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Supplementary Information for

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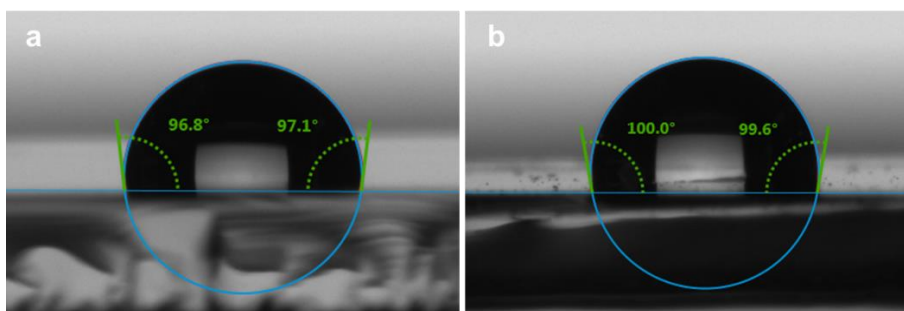
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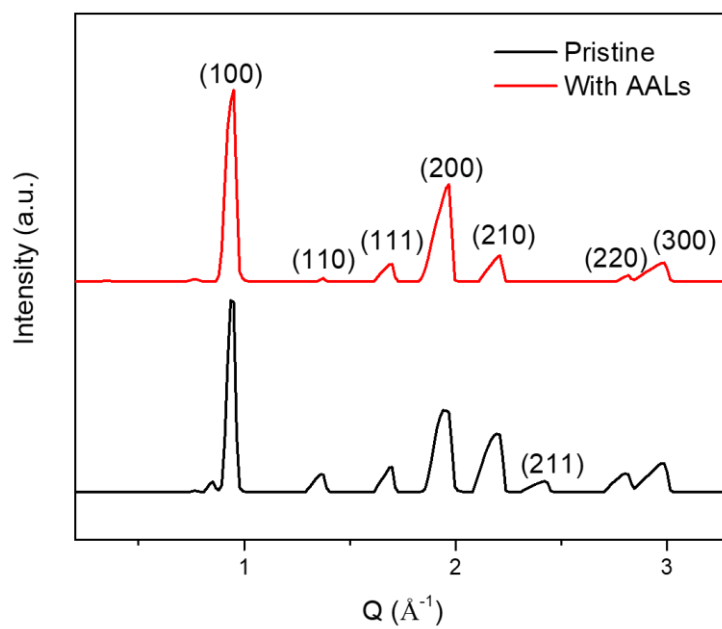
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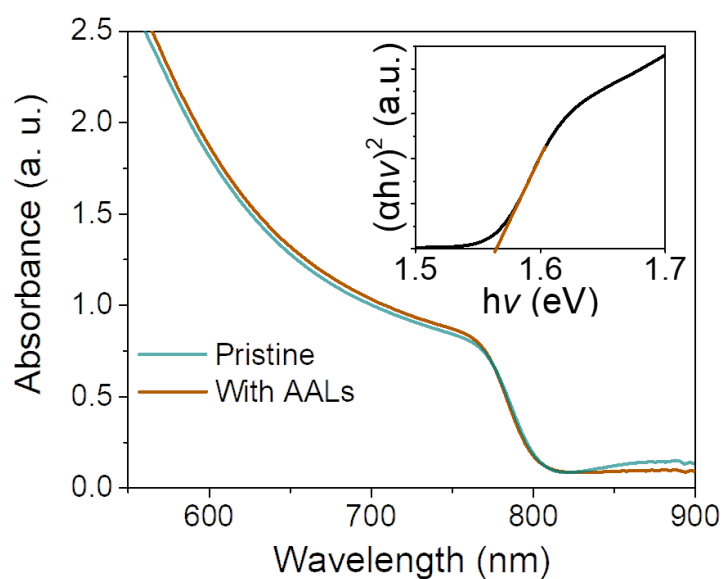
