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Adsorption of Cr(VI) onto magnetic CoFe₂O₄/MgAl-LDH composite and mechanism study

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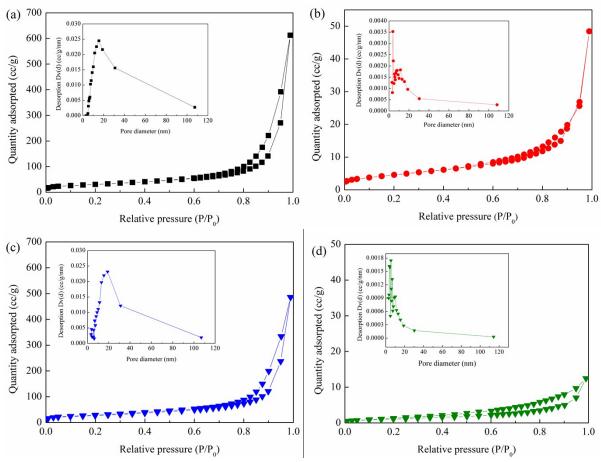
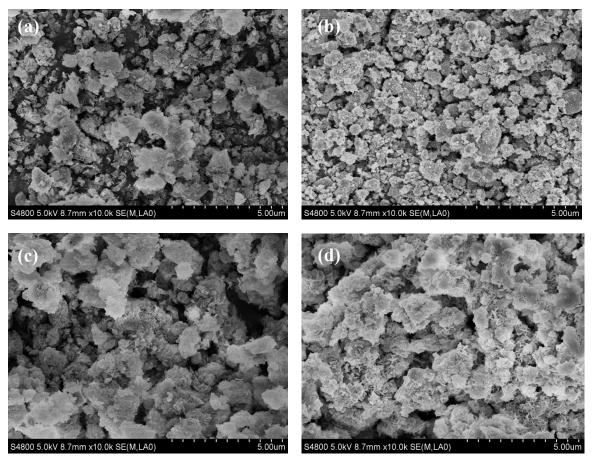
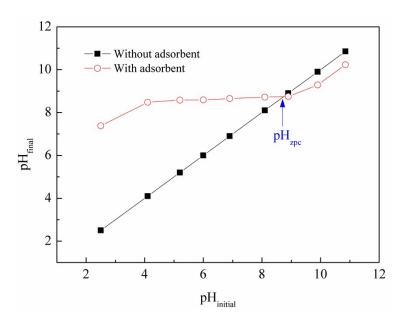


Fig. S1 Nitrogen adsorption-desorption isotherms and pore size distribution of (a) MgAl-LDH, (b) CoFe₂O₄, (c) CoFe₂O₄/MgAl-LDH, and (d) CoFe₂O₄/MgAl-LDH after Cr(VI) adsorption.



 $\label{eq:Fig.S2} \textbf{Fig. S2} \ \text{SEM of (a) MgAl-LDH, (b) CoFe}_2O_4, \textbf{(c) CoFe}_2O_4/MgAl-LDH, and \textbf{(d) CoFe}_2O_4/MgAl-LDH \ after \\ Cr(VI) \ adsorption.$



 $\label{eq:Fig.S3} \textbf{Fig. S3} \ \text{Illustration of the } pH_{zpc} \ \text{of } CoFe_2O_4/MgAl\text{-}LDH.$

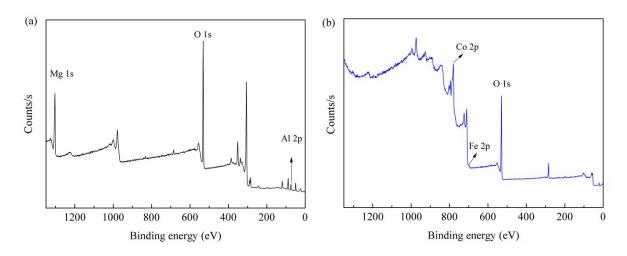
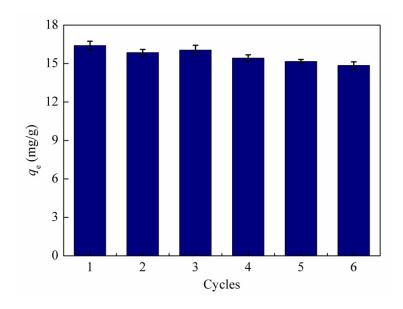


Fig. S4 Wide XPS spectra of (a) MgAl-LDH, (b) CoFe₂O₄.



 $\textbf{Fig. S5} \ \text{Sixth consecutive adsorption-desorption cycles of } \ \text{CoFe}_2\text{O}_4/\text{MgAl-LDH}.$