#### 16th Asia and South Pacific Design Automation Conference

#### Session 9D: Friday, January 28, 16:00-18:00 @ Room 416+417 Panel Discussion: Advanced packaging and 3D Technologies

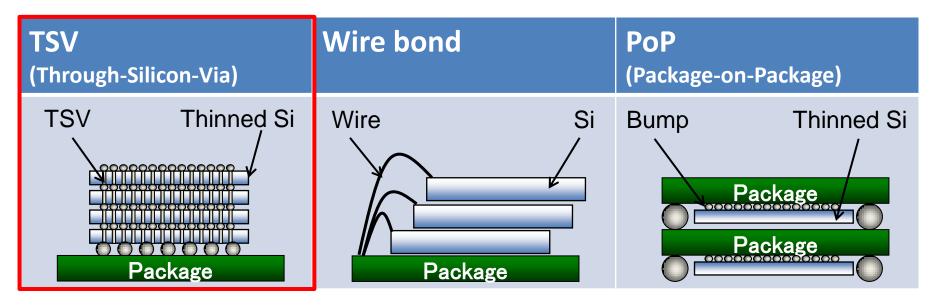
3D packaging is a key technology to satisfy a growing demand to realize highly integrated system and memory. The panel session explores the technologies of three dimensional

stacked chips and discusses the challenges to design and test of such integrated chips.

## Time table

Plan		Speaker	
5 min	Introductory talk	- Basic 3D integraion	Moderator
15 min	Position talk	-3D technology -Situation in Europe	Dr. Plas Imec
15 min	Position talk	-3D technology -Situation in Asia	Dr. Ezawa Toshiba
15 min	Position talk	-3D technology -Situation in U.S.A	Dr. Orii IBM
15 min	Position talk	-Package technology for 3D integration	Dr. Hiruta J-DEVICES
15 min	Position talk	-EDA technology for 3D integration	Dr. Cheung Cadence
35min	Discussion		All
5 min	Summary		Moderator

## 3D vertical integration



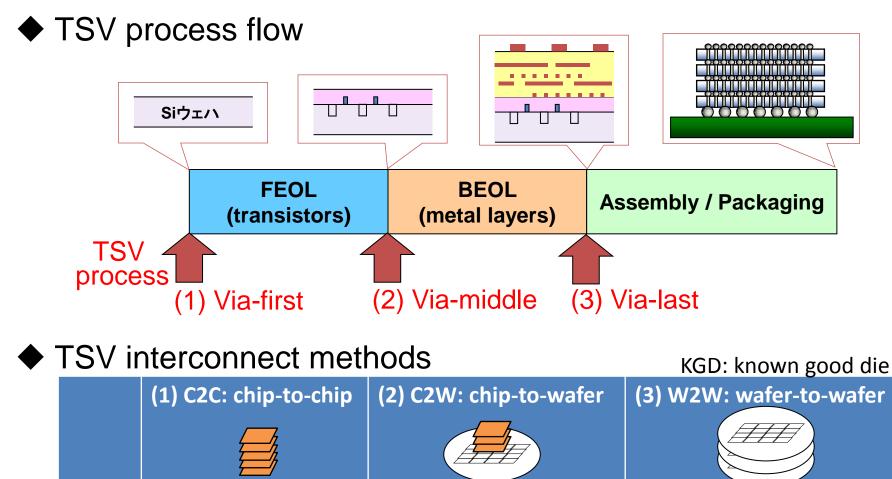
- Benefits
- Small size / High density
- High bandwidth
- Heterogeneous-chip combination
- Low power
- Short time to market

#### Questions

Where the market is for 3D ICs with TSVs? When the 3D-TSV production starts on a large scale ?

- Applications
- DRAM, Flash, FPGA
- CPU + Memory
- Sensor + DSP

## 3D integration process options using TSV

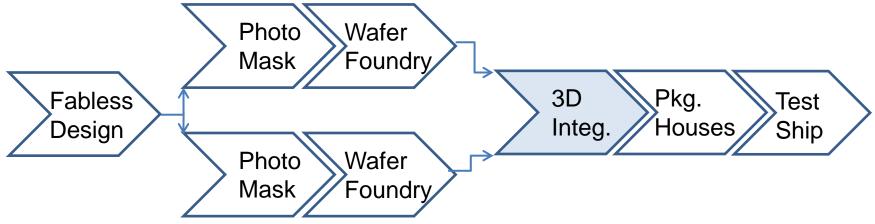


Pros	Flexible Use of KGD	Flexible Use of KGD	High throughput
Cons	Handling, Bonding	Handling, Bonding	Same chip size, Yield

## Supply chain for 3D integration

♦ 3D IC integration process needs various expertise techniques.

=> To make 3D ICs widely used, new supply chain infrastructure must be built.



Example of supply chain for heterogeneous chips using wafer-to-wafer stacking

- Supply chain depends on
  - TSV process flow, (via first, middle, last)
  - Interconnect methods (wafer to wafer, wafer to chip, chip to chip)
- Supply chain needs EDA and test

#### **Question**

Who leads the supply chain to be built for 3D TSV production? IDM(Integrated Device Manufacturer)? foundry? packaging house? OSAT(Outsourced Semiconductor Assembly and Test)? EDA vender?

## **3D-INTEGRATION: STATUS, CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES**

Geert Van der Plas, Paul Marchal

**3D Program IMEC** 

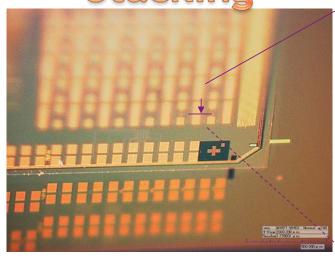
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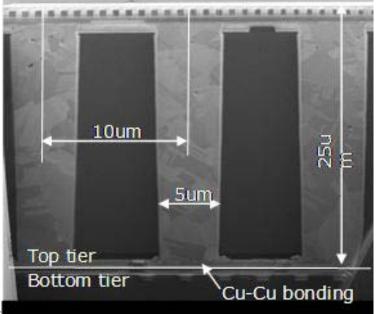
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### TECHNOLOGY STAUTS: 3D'S COMING SOON TSV Stacking



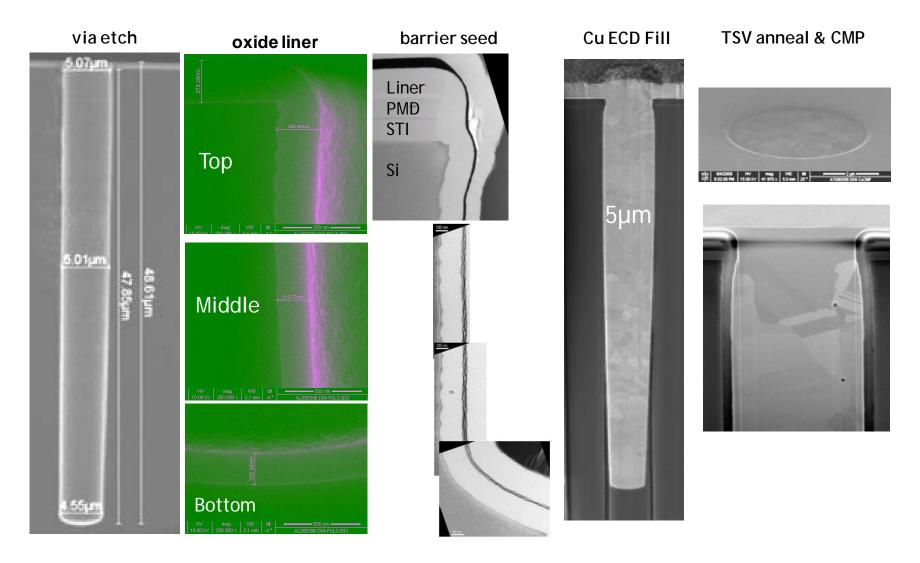


### Key features

- TSV Via middle
- CuSn & CuCu bonding

	CuCu	CuSn
Wafer Ø	200mm	300mm
Cu TSV Ø Si Via	5μm	5μm
Height	25µm	50µm
TSV pitch	10μm	40μm → <mark>20μm</mark>

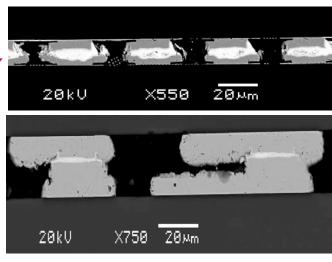
## HIGH ASPECT RATIO TSVS on 300mm

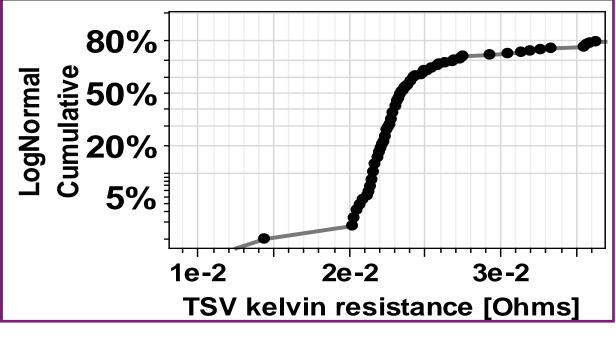


## **3D STACKING APPROACHES**

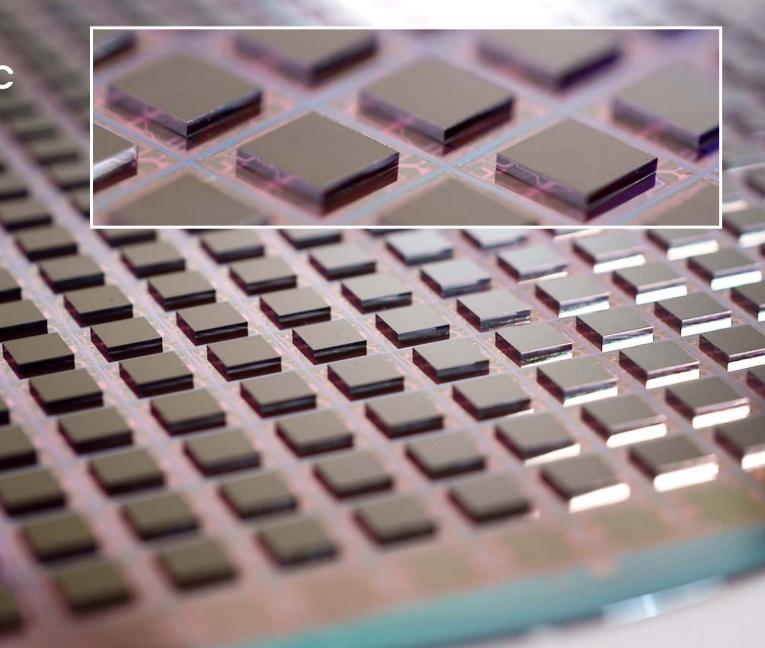
Die-to-wafer bonding approach: "fast" and accurate pickand-place step, followed by collective bonding.