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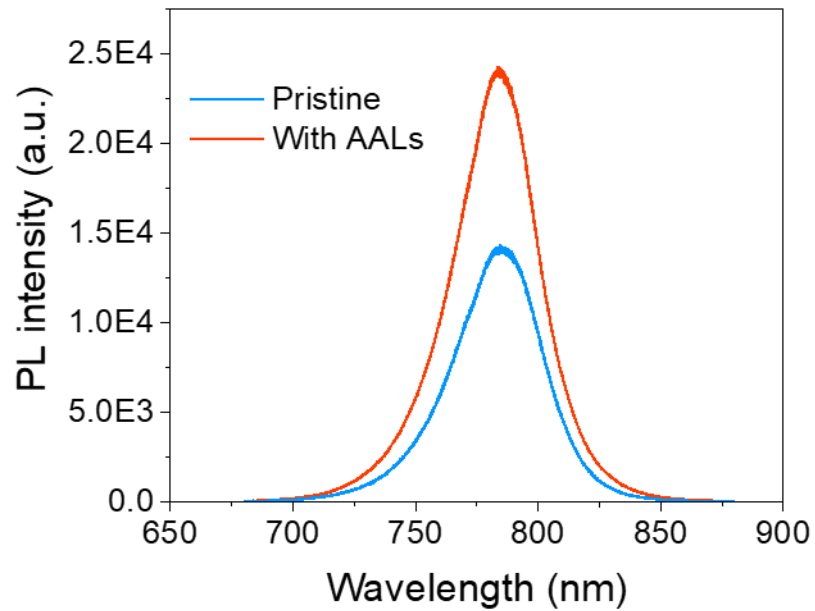
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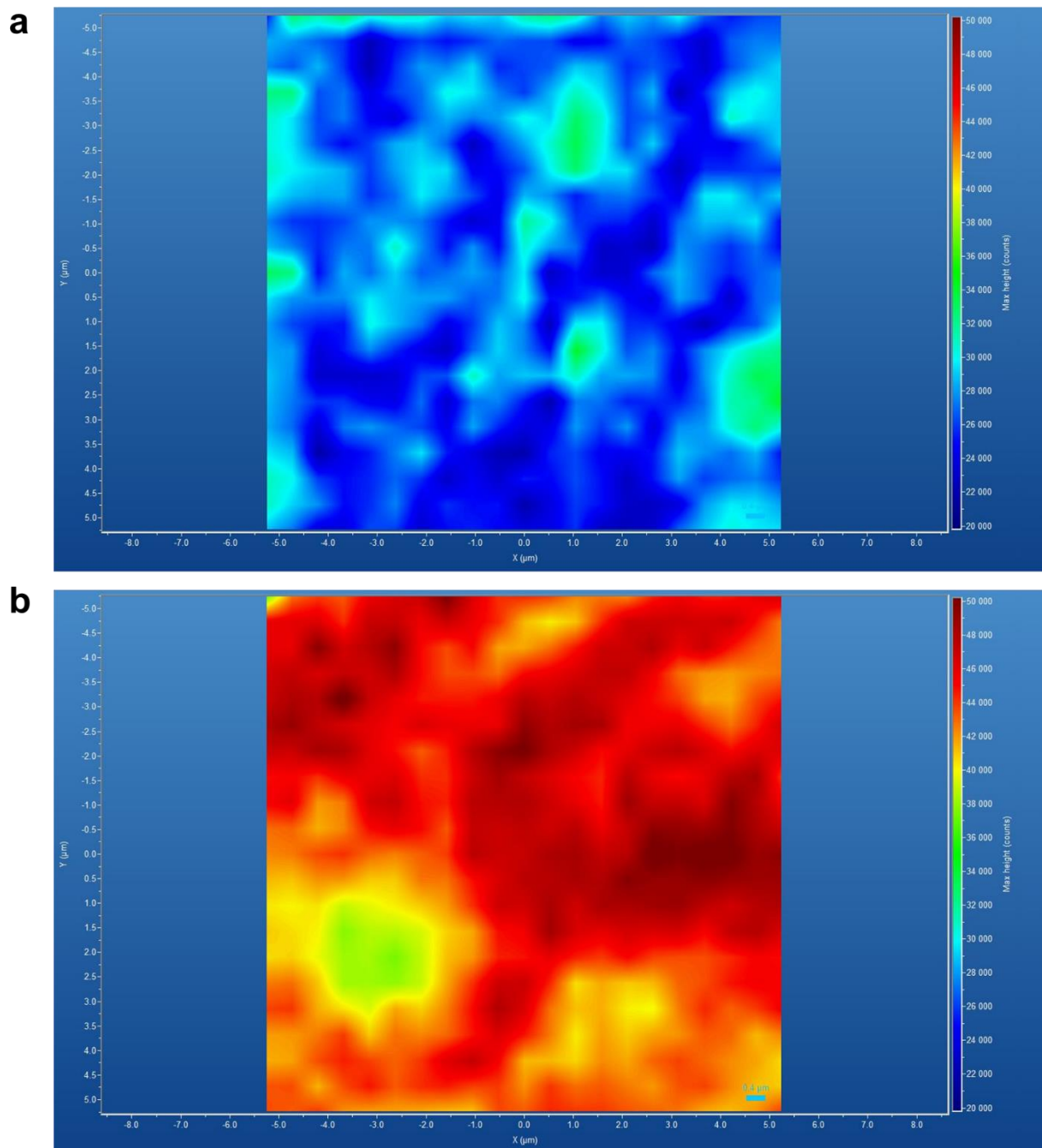
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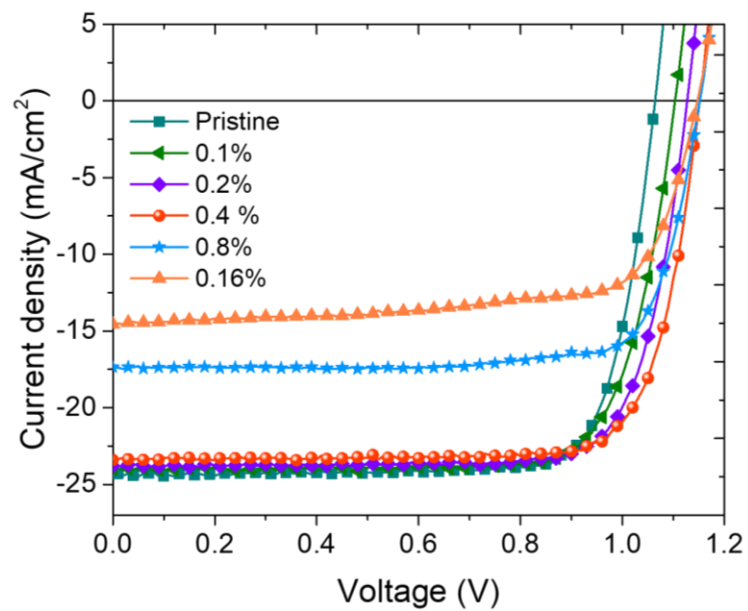
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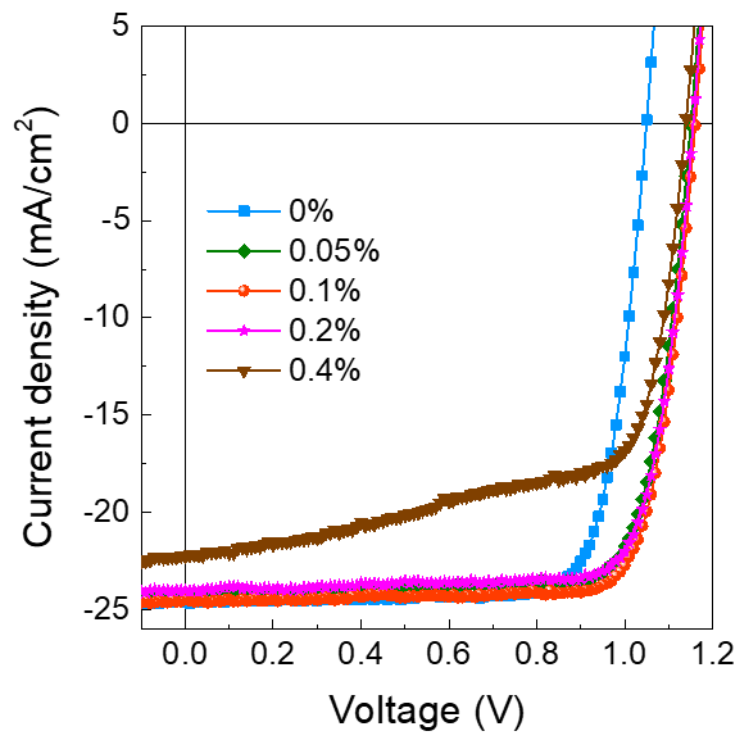
