Functions of Diodes and Laser Diodes

Overview

Laser diodes are semiconductor devices that emit coherent light when electric current passes through them. Amplification of light by stimulated photon emission produces a monochromatic, directional, coherent, and high-intensity beam. Operational Mechanism: Laser diodes create light through stimulated emission within an optical cavity, with the light's properties influenced by the semiconductor. What is a Laser Diode?

The term LASER stands for Light Amplification by Stimulated Emission of Radiation. Threshold Value: It is the most important characteristic of the laser diode. It works on the same basic principle as an LED, but with an internal structure that forces photons to align in phase and direction, producing coherent laser light instead of the. A Laser Diode is a semiconductor device similar to a light-emitting diode (LED).

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Laser diode

Unlike a regular diode, the goal for a laser diode is to recombine all carriers in the I region, and produce light. Thus, laser diodes are fabricated using direct band-gap semiconductors.

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