

Supporting Information

Luminescent nanofluids of organometal halide perovskite nanocrystals in silicone oils with ultrastability

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1. GdN LED colour conversion

A blue GdN LED chip (0.6 watt) with the emission peak at 455 nm was immersed into 4 mL MAPbBr₃ or MAPbI₃ nanofluid in a 5 mL beaker. It was connected with wires and power source. When power on, the liquid emitted its fluorescent light and the blue emitted light of the LED chip was completely transformed to green or red emission.

2. XRD measurements

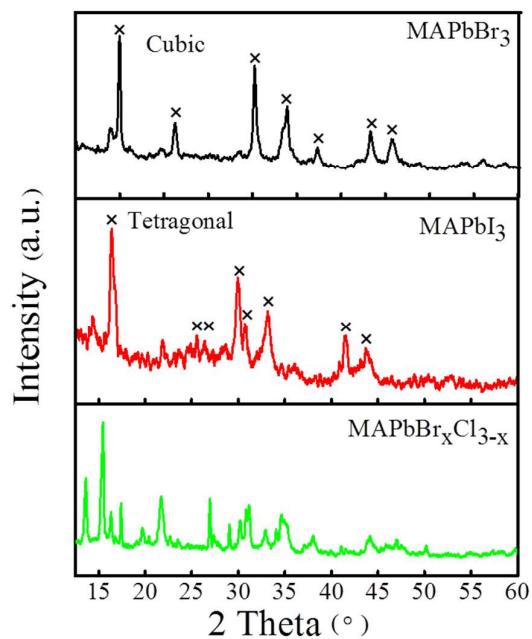


Figure S1. The PXRD patterns of MAPbBr₃, MAPbBr_{3-x}Cl_x and MAPbI₃ NCs.

3. Stability investigation of MAPbBr₃ NCs

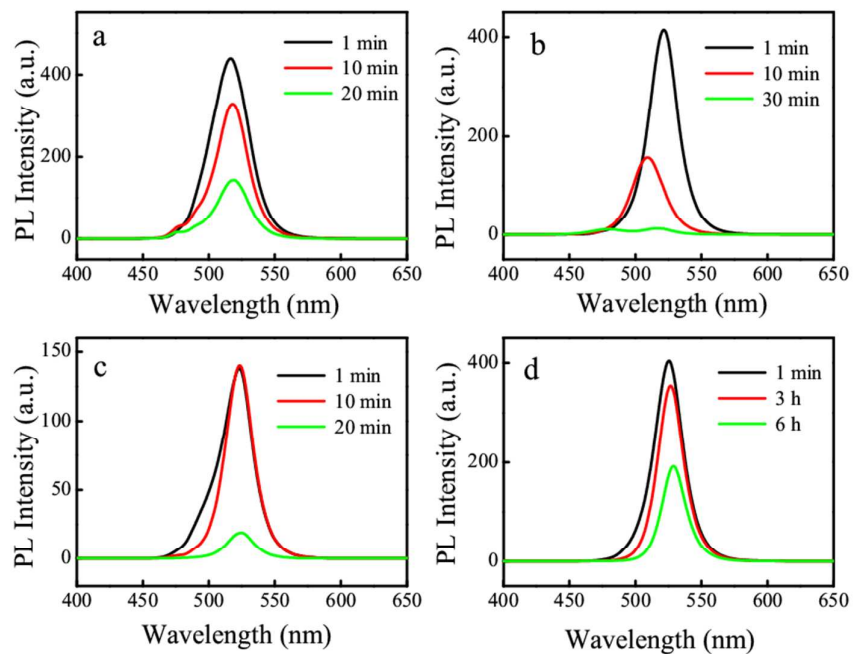


Figure S2. Evaluation of PL spectra of the MAPbBr₃ NCs dispersed in other organic solvents in the existence of water. (a) PhCl; (b) CCl₄; (c) n-hexane; (d) 1-octadecene.

