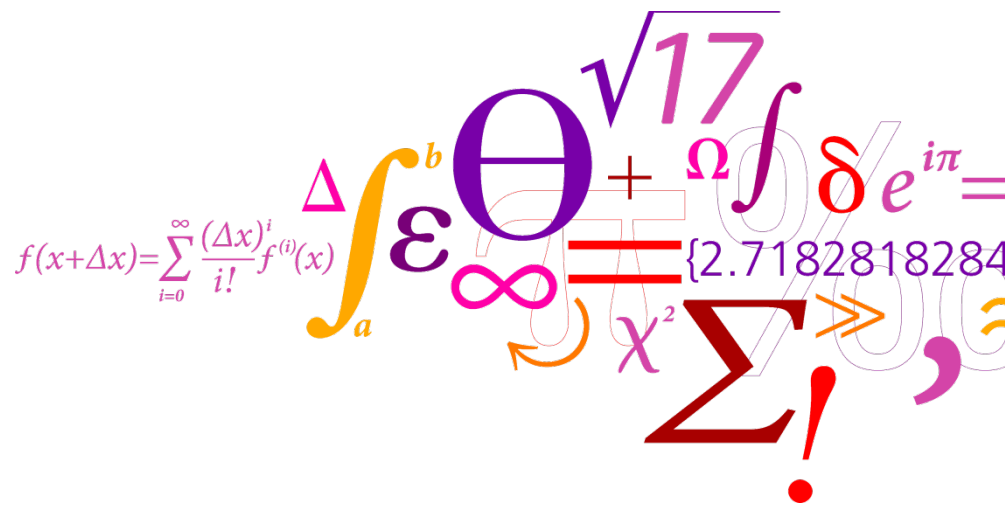


Integrated graphene plasmonic waveguide modulators

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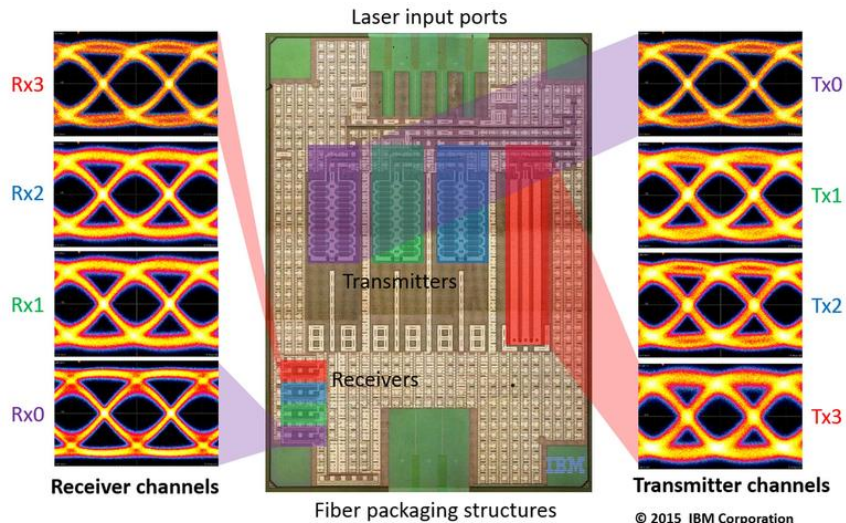
Optical interconnects: large bandwidth and low power consumption

Challenges (electrical interconnects on chip):

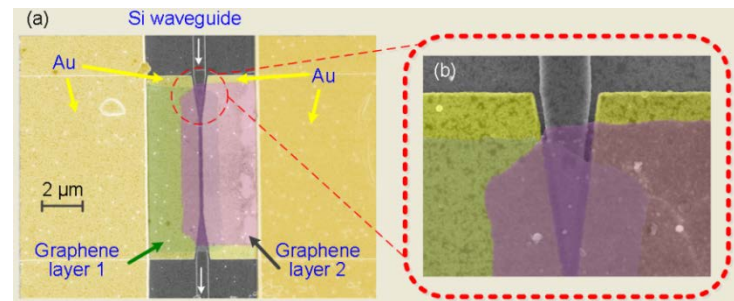
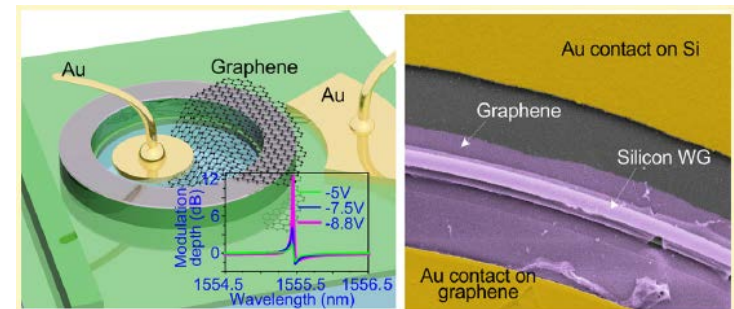
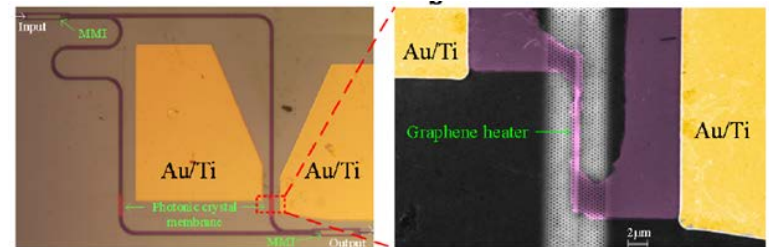
responsible for 50% of the power consumption.

insufficient bandwidth

Silicon Photonics

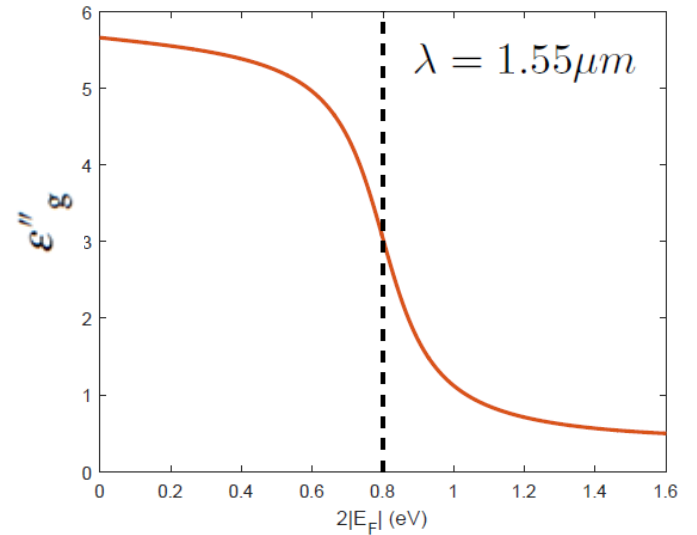
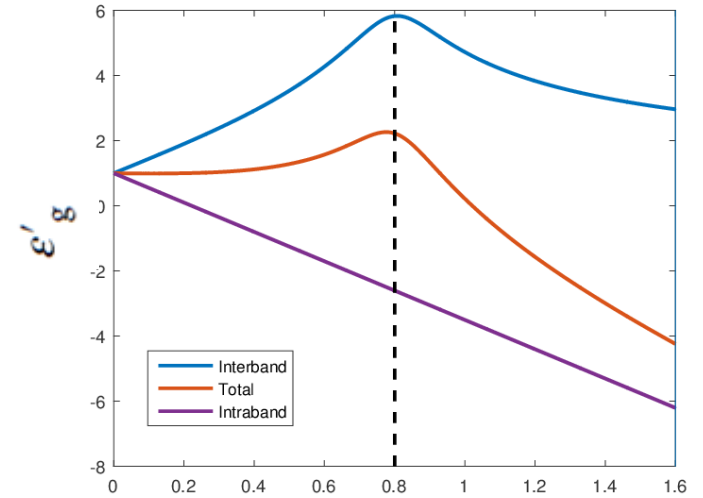
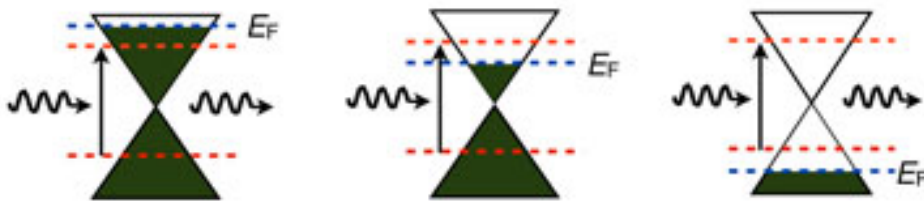
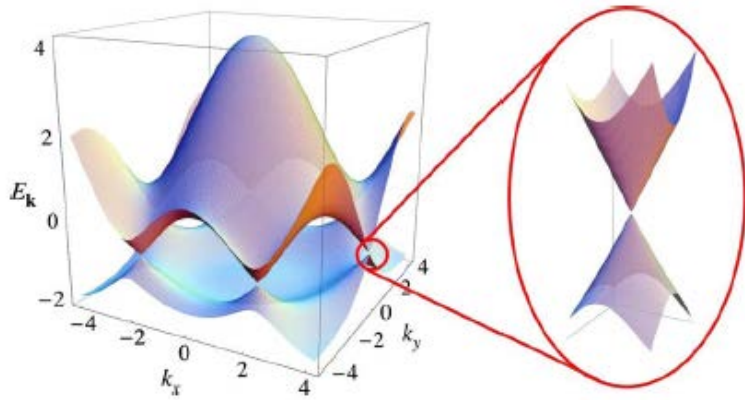


