

Supporting Information

Interface Engineering of a 2D/2D BiVO₄/Bi₄V₂O₁₀ Heterostructure with Improved Photocatalytic Photo-redox Activity

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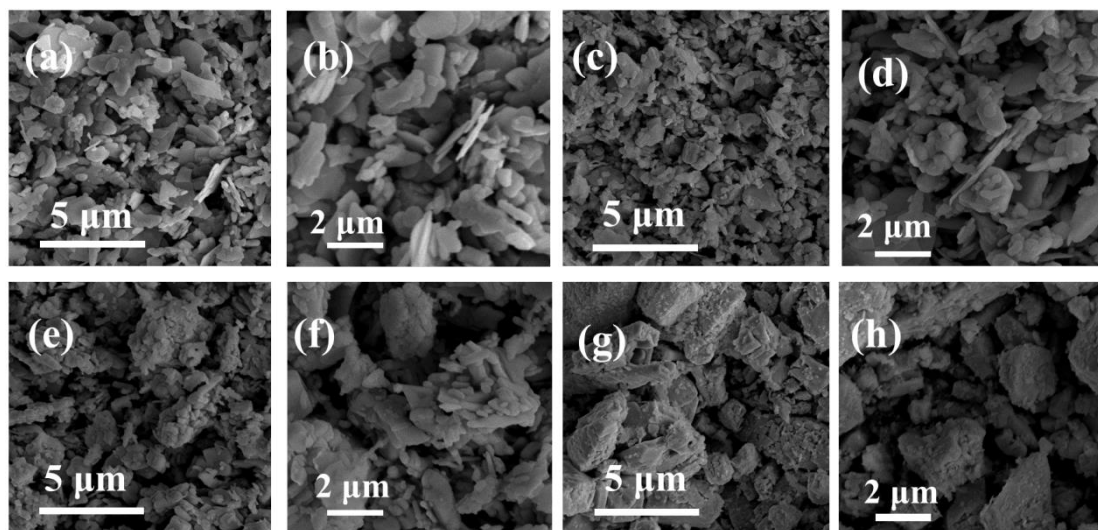


Figure S1. SEM images of (a, b) BVO-5, (c, d) BVO-7, (e, f) BVO-9, and (g, h) BVO₄.

