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#### **Investor Confidence**

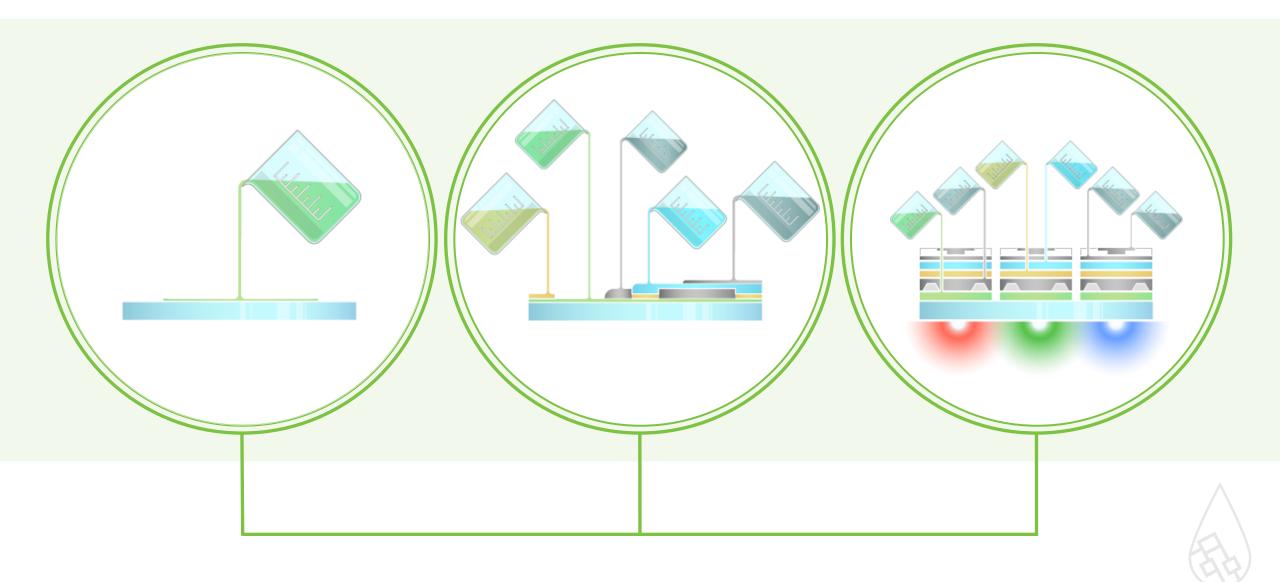
#### **Funding History**

In February 2021, SmartKem raised \$24.6 million in gross proceeds through a private placement of common stock-only at \$2.00 per share.

To date, over \$60 million has been invested in SmartKem.

Institutional investors include AIGH, Octopus Ventures, Entrepreneurs Fund LP, and BASF Ventures.

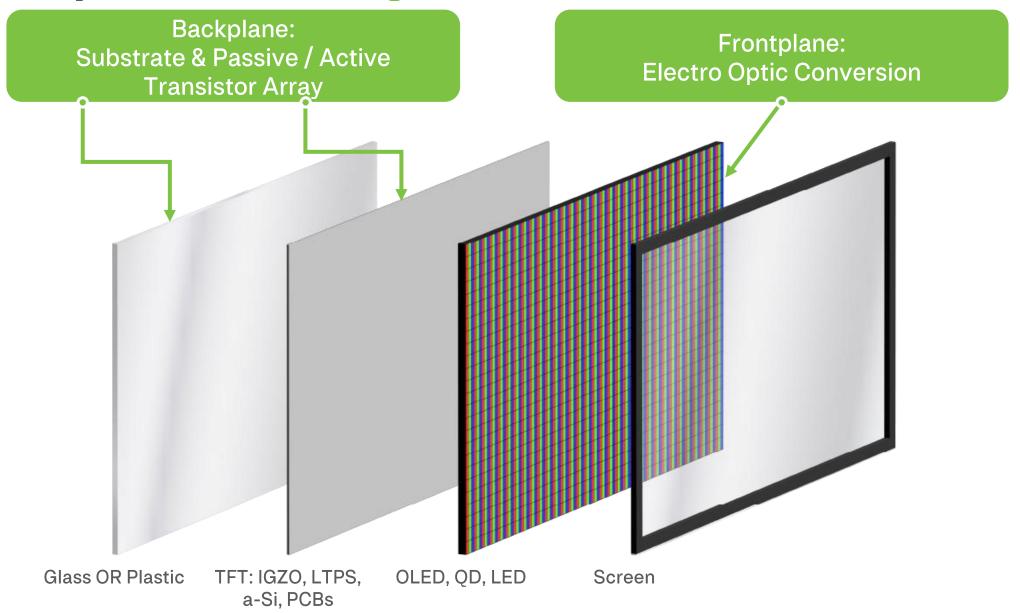
## SmartKem's TRUFLEX® Semiconductor Platform