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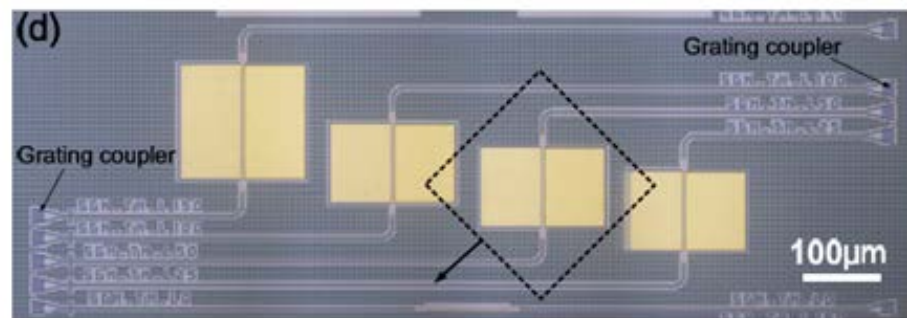
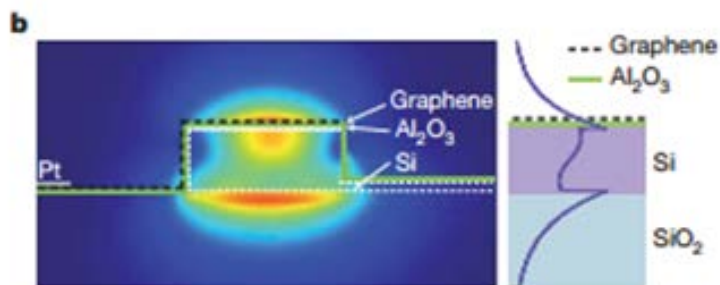
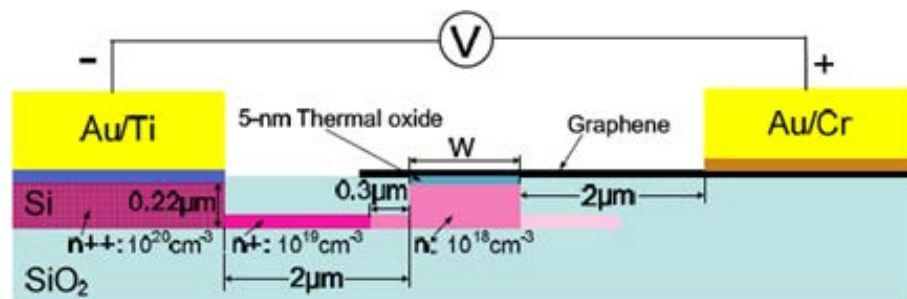
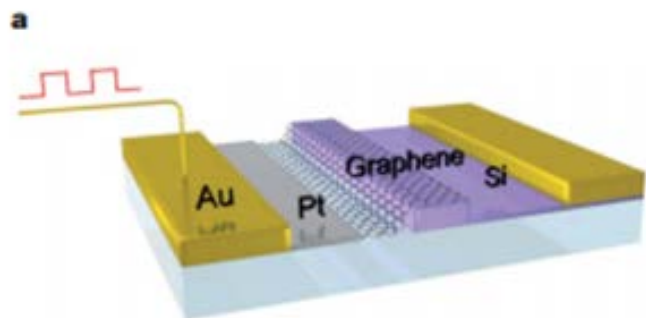


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Optical properties of graphene – tunable



Graphene silicon waveguide electro-optic modulations



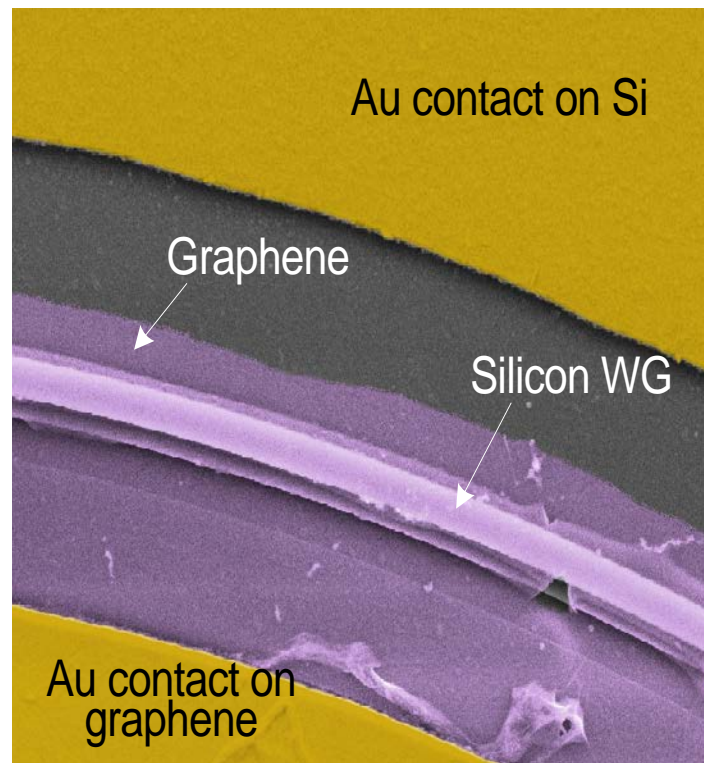
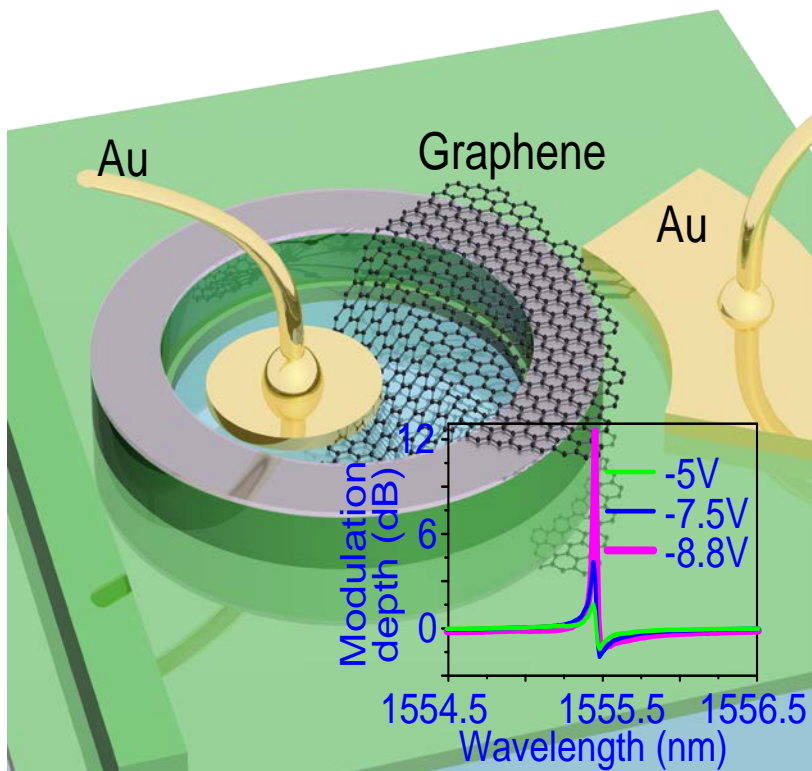
1GHz, broad operations spectrum, tunability 0.09dB/um

