

Supporting Information

Type-II Lateral SnSe/GeTe Heterostructure for Solar Photovoltaic Applications with High Efficiency

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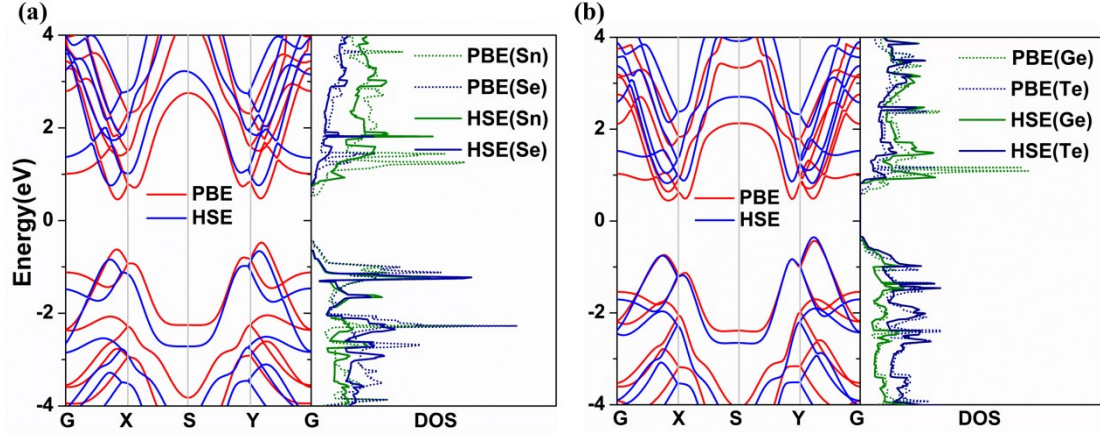


Fig. S1 The band structure and projected density of states for monolayer (a) SnSe (b) GeTe.

Table S1 Equilibrium 2D Lattice Parameters and bandgaps calculated by PBE and HSE06 methods.

| | This work | | | | Ref.[9] | | | |
|------|-----------|------|------------------|------------------|---------|------|------------------|------------------|
| | a(Å) | b(Å) | E_{g-PBE} (eV) | E_{g-HSE} (eV) | a(Å) | b(Å) | E_{g-PBE} (eV) | E_{g-HSE} (eV) |
| SnSe | 4.29 | 4.39 | 0.93 | 1.41 | 4.28 | 4.43 | 1.00 | 1.44 |
| GeTe | 4.24 | 4.37 | 0.88 | 1.17 | 4.23 | 4.47 | 0.95 | 1.24 |

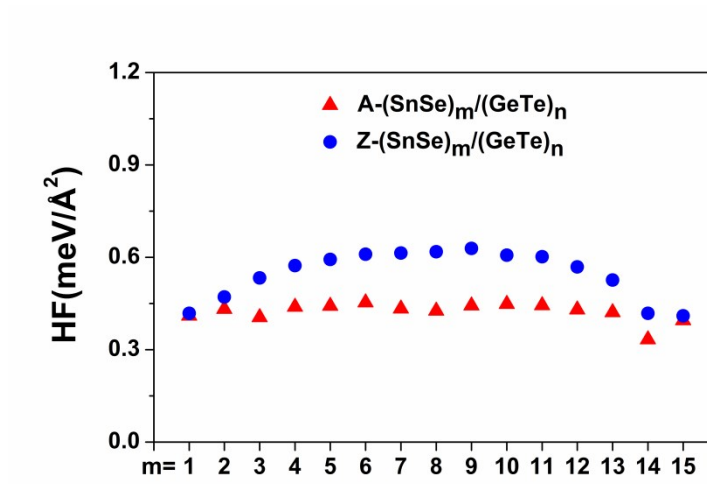


Fig. S2 Heat of formation (HF) of heterostructures with $m + n = 16$. The red triangle represents A-(SnSe)_m/(GeTe)_n and blue circle represents Z-(SnSe)_m/(GeTe)_n.

