

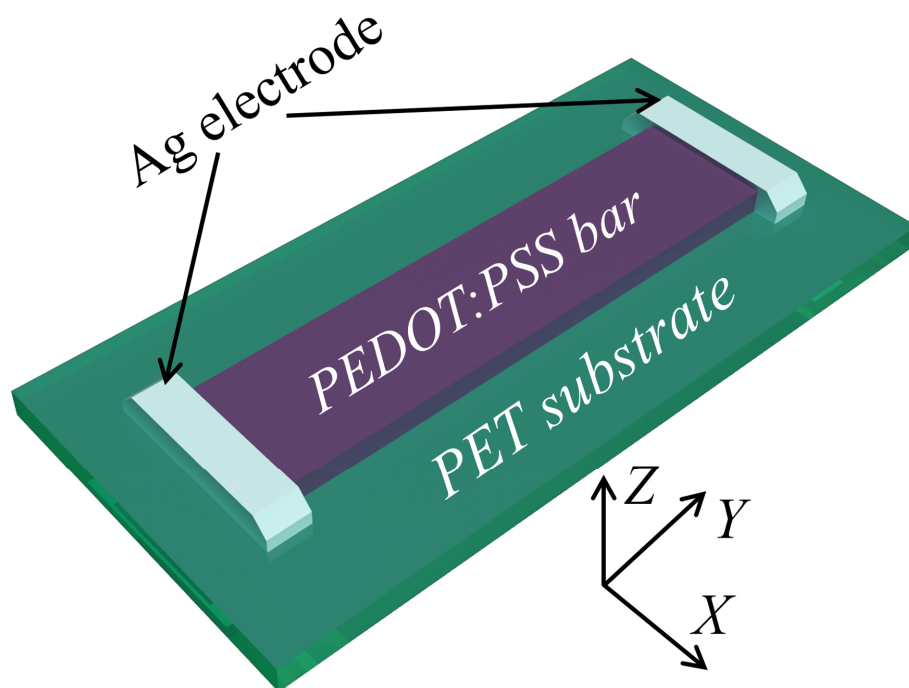
## **Electronic Supplementary Information**

# **Enhanced Performance of ZnO Microwire/PEDOT:PSS Heterojunction Ultraviolet Photodetectors via Carbon Nanohorns and DMSO Treatment**

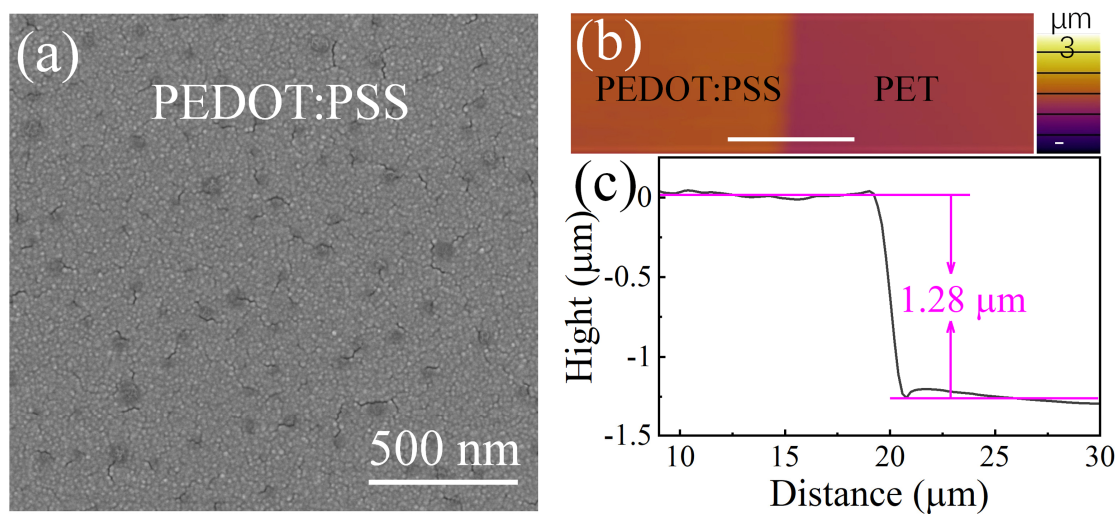
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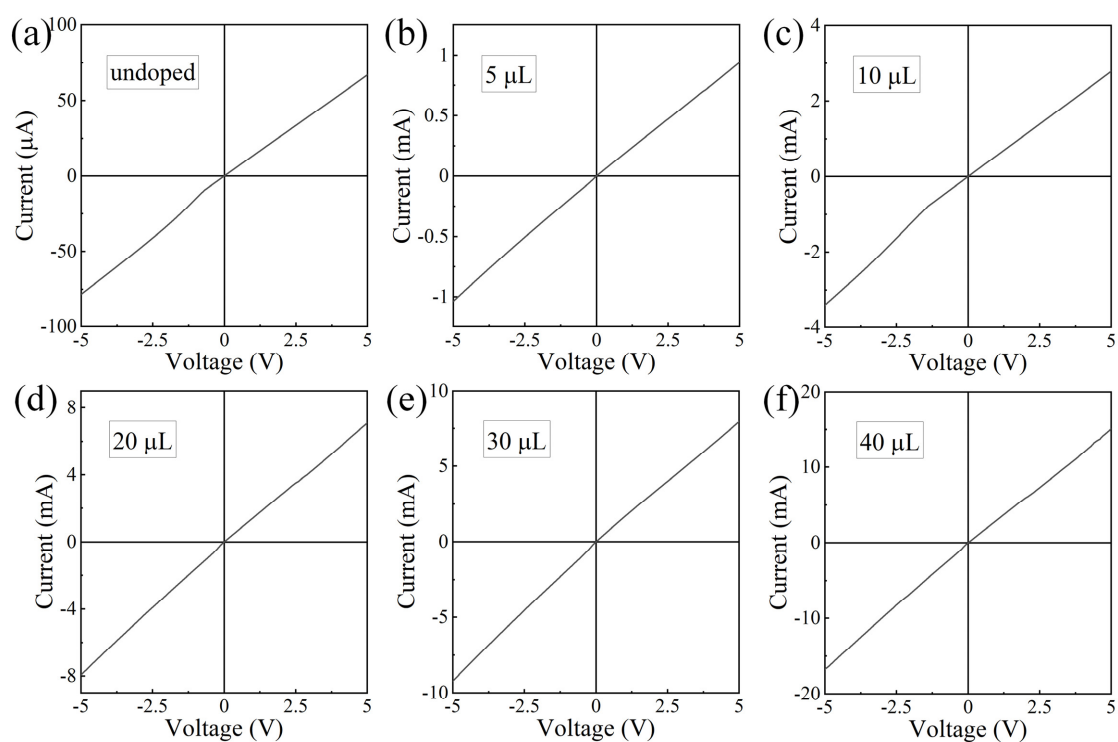
**Figure S1.** Schematic diagram of the microribbon-like PEDOT:PSS device, with Ag pastes working as the symmetrical electrodes.



