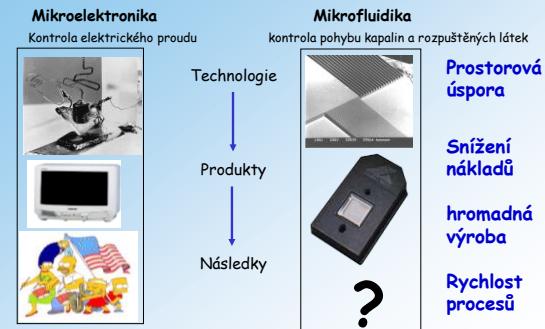


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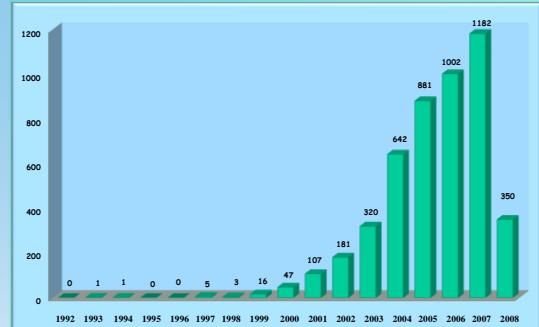
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Classical approaches
 New technologies
 Miniaturization - Mass Spectrometry

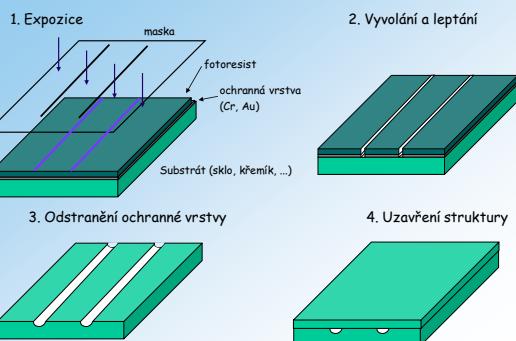
Mikrofluidika?



Incidence of the word "MICROFLUIDIC" in PubMed



Fotolitografie



Making and inspecting semiconductor chips requires pushing laser techniques deeper into the ultraviolet.

By Hank Hogan, Contributing Editor



As semiconductor feature sizes shrink, manufacturers need to push the limits of the photolithographic process, which translates the features that are defined in a mask into a patterned resist on a wafer. Subsequent processing steps—such as etching and layout in layers of conductors and insulators—complete a functioning integrated circuit. Today, state-of-the-art features are as small as 45 nm, and the generation beyond that is expected to be 32 nm in a few years' time, although the equipment needed for them is being rolled out now.

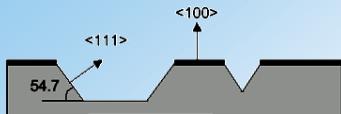
Although designed for manufacturing 130-nm chips, the latest lithography stepper lens from Carl Zeiss in Oberkochen, Germany, is not small. The Starfire 1000 wafer mask has a metric ton size, several feet long and big around as a tree trunk. A 4-madix system of lenses, mirrors, and refractive optics, it enables volume semiconductor production.

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SILICON - ANISOTROPIC ETCHING



* Anisotropic etching – direction dependent etch rate

* Etch rate slower perpendicularly to the crystalline planes with the highest density

* Typical etches: KOH, Tetramethyl Ammonium Hydroxide (TmAHO), Ethylene Diamine Pyrocatechol (EDP)

