## Supporting Information

Electronic Interaction of Ruthenium Species on Bimetallic Phosphide for Superior Electrocatalytic Hydrogen Generation

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