In Situ Growth of Bi Nanoparticles on NaBiO₃, δ -, and β -Bi₂O₃

Surfaces: Electron Irradiation and Theoretical Insights

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Supporting Information

Figure S1– XRD patterns for commercial NaBiO₃.



Figure S2– Conventional (A) and primitive cell (B) of NaBiO₃ in the rhombohedral space group R-3



Figure S3– EDS analysis of NaBiO₃.



Figure S4 – (A) Variation of Bi-O distances (B) and of cell parameters in $NaBiO_3$ structure as a function of the number of electrons added, N.



Figure S5 –Variation of cell parameters in Bi_2O_3 structure as a function of the number of electrons added, N. (A) β -Bi₂O₃ and (B) δ -Bi₂O₃.

N	Na	Bi	0
0	0,8695	2,3701	-1,0799
1	0,8632	2,1218	-1,1617
2	0,8524	1,9240	-1,2588
3	0,8395	1,6839	-1,3411
4	0,8310	1,3826	-1,4045
5	0,8169	1,0191	-1,4453
6	0,8053	0,6780	-1,4944
7	0,7969	0,3188	-1,5386
8	0,7545	-0,0068	-1,5621

Table S1 -Values of charge density for Na, Bi and O centers in NaBiO₃ structure as a function of the number of electrons added, N.

Table S2 -Values of charge density for Na, Bi and O centers in $\beta\text{-}Bi_2O_3$ and $\delta\text{-}Bi_2O_3$

	β-Bi ₂ O ₃		δ-	δ-Bi ₂ O ₃	
N e	Bi	0	Bi	0	
0	1,7692	-1,2001	1,7701	-1,2369	
2	1,5689	-1,2303	1,3607	-1,2983	
4	1,3599	-1,2506	0,9338	-1,3399	
6	1,1282	-1,2630	0,4728	-1,3620	
8	0,8837	-1,2695	0,0573	-1,4042	
10	0,6367	-1,2707			
12	0,4052	-1,2820			
14	0,1788	-1,2938			
15	0,0313	-1,2758			

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