

OpenPICs: milestones & deliverables Bright

<u>wp.task</u>	Name	Type	Partner	Due Date(s)
WP 3.1	BB Design			
WP3.1.M0	Technology and Design Concept	Milestone	<u>TU/e</u> , Bright	Dec-16
WP3.1.R0	Analysis and Design	Report	<u>TU/e</u> , Bright	Jun-17
WP3.1.M1	Mask Design Tape-out I	Milestone	<u>TU/e</u> , Bright	Jun-17
WP3.1.R1	BB Results I	Report	<u>TU/e</u> , Bright	Mar-18
WP3.1.M2	Mask Design Tape-out II	Milestone	<u>TU/e</u> , Bright	Sep-18
WP3.1.R2	BB Results II	Report	<u>TU/e</u> , Bright	Jun-19
WP 3.4	Design Environment			
	<i>Execution Flow</i>			
WP3.4.EF.R0	<u>Execution Flow</u> document	Report	Bright	May-17
WP3.4.EF.M0	Implementation of an Execution DB	Milestone	Bright	Mar-18
WP3.4.EF.R1	Final Execution Flow document	Report	Bright	Sep-19
WP 3.5	Demonstrator Design			
WP3.5.M1	Fiber Sensing Chip Design	Milestone	Bright	Sep-18

Bright Photonics Open Innovation goals

- **Developing a PIC design flow for**
 - Enabling a generic BB methodology via hierarchical design
 - BB development by foundries and end-users with IP-block protection
 - High-quality, closed-end-user-loop mask assembly and DRC.
- **Building block development prototypes**
 - BB specification
 - Low linewidth tuneable laser (specs defined by Technobis)
 - Tuneable filter (specs defined by the low linewidth tuneable laser)
- **Data model development**
 - Collect, organize and store PIC related data (implement database)
 - Develop data sharing methodologies for statistical analysis and mature

WP3 Developing a PIC design flow

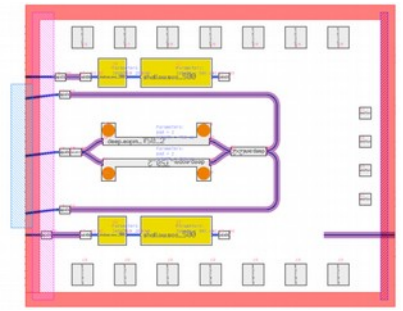
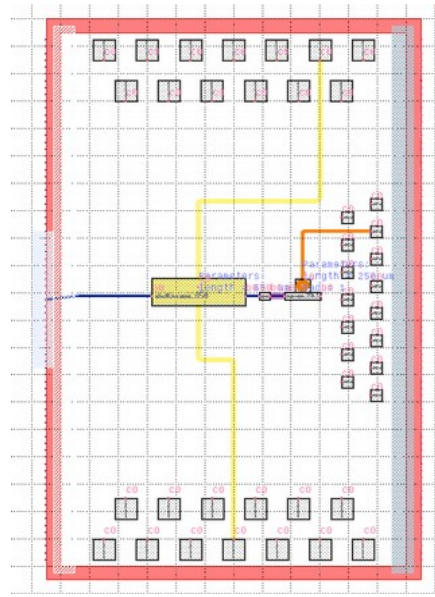
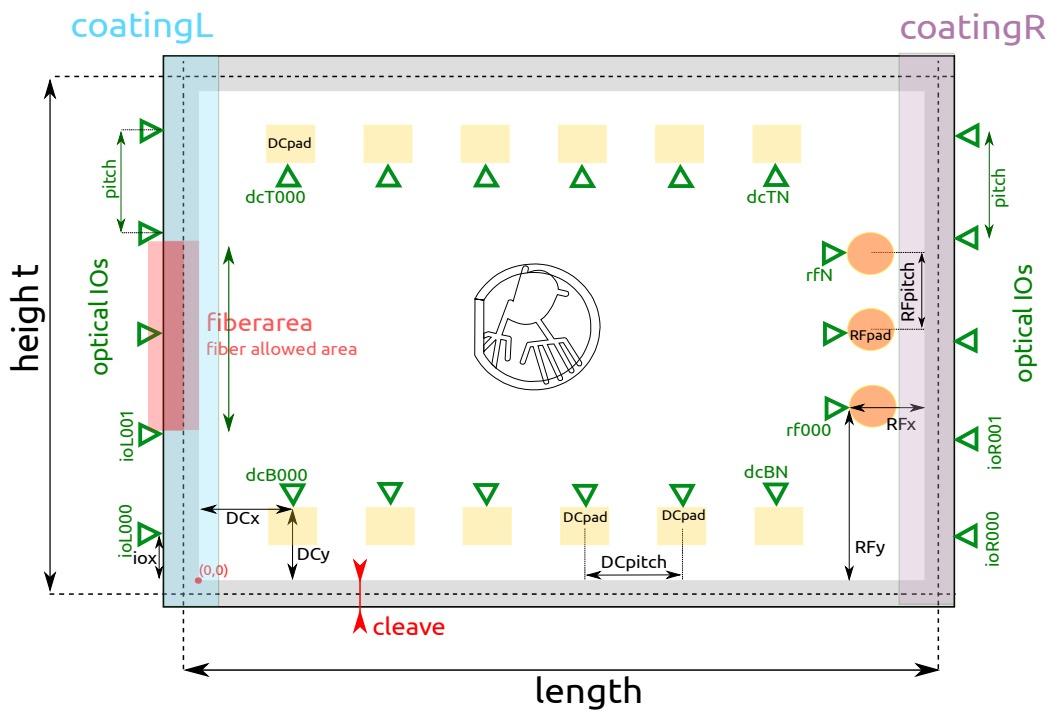