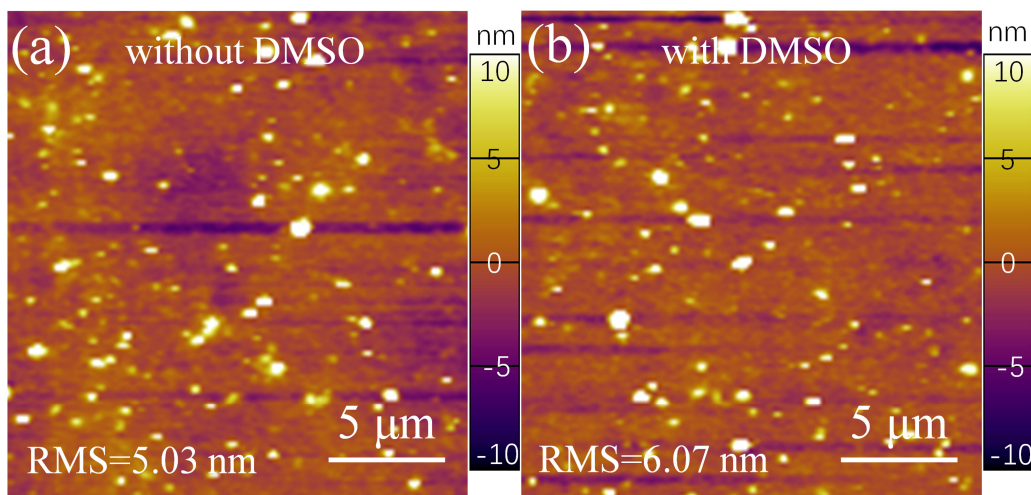
**Figure S2.** (a) SEM photograph of the PEDOT:PSS sample. (b) AFM result of the PEDOT:PSS sample (The scale bar is 4 μm). (c) Height profile along the scale bar in AFM image.

**Table S1.** Parameters of the bar samples.

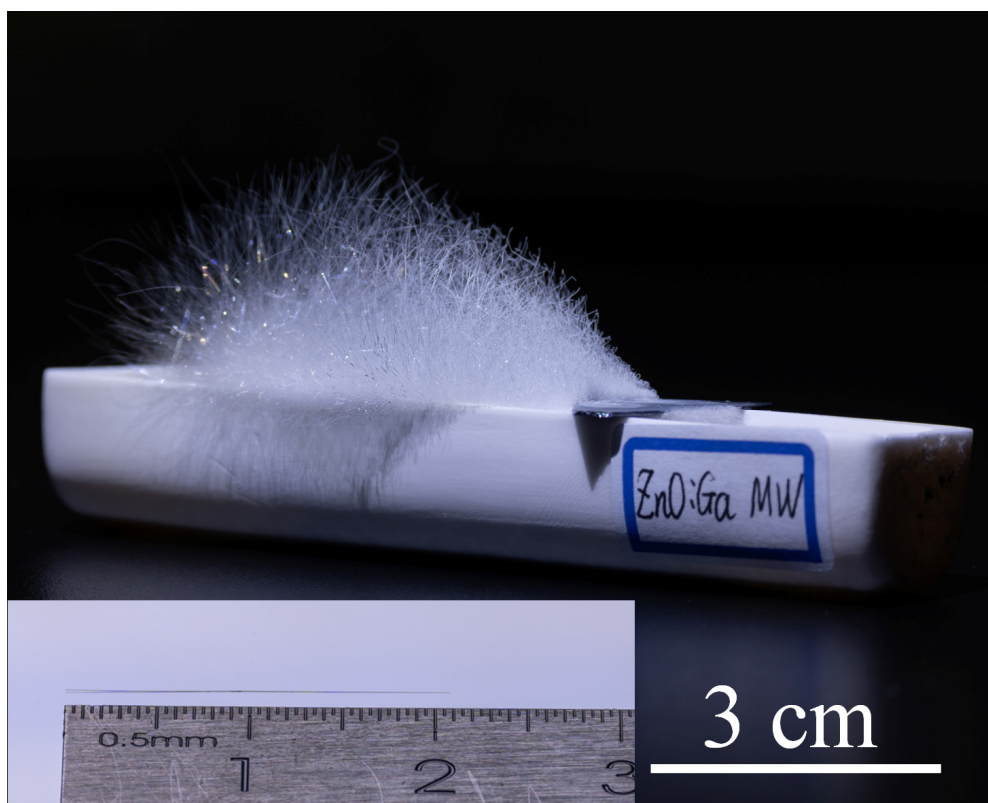
Doping volume ( $\mu\text{L}$ )	$x$ (mm)	$y$ (mm)	$z$ ( $\mu\text{m}$ )	$G$ (S)	$\sigma$ (S/m)
0	0.571	1.76	0.829	$1.47 \times 10^{-5}$	54.7
5	0.456	2.04	1.32	$1.96 \times 10^{-4}$	668.8
10	0.552	2.28	1.07	$6.14 \times 10^{-5}$	2375.4
20	0.577	2.23	1.01	$1.49 \times 10^{-3}$	5708.0
30	0.413	1.97	0.958	$1.71 \times 10^{-3}$	8497.3
40	0.727	2.59	1.08	$3.16 \times 10^{-3}$	10394.3