- Process of Record: Cu/Sn
  - Scaling :  $40 \rightarrow 20 \mu m$
  - Cu/Sn Transient-Liquid-Phase, TLP, (250°C)
  - Diffusion bonding (150°C)







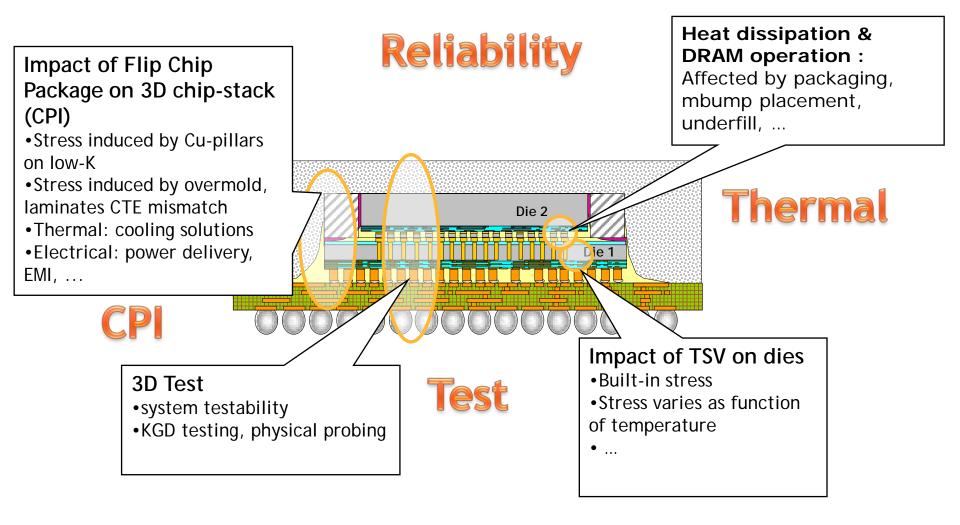




# CHALLENGES & OPPORTUNITIES ?



### ELECTRICAL, THERMAL & THERMO-MECHANICAL CHALLENGES FOR 3D INTEGRATION

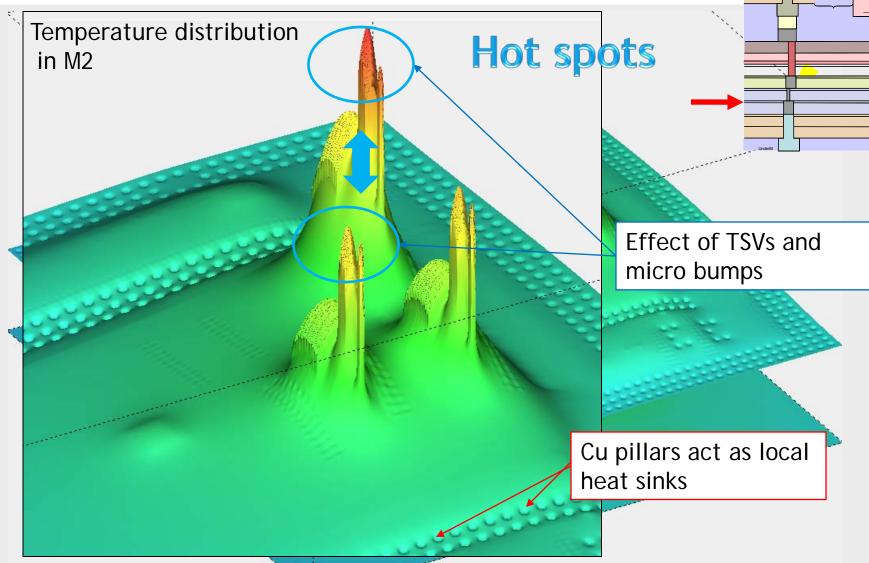


### TSV INDUCED STRESS – LIMITING RELIABILITY

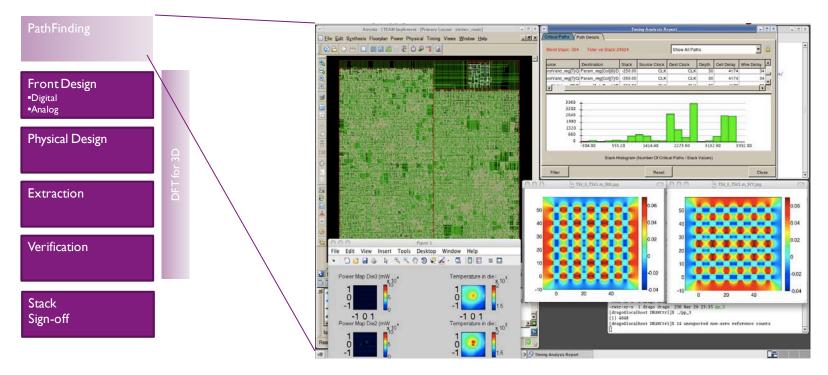
A crack

A 24x24 matrix of TSV at minimal pitch, causing systematically cracks

## DRAM ON LOGIC: THERMAL SIMULATION RESULTS

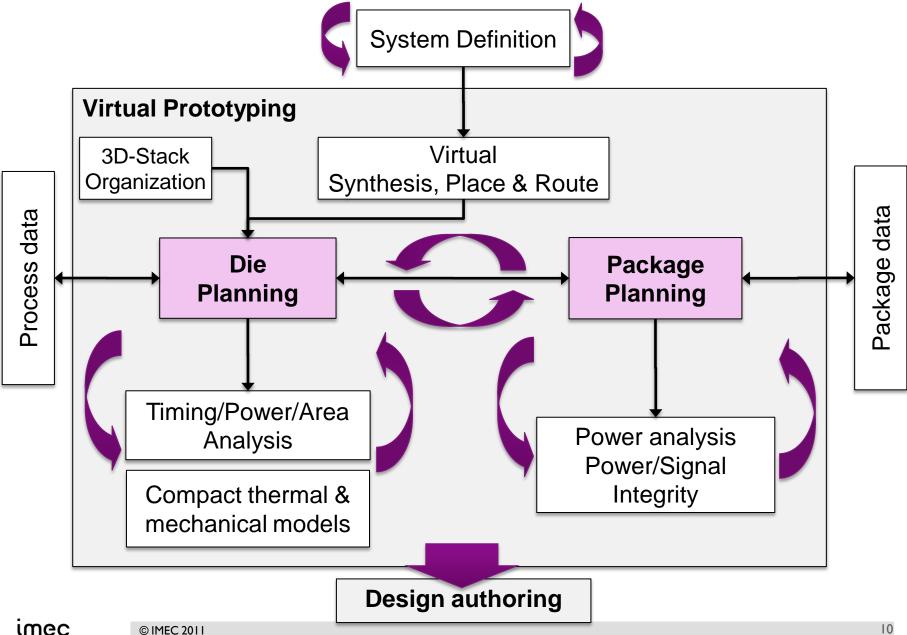


### PATHFINDING FLOW: ELECTRICAL, MECHANICAL AND THERMAL AWARE HIGH-LEVEL DESIGN TOOL

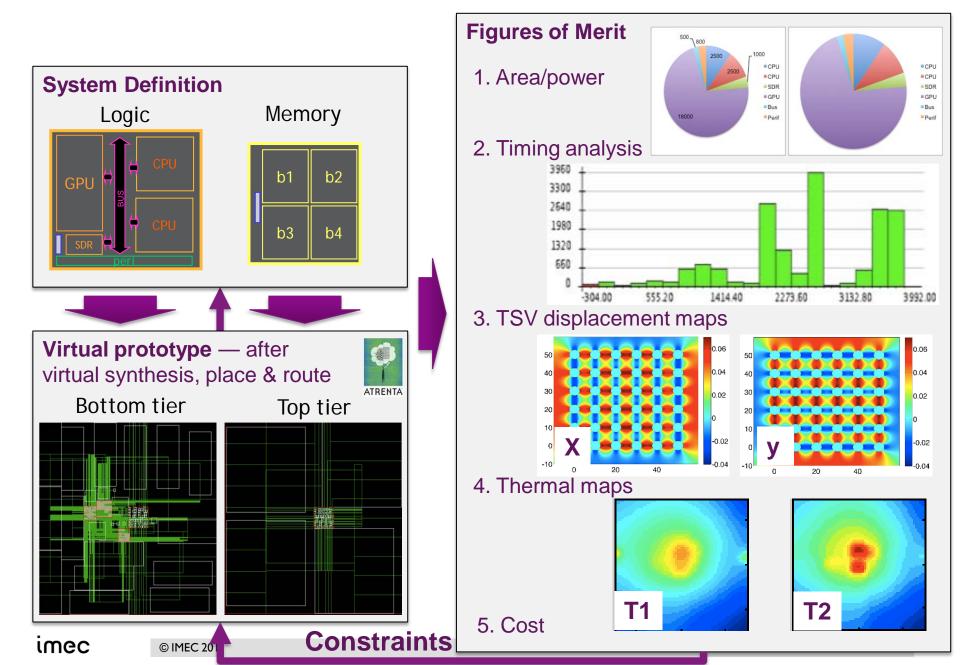


 Quick and dirty design flow" providing early assessment of timing/power/area/cost of 3D product ideas

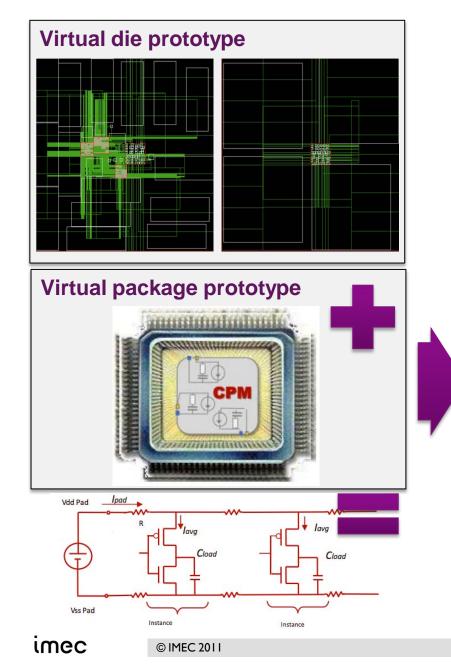
### **Current status of the PathFinding Flow**

