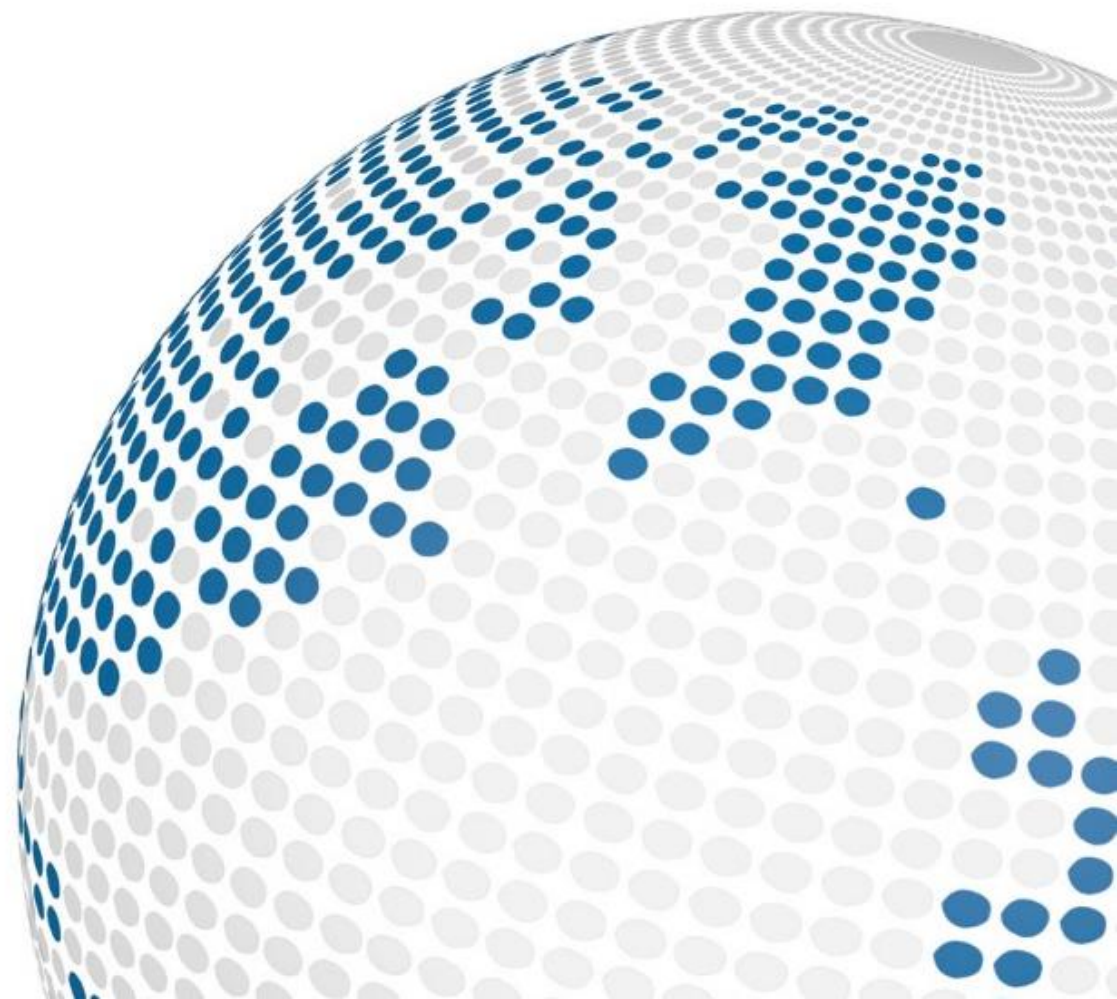


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# ams at-a-glance

## ams standalone



High performance sensor solutions for leading OEMs, focused on sensor-rich markets

### Key figures

**2.086**

bn USD  
revenues 2019

**32%**

Revenue growth  
year-on-year

**8,000**

Customers

**9,000**

Employees

**1,100**

Engineers

**>3,000**

Patents granted  
and applied

### Our markets

#### Consumer



#### Medical, Automotive, Industrial



# Medical Imaging

**Embedded in the ams core strategy, focused and accelerated, leveraging ams synergies**

Consumer



Automotive, Industrial, Medical



## **Medical Imaging part of the ams core strategy**

Being uncontested leader in optical solutions and contributing in all major markets.

