

Supporting information

Role of FeO_x support in constructing high performance Pt/FeO_x catalyst for low-temperature CO oxidation

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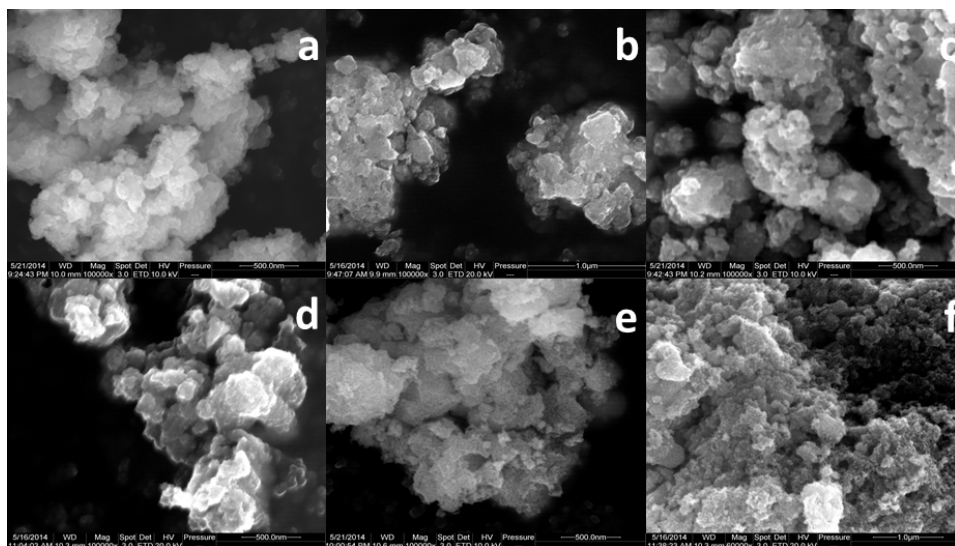


Fig. S1 SEM images of FeO_x supports: (a) FeO_x-100, (b) FeO_x-130, (c) FeO_x-220, (d) FeO_x-300, (e) FeO_x-430 and (f) FeO_x-500.

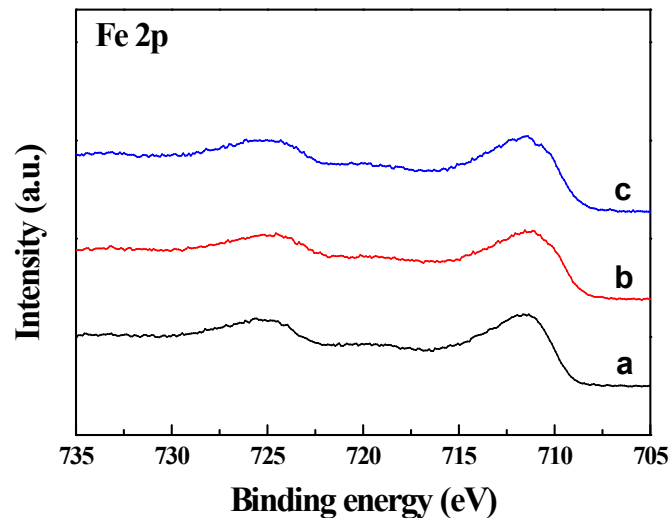


Fig. S2 Fe 2p XPS spectrum of FeO_x supports: (a) FeO_x-100, (b) FeO_x-300, (c) FeO_x-500.

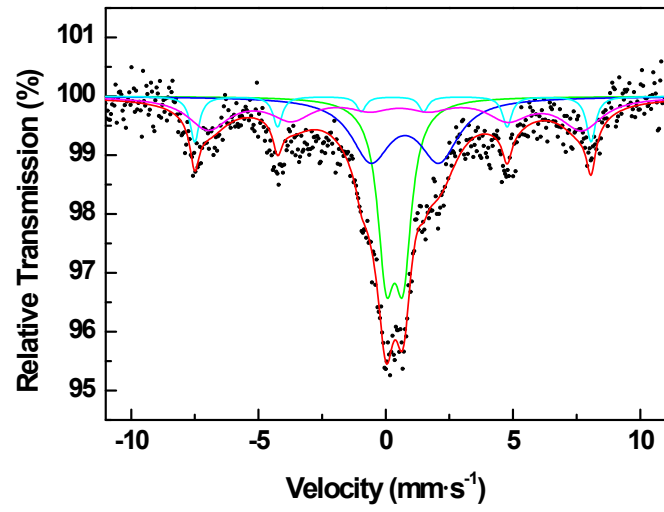


Fig. S3 Mössbauer spectrum of the Pt/FeO_x-100 sample at 298 K.

