



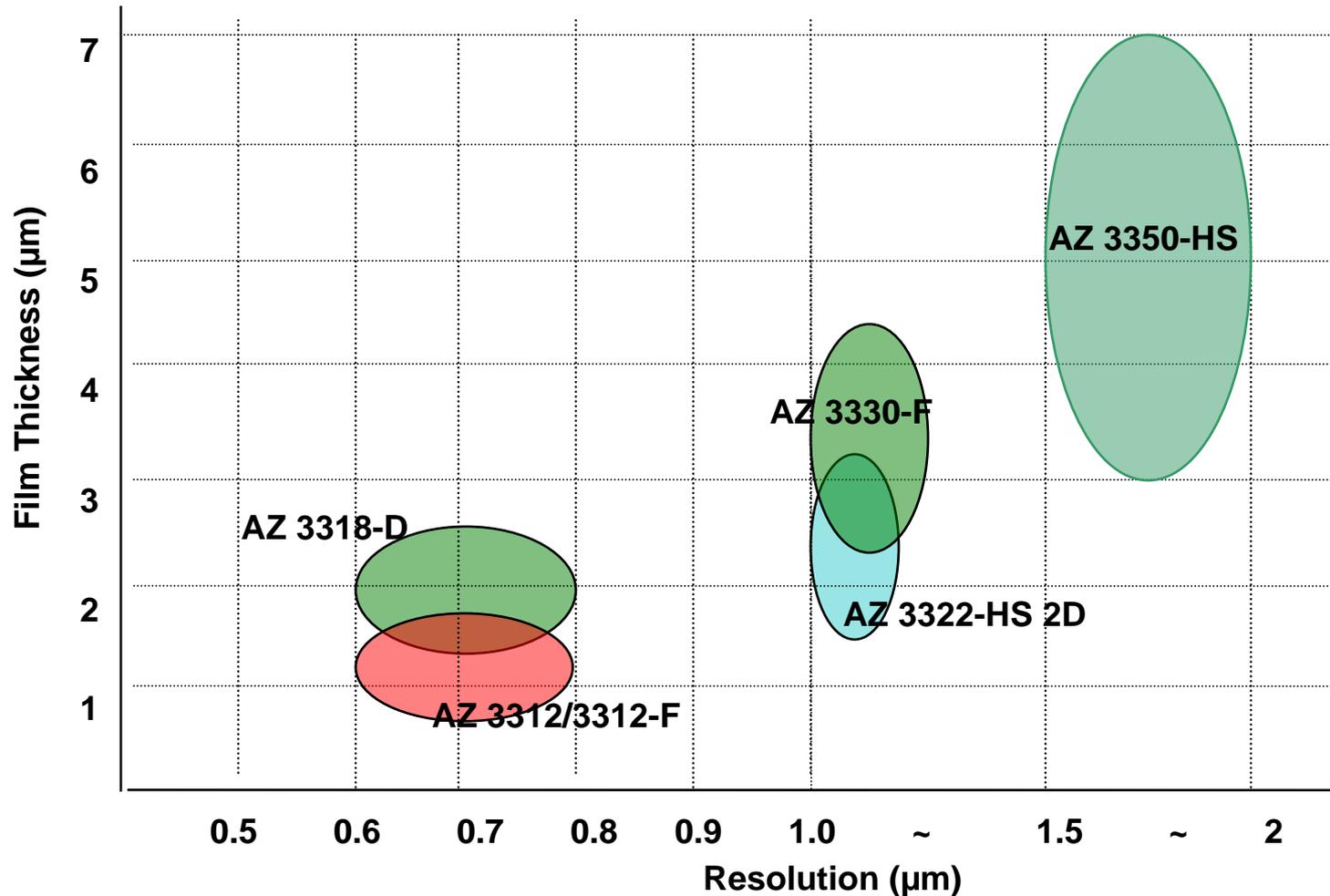
**AZ Electronic Materials**

# **AZ 3312 Photoresist (18cps) Data Package**

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# AZ 3300 Photoresist

## i-line Resolution at Specific Film Thickness



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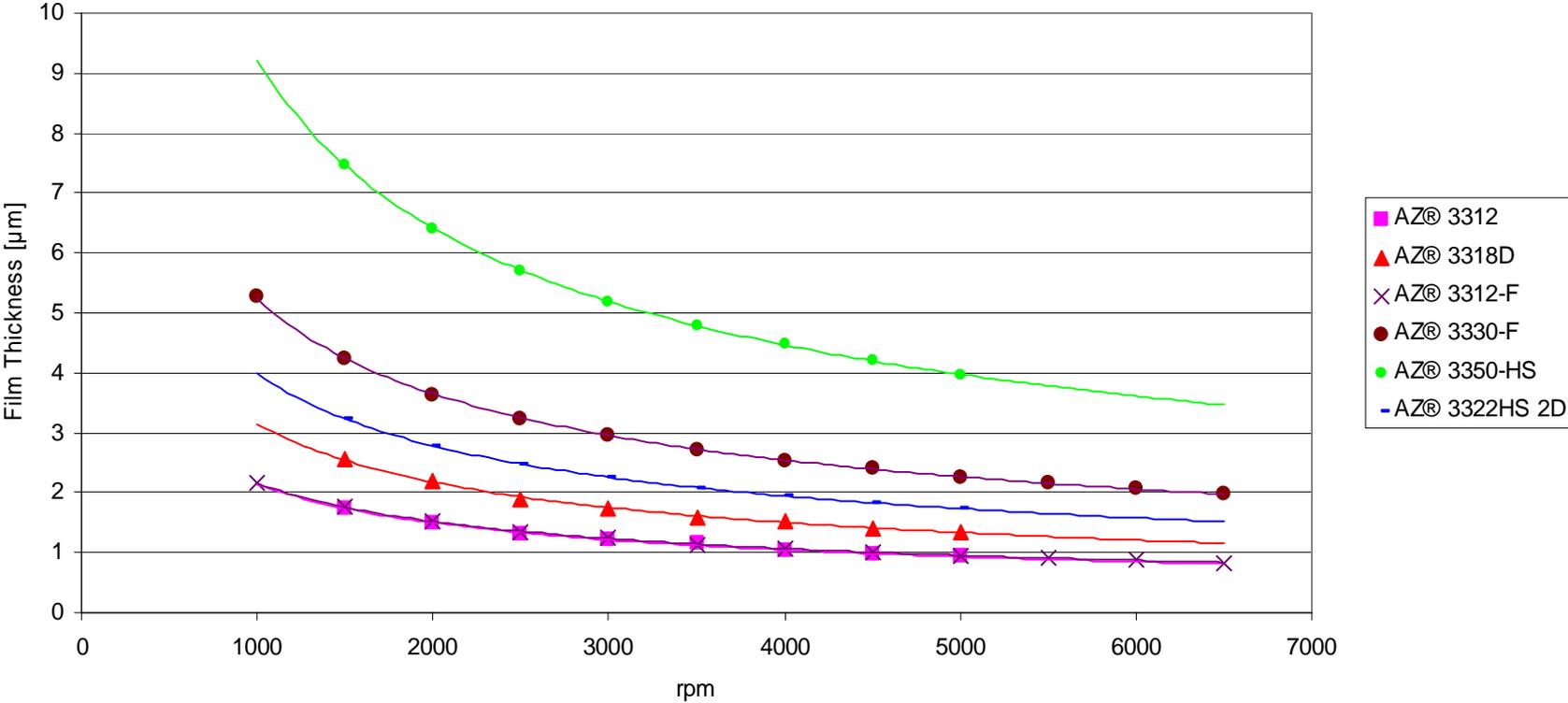
AZ 3312  
Photoresist (18cps)

High thermal stability  
Good process latitude in i-line, g-line, and  
broad band  
Resolution in i-line 0.6 $\mu$ m, in g-line 0.8 $\mu$ m  
Excellent for wet etch processes

AZ 3318-D  
Photoresist (30cps)

Dyed resist  
Prevents notching on substrates with high  
or varying reflectivity  
Reduced swing curve

# AZ 3300 Photoresist Spin Speed Curves



# AZ 3300 Photoresist

## Features & Benefits

- ◇ Sensitivity to **g**, **h**, and **i**-line wavelengths
- ◇ Process relatively insensitive to bake conditions, develop times, and develop temperatures
- ◇ Compatible with inorganic and organic (w/ & w/o surfactant) developers
- ◇ Thermal stability to 125°
- ◇ Good depth of focus, linearity, and photospeed for crossover applications
- ◇ Very high stability against particle generation
- ◇ Excellent value for performance

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## Optical Parameters

### ◇ Refractive Index

<u>Bleached</u>	<u>365nm</u>	<u>405nm</u>	<u>435nm</u>
n	1.6906	1.6655	1.6514
k	0.0013	0.0003	0.0006
<u>Unbleached</u>			
n	1.7082	1.6888	1.6930
k	0.0333	0.0336	0.0217

Bake conditions: Soft bake 90°C/60 sec.  
PEB 110°C/60 sec.  
AZ 300 MIF Developer 23°C

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## Optical Parameters

### ◇ Dill Parameters

#### i-line:

$$A = 1.1390 \text{ (}\mu\text{m}^{-1}\text{)}$$

$$B = 0.0762 \text{ (}\mu\text{m}^{-1}\text{)}$$

$$C = 0.0264 \text{ (cm}^2\text{/mJ)}$$

#### g-line:

$$A = 0.6695 \text{ (}\mu\text{m}^{-1}\text{)}$$

$$B = 0.0172 \text{ (}\mu\text{m}^{-1}\text{)}$$

$$C = 0.0186 \text{ (cm}^2\text{/mJ)}$$

### ◇ Cauchy Coefficients

	<u>A</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>C</u>
Bleached	1.5869	0.011818	3.90E-06
Unbleached	1.6005	0.011334	7.43E-04

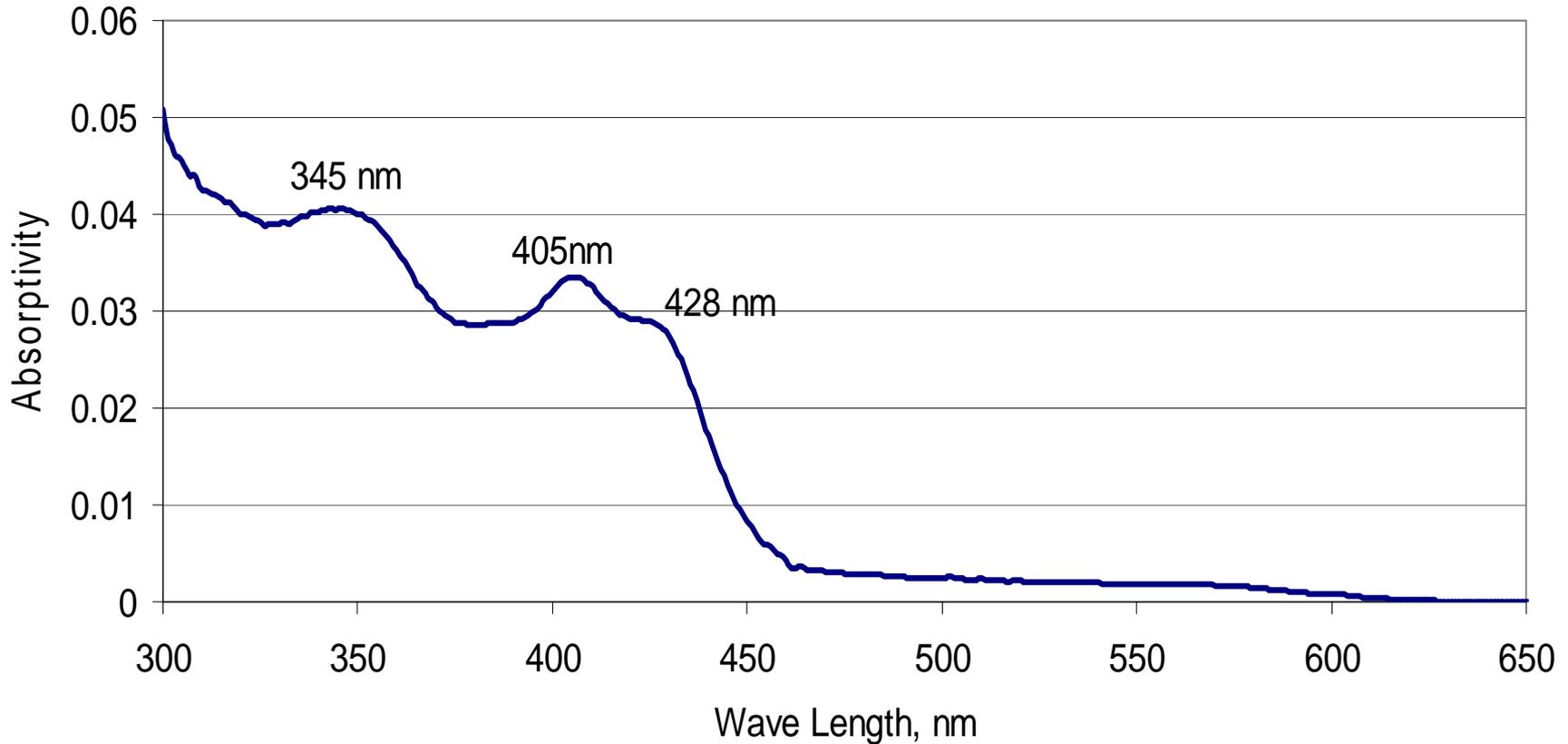
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AZ 300 MIF Developer 23°C

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## Optical Parameters - Absorptivity



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## Development Parameters

### ◇ PROLITH™ Modeling Parameters

	<u>Org. Mack</u>	<u>Adv. Mack</u>	<u>Mack Notch</u>
Rmax (nm/s)	125.00	127.04	125.048
Rmin (nm/s)	1.95	2.33	1.95
Mth	-218208.00	----	----
n	3.71	3.44	3.71
Rresin (nm/s)	----	7.00	
l	----	1.39	
Mth notch	----	----	1.00
n notch	----	----	1.10

Bake conditions: Soft bake 90°C/60 sec.  
PEB 110°C/60 sec.  
AZ 300 MIF Developer 23°C

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## Suggested Process Conditions

### ⇒ Spray/Puddle Process:

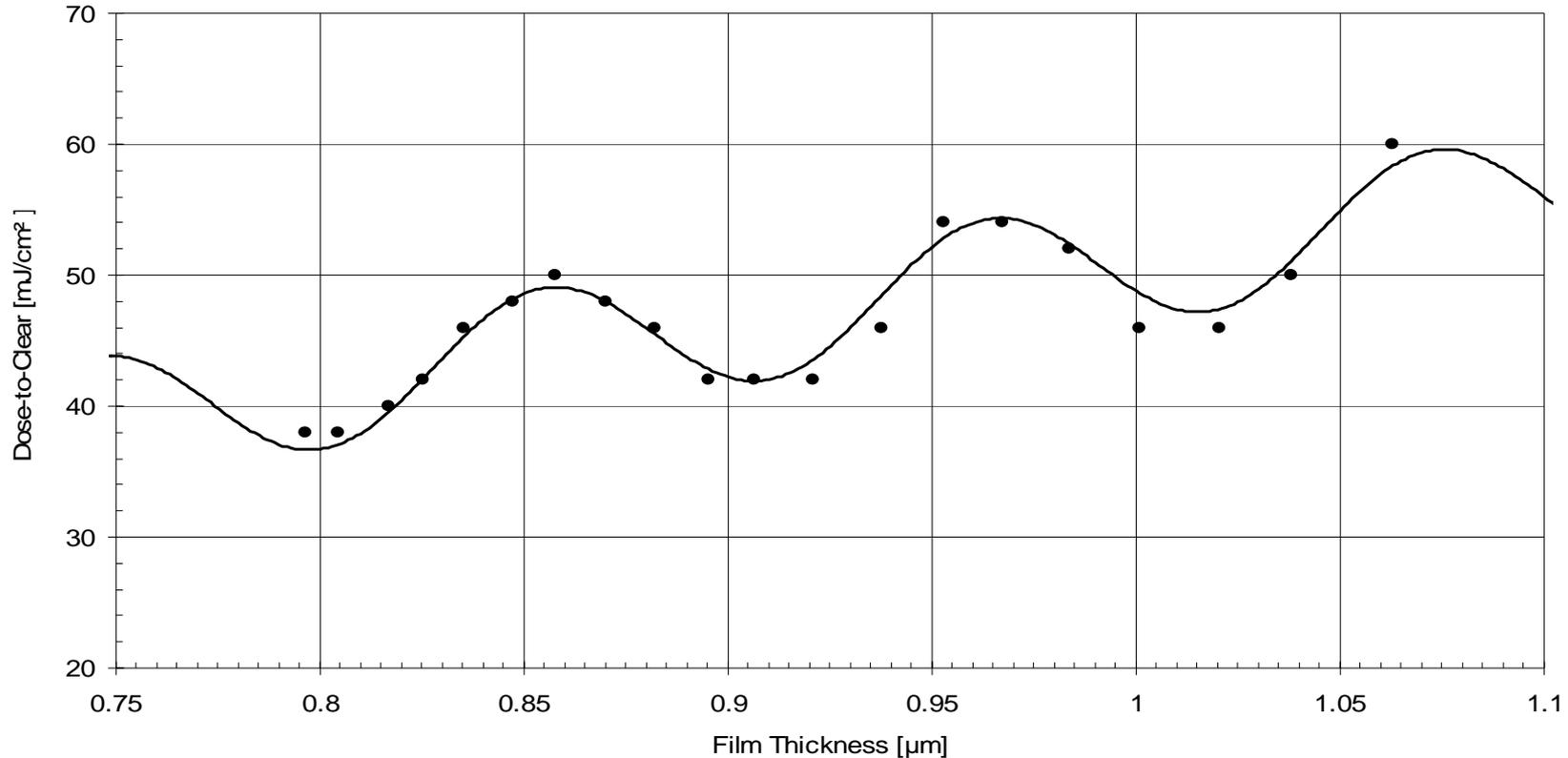
- Softbake 90° -110° C,
- 60 - 90 sec
- Expose: **g**-line, **h**-line, **i**-line stepper or broadband exposure source
- Where necessary, PEB: 110°C, 60 - 90 sec.
- Develop: AZ 300 MIF developer, 60 sec. spray-puddle

### ⇒ Double Puddle Process:

- Softbake 90° -110°C,
- 60 - 90 sec
- Expose: **g**-line, **h**-line, **i**-line stepper or broadband exposure source
- Where necessary, PEB: 110°C, 60 - 90 sec.
- Develop: AZ 917 MIF developer, 52 sec. double puddle

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## i-Line Swing Curve



Dense Lines

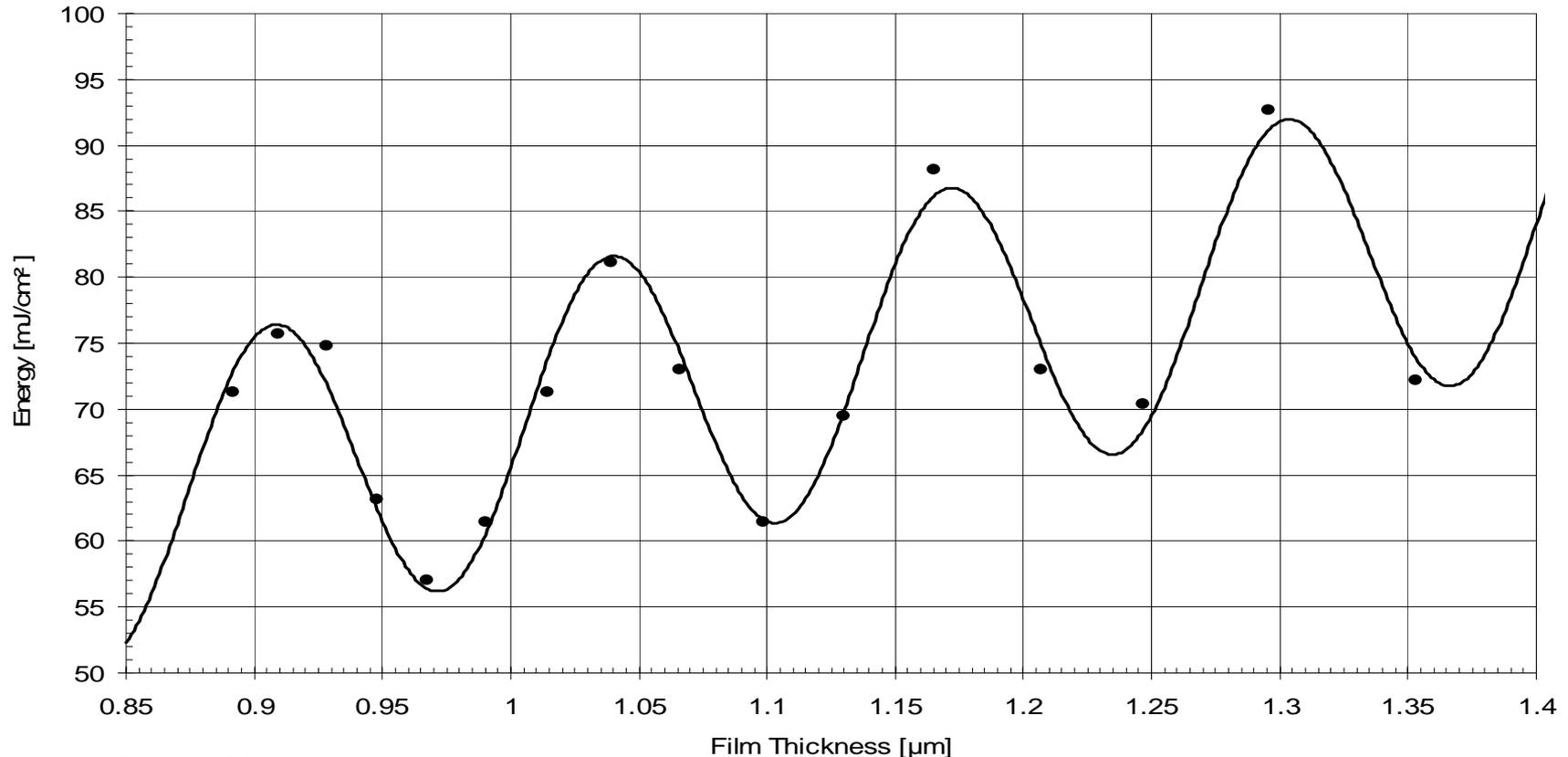
SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23°C

