



# Nanotechnology of graphene

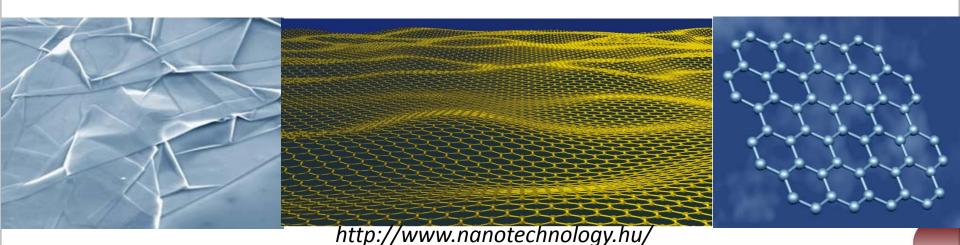


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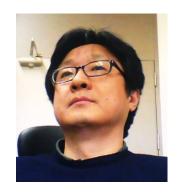




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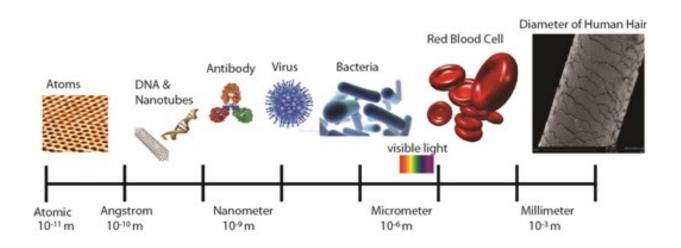


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"Nanotechnology is the understanding and control of matter at dimensions of roughly 1 to 100 nanometers, where unique phenomena enable novel applications."

## -National Nanotechnology Initiative



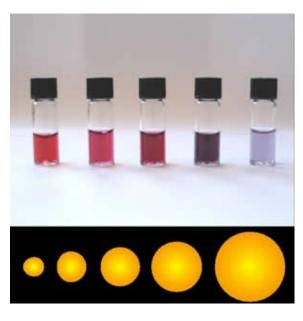


# What's the BIG deal about something so SMALL?

It's not just about miniaturization.



