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"Emerging technologies in Advanced Computation, Advanced Functionalities, Ground-breaking Technologies: Impact on International Cooperation"

Emerging Material Integration for Advanced Functionality of Semiconductor Devices and Systems

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The screenshot shows the ICOS website with a navigation bar (Home, About ICOS, Strategy, Project) and a main content area. The title is "Pivotal role of international research cooperation". The text discusses the value of international research cooperation in the semiconductor industry, mentioning the International Technology Roadmap for Semiconductors (ITRS) and the International Roadmap for Devices and Systems (IEEE-IRDS).

Introduction

A long-term expert-driven mechanism for international research cooperation

Road mapping creates new value from collective knowledge



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International standards serve to advance mutual understanding between different cultures and spread knowledge and innovation

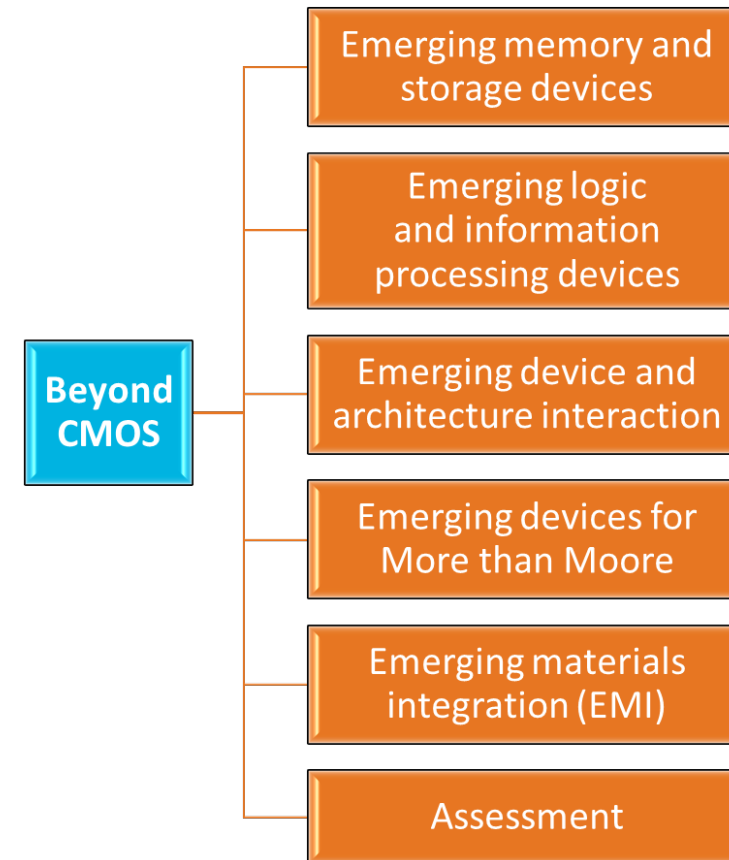
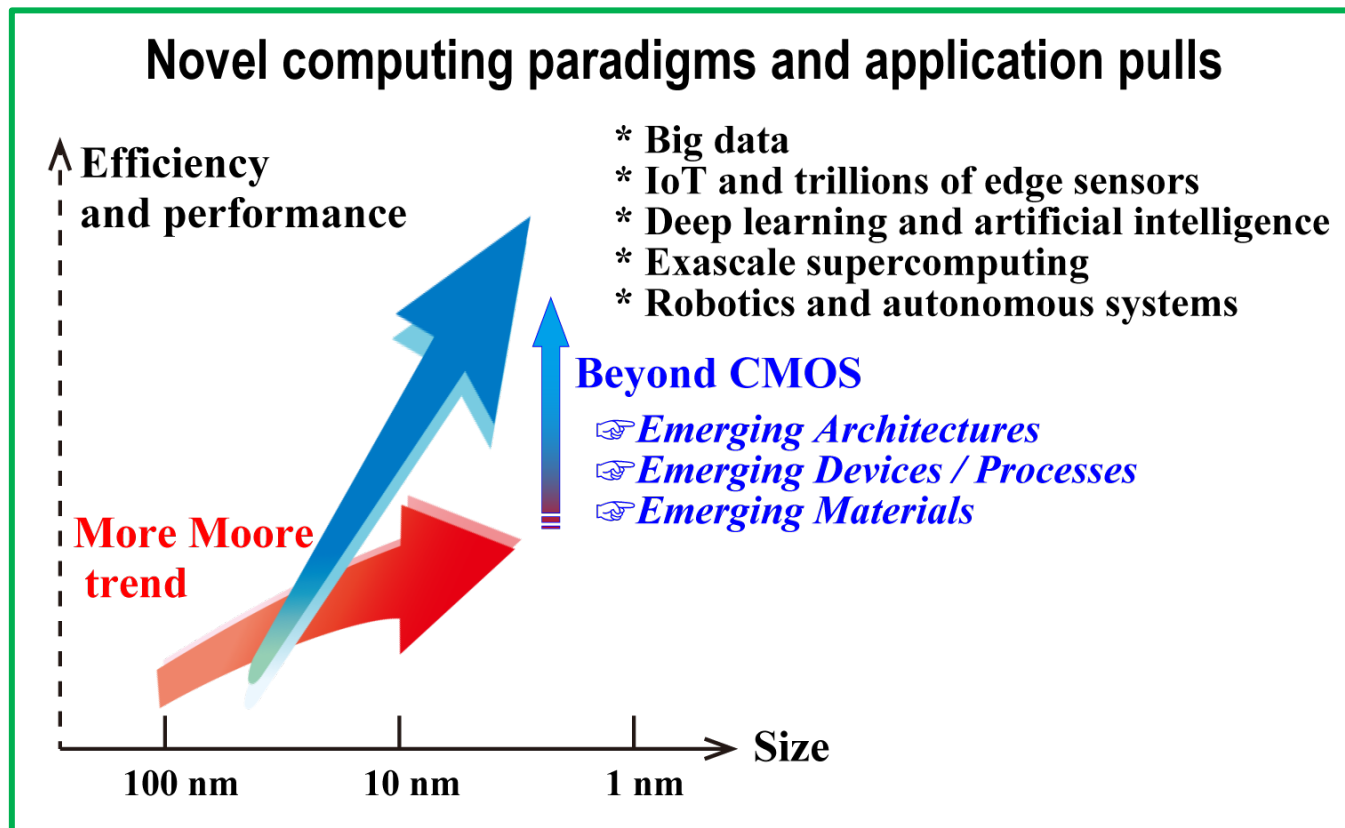
These cooperations act as both wings of a bird to promote research and development

