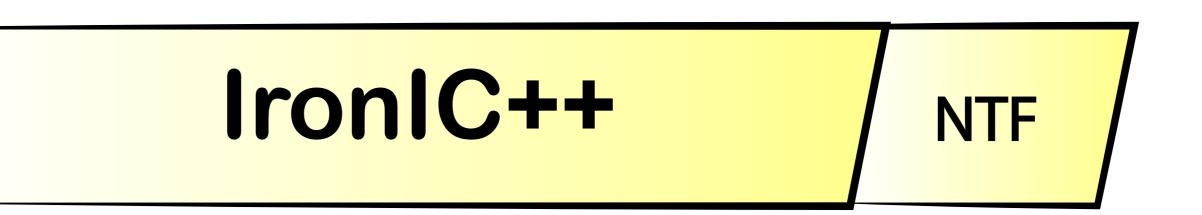


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## **Selective Carbon Nanomaterial Growth on Multipanel Electrochemical Sensors for Emergency Units**

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**Multi-walled** 

carbon nanotubes



1. Motivation

Integrated Systems Laboratory

2. Scope

Graphitic

nanopetals

- \* Management of critically ill patients requires frequent measurements of many analytes
- \* Historical tests remote from the patient
- \* Urgent "real-time" diagnostic information
- Selective nanocarbon growths
  - \* compatible with CMOS processes
  - \* improve sensitivity and detection limit
  - \* as "good platform" to immobilize bioprobes

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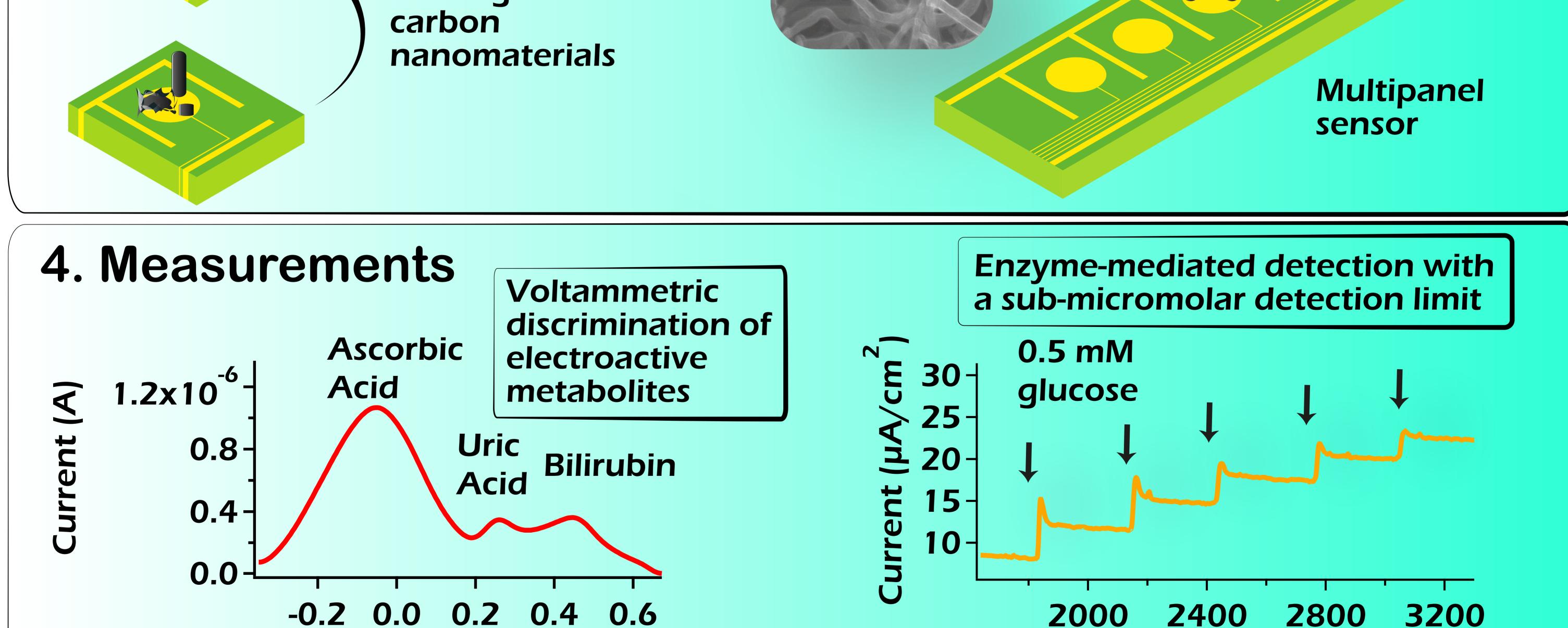
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\* for sensing avoiding interferences

## 3. Nanofabrication

- Microfabricated electrodes
  - Electrodeposition of Fe<sub>2</sub>Co as catalyst

**CCVD** growth of



**Publications** 

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## 5. Conclusions

- \* selective and direct synthesis of a wide range of carbon nanomaterials down to **CMOS compatible temperatures**
- \* simultaneus sensing of different electroactive metabolites
- \* excellent enzyme-mediated sensing

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