

Supporting Information

Broadband and High internal quantum efficiency near-infrared phosphors utilizing a chemical unit co-substitution strategy for plant lighting

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Determination of phytochrome

Fresh samples of 0.5 g of leaves were immersed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes containing 25 ml of equal volume of a mixture of acetone and anhydrous ethanol for a period of generally 24 h. Until the slices whitened, the supernatant was removed and used for the determination of the values of OD₆₄₅, OD₆₆₃, and OD₄₄₀ with the use of a blank solvent as a control by using an ultraviolet spectrophotometer. Calculate the pigment content:

$$\text{Chlorophyll a concentration (mg/L)} = 12.7 \times \text{OD}_{663} - 2.69 \times \text{OD}_{645}$$

$$\text{Chlorophyll b concentration (mg/L)} = 22.9 \times \text{OD}_{645} - 4.86 \times \text{OD}_{663}$$

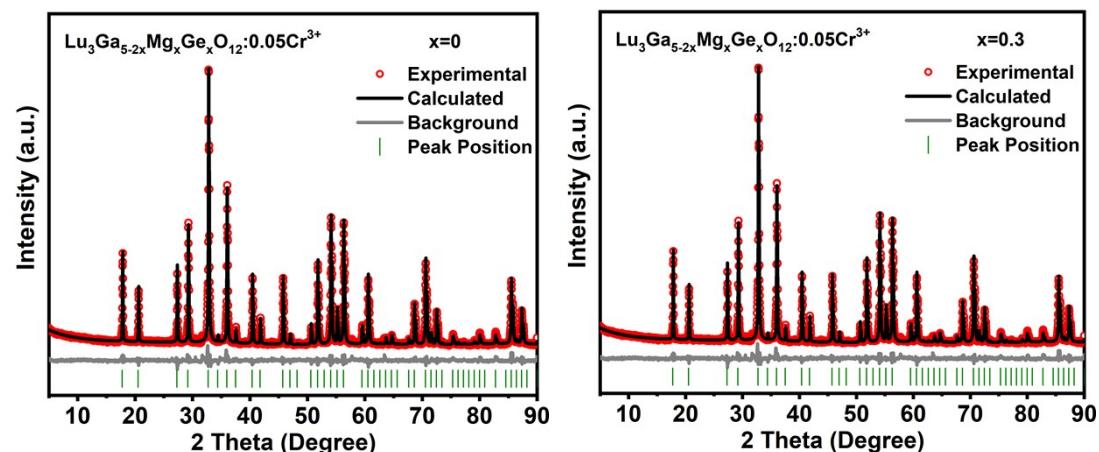


Fig. S1 The Rietveld refinement data LGMG:0.05Cr³⁺.

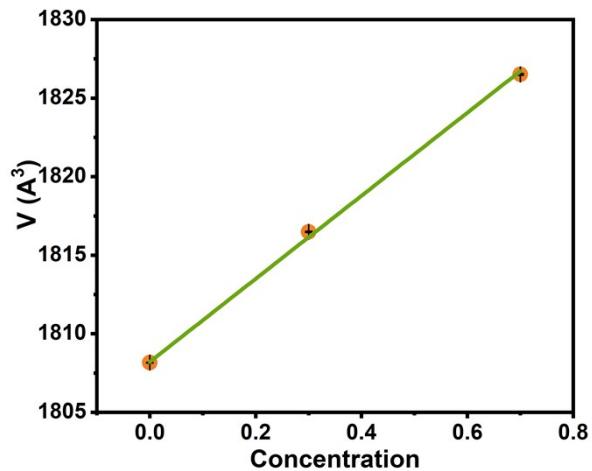


Fig. S2 The Rietveld refinement data LGMG:0.05Cr³⁺.