10GHz, broad operations spectrum

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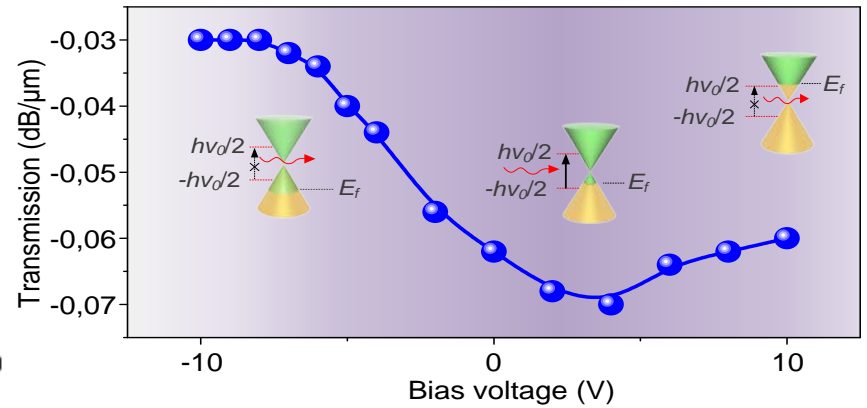
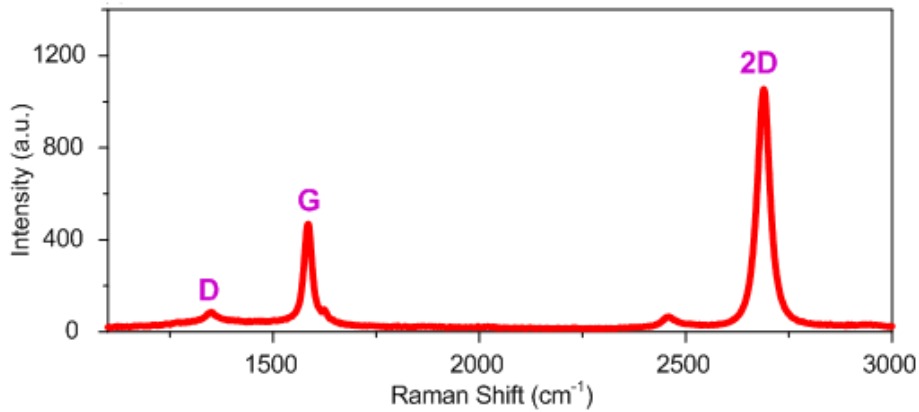
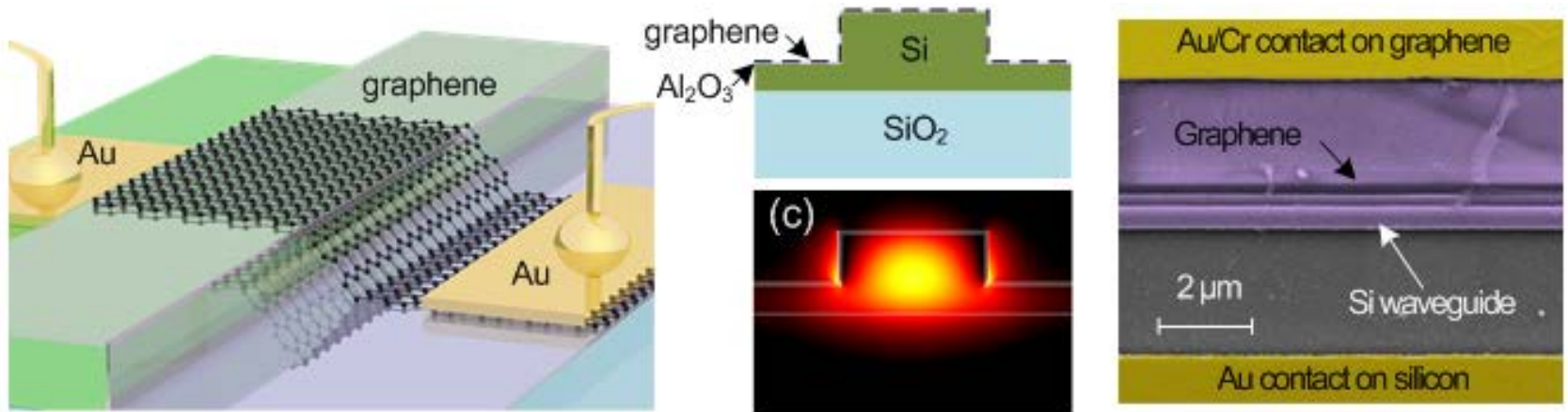
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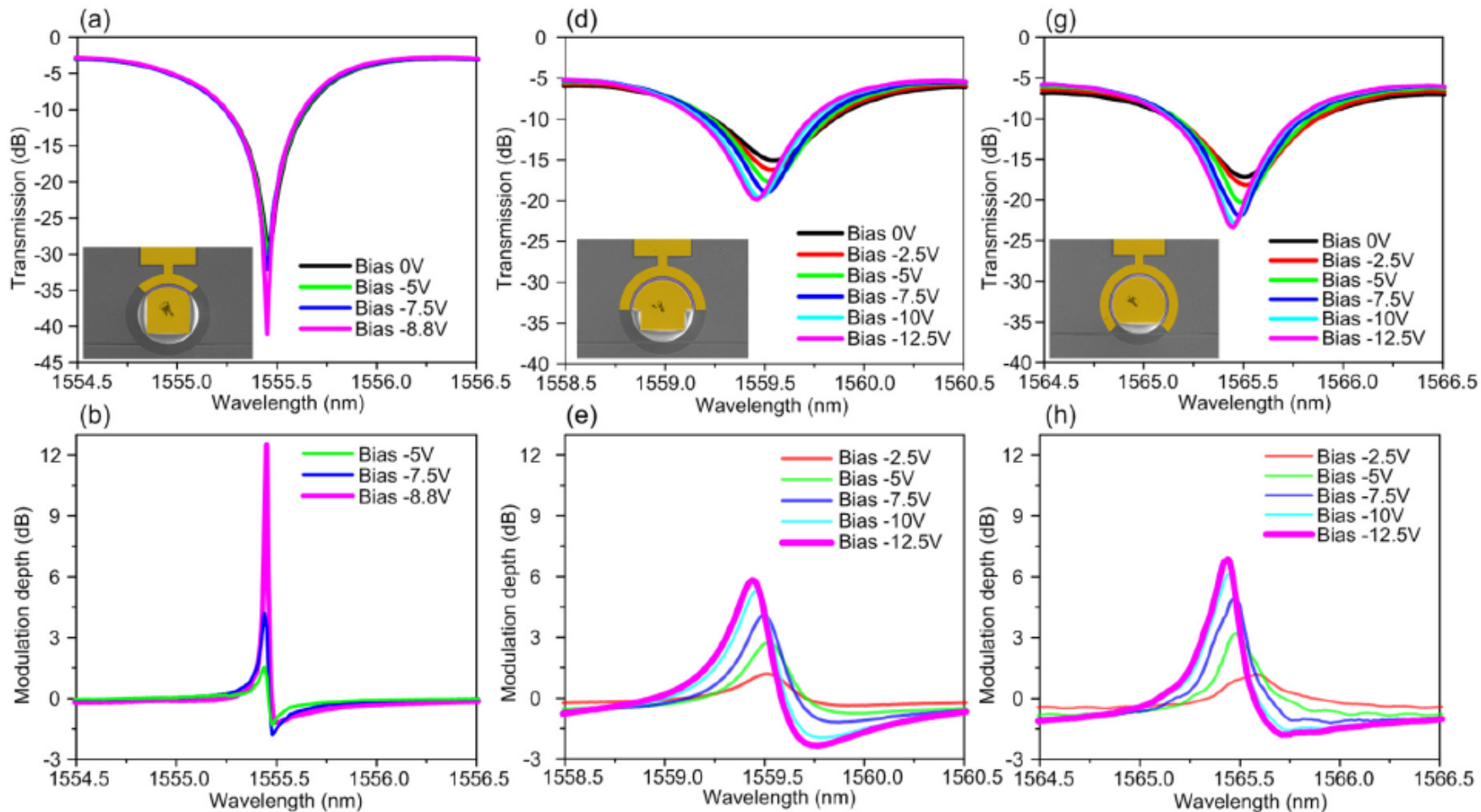


