

## Supplementary Information:

# Effectively synthesis of diethyl carbonate from ethyl carbamate and ethanol using Mg-Y composite oxides

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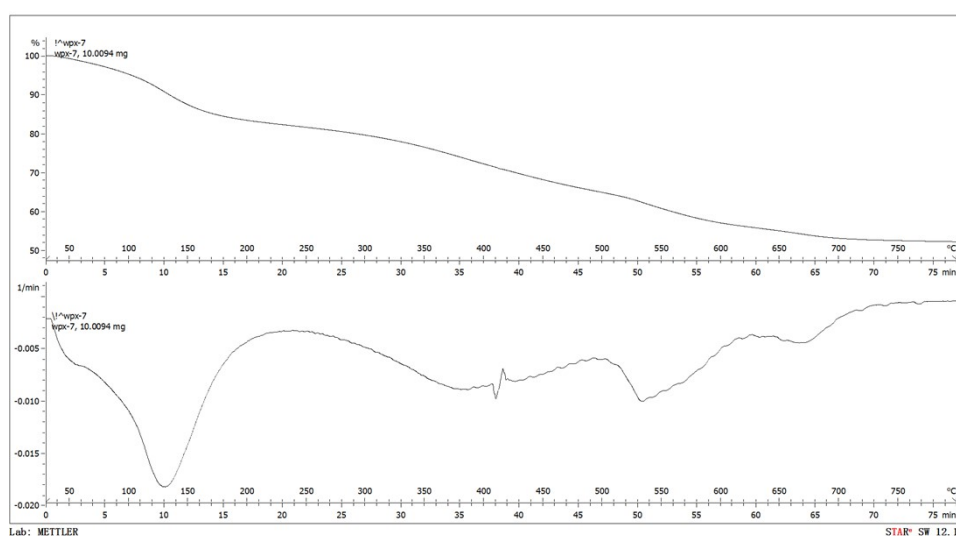


Fig. S1 The DTG curve of HTMgY precipitation.

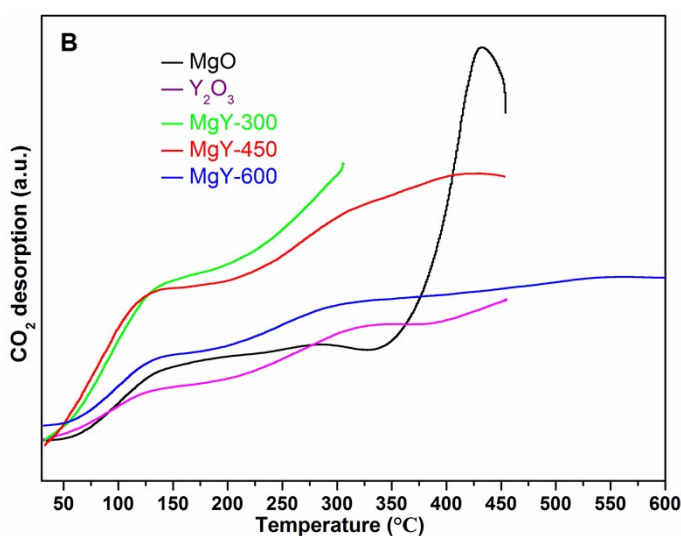
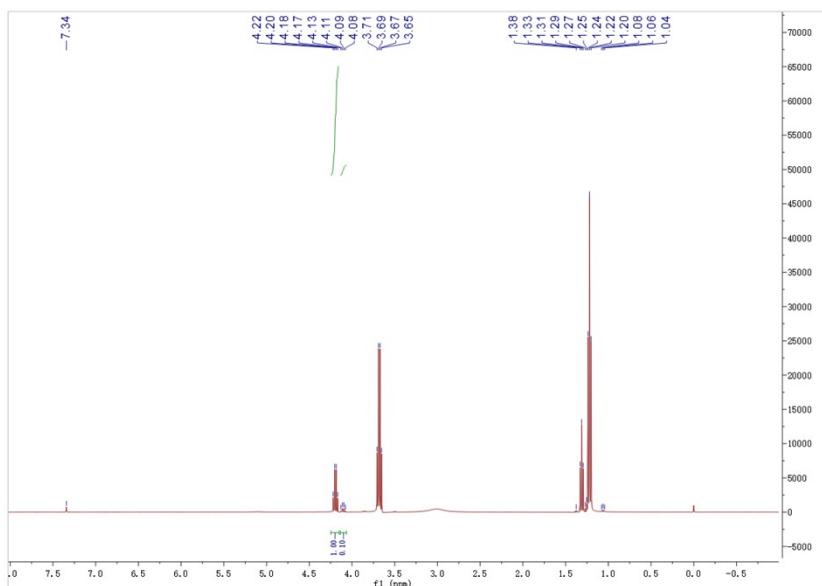


