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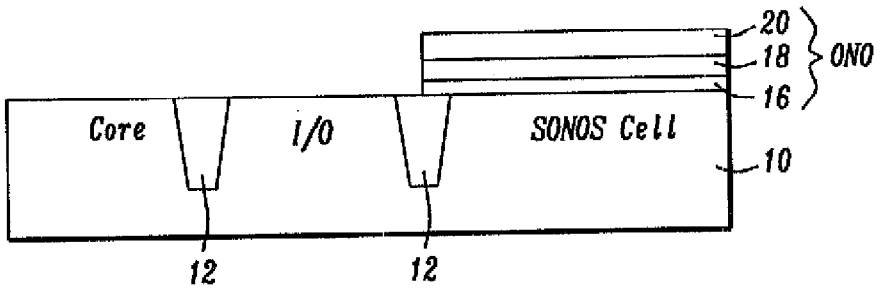


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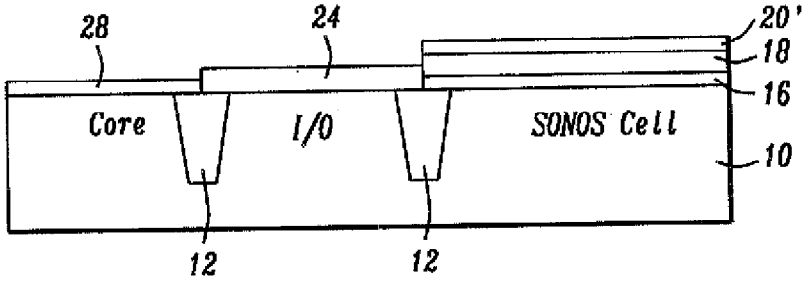


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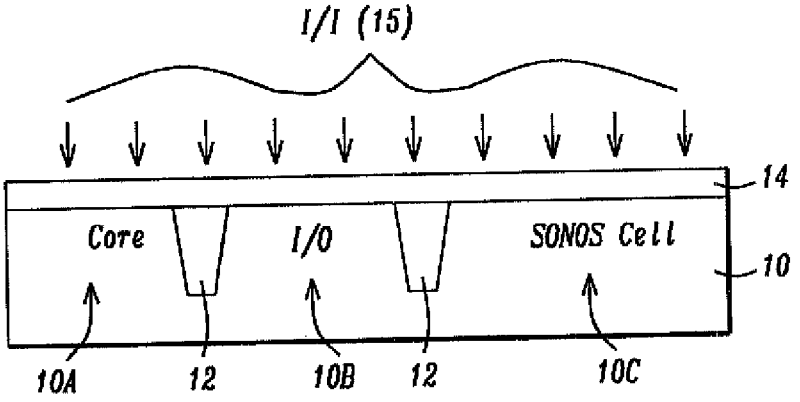


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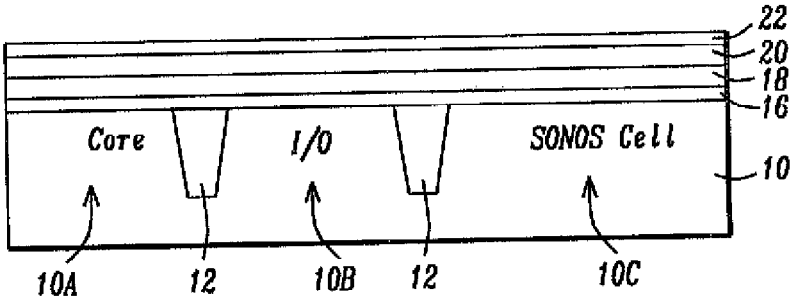


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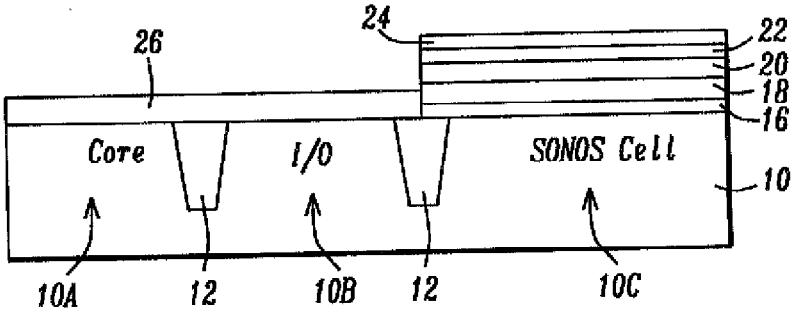


