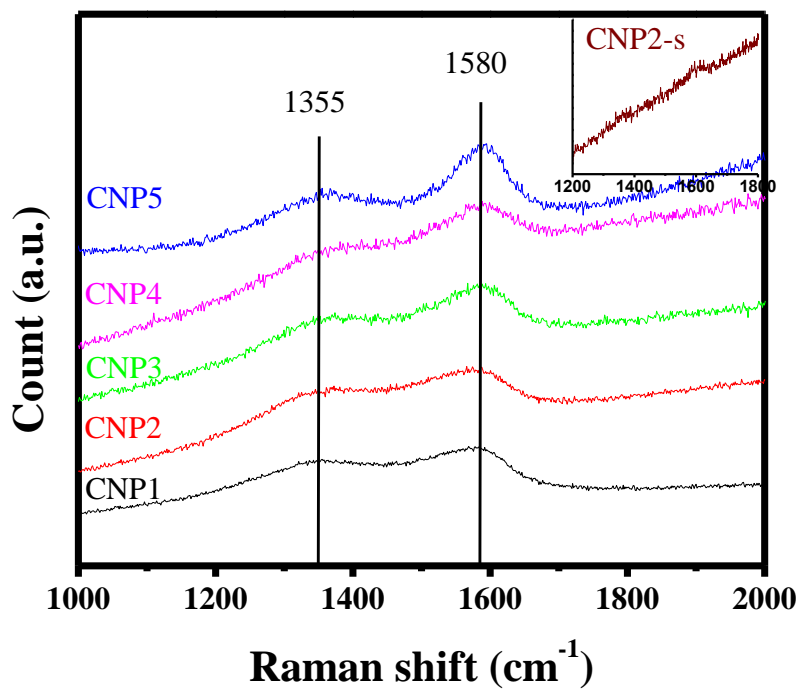


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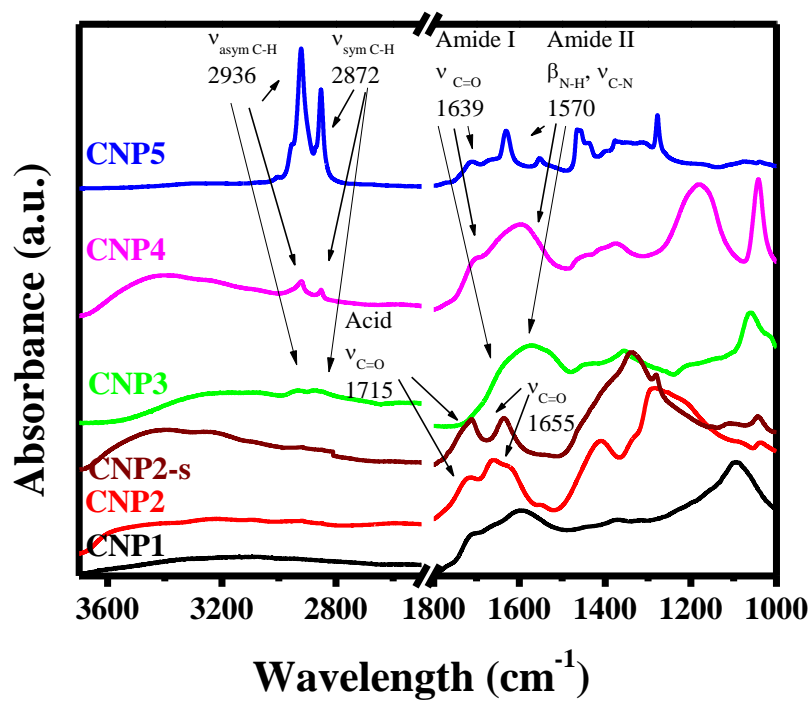
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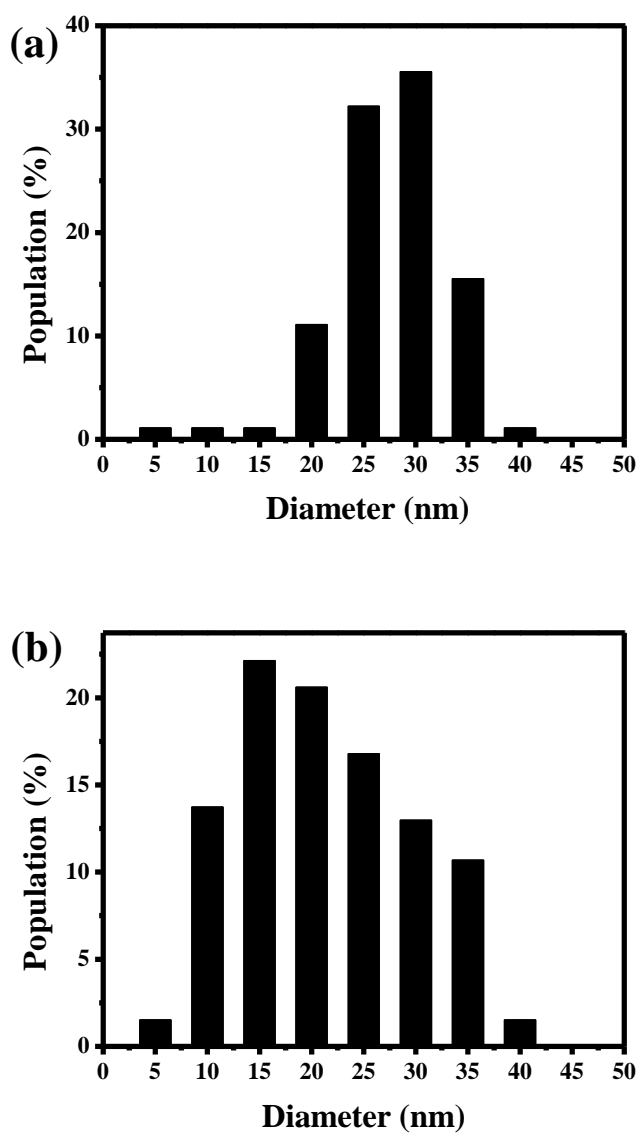
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S.I. Figure 1. Raman spectra of CNP1, CNP2-s (inset) CNP2, CNP3, CNP4 and CNP5.



S.I. Figure 2. FTIR spectra of CNP1, CNP2, CNP2-s, CNP3, CNP4 and CNP5. Peaks that correspond to functional groups mentioned in the text are noted and identified.



S.I. Figure 3. Size histograms (each one plotted based on 150 fields) derived from TEM imaging of CNP3 before (a) and after (b) they have been exposed for 11 days to hostile environment.