

Supplementary information:

Cost analysis of roll-to-roll fabricated ITO free single and tandem organic solar modules based on data from manufacture

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Fig. S1: Share of overall costs: current status – active layer scenarios for single devices. a) P3HT:PCBM (1:1 ratio) (low cost and PCE), MH301:PCBM (1:2 ratio) (high cost and PCE).

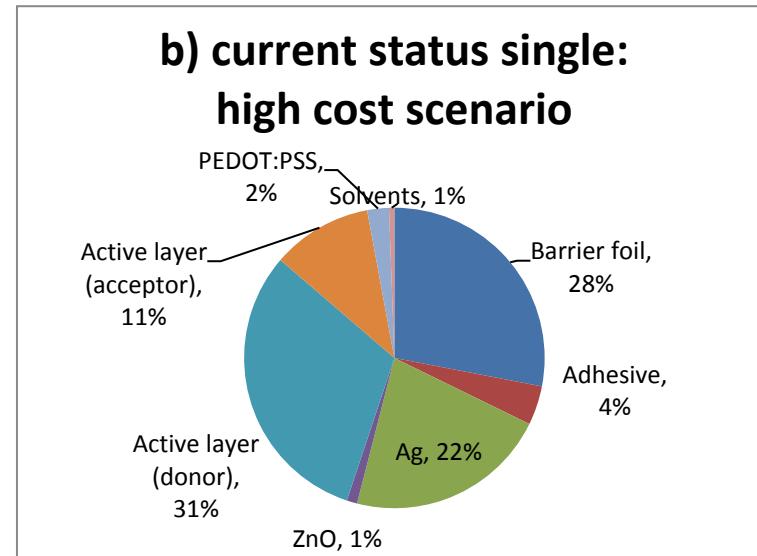
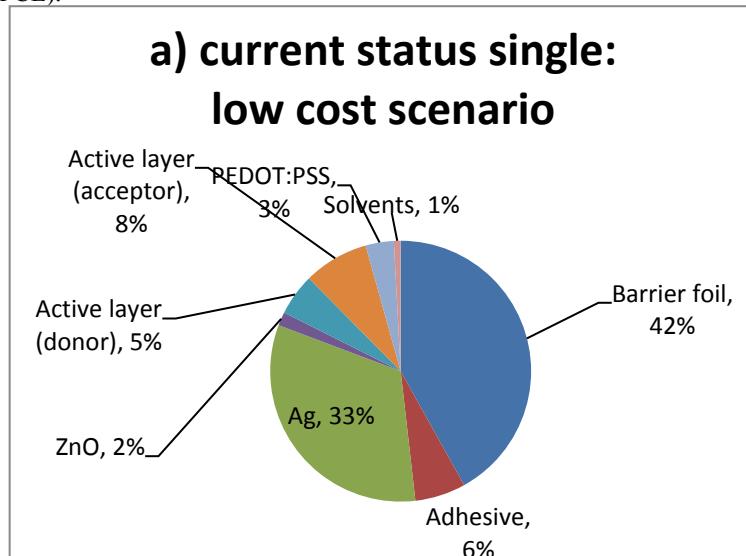


Fig. S2: Share of overall costs: current status –active layer scenarios for tandem devices. a) P3HT:PCBM (1:1 ratio) in both sub-cells (low cost and PCE), MH301:PCBM (1:2 ratio) and MH306:PCBM (1:1.5 ratio) (high cost and PCE).

