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NANOMECHANICAL TEST INSTRUMENTS

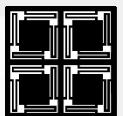
## Platform Systems

# Mechanical Testing Solutions

- Hardness – Modulus
- Dynamic Analysis
- Scratch, Wear, Friction
- Surface Roughness, Imaging
- Environmental Control
- Electrical Properties
- Stress/Strain, Strain Rate

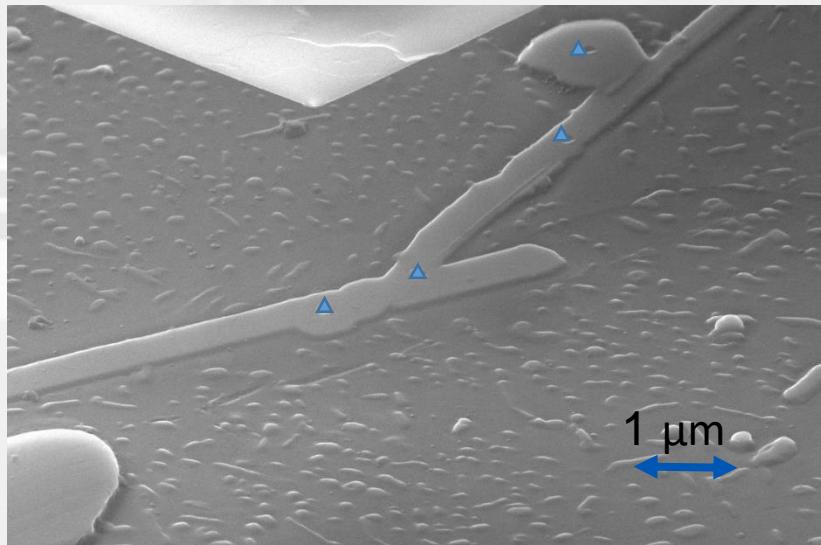


Dual-Head TI 950 TribolIndenter® powered by the *performech*®

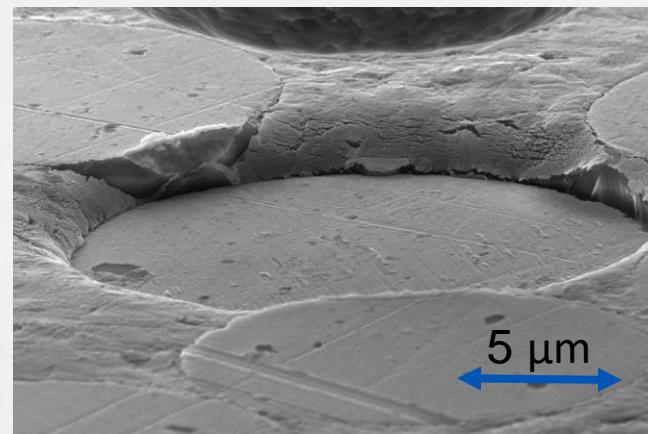


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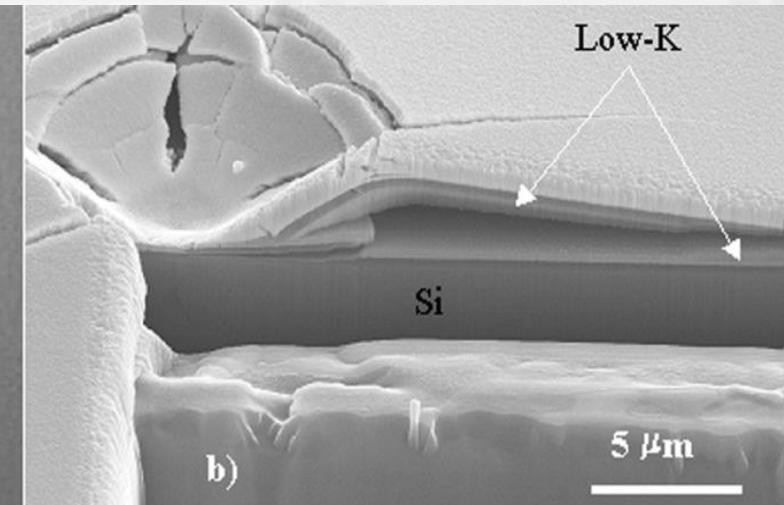
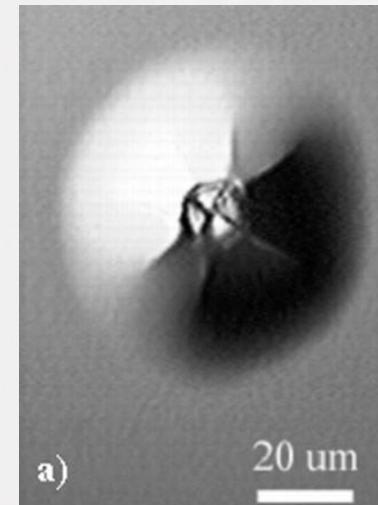
# Why Test at Nanoscale?



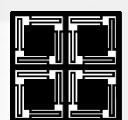
Small Feature Position  
Accuracy  
*Carbide Inclusion - Steel*



