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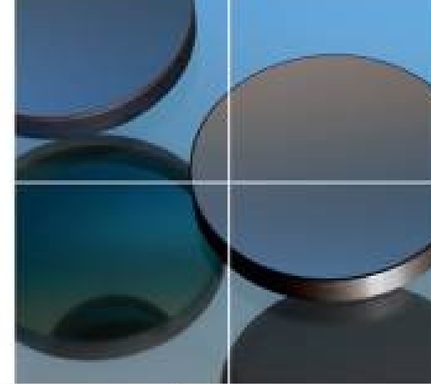

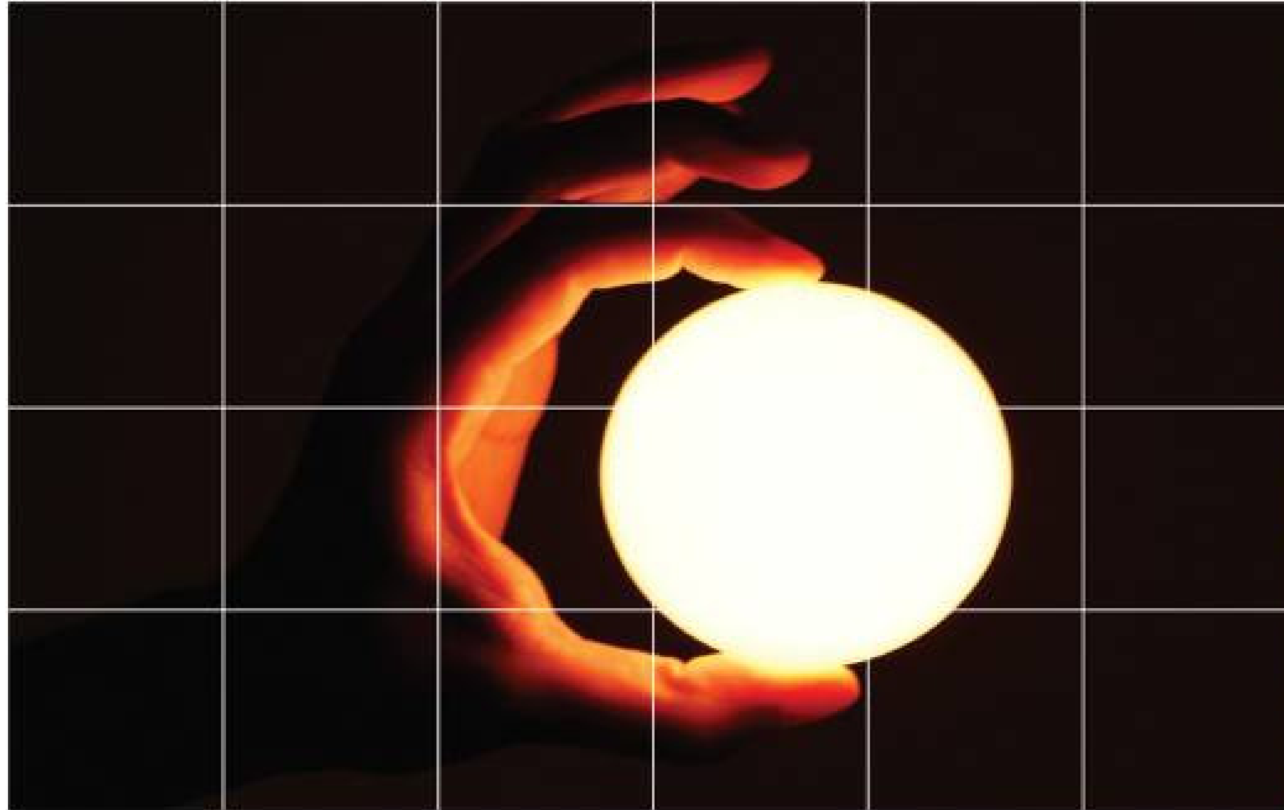

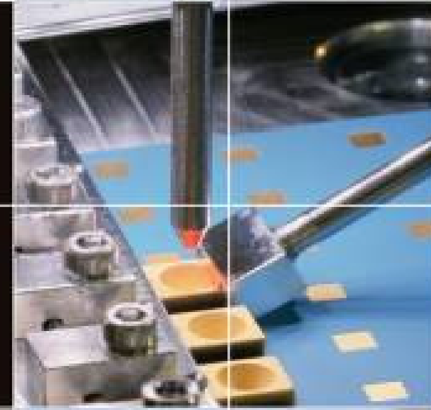

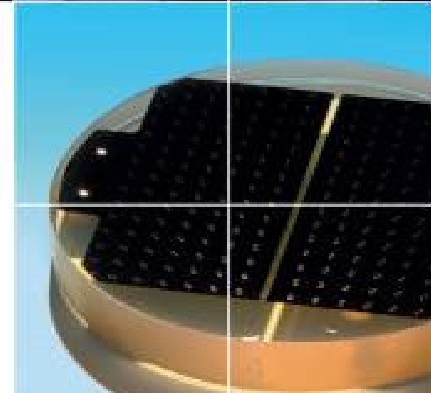

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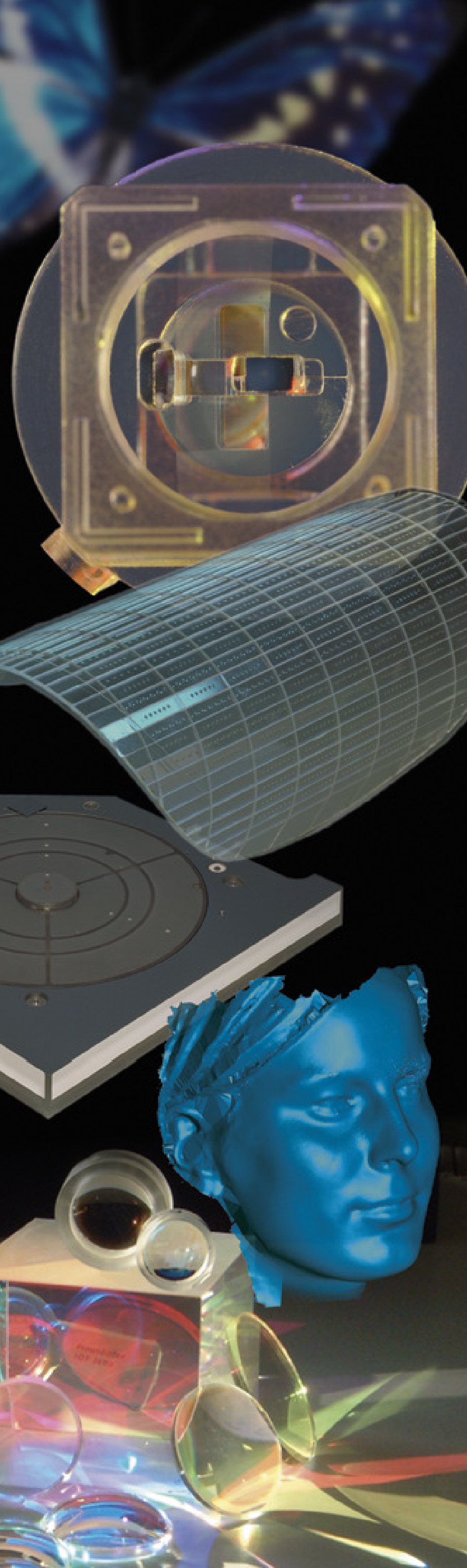