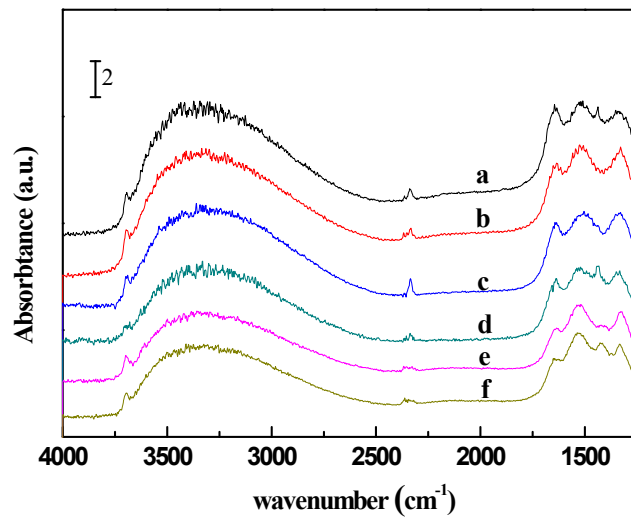


Fig. S4 DRIFT spectra of Pt/FeO_x catalysts: (a) Pt/FeO_x-100, (b) Pt/FeO_x-130, (c) Pt/FeO_x-220, (d) Pt/FeO_x-300, (e) Pt/FeO_x-430 and (f) Pt/FeO_x-500.

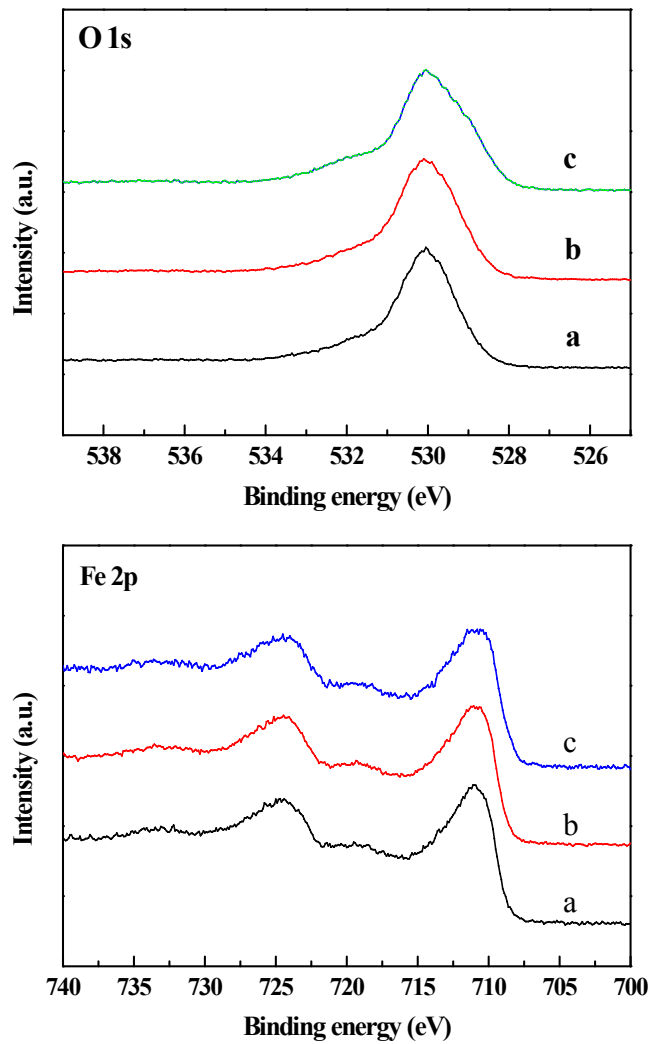


Fig. S5 O 1s and Fe 2p XPS spectra of Pt/FeO_x catalysts: (a) Pt/FeO_x-100, (b) Pt/FeO_x-300, (c) Pt/FeO_x-500.