NIKON 0.54 NA **i-Line**

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## g-Line Swing Curve



Dense Lines

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec Spray-puddle @23°C

GCA 0.42 NA **g-Line**

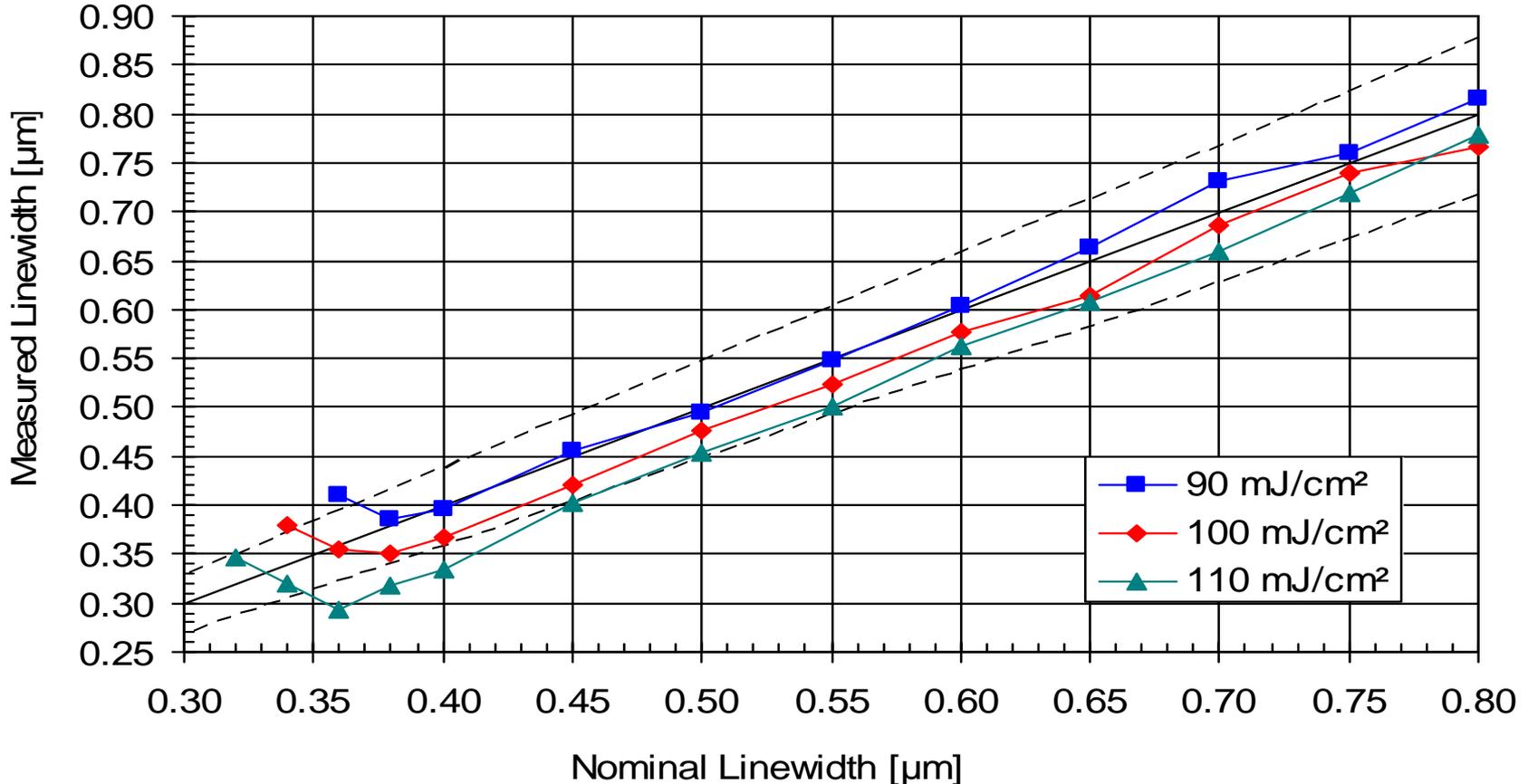


# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

Film Thickness 0.974  $\mu\text{m}$  @ Emax  
Exposure with NIKON 0.54 NA **i-line** Stepper  
Using AZ 300 MIF Developer

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## Linearity on Silicon for Dense Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$



SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

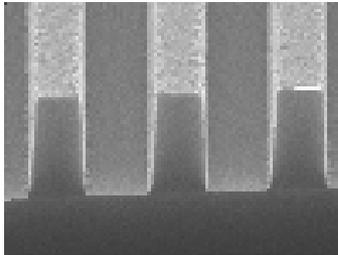
Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23.0°C

Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**

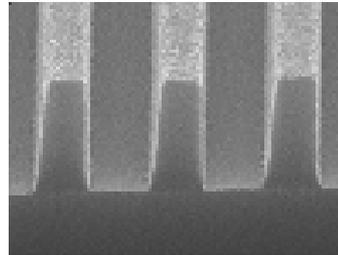
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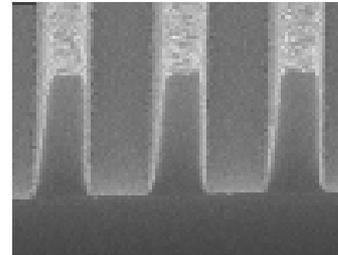
0.6 $\mu\text{m}$



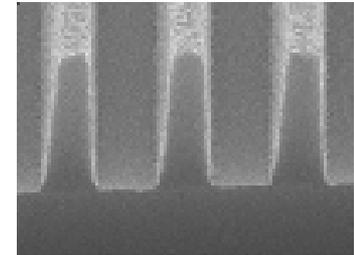
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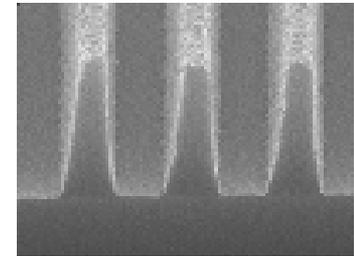
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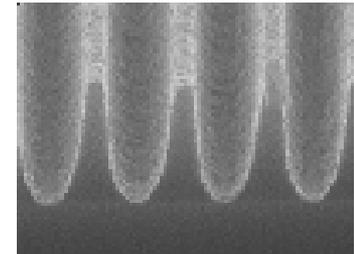
0.4  $\mu\text{m}$



0.36  $\mu\text{m}$



0.34  $\mu\text{m}$



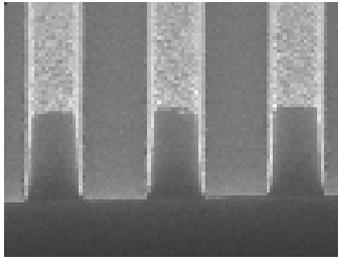
90 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

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Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

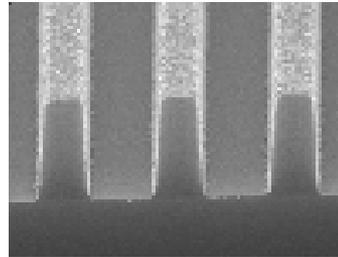
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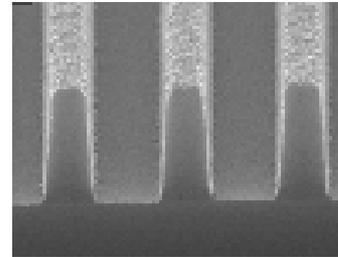
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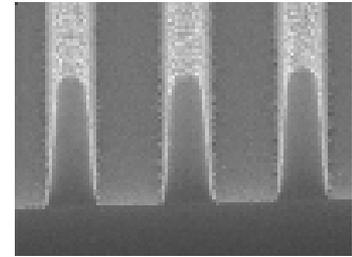
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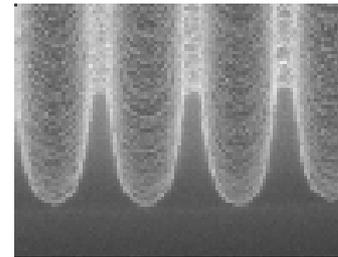
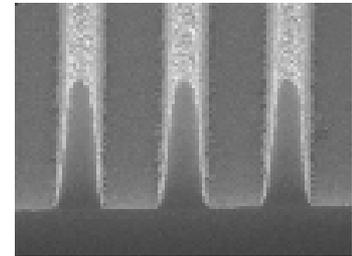


0.4  $\mu\text{m}$

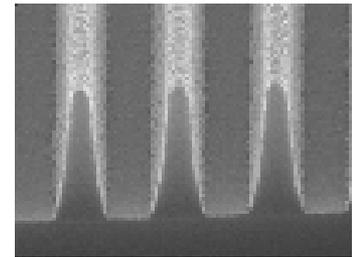


100 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

0.36  $\mu\text{m}$



0.32  $\mu\text{m}$



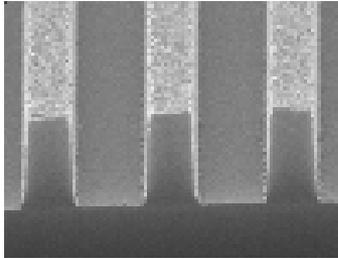
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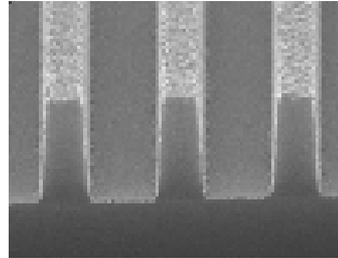
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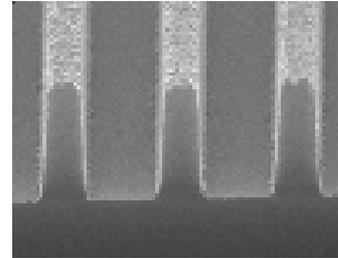
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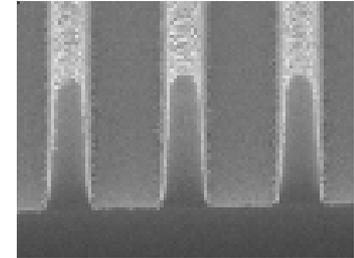
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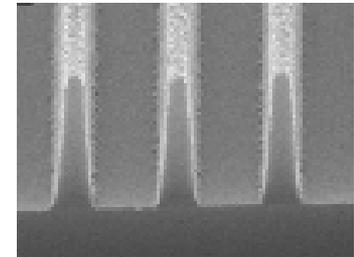
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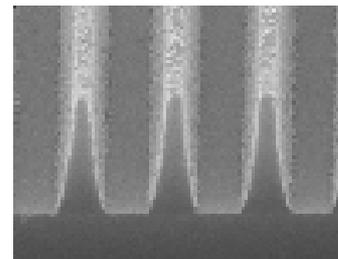
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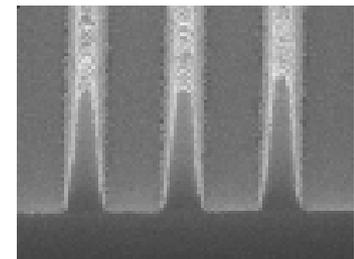
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110 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>



0.32  $\mu\text{m}$

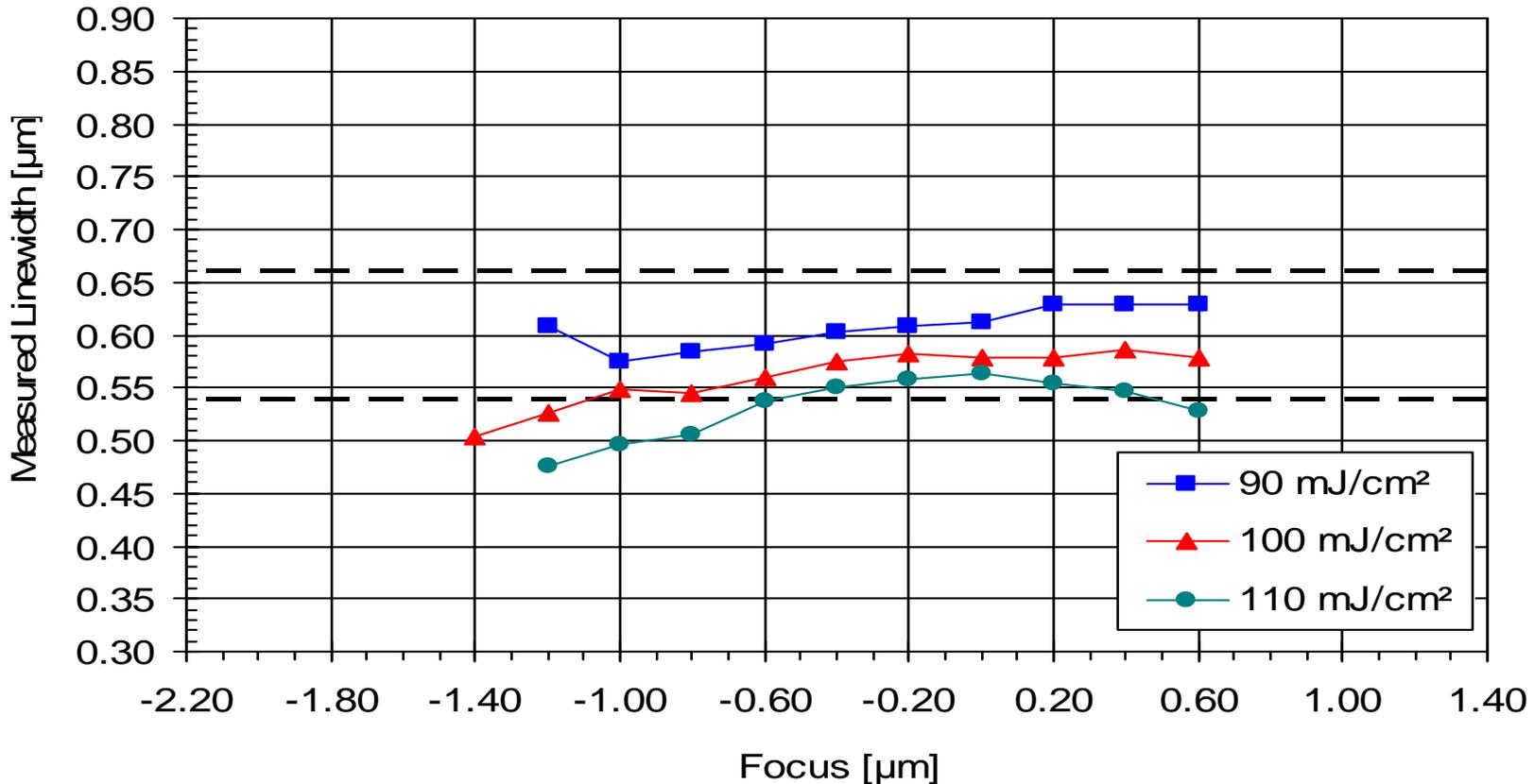


0.34  $\mu\text{m}$

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0.60  $\mu\text{m}$  L/S DOF on Silicon for Dense Lines, FT = 0.974  $\mu\text{m}$

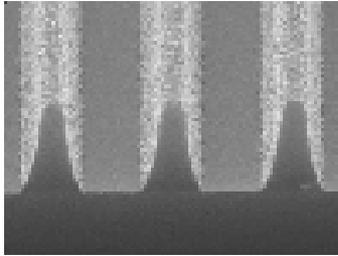


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Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23.0°C  
Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**

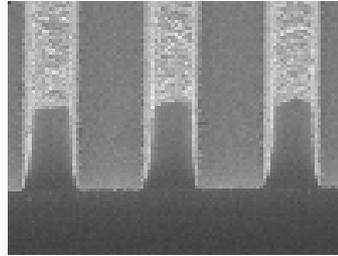
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## DOF on Silicon for 0.6 $\mu\text{m}$ Dense Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$

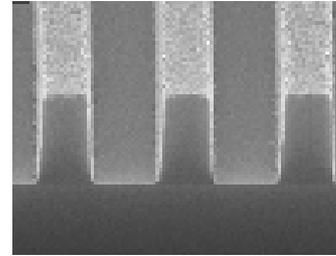
-1.2 $\mu\text{m}$



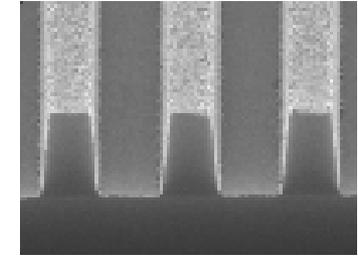
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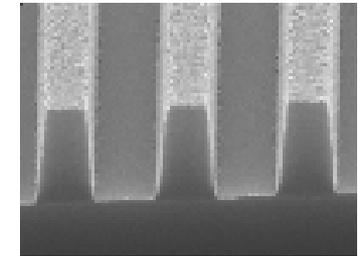
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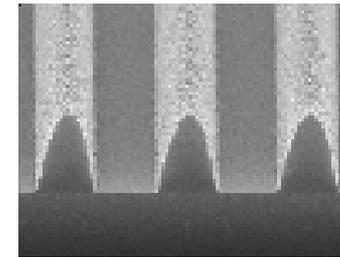
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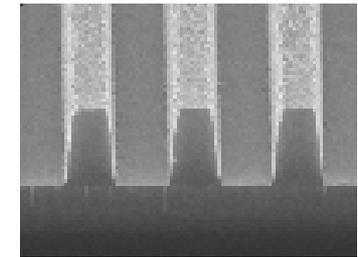
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90 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>



0.6  $\mu\text{m}$

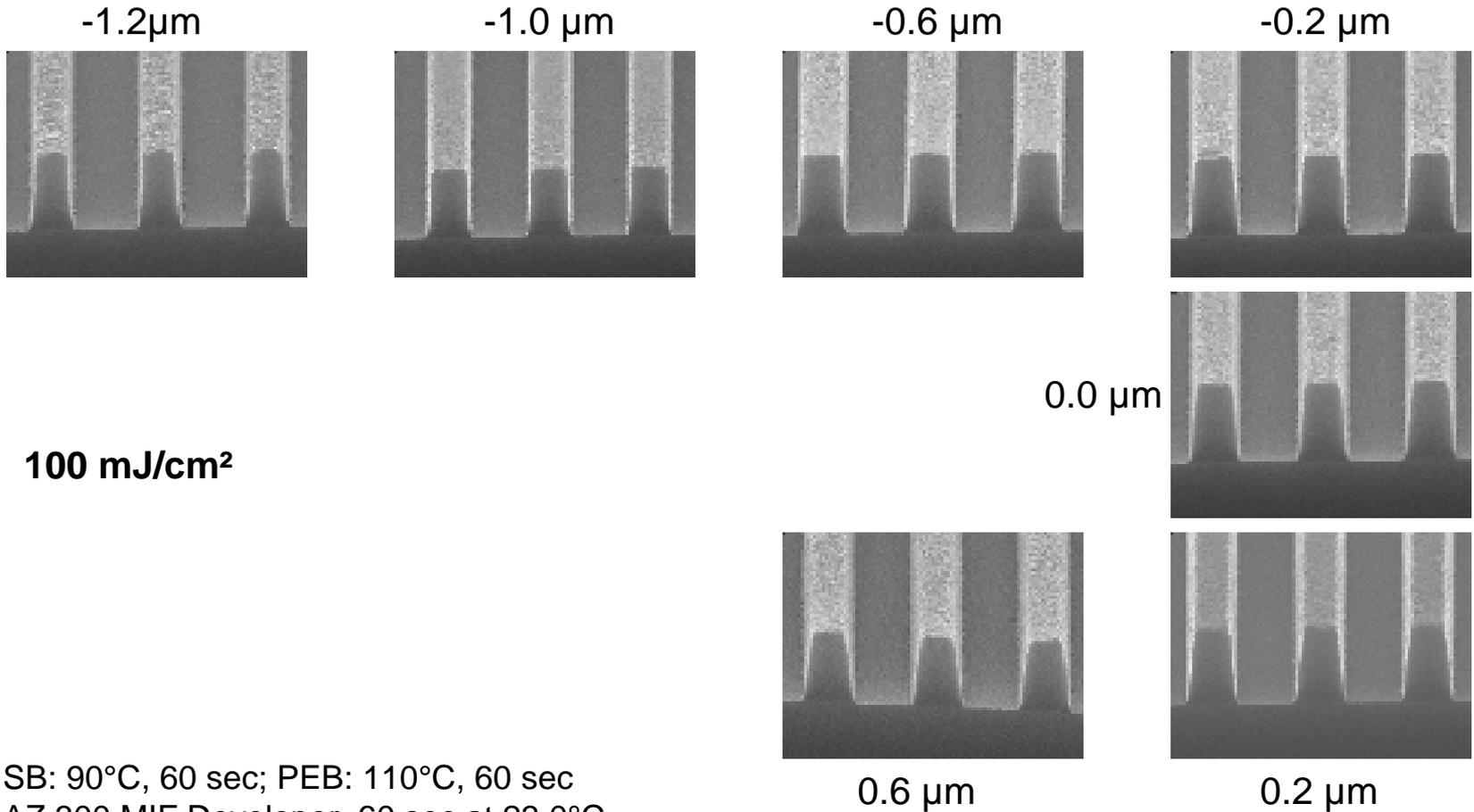


0.2  $\mu\text{m}$

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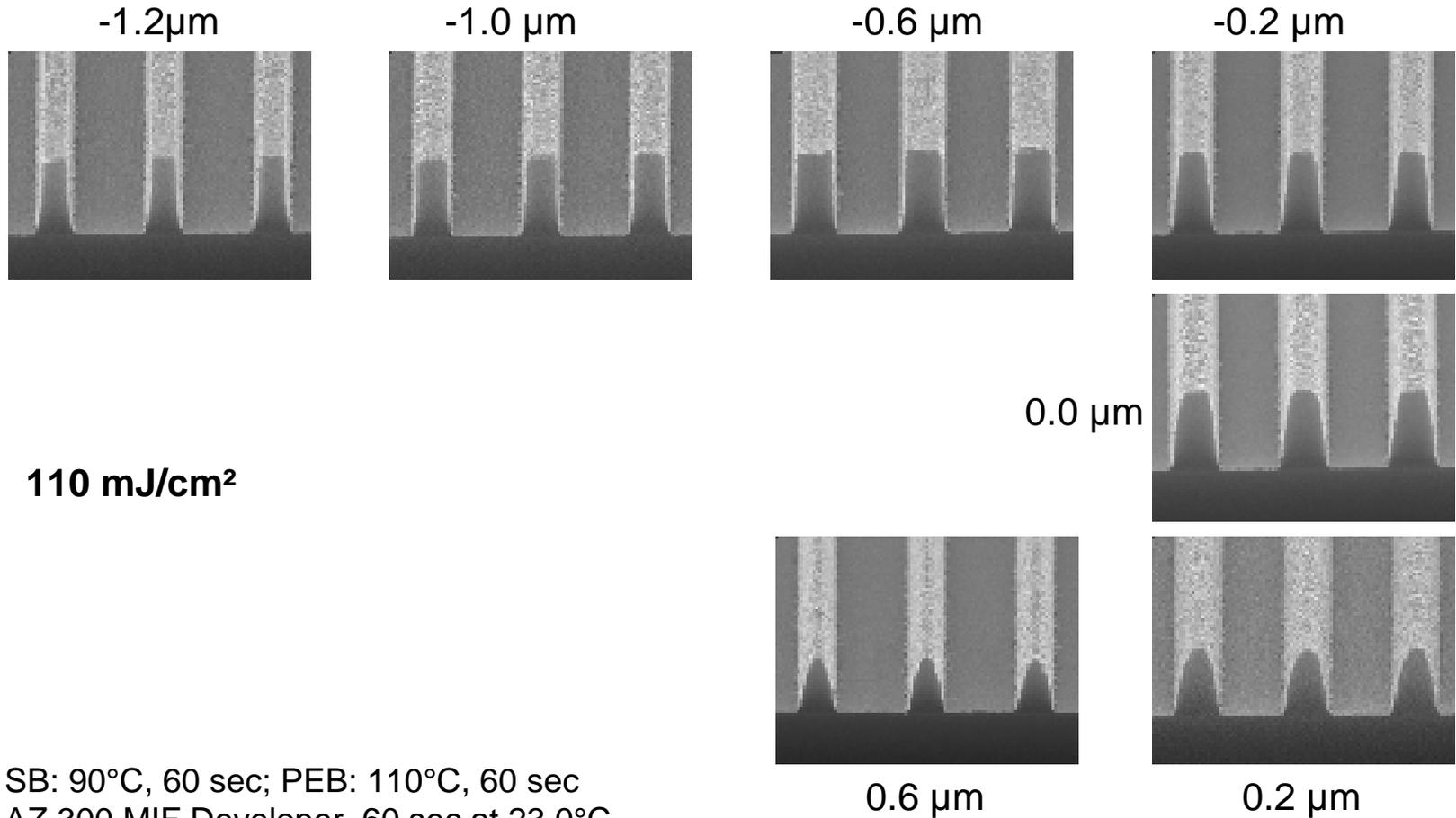
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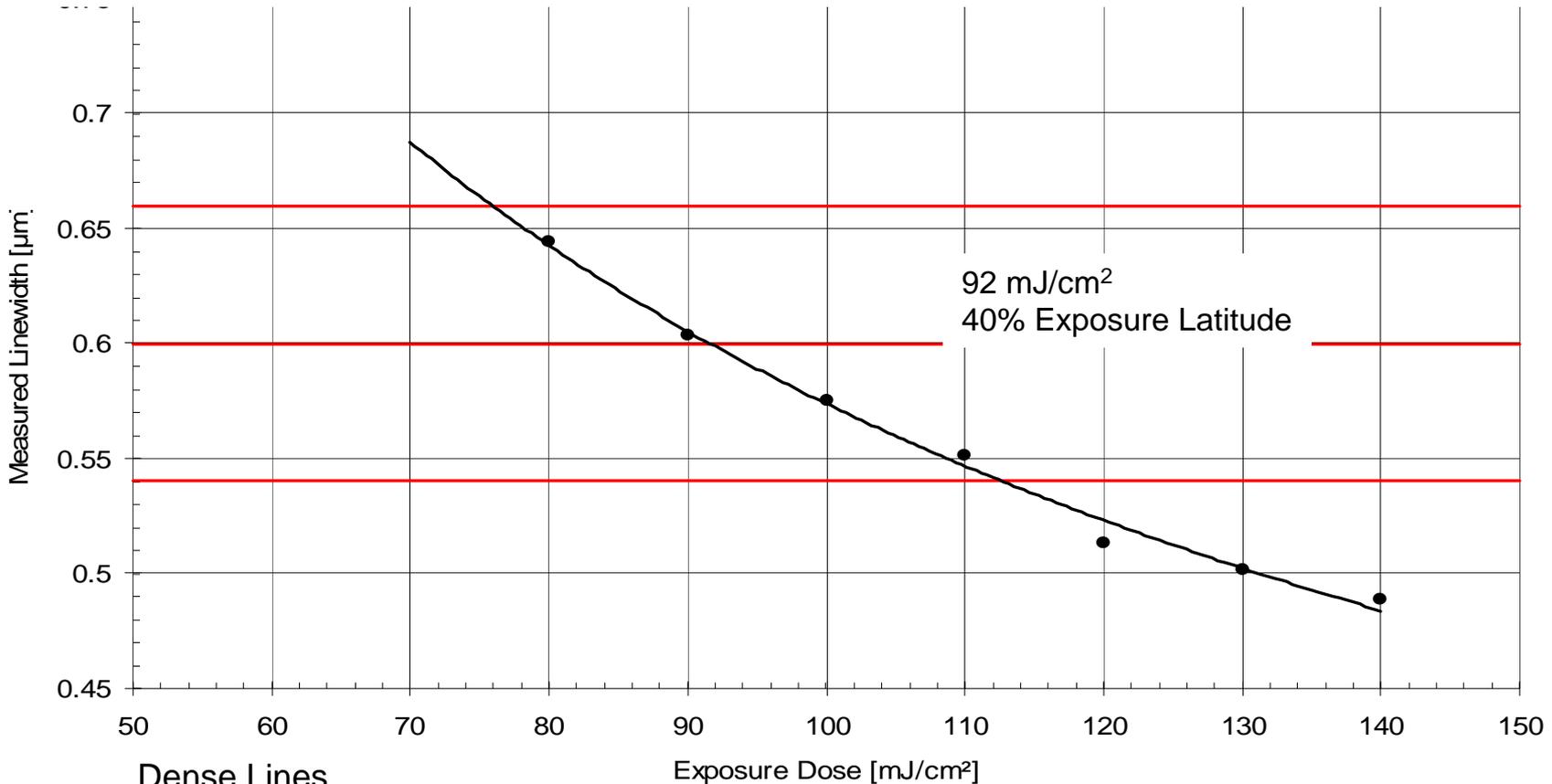
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0.60  $\mu\text{m}$  L/S Exposure Latitude on Silicon, FT = 0.974  $\mu\text{m}$



