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## Tunable near-infrared light emission from layered $\text{TiS}_3$ nanoribbons

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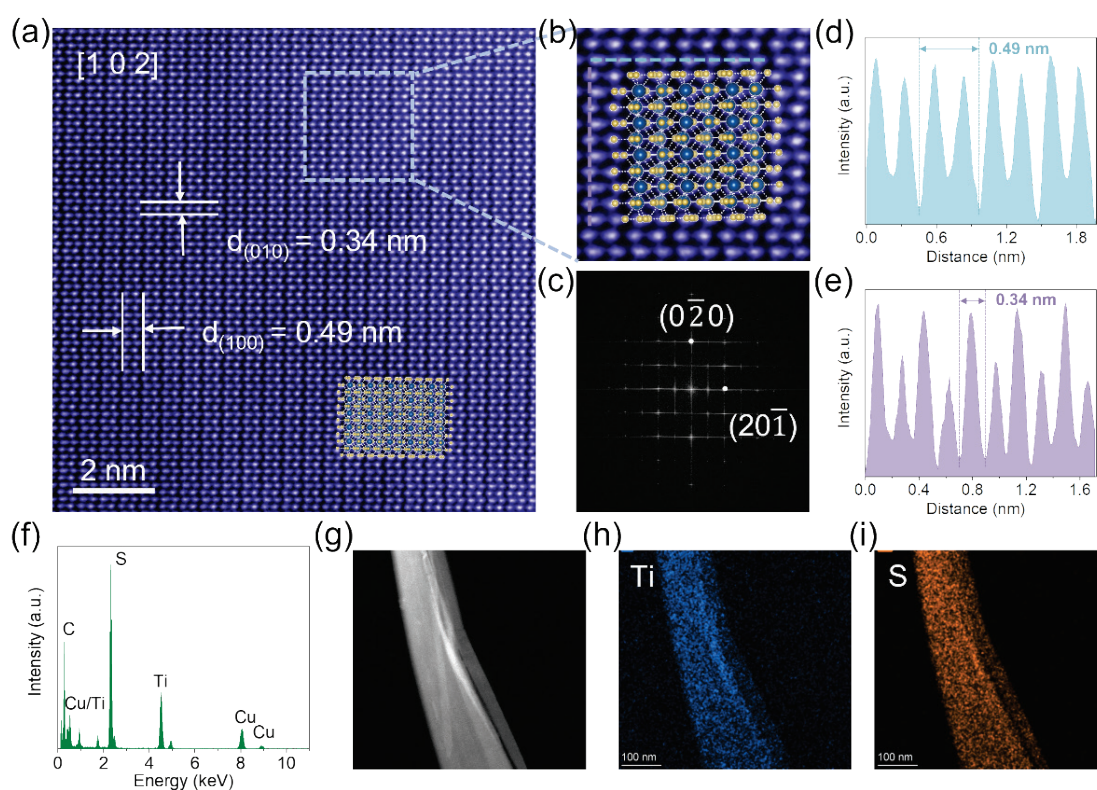
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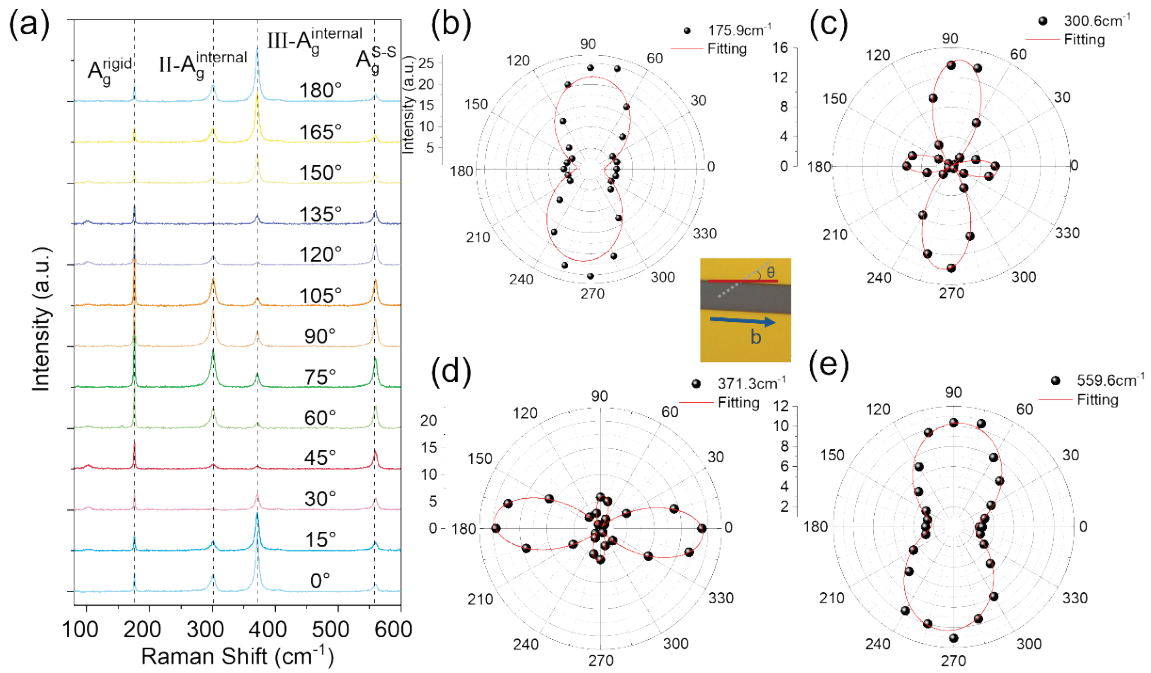
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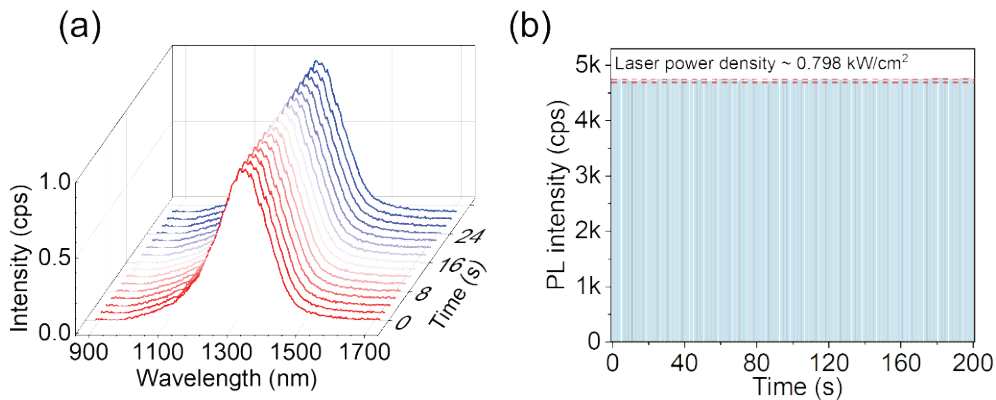
### Supporting Information



