

Supplementary Material

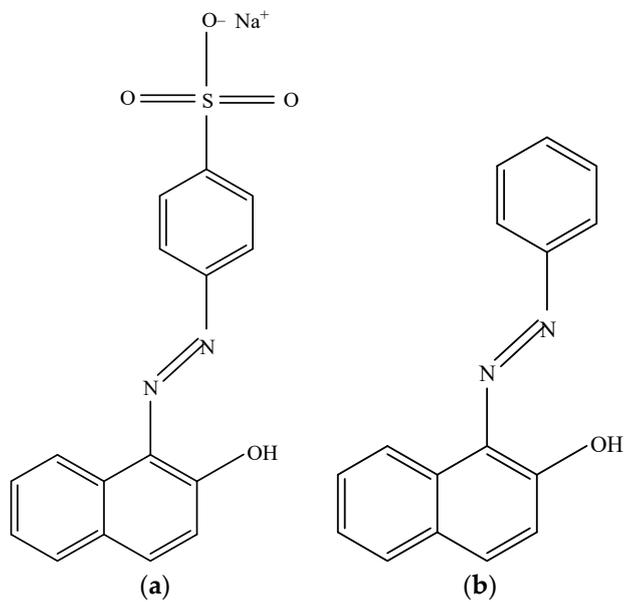
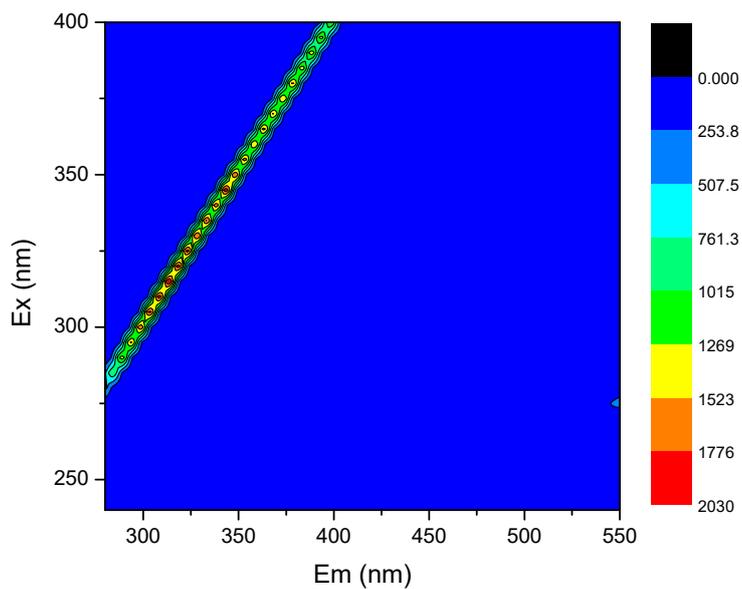
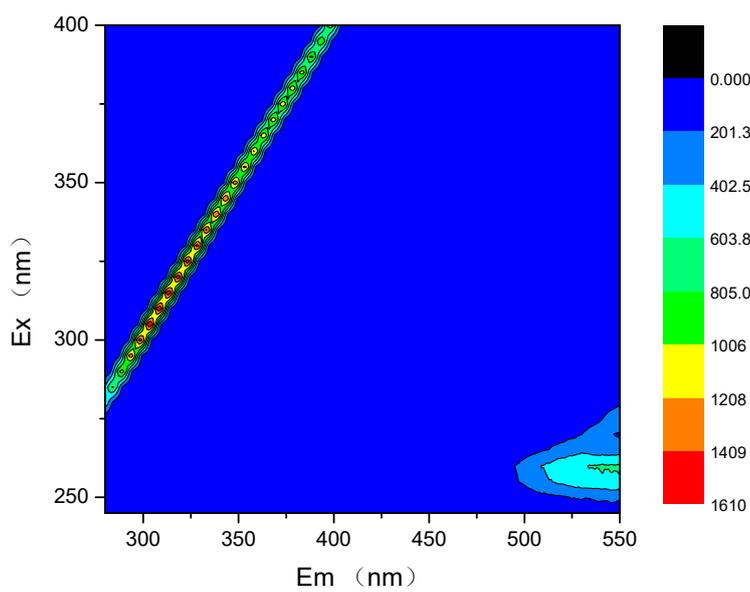


Figure S1. Chemical structure of (a) Acid Orange 7 and (b) Sudan I.



