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Novel Nano materials and applications

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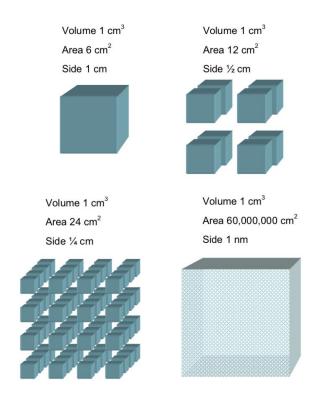
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Outline

• Advantage of materials in nanometer dimensions

Nanomaterial analysis technology



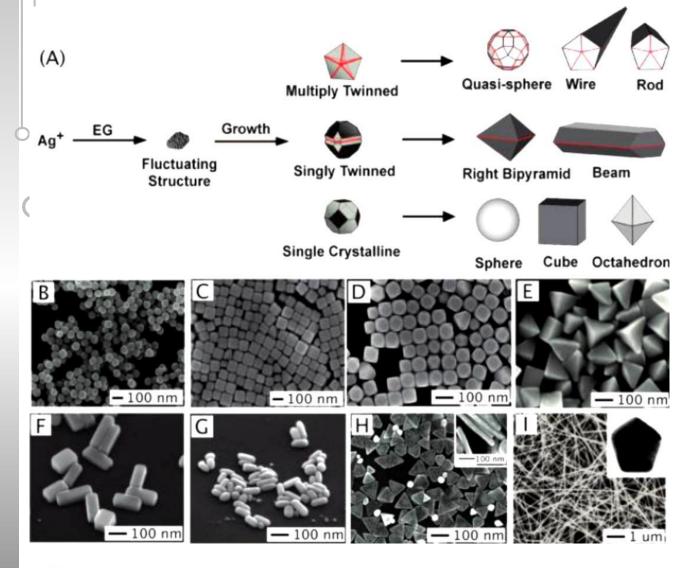


What is the nanotechnology? The term nanotechnology is employed to describe the creation and exploitation of materials with structural features in between those of atoms and bulk materials, with at least dimension in the nanometer range (1 nm = 10^{-9} m).

There are many uses and applications available using nanotechnology that are not possible using conventional materials which make it unique. For applications that use a substance's chemical properties, substantially less nanomaterial may be required to do the job of a conventional material. The chemical reactivity of a material is related to its surface area compared to its volume and the surface area for a nanoparticle is enormous per unit volume. The diagram below illustrates how surface area increases when a material is dissected into nano-sized particles.



Methods of controlling the NPs size

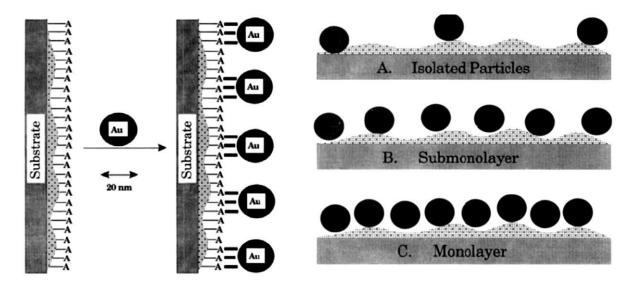


Since NPs exhibit special properties and these properties vary with the size of NPs, controlling the NPs sizes becomes an important issue. Changing the size of NPs in chemical synthesis methods is usually carried out by precisely controlling the synthesis process and concentration of reactants.



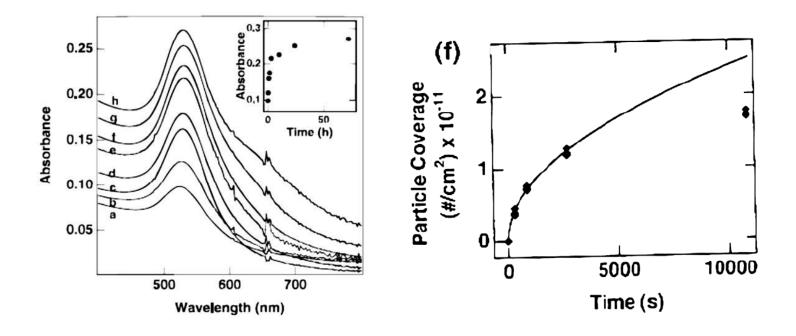
NC arrays fabricated by Chemical self-assembly

NCs of different sizes have been synthesized from AuCl₄-, predominantly, using either citrate or sodium borohydride as reducing agents.





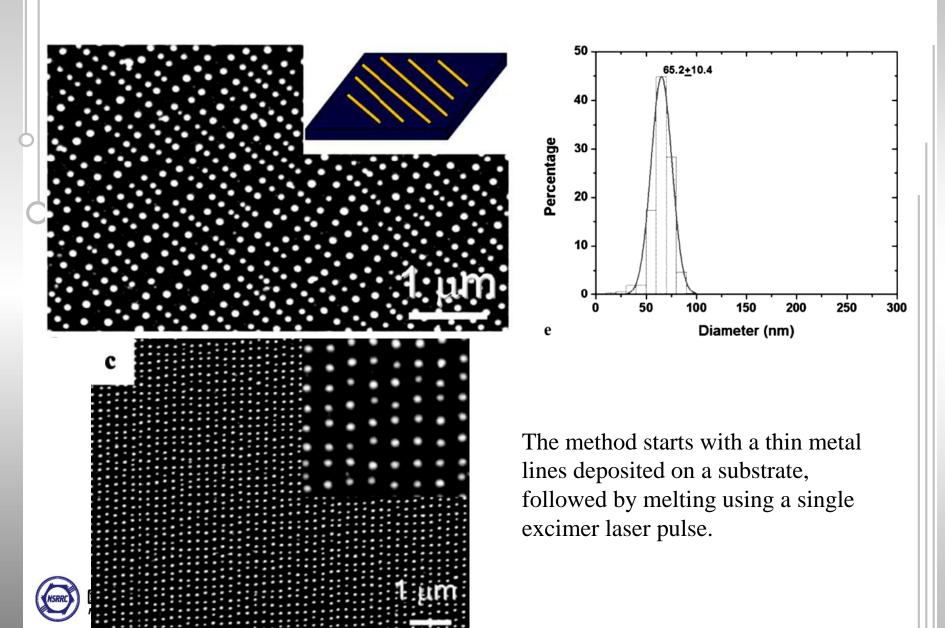
Hydroxyl/oxide groups on the substrate (e.g., glass, quartz, Si) surface provide active sites for the attachment of an alkoxysilane possessing functional group A, where A has a high affinity for gold.

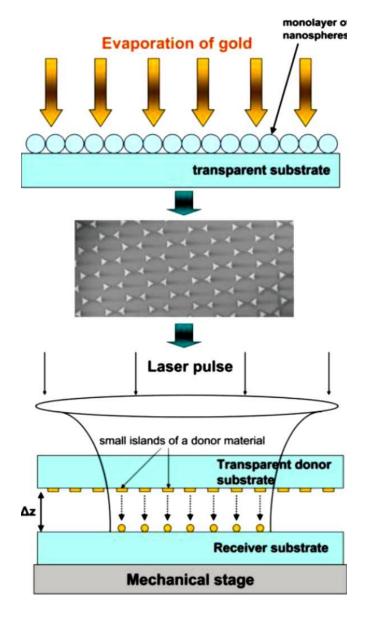


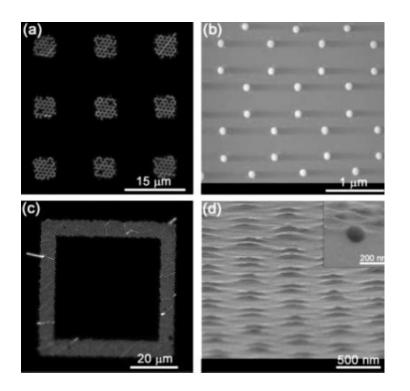
The absorbance spectra and particle coverages for glass slides immersed in 15-nm-diameter colloidal Au solution as a function of time.



Nanocluster arrays fabricated by laser annealing

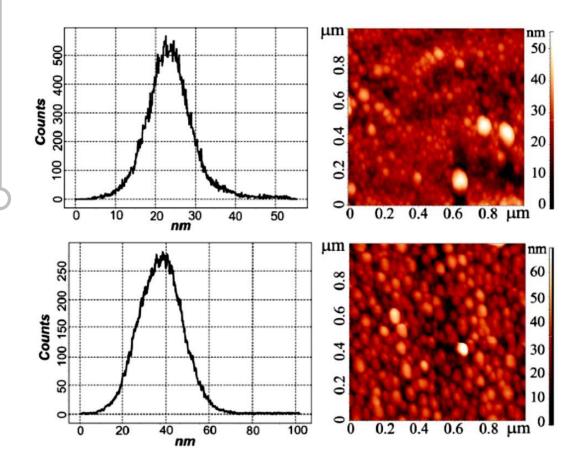




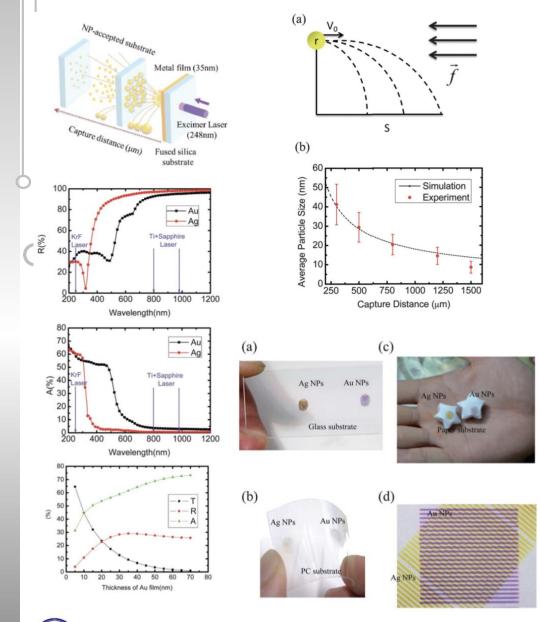


(a) NP structure fabrication by a combination of the nanosphere lithography and laser-induced transfer. (b) Dark-field microscope image and SEM of gold NPs fabricated by single laser pulses on a receiver substrate.





The averaged Ag NP size fabricated under the 45 fs pulse shot was about 20 to 25 nm and those fabricated by 300 ps was about 40 to 50 nm.



Therefore, the air drag force acting on the NPs in the ambient air was

$$f = -kr^{\alpha}v^{\beta} \tag{1}$$

where k is a constant, r is the diameter of the NPs, and ν is the relative velocity of the NPs in air (760 torr).^{29,30}

The air drag force on a nanoscale particle moving in a gaseous medium had been reported previously from related theoretical calculations.³¹ We proposed that the air drag force was proportional to the volume and the velocity of the NPs; therefore, it was reasonable to assume values of α and β of 3 and 1, respectively. For uniformly accelerated motion,

$$s = v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2 \tag{2}$$

where *s* is the travelling distance of the NPs. Because the motion of our NPs was a varied accelerated motion, we assumed that the acceleration in a very small velocity change in each moment was constant:

$$ds = \frac{(v - dv)^2 - v^2}{2a} = \frac{v^2 - 2vdv + (dv)^2 - v^2}{2a} \xrightarrow{\text{ignore}(dv)^2} ds = -\frac{vdv}{a}$$

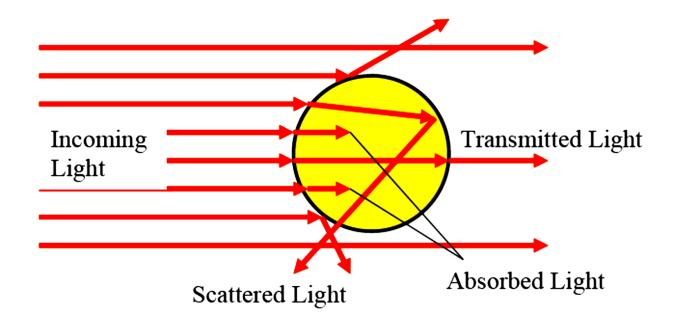
furthermore, we proposed that each metal NP was a sphere having a mass density ρ and a mass m. Therefore, the kinetic energy was described as

$$E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \rho v_0^2$$
 (3)

substituting F = ma into eqn (1), we obtain

$$s = \int_{0}^{v_0} \frac{4\pi\rho}{3k} dv = \frac{4\pi\rho}{3k} \int_{0}^{v_0} dv = \frac{4\pi\rho}{3k} v_0 = \frac{4\pi\rho}{3k} \left(\frac{3E_k}{2\pi\rho r^3}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
$$= \frac{4\pi\rho}{3k} \left(\frac{3E_k}{2\pi\rho}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} r^{-\frac{3}{2}}$$
(4)

from these equations, we find that s is proportional to $r^{-(3/2)}$. Fig. 5b (dashed line) presents a plot of the calculated average particle size with respect to the jet distance. The experimental data (red dots) fitted the calculated curve quite well.



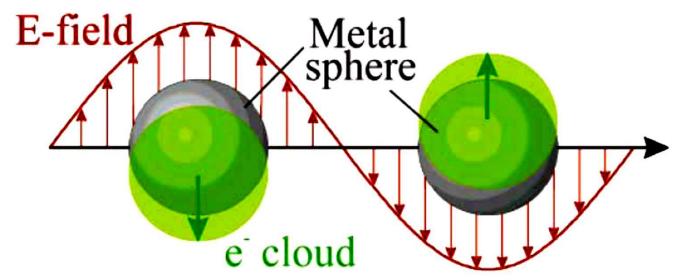
The theoretical principles that describe the metal NCs interaction with light are covered by Mie, Maxwell–Garnett and Drude models.

The extinction spectra (extinction = scattering + absorption) of spherical particles of arbitrary size.



Physical and chemical properties of metal NCs

Surface plasmon resonance (SPR)

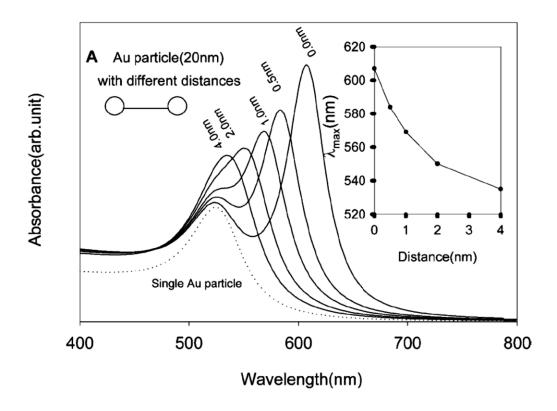


Schematic diagram of plasmon oscillation for a sphere, showing the displacement of the conduction electron charge cloud relative to the nuclei.

