

Organische Photovoltaik – Nanotechnologie auf dem Weg zu Anwendungen

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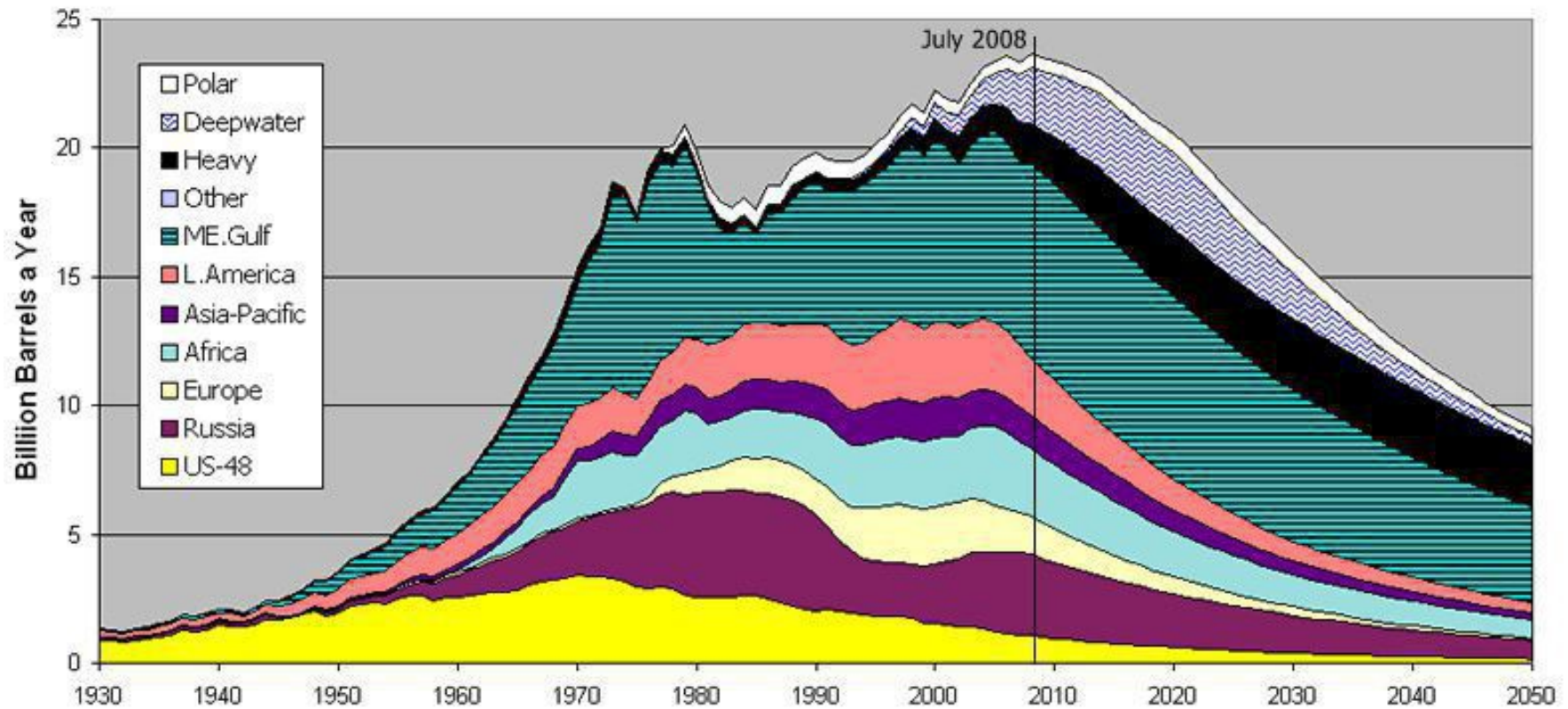


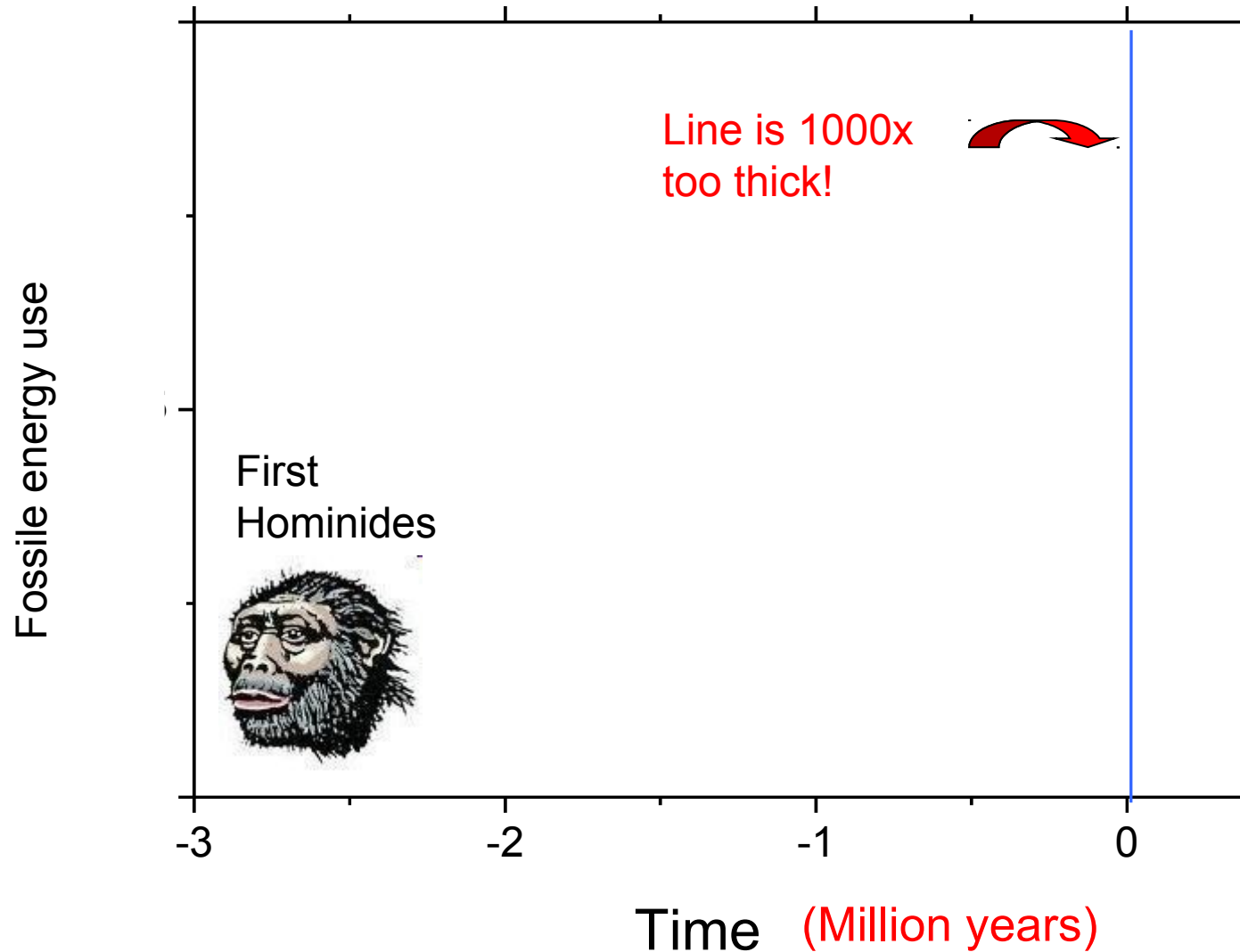
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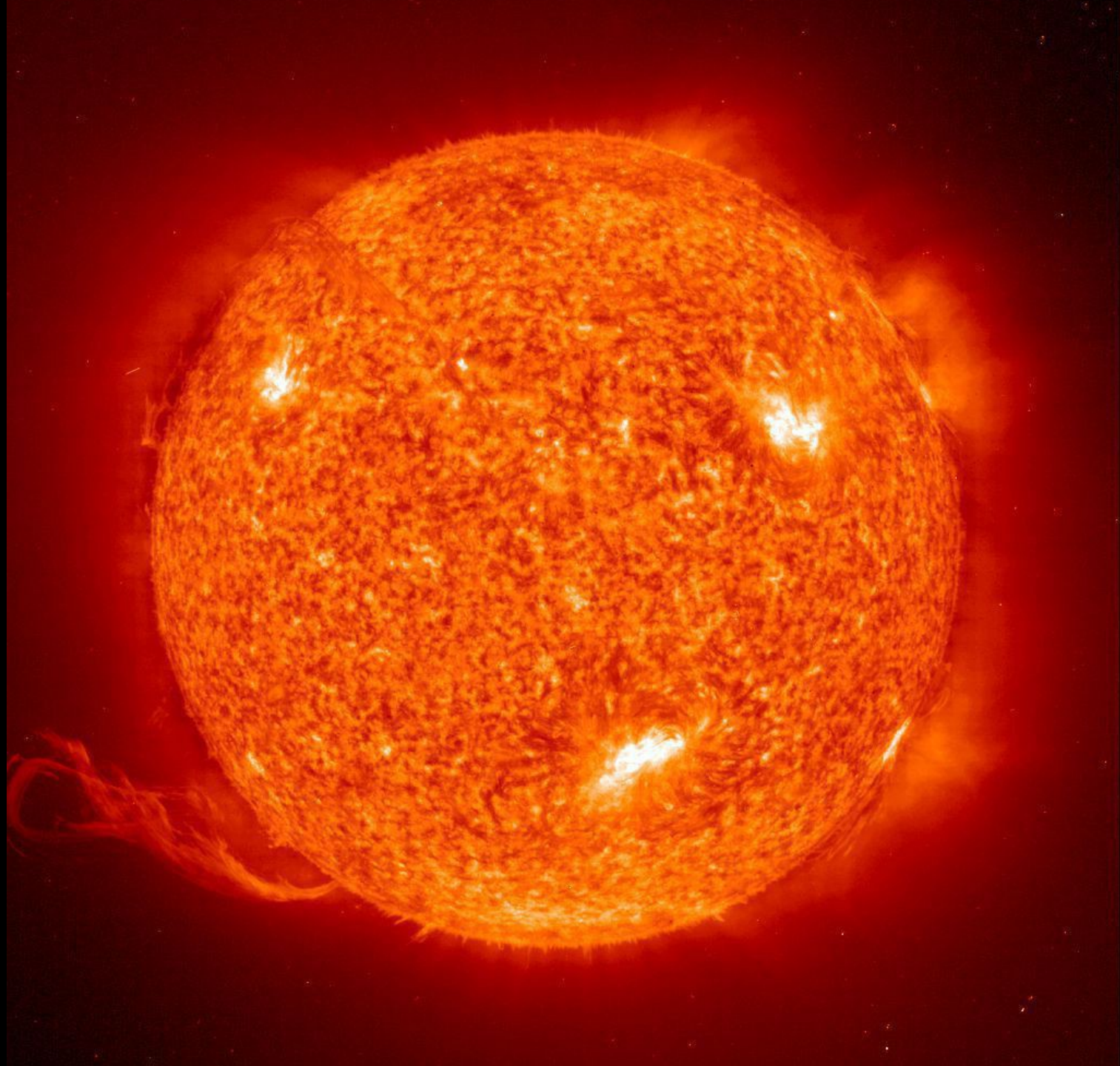
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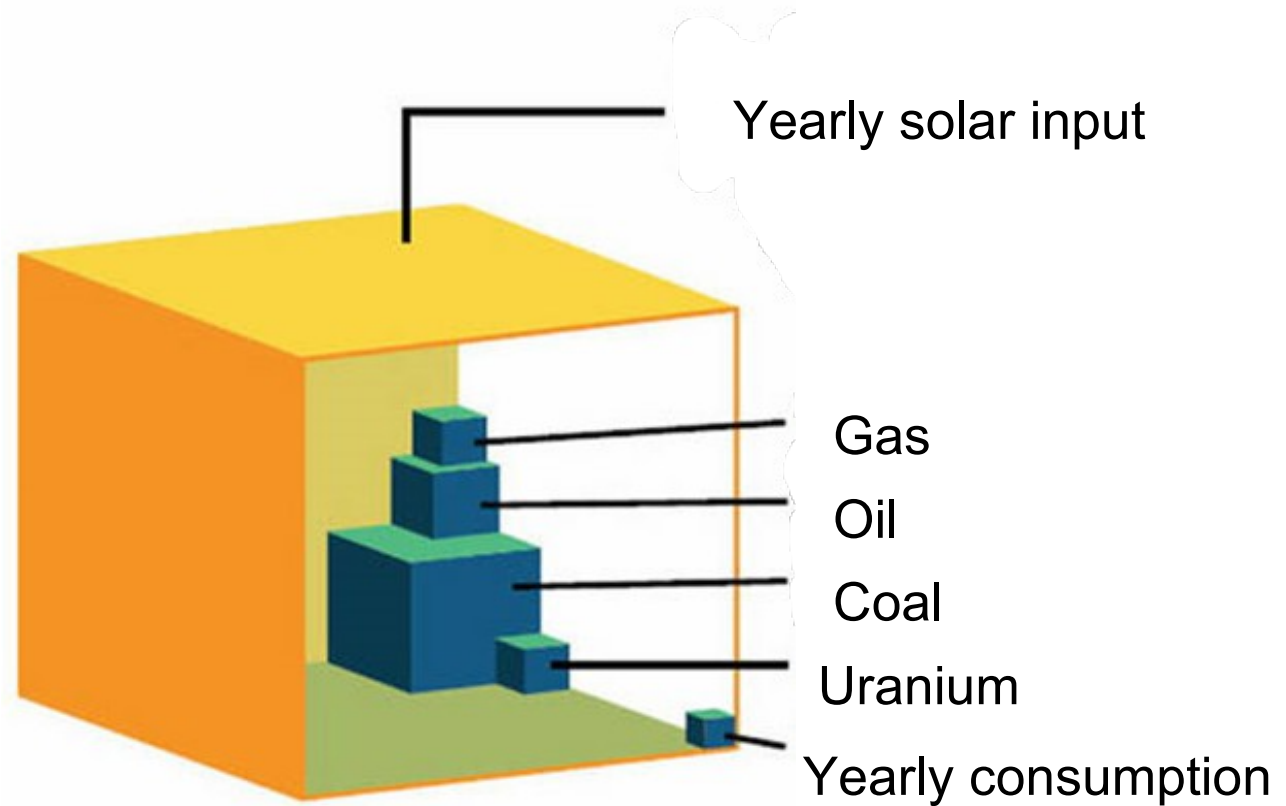


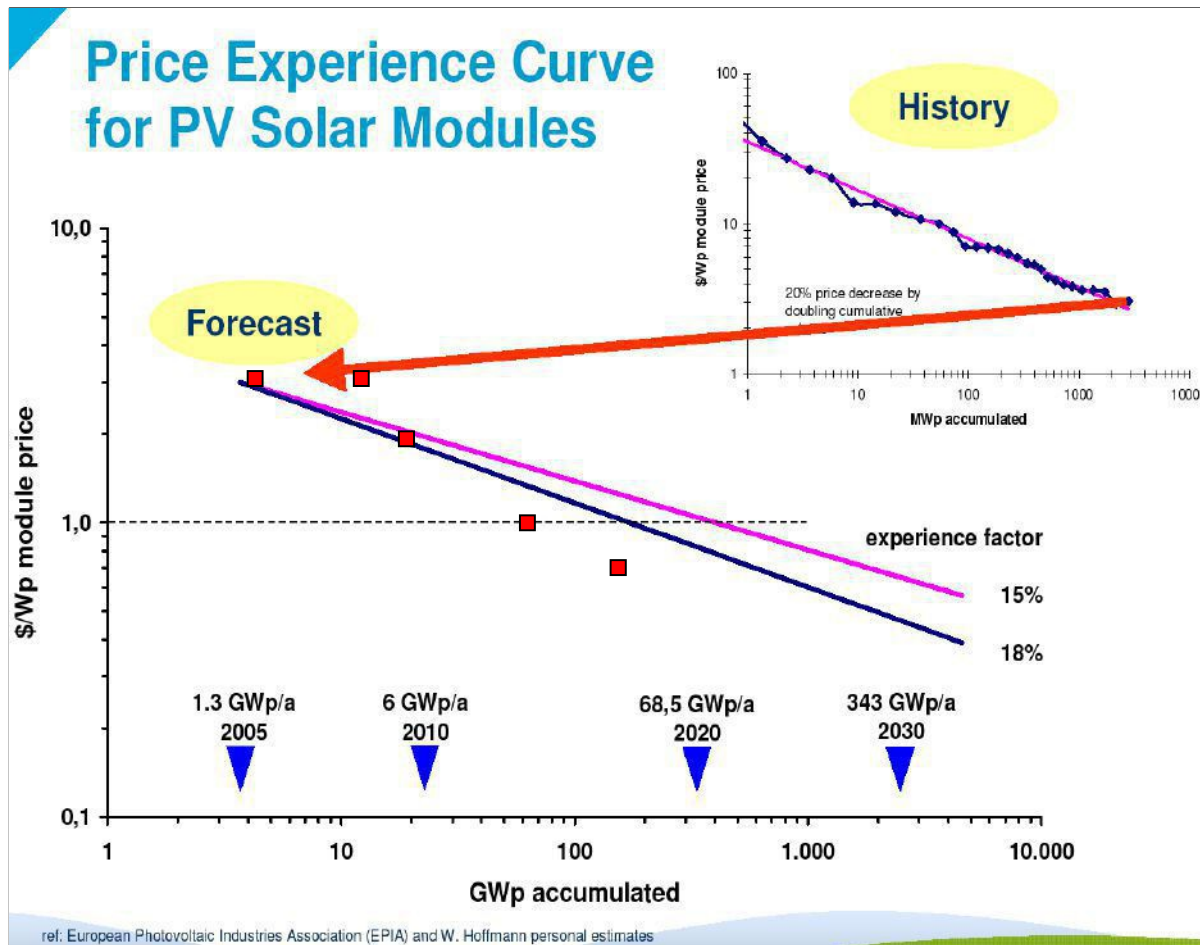
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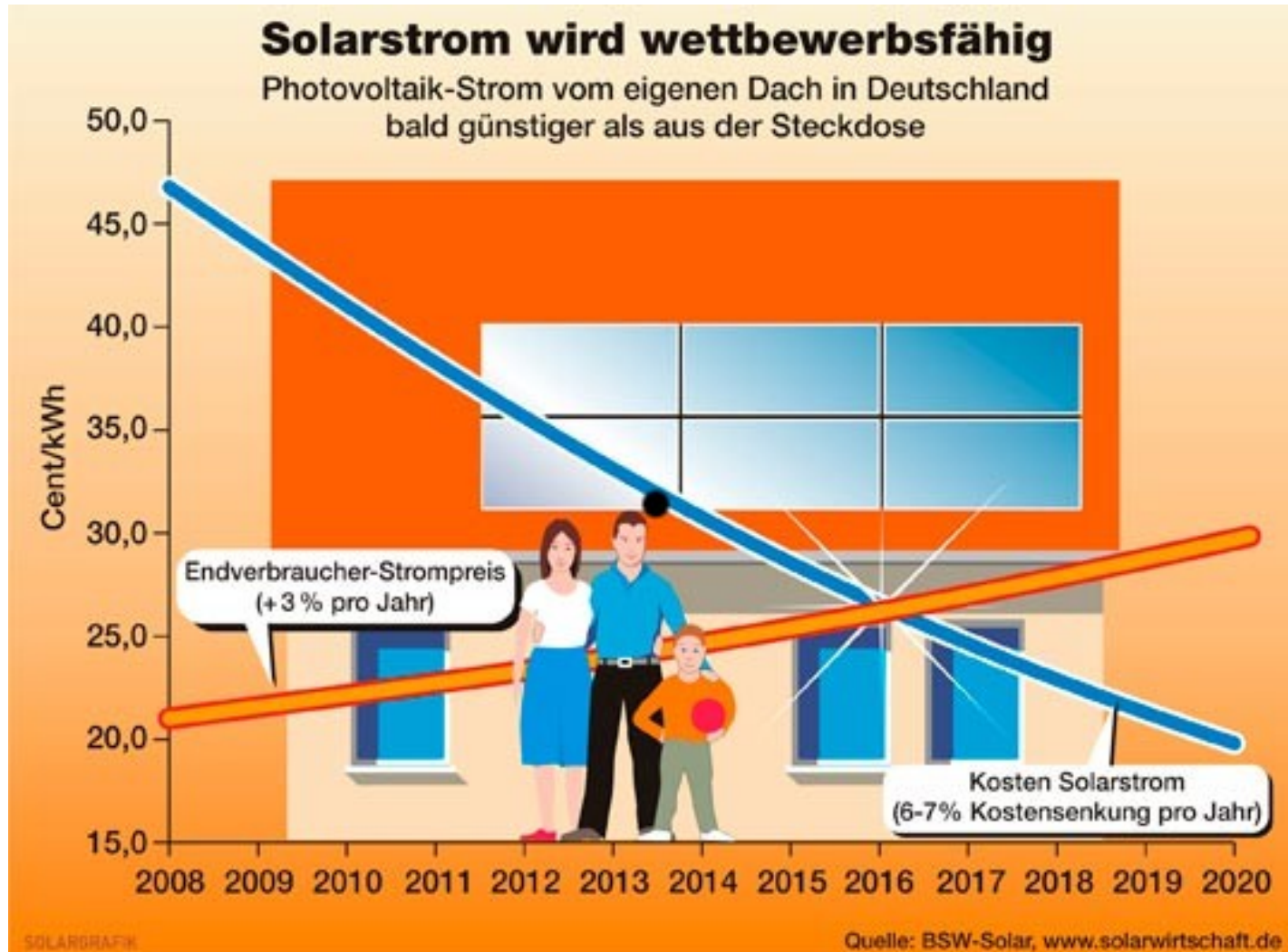








