

Supporting Information

A visible-light-responsive metal-organic framework for highly efficient and selective photocatalytic oxidation of amines and reduction of nitroaromatics

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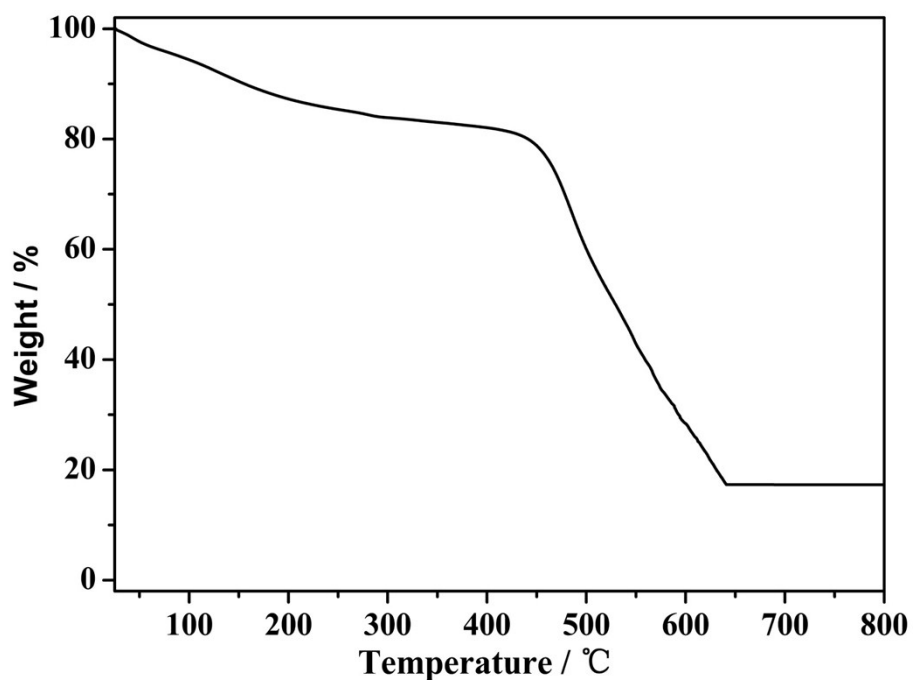


Figure S1. TG curve of 1.