### Gold nanoparticles

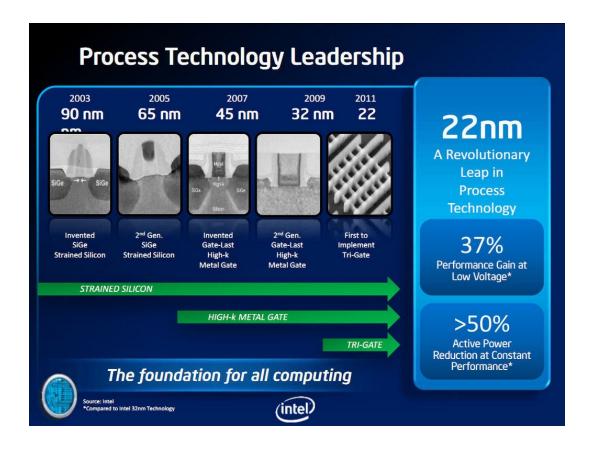


5 nm ... 15nm

Materials behave differently at this scale - Quantum Mechanics - Size Effects





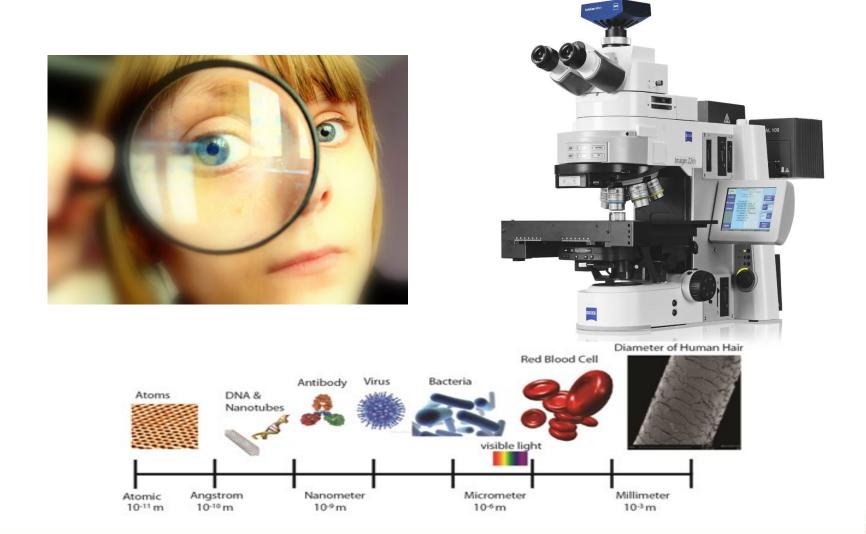


Yes and No! Their size is nano, but the operation principles are classical not quantum. Nanotechnology is not simply miniaturization!



