

Supporting Information

Ionic Conductivity of Vanadium-Doped Tin Disulfide for Photovoltaic Applications.

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Tables SI1 and SI2. Figures SI1, SI2, SI3, SI4, SI5, SI6 and SI7.

Table SI1. Values of the conductivity for all the samples studied from 20°C to 200°C in steps of 20°C.

T (°C)	σ (S/cm) SnS₂-V 2%	σ (S/cm) SnS₂-V 4%	σ (S/cm) SnS₂-V 6%	σ (S/cm) SnS₂-V 8%	σ (S/cm) SnS₂-V 10%
20	3.34 x10 ⁻⁴	4.81E-04	6.04E-04	8.02E-07	5.91E-07
40	3.96 x10 ⁻⁴	5.33E-04	5.88E-04	1.26E-06	1.25E-06
60	2.73 x10 ⁻⁴	3.54E-04	4.15E-04	1.35E-06	1.26E-06
80	1.34 x10 ⁻⁴	1.60E-04	2.64E-04	5.41E-07	4.93E-07
100	4.35 x10 ⁻⁵	5.96E-05	9.15E-05	4.70E-08	3.98E-08
120	9.10 x10 ⁻⁶	2.13E-05	3.63E-05	1.23E-08	2.70E-08
140	1.83x10 ⁻⁶	6.80E-06	8.63E-06	1.18E-08	2.73E-08
160	1.05 x10 ⁻⁶	1.74E-06	1.89E-06	2.48E-08	5.59E-08
180	1.38 x10 ⁻⁶	1.74E-06	2.02E-06	7.76E-08	1.74E-07
200	2.25 x10 ⁻⁶	2.42E-06	3.73E-06	2.13E-07	5.07E-07

Table SI2. Values of the parameters $\Delta\epsilon_{EP}$, α and τ_{EP} obtained from the fit to the experimental data by means of the equation (1) for SnS₂-V-2%, SnS₂-V-4%, SnS₂-V-6%, SnS₂-V-8%, and SnS₂-V-10% samples, respectively, are given. In addition, in the last column, the free charge density is also given.

Sample	T (°C)	$\Delta\epsilon_{EP}$	α	τ_{EP} (s)	M	n (cm ⁻³)
SnS ₂ -V-2%	20	3.77×10 ⁹	0.91	0.90	1.22×10 ⁸	5.29×10 ²⁴
	40	5.41×10 ⁹	0.92	1.38	1.96×10 ⁸	1.37×10 ²⁵
	60	6.67×10 ⁹	0.93	2.46	2.98×10 ⁸	2.43×10 ²⁵
	80	5.49×10 ⁹	0.93	4.13	2.77×10 ⁸	2.04×10 ²⁵
	100	2.23×10 ⁹	0.92	4.88	1.36×10 ⁸	4.08×10 ²⁴
	120	4.61×10 ⁸	0.92	4.64	3.35×10 ⁷	2.10×10 ²³
SnS ₂ -V-4%						
	20	4.07×10 ⁸	0.93	1.72	1.30×10 ⁷	8.60×10 ²³
	40	6.80×10 ⁸	0.93	1.78	1.86×10 ⁷	1.33×10 ²⁴
	60	1.25×10 ⁹	0.93	2.07	3.06×10 ⁷	1.91×10 ²⁴
	80	1.95×10 ⁹	0.93	2.35	5.01×10 ⁷	2.40×10 ²⁴
	100	2.06×10 ⁹	0.94	3.08	6.66×10 ⁷	1.53×10 ²⁴
	120	8.72×10 ⁸	0.94	3.19	3.93×10 ⁷	3.92×10 ²³
SnS ₂ -V 6%						
	20	4.78×10 ⁶	0.93	0.003	1.45×10 ⁵	3.75×10 ¹⁹
	40	1.06×10 ⁷	0.94	0.004	3.34×10 ⁵	2.29×10 ²⁰
	60	2.12×10 ⁸	0.94	0.128	1.04×10 ⁷	2.09×10 ²³
	80	6.94×10 ⁷	0.94	0.076	4.26×10 ⁶	2.98×10 ²²
	100	2.32×10 ⁹	0.94	5.793	1.60×10 ⁸	3.84×10 ²⁵
	120	1.11×10 ⁹	0.95	6.068	8.35×10 ⁷	7.89×10 ²⁴
SnS ₂ -V 8%						
	20	9.79×10 ⁷	0.92	16.00	7.82×10 ⁶	7.11×10 ²¹
	40	1.41×10 ⁸	0.91	9.77	1.13×10 ⁷	1.43×10 ²²
	60	8.43×10 ⁷	0.91	6.01	6.82×10 ⁶	5.63×10 ²¹
	80	2.56×10 ⁷	0.96	4.46	2.12×10 ⁶	6.50×10 ²⁰
	100	4.89×10 ⁶	0.96	4.59	4.24×10 ⁵	2.38×10 ¹⁹
	120	2.22×10 ⁶	0.95	6.62	1.95×10 ⁵	4.49×10 ¹⁸
SnS ₂ -V 10%						
	20	1.70×10 ⁸	0.96	9.24	1.23×10 ⁷	2.20×10 ²²
	40	1.52×10 ⁸	0.97	7.78	1.17×10 ⁷	1.99×10 ²²
	60	7.13×10 ⁷	0.92	4.98	5.74×10 ⁶	4.51×10 ²¹
	80	1.42×10 ⁷	0.92	3.93	1.20×10 ⁶	1.91×10 ²⁰
	100	2.07×10 ⁶	0.93	4.03	1.85×10 ⁵	4.30×10 ¹⁸
	120	6.52×10 ⁵	0.95	5.37	5.96×10 ⁴	4.28×10 ¹⁷