Dense Lines

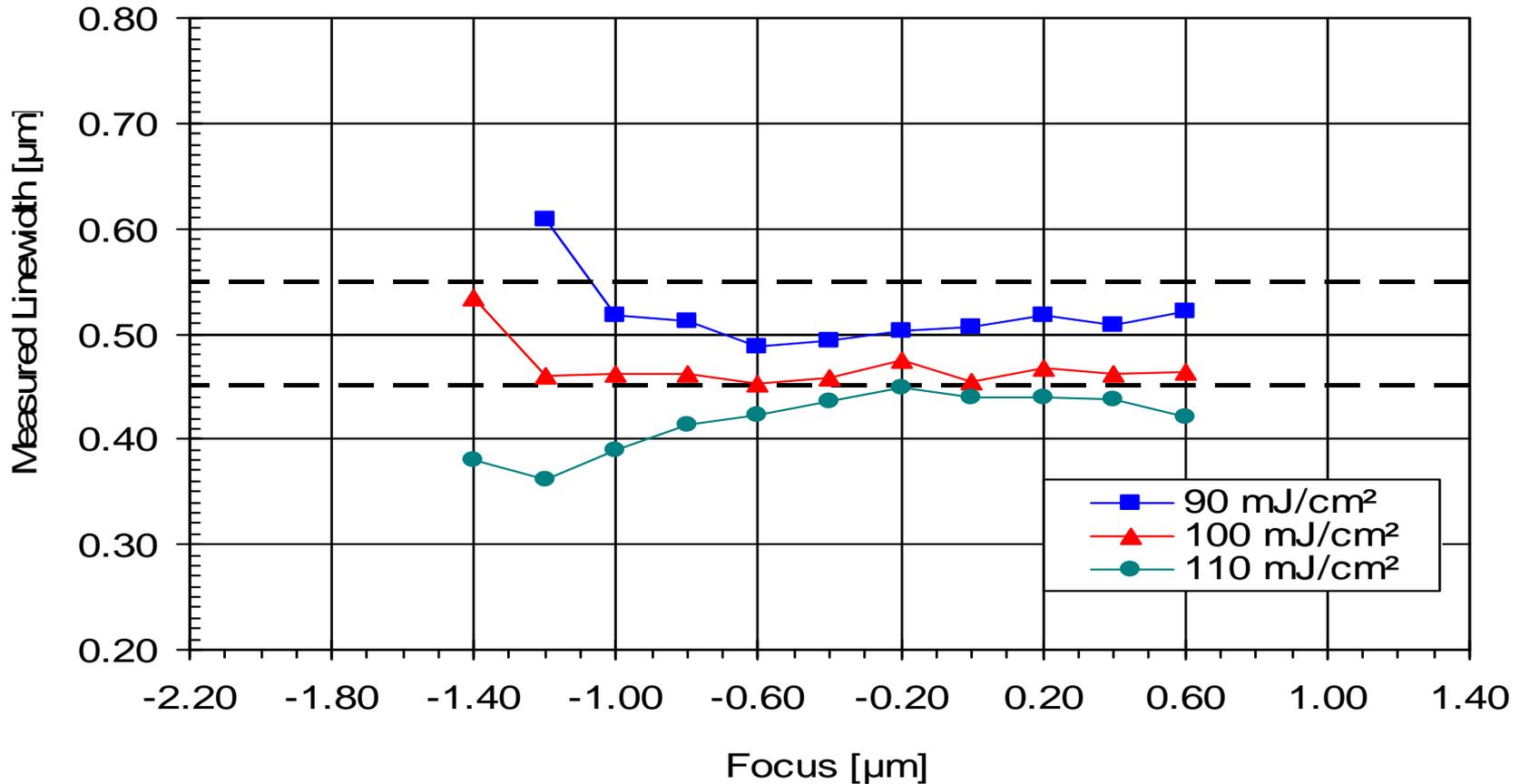
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Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23°C

Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**

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0.50  $\mu\text{m}$  L/S DOF on Silicon for Dense Lines, FT = 0.974  $\mu\text{m}$



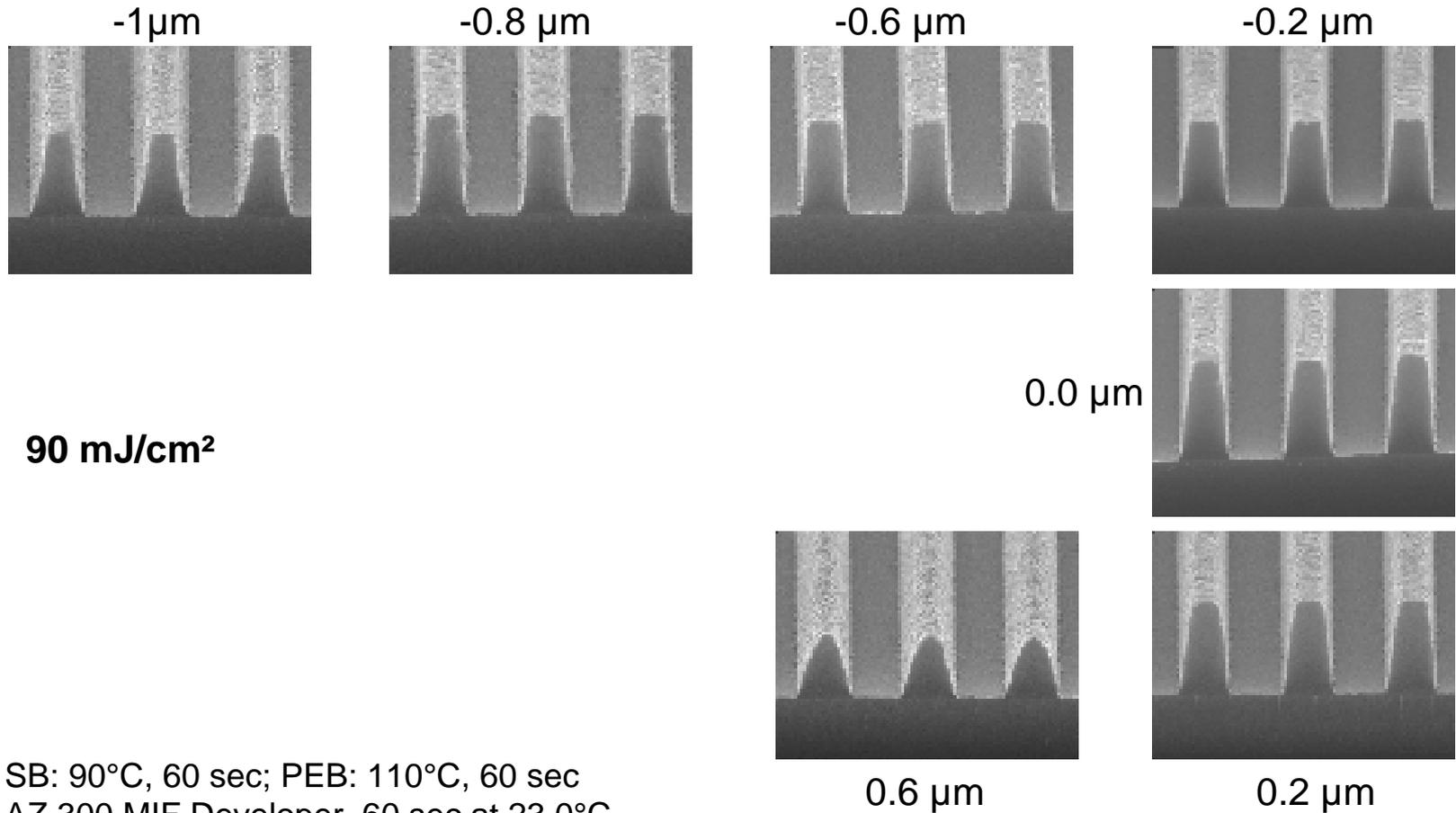
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Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**

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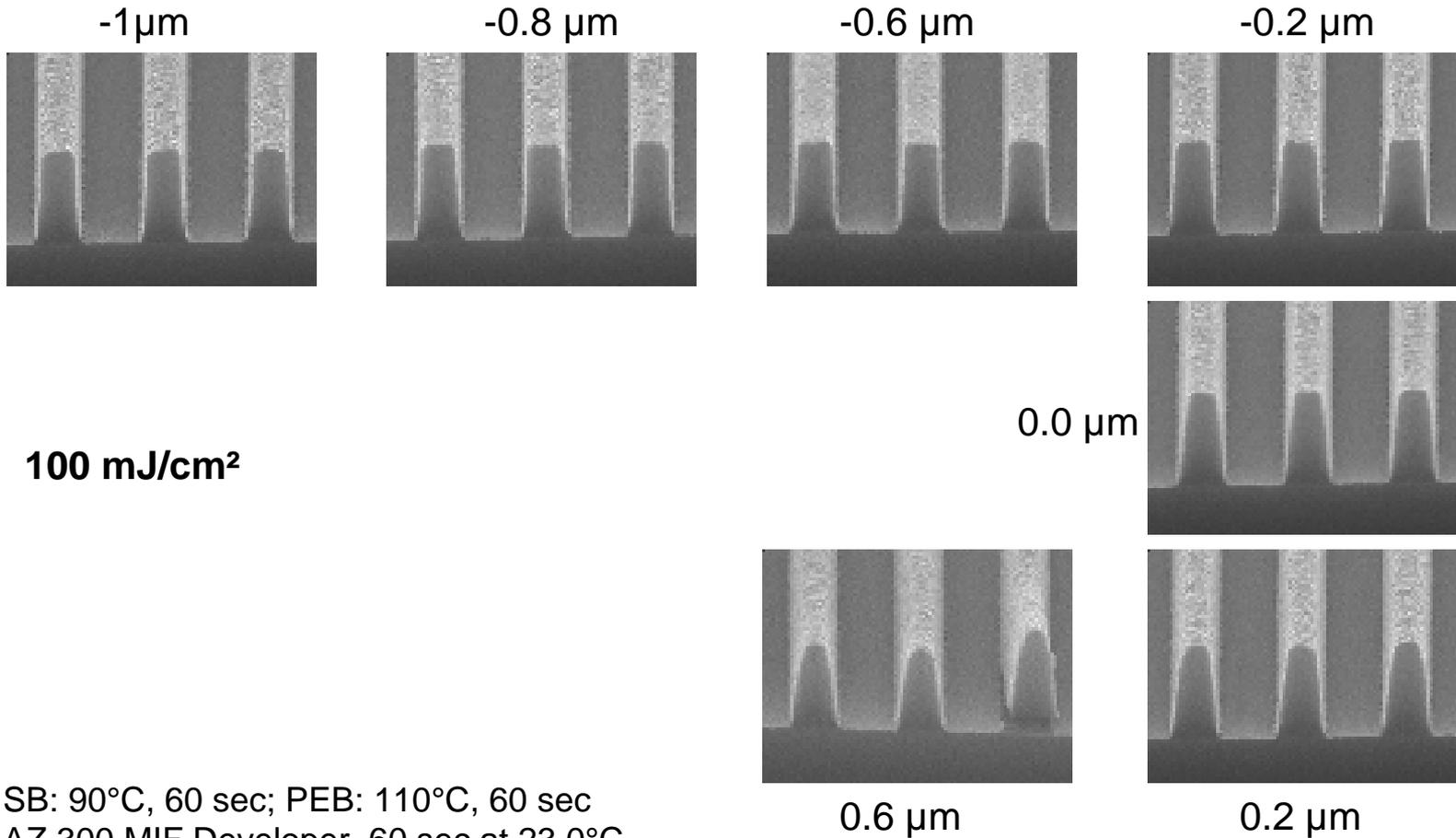
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Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

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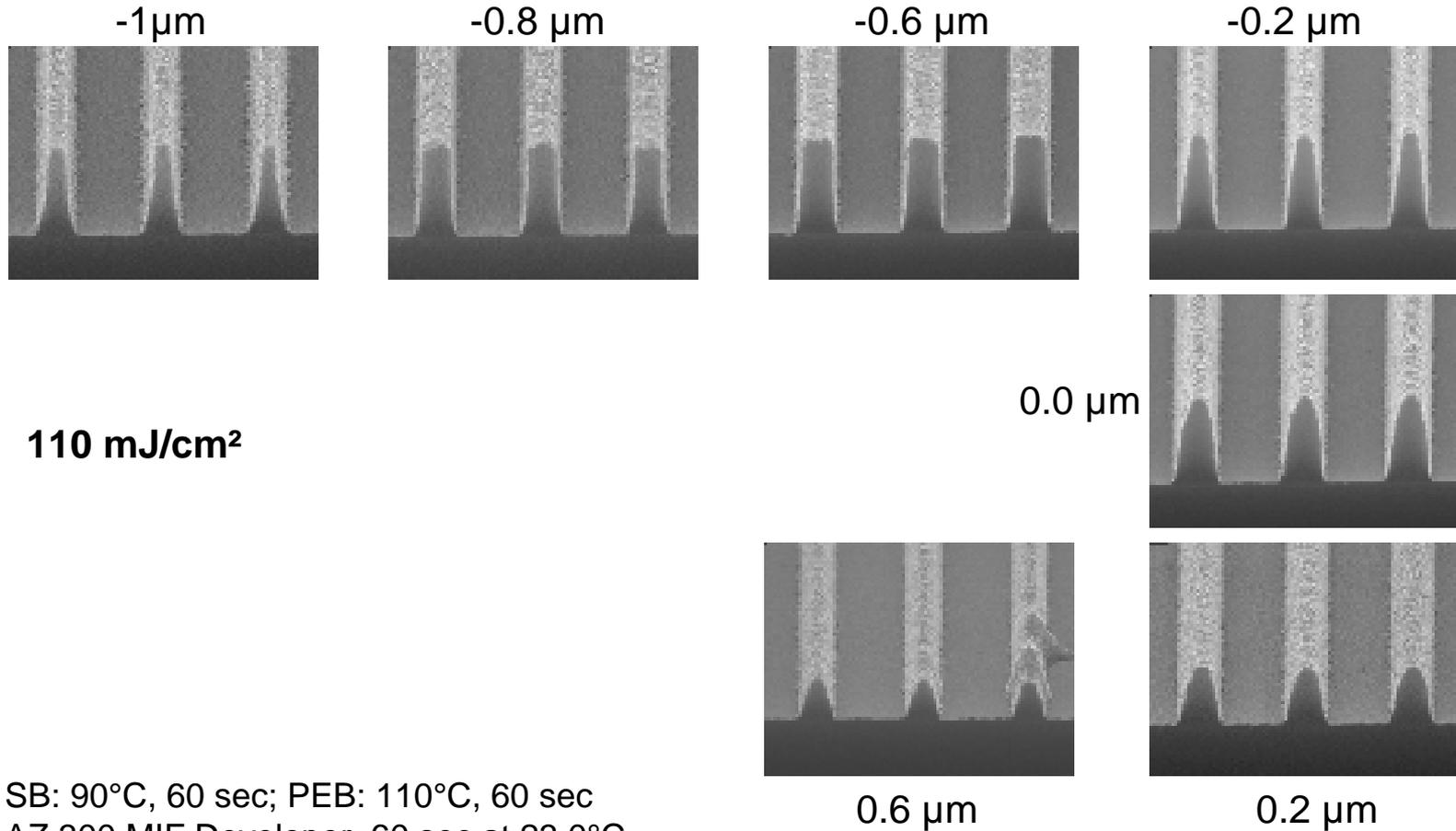
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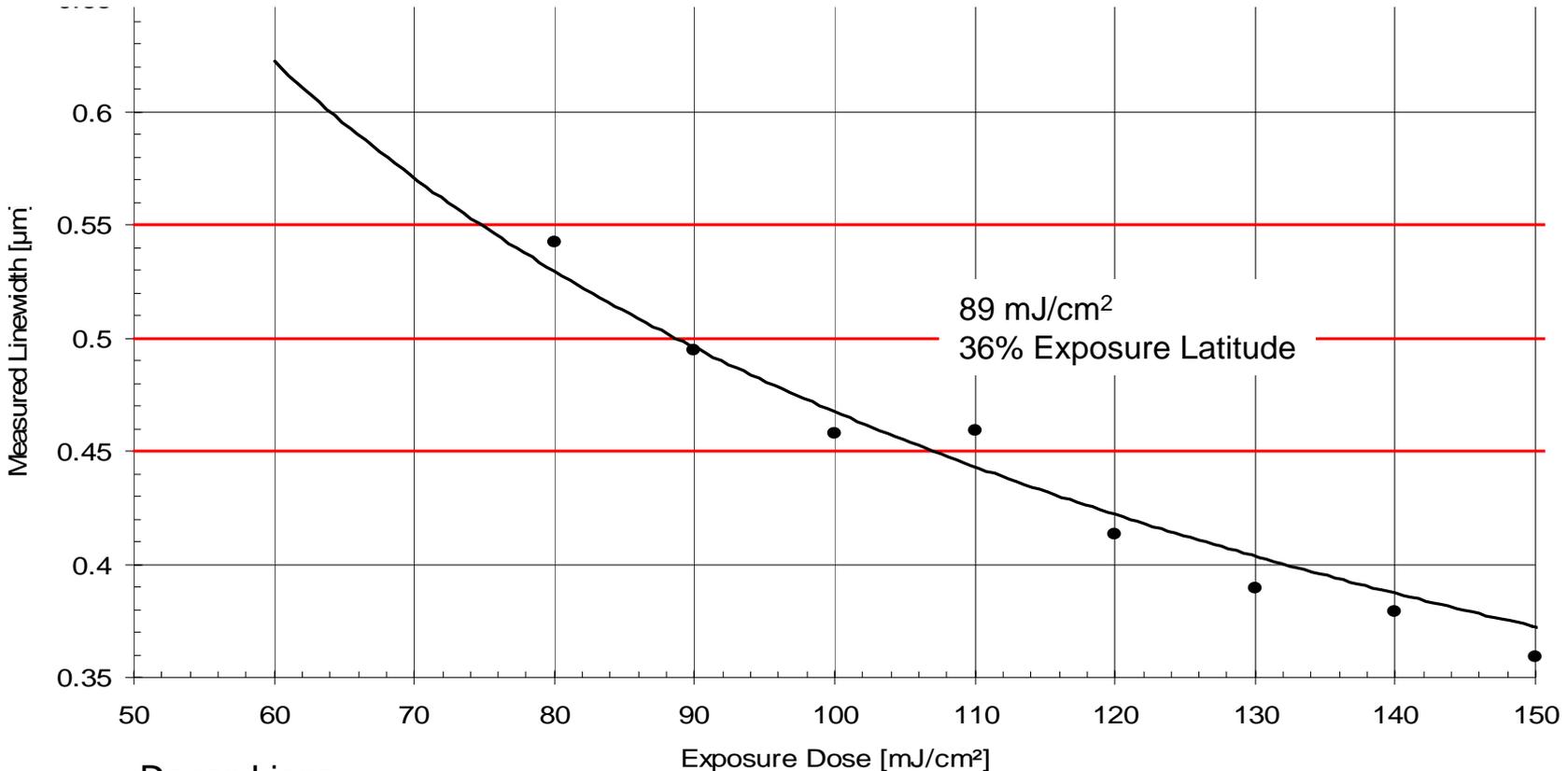
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Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

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## 0.50 $\mu\text{m}$ L/S Exposure Latitude on Silicon, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$



Dense Lines

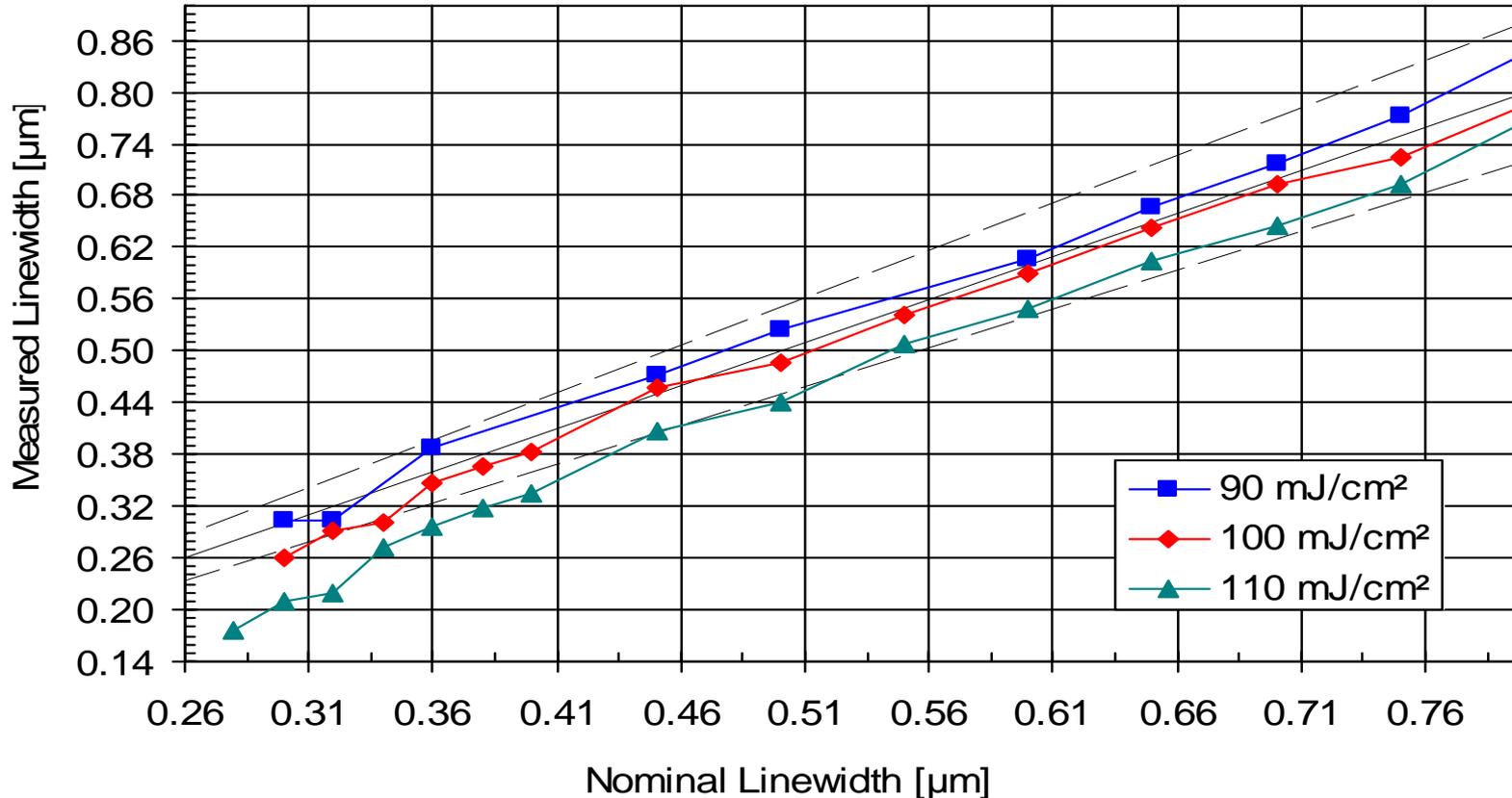
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Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23°C

Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**

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## Linearity on Silicon for Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$



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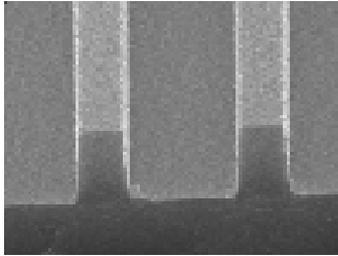
Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23.0°C

Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**

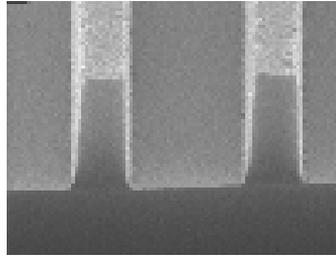
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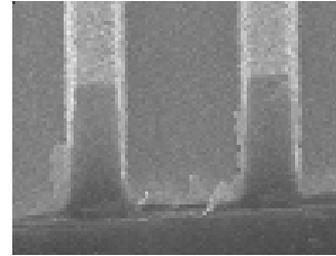
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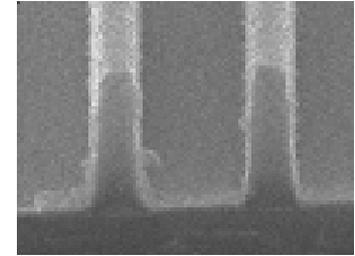
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0.45  $\mu\text{m}$

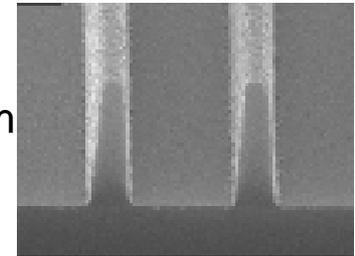


0.36  $\mu\text{m}$

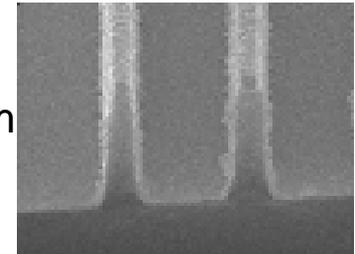


90 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

0.34  $\mu\text{m}$



0.30  $\mu\text{m}$

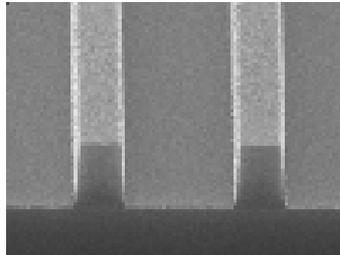


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AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

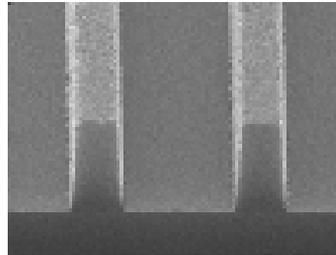
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## Linearity on Silicon for Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$

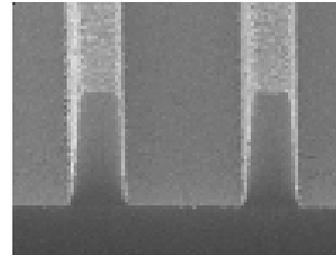
0.75 $\mu\text{m}$



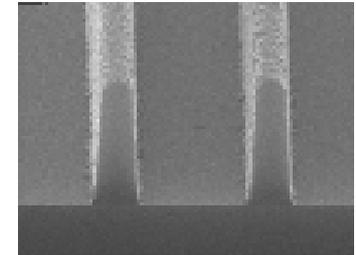
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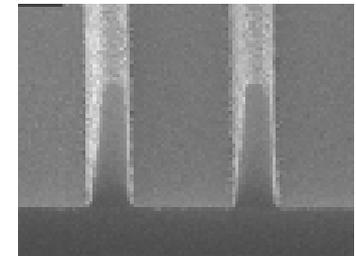


0.36  $\mu\text{m}$

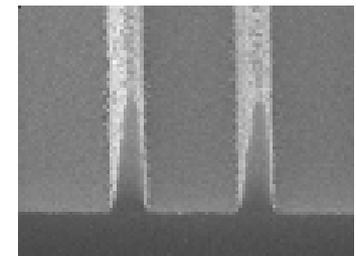


100 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

0.34  $\mu\text{m}$



0.30  $\mu\text{m}$

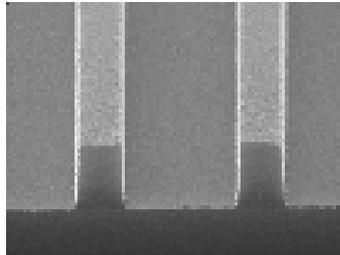


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AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

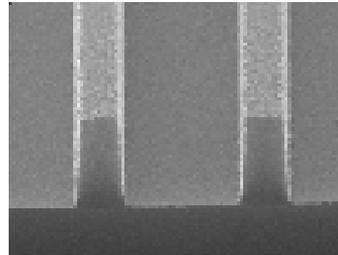
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## Linearity on Silicon for Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$

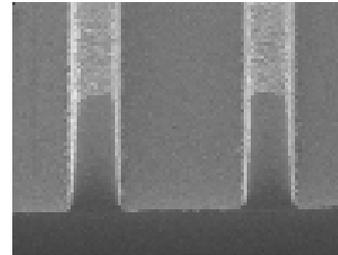
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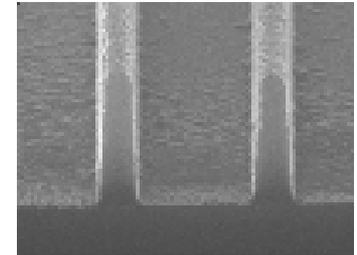
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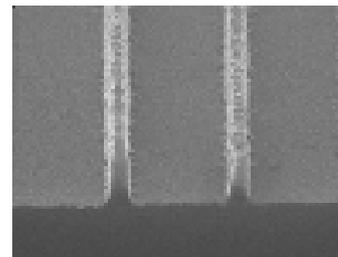
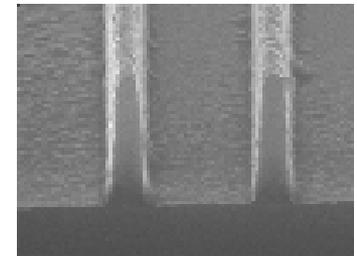


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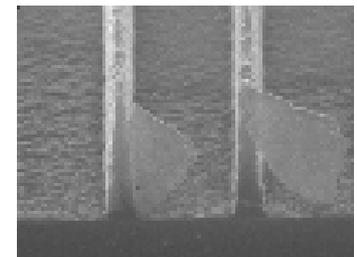


110 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

0.34  $\mu\text{m}$



0.28  $\mu\text{m}$

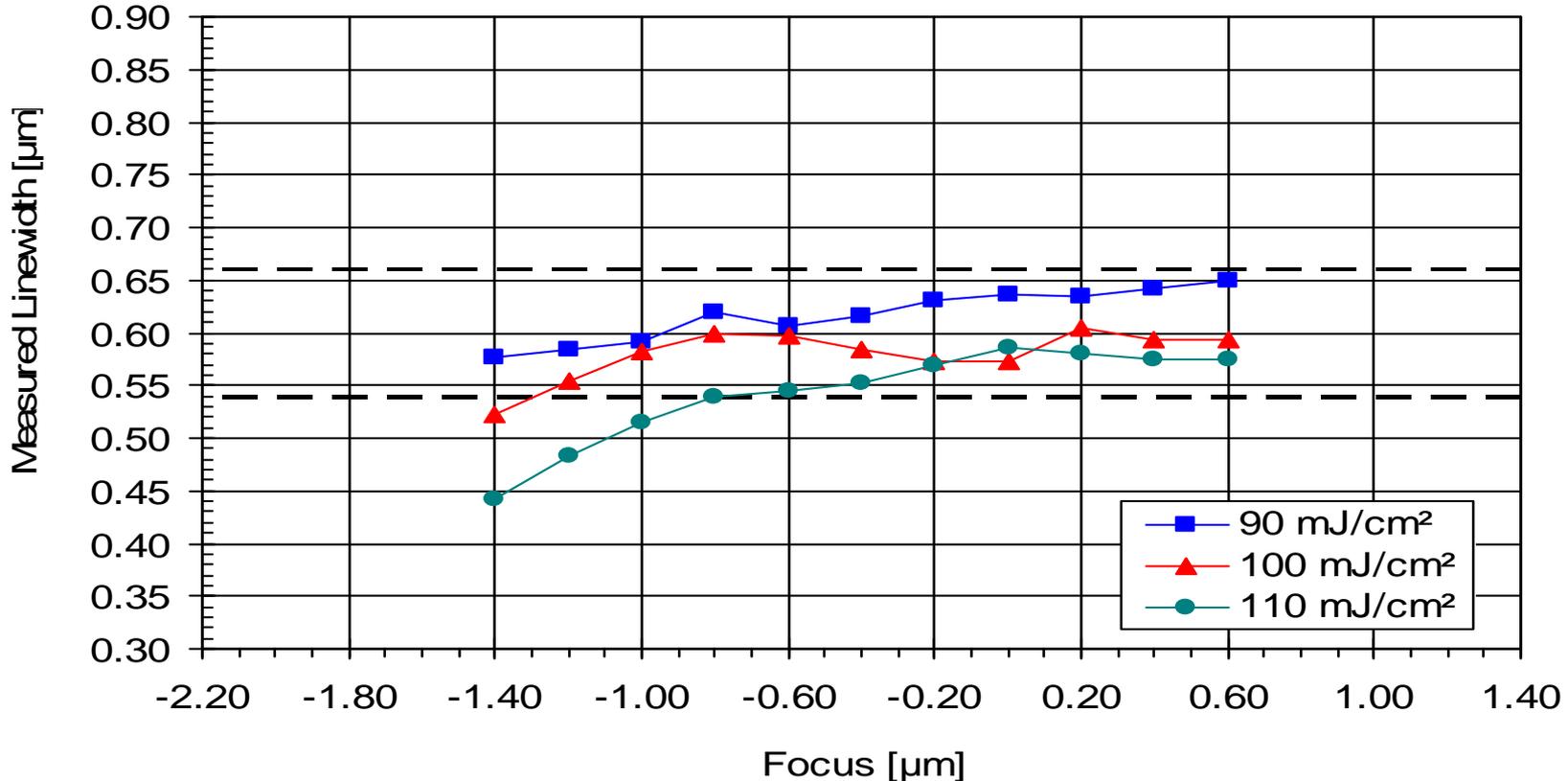


0.30  $\mu\text{m}$

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

0.60  $\mu\text{m}$  L/S DOF on Silicon for Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974  $\mu\text{m}$



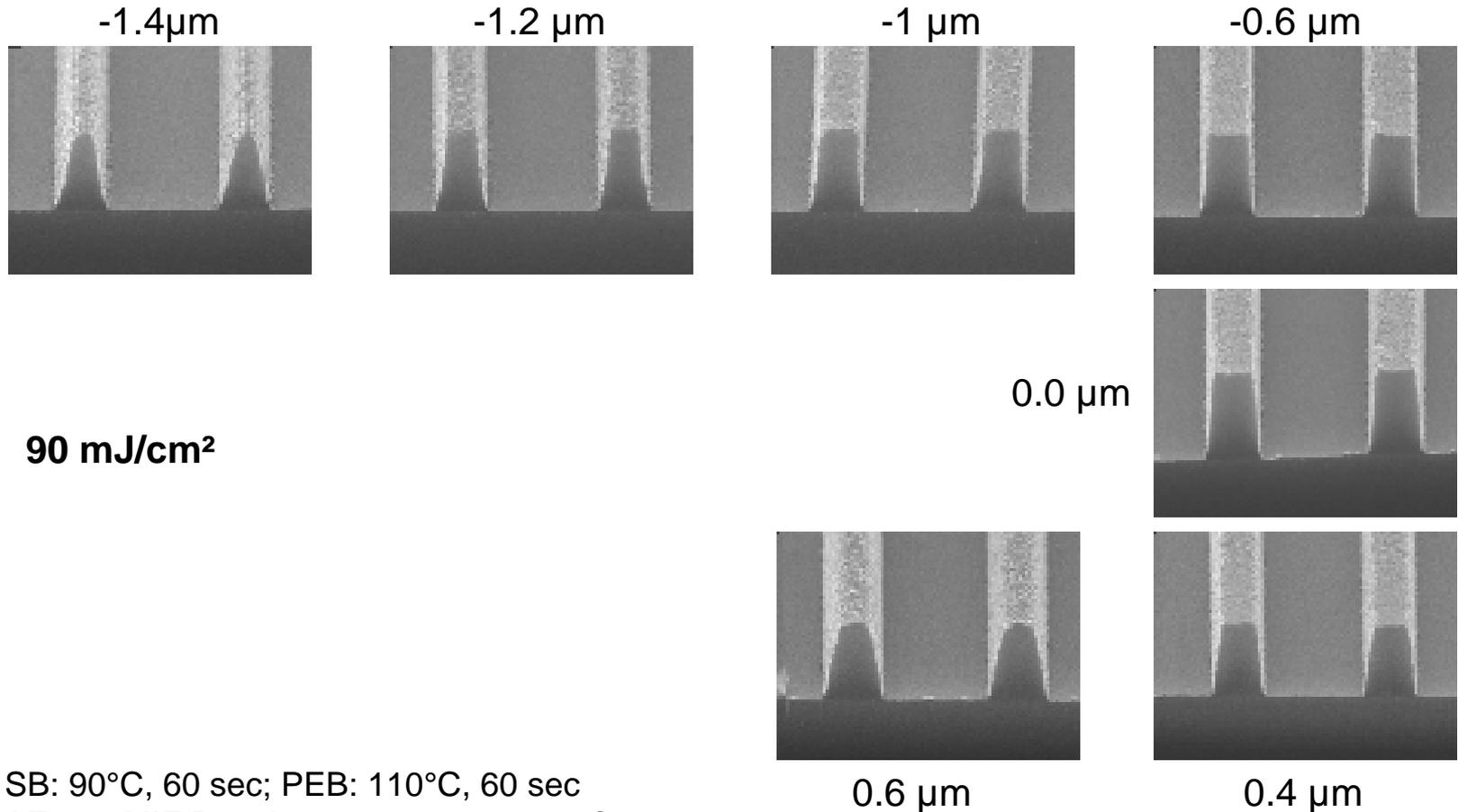
SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23.0°C

Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

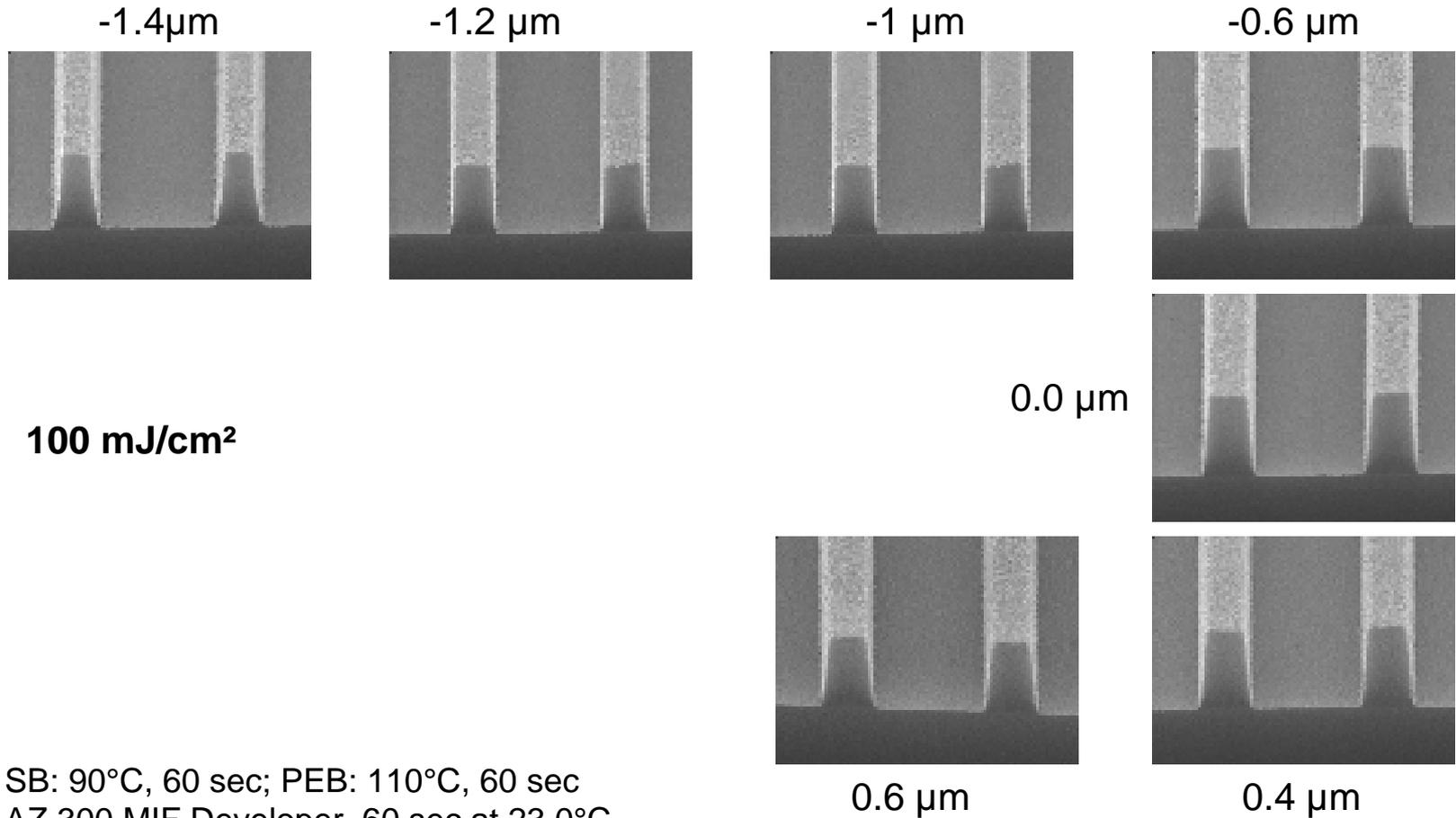
## DOF on Silicon for 0.6 $\mu\text{m}$ Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$



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Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

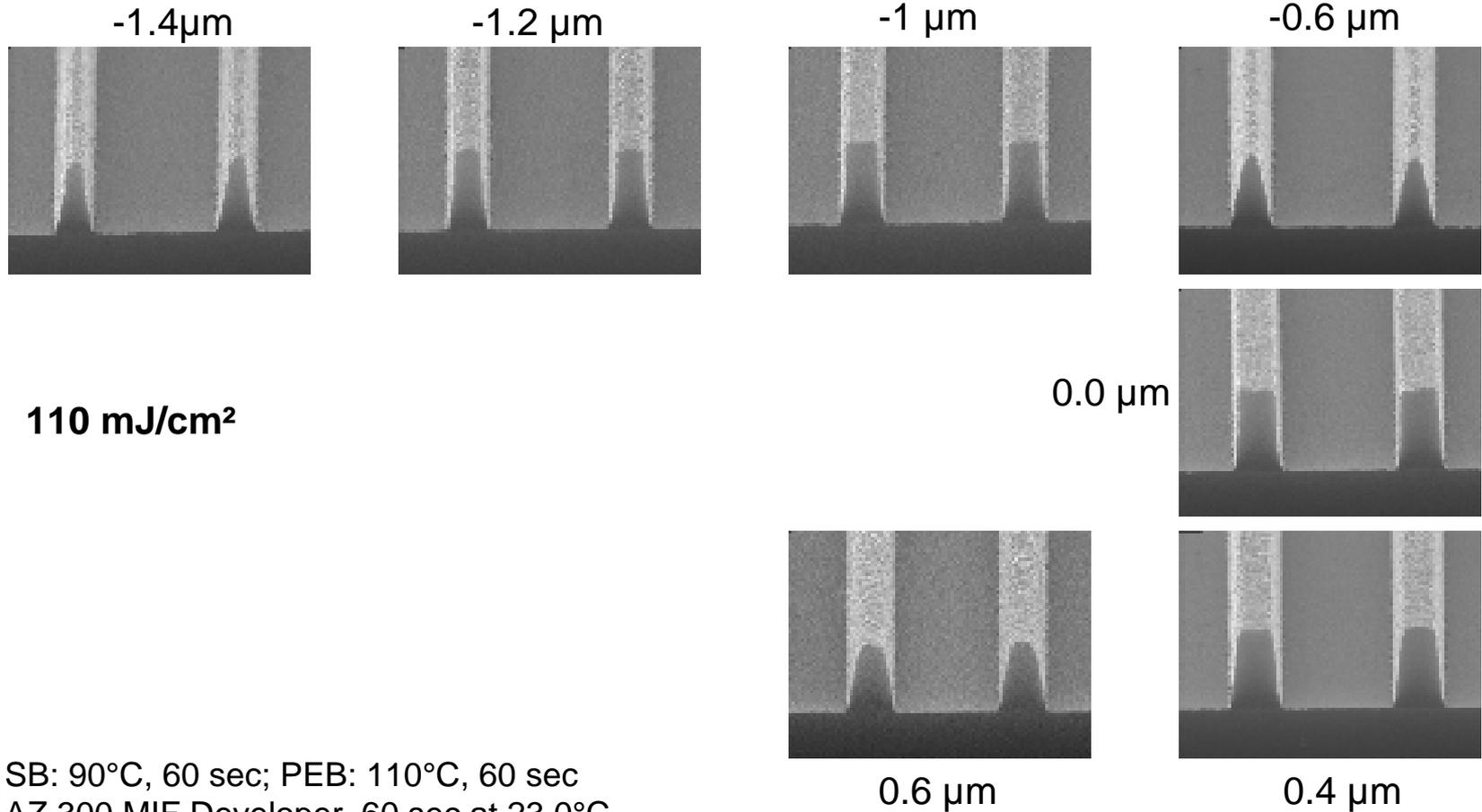
## DOF on Silicon for 0.6 $\mu\text{m}$ Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$



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Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

