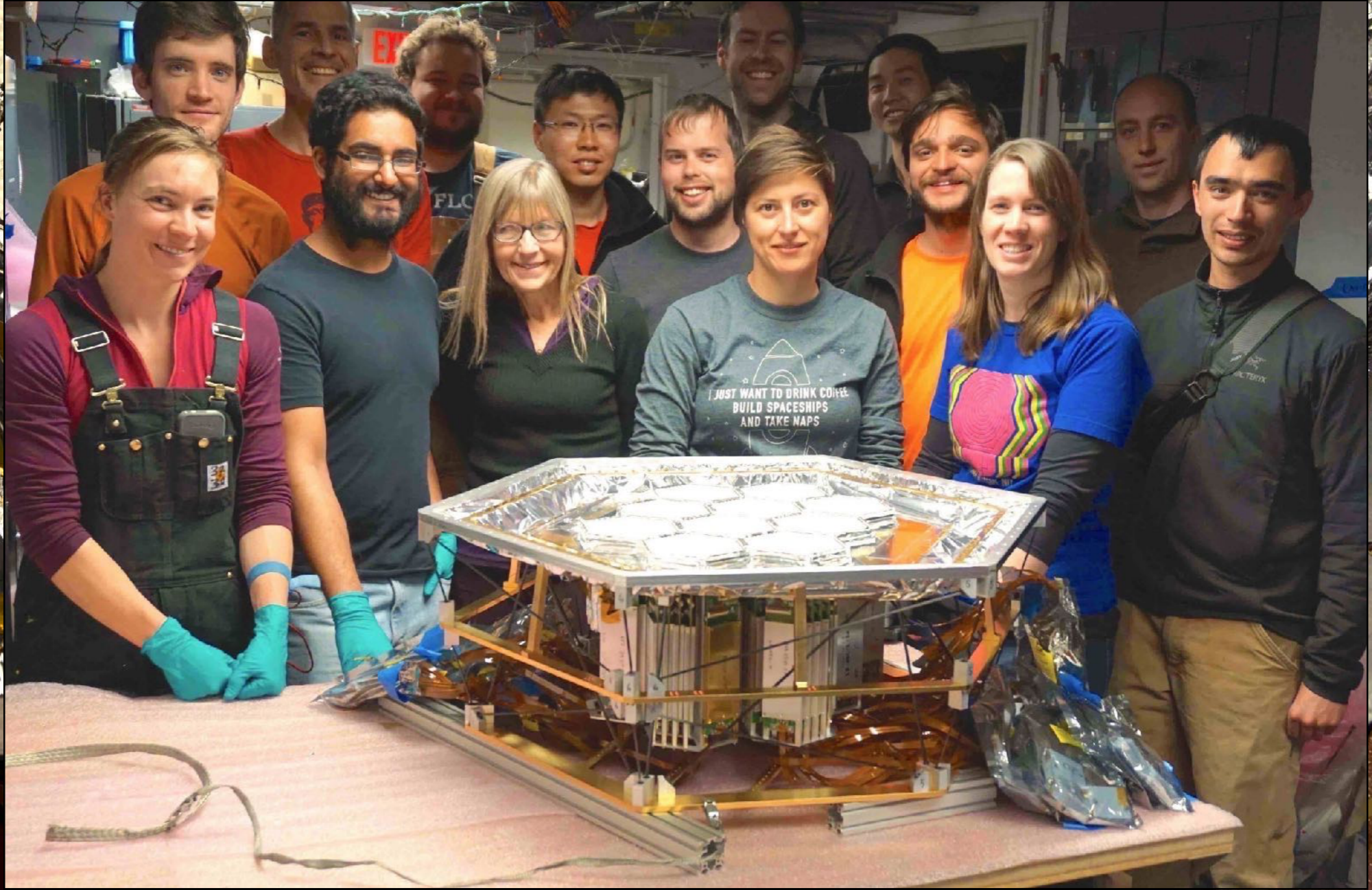
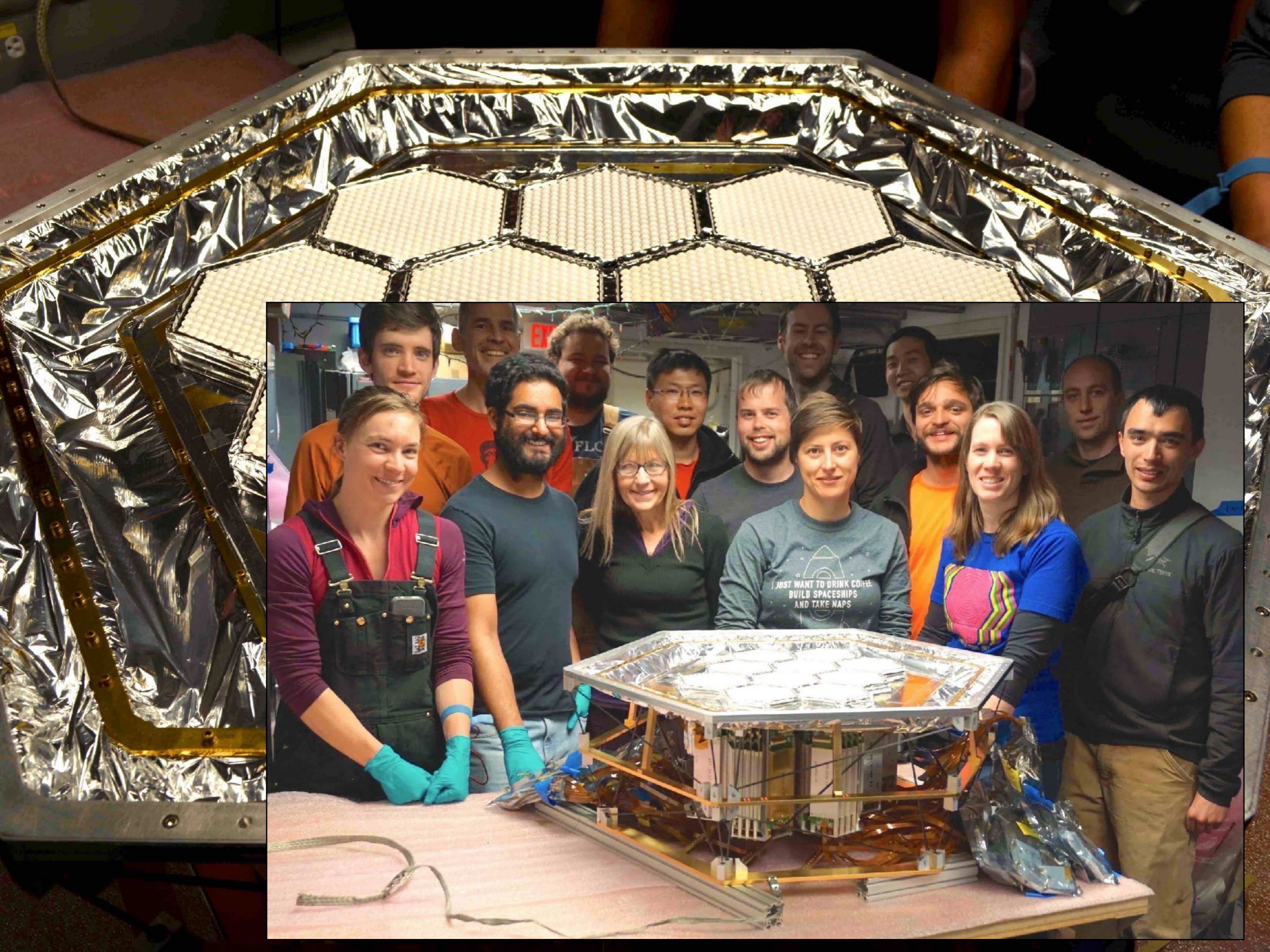
~16,000 detectors
95, 150, 220 GHz
+Polarization

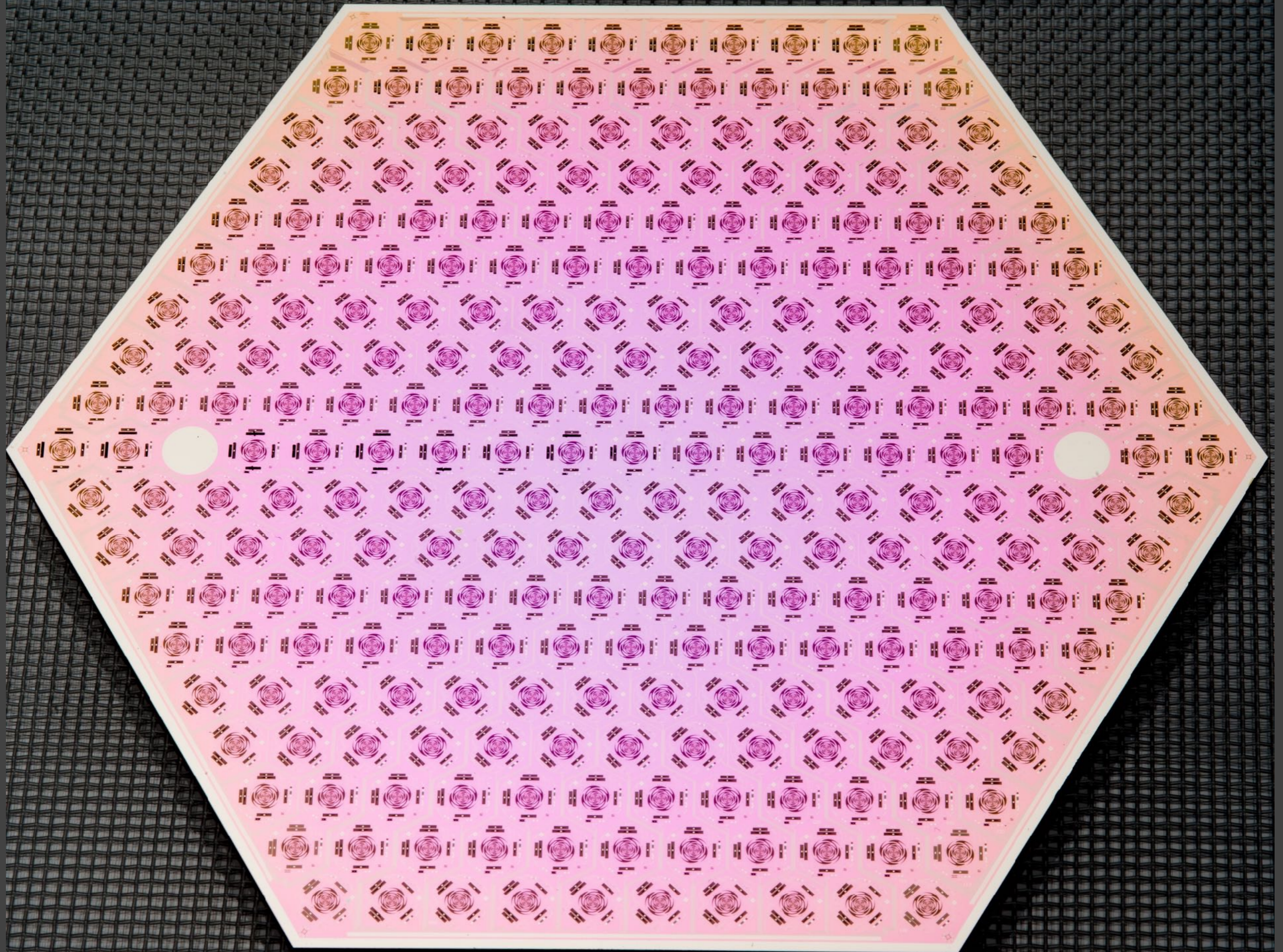


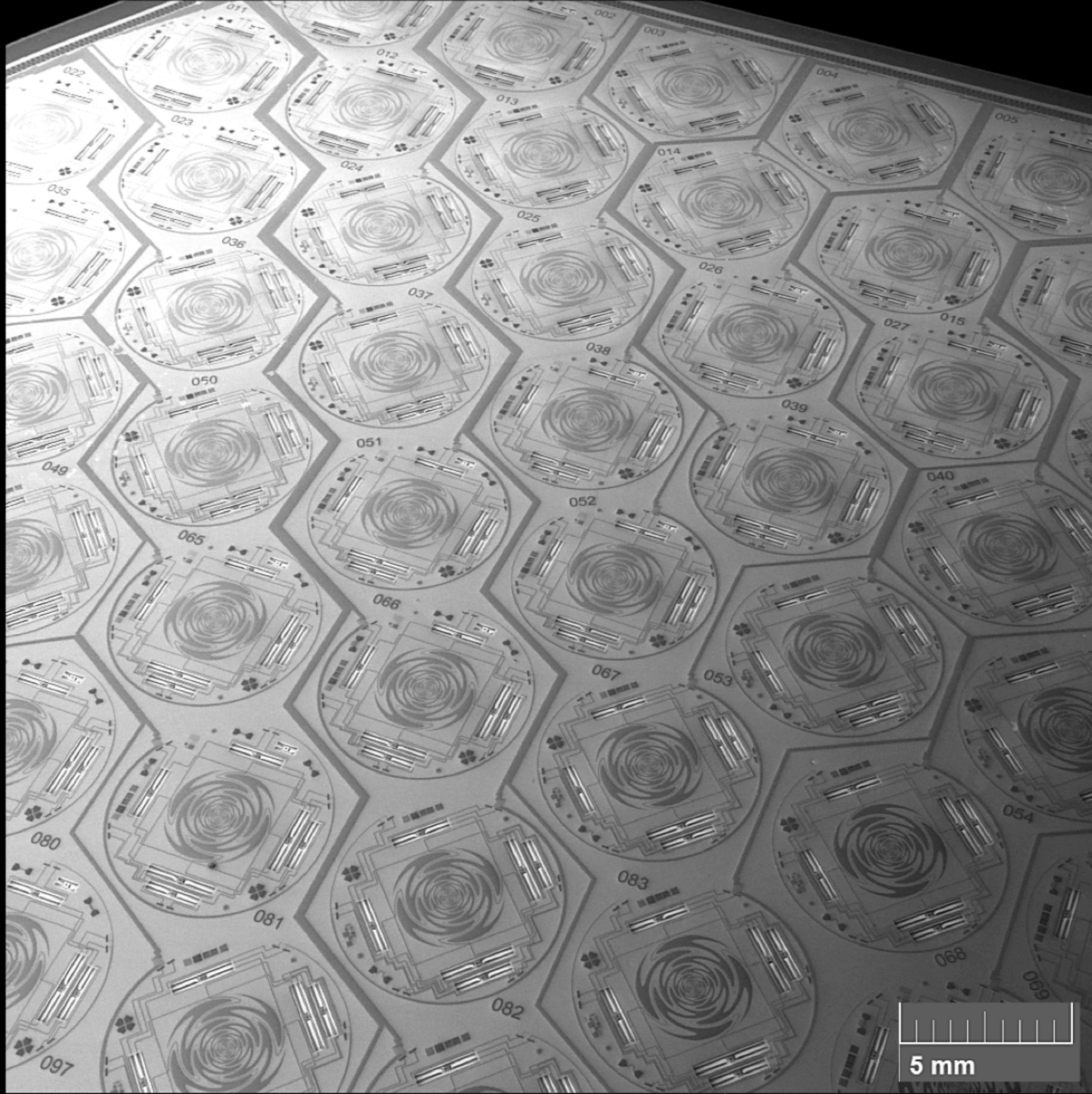
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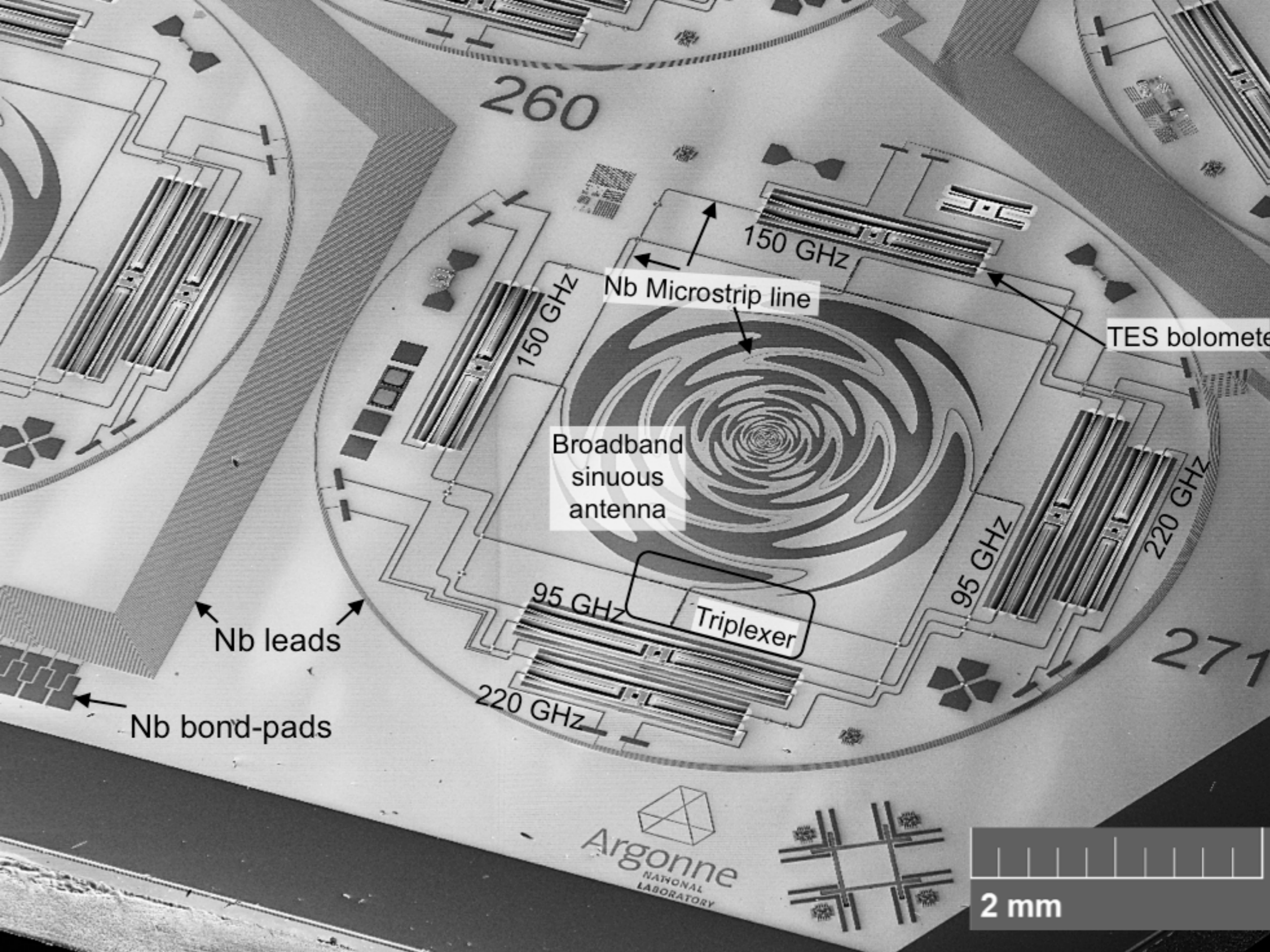












