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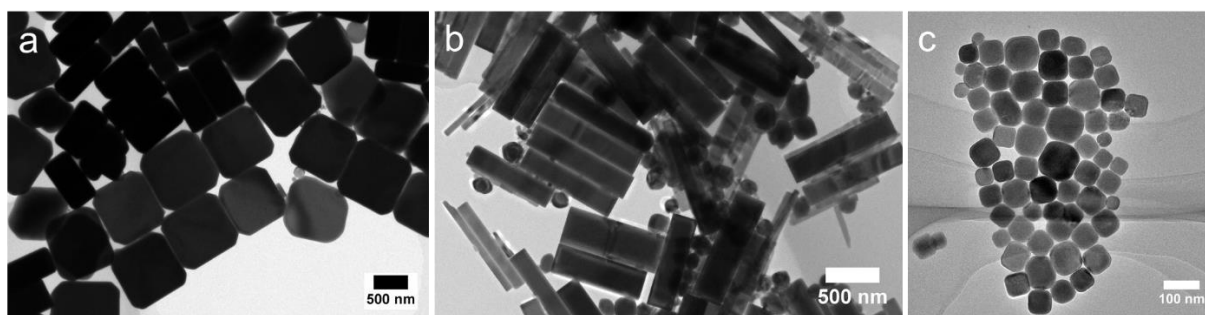


Figure S1. TEM images of (a)  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{Cl}_5$ , (b)  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{Br}_5$ , and (c)  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{I}_5$ , without the addition of  $\text{InX}_3$ , the  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{X}_5$  NCs grew too large and loss colloidal stability in solvents.

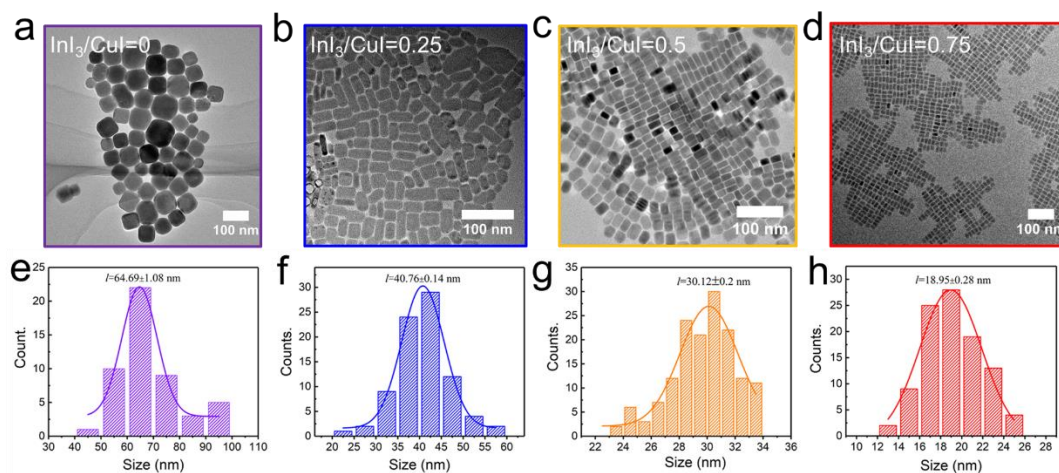


Figure S2. The obtained TEM images of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{I}_5$  NCs by changing the  $\text{InI}_3$ -to- $\text{CuI}$  molar ratio in the reactant,  $\text{InI}_3/\text{CuI} =$  (a) 0, (b) 0.25, (c) 0.5, (d) 0.75. The corresponding size distribution of TEM images of (a-b) is shown in (e-h).

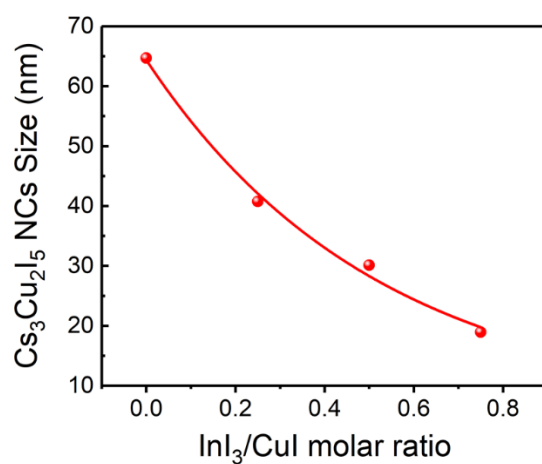


Figure S3. Dependence of the  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{I}_5$  NCs size on the  $\text{InI}_3$ -to- $\text{CuI}$  molar ratio in the reactant.

