

**International Workshop on the Sustainable Actions for “Year by Year Aging” under Reliability Investigations in Photovoltaic Modules, 2016 (SAYURI-PV 2016)**

**Poster Session : [Day 1] October 4th**

**P-01 Influence of volcanic ash fall on generated energy from photovoltaic modules**

Tadashi Hirayama<sup>1</sup>, Takumi Tashima<sup>1</sup>, Shuma Kawabata<sup>1</sup>, Akihito Hirai<sup>2</sup>, Yukio Yoshimura<sup>3</sup>, and Atsushi Masuda<sup>4</sup>  
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**P-02 The measurement technology of PV module temperature in PV system field**

Hiromi Tobita, Hirofumi Shinohara, Hisayuki Miura, and Takeshi Furutani (JET)

**P-03 Study of carrier lifetime measurement methods for PID tested module**

Kazuki Noguchi<sup>1</sup>, Mohammad Aminul Islam<sup>1</sup>, Takuya Oshima<sup>1</sup>, Yasuaki Ishikawa<sup>1</sup>, Hidenari Nakahama<sup>2</sup>, and Yukiharu Uraoka<sup>1</sup>  
(<sup>1</sup>NAIST, <sup>2</sup>Nissinbo Mechatronics)

**P-04 The influence of the temperature on EL intensity of the PID tested Si PV modules**

Takuya Oshima, Mohammad Aminul Islam, Kazuki Noguchi, Yasuaki Ishikawa, and Yukiharu Uraoka (NAIST)

**P-05 Potential-induced degradation and recovery process for thin-film Si photovoltaic modules**

Yukiko Hara and Atsushi Masuda (AIST)

**P-06 Progression behavior of the potential-induced degradation of n-type c-Si-wafer-based photovoltaic modules with a front-side p<sup>+</sup> emitter**

Seira Yamaguchi<sup>1</sup>, Atsushi Masuda<sup>2</sup>, and Keisuke Ohdaira<sup>1</sup> (<sup>1</sup>JAIST, <sup>2</sup>AIST)

**P-07 Analysis of cross-section between cell and interconnector in field-aged photovoltaic modules**

Tomoyuki Hirooka<sup>1</sup>, Kohji Masuda<sup>2</sup>, Yasunori Uchida<sup>2</sup>, and Tadashi Obayashi<sup>2</sup> (<sup>1</sup>Kusumoto Chemicals, <sup>2</sup>JET)

**P-08 Combined test of UV irradiation and highly accelerated hydrothermal treatment for photovoltaic modules using light source with high intensity**

H. Morita<sup>1</sup>, M. Terada<sup>1</sup>, Y. Oka<sup>1</sup>, K. Mori<sup>1</sup>, and A. Masuda<sup>2</sup> (<sup>1</sup>Toray Industries, <sup>2</sup>AIST)

**P-09 Developing an acetic acid detection sensor for photovoltaic modules using a pH-sensitive fluorescent dye**

H. Nagasaki<sup>1</sup>, T. Itayama<sup>1</sup>, K. Iwami<sup>1</sup>, C. Yamamoto<sup>2</sup>, Y. Hara<sup>2</sup>, A. Masuda<sup>2</sup>, and N. Umeda<sup>1</sup> (<sup>1</sup>TUAT, <sup>2</sup>AIST)

**Poster Session : [Day 2] October 5th**

**P-10 Unexplained causes of the most frequent degradation mode of crystalline silicon photovoltaic modules**

Sadao Sakamoto and Atsushi Masuda (AIST)

**P-11 Fast measurement system for operating strings in Yoshinogari mega solar power plant**

Shigeomi Hara and Makoto Kasu (Saga Univ.)

**P-12 Analysis of long term operational data in residential photovoltaic systems**

Hajime Wakabayashi and Kohji Masuda (JET)

**P-13 Study of potential induced degradation and recovery of c-Si module**

Mohammad Aminul Islam<sup>1</sup>, Kazuki Noguchi<sup>1</sup>, Takuya Oshima<sup>1</sup>, Hirotaka Iida<sup>2</sup>, Yasushi Takagi<sup>2</sup>, Yasuaki Ishikawa<sup>1</sup>, and Hidenari Nakahama<sup>2</sup>  
(<sup>1</sup>NAIST, <sup>2</sup>Nissinbo Mechatronics)

**P-14 Activation of surface recombination at a SiN<sub>x</sub>/n-type c-Si interface after potential-induced degradation**

Naoyuki Nishikawa, Seira Yamaguchi, and Keisuke Ohdaira (JAIST)

**P-15 Potential-induced degradation for silicon heterojunction photovoltaic modules**

Chizuko Yamamoto<sup>1</sup>, Seira Yamaguchi<sup>2</sup>, Keisuke Ohdaira<sup>2</sup>, and Atsushi Masuda<sup>1</sup> (<sup>1</sup>AIST, <sup>2</sup>JAIST)