- 15-18% reduction of price per doubling
- Fluctuations due to subvention cycles
- Currently: sales below cost down to 50 Cent/Wp



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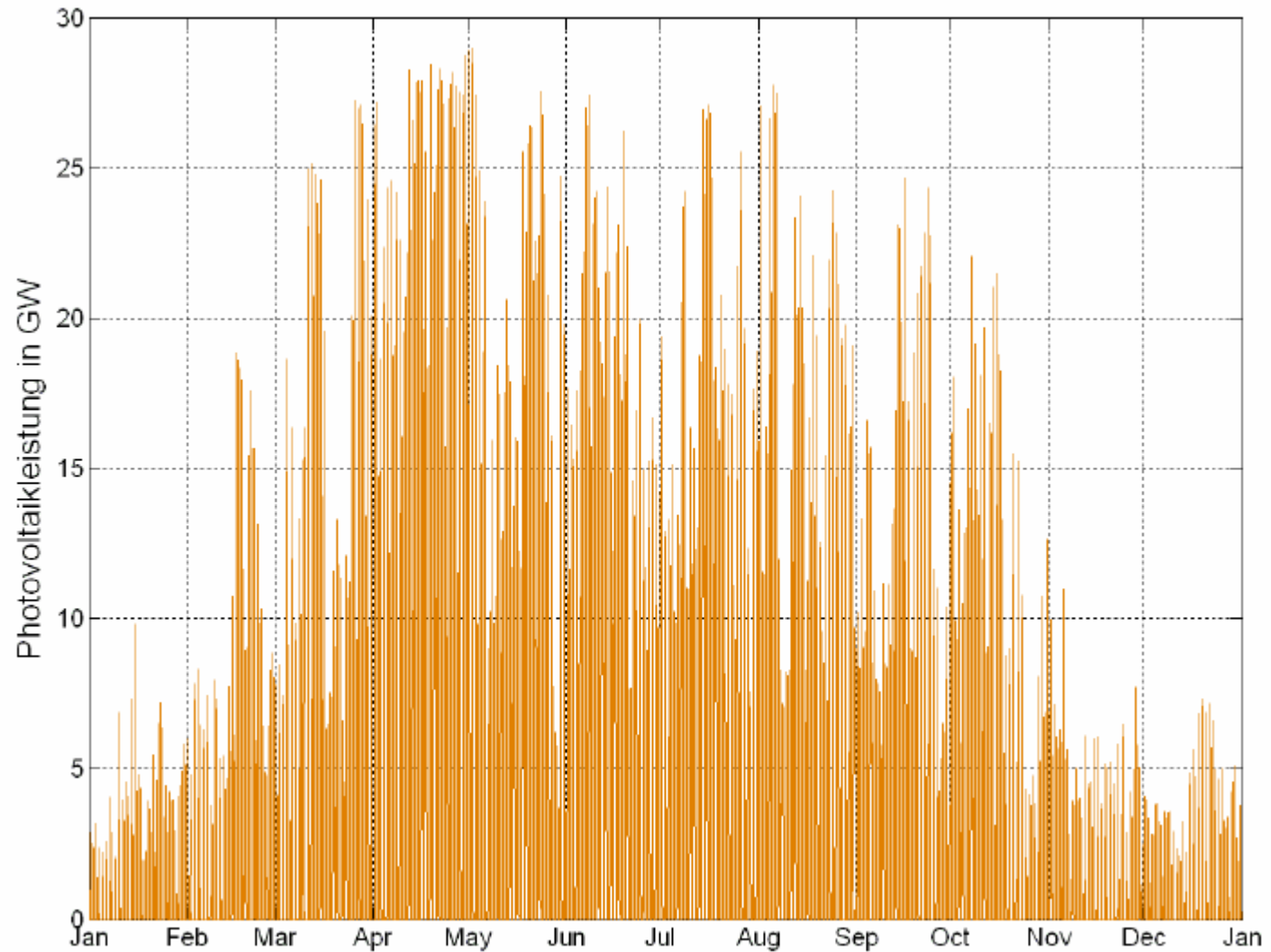
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Strompreis-Hammer!

Familie muss mit 50 Euro mehr im Jahr rechnen



Bulk Storage System Characteristics

Technology Option/ Characteristics	Zn / Halogen	Na-ion	Sodium Metal Halide	CAES Above Ground	NAS	Adv. Lead Acid	Zn/Br Redox	Vanadium Redox	Fe/Cr Redox	Zn/Air Redox
Unit Capacity MW	83	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
MWh	250	250	250	250	300	250	250	250	250	250
Ac-Ac Efficiency,% (heat rate)* Energy Ratio**	75-80	85-90	87 ----- 1.3MW	----- (4000) 1.0	75-80	85-90	60-65	75-78	70-75	70-75
Foot print Ft ² /kW	2.0	1.9 - 5.1	~0.6	1.6	2.0	1.9 - 5.1	0.9	2.0	4.44	1.3
Total Capital Costs (\$/kW) ¹	2021- 2470	2367- 2894	~2823- 3665	1762- 1958	2764- 3378	1753 - 4897	1506- 1841	3361- 4107	1,284- 1569	1285- 1570
Technical Maturity and readiness	R&D	R&D	Demo	Demo	Comm ercial	Commerc ial-Demo	Demo	Demo	R&D	R&D
LCOE - \$/MWh	447-547	338-413	374-553	260-278	321- 392	274-630	257-314	457-559	220-269	187-229

1. For Systems with just one supplier an adjusted Capital Cost range of +/- 10% is illustrated. For Systems with multiple suppliers their total cost range is illustrated.

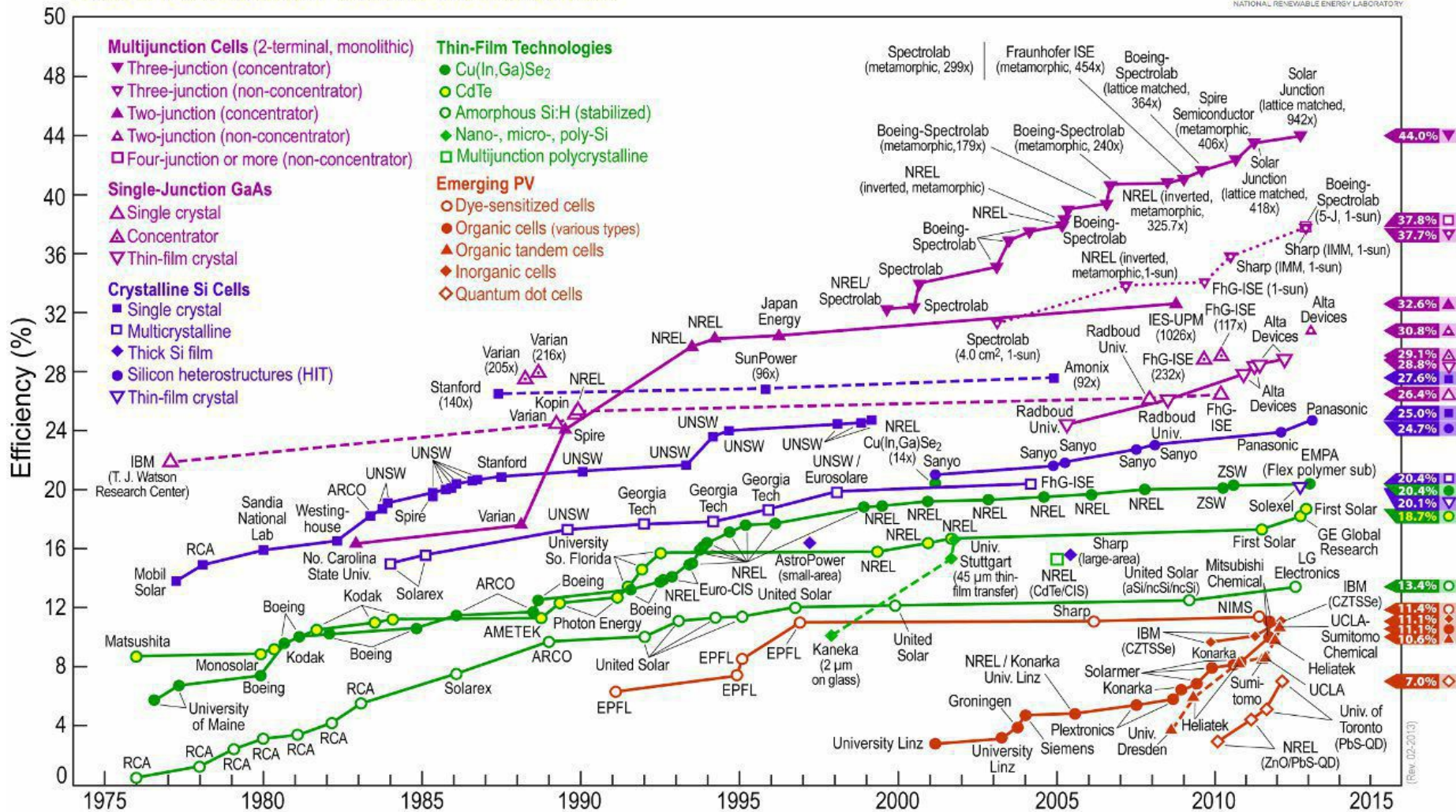
- Real challenge for PV:
- Not grid parity, but PV+storage=“battery parity“
- Requires PV generation below 10 Cent/kWh @ Germany
- Requires module prices ≈ 20 Cent / Wp



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Best Research-Cell Efficiencies





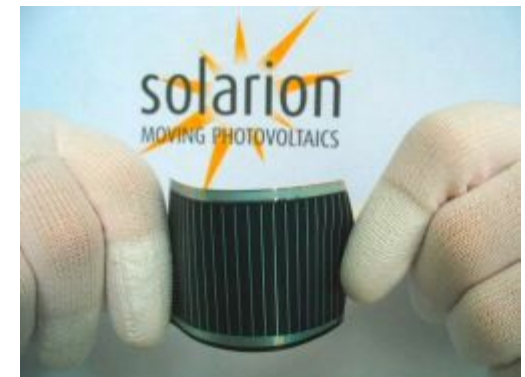
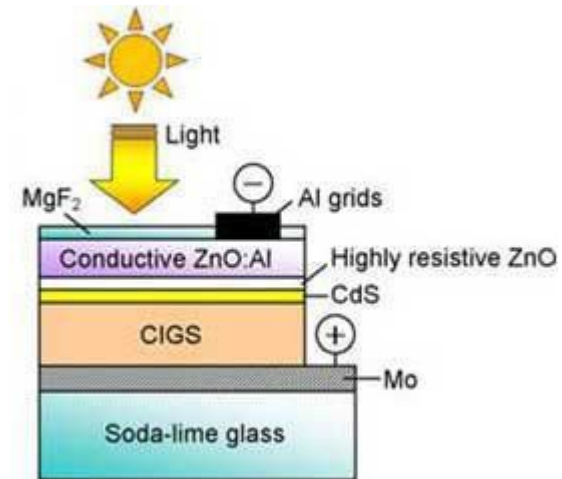
- Abundant material
- Huge synergies with microelectronics
- Efficiency:
 - ca. 25% lab
 - 15-20% module
- ca. 200g material/m²
- See talk 9:30
Hermle&Glunz

- Three important systems:

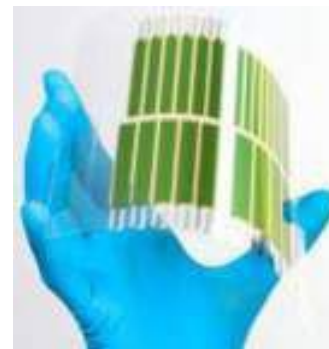
- Amorphous silicon
- CdTe
- CuInS/Se

- Problem with rare elements except for a-Si

- Approx. 10g material/m²

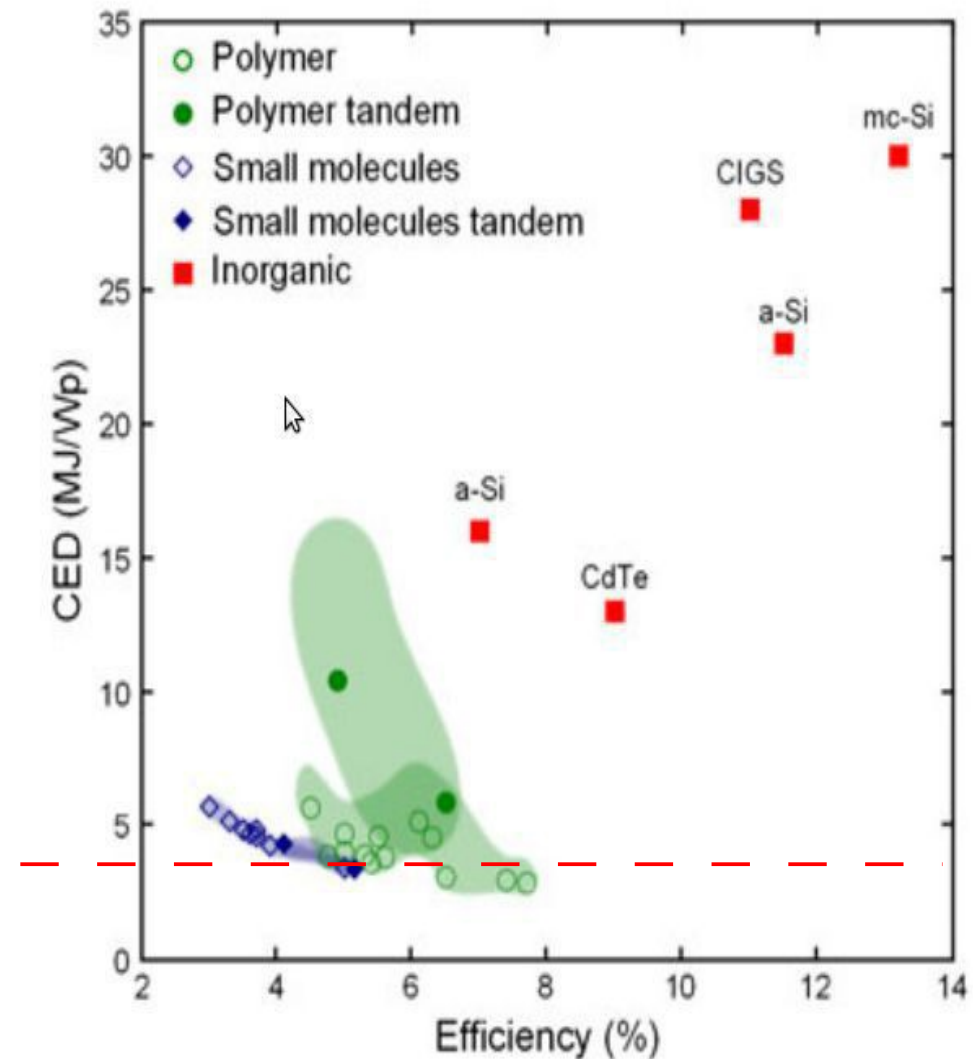


- Flexible plastic substrates and thin organic layers
- Low material consumption: approx. $1\text{g}/\text{m}^2$
- Potentially transparent, color adjustable
- Compatible with low-cost large-area production technologies



- Energy payback time:
- Organics clearly ahead
- Payback times <1 year possible
- Go for high-efficiency organic!

Typical yearly
yield Germany

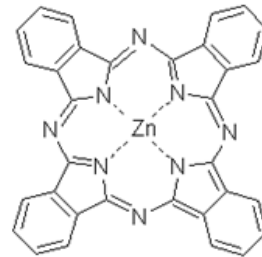


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C₆₀



ZnPc



- Williams&Schadt 1969
- 100 μ m Anthracene crystal, 100V voltage

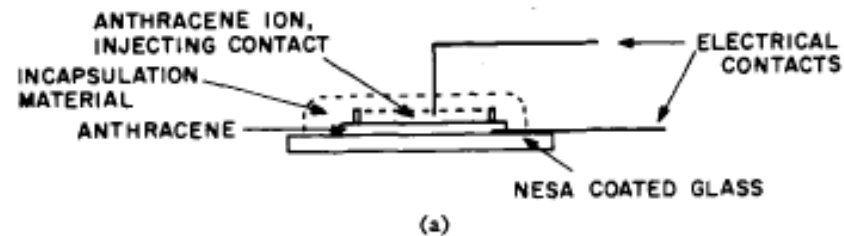


Fig. 1. (a) Schematic diagram of the construction of a typical diode. (b) Photograph showing the electroluminescence from a typical diode in use. The diode has typical dimensions of $\sim 1 \text{ cm}^2$ surface area.