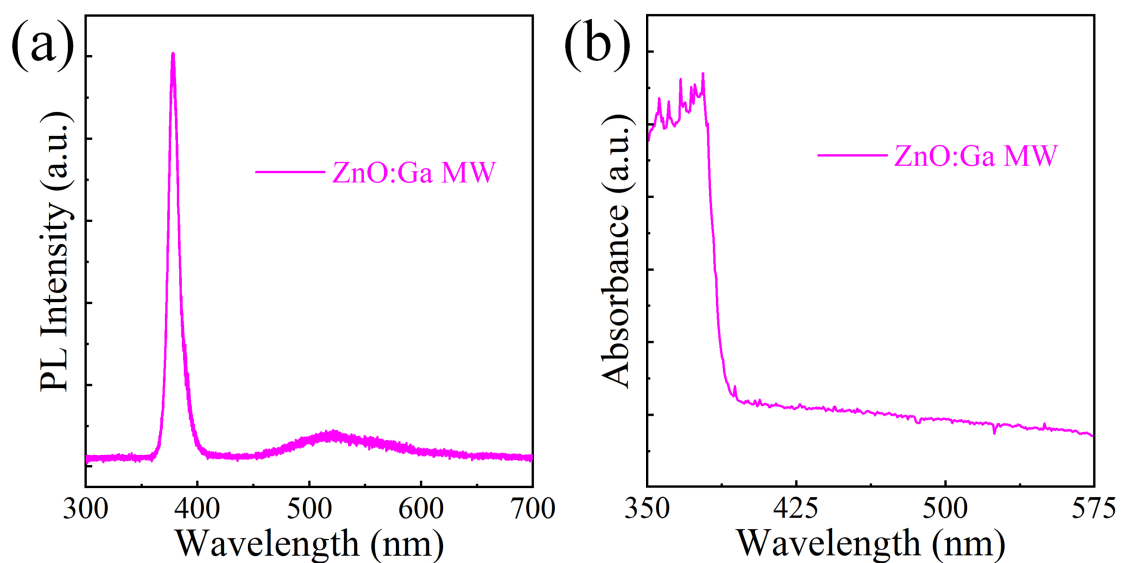
**Figure S3.**  $I$ - $V$  curves of the microribbon-like PEDOT:PSS device. In the device structure, the doping concentration of DMSO incorporated in PEDOT:PSS samples can be modulated by varying the volume of DMSO solution (a) 0  $\mu\text{L}$ , (b) 5  $\mu\text{L}$ , (c) 10  $\mu\text{L}$ , (d) 20  $\mu\text{L}$ , (e) 30  $\mu\text{L}$  and (f) 40  $\mu\text{L}$ .



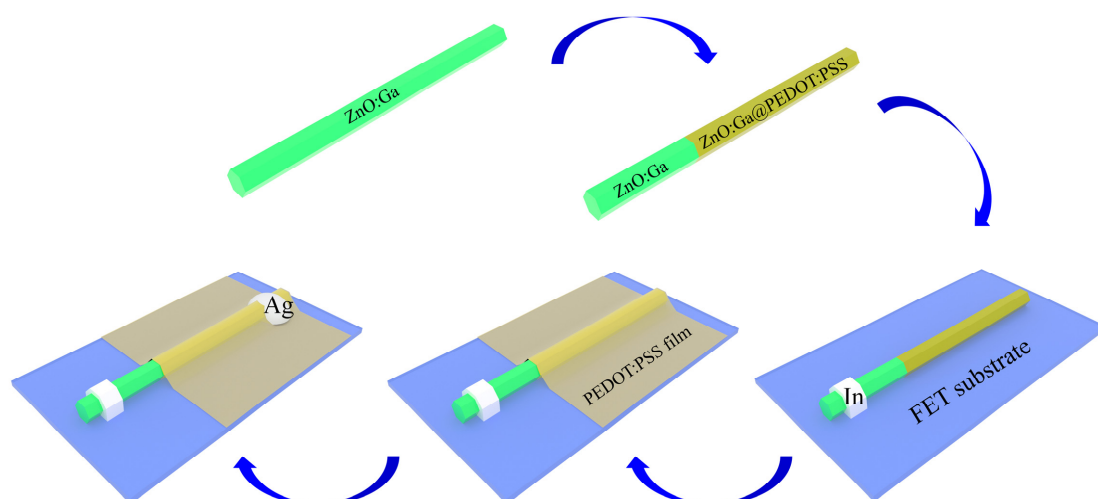
**Figure S4.** AFM images of the PEDOT:PSS film untreated (a), and treated by DMSO (b).