Thin film characterization  
*Cohesive fracture – Thin ULK film*



Depth and Load Control  
*Glass Fiber Matrix*

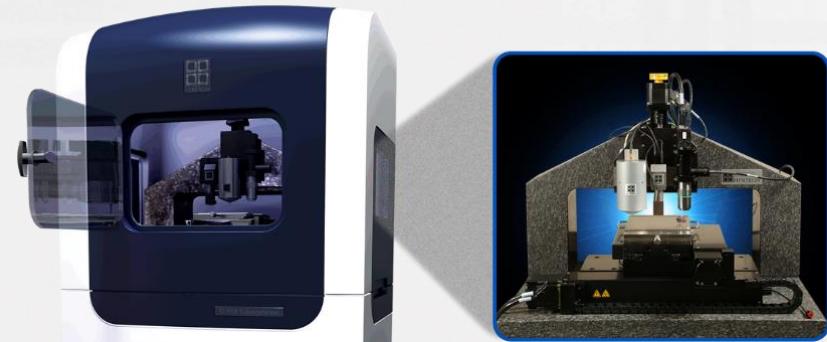


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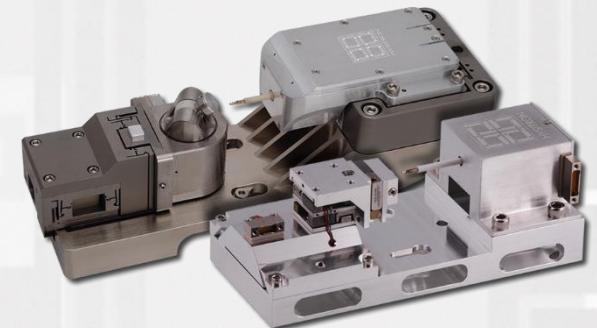
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TI 950  
TribolIndenter



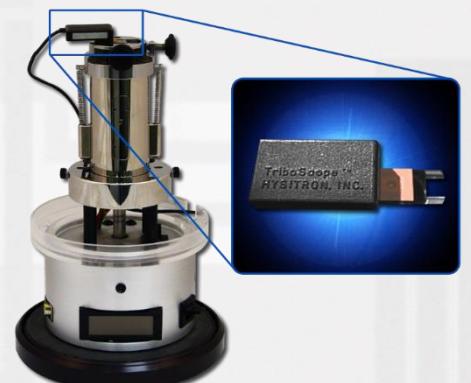
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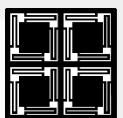
PI 87/85 SEM PicoIndenter



PI 95 TEM PicoIndenter



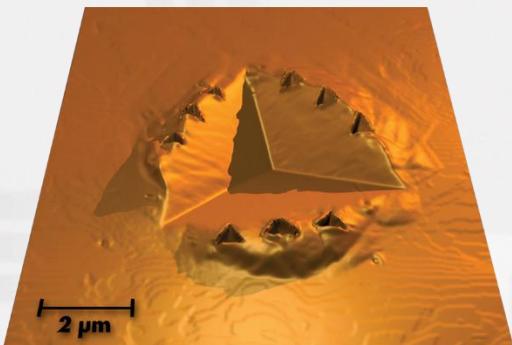
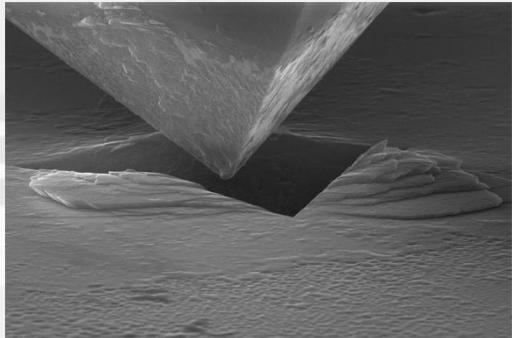
TS 75 TriboScope



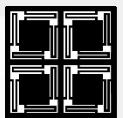
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# Testing Techniques

## Nanoindentation

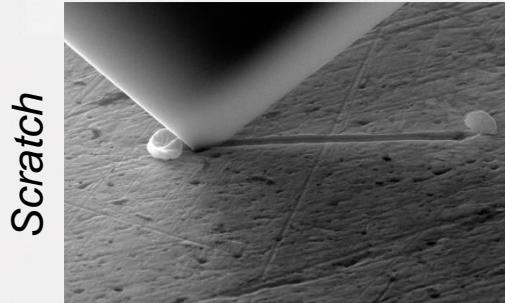


*Hardness, Modulus, Dynamic*



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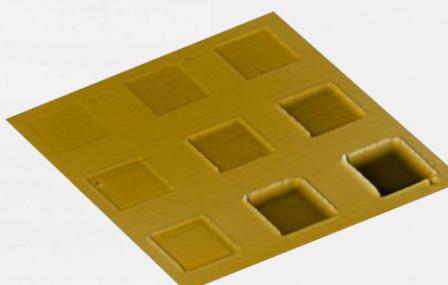
## Tribology



