

Supporting Information for

Solution-Processed Transparent Conducting Electrodes for Flexible Organic Solar Cells with 16.61% Efficiency

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Supplementary Figures

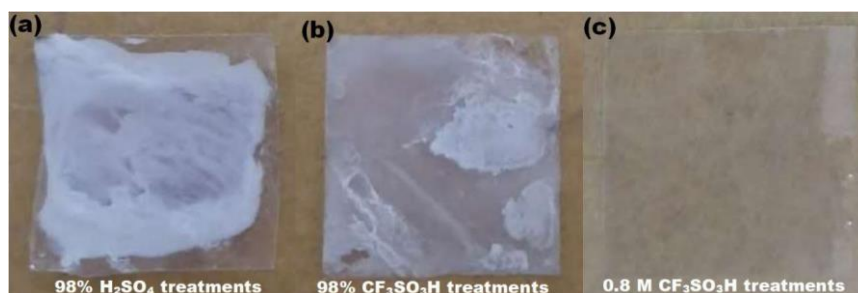


Fig. S1 Images of PET plastic substrates with (a) 98 wt% H_2SO_4 treatments at R.T. (b) 98 wt% $\text{CF}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ treatments at R.T. (c) low-concentration (0.8 M) $\text{CF}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ treatments at 50 °C. The underlying PET substrates were damaged by the 98 wt% H_2SO_4 and 98 wt% $\text{CF}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ treatments.

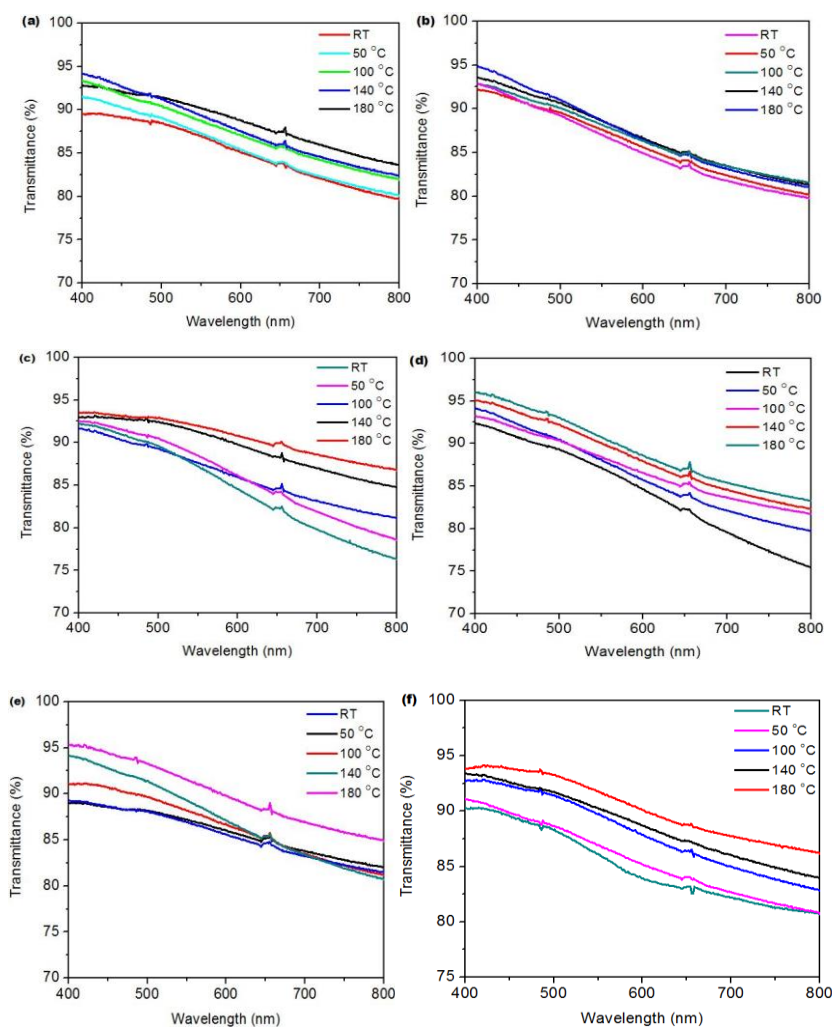


Fig. S2 Optical transparencies of the PEDOT:PSS films with the $\text{CF}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ treatments: (a) 0.1 M; (b) 0.3 M; (c) 0.8 M; (d) 2.0 M; (e) 4.0 M; and (f) 6.0 M

