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CRADA Title: Evaluation of Novel Semiconductor Materials Potentially Useful in Solar Cells

Parties to the Agreement: EpiWorks, Inc. + NREL

Abstract of CRADA work:

Evaluation of novel semiconductor materials potentially useful in solar cells. NREL will fabricate, test and analyze solar cells from EpiWorks' wafers produced in 2-3 separate growth campaigns. NREL will also characterize material from 2-3 separate EpiWorks material development campaigns. Finally, NREL will visit EpiWorks and help establish any necessary process, such as spectral CV measurements and III-V on Si metalization processes and help validate solar cell designs and performance.

Summary of Research Results:

Five batches of III-V solar cells were processed and measured for various projects at Epiworks.

Subject Inventions listing:

No inventions resulted from this CRADA.

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