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N-Doped and Cu-Doped TiO_2-B Nanowires with Enhanced Photoelectrochemical Activity

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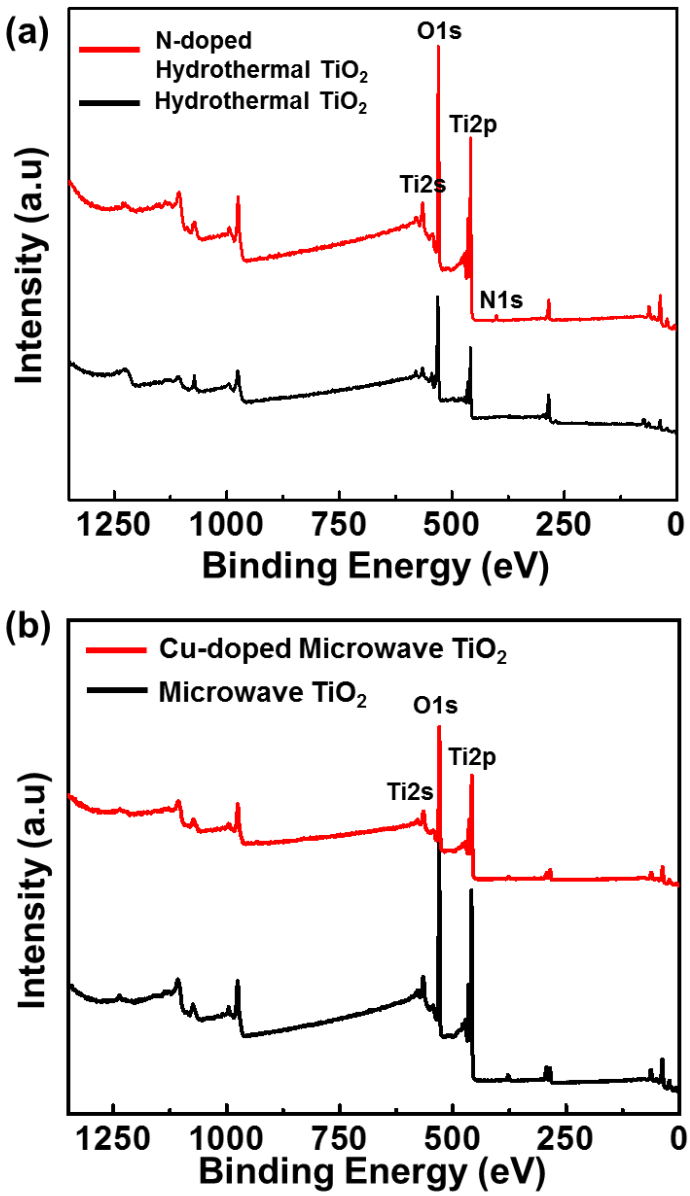

Fig.ure S1. (a) Full XPS spectra of undoped (black profile) and N-doped (red profile) TiO_2 NWs; N 1s signal is observed in N-doped sample but absent in undoped sample. **(b)** Full XPS spectra of undoped (black profile) and Cu-doped (red profile) TiO_2 NWs.

