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Table S1 Characteristics of soil materials for the preparation of active Fe-SOM and Fe-SOM.

Properties	S1 for active Fe-SOM	S2 for Fe-SOM
Component of soil organic matter	humic acid-like and related to hydrophobic acids	aromatic protein and soluble microbial by-product-like
Soil organic Matter (%)	$3.75 \pm 0.13$	$4.65 \pm 0.16$
Humic acid (%)	$0.71 \pm 0.03$	$1.27 \pm 0.05$
Sand (%)	29.28	4.84
Silt (%)	64.92	79.35
Clay (%)	5.28	18.81
pH	7.85	7.32
Easy exchangeable iron (mg/kg)	$13.5 \pm 0.4$	$49.8 \pm 1.6$
Iron carbonates (mg/kg)	$22.6 \pm 0.7$	$91.7 \pm 3.1$
Iron oxides (mg/kg)	$2823.1 \pm 97.4$	$2967.7 \pm 114.2$
Organic iron (mg/kg)	$2071.3 \pm 76.5$	$1068.5 \pm 36.8$
Total iron (mg/kg)	$4930.4 \pm 153.2$	$4177.6 \pm 134.5$

Values are given as mean  $\pm$  standard error (3 replicates).

Table S2 Analysis of the Fe-SOM content in soil samples.

Samples	Exchangeable iron (mg/kg)	Carbonate binding iron (mg/kg)	Fe oxides (mg/kg)	Organic Fe (mg/kg)	Total Fe (mg/kg)	Fe-SOM oxides (mg/kg)	Organic Fe-SOM (mg/kg)	Fe-SOM (mg/kg)
S1 (without SOM before transfer)	8.8	5.6	358.5	40.7	413.7	-	-	-
S1 (without SOM after transfer)	10.4	12.6	482.4	56.2	561.7	-	-	-
S1(with SOM before transfer)	13.5	22.6	2823.1	2071.3	4930.4	-	-	-
S1(0%HA)	16.4	35.6	3254.3	2463.5	5769.8	307.3	376.7	684.0
S1(2%HA)	21.5	54.7	3743.4	2786.0	6605.6	796.4	699.0	1495.4
S1(5%HA)	93.0	173.9	3750.7	3047.9	7065.5	803.7	960.9	1764.6
S1(10%HA)	125.7	95.1	3454.2	3494.8	7169.8	507.2	1407.8	1915.0
S2 (without SOM before transfer)	7.3	2.9	266.5	54.1	330.8	-	-	-
S2 (without SOM after transfer)	17.7	16.1	363.5	65.2	462.5	-	-	-
S2(with SOM before transfer)	49.8	91.7	2967.7	1068.5	4177.6	-	-	-
S2(0%HA)	75.2	124.9	3248.0	1459.5	4907.5	183.3	379.9	563.2
S2(2%HA)	159.6	266.0	3620.3	1850.6	5896.5	555.6	771.0	1326.6
S2(5%HA)	147.4	392.9	4151.7	2107.8	6799.8	1087.0	1028.2	2115.2
S2(10%HA)	131.0	327.4	4636.0	2778.3	7872.7	1571.3	1698.7	3270.0

Notes: Fe-SOM oxides = the oxidation of iron content (including the inherent SOM iron transfer) - oxidation of iron content (including the inherent SOM blank) - [oxidation of iron content (excluding natural SOM blank iron after transfer) - oxidation of iron content (does not contain the inherent in SOM blank)] (1)

Organic Fe-SOM = organic bound iron content (including natural SOM iron transfer) - organic bound iron content (including inherent SOM blank) - [organic bound iron content (excluding intrinsic SOM blank iron transfer) - organic combination state iron content (excluding inherent SOM blank)] (2)

$$\text{Fe-SOM} = (\text{Fe-SOM oxides}) + (\text{Organic Fe-SOM}) \quad (3)$$

Table S3 X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS) analysis in the soil samples