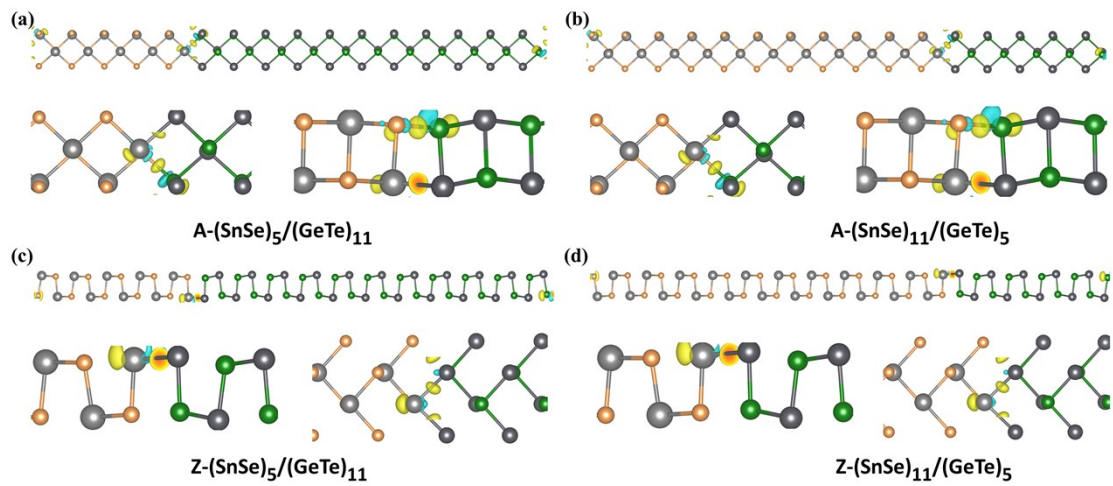


Fig. S3 The electron density difference of (a) A-(SnSe)₅/(GeTe)₁₁, (b) A-(SnSe)₁₁/(GeTe)₅, (c) Z-(SnSe)₅/(GeTe)₁₁ and (d) Z-(SnSe)₁₁/(GeTe)₅. The left and right sides are the side view and top view near the interface, respectively.

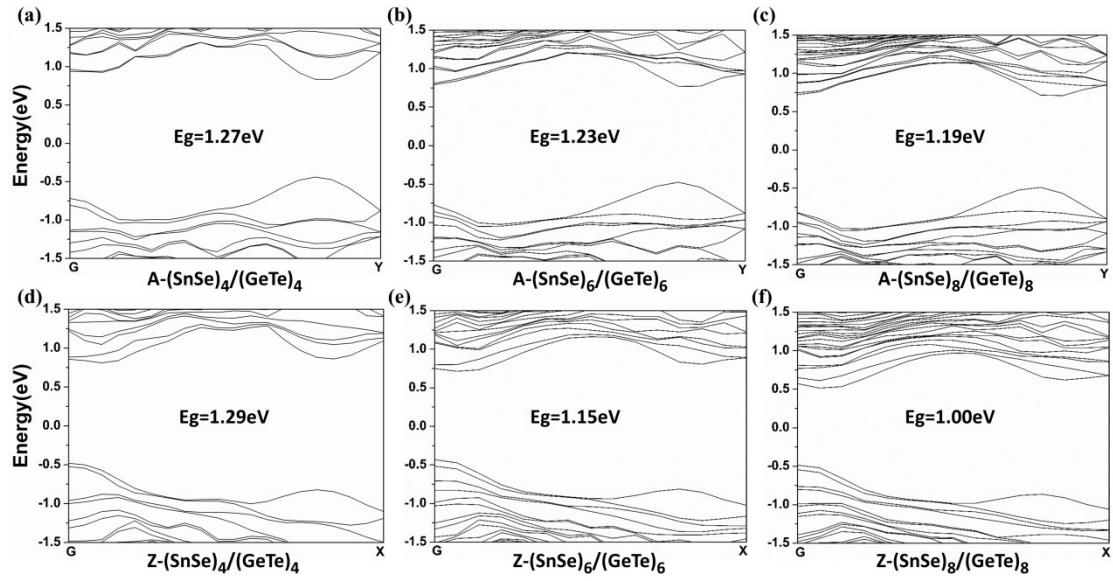


Fig. S4 Band structures of heterostructures with $m(n)=4\sim 8$ obtained by HSE06 method.