The strong interactions of metallic NCs with incident light, i.e., with the oscillating electric field, originate from the excitation of collective oscillations of conduction electrons within these particles. The collective oscillation of the electrons is called the dipole plasmon resonance of the particle.



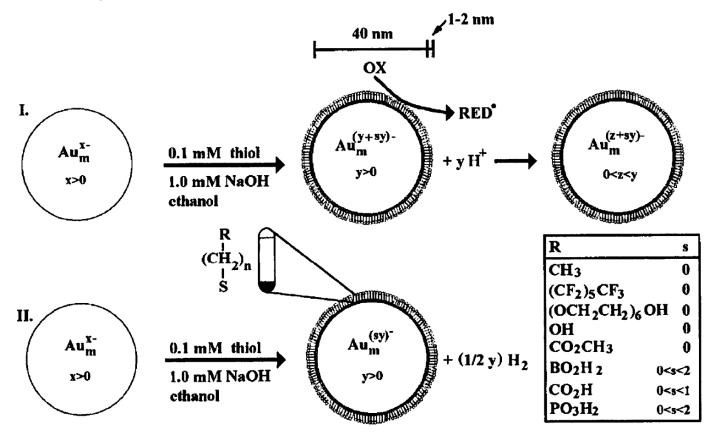
Particle-particle coupling



The close contact of metal NCs leads to the appearance of an SPR band attributed to the coupled plasmon absorbances of the NCs. This property has been predicted theoretically.

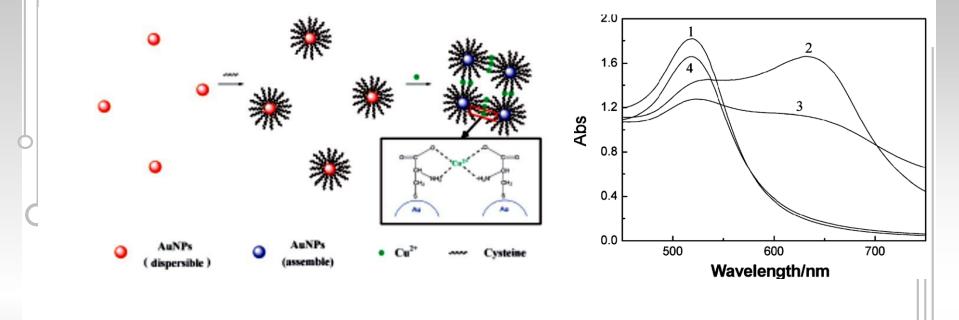


Chemical affinity



Gold-thiol chemistry: The modulation of SPR for surface-modified Au nanostructures should be dominated by the dielectric constant of the absorbed layers instead of the bulk solvent medium. As a result, Au nanostructures provide a highly sensitive means of detecting changes that occur in the region extremely close to the gold-solution interface.





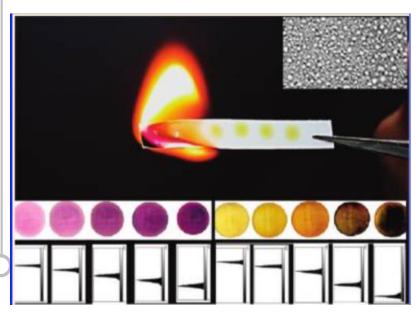


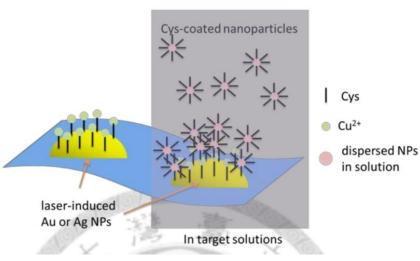


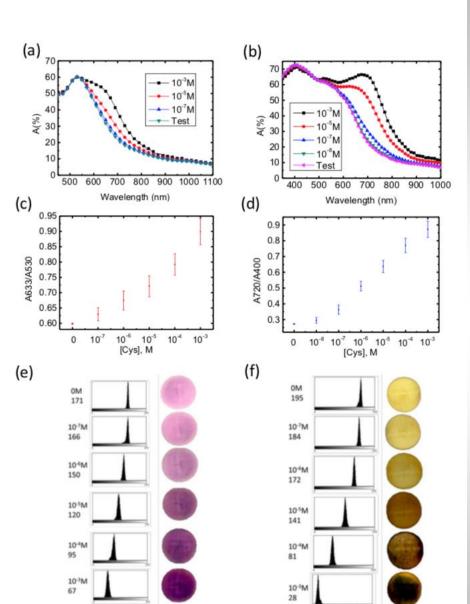


Absorption spectra of AuNPs (1) in the absence of cysteine, (2) in the presence of 1*10-5M cysteine and 1mM Cu₂₊, (3) in the presence of 1*10-6M cysteine and 1mM Cu₂₊, and (4) in the presence of 1*10-7M cysteine and 1mM Cu₂₊.



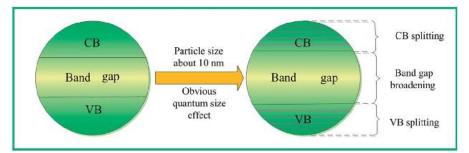


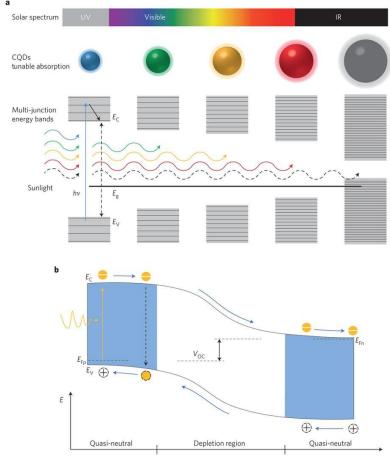


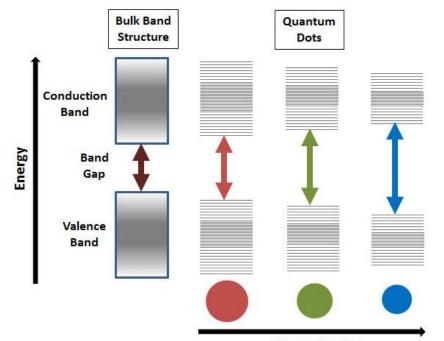




Quantum size effect





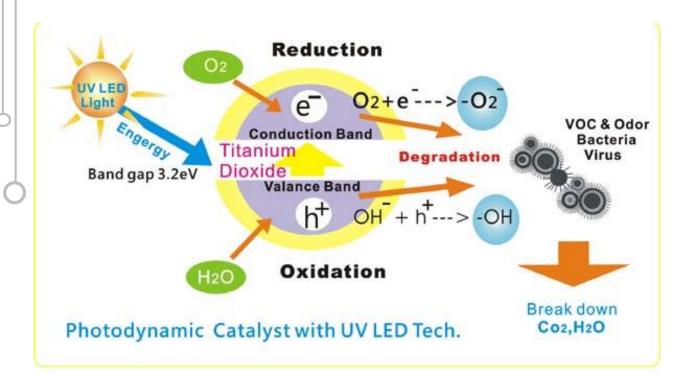






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Catalytic properties

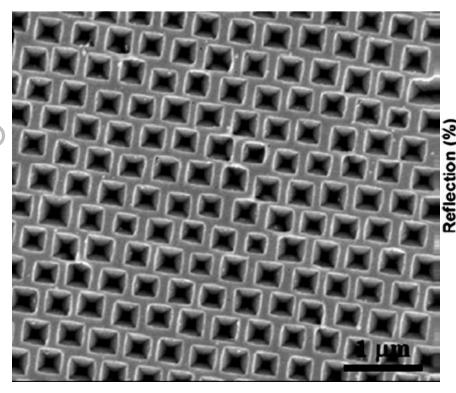


Au NCs supported on Co₃O₄, Fe₂O₃, or TiO₂ were highly active catalysts, under high dispersion, for CO and H₂ oxidation, NO reduction, water-gas shift reaction, CO₂ hydrogenation, and catalytic combustion of methanol was a surprise, and was considered important by the chemical community.

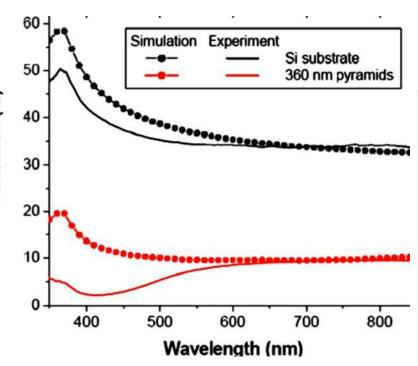


Surface Antireflection

Micro-scale texturing techniques



Replicated inverted pyramid arrays in silicon.

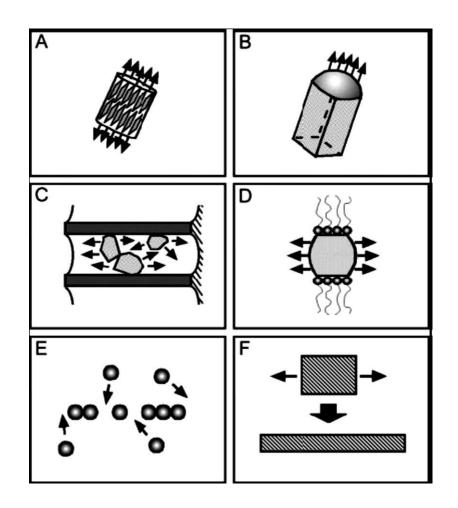


Experimental (solid) and simulated (dotted) optical reflectivity at normal incidence.

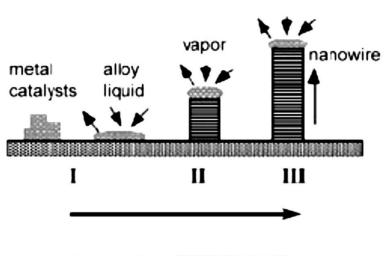


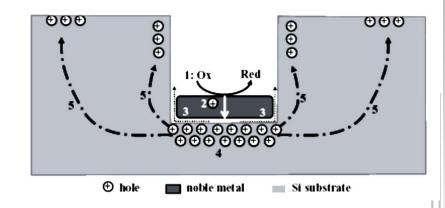
Most of optical devices on thin layer of a dielectric as a antireflective coating to reduce the reflection of light from the front surface of the cell.

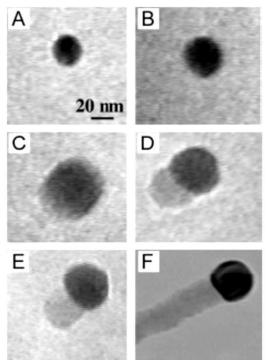
Sub-wavelength antireflective texturing techniques

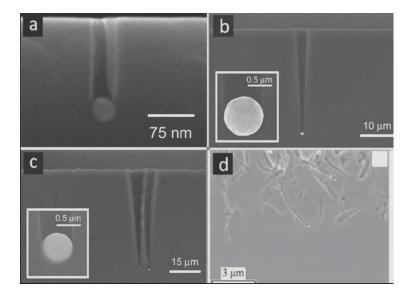


Numerous methods have been developed to fabricate Si nanostructures using top-down or bottom-up approaches





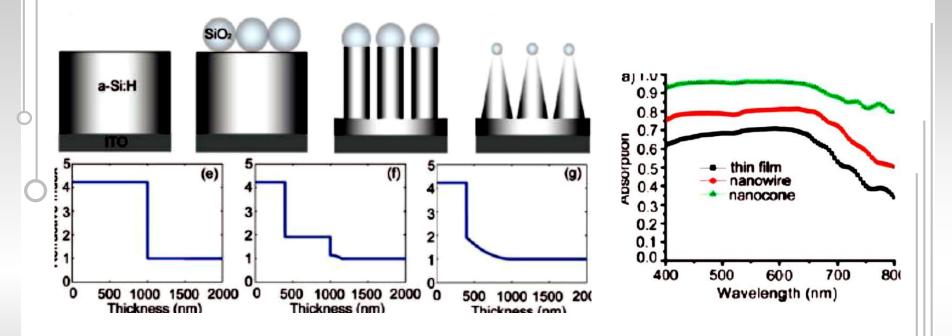




Vapor-liquid-solid (VLS) growth, reactive ion etching (RIE), electrochemical etching, or metal-assisted chemical etching, all of which aim to control various parameters of the Si structures.



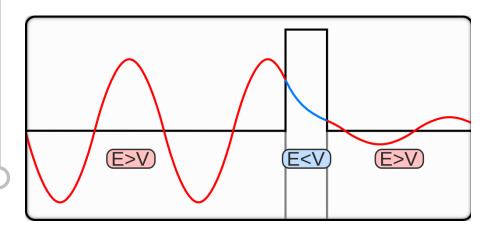
One-dimensional nanostructure optical

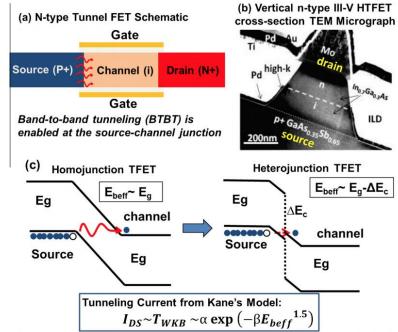


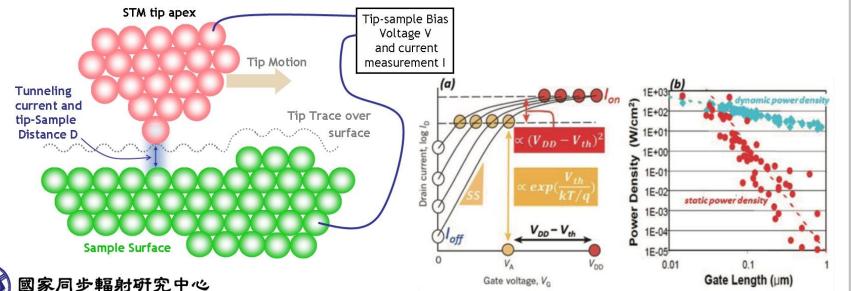
The enhancement effect is particularly strong for Si surface nanostructure arrays, which provide nearly perfect impedance matching between Si and air through a gradual reduction of the effective refractive index.



