
Topographie des spezifischen Widerstands semi-isolierender SiC-Substrate

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- Bewertung von lokal inhomogenem Material
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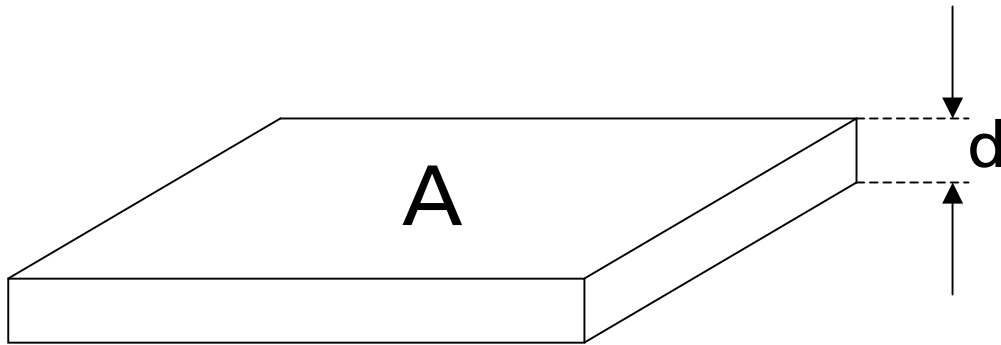
Motivation

- Weltweit wird an der Entwicklung von (SI) SiC Wafern mit Durchmesser bis zu 100 mm gearbeitet
- Kontaktfreie, orts aufgelöste Widerstandsmessung an SiC Substraten ist aus mehreren Gründen erwünscht
- **CO**ntactless **RE**sistivity **MA**pping (COREMA) wird industriell zur Charakterisierung von SI GaAs und InP Substraten eingesetzt
- Weiterentwicklung des **COREMA** - Systems für die Bewertung von SiC Substraten erscheint aussichtsreich

Neue Anforderungen

- Erweiterung des Messbereiches auf $1 \times 10^5 - 1 \times 10^{12} \Omega \text{cm}$
- Automatisierte Messung von lateral inhomogenem Material
- Bewertung von *lokal* inhomogenem Material

Capacitive Resistivity Evaluation (I)



$$R_s = \rho d/A$$

$$C_s = \varepsilon A/d$$

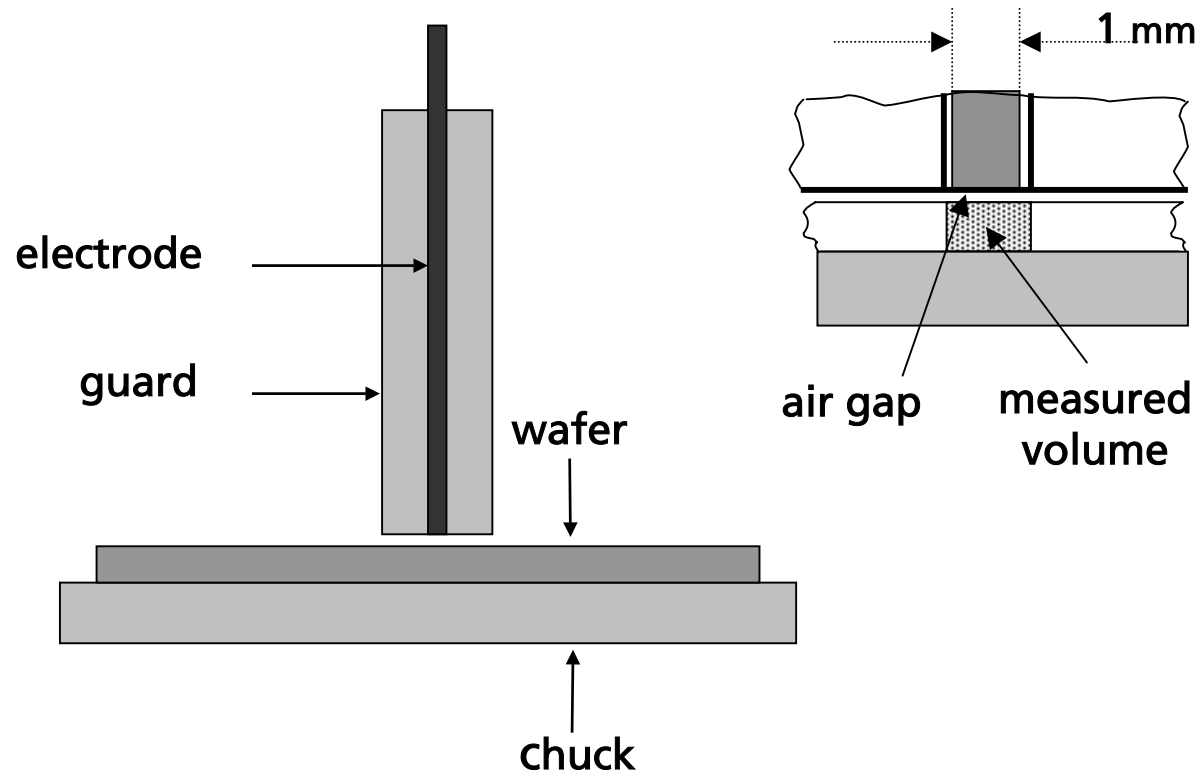
$$R_s C_s = \rho \varepsilon = \tau$$

Semi-insulating semiconductor

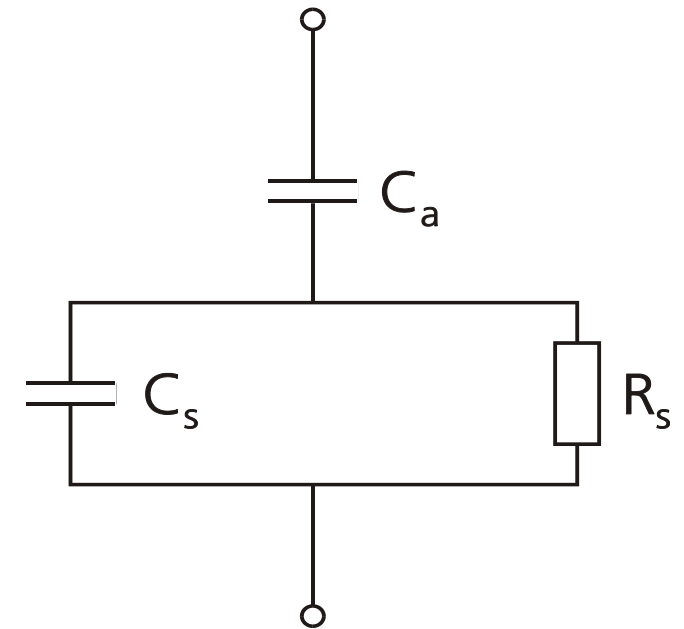
$$\rho = \tau / \varepsilon$$

Capacitive Resistivity Evaluation (II)

