

# Supplementary Information

## On the Origin of Open-Circuit Voltage Losses in Flexible *n-i-p* Perovskite

### Solar Cells

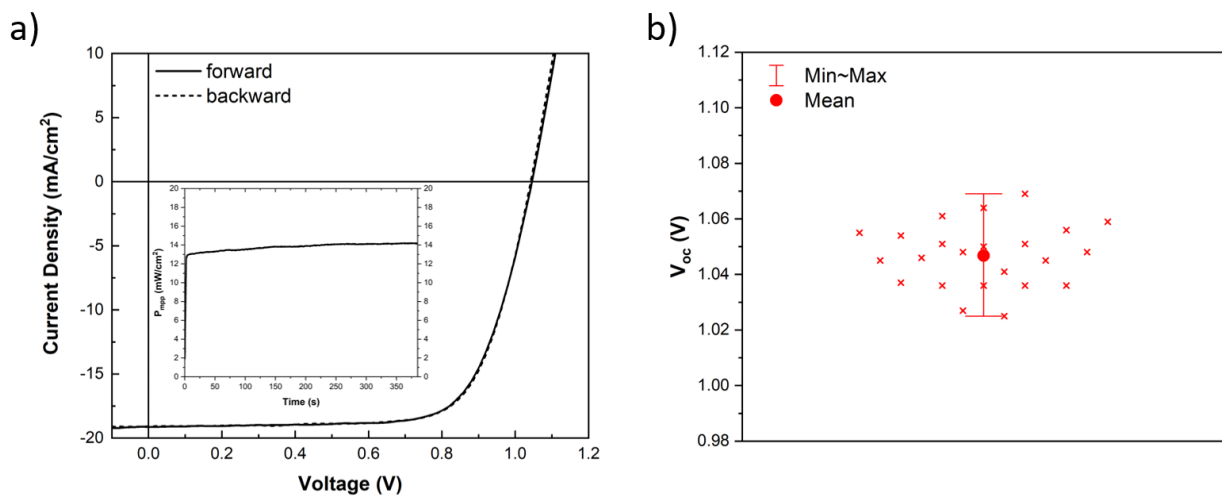
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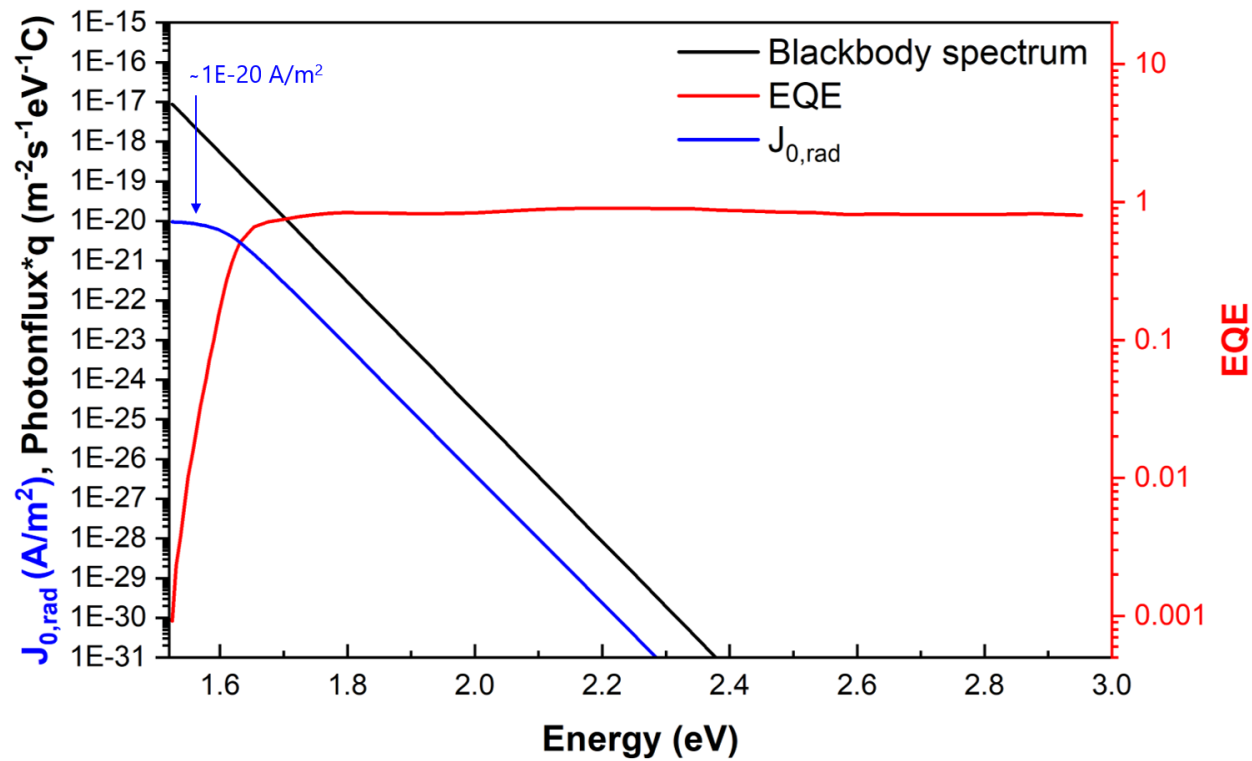
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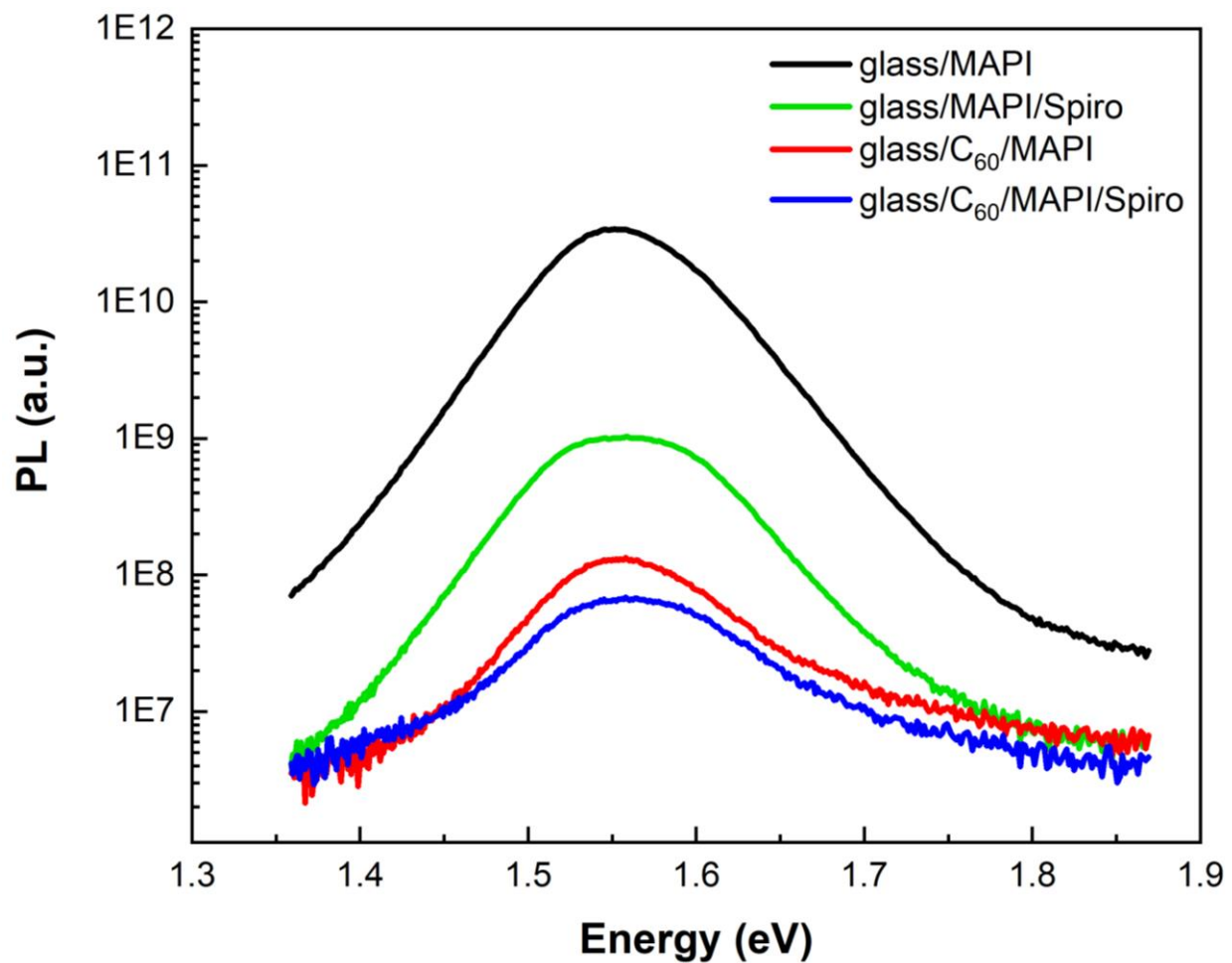
