

Strong MoS₂ Photoluminescence on Graphene for Coupling with Silica Microcavity

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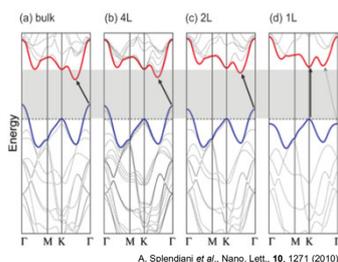
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Abstract

Few studies have been reported on the integration of the 2D material on silica toroid cavity. This is because the cavity shape is curved thus being difficult to transfer monolayer onto the surface. The goal of this study is to understanding the interaction between the toroid cavity and MoS₂ monolayer by transferring the monolayer to the fiber tip and placing it close to the cavity. The optimum structure of the cavity is obtained with FEM. This experiment revealed that the insertion of a buffer graphene layer between MoS₂ and silica substrate (material with which we will fabricate the microcavity structure) will successfully enhance the emission and will enable us to perform cavity QED experiments.

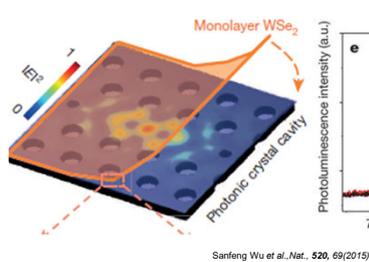
Background

Band diagram of the MoS₂



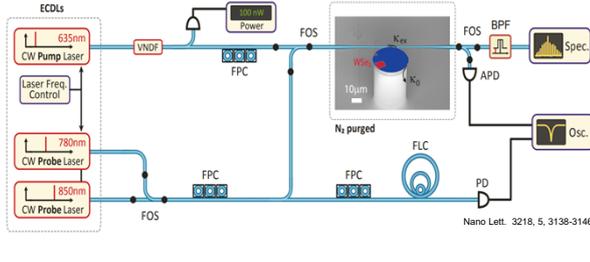
MoS₂ evolves from an indirect bandgap to a direct bandgap semiconductor when thinned to a monolayer.

Photonic nanocavity



Monolayer is transferred to the 2D photonic crystal. Spontaneous emission rate is enhanced by Purcell effect.

WGM microcavity



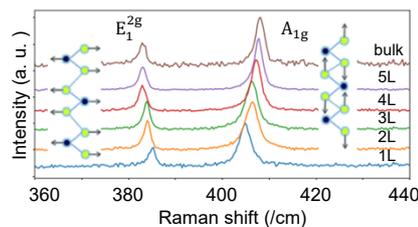
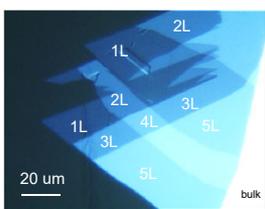
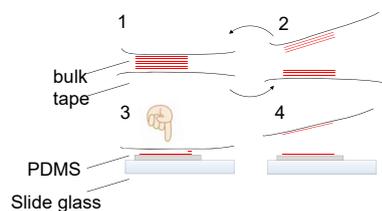
Monolayer is integrated with high-Q WGM silica disk cavity. By using taper fiber, monolayer is effectively excited.

Monolayer fabrication

- Mechanical exfoliation
- CVD (MBE)
- Dispersion liquid

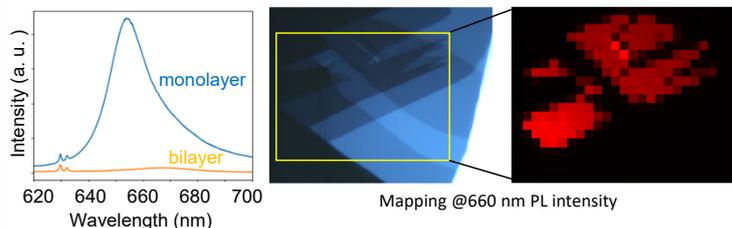
Advantage of the exfoliation

- Low cost
- Easy
- Relatively large size (20 μm square)

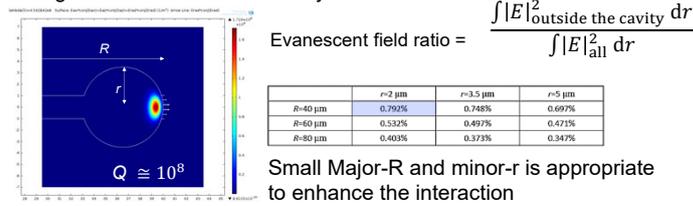


PL intensity and cavity structure

1. Optical property of the monolayer

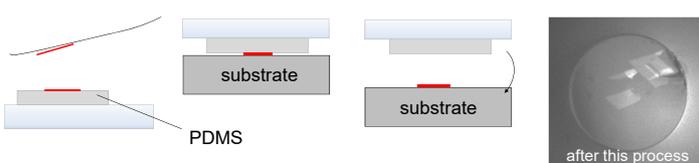


2. Light confinement in the cavity

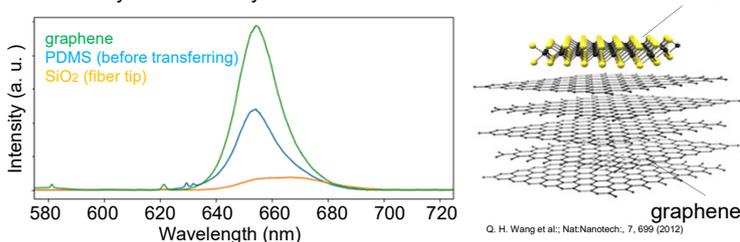


Influence of the substrates

1. Transferring monolayer to the substrate



2. Monolayer PL intensity on various substrates



Future plan

1. Determination of the best substrate

- Very sensitive to
 - dangling bond
 - Surface roughness
 - Impurity
 - Other TMDs
 - h-BN
 - Graphene
 - or Sandwich structure...
- 2D material is good candidate

2. Integration of the MoS₂ with silica toroid or photonic cavity

- PL enhancement due to Purcell effect $F = \frac{3Q}{4\pi^2V} \left(\frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^3$
- Nonlinear effect by strong intra-cavity power

