

**Supplementary figure 1 | Molecular electrostatic potential surface of CF3X**. Reprinted with permission from Supplementary Reference #4. Copyright 2007 Springer.



**Supplementary figure 2 | Stability tests for COP-99.** (**a**) Solubility test of COP-99 in common solvents. Images were taken after a sonication for 1 min at 50 °C. (b) Contact angle for a water droplet on the surface of COP-99. (**c**) Photograph of COP-99 in water. Owing to the hydrophobicity, COP-99 floats on the surface of water. (**d**) Long-term boiling test of COP-99 (20 mg) in  $D_2O$  (1.5 mL) at 110°C for 24 h. In order to prevent  $D<sub>2</sub>O$  evaporation, the test was conducted in a sealed glass ampoule. There was no noticeable change in both COP-99 and  $D_2O$  solution after boiling. (e) <sup>1</sup>H and (f) <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of the D<sub>2</sub>O filtrate. (**g**) <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectrum of D<sub>2</sub>O the filtrate exhibited the existence of free fluorine partially detached from COP-99 via nucleophilic substitution. (**h**) Fluorine peak was not observed when the COP-99 was treated in  $D_2O$  at 50 °C for 60 h.



**Supplementary figure 3 | Thermogravimetric analysis (TGA) plot of COP-99**. COP-99 shows high thermal stability up to  $300^{\circ}$ C both in inert and oxidative environments.



**Supplementary figure 4 | Characterisation by FTIR.** (**a**) FTIR spectra of COP-99 and related monomer units. (**b**) Change in FTIR spectrum after the adsorption of MB molecule.



**Supplementary figure 5 | BET linear plots** of (**a**) COP-99, (**b**) F-CTF, (**c**) CTF, and (**d**) ACN.



**Supplementary figure 6 | Gas adsorption isotherms of COP-99; (a)**  $CO_2$  **and (b)**  $N_2$  **at** 273 K and 298 K. (c) IAST  $CO_2/N_2$  selectivity for  $CO_2:N_2$  gas mixture (15:85). (d) Isosteric heat of  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  adsorption for COP-99.



**Supplementary figure 7 | Visualization of minimum (green) and maximum (yellow) projection diameter of dye molecules utilized for adsorption study;** (**a**) 4-Nitrophenol (4NP), (**b**) Bisphenol A (BPA), (**c**) Methylene Blue (MB), (**d**) Rhodamine B (RDB), and (**e**) Brilliant Blue G (BBG). Arrows represent the orthogonal directions on the projection planes. (**f**) Calculated  $d_{min}$  (black) and  $d_{max}$  (blue) for dye molecules. The calculations were carried out using *MarvinSketch, ChemAxon* (version 15.6.8), for the molecular conformation with the lowest energy based on van der Waals diameter of the atoms. (Projection optimization enabled, optimization limit: very strict).



**Supplementary figure 8 | UV-Vis absorption spectra** of (**a**) aqueous RDB and (**b**) BBG treated with COP-99 at different intervals. The inset photograph shows the corresponding colour of the effluents after the treatment.



**Supplementary figure 9 | Change in NP isomer concentrations over time** after being treated with COP-99 in terms of absorbance relative to initial absorbance  $(C/C_0)$ . Initial concentration  $(C_0)$  of all the dyes was adjusted to be 100  $\mu$ M, and the adsorption was conducted in mild acid condition (pH  $\sim$ 3.8). Inset displays the maximum van der Waals diameter of NP isomers calculated by *MarvinSketch*.



**Supplementary figure 10 | Removal efficiency of 4-NP-a on COP-99 in six successive cycles of adsorption-desorption**. Initial concentration of 4-NP-a was adjusted to be 50 μM and pH of all the samples was controlled to be 4.