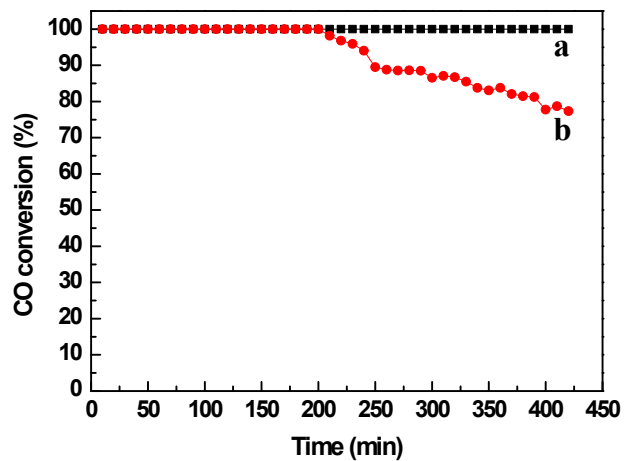


Fig. S6 CO catalytic oxidation activities of (a) Pt/FeO_x-100 in the presence of water vapour and (b) Pt/FeO_x-100 under dry condition. Reaction conditions were as follows: room temperature 0.5% CO, 10% O₂/Ar balance, space velocity: 120000 mL·g⁻¹·h⁻¹.

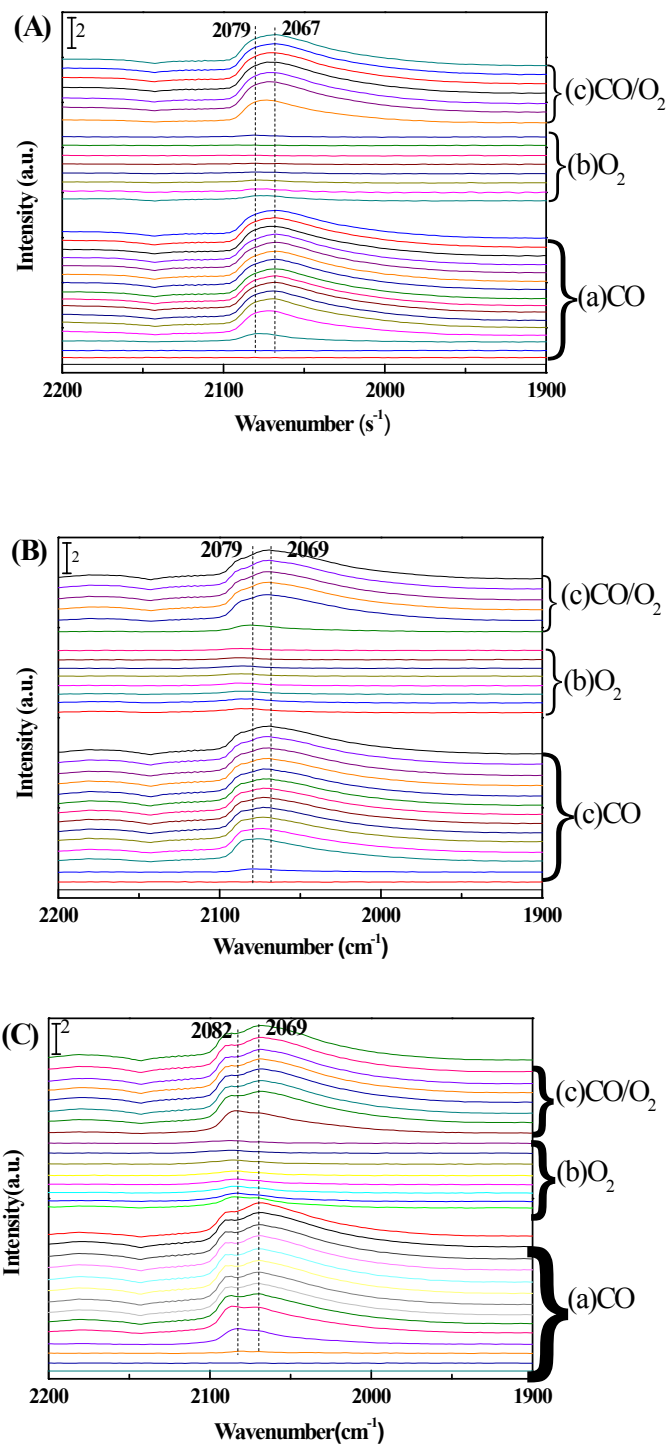


Fig. S7 In situ DRIFT spectra ranging from 2200 to 1900 cm^{-1} of iron oxide supported Pt catalysts: (A) Pt/FeOx-100, (B) Pt/FeOx-300, (C) Pt/FeOx-500 as a function of time after the gas flow was

