

Supporting Information:

Theoretical study on catalytic degradation of sulfacetamide on anatase TiO₂ (001) and (101) surface

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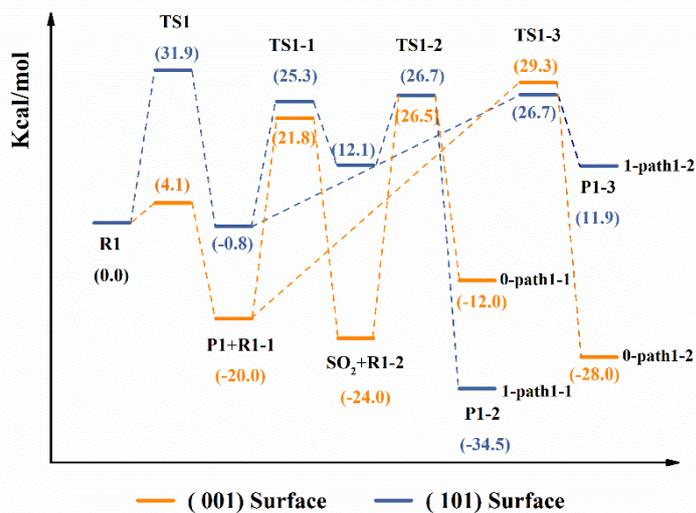


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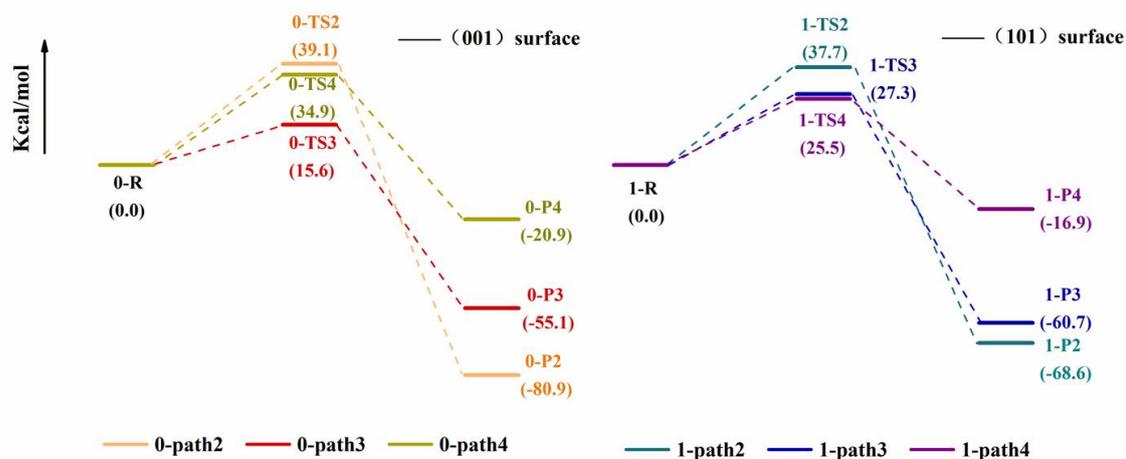


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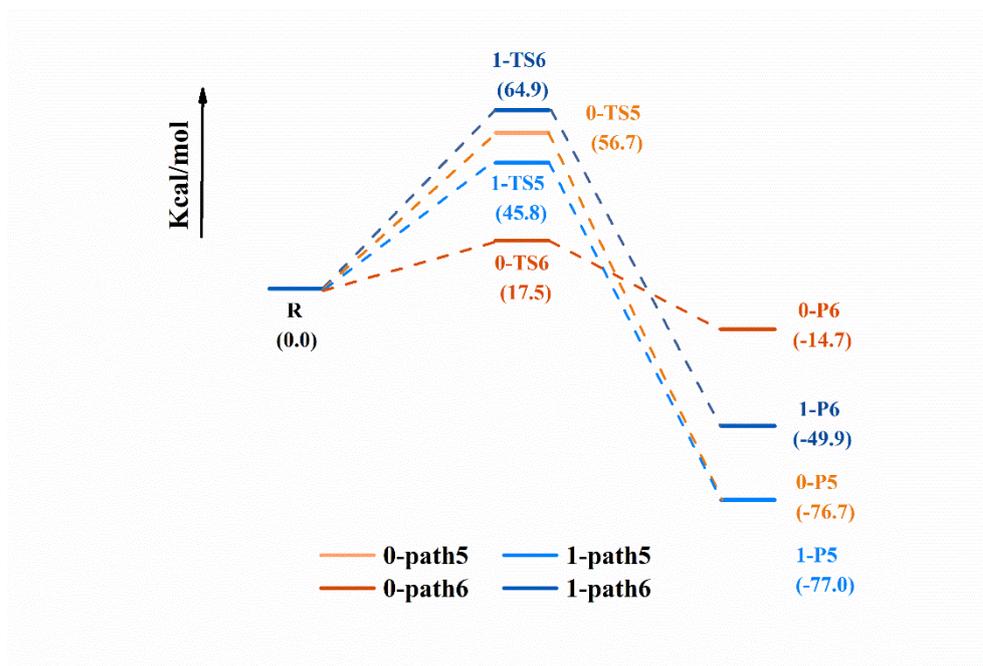