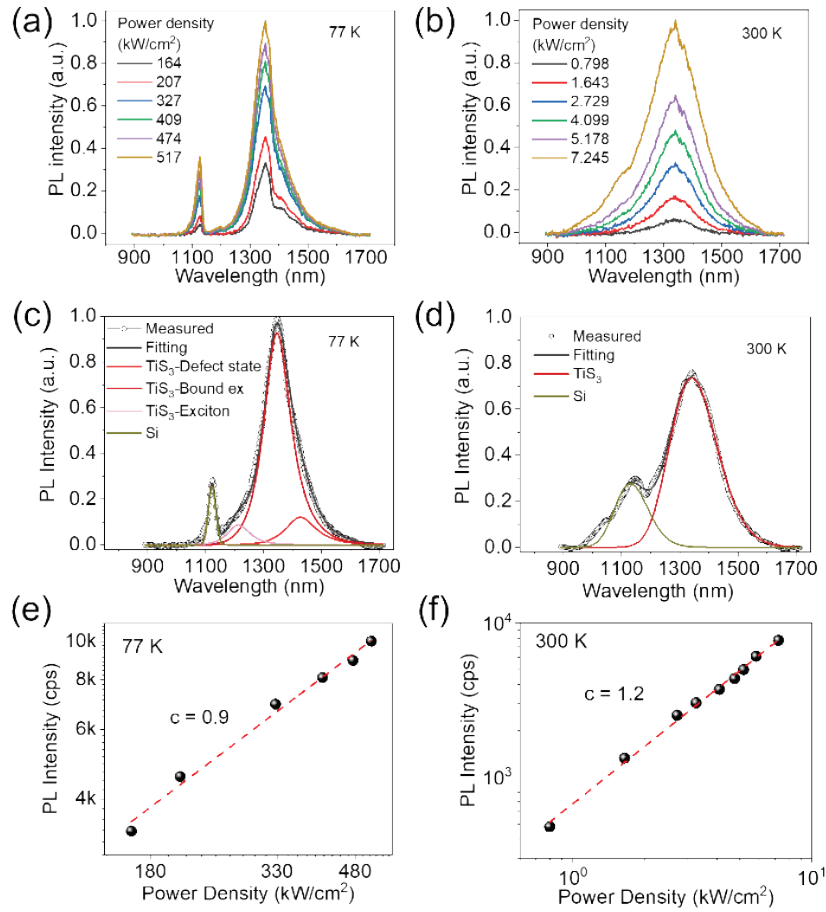
**Fig. S1**  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbons with high crystallinity. **(a, b)** High-resolution HAADF-STEM images of the  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon. **(c)** Corresponding SAED pattern of the  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon. **(d, e)** Intensity profile of the blue and pink dashed lines in **(a)**, respectively. **(f)** Energy-dispersive spectroscopy (EDS) spectrum of  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon. **(g)** HAADF image of a  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon. **(h, i)** EDS elemental mappings of Ti and S, respectively.



