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Highly photoactive heterostructures of PbO quantum dots on TiO₂

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TiO₂

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PbO
2.8 Å

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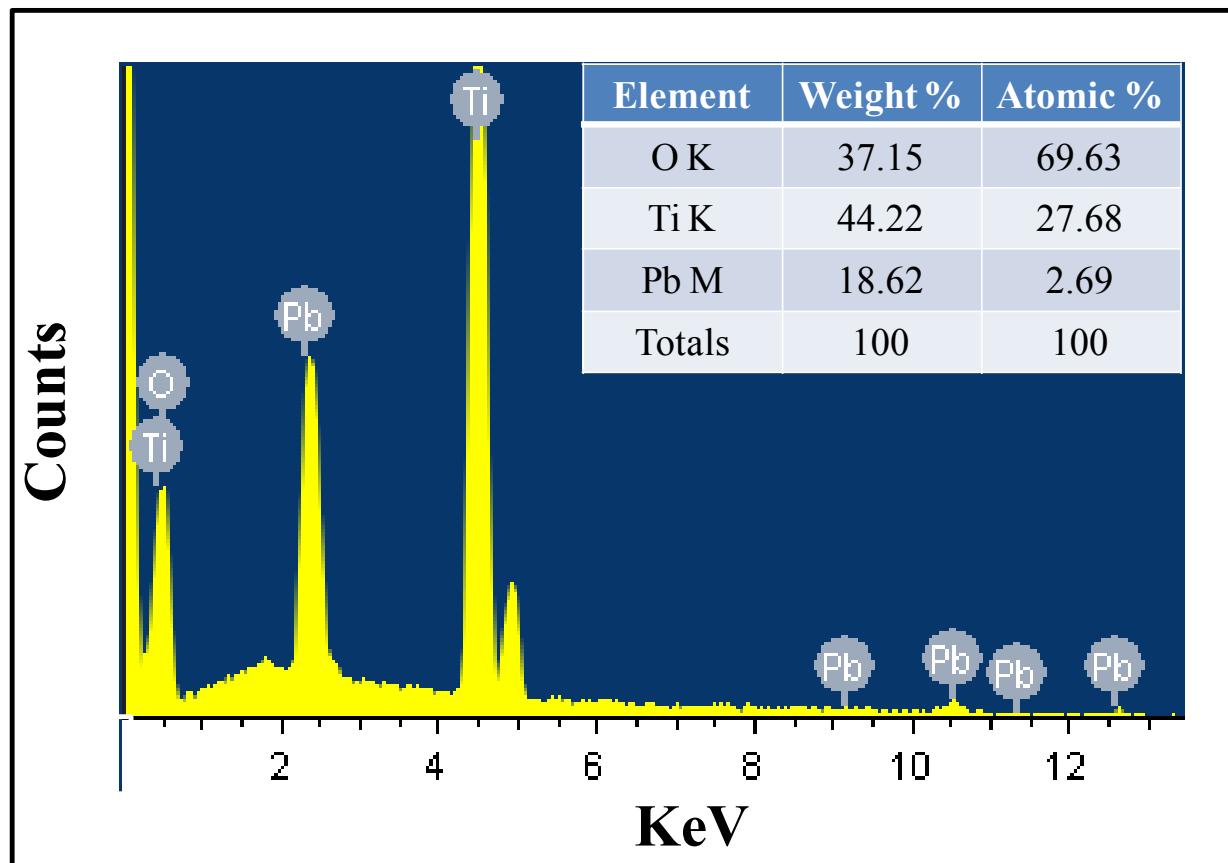
2 nm

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Fig. S1: HRTEM micrograph of PbO/TiO₂ shows that d-spacing of 2.8 Å corresponding to the (200) plane of PbO.

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Fig. S2: EDS spectra of PbO/TiO₂ composite showing presence of Pb, Ti, O and with almost 10 atomic % of PbO.

