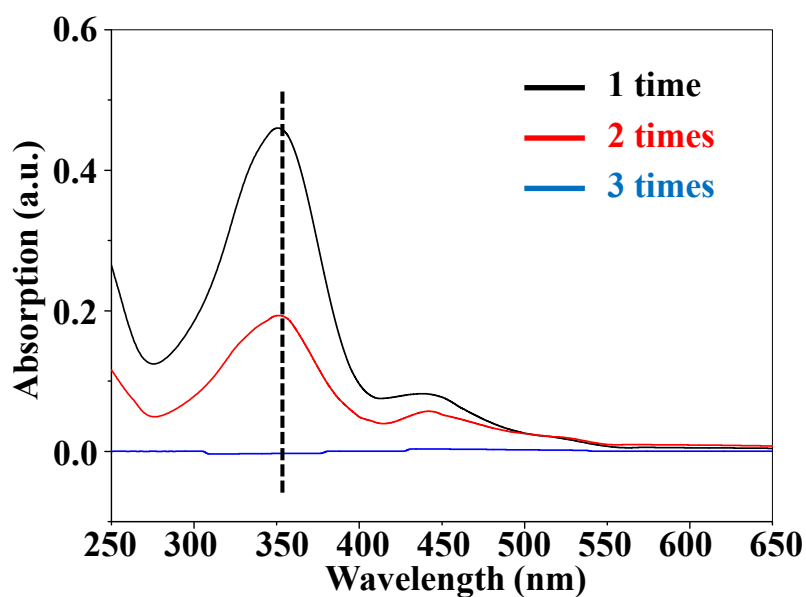


## Supporting information

### An Cationic Azobenzene-Surfactant-Modified Graphene Hybrid: Unique Photoresponse and Electrochemical Behavior

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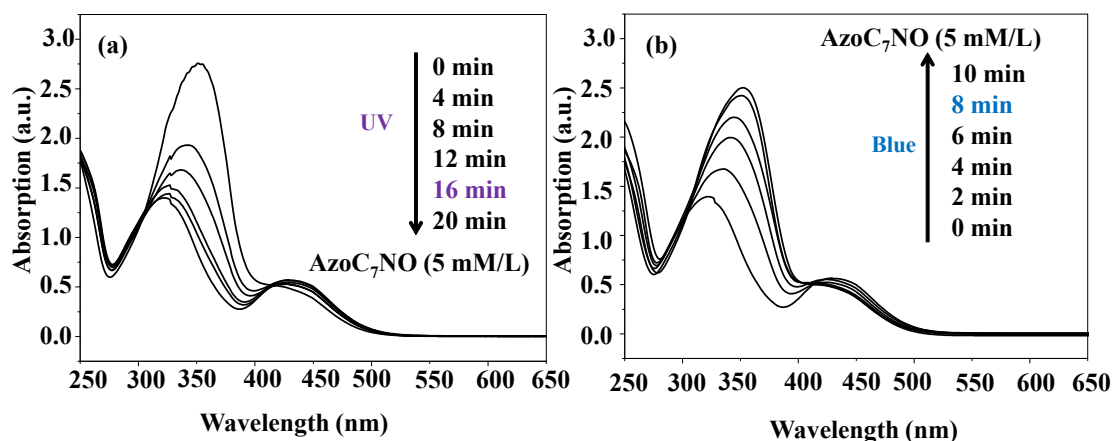
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**Figure (S1)** UV-Vis spectra of the filtrate AzoC<sub>7</sub>NO solution after different washing times with 100 mL deionized water

The grafting degree of Azo-GO can be calculated from the XPS, using the Eq. (S1) as follows, where C is atomic ratios, I is the atomic integration area of XPS, SF is the atomic sensitivity factors.

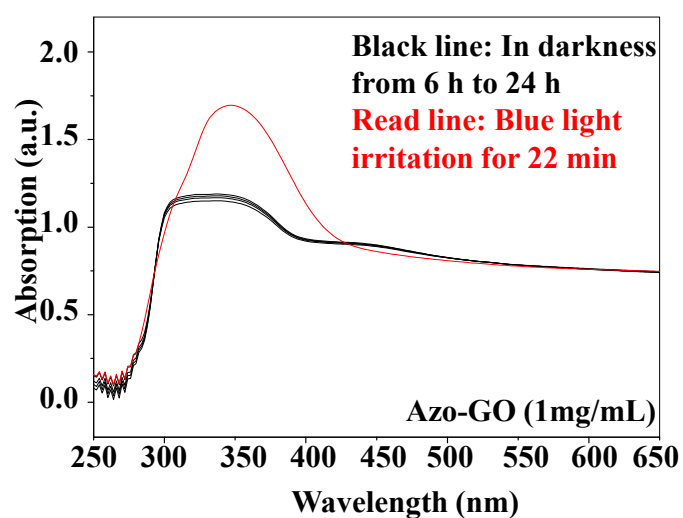
$$C_E = \frac{I_E}{SF_E} / \left( \sum_{x=1}^N \frac{I_x}{SF_x} \right) \quad (\text{S1})$$



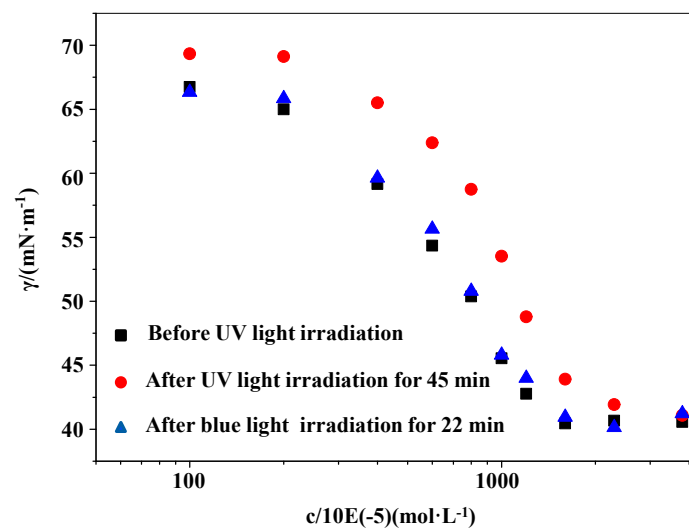
**Figure (S2)** UV-Vis spectra of (a) AzoC<sub>7</sub>NO (5 mM/L) upon UV light irradiation for different times, (b) UV light irradiated AzoC<sub>7</sub>NO (5 mM/L) upon blue light irradiation for different times

**Table (S1)** light irradiated times of the photostationary balance at different concentrations of Azo-GO

Azo-GO	Balance time of UV irradiation	Balance time of Blue irradiation
0.5 mg/mL	25 min	12 min
1.0 mg/mL	45 min	22 min
1.5 mg/mL	80 min	35 min



**Figure (S3)** UV-Vis spectra of UV light irradiated Azo-GO (1 mg/mL) in darkness from 6 h to 24 h



**Figure (S4)** The curves of surface tension against the concentrations of AzoC<sub>7</sub>NO before and after light irradiation at room temperature