IRDS Beyond CMOS






IRDS: International Roadmap for Devices and Systems

- Most beyond-CMOS devices have been proposed to address the scaling challenges
- Many of them are also explored for novel computing paradigms beyond Boolean logic



IRDS Beyond CMOS





White Paper 2024
Generic Challenges and International Cooperation in the Semiconductor Field
A European Perspective
icos-semiconductors.eu

Challenge 1 Manufacturing Fabs

Chip manufacturing infrastructure in the EU is missing or is outdated

The first challenge relates to those semiconductor technologies or technology nodes where the EU lacks manufacturing infrastructure or where the available infrastructure is no longer at the state-of-the-art level. The ideal scenario would enable Europe to host comprehensive manufacturing capacities for all key semiconductor technologies³, ensuring that European customers and industries can access critical components through either foundry or IDM⁴ models. Such an infrastructure, based on over technical and commercial strategies, primarily in European hubs, contrasts with this ideal, highlighting a pressing need for infrastructure.

Obvious examples of lacking infrastructure include the most advanced CMOS⁵ node. The recently completed Intel Leixlip (Ireland) fab runs an Intel 4 node⁶ and the planned Intel M⁷ will likely run an Intel 16A or 14A node⁷. Other companies, including TSMC, Intel, and Global Foundries, are also planning investments in Europe for CMOS nodes. Most of these investments rely heavily on public funding, as is typically the case elsewhere in the world⁸. Public contributions originate from the European Union or regional funding bodies. Nevertheless, most of these new developments are in the US, and the number of fabs for sub 28 nm nodes is still very limited in Europe.

While onshoring is the most direct and sovereign way to create chip manufacturing capacity, there may be factors that put forward near-shoring and friend-shoring as viable alternatives for European chipmakers to establish a manufacturing supply chain and on the other hand, customers to secure access to chip manufacturing. These approaches not only help mitigate

³ Key semiconductor technologies include amongst others:

1. Advanced computing technologies such as: advanced logic technologies (multi-gate devices, nanowires, nanosheets, 3D integration, etc.), advanced memory technologies (charge-based and non-charge-based memories, including PCRAM (Phase-Change Random Access Memory), RRAM (Resistive Random Access Memory), MRAM (Magnetoresistive Random Access Memory), FeFET (Ferroelectric Field-Effect Transistor memory), neuromorphic computing, quantum computing, very low power technologies such as FD-SOI (Fully Depleted Silicon-on-Insulator), etc.

Key semiconductor technologies;
Resistive Random Access Memory

For example,
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Session, Paper Id 1405,
How Significant Is Set
Programming Strategy in
Enhancing RRAM
Technology?
T. Bauvent et al.

