

Supporting Information

Tolerance Factor for Stabilizing 3D Hybrid Halide Perovskitoids Using Linear Diammonium Cations

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Powder X-ray Diffraction. Powder X-ray diffraction analysis was performed using a Rigaku Miniflex600 powder X-ray diffractometer (Cu K α graphite, $\lambda = 1.5406 \text{ \AA}$) operating at 40 kV/15 mA with a K β foil filter.

Single Crystal Structure. Single-crystal X-ray diffraction experiments were performed using a STOE IPDS II or IPDS 2T diffractometer with Mo K α radiation ($\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$) and operating at 50 kV and 40 mA. Integration and numerical absorption corrections were performed using the X-Area, X-RED, and XSHAPE programs. The structures were solved by charge flipping and refined by full-matrix least-squares on F^2 using the Jana 2006 package.¹ The PLATON software was used to identify the twinning domains and validate the space groups of the compounds.²

Computational details. First-principles calculations are based on density functional theory (DFT) as implemented in the SIESTA package.^{3,4} Full geometry optimization of the systems, *i.e.* cell vectors and atom positions, have been performed with the nonlocal van der Waals density functional of Dion *et al.* corrected by Cooper (C09),^{5,6} without including spin-orbit coupling, until forces were smaller than 0.01 eV/\AA . Electronic structure calculations are done including spin-orbit coupling through the on-site approximation as proposed by Fernández-Seivane *et al.*⁷ To prevent conflicts between the on-site treatment and the nonlocality of C09, single point calculations are conducted with the revPBE functional on which C09 is based.⁸ Core electrons are described with Troullier-Martins pseudopotentials,⁹ while valence wavefunctions are developed over double- ζ polarized basis set of finite-range numerical pseudoatomic orbitals.¹⁰ In all cases, an energy cutoff of 150 Ry for real-space mesh size has been used. Complementary calculations for bandgap and defective structures are performed using the HSE06 hybrid functional,¹¹ including spin-orbit coupling, with the plane-wave projector augmented wave (PAW) method as implemented in the VASP code,^{12, 13} using an energy cut-off of 400 eV to expand the electronic wave-functions. Defects in (DMEA)Pb₂Br₆ and (NMPA)Pb₂Br₆ based structures are examined by creating bromide vacancies at different positions (see Figure S1). The geometries are then optimized at the GGA level, while the partial density of states (pDOS) is computed at the HSE level on the relaxed structure.

Optical Absorption Spectroscopy. Optical diffuse reflectance measurements were performed using a Shimadzu UV-3600 UV-vis NIR spectrometer operating in the 200–2500 nm region at room temperature. BaSO₄ was used as the reference of 100% reflectance for all measurements.

The reflectance versus wavelength data generated were used to estimate the bandgap of the material by converting reflectance to absorption data according to the Kubelka–Munk equation: $\alpha/S = (1 - R)^2(2R)^{-1}$, where R is the reflectance and α and S are the absorption and scattering coefficients, respectively.

Photoluminescence. Photoluminescence was measured using a 375 nm ps laser (Picoquant LDH-D-C-375) as the excitation source running at a 10 MHz repetition rate. A long-working-distance objective (Mitutoyo, 10X, NA=0.28) was used to focus the laser onto the samples and collect the PL signal. The samples were mounted in a liquid-nitrogen cryostat (Janis VPF-100) at a pressure below 10^{-4} Torr. A dichroic mirror was placed on the incident path to block the reflected laser light, and a 400 nm long-pass filter was placed near the entrance slit of the spectrograph (Andor Kymera 328i) to further reject any residual laser light. Time-integrated PL spectra was captured by a Si EMCCD (Andor iXon Life 888), and time-resolved PL was collected by a streak camera (Hamamatsu C10910 with the slow sweep unit; M10913).

