

Electronic Supplementary Information

Synthesis of MoS₂ nanosheets supported Z-scheme TiO₂/g-C₃N₄ photocatalysts for the enhanced photocatalytic degradation of organic water pollutants

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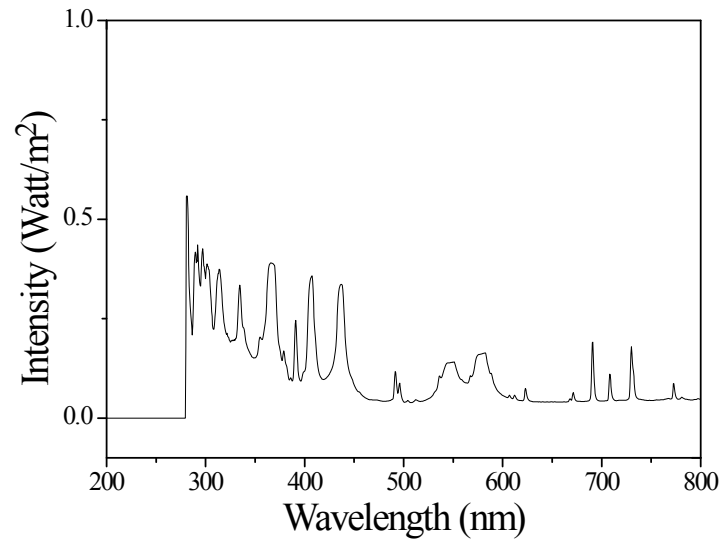


Fig.S1. Spectral distribution of the light source

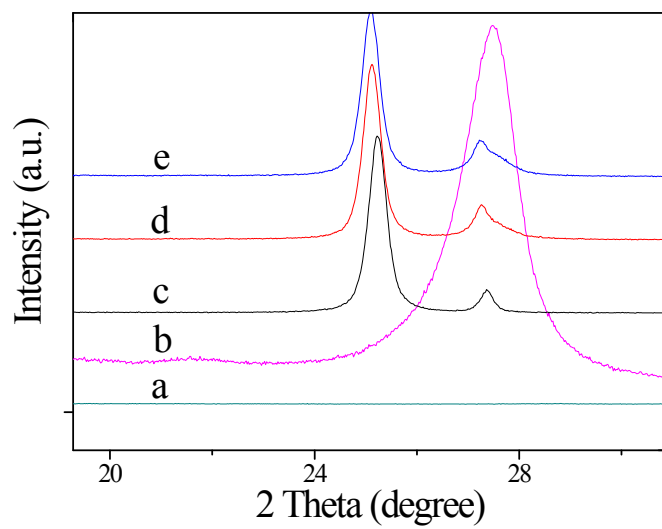


Fig. S2. XRD patterns for MoS₂ nanosheets (a), g-C₃N₄ nanosheets (b), P25-TiO₂ nanoparticles (c), binary nanocomposite (10%g-C₃N₄/TiO₂)(d), and ternary nanocomposite (10%g-C₃N₄/TiO₂/MoS₂(0.5%))(e)

