

Supporting Information

Efficient Quasi-two Dimensional Perovskite Light-Emitting Diodes Employing a Cage-type additive

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The detailed calculation process of (external quantum efficiency) EQE as follows:

EQE is a number of photos generated by the LED devices per second ($N_{\text{photo}}(V)$) divided by a number of charges injected to the devices per second ($I(V)/e$)

$$EQE(V) = \frac{N_{\text{photo}}}{I(V)/e} \times 100\% \quad (1)$$

Where $I(V)$ is a current (unit: A) passing through the perovskite LED device at an applied bias (V), $N_{\text{photo}}(V)$ represents the number of emitted photos per second gathered. e is elementary charge of 1.6×10^{-19} C.

The $N_{\text{photo}}(V)$ is calculated by

$$N_{\text{photo}}(V) = \frac{\Phi_e}{E_{\text{average}} \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}} \quad (2)$$

Where Φ_e is radiant flux (W). $E_{\text{average}}(eV)$ means the average photo energy among the whole EL spectra at a bias. The Φ_e is calculated by

$$\phi_e = \frac{\pi AL}{Km \int V(\lambda) d\lambda}, \quad (3)$$

Where A is the active area of a working PeLED; L is the luminance measured by PR670. λ is wavelength. Km is a constant. $V(\lambda)$ is the luminosity function. Then $E_{average}$ is calculated by the following equation:

$$E_{average} = \frac{\int F(\lambda) \frac{\lambda}{1240} d\lambda}{\int F(\lambda) d\lambda} \quad (4)$$

Where $F(\lambda)$ is the photo radiometric value.

It is worth noting that the brightness L is measured by a silicon photoelectric probe (Beijing Normal University Optoelectronic Instrument Factory, ST-86LA) during the calculation of the EQE of PeLEDs. In order to ensure the accuracy, we use PR670 to correct the brightness L collected by the silicon photoelectric probe, and obtain the relevant correction coefficient, and then bring the corrected brightness L into the above formula 3 for calculation, and EQE can be gotten.

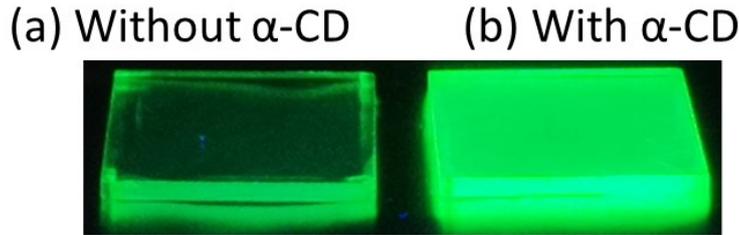


Fig. S1 The fluorescence images taken under 365 nm light excitation, where one is the $PEA_2Cs_{n-1}Pb_nBr_{3n+1}$ film (a) without α -CD; (b) with α -CD.

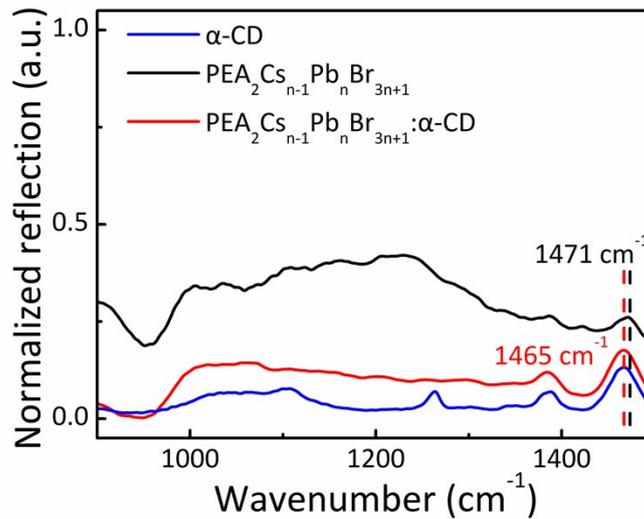


Fig. S2 FTIR spectra of pristine $PEA_2Cs_{n-1}Pb_nBr_{3n+1}$ and $PEA_2Cs_{n-1}Pb_nBr_{3n+1}:\alpha$ -CD. All results were collected by measuring solution.