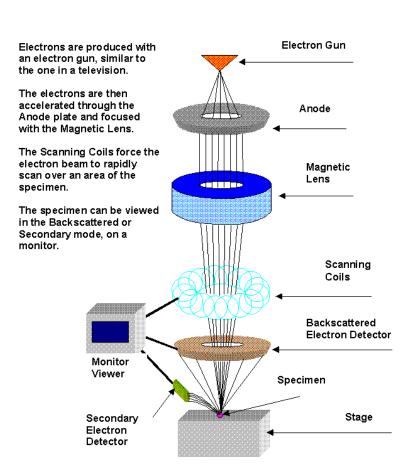


### How can we access the nano-scale world?





## Electron microscopy



#### **JEOL 3010**





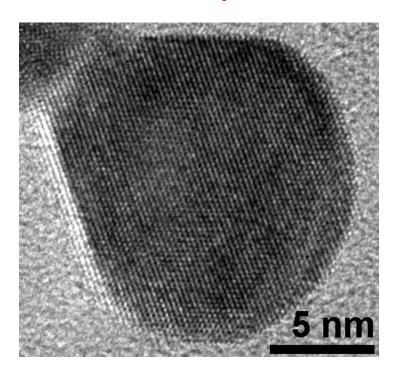


## Electron microscopy

## DNA

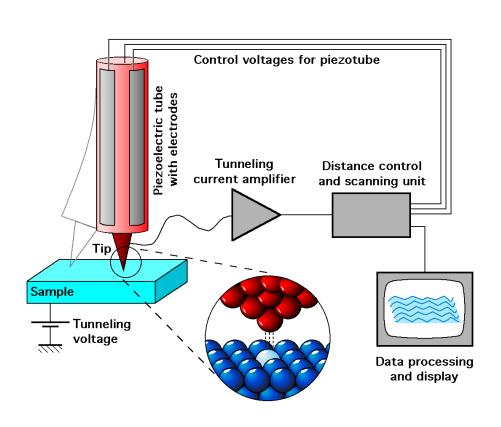


## Gold nanoparticle





# Scanning Tunneling Microscopy

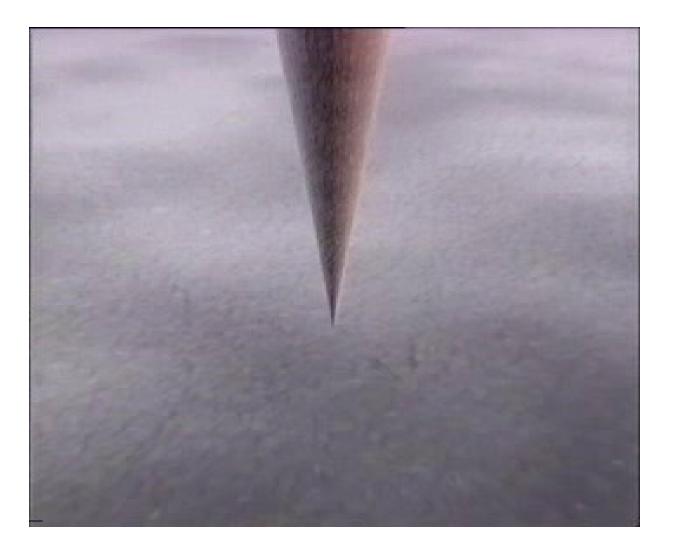






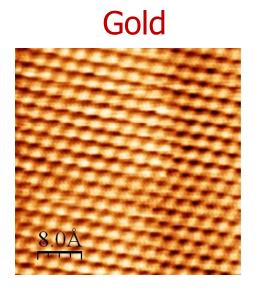


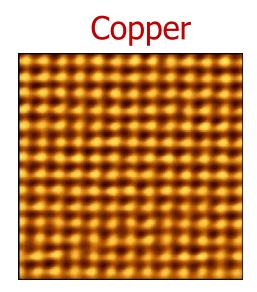
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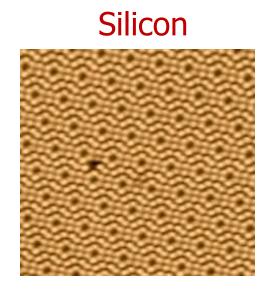


