

Electronic supplementary information

for

**High-Performance Solution-Processed $Ti_3C_2T_x$ MXenes Doped ZnSnO
Thin-Film Transistors via the Formation of a Two-Dimensional Electron
Gas**

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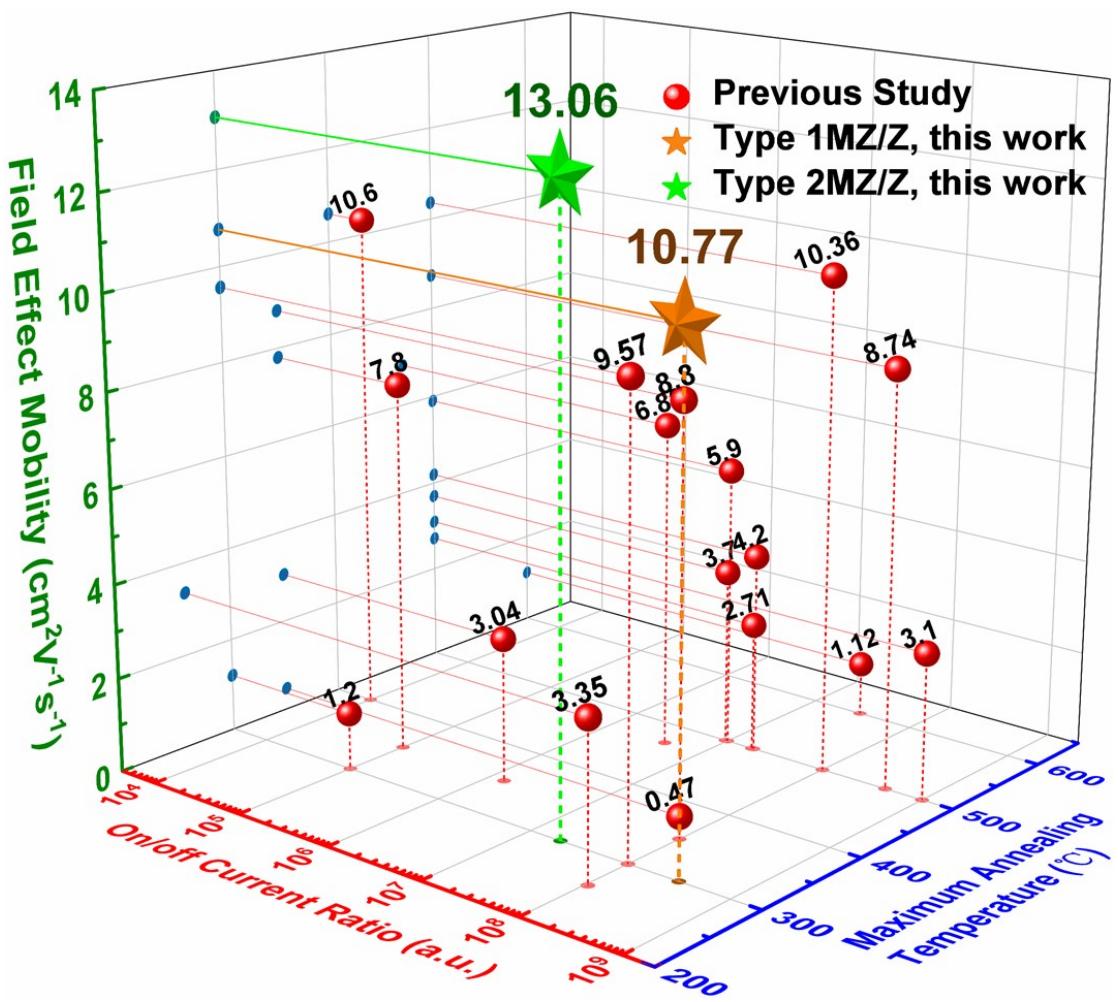


Fig. S1 Recent studies of ZTO-based semiconductor/SiO₂ TFTs device electrical performance and maximum annealing temperature ¹⁻¹¹.

