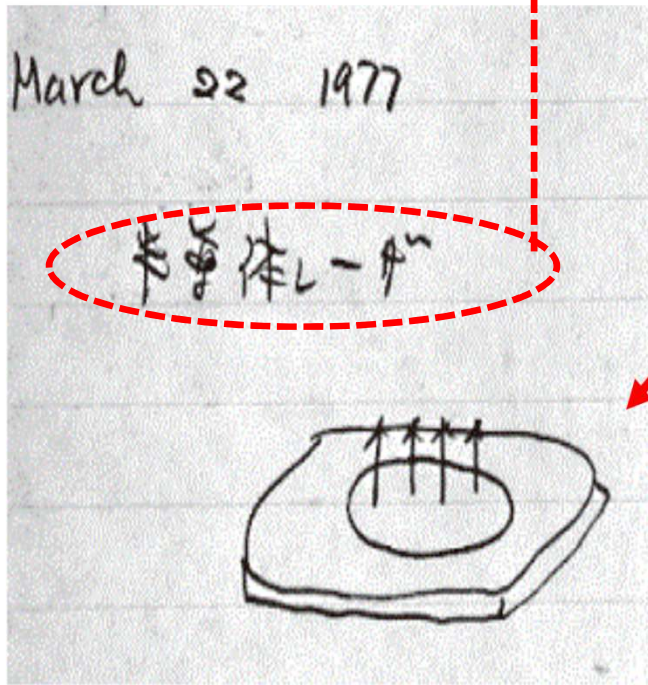
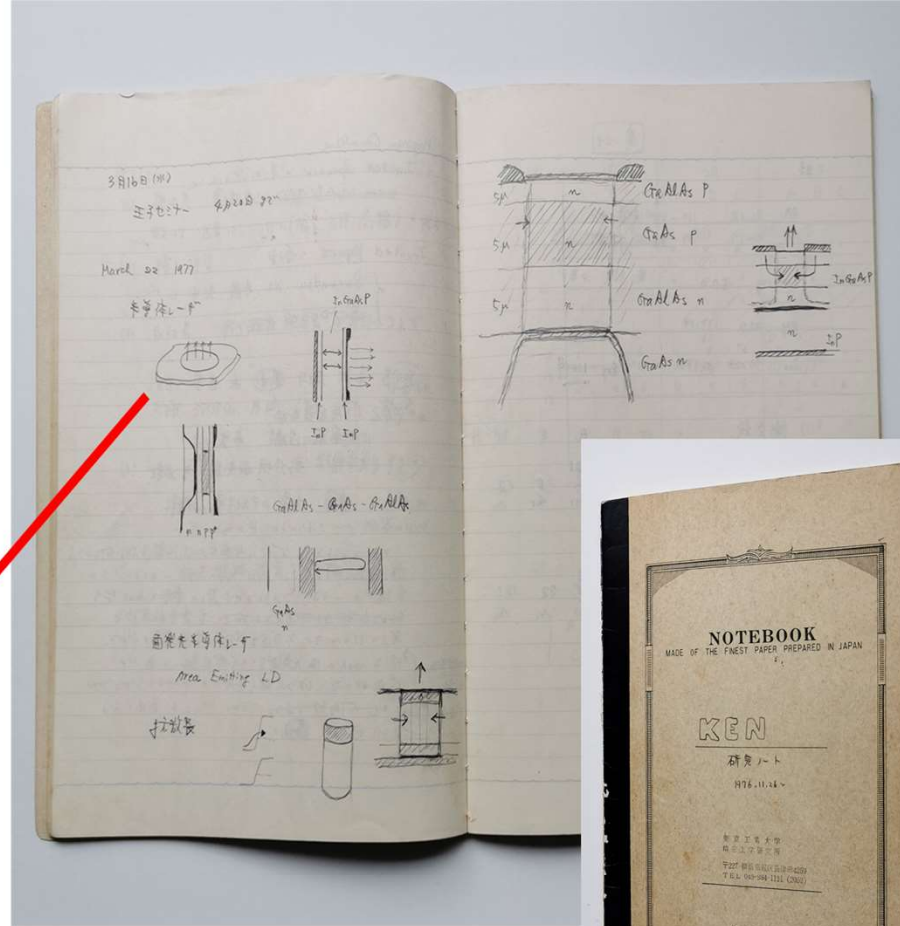


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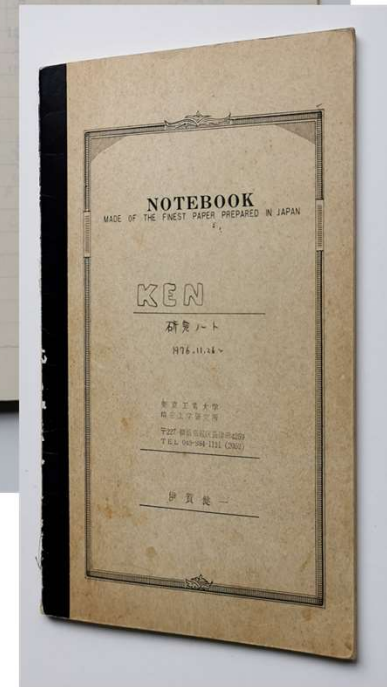
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(a) An image of vertical emission



(b) Laboratory note (inside)



(c) Laboratory note (cover page)

Fig. 1. The initial idea of surface-emitting lasers sketched by K. Iga in a page of research note dated on March 22, 1977 [A1]. The light output comes from the surface.