

## Récupération d'énergie mécanique piézoélectrique

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### Le monde de demain a besoin de micro-nanosystèmes ...



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### La recherche au GREMAN - Champs d'application ciblés

#### Production, stockage & conversion de l'énergie électrique



Electronique nomade & récupération d'énergie



#### Mesures, contrôles et diagnostics pour l'industrie et la médecine







### Le GREMAN - 3 sites géographiques

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#### Les sources d'énergie

- Rayonnée : lumière, infrarouge, radio fréquence
- Cinétique : vibration, mouvement
- Thermique : gradients ou variations de température
  - Capteur Capteur Capteur GPS Capteur activité musculaire

Capteur

cochléaire

Capteur

cérébral





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### Récupération d'énergie mécanique par les matériaux piézoélectriques ... au GREMAN





#### **Fabrication**

Synthèse de nanostructures ZnO Fabrication de composants à nanostructures ZnO : nanogénérateurs, transistors





### Modélisation

Modèles Analytiques ou Eléments Finis de générateurs piézoélectriques:

- Composites à nanofils
- Poutres vibrantes à couche piézocéramique



#### Caractérisation

Structurale (DRX, MEB, AFM...) Electrique:

- Spectroscopie d'impédance
- Caractérisation I-V Fonctionnelle:
- Banc de test en vibration
- Banc de test en compression





High stress

Low stress



⇒ The type of mechanical excitation will determine the structure, working mode and power level.

#### **Piezoelectric bimorph :**









Quartz



PZT ceramics (50's)









PVDF film (1969)



Nanowires (early 2000)



Monocristals (early 2000)



Macro Fibre Composites (early 90's)



Piezocomposites (early 90's)

Material	Quartz	BaTiO <sub>3</sub>	PZT	KNN	MFC	PVDF	PZN- 9PT	AIN	GaN	ZnO
<b>d</b> <sub>33</sub> (10 <sup>-12</sup> m/V)	2,3	90	300 à 700	200	400	30	2500	7	1,9	10
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#### Choice of the best piezoelectric material for a given application: Intrinsic figure of merit?

Far from resonance: FoM = d.g  $FoM = \frac{d.g}{\tan \delta}$   $FoM = \frac{d^2}{\epsilon \tan \delta}$ 

⇒ Importance of piezo coefficients but also dielectric permittivity

$$FoM = \frac{d.g}{s_{33}^E} = \frac{W_{conv}}{W_{meca}} = k_{33}^2 \Rightarrow \text{efficiency}$$

At resonance of a cantilever beam 
$$FoM = \frac{k_{31}^2 Q_m}{s_{11}^E}$$

⇒ Behind a FoM, some specific conditions (type of excitation and electrical load)



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#### **Effect of composite structuration**



H J Lee et al., Sensors 2014, 14, 14526-14552





#### Zinc oxide nanostructures : a multi-functional material

Wurtzite type crystal structure of ZnO



Substrate compatibility



Opoku et al. Nanotechnology 26 (2015) 355704

Large family of nanostructures



Wang et al., Materials today 7, 6 (2004) 26–33

- ✓ Single-crystalline highly aligned ZnO NWs
- ✓ Large area NWs arrays on a variety of substrates: silicon, glass and plastic
- ✓ Preferentially c-axis oriented perpendicular to the growth substrate
- ✓ Semiconducting : wide band gap of 3.37 eV at room temperature
- Piezoelectric : higher piezo coefficient than bulk ZnO







Zinc oxide nanostructures : a multi-functional material

Main attractions:

Transverse

Force

□ Higher piezo coefficient compared to bulk ZnO

Matériau	Matériau massif (	expérimental)	Echelle nanoscopique (expérimental)			
wateriau	<b>d</b> ₃₃ (10 <sup>-12</sup> m/V)	E (GPa)	<b>d</b> ₃₃ (10 <sup>-12</sup> m/V)	E (GPa)		
ZnO	9.93	164	14-26.7	100		
GaN	1.86	397	12.8	43.9		
PZT	650	N/A	101	46.4-99.3		
PVDF	-25	N/A	-38	0.39		



E. L. Perez, Thèse Univ. Grenoble Alpes, 2016









Main attractions:

- □ Higher piezo coefficient compared to bulk ZnO
- Does not fracture easily [1]

Transverse

Force

- □ Failure of one nanowire (NW) may not compromise operation
- □ Energy generation over a range of frequencies (1Hz to some 100 Hz)
- Biocompatible









#### Hydrothermal synthesis of ZnO nanowires (NWs):



#### **Reactants:**

- Zinc nitrate hexahydrate :  $Zn(NO_3)_2 \cdot 6H_2O$
- HMTA (Hexamethylenetetramine) :  $(CH_2)_6N_4$
- Ammonia : NH<sub>4</sub>OH







Opoku et al., Nanotechnology 26 (2015) 355704 Opoku et al., RSC Adv. 5 (2015) 69925-69931 Boubenia et al., Scientific Reports (2017)

#### Major advantages:

✓ Low temperature (85-100 °C)

✓ Compatible with industrial processes
 Major limitations:

✓ Defects ⇒ decrease of output voltage



### All must be performed at temp <100°C



ZnO NWs





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#### Wish list







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Manufacturing process : video available on <a href="https://youtu.be/n9-4dSQrveU">https://youtu.be/n9-4dSQrveU</a>



#### **Dedicated test bench for piezogenerators**



- Compressive force in contact or impact mode up to 13N, 10Hz
- Voltage measured via a high input impedance double buffer circuit
- Variable resistive load up to 130  $\text{M}\Omega$





**Durability test** 



#### Power vs load resistance



- High pressure sensitivity of ~0.1 V/kPa
- @ 3 N, 7 Hz, 1 cm<sup>2</sup>:
  Peak power : 0.6 μW

Average power :  $0.1 \,\mu\text{W}$ 

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#### Large area device on bank cards

Front side

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Direct connection with LCD





Drive electronic devices such as Liquid Crystal Display

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