

Supporting Information

Single-Atom Pt-N₃ Sites on the Stable Covalent Triazine Framework Nanosheets for Photocatalytic N₂ Fixation

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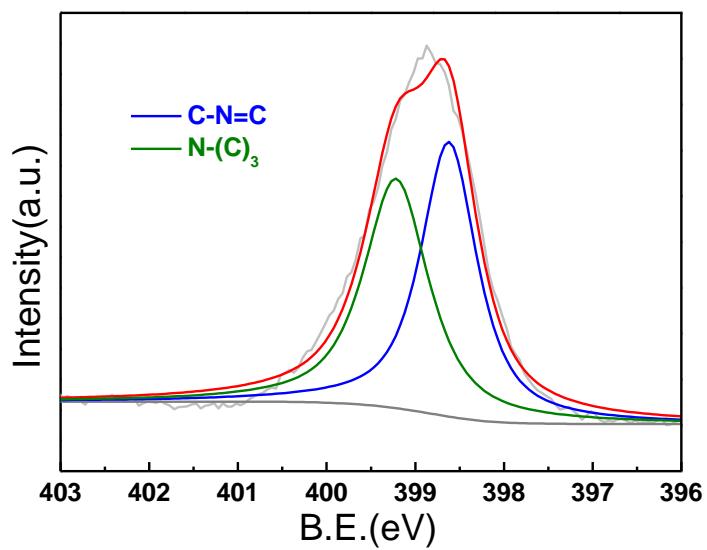


Figure S1. N 1s XPS spectra of CTF-PDDA-TPDH.

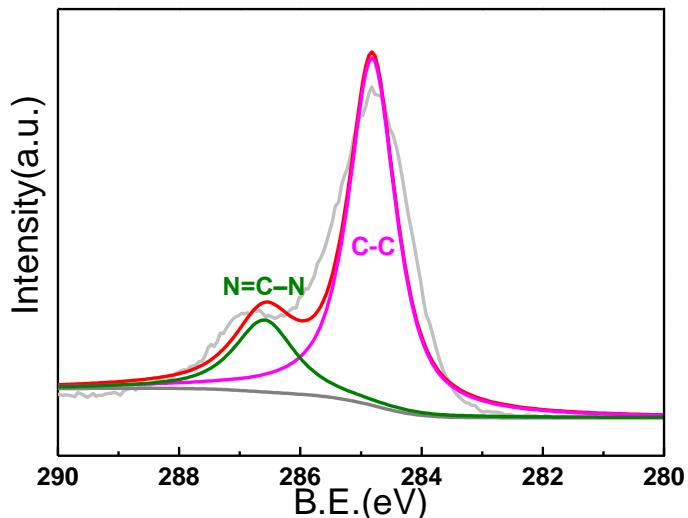


Figure S2. C 1s XPS spectra of CTF-PDDA-TPDH.

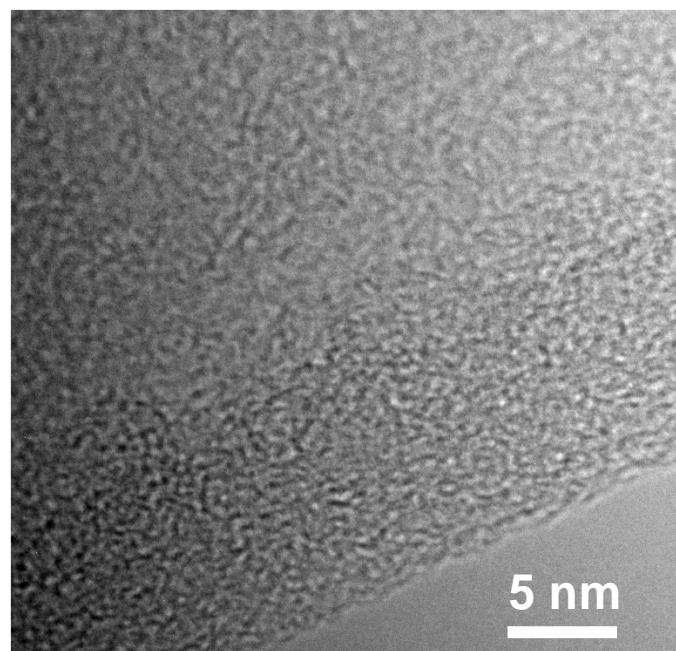


Figure S3. HR-TEM images of CTF-PDDA-TPDH.