Capacitive Probe



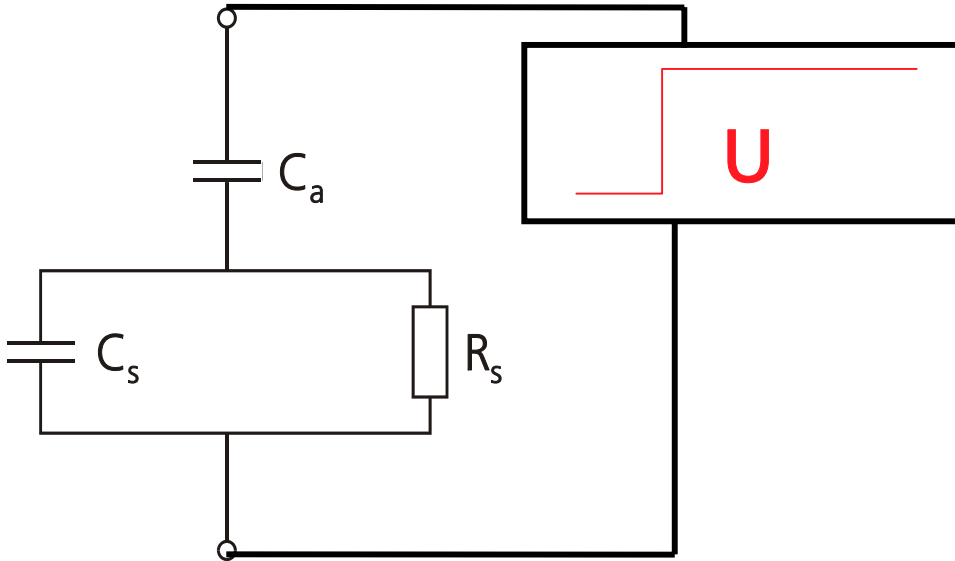
Equivalent Circuit



$$\tau = R_s (C_s + C_a)$$

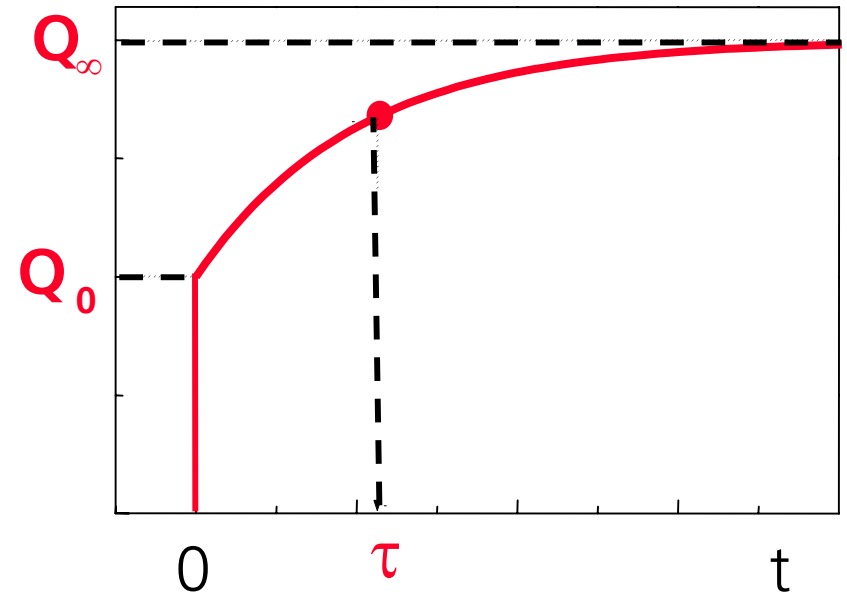
Capacitive Resistivity Evaluation (III)

Equivalent Circuit



$$\tau = R_s (C_s + C_a)$$

Charge Transient after Voltage Step Application



$$\rho = Q_0 \tau (Q_\infty \epsilon \epsilon_0)^{-1}$$

IAF - COREMA - 2000

Specifications

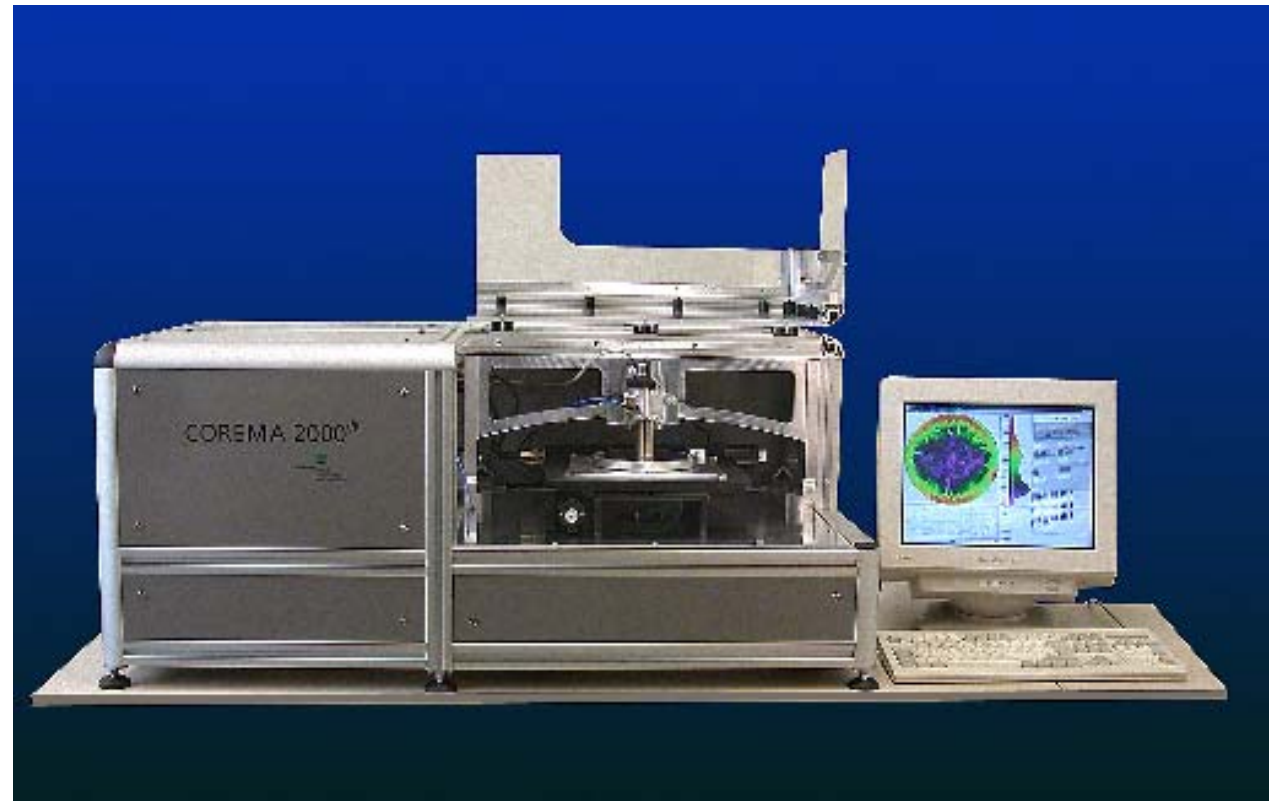
Range $1 \times 10^5 - 1 \times 10^{12} \Omega \text{cm}$