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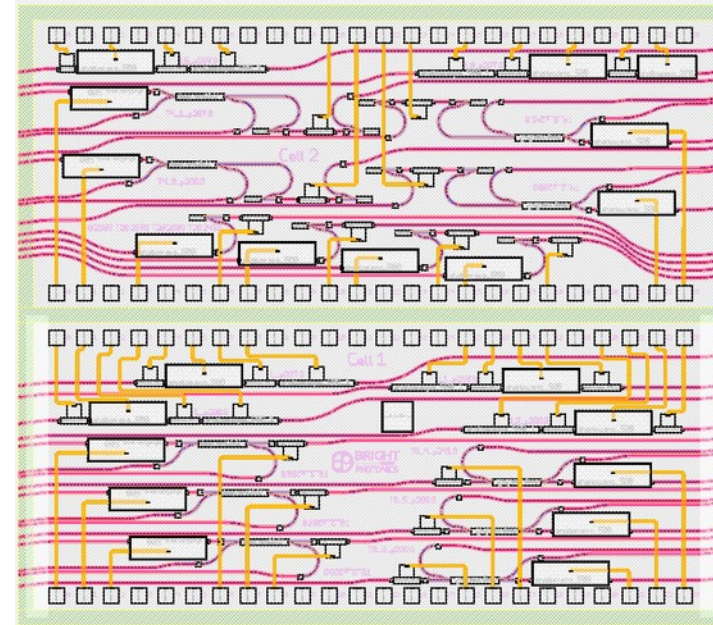
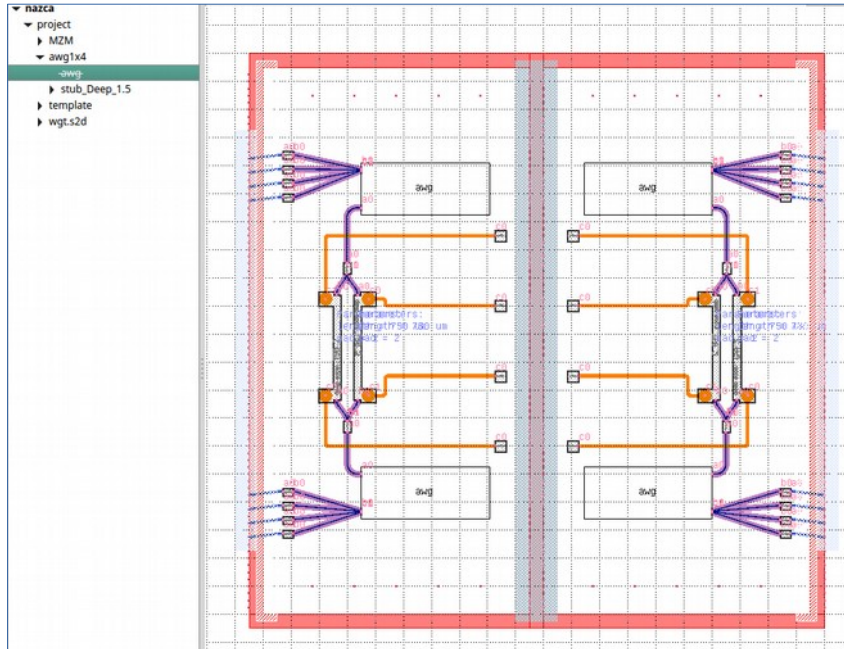
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- open innovation
- open source