Tunneling effect

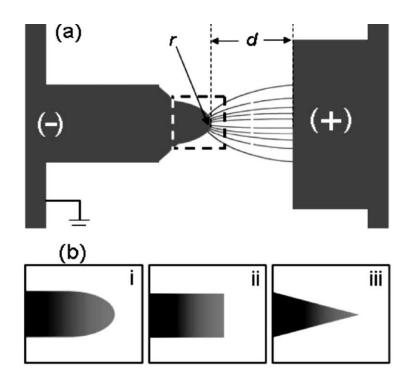


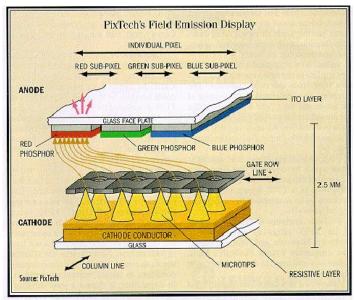






One-dimensional nanostructure field emission properties



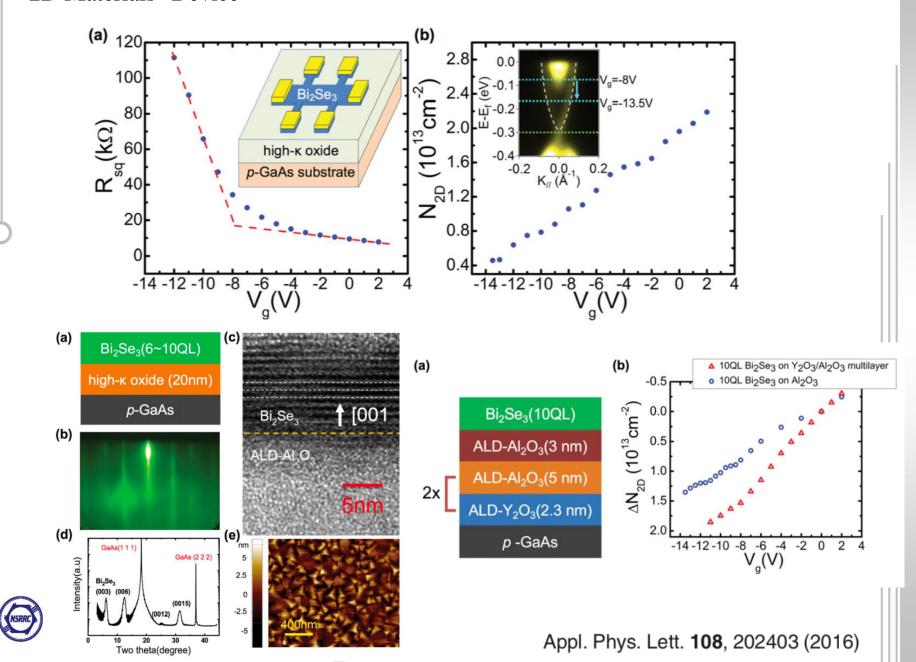


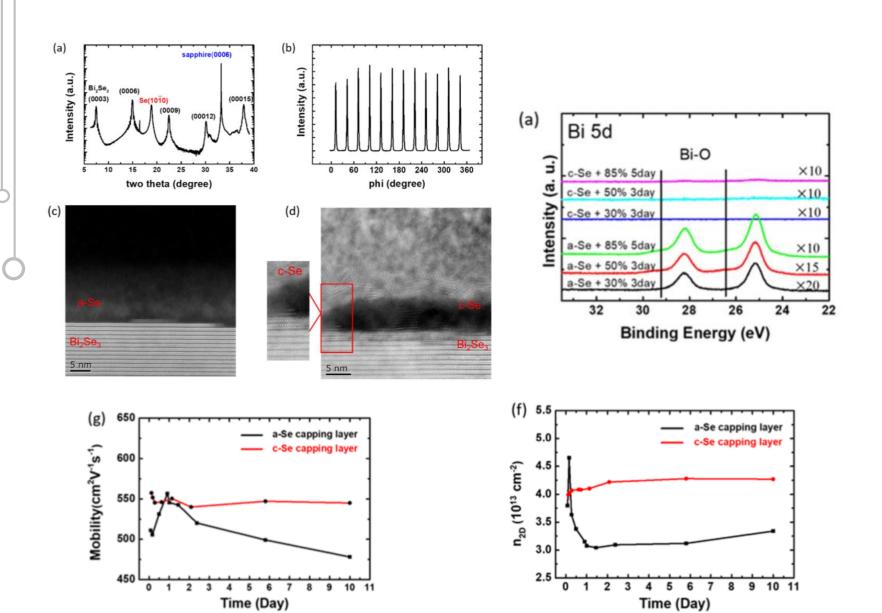
PixTech uses a Spindt-type conical cathode structure. The molybdenum cathodes are about 1.2 µm tall. There are hundreds of such cathodes for each pixel, containing red, green, and blue phosphor elements.

Field-emission, is one of the main features of nanomaterials and nanostructures, and is of great commercial interest in displays and other electronic devices.



2D Materials--Device







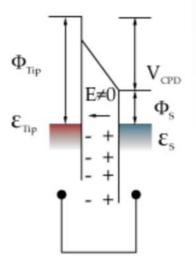
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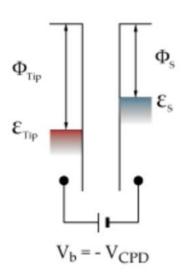
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Annalysis-Workfunction Kelvin Probe



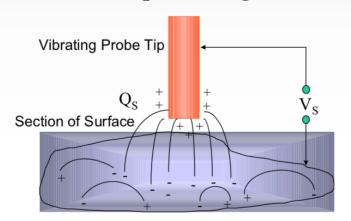


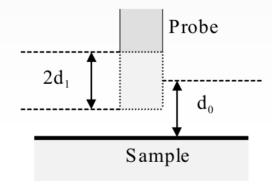
Non-contact, non-destructive vibrating capacitor device used to measure the work function of conducting materials or surface potential of semiconducting or insulating surfaces.

- The technique is extremely sensitive to the topmost layers of atoms or molecules, work function resolution of 1 3 meV.
- Unique 'off-null' measurement system also maintains average tip-sample separation to within 1 m, tip to sample tracking

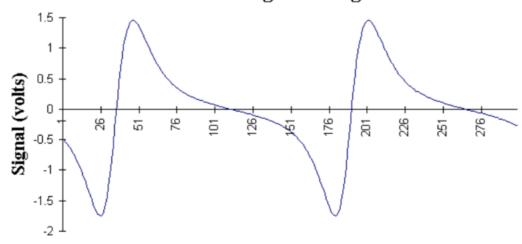


Vibrate the tip, AC Signal Produced



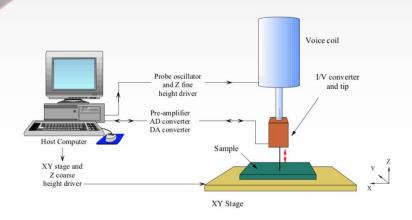


Kelvin Probe signal changes over time





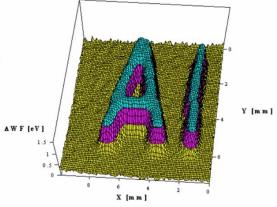
Scanning Kelvin Probe 1993



PC houses the digital oscillator (which powers the voice coil actuator), data acquisition system and motorised (x,y,z) stage controller. The signal is derived from a low-noise, high-gain current to voltage (I/V) converter mounted close to the tip.

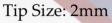
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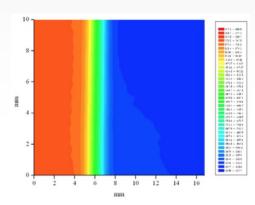


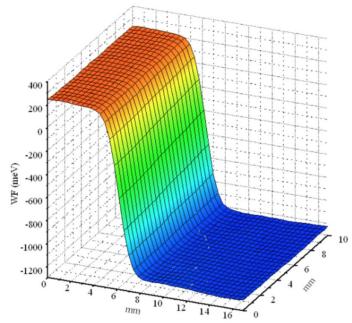
Gold / Aluminium Reference Sample



Scanning Area: 10x16mm

Operator: I. Baikie



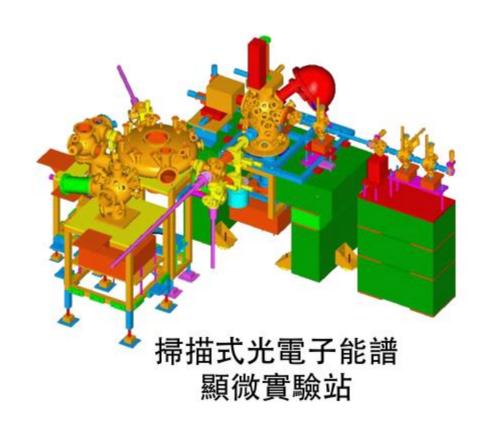






掃描式光電子能譜顯微術

(Scanning Photoelectron Microscopy; SPEM)





大綱:

- 一. 為何發展光電子能譜顯微術?
- 二. 何謂光電子能譜術?
- 三. 如何顯微?
- 四. 舉例說明。
- 五. 其餘新型態顯微術簡介。



為何發展光電子能譜顯微術?

小尺度結構分析:STM,TEM,SEM...等

小尺度成份分析:

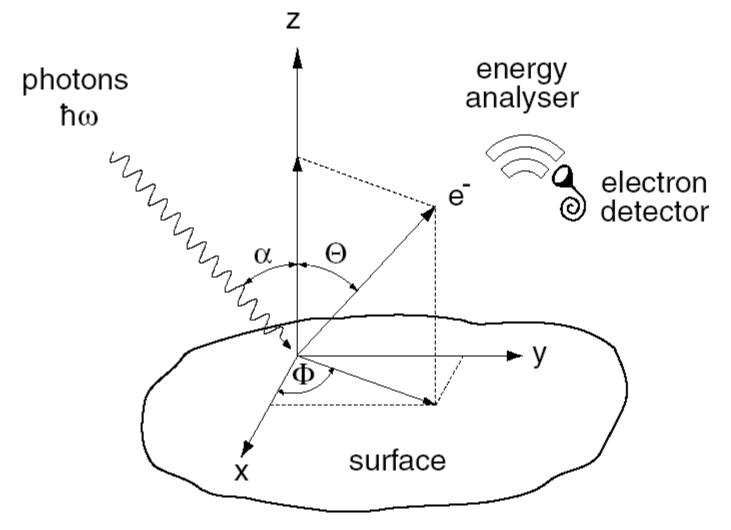
SPEM







光電子能譜術(Photoemission Spectroscopy)





典型 ESCA 能譜

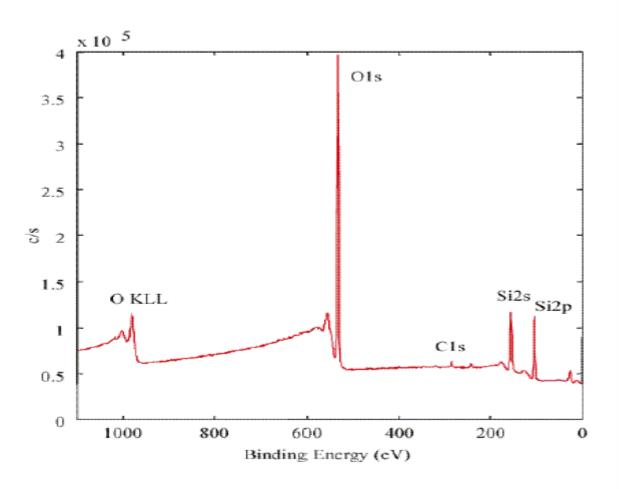
 $BE = hv - KE - e\Phi$

BE: 束縛能

hv:入射光能量

KE:電子動能

eΦ:功函數



Survey Spectrum of Silicon Wafer

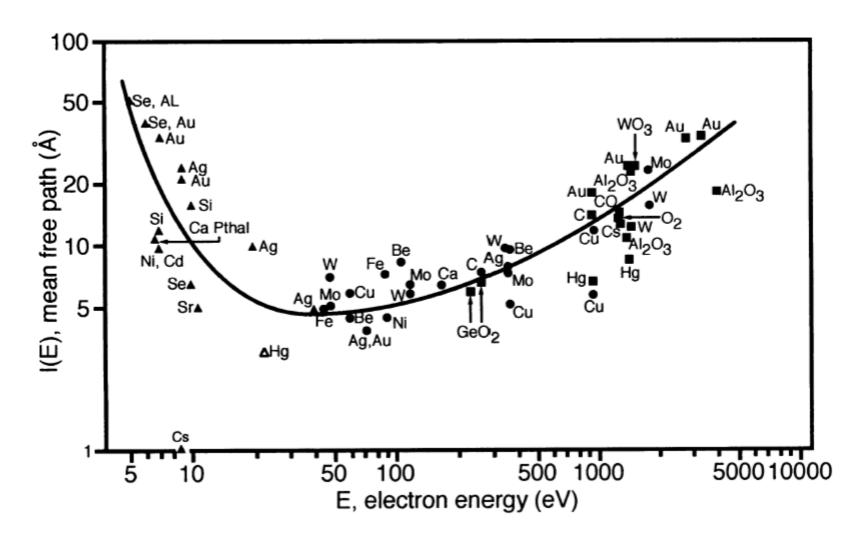


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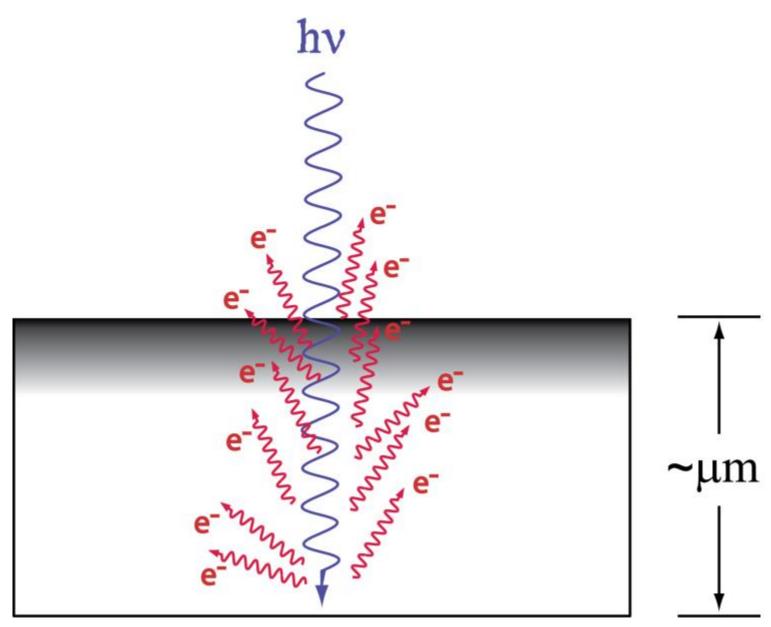
- 1.非破壞性
- 2.表面分析技術
- 3. 具化學鍵結分辨能力