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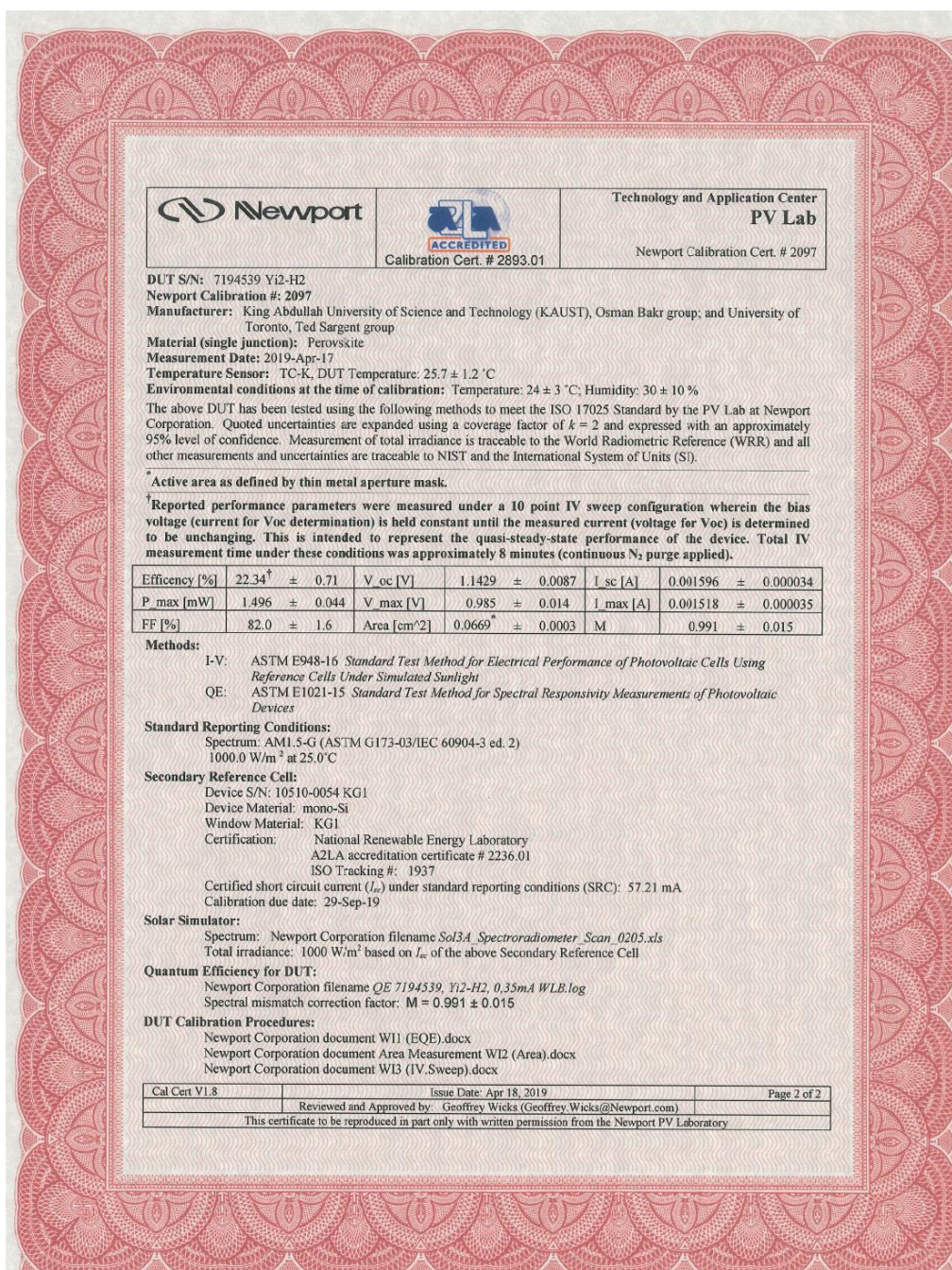
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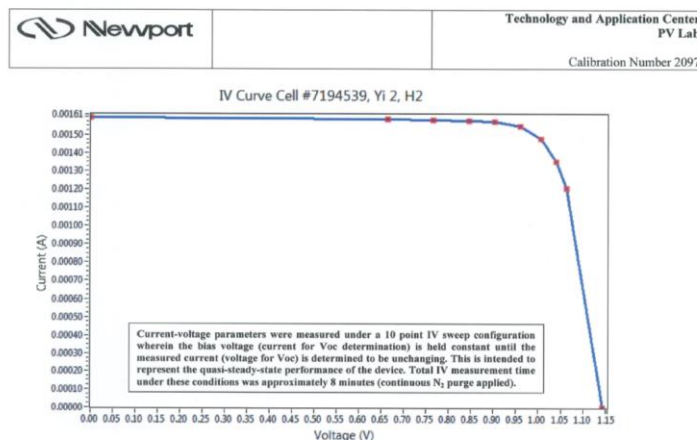


Supplementary Figure 8. OAm concentration dependent device performance. *J-V* characteristics of CsFAMA devices with different OAm concentrations.

