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# **Supporting Information**

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## Experimental

### 1. Chemicals

1-octadecene (ODE, 90%), oleic acid (OA, 90%), oleylamine (OAm, 70%), cyclohexane, lead chloride (PbCl<sub>2</sub>), manganese chloride (MnCl<sub>2</sub>), antimony trichloride (SbCl<sub>3</sub>), and toluene, ethyl acetate. All chemicals were directly used without further purification.

# 2. Preparation of Cs-oleate

0.407g of  $Cs_2CO_3$ , 10 ml of ODE, and 1.25 ml OA were loaded into a 20 ml glass bottle. The mixture was heated for 1h at 130 °C until  $Cs_2CO_3$  was completely dissolved to form a clear solution.

3. Synthesis of the  $Mn^{2+}$  doped or  $Mn^{2+}$  and  $Sb^{3+}$  co-doped CsPbCl<sub>3</sub> NCs. The  $Mn^{2+}$  doped or  $Mn^{2+}$  and  $Sb^{3+}$  co-doped CsPbCl<sub>3</sub> NCs were synthesized by hot injection method. In a typical synthesis, 0.375 mmol of PbCl<sub>2</sub>, MnCl<sub>2</sub> (and SbCl<sub>3</sub>), ODE (10 ml), OA (1ml), and OAm (1ml) were loaded into a 100 ml three-necked flask and heated at 130°C for 1h under N<sub>2</sub> atmosphere. Then the reaction temperature of the mixture was increased to 180°C and 1 ml of the Cs-oleate precursor was rapidly injected. After that, the mixture solution was kept at 180°C for 30s. Then, the reaction solution was cooled in cold water. The  $Mn^{2+}$ ,  $Sb^{3+}$  co-doped CsPbCl<sub>3</sub> NCs were obtained by regulating the molar feed ratio of MnCl<sub>2</sub>/SbCl<sub>3</sub>.

Characterization: TEM images were collected by Hitachi H-800 at 200KV. HRTEM and mapping were measured by JEM-2100F at 200KV. Absorption spectra collected with UV/visspectrophotometer (Shimadzu UV-1800). were RF-6000 Photoluminescence spectra were recorded on а Shimadzu spectrofluorometer. X-Ray Diffraction (XRD) patterns were measured by using a Bruker D8 diffractometer with Cu Ka radiation. Time-resolved emission decay curves were measured using a PLS980 time correlated single-photon counting (TCSPC) system. Low-temperature fluorescence spectroscopy was acquired using a tuneable optical parameter oscillator (OPO) as the excitation source and a visible photomultiplier (350-850 nm) combined with a double-grating monochromator for spectral collection. X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS) was collected by Kratos Axis UltraDLD. Absolute emission QY values were measured at room temperature using a commercial integrating sphere installed in FLS980 spectrometer from Edinburgh Instruments. Calibration of the photoluminescence QY value was performed using the standard sample YAG:Ce<sup>3+</sup> (BM302D, Jiangsu Bree Optronics Co., Ltd, peaking at 551 nm).

## **Calculation method**

First-principle calculations were performed by the density functional theory (DFT) using the Vienna Ab-initio Simulation Package (VASP) package.<sup>1</sup> The generalized gradient approximation (GGA) with the Perdew–Burke–Ernzerhof (PBE) functional were used to describe the electronic exchange and correlation effects.<sup>2</sup> Uniform G-

centered k-points meshes with a resolution of  $2\pi$ \*0.04 Å-1 and Methfessel-Paxton electronic smearing were adopted for the integration in the Brillouin zone for geometric optimization. The simulation was run with a cutoff energy of 500 eV throughout the computations. These settings ensure convergence of the total energies to within 1 meV per atom. Structure relaxation proceeded until all forces on atoms were less than 1 meV Å-1 and the total stress tensor was within 0.01 GPa of the target value. For the Mn<sup>2+</sup>- and Sb<sup>3+</sup>-doped CsPbCl<sub>3</sub> structure, CsPbCl<sub>3</sub> with tetragonal structure (space group: P4mm) was selected, and then we build a 2\*2\*2 supercell structure based on CsPbCl<sub>3</sub> unit cell, in which one Pb atom was replaced by Mn and the other Pb atom was replaced by Sb.





