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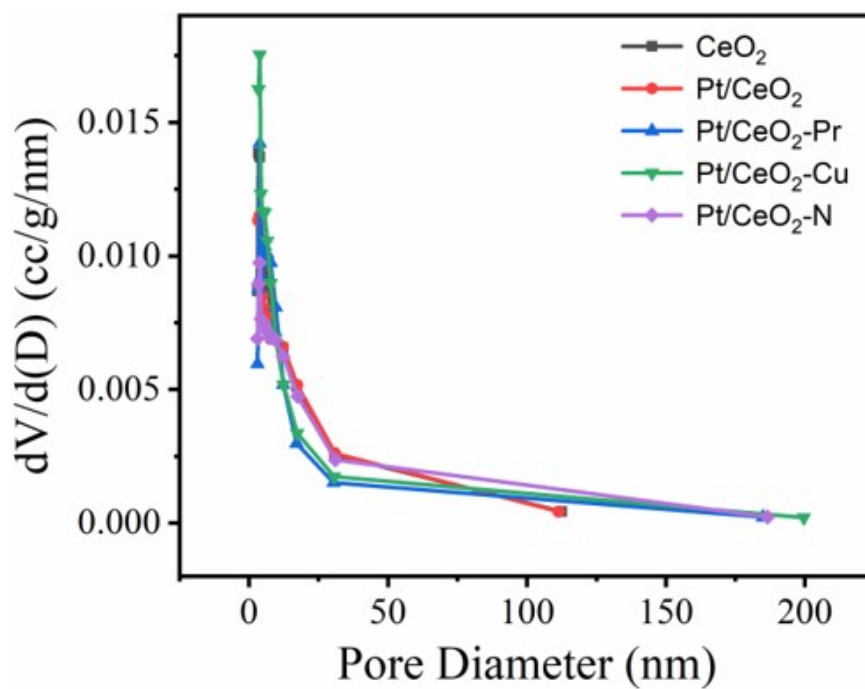
### **Fabrication of supported Pt/CeO<sub>2</sub> nanocatalysts doped with different elements for CO oxidation: Theoretical and experimental studies**

