

Title (en)

REACTIVE ION ETCHING OF SILICA STRUCTURES

Title (de)

REAKTIVES IONENAETZEN VON SILIZIUMDIOXIDSTRUKTUREN

Title (fr)

GRAVURE DE STRUCTURES DE SILICIUM PAR IONS REACTIFS

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[origin: WO9815504A1] The invention relates to a method for etching of silica-based layers/substrates by reactive ion etching system (10) using an etching gas mixture of CHF<sub>3</sub>/AR through a photoresist mask. Reactive ion etching is carried out under conditions of simultaneous isotropic deposition of a carbon-based polymer where the polymer deposition rate is controlled by adjusting process control parameters of RF power, sample temperature, O<sub>2</sub> and CF<sub>4</sub> additions.

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