

Electronic Supplementary Information

An anionic zeolite-like metal-organic framework (AZMOF) with Moravia network for organic dyes absorption through cation-exchange

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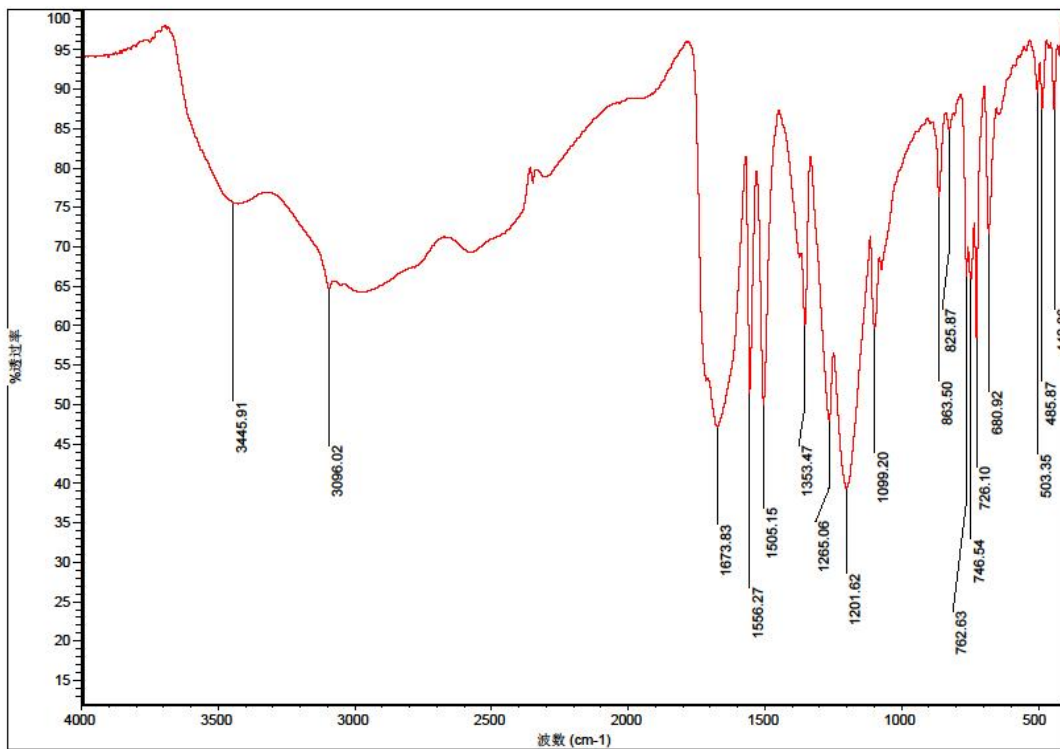