Multilayer optics for EUV and beyond

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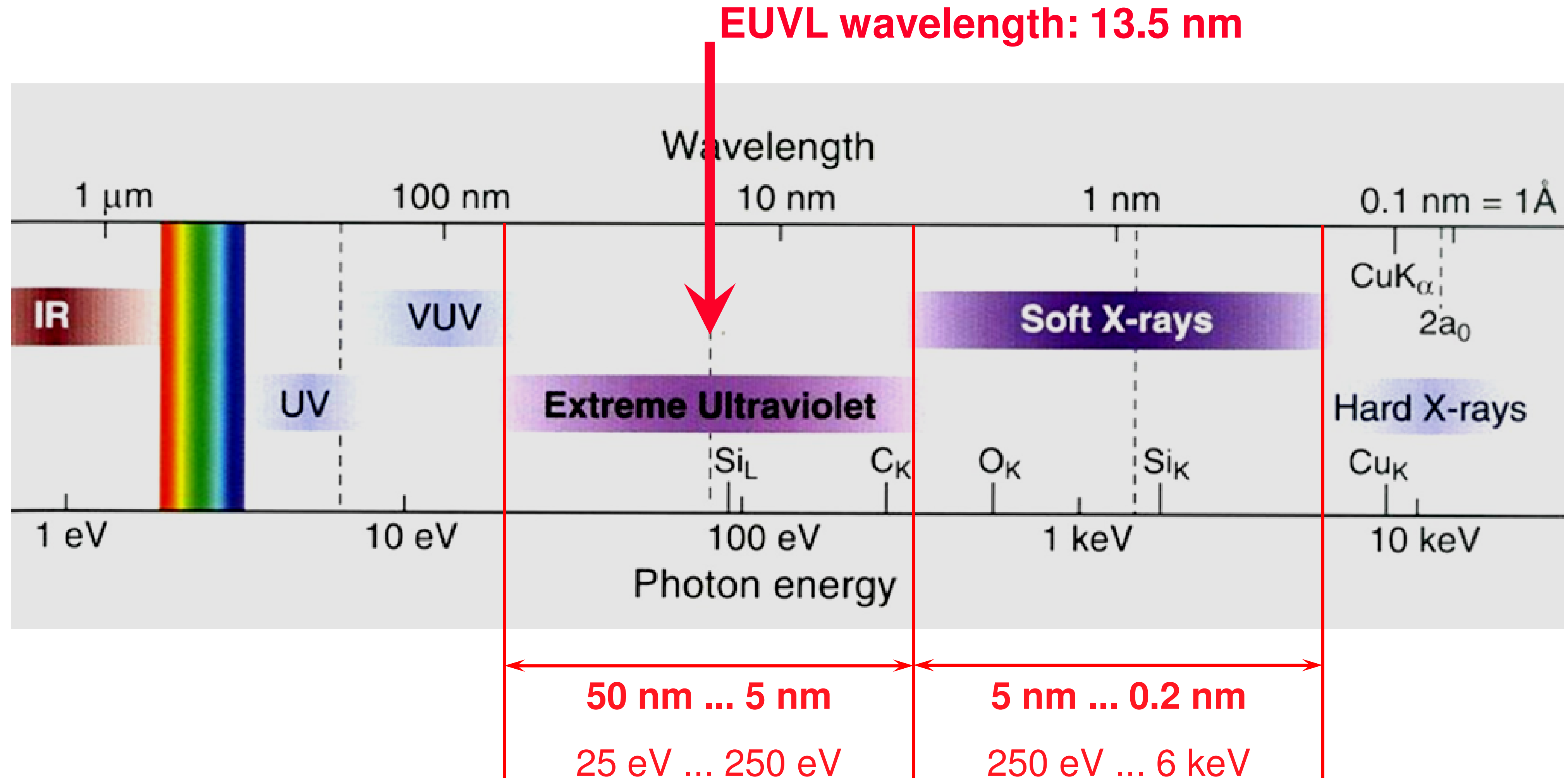
XUV spectral region



Normal incidence EUV and soft X-ray multilayers @ Fraunhofer IOF

Multilayer	λ range	λ	N	R	R vs. theory	FWHM
Al - based	70 … 150 nm	110 nm	-	**60 %**		-
Sc - based	40 … 50 nm	46 nm	20	**52 %**		4.6 nm
Si - based	12.4 … 30 nm	30 nm	20	**27.1 %**		3.1 nm
		26 nm	25	**25.8 %**		2.6 nm
		24 nm	30	**29.4 %**		2.4 nm
		21 nm	40	**38.5 %**		1.6 nm
Si - based	EUV lithography	13.5 nm	60	**69.5 %**		0.5 nm
B - based	6.4 … 11.0 nm	10 nm	100	**37.4 %**		0.14 nm
		6.7 nm	200	**26.0 %**		0.04 nm
Sc - based	3.1 … 4.4 nm	4.4 nm	300	**7.1 %**		0.021 nm
		3.1 nm	400	**20.3 %**		0.008 nm
V - based	2.4 … 3.1 nm	2.5 nm	400	**5.2 %**		0.006 nm

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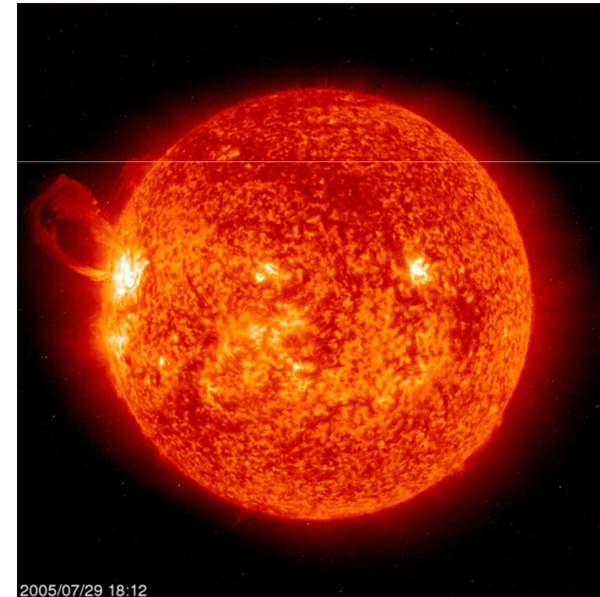
Spectral range from 40 to 120 nm

- mainly for astronomy and astrophysics
  (to detect emission lines of orbs)
- Coating of high reflective multilayer optics
  (Sc/Si based)
- Coating of broad band mirrors
  (Al single layer + flouride)



