

Rational design of graphdiyne-based single-atom catalysts for electrochemical CO₂ reduction reaction

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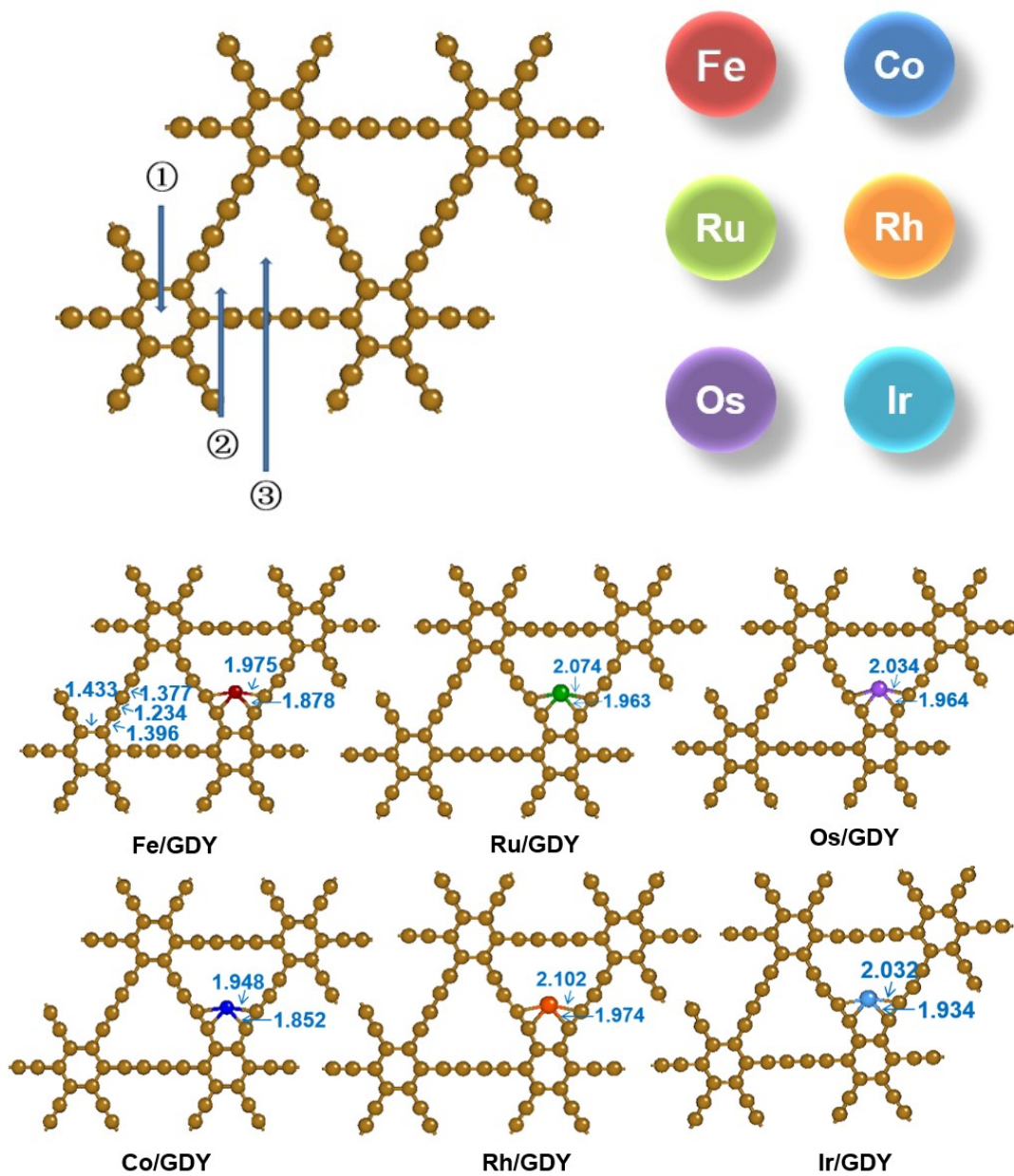


Figure S1. The optimized structure of TM_1/GDY and the schematic of screening site GDY.