**Supplementary figure 11 | Change in m-PD concentrations over time** after being treated with COP-99 in terms of absorbance relative to initial absorbance  $(C/C_0)$ . Initial concentration  $(C_0)$  of all the dyes was adjusted to be 100  $\mu$ M. The m-PD was tested both in acidic (m-PD-a,  $pH = 4$ ) and basic (m-PD-b,  $pH = 10$ ) conditions. The concentration was analysed using a UV-vis spectrophotometer at a wavelength of maximum absorbance (270 nm for m-PD-a and 220 nm for m-PD-b) 10. *Inset* shows molecular structure of m-PD.



**Supplementary figure 12 | Long-term adsorption test of RDB and BBG using COP-99**. Initial concentration  $(C_0)$  of all the dyes was adjusted to be 50  $\mu$ M.



**Supplementary figure 13 | Change in 4-NP concentrations over time** after being treated with (**a**) CTF and (**b**) F-CTF in terms of absorbance relative to initial absorbance (C/C<sub>0</sub>). Initial concentration (C<sub>0</sub>) of the dyes was adjusted to be 50  $\mu$ M. 4-Nitrophenol was tested both in acidic (4NP-a,  $pH = 4$ ) and basic (4NP-b,  $pH = 9$ ) conditions.



**Supplementary figure 14 | Control experiments with activated carbon.** (**a**) Argon adsorption-desorption isotherm of Activated Charcoal Norit® (ACN) measured at 87 K, and (**b**) corresponding NLDFT pore size distribution. (**c**) pH-dependent zeta potential of ACN. (**d**) Change in dye concentrations over time after being treated with ACN in terms of absorbance relative to initial absorbance  $(C/C_0)$ . Initial concentration  $(C_0)$  of all the dyes was adjusted to be 50 μM.



**Supplementary figure 15 | LC spectra** of (**a**) 4-NP-b, (**b**) MB and (**c**) BPA before and after the treatment with COP-99. RE stands for removal efficiency via the adsorption with COP-99.



**Supplementary figure 16 | UV-Vis spectra of mixed dye solutions** of (**a,c**) 4-NP/BBG and (**b,d**) MB/BPA (**a, b**) before and after being treated via a packed column of COP-99 and (**c, d**) during soaking COP-99 in the solutions.



**Supplementary figure 17 | HPLC calibration curves of the tested dye substrates** from five concentrations of 0.05 ppm, 0.1 ppm, 10 ppm, 50 ppm, and 100 ppm. (**a**) 4-NP-a, (**b**) 4-NP-b, (**c**) MB, and (**d**) BPA.

**Supplementary table 1 | Elemental analyses of all porous polymers**. Fluorine contents were quantitatively measured by Combustion Ion Chromatography (CIC).



**Supplementary note 1.** Long-term boiling test of COP-99 was carried out under hydrothermal condition. In order to prevent from the possible evaporation of  $D<sub>2</sub>O$  under the elevated temperature, we carried out the test in closed glass ampoule. Typically, about 20 mg of COP-99 was placed in a Pyrex ampoule  $(5 \text{ mL capacity})$  and  $1.5 \text{ mL of } D<sub>2</sub>O$ was transferred in the ampoule. The reaction mixture was frozen in liquid nitrogen, further evacuated and flame-sealed. After being warmed, the ampoule was treated at 110°C for 24h, and the reaction filtrate was analysed using NMR spectroscopy.

