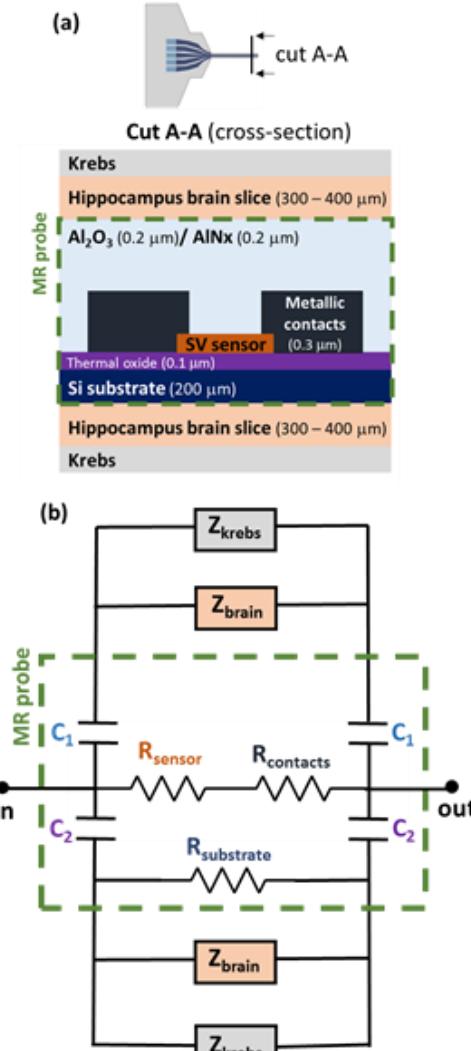
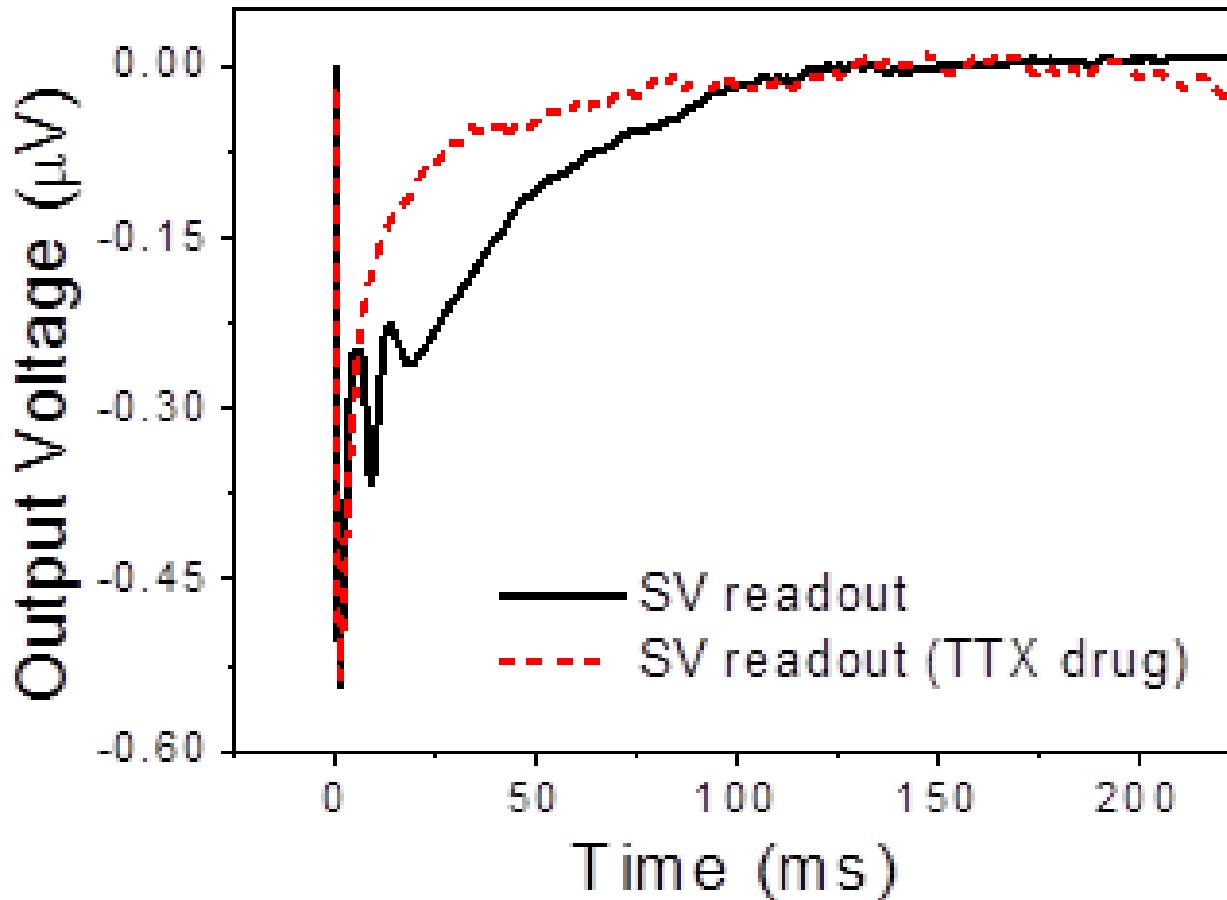
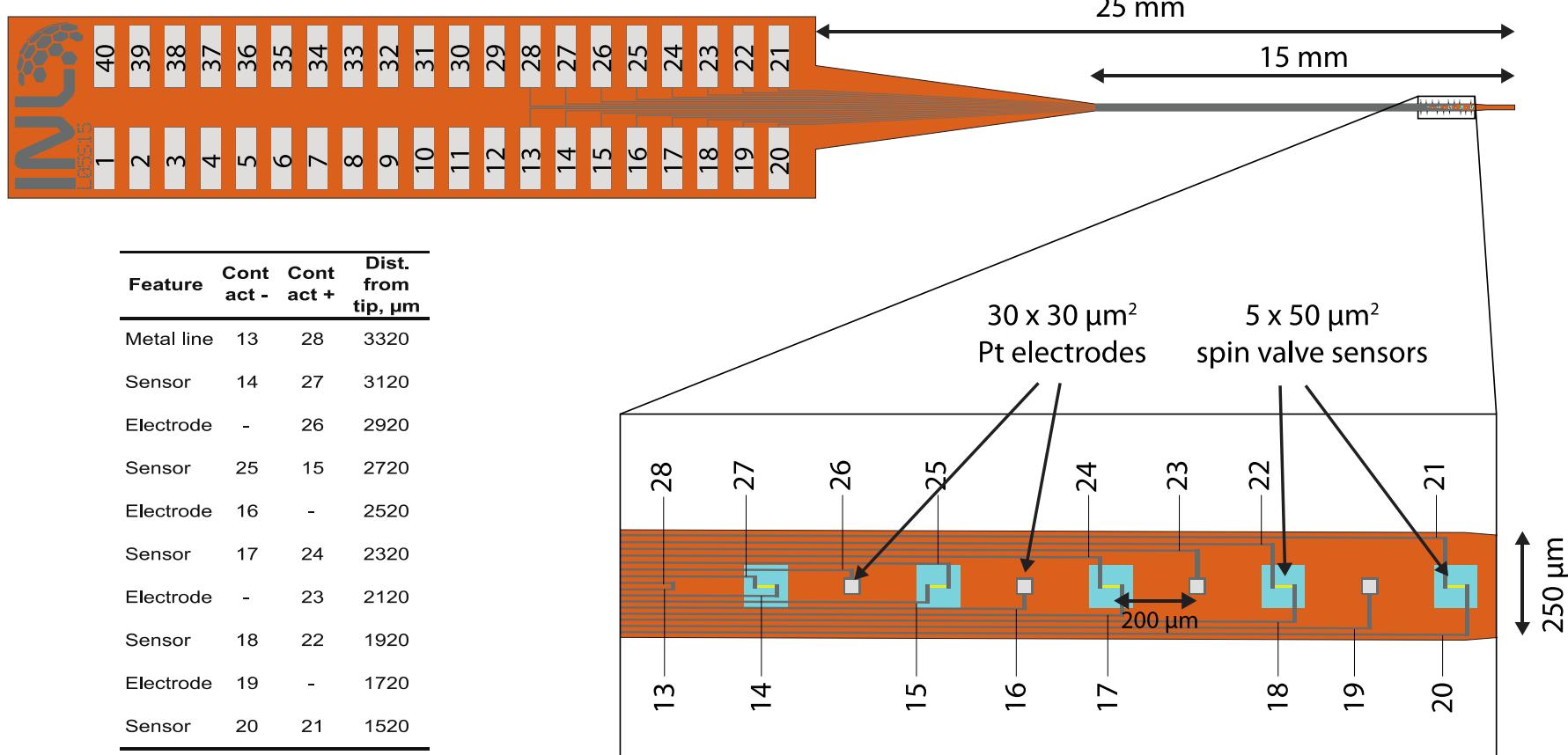