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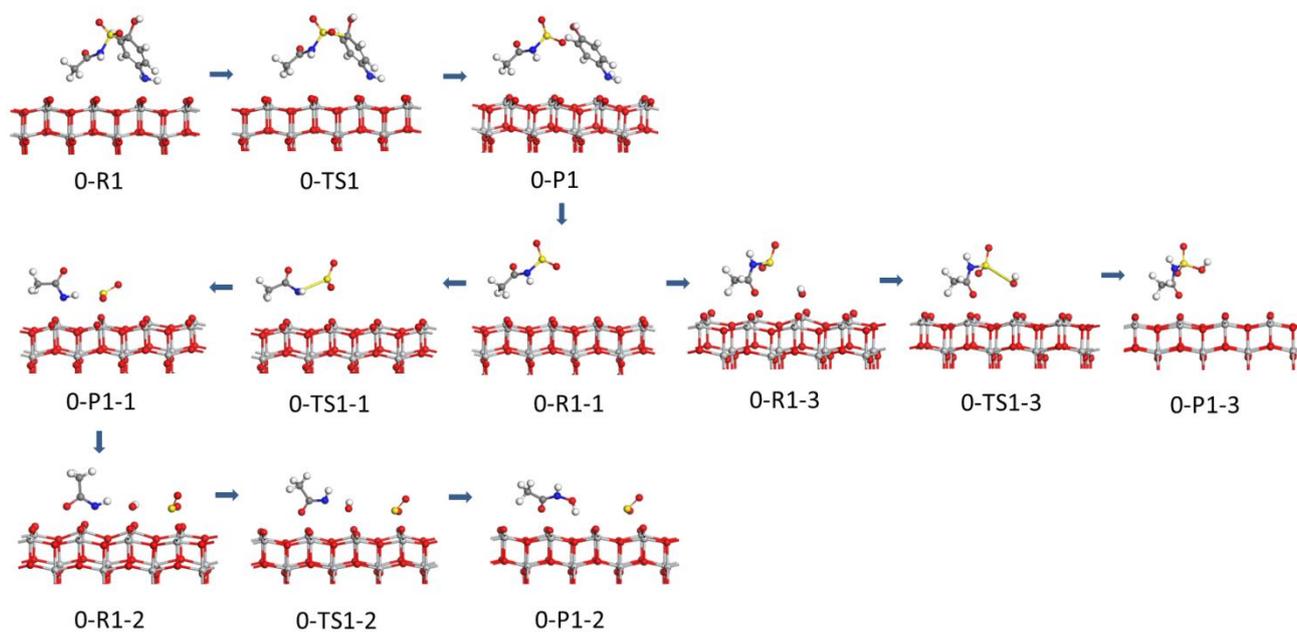


