

Progress meeting

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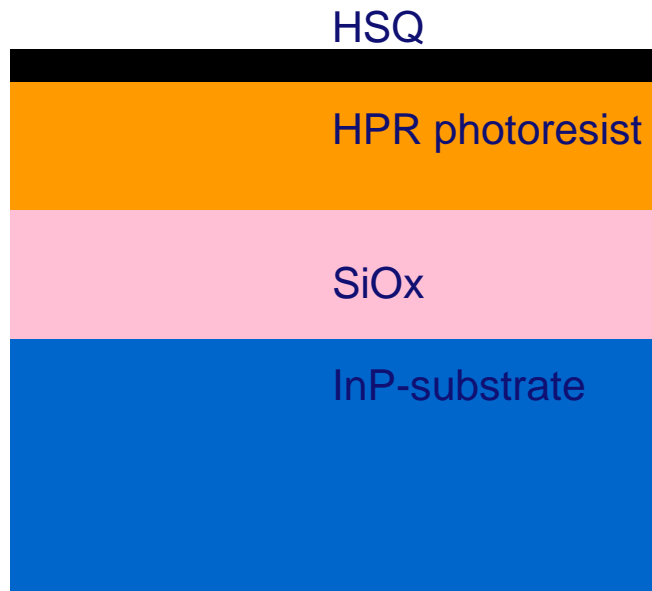


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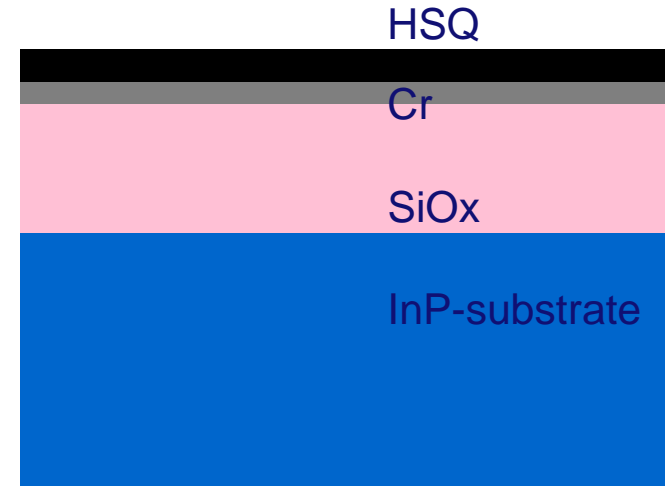
Where innovation starts

