

Supplementary materials

Tailorable boron-doping carbon nanotubes as high-efficiency counter electrodes for quantum dot sensitized solar cells

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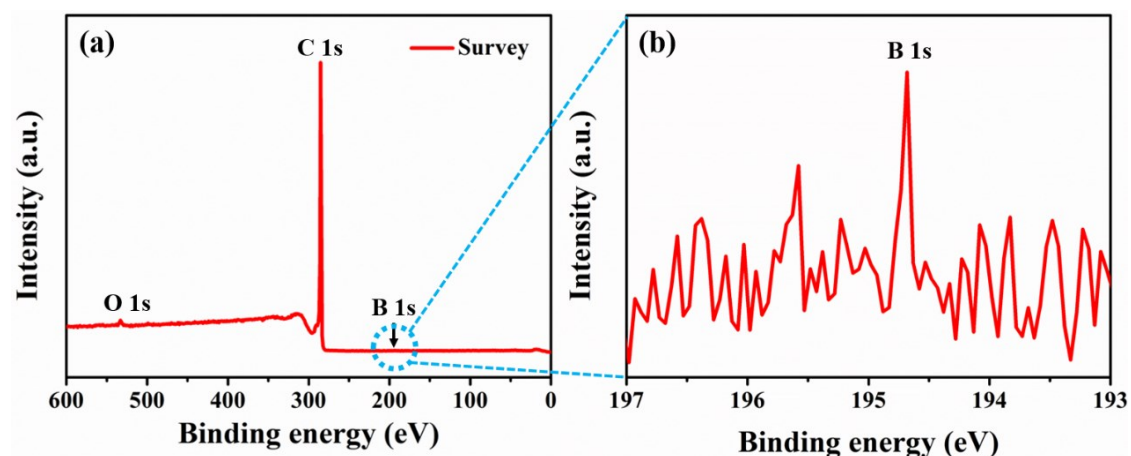


Figure S1 (a) XPS survey spectrum of BCNT1 and (b) high-resolution XPS spectrum of B 1s.

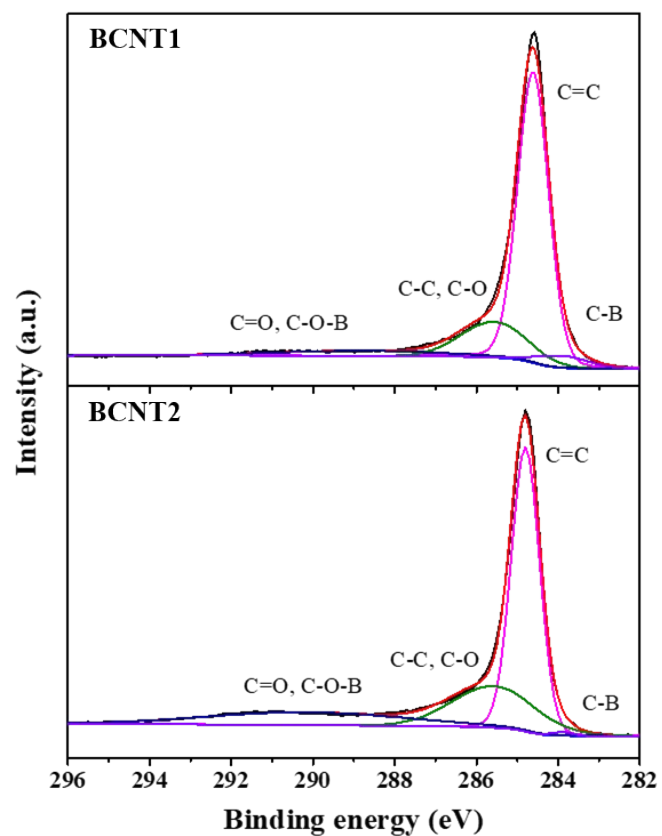


Figure S2 High-resolution C1s spectra of BCNT1 and BCNT2.

Table S1 C species content calculated based on XPS spectrum area.

Samples	BCNT1	BCNT2
C=C	0.710	0.574
C-C, C-O	0.177	0.240
C-B	0.045	0.005
C=O, C-O-B	0.068	0.181

Table S2 Comparison of photoelectrochemical performances of CdS/CdSe/ZnS co-sensitized QDSSCs with different counter electrodes, and the EIS results (R_{ct}) for the symmetrical dummy cells.

CEs	J_{sc} (mA \cdot cm ⁻²)	V_{oc} (V)	FF	PCE (%)	Active Area (cm ²)	R_{ct} ($\Omega \cdot$ cm ²)	Refs
BCNT1	17.40	0.52	0.52	4.55	0.16	0.35	Present work
Iron sulfide/carbon	19.57	0.45	0.64	5.61	-	2.86	1
CB/Cu _x S-3	16.55	0.58	0.57	5.50	0.16	3.35	2
Double-shelled Cu _{2-x} Se nanocages	16.42	0.67	0.43	4.76	0.20	2.94	3
CoS/NC-30	14.68	0.55	0.55	4.46	0.25	14.47	4
DW-Cu _{2-x} Se/Cu ₇ S ₄ -HNB	23.02	0.52	0.36	4.38	0.16	7.10	5
CuS2h	15.52	0.61	0.45	4.29	0.27	1.18	6
PACuS4	13.35	0.59	0.53	4.20	-	-	7
Cu ₃ Se ₂ -2h	11.52	0.56	0.62	3.99	0.13	-	8
CoS	11.62	0.60	0.53	3.67	0.25	6.45	9
PbS	15.11	0.57	0.41	3.49	0.20	352.80	10
NiS120	11.67	0.60	0.47	3.25	0.27	7.96	11
ClSe-20min	14.74	0.55	0.36	2.92	0.20	440	12
Cu ₂ S	6.89	0.57	0.25	1.01	0.16	-	13

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