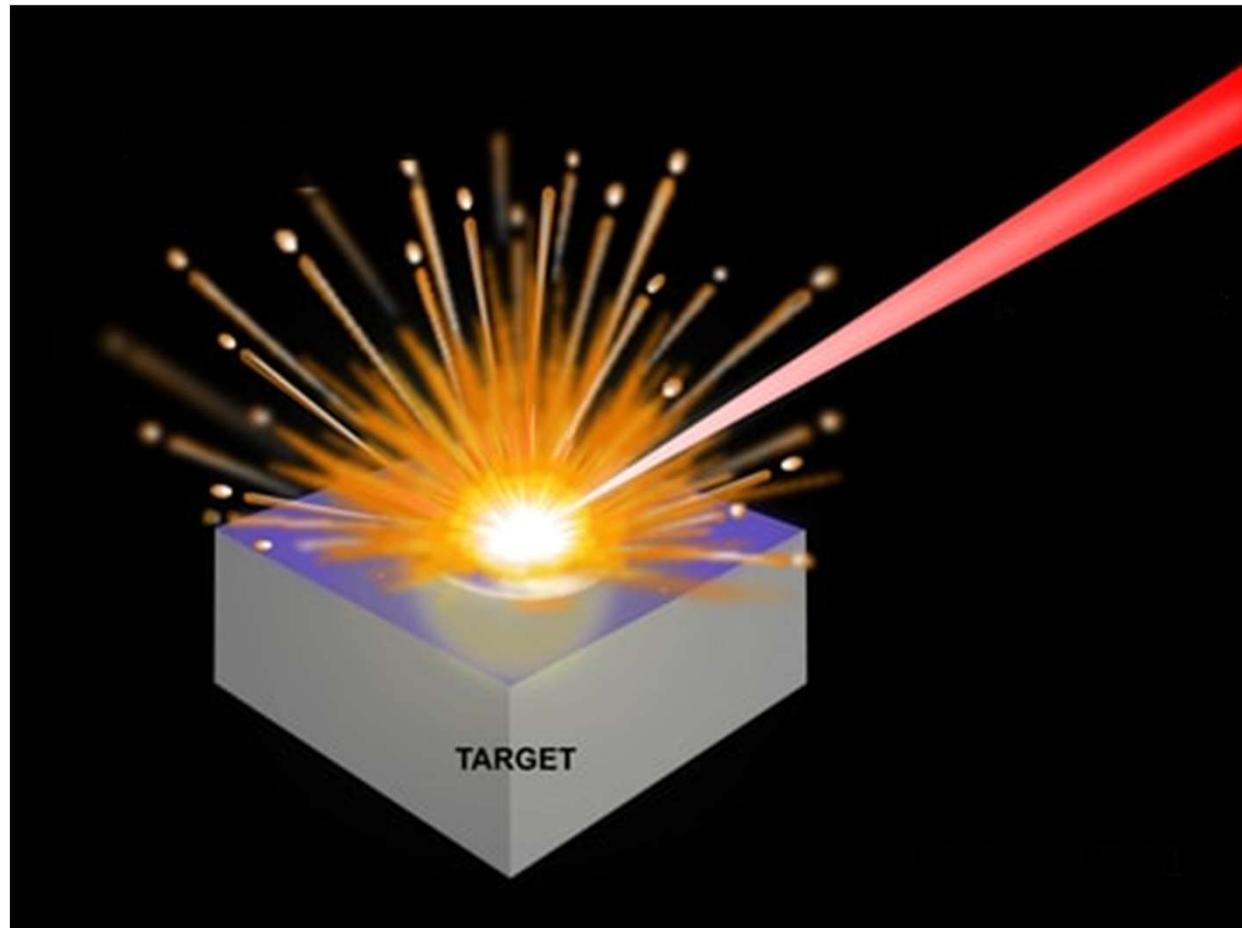


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Surface Physics Laboratory



Fields of Interest

I. Surface analysis

- XPS (X-ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy)
- AES (Auger Electron Spectroscopy)