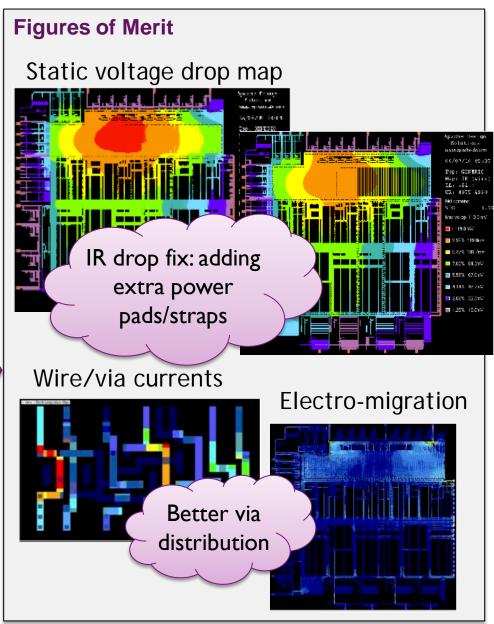


### **Die Planning — Illustration**



#### **Package Planning — Illustration**





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### Charter

- Inventorize need for and timeliness of standards in 3D test and DfT
- If appropriate, formulate Project Authorization Requests (PARs) for starting up an IEEE Standard Development Working Group (SDWG)

#### • Organization & Participation

- Sponsored by IEEE Test Technology Standards Committee (TTSC)
- 54 participants from companies/institutes around the globe
- Chair: Erik Jan Marinissen (IMEC)
- Activities to date
  - Active per January 2010
  - Web site and e-mail reflector for internal communication
  - Weekly WebEx conference calls (provided by Cisco Systems)
  - First formal report due at TTSC meeting at VTS'10, April 20

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### I. IEEE STANDARDIZATION STUDY GROUP ON 3D-TEST IDENTIFIED STANDARDIZATION NEEDS

During the SSG discussions,

the following standardization needs were identified:

#### • Die and Stack Test

- I. DfT test access architecture
- 2. Wafer probe interface

#### Access for Board-Level Users

- 3. Board-level interconnect test
- 4. Access to embedded instruments

#### Test Data Formats

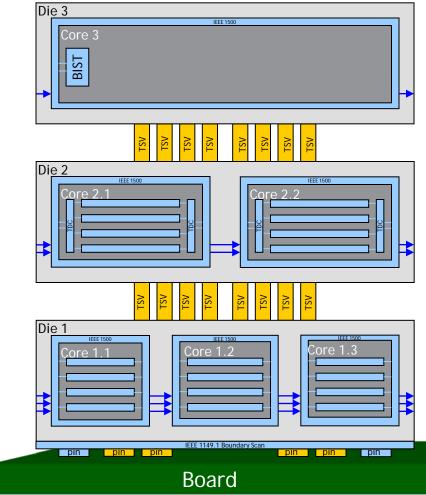
- 5. Wafer map and device tracking
- 6. Standard Test Data Format (STDF)

### 2. IMEC PROPOSAL FOR 3D DFT TEST ACCESS ARCHITECTURE **LEVERAGING EXISTING DESIGN-**FOR-TEST Functional Design

- $\geq$ 2 stacked dies, possibly core-based ۲
- Inter-connect: TSVs •
- Extra-connect: pins

#### **Existing Design-for-Test**

- Core: internal scan, TDC, LBIST, • MBIST; IEEE 1500 wrappers, TAMs
- Product: IEEE 1149.1 •



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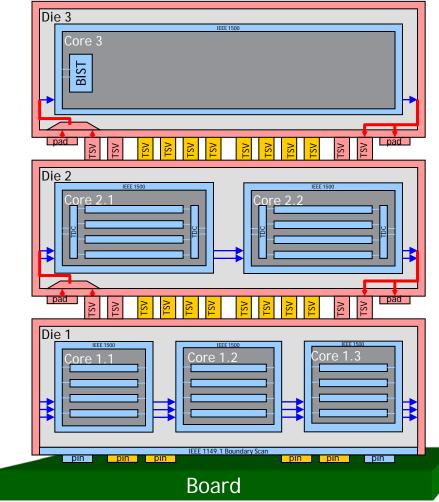
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#### **3D DfT Architecture**

Test wrapper per die

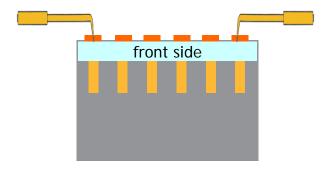
- Based on IEEE Std 1500
- Two entry/exit points per die:
   I. Pre-bond : extra probe pads
  - 2. Post-bond : extra TSVs



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#### 3. PRE-BOND TEST FRONT-SIDE VS. BACK-SIDE PROBING

#### Front-Side of Thick Wafer



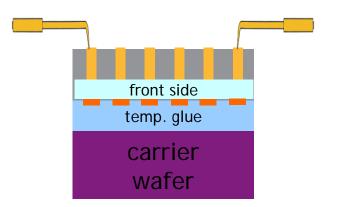
#### Benefits

 Handling full-thickness wafer easier

#### Drawbacks

- Defects due to thinning not covered
- TSVs not exposed yet; testing them requires expensive DfT / test time

#### **Back-Side of Thinned Wafer**



#### Benefits

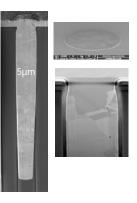
- Test can also cover thinning defects
- Dual-side access on subset of TSVs

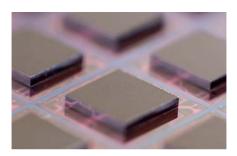
#### Drawbacks

- Thinned wafer on carrier: no front-side access
- Probe force might damage intra-die circuitry

## SUMMARY

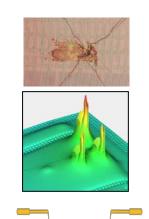
- Status
  - 3D-SIC TSVs mature
  - Stacking solutions available



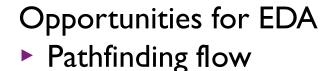


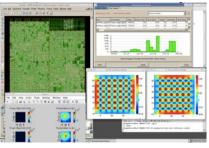
### Challenges

- Reliability
- CPI
- Thermal



<sup>temp.glue</sup> carrier wafer





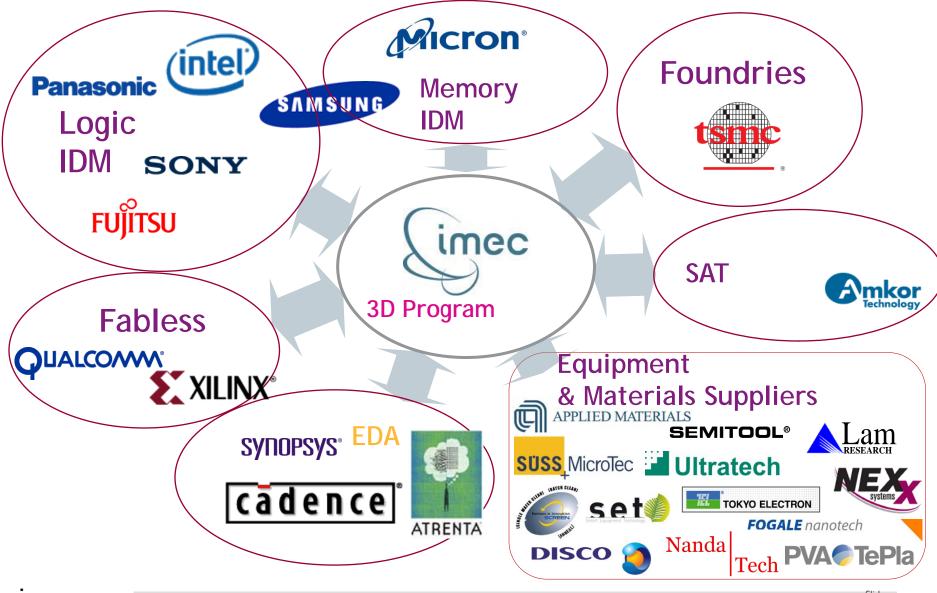
DfT & infrastructure



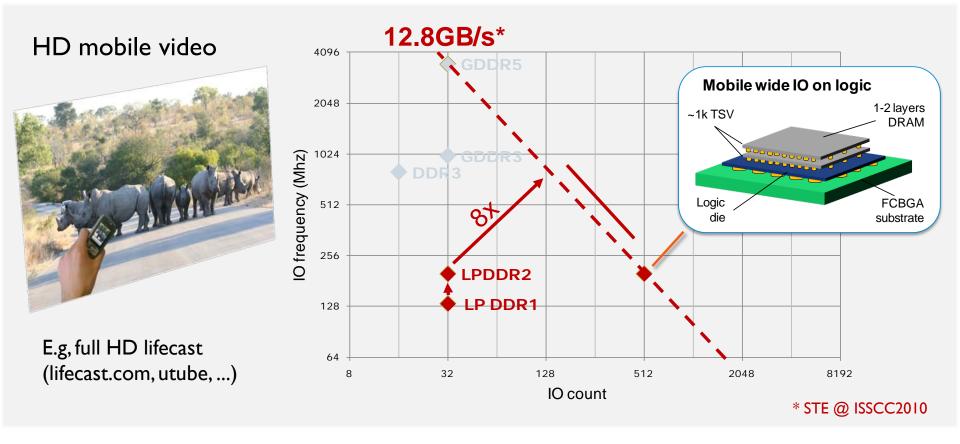
► Test



#### **3D** ecosystem at imec



## TECHNOLOGICAL RULE CHANGING - 3D & MOBILE VIDEO SERVICES



With an expected ~130% CAGR, Service Providers would commit murder for this technology!!!