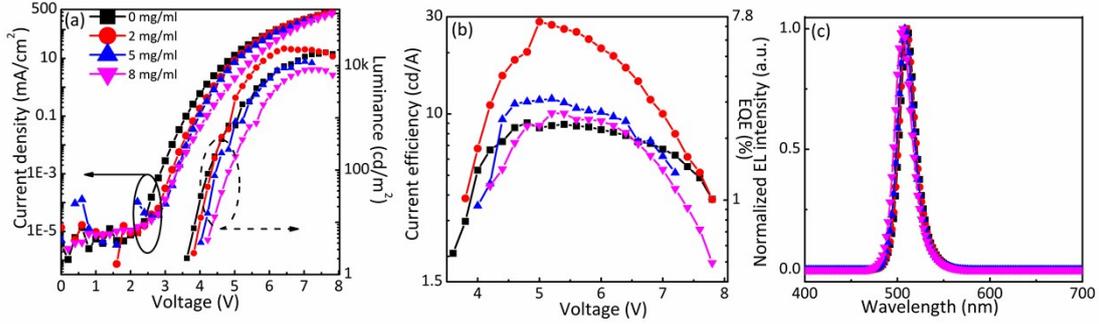


Fig. S3 EL performance of all the PeLEDs with different concentration of α -CD (0 mg/ml, 2 mg/ml, 5 mg/ml and 8 mg/ml): (a) Current density-voltage-luminance (J - V - L); (b) Current efficiency-voltage-external quantum efficiency (CE - V - EQE); (c) EL spectra under an applied voltage of 6 V.

Table S1 The list of performance of PeLEDs.

α -Cyclodextrin (mg/ml) ^(a)	$V_{\text{turn on}}$ (V) ^(b)	L_{max} (cd/m ²) ^(c)	CE_{max} (cd/A) ^(d)	EQE (%) ^(e)	EL peak (nm) ^(f)	$FWHM$ (nm) ^(g)	CIE (x, y) ^(h)
0	3.6	16810	9.0	2.3	510	16	(0.0679, 0.7314)
2	3.8	21268	28.4	7.4	510	16	(0.0644, 0.7238)
5	4	11992	11.9	3.1	508	16	(0.0599, 0.7058)
8	4.2	8456	10.0	2.6	506	16	(0.0533, 0.6671)

^(a)Concentration optimization α -CD to improve EL performance of PeLEDs; ^(b) Turn-on voltage of 1 cd/m²; ^(c) Maximum luminance; ^(d) Maximum current efficiency; ^(e) Maximum external quantum efficiency; ^(f) Electroluminescence peak under at 6 V; ^(g) Full width at half maximum at 6 V; ^(h) Commission International de l'Eclairage (CIE) coordinates at 6 V.