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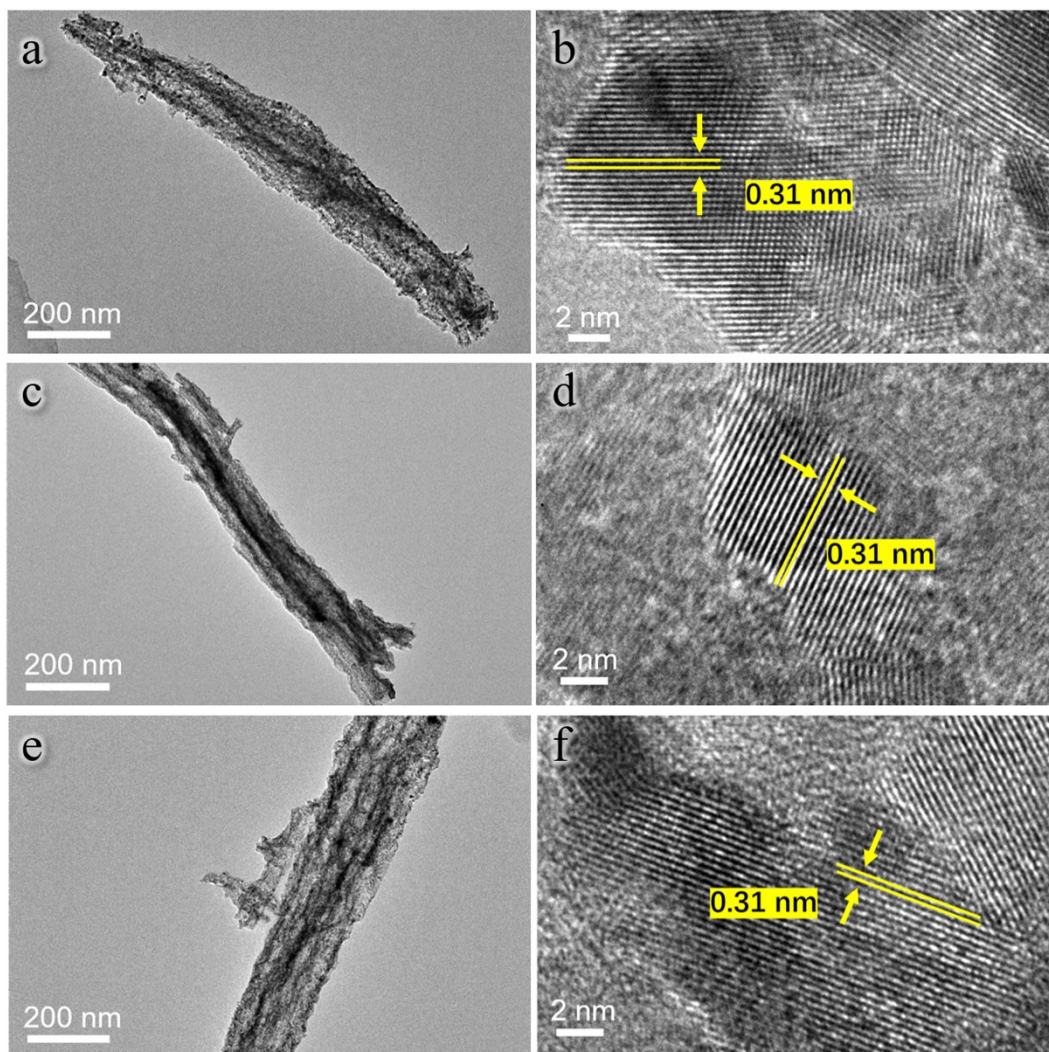
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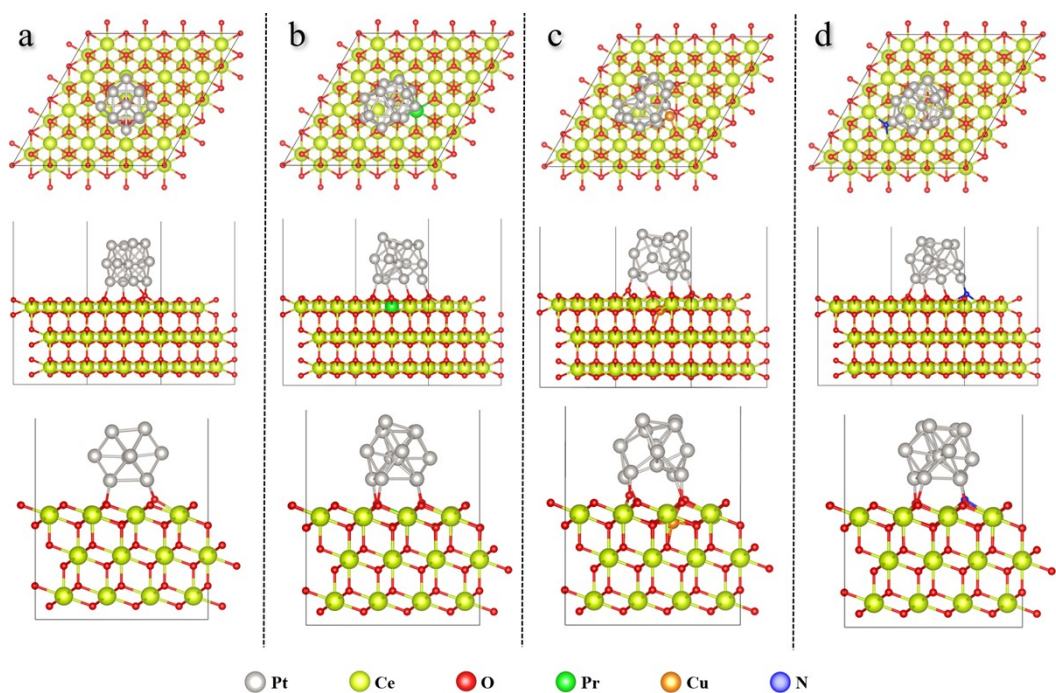
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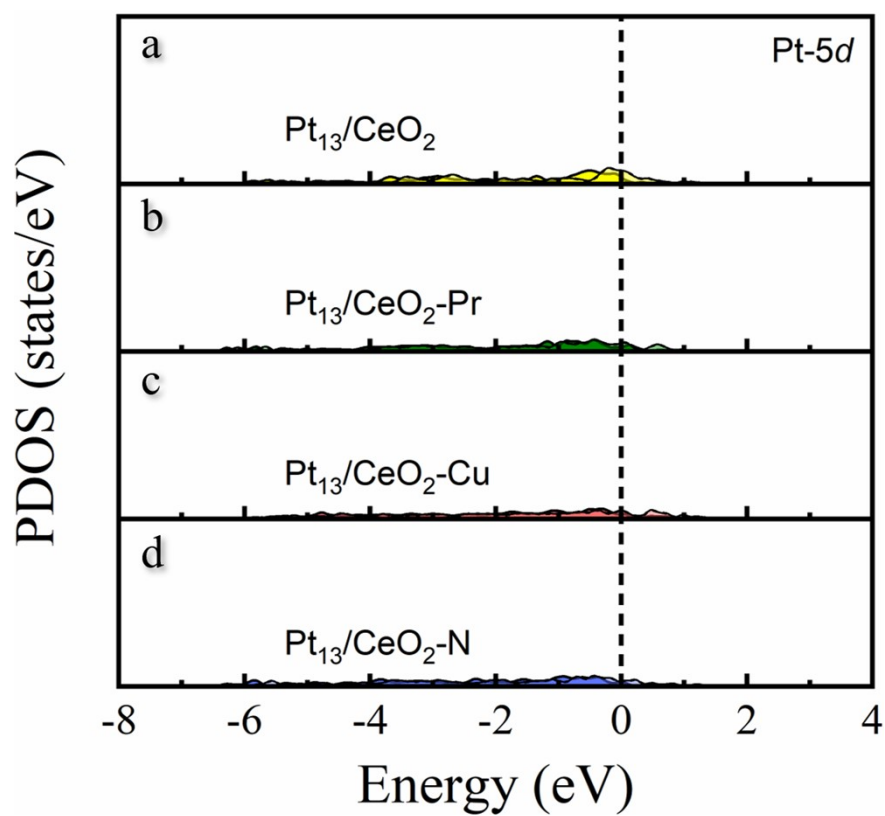
**Figure S1.** Pore size distribution plots of CeO<sub>2</sub>, Pt/CeO<sub>2</sub>, and Pt/CeO<sub>2</sub>-M (M = Pr, Cu, N).