II. Mass spectroscopy, vacuum technology and their applications

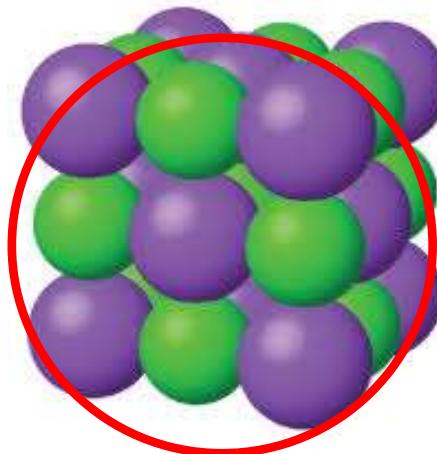
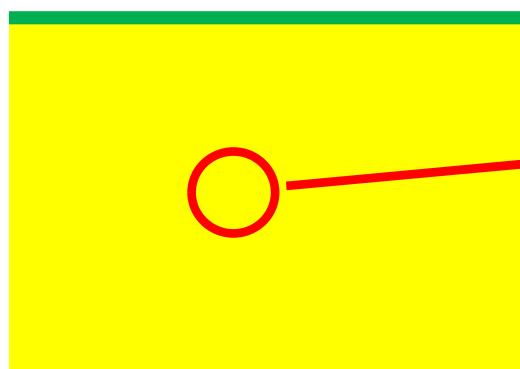
Catalytic reactions, diffusion, permeation

III. Thin layer deposition

- CVD (Chemical Vapour Deposition):
Creation of diamond nanostructures



Surface Analysis - Motivation



Bulk of the body

- Uniform in all directions
- Neighbourhood of an atom is of similar atoms

Surface

- Quick transition between the body and the outer world
- Neighbourhood of surface atoms is the body in one direction, the outer world in the other

Particularities

- Physical state
- Chemical properties
- Composition
- *Small amount of material*



Surface Analysis - Practice

Importance of Surface → Applications

- Micro- and nanostructures
- Thin layers, boundary layers, optical applications
- Adsorption, desorption, corrosion, adhesion
- Diffusion, implantation, doping
- Semiconductor industry, pharmaceutical industry, energy sector, etc.

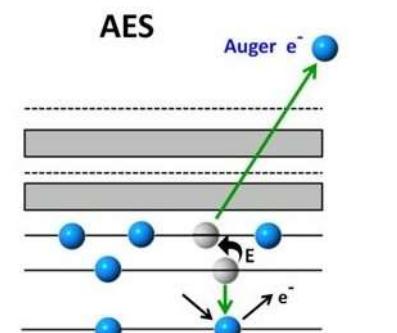
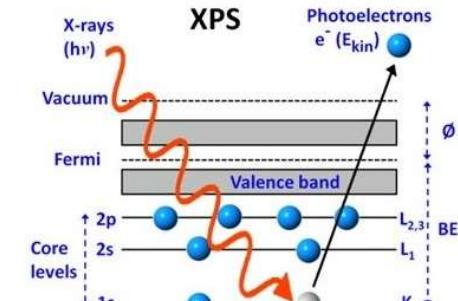
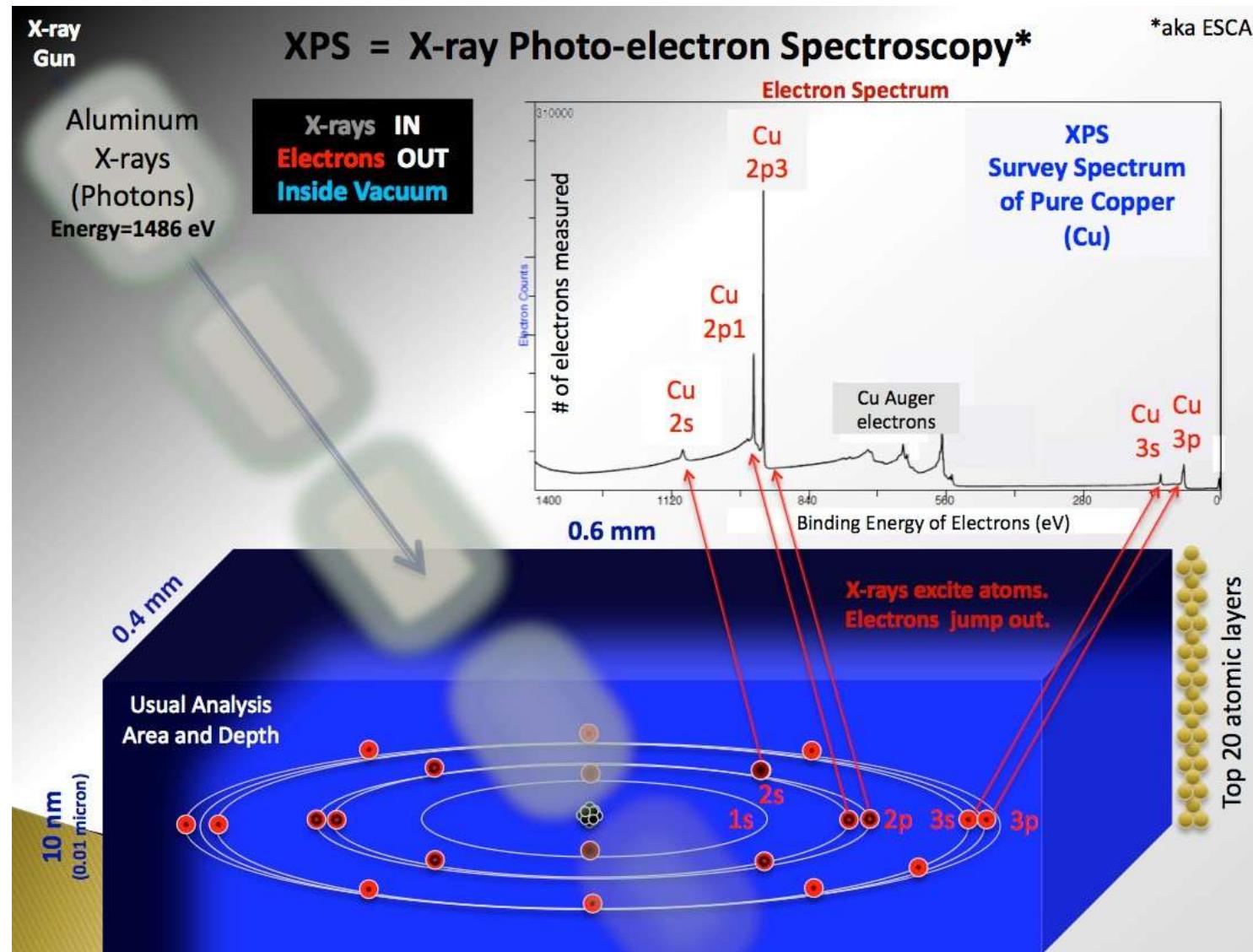
Thesis topics (B.Sc. & M.Sc.)