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"Packaging trends towards 3D integration and synergies between wafer process and packaging"

Hirokazu Ezawa Advanced Packaging Engineering Dept. Toshiba Corporation Semiconductor Company 2011, January 28th

## **Current technology platforms for chip-stacking**

Process technologies for 3D TSV stacking	CMOS i WLP	imager BSI	Chip-on-Chip Logic on Memory	NAND Chip stacking
Carrier substrate bonding	+	+		
Wafer thinning, cleaning	+	+		+
TSV etching	+			
Fine pitch RDL Low temp. curable DL	+		+	
Micro bumping Fine pitch solder joining			+	
Juggling thinned chips				+
+ qualified for mass production in Toshiba	CMOS image sensor Si TSV Cu-RDL	CMOS image sense Thinned Si device CF/ML	Al Pad	Wire bonding

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### **Chip-stacking and TSV : Current Status**

### **NAND** flash memory modules

- <30um thick Si chip</p>
- Stacking 17 chips in a package
- System LSI modules
  - Stacking logic on large-scale DRAM
  - Higher data rate has been realized while power consumption is kept lower.

CMOS image sensor modules (8 inch)

- Reflowable WLP using TSV
- The worldwide first mass production supplier

### Large-scale memory module

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	17 Jun, 2010	
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TOKYO—Toshiba Corporation (TOKYO: 6502) today announced the launch of a 128-gigabyte (GB) embedded NAND flash memory module, the highest capacity yet achieved in the industry. The module is fully compliant with the latest e •MMC ™ standard, and is designed for application in a wide range of digital consumer products, including smartphones, tablet PCs and digital video cameras. Samples will be available from September, and mass production will start in the fourth quarter (October to December) of 2010.

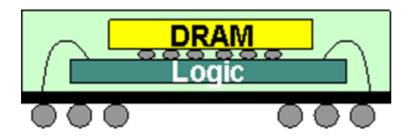
The new 128GB embedded device integrates sixteen 64Gbit (equal to 8GB) NAND chips fabricated with Toshiba's cutting-edge 32nm process technology and a dedicated controller into a small package only 17 x 22 x 1 4mm <sup>[2]</sup> Toshiba is the first company to succeed in combining sixteen 64Gbit NAND chips, and applied advanced chip thinning and lavering

**HP/News Release/Topics** 

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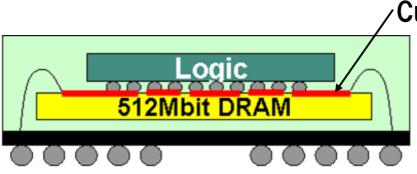
## Structure of SiP with CoC technology

### Stacking memory chip on logic chip



Chip size: Logic > Memory

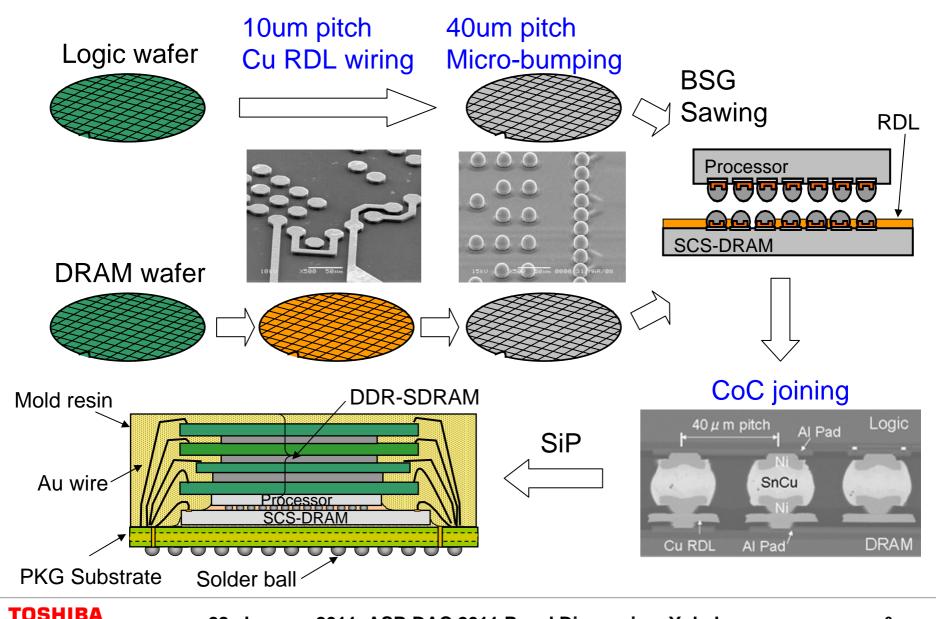
Stacking logic chip on larger-size memory chip RDLs on memory route signal I/Os from logic chip to peripheral pads on memory chip



Cu RDL

Chip size: Memory > Logic

### **Chip-stacking instead of e-DRAM**

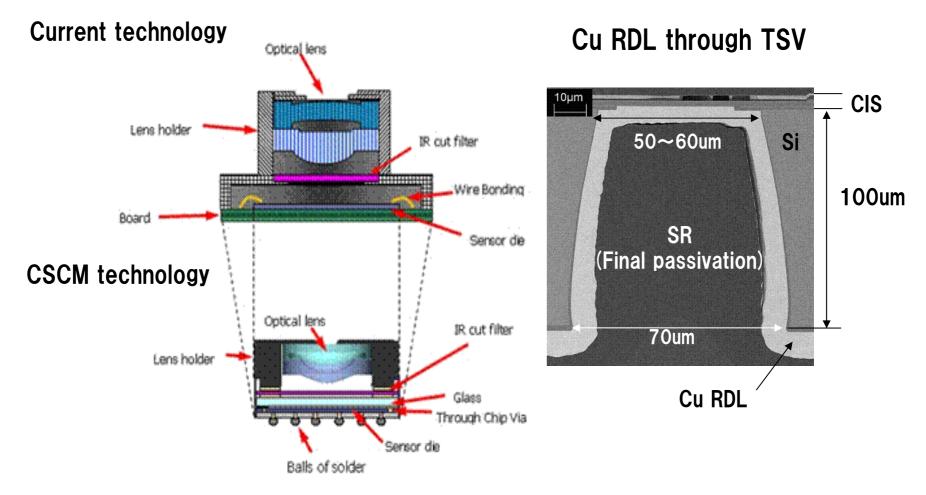


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### Chip scale camera module

# Reduction of package size using TSV Cost reduction



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Chip-stacking and TSV : Challenges from now on

**NAND** flash memory modules

- <20um thick Si chip</p>
- Low power consumption

How thick would be allowed for proper functionality? What makes TSV stacking affordable?

System LSI modules

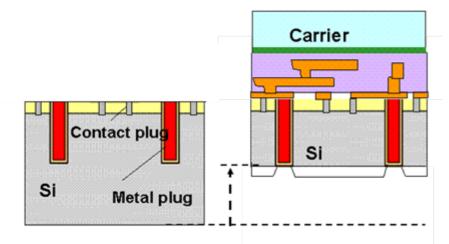
 20um pitch bumping and CoC joining
 Hetero-integration (RF,Analog,Memory,Sensors,MEMS)

 What facilitates synergies between WLCSP and TSV?

### CMOS image sensor modules - Wafer level lens How strong would be affinity of TSV for BSI?

# Manage to narrow TSV process options

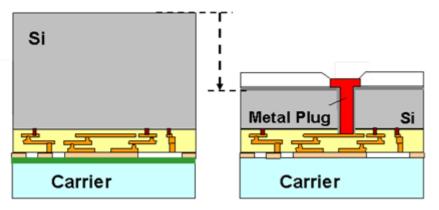
### Via-middle (Metal filling after FEOL)



Existing tools available in Si CR. No need of low temp. liner-CVD

Concerns: TSV process impacts on BEOL. Metal contamination when via reveal.

### Back-side via (Metal filling after Si thinning)



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Separate TSV line from Si fab

Concerns: Adhesive limits TSV process temp. Need of back-side aligning litho. Carrier selection is critical.

# **TSV stacking as of today and PKG challenges**

Key equipments and materials for TSV mass production Still under basic development

- BSG/CMP/Wet-clean integrated tool
- Temporary bonding adhesives and their relevant bonding/de-bonding HVP tool
- 12inch WTW bonding tool. Yield allowance.
- Inspection tool (via voids...)
- Sawing tool for thinned wafer instead of blade.

#### Cost-reduced 3D packaging

- Wire free

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- Organic substrate free
- Fine pitch RDL on Fan-Out WLCSP

### Where do you allocate TSV production? - TBD.

When would TSV products sprout up?
- Depends on the market providing novel values.

What are dominant factors affecting TSV process cost?

Thinner Si would be preferred.
Specific design for thinned Si?

- Throughput of multi-chip stacking W-to-W bonding would be preferred. Specific design dedicated to its stacking?

Any other vying technologies for 3D integration?...

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# Thank you.

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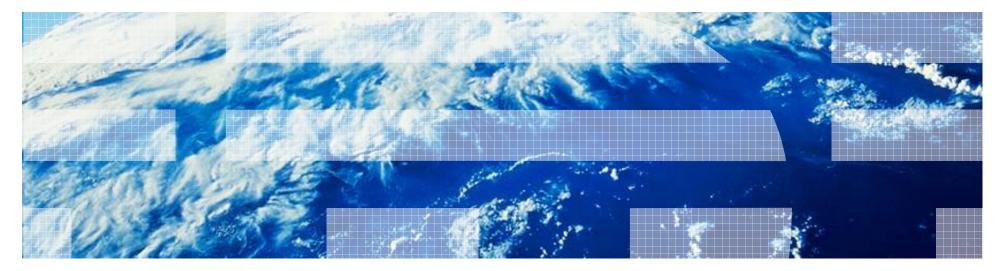
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# **Future Challenges for 3D-IC Packaging**

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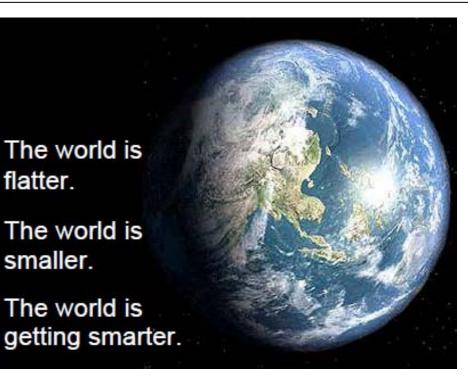
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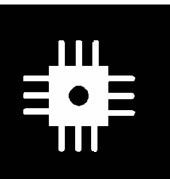


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### **Smarter Planet**



#### Instrumented

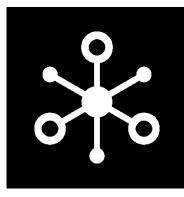


The world is becoming instrumented. Sensors are being embedded everywhere: in cars, appliances, cameras, roads, pipelines...

