

Supporting information

CsPbBr₃ Crystal Growth via Antisolvent vapor assisted Method and Their Photoelectric Properties

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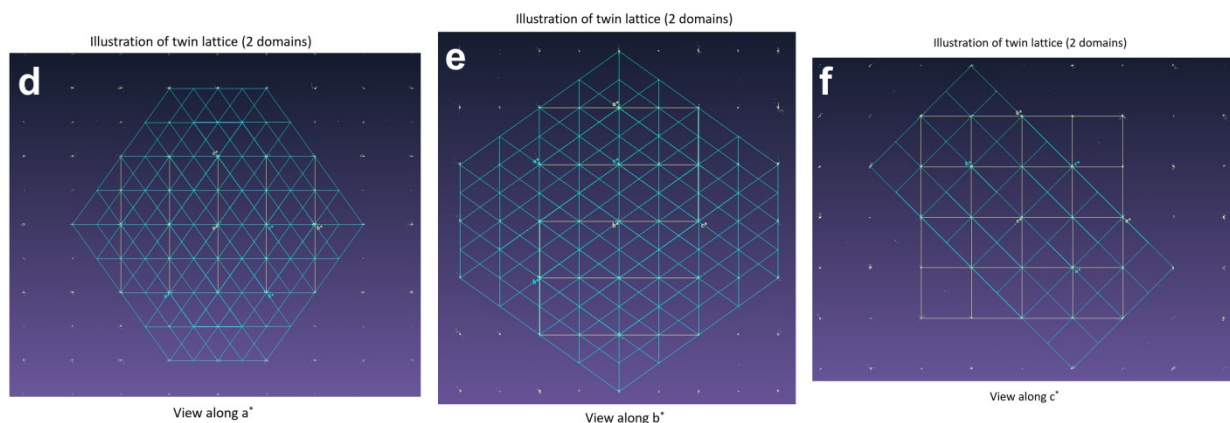
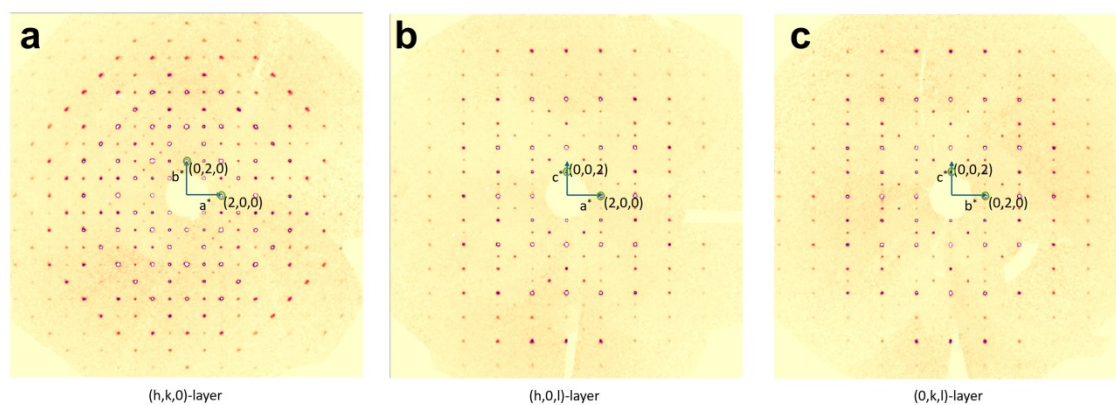


Fig. S1. Diffraction patterns for the (a) (h,k,0), (b) (h,0,l) and (c) (0,k,l). Illustration of twin lattice (2 domains) view along a (d), b (e) and c (f), where white lattice/spots correspond component 1 and blue lattice/spots correspond component 2, respectively.

Table S1: Summary of data collection and crystallographic refinement of CsPbBr₃.