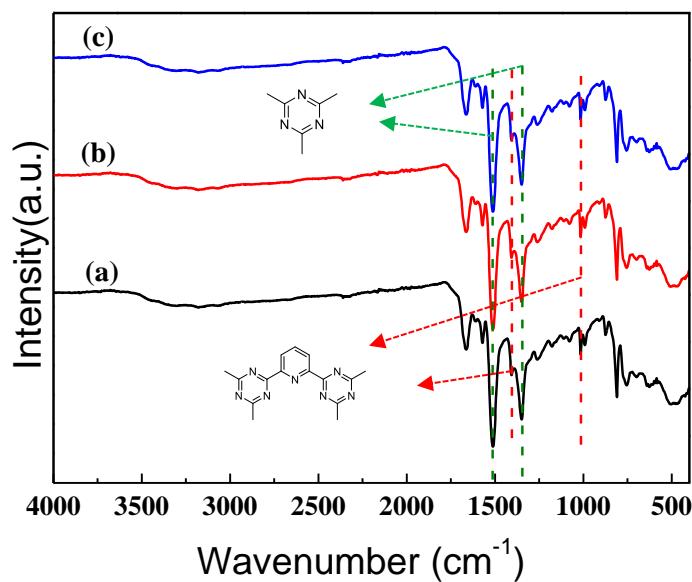


Figure S4. FT-IR spectra of (a) CTF-PDDA-TPDH and CTF-PDDA-TPDH with (b) 1 M HCl and (c) 1 M NaOH treatment.

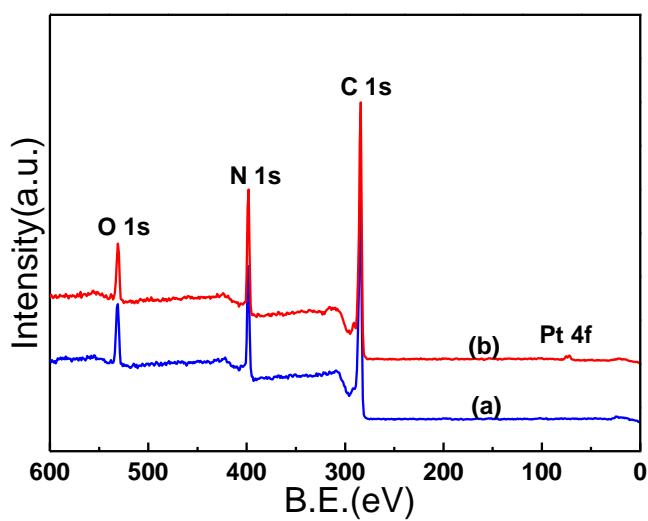


Figure S5. XPS full spectra of (a) CTF-PDDA-TPDH and (b) Pt-SACs/CTF.

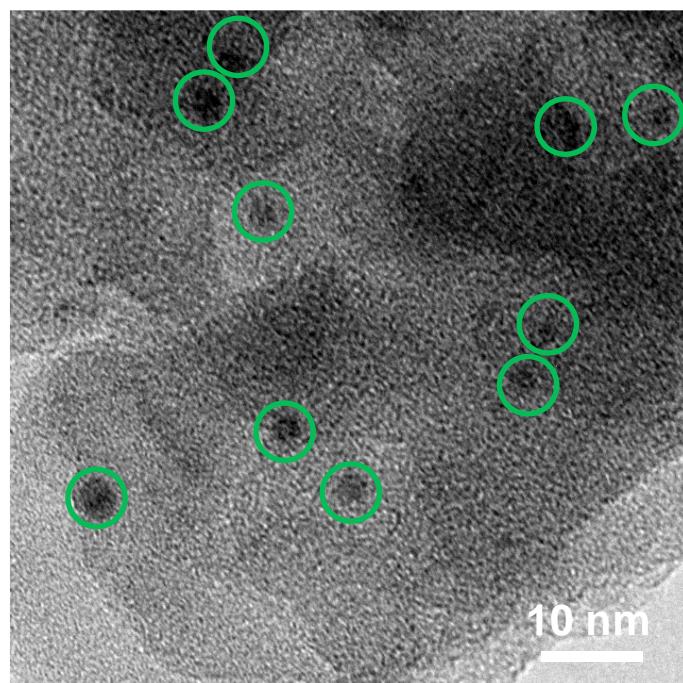


Figure S6. HR-TEM image of Pt-NPs/CTF.

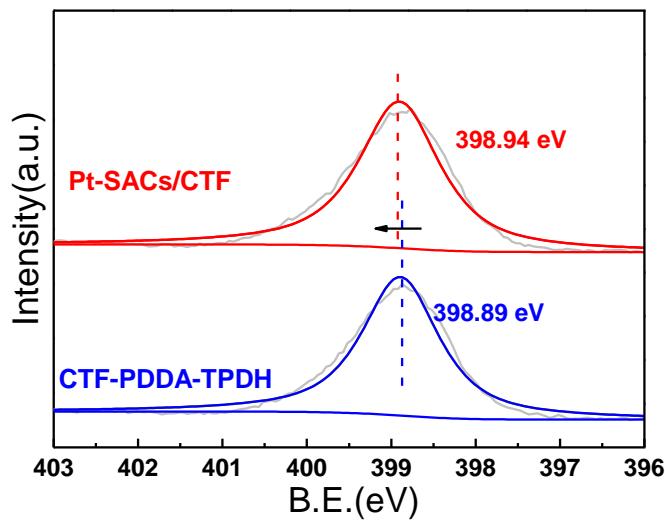


Figure S7. N 1s XPS spectra of CTF-PDDA-TPDH and Pt-SACs/CTF.

