

Supporting Information for:

Atomically Resolving Polymorphs and Crystal Structures of In₂Se₃

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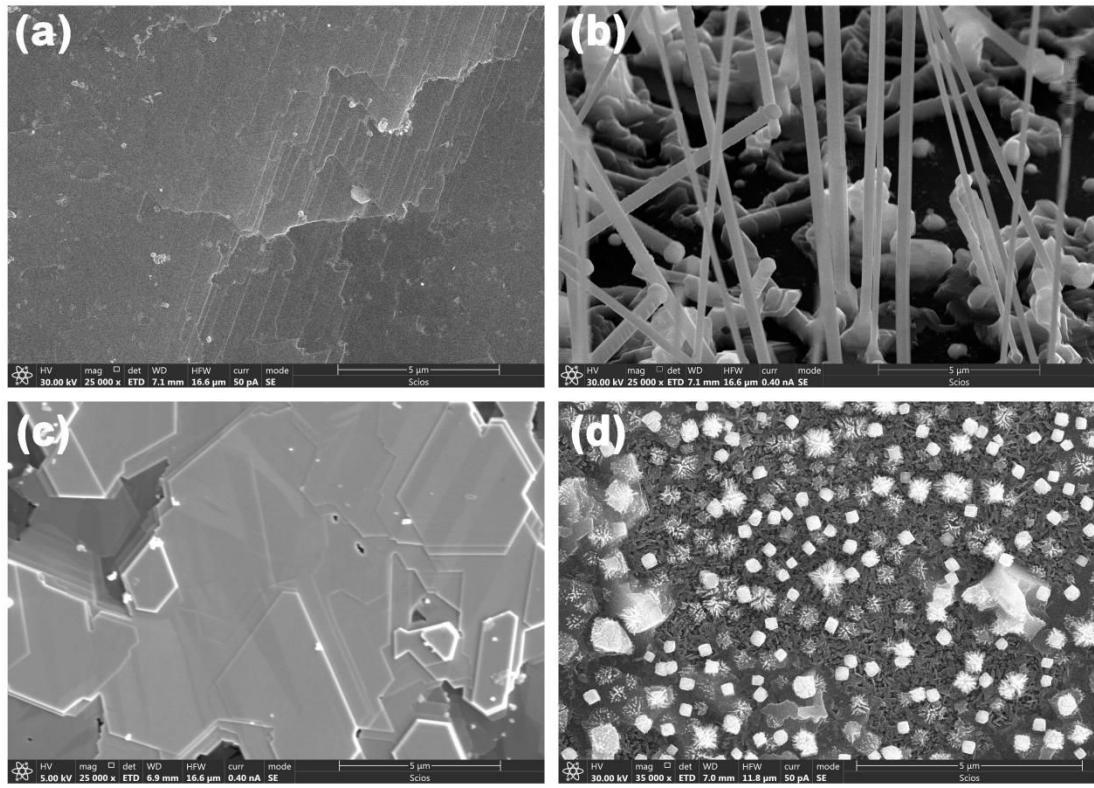


Figure S1 SEM images of In₂Se₃ grown on SiO₂/Si substrate (a), In₂Se₃ nanowirs (b), In₂Se₃ grown on HOPG substrate (c) and γ -In₂Se₃ (d).