Market and technology leadership in CT and X-Ray is a core pillar of the ams medical imaging strategy.

<https://ams.com/medical-imaging>

## **Mass market production capacity applied for special requirements**

High volume manufacturing is adapted to special requirements of medical imaging, enabling cost-effective, high quality, leading edge performance and secure sourcing.

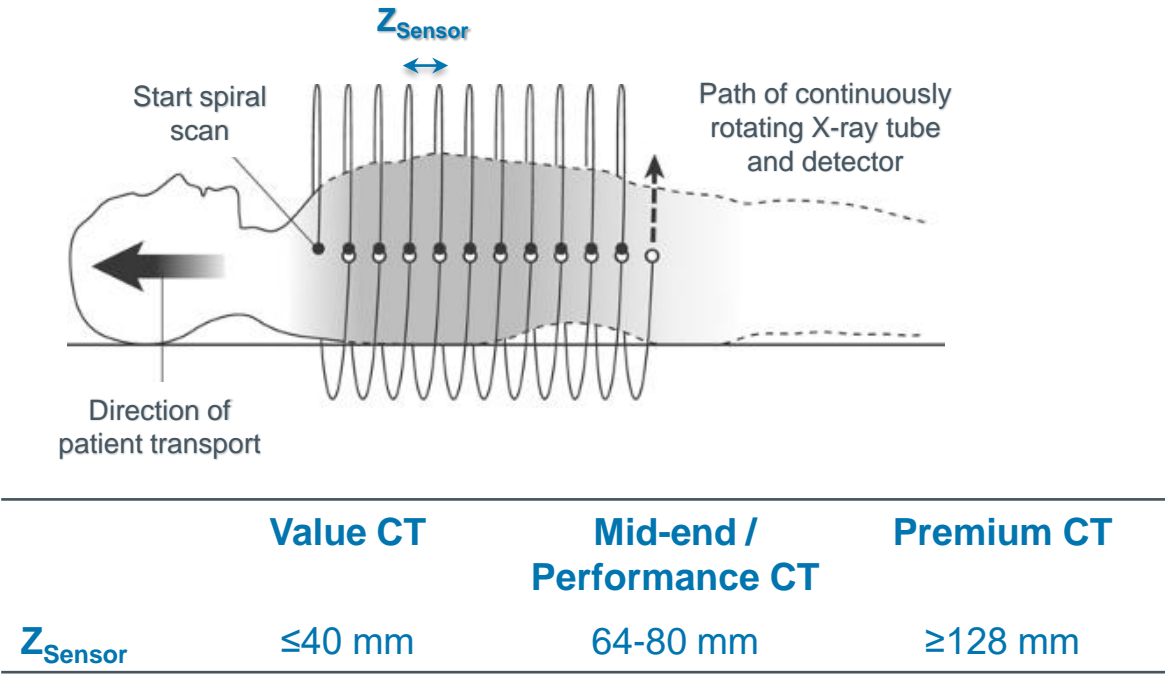
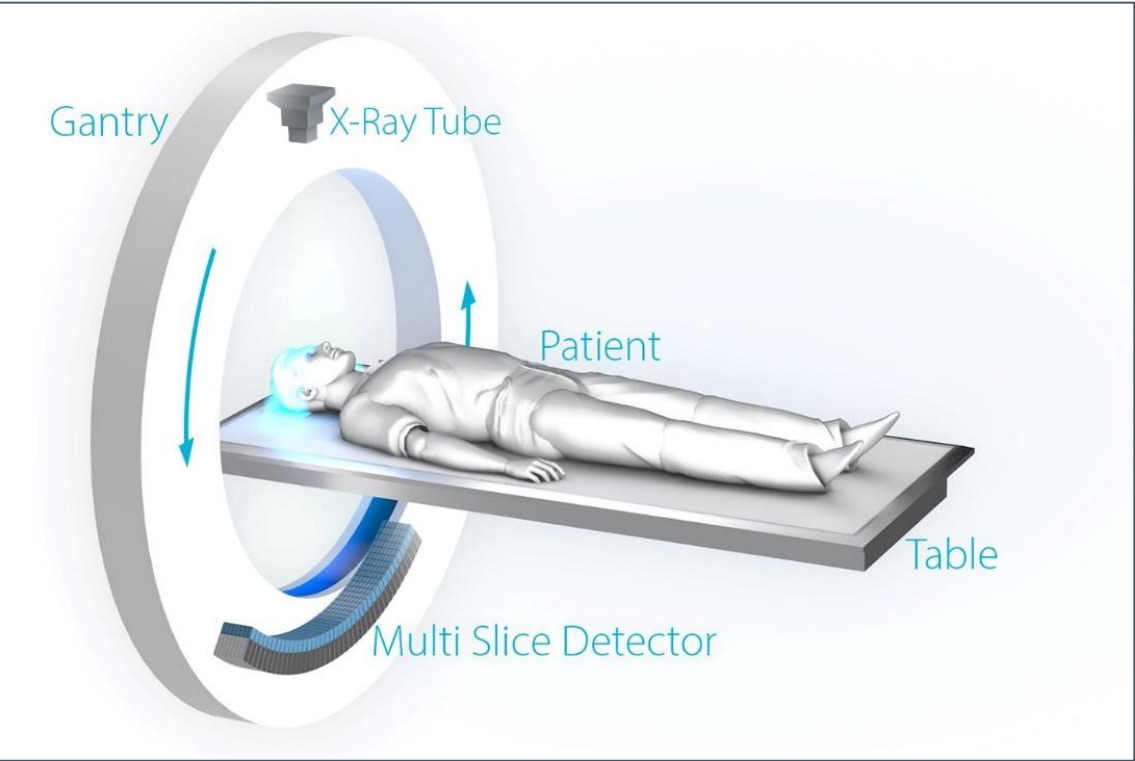
## **Focus on CT and X-Ray through a dedicated business line**

