

☞ Diody LED i lasery półprzewodnikowe.

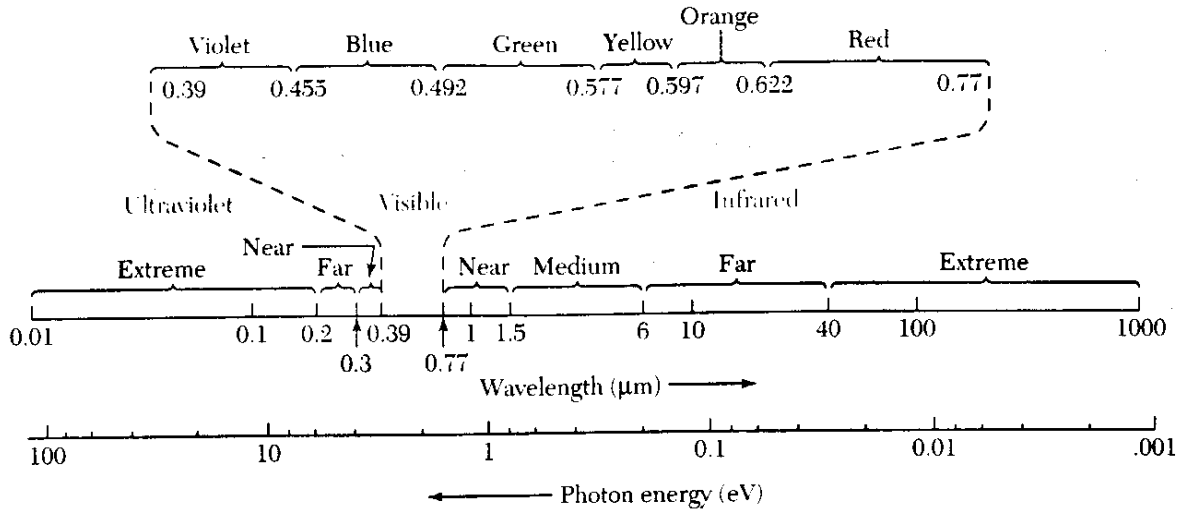


Fig. 1 Chart of the electromagnetic spectrum from the ultraviolet region to the infrared region.

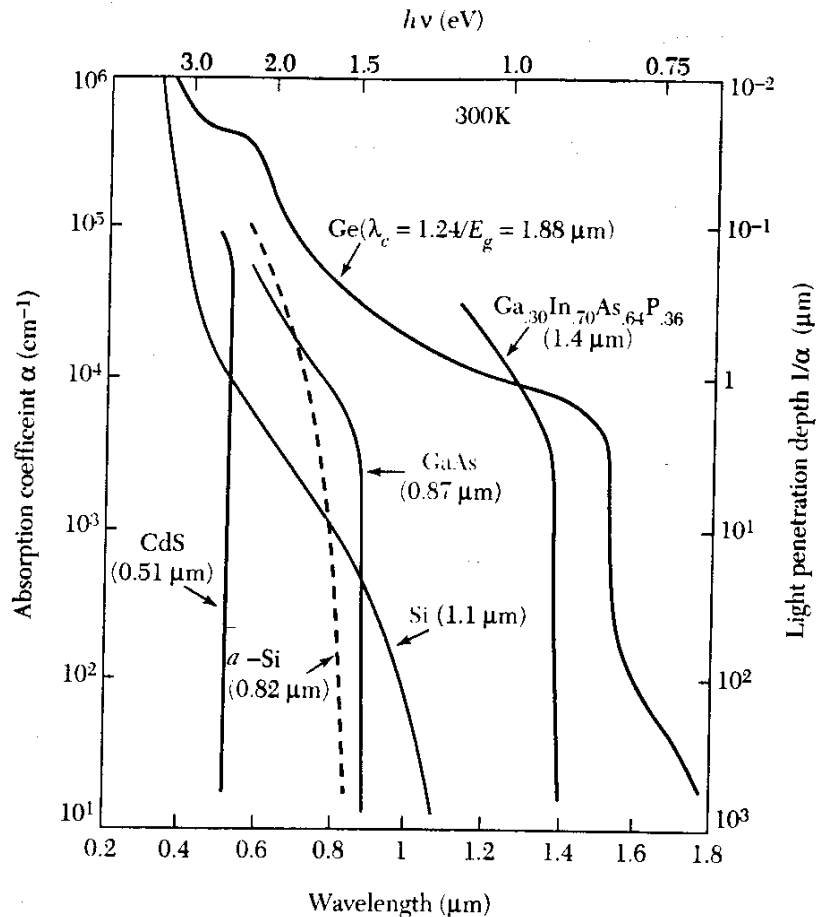


Fig. 5 Optical absorption coefficients for various semiconductor materials.² The value in the parenthesis is the cutoff wavelength.

