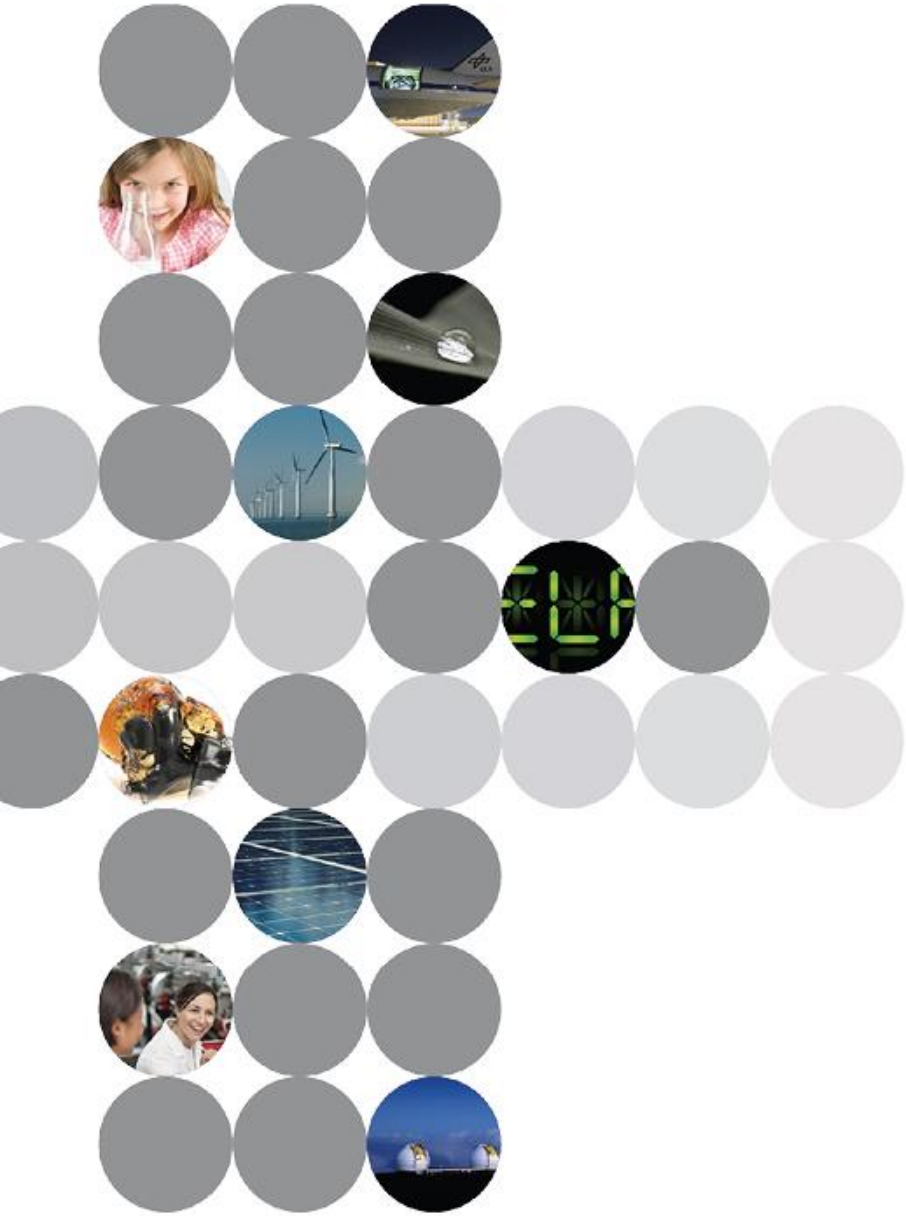

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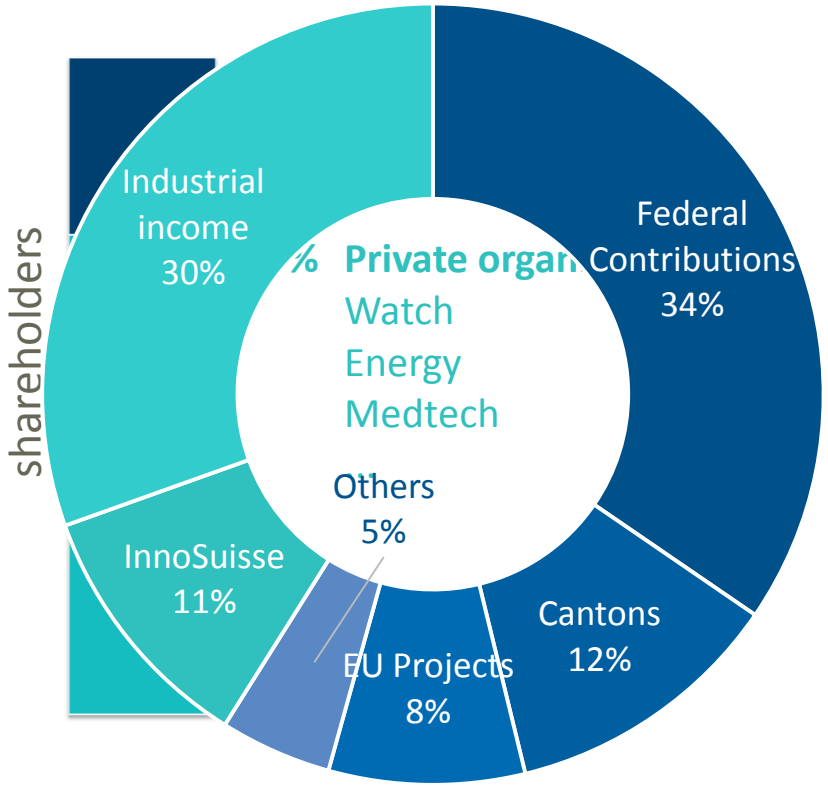
CSEM at a glance

- Incorporated, not-for-profit ***Research and Technology Organization (RTO)***, supported by the Swiss Government

- **A public-private partnership**
  - 27 % public
  - 73 % private

- **Key figures (2017)**
  - Revenues ~ CHF 83 mio
  - Employees ~ 440



Disruptive developments – a story of “firsts”

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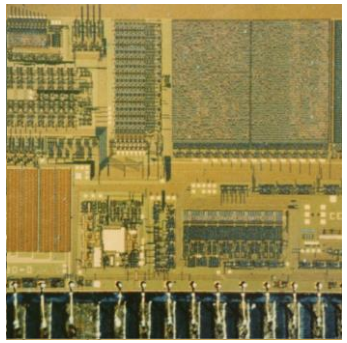

