



# Innovative technologies in Industry



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# What is your definition of innovation?



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**“To innovate doesn’t mean to have a new idea but to stop to have an old idea”**

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Edwin Herbert Land

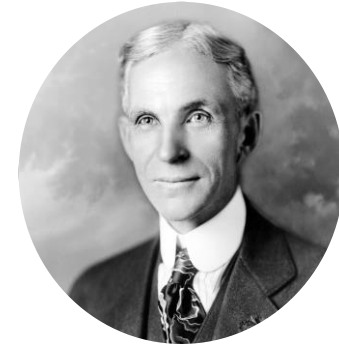


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**“There is no innovation without disobedience”**

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Napoleon



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**“If I would have asked my customers what they were expecting they would have answered: horses with longer legs”**

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Henry Ford

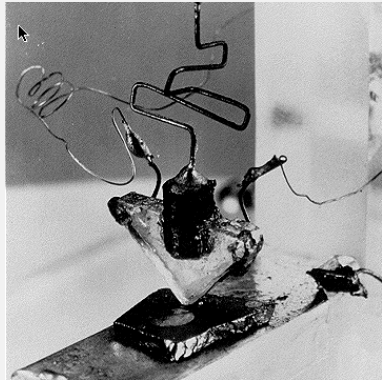
# 1) Time required for commercialization of new materials



\* (M.Boren, V.Chan, C.Musso: "The pass to improve returns in material commercialization" McKinsey on Chemicals, May 2012)

# The semiconductor industry: a mature and conservative industry

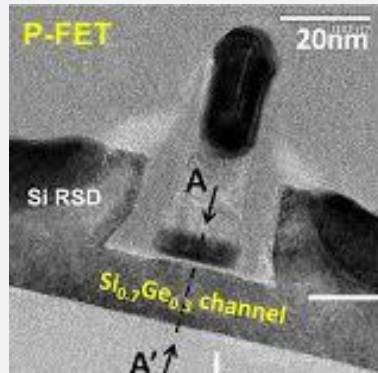
**1<sup>st</sup> Transistor**  
5mm Schokley  
1947 bell labs



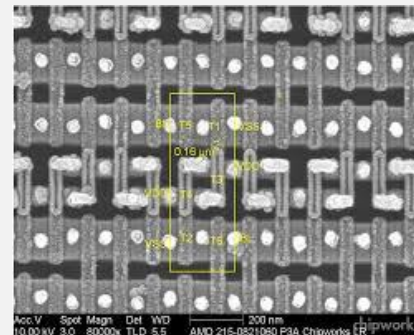
**1<sup>st</sup> Circuit**  
(1tr, 1C, 1R)  
Kilby 1958 TI



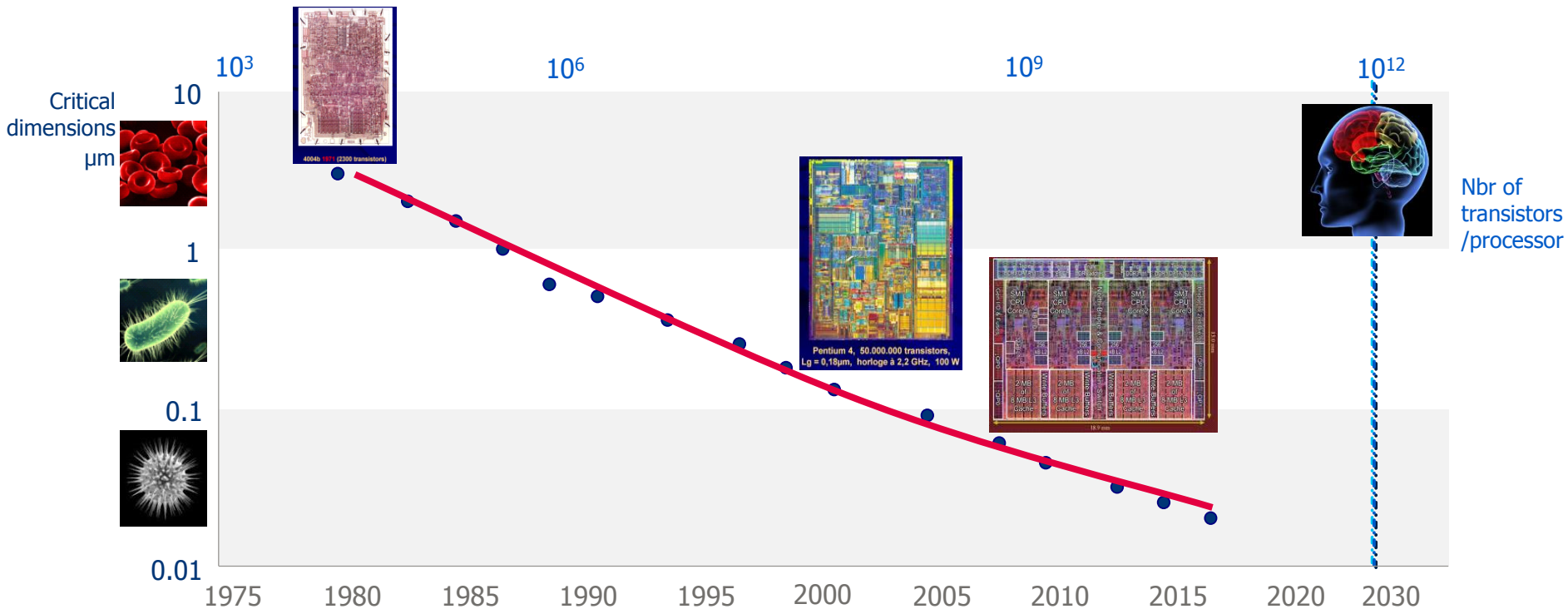
**P-FET Transistor**  
(20nm node)  
Intel 2014