1st wave: OLED
Displays



2nd wave:
OLED lighting



3rd wave:
Solar cells

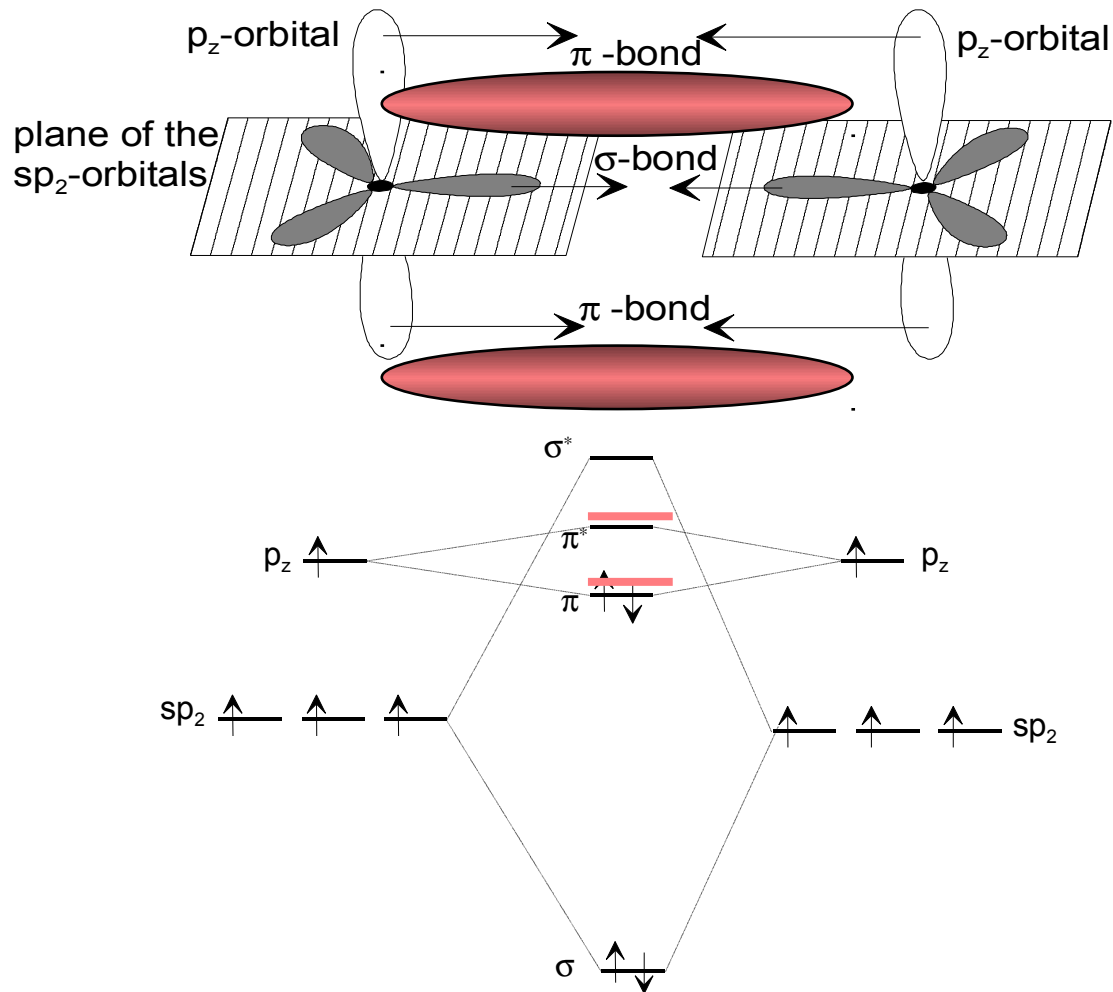


4th wave:
Organic electronics



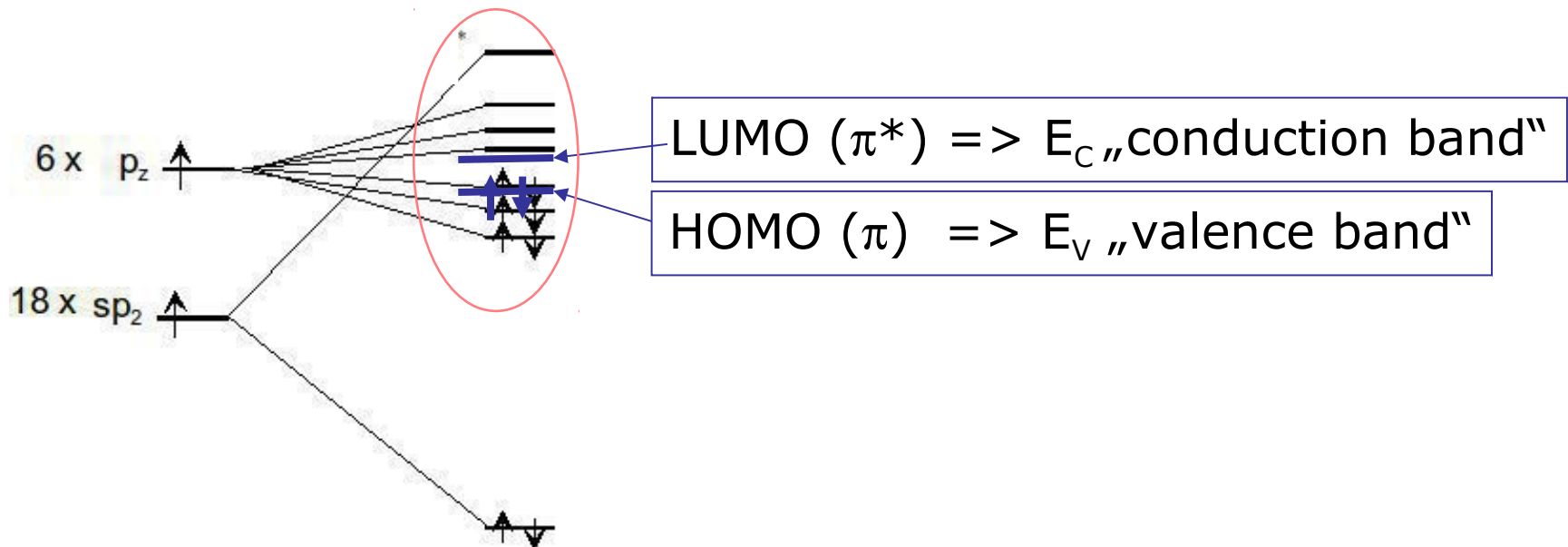
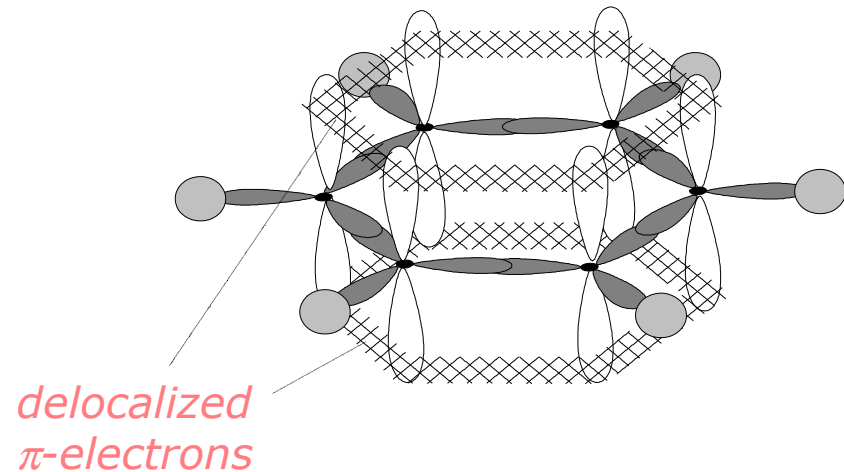
Time

Sp_2 -hybridised Carbon:



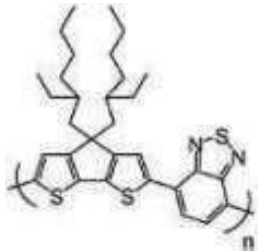
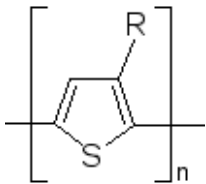
π -electron systems **delocalize!**

- VdW crystals
- small π - π -overlap, narrow bands
- saturated electron system



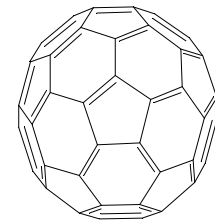
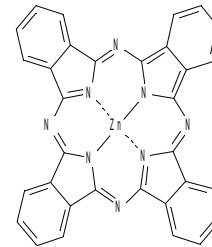
Solution-Processing

Polymers & small molecules



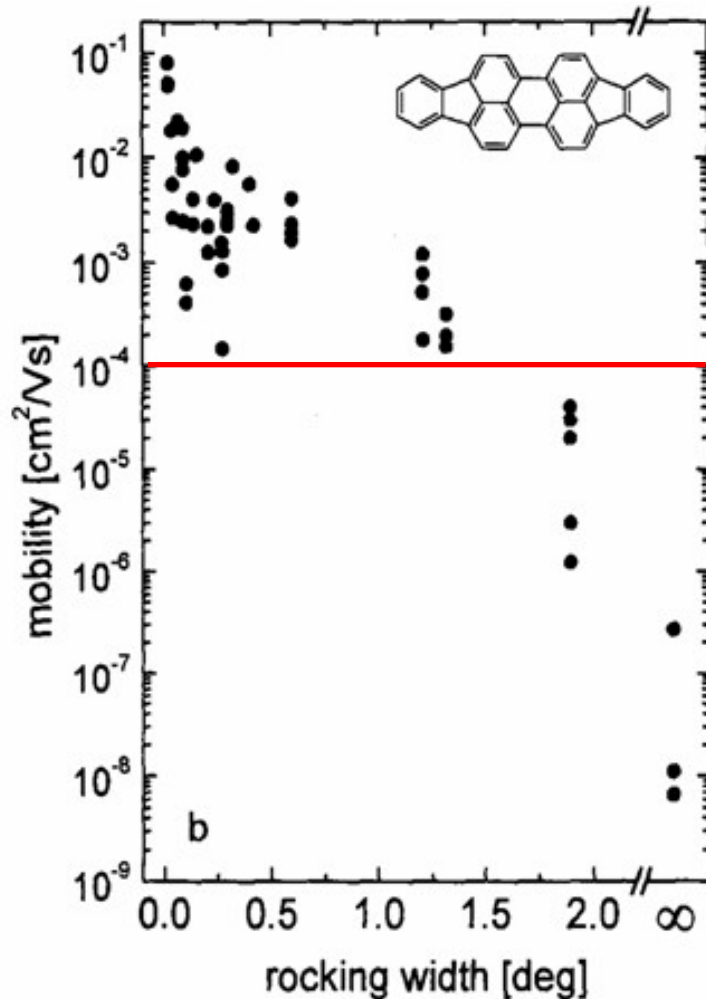
Vacuum-Sublimation

Only small molecules



- Layers made by e.g. printing
- High production speeds possible
- Room temperature process

- Layers made by sublimation of material in vacuum
- Easy access to multi-layer systems
- High material purity



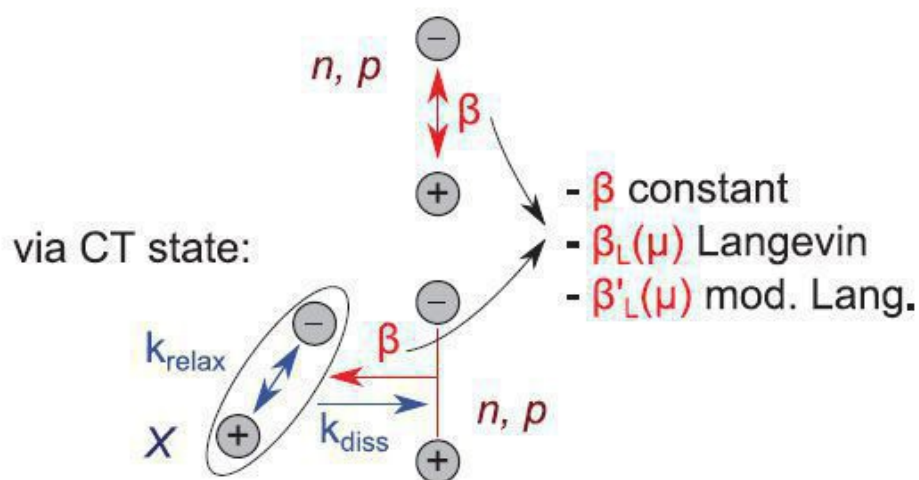
Typical OLED
today!

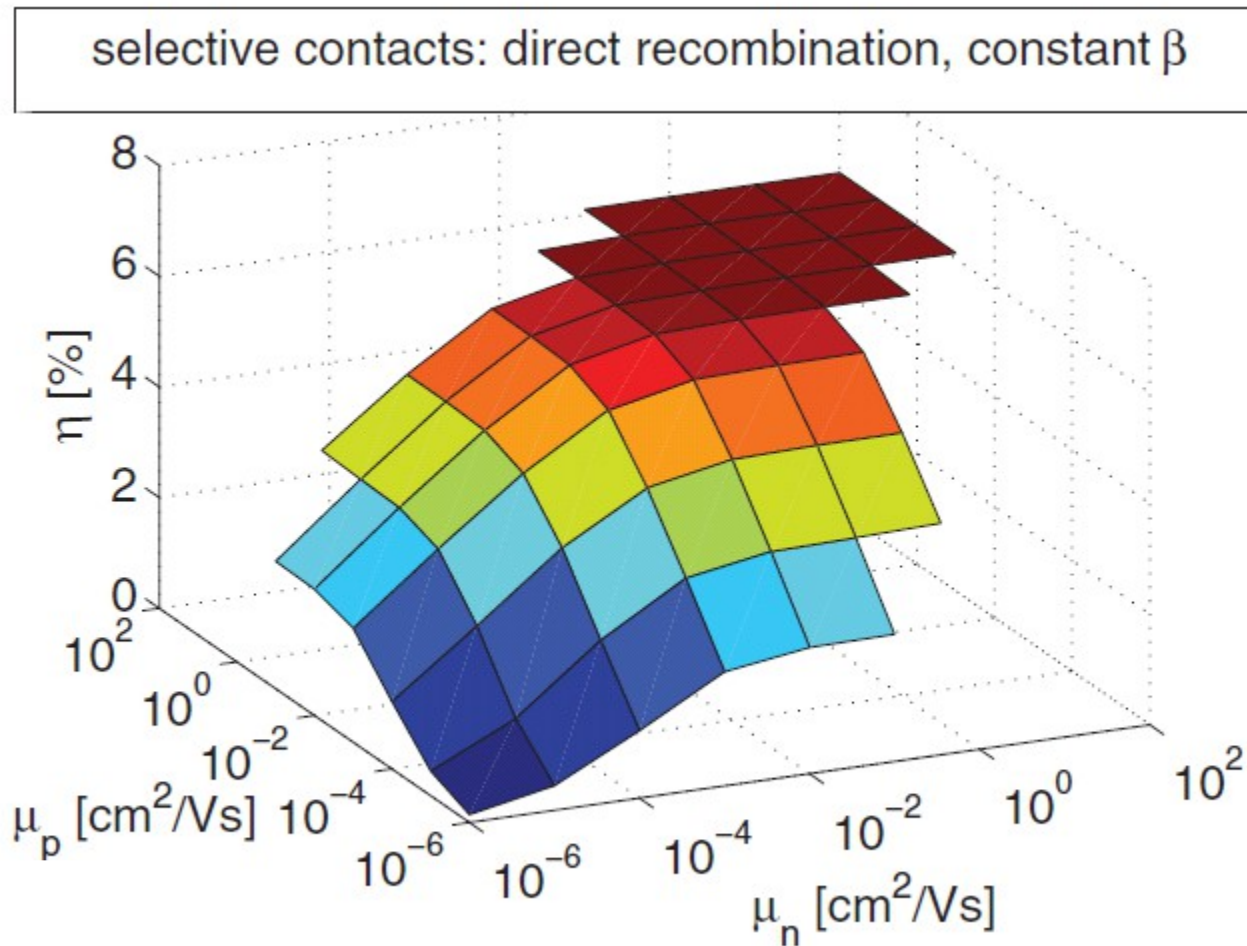
- Rocking width correlates with mobility
- Even small disorder reduces μ strongly
- Conductivities are accordingly low

- Drift-diffusion model set up by Wolfgang Tress
- Bulk Heterojunction between two contacts
- Different recombination models studied



Direct (bimolecular) recombination





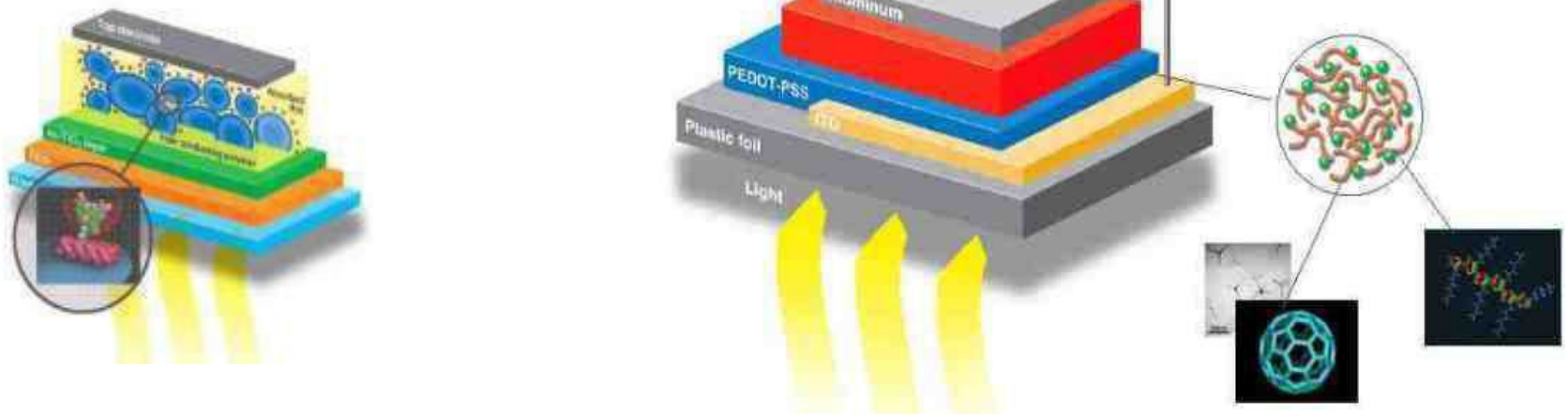
Mobilities of 10⁻³ cm²/Vs are sufficient!