We observed that COP-99 did not exhibit any colour change and the  $D<sub>2</sub>O$  filtrate also stayed transparent after the hydrothermal treatment (Supplementary Fig. 2d). The  ${}^{1}$ H NMR spectrum of the D<sub>2</sub>O filtrate only showed a D<sub>2</sub>O residual peak, and the <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum also displayed no peaks, indicating the COP-99 is insoluble in water even at a boiling condition (Supplementary Fig. 2e and 2f, respectively). In the <sup>19</sup>F NMR spectrum (Supplementary Fig. 2g), however, showed a small peak at about -130.27 ppm, corresponding to aqueous F ions (e.g. Aqueous F- of  $KF = -125.3$  ppm). This implies that few fluorines on COP-99 were detached from the polymer network at the elevated temperature, and we assumed that  $D<sub>2</sub>O$  replaces fluorines to produce deuterium fluoride in high temperature via nucleophilic substitution. When COP-99 was treated under lower temperature, i.e., 50 °C for 60 h, there were no peaks in  ${}^{1}H$ ,  ${}^{13}C$ ,  ${}^{19}F$  NMR spectrum in the D<sub>2</sub>O filtrate (Supplementary Fig. 2h). We found that the fluorine content has been decreased 4.6 % after the boiling test at 110 °C (only 20 % of all fluorines) due to the fluorine exchange with  $D_2O$ , however, there was no noticeable change in fluorine content after the treatment at  $50^{\circ}$ C. This indicates that the nucleophilic substitution of fluorines is plausible (albeit minor) under boiling condition, but the COP-99 was stable in water at least up to 50  $\degree$ C with no change in the amount of fluorines and its framework is stable even at high temperature and pressures. Therefore, COP-99 should be safe to be utilized in water treatment application owing to its stability and insolubility in water.

**Supplementary note 2.** The  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  and  $N<sub>2</sub>$  uptakes of the COP-99 were carried out at 273 K and 298 K (Supplementary Fig. 6a and 6b). The  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  isotherms of COP-99 show physisorptive binding motion with good reversibility. The  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  adsorption capacity of COP-99 at 1 bar is 2.14 mmol  $g^{-1}$  at 273 K and 1.55 mmol  $g^{-1}$  at 298 K, showing noticeable capacity retention with rising temperature. The  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  uptake of  $COP-99$  under the high temperature is highly comparable to fluorinated porous polymers with much higher BET surface area, such as FPOP (2.2 mmol  $g^{-1}$  at 273 K, surface area = 1170 m<sup>2</sup> g<sup>-</sup> <sup>1</sup><sup>5</sup> and FMOP (1.68 mmol g<sup>-1</sup> at 298 K, surface area = 1018 m<sup>2</sup> g<sup>-1</sup><sup>6</sup>, which may be originated from the high fluorine content and narrower pore of COP-99 facilitating  $CO<sub>2</sub>$ adsorption<sup>3, 7</sup>. The preferential  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  binding capability of COP-99 was evaluated by using an ideal adsorbed solution theory (IAST) for binary mixture composition of  $CO<sub>2</sub>:N<sub>2</sub>$  $(15:85)^8$ . The IAST CO<sub>2</sub> and N<sub>2</sub> selectivity was high as 29.6 at 273 K and 34.6 at 298 K, showing a slight enhancement in increasing temperature (Supplementary Fig. 6c). Such behaviour is due to  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  binding affinity toward the fluorinated COP-99 not weakening as much as the N<sub>2</sub> binding<sup>9</sup>. The isosteric heat  $(Q_{st})$  of COP-99 for CO<sub>2</sub> adsorption was 21.3  $kJ$  mol<sup>-1</sup> at zero coverage (Supplementary Fig. 6d), indicating that COP-99 can be easily regenerated via pressure/vacuum swing adsorption technique.

**Supplementary note 3.** Along with 4-NP/BBG mixture shown in Fig. 7b, mixture of MB and BPA having similar molecular size was also tested for column separation and batch adsorption. When MB/BPA mixture was filtered through the COP-99 column, both molecules exhibited concentration decrease in a similar level, showing the removal efficiency of 47 % and 55.4 % for MB and BPA, respectively (Supplementary Fig. 16b). We believe this is originated from the column packing condition as we have seen the separation test result from 4-NP/BBG mixture. The size-dependent separation was dominant than the charge-based separation when the mixed molecules pass through a densely packed column, and MB and BPA having almost similar molecular size were filtered out at the same time. While there was no selective adsorption in the column separation, COP-99 showed charge-selective uptake of MB out of the MB/BPA dye mixture via batch adsorption. After immersing 8 mg of COP-99 in the 8 mL of MB/BPA mixed solution for 12 h, MB was removed up to 87 % and BPA was adsorbed 22 %, indicating the fluorine-charge interaction facilitates selective adsorption of MB from the mixed solution (Supplementary Fig. 16d).

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