**Fig. S1.** EDS mapping images for (a) CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>, (b) CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>:Mn<sup>2+</sup>. It can be seen that the elements in each material are evenly distributed.



**Fig. S2.** (a) XPS total patterns, high-resolution XPS analysis of (b) Cl 2p and (c) Cs 3d for pure CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>, CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>:Mn<sup>2+</sup> and CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>:Mn<sup>2+</sup>, Sb<sup>3+</sup> respectively.



Fig. S3. Steady-state PL spectra for CsPbCl<sub>3</sub> NCs with varied the moral ratio of  $Sb^{3+}/Mn^{2+}$  upon the excitation of 365 nm source.



Fig. S4. PL spectra of CsPbCl<sub>3</sub> NCs with only Sb<sup>3+</sup> doping and changing the Sb<sup>3+</sup>/Pb<sup>2+</sup> molar ratio under excitation at 365 nm .



**Fig. S5.** (a) Temperature-dependent steady-state spectra (inset: enlarged image inside the dashed box) and (b) corresponding peak position and FWHM curves for CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>:Mn<sup>2+</sup> sample. (c) The plot of integrated PL intensity as a function of temperature for CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>:Mn<sup>2+</sup> sample.



Fig. S6. The optimized structure of (a) CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>:Mn<sup>2+</sup> and (b) CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>:Mn<sup>2+</sup>, Sb<sup>3+</sup> structures.



**Fig. S7.** Absorption spectra of (a)  $CsPbCl_3:Mn^{2+}$  and (b)  $CsPbCl_3:Mn^{2+}$ ,  $Sb^{3+}$  samples after anion exchange with varying amounts of  $PbBr_2$ .



Fig. S8. Time-resolved PL spectra of exciton emission for (a)  $CsPbCl_3:Mn^{2+}$  and (b)  $CsPbCl_3:Mn^{2+}$ ,  $Sb^{3+}$  samples.



Fig. S9. Device stability for CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>:Mn<sup>2+</sup> (red) and CsPbCl<sub>3</sub>:Mn<sup>2+</sup>, Sb<sup>3+</sup> (blue) samples.

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| Mn/Sb                | 0.3/0 | 0.5/0 | 0.1/0.5 | 0.3/0.5 | 0.5/0.5 |
|----------------------|-------|-------|---------|---------|---------|
| T <sub>ave</sub> /ms | 1.63  | 1.73  | 1.70    | 1.68    | 1.67    |

| Mn <sup>2+</sup> /Sb <sup>3+</sup> | 0.1/0   | 0.3/0   | 0.5/0   | 0.1/0.5 | 0.3/0.5 | 0.5/0.5  |
|------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| A1                                 | 9028.43 | 8526.48 | 8722.90 | 9064.97 | 9773.19 | 11054.68 |
| T <sub>1</sub> /ns                 | 1.38    | 1.31    | 1.21    | 1.07    | 0.95    | 0.99     |
| A2                                 | 1511.07 | 2067.68 | 1987.23 | 1648.21 | 1001.16 | 533.07   |
| T <sub>2</sub> /ns                 | 16.0    | 10.39   | 8.04    | 8.15    | 5.37    | 4.41     |
| T <sub>ave</sub> /ns               | 10.96   | 10.39   | 8.04    | 8.15    | 5.37    | 4.41     |

Table S2. Emission decay of exciton for CsPbCl<sub>3</sub> NCs with different moral ratios of Mn<sup>2+</sup>/Sb<sup>3+</sup>.

| Emission layer<br>materials                                  | EL peak position<br>(nm) | Max<br>EQE<br>(%) | Luminance<br>(cd/m <sup>2</sup> ) | Ref       |
|--|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Cs <sub>3</sub> Sb <sub>2</sub> Br <sub>9</sub> QDs          | 408                      | 0.21              | 29.60                             | 37        |
| Cs <sub>3</sub> CeBr <sub>6</sub> crystal                    | 391                      | 0.46              | -                                 | 38        |
| CsPbCl <sub>3</sub> :Mg NCs                                  | 402                      | 0.1               | 135                               | 39        |
| CsPbCl <sub>3</sub> :Mn <sup>2+</sup> , Sb <sup>3+</sup> NCs | 413                      | 0.39              | 121                               | This work |

**Table S3.** Summary of the performance of Violet LEDs.

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