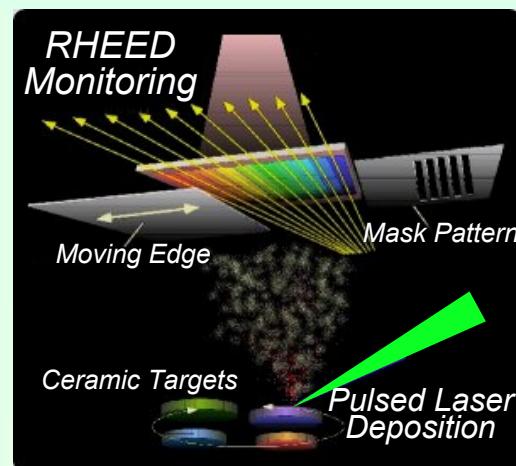
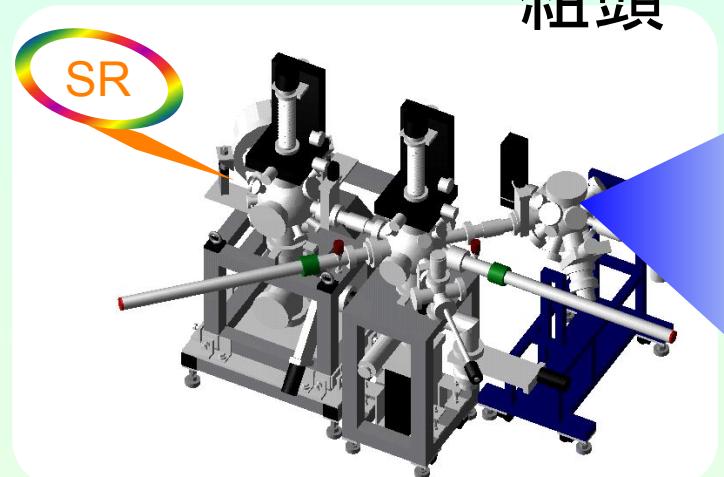


# その場放射光電子分光による 強相関ヘテロ界面の電子状態の研究

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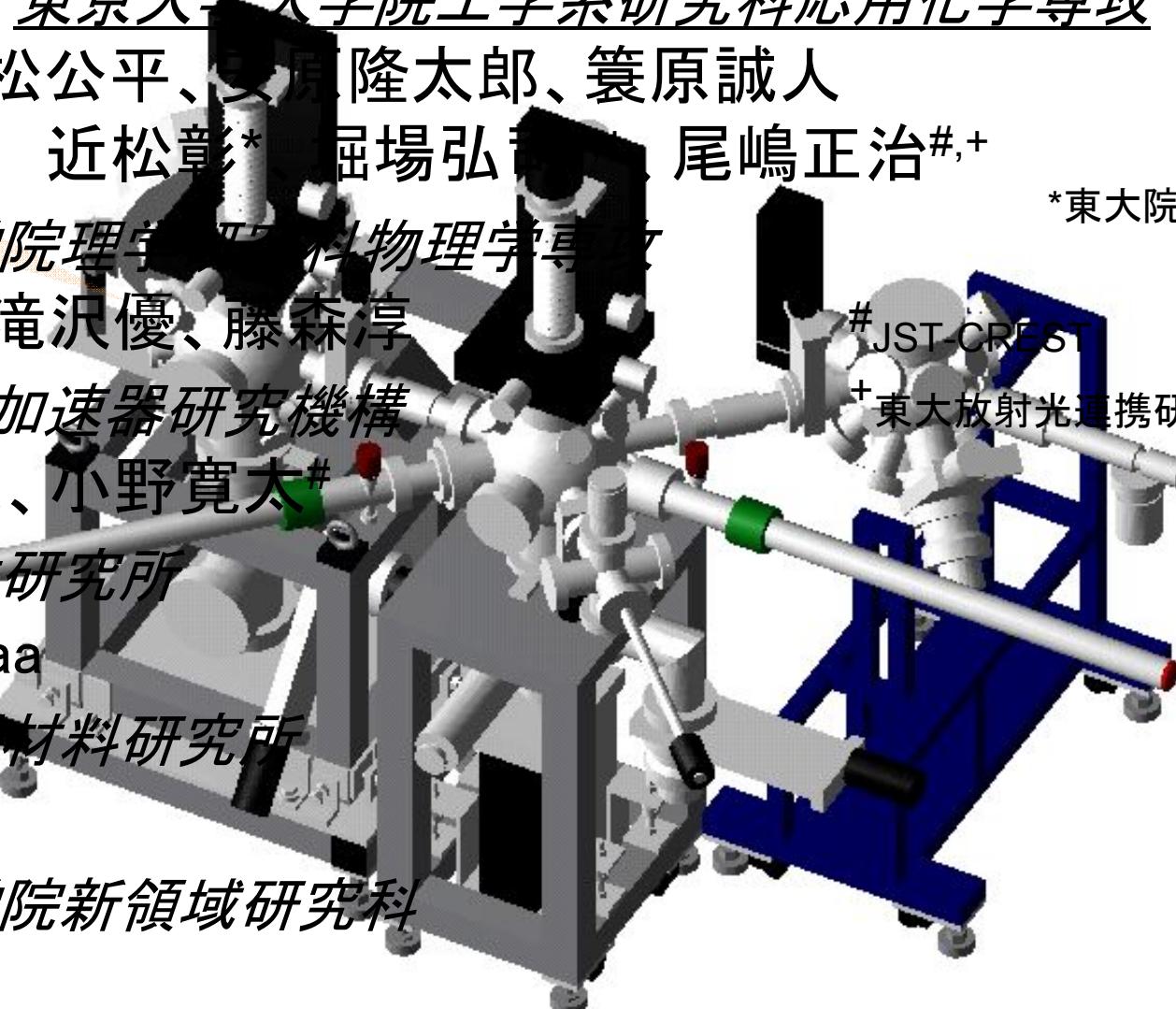
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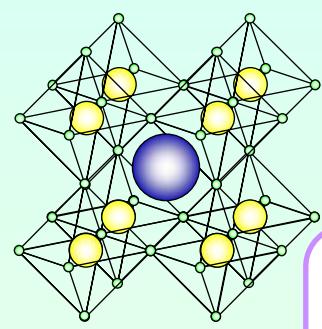
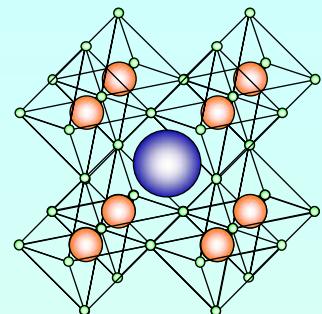


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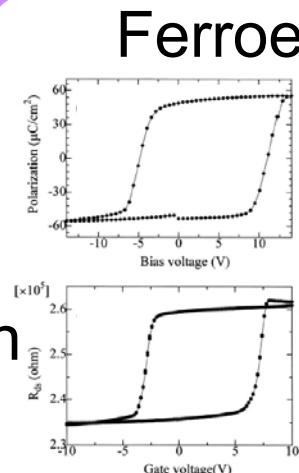
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# INTRODUCTION

*Heterojunctions based on  
Perovskite Oxides*

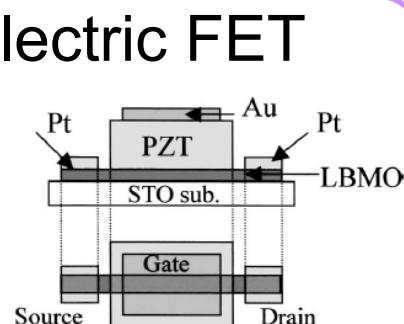
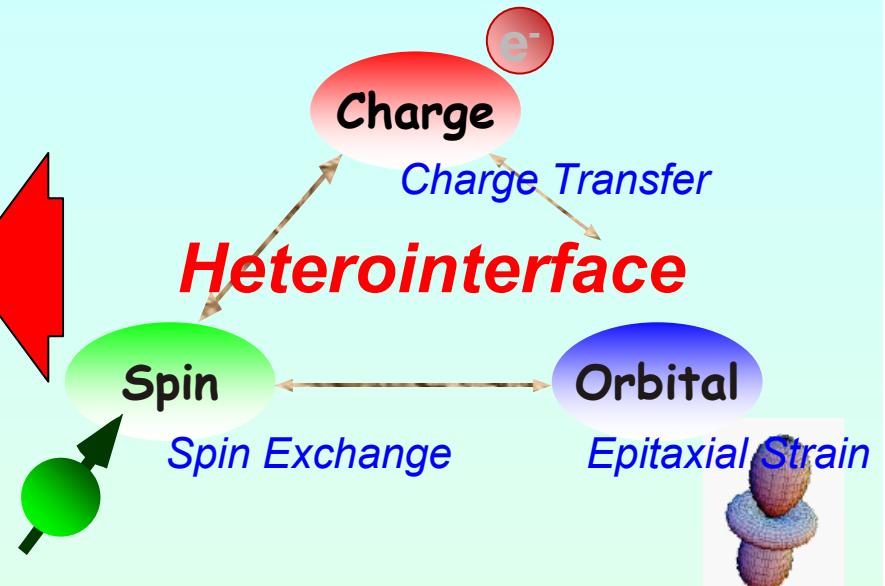


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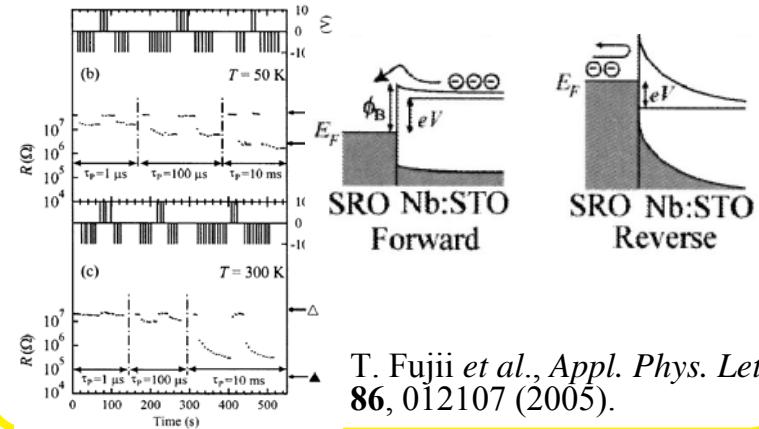


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*Controlling physical properties  
using interface effects*

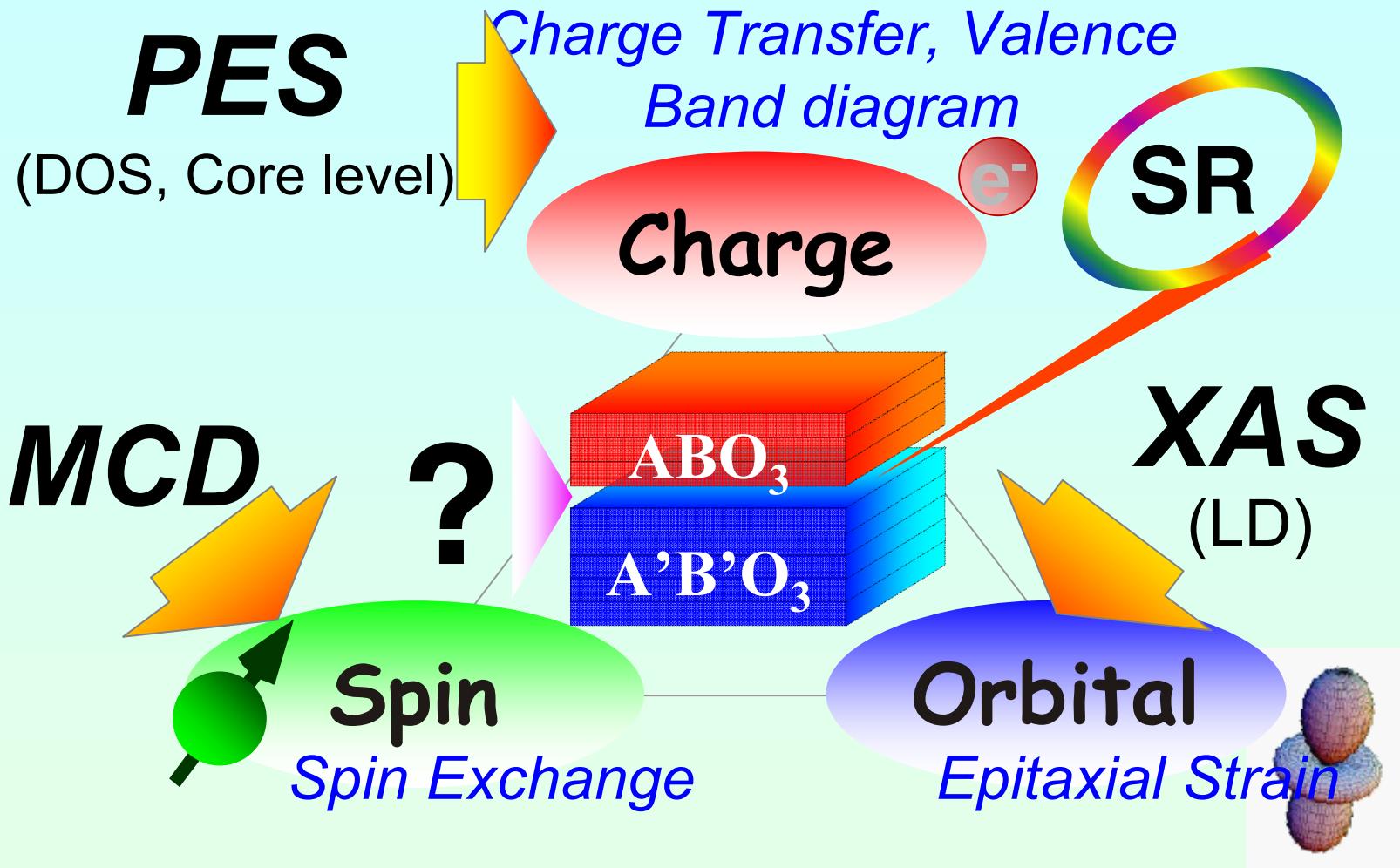


Resistance RAM



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# SR analysis for oxide heterointerface



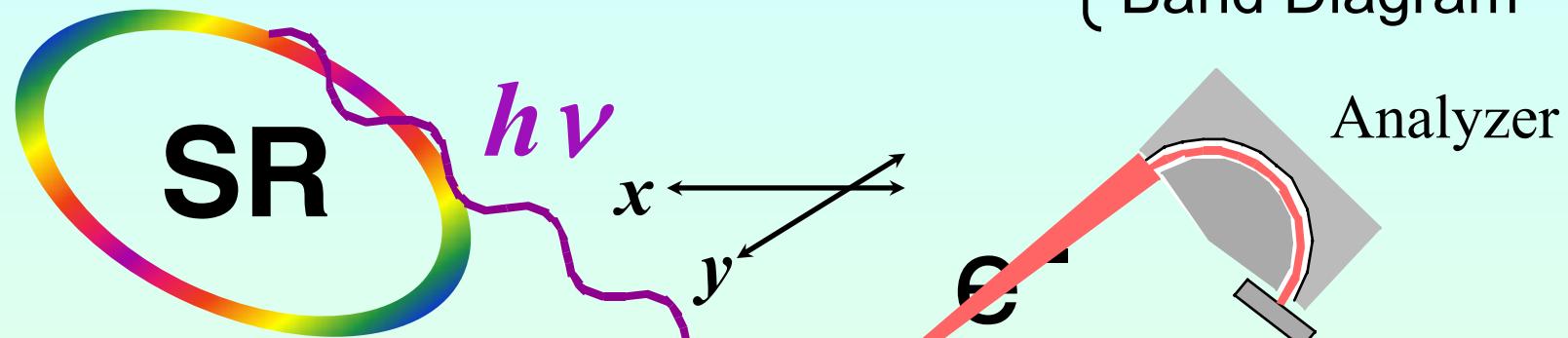
界面数nmの領域(少ないボリューム)における  
電子・スピニ・軌道状態を元素選択的に測定可能

# Advantage of SR-PES

- ★ Non-destructive
- ★ Surface (Interface) Sensitive
- ★ Direct Determination of Electronic States

Hard-XrayPES@SPring-8 ( $\sim 1000 \text{ \AA}$ )