Wafer $\varnothing \leq 200 \text{ mm}$

Probe $\varnothing \leq 1 \text{ mm}$

Repeatability 1%

Speed 100 ms @ $1 \text{E}7 \Omega \text{cm}$



SiC SUBSTRATE RESISTIVITY TOPOGRAPHY (I)

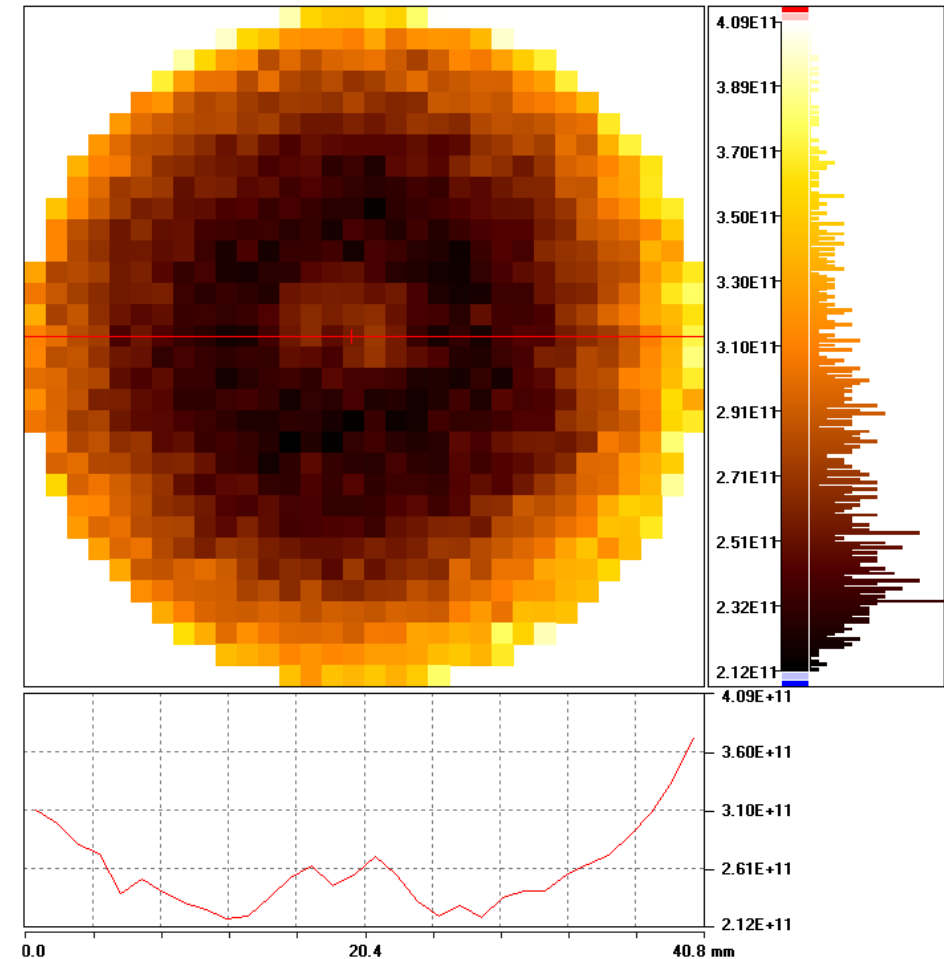
2" Wafer

ρ : $2.12 \times 10^{11} - 4.09 \times 10^{11} \Omega\text{cm}$

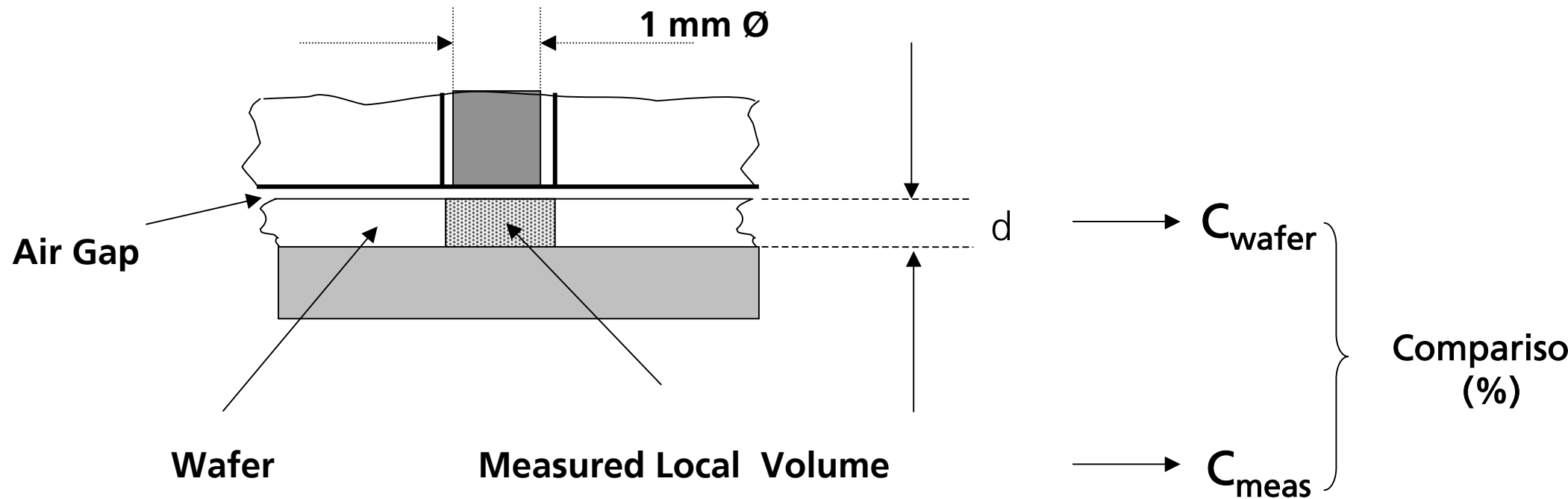
Mean: $2.75 \times 10^{11} \Omega\text{cm}$

Stdv: 14.7%

Very homogeneous Material



Evaluation of local Homogeneity (I)