- **Investigation of surface compositions, contaminants and chemical states**
- **Elemental analysis**
- **Investigation of effects of sample thinning**



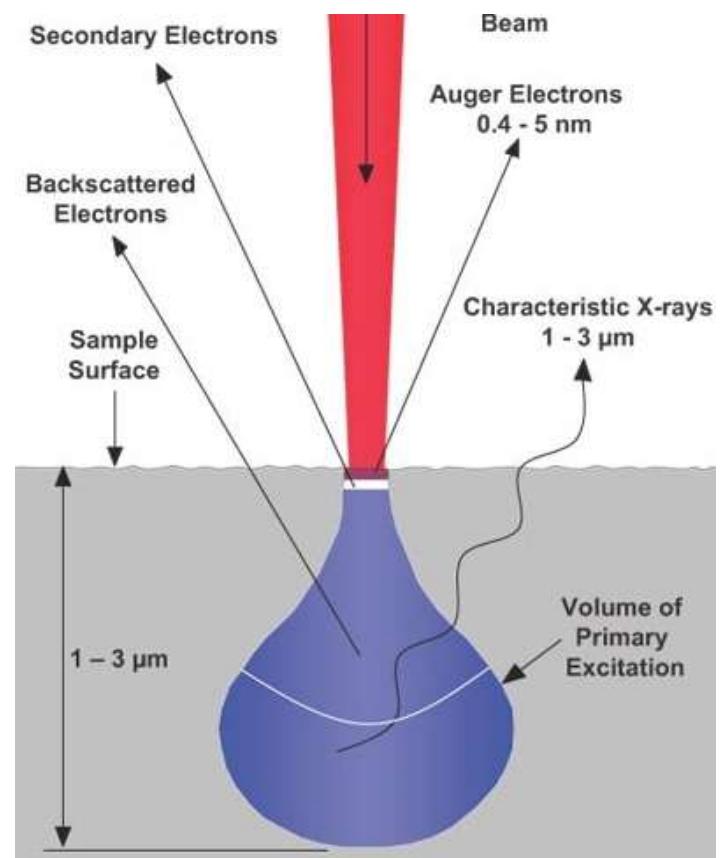
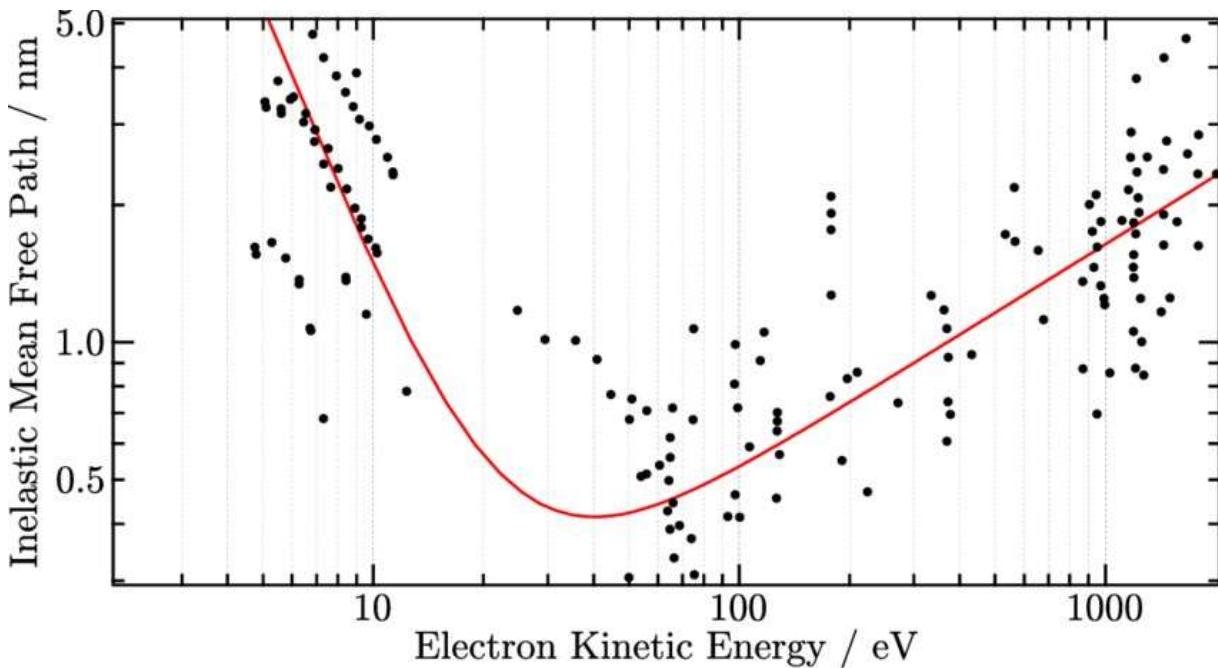
Surface Analysis – Apparatus I