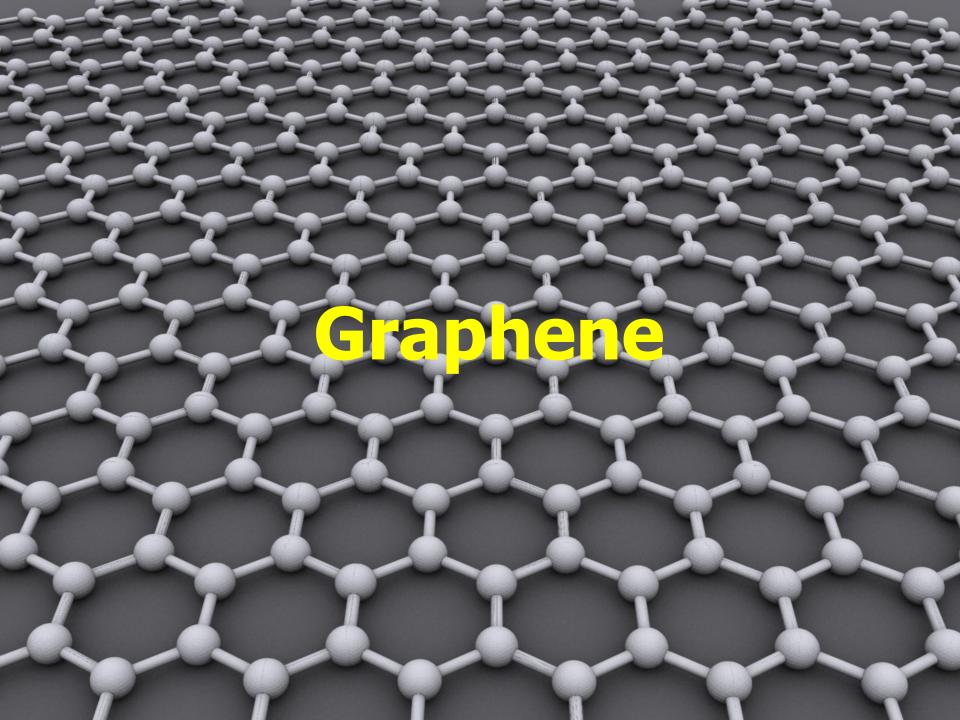


## Scanning Tunneling Microscopy Imaging





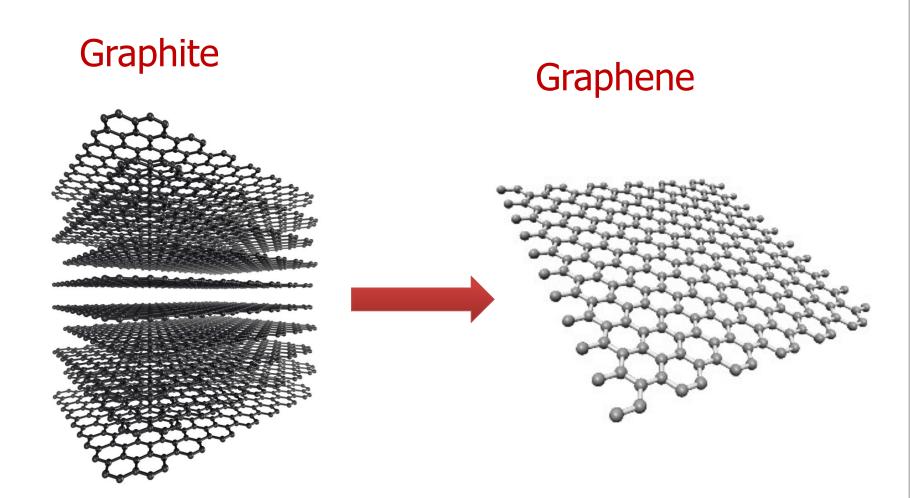








# What is Graphene?







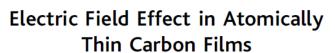


# Physics Nobel Prize - 2010



Andre Geim Kostya Novoselov

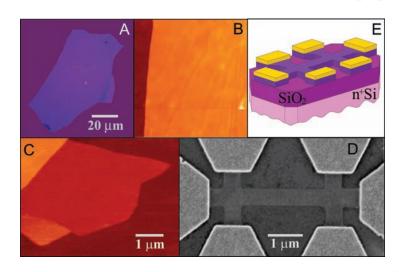
"for groundbreaking experiments regarding the two dimensional material graphene"



K. S. Novoselov, <sup>1</sup> A. K. Geim, <sup>1\*</sup> S. V. Morozov, <sup>2</sup> D. Jiang, <sup>1</sup> Y. Zhang, <sup>1</sup> S. V. Dubonos, <sup>2</sup> I. V. Grigorieva, <sup>1</sup> A. A. Firsov <sup>2</sup>

We describe monocrystalline graphitic films, which are a few atoms thick but are nonetheless stable under ambient conditions, metallic, and of remarkably high quality. The films are found to be a two-dimensional semimetal with a tiny overlap between valence and conductance bands, and they exhibit a strong ambipolar electric field effect such that electrons and holes in concentrations up to  $10^{13}$  per square centimeter and with room-temperature mobilities of  $\sim 10,000$  square centimeters per volt-second can be induced by applying gate voltage.

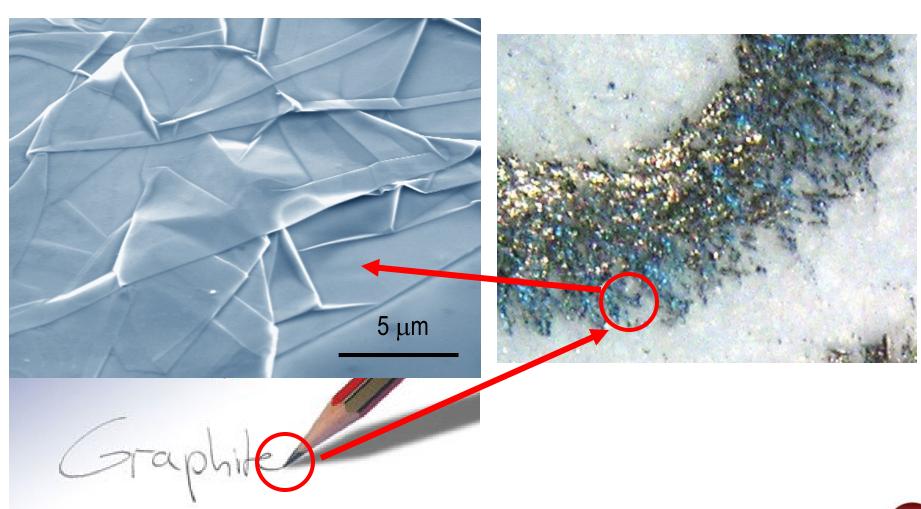
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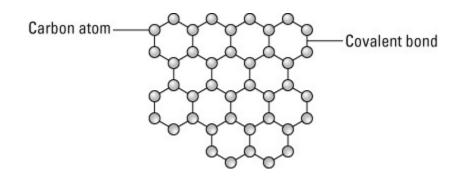


