microPRO[™] XS OCF

SELECTIVE LASER ANNEALING FOR OHMIC CONTACT FORMATION (OCF)

The microPRO XS OCF system provides selective laser annealing with high repeatability and throughput in a versatile system. Combining a state-of-the-art laser optic module with 3D-Micromac's modular processing platform, the microPRO XS is ideally suited for ohmic contact formation (OCF) in silicon carbide (SiC) power devices. It forms ohmic interfaces a while preventing the generation of large carbon clusters and heat-related damage to the front side of the wafer.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Prevents the generation of large carbon clusters
- Avoids heat-related damage to the front side of the wafer
- Standard wafer size: 150 mm (200 mm option available)
- Wafer handling available
- Best-in-class cost per wafer
- Small footprint
- Flexible recipe programming and wide parameter range





microPRO[™] XS OCF - SYSTEM CONFIGURATION



BENEFITS

- Forms ohmic Ni-silicide interfaces especially suitable for thin wafer
- Homogeneous process results by spot scanning
- Very high energy homogeneity
- Freely programmable geometry for test patterns
- Full range of services available, including feasibility studies, recipe development, contract manufacturing, pilot production and global customer support

Suitable for	Ohmic contact formation (OCF) for silicon carbide (SiC) power device wafers
Wafer size	 Standard wafer diameter: up to 150 mm Optional wafer diameter: up to 200 mm Standard wafer thickness: 100 - 500 μm Capability for wafers on glass carrier
Laser source and beam delivery	 ns UV DPSS laser Fluency on wafer level: 0.5 4 J/cm² Flat top laser spot profile Galvo scanning device Integrated monitoring of laser energy and beam profile
Alignment	Automatic wafer alignment
Process chamber	 Inert gas chamber Standard: nitrogen, others on request O₂ concentration monitoring
Options	 Fully automated open cassette wafer handling - thin wafer approved ID Reader for wafer and/or cassette SECS/GEM implementation Filter fan unit/active exhaust system
Standards	 Compatible with common SEMI standards Laser safety class 1 CE conformity
Footprint	• 1,340 x 3,200 mm ² including handling