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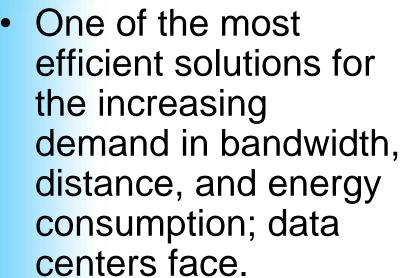
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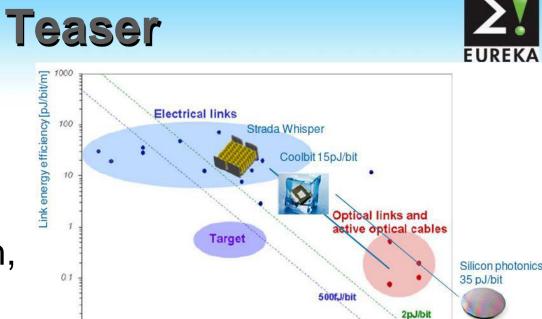
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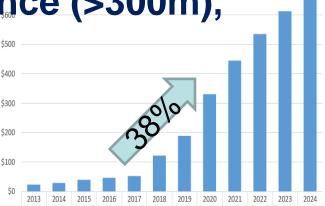
The lowest power Ge laser on Si photonics provides; single mode optics, longer distance (>300m), highest data rates (100Gbps).

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 Si photonics markets will grow very fast; 38% in CAGR.



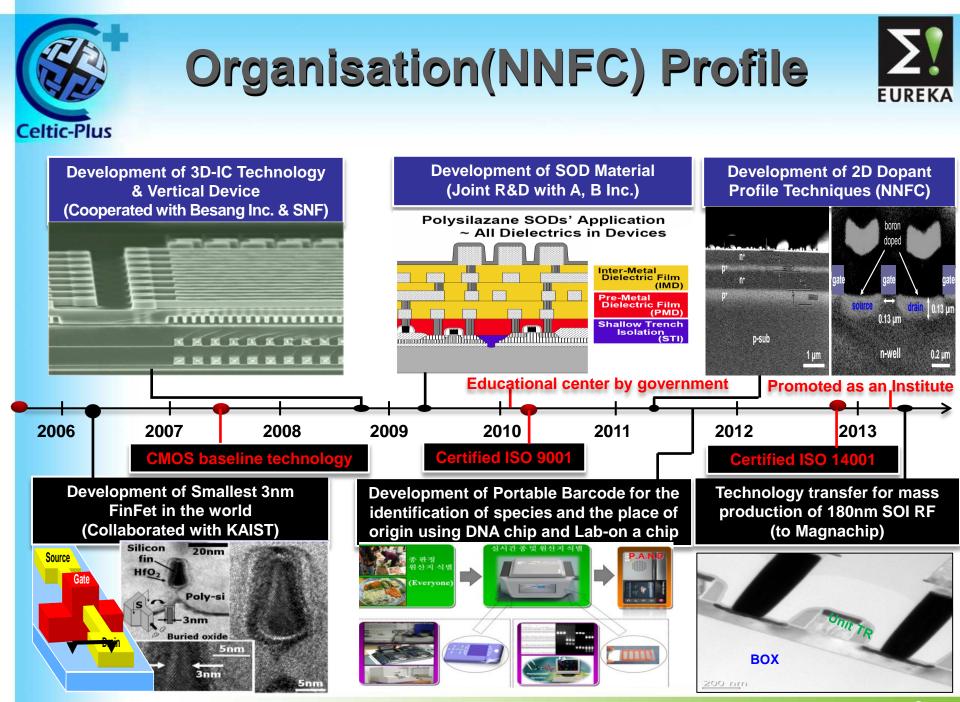
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SiPh Total Market (US\$M)



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## **Proposal Introduction (1)**



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- -. Vision: Smartly connected world between multiple big data with low power processing
- -. **Motivation**: Si technology evolves to higher value systems, through monolithic integration of electronics & photonics together into one platform .
- -. Content: to realize
  - Defect free high doping
  - Optimum confinement of electrons & holes
  - State-of-the art Ge epitaxy on Si



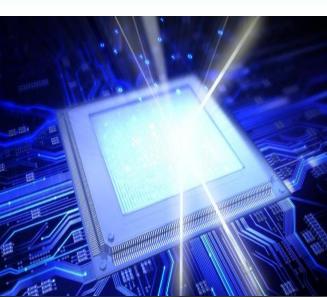
Platform Flexibility > Higher Density > Higher Utilization

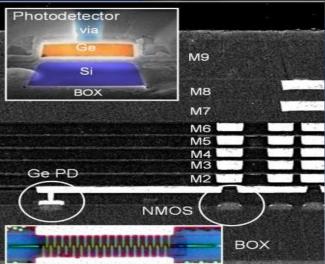
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# **Proposal Introduction (2)**



- Expected outcome:
- Monolithically integrated Ge on Si laser operating at room temperature with 1/100 low threshold power providing an energy efficient processing of big data from the connectivity of IoT
- Impacts:
- -. Higher optical functions
- -. Architecture change in data center
- -. cost/operation cut
- Schedule:
- 1/10 current threshold power @2018
  1/50 current threshold power @2019

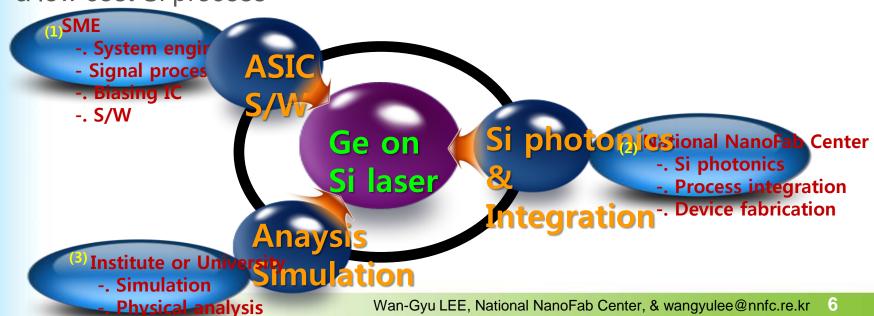




### Partners



- NNFC has been looking for research and business partners who will collaborate in convergence technology of Ge epitaxy on Si photonics & Si electronics, as well as R & D prototype & production technology, IPR sharing, joint venture or venture companies.
  - ; system engineering that adopt Si photonics allowing much faster digital signaling than is currently possible with optical interconnection
  - ; manufacturer who wants to adopt monolithic opto-electronic devices in a low cost Si process





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