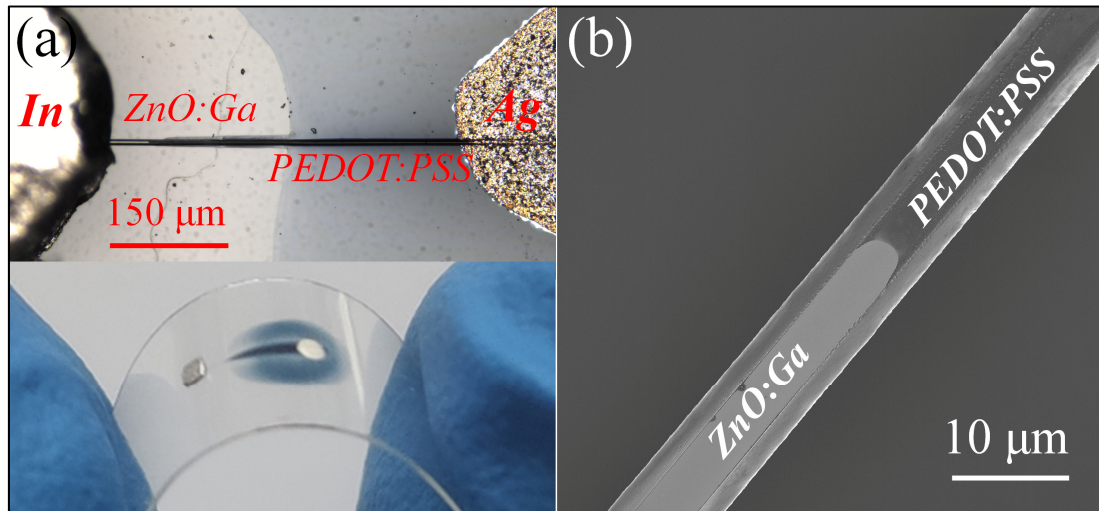
**Figure S5.** Optical photograph of the as-fabricated ZnO:Ga MW. The inset exhibits an optical image of an individual ZnO:Ga wire.



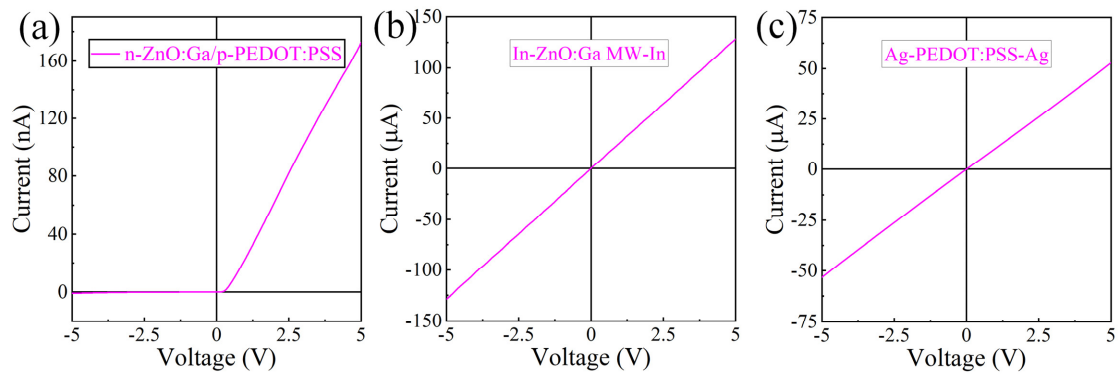
**Figure S6.** (a) PL spectrum of a ZnO:Ga MW. The excitation source is a 325 nm He-Cd laser. (b) Normalized absorbance spectrum of a single ZnO:Ga MW.



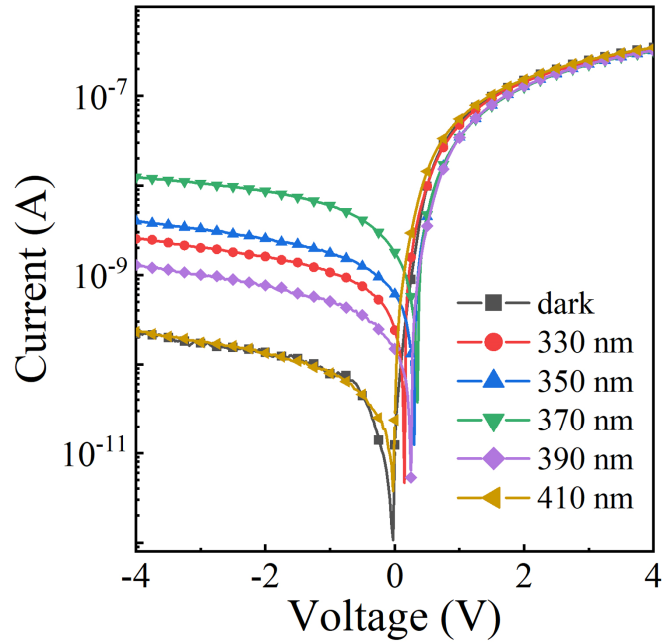
**Figure S7.** Schematic diagram of the fabrication process of the n-ZnO:Ga MW/p-PEDOT:PSS heterojunction device.