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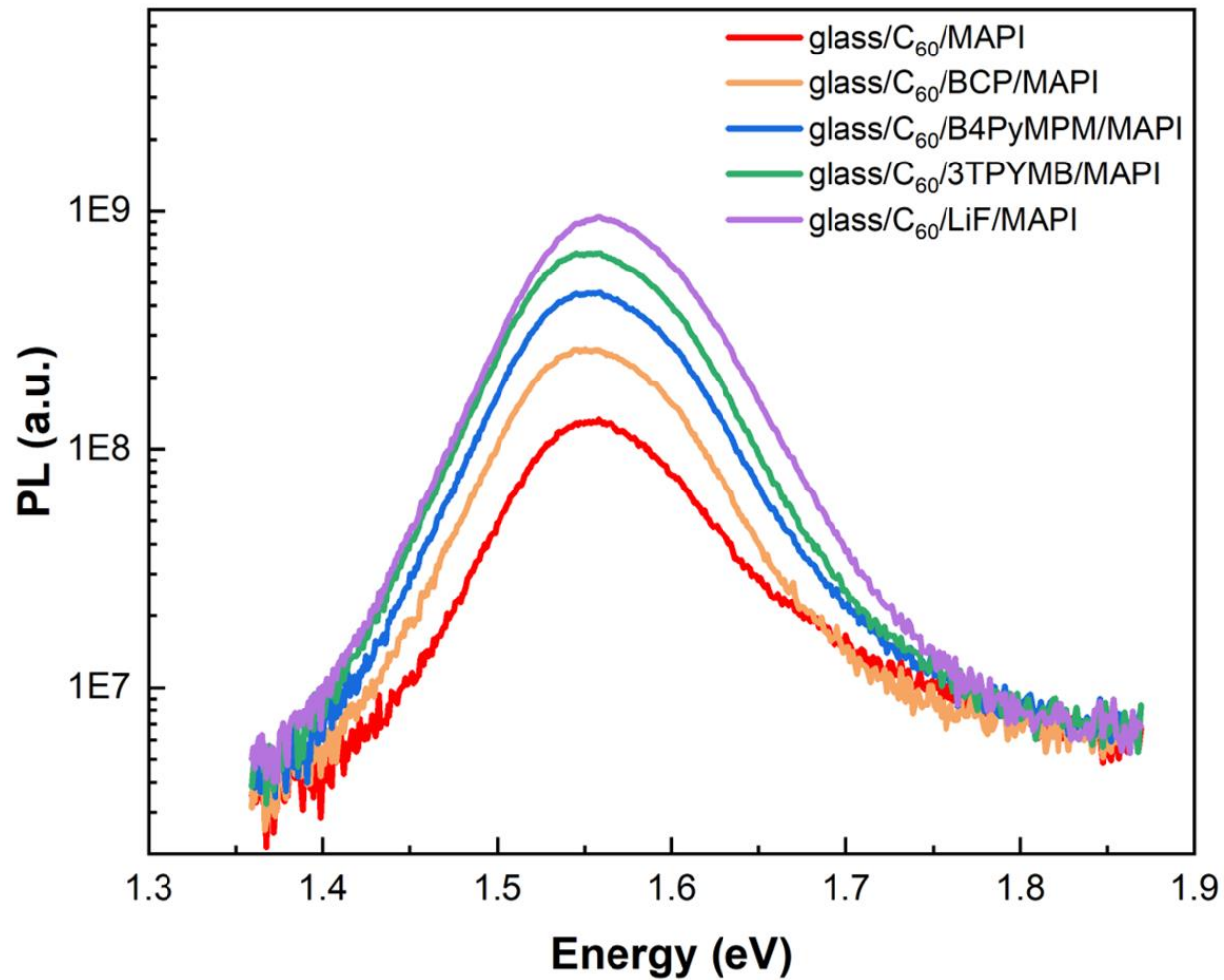
**Figure S1.** a)  $J$ - $V$  characteristics of the flexible PSC under forward ( $-0.1$  to  $1.4 \text{ V}$ ) and backward ( $1.4$  to  $-0.1 \text{ V}$ ) measurements. The inset shows the power output at MPP under 1 sun continuous illumination. b) Statistics of  $V_{\text{oc}}$  values for the flexible PSCs.



