

# Physique et physicochimie des Plasmas excites par radio-frequence

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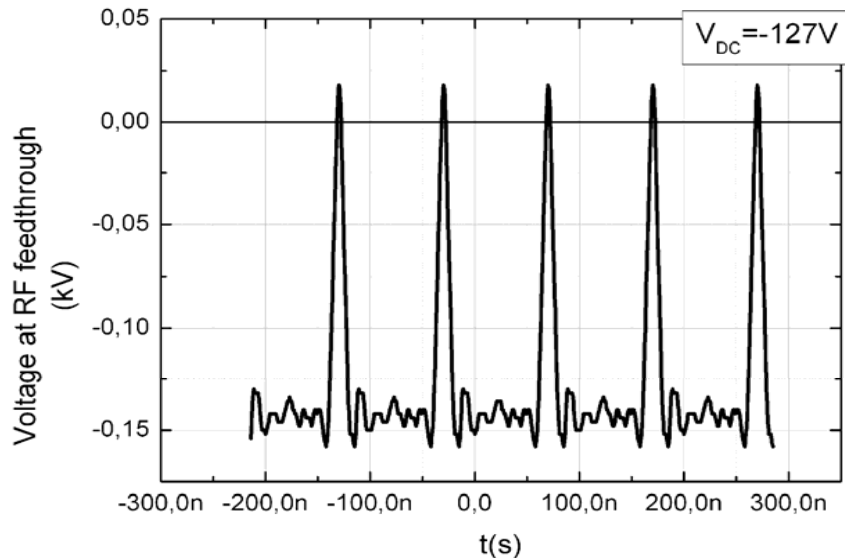


# Compétences et moyens

- Sources plasma au LPP
  - CCP (incl. VHF → 200 MHz, jusqu'à 50cm diamètre) - uniforme,
  - ICP
  - Helicon
  - Gaz réactifs:  $H_2$ ,  $SiH_4$ ,  $Cl_2$ ,  $CF_4$ ,  $SF_6$  etc
- Diagnostics plasma:
  - Sonde de Langmuir, de flux ionique
  - Micro-onde: résonateur "hairpin" →  $n_e$
  - Analyseur d'énergie des ions, QMS
- Diagnostics plasmas réactifs
  - TALIF -atomes H, O, Cl etc
  - Absorption UV -radicaux  $SiH_x$ ,  $CF_x$  etc
  - CRDS
  - Photodetachment -ions négatifs
- Modélisation et théorie
  - Fluide/Monte Carlo
  - PIC (avec LAPLACE)

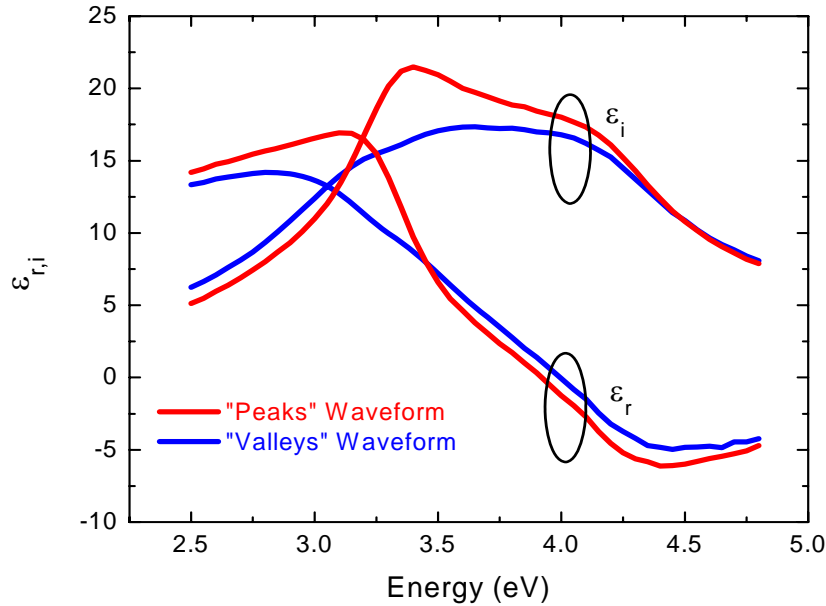
# Trapezoidally-excited plasmas

- Break the symmetry of the sheaths in CCP
  - Use non-sinusoidal waveforms
  - Increase  $\mu$ -c Si deposition rate without increasing ion energy at the substrate