**P-16 Mechanism of potential-induced degradation for p-type crystalline silicon photovoltaic modules**

Sachiko Jonai, Hideaki Hagihara, Hiroaki Sato, and Atsushi Masuda (AIST)

**P-17 Testing procedures including damp heat and thermal cycle processes for highly reliable photovoltaic modules**

Kohji Masuda, Yasunori Uchida, and Tadashi Obayashi (JET)

**P-18 Detecting acetic acid in photovoltaic modules through changes in the relative reflectance of tin films**

T. Itayama<sup>1</sup>, H. Nagasaki<sup>1</sup>, K. Iwami<sup>1</sup>, C. Yamamoto<sup>2</sup>, Y. Hara<sup>2</sup>, A. Masuda<sup>2</sup>, and N. Umeda<sup>1</sup> (<sup>1</sup>TUAT, <sup>2</sup>AIST)

**P-19 The study of IV characteristic, EL image, internal wiring and cell cross section of PV modules, which were exposed to outside for over 20 years**

Tadashi Obayashi (JET)

**P-20 Introduction of JET O&M certification**

Tadashi Obayashi (JET)



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**Agenda**

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**[Day 1] October 4th**

9:30-	Registration	
10:00-	Opening (O-01)	Tadanori Tanahashi (AIST)
10:05-	Welcome (O-02)	Koji Matsubara (AIST)
<b>Session I: Keynote</b>		<b>Chair: Masaaki Yamamichi (AIST)</b>
10:15- PV challenge in JP (O-03)		Takamizu Sasaki (NEDO)
<b>Session II: Field Experiences for PV Reliability Research</b>		
		<b>Chair: Keiichiro Sakurai (AIST)</b>
		<b>Hui Shen (Changzhou Trina Solar)</b>
10:45-	Correlation between visual defects and environmental conditions in 68 photovoltaic systems in Japan (O-04)	Kohji Masuda (JET)
11:15-	PV reliability as addressed in IEA PVPS Task 13 (O-05)	Ulrike Jahn <sup>1</sup> , Magnus Herz <sup>1</sup> , Marc Köntges <sup>2</sup> , Karl A. Berger <sup>3</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> TÜV Rheinland, <sup>2</sup> ISFH, <sup>3</sup> AIT GmbH)
11:45-	Investigation of the quality of recent photovoltaic modules under actual operating conditions (O-06)	Tetsuyuki Ishii <sup>1</sup> , Ritsuko Sato <sup>2</sup> , Sungwoo Choi <sup>2</sup> , Yasuo Chiba <sup>2</sup> , and Atsushi Masuda <sup>2</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> CRIEPI, <sup>2</sup> AIST)
12:15-	Lunch [Self Pay] & Poster Session (90 min)	
<b>Session III: Novel Test Protocols-1</b>		<b>Chair: Atsushi Masuda (AIST)</b>
		<b>(Acceleration Tests)</b>
		<b>Tadashi Obayashi (JET)</b>
13:45-	Proposed new damp heat test standards for thin film PV modules (O-07)	
		Keiichiro Sakurai <sup>1</sup> , Akihiro Takano <sup>2</sup> , Hiroshi Tomita <sup>3</sup> , Kinichi Ogawa <sup>1</sup> , Darshan Schmitz <sup>3</sup> , Hajime Shibata <sup>1</sup> , Shuji Tokuda <sup>3</sup> , and Atsushi Masuda <sup>1</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> AIST, <sup>2</sup> FWAVE Co., LTD., <sup>3</sup> Solar Frontier K.K.)
14:15-	Permanent damage from partial shade in monolithic thin-film modules (O-08)	Timothy Silverman (NREL)
14:45-	Acceleration of degradation by HAST and air-HAST in c-Si PV modules (O-09)	Tadanori Tanahashi <sup>2</sup> , Soh Suzuki <sup>1</sup> , Takuya Doi <sup>2</sup> , and Atsushi Masuda <sup>2</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> ESPEC CORP., <sup>2</sup> AIST)
15:15-	The influence of different climate on module’s performance (O-10)	Hui Shen, Qiangzhong Zhu, Zhichao Ji, Jianmei Xu, Pierre J. Verlinden, Wei Zhou, Zhiqiang Feng (Changzhou Trina Solar Energy Co., Ltd.)
15:45-	Coffee Break (30 min)	
<b>Session IV: Novel Test Protocols-2</b>		<b>Chair: Hidenari Nakahama (Nisshinbo Mechatronics) (PID)</b>
		<b>Christos Monokroussos (TÜV Rheinland, Shanghai)</b>
16:15-	A characterization by using laser-based technique for failure Si PV modules (O-11)	Y. Ishikawa <sup>1</sup> , M. A. Islam <sup>1</sup> , K. Noguchi <sup>1</sup> , H. Iida <sup>2</sup> , Y. Takagi <sup>2</sup> , and H. Nakahama <sup>2</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> NAIST, <sup>2</sup> Nisshinbo Mechatronics)
16:45-	Potential-induced degradation of n-type crystalline silicon photovoltaic modules (O-12)	Keisuke Ohdaira <sup>1</sup> , Seira Yamaguchi <sup>1</sup> , Chizuko Yamamoto <sup>2</sup> , Kohjiro Hara <sup>2</sup> , and Atsushi Masuda <sup>2</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> JAIST, <sup>2</sup> AIST)
17:15-	PID in thin-film PV modules and PID standards development (O-13)	Peter Hacke (NREL)
17:45	End of 1st Day	
18:00-	Banquet	

