

Supporting Information

Efficient and stable Cyan-emitting CsPbBr₃ Quantum Dots with Zinc Bromide Inorganic Passivation

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PLQY measurement

The PLQY measurements of CsPbBr₃ QDs were performed using a relative method with quinine sulfate as the standard sample at room temperature. The standard sample is quinine sulfate, with 57.7% PLQY in 0.1 mol/L H₂SO₄ under 355 nm excitation source while the cuvette is 10 mm. The refractive index of 0.1 mol/L H₂SO₄ was 1.3443 and that of 1.3981 for toluene at 355 nm were applied, respectively.¹ According to the following formula, PLQY of CsPbBr₃ QDs were obtained,

$$\Phi_1/\Phi_2=F_1/F_2*A_2/A_1*(n_1/n_2)^2$$

where Φ_1 and Φ_2 are the quantum yields of the standard and sample, respectively. A_1 and A_2 are the absorbances of the standard and sample at the excitation wavelength; F_1 and F_2 are the integrated emission intensity of the standard and sample; n_1 and n_2 are the refractive indexes of the standard solution and sample solution.

Scheme S1. The schematic diagram for the ligand exchange of cyan-emissive CsPbBr₃ PQDs. The

photograph of C-PQDs solution without and with UV lamp irradiation.

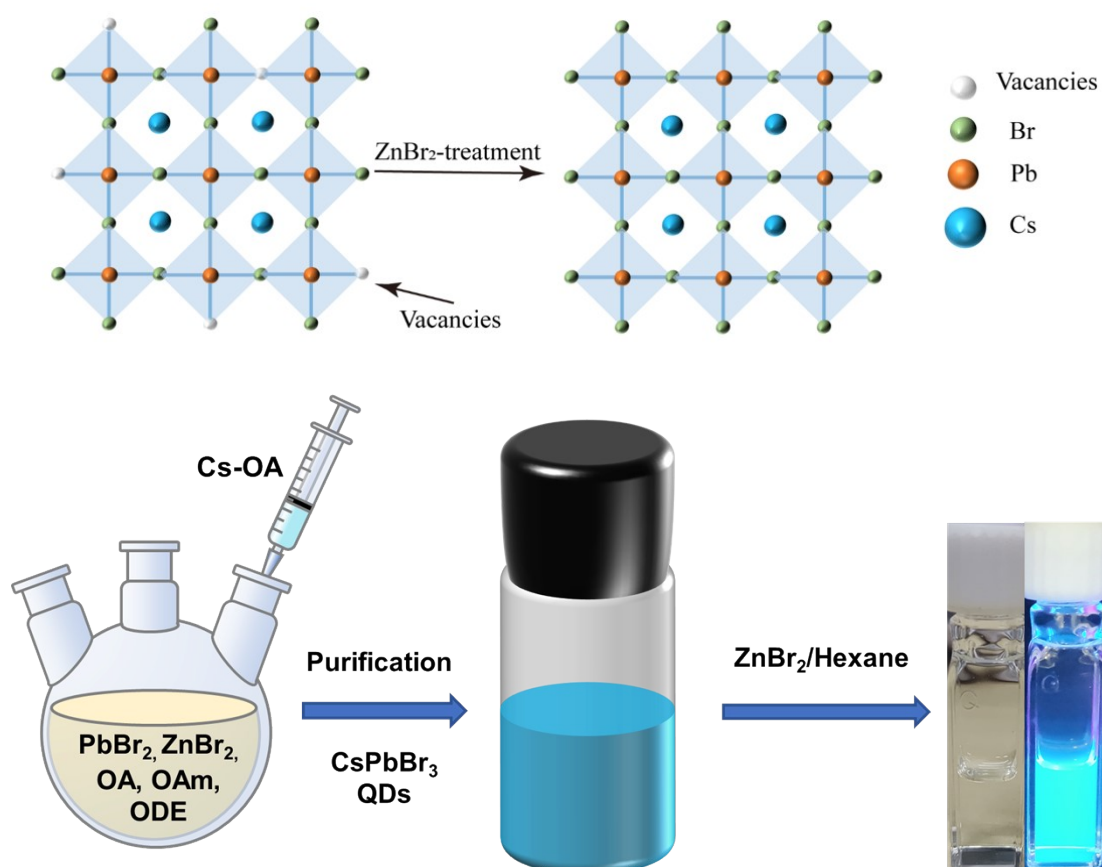


Fig. S1 (a)TEM image and (b) the size histogram of as-synthesized C-PQDs.