Raman Spectra. Low-frequency Raman spectra were measured using a frequency-stabilized 785 nm laser (Toptica) as the excitation source with an incident power of 40 mW onto the sample. A set of 5 narrow-linewidth notch filters (OptiGrate) was used to reject the laser line and enable measurements of Raman signatures down to 5 cm^{-1} . A super-long-working-distance objective lens (10X, NA=0.28) was used to focus the excitation light and to collect the Raman signal. The Raman signal was spatially filtered by a pair of 75-mm achromatic lens and a 50- μm pinhole, before sent into the spectrograph (Andor Kymera 328i). The Raman signal was finally captured by a Si EMCCD (Andor iXon Life 888).

Table S1. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for (1,4BDA)Pb₂Br₆ at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	x	y	z	Occupancy	U _{eq} *
Pb(1)	2348(1)	6275(1)	5551(1)	1	25(1)
Pb(2)	-2684(1)	6314(1)	5758(1)	1	26(1)
Br(1)	-2591(2)	7855(1)	3944(2)	1	52(1)
Br(3)	-193(2)	6308(1)	5584(2)	1	42(1)
Br(4)	4798(2)	6515(1)	5575(2)	1	40(1)
Br(5)	2780(2)	4578(1)	7133(2)	1	36(1)
Br(6)	2479(2)	5313(1)	2736(2)	1	38(1)
Br(8)	2188(2)	7408(1)	8336(2)	1	52(1)

Table S2. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for (1,4BDA)Pb₂Br₆ at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	U ₁₁	U ₂₂	U ₃₃	U ₁₂	U ₁₃	U ₂₃
Pb(1)	22(1)	27(1)	27(1)	0(1)	1(1)	0(1)
Pb(2)	23(1)	29(1)	27(1)	-1(1)	1(1)	-1(1)
Br(1)	57(2)	46(1)	52(1)	-2(1)	-5(1)	22(1)
Br(3)	23(1)	54(1)	48(1)	-2(1)	1(1)	2(1)
Br(4)	23(1)	52(1)	45(1)	-2(1)	2(1)	1(1)
Br(5)	40(1)	41(1)	28(1)	-1(1)	-2(1)	-1(1)
Br(6)	54(1)	34(1)	28(1)	-2(1)	2(1)	-1(1)
Br(8)	61(2)	43(1)	52(1)	0(1)	1(1)	-20(1)

Table S3. Bond lengths [\AA] for (1,4BDA) Pb_2Br_6 at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	Distances
Pb(1)-Br(3)	3.0695(18)
Pb(1)-Br(4)	2.9826(18)
Pb(1)-Br(5)	3.1575(17)
Pb(1)-Br(6)	2.9278(15)
Pb(1)-Br(8)	3.0721(17)
Pb(1)-Br(8)#1	2.9093(17)
Pb(2)-Br(3)	3.0148(18)
Pb(2)-Br(4)#2	3.0562(18)
Pb(2)-Br(5)#3	2.9152(15)
Pb(2)-Br(6)#3	2.9953(16)
Pb(2)-Br(1)	2.9986(18)
Pb(2)-Br(1)#4	3.0932(18)

Table S4. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for (NMPA) Pb_2Br_6 at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	x	y	z	Occupancy	U_{eq}^*
Pb(1)	4302(1)	3710(1)	5275(3)	1	30(1)
Br(2)	7131(2)	4668(2)	5207(12)	1	39(1)
Br(3)	1199(2)	2823(2)	5295(14)	1	50(1)
Br(4)	4257(2)	3818(2)	442(16)	1	50(1)

Table S5. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for (NMPA) Pb_2Br_6 at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	U_{11}	U_{22}	U_{33}	U_{12}	U_{13}	U_{23}
Pb(1)	30(1)	34(1)	26(1)	0(1)	5(1)	-2(2)
Br(2)	31(1)	45(1)	41(2)	4(1)	2(3)	12(3)
Br(3)	47(1)	58(2)	47(2)	-13(1)	-12(3)	-5(4)
Br(4)	51(1)	76(2)	23(3)	-2(1)	-1(2)	1(3)