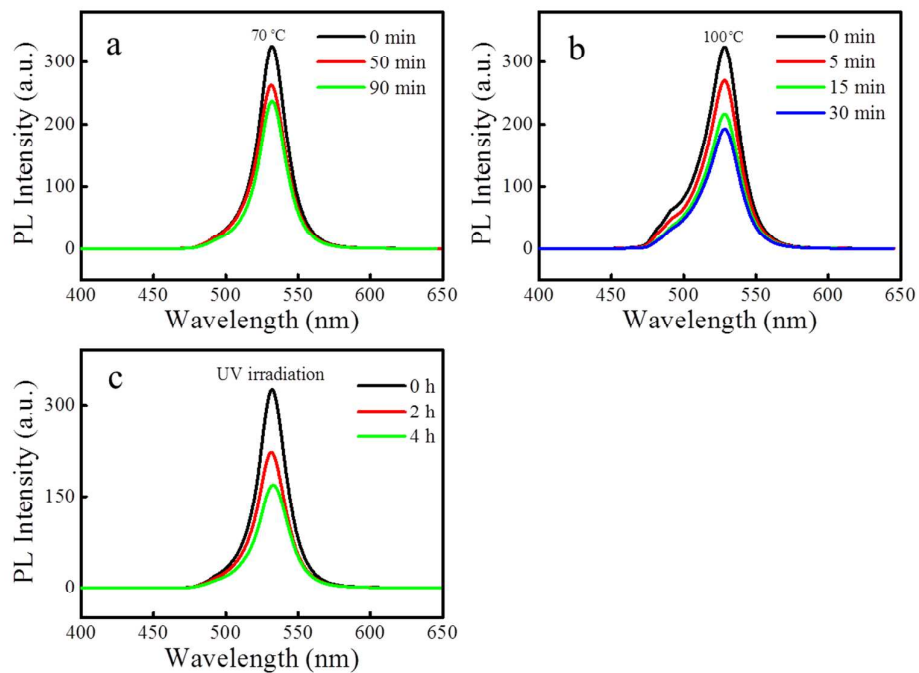


Figure S3. Evaluation of PL spectra of the MAPbBr₃ NCs dispersed in toluene. (a) Curing at 70 °C; (b) Curing at 100 °C; (c) Exposure to UV light irradiation.

4. The measurement of photoluminescence quantum yield

The calculation of the relative quantum yield.¹⁻³ Absolute values are calculated using the standard samples, and their quantum yield are fixed and known, according to the following equation:

$$Q_X = Q_{ST} (K_X/K_{ST}) (\eta_X^2/\eta_{ST}^2)$$

Where the subscripts ST and X denote standard (Coumarin-6 or Rhodamine B, in ethanol) and sample (perovskite NCs, in silicone oils and toluene) respectively. Q is the fluorescence quantum yield. The fluorescence quantum yield of Coumarin-6 is 77 %, and Rhodamine B is 89%. K is the gradient from the plot of integrated fluorescence intensity vs absorbance, and η is the refractive index of the solvent.

