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SiGeSn Infrared Photonics and Quantum Electronics

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- Theoretical/experimental investigations of SiGeSn electronic structure and optoelectronic properties, including quantum optical properties
- Theoretical/experimental investigations of SiGeSn thermal stability and processing.
- Novel epitaxy techniques for doped and undoped SiGeSn thin films and nanostructures, especially alloys with low defect densities and high Sn concentrations.

**SiGeSn Infrared Photonic Materials and Devices**
- Modeling, design and experimental demonstration of SiGeSn lasers, modulators, photodetectors, image sensors, etc.
- Photonic device processing and integration schemes

**SiGeSn Quantum Electronic Materials and Devices**
- Topological quantum materials based on α-Sn and Sn-rich SiGeSn alloys
- Quantum transport phenomena in SiGeSn system

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