- Facile synthesis of high-efficiency magnetic graphitic carbon nitride adsorbents
- 2 for selective removal of hazardous anionic dyes in wastewater
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11 Chemical reagents

- All solutions were prepared with ultrapure water. g-C₃N₄ was purchased from
- 13 Beike Nano (Suzhou, China). Branched polyethyleneimine (PEI, MW: 600, content:
- 14 99%) was supplied by the Macklin Chemical Reagents Co., Ltd(Shanghai, China)
- 15 Congo red was purchased from Damao Chemical Reagent Co., Ltd (Tianjin, China).
- 16 Other materials used were analytical grade in this study.

17 Characterization

- Fourier transform infrared spectroscopy (FT-IR) was recorded on a Nicolet iS50
- 19 Fourier transform infrared spectrophotometer (Thermo Scientific Co., USA) in the
- 20 range of 400-4000 cm⁻¹. Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) was used to
- 21 characterize the microstructure of the sample using a FEI Nova Nano SEM 450
- 22 (JEOL Co., Japan) and Transmission Electron Microscope (TEM) was obtained on a
- 23 JEM-2100F electron micro scope (JEOL Co., Japan). Vibrating sample magnetometer
- 24 (VSM) analysis of the synthesized materials was carried out with Lake Shore 7407
- 25 (Lake Shore, USA) at room temperature. X-ray Photo Spectroscopy (XPS) analysis
- 26 was carried out by using a Thermo Fisher ESCALAB 250Xi (Thermo Scientific Co.,
- 27 USA) to confirm the chemical compositions. X-ray Diffraction (XRD) measurements
- 28 over 2θ range from 20 to 70° were carried out at room temperature by using a D8
- 29 Advance X-ray diffractometer (Bruker, Germany). The surface area and the pore size
- 30 of the samples were obtained with N₂ adsorption/desorption isotherms at 77.3K using
- 31 the ASAP2460 analyzer instrument (Micromeritics Instrument Corp, USA).

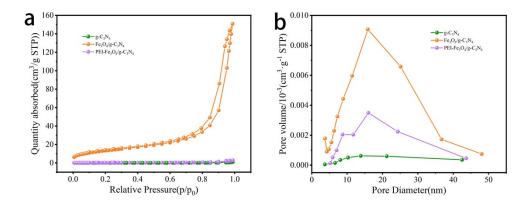


Fig.S1. (a) N_2 adsorption/desorption isotherm (b) BJH pore size distribution

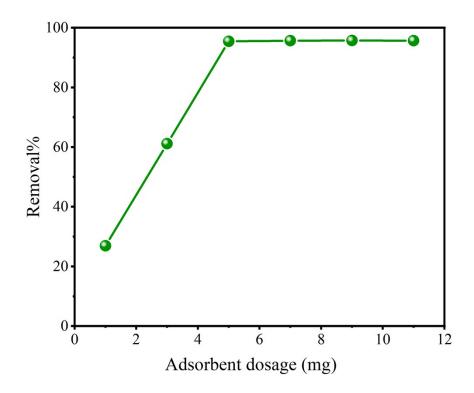


Fig.S2. The effect of adsorption dosage..