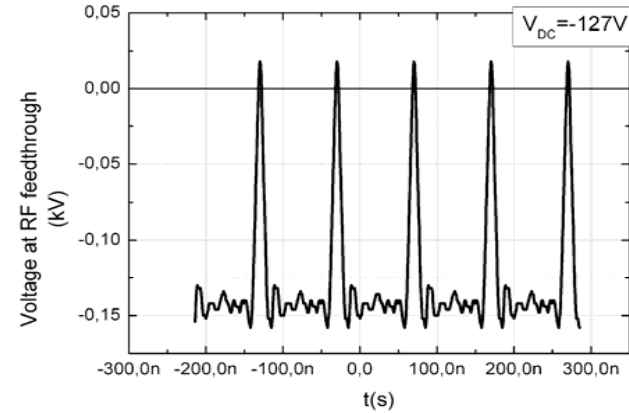
- Projets avec Erik Johnson (PICM):
  - STEP-UP (CNRS PIE)
  - CANASTA (ANR Habisol)

# Control of Thin Film Characteristics through TVW

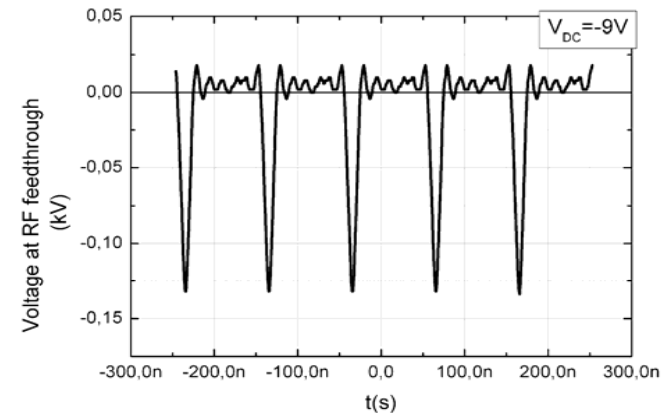


**$\mu$ -crystalline film only possible with peaks waveform**

**Not possible with