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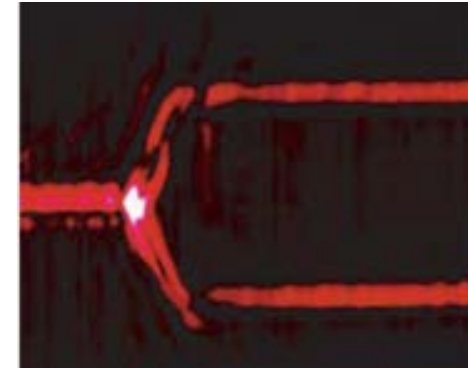
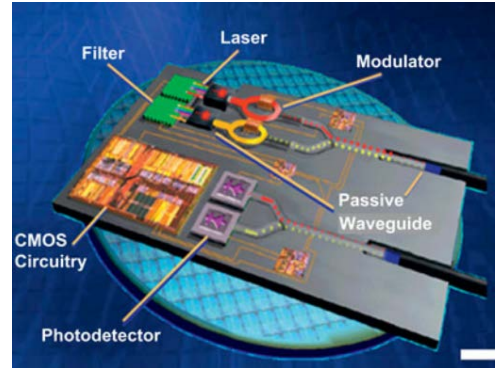


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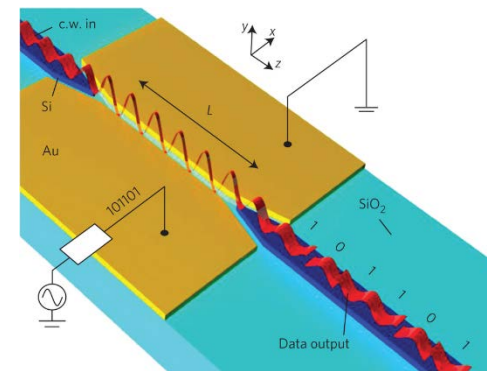
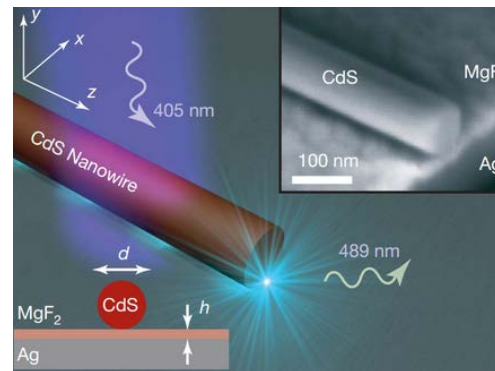
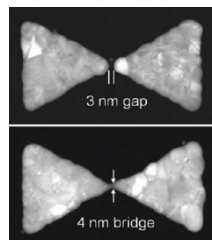
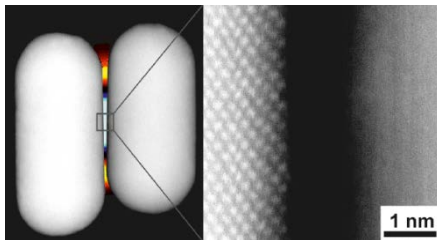
Plasmons in metal and plasmonic circuits

- **Plasmons:** Oscillation of free electron density, e.g., in a metal.

The Lycurgus Cup (glass; British Museum 4th century A. D.)