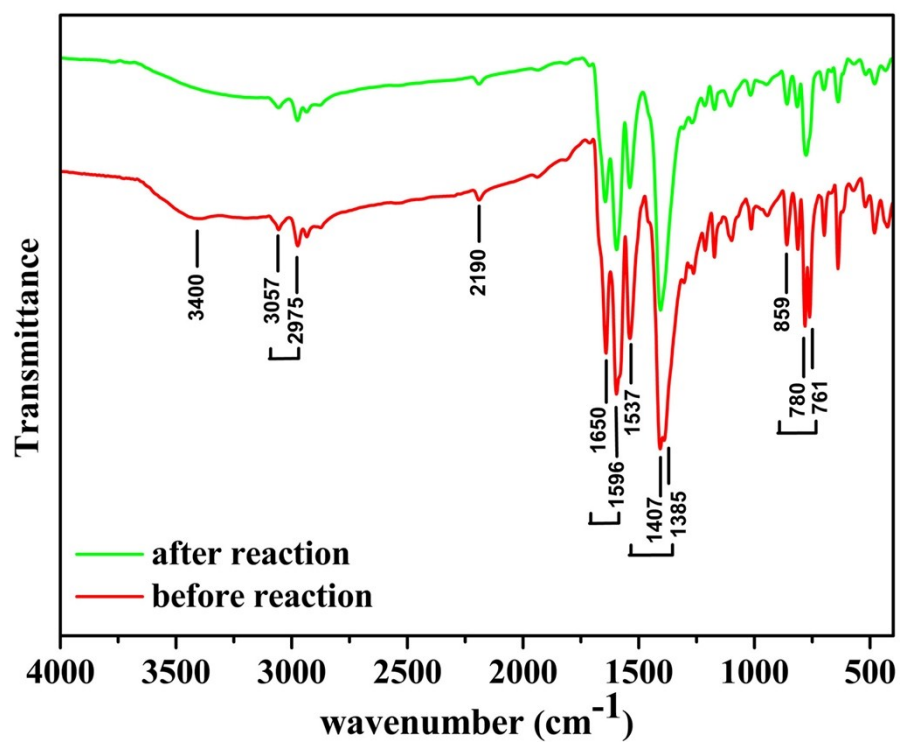


Figure S2. FTIR spectra of 1 before and after reaction.

