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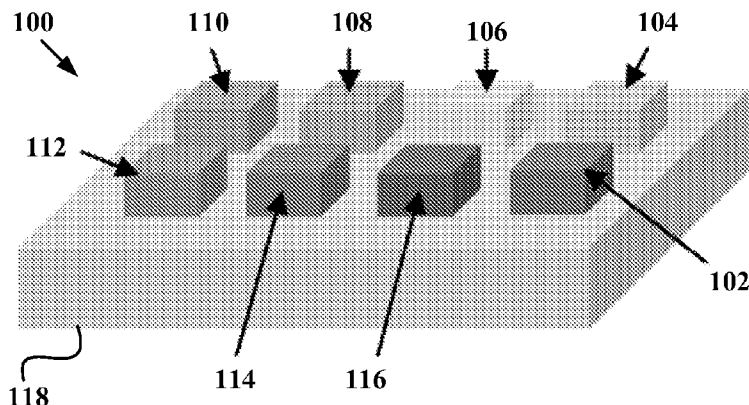


FIG. 1

(57) Abstract: An apparatus, system, and method for a self-powered device (100) using on-chip power generation. In some embodiments, the apparatus includes a substrate (118), a power generation module (114, 106, 110, 112) on the substrate, and a power storage module (108) on the substrate. The power generation module may include a thermoelectric generator (106) made of bismuth telluride.



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