

Title (en)  
A MICRO-ELECTROMECHANICALLY TUNABLE VERTICAL CAVITY PHOTONIC DEVICE AND A METHOD OF FABRICATION THEREOF

Title (de)  
MIKROELEKTROMECHANISCH ABSTIMMBARE PHOTONISCHE VORRICHTUNG MIT VERTIKALEM RESONATOR UND VERFAHREN ZU IHRER HERSTELLUNG

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DISPOSITIF PHOTONIQUE A CAVITÉ VERTICALE, POUVANT ETRE ACCORDÉ DE MANIÈRE MICRO-ÉLECTROMÉCANIQUE ET SON PROCÉDÉ DE FABRICATION

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