XPS-AES background



Surface Analysis – Apparatus II

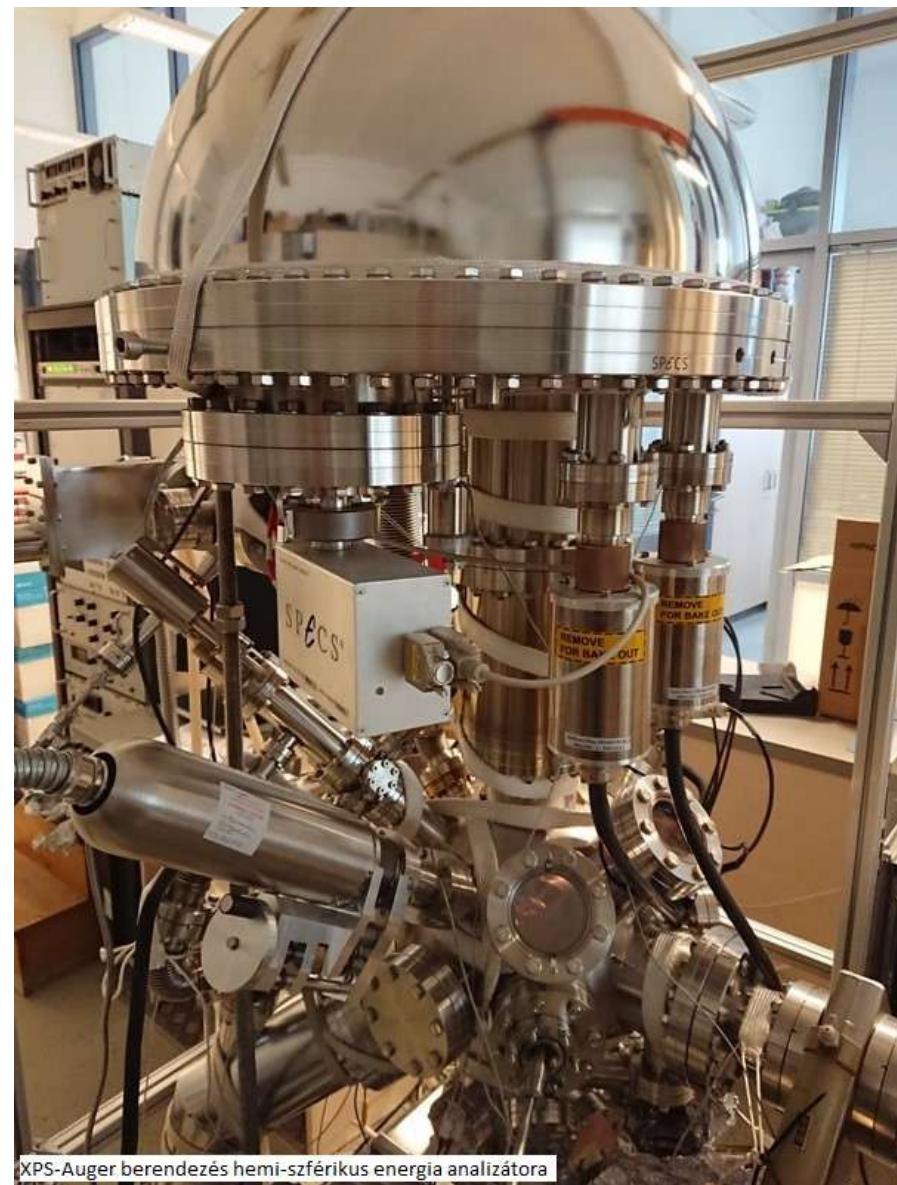
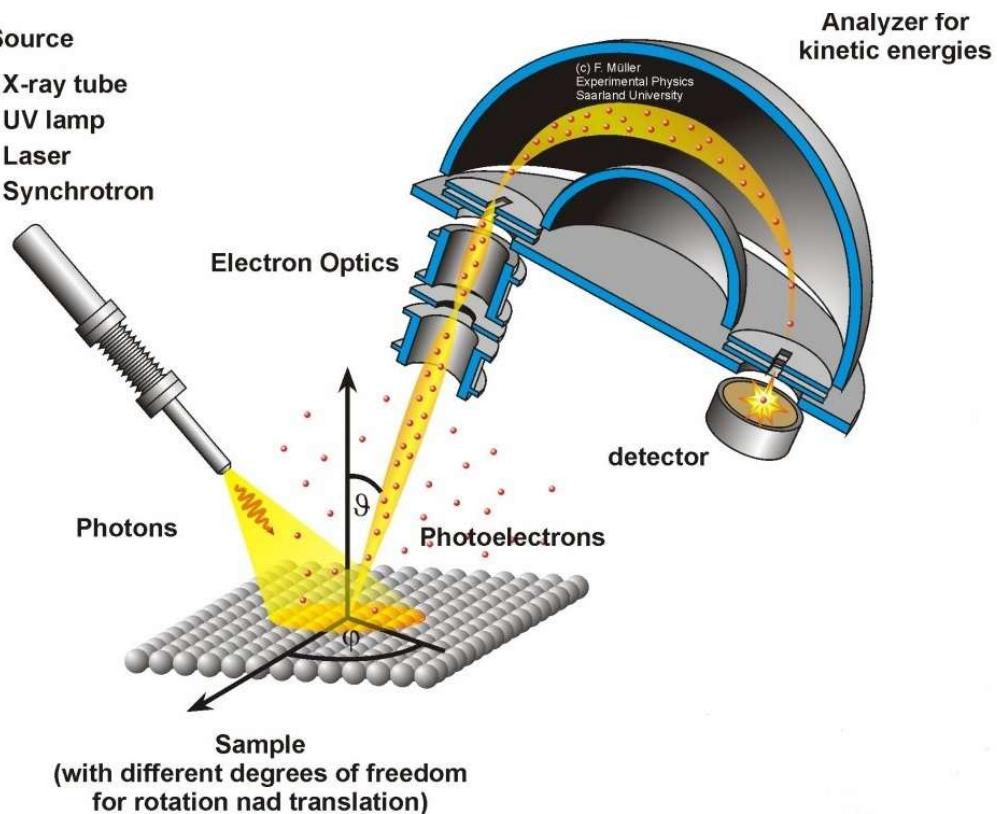