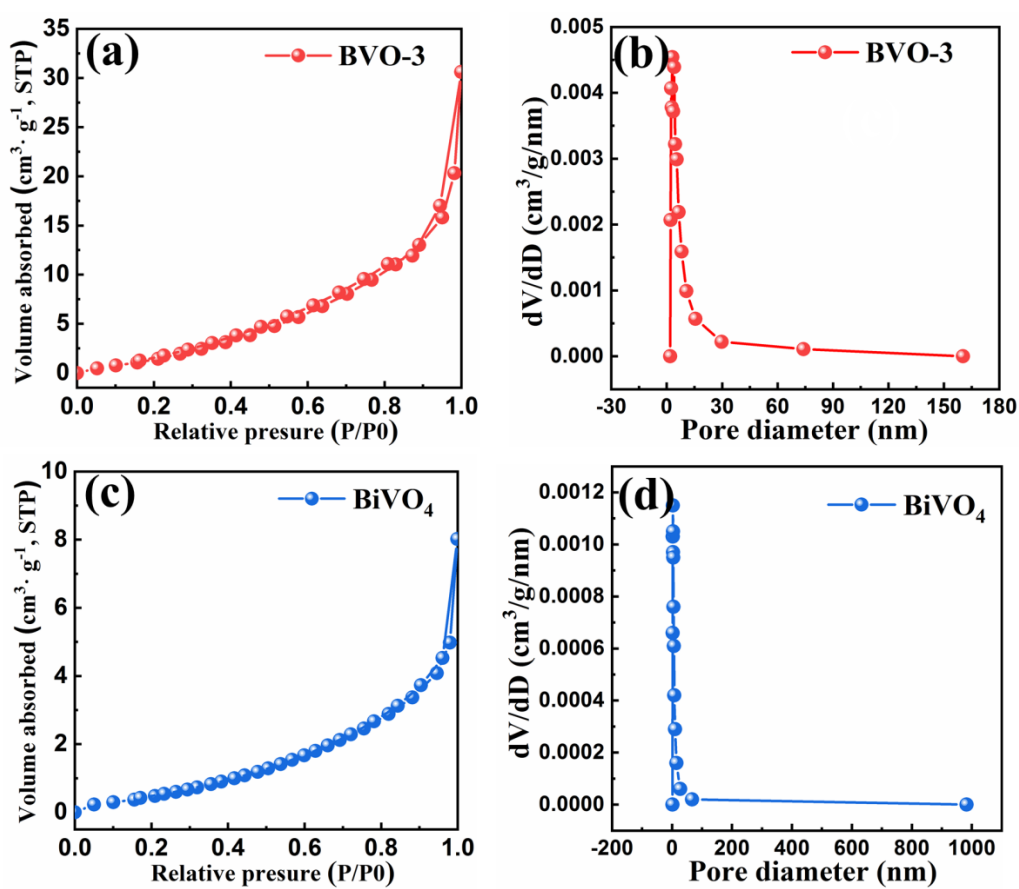


Figure S2. N₂ adsorption-desorption isotherms (a, c) and pore size distribution curves (b, d) of BiVO₄ and the BVO-3 heterostructure.

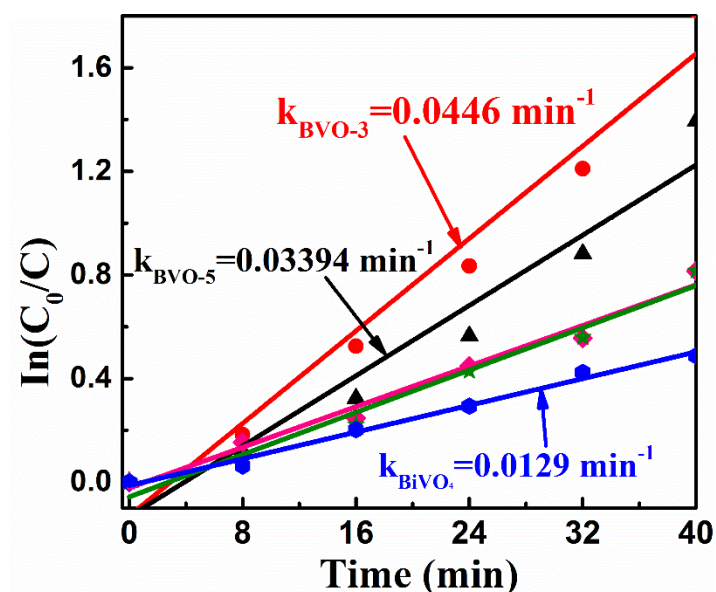


Figure S3. Photoreductive reaction kinetics curves of as-prepared samples under different reaction pH values.

Table S1. List of the photocatalytic performance of BiVO₄-based photocatalysts for pollutant degradation

Photocatalysts	Light source	Concentration of photocatalyst (g/L)	Concentration of pollutant (ppm)	Reaction time (min)	Cr(VI) degradation (%)
BiVO ₄ /MXene	300 W Xe	0.5	10	120	83.6 ¹
	lamp				
	$\lambda > 400$ nm				
Bi ₂ S ₃ /BiVO ₄	300 W Xe	1	50	150	100 ²
	lamp				
	UV-vis				
Fe ₃ O ₄ /BiVO ₄ /C uS	300 W Xe	1	10	90	99 ³
	lamp				

$\lambda > 420$ nm					
500 W Xe					
Ag ₂ CO ₃ /BiVO ₄	lamp	0.4	15	150	70 ⁴
$\lambda > 420$ nm					
500 W Xe					
BiVO ₄ /RGO	lamp	1	10	150	90.3 ⁵

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Table S2. List of the photocatalytic performance of BiVO₄-based photocatalysts for oxygen evolution

Sample	Light source	Sacrificial agent	Concentration of photocatalyst (g/L)	O ₂ evolution (μmol/g/h)
Ti doped BiVO ₄ nanosheets	300 W Xe lamp λ>420 nm	0.05 M AgNO ₃	0.5	102.8 ¹
BiVO ₄ with different {010} and {110} facets ratio	300 W Xe lamp λ>420 nm	0.02 M AgNO ₃	0.33	25 ²
g-C ₃ N ₄ @Ag/BiVO ₄ (040)	350 W Xe lamp λ>420 nm	0.2 M NaIO ₃	1	163.1 ³
FeO _x / {110}BiVO ₄	LED light λ≥460 nm	0.01 M NaIO ₃	5	62.0 ⁴

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