

Supporting Information

Table S1. Membrane characteristics of Liqui-Cel Extra-Flow (2.5 × 8) ¹

Characteristics (unit)	Value
Area (m ²)	1.4
Shell side volume (L)	0.4
Tube side volume (L)	0.15
# of Fibers	9,500
Internal diameter (μm)	220
Outer diameter (μm)	300
Wall thickness (μm)	40
Material	Polypropylene
Tortuosity	3
Pore size (μm)	0.04
Porosity (%)	40

Table S2. Characteristics of an opto-electronic industrial wastewater and the synthetic ammonia wastewater with similar composition. ²

Parameter	Ref. [2]	This study
COD (mg/L)	100 ± 28	100
TKN (mg/L)	572 ± 6.6	~ 560
NH ₄ ⁺ -N (mg/L)	567 ± 5.8	560
NO ₂ ⁻ N (mg/L)	-	-
NO ₃ ⁻ N (mg/L)	7 ± 5.5	-
PO ₄ ³⁻ -P (mg/L)	0.7 ± 0.7	-
pH	9.4 ± 0.1	9.4
Alkalinity (mg/L as CaCO ₃)	$1,260 \pm 208$	1,260

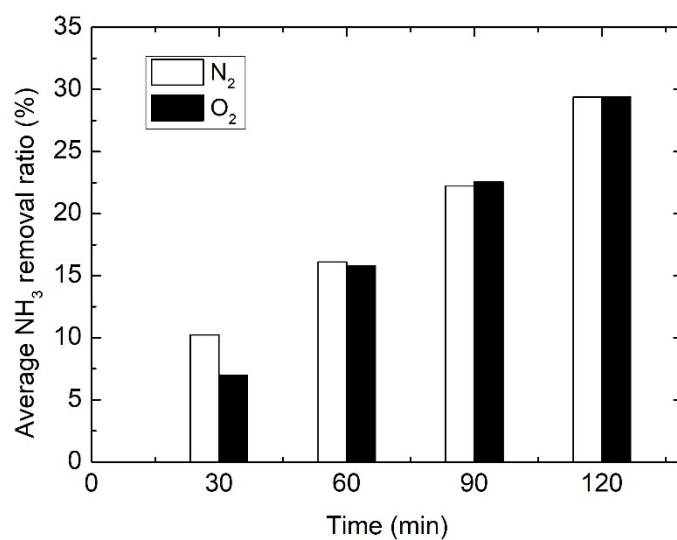


Fig. S1 Effect of type of sweep gas on average NH_3 removal ratio (Initial ammonia concentration: 530 mg/L, Temperature: 50°C, Feed water flow rate: 2.5 L/min, Sweep gas & flow rate: N_2 or O_2 4 L/min, Vacuum pressure: -0.7~0.8 bar, Initial pH: 10)

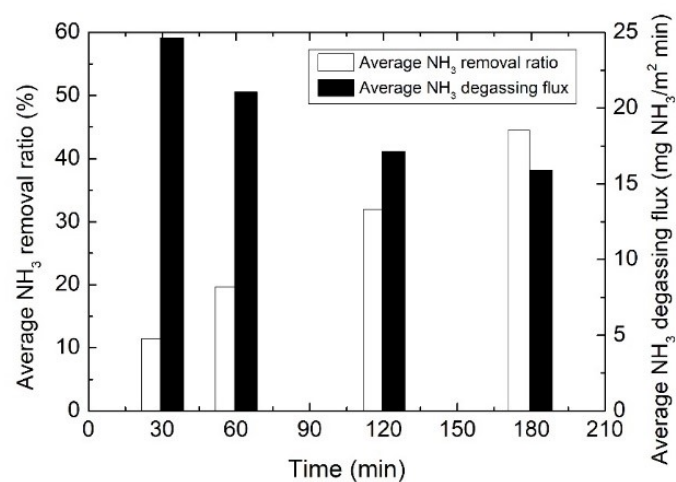


Fig. S2 Average NH₃ removal ratio and average NH₃ degassing flux treating synthetic ammonia wastewater with similar composition of an opto-electronic industrial wastewater (Initial ammonia concentration: 560 mg/L, Temperature: 50°C, Feed water flow rate: 2.5 L/min, Sweep gas & flow rate: N₂ & 4 L/min, Vacuum pressure: -0.7~0.8 bar, Initial pH: 9.3).