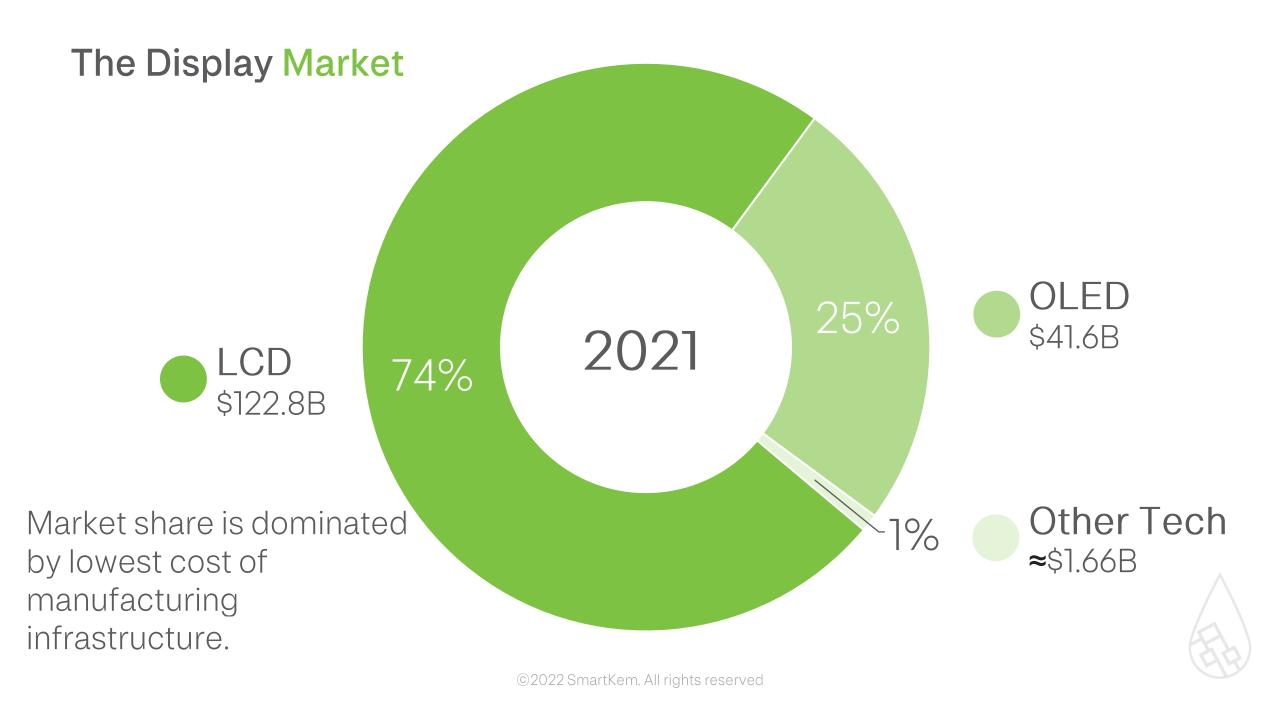
# What is a Display?