( $5 \sim 30 \text{ \AA}$ )  
Chemical Shift  
DOS  
Band Diagram



High Directionality

High Brilliance

High Resolution

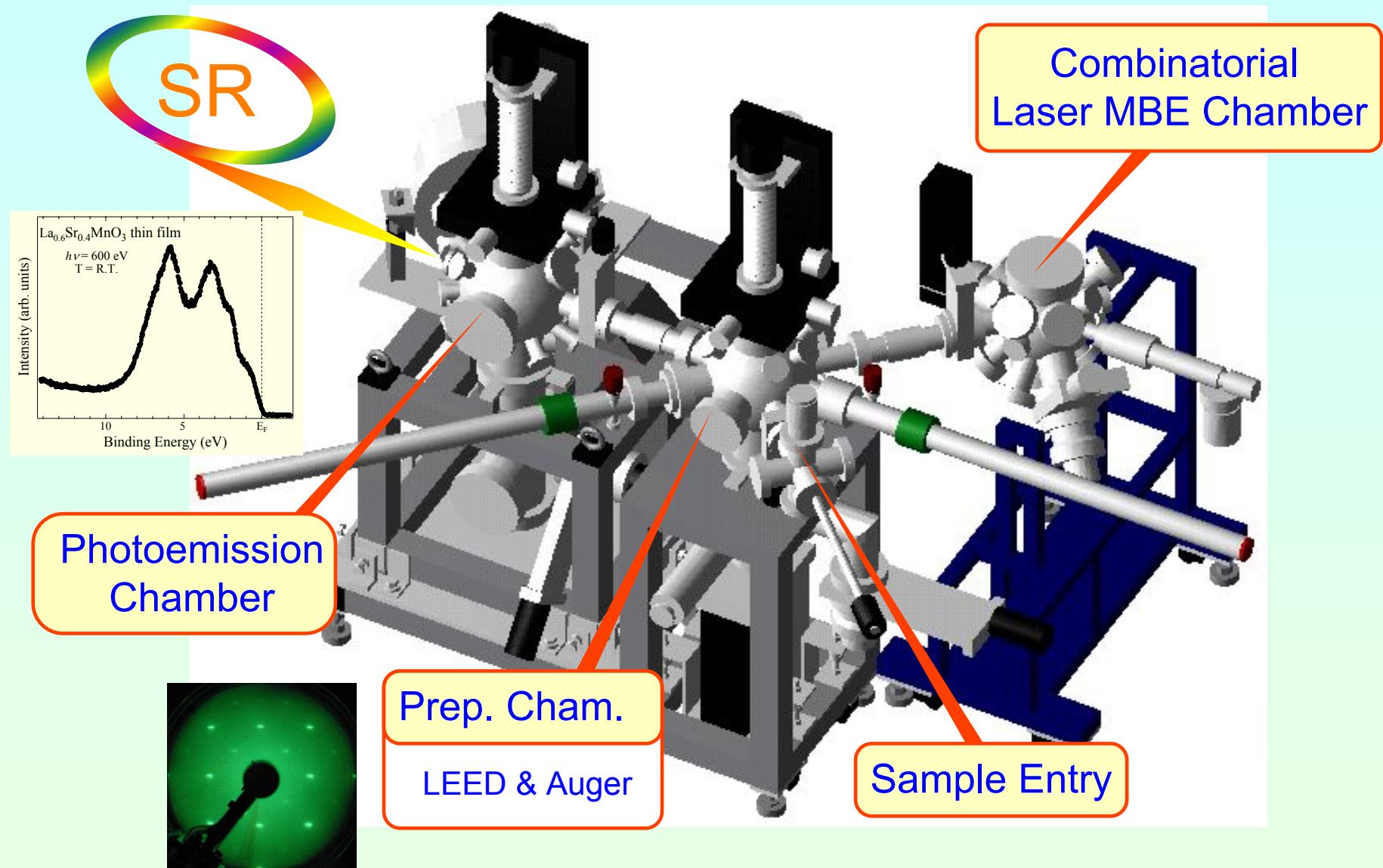
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High-throughput

High-resolution

Space  
Energy  
Angle

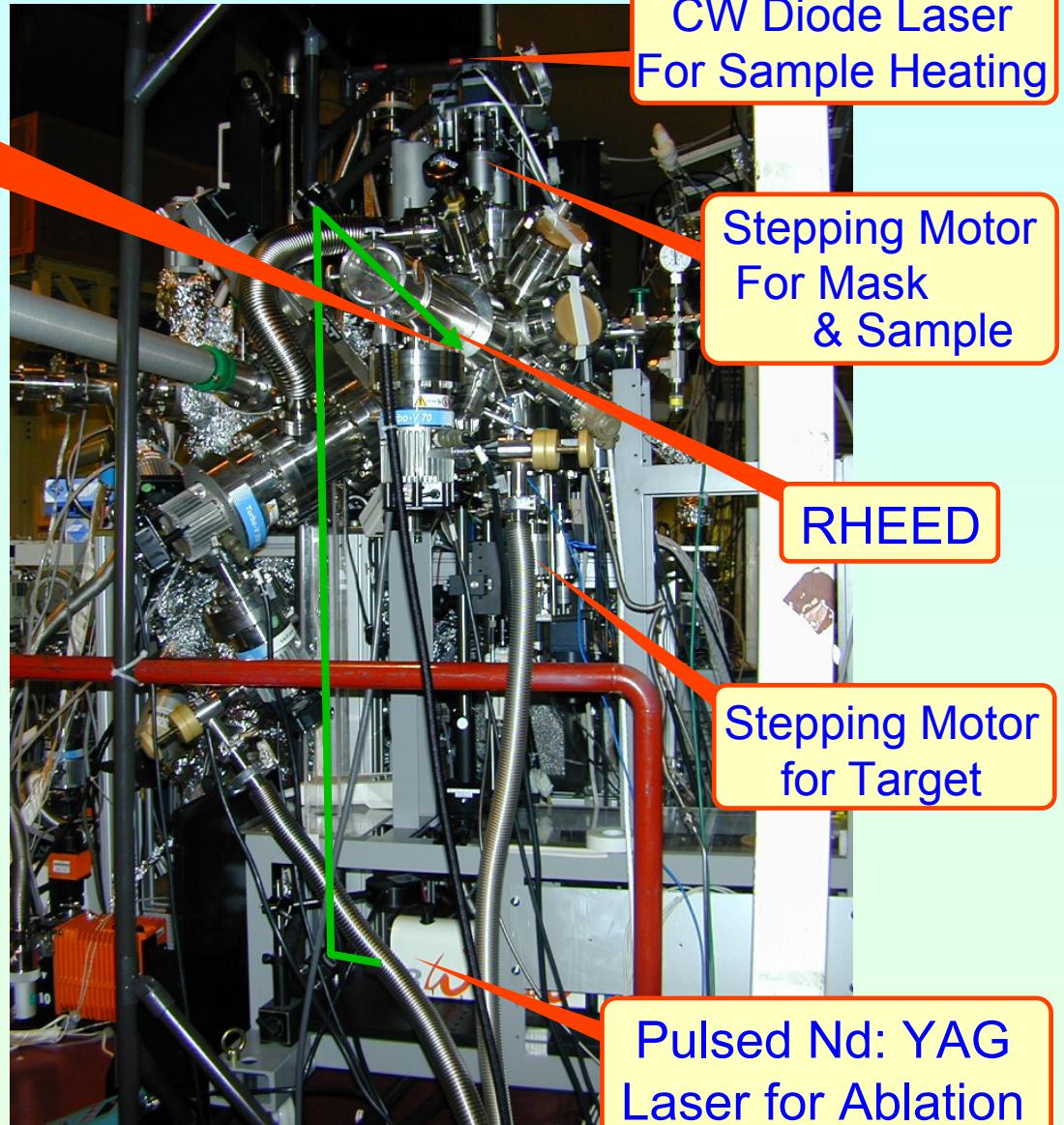
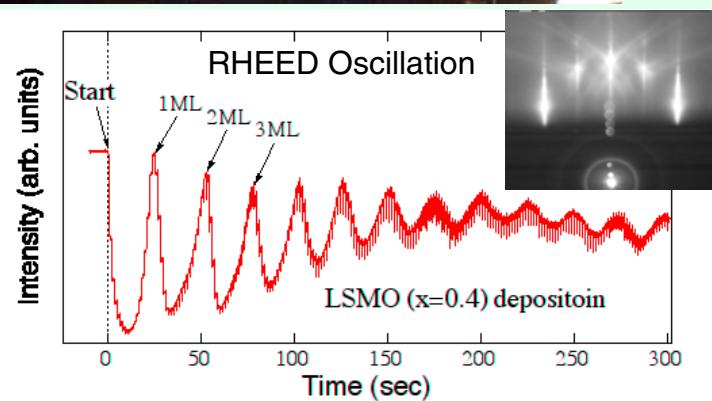
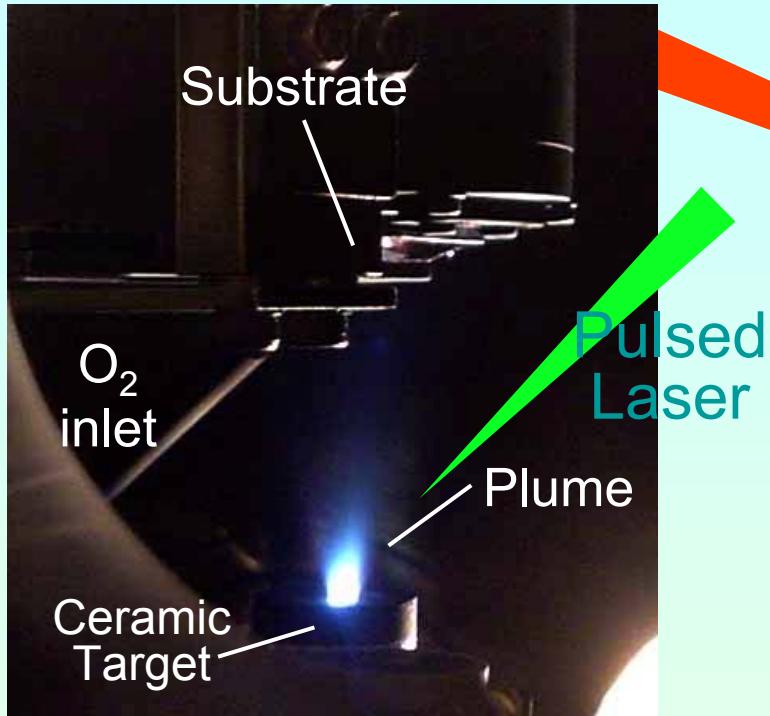
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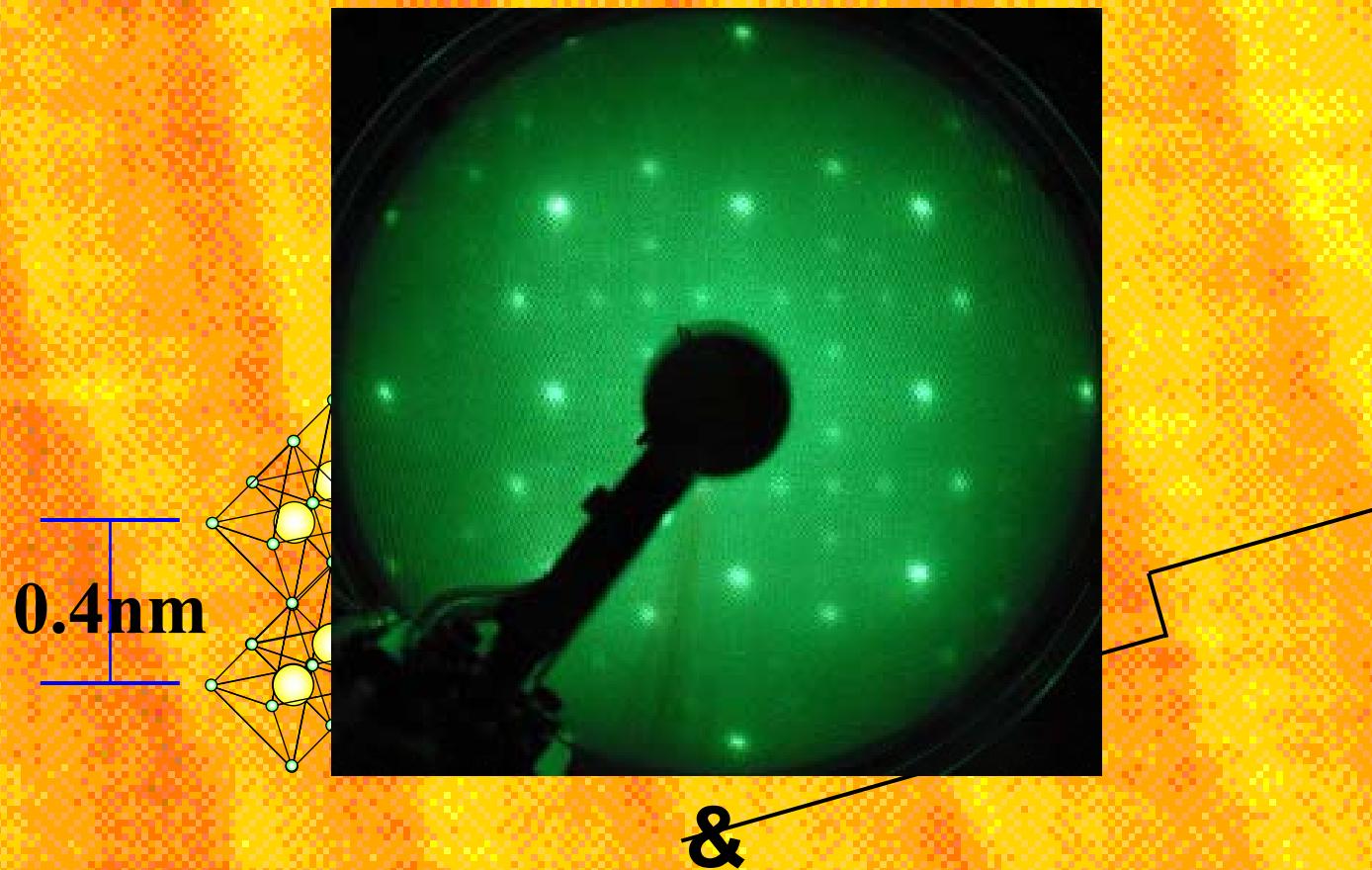
K. Horiba, HK et al., Rev. Sci. Instrum. 74, 3406 (2003).