Fig. S1 FT-IR spectra of H₃BTTC

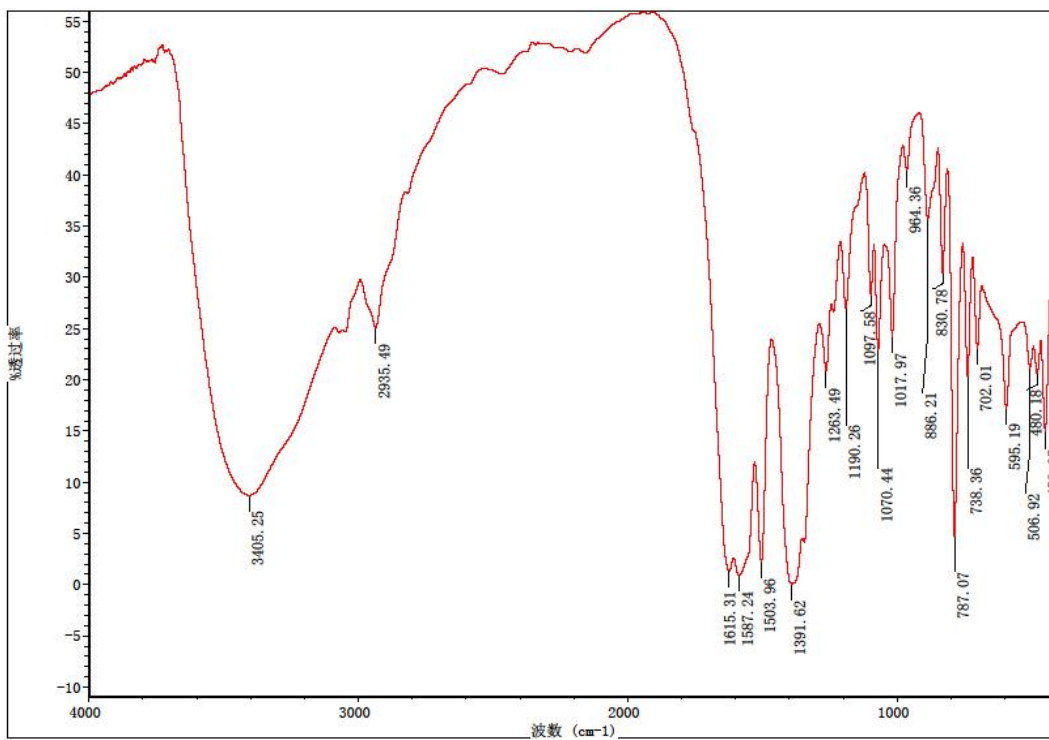


Fig. S2 FT-IR spectra of Sr-BTTC

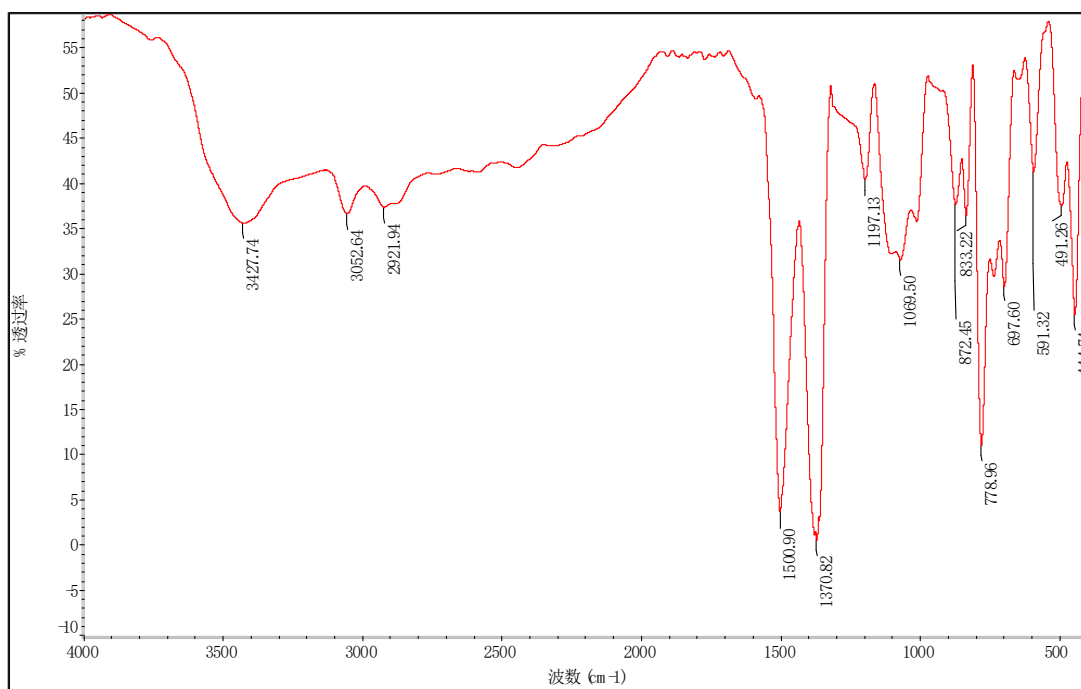


Fig. S3 FT-IR spectra of desolvated Sr-BTTC samples.

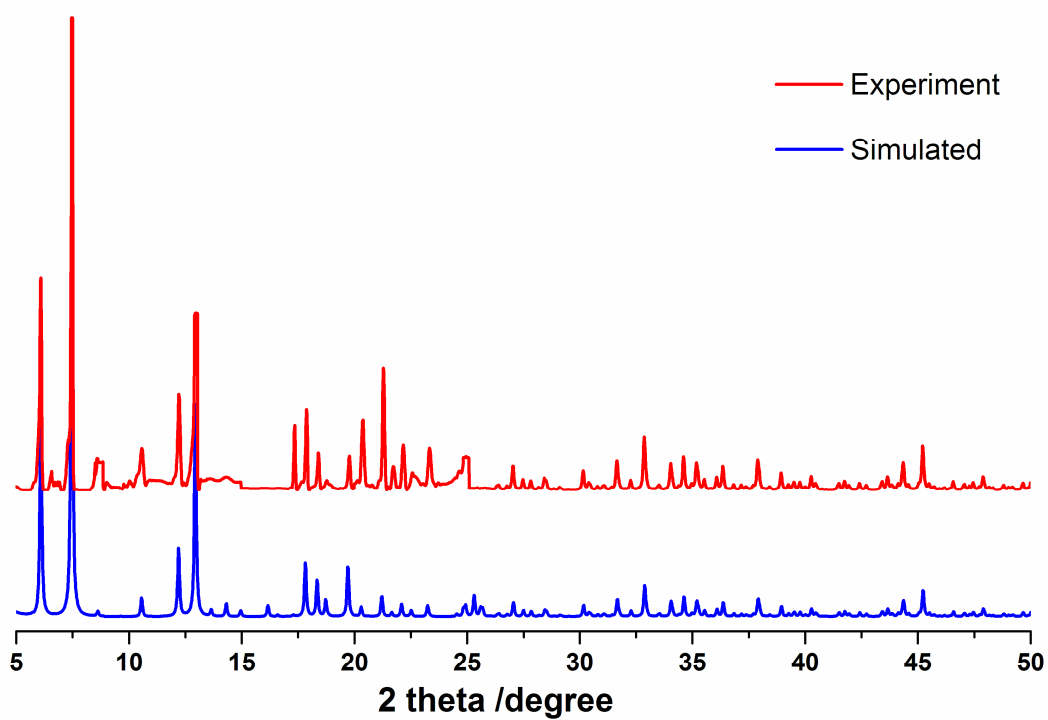


Fig. S4 PXRD pattern of Sr-BTTC

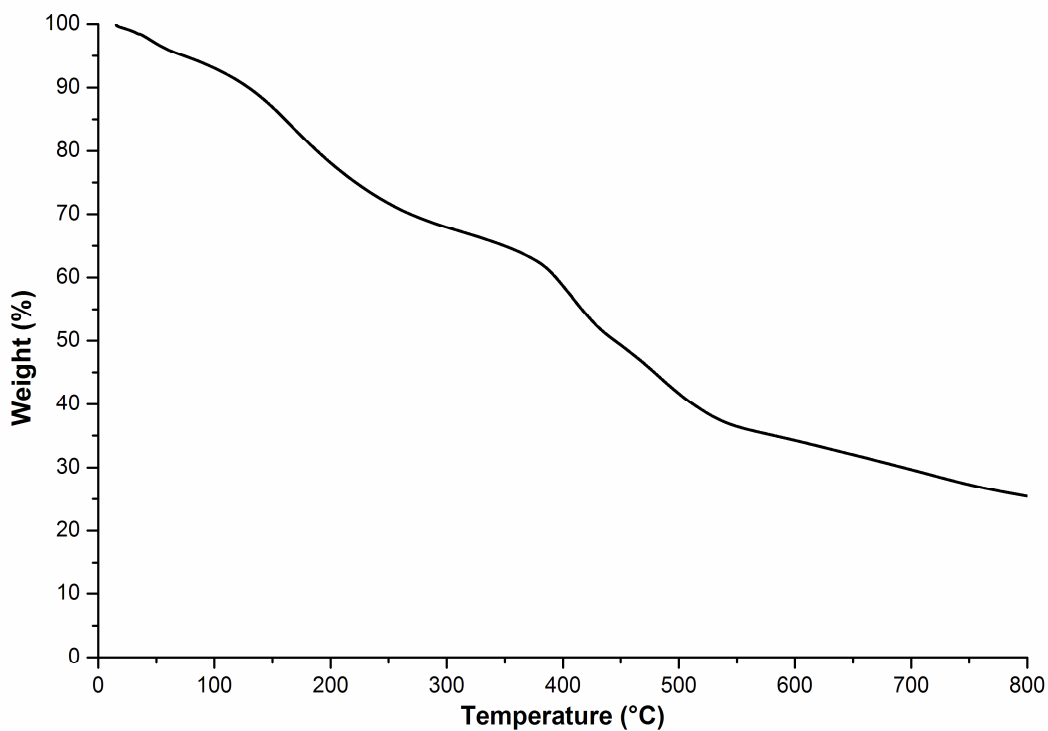


Fig. S5 TG curve of **Sr-BTTC**: The weight loss before 100 °C is contributed by the guest solvents, when the temperature was raised above 120 °C a substantial mass reduction was observed, which is possibly resulted by removal of coordinated water and terthienobenzene unit as the consequence of BTTC decarboxylation ^[1]