Fig. S2 CO<sub>2</sub>-TPD profiles of MgO, Y<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, MgY-300, MgY-450, MgY-600. Temperature and signal relationship diagram (the desorption profile was recorded from room temperature to pretreated temperature)

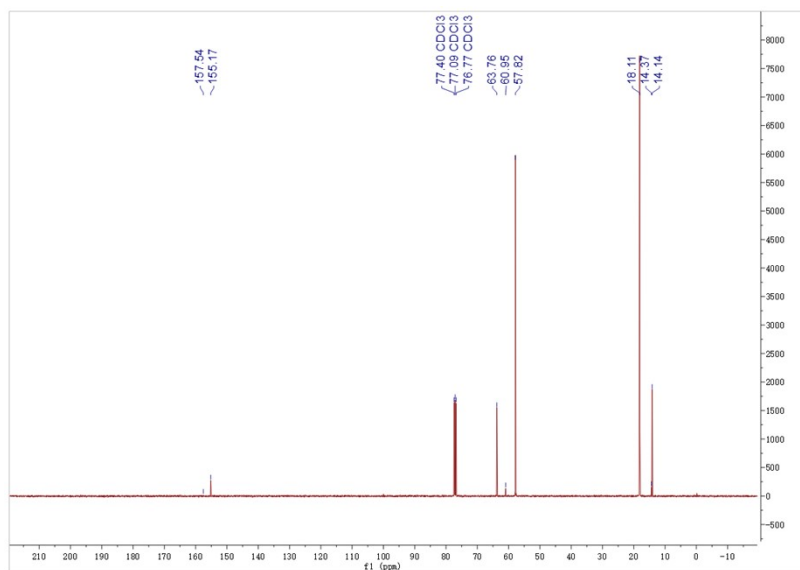


**Fig.S3**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of the reaction mixture ( $\text{DCCl}_3$ , 400 MHz, 25 °C).

$\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$ :  $\delta=1.20, 1.22, 1.24$  (3H),  $\delta=3.65, 3.67, 3.69, 3.71$  (2H),  $\delta = 4.2$  (1H);

DEC:  $\delta=1.33, 1.31, 1.29$  (6H),  $\delta=4.22, 4.20, 4.18, 4.17$  (4H);

EC:  $\delta=1.27, 1.25$  (3H),  $\delta=4.13, 4.11, 4.09, 4.08$  (2H).



**Fig.S4**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra of the reaction mixture ( $\text{DCCl}_3$ , 400 MHz, 25 °C).

$\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$ :  $\delta=7.82, 18.11$ ;

DEC:  $\delta=14.14, 63.76, 155.17$ ;

EC:  $\delta=14.37, 60.95, 157.54$ .