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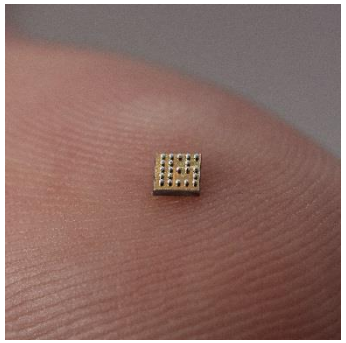
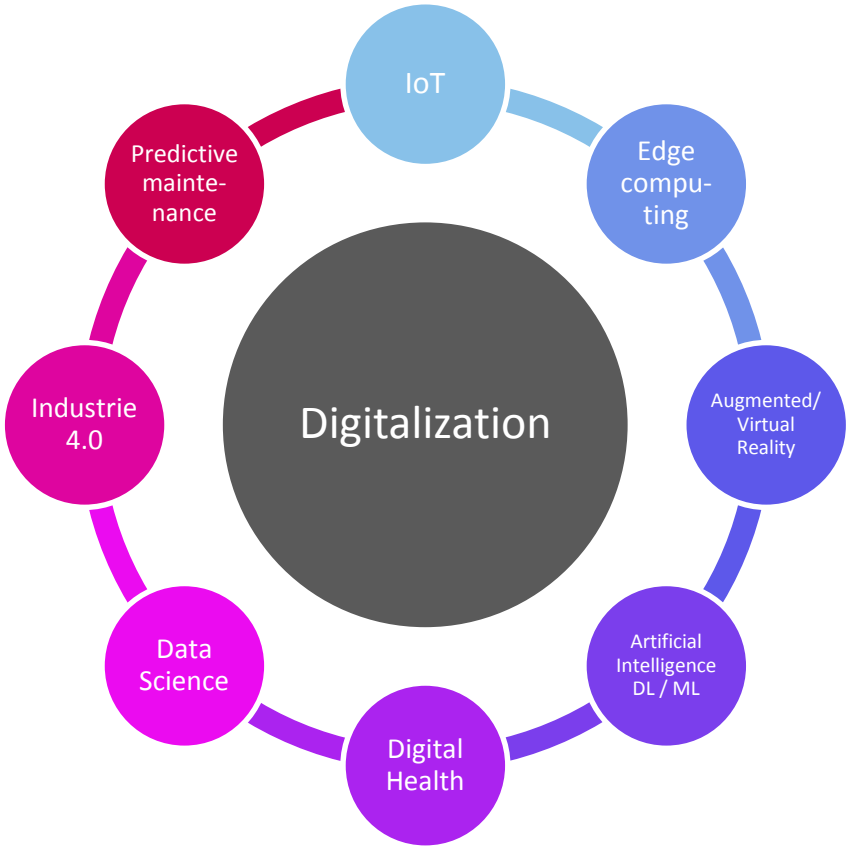
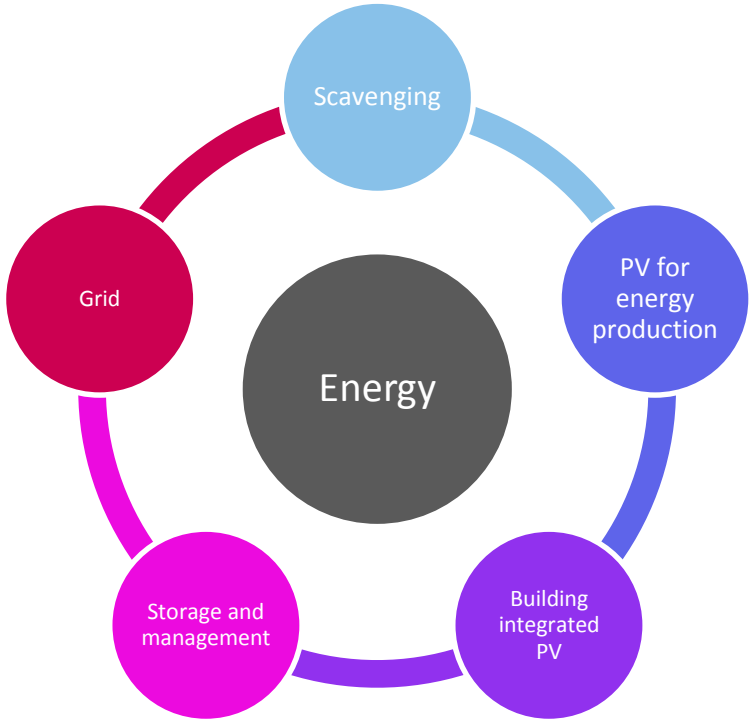


Three priorities





Recent national & international recognition

2016 Swiss
Environmental Prize

UMWELTPREIS SCHWEIZ
PRIX SUISSE ENVIRONNEMENT

2016 CCIFS
Innovation Trophy

CSEM ONERA
Prix Innovation
27e Trophées CCIFS

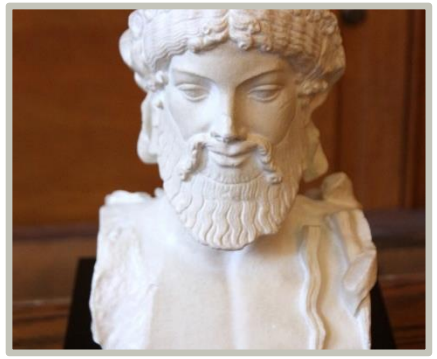
2016 Becquerel Prize
Christophe Ballif

Recent national & international recognition

2017 Hermes Awards for Innovation

CLUB DE PARIS DES DIRECTEURS DE L'INNOVATION

EUROPEAN INSTITUTE FOR CREATIVE STRATEGIES & INNOVATION



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What makes CSEM different

- We are 100% **focused** on Technological Research and Transfer, with a unique mission to boost innovation**.**
- We are the bearer of the Swiss **specialization** in Micro-Engineering (Swissness).
- Our public funds are used to develop **outstanding and mature technology-platforms**.
- *We display a big expertise in integration including packaging.*
- Research and Transfer activities are done by **seasoned "bilingual" experts**, with high academic education and some years of experience in industry.
- Confidentiality, Agility, flexibility and reaction capacity to Industry expectations (months time-scale versus years for academy).
- Industrial and SMEs network.
- We are only driven by our **impact on the economy** and society**.** No academic constraints (need to publish, high turnover ratio, verticalization).

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