

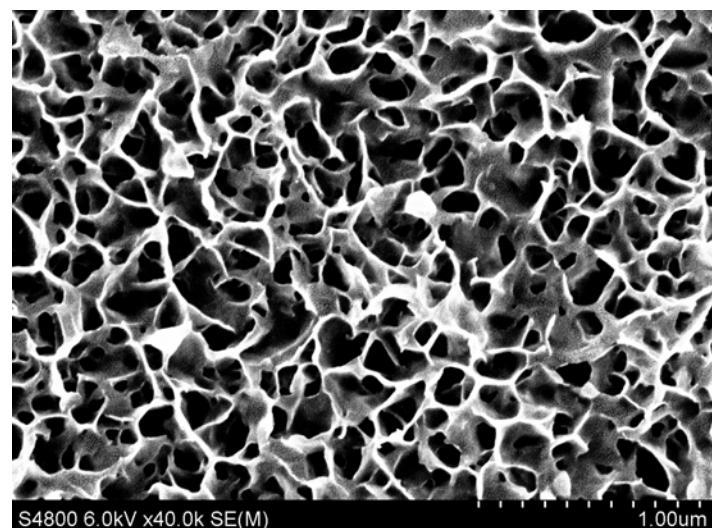
## Supplementary Information for:

### In-situ fabrication of chalcogenide nanoflake arrays for Hybrid solar cells: the case of In<sub>2</sub>S<sub>3</sub>/poly (3-hexylthiophene)