## But they all have two things in common



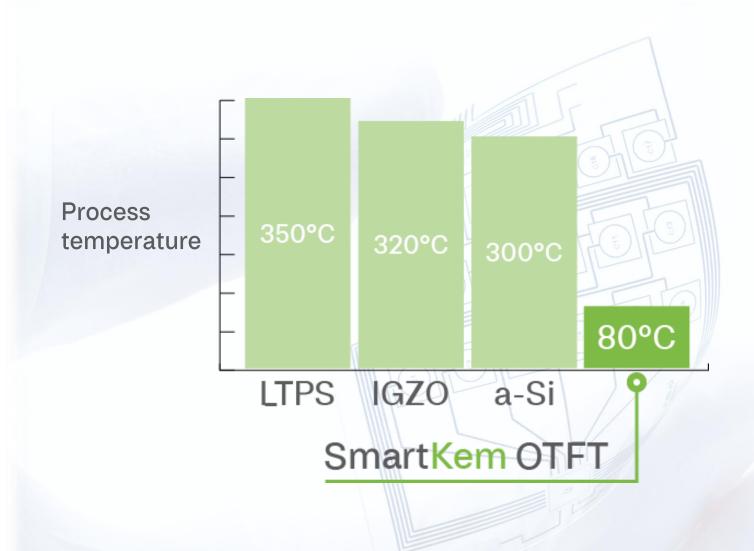








#### What is needed?



Solution-coated (Printable) frontplanes, OLED and EQD



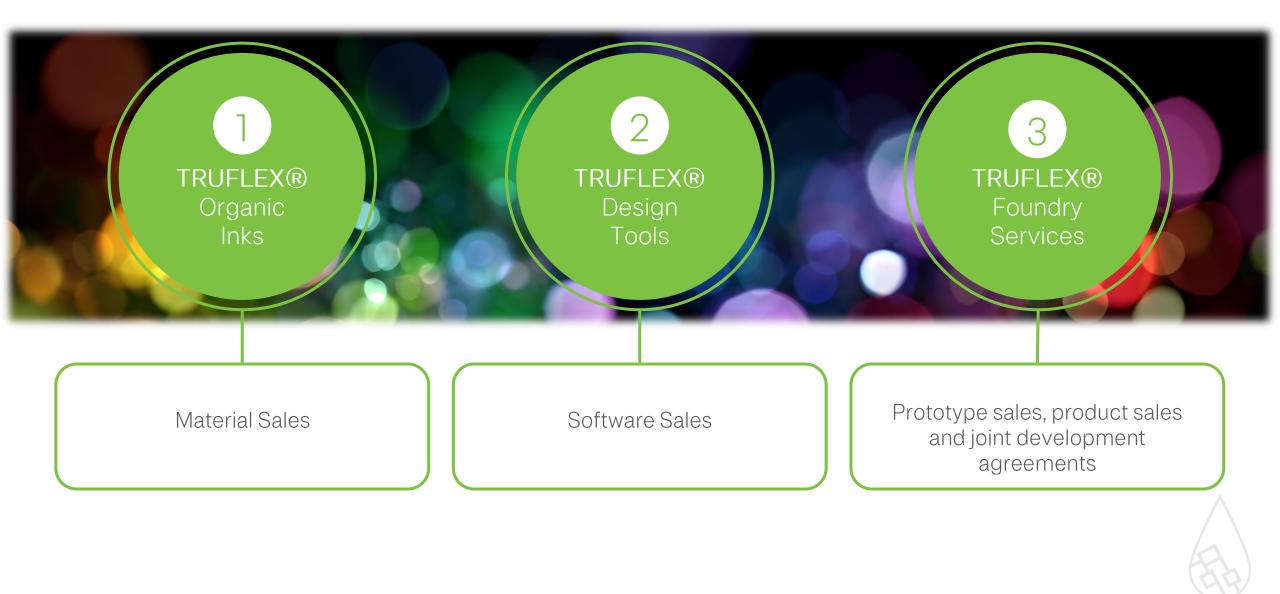
A manufacturing process compatible with amorphous silicon infrastructure with higher performance



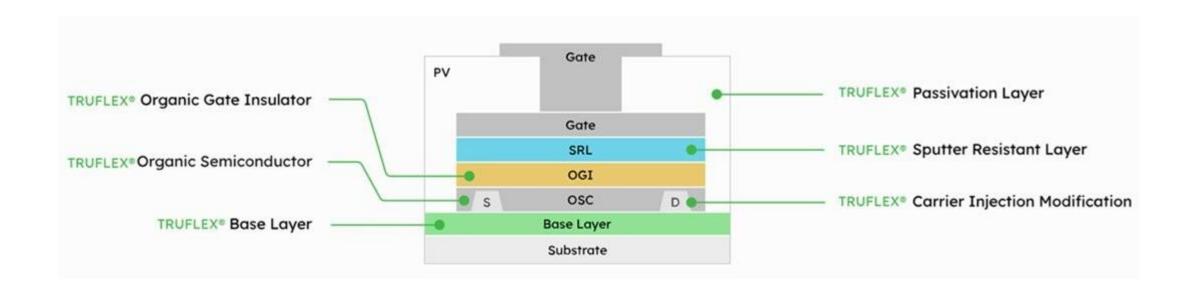
Low temperature processing that enables backplanes that are solution-coated on low cost substrates