Since more than 20 years ams R&D develops CT and X-Ray solutions. MSS, a dedicated medical imaging business line, drives long term innovation from base technology to system architecture.

# Introduction to Medical Imaging

## Computed Tomography

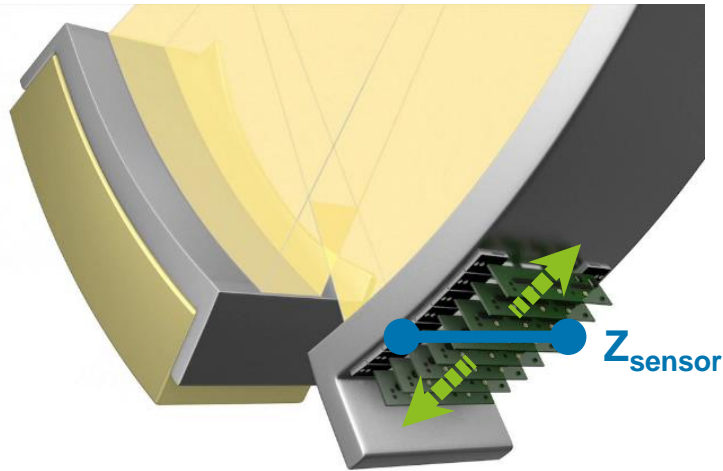
Both the source and the detector rotate around the patient's body, resulting in a “slice” image generated by computerized tomography (CT) which can be reconstructed into a 3D image





