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| Microelectronic Engineering | EMEDEPT-LFF...../Old_Desktop/Factory/ | | |
| Summary of Etch Rates and Deposition Rates for RIT Processes | | | |
| Wet Etch Process Description | Date | Rate | Units |
| 5.2:1 Buffered Oxide Etch (Transene) of Thermal Oxide, 300°K | 2/12/2008 | 1200 | Å/min |
| 5.2:1 BOE (Transene) Etch of PECVD TEOS Oxide, no anneal, 300°K | 2/12/2008 | 3840 | Å/min |
| 5.2:1 BOE (Transene) Etch of PECVD TEOS Oxide, anneal 1000C - 60 min, 300°K | 1/22/2008 | 2029 | Å/min |
| 5.2:1 BOE (Transene) Etch of PECVD TEOS Oxide, anneal 1100C - 6 hr, 300°K | 2/18/2008 | 1212 | Å/min |
| 5.2:1 BOE Etch of LPCVD LTO | 1/30/2009 | 3000 | Å/min |
| 10:1 Buffered Oxide Etch of Thermal Oxide, 300°K | 10/15/2005 | 586 | Å/min |
| 10:1 BOE Etch of PECVD TEOS Oxide, no anneal, 300°K | 10/15/2005 | 2062 | Å/min |
| 10:1 BOE Etch of PECVD TEOS Oxide, anneal 1000C - 60 min, 300°K | 10/15/2005 | 814 | Å/min |
| 10:1 BOE Etch of PECVD TEOS Oxide, anneal 1100C - 6 hr, 300°K | 10/15/2005 | 562 | Å/min |
| Pad Etch (Fuji Film 16,3,3) on Thermal Oxide, 300 °K | 9/22/2008 | 650 | Å/min |
| Pad Etch of PECVD TEOS Oxide, 300°k | 6/8/2006 | 1290 | Å/min |
| Pad Etch of LPCVD LTO | 1/30/2009 | 1800 | Å/min |
| Hot Phosphoric Acid Etch of Thermal Oxide at 175 °C | 10/15/2005 | <1 | Å/min |
| Hot Phosphoric Acid Etch of TEOS Oxide, no anneal, at 175 °C | 10/15/2005 | 17 | Å/min |
| Hot Phosphoric Acid Etch of TEOS Oxide, 1000 C 60 min Anneal, at 175 °C | 10/15/2005 | 3.3 | Å/min |
| Hot Phosphoric Acid Etch of TEOS Oxide, 1100 C 6 Hr Anneal, at 175 °C | 10/15/2005 | 3.8 | Å/min |
| Hot Phosphoric Acid Etch of Si3N4 at 175 °C | 11/15/2004 | 82 | Å/min |
| 50:1 Water:HF(49%) on Thermal Oxide at room T | 6/27/2013 | 147 | Å/min |
| 50:1 Water:HF(49%) on PECVD TEOS Oxide, no anneal, at room T | 10/15/2005 | 611 | Å/min |
| 50:1 Water:HF(49%) on PECVD TEOS Oxide, anneal 1000 C -30 min, at room T | 10/15/2005 | 115 | Å/min |
| 50:1 Water:HF(49%) of PECVD TEOS Oxide, anneal 1100C - 6 hr, 300°K | 10/15/2005 | 107 | Å/min |
| KOH 20 wt%, 85 °C, Etch of Si (crystalline) | 2/4/2005 | 30 | µm/hr |
| KOH etch rate of PECVD Nitride (Low σ) | 2/4/2005 | 10 | Å/min |
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| CVD Deposition Rates & Process Description | Date | Rate | Units |
| Factory Nitride 810 LPCVD | 1/10/2008 | 62 | Å/min |
| Factory Poly 610 °C | 1/21/2007 | 70 | Å/min |
| Poly (MEMS) 650 °C | 6/13/2006 | 160 | Å/min |
| PECVD TEOS Oxide | | | |
| PECVD Nitride (Stoichiometric) | | | |
| PECVD Nitride (Low σ) at 600 watts with chamber clean B6 10M CON NIT | 2/11/2005 | 8000 | Å/min |
| PECVD Nitride (Low σ) at 540 watts with chamber clean (zero stress) | 6/7/2006 | 5460 | Å/min |
| LPCVD LTO from SiH4+O2 at 425C 4"wafers and extra cover on boat | 6/9/2006 | 120 | Å/min |
| LPCVD LTO from SiH4+O2 at 425C 6"wafers and extra cover on boat | 6/9/2006 | 108 | Å/min |
| LPCVD HTO from dichlorosilane + N20, 830 C, DCS 60 sccm, N2O 150 sccm | 5/6/2011 | 20 | Å/min |
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| PVD Deposition Rates & Process Description | Date | Rate | Units | Comment |
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| CVC 601 Aluminum at 2000 watts, 5 mTorr, 25 min gives ~7500 Å, 20% nonuniformity | 1/25/2007 | 297 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| PE 4400 Aluminum 400 watts, 5 mTorr, 40 sccm, 125 min gives ~7500 Å | 5/15/2011 | 60 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| PE 4400 Sputter Etch Prior to Metal Two, 500 watts, 40sccm, 5mTorr, 20 min | 3/15/2011 | ?? | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| CVC 601 Tantalum 4" target, Alpha Phase Tantalum 30 uOhm-cm, Positive TCR ~ 825ppm | | | | |
| Thin layer of reactively sputtered TaN followed by Ta only, radiant heating, 200 C, entire time | | | | |
