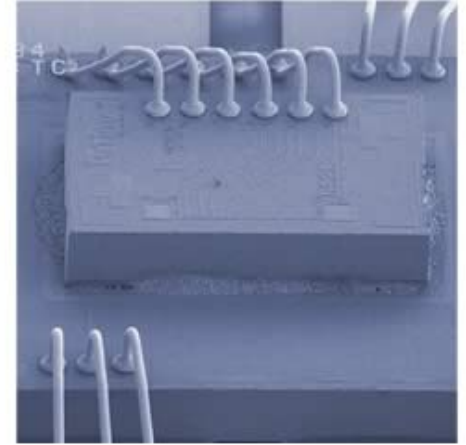
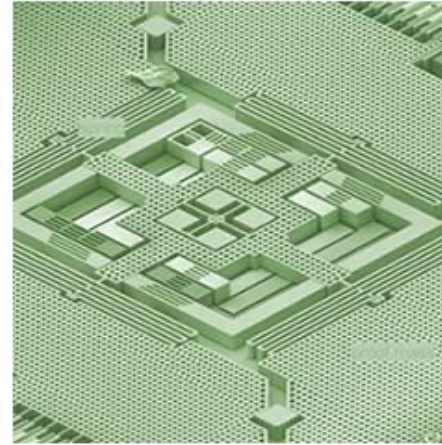
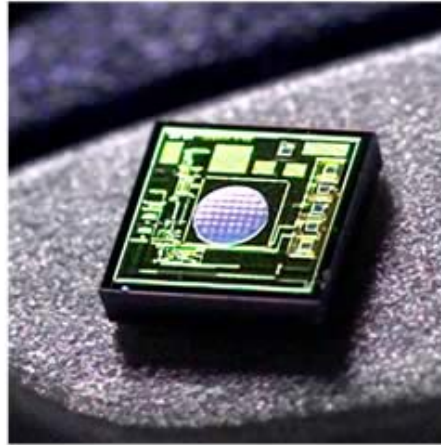
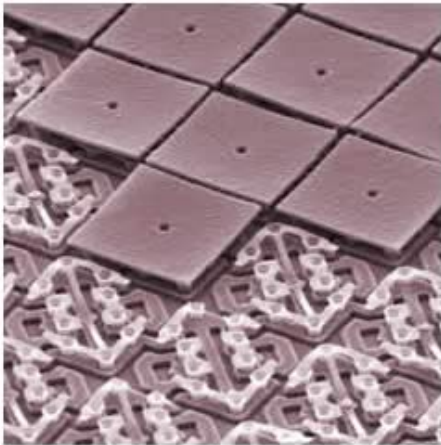
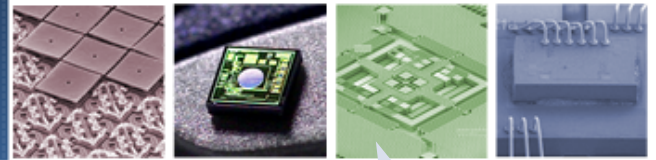