EC, DEC standard curve and GC curve in Table 3

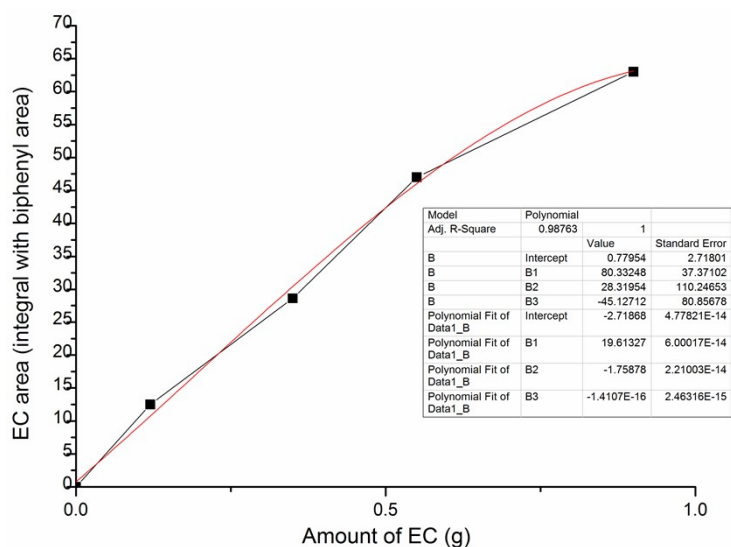


Fig.S5 The standard curve of EC uses 0.1g biphenyl as the internal standard

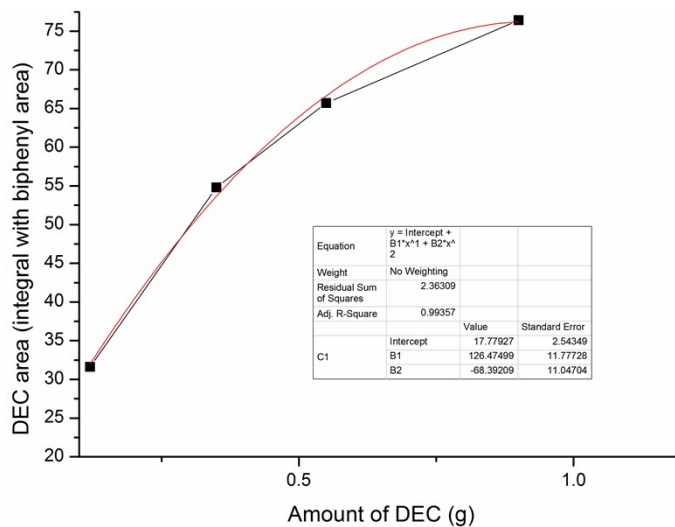
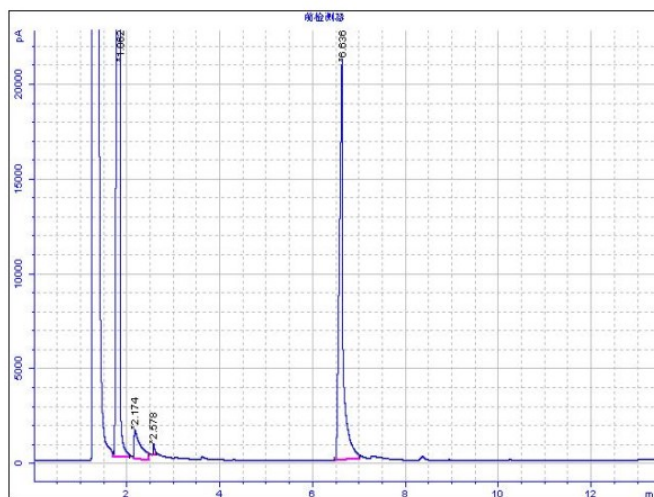
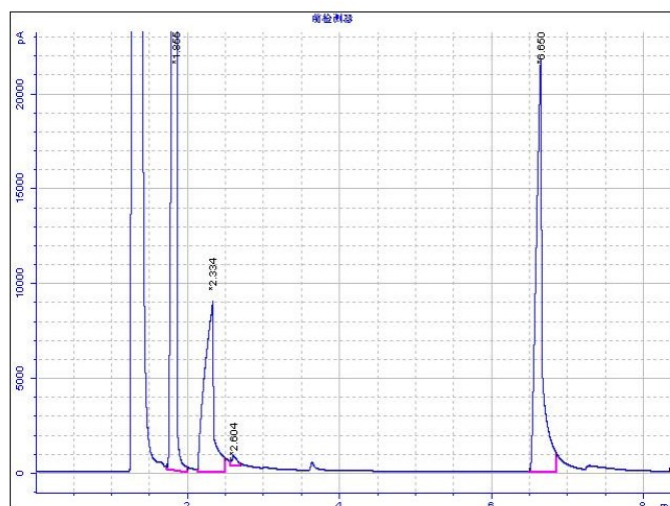


