

## Supplementary Materials: Oscillatory behavior of Pd-Au catalysts in toluene total oxidation

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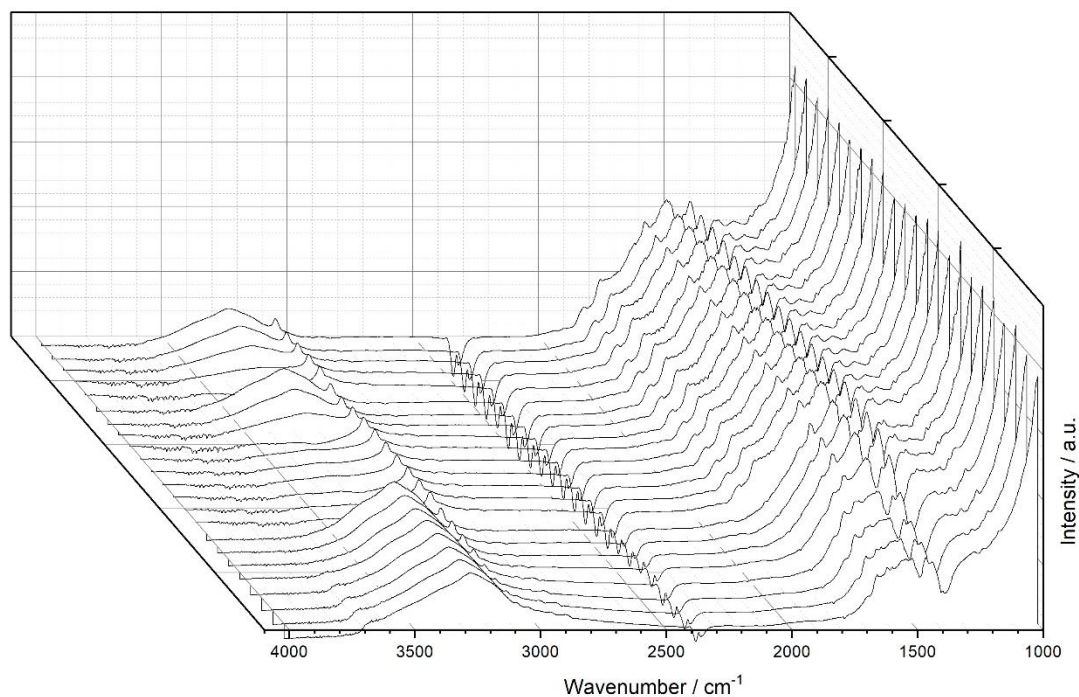
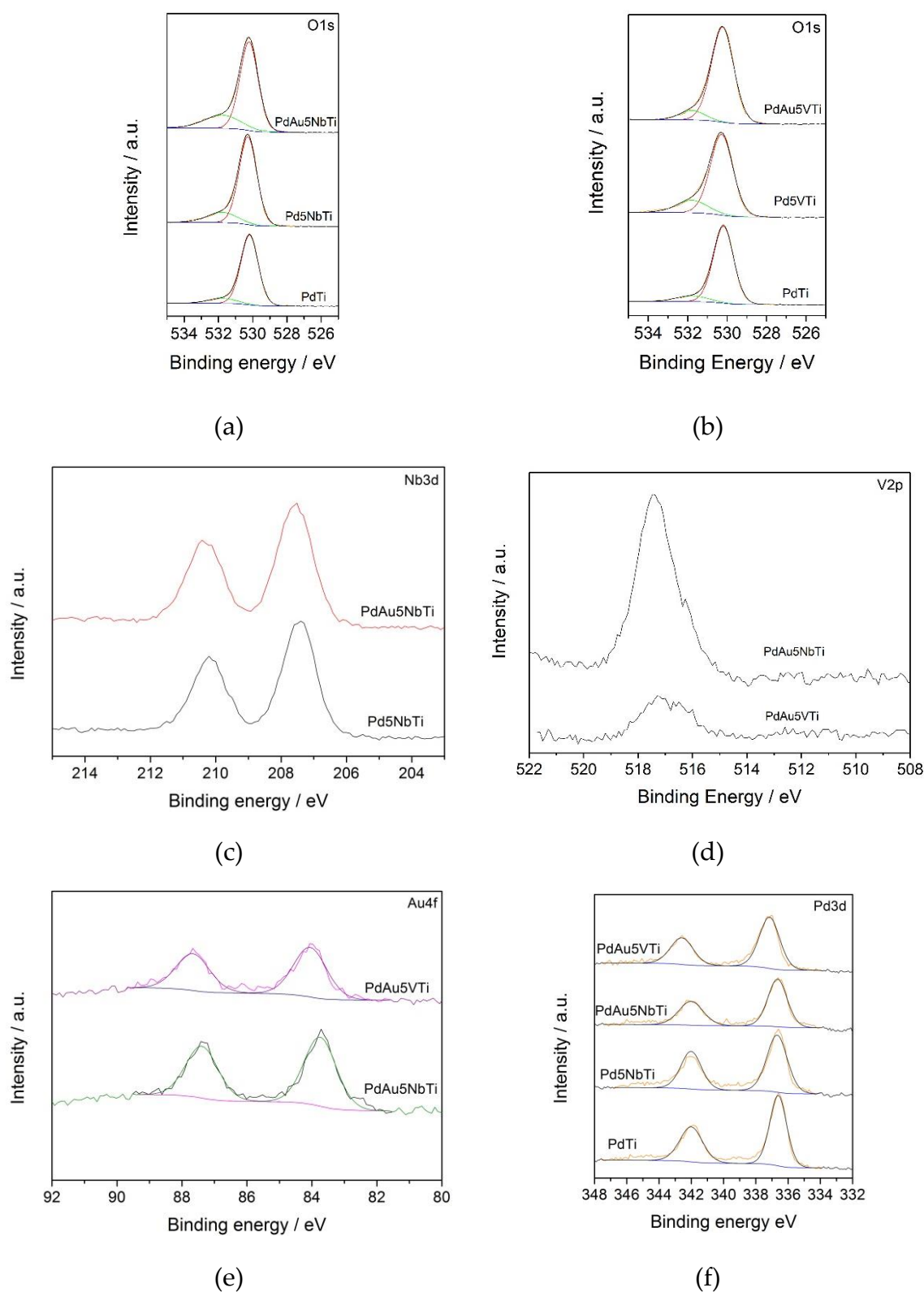