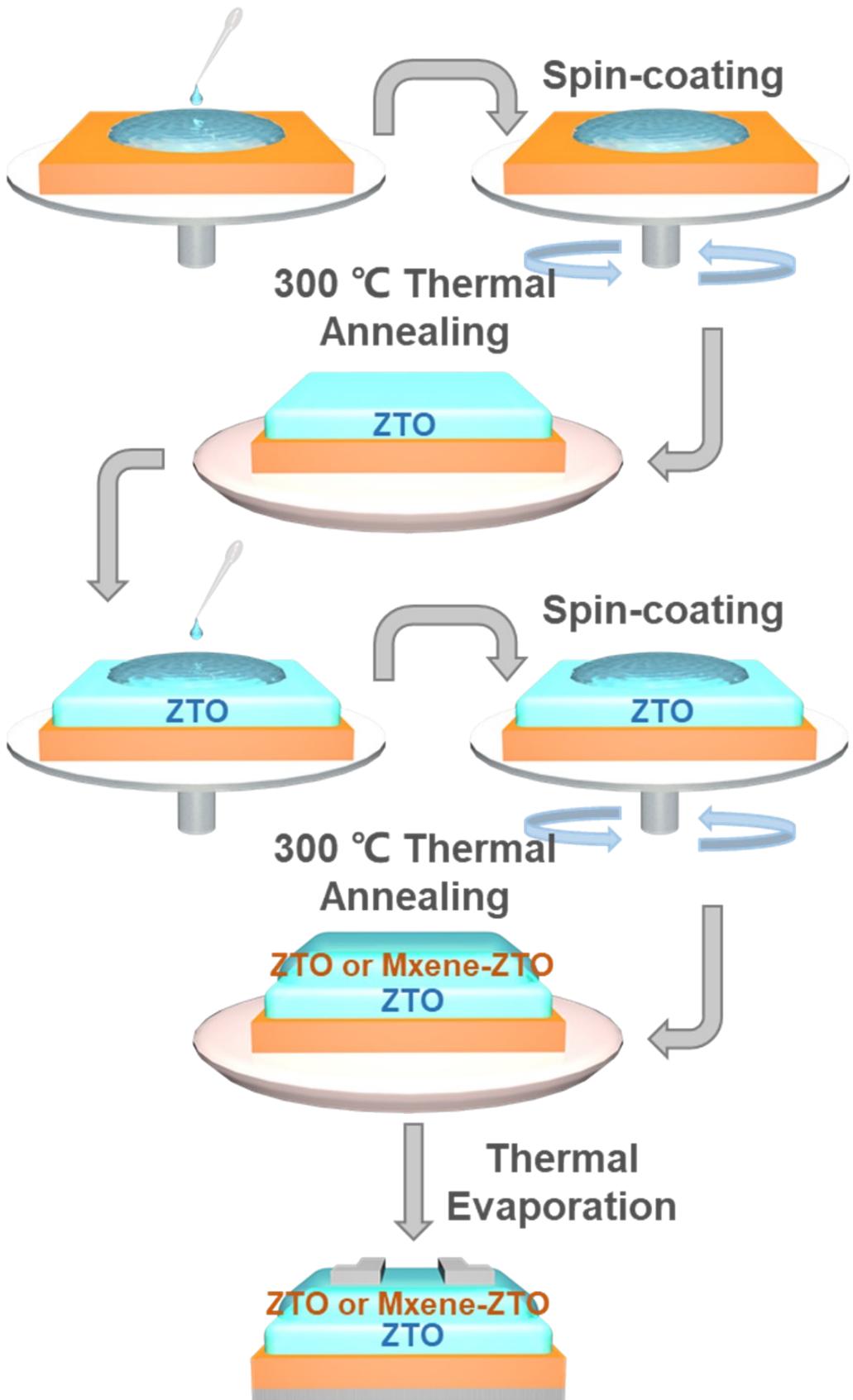


Fig. S2 Process flow chart of solution-processed TFTs fabrication in this work.

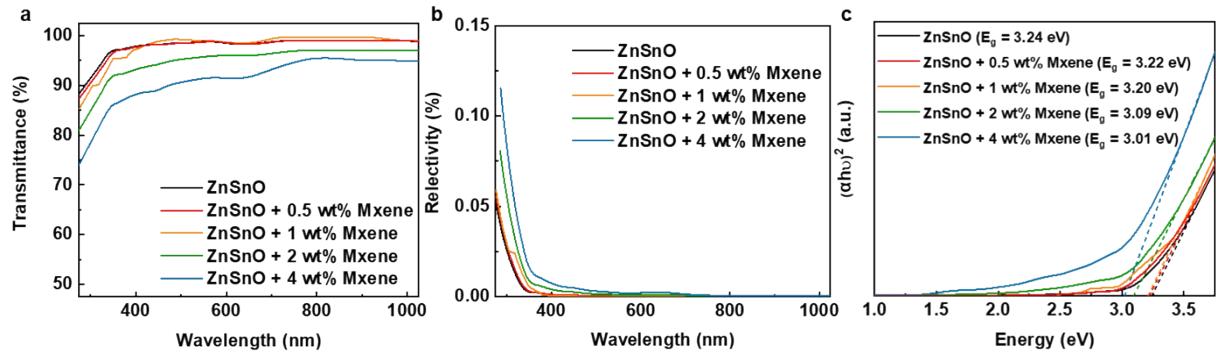


Fig. S3 (a) UV-Vis transmittance and (b) reflectivity results of ZTO and MXene-ZTO thin films with different doping concentrations. (c) The energy bandgap width (E_g) extracted from the UV-Vis curves.