switched (a) from Ar to 1% CO/Ar, (b) from 1% CO/Ar to 20% O₂/ Ar, and (c) from 20% O₂/Ar to CO/O₂ at room temperature. Each spectrum was recorded with an interval of 40 s.

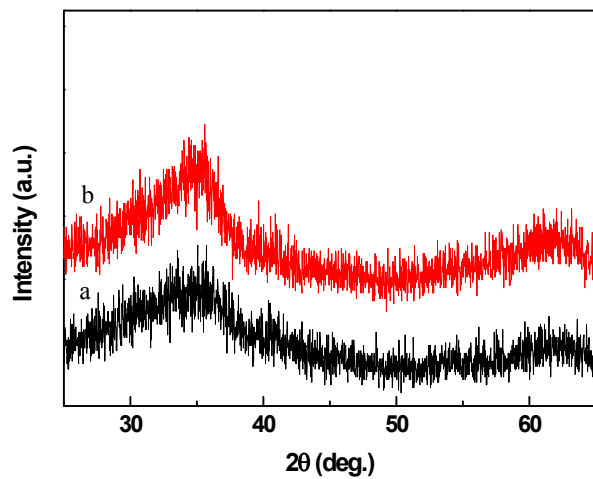


Fig. S8 XRD patterns of FeO_x supports: (a) FeO_x -100, (b) FeO_x -100 treated at 100 °C for 3 h.

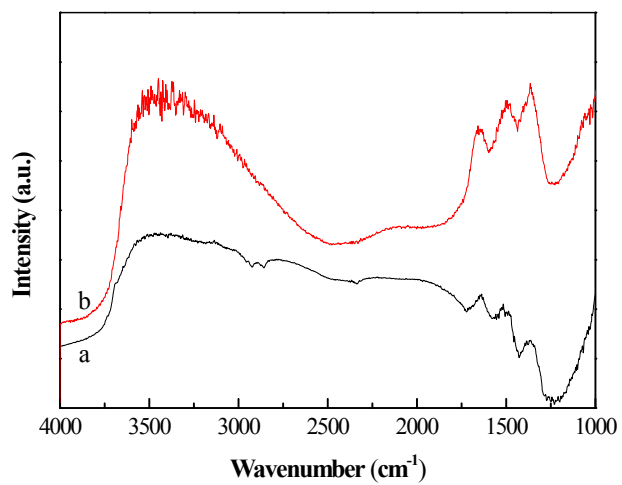


Fig. S9 DRIFT spectra of FeO_x supports: (a) FeO_x-100, (b) FeO_x-100 treated at 100 °C for 3 h.

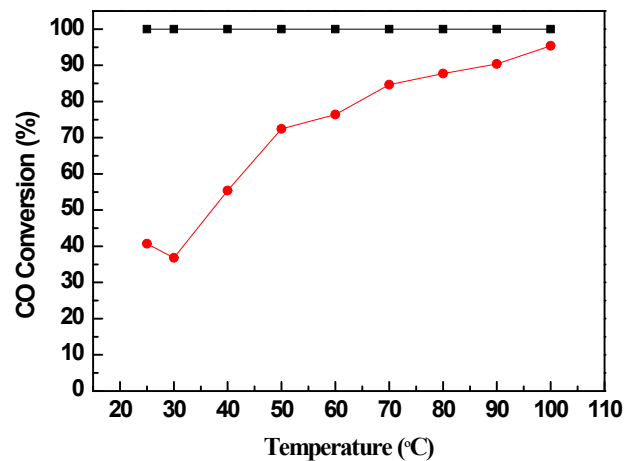


Fig. S10 CO oxidation activities of (a) Pt/FeO_x-100 and (b) Pt/FeO_x-100(treated at 100 °C for 3 h). Reaction conditions: 0.5% CO, 10% O₂/Ar balance, space velocity: 120000 mL·g⁻¹·h⁻¹.