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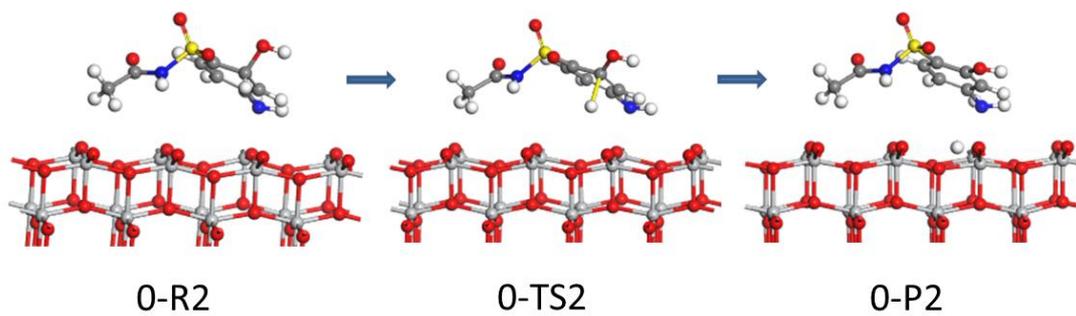


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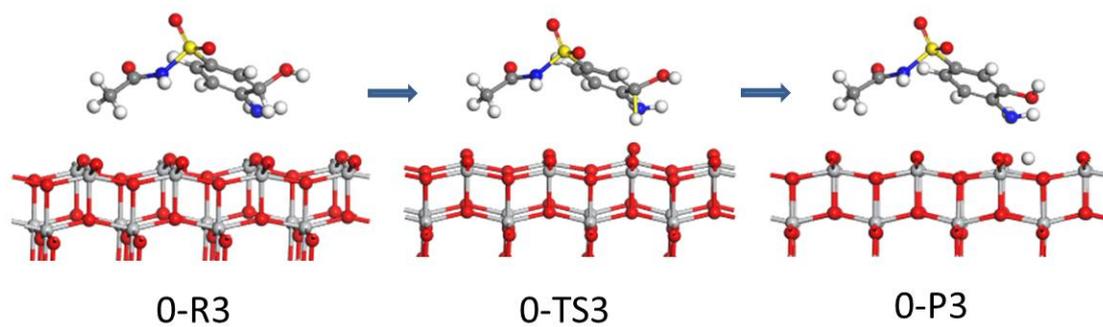


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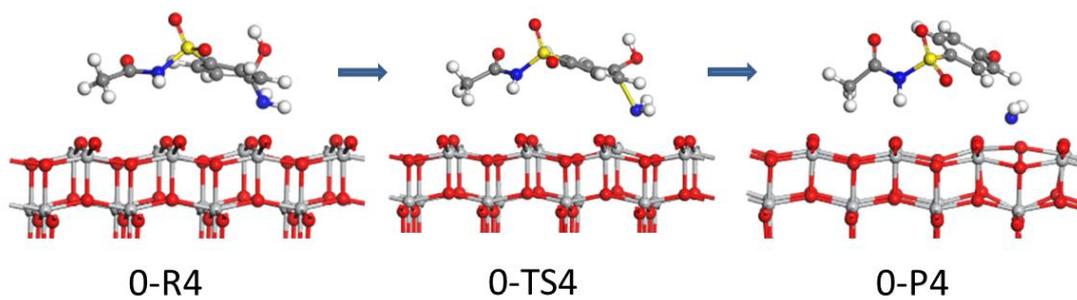


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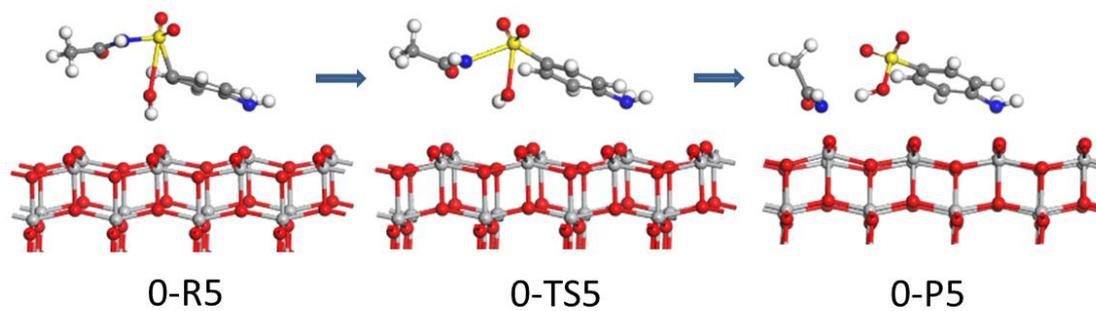