### Scratch

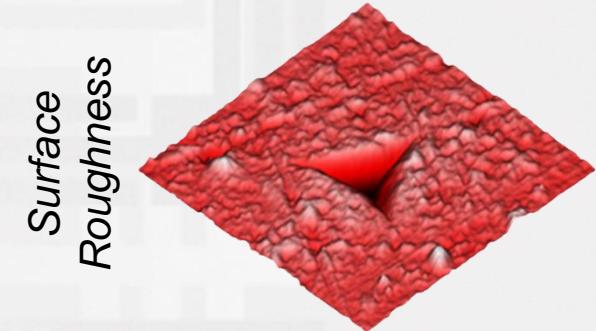


### Adhesion



### Wear

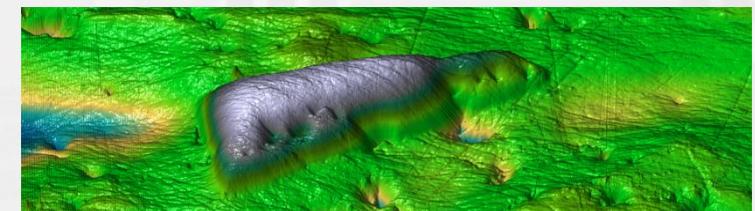
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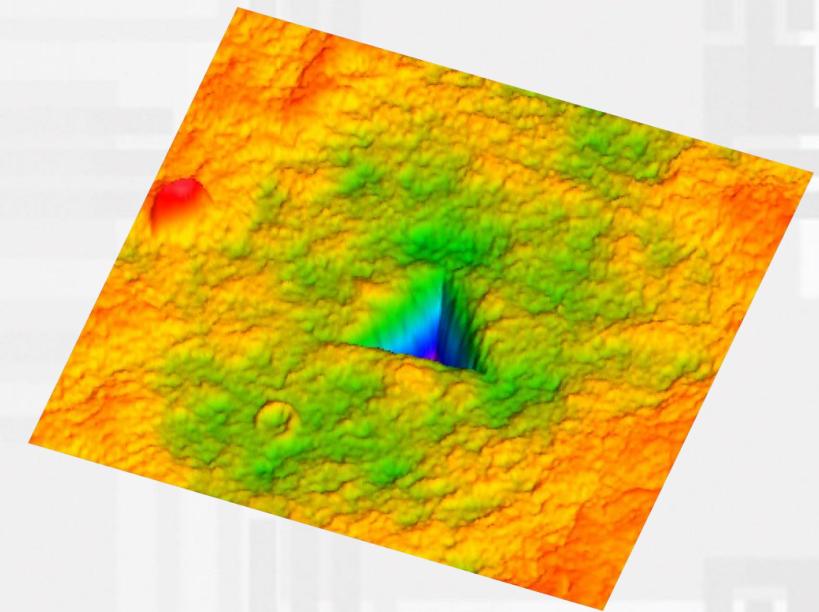
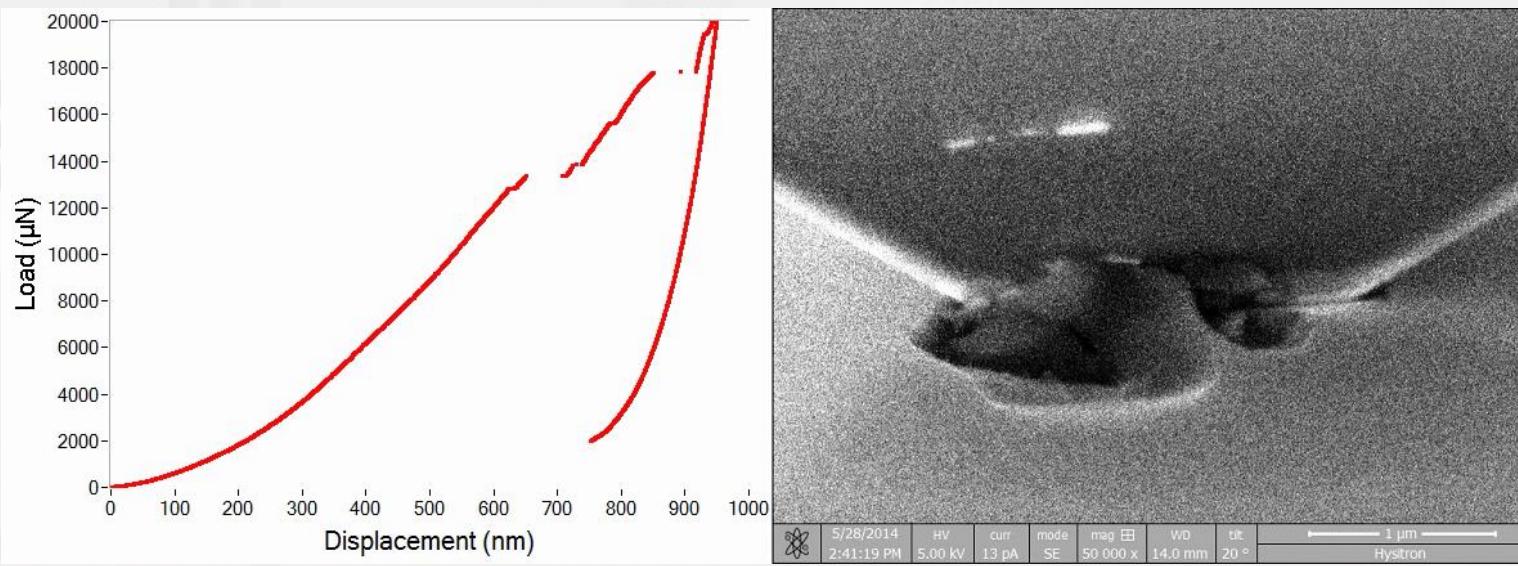
### Surface Roughness



