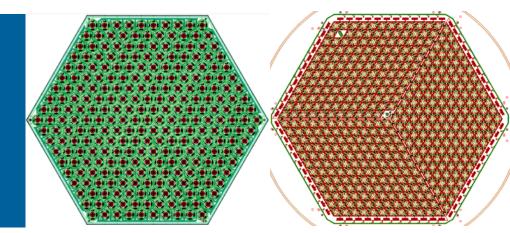
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# Progress on rhomboid layout



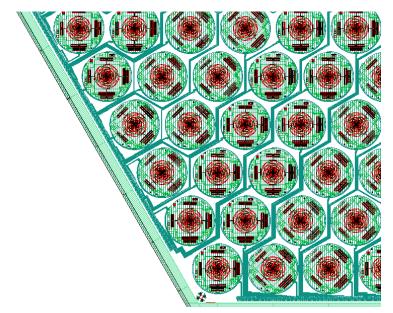
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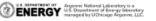
# **Wiring Patterns**



- Serial pattern
- Single layer



- Repetitive pattern
- Multiple layer

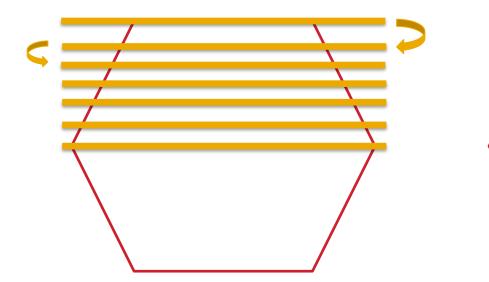


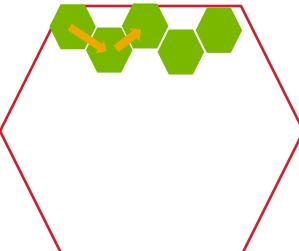


## direct write vs Stepper

#### **DIRECT WRITE - ~ 45MIN/WAFER**

#### **STEPPER - ~ 5MIN/WAFER**







## **Questions / Concerns that have been raised**

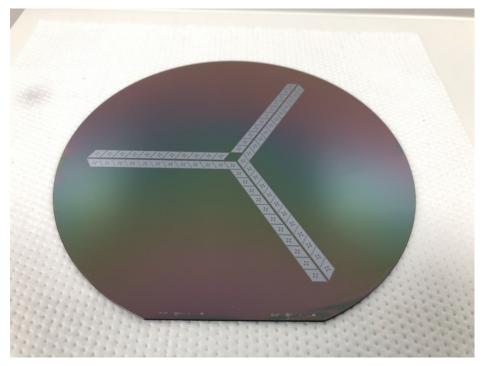
- Can the rhombus pattern be used on a stepper without wafer rotation?
- Can the rhombus pattern work with few/no crossovers and a single wiring layer?
- Can the readout wiring be directed to one side of the wafer for low pixel count layouts?





# **Rhombus on non-rotating Stepper**

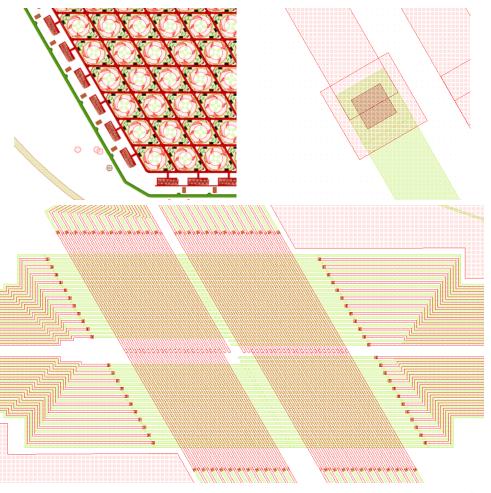
- NIST has a stepper that can rotate wafer
  - Pattern on rhombus, rotate wafer, and repeat
  - Only need one set of masks (stencils)
- Open question if rhombus pattern work on non-rotating stepper
- Demonstrated layout is possible and with minimal increase in mask (relative to SPT-3G)





### Crossovers

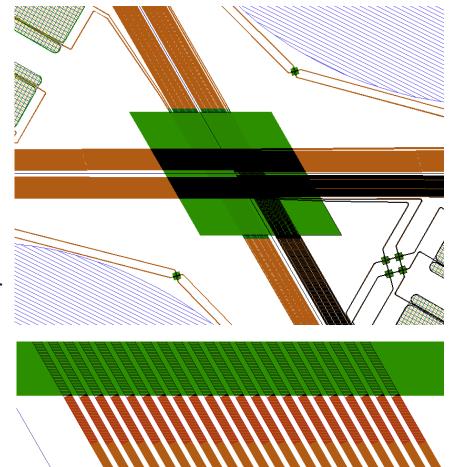
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- Row/columns of wires crossing each other
- 10s of thousands of crossovers per wafer

