Supporting Information

Covering effect of conductive glass: a facile route to tailor the grain growth of the hybrid perovskite for highly efficient solar cells

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Novel Annealing-2

Scheme S1. Schematic of experimental process of another conductive glass-assisted annealing route.



Fig. S1 The contact angle of perovskite precursor solution on the assisted-conductive glass.



Fig. S2 Statistical PCE (30 devices) of the PSCs based on CA (black) and NA (red) routes, respectively.



Fig. S3 Stability test of the unsealed CA-30 and NA-30 based PSCs and the devices were stored in the dark condition with the ambient air at \sim 10% humidity.



Fig. S4 Nyquist plots of perovskite solar cells which were based on CA (black) and NA (red) routes, respectively, and the devices were measured at -0.7 V under dark conditions.

| Annealing | R_s/Ω | R_{rec}/Ω |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Route | | |
| Conventional | 14.59 | 2694 |
| Novel | 11.20 | 3509 |

Table S1. EIS parameters of PSCs which were based on CA (black) and NA (red) routes, respectively.



Fig. S5 (a) Photoluminescence (PL) spectra (excitation at 406 nm) and (b) time-resolved photoluminescence (TR-PL) (excitation at 406 nm and emission at 780 nm) of the bare perovskite films prepared based on CA (black) and NA (red) routes, respectively.



Fig. S6 Current-voltage hysteresis curves of (a) NA-15, (b) NA-30 and (c) NA-60 based PSCs , respectively, starting from the reverse scan and continuing to the forward scan.

Table S2 Comparison of the (a) NA-15, (b) NA-30 and (c) NA-60 based devices' performance parametersobtained from the reverse scan and forward scan, respectively.

| Novel Annealing time/ min | Scan direction | $J_{sc}/mA \cdot cm^{-2}$ | V _{oc} /V | FF | PCE/% |
|------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|--------------------|------|-------|
| 15 | reverse | 24.06 | 1.02 | 0.70 | 17.26 |
| | forward | 23.67 | 1.02 | 0.70 | 16.90 |
| 30 | reverse | 24.05 | 1.03 | 0.73 | 18.08 |
| | forward | 23.32 | 1.03 | 0.72 | 17.29 |
| 60 | reverse | 20.89 | 1.05 | 0.72 | 15.82 |
| | forward | 20.71 | 1.02 | 0.70 | 14.78 |



Fig. S7 Current-voltage curves of NA-30 based PSCs that the developed perovskite films were annealed at 80, 100 and 120 °C, respectively.

Table S3 Summary of the photovoltaic parameters of NA-30 based PSCs that the developed perovskite films were annealed at 80, 100 and 120 °C, respectively.

| Novel Annealing Temperature/ °C | $J_{sc}/mA \cdot cm^{-2}$ | V _{oc} /V | FF | PCE/% |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|------|-------|
| 80 | 23.65 | 1.02 | 0.72 | 17.35 |
| 100 | 24.04 | 1.03 | 0.73 | 18.06 |
| 120 | 24.11 | 1.02 | 0.71 | 17.46 |

| Novel annealing time/ min | R_{s}/Ω | R_{ct}/Ω |
|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 15 | 8.59 | 198 |
| 30 | 7.90 | 171 |
| 60 | 10.04 | 239 |

Table S4. EIS parameters of PSCs which were fabricated based on different novel annealing times.