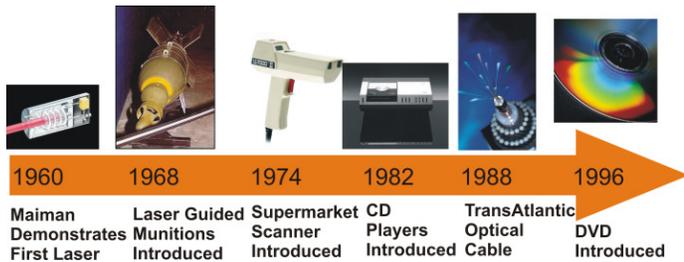


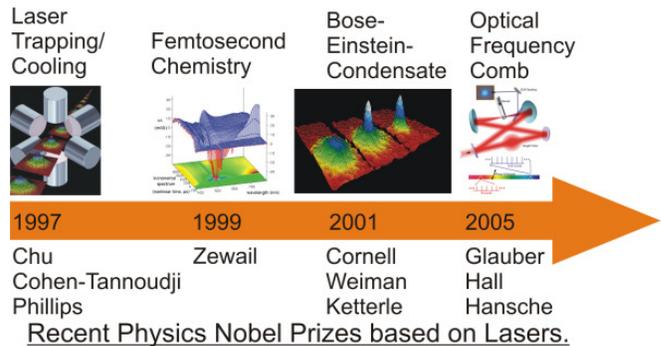
Laser Development



The original 'Solution looking for a problem', invention of the laser in 1960, funded by the Department of Defense, has fundamentally changed society and remade the economy.

Laser technology was quickly adapted to nearly every sector soon after its invention.

While lasers permeate our everyday lives, scientists continue to use them to probe the edges of scientific understanding; potentially discovering the next 'Solution looking for a problem.'



Economic Growth

In the fifty years since the laser's invention, it has become a critical technology that enables major sectors of the US economy.

Laser devices are the core technology in many industries including transportation, healthcare, telecommunications, information technology, and micro-electronics.

