- 1. (2.5 pts) A 100 mW laser beam with wavelength  $\lambda = 6328$  Å is focused onto a GaAs sample that is 0.5  $\mu$ m thick. The absorption coefficient at this wavelength is  $3 \times 10^4$  cm<sup>-1</sup>, the bandgap is  $E_g = 1.42$  eV at 300 K, and  $m_e^* = 0.067 m_o$ .
  - a) Find the number of photons emitted per second by radiative recombination in the GaAs, assuming perfect quantum efficiency.
  - b) What is the power delivered to the sample as heat?
- 2. (1.5 pts) An aluminum layer having the work function  $q\phi_m = 4.1$  eV is deposited onto a SiC substrate. SiC has an electron affinity of 3.9 eV and a bandgap of 3.0 eV and its effective density of states at room temperature of  $N_C = N_V = 2.51 \times 10^{19}$  cm<sup>-3</sup>. Determine the doping type and carrier density so that the work function of the SiC matches the Al layer at room temperature.

q	$1.6  imes 10^{-19} \mathrm{C}$	electron charge
$\epsilon_{o}$	$8.85 imes10^{-14}~\mathrm{F/cm}$	permittivity of free space
$K_s$	11.8 (Si)	relative dielectric constant
Ko	3.9 (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	relative dielectric constant
$k_B$	$8.617 imes10^{-5}~{ m eV/K}$	Boltzman's constant
h	$6.63  imes 10^{-34} \text{ J} \text{ s}$	Planck constant
$m_o$	$9.11  imes 10^{-31}  ext{ kg}$	electron mass
$k_BT/q$	0.0259 V at 300 K	thermal voltage
С	$3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$	speed of light