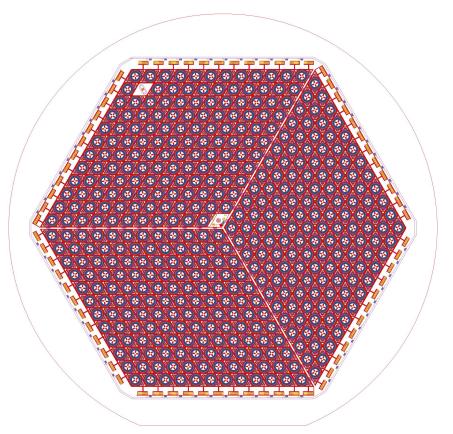
# NIST dark TESs

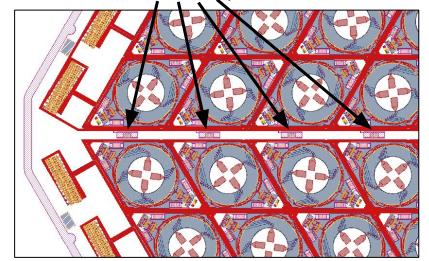
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#### Dark TESs in rhombus layout



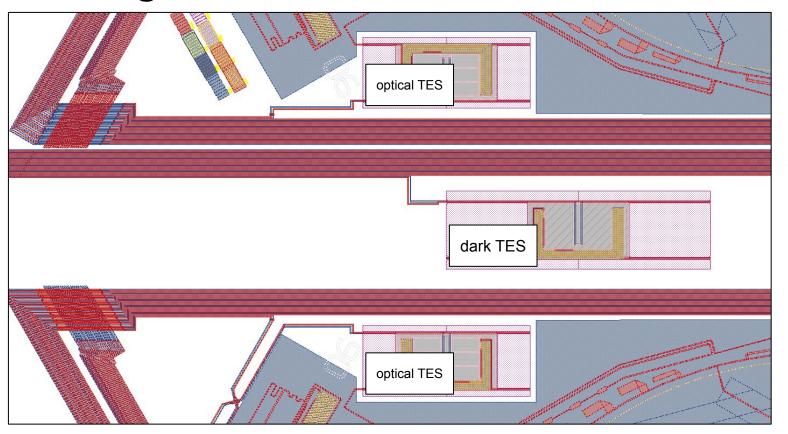
- The gaps between each of the three large rhombus are ideal places for dark TESs
- For a 12x12x3 pixel array (432 2 total optical pixels), currently implement 36 dark TESs

One dark TES per column





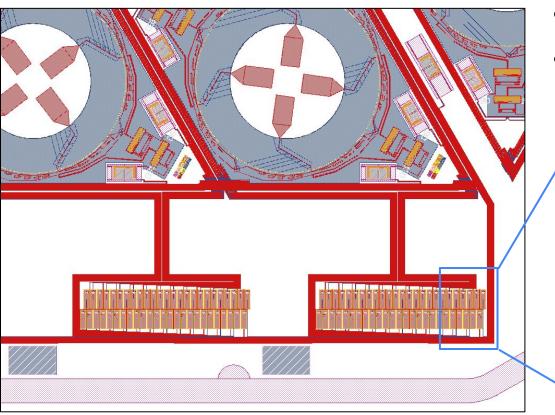
## Wiring for dark TESs



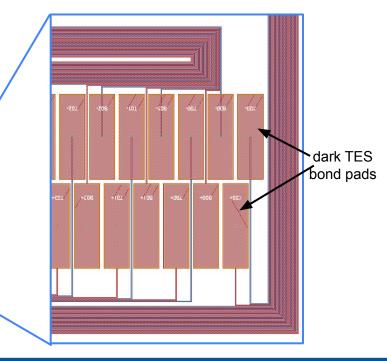
- Bias line bus for dark TESs is separate from bias line bus for optical TESs
- Dark TES is
  designed with
  lower Psat than
  optical TES of
  same
  frequency
  band, enabling
  biasing at same
  point



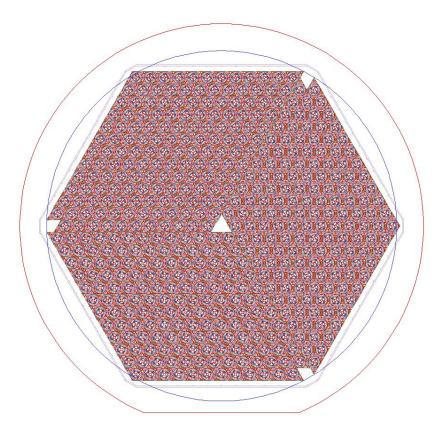
## **Bond pads for dark TESs**



- 3 of 6 edges have bond pad sets with 25 pairs
- 25th pair is for dark TES



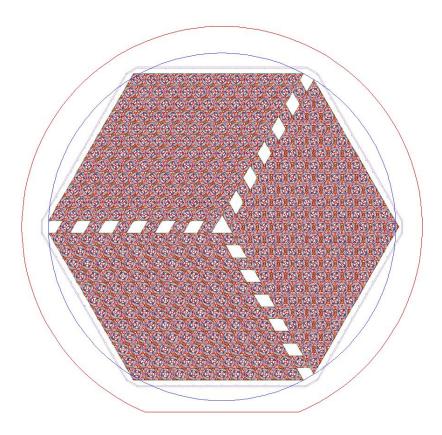
## Dark TESs in hex layout, idea 1



- Drop funny corner optical pixels, add dark pixels with dark TESs
  - Total optical pixels 468 3
- Consider utilizing one corner pixel for slot alignment feature, center region for pin alignment feature
- Allows for ~6-12 dark TESs depending on dimensions
- All dark TESs near edge



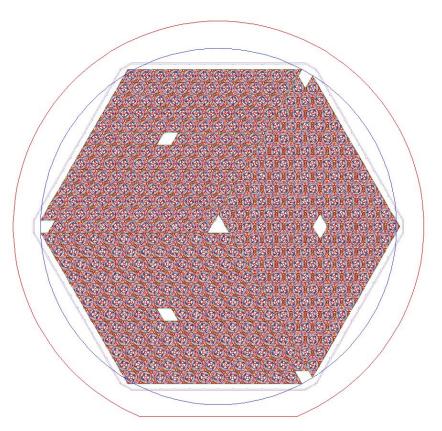
## Dark TESs in hex layout, idea 2



- Drop some number of radially placed optical pixels for dark pixels with dark TESs
  - Total optical pixels 468 18?
- Consider utilizing dark pixels for pin and slot alignment features
- Consider utilizing dark pixels for backshort posts
- Allows for up to 4x #pixels dark TESs
- Radial distribution of dark TESs



## Dark TESs in hex layout, idea 3



- Drop funny corner optical pixels and a few pixels closer to center, replace with dark pixels with dark TESs
  - Total optical pixels 468 6
- Consider utilizing corner dark pixel for slot alignment feature and center region for pin alignment feature
- Consider utilizing dark pixels for backshort posts?
- Allows for up to ~28 dark TESs depending on dimensions

