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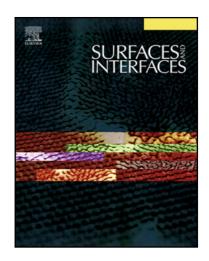
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Highlights

- The activity of SrTiO₃/TiO₂ composite is compared with its individual counter parts
- Slight mismatch of band edge positions induces potential gradient at the interface
- Potential gradient at the interface of composite leads to the charge separation
- Vectorial transfer of electrons and holes take place in opposite directions
- Presence of additional electron acceptors enhances the reaction rate

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