Current Entrepreneurial Environmental for MEMS



Kurt Petersen, PhD
Band of Angels

Growth of MEMS



60's - 70's
Industrial



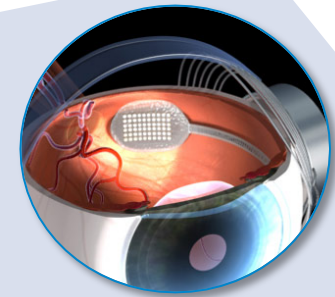
80's
Medical



80's - 90's
Automotive



2000's
Consumer



2010's
Consumer
+
Bio-MEMS
+
Environmental

Shipped Volume - units

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10^6

10^7

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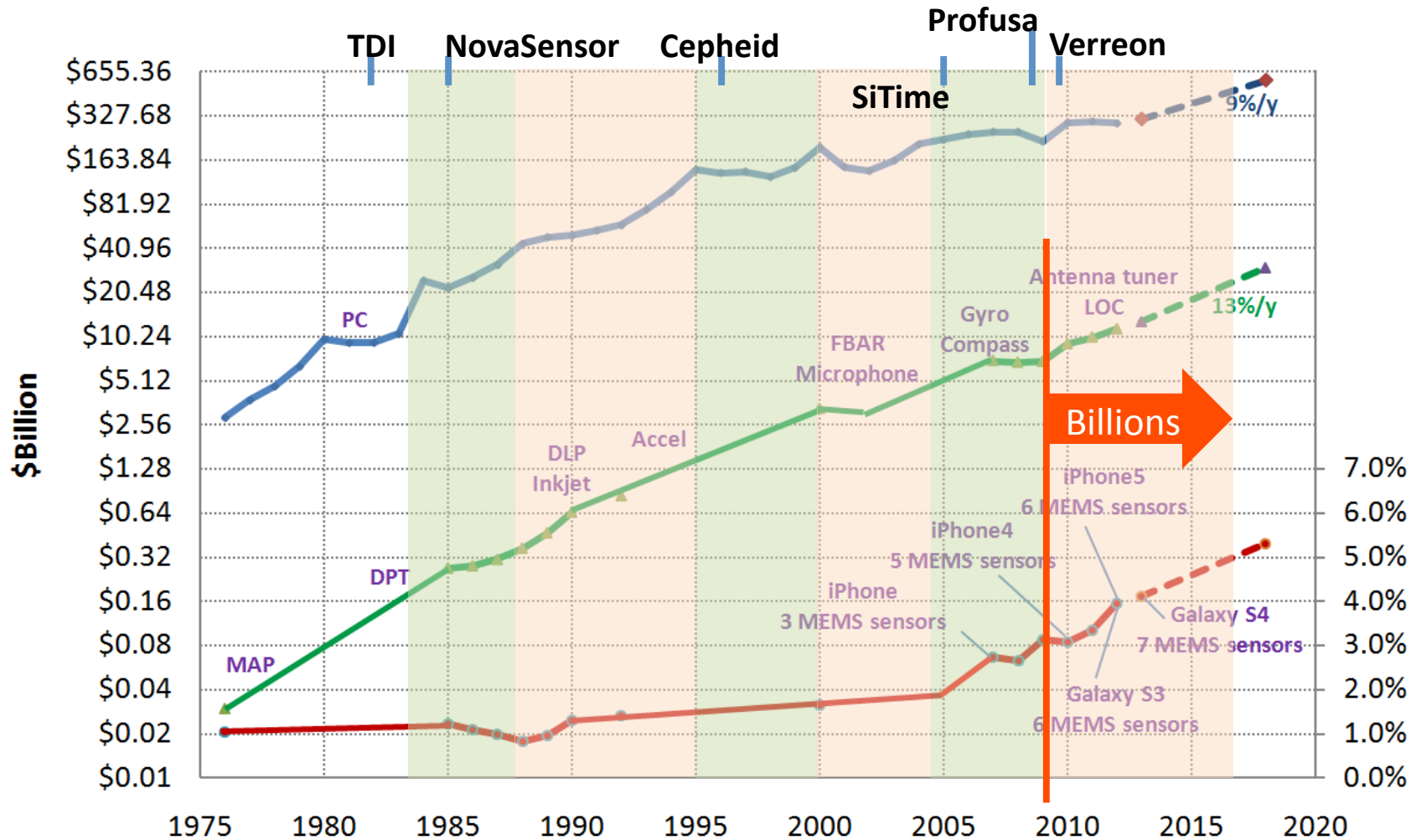
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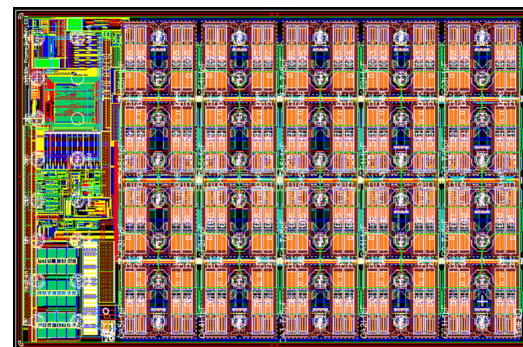
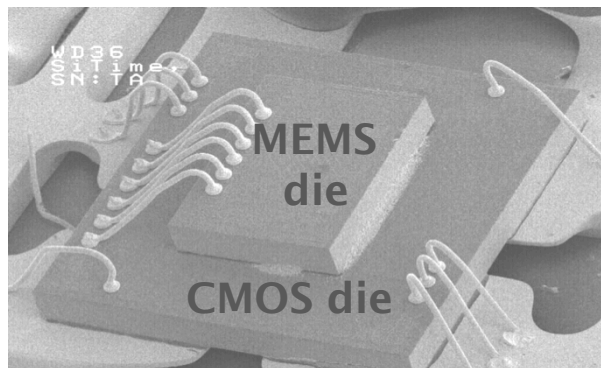
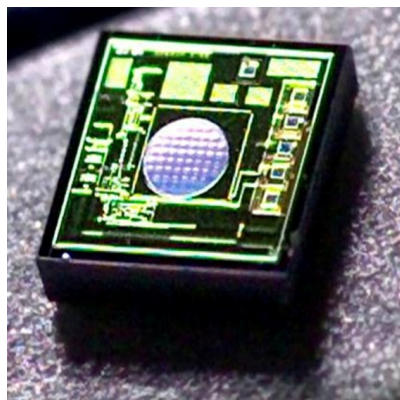
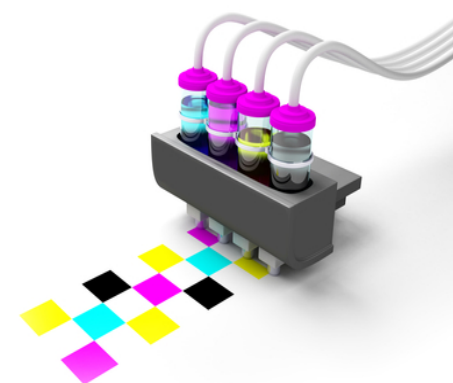
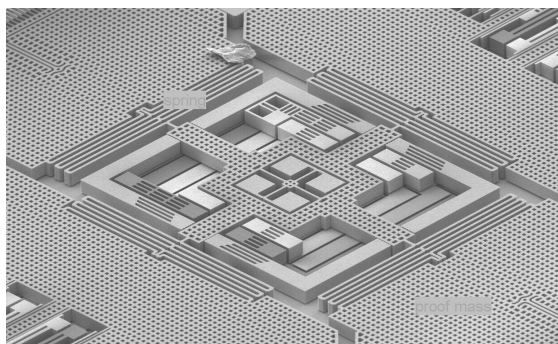