Universal Curve

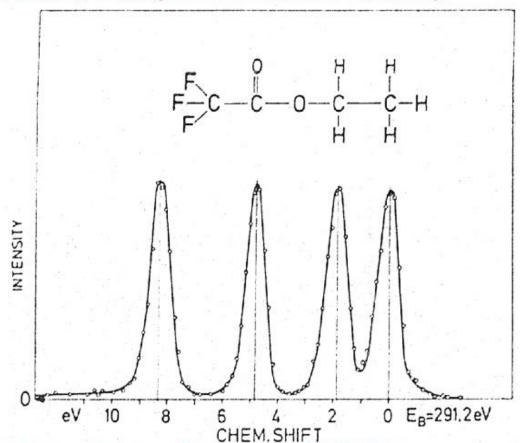








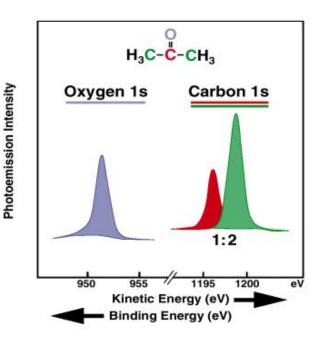
化學位移(Chemical Shifts)



J. Electron. Spectrosc. Relat. Phenom., 2(1974)405 Rev. Mod. Phys., 54(1982)709

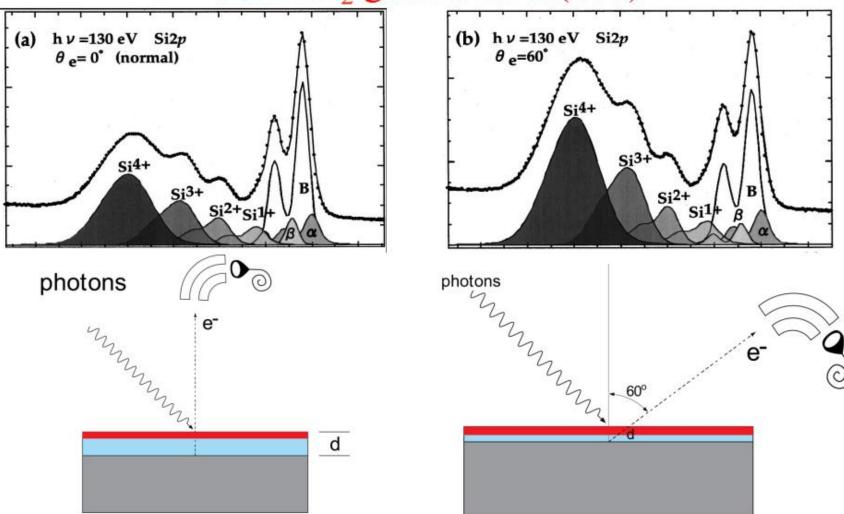
Provides information about

- Kind of atom
- Number of atoms
- Chemical shift



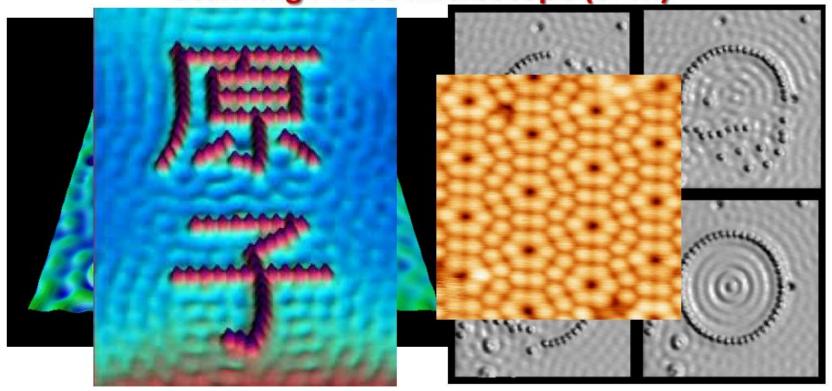


6 Å SiO₂ grown on Si(100)





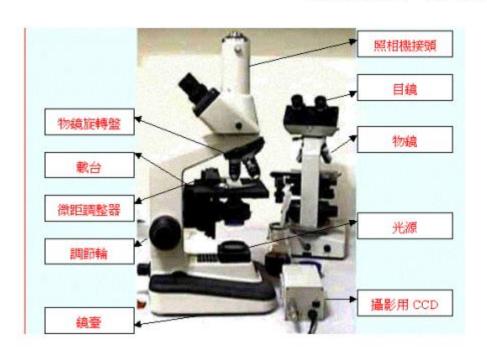
Scanning Tunneling Microscope (STM)
Scanning Probe Microscope (SPM)

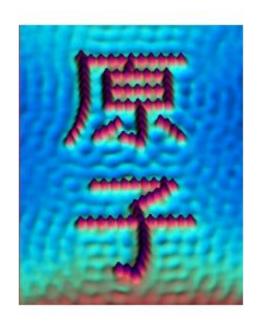




Almost every analytical technique can benefit from spatial resolution!

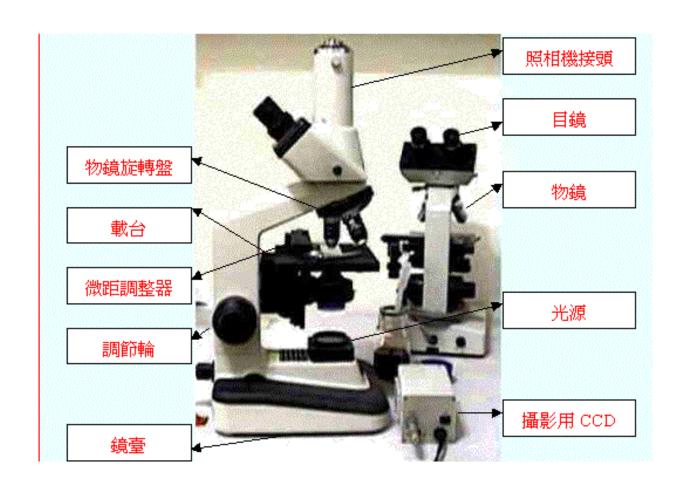
But how to achieve that?





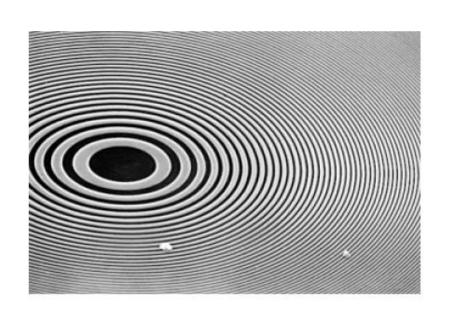


Does this work?

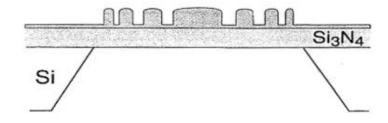




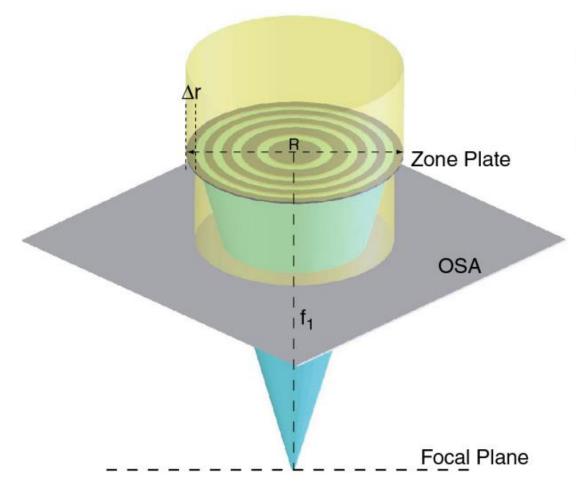
Fresnel Zone Plate (波帶環片)











Spatial Resolution = $1.22 \times \Delta r$ Focal Length = $R \times \Delta r / \lambda$ Diffraction Efficiency = 5-20%

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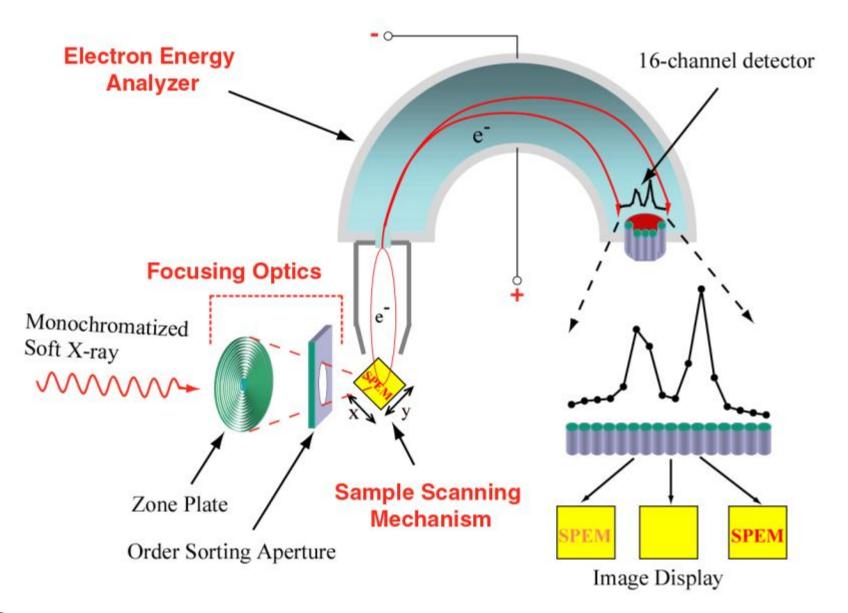
 $200 \mu m = R, 100 nm = \Delta r$

280 eV = P.E.

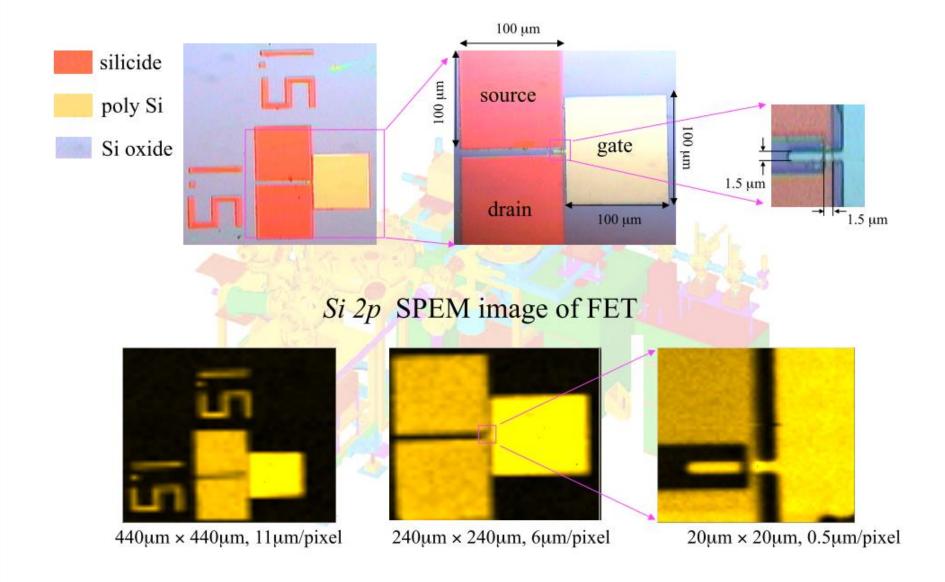
focal length = 4.5 mm

OSA-sample distance = 1.1 mm











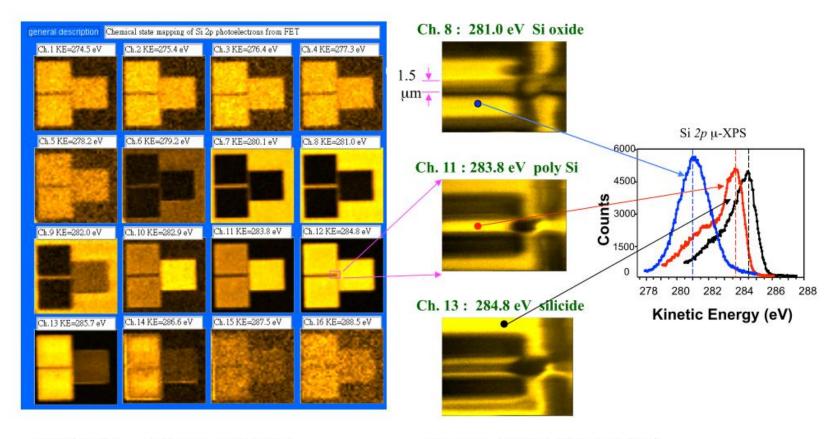






Parallel Imaging for Chemical State Mapping (PICSM)



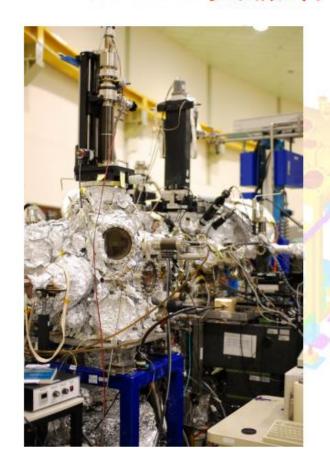


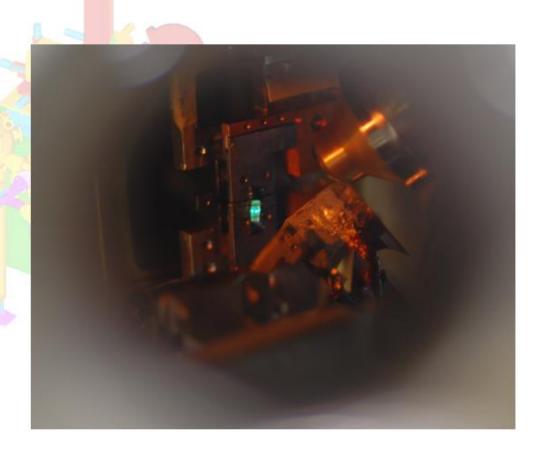
MOSFET 240 μ m × 240 μ m

 $12 \mu m \times 12 \mu m$, $0.1 \mu m/pixel$



SPEM 實驗站





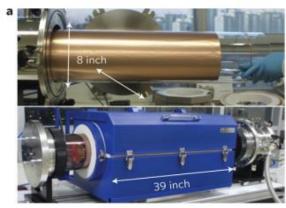
Is silicon dioxide essential to make graphene visible?