Testing of a new masking scheme

- Before



- Under test

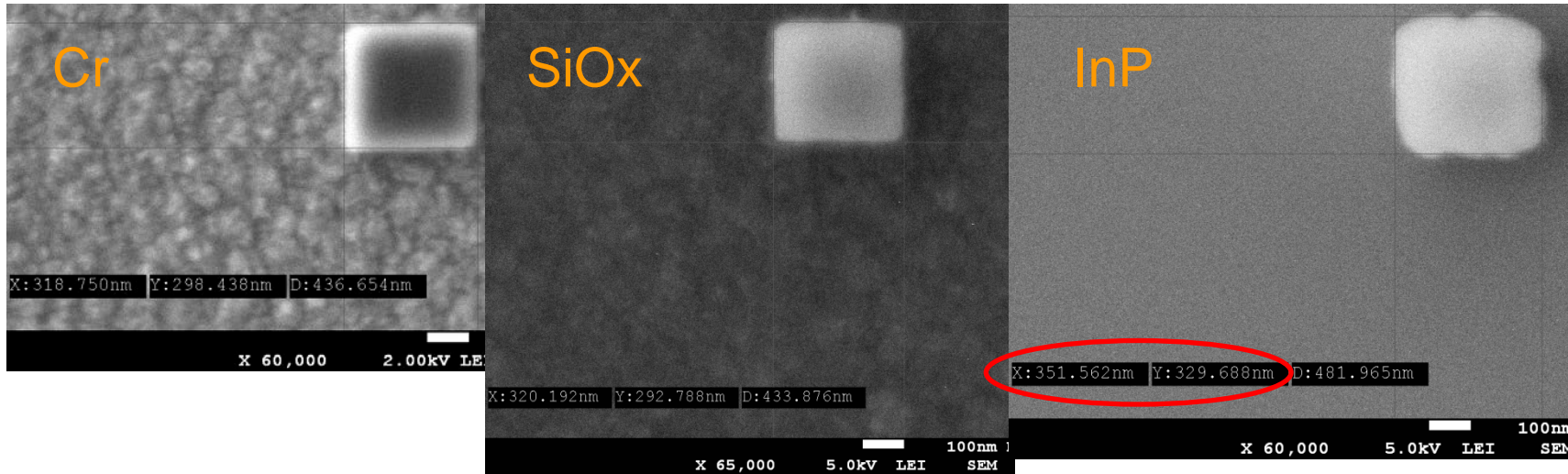


- Adhesion ✓
- Transferred roughness ? ✗

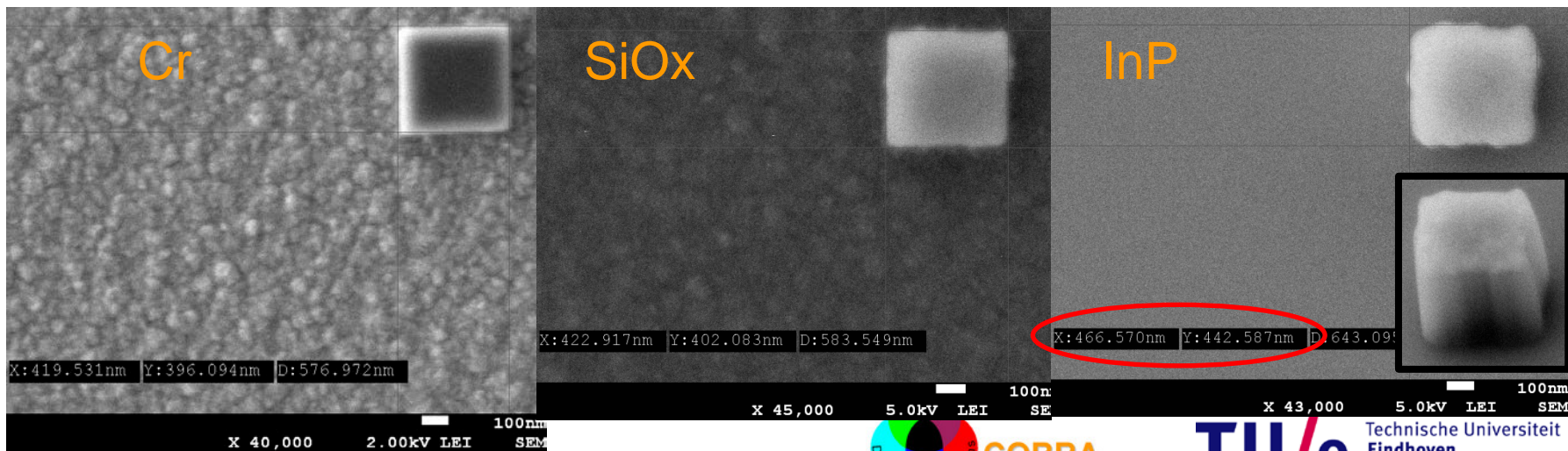
Etching with our standard recipes

- After development
- After Cr etching
- After SiO_x etching

300x300nm

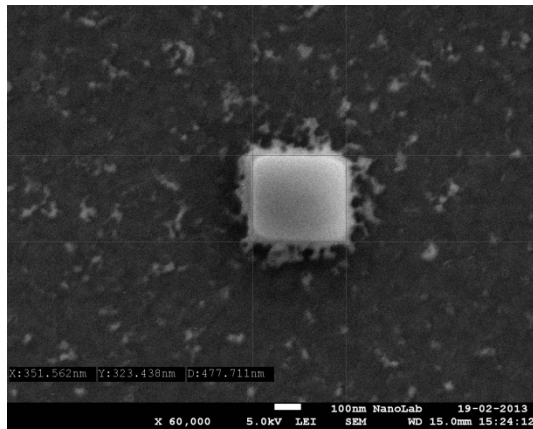


400x400nm

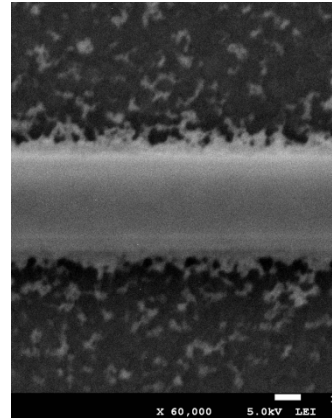


Other tests: increasing RF power → worse