**SRAM circuit**  
AMD 2012



# Moore's Law



Improving the performance of integrated circuits is possible thanks to the miniaturization of transistors which allows:

- The reduction of consumed energy
- To increase the number of transistors/chips
- The reduction of costs that are proportional to the silicon area occupied by the chip

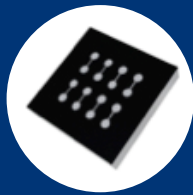
# Lithography enables Scaling

## PHOTOLITHOGRAPHY PROCESS



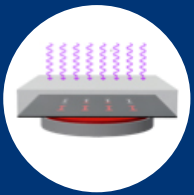
### SILICON WAFER

We begin with a clean silicon wafer spincoated with photoresist



### PHOTOMASK

A glass or mylar mask coated with an opaque film defines the features



### EXPOSURE

A mask aligner is used to pass UV light through the mask onto the wafer



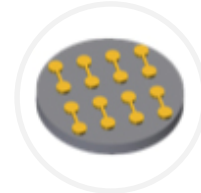
### DEVELOPMENT

Exposed resist is washed away while unexposed resist remains



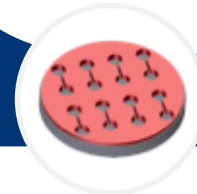
### DEPOSITION

Metallic, semiconducting or insulating layers are evaporated or sputtered onto the surface