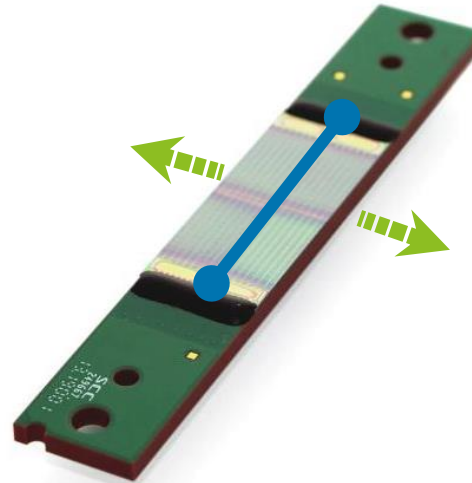
# Medical Computed Tomography

## CT Detector



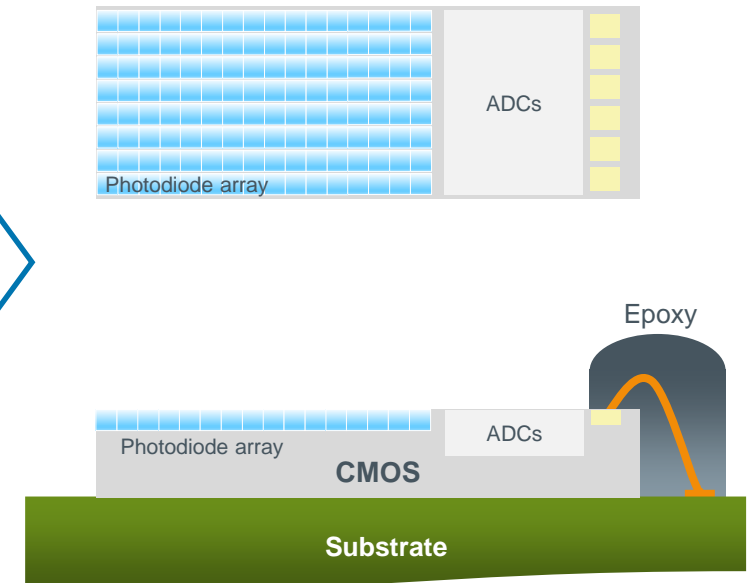
The **CT detector** is around 100cm long and between 8mm and 320mm wide ( $Z_{\text{sensor}}$ )

## CT Modules



Several **CT modules** are equipped side-by-side on one detector over the entire length of 100cm

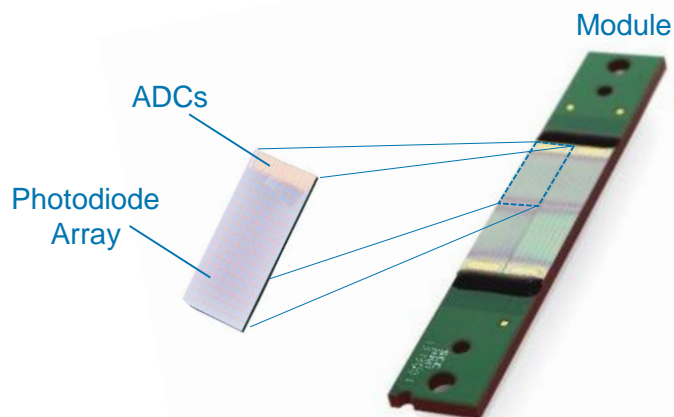
## CT Sensors



Several **CT sensors** (typically 4 to 12 pcs) are assembled on one module. X-ray is converted into light, that is acquired by the photodiodes of the CT sensors and converted into digital words by the ADC.

