Several trends in Nanomanufacturing

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Topics

- Nanotechnology development context
- Opportunities in nanomanufacturing
- Converging technology implications

Related publications

“Nanotechnology: From Discovery to Innovation and Socioeconomic Projects” 2010-2020 (2011)
“The Long View of Nanotechnology development: the NNI at 10 Years” (2011)
“Nanotechnology Research Directions for Societal Needs in 2020” (2011)

10-year vision documents, 3-year strategic plans, 1-year plans and topical workshops: www.nsf.gov/nano; www.nano.gov
Long-term nanotechnology research directions (2000-2020)

Nano1 (2000-2010)

Nano2 (2010-2020)

NSF/WTEC, www.wtec.org/nano2/ ; Springer 2010
Nanoproducts and Nanomanufacturing

- Fragmentation
- Patterning
- Restructuring of bulk
- Lithography, ..

- Interpreting, field & boundary control
- Positioning assembly
- Integration, ..

- System engineering
- Device architecture
- Integration, ..

- Nanosystem biology
- Emerging systems
- Hierarchical integration..

Timeline for beginning of industrial prototyping and nanotechnology commercialization

1st: Passive nanostructures (1st generation products)
- Ex: coatings, nanoparticles, nanostructured metals, polymers, ceramics

2nd: Active nanostructures
- Ex: 3D transistors, amplifiers, targeted drugs, actuators, adaptive structures

3rd: Nanosystems
- Ex: guided assembling; 3D networking and new hierarchical architectures, robotics, evolutionary

4th: Molecular nanosystems
- Ex: molecular devices 'by design', atomic design, emerging functions

Converging technologies
- Ex: nano-bio-info from nanoscale, cognitive technologies; large complex systems from nanoscale

~ 2010
~ 2005
~ 2015-2020

CREATING A NEW FIELD AND COMMUNITY IN TWO FOUNDATIONAL STEPS (2000 ~ 2020)

Mass Application of Nanotechnology after ~ 2020

NS&E integration for general purpose technology
~ 2011  nano2  ~ 2020
Direct measurements; Science-based design and processes; Collective effects; Create nanosystems by technology integration

Foundational interdisciplinary research at nanoscale
~ 2001  nano1  ~ 2010
Indirect measurements, Empirical correlations; Single principles, phenomena, tools; Create nanocomponents by empirical design

New disciplines
New industries
Societal impact

Infrastructure
Workforce
Partnerships

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2000-2010
Estimates show an average growth rate of key nanotechnology indicators of 16% - 33%

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<td>2000 - 2010 average growth</td>
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Evolving Topics
Percentage of nanotechnology content in NSF awards, ISO papers and USPTO patents (1991-2011)
(update after Encyclopedia Nanoscience, 2012)

Documents searched by keywords in the title and abstract/claims

2011 Top nano J. ~ 13%
2011 NSF grants ~ 11%
2011 All journals ~ 5%
2011 USPTO patents ~ 1.9%
2011 Market /US GDP ~ 0.8%

Similar, delayed penetration curves: for R&D funding /papers /patents /products /ELSI

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WORLDWIDE MARKET INCORPORATING NANOTECNOLOGY
(Estimation made in 2000 after international study in > 20 countries)

- Passive nanostructures
- Active nanostructures
- Nanosystems by design

World annual rate of increase ~ 25%; Double each ~ 3 years

Two orders of magnitude in 20 yr.
~ $40B
~ $120B
~ $250B
~ $1T by 2015
~ $91B, U.S.

