

## Supporting Information

### Synergistic Mixed Halide and Additive Strategy for Efficient Pure Red Quasi-2D Perovskite Light-Emitting Diodes

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## Experimental Section

**Materials:** phenylethylammonium iodide (PEAI, 99.5%), Cesium iodide (CsI, 99.999%), lead bromide ( $\text{PbBr}_2$ , 99.999%), lead iodide ( $\text{PbI}_2$ , 99.999%), and N,N'-Bis(3-methylphenyl)-N,N'-bis(phenyl)benzidine (TPD, 99.0%) were procured from Xi'an Yuri Solar Co., Ltd. Tris(4-carbazoyl-9-ylphenyl)amine (TCTA, 99.8%), lithium fluoride (LiF, 99.99%), and Molybdenum(VI) Oxide ( $\text{MoO}_3$ , 99.998%) were obtained from Lumtec. Rubidium iodide (RbI, 99.9%) was purchased from Macklin. N,N-Dimethylformamide (DMF, 99.8%), Dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO), and chlorobenzene (CB) were acquired from Sigma Aldrich. All chemicals were employed as received, without any additional purification.

**Perovskite Precursor Preparation:** The pristine perovskite precursor solutions were synthesized by dissolving PEA, RbI, CsI,  $\text{PbBr}_2$ , and  $\text{PbI}_2$  in a molar ratio of 0.7:0.1:1:0.53:0.47 with a DMSO:DMF (1:4, v:v) mixed solvent. For the TDA-modified perovskite precursors, TDA was incorporated into the pristine precursor solution at a molar ratio of 0.055: 0.7:0.1:1:0.53:0.47 for defect passivation. The concentration of  $\text{Pb}^{2+}$  in perovskite precursor solution was maintained at 0.095 M. All precursor solutions were stirred under nitrogen atmosphere in a glovebox at 40 °C for 8 hours prior to utilization.

**Device Fabrication:** The PeLEDs were fabricated following a well-established procedure. The patterned ITO glasses were ultrasonically cleaned with detergent, deionized water, and ethyl alcohol, and then baked at 120°C for 20 min. The ITO substrates were treated with  $\text{O}_2$  plasma for 10 min and transferred into a nitrogen-filled glove box. The LiMg-ZnO (14 mg  $\text{mL}^{-1}$ ) in ethanol solvent was spin-coated at 3000 rpm for 30 s and then baked at 140 °C for 20 min. Here, PEI (0.5 mg  $\text{mL}^{-1}$ ) in ethanol solvent was spin-coated at 3000 rpm for 30 s and then baked at 80 °C for 5 min. Naturally cool to room temperature, the pristine and TDA-modified perovskite precursor solution was spin-coated onto the above substrates at 3000 rpm for 50s. Next, TPD (1 mg  $\text{mL}^{-1}$ ) in 1,4-dioxane solvent was spin-coated at 3000 rpm for 20 s and then baked at 100 °C for 2 min. Finally, TCTA (30 nm),  $\text{MoO}_3$  (7.0 nm), and Al (130 nm) were evaporated with a high-vacuum deposition system. The emission area of these PeLEDs was 2 mm × 2 mm by the overlapping area of the ITO and Al electrodes. Current density-voltage ( $J$ - $V$ ) curves were measured by using a dual-channel Keithley 2400 instrument. The EL spectra, current efficiency, and EQE were measured by using an integrating sphere, a multi-channel analyzer PMA-12, and

an external quantum efficiency measurement system (C9920-12, Hamamatsu Photonics, Japan). Before taking out the glove box for EQE testing, all the PeLEDs were easily encapsulated with a UV-cured epoxy resin.

**Thin Film and Device Characterizations:** UV-vis absorption spectra were acquired using a SHIMADZU/UV-3600 PLUS spectrophotometer. XRD spectra were measured by a multipurpose SmartLab SE Japan Rigaku system. The Fourier transform infrared spectroscopy (FTIR) measurement was conducted by using Thermo Scientific Nicolet iS5. X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS) was obtained on an Thermo Scientific Nexsa G2 system. SEM images were taken with a ZEISS/SIGMA500 system. PL spectra were measured using an Edinburgh FL980 fluorescence spectrophotometer with a 375 nm xenon lamp as the excitation light source. Time-resolved PL decay spectra were measured with an Edinburgh FL980 fluorescence spectrophotometer with a 371.6 nm ps diode laser as the excitation light source. PLQYs of the perovskite films were measured by a commercialized PLQY measurement system from Ocean Optics with a 375 nm LED as the excitation light source.

**Calculation of radiative & non-radiative decay rate:**

The TRPL spectra were fitted by a triexponential function following the Equations S1 below:

$$y = \sum A_i \exp\left(-\frac{t}{\tau_i}\right) \quad (\text{S1})$$

Where  $i = 1, 2, 3$ , the  $A_1, A_2$ , and  $A_3$  are the normalized pre-exponential factors, and  $\tau_1$  is the fast decay time constant,  $\tau_2$ , and  $\tau_3$  are the lifetimes of the slow decay component.