either Valleys X or sinusoidal X waveforms**



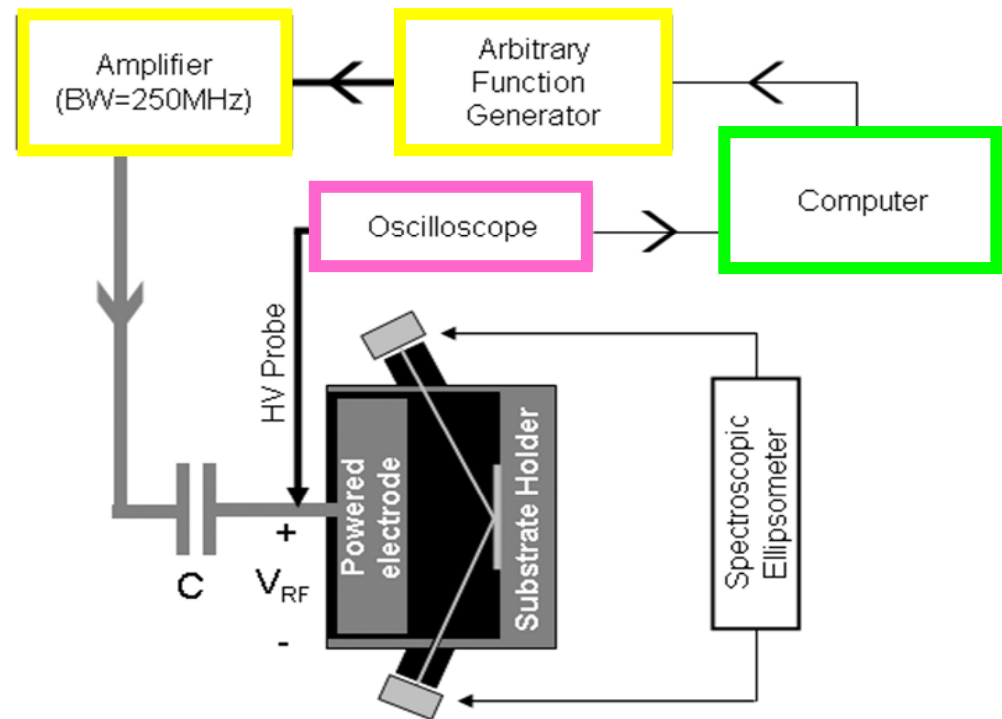
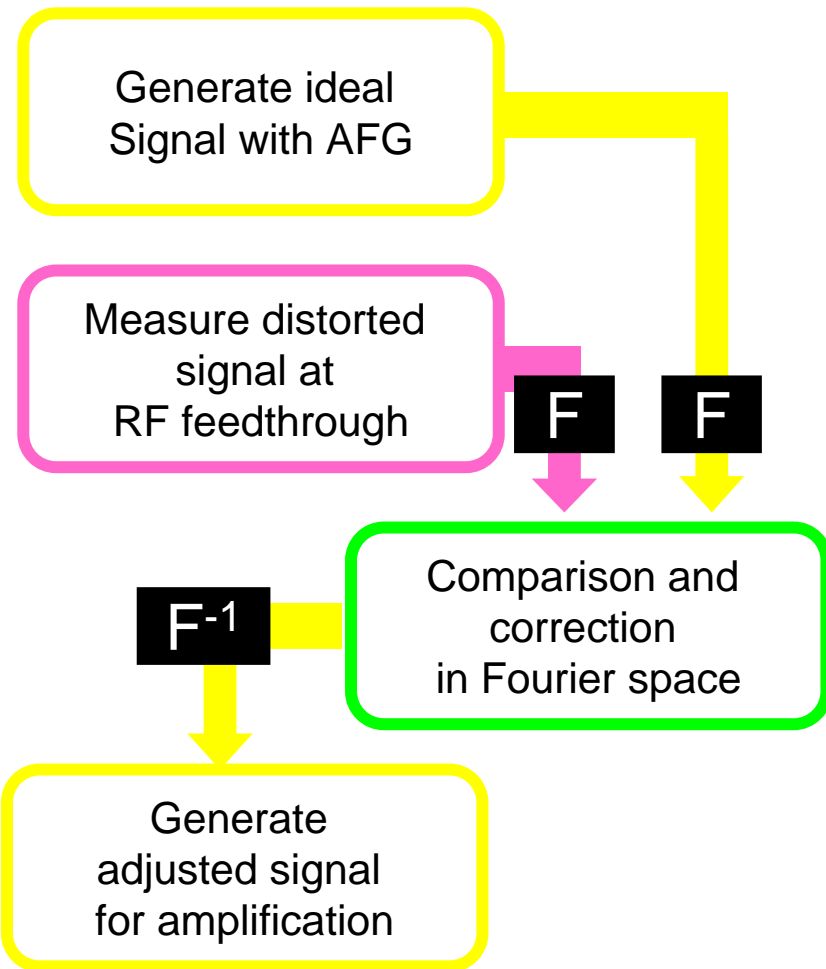
« Peaks »



« Valleys »

# Waveform generation

Correct for amplifier distortion:  
(Patterson et al, PSST 16 (2007) 257)



N.B. Coupling C, but no matching network used