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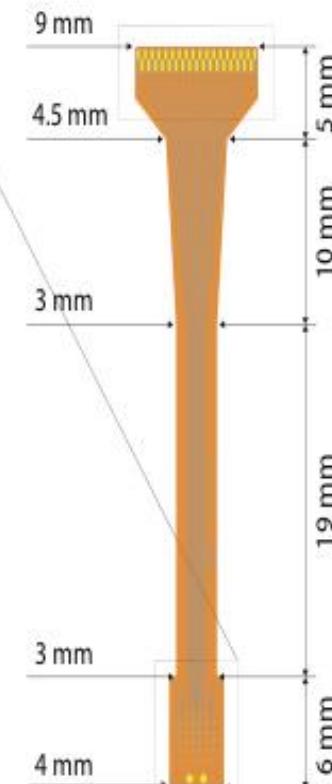
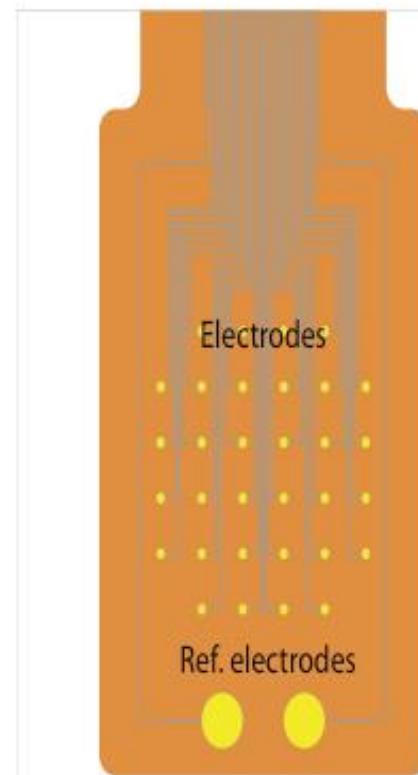
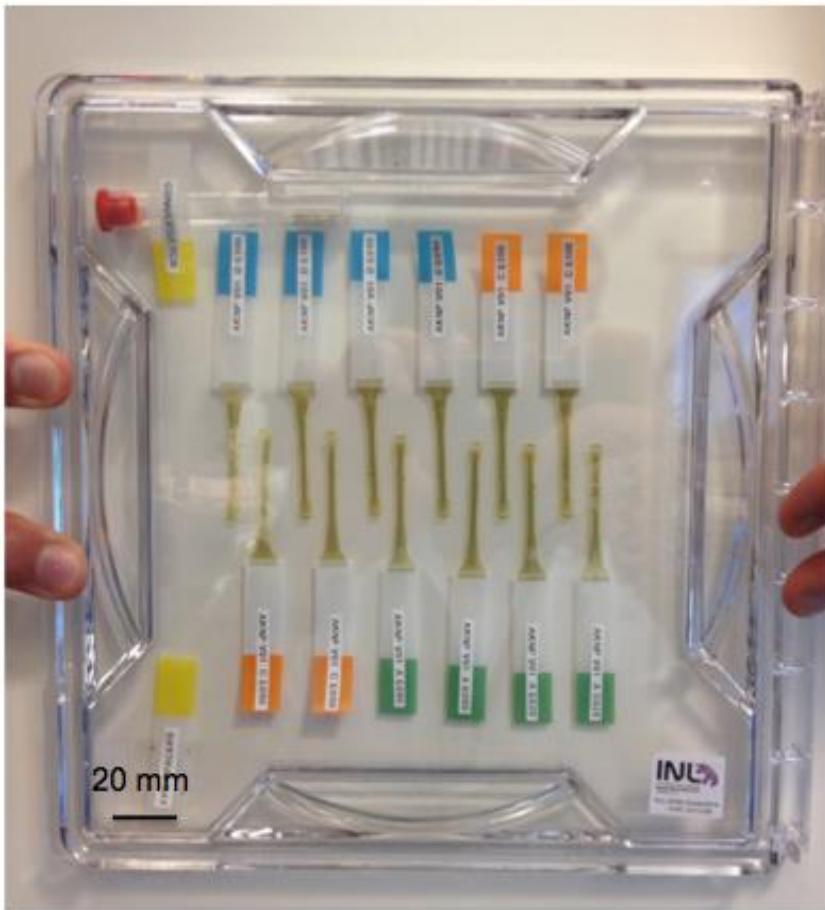


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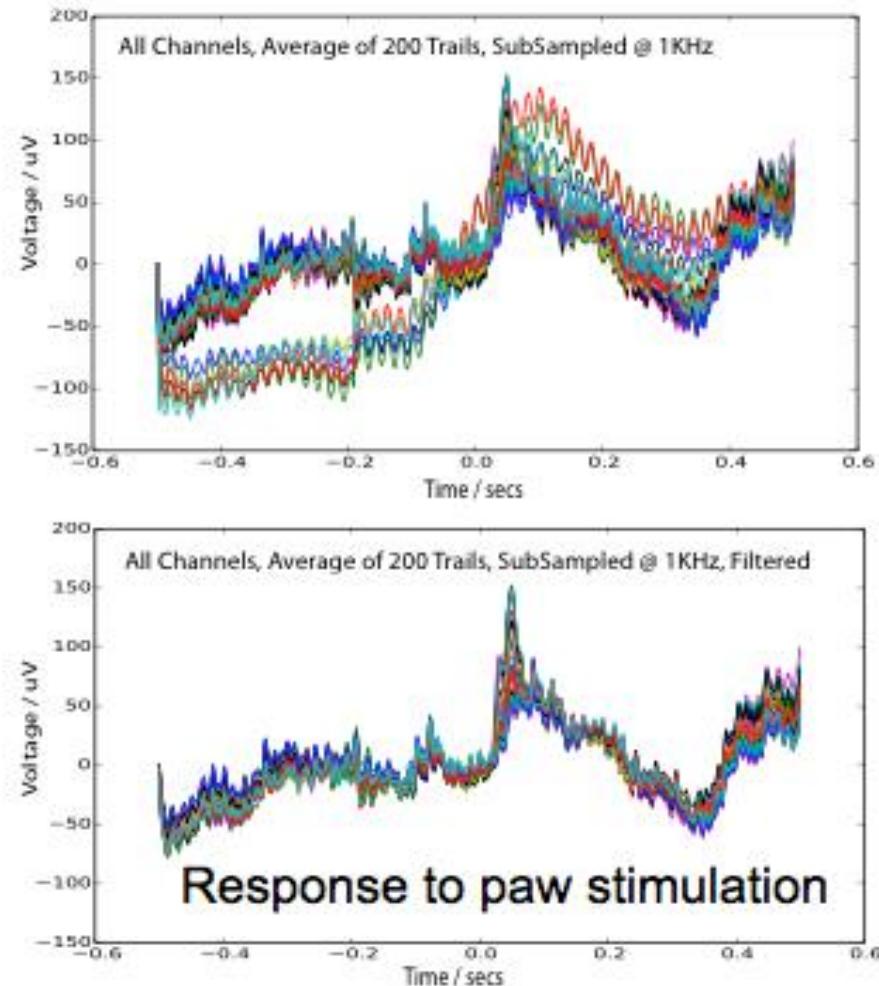
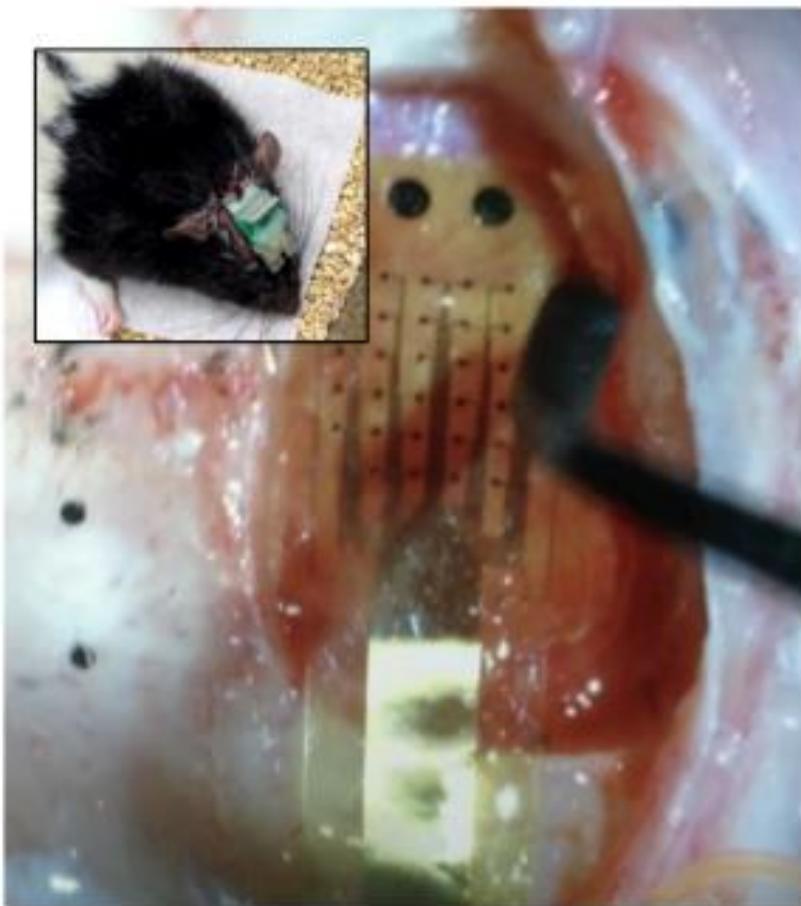
Pads size/pitch designed for Harwin 2-row, 40-way vertical connector



Flexible Grid Electrodes



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Collaboration with E Champalimaud