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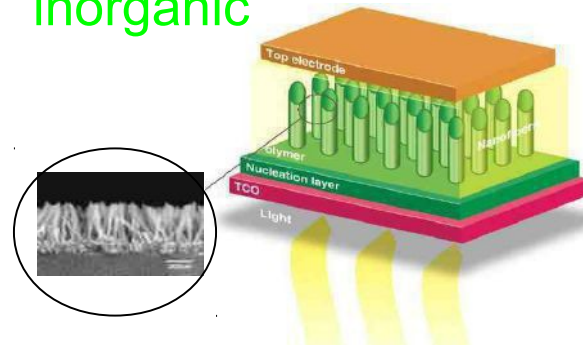


Polymer/small-molecule heterojunction

Dye-sensitized solar cell




Hybrid organic-inorganic



Dye-sensitized cells (Grätzel cells)

- Photovoltaics following nature: Can be demonstrated with fruit juice and correction fluid
- More than 12% efficiency
- Problem: Liquid electrolyte



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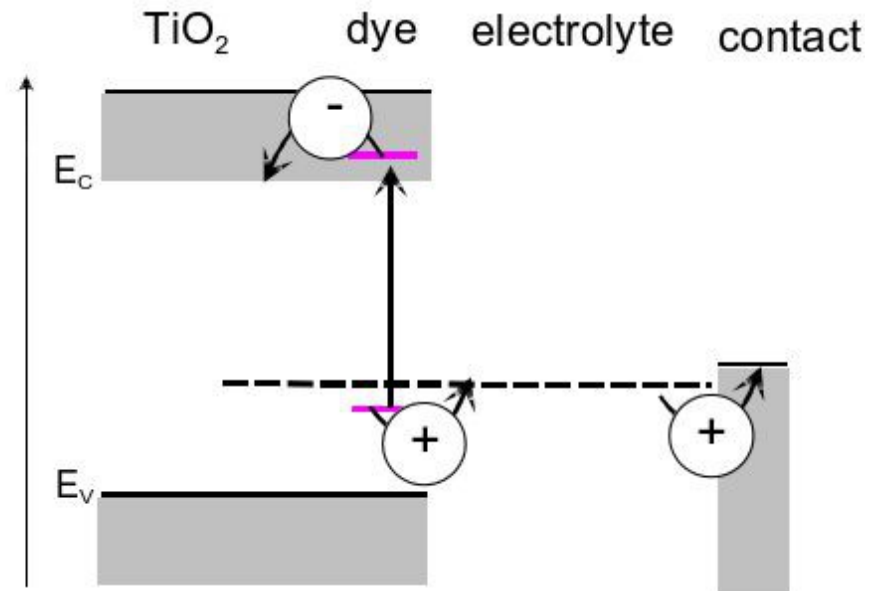
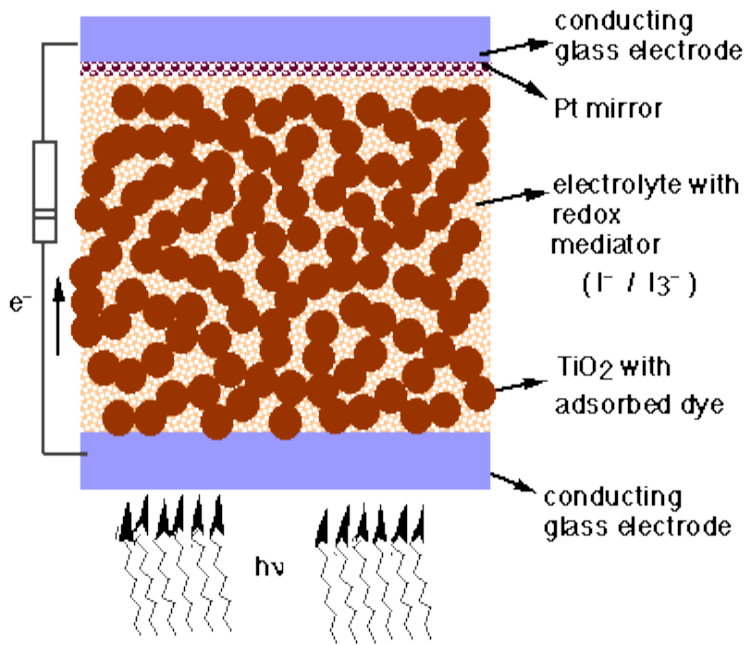
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Structure

Energy scheme

Dye sensitized Nanocrystalline Solar Cell (DYSC)



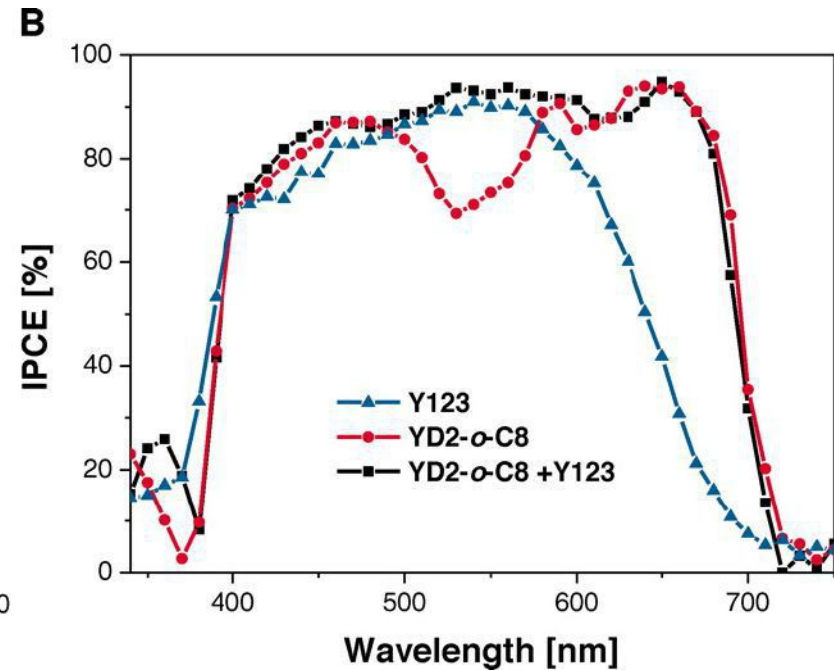
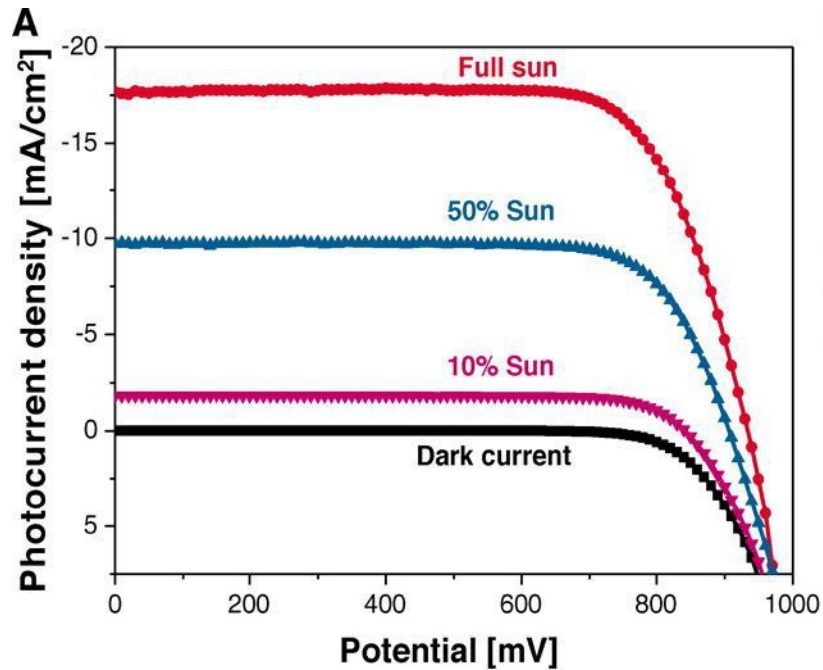
TiO₂ grains of 10 to 30nm size

Efficiencies >12% demonstrated

IV-curve

A. Yella et al., Science **334**, 629 (2011)

quantum efficiency

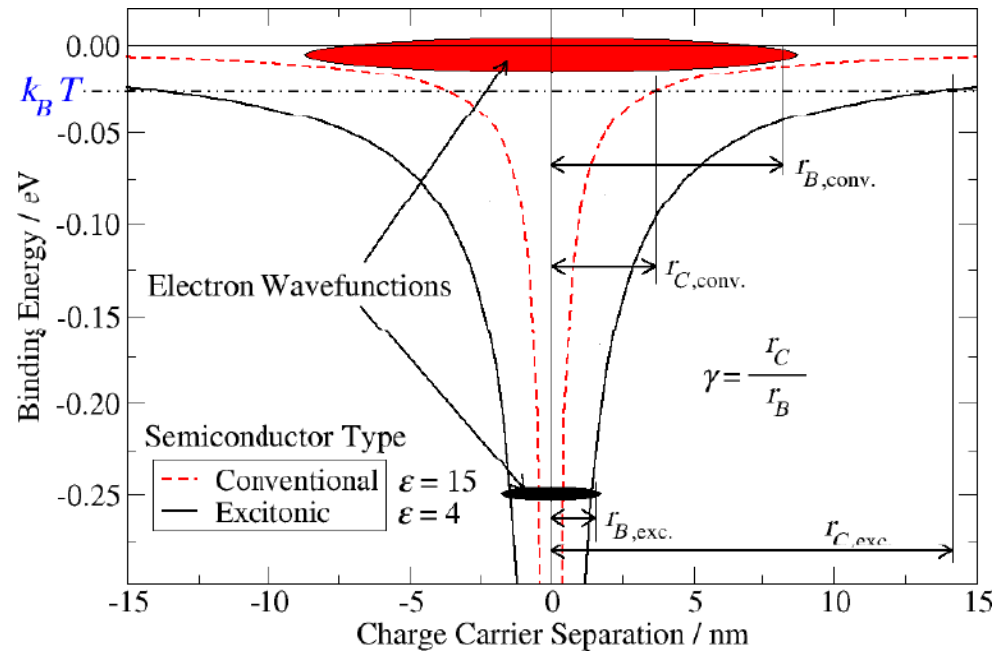


- Efficiency potential: $\approx 15\%$
- Key problem: Aggressive electrolyte (encapsulation)
- Solid-State hole transport is challenging

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- Challenges of organic vs. inorganic PV:
- Exciton Separation
 - Binding Energy $\gg kT$
- Diffusion Length:
 - Typically shorter than absorption length
- Stability:
 - Does this organic stuff has any stability?



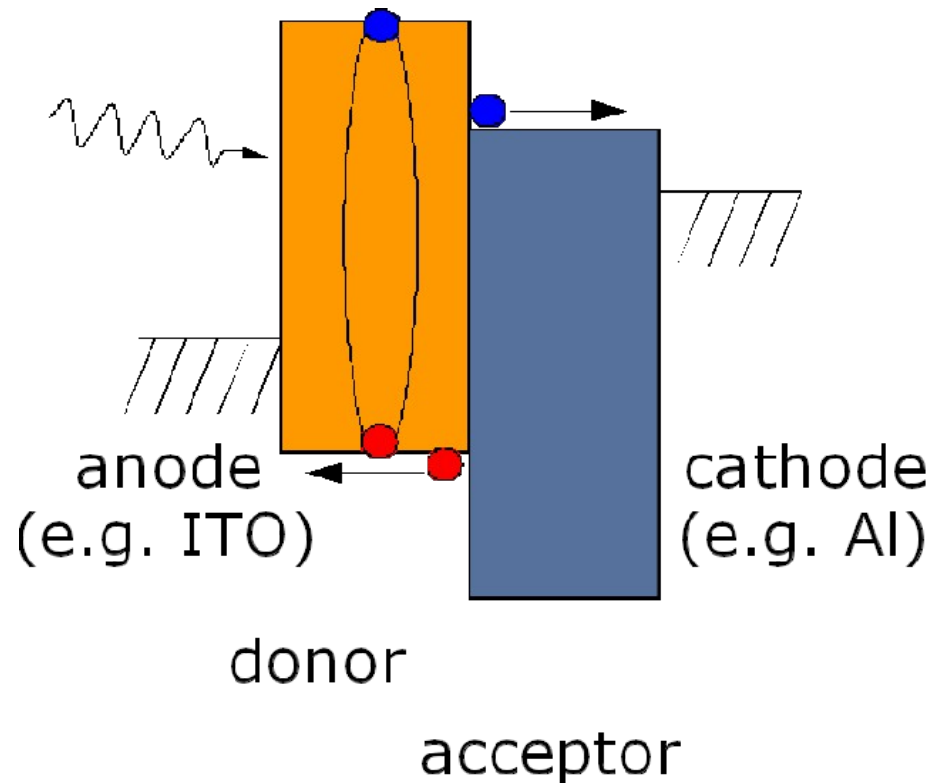
- Absorption leads to tightly bound (0.2 ... 0.5 eV) excitons
- Separation in electric field inefficient
- Usual solar cell structure does not work

S. E. Gledhill et al. J. Mat Res. 20, 3167 (2005)

P. Würfel, CHIMIA 61, 770 (2007)

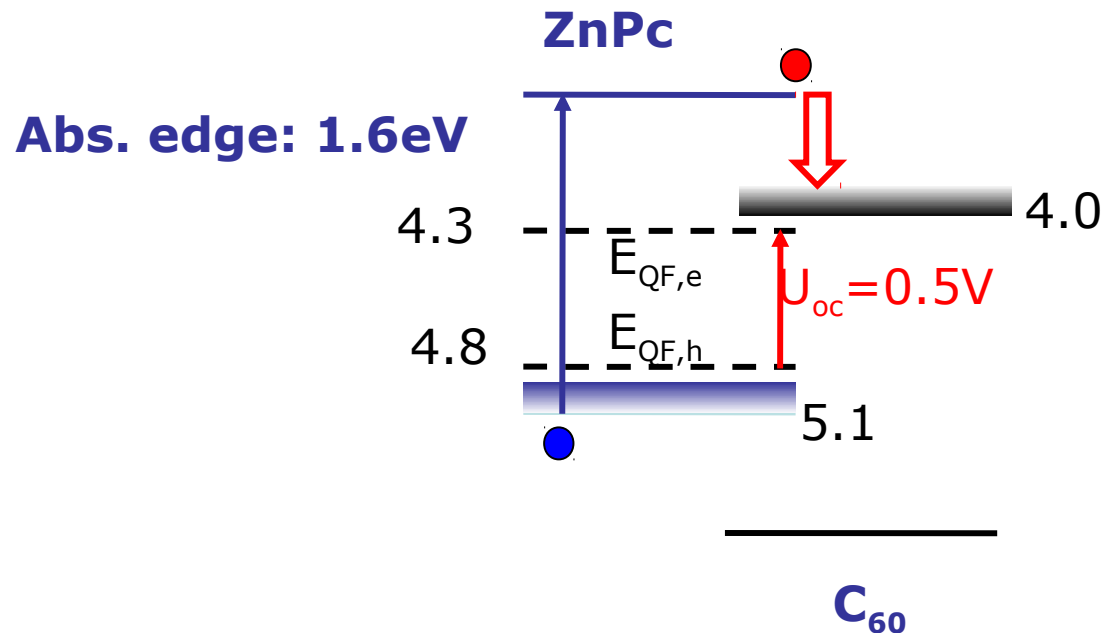
Exciton separation at a heterojunction

Flat heterojunction (FHJ)



C. W. Tang, Appl. Phys. Lett. 48, 183 (1986)

Example system: ZnPc/C₆₀



Open circuit voltage: $\approx 0.5V$
 \Rightarrow Large loss of energy

Minimum energy loss
 upon charge separation:
 0.2....0.7 eV?

- Exciton diffusion lengths seem to be small: ≈ 10 nm
- Limited by extrinsic or intrinsic processes?
- Much higher values have been reported for materials with higher order: up to micrometers...

Exciton diffusion lengths: other data

TABLE I. Calculated quenching layer Förster radii (R_Q) and diffusion lengths (L_D) for singlet (S) and triplet (T) excitons of crystalline (C.) and amorphous (Amorph.) films.

Material	Exciton	Crystallinity (Orientation)	Quenching/Blocking Layers	R_Q with C_{60} (nm)	L_D (nm)
NPD	S	Amorph.	C_{60} /BCP	2.4	5.1 (± 1.0) ^a
CBP	S	Amorph.	C_{60} (or NTCDA)/Bare	2.7	16.8 (± 0.8) ^a
SubPc	S	Amorph.	C_{60} /Bare	1.1	8.0 (± 0.3)
PTCDA	S	C.-55 nm (flat)	C_{60} (or NPD)/NTCDA	0.9	10.4 (± 1.0)
DIP	S	C.->150 nm (upright)	C_{60} /Bare	1.2	16.5 (± 0.4)
DIP	S	C.-30 nm (flat)	C_{60} /Bare	1.2	21.8 (± 0.6)
PtOEP	T-Mon.	C.->150 nm (upright)	C_{60} /BCP	0.6	18.0 (± 0.6)
PtOEP	T-Dim.	C.->150 nm (upright)	C_{60} /BCP	0.6	13.1 (± 0.5)

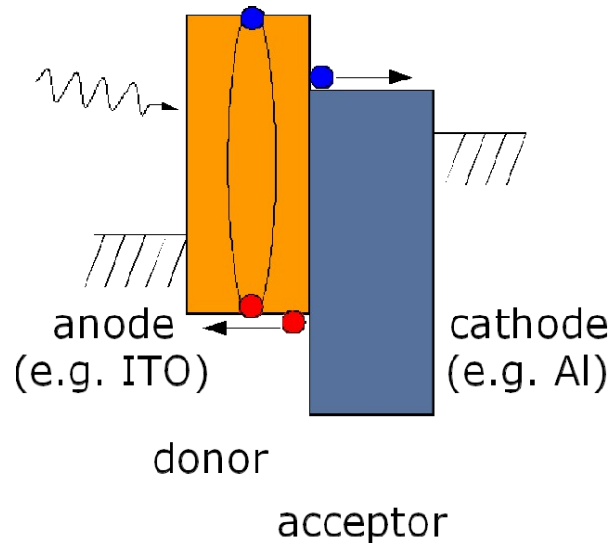
^aCorrected for energy transfer to the quenching layer.

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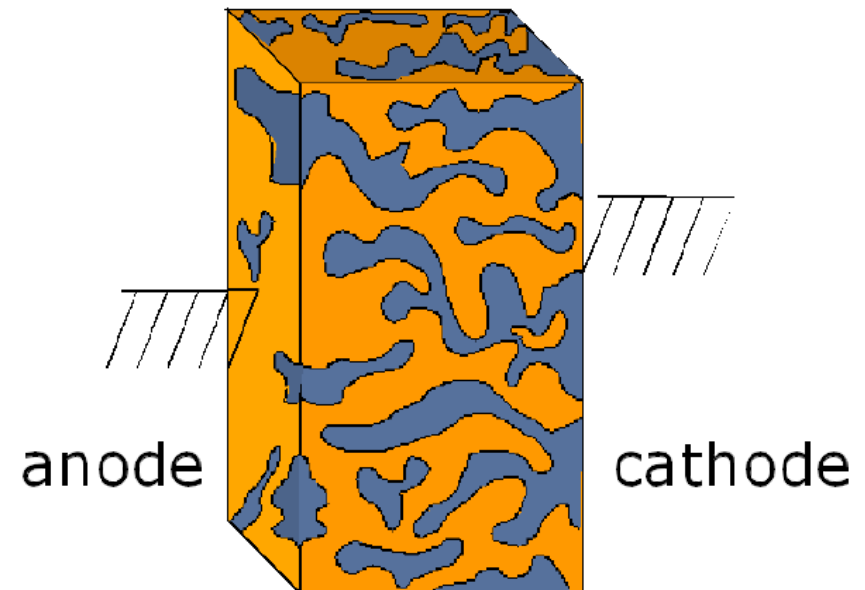


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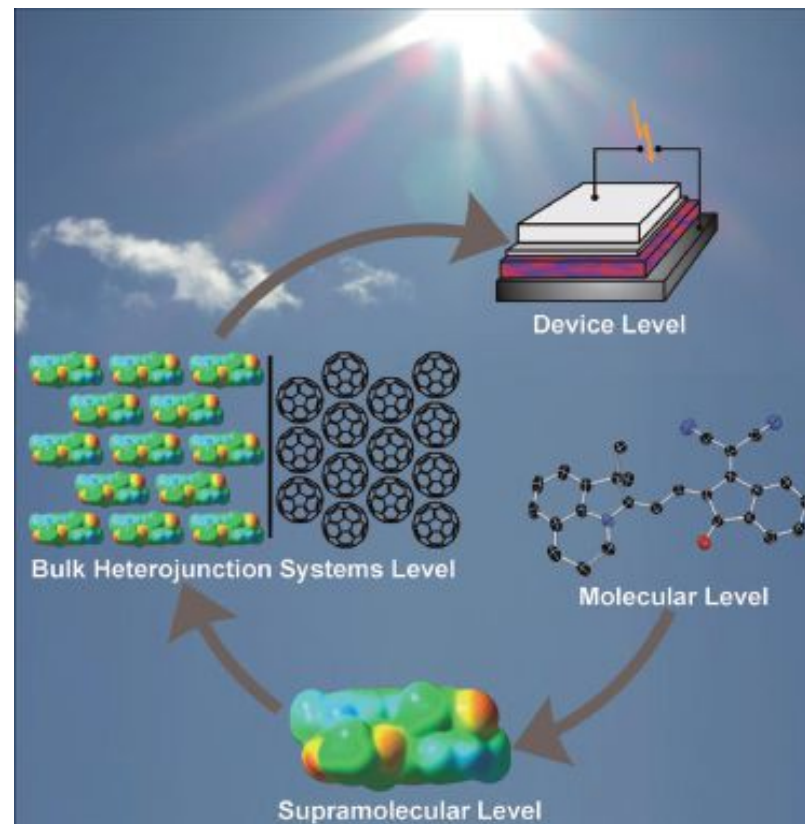
bulk heterojunction (BHJ)



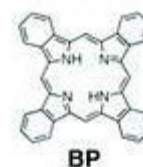
Acceptor and donor domains on 10nm scale

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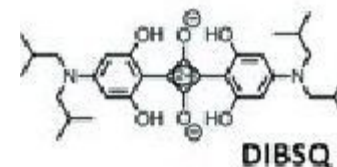
- Multi-scale approach needed for materials development
- Connection between molecular structure and device performance very complex



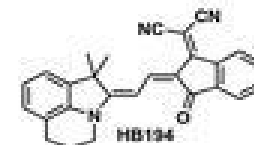
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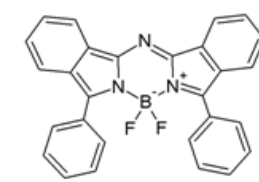
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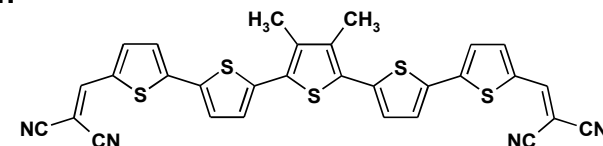
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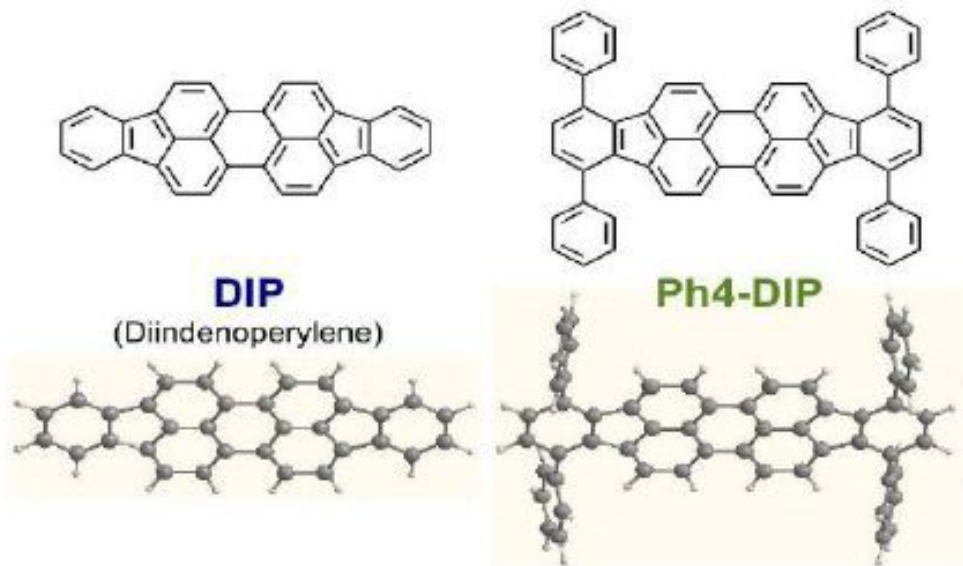


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Steric hindrance???