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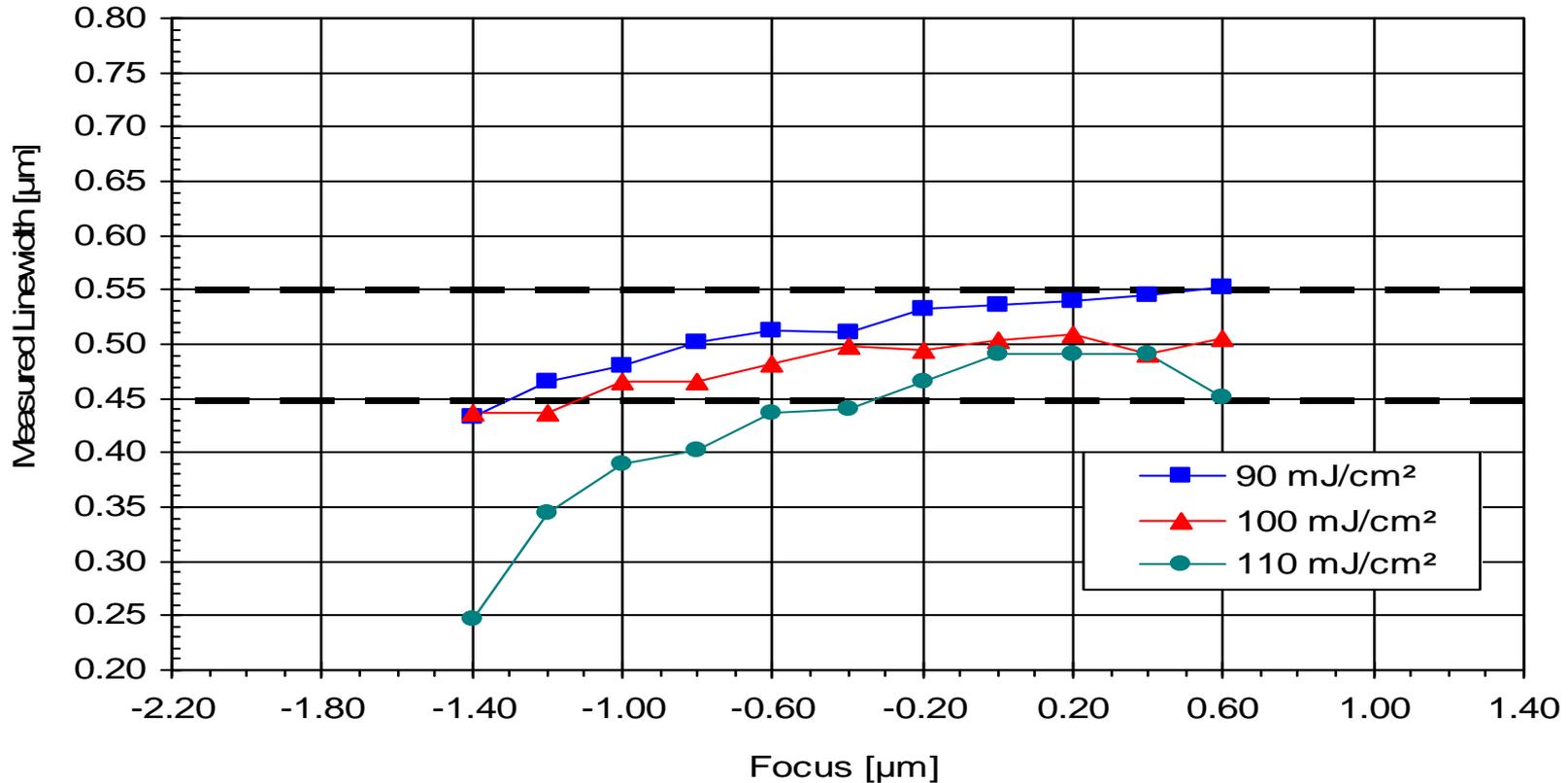
## DOF on Silicon for 0.6 $\mu\text{m}$ Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$



SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
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Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

0.50  $\mu\text{m}$  L/S DOF on Silicon for Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974  $\mu\text{m}$

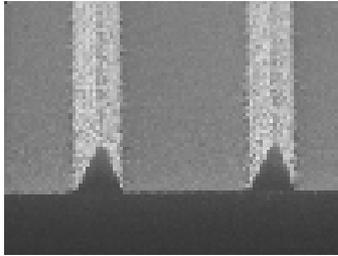


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Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23.0°C  
Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**

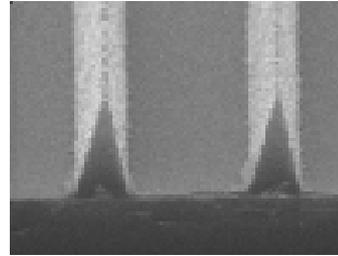
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## DOF on Silicon for 0.5 $\mu\text{m}$ Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$

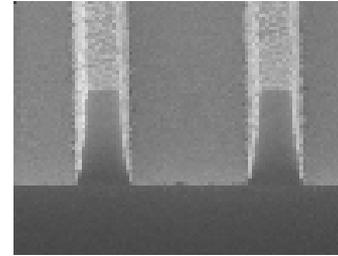
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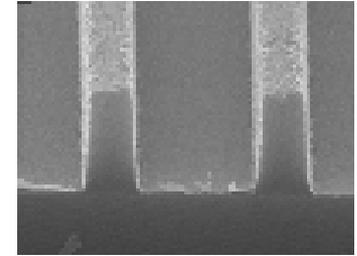
-1.2  $\mu\text{m}$



-1  $\mu\text{m}$

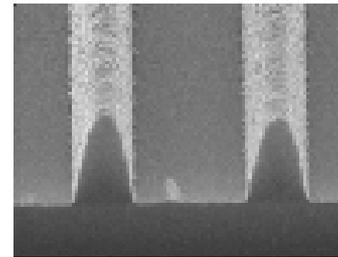
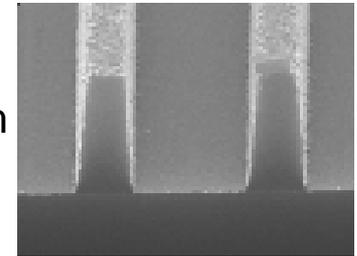


-0.6  $\mu\text{m}$

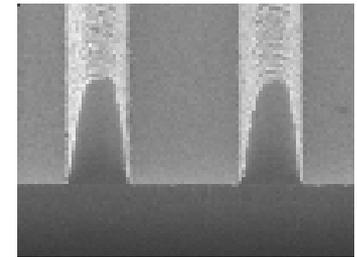


90 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

0.0  $\mu\text{m}$



0.6  $\mu\text{m}$

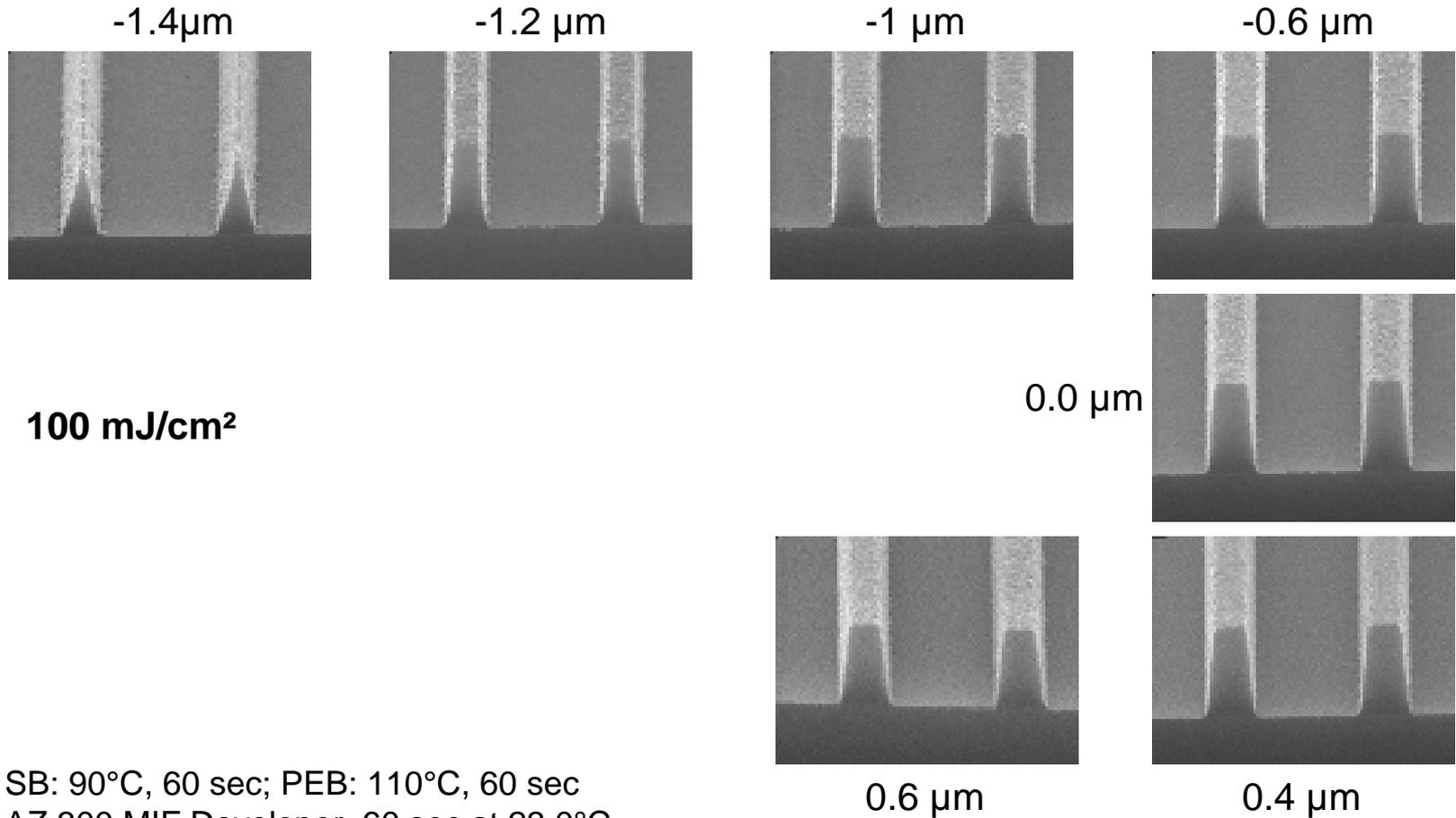


0.4  $\mu\text{m}$

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

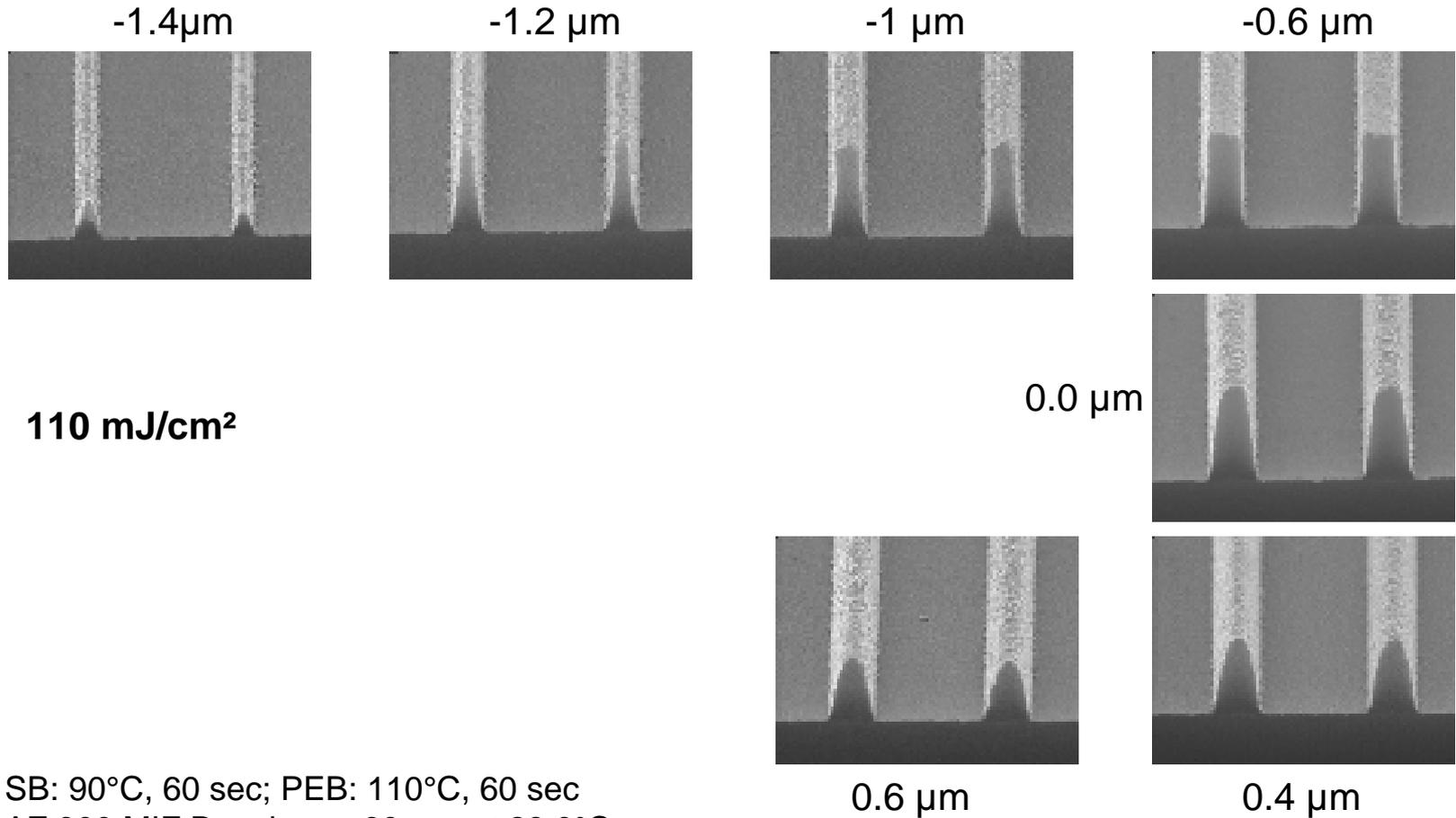
## DOF on Silicon for 0.5 $\mu\text{m}$ Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$



SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## DOF on Silicon for 0.5 $\mu\text{m}$ Isolated Lines, FT = 0.974 $\mu\text{m}$

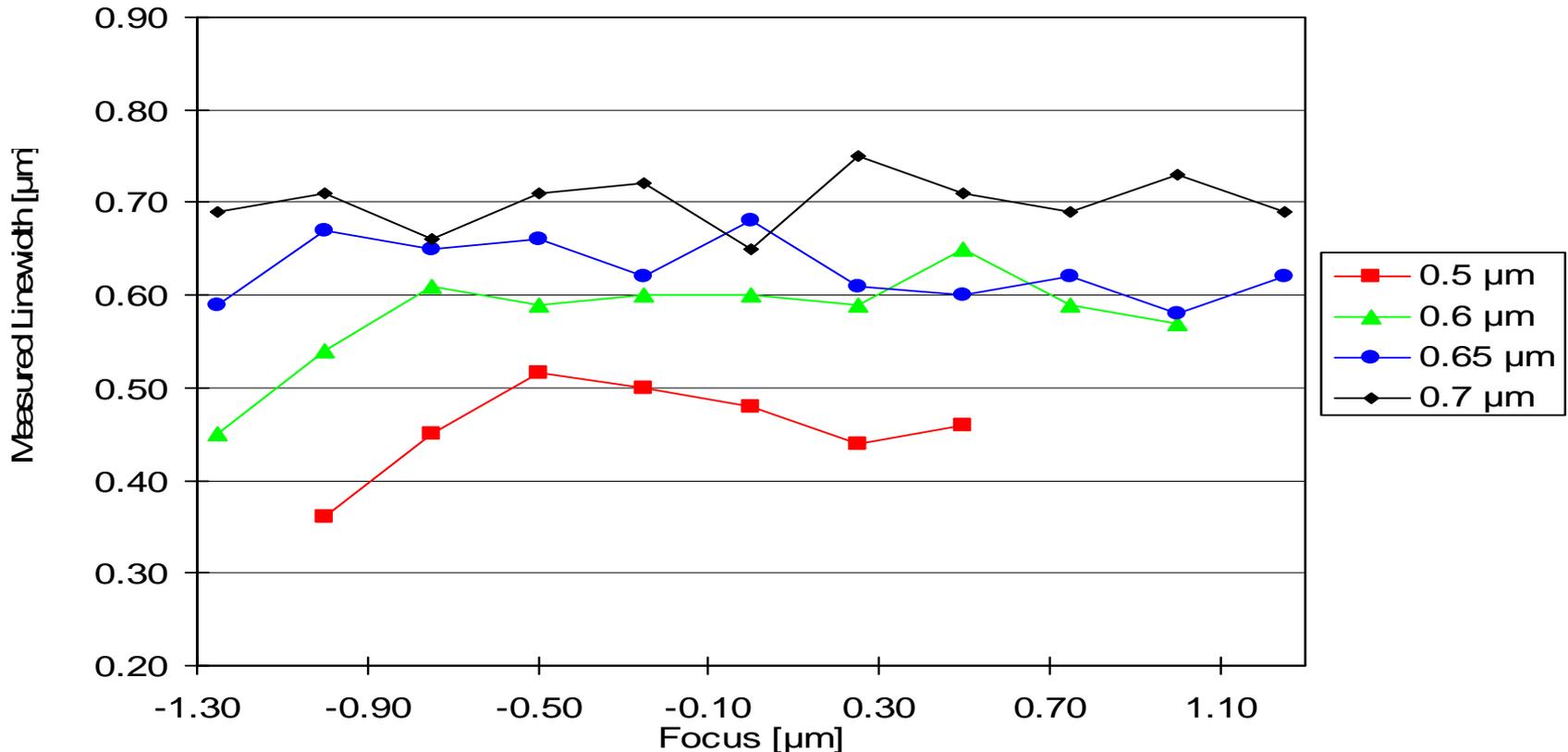


SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## Contact Hole Focus Latitude, FT = 1.076 $\mu\text{m}$

140 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>



SB: 90°C/ 60 sec, Nikon **i-line**, 0.54 NA

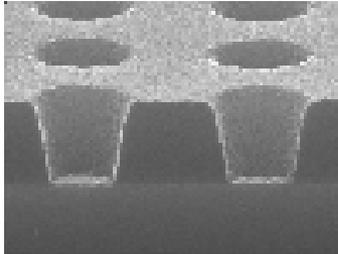
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AZ 300 MIF developer/ double puddle 52 sec

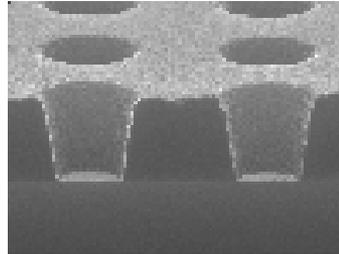
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## DOF on Silicon for 0.7 $\mu\text{m}$ Contact Holes, FT=1.076 $\mu\text{m}$

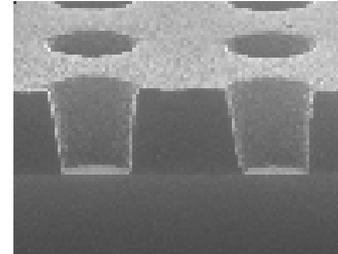
1.25  $\mu\text{m}$



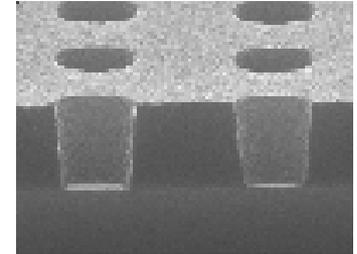
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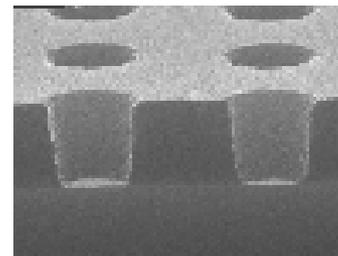
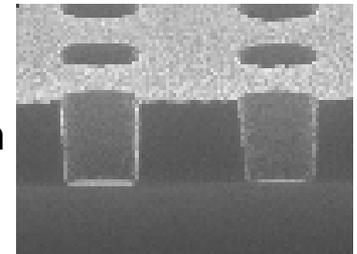


0.0  $\mu\text{m}$

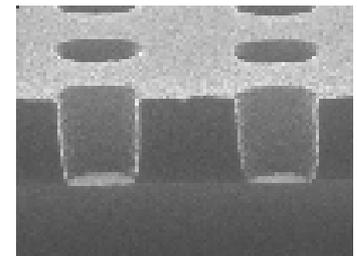


140  $\text{mJ}/\text{cm}^2$

-0.5  $\mu\text{m}$



-1.25  $\mu\text{m}$



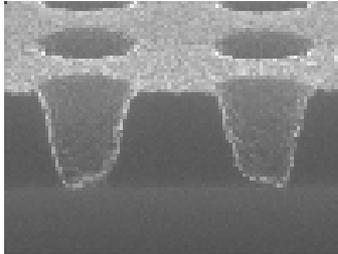
-1.0  $\mu\text{m}$

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AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

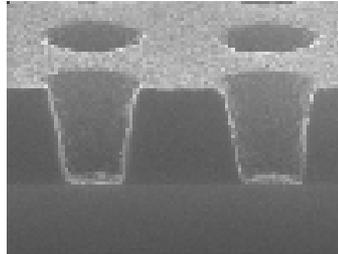
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## DOF on Silicon for 0.6 $\mu\text{m}$ Contact Holes, FT=1.076 $\mu\text{m}$

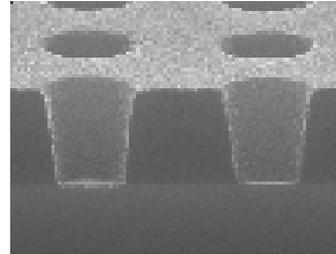
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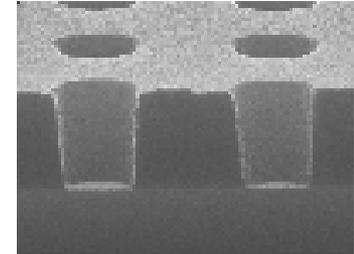
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0.5  $\mu\text{m}$

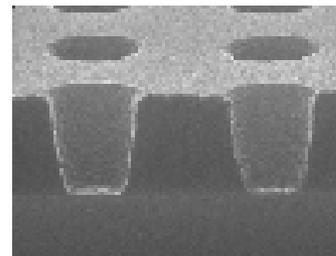
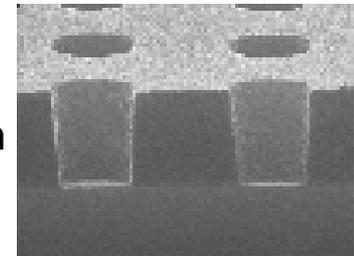


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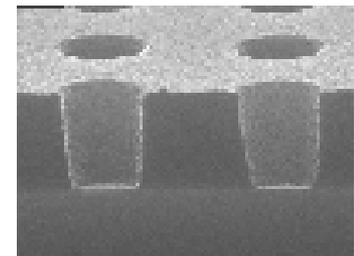


140 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

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-1.25 $\mu\text{m}$



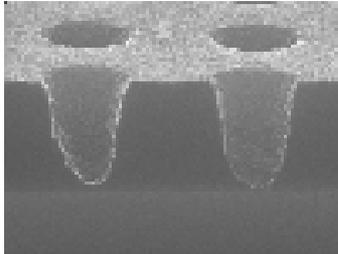
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Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

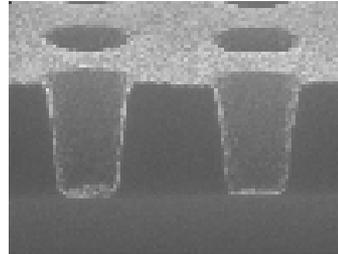
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## DOF on Silicon for 0.5 $\mu\text{m}$ Contact Holes, $FT=1.076 \mu\text{m}$

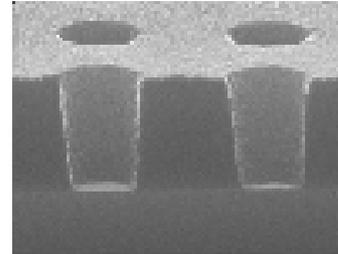
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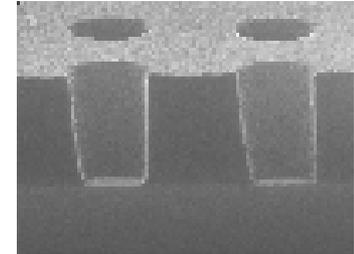
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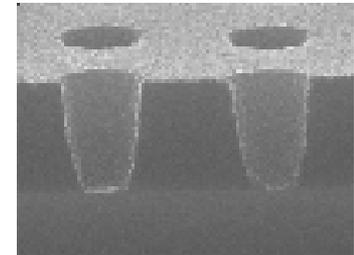
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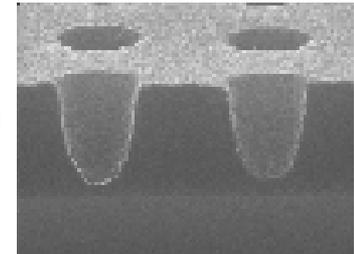
-0.5  $\mu\text{m}$



-1.0  $\mu\text{m}$



-1.25  $\mu\text{m}$



140  $\text{mJ}/\text{cm}^2$

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Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**,

