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Fluorine-doped tin oxide (FTO) conducting glass substrates were treated with  $\text{TiO}_x$  or  $\text{TiCl}_4$  precursor solutions to create a blocking layer before tape casting the  $\text{SnO}_2$  mesoporous anode. In addition,  $\text{SnO}_2$  photoelectrodes were treated with the same precursor solutions to deposit a  $\text{TiO}_2$  passivating layer covering the  $\text{SnO}_2$  particles.

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Synthesis methods, shape and size of the nanocrystalline titanium dioxide ( $\text{TiO}_2$ ) are very crucial parameters for the power conversion efficiency of dye sensitized solar cells this article, nanoparticles of  $\text{TiO}_2$  powders have been synthesized via flame spray pyrolysis and hydrothermal sol-gel methods. These powders have been characterized by X-ray diffraction ...

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Using the pre-treatment of the working photoelectrode and the admixture light-scattering layer can ameliorate the performance of  $\text{TiO}_2$  dye-sensitized solar cells (DSSCs).  $\text{TiCl}_4$  treatments on  $\text{TiO}_2$  electrodes improve the adhesion and mechanical strength of the  $\text{TiO}_2$  layer. The  $\text{HNO}_3$  treatment significantly enhances the dispersion of  $\text{TiO}_2$  particles and increases the ...

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Post-treatment of titanium dioxide ( $\text{TiO}_2$ ) films for use in dye-sensitized solar cells has been carried out with titanium(IV), indium(III) and zirconium(IV) oxide precursor solutions. The nanostructured electrodes were characterized using nitrogen gas sorption (NGS), x-ray diffraction (XRD), x-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS), energy dispersive x-ray spectroscopy (EDX), ...

(DOI: 10.1111/J.1151-2916.1997.TB03245.X) During the past five years, the authors have developed in their laboratory a new type of solar cell that is based on a photoelectrochemical process. The light absorption is performed by a monolayer of dye (i.e., a Ruthenium complex) that is adsorbed chemically at the surface of a semiconductor (i.e., titanium oxide ( $\text{TiO}_2$ )). ...

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Where  $j_{pp}$  and  $v_{pp}$  are maximum power output, and  $I_s$  is the incident light intensity ( $\text{mW} / \text{cm}^2$ ). Results and Discussion Crystal Structure and Optical Properties. Figure 1 shows the XRD patterns of the  $\text{TiO}_2$  powders prepared by the sol-gel method using different  $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{Ti}$  molar ratios. The graphs noticeably confirm that the prepared samples encompass an ...

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