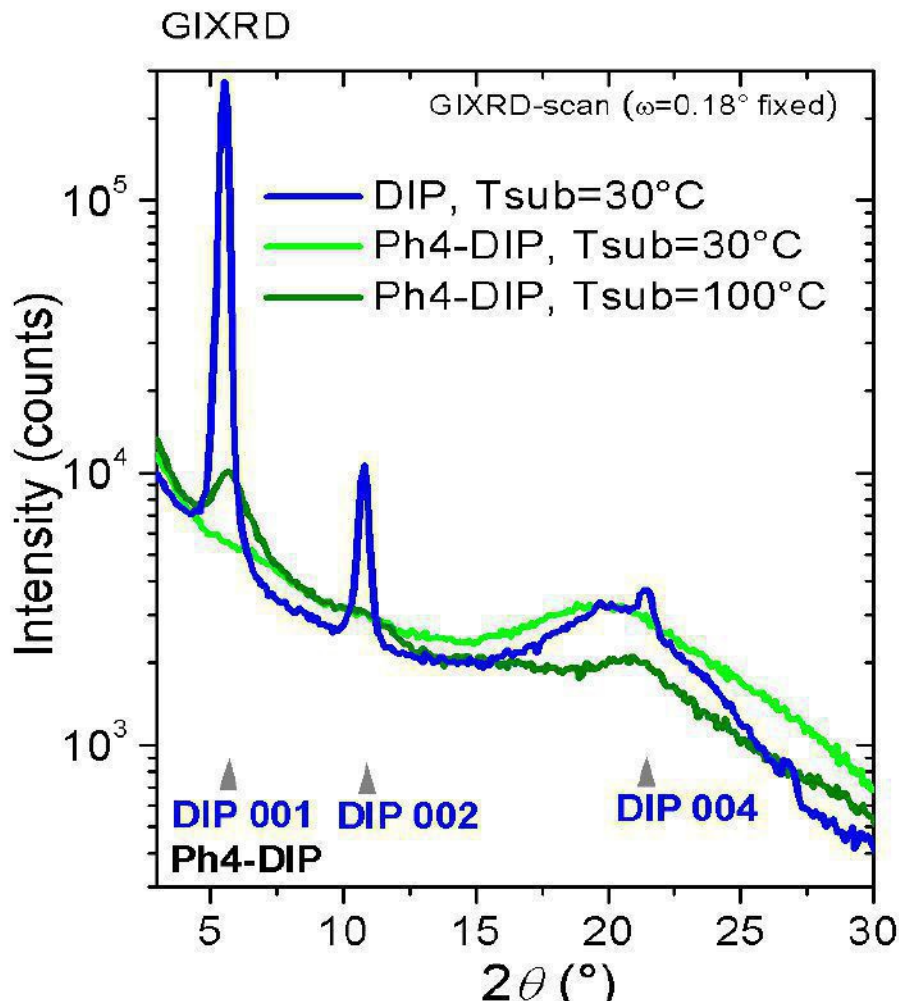
- effect on molecular **orientation**?
- effect on **phase separation** in blend layers with C₆₀?
- differences in planar and bulk heterojunction **solar cells**???



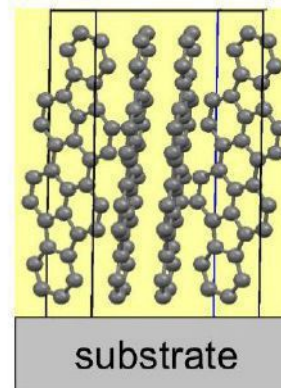
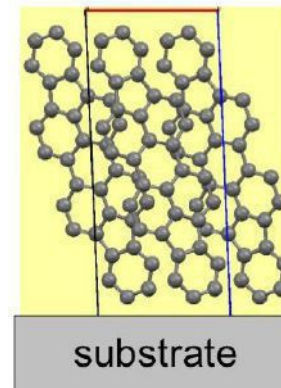
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XRD measurements performed by Lutz Wilde, Fraunhofer CNT Dresden

GIXRD of pristine DIP/Ph4-DIP films



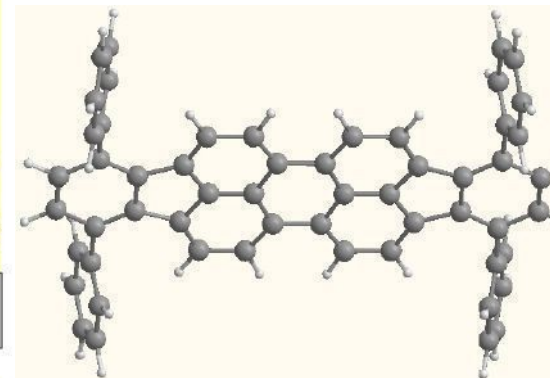
DIP orientation



50 nm DIP /
Ph4-DIP

5 nm C60

glass



→ Phenyl rings
disturb dense
crystalline packing

VASE measurements performed by David Wynands and Roland Schulze, IPF Dresden

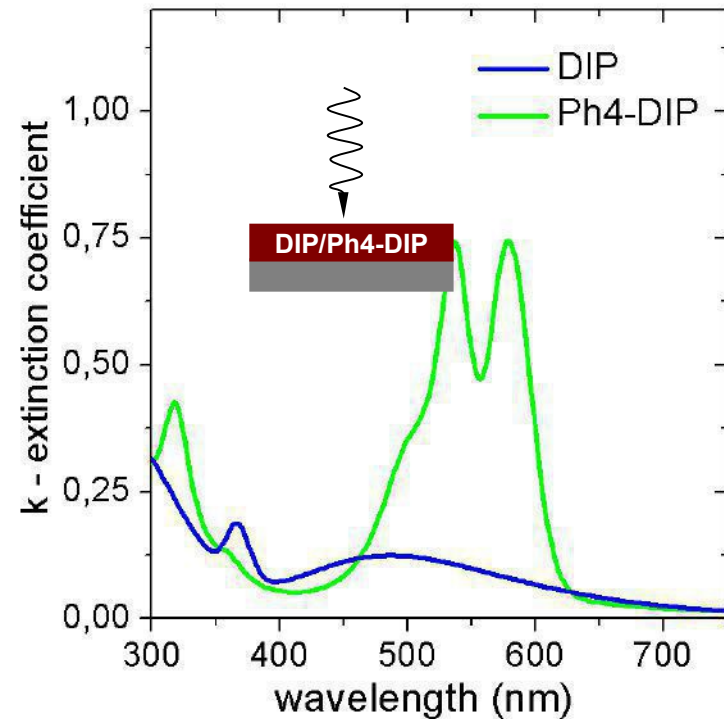
Wavelength dependent extinction values by VASE:

Main direction of transition **dipole moment parallel to the long axis**

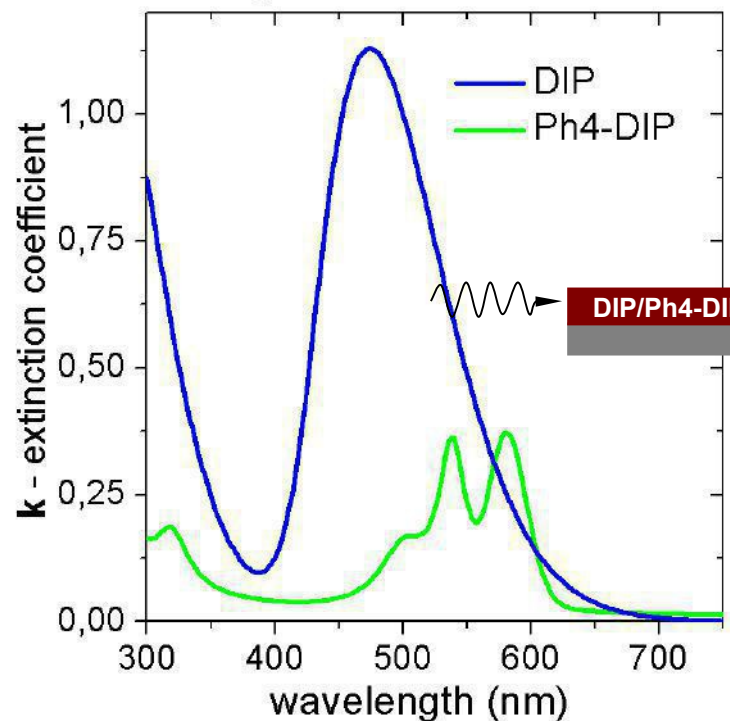
100 nm DIP /
Ph4-DIP

SiO₂ (IES)

In-plane extinction coefficient

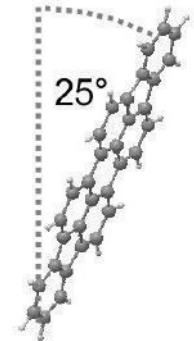


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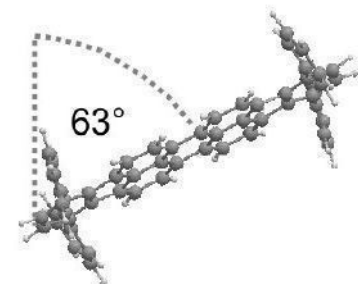


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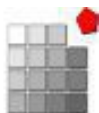
• DIP molecules



• Ph4-DIP molecules



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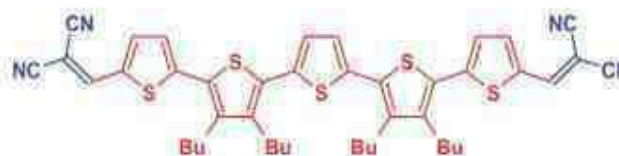
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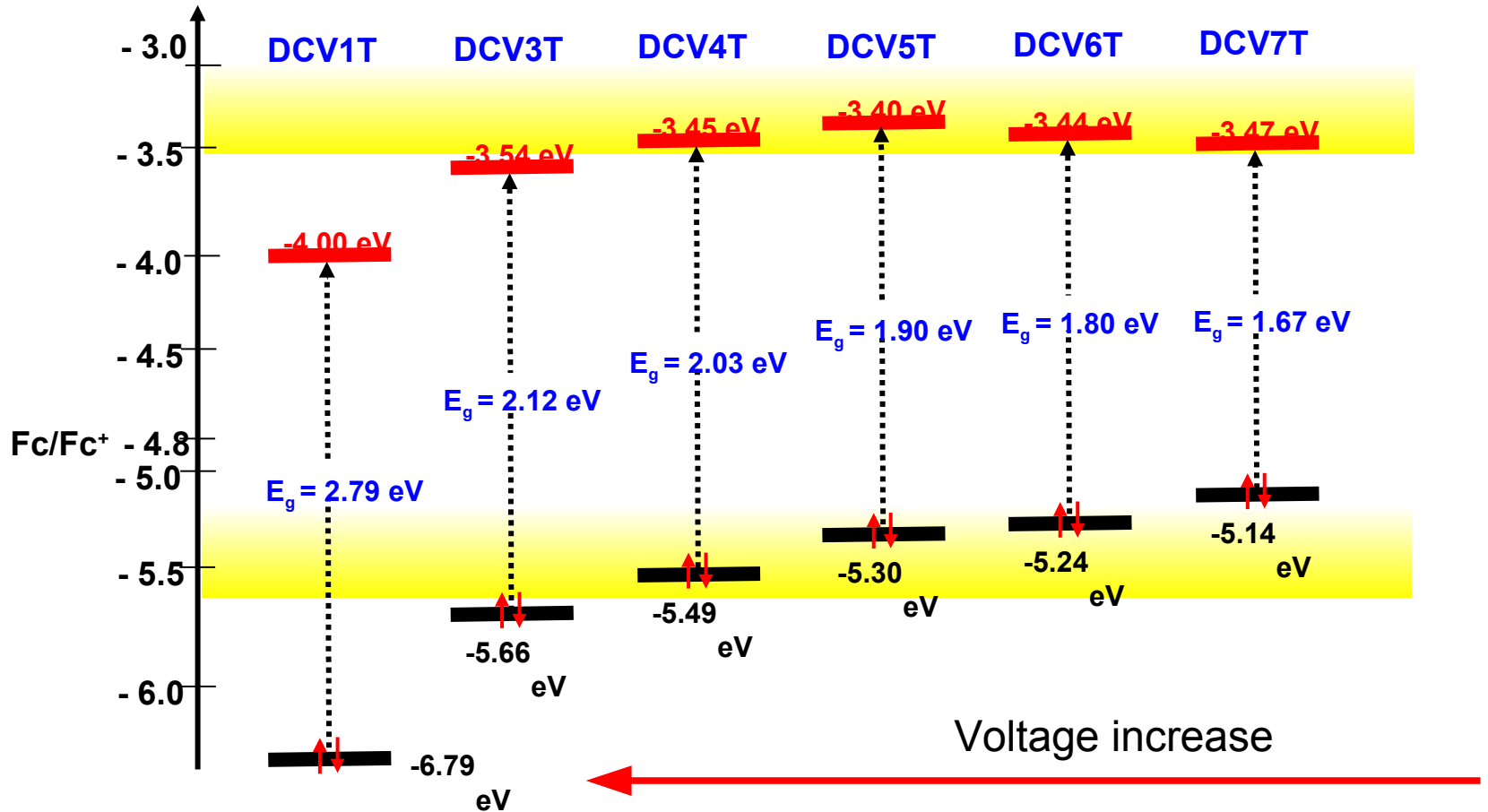
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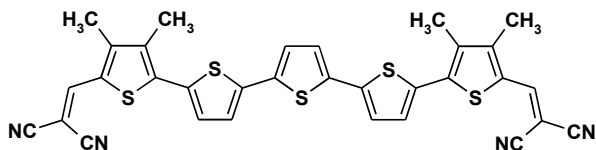
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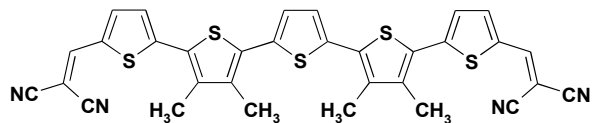
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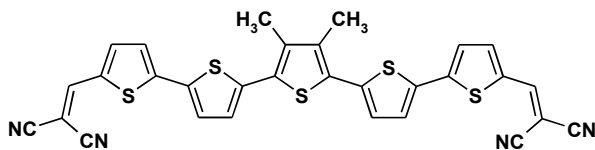
Minimum loss due to exciton separation: roughly 0.3V



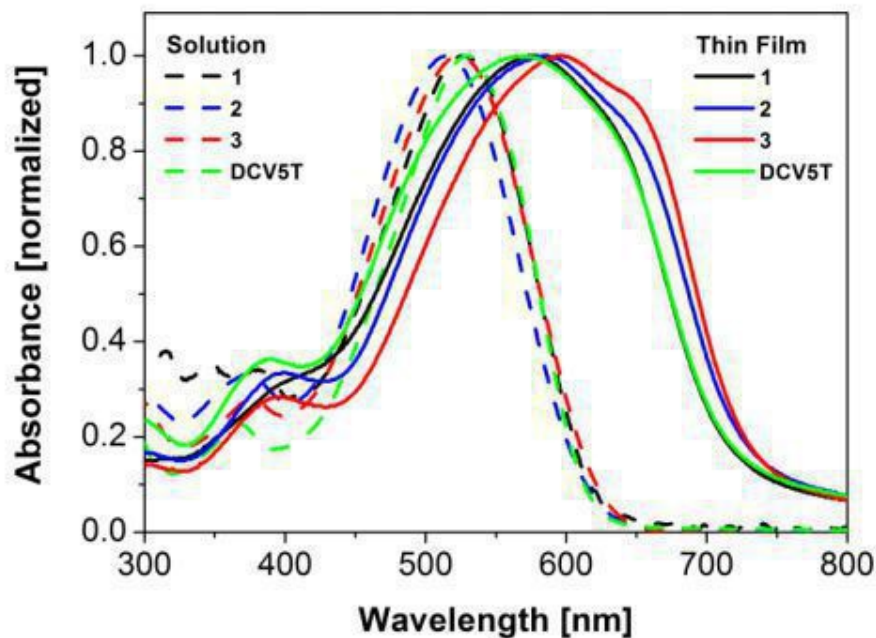
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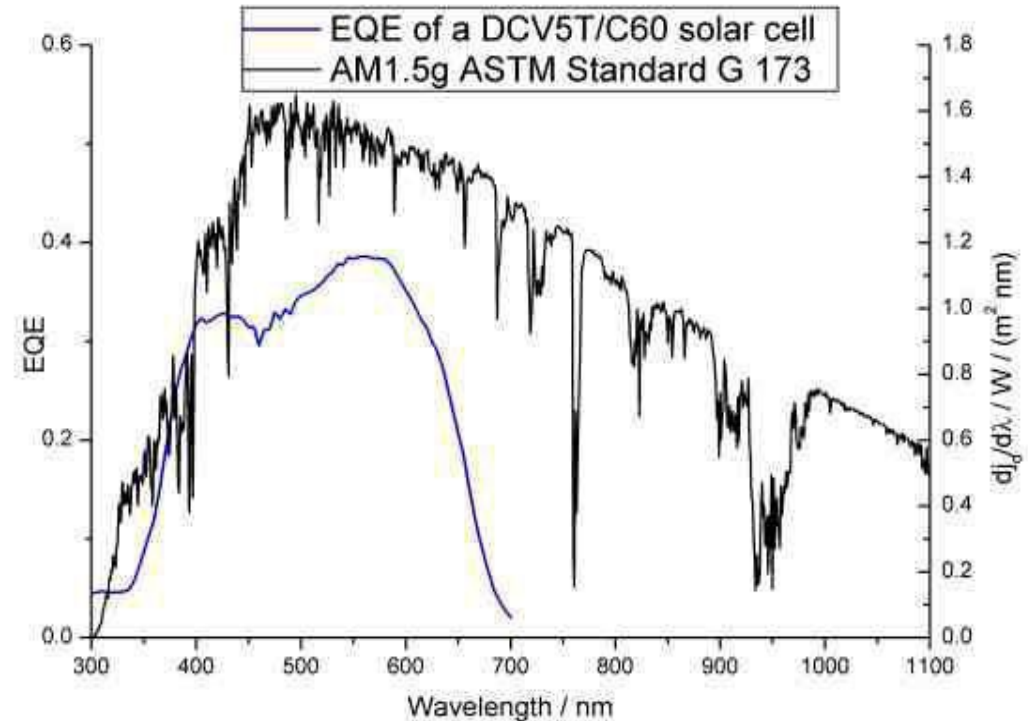


