

Supporting Information.

Buckingham-type interactions had the following form:

$$\varphi_{ij}(r) = A_{ij}e^{-B_{ij}r} - \frac{C_{ij}}{r^6}$$

Standard Lennard-Jones model formulation was used:

$$\varphi_{ij}(r) = 4\varepsilon_{ij} \left\{ \left(\frac{\sigma_{ij}}{r} \right)^{12} - \left(\frac{\sigma_{ij}}{r} \right)^6 \right\}$$

Table S1. List of Buckingham force field parameters used in simulations. The hematite crystal was kept fixed, intra-hematite interactions excluded. Water-hematite dispersion terms due to de Leeuw and Cooper [17], charges from *ab initio calculations* [20]. Modified Tsuzuki *et al* [18] applied for CO₂-CO₂ interactions with geometric combination rules for CO₂ and hematite.

Buckingham interactions				
Interaction	A _{ij} (kJ/mol)	B _{ij} (Å ⁻¹)	C _{ij} (kJ*Å ⁶ /mol)	q(e)
O(water)-Fe	42549.82	3.0312	--	q _{Fe} =+1.31
O(water)-O(hematite)	2196380.31	6.7114	2790.34	q _{Ohem} =-0.87333
H(water)-Fe	740.680	1.8066	--	
H(water)-O(hematite)	38233.19	4.0000	--	
C(CO ₂)-C(CO ₂)	909.23	2.27	1629.9	q(C _{CO2})=0.68
O(CO ₂)-O(CO ₂)	1483300.0	4.40	1491.6	q(O _{CO2})=-0.34
O(CO ₂)-Fe	34967.0	2.4543	--	
O(CO ₂)-O(hematite)	1804962.86	5.4342	2093.9	
C(CO ₂)-Fe	865.73	1.7628	--	
C(CO ₂)-O(hematite)	44687.97	3.9032	2003.1	

Table S2. List of Lennard-Jones force field parameters used in simulations. Extended simple point charge (SPC/E) model of [7] used to model water-water interactions. Water – CO₂ LJ interactions described by potential due to Panhuis *et al* [19]. Hydrogen sulfide LJ model due to Kristóf and Liszi [29] with Lorentz-Berthelot combination rules applied to derive cross-terms for H₂S and all other model components (CLAYFF force field [30] used for hematite).

Lennard-Jones interactions			q(e)
Interaction	ϵ_{ij} (kJ/mol)	σ_{ij} (Å)	
O(water)-C(CO ₂)	0.51369	3.2618	
O(water)-O(CO ₂)	0.81057	3.0145	
O(water)-O(water)	0.65015	3.1656	$q(\text{O}_{\text{water}})=-0.8476$
O(water)-H(water)	--	--	$q(\text{H}_{\text{water}})=+0.4238$
H(water)-H(water)	--	--	
S(H ₂ S)-S(H ₂ S)	2.0766	3.690	$q(\text{S}_{\text{H}_2\text{S}})=+0.4$
PC(H ₂ S)-PC(H ₂ S)	--	--	$q(\text{PC}_{\text{H}_2\text{S}})=-0.9$
H(H ₂ S)-H(H ₂ S)	--	--	$q(\text{H}_{\text{H}_2\text{S}})=+0.2500$
H(H ₂ S)-S(H ₂ S)	--	--	
H(H ₂ S)-PC(H ₂ S)	--	--	
S(H ₂ S)-Fe	0.00886	4.2981	
PC(H ₂ S)-Fe	--	--	
H(H ₂ S)-Fe	--	--	
S(H ₂ S)-O(hematite)	1.1600	3.4220	
PC(H ₂ S)-O(hematite)	--	--	
H(H ₂ S)-O(hematite)	--	--	
S(H ₂ S)-O(water)	1.2665	3.428	
S(H ₂ S)-H(water)	--	--	
PC(H ₂ S)-O(water)	--	--	
H(H ₂ S)-O(water)	--	--	