78% of **companies**
run open-source...

Foundry and package templates, PDK



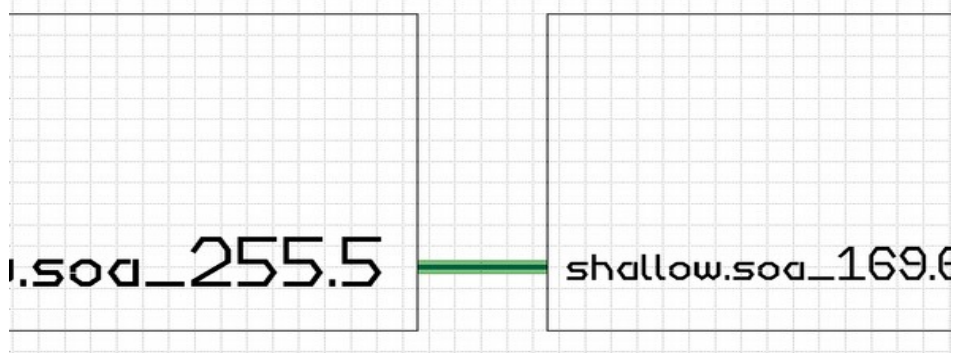
Die and package templates, PDK, hierarchy, mask assembly



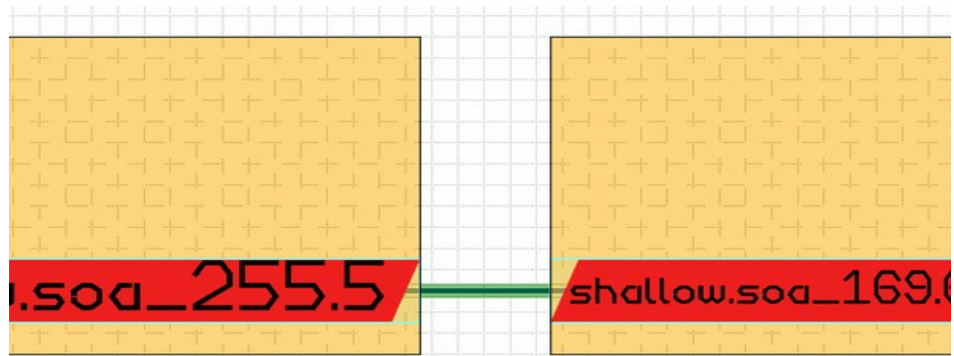
Discussing with PHX compatibility
Nazca – OptoDesigner

SP20 MPW cell has
been divided into two
mini projects via
packaging templates.