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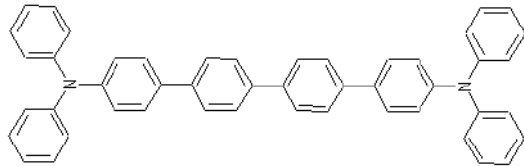
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- Much of the solar spectrum is currently not used!
- Tandem or triple cells
- Extend absorption to IR

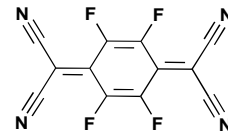


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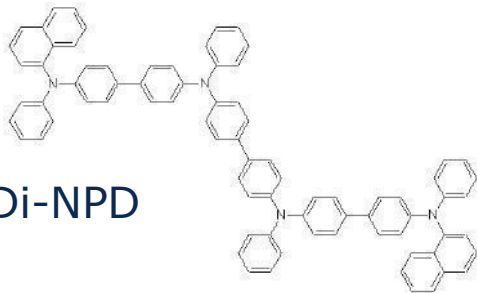
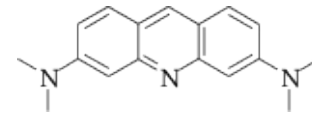


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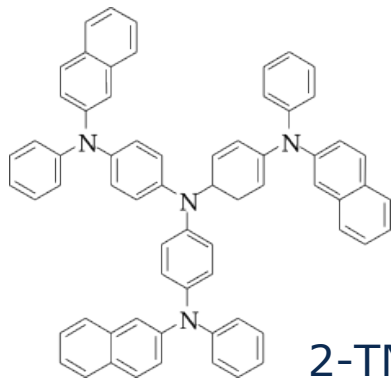
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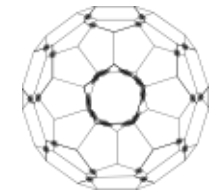
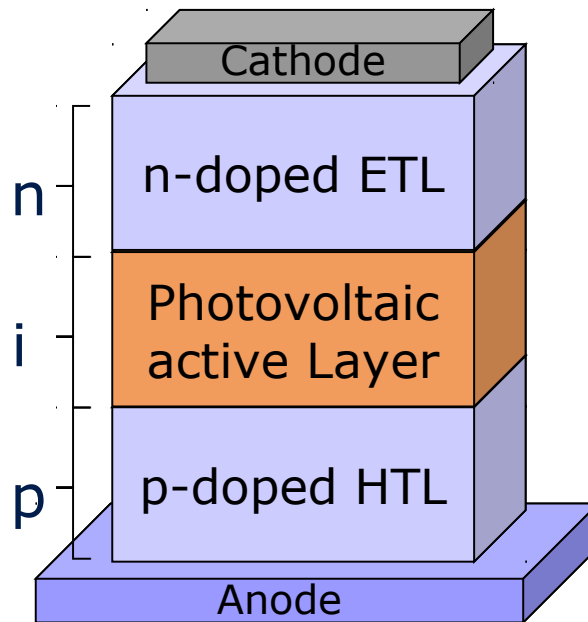
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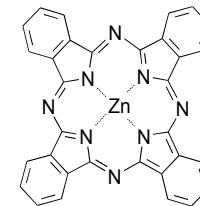
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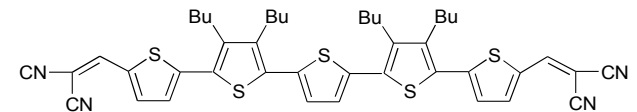
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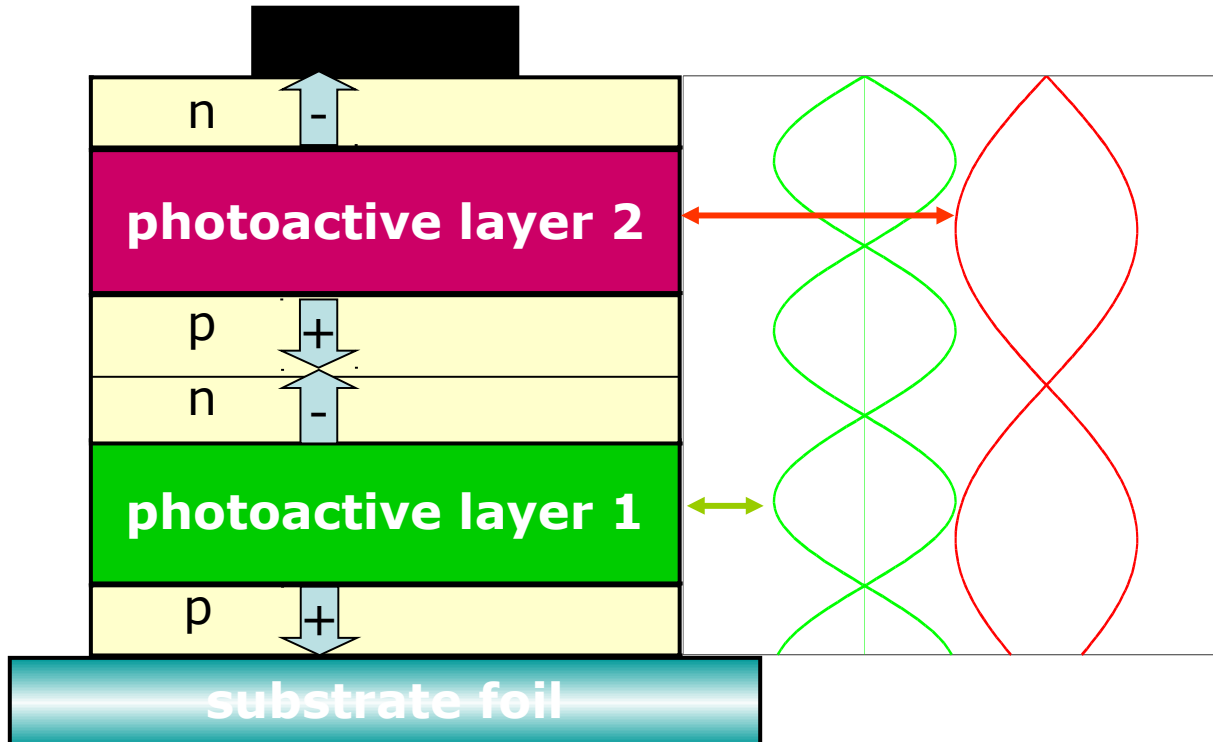
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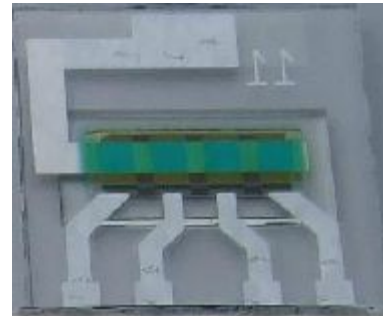
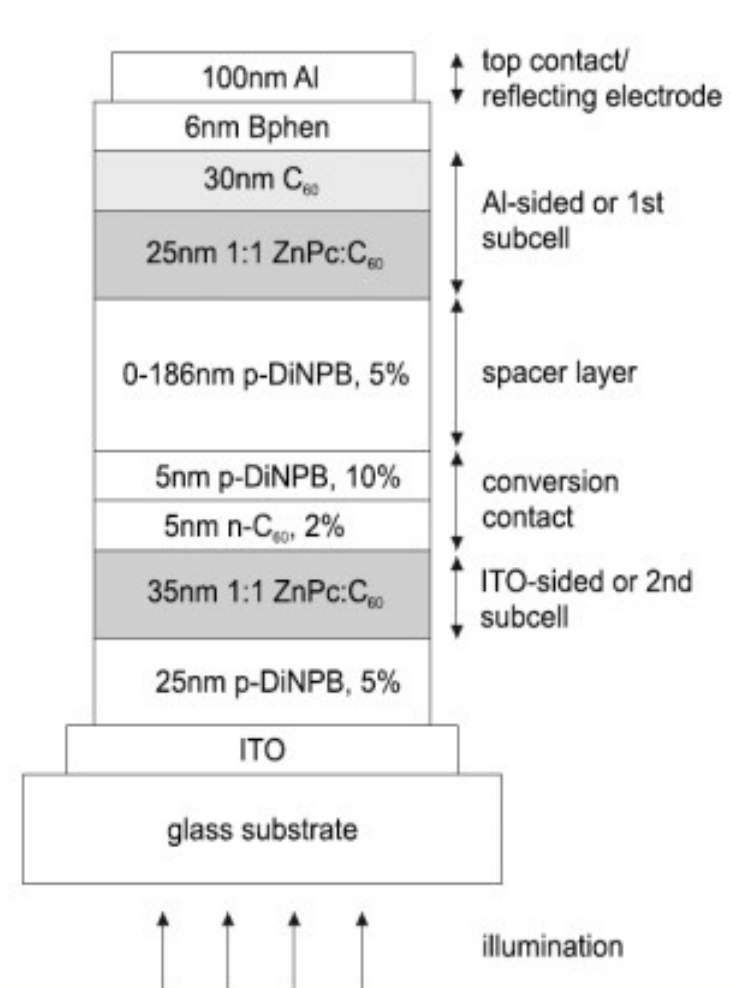
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p-i-ntandem cells:

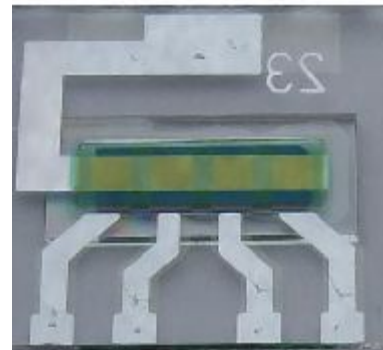
- Pn-junction is ideal recombination contact
- optimizing interference pattern with conductive transparent layers

=>optical engineering on nanometer layer thickness scale



Thickness of spacer layer:

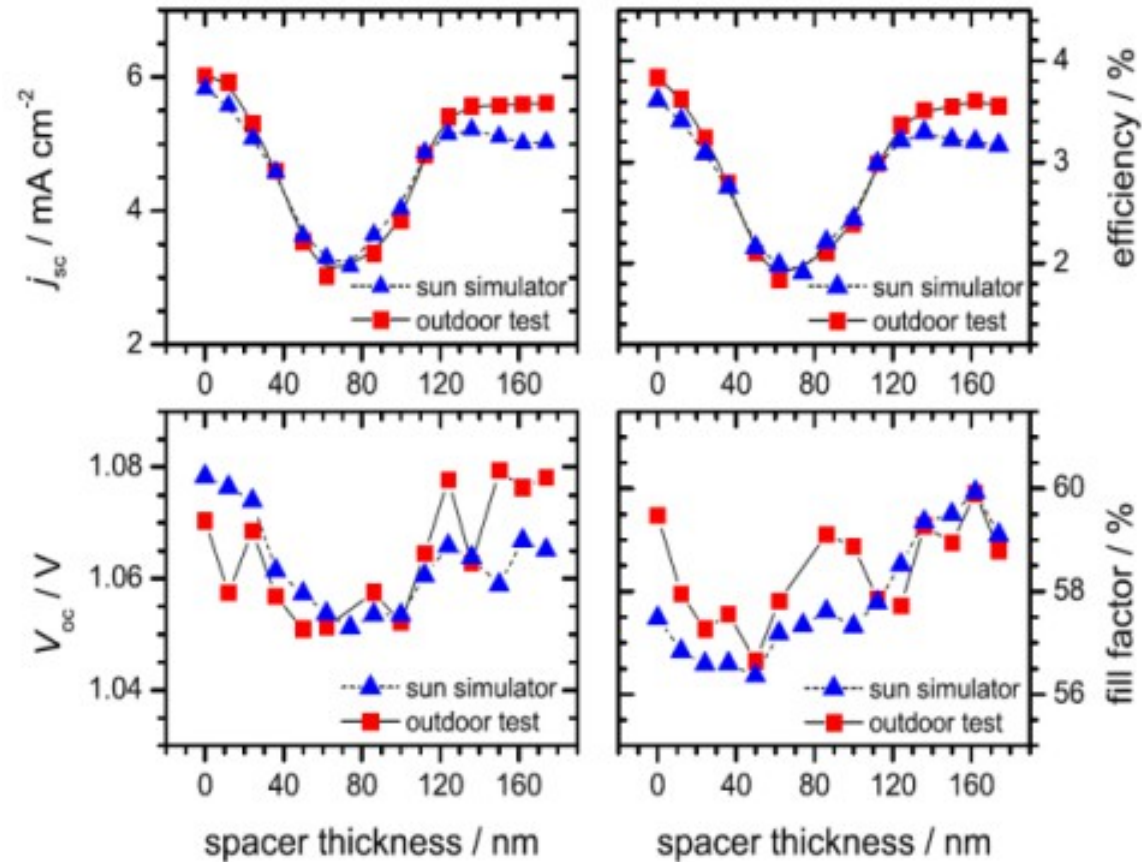
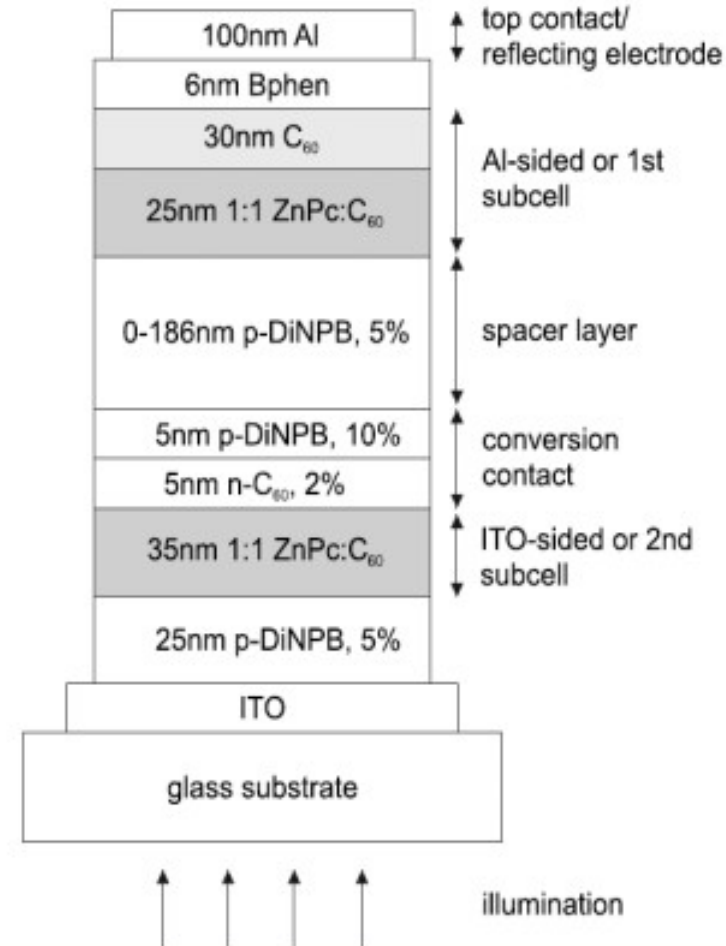
0 nm (1st max)



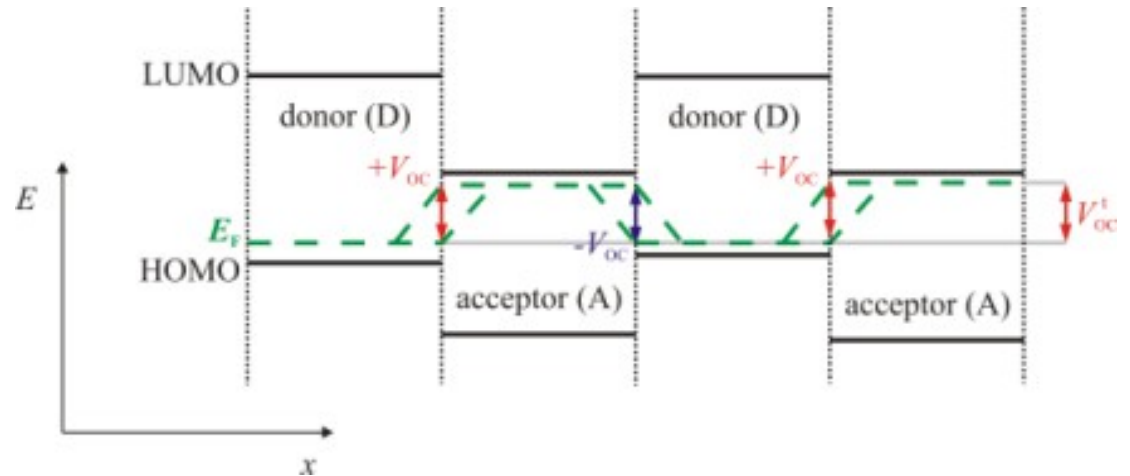
74nm (1st min)



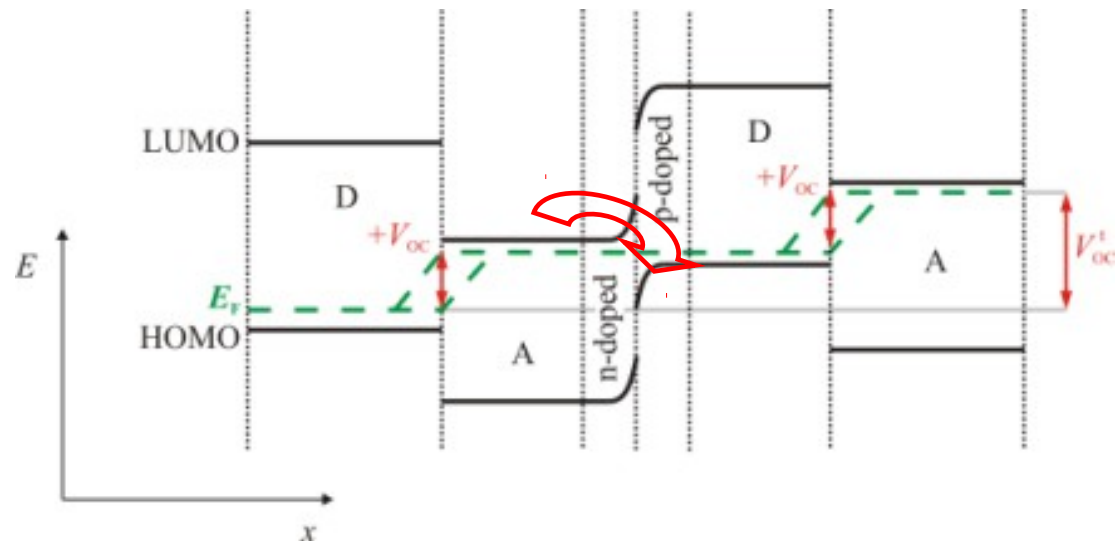
124nm (2nd max)