Source: http://sohowww.nascom.nasa.gov/gallery

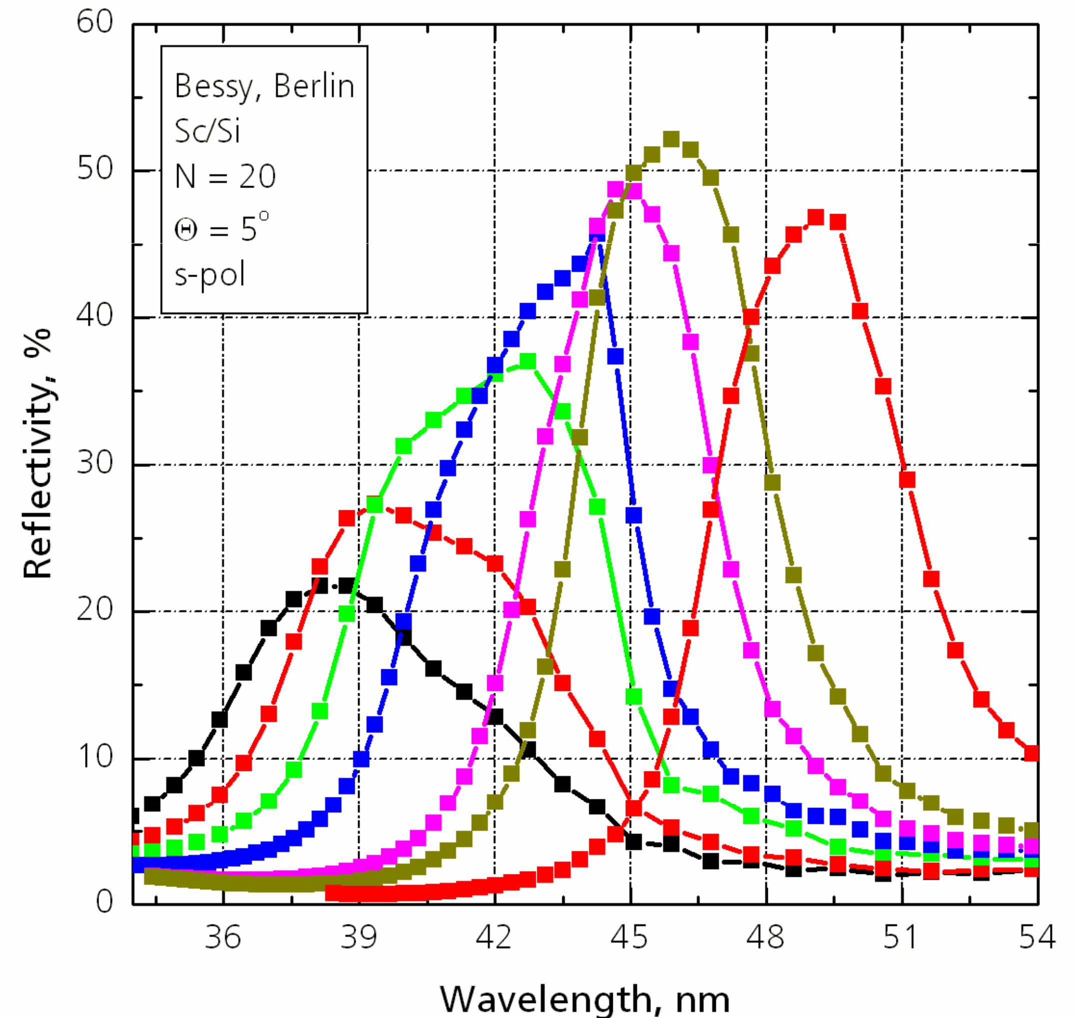
Spectral range from 40 to 120 nm

Multilayer	λ	N	R	FWHM
Sc - based	46 nm	20	52 %	4.6 nm

Reflectance of

- Sc/Si multilayer mirrors

designed at different wavelengths in the spectral range from λ = 36 to 50 nm



S. Yulin et al., “Enhanced reflectivity and stability of Sc/Si multilayers”, SPIE 5193, 2004

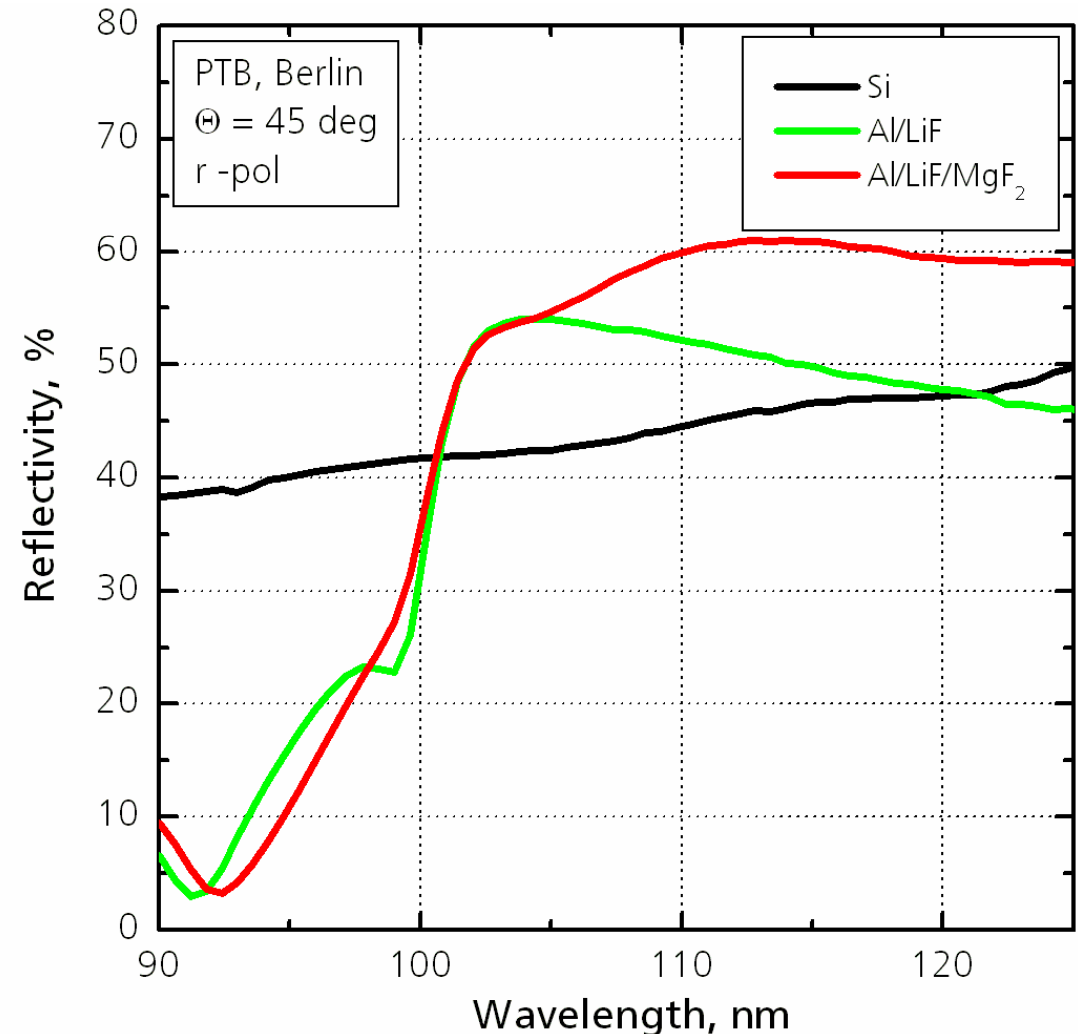
Spectral range from 40 to 120 nm

Multilayer	λ	R
Al - based	110 nm	**60 %**

Reflectance of

- Al/LiF,
- Al/LiF/MgF_2 and
- Si coatings

in the spectral range from λ = 90 to 125 nm



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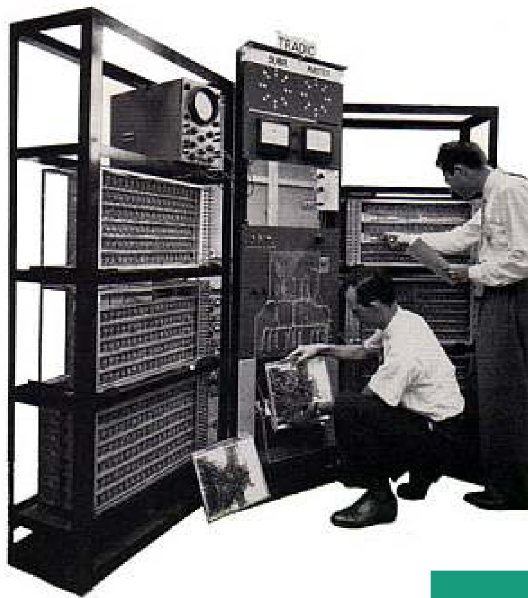
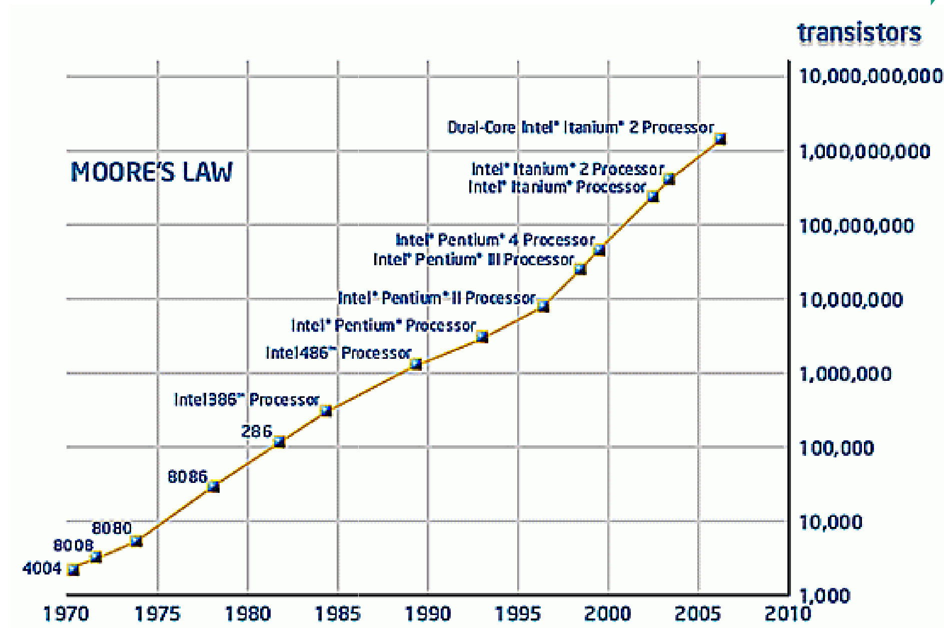
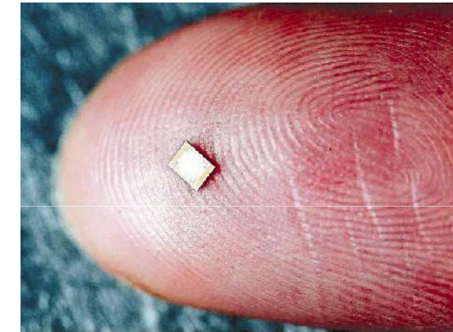
EUV Lithography driver: Moore's Law