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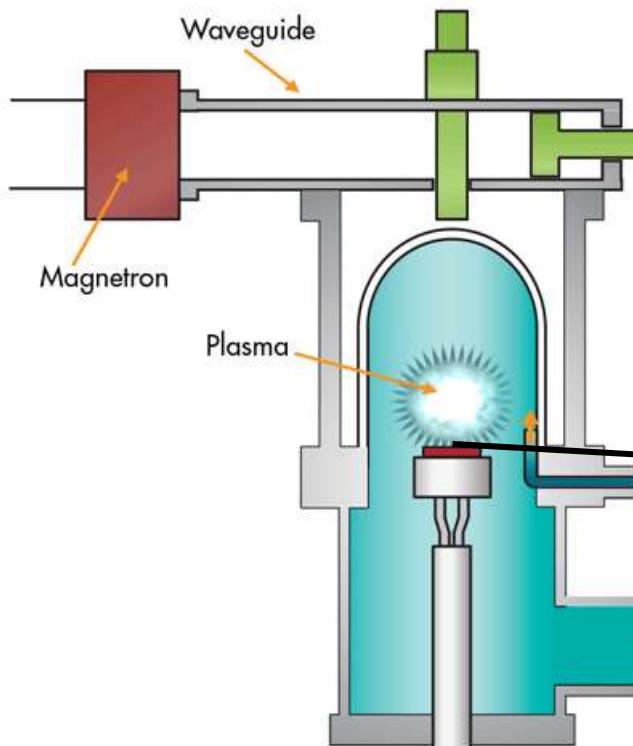
Surface Analysis – Apparatus III

