

Supplementary Information

Optimizing the Metal Ion Release and Antibacterial Activity of ZnO@ZIF-8 by Modulating its Synthesis Method

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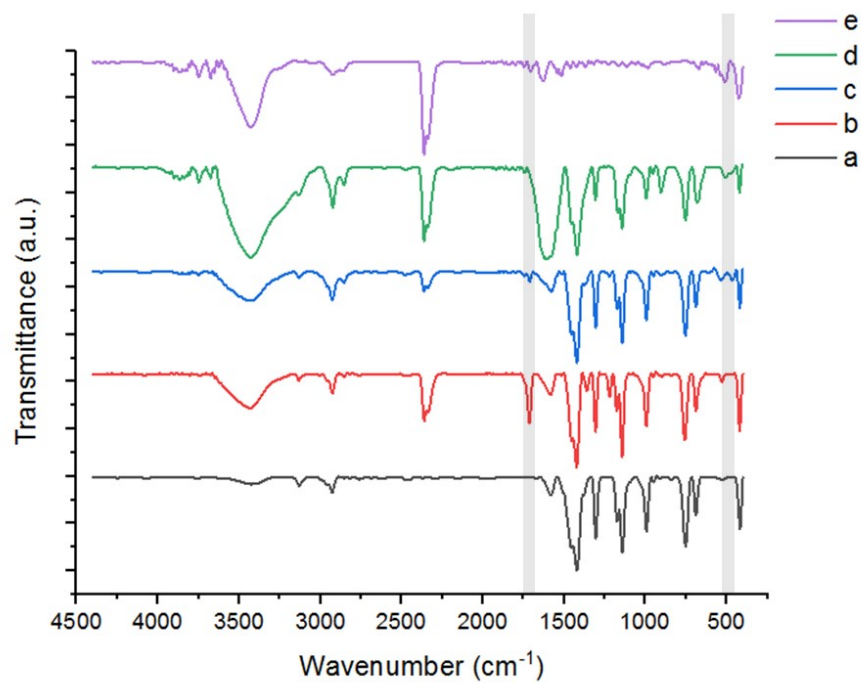


Figure S1. FT-IR spectra of pure guest free ZIF-8 (a), $[\text{Zn}(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}]_{0.227}@\text{ZIF-8}$ (b), $[\text{ZnO}]_{0.181}@\text{ZIF-8}$ (c), $[\text{ZnO}]_{0.09}@\text{ZIF-8}$ (d) and ZnO (e).

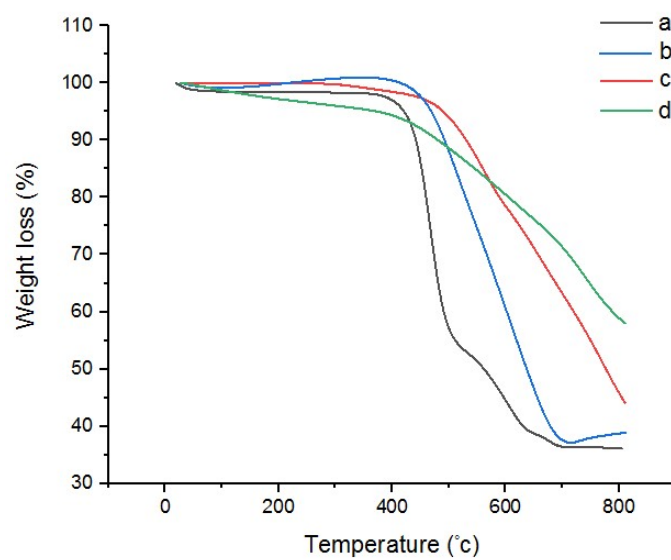


Figure S2. TGA curves of ZIF-8 (a), $[\text{Zn}(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}]_{0.227}@\text{ZIF-8}$ (b), $[\text{ZnO}]_{0.181}@\text{ZIF-8}$ (c) and $[\text{ZnO}]_{0.09}@\text{ZIF-8}$ (d).

Table S1 The special surface area and mean pore diameter of ZIF-8, $[\text{Zn}(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}]_{0.227}@\text{ZIF-8}$, $[\text{ZnO}]_{0.181}@\text{ZIF-8}$ and $[\text{ZnO}]_{0.09}@\text{ZIF-8}$.

Sample	$a_{s,\text{BET}}$	Mean pore diameter
ZIF-8	1529.9 m^2g^{-1}	2.0137 nm
$[\text{Zn}(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}]_{0.227}@\text{ZIF-8}$	1469.7 m^2g^{-1}	1.7930 nm
$[\text{ZnO}]_{0.181}@\text{ZIF-8}$	1463.8 m^2g^{-1}	1.8248 nm
$[\text{ZnO}]_{0.09}@\text{ZIF-8}$	147 m^2g^{-1}	3.5914 nm