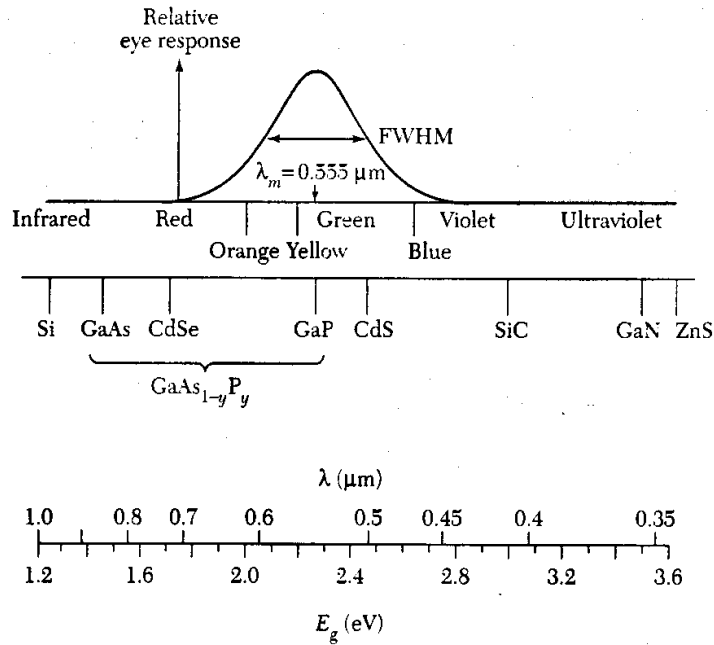


Fig. 6 Semiconductors of interest as visible LEDs. Figure includes relative response of the human eye.

TABLE 1 Common III-V materials used to produce LEDs and their emission wavelengths.

Material	Wavelength (nm)
InAsSbP/InAs	4200
InAs	3800
GaInAsP/CaSb	2000
GaSb	1800
$\text{Ga}_x\text{In}_{1-x}\text{As}_{1-y}\text{P}_y$	1100-1600
$\text{Ga}_{0.47}\text{In}_{0.53}\text{As}$	1550
$\text{Ga}_{0.27}\text{In}_{0.73}\text{As}_{0.63}\text{P}_{0.37}$	1300
GaAs:Er, InP:Er	1540
Si:C	1300
GaAs:Yb, InP:Yb	1000
$\text{Al}_x\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{As:Si}$	650-940
GaAs:Si	940
$\text{Al}_{0.11}\text{Ga}_{0.89}\text{As:Si}$	830
$\text{Al}_{0.4}\text{Ga}_{0.6}\text{As:Si}$	650
$\text{GaAs}_{0.6}\text{P}_{0.4}$	660
$\text{GaAs}_{0.4}\text{P}_{0.6}$	620
$\text{GaAs}_{0.15}\text{P}_{0.85}$	590
$(\text{Al}_x\text{Ga}_{1-x})_{0.5}\text{In}_{0.5}\text{P}$	655
GaP	690
GaP:N	550-570
$\text{Ga}_x\text{In}_{1-x}\text{N}$	340,430,590
SiC	400-460
BN	260,310,490

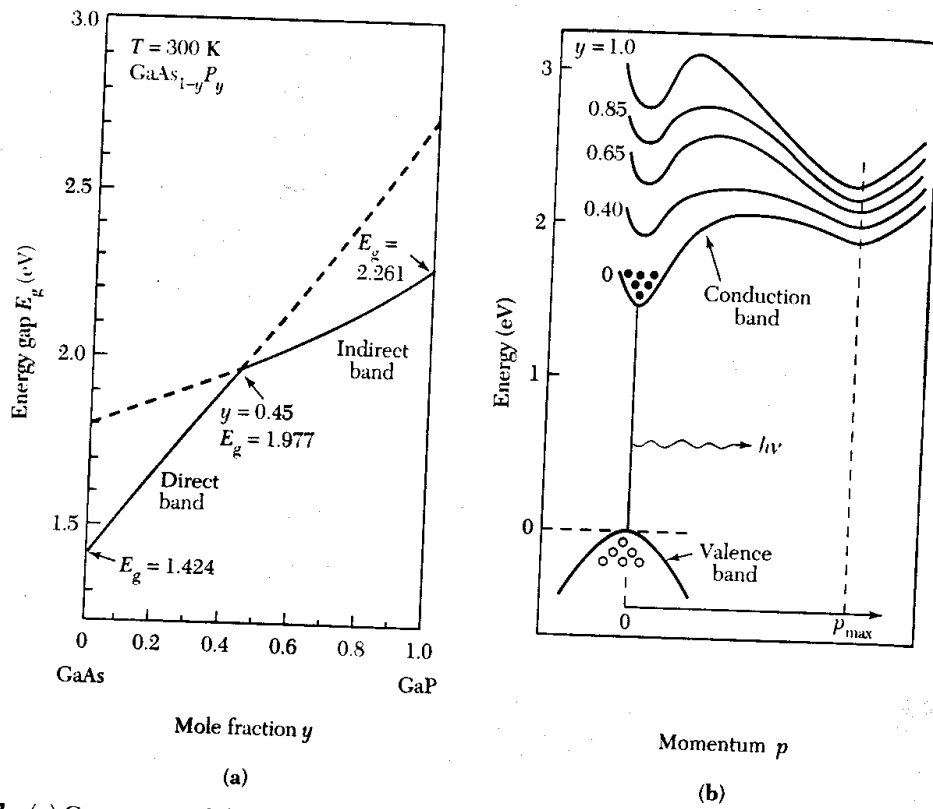


Fig. 7 (a) Compositional dependence for the direct- and indirect-energy bandgap for $\text{GaAs}_{1-y}\text{P}_y$. (b) The alloy compositions shown correspond to red ($y = 0.4$), orange (0.65), yellow (0.85), and green light (1.0).³

