

## SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS

# Photoreactive Carbon Dots Modified g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> for Effective Photooxidation of Bisphenol-A Under Visible Light Irradiation

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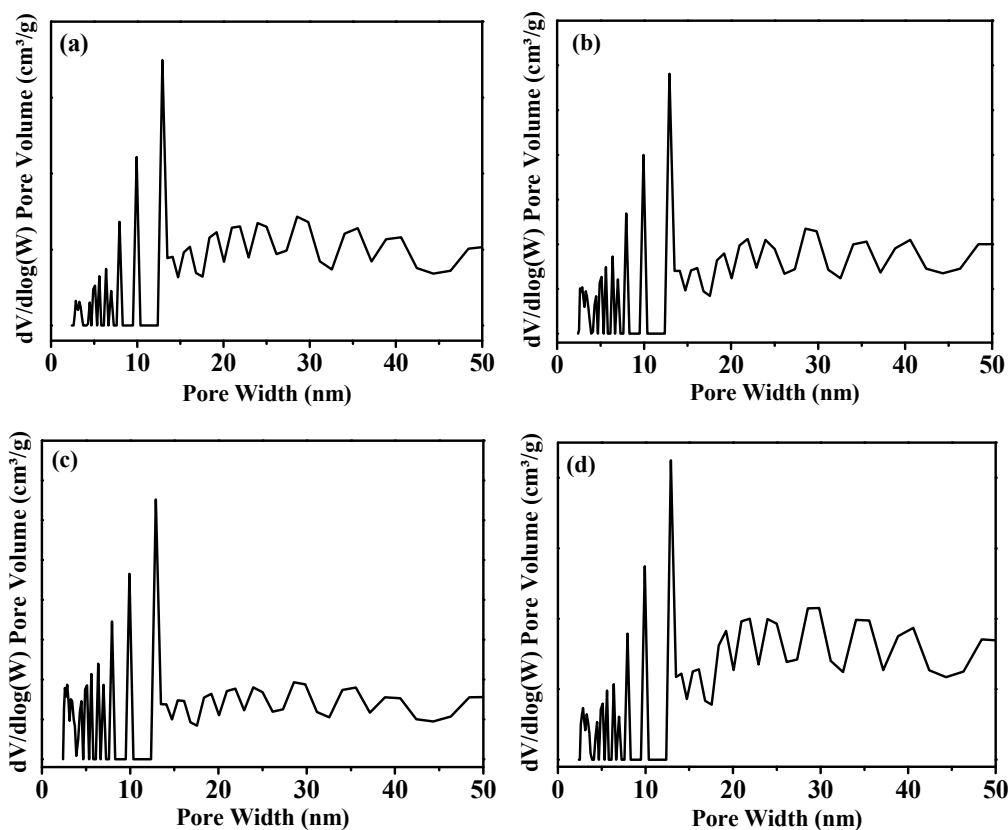
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**Figure S1.** The DFT pore size distribution of (a) pure g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>, (b) 0.5CDs/g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>, (c) 1.0CDs/g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> and (d) 1.5CDs/g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>.

