

CdSe Quantum Dots/g-C₃N₄ Heterostructure for Efficient H₂ Production under Visible Light Irradiation

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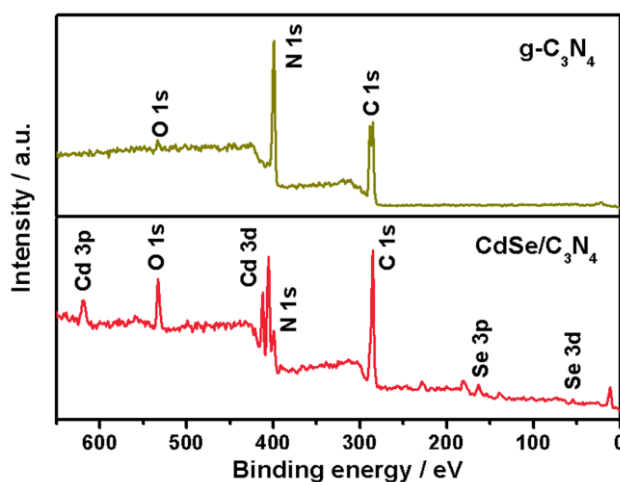


Figure S1. Full XPS spectra of the pure g-C₃N₄ and CdSe/C₃N₄.

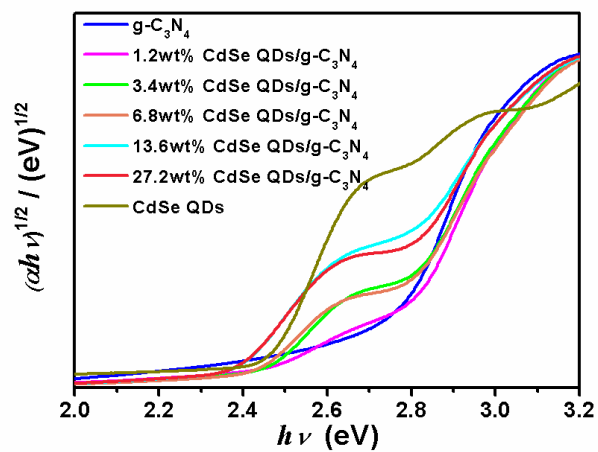


Figure S2. Plots of $(\alpha h\nu)^{1/2}$ versus $h\nu$ for the samples.

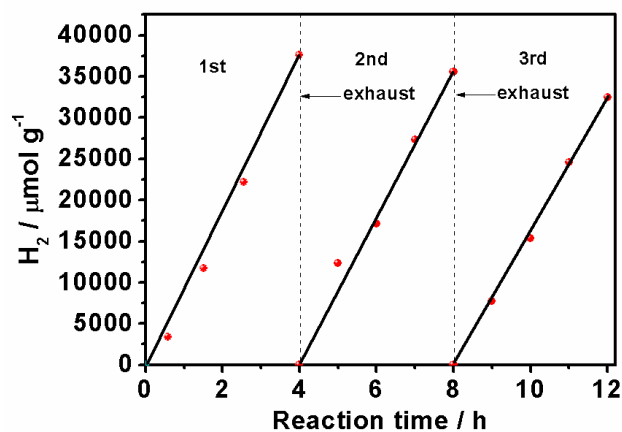


Figure S3. Cyclic H_2 -evolution curve for the CdSe QDs/g- C_3N_4 sample.

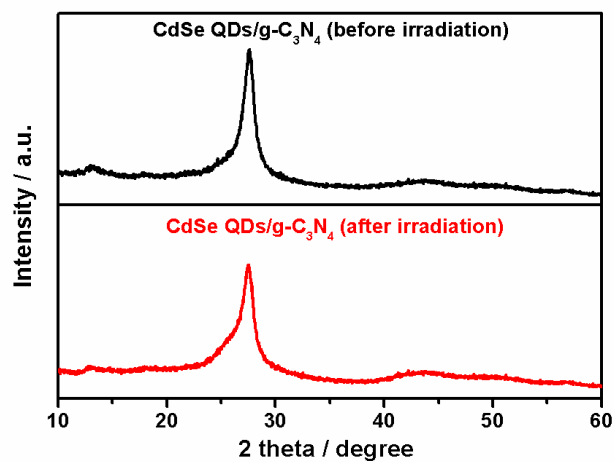


Figure. S4. XRD patterns of CdSe QDs/g- C_3N_4 before and after irradiation.

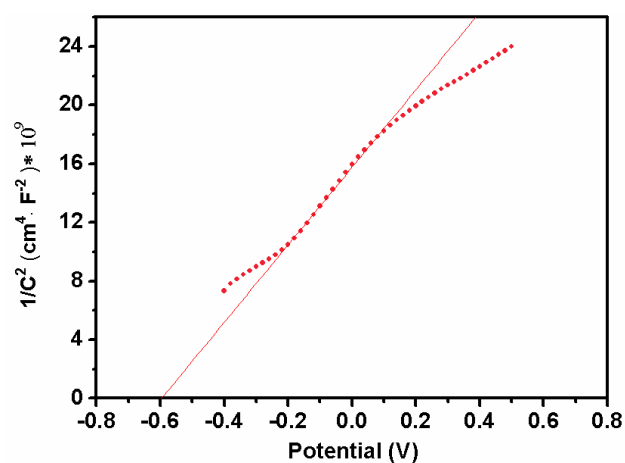


Figure S5. Mott-Schottky (MS) plots of g-C₃N₄.

Table S1. Optical absorption cut off and corresponding band gap of all the samples.

Sample	Optical cutoff (nm)	Band gap (eV)
g-C ₃ N ₄	450	2.76
1.2 wt% CdSe QDs/g-C ₃ N ₄	445	2.78
3.4 wt% CdSe QDs/g-C ₃ N ₄	450	2.76
6.8 wt% CdSe QDs/g-C ₃ N ₄	452	2.74
13.6 wt% CdSe QDs/g-C ₃ N ₄	450	2.76
27.2 wt% CdSe QDs/g-C ₃ N ₄	450	2.76
CdSe QDs	490	2.53