

**Electronic supplementary information for**

**Human hair-derived nitrogen and sulfur co-  
doped porous carbon materials for gas  
adsorption**

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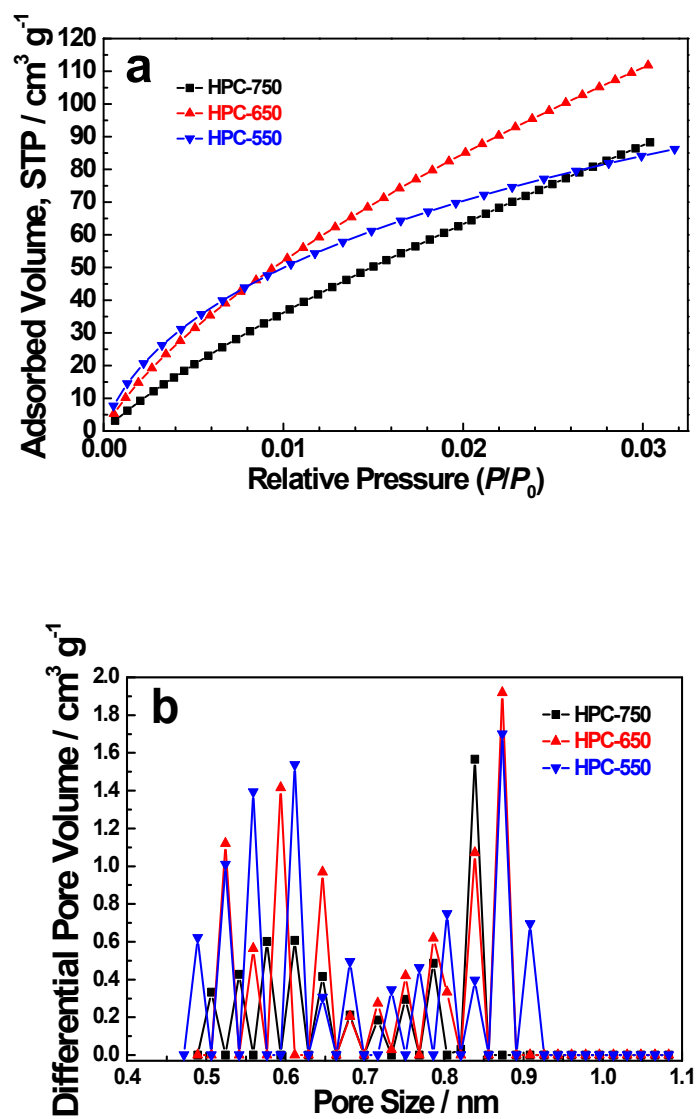
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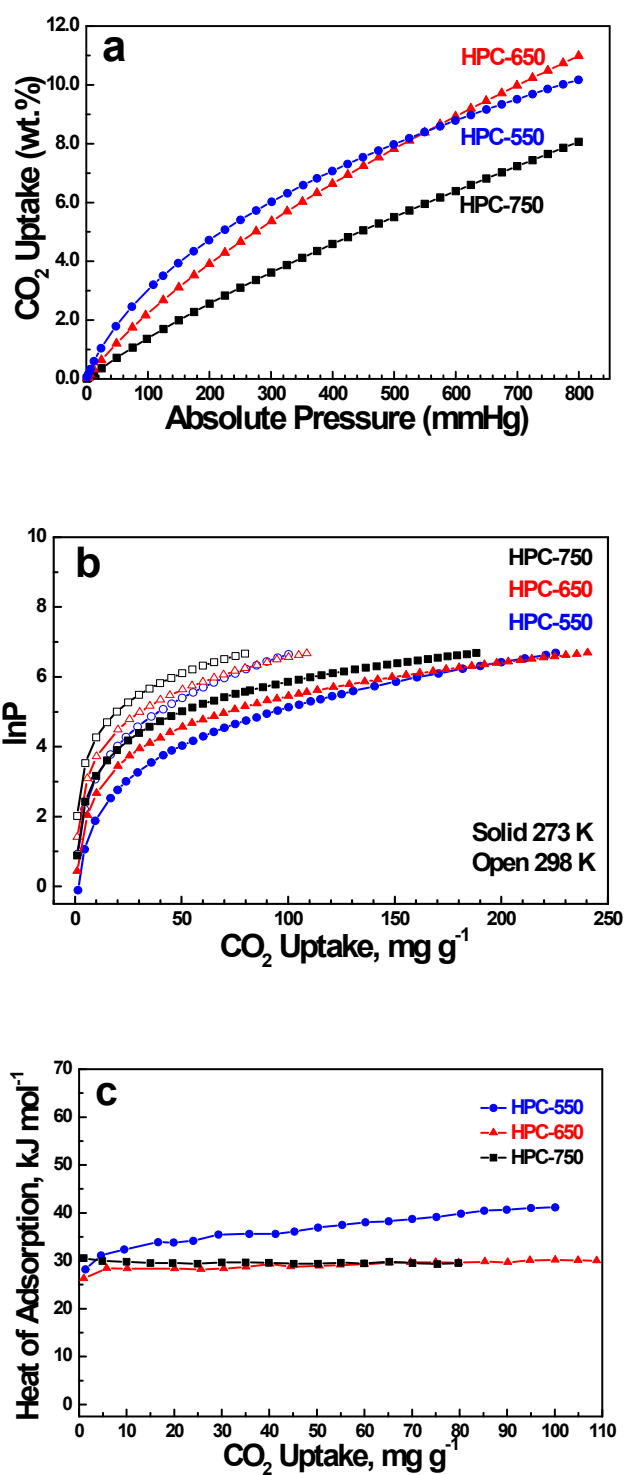
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**Fig. S1.** Carbon dioxide adsorption isotherms (a) and the DFT pore size distribution profiles (b) of HPC-*x* materials.



**Fig. S2.** (a) CO<sub>2</sub> adsorption isotherms of HPC-750 (square), HPC-650 (up triangle), and HPC-550 (circle) at different temperatures (273 and 298 K), (b) Virial analysis of CO<sub>2</sub> adsorption data (273 and 298 K) and (c) isosteric heat of CO<sub>2</sub> adsorption.

The binding energies of CO<sub>2</sub> in HPC-*x* are reflected in the isosteric heat of

adsorption,  $Q_{st}$ , defined as

$$Q_{st} = RT^2 \left( \frac{\partial \ln P}{\partial T} \right)_q \quad (1)$$

These values were determined using the pure component isotherm fits. Fig. S1 presents data on the loading dependence of  $Q_{st}$  in HPC-*x*.

**Table S1.** The CO<sub>2</sub> adsorption capacities at different temperatures (at 1.0 bar) and CO<sub>2</sub> adsorption heat of the HPC-*x* materials.

Sample	CO <sub>2</sub> (wt %) <sup>a</sup> 273 K	CO <sub>2</sub> (wt %) <sup>b</sup> 298 K	CO <sub>2</sub> adsorption heat (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> ) <sup>c</sup>
HPC-550	18.8	8.1	28.6~41.3
HPC-650	24.0	11.0	26.5~30.4
HPC-750	22.6	10.2	29.7~30.7

<sup>a</sup> CO<sub>2</sub> gravimetric uptake capacities at 273 K and 1.0 bar. <sup>b</sup> CO<sub>2</sub> gravimetric uptake capacities at 298 K and 1.0 bar. <sup>c</sup> CO<sub>2</sub> adsorption heat is based on the Clausius–Clapeyron equation.