## **Supporting Information**

Figure S1. EDX spectra of Mn doped ZnO nanowires



Figure S2 : XRD patterns of Undoped ZnO and Mn doped ZnO.



Figure S3. Raman spectra of ZnO nanowires



Figure S4. PL spectrum of Mn doped ZnO nanowires.



**Figure S5.** (a) and (b) shows the photocurrent vs Intensity plots at 2 V and 5 V bias respectively. (c) and (d) shows the Photoconductive Gain vs Intensity plots at 2 V and 5 V bias respectively