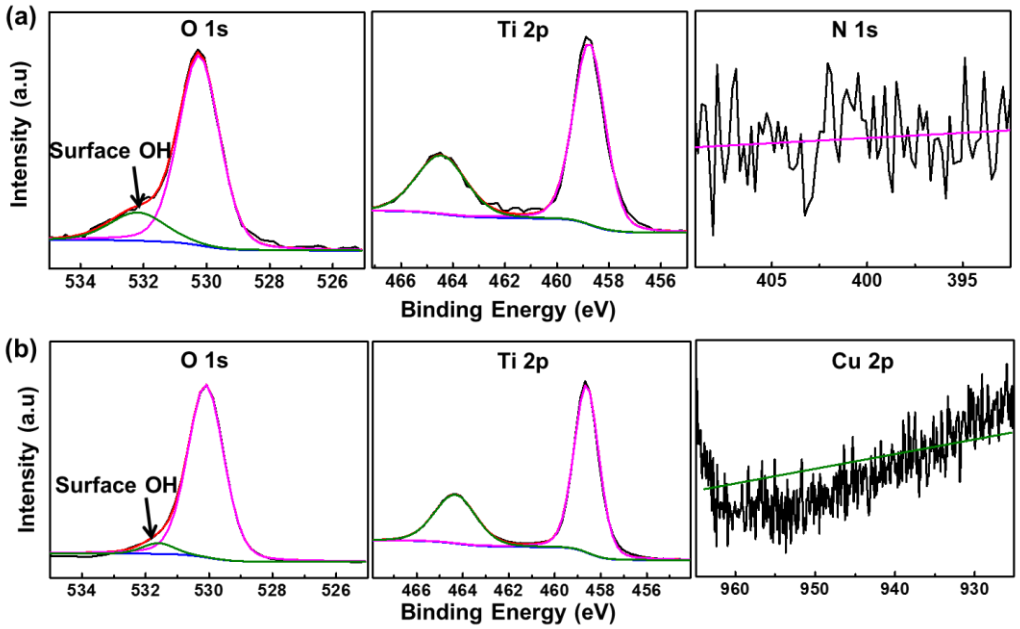

Figure S2. (a) Deconvoluted XPS spectra for O 1s peak, Ti 2p peak, and N 1s peak of undoped TiO_2 NWs prepared by hydrothermal method. **(b)** Deconvoluted XPS spectra for O 1s peak, Ti 2p peak, and Cu 2p peak of undoped TiO_2 NWs prepared by microwave assisted method.

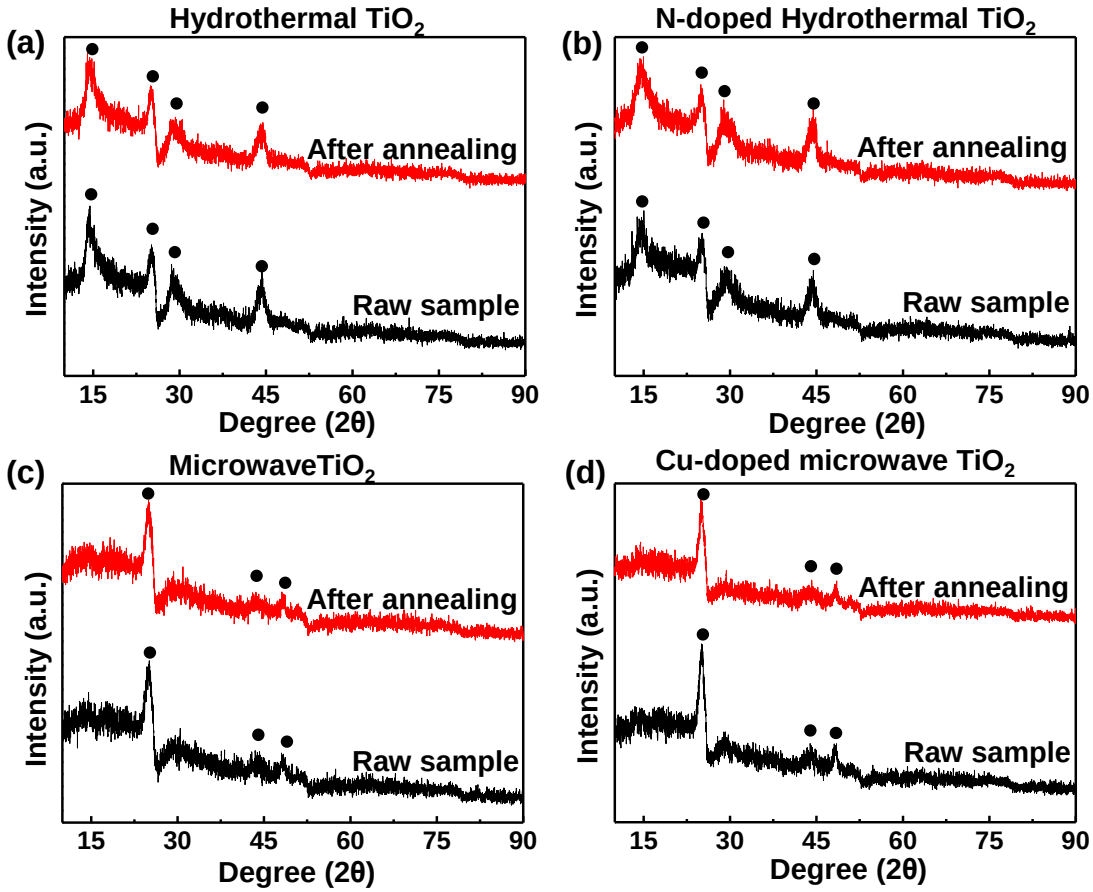

Figure S3. XRD characterizations show the phases of undoped **(a)** and N-doped TiO_2 NWs **(b)**, as well as the undoped **(c)** and Cu-doped TiO_2 NWs **(d)** before and after the thermal annealing. The results indicate the phase stabilization when the thermal annealing was applied for photoanode preparation.