

Supporting Information

**Laser-Induced Deposition of Ni, Co-doped FeOOH Cocatalysts on
WO₃ Photoanodes and Elucidating Their Roles in Water Oxidation
in Terms of Carrier Dynamics**

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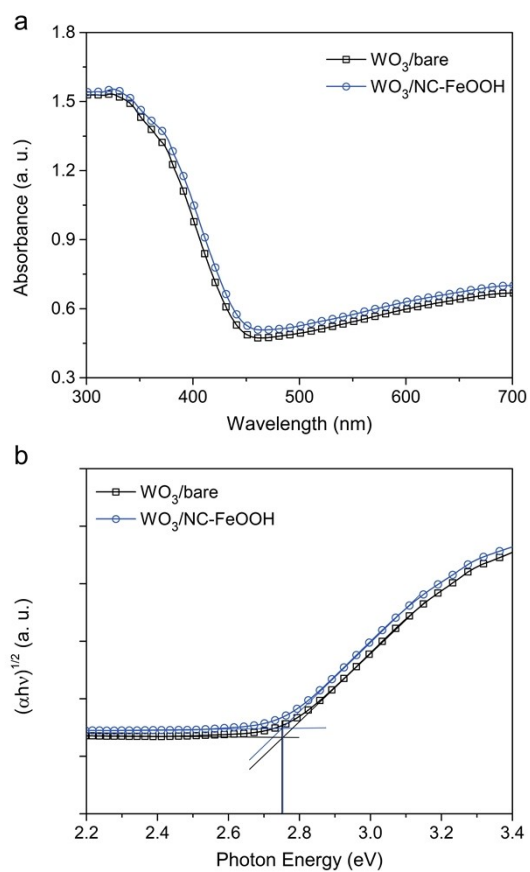


Figure S1. UV-Vis spectroscopy. a) Diffuse reflectance absorbance spectra and (b) Tauc plots of WO_3/bare and $\text{WO}_3/\text{NC-FeOOH}$ samples.

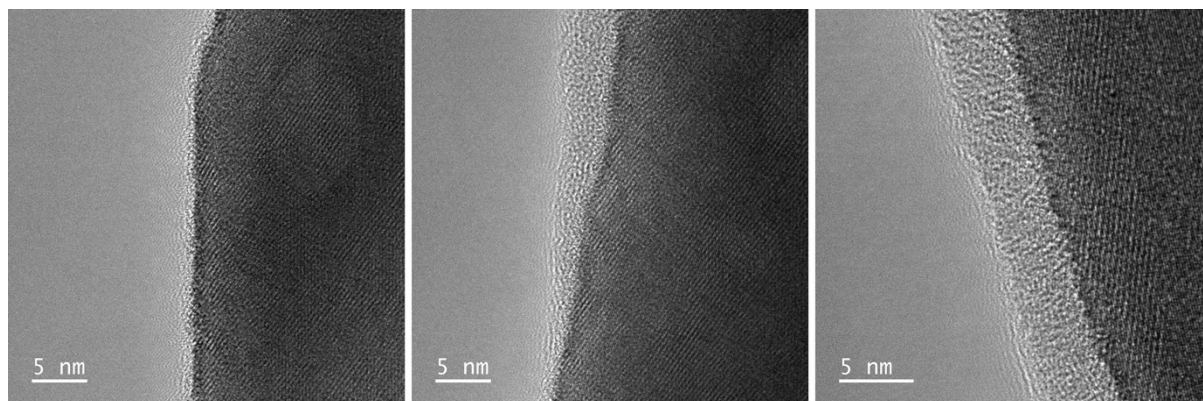


Figure S2. HRTEM images of several $\text{WO}_3/\text{NC-FeOOH}$ samples.

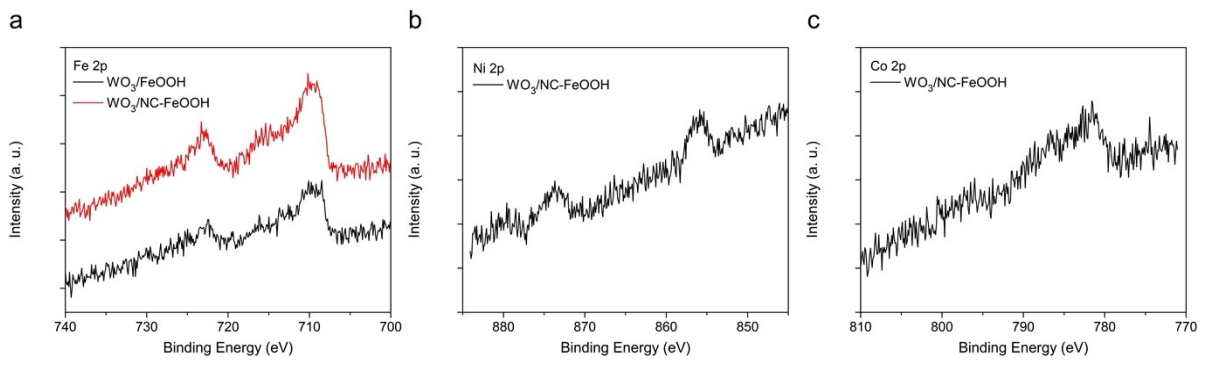


Figure S3. XPS core-level spectra of WO_3/FeOOH and $\text{WO}_3/\text{NC-FeOOH}$ measured in (a) Fe 2p, (b) Ni 2p, and (c) Co 2p region, respectively.