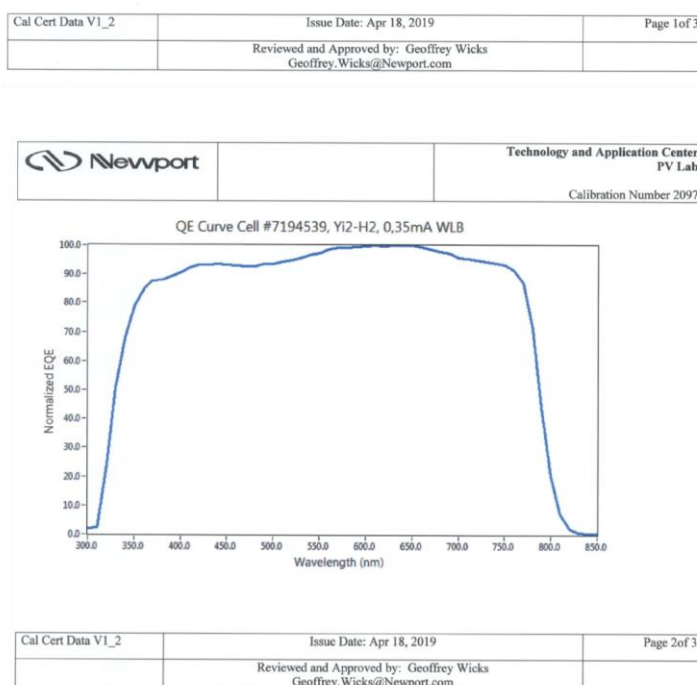


Supplementary Figure 9. Device PCE certificate from Newport Photovoltaic Testing and Calibration Laboratory. Independent PCE certification of CsFAMA inverted perovskite solar cells with AALs (OAm) by an accredited laboratory (Newport Photovoltaic Testing and Calibration Laboratory in the U.S.), confirming a stabilized PCE of 22.34±0.71.

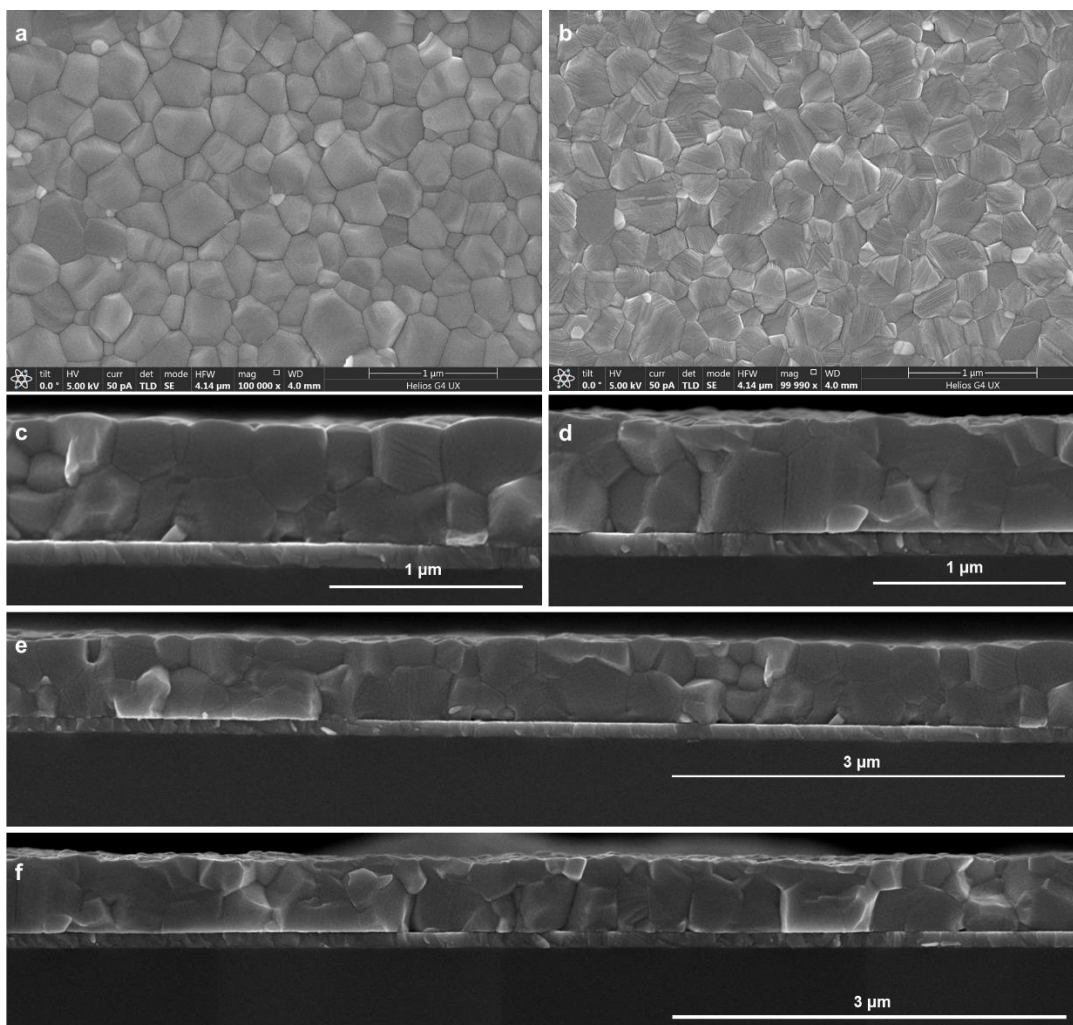
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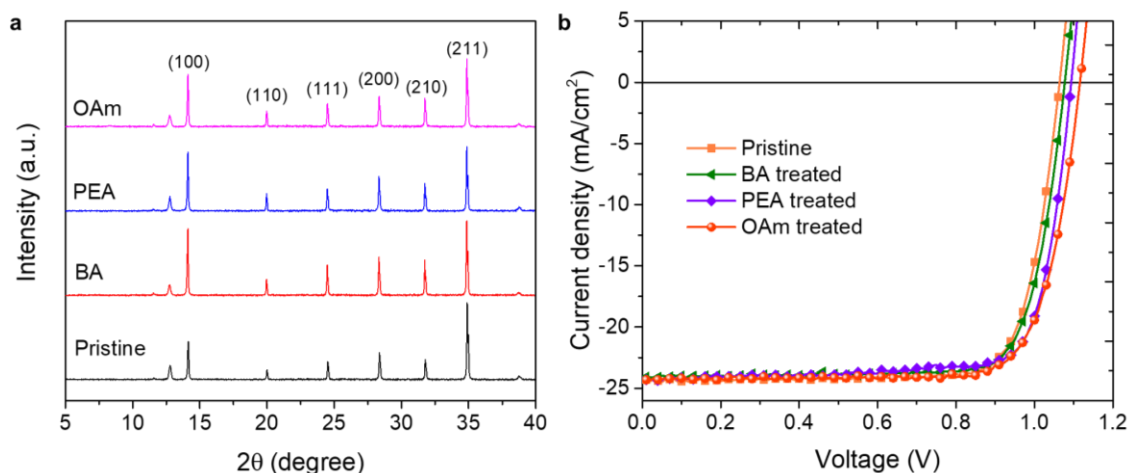
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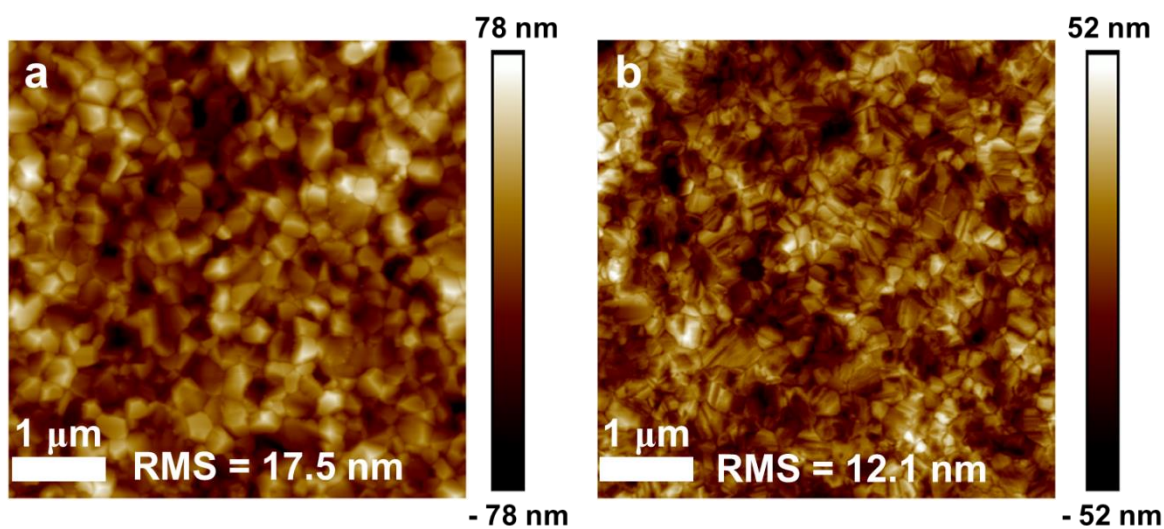