$3T by 2020

Final products incorporating nanotechnology in the world

Reference: Roco and Bainbridge, Springer, 2001

Rudimentary - Complex

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Main nanotechnology outcome at 10 years

- **Foundational knowledge of nature** by control of matter at the nanoscale
- **Global interdisciplinary community** (~ 600,000) for R&D, nano-EHS and ELSI
- **Science & technology (S&T) breakthroughs**
- **Novel methods and tools**
- **Extensive multi-domain infrastructure**
- **New education & innovation ecosystems**
- **New industries** with increased added value
- **Solutions for sustainable development**
Remarkable scientific discoveries than span better understanding of the smallest living structures, uncovering the behaviors and functions of matter at the nanoscale, and creating a library of 1D - 4D nanostructured building blocks for devices and systems; Towards periodical table for nanostructures.

New S&E fields have emerged such as: spintronics (2001), plasmonics (2004), metamaterials, carbon nanoelectronics, molecules by design, nanofluidics, nanobiomedicine, nanoimaging, nanophotonics, opto-genetics, synthetic biology, branches of nanomanufacturing, and nanosystems

Technological breakthroughs in advanced materials, biomedicine, catalysis, electronics, and pharmaceuticals; expansion into energy resources and water filtration, agriculture and forestry; and integration of nanotechnology with other emerging areas such as quantum information systems, neuromorphic engineering, and synthetic and system nanobiology.
Example: Emergence of Plasmonics after 2004

Plasmonics: Merging photonics, electronics and materials at nanoscale dimensions

Number of NSF Awards

Published Items in Each Year

Citations in Each Year

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Model for reporting the workshop results: synthetic view (Tiwari, NNIN report)

Nanopatterning on surfaces

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Interval 2001-2010

NSF supported investigators with most patents
- NNI at 10 years -

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Chen at al. (2012)
NSF-funded PI-Inventors (1991-2010) have more citations (31 in average) than inventors in the TOP10, UC, IBM, US (9 in average), Entire World Set (7 in average), Japan, Others, and European group.
(B) 2000-2010: Novel Methods and Tools

- **Femtosecond measurements** with atomic precision in domains of biological and engineering relevance
- **Sub-nanometer measurements** of molecular electron densities
- **Single-atom and single-molecule** characterization methods
- **Scanning probe tools for printing**, sub-50 nm “desktop fab”
- **Simulation** from basic principles has expanded to assemblies of atoms 100 times larger than in 2000
- **New measurements**: negative index of refraction in IR/visible wavelength radiation, Casimir forces, quantum confinement, nanofluidics, nanopatterning, teleportation of information between atoms, and biointeractions at the nanoscale. Each has become the foundation for new domains in science and engineering
• Infrastructure
  - Developed an **extensive infrastructure** of interdisciplinary research of
    ~ 100 large centers, networks and user facilities
  - **Educate and train > 10,000 students and teachers** per year
    ~ 1,000 new curricula in accredited research universities ;
    ~ 30 associate degree nanotechnology programs
  - **Established networks for ELSI and public awareness**

• R&D&I Results

  With ~22% of **global government investments**, U.S. accounts for
  ~ 70% of **startups** in nanotechnology worldwide
  > **2,500 U.S. nanotech companies** with products in 2010, with
  $110B (~38% of the world) products incorporating nano parts
(D) 2000-2010: Ten highly promising products incorporating nanotechnology

- Catalysts
- Transistors and memory devices
- Structural applications (coatings, hard materials, CMP)
- Biomedical applications (detection, implants,..)
- Treating cancer and chronic diseases
- Energy storage (batteries), conversion and utilization
- Water filtration
- Video displays
- Optical lithography and other nanopatterning methods
- Environmental applications

Leading to new industries, some with safety concerns: cosmetics, food, disinfectants,..

After 2010 nanosystems: nano-radio, tissue eng., fluidics, etc

MC Roco, Aug 13 2012
Nanotechnology has provided solutions for about half of the new projects on energy conversion, energy storage, and carbon encapsulation in the last decade.

Entirely new families have been discovered of nanostructured and porous materials with very high surface areas, including metal organic frameworks, covalent organic frameworks, and zeolite imidazolate frameworks, for H storage and CO₂ separations.