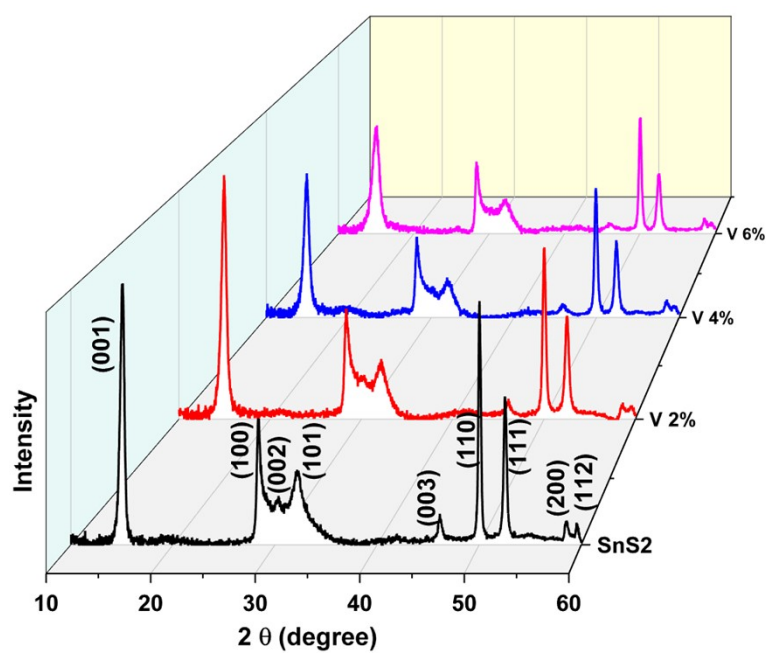


Figure SI1. X-ray diffraction (XRD) spectra of vanadium-doped SnS₂.