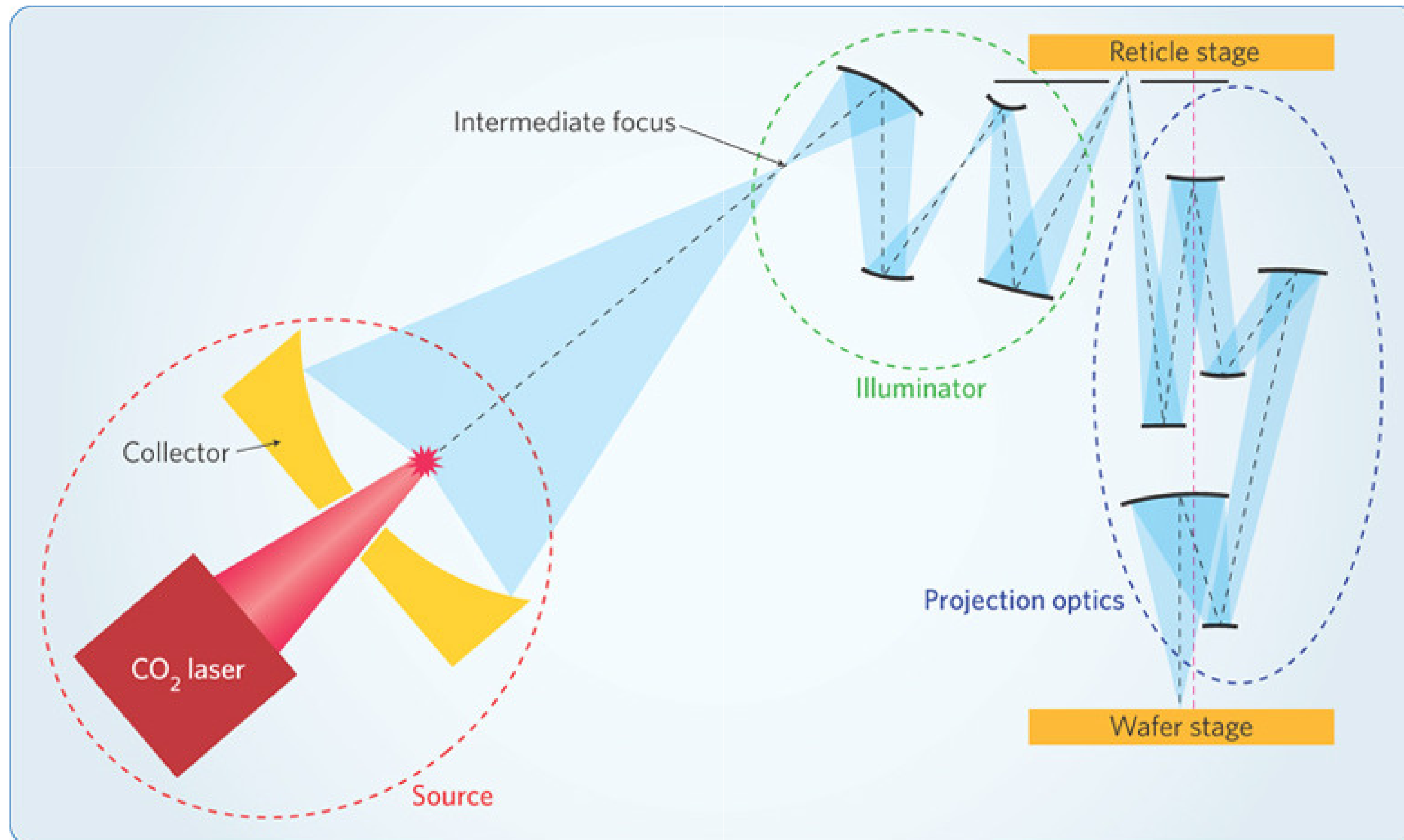




TRADIC (TRansistorized Airborne DIgital Computer) , 1955

λ = 13.5 nm

EUV lithography: Reflective optics under vacuum conditions



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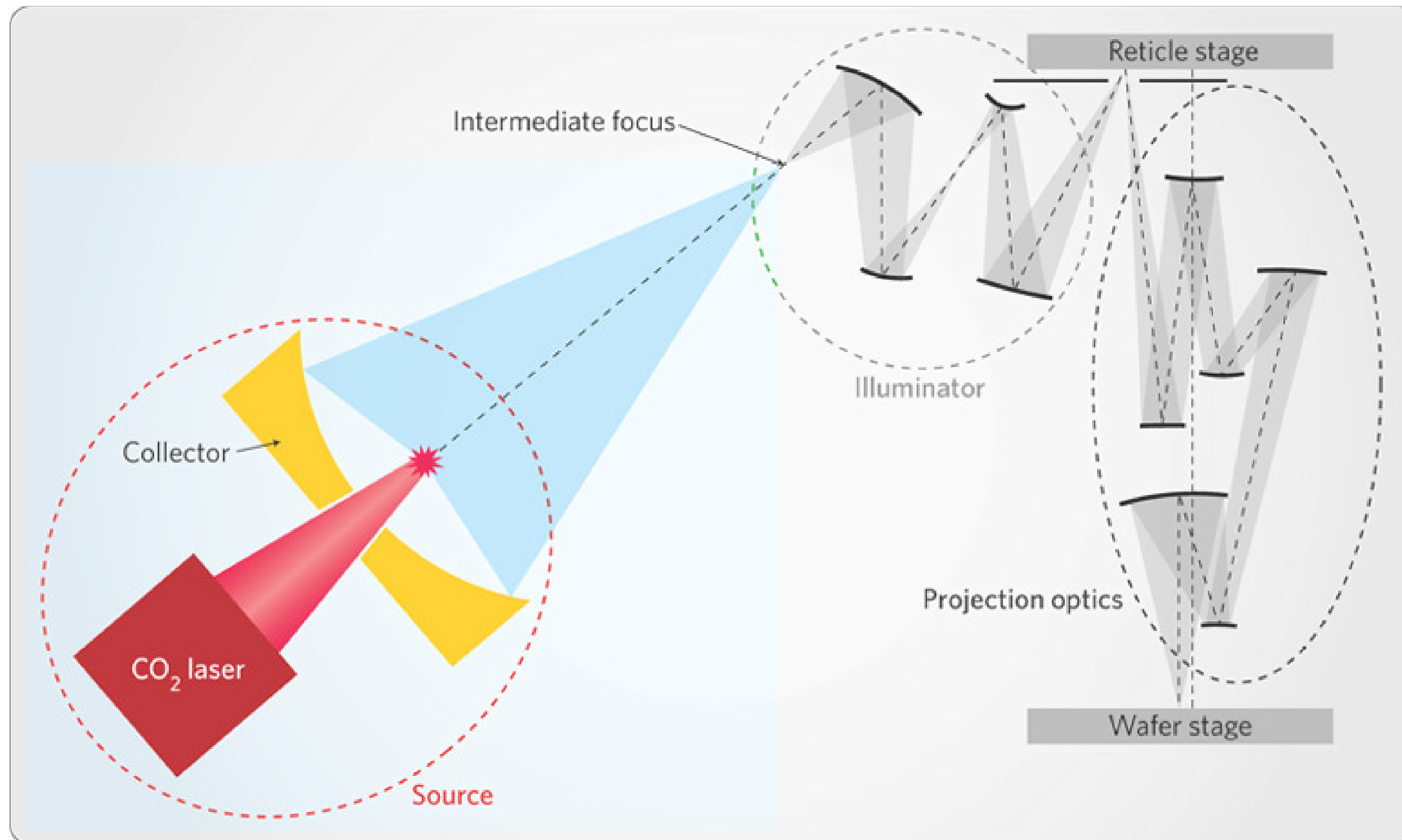
Coating and characterization of LPP collector optics



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LPP collector coating challenges

