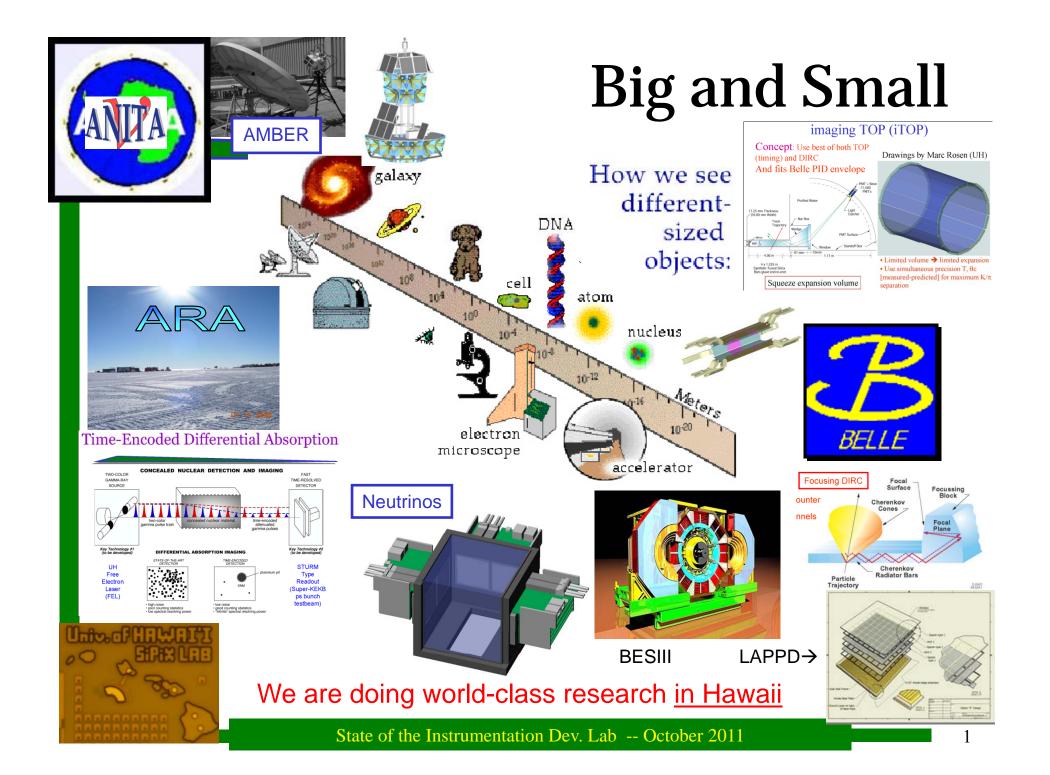


# Detector R&D At the Univ. of Hawaii

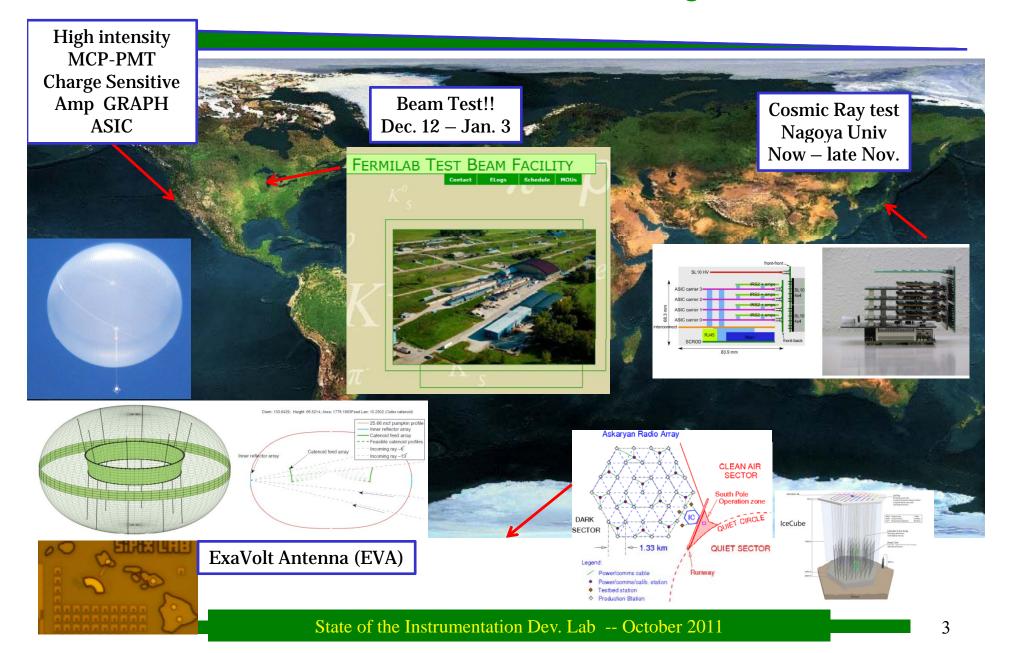
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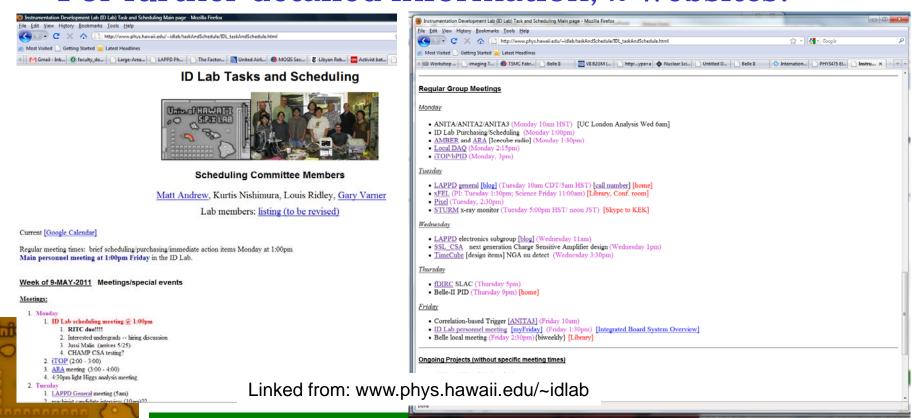
Creating the physics... **LAPPD** PoG@Lite The Polarized Gamma-ray Observer **BESIII** Mini-Time Cube Time-Encoded Differential Absorption BELLE **AMBER** CLEAN AIR SECTOR QUIET SECTOR Testbed station State of the Instrumentation Dev. Lab -- October 2011

## New/Immediate Projects



### Much, much going on...

- Hopeless to cover everything
- Just a brief overview of the most active projects
- For further detailed information, 2 websites:



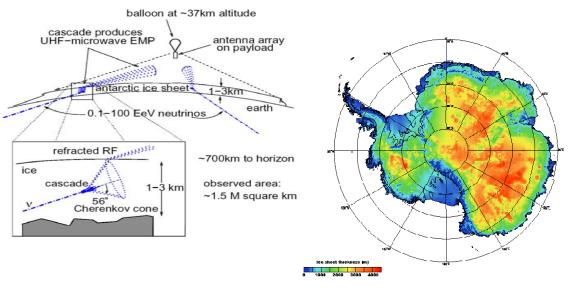
### ANITA3





### **Physics Goals**

- Discovery experiment for "BZ" neutrinos, created by the so-called GZK process
- Uses the entire Antarctic continent as a detector!
- Best near-term chance to observe neutrinos from earliest universe
- 3<sup>rd</sup> (final) flight in December 2013





