

Electronic Supplementary Information

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Title: The synthesis of diphenolic acid using the periodic mesoporous H₃PW₁₂O₄₀-silica composite catalysed reaction of levulinic acid

Fig. S1 Raman scattering spectra of (A) $\text{H}_3\text{PW}_{12}\text{O}_{40}$, (B) $\text{H}_3\text{PW}_{12}\text{O}_{40}/\text{SBA-15-C-15.7}$ and (C) $\text{H}_3\text{PW}_{12}\text{O}_4/\text{SBA-15-E-17.5}$.

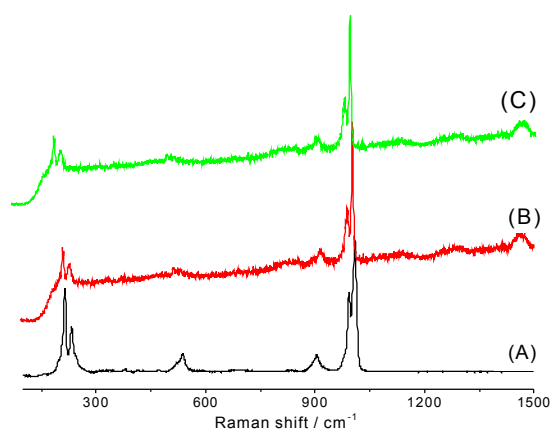


Fig. S2 Low-angle XRD patterns of the $\text{H}_3\text{PW}_{12}\text{O}_{40}/\text{SBA-15}$ composites.