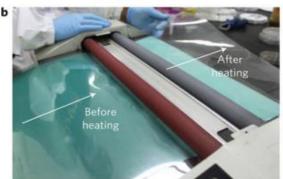


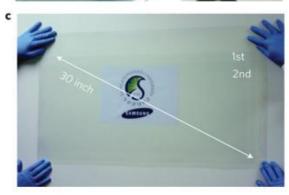
Let's Talk About Graphene

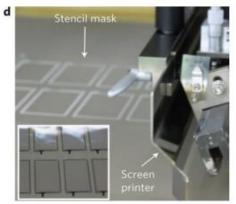


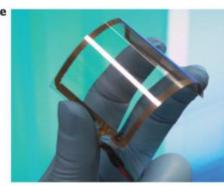


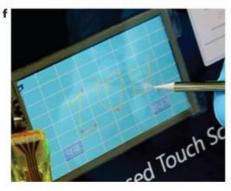












S. Bae et al., Nat. Nanotech., 5, 574 (2010)



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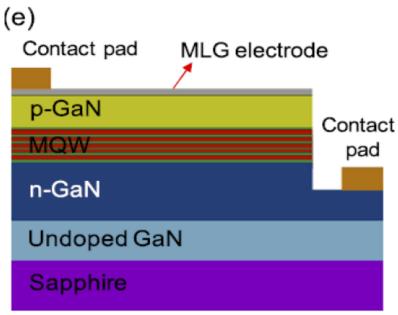
Large-scale patterned multi-layer graphene films as transparent conducting electrodes for GaN light-emitting diodes

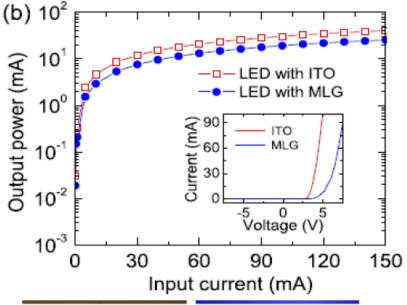
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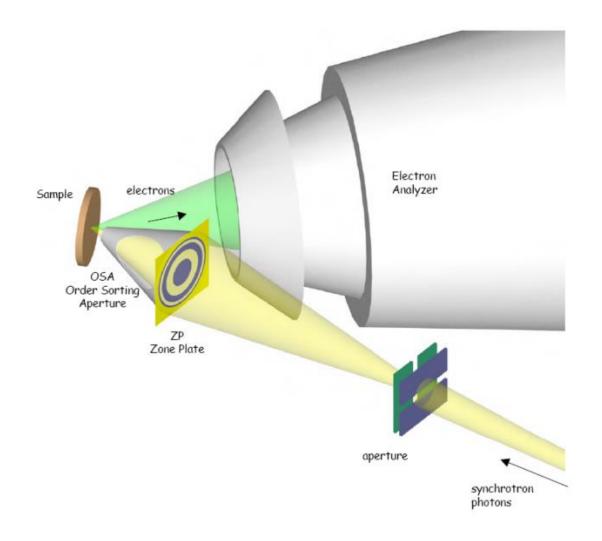




新型態同步輻射顯微術簡介

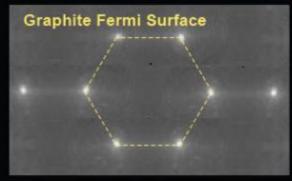


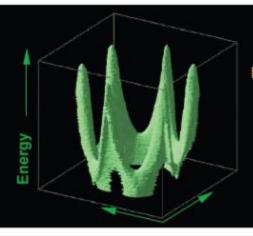
Spatially resolved ARPES





conventional ARPES on a large, pure single crystal



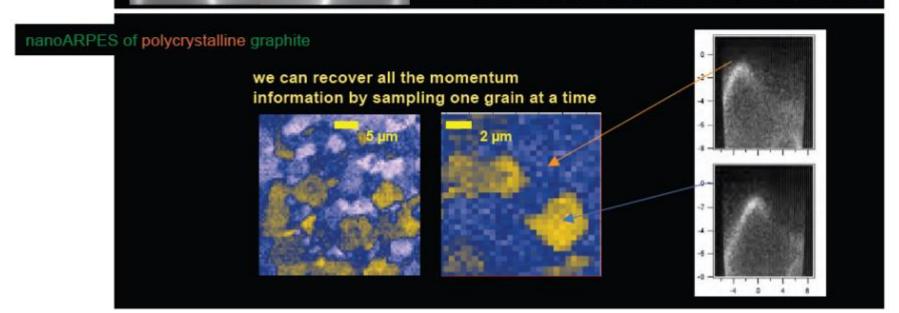


Energy Bands

conventional ARPES of polycrystalline graphite

Fermi Surface

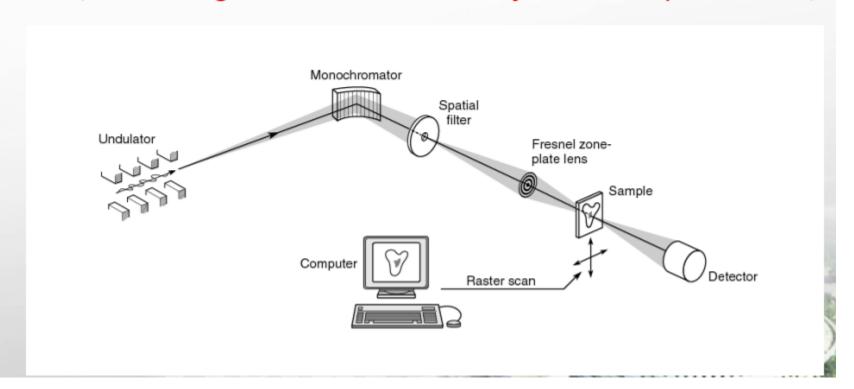
most of the momentum information is lost as our spot size is much larger than the grain size.





掃描式穿透光吸收能譜顯微術

(Scanning Transmission X-Ray Microscope; STXM)



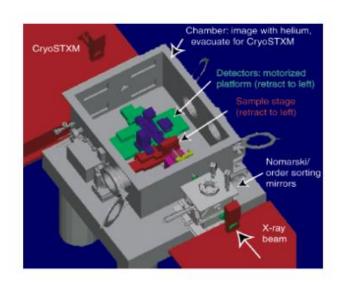


STXM specifications:

- spatial resolution: 25~50 nm
 - energy resolution< 0.1 eV
 - sample: 01.-1 micron
- He/inert gas atmosphere or vacuum environment
 - solid/liquid/gas sample

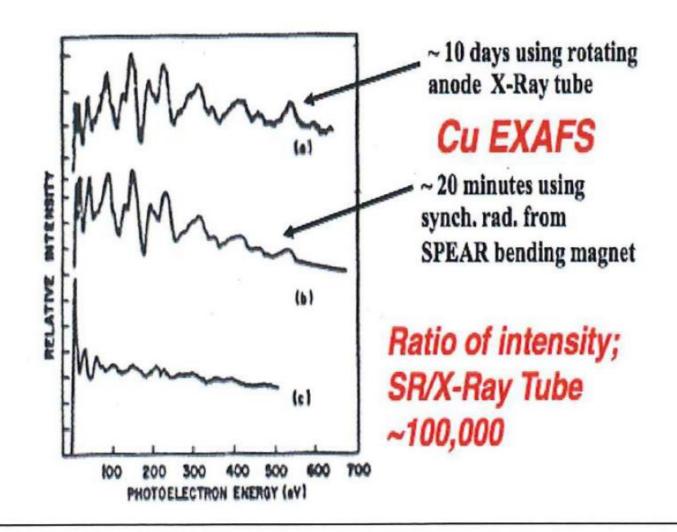
Applications:

- Magnetism
- Soft Matter
- Earth/Environmental Science
- Polymer Science
- Materials Science
- Catalyst





XAS

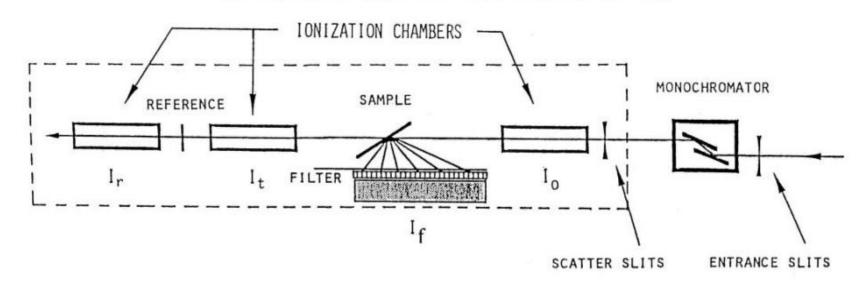


Extended X-ray Absorption Fine Structure for Cu (a) and (b), by Peter Eisenberger and Brian Kincaid, taken in 1974 at the Stanford Synchrotron Radiation Project. (c) is EXAFS from a thin Nb3Ge superconducting thin film.



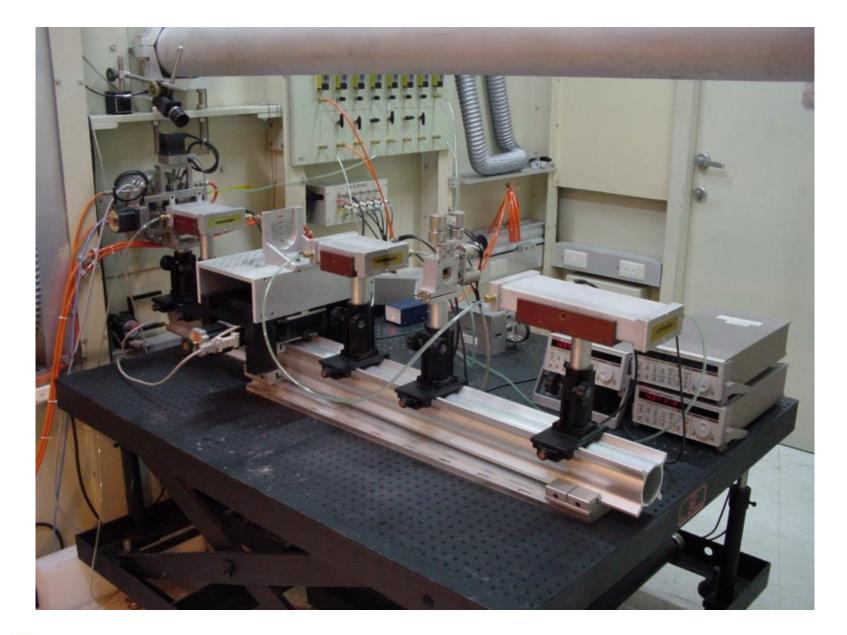
典型的X光吸收光譜實驗配置圖

(虚線表示實驗站的輻射屏蔽屋)

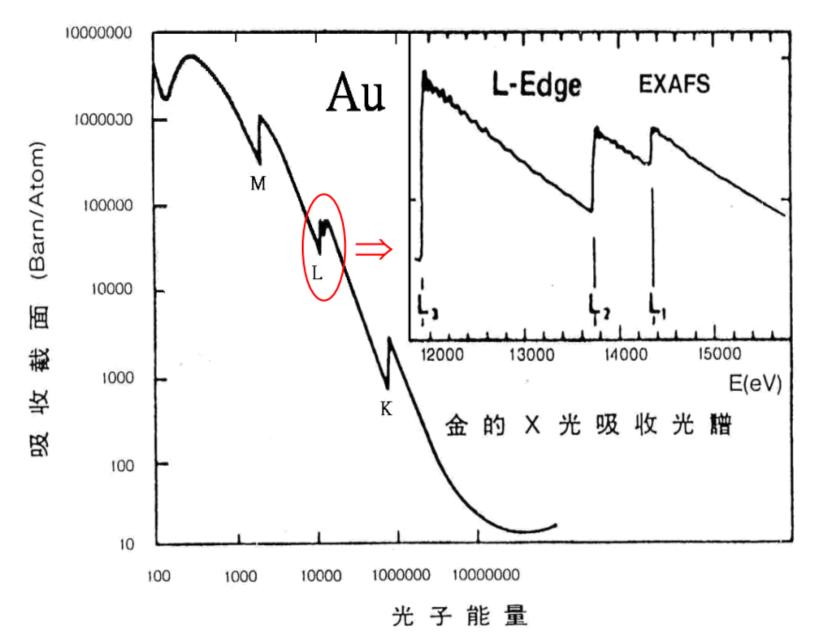


穿透法之樣品吸收係數為 $\operatorname{Ln}(I_0/I_t)$ 螢光法或電子產率法為 $\operatorname{I_f}/I_0$ 或 $\operatorname{I_e}/I_0$ 参考標準品之吸收係數為 $\operatorname{Ln}(I_t/I_t)$



