## CdS Quantum Dots Sensitized TiO<sub>2</sub> Nanorod Array on

## Transparent Conductive Glass Photoelectrodes

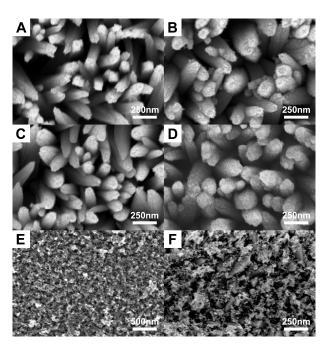
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## **Supporting information:**



**Figure S1.** SEM images of FTO/TiO<sub>2</sub>/CdS electrodes with CdS QDs deposition for different cycles: (A) 5 cycles; (B) 10 cycles; (C) 20 cycles; (D) 30 cycles. SEM images of FTO/CdS electrode with CdS QDs deposition for 30 cycles at low (E) and high (F) magnifications.

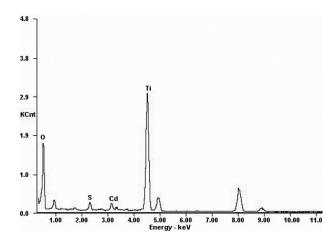
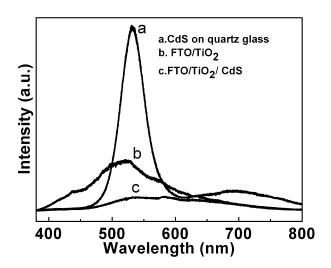


Figure S2. EDS spectrum of TiO<sub>2</sub> nanorod array deposited with CdS QDs.



**Figure S3.** Photoluminescence (PL) emission spectra of quartz glass deposited with CdS QDs film (a), FTO/TiO<sub>2</sub> (b) and FTO/TiO<sub>2</sub>/CdS electrodes (c). Strong suppression of the PL emission spectra of the FTO/TiO<sub>2</sub>/CdS electrode implies that charge separation occurred before the recombination with CdS.