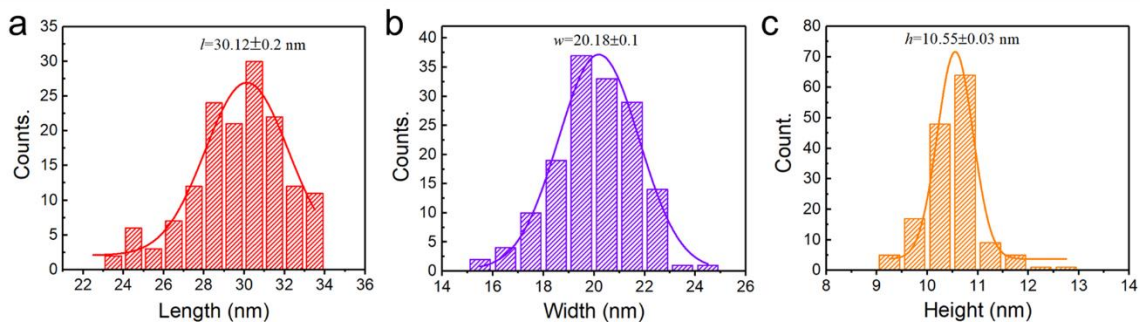


Figure S4. Distributions of three characteristic dimensions of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{I}_5$  NCs. (a) the side length,  $l=30.12 \pm 0.2$  nm; (b) the side width,  $w=20.18 \pm 0.1$  nm; (c) the height,  $h=10.55 \pm 0.03$  nm.

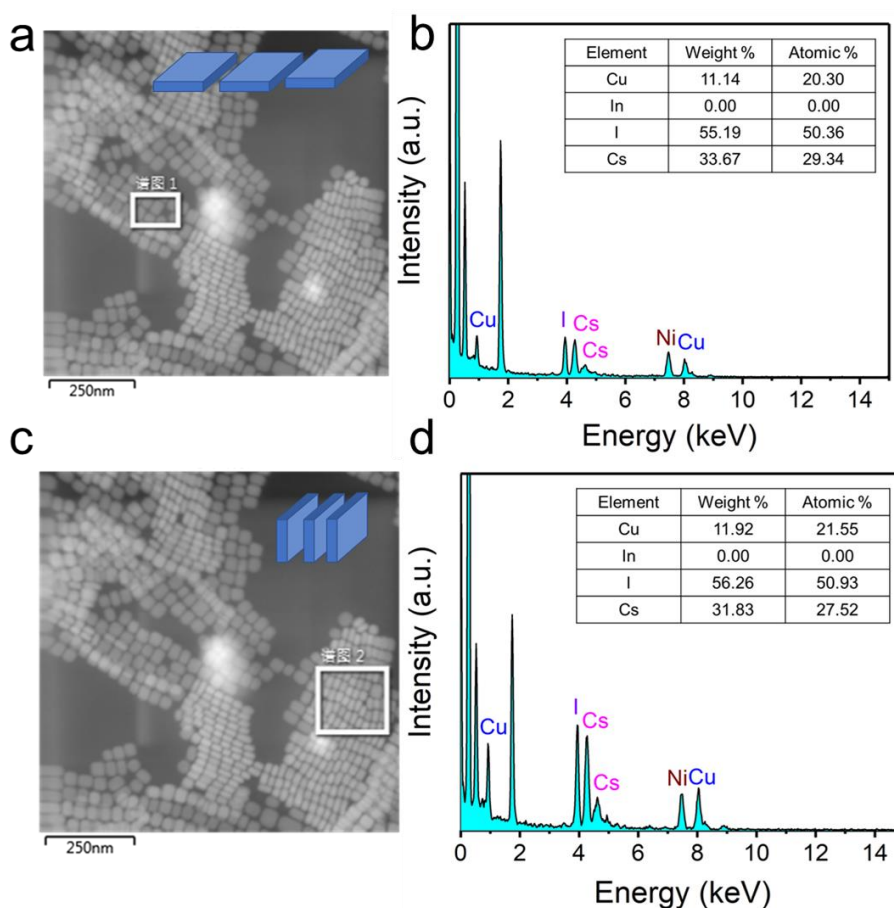


Figure S5. (a) HADDF-STEM image of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{I}_5$  NCs lying flat on grid and (b) the corresponding EDS spectrum and elemental analysis of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{I}_5$  NCs. (c) HADDF-STEM image of the cross-section of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{I}_5$  NCs by face-to-face manner on grid and (d) the corresponding EDS spectrum and elemental analysis of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{I}_5$  NCs.