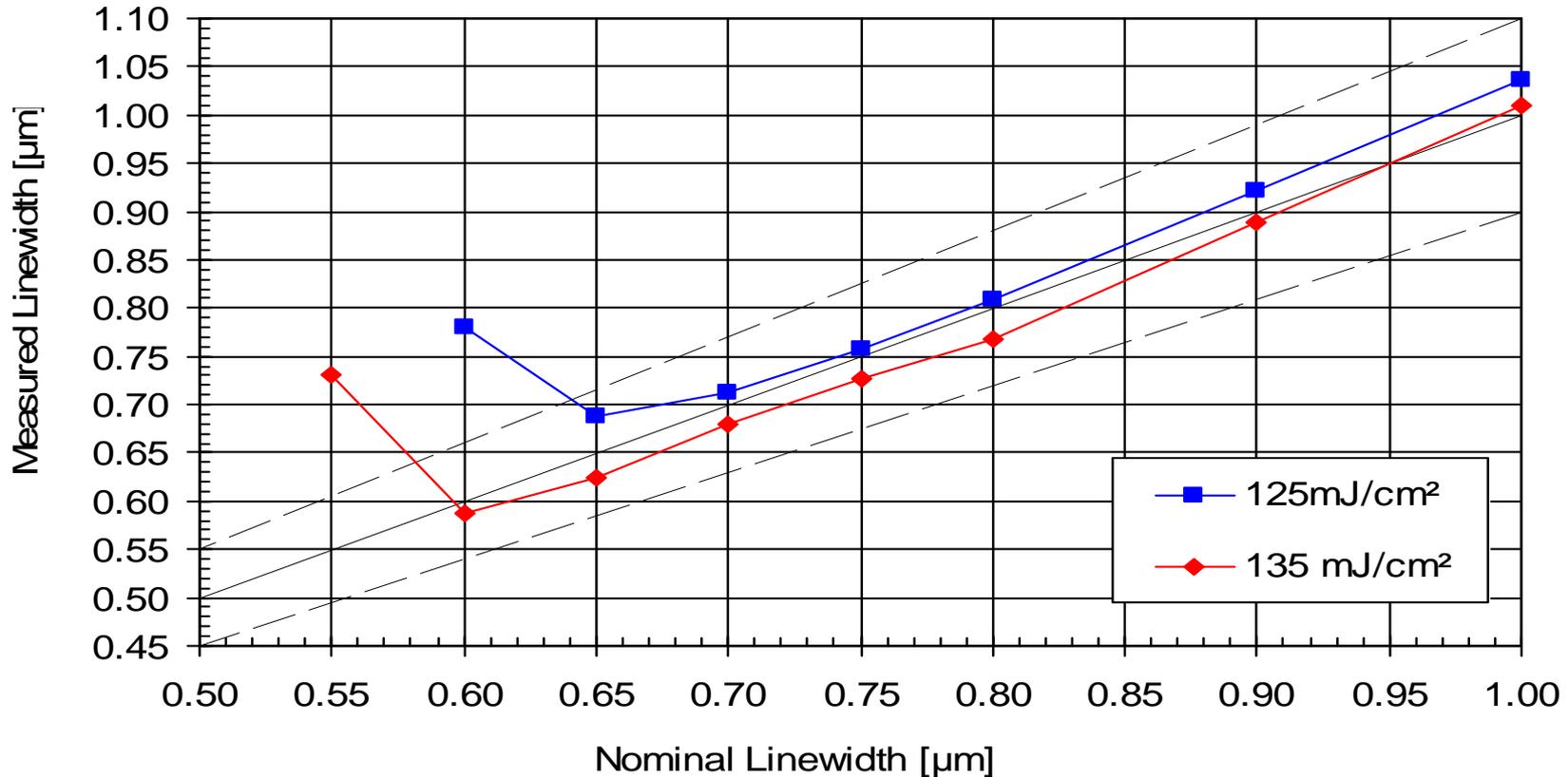


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Film Thickness 1.17  $\mu\text{m}$  @ Emax  
Exposure with GCA 0.42 NA **g-line** Stepper  
Using AZ 300 MIF Developer

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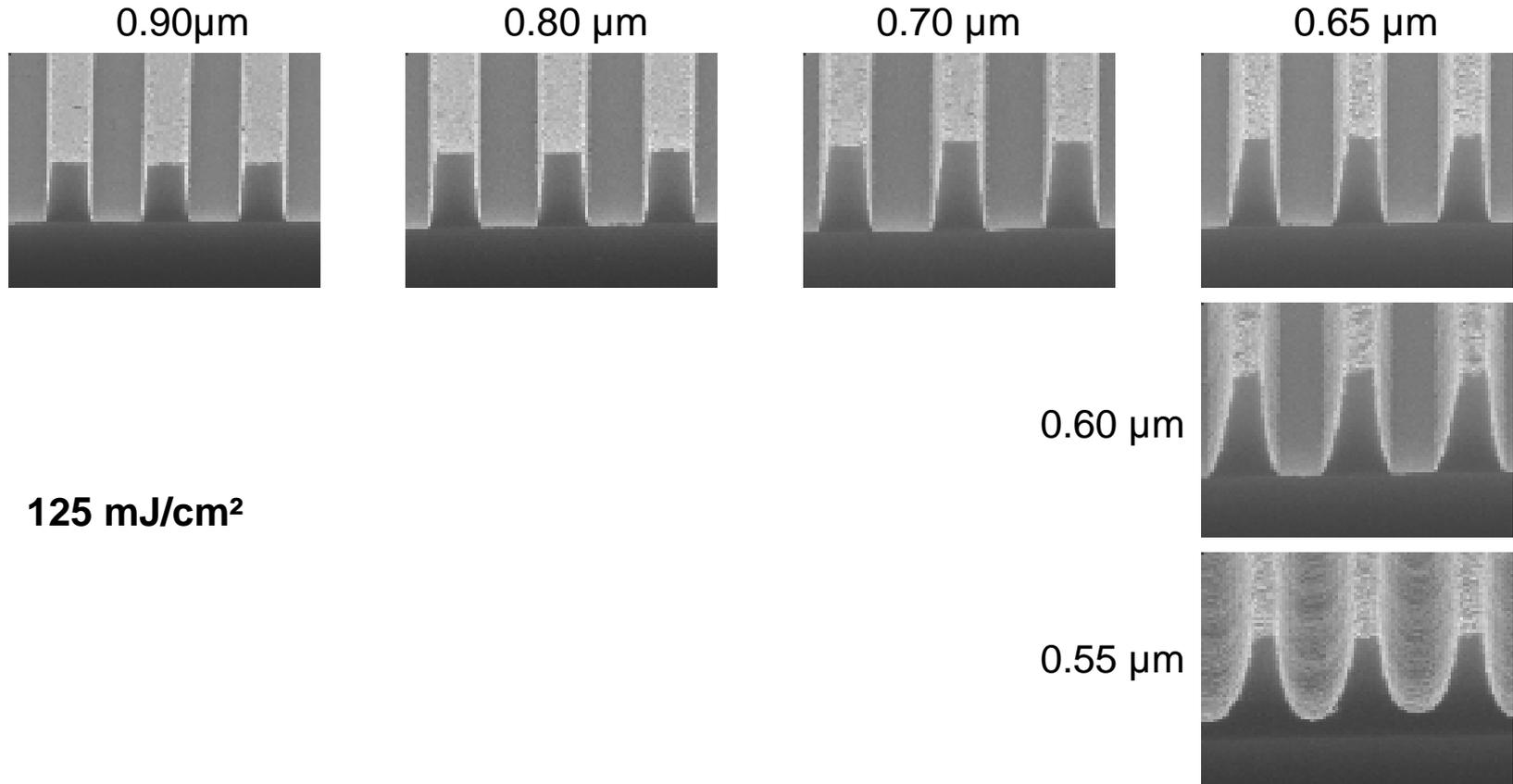
## Linearity on Silicon for Dense Lines, FT = 1.17 $\mu\text{m}$



SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, [g-Line](#)

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## Linearity on Silicon for Dense Lines, FT = 1.17 $\mu\text{m}$

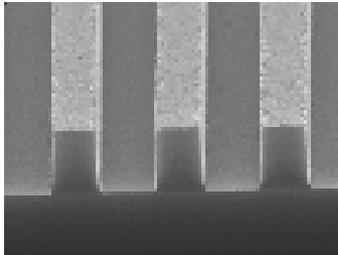


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GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

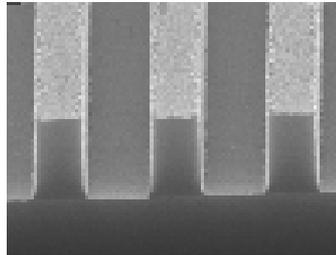
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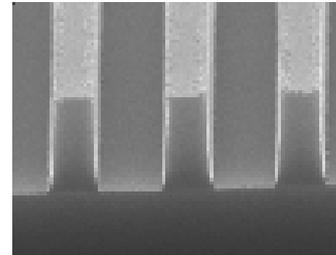
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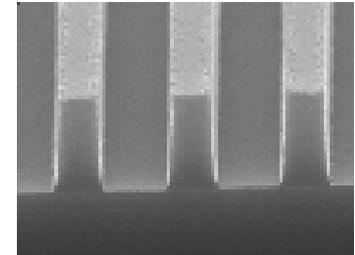
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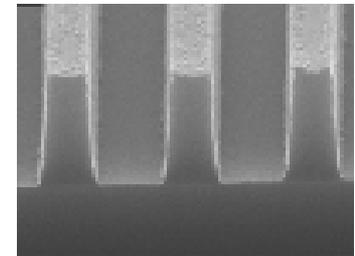
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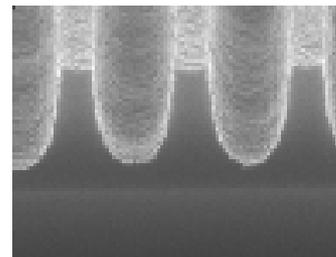
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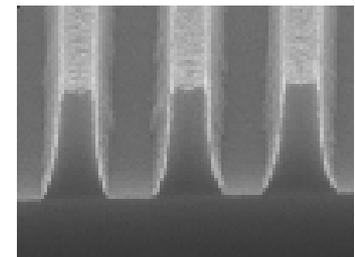
0.60  $\mu\text{m}$



135 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>



0.50 $\mu\text{m}$

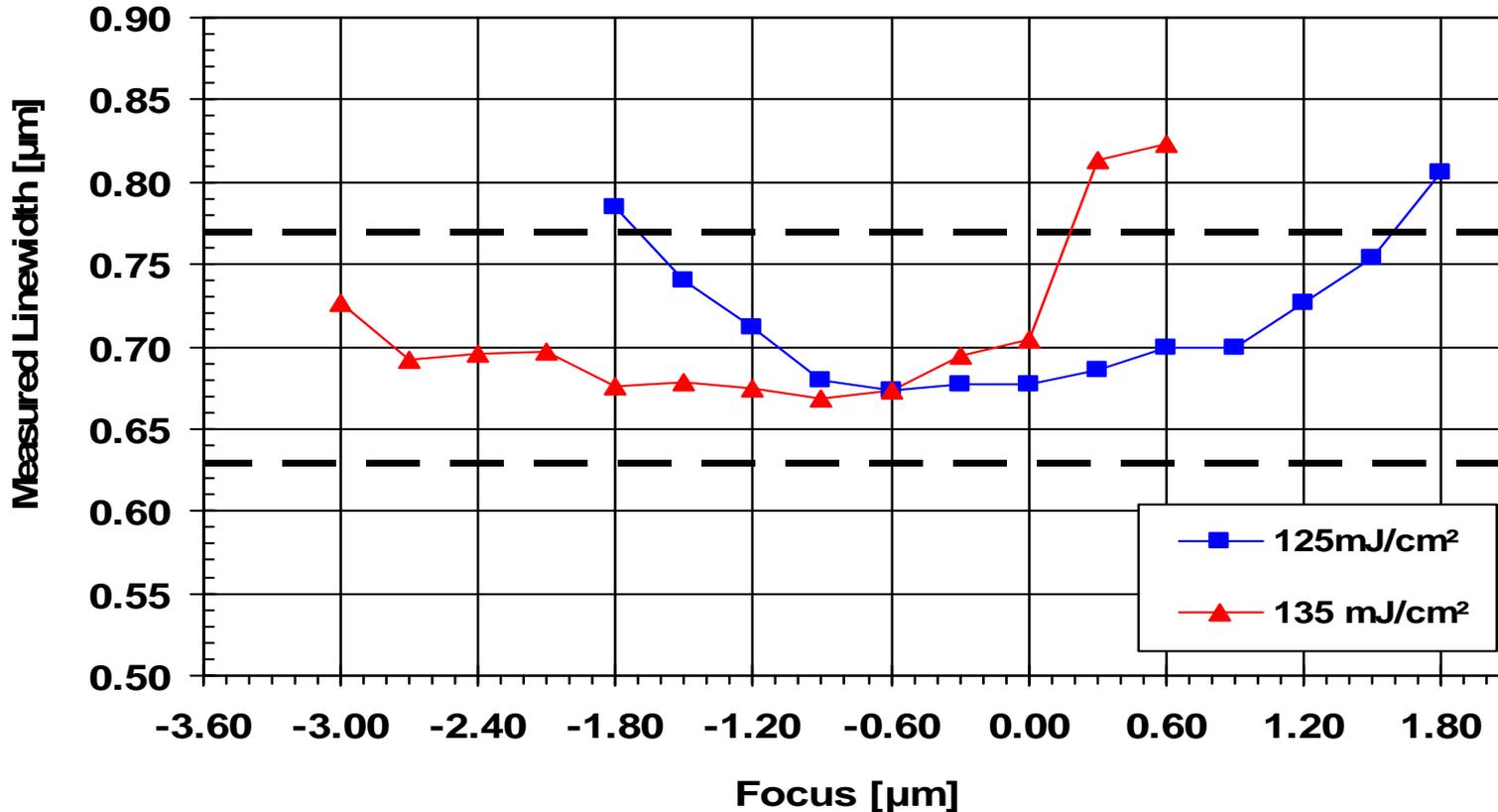


0.55  $\mu\text{m}$

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

# AZ<sup>®</sup> 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

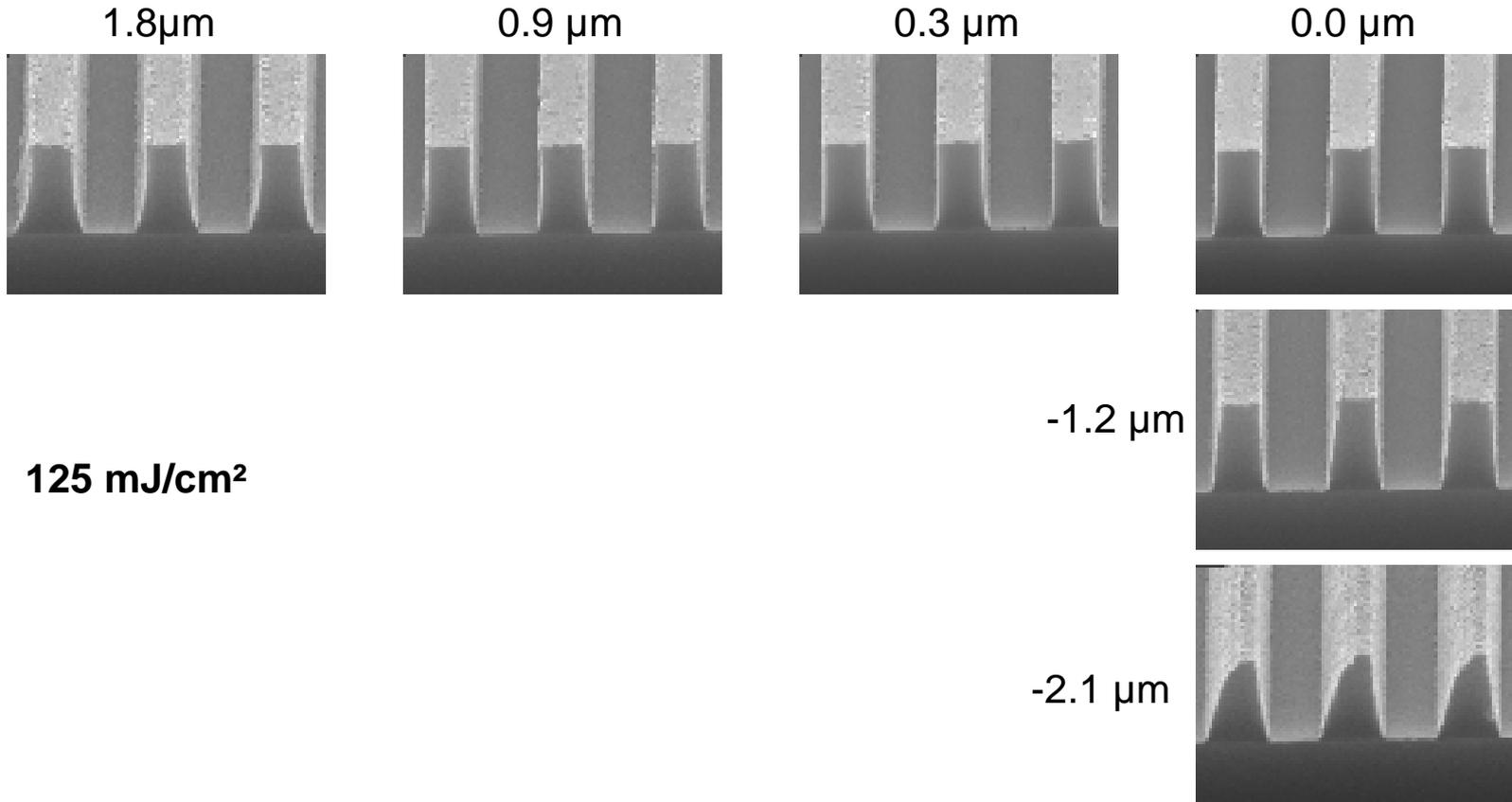
0.7  $\mu\text{m}$  L/S DOF on Silicon for Dense Lines, FT = 1.17  $\mu\text{m}$



SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
Puddle: 60 sec AZ<sup>®</sup> 300 MIF Developer at 23°C  
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## DOF on Silicon for 0.7 $\mu\text{m}$ Dense Lines, FT = 1.17 $\mu\text{m}$

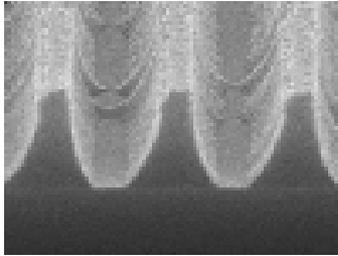


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AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

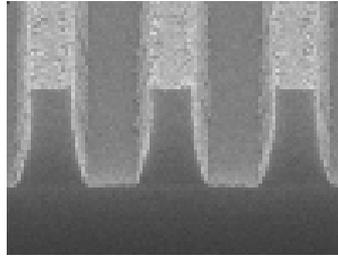
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## DOF on Silicon for 0.7 $\mu\text{m}$ Dense Lines, FT = 1.17 $\mu\text{m}$

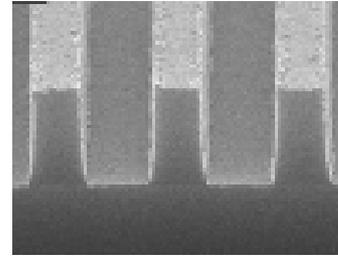
0.9  $\mu\text{m}$



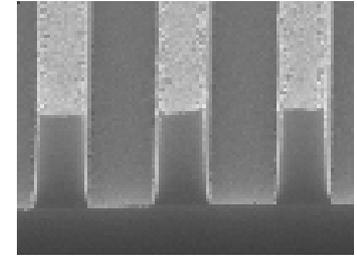
0.3  $\mu\text{m}$



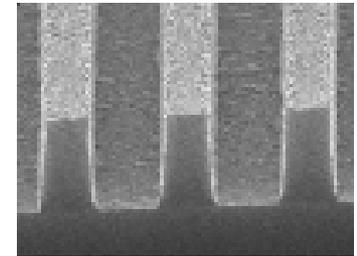
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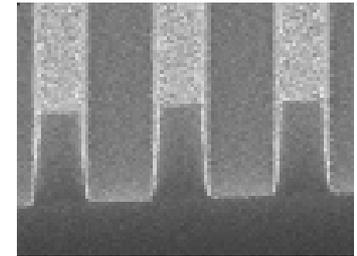
-1.2  $\mu\text{m}$



-2.1  $\mu\text{m}$



-2.7  $\mu\text{m}$

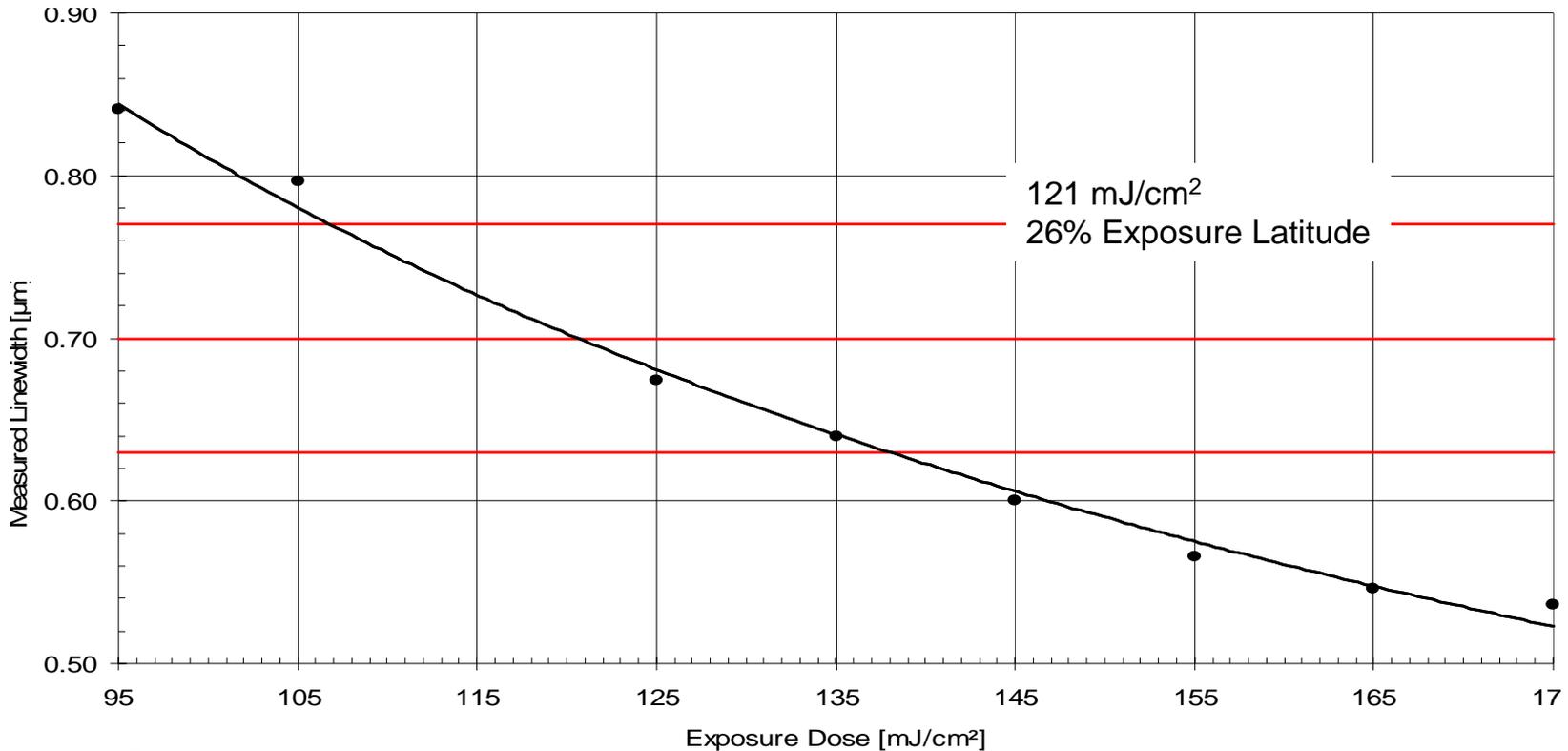


135 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

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## 0.7 $\mu\text{m}$ L/S Exposure Latitude on Silicon, FT = 1.171 $\mu\text{m}$



