

## Supplementary Information

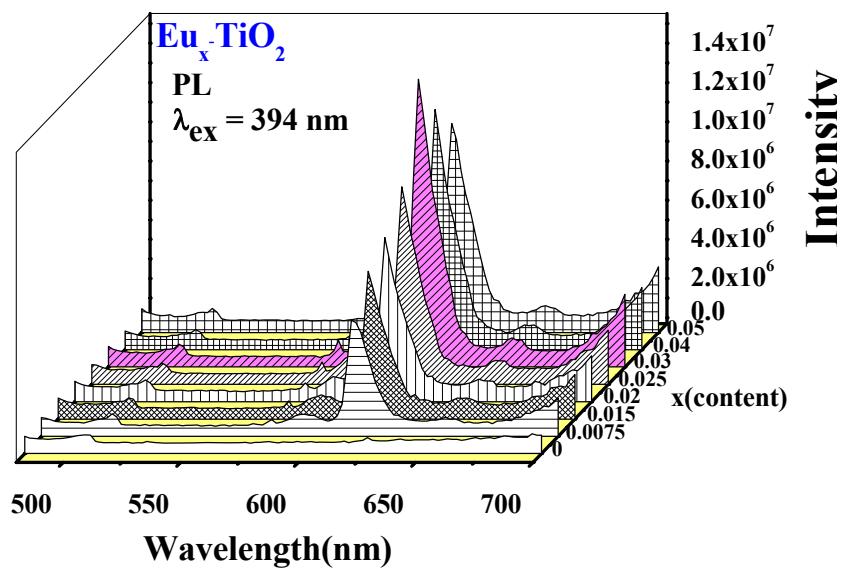
### Improvement efficiency of dye-sensitized solar cell using $\text{Eu}^{3+}$ modified $\text{TiO}_2$ nanoparticles as a secondary layer electrode

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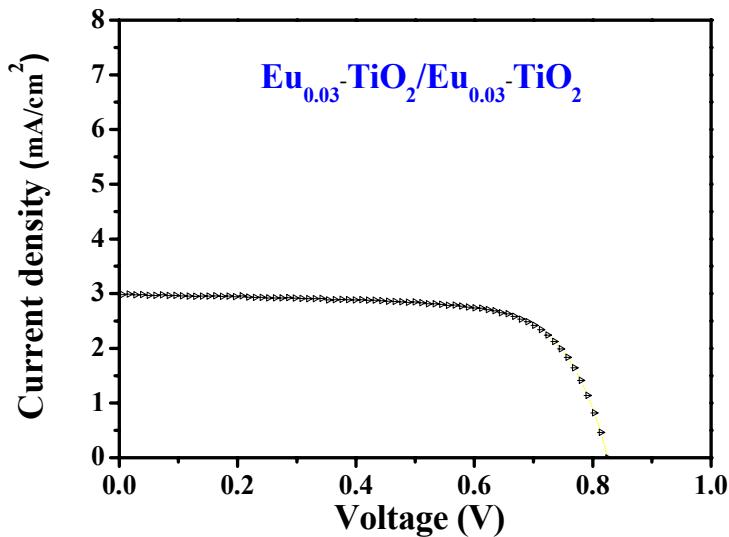
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**Figure S1.** Photoluminescence spectra for  $\text{Eu}_x\text{-TiO}_2$  with  $x = 0, 0.0075, 0.015, 0.02, 0.025, 0.03, 0.04$  and  $0.05$ .



**Figure S2.** Voltage (V) as a function of current density (J) for double-layered electrode, which is constructed by using unmodified  $\text{TiO}_2$  for two layers.

**Table S1.** Result for curve of current density (J) vs. potential for only  $\text{Eu}^{3+}_{0.03}$  modified  $\text{TiO}_2$  electrode

Structure	$V_{\text{OC}}$ (V)	$J_{\text{SC}}$ ( $\text{mA}/\text{cm}^2$ )	FF	$\eta$ (%)
only $\text{Eu}^{3+}_{0.03}$ modified $\text{TiO}_2$	0.82	2.99	0.58	1.78(2)