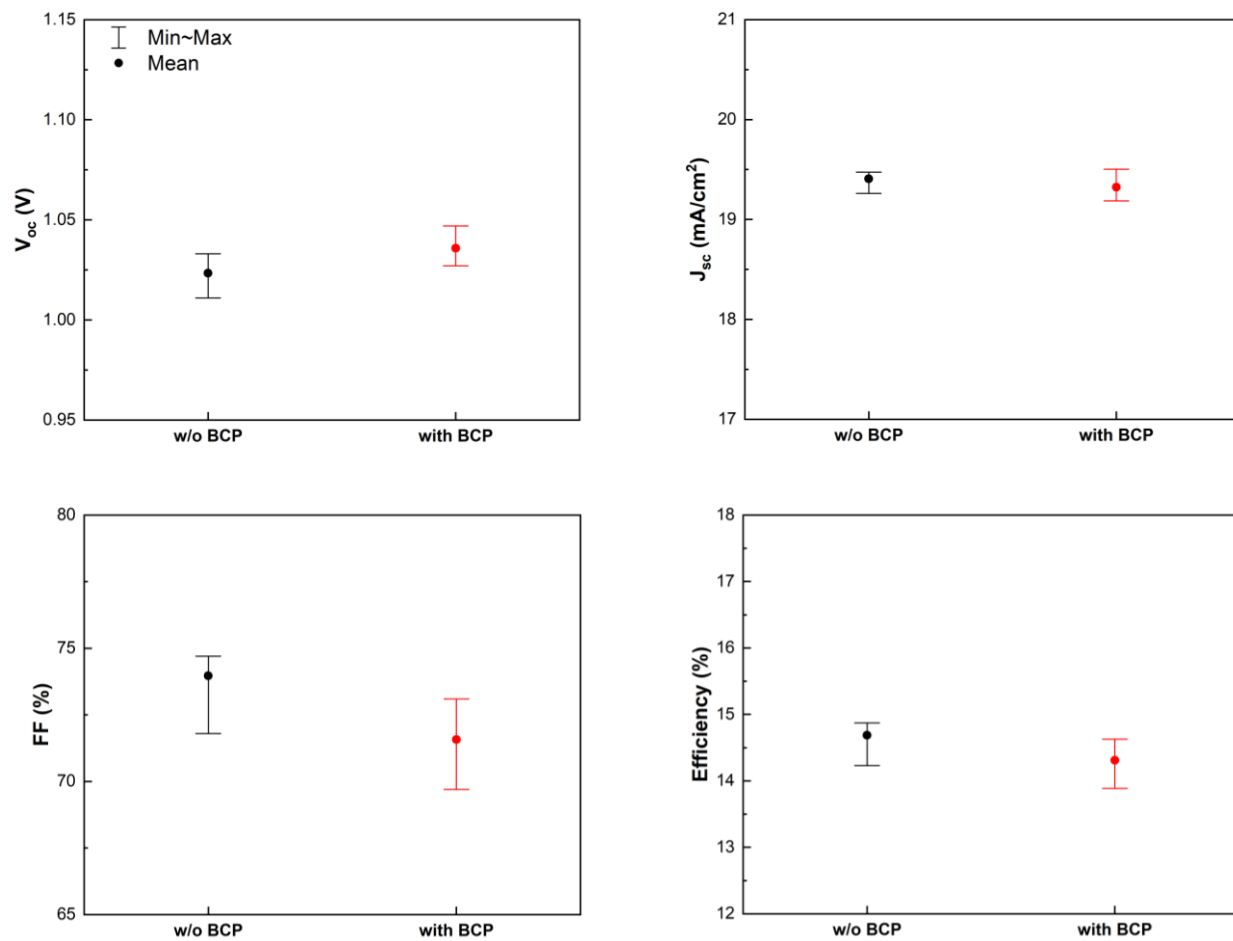
**Figure S2.** EQE spectrum (red curve) of our low-temperature deposited flexible PSC structure, blackbody spectrum at 300 K (black curve) and  $J_{0,rad}$  calculated from the integration of blackbody spectrum\*EQE.  $J_{0,rad}$  is  $\sim 1 \times 10^{-20}$  A/m<sup>2</sup>.



