

**Supporting Information**

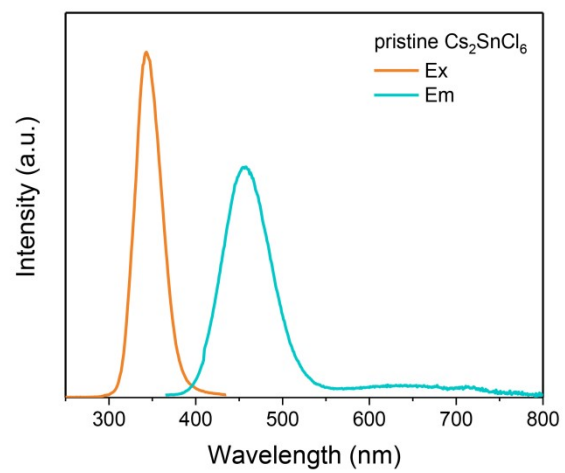
**Admirable Stability Achieved by ns<sup>2</sup> Ions Co-doping for All-inorganic Metal Halide towards Optical Anti-counterfeiting**

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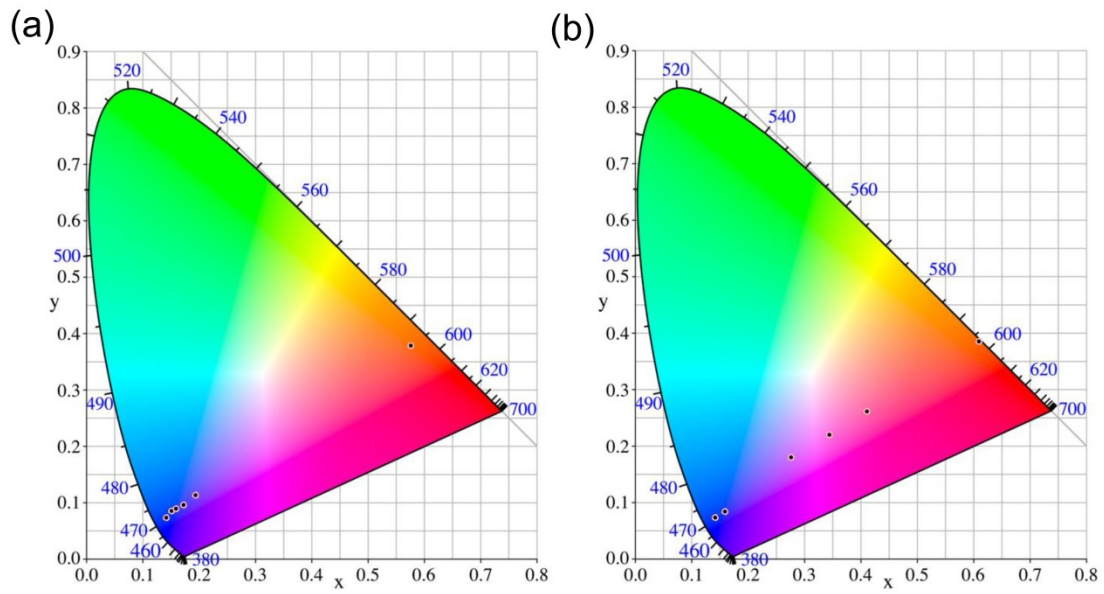
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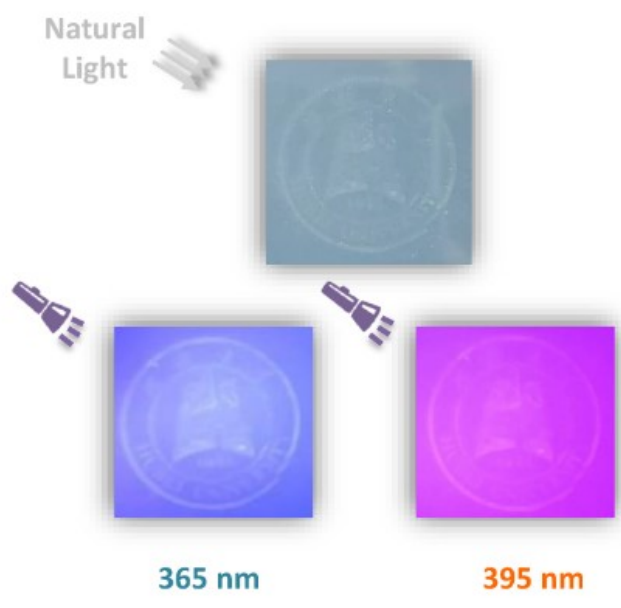
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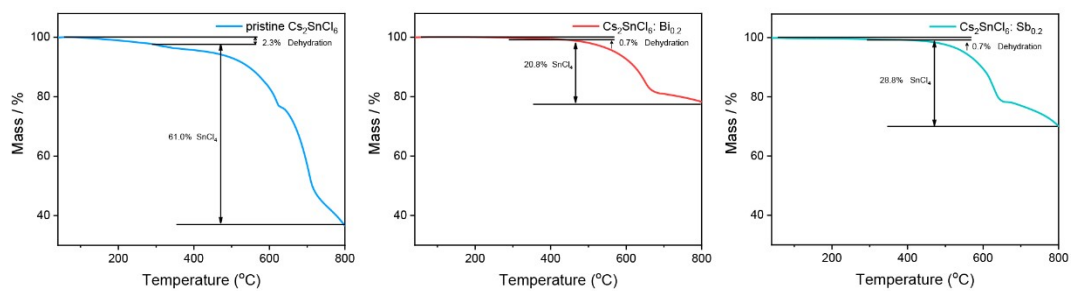
**Figure S1.** The PL and PLE spectra of pristine  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6$ .