Crystal data	
Chemical formula	CsPbBr ₃
M _r	579.8
Crystal system, space group	Orthorhombic, Pbnm
a (Å)	8.2289(2)
b (Å)	8.2289(2)
c (Å)	11.7196(6)
V (Å ³)	793.59
Z	4
Radiation type	Mo Kα
μ (mm ⁻¹)	40.767
Crystal size (mm)	0.102 x 0.141 x 0.246
Data collection	
Diffractometer	Rigaku Oxford Diffraction XtaLAB Synergy, DualFlex HyPix detector
Absorption correction	Empirical
T _{min} , T _{max}	0.222, 1.0
No. of measured, independent and observed (I > 3σ(I)) reflections	20637, 3446, 1850
R _{int}	0.1419
(sin θ/λ) _{max} (Å ⁻¹)	0.766
Refinement	
R[F ² > 3σ(F ²)], wR[F ² > 3σ(F ²)], R(all), wR(all), S[F ² > 3σ(F ²)], S(all)	0.0608, 0.1393, 0.1147, 0.1528, 1.5150, 1.8885
No. of reflections	3446
No. of parameters	33
No. of restraints	0
Δρ _{max} , Δρ _{min} (e Å ⁻³)	3.44, -1.32
Crystal structure	
Cs x, y, z, u _{iso} (Å ²)	0.9939(3), 0.9695(2), 0.25, 0.0819(10)
u ₁₁ , u ₂₂ , u ₃₃ , u ₁₂ , u ₁₃ , u ₂₃ (Å ²)	0.099(2), 0.0880(15), 0.0587(12) 0.0309(12), 0, 0
Pb x, y, z, u _{iso} (Å ²)	0.5, 0, 0, 0.0267(4)
u ₁₁ , u ₂₂ , u ₃₃ , u ₁₂ , u ₁₃ , u ₂₃ (Å ²)	0.0454(12), 0.0215(6), 0.0132(3), -0.0011(10), -0.0006(3), 0.0008(2)
Br(1) x, y, z, u _{iso} (Å ²)	0.0474(5), 0.5044(3), 0.25, 0.0851(15)
u ₁₁ , u ₂₂ , u ₃₃ , u ₁₂ , u ₁₃ , u ₂₃ (Å ²)	0.126(3), 0.119(3), 0.0110(8), 0.017(2), 0, 0
Br(2) x, y, z, u _{iso} (Å ²)	0.7934(5), 0.2061(4), 0.02435(16), 0.0665(10)
u ₁₁ , u ₂₂ , u ₃₃ , u ₁₂ , u ₁₃ , u ₂₃ (Å ²)	0.069(2), 0.0478(15), 0.0824(13), -0.0297(9), -0.0027(16), 0.0084(13)

