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WS₂ supported PtO_x cluster for efficient photocatalytic CO₂

reduction: A DFT study

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Pt4O6-WS2			\$-47 <u>-</u> 5		\$47. \$	* ***		
Pt5O8-WS2		×						
Pt7O10-WS2								
Pt8O13-WS2								

Figure S1 Most stable structures for the most favorable pathways.

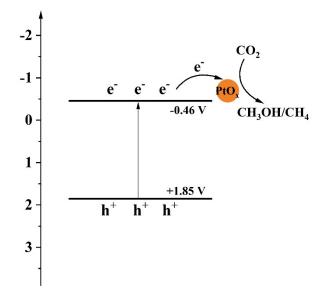


Figure S2 Schematic of the photocatalytic reduction of CO_2 on PtO_x -WS₂.

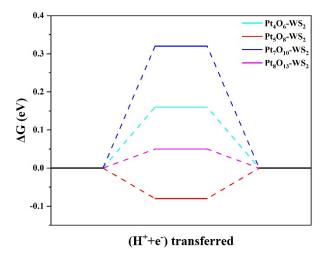


Figure S3 Gibbs free energy diagram of HER.