

Development of high-performance p-type oxide and halide transistors

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Abstract

Developing high-mobility p-type oxide semiconductors with low-temperature, silicon-compatible growth remains challenging in electronics community. An amorphous p-type oxide semiconductor composed of selenium-alloyed tellurium in a tellurium sub-oxide matrix is developed for high-performance p-channel thin-film transistors (TFTs) and complementary circuits. The selenium alloying suppresses hole concentrations and facilitates the p orbital connectivity, enabling high performance TFTs with field-effect hole mobility of $\sim 15 \text{ cm}^2 \cdot \text{V}^{-1} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$ and on/off current ratios of $10^6 \sim 10^7$ with wafer-scale uniformity. Tin (Sn^{2+}) halide perovskites also emerge as promising p-type candidates but suffer from high film defect density. High-crystallinity cesium-tin-triiodide (CsSnI_3) based semiconducting layers with superior Hall mobilities are introduced for TFTs through judicious engineering of film composition and crystallization. The optimized devices exhibit high field-effect hole mobilities of over $50 \text{ cm}^2 \cdot \text{V}^{-1} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$, current modulation greater than 10^8 and high operational stability. Next, A-site cation engineering method for high-performance pure-Sn perovskite TFTs is introduced, where triple A-cations of caesium-formamidinium-phenethylammonium (CsFAPEA) is used to create high-quality cascaded Sn perovskite channel films with low-defect phase-pure interface. As such, the optimized TFTs show high hole mobilities of over $70 \text{ cm}^2 \cdot \text{V}^{-1} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$ and on/off current ratios of over 10^8 , comparable to the commercial low-temperature polysilicon technique level.

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