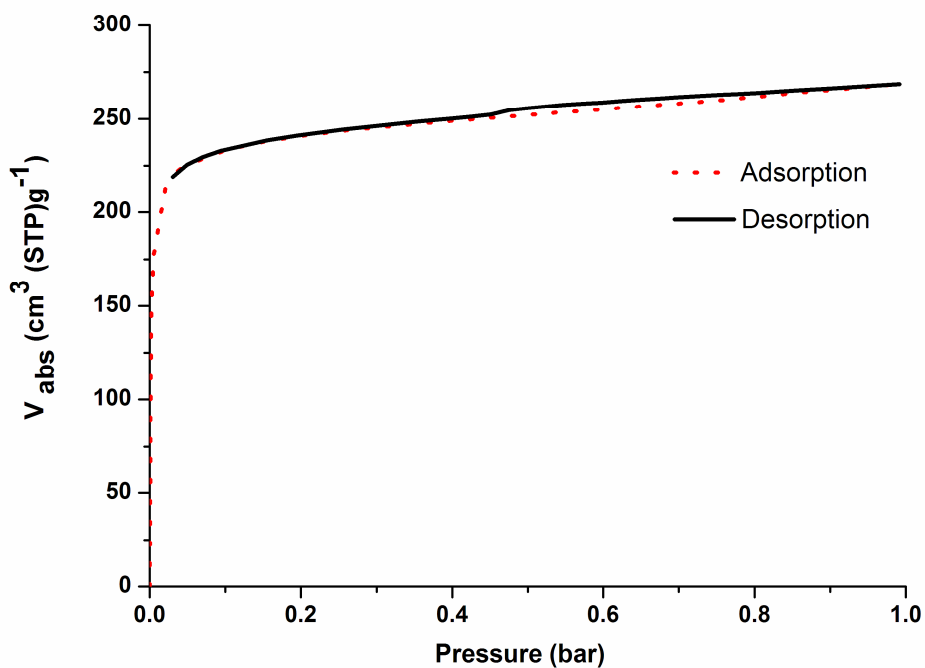


Fig. S6 N₂ sorption isotherm for **Sr-BTTC** recorded at 77K.

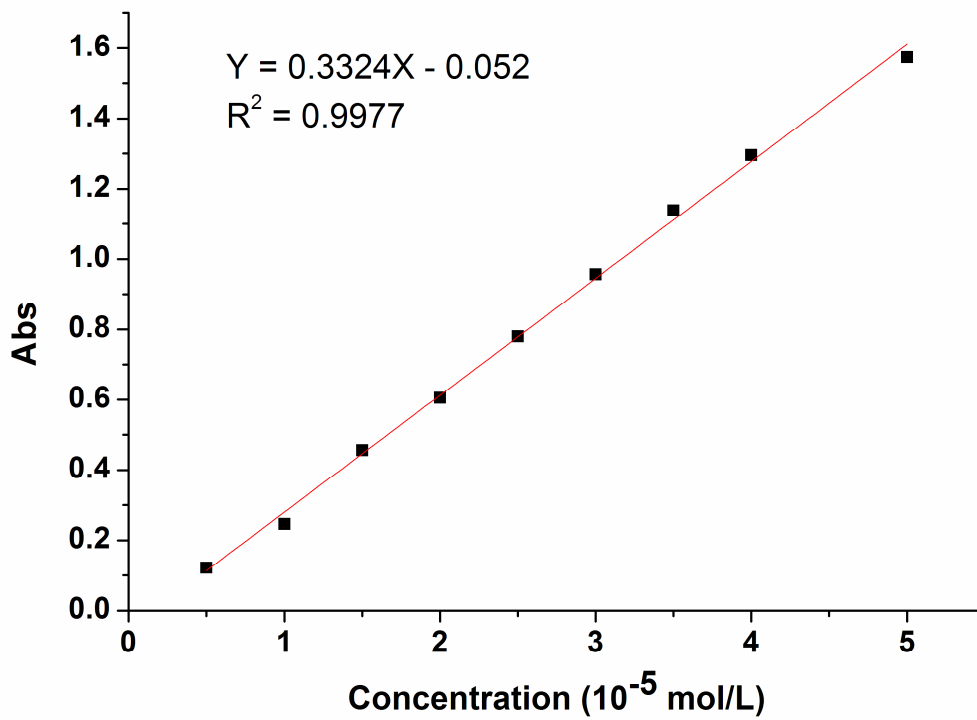


Fig. S7 The absorption intensity (black dots) of MB dye at different concentrations (mol/L) (The red solid line represents the best linear fit.)