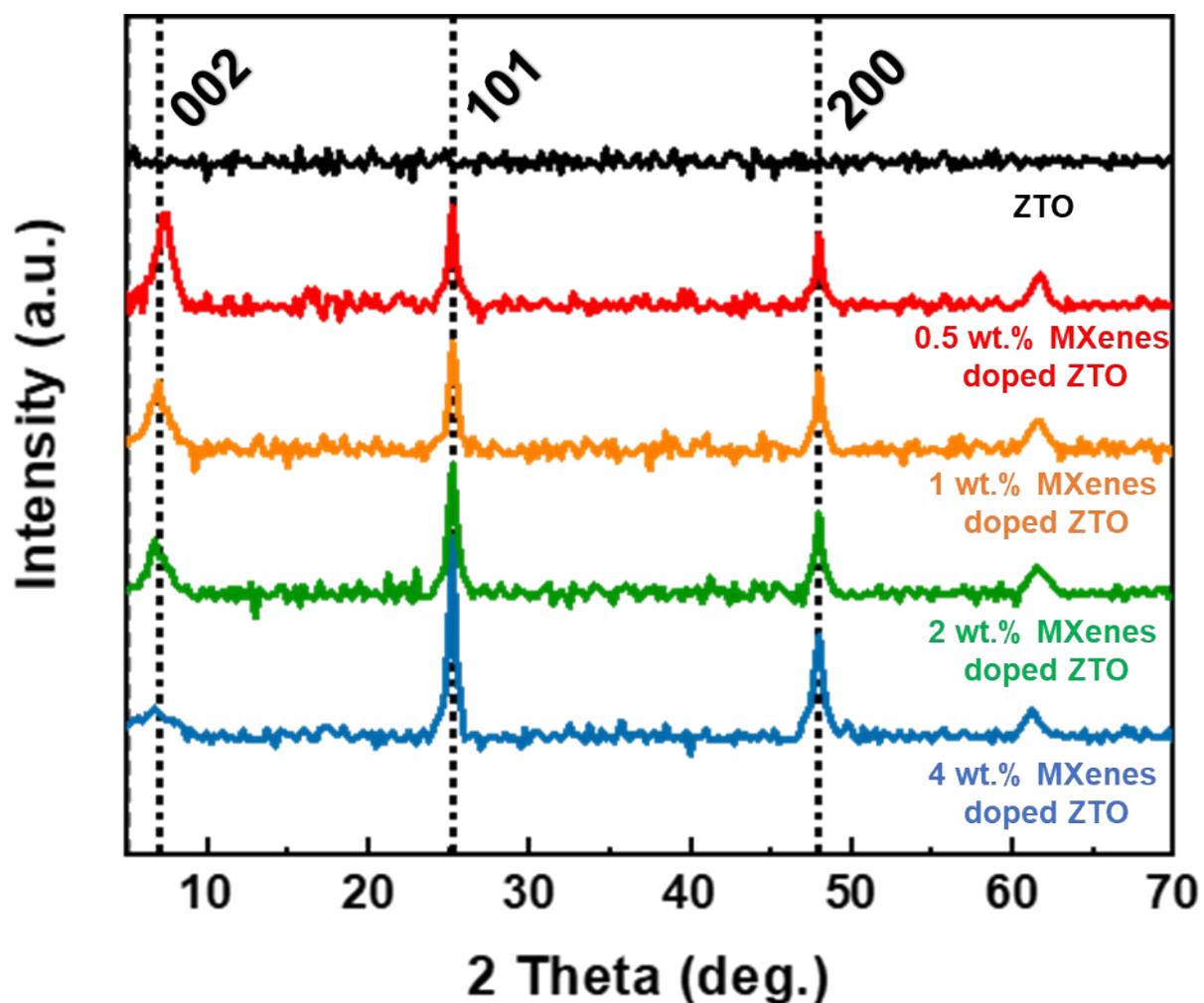


Fig. S4 XRD results for the thin-film samples without or with different MXenes doping concentration.

