# Sam SiN Gratings

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## **Imports & Organisation**

```
In []: import os
import math
import numpy as np
import klayout.db as db

from pathlib import Path
from IPython.display import Markdown, display, Image

root = Path().absolute()
out_path = Path(f'{root}/Data')
```

## **Voyager Settings**

- We start by setting up the writefield and chip size for the voyager.
- These remain pretty constant during the exposure, so we can set them as variables at the top.
- The writefield size I will use is 500  $\mu m$ , and the chip size is 15 x 15mm.

```
In [ ]: writefield_height = 1000
    writefield_width = 1000
    chip_height = 15000
    chip_width = 15000
```

- We assume that the database layout will be in  $\mu m$ , so the above numbers are set to these units.
- Later we ensure that the database units are set accordingly.

## **Database Setup**

- It still makes sense to use one database file with several objects within it.
- It makes sense for as long as it keeps the file size down to a minimum.
- Here is where we set the database units to  $\mu m$

```
In [ ]: layout = db.Layout()
  layout.dbu = 0.001
  sample_identifier = 'AN9'
  top_cell = layout.create_cell(f'{sample_identifier}')
```

### **Functions**

- To keep things simple, we can write some of the grating generation as functions.
- Simple things such as making a grating, or a nanohole array.

```
In [ ]: def makes_bars_cell(layout: object,
                            layer: object,
                            period: float,
                            fill_factor: float,
                            bar_height: float,
                            bar_identifier: str) -> object:
            0.00
            Create bar cell with the given dimensions.
            Parameters
            _____
            layout, layer: object
                Database and layer objects from KLayout.
            period, fill_factor, bar_height: float
                Period, fill factor, and height of the bar.
            bar_identifier: string
                Bar cell name.
            Returns
            _____
            bar_cell: object
                Bar cell.
            See Also
            None
            Notes
            ____
            None
            Example
            None
            bar cell = layout.create cell(f'{bar identifier}')
            bar_origin = db.DPoint(0, 0)
            bar = db.DBox(
                bar_origin,
                (bar_origin + db.DVector(period * fill_factor, bar_height)))
            bar_cell.shapes(layer).insert(bar)
            return bar cell
        def makes_hole_cell(layout: object,
                            layer: object,
                            radius: float,
                            number of vertices: int,
                            hole_identifier: str) -> object:
            Create hole cell with given dimensions.
            Parameters
            _____
            layout, layer: object
```

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Database and layer objects from KLayout.
    radius: float
       Hole radius in database units.
    number_of_vertices: int
       Number of polygon vertices.
    hole identifier: string
        Hole cell name.
   Returns
   hole_cell: object
       Hole cell.
   See Also
    _____
    makes_bars_cell
   Notes
   None
   Example
   None
   hole_cell = layout.create_cell(f'{hole_identifier}')
    hole = db.DPolygon.ellipse(
        db.DBox(0 - radius, 0 - radius, 0 + radius, 0 + radius),
        number_of_vertices)
   hole_cell.shapes(layer).insert(hole)
    return hole_cell
def generates texts(layout: object,
                    layer_index: int,
                    dose: float,
                    text_identifier: str,
                    text_string: str,
                    text_magnification: int):
    Generate text string cell in KLayout.
   Parameters
    -----
   layout: object
        Database object from KLayout.
   layer index, text magnification: int
        KLayout layer number and text size.
    dose: float
       Text layer dose.
    text_identifier, text_string: string
        Text cell name and text to write.
   Returns
    text_cell: object
       Text cell.
   See Also
```

```
makes_bars_cell
    Notes
    ____
    None
   Example
   None
    text_layer = layout.layer(layer_index, dose)
   text_cell = layout.create_cell(f'{text_identifier}')
   generator = db.TextGenerator.default_generator()
   region = generator.text(
        text_string,
        layout.dbu,
        text_magnification)
    text_cell.shapes(text_layer).insert(region)
    return text_cell
def makes_gratings_cell(layout: object,
                        grating_bar: object,
                        period: float,
                        grating_length: float,
                        grating_identifier: str) -> object:
    Create a grating cell with the given bar cell, period, and grating length.
   Parameters
    _____
   layout, grating_bar: object
        Database and cell objects from KLayout.
   period, grating_length: float
        Period or the grating and grating length in database units.
    grating_identifier: string
       Grating cell name.
   Returns
    -----
   grating_cell: object
       Grating cell.
   See Also
   makes bars cell
    Notes
    ____
   This makes a 1D grating with a period in X.
   Example
    _____
   None
    grating_cell = layout.create_cell(f'{grating_identifier}')
    x_vector = db.DVector(period, 0)
```

