

*Appendix A. Supplementary data*

A Perovskite CaZrO<sub>3</sub> for Efficient Ozonation Treatment of Organic  
Pollutants in Wastewater

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## **Text S1 Characterization methods**

The crystal structure was characterized by X-ray diffraction measurement (XRD, Empyrean-100, Dutch PANalytical Company) at room temperature with the scanning angular range of 10°-90°. The morphologies of the catalysts were observed using a field-emission scanning electron microscope (SEM, Quante400F (FEI)) with the operating voltage of 20 kV. The morphologies and structures of catalysts were further analyzed by transmission electron microscopy. A high-resolution transmission electron microscope (HRTEM) was used to analyze the structure of the catalyst using a JEM-2100F high-resolution transmission electron microscope manufactured by JEOL, with an acceleration voltage of 120 kV. The X-rays photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS) measurement was carried out on AVGESCALAB 250 spectrometer using a non-monochromatized Al K X-ray source at  $eV = 1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$  and 1bar =100 kPa (1486.6 eV). The electron paramagnetic resonance (EPR) experiments using a Bruker EPR A300 spectrometer were carried out for the determination of reactive intermediates generated in catalytic ozonation. A catalyst solution of 1000mg/L and a HAC/NaAC buffer solution of 2mM PH=4 was prepared. 200 microliter sample solution was taken, 500 microliter buffer solution was added, and ozone was injected at a flow rate of 37mL/min at 130 mg/L. Shake well and add 100 microliters of DMPO or TEMP (trapping agent) solution of 1M. After mixing well, a specific volume of the sample solution was transferred immediately into a capillary tube, and EPR spectra were recorded at room temperature under the following Operating conditions: EPR Spectra using DMPO: modulation frequency = 100 GHz, sweep width = 100.0 G, microwave power = 18.11 mW, microwave frequency = 9.87 GHz and Centerfield = 3360.0 G. Operating conditions using TEMP: sweep width = 100 G, Centerfield = 3510 G, modulation frequency = 100 GHz, microwave power: 18.11 mW, modulation frequency = 100 GHz, microwave frequency = 9.87GHz.

## **Text S2 Stability evaluation condition**

The catalyst used for stability evaluation was  $\text{CaZrO}_3\text{-PEG}_{10 \text{ wt\%}}$ , and the powder was pressed into tablets. After the tablet was pressed, 100mL was weighed with a

measuring cylinder and loaded into the reactor for evaluation. Reaction conditions: Substrate: m-cresol ( $100 \text{ mg}\cdot\text{L}^{-1}$ ); the pH is not adjusted; influent flow of  $100 \text{ mL}\cdot\text{h}^{-1}$ ; continuous flow of ozone through  $37 \text{ mL}\cdot\text{min}^{-1}$ , concentration of  $130 \text{ mg}\cdot\text{L}^{-1}$ .

