



Break-out Session



Inkjet-printed applications - PV, LEDs and integrated Devices



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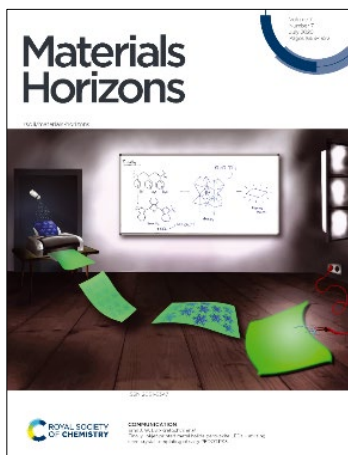


JointLab

Inkjet-printing is a **reliable, versatile** and **cost-effective industrial production technology** in many areas from graphics to printed electronics.

We use Inkjet-printing technology as a

- a) **scalable deposition technique** for hybrid and metal halide perovskite optoelectronic applications (PV, LED, FET,...).¹
- b) highly **accurate additive and subtractive process** such as metallization and module structuring.²
- c) **material screening** platform, e.g. combinatorial inkjet-printing.³



First Inkjet-printed perovskite LED

[1] Hermerschmidt and Mathies *et al.*
Mater. Horiz., 2020,7, 1773-1781



Particle-free silver ink

[2] Yang *et al.* *J. Mater. Chem. C*, 2020, Advance Article



Combinatorial high-throughput printing

[3] Näsström *et al.* *J. Mater. Chem. A*, 2020,8, 22626-22631

inkjet-printing perovskite solar cells at HZB

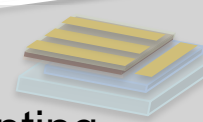
R&D

- Ink characterization
- Ink development
- Inkjet-printing process development
- New hybrid Materials
- Small area devices (<math><1\text{cm}^2</math>)



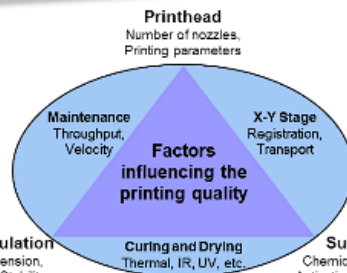
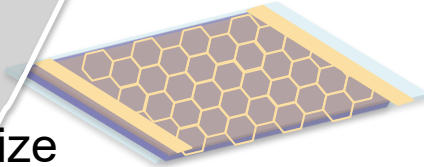
Prototyping

- Small and medium area devices ($\sim\text{cm}^2$)
- Module development
- Ambient and inert printing
- Up to 17% PCE



Industrial Printing

- Multi-head & combinatorial printing
- Up-scaling to full wafer size
- Controlled atmosphere



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PixDro LP50

Konica Minolta

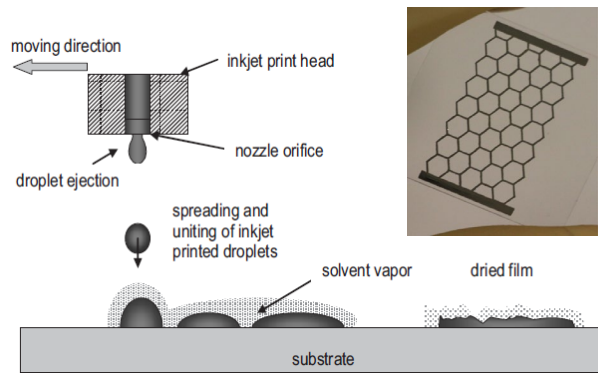


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inkjet-printed transparent conductive electrodes (TCEs)



requirements:

- low cost, flexible, stable,
- low sheet resistance ($< 5\Omega/\text{sq}$)

