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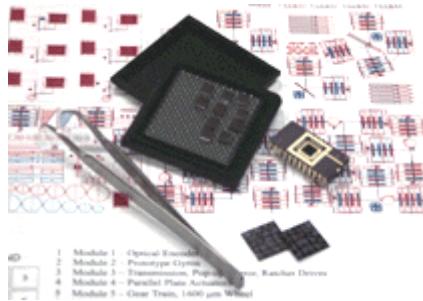
Designing and Prototyping

with SUMMiT V™ Technology

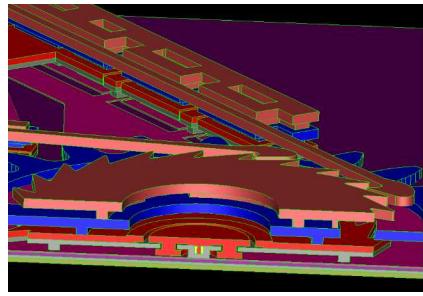
The SAMPLES™ Program Offers Ready, Comprehensive Access to SUMMiT V™ Technology:



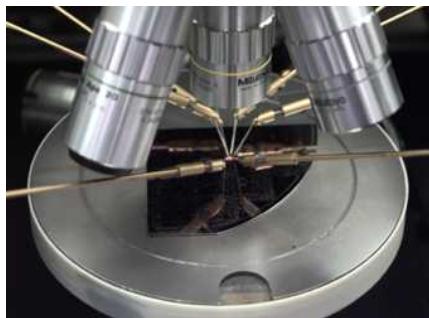
Education



Prototype Fabrication



Design Tools



Services

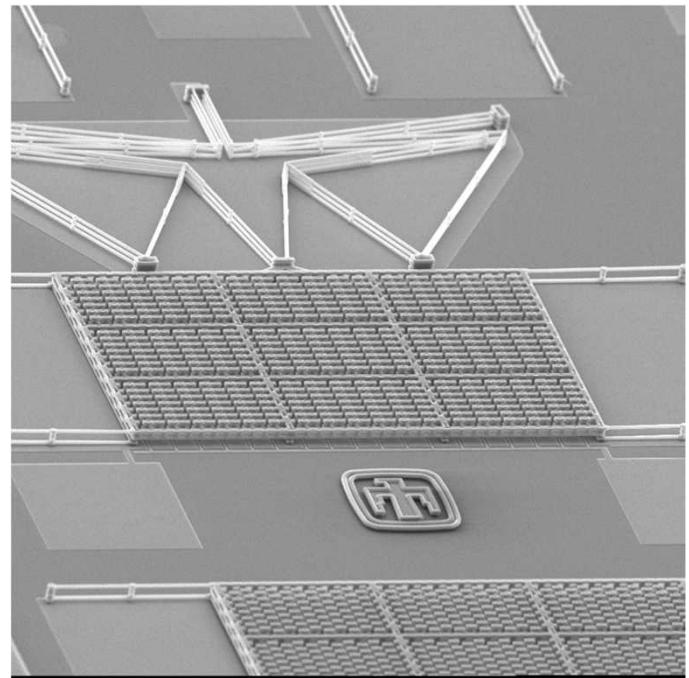
SAMPLES™: Sandia's Agile MEMS Prototyping, Layout Tools, Education, and Services

MEMS Education Through the SAMPLES™ Program



- **Short Course Curriculum:**

- **2 courses to ensure successful creation and implementation of MEMS designs**
- **Taught by Sandia's technology experts**
- **Multi-media, interactive**
- **Compact disk of course slides, also available separately, \$490**