# Combinatorial Laser MBE Apparatus

Laser Molecular Beam Epitaxy



# Atomically-flat surface of $\text{La}_{1-x}\text{Sr}_x\text{MnO}_3$ thin films



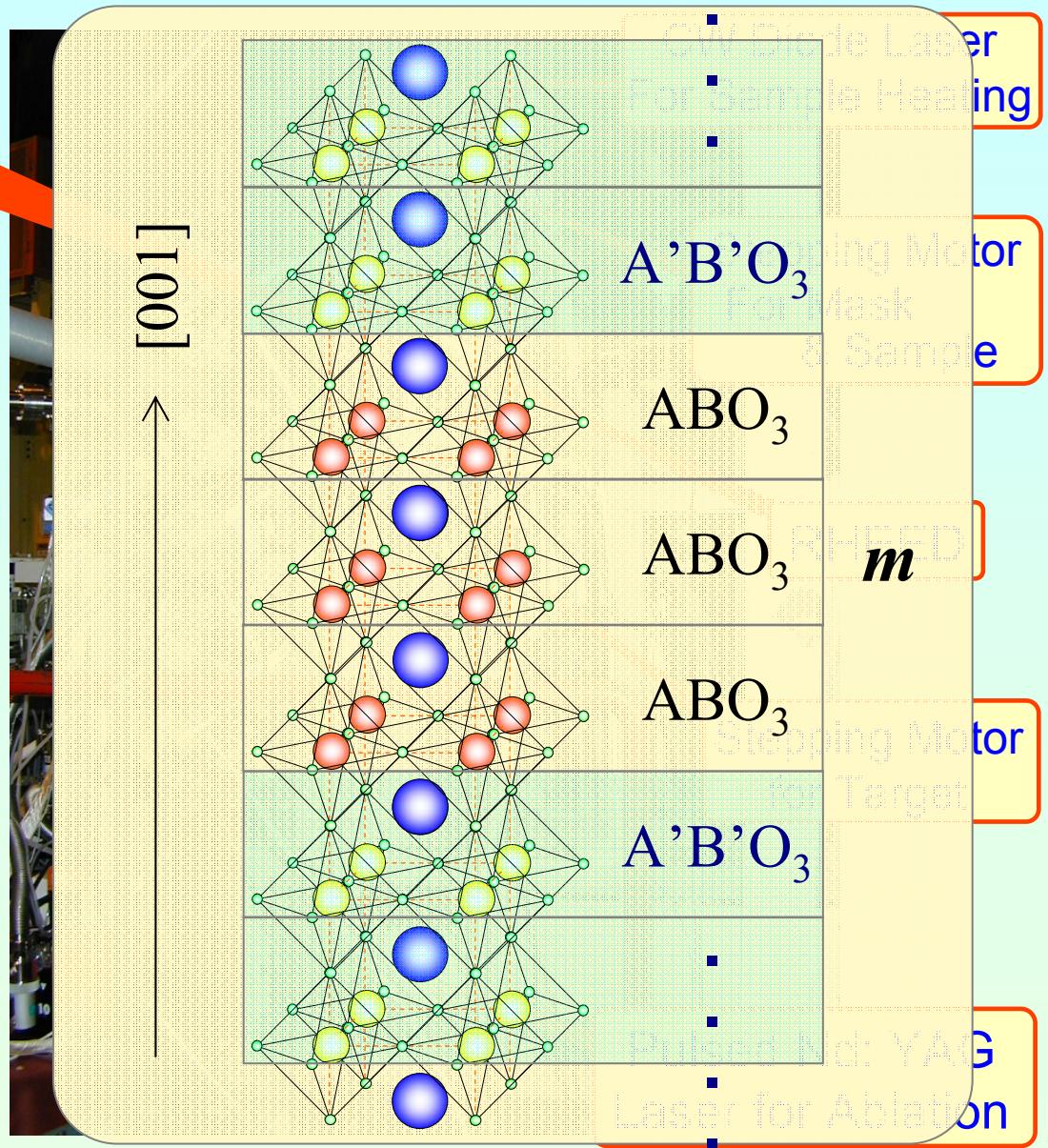
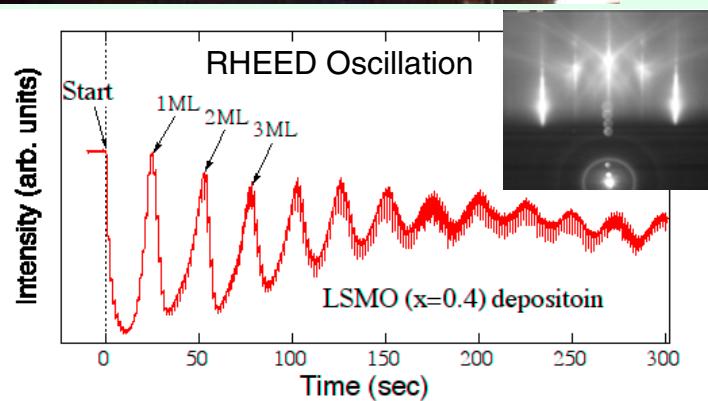
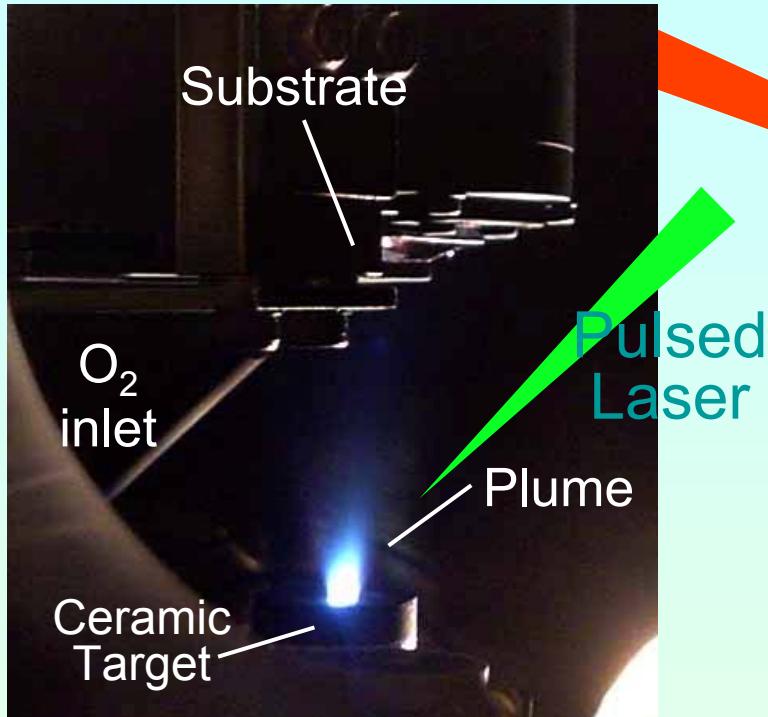
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**Well-ordered Surface**

100 nm

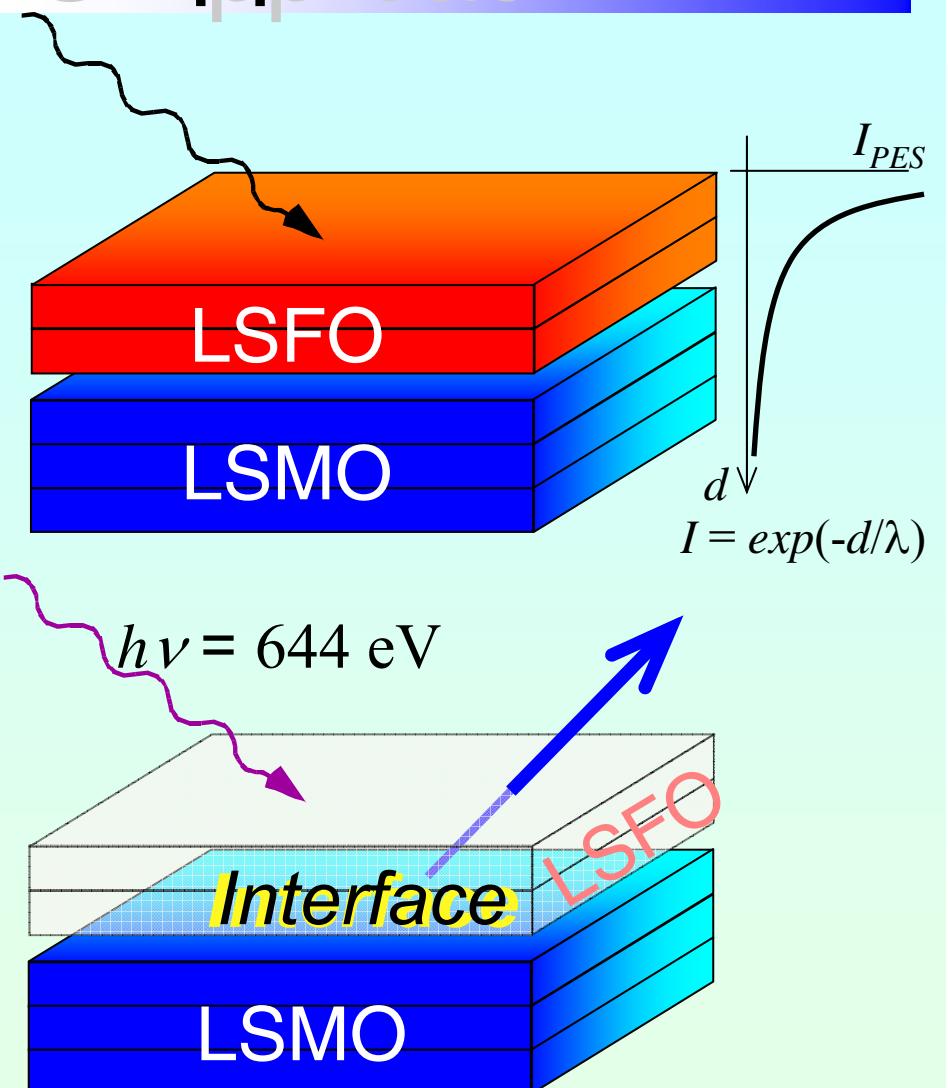
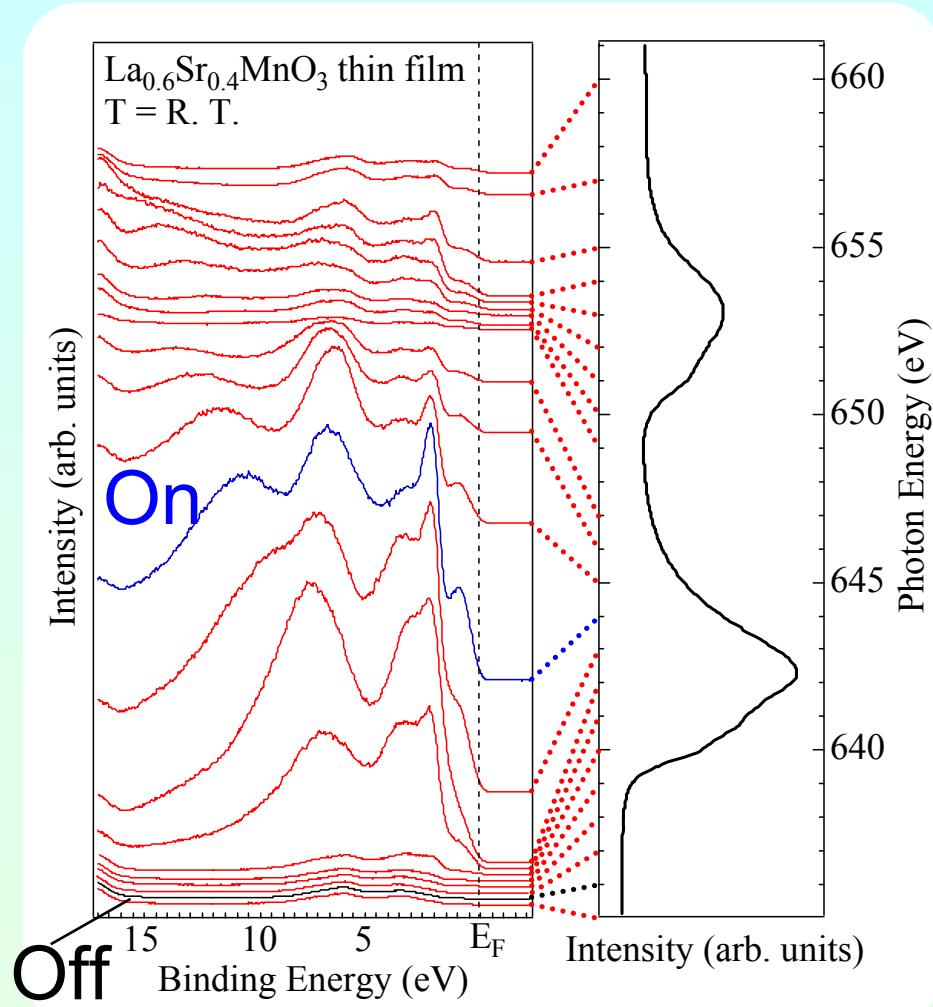
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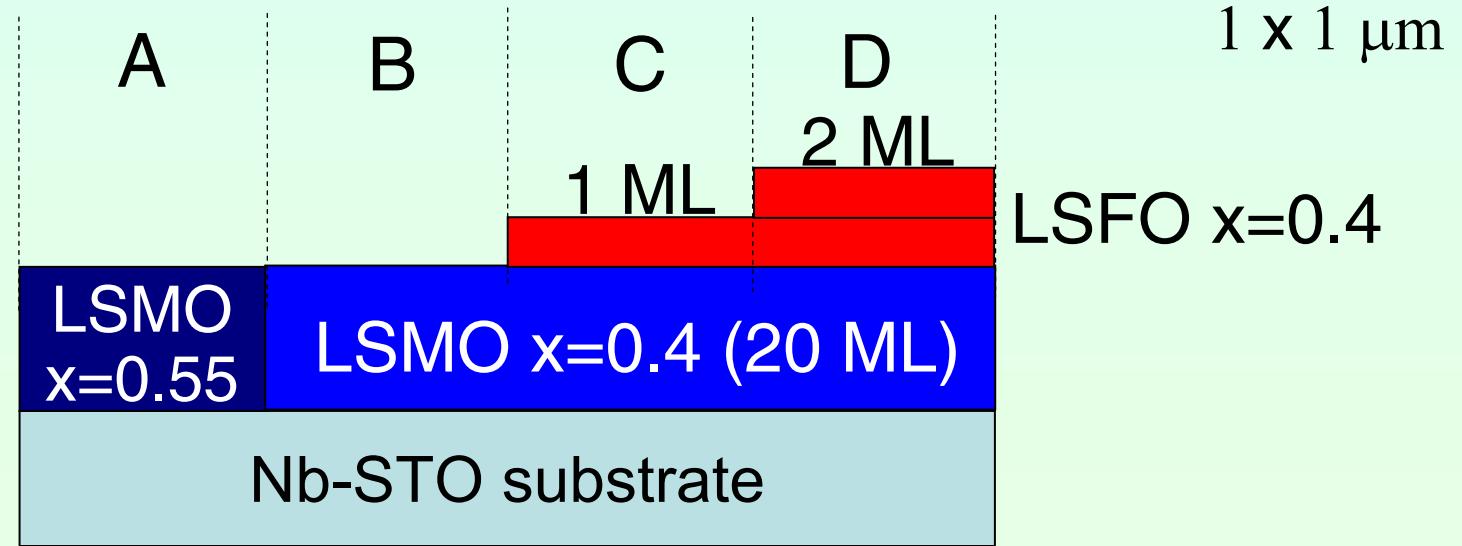
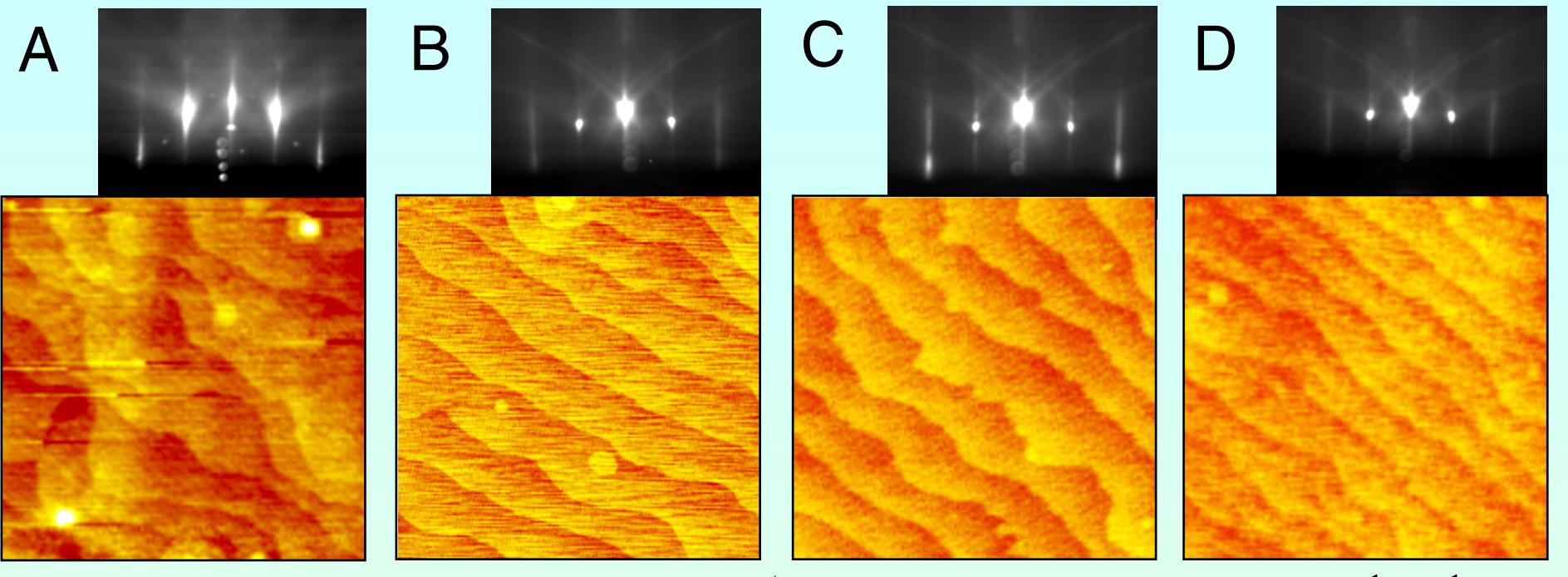
# Resonant PES Approach