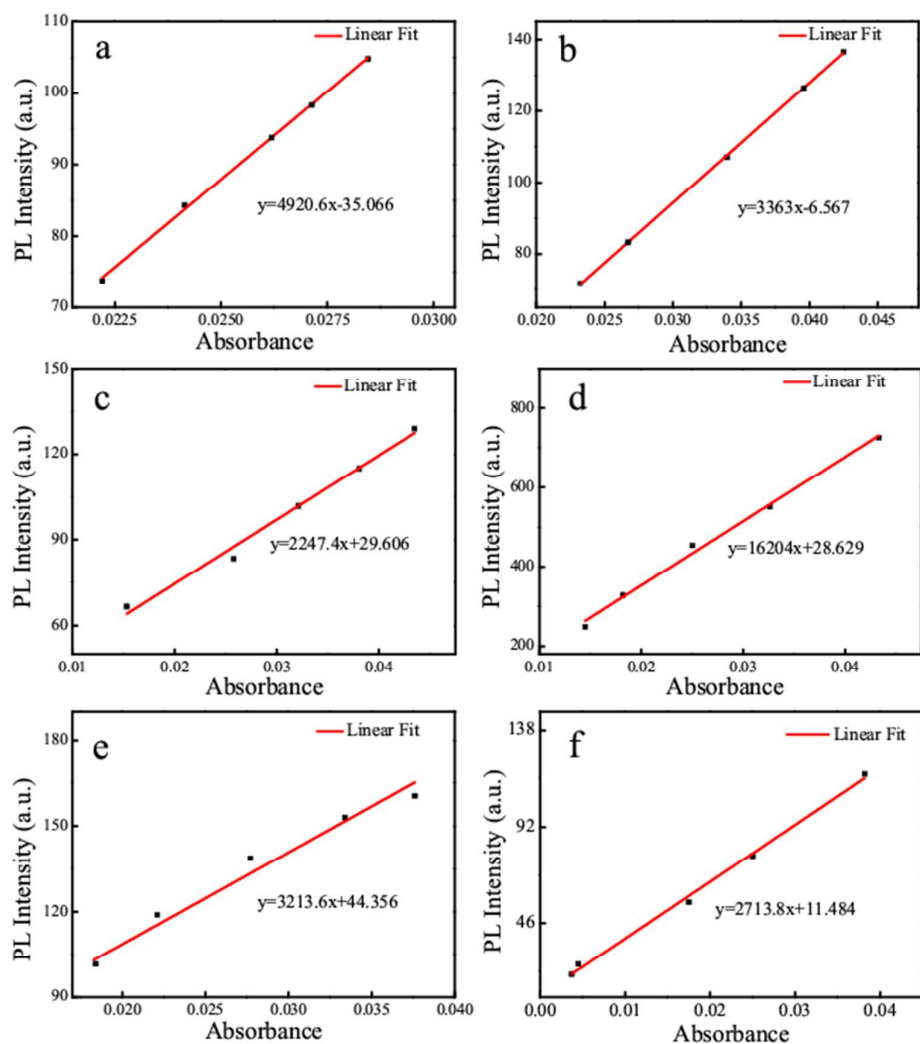


Figure S4. The fitting curves of integrated PL intensity vs absorbance. (a) Coumarin-6 in ethanol (QY: 0.77). (b) MAPbBr₃ NCs in DMS (500 mPa·s). (c) MAPbBr_{3-x}Cl_x in DMS (500 mPa·s). (d) Rhodamine B in ethanol (QY: 0.89). (e) MAPbI₃ in DMS (500 mPa·s). (f) MAPbBr₃ in toluene.