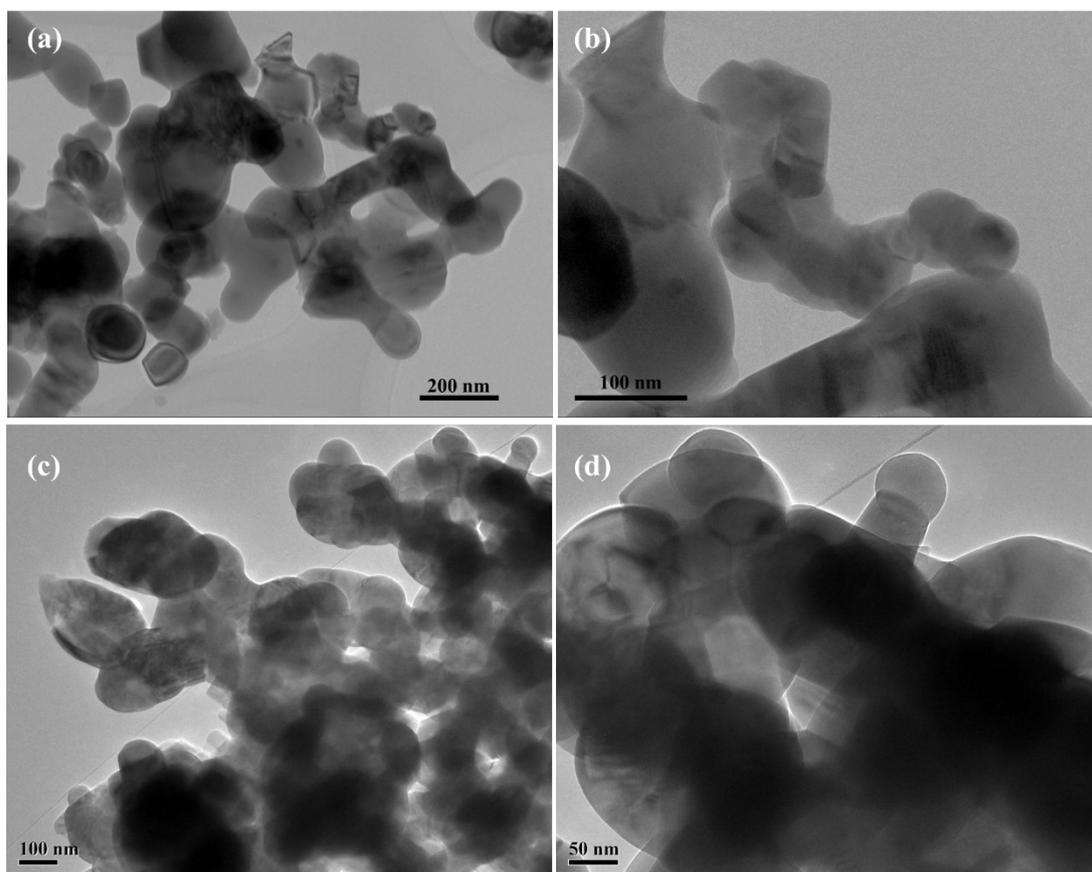


Fig.S1. TEM images of  $\text{CaZrO}_3\text{-PEG}_{0 \text{ wt}\%}$  (a-b) and  $\text{CaZrO}_3\text{-PEG}_{10 \text{ wt}\%}$  (c-d)