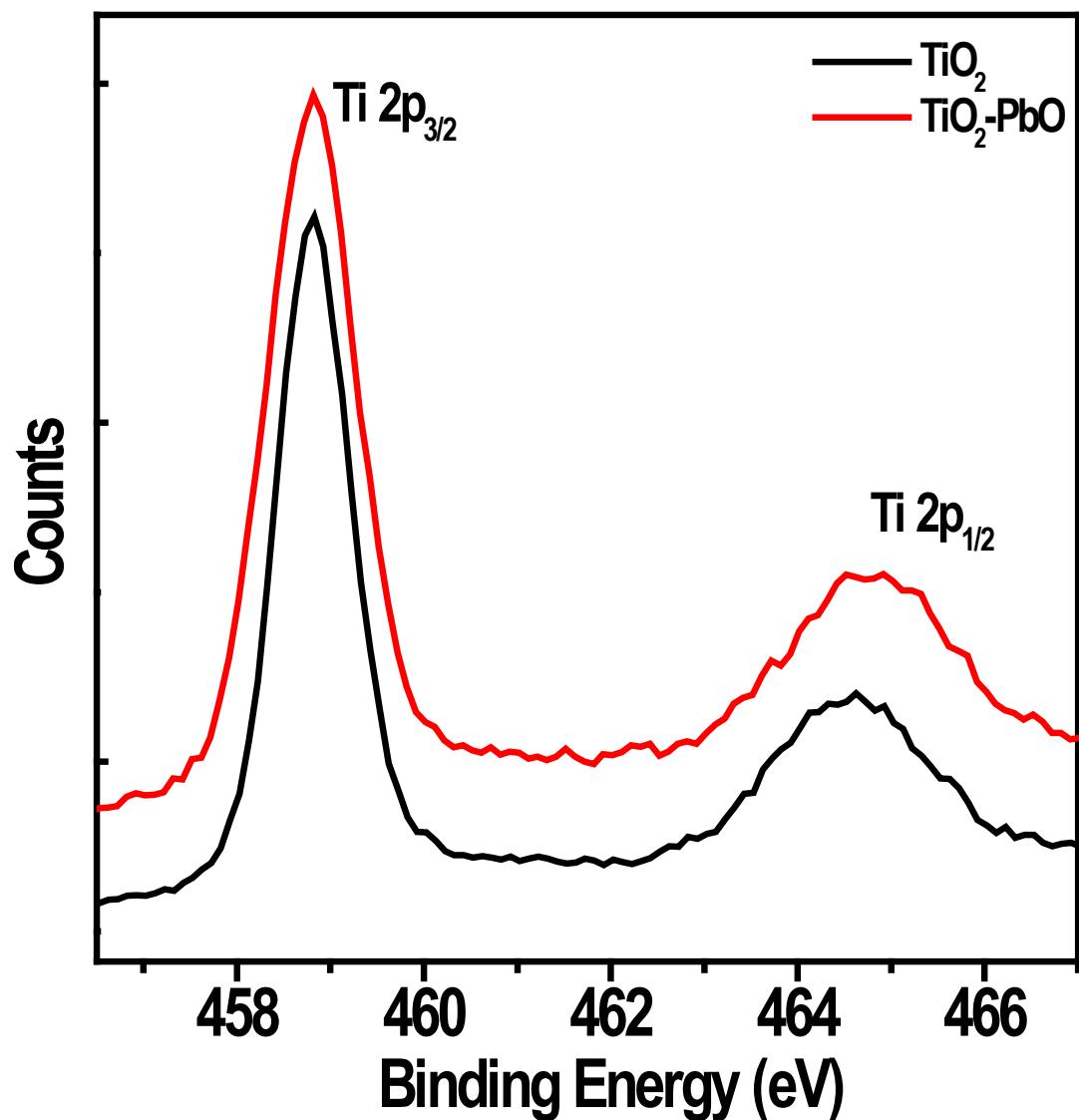


Fig. S3: XPS Ti 2p spectra of synthesized materials.