



# Crossbar RRAM

A New Era of Storage Innovation  
for a Content Rich World

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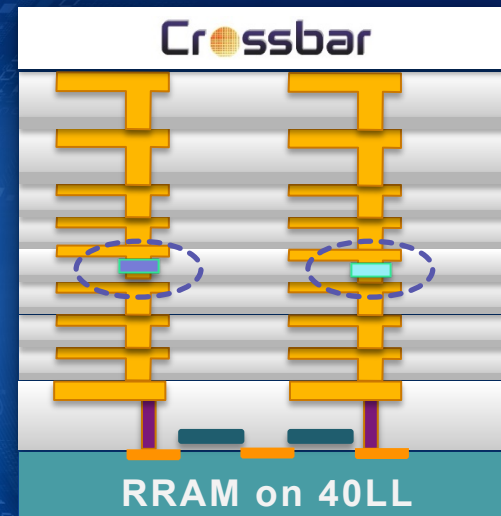
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# This is Real!



Excellence in execution  
11 months from start to results





# Crossbar-1 Advantages for IoT Applications

Byte write in **12 $\mu$ s**  
**0** block erase required  
Read in **25ns**

Embedded macros and stand-alone chips

Available at 40nm, scalable below 10nm

Cell size not constrained by RRAM, scales with select transistor

Fewer process steps and masks vs eFlash

-40/150C support withstands solder reflow

Operating voltage below 2V  
No high-voltage forming process required

10 year retention  
100k cycles

**Fast**

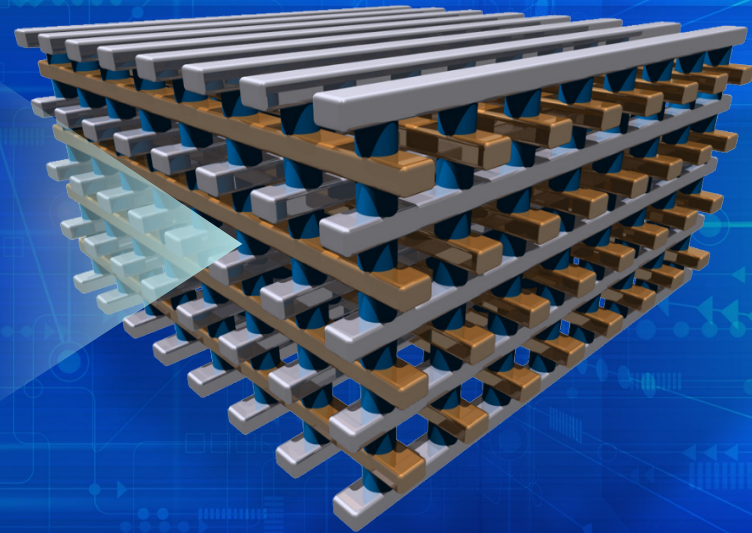
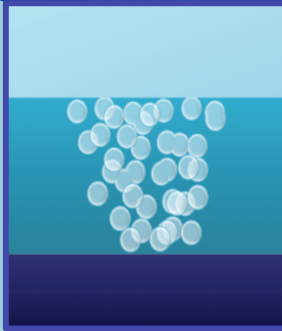
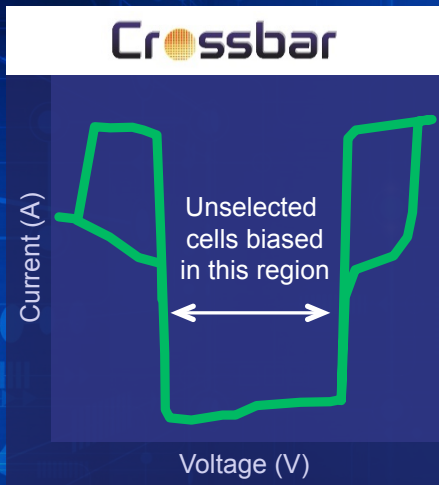
**Scalable**

**Reliable**

**RRAM**

**Crossbar**

# Crossbar-N in progress





# Building a New Class of Low Latency Storage

100X

1us random read vs 100us for 3D TLC NAND

1000X

2us writes vs ms, small vs large pages

0

NO erase operation required

Simpler HW/SW memory management

24 MIOPS (512B)

on a 4TB NV-DIMM (no DRAM, no super caps)

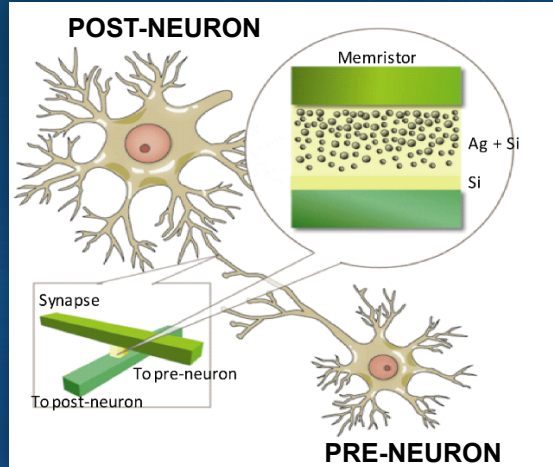
Ultra Low Latency

Simple Controller

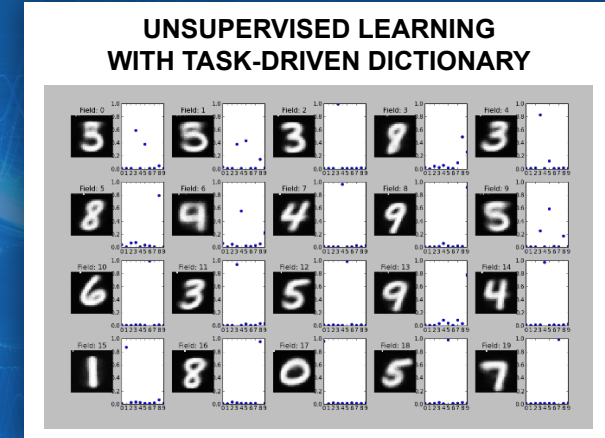
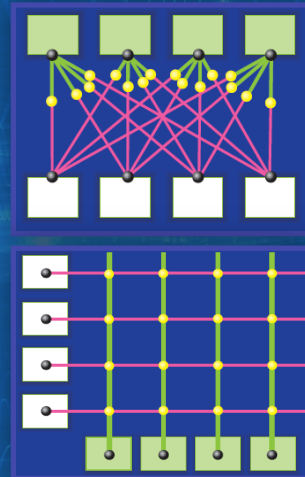
High IOPS

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# Building RRAM Based Neural Networks



S. H. Jo, T. Chang, I. Ebong, B. Bhavitavya, P. Mazumder, W. Lu, Nano Lett. 10, 1297-1301 (2010).



Receptive Fields (28x28)  
Random sample of 20 from 50 output neurons

Crossbar Embedded RRAM enabling post Von Neumann architecture processing machines



# Crossbar Corporate Facts

## At A Glance

- Founded in 2010. Based in Santa Clara, CA
- Leader in Resistive RAM technology
- Path to commercialization:
  - **Crossbar-1 Embedded Memory**
    - IP Licensing in SoC and MCUs
  - **Crossbar-N Storage Solutions**
    - IP Licensing, IC and systems

## Patented Technology

- New class of Non-Volatile Memory:
  - **Fast**, Low Latency
  - **Scalable**, 3D, MLC
  - **Dense**
  - **Embedded**, CMOS compatible
- **210** filed
- **108 issued** by Crossbar + exclusive license to University of Michigan's RRAM inventions



Thank You

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