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Mixed-phase hydrogenated silicon oxide ($\text{SiO}_x\text{:H}$) is applied to thin-film hydrogenated amorphous silicon germanium (a-SiGe:H) solar cells serving as both p-doped ...

Researchers from the German Aerospace Center (DLR) have fabricated a semitransparent solar cell based on ultra-thin hydrogenated amorphous multiple quantum wells (MQWs) made of silicon and ...

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Single junction solar cells were fabricated with intrinsic hydrogenated amorphous silicon germanium (a-SiGe:H) as the active layer, that shows a 10% photovoltaic conversion efficiency. The a-SiGe:H active layer of the solar cells of type-A had constant band gap materials while that of type-B had a four step graded band gap by composition gradient ...

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Exposed in step-like formation, layers of new photovoltaic cell harvest more of sun's energy. A silicon solar cell with silicon-germanium filter using a step-cell design (large) and a gallium arsenide phosphide layer on silicon step-cell proof-of-concept solar cell (small). Credit: Tahra Al Hammadi/Masdar Institute News.

Thin-film silicon (Si) solar cells have received wide attention due to their potential for large areas and low-cost manufacturing. The abundance of raw materials makes these solar cells more attractive as a renewable energy source compared to other compound semiconductor thin-film solar cells [1], [2]. Multi-junction Si-based solar cells offer an even more efficient ...

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Abstract -- Silicon germanium solar cells have widely been explored in recent years due to the property of germanium material that is capable to absorb light in low energy (IR range). However ...

In the BG solar cell structure, energy band engineering has been used to increase efficiency and current in the solar cell. In Fig. 2, the energy bands diagram is illustrated in line AA" the use of graded mole fraction of Germanium in the Silicon-Germanium, the band-gap has been graded.

In this paper, we will present ab-initio results of the structural, electronic and optical properties of (1) silicon and germanium nanoparticles embedded in wide band gap materials and (2)...

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