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Broadband sinuous antenna

Nb Microstrip line

TES bolometer

150 GHz

150 GHz

95 GHz

220 GHz

95 GHz

Triplexer

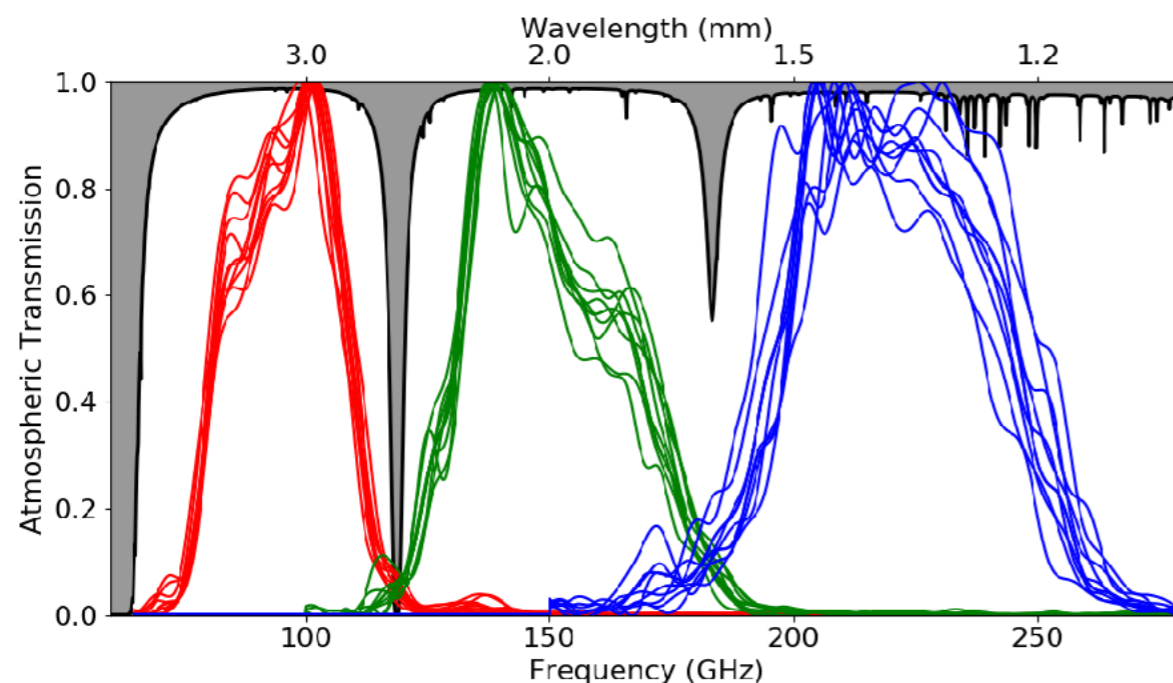
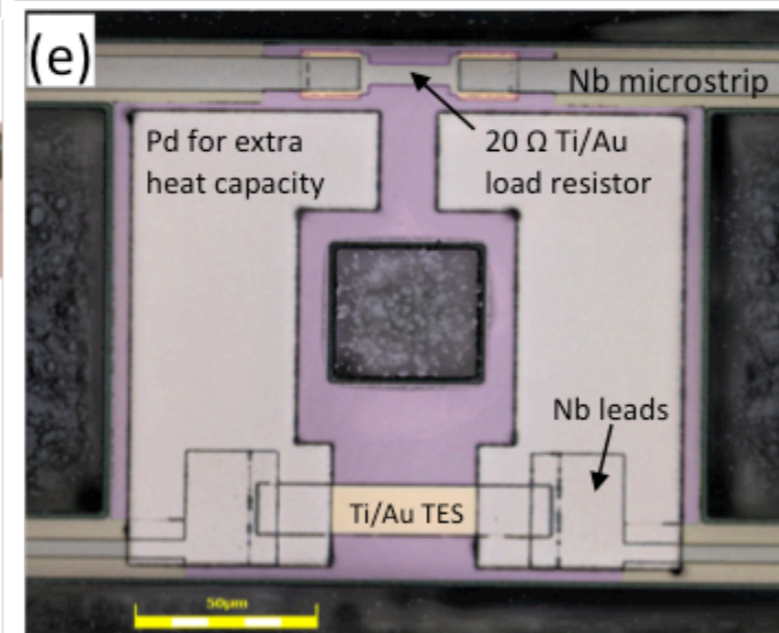
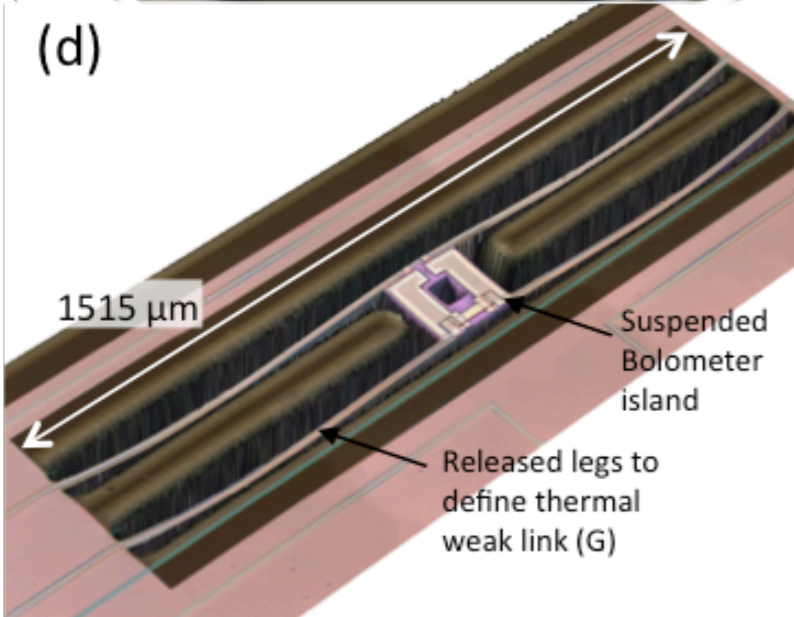
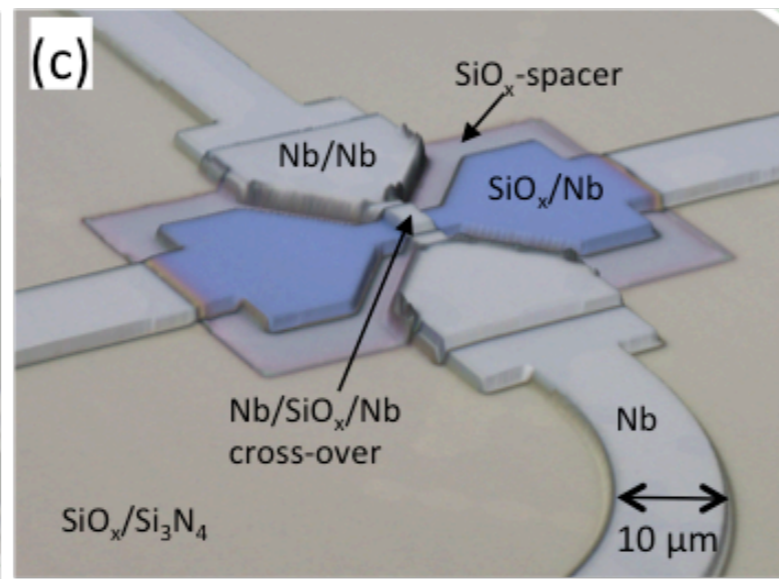
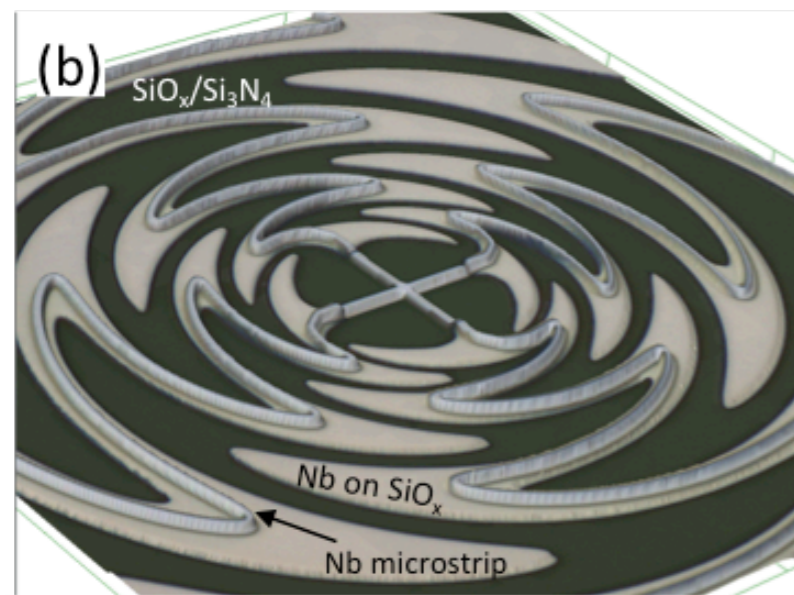
220 GHz

Nb leads

Nb bond-pads

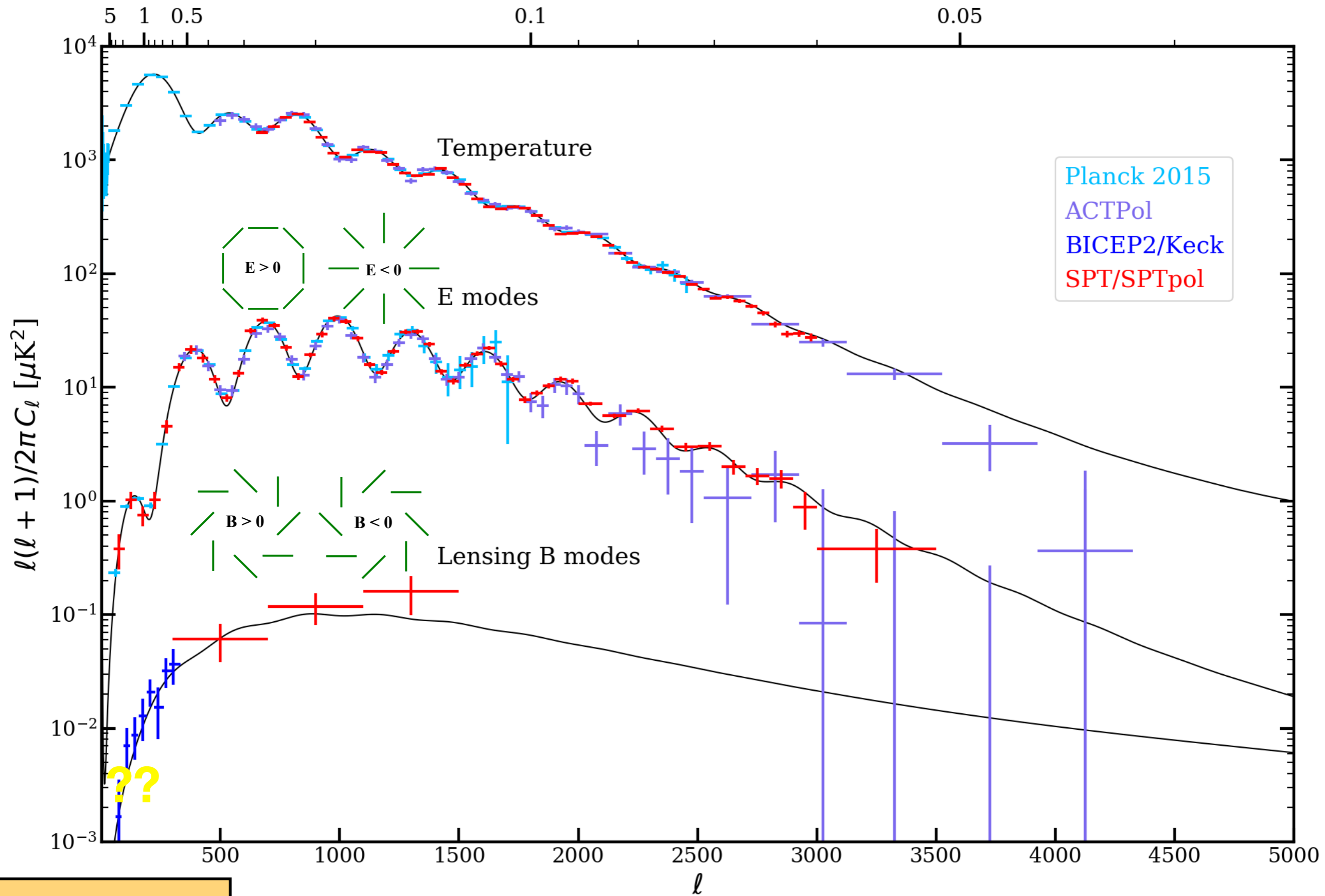
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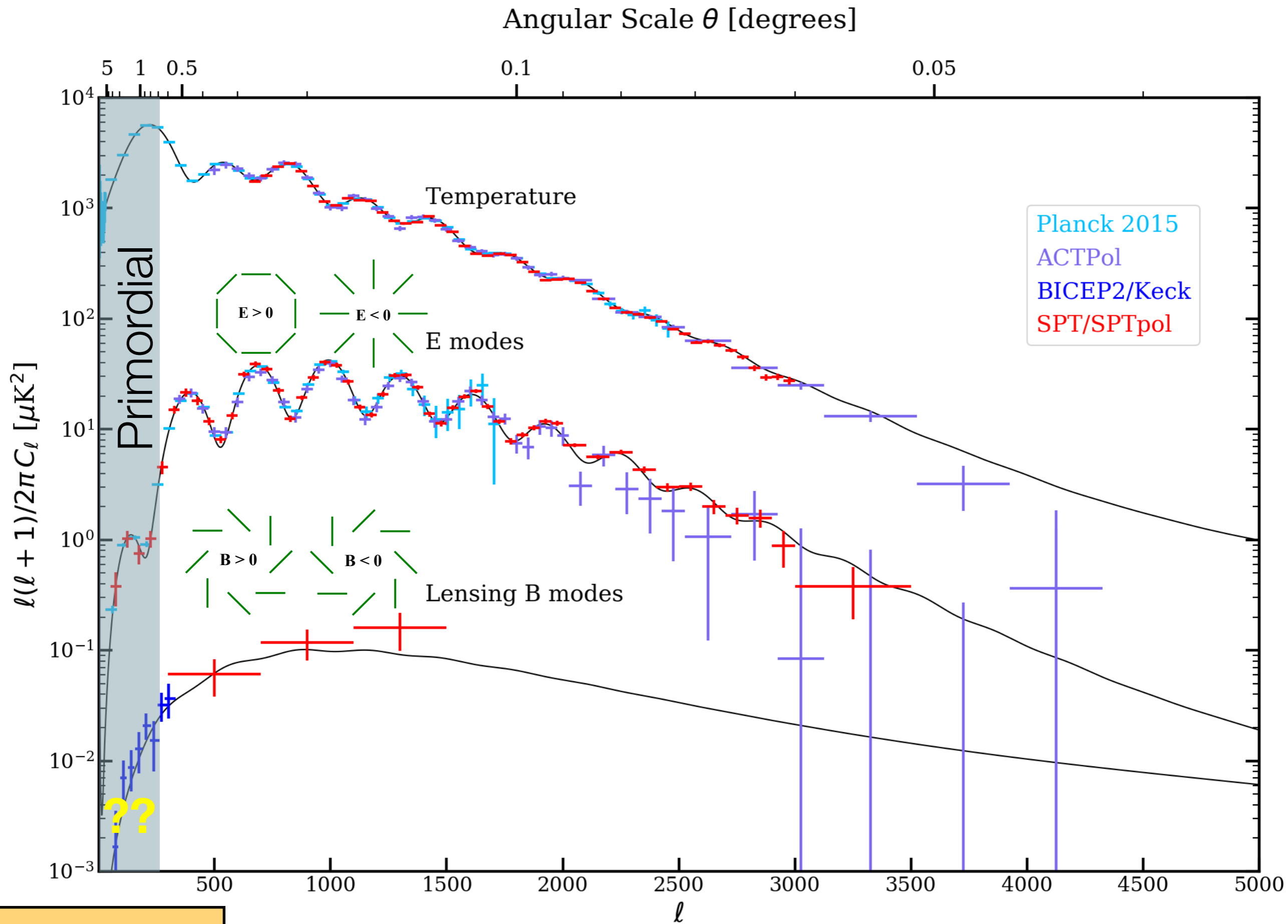


1. Antenna couples to free space radiation field. Separates polarizations
2. Transition to low loss superconducting microstrip.
3. Cross-overs manage topology.
4. Triplexer lumped element filters channelize signal into three bands.
5. Power dissipated on suspended island.
6. Thermally measured by TES. Tune thermal circuit to manage feedback stability.