Photon Source

- X-ray tube
- UV lamp
- Laser
- Synchrotron



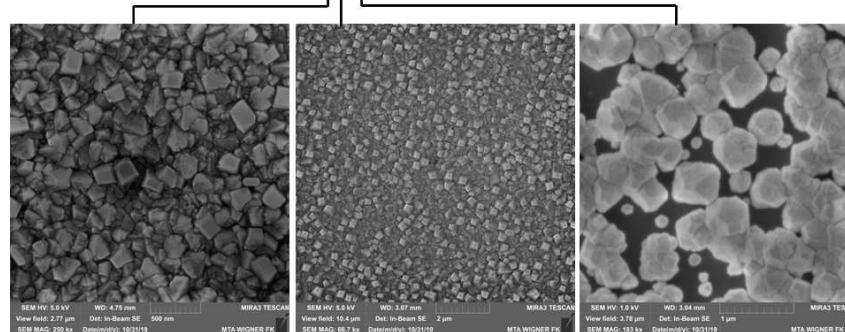
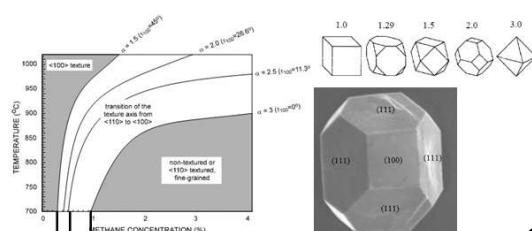
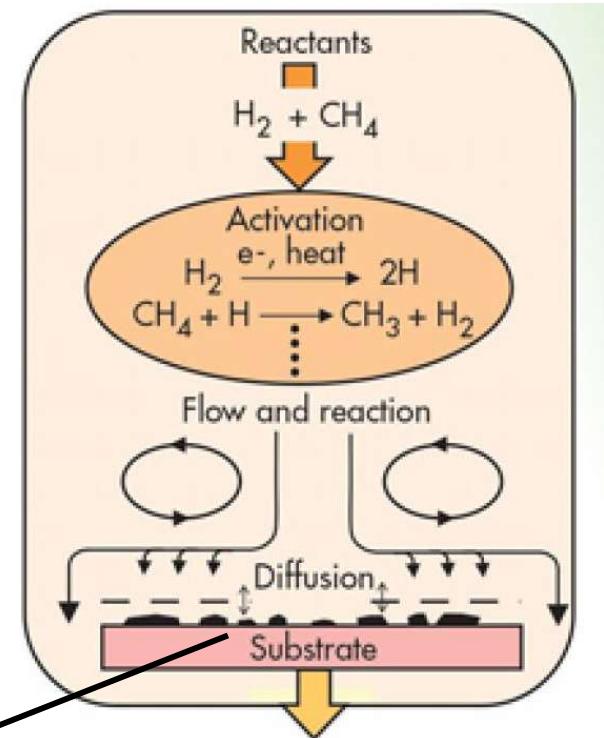
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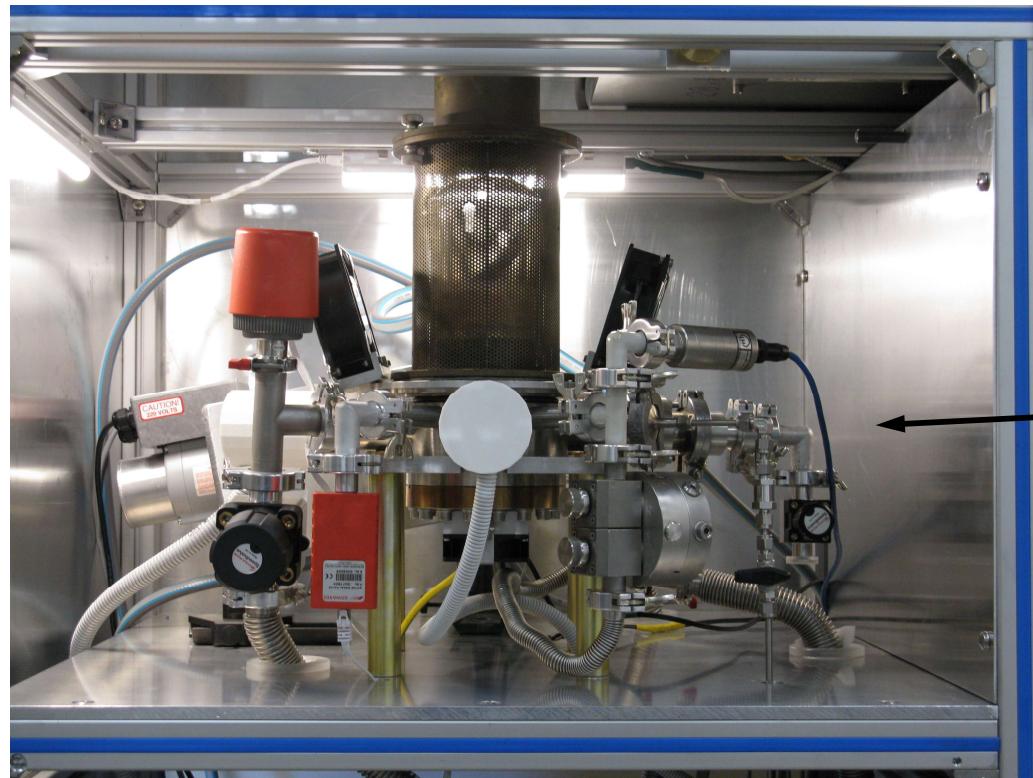
CVD: Chemical Vapour Deposition