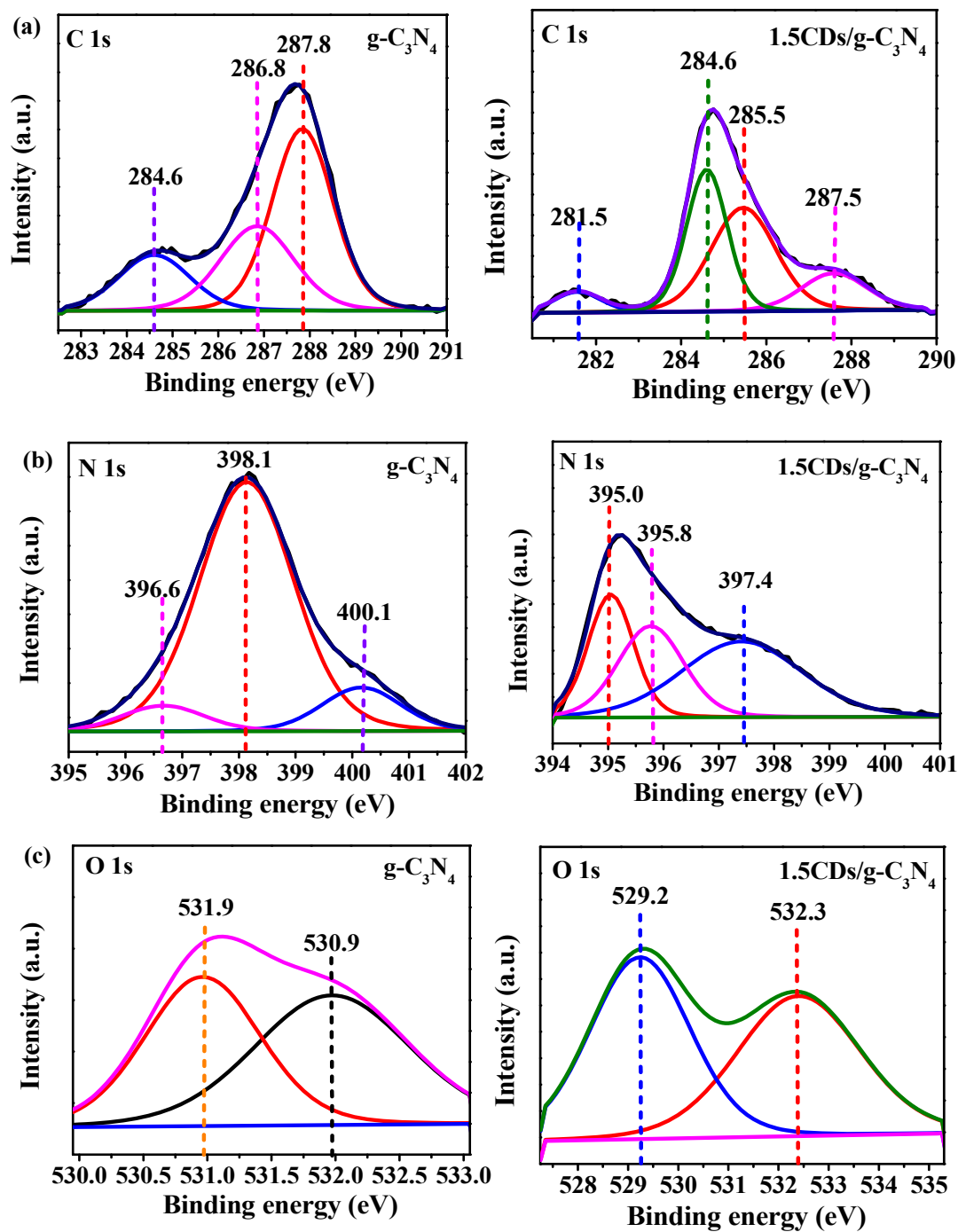
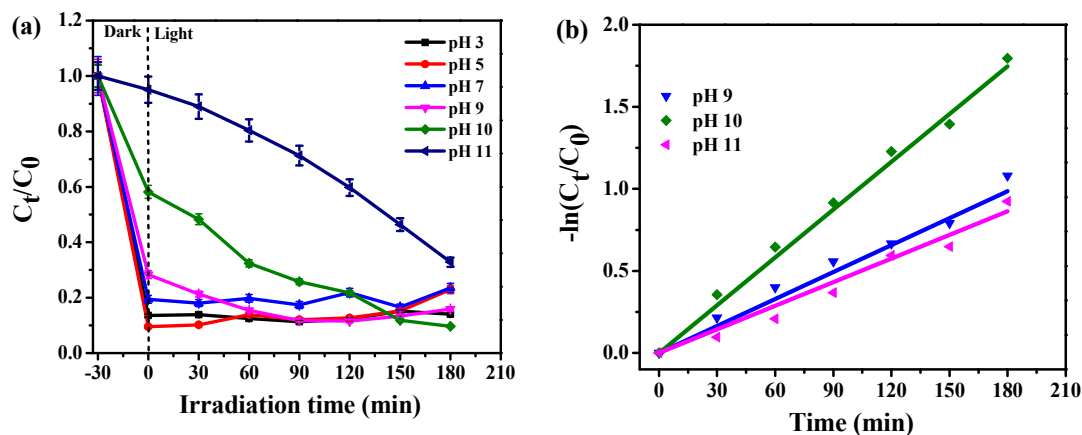
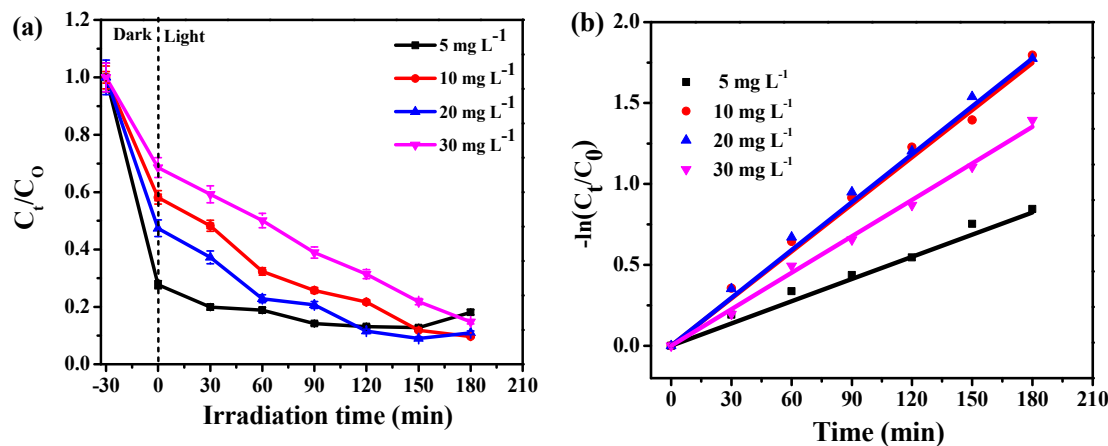