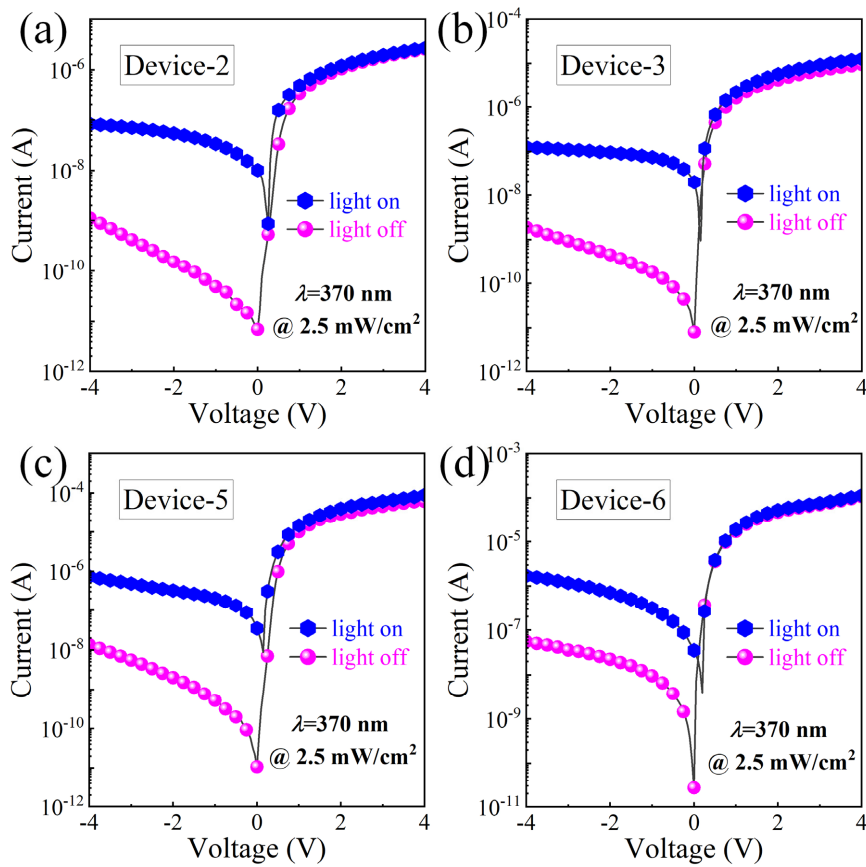
**Figure S8.** (a) Microscopic image (upper) and the corresponding optical photograph (down) of as-prepared n-ZnO:Ga MW/p-PEDOT:PSS heterojunction device. (b) SEM image of a single ZnO:Ga MW, in which the critical region of the wire was uncovered and covered by PEDOT:PSS.



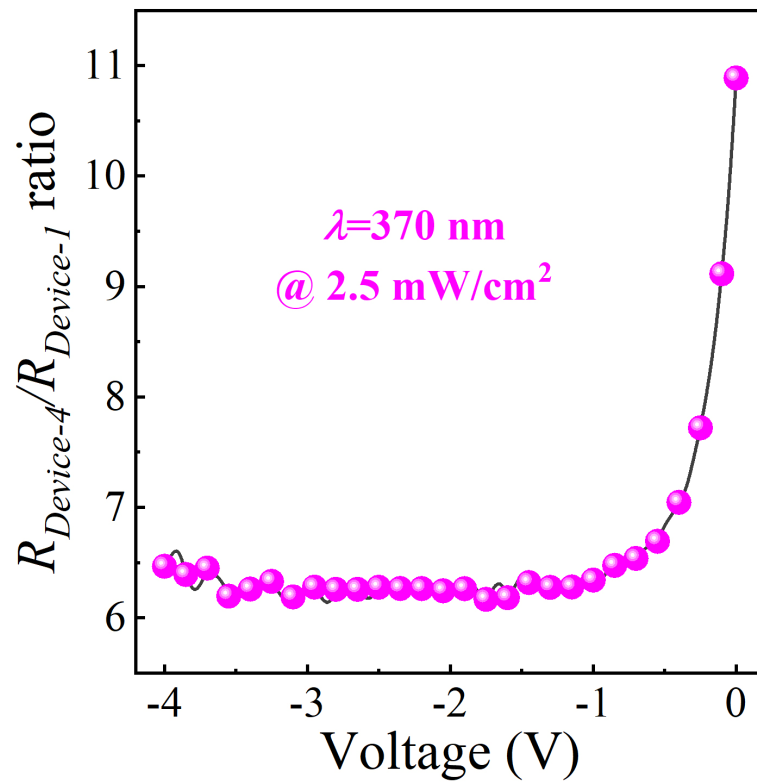
**Figure S9.**  $I$ - $V$  characteristics of the fabricated (a) n-ZnO:Ga MW/p-PEDOT:PSS heterostructure device in dark, (b) In-ZnO:Ga-In, and (c) Ag-PEDOT:PSS-Ag structures. In the devices structure, the PEDOT:PSS sample was untreated.