A broad range of polymeric and inorganic nanofibers for environmental separations (membrane for water and air filtration) and catalytic treatment have been synthesized.

Testing the promise of nanomanufacturing for sustainability.

Evaluating renewable materials and green fuels.
The corresponding R&D was about 10 times smaller in 1998.

** Est. taxes 20%

*** Est. $500,000/ yr/ job
Twelve trends to 2020

- Theory, modeling & simulation: x1000 faster, essential design
- “Direct” measurements – x6000 brighter, accelerate R&D & use
- A shift from “passive” to “active” nanostructures/nanosystems
- Nanosystems, some self powered, self repairing, dynamic
- Penetration of nanotechnology in industry - toward mass use; catalysts, electronics; innovation– platforms, consortia
- Nano-EHS – more predictive, integrated with nanobio & env.
- Personalized nanomedicine - from monitoring to treatment
- Photonics, electronics, magnetics – new capabilities, integrated
- Energy photosynthesis, storage use – solar economic by 2015
- Enabling and integrating with new areas – bio, info, cognition
- Earlier preparing nanotechnology workers – system integration
- Governance of nano for societal benefit - institutionalization
Manufacturing: Transforming raw materials into products with desired properties and performance – generally in large quantities

Defining Nanomanufacturing (1):

Aims at building material structures, components, devices/ machines, and systems with nanoscale features in one, two and three dimensions. It includes

- **bottom-up directed assembling** of nanostructure building blocks (from the atomic, molecular, supramolecular levels),
- **top-down high-resolution processing** (ultraprecision engineering, fragmentation methods, positioning assembling),
- engineering of molecules and supramolecular systems (molecules as devices “by design”, nanoscale machines, etc.),
- **hierarchical integration** with larger scale systems.

Atoms, molecules → nanostructures (intermediate) → materials/ devices/ machines/ systems
Nanomanufacturing: typical bottom-up processes

- Controlled nucleation and growth
  - Aerosol and colloidal dispersions; deposition on surfaces
- Selfassembling
  - Natural process in living systems and biomimetics
  - Chemistry/chemical manufacturing
  - Guided by electric, magnetic, optical fields, DNA controlled ..
- Templating: Al and C nanotubes; by substrate; local reactors; ..
- Engineered molecules and molecular assemblies
  - Designed molecules as devices or for selfassembling
  - New molecular architectures by design
- Bio methods - Selectivity, selfassembling, synthetic biology, ..
- Bottom-up modular nanosystems
- Control replicating structures (ex: cellular approach)
Nanomanufacturing: other typical processes

- Lithography: optical, ultraviolet, electron-beam, SPM based (1-10 nm)
- Nano-machining
- Nano-manipulation of atoms, molecules, nanoparticles
- Fragmentation: mechanical milling, spark erosion, etc.
- Sintering of nano precursors
- Thermal treatment of metals, ceramics, composites
- Mixing of nanocomposites and their processing
- Fluidics
- Nanoscale robotics
- Bio-evolutionary approaches, ..
Twelve opportunities for pre-competitive nanomanufacturing R&D

1. Guided molecular assembling on several length scales (using electric and magnetic fields, templating, imprinting, additive, chemical methods, etc.)
2. Modular and platform-based nanomanufacturing for nanosystems
3. Use micro/nano environments: microreactors, microfluidics, deskfactories
4. Designing molecules with new structures and functionalities

5. Nanobio-manufacturing - harnessing biology for nanomanufacturing (using living cells directly, borrowed, or bio-inspiration such as folding)
6. Manufacturing by nanomachines - advances catalysts, DNA machines, ..
7. Hierarchical nanomanufacturing - integrate in 3D, diff. materials, functions
8. Scale-up, high-rate, distributed continuum manufacturing processes

9. Standardized tools for measurements and manufacturing
10. Predictive simulation of nanomanufacturing processes
11. Predictive approach for toxicity of nanomaterials (ex: oxidative stress)
12. Development and use of nanoinformatics and intellectual property
DNA data memory system (Harvard U.)