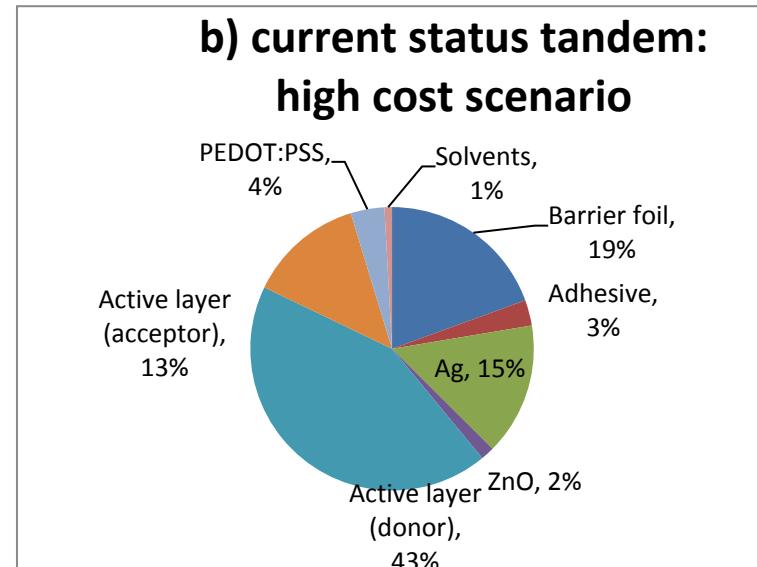
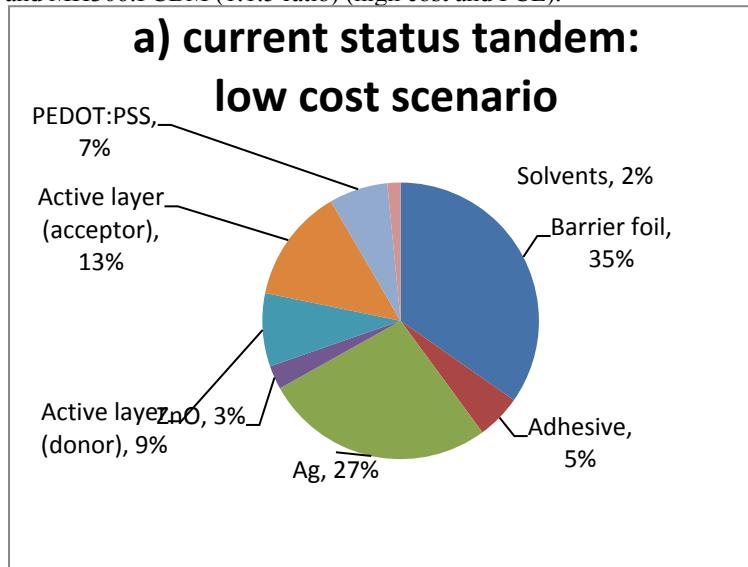
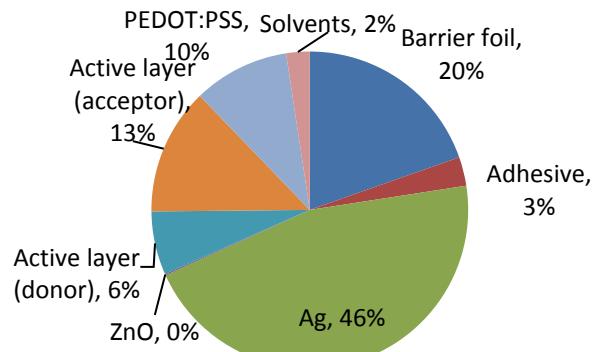
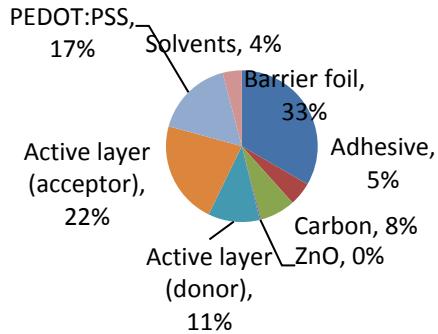


Fig. S3 Share of overall costs upscaling scenario of single devices: different electrode models. a) Ag electrodes, b) Ag front electrode, Aluminium back electrode, c) Carbon electrodes