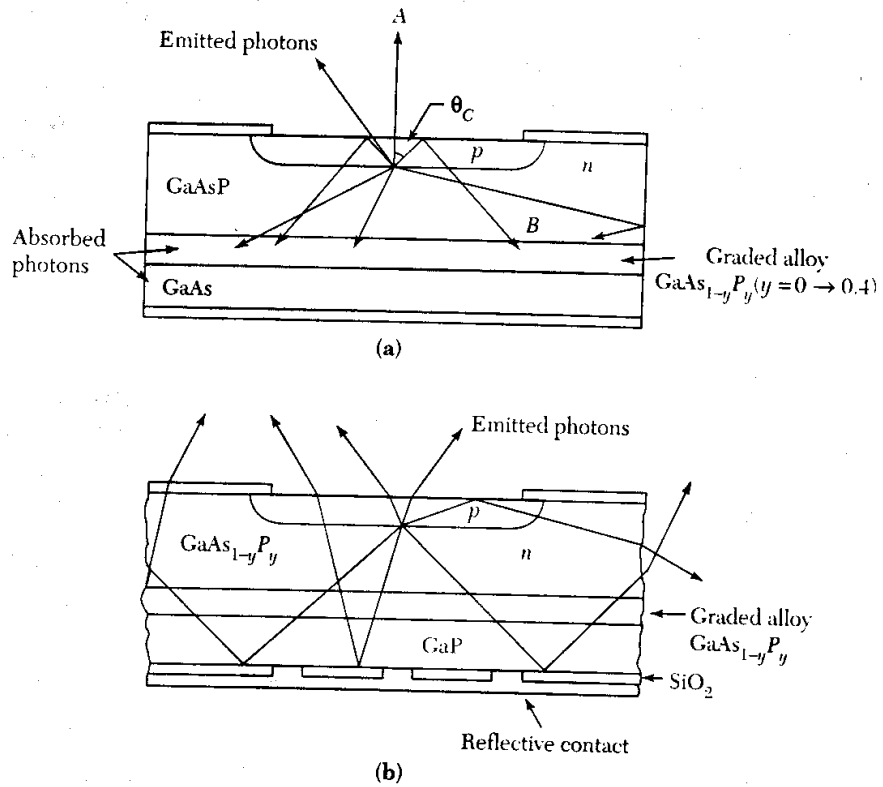


Fig. 9 Basic structure of a flat-diode LED and the effects of (a) an opaque substrate ($\text{GaAs}_{1-y}\text{P}_y$) and (b) a transparent substrate (GaP) on photons emitted at the p - n junction.³

