

**Supplementary material:**

**Computational mining of Janus Sc<sub>2</sub>C-based MXene for spintronic,  
photocatalytic, and solar cell applications**

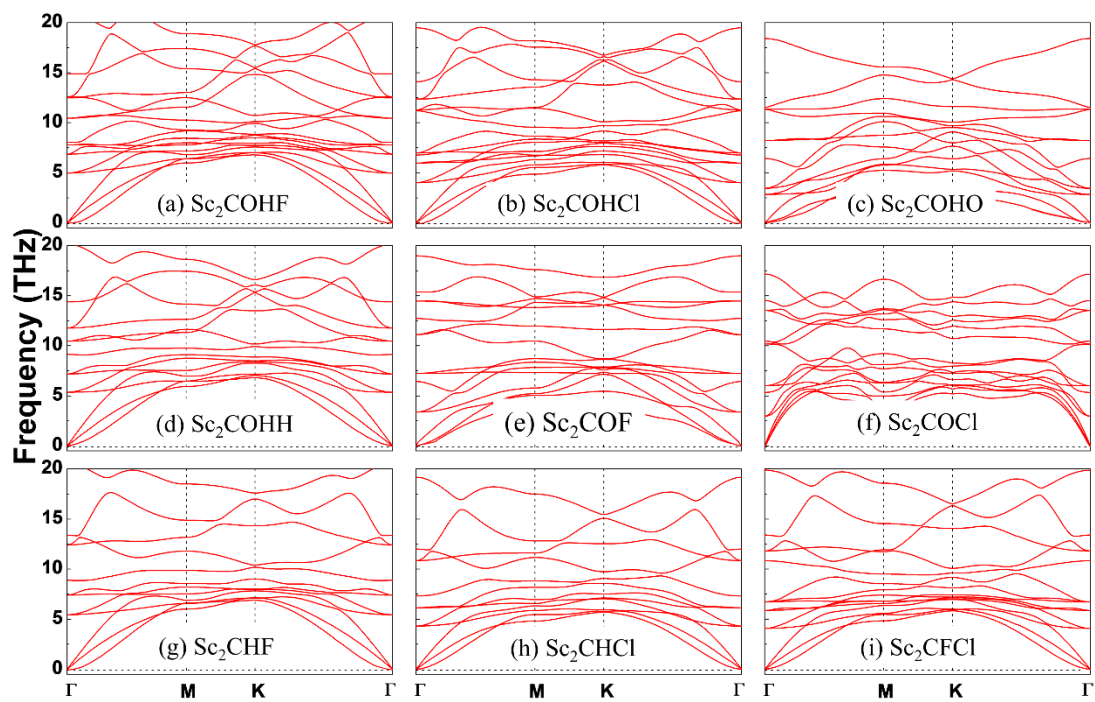
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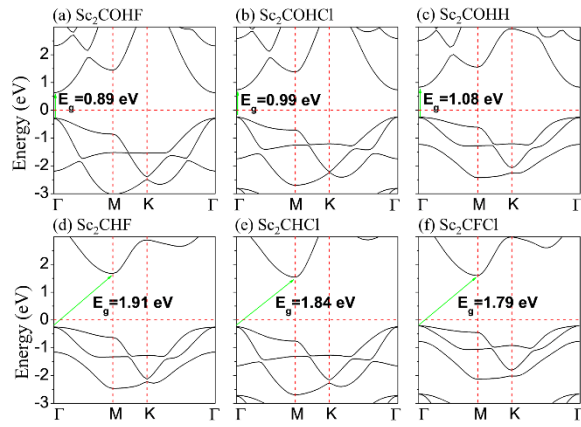
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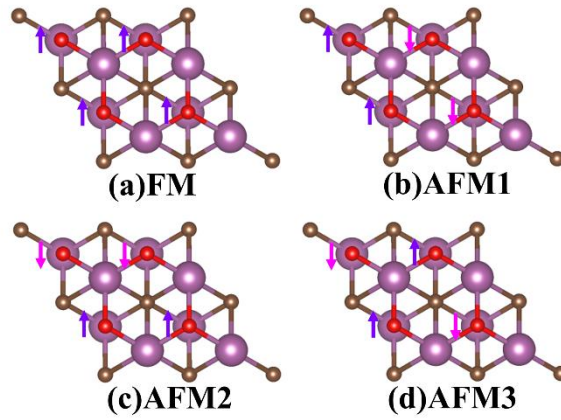
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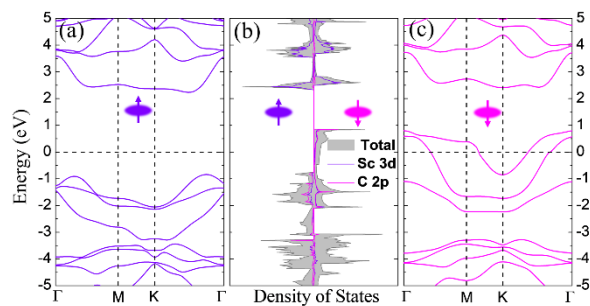
**Fig. S1** Phonon dispersion curves for (a)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COHF}$ , (b)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COHCl}$ , (c)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COHO}$ , (d)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COHH}$ , (e)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COF}$ , (f)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COCl}$ , (g)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{CHF}$ , (h)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{CHCl}$ , (i)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{CFCl}$ .



