



NIRS instrument basics and a new multiple NIRS system with the CDMA technique

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Near Infrared Spectroscopy (NIRS)
calculates hemoglobin parameters,
such as changes in oxyHb and deoxyHb.



<http://209.73.52.252/assets/pdf/hpspdf/C8686.pdf>

**Brain activation can be measured
in the natural posture.**

Natural posture example.



<http://www.nict.go.jp>

There have been many NIRS systems in Japan.

<http://www.hitachi-medical.co.jp/opt-e/index.html>



<http://www.hpk.co.jp/eng/products/SYSE/Niro300E.htm>

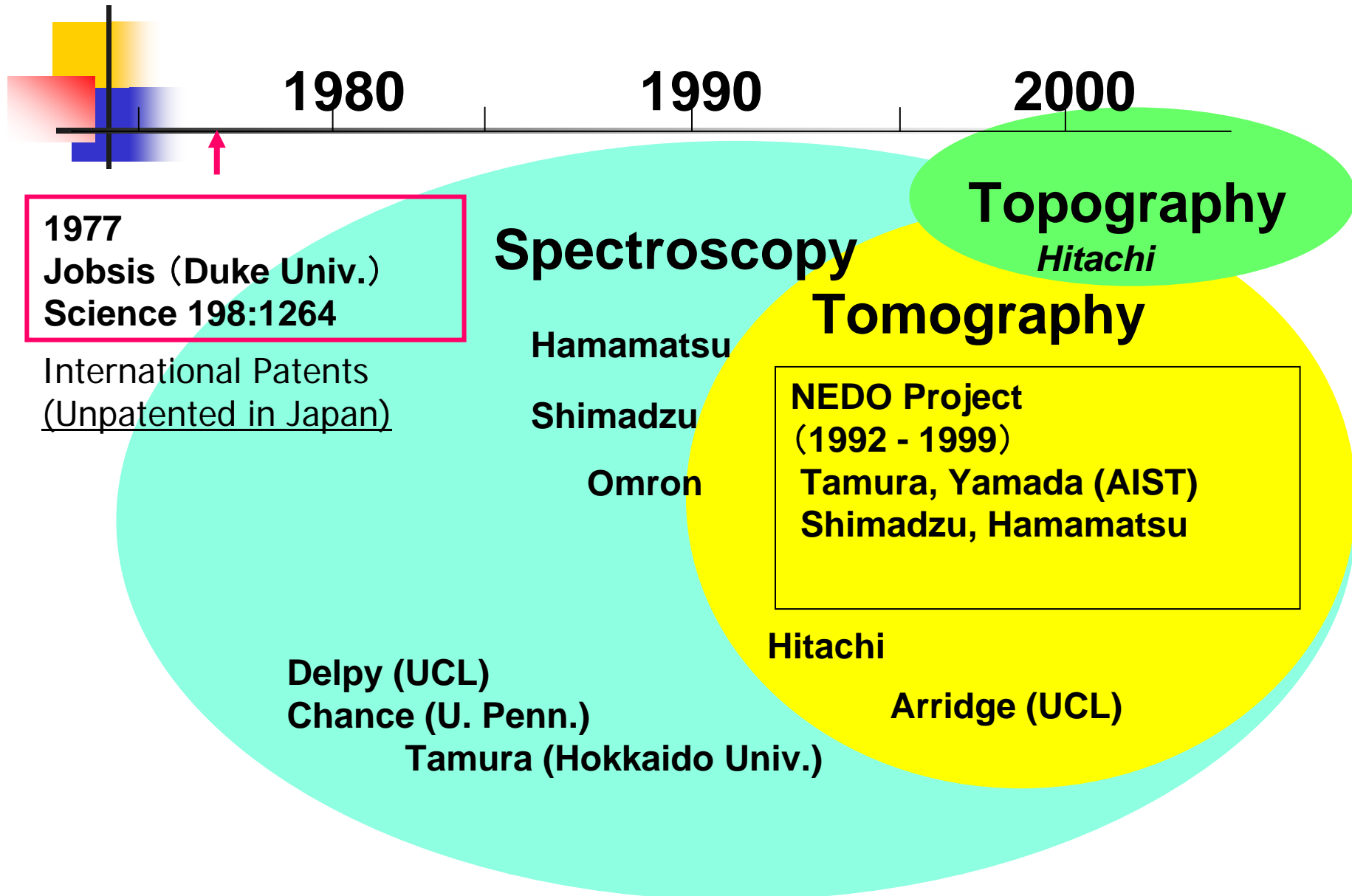


<http://www.med.shimadzu.co.jp/products/om/index.html> (in Japanese)



**These pictures were several years ago.
The companies released the new products.**

NIRS History in Japan



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- [73] Assignee: Duke University, Inc., Durham, N.C.
- [21] Appl. No. 815,777
- [22] Filed Jun. 28, 1977
- [51] Int. Cl.² A61B 5/00
- [52] U.S. Cl. 128/633
- [58] Field of Search 128/2 R, 2 L, 2.05 F, 128/2.05 P, 2.05 V, 633, 634, 664, 665, 2.06 R; 356/43-45, 39, 432