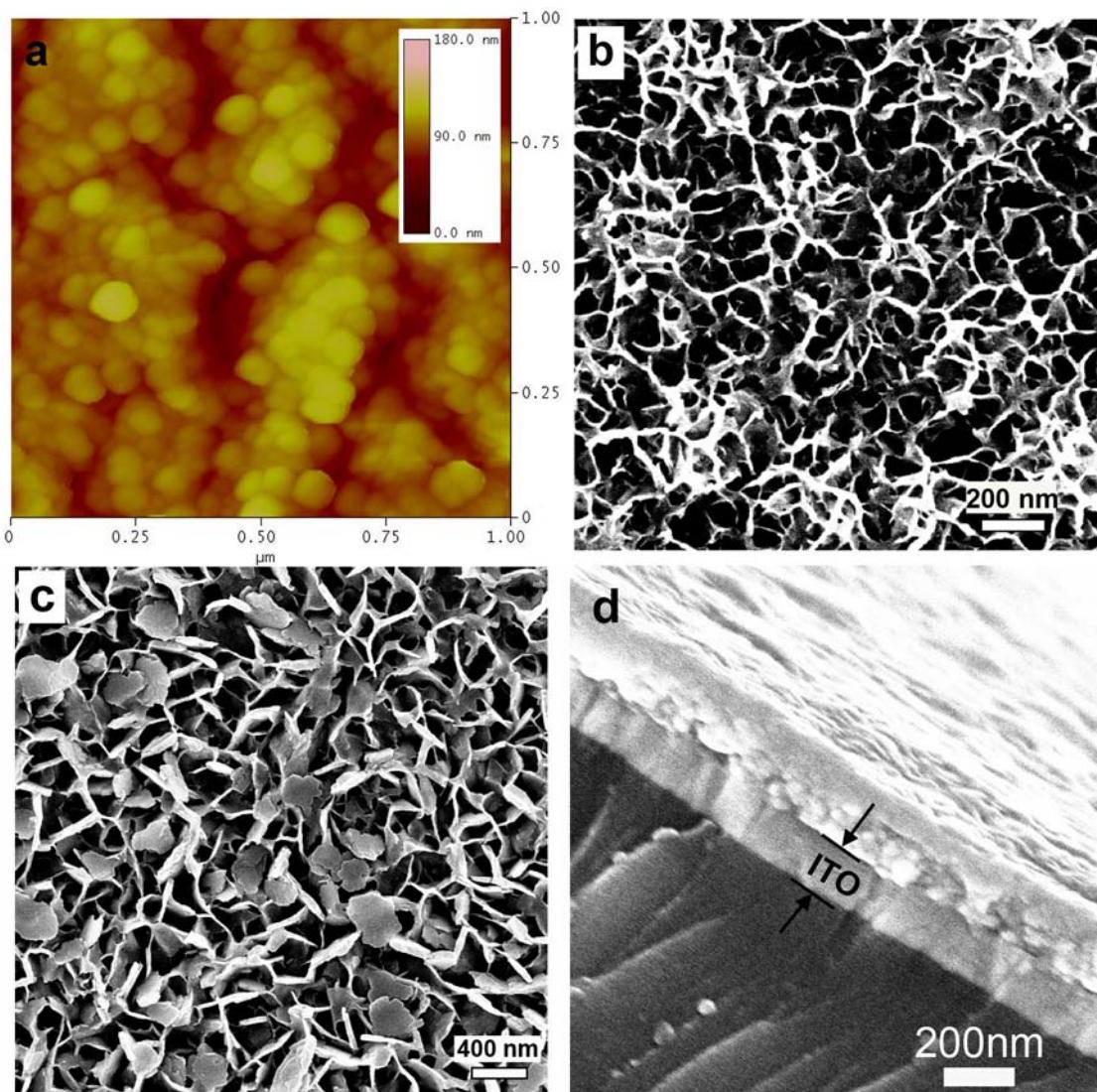
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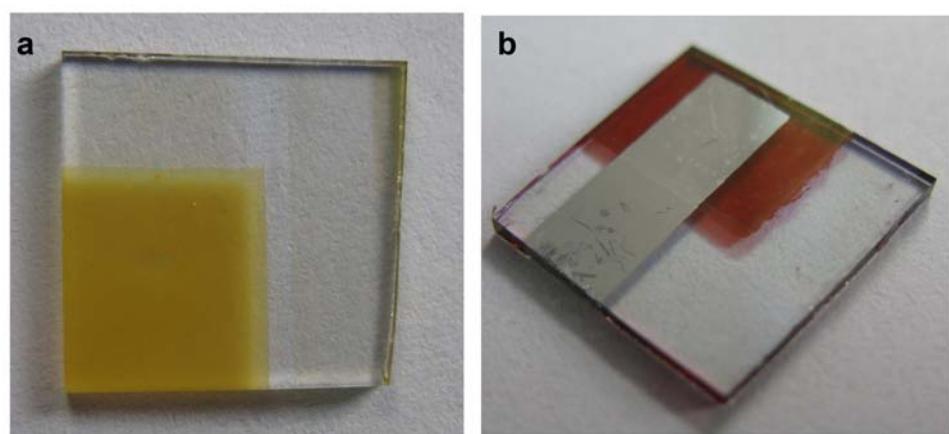
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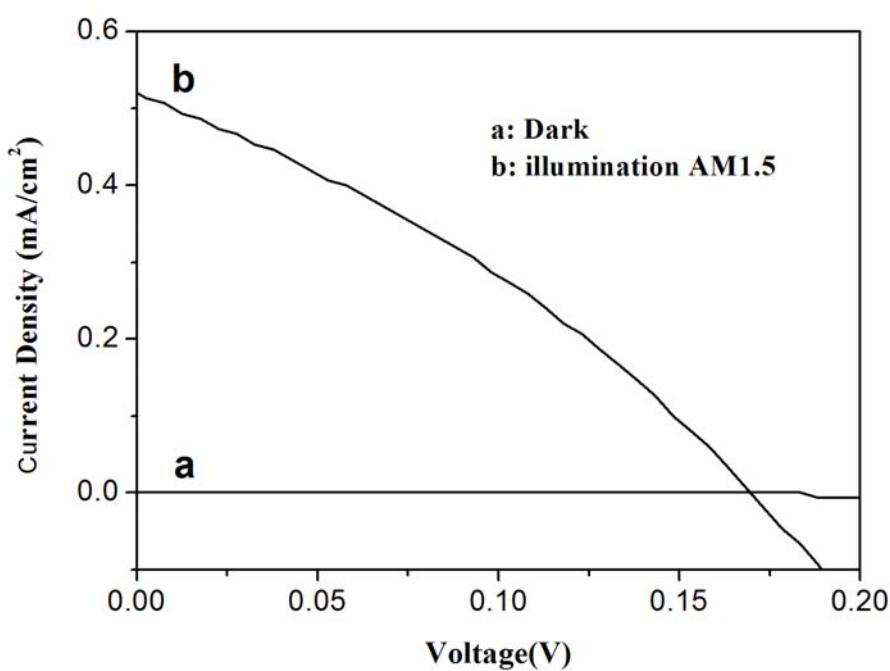
**Fig. S1** SEM image of the as-prepared In<sub>2</sub>S<sub>3</sub> film directly fabricated on the ITO substrate without pre-coated a PEDOT:PSS layer.