Peak	Position (eV)	FWHM (eV)	Active Fe-SOM Area				Fe-SOM Area					
			0 (control)	684 mg/kg	1495 mg/kg	1765 mg/kg	1915 mg/kg	0 (control)	563 mg/kg	1327 mg/kg	2115 mg/kg	3270 mg/kg
0	708.3 (FeO)	1.5	0	159.6	18.6	0	0	84.9	0.1	0	0	0
1	709.8 (Fe <sub>3</sub> O <sub>4</sub> )	1.5	117.0	196.3	23.8	0	39.1	181.5	4.0	0	32.1	0
2	710.6 (Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	1.5	48.3	196.7	44.0	49.8	0	74.9	38.5	5.0	29.4	0
3	711.6 (FeOOH)	1.8	469.7	508.4	381.7	214.4	221.1	477.4	221.5	470.8	389.2	412.1
4	713.1 ( $\alpha$ -FeOOH)	1.8	304.0	402.3	486.0	490.7	570.9	502.2	362.0	183.3	197.1	404.8
5	713.6 ( $\gamma$ -FeOOH)	2.7	132.2	133.2	250.7	329.7	425.6	132.7	212.4	137.2	277.1	250.8

Table S4 The characteristics of producing •OH and removal of TPH

Type	Concentration (mg/kg)	•OH properties		Low concentration of TPH		High concentration of TPH	
		Yield of •OH(a.u.)	Ability of producing •OH(a.u. •OH/g·kg <sup>-1</sup> Fe- SOM)	Removal rate (%)	Removal ability (g TPH/g Fe-SOM)	Removal rate (%)	Removal ability (g TPH/g Fe-SOM)
Active Fe- SOM (S1)	0 (control)	1.67	/	5.0	/	3.1	/
	684	2.32	3.39	36.1	7.7	32.1	8.7
	1495	4.57	3.06	48.1	4.7	47.4	5.9
	1765	5.99	3.39	58.2	4.8	56.6	5.9
	1915	8.92	4.66	66.0	5.0	65.1	6.3
Fe-SOM (S2)	0 (control)	1.26	/	2.5	/	2.4	/
	563	1.69	2.99	20.5	5.3	20.0	6.5
	1327	3.32	2.50	29.7	3.3	32.5	4.5
	2115	4.81	2.27	44.4	3.1	47.4	3.8
	3270	5.40	1.65	50.6	2.6	48.9	2.8

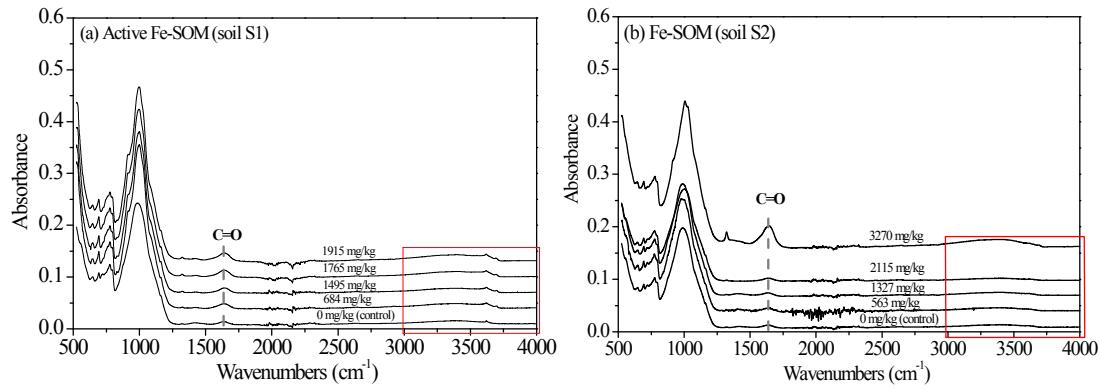


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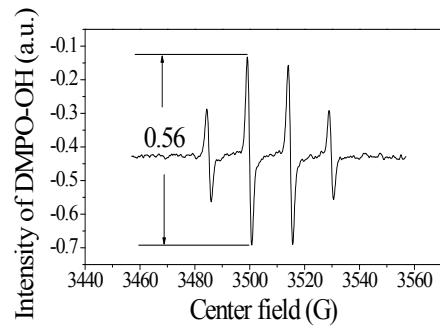


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