졸-겔 방법으로 제조된 Er doped Al_2O_3/SiO_2 필름의 다공성과 결정성에 대한 광 발 광 특성

The dependence of porosity and crystallity on photoluminescence properties of Er doped Al₂O₃/SiO₂ films prepared by sol-gel method

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Optical amplificator have been used to compensate the losses in the optical signal transmission and processing. Today, there has been increasing demand for the very low cost optical amplifier. Sol-gel offers considerable potential both low cost manufacture, and for great flexibility in materials composition and structure. In addition, the sol-gel process is a very attractive method for producing porous materials with controlled structure. In this work, we present the potoluminescence properties of Er doped Al_2O_3/SiO_2 films. Erbium doped alumina nano sol was prepared by $Al(NO_3)_3 \cdot 9H_2O$ and $Er(NO_3)_3 \cdot 5H_2O$ through hydrolysis and peptization, and then GPS (3–Glycidoxypropyltrimethoxysilane) was added into Er doped alumina nano sol for organic-inorganic hybridization. Er doped Al_2O_3/SiO_2 film was obtained by spin coating, dip coating and thermal treatment from $300^{\circ}C \sim 1200^{\circ}C$, and there were crack-free after thermal treatment. The thickness of film was measured SEM, and the porosity of film was characterized by BET and TGA. The crystal phase of Er doped Al_2O_3/SiO_2 were determined by XRD. Finally, the photoluminescence properties of Er doped Al_2O_3/SiO_2 films will be discuss with the consideration of porosity and crystallity.