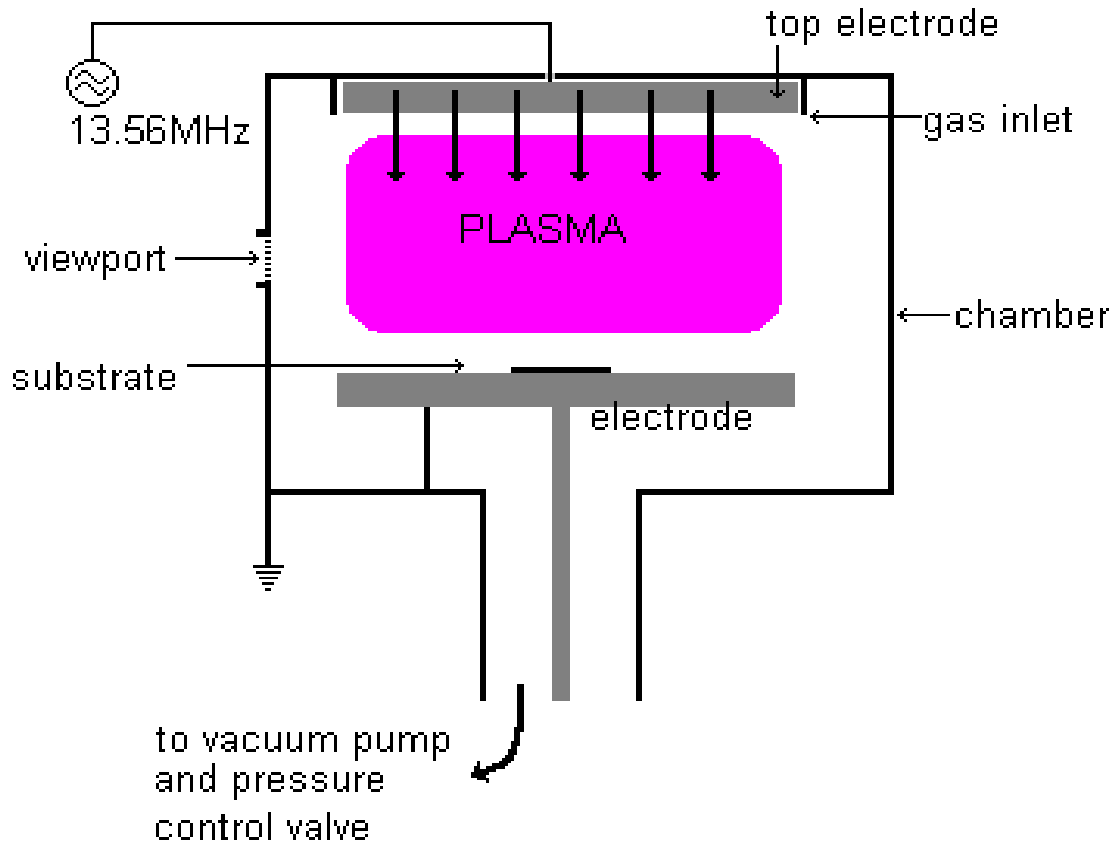


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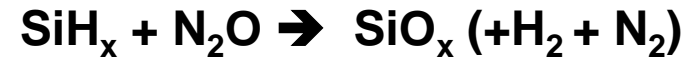


Basic Processes

PECVD SiN_x:



PECVD SiO_x:



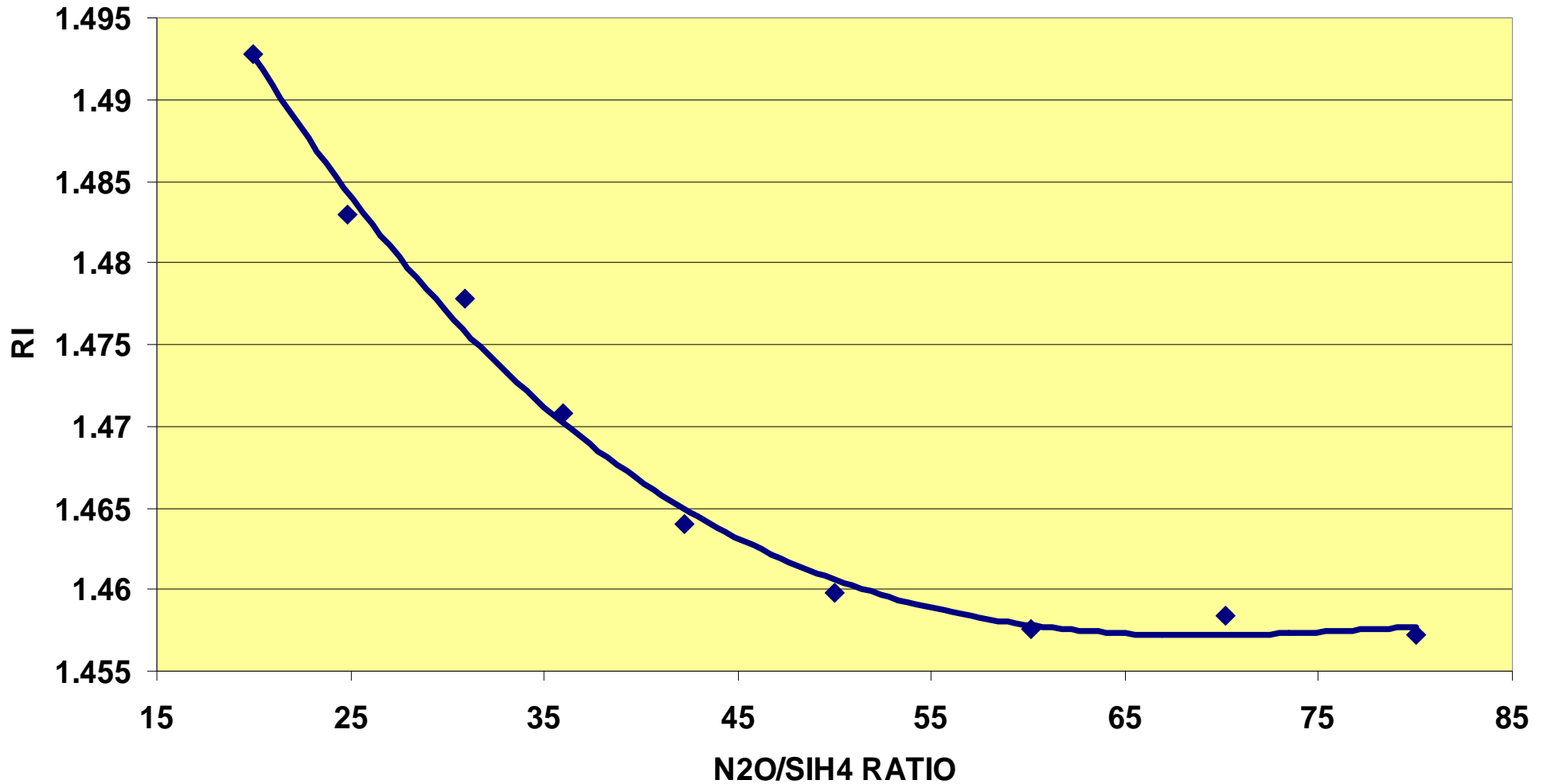
PECVD Trends (SiH_4 based processes)

SiNx	Dep. rate	Refr. Index
↑ SiH_4 flow	↑	↑↑
↑ $\text{NH}_3:\text{SiH}_4$ ratio	↓	↓↓
↑ 13MHz power	↑↑	↓
↑ pressure	↑↑	

SiOx	Dep. rate	Refr. Index
↑ SiH_4 flow	↑↑	↑
↑ $\text{N}_2\text{O}:\text{SiH}_4$ ratio	↓?	↓
↑ 13MHz power	↑	↓
↑ pressure	↓?	

**Uniformity is measured as centre-edge

REFRACTIVE INDEX OF SILICON DIOXIDE: GAS FLOW (N2O/SIH4 RATIO)



DEPOSITION RATE OF SILICON DIOXIDE: GAS FLOW (N₂O/SiH₄ RATIO) - (High rate process)