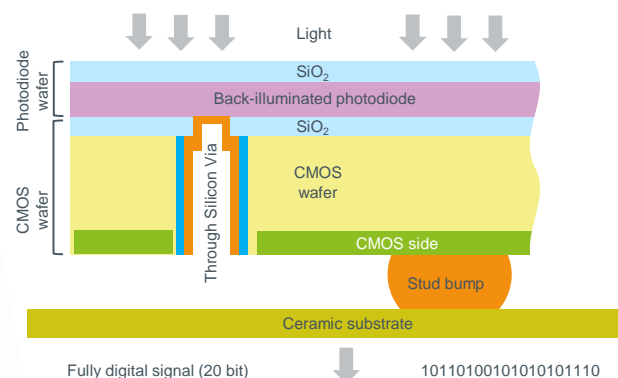
# Conventional CT Sensor Solutions

## Value CT



- Monolithic integration of photodiodes and ADC in one die
- Allows 3-side buttable solution
- Optimizes module BOM by eliminates complexity of connection between photodiode array and ADC and simplifies connection to PCB.
- Optimum for 16 to 64-Slice CT solutions

## Premium CT



- Photodiode and ADC 3D stacking based on Though Silicon Via technology
- Allows 4-side buttable solution
- Optimizes connection between photodiode and ADC
- Optimizes noise vs power trade-off
- No limitation in slice count

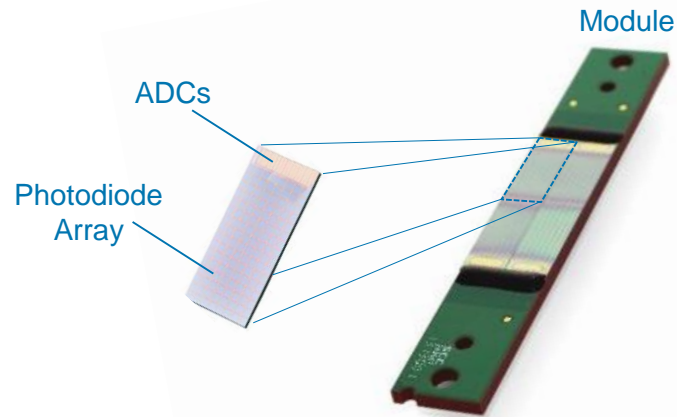
## Discrete modules



- ADCs with different channel count options
- Available in BGA including passives
- Allows for flexible module design

# Conventional CT Sensor Solutions

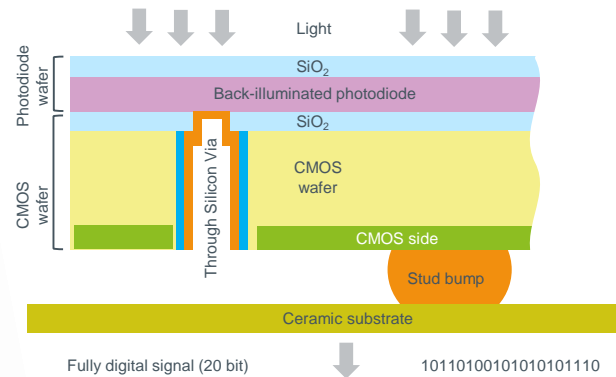
## Value CT



### AS5950

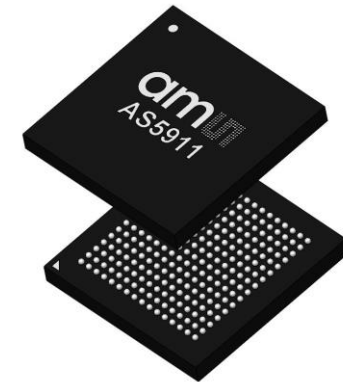
16 Slice CT Sensor with pixel array of 8x8