| Tantalum 4" target, 175 watts, 5.5 mTorr, 43.6 sccm Ar, 16.3 sccm N2, 2 min. Gives ~100Å TaN | | | | |
| Tantalum 4" target, 175 watts, 5.5 mTorr, 43.6 sccm Ar, 30 min. Gives ~2200Å Ta | 7/15/2011 | 70 | Å/min | Dr. Puchades |
| CVC 601 Tantalum 4" target, Beta Phase Tantalum 200 uOhm-cm, Negative TCR ~ -200ppm | | | | Dr. Puchades |
| Tantalum 4" target, 500 watts, 5.5 mTorr, 43.6 sccm Ar, 15 min. Gives ~2800Å Ta | 7/15/2011 | 180 | Å/min | |
| PE 4400 Nickel 400 watts, 5mTorr, 40sccm of Ar, | 4/22/2011 | 43.3 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| PE2400 Tantalum | | | | |
| CVC 601 InSnO 4" Target, 180w, 5 mT, 21 sccm + 425C Sinter gives 24.4ohm/sq | 5/10/2011 | | Å/min | Sarayu Rangarajan |
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| Plasma Etch Process Description | Date | Rate | Units | Comment |
| Lam 490 FACNIT.RCP, 125 watts, 200 sccm SF6 only, Pressure 260 mTorr, Gap 1.65 | 2/4/2005 | 1200 | Å/min | Nitride etch rate/Dr. Fuller |
| Resist Etch Rate using Lam 490 FACNIT.RCP | 2/11/2005 | 1000 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| PECVD Nitride (Low σ) Etched with Lam 490 FACNIT.RCP | 6/7/2006 | 5200 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Thermal Pad Oxide using Lam 490 recipe FACNIT.RCP | 4/20/2011 | 370 | Å/min | Gray McPherson |
| Tantalum Alpha Phase Metal using Lam 490 recipe FACNIT.RCP | 7/15/2011 | 2100 | Å/min | Dr. Puchades |
| Lam 490 FACPOLY.RCP, 140 watts, 140 sccm SF6, 15sccm O2, Pressure 325 mTorr, Gap 1.65 | | 6000 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
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| Lam 490 FACRESIST, | | | | |
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| LAM4600 Aluminum Etch, | 4/15/2011 | 35 | Å/sec | Dr. Fuller |
| Step Press, RFTop, RFBot, Gap O2 111, N2 222, BCl 333 Cl2444 Ar 555 CForm 666 End Time | | | | |
| Step 1 100 0 0 3 0 13 50 10 0 8 Stabl 15 | | | | |
| Step 2 100 0 250 3 0 13 50 10 0 8 Time 8 | | | | |
| Step 3 100 0 120 3 0 20 25 30 0 8 Time 230 | | | | |
| Step 2 100 0 125 3 0 25 25 23 0 8 Oetch 10% | | | | |
| Step 5 0 0 0 5.3 0 25 50 10 0 0 Stabl 15 | | | | |
| Drytek Quad LTO spacer - Recipe FACSPCR Step 1 | | | | |
| Chamber 2, 200 watts, 70 mTorr, CHF3 65sccm, O2 5 sccm, Ar 65 sccm | | | | |
| TEOS | 4/4/2010 | 1000 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Thermal Oxide | 4/4/2010 | 330 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Photoresist | 4/4/2010 | 200 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Drytek Quad Nitride Spacer - Recipe FACSPCR Step 2 | | | | |
| Chamber 2, 250 watts, 40 mTorr, SF6 30sccm, CHF3 30sccm, CF4 10 sccm, Ar 100 sccm | | | | |
| Nitride | 4/4/2010 | 1250 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Thermal Oxide | 4/4/2010 | 950 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |

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| Photoresist | 4/4/2010 | | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Drytek Quad FACCU (for CC and Vias in RIT CMOS Processes) | | | | |
| Chamber 3, 200 watts, 100 mTorr, CHF3 50sccm, CF4 10 sccm, Ar 100 sccm | | | | |
| TEOS | 4/4/2010 | 494 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Annealed TEOS | 4/4/2010 | 450 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Thermal Oxide | 4/4/2010 | 441 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Photoresist | 4/4/2010 | 117 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Silicon | 4/4/2010 | 82 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| TiSi2 | 4/4/2010 | 1 | Å/min | Dr. Fuller |
| Drytek Quad ZEROETCH | | | | |
| Chamber 3 Step 1 - 100 mTorr - 200 W - CF4 25 sccm, CHF3 50 sccm, O2 10 sccm | | | | |
| Etch for Zero level ASML Alignment Marks, 2 min gives 1300Å etch depth in Silicon | | | | |