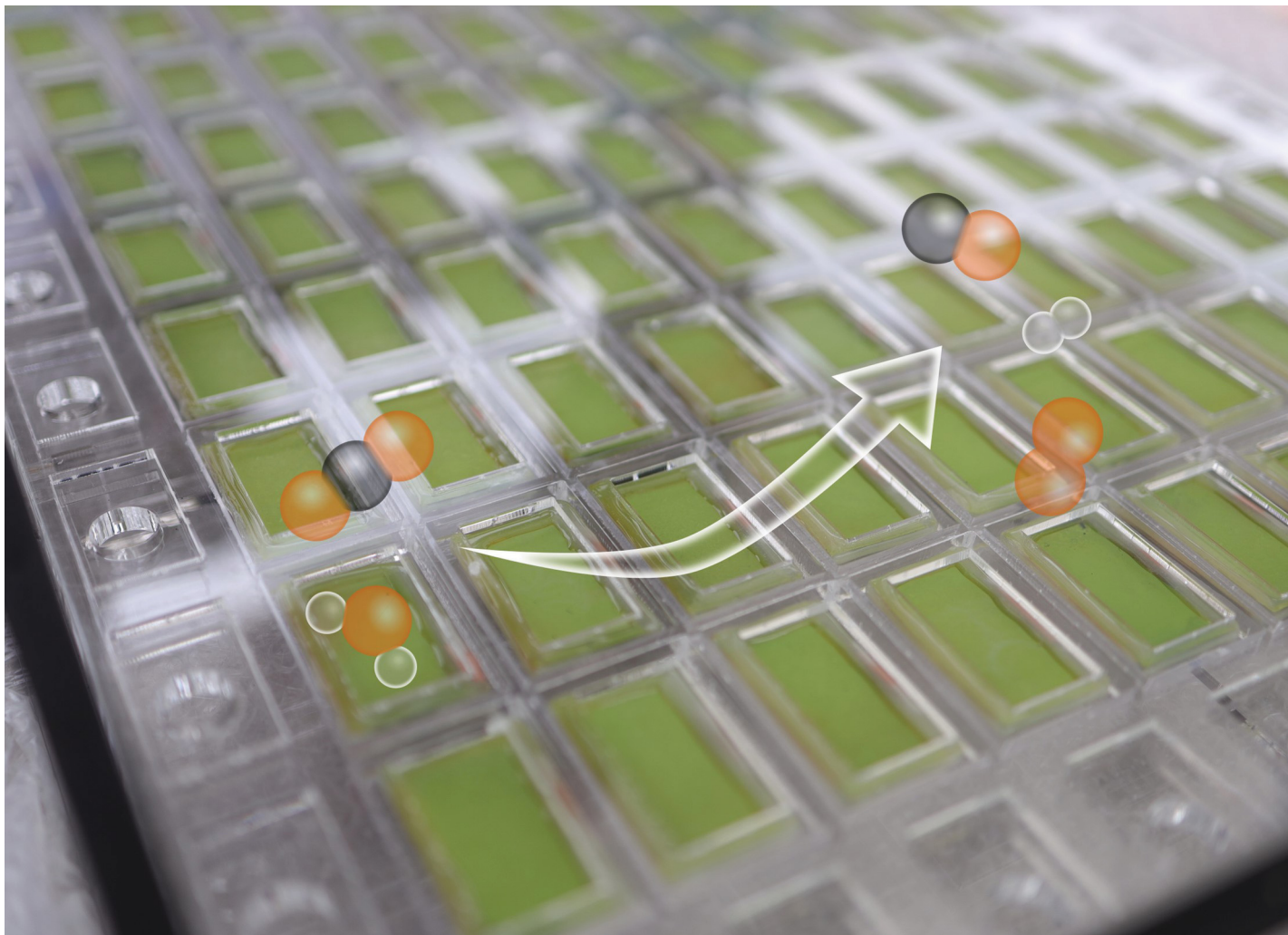




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Modular perovskite-BiVO₄ artificial leaves towards syngas synthesis on a m² scale

An artificial tree consisting of a 10 × 10 array of 10 cm² artificial leaves within a custom-built solar reactor has been demonstrated for CO₂-to-syngas conversion in the final of the EIC Horizon Prize. The photoelectrochemical leaves were fabricated employing fully evaporated perovskite solar cells, enabling modularity of this technology. Extensive outdoor tests included a thunderstorm, revealing key insights into practical operation that are not encountered during standardised laboratory experiments. This work thus provides a valuable resource for upscaling and real-world deployment of emerging artificial photosynthesis technologies.

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