

## Supporting Information

### Nanosized Na-EMT and Li-EMT zeolites: selective sorption of water and methanol studied by combined IR and TG approach

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**Table S1.** Chemical composition of Na-EMT and Li-EMT samples determined by ICP.

| Sample        | Concentration (mg/l) |       |       |       |       |
|---------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|               | Si                   | Al    | Si/Al | Na    | Li    |
| <b>Na-EMT</b> | 78.53                | 68.45 | 1.15  | 61.15 | 00.00 |
| <b>Li-EMT</b> | 72.12                | 64.36 | 1.12  | 18.32 | 16.09 |

Table S2. Positions of Na cations in sample Na-EMT prior and after water adsorption.

|         | <b>Site</b> | <b><math>\delta</math> (ppm)</b> | <b>Cq (MHz)</b> | <b><math>\eta</math></b> | <b>(%)</b> |
|---------|-------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|------------|
| Na-EMT  | I           | 7,8                              | 2,2             | 0,6                      | 9,7        |
|         | I'A         | -4,5                             | 2,8             | 0,6                      | 39,8       |
|         | I'B         | -19,6                            | 5,1             | 0,0                      | 42,0       |
|         | II          | 1,4                              | 4,2             | 0,0                      | 8,5        |
| Na-EMTw | I           | 8,7                              | 2,3             | 0,8                      | 23,1       |
|         | I'A         | 0,3                              | 2,9             | 0,5                      | 40,3       |
|         | I'B         | -18,9                            | 5,0             | 0,0                      | 23,2       |
|         | II          | -5,9                             | 3,7             | 0,0                      | 13,4       |

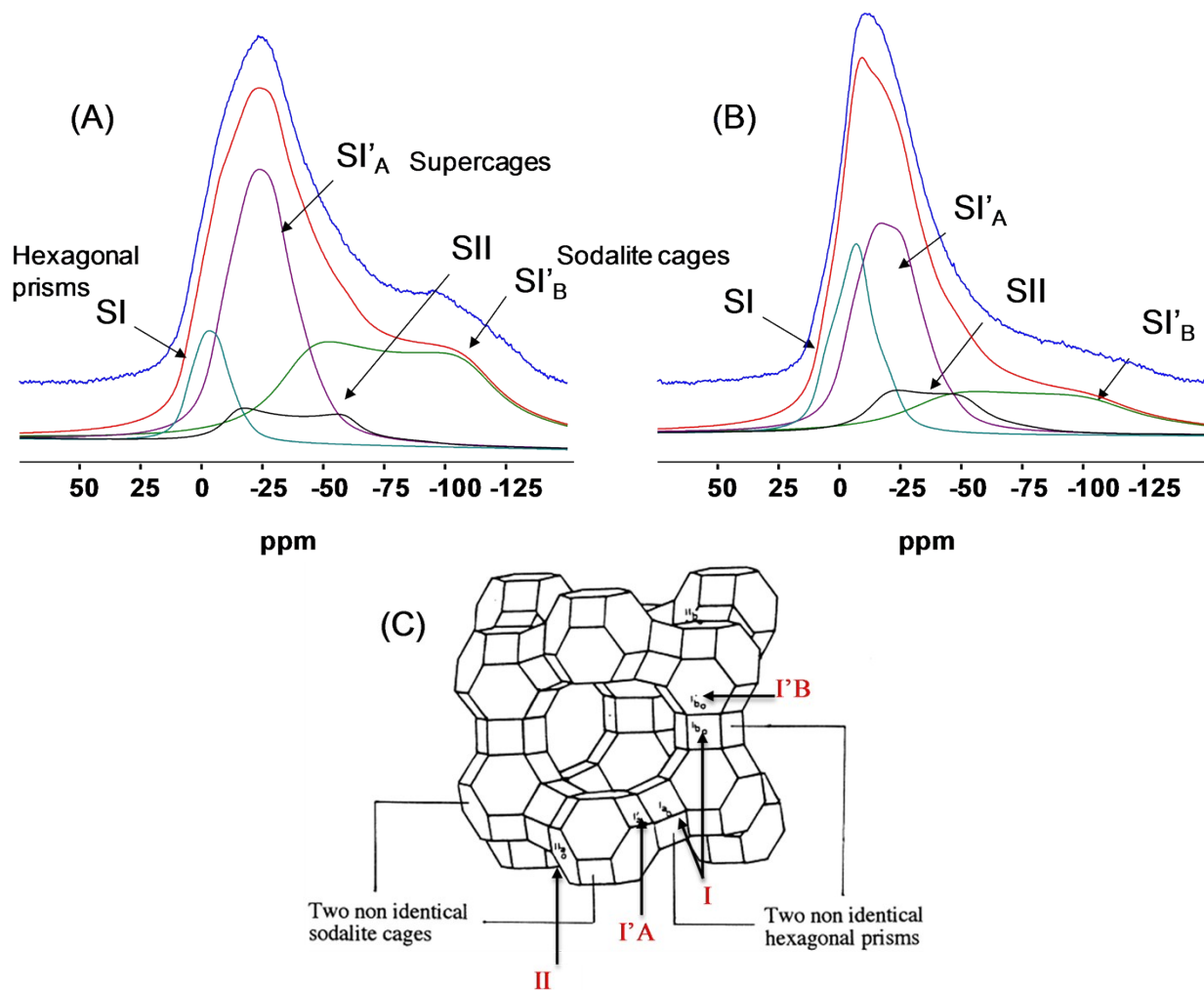
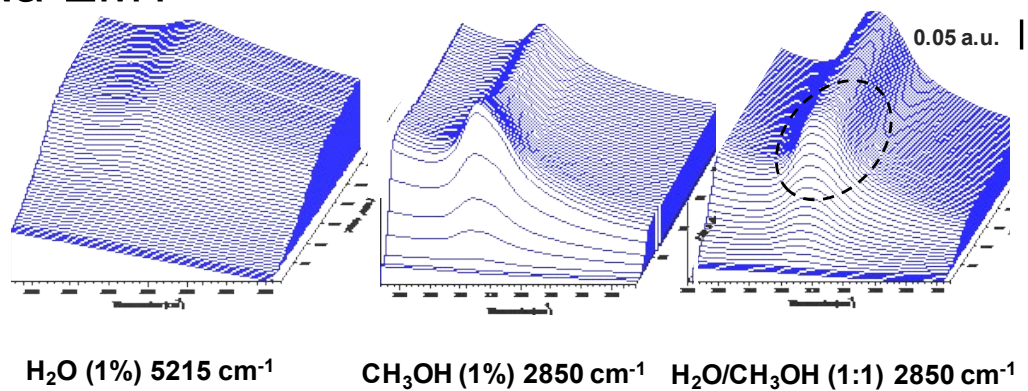