IP Building Block replacement

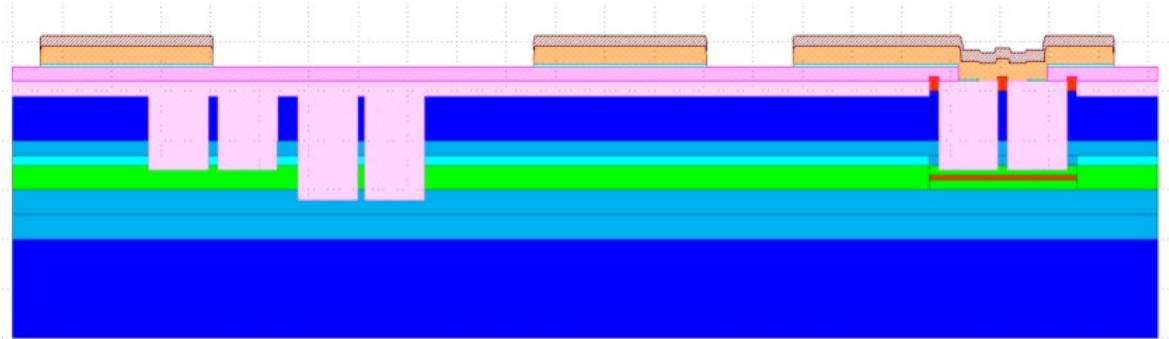
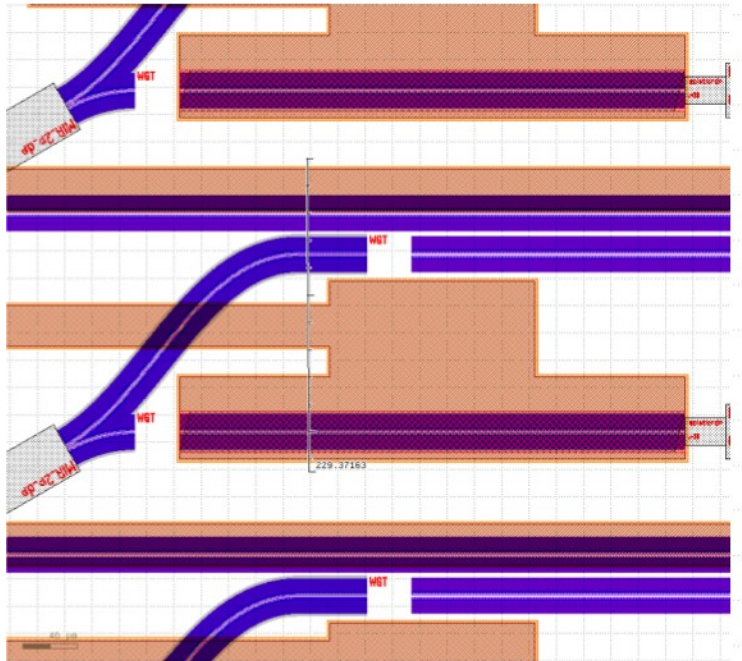


