

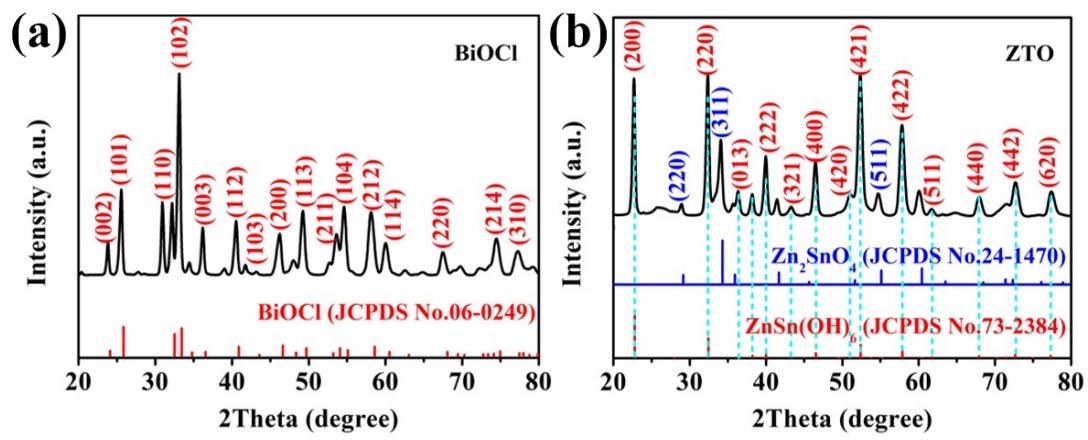
***Supporting Information***

**One-pot construction of robust BiOCl/ZnO p-n heterojunctions toward improving charge separation for photodegradation enhancement**

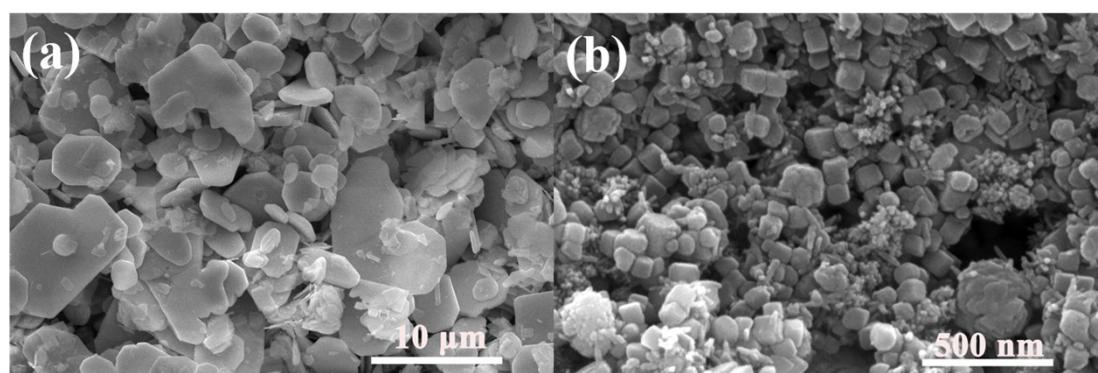
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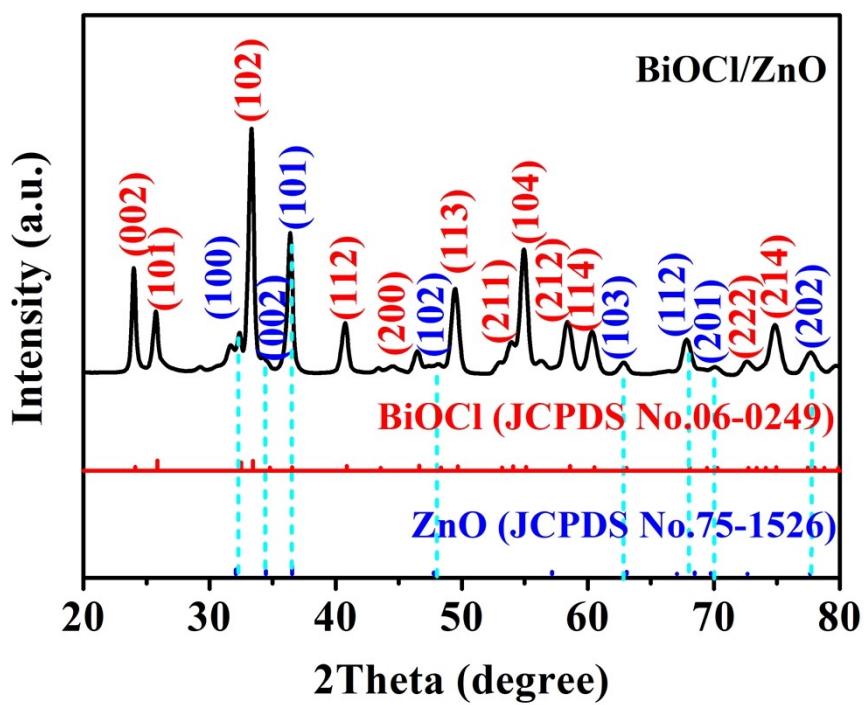
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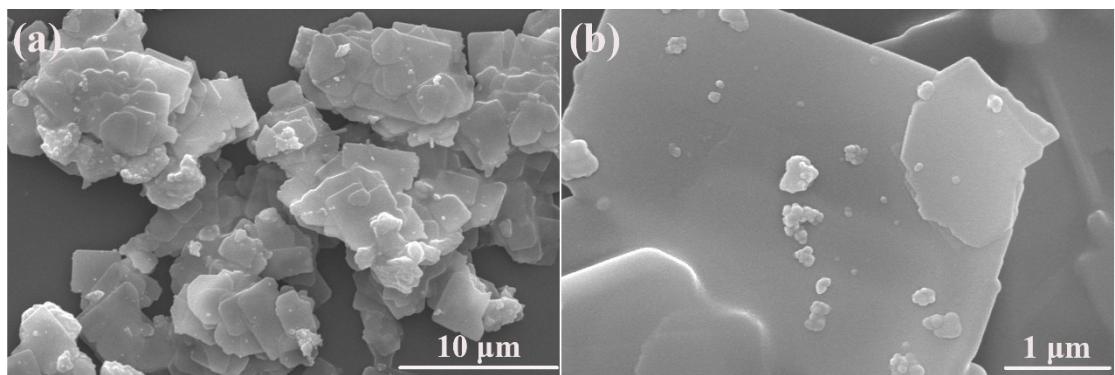
**Fig. S1** XRD patterns of the as-prepared (a) BiOCl and (b) ZTO.