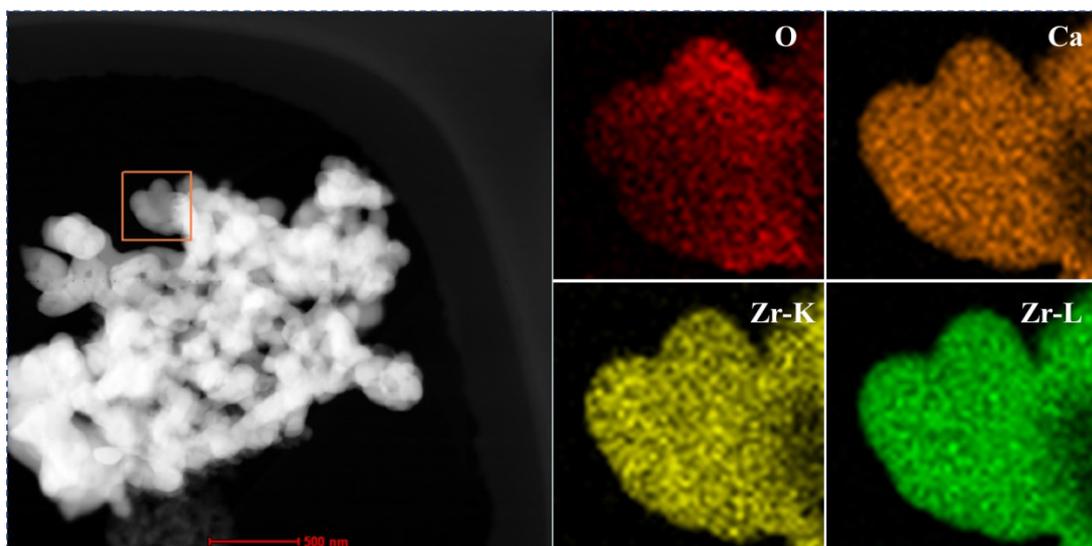


Fig. S2 TEM-EDX mappings of CaZrO<sub>3</sub>-PEG<sub>10 wt%</sub>

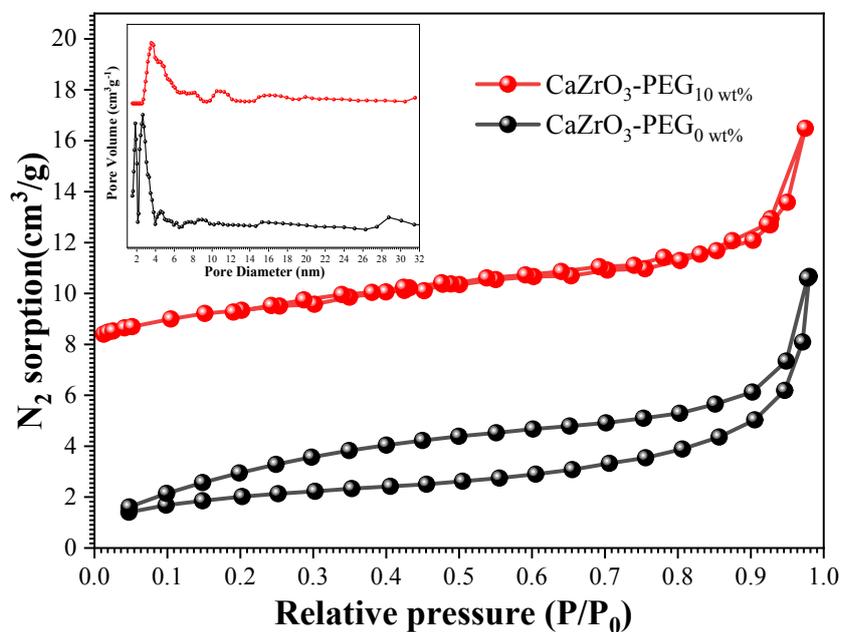


Fig.S3. The N<sub>2</sub> adsorption-desorption isotherms of CaZrO<sub>3</sub>-PEG<sub>0 wt%</sub> and CaZrO<sub>3</sub>-PEG<sub>10 wt%</sub>

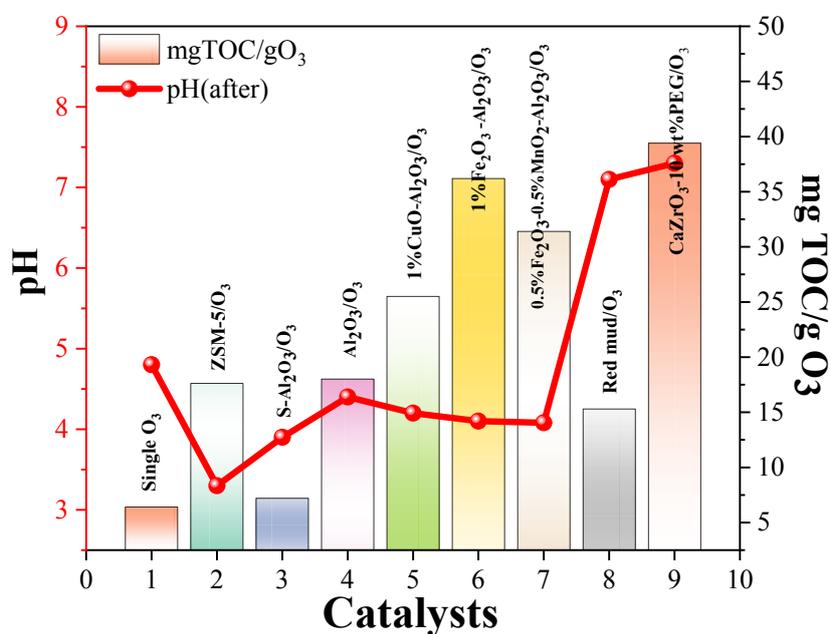


Fig. S4. Evaluation result of different types of catalysts on catalytic ozonation of m-cresol wastewater.

Substrate: 100 mg · L<sup>-1</sup> m-cresol. Catalyst concentration: 5g · L<sup>-1</sup>, wastewater volume: 200 mL, ozone flow rate: 37 mL · min<sup>-1</sup>, ozone concentration: 130 mg · L<sup>-1</sup>, reaction time: 20 min

