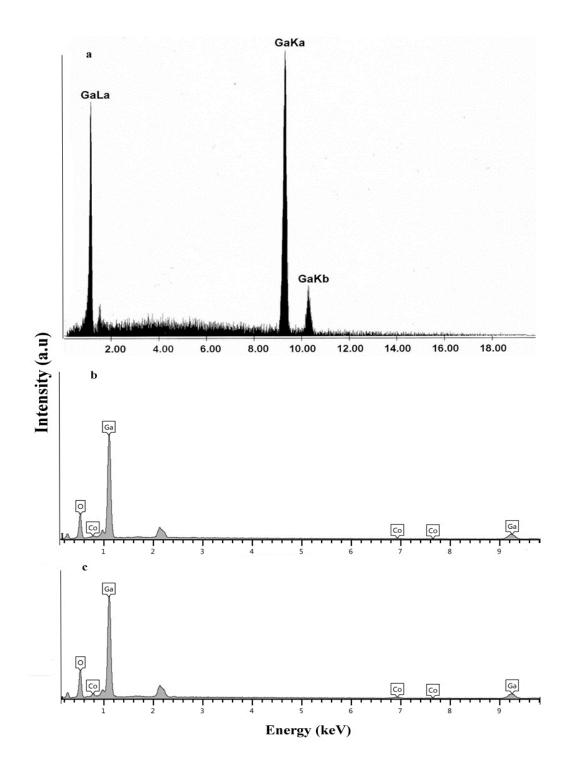
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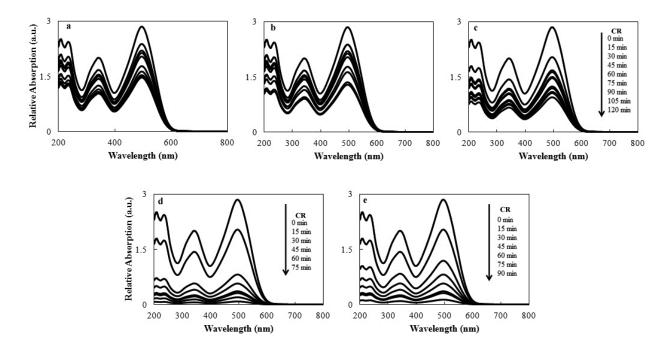
## Fast photocatalytic degradation of congo red using CoO-doped β-Ga<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> nanostructures

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Fig. S1. EDX analysis of a)  $Ga_2O_3$  (G), b) 3 wt% CoO-  $Ga_2O_3$  and c) 5 wt% CoO-  $Ga_2O_3$  samples.



**Fig. S2** Absorption spectra of a solution of 30ppm CR in the presence of a) G, b) GC-1 c) GC-2, GC-3 and d) GC-5 samples under UV light irradiation.



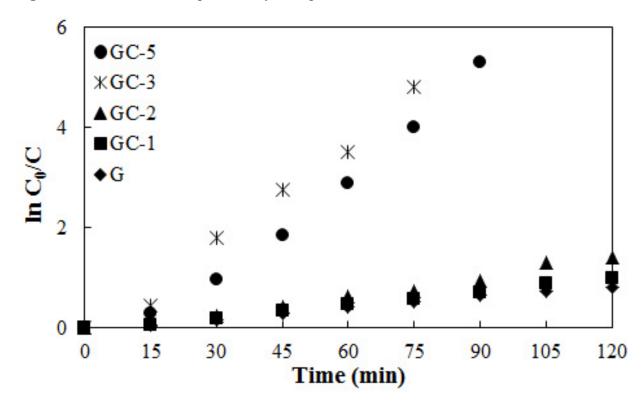


Fig. S3 Reaction kinetics of photocatalytic degradation of CR.

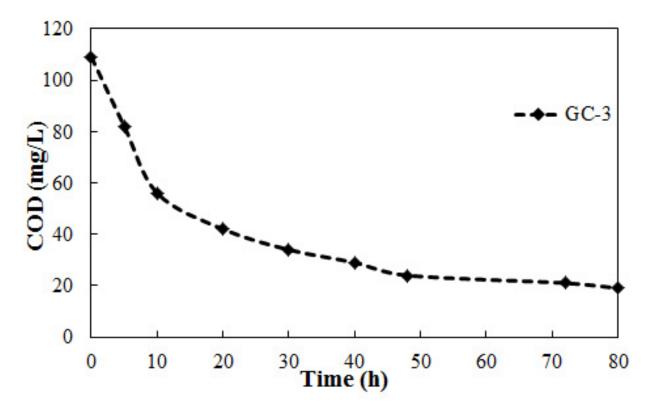


Fig. S4 Change of COD removal efficiency in the process of GC-3 photocatalyst.