# Supporting Information 

## Insights into the effect of Pt dopant into $\mathrm{Cu}(110) / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ for methanol

## decomposition: A density functional theory study

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Fig.S1 The average electrostatic potential through the slab of the Z axis direction, (a) 9Pt$\mathrm{Cu}(110) / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$, (b) $3 \mathrm{Pt}-\mathrm{Cu}(110) / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ and (c) $1 \mathrm{Pt}-\mathrm{Cu}(110) / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$.


Fig.S2 Schematic representation of the $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H}$ bond breaking route of CHOH for the methanol decomposition on $9 \mathrm{Pt}-\mathrm{Cu}(110) / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ surface. $\mathrm{Cu}, \mathrm{Pt}, \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{O}$ and H atoms are shown in brown, blue, gray, red and white spheres, respectively.


Fig.S3 Schematic representation of the O-H bond breaking route for the methanol decomposition on $9 \mathrm{Pt}-\mathrm{Cu}(110) / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ surface. See Fig. S 2 for color coding.


Fig.S4 Schematic representation of the C-H bond breaking route for the methanol decomposition on $3 \mathrm{Pt}-\mathrm{Cu}(110) / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ surface. See Fig.S2 for color coding.


Fig.S5 Schematic representation of the C-H bond breaking route of CHOH for the methanol decomposition on $3 \mathrm{Pt}-\mathrm{Cu}(110) / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ surface. See Fig. S 2 for color coding.


Fig.S6 Schematic representation of the C-H bond breaking route for the methanol decomposition on $1 \mathrm{Pt}-\mathrm{Cu}(110) / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ surface. See Fig.S2 for color coding.