## Resonant PES of LSMO ( $x=0.4$ )



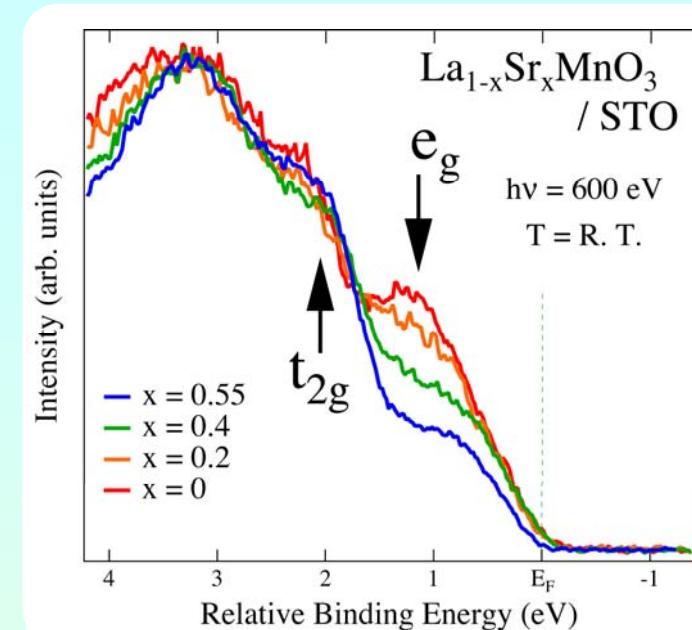
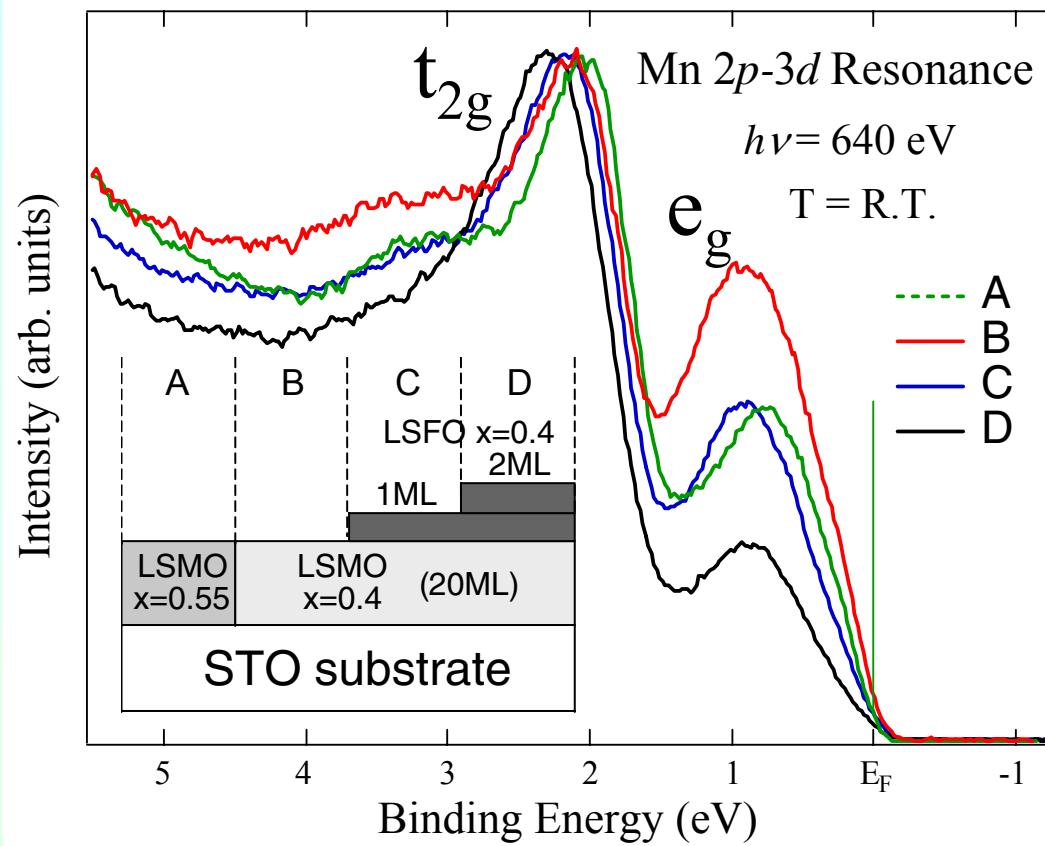
Probing Electronic Structure  
at the Interface (Mn 3d PDOS)

# RHEED Pattern & AFM Images

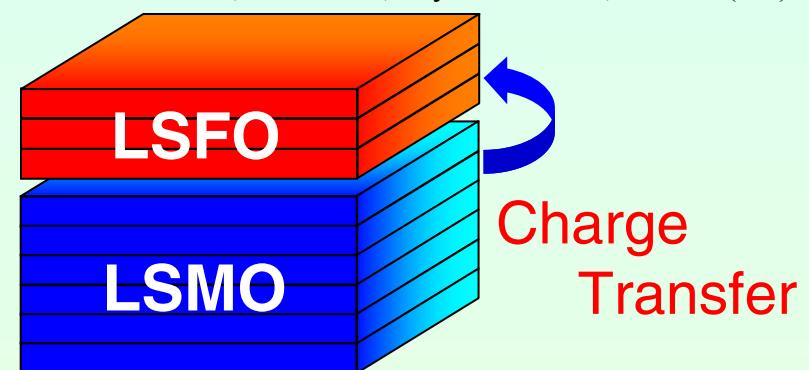


# Resonant PES of LSMO at Interface

## Mn 2p-3d Resonant PES



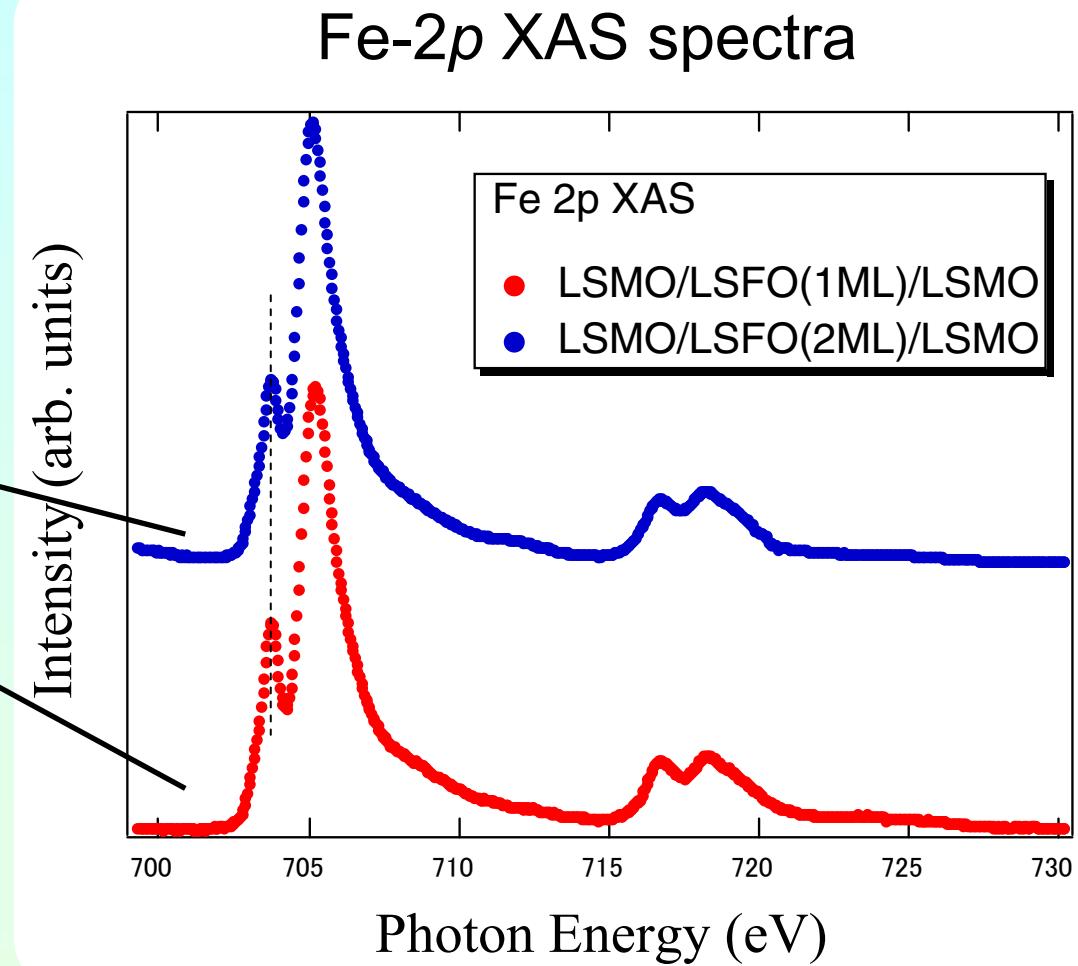
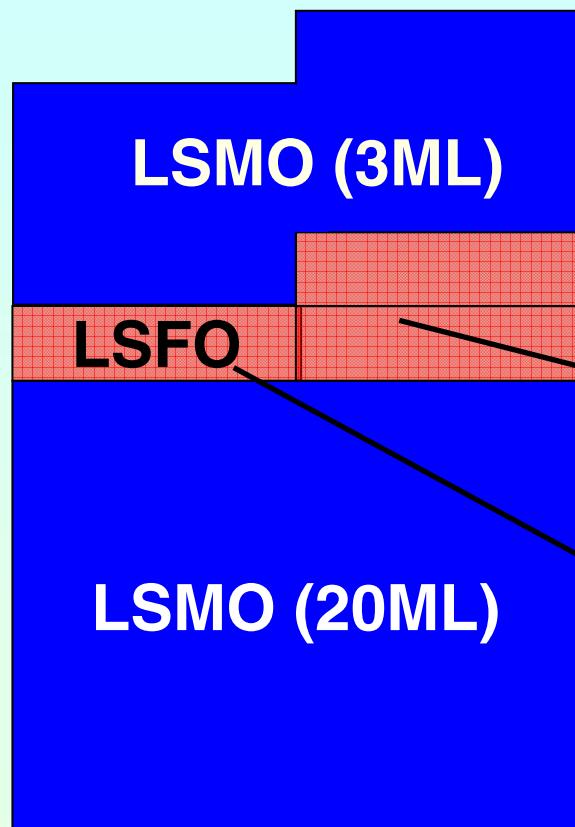
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## Spectral Evidence of Charge Transfer at LSMO/LSFO Interface

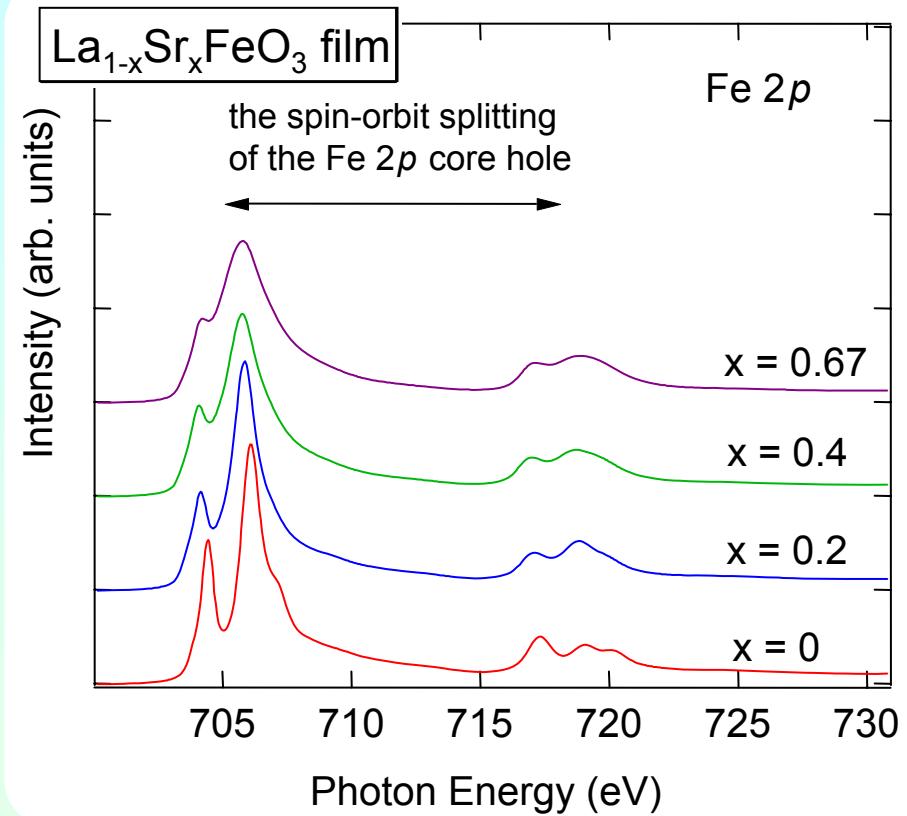
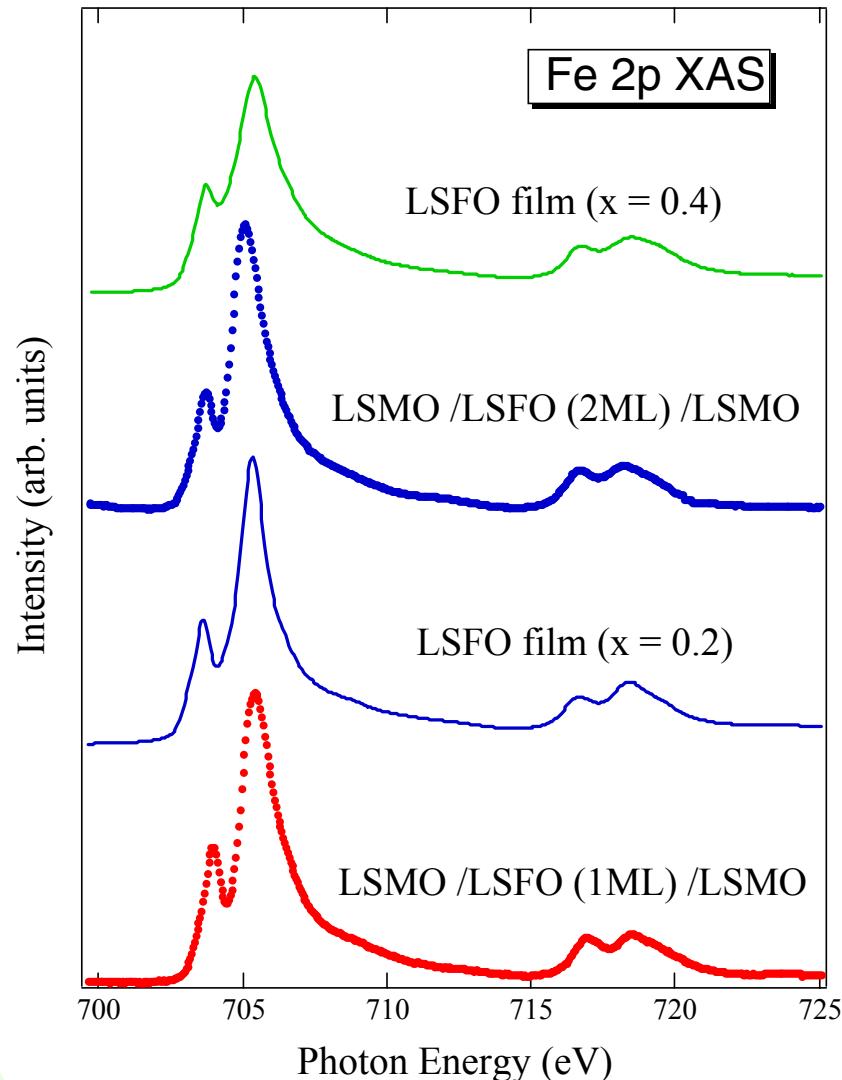
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# XAS Spectra of Interfacial LSFO Layer