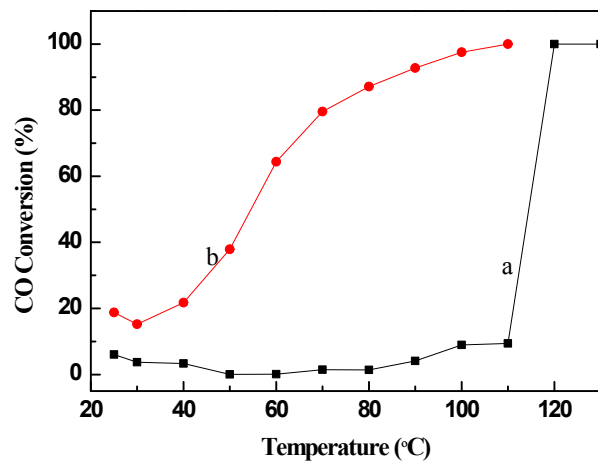


Fig. S11 CO oxidation activities of (a) Pt/FeO_x-500 and (b) Pt/FeO_x-500 in the presence of water vapour. Reaction conditions: 0.5% CO, 10% O₂/Ar balance, space velocity: 120000 mL·g⁻¹·h⁻¹.

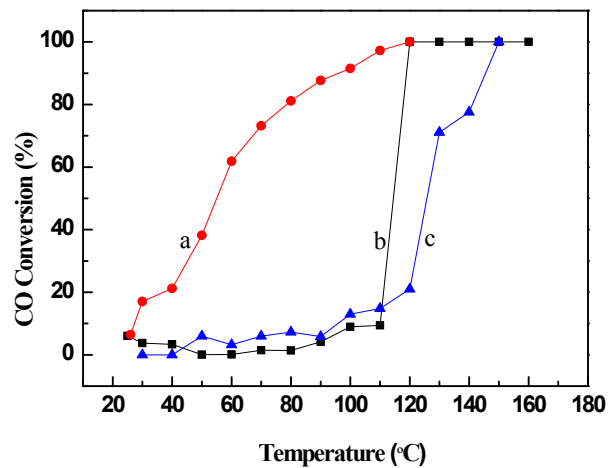


Fig. S12 CO oxidation activities of (a) Pt/FeO_x-500 with reductive treatment, (b) Pt/FeO_x-500, (c) Pt/FeO_x-500 with oxidative treatment. Reaction conditions: 0.5% CO, 10% O₂/Ar balance, space velocity: 120000 mL·g⁻¹·h⁻¹.

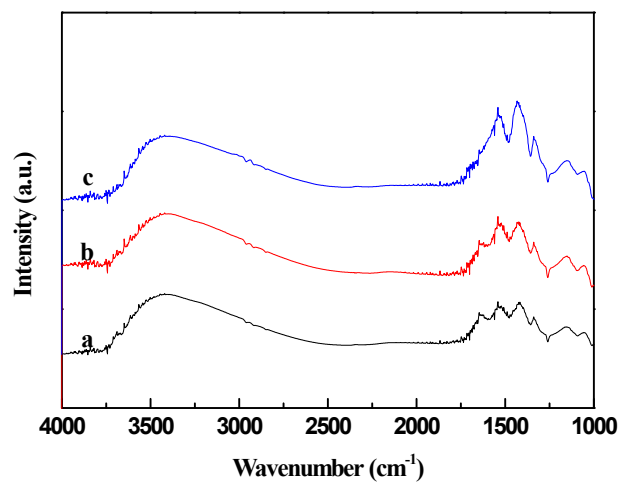


Fig. S13 DRIFT spectra of (a) Pt/FeO_x-500 with reductive treatment, (b) Pt/FeO_x-500, (c) Pt/FeO_x-500 with oxidative treatment.