Dense Lines

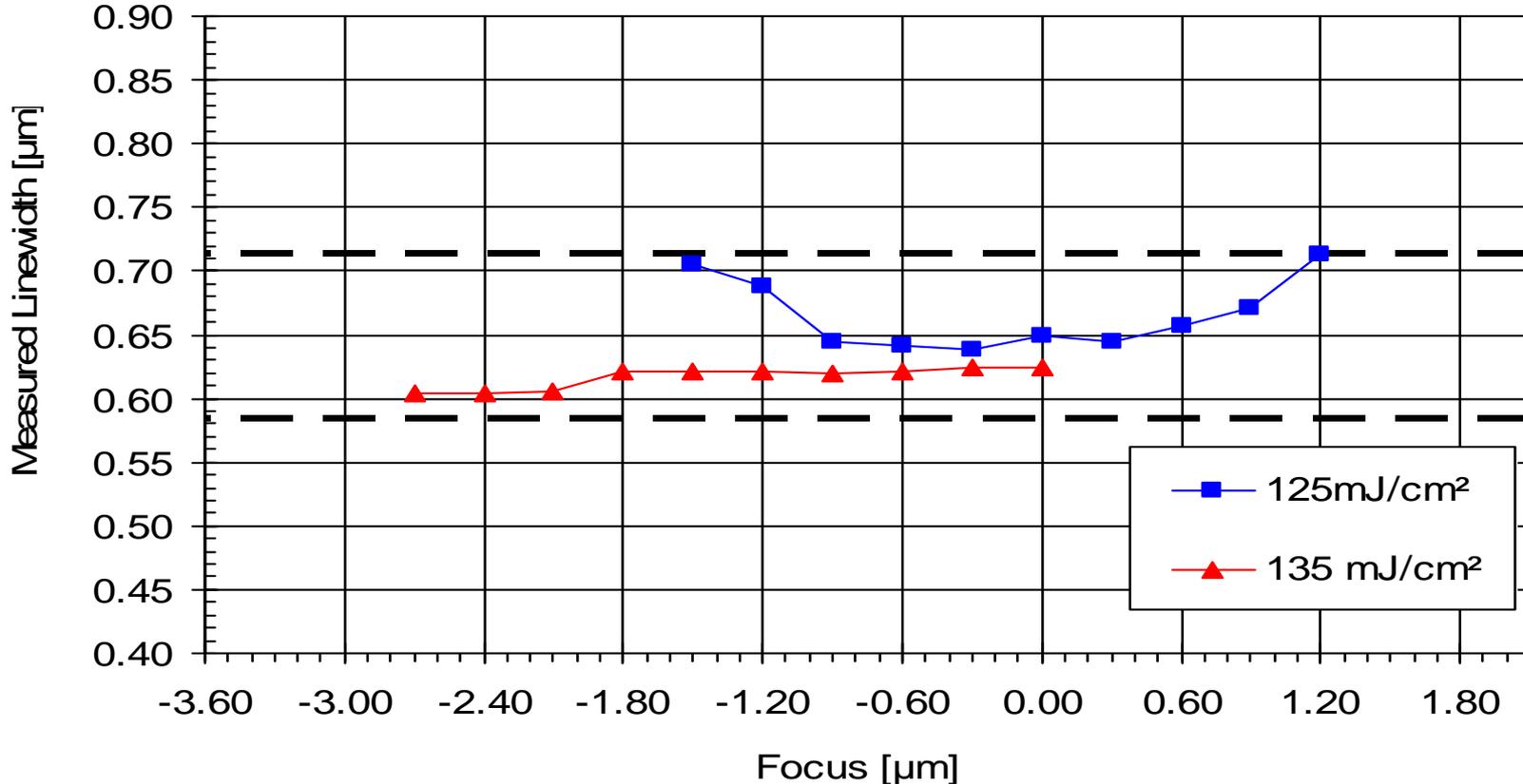
SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

AZ® 300MIF, 60 sec Spray-puddle Developer @23°C

GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

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## 0.65 $\mu\text{m}$ L/S DOF on Silicon for Dense Lines, FT = 1.17 $\mu\text{m}$

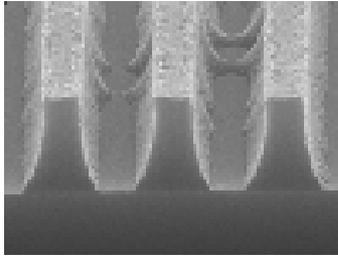


SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, [g-Line](#)

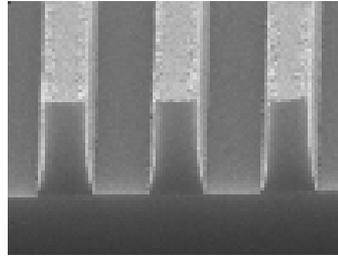
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## DOF on Silicon for 0.65 $\mu\text{m}$ Dense Lines, FT = 1.17 $\mu\text{m}$

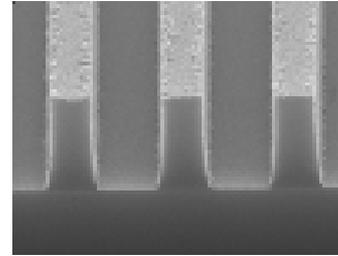
1.8  $\mu\text{m}$



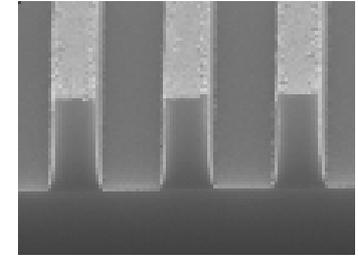
0.9  $\mu\text{m}$



0.3  $\mu\text{m}$

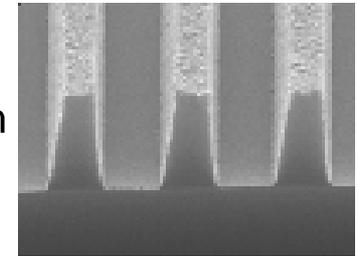


0.0  $\mu\text{m}$

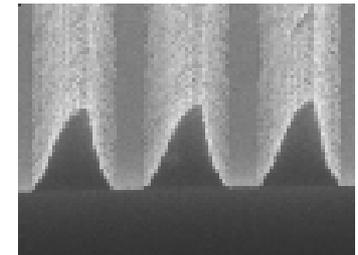


125 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

-1.2  $\mu\text{m}$



-2.1  $\mu\text{m}$

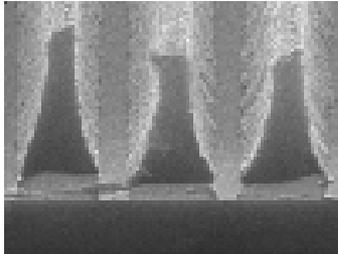


SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

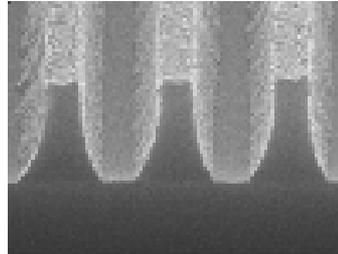
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## DOF on Silicon for 0.65 $\mu\text{m}$ Dense Lines, FT = 1.17 $\mu\text{m}$

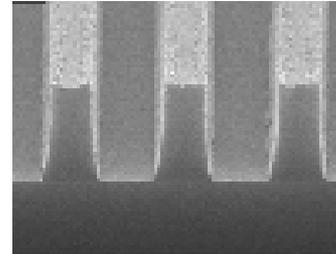
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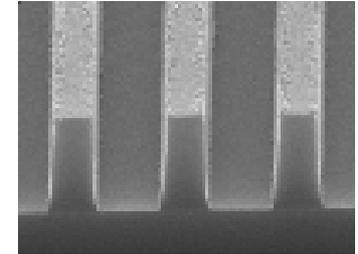
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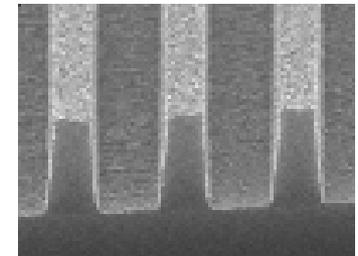
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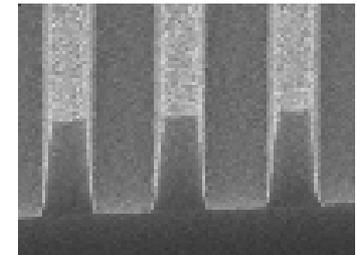
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-2.1  $\mu\text{m}$



-2.7  $\mu\text{m}$

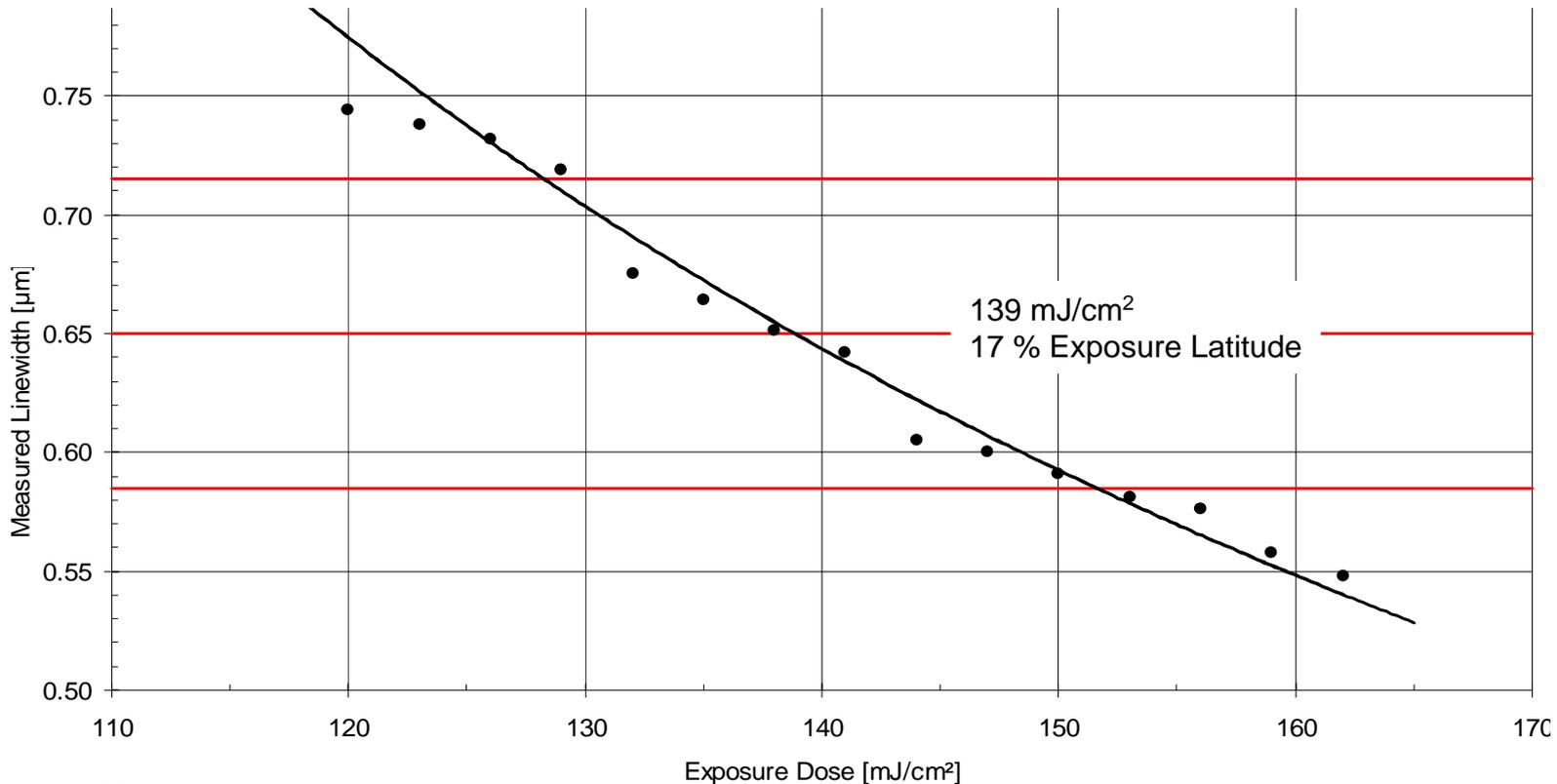


135 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## 0.65 $\mu\text{m}$ L/S Exposure Latitude on Silicon, FT = 1.171 $\mu\text{m}$



Dense Lines

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

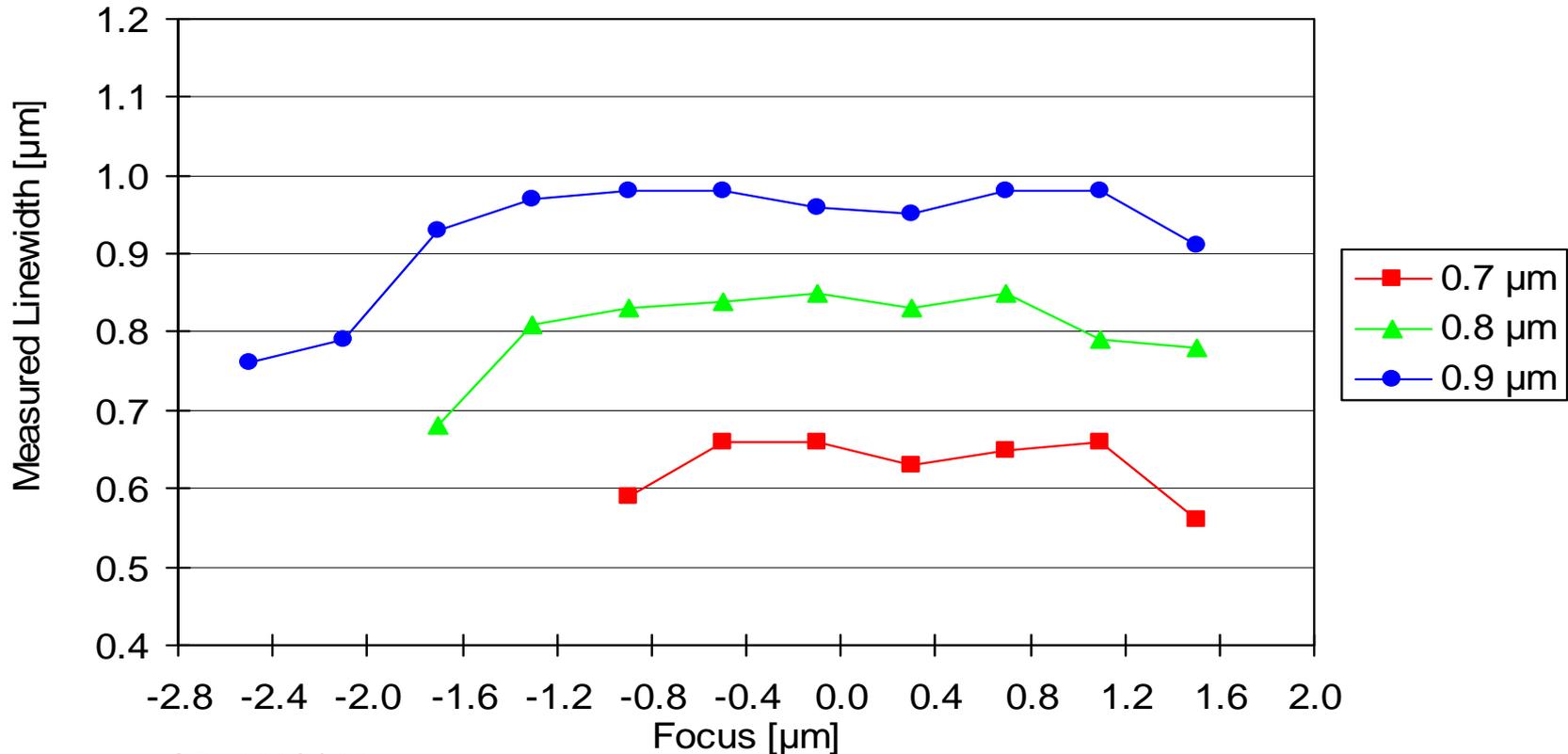
AZ 300 MIF, 60 sec Spray-puddle Developer @23°C

GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## Contact Hole Focus Latitude, FT = 1.171 $\mu\text{m}$

180 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>



SB: 90°C/ 60 sec

GCA **g-line**, 0.42 NA

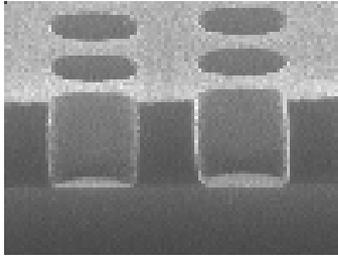
PEB: 110°C/ 60 sec

AZ 300 MIF Developer/ 60 s spray puddle.

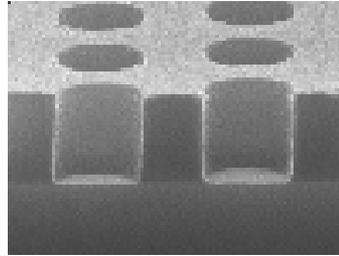
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## DOF on Silicon for 0.9 $\mu\text{m}$ Contact Holes, FT=1.171 $\mu\text{m}$

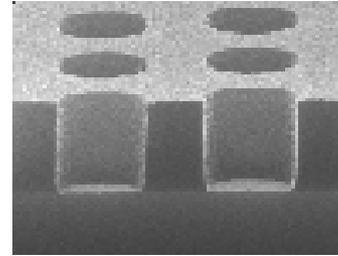
1.5 $\mu\text{m}$



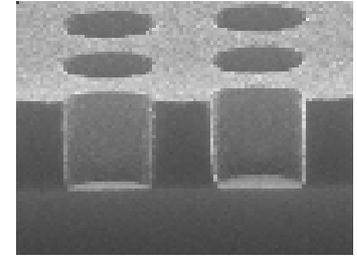
1.1  $\mu\text{m}$



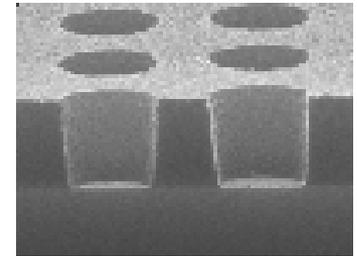
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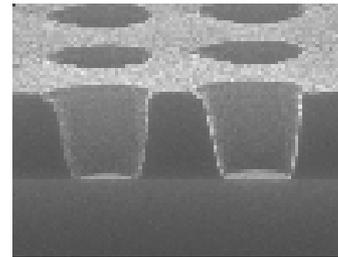
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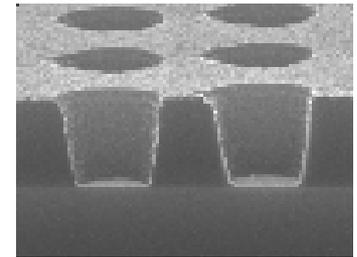
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180mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>



-2.5 $\mu\text{m}$



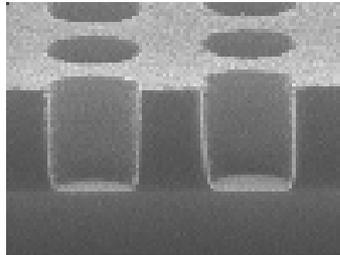
-2.1  $\mu\text{m}$

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

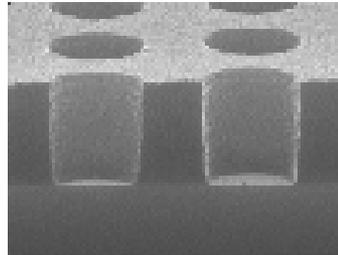
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## DOF on Silicon for 0.8 $\mu\text{m}$ Contact Holes, FT=1.171 $\mu\text{m}$

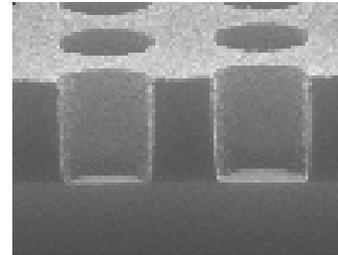
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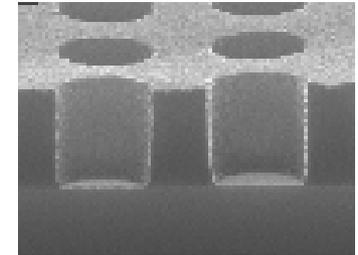
1.1  $\mu\text{m}$