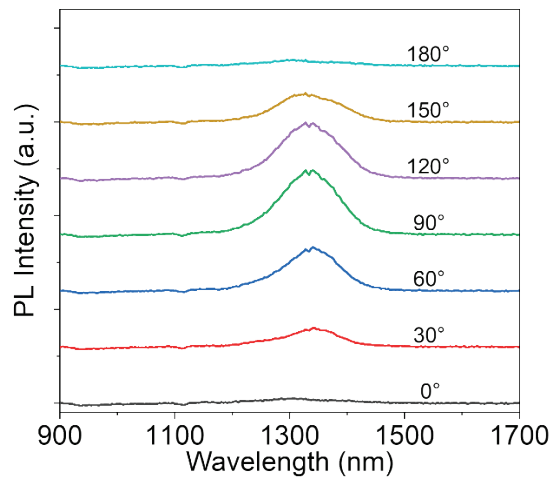
**Fig. S2** Angle-dependent Raman spectra of TiS<sub>3</sub> nanoribbons. **(a)** Angle-resolved Raman spectra of TiS<sub>3</sub> flake evolving with angle. **(b–e)** Polar plot of 175.9 cm<sup>-1</sup>, 300.6 cm<sup>-1</sup>, 371.3 cm<sup>-1</sup> and 559.6 cm<sup>-1</sup> mode intensity. 175.9 cm<sup>-1</sup>, 559.6 cm<sup>-1</sup> mode are two-lobe shape, and 300.6 cm<sup>-1</sup>, 371.3 cm<sup>-1</sup> mode is four-lobe shape. The black spots are experimental results, and the red solid lines are fitted results.



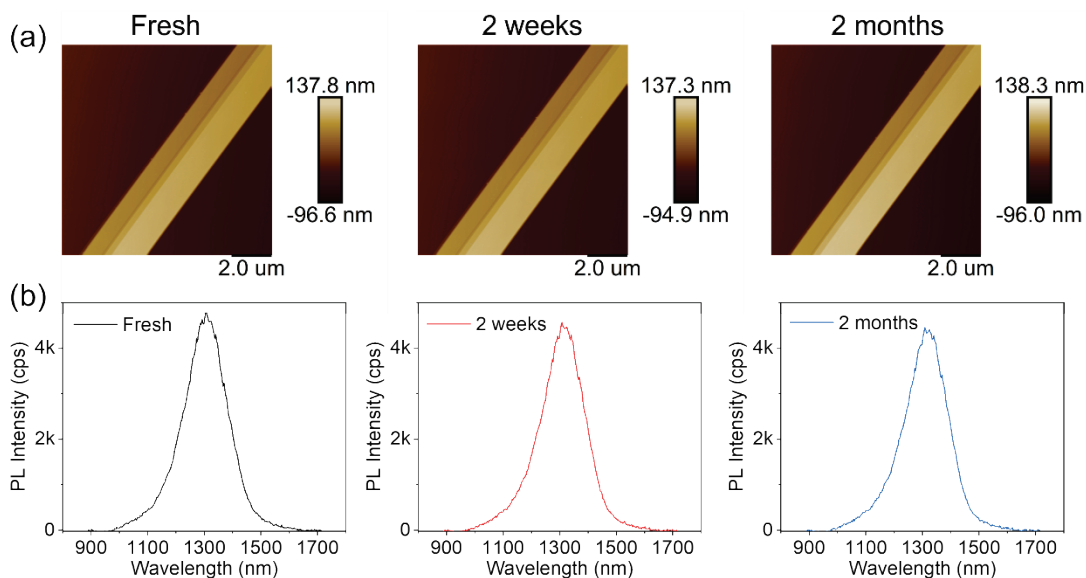
**Fig. S3 (a)** Near-infrared PL spectra of TiS<sub>3</sub> nanoribbon as a function of laser exposure time from the intrinsic emission. **(b)** PL intensity as a function of laser exposure time.