Source gases + Activation

→ Layer deposition

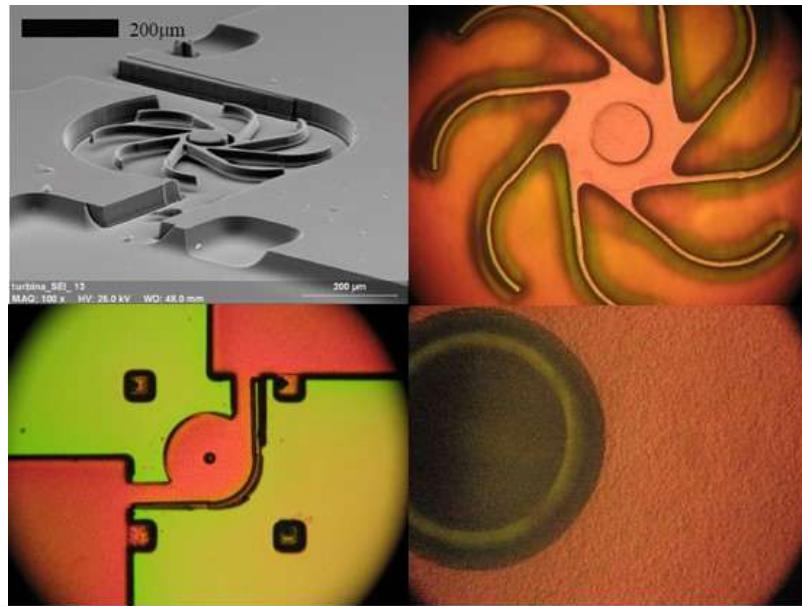
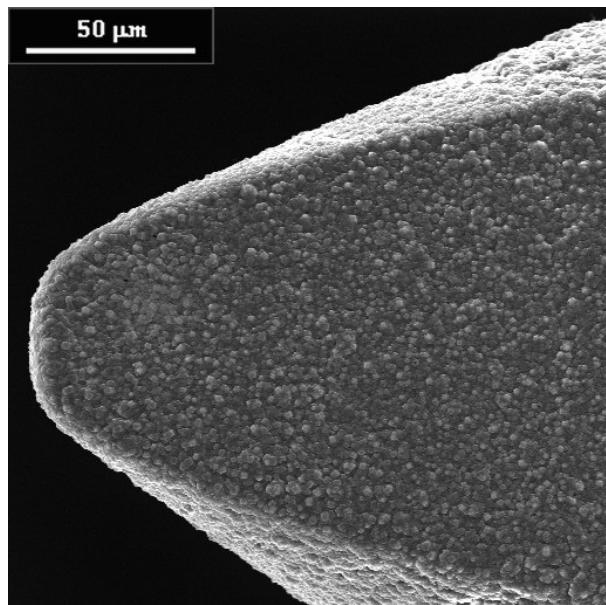