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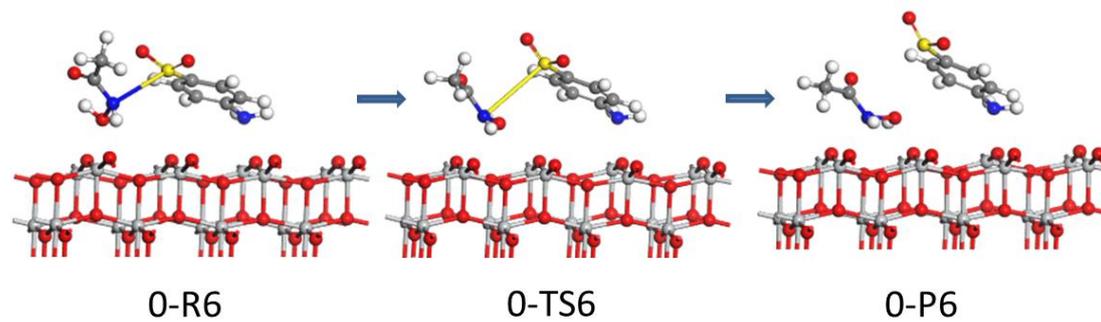


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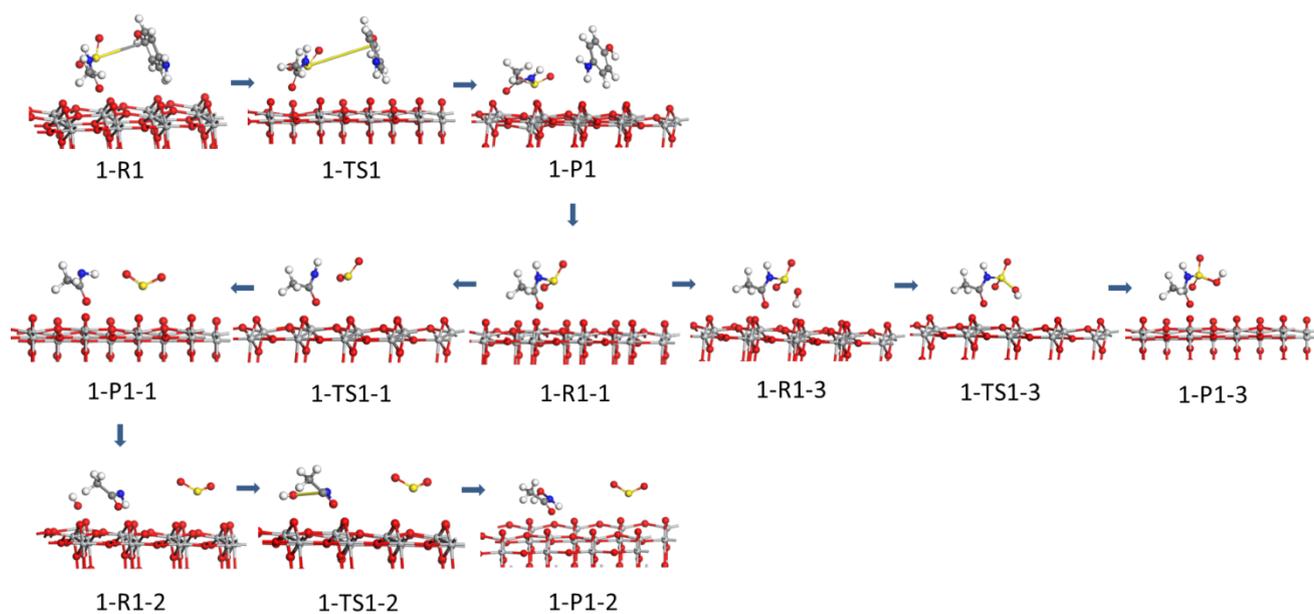