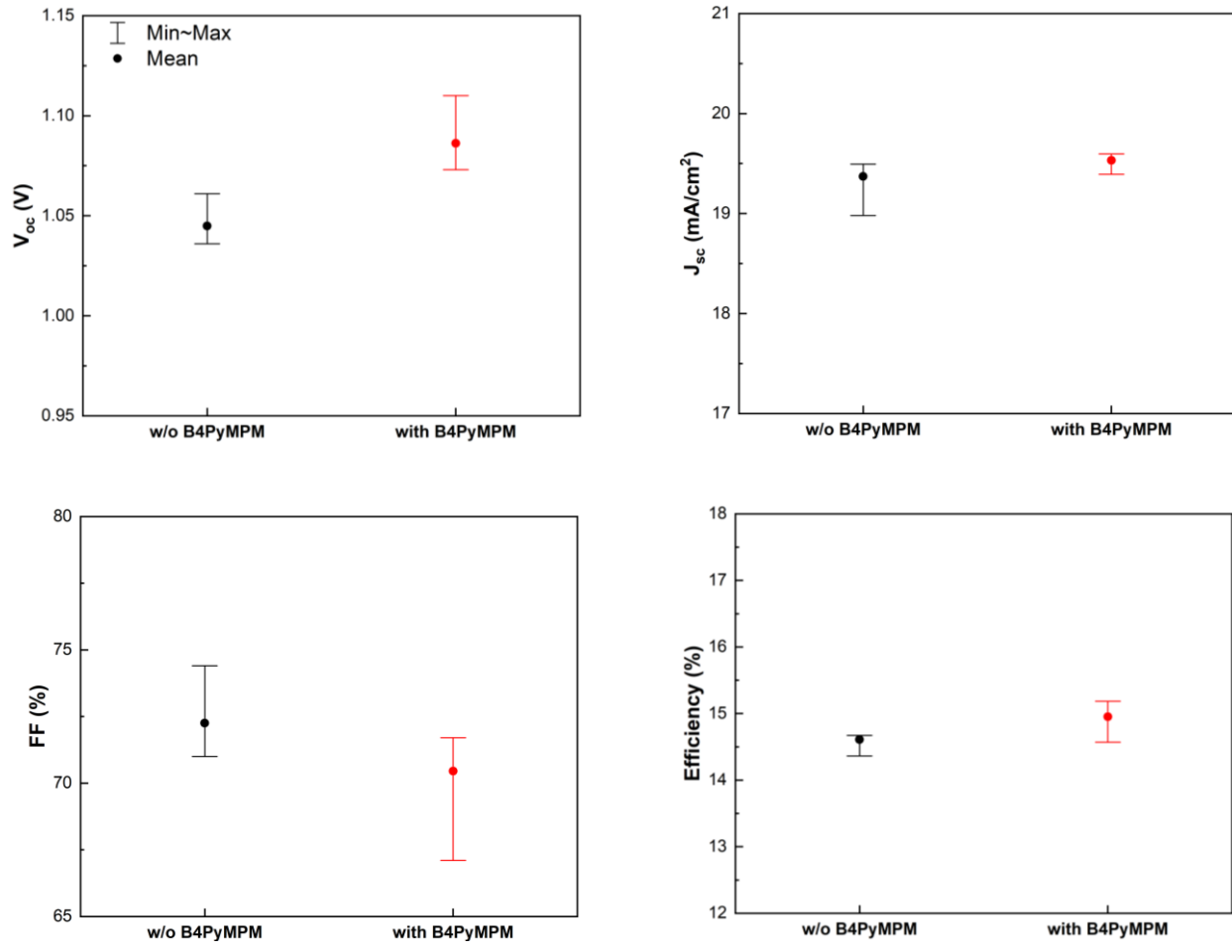
**Figure S3.** Comparison of PL spectra of the different heterojunctions investigated: glass/MAPI, glass/MAPI/Spiro, glass/C<sub>60</sub>/MAPI and glass/C<sub>60</sub>/MAPI/Spiro.



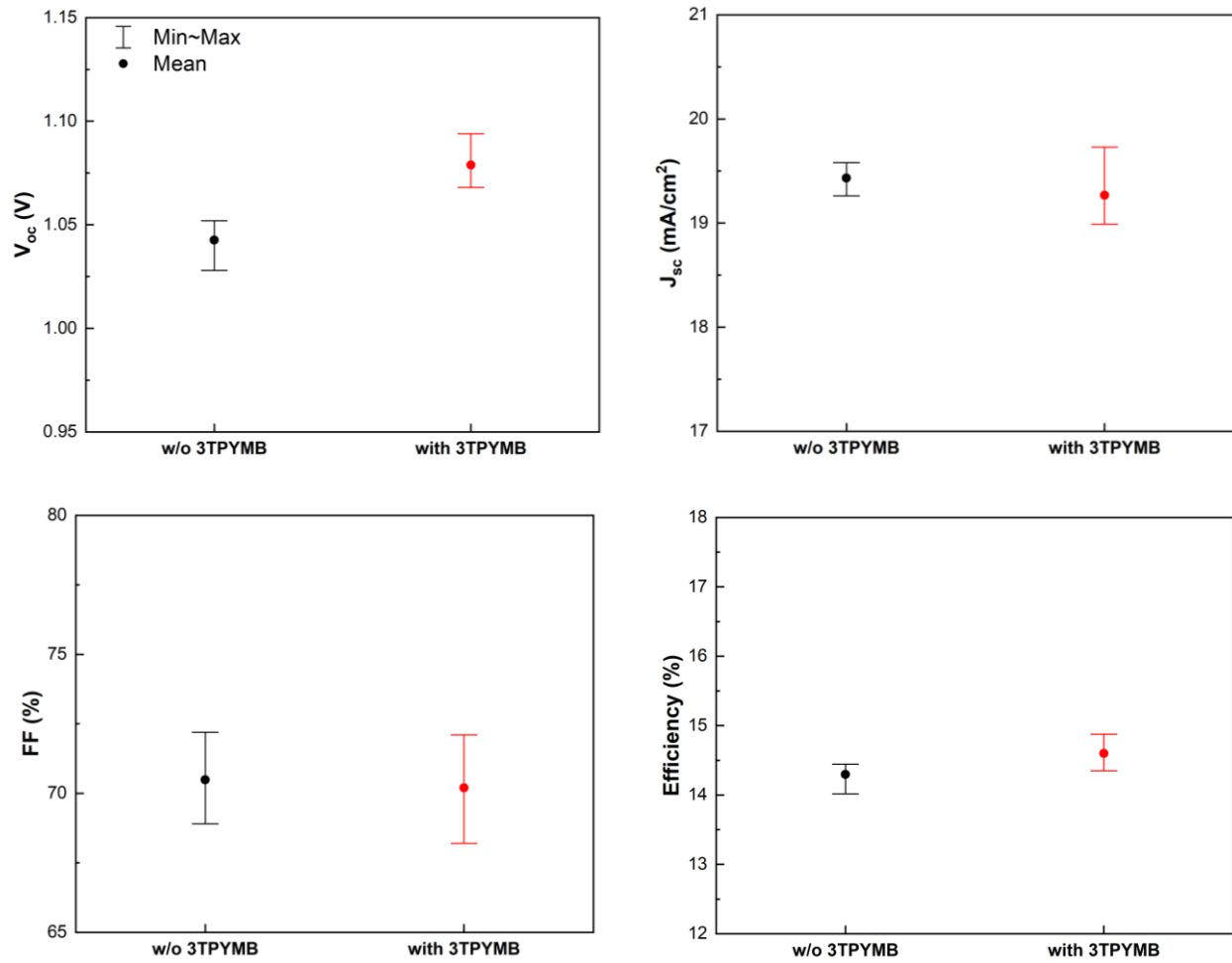
**Figure S4.** Comparison of PL spectra for the different interfacial modifications studied with respect to glass/C<sub>60</sub>/MAPI: glass/C<sub>60</sub>/MAPI, glass/C<sub>60</sub>/BCP/MAPI, glass/C<sub>60</sub>/B4PyMPM/MAPI, glass/C<sub>60</sub>/3TPYMB/MAPI and glass/C<sub>60</sub>/LiF/MAPI/Spiro.