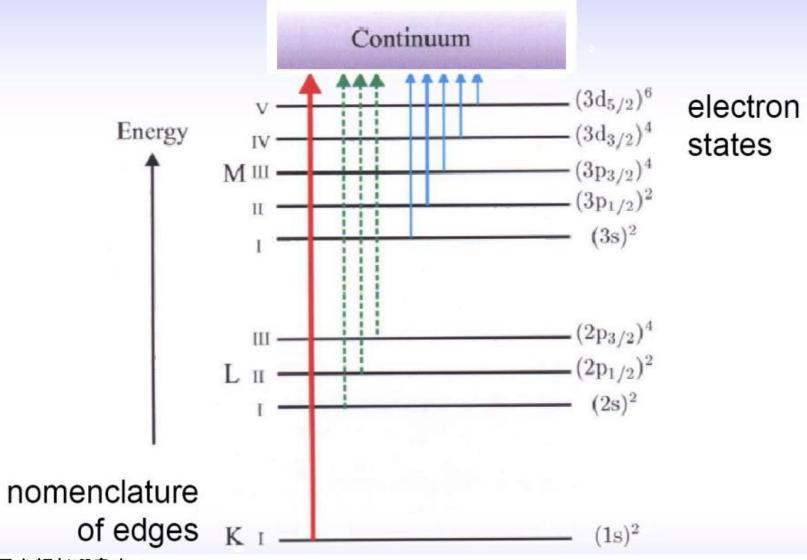








Absorption edges



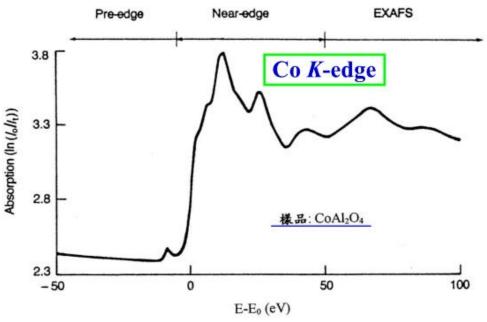


X 光吸收近邊緣結構 (XANES) ====> 吸收原子的電子性質(如:氧化價數以及 d-軌域之電子填滿程度) 吸收原子所處之晶位對稱性

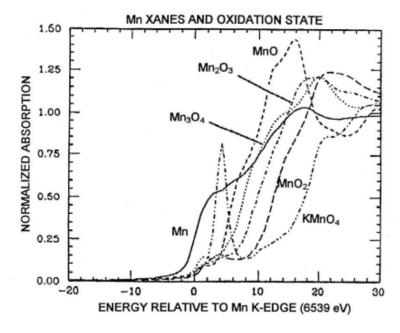
延伸 X 光吸收精細結構 (EXAFS) ====> 吸收原子周圍之局部幾何結構(如:周圍原子種類、配位數、原子間距離、排列之雜亂度)

EXAFS: Extended X-ray Absorption Fine Structure

XANES: X-ray Absorption Near-Edge Structure







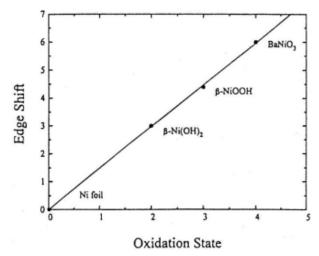
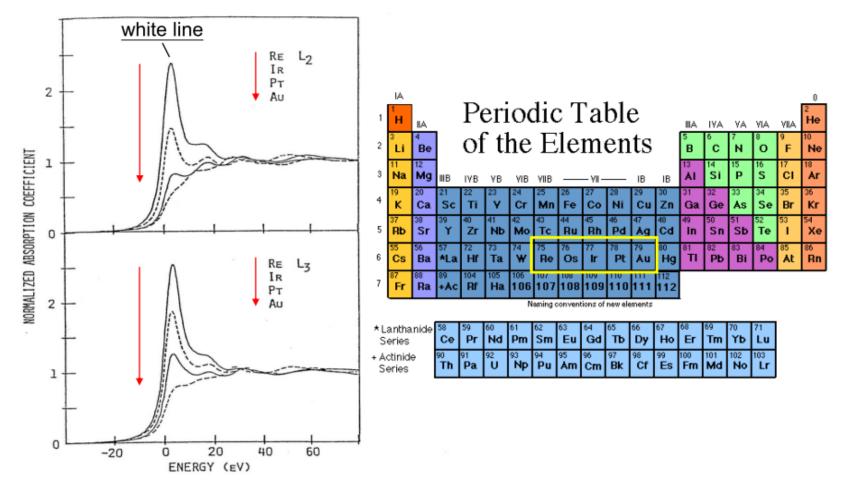


Fig. 3. Plot of the edge shifts in the XANES spectra vs. the increasing oxidation state of nickel.

- 1. Absorption edges of many elements show significant energy shifts with oxidation state.
- 2. Why does edge shift with oxidation state?
- Electrostatics harder to remove bound electron.
- Higher oxidation states have shorter bonds (in general).

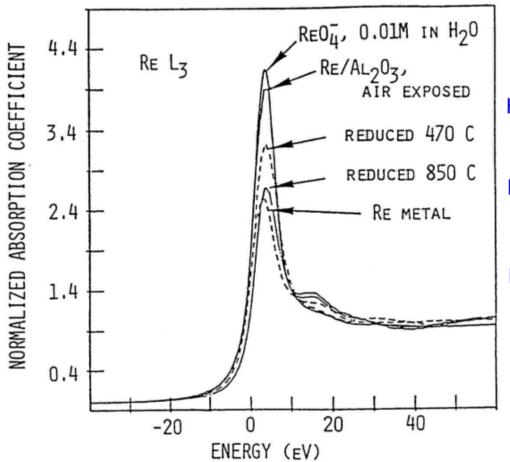


"White line" intensity reflects the d-orbital occupancy



XANES spectra for the $L_{2,3}$ -edges of Re, Ir, Pt, and Au. Spectra were normalized to unit edge jump and aligned to the first inflection point.





Higher oxidation state



More empty *d*-orbitals



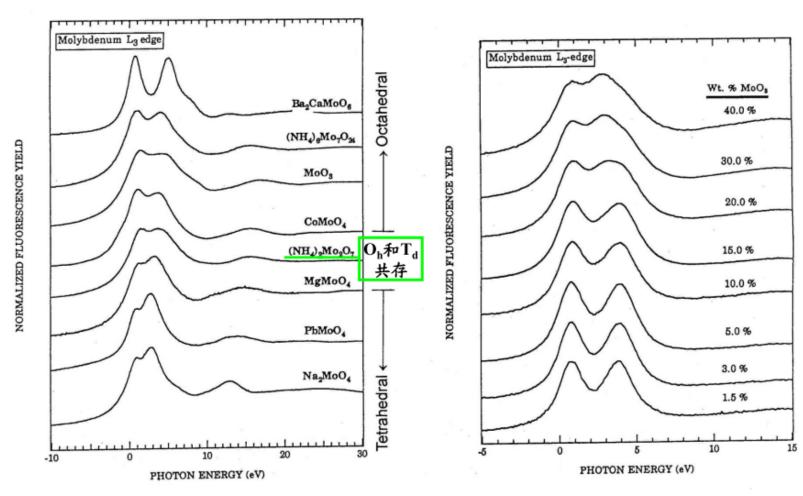
More intense white line

Overplot of Re L_3 -edges for 1 wt% Re on Al₂O₃ catalyst with Re⁺⁷ and Re metal reference edges.



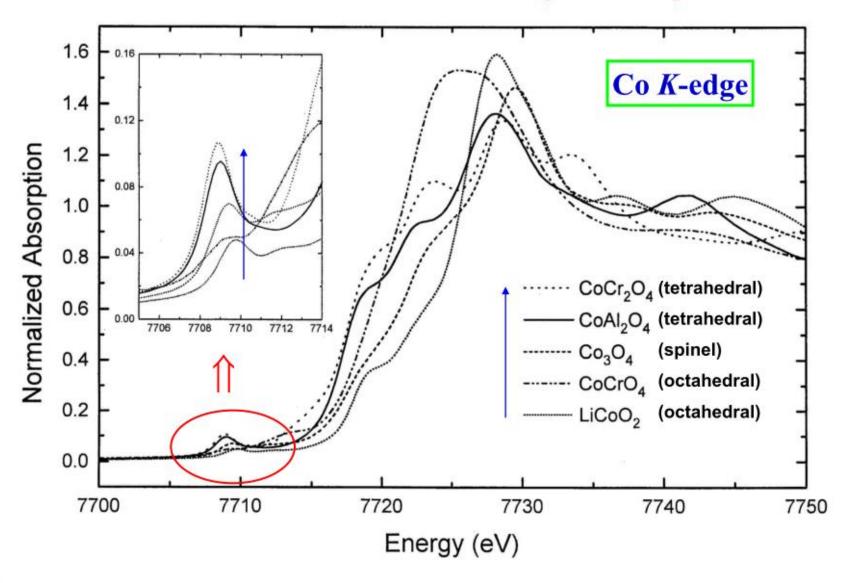
Why are we interested in XANES?

Local Coordination Symmetry





Local Coordination Symmetry





Theory of EXAFS

當中心原子A的內層電子因吸收X光而被游離時,此種光電子(photo-electron)將帶著E- E_0 的動能遠離原子核,形成一向外行進的光電子波,其波長為:

$$\lambda_e = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{[2m(E-E_0)]^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

h:蒲朗克常數

p:電子動量

m:電子質量

若吸收原子周圍存在其他原子B時,會將向外行進的光電子波予以背向散射,假設A、B兩原子相距R,則向外行進與背向散射的光電子波之間存在2R的路程差,此一路程差將使得二者的相位差為:

$$2\pi \left(\frac{2R}{\lambda_e}\right) = 2R \left[\frac{8\pi^2 m(E - E_0)}{h^2}\right]^{\frac{1}{2}} = 2kR$$

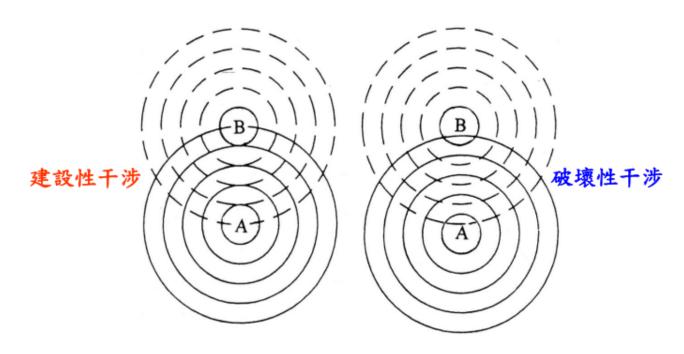
其中k稱為光電子波向量,常以Å-1為單位。

當電子動能的單位為eV時, $k = [0.2625(E - E_0)]^{\frac{1}{2}}$

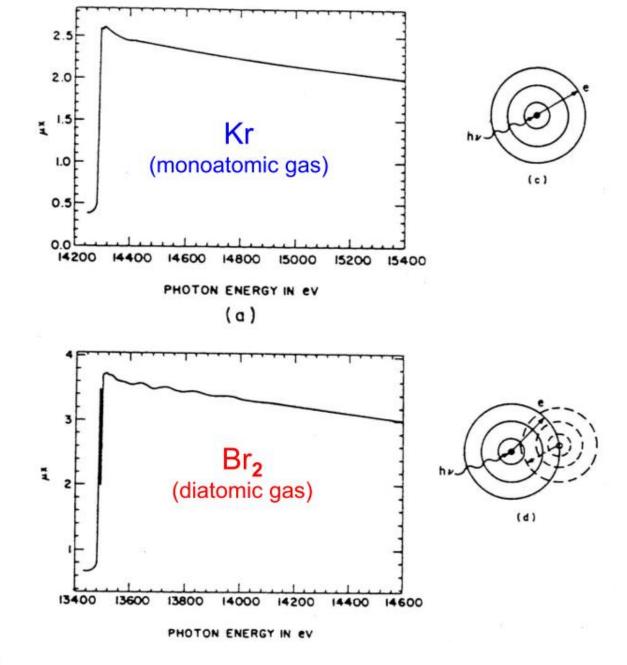


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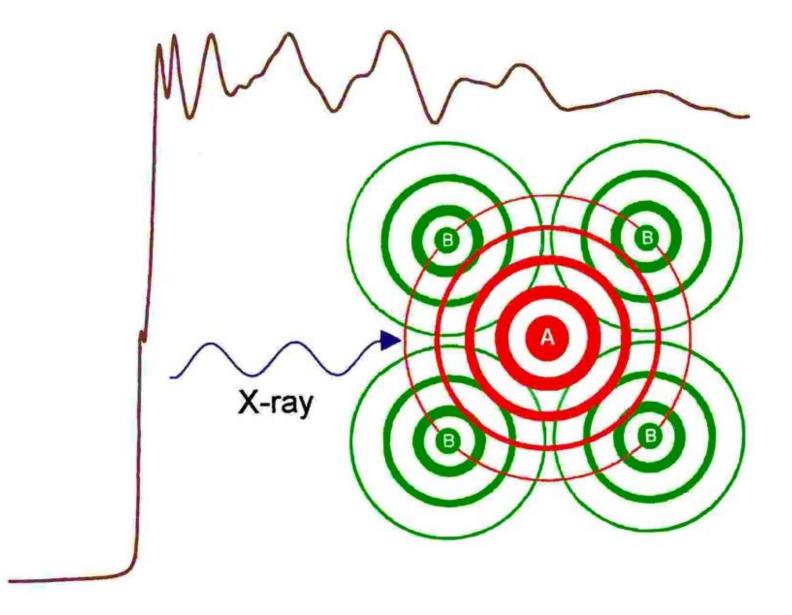
向外行進與背向散射的光電子波彼此間的相位差將隨原子間距離 及入射能量而變化,進而產生建設性(同相)或破壞性(反相)干涉, 造成在吸收係數上之調諧作用(modulation),亦即EXAFS振盪。