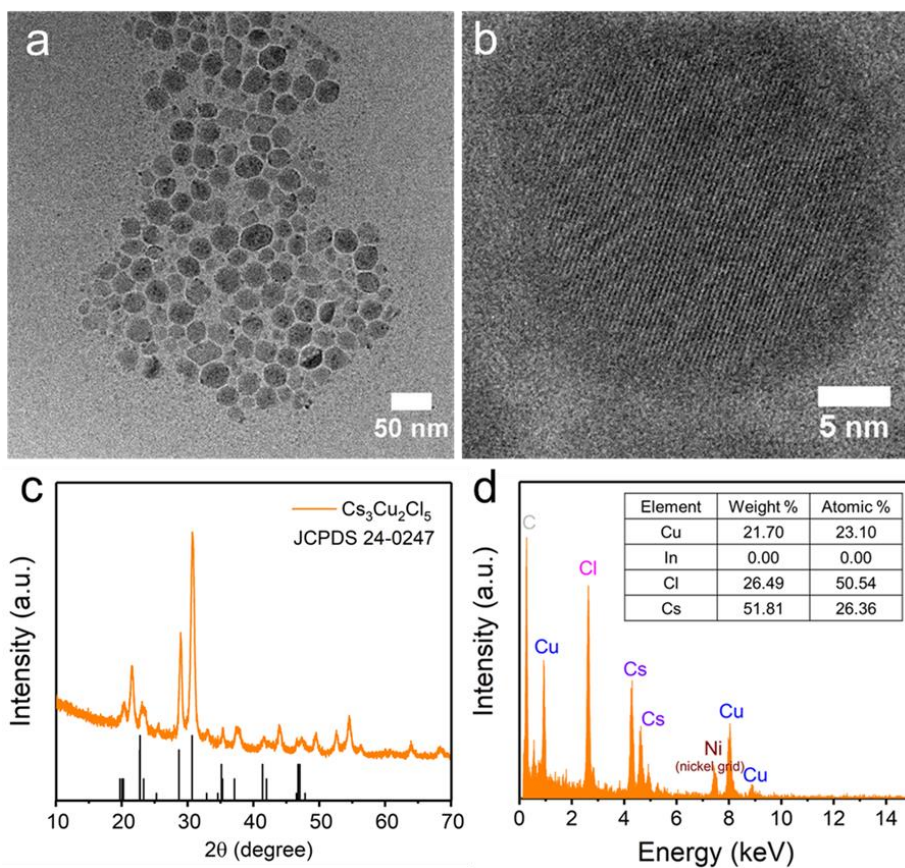


Figure S6. (a) TEM and (b) HRTEM images of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{Cl}_5$  NCs. (c) XRD pattern and (d) EDS spectrum and elemental analysis of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{Cl}_5$  NCs. We note that to avoid copper interference, we use nickel grid.