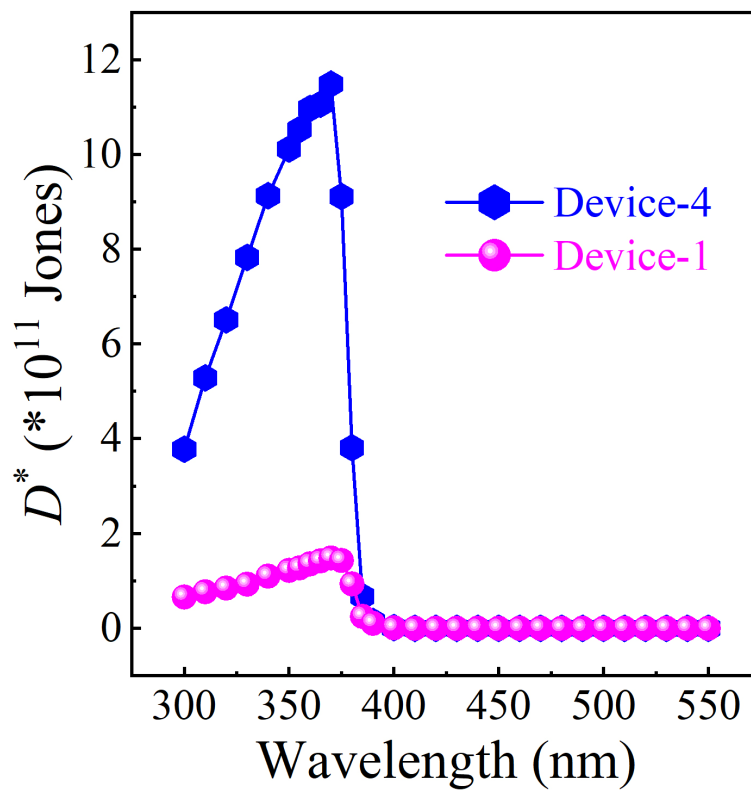
**Figure S10.**  $I$ - $V$  curves of the n-ZnO:Ga MW/p-PEDOT:PSS heterostructure device under the ultraviolet light illumination with various wavelengths.



**Figure S11.**  $I$ - $V$  curves of (a) Device-2, (b) Device-3, (c) Device-5 and (d) Device-6 in darkness and under 370 nm illumination with the light power density of 2.5 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>.



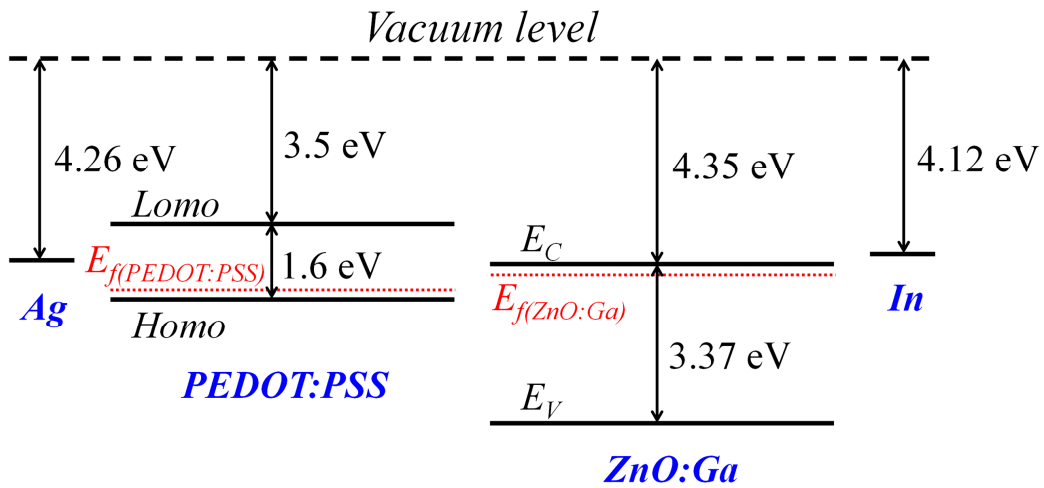
**Figure S12.** Enhancement ratio of the responsivities of the devices under 370 nm irradiation.



