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## Author Correction: Picosecond pulsed laser illumination: an ultimate solution for photonic versus thermal processes' contest in SOI photo-activated modulator

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The original version of this Article contained errors.

The paragraph following Eq. 34 was incomplete.

“The numerical solution must meet these two boundary conditions.”

now reads:

“Note that  $x_{end}$  refers to the end of the semiconductor model, at the insulator layer ( $x_{ins}$ ). The numerical solution must meet these two boundary conditions.”

Additionally, Eq. 35 was incorrect and contained a duplication of the term  $dx'$ .

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} = -\frac{\partial E}{\partial x} = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon} \Rightarrow \phi(x) - \phi(0) = -\int_0^x E dx = -\frac{1}{\epsilon} \int_0^x \int_0^{x'} \rho dx' dx' \quad (35)$$

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Lastly, in the Numerical results section, under subheading ‘Identifying optimal parameters’,

“One can see (Fig. 11), that the smaller wavelength the temperature is smaller.”

now reads:

“One can see (Fig. 11), that the longer the wavelength, the smaller the temperature.”

The original Article has been corrected.



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