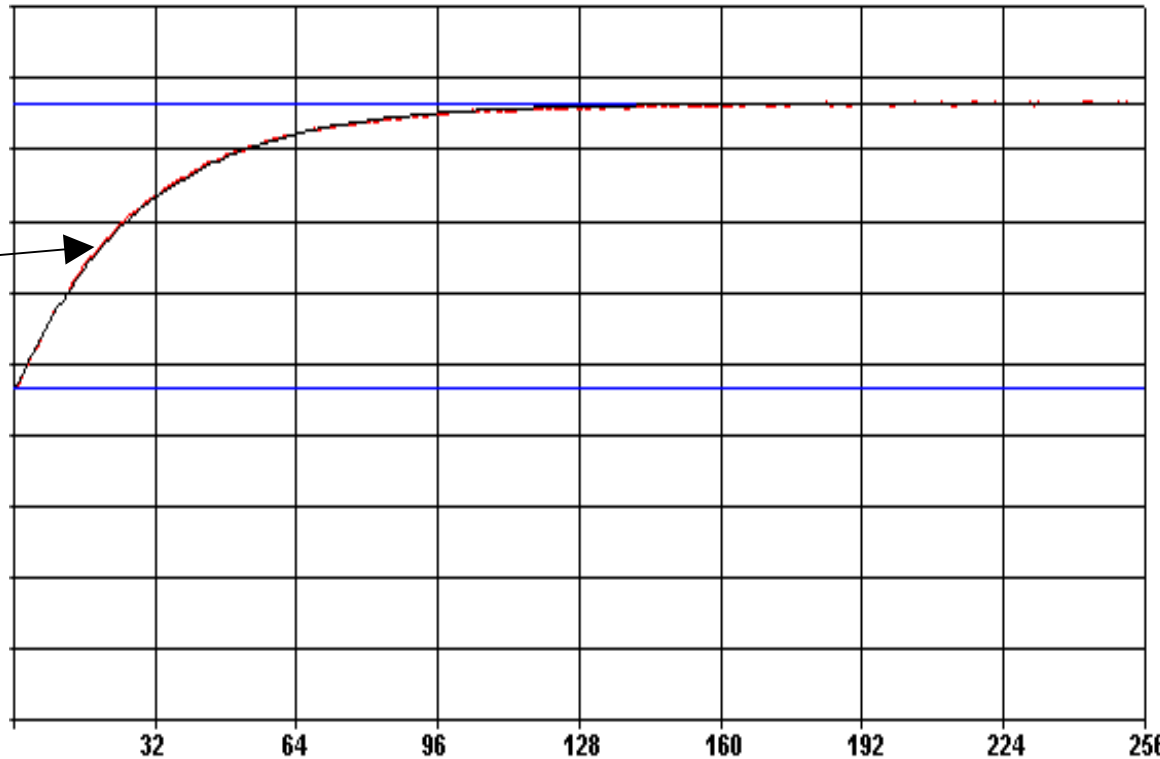
Evaluation of local Homogeneity (II)

Measured values

Fit

Q_∞

Q_0



Theoretical values

Q_∞^*

Q_0^*

Expected Transient

$$Q_0 = Q_0^*$$

Volume of resistive Material = 100% (homogeneous)

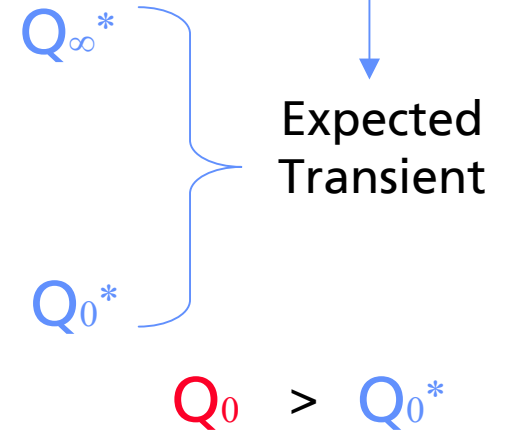
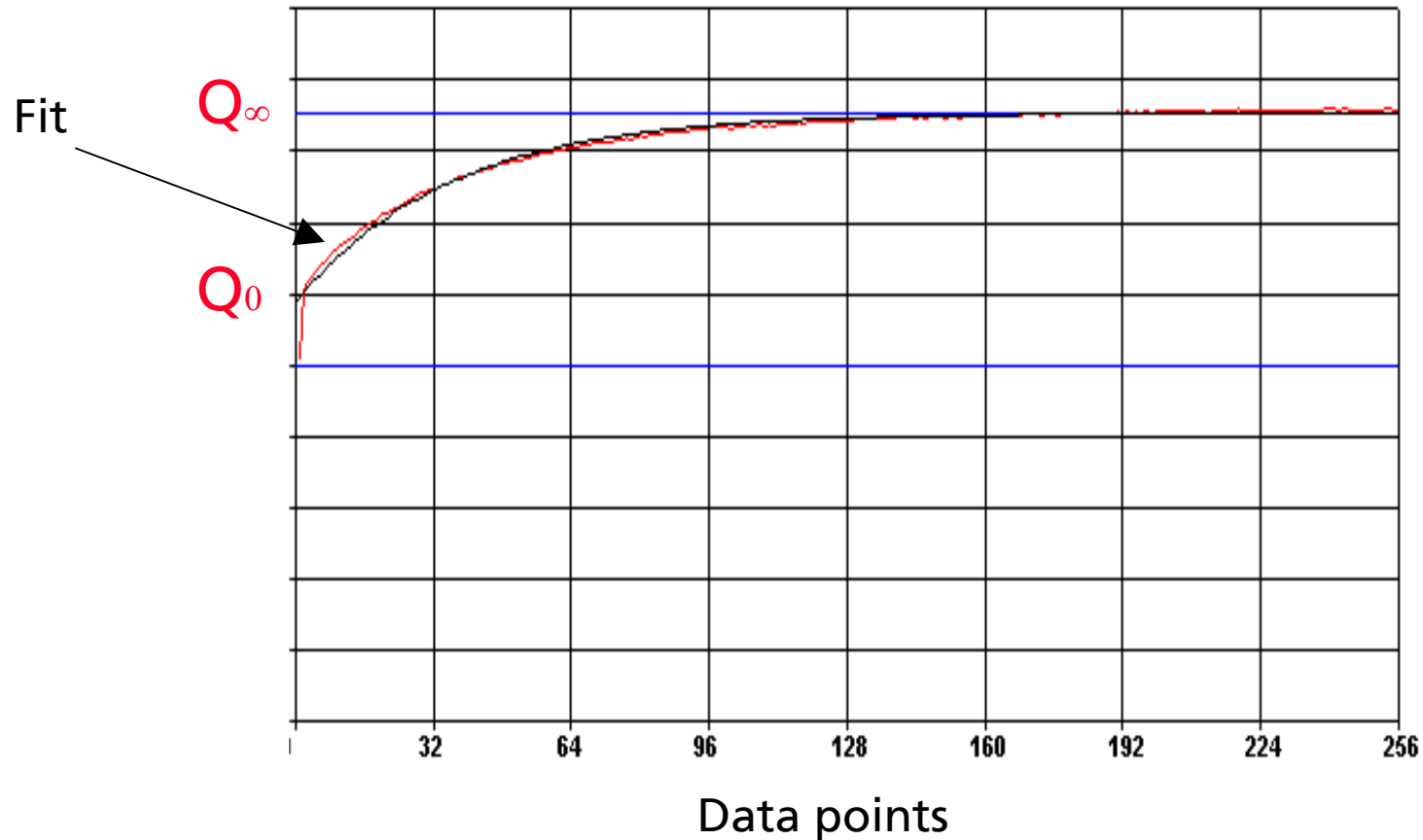
Volume Topogram