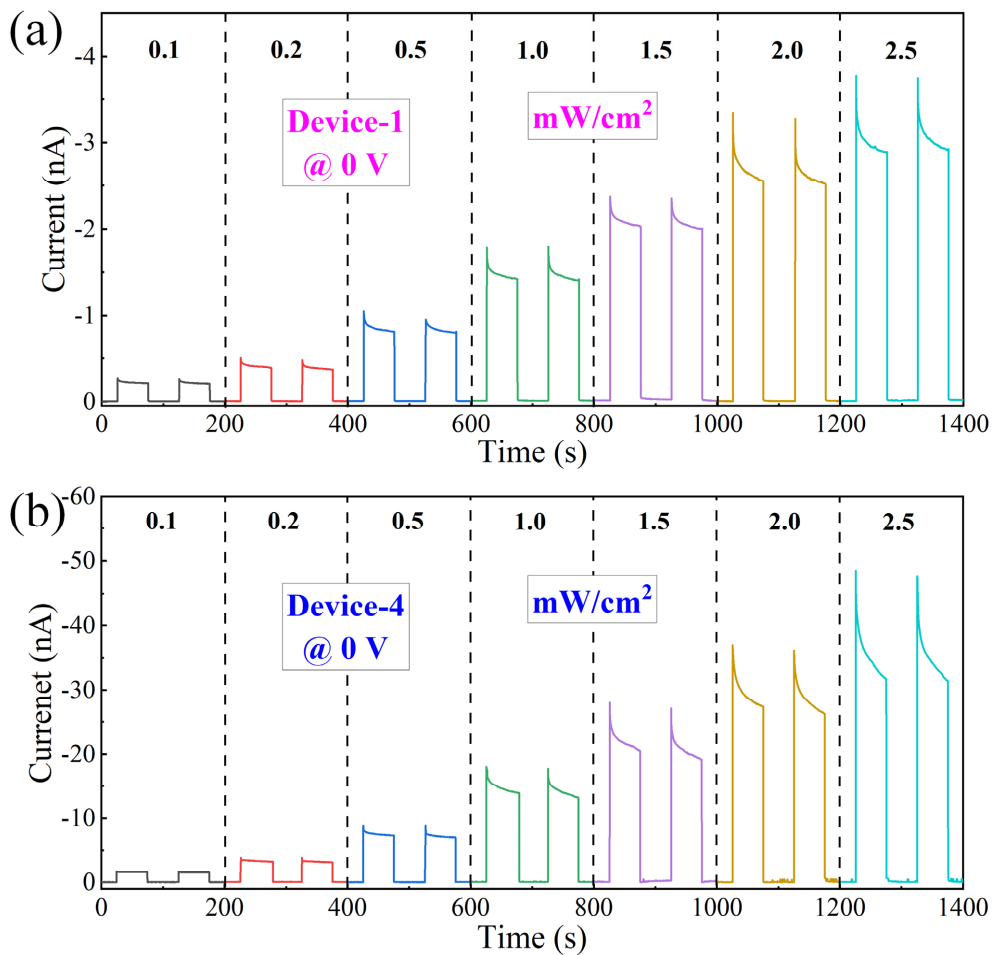
**Figure S13.** Wavelength-dependent detectivities of Device-1 and Device-4.