# Comparison of Fe-2p XAS spectra between Interfacial LSFO layer and LSFO films

## Fe-2p XAS spectra

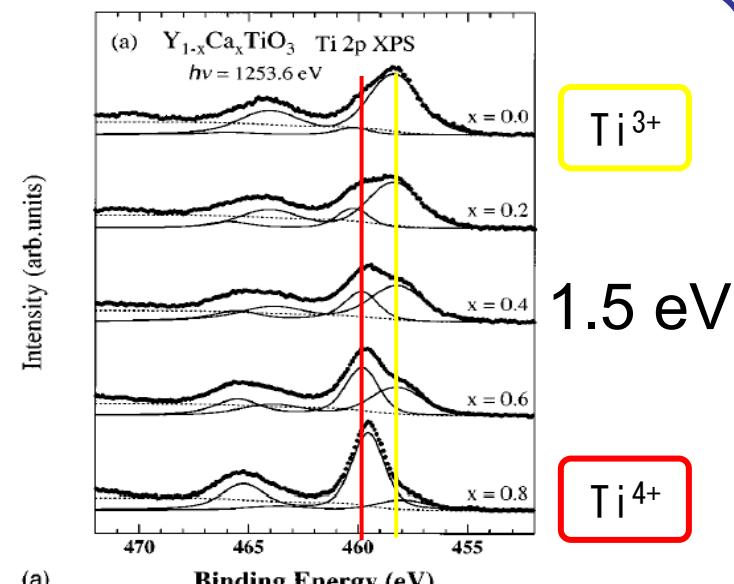
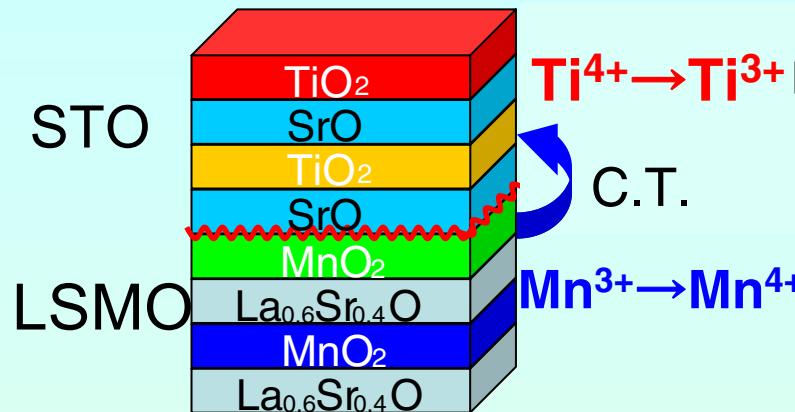


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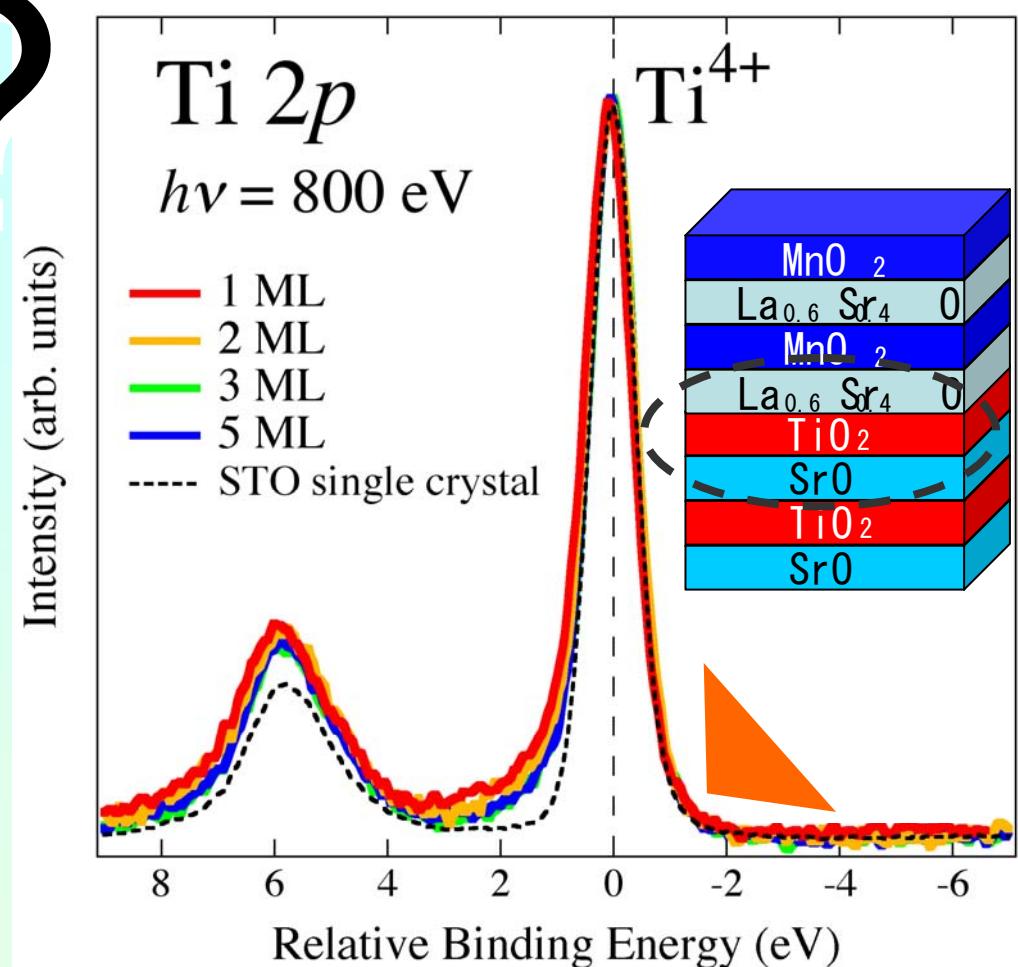
Evidence of Charge Transfer  
from LSMO to LSFO

# Ti 2p Core Level Spectra at Interfaces

Charge Transfer



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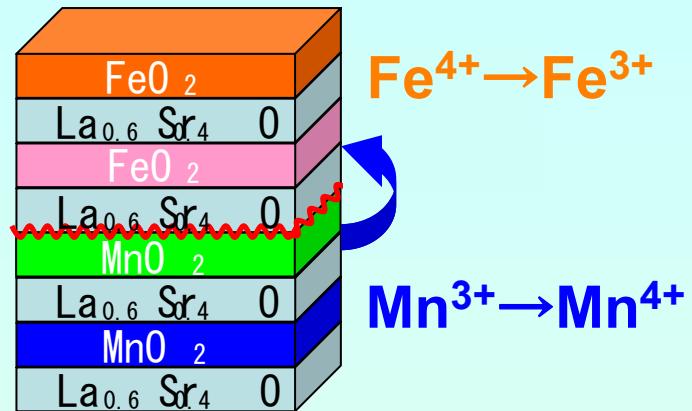


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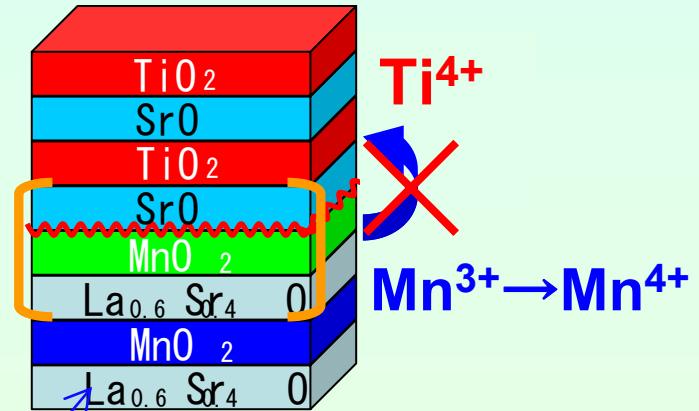
Robust Ti $^{4+}$  states

# Origin of Charge Transfer

LSFO/LSMO

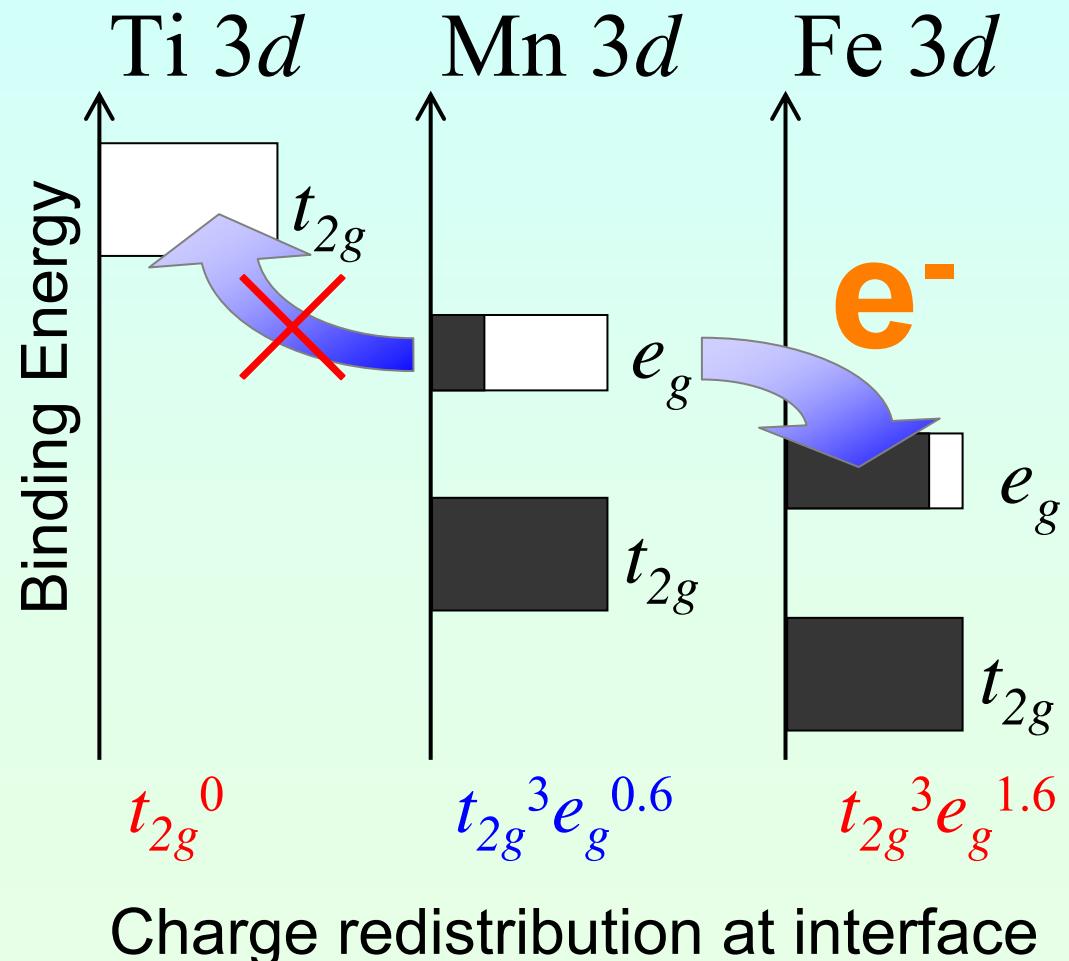


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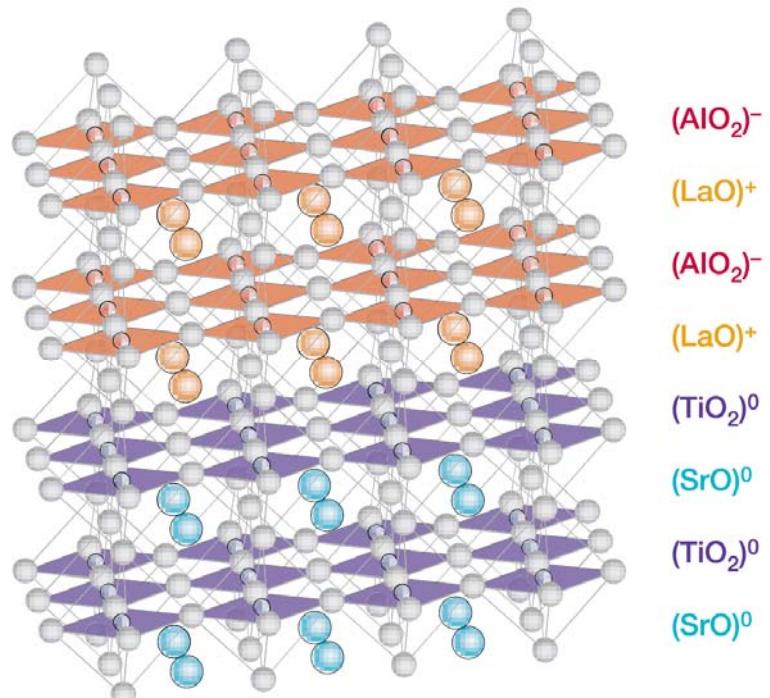
Electron-donor layer

Difference of 3d levels among transition metals



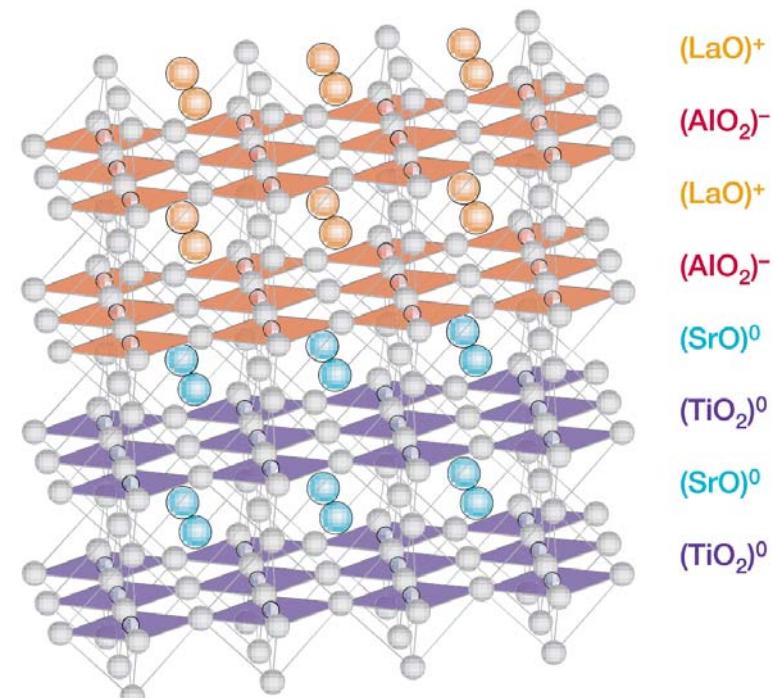
# Interfacial Electronic Structure of LaAlO<sub>3</sub>/ SrTiO<sub>3</sub> Heterojunctions

LaAlO<sub>3</sub> / TiO<sub>2</sub>-SrTiO<sub>3</sub>



*n*-type (Metallic)

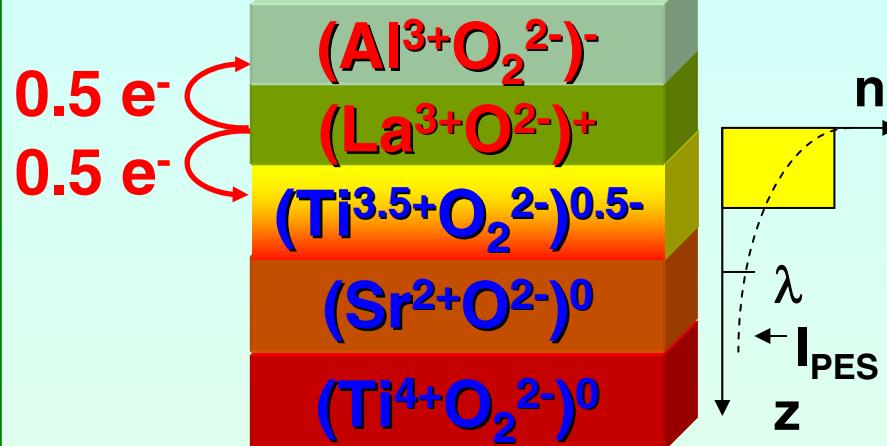
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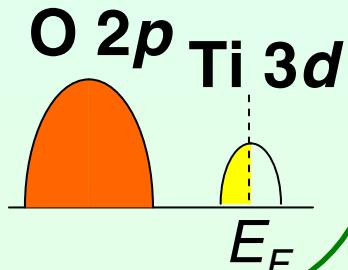
*p*-type (Insulating)

# Origin of the Metallic Interface

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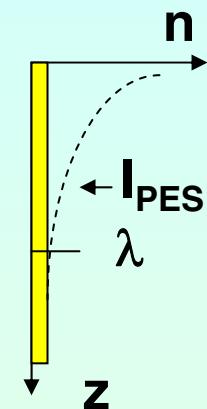
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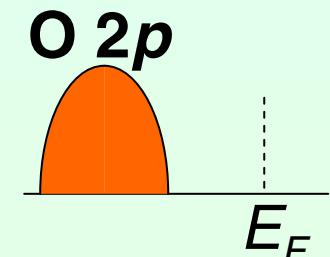
## 2. Oxygen Vacancies

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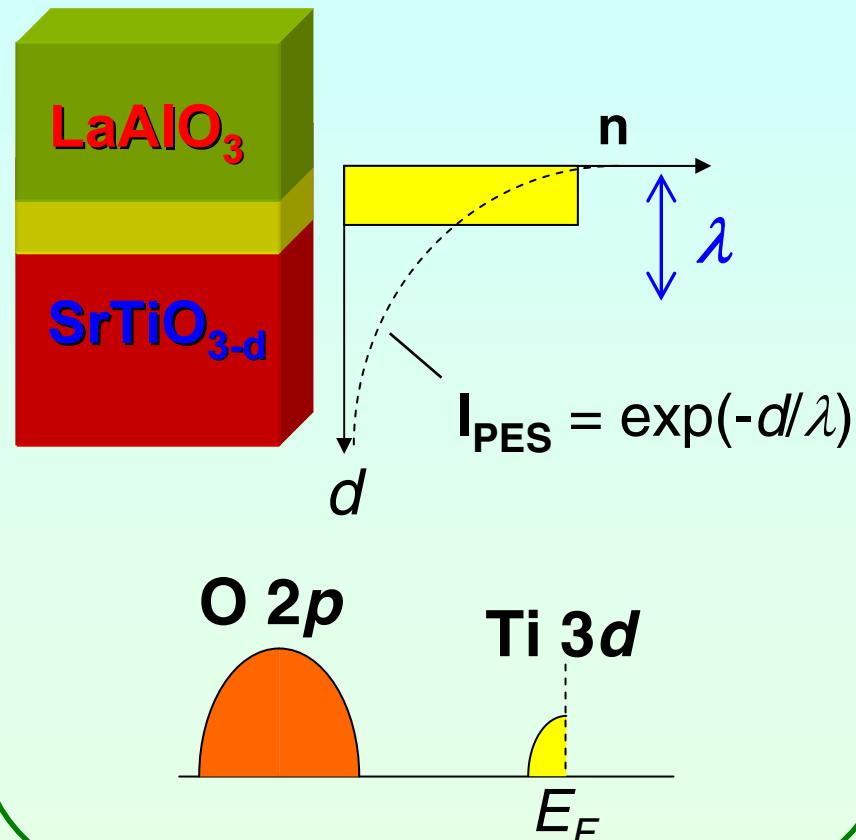


DOS at  $E_F$  is different between the two scenarios.

