## **Supplemental Information**

Effect of aliovalent bismuth substitution on structure and optical properties of CsSnBr<sub>3</sub>

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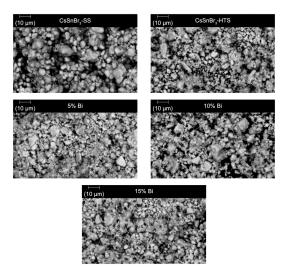


Figure S1. SEM images of CsSnBr3 and Bi-substituted compounds.

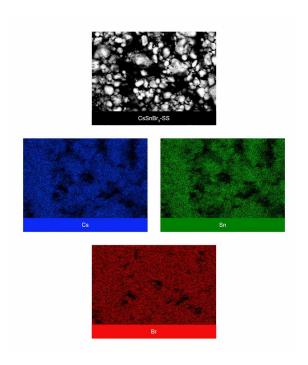


Figure S2. Elemental mapping of CsSnBr<sub>3</sub>-SS.

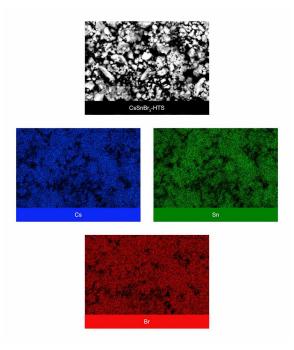
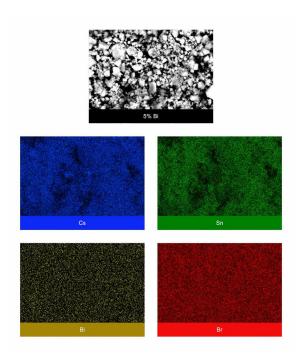


Figure S3. Elemental mapping of CsSnBr<sub>3</sub>-HTS.



**Figure S4.** Elemental mapping of 5% Bi-substituted compound.

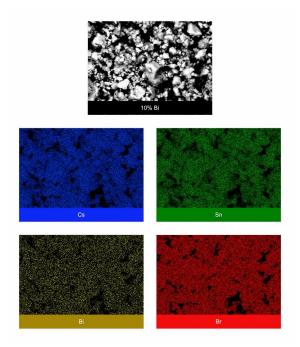


Figure S5. Elemental mapping of 10% Bi-substituted compound.

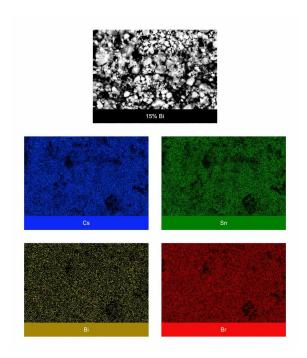
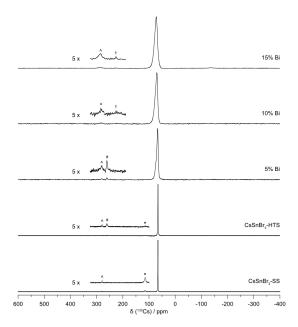


Figure S6. Elemental mapping of 15% Bi-substituted compound.

Sample	Cs atom (%)		Sn atom (%)		Bi atom (%)		Br atom (%)	
	Nominal	EDX analysis	Nominal	EDX analysis	Nominal	EDX analysis	Nominal	EDX analysis
CsSnBr <sub>3</sub> -SS	20	21	20	20	0	0	60	59
CsSnBr <sub>3</sub> -HTS	20	21	20	21	0	0	60	58
5%Bi	19.8	20	18.81	17	0.99	1	60.4	62
10%Bi	19.61	20	17.65	16	1.96	2	60.78	62
15%Bi	19.42	20	16.5	15	2.91	3	61.17	62



**Figure S7.** <sup>133</sup>Cs MAS NMR spectra ( $B_0 = 11.75$  T,  $\omega_r/2\pi = 14$  kHz) for CsSnBr<sub>3</sub> and Bisubstituted samples. Trace secondary phases include Cs<sub>2</sub>SnBr<sub>6</sub> (asterisks, \*), CsBr (hash marks, #), and CsSn<sub>2</sub>Br<sub>5</sub> (daggers, †). Spinning side bands are marked by carets, ^.

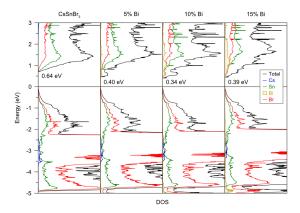
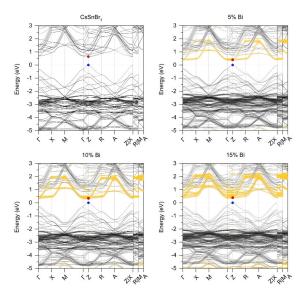
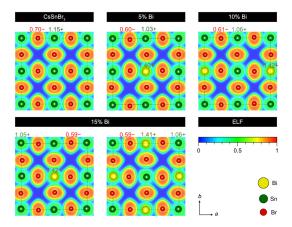


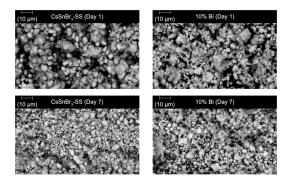
Figure S8. PBE DOS curves for CsSnBr3 and Bi-substituted models.



**Figure S9.** PBE band dispersion plots for CsSnBr<sub>3</sub> and Bi-substituted models. The contributions of Bi-based states are highlighted in yellow. The valence band maxima are marked by blue circles and the conduction band minima by red circles.



**Figure S10.** ELF plots and Bader charges for CsSnBr<sub>3</sub> and Bi-substituted models, from calculations using HSE06 functionals.



**Figure S11.** SEM images of CsSnBr<sub>3</sub> and 10% Bi-substituted compound, before (Day 1) and after (Day 7) exposure to 65% relative humidity.

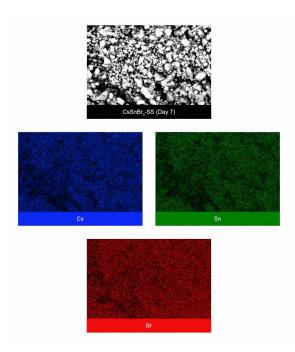
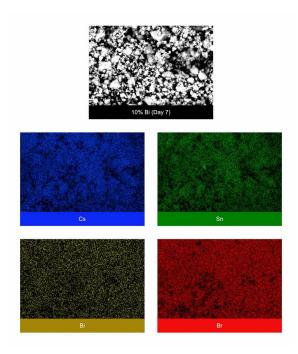


Figure S12. Elemental mapping of CsSnBr<sub>3</sub>-SS after exposure to 65% relative humidity (Day 7).



**Figure S13.** Elemental mapping of 10% Bi-substituted compound after exposure to 65% relative humidity (Day 7).