

**Retraction: “Growth and formation mechanism of sea-urchin  
like ZnO nanostructures on Si”  
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Although the scientific content of the paper mentioned above is fully approved by all authors, we hereby retract this article because it was published in almost identical form in *Journal of Crystal Growth*,

**277**, pp471-478, 2005. The corresponding author apologizes to the journal publisher, editors, and the scientific community for this serious breach of the accepted protocol for scientific publications.

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