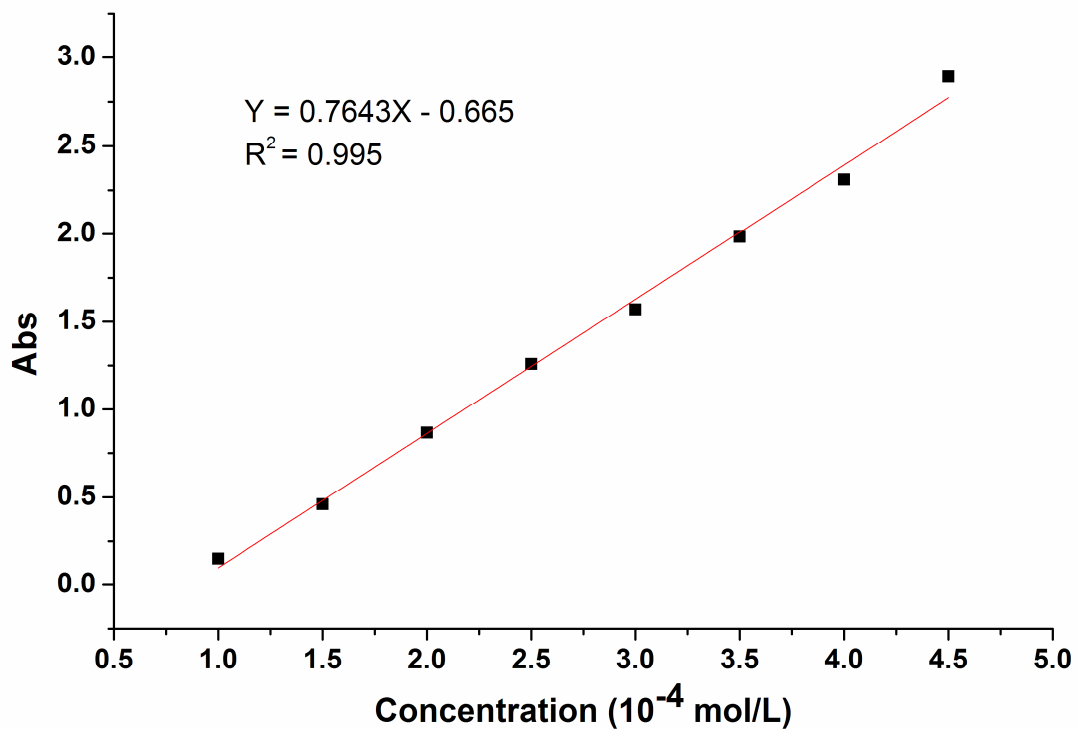


Fig. S8 The absorption intensity (black dots) of BR2 dye at different concentrations (mol/L)(The red solid line represents the best linear fit.)

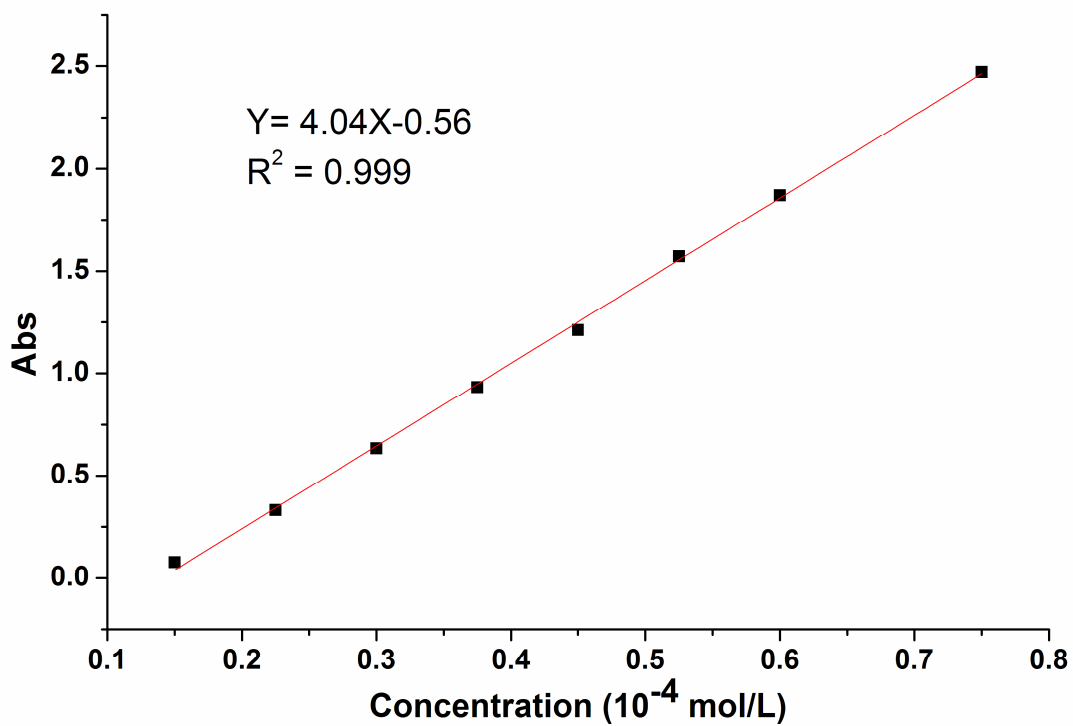


Fig. S9 The absorption intensity (black dots) of RB dye at different concentrations (mol/L)(The red solid line represents the best linear fit)

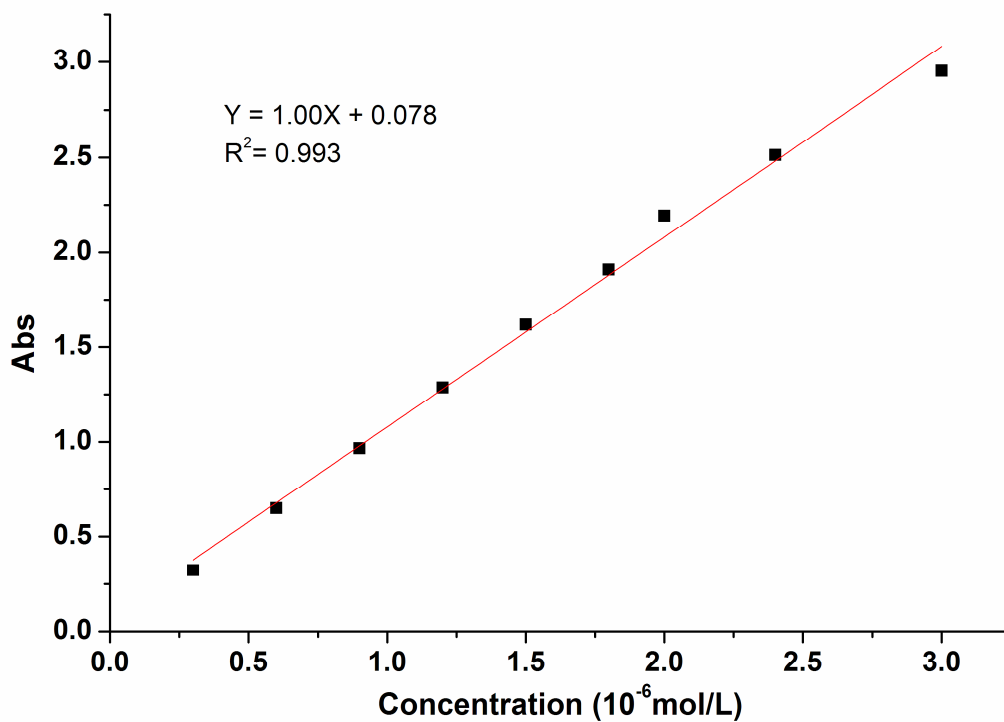


Fig. S10 The absorption intensity (black dots) of CV dye at different concentrations (mol/L)(The red solid line represents the best linear fit)