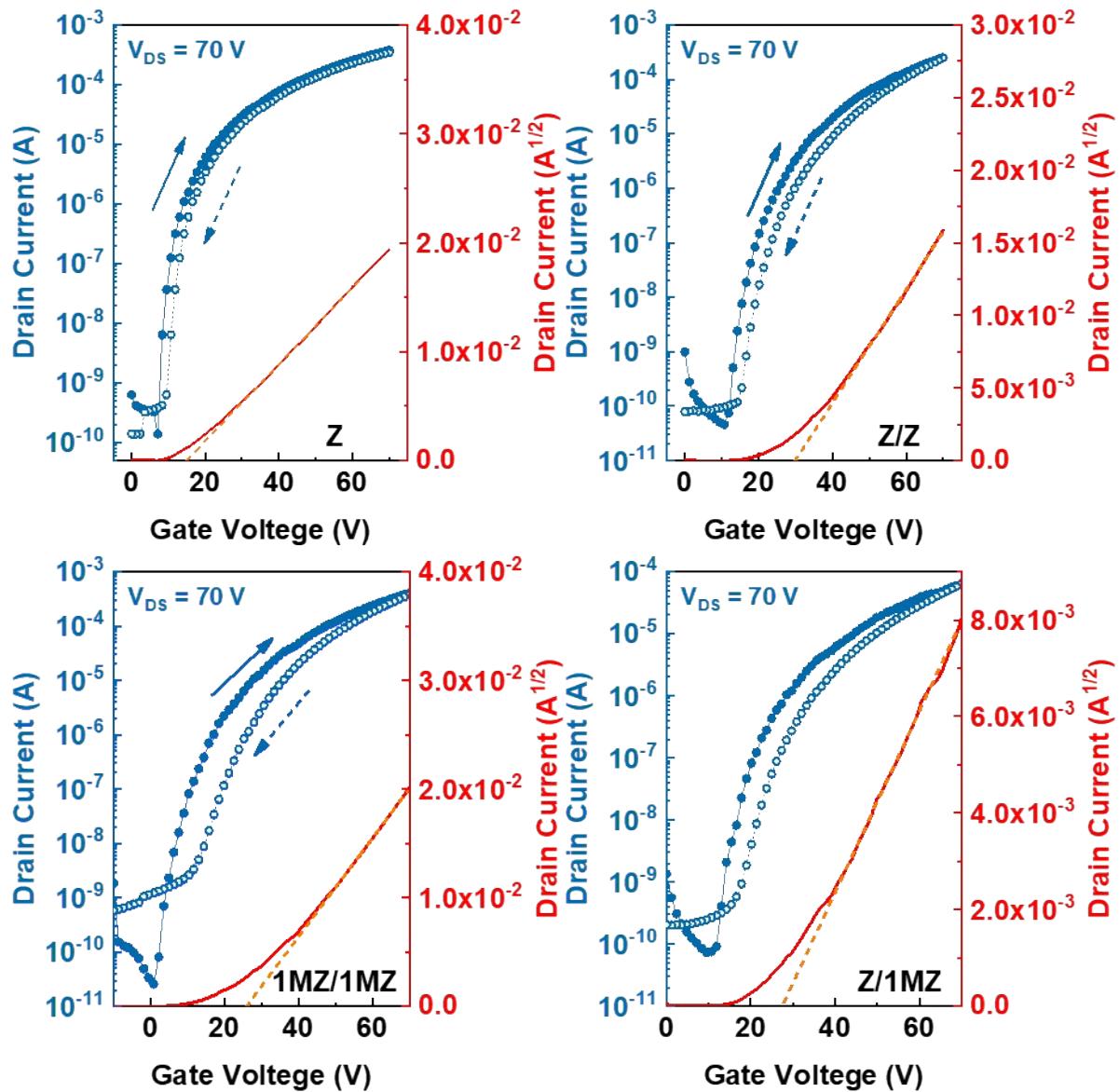


Fig. S5 Transfer curves for (a)Z, (b)Z/Z, (c)1MZ/1MZ, and (d)Z/1MZ TFTs under V_{DS} of 70 V.

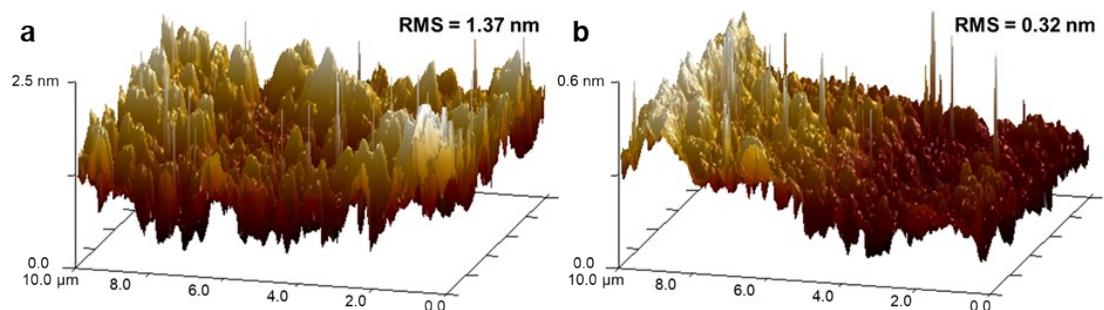


Fig. S6 AFM results for the surfaces of (a) 1 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO and (b) ZTO thin films.