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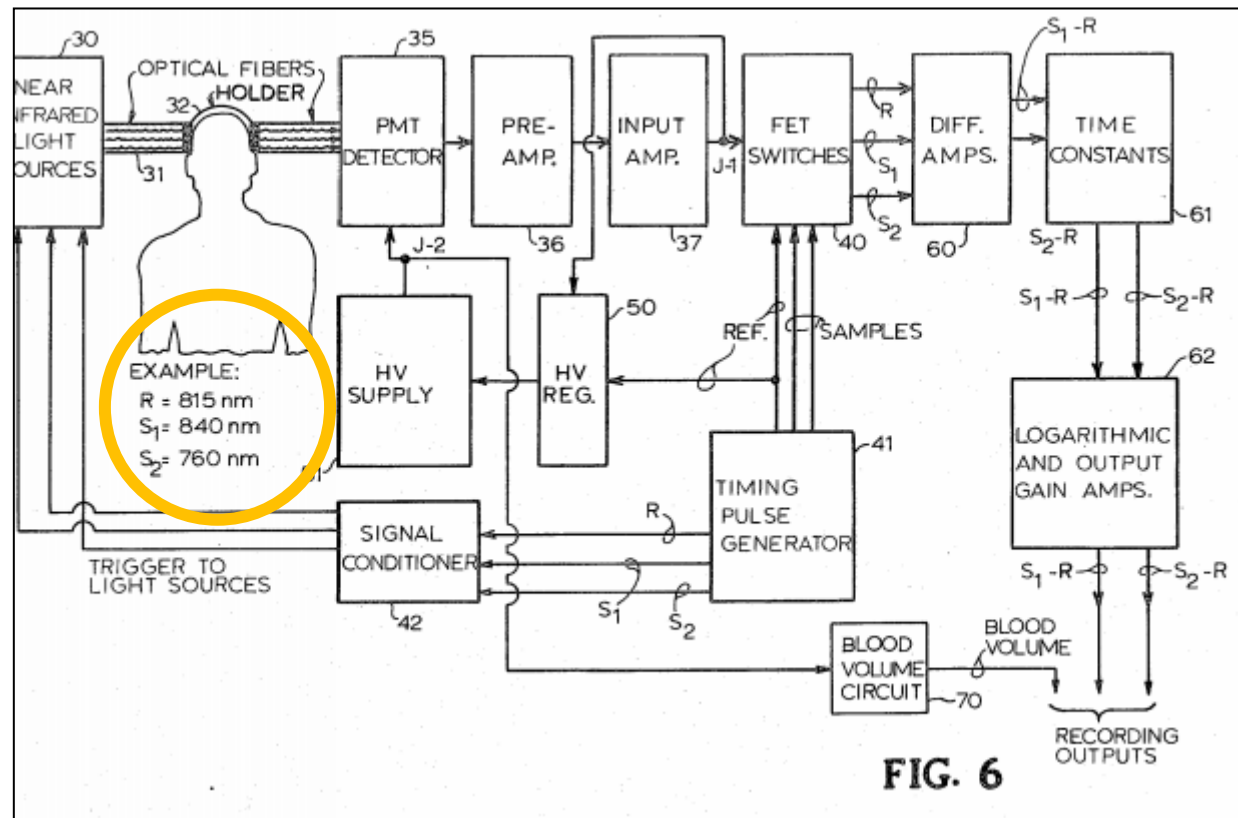
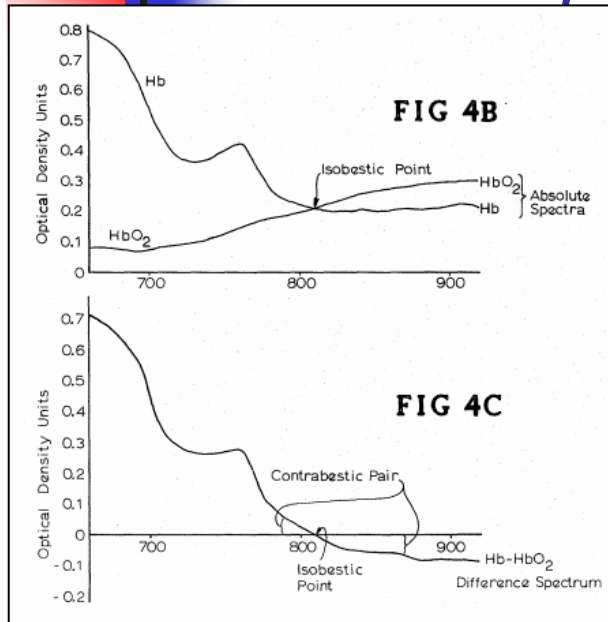
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[37] ABSTRACT

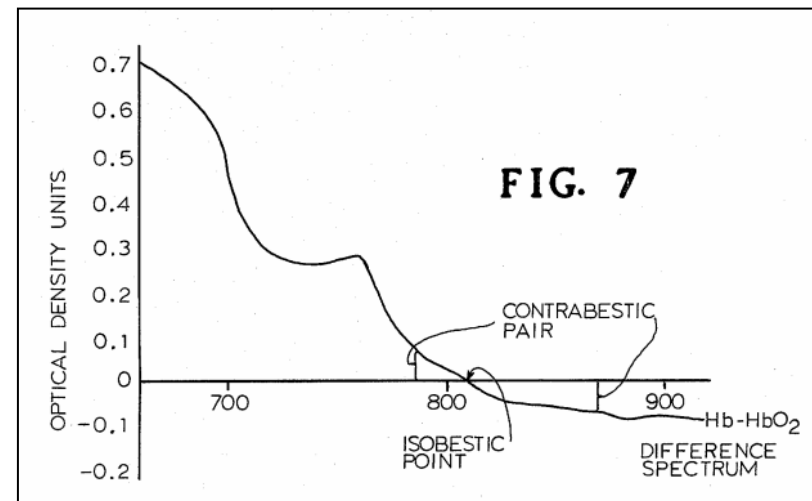
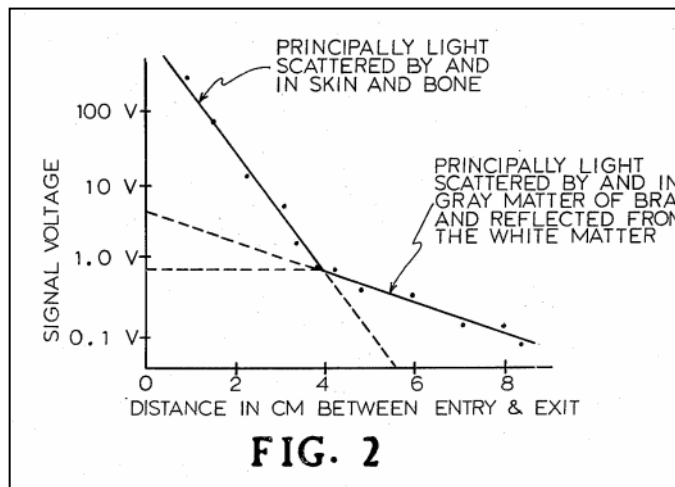
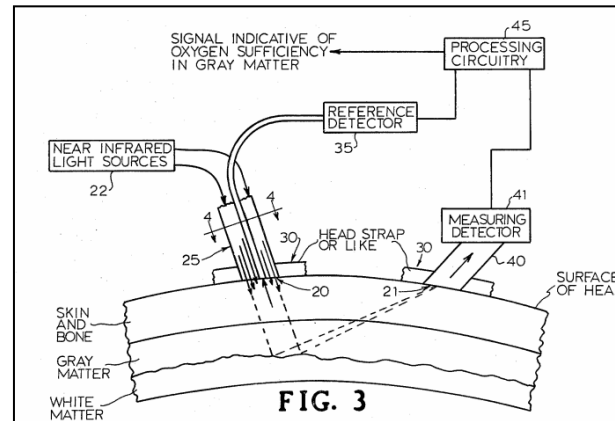
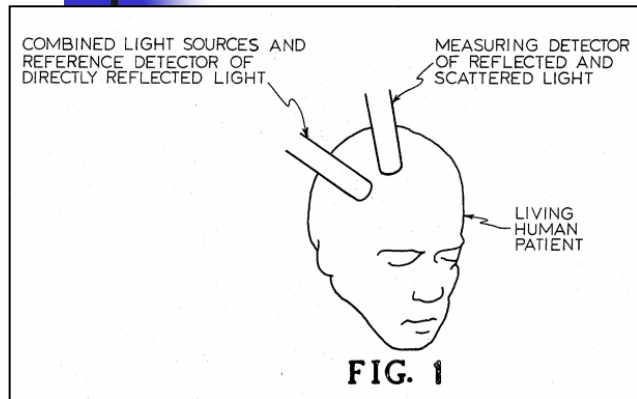
A spectrophotometric transillumination method and apparatus are directed to non-invasive, continuous, atraumatic, in vivo, in situ monitoring of metabolism in a body organ. In the described applications, measuring and reference wavelengths within the near infrared region, i.e., 700-1300 nm, are utilized for non-invasive, continuous, atraumatic, in situ, in vivo monitoring of oxidative metabolism by monitoring oxygen sufficiency in an internal organ, e.g., the brain or heart, of a human or animal body. Advantage is taken of the critical characteristic of cellular enzyme cytochrome a₃ within the optical path and within the radiated portion of the selected organ for absorbing the selected measuring wavelength and for light of this measuring wavelength, as well as at least one reference wavelength within the same defined infrared region and at a low, non-hazardous level of intensity to travel through and be detectable at the end of a relatively long path, e.g., of several centimeters length, which may include substantial content of bone as well as soft tissue. The selection of wavelengths, circuitry and method also provide techniques for compensating for changes in blood volume in the organ being monitored, for continuous monitoring of hemoglobin oxygenation and blood volume and for intermittent monitoring of blood flow rate.

