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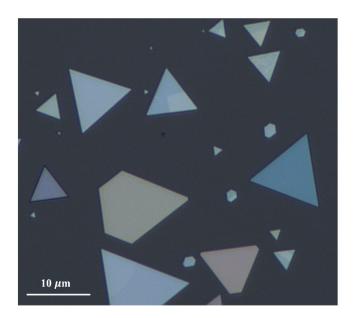
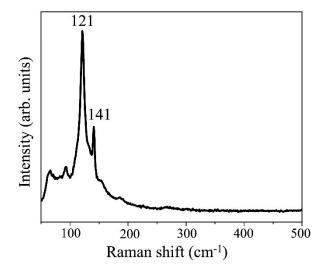
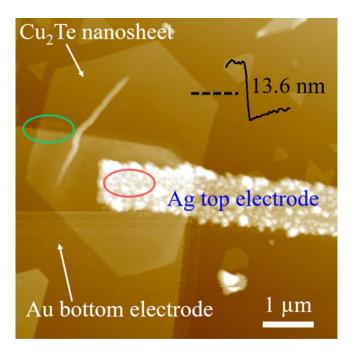


Fig. S1 The OM image of the Cu<sub>2</sub>Te nanosheets.



 $Fig. \ S2 \quad The \ Raman \ spectra \ of \ Cu_2Te \ nanosheet.$ 



**Fig. S3** Typical AFM image of the Cu<sub>2</sub>Te vertical device with Au bottom electrode and Ag top electrode. Red oval: Ag actively participates in switching reactions of memristor, resulting in the observed particle size. Green oval: A dual-layer resist process involving MMA and PMMA was used in the preparation of the Au electrode, resulting in a distinct multilayer structure.

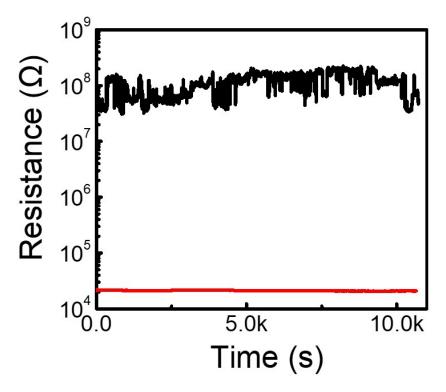


Fig. S4 Typical retention performance of Cu<sub>2</sub>Te vertical device.

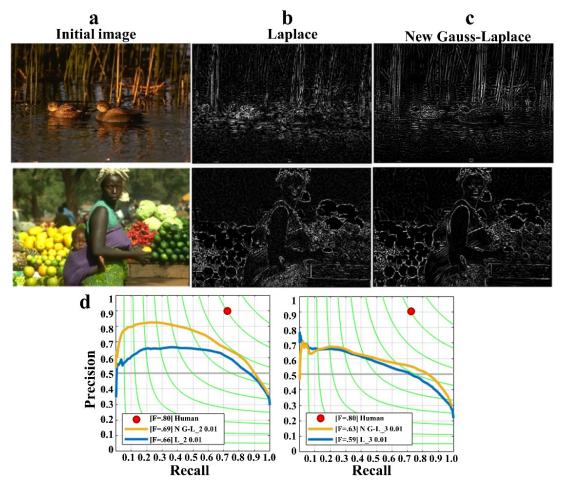
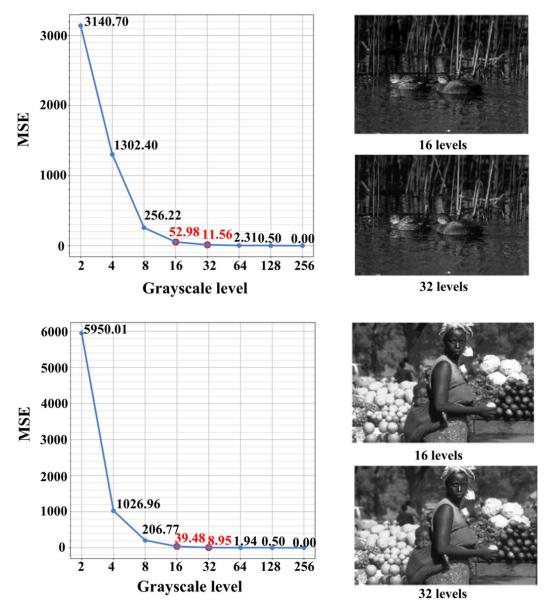


Fig. S5 a The initial input images figures 2 and 3. b-c The edge detection results of input images figures 2 and 3 with noisy ( $\sigma$ =0.01) are obtained by using the Laplace operator and the new Gauss-Laplace operator respectively. d The P-R curves are used to evaluate the edge detection results of two operators. N G-L denotes the new Gauss-Laplace operator and L denotes the Laplace operator. The number 2 and 3 represent the two images figures 2 and 3 in Figure S1a. The number 0.01 represents the standard deviation of noise  $\sigma$  (0.01).



**Fig. S6** The changes of MSE values when reducing grayscale levels of grayscale images figures 2 and 3 from 256 grayscale levels to 2 grayscale levels. In addition, the images' 16-grayscale-level and 32-grayscale-level counterpart are presented.