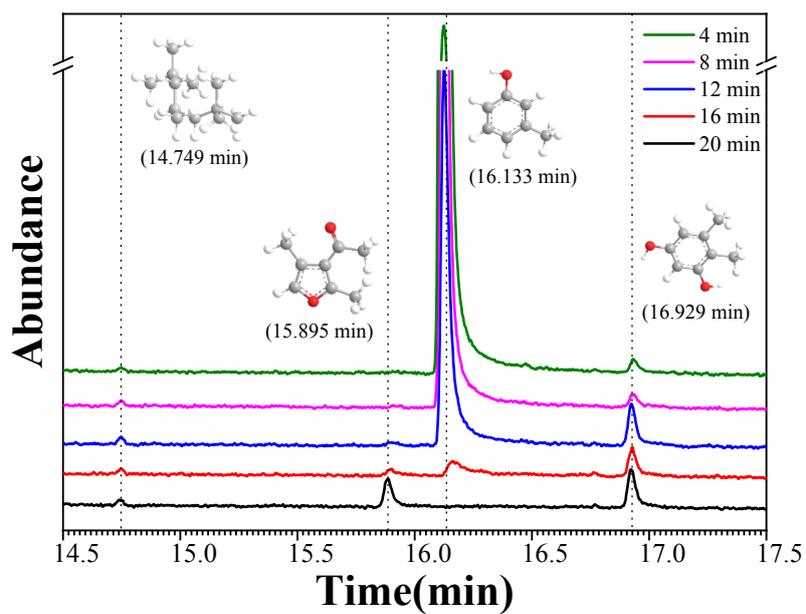


Fig. S5. GC-MS spectrum of  $\text{CaZrO}_3$  catalyzed degradation of m-cresol by ozonation

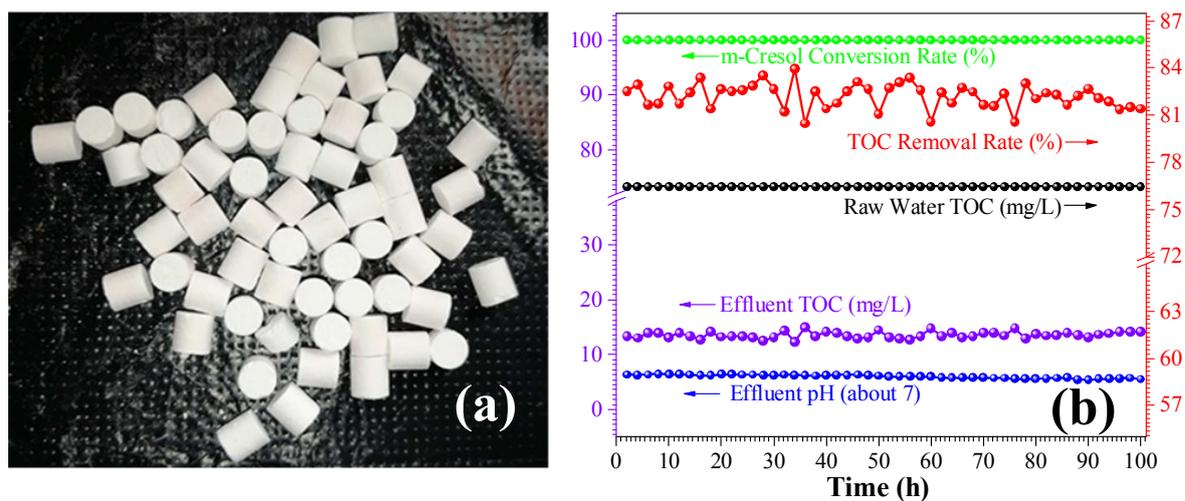


Fig. S6. (a)  $\text{CaZrO}_3$  catalyst for continuous catalytic ozone oxidation; (b) Continuous results of catalytic oxidation of  $\text{CaZrO}_3$

**Table.S1** Ca 2p, Zr 3d and O 1s concentration of XPS spectra of CaZrO<sub>3</sub>

<b>Catalytic</b>	<b>Ca 2p</b>		<b>Zr 3d</b>		<b>O 1s</b>	
	<b>Ca 2p<sub>3/2</sub></b>	<b>Ca 2p<sub>1/2</sub></b>	<b>Zr 3d<sub>5/2</sub></b>	<b>Zr 3d<sub>3/2</sub></b>	<b>O<sub>L</sub></b>	<b>O<sub>A/OV</sub></b>
CaZrO <sub>3</sub> -PEG <sub>0</sub> wt%	77.55%	22.45%	58.39%	41.61%	43.95%	56.05%
CaZrO <sub>3</sub> -PEG <sub>2.5</sub> wt%	77.59%	22.41%	58.18%	41.82%	44.15%	55.85%
CaZrO <sub>3</sub> -PEG <sub>5</sub> wt%	77.34%	22.66%	57.16%	42.84%	41%	59%
CaZrO <sub>3</sub> -PEG <sub>7.5</sub> wt%	77.57%	22.43%	57.18%	42.82%	39.73%	60.27%
CaZrO <sub>3</sub> -PEG <sub>10</sub> wt%	73.32%	26.68%	44.47%	55.53%	27.22%	72.88%