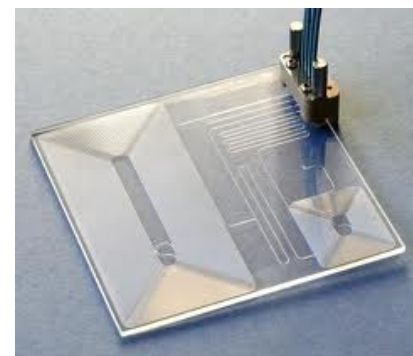
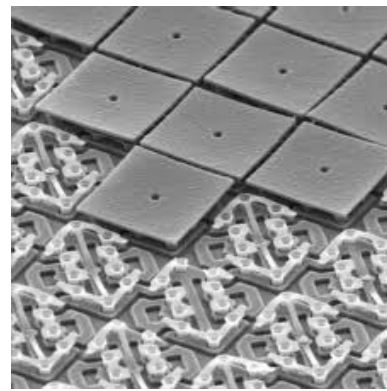
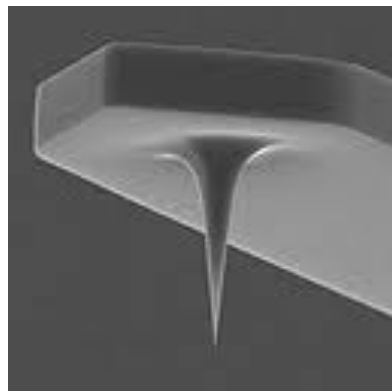
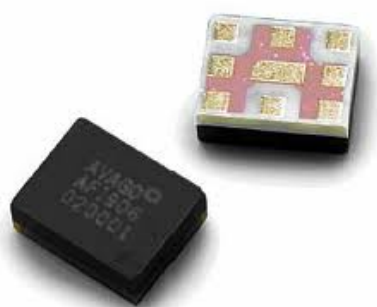
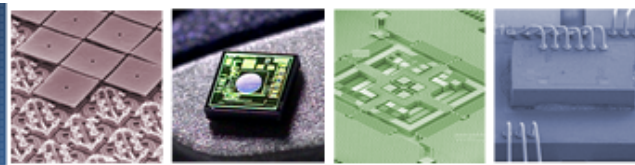
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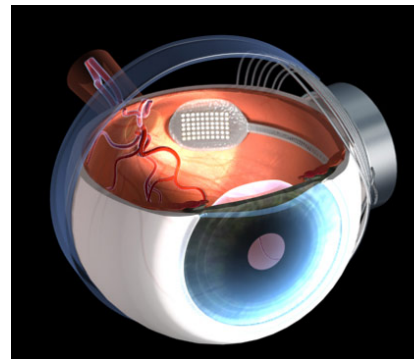
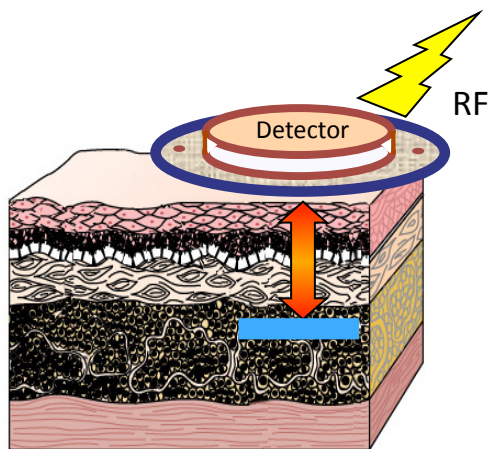
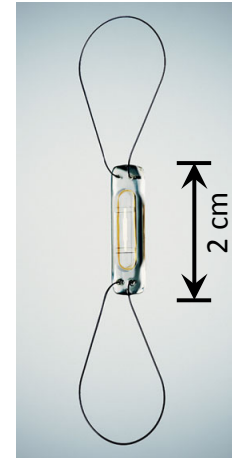
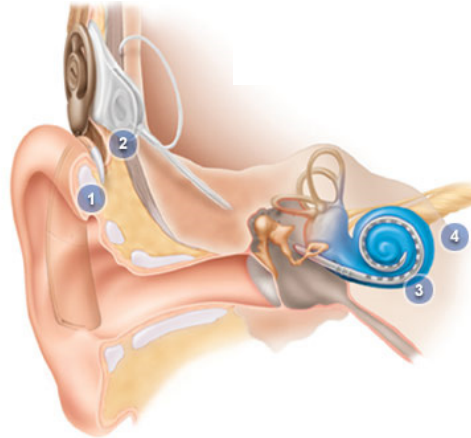
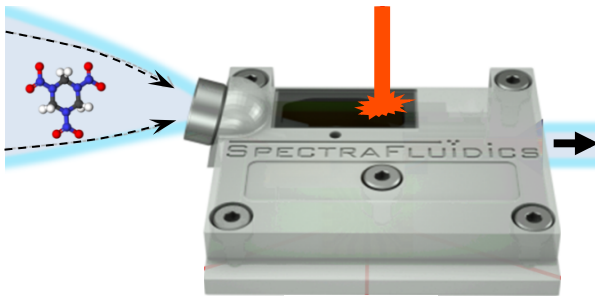
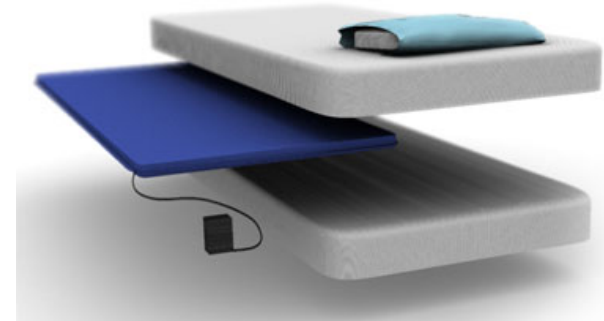
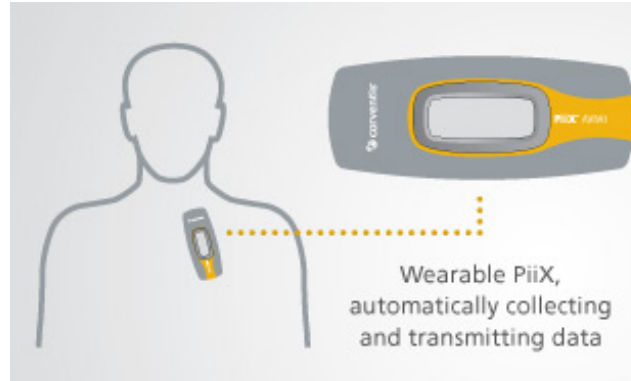
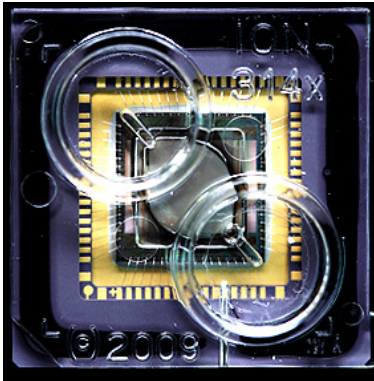
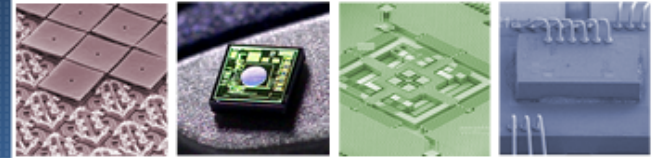
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Biomedical MEMS