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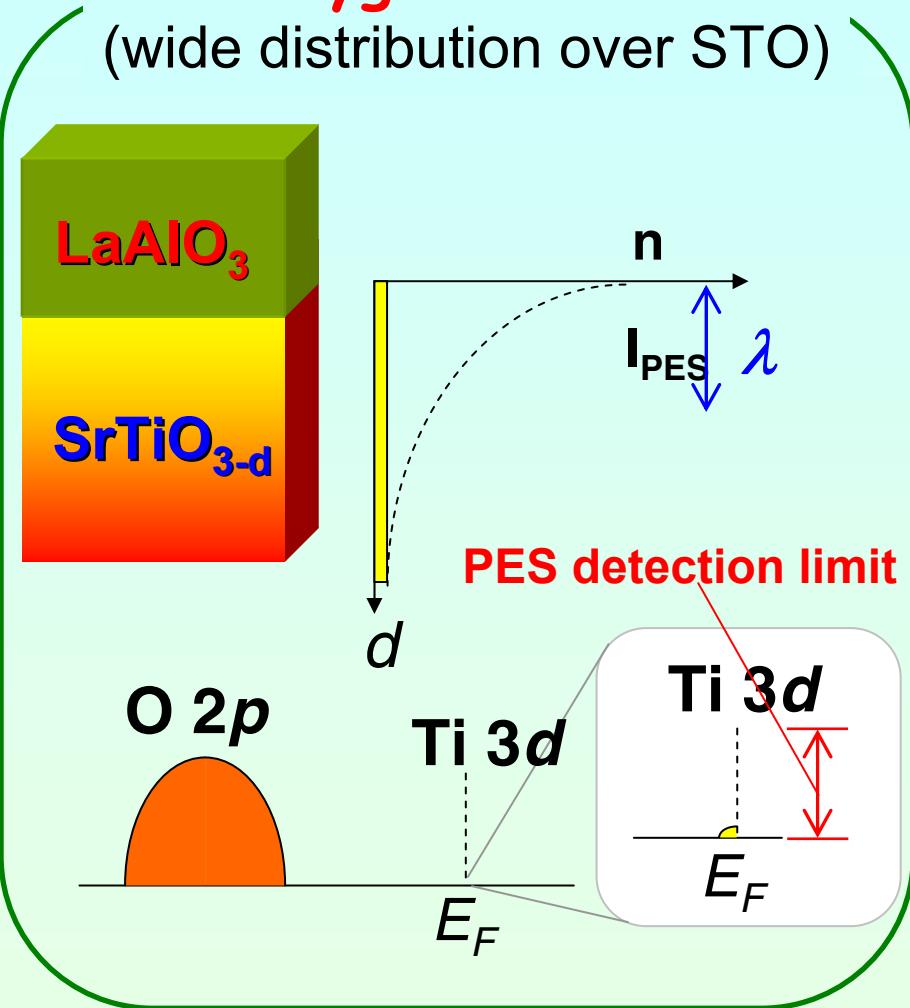
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(Confinement@interface region)



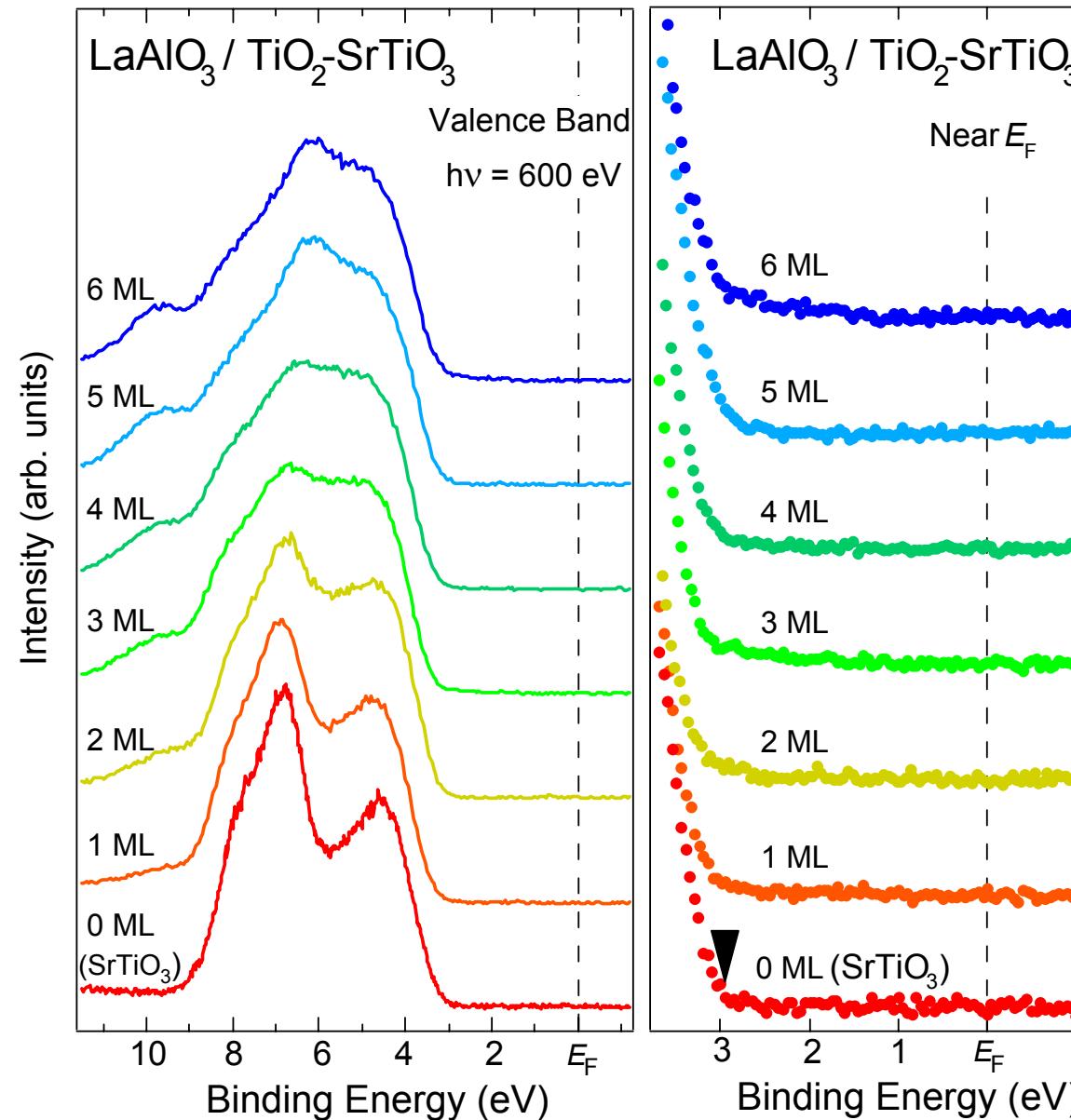
## 2. Oxygen Vacancies

(wide distribution over STO)

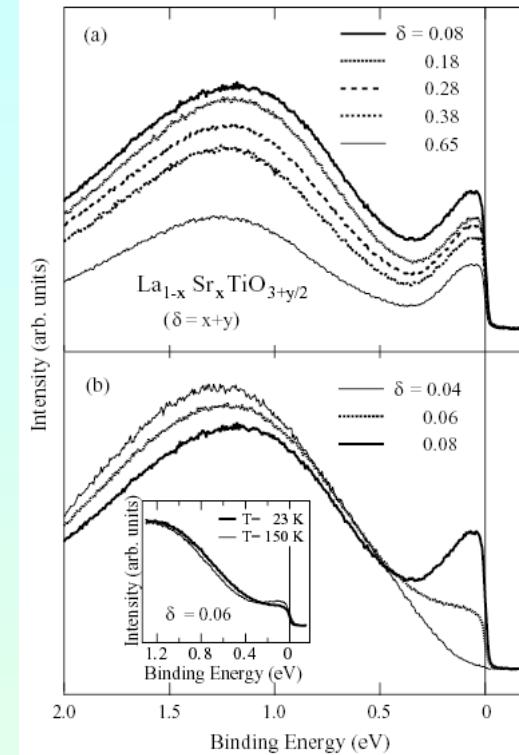


**DOS at  $E_F$  is different between the two scenarios.**

# Valence Band Spectra of n-type Interfaces



PES spectra of LSTO

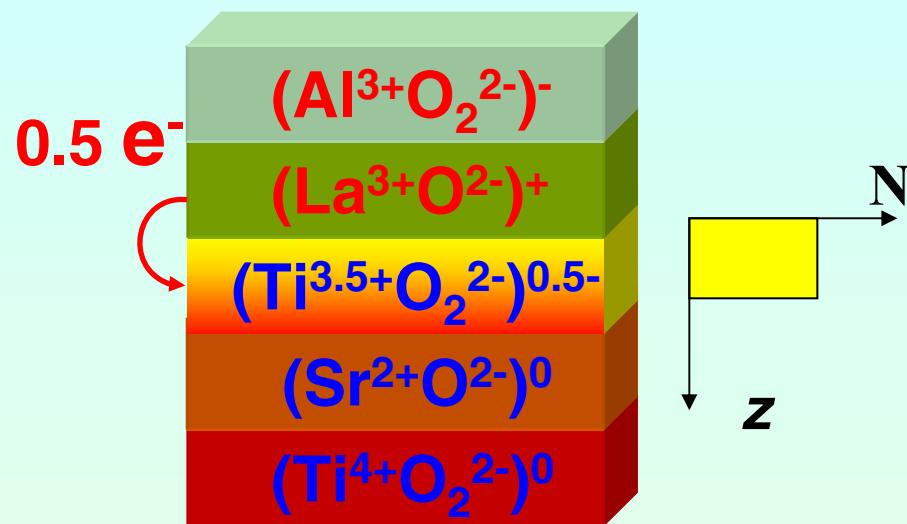


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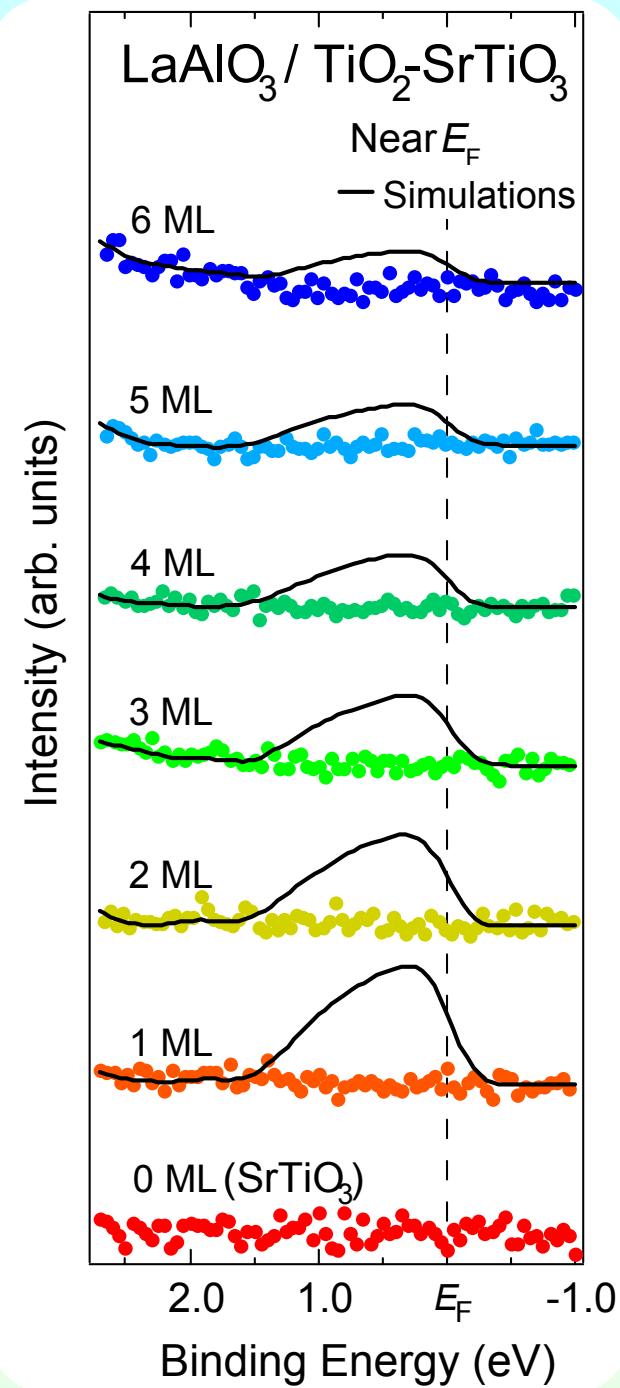
No detectable  
Ti 3d DOS at  $E_F$