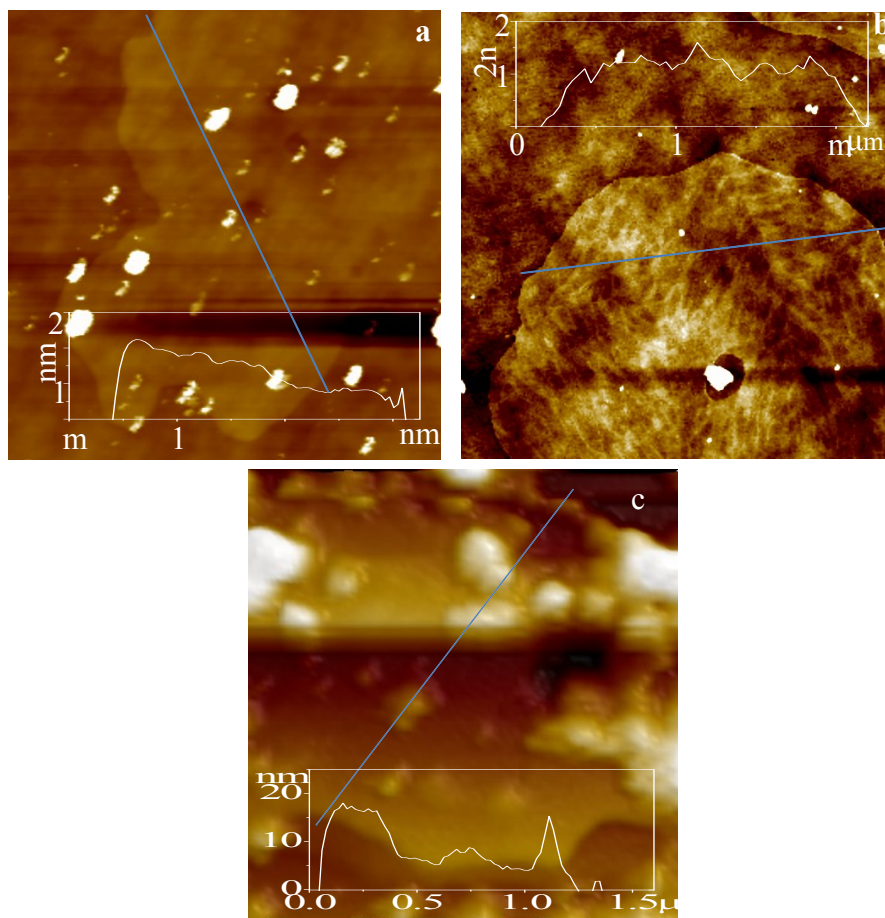


Fig. S3 AFM images of g-C₃N₄ nanosheets (a), MoS₂ nanosheets (b) and ternary nanocomposite(c)

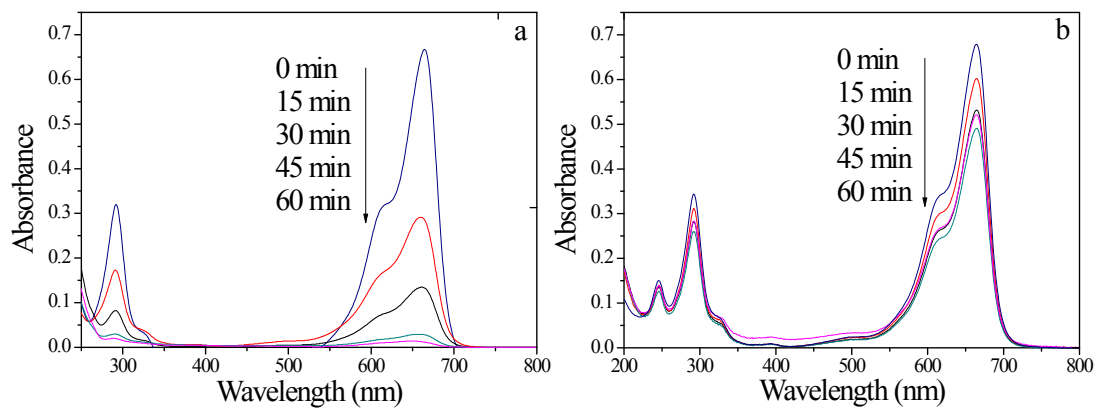


Fig. S4. UV-visible degradation spectra of MB using the ternary nanocomposite (a) and photolysis in the absence of photocatalyst (b).