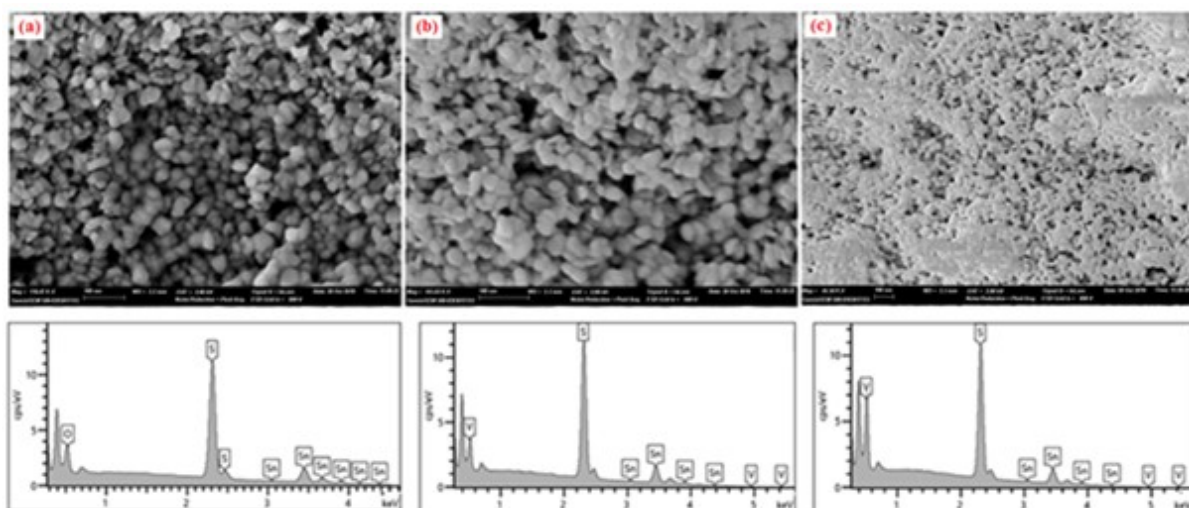


Figure SI2. SEM images of the superficial of vanadium-doped SnS₂, accompanied by EDS. a) SnS₂. b) SnS₂-V4%. c) SnS₂-V6%.