Evaluation of local Homogeneity (III)

Measured values

Theoretical values

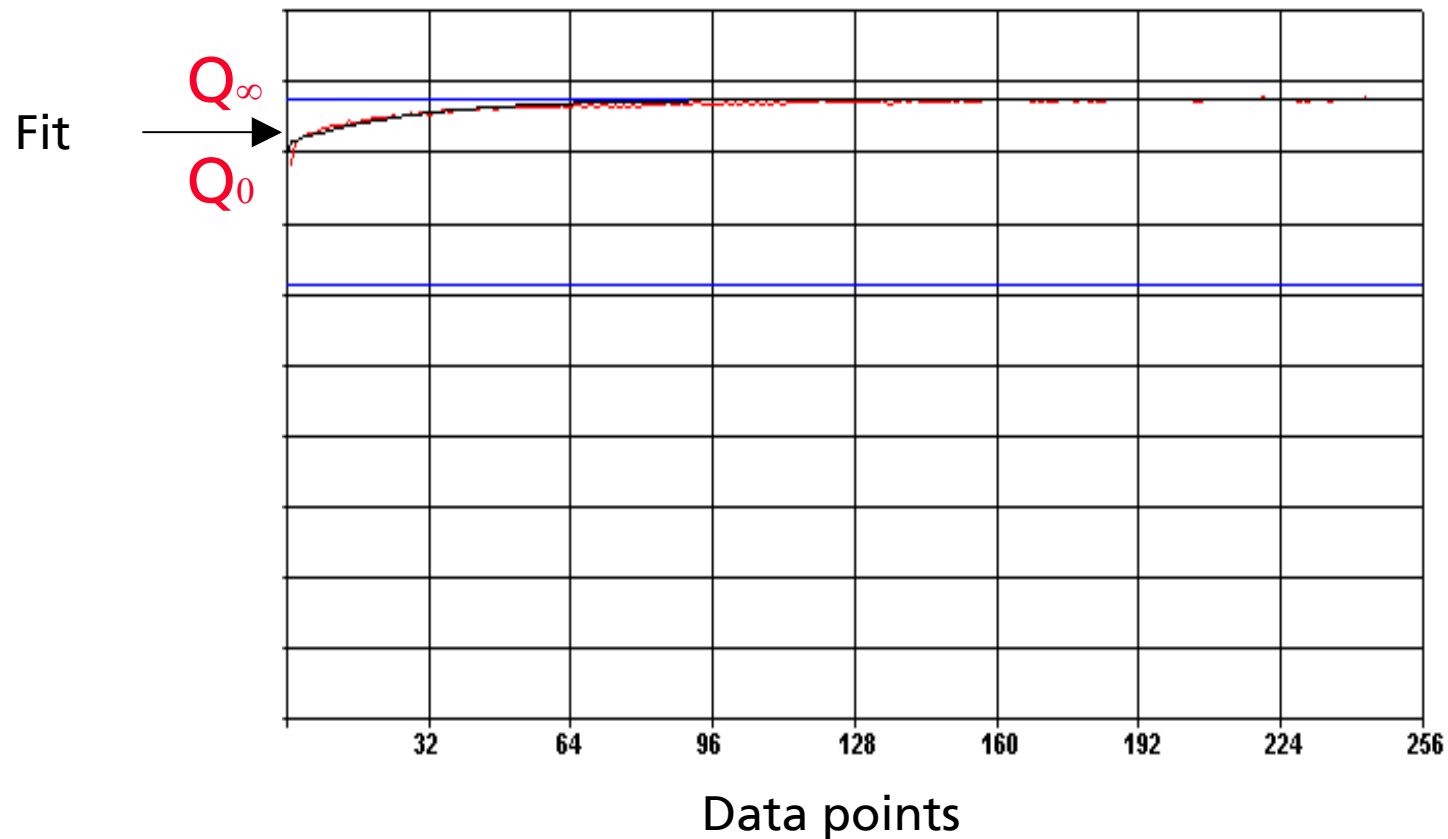


Volume of resistive Material < 100% (inhomogeneous)

Evaluation of local Homogeneity (IV)

Measured values

Theoretical values



Q_∞^*

Q_0^*

Expected Transient

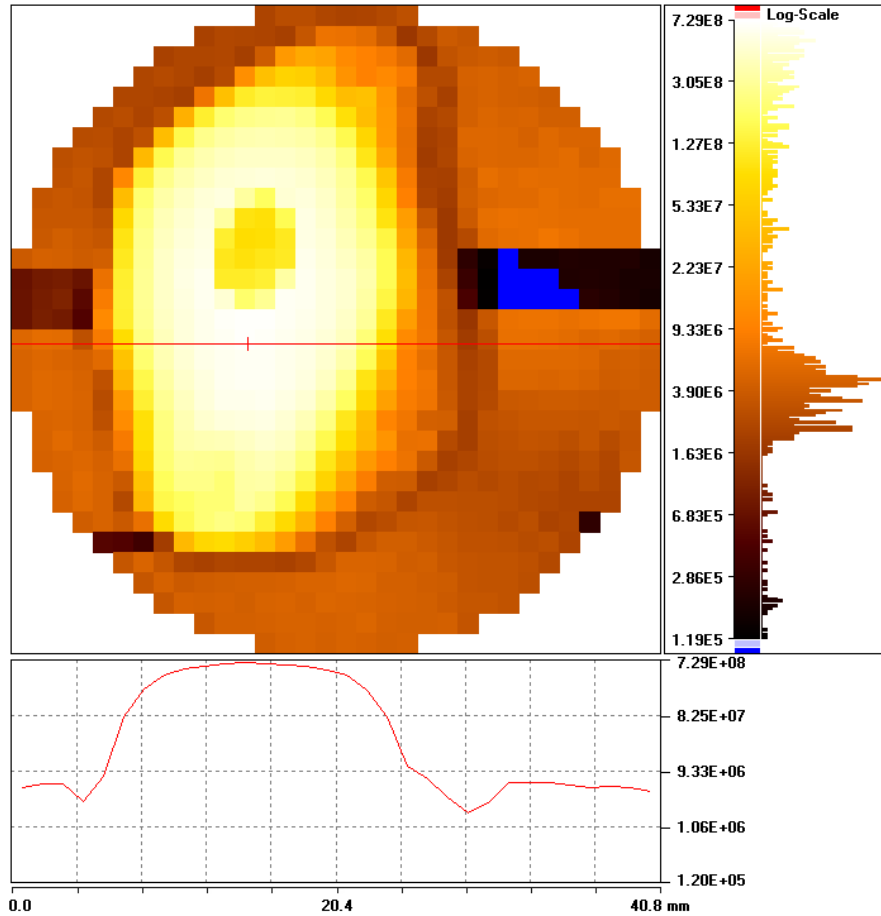
$$Q_0 \gg Q_0^*$$

Volume of resistive Material $\ll 100\%$ (inhomogeneous)



