Supporting Information for

## Enhanced photocatalytic activity for the degradation of rhodamine B

## by integrating salinity gradient power into a photocatalytic fuel cell

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| Mode                                   | GY-10A, Tuopu Co. Ltd., China |
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| Bulb power (W)                         | 150                           |
| Starting voltage (V)                   | >10000                        |
| Working voltage (V)                    | 18-20                         |
| Working current (A)                    | 6-8                           |
| Wave length range (nm)                 | 190-2800                      |
| Parallel beam diameter (mm)            | 30-60                         |
| Luminous Flux (lm)                     | 3100                          |
| Light irradiance (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) | 100                           |
| Inherent light ripple                  | <3%                           |

Table S1. Basic parameters of the xenon lamp used in this study

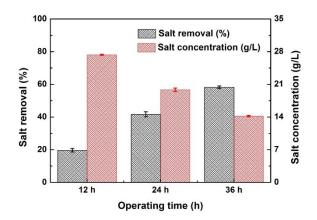


Fig. S1 Desalination performance of the PFC system at HRTs 12 h, 24 h and 36 h for the middle chamber

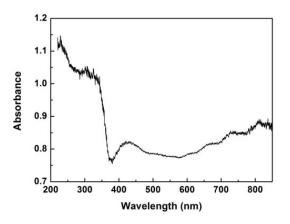


Fig. S2 UV-visible spectra of TiO2 photoanode.

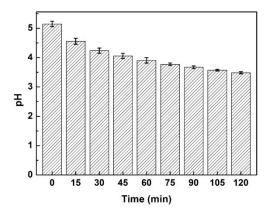


Fig. S3 Change of pH of anode solution during PFC operation.