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Silicon Millimeter-Wave Circuits for Receivers and Transmitters

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For the 90 GHz band we have fabricated a monolithic integrated Schottky diode receiver on a highly insulating silicon substrate. The receiver consists of the monolithic Schottky diode and a planar antenna structure on one silicon chip. The receiver sensitivity is $65 \mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$. The receiver antenna half-power beamwidth is 23° and the side lobe attenuation is 12 dB. Also new results on planar W-band oscillators hybrid integrated on highly insulating silicon substrates with double drift region IMPATT diodes are presented. The CW oscillator output power is greater than 20 mW and the efficiency is more than 1 percent.

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