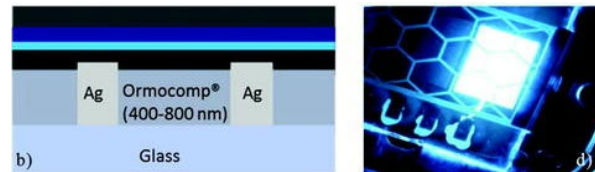
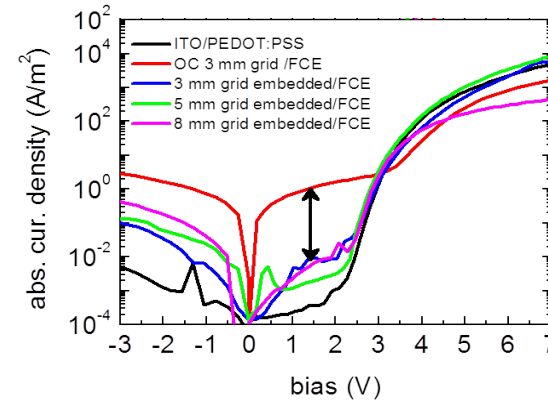
state of the art:

- indium tin oxide (ITO)
- aluminium-doped zinc oxide (AZO)

emerging alternatives:

- carbon nanotubes or graphene
- PEDOT:PSS
- Cu/Ag nanowires (NWs)
- particle-free inks

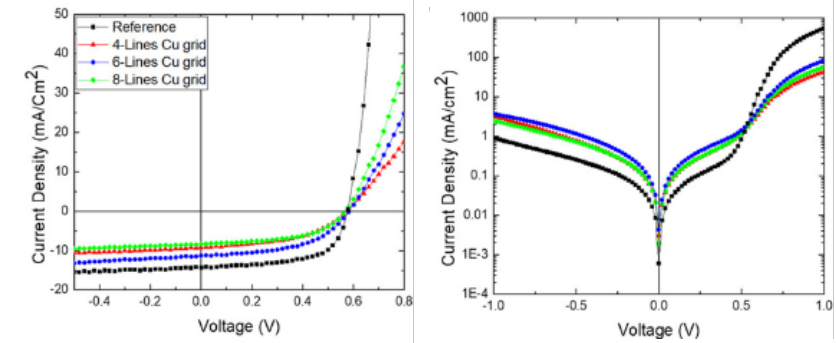
Ag



Ag-grid/PEDOT:PSS/HIL/LEP/Ca/Al
 improved stability due to embedding
 max. luminance 20000 cd/m^2
 max. efficacy 9.4 cd/A
 reduced shunt current

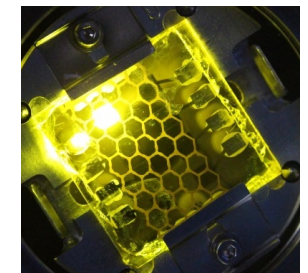
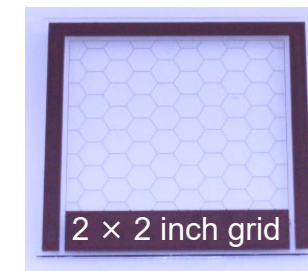
Cu