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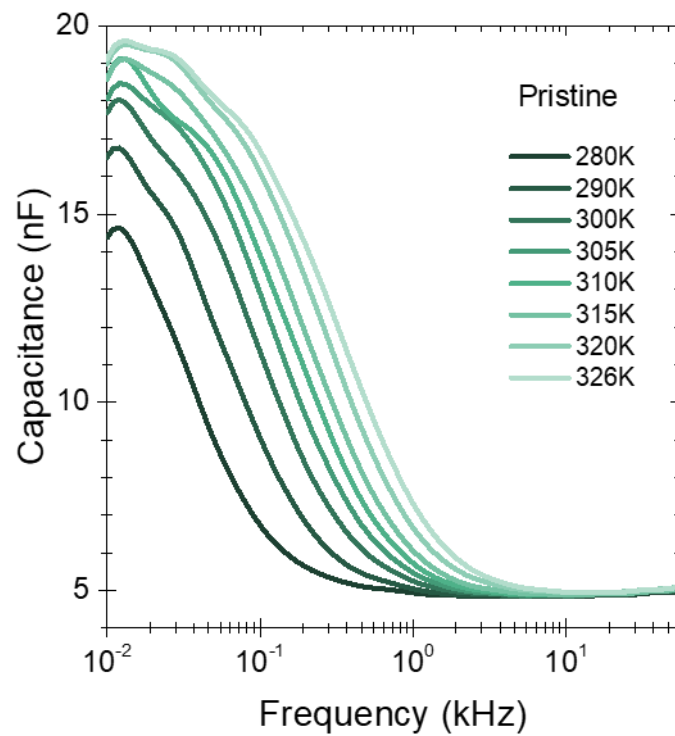
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Supplementary Figure 12. XRD patterns and device performance of CsFAMA perovskite with different alkyl chain length AAL surface post-treatment. a, XRD patterns of CsFAMA perovskite films with different alkyl chain length AAL (BA, PEA, and OAm) post-treatment. **b,** Current density–voltage (J - V) characteristics of CsFAMA devices with different alkyl chain length AAL (BA, PEA, and OAm) post-treatment.