“black” box: IP-protected

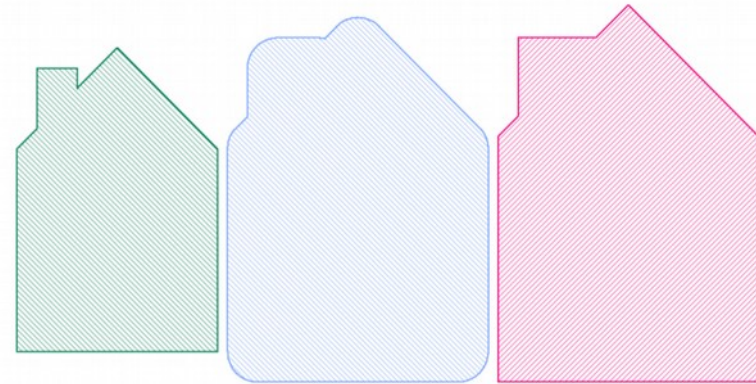
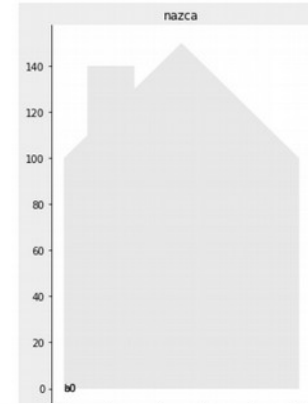
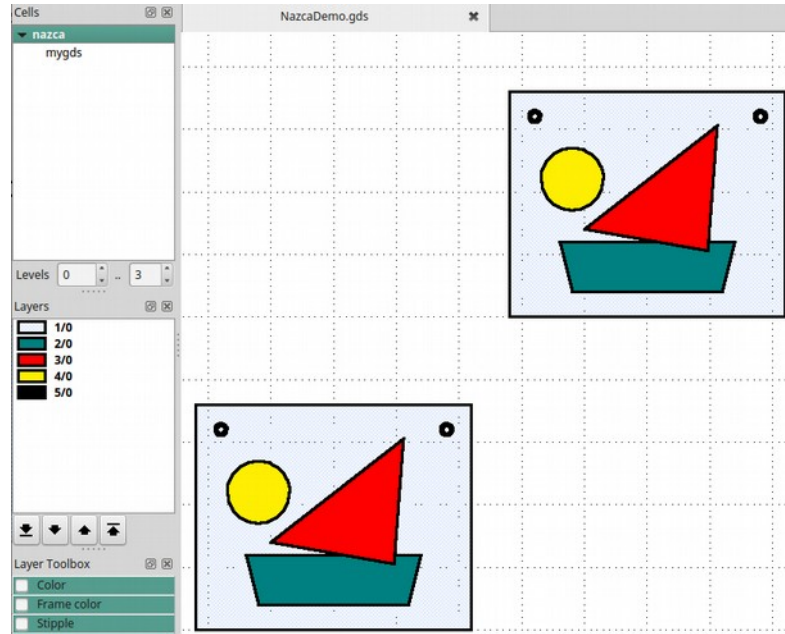


