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Supplementary Information

A Solid-liquid Two-phase Precipitation Method for Growth of Fullerene (C_{60}) Nanowires

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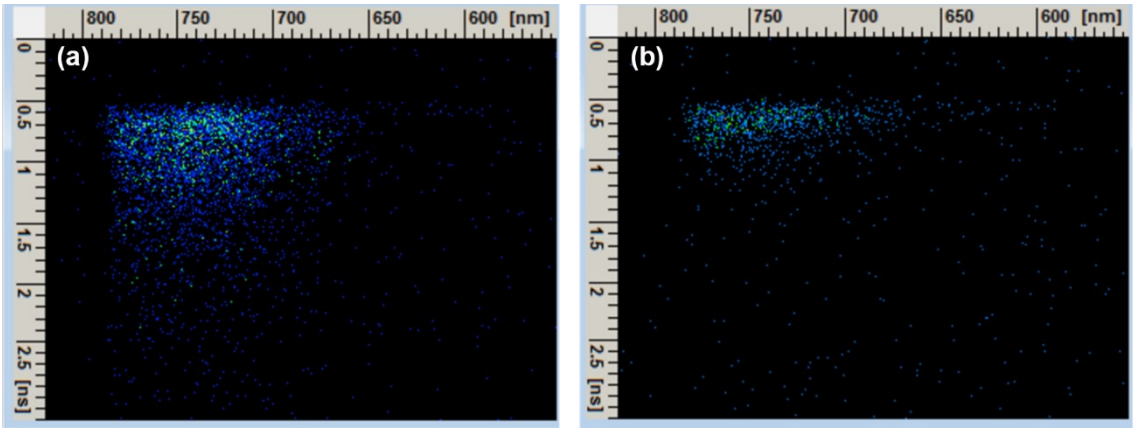

Fig. S1. Streak camera images of the time-resolved photoluminescence (TRPL) of (a) C60 nanowires and (b) pristine C60 powder.

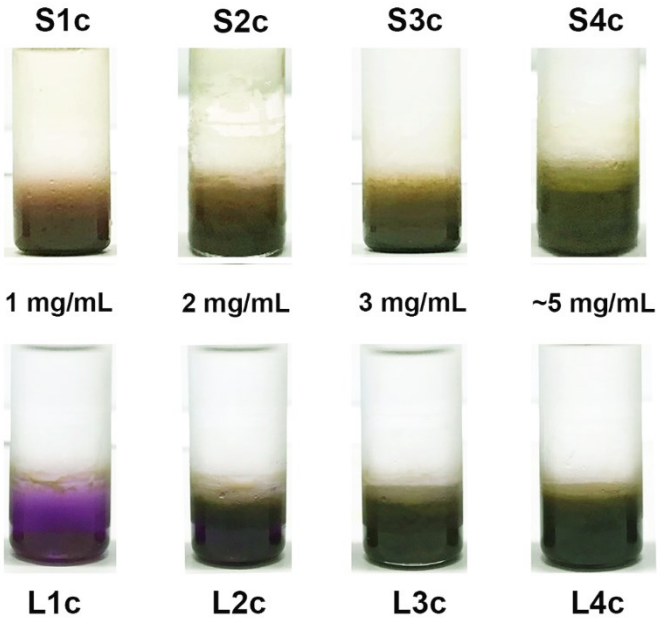

Fig. S2. The growth of C_{60} nanowires in m-xylene/IPA system for 24 h with a fixed C_{60} solution-to-IPA volume ratio of 1:2 and C_{60} concentration of 1 mg/mL, 2 mg/mL, 3 mg/mL and ~5 mg/mL, respectively, through the SLTPP method (top) and the LLIP method (bottom).

