## Superconductivity induced by Fe doping in 1T-TaS<sub>2</sub> single crystals

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Charge-density wave (CDW) and superconductivity (SC) are collective states that coexist in layered transition-metal dichalcogenides (TMD). The nature of the relationship (competition or/and cooperation) between CDW and SC remains to be further elucidated. Here we report the SC that develops within the CDW state, and the electronic phase diagram in the Fe-doped 1T-TaS<sub>2</sub> single crystals. The single crystals of Fe<sub>x</sub>Ta<sub>1-x</sub>S<sub>2</sub> ( $x = 0 \sim 0.05$ ) were successfully grown via the chemical vapor transport (CVT) method with iodine as a transport agent. Our experimental and density-functional theory (DFT) calculation results show a semimetal behavior in undoped 1T-TaS<sub>2</sub> due to the pseudo-gap occurring in CDW phase. With Fe doping, the commensurate CDW state is suppressed and the induced new SC state appears at low temperatures for samples with moderate doping levels (x = 0.02 and 0.03). The magnetic property measurements evidently indicate a type-II superconductor with low superconducting critical fields. We propose that the induced SC and CDW phases are separated in real space. For high Fe-doping concentration ( $x \ge 0.04$ ), the Anderson localization (AL) state is observed due to the disordered/random potential, which results in an insulating behavior. We think this is the first report of the induced SC by doping and the complete electronic phase diagram in Fe-doped 1T-TaS<sub>2</sub> system.