“white” box for manufacturing

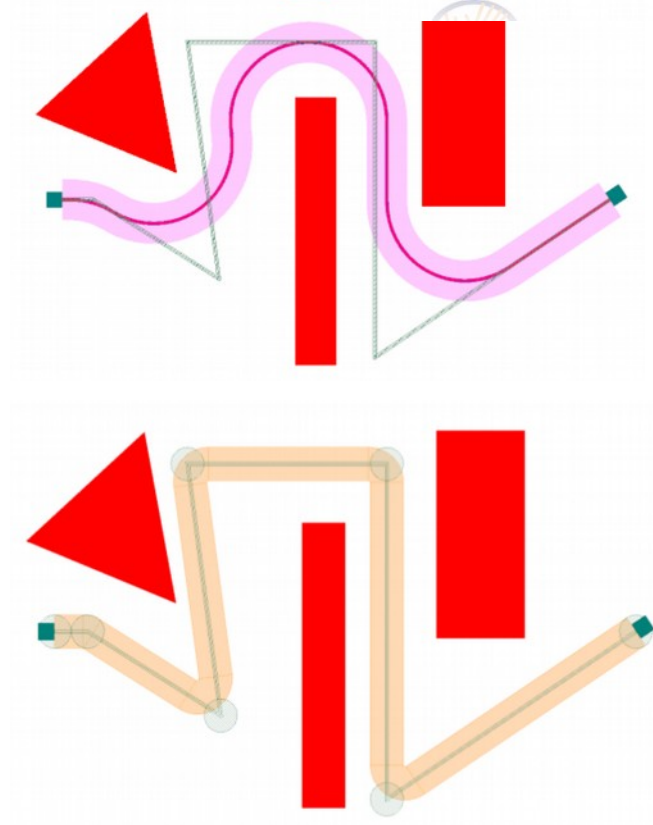
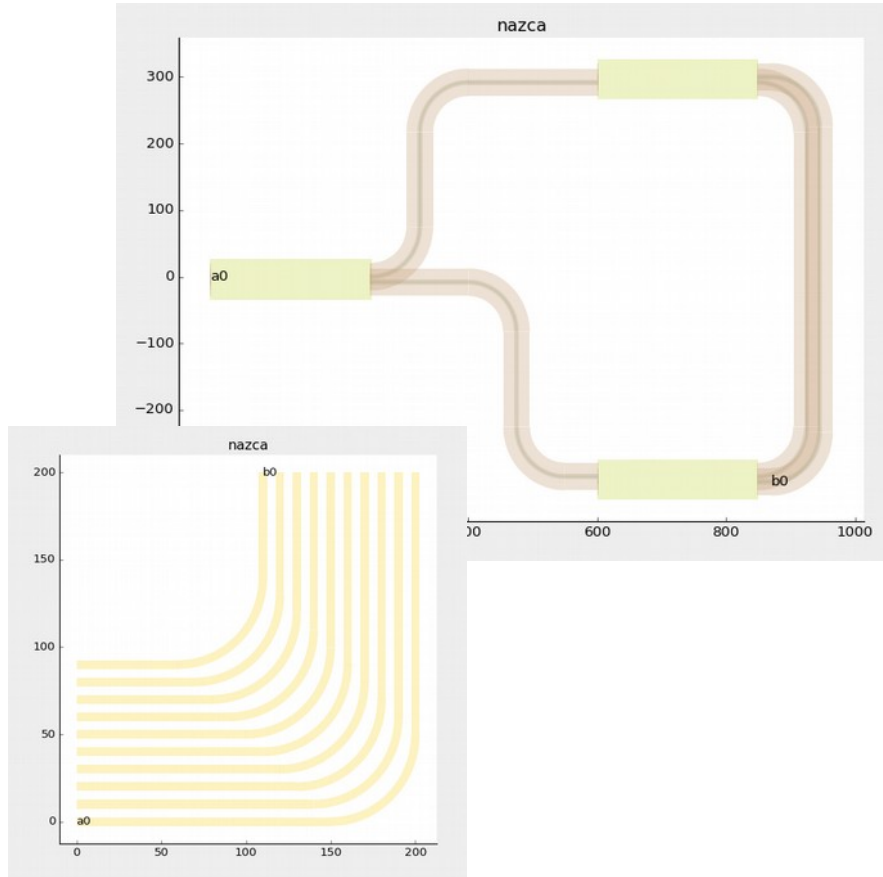
Cross section view, KLayout