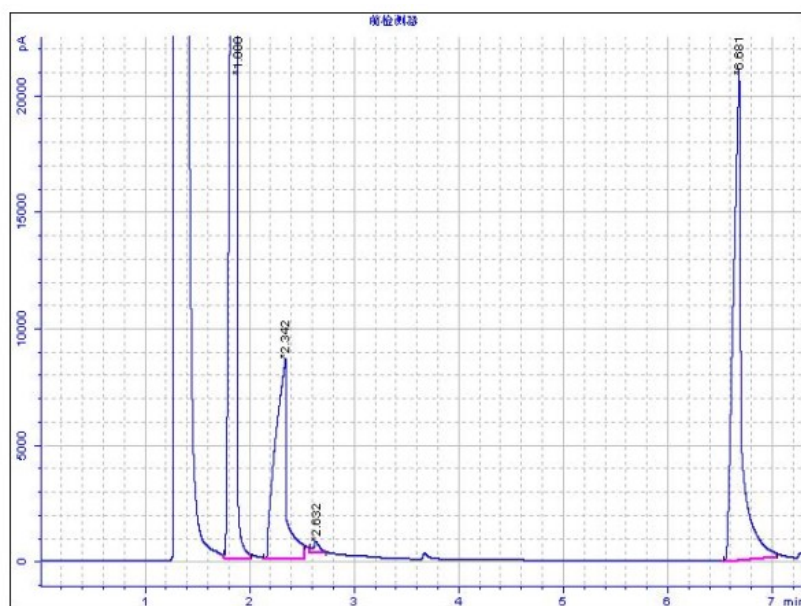
Fig.S6 The standard curve of DEC uses 0.1g biphenyl as the internal standard



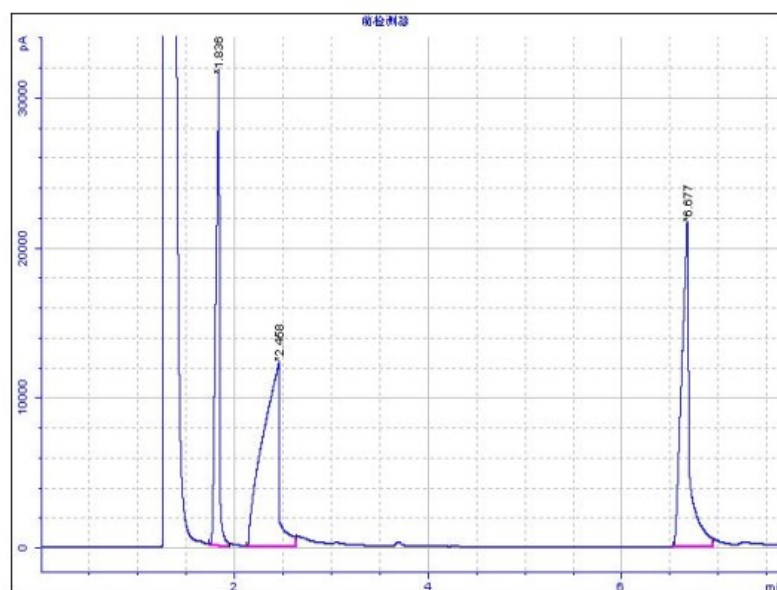
**Fig.S7** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis using MgY-450 catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.1min), NEEC (2.5min), biphenyl (6.6min)



