

Supplementary Material

Hybrid microwave annealing induced formation of α -Fe₂O₃/ZnWO₄ interface for photoelectrochemical water splitting and study of its charge transport mechanism

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Supplementary Figures and Tables

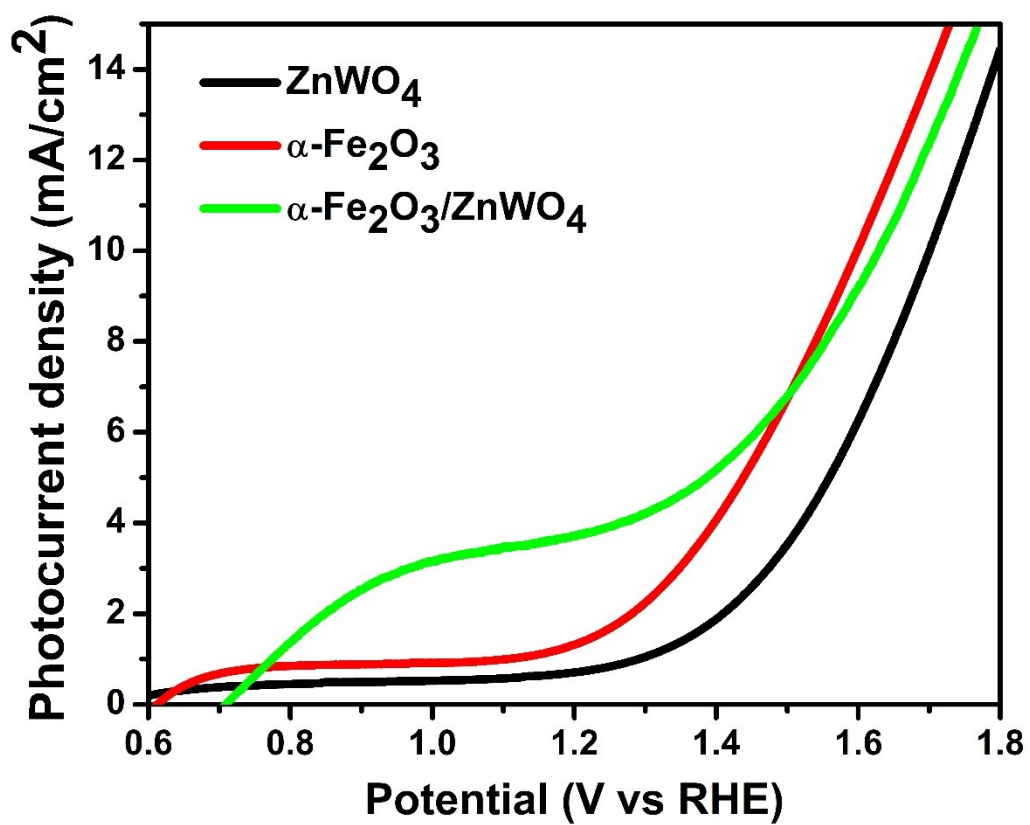


Fig. S1. Photocurrent density measurement in the presence of H₂O₂ of ZnWO₄, α-Fe₂O₃ and α-Fe₂O₃/ZnWO₄ heterojunction photoanodes.

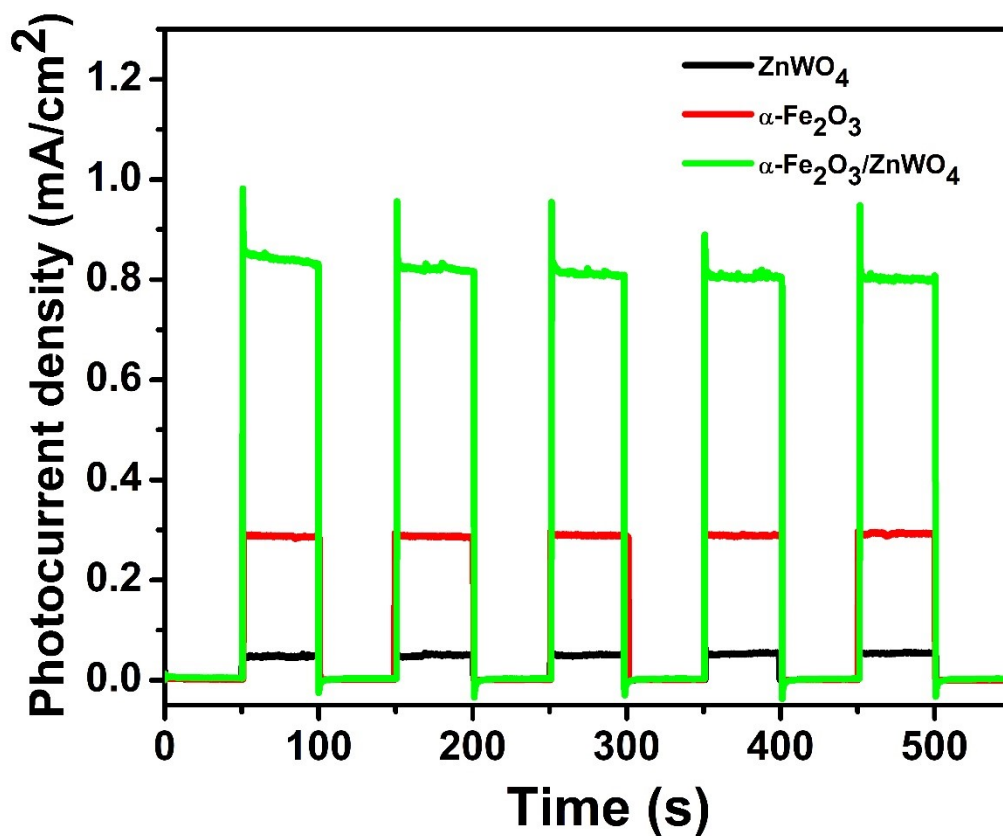


Fig. S2. Transient current (i-t curve) of ZnWO₄, α-Fe₂O₃ and α-Fe₂O₃/ZnWO₄ heterojunction photoanodes

Table S1. The photocurrent comparisons based on various Fe₂O₃ based heterojunctions reported recently.

Composited photoelectrode	Electrolytes	Photocurrent density in (mA/cm ²) at 1.23 V vs. RHE)	Reference
α-Fe ₂ O ₃ / TiO ₂	1 M NOH	1.79	1
α-Fe ₂ O ₃ /CuO	0.5 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.53	2
α-Fe ₂ O ₃ /In ₂ O ₃	1 M KOH	2.2	3
α-Fe ₂ O ₃ /g-C ₃ N ₄	0.5 M Na ₂ SO ₄ buffered with a 1 M Na ₂ SO ₃	0.76	4
α-Fe ₂ O ₃ /BiVO ₄	0.5 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1.3	5

ZnO/Fe ₂ O ₃	1 M NOH	1.05	6
α -Fe ₂ O ₃ /CQDs	1 M NOH	0.35	7
WO ₃ / α -Fe ₂ O ₃	1 M NOH	0.58	8
α -Fe ₂ O ₃ /ZnWO ₄	1 M NOH	0.86	This work

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