2020: NNI goal for ~2025 - all information from Library of Congress in a device of size of sugar cube (Pros Clinton) – was labeled as too ambitious.

2012: DNA system could store it in about 1mm cube (Science, Aug. 2012)
2. Modular and platform-based fabrication of nanosystems

- Modules for measuring nanoscale processes (SNL)
- Biotic-abiotic nanomodules (ex: with parts of viruses and bacteria) for sensors, energy conversion, nanomachines (Ex: Cornell U., Carnegie Mellon U.)
- Platforms for nanomanufacturing processes with various applications in larger companies
- Platforms by relevance of R&D: energy, water, sustainability, food, cancer research, forestry, concrete
- Combinatorial approaches for new architectures and nanoscale networks

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DuPont: Process Engineering & Manufacturing
for synthesis (CVD, Aerosol, Crystallization, precipitation), size reduction, surface treatment, coating, encapsulation, dispersion, incorporation

Nanotechnology platform for various particle technologies

Characterization
- PSD, morphology, surface
- Defects
- End-use performance

Applications
Films, Electronics, Displays
EP, Coatings, Personal care, Sensors, N&H

Modeling & Simulation
Molecular, Meso, Macro, CFD,

Manufacturing
- Safety
- Unit operations & Scale up
- Process integration

Assembly
- Fluid dynamics
- Field (E&M)
- Molecular template
- Biomolecule assisted

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Create controllable systems built from nano components: unifying principles that enable control of emergent behavior in complex nanosystems.

Wide application: revolutionary new products, petascale computing, organ regeneration, sensors for health monitoring.

Enable other goals for: nanomanufacturing, efficient use of energy; sensor capabilities.

Development of a new framework for risk assessment.

Ex UIUC: Microfluidics systems incorporating nanocomponents

Ex UCB: nano radio = antenna, filter, amplifier
3. Use nano/micro-environments: microreactors, microfluidics, deskfactories

For process control, process intensified, with less waste, parallel production, potentially continuous, at the point of use

- Microchannels for reactors (for large specific surface area; for precise manufacturing larger macromolecular yield and controlled nanoparticle size distribution)
- Microfluidic devices for nanoscale assembling
- Desk size factories for processing nanomaterials
- In-situ synthesis of nanostructures (ex. Nanoscale channels for in-situ manufacturing, Fonash, Penn State)
- Simultaneous, multiple processes in same environment

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“Grow in place” for Nanowire Devices
(S. Fonash, Penn State)

Example 1st generation

(a) Manufacturing nanowire “in situ”. “Grow-in-place” method keeps assembled together all nanostructured materials during processing

(b) AFM image of grown silicon nanowires
Cyborg-like Tissue Monitors Cells
Nanoelectronic scaffolding supports living tissue

Lieber, Langer et al. (Harvard U) have constructed a material that merges nanoscale electronics with biological tissues into a mesh of transistors and cells
- The cyborg-like tissue, supports cell growth while simultaneously monitoring the activities of those cells
- It could improve *in vitro* drug screening by allowing researchers to track how cells in a three-dimensional environment respond to drugs in real time
- It may also be a step toward prosthetics that communicate directly with the nervous system, and tissue implants that sense and respond to injury or disease (Nature Materials, Aug 2012)
4. Designing molecules with new structures and functionalities

Example for hierarchical selfassembling - 4th NT generation (in research)

EX: - **Biomaterials for human repair**: nerves, tissues, wounds (Sam Stupp, NU)

- **New nanomachines, robotics** - DNA architectures (Ned Seeman, Poly. Inst.)
- Designed molecules for **self-assembled porous walls** (Virgil Percec, U. PA)
- Self-assembly processing for **artificial cells** (Matt Tirrell, UCSB)
- Block co-polymers for **3-D structures on surfaces** (U. Mass, U. Wisconsin)
Need for nanomanufacturing in the U.S.