Protein Panels
Cellular Manipulation
Contact Lens Sensors
More Fluidics
Sports Monitoring
. etc

Three ENORMOUS IoE Initiatives

QUALCOMM
TRICORDER X PRIZE

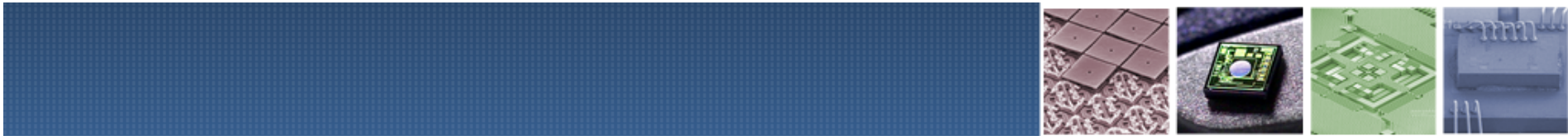
Trillion Sensor Roadmap !!

initiated by Janusz Bryzek



Introducing the Qualcomm Tricorder X PRIZE
A \$10 million competition to bring healthcare to the palm of your hand





Mobile as an Innovation Platform

Credit Card Reader



Glucose Finger-stick Sensor



Blood pressure monitoring cuff



Pico-Projector

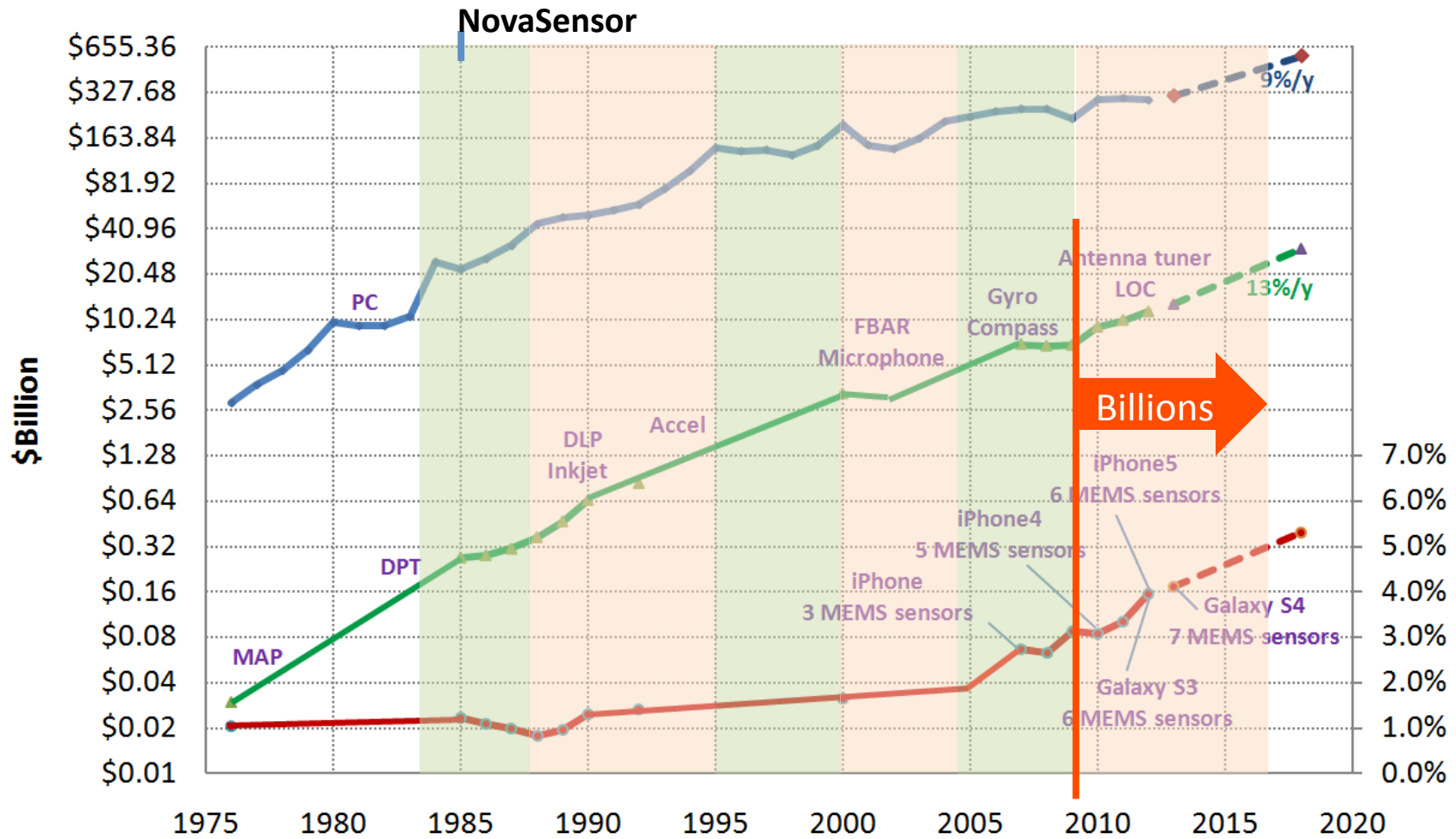


Ultrasound machine from Mobisante went on sale in October 2011



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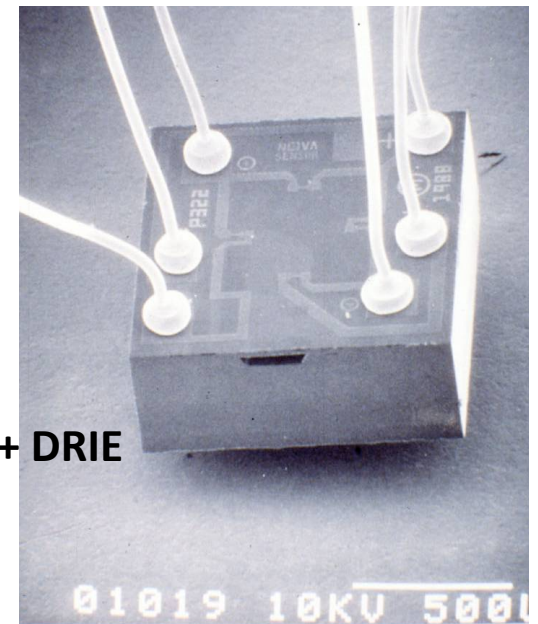
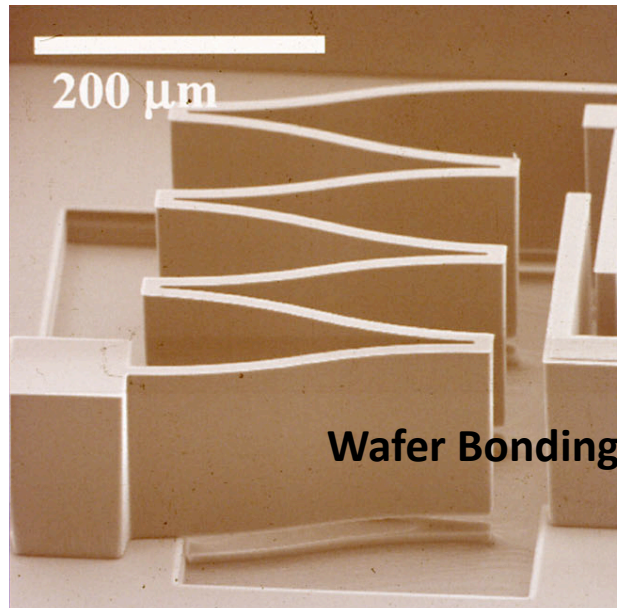
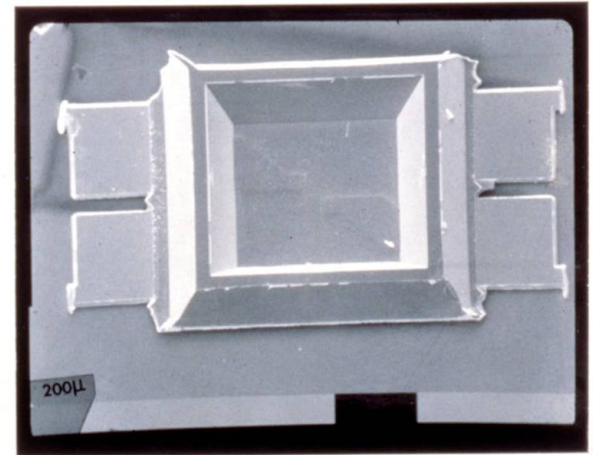
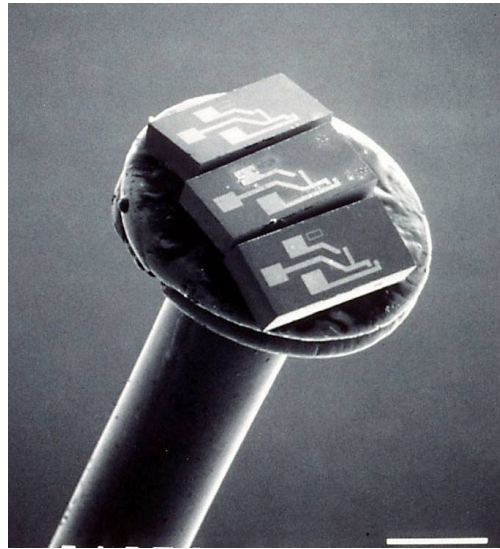
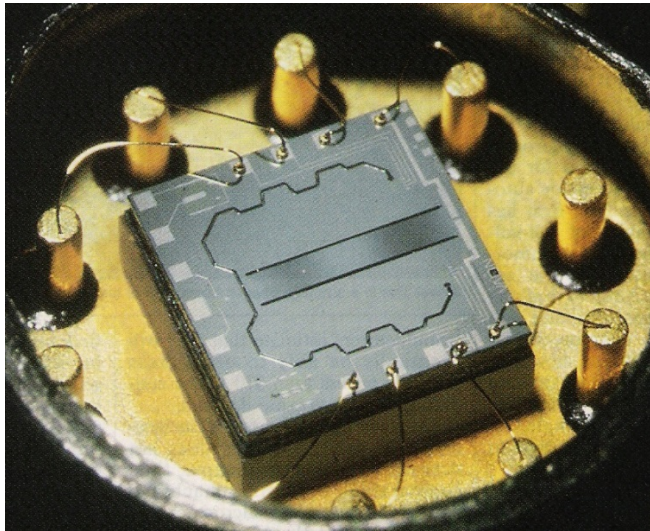
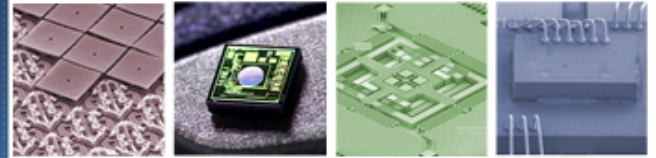




NovaSensor Products

- Total Equity Funding from Schlumberger
- **Second source** disposable blood pressure sensor
 - developed in response to a customer inquiry
 - **VERY** tight distributions of parameters (sensitivity, offset, etc)
 - shipped as die (no packaging issues)
 - higher yields, more reliable deliveries
- This first product got NovaSensor ***into production***
 - We had no fab, but . . .
 - first production shipment was 6 months after funding, 12 weeks after we took the first order
- Later products got NovaSensor into :
 - Industrial
 - Consumer
 - Automotive

