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## A Facile Sacrificial Template Method to Synthesize Onedimensional Porous CdO/CdFe2O4 Hybrid Nanoneedles with Superior Adsorption Performance

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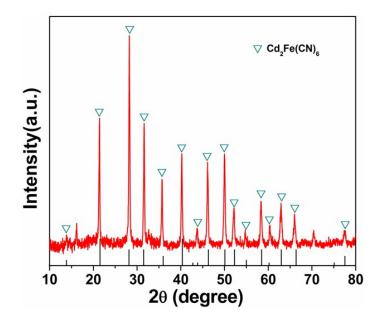


Fig. S1. XRD pattern of the as-prepared Cd<sub>2</sub>Fe(CN)<sub>6</sub> NNs precursor.

| adsorbent   | adsorption capacity<br>(mg g <sup>-1</sup> ) | references |  |
|---|--|------------|--|
| porous CdO/CdFe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> nanoneedle                | 1491   | This work  |  |
| Mesoporous MgO architectures  | 690  | 1          |  |
| Mesoporous carbon-incorporated ZnO                                    | 162  | 10         |  |
| MnO2 Hierarchical Hollow Nanostructures                               | 80   | 20         |  |
| Urchin-like $\alpha$ -FeOOH hollow spheres                            | 275  | 23         |  |
| NiFe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> /ZnO hybrids                         | 222  | 33         |  |
| $CoFe_2O_4/\ NiFe_2O_4/\ MnFe_2O_4$                                   | 244/97/92                                    | 34         |  |
| Hierarchically porous NiO-Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>              | 357  | 35         |  |
| Spindle-like boehmites  | 427  | 36         |  |
| Hierarchical $\gamma\text{-AlOOH}/\gamma\text{-Al}_2O_3$ microspheres | 214/416                                      | 37         |  |
| Fe <sub>3</sub> O <sub>4</sub> @meso C                                | 1657   | 38         |  |

Table S1. Adsorption capacities of CR on various adsorbents.

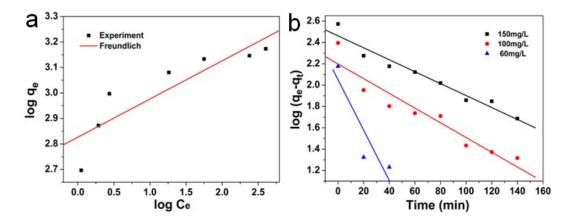
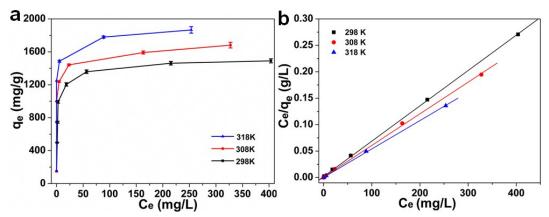


Fig. S2. (a) The values of log  $q_e$  against log  $C_e$  based on the Freundlich isotherm model. (b) the pseudo-first-order kinetics rates for adsorption of CR on the as-obtained porous CdO/CdFe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> HNNs.



**Fig. S3**. (a) Effects of temperature for different CR concentrations on the adsorption performance of porous CdO/CdFe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> (b) the linear dependence based on the Langmuir isotherm model for different temperature. The error bar represents the standard deviations (n = 3).

**Table S2**. Parameters and standard deviations of Langmuir and Freundlich isotherm equations for the adsorption of CR on porous CdO/CdFe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> HNNs.

| Langmuir                       |       |         | Freundlich |                  |      |         |         |
|--------------------------------|-------|---------|------------|------------------|------|---------|---------|
| $q_{\rm m}, ({\rm mg~g}^{-1})$ | $K_L$ | $R^2$   | S.D.(%)    | $K_{\mathrm{f}}$ | п    | $R^2$   | S.D.(%) |
| 1494                           | 0.37  | 0.99978 | 0.35       | 667              | 6.47 | 0.75854 | 8.86    |

 Table S3. The linear correlation coefficients and standard deviations of Langmuir isotherm

 equations for different temperature.

| Temperature(K) | $q_{\rm m}({\rm mg~g}^{-1})$ | $K_{\rm L}$ (×10 <sup>3</sup> L mol <sup>-1</sup> ) | R <sup>2</sup> | S.D.(%) |
|----------------|------------------------------|---|----------------|---------|
| 298            | 1490.8                       | 259.2   | 0.99978        | 0.15    |
| 308            | 1672.4                       | 494.6   | 0.99919        | 0.20    |
| 318            | 1862.3                       | 1158.6  | 0.99967        | 0.08    |

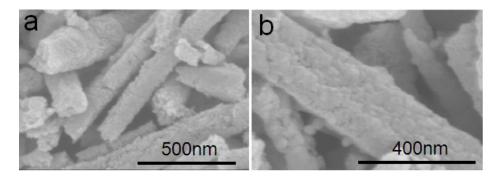


Fig. S4. (a, b) SEM images of the CR-adsorbed CdO/CdFe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> HNNs.