



Comparative Study of Pd–Ni Bimetallic Catalysts Supported on UiO-66 and UiO-66-NH₂ in Selective 1,3-Butadiene Hydrogenation

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Catalyst characterization

The structure of the samples was conducted on a X-ray diffractometer (XRD, Brüker D8 Advance, Karlsruhe, Germany) with a Ni filter Cu K α ($\lambda = 0.154$ nm) radiation. The textural properties of the samples were investigated using a Quantachrome instrument (Boynton Beach, FL, USA) at 77 K after out-gassing at 150 °C for 12 h. The chemical valence of Pd and Ni was investigated using a PHI Quantum-2000 X-ray photoelectron spectrometer (XPS, Boynton Beach, FL, USA), with Al-K α radiation of 1486.6 eV as incident beam. The morphology and Pd–Ni distribution were measured by a JEOL-JEM-2010 transmission electron microscopy (TEM, Jeol, Japan). Energy dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) was performed on an Oxford X-MaxN 80T IE250 instrument (Oxford, UK). The alkaline properties of UiO-66-NH₂ and UiO-66 were tested via CO₂ temperature-programmed desorption (CO₂-TPD) using Chemisorption Analyzer (MicrotracBEL AutoChem BELCAT-B, Bel, Osaka, Japan) equipped with a thermal conductivity detector. The Pd and Ni weight contents were studied using an Optima 5300DV inductively coupled plasma-optical emission spectrometer (ICP-OES, Waltham, MA, USA).

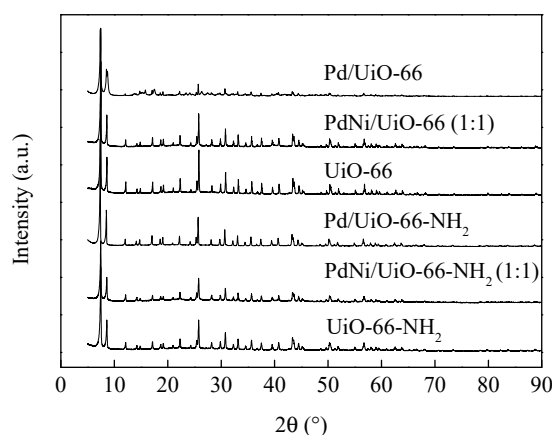


Figure S1. PXRD analysis of UiO-66, PdNi/UiO-66 (1:1), Pd/UiO-66, UiO-66-NH₂, PdNi/UiO-66-NH₂ (1:1), and Pd/UiO-66-NH₂.