Table S6. Bond lengths [\AA] for (NMPA) Pb_2Br_6 at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	Distances
Pb(1)-Br(2)	2.9911(19)
Pb(1)-Br(2)#1	3.029(2)
Pb(1)-Br(3)	3.139(2)
Pb(1)-Br(3)#2	3.096(2)
Pb(1)-Br(4)	2.922(10)
Pb(1)-Br(4)#3	3.123(10)

Table S7. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for (TMEA) Pb_2Br_6 at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	x	y	z	Occupancy	U_{eq}^*
Pb(1)	4409(1)	2897(1)	8827(2)	1	27(1)
Br(2)	3830(1)	5862(2)	8731(6)	1	50(1)
Br(3)	5000	0	8726(6)	1	65(1)
Br(5)	2500	2379(2)	9072(6)	1	50(1)
Br(7)	4366(2)	2954(2)	3798(6)	1	56(1)

Table S8. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for (TMEA) Pb_2Br_6 at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	U_{11}	U_{22}	U_{33}	U_{12}	U_{13}	U_{23}
Pb(1)	28(1)	24(1)	30(1)	0(1)	-2(1)	4(1)
Br(2)	34(1)	31(1)	84(2)	2(1)	-6(3)	-5(3)
Br(3)	81(2)	33(1)	80(2)	19(1)	0	0
Br(5)	31(1)	45(2)	73(2)	0	0	1(2)
Br(7)	78(1)	63(1)	28(1)	9(1)	4(3)	2(3)

Table S9. Bond lengths [\AA] for (TMEA) Pb_2Br_6 at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	Distances
Pb(1)-Br(2)	3.0350(18)
Pb(1)-Br(2)#1	2.9812(18)
Pb(1)-Br(3)	2.9775(12)
Pb(1)-Br(5)	2.9960(13)
Pb(1)-Br(7)	3.068(4)
Pb(1)-Br(7)#2	3.033(4)

Table S10. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for (DMEA) Pb_2Br_6 at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	x	y	z	Occupancy	U_{eq}^*
Pb(1)	1023(1)	7006(1)	1502(1)	1	26(1)
Pb(2)	-1192(1)	8169(1)	3243(1)	1	27(1)
Br(3)	-361(2)	6380(1)	2749(2)	1	34(1)
Br(4)	2254(2)	7662(2)	2881(2)	1	34(1)
Br(5)	91(2)	8704(1)	1690(2)	1	37(1)
Br(6)	2559(2)	7712(1)	383(1)	1	32(1)
Br(7)	1835(2)	5049(2)	1718(2)	1	48(1)
Br(8)	98(2)	6520(2)	-237(2)	1	66(1)

Table S11. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for (DMEA) Pb_2Br_6 at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	U_{11}	U_{22}	U_{33}	U_{12}	U_{13}	U_{23}
Pb(1)	27(1)	25(1)	26(1)	0(1)	1(1)	0(1)
Pb(2)	25(1)	28(1)	27(1)	1(1)	1(1)	0(1)
Br(3)	36(1)	28(1)	36(1)	0(1)	4(1)	5(1)
Br(4)	40(1)	40(1)	24(1)	-3(1)	0(1)	1(1)
Br(5)	46(1)	28(1)	38(1)	6(1)	4(1)	8(1)
Br(6)	38(1)	36(1)	24(1)	-2(1)	-2(1)	0(1)
Br(7)	65(2)	30(1)	51(2)	0(1)	11(2)	-1(1)
Br(8)	49(2)	98(2)	52(2)	9(2)	-17(2)	-14(2)

Table S12. Bond lengths [\AA] for $(\text{DMEA})\text{Pb}_2\text{Br}_6$ at 293 K with estimated standard deviations in parentheses.