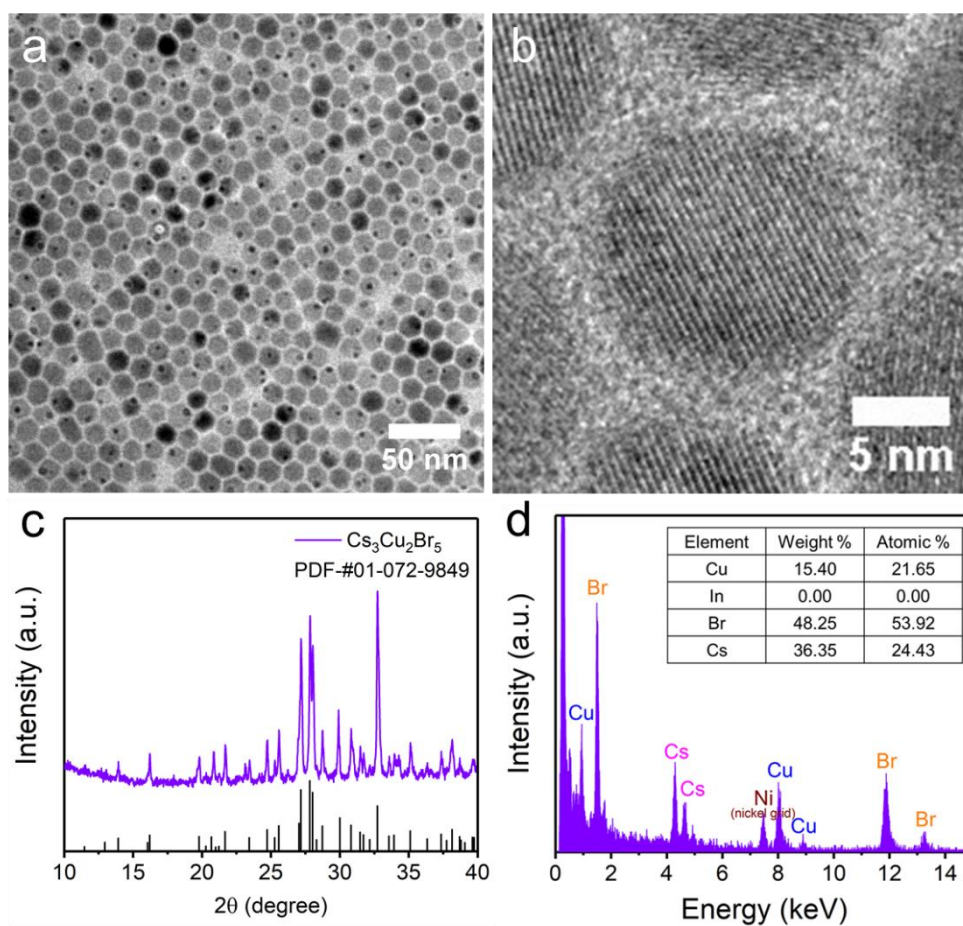


Figure S7. (a) TEM and (b) HRTEM images of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{Br}_5$  NCs. (c) XRD pattern and (d) EDS spectrum and elemental analysis of  $\text{Cs}_3\text{Cu}_2\text{Br}_5$  NCs.



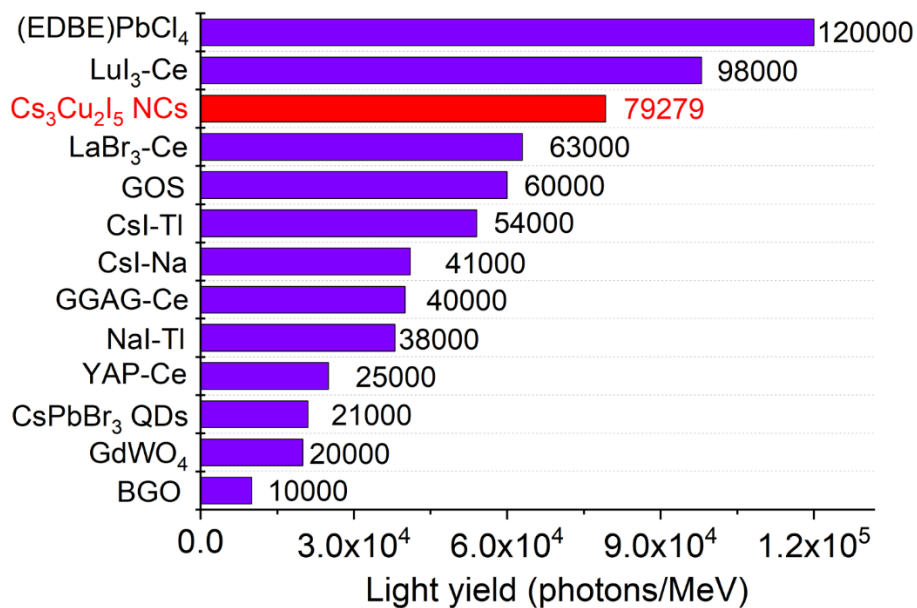


Figure S8. Light yield comparison of the Cs<sub>3</sub>Cu<sub>2</sub>I<sub>5</sub> NCs and some conventional scintillators.<sup>1-3</sup>