### Positioning



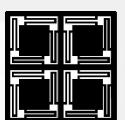
# Nanoindentation



## Applications

Hardness – Reduced Modulus –  
Fracture Toughness

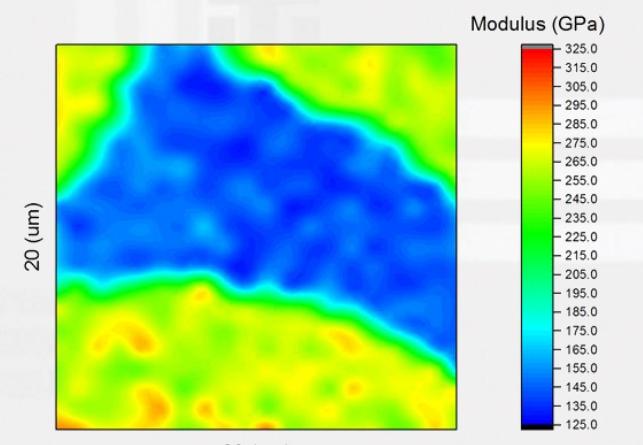
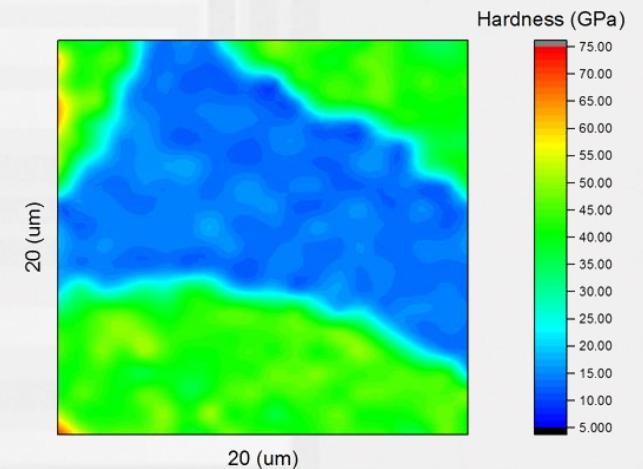
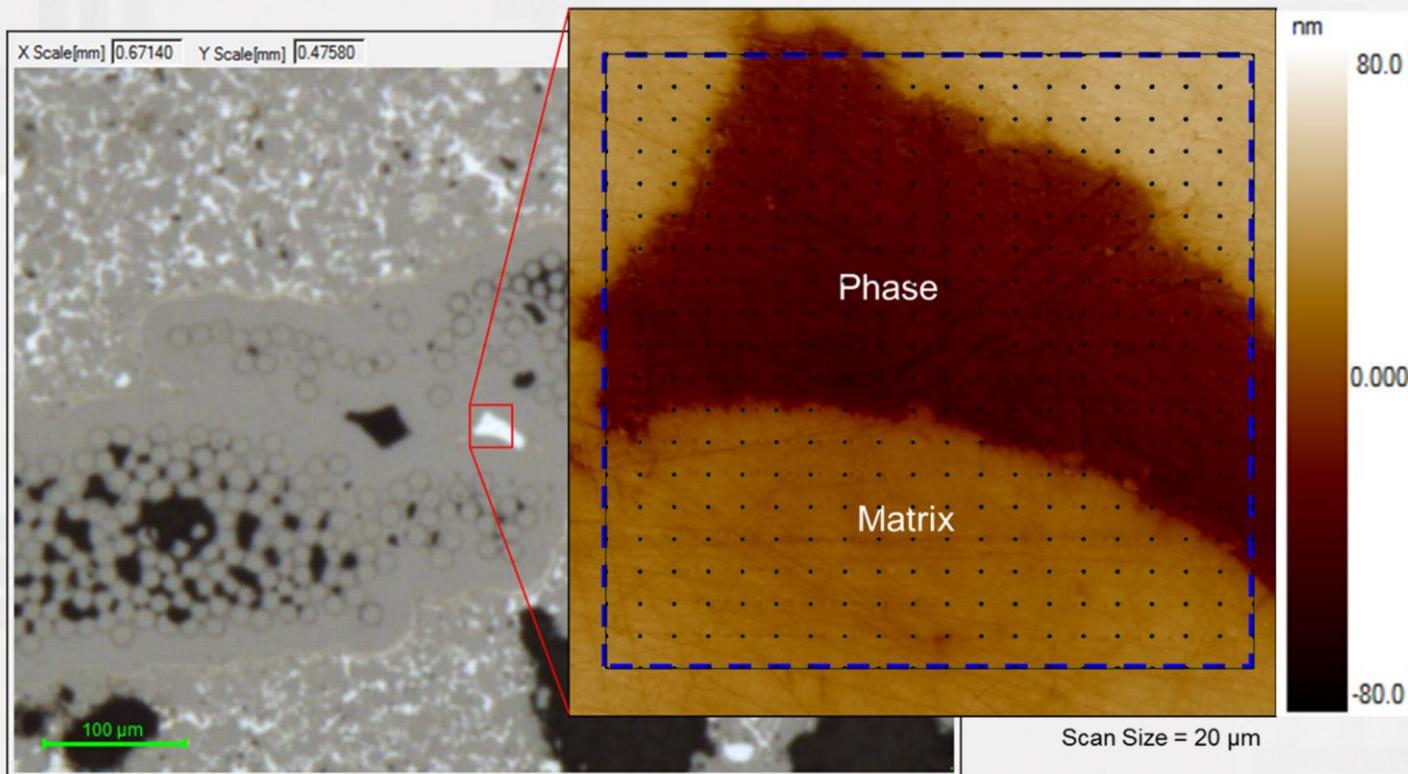
SPM imaging  
*Metal alloy– NiTi*



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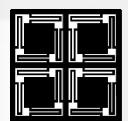
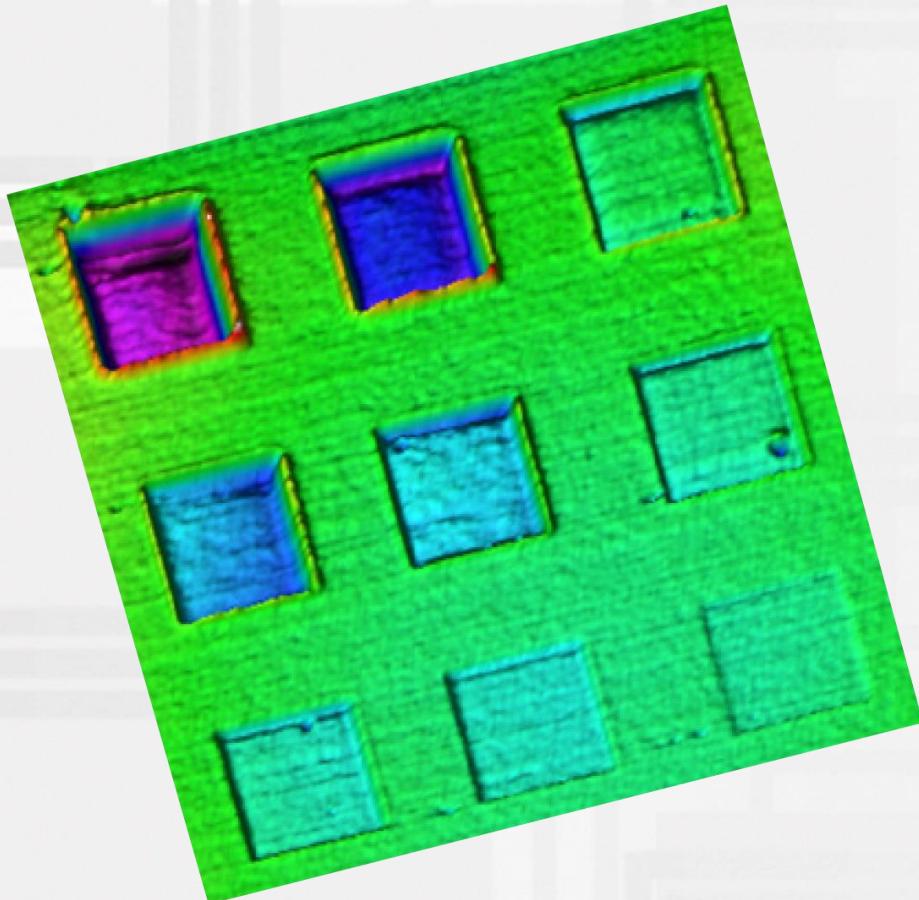
# High Throughput Nanoindentation - XPM