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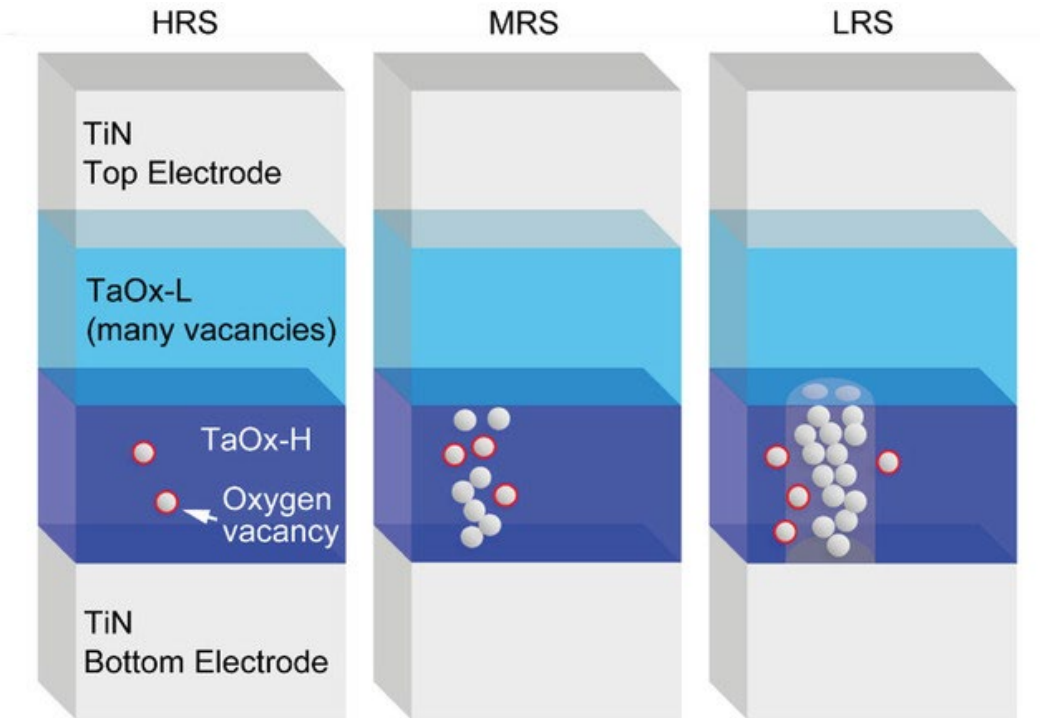


Fig. 5 Schematics of filament conduction in the resistive switching device. The red circle indicates the isolated trap, which is considered the noise source.

K. Sugawara, H. Shima, M. Takahashi, Y. Naitoh, H. Suga, and H. Akinaga, "Low-Frequency-Noise Spectroscopy of TaOx-based Resistive Switching Memory", Adv. Electron. Mater. 2022, 8, 2100758, <https://doi.org/10.1002/aelm.202100758>

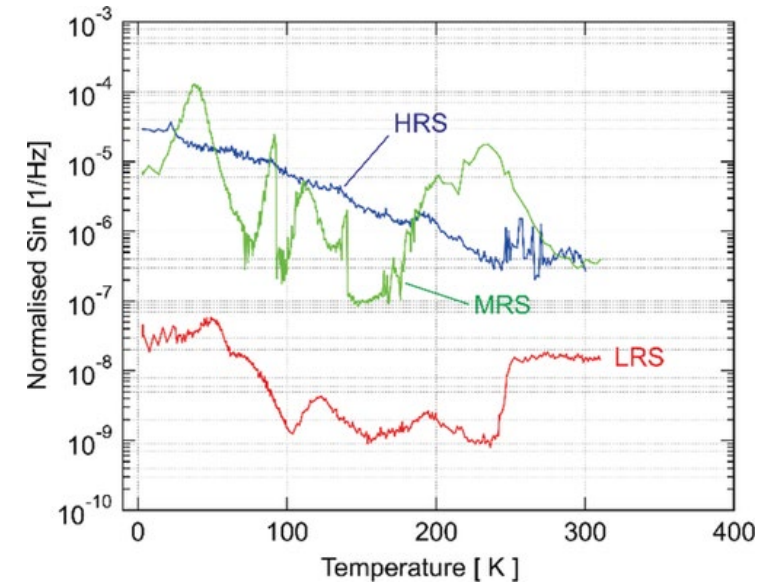


Fig.2 Changes in noise spectra normalized using the current, Sin, at a given frequency of 10 Hz as a function of temperature for HRS, MRS, and LRS.