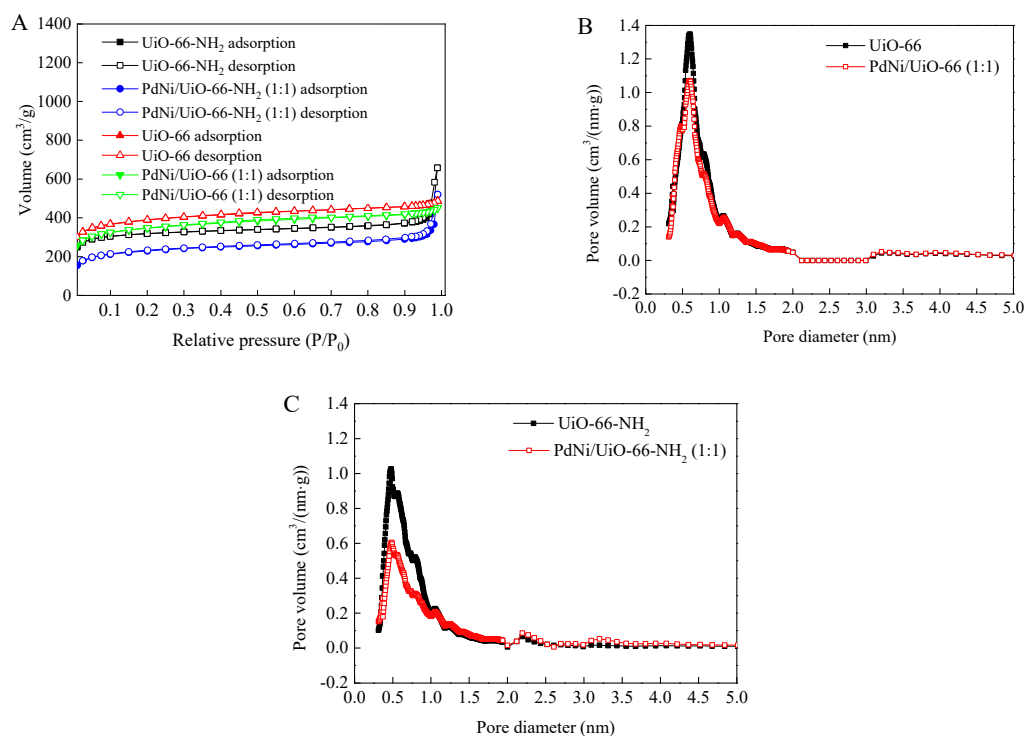


Figure S2. The N₂ adsorption-desorption isotherms (A) and pore size distribution (B,C) of UiO-66-NH₂, PdNi/UiO-66-NH₂(1:1), UiO-66, and PdNi/UiO-66(1:1).

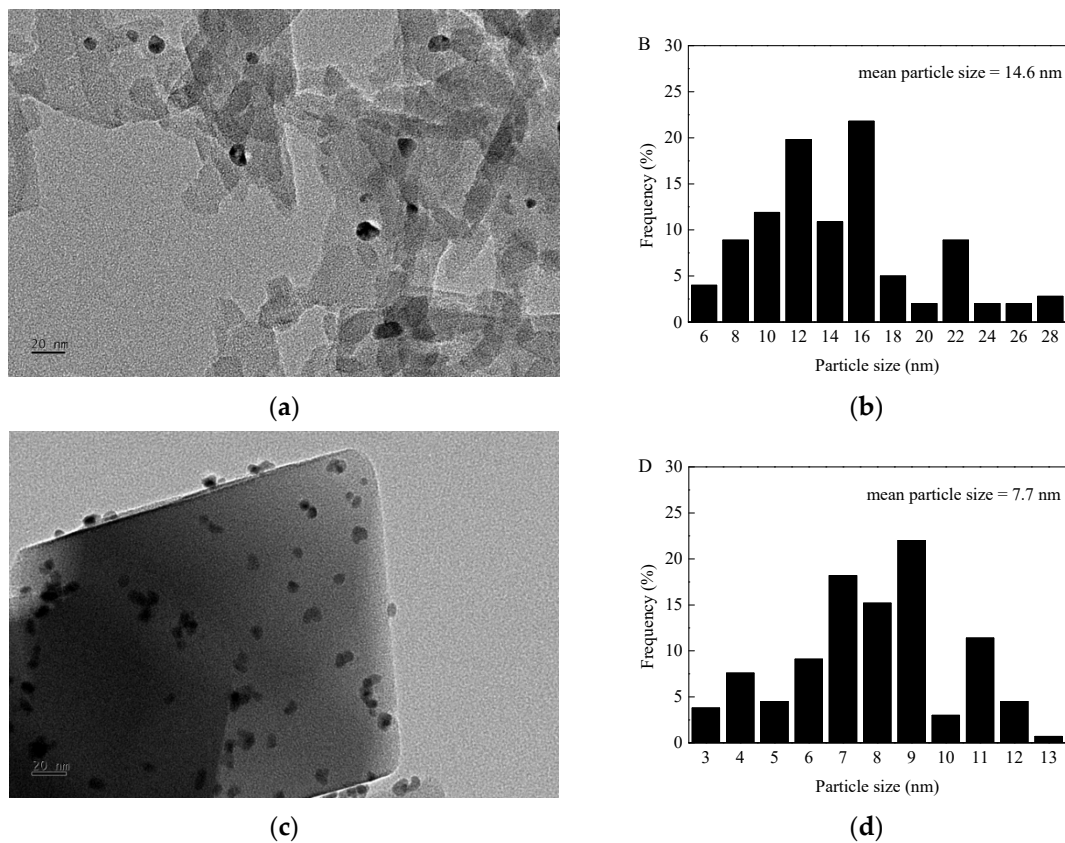


Figure S3. TEM images and Pd NP size distribution of Pd/UiO-66 (A,B) and Pd/UiO-66-NH₂ (C,D).