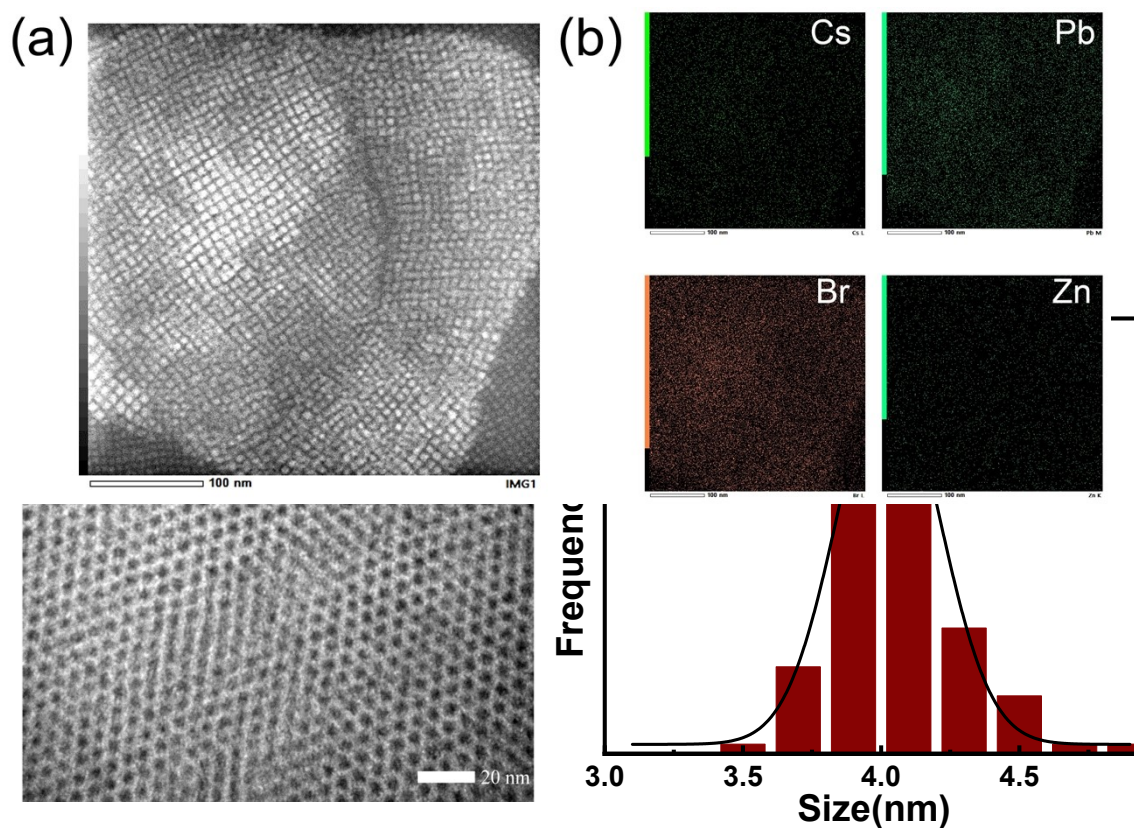


Fig. S2 (a) High-angle annular dark-field scanning TEM (HAADF-STEM) image and (b) elemental mappings of ZnBr_2 -treatment CsPbBr_3 QDs.

Table S1. Surface elements content of EDS for ZnBr_2 -treated CsPbBr_3 QDs.

Element	Wt (%)	At (%)
Br	41.99	59.57
Pb	34.99	19.14
Cs	21.14	18.02
Zn	1.88	3.27

Table S2. Surface elements content of EDS for as-synthesized CsPbBr_3 QDs.

Element	Wt (%)	At (%)
Br	39.21	58.14
Pb	38.61	22.08
Cs	22.18	19.78
Zn	0	0

Table S3. The fitting results of the PL decay curves of the C-PQDs.

QDs	A ₁ (%)	A ₂ (%)	τ ₁ (ns)	τ ₂ (ns)	τ _{avg} (ns)
As synthesized	73.7%	27.3%	4.00	6.96	5.16 ns
+10 μL	67.7%	32.3%	4.65	7.46	5.86 ns
+20 μL	40%	60%	3.72	7.06	6.2 ns
+30 μL	22.7%	77.3%	2.87	8.25	7.76 ns
+40 μL	29.9%	70.1%	3.5	6.75	6.13 ns
+50 μL	55.1%	44.9%	4.37	7.92	6.5 ns
+60 μL	64.2%	35.8%	4.39	6.91	5.57 ns

Table S4. Comparison of optical performances and stability of ZnBr₂ treated CsPbBr₃ perovskites.

Materials	PL peak (nm)	PLQY (%)	Storage stability	Refs
ZnBr ₂ -CsPbBr ₃ NCs	518	78	60% (6 d)	[2]
ZnBr ₂ /hexane-CsPbBr ₃ QDs	514	93	90% (13 h)	[3]
ZnBr ₂ -CsPbBr ₃ NCs Room-temperature synthesis	511	86	81% (28 d)	[4]

DDAB/ZnBr ₂ -CsPbBr ₃ NCs	515	95	85% (14 d)	[5]
CsPbBr ₃ nanoplatelets	461	90	90% (50 d)	[6]
Zn-doped CsPbX ₃ NCs	408	85	N/A	[7]
Nd ³⁺ -doped CsPbBr ₃ NCs	459/484/494	90/75/78	90% (30 d)	[8]
EDABr ₂ :NaBr-treated ^{a)} CsPbBr ₃ NCs	480	52.2	N/A	[9]
ZnBr ₂ -treated CsPbBr ₃ QDs	480	96.4	92% (30 d)	This work

^{a)}EDABr: Ethylenediammonium bromide

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