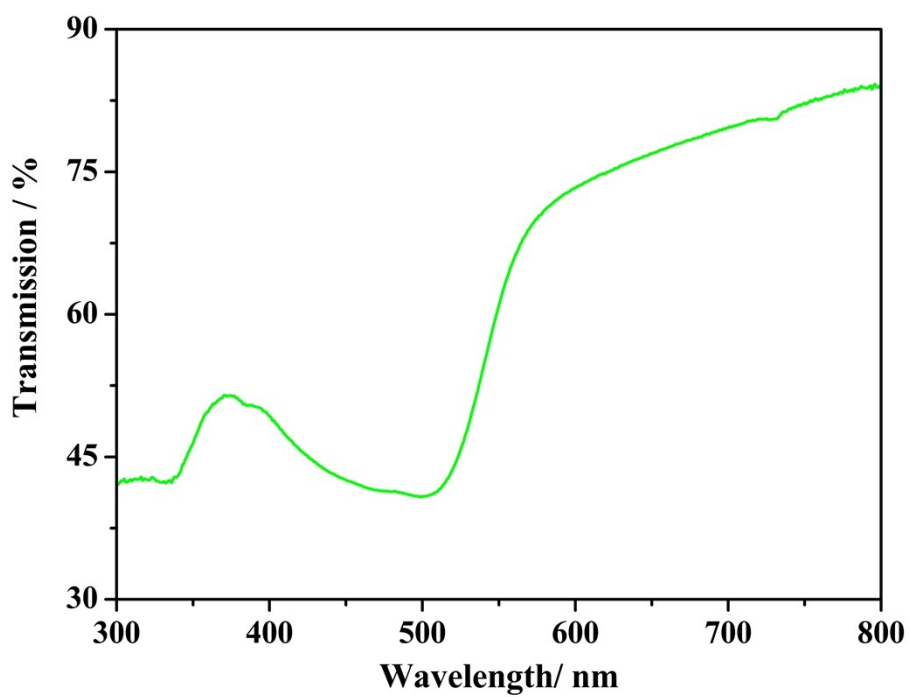


Figure S3. UV-Vis Transmission of **1**

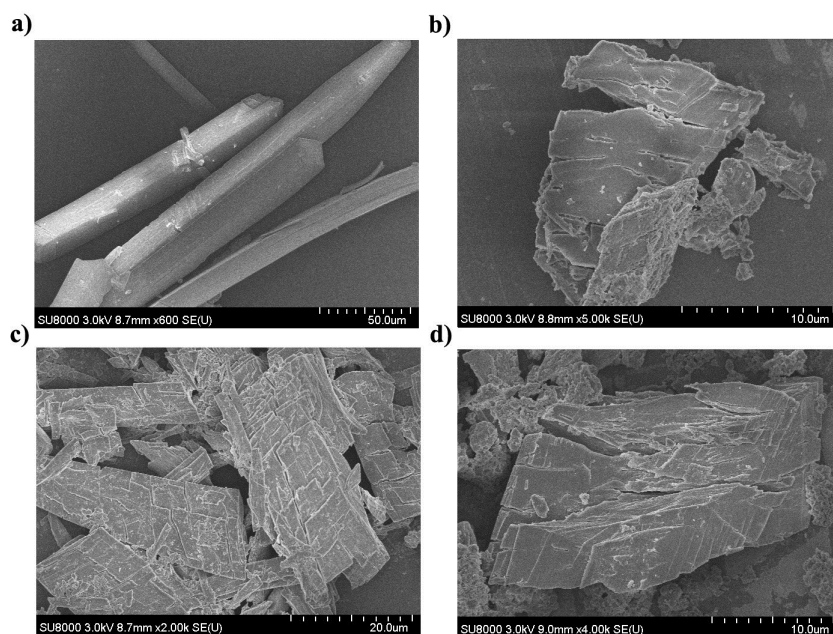


Figure S4. (a) Before reaction. (b) After benzylamine reaction. (c) After dibenzylamine reaction. (d) After nitrobenzene reaction.

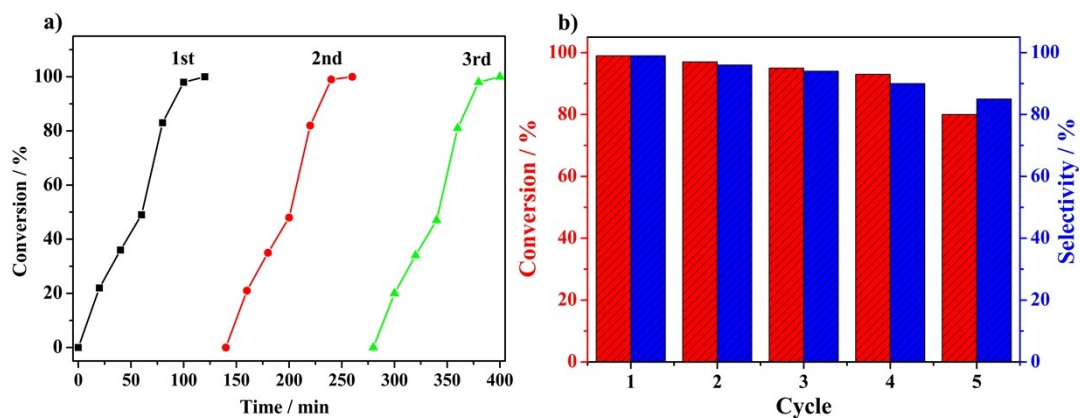


Figure S5. (a) Reaction trace for the dehydrogenation of secondary amines. (b) Conversion and selectivity in different runs.

