

# P4.05 – Chuck System for Integrated IR-Based Temperature Measurement in Rotational Grinding of Sapphire Wafers

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### System Basics

Feed rate  $v_f$

Grinding wheel

Wafer

Wheel speed  $n_s$

Contact zone

Wafer speed  $n_w$

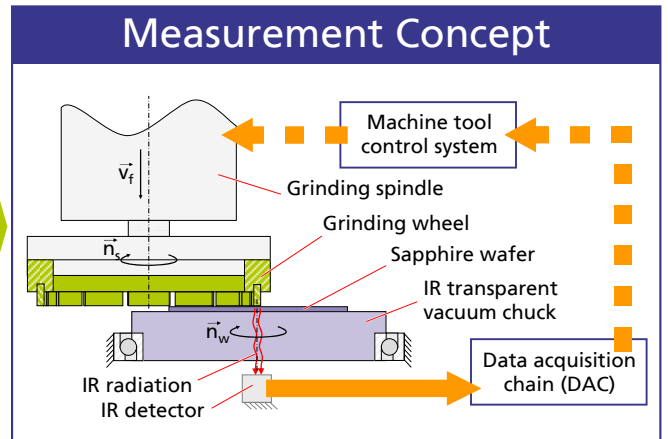
Sapphire wafer  
Grinding wheel

IR transmission spectrum of a 2 mm thick sapphire and quartz wafer

IR bandwidth of common detectors

- SWIR (1-3  $\mu\text{m}$ ) InGaAs detectors
- MWIR (3-5  $\mu\text{m}$ ) InSb, HgCdTe and PbSe detectors

Source: Korth Kristalle



### Proof of Concept

$T_{\text{pyr. out}}$  [°C]

Power [kW]

3 Pyrometers

Spindle power

ramp stationary process spark out

Measurement positions

2" Wafer

Chuck

**Grinding conditions**

Wafer: 2" C-plane	$n_s = 2500$ 1/min
Tool: D20 metal bonded	$n_w = 50$ 1/min
Coolant: Water, 200 l/min	$v_f = 100$ $\mu\text{m}/\text{min}$

### Developed Chuck System

Grinding wheel

Sapphire chuck

Chuck spindle

Compressed air sealing supply

Spindle housing

Pyrometer measurement spots

Vacuum channel pattern

Pyrometer pilot light