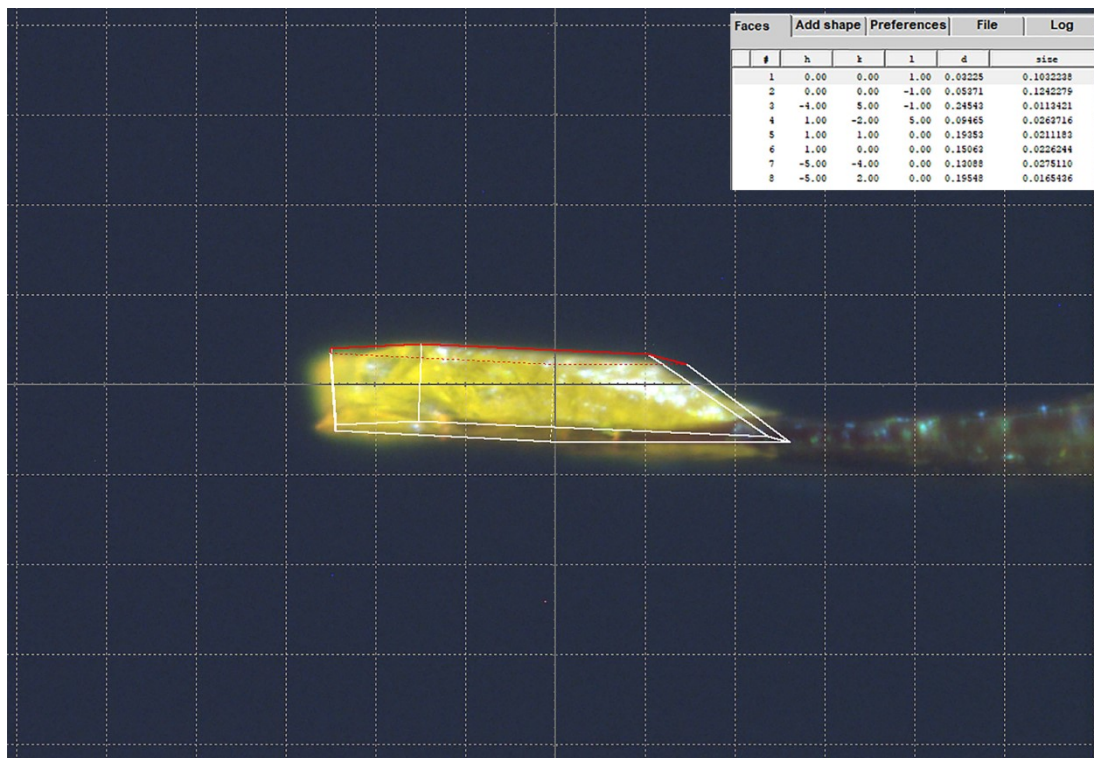


Fig. S2. Face indexing of the CsPbBr₃ single-crystal fragment. The indexed facets (h,k,l) and the corresponding face distances are shown in the text box.

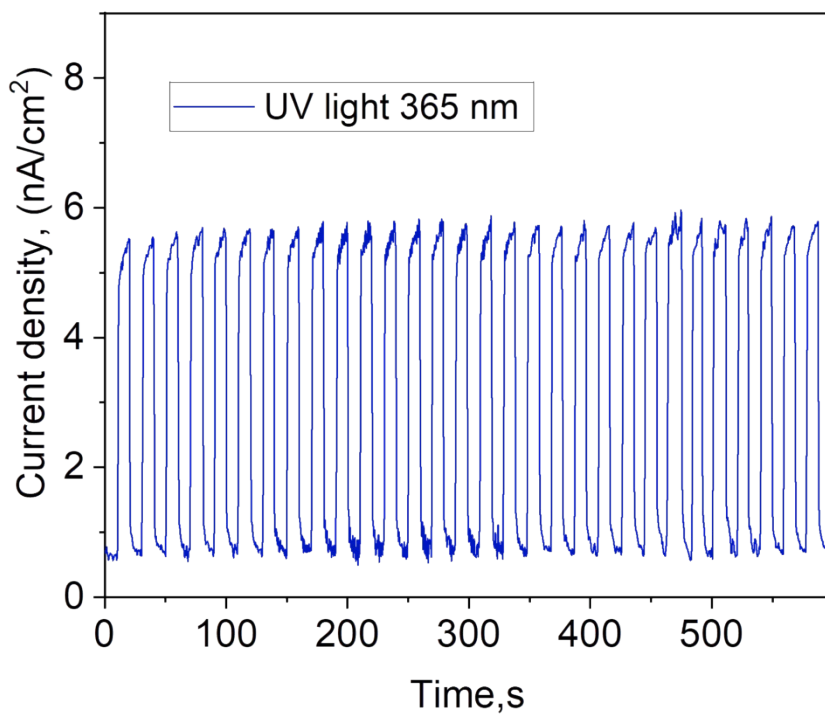


Fig. S3. Time-dependent change in photocurrent density of the CsPbBr₃ single crystal sample under periodic UV illumination (365 nm) during the 25 cycles.