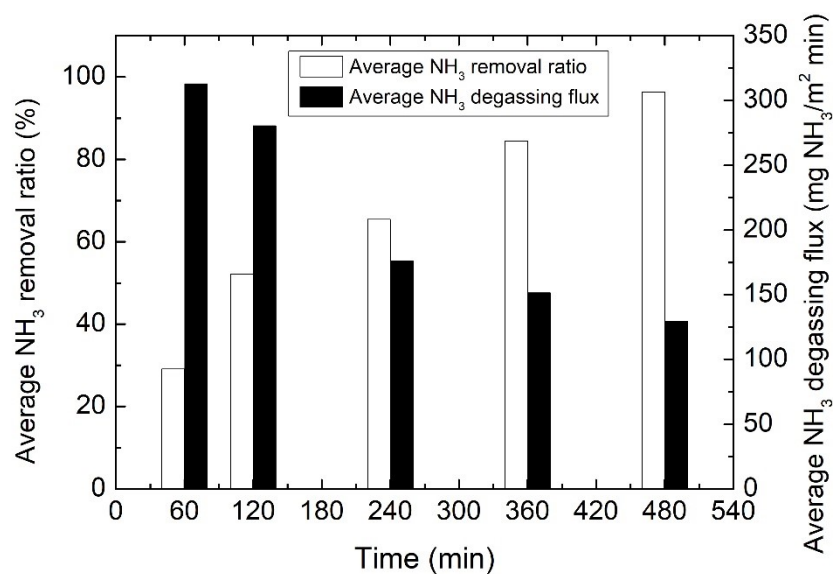


Fig. S3 Average NH₃ removal ratio and average NH₃ degassing flux treating high concentration of ammonia (Initial ammonia concentration: 6,000 mg/L, Temperature: 50°C, Feed water flow rate: 2.5 L/min, Sweep gas & flow rate: N₂ & 4 L/min, Vacuum pressure: -0.7~0.8 bar, Initial pH: 10)

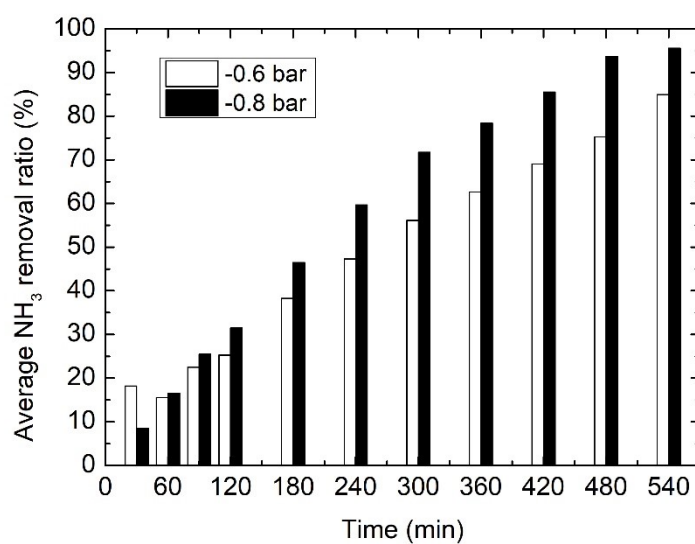


Fig. S4 Effect of vacuum pressure on average NH_3 removal ratio (Initial ammonia concentration: 530 mg/L, Temperature: 50°C, Feed water flow rate: 2.5 L/min, Sweep gas & flow rate: N_2 & 4 L/min, Vacuum pressure: -0.7~0.8 bar, Initial pH: 10)

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