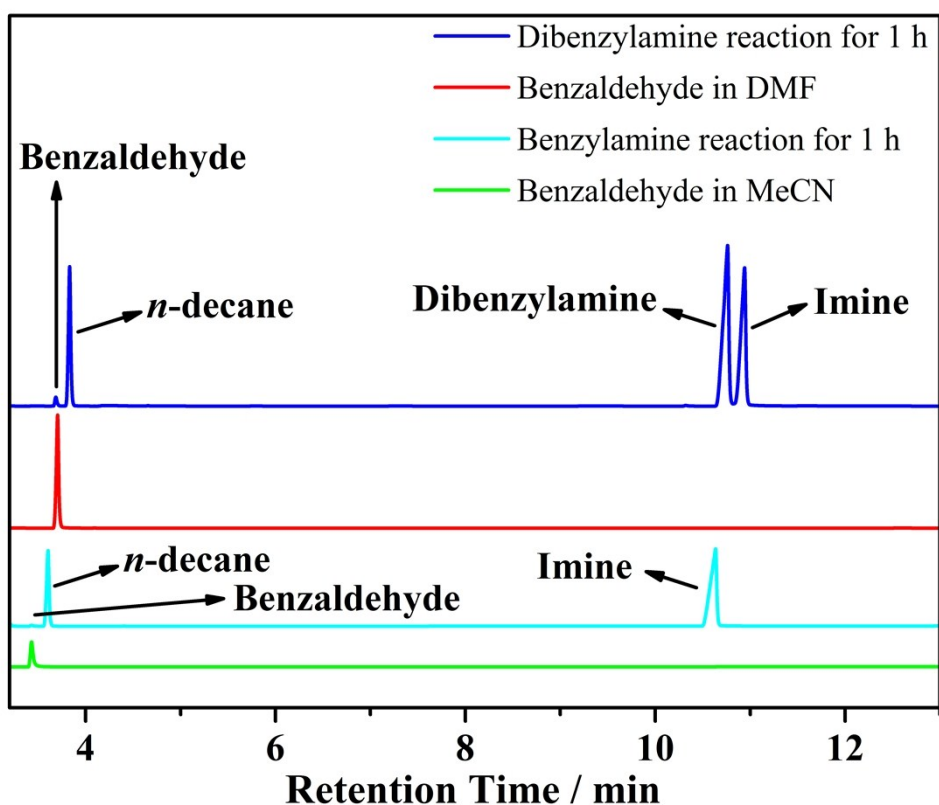


Figure S6. Formation of trace amount of benzaldehyde in the reaction of dibenzylamine and benzylamine at 1 h.

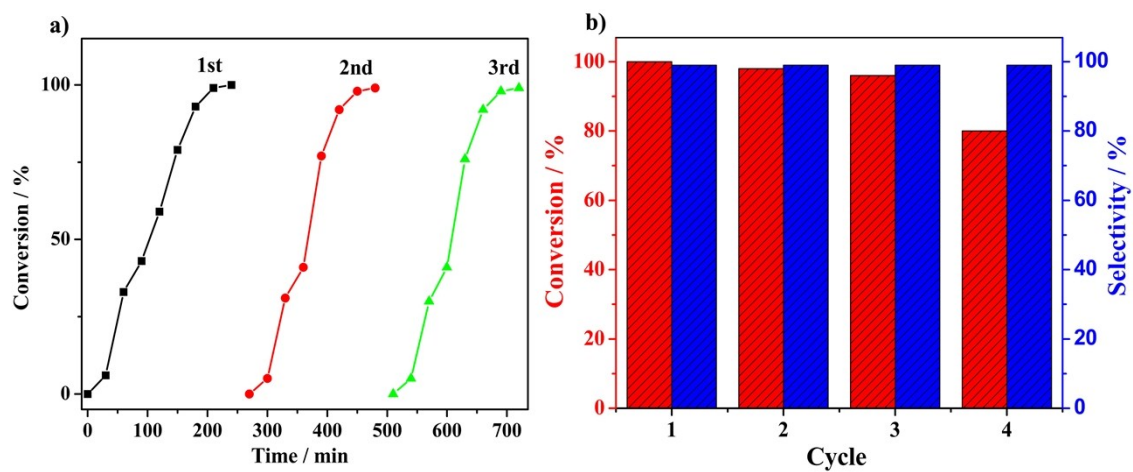
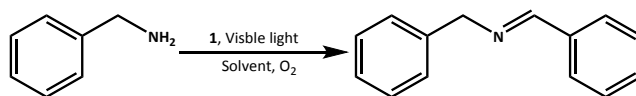


Figure S7. (a) Reaction trace for the photoreduction of nitrobenzene. (b) Conversion and selectivity in different runs.

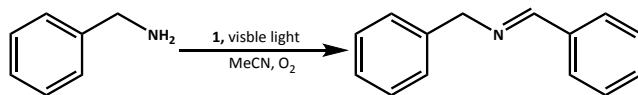
Table S1. Crystal data and structural refinement of **1**.

Compound	1
empirical formula	Zn ₃ C ₆₄ H ₃₂ O ₁₀
formula weight	1157.07
crystal system	Monoclinic
space group	<i>C2/m</i>
<i>a</i> / Å	37.121(3)
<i>b</i> / Å	30.255(3)
<i>c</i> / Å	6.0011(5)
α / degree	90.0000
β / degree	94.396(3)
γ / degree	90.0000
<i>V</i> / Å ³	6720.0(10)
<i>Z</i>	2
<i>F</i> (000)	1172.0
θ range collected / degree	2.54 to 20.66
limiting indices	-36 ≤ <i>h</i> ≤ 36 -30 ≤ <i>k</i> ≤ 30 -5 ≤ <i>l</i> ≤ 5
Reflections collected / unique	7359/2359
data / restraints / parameters	3551/95/200
<i>R</i> (int)	0.0796
goodness-of-fit on <i>F</i> ²	1.041
Final <i>R</i> indices (<i>I</i> > 2σ(<i>I</i>))	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0550 <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.1477
<i>R</i> indices (all data)	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0867 <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.1675