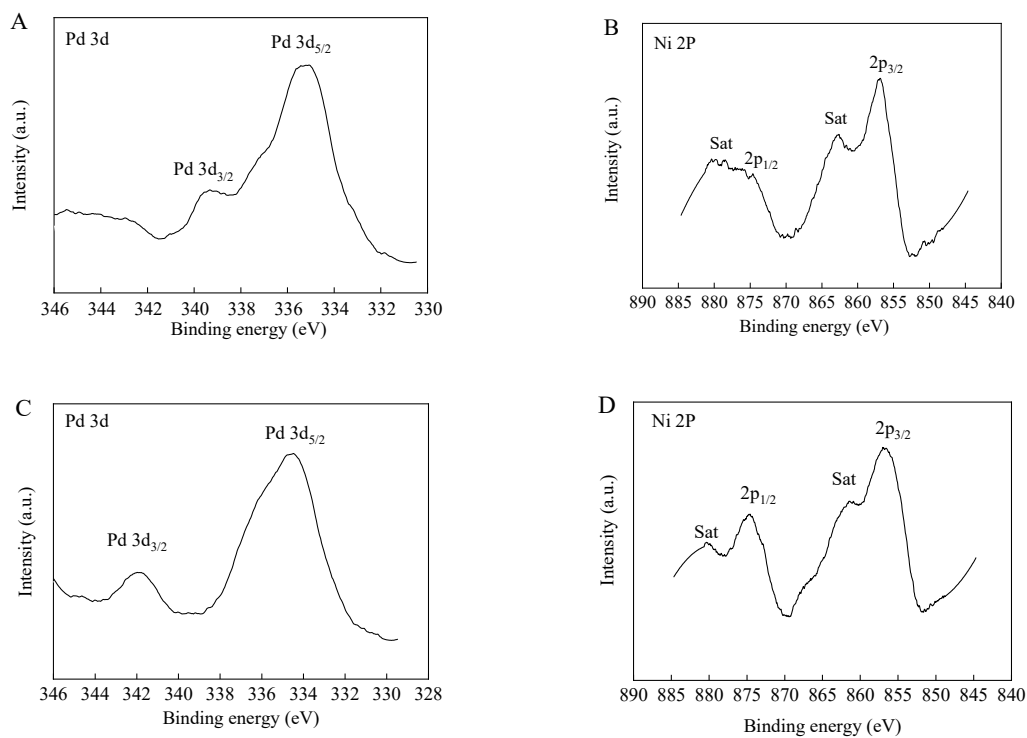


Figure S4. XPS spectra of PdNi/UiO-66-NH₂ (1:1) (A,B) and PdNi/UiO-66 (1:1) (C,D).

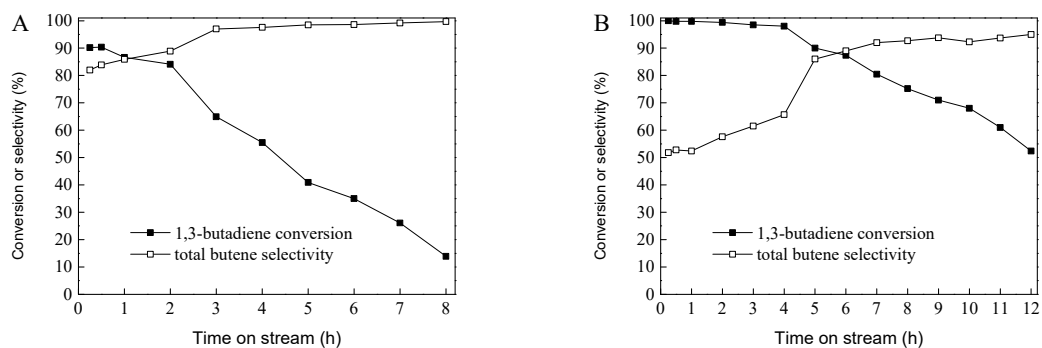


Figure S5. Evolution of the BD conversion and product selectivity with time-on-stream for Pd/UiO-66 (A) and Pd/UiO-66-NH₂ (B) at 50 °C (reaction conditions: 5 mg of catalyst, 6.5 mL/min of H₂ flow rate, 20 mL/min of 1.0 vol.%BD/N₂ flow rate).

