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Recent Advances in Silicon Solar Cells

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Message from the Guest Editors

Over recent decades, photovoltaic devices have shown a big potential to obtain electric power from solar irradiation when compared with other sources. Currently, photovoltaic silicon-based technologies are the most used around the world. In particular, the new presence of novel concepts of silicon solar cells such as HJT and TOPcon solar cells with high efficiency enhances this status.

To continually improve the efficiency and stability of silicon solar cells, new methods of designing, manufacturing processes, and inspection methodologies for silicon solar cells are involved. Furthermore, the rapid development of machine learning promotes the detection efficiency and accuracy of defects from silicon-based wafers to cell fabrication and photovoltaic modules based on state-of-the-art imaging tools.

The proposed Special Issue covers many of the topics mentioned above. The primary aim of this Special Issue is to provide newly developed advanced progress in the field of silicon solar cells.

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