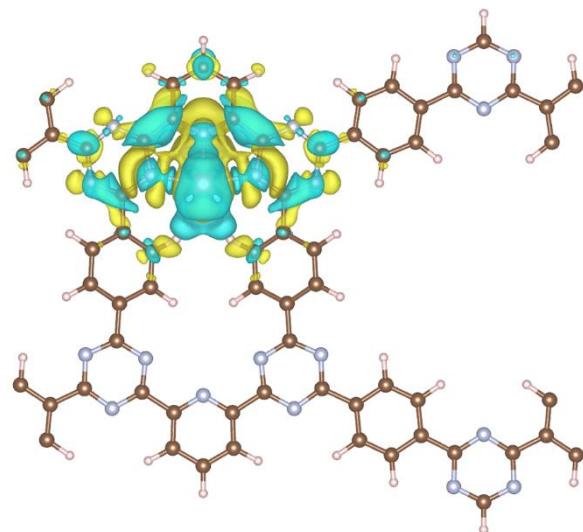


Figure S8. The charge density difference of the Pt atom anchored on the N₃ site of CTF, in which the level of the isosurface is chosen to be 0.001 e Å⁻³. The cyan and yellow areas indicate electron depletion and accumulation, respectively.

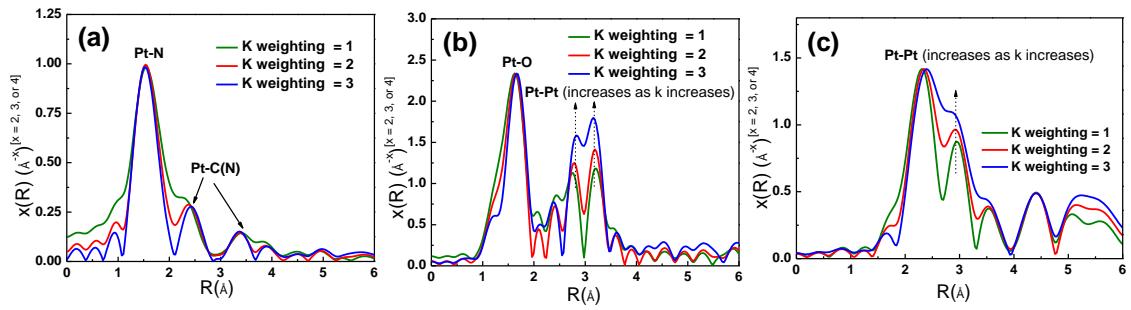


Figure S9. The k^1 -, k^2 -, and k^3 -weighted Pt L₃-edge EXAFS $\chi(R)$ spectra of (a) Pt-SACs/CTF, (b) PtO₂ reference, and Pt foil reference.

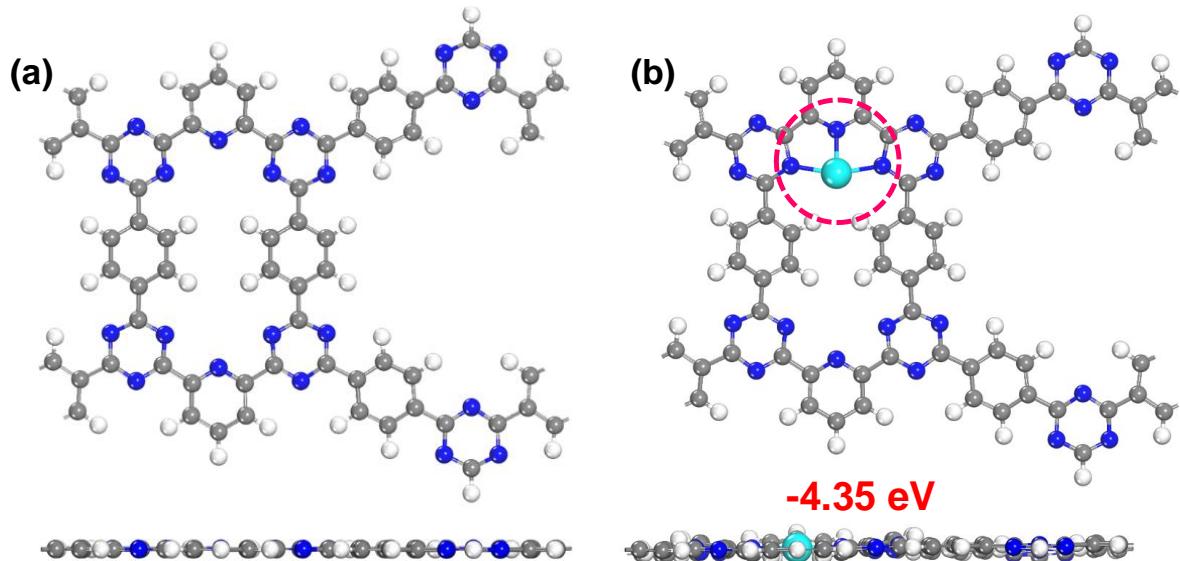


Figure S10. Top and side view of the structures of (a) CTF-PDDA-TPDH and (b) Pt-SACs/CTF. Carbon, nitrogen, platinum, and hydrogen atoms are depicted in black, blue, cyan, and white, respectively.