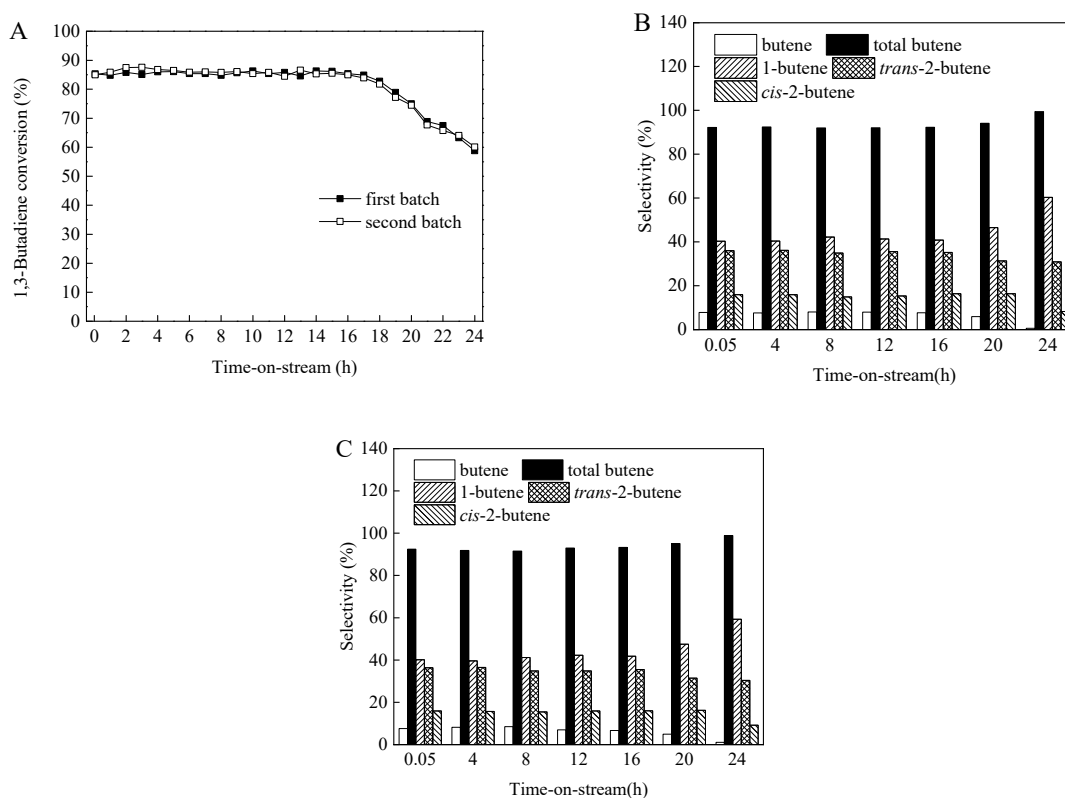


Figure S6. Evolution of the BD conversion and product selectivity with time-on-stream for the first batch and second batch of PdNi/Uio-66-NH₂ (1:1) at 55 °C: (A) BD conversion; (B) Product selectivity for first batch; (C) Product selectivity for second batch (reaction conditions: 5 mg of catalyst, 6.5 mL/min of H₂ flow rate, 20 mL/min of 1.0 vol.%BD/N₂ flow rate).

Table S1. The Pd and Ni weight content of Pd–Ni bimetallic catalysts.

Catalyst	Pd (wt%)	Ni (wt%)	Mole Ratio of Pd:Ni
PdNi/Uio-66-NH ₂ (3:1)	3.31	0.65	3:1
PdNi/Uio-66-NH ₂ (2:1)	2.93	0.85	2:1
PdNi/Uio-66-NH ₂ (1:1)	2.51	1.33	1:1
PdNi/Uio-66-NH ₂ (1:2)	1.79	2.12	1:2
PdNi/Uio-66-NH ₂ (1:3)	1.49	2.55	1:3
PdNi/Uio-66 (3:1)	3.31	0.64	3:1
PdNi/Uio-66 (2:1)	2.92	0.94	2:1
PdNi/Uio-66 (1:1)	2.65	1.38	1:1
PdNi/Uio-66 (1:2)	1.82	2.19	1:2
PdNi/Uio-66 (1:3)	1.45	2.49	1:3
Pd/Uio-66-NH ₂	1.54	-	-
Pd/Uio-66	1.42	-	-