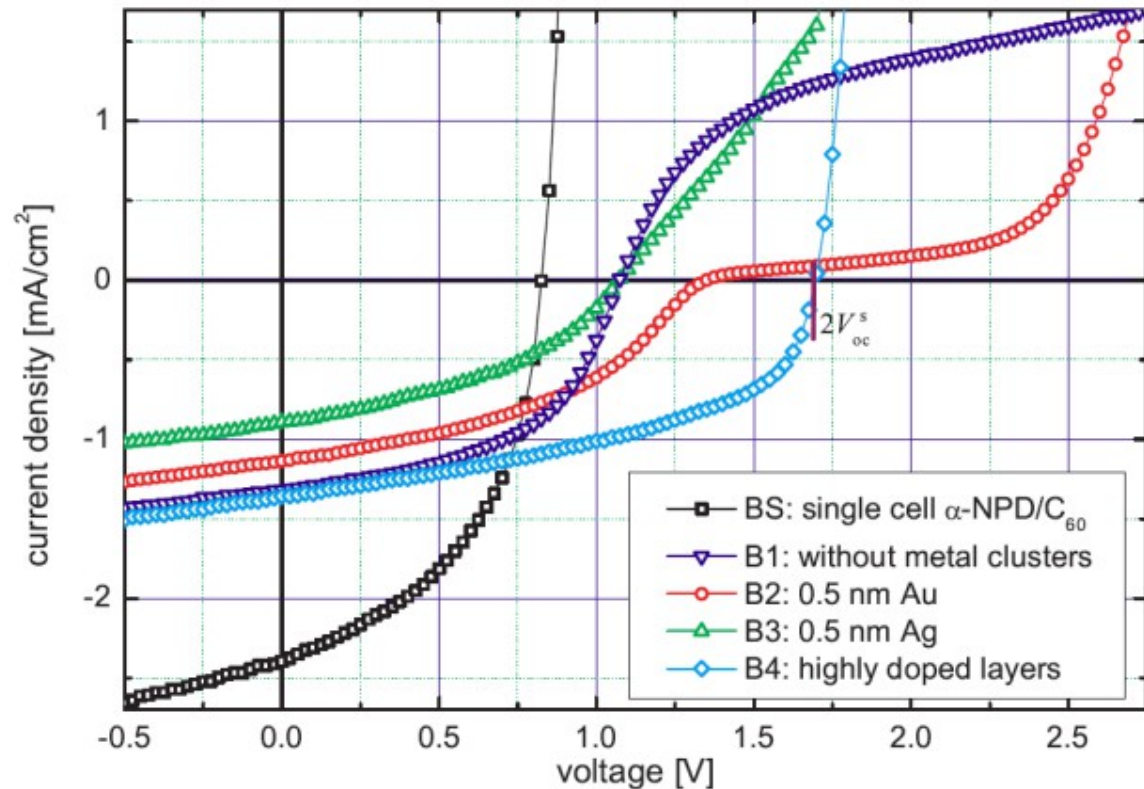
- Stacking two D/A heterojunctions
→ reverse HJ
→ voltage loss



- Our Approach:
 - highly doped layers for energy level alignment at the interface
 - no quasi-Fermi level splitting
 - no loss of V_{oc}



- Metal clusters have only weak effect on efficient recombination
- Highly doped pn-junction is very efficient, stable and simple recombination contact



12 % Efficiency - new world Record for OPV

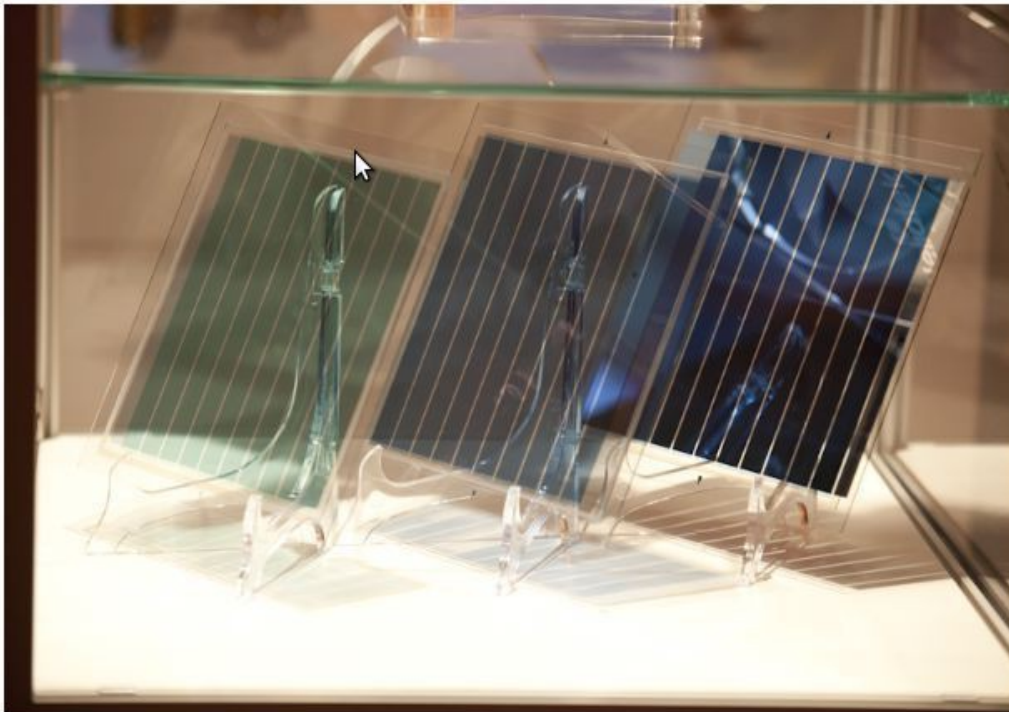
Measured by SGS at standard test conditions (December 2012)



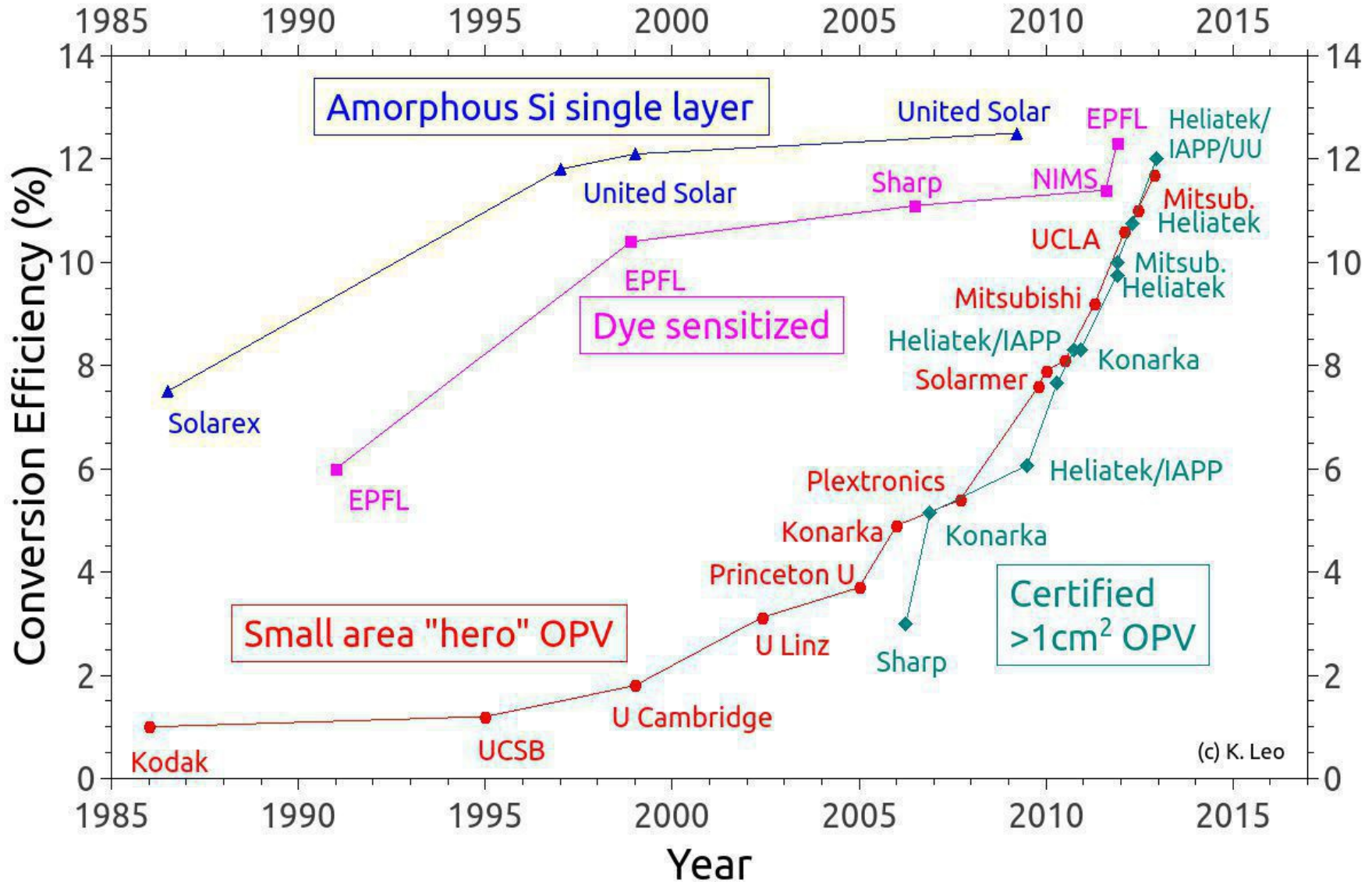
Module ID code :	see SNR
Serial number :	31004_120760899
Mon. cell type =	HeliatekKG2
Id. number =	kal: VLSI 10510-008
Sensitivity =	110.44 mV/(kW/m ²)
Mode name =	Heliatek
Method name =	Direct
Sample number =	222
Sample time =	40 us
Measurement duration =	8.880 ms
N ⁺ measure =	1
Irrad =	1.000 kW/m ²
Temp =	25.0 °C
Avg.Ir. =	1.001 kW/m ²
Dev.Ir. =	0.001 kW/m ²
Isc =	6.730 mA
Voc =	2674.07 mV
EffC =	12.0 %
EffM =	12.0 %
FF =	73.5 %
MPP =	13.23 mW
V@mpp =	2187.69 mV
I@mpp =	6.049 mA
Rser =	35.700 Ohm
Rsht =	34215.76 Ohm

9% Module Efficiency on Glass

Record efficiencies thanks to minimum upscaling losses

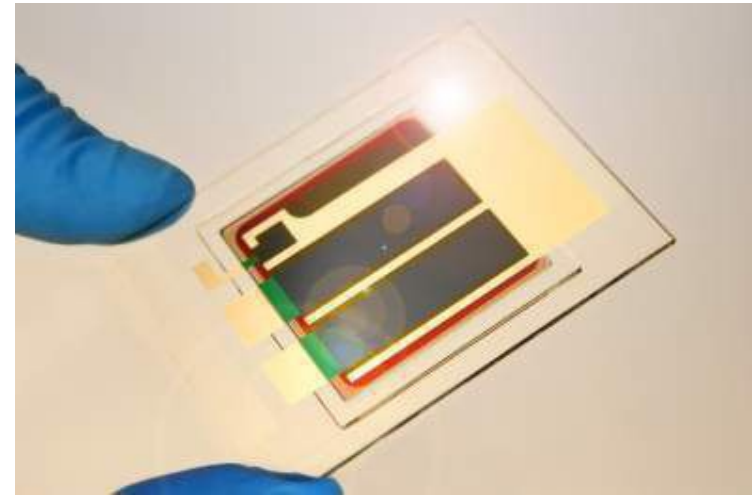
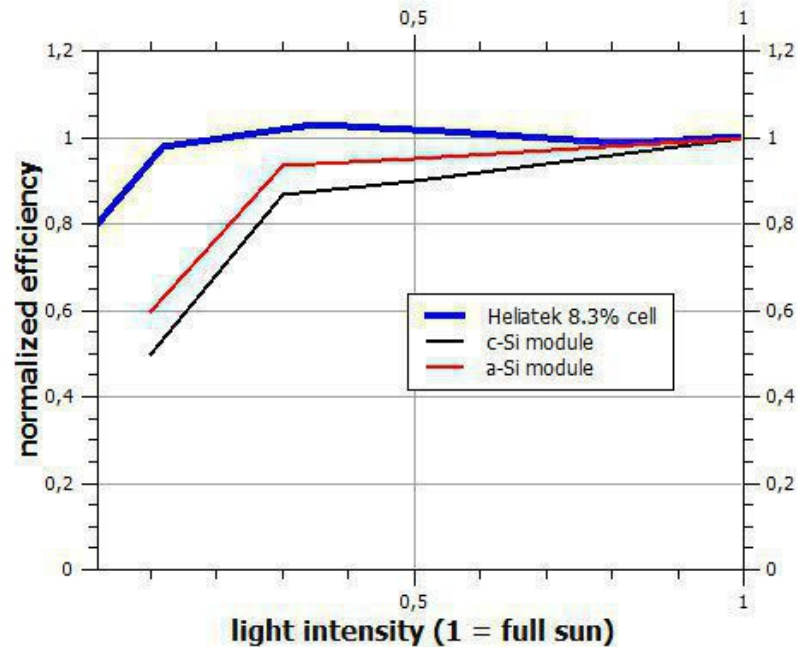


7 Cells in Series	Active Area 122 cm ²	Total Area 142 cm ²
VOC	11.8 V	11.8 V
VOC per cell	1.67 V	1.67 V
JSC mA/cm ²	1.21	1.04
FF	63 %	63 %
Efficiency	9.0 %	7.7 %



(c) K. Leo

- Standard measurement: 1 sun, 25 °C, perpendicular incidence
- Reality: 40-60 °C, often less than 1 sun, diffuse light
- Organics:
 - Positive temperature coefficient
 - Higher efficiency for lower intensity
 - Special diffuse light responsivity
- Sums up in the **O-Factor: approx. 30% better!**

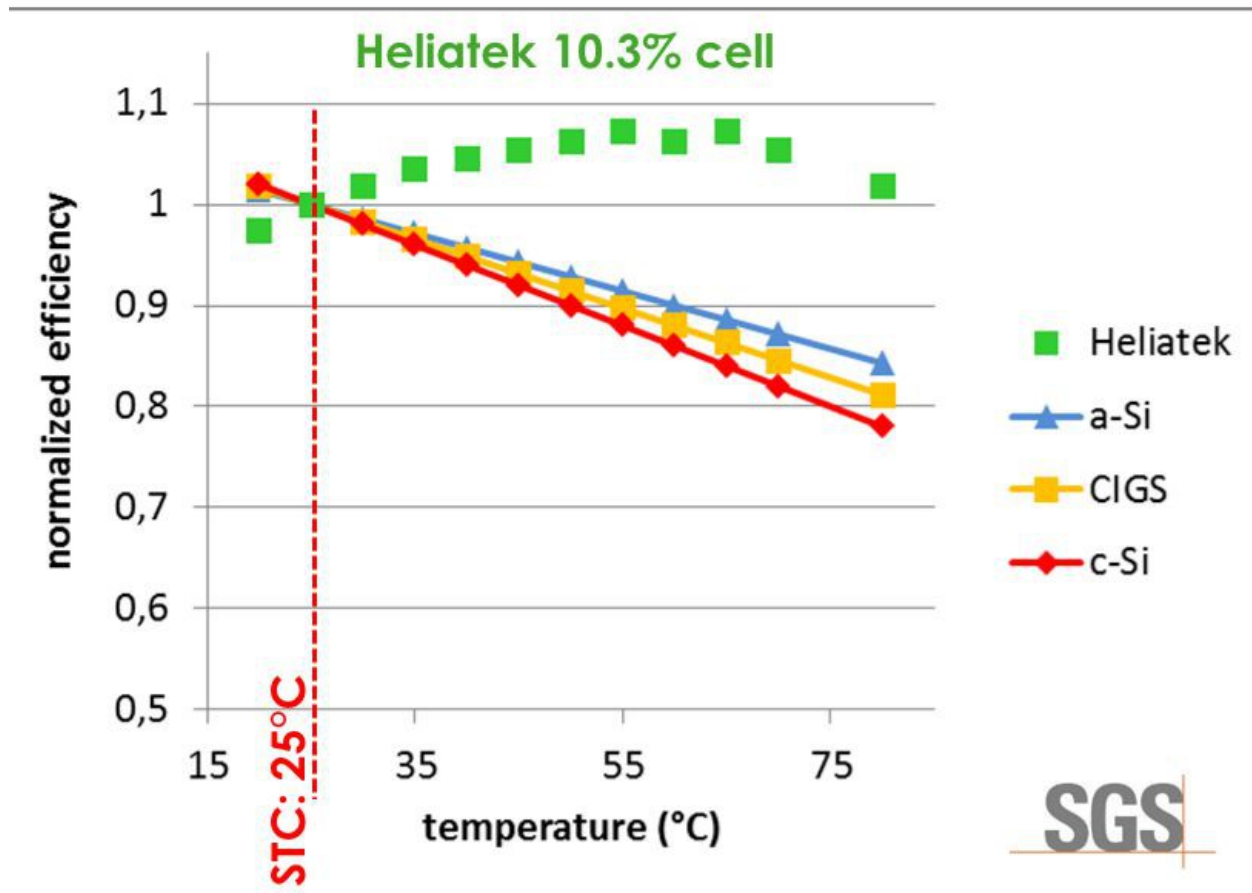


Superior low-light performance:

97 % of full-sun efficiency at 1/10th sun

- Heliatek Absorber
- Certified Efficiency: **8.3 %** (1 cm²)
- Collaboration of Heliatek und IAPP (TU Dresden)

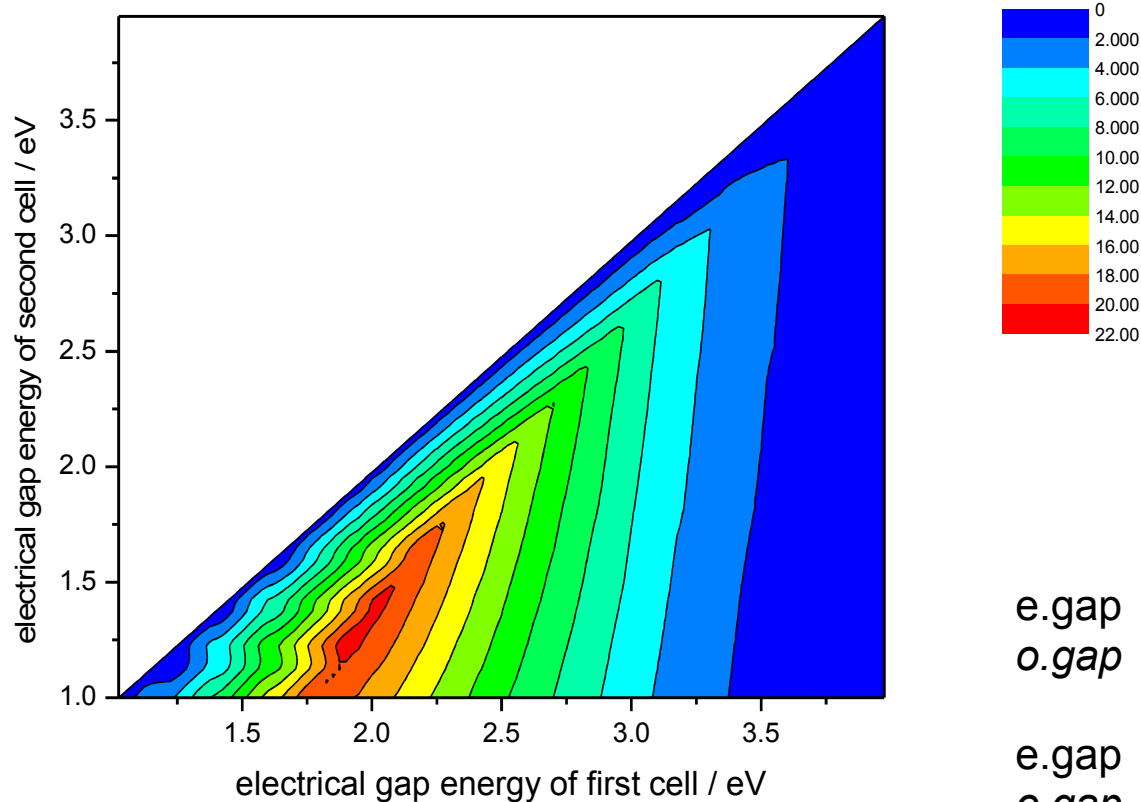
Positive temperature coefficient



- **Heliatek OPV:**
Efficiency has broad maximum between 30°C and 60°C
- c-Si and CIGS:
15 % lower efficiency at 60 °C
- μ c-Si/a-Si:
10 % lower efficiency at 60 °C



Power conversion efficiency of a tandem cell (in %)



Main assumptions:

- EQE 60%
- FF 60%

	first cell	second cell	
e.gap	1.9eV	1.25eV	~21%
o.gap	~770nm	~1300nm	
e.gap	2.1eV	1.5eV	~20%
o.gap	~690nm	~1030nm	
e.gap	2.225eV	1.7eV	~19%
o.gap	~645nm	~890nm	

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Main challenge: Infrared absorbers with good transport properties!

