Supporting Information

Microwave-Assisted Solvothermal Synthesis of UiO-66-NH₂ and Its Catalytic Performance towards the Hydrolysis of a Nerve Agent Simulant

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1. Size distribution of obtained MOFs



Figure S1. Size distribution of obtained MOF0 nanocrysals



Figure S2. Size distribution of obtained MOF1 nanocrysals



Figure S3. Size distribution of obtained MOF3 nanocrysals



Figure S4. Size distribution of obtained MOF5 nanocrysals

2. The pore size distribution of obtained MOFs



Figure S5. The micropore size of obtained MOF0 analyzed by the Horvath-Kawazoe (HK) method



Figure S6. The micropore size of obtained MOF1 analyzed by the HK method



Figure S7. The micropore size of obtained MOF3 analyzed by the HK method



Figure S8. The micropore size of obtained MOF5 analyzed by the HK method



Figure S9. The Barrett-Joyner-Halenda (BJH) pore size of obtained MOF0



Figure S10. The BJH pore size of obtained MOF1



Figure S11. The BJH pore size of obtained MOF3



Figure S12. The BJH pore size of obtained MOF5

3. The NMR spectra of obtained MOFs



Figure S13. The chemical structures of DMF, BDC-NH $_2$ and FFBA in NMR test



Figure S14. The ¹⁹F NMR spectra of BDC-NH₂, FFBA and four obtained MOF products digested in 10wt% NaOD/D₂O



Figure S15. The ¹H NMR spectra of DMF, BDC-NH₂, FFBA and four obtained MOF products digested in 10wt% NaOD/D₂O



Figure S16. The ¹³C NMR spectra of DMF, BDC-NH₂, FFBA and four obtained MOF products digested in 10wt% NaOD/D₂O

4. Observed UV-vis spectra



Figure S17. Hydrolysis reaction for DMNP using MOF1 as a catalyst



Figure S18. Hydrolysis reaction for DMNP using MOF3 as a catalyst



Figure S19. Hydrolysis reaction for DMNP using MOF5 as a catalyst

5. Kinetic analysis



Figure S20. Kinetic analysis using MOF0 as a catalyst.



Figure S21. Kinetic analysis using MOF1 as a catalyst.



Figure S22. Kinetic analysis using MOF3 as a catalyst.



Figure S23. Kinetic analysis using MOF5 as a catalyst.

6. The comparison of catalytic activity of Zr-MOFs reported in the literatures

| Samples | k_1 (min ⁻¹) | $t_{1/2}(min)$ | Refs. |
|------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|-----------|
| MOF0 | 0.18 | 3.9 | This work |
| MOF1 | 0.08 | 9.1 | This work |
| MOF 3 | 0.14 | 5.0 | This work |
| MOF5 | 0.06 | 11.1 | This work |
| UiO-66-NH ₂ | 0.14 | 4.8 | [1] |
| UiO-66-NH ₂ | | < 1 | [2] |
| UiO-66-NH ₂ | 0.3~1.4×10 ⁻³ | 24~495 | [3] |
| UiO-66-NH ₂ | 0.16 | 4.4 | [4] |
| UiO-66 | 0.02 | 35 | [5] |
| UiO-67 | 0.2 | 3.5 | [6] |
| NU-1000 | 0.05 | 15 | [7] |
| NU-1000(dehydrated) | 0.46 | 1.5 | [7] |
| MOF-808 | 1.40 | 0.5 | [8] |

Table S1. The kinetic parameters of DMNP hydrolysis catalyzed different Zr-MOFs reported in the literatures

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