

Supporting Information

N-doped rutile TiO₂ nanorod@g-C₃N₄ core/shell S-scheme

heterojunction for boosting photoreduction CO₂ activity

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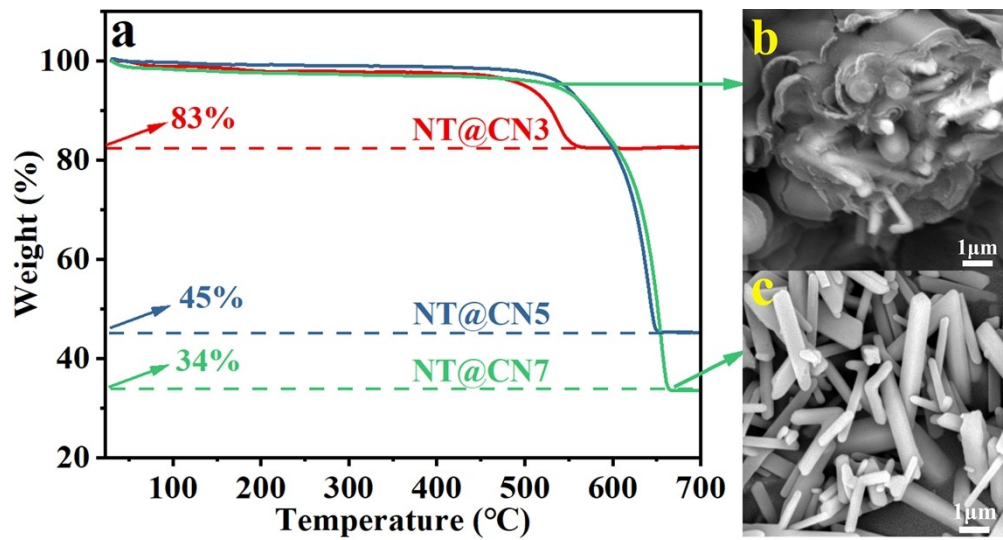


Figure S1. (a) TG curves of NT@CN3, NT@CN5, and NT@CN7. SEM images of NT@CN7 before (b) and after (c) thermogravimetric analysis.

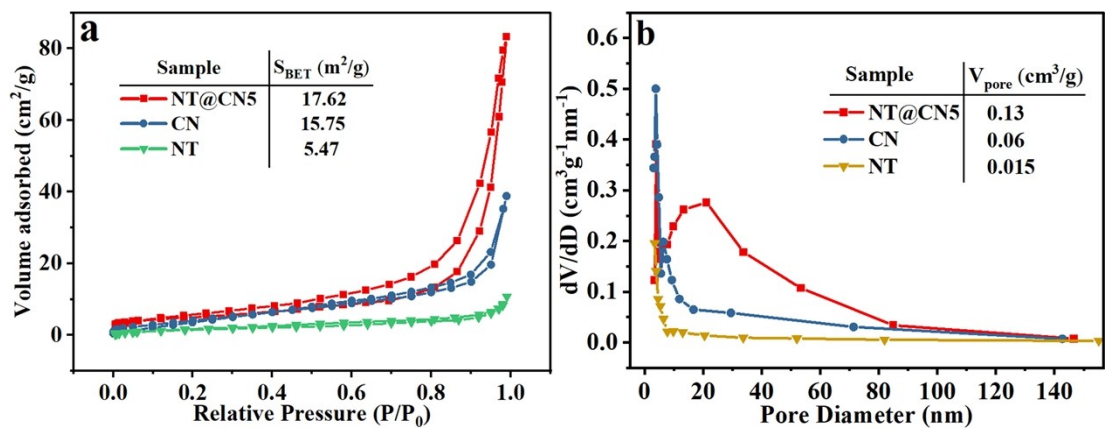


Figure S2. N_2 adsorption-desorption isotherms (a) and corresponding Barrett-Joyner-Halenda (BJH) pore-size distribution plots (b) of NT, CN, and NT@CN5 samples.