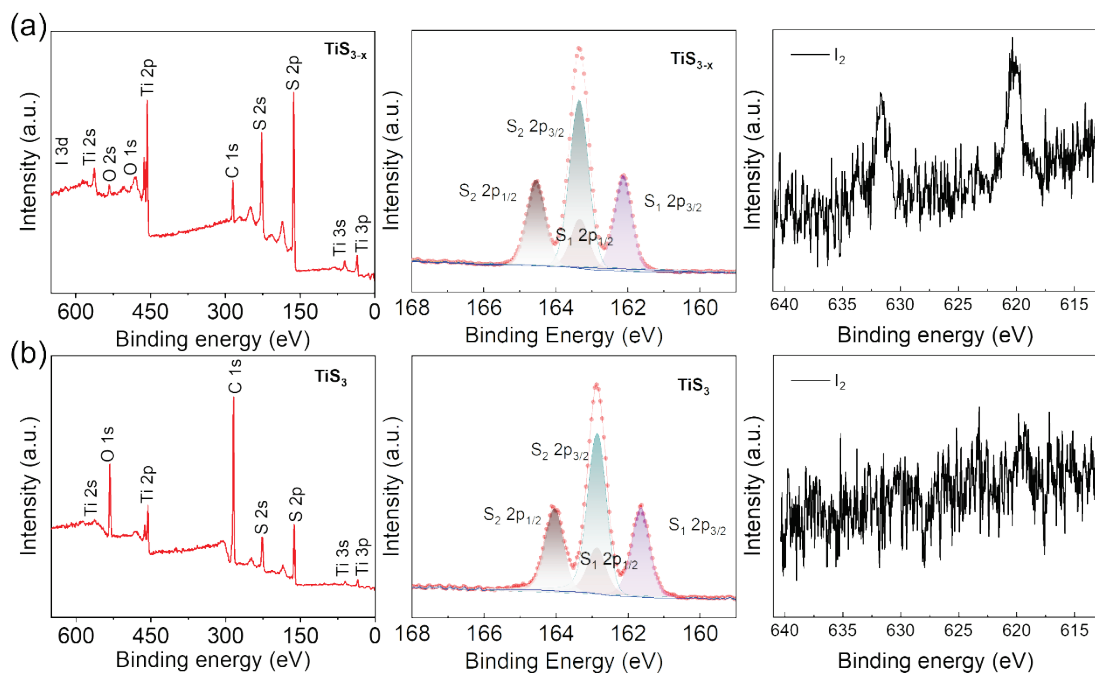
**Fig. S4 (a, b)** Photoluminescence spectra of  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon as a function of laser power density under 77 K and 300 K. **(c, d)** Detailed spectra of the emission pattern, showing the  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon (red lines) peak and Si (green line) peak under 77 K and 300 K. **(e, f)** Excitation power density dependent spectral integral PL intensity measured at 77 K and 300 K for the entire spectra, the red dotted lines are power-law fittings.