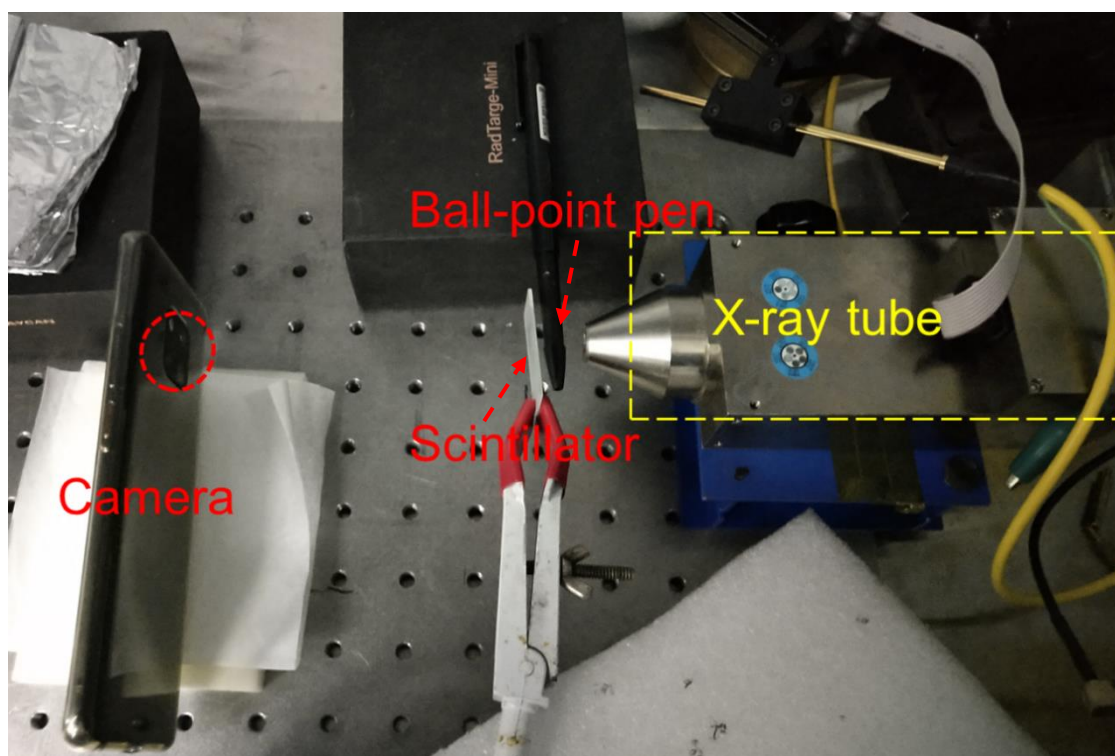


Figure S9. Prototype projection system for X-ray imaging.

Table S1. Optical Properties Comparison of Different Lead-Free Perovskite or Perovskite-Like NCs with Blue Emission.

Nanocrystals	PL peak (nm)	FWHM (nm)	Eb (meV)	PLQY (%)	Ref.
MA <sub>3</sub> Bi <sub>2</sub> Br <sub>9</sub>	430	62		12	4
Cs <sub>3</sub> Bi <sub>2</sub> Br <sub>9</sub>	460	45	67 ± 5	4.5	5
Cs <sub>3</sub> Bi <sub>2</sub> Br <sub>9</sub>	410	48	210.7	19.4	6
Cl-MA <sub>3</sub> Bi <sub>2</sub> Br <sub>9</sub>	422	41	259.1	54.1	7
Rb <sub>7</sub> Bi <sub>3</sub> Cl <sub>16</sub>	437	93		28.4	8
Cs <sub>3</sub> Sb <sub>2</sub> Br <sub>9</sub>	410	41	548	46	9
Cs <sub>3</sub> Cu <sub>2</sub> I <sub>5</sub>	441		371	67	10
Cs <sub>3</sub> Cu <sub>2</sub> I <sub>5</sub>	444	79		35	11
Cs <sub>3</sub> Cu <sub>2</sub> I <sub>5</sub>	445	80	335.59	73.7	This work

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