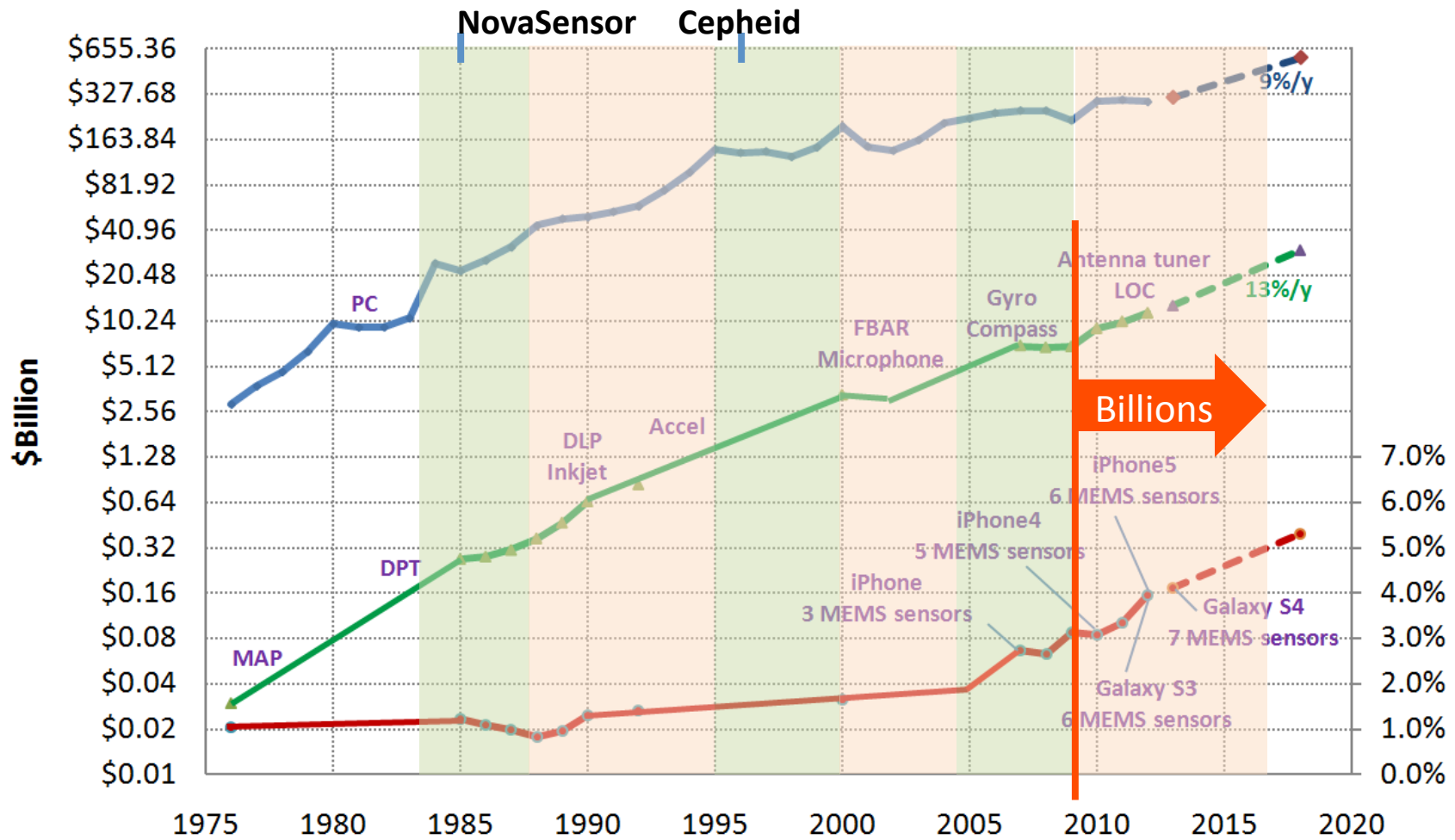
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Cepheid

- Rapid, micro-PCR, micro-fluidic sample prep for DNA diagnostics
- First product; rapid, micro-PCR for life sciences research
- Home run product; rapid, automated human DNA diagnostics
 - FDA approvals required
 - MENU of tests required before wide-spread system adoption
 - First Test is non-FDA regulated anthrax for US Postal Service
- First product, SmartCycler, in production 3 years after start
- Homerun product, GeneXpert, in production 7 years after start
 - For the USPS only
- First FDA-approved test, in production 10 years after start
- \$100M in annual revenue, 10 years after start