Education: MEMS Short Course Curriculum



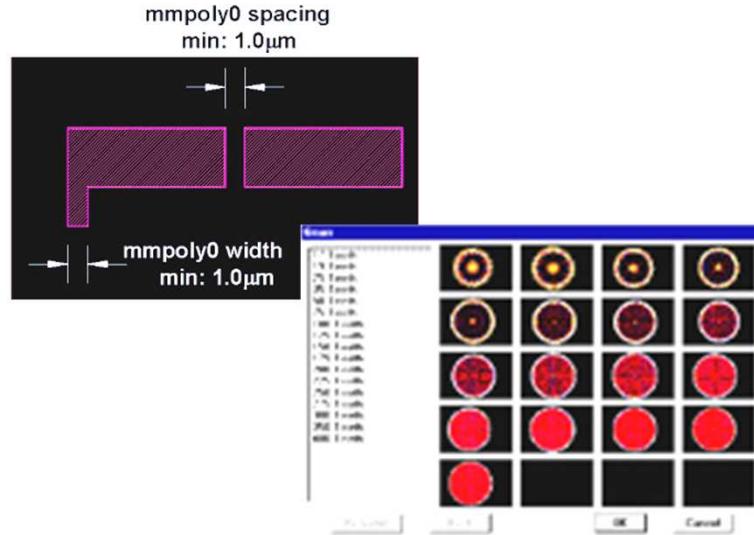
- **Introductory**
 - Introduction to SUMMiT V™ technology encompassing all aspects from design conception to packaged device.
- **Design and Reliability Concepts**
 - Equips the participant to successfully create designs to be fabricated with Sandia's SUMMiT V™ fabrication process as well as addressing reliability, materials, and testing to enable designing with reliability in mind.



SAMPLES: Design Layout & Visualization Tools



- Specific to SUMMiT V™ technology
- Integrated into AutoCAD environment
- Comprehensive suite of design tools
 - Advanced MEMS Design Tools software
 - Standard Components Library
 - Design Rule Checker
 - 2D Process Visualizer, 3D Visualizer Tools Software
 - 3D Modeler





Design Tools: Sandia MEMS Software Tools



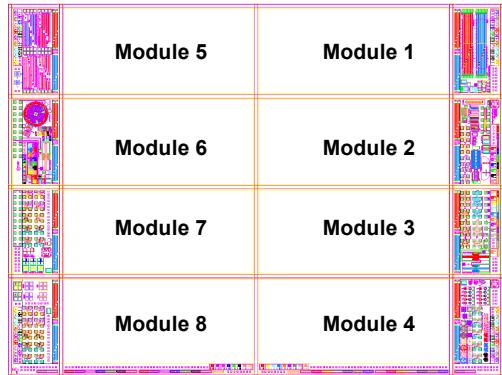
- **Sandia Advanced MEMS Design Tools**
 - Includes Standard Components Library, Design Rule Checker, Prototype File
 - \$5000 one-time license fee
- **Sandia MEMS Visualization and Modeling Tools**
 - SUMMiT V™ 2-D & 3-D Process Visualizer and 3-D Modeler
 - \$5000 one-time license fee

*** It is highly recommended both sets of tools are purchased together for optimal design capability.**

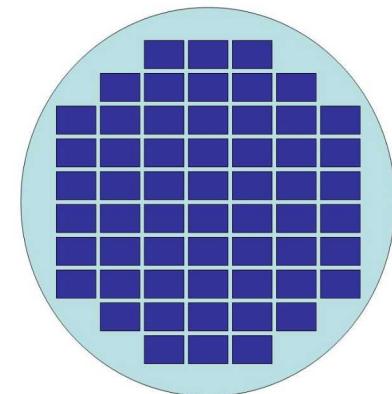
Using the **SAMPLES™** Program to Prototype with **SUMMiT V™** Technology

SAMPLES™ modules are fabricated with the SUMMiT V™ Process

- Reticle size: $16500 \mu \text{ X } 12400 \mu$
- Diagnostic devices help characterize fab process
- Customer receives approximately 100 unreleased die
- Fabrication cost is shared among customers, \$11.2K per module