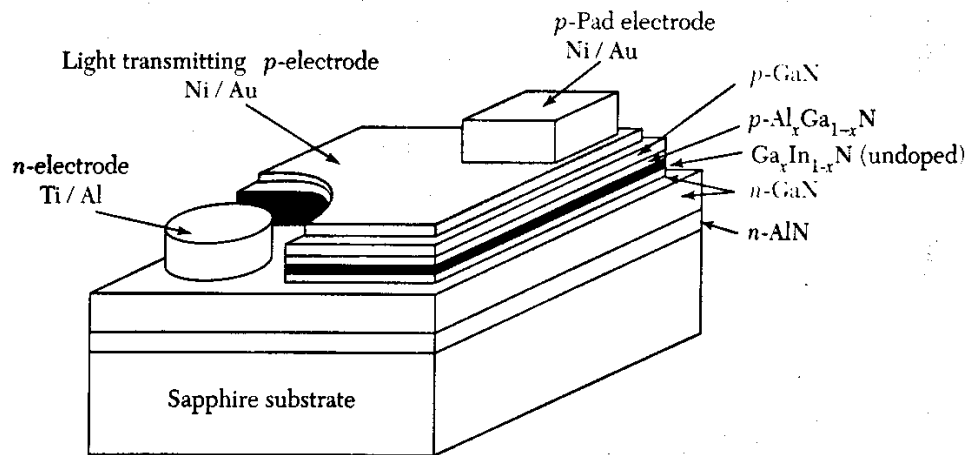


Fig. 10 III-V nitride LED grown on sapphire substrate.⁶

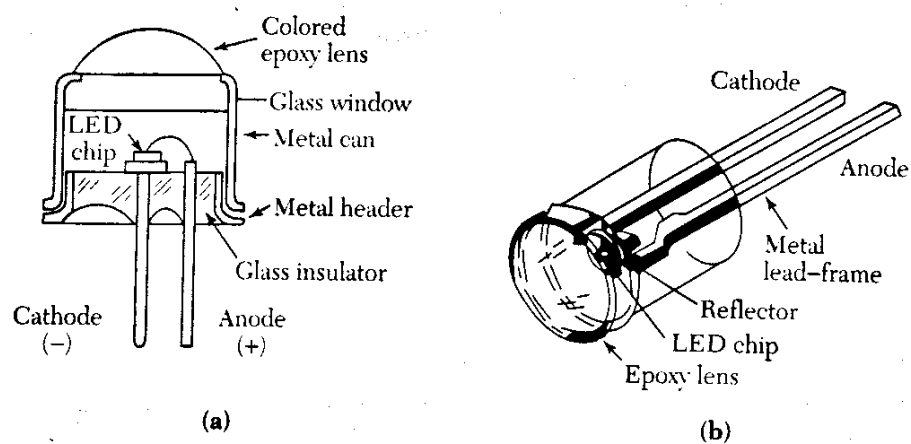


Fig. 11 Diagrams of two LED lamps.⁸

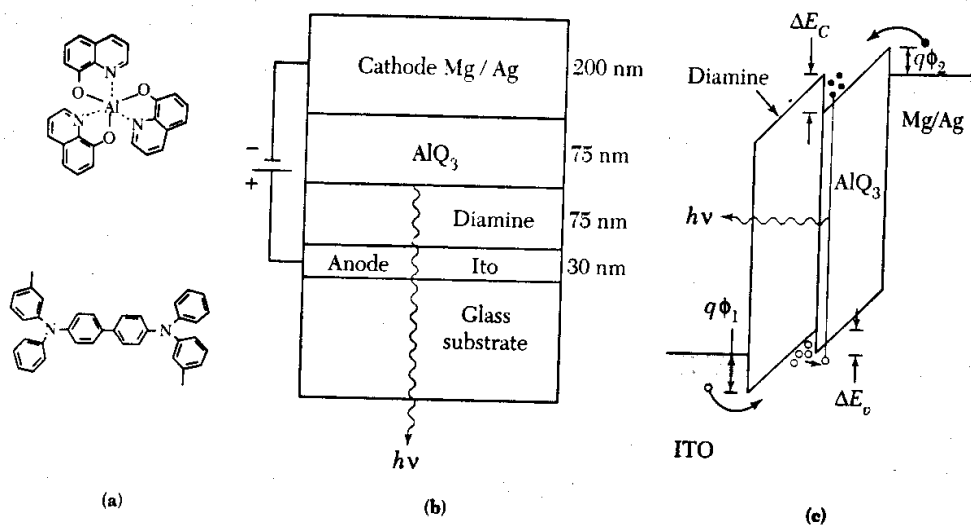


Fig. 13 (a) Organic semiconductors. (b) OLED cross sectional view. (c) Band diagram of an OLED.

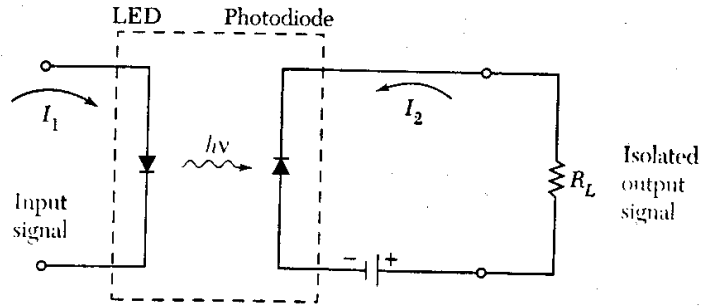


Fig. 14 An opto-isolator in which an input signal is decoupled from the output signal.

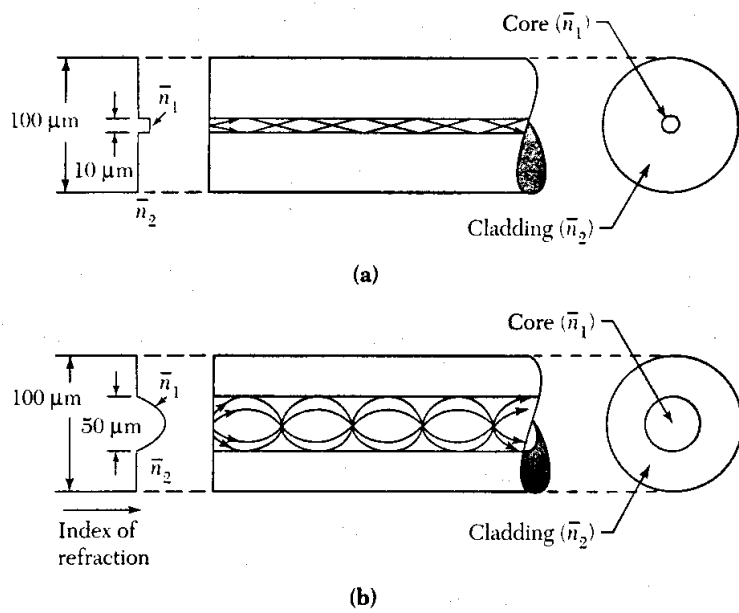


Fig. 15 Optical fibers. (a) Step-index fiber having a core with slightly larger refractive index. (b) Graded-index fiber having a parabolic grading of the refractive index in the core.¹¹