Label	Distances
Pb(1)-Br(3)	2.990(2)
Pb(1)-Br(4)	2.9892(19)
Pb(1)-Br(5)	2.9200(19)
Pb(1)-Br(6)	3.079(2)
Pb(1)-Br(7)	3.194(2)
Pb(1)-Br(8)	3.107(3)
Pb(2)-Br(3)	3.0545(19)
Pb(2)-Br(4)#1	3.016(2)
Pb(2)-Br(5)	3.182(2)
Pb(2)-Br(6)#1	2.9168(19)
Pb(2)-Br(7)#2	2.977(2)
Pb(2)-Br(8)#3	3.081(3)

Table S13. Dimensions of the A-cations extracted from single-crystal structures. (Structures 3-8 were reported in the literature.¹⁴)

	A-cation	$L_x < 5.27 \text{ \AA}$	$L_y < 9.72 \text{ \AA}$	$L_z < 2.66 \text{ \AA}$
(1,4BDA)Pb ₂ Br ₆		2.27	7.49	2.27
(NMPA)Pb ₂ Br ₆		2.27	8.33	2.27
(1,3PDA)Pb ₂ Br ₆		2.27	6.13	2.27
(DMPZ)Pb ₂ Br ₆		3.72	7.04	1.40
(HMPZ)Pb ₂ Br ₆		3.70	6.28	1.40
(HEPZ)Pb ₂ Br ₆		3.75	6.67	2.40
(HPPZ)Pb ₂ Br ₆		3.73	6.29	3.93
(H ₂ APY)Pb ₂ Br ₆		3.77	6.22	2.50

Table S14. Lifetime fitting parameters for (1,4BDA)Pb₂Br₆ at different temperatures.

T	a ₁	τ ₁	a ₂	τ ₂	τ _{ave}
215 K	0.99	0.12	0.01	1.75	0.13
175 K	0.98	0.16	0.02	2.10	0.19
135 K	0.98	1.16	0.02	13.10	1.37
78 K	0.41	13.63	0.59	66.26	44.49

Table S15. Lifetime fitting parameters for (NMPA)Pb₂Br₆ at different temperatures.

T	a ₁	τ ₁	a ₂	τ ₂	τ _{ave}
215 K	0.01	4.41	0.99	0.88	0.91
175 K	0.66	5.89	0.34	22.18	11.42
135 K	0.25	67.46	0.75	210.38	174.38
78 K	0.29	324.78	0.71	811.49	670.38

Table S16. Lifetime fitting parameters for (TMEA)Pb₂Br₆ at different temperatures.

T	a ₁	τ ₁	a ₂	τ ₂	τ _{ave}
135 K	0.99	0.52	0.01	5.85	0.56
78K	0.99	2.14	0.01	14.94	2.19

Table S17. Lifetime fitting parameters for (DMEA)Pb₂Br₆ at different temperatures.

T	a ₁	τ ₁	a ₂	τ ₂	τ _{ave}
295 K	0.84	0.54	0.16	4.54	1.19
255 K	0.74	0.16	0.26	2.66	0.81
215 K	0.63	3.33	0.37	21.98	10.29
175 K	0.99	10.45	0.01	200.94	12.64
135 K	0.97	11.39	0.03	200.64	17.18
78 K	0.76	63.45	0.24	393.29	141.65