20 x 20 XPM Nanoindentation Grid  
400 indents in roughly 100 seconds



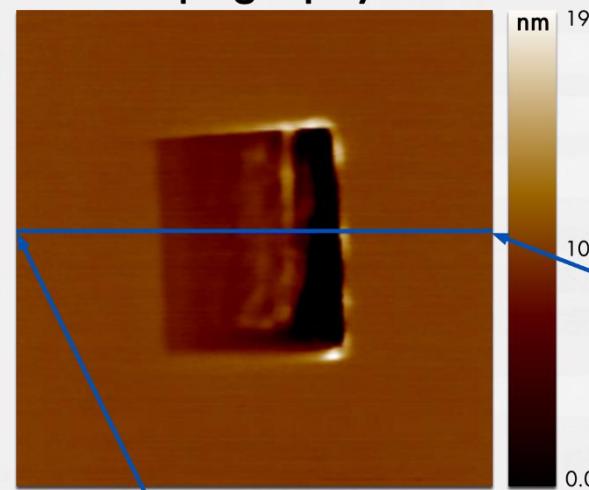
Optical – SPM – XPM Indentation  
Ceramic Matrix Composite – SiC/SiC

# Nanowear

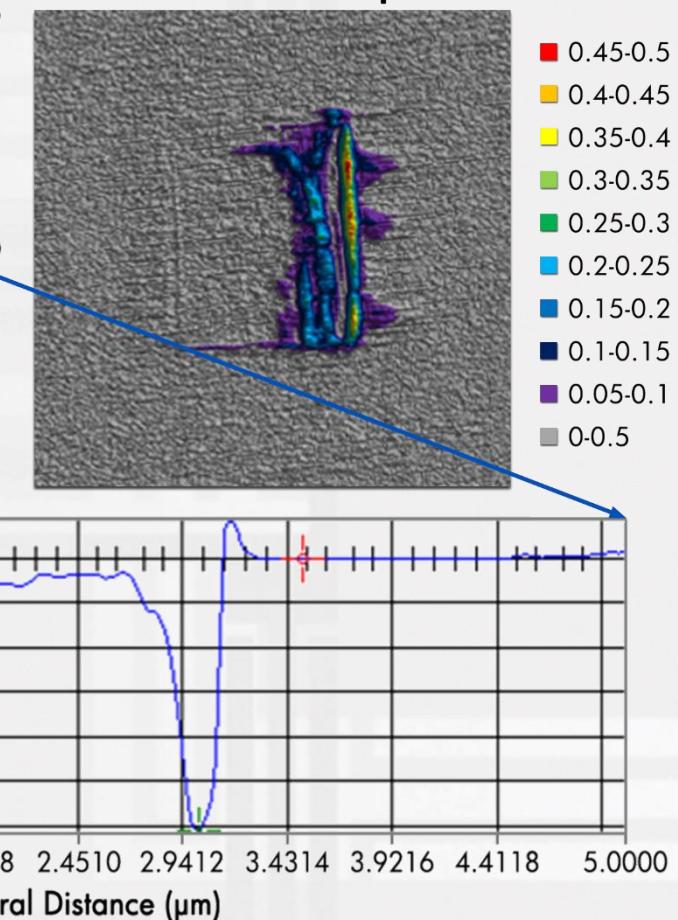


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Topography



Friction Map



Height (nm)

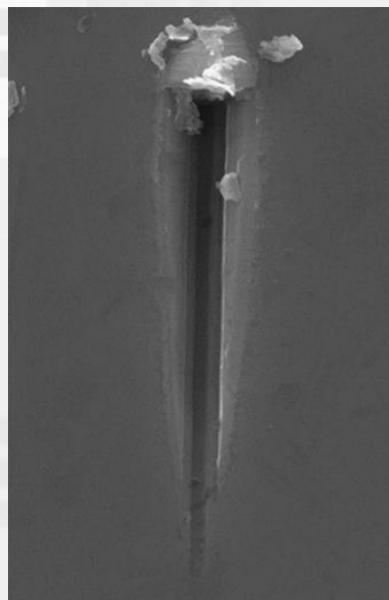
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-20.000  
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Lateral Distance ( $\mu\text{m}$ )