Alternative technologies

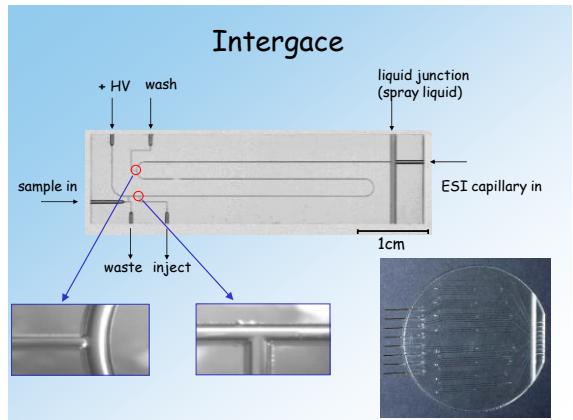
Hot embossing

Injection molding - production scale

Casting - polymeric resins, PDMS

Plasma etching

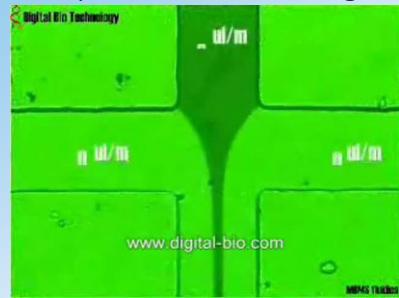
Laser machining



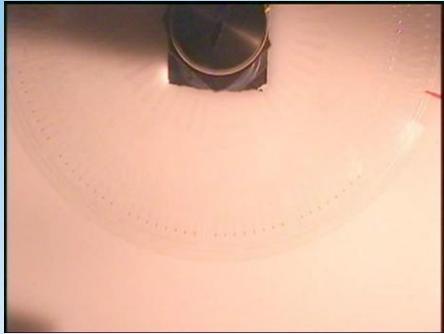
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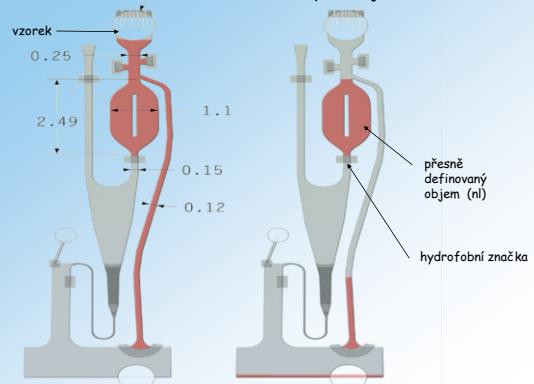
Spatial flow focusing