67 Claims, 16 Drawing Figures

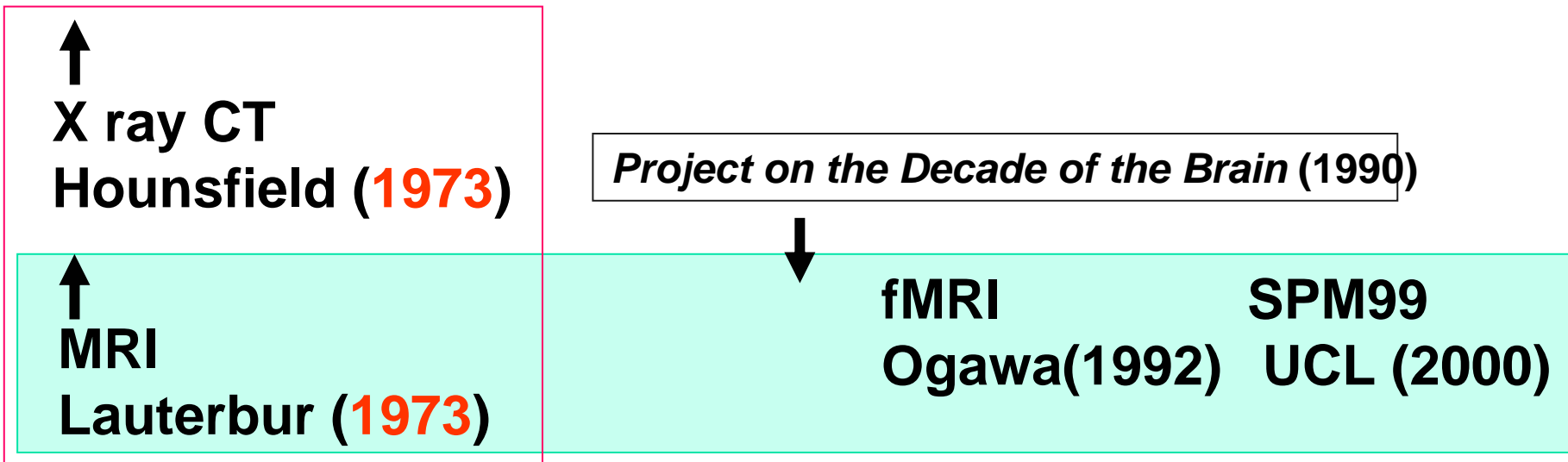
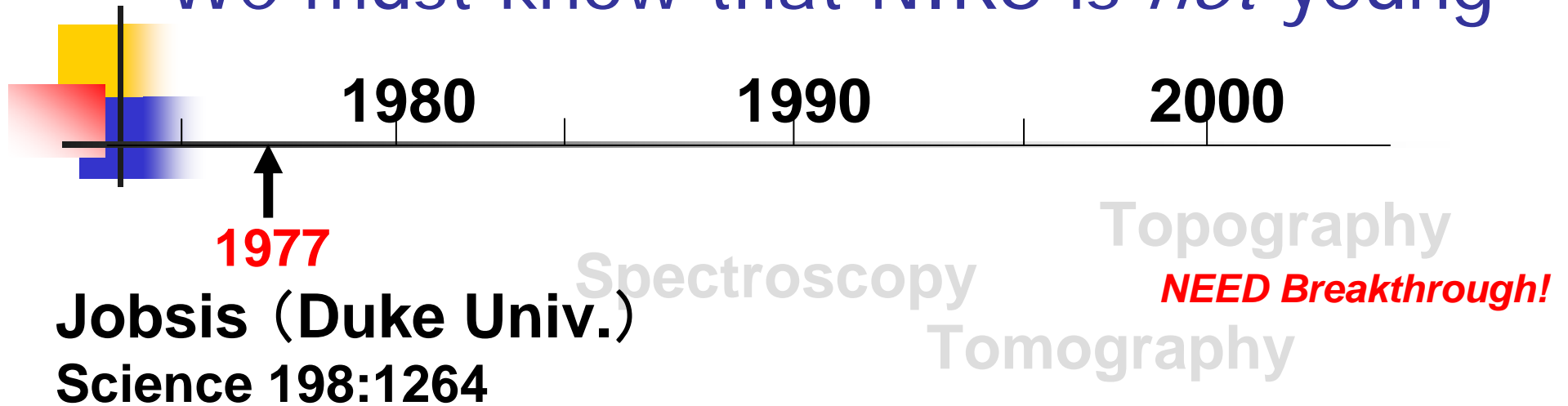
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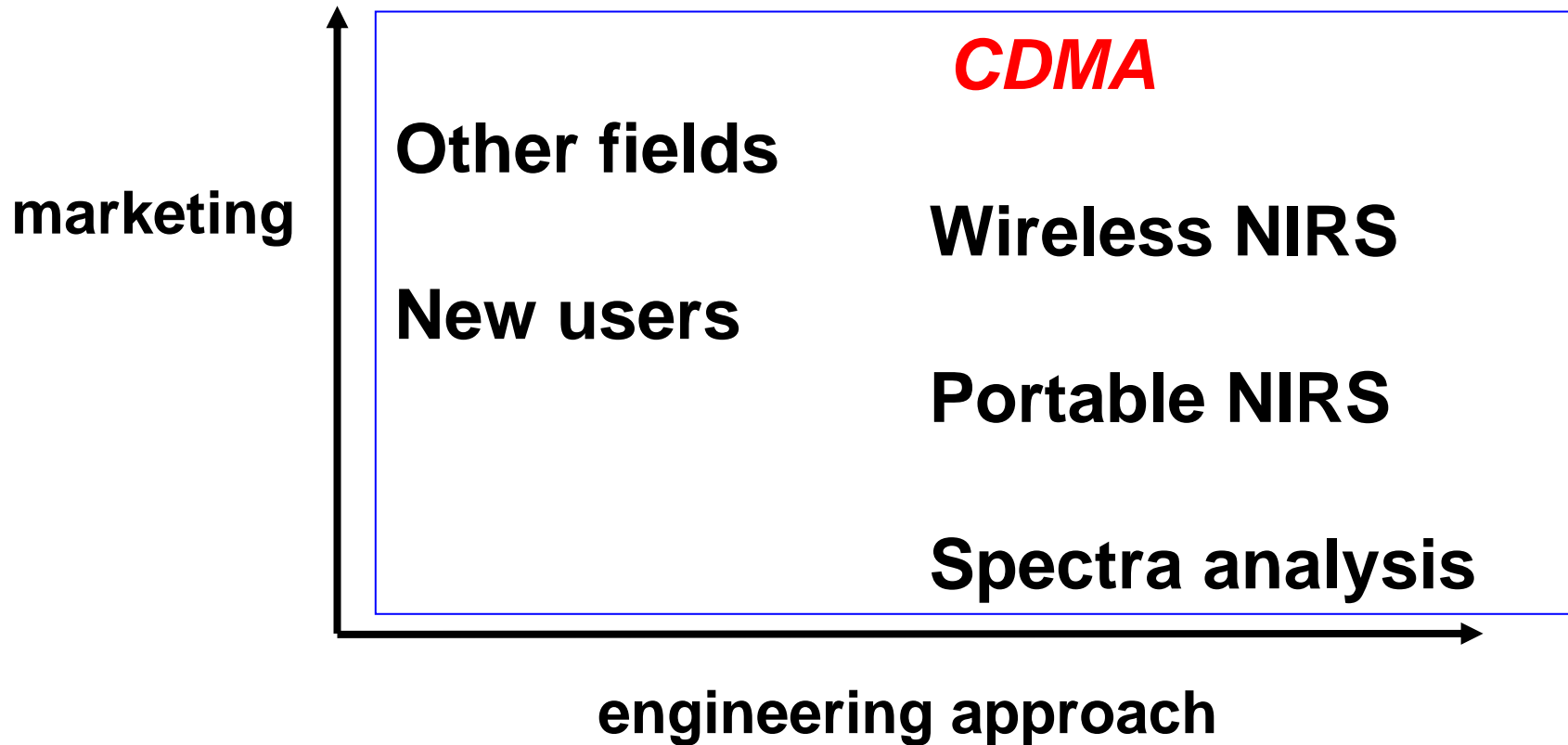
We must know that NIRS is *not* young