# **Market Entry Strategy**



### 1. SmartKem's TRUFLEX® Materials



Ease of Technology Transfer

Chemistry, process and stack owned

World leading electronic performance

Solution processed At 80C

Formed on low-cost glass & plastic

Meets industry critical test standards

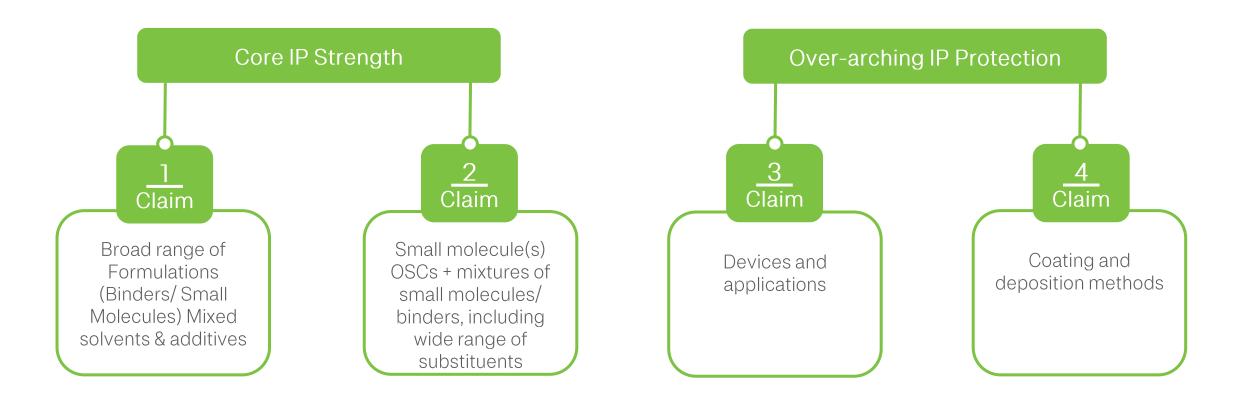
Drop in technology for today's fab lines

(and ready for next gen printing)

Outperforms market leader a-Si



## Materials: Outstanding IP and Know-How

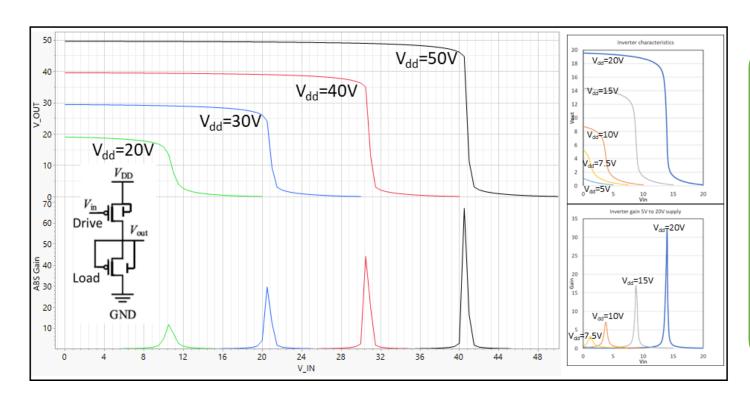


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- Strong Freedom To Operate position and no 3<sup>rd</sup> party licenses required



## 2. Electronic Design Tools

SmartKem is granting licence free access to its design tools to seed the market.



#### Cadence

Cadence scripting complete for single gate OTFT, circuits can be designed within the Cadence EDA system

Dual gate OTFT logic capable of operating at voltages <7.5V with high noise margin and gain



# 3. TRUFLEX® Foundry Services Prototyping Sales & JDAs



#### Digital Lithography

Access to tool set at Centre for Process Engineering (CPI) in North-East of UK.

4in, 8in, 12in and Gen2 capability.

Using digital lithography for fullcustom circuits – sheet to sheet initially and then roll-to-roll in the future.



## Joint Development Agreement: RiTdisplay

Based in Taiwan RiTdisplay is a leading developer of optoelectronic solutions, visual displays and passive matrix OLED displays. This collaboration seeks to produce a full colour demonstration AMOLED display.





