Electronic Supplementary Information for

Circularly polarized luminescence with large dissymmetry factors based

on perovskite and cholesteric liquid crystal polymer network film

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Experimental Section

In the CPL measurements, the excitation wavelength was 355 nm, the scan speed was 500 nm/min, the number of scans was 1, the slit width was 3000 μ m for excitation and the monitor, and the time constant of PMT (D.I.T.) was 1 s. The value of g_{lum} is experimentally defined as g_{lum} = [ellipticity/(32980/ln10)]/PL (DC in volts) = $\Delta I/I = \Delta I/PL$ (DC in volts) at a CPL wavelength, while PL (DC in volts) stands for total luminescence *I*, and $I = I_L + I_R$.^{S1, S2} To eliminate the effect of line polarization luminescence of the films, a plate holder was used to allow the samples to rotate 360°, and the CPL spectra from 4 scans at 90° intervals were algebraically averaged. For CLCN-coated PET films, considering the waveguide effect of the PET substrate, the excitation light was set to pass through the PET substrate and the CLCN coating subsequently in the CPL test.^{S3}

Materials and instruments

Compounds cesium bromide, cesium chloride, lead(II) bromide, lead(II) iodide, oleic acid, and oleylamine, were obtained from Aladdin Chemical Co., Ltd (Shanghai, China). N.N-Dimethylformamide (DMF), dichloromethane (DCM), ethyl acetate (EA), 1,2-dimethoxyethane (DME), and toluene were purchased from Shanghai Lingfeng Chemical Reagent Co., Ltd. PMMA was purchased from Sinopharm Chemical Reagent Co., Ltd. (Shanghai, China). Polyethylene terephthalate (PET) films were purchased from Nanya plastics Co., Ltd (Nantong, China). The photopolymerization was conducted using a UV-LED series equipment (UVSF81T, 365 nm, 400 mW cm⁻², output power) produced by FUTANSI Electronic Technology Co., Ltd (Shanghai, China) and a high-pressure Hg lamp (MINHIO 4012-20, 350-450 nm, 1000 W, input power), produced by MINHIO Intelligent Equipment Co., Ltd (Shenzhen, China). FE-SEM images were obtained using a Hitachi Regulus8230 operating (Ibaraki Prefecture, Japan) at 5.0 kV. DRCD spectra were measured by using a JASCO 815 spectrometer (Tokyo, Japan). UV-vis spectra were measured by a UV-vis-NIR spectrophotometer (UV3600, Shimadzu, Japan). POM images of the target compounds were taken using a Leica Microsystems CMS GmbH fitted with a Linkam LTS420 hot stage. Fluorescence spectra and absolute quantum yields were measured by FLS 980 (Edinburgh Instrument, UK). Fluorescence lifetimes were measured on a steady-state lifetime fluorescence spectrometer FLS1000 (Edinburgh Instrument, UK). CPL spectra were measured on JASCO CPL-300 (JASCO, Japan).

Preparation of CLCN-coated PET films

CLCN-coated PET films were prepared by photopolymerization of the CLC mixtures (Table S1). These mixtures were dissolved in a solvent mixture of cyclopentane and EA to form a solution with 20 wt% of solid content. The solutions were coated on rubbing-oriented PET film using a 40 μ m Mayer bar for controlling thickness. After coating, the samples were heated at 120 °C for 3-5 min to evaporate the solvent. Finally, the films were obtained by curing with a high-pressure Hg lamp (1000 W) for 5.0 s.

In situ preparation of PMMA-CsPbX₃ film

CsBr (21.3 mg, 0.1 mmol) and PbBr₂ (36.7 mg, 0.1 mmol) were dissolved in DMF (3.0 mL). Oleic acid (0.3 mL) and oleylamine (0.2 mL) were added to stabilize the precursor solution. 1.0 mL of the precursor solution was quickly added into toluene (10.0 mL) under vigorous stirring. Due to the poor solubility of the precursors in toluene, phase separation occurred to form the CsPbBr₃ colloid. Similarly, CsPbBrI₂ colloid was prepared using 0.1 mmol of CsBr (21.3 mg) and 0.1 mmol of PbI₂ (46.1 mg) as starting materials, while CsPbClBr₂ colloid was prepared using 0.1 mmol of CsBr (21.3 mg) and 0.1 mmol of CsCl (16.8 mg) and 0.1 mmol of PbBr₂ (36.7 mg) as starting materials.

Then, 1.0 mL of the CsPbX₃ colloid, 50.0 mg PMMA, and 0.5 mL DCM solution were mixed. A thin layer was prepared by casting the solution onto the surface of a quartz plate. Finally, the PMMA-CsPbX₃ film was obtained by keeping the coated quartz plate at 90 $^{\circ}$ C for 5.0 min.

Preparation of PAN-CsPbBr₃ film

The CsPbBr₃ colloid described above was centrifuged for 10 min at 2000 rpm to afford the precipitation. The CsPbBr₃ powder was obtained after washed with acetone and toluene.

PAN powder (1.0 g) and CsPbBr₃ powder (20.0 mg) were fully dissolved in 9.0 mL of anhydrous DMF. After stirring for 3 h at 70 °C, the solution was used to produce nanofibers by electrostatic spinning with an applied low potential of 5.0 kV, high potential of 12.5 kV, collection distance of 15.0 cm, and inflow rate of 0.1 mm min⁻¹. The as-prepared PAN-CsPbBr₃ nanofibers were collected by the CLCN-coated PET film.

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Table S1 Mass percentages of compounds in CLC mixtures with different concentrations of CA-iso.

Colour	LC242	C6C1	Irgacure 369	CA-iso
Red	82.6	10.0	4.5	2.9
Green	82.0	10.0	4.5	3.5
Blue	81.8	10.0	4.5	3.7



Fig. S1 Emission decay curves with fitted curves (using double exponential functions) of (a) PMMA-CsPbClBr₂, (b) PMMA-CsPbBr₃, (c) PMMA-CsPbBrI₂ films.



Fig. S2 POM images of CLC mixtures at 80 $^{\circ}$ C with different concentrations of CA-iso: (a) 2.9, (b) 3.5, and (c) 3.7 wt%.



Fig. S3 Cross-sectional FE-SEM images of CLCN films with different concentrations of CA-iso: (a) 2.9, (b) 3.5, and (c) 3.7 wt%.



Fig. S4 Emission decay curves with fitted curves (using double exponential functions) of (a) CsPbBr₃ at solid state and (c) the PAN-CsPbBr₃ film.