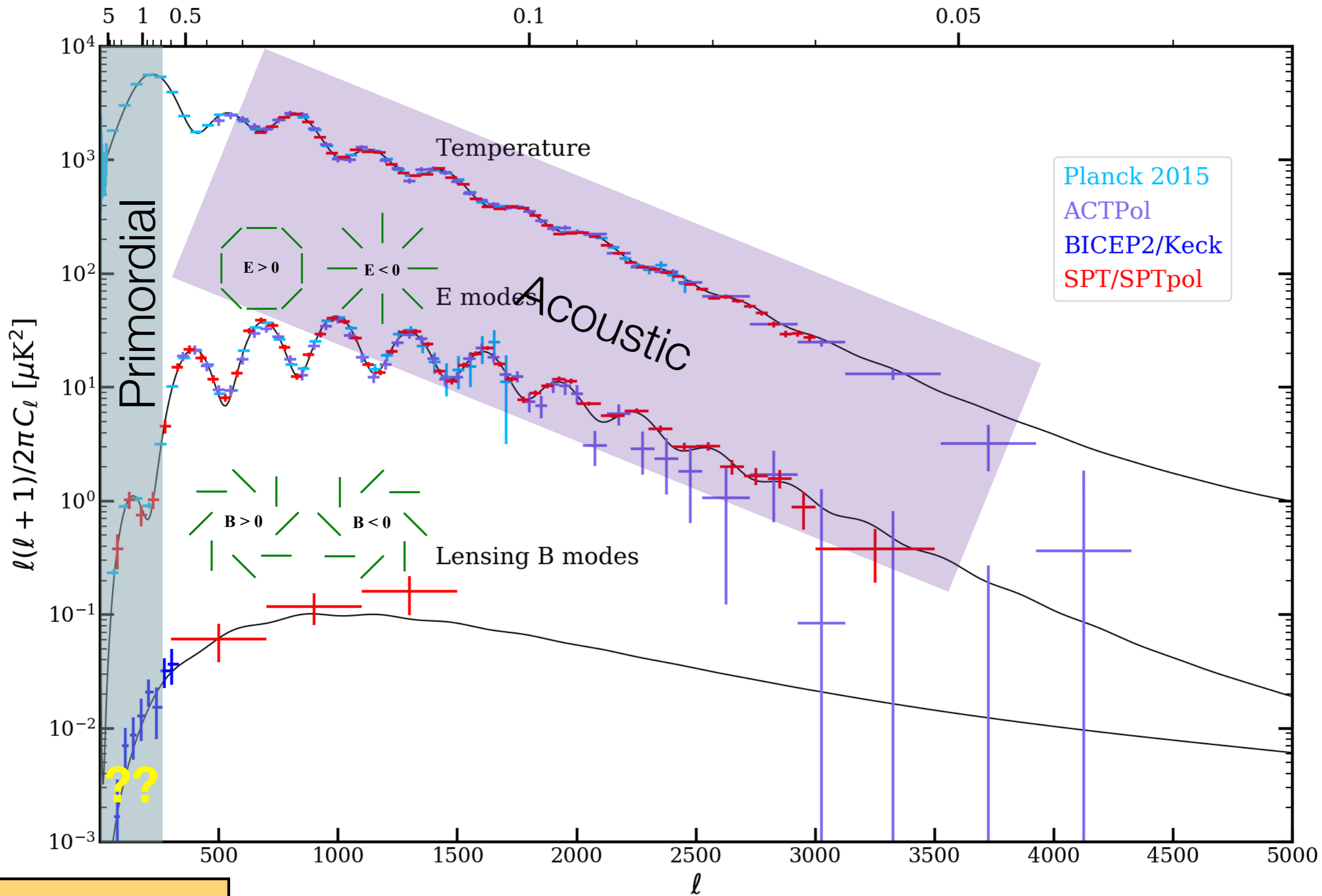
Angular Scale θ [degrees]



Inflation?

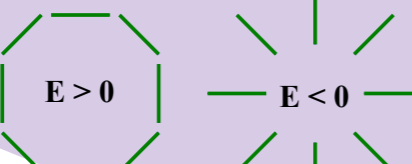


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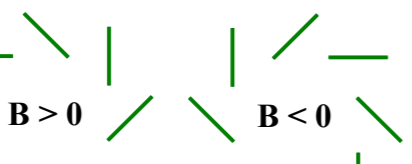


Primordial

Temperature

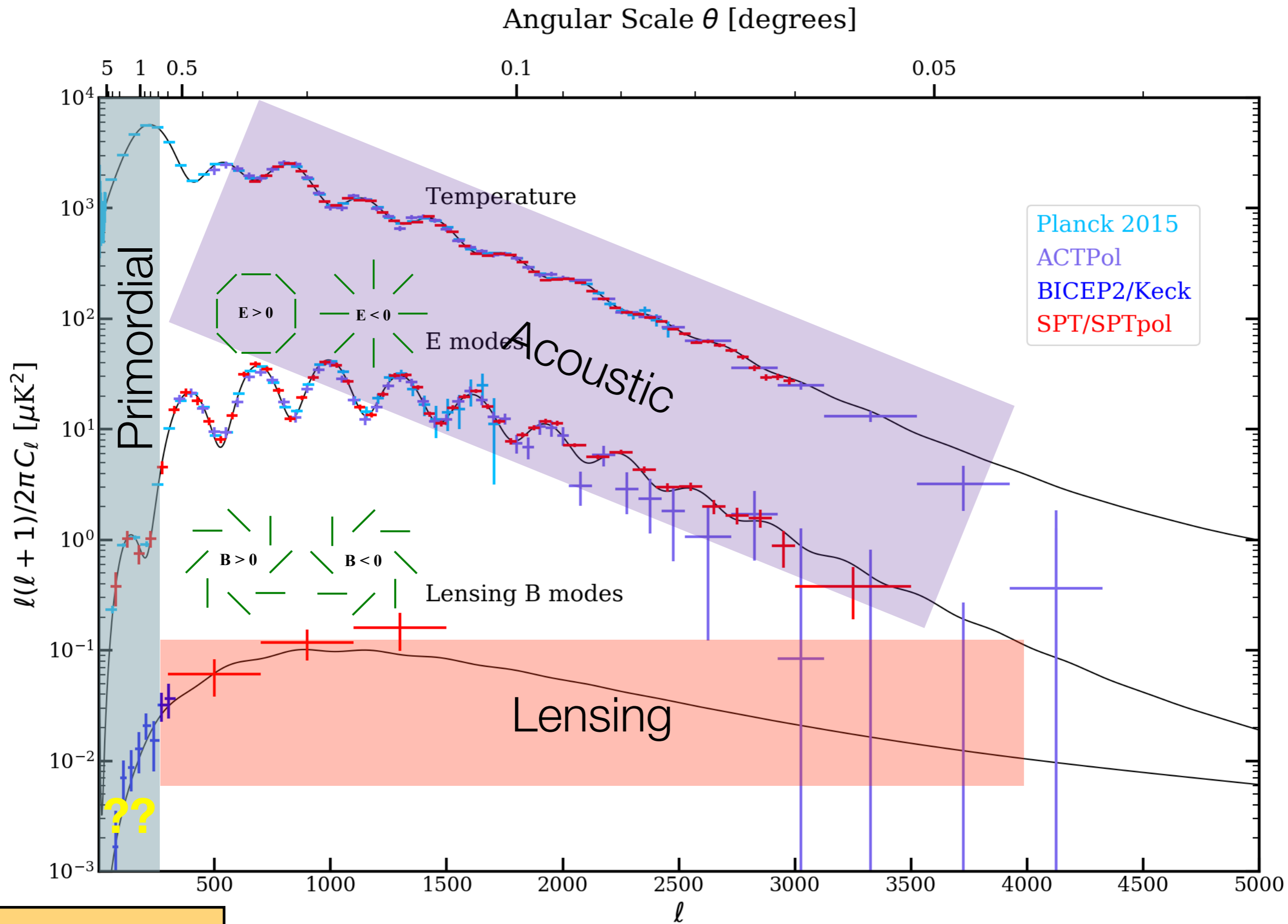


Acoustic

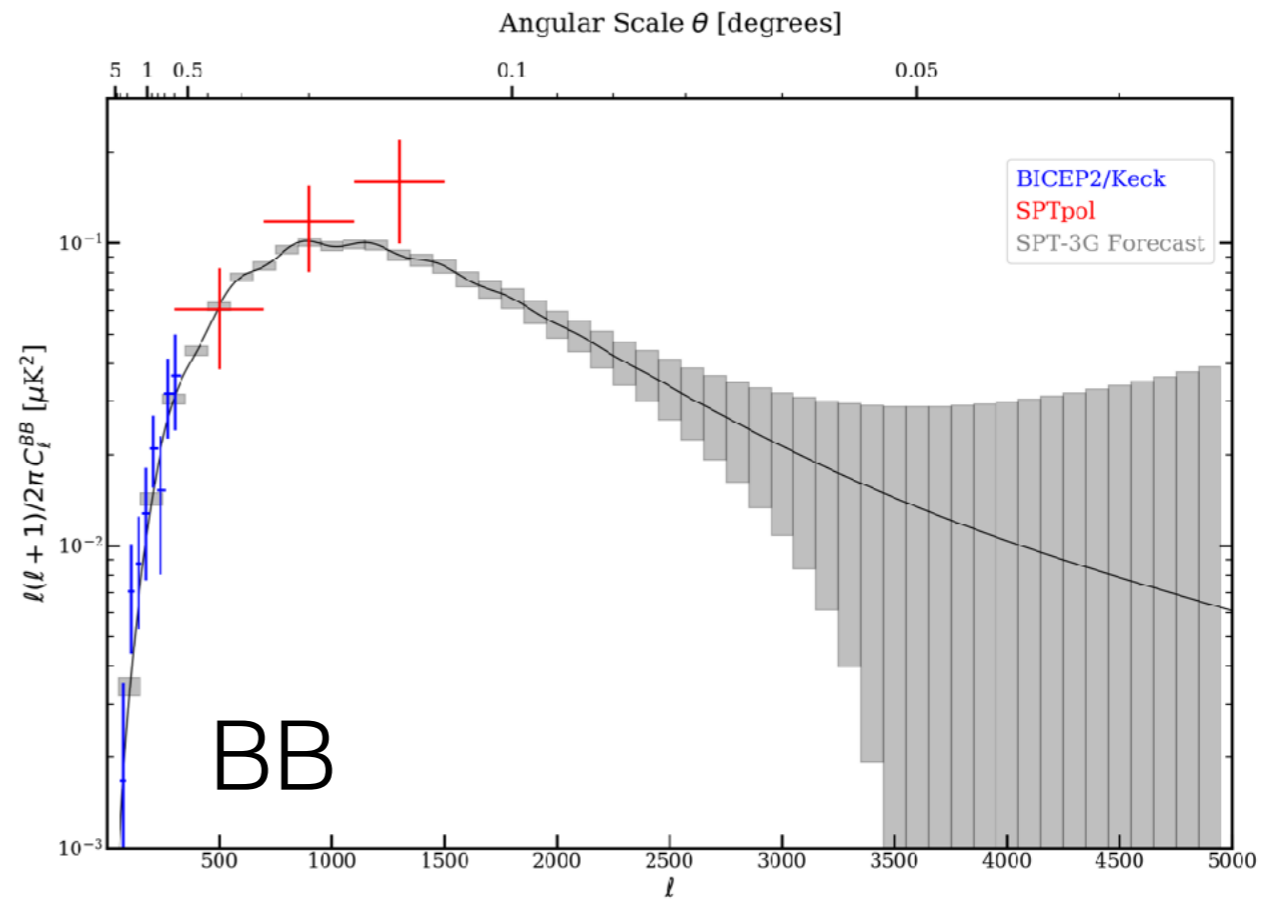
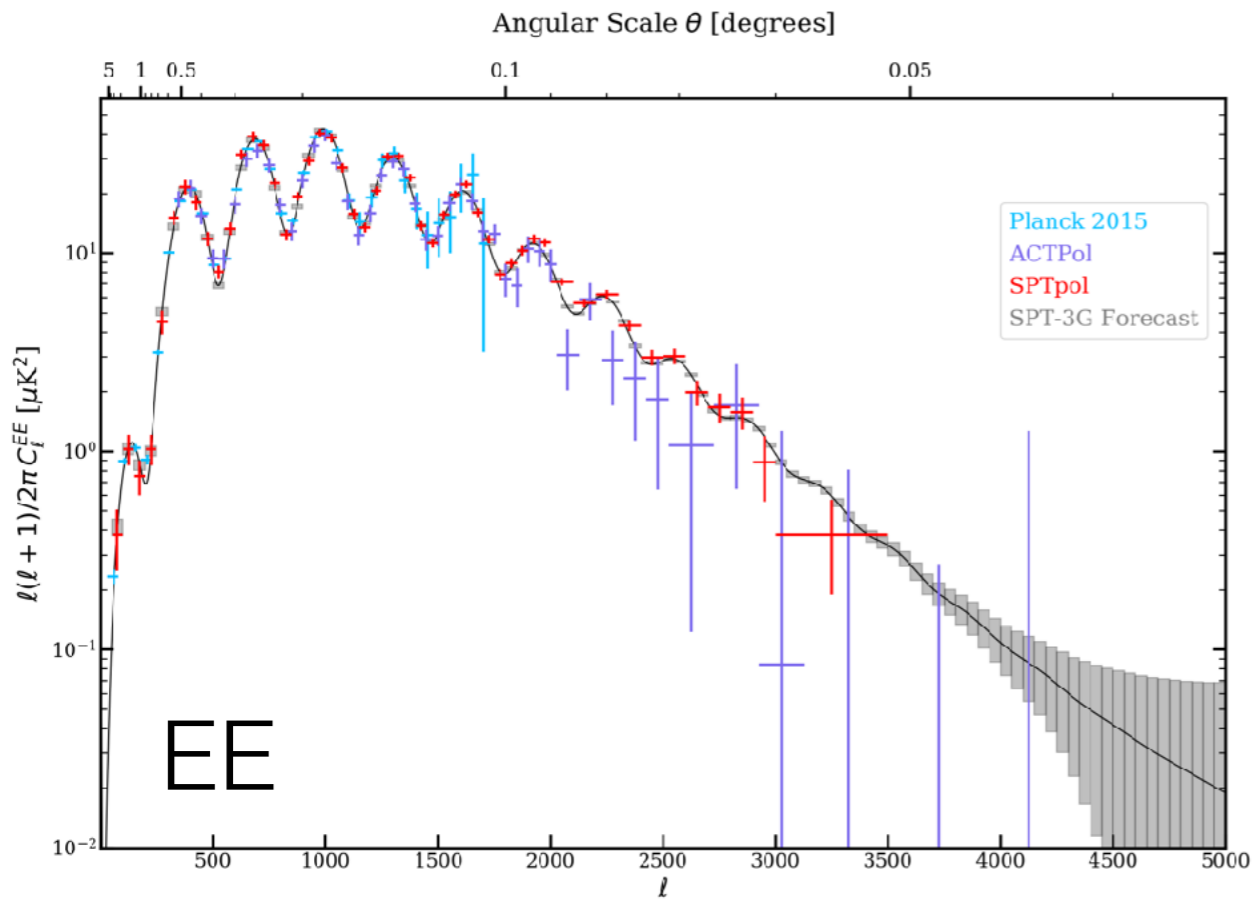


- Planck 2015
- ACTPol
- BICEP2/Keck
- SPT/SPTpol

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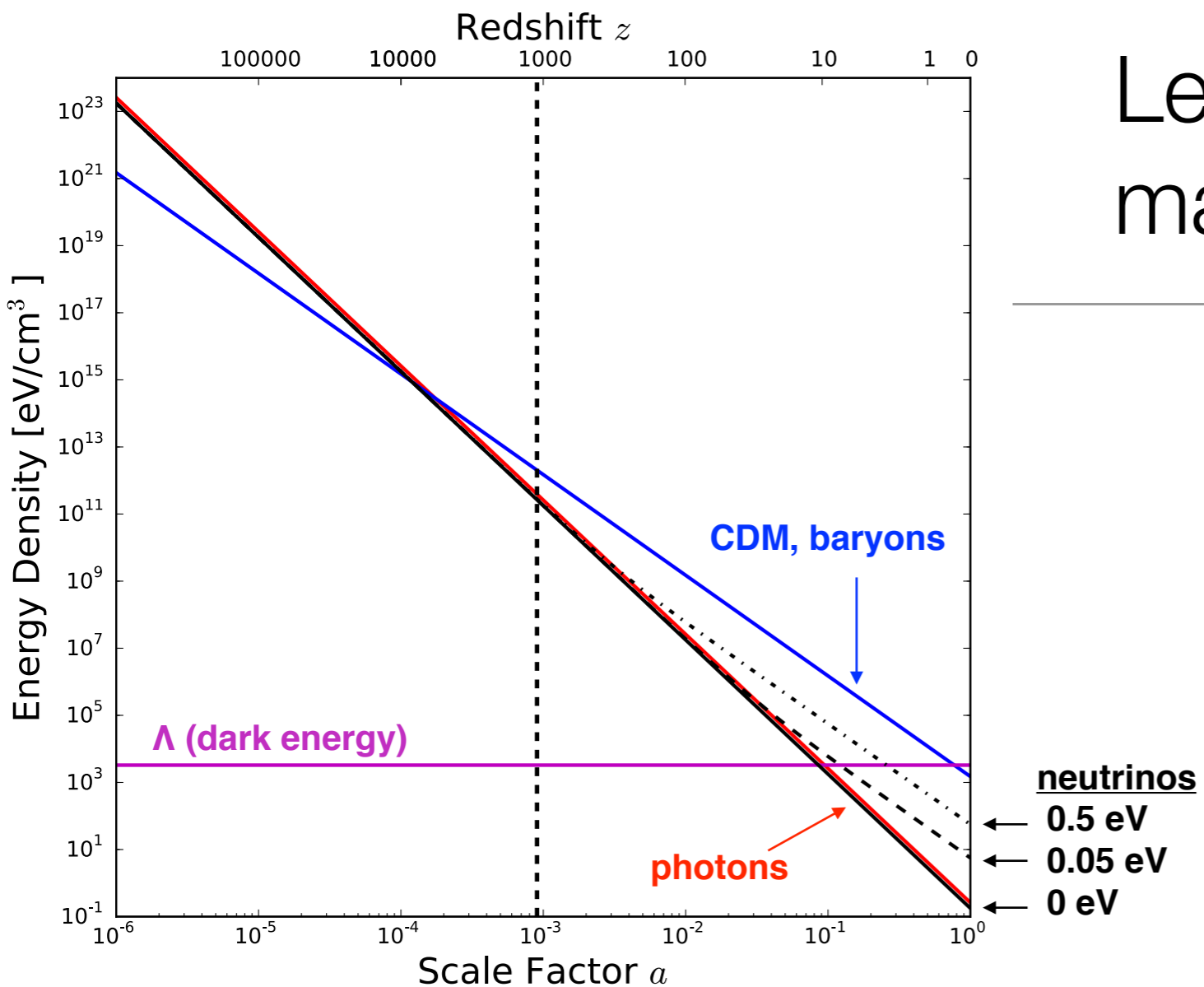
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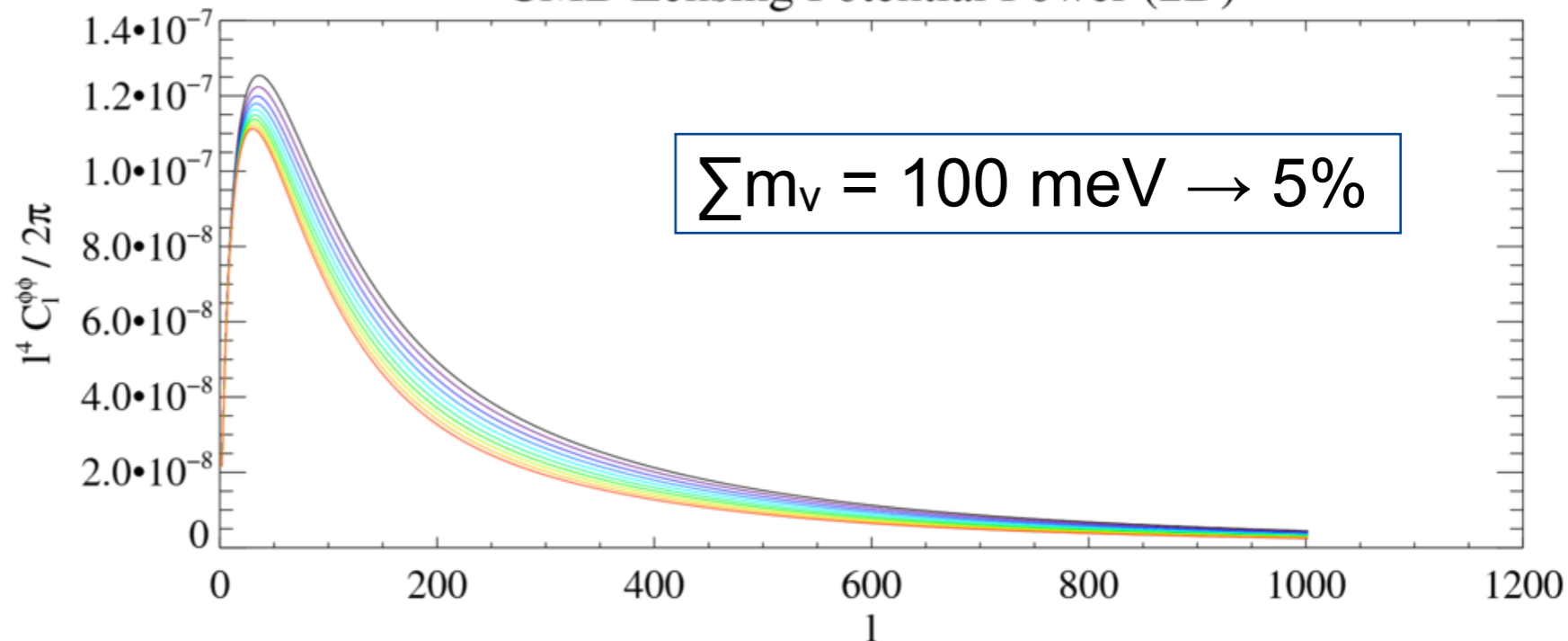
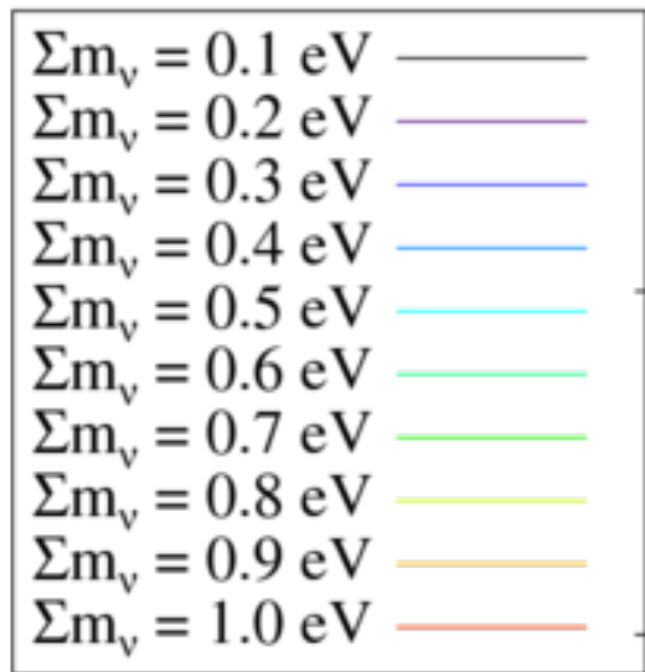
- Primordial features - inflation
- Acoustic features - “dark sector” (light dark matter, new light degrees of freedom)
- Lensing features - measures large scale structure, neutrino mass