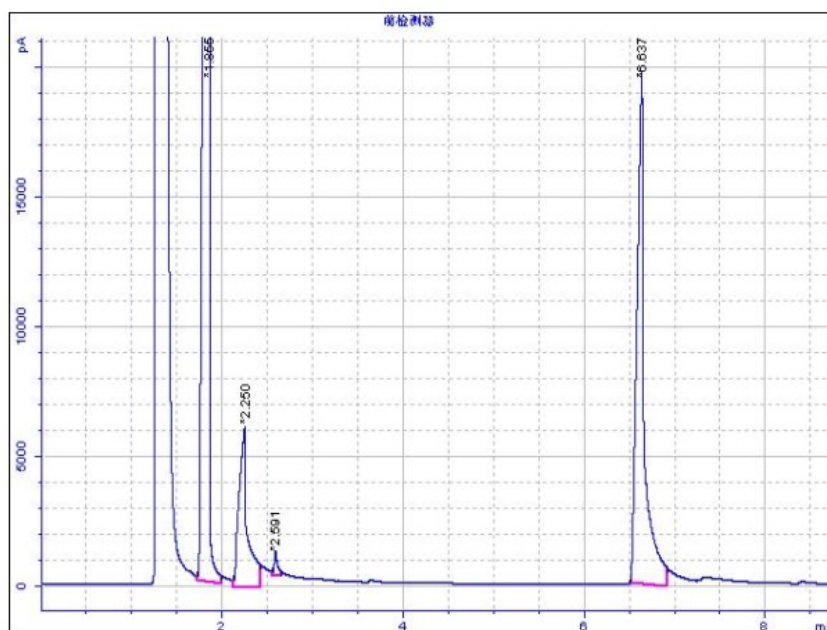
**Fig.S8** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis using MgY-300 catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.3min), NEEC (2.6min), biphenyl (6.6min)



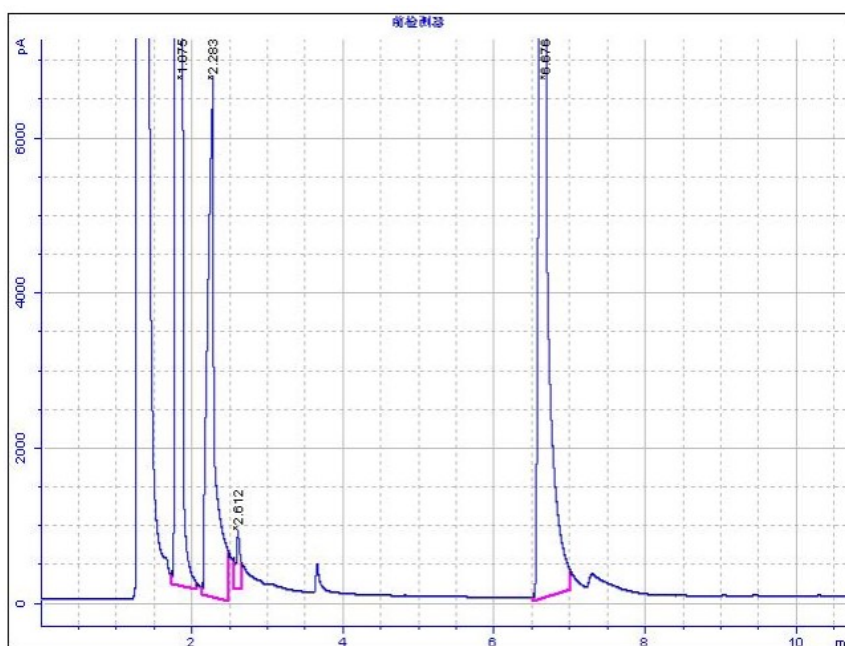
**Fig.S9** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis using MgY-600 catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.3min), NEEC (2.6min), biphenyl (6.6min)



