

Supplementary Information for:

Heterostructured Ceria–Titania-Supported Platinum Catalyst for the Water Gas Shift Reaction

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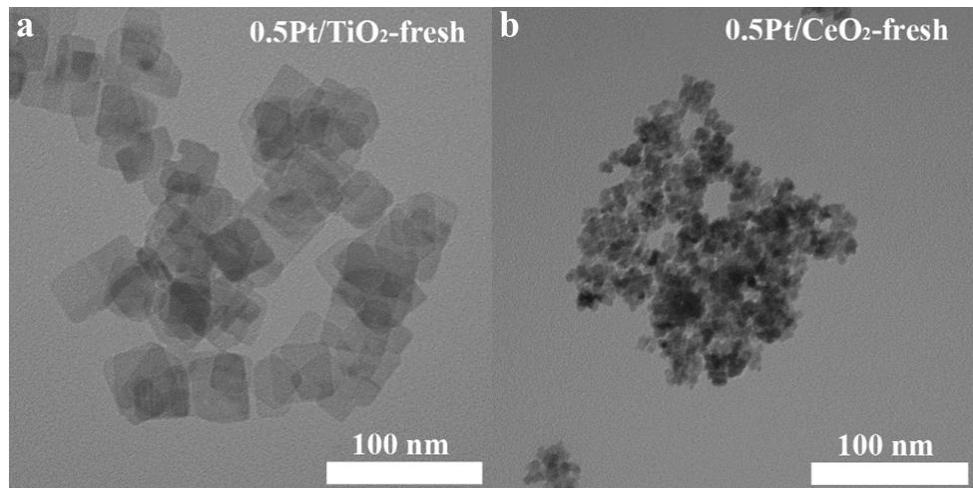


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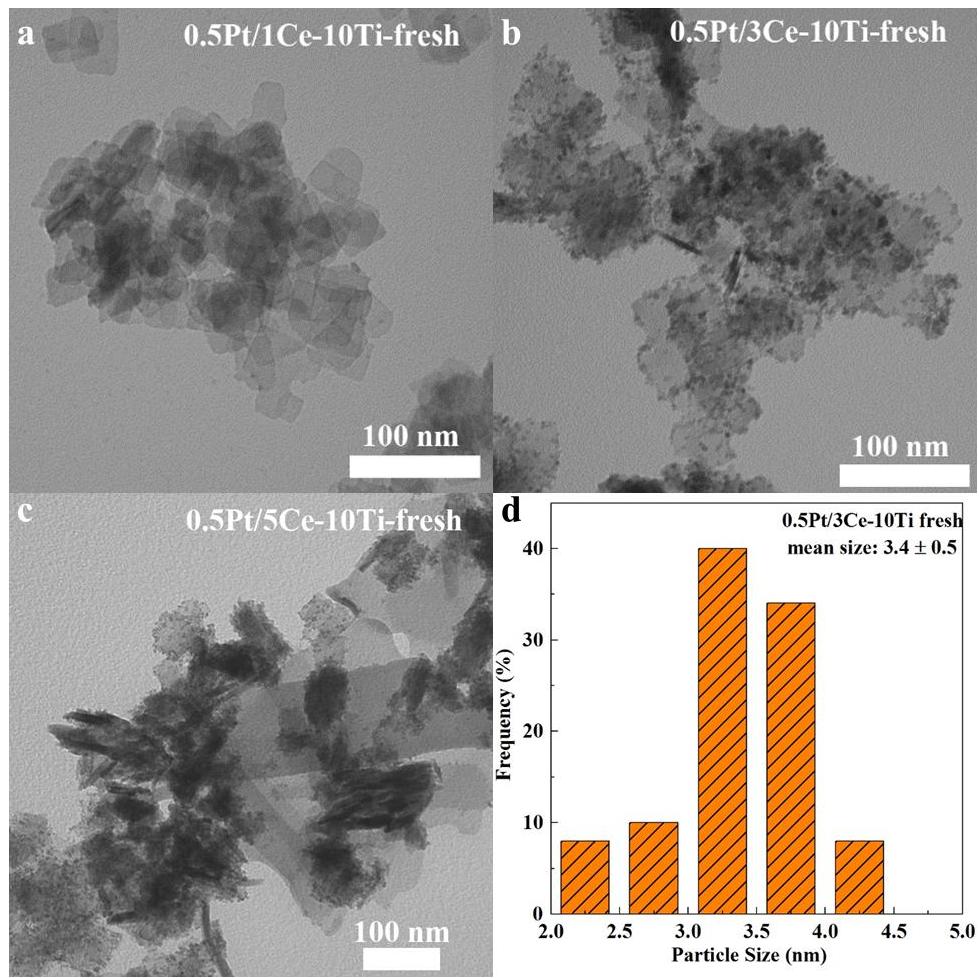