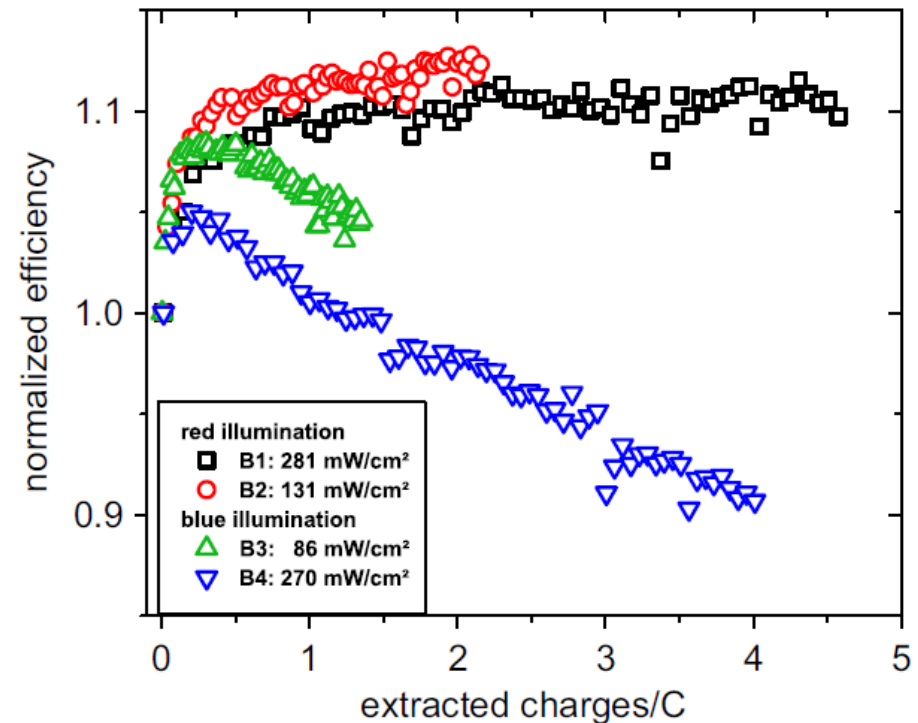
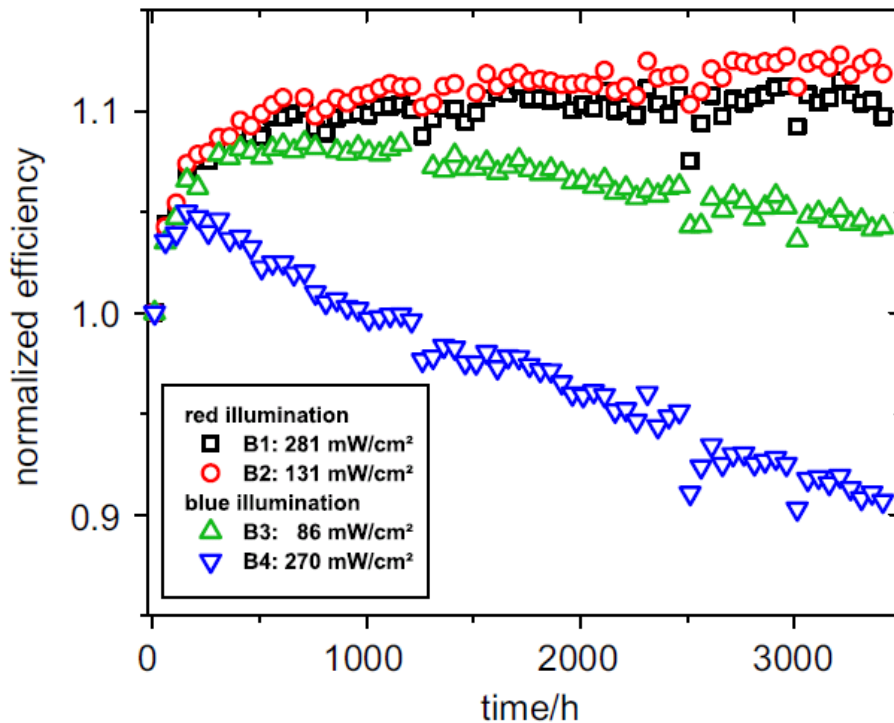
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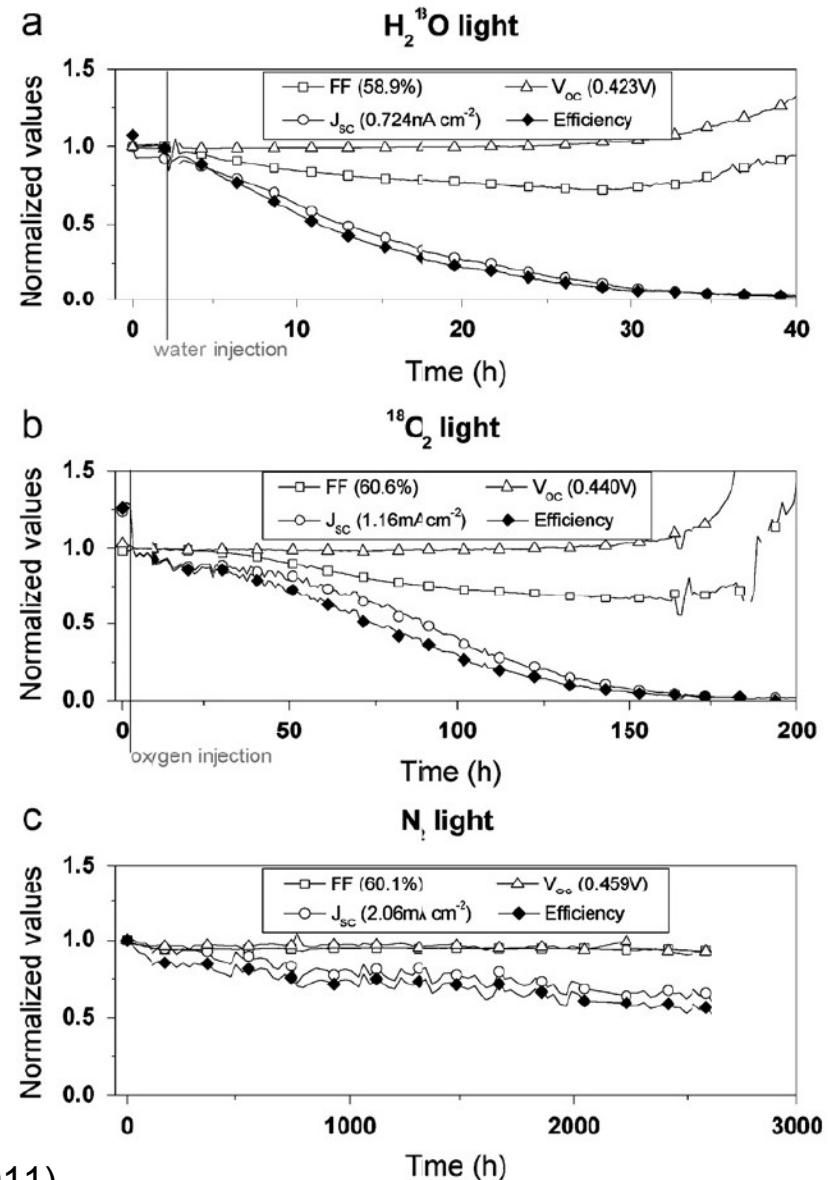
- Lifetime is complex parameter depending on cell and encapsulation
- Extrapolated measurements indicated that cells can be extremely stable
- Detailed studies:
 - Water and oxygen induced degradation of small molecule organic solar cells, M. Hermenau, M. Riede, K. Leo, S. Gevorgyan, F. Krebs, and K. Norrman, Solar Energy Materials & Solar Cells **95**, 1268-1277 (2011)
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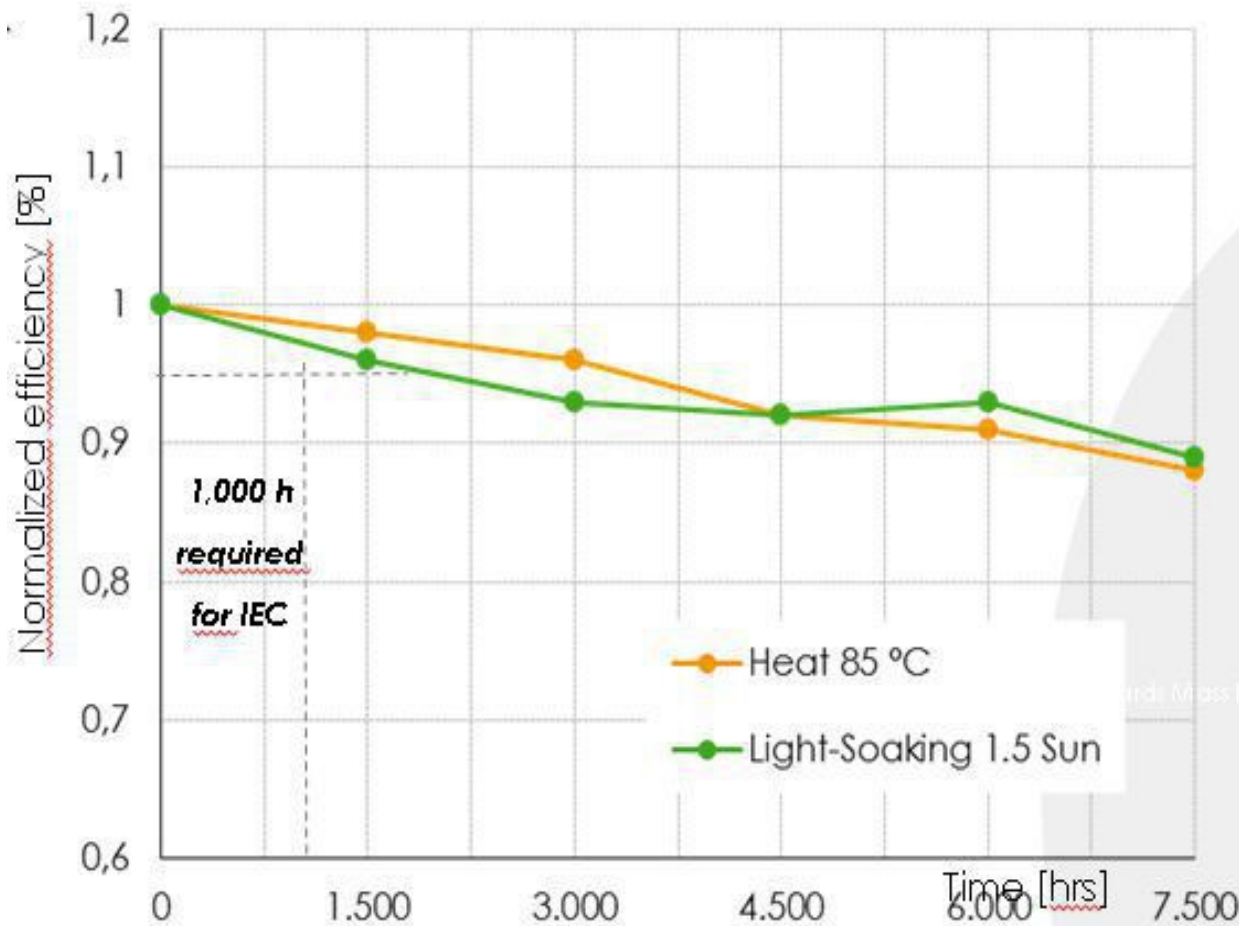
- Degradation is directly proportional to photocurrent



- Mainly current and FF degrade; V_{oc} is rather stable
- Water is much more relevant than oxygen
 - Water leads to oxidation of Al electrode
 - Water induced ZnPc degradation



Aging tests performed on 8.3% record cell, glass encapsulated



Still > 95 % efficiency
after 1,800 hrs
both in light soaking test
and at 85 °C

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Roll to roll vacuum coater

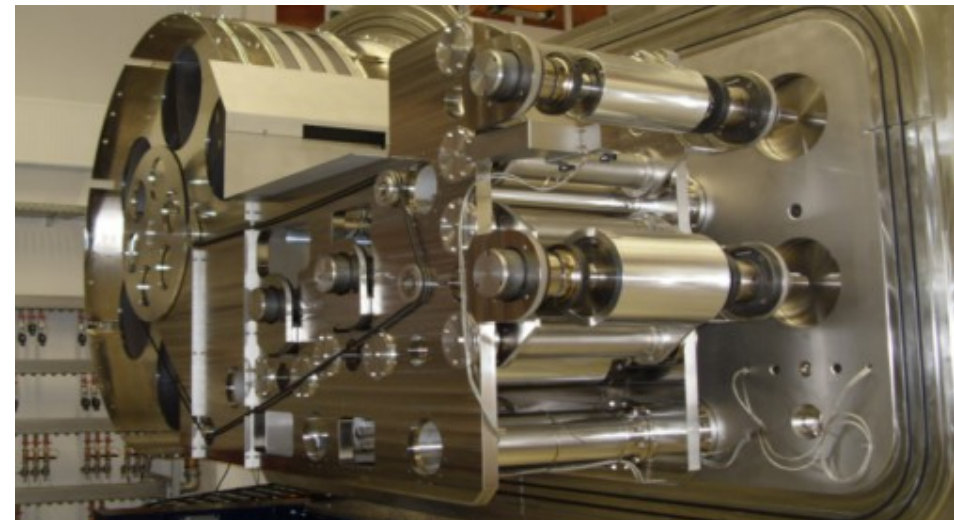


attachement possibility
for a glove box

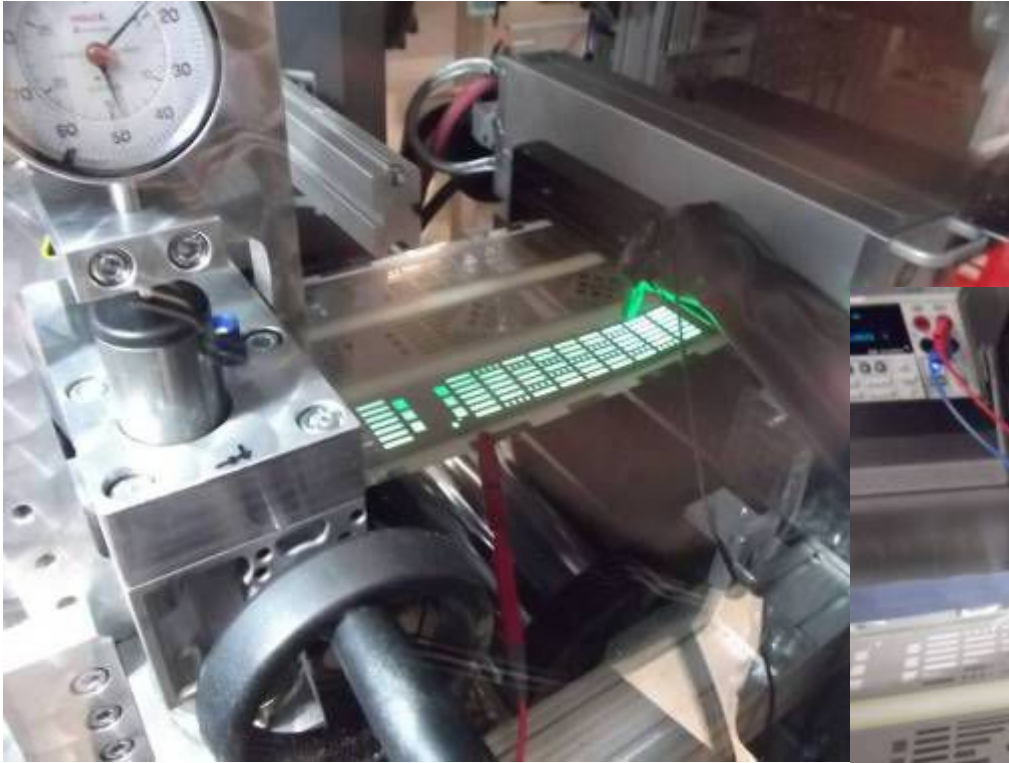


deposition cylinder

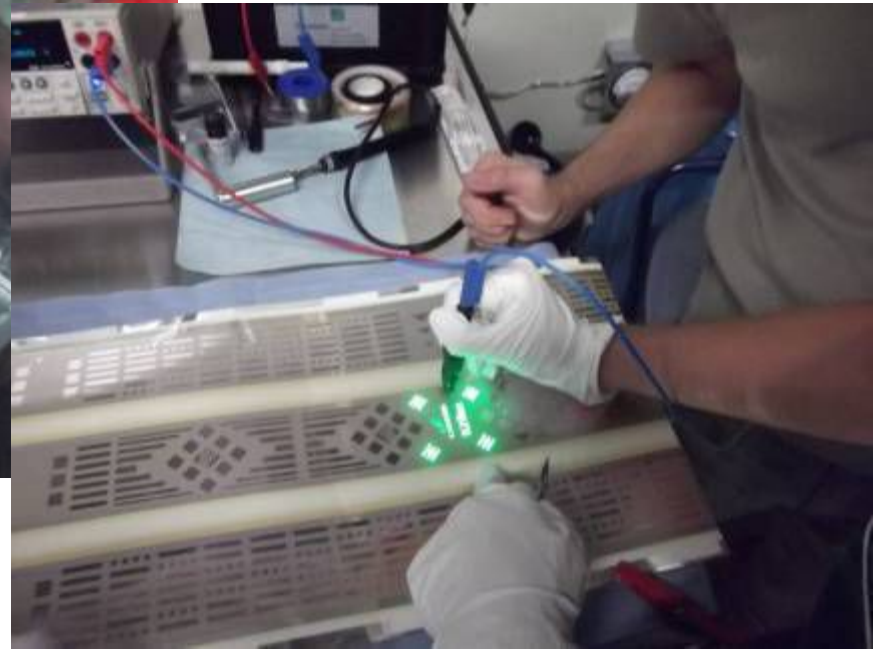
winding units



OLED OPERATION TESTS UNDER INERT CONDITIONS AND AFTER LAMINATION



Electrical tests in the inert box



Electrical tests after the encapsulation



- Building integrated PV (BIPV)
- Automotive
- Outdoor
- Sun shades
- Key advantages:
 - Thin, lightweight
 - Transparent
 - Attractive color



- Organic Solar Cells have developed from lab curiosity to a serious technology
- First serious applications in automotive and building integration
- Module efficiencies beyond 15% seem possible
- Low-cost manufacturing is possible in mid-term future

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