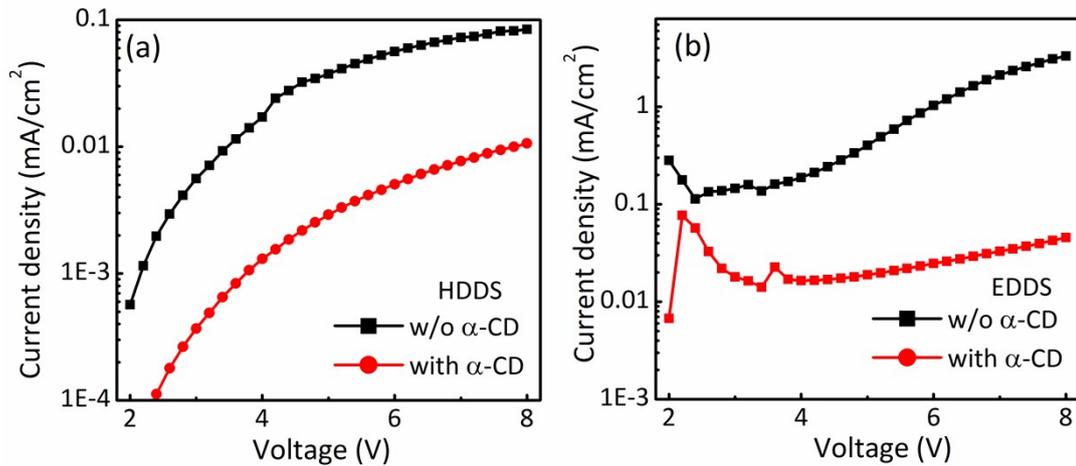


Fig. S4 Current density-voltage (J - V) of hole dominated-devices (HDDs) and electron dominated-devices (EDDs) with α -CD and without α -CD. The HDDs and EDDs structures are ITO/PVK/Perovskite/TAPC (65 nm)/Al (120 nm) and ITO/ZnO/PEIE/Perovskite/TPBi (40 nm)/LiF (0.8 nm)/Al (120 nm), respectively.

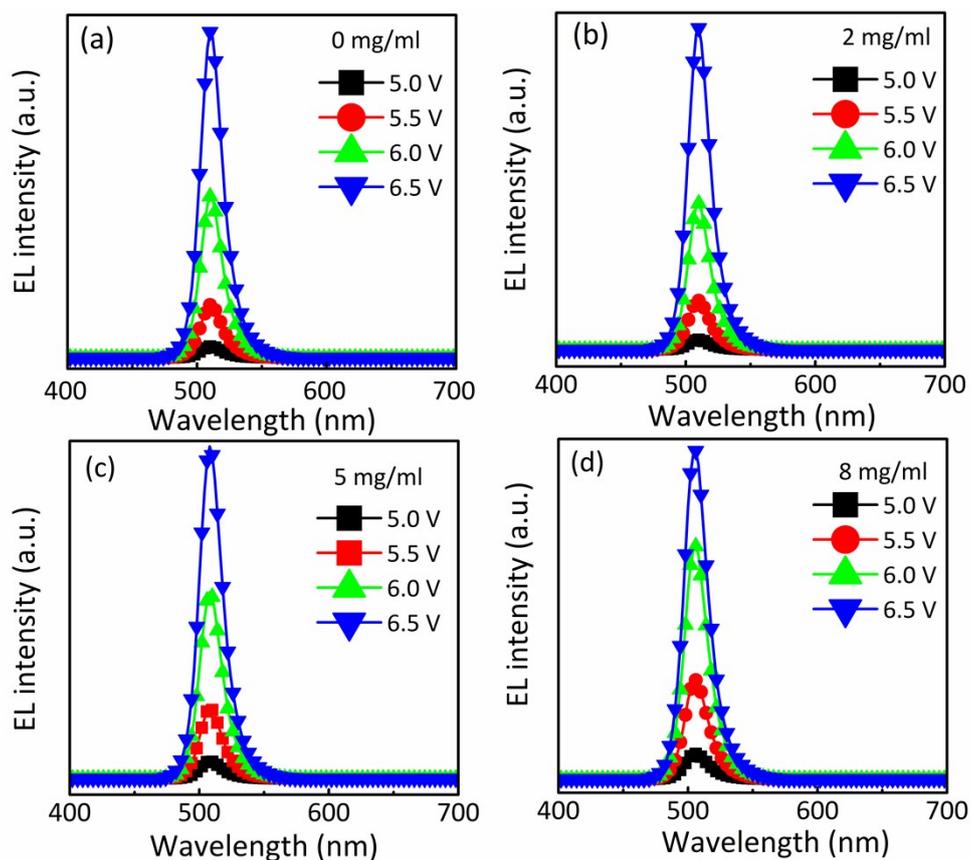


Fig. S5 The EL spectra of PeLEDs based on different concentration of α -CD at different voltages: (a) 0 mg/ml; (b) 2 mg/ml; (c) 5mg/ml; (d) 8 mg/ml.