**Figure S5.** Comparison among PV parameters statistics of the flexible PSCs with and without BCP interfacial modification.

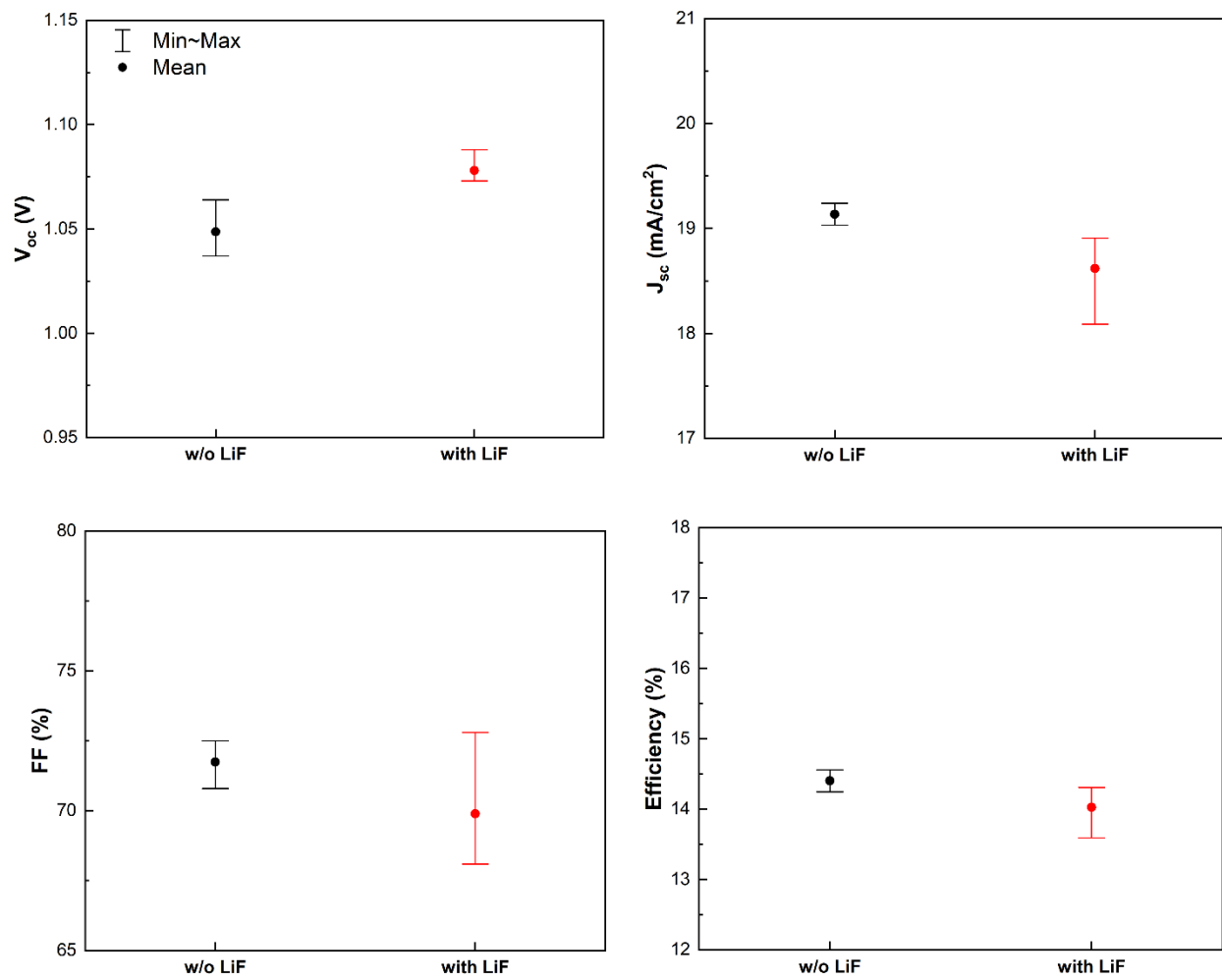


**Figure S6.** Comparison among PV parameters statistics of the flexible PSCs with and without B4PyMPM interlayer application.