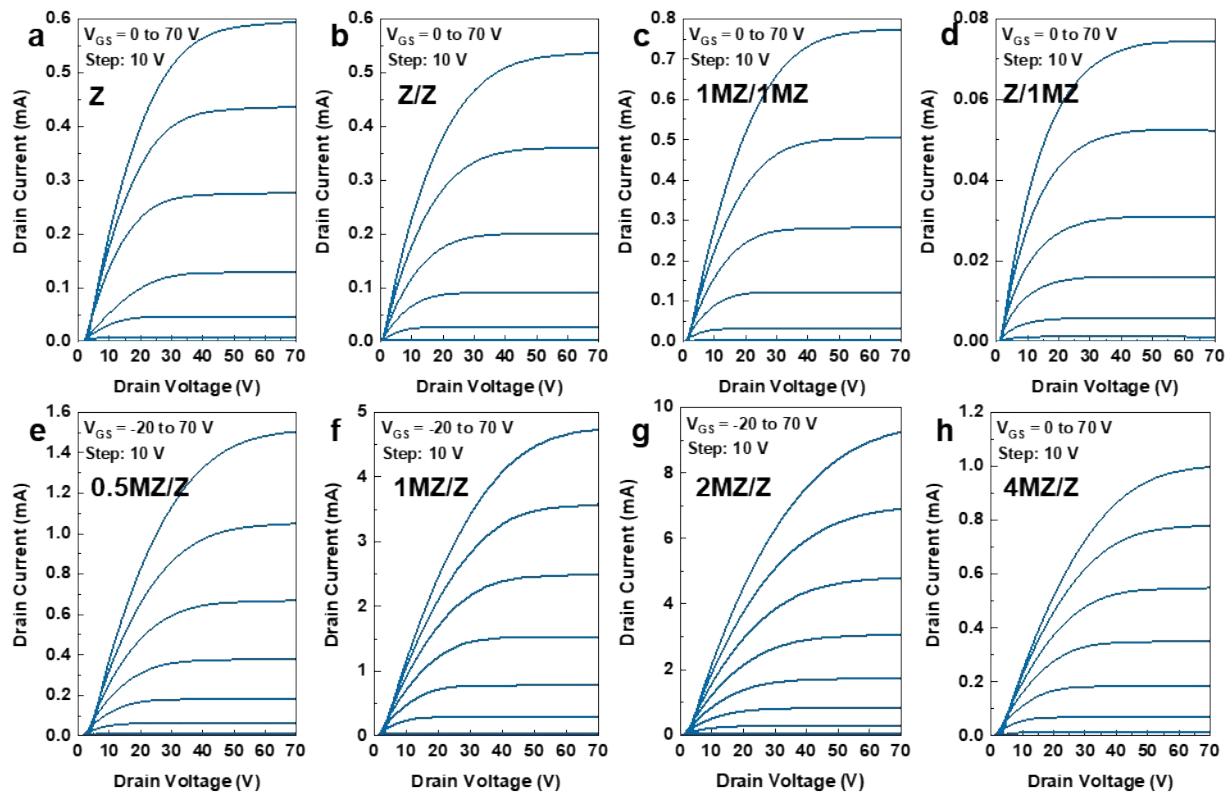


Fig. S7 Transfer curves for (a)Z, (b)Z/Z, (c)1MZ/1MZ, (d)Z/1MZ, (e)0.5MZ/Z, (f)1MZ/Z, (g)2MZ/Z, and (h)4MZ/Z TFTs.

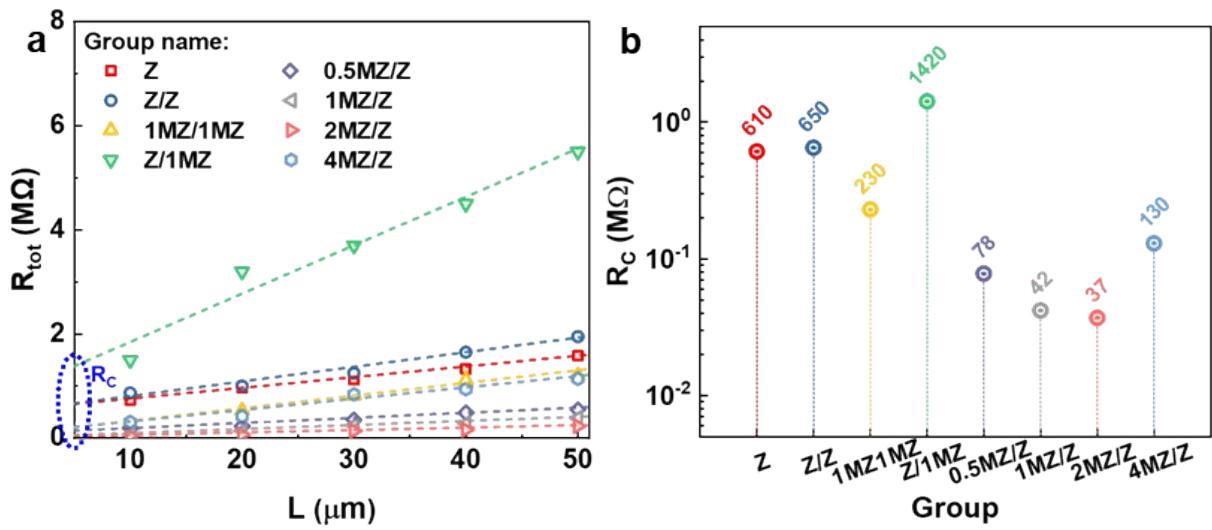


Fig. S8 (a)Total channel resistance under various channel length calculated for TFTs belong to each group. (b)The contact resistance extracted from the R_{tot} -L results.