Table S2. Solvent influence on photocatalytic self-coupling of benzylamines over **1**.^a

Solvent	Time [h]	Yield. [%] ^b
MeCN	1	99
DMF	2	99
AcOEt	2	99
DMSO	4	99
EtOH	5	99
MeOH	6	99
CHCl ₃	6	99

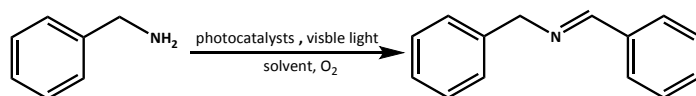
^aReaction conditions: 0.2 mmol benzylamines, 5 mg **1**, 1 mL solvent. ^bDetermined by GC using *n*-decane as internal standard.

Table S3. Photocatalytic self-coupling of benzylamines under various conditions.^a

Entry	Photocatalyst	O ₂	Light	Conv. [%] ^b
1	+	+	+	99
2 ^c	+	+	+	24
3	-	+	+	-
4	+	+	-	-
5 ^d	+	-	+	25
6 ^e	+	-	+	50
7 ^f	+	+	+	21
8 ^g	+	+	+	37
9 ^h	+	+	+	12

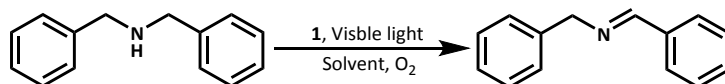
^aReaction conditions: 0.2 mmol amine, 5 mg **1**, 1 mL MeCN, 60 min under visible light. ^bDetermined by GC using *n*-decane as the internal standard. ^cADBEB. ^dN₂. ^eAir. ^fTEOA was added as a hole scavenger. ^g10 μL TEMP was added as a singlet oxygen scavenger. ^h10 μL DMPO was added as a superoxide radical scavenger.

Table S4. Performances of visible-light-induced self-coupling of benzylamine using MOFs photocatalysts at room temperature.



catalyst	solvent	T [h]	Yield. [%]	TOF [h ⁻¹]	Refs
ZJU-56-0.2	CH ₃ CN	24	62	2.6	1
ZJU-56-0.6	CH ₃ CN	24	84	3.5	1
NH ₂ -MIL-125(Ti)	CH ₃ CN	12	73	5.3	2
In-MOF	DMSO	2.5	99	13.4	3
Zn-PDI	CH ₃ CN	4	74	18.5	4
PCN-222	CH ₃ CN	1	100	25.7	5
1	CH ₃ CN	1	99	45.8	This work

Table S5. Solvent influence on photocatalytic dehydrogenation of dibenzylamine over **1**.^a

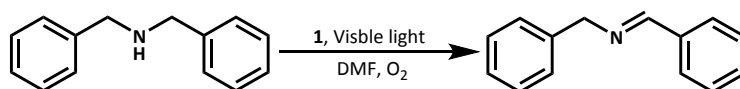


Solvent	Time [h]	Yield. [%] ^b
DMF	2	99
DMSO	3	99
EtOH	6	60
CHCl ₃	6	72
MeOH	6	67
AcOEt	6	57
MeCN	8	99

^aReaction conditions: 0.2 mmol secondary amines, 5 mg **1**, 1 mL solvent.

^bReactions were analysed by GC using *n*-decane as the internal standard.