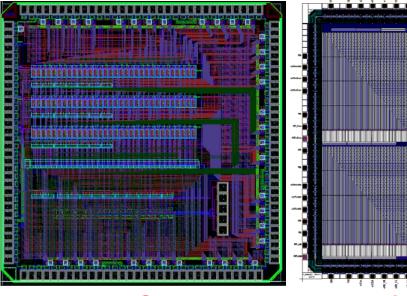
## ANITA3 – ID Lab

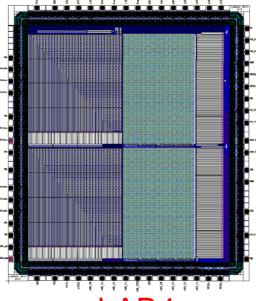
### **New SURF & TURF**



### **Our Developments**

- Rebuild "space flight" readout instrumentation (half a decade old technology)
- Threshold limited new trigger ASIC (RITC)
- New digitizer (LAB4) to go to longer waveforms
- "going for broke" ARA is successor

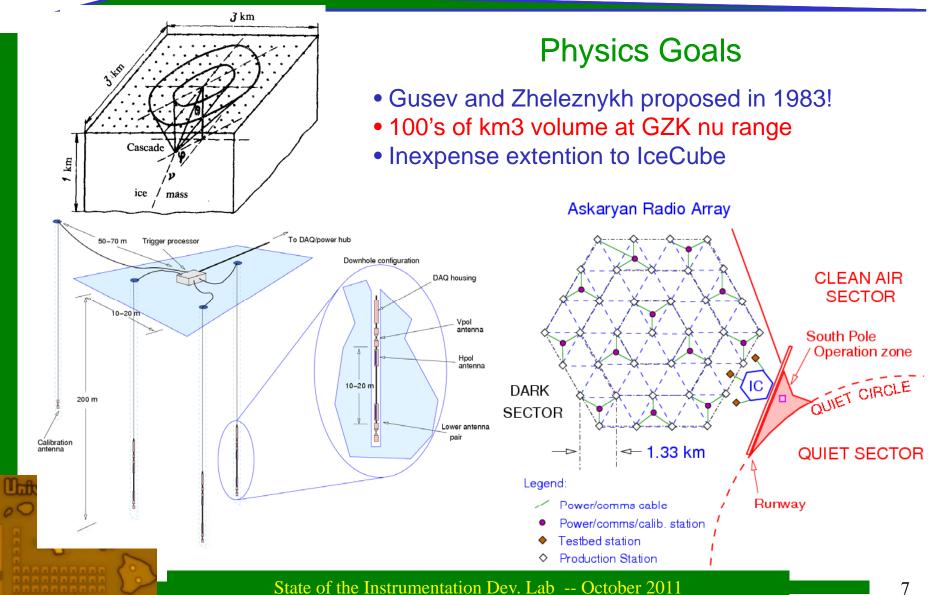




**RITC** 

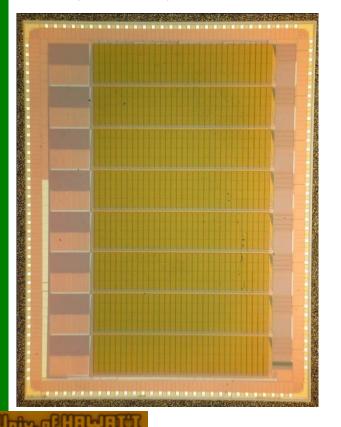
LAB4

## Askaryan Radio Array (ARA)



## ARA – ID Lab

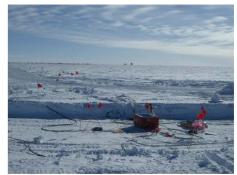
### IRS, IRS2, IRS3 ASIC



ARA Test Bed

### **Our Developments**

- ANITA trigger/digitizer electronics → to ARA
- "array crossing" waveform sampler (IRS)
- Built "testbed" almost 4 years ago....
- Finally deployed in January, taking data
- First "station" January 2012



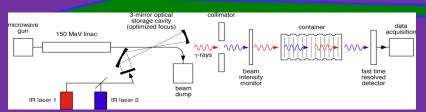




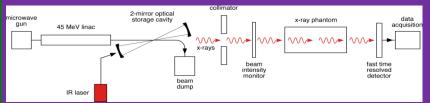




## Title: Time-Encoded Differential Absorption Org/PI: University of Hawaii / John Madey



Configuration of operational gamma-ray differential absorption detection system for fissile nuclear materials



Configuration of proposed x-ray scaled prototype detection system for proof-of-principle experiments.