Ramped wear test  
*Thin film – DLC coating*

# Nanoscratch



SEM image of the nanoscratch

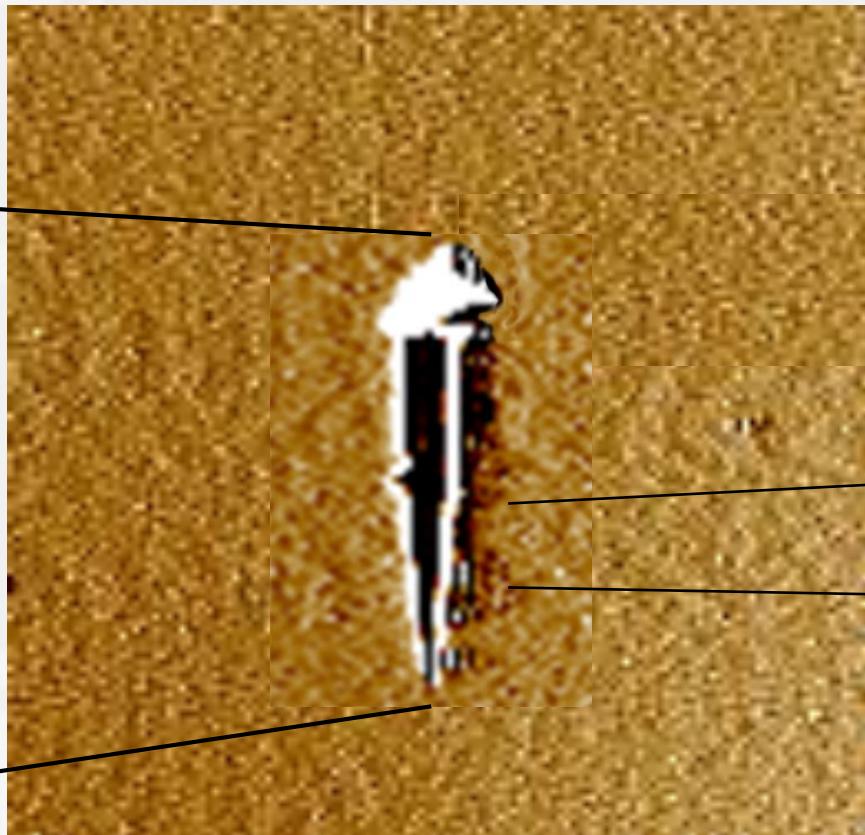
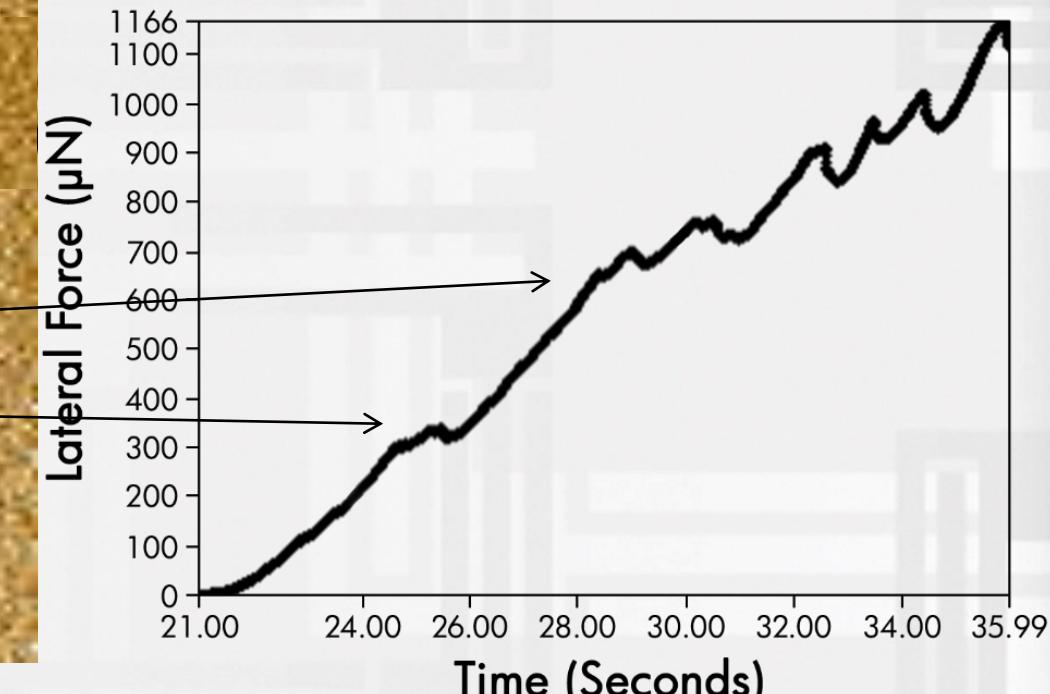