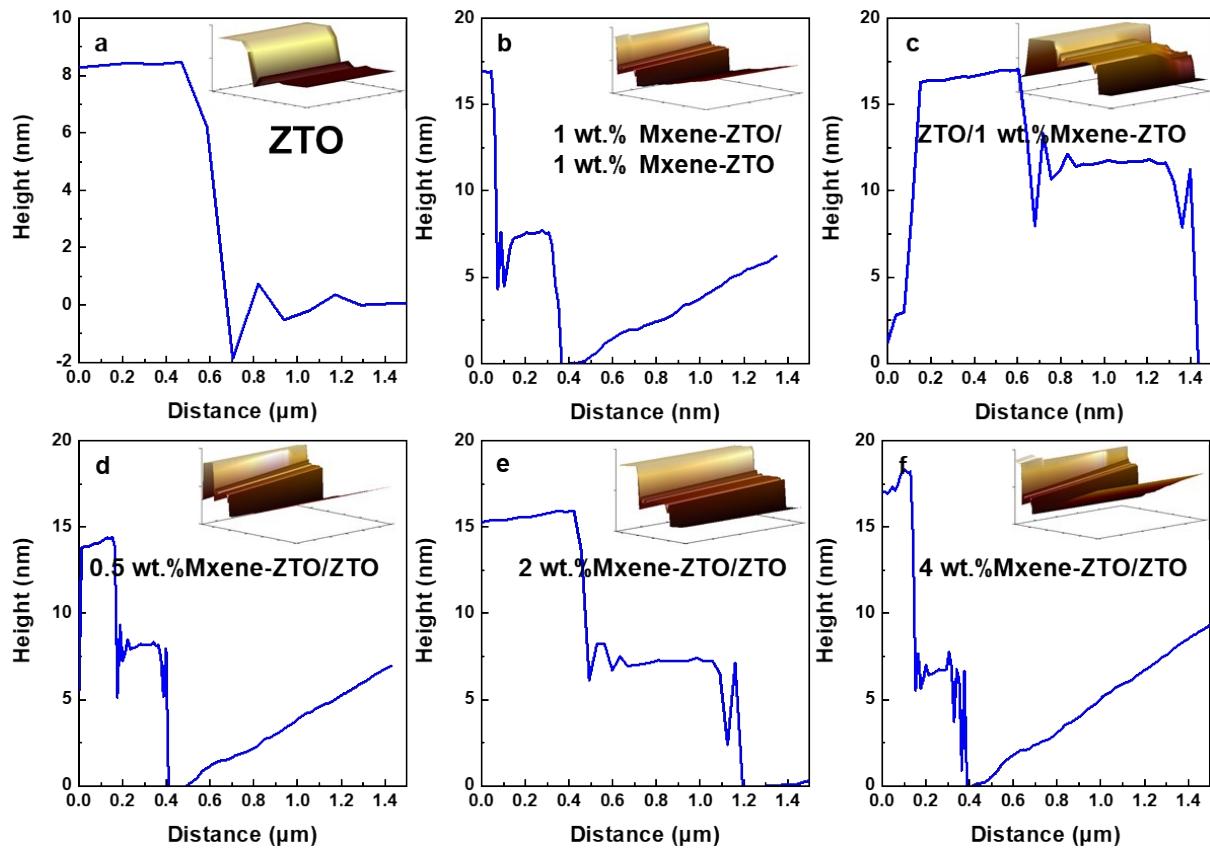


Fig. S9 The thickness of (a) ZTO single layer, (b) 1 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO double layer, (c) ZTO/1 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO bilayer, (d) 0.5 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO/ZTO bilayer, (e) 2 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO/ZTO bilayer, and (f) 4 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO/ZTO bilayer measured by AFM (refers to Z, 1MZ/1MZ, 0.5MZ/Z, 2MZ/Z, and 4MZ/Z TFTs, respectively.).

