

Supporting Information

Sensitization of Bismuth Tungstate with Magnesium Phthalocyanine for Photoinduced Charge Redistribution and Electron Localization: CO₂ photoreduction from Vis to NIR Region

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Table S1. Comparison studies of photocatalytic CH₄ production yield of Bi₂WO₆ catalysts and metal phthalocyanine sensitized photocatalysts.

| Photocatalysts | CH ₄ yield (μmol/g·h) | Light source | References |
|---|----------------------------------|--|---|
| Oxygen defect Bi ₂ WO ₆ nanoplatelets | 0.54 | 500 W Xenon lamp, Vis (λ > 400 nm) | Chem. Commun., 2016, 52 , 14242. |
| CQDs-Bi ₂ WO ₆ | 0.90 | 500 W Xenon lamp, Vis (λ > 400 nm) | Nano Res., 2017, 10 , 1720. |
| Bi ₂ WO ₆ nanotubes | 0.13 | 300 W Xenon lamp | RSC Adv., 2020, 10 , 8821-8824 |
| Cl-modified Bi ₂ WO ₆ nanosheets | 1.65 | 300 W Xenon lamp | ACS Appl. Mater. Interfaces, 2020, 12 , 54507-54516. |
| Z-scheme Bi ₂ WO ₆ /Au/CdS | ~0.75 | 300 W Xenon lamp, Vis (λ > 400 nm) | Nanotechnology, 2017, 28 , 274002 |
| Atomically thin Bi ₂ WO ₆ nanosheets | 0.63 | 300 W Xenon lamp, AM 1.5 | Appl. Catal., 2021, 283 , 119630. |
| Z-scheme Cs ₂ AgBiBr ₆ /Bi ₂ WO ₆ | 0.41 | 300 W Xenon lamp, AM 1.5 | J. Colloid Interface Sci., 2023, 629 , 233-242 |
| Z-scheme Bi ₂ WO ₆ /InVO ₄ | 1.13 | 300 W Xenon lamp, Vis (λ > 420 nm) | Chem. Eng. J., 2022, 446 , 137129 |
| FePc-WO ₃ nanocomposites | ~1.50 | 300 W Xenon lamp | Appl. Catal. B, 2020, 270 , 11849 |
| CuPc/g-C ₃ N ₄ heterojunctions | ~0.25 | 500 W Xenon lamp, Vis (λ > 420 nm) | Appl. Catal. B, 2020, 277 , 119199 |
| ZnPc/BiVO ₄ ultrathin nanocomposites | ~0.60 | 500 W Xenon lamp, Vis (λ > 420 nm) | Angew. Chem. Int. Ed., 2019, 58 , 10873-10878 |
| MgPc/Bi₂WO₆ nanosheets | 0.96 | 500 W Xenon lamp, Vis (λ > 410 nm) | Current study |

Table S2. Summary of EIS fitted parameters on the circuit model.

| Sample | R _s (Ω) | R _{CT} (kΩ) | CPE (μMho) | Goodness of fit |
|---------------|--------------------|----------------------|------------|-----------------|
| BWO | 10.9 | 9.40 | 25.1 | 0.997 |
| 1.0% MgPc-BWO | 25.5 | 7.63 | 51.1 | 0.994 |

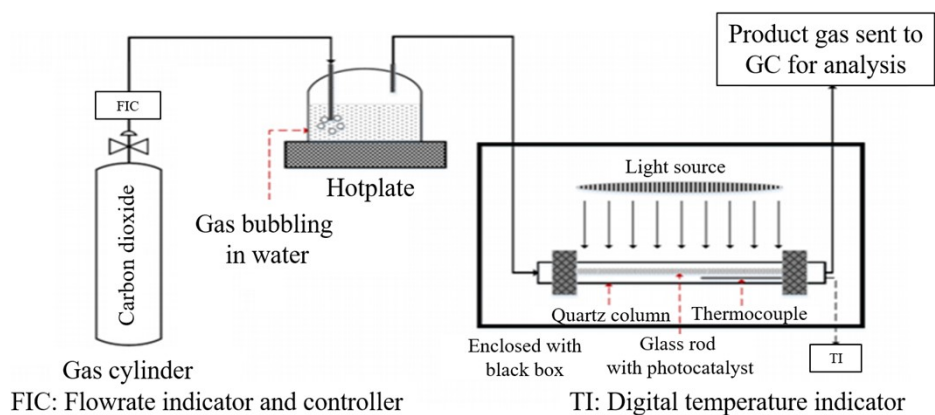


Fig. S1 Illustration of the photocatalysis rig for the CO₂ photoreduction experiment.