Capillary force filling



Přesné dávkování velmi malých objemů



Mikrofluidika

Manipulace látek v kapalné fázi

Menší rozměry - rychlejší analýzy

Větvení kanálků bez mrtvého objemu

Paralelní systémy pro hromadné analýzy

Přístroje na jedno použití

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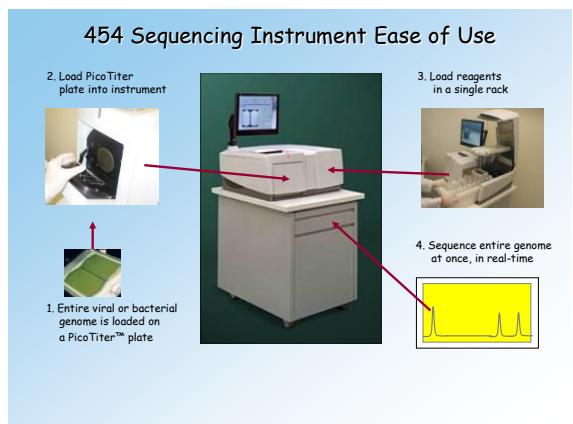
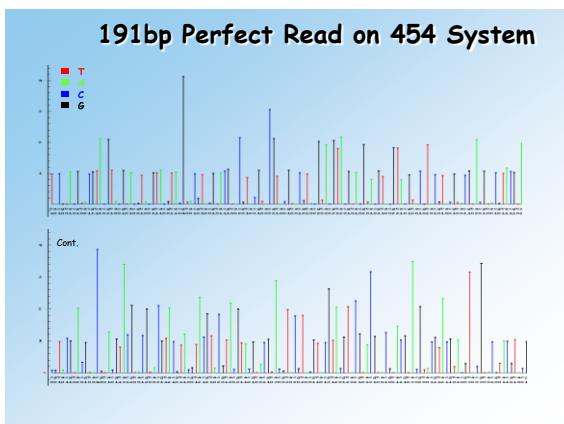
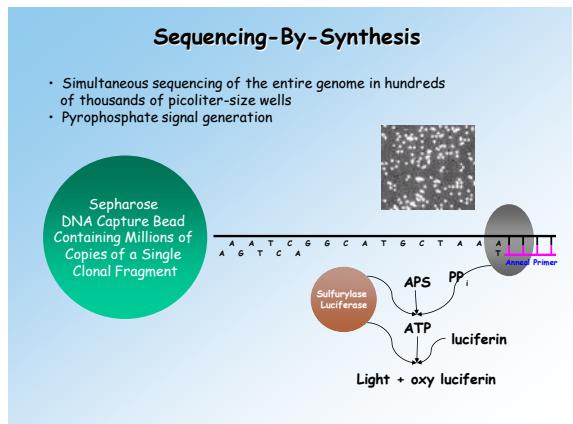
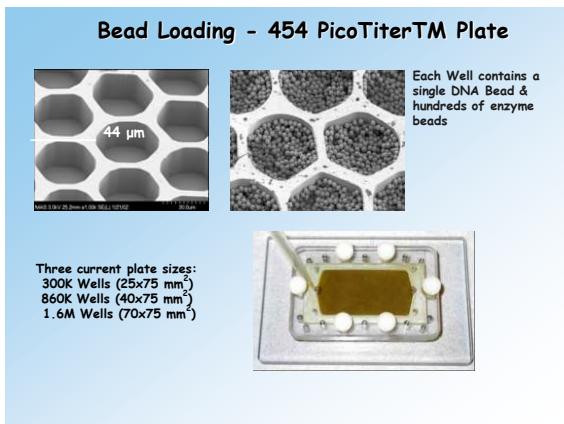
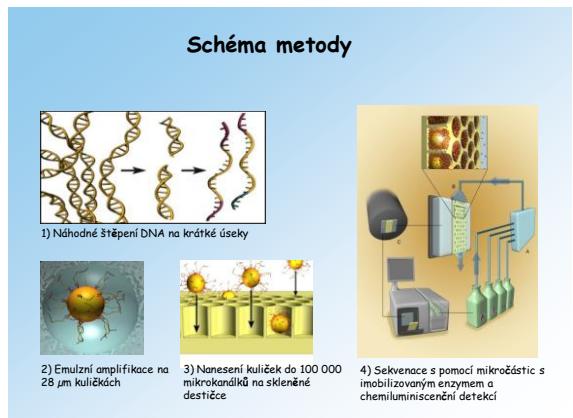
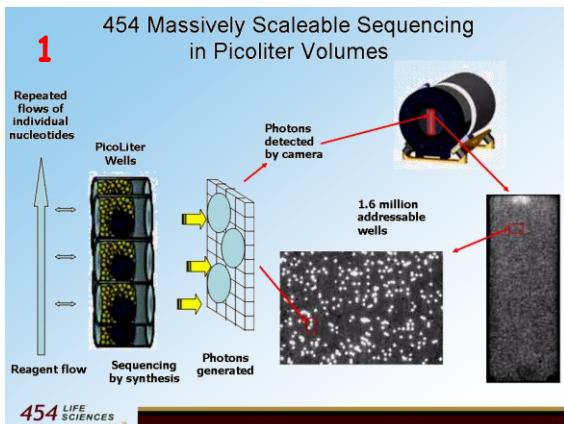
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Mikrofluidika nezbytná

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(www.454.com)