#### Interconnected

flatter.

smaller.



Our world is becoming interconnected.

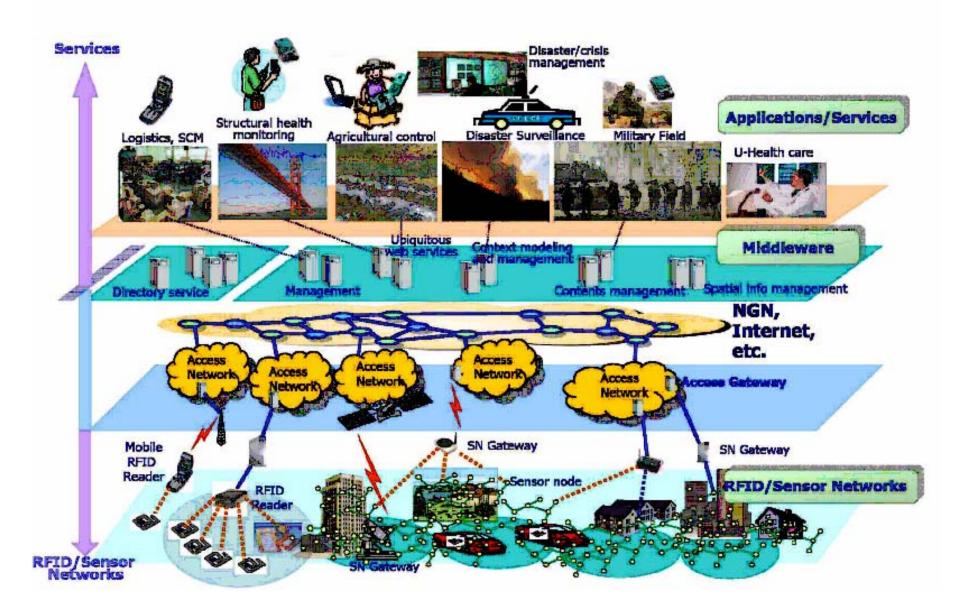
#### Intelligent



All of those instrumented and interconnected things are becoming intelligent. They are being linked to powerful new backend systems that can process all that data, and to advanced analytics capable of turning it into real insight, in real time.

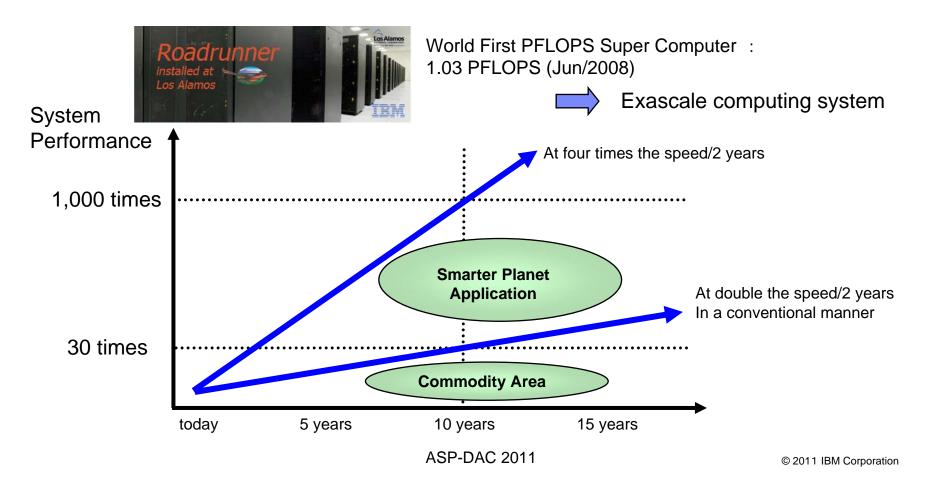
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#### **Internet of Things**



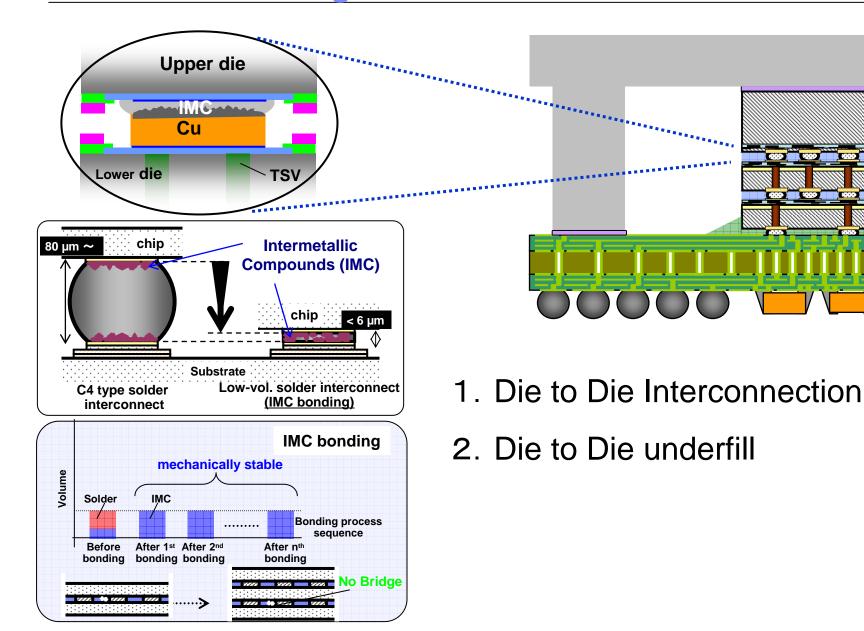
### More Powerful Computer System for Smarter Planet

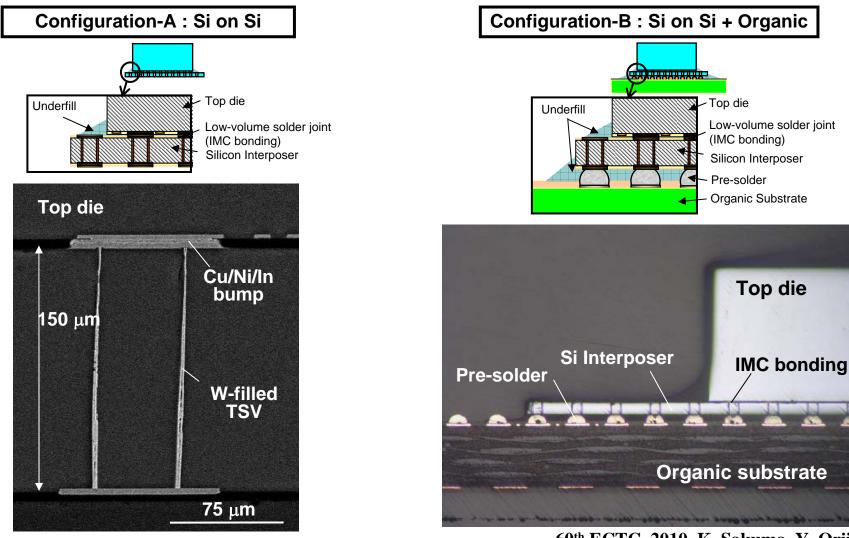
- Sensors are being embedded everywhere: in cars, appliances, cameras, roads, pipelines...
- $\checkmark\,$  The oceans of data to be produced.
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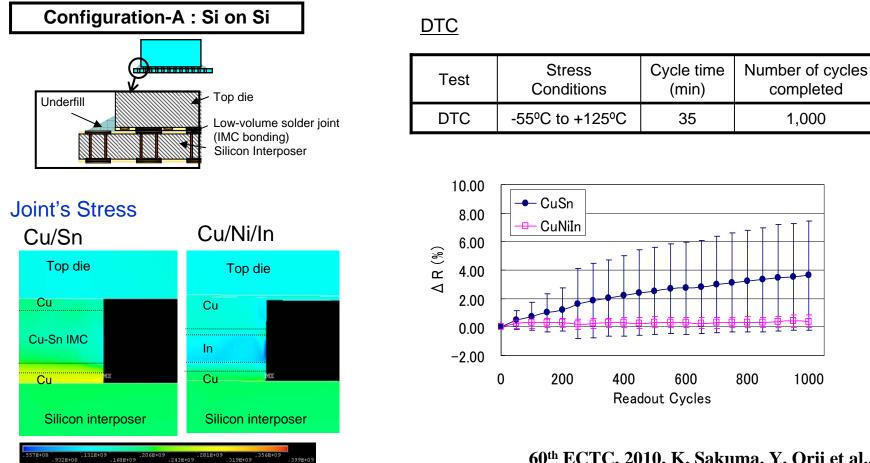


#### **Technical Challenges for 3D-IC**

IBM







60th ECTC, 2010, K. Sakuma, Y. Orii et al.,

- Stress on the joints is greater for the Cu/Sn joint than the Cu/Ni/In joint.
- A gradual increase in electrical resistance observed for the Si die stack samples with Cu/Sn joints.