Polygons, polylines, annotations, control of GDS

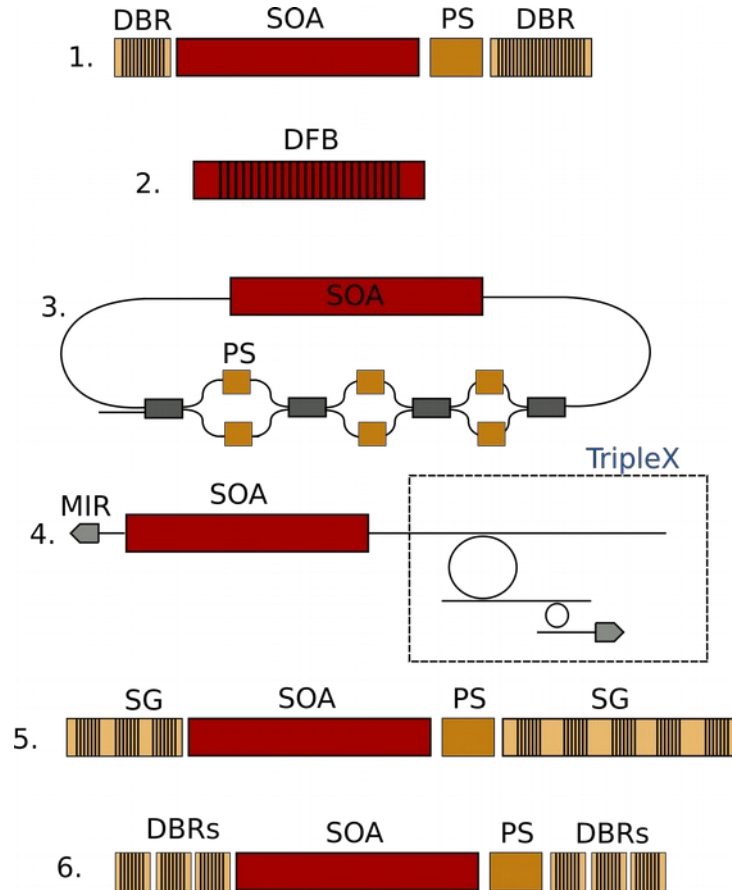


Advanced interconnects



WP3 BB development and designed masks

Low linewidth tuneable lasers



1. DBR based laser
2. DFB laser
3. Extended cavity laser (with MZIs based or other configuration based filter)
4. External cavity laser
5. Sampled grating tuneable lasers
6. Digital supermode laser

Low linewidth tuneable lasers (literature)

Lasers	Depth of modulation	Modulation frequency	Tuning range	Linewidth	Optical power	Technology
Simple DBR	Should	Should	Should*	Must	Should**	Smart MPW
DFB	Should	Should	Must	Must	Should**	Custom Smart
SG DBR	Could	Should	Could	Must	Should**	Smart MPW
DS DBR	Could	Should	Could	Must	Should**	Smart MPW
MZI based	Could	Could	Could	Must	Must	Smart MPW
Hybrid external cavity	Could	Could	Could	Should	Must	Smart+TriPlex
Array of lasers	Should	Should	Could	Must	Should	

Must
Should
Could

** Info taken from literature (haven't been proved in existant Smart platform)

Low linewidth tuneable lasers (literature)

		Depth of modulation	Modulation frequency	Tuning range	Linewidth	Optical power	Technology
SP 20	→ Lasers						
	→ Simple DBR	Should	Should	Must	Must	**	Smart MPW
	→ DFB	Should	Should	Must	Must	**	Custom Smart
	→ SG DBR	Could	Should	Could	Must	**	Smart MPW
SP + TripLeX	→ DS DBR	Could	Should	Could	Must	**	Smart MPW
	→ MZI based	Could	Should	Could	Must		Smart MPW
	→ Hybrid external cavity	Could	Should	Could	Should		Smart+TriPlex
	→ Array of lasers	Should	Should	Could	Must		

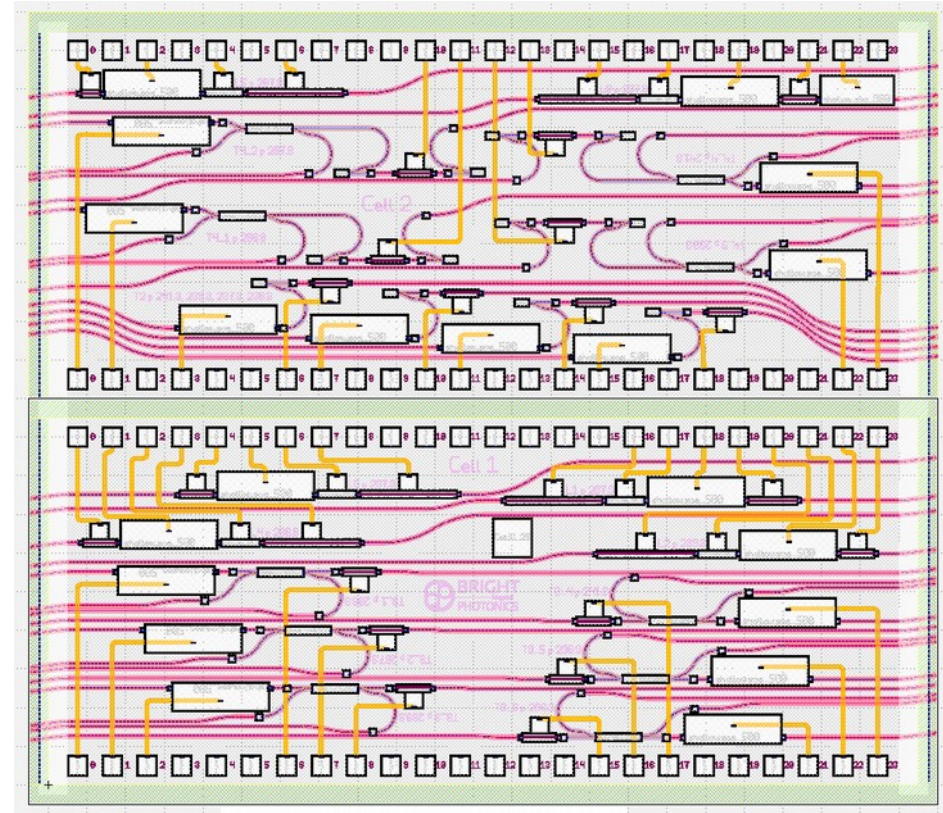
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DBR based laser and DBR grating test structures (Smart Photonics 20)