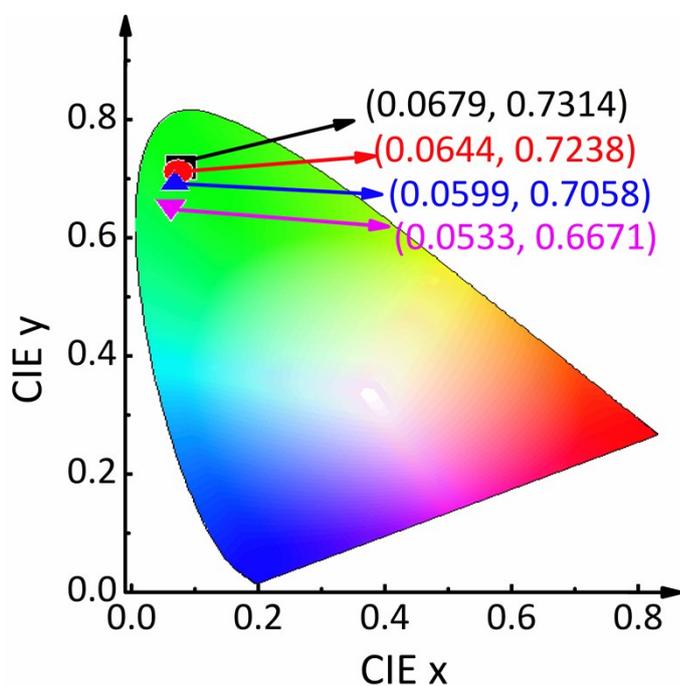


Fig. S6 The commission international de l'Eclairage (CIE) coordinates of PeLEDs based on different concentration of α -CD at an applied voltage of 6.0 V.

