Supplementary Material for

Establishing an energy-saving scouring/bleaching one-step process

for cotton/spandex fabric using UVA-assisted irradiation

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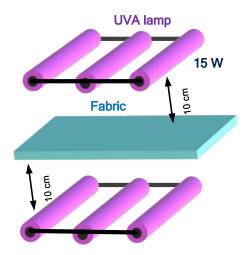


Figure S1 Design of UVA irradiation lamp box for fabric bleaching.

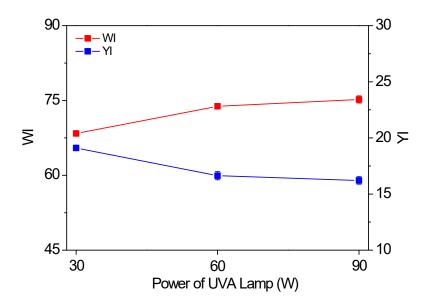


Figure S2 Bleaching efficacy under various UVA lamp power.

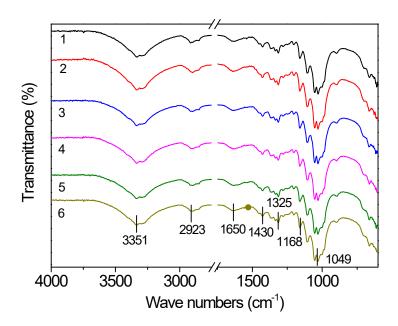


Figure S3 ATR-FTIR spectra: (1) Untreated fabric, (2) Only scoured fabric, (3) One step scoured and UVA bleached fabric, (4) Two steps scoured and UVA bleached fabric, (5) Two steps scoured and conventional pad-steam bleached fabric, and (6)

Two steps scoured and conventional cold pad-batch bleached fabric

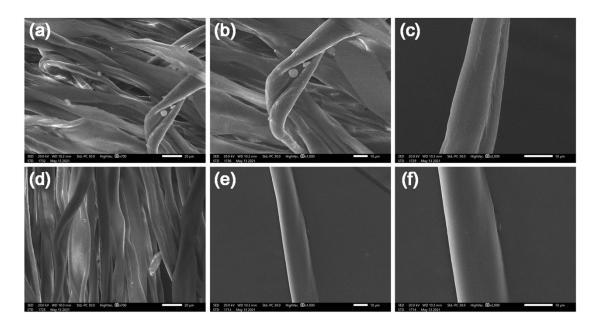


Figure S4 SEM images (a-c) Untreated fabric and (d-f) One-step UVA-assisted treated fabric.