



# MicroNanoFabrication Annual Review Meeting

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## Thank You !

Many thanks:

- Many thanks to the speakers of today
- Many thanks to the users of the CMI and the COMLAB for submitting 128 abstracts
- Many thanks to Claudia and Karine for the great job in organizing this meeting
- Many thanks to the EPFL which is strongly supporting the CMI
- And last but not least thank you to all of you for being here today











### Participants (as of May 16th, 2008)

Total : 241 people UNIGE CEA Other 2% 2% PSI 5% 2% ETHZ 5% EPFL-STI 36% Industry 25% EPFL-SB EPFL-SV EPFL-Students 29/ 7% CSEM UNINE 4% 4% 5%

May 20th, 2008





### Abstracts







## **CMI Cleanroom Average Occupancy**



2005 : 13.3 people 8h/day 2006 : 13.7 people 8h/day 2007: 16.2 people 8h/day

+ 18% in 2007 compared to 2006





## CMI Cleanroom Activity (Staff Excepted)

Year 2007







### **CMI** Staff

CMI - CDI et CDD en équivalent temps plein



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### **CMI** Staff







# **CMI** Finances

#### • CMI running costs in year 2007 (kCHF)

	2006	2007
Infrastructure : energy, N2, water, maintenance (covered by EPFL VPPL)		811
Processing : consumables, maintenance of processing equipments		1'668
Salaries (covered by EPFL school of Engineering) :		1'253
TOTAL	3'303	3'732
+13% in 2007 comp	ompared to 2006	

#### CMI resources in year 2007 (kCHF)

	2006	2007
CMI Users' Fees (consumables) and CMI Services Revenues	1'365	1'627
TOTAL	1'365	1'627

19% in 2007 compared to 2006

Not included in this table are:

- the new investments
- the costs of the amortization





# CMI Running Cost Coverage

Year 2007



EPFL STI (salaries)

EPFL VPPL (electricity, N2, heat, H2O)

EFees EPFL users

E Fees Indust. users

Other





# **CMI** Inventory

#### Inventory 2008 in kCHF



More than 70 pieces of equipment up-and-running with very high uptime





### CMI New tools

#### Spectroscopic Ellipsometer:

• Sopra GES 5E

#### Parylene Coating System:

Comelec C-30-S







#### Introduction:

- Since its opening in 1999, CMI has constantly increased its volume of activity
- CMI helped to raise EPFL to an internationally recognized position in MicroNanoTechnology

#### Trend in MicroNanoTechnologies:

- New processes in combination with already established miniaturization processes
- New chemistry, bottom-up approach, self-assembly, new materials, ...

#### CMI+ concept:

- Anticipate the needs of researchers, especially from the schools of life sciences and basic sciences
- Radical evolution of CMI
- Provide a broad technology platform continuously covering technologies from processing of silicon wafers up to bio-physico-chemical nanotechnology processes on various substrates
- Avoid a "technology gap" which is currently perceived when researchers, after finishing the wafer scale processing are scattered in their own labs to finish the processes in non optimal conditions





#### CMI+ concept (continued):

- Build a new grey room area of less sophisticated environment with more flexible usage
- More freedom, less support
- Small specialized equipment and common characterization tools

#### The advantages of CMI+ are the same as for CMI:

- Promote shared use of the machines
- Ensure well maintained infrastructure
- Reduce costs
- Improve sharing of competencies between users
- Help better communication
- Optimize lab space use in BM building...





Cross section view of CMI+:

CMI+ will be composed of two interconnected infrastructures

- (1) The cleanroom lab which is focused on wafer scale processing (existing cleanrooms)
- (2) The new shared lab that will consist of grey room laboratory space







#### Layout of CMI+:

- A dual access either from cleanroom lab or from outside (24h/24h)
- Some common zones of access
- A gradient of cleanness and dressing specifications

























## Conclusions

• We would appreciate to get all your inputs about your specific needs for CMI+





## About the Conference ....

•	10h20-10h40	J. Gobrecht (PSI), Micro-/Nanofabrication at PSI: Recent Highlights
•	10h40-11h00	B. Dwir (LPN), Advanced Photonic Nanostructures
•	11h00-11h20	J. Brugger (LMIS), Stencil Lithography and other Micro/Nanoengineering Innovations in and around CMI
•	11h20-11h40	Break
•	11h40-12h00	HP. Herzig (UNINE), From Micro to Nano - Silicon Based Optical Sensors
•	12h00-12h15	J. Baborowski (CSEM), Piezoelectrically Activated Silicon Resonators
•	12h15-12h30	JM. Wismer (Sensimed), MEMS Integration for Medical Applications
	12h30-14h00	Lunch & Poster Session
•	14h00-14h15	S. Kobel (LSCB), Micropatterning Biomimetic Hydrogels as Model Microenvironments for Stem Cells
•	14h15-14h30	A. Vasdekis (LO), Fabrication for Optofluidics
•	14h30-14h45	N. Curtz (UNIGE), Nanopatterning Superconducting Thin Films with the FIB for Photon Detection
	14h45-15h00	Break
•	15h00-15h15	R. Krpoun (LMTS), Microfabricated Arrays of Electrospray Sources for Spacecraft Propulsion
•	15h15-15h30	M. Moridi (UNINE), Microfabricated Biointerface with High Density Microelectrode Array and Photonic Detectors
•	15h30-16h30	Cocktails & Poster Session

1 invited talk from PSI 10 talks involving CMI, COMLAB and IPEQ





# Enjoy your Conference !

• Thank you for your attention and enjoy your conference