System Performance

- 1 Person can sequence a genome from start to finish:
 - Single sample preparation from bacterial to human genomic DNA
 - Single amplification per genome with no cloning or cloning artifacts
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 - 24-32 M high quality bases per run now, 20 Mbases per run minimum
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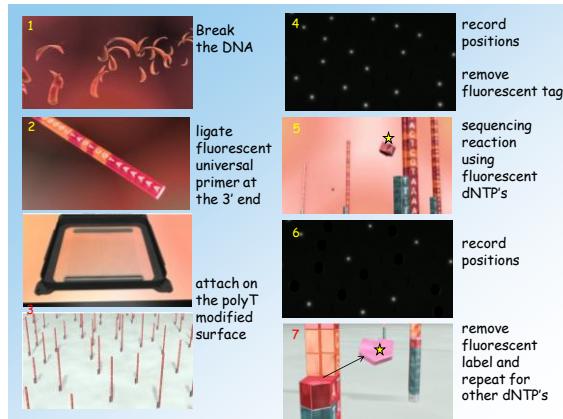
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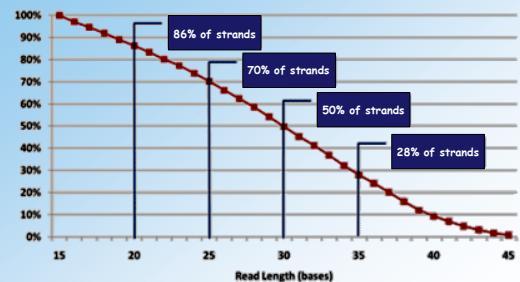


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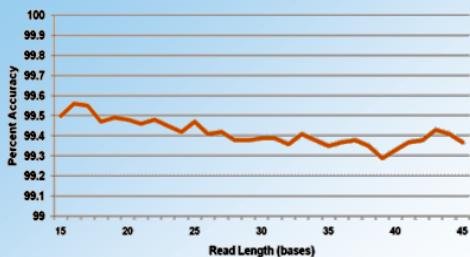
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Percentage of single molecule sequence reads at or greater than a given length



Raw accuracy vs. read length > 99%

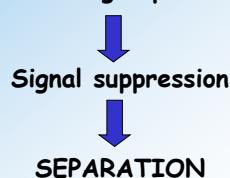


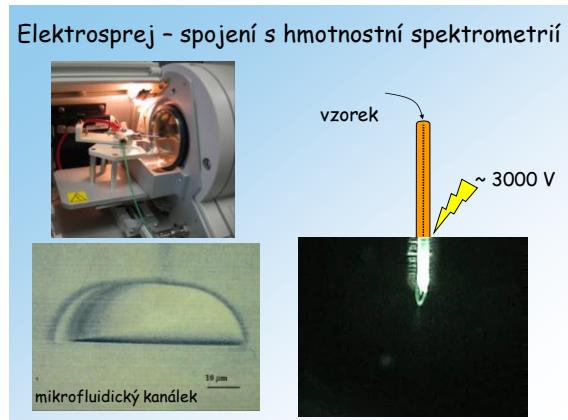
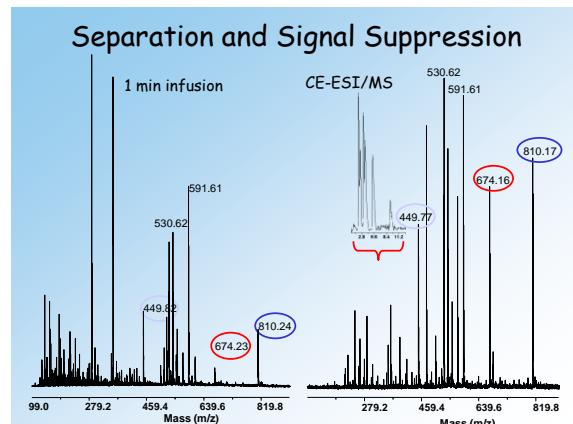
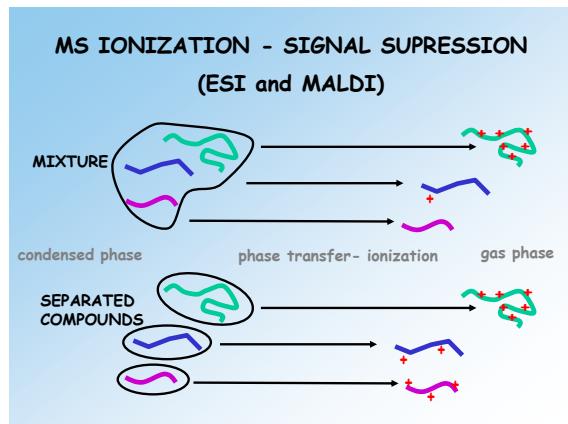
Sequencing throughput 25 - 90 million usable bases per hour