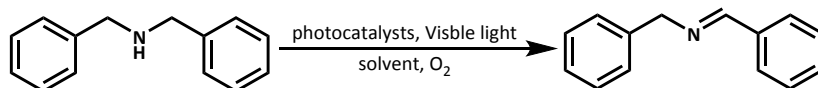
Table S6. Photocatalytic dehydrogenation of dibenzylamine under various conditions.^a



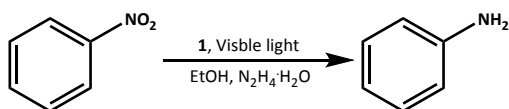
Entry	Photocatalyst	O ₂	Light	yield. [%] ^b
1	+	+	+	99
2	-	+	+	-
3	+	+	-	-
4 ^c	+	-	+	-
5 ^d	+	-	+	30
6 ^e	+	+	+	28
7 ^f	+	+	+	59
8 ^g	+	+	+	48

^aReaction conditions: 0.2 mmol amine, 5 mg **1**, 1 mL DMF, 2 hours under visible light. ^bDetermined by GC using *n*-decane as the internal standard. ^cN₂. ^dAir. ^eTEOA was added a hole scavenger. ^f10 μL TEMP was added as a singlet oxygen scavenger. ^g10 μL DMPO was added as a superoxide radical scavenger.

Table S7. Performances of visible-light-induced dehydrogenation of dibenzylamine using various photocatalysts at room temperature.

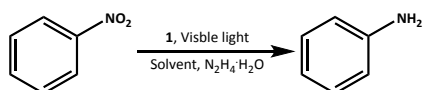


Catalyst	Solvent	T [h]	Yield. [%]	TOF [h ⁻¹]	Refs
BiVO ₄	CH ₃ CN	6	99.0	0.05	6
BiOCl	CH ₃ CN	10	99.0	0.1	7
Porous organic polymer (POP) CF-HCP	CH ₃ CN	6	80.6	6.0	8
Rh/carbon nanotube	CHCl ₃ /H ₂ O	13	95	7.3	9
Cu-based polyoxometalate	CH ₃ CN	16	95	12.5	10
PCN-222	CH ₃ CN	1	100	25.7	5
1	DMF	2	99	22.9	This work

Table S8. Photoreduction of nitrobenzene under various conditions.^a

Entry	Photocatalyst	N ₂ H ₄ ·H ₂ O	Light	Conv. [%] ^b
1	-	+	+	-
2	+	+	-	-
3	+	-	+	-
4	+	+	+	99
5 ^c	+	+	+	74
6 ^d	+	+	+	44

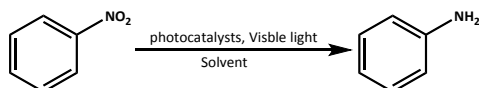
^aReaction conditions: 0.1 mmol nitrobenzene, 5 mg **1**, 4mmol N₂H₄·H₂O, 1 mL EtOH, 4 hour under visible light. ^bDetermined by GC using *n*-decane as the internal standard. ^c3mmol N₂H₄·H₂O. ^d5 mmol N₂H₄·H₂O.

Table S9. Solvent influence on photoreduction of nitrobenzene over **1**.^a

Solvent	T [h]	Yield. [%] ^b
EtOH	4	99
MeCN	6	99
AcOEt	6	70
DMSO	8	99
DMF	8	99
CHCl ₂	12	99
CHCl ₃	12	53

^aReaction conditions: 0.1 mmol nitrobenzene, 5 mg **1**, 1 mL solvent, 4 mmol hydrazine. ^bReactions were analysed by GC using *n*-decane as the internal standard.

Table S10. Performances of visible-light-induced photoreduction of nitrobenzene using various photocatalysts at room temperature.



Catalyst	Solvent	T [h]	Yield. [%]	TOF [h ⁻¹]	Refs
CdS	water	4	99	1.4	11
Eosin Y	EtOH/H ₂ O	24	99	4.2	12
Ag/GO/LDH	Benzyl alcohol	4	47	7.0	13
Au/GO/LDH	Benzyl alcohol	4	68	4.4	13
AuAg/GO/LDH	Benzyl alcohol	3	91.6	10.9	13
1	EtOH	4	99	5.8	This work

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