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Supplementary Information

Highly Efficient Narrowed Emitting AgIn_xGa_{1-x}S₂/AgGaS₂ Quantum Dots via HF-Assisted One-Pot Synthesis Strategy and Their Light-emitting Diodes

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| QDs | Year | FWHM [nm] | λ [nm] | PL QY [%] | Synthesis Method | Synthesis Step | ref |
|-------------------------------------|------|--------------|-----------|--------------|---------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| AIS/GaS _x | 2018 | 28.6 | 585 | 28.8% | HU | two | 1 |
| AIS/GaS _x | 2019 | 32 | 582 | 49.2% | HI | two | 2 |
| AIS/GaS _x | 2022 | ~30 | 530-606 | 29%-40% | HI | two | 3 |
| AIS/GaS _x | 2022 | 36 | 581 | 87.4% | HI | two | 4 |
| AIS/GaS _x /ZnS | 2023 | 45 | 575 | 60% | HI | four | 5 |
| AIS/Ga-S-Se | 2023 | 64 | 733 | 25 | HI | two | 6 |
| AIS/AIGS/GS | 2023 | 35 | 602 | 3% | HI | three | 7 |
| AIGS/GaS _x | 2018 | 43-50 | 500-610 | 4%-28% | HU | two | 8 |
| AIGS/GaS _x | 2021 | 32-42 | 498-602 | 28%-59% | HU | two | 9 |
| AIGS/GaS _x | 2023 | 31-37 | 499-543 | 20%-75% | HI | two | 10 |
| AIGS/GaS _x | 2023 | 31 | 532 | 55% | HI | two | 11 |
| AIGS/AGS | 2023 | 30-55 | 468-610 | 50%-96% | HI | two | 12 |
| AIGS/Ga ₂ O ₃ | 2023 | 44 | 563 | 58% | HU | one | 13 |
| AIGS/AGS | | 33 | 532 | 45% | HI | one | This work |

 Table S1. Performance summary of Ag-In-S QDs with narrow band emission.

HU: Heating Up / HI: Hot Injection



Figure S1. PL spectra of AIGS/AGS QDs with HF (3 wt%) treatment. PL spectra at different loading amounts (a) and PL spectra at different reaction temperatures (b) before AGS shell coating. The variation of PL QY of the AIGS/AGS QDs obtained at different loading amounts (c) and different reaction (d) temperatures.



Figure S2. The ratio of band-edge emission and defect emission in the PL spectra of AIGS/AGS QDs (a) and AIGS/AGS-HF QDs (b).



Figure S3. Size distribution histograms of (a) AIGS cores, (b) AIGS-HF cores, (c) AIGS/AGS QDs, and (d) AIGS/AGS-HF QDs.



Figure S4. HRTEM images of AIGS cores before (a) and after (b) prolonged electron beam irradiation.



Figure S5. High-angle annular dark-field TEM image and EDS elemental mapping of Ag (red), In (orange), Ga (blue), and S (violet) for AIGS/AGS QDs.

| QDs | Ag | In | Ga | S | F |
|-------------------------|------|-------|------|------|-----|
| AIGS | 20.2 | 16.3 | 23.3 | 40.2 | 0 |
| AIGS-HF | 20.4 | 16.2. | 20.8 | 38.2 | 4.4 |
| AIGS-HF (normalized) | 21.3 | 16.9 | 21.8 | 40.0 | / |

Table S2. Composition ratios calculated from EDS data in atomic% in AIGS cores, AIGS-HF cores,

and normalized ratios of AIGS-HF cores excluding the F element.



Figure S6. Variation in FWHM (a), PL peak energy (b) and PL intensity (c) with temperature of AIGS/AGS QDs and AIGS/AGS-HF QDs.



Figure S7. PL decay curve of AIGS cores.

Table S3. PL decay components of AIGS cores, AIGS/AGS QDs, and AIGS/AGS-HF QDs.

| Sample | PL peak (nm) | A ₁ (%) | $\tau_1(ns)$ | A ₂ (%) | $\tau_{2}\left(ns ight)$ | χ2 | $\tau_{ave}\left(ns\right)$ |
|------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------------|------|-----------------------------|
| AIGS cores | 669 | 50 | 89 | 50 | 445 | 0.99 | 390 |
| AIGS/AGS QDs | 532 | 85 | 24 | 15 | 130 | 0.99 | 77 |
| AIGS/AGS -HF QDs | 532 | 72 | 40 | 28 | 150 | 0.99 | 105 |



Figure S8. CIE coordinate of EL of QLED and PL of AIGS/AGS-HF QDs.



Figure S9. Electroluminescence (EL) spectra of the QLED at various voltages.

| QDs | EL [nm] | FWHM [nm] | EQE [%] | V _{on} [V] | L_{max} [cd A ⁻¹] | ref |
|-------------------------------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|
| AIS/GaS _x | 570 | 44 | 0.54 | 2.8 | 60.3 | 14 |
| AIGS/GaS _x | 539 | 39 | | 2.0 | ~10 | 15 |
| AIGS/GaS _x | 531 | 33 | 1.1 | 2.4 | 175 | 16 |
| AIGS/GaS _x | 529 | 32 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 57 | 11 |
| AIGS/Ga ₂ O ₃ | 563 | 49 | 0.65 | 3.2 | ~50 | 13 |
| AIGS/AGS | 535 | 36 | 0.75 | 2.2 | 2747 | This work |

Table S4. Performance summary of green-QLEDs based on narrow-emitting I-III-VI QDs.

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