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	Related U.S. Application Data		are fabricated into a single cluster capable of exhibiting a					
(63)	Continuation of application No. 15/629,715, filed on Jun. 21, 2017, now Pat. No. 10,734,545.			wide spectral output range. The nanowires having InGaN/ GaN quantum layers formed of quantum dots are tuned to different output wavelengths using different nanowire diam-				
Publication Classification			eters, for example, to achieve a full spectral output range covering the entire visible spectrum for display applications.					
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