Room temperature prop	perties of	Si	GaAs	GaN	(Unit)
Lattice constant	$a_0 =$	5.43095	5.6533	$a_0 = 3.189$ $c_0 = 5.185$	Å
Bandgap energy	$E_g =$	1.12	1.42	3.4	eV
Intrinsic carrier concentration	$n_i =$	$1 \times 10^{10}$	$2 \times 10^{6}$	$2 \times 10^{-10}$	$\mathrm{cm}^{-3}$
Effective DOS at CB edge	$N_{\rm c} =$	$2.8 \times 10^{19}$	$4.7 \times 10^{17}$	$2.3 \times 10^{18}$	$\mathrm{cm}^{-3}$
Effective DOS at VB edge	$N_{\rm v}$ =	$1.0 \times 10^{19}$	$7.0 \times 10^{18}$	$1.8 \times 10^{19}$	$\mathrm{cm}^{-3}$
Electron mobility	$\mu_n =$	1500	8500	1500	$cm^2/(Vs)$
Hole mobility	$\mu_p =$	450	400	30	$cm^2/(Vs)$
Electron diffusion constant	$D_n =$	39	220	39	$cm^2/s$
Hole diffusion constant	$D_{\rm p}$ =	12	10	0.75	$cm^2 / s$
Minority carrier lifetime	$\tau$ =	$10^{-6}$	$10^{-8}$	$10^{-9}$	S
Electron effective mass	$m_{\rm e}^{*} =$	0.98 <i>m</i> <sub>e</sub>	$0.067 \ m_{\rm e}$	$0.2 \ m_{\rm e}$	_
Heavy hole effective mass	$m_{\rm hh}*=$	0.49 <i>m</i> e	0.45 <i>m</i> e	$0.8 m_{\rm e}$	_
Relative dielectric constant	$\epsilon_r =$	11.9	13.1	8.9	_
Refractive index	$n_{\text{optical}} =$	3.3	3.4	2.5	_
Absorption coefficient near $E_{\rm g}$	$\alpha =$	$10^{3}$	$10^4$	$10^{4}$	$\mathrm{cm}^{-1}$

## *Note*:

- DOS = Density of states. CB = Conduction band. VB = Valence band. •
- Diffusion constants and mobilities are related by Einstein's relation:  $D = \mu (k T / e)$ Minority carrier diffusion lengths are given by  $L_n = (D_n \tau)^{1/2}$  and  $L_p = (D_p \tau)^{1/2}$ •
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- The mobilities and diffusion constants apply to low doping concentrations (  $\approx 10^{15}$  cm<sup>-3</sup>). ٠ As the doping concentration increases, mobilities and diffusion constants decrease.
- The minority carrier lifetime  $\tau$  applies to doping concentrations of  $10^{18}$  cm<sup>-3</sup>. For other doping concentrations,  $\tau$  is given by  $\tau = B^{-1} (n+p)^{-1}$ , where  $B_{\text{GaAs}} \approx 10^{-10}$  cm<sup>3</sup>/s,  $B_{\text{Si}} \approx 10^{-12}$  cm<sup>3</sup>/s, and  $B_{\text{GaN}} \approx 10^{-10}$  cm<sup>3</sup>/s. •

Room temperature pr	operties of	SiO <sub>2</sub>	and	Si <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub>
Bandgap energy	$E_{\rm g}$ =	9.0 eV		5.0 eV
Dielectric constant	$\epsilon_r =$	3.9		7.5
Refractive index	$n_{\rm optical} =$	1.46		2.05
Dielectric strength (or breakdown field)	Е =	$10^7 \mathrm{V/cm}$		$10^7 \mathrm{V/cm}$