a) Upscaling single: Ag electrodes



b) Upscaling single : Carbon electrodes



c) Upscaling single: Ag front / Al back electrode

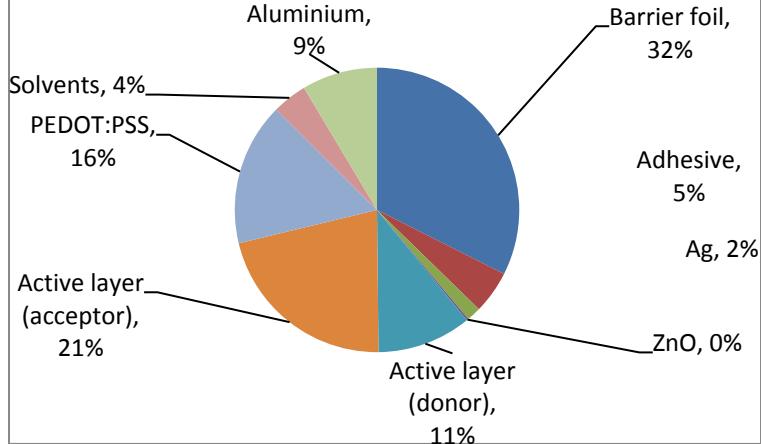
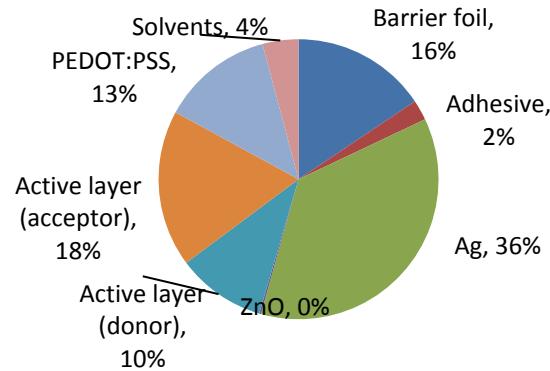
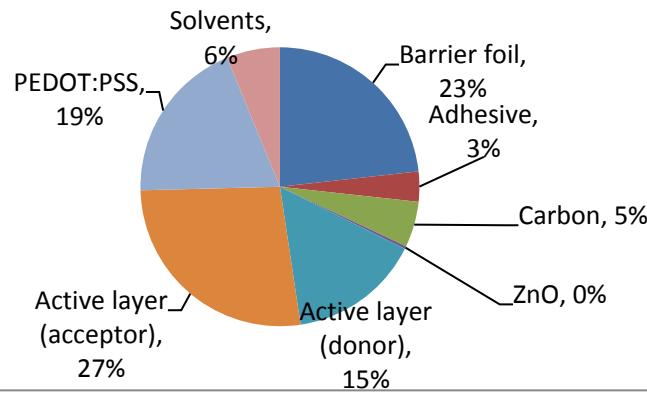


Fig. S4 Share of overall costs upscaling scenario of tandem devices: different electrode models. a) Ag electrodes, b) Ag front electrode, Aluminium back electrode, c) Carbon electrodes

a) Upscaling tandem: Ag electrodes



b) Upscaling tandem : Carbon electrodes



c) Upscaling tandem: Ag front / Al back electrode

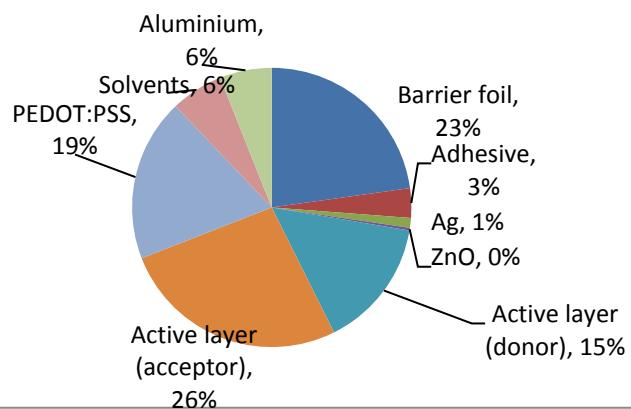
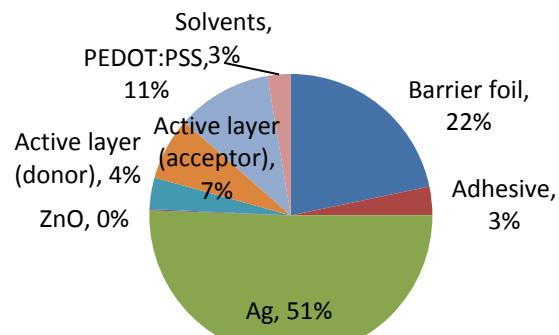
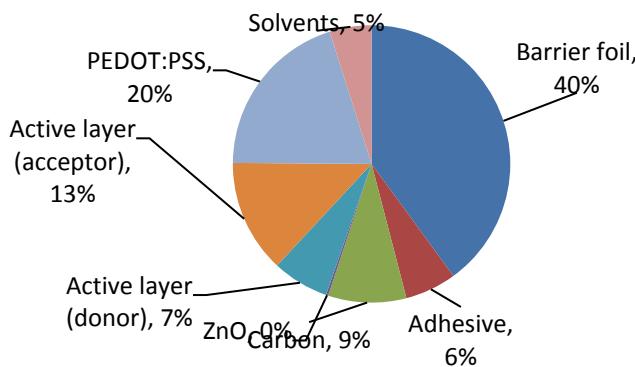