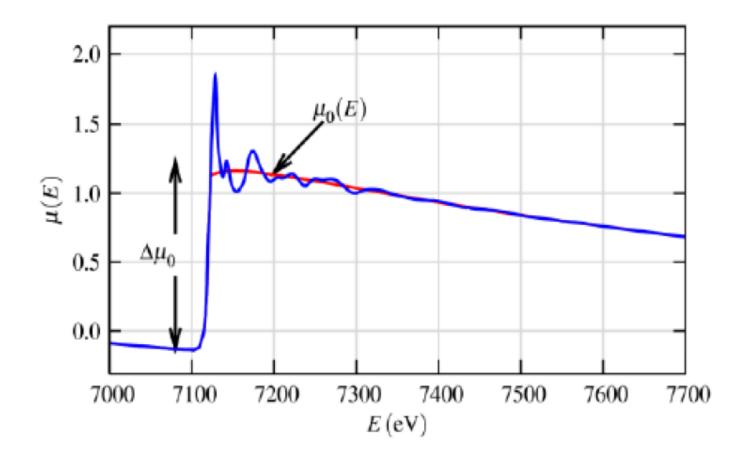








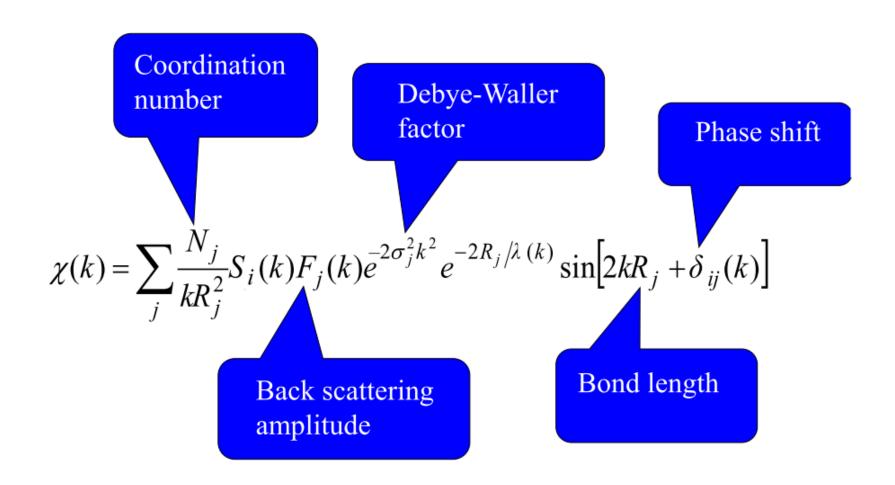




$$\chi(\mathbf{E}) = \frac{\mu(\mathbf{E}) - \mu_0(\mathbf{E})}{\Delta \mu_0(\mathbf{E}_0)}$$

$$\mathbf{k} = \sqrt{\frac{2\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{E} - \mathbf{E_0})}{\hbar^2}}$$

EXAFS函數與各結構參數間的關係式





Structural Parameters from EXAFS Analysis

Structural parameter	Accuracy	Observable spectral features
bond length (interatomic distance)	±1%	frequency
coordination number	±20%	magnitude
type of coordination atoms	± 4 (in atomic no.)	amplitude envelope and phase shift
Debye-Waller factor $(\sigma^2 = \sigma_s^2 + \sigma_t^2)$	±20% (?)	oscillation damping speed

對於每一個配位層皆可透過 EXAFS 數據分析獲得上表中的四種結構參數,以及 ΔE_0 值。



- (一) 吸收邊緣前端的背景扣除
- (二) EXAFS 區域內平滑背景的扣除
- (三) 正規化處理

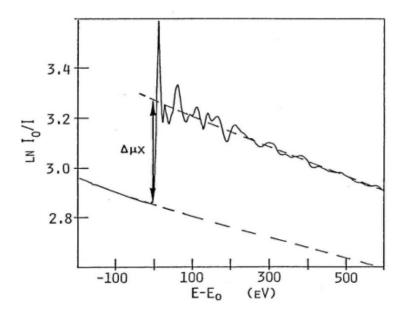


Fig. 6 Illustration of procedure for subtracting the pre-edge and post-edge backgrounds and dividing by the edge jump. The spectrum is measured at Ni K-edge using NiO as the sample.



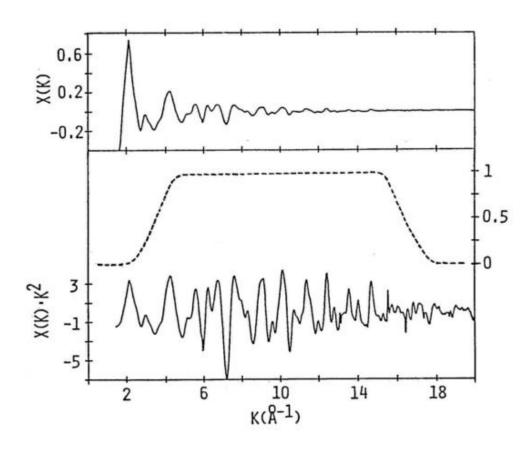


Fig. 7 Background-subtracted and normalized EXAFS function from Fig.6, multiplied by k^n (n = 0 and 2). Dotted curve represents the 40 % Hanning window function.



(五) 傅立葉變換

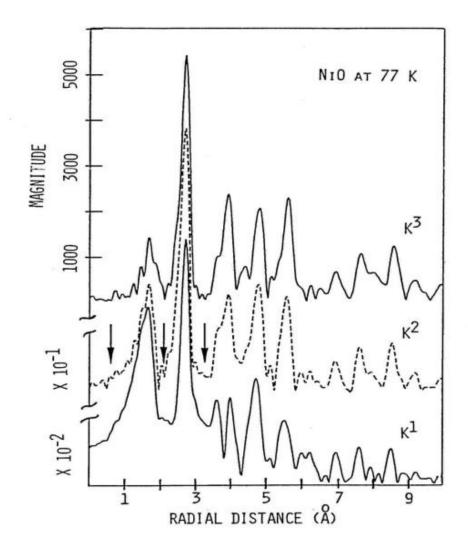
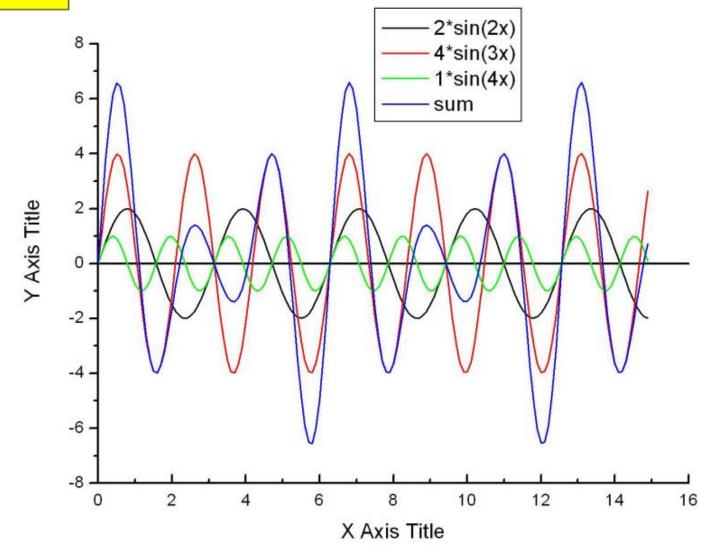


Fig. 8 Fourier transform of k^n -weighted NiO EXAFS. Vertical arrows indicate limits for inverse transform.

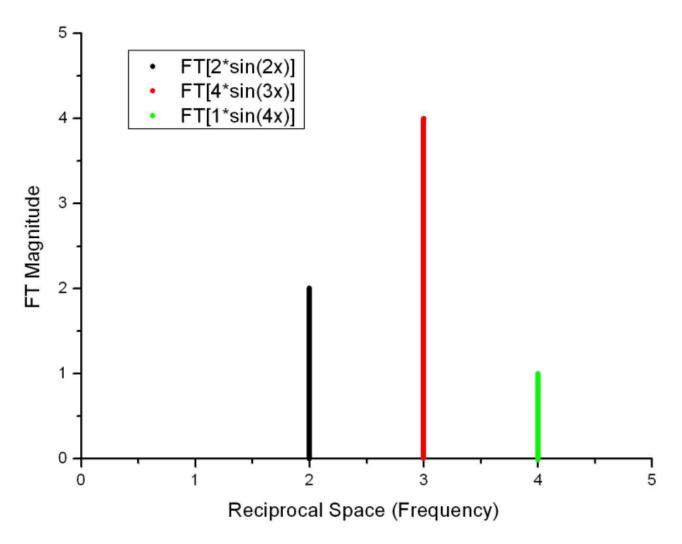


原始振盪





傅立葉變換後





(六) 反傅立葉變換

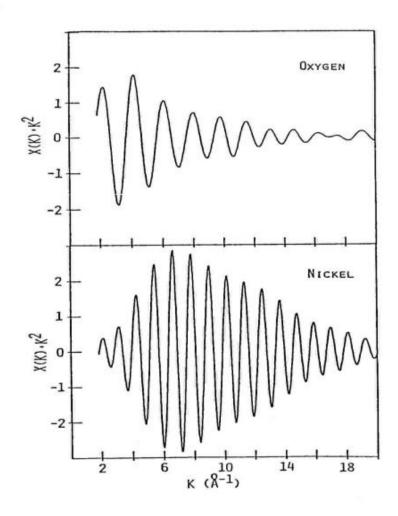
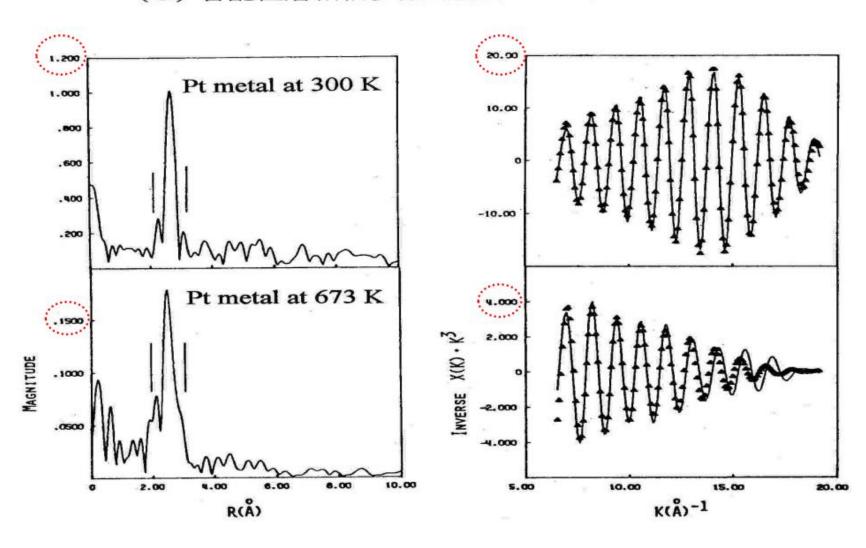


Fig. 9 Inverse transforms for the first two shells in NiO.

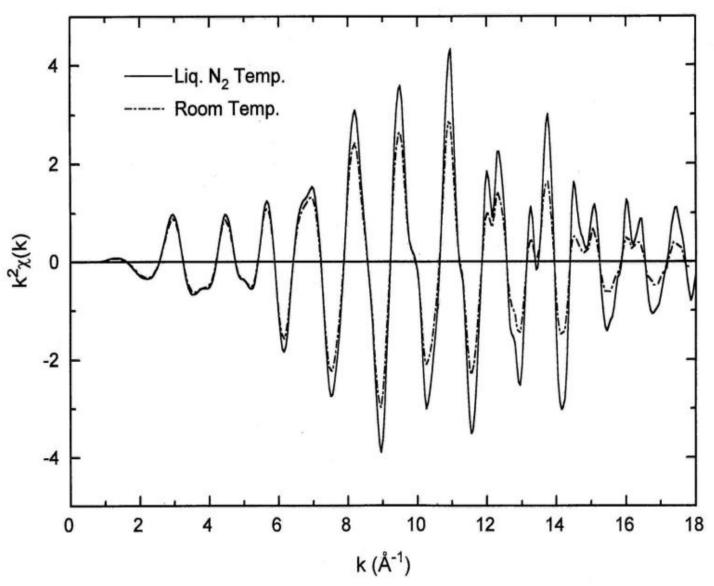


(七) 各配位層結構參數的計算



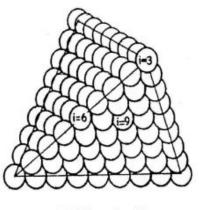


Ru Powder

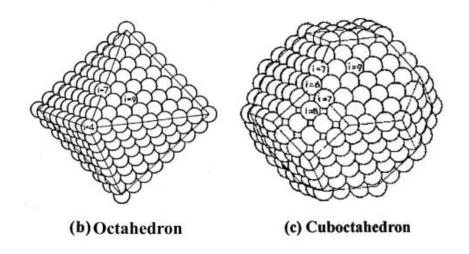




具有fcc晶格結構之三種不同顆粒形狀

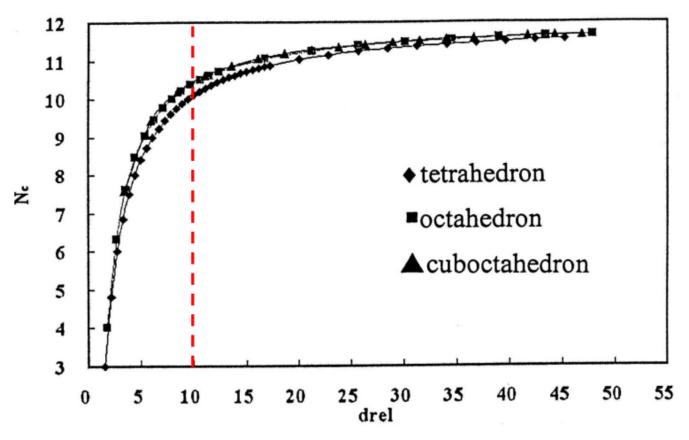


(a)Tetrahedron





Particle size越小 ⇒平均的配位數(Nc)越低

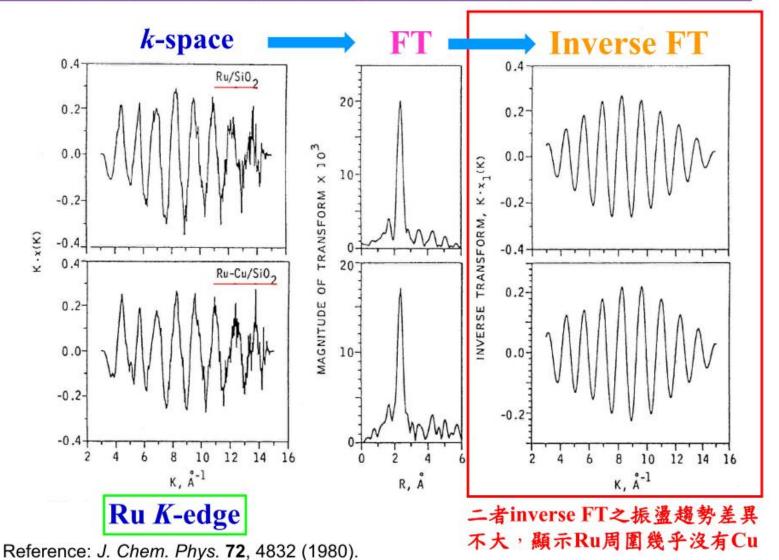


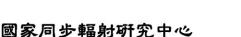
 $d_{rel} = (diameter of particle) / (diameter of atom)$