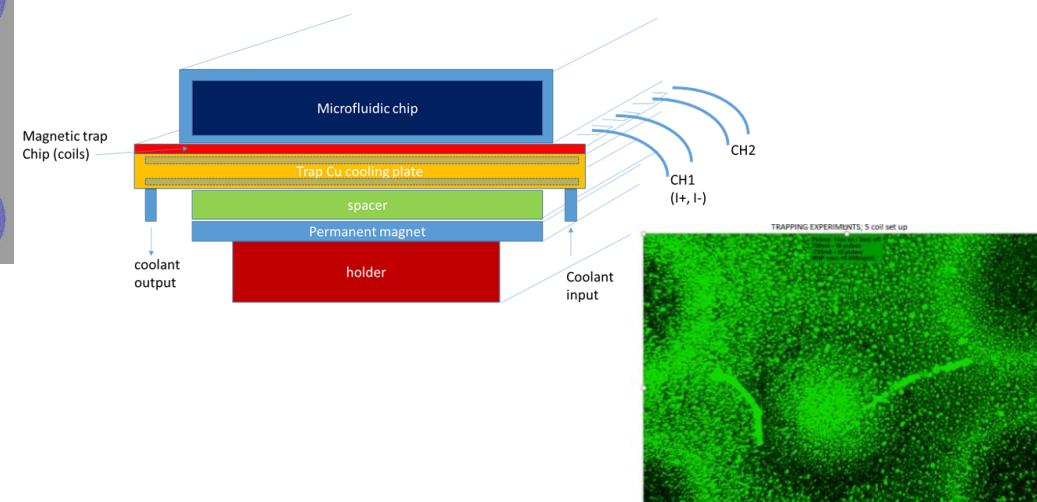
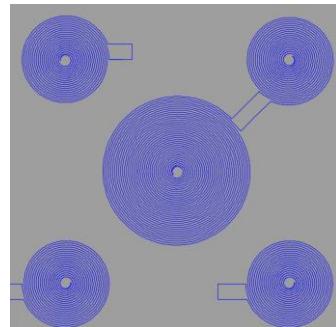
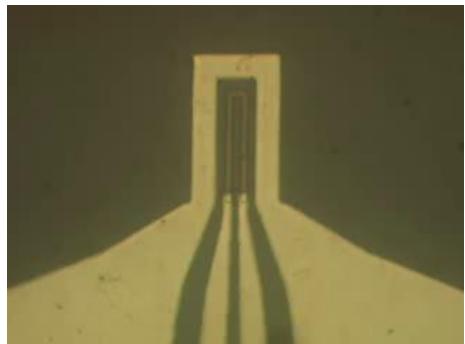
Fine-tuning the manipulation of magnetically labelled bio-analytes by thin film micro-electromagnet traps

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HOW DOES MAGNETIC TRAPPING WORKS

$$\mathbf{F} = \nabla (\mathbf{m} \cdot \mathbf{B})$$

Use two B sources: \mathbf{B}_1 , \mathbf{B}_2

One to create local B gradient (coil, line) \mathbf{B}_1 - large gradient

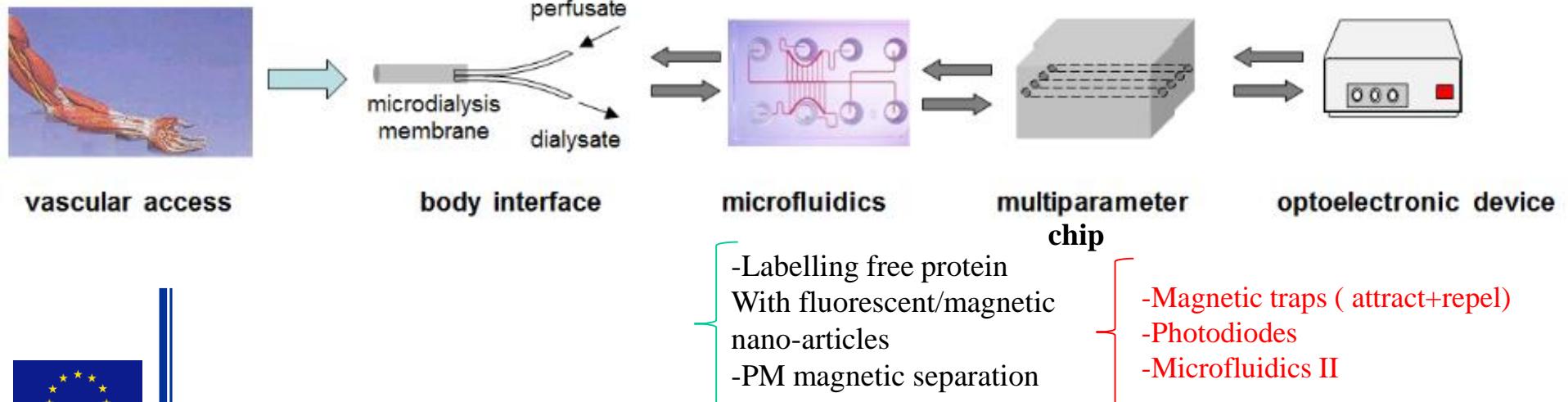
One to magnetize particles (if possible close to saturation) \mathbf{B}_2 - small gradient

$$\nabla \mathbf{B}_2 < \nabla \mathbf{B}_1$$

$$\mathbf{F} = \nabla [\mathbf{m} (\mathbf{B}_2) \cdot (\mathbf{B}_1 + \mathbf{B}_2)]$$

Immunosuppressant assay requirements

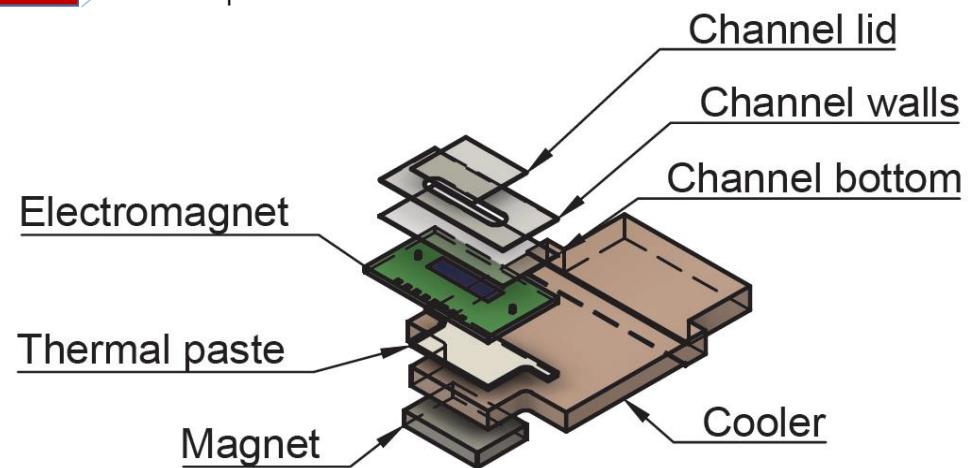
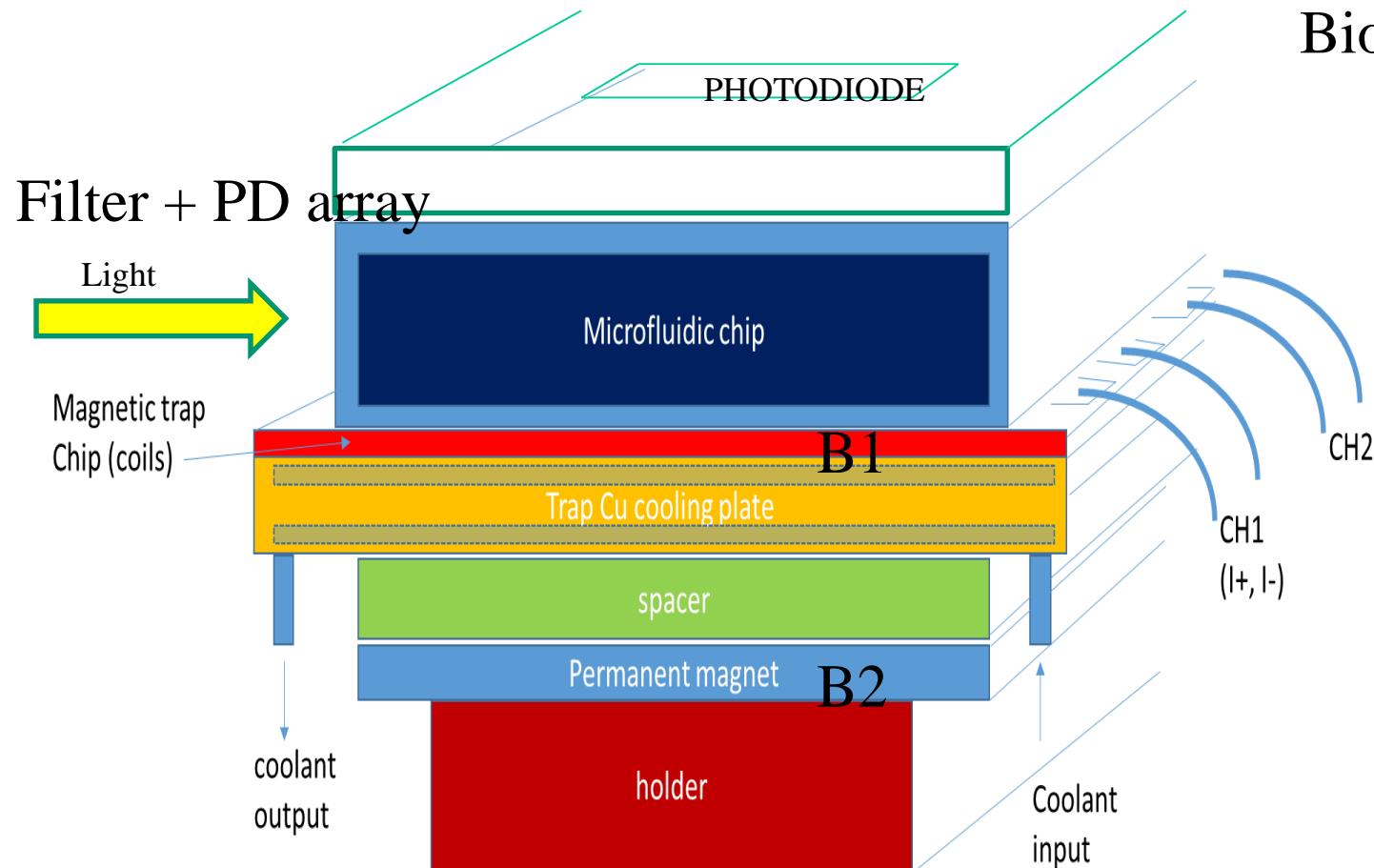
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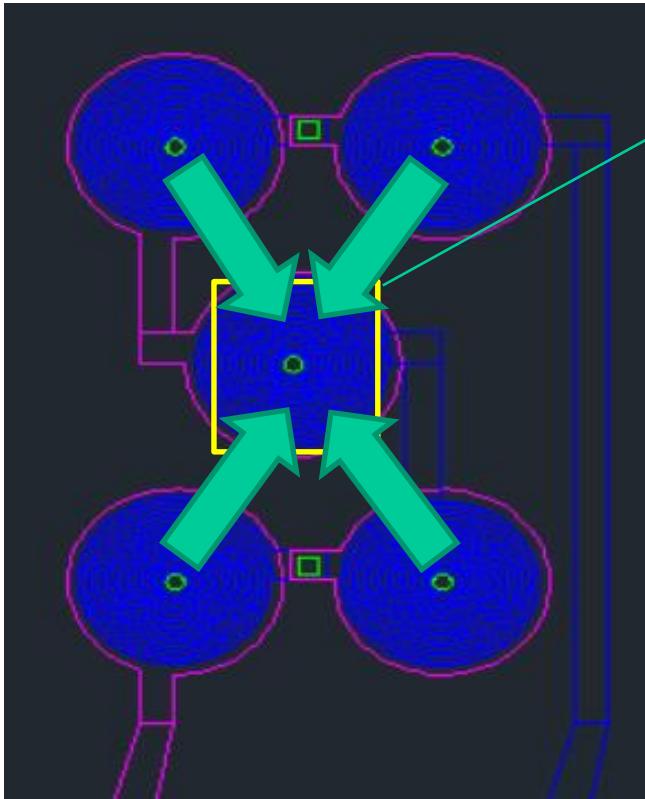
Biosensing Chip Lab



