

# Light receiving area of â€(â€(silicon photocell

### How does a photocell work?

A photocell is a resistor that changes resistance depending on the amount of light incident on it. A photocell operates on semiconductor photoconductivity: the energy of photons hitting the semiconductor frees electrons to flow, decreasing the resistance. An example photocell is the Advanced Photonix PDV-P5002, shown in Figure 21.2.

#### How does the efficiency of a photocell differ from a real photocell?

and the efficiency is Observe that depends only on the spectral distribution and on the of the semiconductor. It completely ignores the manner in which the device operates. Unlike the efficiency of real photocells, does not depend on the level of illumination.

#### How does a photocell change its resistance?

A photocell or photoresistor is a sensor that changes its resistance when light shines on it. The resistance generated varies depending on the light striking at his surface. A high intensity of light incident on the surface will cause a lower resistance, whereas a lower intensity of light will cause higher resistance.

#### How a photocell module is soldered?

The soldering of cells to the stringing ribbon is carried out by a tabbing machine (using infrared) or by a soldering iron. In the second stage, the photocell clusters are soldered to a "bus ribbon" that carries electric current to the output of the module.

#### How efficient is a photocell at 6000 K?

Figure 14.4 shows how the ideal efficiency of a photocell depends on the band gap energy when exposed to a black body at 6000 K (about the temperature of the sun). Our efficiency calculations, based on Eq. 14.28, use a very simple model that totally ignores the photocell itself which is assumed to be 100% efficient.

#### How do you calculate the sensitivity of a photocell?

The sensitivity of photocells can be quoted in either of two ways, either as the electrical output at a given illumination, using illumination figures in units of lux, often 50 lux and 1000 lux, or as a figure of power falling on the cell per square centimetre of sensitive area, a quantity known as irradiance.

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Document this resistance value, as it will serve as a reference for comparing resistance changes when the photocell is exposed to light in subsequent steps. Step 3: Testing the Light Resistance. Now that you have ...

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When light is absorbed by the silicon, negatively charged electrons are knocked loose from the silicon atoms, causing them to flow freely and create an electric current. The current and power produced by a photocell depends on the light intensity, surface area exposed to light, and distance from the light source. Photocells produce energy ...

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The single receiving area of Si photocell chip is 3 × 36 mm 2. For 2 × 8 arrays, the area is 1728 mm 2. So the efficiency of the 2 × 8 array is 8.1%. The spectral response of Si photocell chip made influence on the received light power as our LED light is mainly made up of blue and yellow.

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When the input light intensity of silicon photocell is constant, the relationship between the output voltage and current of the photocell along with the change of load resistance is called the volt ampere characteristic. Load characteristics The photocell is used as a battery, as shown in figure 3. Under the influence of internal electric field, the incident photon will excite the bound ...

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