```
num_x = math.floor(grating_length / period)
    y_vector = db.DVector()
   num_y = 1
   grating_cell.insert(
        db.DCellInstArray(
            grating_bar.cell_index(),
            db.DTrans(),
           x_vector,
            y_vector,
            num_x,
            num_y))
    return grating_cell
def makes_nanohole_cell(layout: object,
                        hole_cell: object,
                        period_x: float,
                        period_y: float,
                        grating_length: float,
                        grating_height: float,
                        grating_identifier: str) -> object:
    Create a nanohole cell with the given hole cell, period, and grating length.
   Parameters
    _____
   layout, grating_bar: object
        Database and cell objects from KLayout.
    period_x, period_y, grating_length, grating_height: float
        Period of the grating and grating length in database units.
    grating_identifier: string
       Grating cell name.
   Returns
    _____
   grating_cell: object
       Grating cell.
   See Also
    _____
   makes hole cell
   Notes
    ____
   This makes a 2D grating with a period in X and Y.
   Example
    _____
    None
   grating_cell = layout.create_cell(f'{grating_identifier}')
   x_vector = db.DVector(period_x, 0)
   num_x = math.floor(grating_length / period_x)
   y_vector = db.DVector(0, period_y)
   num_y = math.floor(grating_height / period_y)
    grating_cell.insert(
        db.DCellInstArray(
            hole_cell.cell_index(),
            db.DTrans(),
```

```
x_vector,
            y_vector,
            num_x,
            num_y))
    return grating_cell
def chirped_coordinates(periods: list,
                        heights: list,
                        writefield_width: float) -> list:
    .....
    Parameters
    periods, heights: list
        Grating periods at the extreme left, central, and extreme right. Grating
        heights at the same values.
   Returns
    x_coords, y_coords: list
        List of x and y coordinates for the chirped bars.
    See Also
    _____
    None
    Notes
    ____
    None
    Example
    None
    number_periods = math.floor(writefield_width / max(periods))
    x central = []
    for period in periods:
        temporary = np.arange(
            - number_periods / 2 * period,
            (number periods / 2 * period) + period,
            period)
        x_central.append(list(temporary))
    x_cen = list(
        np.asarray(x_central).reshape(len(periods), -2).transpose())
    x_{coords} = []
    y_coords = []
    for x c in x cen:
        x_c = list(x_c)
        temporary_x = []
        temporary_y = []
        for x, p, h in zip(x_c, periods, heights):
            temporary_x.append(x - (p / 2))
            temporary_y.append(h)
        for x, p, h in zip(reversed(x_c), reversed(periods), reversed(heights)):
            temporary_x.append(x - (p / 2) + (p * (1 - ff)))
            temporary_y.append(h)
        x_coords.append(temporary_x)
        y_coords.append(temporary_y)
    return x_coords, y_coords
```

```
def make_chirpedgrating(layout: object,
                        layer: object,
                        periods: list,
                        heights: list,
                        writefield_width: float,
                        grating_identifier: str) -> object:
    0.00
   Parameters
    _____
   layout, layer: object
        Database and layer objected from KLayout.
    periods, heights: list
        Grating periods and heights for grating extremes.
   writefield_width: float
        Writefield width in database units.
    grating_identifier: str
       Grating cell name
   Returns
    _____
   grating_cell: object
       Grating cell.
   See Also
    _____
    chirped_coordinates
   Notes
    ____
    None
    Example
    _____
   None
    grating_cell = layout.create_cell(f'{grating_identifier}')
    x_coordinates, y_coordinates = chirped_coordinates(
        periods=periods,
        heights=heights,
        writefield width=writefield width)
    for x, y in zip(x_coordinates, y_coordinates):
        points = []
        for point in zip(x, y):
            points.append(db.DPoint(*point))
        grating_cell.shapes(layer).insert(db.DPolygon(points))
    return grating_cell
```

## **Database Design**

• We know the periods, fill factors, etc for this chip from the previous design, and I will keep things constant again for now.

#### **Gratings Dictionary**

• Add the grating dictionaries at the top of the database.

```
In [ ]: gratings_dictionary = {}
```

#### **Chip Outline**

Create the zero dose chip outline layer.