Lensing and Neutrino mass

- Neutrinos only particle acts as radiation early, (warm, smooth) matter late
- More mass slows down structure formation, less lensing

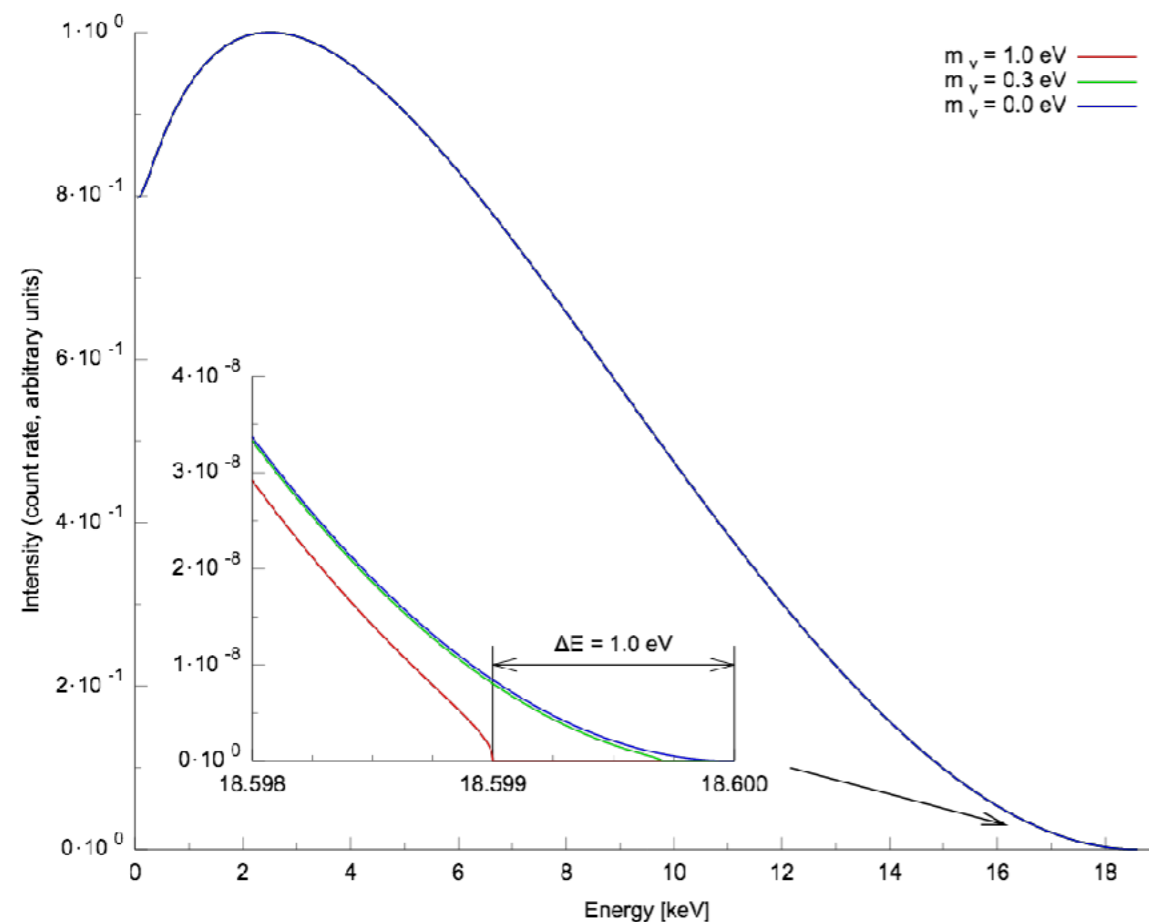
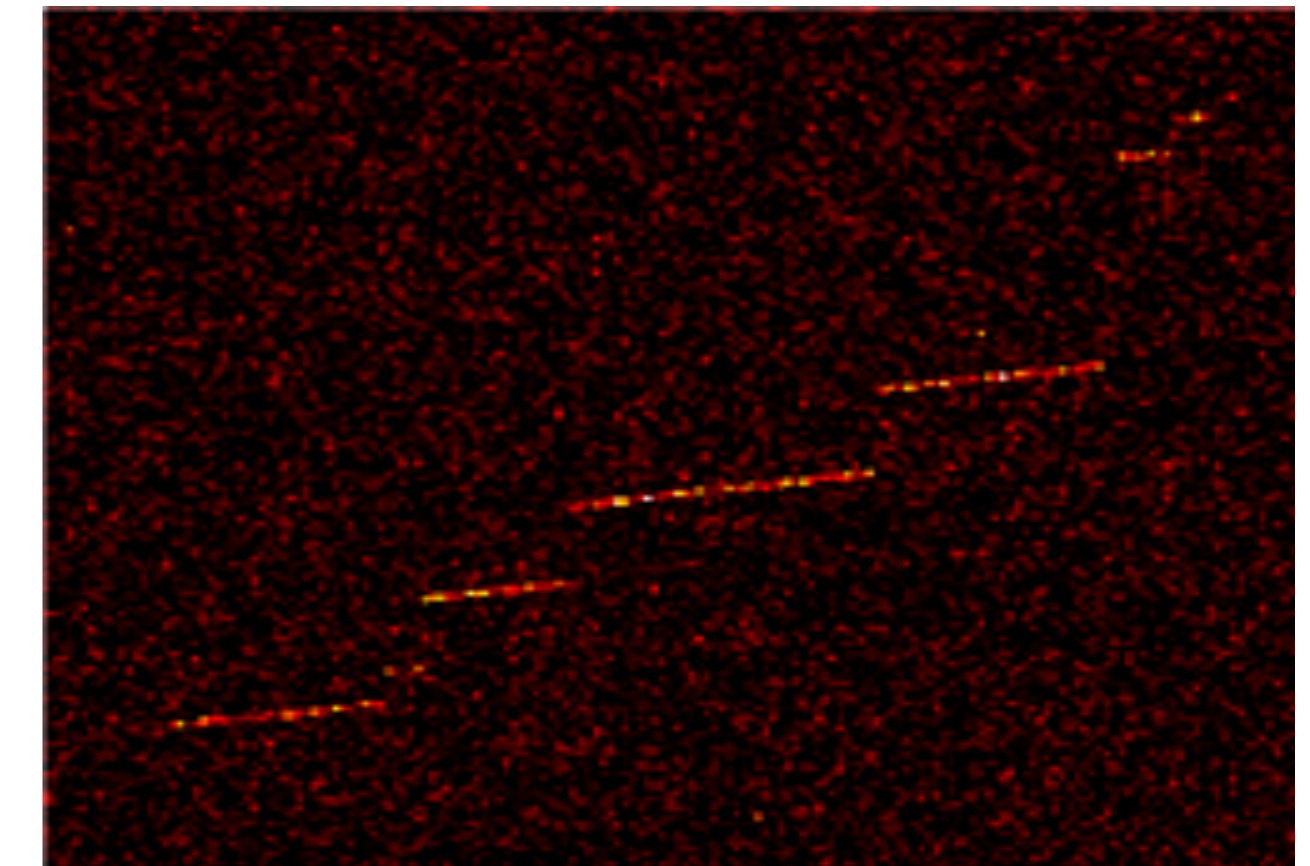


CMB Lensing Potential Power (2D)



Neutrino mass

- Complements measurements of neutrino mass from Tritium end point (beta decay)



Fermion mass mechanisms

$$L = -m\bar{\psi}\psi + h.c.$$

Dirac mass

$$L = -m\bar{\psi}_R\psi_L - m\bar{\psi}_L\psi_R + h.c.$$

Majorana mass

$$L = m\overline{(\psi_R)^C}\psi_R + h.c.$$

$(\psi_R)^C \leftarrow$ Charge conjugate

Charged particle cannot have Majorana mass.

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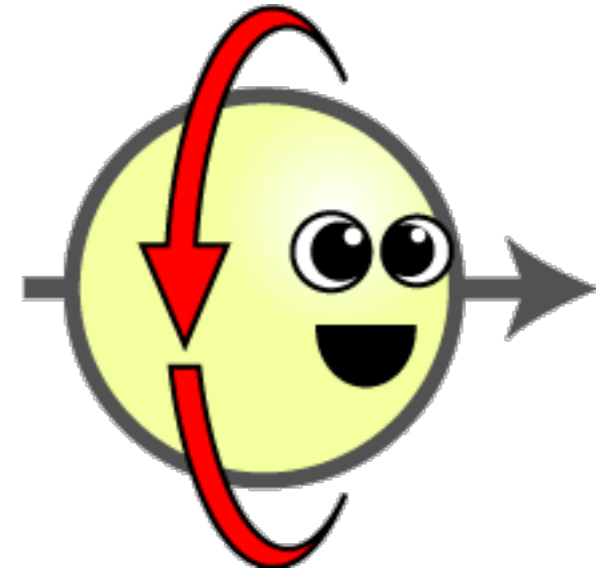
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Majorana mass

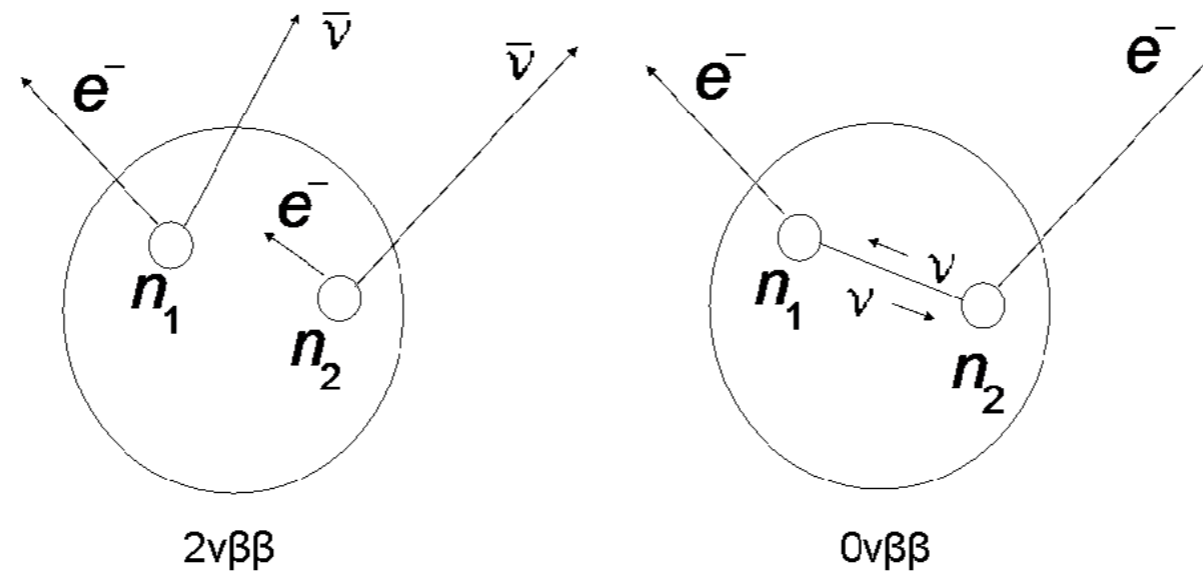
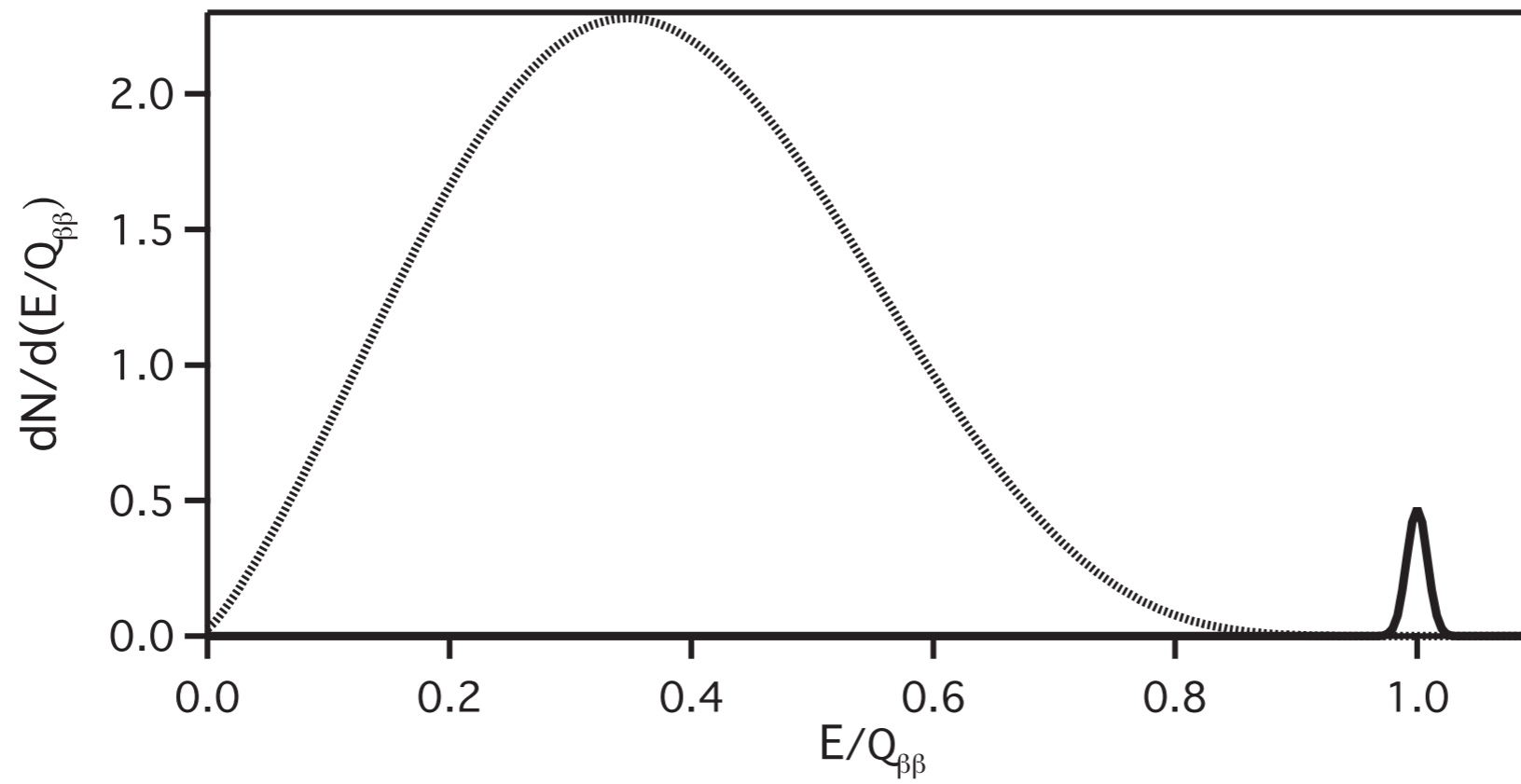
$$L = m(\bar{\psi}_R)^c\psi_R + h.c.$$