$R > 65\ \%$

$\lambda = (13.500 \pm 0.050)$ nm

→ $\Delta d = 0.025$ nm = 25 pm

- Diameter: > 660 mm
- Lens sag: > 150 mm
- Tilt: > 45 deg
- Weight: > 40 kg

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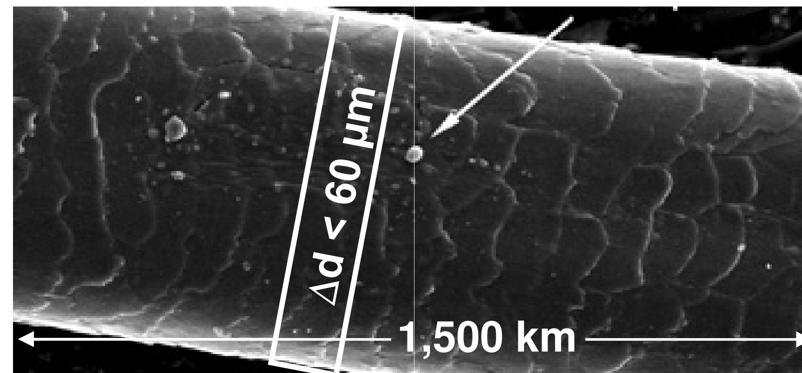
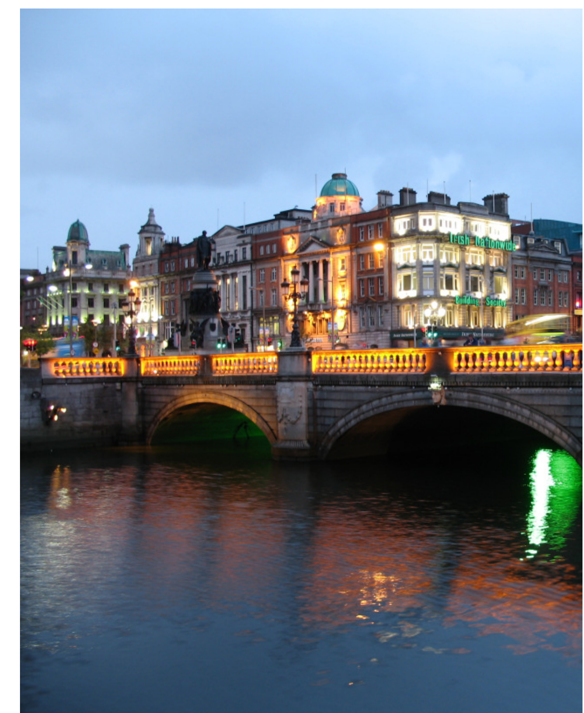
λ = 13.5 nm

LPP collector coating challenges

	EUV collector mirror (Diameter ≈ 660 mm)	**Factor 2.27 Mio.: Jena – Dublin (≈ 1,500 km)**
Bi-layer thickness error	$\Delta d < 25$ pm	$\Delta d < 60$ µm





Dublin at night, 20.08.2006,
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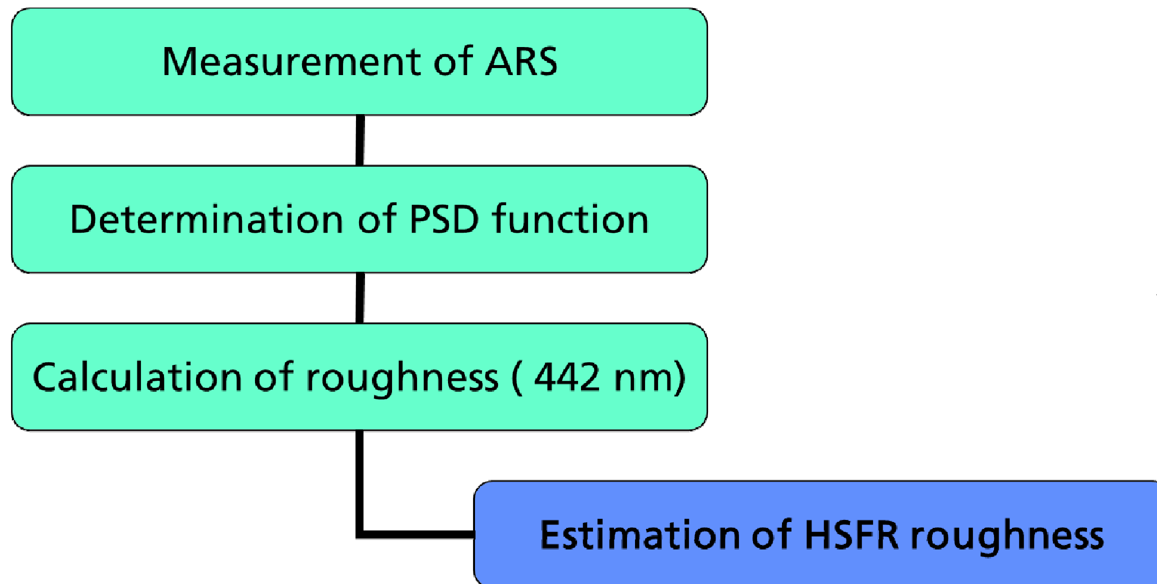
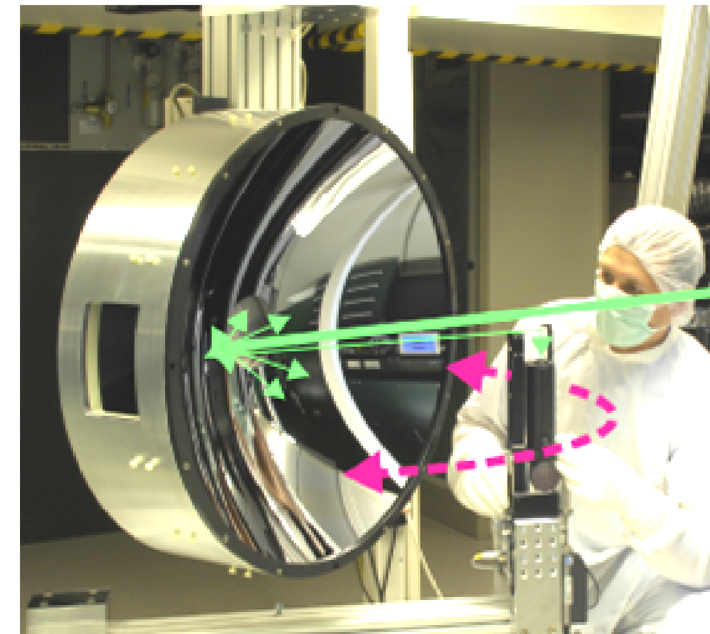
λ = 13.5 nm

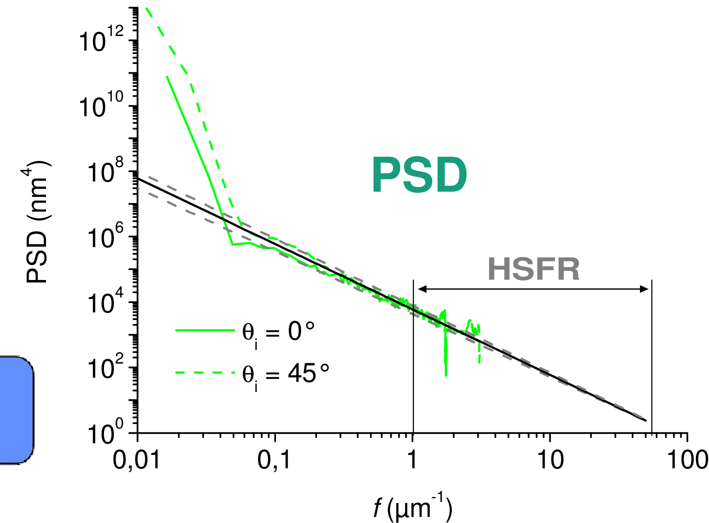
Surface characterization of EUV collector substrates - basis

No robust roughness data available so far
(complex geometry, roughness: HSFR < 0.2 nm)