0.3  $\mu\text{m}$

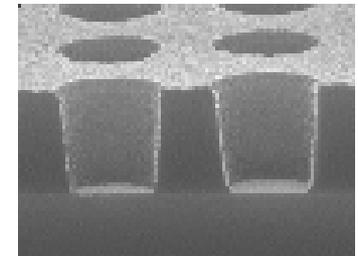


-0.5  $\mu\text{m}$

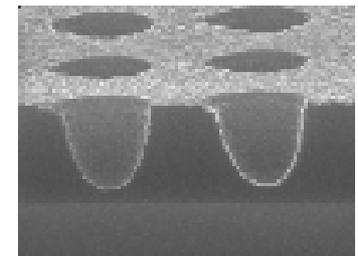


180mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

-1.3  $\mu\text{m}$



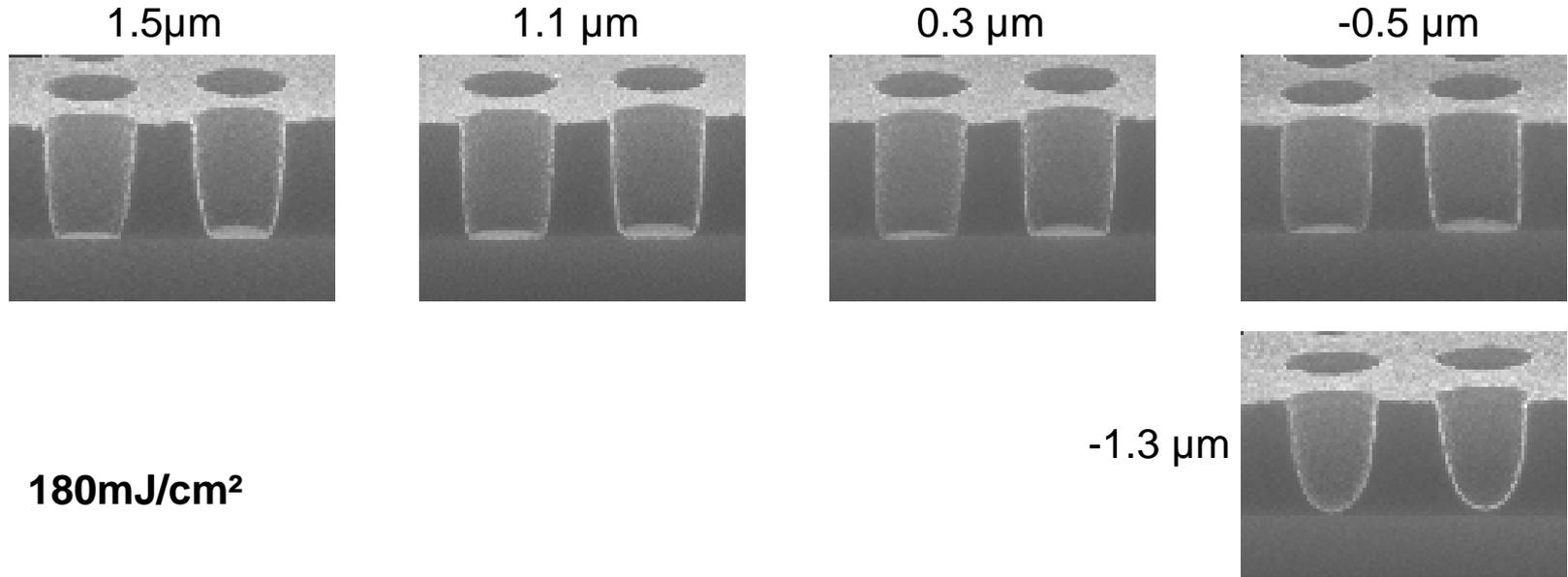
-2.1  $\mu\text{m}$



SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, **g-Line**

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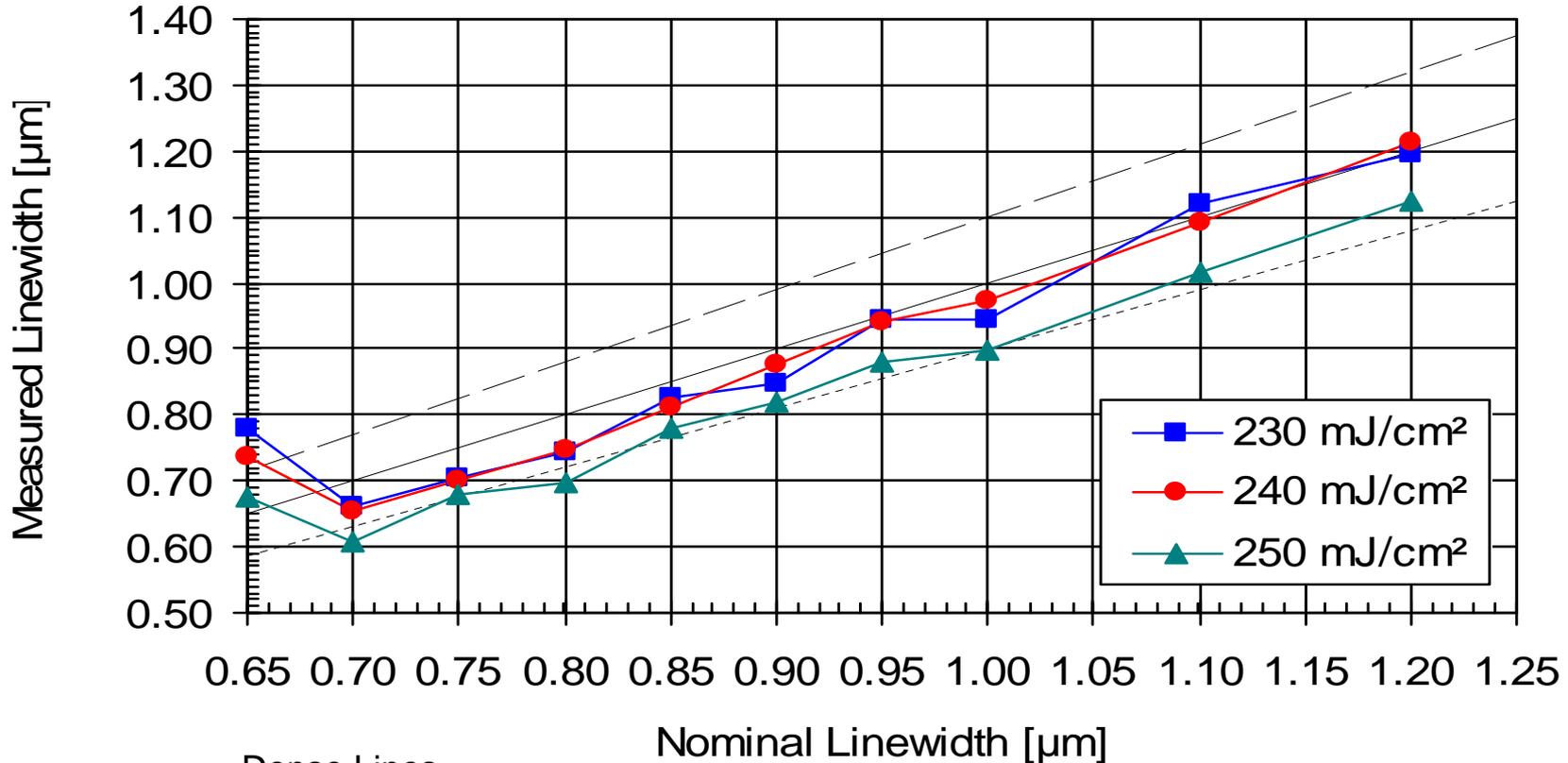
## DOF on Silicon for 0.7 $\mu\text{m}$ Contact Holes, FT=1.171 $\mu\text{m}$



SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
GCA 0.42 NA, [g-Line](#)

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## Broadband, Linearity on Silicon, FT = 1.171 $\mu\text{m}$



Dense Lines

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

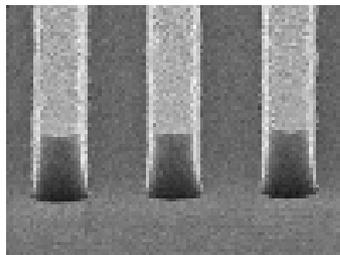
AZ 915 MIF Developer, 60 sec Spray-puddle Developer @23°C

Ultratech 1500 0.32 NA, **Broadband**

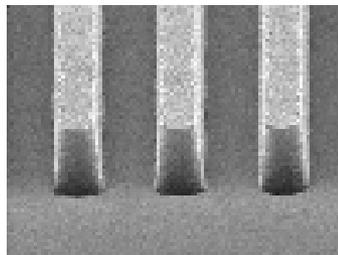
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## Linearity on Silicon for Dense Lines, FT = 1.171 $\mu\text{m}$

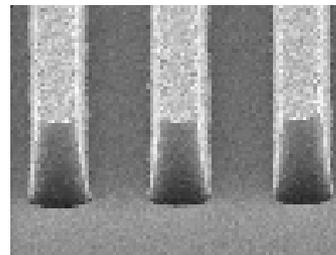
1.0  $\mu\text{m}$



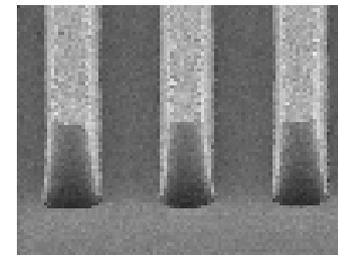
0.9  $\mu\text{m}$



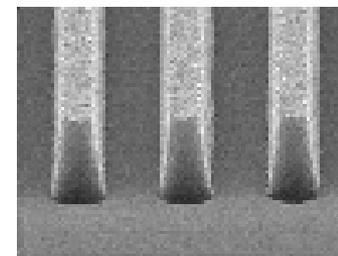
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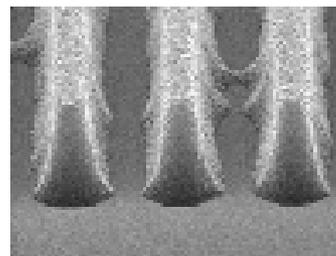
0.8  $\mu\text{m}$



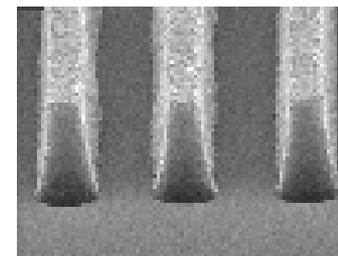
0.75  $\mu\text{m}$



220  $\text{mJ}/\text{cm}^2$



0.65  $\mu\text{m}$



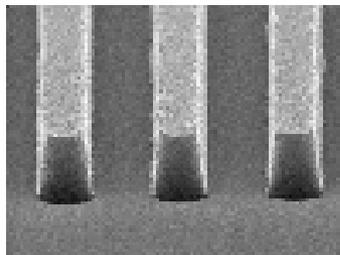
0.7  $\mu\text{m}$

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AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
Ultratech 1500, 0.32 NA, **Broadband**

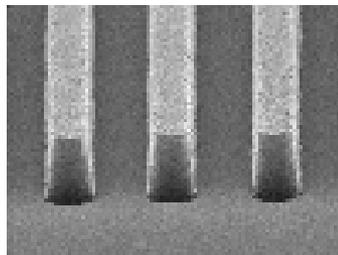
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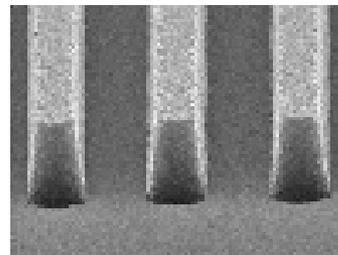
1.0 $\mu\text{m}$



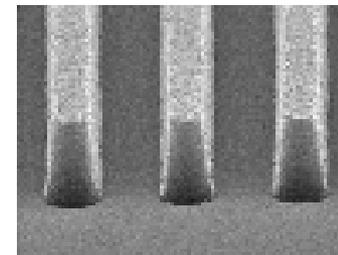
0.9  $\mu\text{m}$



0.85  $\mu\text{m}$

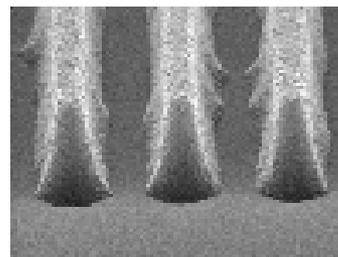
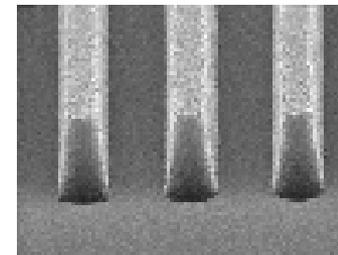


0.8  $\mu\text{m}$

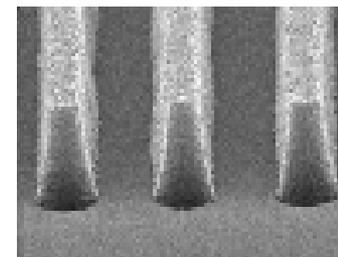


230  $\text{mJ}/\text{cm}^2$

0.75  $\mu\text{m}$



0.65 $\mu\text{m}$

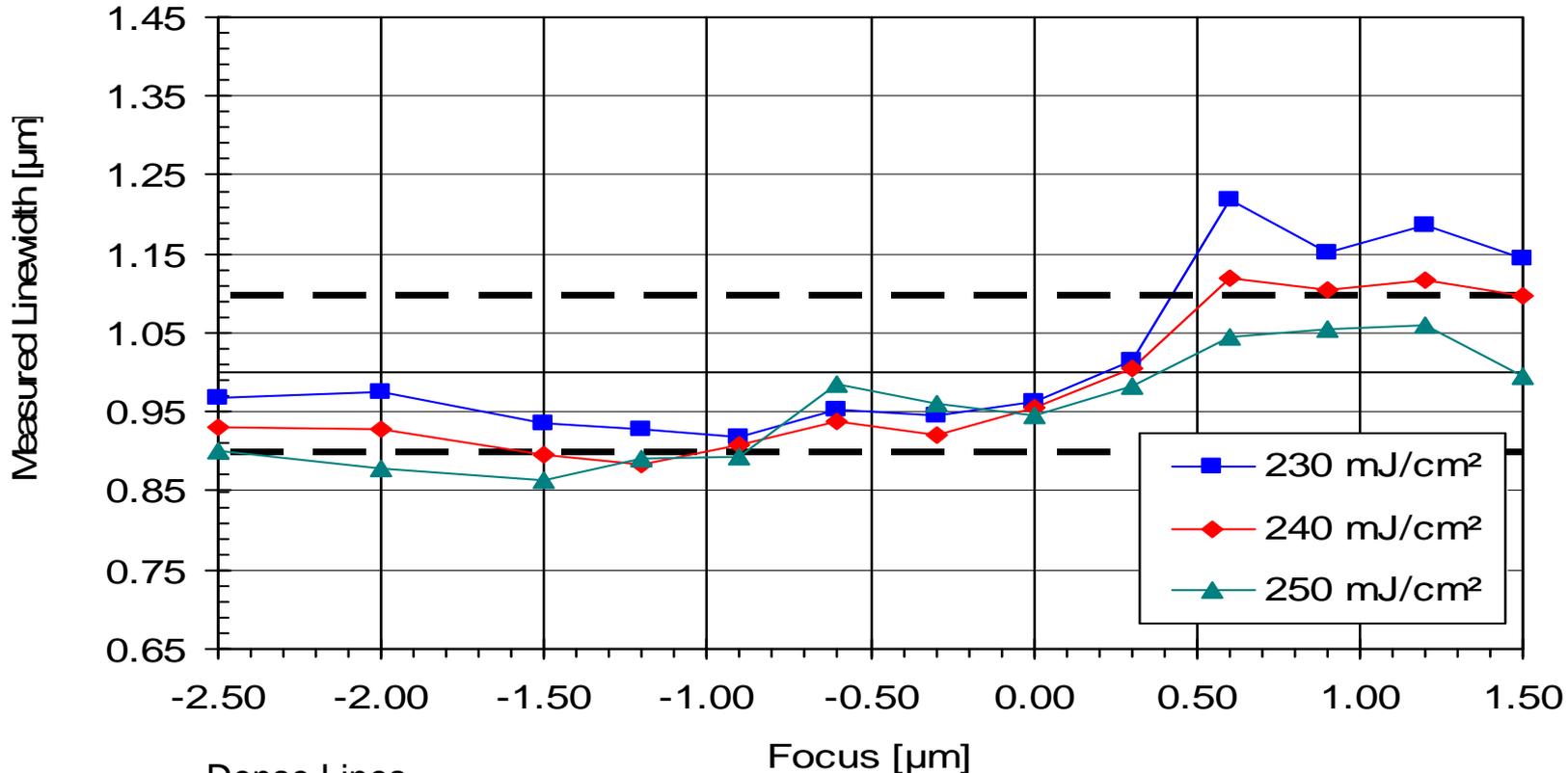


0.7  $\mu\text{m}$

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Dense Lines

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

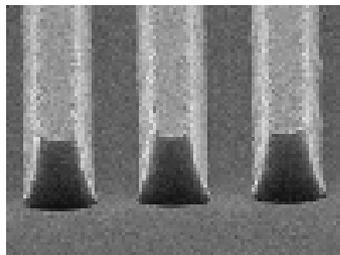
AZ 915 MIF Developer, 60 sec Spray-puddle Developer @ 23 °C

Ultratech 1500 0.32 NA, **Broadband**

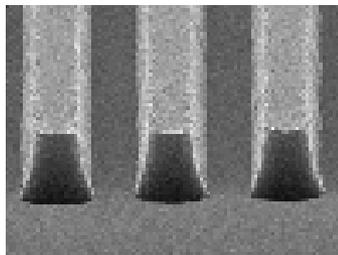
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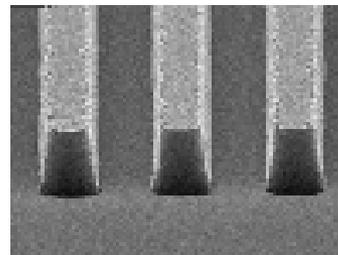
1.2  $\mu\text{m}$



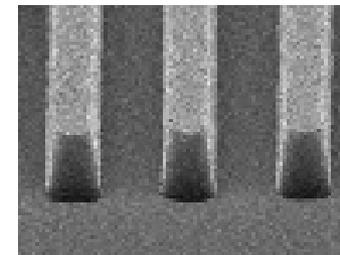
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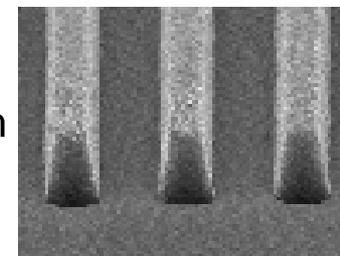
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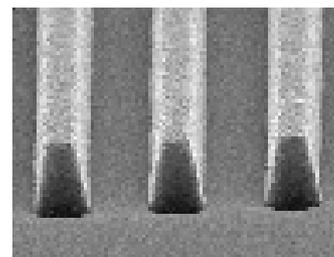
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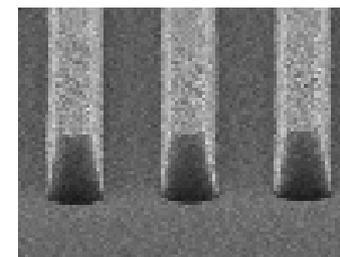
-1.2  $\mu\text{m}$



220 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>



-2.0  $\mu\text{m}$



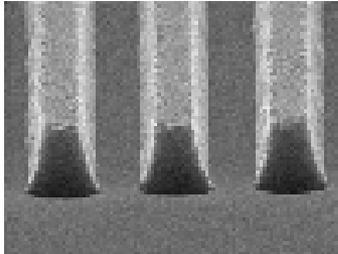
-1.5  $\mu\text{m}$

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Ultratech 1500, 0.32 NA, **Broadband**

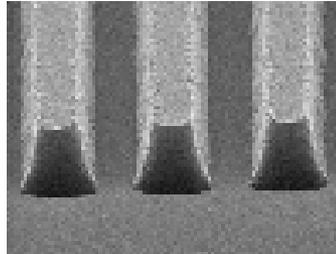
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## DOF on Silicon for 1.0 $\mu\text{m}$ Dense Lines, FT = 1.171 $\mu\text{m}$

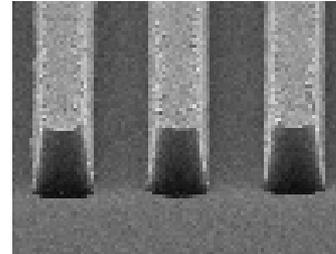
1.2 $\mu\text{m}$



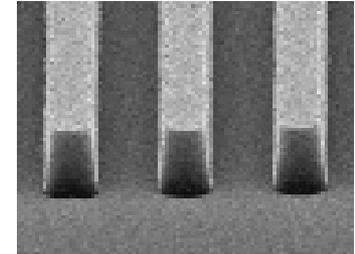
0.6  $\mu\text{m}$



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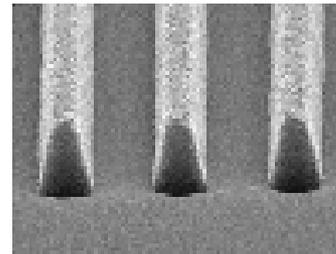
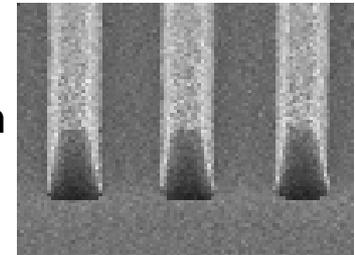


-0.6  $\mu\text{m}$

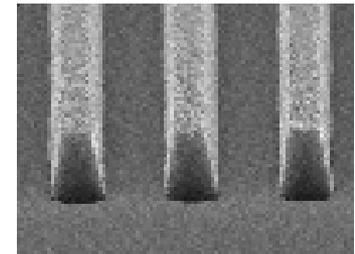


230 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

-1.2  $\mu\text{m}$



-2.0 $\mu\text{m}$

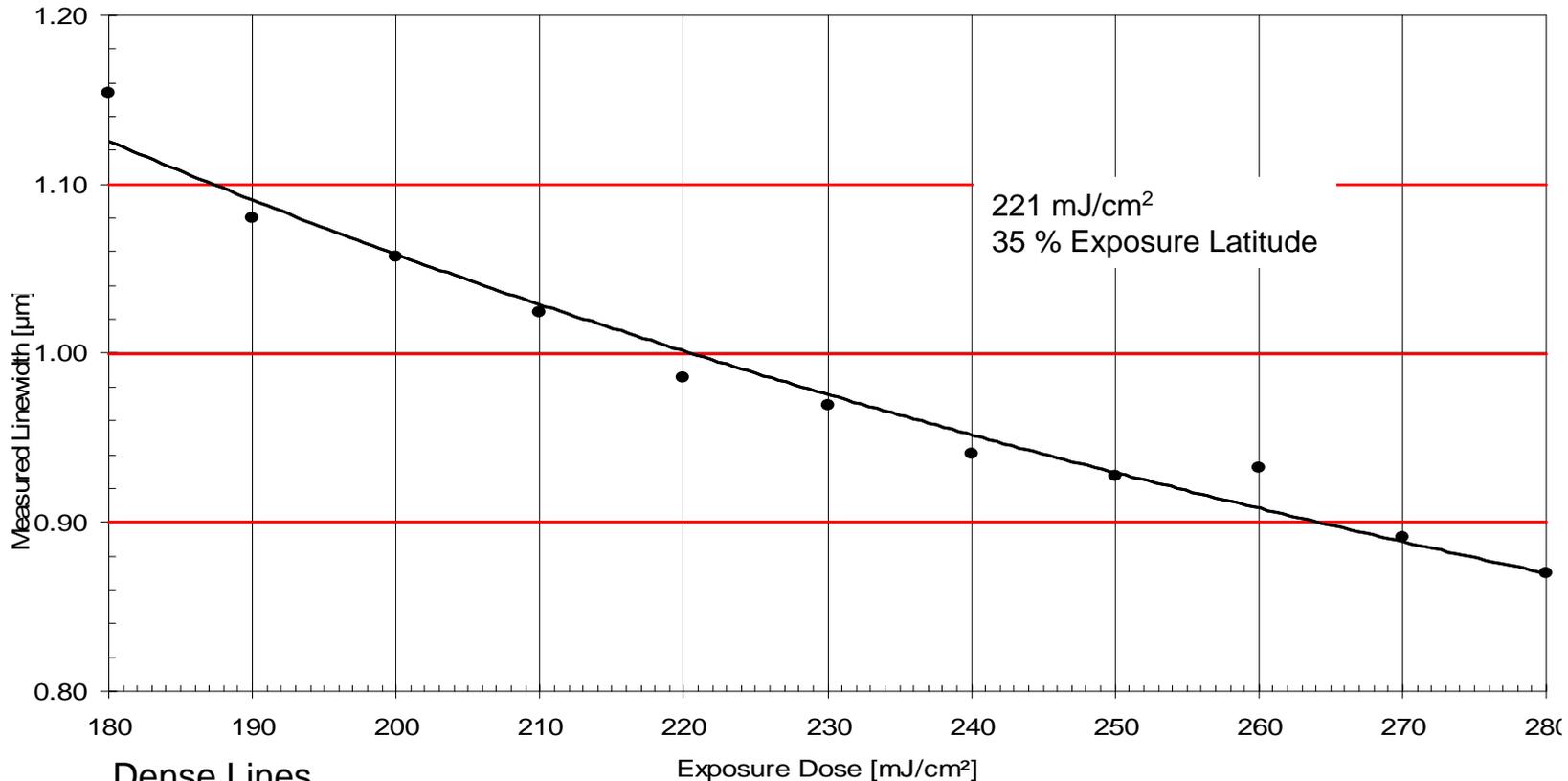


-1.5  $\mu\text{m}$

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec  
AZ 300 MIF Developer, 60 sec at 23.0°C  
Ultratech 1500, 0.32 NA, **Broadband**

# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## 1.0 $\mu\text{m}$ L/S Exposure Latitude on Silicon, FT = 1.171 $\mu\text{m}$



Dense Lines

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

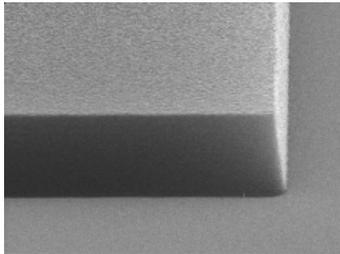
AZ 915 MIF, 60 sec Spray-puddle Developer @23°C

Ultratech 1500 0.32 NA, **Broadband**

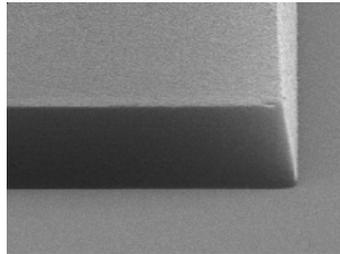
# AZ 3312 Photoresist (18 cps)

## Thermal Stability, 120 sec Hard Bake

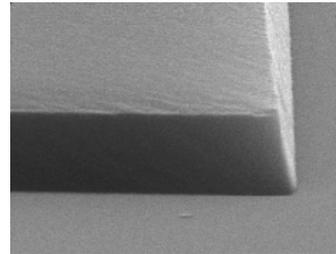
No bake



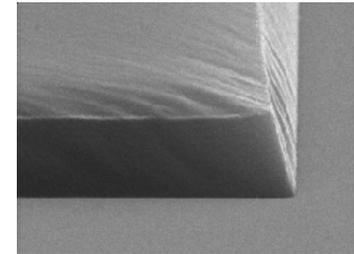
115°C



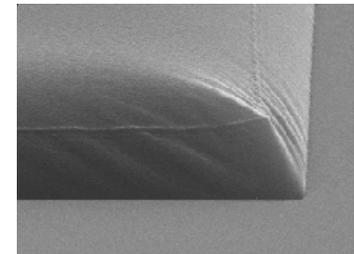
120°C



125°C



130°C



FT = 1.187 $\mu$ m

SB: 90°C, 60 sec; PEB: 110°C, 60 sec

Spray Puddle: 60 sec AZ 300 MIF Developer at 23.0°C

Nikon 0.54 NA **i-Line**