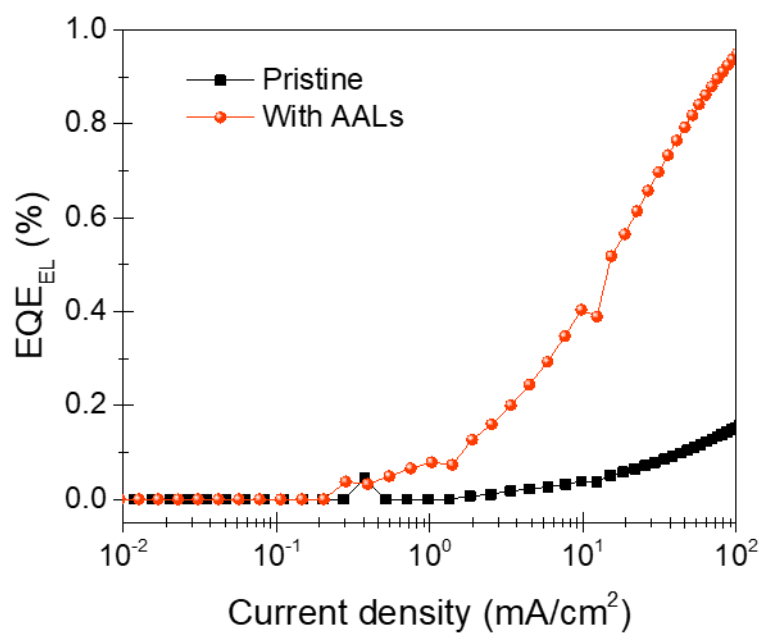


Supplementary Figure 13. Atomic force microscopy (AFM) images of CsFAMA films. a and b, Atomic force microscopy (AFM) images for pristine CsFAMA film and the CsFAMA film with AALs (OAm), respectively.

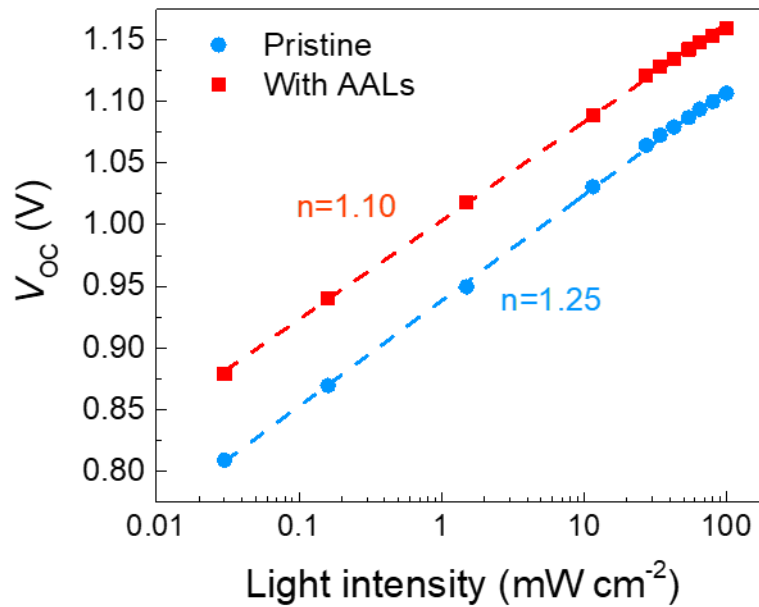


Supplementary Figure 14. Temperature-dependent capacitance versus frequency C - f plots.