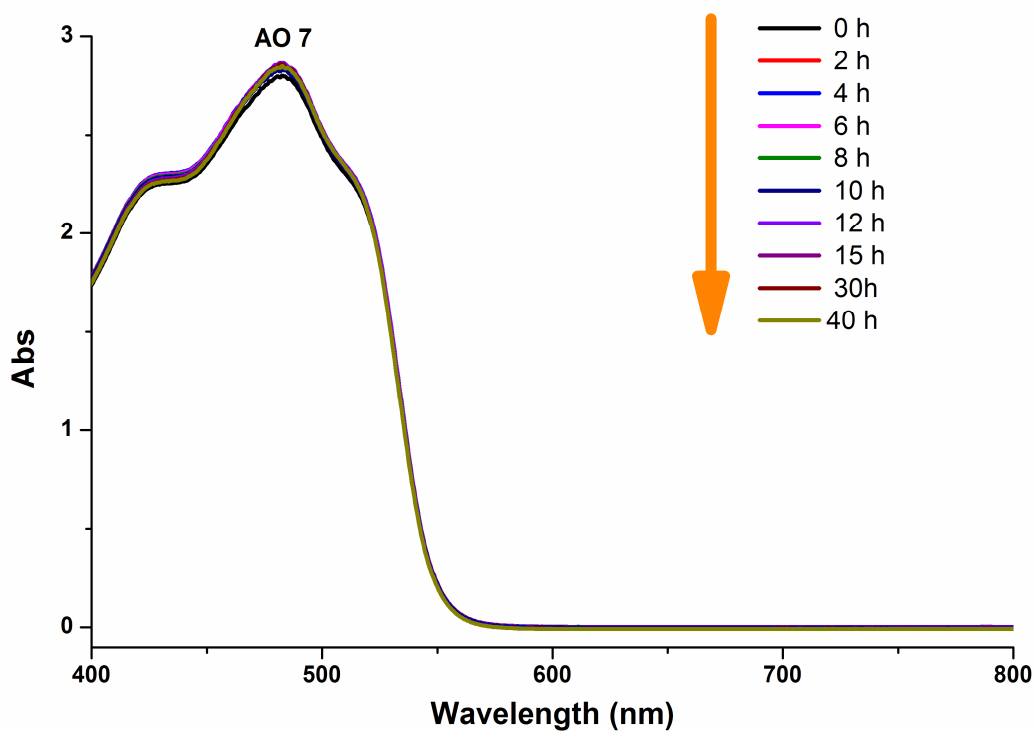


Fig. S11 The UV-Vis absorption change of AO7 in the presence of Sr-BTTC

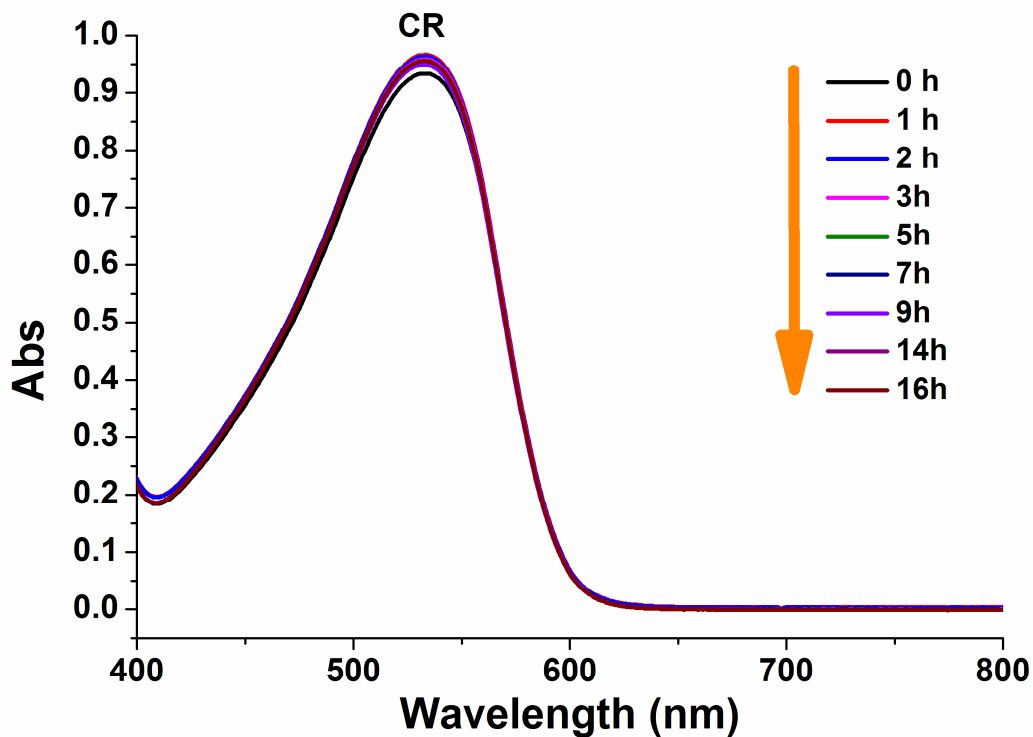


Fig. S12 The UV-Vis absorption change of CR in the presence of Sr-BTTC

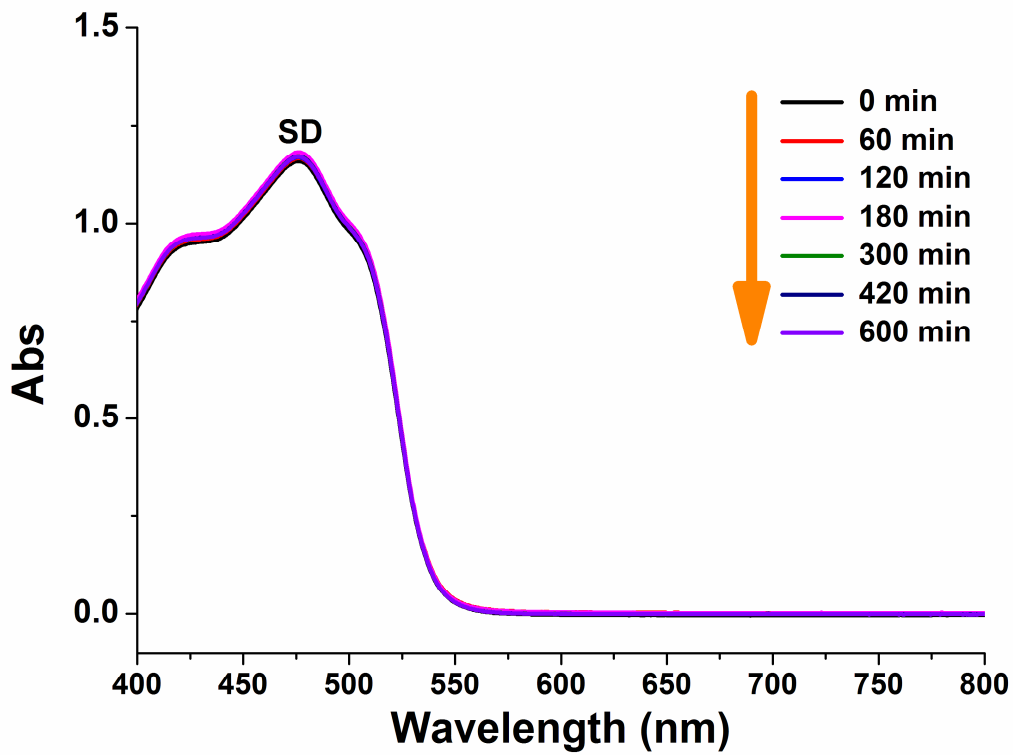