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(10 nL/min or 10 µL/min - similar sensitivity)

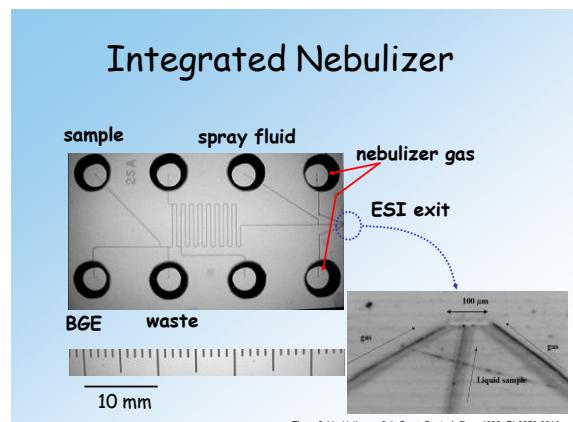
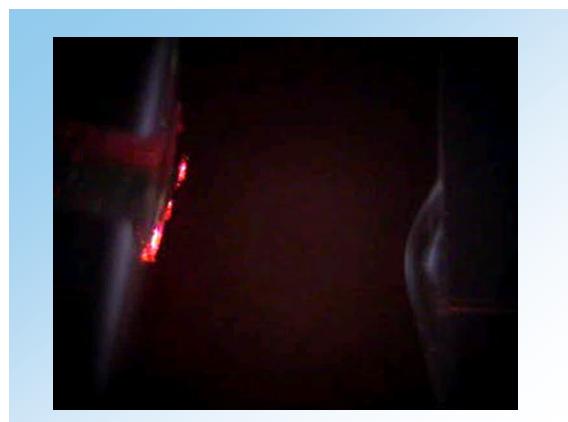
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Different proton affinity
in the gas phase