#### **Technical Merit**

- Real time detection and imaging of concealed SNMs through use of GHz avalanche PD arrays and multi Gigabit xfer links
- Based on differential absorption using a novel, rapidly tunable, high duty cycle, intense monochromatic gamma ray source

#### **Technical Approach**

- Exploit existing facilities and capabilities at UH for development and testing of source, detector and DAQ technologies
- Investigate source stability; quantum efficiency and time resolution of detectors; and operation of DAQ routing chips
- cinitial system operation at x-ray wavelengths, scalable to gamma ray wavelengths by increasing the e-beam energy

#### **Broader Impact**

- Focus on systems development and testing provides students with critical insights into the issues for detection of SNMs
  - Project funds support 2 grad students and one student continuing as a postdoc in the second year
  - Our laboratory has served as the centerpiece of numerous tours by visiting local high school students and teachers
- Required technologies are common to HEP and x-ray crystallography, establishing broad support for future development
- Integration of these advanced technologies will feed back into these communities in support of research and manufacturing

•FY09: \$398K	•FY12: \$399K
•FY10: \$392K	•FY13: \$379K
•FY11: \$388K	•Total: \$1,956K

#### **Major Milestones / Accomplishments**

- FY09: basic testbed design, installation, integration and test
- FY10: detector v.2 eval; test ebeam and optics stabilization
- FY11: detector v.3 eval; ebeam and optics subsystems ass'y
  - FY12: detector v.4 eval, ebeam and optics integration
  - FY13: detector v.5 evaluation; tests of integrated system

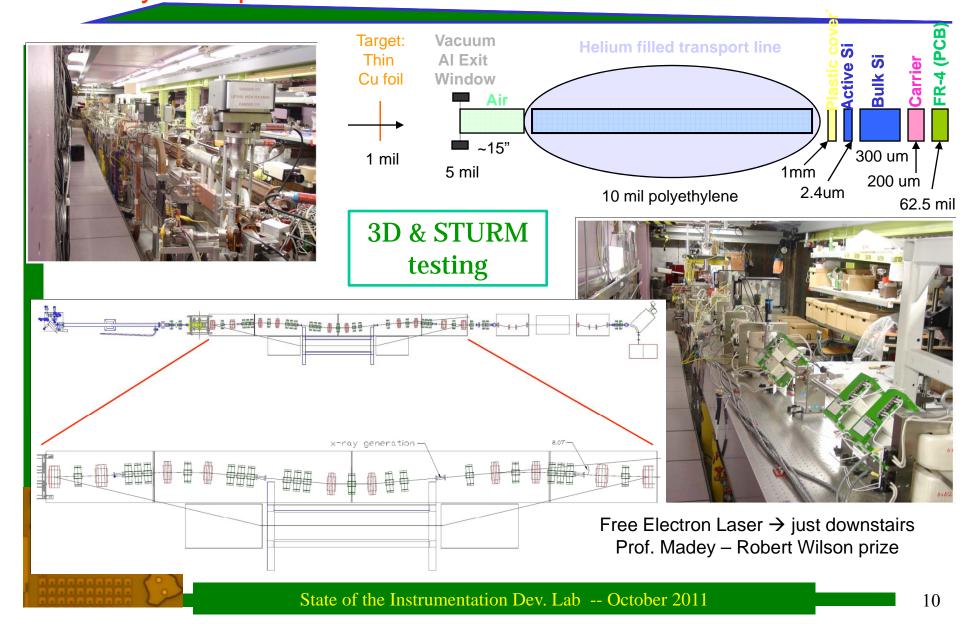
#### **Team**

co-Pls: Assoc. Prof. Gary Varner
 Assoc. Prof. Eric Szarmes

### Bremsstrahlung x-rays: UH FEL

First x-rays: September 2010

50MeV max. (40MeV typ.)