$(\bar{\psi}_R)^c$ ← Charge conjugate

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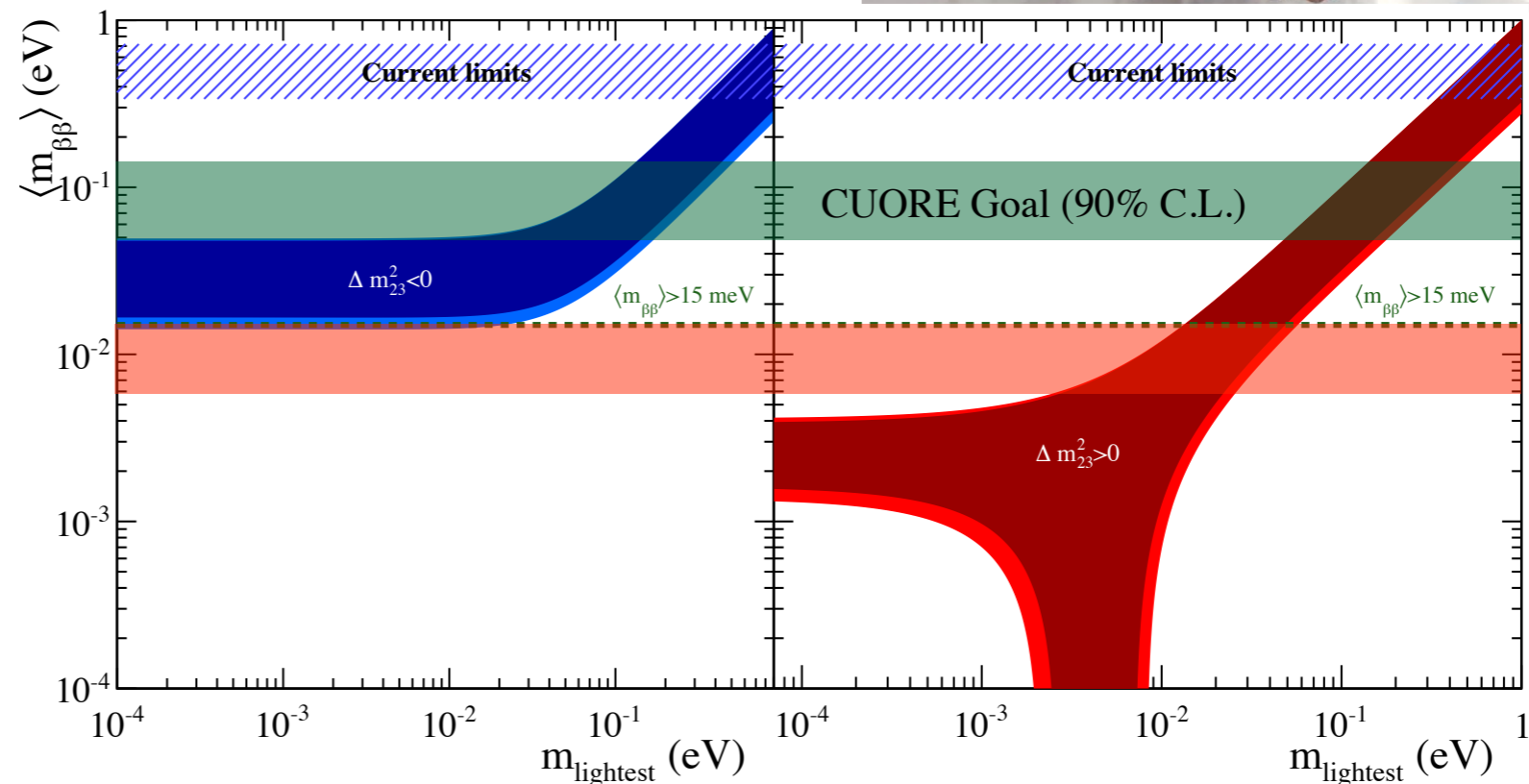
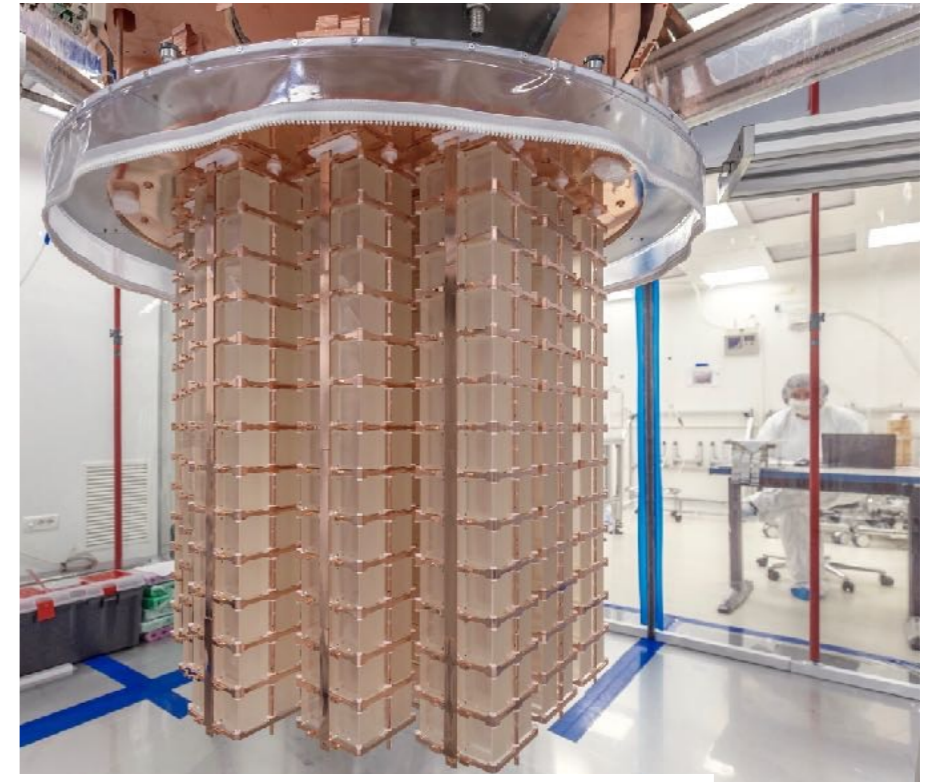


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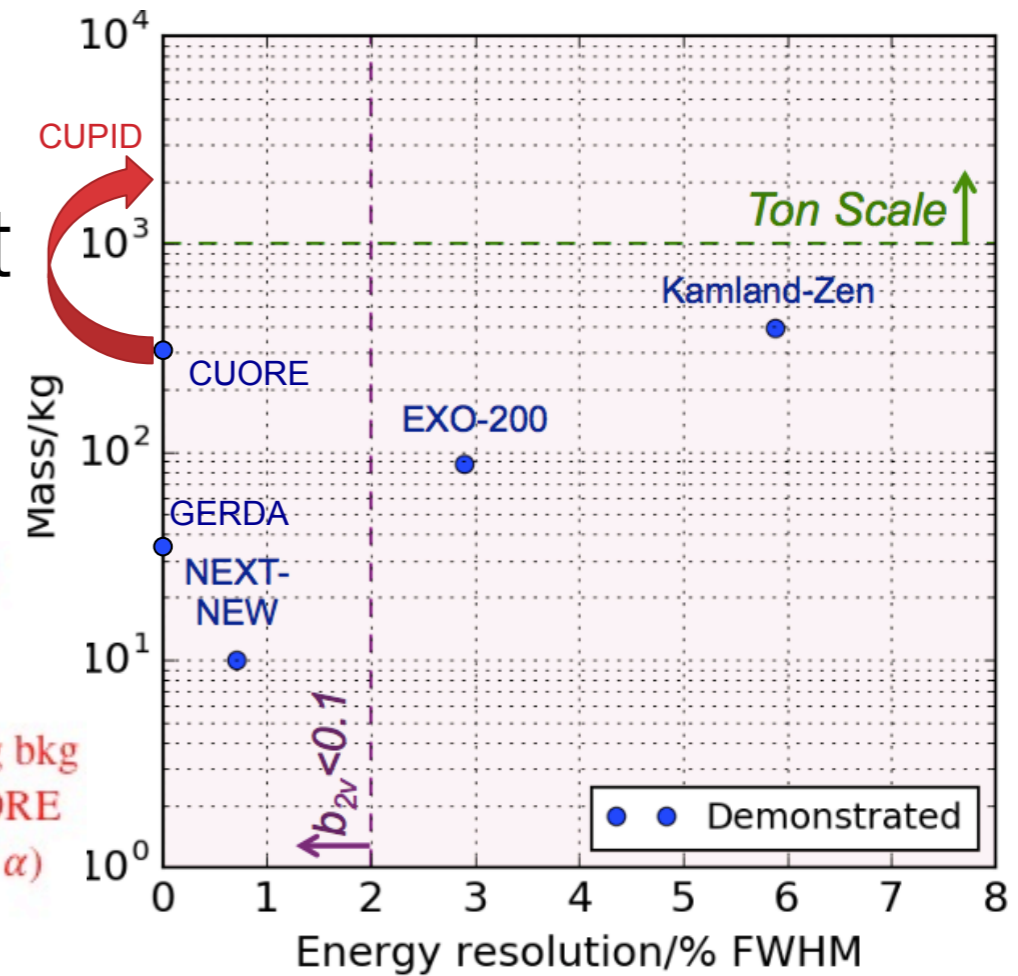
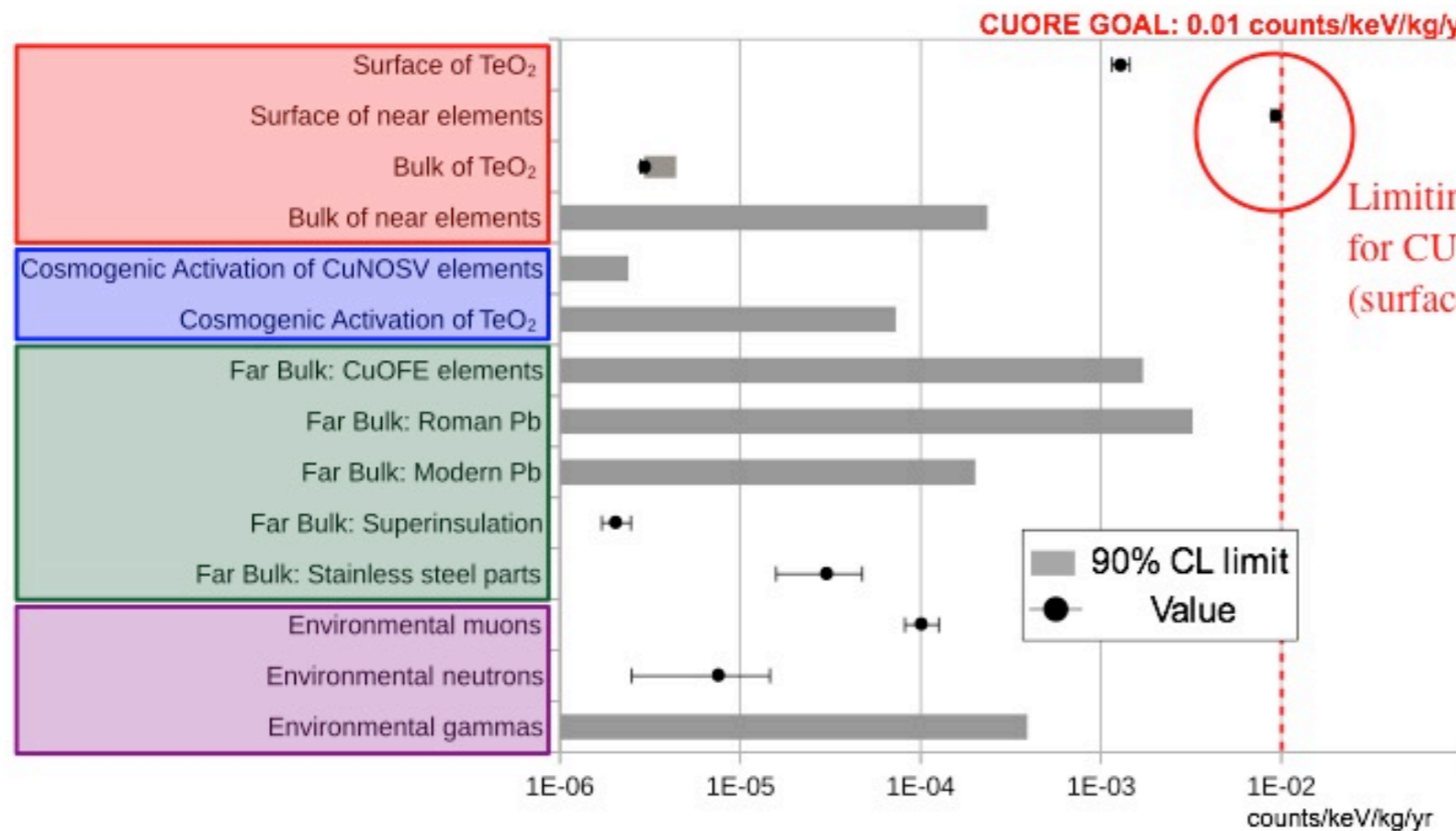
CUPID (CUORE Upgrade with Particle ID)

- CUORE (currently operating)
 - ~1 ton of TeO_2 cooled to ~6 mK
- CUPID upgrade targets inverted hierarchy

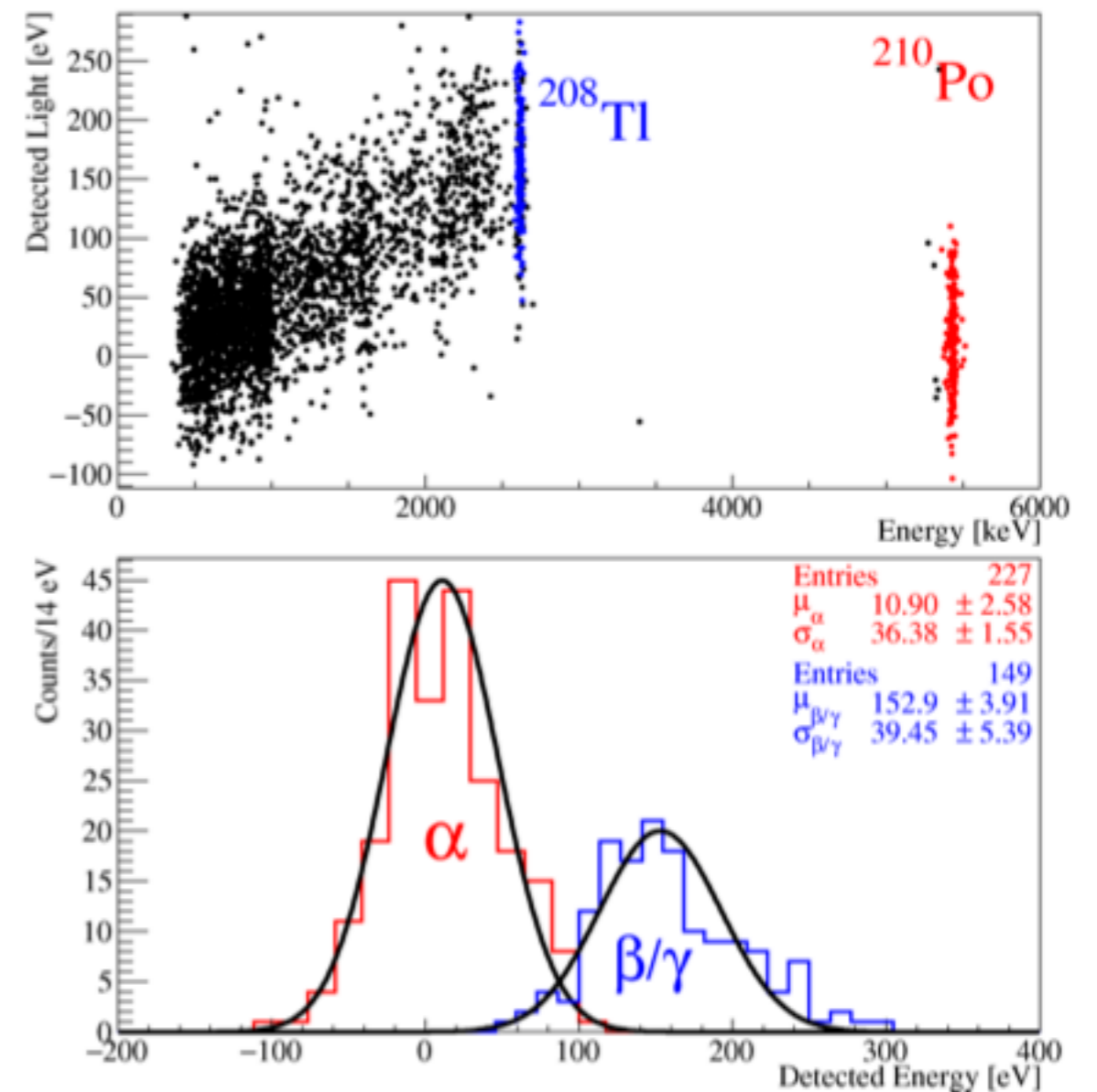
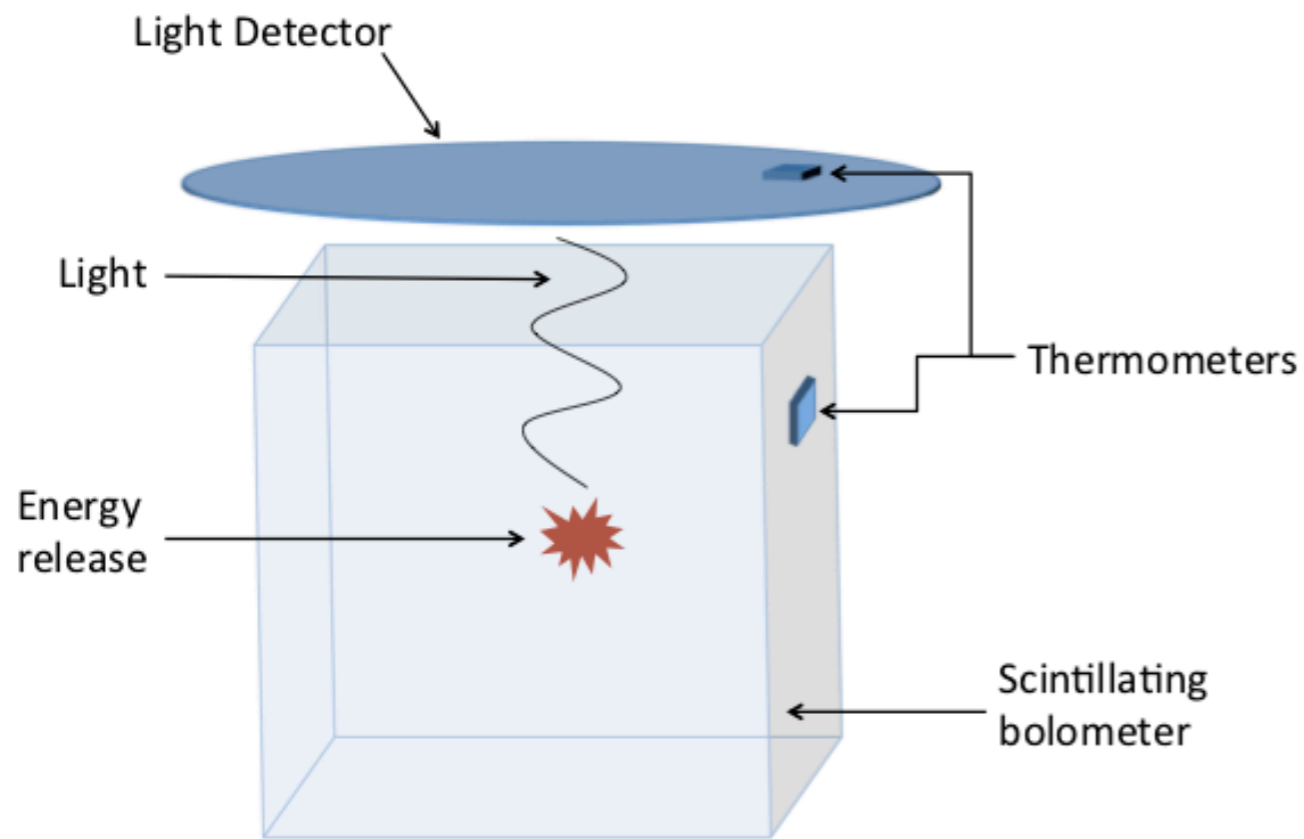