Cepheid Hardware Development

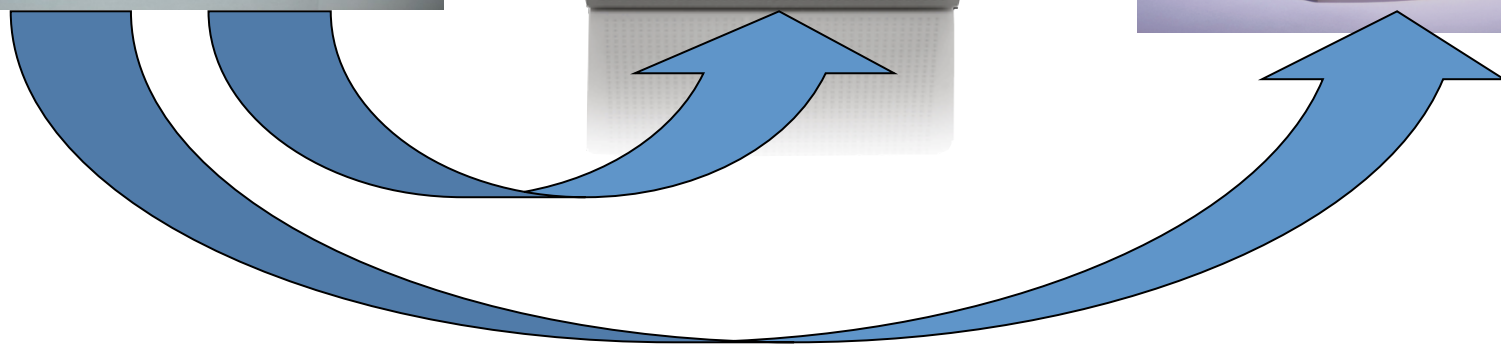
Optics/Reaction
PCR Module



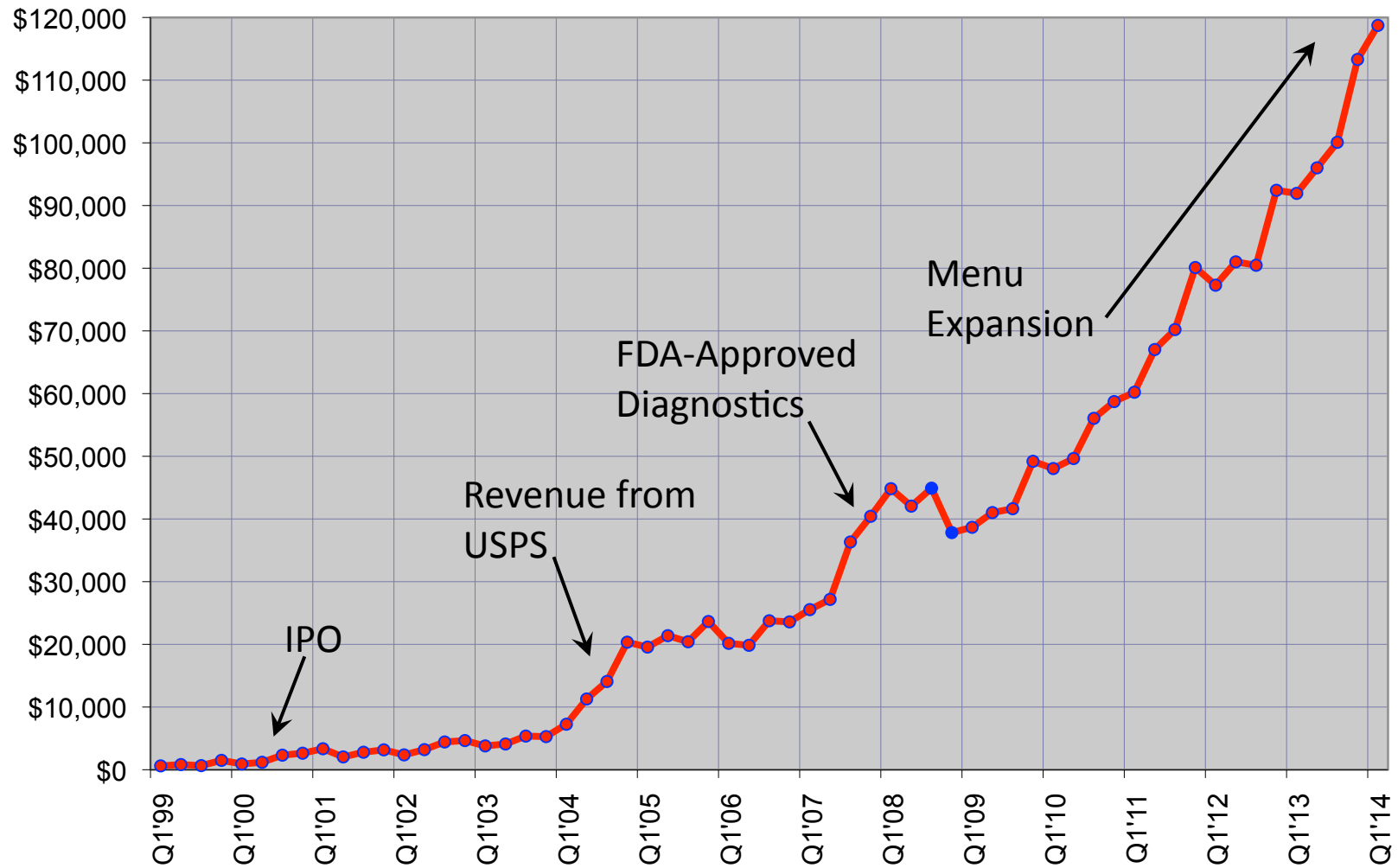
Smart-Cycler
for Life Sciences



GeneXpert
for Diagnostics



Cepheid Quarterly Revenue



Cepheid Today

- CPHD is one of the Silicon Valley 100 largest companies
 - total revenue in 2013 of >\$400M
 - Revenue growth rate of 20%/year
- GeneXpert now has 14 FDA approved human tests
 - Cepheid TB test rated by WHO as “better than current gold standard”
- Large program in developing countries
 - In partnership with Gates Foundation
- Large pipeline of additional human tests under development
- Revenue from the US Postal Service is now <<5% of total revenue