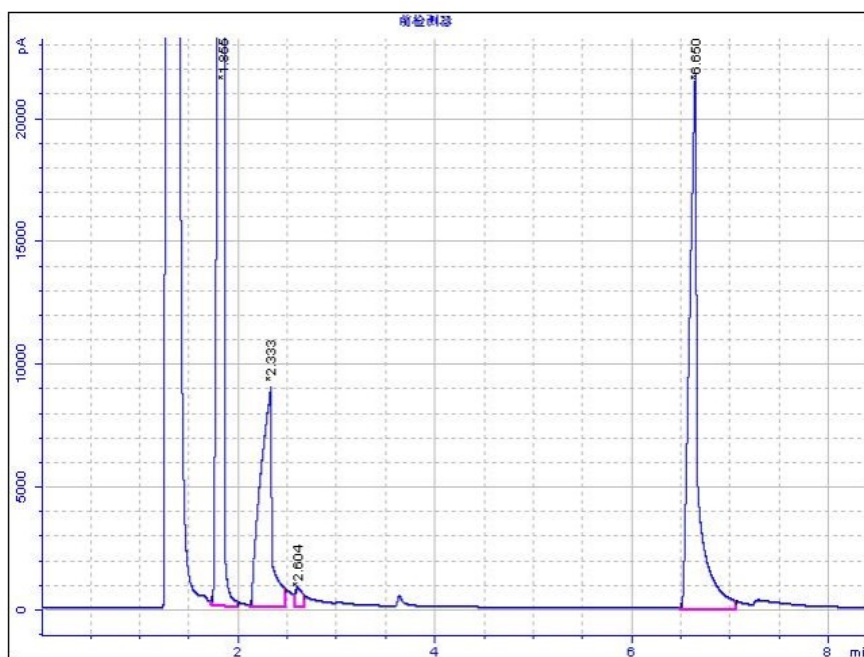
**Fig.S10** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis without catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.4min), NEEC (2.5min), biphenyl (6.6min)



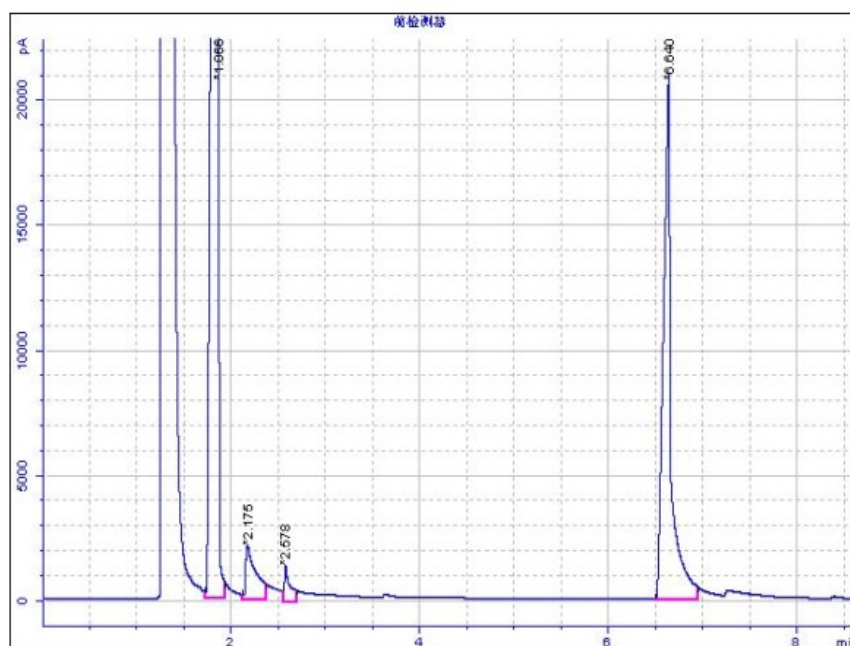
**Fig.S11** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis using MgO catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.2min), NEEC (2.5min), biphenyl (6.6min)



