## **Supporting Information**

Element	GGA		HSE06	
	O-rich	<b>Ti-rich</b>	O-rich	<b>Ti-rich</b>
0	-434.006	-439.243	-427.883	-433.623
Ti	-1613.601	-1603.126	-1583.821	-1572.341
Be	-36.742	-31.505	-38.155	-32.416
Mg	-979.835	-974.598	-1602.834	-1597.095
Ca	-1008.095	-1002.858	-1004.297	-998.557
Sr	-842.413	-837.176	-844.573	-838.833
Ba	-704.929	-699.692	-699.695	-693.955

**Table S1.** The calculated chemical potential values (in eV) of Ti, O, and alkaline-earth metals (AEM) for AEM-doped anataseTiO<sub>2</sub>. The larger difference of chemical potential for Mg results from the different valence electron configurations for pseudopotential.



Figure S1. The spin density differences of undoped and doped TiO<sub>2</sub>, calculated by using the PBE and HSE06 functionals, and the dopant atom was highlighted (isodensity contour = 0.05 a.u.): (a) undopedTiO<sub>2</sub>; (b) Be-doped TiO<sub>2</sub>; (c) Mg-doped TiO<sub>2</sub>; (d) Ca-doped TiO<sub>2</sub>; (e) Sr-doped TiO<sub>2</sub>; (f) Ba-doped TiO<sub>2</sub>.



Figure S2. The electron densities of doped and undoped  $TiO_2$  cut along 001 surface through dopant atom, and the dopant atom was highlighted.



**Figure S3.** The electron density differences of doped and undoped TiO<sub>2</sub> cut along 001 surface through dopant atom, and the dopant atom was highlighted.