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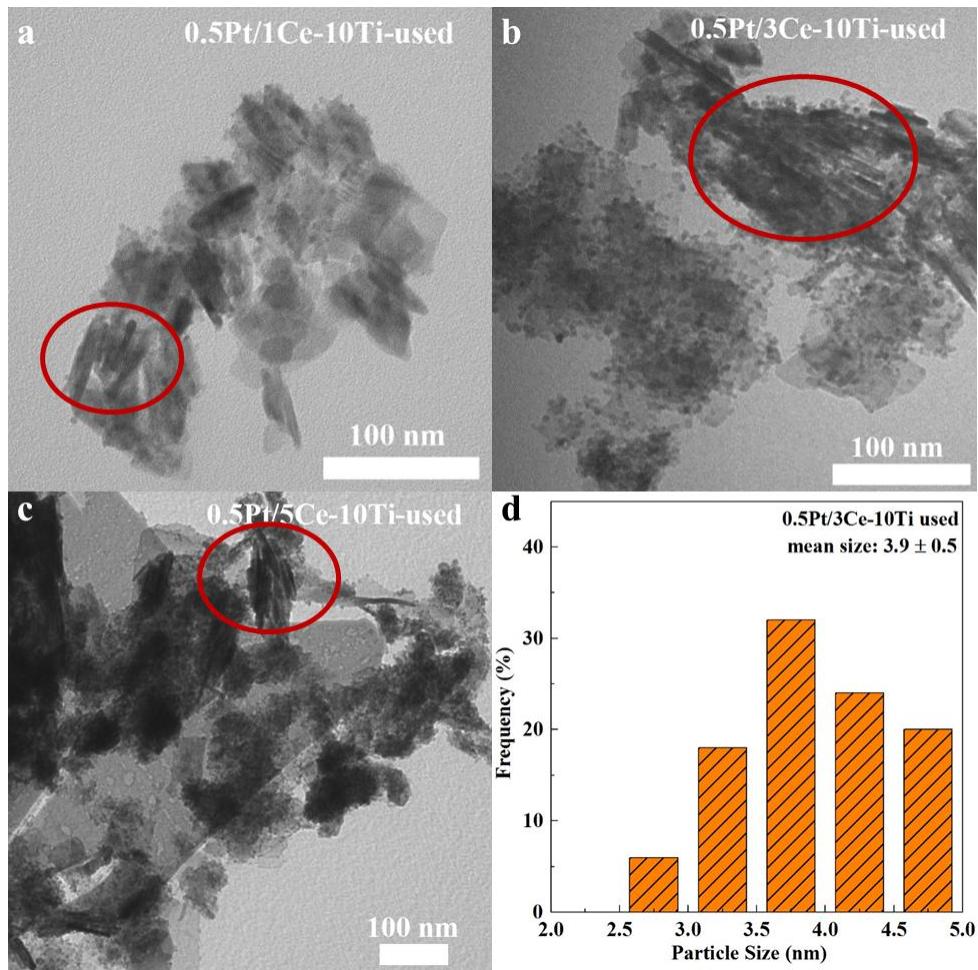


Figure S3. TEM images of the used (a) 0.5Pt/1Ce–10Ti, (b) 0.5Pt/3Ce–10Ti, (c) 0.5Pt/5Ce–10Ti catalysts, and (d) the size distribution of the CeO₂ nanoparticles on the 0.5Pt/3Ce–10Ti used catalyst. (Circled in red: the TiO₂ nanosheets)

Note: The part indicated by the red circle was TiO₂ nanosheet instead of CeO₂ irregular flakes.