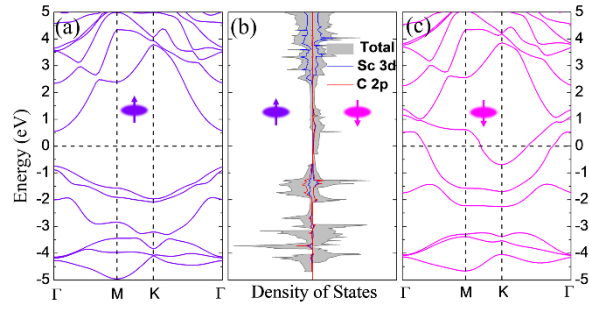
**Fig. S2** The HSE06 band structures of Janus (a)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COHF}$ , (b)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COHCl}$ , (c)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COHH}$ , (d)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{CHF}$ , (e)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{HCl}$ , (f)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{CFCl}$ .



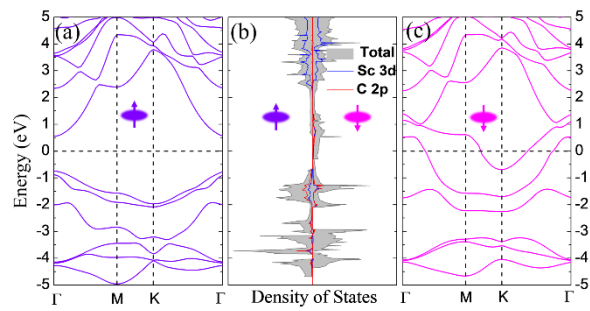
**Fig. S3** Various possible magnetic configurations of  $\text{Sc}_2\text{CTT}'$  including (a) one ferromagnetic state and (b-d) three antiferromagnetic states with up-spins ( $\uparrow$ ) and down-spins ( $\downarrow$ ) on the Sc atom.



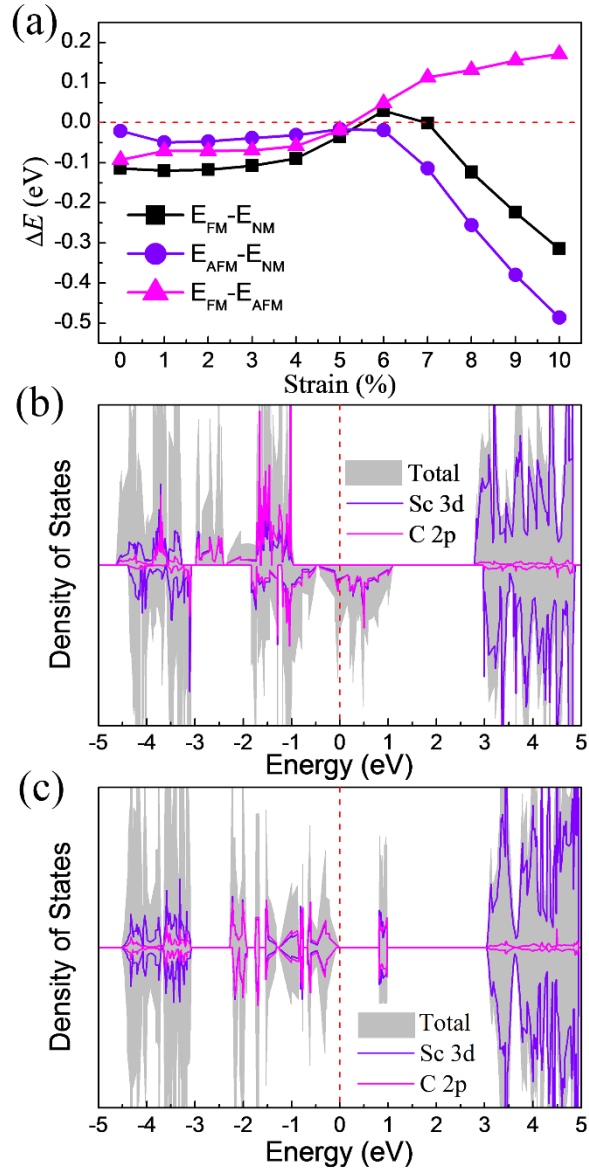
**Fig. S4** The band structure of  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COF}$  with (a) spin-up and (c) spin-down states, and (b) the spin-resolved density of states. The Fermi level is set at 0 eV as indicated by a dashed line.