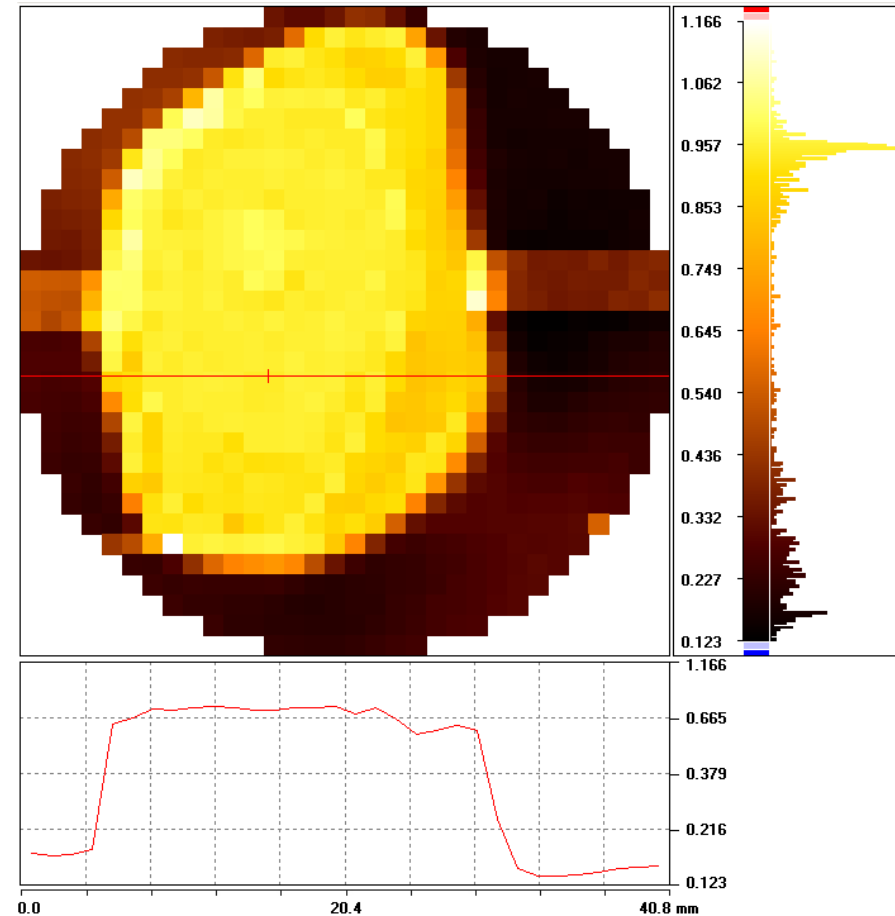
SiC SUBSTRATE RESISTIVITY TOPOGRAPHY (II)