first example of Cu-grid based OPVs



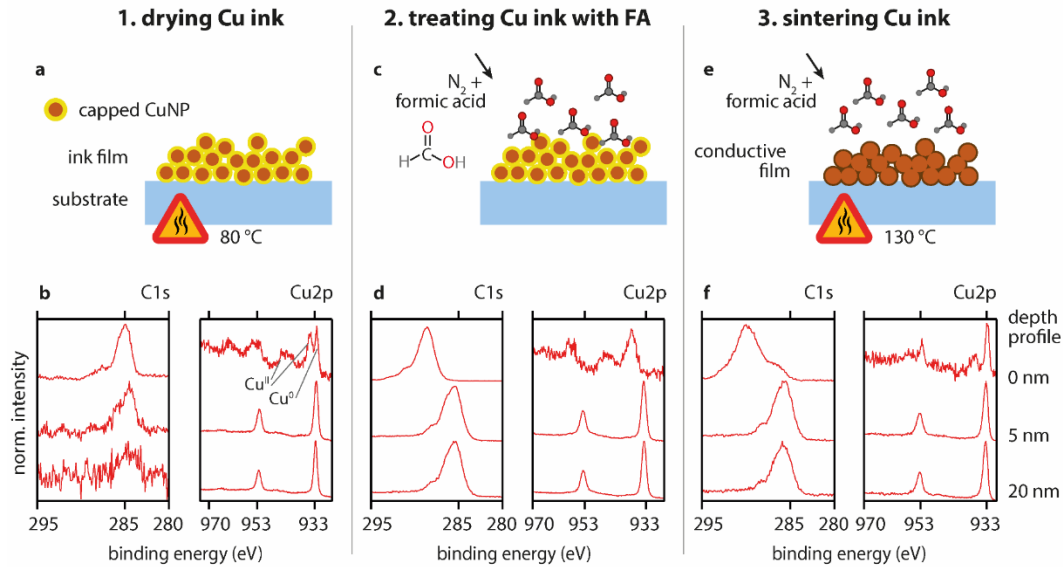
OPVs	Voc (V)	Jsc ($\text{mA}\cdot\text{cm}^{-2}$)	FF (%)	PCE (%)
Reference	0.58	14.3	61.7	5.11
IJP Cu grid	0.58	11.26	51.7	3.38

first example of Cu-grid based OLEDs



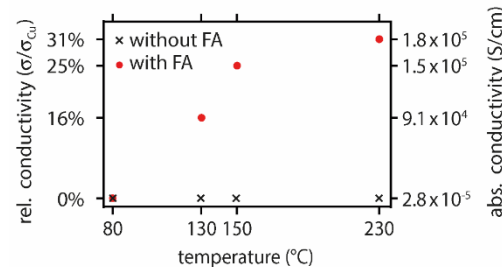
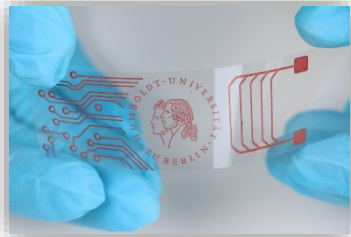
electronic circuits produced by inkjet printing Cu ink

sintering at low temperature (<130 °C) using formic acid



Adhesion test: 0 (ISO), 5B (ASTM) and high conductivity achieved at low T

No noticeable increase in resistivity after five days under ambient conditions



inkjet-printed UHF-RFID antenna

first prototypes printed on laboratory scale

upscaling to S2S test facility

upscaling to R2R processing



laboratory printer DMP 2831

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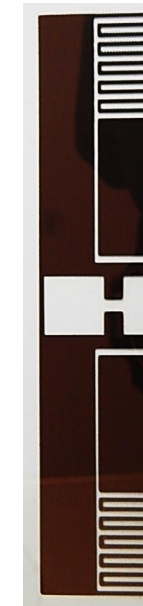