### Joint Development Agreement: A. N. Other

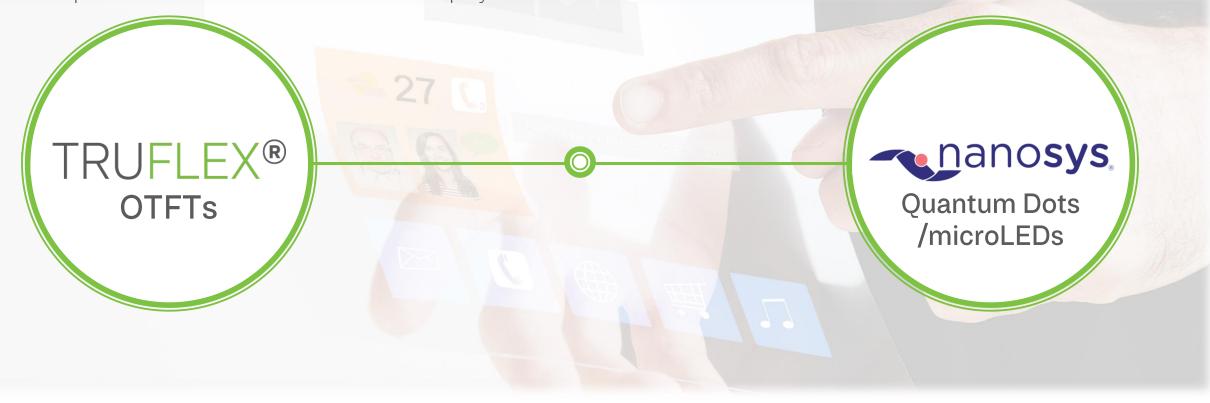
Taiwan-based company is a leading manufacturer in the global LED industry. This collaboration is expected to lead to the development of a roll-to-roll process for the manufacture of large format LED displays, a means of significantly reducing their cost of production.





## Joint Development Agreement: Nanosys

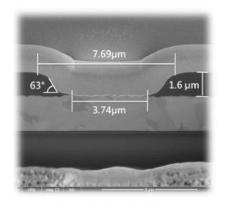
Silicon Valley-based Nanosys is the leader in developing and delivering quantum dot and microLED technology to the display industry. This collaboration seeks to produce a new generation of low-cost solution printed microLED and quantum dot materials for advanced displays.

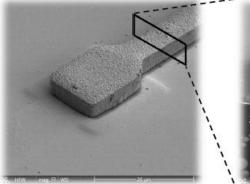


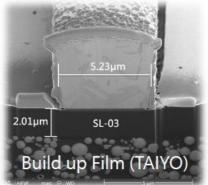


# Materials: High Performance Computer **Chip Interconnect**

High resolution/Low-Cure/Fast throughput TRUFLEX® material to address \$4.99b GHC market @2027 (CAGR 6.7%)







Via size of SL03 by DLT

Top-view: Trace on SL03

X' view of Trace on SL03

ltems	This Tech.	Competitor
Photo Image Dielectric (PID) Type	Wet film (SL03)	Wet film (PSPI)
Dielectric Curing Temp.	150 °C	200 °C
PID Resolution	3.7 μm	5 μm
Exposure Dose	10 mJ/cm <sup>2</sup>	> 200 mJ/cm <sup>2</sup>

<sup>\*</sup>H-Line compatible & Ultra-Low Exposure Dose



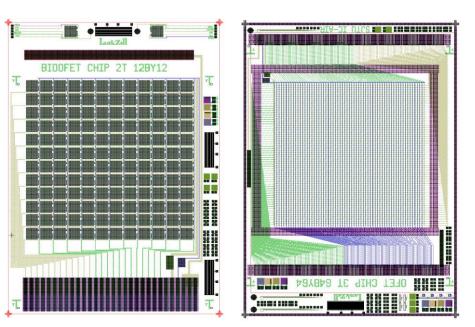
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# Materials: Eco-Friendly Silicon Nitride Replacement

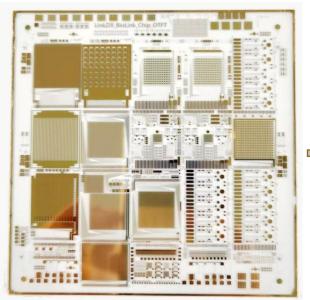
2023 CBAM European Union CO<sub>2</sub> quote: \$60 to \$70 per ton CO<sub>2</sub>

Conventional TFT-LCD implemented lots of PECVD to build TFT backplane structure Deposition Clean PR Coating Exposure Developer PR Strip Inspection Etch **PECVD** Fluorinated gas Display shipment area forecast by technology Saving >10% overall electricity Dry etching gas for SixNy **OLED & Micro LED** SF<sub>6</sub>: 22.8k factor than CO<sub>2</sub> TruFlex Dielectric material NF<sub>3</sub>: 17.2k factor than CO<sub>2</sub> <mark>·200million m²</mark> shipment area! Deposition by Coating No global warming gas TFT LCD Dry etching gas for TruFLEX  $O_2$ : 0 factor than  $CO_2$ Source: Omdia

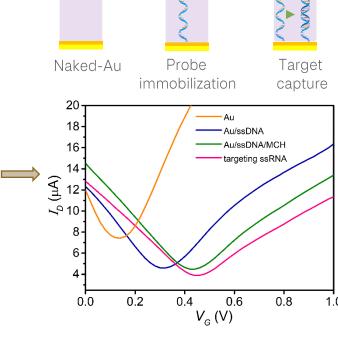
## Prototyping Sales: OTFT-based Bio-sensing Chip



Pixel schematic diagram, and layout of the (a) 12\*12 & (b) 64\*64 nucleic acid/protein/ion biosensing array chip @LinkZill



(c) Real sample of the OTFT device on the bio-sensing chips.