Resistivity



Mean: $1.13 \times 10^8 \Omega\text{cm}$
Stdv: 168 %

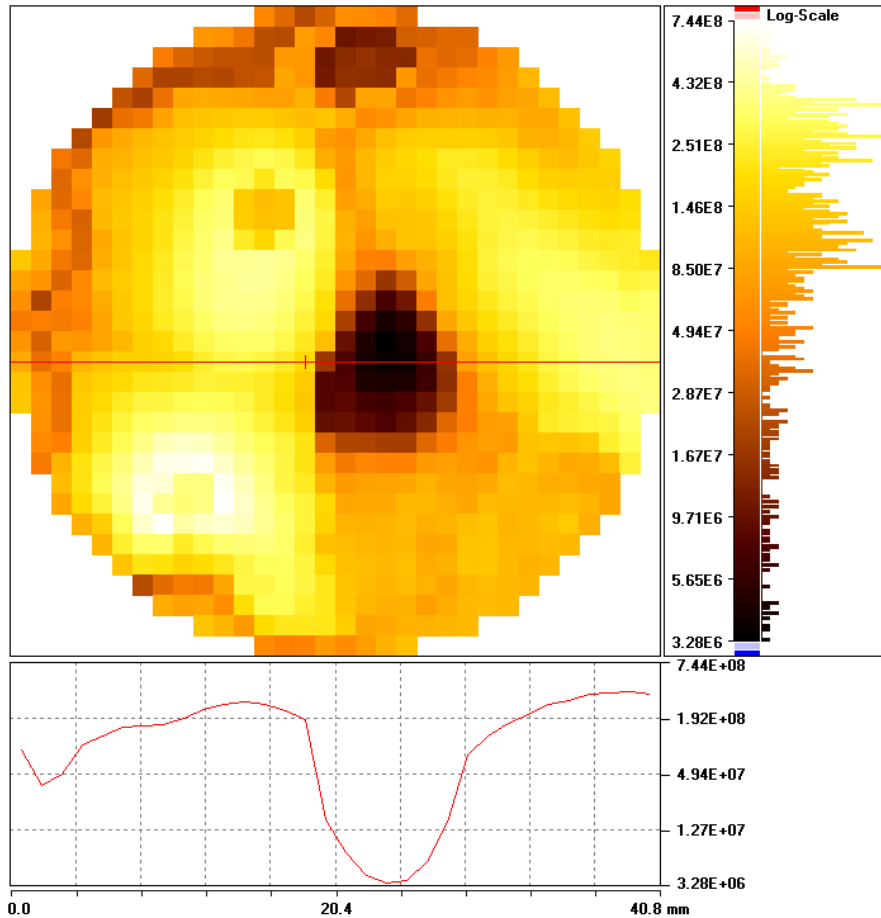
Volume



Mean: 62%
Stdv: 54%

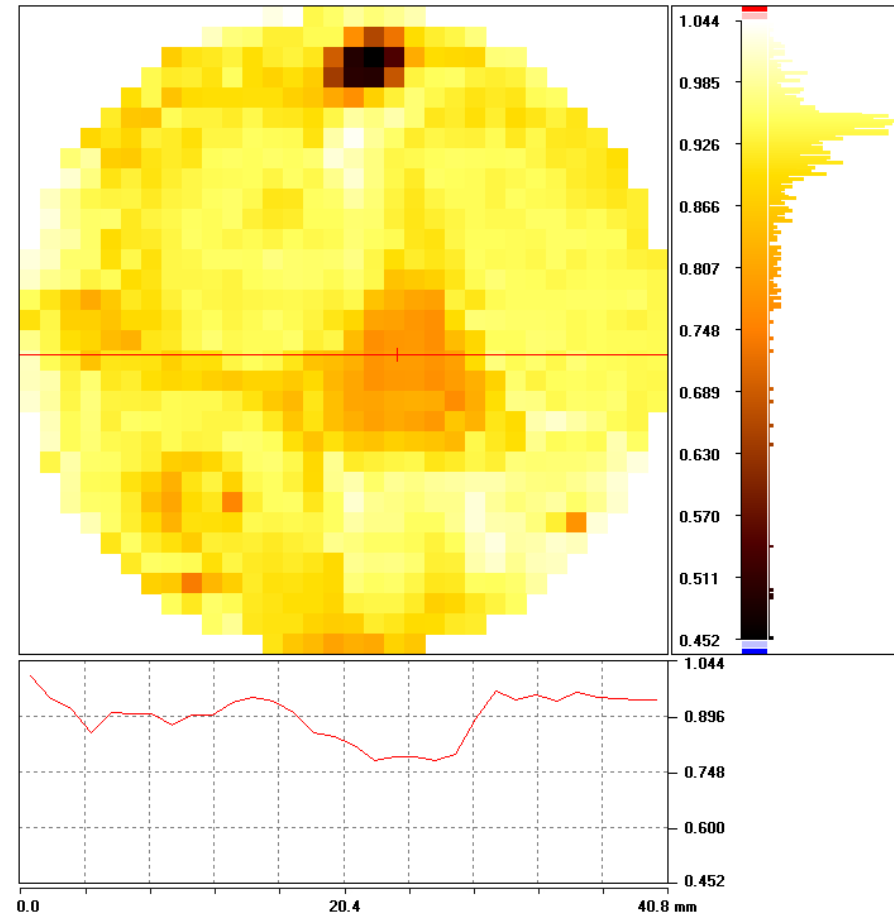
SiC SUBSTRATE RESISTIVITY TOPOGRAPHY (III)

Resistivity



Mean: $1.72 \times 10^8 \Omega\text{cm}$
Stdv: 75 %

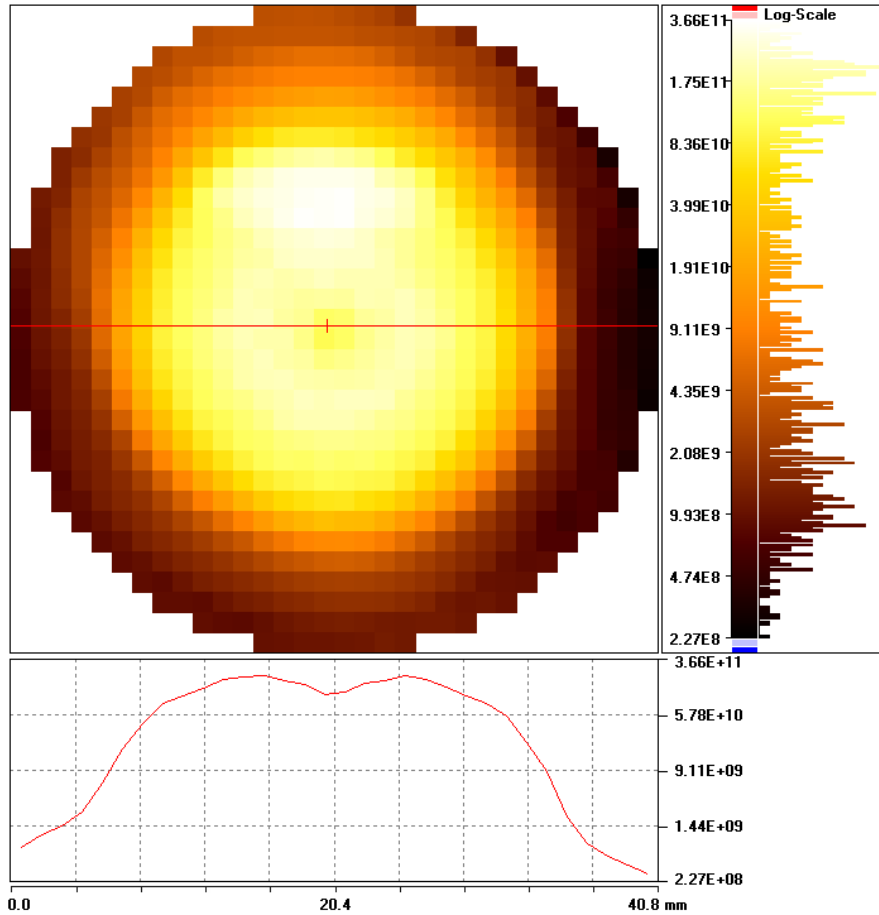
Volume



Mean: 92.4%
Stdv: 6.76%

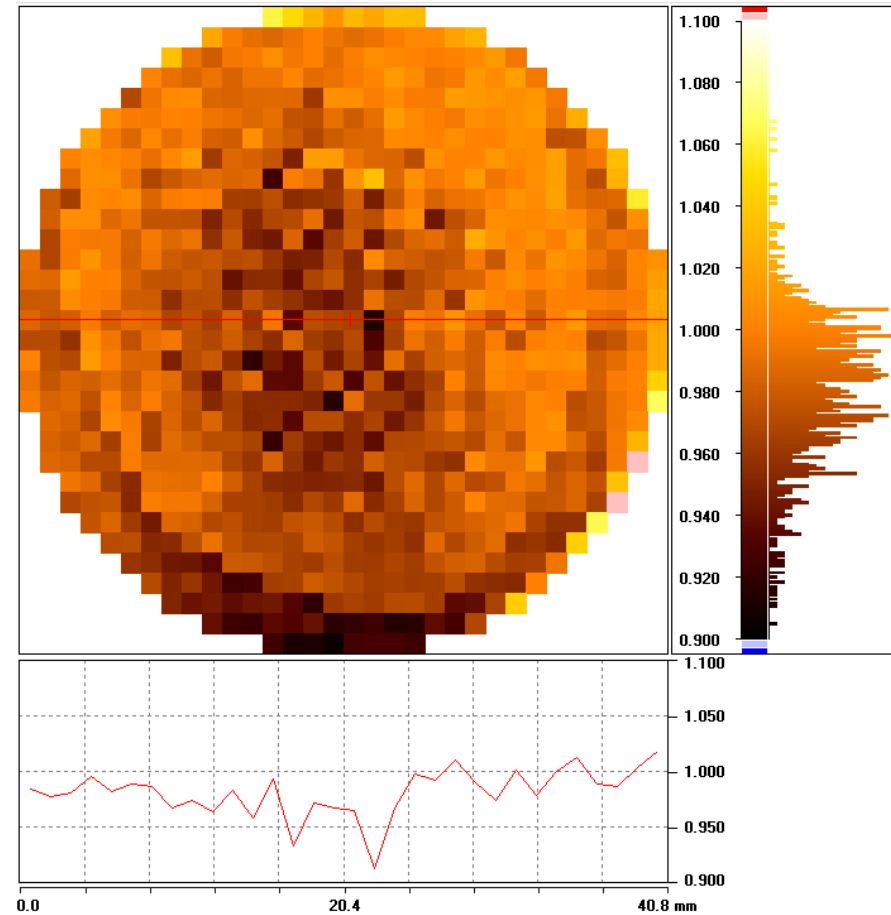
SiC SUBSTRATE RESISTIVITY TOPOGRAPHY (IV)