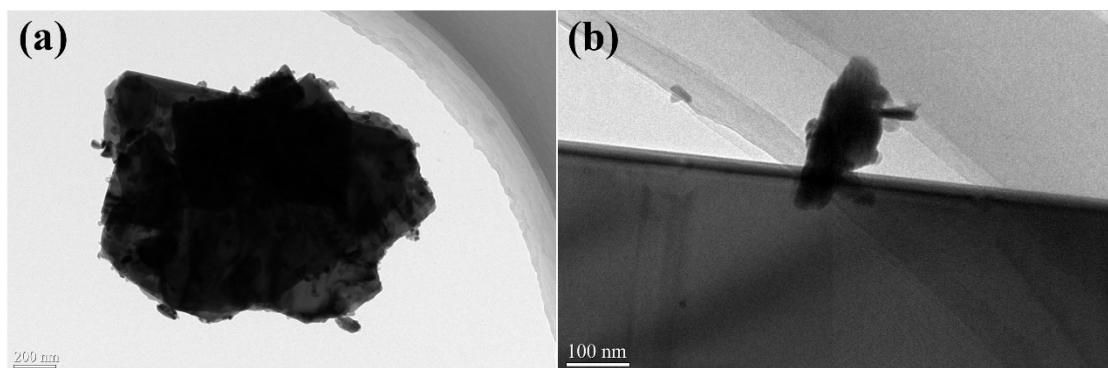
**Fig. S2** SEM images of (a) BiOCl and (b) ZTO.



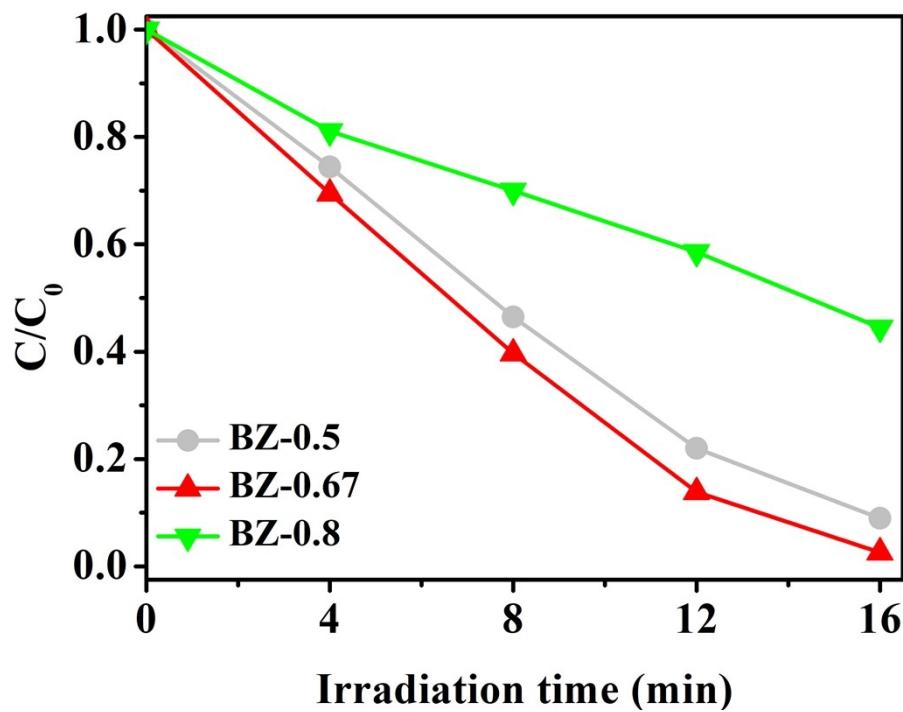
**Fig. S3** XRD pattern of the as-prepared BZ-0.67-S.