Fig. S13 The UV-Vis absorption change of CR in the presence of Sr-BTTC

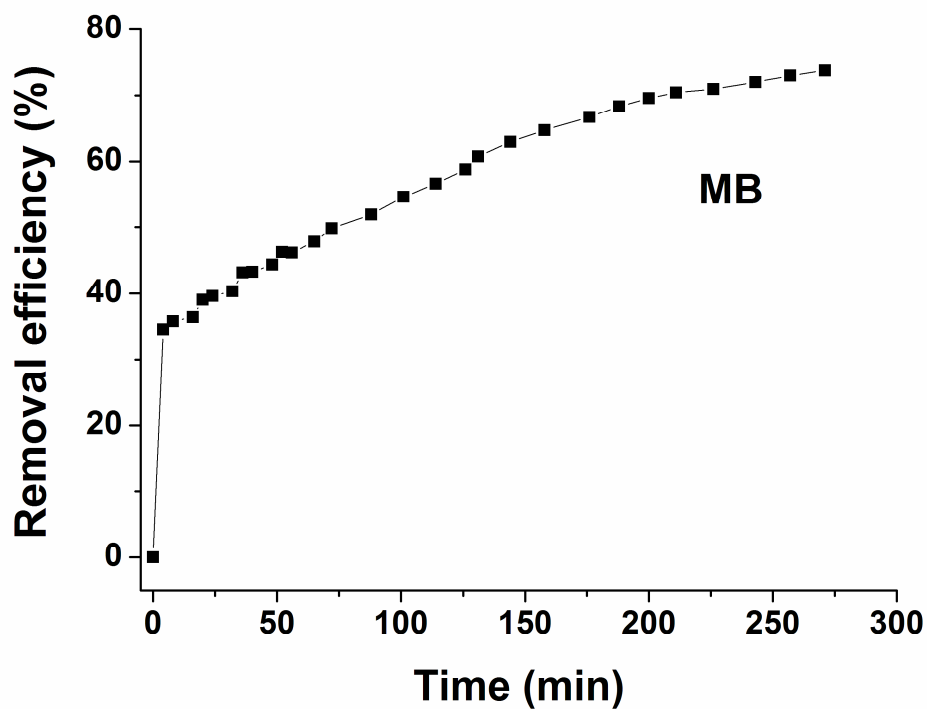


Fig. S14 Removal efficiency of MB in the presence of the Sr-BTTC with increasing time.

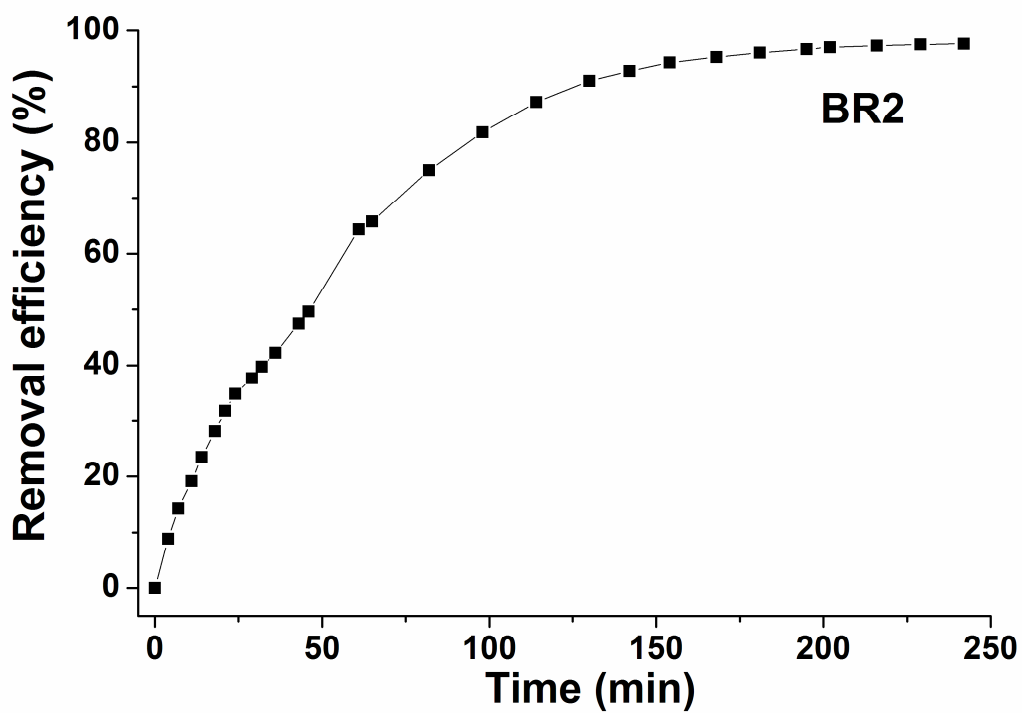


Fig. S15 Removal efficiency of BR2 in the presence of the Sr-BTTC with increasing time.

