

## Supporting Information

### **Introduction of Secondary Ligand in Titanium-Based Metal-Organic Frameworks for Visible-Light-Driven Photocatalytic Hydrogen Peroxide Production from Dioxygen Reduction**

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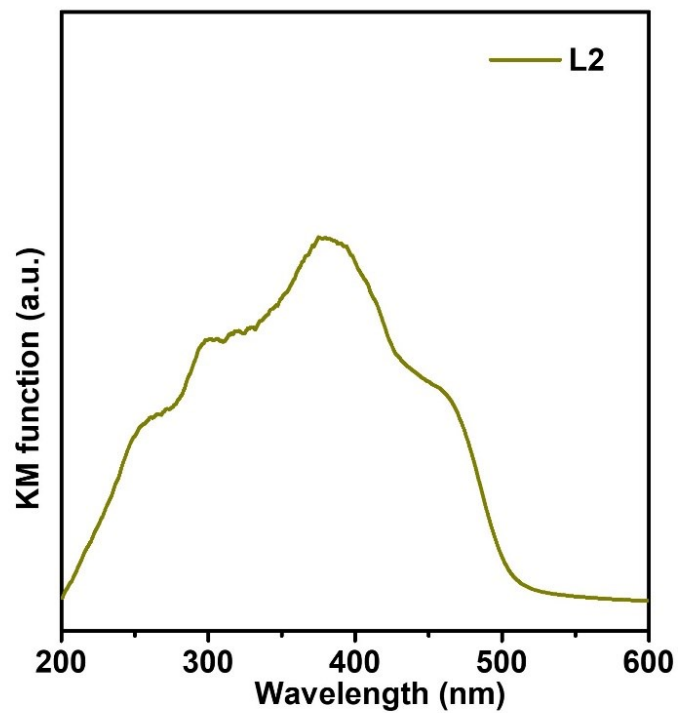
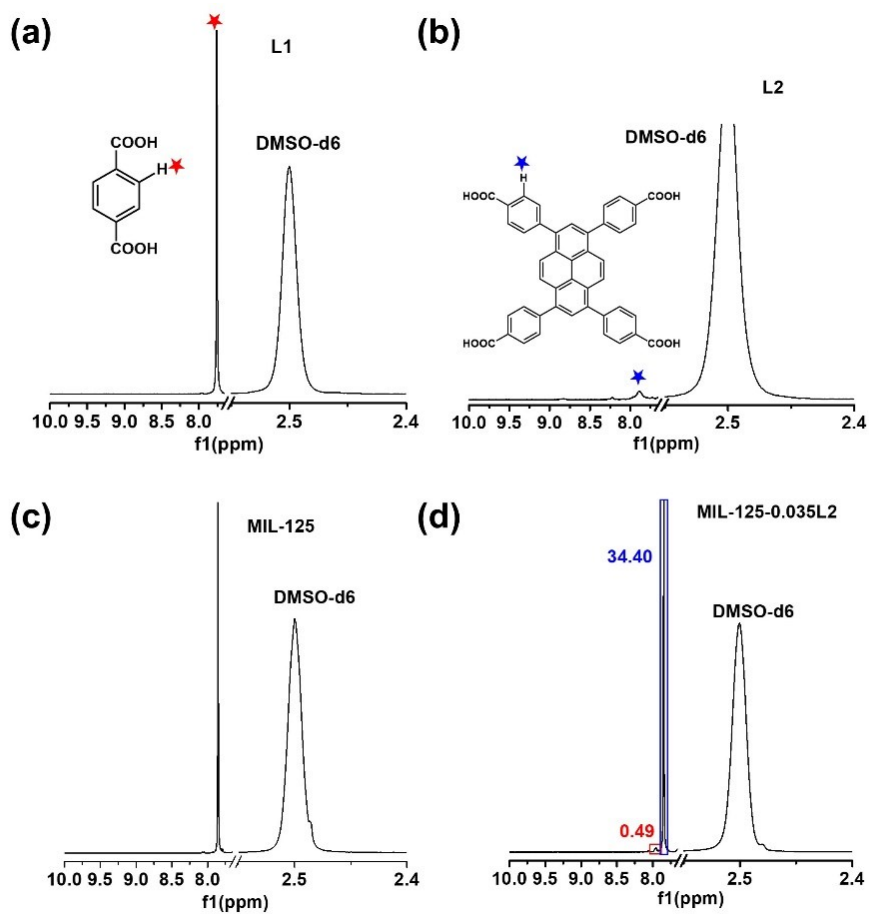
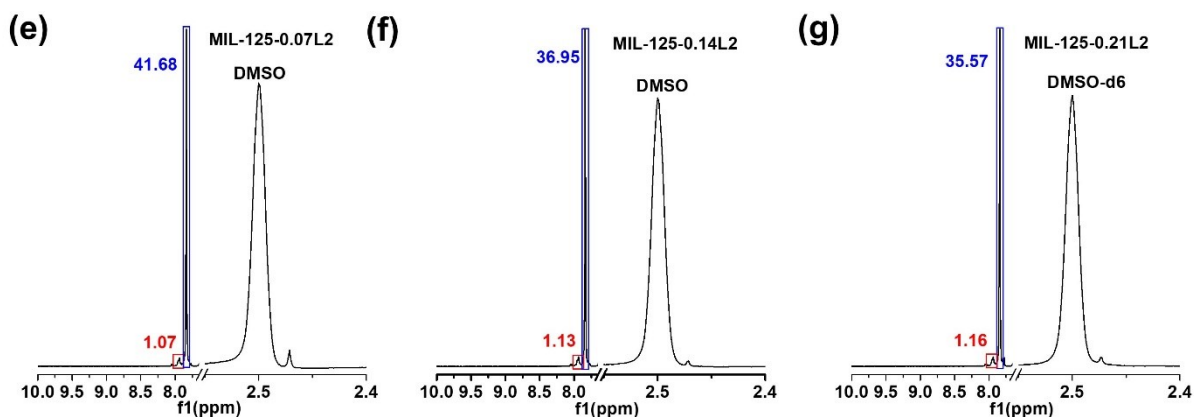