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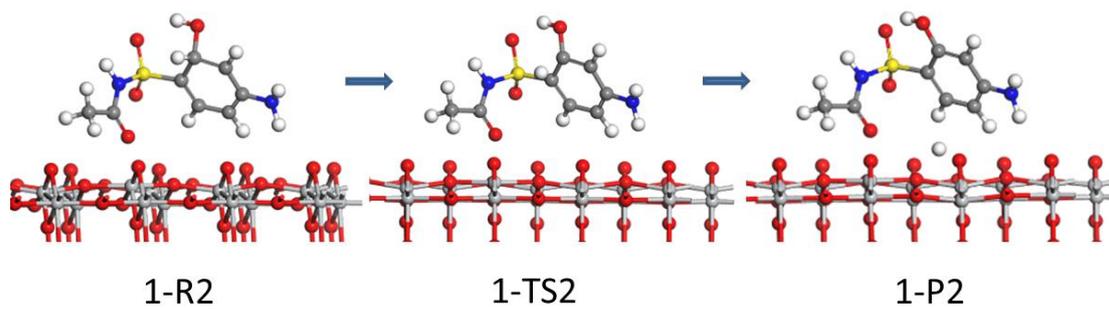


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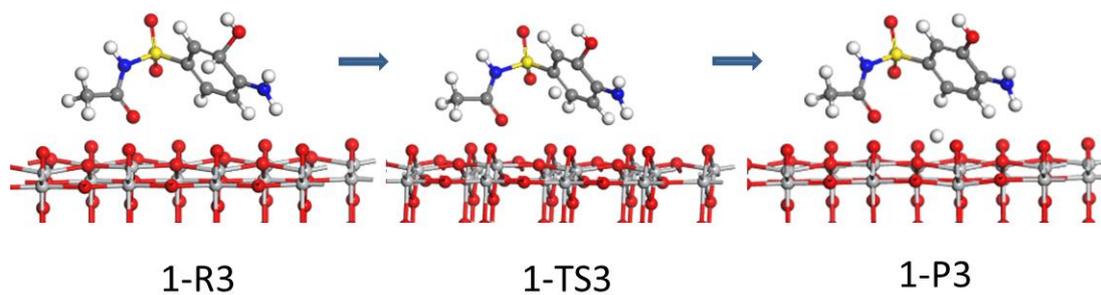


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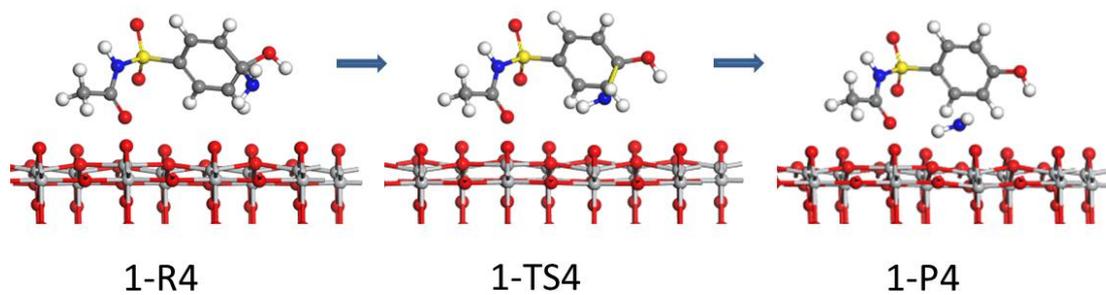


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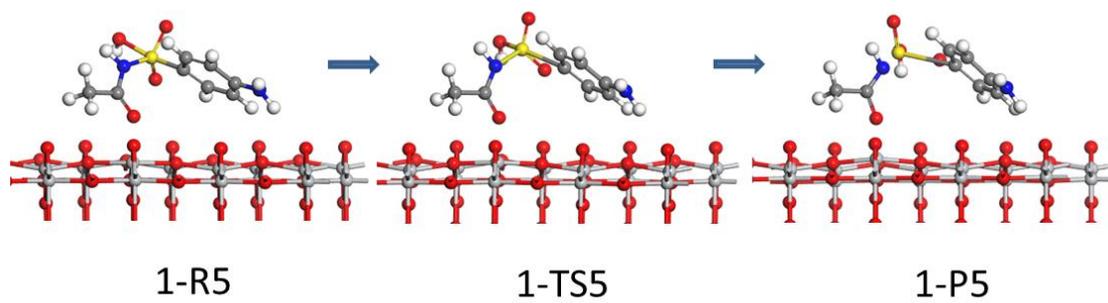