Fig. S5 Share of overall costs industrial scenario of single devices: different electrode models. a) Ag electrodes, b) Ag front electrode, Aluminium back electrode, c) Carbon electrodes

a) Industrial single: Ag electrodes



b) Industrial single: Carbon electrodes



c) Industrial single: Ag front/ Al back electrode

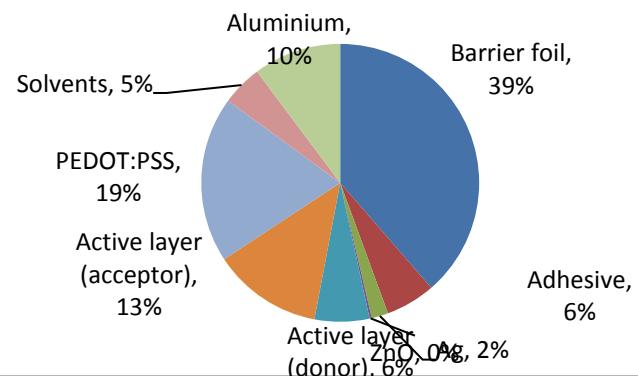


Fig. S6 Share of overall costs industrial scenario of tandem devices: different electrode models. a) Ag electrodes, b) Ag front electrode, Aluminium back electrode, c) Carbon electrodes

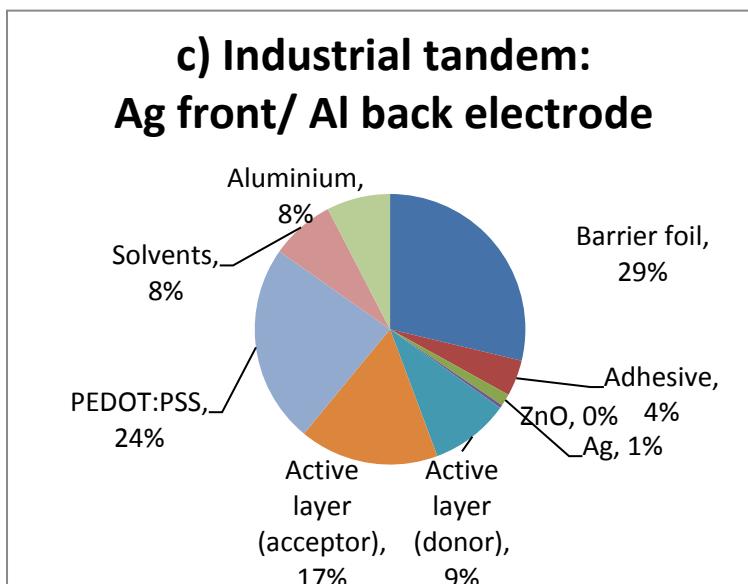
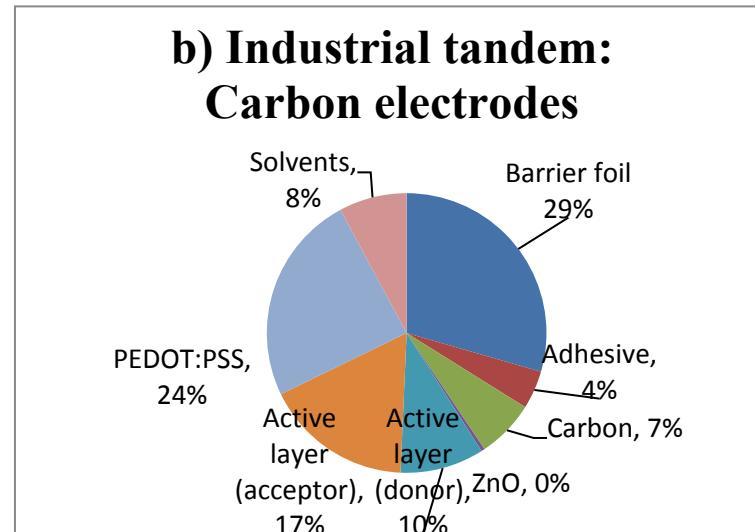
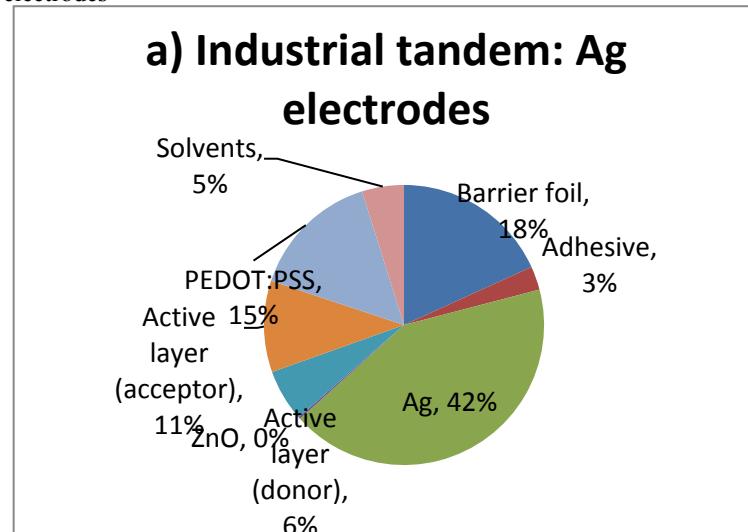