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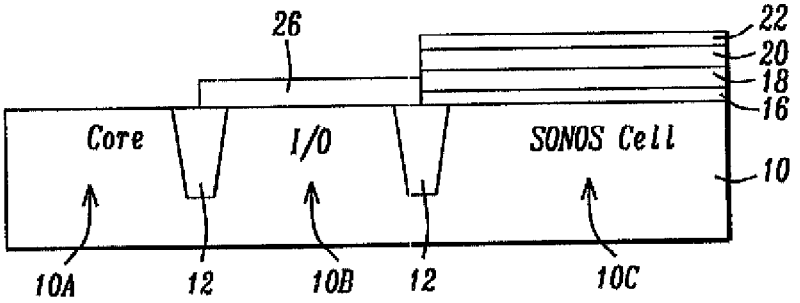


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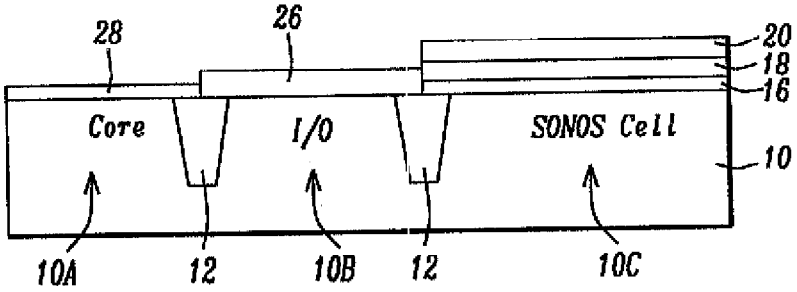


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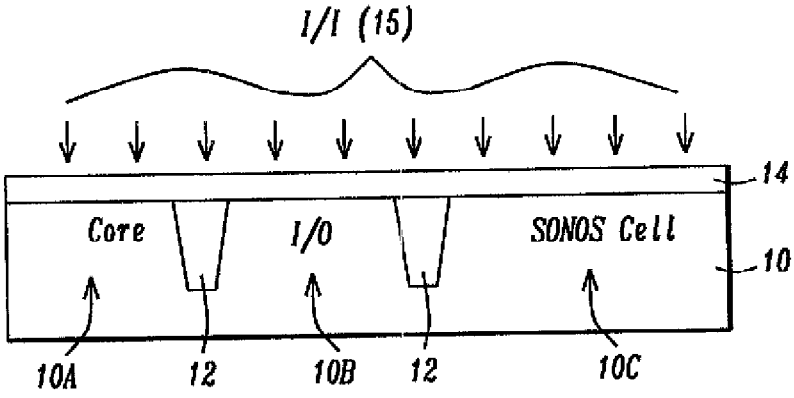


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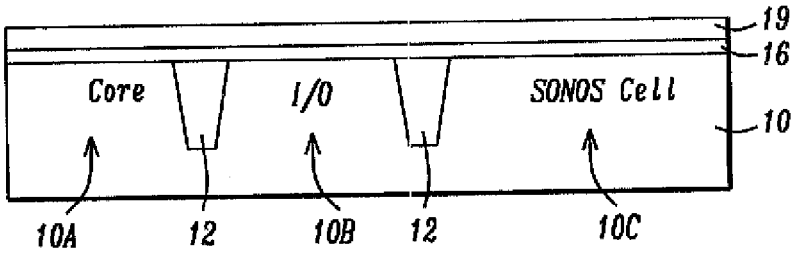


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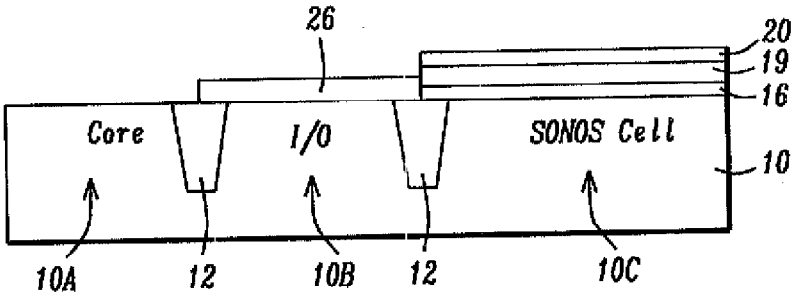


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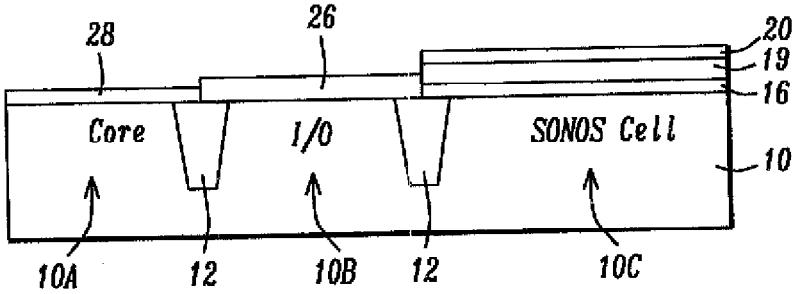


