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Supplementary Material

TiO₂ Films Functionalized with ABDA for Enhanced Photoelectrochemical Performance

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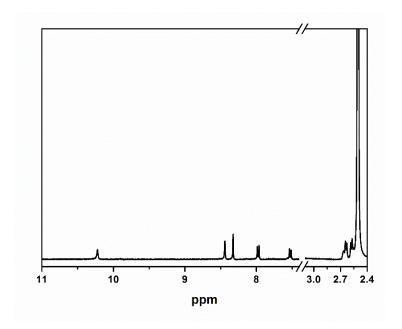


Figure S1¹H NMR spectrum of ABDA.

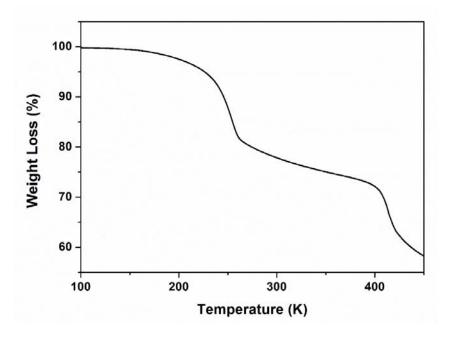


Figure S2 TG curve of ABDA in the range of 100-450 $^{\rm o}\rm{C}$ under N_2 atmosphere.

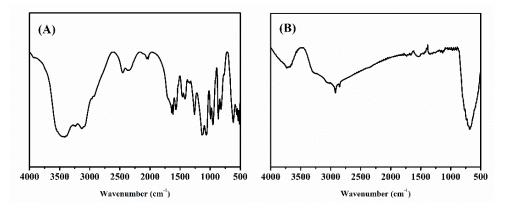


Figure S3 IR spectra of ABDA (A) and ABDA/TiO₂ (B).

The thermogravimetric analysis (TG) indicated that ABDA was stable enough under N_2 atmosphere at approximately 200 °C. Therefore, we preferred to calcine the FTO glass for the preparation of ABDA/TiO₂ films at 150 °C in a tube furnace under N_2 . The peak intensity of IR spectra of ABDA/TiO₂ was poor, which might be owing to the low content of ABDA and interference of TiO₂.

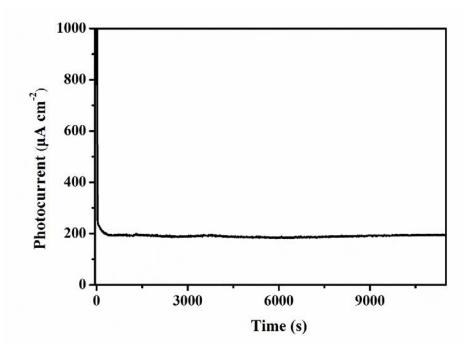


Figure S4 The chronoamperometry results under AM 1.5 for 12000 seconds.

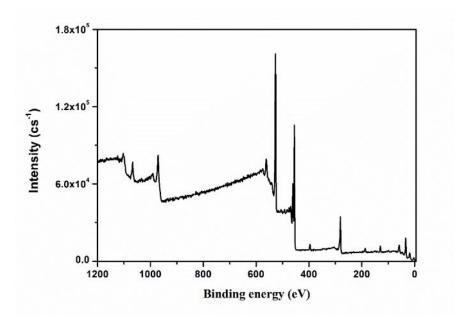


Figure S5 Survey XPS spectrum of ABDA/TiO₂.

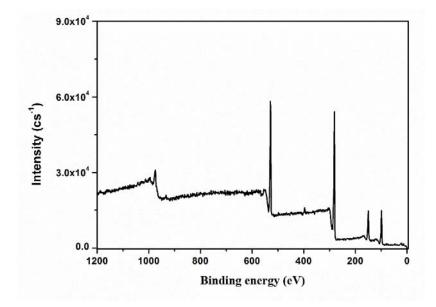


Figure S6 Survey XPS spectrum of ABDA.

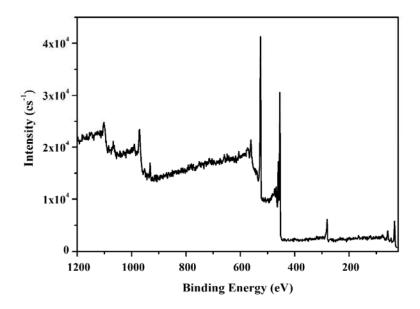


Figure S7 Survey XPS spectrum of TiO₂.