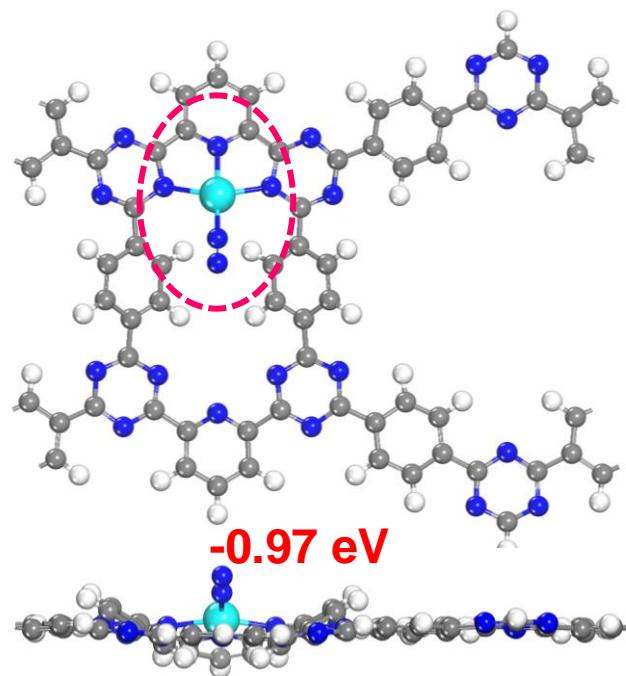


Figure S11. Top and side view of the structures of the adsorption energy between N_2 and Pt-SACs/CTF. Carbon, nitrogen, platinum, and hydrogen atoms are depicted in black, blue, cyan, and white, respectively.

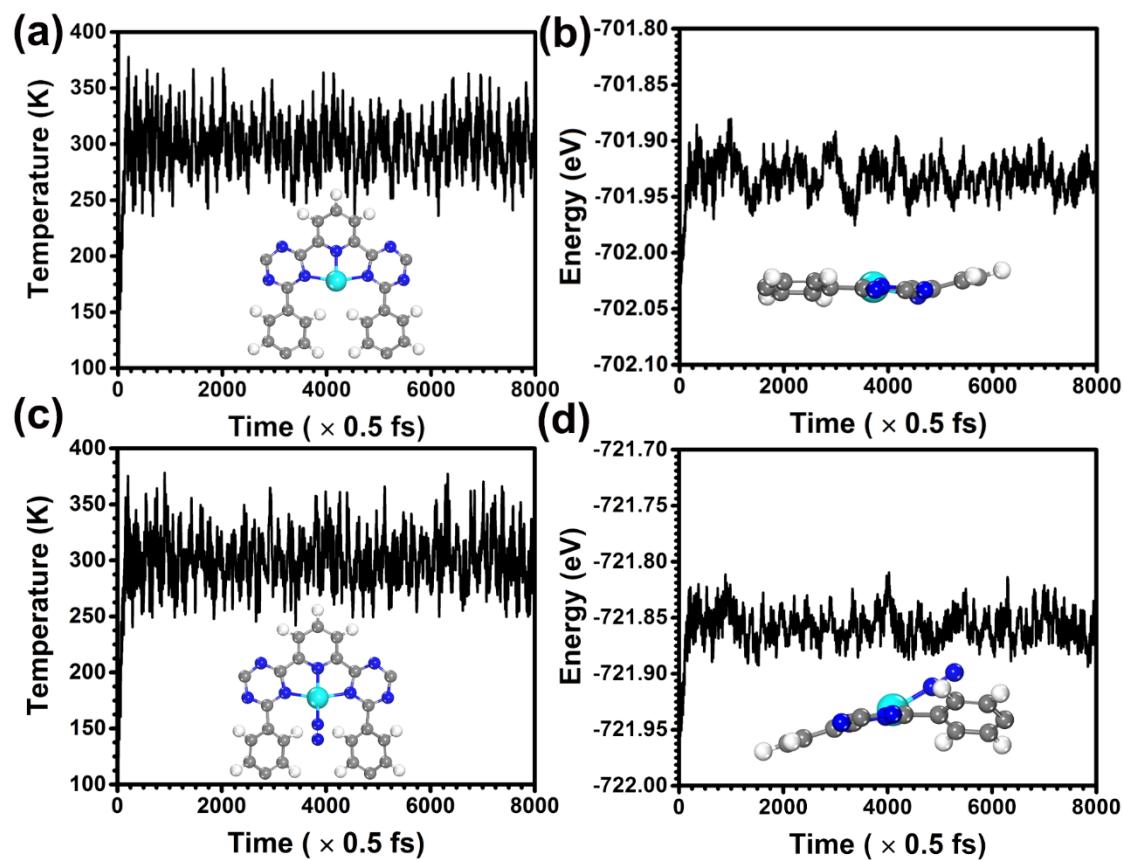


Figure S12. Variations of (a) temperature and (b) energy against the time for the *ab initio* molecular

dynamics simulations of Pt-SACs/CTF. Variations of (c) temperature and (d) energy against the time for the *ab initio* molecular dynamics simulations of N₂-Pt-SACs/CTF. Inserts are top and side views of the snapshot of atomic configurations. For Pt-SACs/CTF and N₂-Pt-SACs/CTF, the simulation is run under 300 K for 4 ps with a time step of 0.5 fs, respectively.

