



# Next Steps for Sensor Procurement

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# Specifications of “optimized” design



Parameter	Value	Comments
<b>mechanical</b>		
dimensions	107,600±50 μm x 28,000±50 μm	mounting tolerances
mechanical thickness	500±20 μm	mounting tolerances, X-ray conversion efficiency
flatness	< 20 μm	bump bonding, <i>value to be discussed</i>
dead region at edges	1200±25 μm	dead space for science
<b>electrical@20°C [vacuum and air( &lt;25% humidity); 0 to 1 GGy X-ray dose]</b>		
n doping	3-8 kΩ·cm	depletion voltage, sideways depletion at edges
dead layer n <sup>+</sup> -side	< 0.5 μm Al < 1 μm Si	minimize, but no compromise on breakdown; <i>values to be discussed</i>
doping non-uniformity	< 10%	distortions in charge collection
pixel dimensions	200x200 μm	see sensor design
maximum depletion voltage	350 V	expansion charge cloud for high photon densities
nominal operating voltage	500 V	
breakdown voltage	> 1000 V	Sensor should operate stably at 1000 V high voltage option for high photon densities; mounting, pulse shape, dead space at edges; <i>details of guard-ring design to be discussed</i>
pad layout		bump bonding, capacitance; see sensor design
coupling type	DC	
inter-pixel capacitance	500 fF	noise, cross-talk
total dark current sensor	50 μA	power
max. dark current/pixel	50 nA	noise, operation of read-out ASIC
max. dark current CCR	2 μA	power
passivation		irradiation, environmental effects <i>to be discussed</i>
<b>electrical@20°C [vacuum and air( &lt;25% humidity); unirradiated]</b>		
dark current sensor@500V	200 nA	quality Si-bulk and technology
max. dark curr./pixel@500V	20 nA	quality Si-bulk and technology
max. dark curr. CCR@500V	200 nA	quality Si-bulk and technology

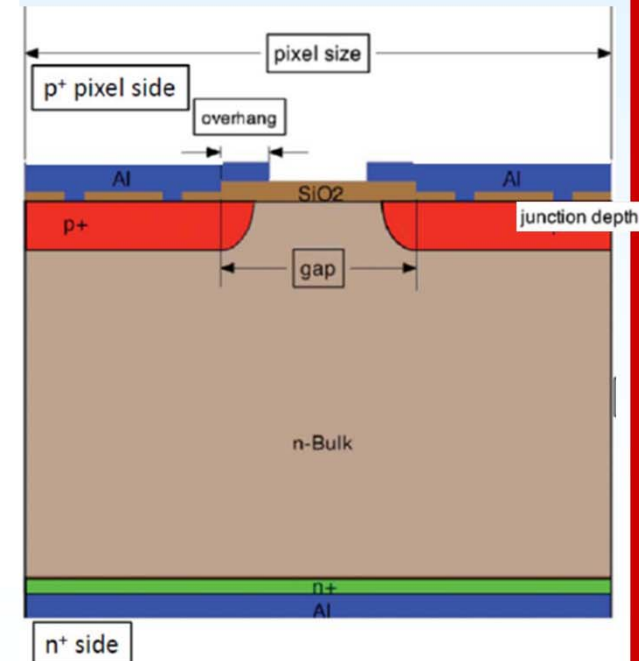
- Issues:**
- mech. tolerances
  - electr. properties
  - specs w.o. dose ?
  - max. dose
  - environ. conditions