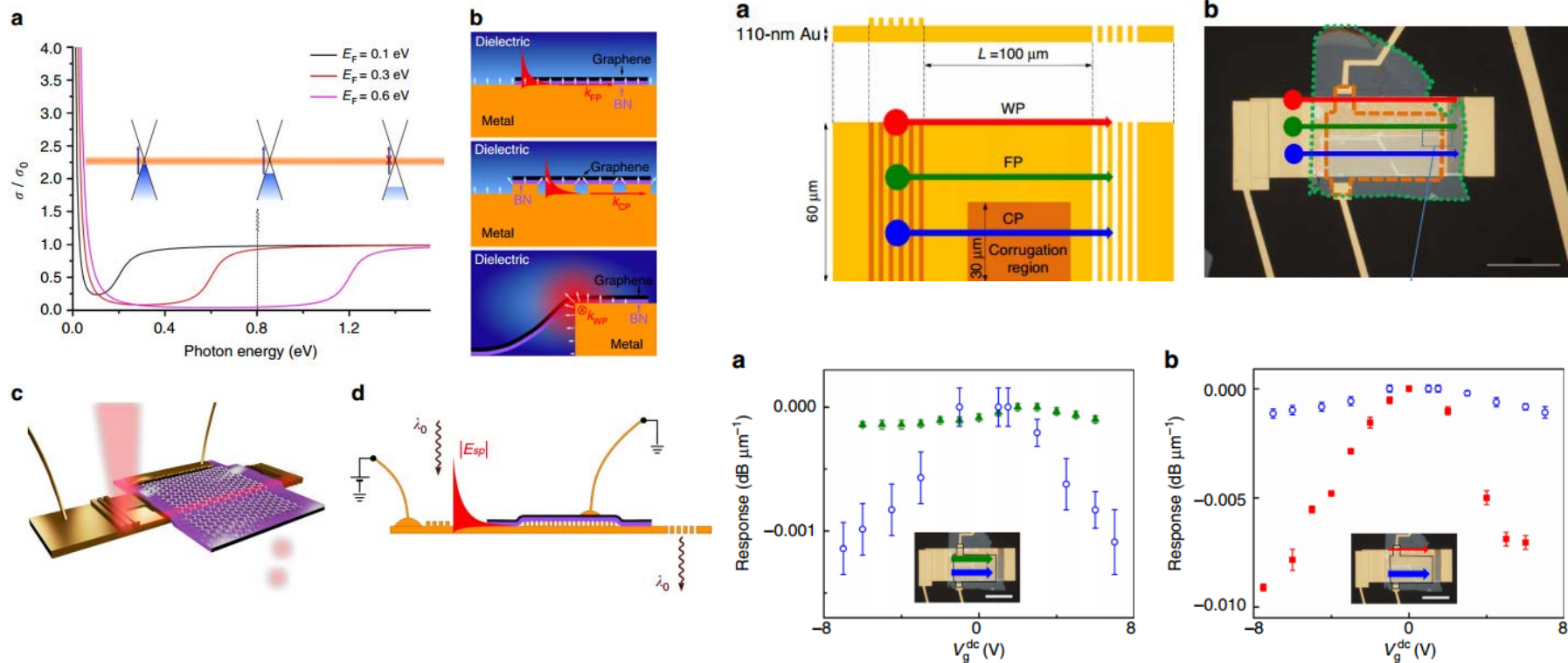
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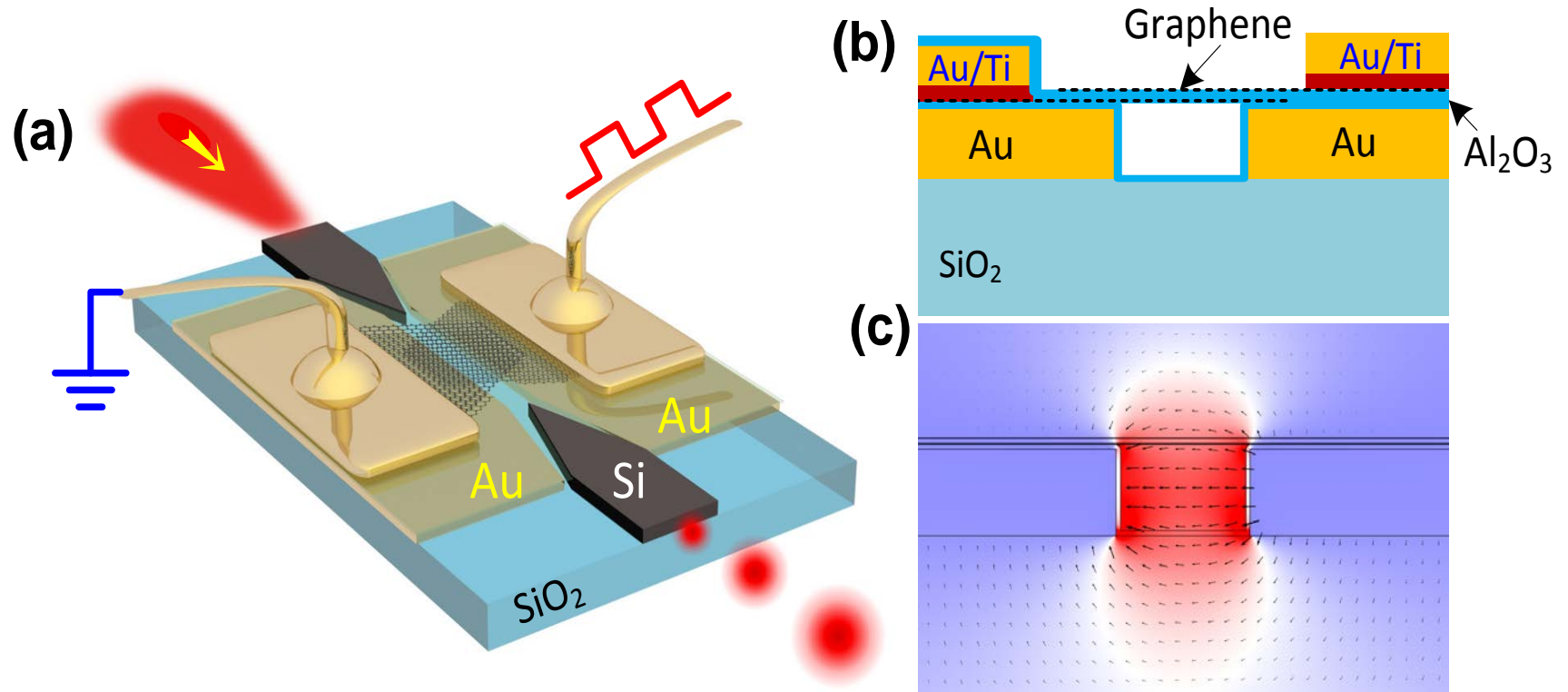
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First demonstration of graphene plasmonic modulators



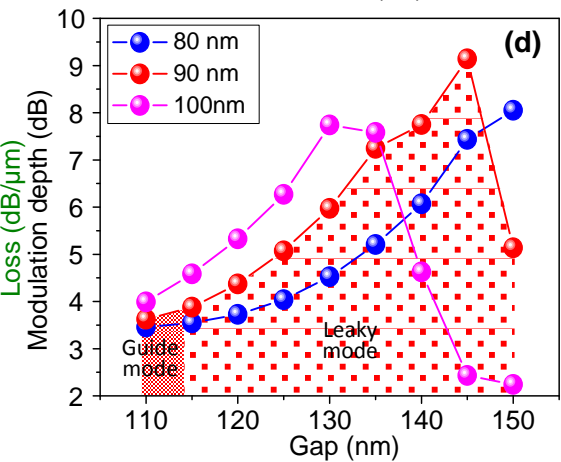
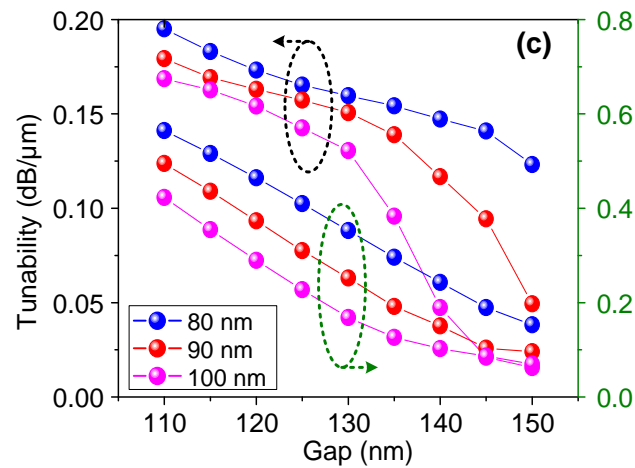
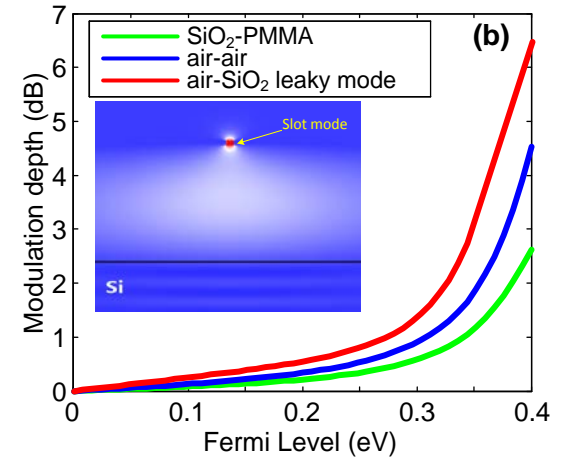
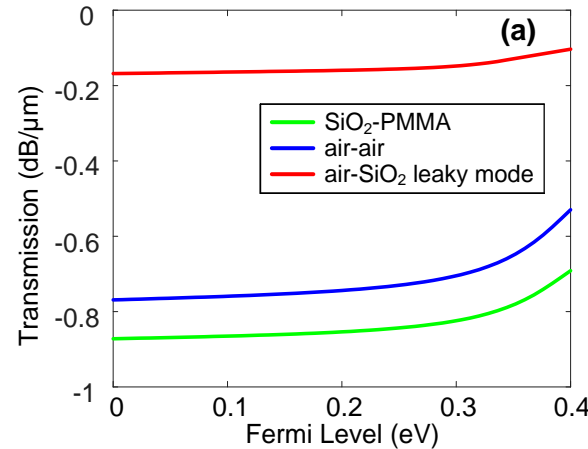
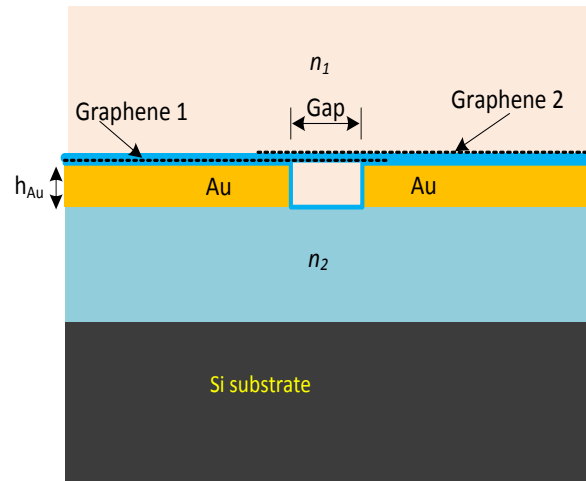
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Graphene plasmonic waveguide modulator: Fully integrated with SOI platform