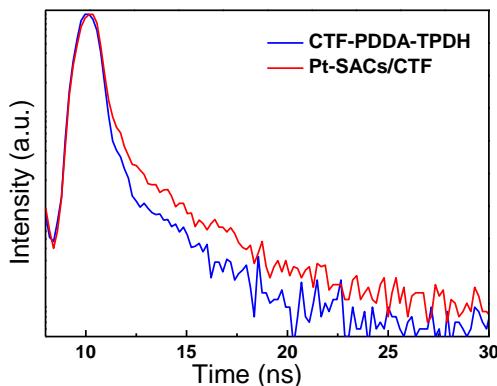
Table S1. Structural parameters of Pt-SACs/CTF extracted from the FT-EXAFS fitting.

Sample	Path	C.N.	R (Å)	$\sigma^2 \times 10^3$ (Å ²)	ΔE (eV)	R factor
Pt foil	Pt-Pt	12*	2.76	3.8	0.8	0.006
Pt-SACs/CTF	Pt-N	3	2.02	4.7	14.1	0.008

*C.N. is the coordination number; R is interatomic distance (the bond length between central atoms and surrounding coordination atoms); σ^2 is Debye-Waller factor (a measure of thermal and static disorder in absorber-scatter distances); ΔE is edge-energy shift. R factor is used to value the goodness of the fitting. The fitting of k weighting is 2. The fitting range of Pt foil is 1-3.3 Å at R space and 2-10 Å at k space. The fitting range of Pt-SACs/CTF is 1-3 Å at R space and 3-9 Å at k space.

Table S2. A comparison of the corresponding bond length of Pt-N by EXAFS fitting and DFT calculations.

Sample	Method	Pt-N (Å)
Pt-N ₃	EXAFS fitting	2.02
	DFT calculations	2.02/2.07/2.07



Samples	τ_1 (ns)	τ_2 (ns)
CTF-PDDA-TPDH	0.11	1.11
Pt-SACs/CTF	0.14	1.48

Figure S13. Time-resolved fluorescence decay spectra of CTF-PDDA-TPDH and Pt-SACs/CTF.

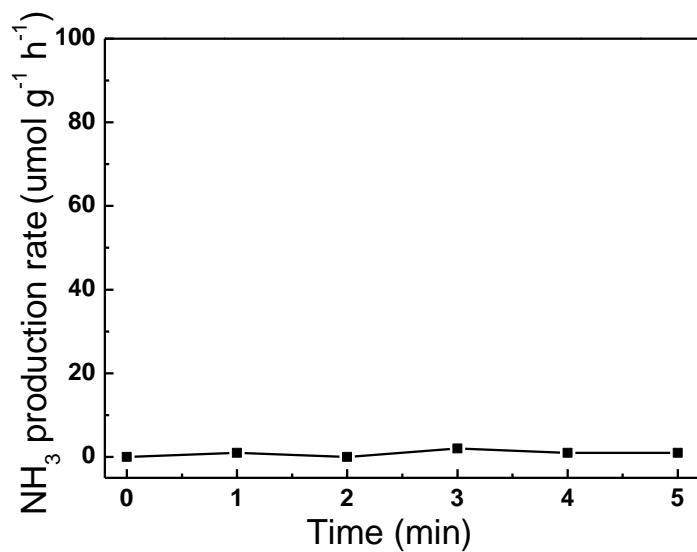


Figure S14. Quantitative determination of NH_4^+ generated of Pt-SACs/CTF in argon atmospheres.

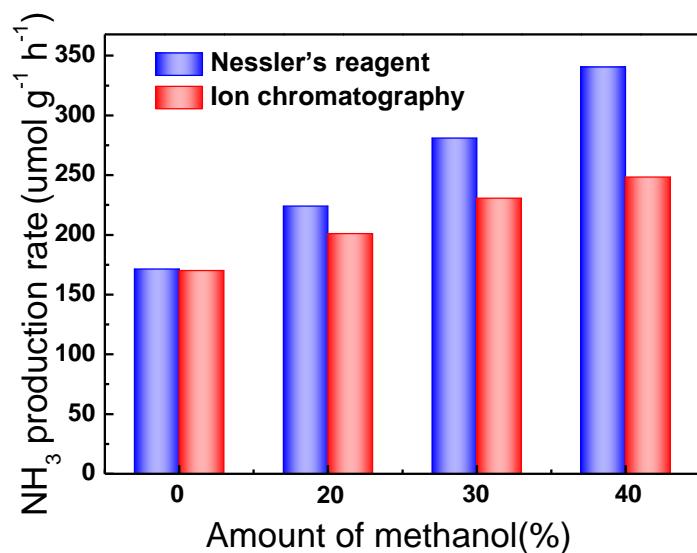


Figure S15. Nessler's reagent and Ion chromatography results of Pt-SACs/CTF with different amount of methanol.