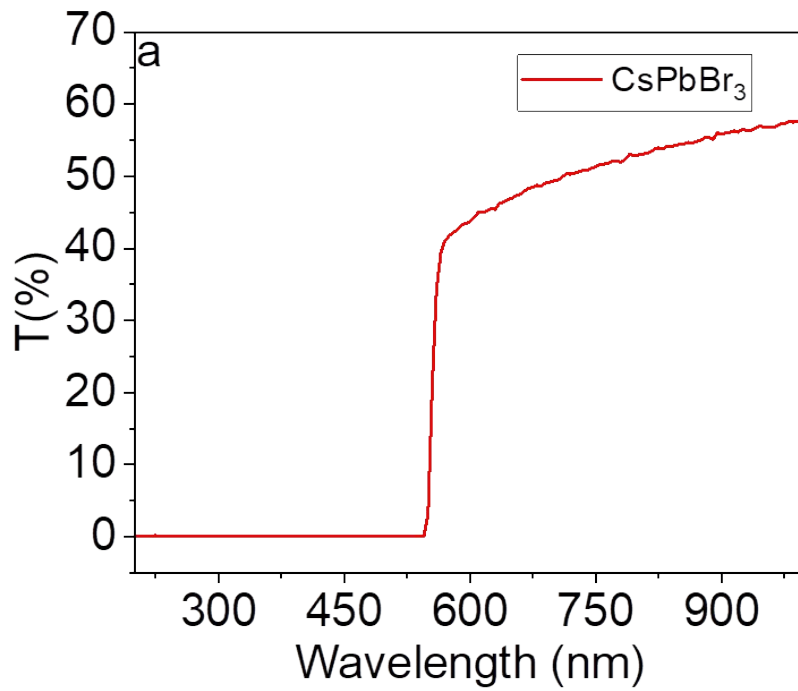


Fig. S4. V-visible transmittance spectrum of the synthesized CsPbBr₃ single crystal.

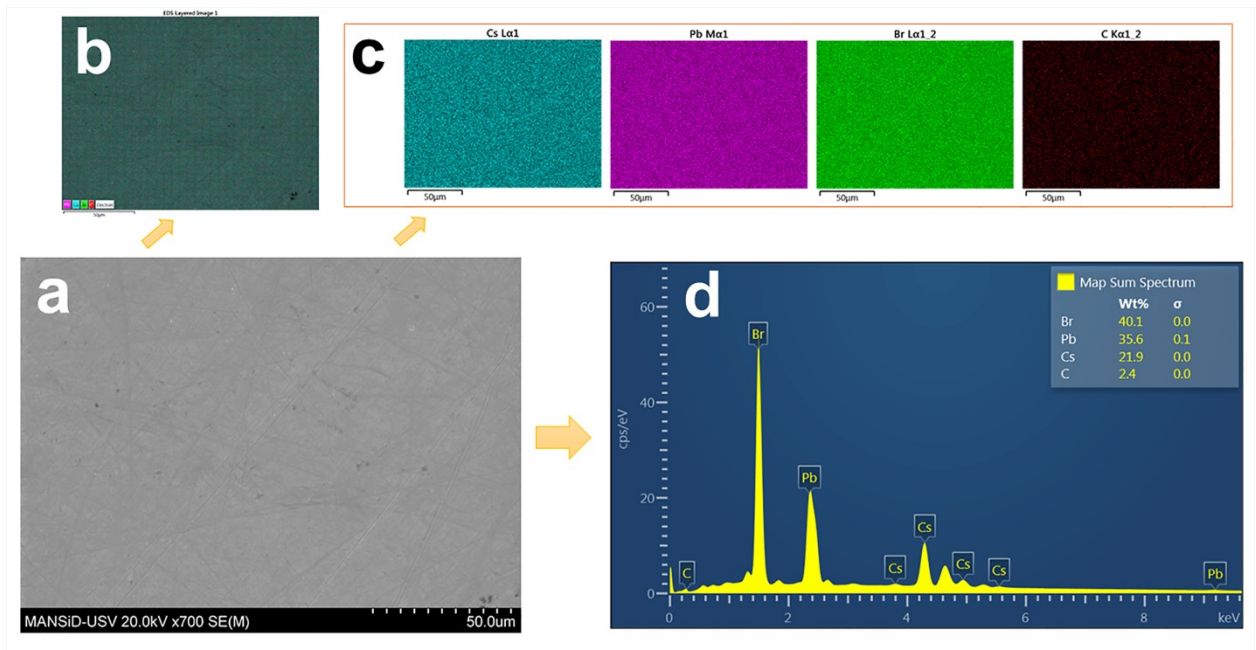


Fig. S5. Energy-dispersive X-ray (EDX) spectrum of the CsPbBr₃ single crystal.