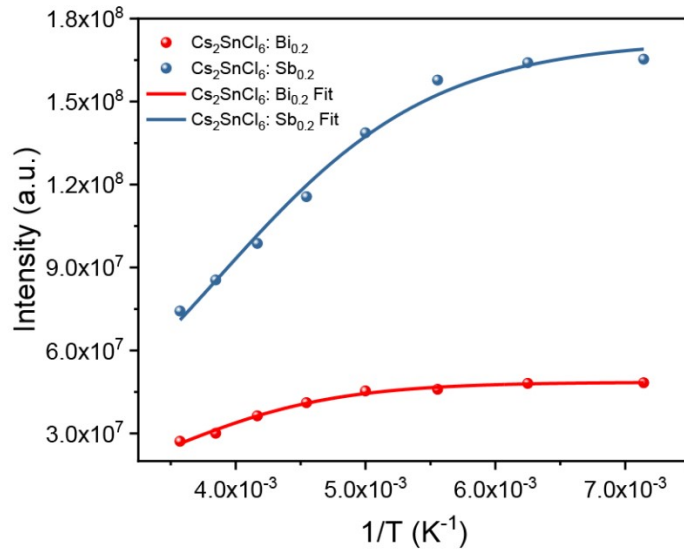
**Figure S2.** (a) CIE chromaticity coordinates of  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.2-x}\text{Sb}_x$  sample excited at 365 nm. ( $x=0, 0.04, 0.08, 0.12, 0.16, 0.2$ ) (b) CIE chromaticity coordinates of  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.2-x}\text{Sb}_x$  sample excited at 395 nm. ( $x=0, 0.04, 0.08, 0.12, 0.16, 0.2$ )



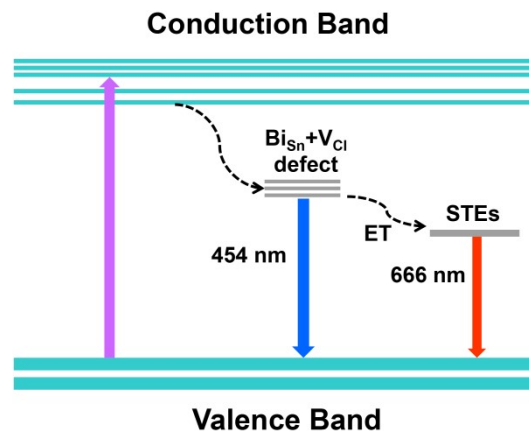
**Figure S3** Photograph of pattern made by anti-counterfeiting ink composed of  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.08}\text{Sb}_{0.12}$  at natural light and irradiated by a UV lamp at 365 nm and 395 nm



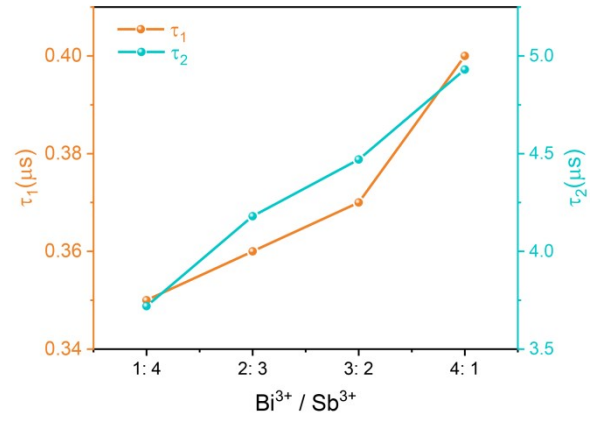
**Figure S4.** The thermogravimetric analysis of pristine  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6$ ,  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.2}$  and  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Sb}_{0.2}$ .



**Figure S5** Integrated PL intensity as a function of temperature for Cs<sub>2</sub>SnCl<sub>6</sub>: Bi<sub>0.2</sub> and Cs<sub>2</sub>SnCl<sub>6</sub>: Sb<sub>0.2</sub> crystals. The line represents fit curve of binding energies.