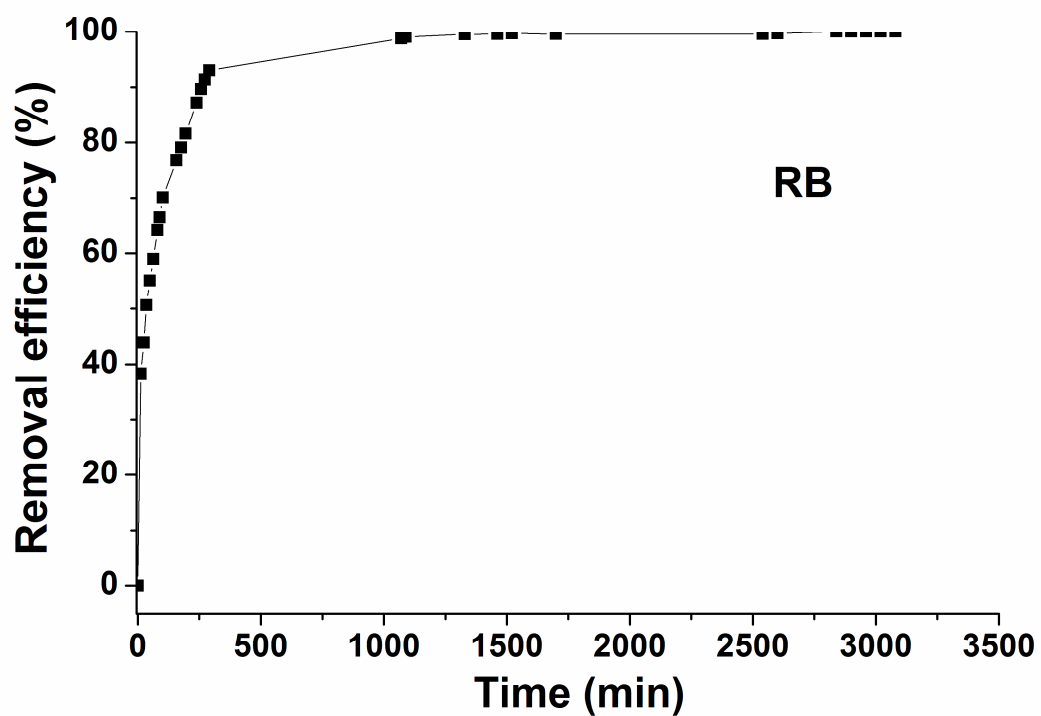


Fig. S16 Removal efficiency of RB in the presence of the Sr-BTTC with increasing time.

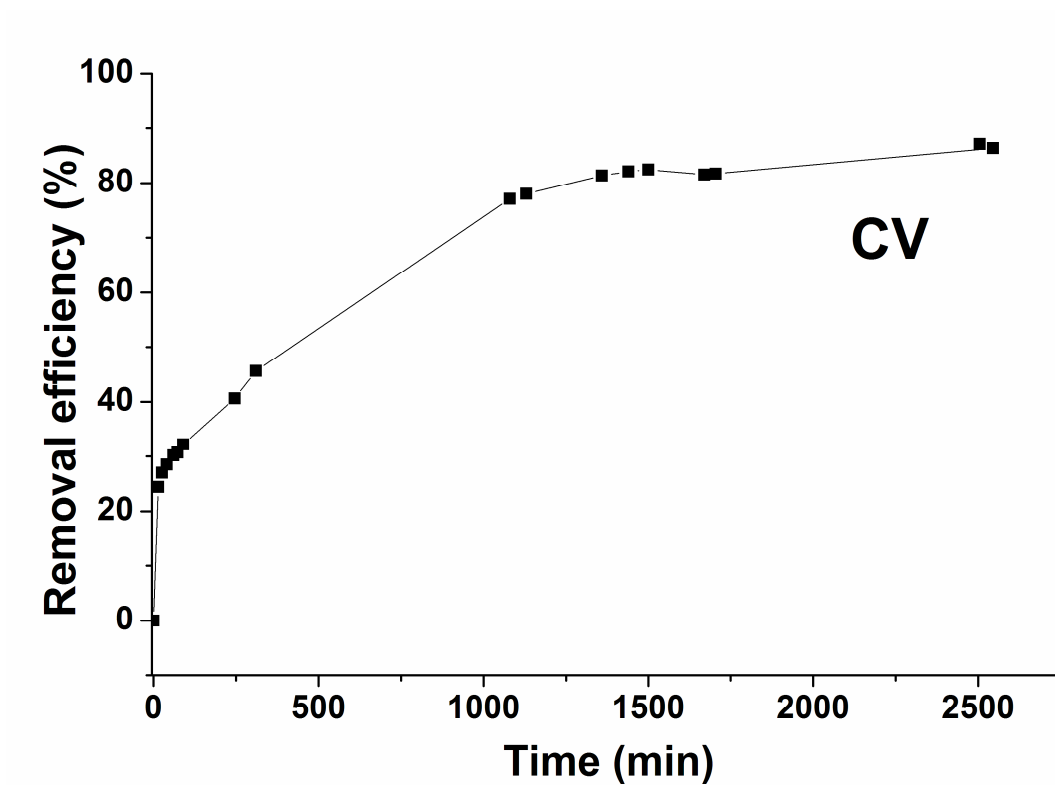


Fig. S17 Removal efficiency of CV in the presence of the Sr-BTTC with increasing time.