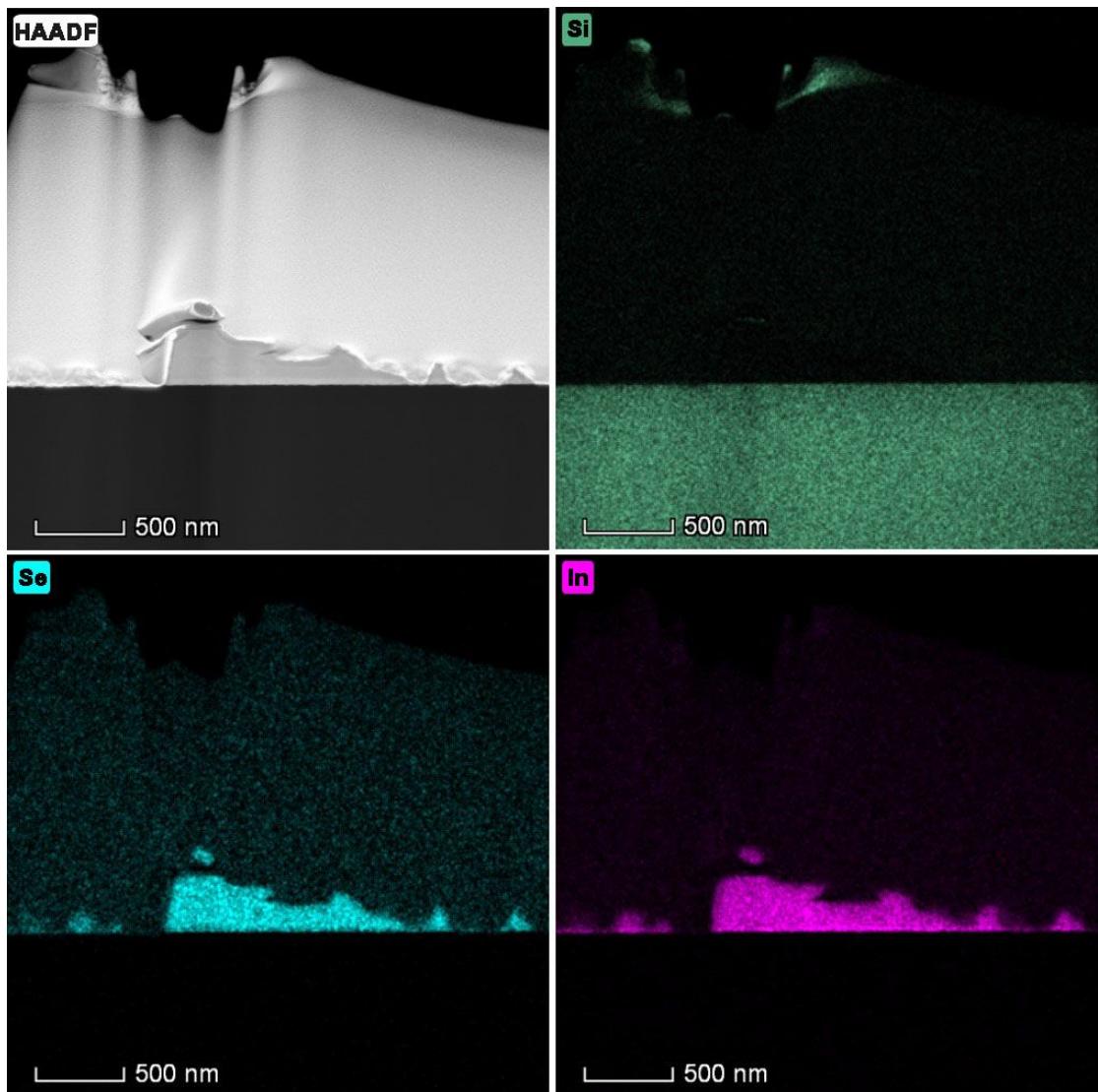


Figure S2 Cross-sectional HAADF and corresponding elemental EDX mapping of In₂Se₃ grown on SiO₂/Si substrate.

