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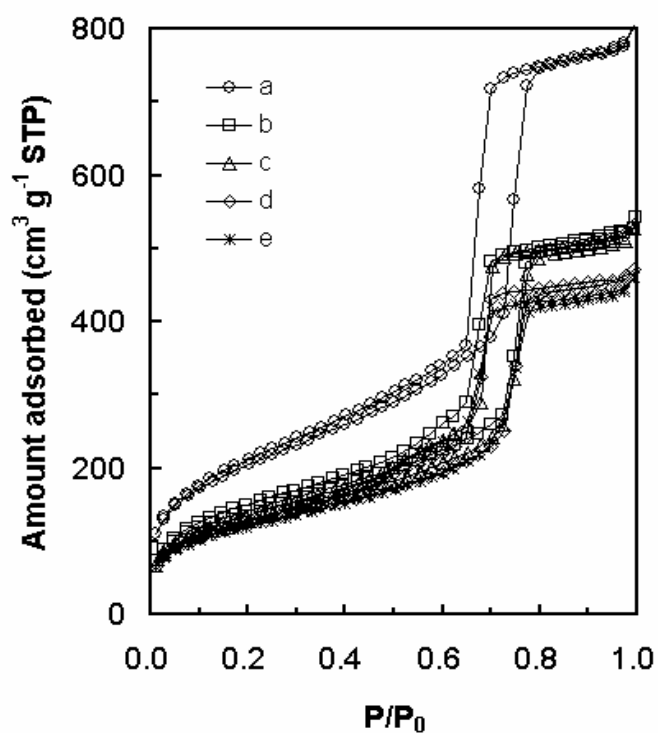


Fig. S1. Nitrogen adsorption isotherms for the cobalt/SBA-15 catalysts. (a) SBA-15, (b) 6CoSBA, (c) 6CoSBA-H1, (d) 6CoSBA-H2, (e) 6CoSBA-H3.