# Parameters of “optimized” design

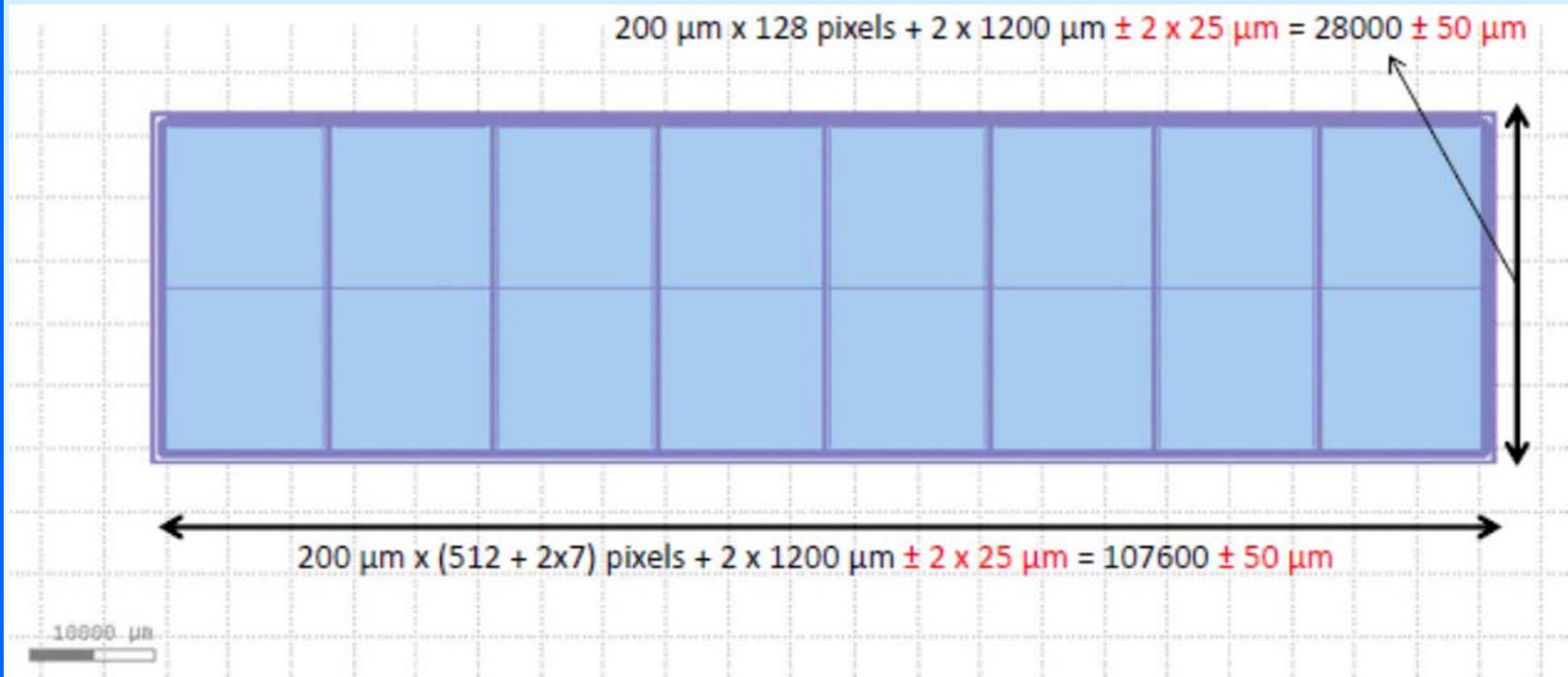


<b>Geometry:</b>	Gap between pixels: 20 $\mu\text{m}$ Al overhang pixels: 5 $\mu\text{m}$ Width implantation window pixel: 180 $\mu\text{m}$ Gap pixel to CCR: 20 $\mu\text{m}$ Width implantation window CCR: 90 $\mu\text{m}$ Al overhang CCR: 5 $\mu\text{m}$ Gap CCR to 1 <sup>st</sup> guard ring (GR): 12 $\mu\text{m}$ Width of implantation window GR 25 $\mu\text{m}$ Al overhang left (towards pixel) GR 1, 2, ... 15: 2, 3, ... 16 $\mu\text{m}$ Al overhang right (away from pixel) GR 1 – 15: 5 $\mu\text{m}$ Gap between GR 1-2, 2-3, ... 14-15: 12, 13.5, ... 33 $\mu\text{m}$
<b>Bulk resistivity:</b>	5.1 $\text{k}\Omega\cdot\text{cm}$ (and 3, 8 $\text{k}\Omega\cdot\text{cm}$ to check effects of possible range)
<b>p<sup>+</sup> implantation</b>	$5 \times 10^{15} \text{cm}^{-2}$ B, junction depth: 2.4 $\mu\text{m}$ , lateral extension: 2 $\mu\text{m}$ ( $5 \times 10^{15} \text{cm}^{-2}$ B@70 keV through 200 nm $\text{SiO}_2$ ; 4h @ 1025°C)
<b>Oxide and passivation</b>	$\text{SiO}_2$ field thickness: 250 nm Oxide charge before irradiation: $5 \times 10^{10} \text{cm}^{-2}$ Oxide charge after irradiation: $3.0 \times 10^{12} \text{cm}^{-2}$ Surface current density before irradiation: 10 nA/cm <sup>2</sup> Surface current density after irradiation: 9 $\mu\text{A}/\text{cm}^2$ $\text{Si}_3\text{N}_4$ : not simulated Passivation: not simulated Neumann boundary conditions on top of oxid