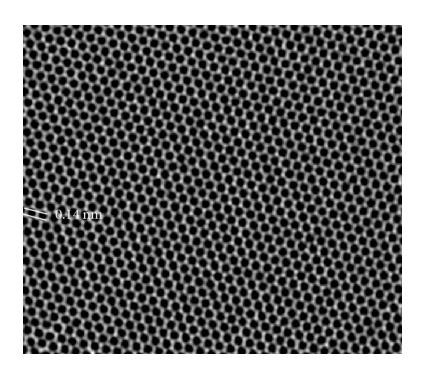
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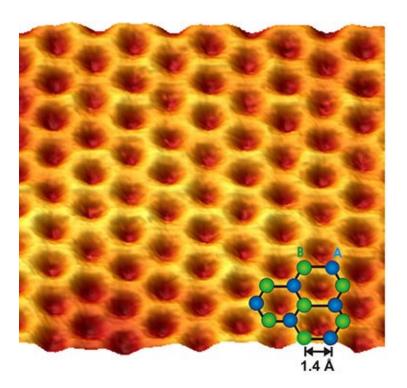




# Imaging graphene







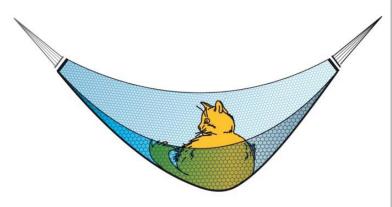
Electron microscopy

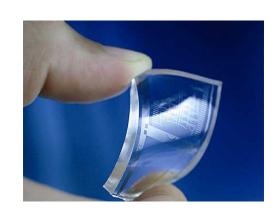
**STM** 





- The thinnest possible material
- · Mechanically stable
- Elastically deformable by up to 20%
- The strongest material ever measured (42 N m<sup>-1</sup>)
- Best conductor (1000x better than silicon)
- Excellent heat conductor (5000 Wm<sup>-1</sup>K<sup>-1</sup>)
- Transparent for all visible wavelength (2.7% absorption)



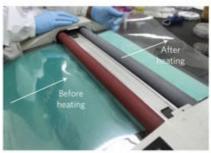


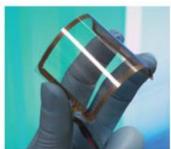


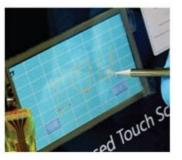


# Graphene – applications

#### Flexible displays and touch screens, wearable solar cells







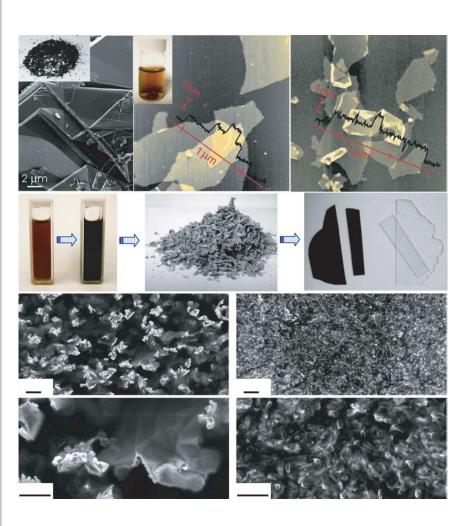








# Graphene applications – composite materials













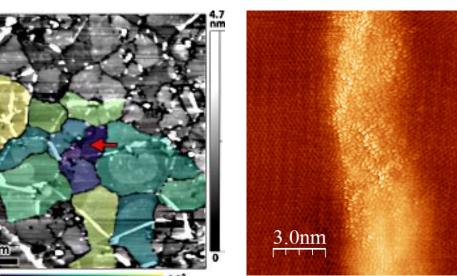




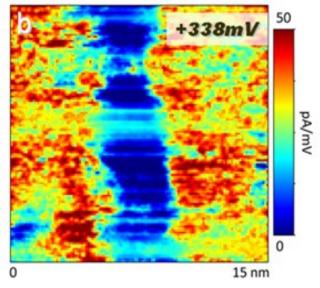




**Topography** 



Conductivity

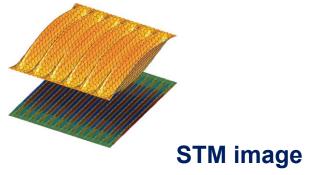


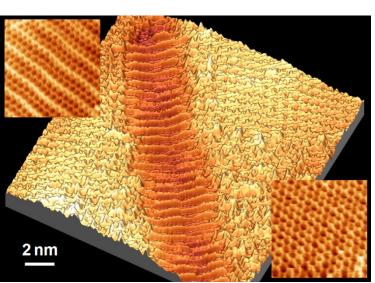
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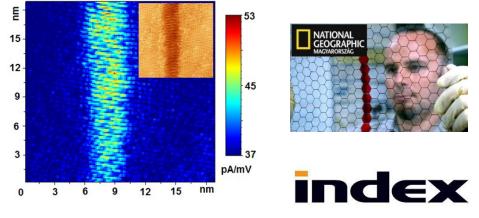


