

**Facile protocol for reduction of nitroarenes using magnetically recoverable
CoM_{0.2}Fe_{1.8}O₄ (M=Co, Ni, Cu and Zn) ferrite nanocatalysts**

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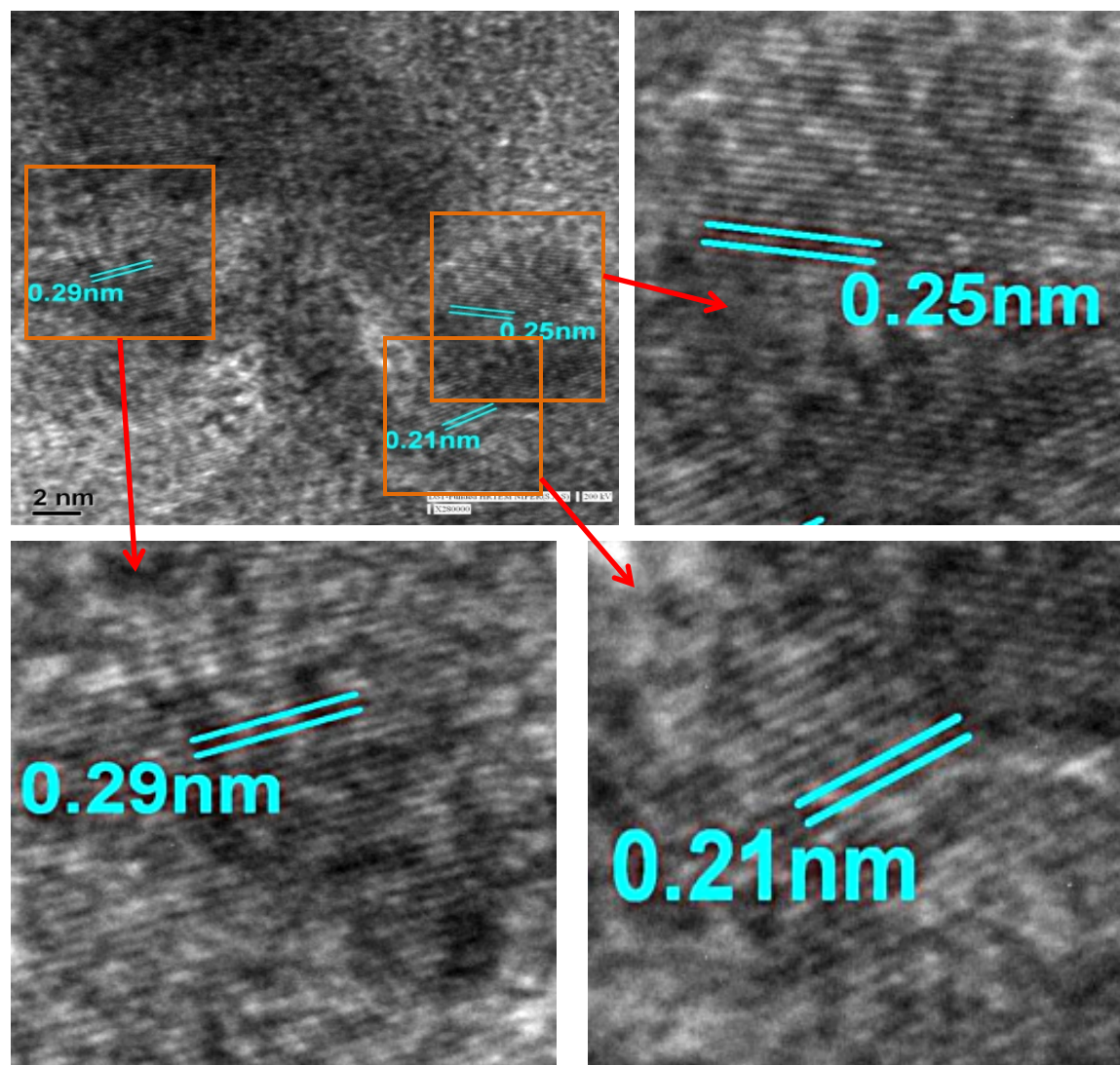


Fig. S1. A clear visualization of the interplanar distances shown in Fig. 4(b).