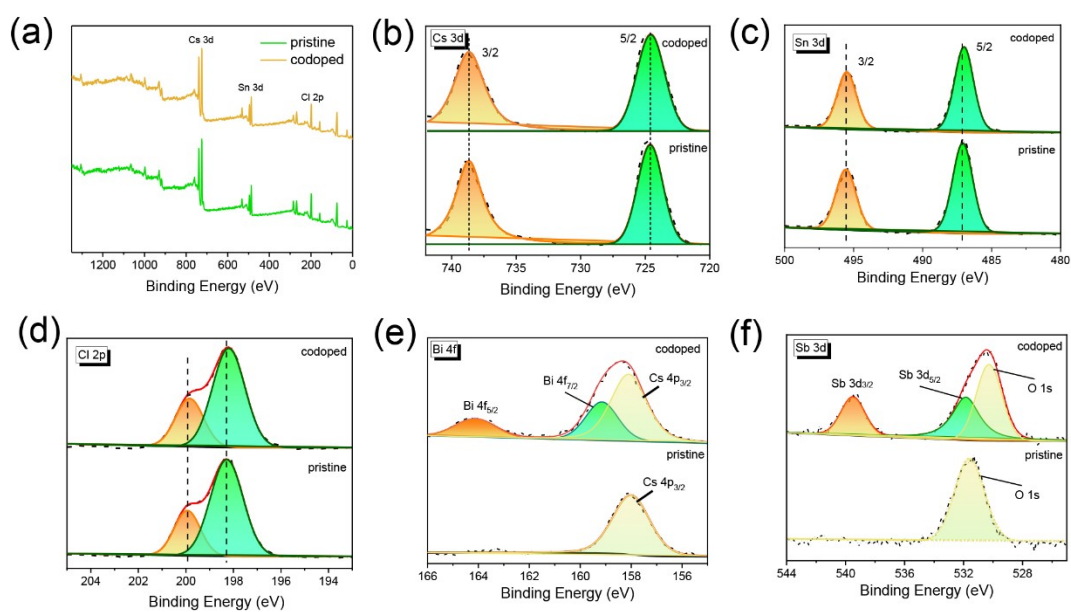


**Figure S6.** The schematic representation of the luminescent emission mechanism of Bi<sup>3+</sup> and Sb<sup>3+</sup> co-doped Cs<sub>2</sub>SnCl<sub>6</sub>.



**Figure S7.** Broken line of photoluminescence lifetime at 666nm with different  $\text{Bi}^{3+}/\text{Sb}^{3+}$  codoping contents.





**Figure S8 (a)** Full range of XPS of pristine  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6$  and  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.08}\text{Sb}_{0.12}$ . **(b-f)** High-resolution XPS of Cs ( $3d_{3/2}$ ,  $3d_{5/2}$ ), Sn ( $3d_{3/2}$ ,  $3d_{5/2}$ ), Cl ( $2p_{1/2}$ ,  $2p_{3/2}$ ), Bi ( $4f_{5/2}$ ,  $4f_{7/2}$ ) and Sb ( $3d_{3/2}$ ,  $3d_{5/2}$ ) in pristine  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6$  and  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.08}\text{Sb}_{0.12}$ .

**Table S1. Comparison of Bi<sup>3+</sup> and Sb<sup>3+</sup> concentrations obtained from ICP-MS of Cs<sub>2</sub>SnCl<sub>6</sub>: Bi<sub>0.2-x</sub>Sb<sub>x</sub> (x= 0, 0.04, 0.08, 0.12, 0.16, 0.2). Bi% is calculated following the equation  $([Bi]/[Sn]) \times 100\%$ . Sb% is calculated following the equation  $([Sb]/[Sn]) \times 100\%$ .**

Sample Category	Precursor		Product (ICP-MS)	
	Bi %	Sb %	Bi %	Sb %
Cs <sub>2</sub> SnCl <sub>6</sub> : Bi <sub>0.2</sub>	20	0	4.55	0
Cs <sub>2</sub> SnCl <sub>6</sub> : Bi <sub>0.16</sub> Sb <sub>0.04</sub>	16	4	4.49	3.34
Cs <sub>2</sub> SnCl <sub>6</sub> : Bi <sub>0.12</sub> Sb <sub>0.08</sub>	12	8	3.82	6.31
Cs <sub>2</sub> SnCl <sub>6</sub> : Bi <sub>0.08</sub> Sb <sub>0.12</sub>	8	12	2.30	7.47
Cs <sub>2</sub> SnCl <sub>6</sub> : Bi <sub>0.04</sub> Sb <sub>0.16</sub>	4	16	1.40	14.07
Cs <sub>2</sub> SnCl <sub>6</sub> : Sb <sub>0.2</sub>	0	20	0	14.89

**Table S2.** The lifetime ( $\mu\text{s}$ ) of  $\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.2-x}\text{Sb}_x$  ( $x = 0, 0.04, 0.08, 0.12, 0.16, 0.2$ ) at 454 and 666 nm.

Emission Peak	$\tau(\mu\text{s})$	$\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.2}$	$\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.16}\text{Sb}_{0.04}$	$\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.12}\text{Sb}_{0.08}$	$\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.08}\text{Sb}_{0.12}$	$\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Bi}_{0.04}\text{Sb}_{0.16}$	$\text{Cs}_2\text{SnCl}_6:\text{Sb}_{0.2}$
454 nm	$\tau$	0.3819	0.3425	0.3276	0.3087	0.3064	—
666 nm	$\tau_1$	—	0.40	0.37	0.36	0.35	0.34
	$\tau_2$	—	4.93	4.47	4.18	3.72	3.84