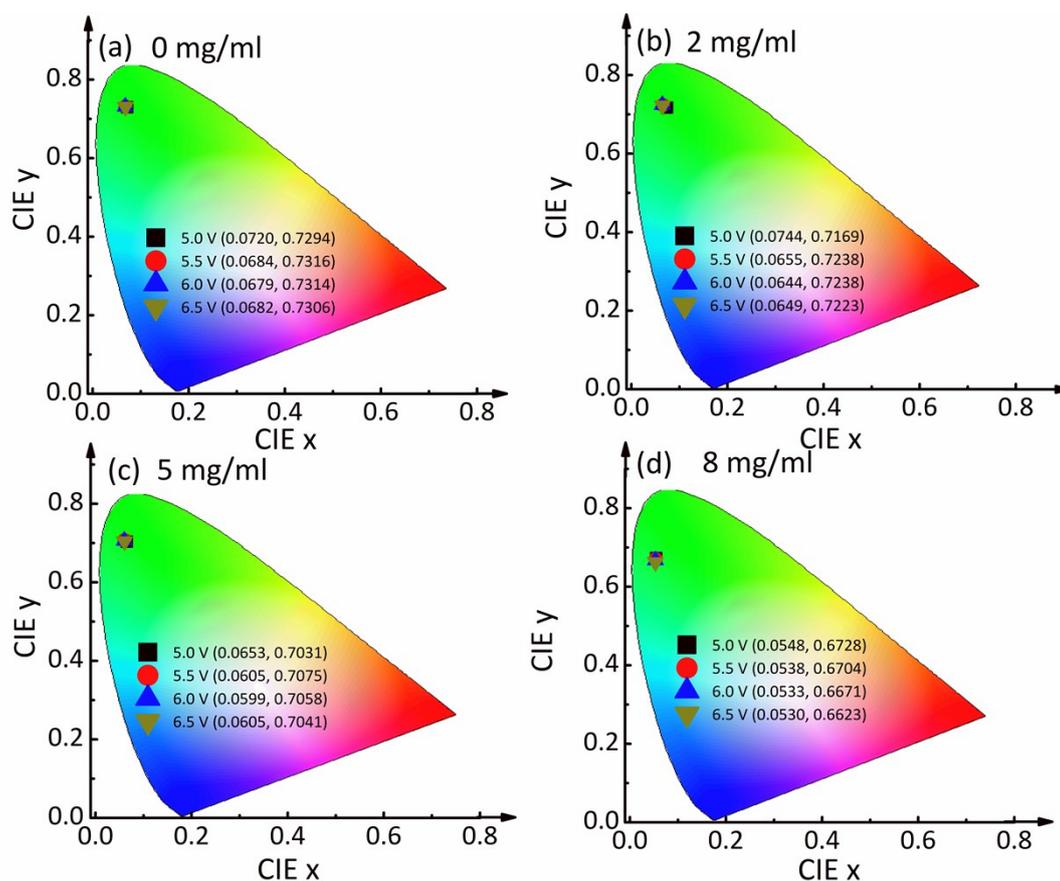


Fig. S7 The commission international de l'Eclairage (CIE) coordinates of PeLEDs based on different concentration of α -CD at different voltages: (a) 0 mg/ml; (b) 2 mg/ml; (c) 5mg/ml; (d) 8 mg/ml.

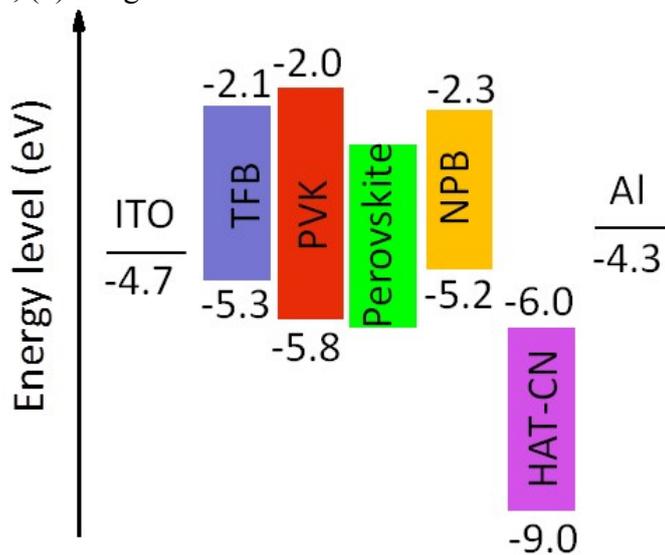


Fig. S8 An energy level diagram of two hole-dominated devices HDD-1 (PVK) and HDD-2 (TFB/PVK). The energy values of NPB and HAT-CN are taken from literatures^[1].