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**[Day 2] October 5th**

9:00-	Registration	
<b>Session V: Cells, Materials, and Components</b>		<b>Chair: Timothy Silverman (NREL)</b>
		<b>Michio Shibata (DuPont K. K.)</b>
9:30- Degradation mechanisms of c-Si PV cells exposed to acetic acid vapor (O-14)		Tadanori Tanahashi, Norihiko Sakamoto, Hajime Shibata, Yukiko Hara, and Atsushi Masuda (AIST)
10:00- PV modules’ reliability deployed in Japanese PV power plant from viewpoint of encapsulant (O-15)		Tsuyoshi Shioda (Mitsui Chemicals)
10:30- IEC standardization of BD thermal runaway test (O-16)		Yasunori Uchida (JET)
11:00- Coffee Break (30 min)		
<b>Session VI: Novel Test Protocols-3</b>		<b>Chair: Peter Hacke (NREL)</b>
		<b>(Sequential Tests and Others)</b>
		<b>Kohji Masuda (JET)</b>
11:30- Sequential and combined acceleration tests for physical and mechanical stresses in crystalline Si photovoltaic modules (O-17)		
		Atsushi Masuda <sup>1</sup> , Chizuko Yamamoto <sup>1</sup> , Naomi Uchiyama <sup>1</sup> , Kiyoshi Ueno <sup>2</sup> , Toshiharu Yamazaki <sup>2</sup> , Kazunari Mitsuhashi <sup>3</sup> , Akihiro Tsutsumida <sup>3</sup> , Junichi Watanabe <sup>3</sup> , Jyunko Shirataki <sup>3</sup> , and Keiko Matsuda <sup>3</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> AIST, <sup>2</sup> Choshu Industry Co., Ltd., <sup>3</sup> Toray Research Center, Inc.)
12:00- Effects of hydrothermal environment on PID acceleration for crystalline Si photovoltaic modules (O-18)		
		Yasushi Tachibana <sup>1</sup> , Takeshi Toyoda <sup>1</sup> , Toshiharu Minamikawa <sup>1</sup> , Yukiko Hara <sup>2</sup> , and Atsushi Masuda <sup>2</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> IRII, <sup>2</sup> AIST)
12:15- Na migration process in crystalline Si photovoltaic modules by potential induced degradation test (O-19)		
		Fumitaka Ohashi <sup>1</sup> , Hiroki Yoshida <sup>1</sup> , Yukiko Hara <sup>2</sup> , Atsushi Masuda <sup>2</sup> , Shuichi Nonomura <sup>1</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> Gifu Univ., <sup>2</sup> AIST)
12:30- Characterization of PID acceleration for crystalline Si solar cell modules using a laser terahertz emission microscope (LTEM) (O-20)		
		Hidetoshi Nakanishi <sup>1</sup> , Fujikazu Kitamura <sup>1</sup> , Kiyotaka Matsuo <sup>1</sup> , Minoru Mizubata <sup>1</sup> , Iwao Kawayama <sup>2</sup> , Masayoshi Tonouchi <sup>2</sup> , Katsuhiko Shirasawa <sup>3</sup> , Toshimitsu Mochizuki <sup>3</sup> , Hidetaka Takato <sup>3</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> SCREEN Holdings, <sup>2</sup> Osaka Univ., <sup>3</sup> AIST)
12:45- Lunch [Self Pay] & Poster Session (105 min)		
<b>Session VII: Practical Issues in PV Reliability</b>		<b>Chair: George Kelly (IEC TC82)</b>
		<b>Isao Yoshida (JEMA)</b>
14:30- Long term performance analysis of various PV modules in Hokuto mega-solar (O-21)		
		Yuzuru Ueda (Tokyo Univ. of Science)
15:00- Reliability of power rating and labeling (O-22)		
		Christos Monokroussos, Kengo Morita and Werner Herrmann (TÜV Rheinland Group)
15:30- Challenges to overcome before spreading BIPV system (O-23)		
		Akihiko Nakajima (KANEKA)
<b>Session VIII: Standardization</b>		<b>Chair: Masaaki Yamamichi (AIST)</b>
16:00- Coordination of international standards with implementation of the IEC RE conformity assessment system (O-24)		
		George Kelly (IEC TC82 Secretariat)
16:30- General Discussion & Closing Remarks (O-25)		
		Tadanori Tanahashi (AIST)
17:00 Wrap up		