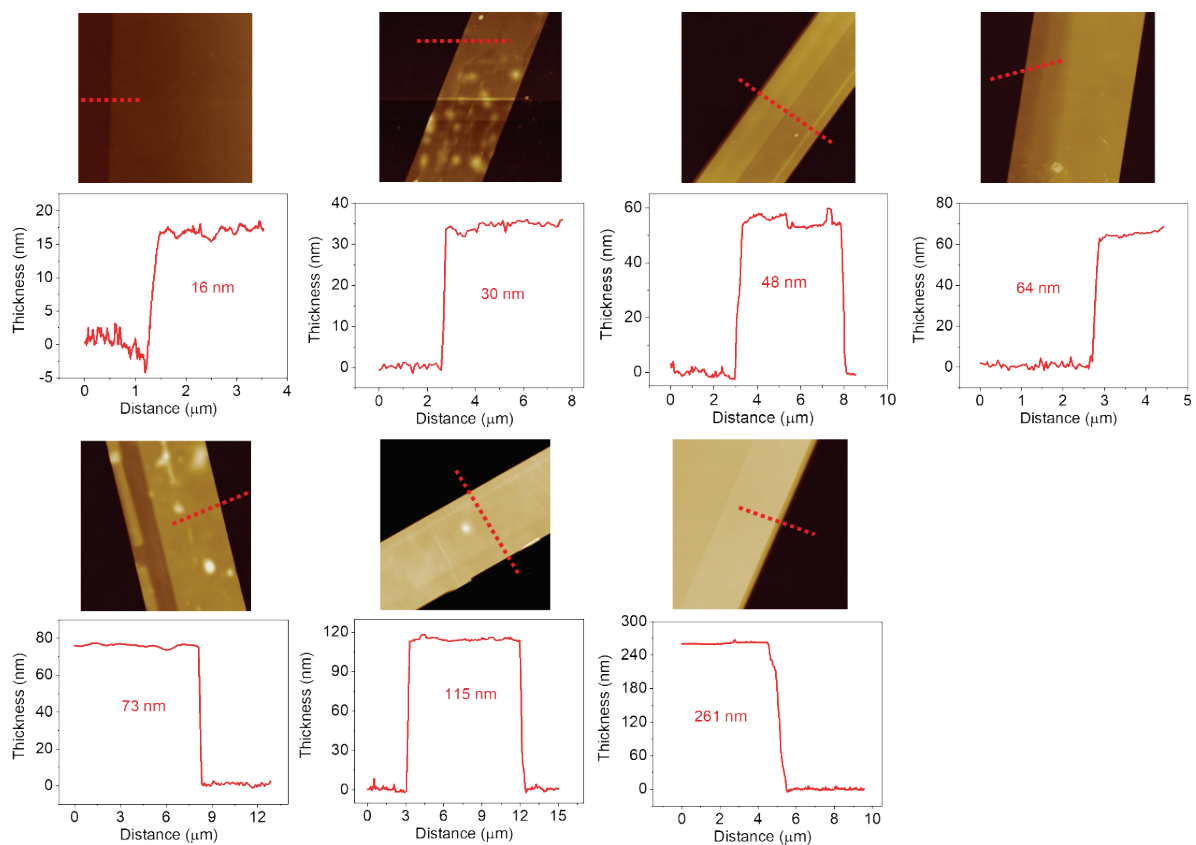
**Fig. S5** Angle-resolved PL spectra of  $\text{TiS}_3$  flake evolving with angle.



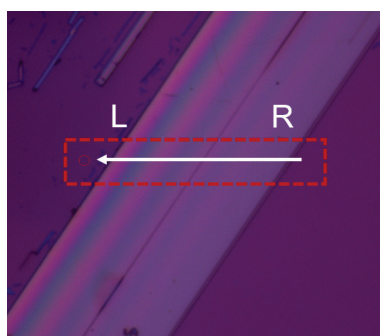
**Fig. S6** (a) Time-dependent AFM images of TiS<sub>3</sub> nanosheets placed in the environment. (b) The corresponding photoluminescence spectra at different times.



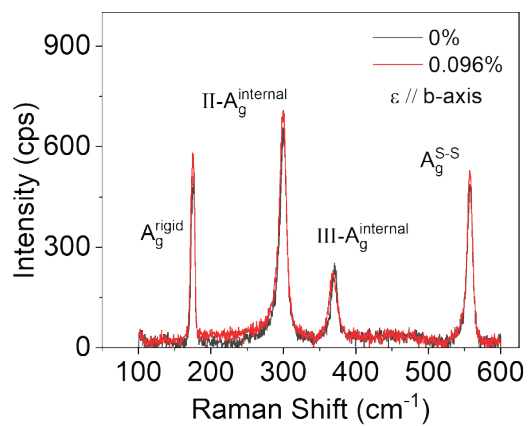
**Fig. S7** XPS spectra of (a) wide-scan, (b) S 2p, and (c) I 3d for TiS<sub>3-x</sub> and TiS<sub>3</sub>.