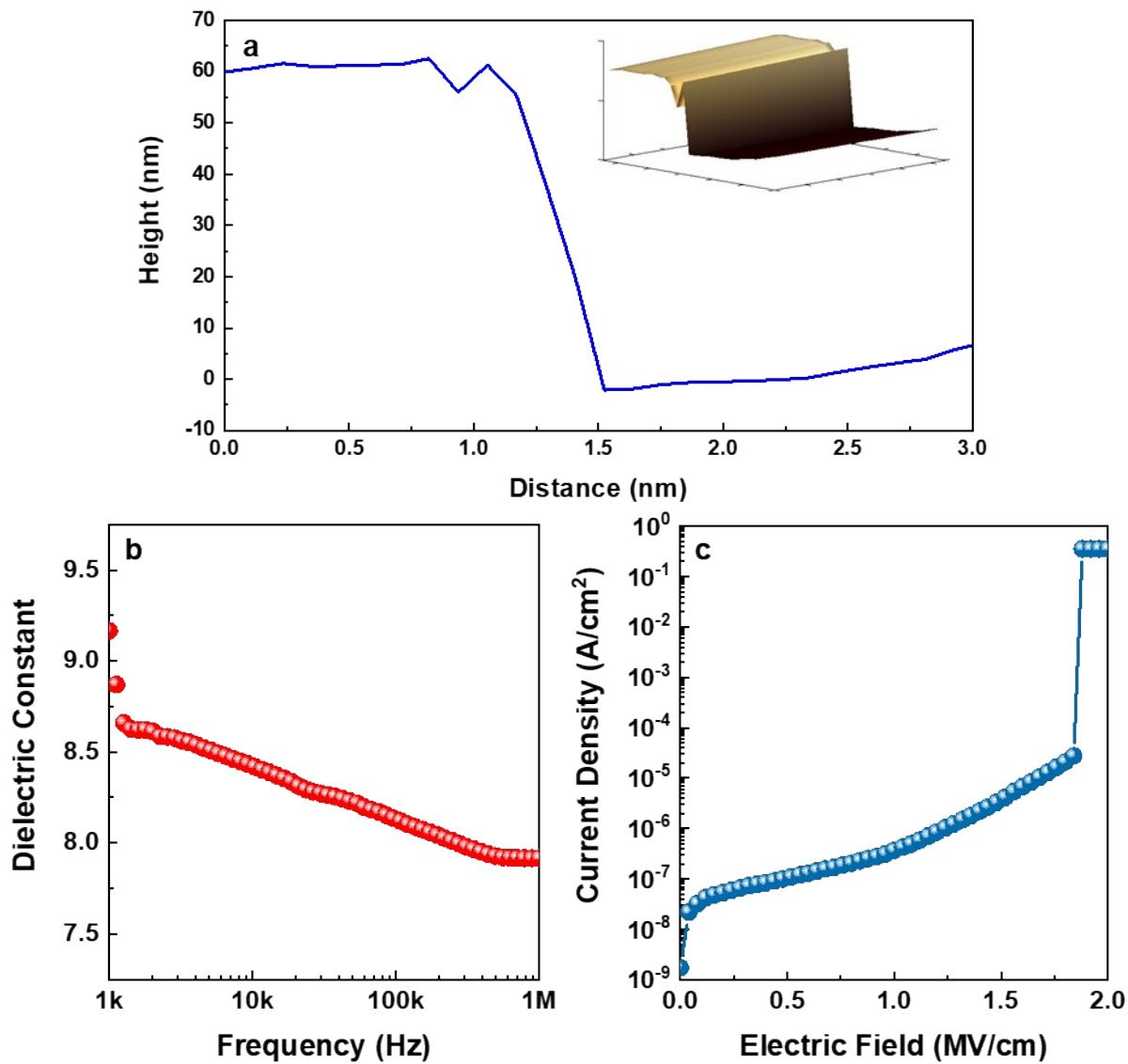


Fig. S10 (a) The thickness of the solution-processed AlO_X dielectric layer. (b) The dielectric constant-frequency behavior of the solution-processed AlO_X dielectric layer. (c) The current density-electric field curve of the solution-processed AlO_X dielectric layer.

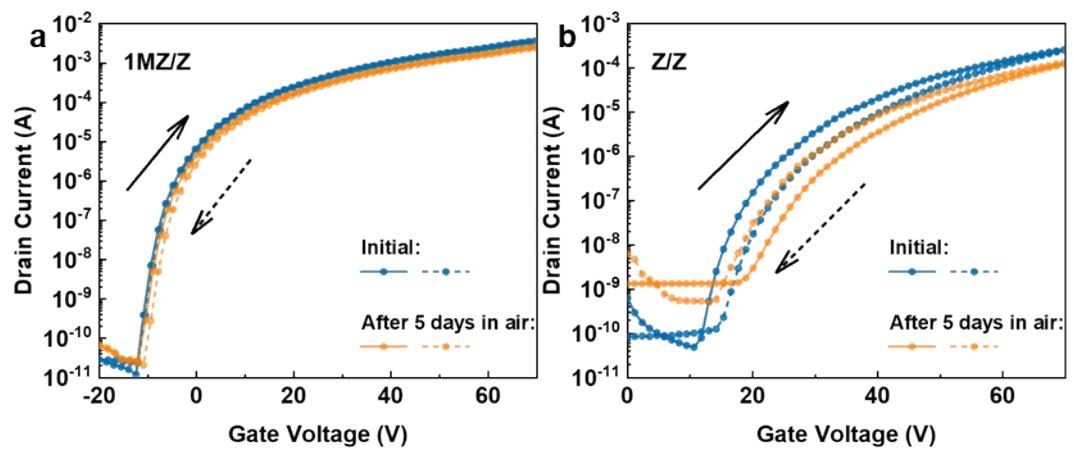


Fig. S11 The transfer curves of (a) 1MZ/Z and (b) Z/Z TFTs before and after exposure to air for 5 days.

