

Low Loss Vertical Cavity Surface Emitting Laser



AI Overview

Low-loss VCSELs are semiconductor lasers designed to minimize optical and electrical losses, achieving high efficiency, high-speed modulation, and bright output for optical communication and sensing applications.

Overview of VCSELs

Vertical Cavity Surface Emitting Lasers (VCSELs) are semiconductor lasers that emit light perpendicular to the chip surface, unlike conventional edge-emitting lasers that emit from the sides of the wafer. This vertical emission allows easier integration into compact systems, high-density arrays, and simultaneous testing during fabrication, which improves yield and reduces material waste. VCSELs are widely used in fiber-optic communications, LiDAR, optical interconnects, and consumer electronics like Face ID and laser printers.

Low-Loss Design Principles

Low-loss VCSELs focus on reducing optical and electrical losses to enhance efficiency and output power. Key strategies include:

- Selective oxidation for current and photon confinement: This technique confines the current to the active region and reduces scattering losses, improving efficiency.
- Optimized cavity and reflector design: High-reflectivity mirrors and precise cavity length control minimize photon loss and enhance the laser's quality factor

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