Table 2 Details of the optimized sensor design



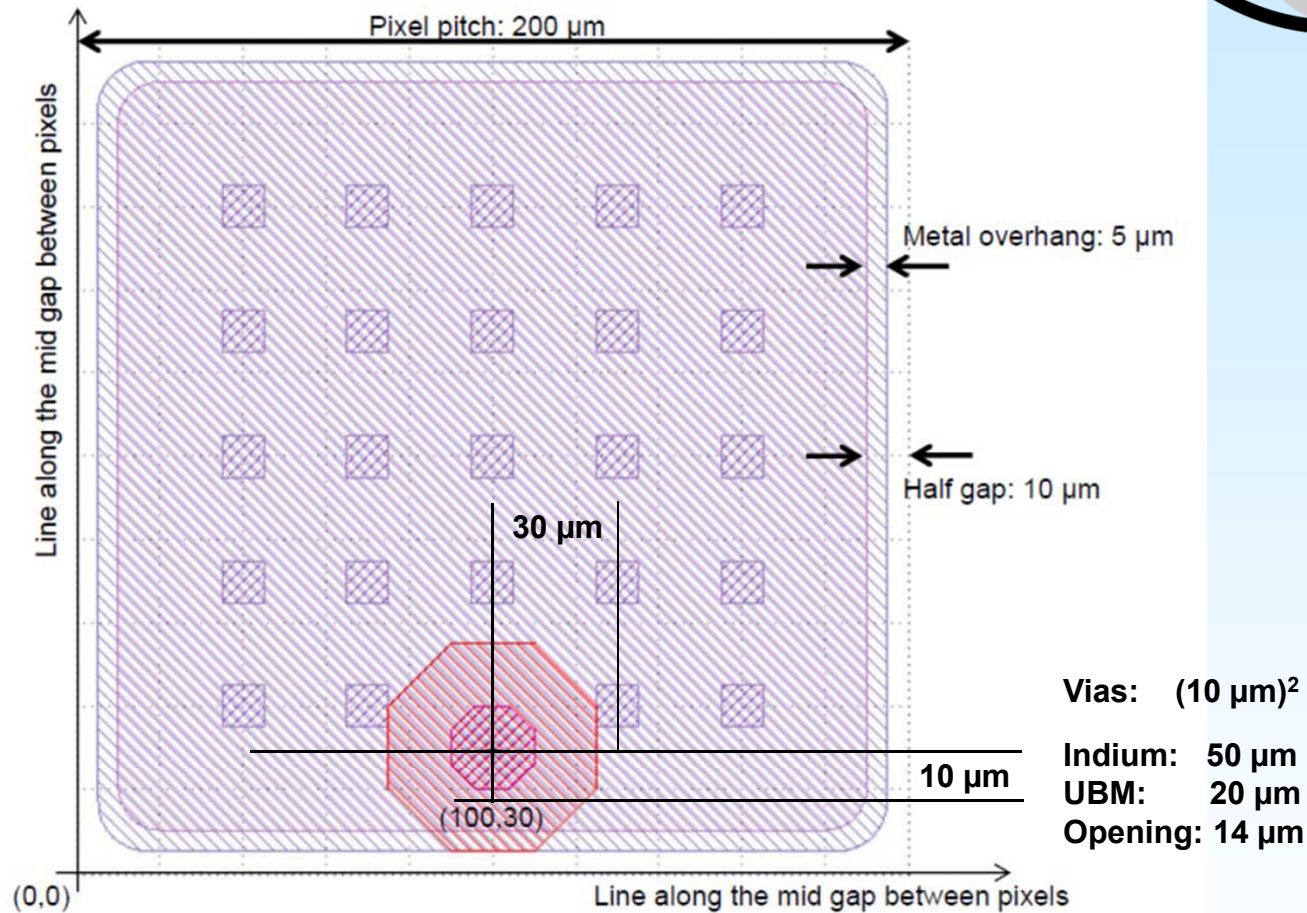
# Overall + Layout



## Comments:

- Number of pixels: (2 rows x 8 columns of ASICs) x (64 x 64 pixels/ASIC) = 128 x 512 = 65 536
  - Dimensions of standard pixels: 200  $\mu\text{m}$  x 200  $\mu\text{m}$