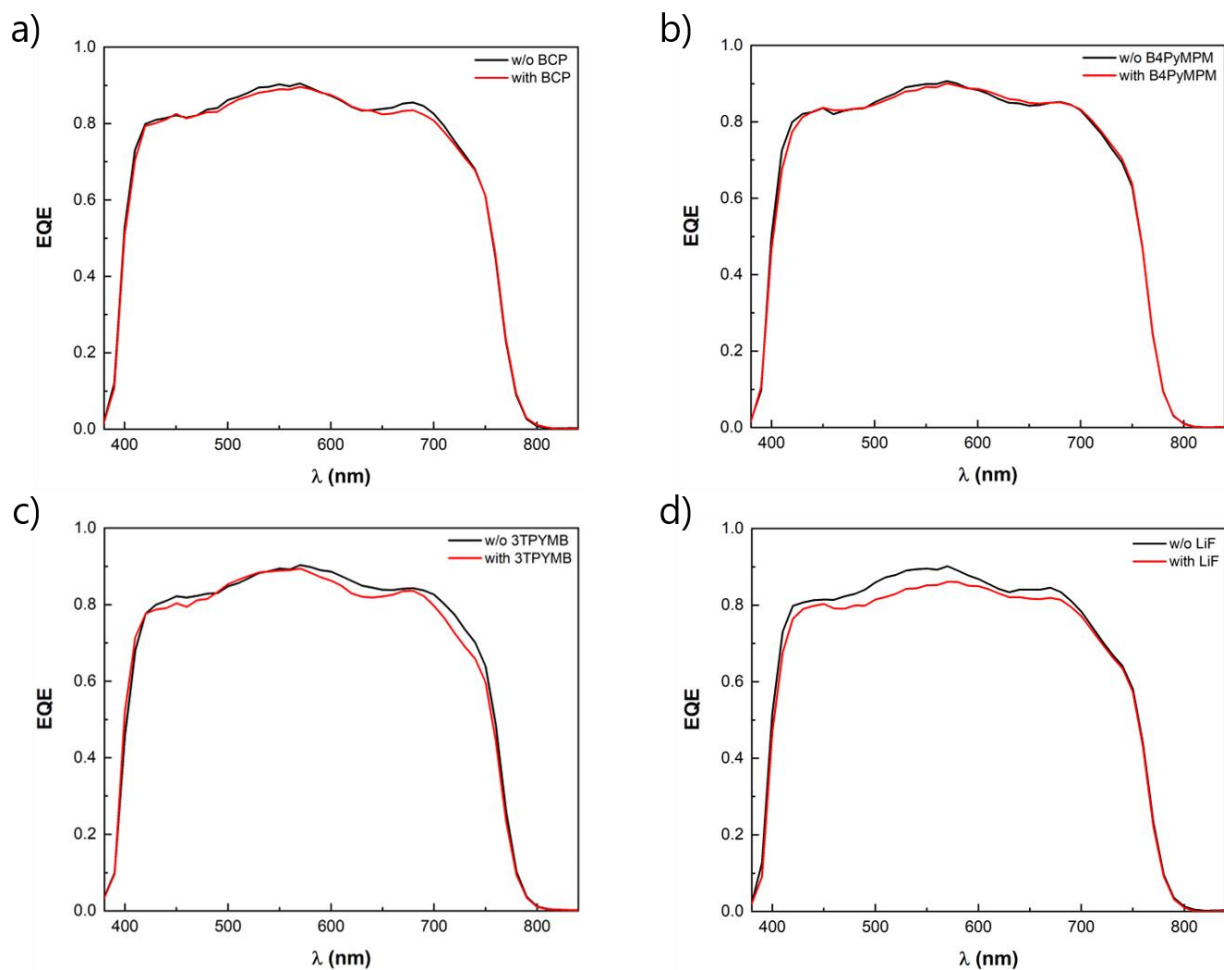


**Figure S7.** Comparison among PV parameters statistics of the flexible PSCs with and without 3TPYMB interfacial modification.

