

## Supporting Information

### Comparative Mechanistic Study of Nitrogen- and Oxygen-Functionalized Activated Carbons for Dual-Phase Adsorption

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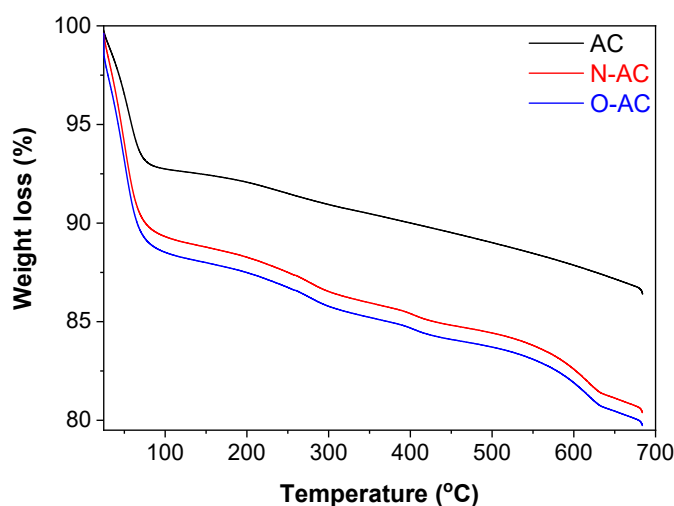
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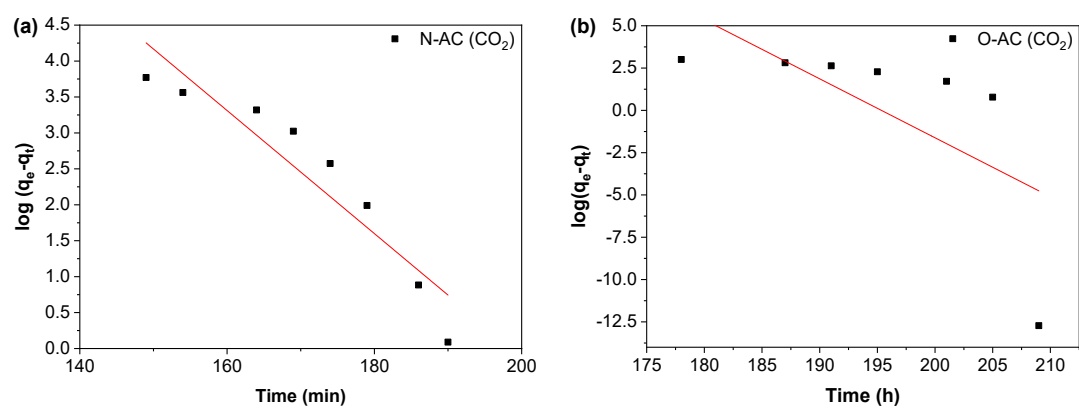
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#### 1. Thermal analysis



**Figure S1.** TGA profile of AC, N-AC and O-AC.

## 2. Adsorption kinetics



**Figure S2.** Pseudo first order model fitting plot

### 3. Kinetic fitting parameter

**Table S1** Pseudo first order and intraparticle diffusion model fitting parameter

| Sample | Pseudo first order model             |         | Intraparticle diffusion model                             |         |
|--------|--------------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------|
|        | Rate ( $K_I$ ) ( $\text{min}^{-1}$ ) | $R^2$   | Rate ( $K_{id}$ ) ( $\text{cc g}^{-1} \text{min}^{0.5}$ ) | $R^2$   |
| N-AC   | 0.1971                               | 0.8836  | 34.94359                                                  | 0.99555 |
| O-AC   | 0.8024                               | 0.43745 | 23.04952                                                  | 0.98944 |