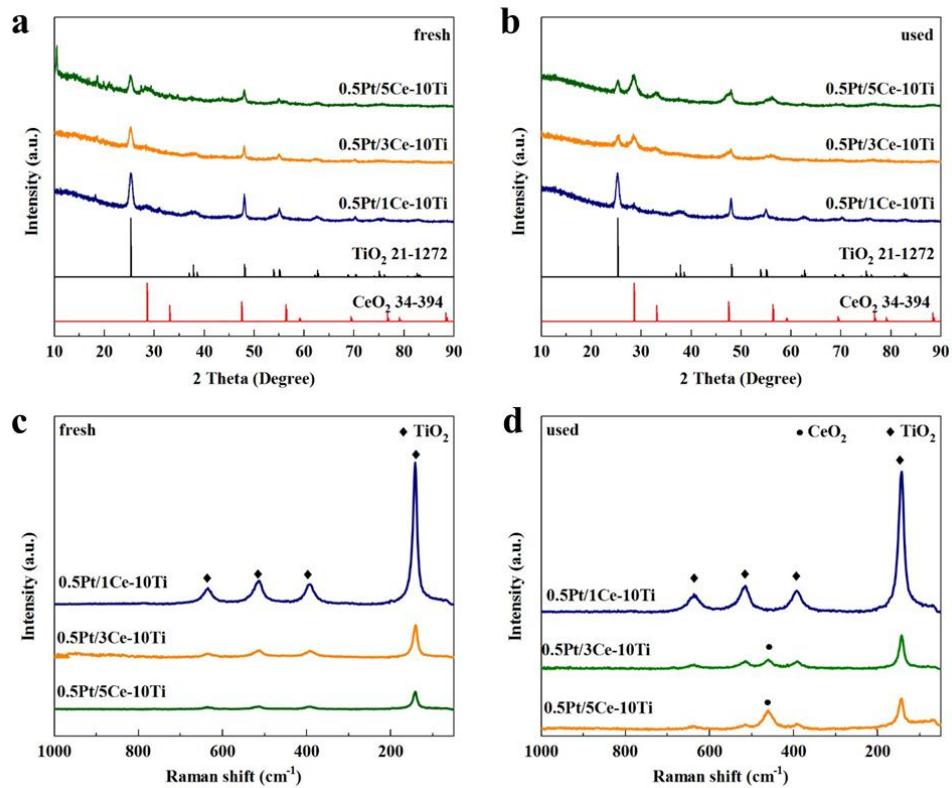


Figure S4. (a, b) XRD patterns and (c, d) Raman spectra of the fresh (a, c) and used (b, d) 0.5Pt/xCe-10Ti catalysts.

For the fresh samples, there were very weak CeO₂ peaks (JCPDS no. 34-394) in the XRD patterns (Figure S4a), while almost all the other diffraction peaks were indexed to anatase TiO₂ (JCPDS no. 21-1272). Similarly, only the characteristic peaks of TiO₂ appeared in the Raman spectra (Figure S4c). For the catalysts after catalytic test, the characteristic peaks of TiO₂ and CeO₂ were observed simultaneously in the XRD patterns (Figure S4b) and Raman (Figure S4d) spectra, and the peak strength of CeO₂ became stronger with the increase of CeO₂ proportion.