The average PL lifetime ( $\tau_{avg}$ ) can be calculated by the following equation S2:

$$\tau_{avg} = \frac{\sum A_i \tau_i^2}{\sum A_i \tau_i} \quad (\text{S2})$$

The radiative recombination rate ( $k_r$ ) and the nonradiative recombination rate ( $k_{nr}$ ) were obtained using the following Equation S3 and S4:

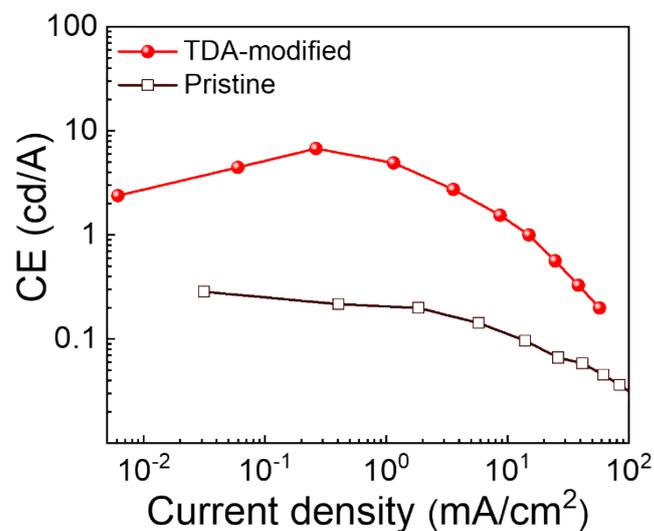
$$k_r = \frac{PLQY}{\tau_{avg}} \quad (S3)$$

$$k_{nr} = \frac{1}{\tau_{avg}} - k_r \quad (S4)$$

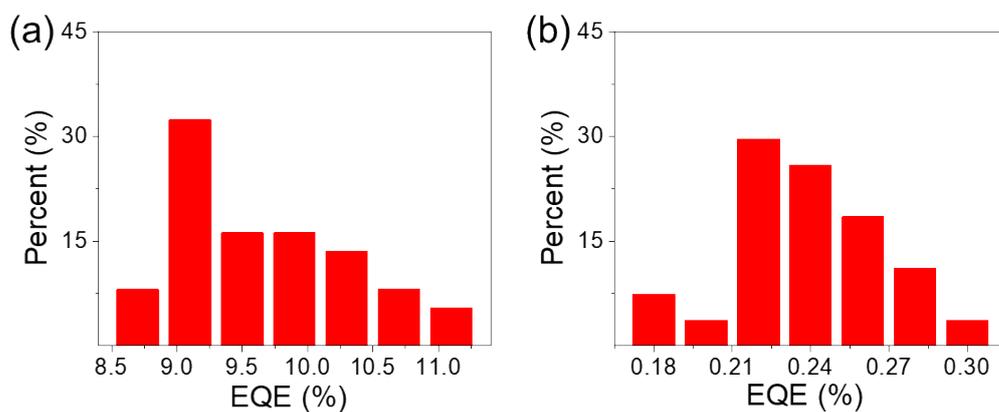
The relationship between PLQY and EQE can be expressed as Equation S5:

$$\eta_{EQE} = \eta_b \times \eta_{IQE} \times \eta_{out} \quad (S5)$$

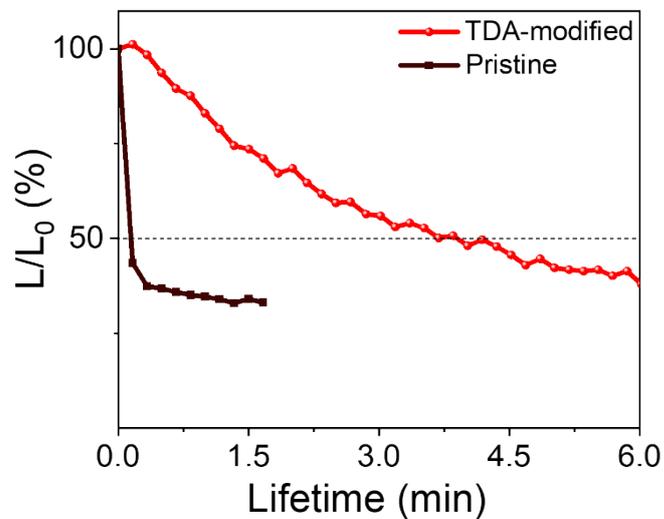
wherein,  $\eta_b$  is the charge carrier-balance efficiency,  $\eta_{IQE}$  is the PLQY of the perovskite film, and  $\eta_{out}$  is the light out-coupling efficiency.



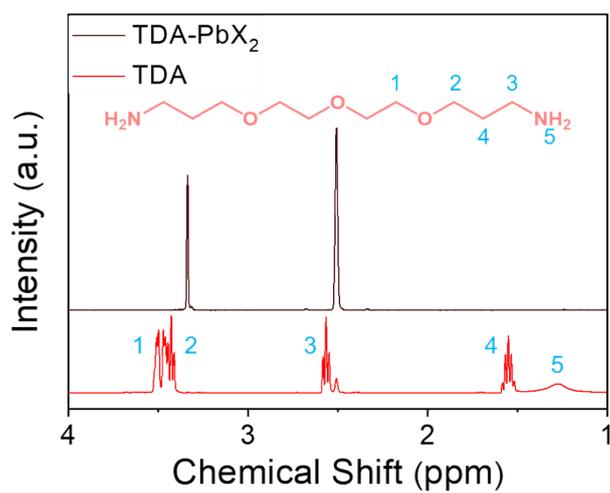
**Fig. S1** Current efficiency-current efficiency (*CE-J*) curves of TDA-modified and Pristine PeLEDs.