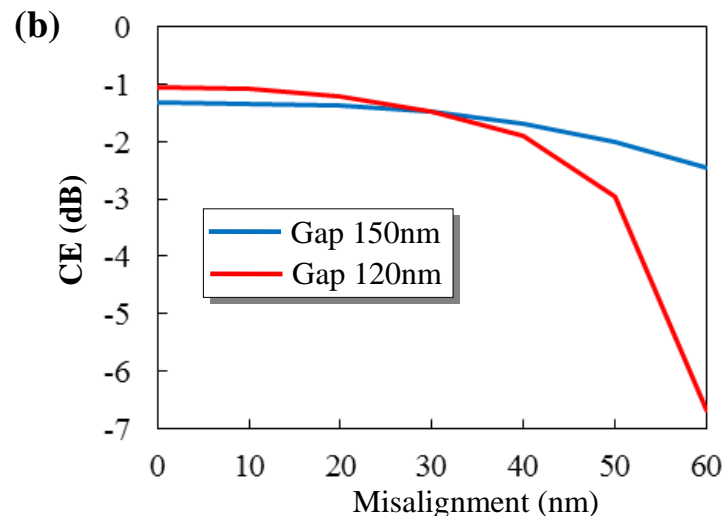
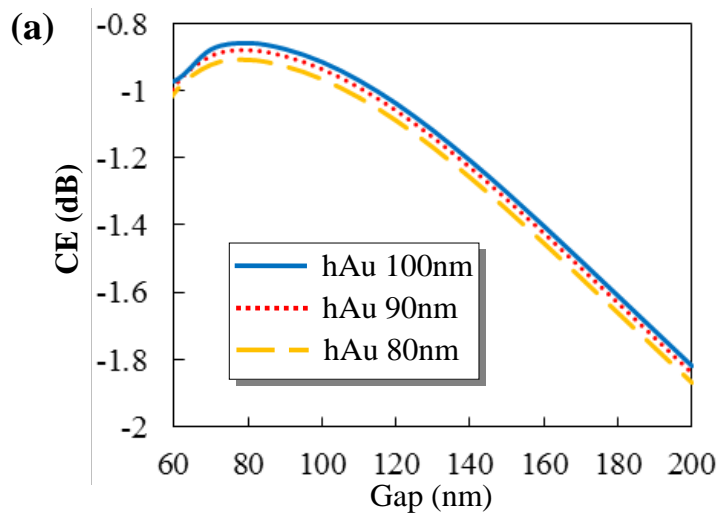
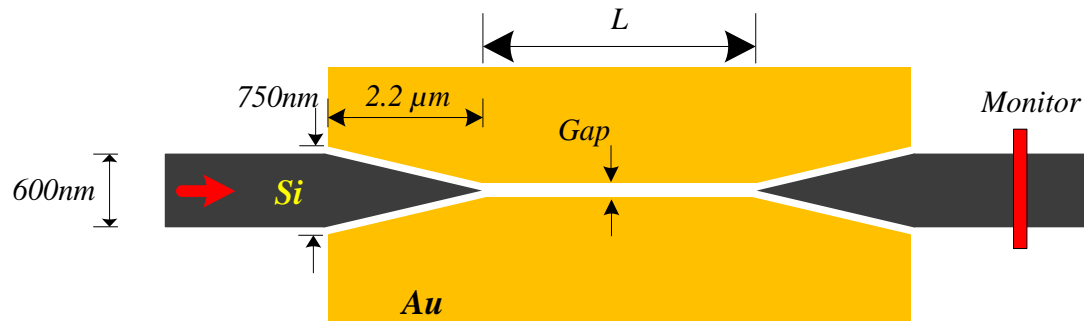


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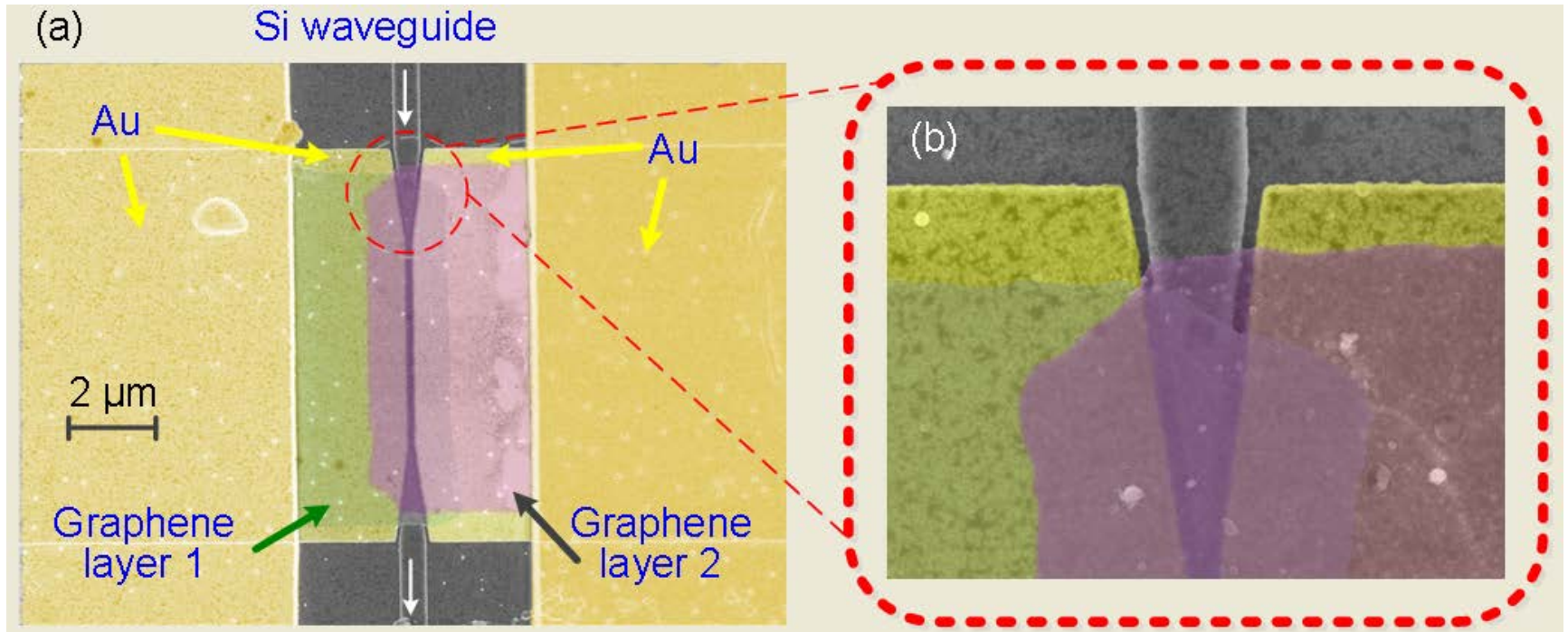
The leaky-mode slot waveguide gives largest modulation depth