### TEDA -ID Lab

cPCI crate (control room) **ASICs** Rx card **Detectors CPU** Master X-rays Front-end Giga-bit Module Module Fiber links 11 Master module

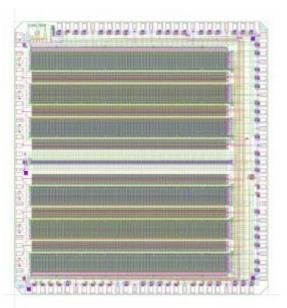
## Large Area Photodetector



### Project goals

- Photomultipliers still built on vacuum tube technology
- CRT → flat panel screen transition
- Integrated readout electronics
- Necessary for next generation (large) detectors

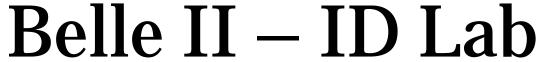


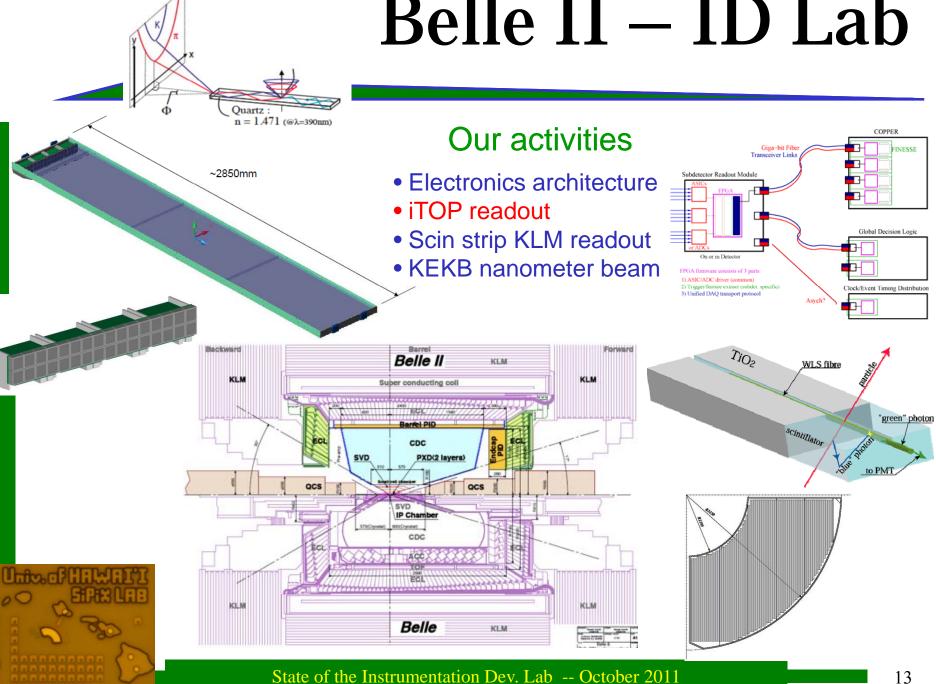




