Supporting Information

Highly efficient and stable perovskite solar cells via bilateral passivation layers

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Figure S1. Top-view SEM images of FTO/NiO_x sample deposited with different PS concentrations (mg mL⁻¹) at (a) 0, (b) 0.2, (c) 0.5, (d) 1.0 and (e) 2.0. (f) The cross-sectional SEM image of the FTO/NiO_x sample deposited with PS at the concentration of 0.5 mg mL⁻¹. The numbers in the images represent the PS concentration (mg mL⁻¹) dissolved in chlorobenzene.



Figure S2. Structure diagrams of three different structures, (a) $FTO/NiO_x/PS/MAPbI_3$ and (b) $FTO/NiO_x/PS-0.5/MAPbI_3/PS$ and the corresponding top-view SEM images. (a) Perovskite films depositing on the bottom passivation layer with different PS concentrations from 0 to 2.0 mg mL⁻¹. (b) Perovskite films depositing on the bottom passivation film (PS-0.5) with different PS concentration from 0 to 5.0 mg mL⁻¹, here the PS/CB solution acts as the antisolvent.

 Table S1. Photovoltaic parameters of the PSCs based on bottom passivation layer at various concentrations of PS solution.

C _{PS} (mg mL ⁻¹)	$V_{OC}\left(\mathbf{V}\right)$	J_{SC} (mA cm ⁻²)	FF (%)	PCE (%)
0	1.050	21.11	71.74	15.90
0.2	1.099	21.12	72.85	16.91
0.5	1.108	22.45	73.94	18.39
1.0	1.092	22.10	74.36	17.95
2.0	1.062	21.22	64.31	14.49



Figure S3. Three-dimensional schematic diagram of the PSC with (a) a bottom passivation layer and (c) bilateral passivation layers. Statistics of V_{OC} , J_{SC} , FF and PCE for (b) bottom and (d) bilaterally passivated PSCs with different PS concentrations.

C _{PS} (mg mL ⁻¹)	$V_{OC}\left(\mathbf{V}\right)$	J_{SC} (mA cm ⁻²)	FF (%)	PCE (%)
0	1.108	22.45	73.94	18.39
0.5	1.129	22.51	75.44	19.17
1.0	1.149	22.51	77.33	19.99
2.0	1.104	21.62	78.22	18.67
5.0	1.094	21.09	74.41	17.16

Table S2. Photovoltaic parameters of the bilaterally passivated PSCs based on bottom

 passivation of PS-0.5 and various concentrations for preparing top passivation layer.

Device structure	PCE (%)	$V_{OC}(\mathbf{V})$	Year/Ref.
ITO/NiO _x /MAPbI3/C ₆₀ /BCP/Ag	18.18	1.09	20181
ITO/NiO _x :rGO/MAPbI ₃ /PCBM/BCP/Ag	18.90	1.07	2019 ²
FTO/PEDOT:PSS/MAPbI ₃ /HBM/Ag	20.60	1.12	2019 ³
FTO/TiO ₂ /MAPbI ₃ /Spiro-OMeTAD/Au	18.70	1.10	20194
ITO/P3CT-N/MAPbI ₃ /IT-4X/s-Bphen/Ag	17.65	1.08	2019 ⁵
FTO/Zn:NiO _x /MAPbI ₃ /PCBM/BCP/Ag	18.98	1.08	20196
ITO/PTAA/MAPbI ₃ /C ₆₀ /BCP/Ag	19.50	1.09	20197
ITO/SnO ₂ /MAPbI ₃ /Spiro-OMeTAD/P3HT/Au	18.50	1.10	20198
FTO/TiO2NW/MAPbI3/Spiro-OMeTAD/Au	19.50	1.12	2019 ⁹
FTO/TiO2MCP/MAPbI3/Spiro-OMeTAD/Au	20.08	1.09	201910
FTO/TiO2/MAPbI3/Spiro-OMeTAD/Au	18.59	1.11	201911
FTO/NiO _x /PS/MAPbI ₃ /PS/PCBM/Ag	19.99	1.149	Our work

Table S3. Summarization of the open-circuit voltage for various perovskite solar cells.



Figure S4. Photographs of (a) the pristine perovskite film without passivation layers

and (b) bottom and (c) bilateral-passivated perovskite films annealed at 120 °C in ambient air (humidity 60%) for different times.

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