Probe modification and

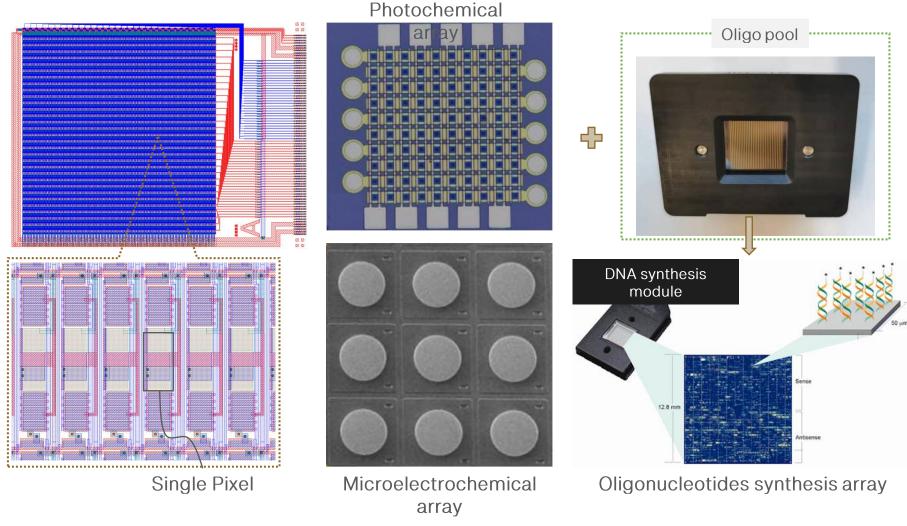
target capture

(d) Transistor sensors' output current to probe/target molecule reaction

Types of OTFT bio-sensing arrays have been designed and manufactured to detect the changing electrical signals caused by nucleic acid in-situ hybridization or protein immune reaction, aiming at the IVD kits.



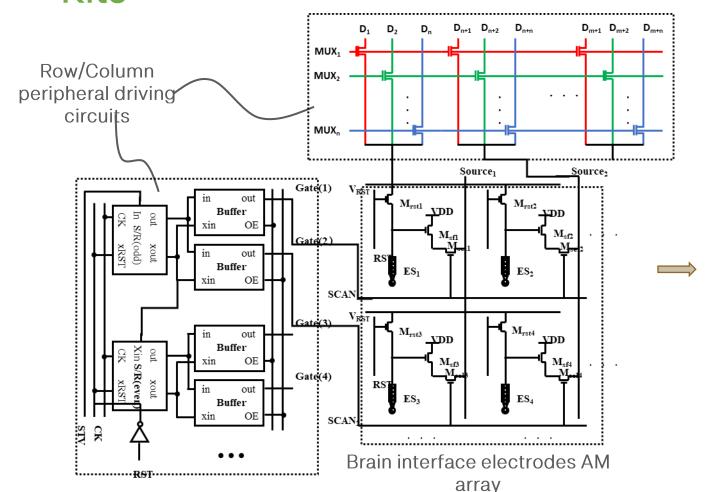
# Prototyping Sales: OTFT-based in situ Synthesis Chip



We are progressing collaborations with our key partners on the OTFT-based photochemically/electrochemically induced DNA synthesis applications through the tripartite cooperation model.



# Prototyping Sales: OTFT-based Brain Machine Interface (BMI) Kits



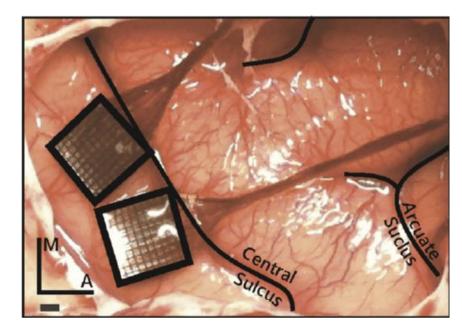
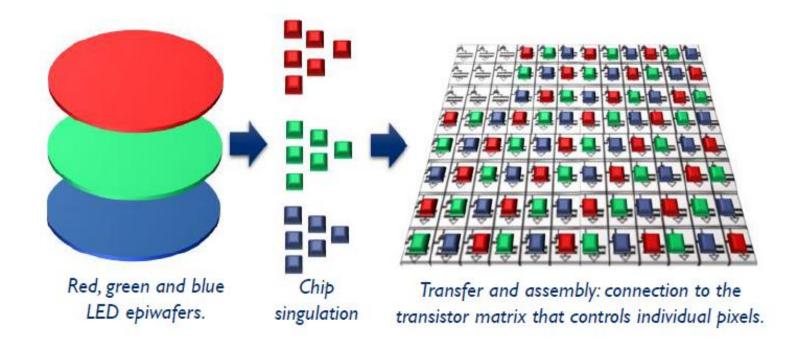