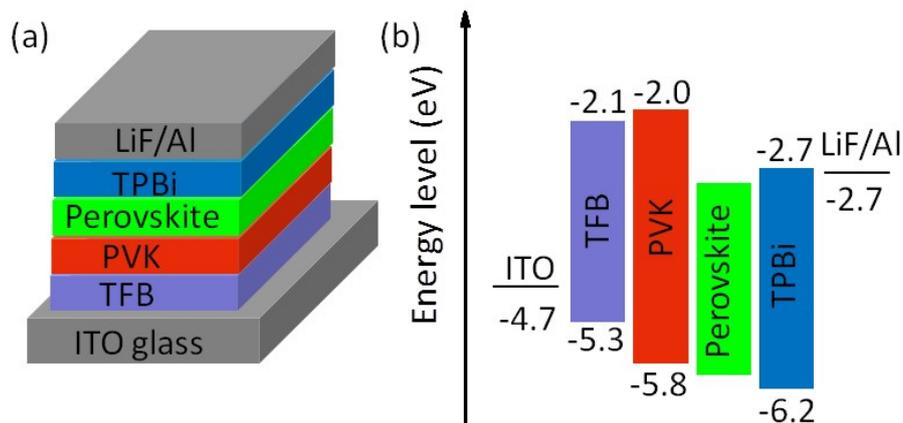


Fig. S9 (a) Device structure diagram of PeLEDs of TFB/PVK served as bilayer HTLs; (b) Energy level diagram of the bilayer TFB/PVK HTLs based PeLEDs.

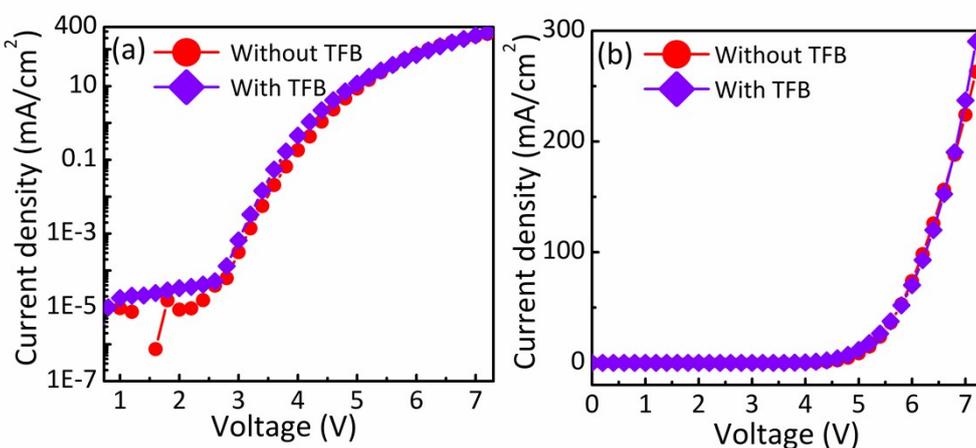


Fig. S10 Current density-voltage (J - V) curves of the bilayer of TFB/PVK and the single layer PVK HTLs based PeLEDs, respectively. (a) Logarithmic-linear mode; (b) Linear-linear mode.

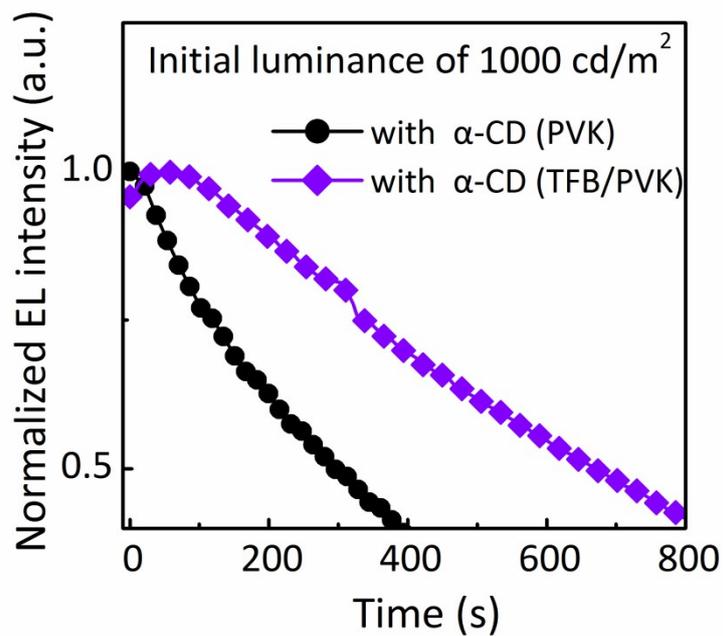


Fig. S11 The half lifetime of PeLEDs based on PVK as a single HTL (black) and TFB/PVK as a double HTLs (violet).

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