Fig. S7: Cost model for a comparison of single and tandem devices with an expected PCE increase of 40 % for tandem devices in comparison to the single devices ($\text{€}/\text{m}^2$ - $\text{€}/\text{Wp}$). Industrial scenario, Carbon electrode model.

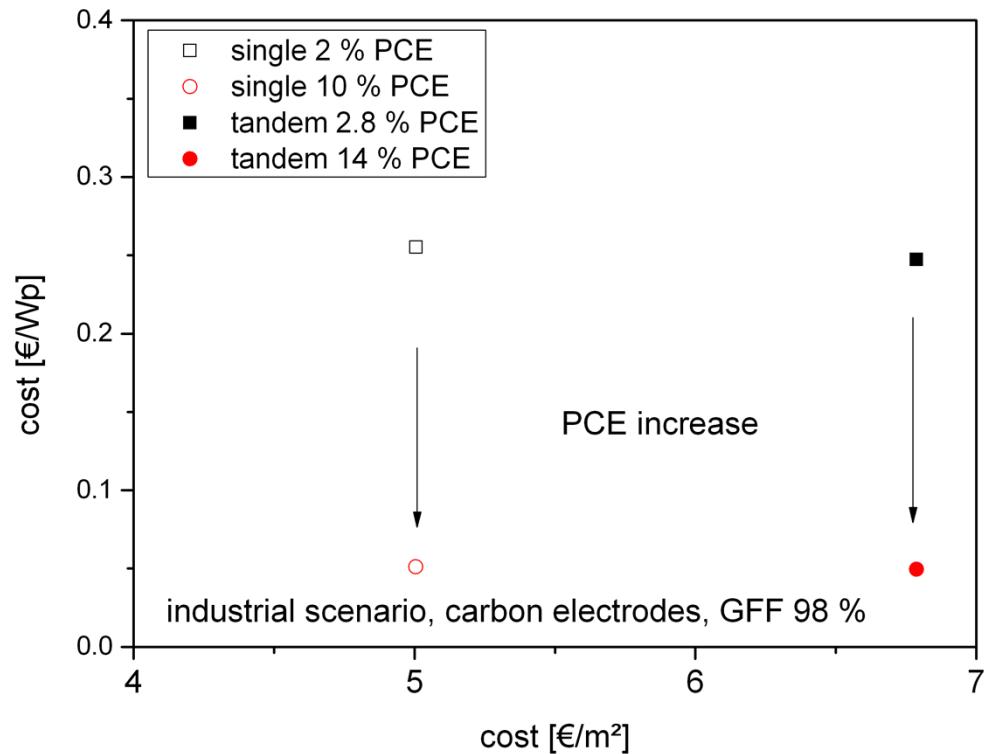


Table S1 Cost structure current status free OPV modules (P3HT:PCBM, single cell modules)

Table S2 Cost structure current status high cost model (MH301:PCBM, single cell modules)

Table S3 Cost structure current status high cost model (MH301:PCBM/MH306:PCBM, tandem cell modules)

Table S4 Cost structure upscaling scenario (Ag electrodes single cell modules)

Table S5 Cost structure upscaling scenario (Carbon electrodes single cell modules)

Table S6 Cost structure upscaling scenario (Carbon electrodes tandem cell modules)