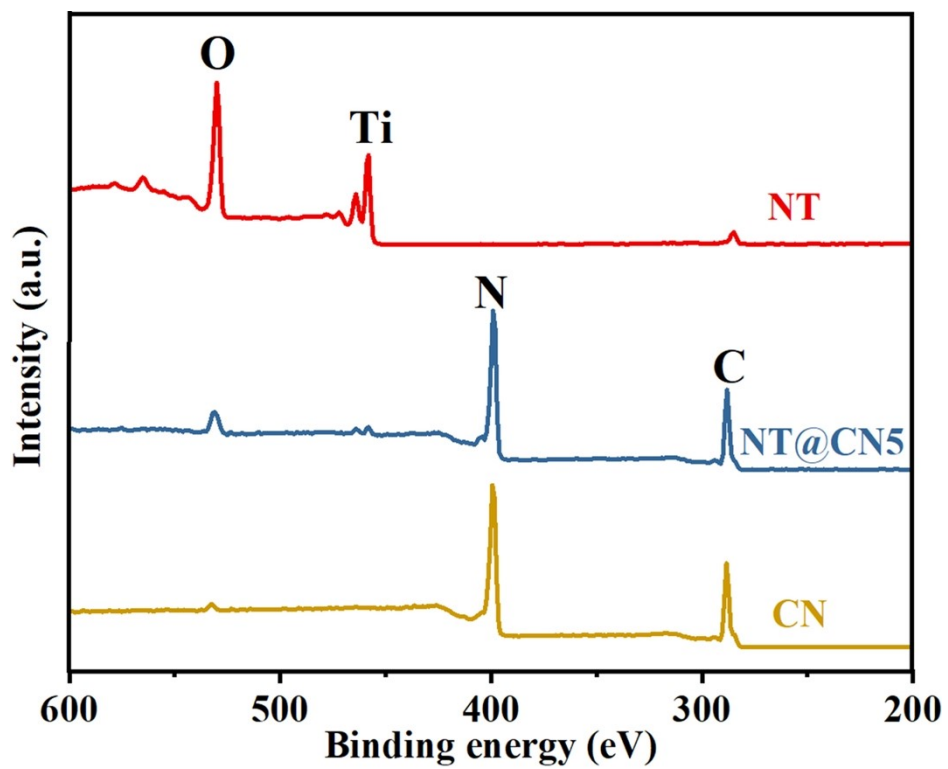


Figure S3. XPS survey spectra of CN, NT, and NT@CN5.

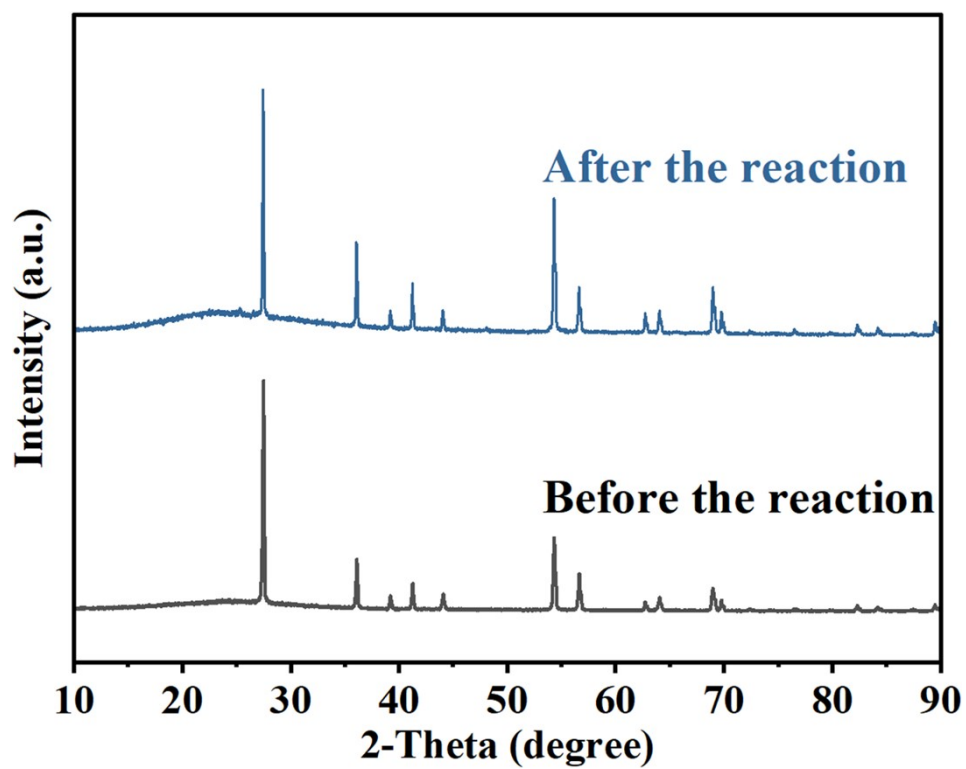


Figure S4. XRD patterns of as-prepared NT@CN5 before and after reaction.