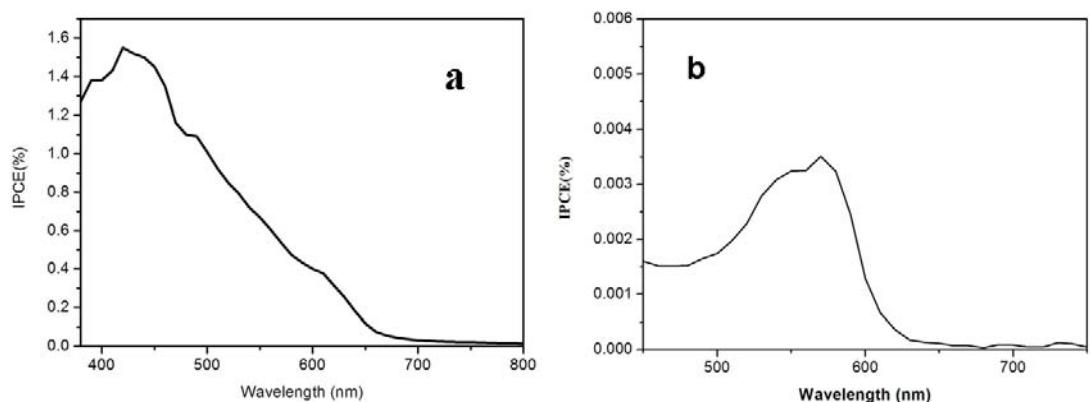
**Fig. S2** AFM image (a) of 90 nm thick indium film. SEM images of  $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$  film obtained by solvothermal treatment of a 90 nm thick indium film and S powders (b),  $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$  film obtained by the solvothermal treatment of a 60 nm thick indium film and 1.0 mmol S powders at 180°C for 24 h and cross-sectional SEM images (d) of P3HT/ $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$  composite film(d), respectively.



