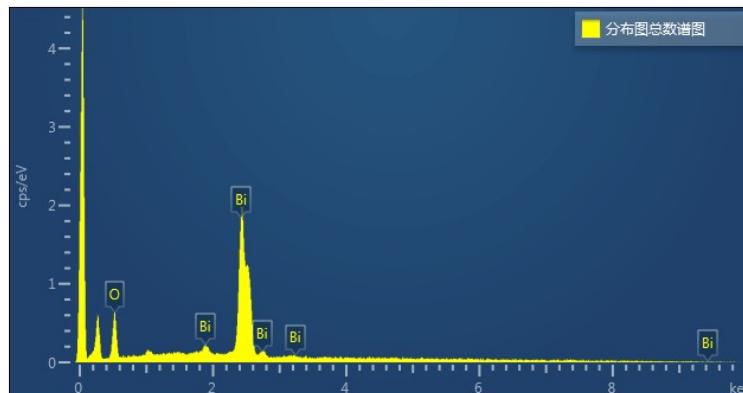


## 1 Support information



element	Line type	apparent concentration	k specific value	Wt%	Wt% Sigma	Standard sample labels
O	K linear system	0.10	0.00035	10.45	0.40	SiO <sub>2</sub>
Bi	M linear system	0.58	0.00580	89.55	0.40	Bi

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Figure S1. The EDS element mappings of Bi<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/BiO<sub>2</sub> -2

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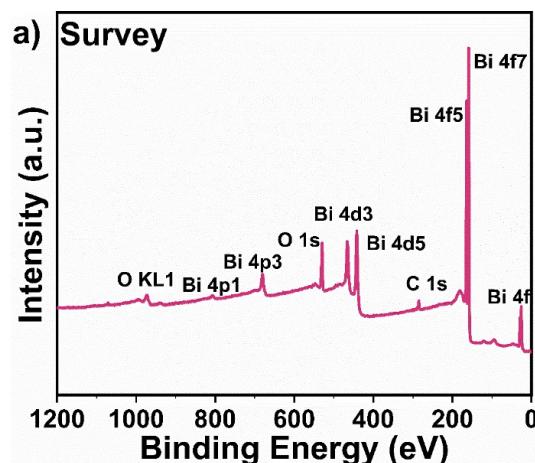


Figure S2. XPS spectra for Bi<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/BiO<sub>2</sub> -2 of survey scan

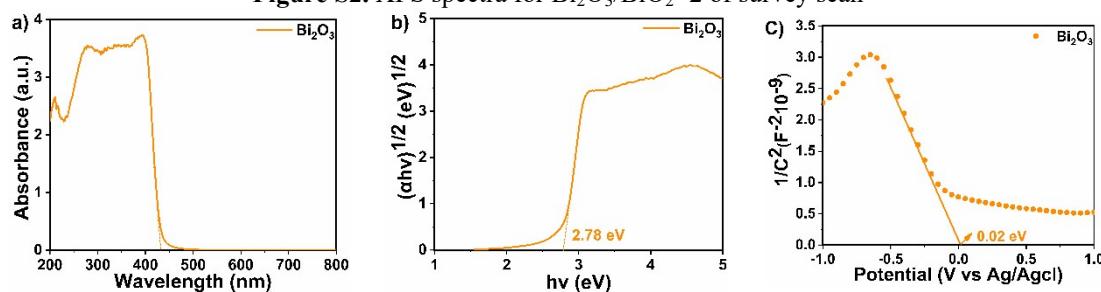


Figure S3. (a) UV-visible diffuse reflectance spectrum of Bi<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, (b)  $(\alpha h\nu)^{1/2}$  vs.  $h\nu$  curves of Bi<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, (c) Mott-Schottky plot of Bi<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

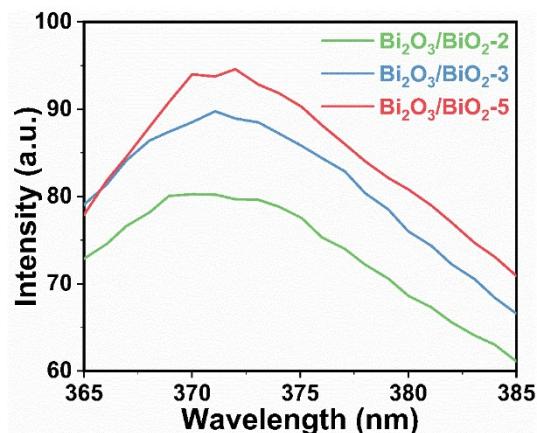


Figure S4. PL spectra of  $\text{Bi}_2\text{O}_3/\text{BiO}_2$

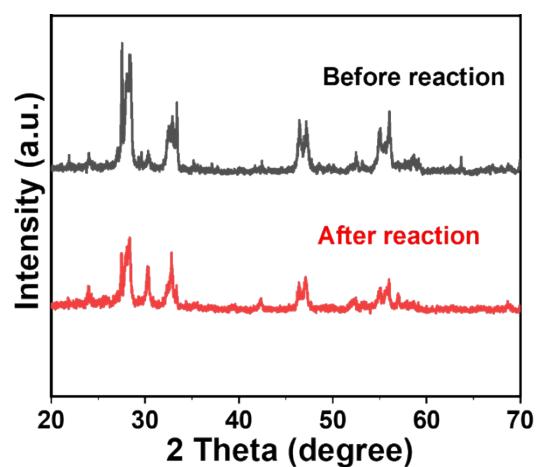


Figure S5. XRD pattern after reaction

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