### LIFTOFF

Photoresist is removed, leaving behind precisely deposited features



### WET OR DRY ETCH

Exposed sections are etched away while the resist protects the remaining areas

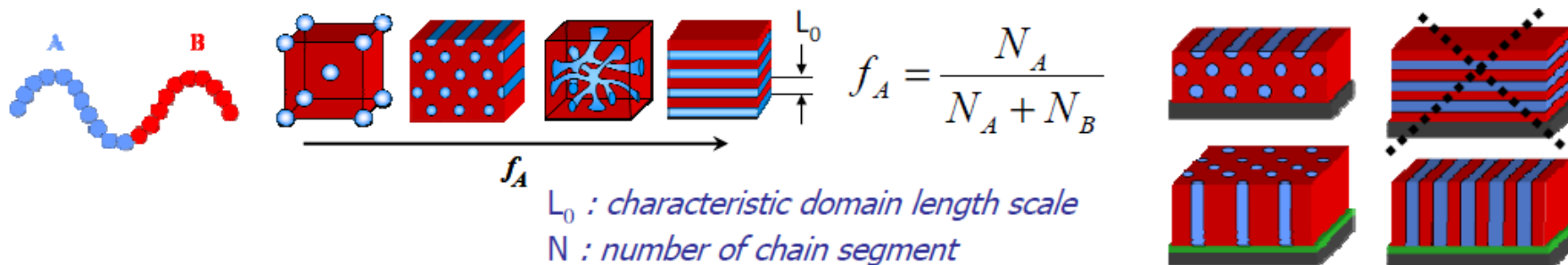
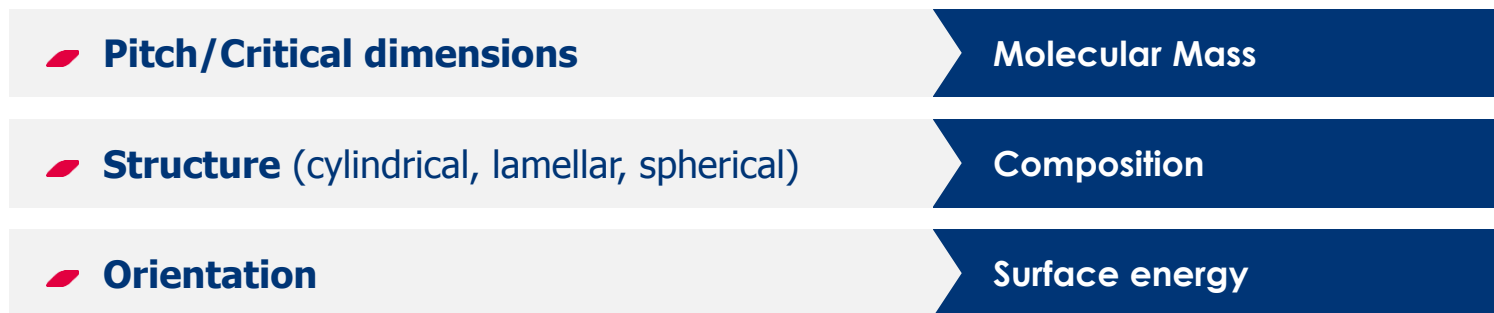


### RESIST REMOVAL

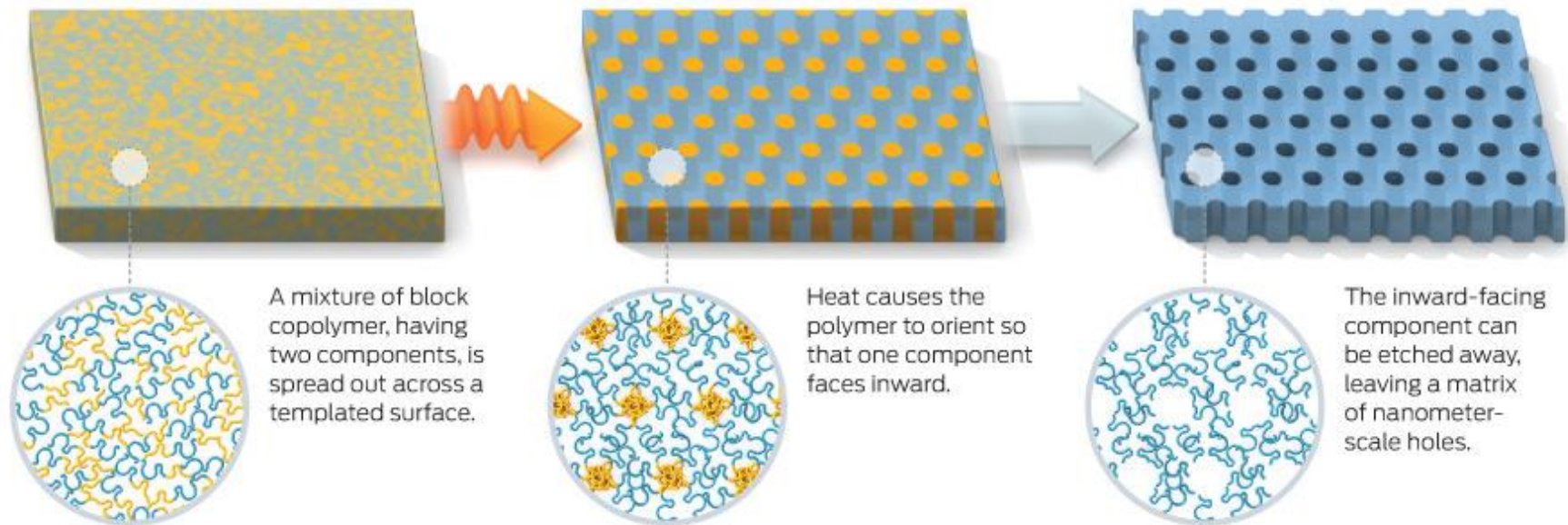
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# A paradigm shift: DSA lithography

