

Elaborate photovoltaic heterostructures of BiFeO₃ film and Au nanoparticles layers were designed and constructed.. These photovoltaic heterostructures exhibited the giant enhancement in the photocurrent density, maximum of which is 158 times higher than that of pure BiFeO₃ film.. An underlying mechanism for enhanced photovoltaic ...

enhancement in the graphene due to the plasmonic oscillations [3, 6]. Optical excitation of surface plasmons originates from optically-induced oscillations of free charges (conduction electrons) bound at the metal-dielectric interface. One technique to couple light to plasmonic oscillations is to diffract light by plasmonic nanostructures [22].

This article demonstrates a significant enhancement in the efficiency of an ultra-thin film perovskite solar cell. This has been achieved through the combination of a single-step grating (SSG) structure with metal nanoparticles. To investigate this phenomenon, a comparison is conducted between the proposed structure and plasmonic flat solar cell, by evaluating ...

Gbit/s[8]. However, the low responsivity of graphene-based photodetectors compared to traditional III-V based ones[8] is a potential drawback. Here we show that, by combining graphene with plasmonic nanostructures, the efficiency of graphene-based photodetectors can be increased by up to 20 times, due to field concentration in the area of a p-n ...

Enhancement of the electromagnetic properties of metallic nanostructures constitute an extensive research field related to plasmonics. The latter term is derived from plasmons, which are quanta corresponding to longitudinal waves that are propagating in matter by the collective motion of electrons. Plasmonics are increasingly finding wide application in ...

Enhancement of photoconversion efficiency (PCE) and stability in bulk heterojunction (BHJ) plasmonic organic photovoltaic devices (OPVs) incorporating graphene oxide (GO) thin films as the hole transport layer (HTL) and surfactant free Au nanoparticles (NPs) between the GO HTL and the photoactive layers is demonstrated. Enhancement of ...

Graphene-based photodetectors can be increased by up to 20 times, because of efficient field concentration in the area of a p-n junction, and wavelength and polarization selectivity can be achieved by employing nanostructures of different geometries. From the wide spectrum of potential applications of graphene, ranging from transistors and chemical sensors ...

Plasmonic photovoltaics are one of the most exciting fields in nanophotonics at the moment [48-51] 1998,

Stuart and Hall observed 20-fold enhanced photocurrent at the wavelength of 800 nm when silver nanoparticles were deposited onto silicon [1]. This was the earliest idea of using plasmonic resonances to manipulate light and improve the absorption in ...

A strong plasmonic enhancement of the optical mode has been reported for photodetectors that are based on plasmonic slot waveguides [5], [11], [13], [26], including the aforementioned graphene photodetector with a record-high responsivity of 0.67 A/W.

Nowadays, graphene has many applications in optical instruments, biosensors, gas sensors, photovoltaic cells, and so on. In this study, we aimed at investigating the optical properties of graphene under the influence of plasmons created in one-dimensional photonic crystal structure by making use of the absorption spectrum. We put the gold photonic crystal in ...

Among all the different methods to enhance the optical absorption of photovoltaic devices. The plasmonic effect is one the most prominent and effective ways to capture more incident light and also provide good carrier dynamic management. ... In this paper, the enhancement of perovskite solar cells" both optical and electrical characteristics ...

Near-field thermophotovoltaic (NTPV) devices comprising a SiC-hBN-graphene emitter and a graphene-InSb cell with gratings are designed to enhance the performance of the NTPV systems. Fluctuational electrodynamics and rigorous coupled-wave analysis are employed to calculate radiative heat transfer fluxes. It is found that the NTPV systems with two graphene ...

Among these emerging indoor PV technologies, HPPVs show the best performance; in 2015, a high PCE of 27.4% was reported using $\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_3\text{PbI}_{3-x}\text{Cl}_x$ as the photoactive material under dim-light illumination (Chen et al., 2015). More recently, through tailoring triple-anion perovskite materials, a record high efficiency of 36.3% was achieved for ...

Although perovskite solar cells have shown outstanding photovoltaic performance, there are still various obstacles that limit their performance and that remain as significant challenges. Weak optical absorption rate in the infrared region is a significant drawback for this kind of solar cell. In this paper, Au@SiO₂@Graphene nanoparticles (NPs) as nano-photonic ...

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