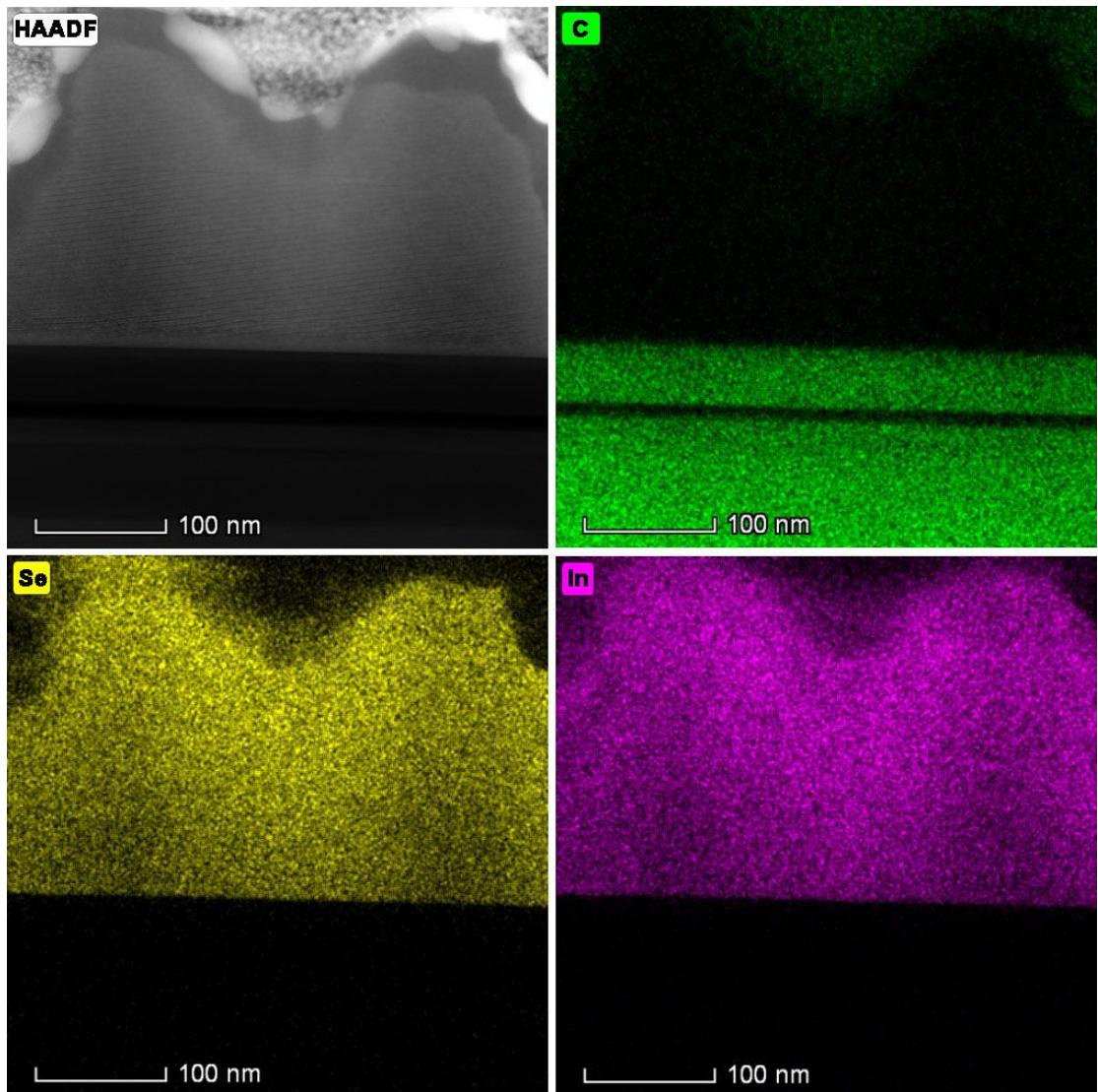


Figure S3 Cross-sectional HAADF and corresponding elemental EDX mapping of In₂Se₃ grown on HOPG substrate.