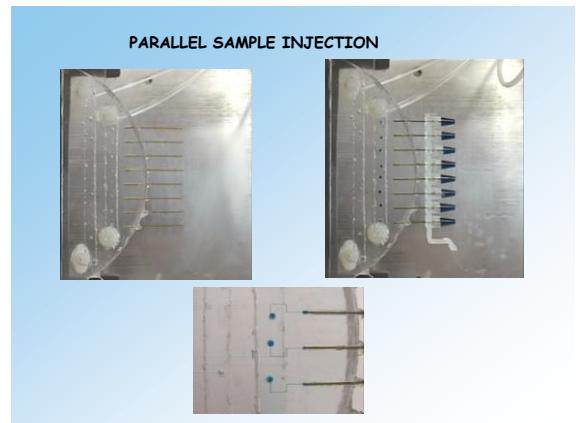
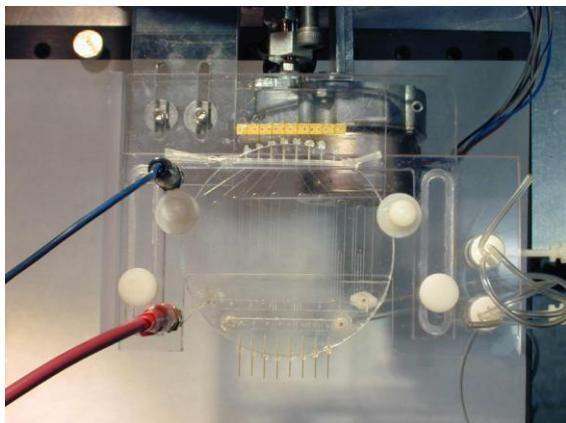
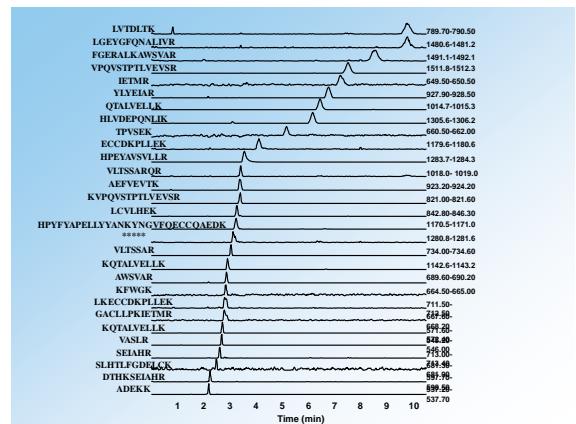
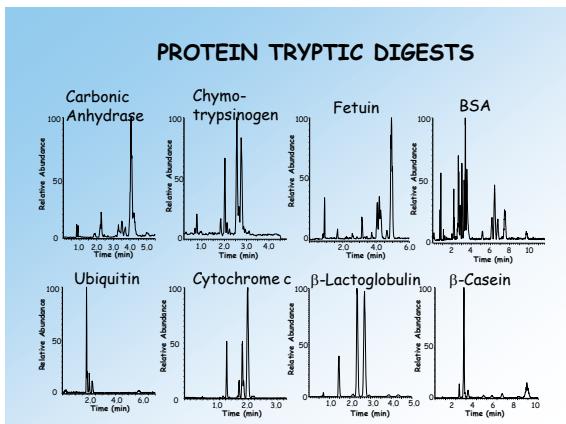
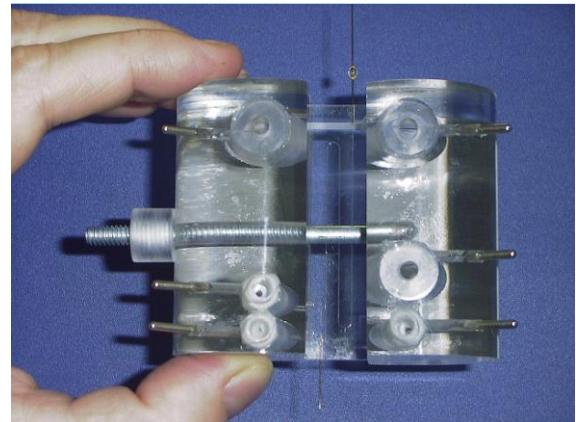
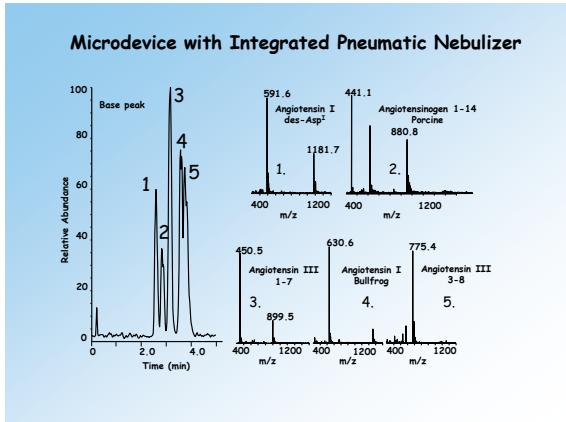