→ **New technique:**





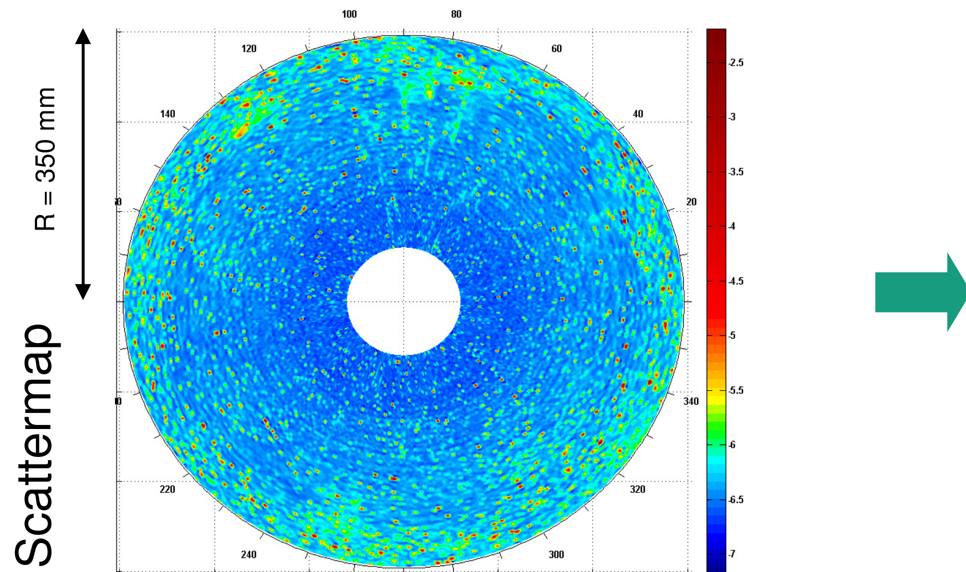


λ = 13.5 nm

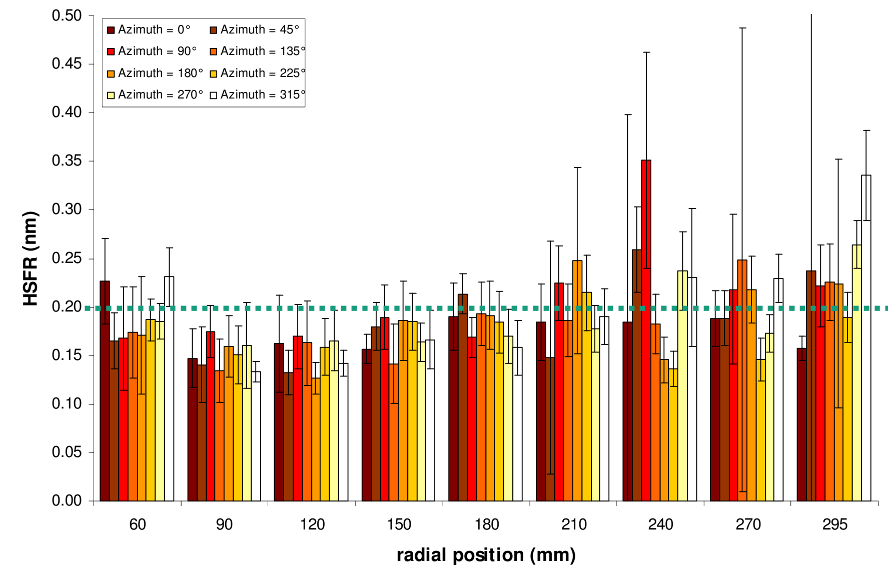
Surface characterization of EUV collector substrates - application

Scattermap

R = 350 mm



Roughness at different radii



→ Check for roughness distribution, homogeneity, defects

→ Quantitative determination of HSFR

→ Light scattering technique:

fast, non-contact, comprehensive, with high sensitivity

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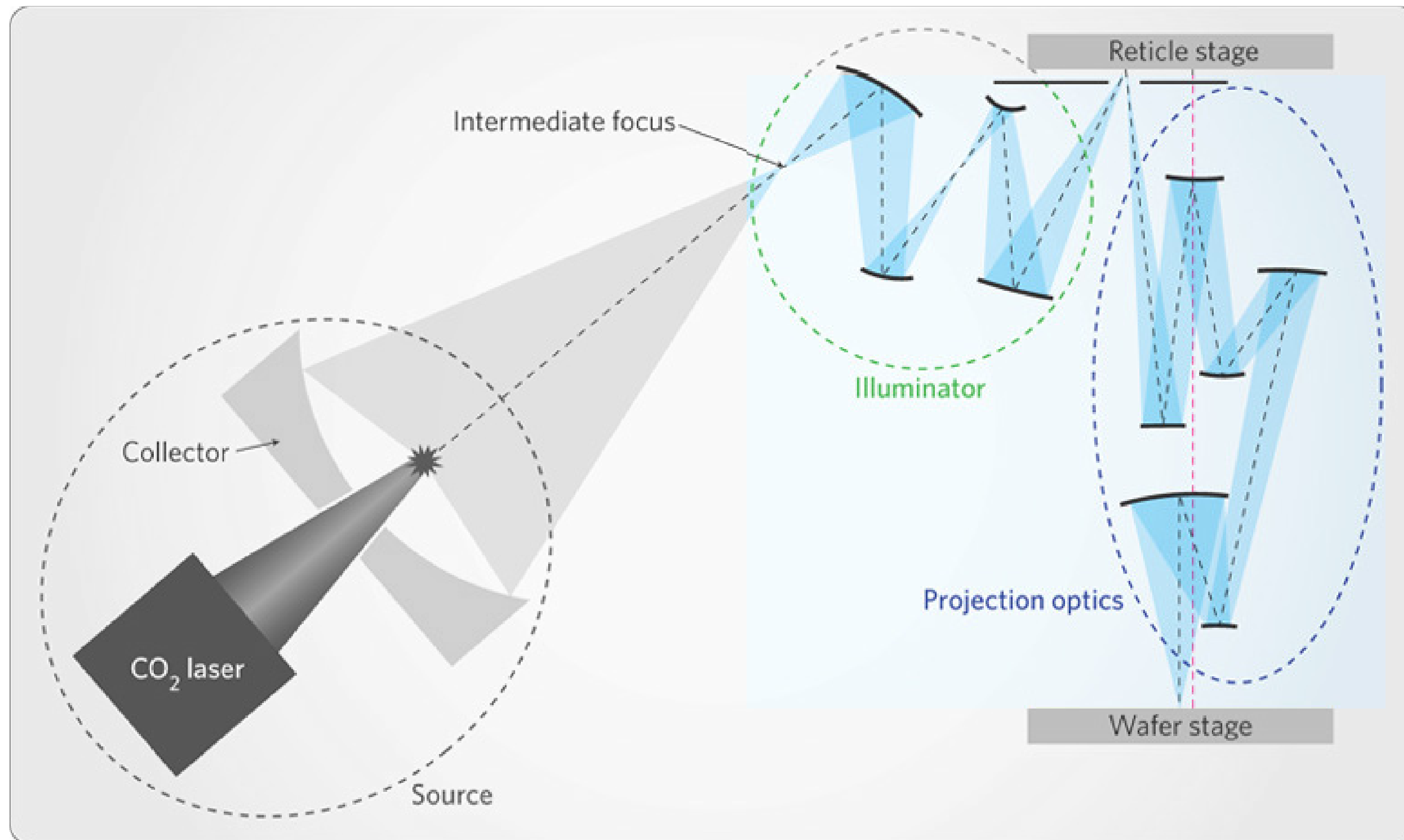
Multilayer mirrors for EUV applications