S2S test printer with industrial printhead

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bitmap file



printed sample

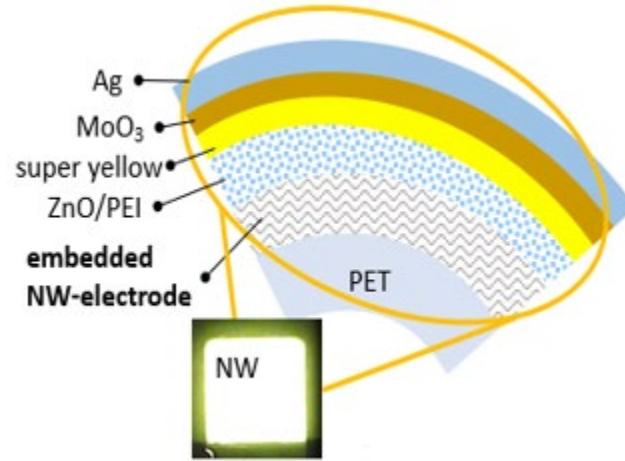
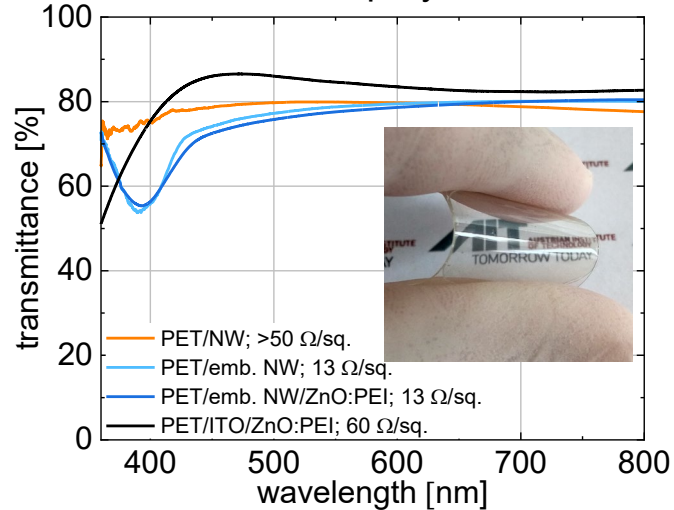


R2R industrial printing machine 6

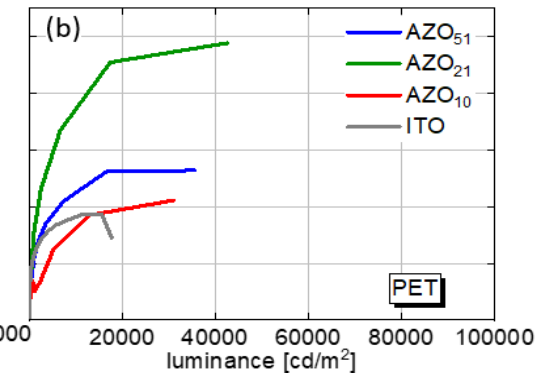
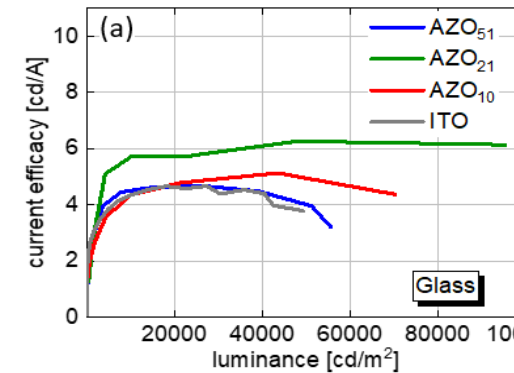
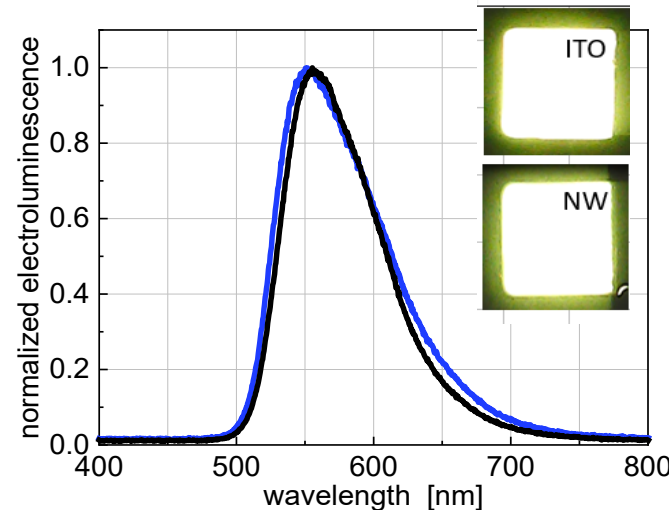
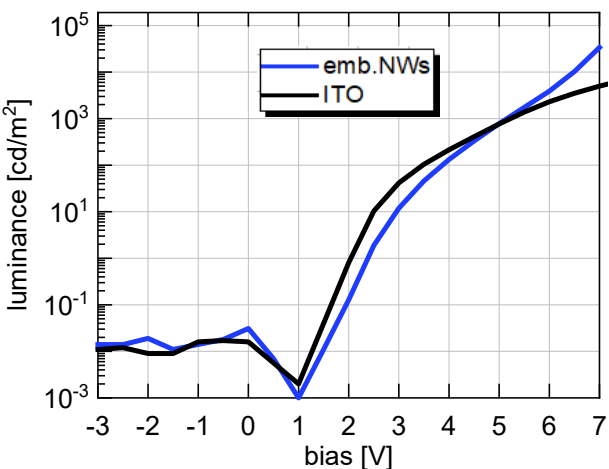
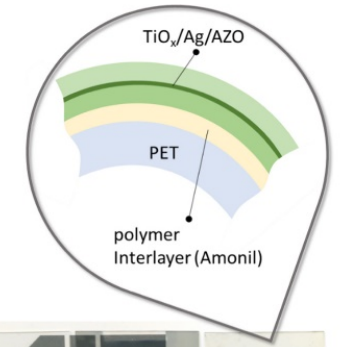
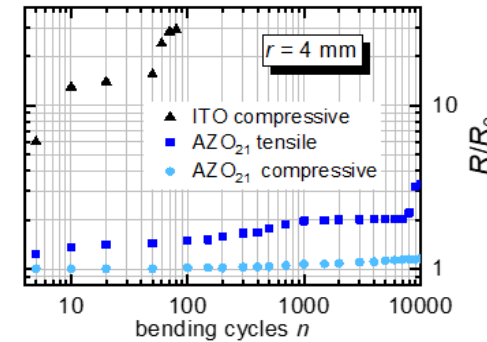
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beyond inkjet printing: flexible electrode approaches for OLEDs