Fig. S1 UV-vis DRS of L2.

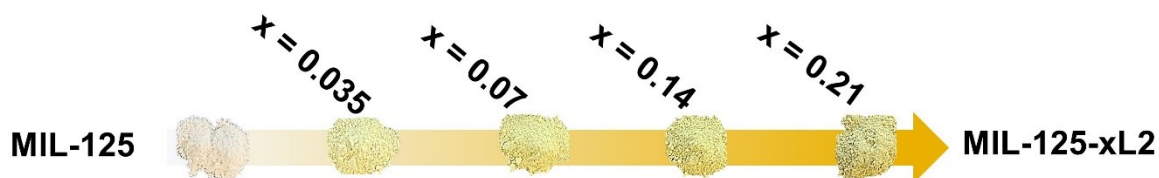




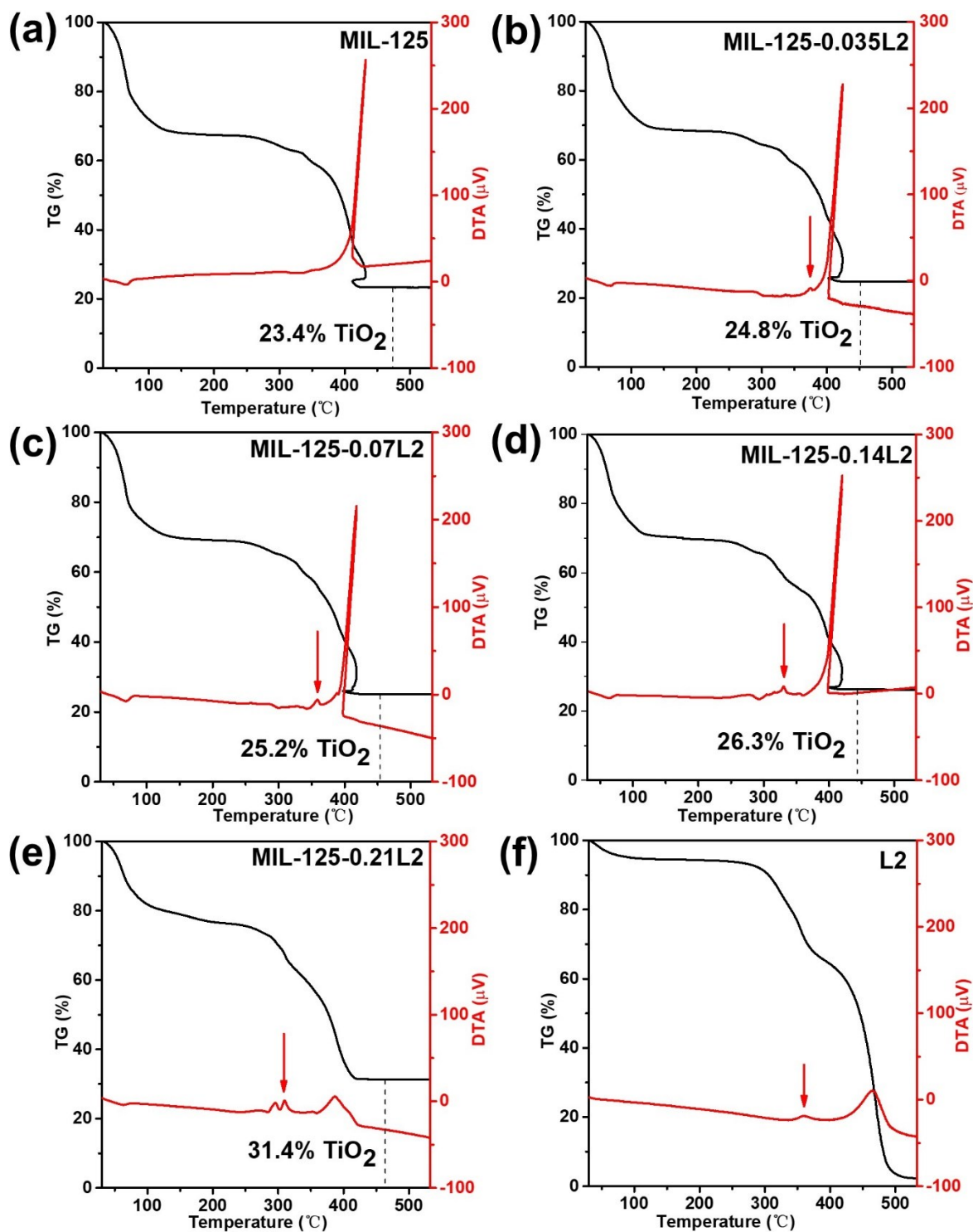
**Fig. S2**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of (a) L1, (b) L2, (c) MIL-125, and (d-g) MIL-125-xL2 ( $x = 0.035, 0.07, 0.14,$  and  $0.21$ ).

**Table S1.** The ligand ratios (L1/L2) calculated from  $^1\text{H}$  NMR data of digested samples. Molecular formula of MIL-125:  $\text{Ti}_8\text{O}_8(\text{OH})_4(\text{L1})_6$ .