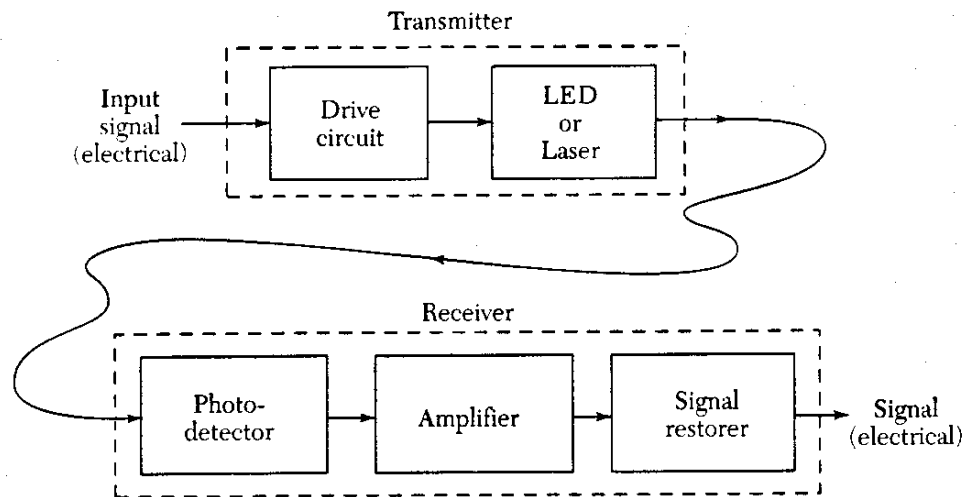


Fig. 16 Basic elements of an optical fiber transmission link.

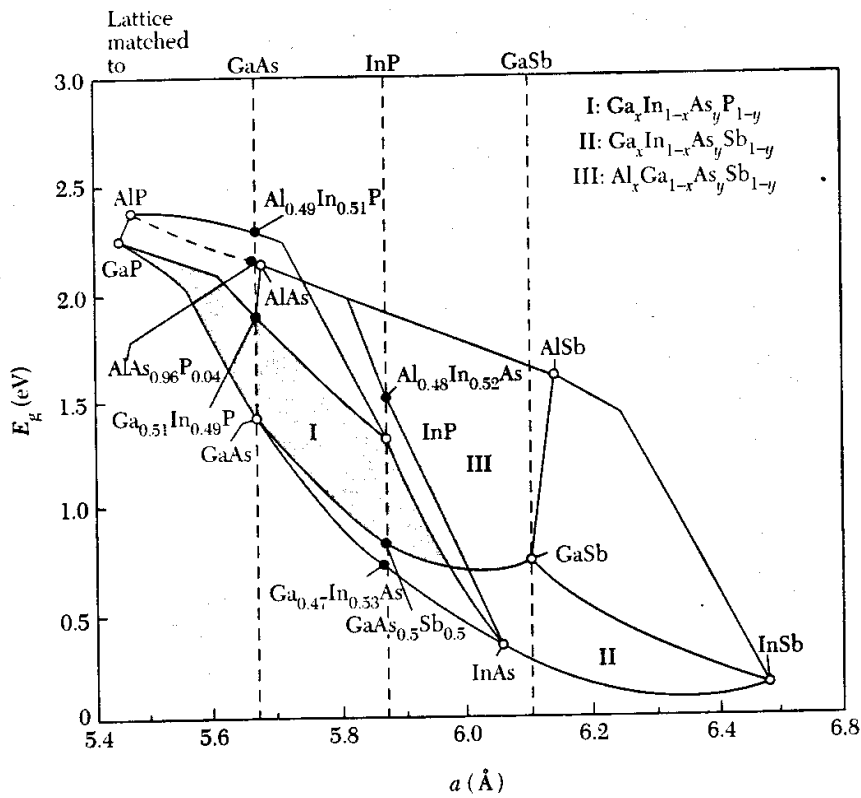


Fig. 18 Energy bandgap and lattice constant for three III-V compound solid alloy system.¹³