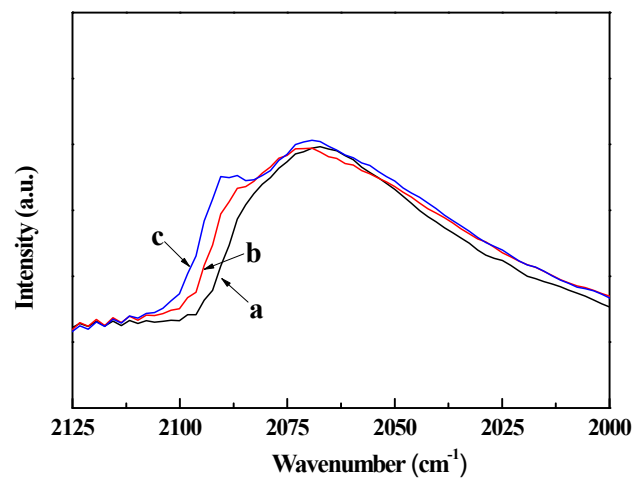


Fig. S14 In situ DRIFT spectra of Pt/FeO_x catalysts as a function of adsorbing saturated CO: (a) Pt/FeO_x-100, (b) Pt/FeO_x-300, and (c) Pt/FeO_x-500.

Table S1 Texture properties of FeO_x supports.

Supports	S _{BET} (m ² ·g ⁻¹)	Pore Volume (cm ³ ·g ⁻¹)	Pore Size ^a (nm)
FeO _x -100	185	0.22	4.5
FeO _x -130	195	0.25	4.7
FeO _x -220	178	0.23	4.9
FeO _x -300	118	0.23	7.5
FeO _x -430	43	0.18	16.8
FeO _x -500	41	0.16	18.5

^a Average pore diameters calculated from adsorption branches using BJH model.

Table S2 H₂ consumption of FeO_x calculated from H₂-TPR profiles.

Iron oxides	H ₂ consumption of the first peak (mmol·g ⁻¹)	H ₂ consumption of the second peak (mmol·g ⁻¹)	H ₂ consumption of the third peak (mmol·g ⁻¹)	Total H ₂ consumption (mmol·g ⁻¹)
FeO _x -100	0.84	2.25	5.17	8.26
FeO _x -130	1.78	3.53	5.56	10.87
FeO _x -220	2.82	4.46	5.77	13.04
FeO _x -300	4.07	6.43	5.58	16.07
FeO _x -430	2.42	9.39	6.67	18.48
FeO _x -500	2.64	10.00	6.33	18.97

Table S3 Texture properties of Pt/FeO_x catalysts.

Catalysts	S _{BET} (m ² ·g ⁻¹)	Pore Volume (cm ³ ·g ⁻¹)	Pore Size ^a (nm)
Pt/FeO _x -100	163	0.28	6.5
Pt/FeO _x -130	131	0.26	7.7
Pt/FeO _x -220	147	0.27	7.0
Pt/FeO _x -300	107	0.23	8.4
Pt/FeO _x -430	48	0.18	14.7
Pt/FeO _x -500	41	0.18	17.3

^a Average pore diameters calculated from adsorption branches using BJH model.

Table S4 High fine parameters of the fitted curves to the Mössbauer spectra.

sample	Multiplet	IS mm s ⁻¹	QS mm s ⁻¹	Hf kOe	Peak area (%)	Assignment
Pt/FeO _x -100	Doublet I	0.39±0.01	0.67±0.02		31.3	amorphous ferrihydrite
	Doublet II	0.80±0.08	2.68±0.04		28.0	Fe ²⁺
	Sextet I	0.32±0.02	0.02±0.04	482.8±1	9.9	Fe ₃ O ₄
	Sextet II	0.50±0.04	0.18±0.01	455.0±4	30.8	Fe ₃ O ₄

IS: the isomer shift relative to α -Fe at room temperature; QS: the quadrupole shift; Hf: the magnetic hyperfine field at ⁵⁷Fe nuclei.

Table S5 H₂ consumption of Pt/FeO_x catalysts calculated from H₂-TPR profiles.

Catalysts	H ₂ consumption of the first peak (mmol·g ⁻¹)	H ₂ consumption of the second peak (mmol·g ⁻¹)	H ₂ consumption of the third peak (mmol·g ⁻¹)	Total H ₂ consumption (mmol·g ⁻¹)
Pt/FeO _x -100	1.04	1.34	4.31	6.69
Pt/FeO _x -130	0.77	1.78	5.23	7.78
Pt/FeO _x -220	0.40	2.69	4.22	7.31
Pt/FeO _x -300	0.31	5.67	4.15	10.13
Pt/FeO _x -430	0.00	10.55	4.37	14.92
Pt/FeO _x -500	0.00	10.46	4.40	14.86