Background rejection is critical

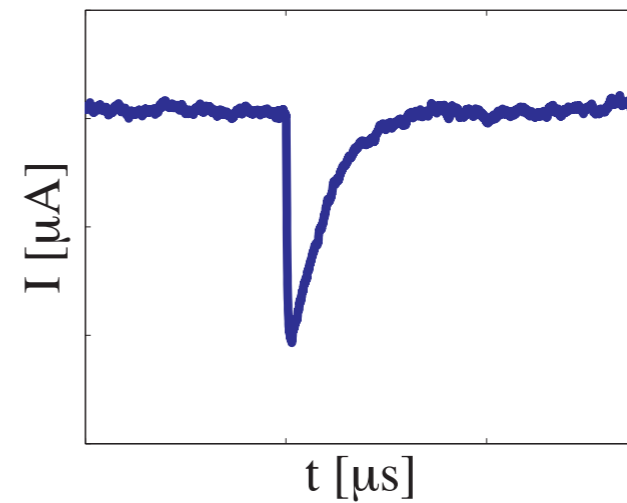
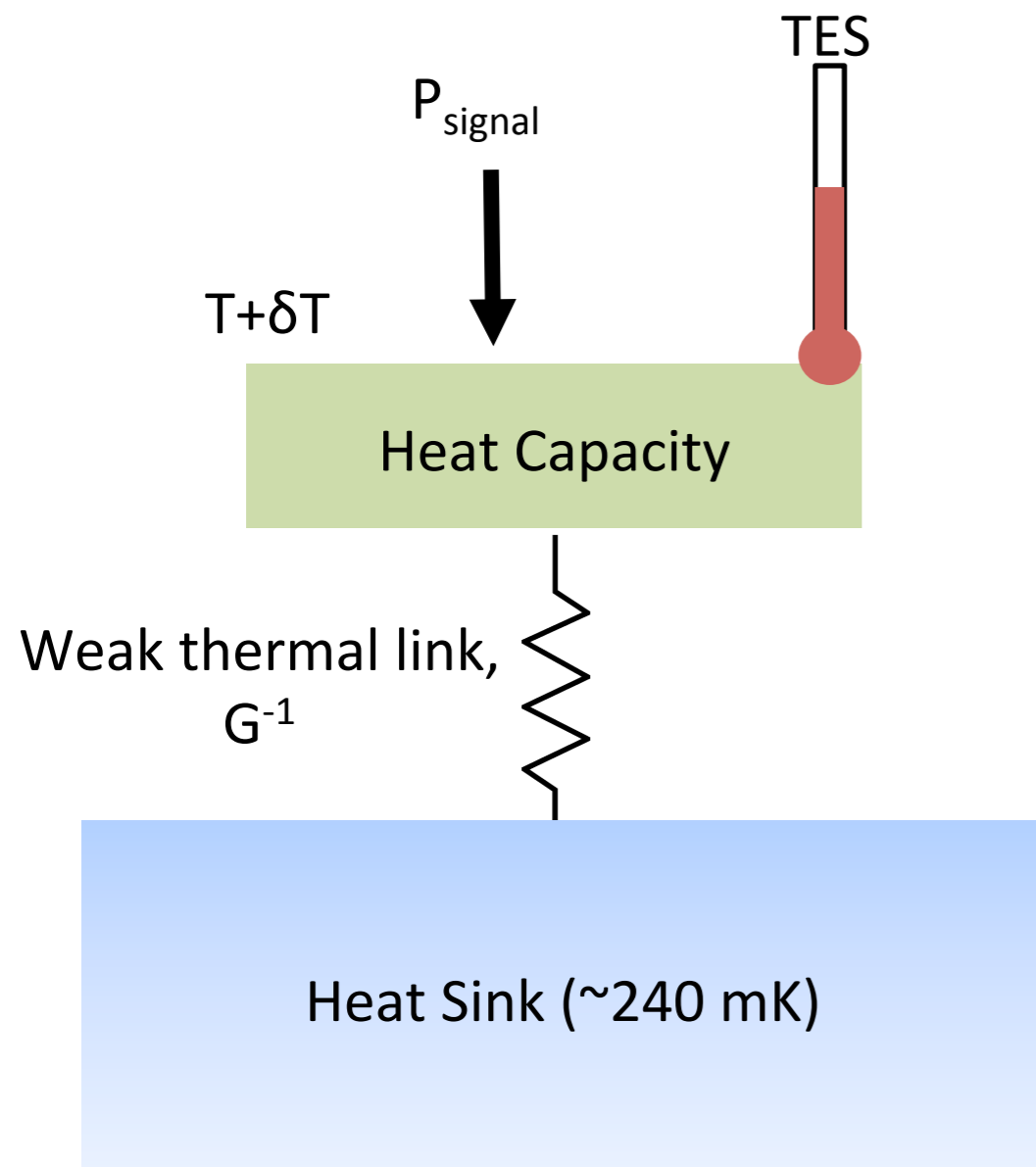
Target enrichment



Discriminate between bulk and surface events by measuring Cherenkov light with a 2nd detector

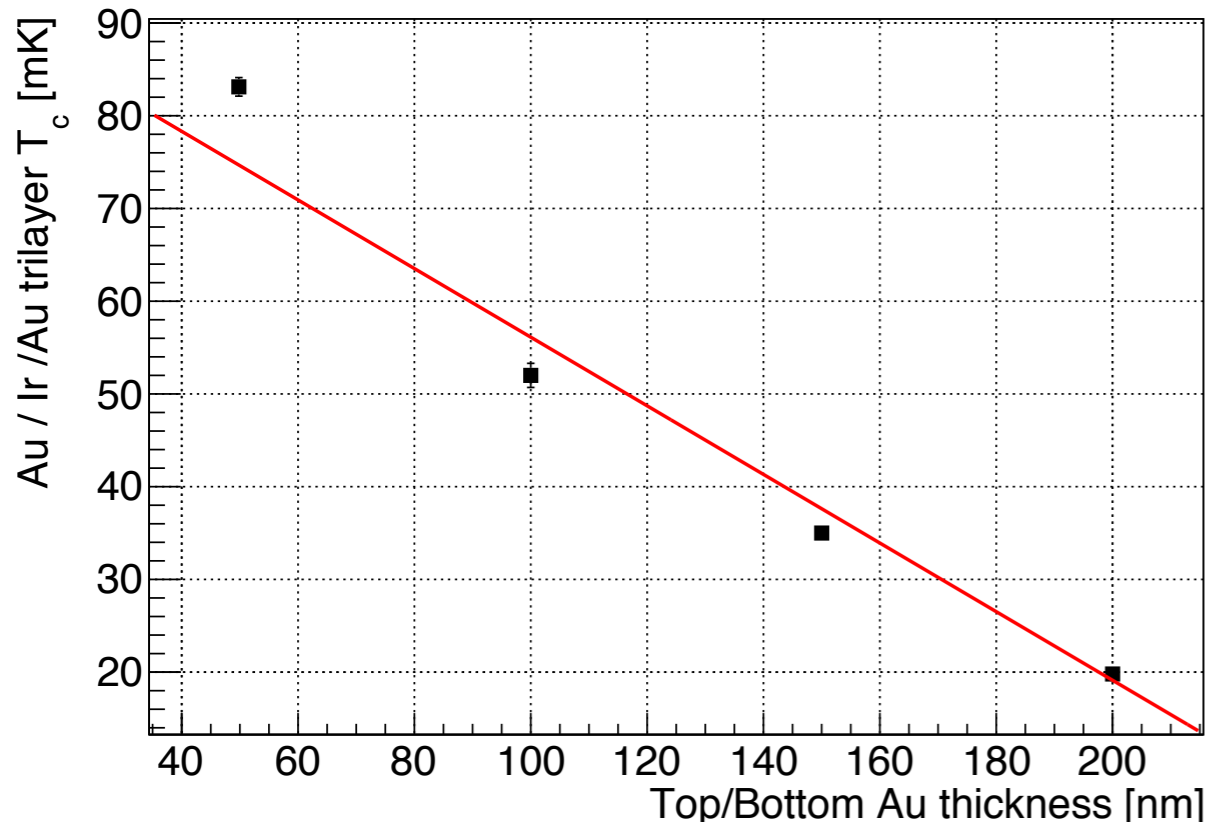
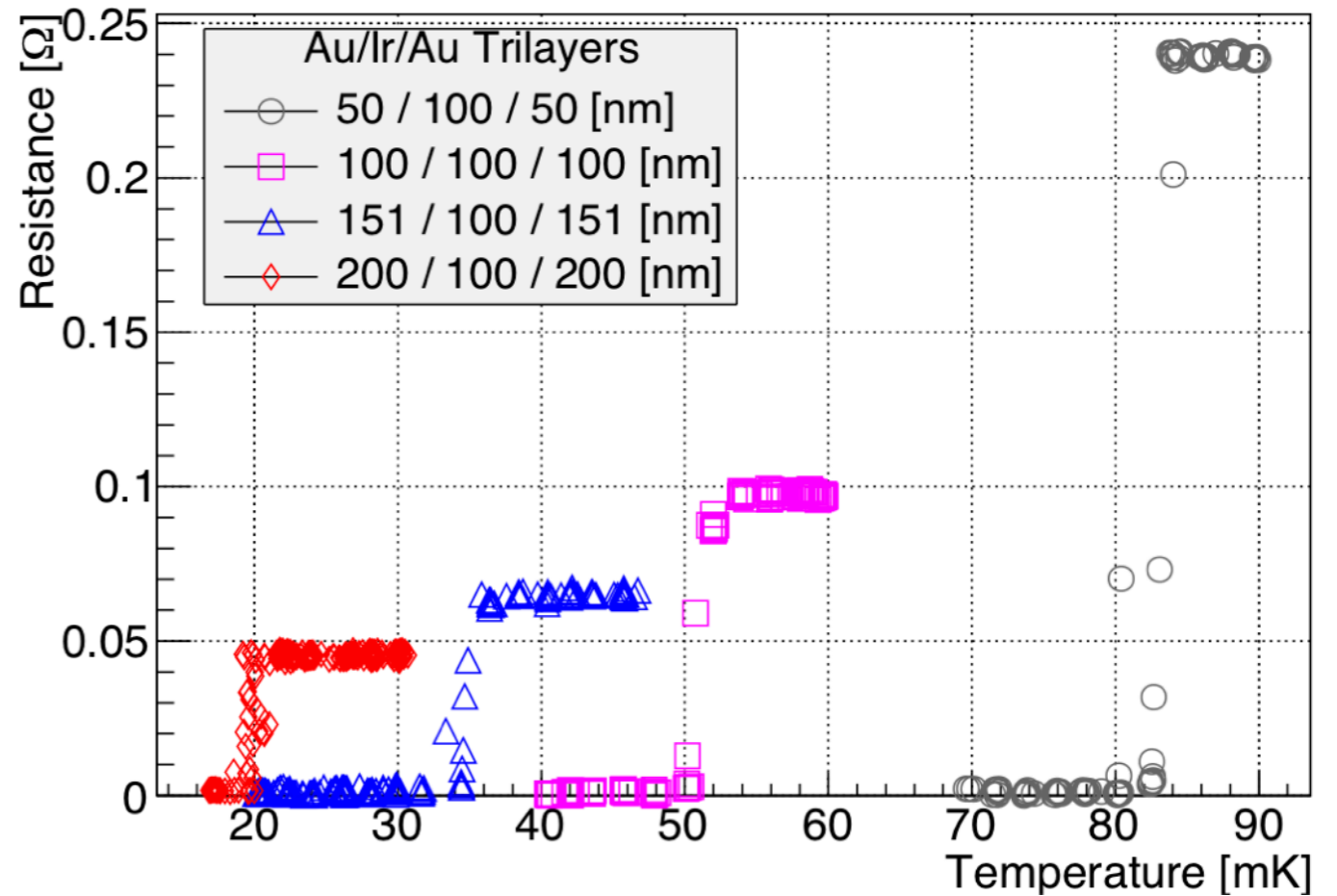
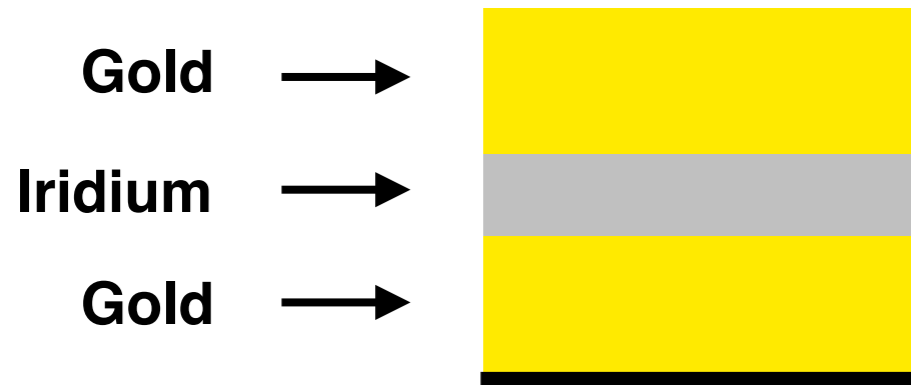


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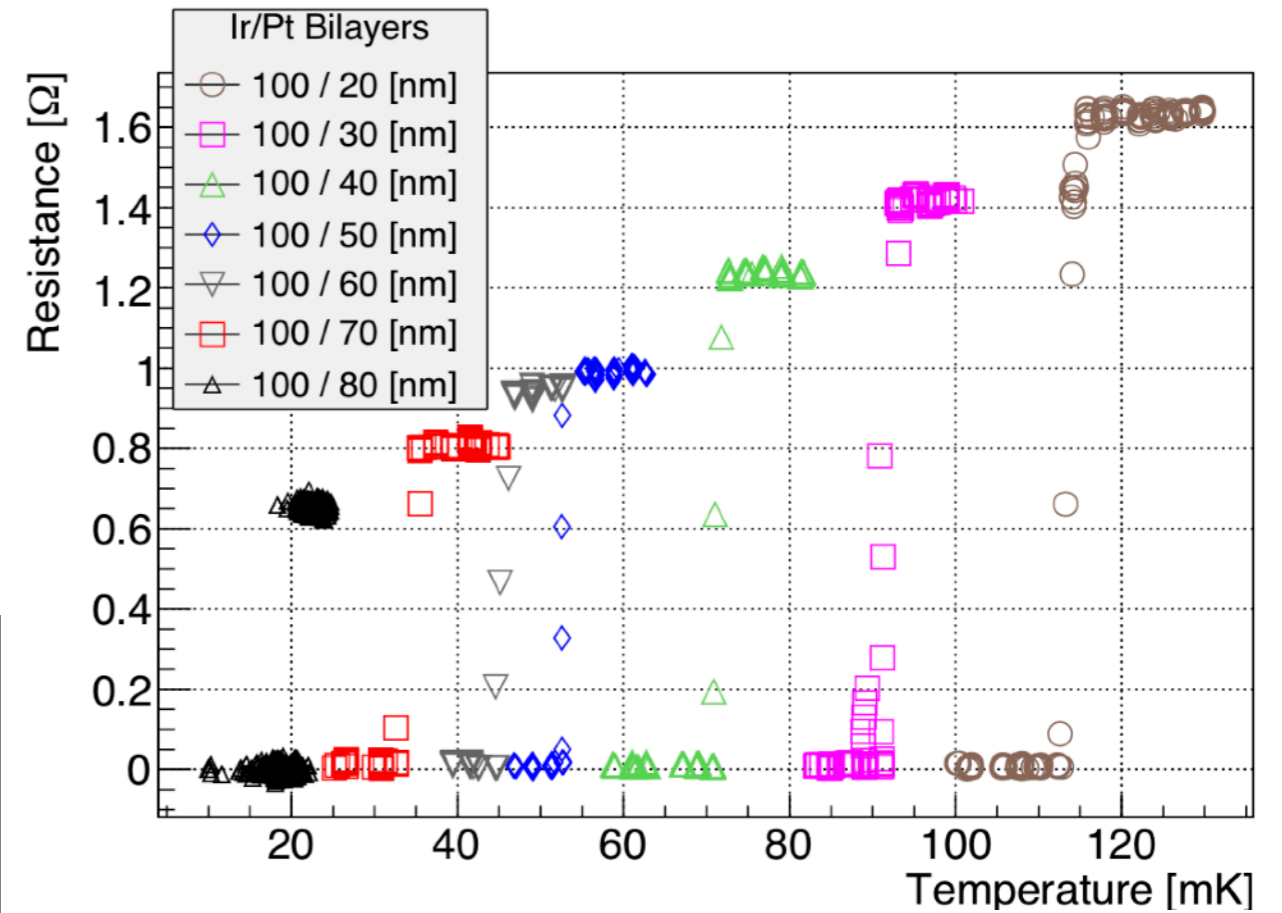
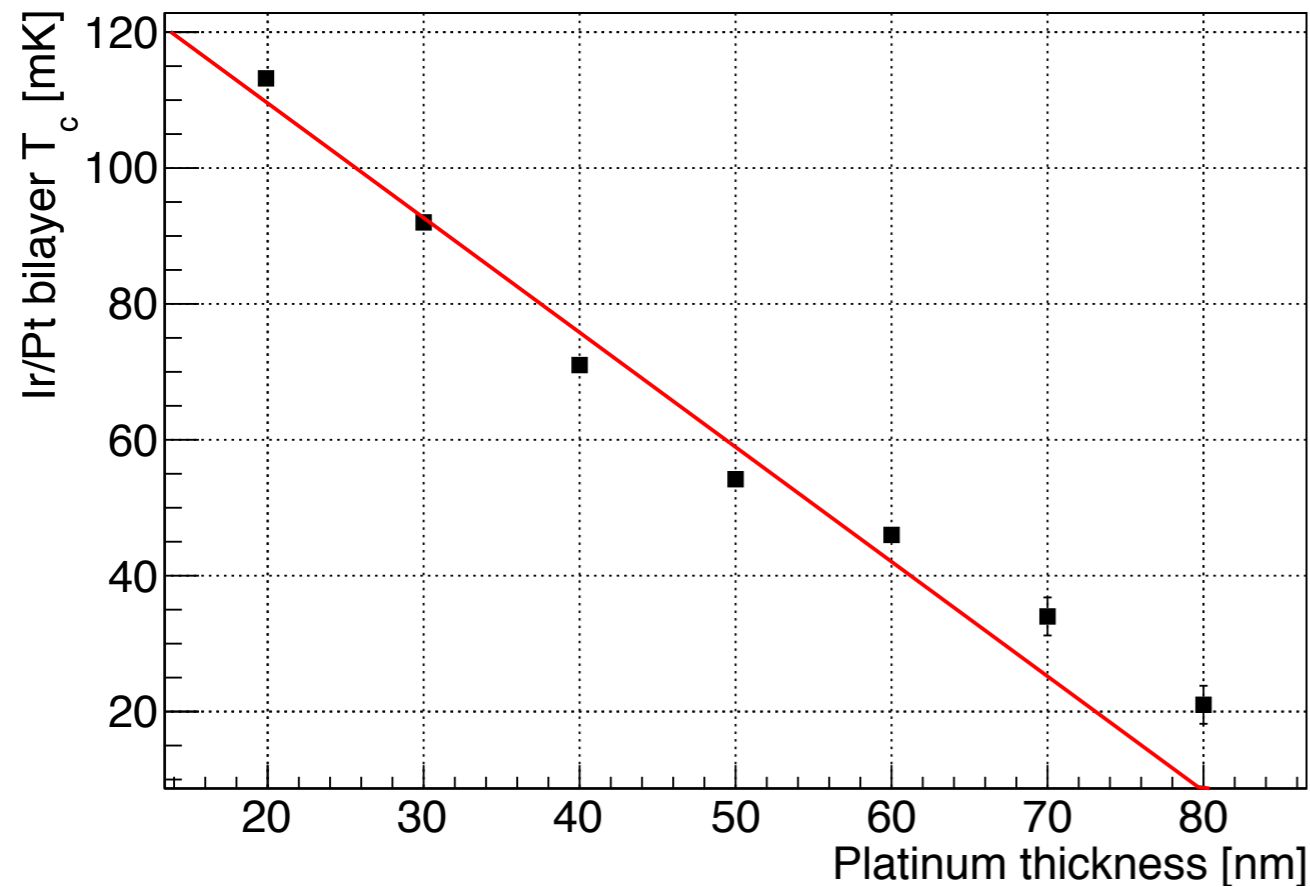
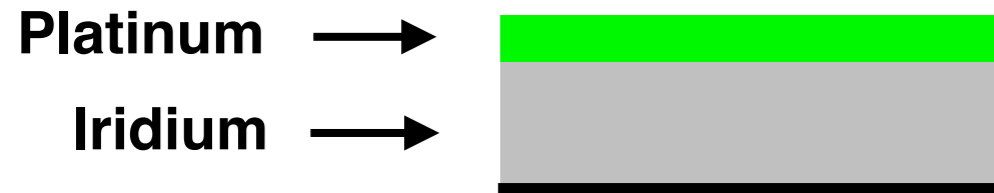