```
In [ ]: chip_cell = layout.create_cell('Chip_Outline')
    layer_index = 0
    layer = layout.layer(layer_index, 0)
```

• Now we draw the objects based on the above chip outline dimensions.

• Finally, add the chip outline boxes to the chip\_cell.

Out[]: box (0,15000000;15000000,15100000)

#### **Flat Gratings**

- Let's start with the flat gratings.
- We are going to use a bunch of different gratings with different periods and different dose factor scalars.
- So we start by setting up those ranges.

```
In [ ]: dose_factors = np.arange(1, 2.1, 0.5)
    periods = range(420, 491, 10)
    fill_factors = np.arange(0.6, 0.81, 0.1)
    grating_spacing = 500
    text_magnification = 60
    text_spacing = 100
```

Now we set up the dose cells.

- The dose cells will contain rows of gratings.
- Remember that we need to scale the dose factor by 1000.
- Note that when are replicating the same shape, then we use a different instance of DCellInstArray.

```
In [ ]: layer_index = 1
        text layer = layout.layer(len(dose factors) + 1, 2000)
        flat_cell = layout.create_cell('Flat_Gratings')
        for i, dose in enumerate(dose_factors):
            layer = layout.layer(layer_index + i, dose * 1000)
            dose_cell = layout.create_cell(f'Flat_df{dose}')
            dose_text_cell = layout.create_cell(f'FlatText_df{dose}')
            for j, ffs in enumerate(fill_factors):
                ff = round(ffs, 1)
                ff_cell = layout.create_cell(f'Flat_df{dose}_ff{ff}')
                ff_text_cell = layout.create_cell(f'FlatText_df{dose}_ff{ff}')
                for k, period in enumerate(periods):
                     grating period = period / 1000 # scale to database units
                     grating_identifier = f'{sample_identifier}.flat.{i}.{j}.{k}'
                     gratings dictionary.update(
                         {grating_identifier: f'df{dose}_p{period}_ff{ff}'})
                     bar_cell = makes_bars_cell(
                         layout=layout,
                         layer=layer,
                         period=grating_period,
                         fill_factor=ff,
                         bar_height=writefield_height,
                         bar_identifier=f'FlatBar_df{dose}_p{period}_ff{ff}')
                     grating_cell = makes_gratings_cell(
                         layout=layout,
                         grating bar=bar cell,
                         period=grating_period,
                         grating_length=writefield_width,
                         grating_identifier=(
                             f'FlatGrating_df{dose}_p{period}_ff{ff}'))
                     text cell = generates texts(
                         layout=layout,
                         layer index=len(dose factors) + 1,
                         dose=2000,
                         text identifier=f'FlatText df{dose} p{period} ff{ff}',
                         text_string=grating_identifier,
                         text magnification=text magnification)
                     ff cell.insert(
                         db.DCellInstArray(
                             grating_cell.cell_index(),
                             db.DTrans(
                                 db.DVector(
                                     k * (writefield_width + grating_spacing),
                                     0))))
                     ff_text_cell.insert(
                         db.DCellInstArray(
                             text_cell.cell_index(),
                             db.DTrans(
                                 db.DVector(
                                     k * (writefield_width + grating_spacing),
                                     writefield_height + text_spacing))))
                 dose_cell.insert(
                     db.DCellInstArray(
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ff_cell.cell_index(),
            db.DTrans(
                db.DVector(
                    0,
                    j * (writefield_width + grating_spacing)))))
    dose text cell.insert(
        db.DCellInstArray(
            ff_text_cell.cell_index(),
            db.DTrans(
                db.DVector(
                    0,
                    j * (writefield width + grating spacing)))))
flat_cell.insert(
    db.DCellInstArray(
        dose_cell.cell_index(),
        db.DTrans(
            db.DVector(
                0,
                i * (
                        (writefield_height * len(fill_factors)) +
                        (grating_spacing * len(fill_factors)))))))
flat_cell.insert(
    db.DCellInstArray(
        dose_text_cell.cell_index(),
        db.DTrans(
            db.DVector(
                0,
                i * (
                        (writefield_height * len(fill_factors)) +
                        (grating_spacing * len(fill_factors)))))))
```

# Patterning the Chip

- This bit can be done either within KLayout or on the chip.
- We start by adding the cells to the top cell.
- The cell names are:
  - chip cell
  - flat\_cell

Out[]: cell\_index=2 r0 1800000,1000000

### **Database Write Out**

• Finish by writing the database to a file.

```
In [ ]: layout.write(f'{out_path}/Sam_AN9_231019.gds')
Out[ ]: <klayout.dbcore.Layout at 0x18d67f4db60>
```