

## Supporting Information

### **One-pot template-free synthesis of heterophase BiVO<sub>4</sub> microspheres with enhanced photocatalytic activity**

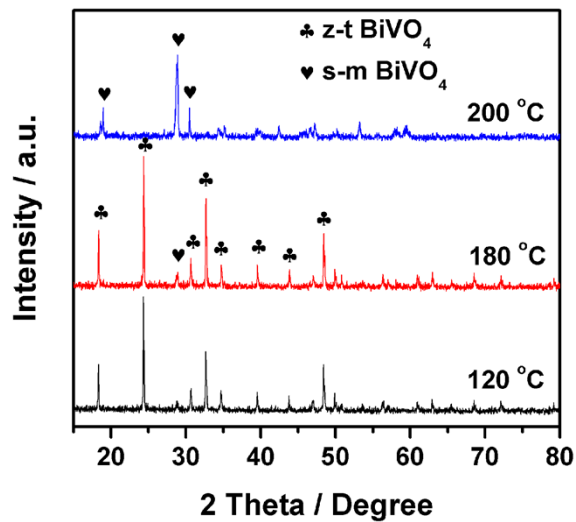
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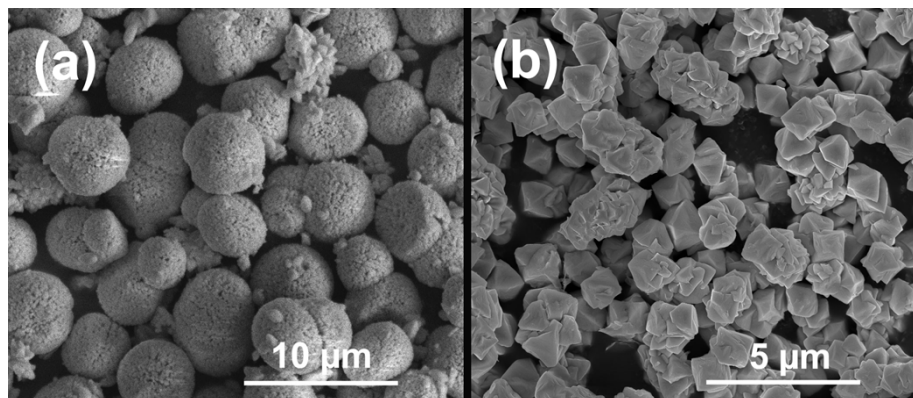
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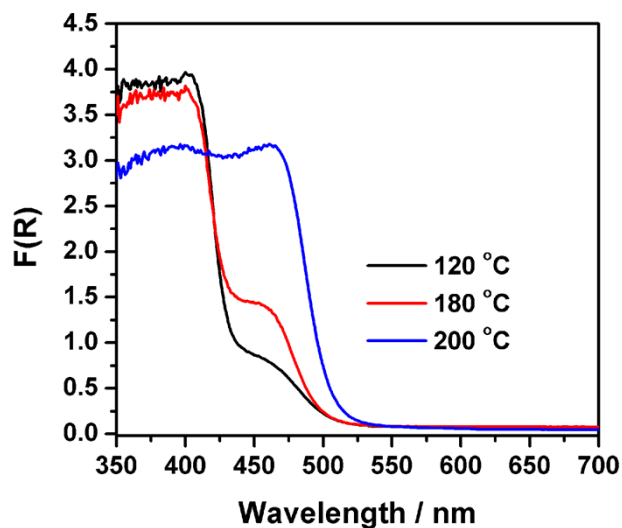
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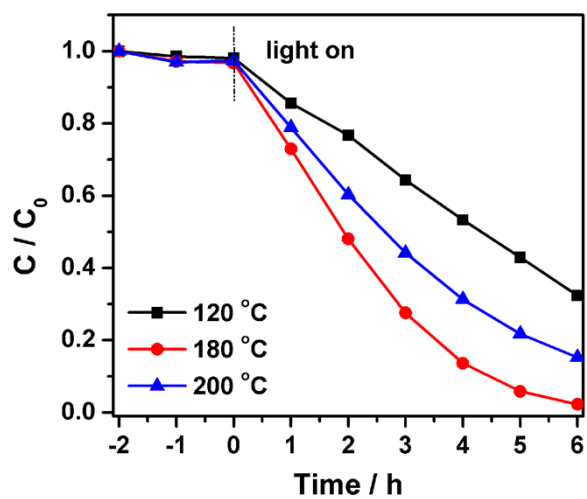
**Fig. S1.** XRD patterns of BiVO<sub>4</sub> synthesized at different temperatures for 48 h with Bi/V molar ratio of 4/1.



**Fig. S2.** FESEM images of the BiVO<sub>4</sub> samples with Bi/V molar ratio of 4/1 prepared at different reaction temperatures for 48 h: (a) 120 °C; (b) 200 °C.



**Fig. S3.** DRS of  $\text{BiVO}_4$  samples with Bi/V molar ratio of 4/1 prepared at different reaction temperatures for 48 h.



**Fig. S4.** Degradation curves of RhB over the  $\text{BiVO}_4$  samples with Bi/V molar ratio of 4/1 prepared at different reaction temperatures for 48 h under visible light irradiation.