$$\Delta E \propto \int G^{1/2} T \propto C^{1/2} T$$

Tc suppression in Gold/Iridium/Gold Trilayers

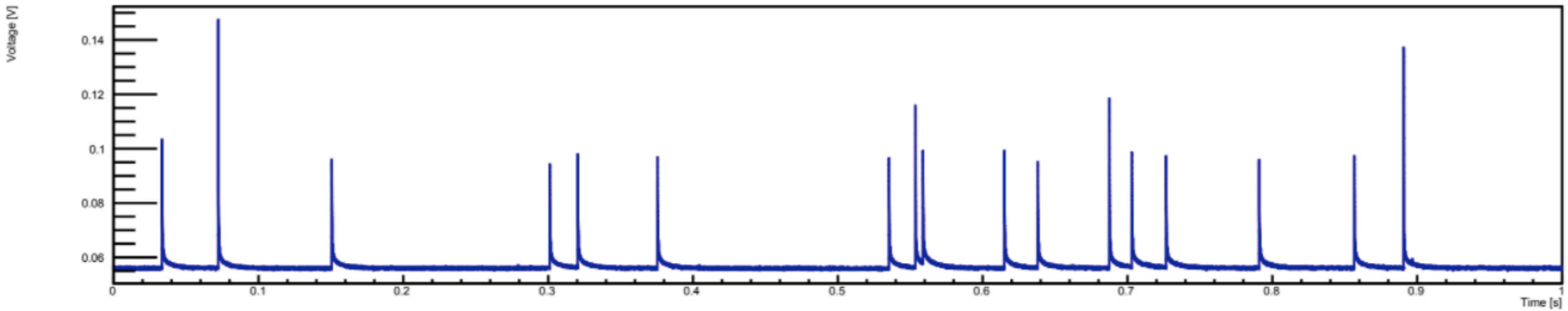
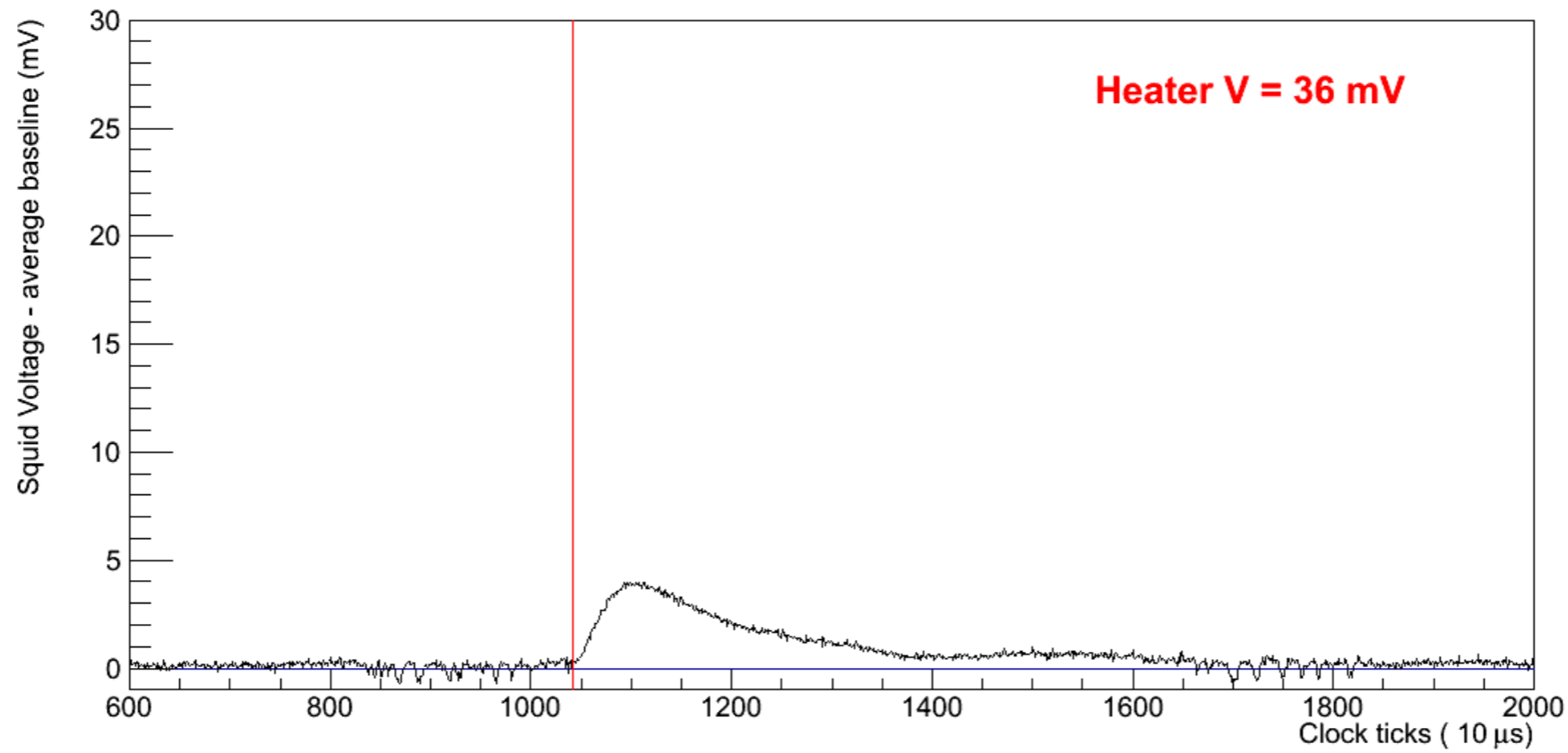


Tc suppression in Iridium/Platinum Bilayers



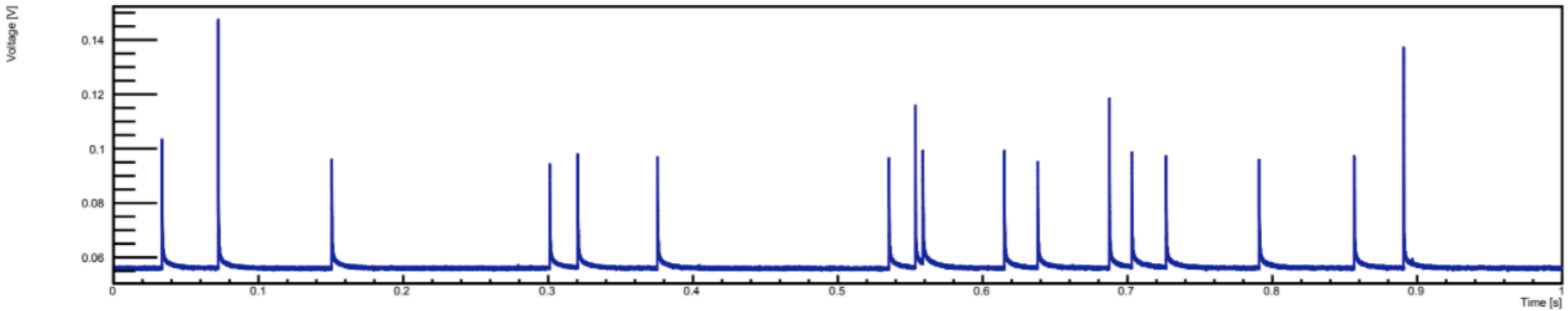
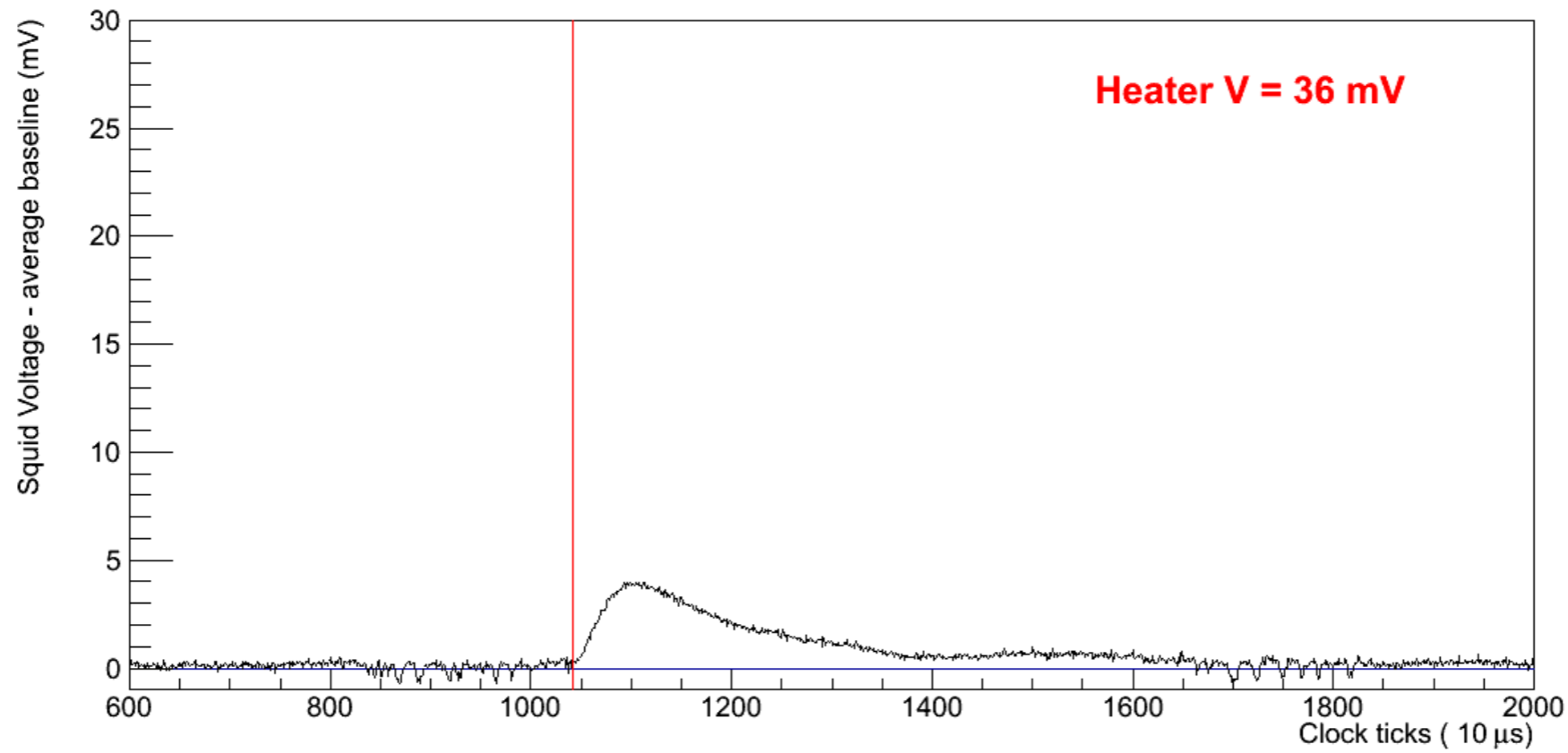
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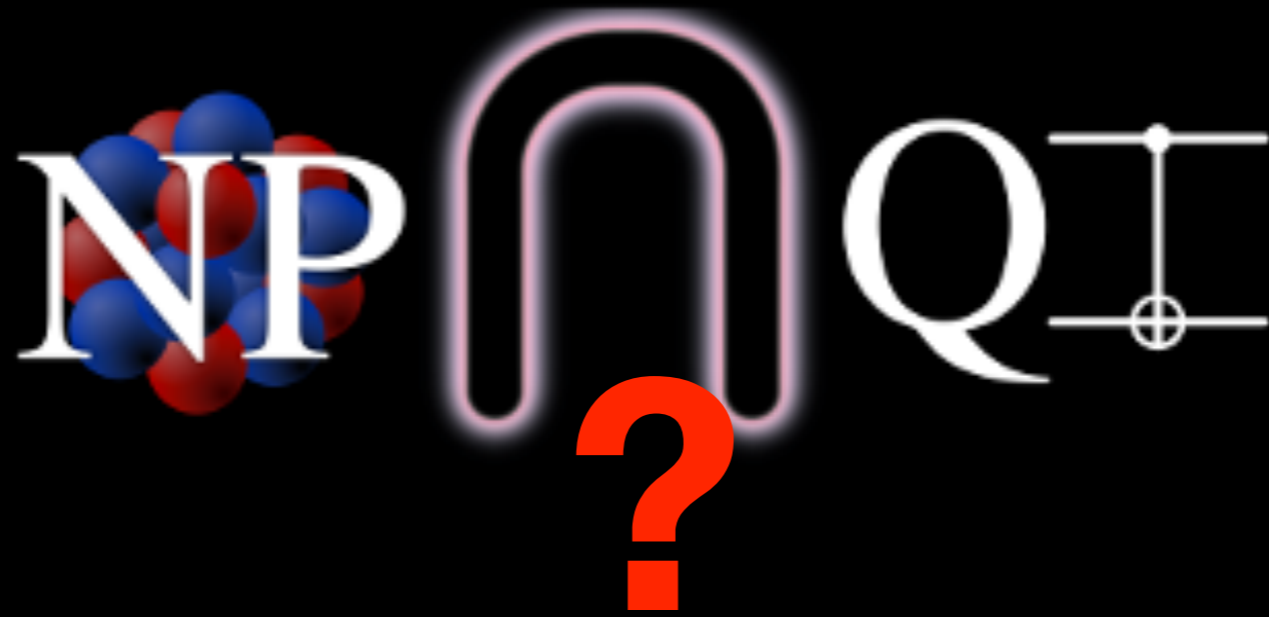
Sample B response to heater pulse