8 **Nobel Prize**

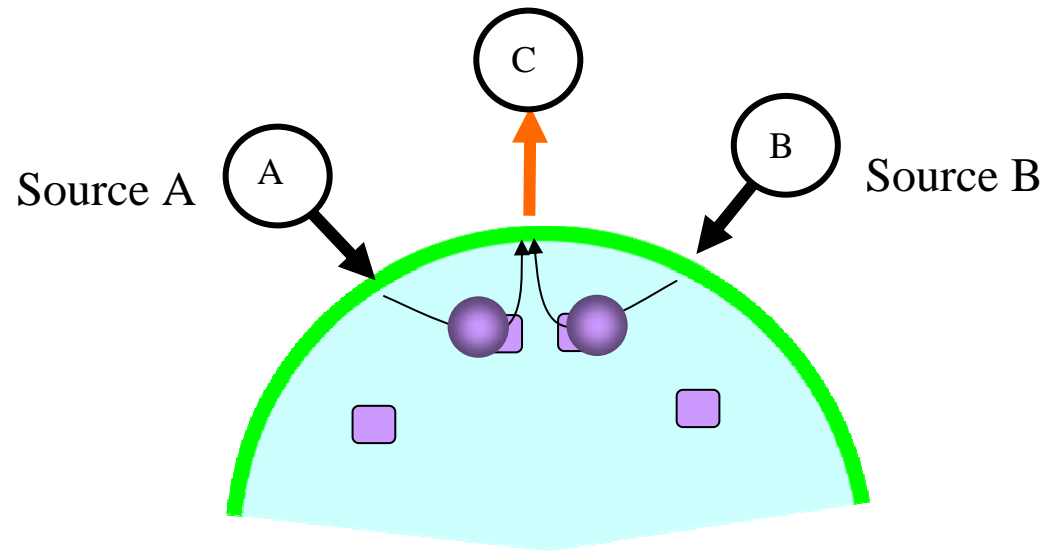


For NIRS breakthrough,
think about 'NIRS Innovation'



Channel separation is needed for NIRS imaging

Detector has to know signal from A or from B.





Channel separation

TDMA (Time Division Multiple Access)

FDMA (Frequency Division Multiple Access)

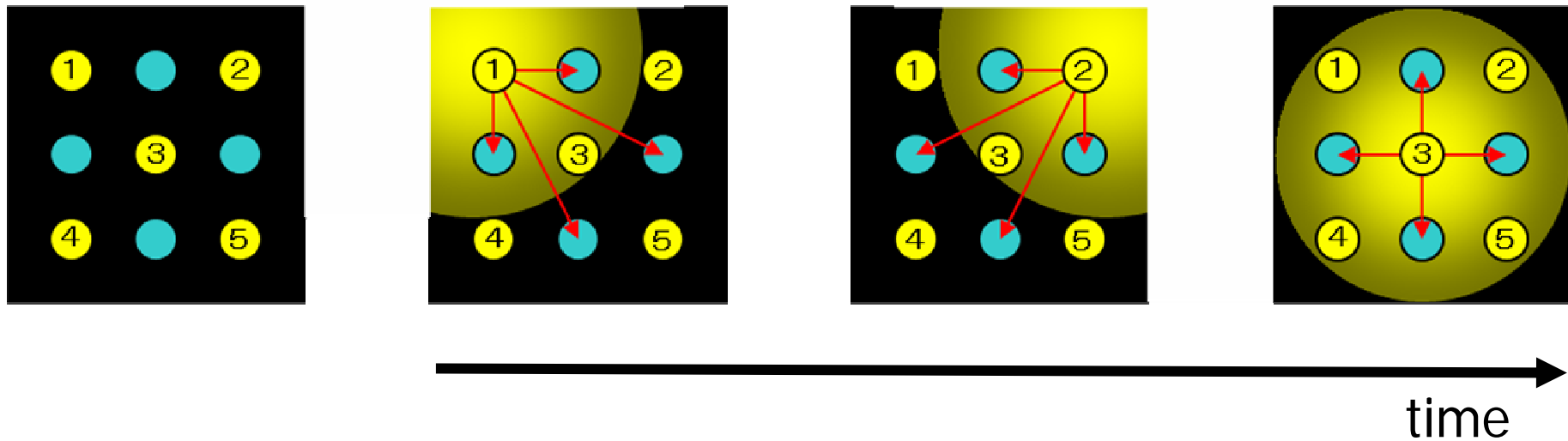
CDMA (Code Division Multiple Access)