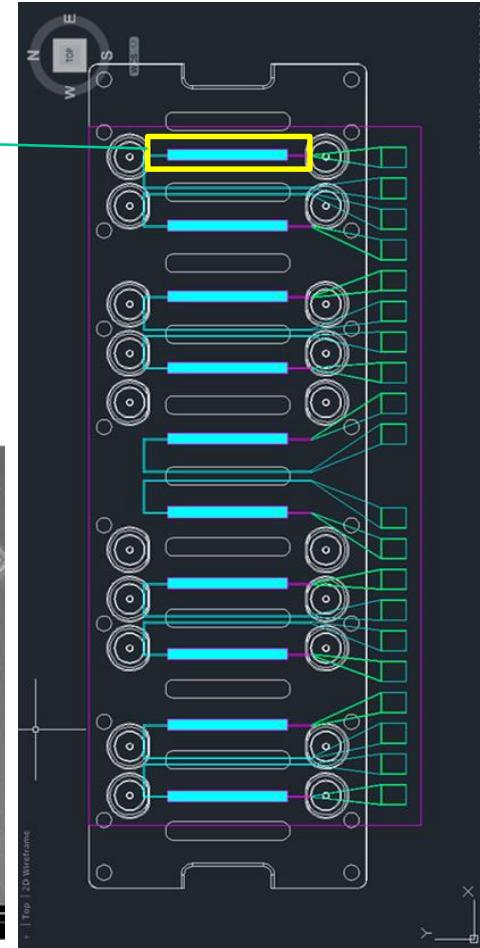
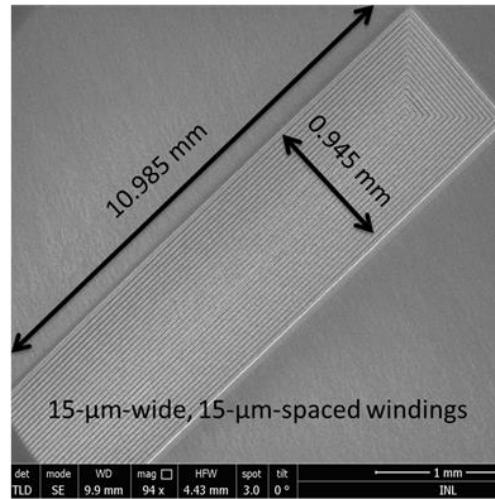
MAGNETIC TRAP GEOMETRY

Mag Trap in contact with microfluidic chip
10 channels, 1 photodiode per channel

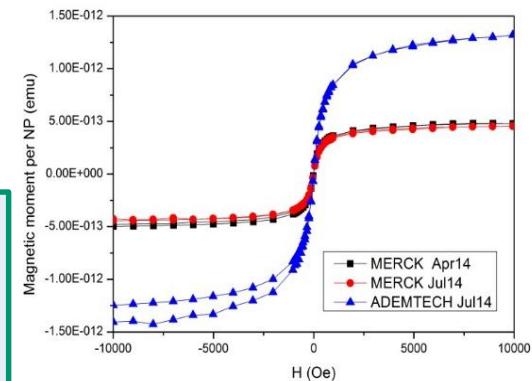
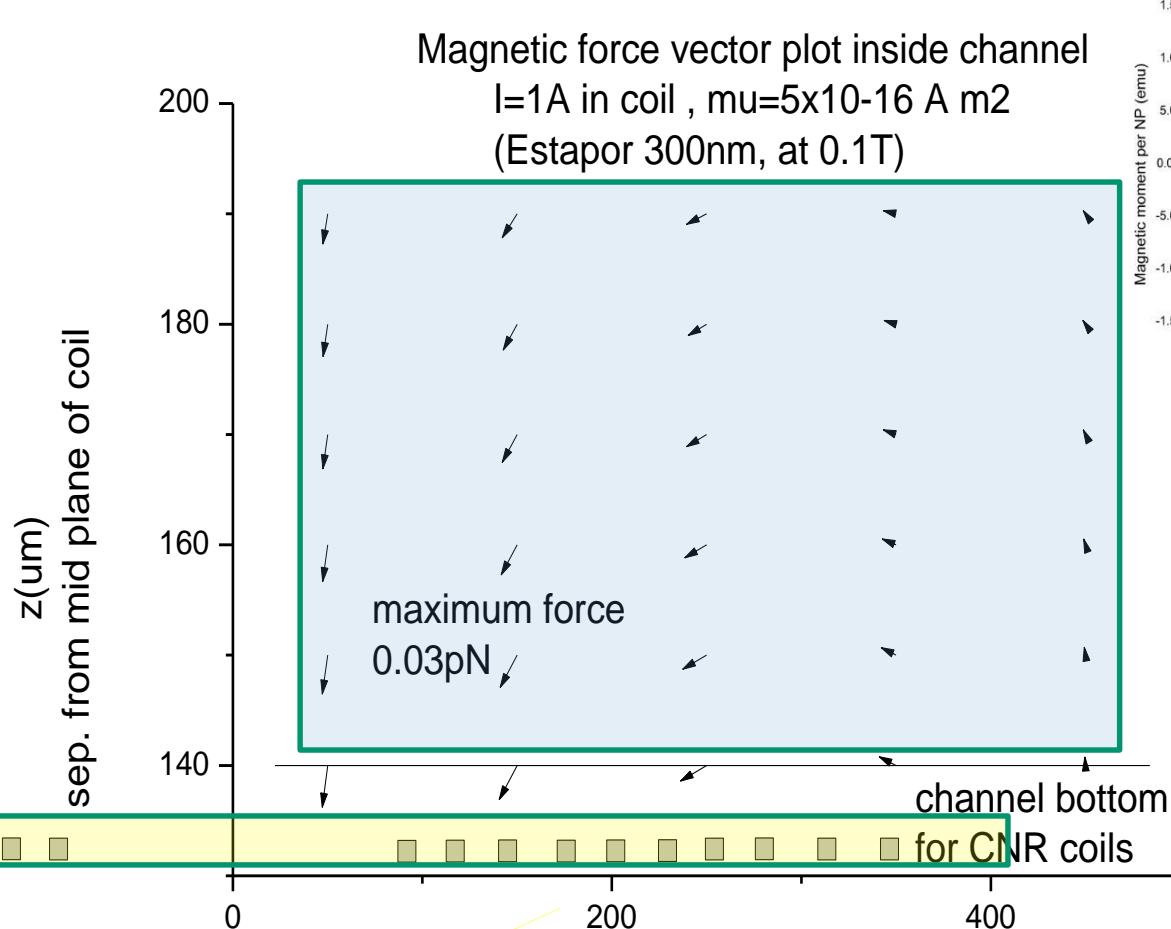
Mag Trap Chip in contact with fluid (inside microfluidic chamber)
1 photodiode centered over the central coil



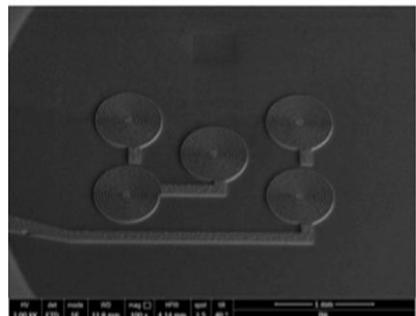
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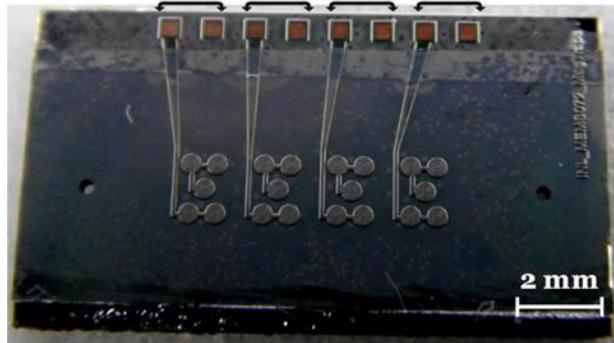
Calculting the magnetic force on the MNPs for circular coils