Image Scan Size: 20  $\mu\text{m}$

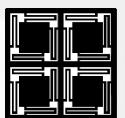
SPM image of a nanoscratch

## Applications

Scratch Resistance – Film Adhesion – Coefficient of Friction

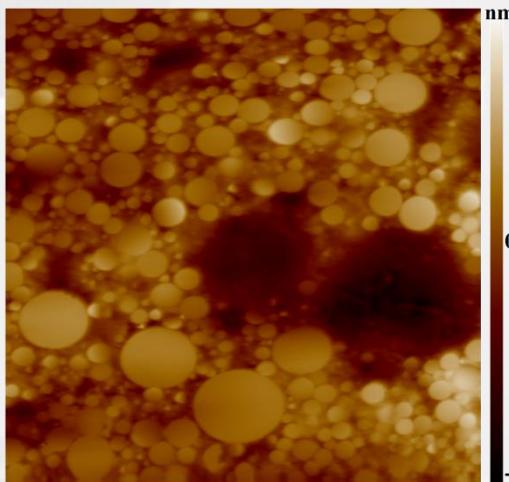


Lateral force signal during the scratch

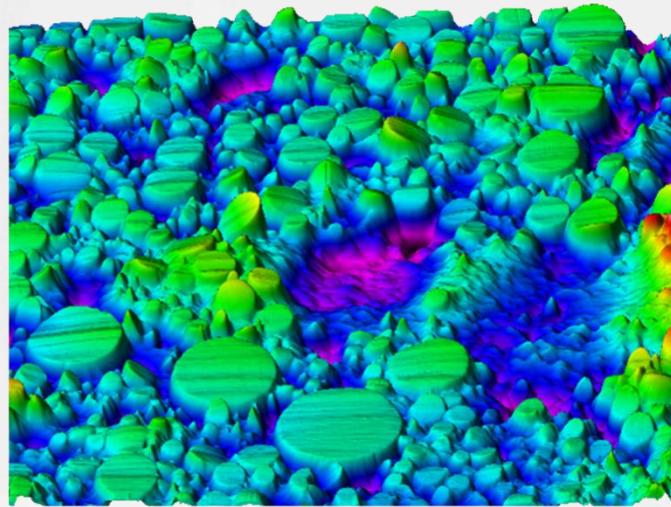


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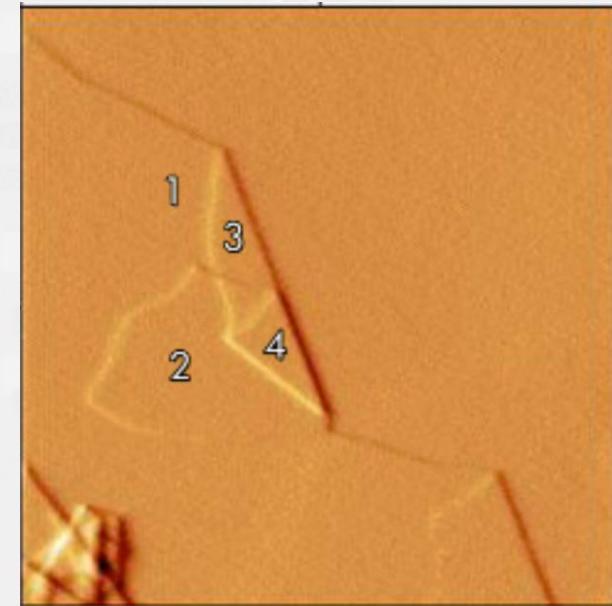
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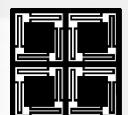
40 x 40  $\mu\text{m}$  SPM Image  
*Glass Beads in Polymer Matrix*



3D Image  
*Glass Beads in Polymer Matrix*

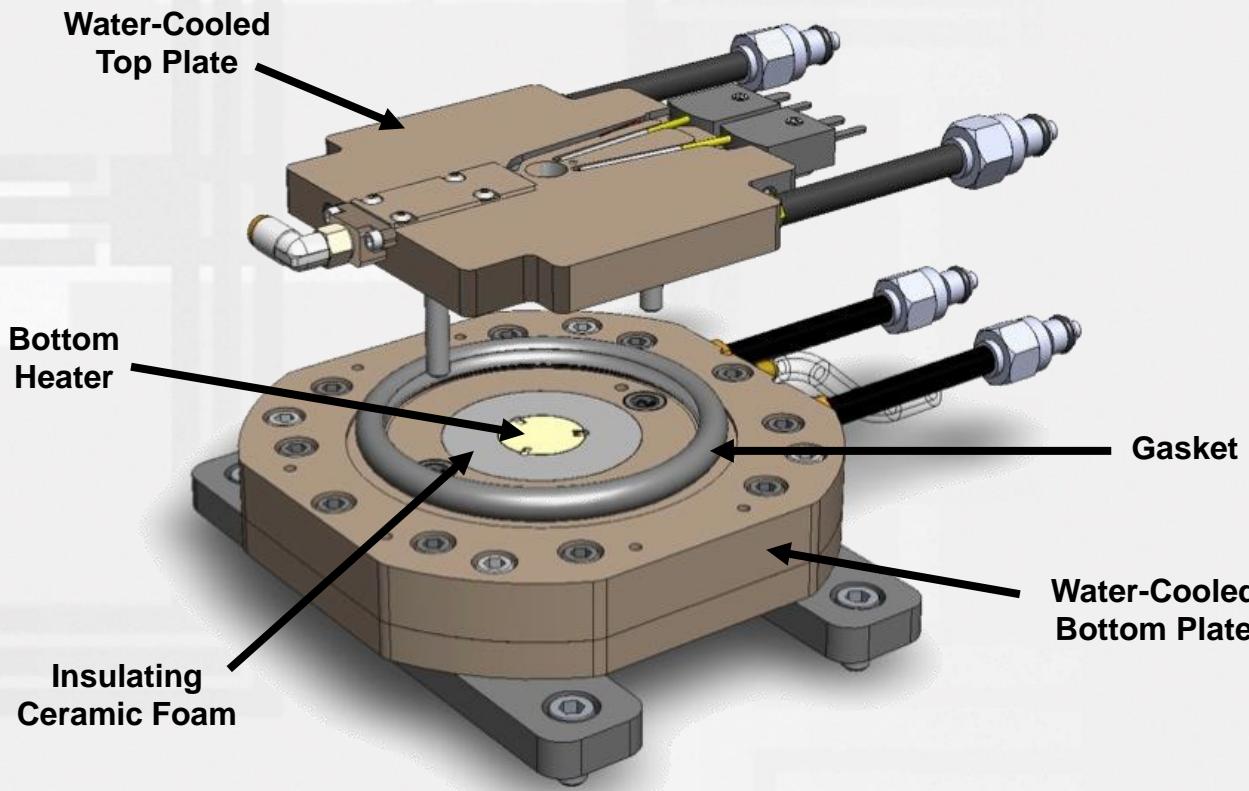


1 x 1  $\mu\text{m}$  SPM image  
*Graphene sheet*

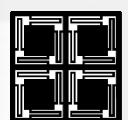


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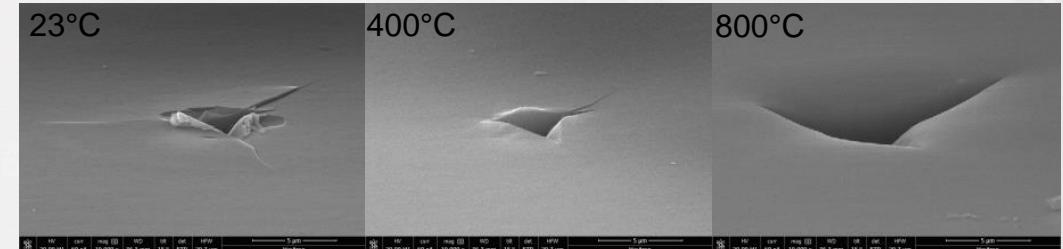
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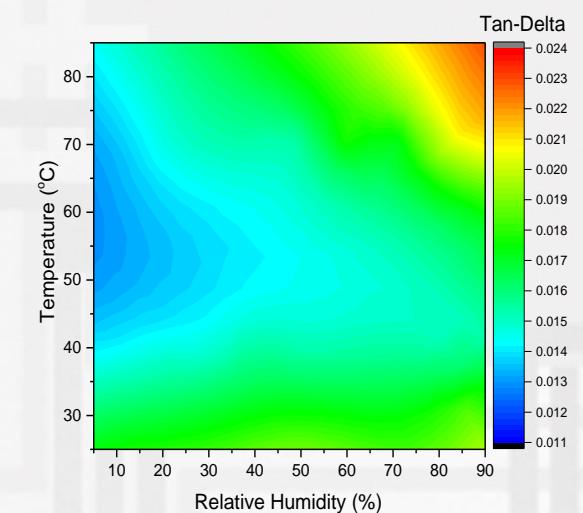
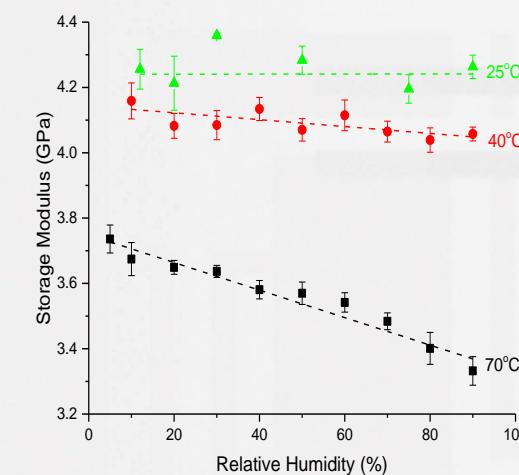
xSol – Heating, Cooling, Humidity  
Heating to 800 C, Cooling to -100 C, Humidity to 95% RH