## Premium CT



### Customized Solutions

## Discrete modules



### AS5900

CT Front end standalone ADC with 128ch

# Value CT Sensor Solutions

## AS5950 Key Technical Specifications

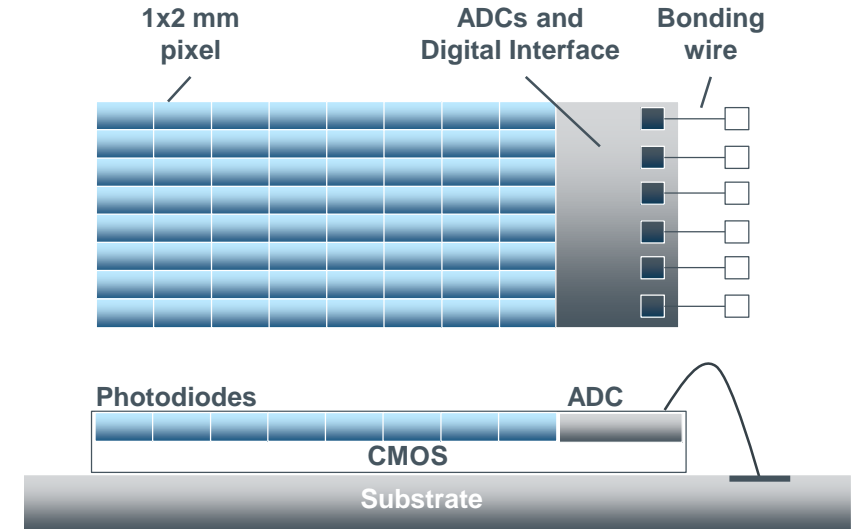


### Benefits

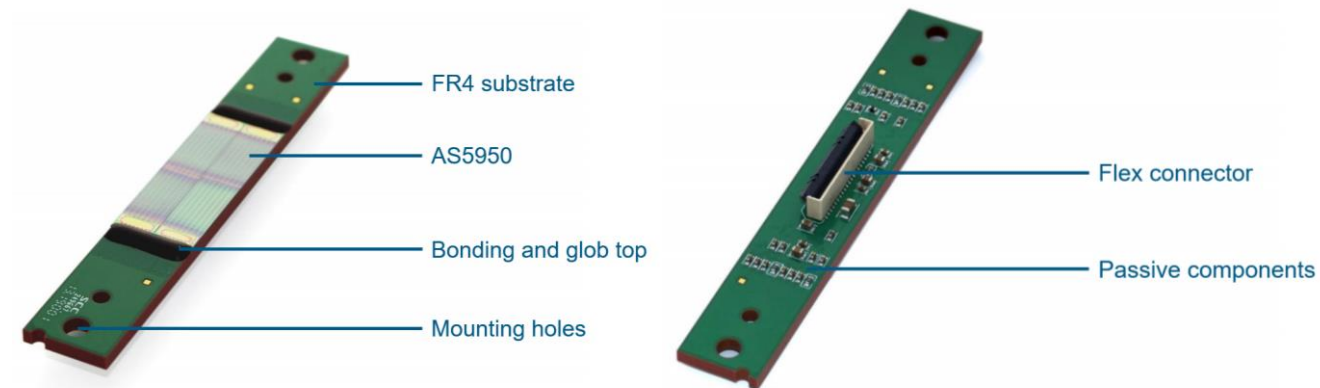
- Ultra-low overall input related noise down to **max. 0.28fC including photodiode** for **input current of 200nA and 200μs**
- **Maximum input current of 600nA**
- Fast integration time down to **200μs**
- High ADC linearity of **±250ppm of reading** and **±2ppm of Full Scale Range**
- Low power dissipation down to **0.8mW per channel**
- **Binning mode: pixel dimensions 1.0 x 2.0 mm<sup>2</sup>**
  - Binning mode: Pixel dimensions customization: (0.9-3.0) x (0.6 – 3.6)
- **Non binning mode: 1.0 x 1.0 mm<sup>2</sup>**
  - Not binning mode: Pixel dimensions customization: (0.9-3.0) x (0.3 – 1.8)

### Features

- Highly sensitive photodiode and readout circuit **in one integrated sensor**
- Adaptive array enables selection of **total sensor dimension of 16mm or 32mm**
- **Adjustable** active sensor area, pixel resolution, full scale range and integration time
- Standard pixel dimension of 0.98x0.98mm. **Customized pixel dimension** and assembly of entire detector module on request.
- **Reference design in 2x2 module available to order**



### Module Reference Design







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