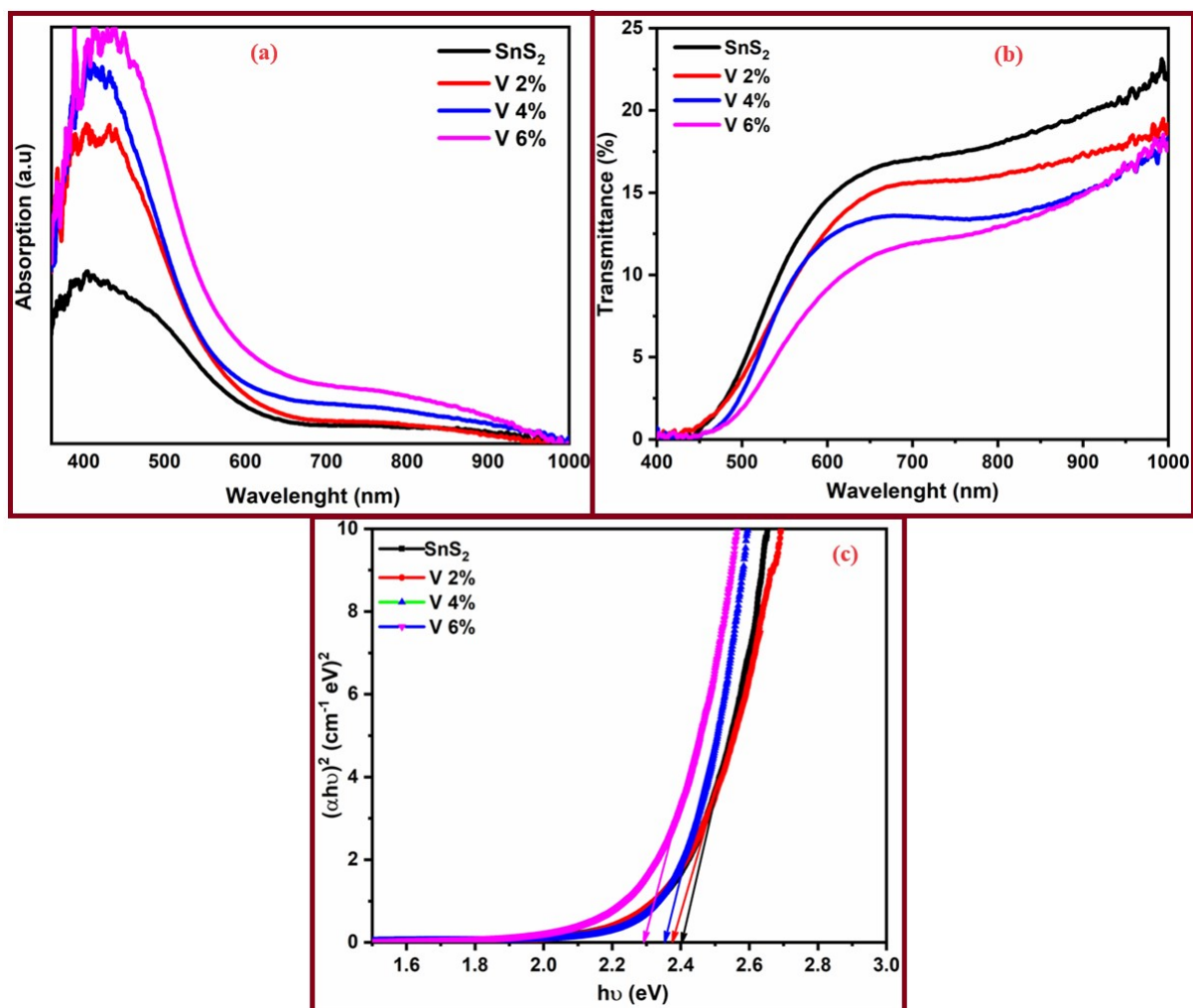


Figure SI3. (a) Optical absorption spectra, (b) transmission spectra, and (c) energy bandgap of vanadium-doped SnS₂.

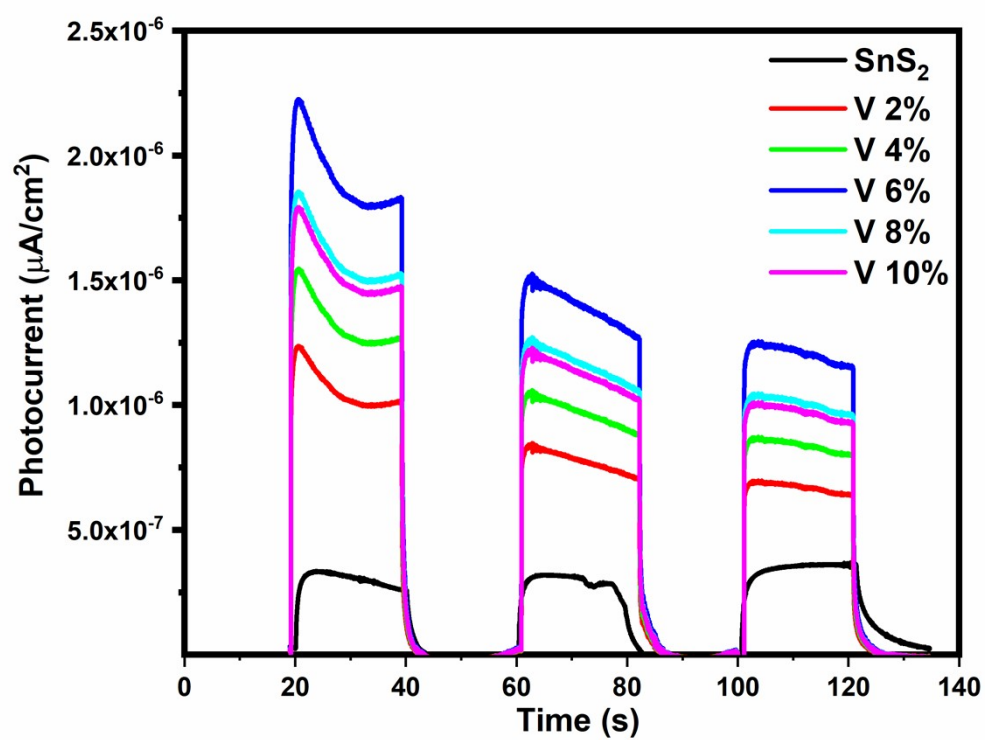


Figure SI4. Photocurrent response of SnS₂ and vanadium-doped SnS₂ with varying V concentrations (0%, 2%, 4%, and 6%).