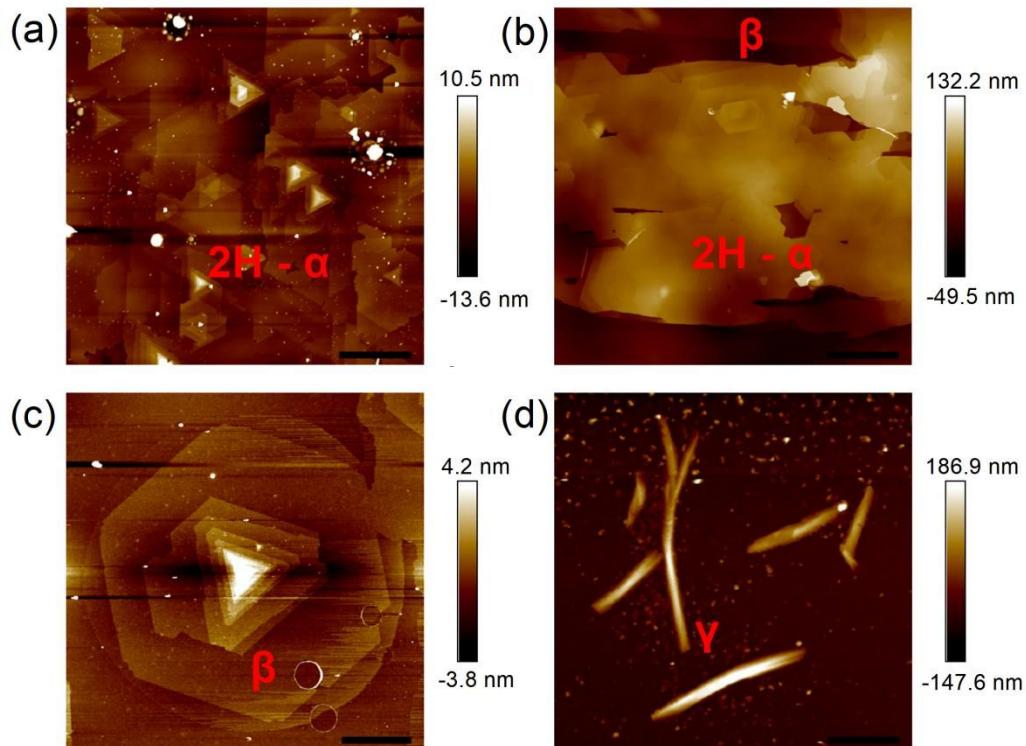


Figure S4 The AFM images of In_2Se_3 (a) In_2Se_3 crystal grown on SiO_2/Si substrate by CVD, which is co-exist of 2H- α , 3R, and 1T- β phases distinguished by TEM. (b) The AFM image of In_2Se_3 crystals grown on the HOPG substrate by CVD method. The mixed α and β - In_2Se_3 phases was observed in the domain. (c) The AFM image of β - In_2Se_3 grown on WS_2 substract presenting a circular shape in first layer and triangle shape in the subsequent layers. (d) The γ - In_2Se_3 grown on SiO_2/Si substrate, showing a needle-like shape. The scale bar in (a) - (d) is $2.0 \mu\text{m}$, $5.0 \mu\text{m}$, $6.0 \mu\text{m}$ and $4.0 \mu\text{m}$, respectively.

Table S1 The crystal structure of different types of In_2Se_3

Polymorph	Crystal Structure	Space group	Lattice Parameters		Reference	
			a (Å)	c (Å)		
$\alpha\text{-In}_2\text{Se}_3$		rhombohedral	<i>R</i> 3 <i>m</i>	4.05	29.64	This work
			<i>R</i> -3 <i>m</i>	4.025	28.762	[1]
			<i>R</i> -3 <i>m</i>	4.032	28.705	[2]
			<i>R</i> -3 <i>m</i>	4.205	28.742	[3]
			<i>R</i> 3 <i>m</i>	4.026	28.75	[4]
			<i>R</i> 3 <i>m</i>	4.00	28.80	[11]
			<i>R</i> 3 <i>m</i>	4.05	28.77	[5]
			<i>R</i> 3 <i>m</i>	4.028	28.731	[6]
			<i>P</i> 63 <i>mc</i>	4.05	19.75	This work
$\beta\text{-In}_2\text{Se}_3$		hexagonal	<i>P</i> 63/ <i>mmc</i>	4.025	19.235	[1]
			-	4.05	19.23	[7]
			<i>P</i> 63 <i>mc</i>	4.023	19.217	[4]
			<i>P</i> -3 <i>ml</i>	4.04	9.76	This work
$\gamma\text{-In}_2\text{Se}_3$		hexagonal	<i>P</i> 63 <i>mc</i>	4.06	19.48	This work
			<i>P</i> 63/ <i>mmc</i>	4.0157	19.222	[8]
		rhombohedral	<i>R</i> -3 <i>m</i>	4.000	28.33	[1]
		<i>R</i> -3 <i>m</i>	3.832	25.16	[6]	
		<i>R</i> -3 <i>m</i>	4.166	28.213	[3]	
		hexagonal	<i>P</i> 6 <i>l</i>	7.35	20.02	This work
			<i>P</i> 6 <i>l</i> or <i>P</i> 6 <i>5</i>	7.1286	19.381	[8]
			<i>P</i> 6 <i>l</i> or <i>P</i> 6 <i>5</i>	7.17	19.41	[9]
			<i>P</i> 6 <i>l</i>	7.13	19.38	[10]

