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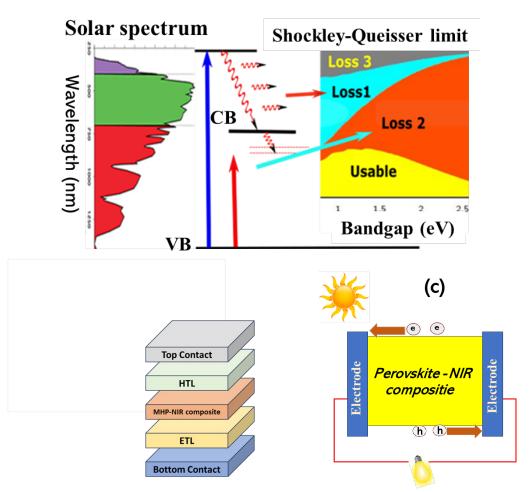
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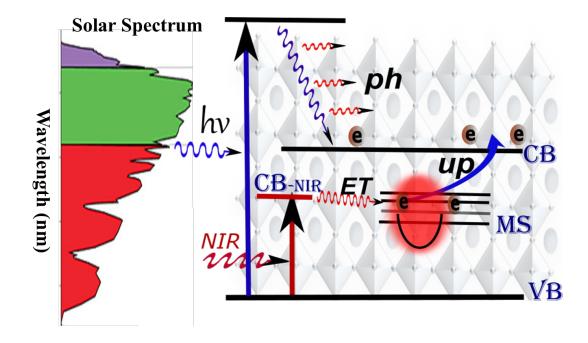
Single junction solar cells have intrinsic Loss1: hot phonon and Loss2: unabsorbed infrared → efficiency limit of 33%.

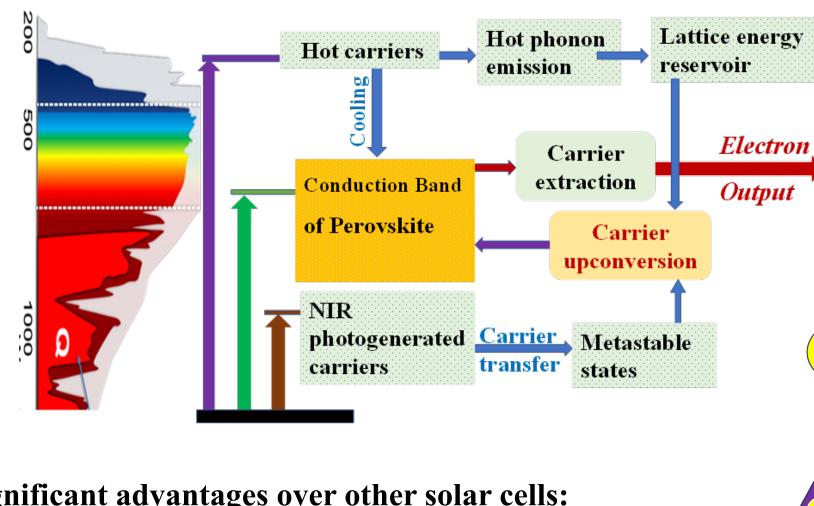


LBSC is a revolutionary solar cell – overcome energy Loss1 and Loss2 → theoretical efficiency exceed 70%!

Lattice energy reservoir is newly found in soft lattice perovskites: hot phonon energy can be stored and then drive carrier upconversion.

Perovskite-infrared composite will be used as absorber in LBSC for full solar spectrum harvesting. Infrared photons are absorbed and are upconverted as output electricity!





Significant advantages over other solar cells:

A perfect triangle of solar cell

- 70% efficiency, much higher than Shockley–Queisser limit.
- high stability, thermal energy is converted to electricity.
- simple structure with low-cost fabrication