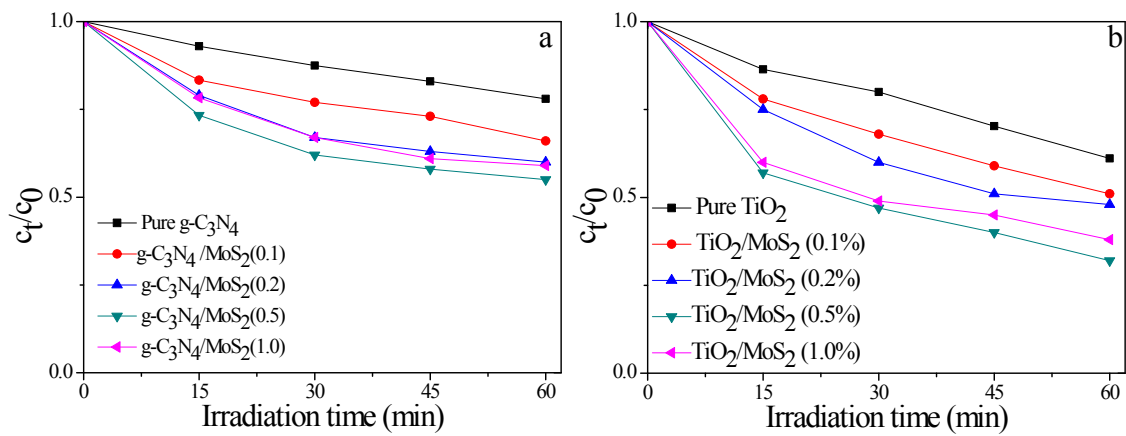


Fig. S5. Degradation of MB using $g-C_3N_4/MoS_2$ composites (a) and TiO_2/MoS_2 composites (b) after 60 min of light illumination.

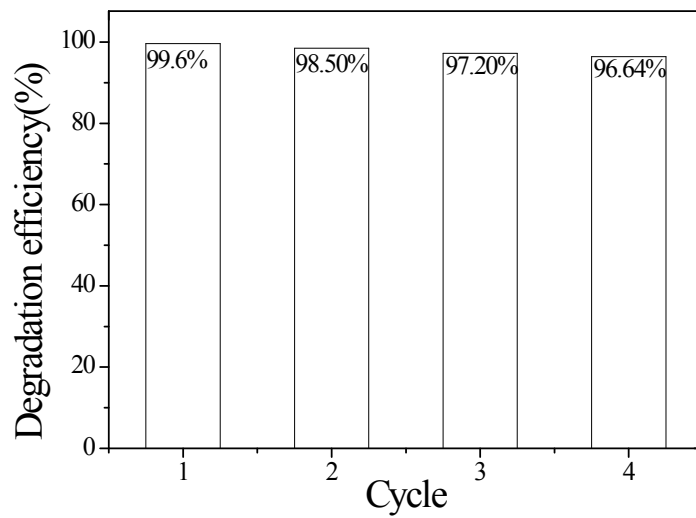


Fig. S6. Stability study for the degradation of MB using the optimized ternary nanocomposite (10%g-C₃N₄/TiO₂/MoS₂(0.5%)) after 60 min light illumination.