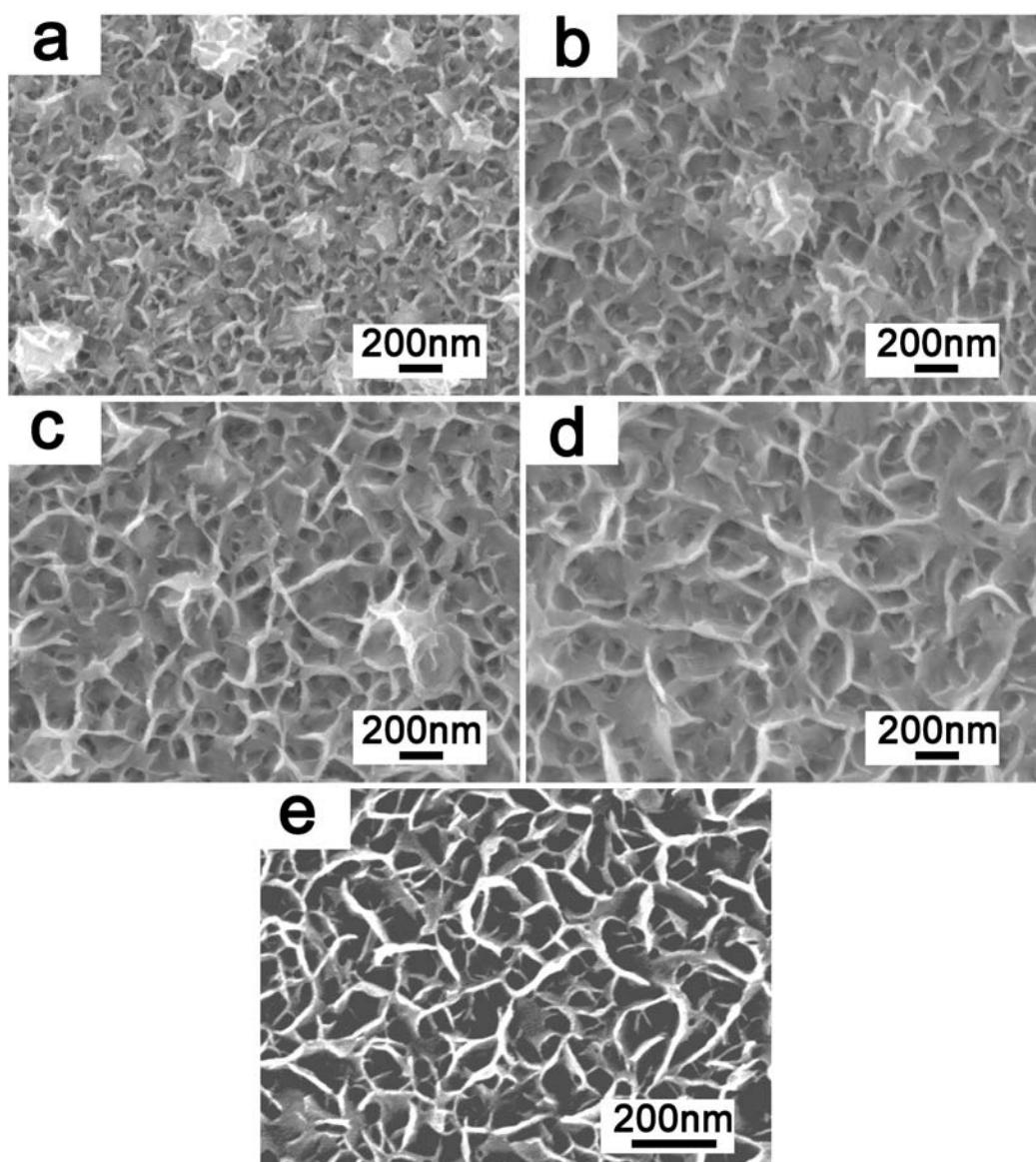
**Fig. S3** Photographs of the as-prepared  $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$  nanosheet film (yellow region) by solvothermal treatment of a 60 nm thick indium film and 0.25 mmol S powders on the ITO substrate (a) and the as-fabricated solar cell device (ITO/PEDOT:PSS/ $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$ :P3HT/Al) (b, after tested).



**Fig. S4** The current-voltage characteristics of the P3HT/ $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$  hybrid device (ITO/ $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$ :P3HT/Au) in the dark and under simulated AM1.5 illumination (100 mWcm<sup>-2</sup>).



**Fig. S5** IPCE curves of the P3HT/ In<sub>2</sub>S<sub>3</sub> hybrid solar cell (a) and the pristine P3HT polymer solar cell (b).



**Fig. S6** SEM images of the as-prepared  $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$  film obtained by solvothermal treatment of the 60 nm indium film with 0.25mmol S powders at 180 °C for different reaction time: (a) 0.5 h, (b) 1.5 h, (c) 3 h, (d) 6 h and (e) 12 h.

**Table S1** Photovoltaic performances of the pristine  $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$  solar cell and the pristine P3HT polymer solar cell.

Samples	$J_{sc}$ (mA cm <sup>-2</sup> )	$V_{oc}$ (V)	$FF$ (%)	$\eta$ (%)
ITO/PEDOT: PSS/ $\text{In}_2\text{S}_3$ /Al	0.0005	0.03	24	$4 \times 10^{-6}$
ITO/PEDOT: PSS/P3HT/Al	0.009	0.16	30	$5 \times 10^{-3}$