

Title (en)

SELF ALIGNED CONTACTS FOR BACK CONTACT SOLAR CELLS

Title (de)

SELBSTAUSGERICHTETE KONTAKTE FÜR RÜCKSEITENKONTAKT VON SOLARZELLEN

Title (fr)

CONTACTS AUTO-ALIGNÉS POUR CELLULES SOLAIRES À CONTACT ARRIÈRE

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2015130989A1] According to one aspect of the disclosed subject matter, self aligned contacts for a back contact back junction solar cell are provided. The solar cell comprises a semiconductor layer having a light receiving frontside and a backside opposite the frontside and attached to an electrically insulating backplane. A first metal layer having base and emitter electrodes self aligned to base and emitter regions is positioned on the semiconductor layer backside. A patterned second metal layer providing cell interconnection and connected to the first metal layer by via plugs is positioned on the backplane.

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