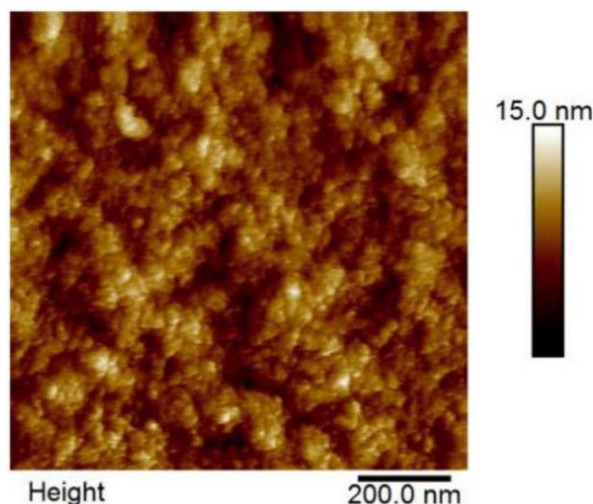


Fig. S3 Morphology of the PEDOT:PSS films with 6 vol% DMSO treatments

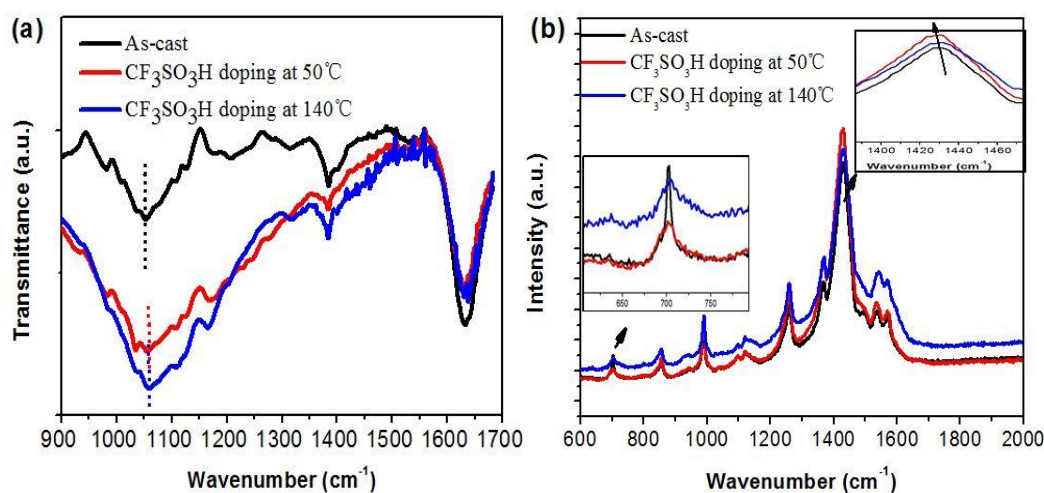


Fig. S4 FTIR (a) and Raman spectra (b) of the as-cast polymeric films and the PEDOT:PSS films with $\text{CF}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ doping treatments at 50 and 140 °C, respectively

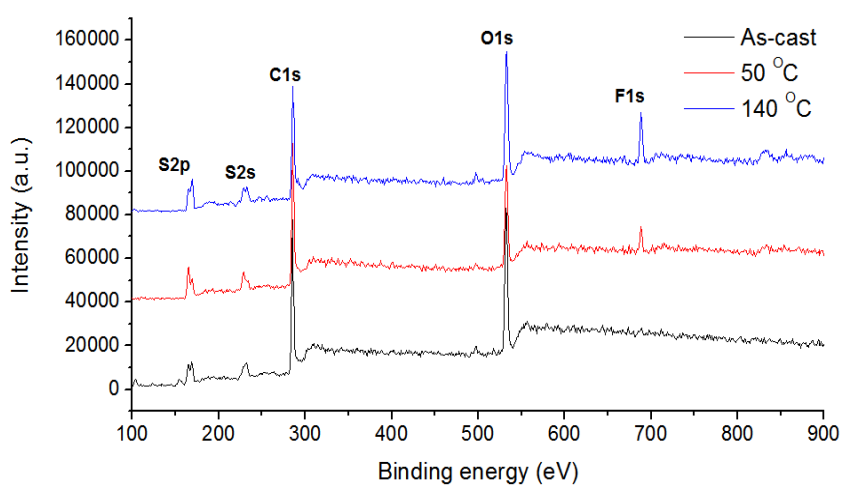


Fig. S5 XPS of the as-cast polymeric films and the PEDOT:PSS films with $\text{CF}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ doping treatments at 50 °C and 140 °C