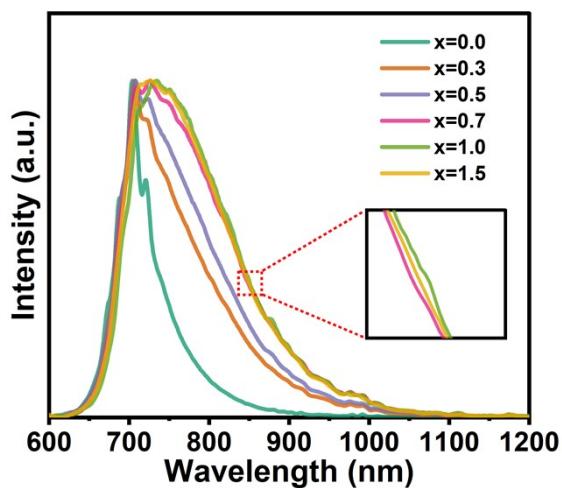


Fig. S3 PL spectrum of Lu₃Ga_{5-2x}Mg_xGe_xO₁₂:0.05Cr³⁺.

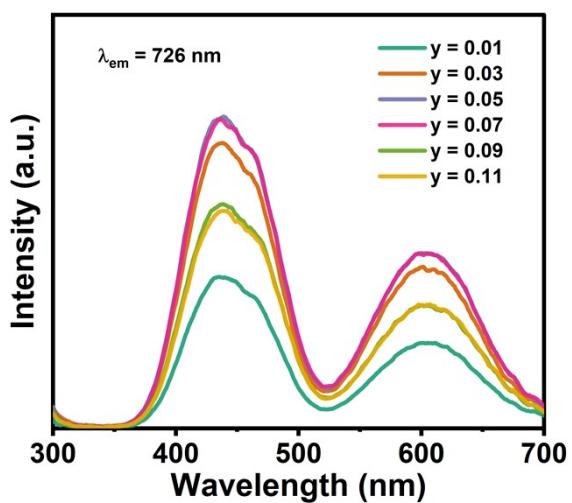


Fig. S4 PLE spectrum of $\text{Lu}_3\text{Ga}_{5-2x}\text{Mg}_x\text{Ge}_x\text{O}_{12}:0.05\text{Cr}^{3+}$.

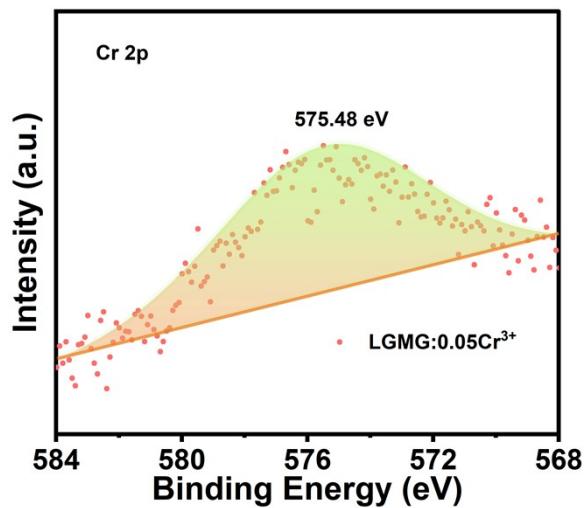


Fig. S5 XPS spectra of the Cr^{3+} 2p orbitals in $\text{LGMG}:0.05\text{Cr}^{3+}$.

Table S1. Crystallographic data of LGMG with different x values.

| x | Space Group | Cell parameters (Å), | Rwp, Rp, RB, χ^2 |
|-----|--------------|---|------------------------|
| | | Cell Volume (Å ³) | |
| 0 | <i>Ia-3d</i> | $a = 12.182307(48)$, $V = 1807.959(21)$ | 6.52, 4.6, 1.36, 4.28 |
| 0.3 | <i>Ia-3d</i> | $a = 12.201372(96)$, $V = 1816.461(43)$ | 5.76, 3.99, 1.46, 3.87 |
| 0.7 | <i>Ia-3d</i> | $a = 12.22358(12)$, $V = 1826.395(53)$ | 5.7, 3.99, 2.82, 3.62 |

Table S2. Crystal field strength data for different x values in Lu₃Ga_{5-x}_{2x}Mg_xGe_xO₁₂:0.05Cr³⁺ phosphors.

| x | ΔS (cm ⁻¹) | Dq (cm ⁻¹) | 10Dq/B (cm ⁻¹) |
|-------|--------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|
| X=0.0 | 2441.9 | 1544.6 | 24.2 |
| X=0.3 | 2399.4 | 1538.4 | 24.0 |
| X=0.5 | 2397.3 | 1530.3 | 23.9 |
| X=0.7 | 2673.3 | 1511.1 | 23.5 |