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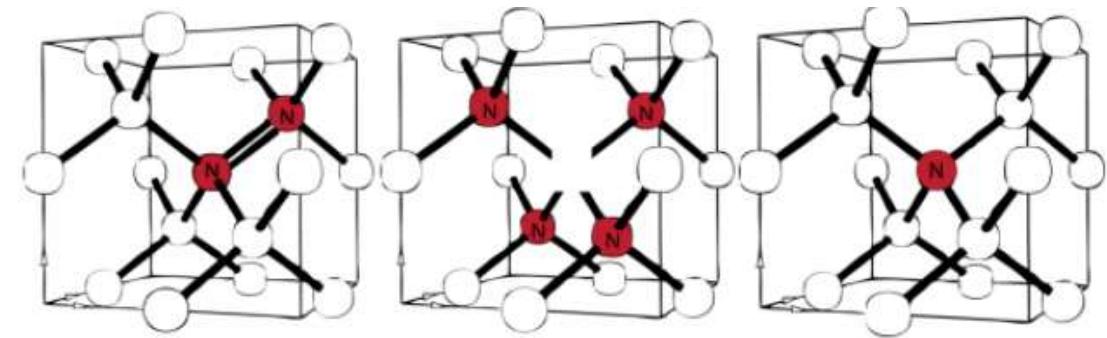
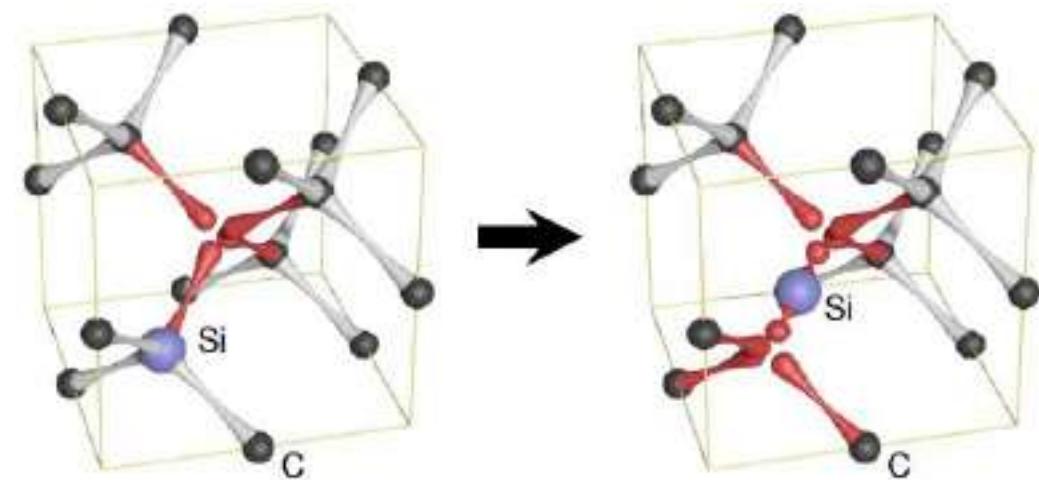


Synthesis of surface micro- and nanostructures

MEMS



Color Centers



Synthesis of surface micro- and nanostructures

Practical application of diamond layers

- Extreme hardness and heat conductivity
- Chemically inert and biocompatible
- High optical transmission
- Possibility of well-defined colour centres (SiV, NV)
- Applications in nanotechnology, semiconductor industry, sensorics, quantum optics, quantum informatics, photonic industry,

Thesis topics (B.Sc. & M.Sc.)

- **Analysis of doping materials as colour centres**
- **Plasmonic amplification of photoemission of nanodiamond structures with optically active defects**
- **Analysis of nanodiamond layers, as matrixmaterials for color centres**

