#### LITERATURE SURVEY

# Photovoltaics literature survey (no. 91)

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To help keep readers up-to-date in the field, each issue of *Progress in Photovoltaics* will contain a list of recently published journal articles most relevant to its aims and scope. This list is drawn from an extremely wide range of journals, including *IEEE Transactions on Electron Devices*, *Journal of Applied Physics*, *Applied Physics Letters*, *Progress in Photovoltaics* and *Solar Energy Materials and Solar Cells*. To assist the reader, the list is separated into broad categories, but please note that these classifications are by no means strict. Also note that inclusion in the list is not an endorsement of a paper's quality. If you have any suggestions, please email Santosh Shrestha at s.shrestha@unsw.edu.au.

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