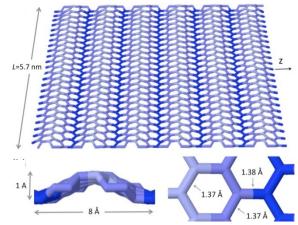
# Strain-engineering graphene superlattices with sub-nanometer precision





#### **Electronic superlattice**

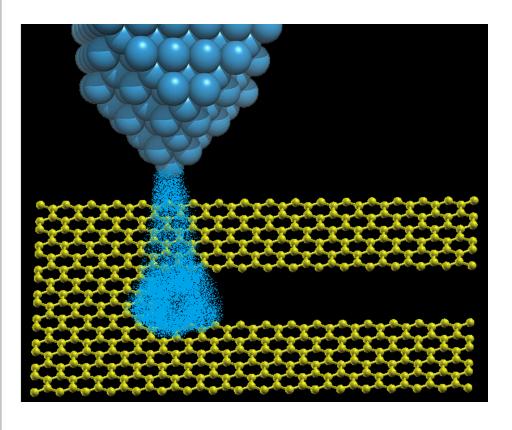




 $\lambda$  = **0.7** nm !!!



## STM nanofabrication of graphene



 Atomic resolution allows lattice orientation



Local modification - cutting



Sub-nanometer precision

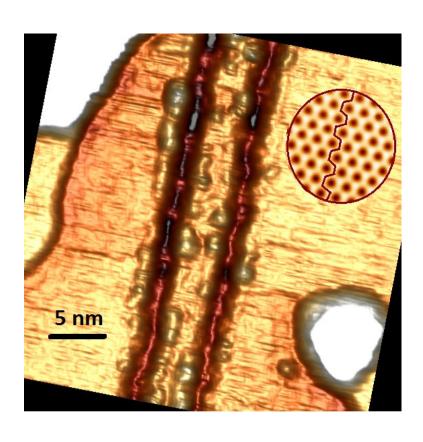


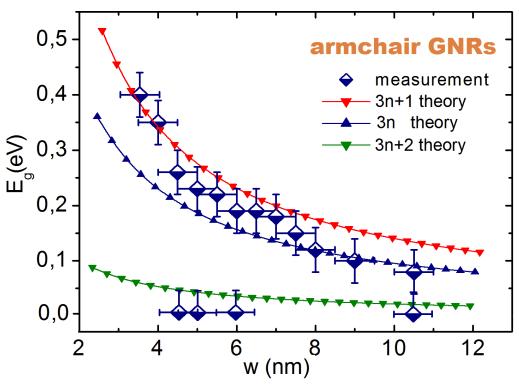
 Control over the crystallographic edge orientation