DSA is a bottom up lithography. Patterns are in the chemistry:



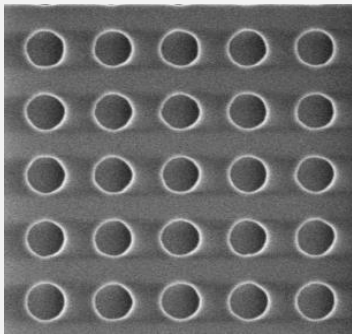
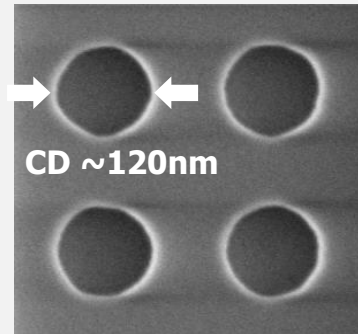
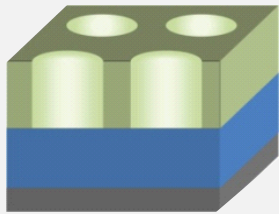




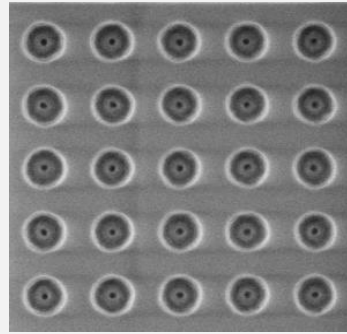
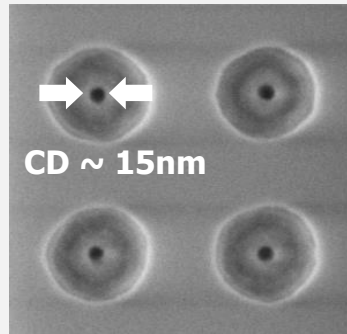
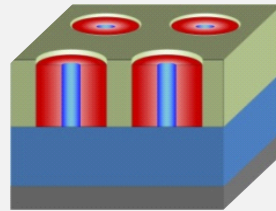


# Example of contact shrink

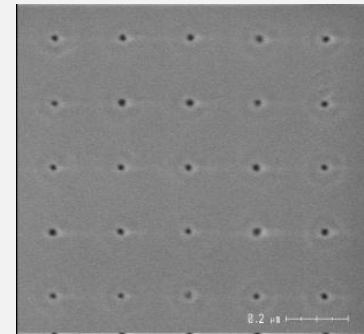
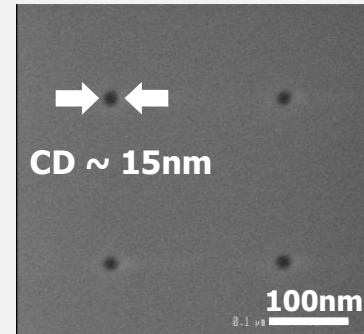
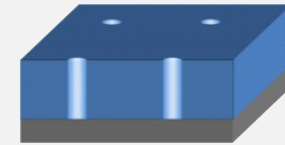
193nm or e-beam litho pattern