Material	Supplier	Type	Used amount	Unit	Cost	Unit	Cost [€/m ²]
Barrier foil			1.000	m ²	1.000	m ²	1.000
Carbon			0.263	g/m ²	0.135	€/g	0.035
PEDOT:PSS	Heraeus	Clevios FET DK	1.666	mL/m ²	0.325	€/mL	0.541
	Sigma-Aldrich	Isopropanol	3.331	mL/m ²	0.026	€/mL	0.087
ZnO	DTU	ZnO	1.000	mL/m ²	0.013	€/mL	0.013
Active layer 1 donor		MH301 based calculation	0.033	g/m ²	20.00	€/g	0.660
Active layer 1 acceptor		PCBM based calculation	0.066	g/m ²	20.00	€/g	1.320
Active layer 1 solvent	Sigma-Aldrich	Chlorobenzene	4.590	mL/m ²	0.025	€/mL	0.115
PEDOT	Heraeus	PEDOT AI 4083	1.600	mL/m ²	0.200	€/mL	0.320
	Sigma-Aldrich	Sigma-Aldrich	3.331	mL/m ²	0.026	€/mL	0.087
ZnO	DTU	ZnO	1.000	mL/m ²	0.013	€/mL	0.013
Active layer 2 donor		MH306 based calculation	0.033	g/m ²	20.00	€/g	0.656
Active layer 2 acceptor		PCBM based calculation	0.050	g/m ²	20.00	€/g	1.000
Active layer 2 solvent	Sigma-Aldrich	Chloroform	4.590	mL/m ²	0.025	€/mL	0.115
PEDOT:PSS	Heraeus	Clevios AI 4083	1.666	mL/m ²	0.200	€/mL	0.333
	Sigma-Aldrich	Isopropanol	3.331	mL/m ²	0.026	€/mL	0.087
PEDOT:PSS	Heraeus	Clevios F010	3.331	mL/m ²	0.138	€/mL	0.460
	Sigma-Aldrich	Isopropanol	1.666	mL/m ²	0.026	€/mL	0.043
Carbon		DELO-KATIOBOND	3.115	g/m ²	0.135	€/g	0.420
Adhesive	DELO	LP655	3.000	g/m ²	0.100	€/g	0.300
Barrier foil			1.000	m ²	1.000	m ²	1.000

Table S7 Cost structure upscaling scenario (Al back electrode single cell modules)

Table S8 Cost structure upscaling scenario (Al back electrode tandem cell modules)

Material	Supplier	Type	Used amount	Unit	Cost	Unit	Cost [€/m ²]
Barrier foil			1.000	m ²	1.000	m ²	1.000
Ag	Pchem	PFI-722	0.263	g/m ²	2.000	€/g	0.100
PEDOT:PSS	Heraeus	Clevios FET DK	1.666	mL/m ²	0.325	€/mL	0.541
	Sigma-Aldrich	SIsoopropanol	3.331	mL/m ²	0.026	€/mL	0.087
ZnO	DTU	ZnO	1.000	mL/m ²	0.013	€/mL	0.013
Active layer 1 donor		MH301 based calculation	0.033	g/m ²	20.00	€/g	0.660
Active layer 1 acceptor		PCBM based calculation	0.066	g/m ²	20.00	€/g	1.320
Active layer 1							
Solvent	Sigma-Aldrich	Chlorobenzene	4.590	mL/m ²	0.025	€/mL	0.115
PEDOT	Heraeus	PEDOT AI 4083	1.600	mL/m ²	0.200	€/mL	0.320
	Sigma-Aldrich	Isopropanol	3.331	mL/m ²	0.026	€/mL	0.087
ZnO	DTU	ZnO	1.000	mL/m ²	0.013	€/mL	0.013
Active layer 2 donor		MH306 based calculation	0.033	g/m ²	20.00	€/g	0.656
Active layer 2 acceptor		PCBM based calculation	0.050	g/m ²	20.00	€/g	1.000
Active layer 2							
Solvent	Sigma-Aldrich	Chloroform	4.590	mL/m ²	0.025	€/mL	0.115
PEDOT:PSS	Heraeus	Clevios AI 4083	1.666	mL/m ²	0.200	€/mL	0.333
	Sigma-Aldrich	Isopropanol	3.331	mL/m ²	0.026	€/mL	0.087
PEDOT:PSS	Heraeus	Clevios F010	3.331	mL/m ²	0.138	€/mL	0.460
	Sigma-Aldrich	Isopropanol	1.666	mL/m ²	0.026	€/mL	0.043
Aluminium	VTT		7.780	g/m ²	0.068	€/g	0.529
Adhesive	DELO	DELO-KATIOBOND LP655	3.000	g/m ²	0.100	€/g	0.300
Barrier foil			1.000	m ²	1.000	m ²	1.000