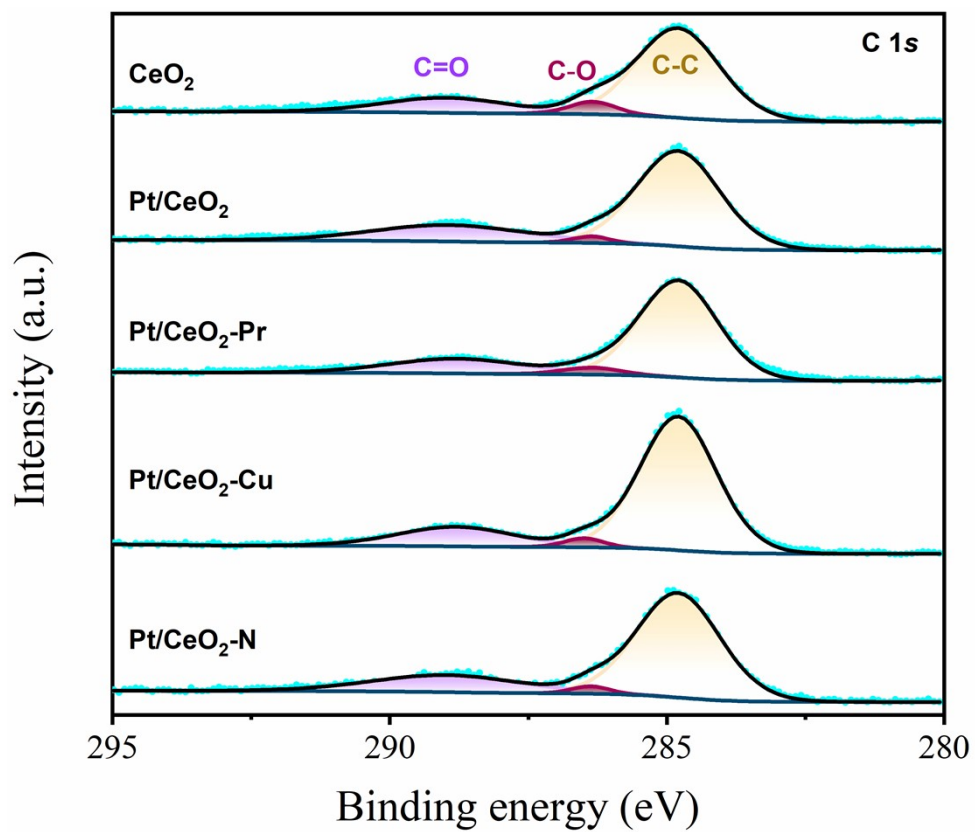
**Figure S2.** TEM and high-resolutionTEM images of (a, b) Pt/CeO<sub>2</sub>, (c, d) Pt/CeO<sub>2</sub>-Pr, and (e, f) Pt/CeO<sub>2</sub>-N samples.