**Fig. S5** The band structure of  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COH}$  with (a) spin-up and (c) spin-down states, and (b) the spin-resolved density of states. The Fermi level is set at 0 eV as indicated by a dashed line.

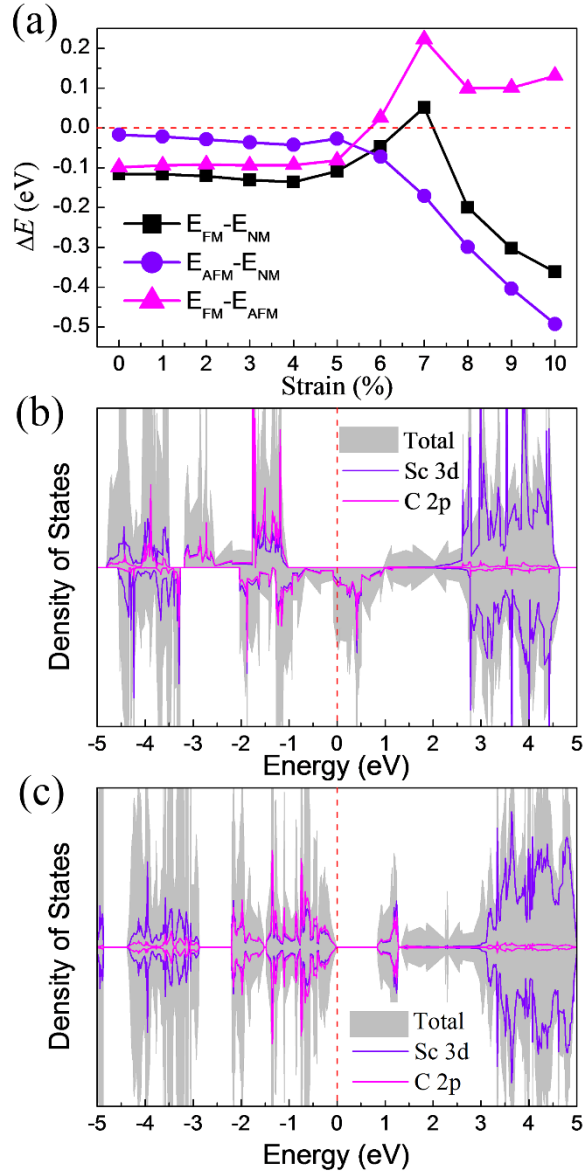


**Fig. S6** The band structure of  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COOH}$  with (a) spin-up and (c) spin-down states, and (b) the spin-resolved density of states. The Fermi level is set at 0 eV as indicated by a dashed line.