GeneXpert I

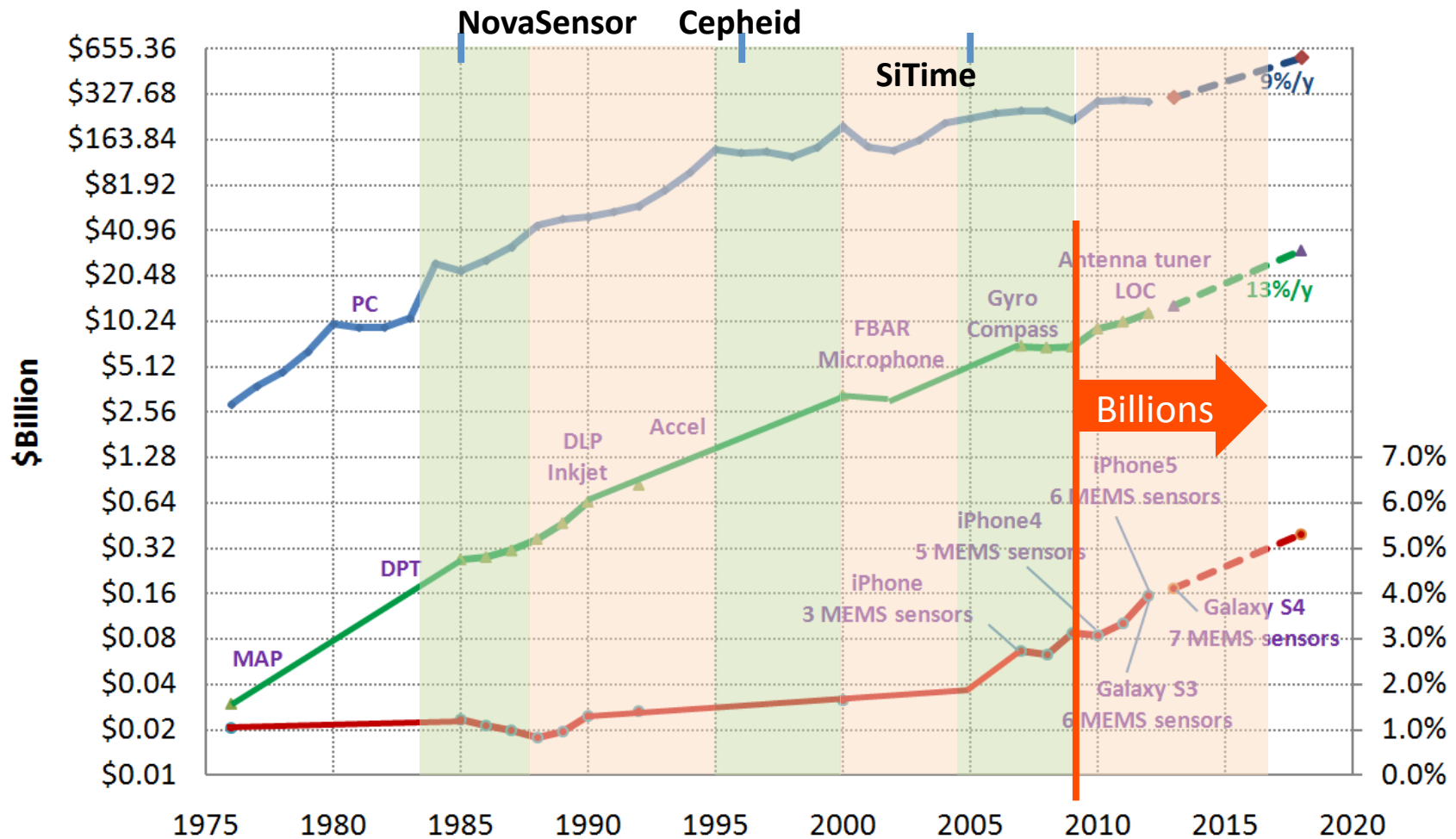


GeneXpert Infinity



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SiTime Founding Team



Bernard Boser



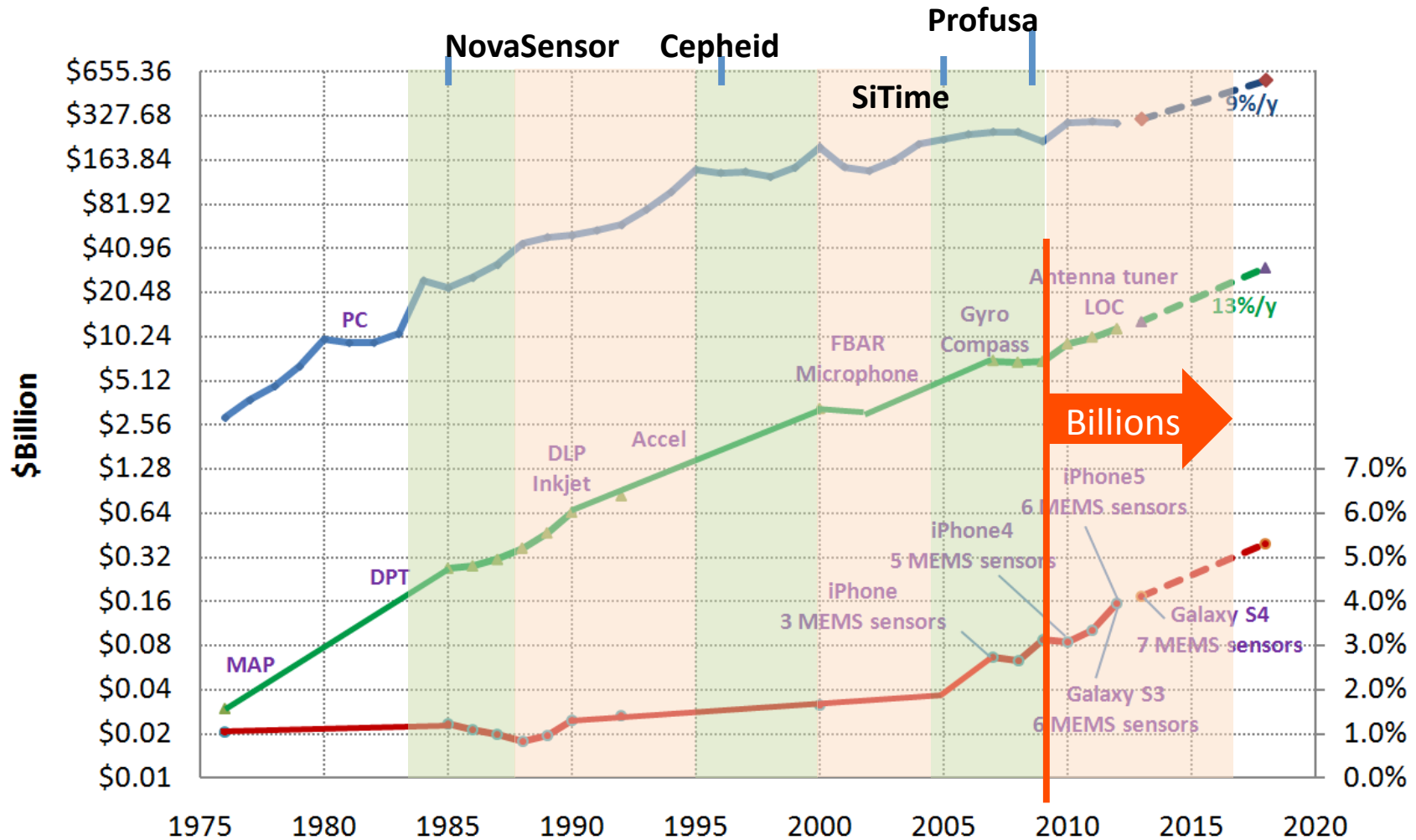
SiTime Today

- Wide variety of products in full production
 - Jazz/Tower Foundry for MEMS
 - TSMC for CMOS
 - Malaysia for package and test
- NO MEMS production problems; **NO** customer returns
- Focus has shifted to 3 MEMS die, **MANY** CMOS die
 - 43 different products
 - Fabless semiconductor company
- Cumulative shipments of over 200M units
- SiTime oscillators are now better than quartz in every way
 - Quality and Reliability
 - Frequency stability over time
 - Temperature and noise performance
 - Cost (>100K devices on 8" wafer with ~97% yield)



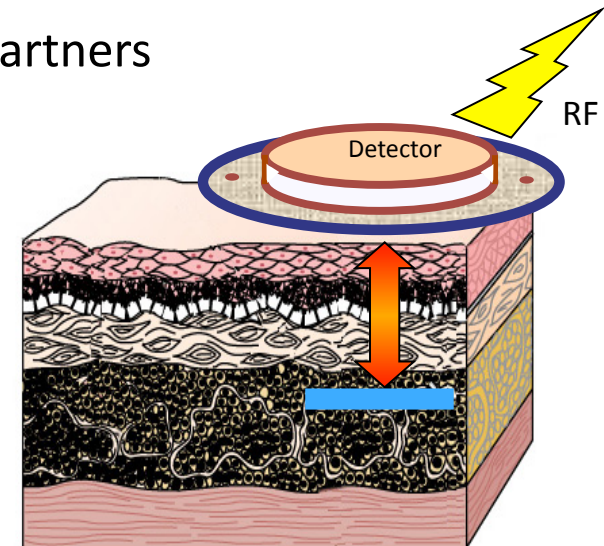
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Profusa