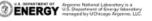




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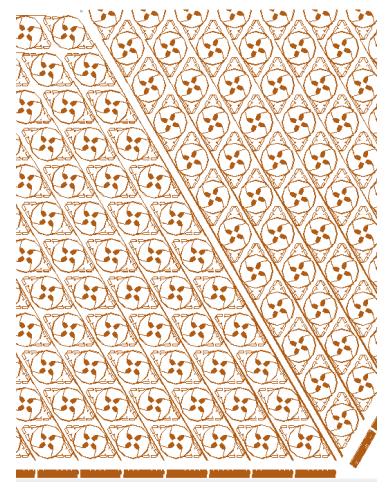




## Alternative

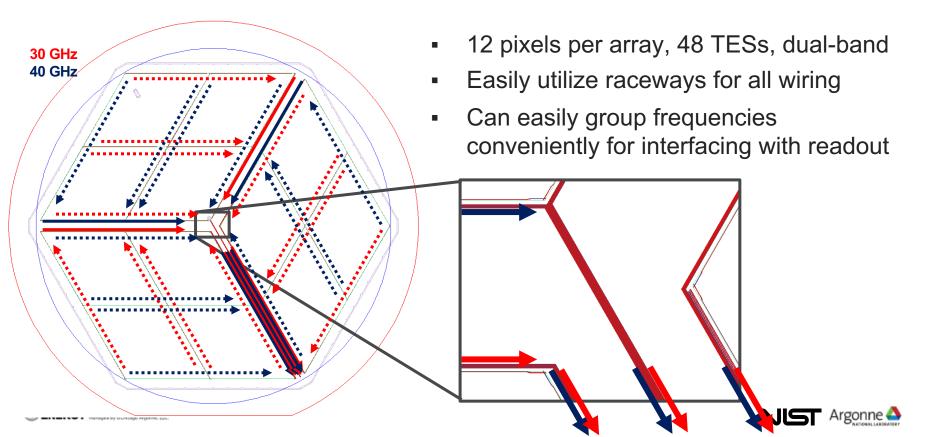
#### Can direct write instead of stepper

- Single layer, direct write wiring layer for rhombus pixels
  - Takes longer, but can reduce (eliminate?) crossovers
- Key challenge is having enough room at edge of pixels for outer pixels
  - Go from 24 to 48 wires
- Initial layout looks promising
  - Can take advantage of raceways, so likely more options

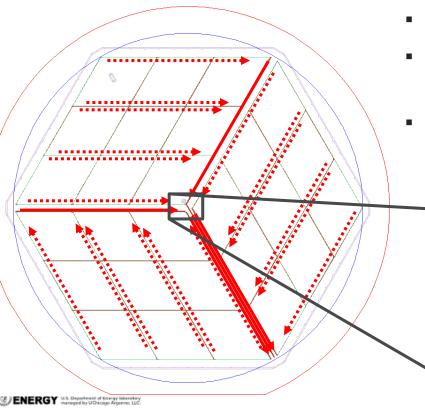




## Simplest example: SAT LF 30/40 GHz



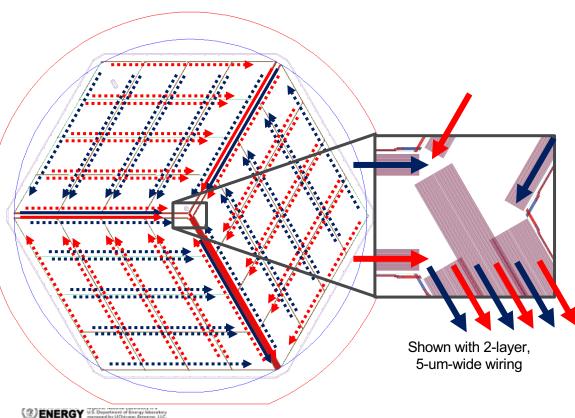
# LAT LF 20 GHz



- 27 pixels per array, 54 TESs, single-band
- Easily utilize raceways for all wiring
- ZERO crossovers required
- Pixels 100% compatible with stepper
- Raceways can be exposed either with stepper or direct write
- Shown using 2 wiring layers, but there is easily enough room for single layer wiring if desired



## **Trickiest example: LAT LF 27/39 GHz**



- 48 pixels per array, 192 TESs, dual-band
- ~2157-um-wide raceway gap
- For 2-layer, 5-um-wide wiring need 2304 um, therefore not wide enough for standard wiring
- For 2-layer, 4-um-wide wiring need 1920 um, so there is enough room for all bias lines
- Alternative wiring approaches could include
  - Route wiring somewhat inside pixel boundary
  - Wrap some wiring around outer edges
  - Implement microstrip-like wiring



# **Current status/thinking**

#### Making progress w/ rhomboid layout

	Rhomb	HCP
Stepper pixel	Y	Y
Stepper wiring (lots of xovers)	Y	Ν
Stepper wiring (few xovers)	Ν	Ν
DW wiring (lots xovers)	Y	Y
DW wiring (few xovers)	Y	Y

Ideal, but doesn't seem possible

Possible, but not ideal

Looking into direct writing wiring to one side for –LF layouts. Initial studies look okay.







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