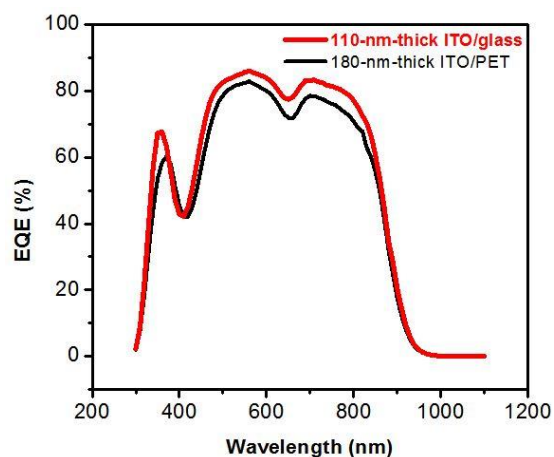


Fig. S6 EQE spectra of the control OSCs fabricated on the 110-nm-thick ITO electrodes on glass substrates and the flexible OSCs fabricated on the 180-nm-thick ITO electrodes on PET substrates

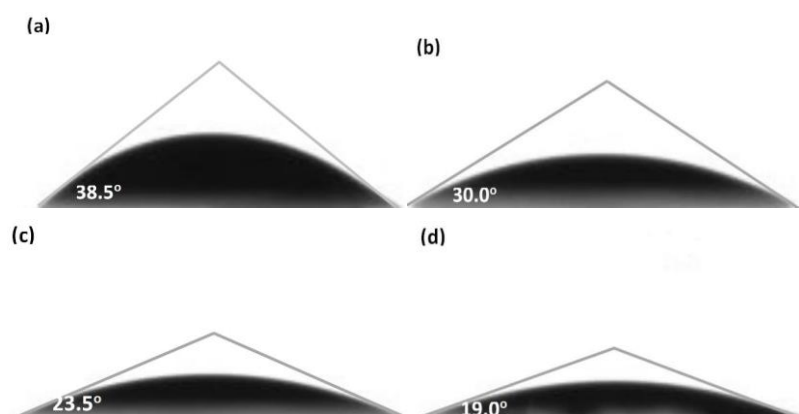


Fig. S7 Wettability characteristics of PEDOT:PSS (P VP AI4083) droplets on the surfaces of these films (PH1000): (a) as-cast; (b) 99.5 wt% $\text{CH}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ doping at 140 °C; (c) 8.0 M $\text{CH}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ doping at r.t.; and (d) 0.8 M $\text{CF}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ doping at 50 °C

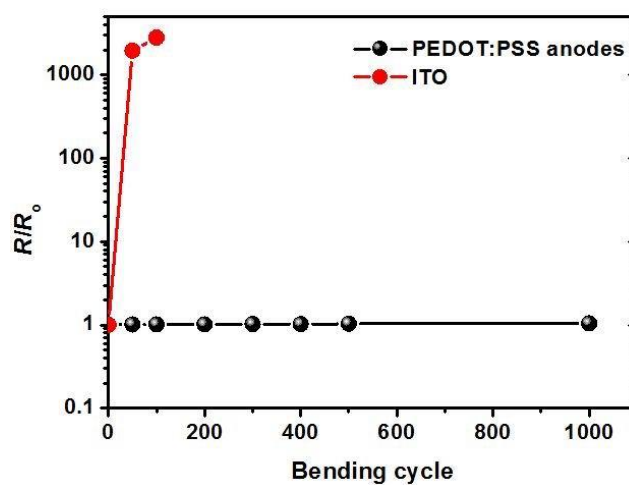


Fig. S8 R/R_0 of the 0.8 M $\text{CF}_3\text{SO}_3\text{H}$ -doped PEDOT:PSS (75 nm)/PET substrates and the (180 nm) ITO/PET substrates as a function of bending cycles at r of 1.5 mm