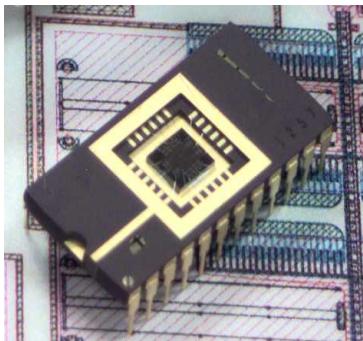
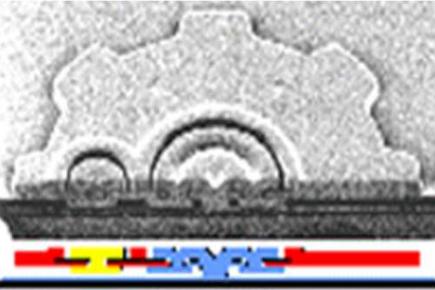
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modules





SAMPLES: Additional Services Available

- **Design Reviews**
- **Metallization**
- **Back-end processing**
- **Packaging**
- **Reliability characterization**
- **Failure Analysis**
- **Testing**
- **Individual specialized agreements**
- **Alternative processing available on a case by case basis**





MEMS Drivers: Sandia Software Tools

- **SuperMicro Driver**
 - Programmable waveform software and amplifier, provides controlled power to micro machines
 - \$3000 (Domestic) \$3500 (International) one-time license fee, available from TEGAM
- **MEMScript**
 - Programmable MEMS control software with analysis features and real-time measurement of performance
 - \$4995 one-time license fee (5% off for universities), available from EM Optomechanical



Sandia's MEMS University Alliance (UA): Leveraging the SAMPLES™ program



Highlights of the University Alliance License:

- **Site license for SUMMiT V™ design and visualization tools**
 - For use in lab or classroom by course participants (1-50 students)
- **Instructional materials from Sandia MEMS Short Courses**
 - Introductory and MEMS Design and Reliability Concepts
- **Training and technical support for a University POC to become a “Superuser”**
- **Opportunity to participate in the annual design contest**
- **MEMS parts for use in teaching**

One-time License
Fee of \$5000



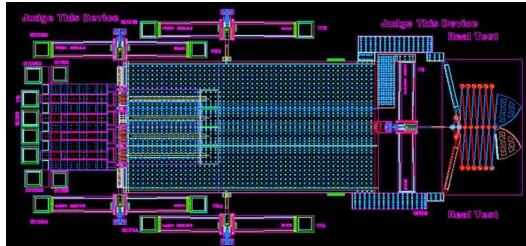
UA Design Contest

2007 MEMS UA Design Competition Winners are Oklahoma & Illinois!

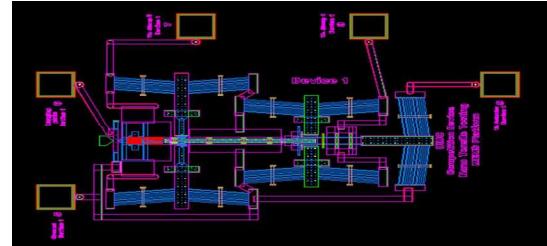
- Top schools have their design fabricated for free
- When possible, first place student and professor are invited to Sandia to present their design
- 1st Place to receive MANCEF membership & MEMS Roadmaps
- Intent to submit due early 2008; Design due April 2008
- All UA schools receive MEMS parts



