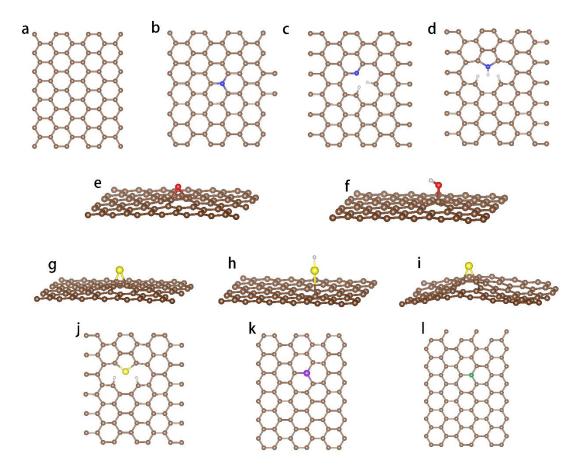
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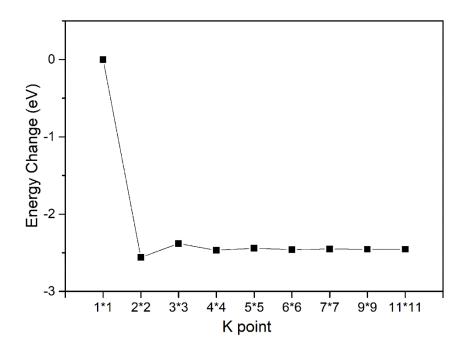
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**Fig. S1.** Optimized configuration of (a) undoped graphene (b) graphitic nitrogen (c) pyridine nitrogen (d) pyrrolic nitrogen (l) graphitic boron (k) phosphorus (e) epoxy group (f) hydroxyl group (g) episulfide group (h) sulfydryl group (i) sulfur defect (j) thiophene sulfur.



**Fig. S2.** Convergence test of K point along the periodical direction of perfect graphene sheet.

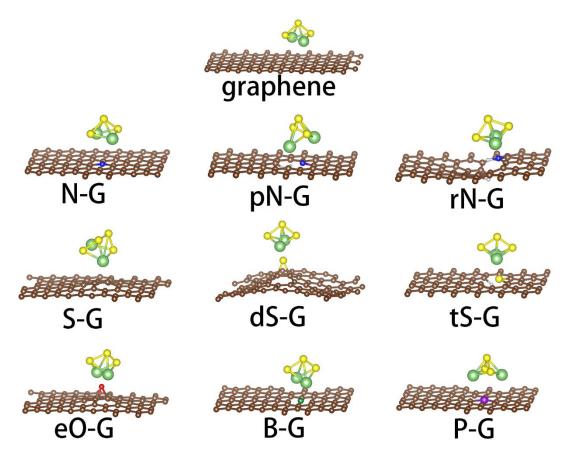


Fig. S3. Optimized F1 adsorption configuration of graphene, N-G, pN-G, rN-G, S-G, dS-G, tS-G, eO-G, B-G, and P-G.

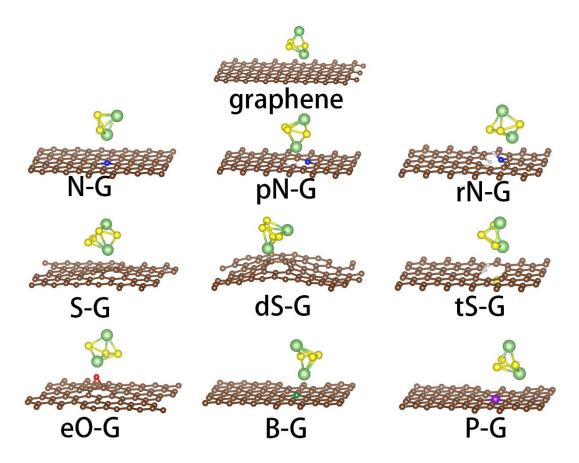
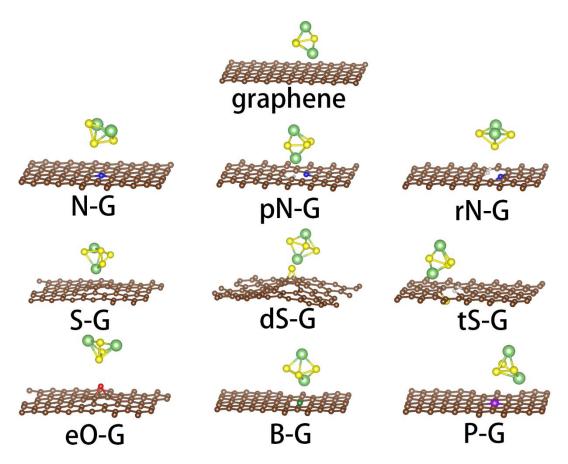
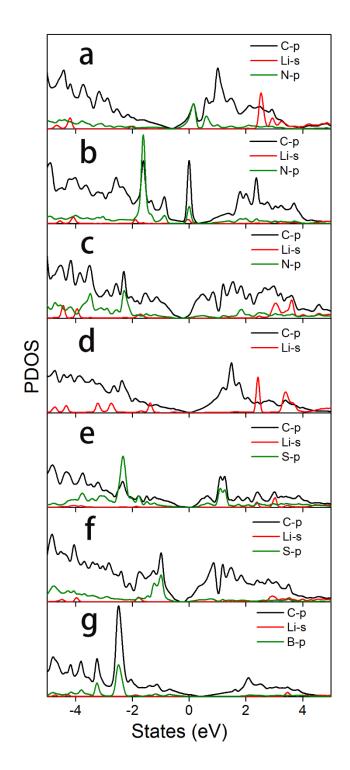


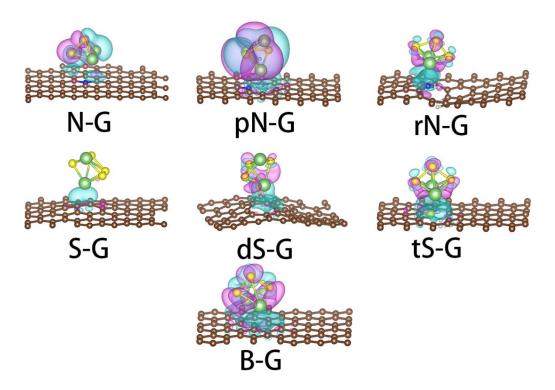
Fig. S4. Optimized F<sub>2</sub> adsorption configuration of graphene, N-G, pN-G, rN-G, S-G, dS-G, tS-G, eO-G, B-G, and P-G.



**Fig. S5.** Optimized F<sub>3</sub> adsorption configuration of graphene, N-G, pN-G, rN-G, S-G, dS-G, tS-G, eO-G, B-G, and P-G.



**Fig. S6.** Atomic projected density of state near Fermi energy region for  $Li_2S_3$  adsorbing on the surface of (a) N-G, (b) pN-G, (c) rN-G, (d) S-G, (e) dS-G, (f) tS-G, (g) B-G.



**Fig. S7.** The illustrations of charge density difference of  $Li_2S_3$  adsorbing on the surface of (a) N-G, (b) pN-G, (c) rN-G, (d) S-G, (e) dS-G, (f) tS-G, (g) B-G, isosurface level is 0.0009 e Å<sup>-3</sup>