Photocatalytic hydrogenation of nitrobenzene to aniline over titanium(IV) oxide using various saccharides instead of hydrogen gas

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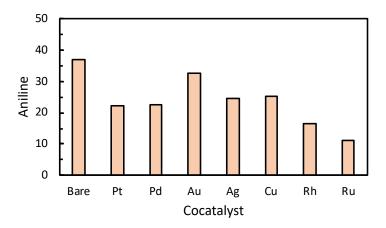


Fig. S1 Effects of different kinds of metal on yield of anilin after 60-min photoirradiation in photocatalytic hydrogenation of nitrobenzene (50 μ mol) with glucose (1,000 ppm, 28 μ mol) to aniline.

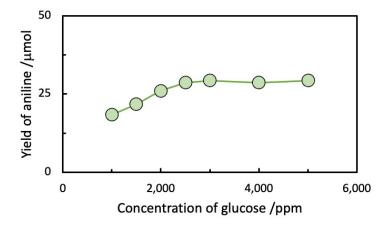


Fig. S2 Effects of different concentrations of glucose on yield of aniline in photocatalytic hydrogenation of nitrobenzene (50 μ mol) after 90-min photoirradiation.

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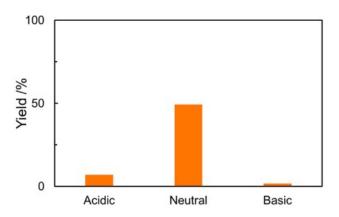


Fig. S3 Effects of different pH values of solution (0.1 mol dm-3 HCl, 0.1 mol dm-3 NaOH) containing glucose (2,000 ppm, $56 \mu mol$) on yield of aniline in photocatalytic hydrogenation of nitrobenzene (50 μmol) after 60 min irradiation.

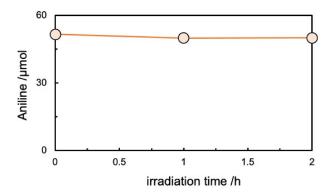


Fig. S4 Photocatalytic reaction of aniline over TiO_2 in the presence of glucose (2,000 ppm) under an Ar condition.

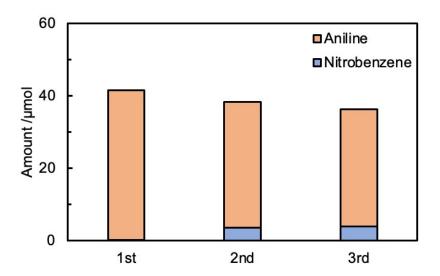


Fig. S5 Durability test of bare TiO_2 in photocatalytic hydrogenation of nitrobenzene to aniline in a aqueous suspension of bare TiO_2 for 2-h photoirradiation.

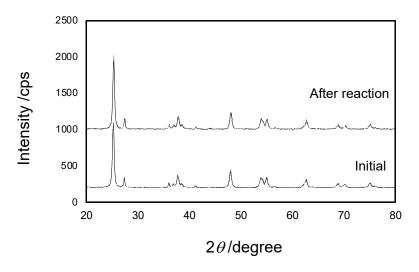


Fig. S6 X-ray diffraction patterns of bare TiO₂ (initial) and after the reaction.