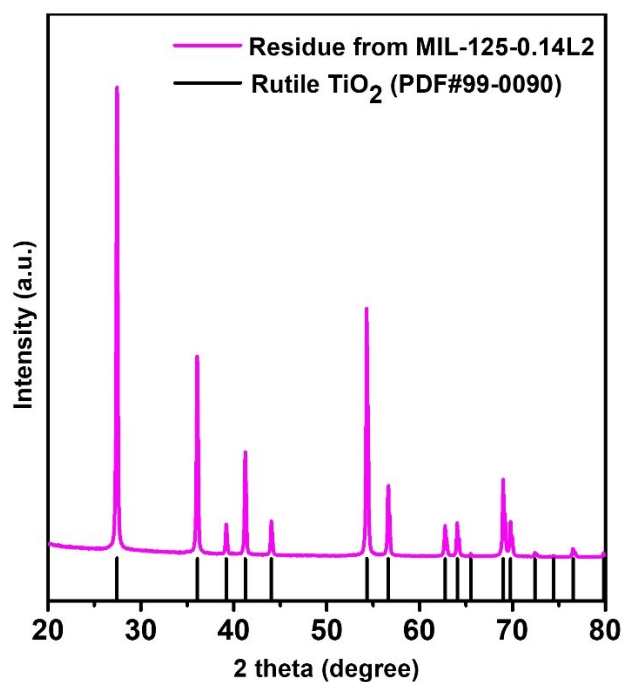
Samples	L1/L2	
MIL-125		$\text{Ti}_8(\text{L1})_6$
MIL-125-0.035L2	6:0.04	$\text{Ti}_8(\text{L1})_6(\text{L2})_{0.04}$
MIL-125-0.07L2	6:0.08	$\text{Ti}_8(\text{L1})_6(\text{L2})_{0.08}$
MIL-125-0.14L2	6:0.09	$\text{Ti}_8(\text{L1})_6(\text{L2})_{0.09}$
MIL-125-0.21L2	6:0.10	$\text{Ti}_8(\text{L1})_6(\text{L2})_{0.10}$



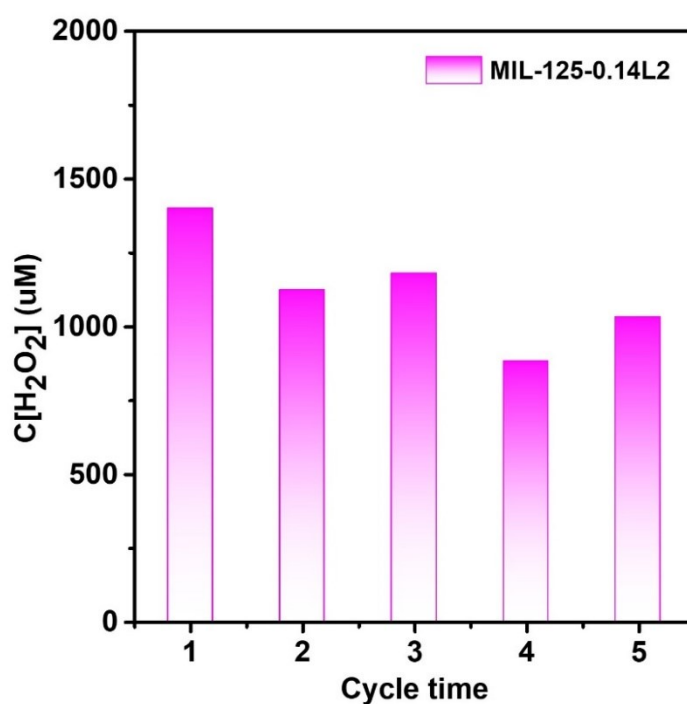
**Fig. S3** Photos of MIL-125 and MIL-125-xL2 ( $x = 0.035, 0.07, 0.14,$  and  $0.21$ ).



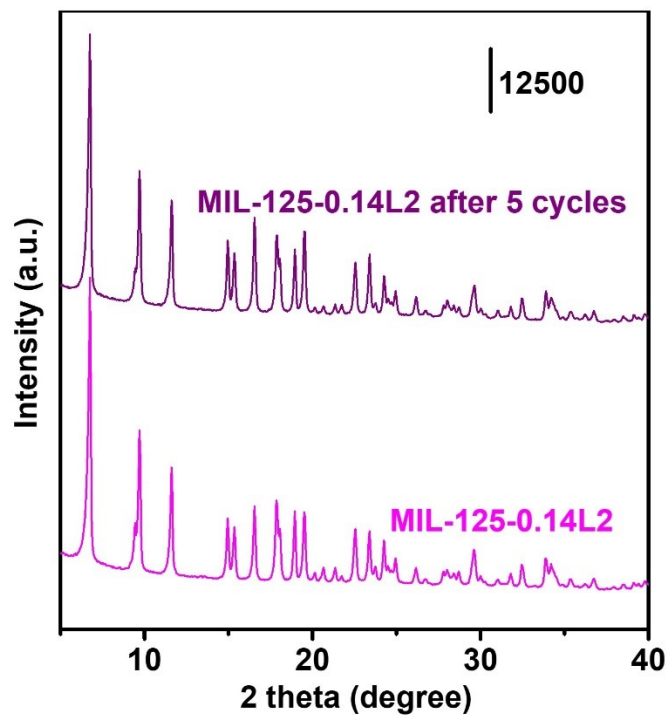
**Fig. S4** TG and DTA profiles of (a) MIL-125, (b-e) MIL-125-xL2 ( $x = 0.035, 0.07, 0.14, \text{ and } 0.21$ ), and (f) L2.