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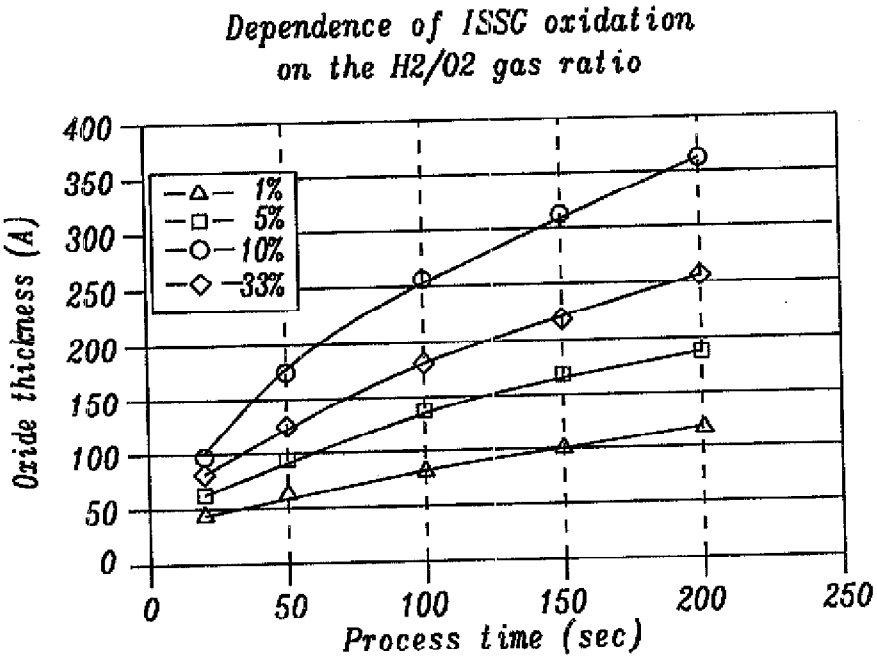

Dependence of ISSG oxidation
on the H2/02 gas ratio
Oxide thickness (A)
400
350
300
250
200
150
100
50
0
1%
5%
10%
33%
0
50
100
150
200
250
Process time (sec)

FIG. 13

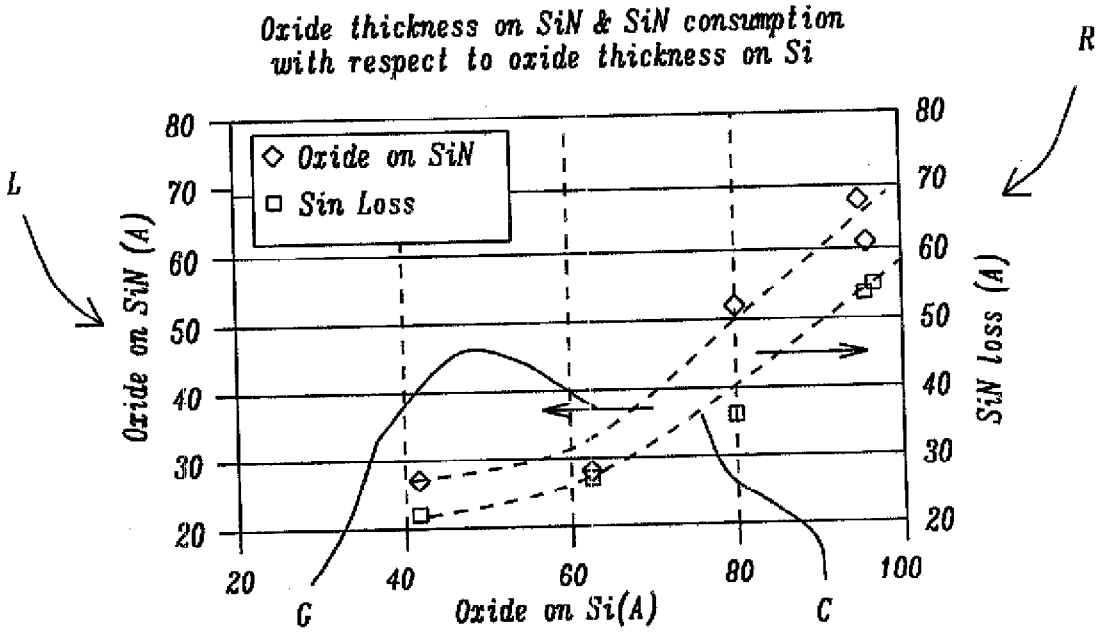

Oxide thickness on SiN & SiN consumption
with respect to oxide thickness on Si
L
R
Oxide on SiN
Sin Loss
Oxide on SiN (A)
SiN loss (A)
80
70
60
50
40
30
20
20
40
60
80
100
C
C
Oxide on Si(A)

FIG. 14