**Figure S3.** The optimized models of the four catalysts (a)  $\text{Pt}_{13}/\text{CeO}_2$ , (b)  $\text{Pt}_{13}/\text{CeO}_2\text{-Pr}$ , (c)  $\text{Pt}_{13}/\text{CeO}_2\text{-Cu}$ , and (d)  $\text{Pt}_{13}/\text{CeO}_2\text{-N}$ .



**Figure S4.** PDOS of Pt-5d state of (a)  $\text{Pt}_{13}/\text{CeO}_2$ , (b)  $\text{Pt}_{13}/\text{CeO}_2\text{-Pr}$ , (c)  $\text{Pt}_{13}/\text{CeO}_2\text{-Cu}$ , and (d)  $\text{Pt}_{13}/\text{CeO}_2\text{-N}$ .



**Figure S5.** High-resolution XPS spectra of C 1s over five different catalysts.

**Table S1.** The activation energies ( $E_a$ ) of different catalysts reported in the literature.

Catalyst	Activation energies ( $E_a$ ) (kJ/mol)	Reference
CeO <sub>2</sub>	64	[1]
FePc/CeO <sub>2</sub>	50	[1]
Au/CeO <sub>2</sub>	42	[1]
hemin/CeO <sub>2</sub>	61	[1]
hemin-Au/CeO <sub>2</sub>	21	[1]
FePc-Au/CeO <sub>2</sub>	34	[1]
Pt/bio-CeO <sub>2</sub>	45	[2]
Pd/bio-CeO <sub>2</sub>	47	[2]
Au/bio-CeO <sub>2</sub>	37	[2]
Ag/bio-CeO <sub>2</sub>	49	[2]
Pt/CeO <sub>2</sub> 500C	55	[3]
Pt/CeO <sub>2</sub> 800C	79	[3]
Pt/(800C)CeO <sub>2</sub> 500C	33	[3]
Pt/(800C)CeO <sub>2</sub> 800C	56	[3]

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