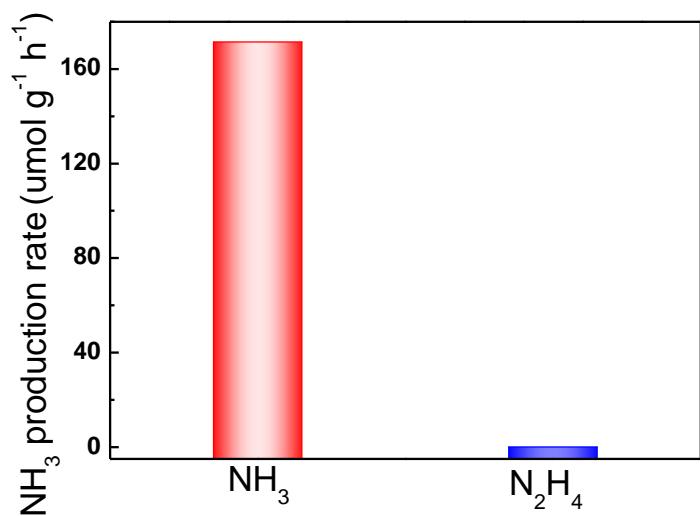


Figure S16. Quantitative determination of N_2H_4 generated over Pt-SACs/CTF.

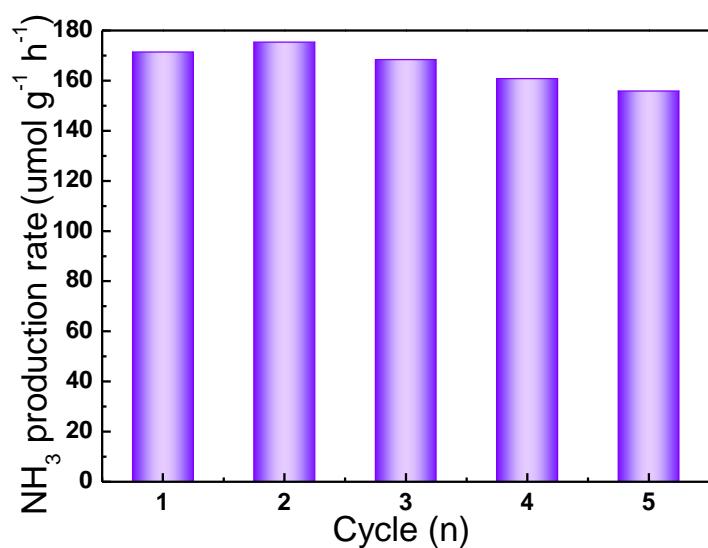


Figure S17. Quantitative determination of NH_4^+ generated of Pt-SACs/CTF in five consecutive cycles.