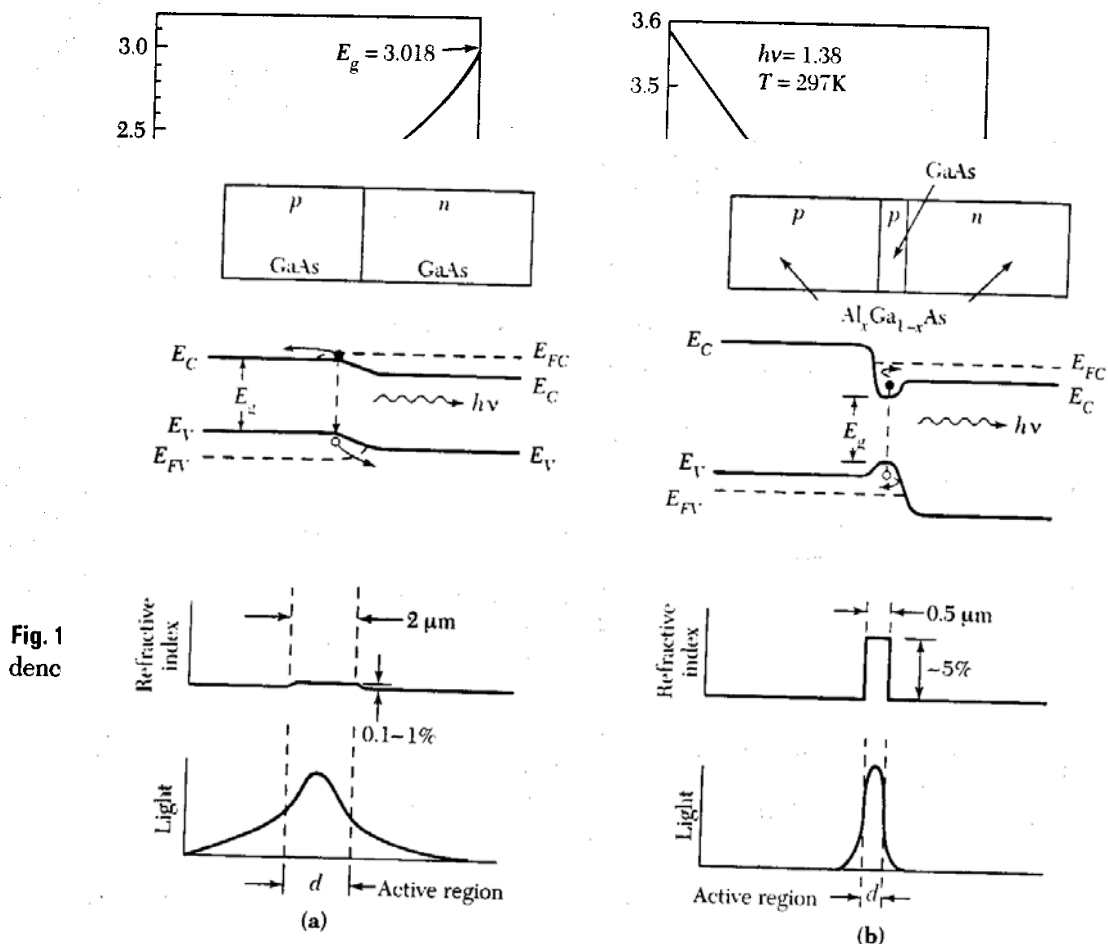


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Fig. 20 Comparison of some characteristics of (a) homojunction laser and (b) double-hetero-junction (DH) laser. Second from the top row shows energy band diagrams under forward bias. The refractive index change for a homojunction laser is less than 1%. The refractive index change for DH laser is about 5%. The confinement of light is shown in the bottom row.¹⁴

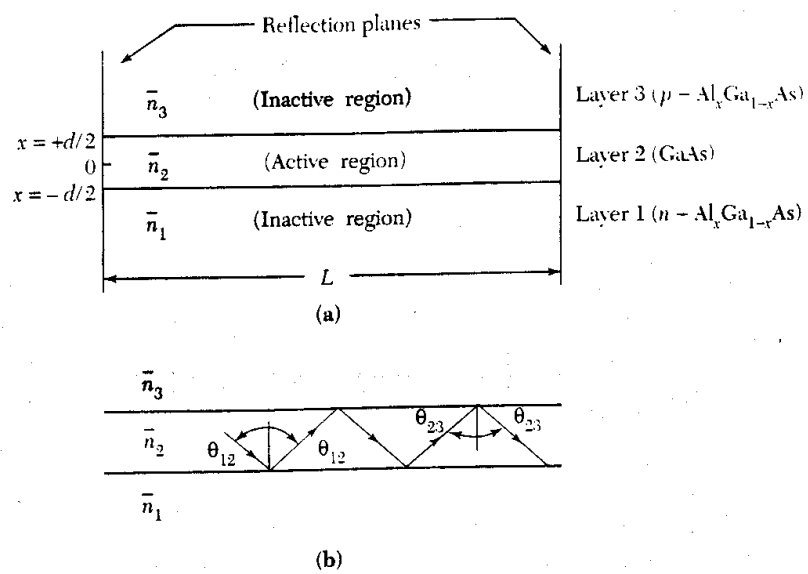


Fig. 21 (a) Representation of a three-layer dielectric waveguide. (b) Ray trajectories of the guided wave.

