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ABSTRACT

In a surface acoustic wave device, a common portion and a strip portion of a reflector electrode are partially cut off to increase a space between the electrodes. The increase of the space between the electrodes reduces the influence of the amount of charges and the influence of an unbalance
5 between the amounts of charges in etching of a metallic film, thereby preventing the electrodes from having a curved shape in section. Consequently, the surface acoustic wave device has a reduced propagation loss.



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