

## Time-resolved *in situ* DRIFTS study on NH<sub>3</sub>-SCR of NO on CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst

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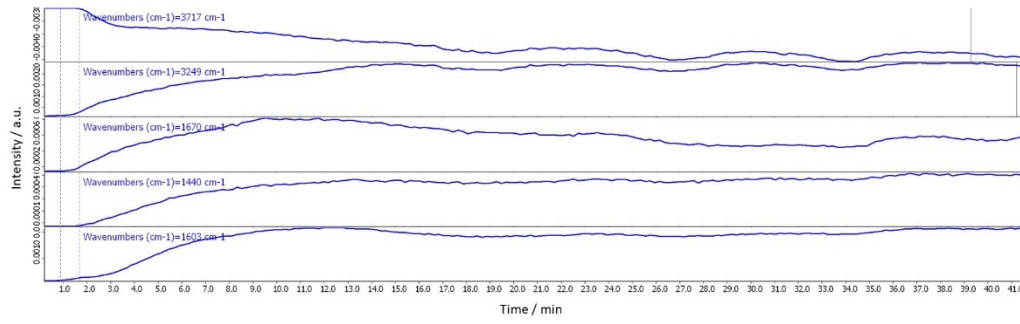
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### 1 Catalyst characterization

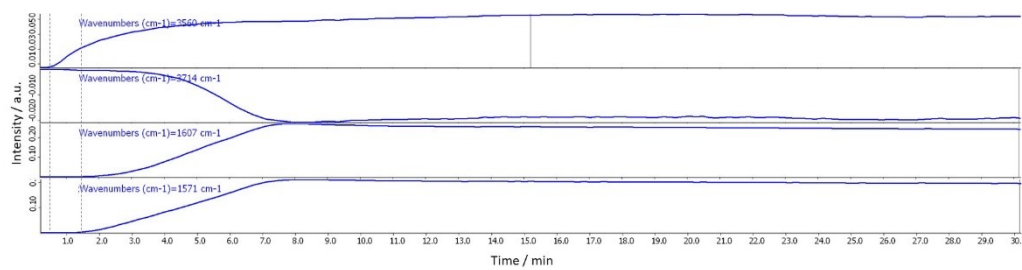
The surface morphology of CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst was observed using a FEI Tecnai G2 F20 transmission electron microscope equipped with a high-angle annular dark field (HAADF) detector in STEM mode. The local composition was determined by energy dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS).

The X-ray diffraction (XRD) patterns of fresh CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst, used CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst for NH<sub>3</sub>+O<sub>2</sub> adsorption, used CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst for NO+O<sub>2</sub> adsorption, and used CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst for SCR were measured with a PANalytical X'Pert Powder diffractometer that using Cu K $\alpha$  radiation ( $\lambda = 0.15406$  nm) with the X-ray tube operated at 40 kV and 40 mA. Diffraction patterns were recorded between a  $2\theta$  range of 10-90° with scanning speed of 5°/min.

X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS) was performed to investigate the surface chemical states of Ce, Ti and O species in fresh CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst, used CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst for NH<sub>3</sub>+O<sub>2</sub> adsorption, used CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst for NO+O<sub>2</sub> adsorption, and used CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst for SCR with Thermo ESCALAB250Xi. The samples powders, which were transferred and pelletized with a diameter of 0.2 mm before and after testing under an inert atmosphere, were tested by XPS at room temperature. Additionally, the obtained binding energies were referenced to the C 1 s line at 284.6 eV.



**Fig. S1** Temporal evolution of selected signals during  $\text{NH}_3$  adsorption on  $\text{CeO}_2/\text{TiO}_2$  catalyst at  $100^\circ\text{C}$ .



**Fig. S2** Temporal evolution of selected signals during NO adsorption on CeO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst at

100°C.