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## Synthesis and applications of porous materials for gas storage

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Studies of economic, highly efficient and safe gas storage materials (GSMs) are of great importance in the fuel cells based vehicles and CO<sub>2</sub> capture. In our lab, we focus on studies on GSMs for H<sub>2</sub> and CO<sub>2</sub> based one micro/nano-technology. A series of metal organic frameworks (MOFs) and porous carbon materials such as grapheme for GSMs were synthesized. Their crystal structures, gas storage and thermodynamic properties were systematically evaluated. Furthermore, relationship of structure-activity were explored.

### Biography

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