  - Dimensions of pixels in between ASICs: 400  $\mu\text{m}$  x 200  $\mu\text{m}$
  - Distance pixel edge to cut: 1200  $\mu\text{m}$
- [Cutting tolerance: 25  $\mu\text{m}$  (equal to width of the dicing track; 50  $\mu\text{m}$  width of blade is assumed )]

# Pixel Layout + Vias



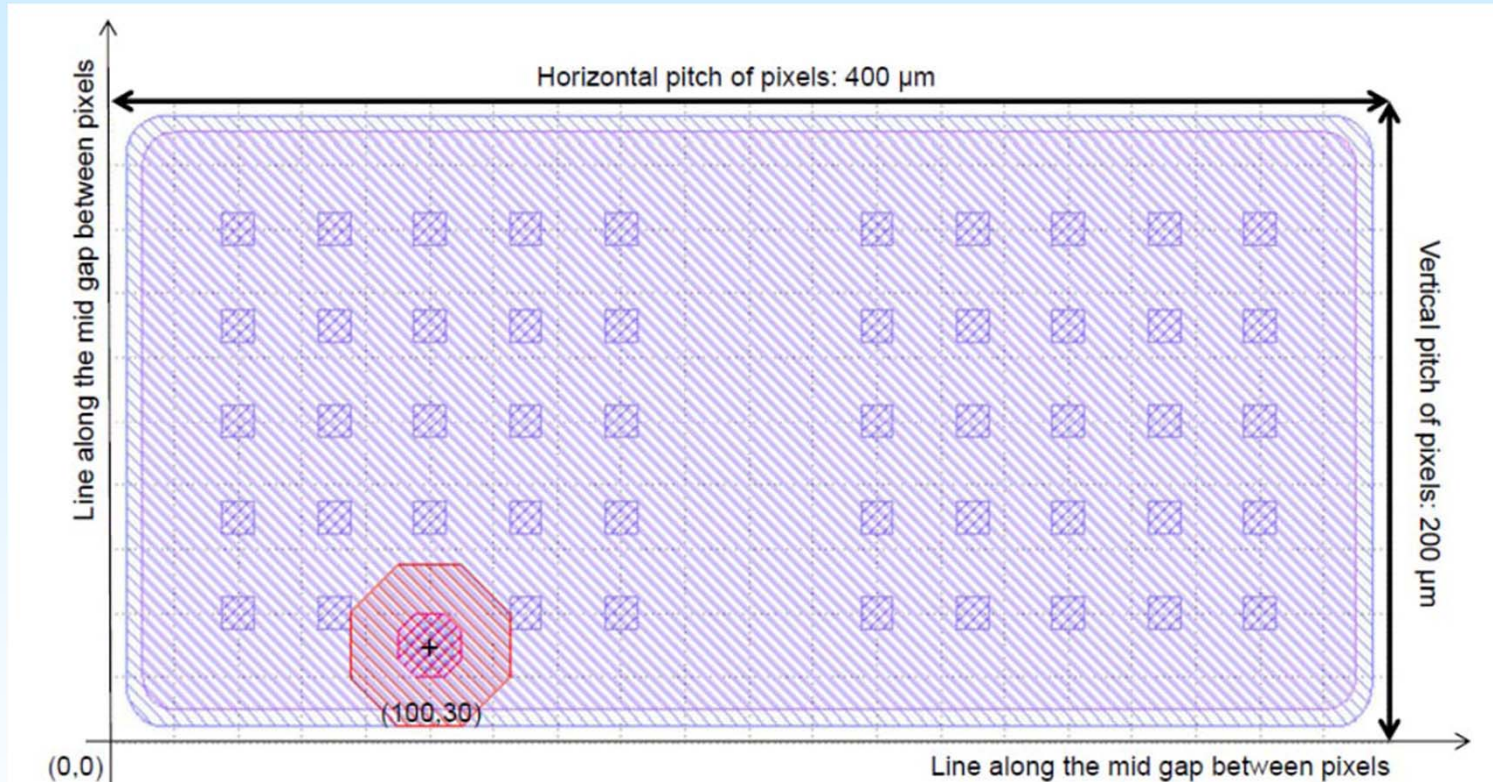
## Comments:

- Dimensions of standard pixels: 200  $\mu\text{m}$  x 200  $\mu\text{m}$
- Width of p<sup>+</sup> implantation: 180  $\mu\text{m}$
- Gap between neighboring p<sup>+</sup> implantation: 20  $\mu\text{m}$
- Metal overhang: 5  $\mu\text{m}$
- Position of the center of the opening in the passivation for bump bonding: (100, 30)

## Issues:

- dimensions /no. of vias
- distance between vias
- distance vias to bondpads

# Special Pixel Layout

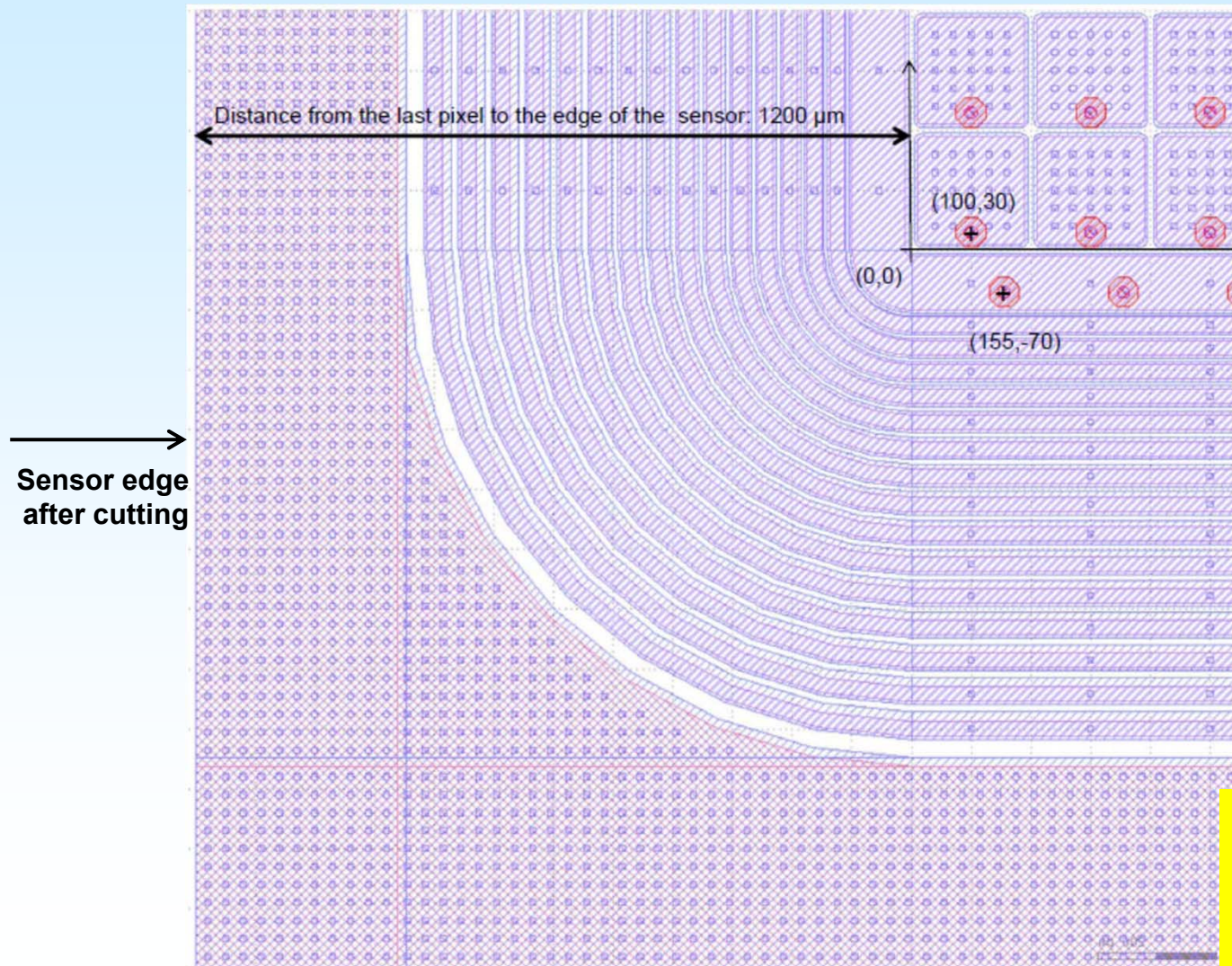


Comments on the pixels to the left of neighboring ASICs:

- Dimensions of pixels: 400 μm x 200 μm
- Width of p<sup>+</sup> implantation: 180 μm (vertically)/ 380 μm (horizontally)
- Gap between neighboring p<sup>+</sup> implantation: 20 μm
- Metal overhang: 5 μm
- Position of the center of the passivation-opening for bump bonding: (100, 30)

**Issues:**  
**- check !**

# Alignment Marks + Scribe Lines



→  
Sensor edge  
after cutting

Distance from the last pixel to the edge of the sensor: 1200 μm

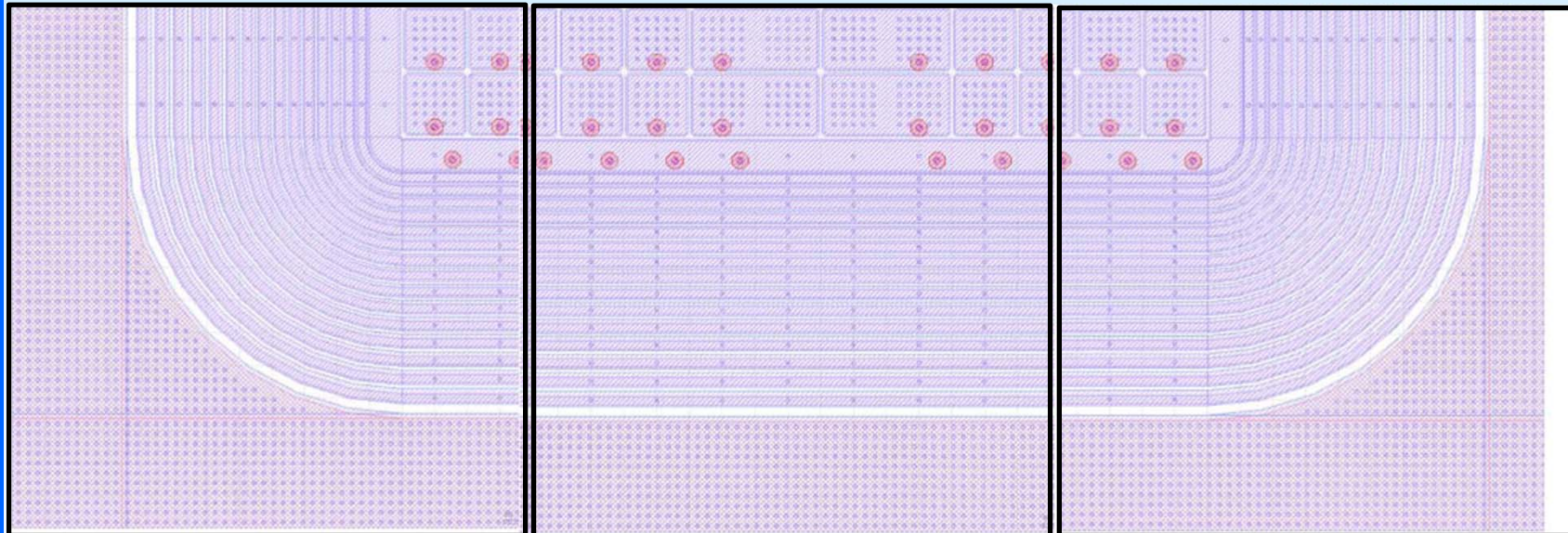
(0,0)