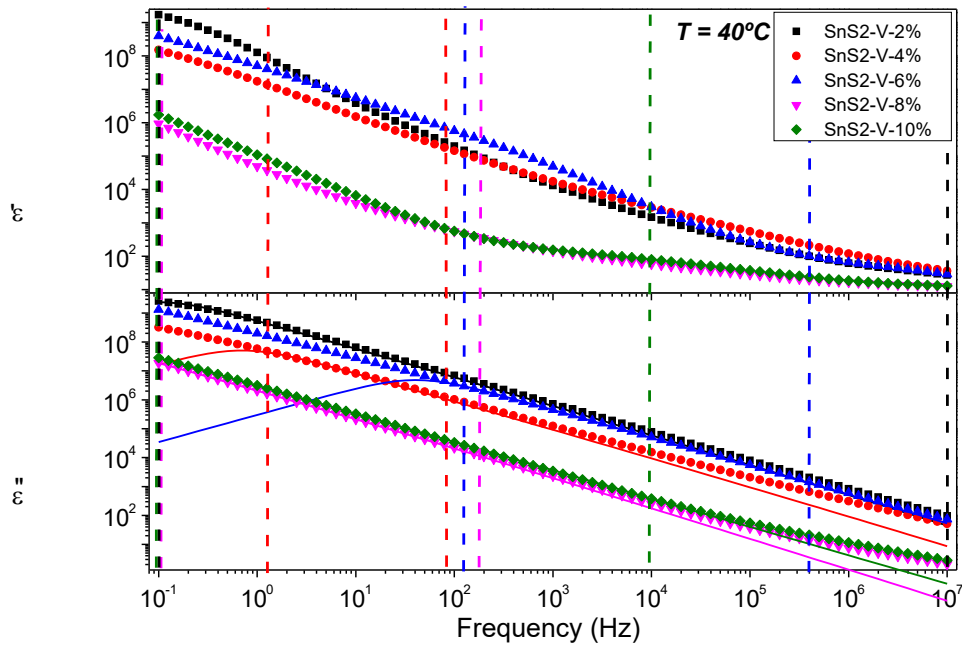


Figure SI5. Dielectric spectra for SnS₂-V-2% (black), SnS₂-V-4% (red), SnS₂-V-6% (blue), SnS₂-V-8% (magenta) and SnS₂-V-10% (olive) at 40°C. The solid line in the spectrum indicates the value of the fitted curve of the loss permittivity, and the vertical dashed lines indicate the frequency range where the fitting has been made: SnS₂-V 2.5% from 0.1 to 10⁷ Hz, SnS₂-V 5% from 1.5 to 80 Hz, SnS₂-V 7.5% from 125 to 4×10⁵ Hz, SnS₂-V 10% from 0.1 to 200 Hz and SnS₂-V 15% from 0.1 to 10⁴ Hz.