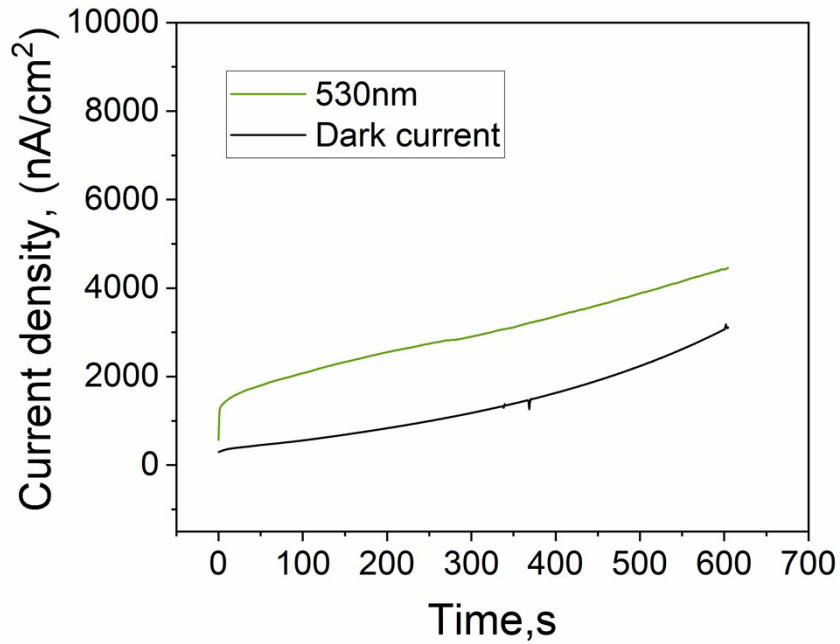


Fig. S6. I–t characteristics of the CsPbBr₃ single crystal recorded in the dark and under 530 nm illumination at an applied bias of +5V.

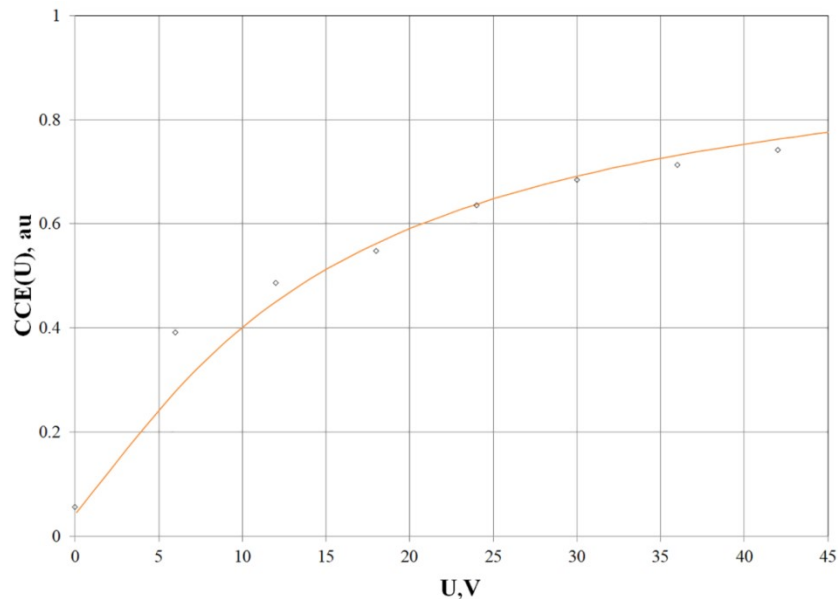


Fig. S7. Bias-dependent charge collection efficiency (CCE) of the CsPbBr₃ single-crystal detector. Symbols represent the experimental data, while the solid line corresponds to the fit using the Hecht equation.

Hecht measurement geometry

For the $\mu\tau$ evaluation, planar Au electrodes were deposited directly on the crystal surface to form a well-defined metal–semiconductor–metal (MSM) geometry suitable for Hecht-based charge collection analysis. The gold contacts had a thickness of 20 nm and a diameter of 1.5 mm, ensuring a reproducible active area and stable electrical boundary conditions during the CCE–V measurements.

Table S2. Comparison of key performance metrics for CsPbBr₃

Perovskite lead-based detector	Responsivity (A W ⁻¹)	EQE (%)	Detectivity (Jones)	Reference
CsPbBr ₃	6.24×10 ⁻²	1.5	1.29×10 ¹⁰	This study
CsPbBr ₃	28×10 ⁻³	6	1.7×10 ¹¹	Saidaminov et al. [1]
CsPbBr ₃	35×10 ⁻³	8.5	1.1 ×10 ¹¹	Cheng et al. [2]
CsPbBr ₃ / Cul	from 0.1×10 ⁻³ to 1.4 ×10 ⁻³	-	6.2×10 ¹⁰	Zhang et al. [3]
CsPbBr ₃	2.8×10 ⁻²	7	1.0×10 ¹¹	Ding et al.[4]

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