

Supporting information

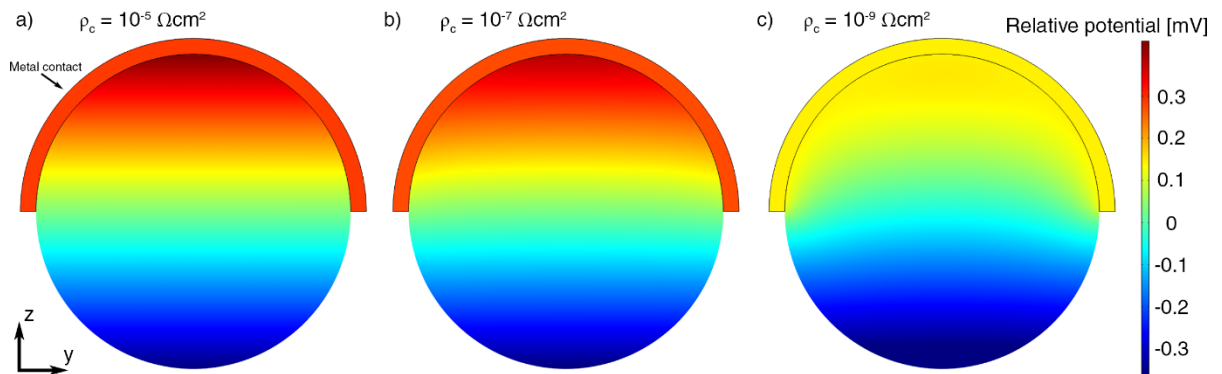


Figure S1. Potential in center cross-section of a three-probe Hall NW device with $\alpha = 180$ deg. $n = 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $w_c = 50 \text{ nm}$, $r = 100 \text{ nm}$. The magnetic field is parallel to y and the current is perpendicular to the plane of the figure. a) $\rho_c = 10^{-5} \Omega\text{cm}^2$, b) $\rho_c = 10^{-7} \Omega\text{cm}^2$, c) $\rho_c = 10^{-9} \Omega\text{cm}^2$.

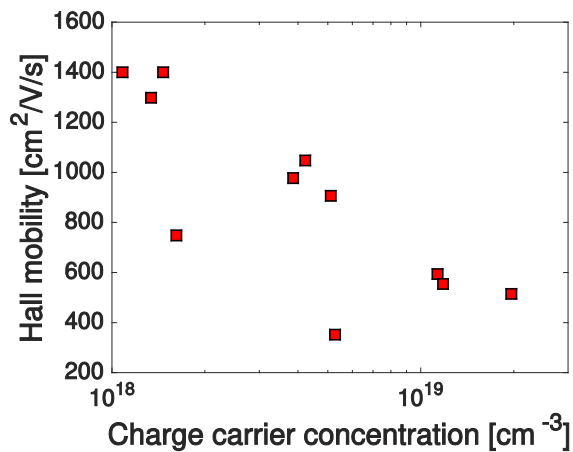


Figure S2. Hall mobility as function of charge carrier concentration measured with the three-probe Hall method.

Growth details, thin Sn-doped InP nanowires

The growth substrate was prepared from a piece of a InP:Zn (111)B wafer, on which 50 nm diameter gold particles at a density of $0.8 \mu\text{m}^{-2}$ were deposited by an aerosol method (ref S1). The growth substrate was inserted into a metal-organic vapor phase epitaxy system (Aixtron 200/4), using a working pressure of 100 mbar, a total gas flow of 13 L/min and H_2 as a carrier gas. The sample was heated to $550 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ under a PH_3/H_2 gas flow for a 10 minute annealing step to desorb surface oxides. Thereafter, the sample was cooled to the growth temperature of $420 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ where growth was initiated. Growth precursors used were TMIIn and PH_3 , at constant molar fractions of $\chi_{\text{TMIIn}} = 2.0 \times 10^{-5}$ and $\chi_{\text{PH}_3} = 6.9 \times 10^{-3}$. After 15 seconds, HCl was added to the precursor flow to impede radial growth (ref S2), at a molar fraction of $\chi_{\text{HCl}} = 4.6 \times 10^{-5}$. As a dopant precursor, TESn was turned on throughout the growth. For the first and last 2.5 minutes of growth, highly doped end-segments were grown to ensure good contacts, with a molar fraction of $\chi_{\text{TESn}} = 1.3 \times 10^{-5}$. For the middle segment, which was probed by the three-probe Hall measurement shown in fig. 6, a molar fraction of $\chi_{\text{TESn}} = 5.5 \times 10^{-6}$ was used. Total growth time was 19 minutes, after which TMIIn and TESn was switched off, and the sample was cooled in a PH_3/H_2 atmosphere.

The as grown nanowires were about $4.2 \mu\text{m}$ in length, and had a diameter of about 65 nm (Figure S3).

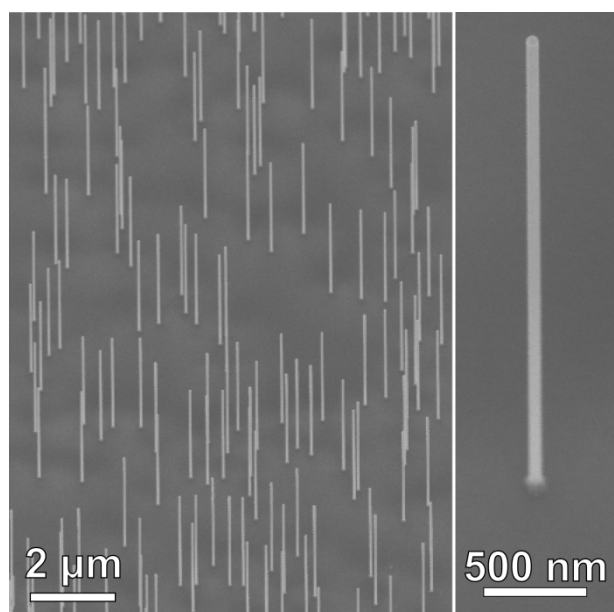


Figure S3. Scanning electron microscopy images of as-grown Sn-doped InP nanowires, taken at 30° tilt.

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