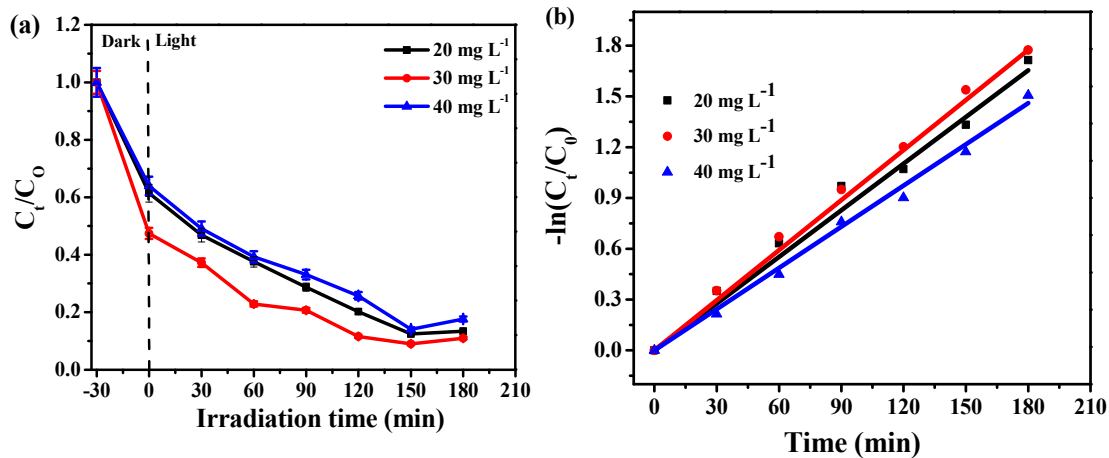
Figure S2. The deconvoluted (a) C 1s (b) N 1s and (c) O 1s XPS spectra of 1.5CDs/g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>.