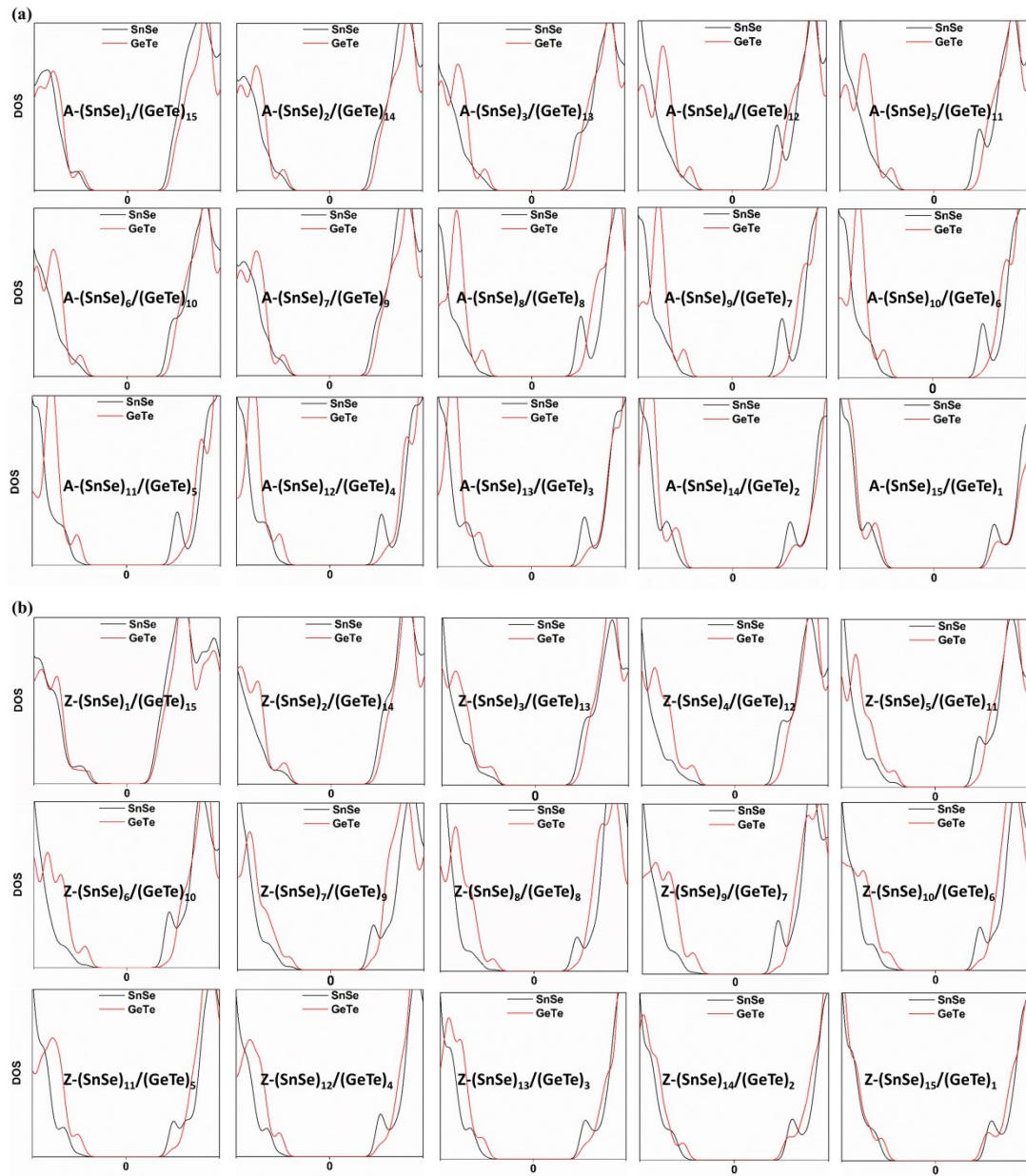


Fig. S5. The local density of states in the center of (a) A-(SnSe)_m/(GeTe)_n and (b) Z-(SnSe)_m/(GeTe)_n.

Table S2 The J_{abs} and PCE values of $(\text{SnSe})_m/(\text{GeTe})_n$.

| SnSe/GeTe (m/n) | J_{abs} (mA/cm ²) | | PCE (%) | |
|--------------------|--|--------|----------|--------|
| | armchair | zigzag | armchair | zigzag |
| 1/15 | 5.12 | 4.84 | 21.22 | 21.27 |
| 2/14 | 5.10 | 4.75 | 20.58 | 20.53 |
| 3/13 | 5.04 | 4.51 | 20.57 | 21.20 |
| 4/12 | 4.97 | 4.61 | 20.54 | 20.22 |
| 5/11 | 4.79 | 4.54 | 20.56 | 19.41 |
| 6/10 | 4.83 | 4.47 | 20.57 | 19.80 |
| 7/9 | 4.63 | 4.40 | 20.81 | 19.85 |
| 8/8 | 4.55 | 4.19 | 20.85 | 20.14 |
| 9/7 | 4.52 | 4.26 | 20.85 | 19.96 |
| 10/6 | 4.46 | 4.13 | 21.17 | 20.95 |
| 11/5 | 4.33 | 4.04 | 21.17 | 21.30 |
| 12/4 | 4.21 | 3.93 | 21.22 | 21.48 |
| 13/3 | 4.10 | 3.84 | 21.12 | 21.56 |
| 14/2 | 3.98 | 3.54 | 21.38 | type I |
| 15/1 | 3.85 | 3.56 | 21.41 | type I |