Resistivity



Mean: $5.82 \times 10^{10} \Omega\text{cm}$
Stdv: 143 %

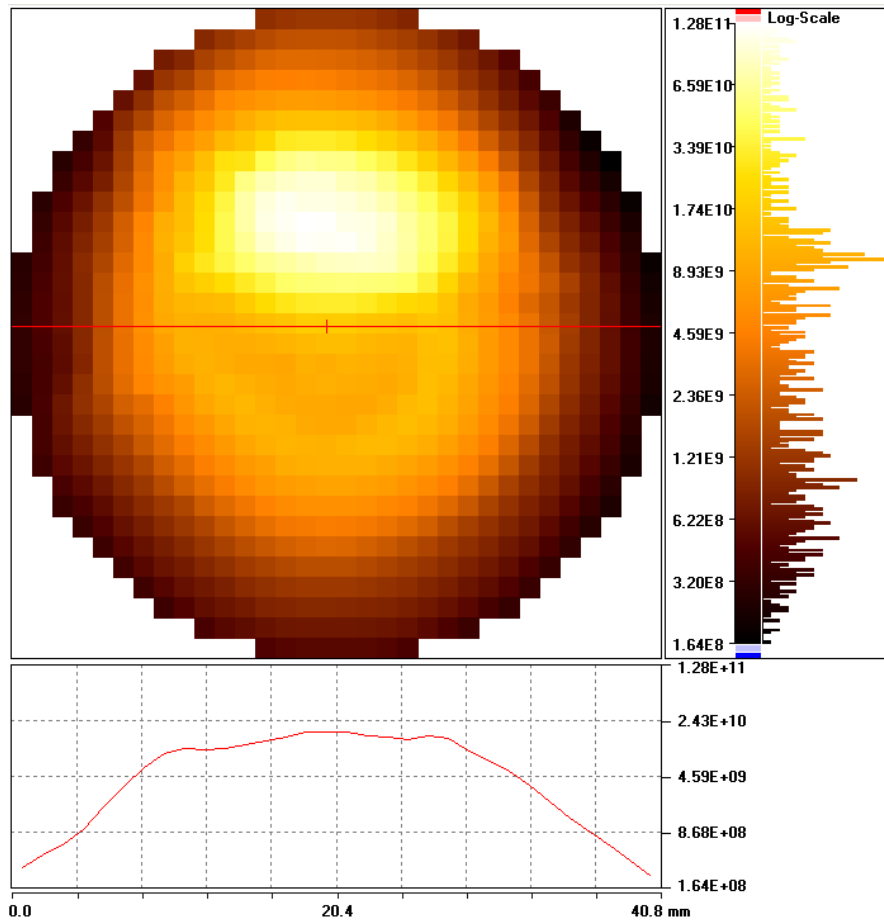
Volume



Mean: 98.2%
Stdv: 2.54%

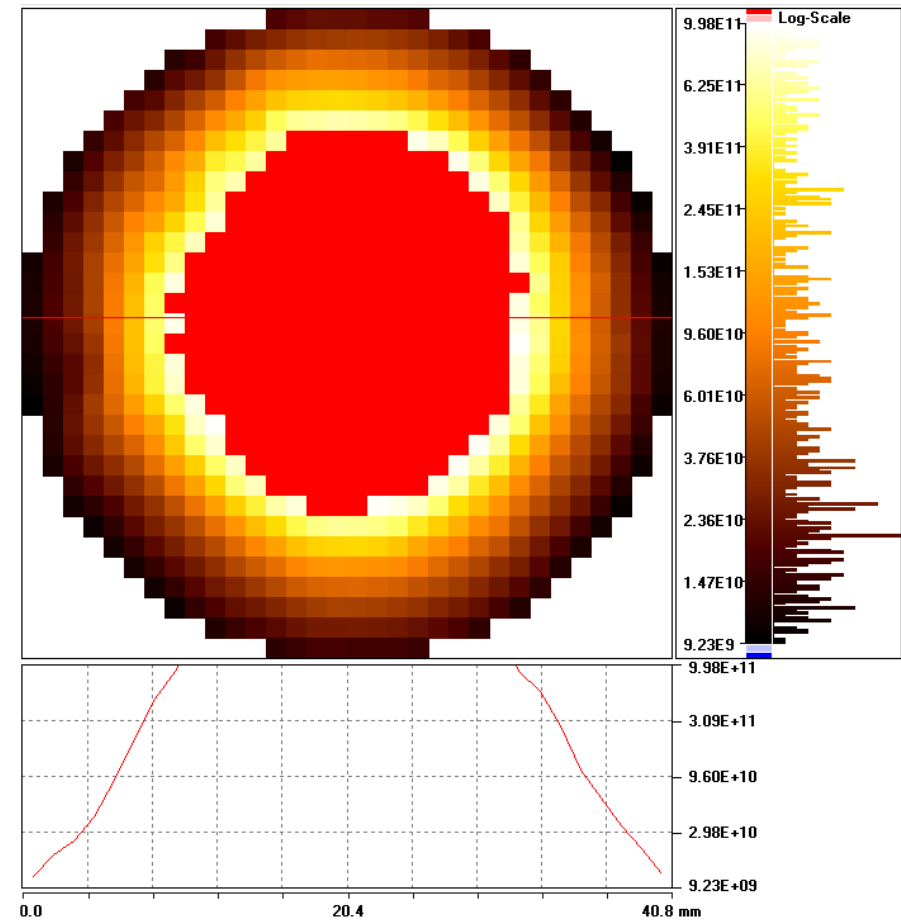
SiC SUBSTRATE RESISTIVITY TOPOGRAPHY (V)

Resistivity (3 h darkness)



Mean: $1.12 \times 10^{10} \Omega\text{cm}$

Resistivity (>48 h darkness)



Mean: $1.65 \times 10^{11} \Omega\text{cm}$

Zusammenfassung

- Kapazitive Widerstandsmessung im Bereich 1×10^5 bis $1 \times 10^{12} \Omega \text{cm}$
- Topografie semi-isolierender SiC Substrate
- Bestimmung des Volumen-Anteils bei lokal inhomogenen Material