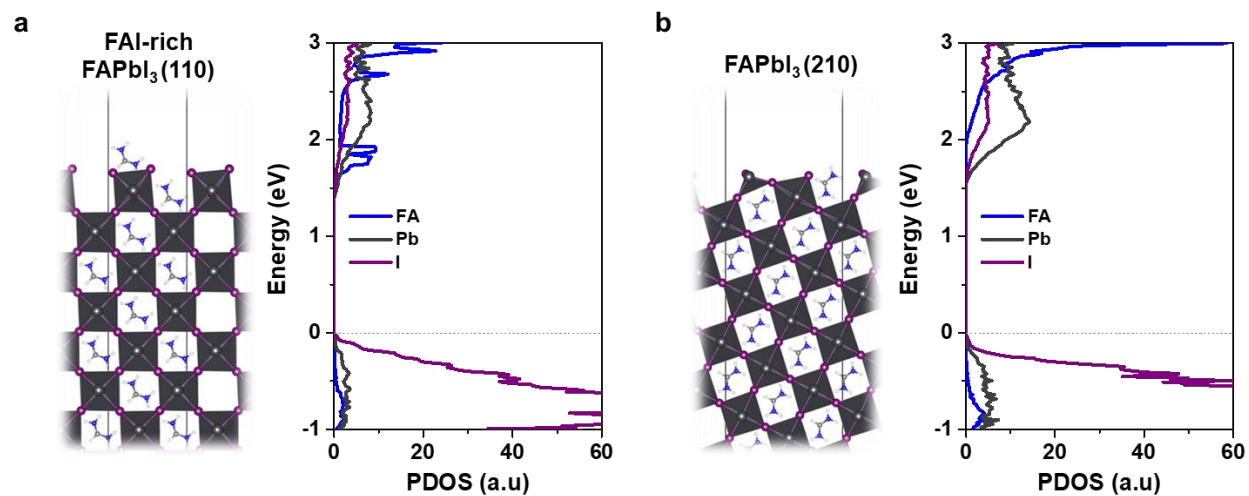
Temperature dependent C - f plots for the pristine CsFAMA devices.



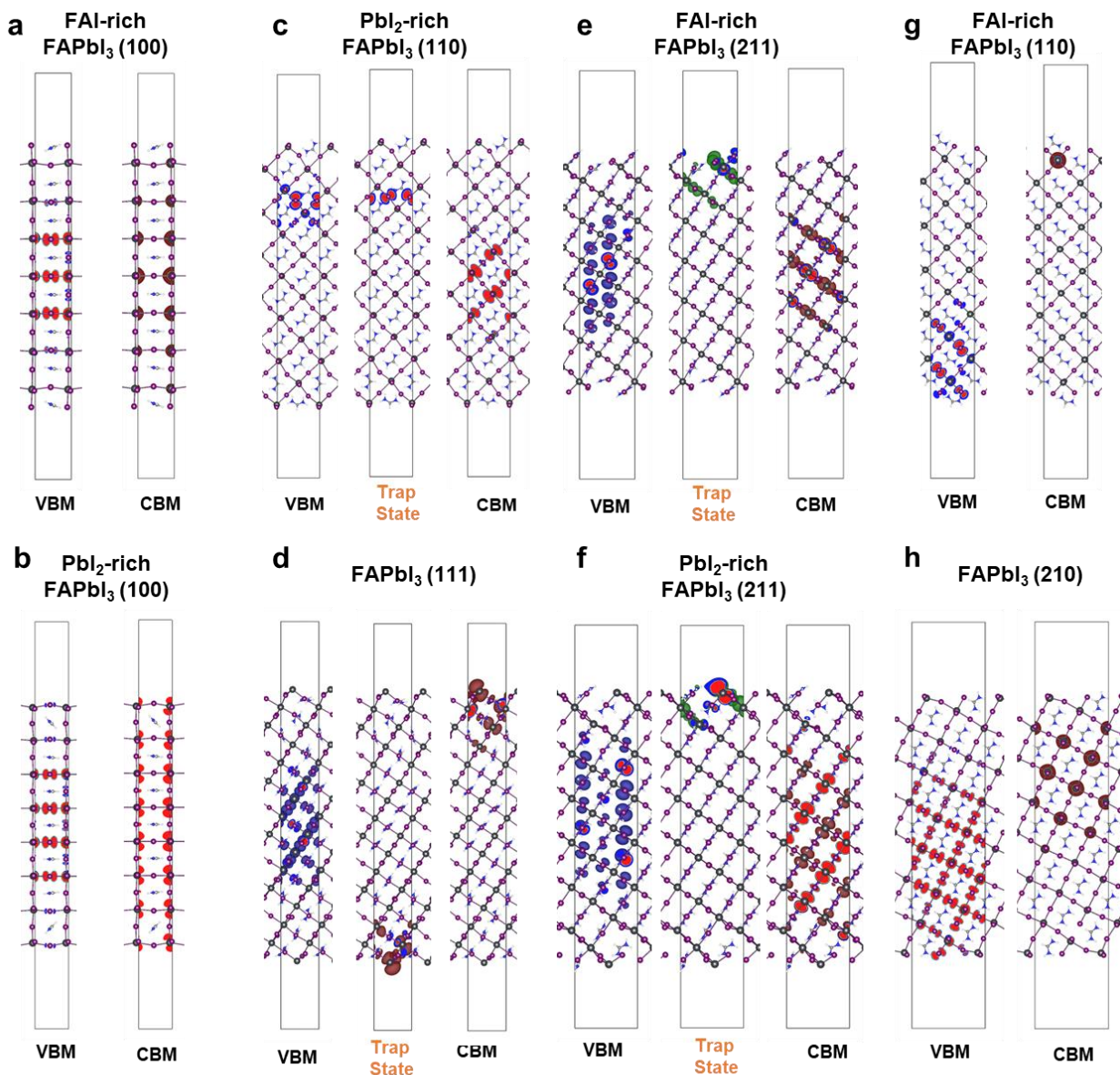
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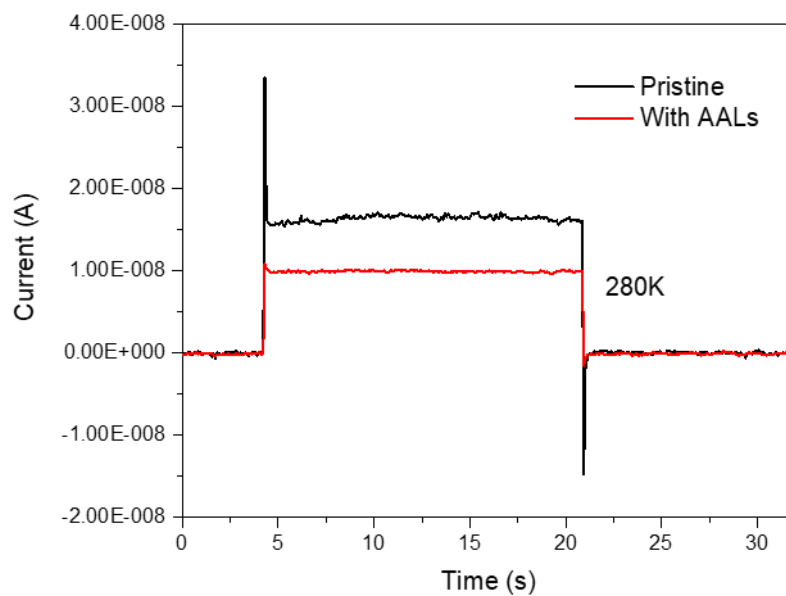
Supplementary Figure 16. Light intensity-dependent V_{oc} for CsFAMA devices. The light intensity-dependent V_{oc} for pristine CsFAMA device and the CsFAMA device with AALs (OAm). The n values were obtained by liner fitting of the data points.