Optimization of coupling efficiency between Si and plasmonic waveguides

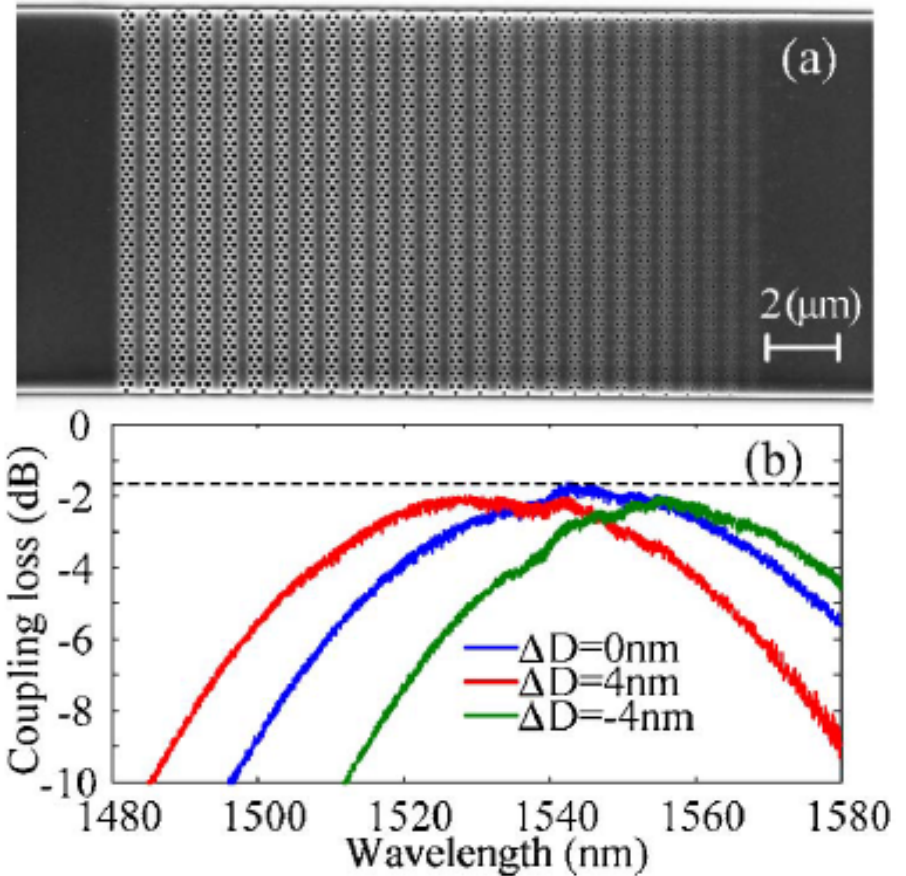
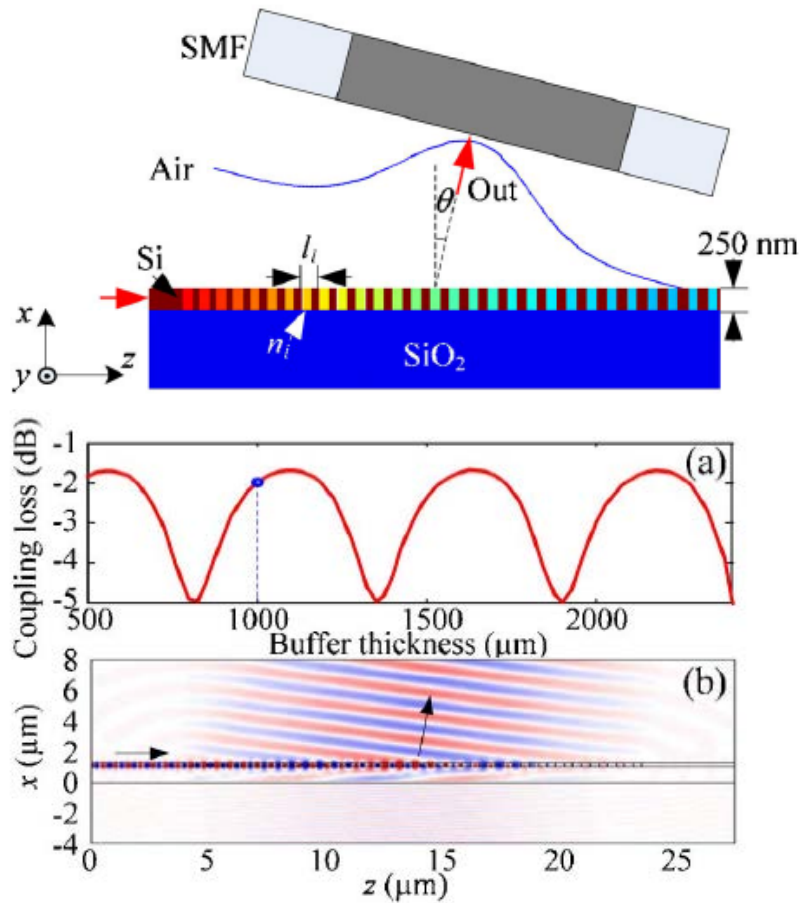