TDMA

Time Division Multiple Access

● Source

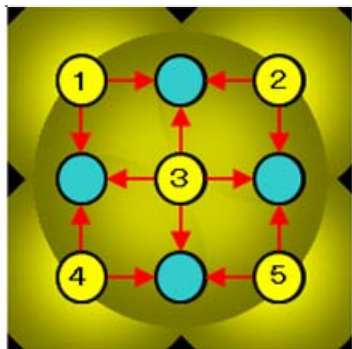
● Detector



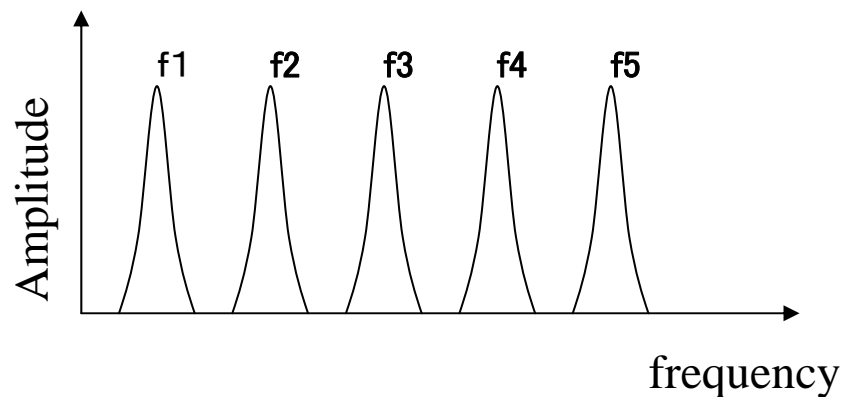
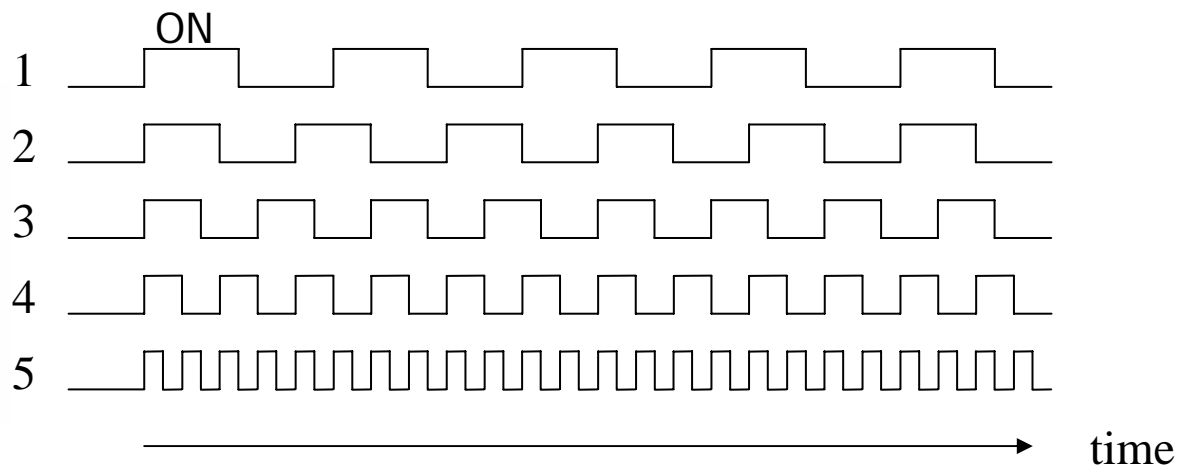
Only one source is ON at the time.

FDMA

Frequency Division Multiple Access



- Source
- Detector





Brief history of CDMA

1959

J.P.Costas, "Poisson Shannon and the Radio Amateur"

1980

EU: Mobile Phone

1993

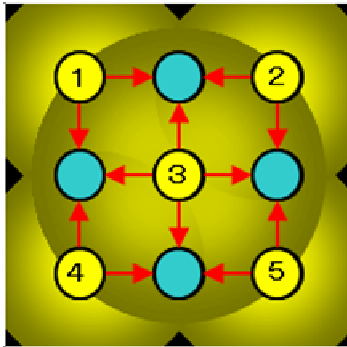
Qualcom(USA); Standard of Digital mobile phone

1993

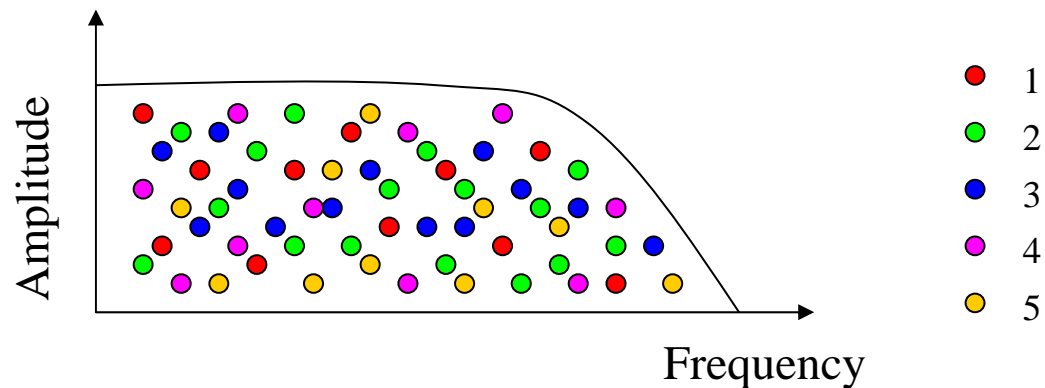
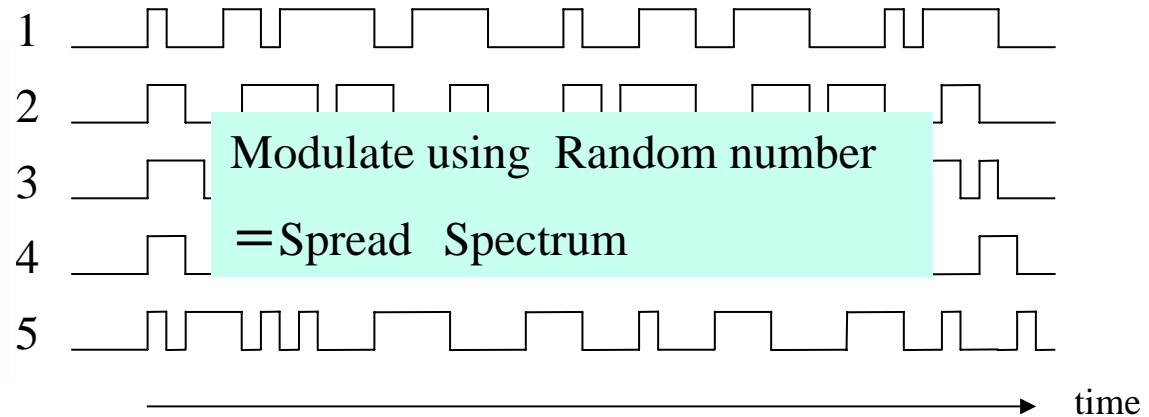
WaveLAN by NCR(USA) came to Japan.