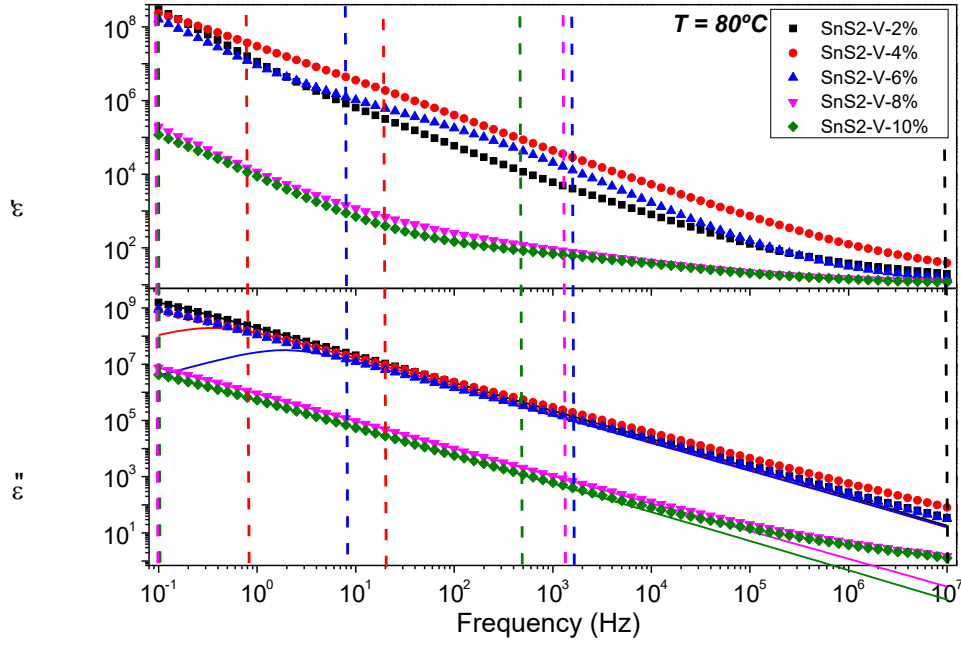


Figure SI6. Dielectric spectra for SnS₂-V-2% (black), SnS₂-V-4% (red), SnS₂-V-6% (blue), SnS₂-V-8% (magenta) and SnS₂-V-10% (olive) at 80°C. The solid line in the spectrum indicates the value of the fitted curve of the loss permittivity, and the vertical dashed lines indicate the frequency range where the fitting has been made: SnS₂-V 2.5% from 0.1 to 10⁷ Hz, SnS₂-V 5% from 0.8 to 20 Hz, SnS₂-V 7.5% from 8 to 1600 Hz, SnS₂-V 10% from 0.1 to 1250 Hz and SnS₂-V 15% from 0.1 to 500 Hz.

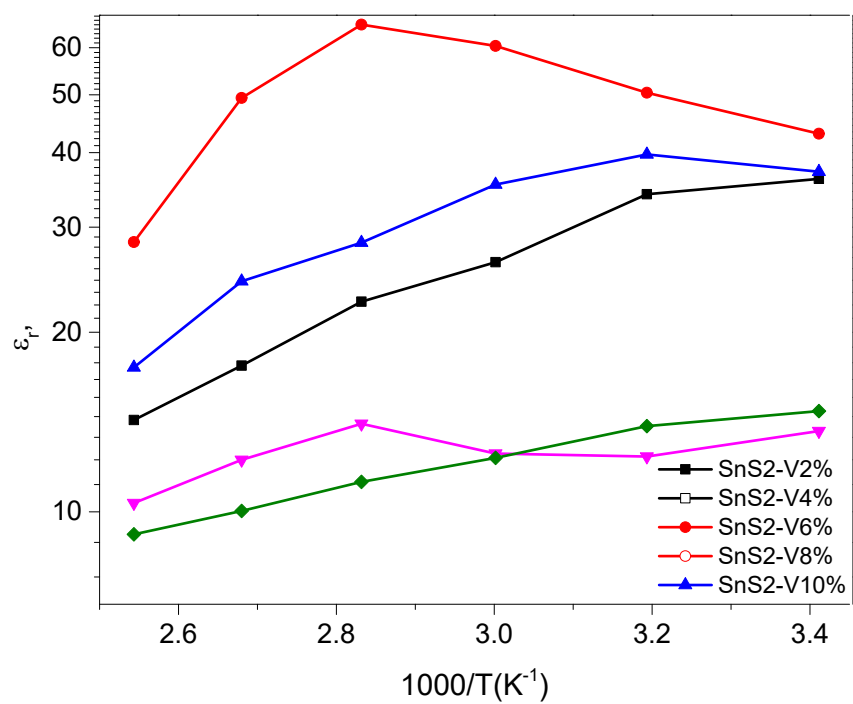


Figure SI7. Temperature dependence of the dielectric permittivity for SnS₂-V2% (■), SnS₂-V4% (□), SnS₂-V6% (●), SnS₂-V8% (○) and SnS₂-V10% (▲).