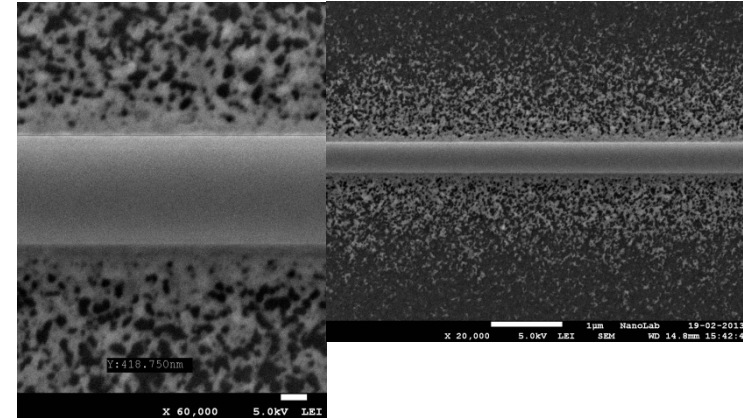
- Increasing RF power: RF = 10W



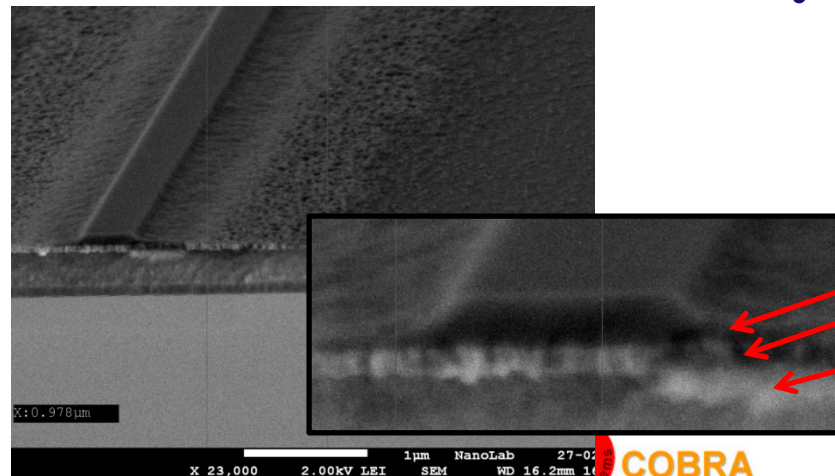
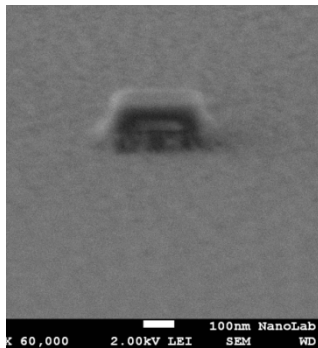
Low dose (d=4)



High dose



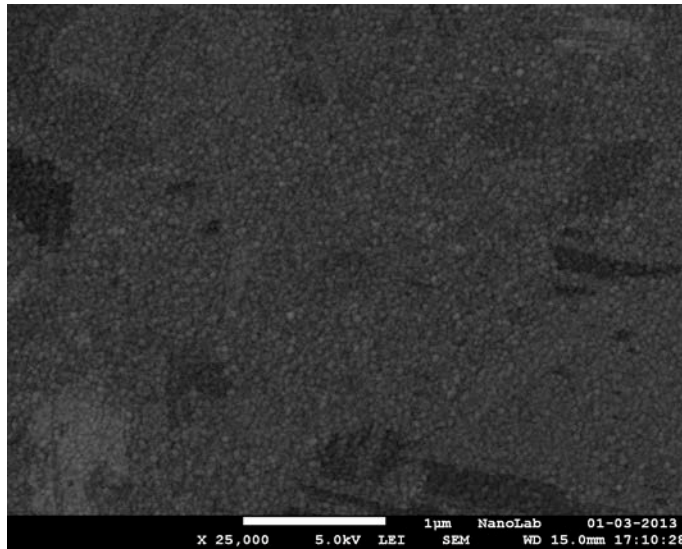
- Side inspection



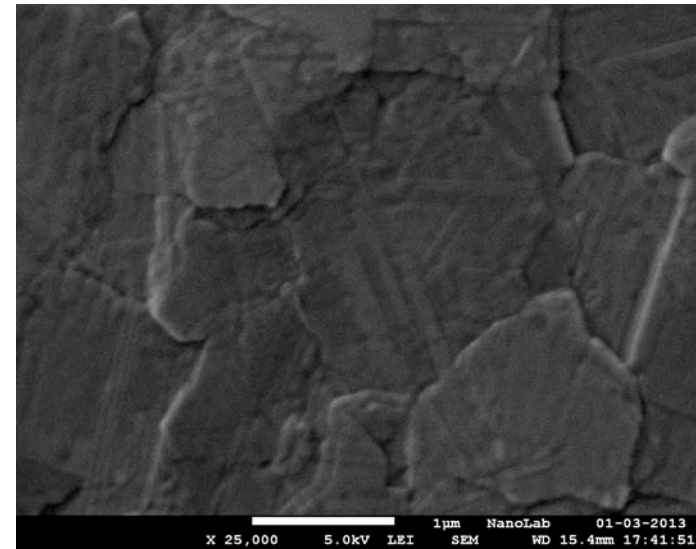
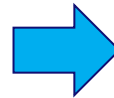
Reason:

- Strong back-reflection during EBL due to rough Cr

Silver annealing



- Just after deposition



- After RTA
400 C, 1 min