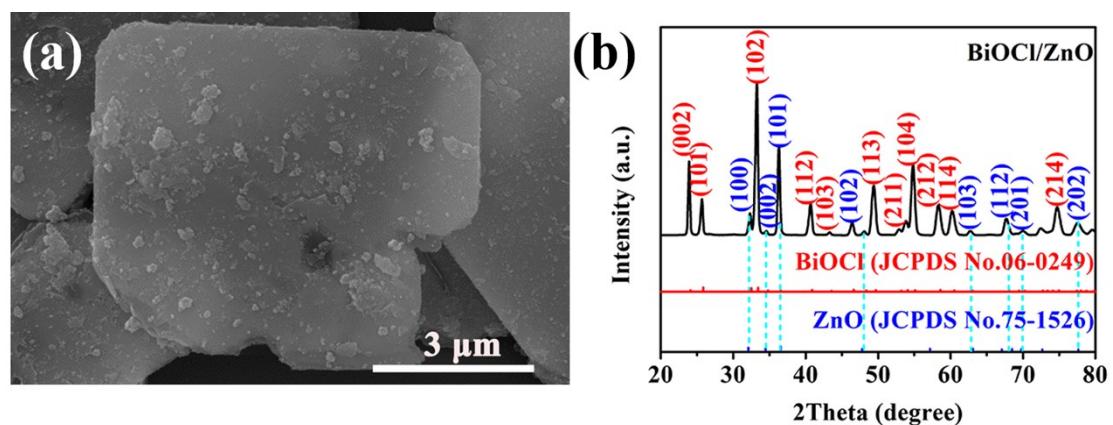
**Fig. S4** SEM images of BZ-0.67-S.



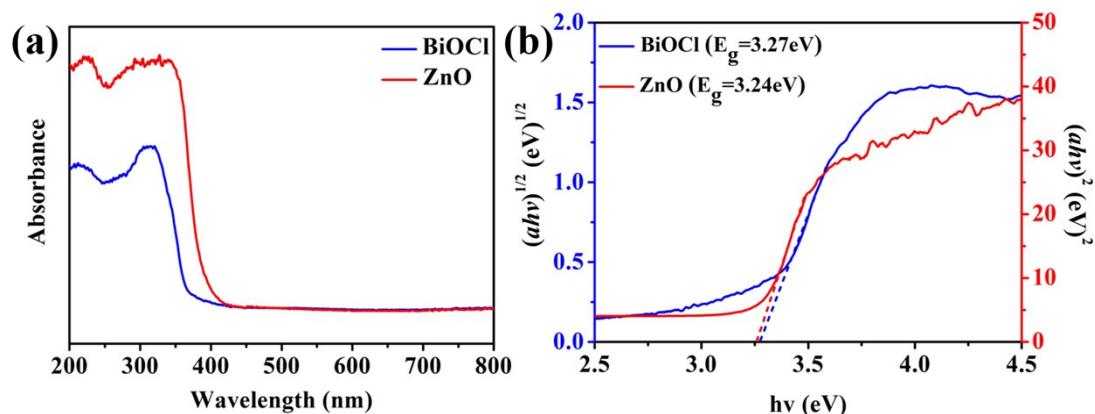
**Fig. S5** TEM images of BZ-0.67-S.



**Fig. S6** Photocatalytic degradation of RhB solution by BZ-0.5, BZ-0.67 and BZ-0.8, respectively.



**Fig. S7** (a) SEM image and (b) XRD pattern of BZ-0.67 after recycling test.



**Fig. S8** (a) UV-vis diffuse reflectance spectra of BiOCl and ZnO; (b) plots of  $(ahv)^{1/2}$  and  $(ahv)^2$  versus photo energy ( $h\nu$ ) of BiOCl and ZnO, respectively.

**Table S1** The rate constants ( $k$ ) for photodegradation of BiOCl/ZnO reported in literatures and this work.

Sample	Substrate	Rate constants ( $k$ )	Ref.
BiOCl/ZnO	RhB	0.0073	[1]
BiOCl/ZnO	RhB	0.408	[2]
BiOCl/ZnO	TC-HCl	0.024	[3]
BiOCl/ZnO	RhB	0.19	This work
BiOCl/ZnO	TC	0.049	This work

**Table S2** ICP results of the leaching metal in solution after reaction over BZ-0.67.

Element content (ppm)	
Bi	Zn
2	1.9

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