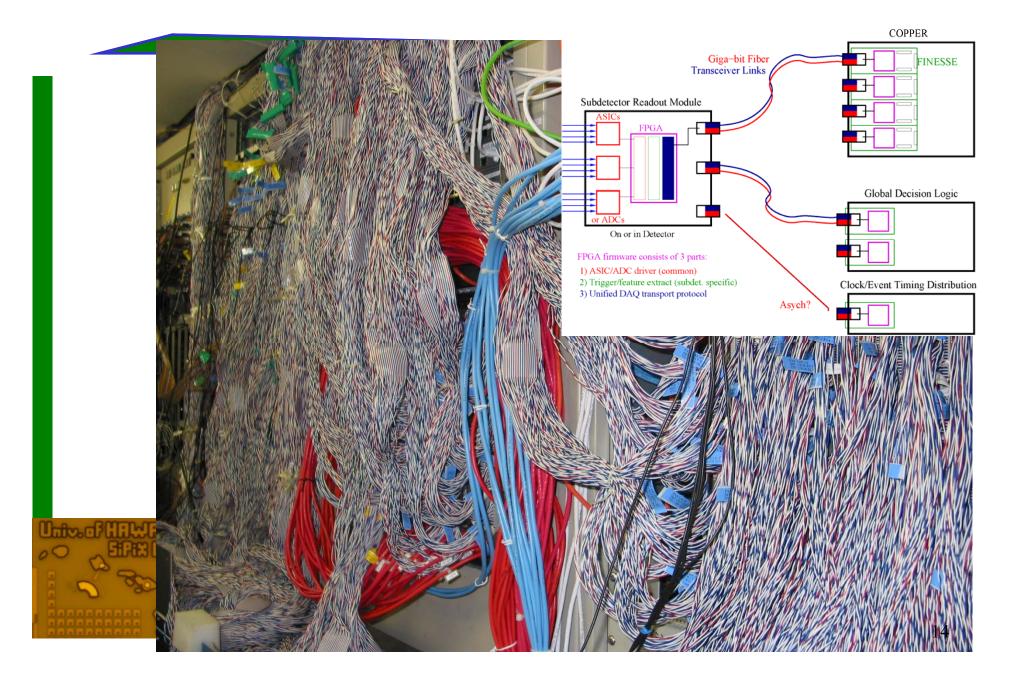
PSEC, IRS calibration/readout

**CHAMP** 



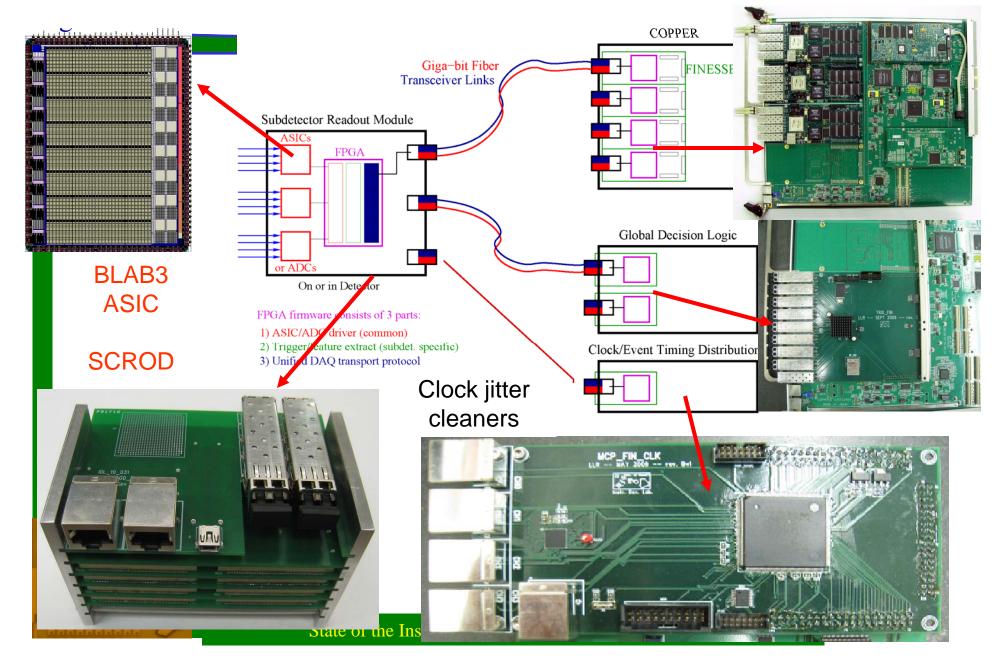


## Got fiber?



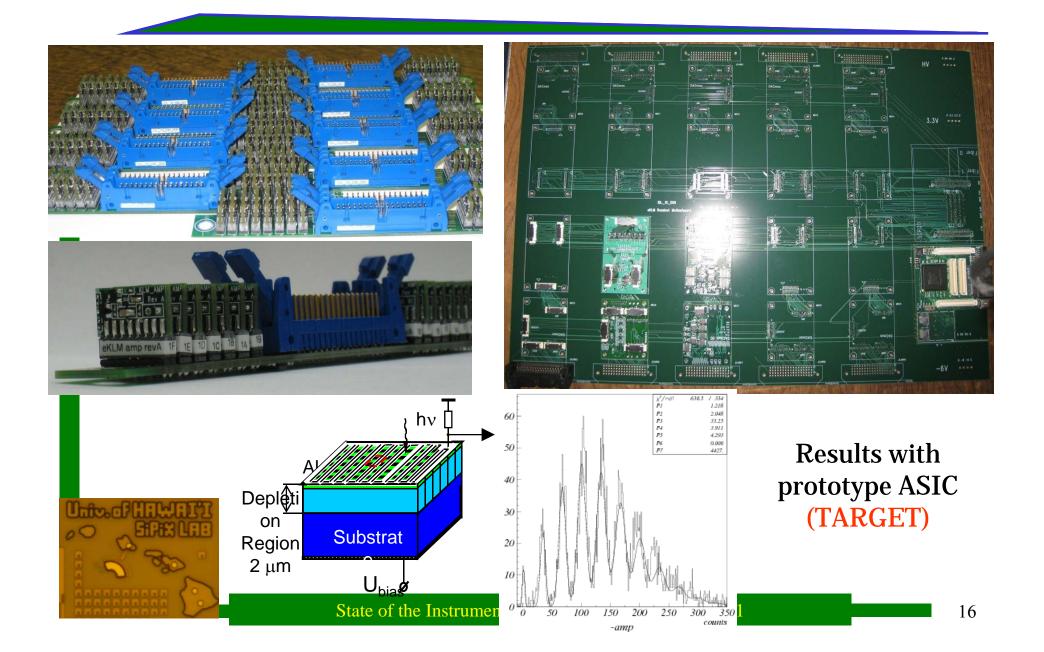
### Our activities

## iTOP – ID Lab



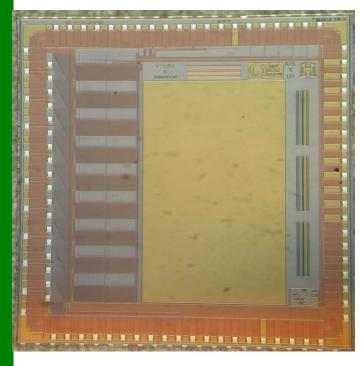
### Our activities

## KLM – ID Lab



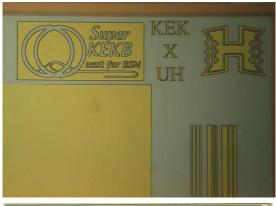
## SuperKEKB — ID Lab

### STURM2 ASIC



### **Our Developments**

- x-ray monitoring
- High speed sampler, compact RF amplifiers
- Test at the ATF2 facility
- Survived shaking











## Major Research Thrusts

- Belle II iTOP/KLM by 2014
- Disruptive technology: LAPPD (Detector dev center ANL)
- ANITA 3<sup>rd</sup> Flight approved → active R&D (ASICs, trigger...)
- New initiatives: ARA Test bed installed, year 2 & 3
- Next generation, high-speed image sensors
- Advanced x-ray detection for nanometer beam bunch size monitoring and next generation x-ray telescope
- Belle-II pixel vertex detector v2.0
- Highly integrated, column parallel CCD readout
- Low-power RF electronics for future massive detectors