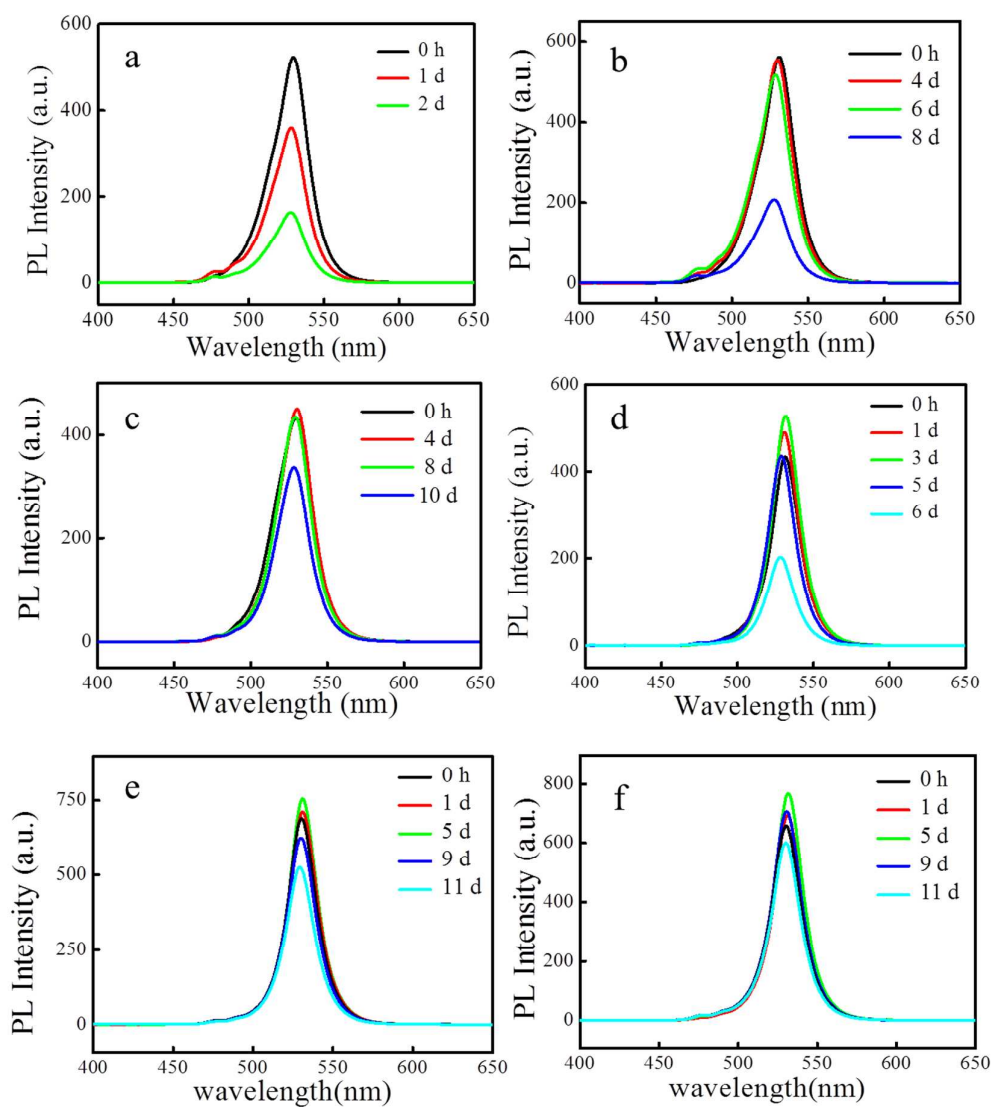


Figure S5. Evaluation of PL spectra of the MAPbBr₃ NCs dispersed in other silicon oils in the existence of water. (a) 50, (b) 100 and (c) 1000 mPa·s in DSM. (d) 100, (e) 500 and (f) 1000 mPa·s in VS.

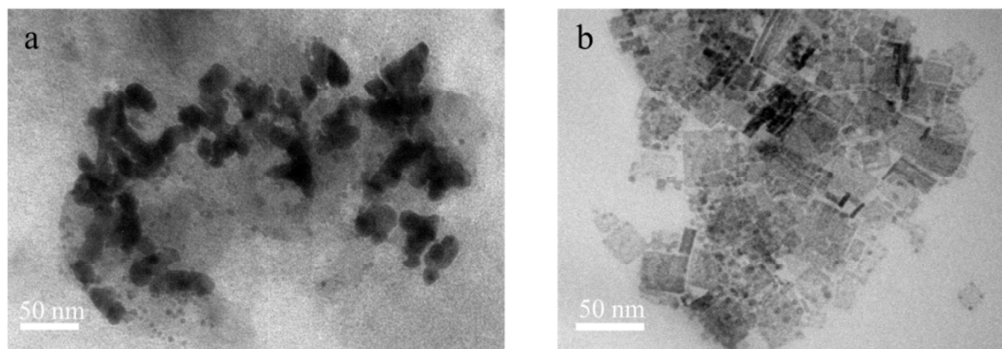


Figure S6. The TEM images of (a) MAPbI₃ and (b) MAPbBr_{3-x}Cl_x NCs.

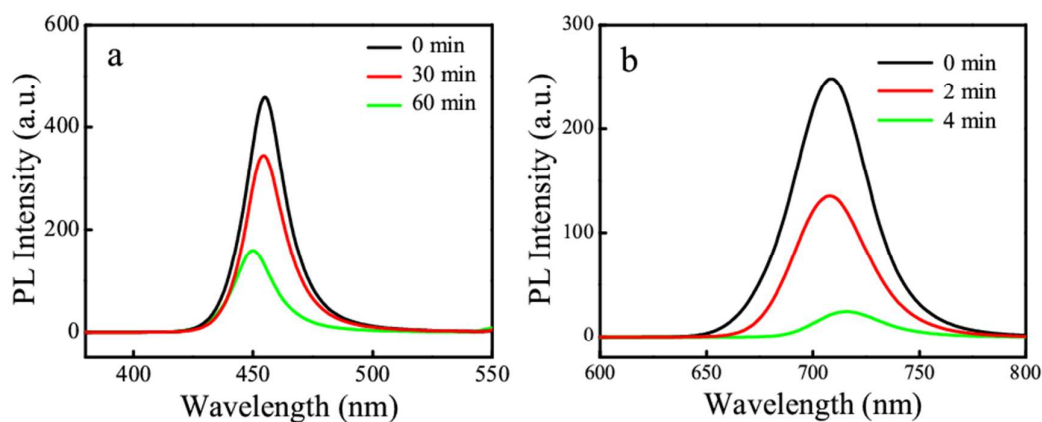


Figure S7. Evaluation of PL spectra of the (a) MAPbBr_{3-x}Cl_x (b) MAPbI₃ dispersed in toluene after the addition of water.

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