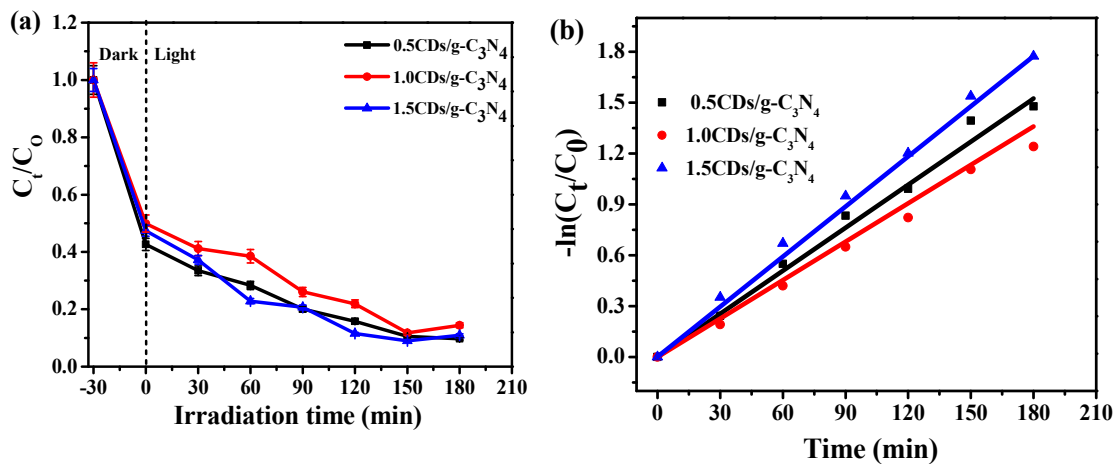
**Figure S3.** The (a) effect of different pH and (b) pseudo first-order kinetic fitting curves under visible light irradiation of BPA on the degradation of BPA. Reaction conditions: 1.5CDs/g- $C_3N_4$  dosage = 30 mg  $L^{-1}$ , BPA concentration = 10 mg  $L^{-1}$  and solution volume = 100 mL.



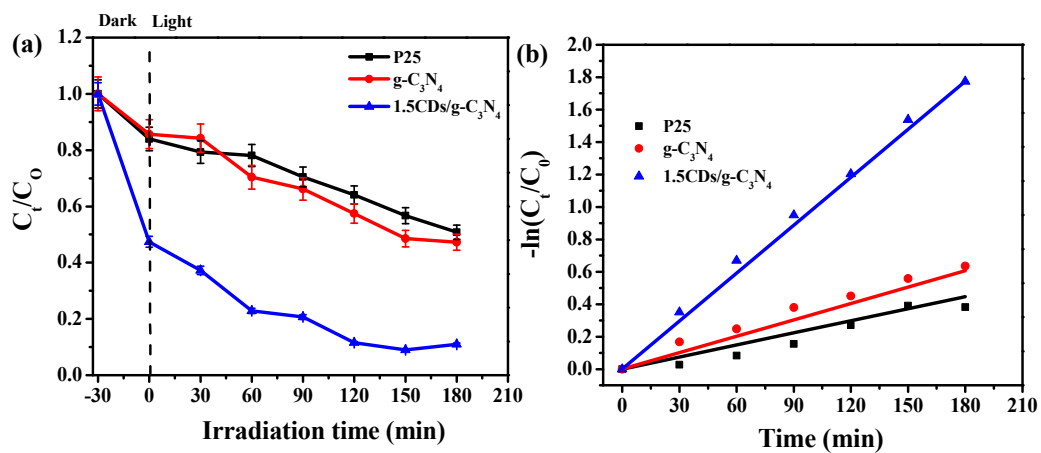
**Figure S4.** The (a) effect of initial concentration of BPA and (b) pseudo first-order kinetic fitting curves under visible light irradiation of BPA on the degradation of BPA. Reaction conditions: 1.5CDs/g- $C_3N_4$  dosage = 30 mg  $L^{-1}$ , solution volume = 100 mL and pH = 10.



**Figure S5.** The (a) effect of catalyst dosage and (b) pseudo first-order kinetic fitting curves under visible light irradiation of BPA on the degradation of BPA. Reaction conditions: BPA concentration = 20 mg L<sup>-1</sup>, solution volume = 100 mL and pH = 10.



**Figure S6.** The (a) effect of CDs loading and (b) pseudo first-order kinetic fitting curves under visible light irradiation of BPA on the degradation of BPA. Reaction conditions: catalyst dosage = 30 mg L<sup>-1</sup>, BPA concentration = 20 mg L<sup>-1</sup>, solution volume = 100 mL and pH = 10.



**Figure S7.** The (a) effect of different photocatalysts and (b) pseudo first-order kinetic fitting curves under visible light irradiation of BPA on the degradation of BPA. Reaction conditions: catalyst amounts = 30 mg L<sup>-1</sup>, BPA concentration = 20 mg L<sup>-1</sup>, solution volume = 100 mL and pH = 10.