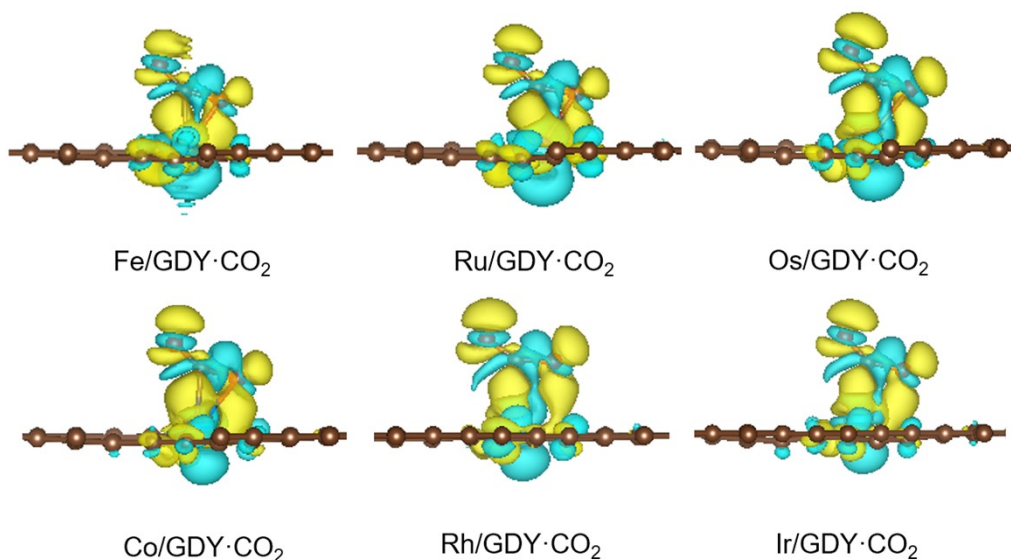


Figure S2. Differential charge density diagram of CO₂ adsorbed by TM₁/GDY.

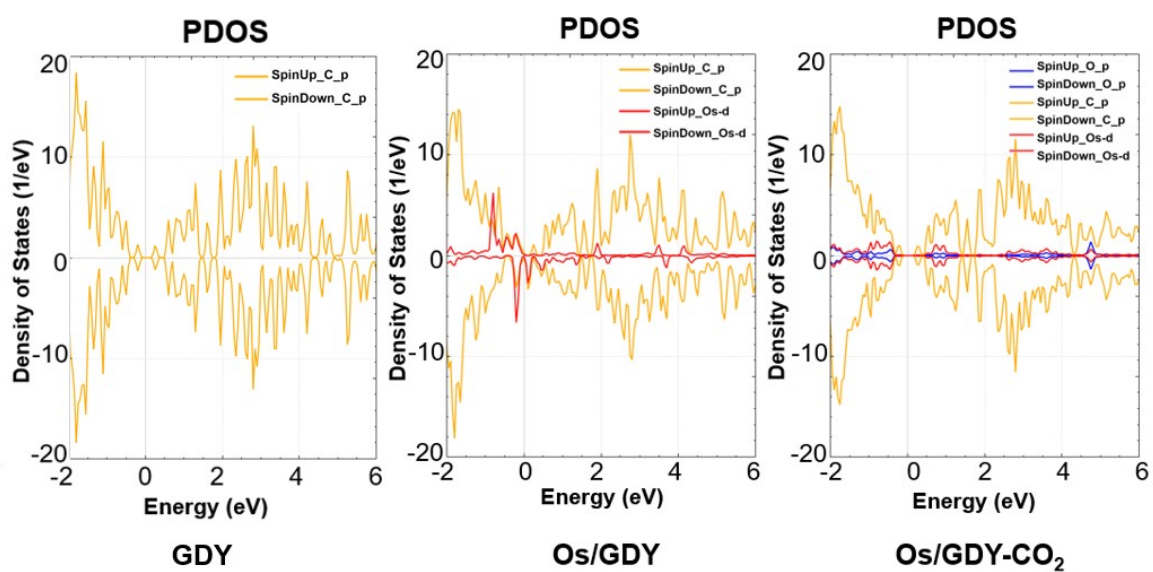


Figure S3. The schematic diagram of projected electronic densities of states of GDY, Os₁/GDY, and Os₁/GDY-CO₂.

Table S1 The change of free energy in the first protonation step of CO₂RR adsorption and HER on TM₁/GDY catalysts.

SACs	ΔG_{HER} (eV)	$\Delta G_{\text{CO}_2\text{RR}}$ (eV)
Fe/GDY	0.16	0.31
Ru/GDY	-0.95	-0.69
Os/GDY	-1.15	-0.51
Co/GDY	0.18	0.43
Rh/GDY	-0.31	0.39
Ir/GDY	-0.47	0.24

Table S2 The free energies of CO₂RR on Os/GDY.

CO ₂ RR	ΔG (eV)
CO ₂ → *CO ₂	-0.52
*CO ₂ → *COOH	-0.57
*COOH → *CO	-1.40
*CO → *COH	-0.14
*CO → *CHO	-0.79
*CHO → *CHOH	-0.91
*CHO → *CH ₂ O	-1.17
*CH ₂ O → *CH ₂ OH	-1.03
*CH ₂ O → *CH ₃ O	-1.66
*CH ₃ O → *CH ₃ OH	-0.88
*CH ₃ O → *OCH ₄	-2.33
*OCH ₄ → CH ₄	-2.12