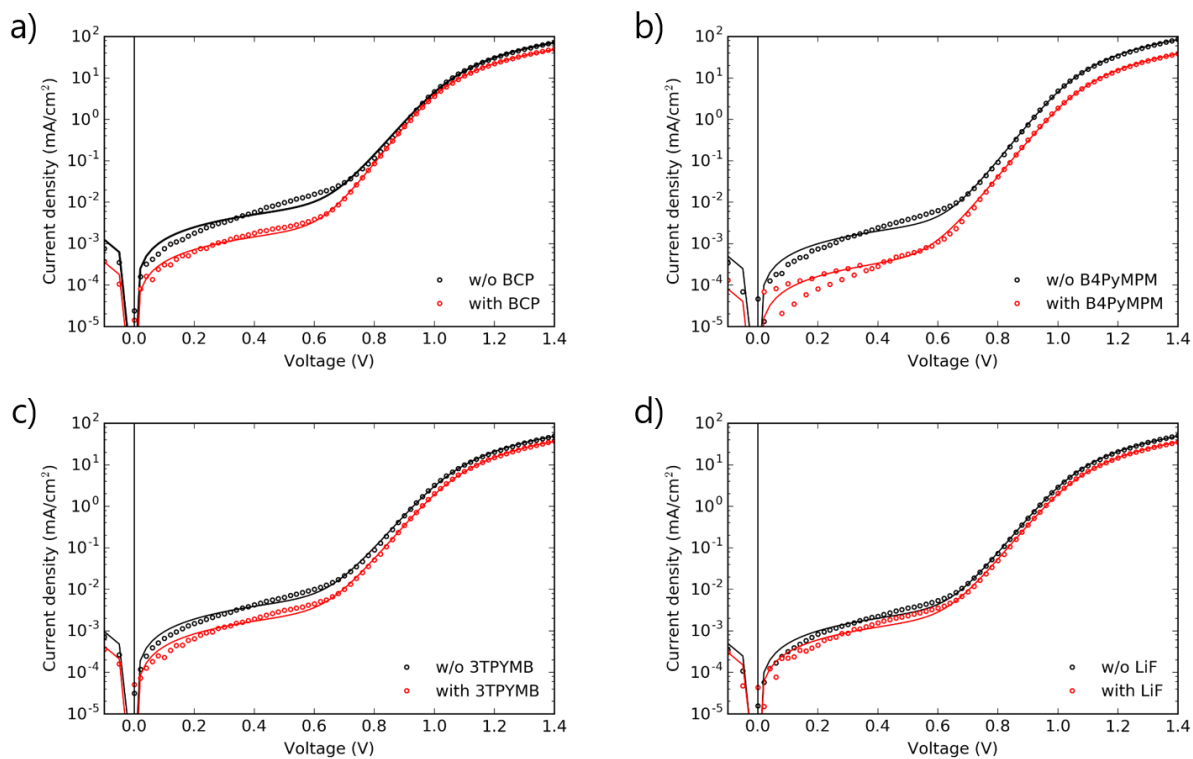




**Figure S8.** Comparison among PV parameters statistics of the flexible PSCs with and without LiF interlayer.



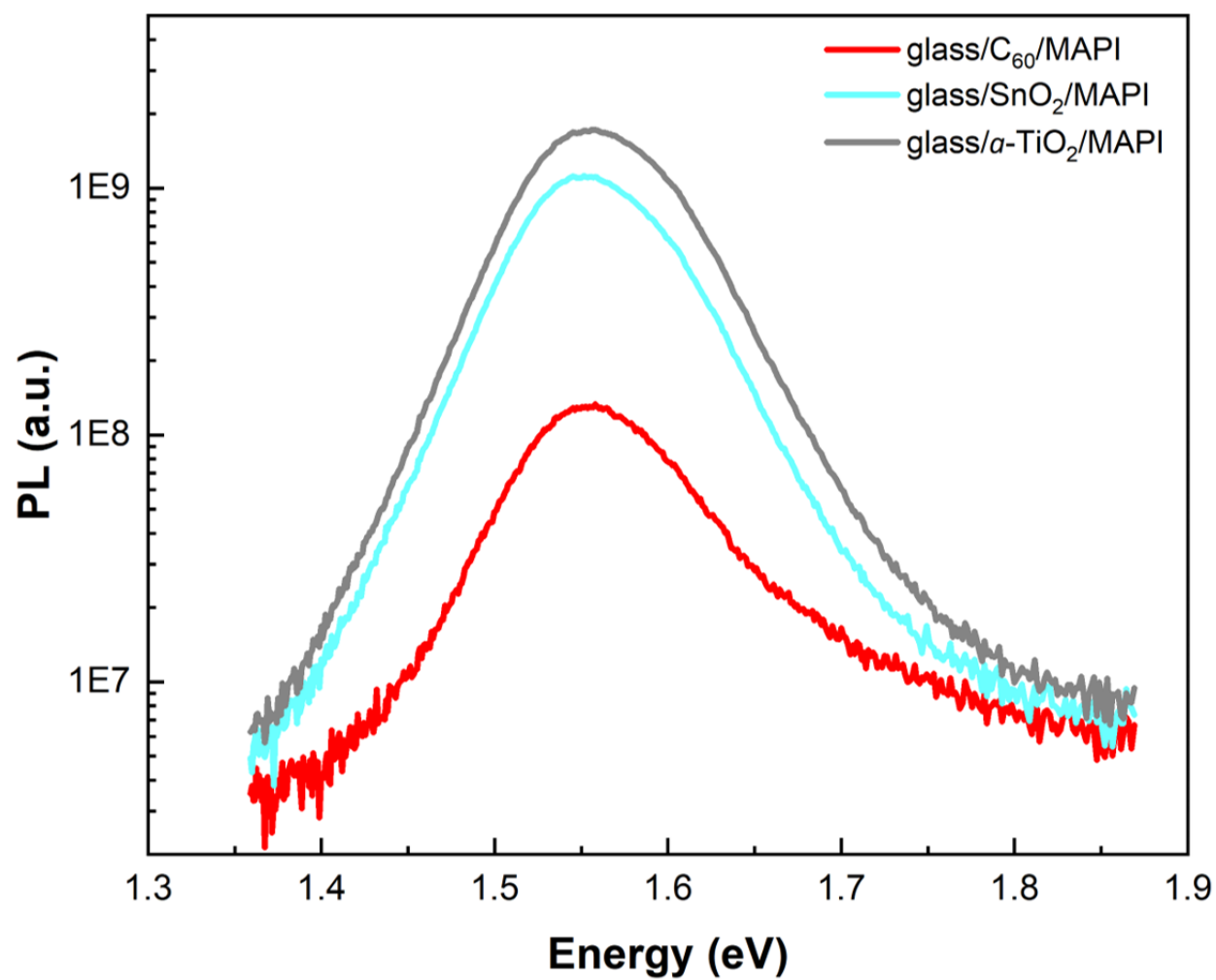
**Figure S9.** Comparison of EQE spectra for the different interfacial modifications investigated (devices shown in Figure 3). a) without BCP (extracted  $J_{sc}$ =19.5 mA/cm<sup>2</sup>) and with BCP ( $J_{sc}$ =19.3 mA/cm<sup>2</sup>), b) without B4PyMPM ( $J_{sc}$ =19.5 mA/cm<sup>2</sup>) and with B4PyMPM ( $J_{sc}$ =19.5 mA/cm<sup>2</sup>), c) without 3TPYMB ( $J_{sc}$ =19.5 mA/cm<sup>2</sup>) and with 3TPYMB ( $J_{sc}$ =19.2 mA/cm<sup>2</sup>), d) without LiF ( $J_{sc}$ =19.3 mA/cm<sup>2</sup>) and with LiF ( $J_{sc}$ =18.7 mA/cm<sup>2</sup>).



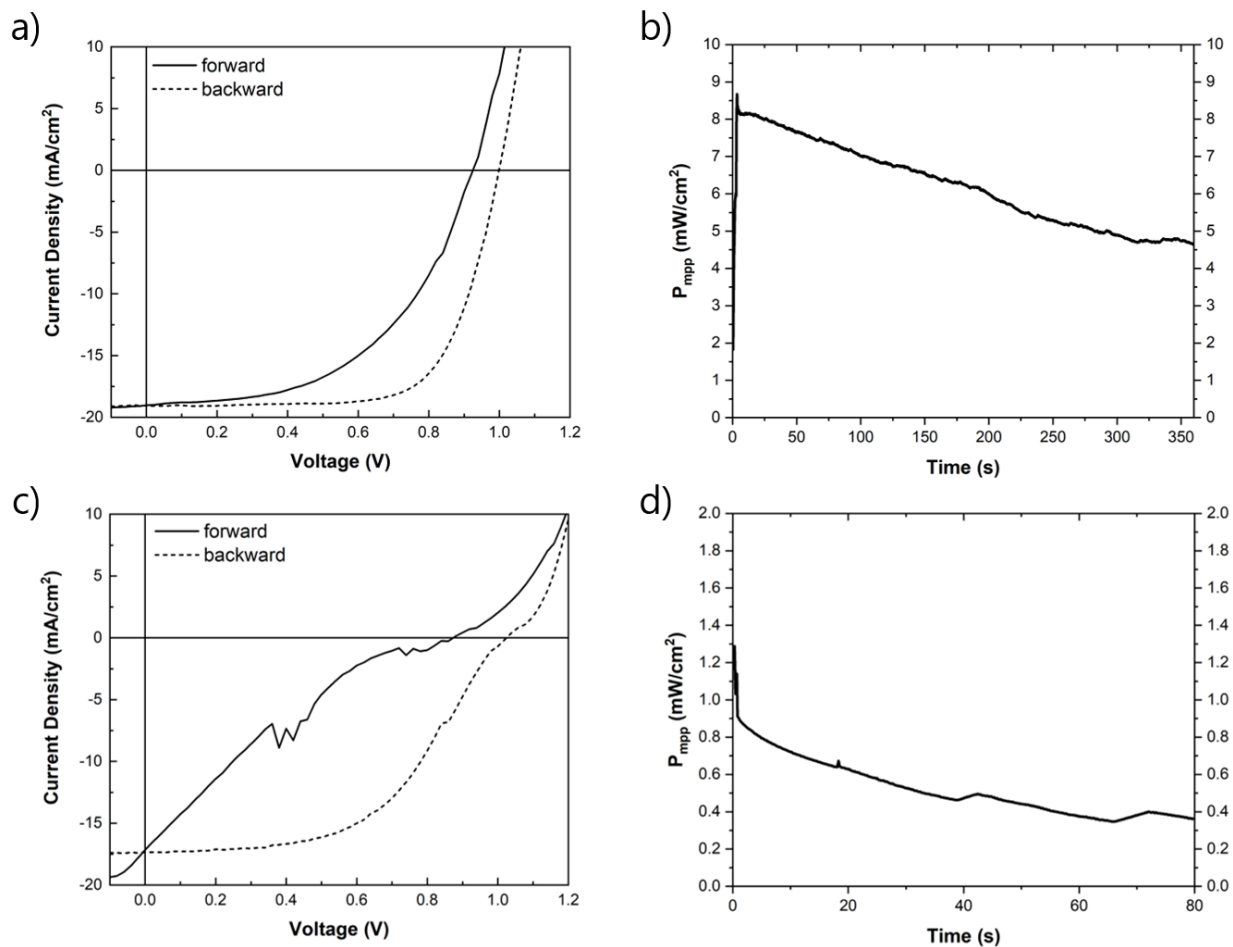
**Figure S10.** Comparison of semi-log plots of dark  $J$ - $V$  curves of devices from Figure 3. a) with and without BCP, b) with and without B4PyMPPM, c) with and without 3TPYMB, d) with and without LiF interfacial modifications.