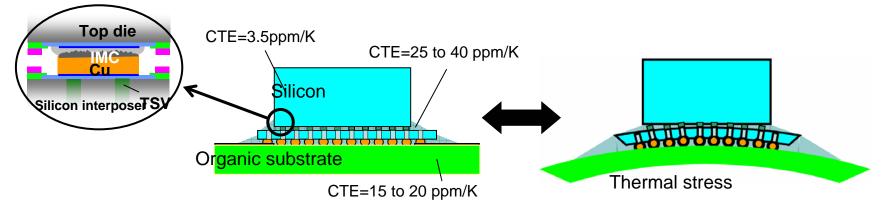
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#### Reliability Results of 3D Chip on Organic sub. with IMC Bonding

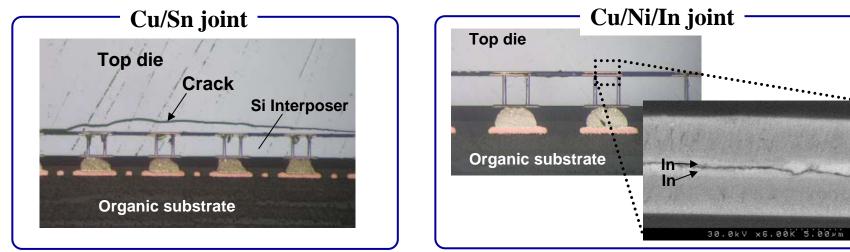
#### Configuration-B : Si on Si + Organic

#### **Deep Thermal Cycle (DTC) results for stacked samples**

**DTC Condition:** -55 to +125C, 15min/15min ( $\Delta T = 180C$ ) Time of exposure at min and max T: 10min

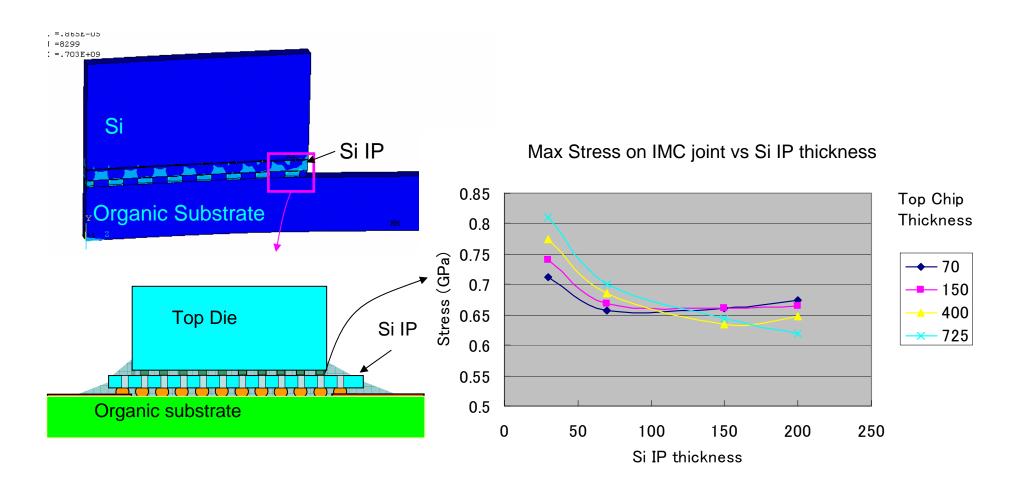


• The mechanical stress during thermal cycling has a significant impact on the bonding interconnections.



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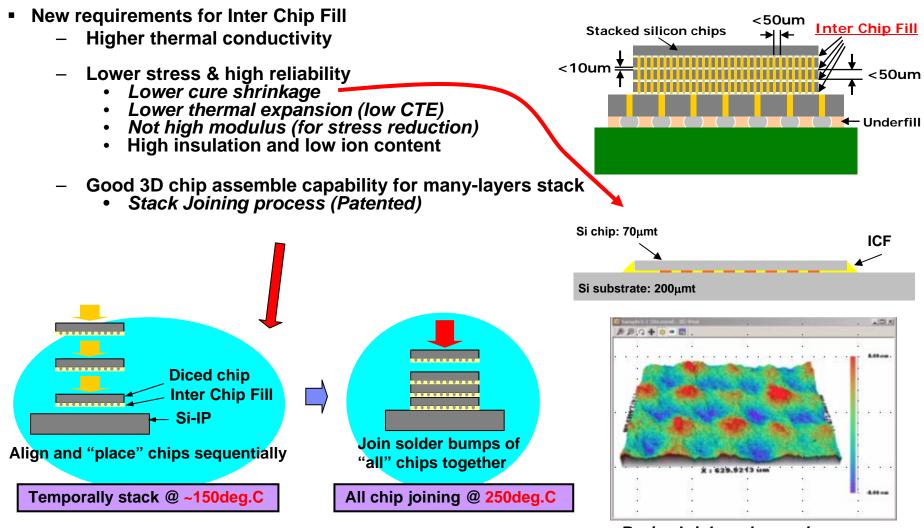
#### Effect of Si thickness to the stress on the IMC joints



- The stress on the joints increases with decreasing Si IP thickness.
- The stress on the joints increases with increasing top Si chip thickness for thin Si IP, but the effect becomes less significant as the Si IP thickness increases.

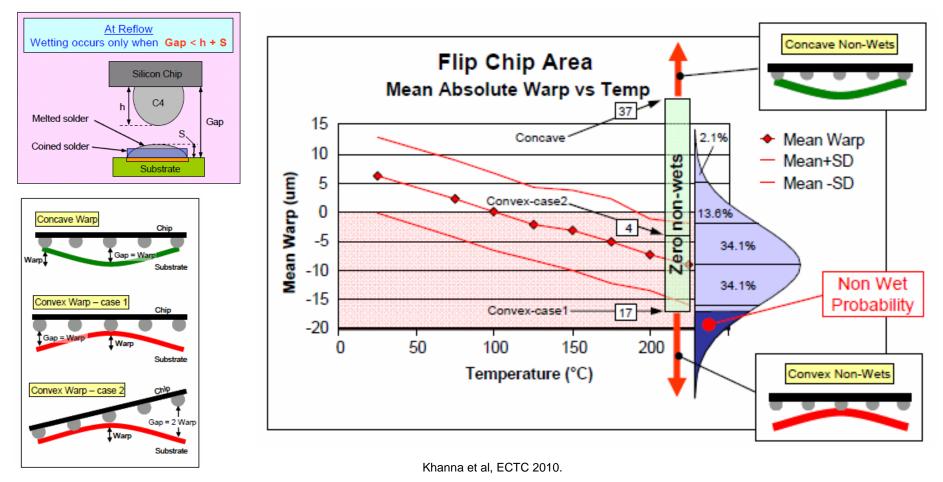
#### **Future Underfill Requirements for 3D-IC**





Resin shrinkage has serious effect on device performance of thin silicon chip.

• C4 Non-Wets in the chip attach process occurs due to the warpage of an organic substrate.



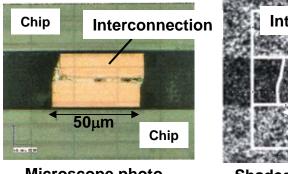
The warpage of an organic substrate can be predicted based on the circuit design.

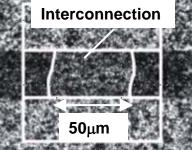
#### SEM-DICM can detect the fine pitch interconnection displacement with 0.02μm resolution. Ex. Measured displacement of 100μm pitch interconnection by laser microscope DICM

#### Types of DICM (<u>D</u>igital Image <u>C</u>orrelation <u>M</u>ethod)

	Conventional	Laser Microscope, SEM
Resolution (µm)	1	0.02 - 0.05

 We are aiming to detect the displacement of 10µm pitch interconnection.



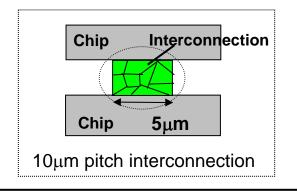


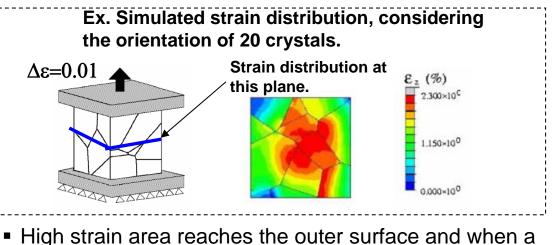
Microscope photo of cross-section

Shaded cross-section for DICM

#### Crystal orientation in fine pitch interconnection may have an impact on the reliability.

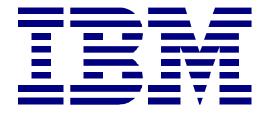
- The number of crystals in 10µm pitch interconnection is only 10-20.
- Strain distribution may be dependent on the crystal orientation.





 High strain area reaches the outer surface and when a crack exists here, the interconnection can fail immediately.





### Thank for your attention.

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# **Advanced Packaging and 3D Technologies**

~Packaging Technology~

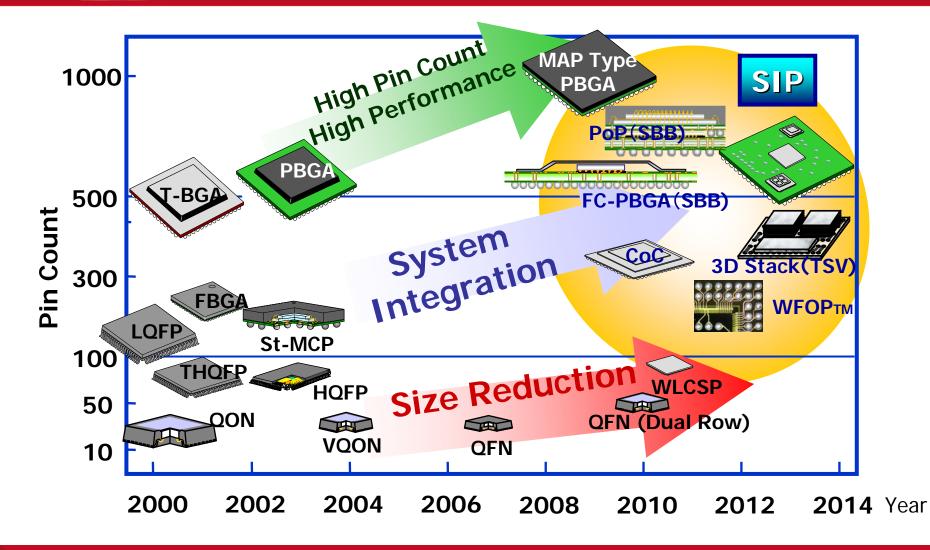


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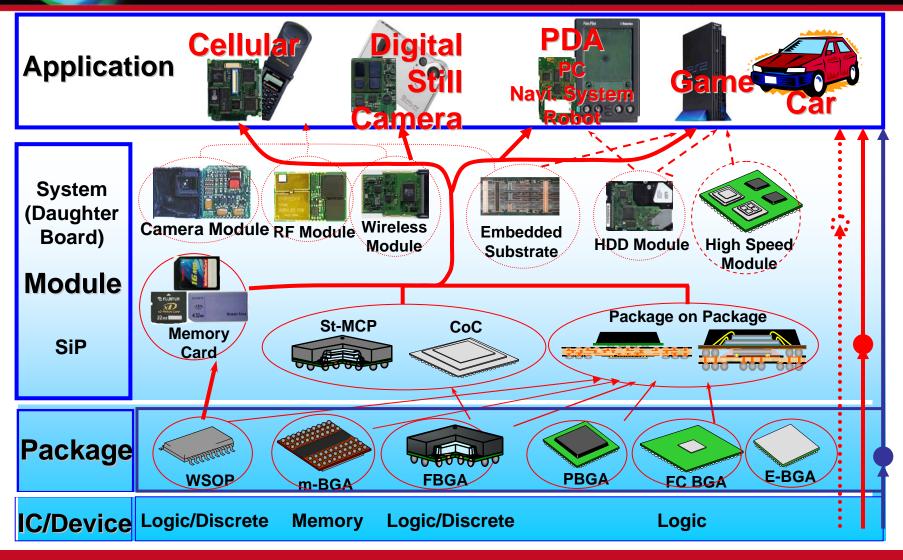