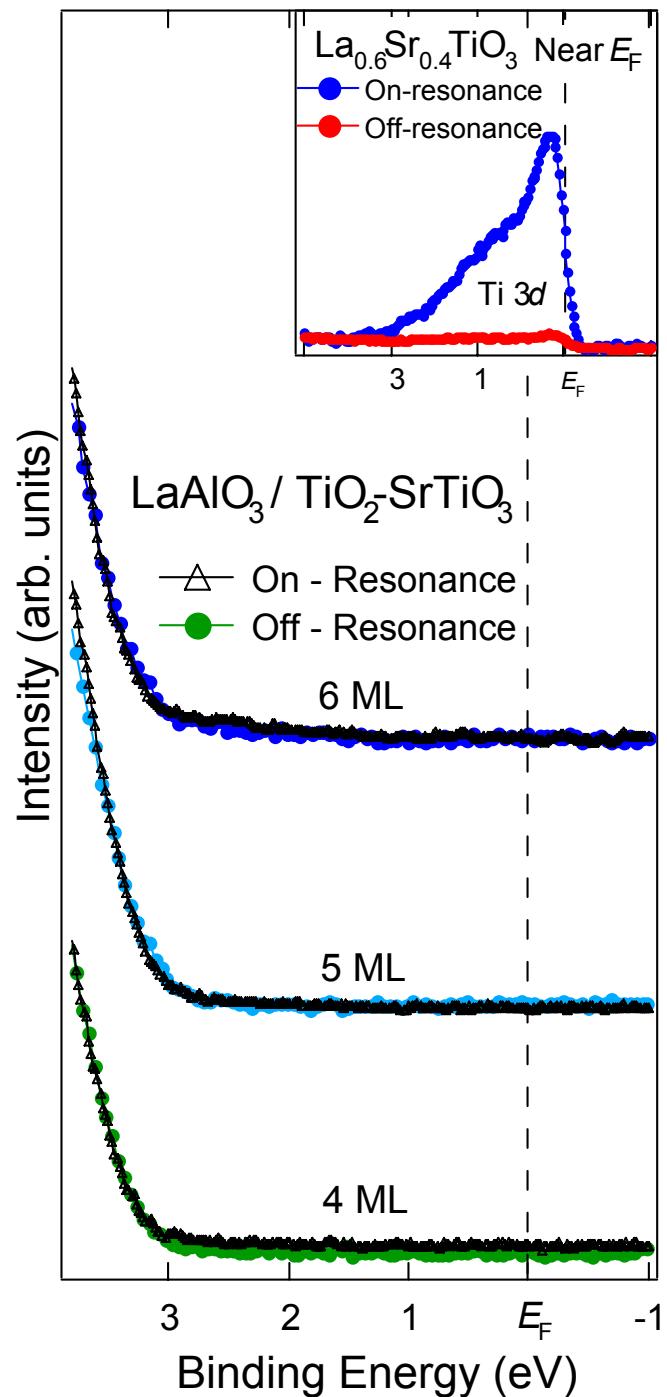
# Numerical Simulations

## Confinement at the interface ( $\delta$ function)



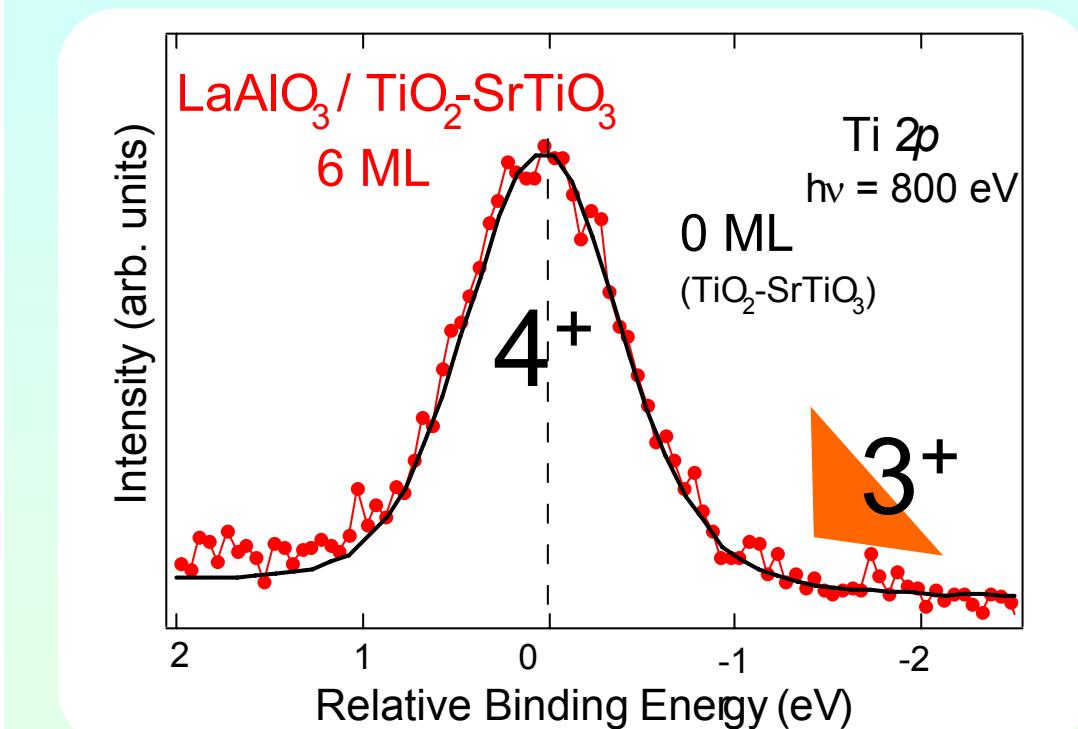
The 3d electrons only exist at  $\text{TiO}_2$  layer adjacent to  $(\text{LaO})^+$  layer.





# Ti $2p \rightarrow 3d$ Resonant Spectra

Chemical stabilities of  $\text{Ti}^{4+}$  states in  $\text{TiO}_2$  irrespective of the neighboring donor  $\text{LaO}$  layer



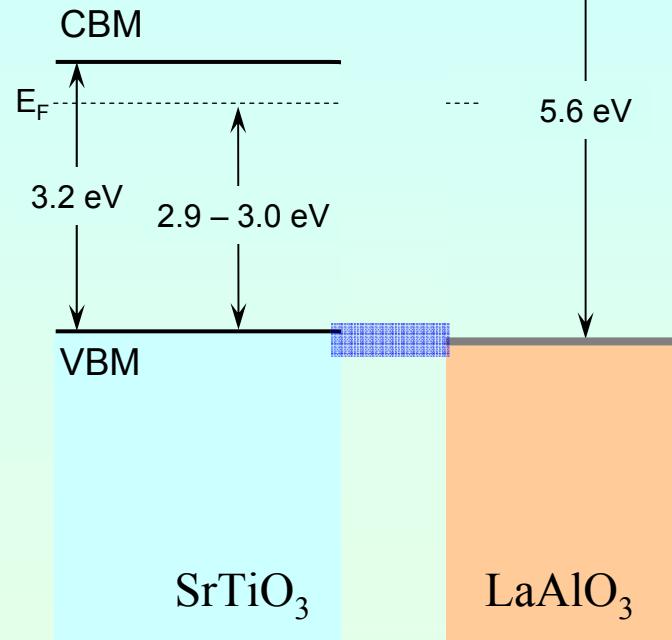
Charge transfer doesn't occur at the LAO/STO interface.

# Band Diagram of the n-type Interface

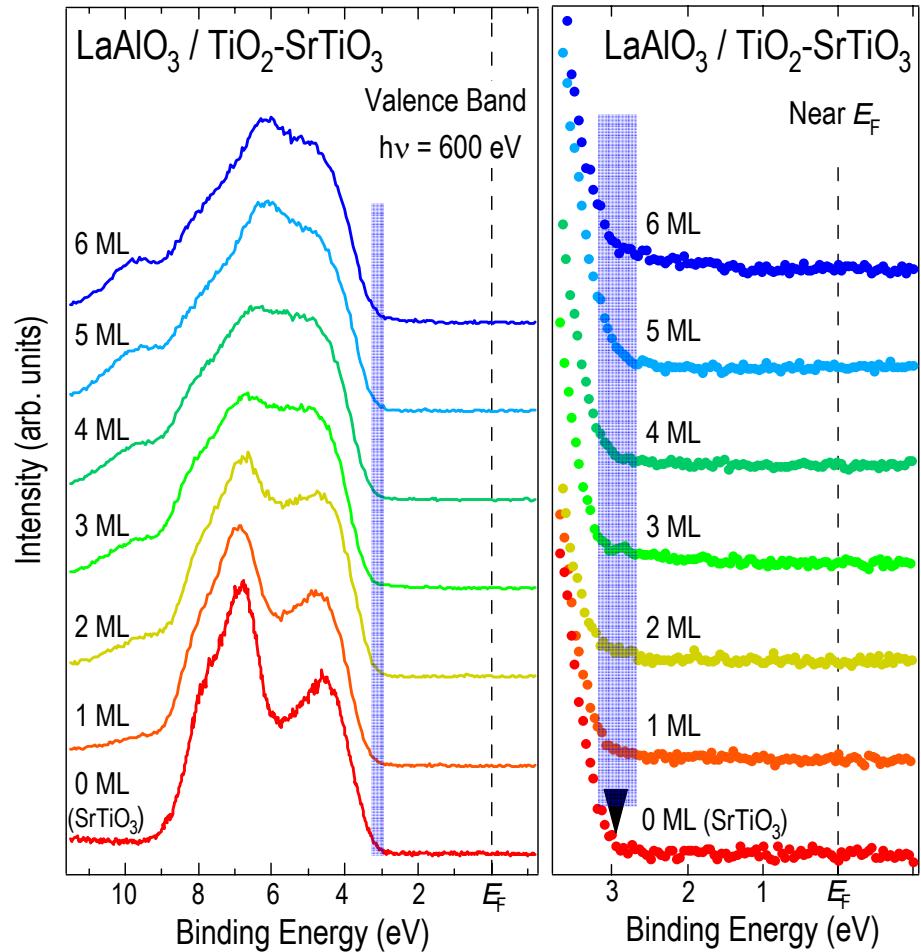
$$E_g(\text{STO}) = 3.2 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_g(\text{LAO}) = 5.6 \text{ eV}$$

CBM is located at  
0.2 - 0.3 eV above  $E_F$



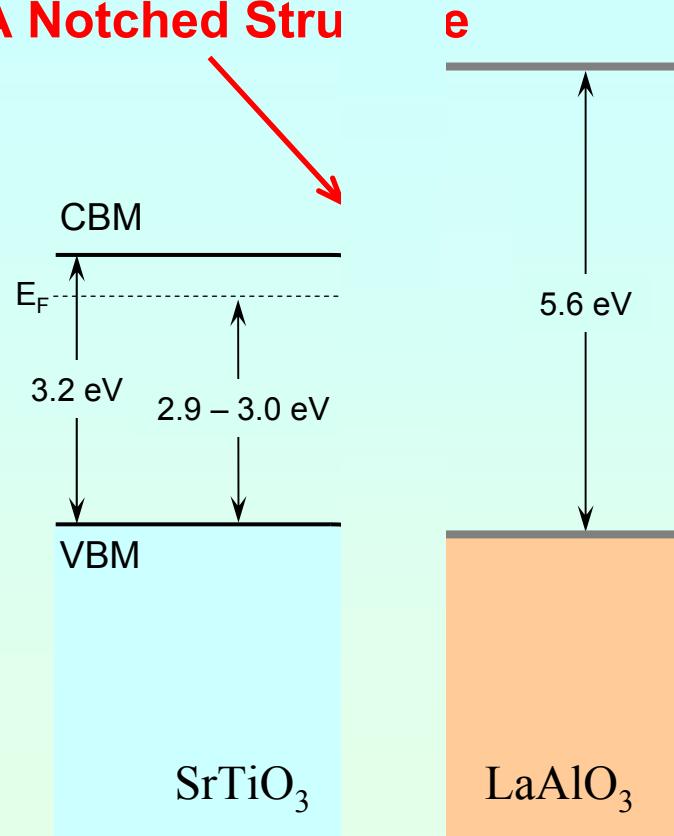
Valence band spectra



1. VBM of STO is located at 2.9-3.0 eV below  $E_F$ .
2. VBM is nearly continuous between STO and LAO.  
(The leading edge of valence band structures is located at almost constant energy position.)

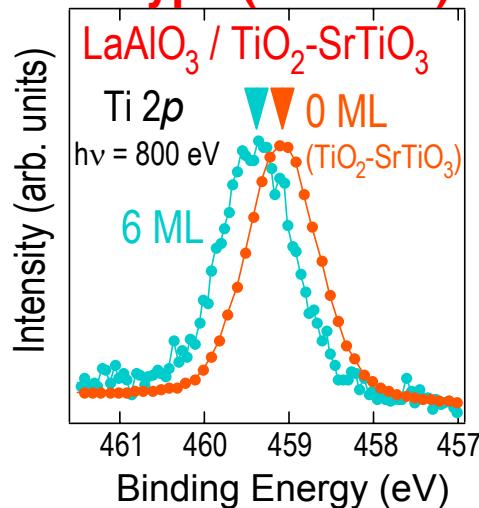
# Band Diagram of the n-type Interface

A Notched Stru

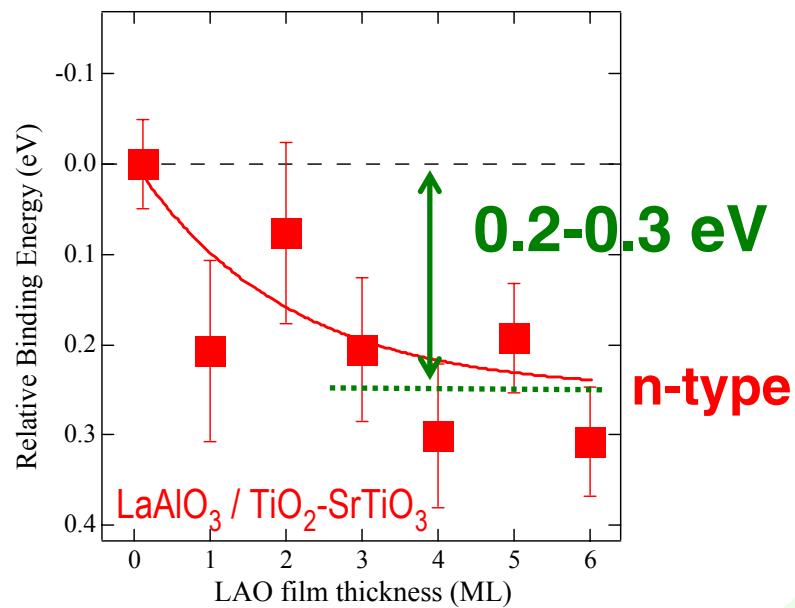


CBM in STO is nearly attained at  $E_F$

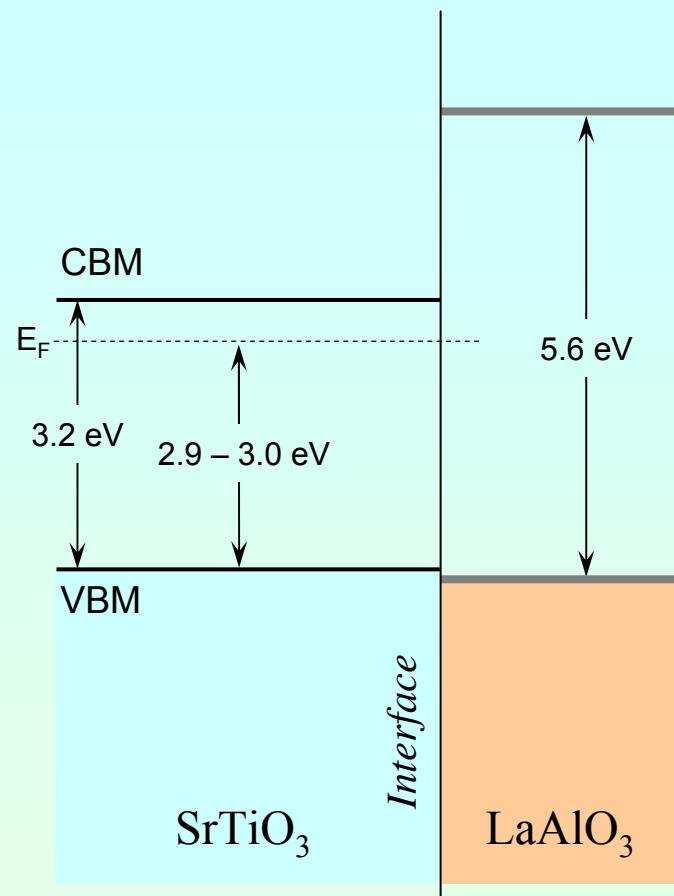
Ti 2p core level spectra  
n-type (metallic)



Band bending of 0.2-0.3 eV to higher binding energy from STO to the metallic interface.