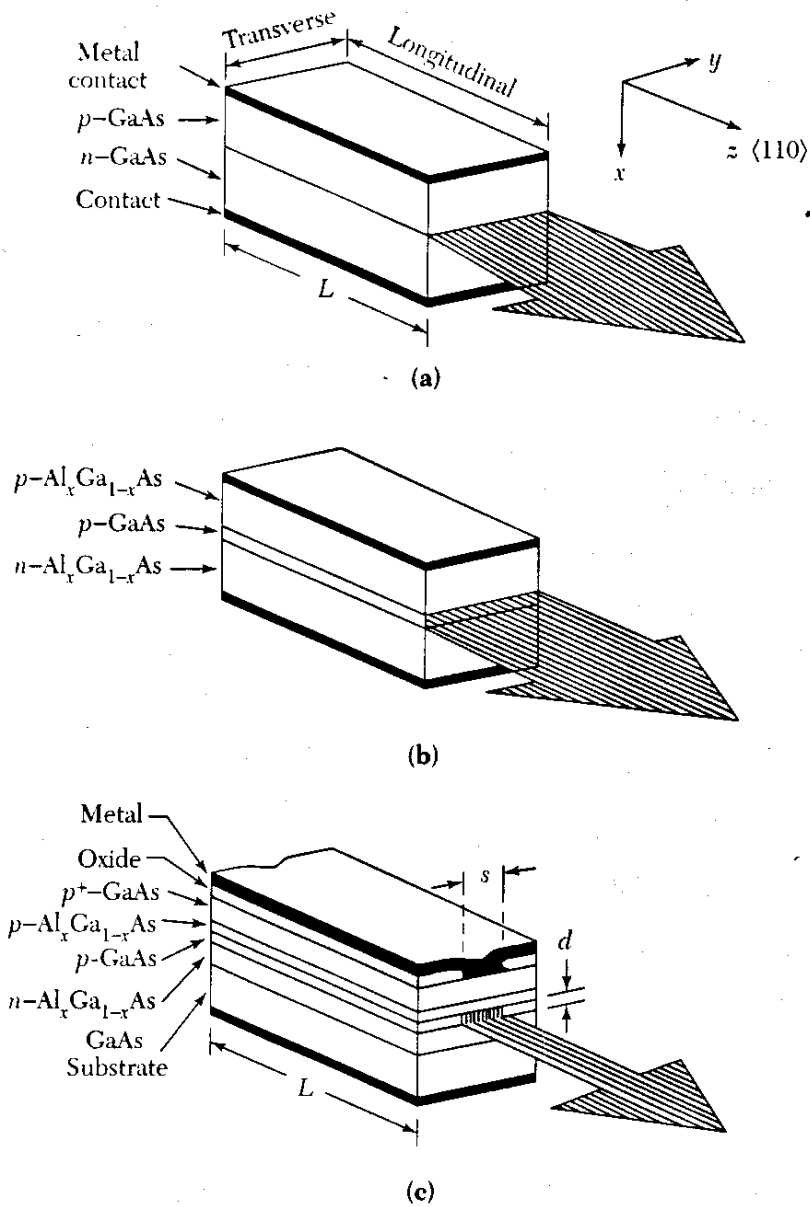


Fig. 23 Semiconductor laser structure in the Fabry-Perot-cavity configuration. (a) Homojunction laser. (b) Double-heterojunction (DH) laser. (c) Stripe-geometry DH laser. ^{14,15}

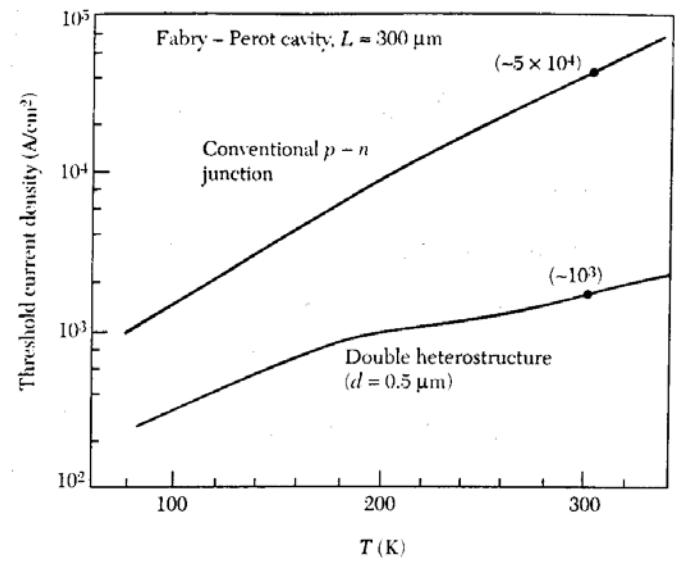


Fig. 24 Threshold current density versus temperature for the two laser structures shown¹⁴ in Fig. 20.

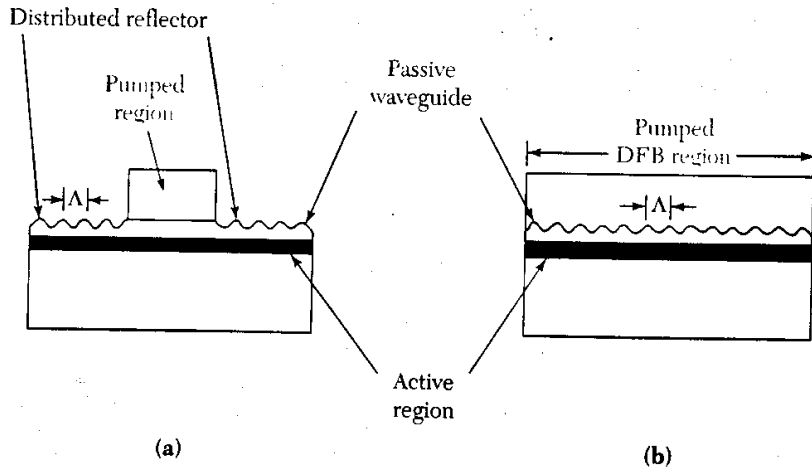


Fig. 27 Two methods of obtaining a single-frequency laser. (a) Distributed Bragg reflector (DBR) laser, and (b) a distributed feedback (DFB) laser.