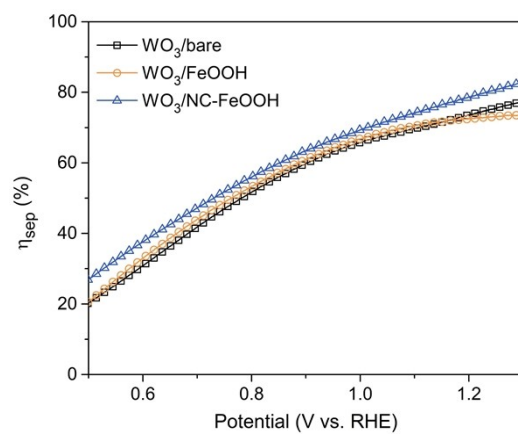


Figure S4. η_{sep} of WO_3 /bare, WO_3 /FeOOH, and WO_3 /NC-FeOOH samples.

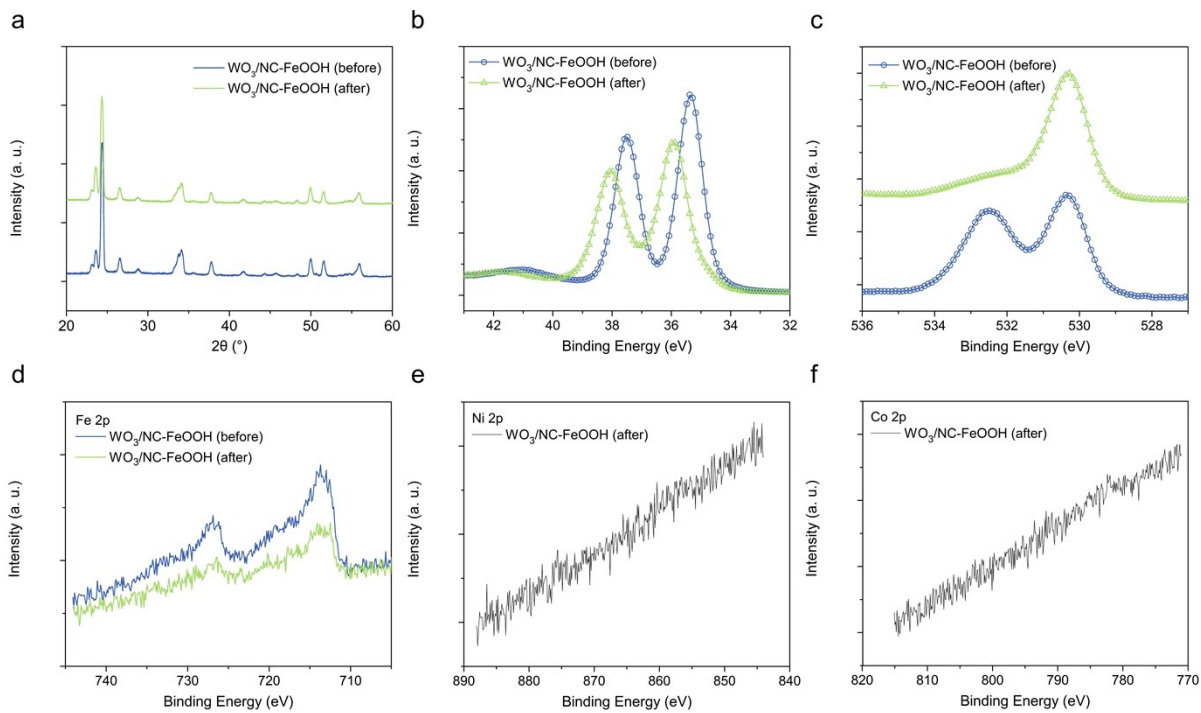


Figure S5. (a) XRD patterns, (b) XPS W 4f, (c) O 1s, (d) Fe 2p, (e) Ni 2p, and (f) Co 2p core-level spectra of $\text{WO}_3/\text{NC-FeOOH}$ before (blue) and after (green) the photostability test for 1 h.

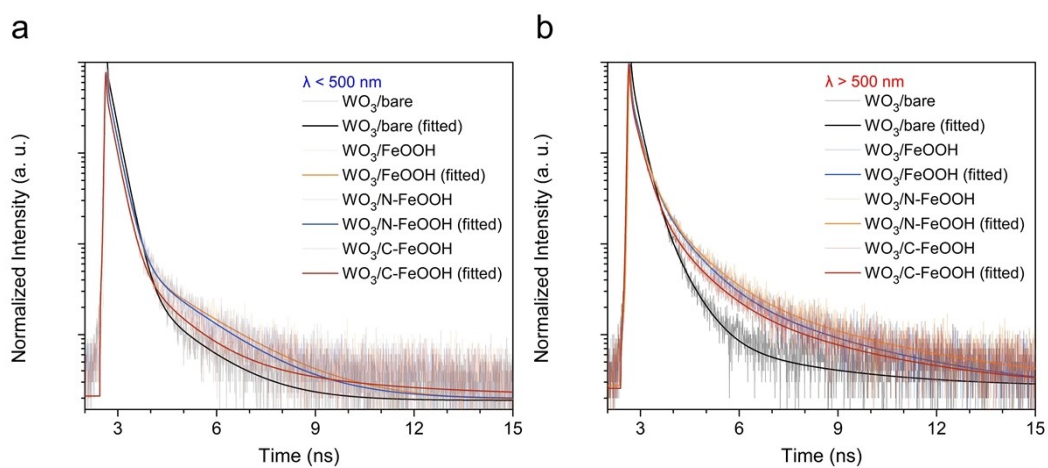


Figure S6. TRPL decay profiles of WO_3/bare , WO_3/FeOOH , $\text{WO}_3/\text{N-FeOOH}$, and $\text{WO}_3/\text{C-FeOOH}$ measured using (a) SP and (b) LP optical filters.