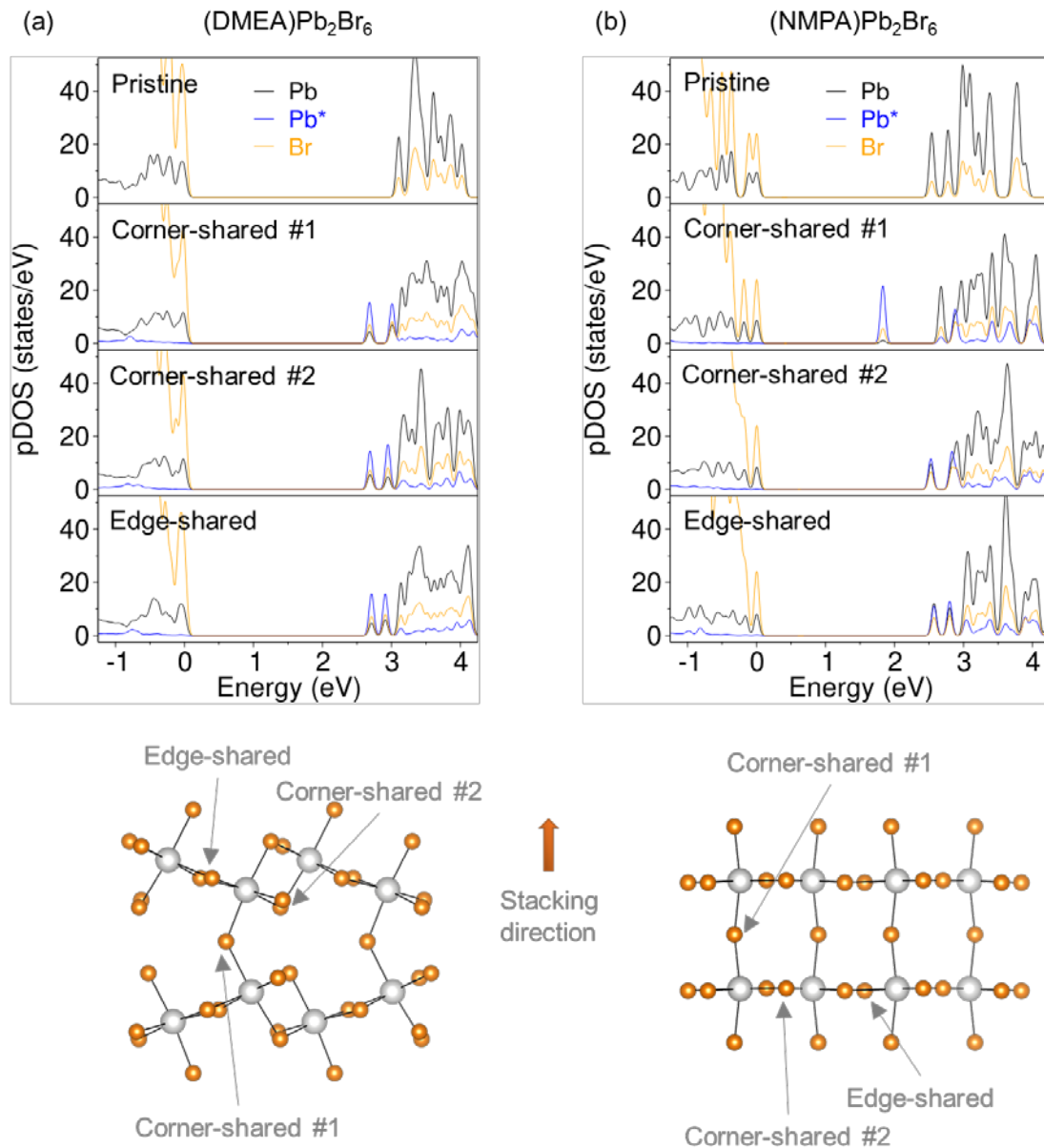


Figure S1. Partial density of states (pDOS) computed at the HSE level for (a) (DMEA)Pb₂Br₆ and (b) (NMPA)Pb₂Br₆ on structures relaxed (at the GGA level) with different bromide vacancies, which are illustrated below the corresponding panels. When bromine vacancies were generated at different positions, below-bandgap trap states showed up at different energies. The black lines indicate the pDOS of pristine Pb. The blue lines indicate the pDOS of Pb surrounded by Br vacancies. The orange lines are the pDOS of Br.

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