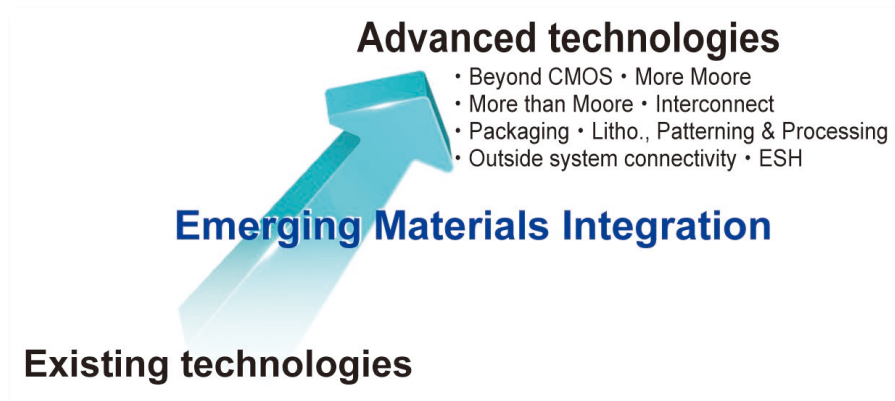
Emerging Materials Integration (EMI)

Actively adopted the perspective of emerging material development and integration using informatics, machine learning, and data-driven technologies, etc.

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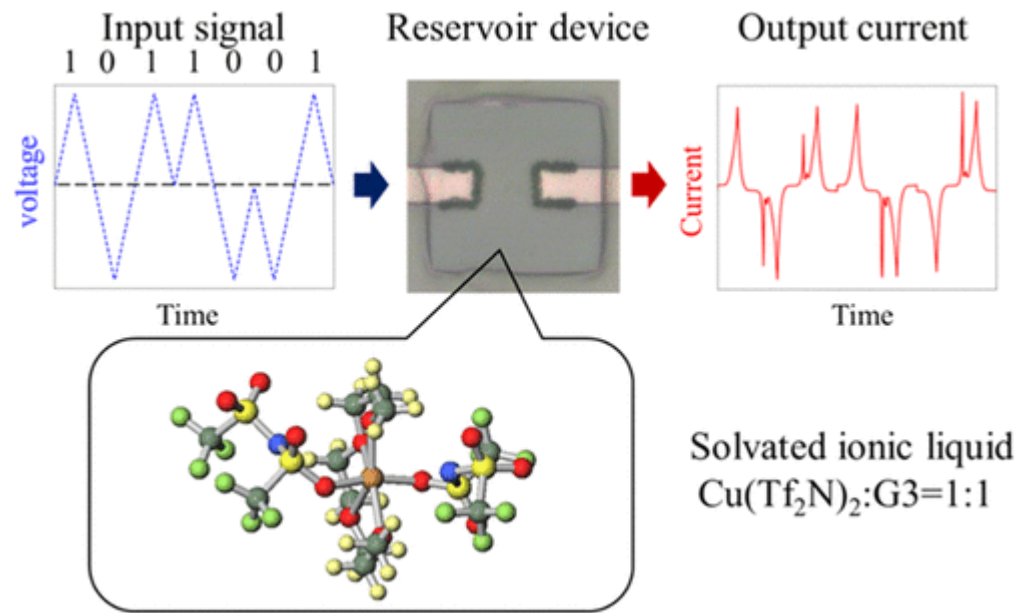


Typical example of EMI

6.3.3.3. EMERGING MATERIALS FOR NOVEL COMPUTING

Emerging materials spur developments of novel computing, such as neuromorphic computing, reinforcement learning, topological quantum computing, and reversible computing, and probabilistic computing. Since the performance of the computing is considered to be dependent on the intrinsic properties of the emerging material, the material research will further boost the performance, such as the energy efficiency ^{1202,1203,1204,1205,1206,1207}. Two-dimensional materials are also expected to play an important role in memristors for neuromorphic computing. ^{1208, 1209}

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Dynamic Nonlinear Behavior of Ionic Liquid-Based Reservoir Computing Devices

T. Matsuo et al., ACS Appl. Mater. Interfaces 2022, 14, 32, 36890–36901

<https://doi.org/10.1021/acsami.2c04167>

Reference: Reservoir Computing by Memristors (Open Access)

Midya, R., Wang, Z., Asapu, S., Zhang, X., Rao, M., Song, W., Zhuo, Y., Upadhyay, N., Xia, Q. and Yang, J.J. (2019), Reservoir Computing Using Diffusive Memristors. Adv. Intell. Syst., 1: 1900084. <https://doi.org/10.1002/aisy.201900084>

Emerging Materials Integration

Emerging Materials for More-than-Moore Diversification

*Revisions are underway for the 2024 edition.