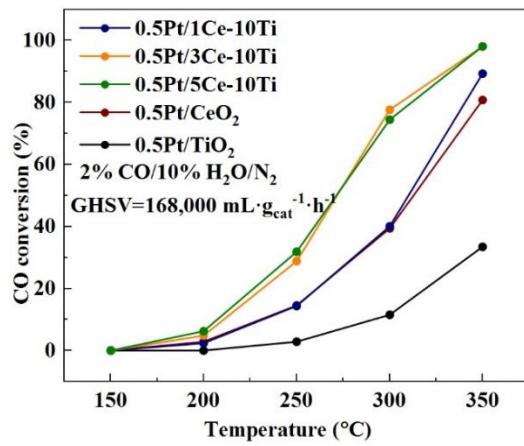


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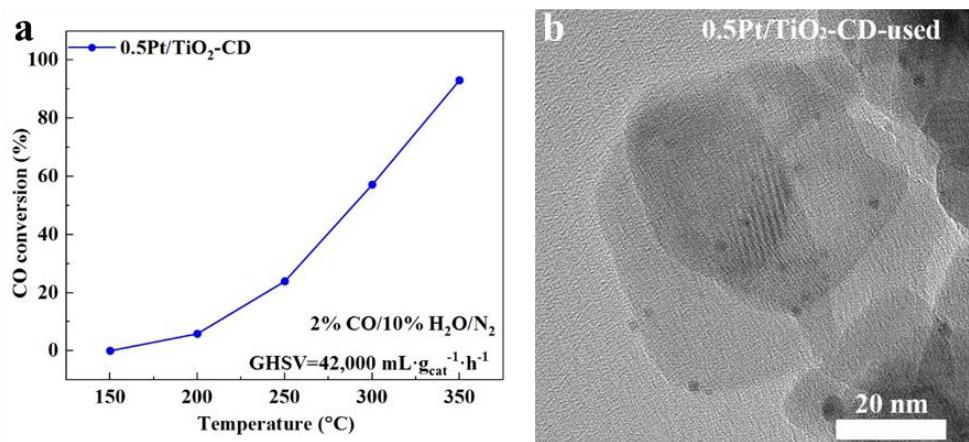


Figure S6. (a) The CO conversion of 0.5Pt/TiO₂-CD catalysts under GHSV=42,000 mL·g_{cat}⁻¹·h⁻¹. (b) The HRTEM image of 0.5Pt/TiO₂-CD used catalysts.

Table S1. Comparison of CO conversion rate for the as-prepared and literature reported catalysts.

Catalyst	Temperature (°C)	Reaction rate ($\mu\text{mol}\cdot\text{gcat}^{-1}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$)	Ref.
0.5Pt/3Ce-10Ti	200	2.03	This work
0.5Pt/3Ce-10Ti	225	5.25	This work
0.5Pt/3Ce-10Ti	300	55.40	This work
0.5Pt/CeO₂	300	29.20	This work
0.5Pt/TiO₂	300	4.40	This work
0.5Pt/Ce_{0.8}Ti_{0.2}O_{2-δ}	200	0.78	Ref ¹
Pt/Ce-Ti-T	200	0.92	Ref ²
Pt/Ce-Ti-T	300	8.66	Ref ²
Au-Ti(15Ce)O₂	225	3.10	Ref ³
Ti₂Ce₁O_x/npAu	300	27.00	Ref ⁴
Pt/CeO₂/Al₂O₃ (M0.3)	200	1.83	Ref ⁵
5Ni-10Ce-85Zr	200	0.32	Ref ⁶

Table S2. The elements and surface composition analysis of different samples.

Catalyst	Pt loading (wt.%) ^a	Ce:Ti (molar ratio) ^a	Surface composition ^b		
			Pt ²⁺ +Pt ⁴⁺ /	Ce ³⁺ /	O _α / O _α +O _β
			Pt ⁰ +Pt ²⁺ +Pt ⁴⁺	Ce ³⁺ +Ce ⁴⁺	
0.5Pt/TiO ₂	0.58	—	0.79	—	0.05
0.5Pt/3Ce–10Ti	0.46	0.42	0.61	0.46	0.20
0.5Pt/CeO ₂	0.61	—	1.00	0.43	0.22

^a A value by ICP-MS analysis.^b A value by XPS analysis.

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