

Figure 1

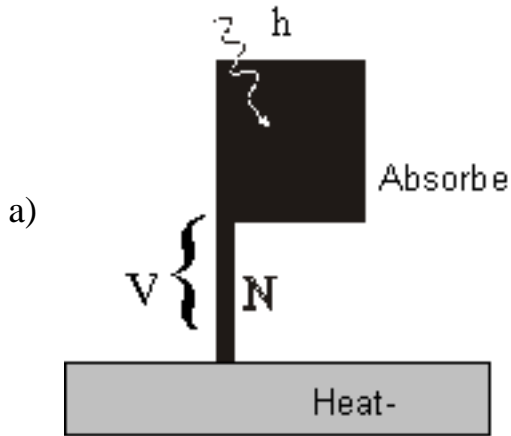


Fig. 1-a) Absorption of the photon by a normal-metal film elevates its electronic temperature and creates a voltage V measurable between the absorber and heat-sink.

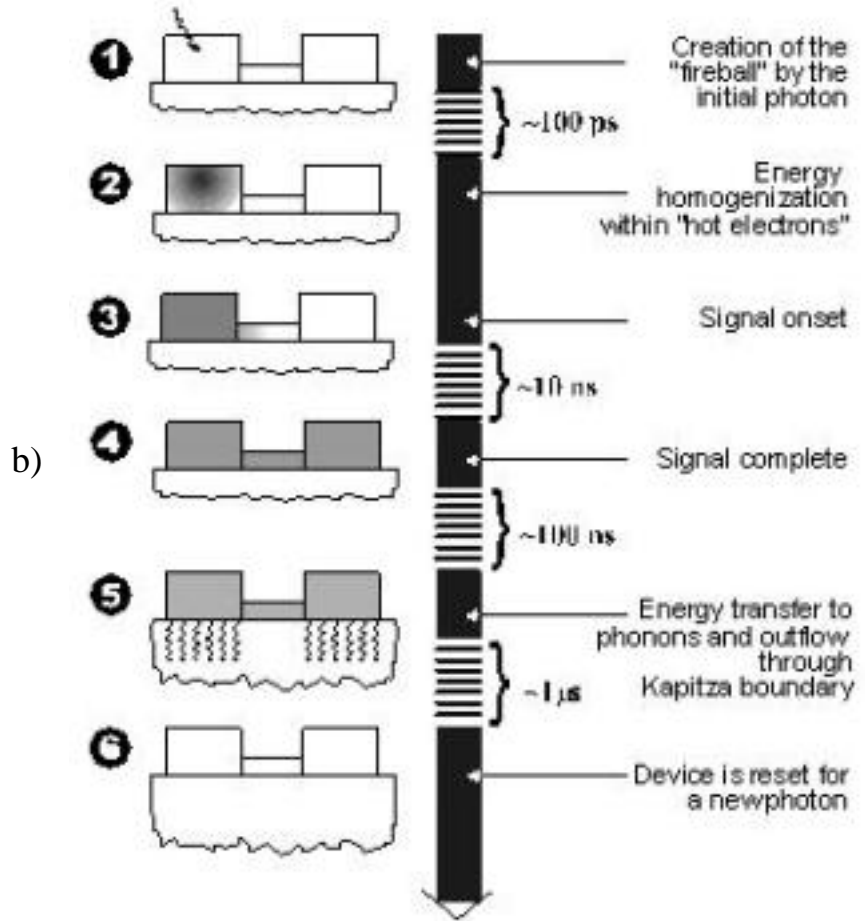


Fig. 1-b) Operational sequence of thermoelectric detector.