

What are crystalline-silicon heterojunction back contact solar cells?

Provided by the Springer Nature SharedIt content-sharing initiative Crystalline-silicon heterojunction back contact solar cells represent the forefront of photovoltaic technology, but encounter significant challenges in managing charge carrier recombination and transport to achieve high efficiency.

What causes recombination losses in heterojunction back contact solar cells?

In this study, we produced highly efficient heterojunction back contact solar cells with a certified efficiency of 27.09% using a laser patterning technique. Our findings indicate that recombination losses primarily arise from the hole-selective contact region and polarity boundaries.

How efficient is a heterojunction back contact solar cell?

In 2017, Kaneka Corporation in Japan realized heterojunction back contact (HBC) solar cell with an efficiency of up to 26.7% (JSC of 42.5 mA/cm²) [25,26], and recently, LONGi Corporation in China has announced a new record efficiency of 27.30% [16].

Can a heterojunction accelerate a charge carrier?

The built-in field of a heterojunction (Supplementary Figs. 1 and 2 and Supplementary Table 1) can accelerate the charge carriers and has been explored in photocatalysts, photodetection, photovoltaics, and light-emitting diodes [40,41,42,43,44].

Are heterojunctions an emerging material?

In recent years, heterojunctions have received increasing attention from researchers as an emerging material, because the constructed heterostructures can significantly improve the rate capability and cycling stability of the materials.

How efficient are silicon heterojunction solar cells?

Lin, H. et al. Silicon heterojunction solar cells with up to 26.81% efficiency achieved by electrically optimized nanocrystalline-silicon hole contact layers. *Nat. Energy* 8, 789-799 (2023). Lin, H. et al. Unveiling the mechanism of attaining high fill factor in silicon solar cells.

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third lower than the silicon betavoltaic battery [3]. The use of heterojunction photovoltaic cells has not been extensively studied in betavoltaic battery studies. In this ...

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Recombination of photogenerated charge carriers in polymer bulk heterojunction (BHJ) solar cells reduces the short circuit current (J_{sc}) and the fill factor (FF). ...

The polysulfide/iodide flow battery with the graphene felt-CoS₂/CoS heterojunction can deliver a high energy efficiency of 84.5% at a current density of 10 mA ...

The use of earth-abundant materials and the compatibility with scalable nanostructuring and heterojunction preparation techniques offer promising opportunities for ...

Overall, nanoengineering and heterojunction design have a large untapped potential for improving single photoelectrode SRFB PEC performance. In this work, we present ...

Here, for the first time we report a one-dimensional Fe₂O₃/Cu₂O type-II heterojunction nanowire photocathode for light-assisted metal-CO₂ batteries. With this new ...

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To understand how the heterojunction structure of CoO and Co(111) improves the catalytic activities, the charge density difference study of the v-CoO/Co(111) is carried out, ...

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The I_D/I_G values of T-MS/C, g-C₃N₄-coated ZnS/MoS₂ heterojunction (a-MS/C), and ZnS/MoS₂ heterojunction coated with pyrolyzed polypyrrole (v-MS/C) are 1.19, ...

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