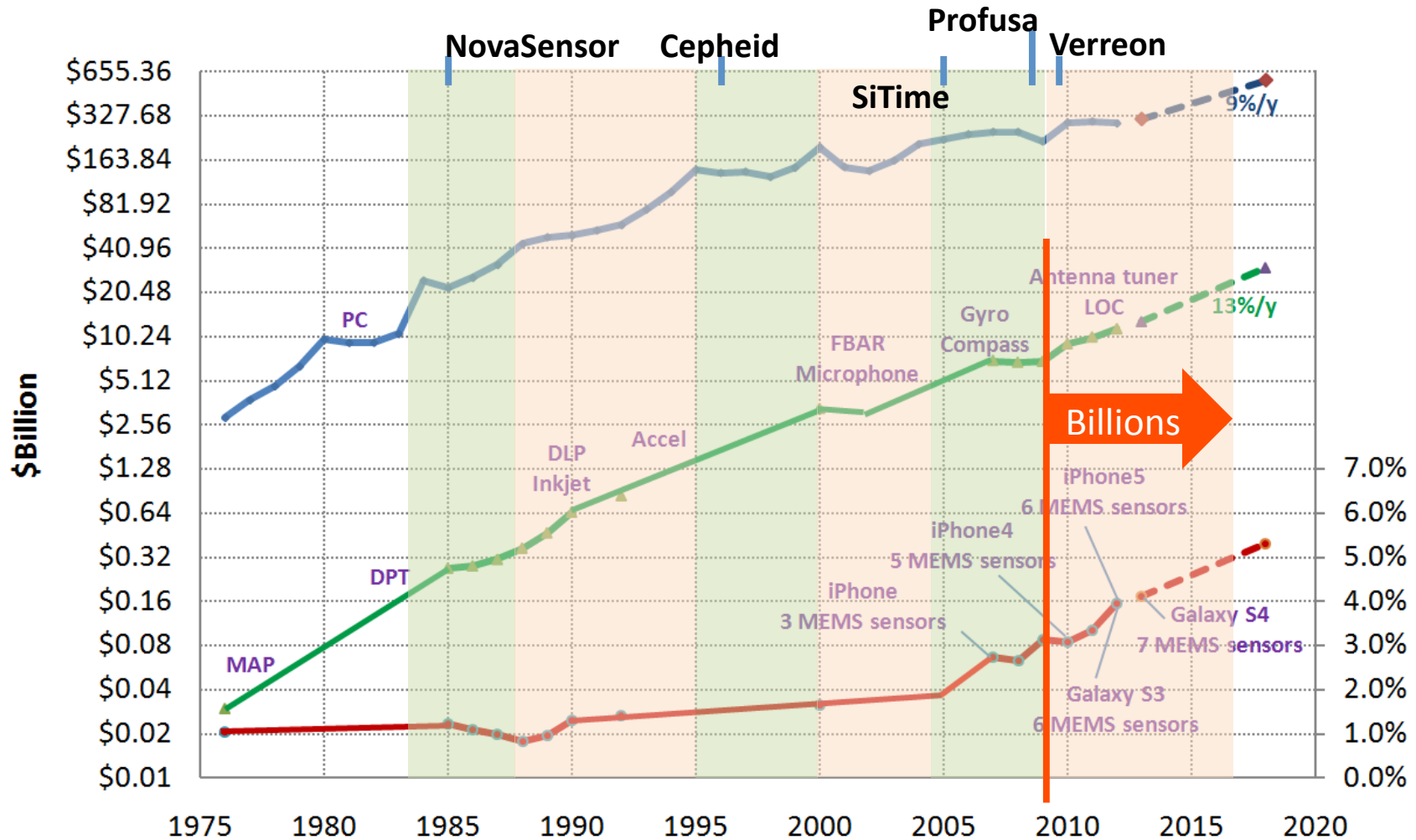
- **Implantable Glucose Sensors**
 - over the past 25+ years, >\$2B has been spent to develop such sensors
 - totally unsuccessfully
 - 4-5 years ago, NIH stopped funding because nothing was working
- **Profusa has a totally new concept**
 - the company started with bio-issues (our Foreign Body Response), instead of engineering issues
 - Profusa has a team of top-notch academic partners
 - NIH has changed its “no-fund” policy for Profusa and has funded the company with >\$6M
 - Today, the top executive staff has Profusa sensors implanted in their bodies
- **Profusa has raised seed and Series A equity totalling ~\$4.5M**





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Verreon

- New technologies and designs for manufacturing MEMS sensors and other devices on GLASS
- Verreon was *designed* to be acquired by Qualcomm
 - We hired a MEMS patent expert
 - We hired an operations person to round out the team
 - We documented an extensive IP portfolio
- Within one year, in April 2010, we were acquired and the team went to work for Qualcomm MEMS
 - (Thank God, because we had no Plan B)
 - In Qualcomm's yearly employee evaluation rankings, Verreon staff all ranked in the top 1/3 at QMT
 - Four still work at Qualcomm
- All of us have lunch every year on the anniversary of the acquisition

Verreon





Two Economic Crashes in Less Than 10 Years

- Venture Capital has severely retrenched
 - Series A funding of “hardware” companies has plummeted
- Entrepreneurs have not gone away, but have also retrenched
 - MUCH “scrappier” attitudes
 - MUCH more dependence on government money
 - Much more use of angel investors
 - More early partnering with large companies
 - NRE and investments from large companies
 - More exploration of funding from/by other countries
- The funding Bar has even been raised for Angel investments
 - Ideally, should have experienced start-up team
 - Should have nearly completely developed products/protos/demos
 - Should have engagements with customers/collaborators
 - IP should be well underway
 - Typical ~\$3.0M pre-money valuations; trying to raise ~\$0.6-1.0M



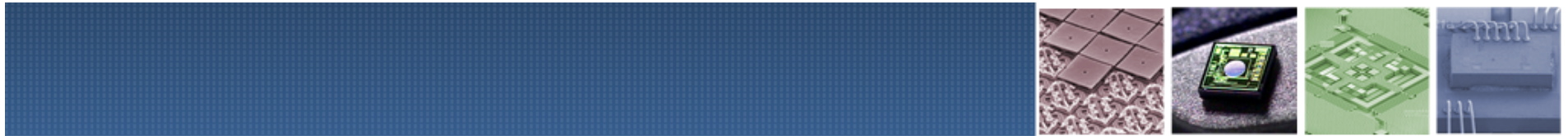
Unique US Advantages which are necessary for strong entrepreneurial success

- **POWERFUL** entrepreneurial culture and infrastructure
 - A business culture which **EMBRACES** risk
 - In much of the US, little fear of failure and little stigmatism for failure
 - In every Starbucks in Silicon Valley, start-ups are being discussed
 - Band of Angels alone sees 60 **new** start-up companies/month
- **POWERFUL** entrepreneurial collaborations and partnerships between industry, university, and government
 - **MANY** US professors and students have started companies
 - 5/6 of my start-ups have involved university professors and/or students
 - Largely, they understand how start-ups work and what the markets want
 - Major universities have start-up “contests” for the students
 - Major universities have progressive policies for licensing professor/student IP to start-ups
 - Major high-tech companies have venture investment groups
 - Most high-tech companies have offices in silicon valley to tap into new technologies and the entrepreneurial culture



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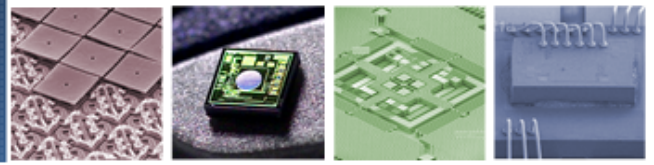
- INCREDIBLY effective funding of *research and innovation* by the US government (DARPA, NSF, NIH, DOE, etc)
 - DARPA has actively encouraged inventors, “let us be your angel financing”
 - Other agencies are trying to emulate super-successful DARPA
 - Government dollars are non-dilutive investments !!
- Sophisticated infrastructures in major US technology cities
 - Start-up incubators, angel investors, technology and business mentors, wafer fabs and foundries, legal, technology and business consultants, Venture Capital, human resources, etc, etc
 - More importantly, thousands of already successful entrepreneurs are enthusiastic to start, to lead, to mentor, to help, and to invest in new start-up companies
- Incredibly exciting entrepreneurial environment



MEMS - where do we go from here?

- Over the past 30 years, MEMS has grown at a faster rate than the semi industry, increasing from 1% to 3.5% of semi shipments
 - This increase in percentage will continue to grow
- Within only the last 3-4 years, many MEMS manufacturers have announced cumulative shipments of over 1B devices
 - Now these same manufacturers are shipping >1B/year !!
- **HUGE** new commercialization markets and opportunities for sensors and MEMS have only scratched the surface
 - *Ubiquitous* Wearables, Consumer, Mobile electronics
 - *Ubiquitous* Healthcare and medical
 - *Ubiquitous* Environmental monitoring
- The entrepreneurial environment in the US and elsewhere is experienced, dynamic, vibrant, incredibly intense, and growing
- Expect **further** innovation, **further** growth, and **further** successes for MEMS start-ups and for established MEMS companies

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Thank You