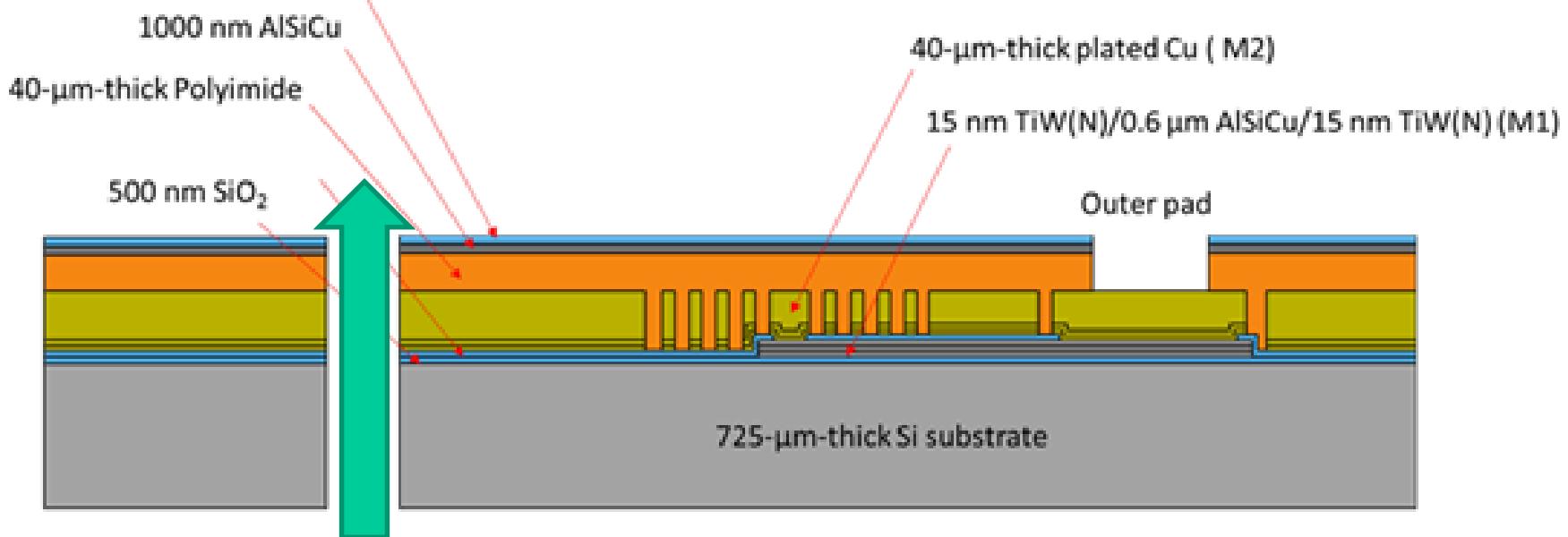
4th generation planaized Cu coils: Cu, Polyimide planarization



2000 nm SiO_2



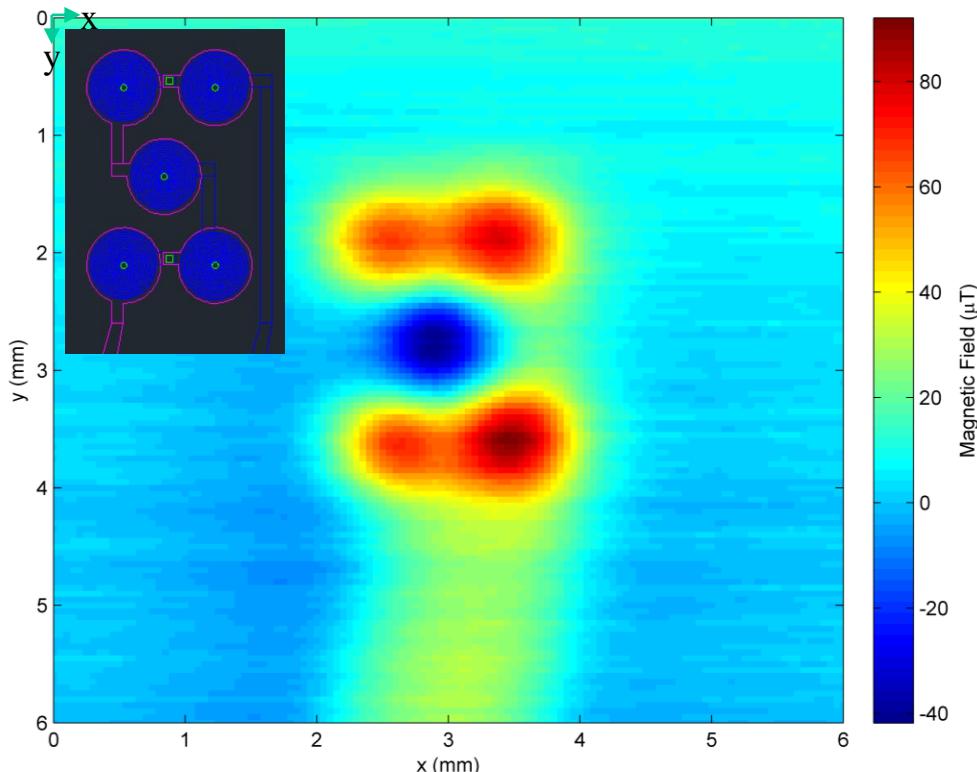
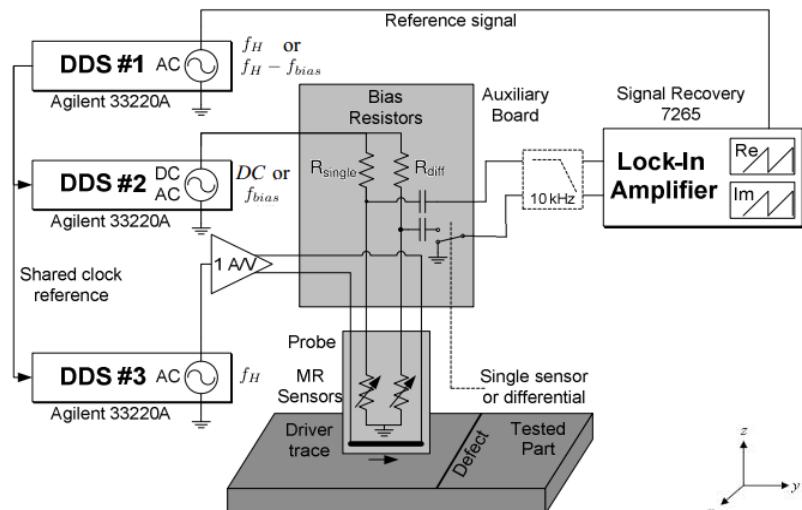
	III	Chip I Chip IV	Chip II	Chip
R1 (Ω)	7.7	8.3	8.4	
	7.8			
R2 (Ω)	8.3	8.8	8.3	
	7.8			
R3 (Ω)	8.4	8.7	7.1	
	7.7			
R4 (Ω)	8.1	8.5	7.1	
	7.3			



Fluid input through Si via

Coil Parameters:

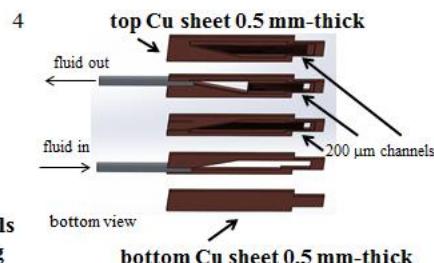
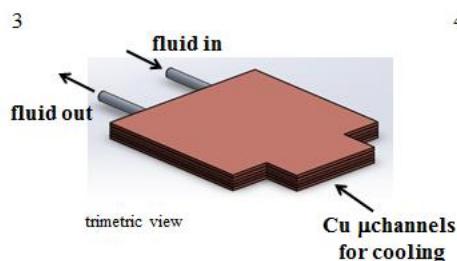
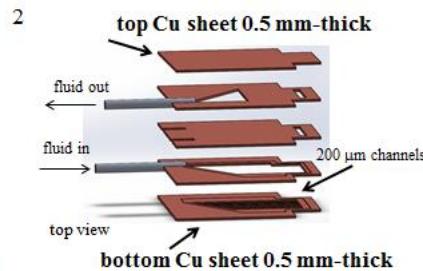
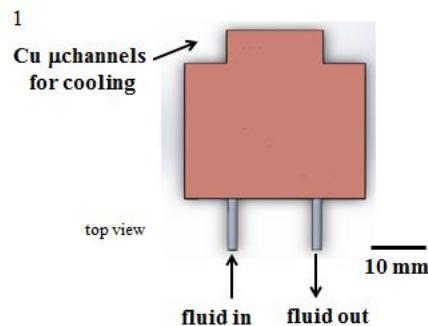
- $I_{bias}^{DC} = 100$ mA
- $h = 280\mu m$