BCP self-assembly



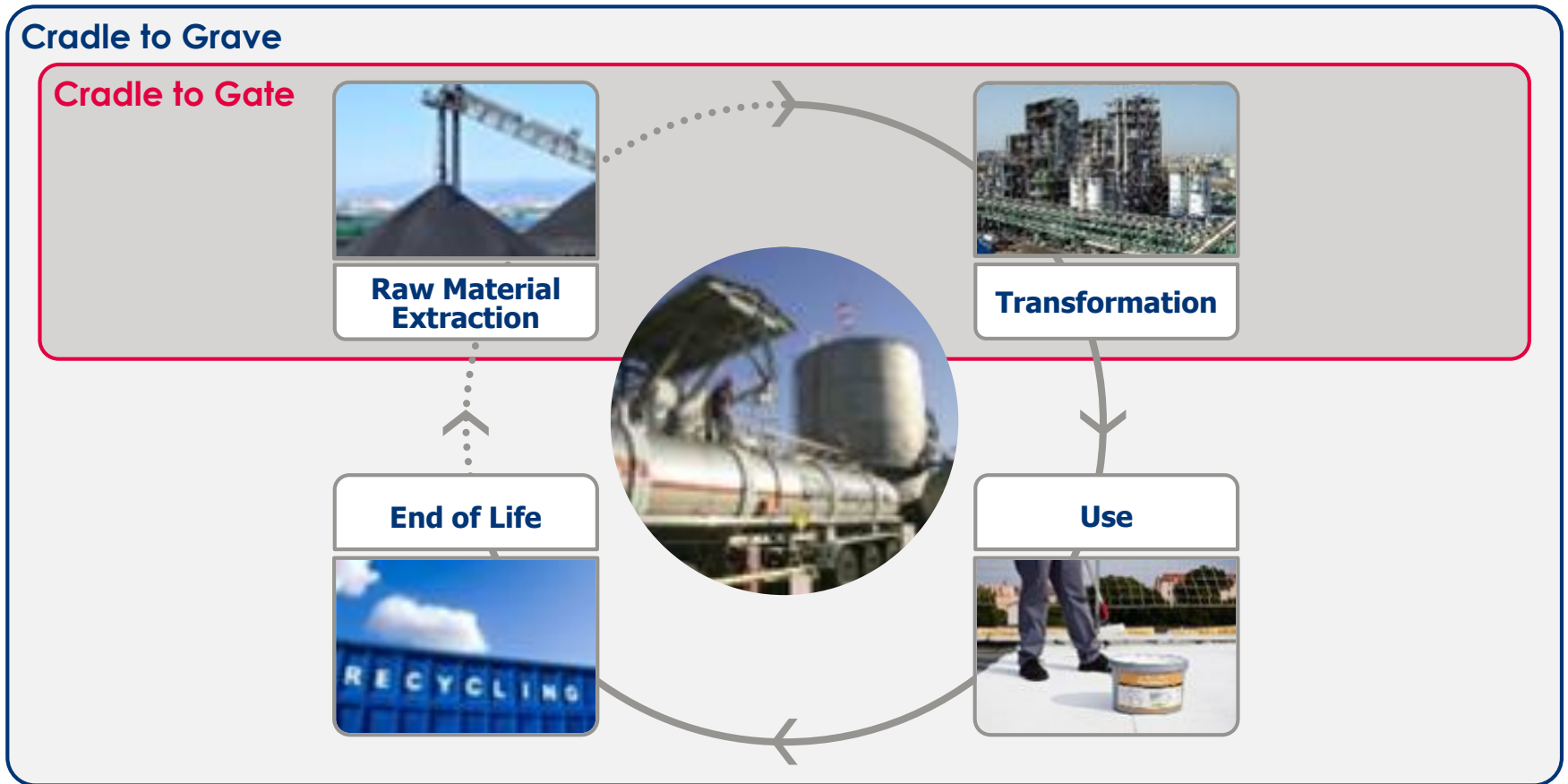
BCP pattern transfer



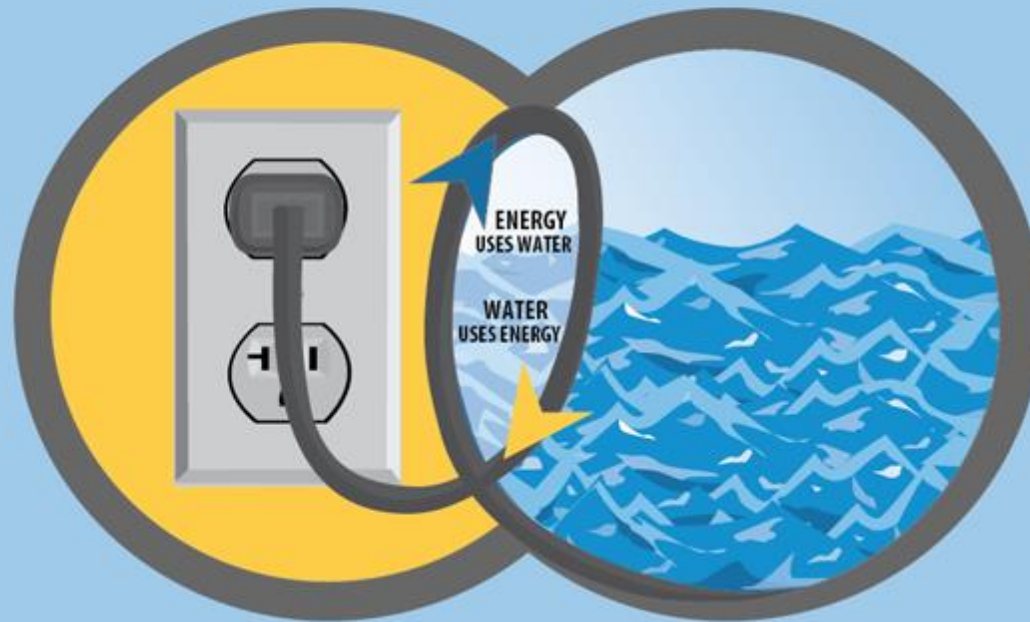
# 2) Life Cycle Analysis

## A reference tool for a sustainable industry

Assess the environmental impacts through the whole life cycle



Water and energy are engaged in cyclical interplay.

