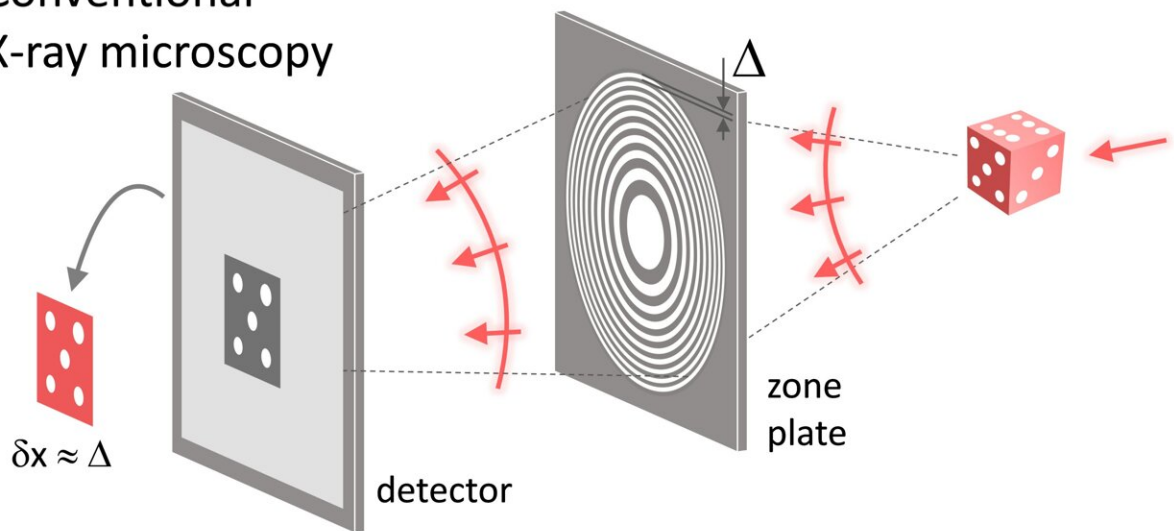


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Conventional X-ray microscopy



Proposed method

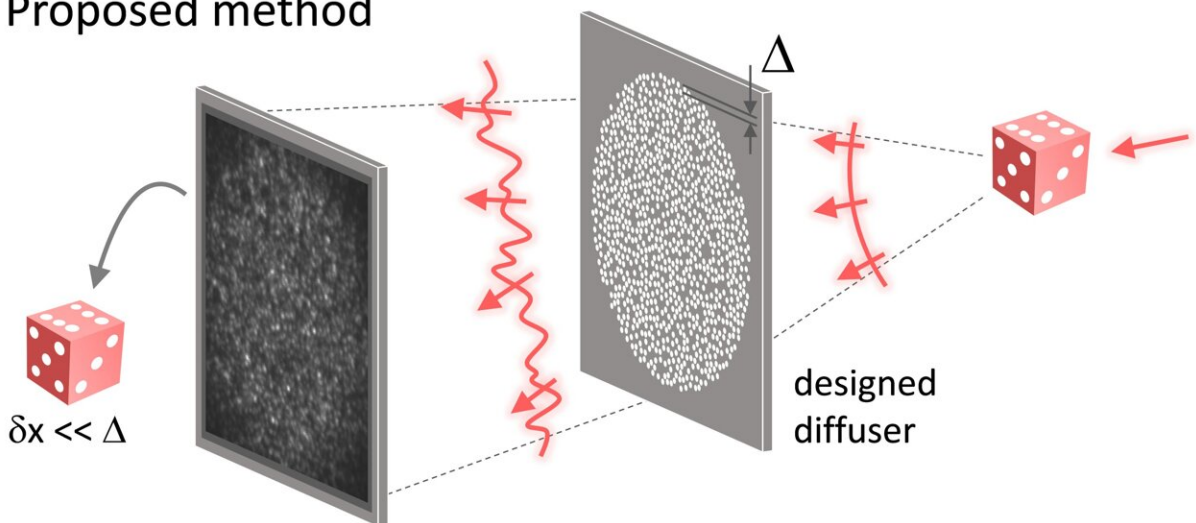


Fig. 1. Designed diffuser as X-ray imaging lens. a, Schematic of full-field transmission X-ray microscopy. The attenuation (amplitude) map of a sample is measured. The image resolution ( $\Delta x$ ) is limited by the outermost zone width of the zone plate ( $D$ ). b, Schematic of the proposed method. A designed diffuser is used instead of a zone plate. The image resolution is finer than the hole size of the diffuser ( $\Delta x$

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