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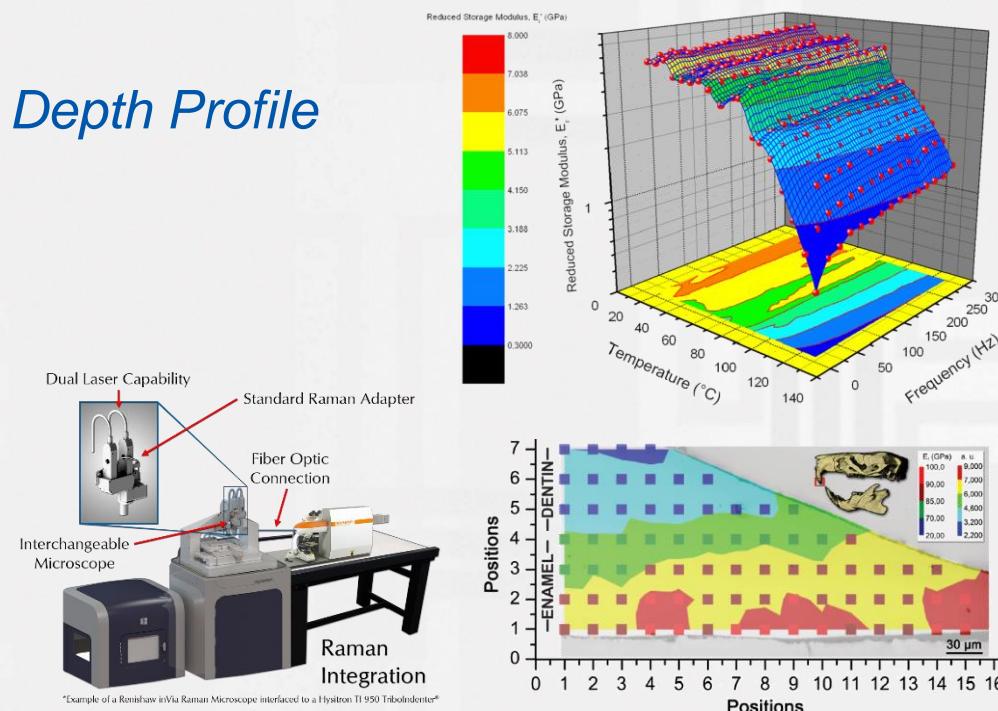
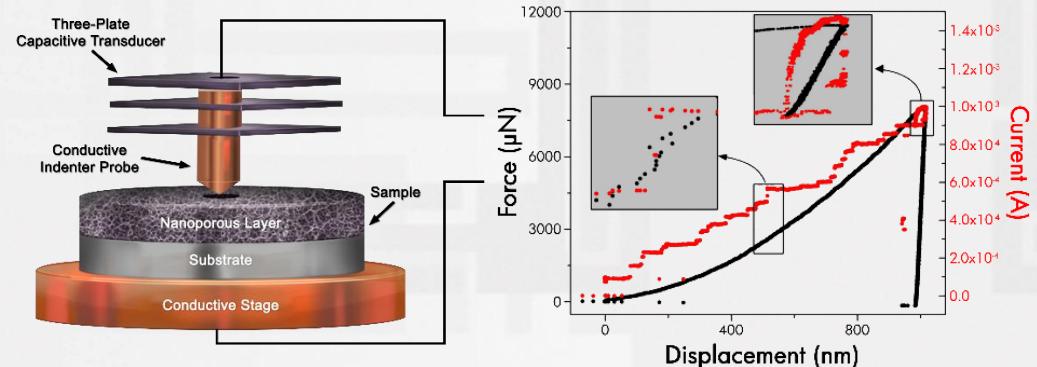
High Temperature Ductile Transition  
Nanoindentation in Silicon

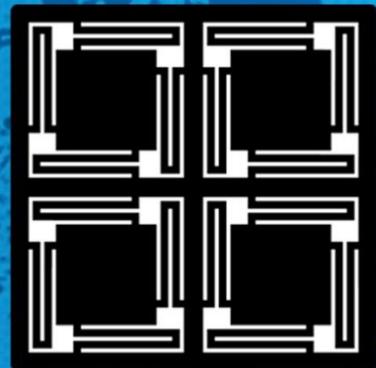


High Temperature High Humidity  
Mechanical Properties  
Nanoindentation on Cellulose Acetate

# Additional Techniques

- *nanoECR*
  - Mechanical + Electrical Characterization
- *nanoDMA III*
  - Viscoelastic Properties, Creep and Depth Profile
- Mechanical + Raman
  - Chemical Analysis and Residual Stress Measurement





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**Thank You!**