

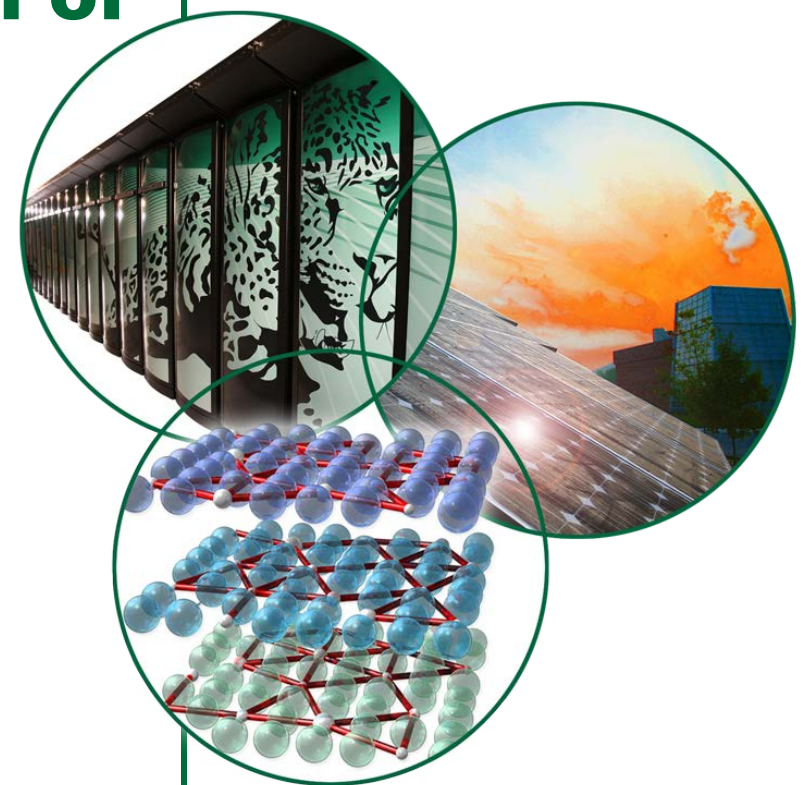
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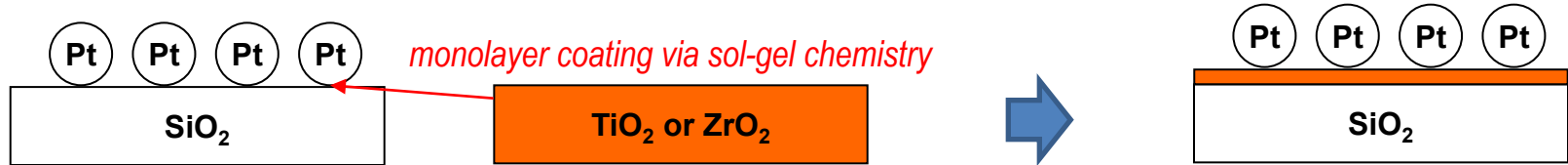
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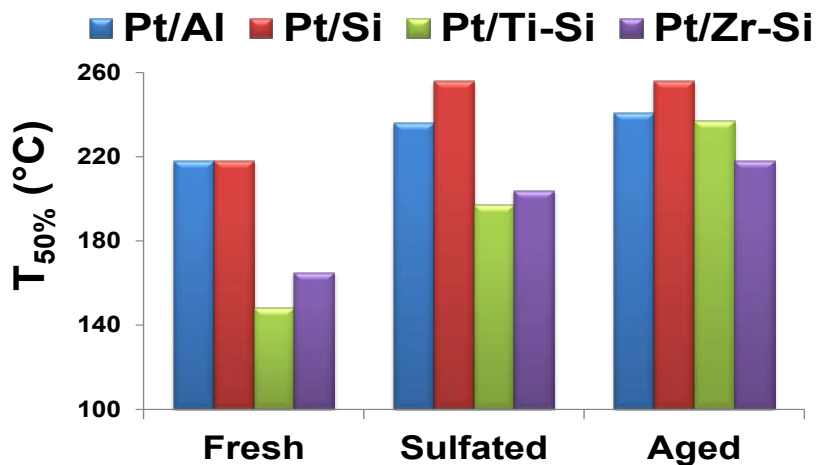
TiO₂ & ZrO₂ coating of SiO₂ can lead to Pt catalysts with enhanced performance



- Weak interaction with Pt (-)
- Sulfur tolerant (+)
- Higher surface area (+)

- Strong interaction with Pt (+)
- Sulfur tolerant (+)
- Low surface area (-)

- Strong interaction with Pt (+)
- Sulfur tolerant (+)
- High surface area (+)



- TiO₂ and ZrO₂ coating enhances dispersion & redox capacity of Pt → **excellent CO oxidation performance (lower light-off temp)**
- TiO₂ and ZrO₂ coating generates surface acidity but low basicity → **good sulfur tolerance**
- TiO₂ and ZrO₂ coating enhances interaction between Pt & supports → **excellent hydrothermal stability**