- Service work alone is not sufficient for a modern economy
- Nano - broad based technology to enhance or replace mature technologies in order to maintaining high paying jobs
- Better opportunities for nanomanufacturing in US when:
  - Need of advanced infrastructure and multidisciplinary teams
  - Highly automated processes
  - Linked to biotechnology, medicine and overall converging technologies
  - Adapting existing manufacturing infrastructure
  - Requiring an ecology of innovation
  - Signs of an industrial policy (re: co-investment, partners, tax)
Sustainable Nanomanufacturing
Nanoelectronics for 2020 and Beyond
Nanotechnology for Solar Energy
Nanotechnology Knowledge Infrastructure
Nanotechnology for Sensors
NNI “signature initiatives” with nanomanufacturing components in FY 2012

Sustainable Nanomanufacturing

$ 84M  (NSF $35.4M; DOE $35.3M; NIST $7.4M; NASA $5M; USDA/FS $0.9M)

Nanoelectronics for 2020 and Beyond

$ 98.5M  (NSF $50M, DOE $33.8M; NIST $11.7M; NASA $3M)

Nanotechnology for Solar Energy

$ 125.7M  (DOE $79.2M; NSF $32M; NIST $11.5M; NASA $2M; USDA/NIFA $1M)

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FY 2012 at NSF

Three system oriented nano centers

Nanosystems Engineering Research Centers

for 5 + 5 years (~ $4M / year per center)

Three awards in 2012 $55.5M for 5 years

Address major topics from discovery to innovation
NSF is a contributor to Advanced Manufacturing

- Cyber-Enabled Materials, Manufacturing, and Smart-Systems (CEMMSS)

$110 M for CEMMSS In 2012

Credit: Zina Deretsky, National Science Foundation
Defining Convergence

Convergence is the process / approach to achieve reciprocal compatibility & synergism of different disciplines, technologies and communities by integrated application of knowledge at all length (e.g. starting from atom, gene, and neuron scale), time, complexity and societal levels, for common goals.

Levels of convergence

Nanotechnology – integrate knowledge of material world
NBIC – integrate foundational emerging tools (nano-bio-IT-cogno)
NBIC2 – integration of essential convergence platforms in knowledge, technology and society
NSF (2001-): Converging technologies (NBIC) - Examples of new transdisciplinary domains

• **Quantum information science** (IT; Nano and subatomic physics; System approach for dynamic/probabilistic processes, entanglement and measurement)

• **Eco-bio-complexity** (Bio; Nano; System approach for understanding how macroscopic ecological patterns and processes are maintained based on molecular mechanisms, evolutionary mechanisms; interface between ecology and economics; epidemiological dynamics)

• **Neuromorphic engineering** (Nano, Bio, IT, neurosc.)

• **Cyber-physical systems** (IT, NT, BIO, others)

• **Synthetic & system biology** (Bio, Nano, IT, neuroscience)

• **Cognitive enhancers** (Bio, Nano, neuroscience)
Converging Technologies for Societal Benefit

Workshop June 2012, Report presentation: Dec 2012 (NSF)

Foundational Tools - NBIC

Cognition & communication

Societal collective outcomes: Manu

Human health & Physical potential

Cognition & communication

Societal collective outcomes: Manu

Prepare people & infrastructure

System approach & synergism

Earth scale

Human scale & quality of life

Innovative & responsible governance

Sustainable development

Convergence implementation

Convergence outcomes domains

Convergence platforms

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Convergence of knowledge and technology – several implications

• Shift manufacturing capabilities from the hands of few to the hands of the many contributors with many skills - that may increase innovation

• Distributed, multi-approach manufacturing - that may alter how knowledge is being created

• Multi-functional NBIC nanomanufacturing, with bio-systems, robotic and design by simulation dimensions - that may increase efficiency and added-value