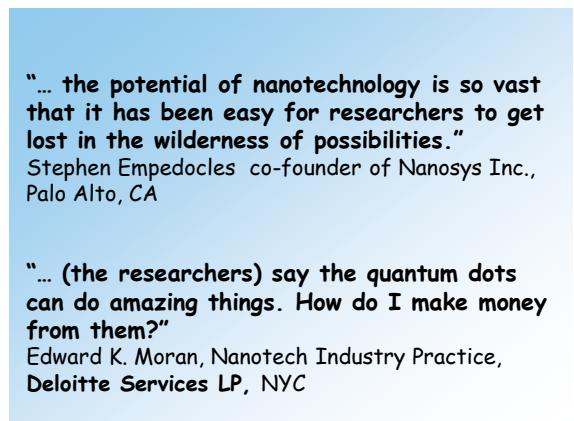
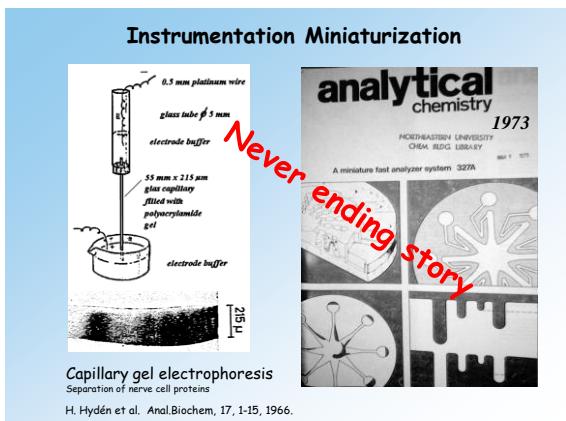
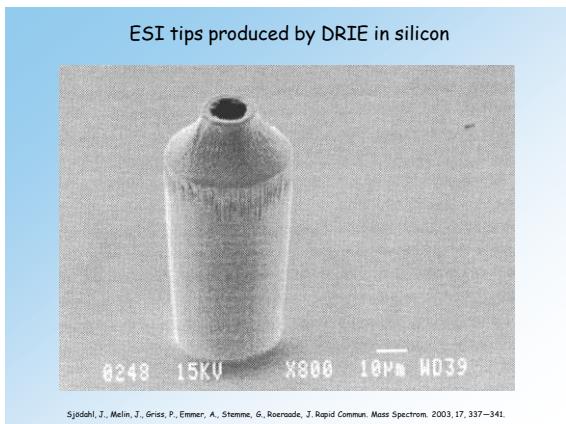
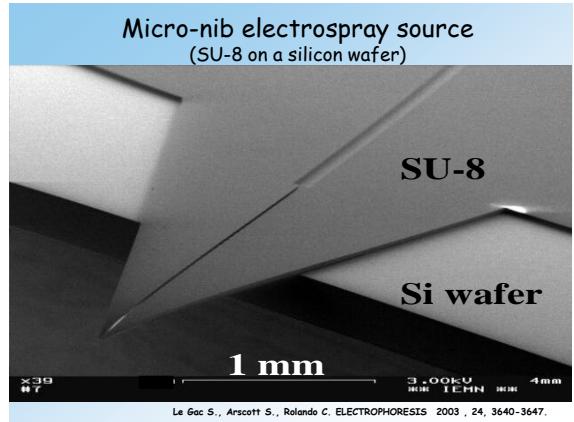
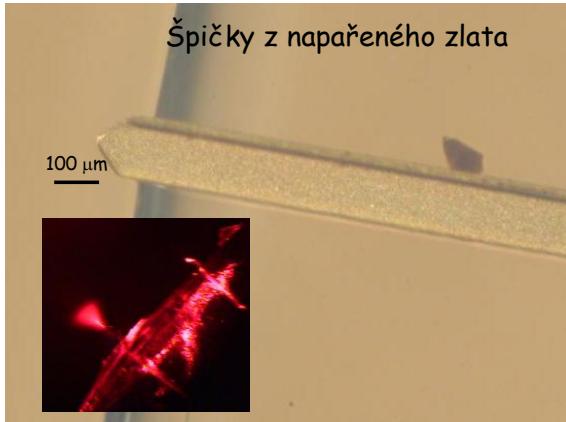
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- * flat surface electrospray
- * microfabricated tips
- * external (inserted) tips
- * external interface with a transfer capillary
- * integrated pneumatic nebulizer
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Invention disclosure

Co má smysl patentovat

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Kam se obrátit

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USPTO Introduces New Intellectual Property Curriculum
i-CreateTM inspires creativity and teaches students about patents, trademarks, copyrights

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[Středisko společných činností AV ČR](http://www.ssc.cz)

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