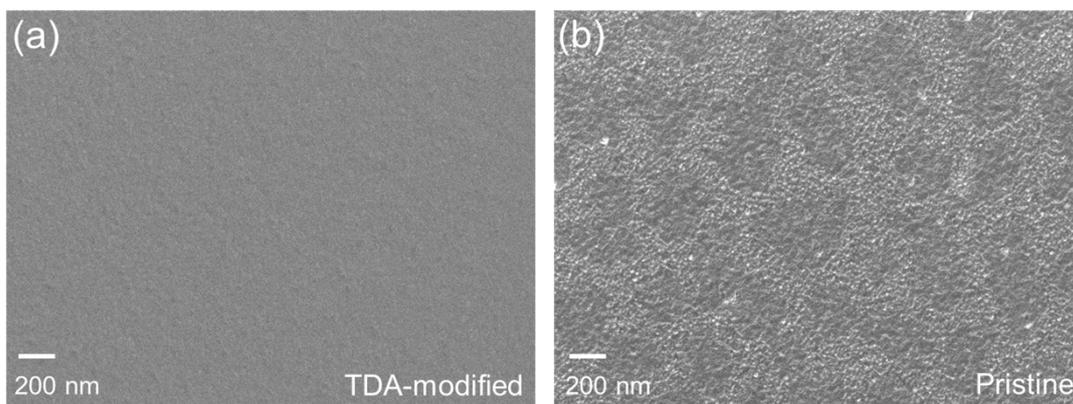
**Fig. S2** Statistical EQE performance. (a) TDA-modified PeLEDs with an average EQE of 9.67% from 28 devices, and (b) pristine perovskite with an average EQE of 0.24% from 31 devices.



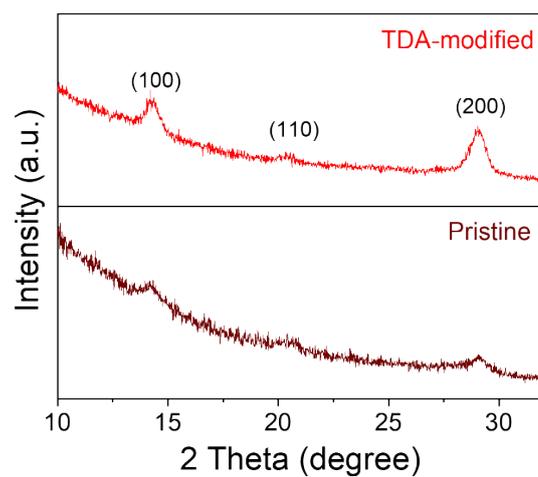
**Fig. S3**  $T_{50}$  lifetime of the TDA-modified and Pristine PeLEDs.



**Fig. S4**  $^1\text{H}$  nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) spectroscopy of pure TDA additive and its mixture with  $\text{PbX}_2$ .



**Fig. S5** The SEM images of (a) TDA-modified and (b) pristine perovskite films.



**Fig. S6** XRD spectra of TDA-modified and pristine perovskite films.

Table S1. Performance summary of pristine and TDA-modified PeLEDs.

Light-Emitting layers	$V_{\text{on}}$ (V)	$CE_{\text{max}}$ (cd/A)	$EQE_{\text{max}}$ (%)	EL (nm)	$CIE_x$	$CIE_y$
Pristine	2.5	0.22	0.25	638	0.713	0.312
TDA-modified	2.25	6.76	12.39	650	0.711	0.290

Table S2. TRPL fitting parameters of pristine and TDA-modified perovskite films.

Light-Emitting layers	$A_1$	$\tau_1$ (ns)	$A_2$	$\tau_2$ (ns)	$A_3$	$\tau_3$ (ns)	$\tau_{\text{avg}}$ (ns)
Pristine	2137.23	0.94	299.68	4.3	27.92	22.14	5.39
TDA-modified	933.4	6.56	827.94	25.05	130.54	100.28	46.86

Table S3. PL average lifetimes ( $\tau_{\text{avg}}$ ), PLQY, radiative decay rates ( $k_r$ ), and nonradiative decay rates ( $k_{nr}$ ) of the pristine and TDA-modified perovskite films.

Light-Emitting layers	$\tau_{\text{avg}}$ (ns)	PLQY (%)	$k_r$ ( $10^6 \text{ s}^{-1}$ )	$k_{nr}$ ( $10^6 \text{ s}^{-1}$ )	$k_r: k_{nr}$
Pristine	5.39	11.9	22.08	163.45	0.14
TDA-modified	46.86	66.2	39.26	7.21	5.45