Illustration of the brain interface electrodes AM array

On the basis of the OTFT design & process development kit, we are carrying out a series of pilot research cooperations on flexible BMI array in the field of brain science.

## Monolithically Integrated OTFT on MicroLED

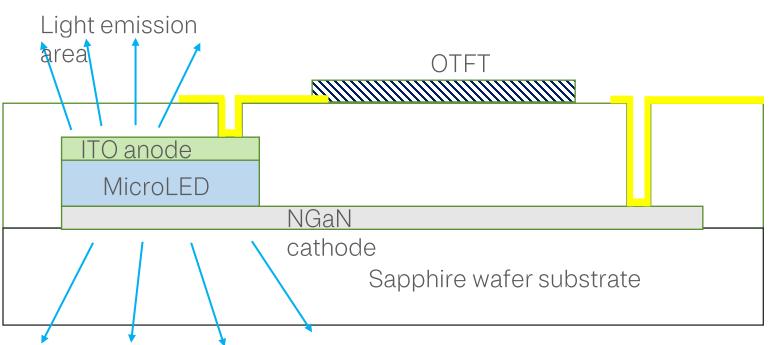
- Transfer of LEDs from individual R G and B epi-wafers
- Yield of transfer is never 100% so costs are incurred for inspection and repair of faulty pixels





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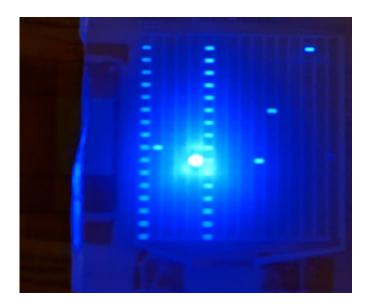
- Integrate OTFT backplane on top of u-LED array on Sapphire or Silicon wafer
- Monolithic integration means no transfer losses