Figure S1. Operando DRIFT results of the PdAu5VTi catalyst.



**Figure S2.** XPS spectra of mono and bimetallic Nb- (a, c and e) and V-doped (b, d and f)  $\text{TiO}_2$  samples.

**Table S1.** BET surface area measurements, noble metal content and T50 values for the oxidation of toluene of bimetallic loaded doped catalysts compared to a previously tested PdAu/TiO<sub>2</sub> sample.

Samples	BET surface area measurements (m <sup>2</sup> g <sup>-1</sup> )		Noble metal content (wt %)		T <sub>50</sub> (°C)
	Before test	After test	Au	Pd	
PdAu5NbTi	160	152	0.42	0.37	214
PdAu5VTi	163	150	0.27	0.38	221
PdAu/TiO <sub>2</sub>	151	127 [1]	0.80	0.39	219

**Table S2.** Observed DRIFT absorption bands and their assignments for the PdAu5NbTi and PdAu5VTi catalysts as seen in Figures 2 and S1 respectively.

PdAu5VTi		PdAu5NbTi		
Bands (cm <sup>-1</sup> )	Bands (cm <sup>-1</sup> )	Assignment	Intensity	Type of vibration
3500–3100	3500–3100	O-H (Ti-OH)	Strong	Stretching
3068	3068	C-H sp <sup>3</sup> (aromatic)	Strong	Stretching
2939	2943	C-H sp <sup>3</sup>	Strong	Asymmetric stretching
2897	2903	C-H sp <sup>3</sup>	Strong	Symmetric stretching
1839	1853	C=O	Strong	Stretching
1776	1784	α and β-unsaturated aliphatic	Strong	Stretching
1676	-			
1639	1641	C=C	Medium	Stretching
1599	1599	C=C in ring	Medium	
-	1584	C=C in-plane	Strong	Stretching
1526	1526	C-C olefin	Strong	Stretching
1513	1513	C-C in ring	Strong	
1445	1444	C-O-H	Medium	Bending
1417	1411	C=O	Strong	Stretching
1324	1327	O-H	Medium	Bending (in-plane)
1305, 1243	1304, 1247	C-O	Strong	Stretching
-	1181	C-O-C	Medium	Bending

**Table S3.** Binding energy and quantitative analysis values of XPS experiments conducted on mono and bimetallic Nb- and V-doped catalysts.

Samples	Binding Energies (eV)									Quantitative analysis					
	O 1s		Pd 3d		Au 4f		Nb 3d		V 2p	O/Ti	O <sub>I</sub> /	O <sub>II</sub> /	Pd/	Au/	Pd/Au
	O <sub>I</sub>	O <sub>II</sub>	3d <sub>5/2</sub>	3d <sub>3/2</sub>	4f <sub>7/2</sub>	4f <sub>5/2</sub>	2p <sub>5/2</sub>	2p <sub>3/2</sub>	2p <sub>3/2</sub>		(O <sub>I</sub> +O <sub>II</sub> )	(O <sub>I</sub> +O <sub>II</sub> )	(Ti+A)*	(Ti+A)*	
PdTi	530.2	531.2	336.6	341.9	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	0.90	0.10	0.020	-	-
Pd5NbTi	530.3	531.8	336.7	342.0	-	-	207.4	210.2	-	1.7	0.84	0.16	0.016	-	-
PdAu5NbTi	530.2	531.8	336.7	342.0	83.7	87.4	207.9	210.6	-	1.8	0.77	0.23	0.011	0.0027	4
Pd5VTi	530.3	531.8	336.8	342.1	-	-	-	-	517.0	1.6	0.86	0.14	0.021	-	-
PdAu5VTi	530.3	531.5	337.1	342.6	84.0	87.7	-	-	517.3	1.6	0.90	0.10	0.013	0.0026	5

\* A = Nb or V

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