

Supporting Information for

High-performance Near-infrared Photodetector Based on Single-crystalline InGaAs Nanowires

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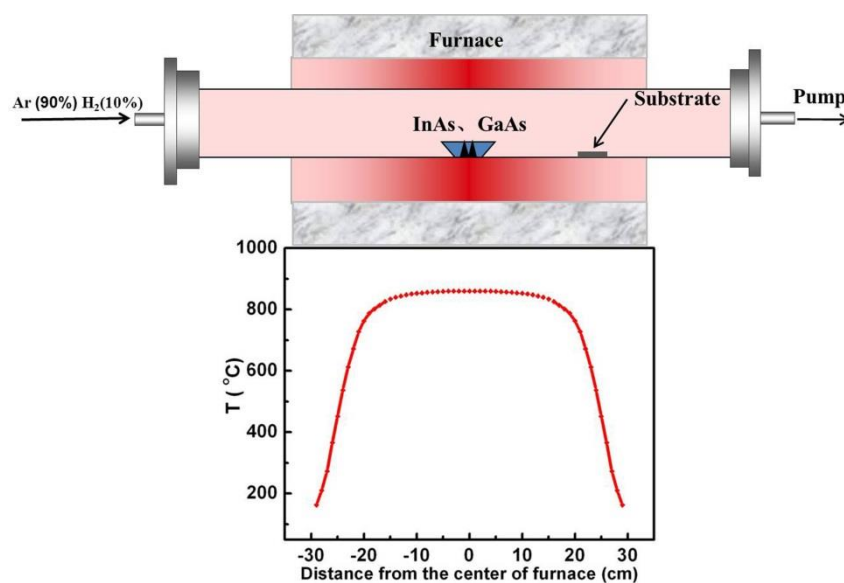


Fig. S1 Schematic diagram of the experimental setup and the temperature gradient in the furnace. The temperature profile of tube furnace was measured with thermocouples

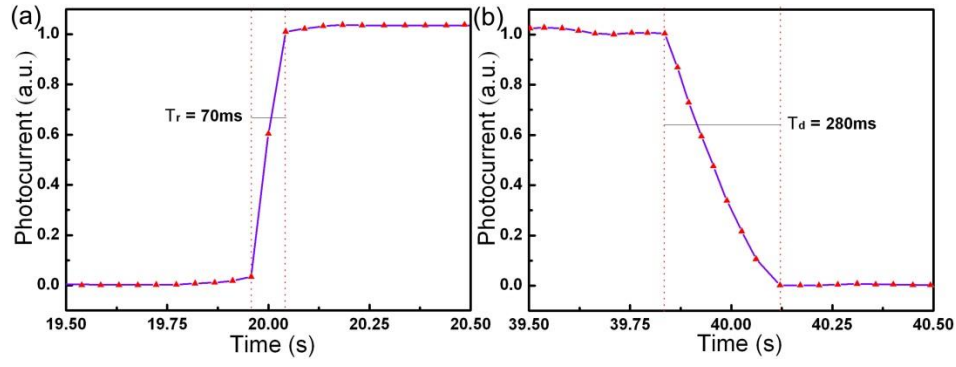


Fig. S2 (a, b) The detailed curves of photocurrent changing with time.

The Temperature-dependent Bandgap of $\text{In}_{0.65}\text{Ga}_{0.35}\text{As}$ NWs

The temperature-dependent bandgap values of GaAs and InAs can be calculated from the two equation, respectively [1, 2]:

$$E_g(T) = 0.415 - \frac{2.76 \times 10^4 T^2}{T + 83} \quad (1)$$

$$E_g(T) = 1.515 - \frac{5.5 \times 10^4 T^2}{T + 255} \quad (2)$$

The theoretical bandgap of $\text{In}_x\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{As}$ can be given by the following equation:

$$E_g(\text{In}_x\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{As}) = E_g(\text{InAs})x + E_g(\text{GaAs})(1-x) - 0.436x(1-x) \quad (3)$$

The Varshni's empirical relation of a typical semiconductor [3]:

$$E_g(T) = E_g(0K) - \alpha T^2 / (T + \beta) \quad (4)$$

According to these four equations, the bandgap of $\text{In}_{0.65}\text{Ga}_{0.35}\text{As}$ can be calculated as:

$$E_g(\text{In}_{0.65}\text{Ga}_{0.35}\text{As}, T) = 0.7008 - \frac{3 \times 10^4 T^2}{T + 105} \quad (5), \text{ as shown in Fig. 3b.}$$

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