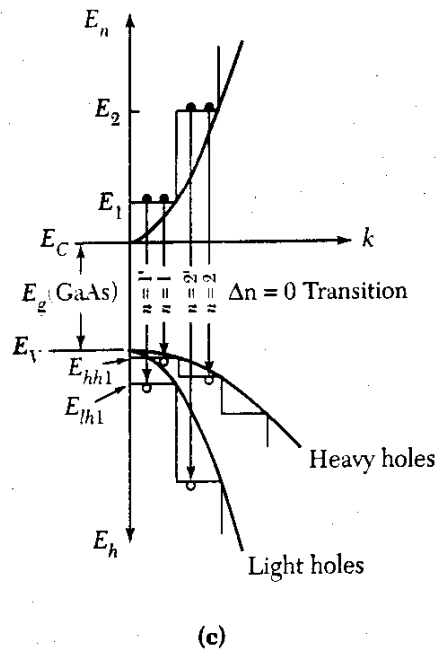
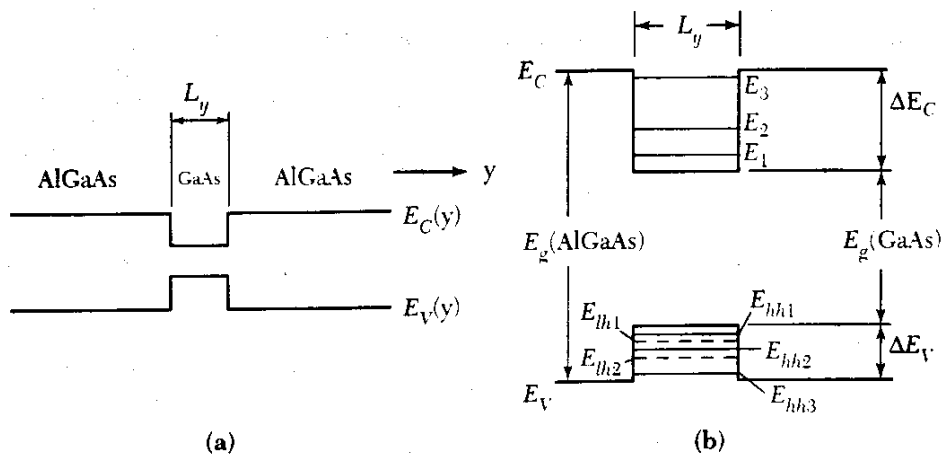


Fig. 28 The quantum-well (QW) laser: (a) single GaAs QW surrounded by AlGaAs, (b) discrete energy levels within the well, and (c) density of states for electrons and holes within the well.

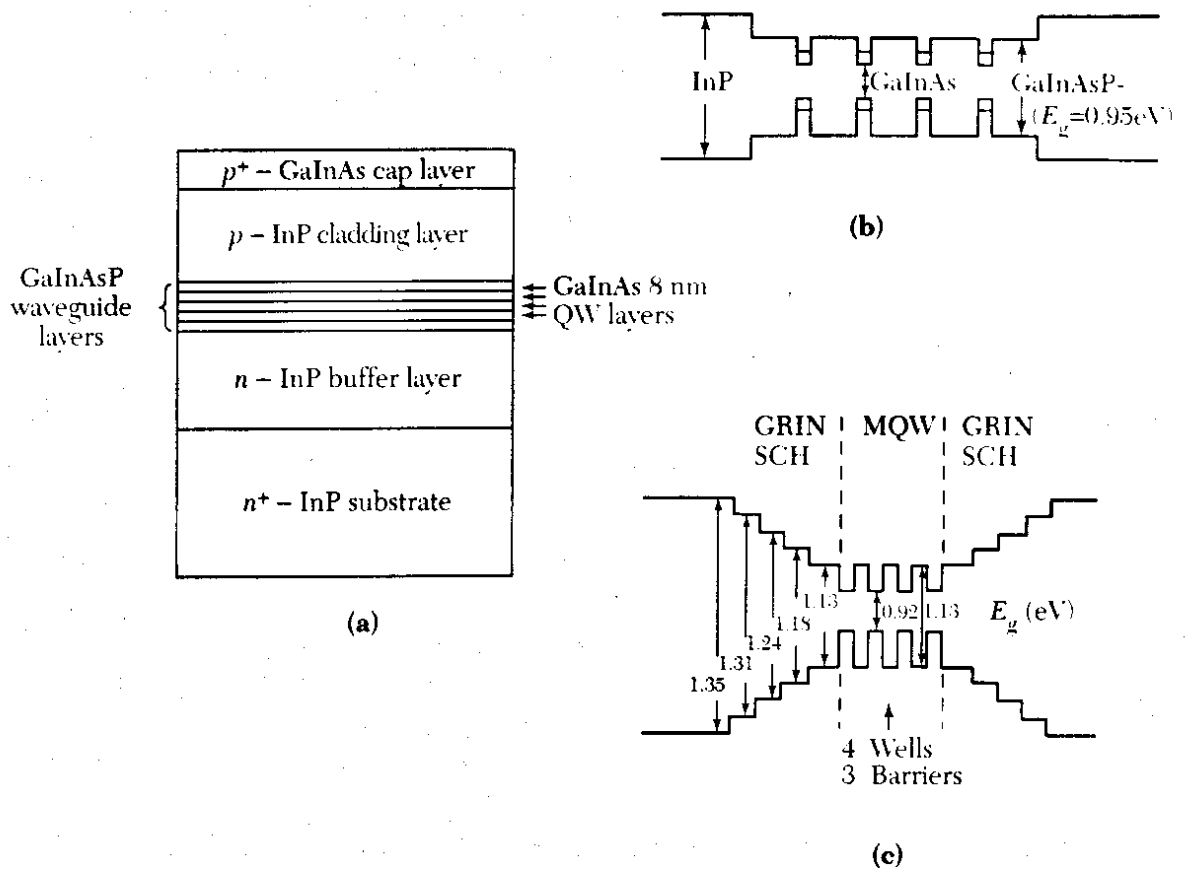


Fig. 29 (a) Schematic of the cross section of an GaInAs/GaInAsP multiple-quantum-well laser structure. (b) Schematic of the bandgaps of the SCH-MQW layers shown in (a). (c) GRIN-SCH-MQW structure with thin layers of increasing bandgaps to approximate the graded-index change.²⁰