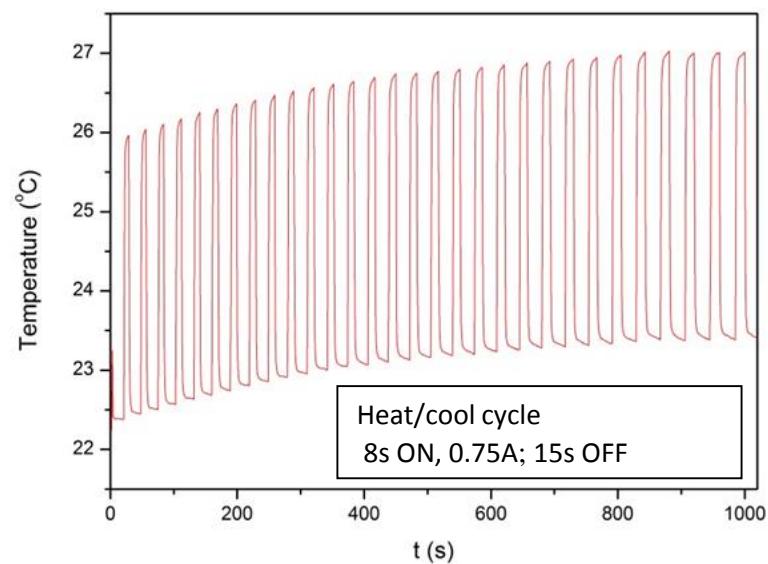
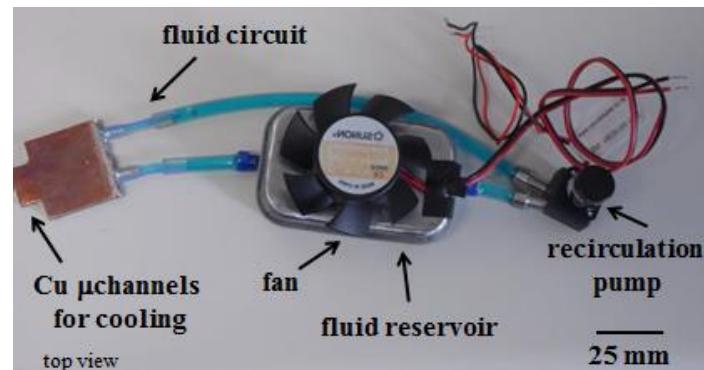
Cu cooling block - HOMOGENEOUS μCONCENTRATOR

5 COPPER SHEETS 0.5 MM - THICK

Coolant enters from the bottom and leaves from the top

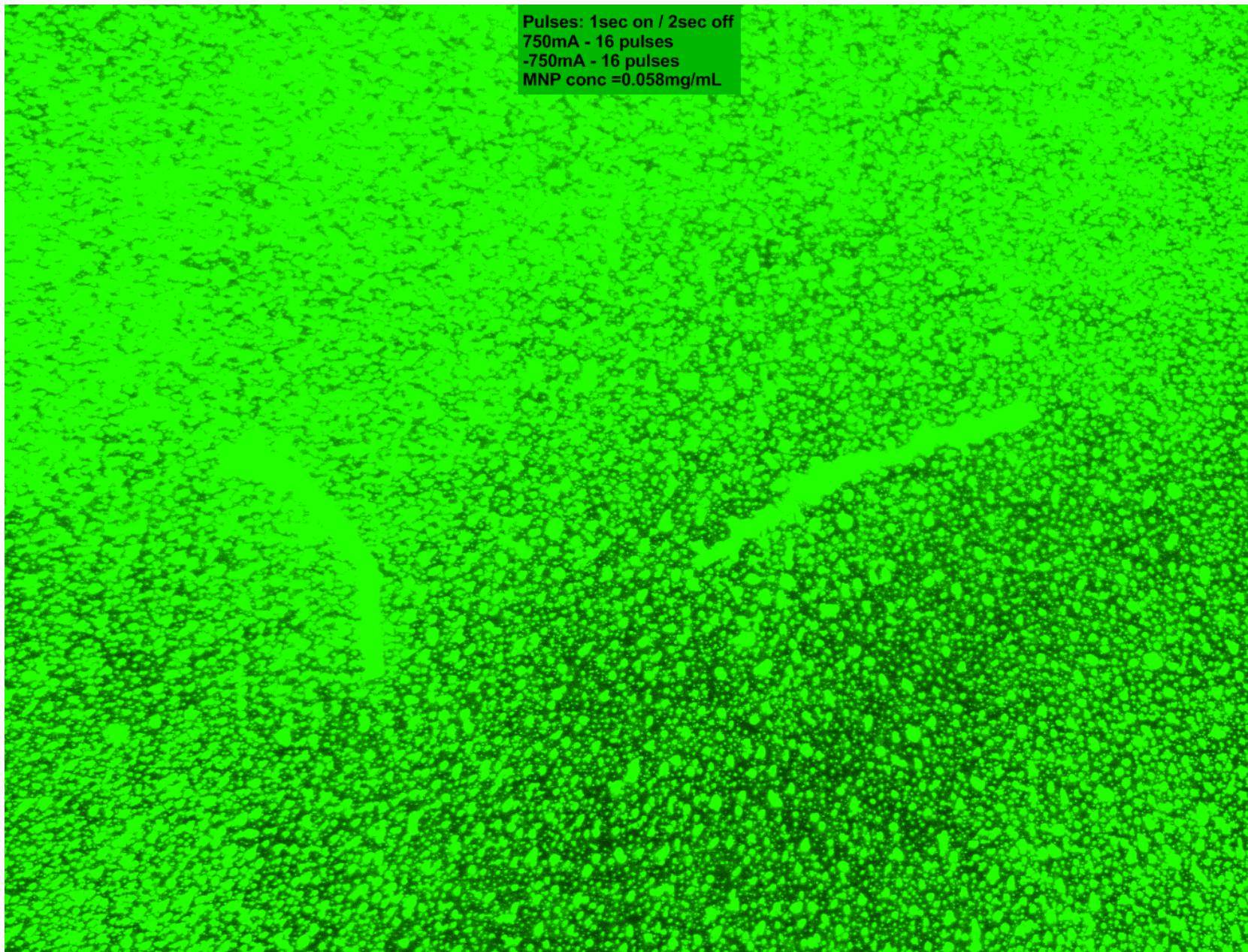


Cooling power 1W at 23C

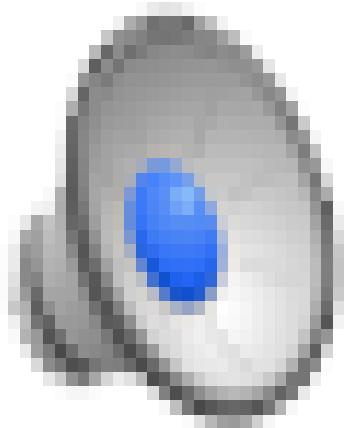


TRAPPING EXPERIMENTS; 5 coil set up

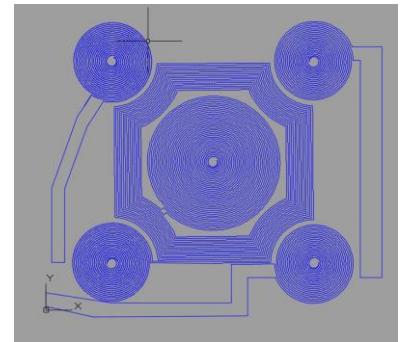
Pulses: 1sec on / 2sec off
750mA - 16 pulses
-750mA - 16 pulses
MNP conc =0.058mg/mL



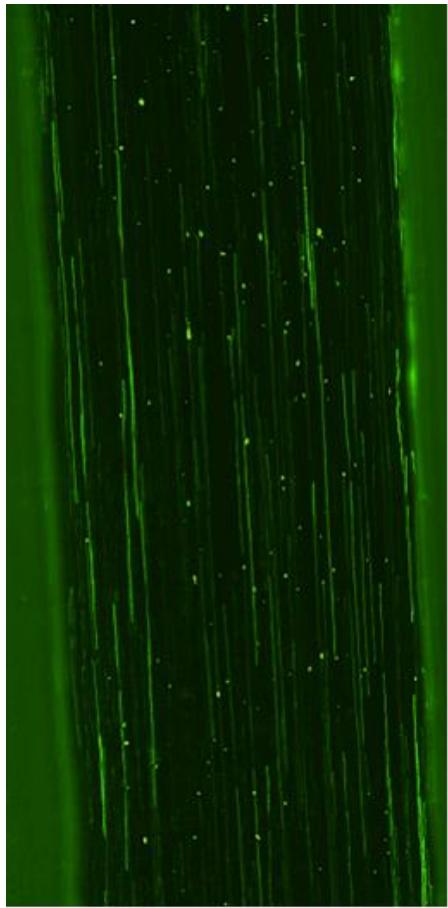
Enlarging central coil



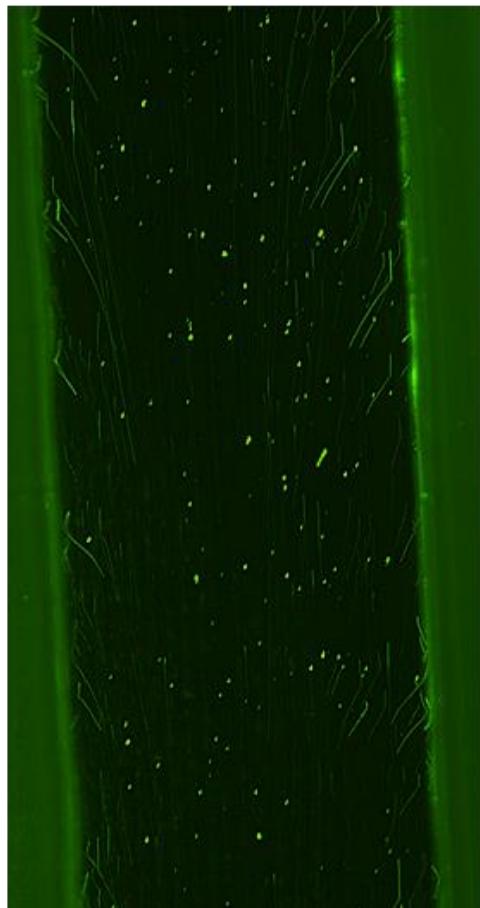
Green: fluorescent particles
Red: location of electromagnet tracks