Figure S1.  $^{23}\text{Na}$  NMR spectra of samples (A) Na-EMT and (B) Li-EMT.

### (A) Na-EMT



### (B) Li-EMT

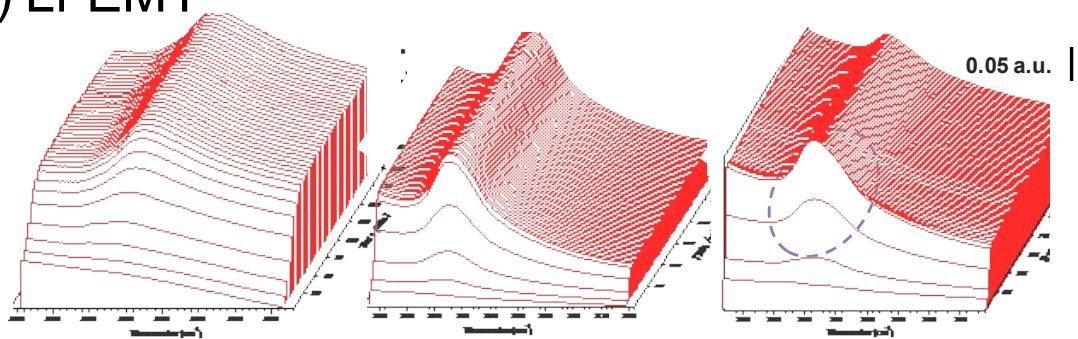


Figure S2. Evolution of vOH and vCH IR bands for 1 % molar fraction of water, methanol and a mixture water/methanol = 1/1 for samples (A) Na-EMT and (B) Li-EMT.

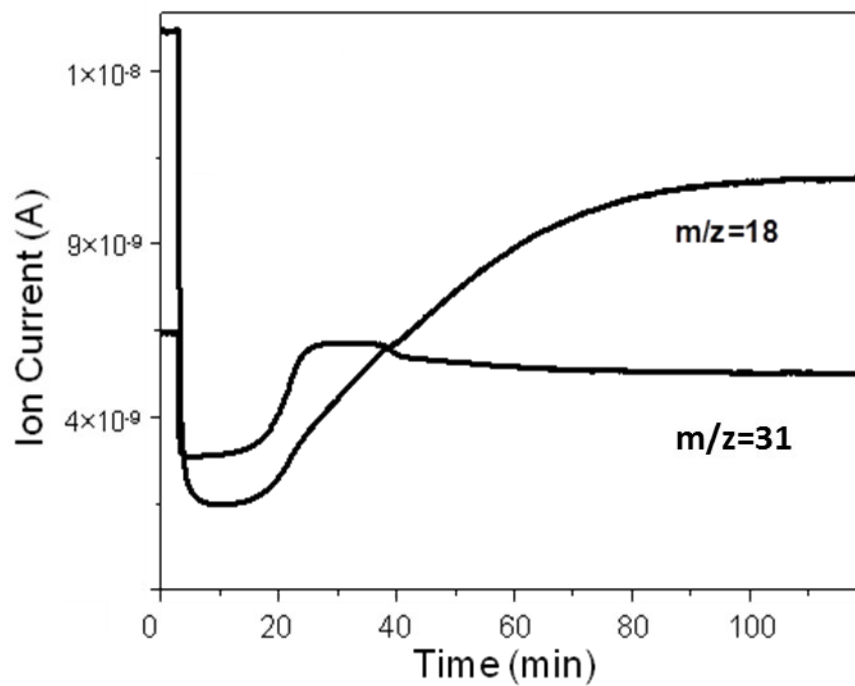


Figure S3. Evolution of mass spectra signals for a mixture of methanol ( $m/z = 31$ ) and water ( $m/z = 18$ ) in Ar as a function of time on the Li-EMT zeolite sample.