flexible spray-coated embedded Ag nanowire electrodes



transparent electrodes using DMDs (dielectric/metal/dielectric)



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get in touch with the system / utilise equipment

Inkjet Printer
since 06/2018

Slot-die coater
Since 01/2019



Inkjet-Printing or Slot-Die Coating WORKSHOPS

At HySPRINT Innovation Lab

- 2-day guided workshops
- Insights into scalable production of OPV, perovskites, OLED, batteries and more
- Supplementary lectures
- Q&A access to expert instructors
- Guided programs OR bring your own materials!

CONTRACTUAL SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

- Utilise tools and methods for next generation energy devices and printed electronics
- **Ink formulation** and optimization (viscosity, surface tension, contact angle and particle size)
- **Film characterization** (thickness, absorptivity, conductivity, morphology)
- **Functional device** coating and testing



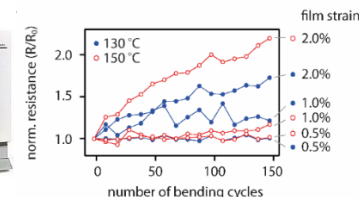
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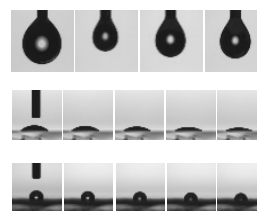
Surface energy



Particle size



Bending/Adhesion



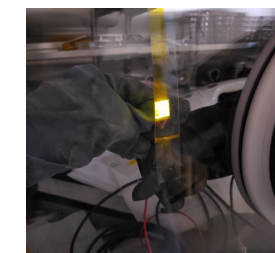
Wetting



Layer thickness



Absorbance



Device fabrication



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