# Package Roadmap



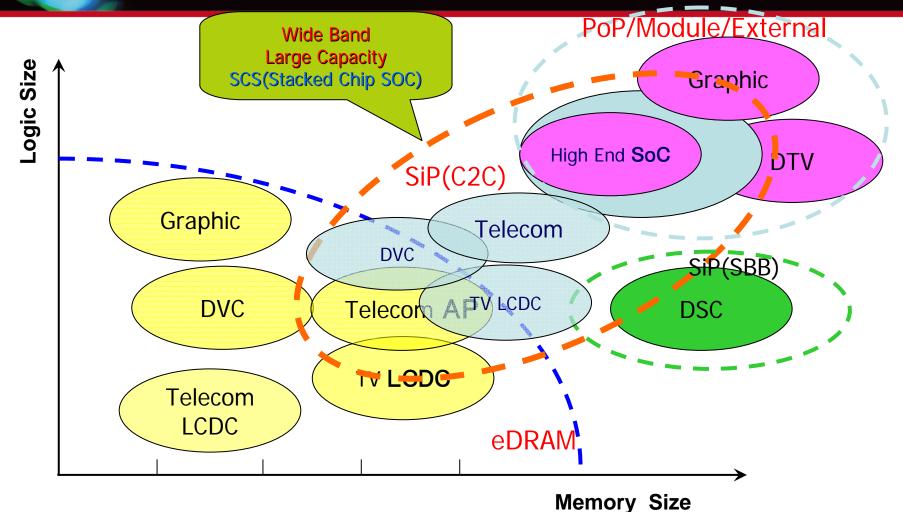


# Hierarchy



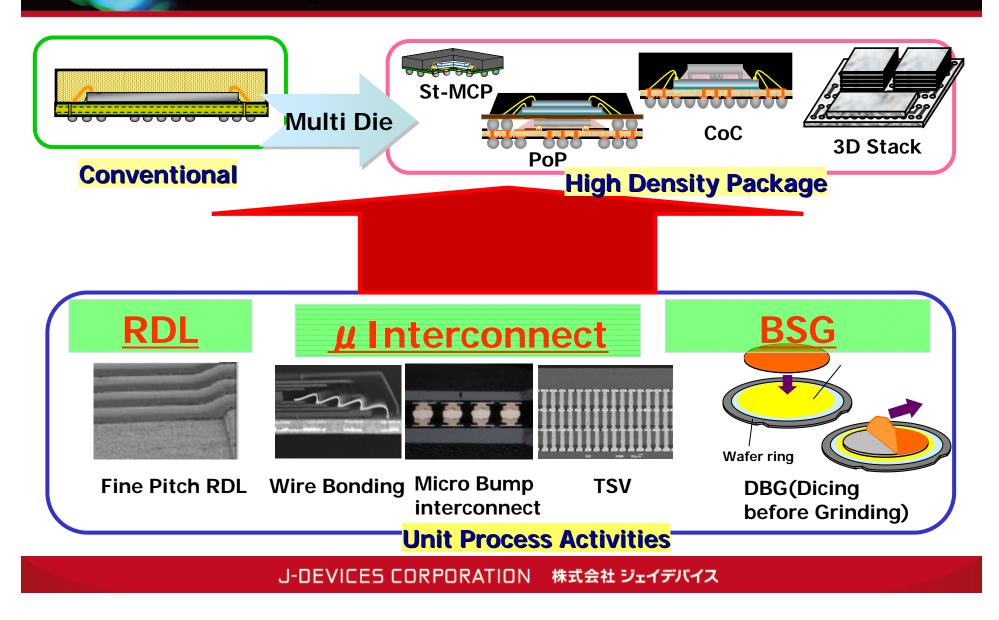


# Memory Assembly & System Application

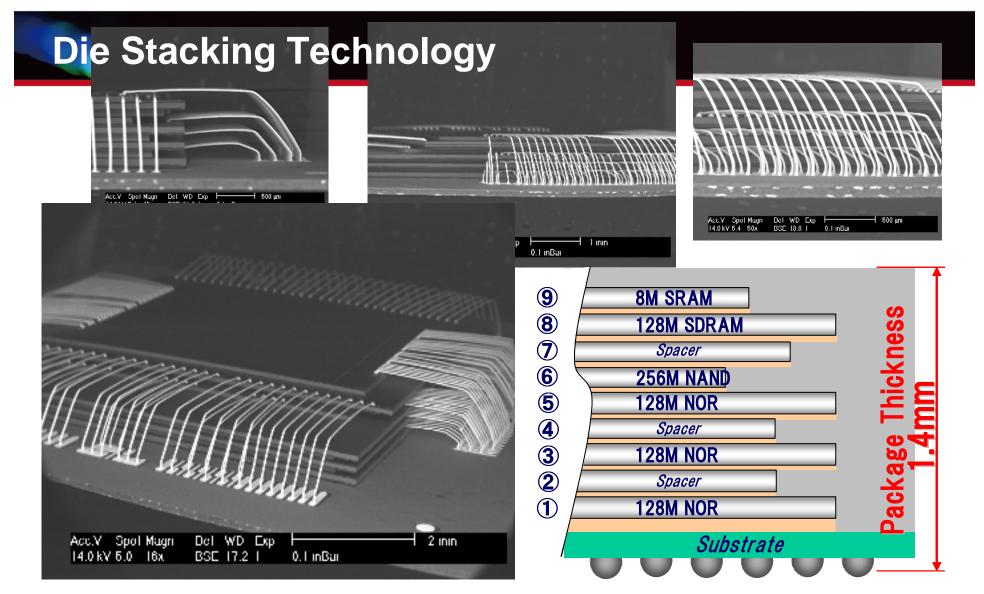




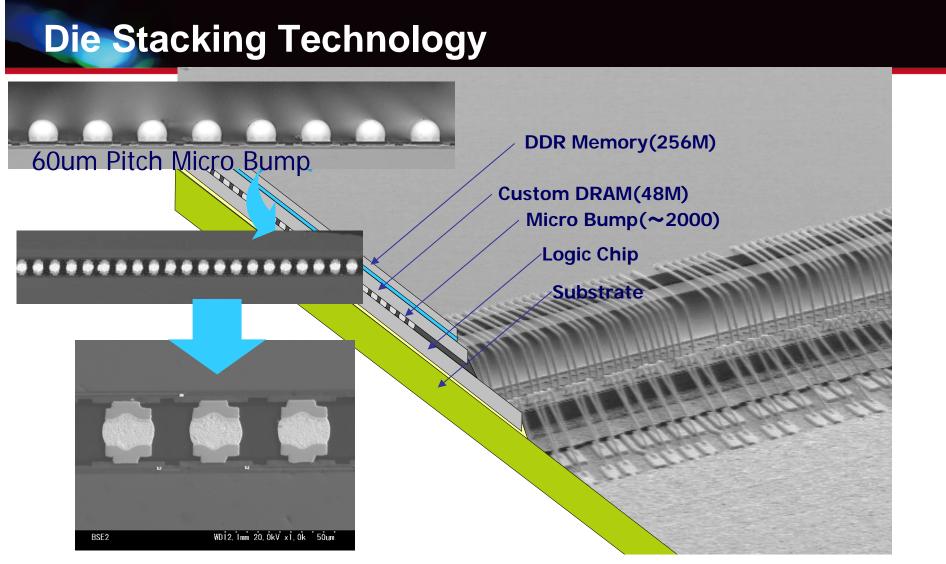
# **Assembly Technology for High Packing Density**