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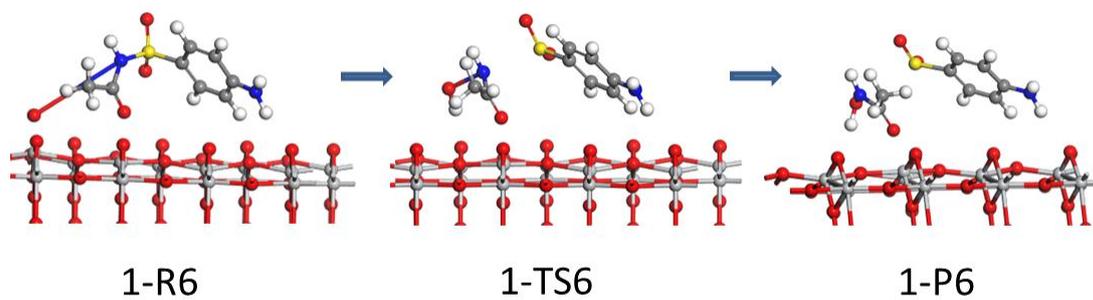


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2. Tables

Table S1. The relative energies in the process of different SAC degradation on TiO₂ (001) surface reaction paths calculated at PBE+U+D3 level and corrected using more accurate HSE06+D3 method.

Pathway	Intermediate and transition states	$\Delta E_{\text{PBE+U+D3}}$	$\Delta E_{\text{HSE06+D3}}$
		Kcal/mol	Kcal/mol
0-path1	0-R1	0.0	0.0
	0-TS1	4.1	7.7
	0-P1+0-R1-1	-20.0	-4.5
	0-TS1-1	21.8	30.9
	SO ₂ +0-R1-2	-24.0	-22.0
	0-TS1-2	26.5	24.6
	0-P1-2	-12.0	-60.4
	0-TS1-3	29.3	10.3
	0-P1-3	-28.0	-90.7
0-path2	0-R2	0.0	0
	0-TS2	39.1	41.1
	0-P2+·OH	-80.9	-40.7
0-path3	0-R3	0.0	0.0
	0-TS3	15.6	26.1
	0-P3+·OH	-55.1	-40.1
0-path4	0-R4	0.0	0.0
	0-TS4	34.9	40.5
	0-P4+·NH ₂	-20.9	23.3
0-path5	0-R5	0.0	0.0
	0-TS5	56.7	77.5
	0-P5+·NH ₂	-76.7	-8.5
0-path6	0-R6	0.0	0.0
	0-TS6	17.5	14.6
	0-P6+NH ₂ OH	-14.7	1.3

Table S2. The relative energies in the process of different SAC degradation on TiO₂ (101) surface reaction paths calculated at PBE+U+D3 level and corrected using more accurate HSE06+D3 method.

Pathway	Intermediate and transition states	ΔE_{PBE}	$\Delta E_{\text{XC-functional}}$
		Kcal/mol	Kcal/mol
1-path1	1-R1	0.0	0.0
	1-TS1	31.9	39.2
	1-P1+1-R1-1	-0.8	1.2
	1-TS1-1	25.3	29.7
	SO ₂ +1-R1-2	12.1	22.1
	1-TS1-2	26.7	18.3
	1-P1-2	-34.5	-103.0
	1-TS1-3	26.7	22.0
	1-P1-3	11.9	9.5
1-path2	1-R2	0.0	0.0
	1-TS2	37.7	37.0
	1-P2+·OH	-68.6	-31.3
1-path3	1-R3	0.0	0.0
	1-TS3	27.3	36.9
	1-P3+·OH	-60.7	-28.8
1-path4	1-R4	0.0	0.0
	1-TS4	25.5	23.4
	1-P4+·NH ₂	-16.9	16.5
1-path5	1-R5	0.0	0.0
	1-TS5	45.8	56.8
	1-P5+·NH ₂	-77.0	-27.0
1-path6	1-R6	0.0	0.0
	1-TS6	64.9	90.8
	1-P6+NH ₂ OH	-49.9	25.1

Table S3. The adsorption energies of SAC adsorbed on TiO₂ surfaces in vacuum calculated using PBE+U+D3 method.

TiO ₂ (001)		TiO ₂ (101)	
Structures	E _{ads} (ev)	Structures	E _{ads} (ev)
CA0	-1.416	CA1	-0.973
CB0	-4.153	CB1	-1.445
CC0	-1.662	CC1	-0.726
CD0	-1.812	CD1	-0.682
CE0	-1.552	CE1	-0.912
CF0	-3.972	CF1	-0.861