## Cyclic oxygen exchange capacity of Ce-doped V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> materials for syngas production via

## high temperature chemical looping reforming of methane

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Figure SI 1. Schematic diagram of thermochemical testing setup.



Figure SI 2. FESEM micrographs of as-prepared (a) pure  $V_2O_5$ , (b) 3CeV and (c) 9CeV powders.



Figure SI 3. XRD patterns of as-prepared pure and Ce-doped  $V_2O_5$  powders



Figure SI 4. Mass-Spectrometer signals for  $H_2$  and CO recorded during MPO-CDS redox cycles for blank and 1CeV samples.



Figure SI 5. Syngas production rates produced by pure  $V_2O_3$  powders during 5 continuous MPO-CDS redox cycles.



Figure SI 6. Syngas production rates produced by 9CeV powders during MPO–WS cycles.



Figure SI 7.Back scattered SEM images of 3CeV powders, acquired after the MPO–CDS cycling.