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Recent Advances in Thin-Film Transistors: From Design to Application

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Thin-film transistors (TFTs) initially transformed display technology and are now driving innovations in fields like biomedical sensing, wearable electronics, memory devices, and 3D ICs. Their advantages—such as lowcost fabrication, tunable electrical properties, and substrate compatibility-make them ideal for nextgeneration applications. Recent advances in semiconductor materials (e.g., high-mobility oxides, organics, 2D materials), novel architectures (e.g., vertical transistors, heterostructures), and modeling of charge transport and interfaces are pushing the boundaries of performance. Research aims to tailor these aspects for speed, sensitivity, stability, and new applications We invite original research and reviews for the Special Issue, "Recent Advances in Thin-Film Transistors: From Design to Application"Topics include novel materials and scalable architectures, charge transport modeling and reliability, advanced display technologies, and emerging applications in biomedical, neuromorphic, memory, and 3D IC fields applications.

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