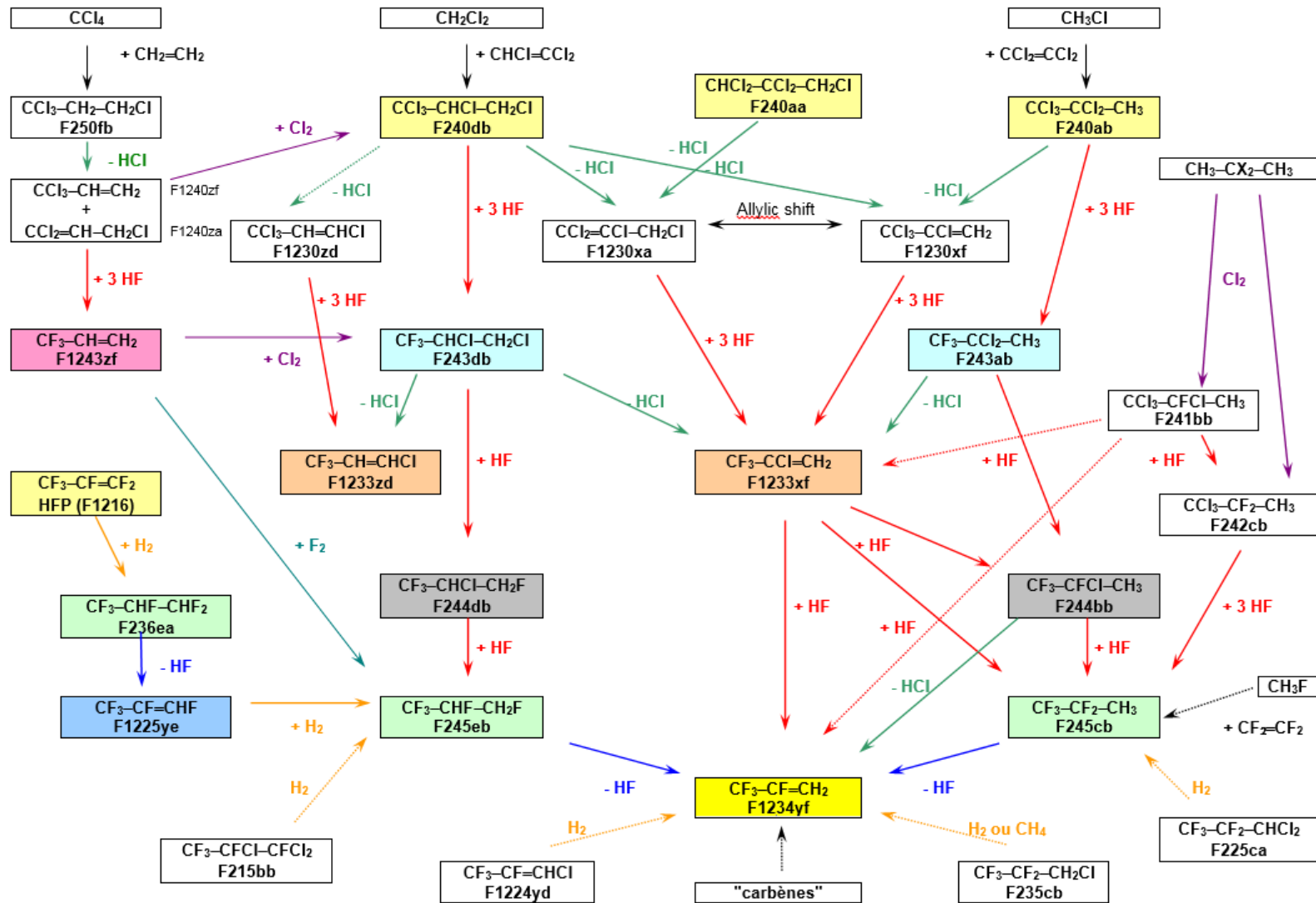


## WATER for ENERGY

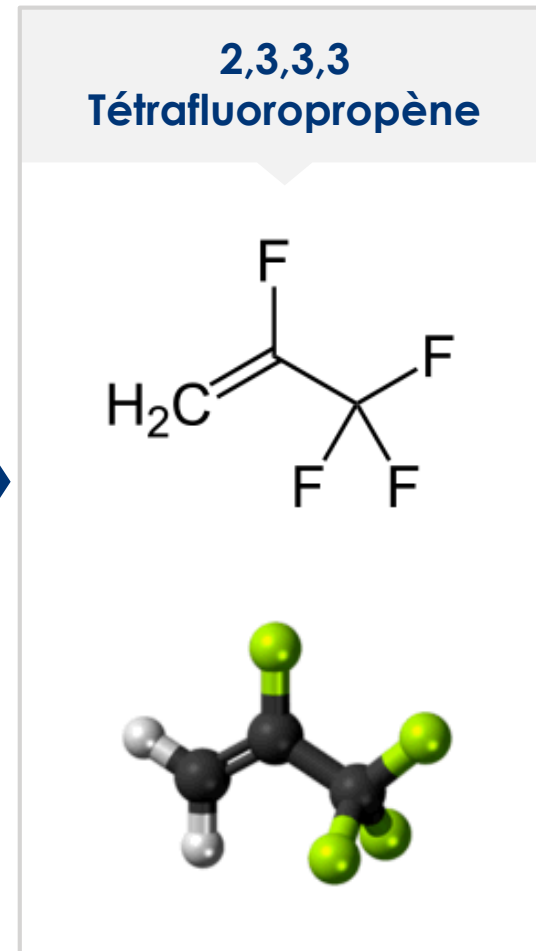
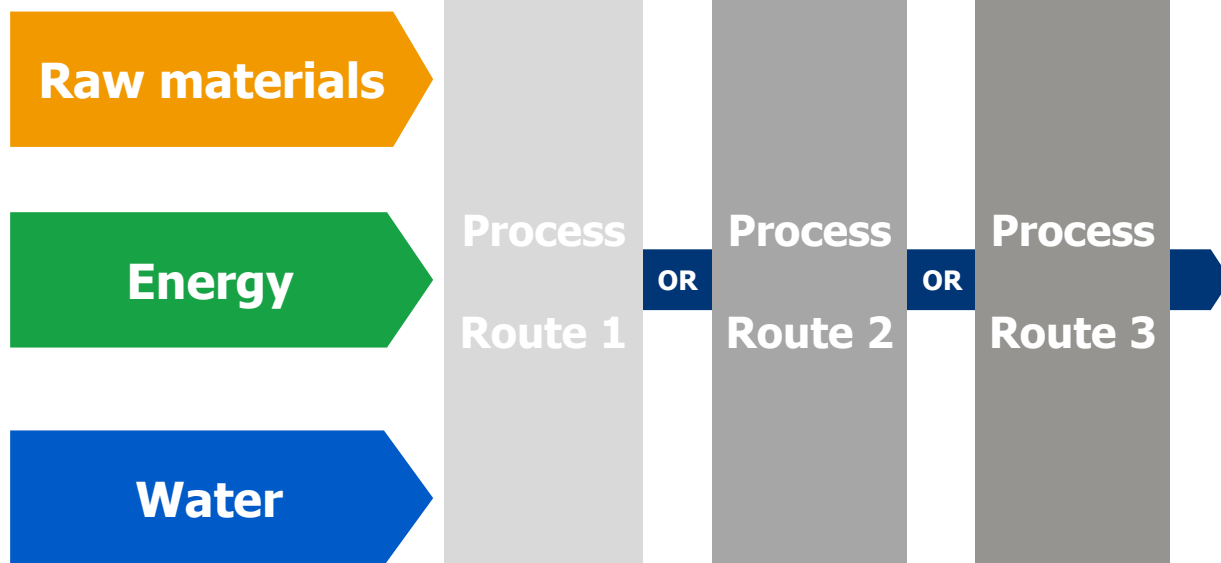
- 45 m<sup>3</sup>/GJ (Biomass)
- 0.1 m<sup>3</sup>/GJ (Coal or oil)
- 0.5 m<sup>3</sup>/GJ (Solar or Wind)
- 0.08 m<sup>3</sup>/GJ (Nuclear)