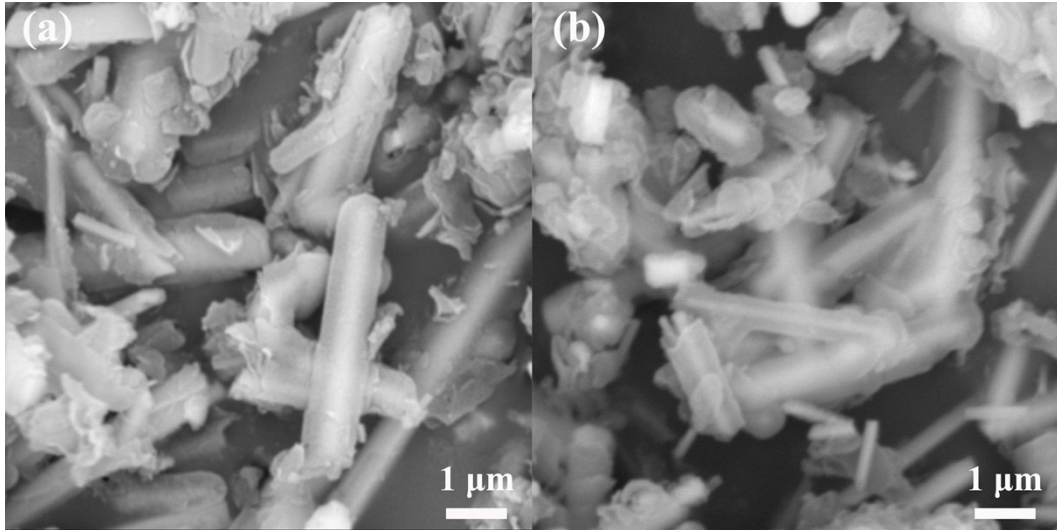


Figure S5. SEM images of as-prepared NT@CN5 before (a) and after (b) reaction.

Table S1. Photocatalytic CO production on NT@CN5 sample, compared with reported data for other photocatalysts.

Photocatalyst	Reaction conditions	Reaction time (h)	CO Production ($\mu\text{mol g}^{-1}\text{h}^{-1}$)	Reference
A-TiO ₂ /R-TiO ₂ (Anatase and Rutile)	300 W Hg-Xe, liquid phase (0.1 M KHCO ₃ aqueous solution), 100 mg catalyst	5	1.39	S1
TiO ₂ /g-C ₃ N ₄ nanosheet (Anatase)	150 W Xe, $\lambda > 325$ nm, gas phase, 25 mg catalyst	6	2.04	S2
TiO ₂ nanosheets- {001} (Anatase)	2x18W Hg, $\lambda = 245$ nm, liquid phase (2 M NaOH aqueous solution), 300 mg catalyst	5	0.12	S3
TiO ₂ -CoO _x (Anatase)	150 W UV, $\lambda = 365$ nm, gas phase, 50 mg catalyst, 120 °C	5	1.24	S4
Au/TiO ₂ (Anatase)	300 W Xe, $\lambda = 320-780$ nm, gas phase	6	0.3	S5
AuPd ₃ /TiO ₂ (Anatase)	300 W Xe, $\lambda = 320-780$ nm, gas phase	6	2.6	S5
Pd/TiO ₂ (Anatase)	300 W Xe, $\lambda = 320-780$ nm, gas phase	6	3.9	S5
g-C ₃ N ₄ /TiO ₂ - {210} cubes (Brookite)	300 W Xe, $\lambda = 320-780$ nm, gas phase, 60 mg catalyst	2	1.27	S6
I/TiO ₂ -{001} (Anatase)	500 W Xe, $\lambda = 320-780$ nm, gas phase, 0.3 g catalyst	6	3.43	S7
TiO ₂ (P25)	300 W Xe, $\lambda = 320-780$ nm, gas phase, 100 mg catalyst	5	1.84	S8
PdS QD-Cu/TiO ₂	300 W Xe, $\lambda = 320-780$ nm, gas phase	6	0.82	S9
I doped TiO ₂	450 W Xe, $\lambda = 320-780$ nm, gas phase, 200 mg catalyst	3	2.4	S10
N-doped rutile TiO ₂ @g-C ₃ N ₄ (Rutile)	300 W Xe, $\lambda = 320-780$ nm, gas phase, 50 mg catalyst, 80 kPa,	5	6.67	this work

Table S2. Decay parameters and average lifetime according to a biexponential fitting model of the PL decay curves.

Sample	A_1	τ_1 (ns)	A_2	τ_2 (ns)	τ_{ave} (ns)
NT	11.02	1.95	0.41	7.99	6.36
CN	6.76	2.33	0.44	11.71	11.36
NT@CN5	6.62	2.2	0.31	15.32	14.28

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