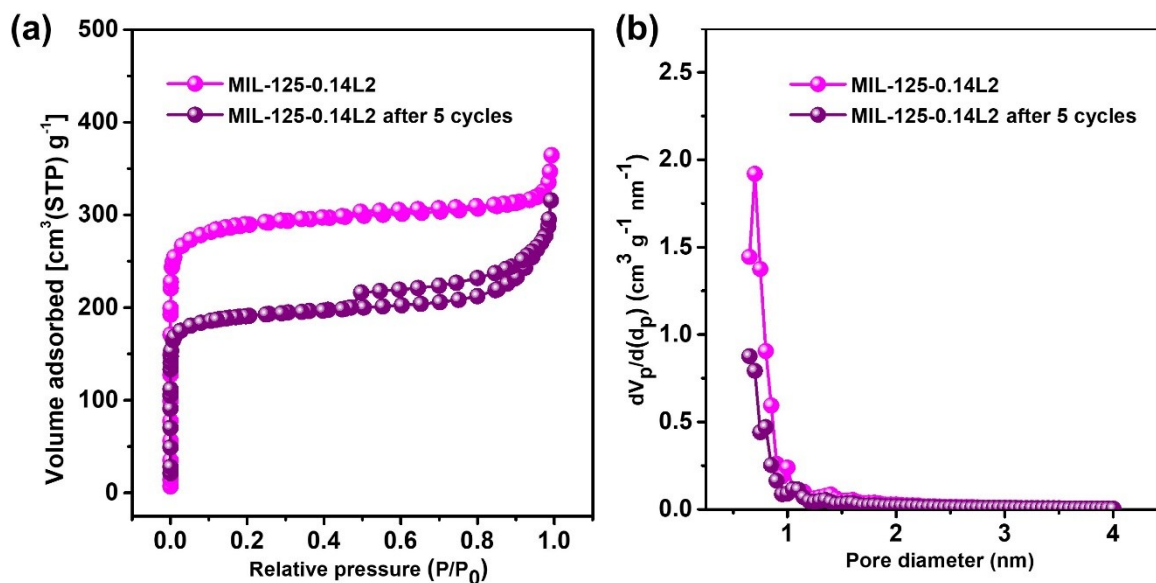
**Fig. S5** XRD patterns of MIL-125-0.14L2 after being heated with temperature ramp of 1.0 °C min<sup>-1</sup> up to 800 °C in air.



**Fig. S6** Recycling tests of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> in O<sub>2</sub>-saturated CH<sub>3</sub>CN solution (10 mL) of TEOA (2 mL) under photoirradiation ( $\lambda > 400$  nm) using 10 mg of MIL-125-0.14L2.