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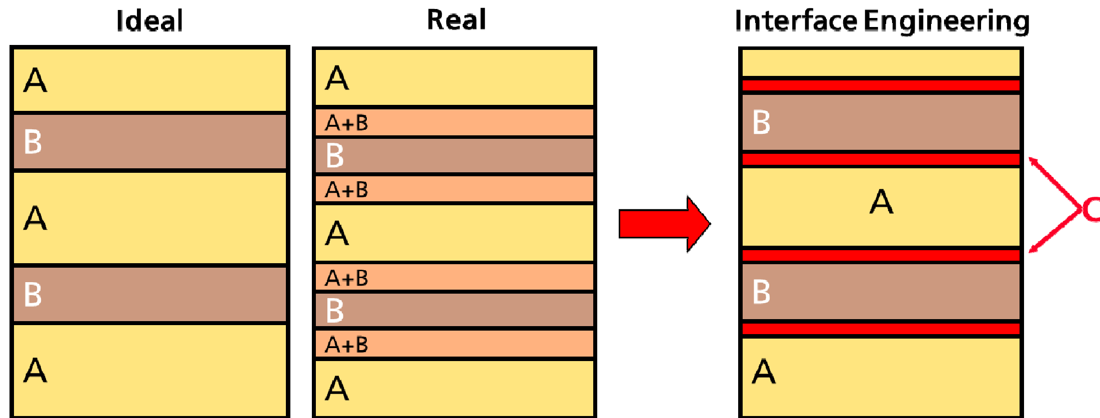
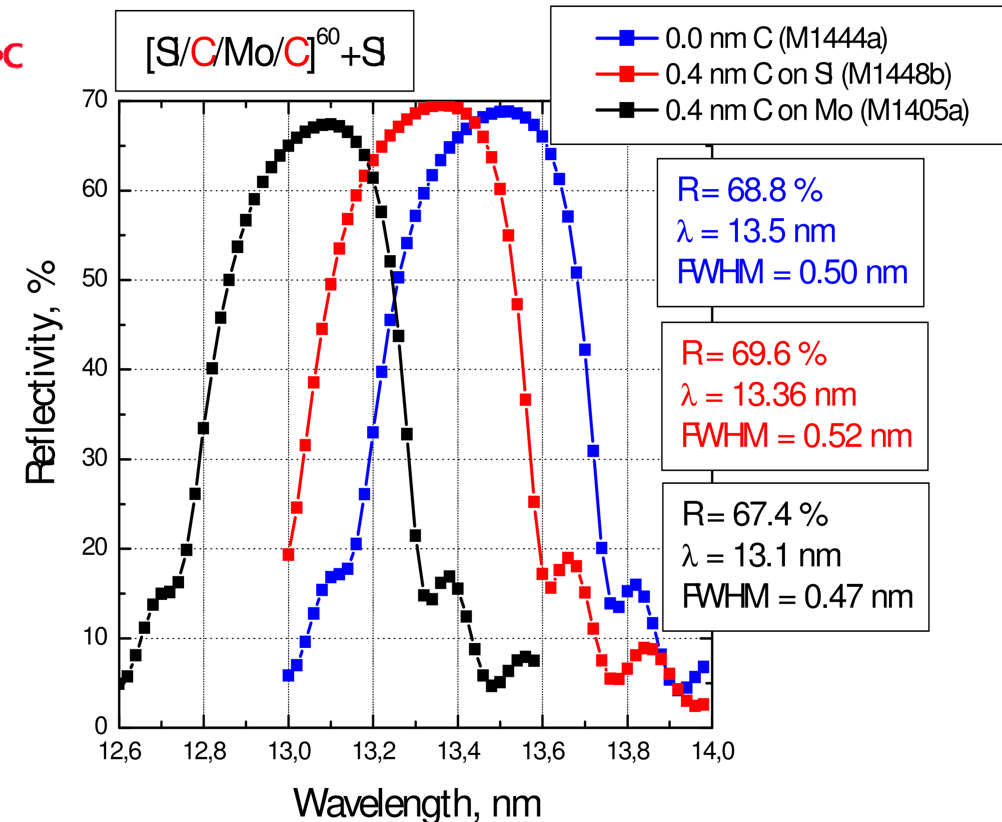
Enhancement of Reflectivity by Interface Engineering





- Optimized Design: [Mo/Si/C]
- R (without C) = 68.8 %

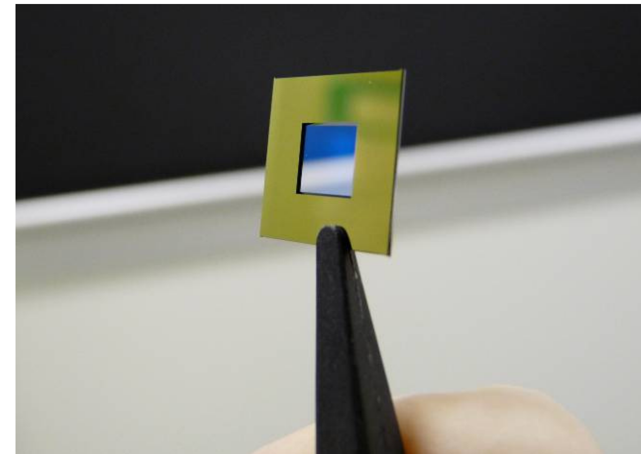
+ 0.8%

- R (with C on Si) = 69.6 %

S. Yulin et al., “Interface-engineered EUV multilayer mirrors”, MEE 83, 2006

Beam splitter

- AOI = 45 deg
- Design: SiN membrane / $[Mo/Si]^x$
- R @13.5 nm = T @13.5 nm = 18%



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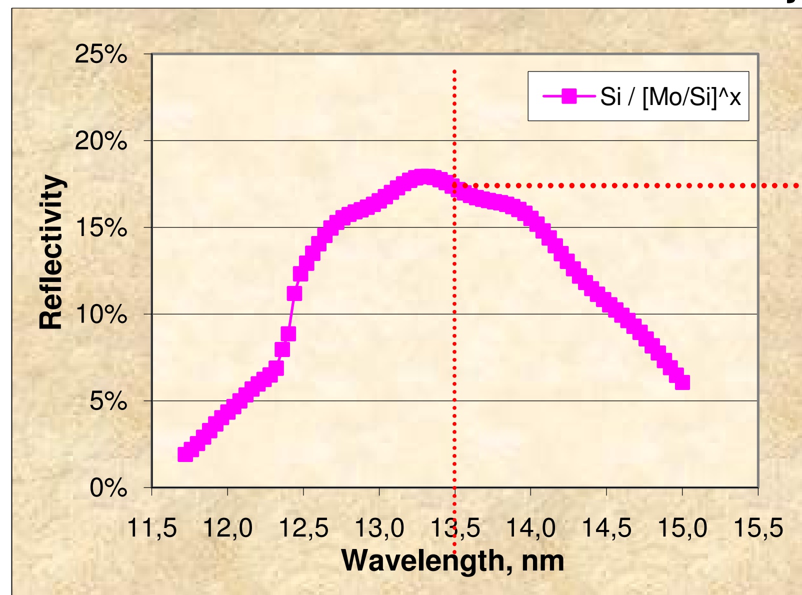

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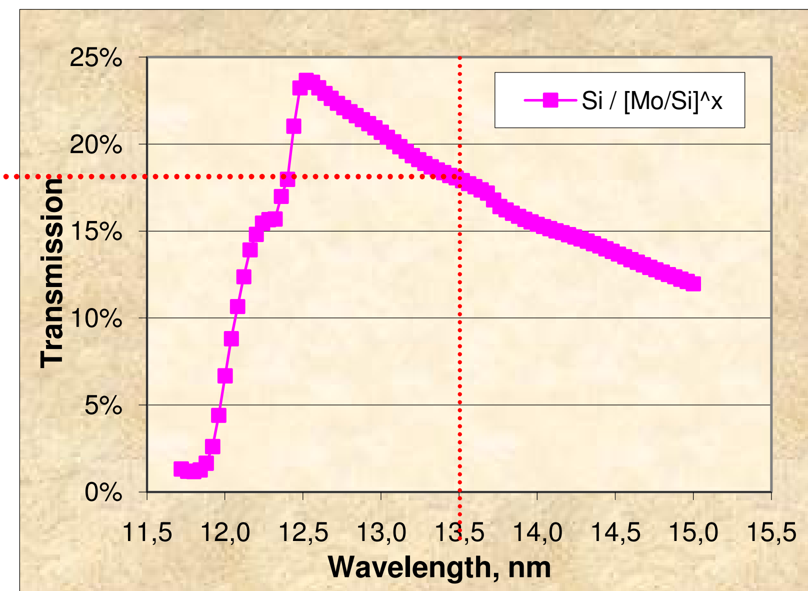