Source: circle of blue  
<http://www.circleofblue.org/waternews/2010/world/infographic-water-and-energy/>

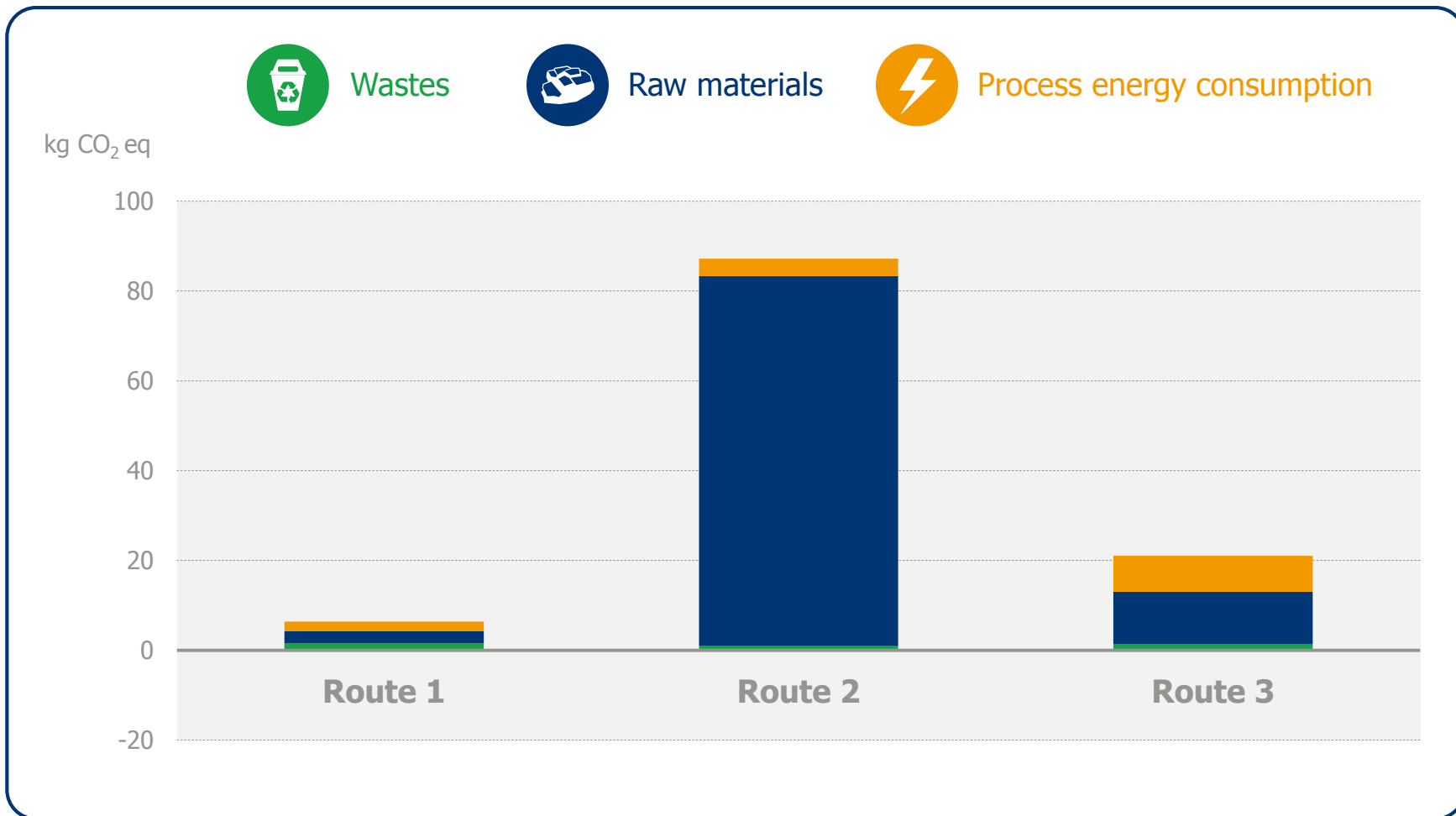
# 2,3,3,3-tetrafluoropropene (F1234yf) synthesis



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# Conclusion

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**Long way  
from the idea  
to the first  
commercialization**



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**Life cycle analysis:  
the key parameter involved  
in the choice of new  
products and processes**