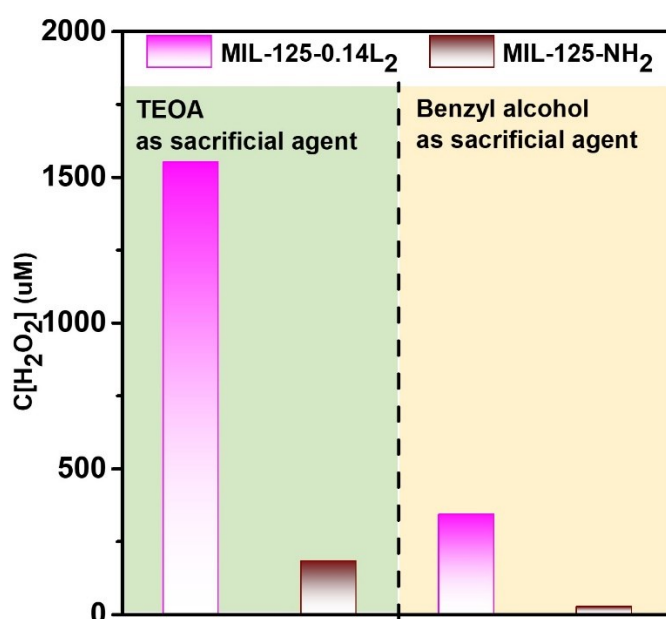
**Fig. S7** XRD patterns of MIL-125-0.14L2 after 5 recycling tests.



**Fig. S8** (a) N<sub>2</sub> adsorption/desorption isotherms and (b) pore diameter distribution of MIL-125-0.14L2 after 5 recycling tests.

**Table S2.** BET surface area and  $V_p$  of MIL-125-0.14L2 after 5 recycling tests.

Samples	$S_{\text{BET}}$ ( $\text{cm}^2 \text{g}^{-1}$ )	$D_p$ (nm)	$V_p$ ( $\text{cm}^3 \text{g}^{-1}$ )
MIL-125-0.14L2	800	0.70	0.43
After 5 cycles	532	0.70	0.29



**Fig. S9** Activity comparison of MIL-125-0.14L2 and MIL-125-NH<sub>2</sub> using TEOA or benzyl alcohol as sacrificial agent after 1 h of reaction. Reaction conditions: 5 mg of MOFs in O<sub>2</sub>-saturated CH<sub>3</sub>CN solution (5 mL) of TEOA (1 mL), or 10 mg of MOFs in O<sub>2</sub>-saturated CH<sub>3</sub>CN solution (10 mL) of benzyl alcohol (2 mL) under photoirradiation ( $\lambda > 420$  nm).

**Table S3.** Comparison of the photocatalytic H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> production on some of other typical photocatalysts under similar reaction conditions summarized in the recent review report (Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. **2020**, *59*, 17356–17376).

Photocatalyst	Sacrificial reagent or reaction solution	Catalyst concentration	Irradiation conditions	Activity of H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>
mesoporous g-C <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub>	ethanol	4 mg mL <sup>-1</sup>	λ > 420 nm	90 μmol (24 h)
(K,P,O)-g-C <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub>	ethanol	0.5 mg mL <sup>-1</sup>	λ ≥ 420 nm	1.7 mM (7h)
CoP/g-C <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub>	ethanol	1.0 mg mL <sup>-1</sup>	λ > 420 nm	140 μM (2 h)
Au/g-C <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub>	2-propanol	1.0 mg mL <sup>-1</sup>	UV/Vis	747 μmol (2 h)
KPF <sub>6</sub> /g-C <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub>	ethanol	0.5 mg mL <sup>-1</sup>	λ > 420 nm	1.5 mM (5 h)
[Ru <sup>II</sup> (Me <sub>2</sub> phen) <sub>3</sub> ] <sup>2+</sup>	O <sub>2</sub> -saturated aqueous H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> solution	1.0 μM	λ > 420 nm	612 μM (9 h)
silica/graphene oxide/CdS	alcohol	0.5 g L <sup>-1</sup>	λ = 635 nm	90 μM (1 h)
CdS-graphene	Water + methanol	1.0 mg mL <sup>-1</sup>	Solar simulator	128 μM (12 h)
O <sub>v</sub> -Bi/Bi <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2-x</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	Water + C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub> OH	4.0 mg mL <sup>-1</sup>	λ ≥ 420 nm	1.2 mM (3 h)
MIL-125-0.14L2	TEOA	1.0 mg mL <sup>-1</sup>	λ > 400 nm	1654 μM (1 h)
Our work	Benzyl alcohol			1103 μM (1 h)