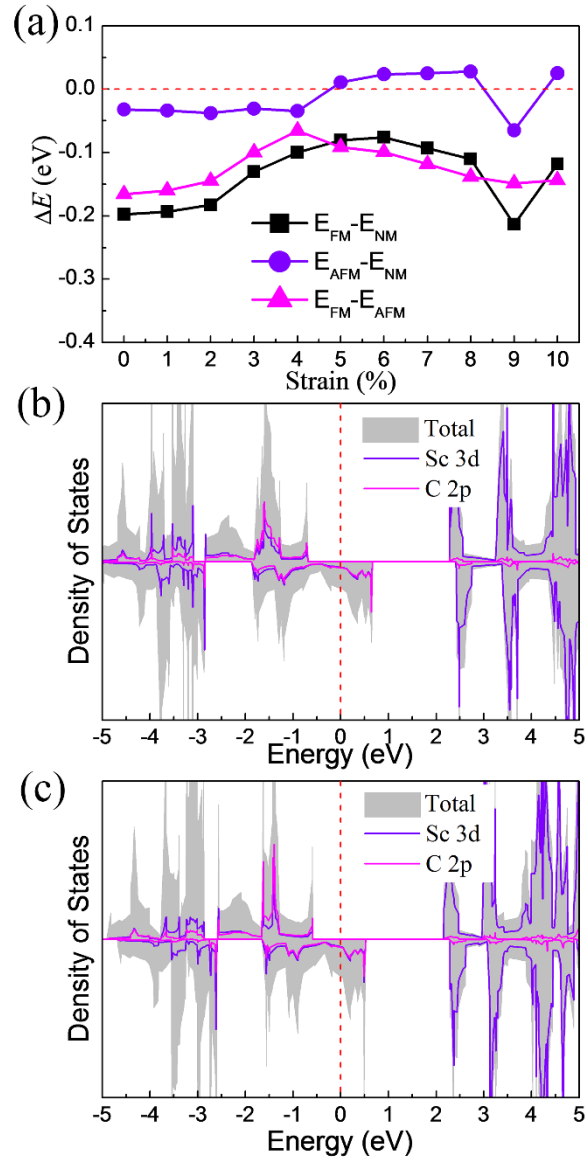


**Fig. S7** (a) The energy differences between FM, AFM and NM states of Sc<sub>2</sub>COF as a function of tensile strain. The spin-resolved density of states of Sc<sub>2</sub>COF under (b) 5% tensile strain for FM states and (c) 6% tensile strain for AFM states, respectively.



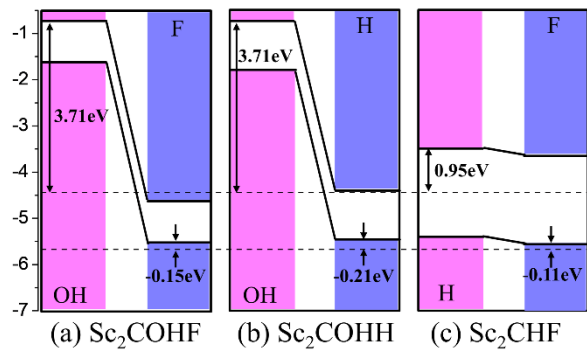


**Fig. S8** (a) The energy differences between FM, AFM and NM states of Sc<sub>2</sub>COOH as a function of tensile strain. The spin-resolved density of states of Sc<sub>2</sub>COOH under (b) 5% tensile strain for FM states and (c) 6% tensile strain for AFM states, respectively.

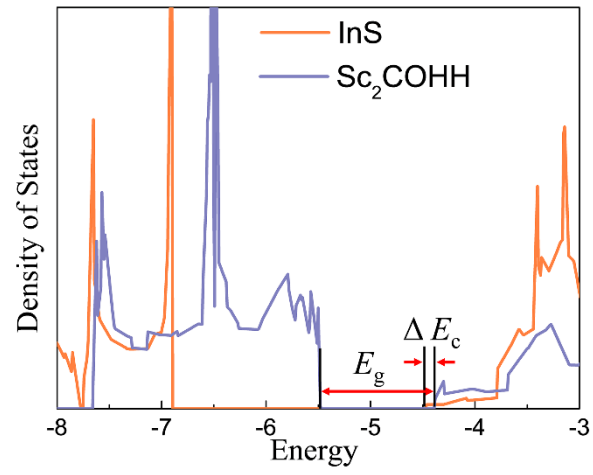


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**Fig. S9** (a) The energy differences between FM, AFM and NM states of Sc<sub>2</sub>COH as a function of tensile strain. The spin-resolved density of states of Sc<sub>2</sub>COH under (b) 5% and (c) 10% tensile strain for FM states, respectively.



**Fig. S10** Band alignment of (a)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COHF}$ , (b)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{COHH}$  and (c)  $\text{Sc}_2\text{CHF}$  with respect to the redox potentials of water.



**Fig. S11** The density of states of Sc<sub>2</sub>COHH/InS heterostructure.