三種理想 fcc 堆積模型之 Nc vs drel 關係圖



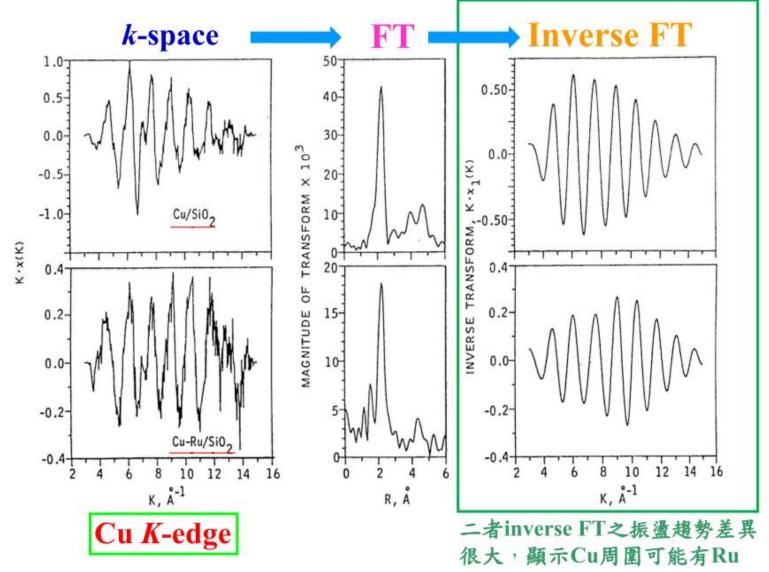
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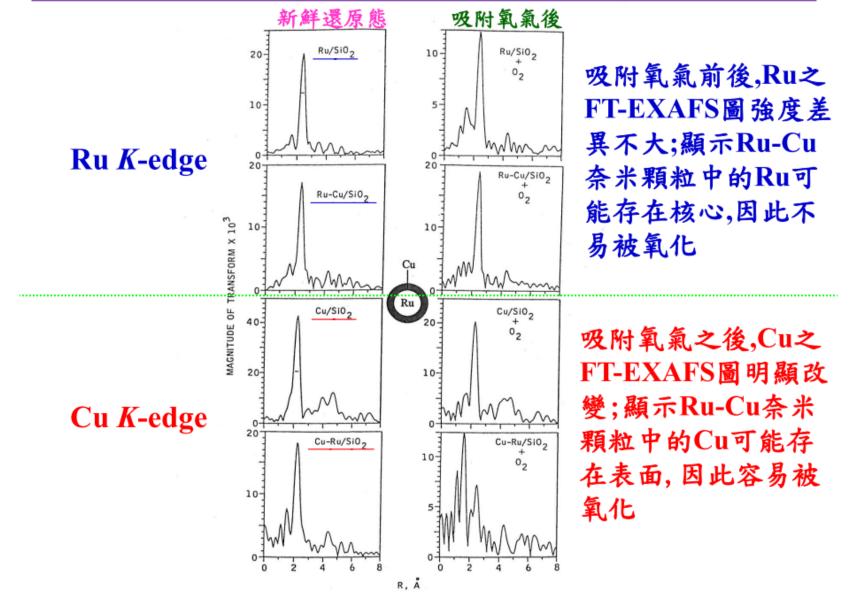
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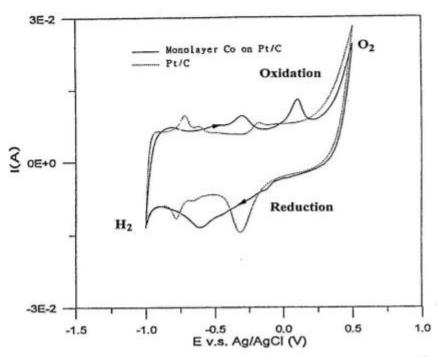
Transformation of Co Monolayer on Pt/C

• Sample was prepared via under-potential deposition (UPD).

• The Co monolayer can modify the reaction mechanism and hence the

sensitivity of oxygen sensors.

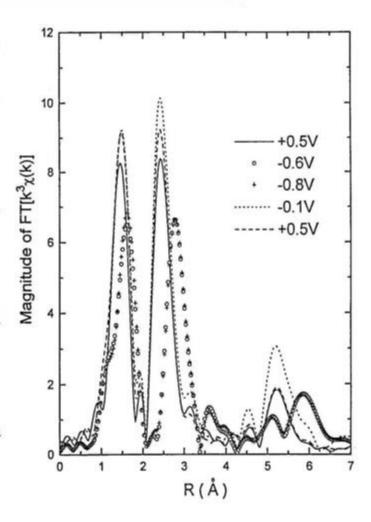
Cyclic voltammograms of Pt/C electrodes with and without monolayer Co in 1.0M KOH solution.



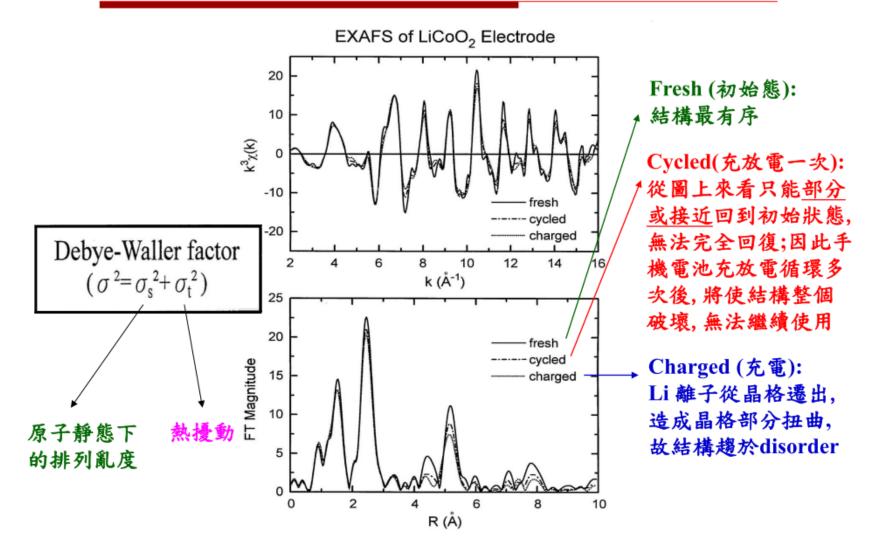


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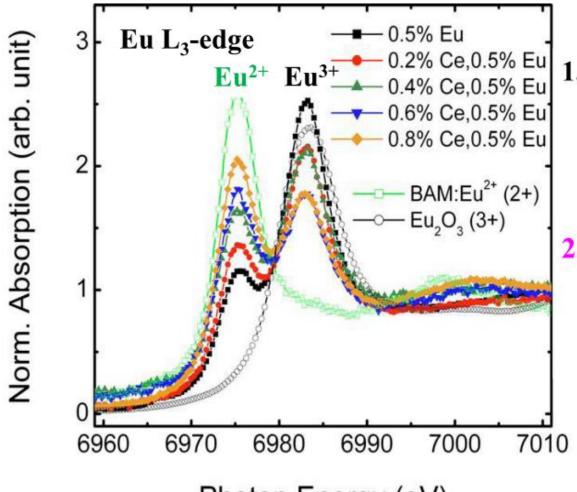
- Both XANES and EXAFS data indicated that Co is present as Co²⁺ species when the applied voltage < -0.5 V.
- Co is present as Co³⁺ when the applied voltage > -0.2 V.
- The changes in electronic and structural properties are reversible.
- If the monolayer is Cu, the transformation will occur between Cu⁰ and Cu²⁺.



EXAFS to probe structural disorder of LiCoO₂ electrode







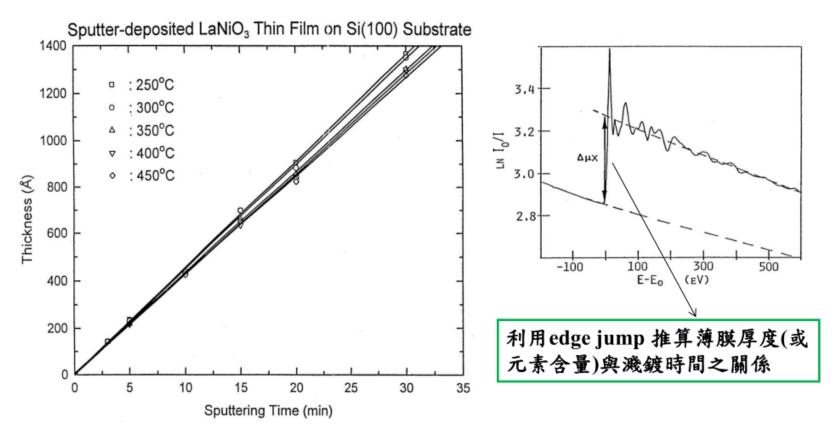
- 1. 螢光粉所含的Eu為混合價態, 只摻雜0.5% Eu的樣品中Eu³⁺明顯 多於Eu²⁺
- 2. 隨著Ce掺雜濃度的增加(Eu濃度保持固定), Eu³⁺的比例逐漸減少; 顯示Ce將電子傳給Eu

Photon Energy (eV)

Reference: Appl. Phys. Lett. 96, 061904 (2010).

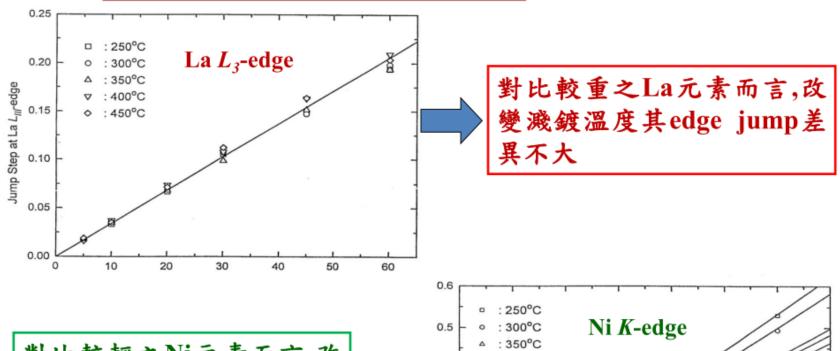


XANES to probe thickness of LaNiO₃ thin film



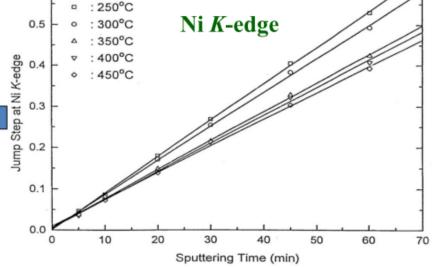
- 1. 改變不同Si(100)基板之濺鍍溫度;其薄膜厚度與濺鍍時間均呈正比
- 2. 基板之濺鍍溫度越低,其薄膜厚度越大(成長速度越快)

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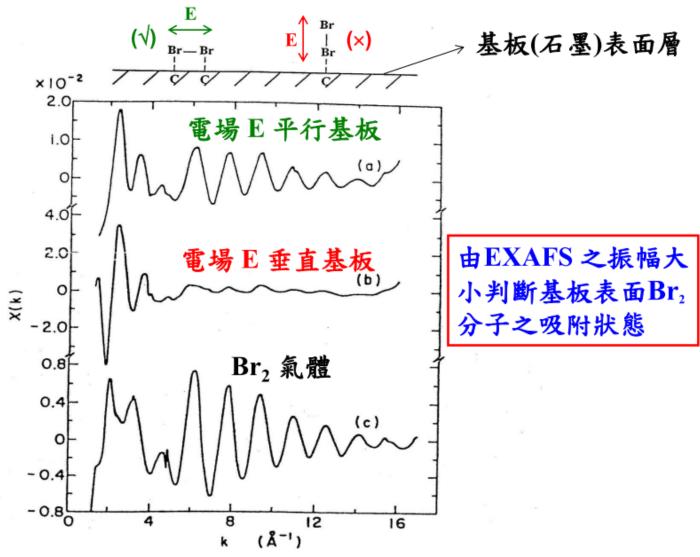
對比較輕之Ni元素而言,改 變濺鍍溫度其edge jump有 明顯變化,且250℃時斜率最 大;換言之,造成其厚度變化 主要是由Ni元素所控制

Reference: J. Appl. Phys. 80, 2175 (1996).





Polarized XAS investigation of Br₂ adsorbed on graphoil sample





Advantage of X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy

- ➤ A powerful structural tool for materials in various forms, including crystalline or amorphous solids, liquids, and gases. Sample is not required to have a structure of long-range order.
- > XANES reflects effective charge density (oxidation state), electronic structure, and coordination symmetry of the absorber.
- EXAFS provides the information of local (< 10 Å) atomic structure.
- Element specific (element selective).
- Easy to perform *in-situ/operando* measurements.



X光吸收光譜之缺點與限制

獲得的訊息(包括氧化價數與配位數等) 為樣品中所有吸收原子的平均值,因 此當樣品含有不只一種狀態下的吸收 原子(譬如存在不同晶相中)時,解讀數 據分析結果需特別注意。