Table S9 Cost structure industrial scenario (Ag electrodes single cell modules)

Table S10 Cost structure industrial scenario (Ag electrodes, tandem cell modules)

Table S11 Cost structure industrial scenario (Carbon electrodes single cell modules)

Table S12 Cost structure industrial scenario (Al back electrode, single cell modules)

Table S13 Cost structure industrial scenario (Al back electrode, tandem cell modules)

Table S14 Processing cost assumption freeOPV

freeOPV		
	web speed m/min	processing costs/ layer €/m ²
Ag	20	0.22
PEDOT:PSS	inline	inline
ZnO	10	0.44
Active layer (donor)	inline	inline
PEDOT:PSS	8	0.56
Ag	8	0.56
Adhesive	2	2.22
Cutting	4	1.11
Sum		5.11

Table S15 Processing cost assumption current status: tandem device high cost model

current status high cost model		
	web speed m/min	processing costs/ layer €/m ²
Ag	20	0.22
PEDOT:PSS	20	0.22
ZnO	10	0.44
Active layer 1 donor	1.5	2.96
PEDOT:PSS	1	4.44
ZnO	inline	inline
Active layer 2 donor	1.2	3.70
PEDOT:PSS	1	4.44
PEDOT:PSS	inline	inline
Ag	2	2.22
Adhesive	1.5	2.96
Cutting	4	1.11
Sum		22.74

Table S16 Processing cost assumption 100 MW production regime: tandem devices (Ag electrodes)

100 MW production regime: tandem devices (Ag electrodes)		
	web speed m/min	processing costs/ layer €/m ²
Ag	60	0.07
PEDOT:PSS	inline	inline
ZnO	60	0.07
Active layer 1 donor	inline	inline
PEDOT:PSS	60	0.07
ZnO	inline	inline
Active layer 2 donor	60	0.07
PEDOT:PSS	60	0.07
PEDOT:PSS	inline	inline
Ag	inline	inline
Adhesive	60	0.07
Cutting	60	0.07
Sum		0.52

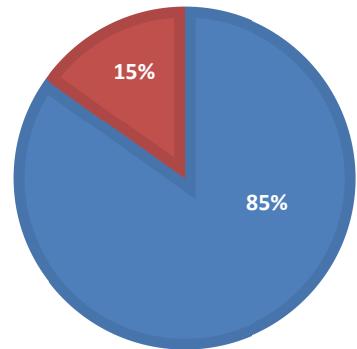
Table S17 Processing cost assumption 100 GW production regime: tandem devices (Carbon electrodes)

100 GW production regime: tandem devices (Carbon electrodes)		
	web speed m/min	processing costs/ layer €/m ²
Carbon	300	0.01
PEDOT:PSS	inline	inline
ZnO	inline	inline
Active layer 1 donor	inline	inline
PEDOT:PSS	300	0.01
ZnO	inline	inline
Active layer 2 donor	300	0.01
PEDOT:PSS	300	0.01
PEDOT:PSS	inline	inline
Carbon	inline	inline
Adhesive	300	0.01
Cutting	60	0.07
Sum		0.15

Fig. S8: Ratio material and processing costs for different scenarios

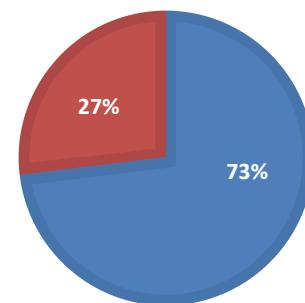
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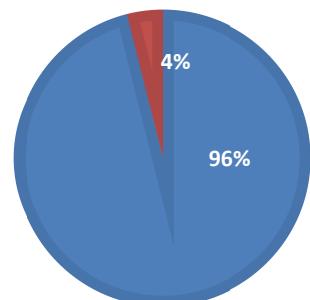
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■ Material costs ■ Processing costs



UPSCALING SCENARIO (TANDEM): AG ELECTRODES

■ Material costs ■ Processing costs



INDUSTRIAL SCENARIO (TANDEM): CARBON ELECTRODES

■ Material costs ■ Processing costs