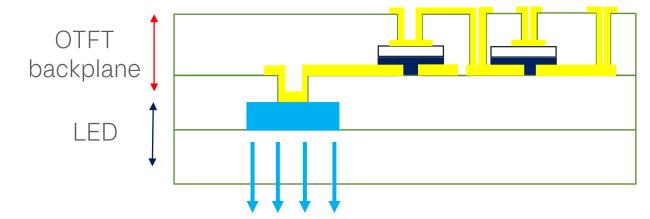


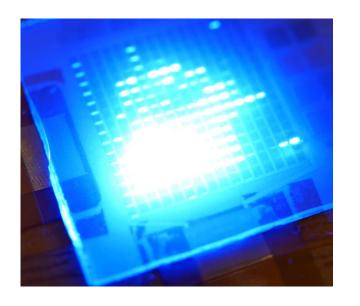


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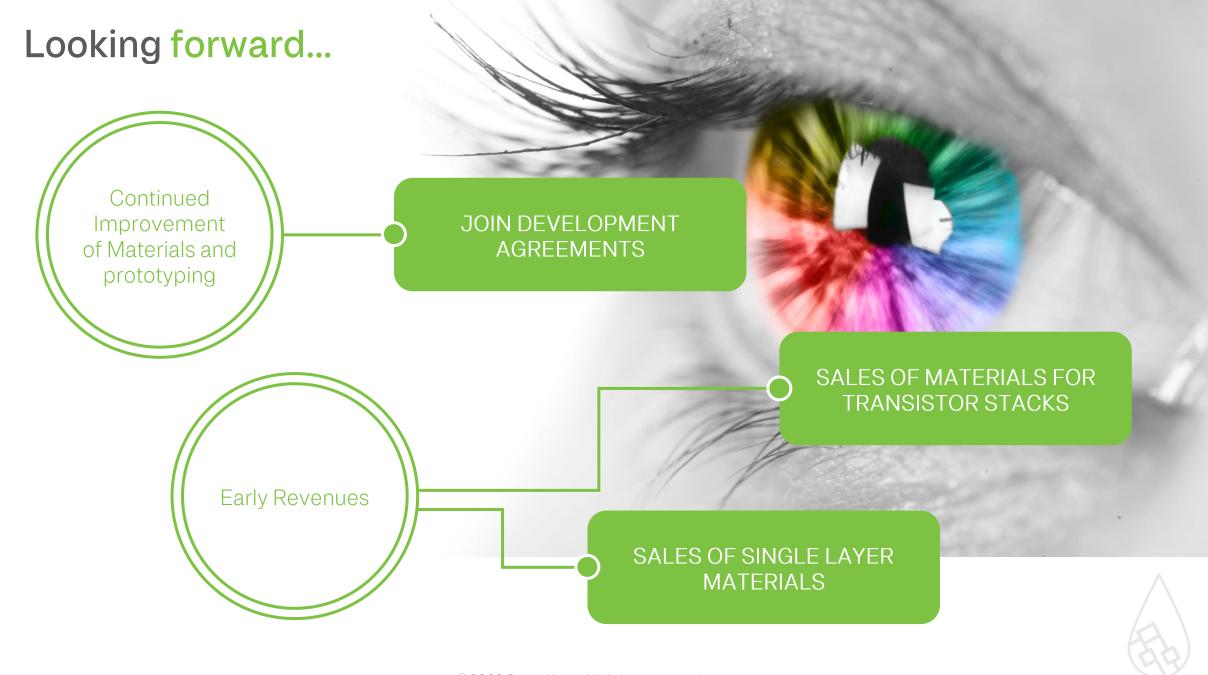
- Proof of concept design developed to show how OTFT can be processed on top of u-LED (<u>no transfer so no transfer yield</u> <u>loss</u>)
- Initial demos tested to <a>>100K nits</a>. Future potential for <a>>500K nits</a> with optimised design
- Process can be scaled from <u>10ppi to >1000ppi</u> with appropriate lithography tools
- Colour can be integrated through the use of quantum dot colour conversion materials (printed or photopatterned)
- Most promising initial applications are projected to be smartwatches and VR displays











#### **SmartKem Officers**



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lan was formerly the president of Uniphase Inc, Chairman of Oplink Communications Inc which he took public on the NASDAQ and spent seven years as a partner of Crescendo Ventures Ilp Ian has been a director of Techstep ASA, Paysafe plc., and Brady plc.



Nigel Prue Chief Accounting Officer

Prior to joining SmartKem in 2021 Nigel worked as Director of Finance at Global Eagle Entertainment Inc. a publicly traded company on NASDAO. He was also a divisional finance director at construction companies Balfour Beatty Construction and Kier May Gurney. His early career includes public practice with PwC and controllership roles at AT&T. Nigel is a Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accounts of England and Wales (ICAEW).



Dr. Beverley Brown Chief Scientist

Beverley has worked in R&D at Imperial Chemical Industries Ltd. ("ICI"), Zeneca Group PLC and at the Avecia Group PLC.
Beverley has worked in the field of organic semiconductor technology and in printable electronics for almost 20 years.



Dr. Simon Ogier Chief Technology Officer

Simon has previously worked at Avecia, Merck, CPI and more NeuDrive Limited. He currently manages a team of 19 engineers and scientists using the equipment for SmartKem's process development and prototype fabrication. Simon has coauthored 30 journal articles and has been co-inventor on 16 patent families.



Sri Peruvemba Chief Marketing Officer

Previously Chief Marketing
Officer for E Ink Holdings, Sri
played a major role in
transforming the \$15M startup to a \$1B+ global company.
With over 30 year's
experience in technology, Sri
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Klaas serves as the Managing
Partner of Entrepreneurs Fund
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on numerous boards, including
Lifeline Scientific Inc. and
Heliocentris Energy Solutions
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listed Xeros Technology Group
plc, and General Fusion, Inc.,
and serves on the boards of
vasopharm GmbH and D30
Holdings Ltd.



Barbra Keck Director

Barbra served as the Chief Financial Officer of Deverra Therapeutics, Inc., a developer of cell therapies. She held positions of increasing responsibility at Delcath Systems, Inc., an interventional oncology company, starting as Controller and ultimately becoming a senior vice president in March 2015 and chief financial officer in February 2017.



Dr. Steven DenBaars Director

Steven is a Professor of Materials and Electrical and Computer Engineering as well as the Executive Director of the Solid State Lighting and Energy Electronics Center at the University of California, Santa Barbara. Steven has previously worked at the Hewlett-Packard Optoelectronics team. He has been a Director on the Board of several startup companies which include Soraa Laser Diode, Akoustis Technologies and Aeluma Inc.



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