Table S2 Summary of typical Raman peaks for α - β - β' - and γ -In₂Se₃

Polymorph	Crystal Structure	Crystal Preparation	Excitation Wavelength (nm)	Typical Raman Peaks (cm ⁻¹)				Ref.
				~90	~104	~180	~195	
α -In ₂ Se ₃	hexagonal	growth by CVD on SiO ₂ /Si wafer	532; 473; 633	✓ 88	✓	✓ 179	✓	This work
		exfoliation of bulk crystal from 2D Semiconductor	532	✓	✓	✓	✓	[12]
		exfoliation of bulk crystal from 2D Semiconductor	532	✓	✓	✓	✓	[13]
		exfoliation of powder from Alfa Aesar; growth by VPD on mica; both annealed	488		✓	✓ 182		[14]
		rhombohedral grown by vertical gradient freezing method	488		✓	✓ 182		[15]
		grown by temperature gradient method	532		✓ 107	✓ 186	✓ 196	[2]
			514.5	✓ 95	✓ 108	✓ 185		[16]
		grown by CVD on mica	532		✓ 108	✓		[17]
		exfoliation of powder from Alfa Aesar	632		✓ 108	✓ 181		[3]
		grown by PVD on SiO ₂ /Si wafer	532			✓	✓ 192	[18]
		grown by PVT on ϵ -GaSe substrate	532		105	✓ 182	✓ 187	[19]
		exfoliation of bulk crystal from Alfa Aesar	532	✓ 91	✓	✓ 181		[17]
		exfoliation of bulk crystal from 2D Semiconductor	532			✓ 181		[21]

	powder from Alfa Aesar	532	✓ 89.2	✓ 103.5	✓ 182.3	✓ 192.8	[6]
Typical Raman Peaks (cm ⁻¹)							
			~110	~176	~205		
$\beta\text{-In}_2\text{Se}_3$	growth by CVD on SiO ₂ /Si wafer	532; 473; 633	✓ 109	✓	✓		This work
	annealing of the exfoliated $\alpha\text{-In}_2\text{Se}_3$	633	✓		✓		[3]
	grown by PVT on $\epsilon\text{-GaSe}$ substrate	532	✓	✓ 175	✓		[19]
	colloidal synthesis	514.5			✓		[22]
	annealing of the exfoliated $\alpha\text{-In}_2\text{Se}_3$	532	✓	✓	✓ 207		[20]
$\beta'\text{-In}_2\text{Se}_3$	grown by PLD on Si wafer	533	✓	✓ 175	✓ 208		[23]
	compresion of $\alpha\text{-In}_2\text{Se}_3$ at room temperature	532	99.9	167.9	177.3		[6]
Typical Raman Peaks (cm ⁻¹)							
			~150	~203	~228		
$\gamma\text{-In}_2\text{Se}_3$	growth by CVD on SiO ₂ /Si wafer	532; 473; 633	✓	✓	✓		This work
	grown by PVT on $\epsilon\text{-GaSe}$ substrate	532	✓	✓ 205	✓ 221		[19]
	grown by alternate thermal evaporation on soda lime glass substrate	1064	✓	✓ 205	✓ 224		[10]

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