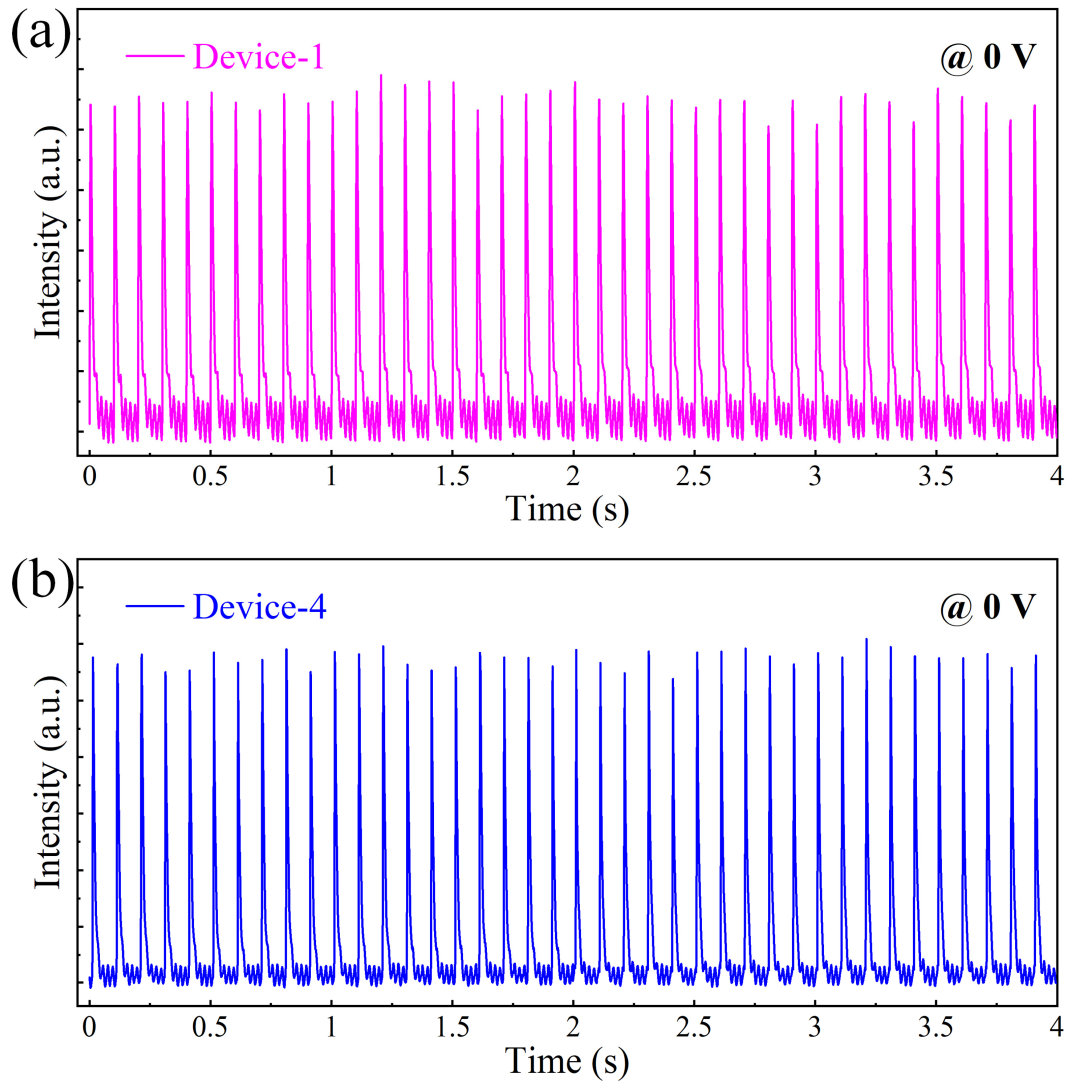




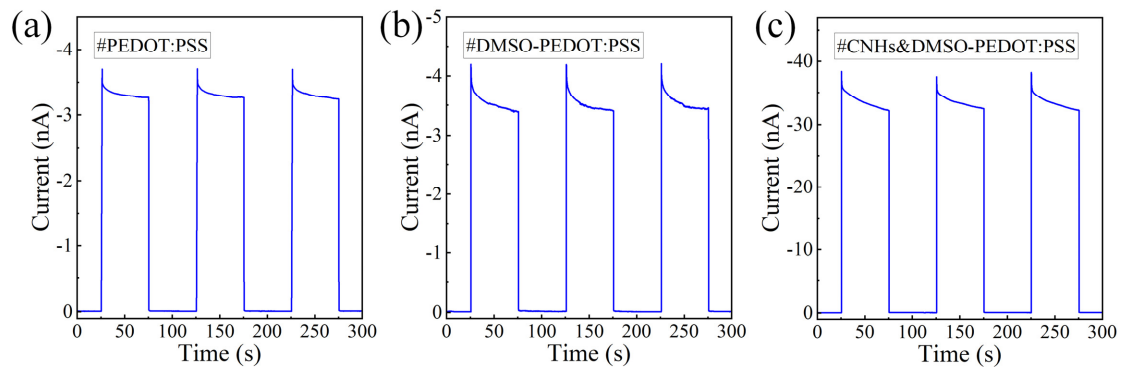
**Figure S14.** Energy band structure of the isolated components for the n-ZnO:Ga MW/p-PEDOT:PSS heterojunction photodetector.



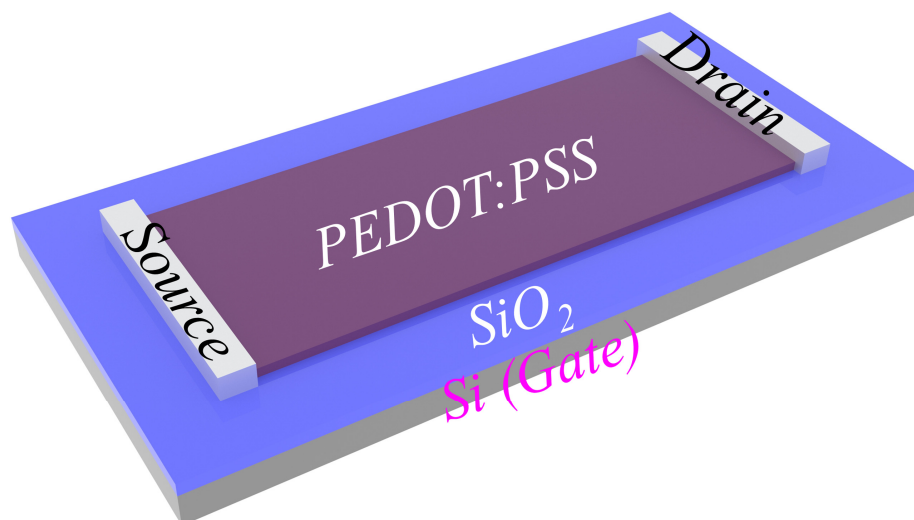
**Figure S15.** *I-t* curves of (a) Device-1 and (b) Device-4 with the irradiated light switch on and off under various power densities.



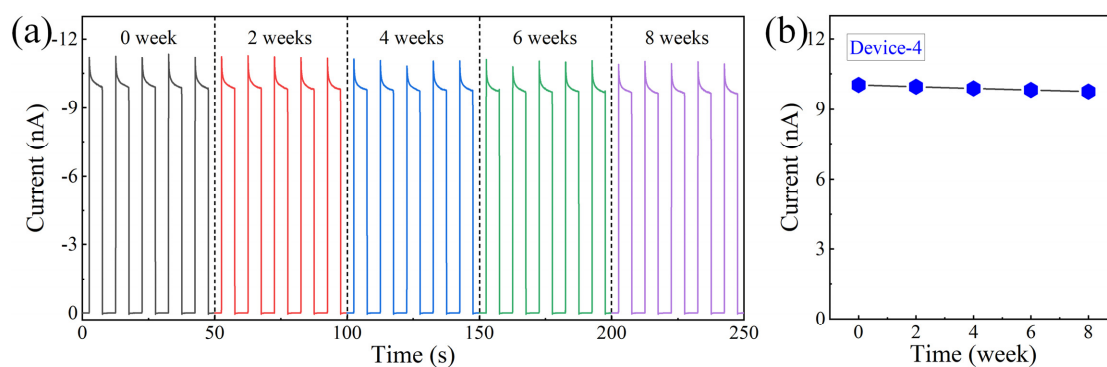
**Figure S16.** Multicycle time-resolved photoresponse curve of (a) Device-1 and (b) Device-4 upon 370 nm pulse laser illuminated.



**Figure S17.** The measured photoresponses of the fabricated n-ZnO:Ga MW/p-PEDOT:PSS heterojunction photodetectors, in which the used PEDOT:PSS samples was untreated (a), treated by DMSO (b) and CNHs&DMSO (c), respectively.



**Figure S18.** Schematic diagram of the fabricated OFET device, which is composed of a microribbon-like PEDOT:PSS film and SiO<sub>2</sub>/Si substrate. In the device structure, Ag pastes are employed as the electrodes.



**Figure S19.** Long time stability measurement of Device-4.