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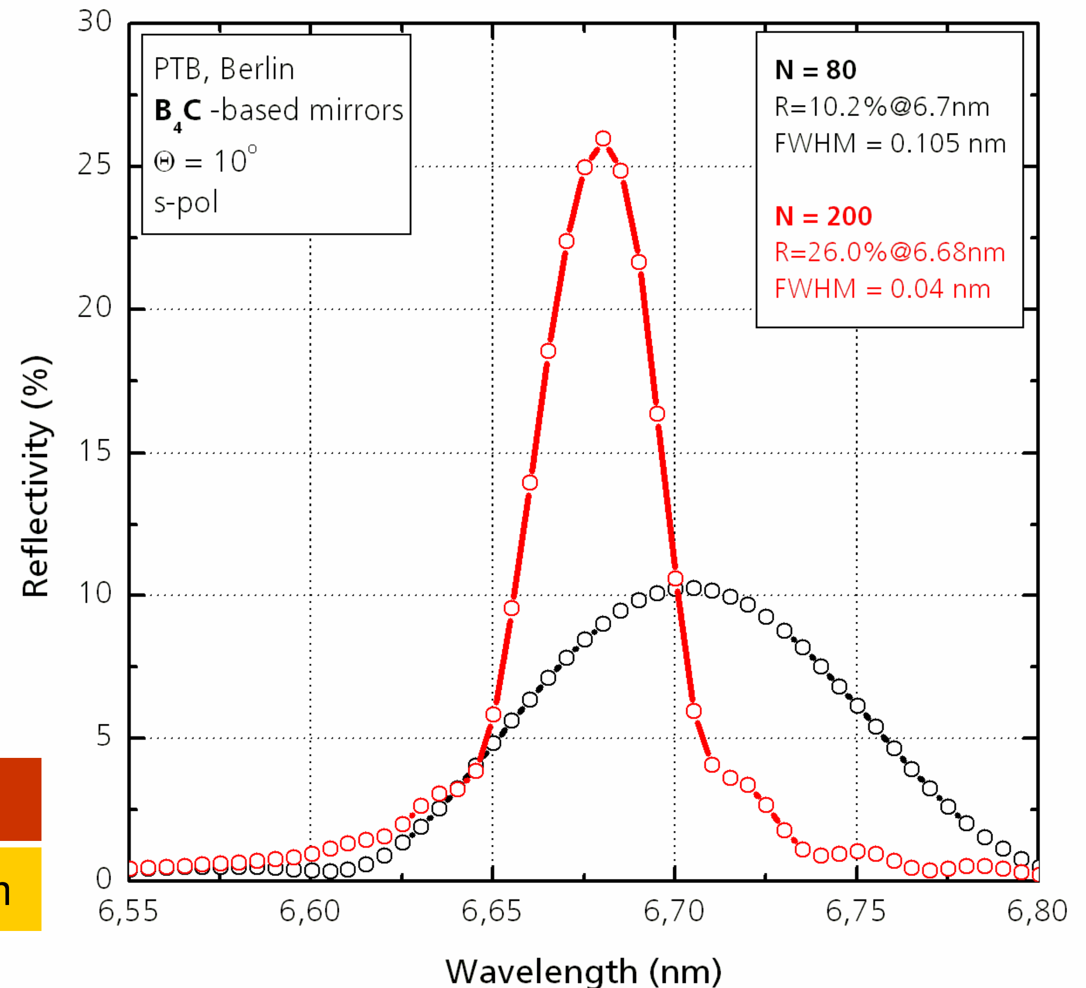
Spectral range from 6 to 12 nm

Reflectance of B_4C- based multilayer mirrors:

80 bilayers: R = 10.2 %
200 bilayers: R = 26.0 %

Higher reflectivities can be obtained by interface engineering

Multilayer	λ	N	R	FWHM
B - based	6.7 nm	200	26.0 %	0.04 nm



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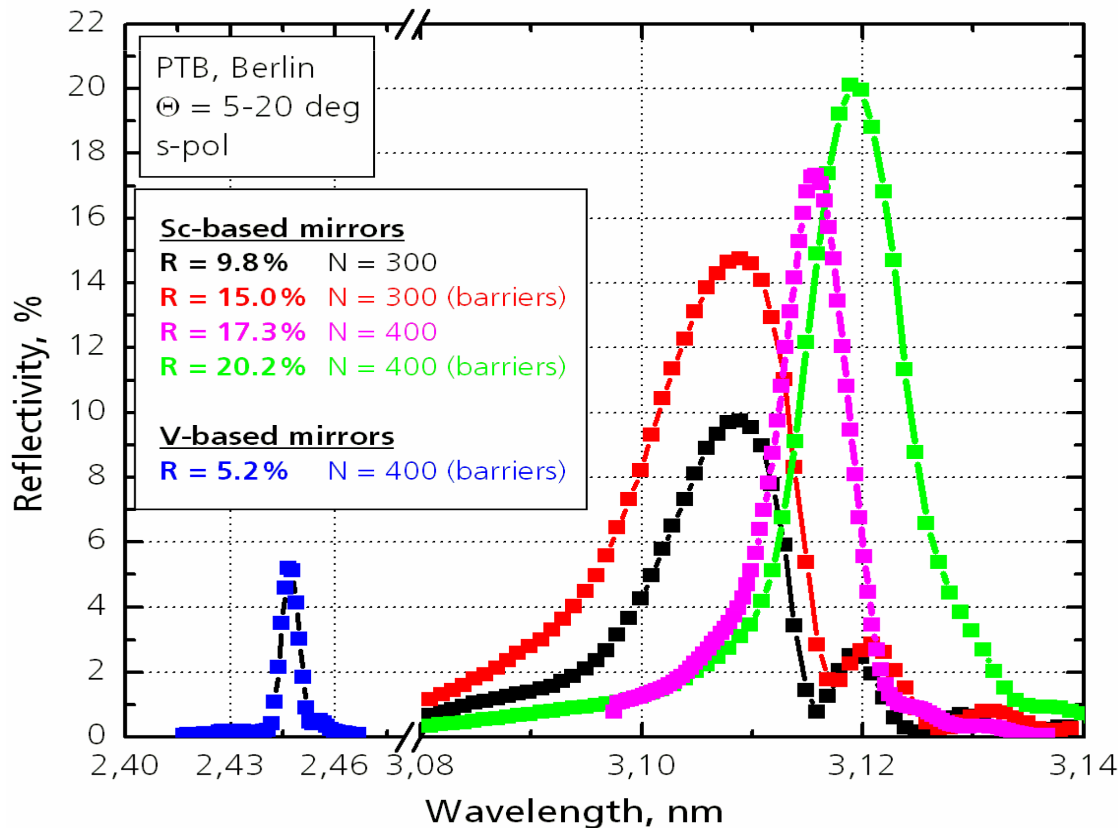
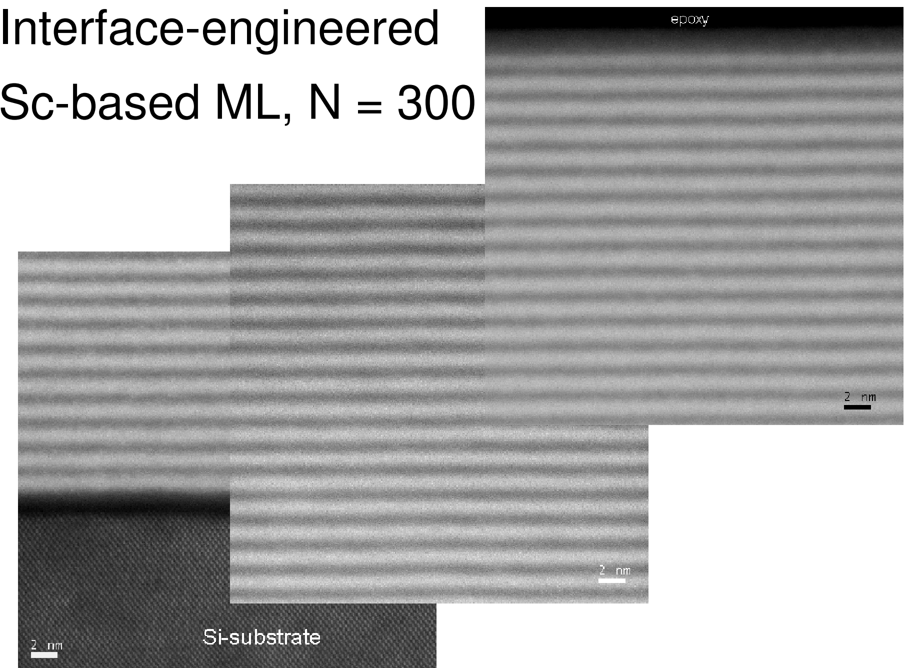
Spectral range from 2 to 5 nm

Enhanced reflectance of Sc- and V-based multilayer mirrors with interface-engineering



Multilayer	λ	N	R	FWHM
Sc - based	4.4 nm 3.1 nm	300 400	7.1 % 20.2 %	0.021 nm 0.008 nm
V - based	2.5 nm	400	5.2 %	0.006 nm

Interface-engineered Sc-based ML, N = 300



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Summary

XUV multilayers	- High-reflective multilayers for $\lambda = 2 \ldots 150$ nm
EUV multilayers	- R > 65 % and d-spacing accuracy of $\Delta d < 25$ pm on world's largest EUV multilayer mirror (Ø > 660 mm) - Different optical designs concerning application (beam splitters, polarizers, broadband designs…)
Surface characterization	- Light scattering for HSFR substrate characterization
Interface engineering	- Enhanced stability and reflectivity
Applications	- Growing number of non-EUVL applications

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