

Supplementary Information for

**Revealing the crystal facet effect on N₂O formation during the NH₃-
SCR over α -MnO₂ catalysts**

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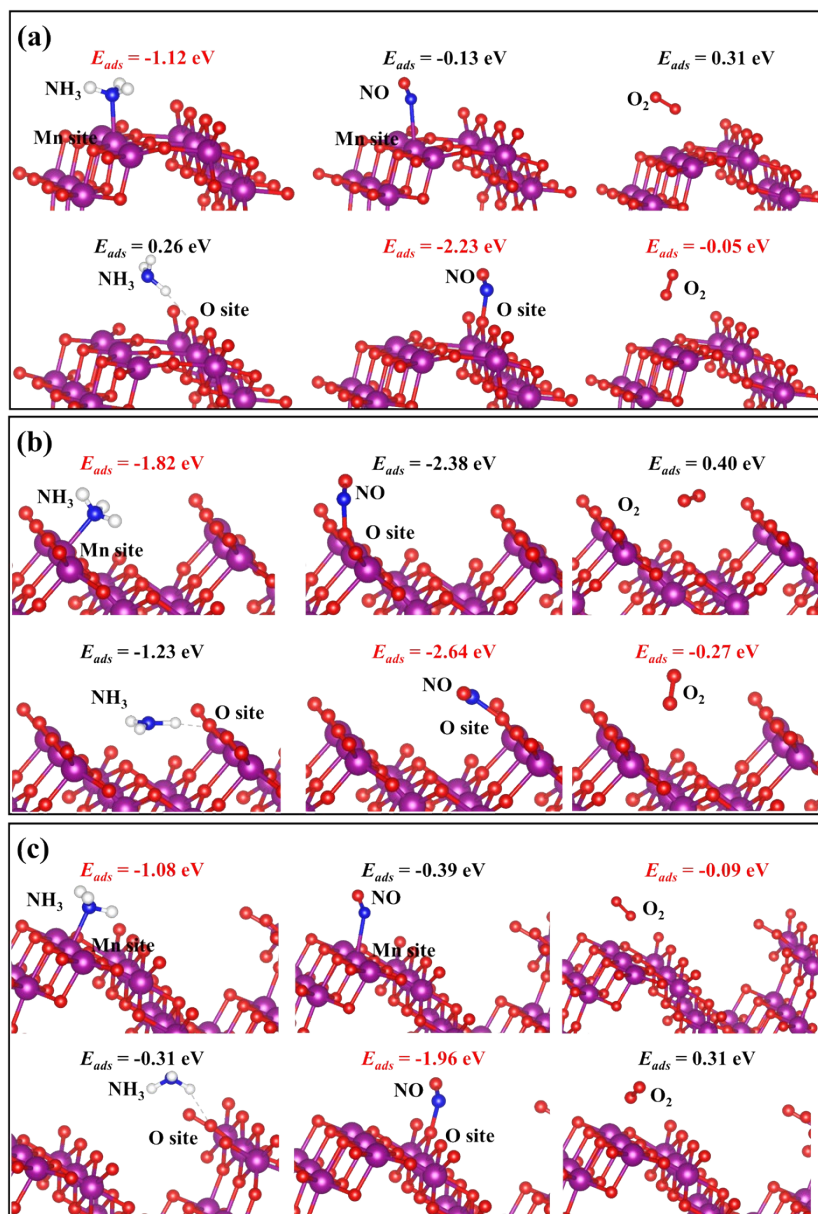


Fig. S1 Adsorption configurations of NH₃, NO and O₂ molecules on (a) α -MnO₂ (100); (b) α -MnO₂ (110); (c) α -MnO₂ (310). Purple, red, dark blue and white circles denote Mn, O, N and H atoms respectively.

Table S1 Reaction rate constant (k) of each elementary reaction on α -MnO₂ under different temperatures.

| Facets | Reaction rate constants (k , s ⁻¹) | Temperature (K) | | | | |
|--------|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | 350 | 375 | 400 | 425 | 450 |
| (100) | k (R1) | 2.79×10^{-7} | 7.37×10^{-6} | 1.33×10^{-4} | 1.75×10^{-3} | 1.76×10^{-2} |
| | k (R2) | 4.56×10^4 | 1.73×10^5 | 5.59×10^5 | 1.57×10^6 | 3.95×10^6 |
| | k (R3) | 2.09×10^{11} | 2.47×10^{11} | 2.87×10^{11} | 3.28×10^{11} | 3.69×10^{11} |
| (110) | k (R1) | 3.59×10^1 | 1.75×10^2 | 7.05×10^2 | 2.41×10^3 | 7.19×10^3 |
| | k (R2) | 1.18×10^{-2} | 9.09×10^{-2} | 5.36×10^{-1} | 2.54 | 10.03 |
| | k (R3) | 3.59×10^1 | 1.82×10^2 | 7.57×10^2 | 2.66×10^3 | 8.13×10^3 |
| (310) | k (R1) | 2.47×10^9 | 3.72×10^9 | 5.33×10^9 | 7.32×10^9 | 9.71×10^9 |
| | k (R2) | 2.15×10^{-1} | 1.65 | 9.89 | 48.05 | 1.96×10^2 |
| | k (R3) | 1.55×10^{-4} | 2.09×10^{-3} | 2.06×10^{-2} | 2.16×10^{-1} | 9.41×10^{-1} |