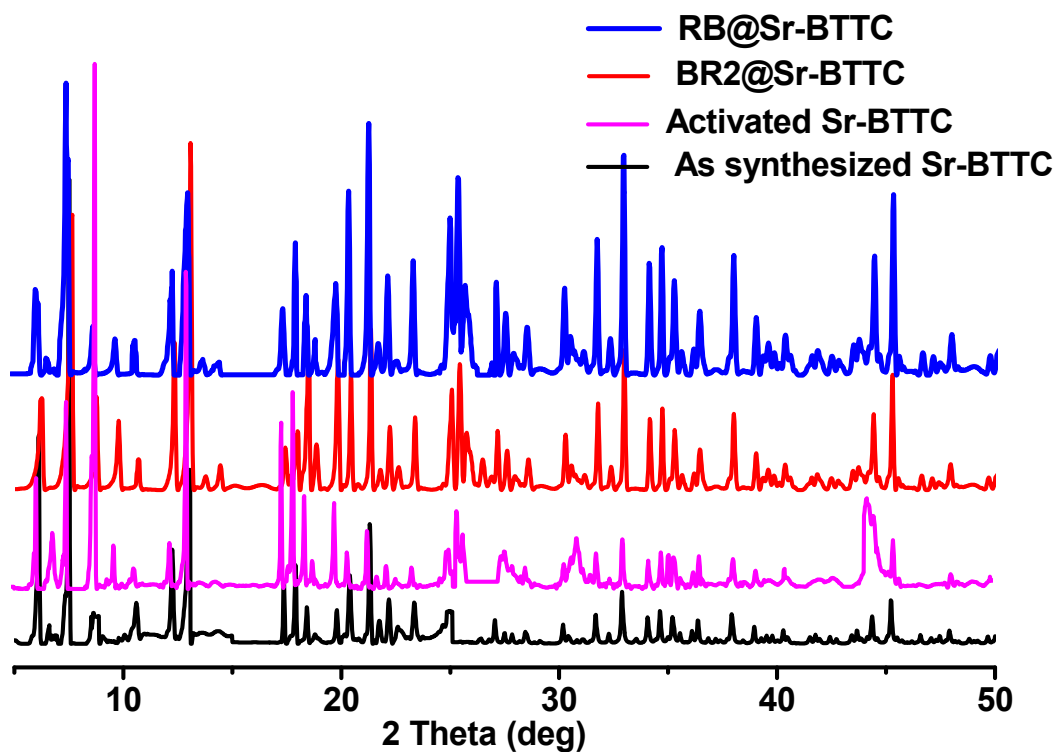


Fig. S18 PXRD patterns of as-synthesized Sr-BTTC, activated Sr-BTTC and dye-absorbed Sr-BTTC.

Table S1 Crystal data and structure refinements for **Sr-BTTC**

Compound	Sr-BTTC
Formula	$C_{960}H_{192}O_{552}S_{192}Sr_{104}$
Crystal size(mm)	$0.28 \times 0.25 \times 0.22$
T/K	293(2)
Crystal system	Cubic
Space group	<i>Fm-3c</i>
a (Å)	41.0051(9)
b (Å)	41.0051(9)
c (Å)	41.0051(9)
α (°)	90.00
β (°)	90.00
γ (°)	90.00
V (Å ³)	68947(5)
Z	1
D_c (g.cm ⁻³)	0.863
$F(000)$	17392
Theta range/°	2.25 to 25.50
Reflections collected	48727
Unique reflections	2671
Goof	1.853
R_1^a [$I > 2\sigma(I)$]	0.0859
wR_2^b [$I > 2\sigma(I)$]	0.2517

^a $R_1 = \sum ||F_o| - |F_c|| / \sum |F_o|$. ^b $wR_2 = |\sum w(|F_o|^2 - |F_c|^2)| / \sum w(F_o^2)^{1/2}$,
where $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (aP)^2 + bP]$. $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$.

Table S2 The adsorption capacity for BR on various adsorbents.

Adsorbents	Adsorption capacity (mg/g)	References
Sr-BTTC	675	This work
UiO-66-15	366	<i>Chem. Eng. J.</i> , 2016, 289 , 486-493
UiO-66-ND	39	<i>Chem. Eng. J.</i> , 2016, 289 , 486-493
Fly ash	7	<i>J. Hazard. Mater.</i> , 2011, 187 , 562-573
PET depolymerization products	29	<i>Clean-Soil Air Water.</i> , 2012, 40 , 325-333
Calcite	37.2	<i>Separ. Sci. Technol.</i> , 2010, 45 , 1471-1481
HT-SDBS	40.5	<i>J. Hazard. Mater.</i> , 2008, 153 , 911-918
HT-SDS	83.3	<i>J. Hazard. Mater.</i> , 2008, 153 , 911-918
Dairy sludge	95.2	<i>J. Environ. Eng. Sci.</i> , 2008, 7 , 433-438
Sulfonated Phenol-Formaldehyde Resin	103	<i>J. Appl. Polym. Sci.</i> , 2008, 109 , 2774-2780
Jalshakti	181.8	<i>Bioresour. Technol.</i> , 2006, 97 , 877-885
G-SO ₃ H/Fe ₃ O ₄	199.3	<i>Clean-Soil Air Water.</i> , 2013, 41 , 992-1001
starch-graft -AA	204	<i>J. Appl. Polym. Sci.</i> , 2007, 106 , 2422-2426
Rice husk carbon	294.1	<i>Indian. J. Chem. Techn.</i> , 2001, 8 , 133-139
Aluminium Pillared Clay	338	<i>Colloids Surfaces A.</i> , 2010, 366 , 88-94
AAM-AMPSNa-clay hydrogel nanocomposites	484.2	<i>Polym. Adv. Technol.</i> , 2008, 19 , 838-845.

Olive stone	526.3	<i>J. Hazard. Mater.</i> , 2009, 163 , 441-447
N-Vinyl 2-pyrrolidone/itaconic acid/organo clay nanocomposite hydrogel	550.0	<i>Water Air Soil Pollut.</i> , 2013, 224 , 1760-1775
Treated spent bleaching earth	555.6	<i>J. Colloid Interface Sci.</i> , 2007, 307 , 9-16

Table S3 The adsorption capacity for RB on various adsorbents.

Adsorbents	Adsorption capacity (mg/g)	References
Sr-BTTC	545	This work
TA-G	201	<i>Colloids Surf. A</i> , 2015, 477 , 35-41
Fe ₃ O ₄ nanoparticles	161.8	<i>J. Hazard. Mater.</i> , 2012, 209-210 , 193-198
kaolinite	46.08	<i>Appl. Clay Sci.</i> , 2012, 69 , 58-66
Coconut (<i>Cocos nucifera</i>)	71	<i>J. Hazard. Mater.</i> , 2008, 158 , 65-72
Rice husk ash	13.76	<i>J. Environ. Manage.</i> , 2007, 84 , 390-400
Cocoa (<i>Theobroma cacao</i>) shell	41	<i>Int. J. Eng. Sci. Technol.</i> , 2010, 2 , 6284-6292
Perlite	67	<i>J. Mater. Environ. Sci.</i> , 2012, 3 , 157-170
NiO	111	<i>Process Saf. Environ. Prot.</i> , 2015, 93 , 282-292

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