# Supporting Information:

## A simple solution-combustion route for preparation of metal-doped $TiO_2$ nanoparticles and their photocatalytic degradation properties

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**Fig. SI1 the experimental setup to prepare undoped and metal-doped $TiO_2$ nanoparticles.**

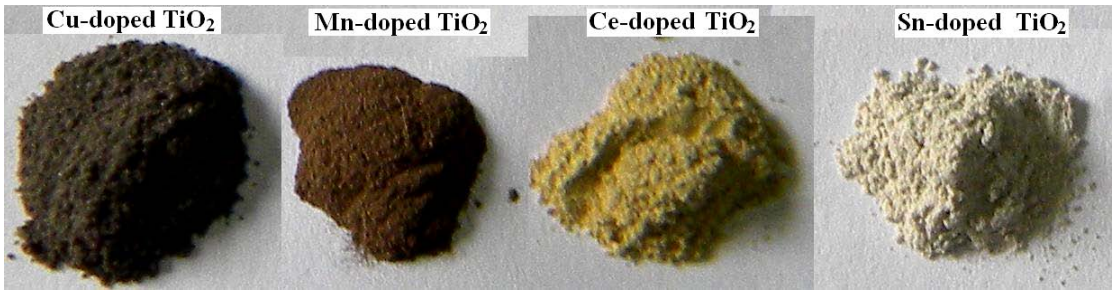


Fig. SI2 the colors of various metal-ion-doped $TiO_2$ prepared by the present solution-combusting route.


Fig. SI3 the photographs of Pyronine B dyes irradiated by the mimicking sunlight in the presence of Sn-doped $TiO_2$ for different durations: (a) 0, (b) 15, (c) 30, (d) 45, (e) 60, (f) 75 and (g) 90 min.


Fig. SI4 the photographs of Safranine T dyes irradiated by the mimicking sunlight in the presence of Sn-doped $TiO_2$ for different durations: (a) 0, (b) 15, (c) 30, (d) 45, (e) 60, (f) 75 and (g) 90 min.


Fig. SI5 the photographs of Methylene Blue dyes irradiated by 254 UV light in the presence of Sn-doped $TiO_2$ for different durations: (a) 0, (b) 15, (c) 30, (d) 45 and (e) 60 min.