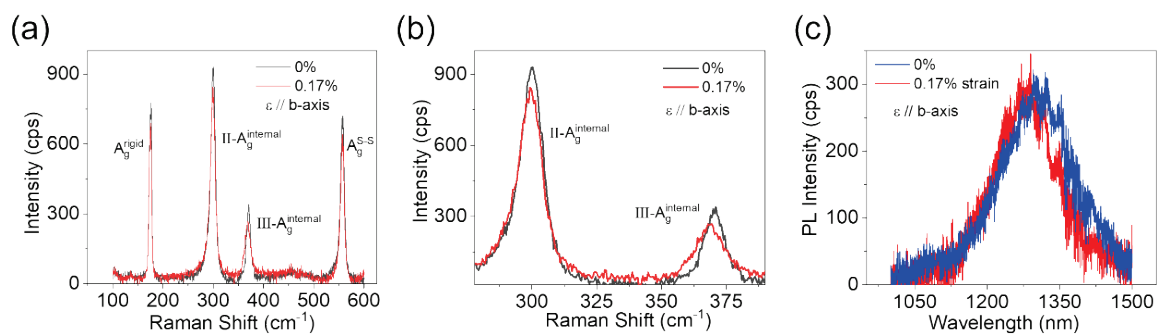
**Fig. S8** AFM images (top) and their thickness results (bottom).



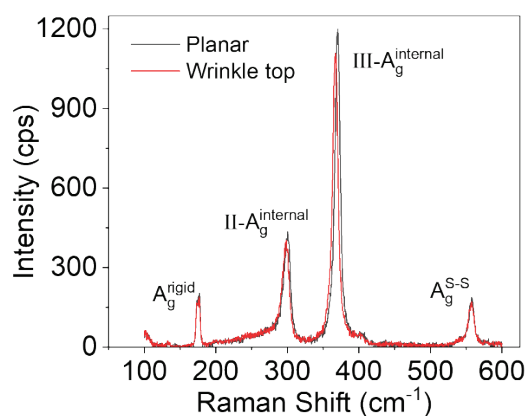
**Fig. S9** The optical diagram of  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanosheet with gradient thickness.



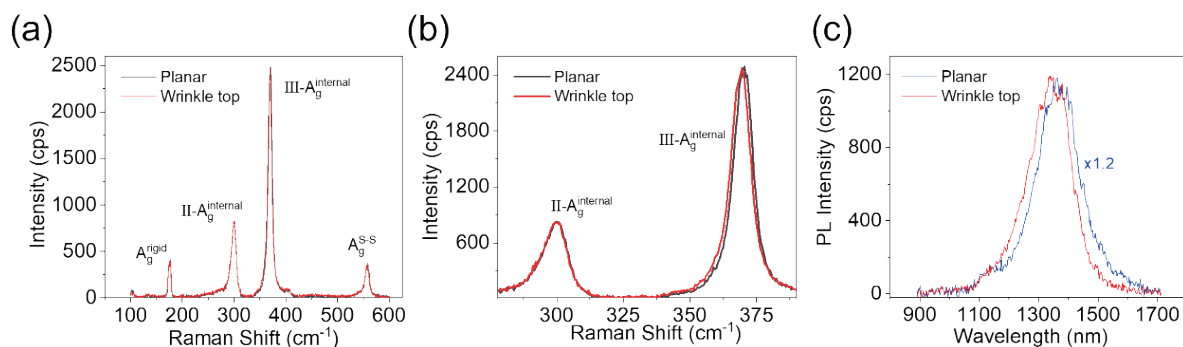
**Fig. S10** Raman spectra of  $\text{TiS}_3$  that encapsulated by PMMA under the uniaxial strain along the  $b$ -axis direction.



**Fig. S11** Another device applies strain along the  $b$ -axis. **(a)** Evolution of the Raman spectra of the encapsulated  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon on PET substrate under the uniaxial strain along the  $b$ -axis. **(b)** Enlarged Raman spectra in (a). **(c)** Evolution of the PL spectra of the encapsulated  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon on PET substrate under the uniaxial strain along the  $b$ -axis.



**Fig. S12** Raman spectra were measured on the planar region and the top of the wrinkle region on a  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon.



**Fig. S13** Another  $\text{TiS}_3$  nanoribbon with a wrinkle region along the  $b$ -axis. **(a)** The evolution of the Raman spectra was measured on the planar region and the top of the wrinkle region. **(b)** Enlarged Raman spectra in (a). **(c)** The evolution of the PL spectra was measured on the planar region and the top of the wrinkle region.