

Selective Hydrogenation of Furfural for High-value Chemicals: Effect of Catalysts and Temperature

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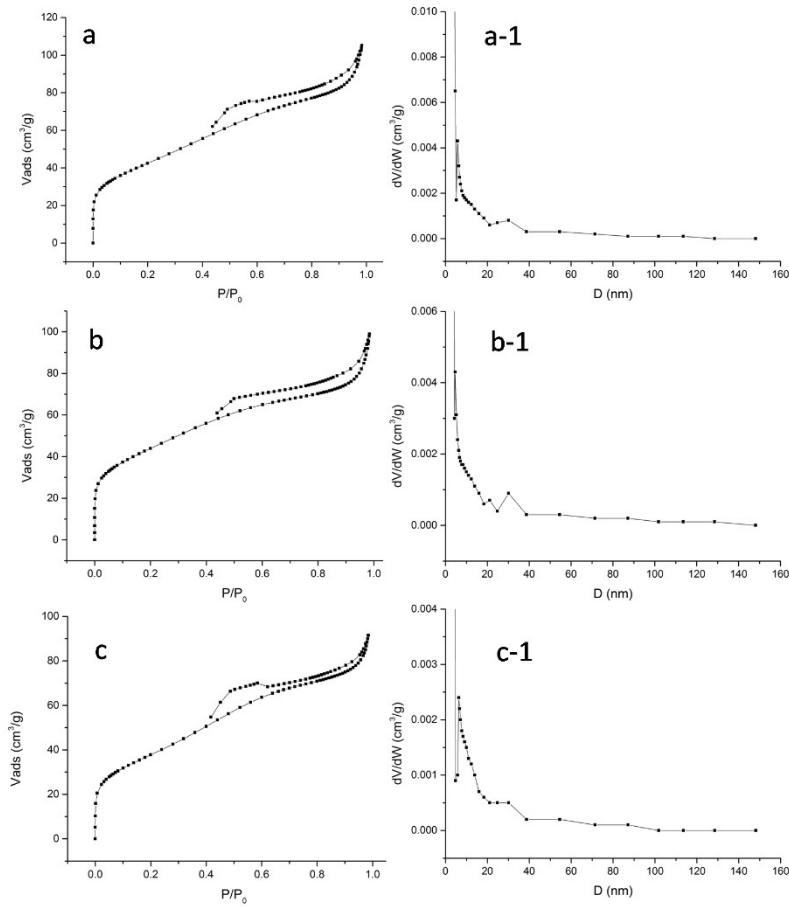


Figure S1. N₂ adsorption isotherms (a), Ni₃Co₁@C, (b) Ni₂Co₁@C, (c) Ni₁Co₁@C and pore-size distributions (a-1), Ni₃Co₁@C, (b-1) Ni₂Co₁@C, (c-1) Ni₁Co₁@C

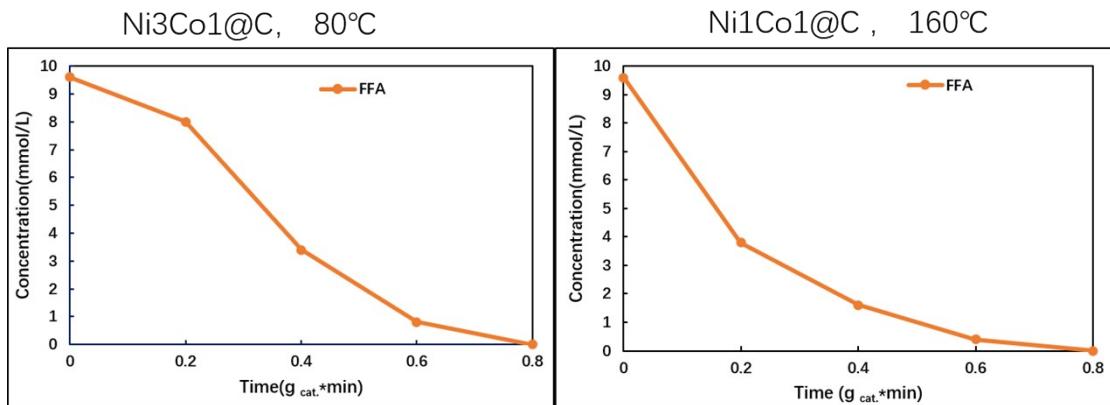


Fig S2. Concentration profiles for FFA hydrogenation.

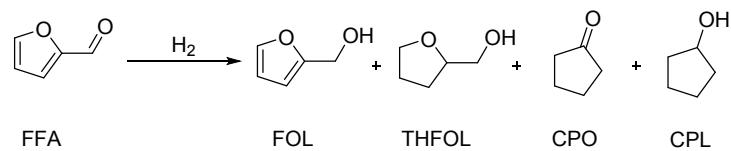


Table S1. Optimization of different catalysts of FFA hydrogenation

Entry	T(°C)	Cat.	Initial reaction rate ^a (mmol/g _{cat} *min)	TOF(min ⁻¹)	FOL Yield(%)	THFO L Yield(%)	CPO Yield(%)	CPL Yield(%)
1	80	Ni ₃ Co ₁ @C	1.55	53	4	95	0	0
2	160	Ni ₁ Co ₁ @C	1.92	104	0	0	0	96

^aWithin the first 0.4 g_{cat}*min of reaction.