**Table S1.**  $R_s$  values obtained from fitting dark  $J$ - $V$  curves to a single diode with two resistors model.

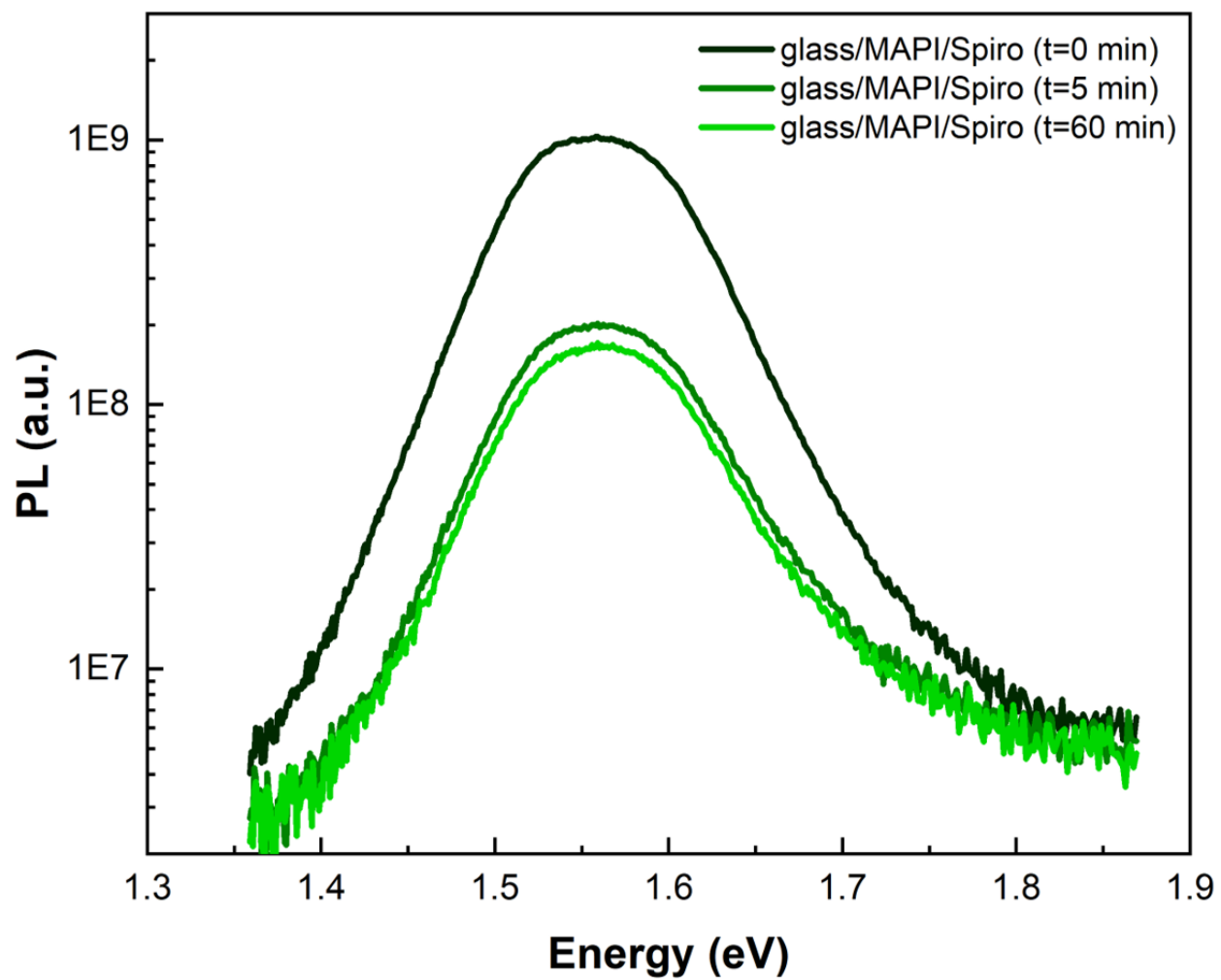
	w/o BCP	with BCP	w/o B4PyMPM	with B4PyMPM	w/o 3TPYMB	with 3TPYMB	w/o LiF	with LiF
$R_s$ ( $\Omega\text{cm}^2$ )	3.8	6.2	3.3	6.8	5.5	7.0	5.6	7.6



**Figure S11.** Comparison of PL spectra for different ETLs: glass/C<sub>60</sub>/MAPI, glass/SnO<sub>2</sub>/MAPI and glass/a-TiO<sub>2</sub>/MAPI.



**Figure S12.** a)  $J-V$  characteristics for PSCs with spin coated  $\text{SnO}_2$  as ETL (both forward and backward measurements), b) MPP tracking under 1 sun continuous illumination. c)  $J-V$  characteristics for PSCs with ALD deposited  $\alpha\text{-TiO}_2$  as ETL (both forward and backward measurements), d) MPP tracking under 1 sun continuous illumination.



**Figure S13.** Comparison of PL spectra for glass/MAPI/Spiro at different exposure time to ambient atmosphere: t=0, 5 and 60 minutes.