CDMA

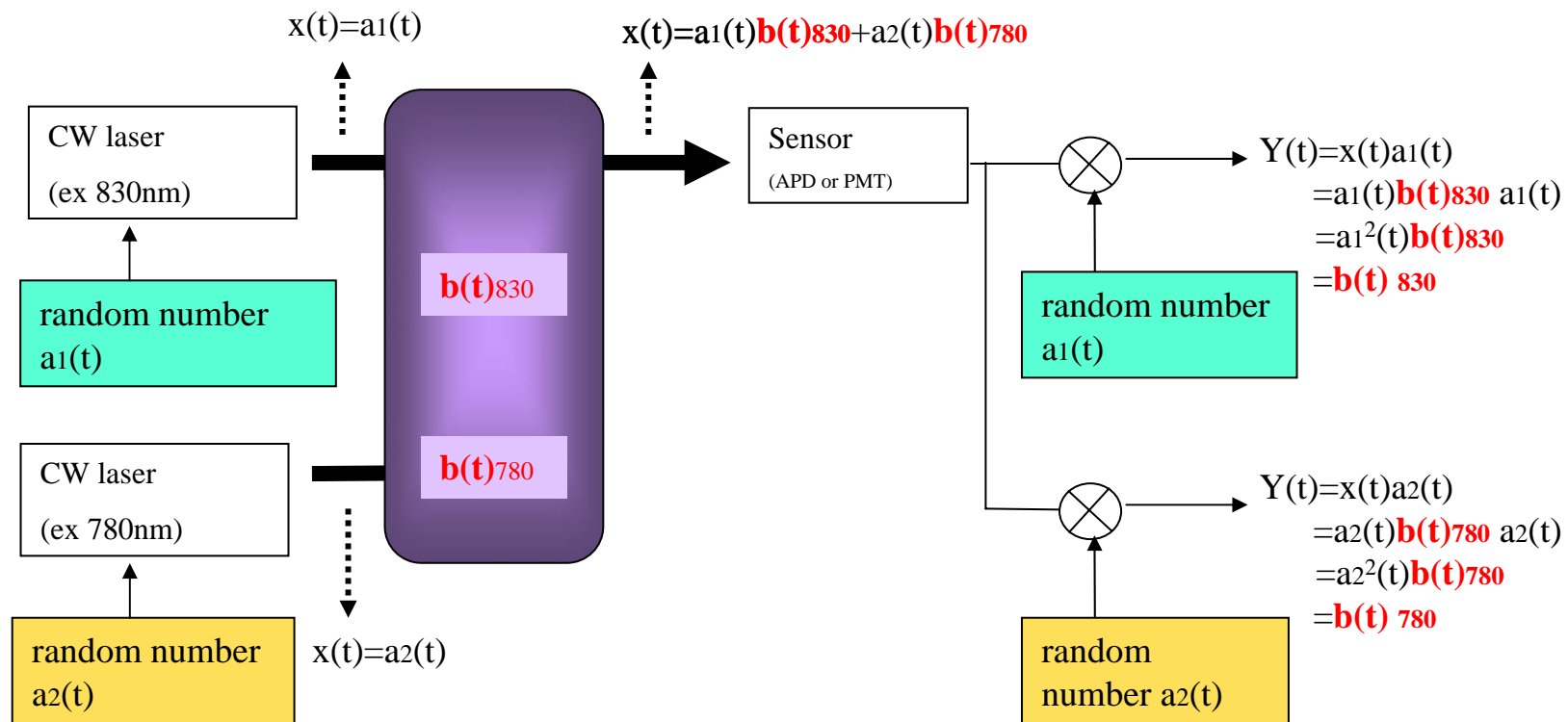
Code Division Multiple Access



- Source
- Detector



Measure tissue information; $b(t)$

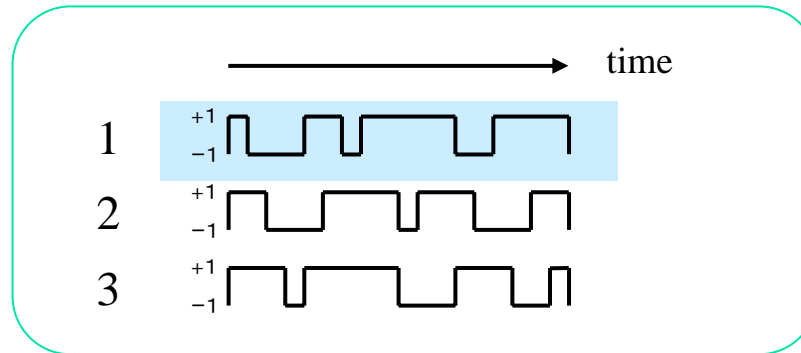


Random number is called as PIN code.

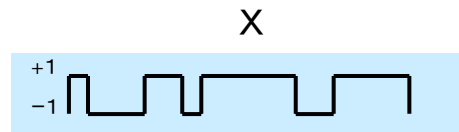
M-series, Hadamard code, Gold series, etc

CDMA mechanism

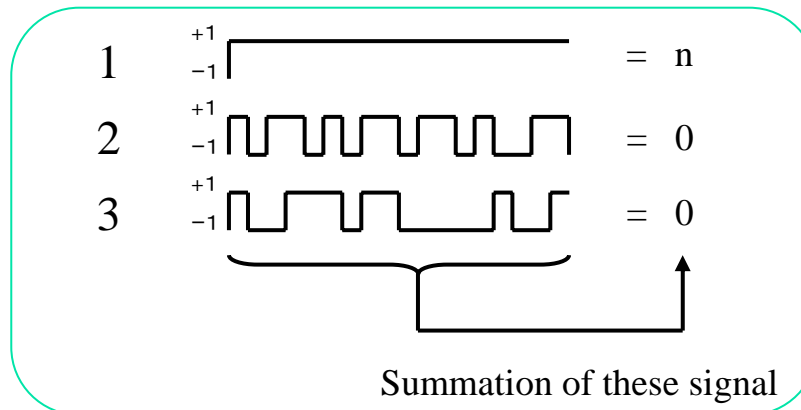
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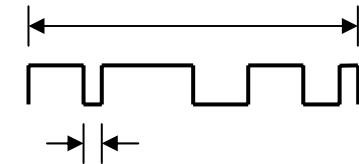
Demodulate by
ch1 waveform



Detector



Bit rate
= Equivalent bandwidth



Chip rate

Diffusivity = bit rate / chip rate
 $2^8 \sim 2^{16}$

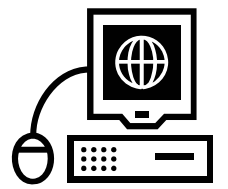


Comparison

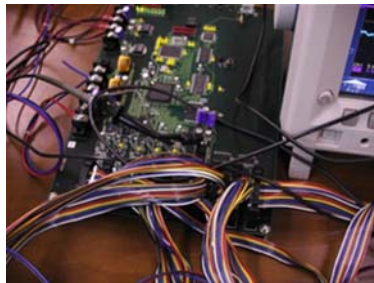
	TDMA	FDMA	CDMA
Theory	easy	complicated	difficult
Increase number of Channels	△	○	◎
Simultaneous measurement	△	◎	◎
High SNR	Zone restrictions	Zone restrictions	Some ways
Influence of external noise	Big	Low	Lowest
Hardware	Easy/Small	Complicated/Large	Easy/Small
Examples	Internet packet	Digital broadcasting (13 segment OFDM)	Mobile Phone GPS(Car navigation)

Experimental setup

Laser 12CH (4 x 3wavelength)