Emerging Materials Integration



ESSCIRC/ESSDERC 2023
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"European Strengths and Gaps in Emerging Semiconductor Technologies"

Energy Harvesting: review of the main EU and international activities and technologies

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https://www.sinano.eu/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/ICOSworkshop_ESSDERC_Energy-Harvesting.pdf

Emerging Materials Integration

Energy Harvesting for Green Transition (Transformation)

PROPOSAL FOR A NEW FIELD OF TECHNICAL ACTIVITY
ISO TS/P 317 (2023.10), Human-centered transition pathway

Benefits to SDG 7

https://www.jisc.go.jp/international/nwip/TSP317_Human-centered%20transition%20pathways.pdf

Near-Zero Energy (NZE) devices that are capable of connecting and communicating over the cellular network

Next G Alliance

<https://nextgalliance.org/>

Proposal for a
REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL
concerning batteries and waste batteries, repealing Directive 2006/66/EC and amending
Regulation (EU) No 2019/1020, **See Article 9**

Emerging Materials Integration

Energy Harvesting for AI

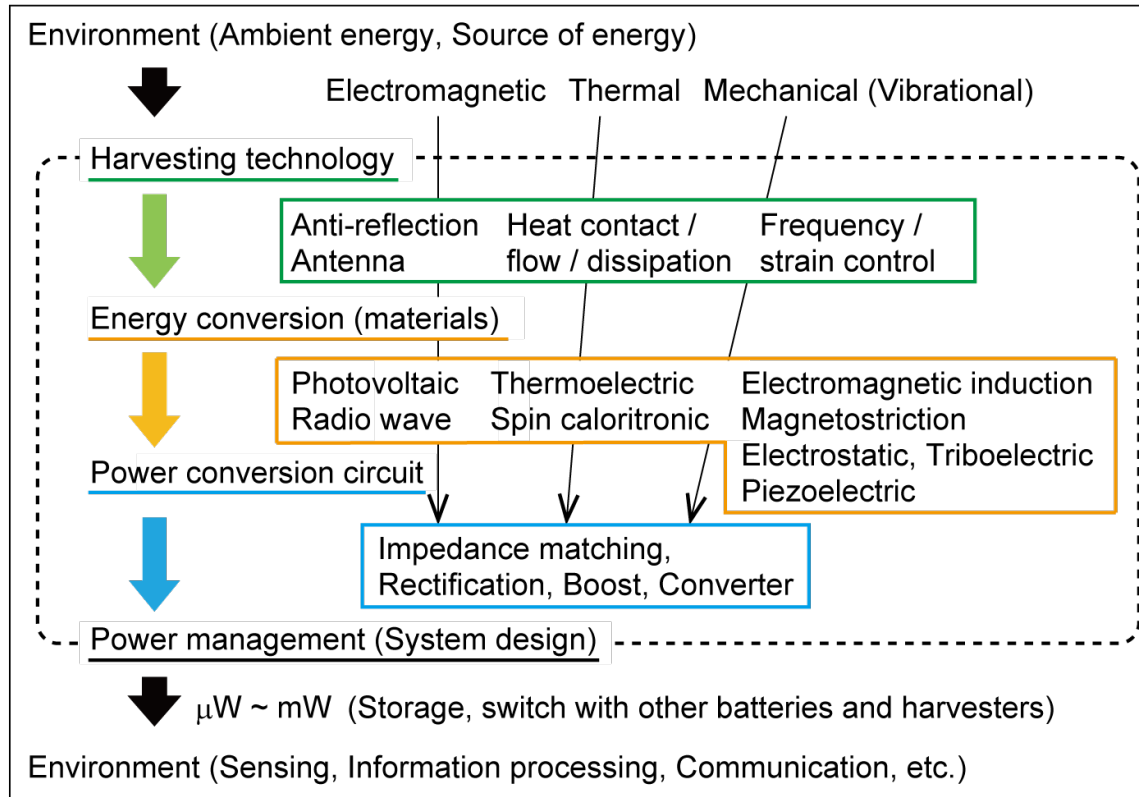


Fig. 1. Survey of energy harvesting technologies.