(a)



(b)

Figure S2. (a) EEM fluorescence spectra of effluent from RB reactor after two weeks of operation. (b) EEM fluorescence spectra of effluent from RB reactor a month of operation.

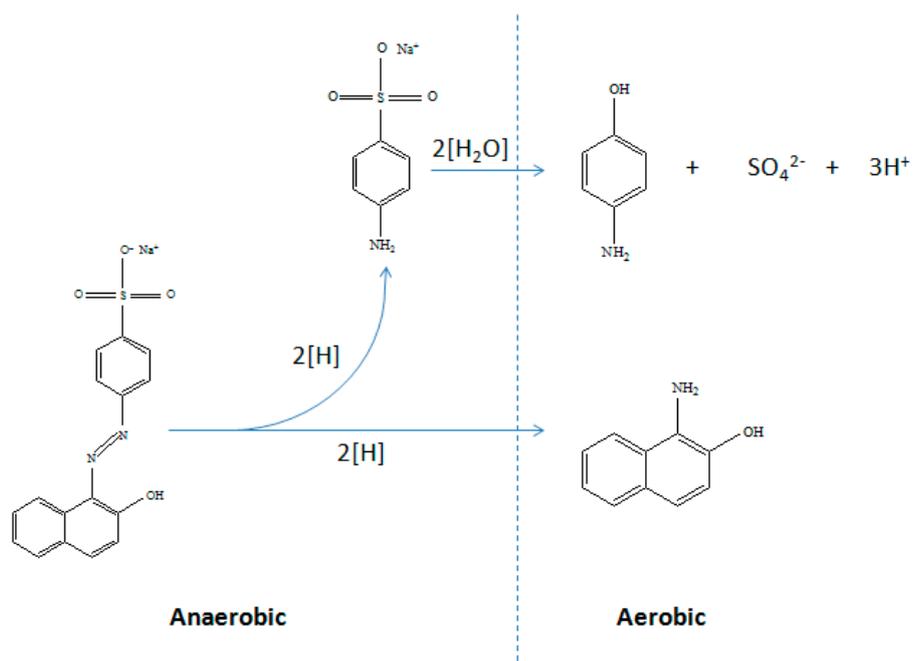


Figure S3. Cleavage pathway of AO7 under traditional anaerobic condition.

Table S1. Physicochemical property of Sudan I and AO7.

Trial	Azo Dye	Molecular Weight	Soluble (g·L ⁻¹)	Molecular Formula
1	Sudan I	248.28	0.5 (30°C)	C ₁₆ H ₁₂ N ₂ O
2	Acid orange 7	350.32	116 (30°C)	C ₁₆ H ₁₁ N ₂ NaO ₄ S

Table S2. Experimental conditions.

Trial	Reactor	Temperature (°C)	Liquid Flow (mL·min ⁻¹)	Air Flow (mL·min ⁻¹)	MLSS (mg·L ⁻¹)
1	RA	19 ± 3	2.46 ± 0.14	65 ± 28	3551 ± 822
2	RB	19 ± 3	2.40 ± 0.18	39 ± 20	2378 ± 1035
3	RC	19 ± 3	2.34 ± 0.16	47 ± 22	2329 ± 917

Table S3. Concentration of ion at RC reactor inlet and outlet.

Trial	Sample	NO ₂ ⁻ (mg·L ⁻¹)	NO ₃ ⁻ (mg·L ⁻¹)	NH ₃ -N (mg·L ⁻¹)	SO ₄ ²⁻ (mg·L ⁻¹)	T.D.S (μs·cm ⁻¹)
1	Inlet	0	0	0.21	682	1553
2	The 3th day outlet	0	0.12	0.13	684	1552
3	The 5th day outlet	0	0	0.46	709	1555
4	The 30th day outlet	0	0	1.22	740	1552