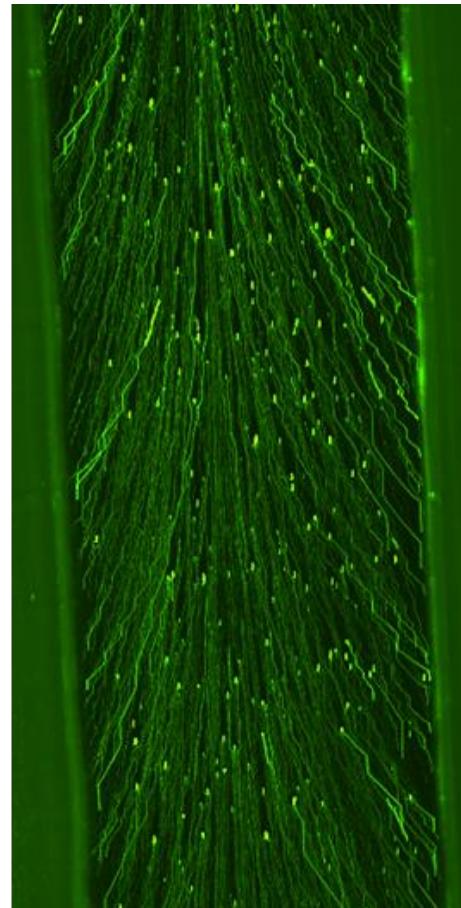
4x speed up
On video:
9x repelling cycles
20x attracting
cycles
Each:
2s on, 4s off at
0.5A)
Resistance ~ 6
Ohms
Channel section:
100um*2.5mm
Channel to chip:
100um
Channel to magnet:
9mm



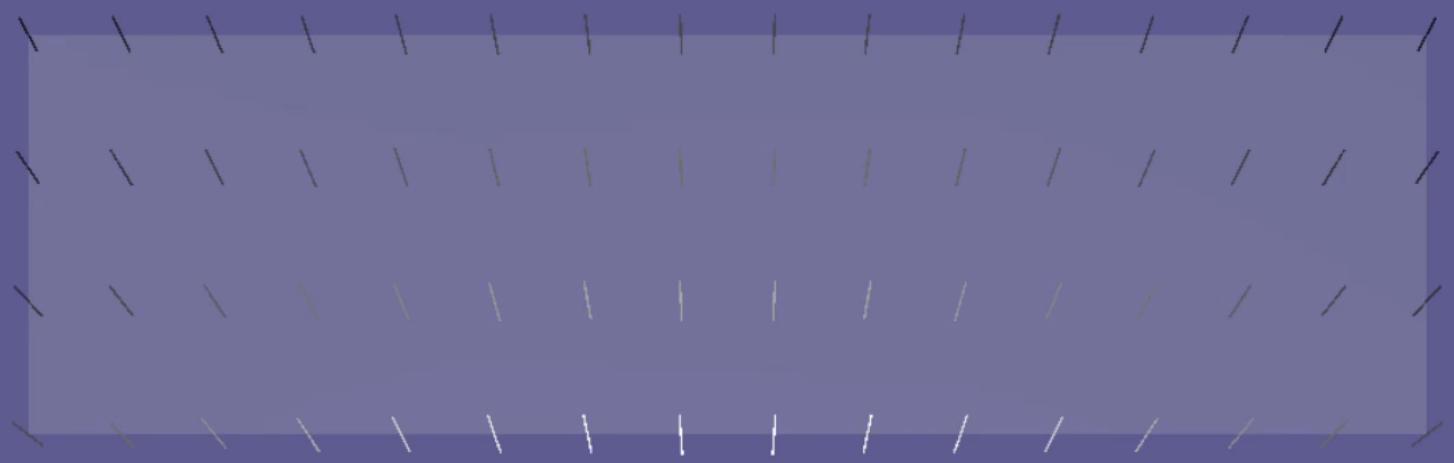
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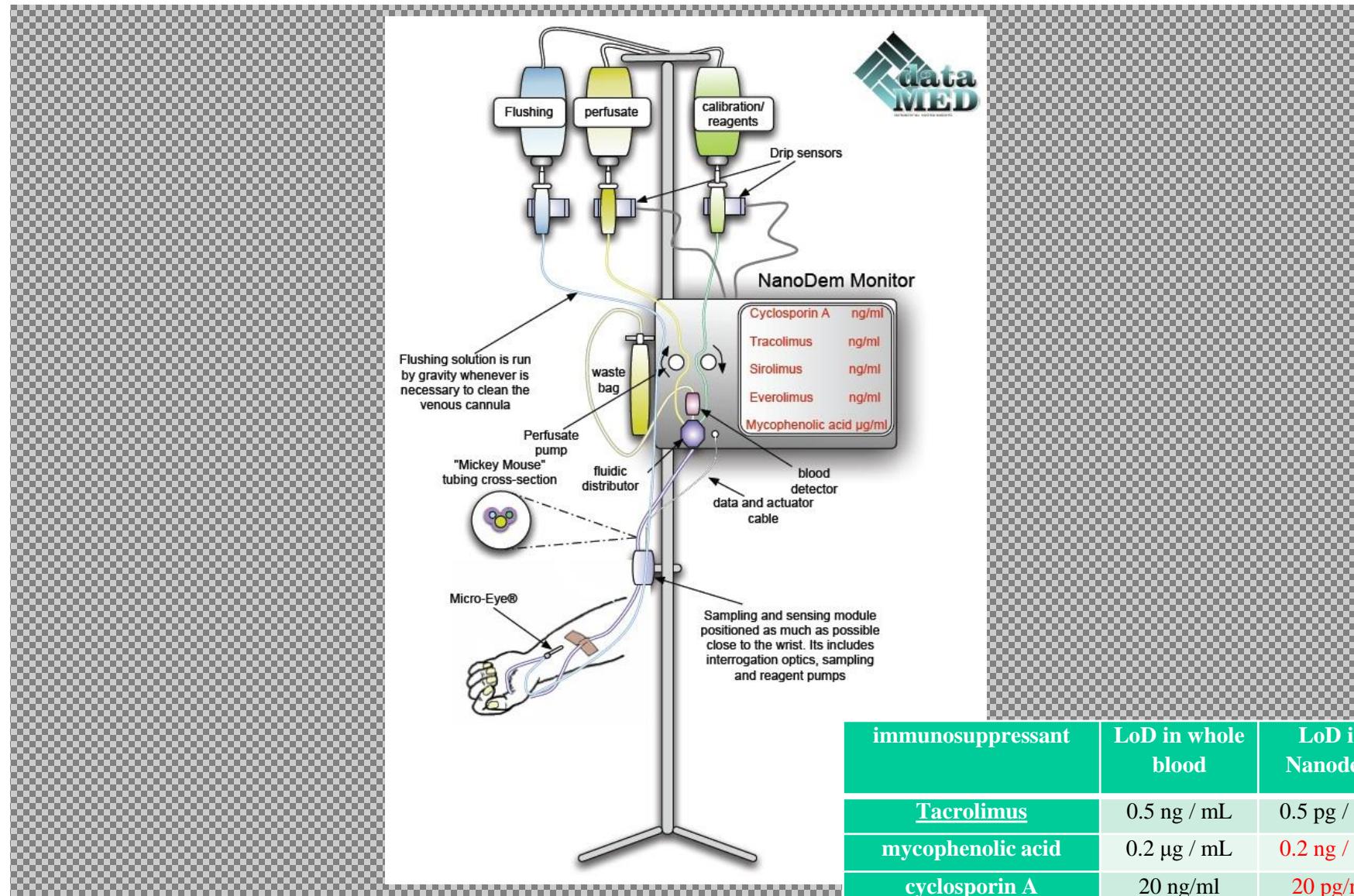
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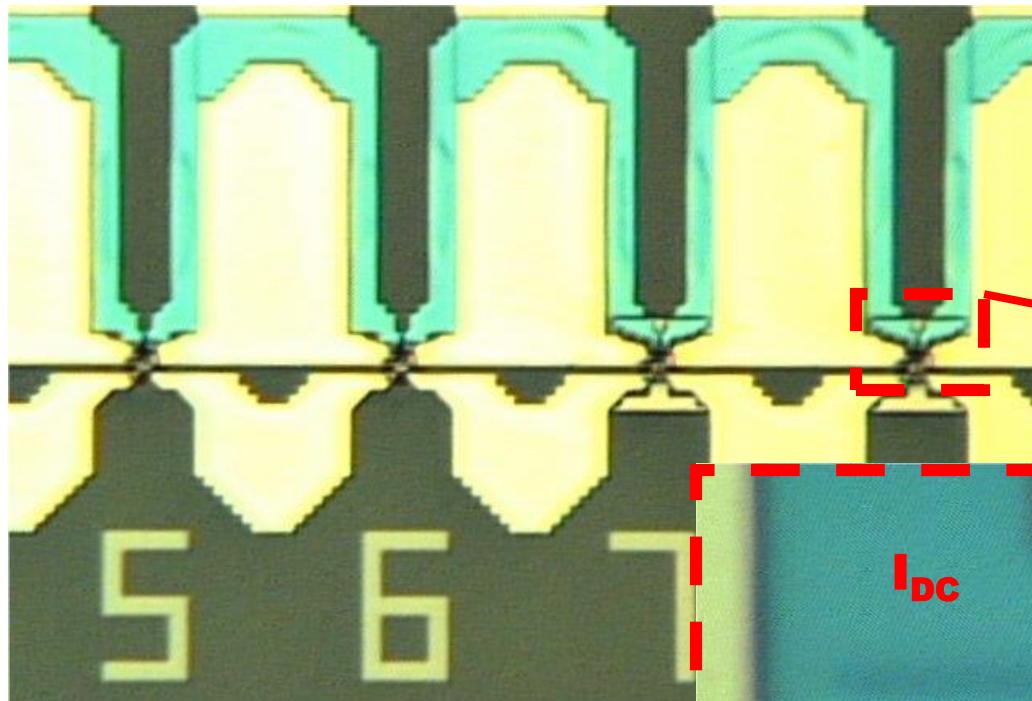