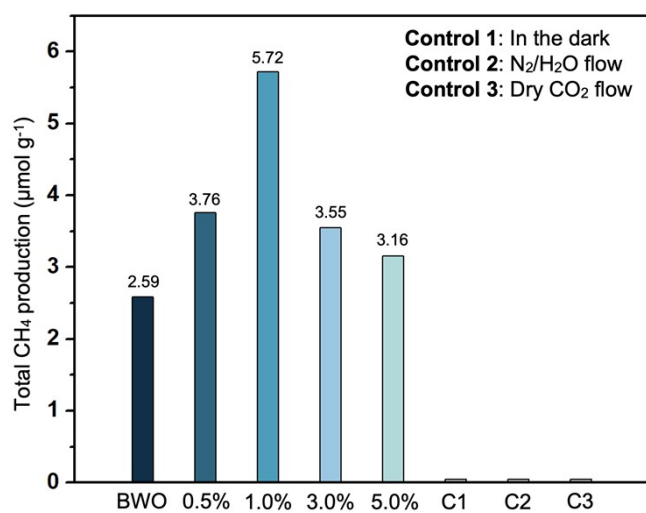


Fig. S2 Total average yields of CH₄ produced from CO₂/H₂O flow over as-synthesized samples after 6 h of visible light irradiation. The control experiments were conducted in the conditions of: (1) in the dark, (2) under N₂/H₂O flow, and (3) under dry CO₂ flow.

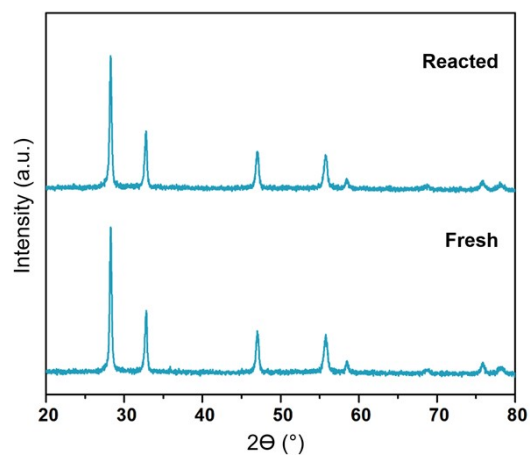


Fig. S3 XRD spectra of fresh and reacted 1.0% MgPc-BWO.

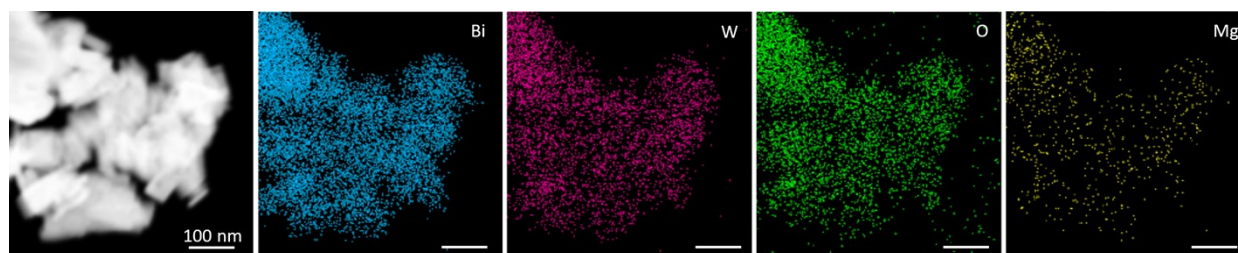


Fig. S4 EDX mapping of reacted 1.0% MgPc-BWO.

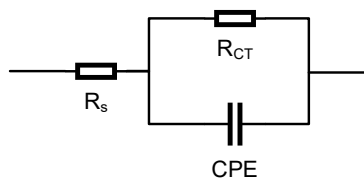


Fig. S5 Proposed EIS equivalent model circuit.