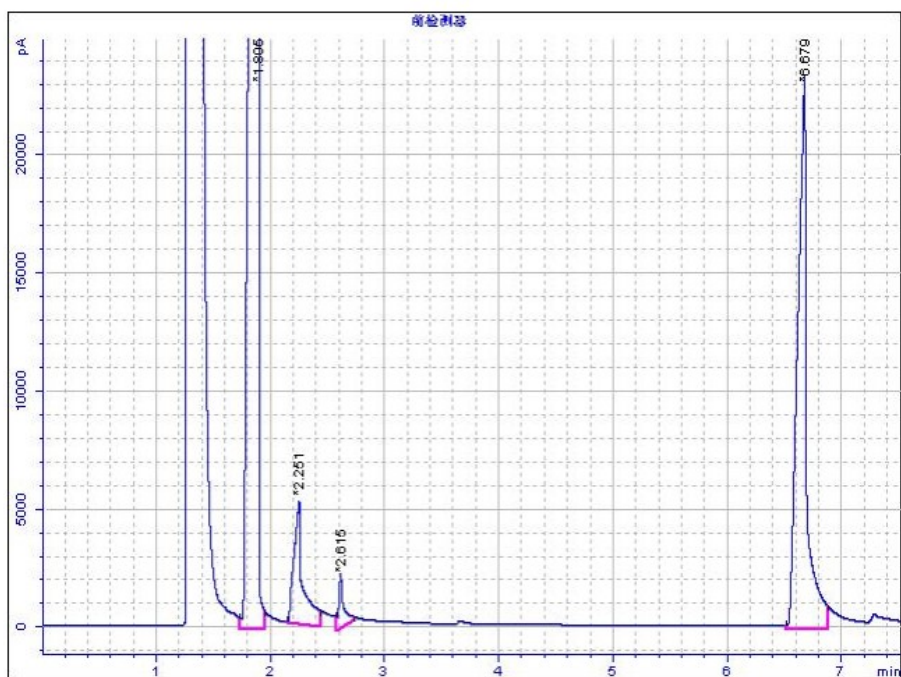
**Fig.S12** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis using MgO+Y<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.3min), NEEC (2.6min), biphenyl (6.6min)



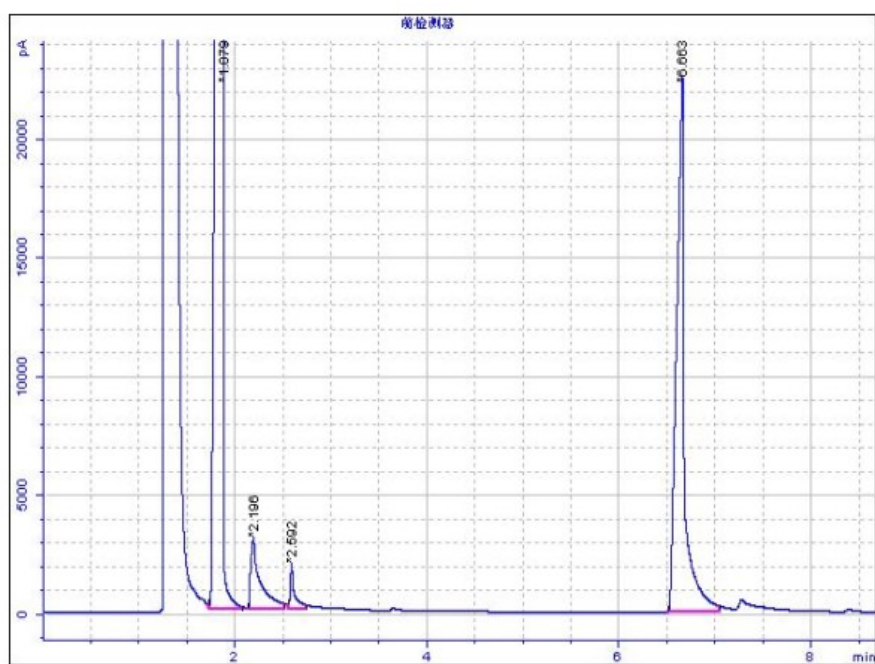
**Fig.S13** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis using  $Y_2O_3$  catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.3min), NEEC (2.6min), biphenyl (6.6min)



**Fig.S14** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis using  $MgY-450^{1st}$  catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.3min), NEEC (2.6min), biphenyl (6.6min)



**Fig.S15** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis using MgY-450<sup>2nd</sup> catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.2min), NEEC (2.6min), biphenyl (6.6min)



**Fig.S16** Gas chromatography of DEC synthesis using MgY-450<sup>3rd</sup> catalyst, DEC (1.8min), EC (2.2min), NEEC (2.6min), biphenyl (6.6min)