PRE CLINICAL TESTS LAST 6 MONTHS Of PROJECT

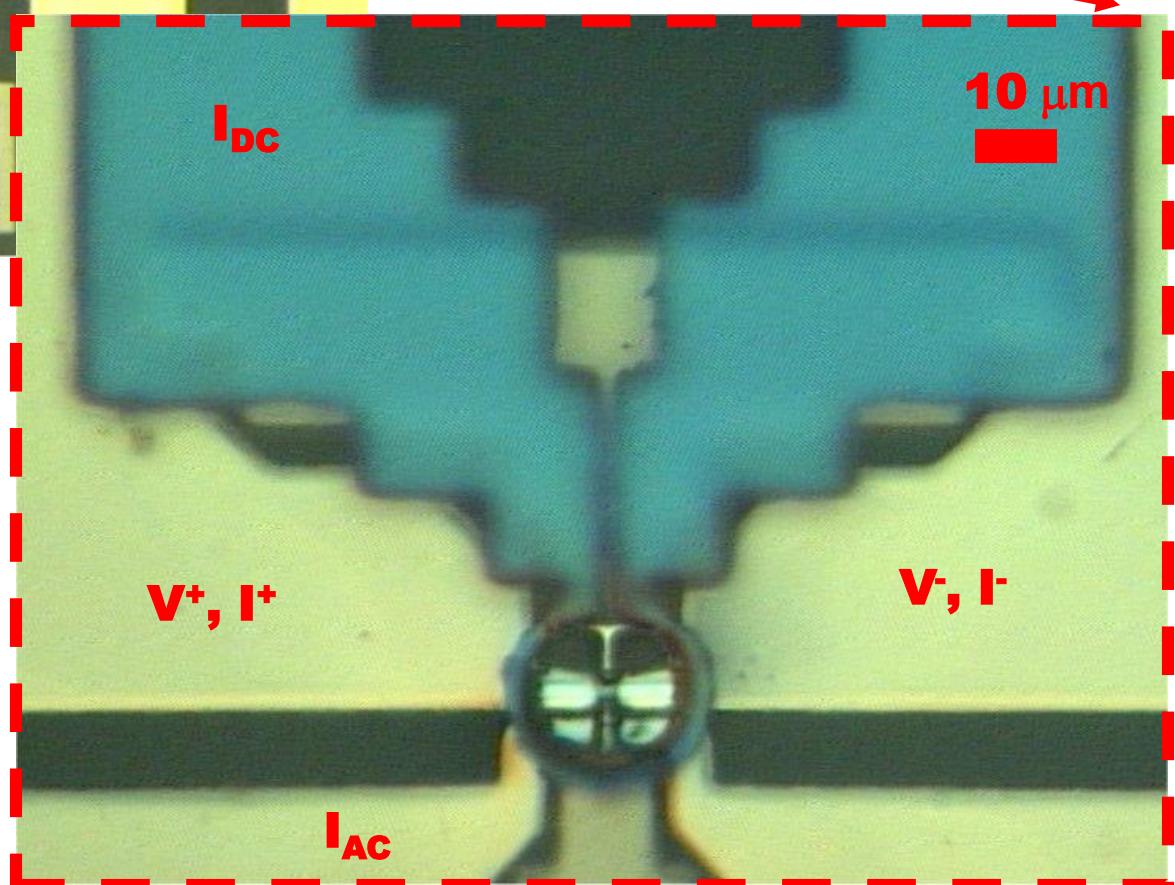
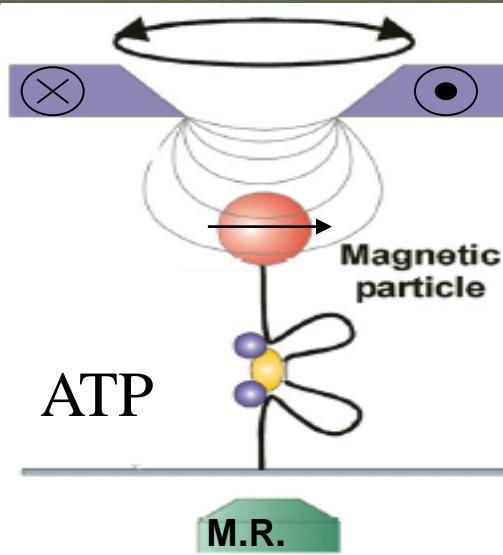


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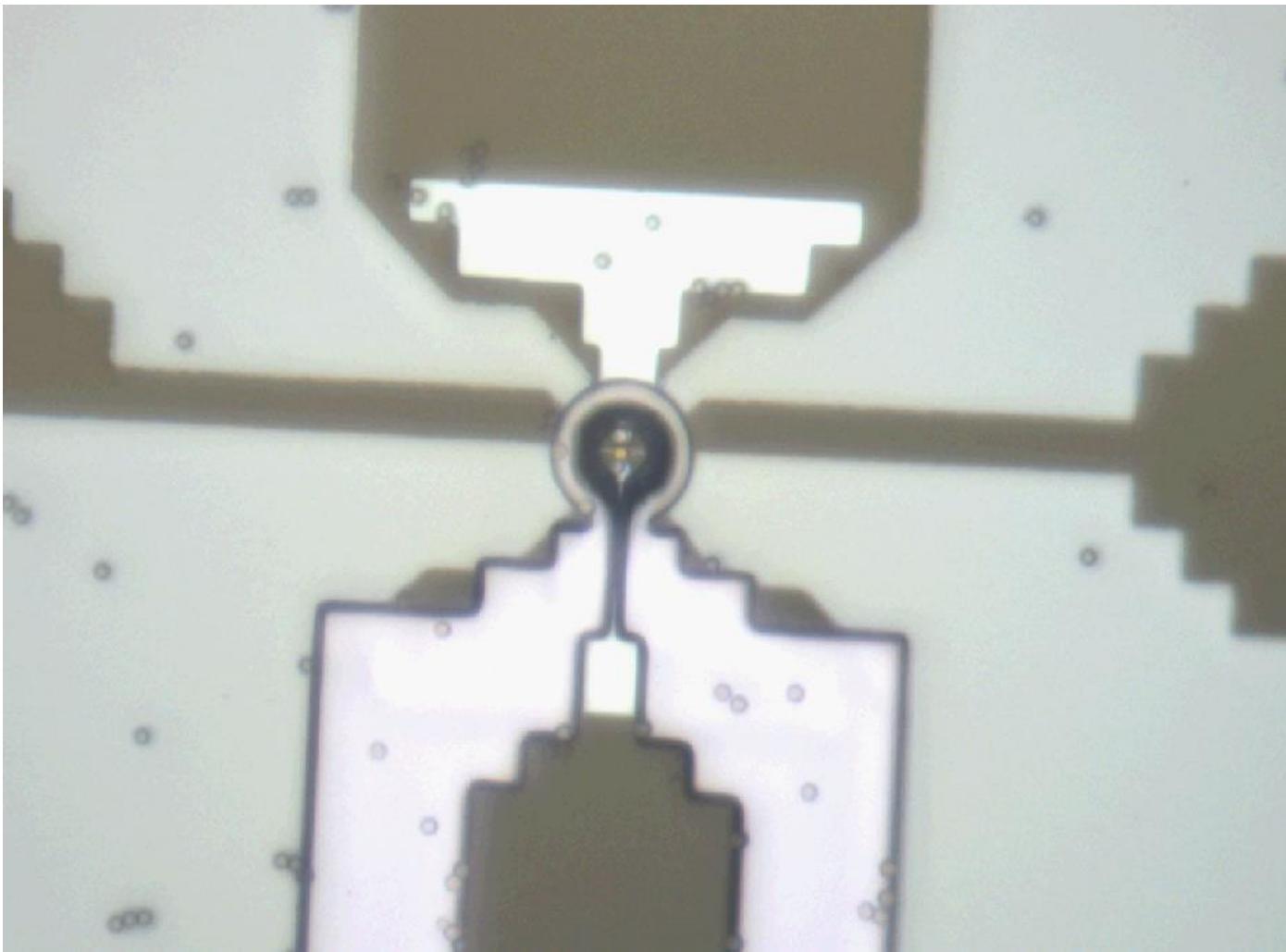
Magnetic Tweezer, DNA manipulation, DNA translocation



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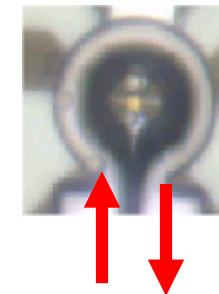


Optical μScope – Vertical Switch



I_{MT}

0 mA



45 mA



Achieved:
60nm resolution

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