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1978 2nd prize at the *Philips European Contest for Young Scientists and Inventors*
1988 *Viktor Hess prize* (Austrian Physical Society)
1992 *Excellence in Research and Development award*:
Oak Ridge National Laboratory
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