(100,30)

(155,-70)

Issues:  
- scribe lines  
- alignment marks

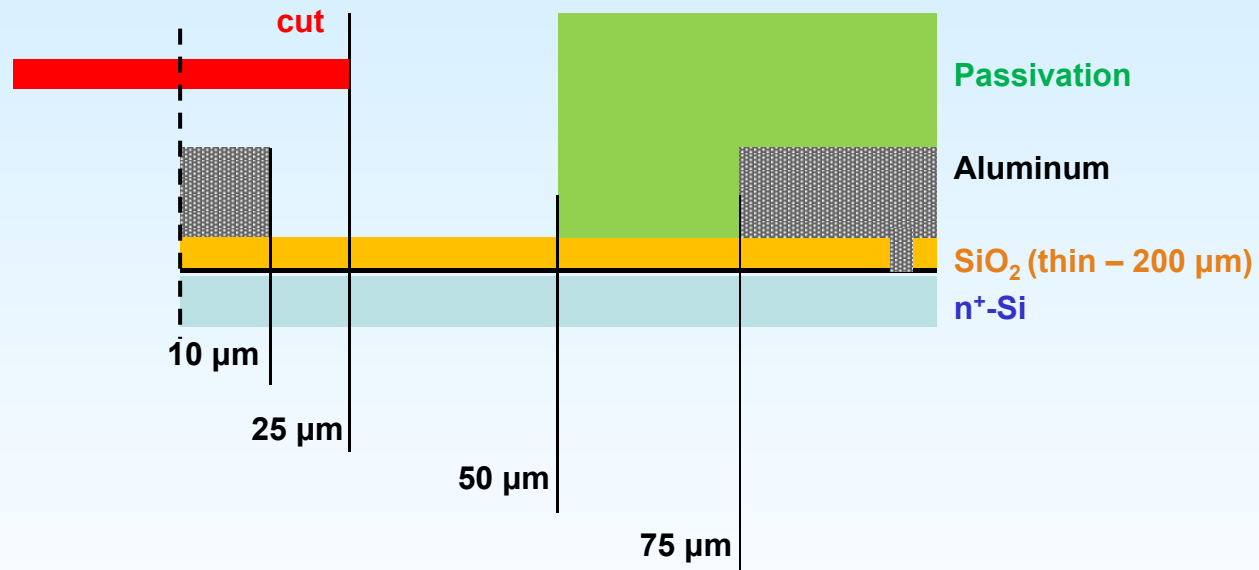
# Pixels at sensor edges



Issues:



# Scribe lines



## Issues:

- layout of scribe lines
- length of scribe lines

# Test structures:



A complete set of test structures is available:

- **16 x 16/ 64 x 64 pixel sensors (check radiation damage specifications)**
- **Various strip sensors (check optimization I-V, C-V, charge losses)**
- **Strips structures for resistance/capacitance measurements (implants, Al,  $d_{ox}$ ,...)**
- **MOS C with GR ( incl. windows for TCT)**
- **Pad diodes circular and square (incl. windows for TCT)**
- **Gate controlled diodes with GR (circular/finger)**
- **PMOSFET (circular, elliptical)**
- **Guard ring structures**
- **Scribe lines**
- **and more**

Issues:

## Next steps: Volume of order



	delivery date from signing of the order	number of working sensors + test structures per delivery
1.	24 weeks	24
2.	36 weeks	36
3.	options for add. sensors	128

### Issues:

- volume ,
- packages
- delivery dates
- quality control
- Who ???

# Next steps: Vendors



## Incomplete list:

- Canberra
- CiS
- Hamamatsu
- Micron
- SINTEF
- VTT

## Issues:

- number of vendors to address
- information on technology
- demonstrated reliability
- on-site quality control
- available prototypes
- cost
- Who ???

## Summary:



- Based on extensive measurements + simulations → sensor design
- After agreeing on open issues → ready for ordering
- Moment that ??? should join UNI-HH effort to assure continuity