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Supplementary Information

Enhanced Light Emission of Quantum Dot Films by Scattering of Poly Zinc Methacrylate Coating CdZnSeS/ZnS Quantum Dots and High Refractive Index BaTiO₃ Nanoparticles

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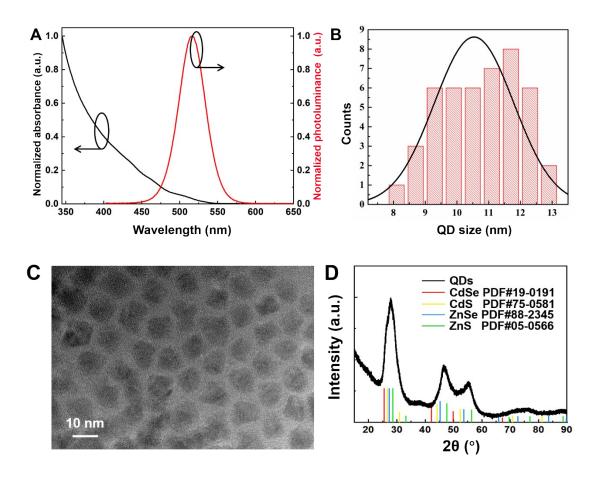


Fig. S1 Absorption, photoluminance spectrum (A) and size distribution (B) of CdZnSeS/ZnS QDs; TEM image of QDs (C); X-ray di □raction patterns of QDs, the vertical solid lines indicate zinc blende CdSe (red), CdS (yellow), ZnSe (blue) and ZnS (green) bulk reflections (D).

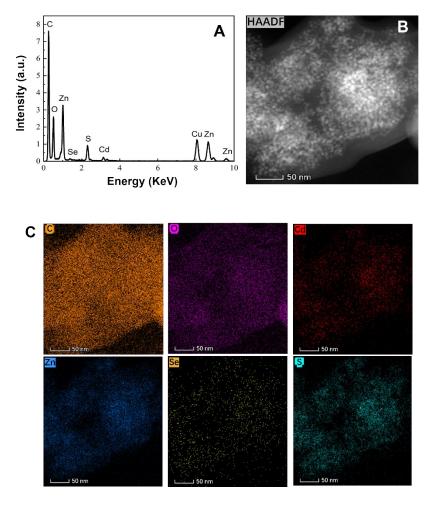


Fig. S2 EDX spectrum (A), HAADF-STEM image (B) and EDX mapping of C, O, Cd, Zn, Se, S elements (C) for QDs@PZnMA.

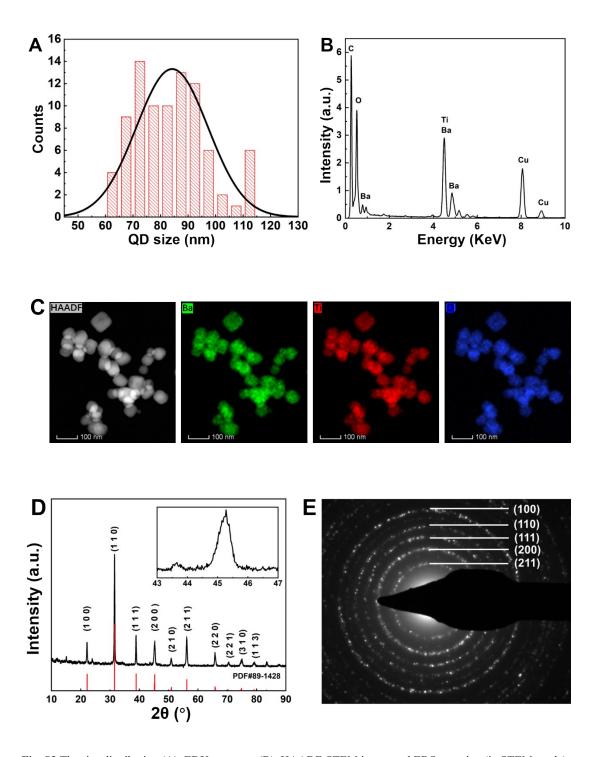


Fig. S3 The size distribution (A), EDX spectrum (B), HAADF-STEM image and EDS mapping (in STEM mode) of Ba, Ti and O elements (C) for BaTiO₃ nanoparticles; XRD pattern of BaTiO₃ particle (the bottom pattern is the standard XRD pattern of tetragonal phase PDF#89-1428) (D) and selected area electron diffraction of BaTiO₃ particle (E).

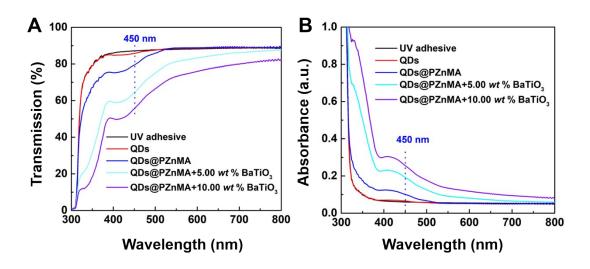


Fig. S4 The wavelength dependence of direct transmittance (A) and the corresponding absorbance (B) for QD films.

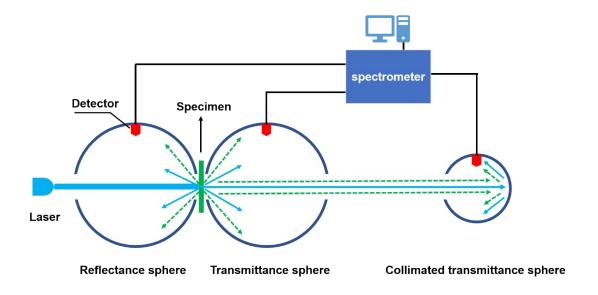


Fig. S5 Schematic of double integrating sphere system for the measurement of scattering properties for QD films.

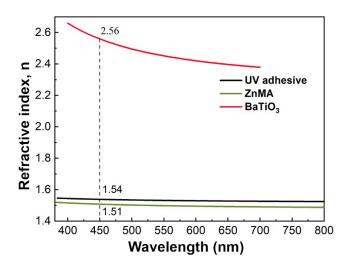


Fig. S6 Refractive indices of UV adhesive, ZnMA and BaTiO₃ nanoparticles.¹

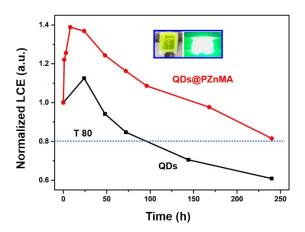


Fig.S7 Normalized decay of light conversion efficiency (LCE) of green light green emitting QDs and QDs@PZnMA on blue emitting GaN LED chips (808 mW/cm², 20 mA @ 3V) measured in 70 % RH in air for continuous working times. The dashed line indicated that the lifetime for the samples was reduced to 80 % (T80).

Table S1. List of measured optical results of QD samples before and after coating with PZnMA (E_X=450 nm).

Samples	QY (%)	Peak (nm)	FWHM (nm)
QDs (In solvent)	82.0	516	41
QDs (Thin film)	55.2	541	37
QDs@PZnMA (Thin film)	54.1	536	41

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