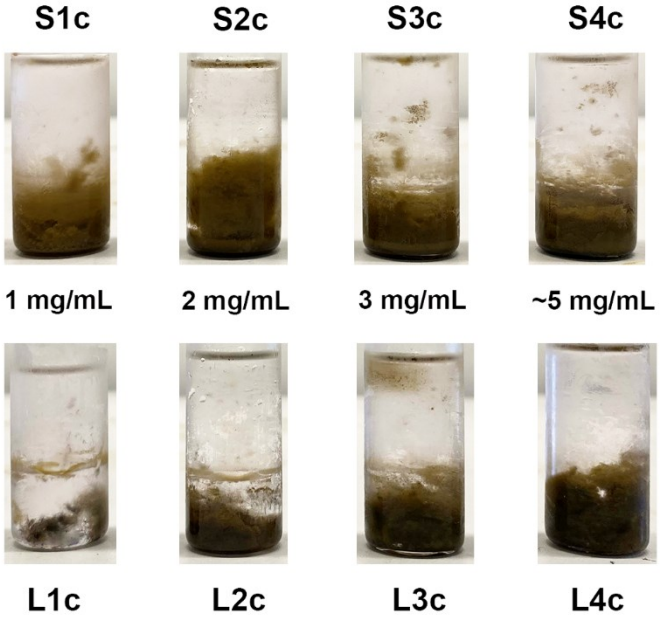

Fig. S3. The growth of C_{60} nanowires in m-xylene/IPA system for a week with a fixed C_{60} solution-to-IPA volume ratio of 1:2 and C_{60} concentration of 1 mg/mL, 2 mg/mL, 3 mg/mL and ~5 mg/mL, respectively, through the SLTPP method (top) and the LLIP method (bottom).

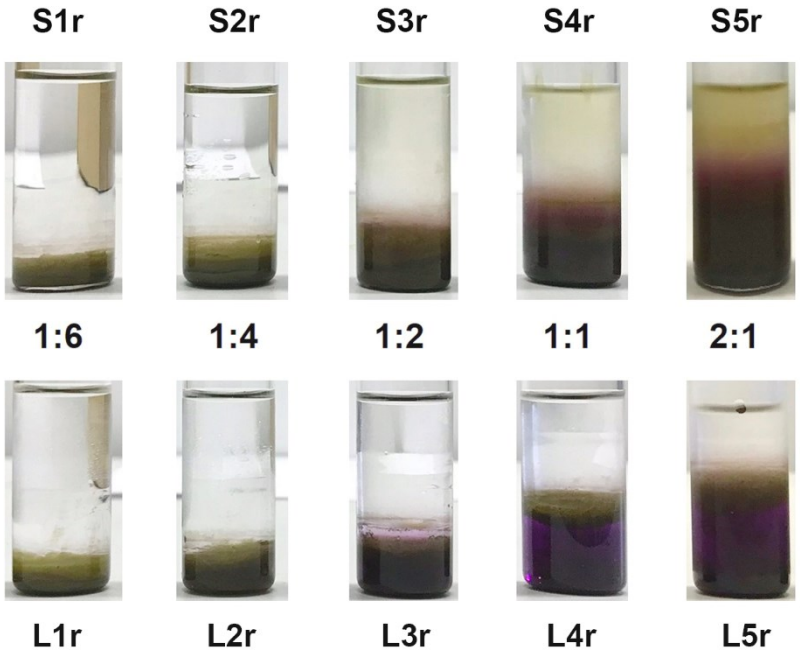

Fig. S4. The growth of C_{60} nanowires in m-xylene/IPA system for 24 h with a fixed C_{60} concentration of 2 mg/mL and C_{60} solution-to-IPA volume ratio of 1:6, 1:4, 1:2 1:1, and 2:1, respectively, through the SLTPP method (top) and the LLIP method (bottom).