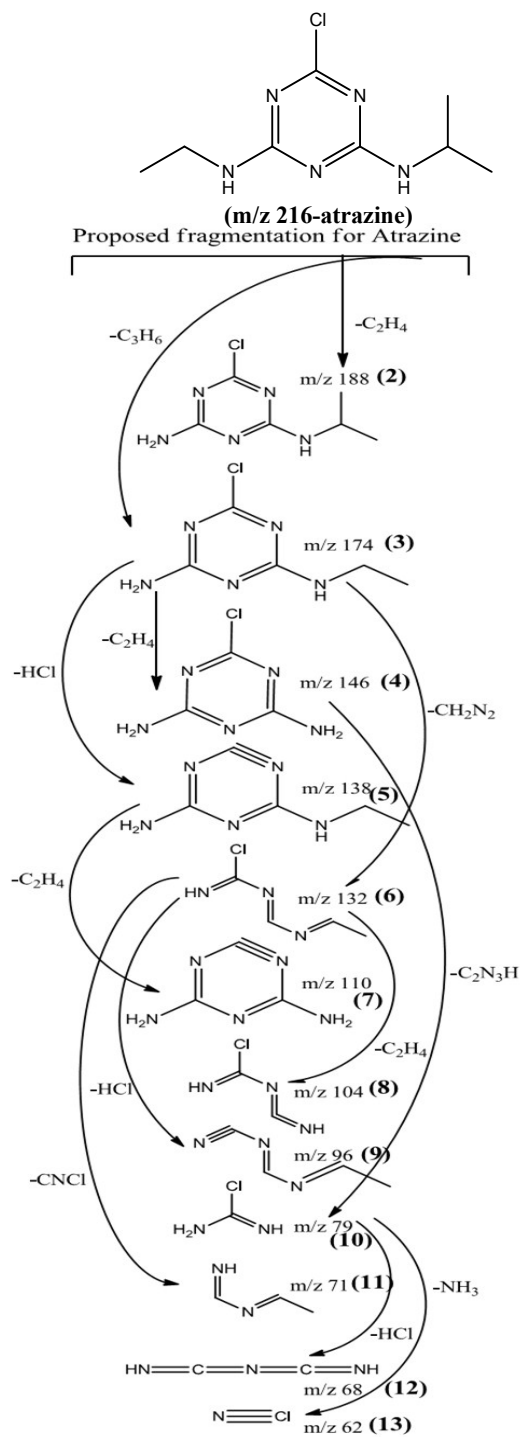


Fig.S7. Proposed fragmentation pattern of atrazine (derived from mass spectrum of pure solution)

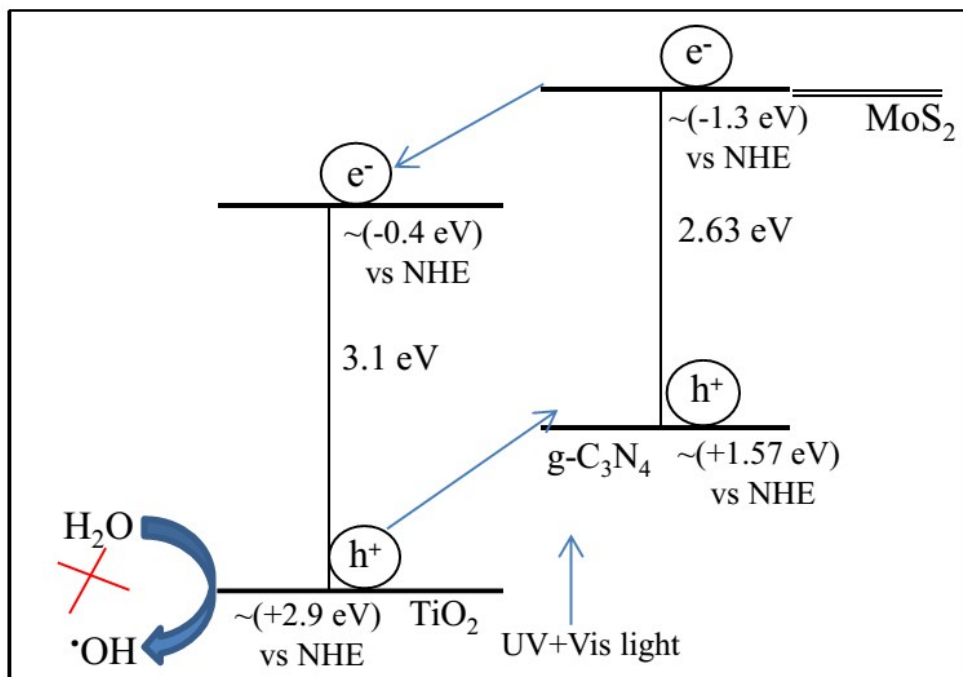


Fig.S8. Schematic representation of heterojunction (Ternary nanocomposite)