2007 NOVEL DESIGN WINNER



2007 CHARACTERIZATION/RELIABILITY/NANOSCALE PHENOMENA WINNER



Current MEMS UA Partners

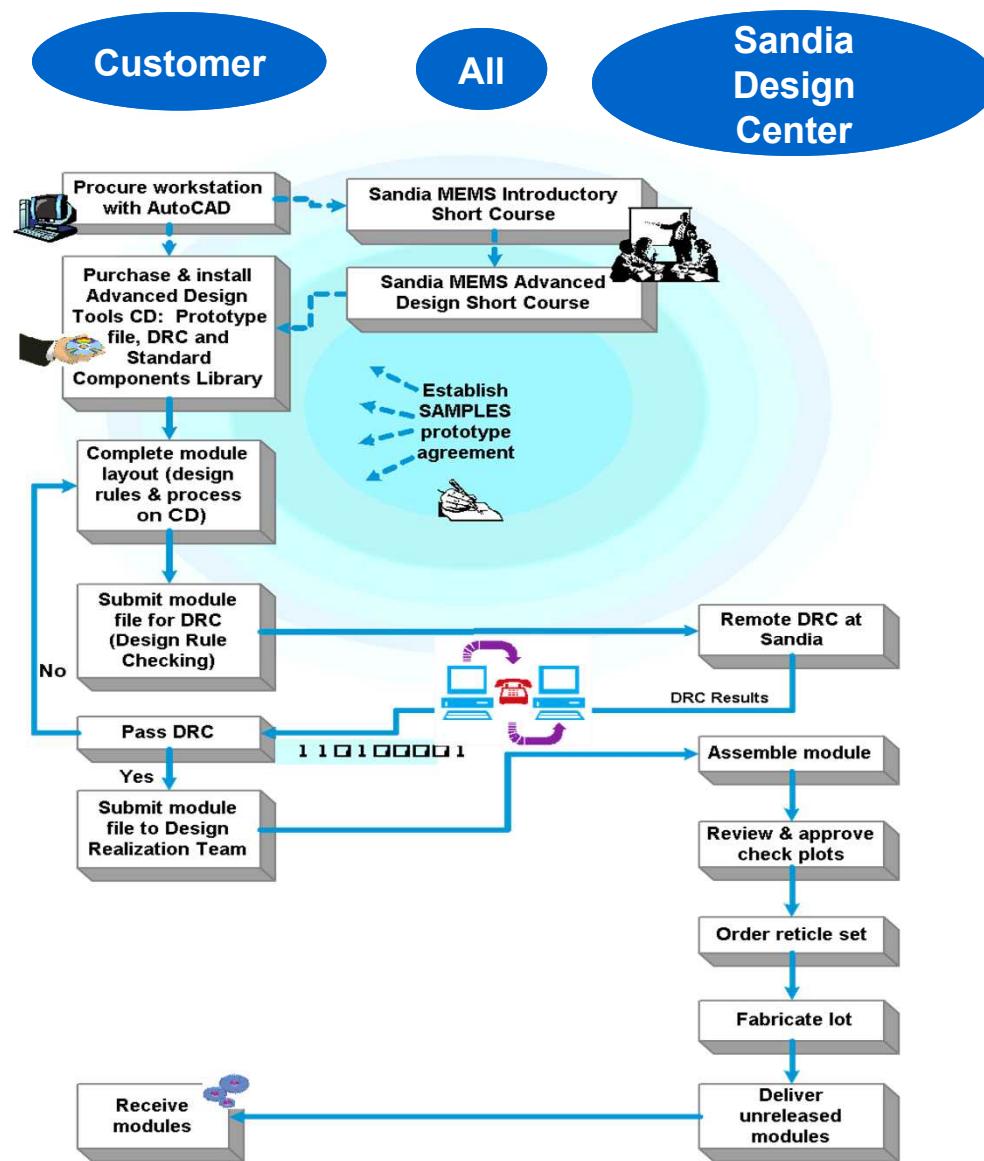


- University of Oklahoma H. Stalford
- Worcester Polytechnic Institute R. Pryputniewicz
- Austin Community College J. Tiede
- Central New Mexico Community College F. Lopez
- UNC-Charlotte H. Estrada
- Chemeketa Community College C. Watkins
- University of Utah I. Harvey
- Luna Community College G. Gallegos
- Texas Tech University T. Dallas
- University of Wisconsin – Platteville O. Jadaan
- Texas State University G. Spencer
- University of Florida G. Wiens
- Northwest Shoals Community College J. Bonner
- North Dakota State College of Science M. Burke
- New Mexico State University T. Burton
- University of Arizona S. Pau
- University of Illinois Urbana/Champaign I. Chasiotis

Partner Commitment

- Teach degree-level, term-long MEMS course(s) (1-50 students)
 - Including SUMMiT™ technology and/or design tools
- Designate and support a Superuser
 - An on-site SUMMiT™ technology and design expert

Participation in the SAMPLES™ Program:



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