## Engineering the electronic properties of grpahene

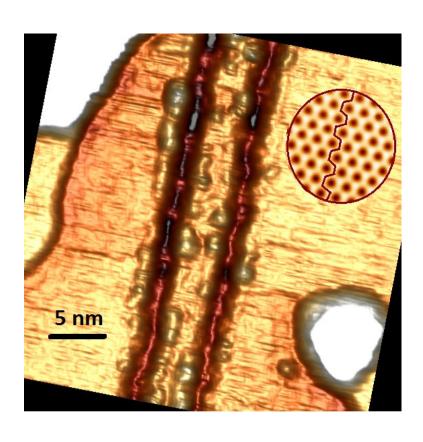


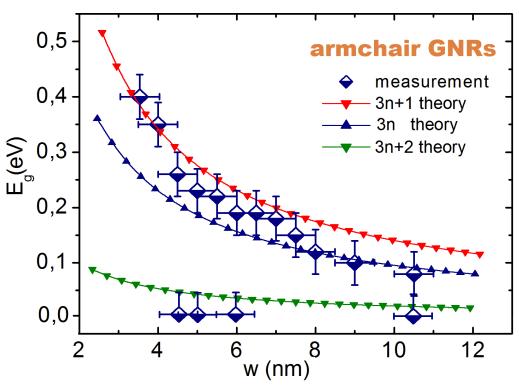






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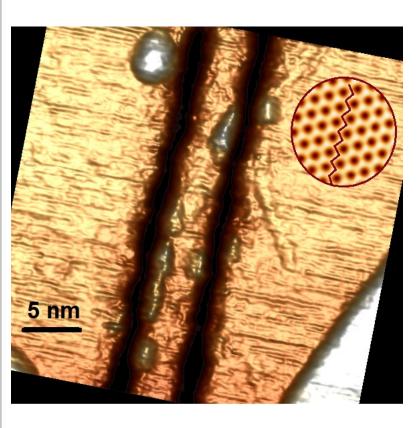


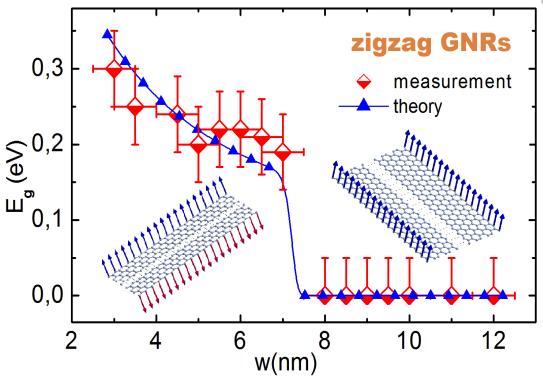






## Engineering the magnetic properties of graphene









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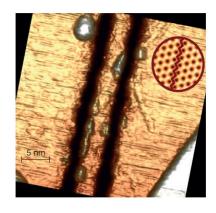


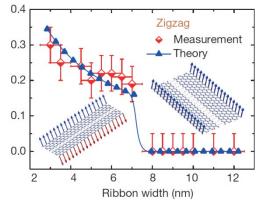
## Room-temperature magnetic order on zigzag edges of narrow graphene nanoribbons

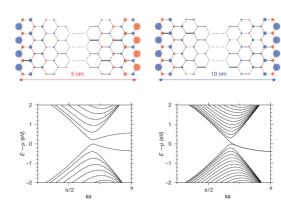
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The possibility that non-magnetic materials such as carbon could exhibit a novel type of s-p electron magnetism has attracted much attention over the years, not least because such magnetic order is predicted to be stable at high temperatures1. It has been demonstrated that atomic-scale structural defects of graphene can host unpaired spins<sup>2,3</sup>, but it remains unclear under what conditions long-range magnetic order can emerge from such defect-bound magnetic moments.

a considerable, nanometre-scale edge roughness, suppressing orientation effects14. Scanning tunnelling microscopy (STM) study of irregularly shaped graphene ribbons revealed that structures with more zigzag edges display smaller bandgaps than those with more armchair edges 15. This is clearly indicative of edge-specific physics; however, the lack of orientation control did not allow a more systematic insight. In theory, there is a broad consensus that graphene nanoribbons with armchair



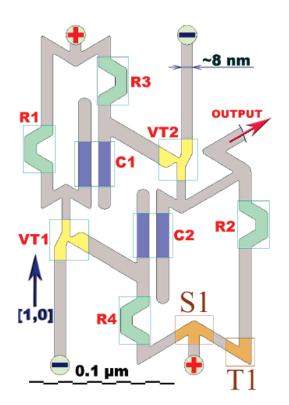


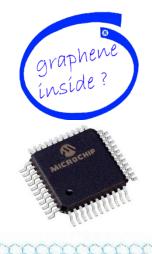


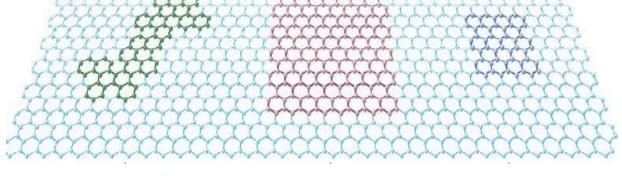
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# Graphene nanoelectronics







- Ultrafast operation
- Ultra low power consumption



"Nanotechnology is an enabling technology that will change the nature of almost every human-made object in the next century."

-National Science and Technology Council -





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