AI learning and inference

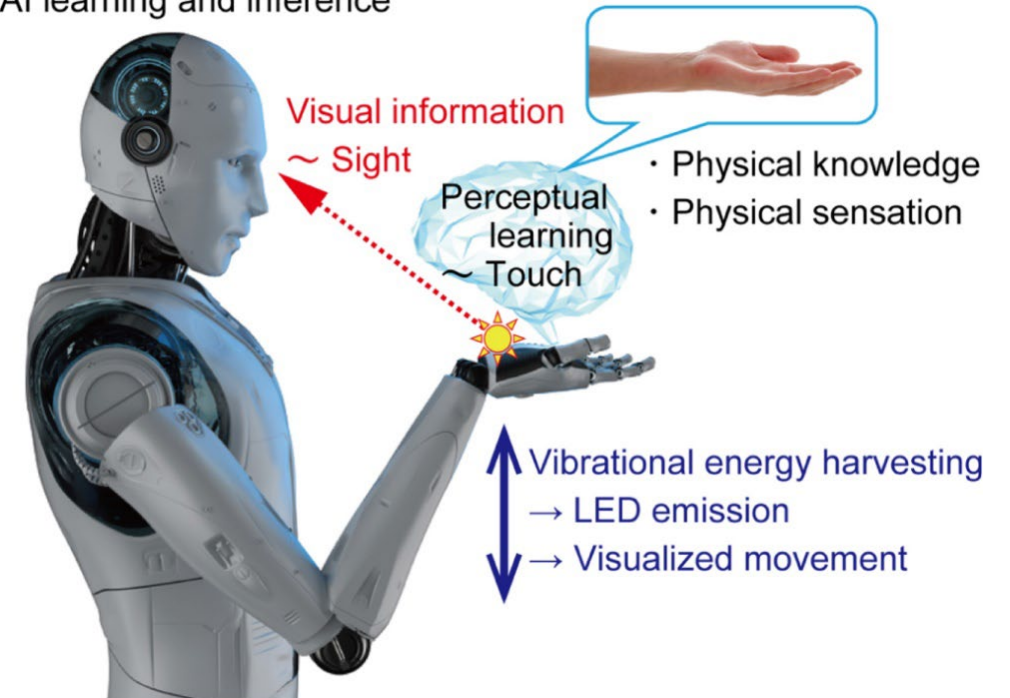


Fig. 6. Possible future of energy harvesting technology.

H. Akinaga, *Jpn. J. Appl. Phys.* 59, 110201 (2020)
<https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.35848/1347-4065/abbfa0/pdf>



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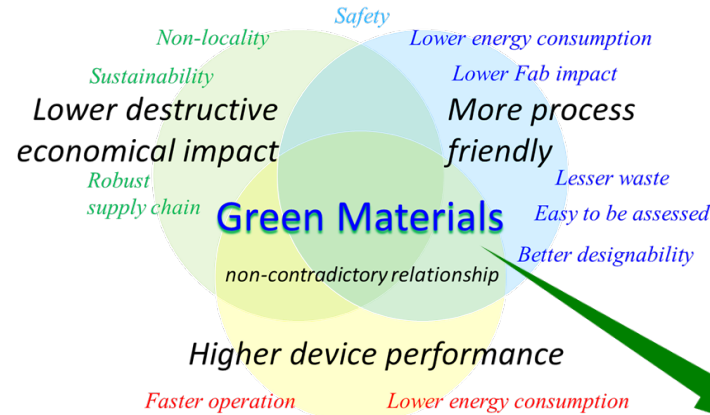
EMI for Environmental, Social, Health and Safety (ESHS)

Table EMI2 Long term difficult challenges for emerging research materials

<i>Green and sustainable fabrication</i>	To realize an integration process that is environmentally friendly and economically viable. Utilizing AI, ML, and informatics to develop production processes that can introduce green new materials.
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Liaison concept of Materials Sub-team & EMI of BC

NEEDS AND CHALLENGES OF EMERGING RESEARCH MATERIALS FOR ESHS



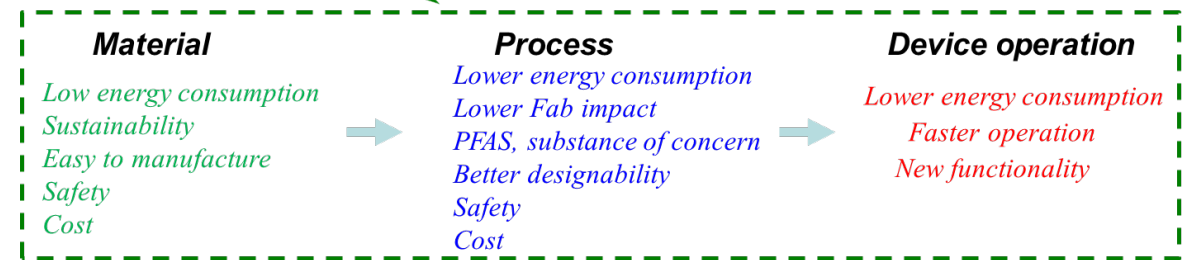
R&D of Beyond CMOS devices will be stout under limitation of Green Materials.