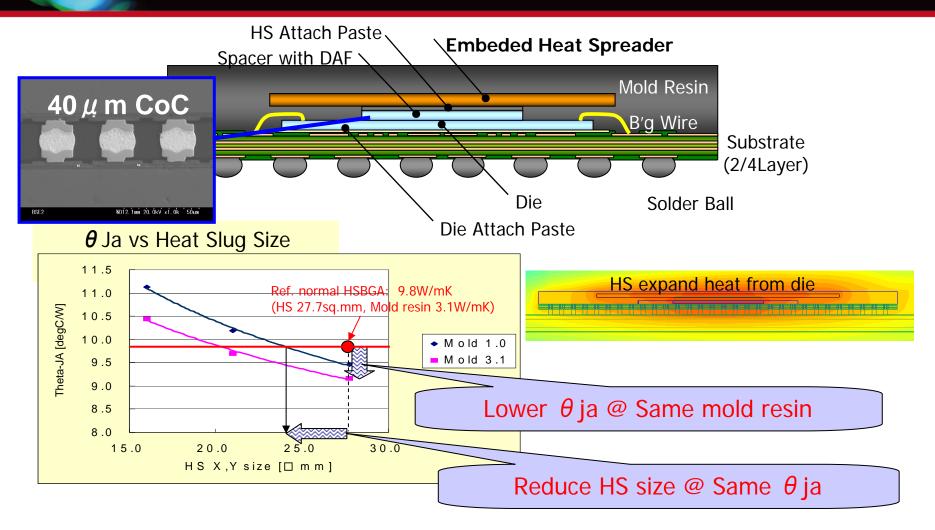




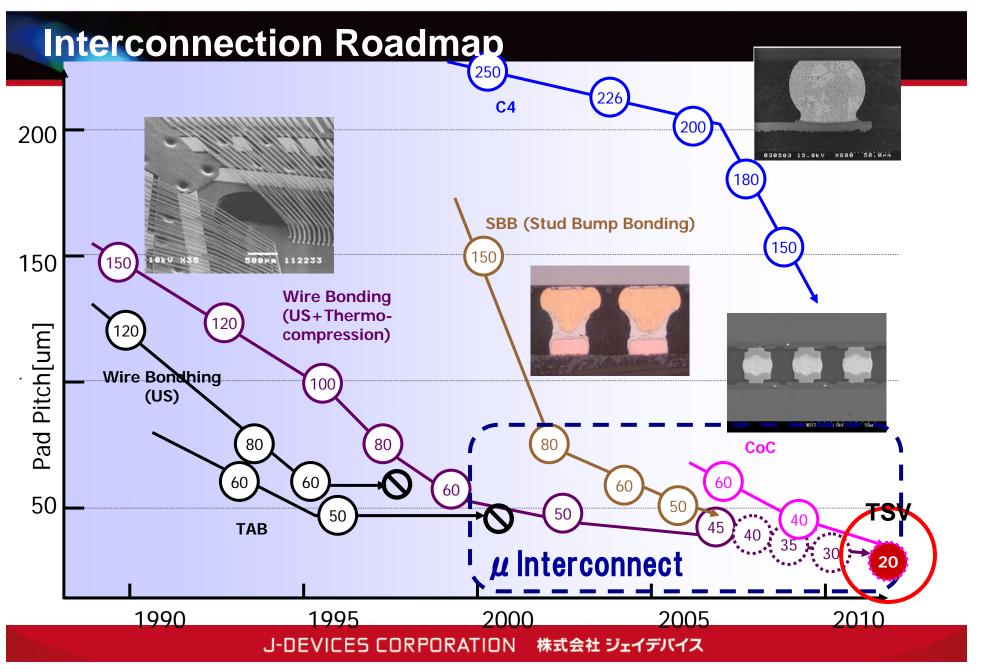
**Cross section of inter-connection** 



# Highly Integrated BGA (Embeded HS & CoC Interconnect)





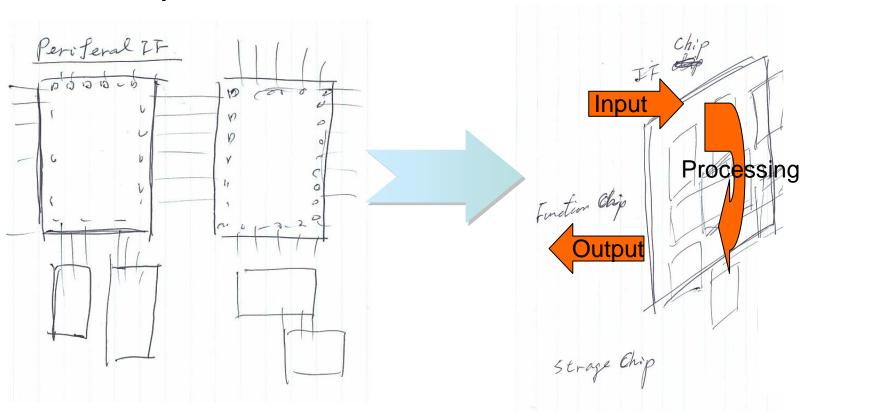




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# **Design Issue in 3D**

#### **Peripheral I/F**

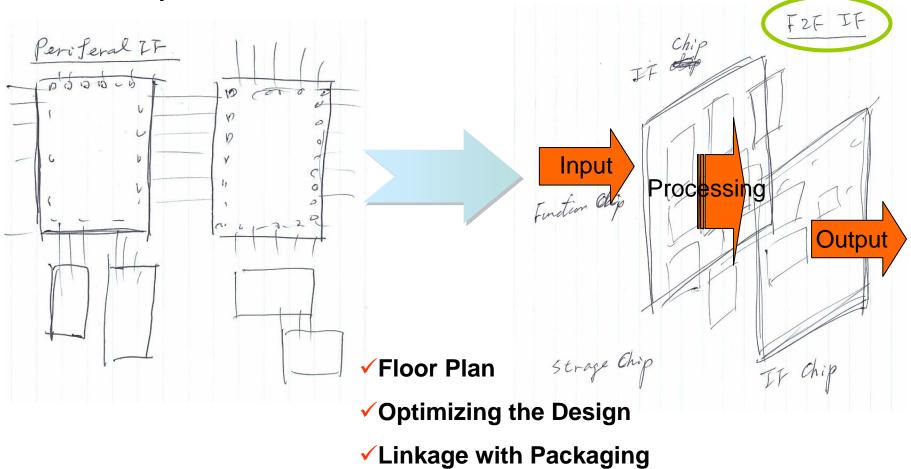


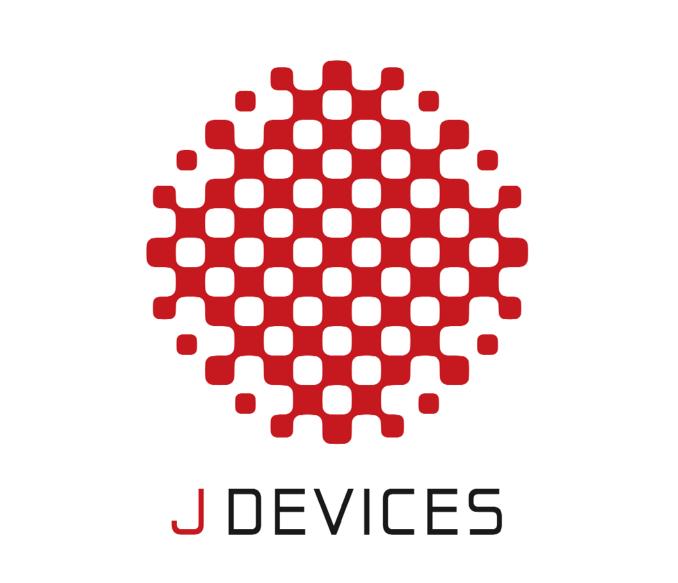


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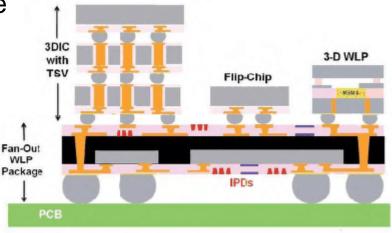
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# **Challenges in 3D-IC & Packaging Design**

### • Mixed Technologies

- Flip chip, Wire bond, stacked (face to face) or Side by side, with or without Silicon Interposer, SiP (System in Package), PoP (Package-on-Package)
- Digital vs Mixed Signal designs
- Net list, Physical Implementation (DRC and manufacturing requirements)
- Electrical, Power and Thermal Analysis



Overall Tool-box solution for 3D Packaging (Source Yole Developpement)

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# Challenges in 3D-IC & Packaging Design

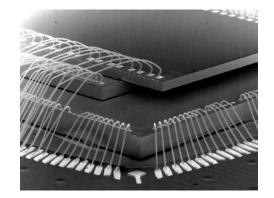
- Multiple factors to consider in today's Product Design
  - Chip set proliferation may require a "reference board" design
    - Ease of adoption
    - Reference guide
  - Time to market pressure may influence your design choice
    - Buy (or re-use) vs "Start from scratch"
  - True cost and performance has to take a system view
    - Chip, Package and Board
- "Distributed" Design
  - Teams may be at different locations and time zones
  - Co-Planning / Co-Design / Co-Analysis
  - Manage data exchange (Between design teams, vendors)

# Technologies at Cadence: "Prototyping for 3D Packaging"

- The ability to view and prototype the entire product (chip, package and/or board) in an "integrated" environment.
- For rapid prototyping one must be able to optimize chip, package and board for routability and layer utilization, constraint budgeting across the design fabrics.
  - Signal traversed through the entire "system", thus delay has to be measured from chip to chip.
  - Consider different design options to identify a design choice or at least narrow down to couple options for further analysis
  - An interesting application may be "RFQ" (Request for Quote)

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# Technologies at Cadence: "Prototyping for 3D Packaging"

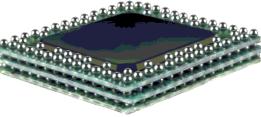


- Results from prototype may be disseminated to design teams for implementation
  - Net lists, constraints, stack-ups, "rough" physical layouts
  - Data flows from prototype into design tools
- ECO Management
  - Be able to resolve design conflicts or changes during implementation phase
- Final Design Verification
  - Does your final design met the original specification?
  - Cost analysis

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# Technologies at Cadence: Considerations in "3D Packaging Prototype"

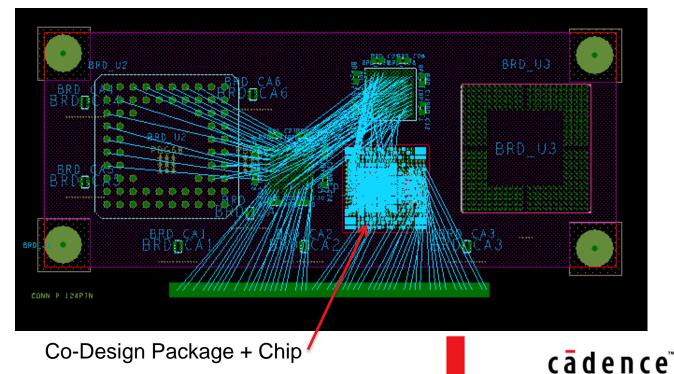
- Obviously: Planar and 3D viewing of the design
  - Picture worth a thousand words
- For Prototyping to be effective, all design fabrics must be integrated into the same environment
  - One tool, one window and one UI
  - Each fabric must maintains its own net list, substrate layers and design units, design rules.
- Prototype system must integrate seamlessly with design tools
  - Who is the typical owner of the prototype?
  - Support distributed design teams



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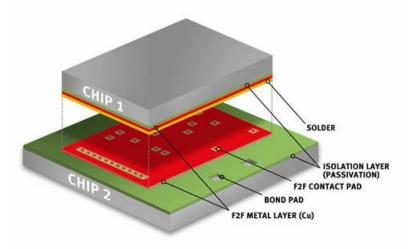
# Idea to Reality?

- Example of a reference board with a co-design package + co-design die. The board contains additional standard parts.
- Flight lines showing possible routing congestions, results of net assignments and placement.



# Future of 3D Packaging ...

- EDA company's goal is to provide solutions for electronic designs
  - EDA company must listen to and understand customers' needs
  - EDA company must provide leading edge solutions
  - EDA company need to partner when a solution requires multiple technology disciplines
- We are here to listen!



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