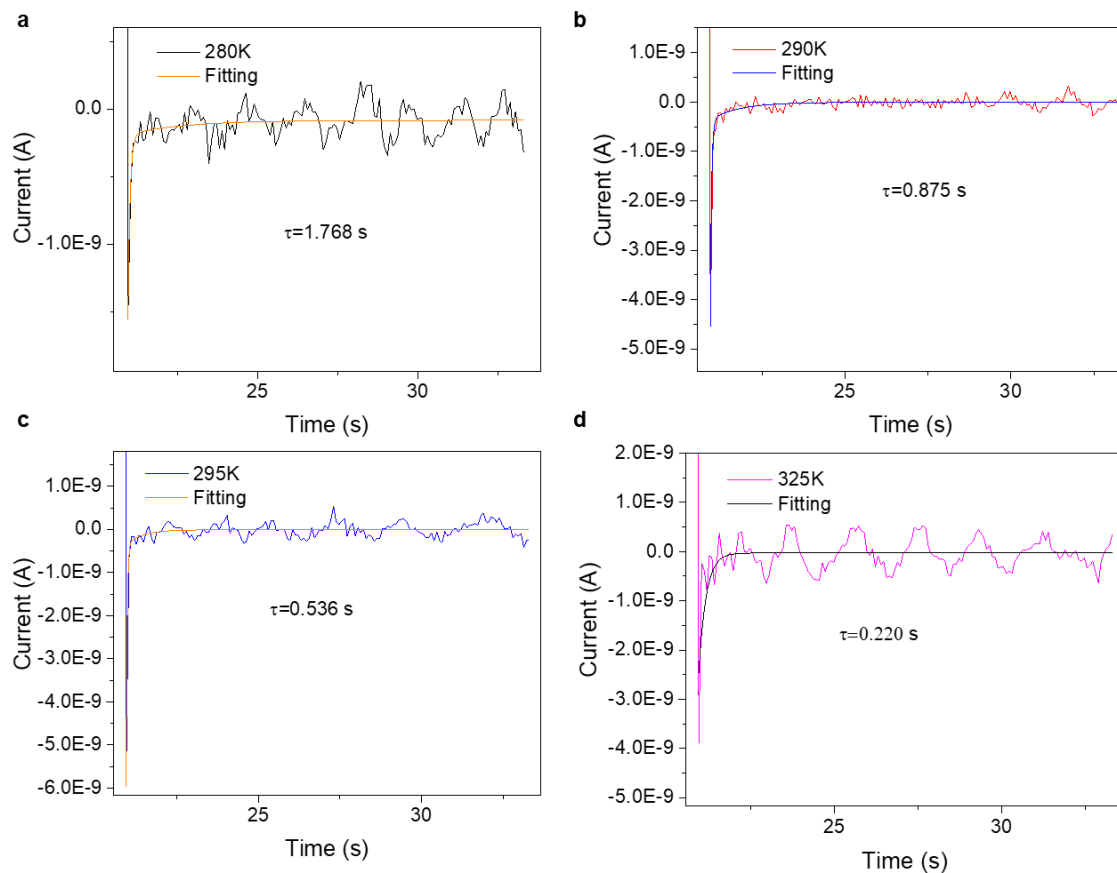
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Supplementary Figure 18. DFT calculation of charge densities on the surface of various crystallographic facets. Charge densities for the valence band maximum (VBM), the conduction band minimum (CBM), and the trap states for cubic-phase FAPbI₃ slabs with surface facets: FAI-rich (a) and PbI₂-rich (b) (100), PbI₂-rich (110) (c), FAPbI₃ (111) (d), FAI-rich (e) and PbI₂-rich (f) (211), FAI-rich (110) (g), and FAPbI₃ (210) (h) calculated by density functional theory.



Supplementary Figure 19. Charging-discharging process of the ion migration measurement. A typical charging-discharging process for pristine CsFAMA film and the CsFAMA film with AALs (OAm) measured at 280 K.



Supplementary Figure 20. Temperature-dependent transient response measurements for the ion migration characterization. Typical temperature-dependent transient response measurements for CsFAMA devices with AALs (OAm). The decay rate (τ^{-1}) of the negative current which represent the ion distribution recovery time, was estimated by exponential decay fitting.