Design

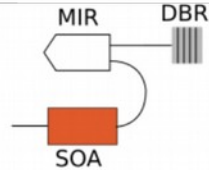
1. Series of tuneable DBR lasers with different grating pitch and reflectivity
2. Test structures for tuneable DBR gratings of different pitch



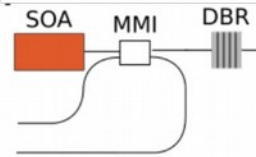
DBR gratings test structures and lasers in SP 20

Test structures for tuneable DBR gratings of different pitch

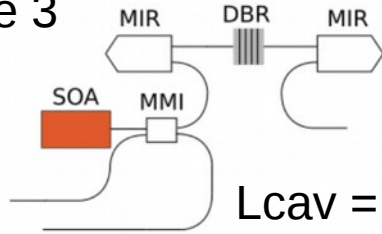
Type 1, $L_{cav} = 380\mu m$



Type 2

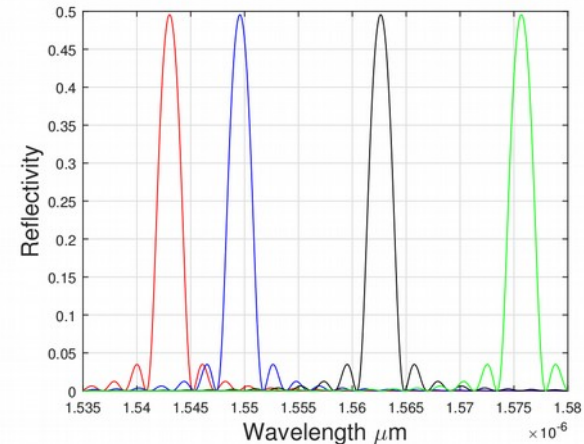


Type 3



$L_{cav} = 750\mu m$

Type1	p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4	$R = 50\%$
Type2	p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4	$R = 50\%$
Type3	p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4	$R = 50\%$



1. Broad source measurements
2. Tuneable laser measurements

DBR gratings test structures and lasers in SP 20

Series of tuneable DBR lasers with different grating pitch and reflectivity

Name	Pitch	R(dbr)	L(SOA booster)	Contacts
DBRL 1	p1	50%	-	
DBRL 2	p2	50%	-	
DBRL 3	p3	50%	-	
DBRL 4	p1	21%; L(dbr) = 100 μm	-	
DBRL 5	p1	70% L(dbr) = 250 μm	-	
DBRL 6	p1	50%	380 μm	



1. DBR-SOA-PS-DBR
2. SOA-DBR-SOA-PS-DBR

Measurements

1. LI curves
2. Tuning characteristics (depth, speed)
3. Linewidth, linewidth variation with tuning

Planning

BBs:

- 17Q4: SP 20 measurements and analysis of the experimental data
- 17Q4: Design of TriPlex based ring filters and hybrid tuneable laser

Design flow

- 17Q4: Full releasing of new python-based design environment into OpenPICs project

Data model:

- select data implementation model
- consolidate collected data