

# Development of n-type, passivating nanocrystalline silicon oxide films via plasma-enhanced chemical vapor deposition

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## Supplementary section

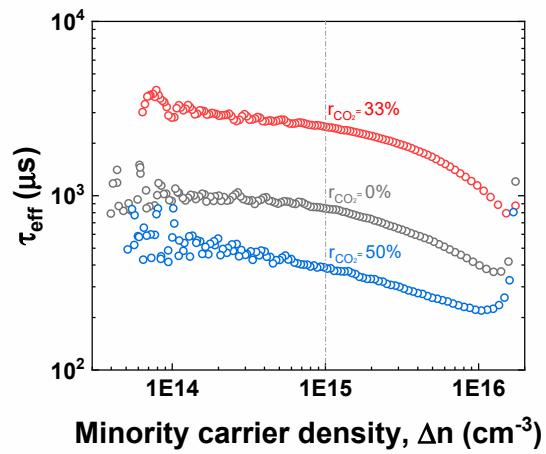


Figure S1. Variation in minority carrier lifetime ( $\tau_{\text{eff}}$ ) w.r.t. minority carrier density of nc-SiO<sub>x</sub>:H films deposited with changing CO<sub>2</sub> gas flow ratio.

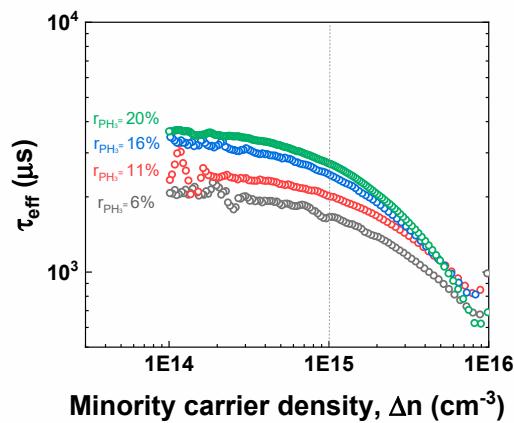


Figure S2. Variation in minority carrier lifetime ( $\tau_{\text{eff}}$ ) w.r.t. minority carrier density of nc-SiO<sub>x</sub>:H films deposited with changing PH<sub>3</sub> gas flow ratio.

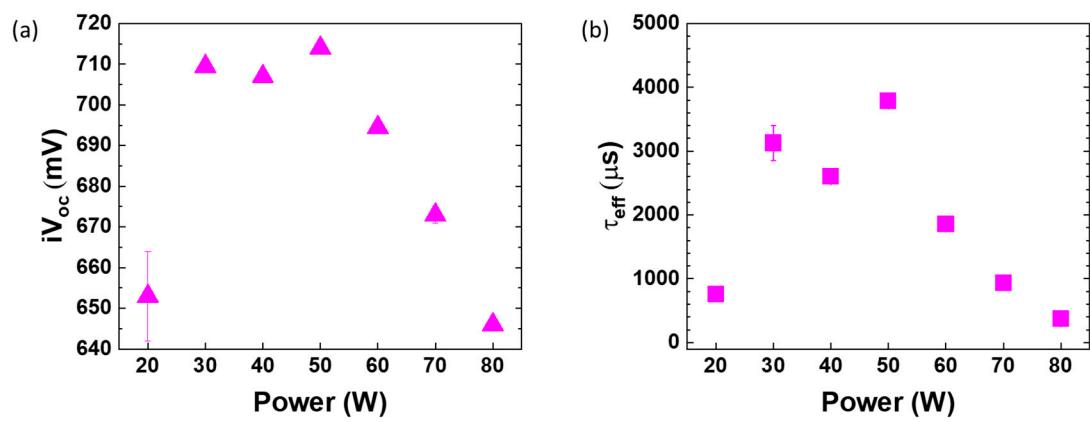


Figure S3. (a) Effective minority carrier lifetime ( $\tau_{eff}$ ) and (b) implied  $V_{oc}$  ( $iV_{oc}$ ) of nanocrystalline silicon oxide ( $nc\text{-SiOx:H}$ ) films deposited at various powers (20–80 W).