Electronic Supplementary Information

Synthesis and characterization of hierarchical TiO_2 microspheres composed of nanorods: effect of reaction conditions on nanorod density

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Fig. S1 (a) a typical nanorod as building unit in hierarchical TiO_2 microspheres and (b) selected area electron diffraction (SAED) pattern (scale bar in Fig. S1b is 5 1/nm).

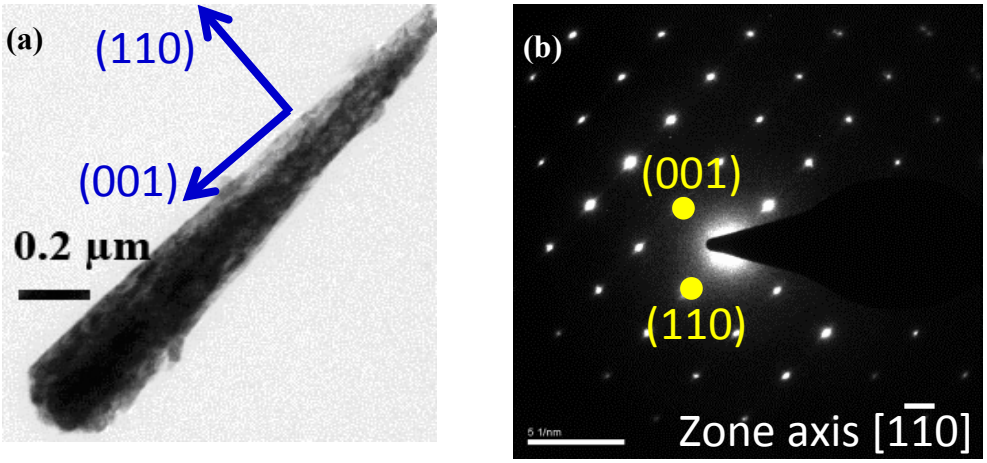

Fig. S2 Relationship between TiO_2 rod density and rod diameter.

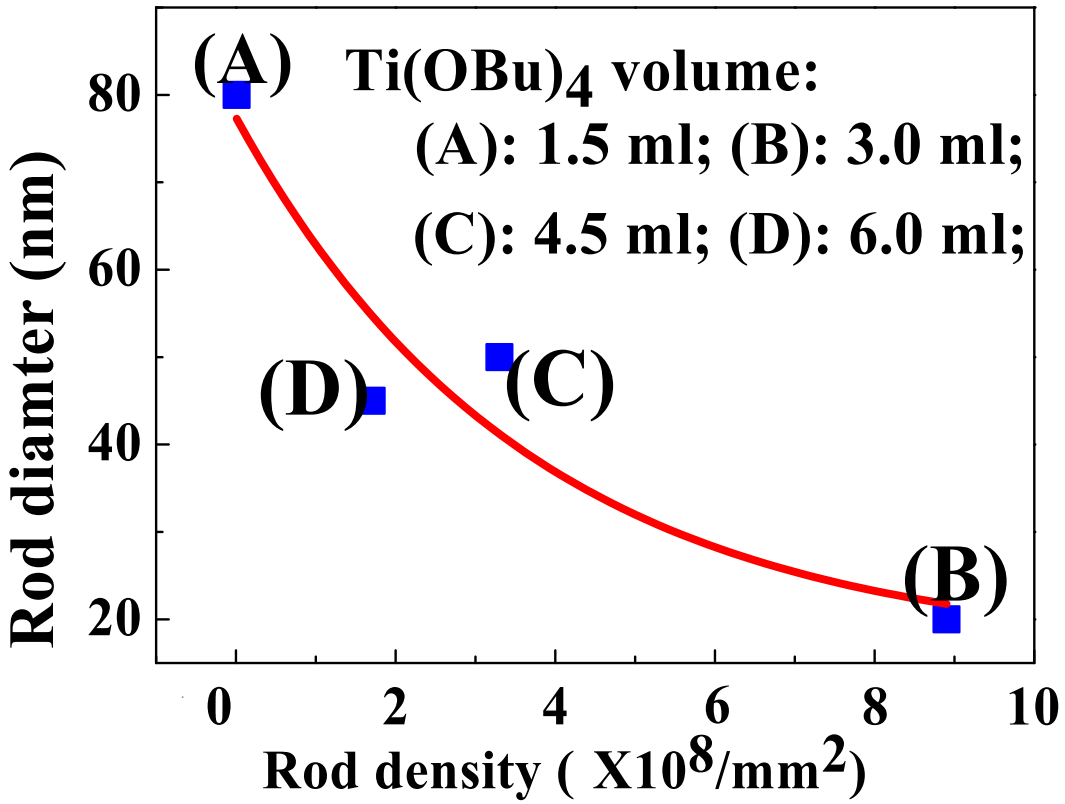

Fig. S3 (a) TEM image of solid TiO_2 microspheres prepared in the presence of Na_2SO_4 as additives and (b) selected electron diffraction pattern.

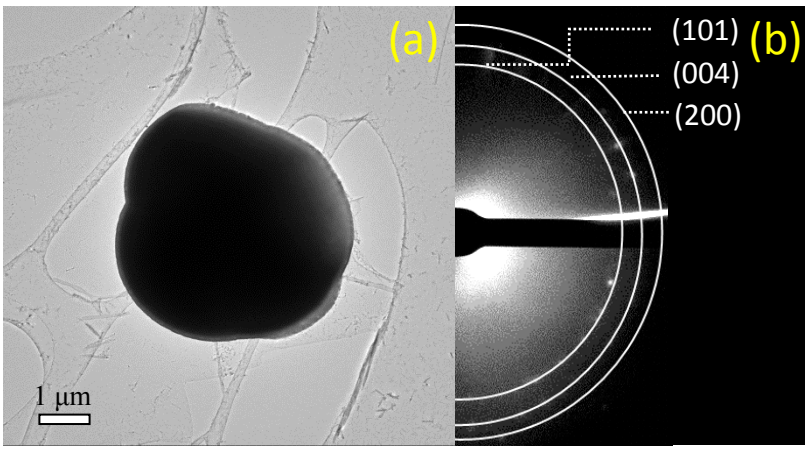

Fig. S4 XRD pattern of solid TiO_2 microspheres prepared in the presence of Na_2SO_4 as additives by hydrothermal method.