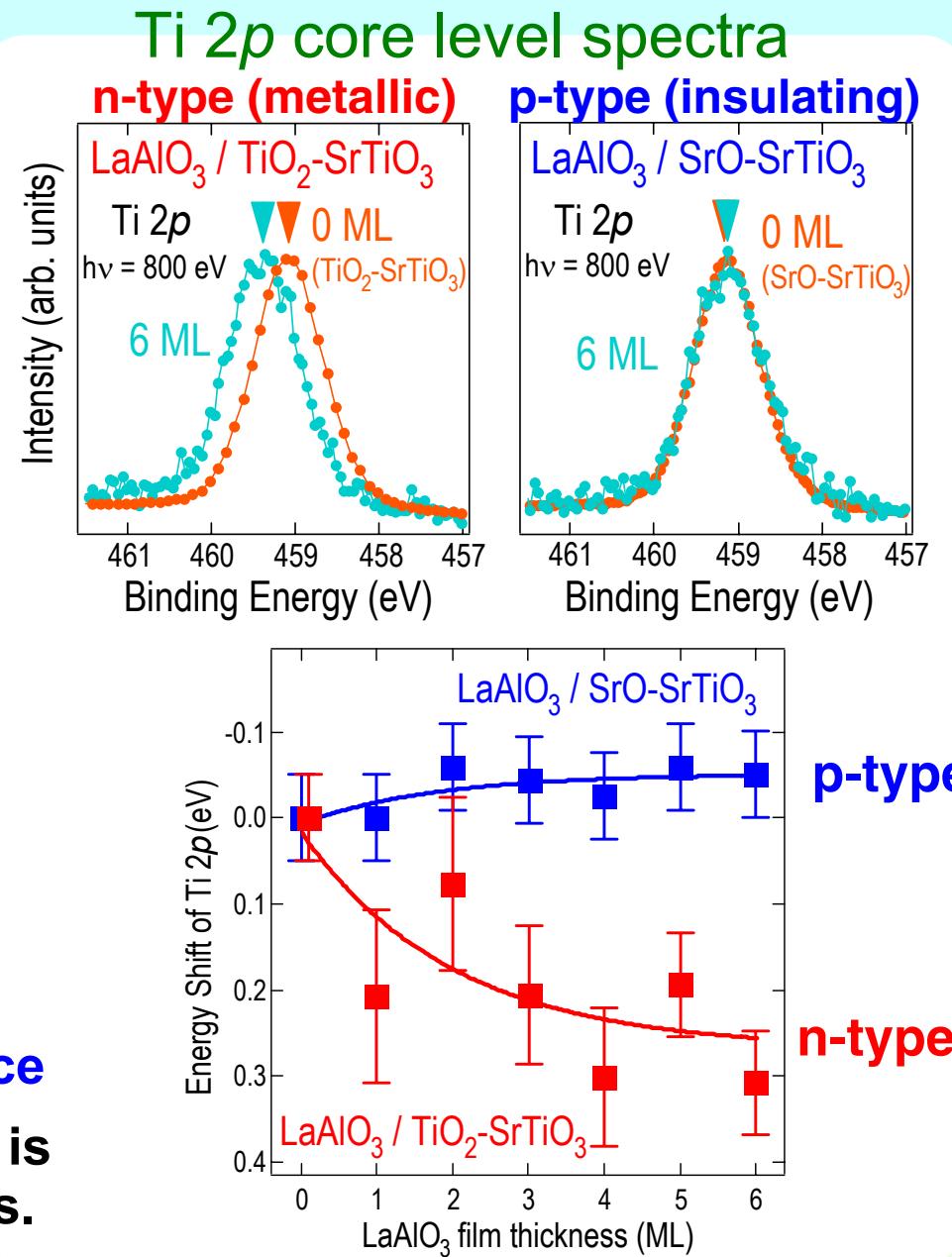


# Band Diagram of LAO/STO Interface

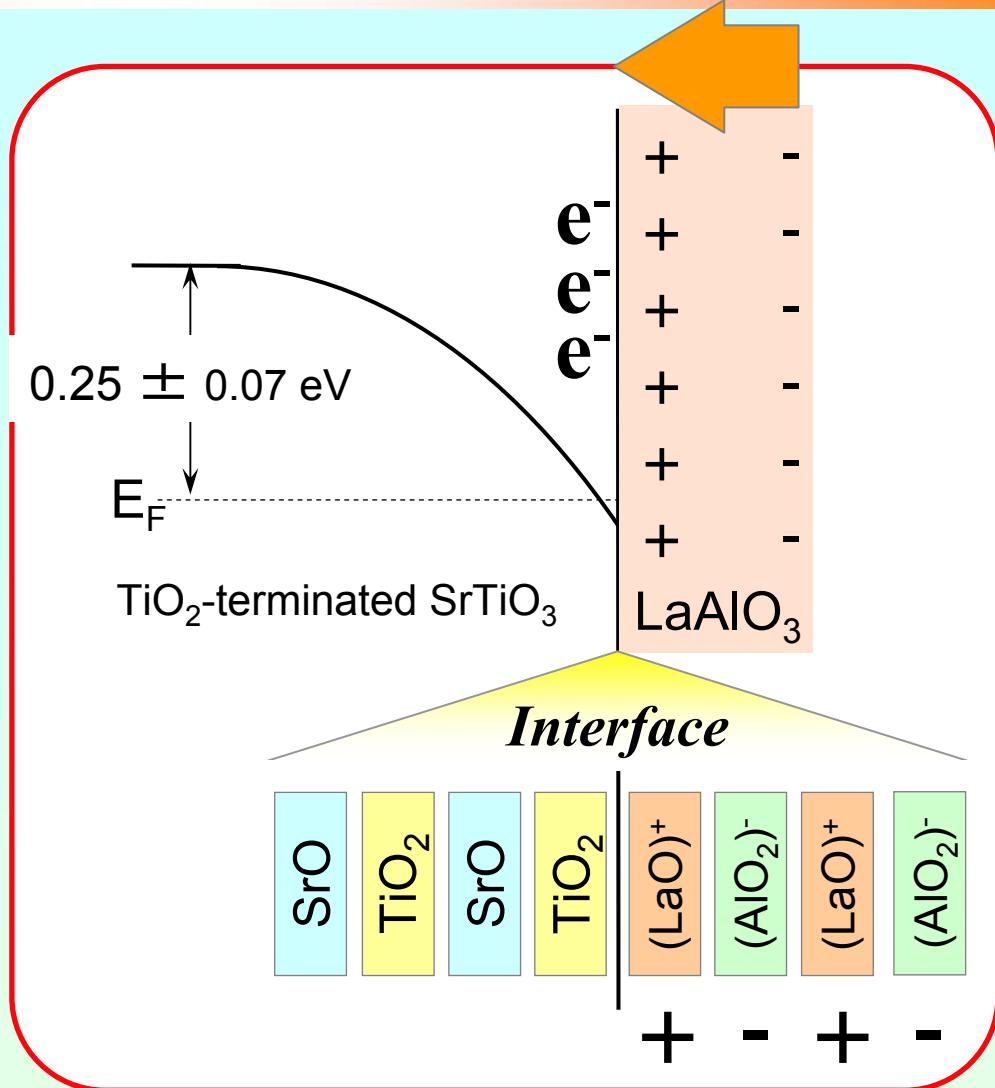
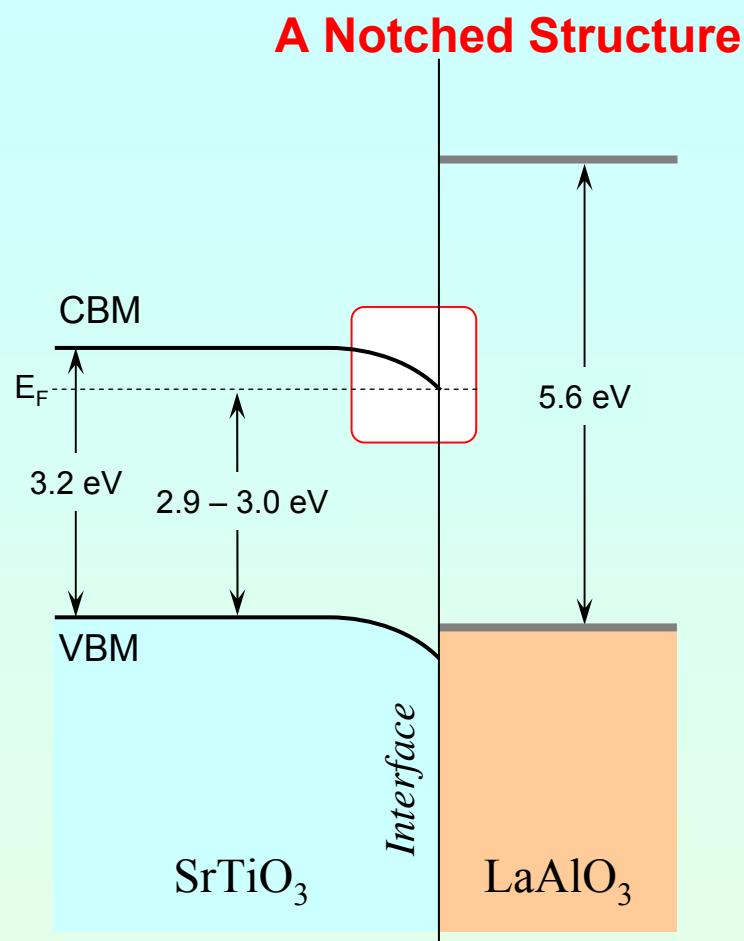


**No peak shift at the p-type interface**

Band bending on the STO side is responsible for the metallic states.



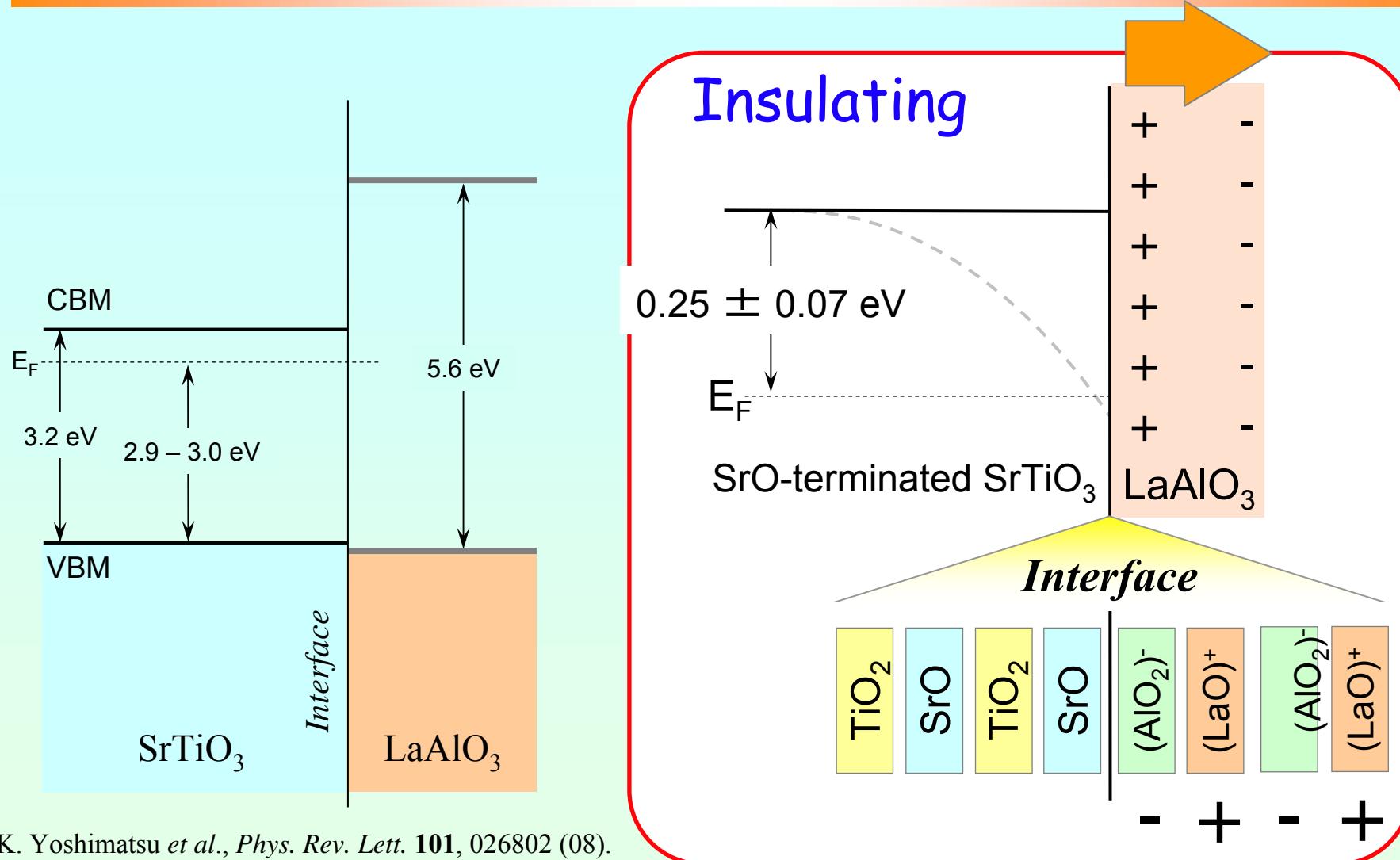
# Origin of Metallic Conductivity in LAO/STO



K. Yoshimatsu *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett. **101**, 026802 (08).

The metallic conductivity originate from the accumulation of carriers on the notched structure formed at the interface.

# Origin of M-I Transition by Inserting SrO



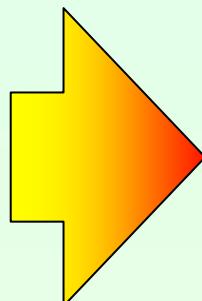
The notched structure disappears by inserting SrO atomic layer between LAO and STO.

# Summary in LAO/STO Interface

We determined the band diagrams of LAO/STO heterojunctions by using *in situ* photoemission spectroscopy.

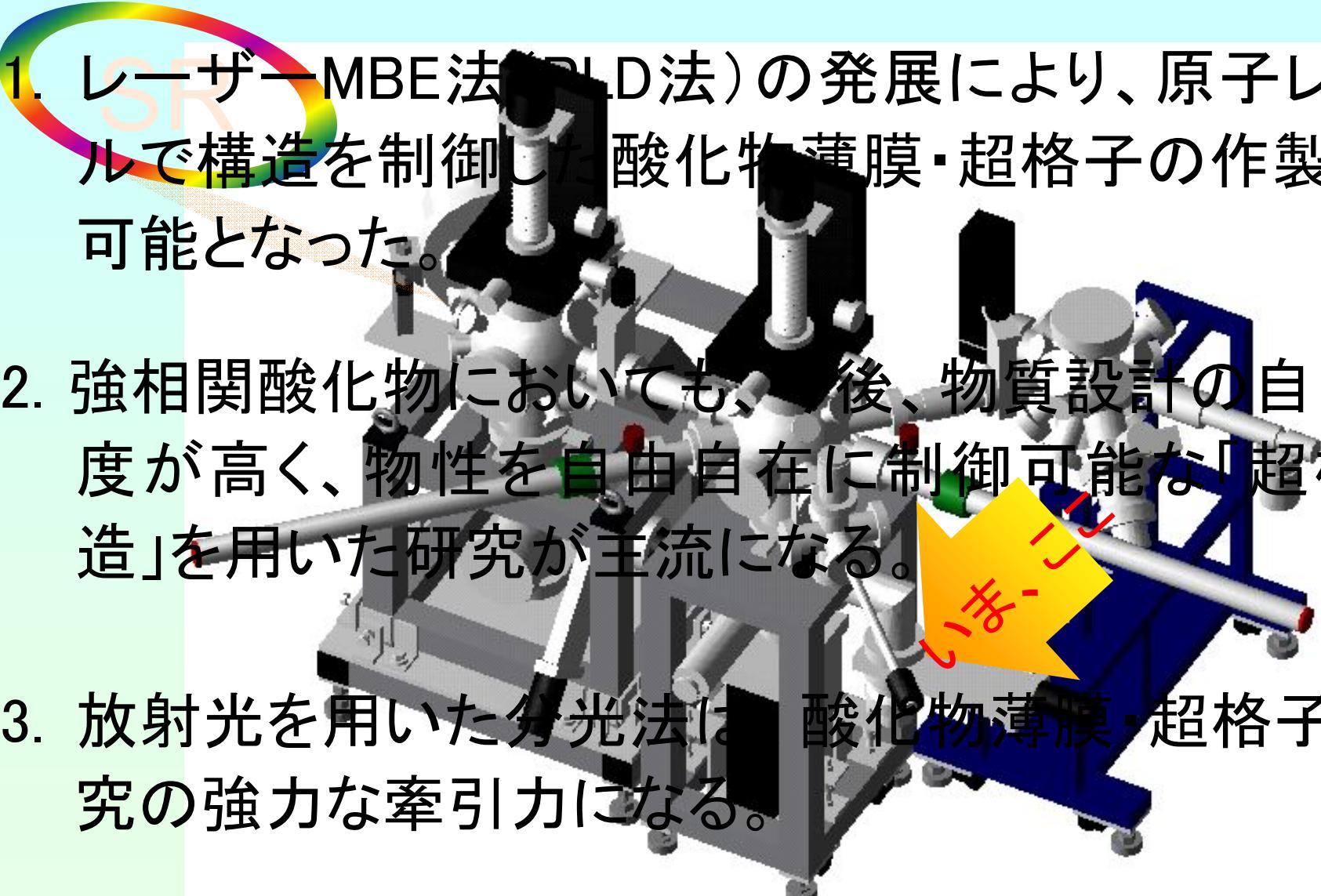
## We have found

1. There is no detectable Ti 3d DOS at EF expected from charge transfer through the interface.
2. Owing to the band discontinuity of LAO/STO, a notched structure is formed at the metallic interface.
3. The structure, however, is absent at the insulating interface.



The metallic states at the interface between band insulators LAO/STO originate not from charge transfer through the interface on a short-range scale but from the accumulation of carrier on a long-range scale.

# Conclusion

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1. レーザーMBE法(PLD法)の発展により、原子レベルで構造を制御した酸化物薄膜・超格子の作製が可能となった。
  2. 強相関酸化物においても、その後、物質設計の自由度が高く、物性を自由自在に制御可能な「超構造」を用いた研究が主流になる。
  3. 放射光を用いた分光法は、酸化物薄膜・超格子研究の強力な牽引力になる。