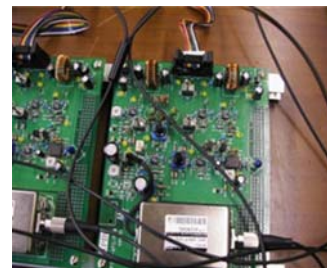


USB



FDMA modulator 12CH
FDMA demodulator 5CH

CDMA modulator 12CH
CDMA demodulator 60CH



Sensor 5
APD zone 100KHz
PMT zone 1MHz

Phantom

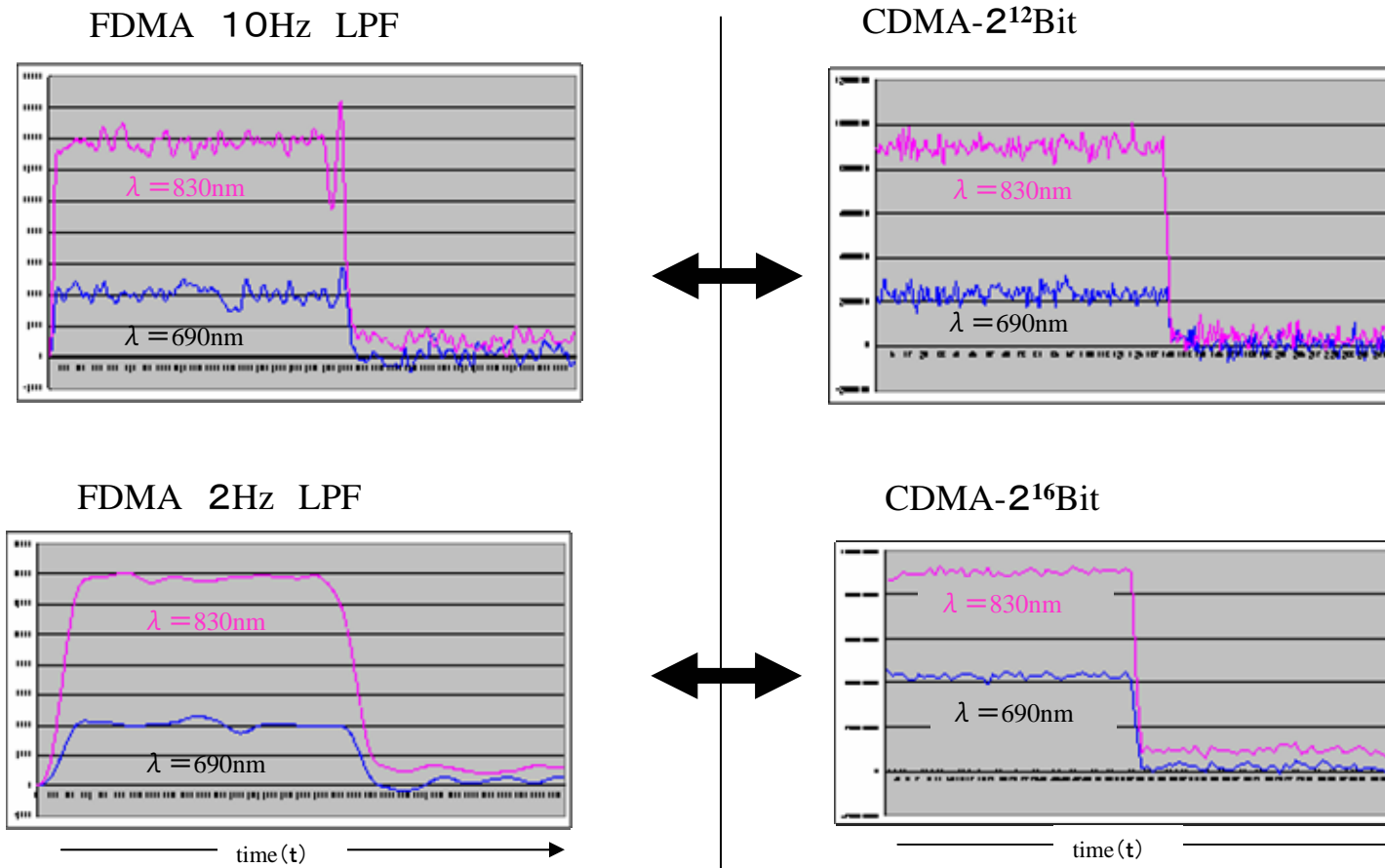


3x3

3mm

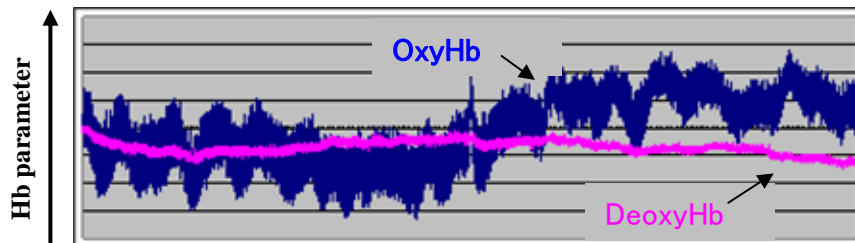
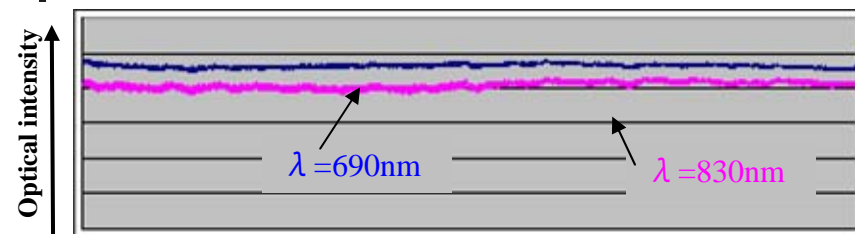
Polyplopilem

Channel separation

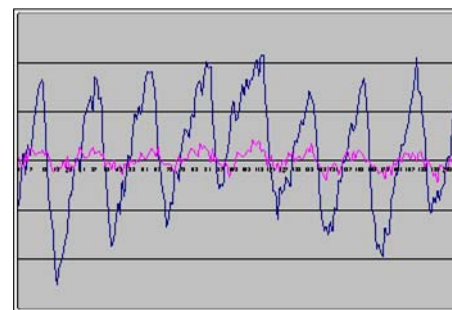


2mW laser output $\times 10^{-7}$

Brain measurement at *rest*

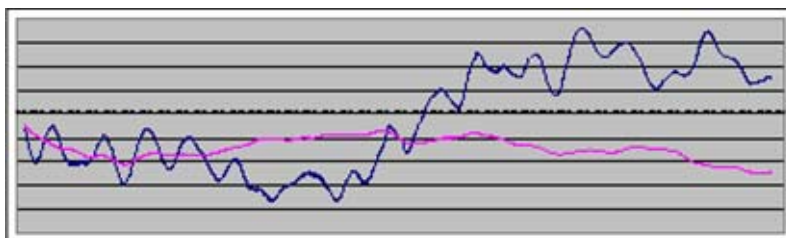


Laser	2mW/830nm + 690nm
Chip rate	1MHz
PMT gain	5×10^6
Measure time	20 sec
Area	Temporal lobe
bit	2^{15} Bit
Equivalent bandwidth	15 Hz
sampling	33 mS
SNR	49.3 dB

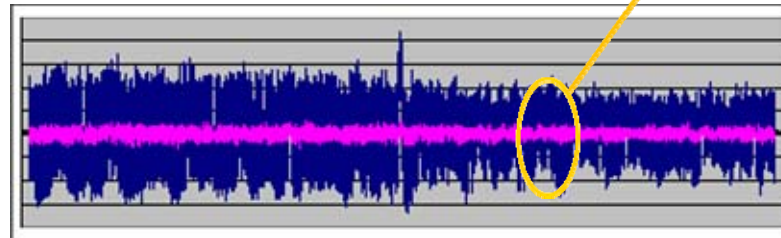


bandwidth → time (120sec)