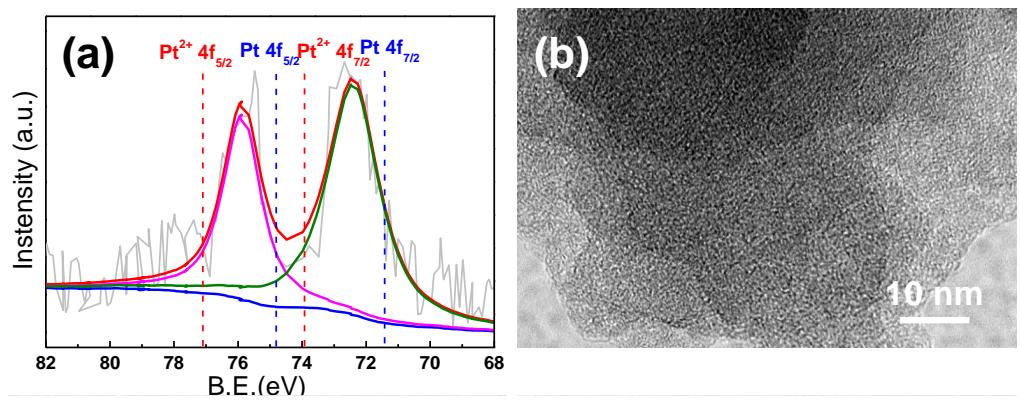


Figure S18. (a) The Pt 4f XPS spectra, (b) HR-TEM

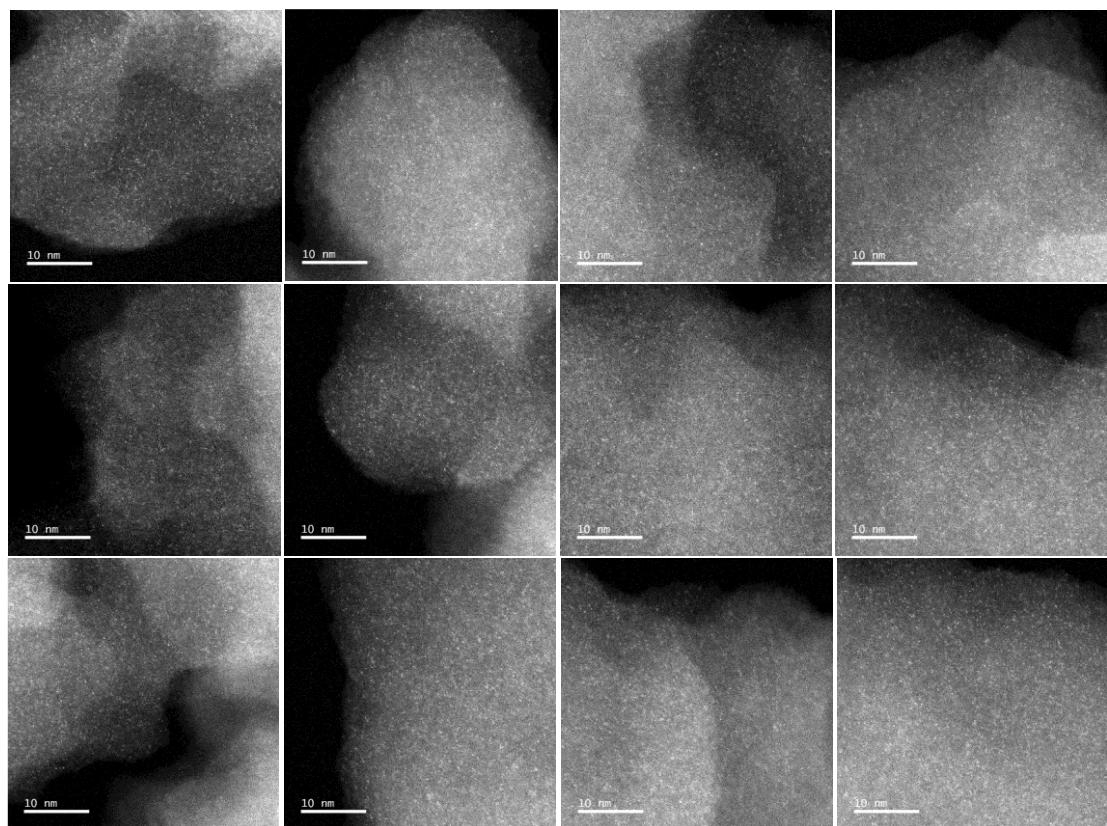


Figure S19. HADDF-STEM images of Pt-SACs/CTF after five cycles.

Table S3. Photocatalytic N₂ fixation over the photocatalysts without scavenger under various reaction conditions.

Catalyst	Scavenger	Light Source	Ammonia generation rate ($\mu\text{mol}/\text{h/g}$)	Reference
Pt-SACs/CTF	No	300 W Xenon lamp, $780 \text{ nm} > \lambda > 420 \text{ nm}$	171.40	This work
Bi ₅ O ₇ Br nanotubes	No	300 W Xenon lamp, $\lambda > 400 \text{ nm}$	1380	¹
BiO quantum dots	No	500 W Xenon lamp	1226	²
WO ₃ -600	No	300 W Xenon lamp, $\lambda > 400 \text{ nm}$,	132	³
BP5	No	300 W Xenon lamp, $\lambda > 420 \text{ nm}$	160	⁴
BiOBr of oxygen vacancies	No	300 W Xenon lamp, $\lambda > 420 \text{ nm}$	104.2	⁵
TiO ₂ of oxygen vacancies	No	300 W Hg lamp, $\lambda > 280 \text{ nm}$	9	⁶
Fe-doped TiO ₂	No	360 W Hg-Arc Lamp, Full Spectrum	11.5	⁷
Pt-TiO ₂	No	100 W high-pressure mercury lamp, Full Spectrum	9.3	⁸
Pt-SrTiO ₃	No	100 W high-pressure mercury lamp, Full Spectrum	8.0	
Pt-CdS	No	100 W high-pressure mercury lamp, Full Spectrum	16.3	
Fe ₂ O ₃ (H ₂ O) _n	No	100 W tungsten filament lamp, Full Spectrum	0.56	⁹
Ru/TiO ₂	No	150 W Xe arc lamp, Full Spectrum	29.4	¹⁰
Fe ₂ O ₃	No	150 W Xe lamp, Full Spectrum	10.0	¹¹