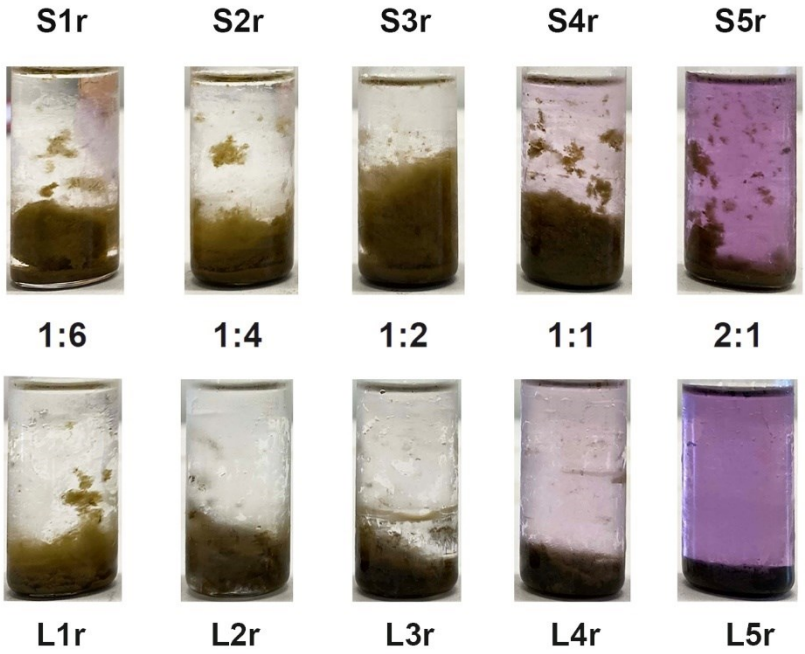

Fig. S5. The growth of C_{60} nanowires in m-xylene/IPA system for a week with a fixed C_{60} concentration of 2 mg/mL and C_{60} solution-to-IPA volume ratio of 1:6, 1:4, 1:2 1:1, and 2:1, respectively, through the SLTPP method (top) and the LLIP method (bottom).

Table S1. C_{60} nanowire samples prepared by the SLTPP and the LLIP methods for comparison using C_{60}/m-xylene/IPA systems with different C_{60} concentrations in m-xylene. Yellow precipitates correspond to C_{60} nanowires while the dark precipitates correspond to needle-like larger C_{60} crystals.

SAMPLE ID	SYNTHESIS METHOD	CONCENTRATION OF C_{60} (mg/ml)	PRESENCE OF C_{60} AFTER 2 HOURS (VISUAL APPEARANCE)		PRESENCE OF C_{60} AFTER 24 HOURS (VISUAL APPEARANCE)	
			COLOUR & AMOUNT OF PRECIPITATES	COLOUR OF SOLUTION	COLOUR & AMOUNT OF PRECIPITATES	COLOUR OF SOLUTION
S1c	**SLTPP**	1	Yellow	Purple	Yellow/Abundant	Colourless
S2c	**SLTPP**	2	Yellow	Purple	Yellow/Abundant	Colourless
S3c	**SLTPP**	3	Yellow	Purple	Yellow/Abundant	Colourless
S4c	**SLTPP**	~5.2 (Saturated)	Yellow/Abundant	Nearly colourless	Yellow/Abundant	Colourless
L1c	**LLIP**	1	Brown–black/Very few	Purple	Yellow/Very few Black/A few	Purple
L2c	**LLIP**	2	Brown–black/Very few	Purple	Yellow/Very few Black/A few	Purple
L3c	**LLIP**	3	Brown–black	Purple	Yellow and black /Abundant	Nearly colourless
L4c	**LLIP**	~5.2 (Saturated)	Yellow and black /Abundant	Nearly colourless	Yellow and black /Abundant	Colourless

Table S2. C_{60} nanowire samples prepared through both the SLTPP and the LLIP methods using C_{60}/m-xylene/IPA system with varied solvent volume ratios. Yellow precipitates correspond to C_{60} nanowires while the dark precipitates correspond to needle-like larger C_{60} crystals.

SAMPLE ID	SYNTHESIS METHOD	M-XYLENE TO IPA VOLUME RATIO	PRESENCE OF C_{60} AFTER 2 HOURS (VISUAL APPEARANCE)		PRESENCE OF C_{60} AFTER 24 HOURS (VISUAL APPEARANCE)	
			COLOUR & AMOUNT OF PRECIPITATES	COLOUR OF SOLUTION	COLOUR & AMOUNT OF PRECIPITATES	COLOUR OF SOLUTION
S1r	**SLTPP**	1:6	Yellow/Abundant	Colourless	Yellow/Abundant	Colourless
S2r	**SLTPP**	1:4	Yellow	Purple	Yellow/Abundant	Colourless
S3r	**SLTPP**	1:2	Yellow	Purple	Yellow/Abundant	Nearly colourless
S4r	**SLTPP**	1:1	Yellow	Purple	Yellow/Abundant	Light purple
S5r	**SLTPP**	2:1	Yellow–brown	Purple	Yellow–brown /Abundant	Light purple
L1r	**LLIP**	1:6	Yellow	Purple	Yellow/Abundant	Colourless
L2r	**LLIP**	1:4	Brown	Purple	Brown/Abundant	Colourless
L3r	**LLIP**	1:2	Dark brown	Purple	Dark brown	Purple
L4r	**LLIP**	1:1	Dark brown	Dark purple	Dark brown	Dark purple
L5r	**LLIP**	2:1	Dark brown	Dark purple	Dark brown	Dark purple