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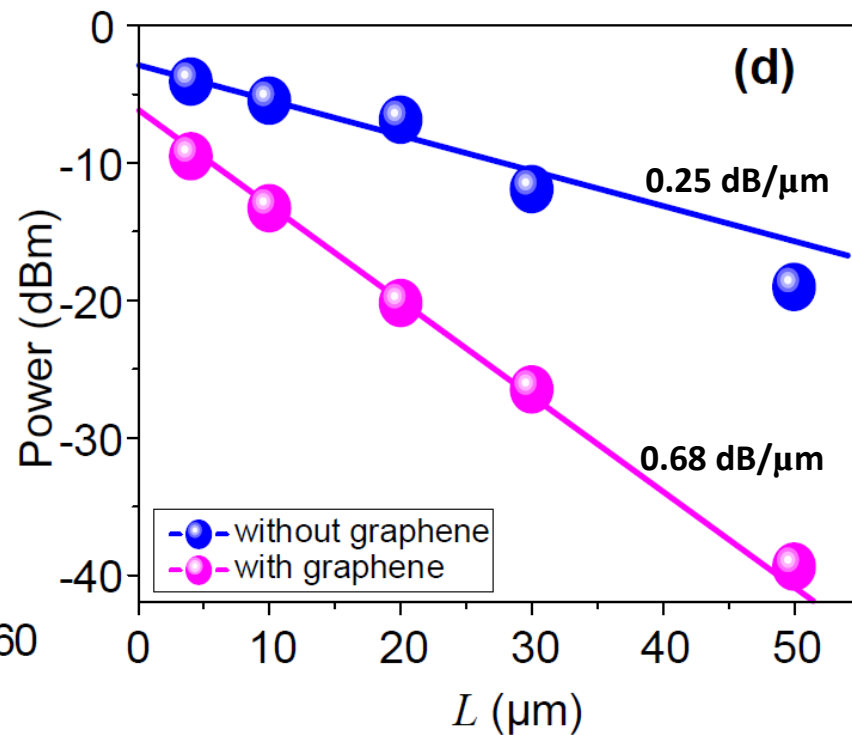
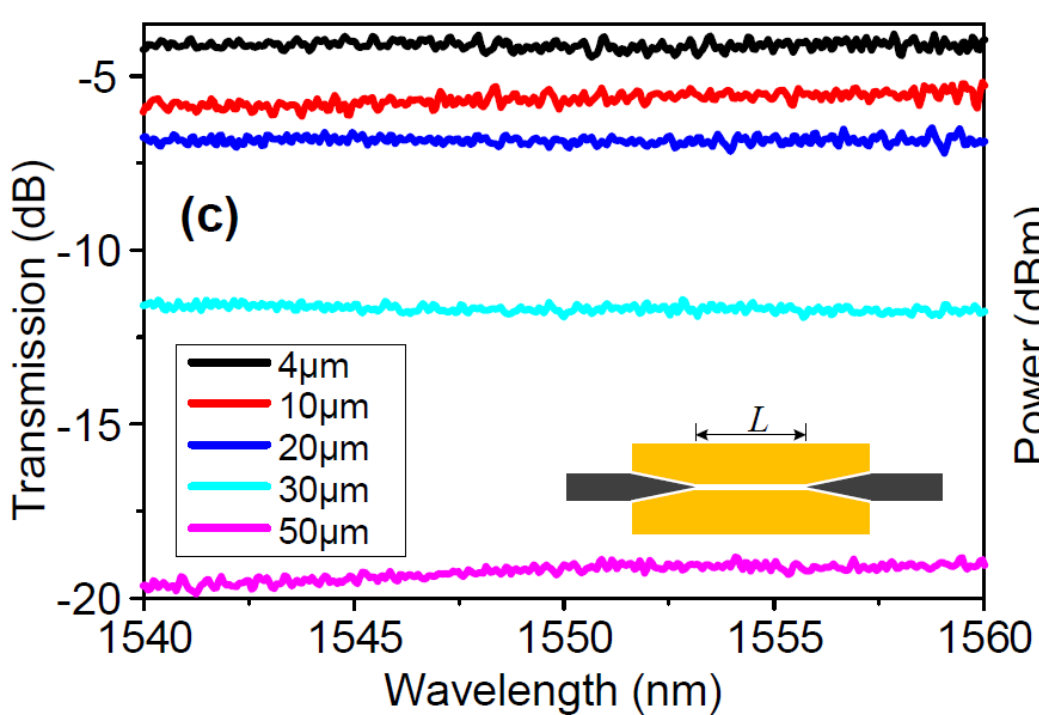
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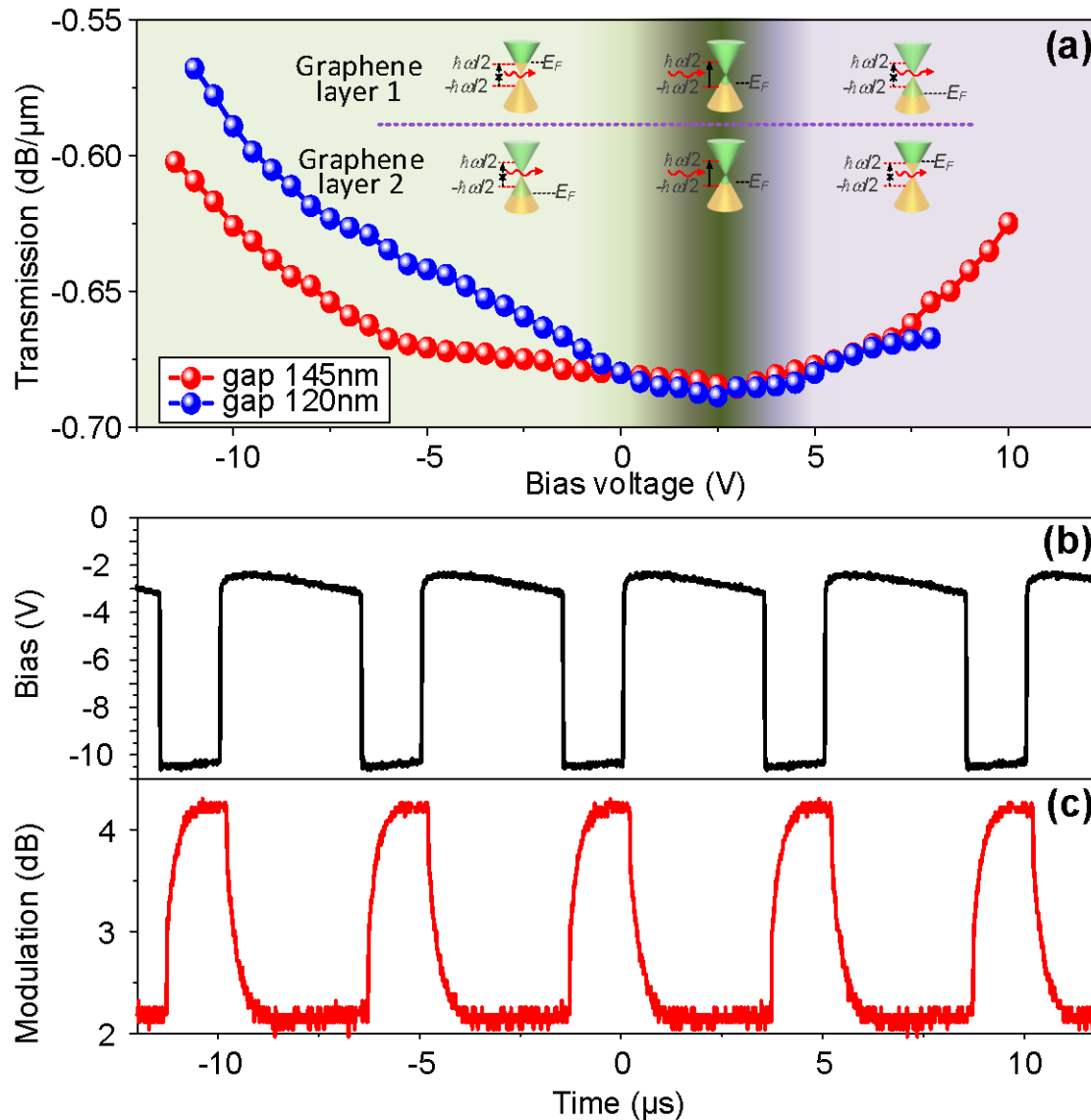
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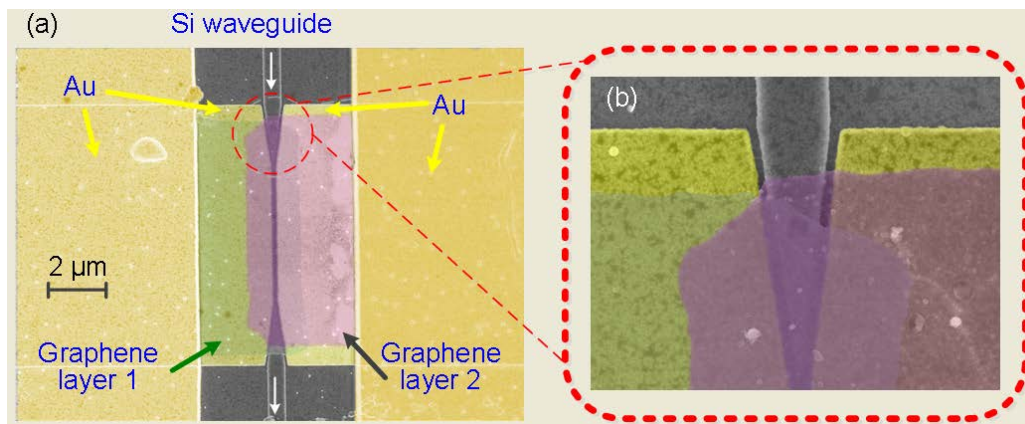
- Graphene-plasmonic waveguide modulators

High modulation depth

Low insertion loss

Fully integrated with the SOI platform

Leaky plasmonic waveguide for new applications



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