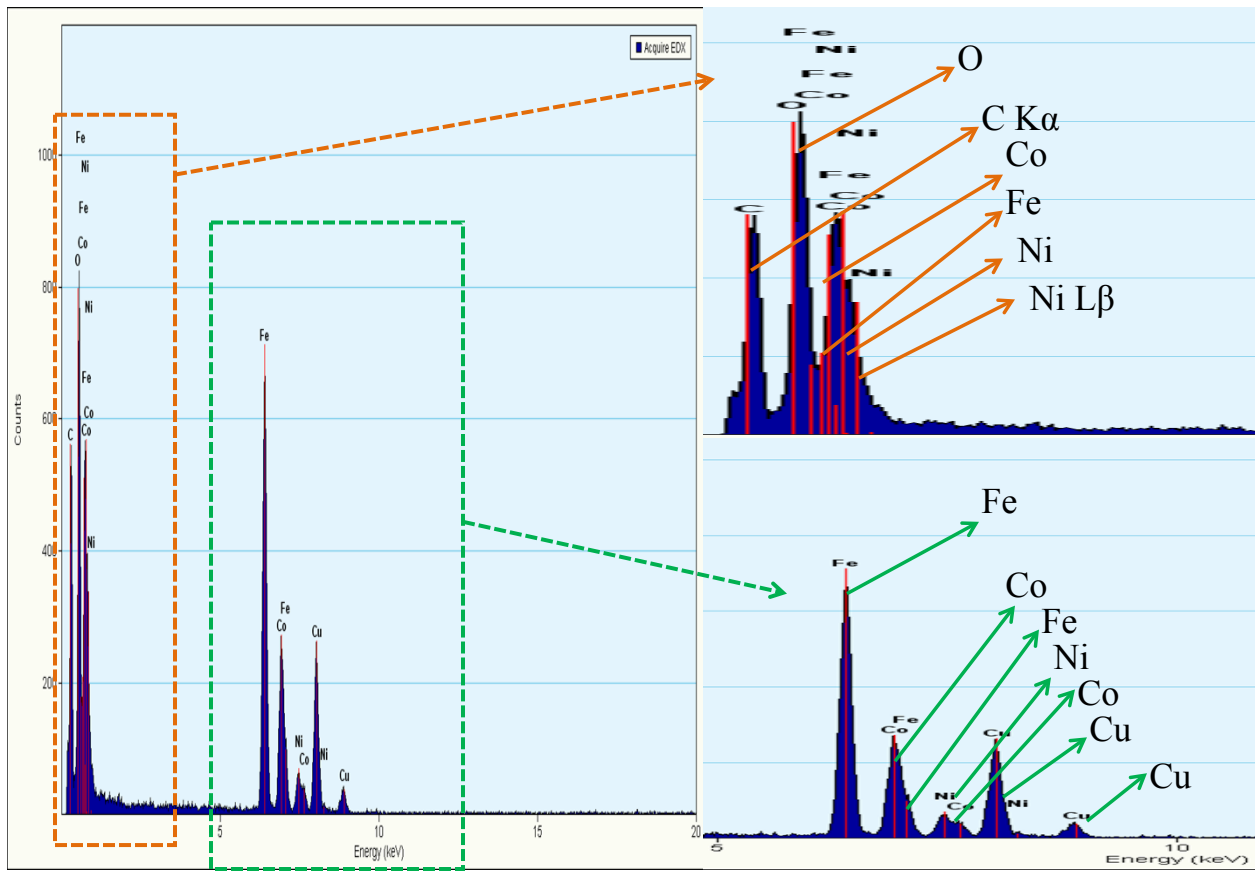


Fig. S2. A clear visualization and detailed description of signals corresponding to of K and L shells of elements present in the sample in the EDX pattern shown in Fig. 4(e).

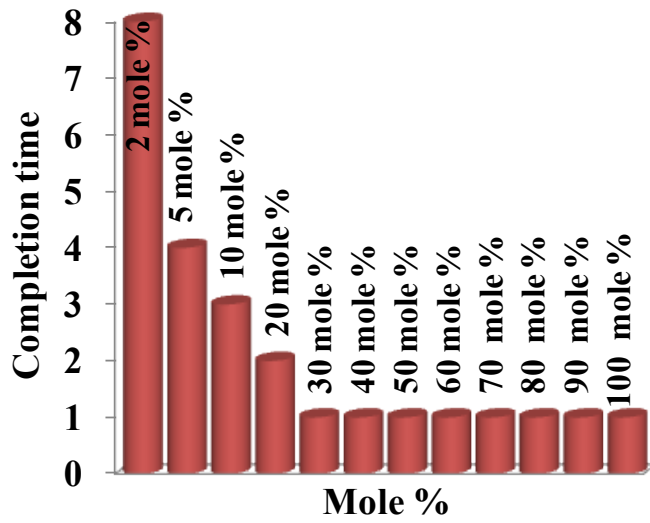


Fig. S3. The effect of catalyst loading on the completion time for the reduction of 2- nitrophenol.