Life cycle assessment
Circular economy
Zero emission

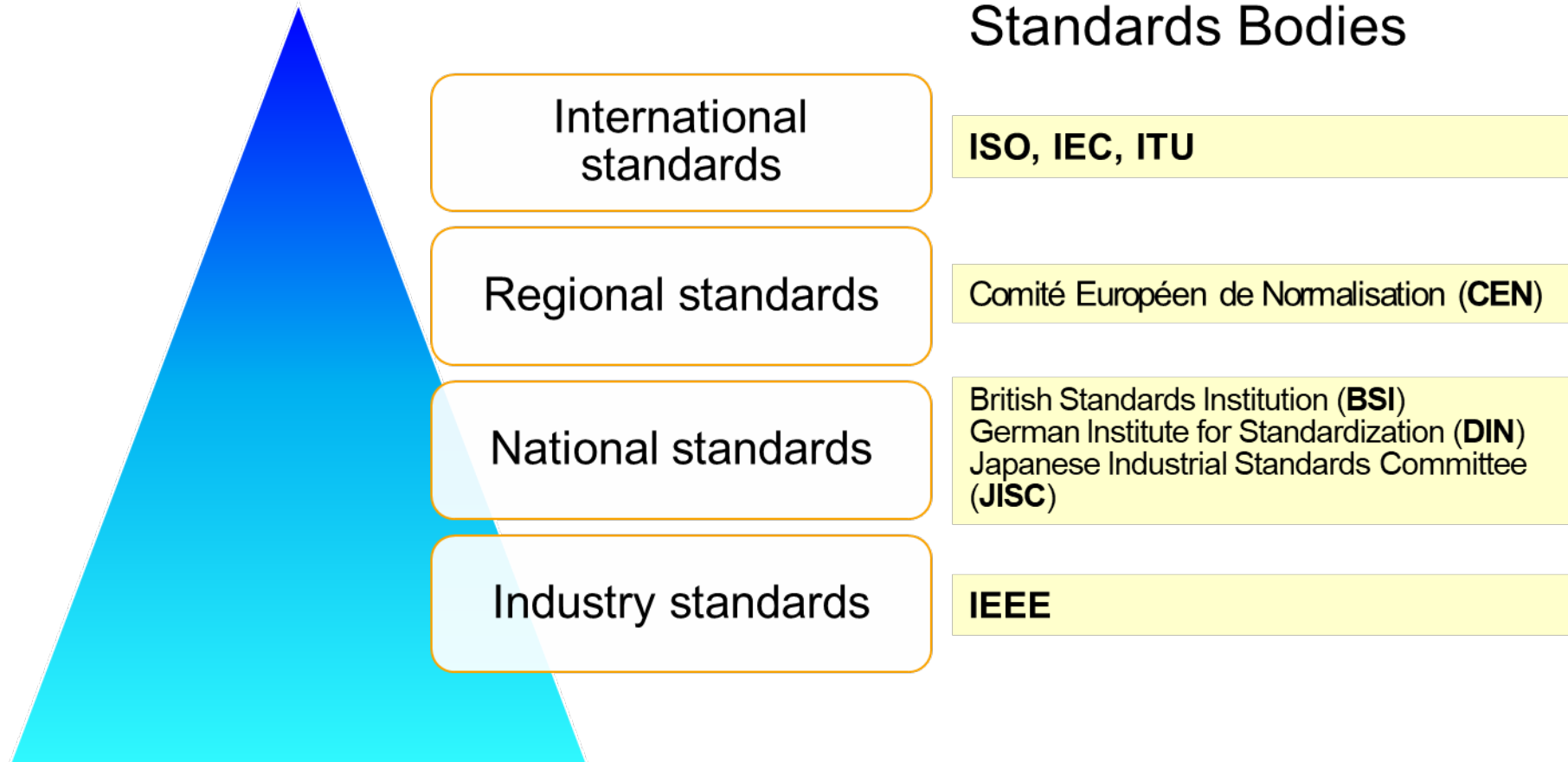
Evaluation index

Updated toward 2024!

Sustainability,
Environmental impact
Part I: Materials for Device
Part II: Materials for Process



➤ Hierarchy of standards



Representative Standards Bodies

➤ Classification by Developer / De jure, Forum, and De facto standards

The role of international standards

◆ **Early Development Stage:**

Terminology and units

◆ **Peak Development Stage:**

- Characterization
- Reliability, durability
- Others

Standards for Technology Development

Benefit R&D as common platform

Spur R&D as part of inseparable wheels in combination with road mapping (such as IRDS)

◆ **Early Stage of Business Development:**

Interface/Safety

Standards for Business Promotion

◆ **Peak Stage of Business Development:**

Product standards

Standards for Users

*Approaches vary by industry type.

TC 113 Nanotechnology for electrotechnical products and systems

Scope **Structure** Projects / Publications Documents Votes Meetings Collaboration Platforms

Subcommittee(s) and/or Working Group(s) > [WG 7](#)

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WG7: Reliability

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Member

WG 13 Convenor & Members

WG13: Wafer-Scale System Integration

Convenor	National Committee
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Member	National Committee

WG 13 Task: To develop standards for measurement, characterization, test methods and the assessment of performance related to the nanotechnology-enabled wafer-scale system integration for support of continuous improvement at all stages of the functional diversification. The activity is expected to promote More-than-Moore activities, especially in which nano materials plays a crucial role, in the close relationship to IEEE and other IEC, ISO committees

