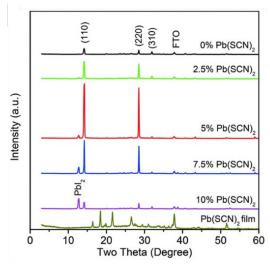
Supporting Information

## Charge Compensating Defects in Methylammonium Lead Iodide Perovskite Suppressed by Formamidinium Inclusion

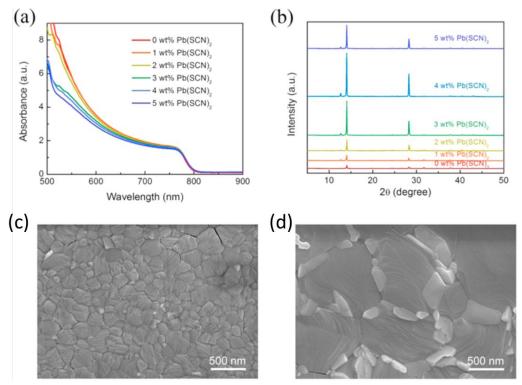
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**Figure S1**. XRD patterns of  $Pb(SCN)_2$  film and MAPbI<sub>3</sub> films with various concentration of  $Pb(SCN)_2$  in the precursors coated on FTO substrates. Adapted from Ref. 1 with permission, copyright 2016Wiley-VCH.



**Figure S2**. Characterizations of  $MA_{0.7}FA_{0.3}PbI_3$  films with various content of Pb(SCN)<sub>2</sub> additive. (a) UV–vis spectra, (b) XRD patterns of  $MA_{0.7}FA_{0.3}PbI_3$  films with various content of Pb(SCN)<sub>2</sub> additive. SEM images of (c)  $MA_{0.7}FA_{0.3}PbI_3$  and (d)  $MA_{0.7}FA_{0.3}PbI_3 + 3$  wt% Pb(SCN)<sub>2</sub> films. Adapted from Ref. 2 with permission, copyright 2017 Elsevier.

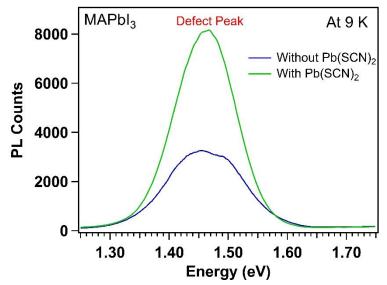


Figure S3. PL Spectra of MAPbI<sub>3</sub> films at 9 K with and without Pb(SCN)<sub>2</sub> additive.

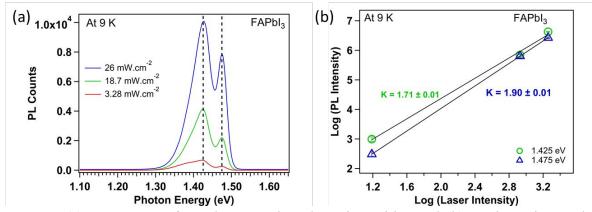
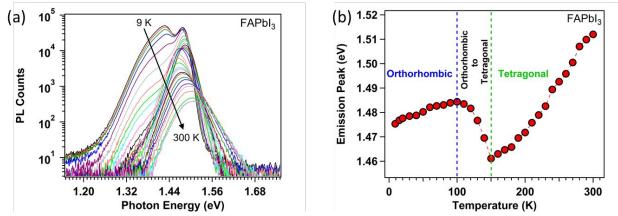


Figure S4. (a) PL spectra of  $FAPbI_3$  at various laser intensities and (b) PL intensity vs. laser intensity.



**Figure S5**. (a) Evolution of exciton peak of  $FAPbI_3$  at various temperatures and (b) different phases in  $FAPbI_3$  revealed by temperature dependent PL.

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