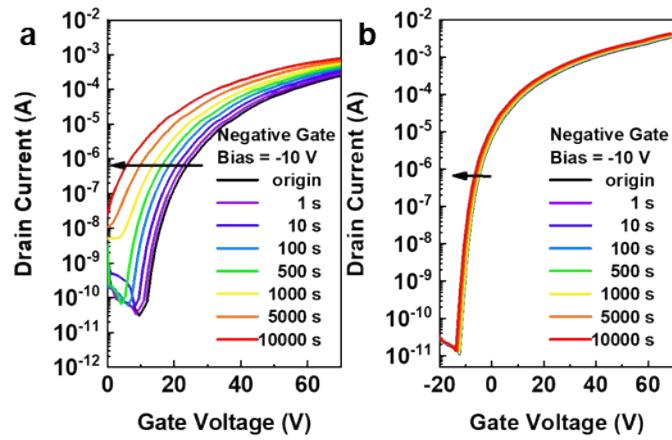


Fig. S12 Transfer curves of (a) Z/Z and (b) 1MZ/Z devices under -10 V negative gate bias with a duration of 10000 s.

Table S1. Recent studies of ZTO-based semiconductor/SiO₂ TFTs device electrical performance and maximum annealing temperature.

Maximum Annealing Temperature (°C)	On/off Current ratio	Field Effect Mobility (cm ² V ⁻¹ s ⁻¹)	Year	Reference
300	$\sim 1 \times 10^5$	1.2	2015	8
350	$\sim 1 \times 10^5$	7.8	2015	8
500	$\sim 1.9 \times 10^7$	4.2	2016	1
300	$\sim 1 \times 10^8$	9.57	2016	12
500	$\sim 1 \times 10^8$	10.36	2016	12
350	$\sim 1 \times 10^8$	8.8	2017	9
400	$\sim 1 \times 10^5$	10.6	2017	9
260	$\sim 1.06 \times 10^8$	3.35	2018	4
500	$\sim 4.32 \times 10^8$	8.74	2018	4
500	$\sim 9.50 \times 10^6$	3.7	2018	7
500	$\sim 1 \times 10^9$	3.1	2018	10
500	$\sim 1 \times 10^7$	5.9	2019	6
600	$\sim 3 \times 10^7$	1.12	2019	11
350	$\sim 1 \times 10^8$	0.47	2020	3
500	$\sim 1.82 \times 10^7$	2.71	2020	2
350	$\sim 1.41 \times 10^6$	3.04	2020	5
470	$\sim 4.17 \times 10^6$	6.89	2020	5
300	$\sim 1.2 \times 10^8$	10.77 ± 1.83	Type 1MZ/Z, this work	

300	$\sim 1.3 \times 10^7$	13.06 ± 3.12	Type 2MZ/Z, this work
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Table S2. Recent studies of ZTO-based semiconductor/High-*k* oxides TFTs device electrical performance.

Channel material	Dielectric material	Fabrication method	Mobility (cm ² V ⁻¹ s ⁻¹)	S.S. (V/dec)	On/off ratio	Ref.
ZnSnO	ZrO _x	Spin-coating	4.61	0.25	10 ⁸	³
ZnSnO	DyO _x	Spin-coating	0.57	0.1	7.8*10 ⁴	¹³
ZnSnO	AlO _x	Spin-coating	2.6	0.25	2.4*10 ⁶	¹⁴
ZnSnO	ZrTiO _x	Spin-coating	17.9	-	10 ⁵ -10 ⁶	⁶
InZnSnO	ZrO _x	Spin-coating	9.5	0.087	10 ⁸	¹⁵
ZnSnO:N	HfO ₂	Spin-coating	0.2	0.11	10 ⁶	¹⁶
1 wt.% MXenes-ZnSnO/ZnSnO	AlO _x	Spin-coating	28.35	0.23	2.52*10 ⁵	This work

Table S3. The thickness of the oxide channels

Thin-film structure	Thickness (nm)
ZTO single layer	~8
ZTO/ZTO	~ 14
1 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO/1 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO	~17
ZTO/1 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO	~16
0.5 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO/ZTO	~15
1 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO/ZTO	~15
2 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO/ZTO	~16
4 wt.% MXenes doped ZTO/ZTO	~18

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