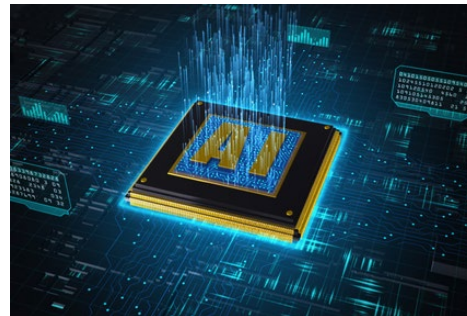
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International standards related to BC/EMI

Test method to determine physical properties (KCC) of nano-enabled electronic devices

IEC TS 62607-8-3
Nano-enabled metal-oxide interfacial devices - Analogue resistance change and resistance fluctuation: Electrical resistance measurement

H. Shima, M. Takahashi, Y. Naitoh and H. Akinaga, "Electrode Material Dependence of Resistance Change Behavior in Ta₂O₅ Resistive Analog Neuromorphic Device," in *IEEE Journal of the Electron Devices Society*, vol. 6, pp. 1220-1226, 2018, <https://doi.org/10.1109/JEDS.2018.2875942>



IEC TS 62607-8-2
Polarization states at metal / oxide interface by TSDC

IEC TS 62607-8-1
Defect states at metal / oxide interface by TSC

Ref. H. Akinaga and H. Shima, "Resistive Random Access Memory (ReRAM) Based on Metal Oxides," in *Proceedings of the IEEE*, vol. 98, pp. 2237-2251, Dec. 2010, <https://doi.org/10.1109/JPROC.2010.2070830>



IEC 62876-3-2(tentative)
Passivation (Graphene):
Reliability assessment by
Ellipsometry

Ref. S. Nakajima *et al* 2023 *Jpn. J. Appl. Phys.* **62** SC1092. <https://doi.org/10.35848/1347-4065/acb77a>

IEC TS 62607-2-4
Interconnect (Carbon nanotube materials)

IEC/TR 63258
Dielectric layer by ellipsometry

Prospect

Road mapping

International standards

Create a healthy development competition and market environment through roadmapping and international standardization

New materials integration technologies bring advanced and diverse functionality to semiconductor devices and systems

Appendix: External presentations and publications

- “Beyond CMOS” article in the EDS Newsletter (Jul. 2021, vol. 28, no. 3)
https://eds.ieee.org/images/files/newsletters/Newsletter_July21.pdf

- “Beyond-CMOS roadmap” paper in Jpn. J. Appl. Phys. (Jun. 14, 2022)
<https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.35848/1347-4065/ac5d86>
<https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.35848/1347-4065/ac5d86/pdf>

- Global Innovation Platform
H. Akinaga, “Open foundry to spur open-innovation
- Establishment of a foundry to realize an innovative cooperation platform and development of its sustainable management strategy –”, Synthesiology 7 (2014) pp.1-11
<https://doi.org/10.5571/syntheng.7.1>

Emerging Materials Integration

Recent topics: Emerging Materials for Thermal Energy Harvesting

S. Bano, R. Chetty, J. Babu, and T. Mori, "**Mg₃(Sb,Bi)₂**-based materials and devices rivaling bismuth telluride for thermoelectric power generation and cooling", Device 2 (2024) 100408, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.device.2024.100408>

Recent topics: Test methods for Thermal Energy Harvesting

R. Chetty, J. Babu, and T. Mori, "**Best practices for evaluating the performance of thermoelectric devices**", Joule 8 (2024) 556, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.joule.2024.02.009>

IRDS MtM Related Activities for Thermal Energy Harvesting

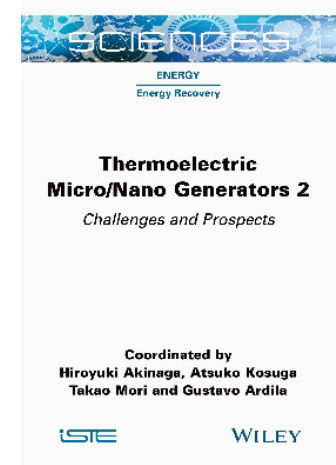
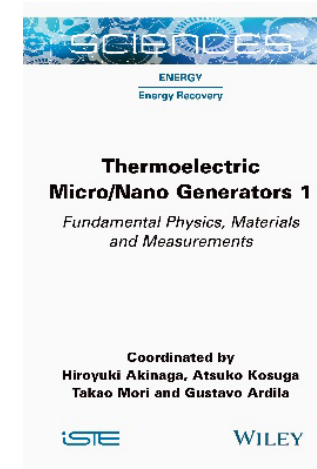
SCIENCES - Energy Recovery

Thermoelectric Micro/Nano Generators 1: Fundamental Physics, Materials and Measurements

<https://iste.co.uk/book.php?id=2071>

Thermoelectric Micro/Nano Generators 2: Challenges and Prospects

<https://iste.co.uk/book.php?id=2072>



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Historisch Stadhuis van Leuven @ 1997