Low



High



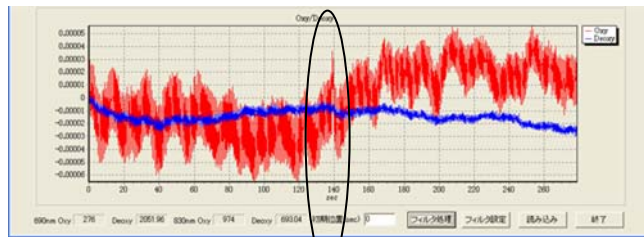
Brain measurement

Nintendo DS Kanji training

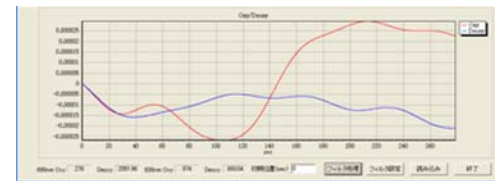
Task: NintendoDS

脳を鍛える大人のDSトレーニング漢字問題

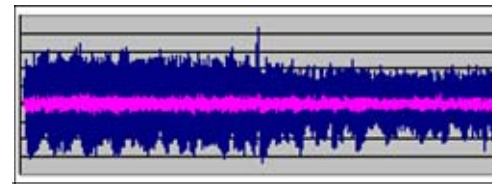
Frontal



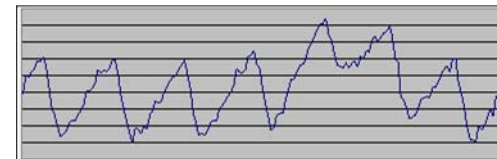
Rest (150sec) Task (150sec)



Low : Δ oxyHb, Δ deoxyHb

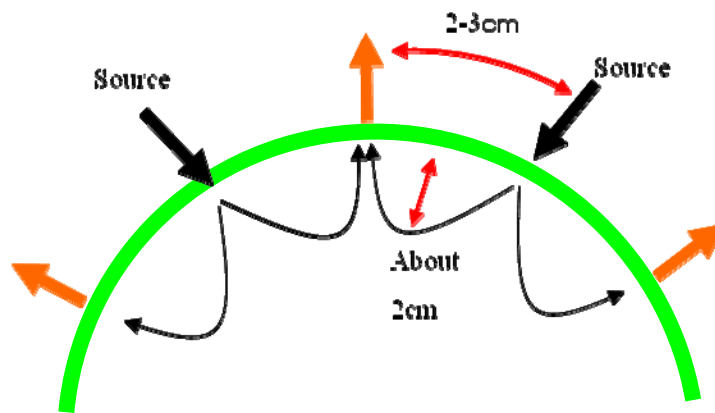


Middle: SO2?

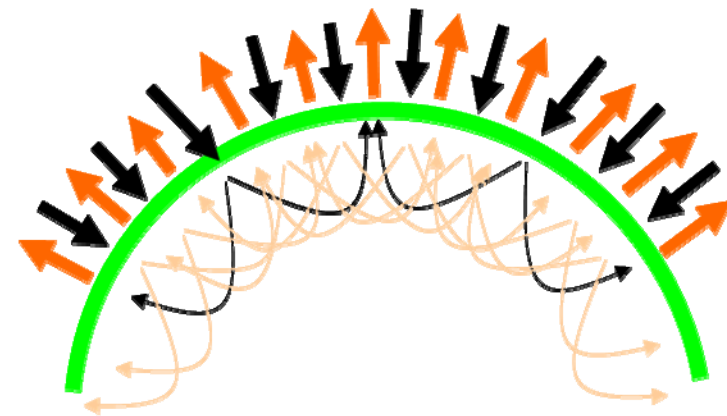


High: Heart Rate

Multiple point detection is easily possible with CDMA



Conventional NIRS

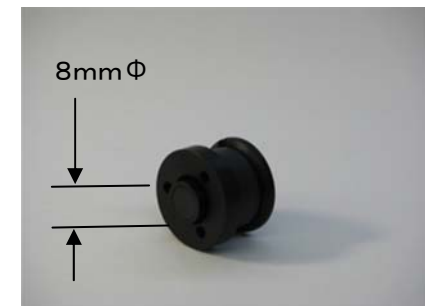


CDMA - NIRS

Spectratech OEG-16

<http://www.spectratech.co.jp/>

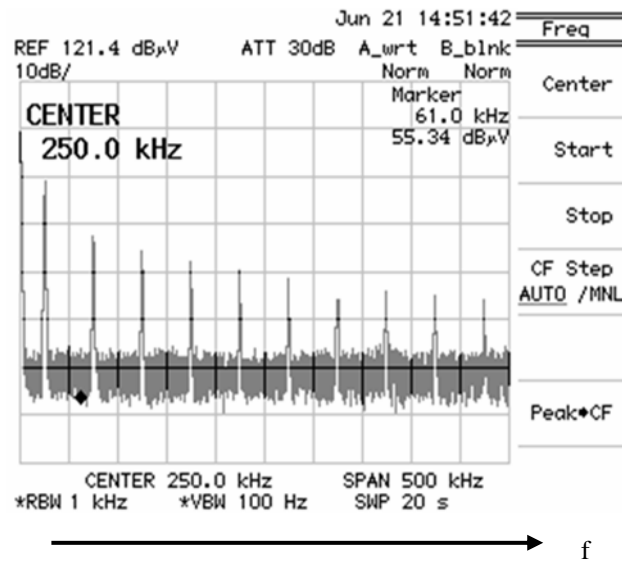
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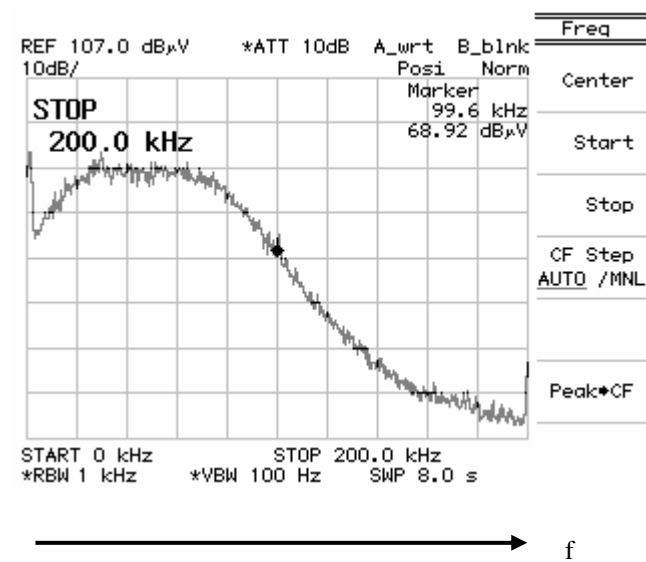
PIN photo diode and Amplifier

<http://www.spectratech.co.jp/>

Spectrum of FDMA and CDMA



FDMA



CDMA



Conclusion

- NIRS basic and history were described.
- For imaging, Channel separation is important.
- TDMA, FDMA, CDMA can be used for NIRS imaging.
- NIRS using CDMA is now on the market. (<http://www.spectratech.co.jp/>)