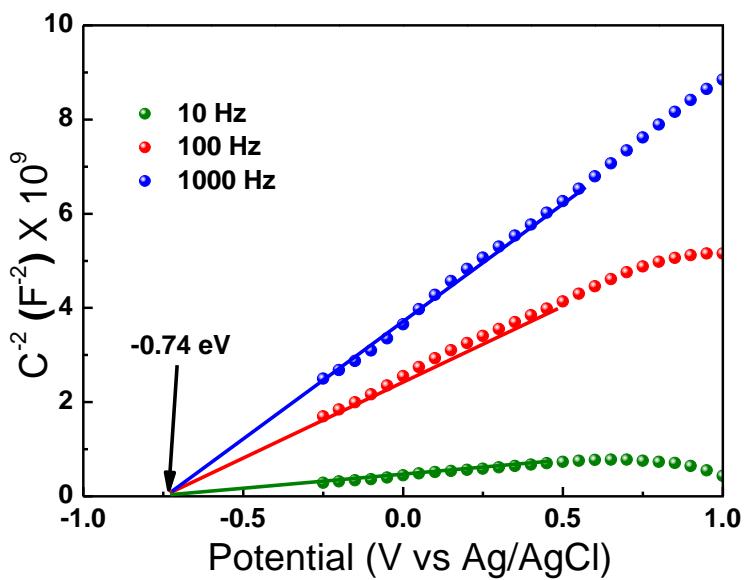


Figure S20. Mott–Schottky plots of CTF-PDDA-TPDH electrodes in 0.5 M Na_2SO_4 aqueous solution (0.1 M) at 10, 100 and 1000 Hz.

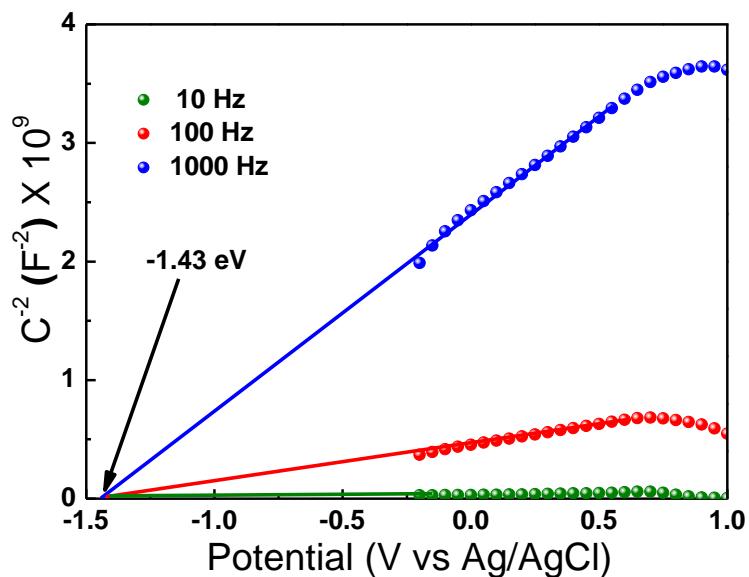


Figure S21. Mott–Schottky plots of Pt-SACs/CTF electrodes in 0.5 M Na_2SO_4 aqueous solution at 10, 100 and 1000 Hz.

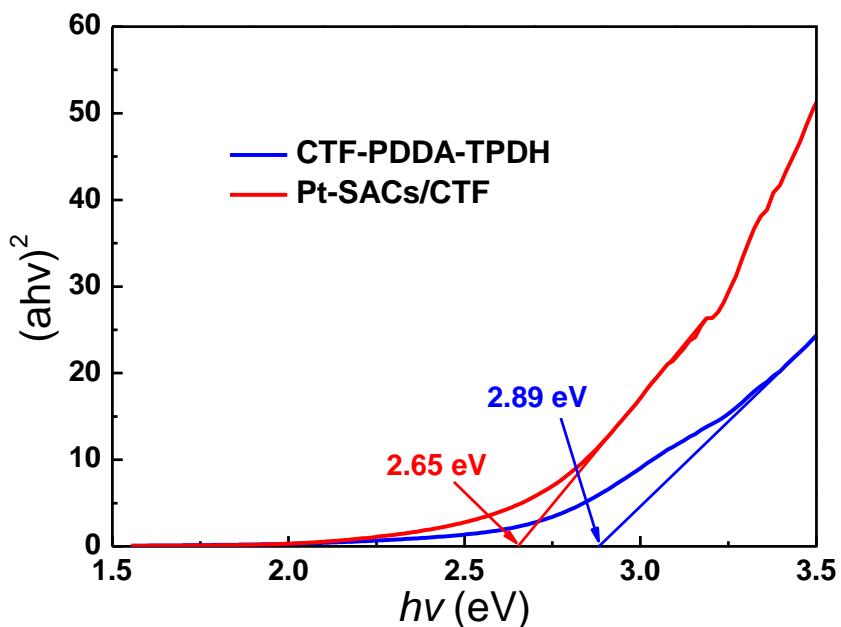


Figure S22. The plots of $(ahv)^{1/2}$ vs photon energy ($h\nu$) of CTF-PDDA-TPDH and Pt-SACs/CTF.

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