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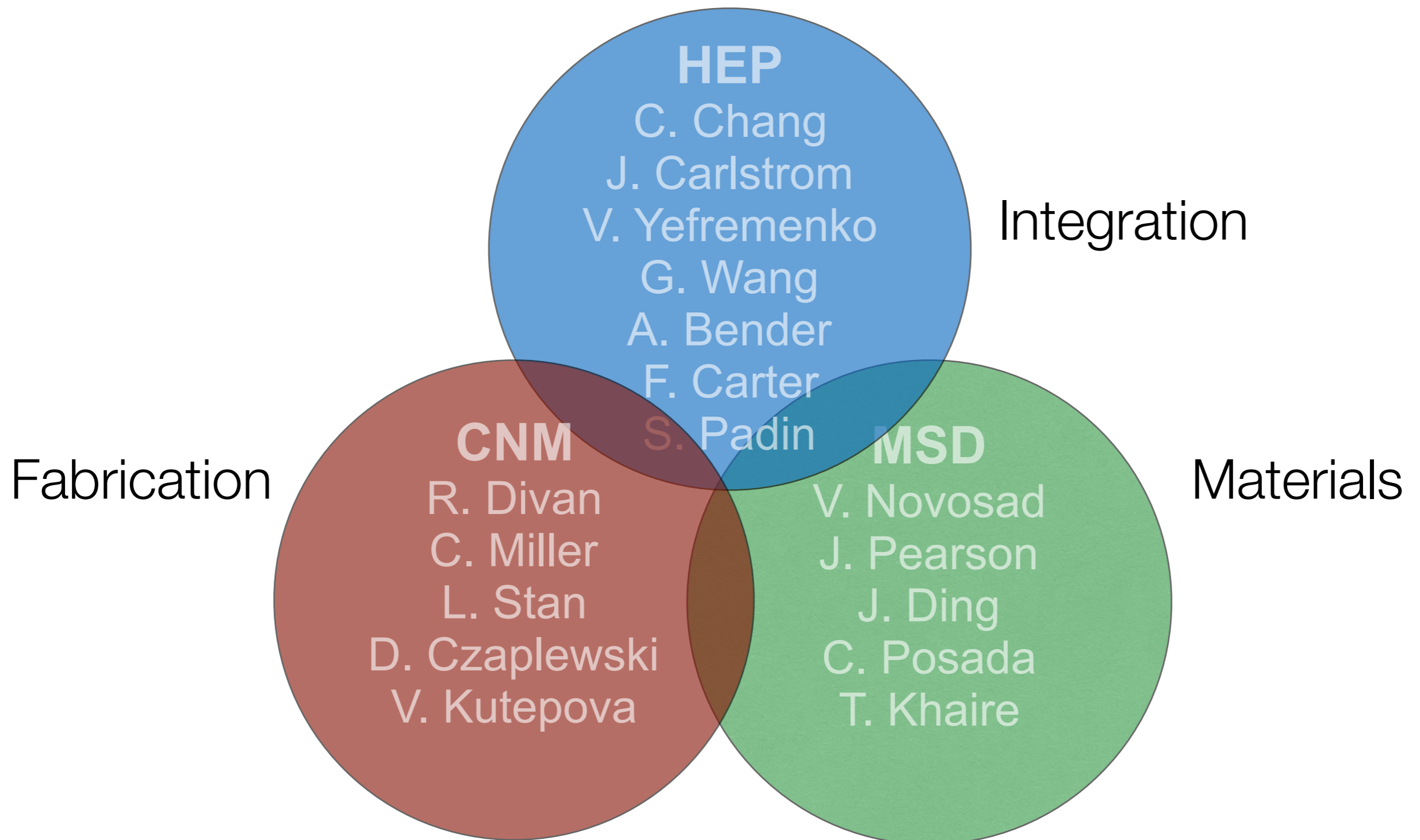
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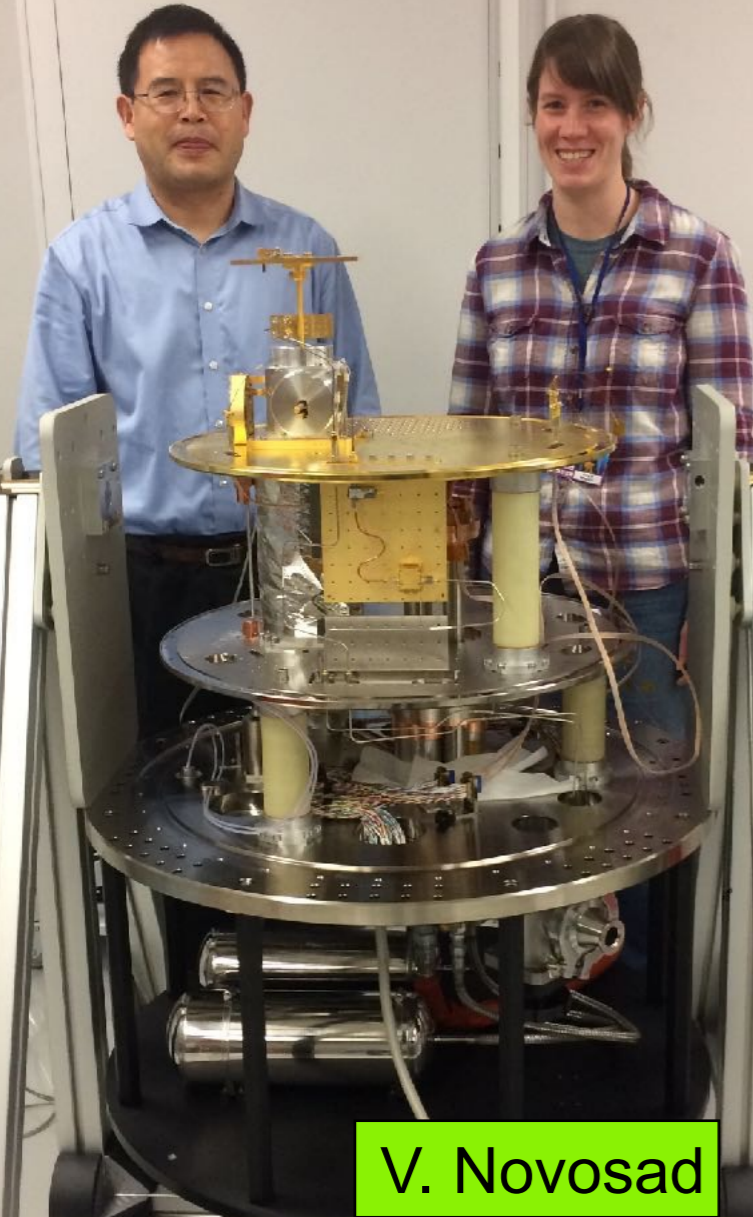
Address challenge of superconducting materials, complex fabrication and scaled production via multidisciplinary lab expertise and facilities



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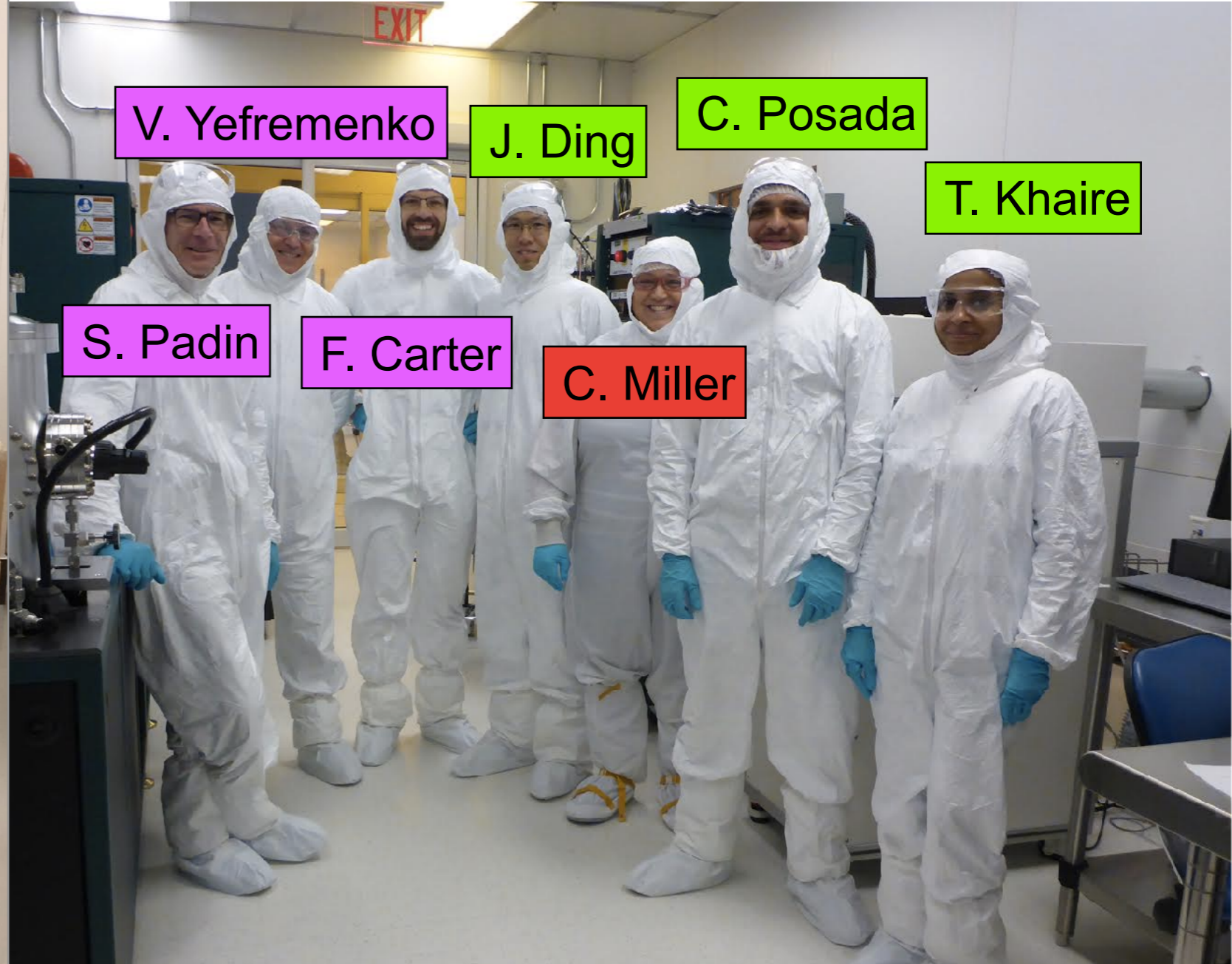
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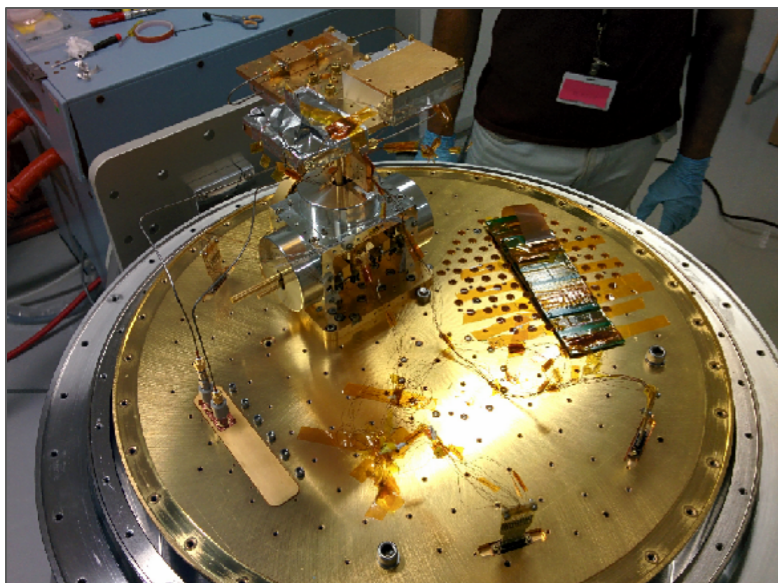
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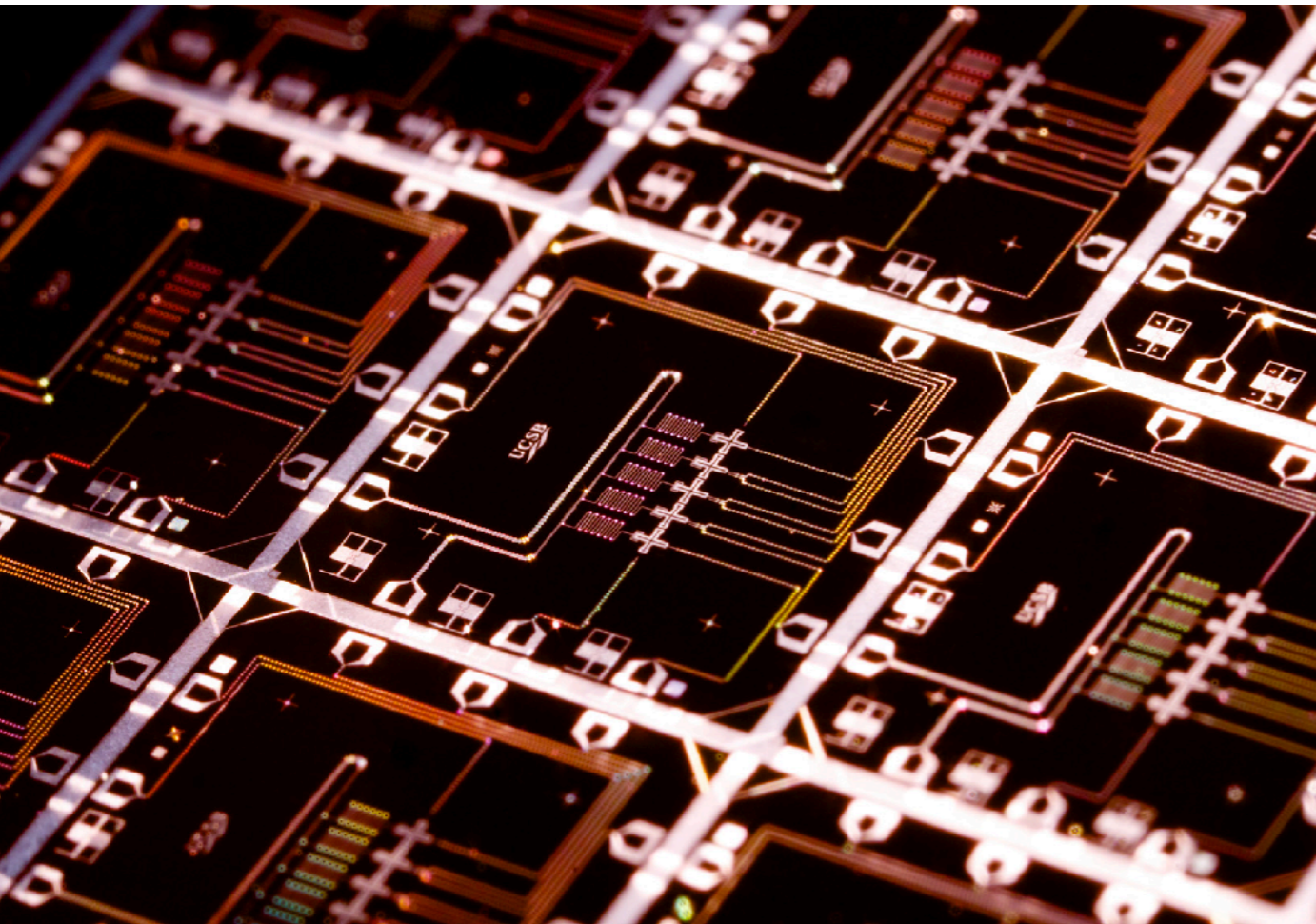
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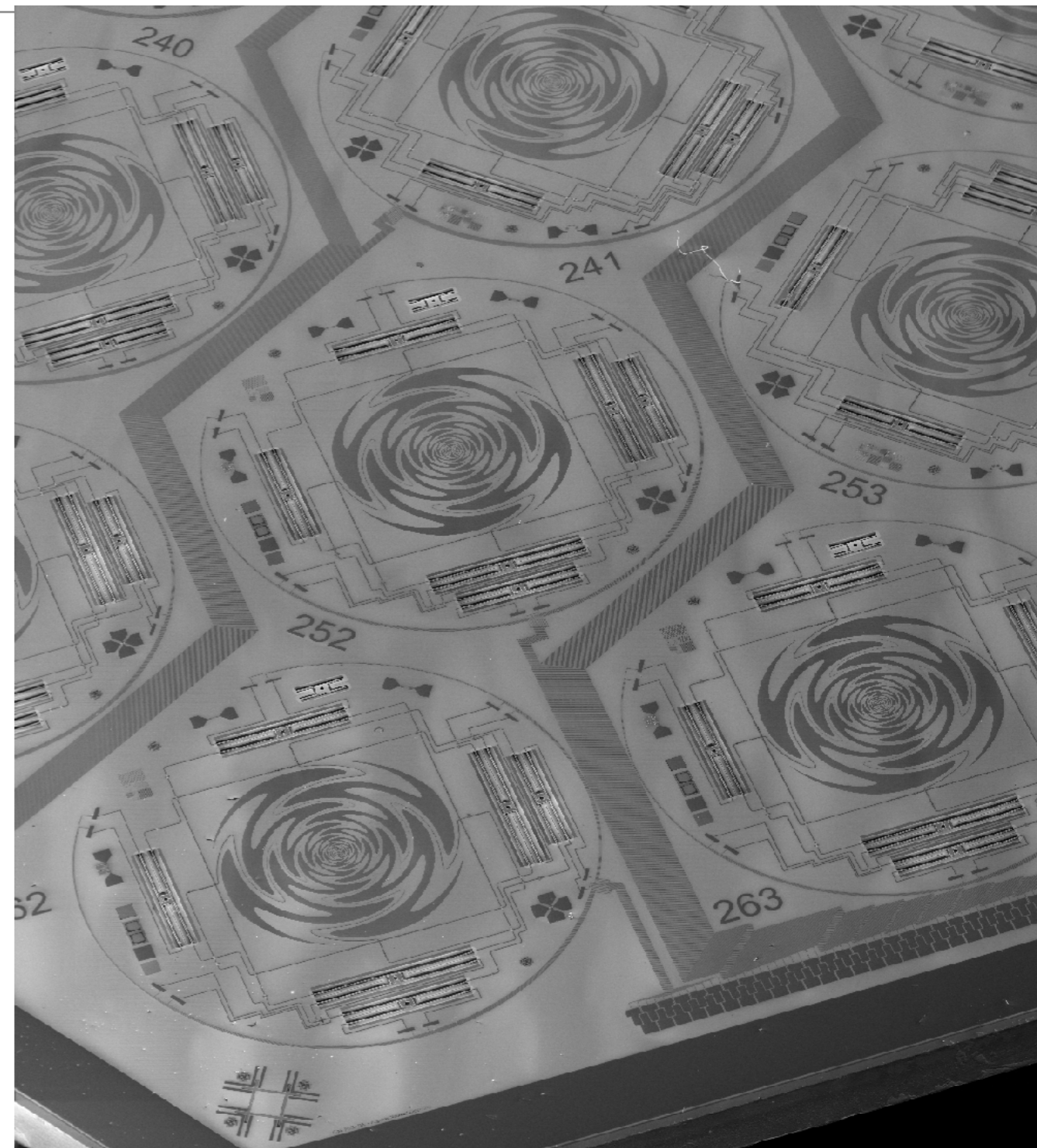
Facilities



Lots of overlap with superconducting QI technology



- qubits
- JPA
- SNSPD



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OUTLOOK

- Lots of interesting CMB science yet to come
 - Inflation, dark sector, neutrino mass
- Large arrays of superconducting detectors drive the field
- At Argonne, we're building up inter-disciplinary teams to address the challenge. Leveraging to pursue new directions like NLDBD.
- Superconducting devices are a core part of QIS technologies. Lots of overlap and opportunity.