Supplementary Data

Effect of C/N ratio on biodegradation of ciprofloxacin and denitrification from Low

C/N wastewater by a novel 3D-BER System

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Fig.S1 Mass spectra of biodegradation of ciprofloxacin: Ciprofloxacin (m/z=331.094) and by-products: CIP-BBP1 (m/z=331.094); CIP BBP2 (m/z=266.166); CIP-BBP3 (m/z=268.976); CIP-BBP4 (m/z=311.96)

Product ID	RT (min)	[M+H]+ (m/z)	Proposed Molecular formulas	Proposed breakpoint	LC-MS/MS (m/z)	Proposed Structure
CIP	7.240	331.094	$\begin{array}{c} C_{11}H_8FN_2O\\ C_{12}H_8FN_2O_2\\ C_{14}H_{14}FN_2O\\ C_{16}H19FN3O\\ C_{17}H_{17}FN_3O_2 \end{array}$	-2H ₂ O,-CO, -C ₃ H ₅ ,C ₂ H ₄ N -C ₂ H ₄ N, -H ₂ O, -C ₃ H ₅ , -C ₂ H ₅ N, -CO ₂ , -CO ₂ , - H ₂ O	200.97 238.18 227.12 281.15 321.17	
CIP -BBP1	9.61	347.077	$\begin{array}{c} C_{11}H_6FN_2O_2\\ C_{12}H_7FN_2O_2\\ C_{17}H_{17}FN_3O_3 \end{array}$	-H2O,-C ₃ H ₅ ,-C ₂ H ₆ N,-CO -2H ₂ O,-C ₃ H ₄ ,C ₂ H ₄ N -H ₂ O	188.61 200.97 321.17	HO O O O O O O O O H O N H N H F
CIP –BBP2	10.63	266.166	$\begin{array}{c} C_{10}H_{5}FN_{2}O_{2}\\ C_{12}H_{10}FN_{2}O\\ C_{13}H_{10}FN_{2}O_{2} \end{array}$	-H ₂ O,-C ₃ H ₅ -H ₂ O,-CO -H ₂ O	185.11 203.06 250.17	

 Table S1. Antibiotics Ciprofloxacin postulated biodegradation metabolites in 3D-BERS, as determined by HPLC-LC-MS/MS



CIP-BBP: Ciprofloxacin Biodegradation By-products Pathways Accurate masses of [M+H]⁺, and chemical structures of Ciprofloxacin (m/z=331.094) and by-products: CIP-BBP1 (m/z=331.094); CIP BBP2 (m/z=266.166); CIP-BBP3 (m/z=268.976); CIP-BBP4 (m/z=311.96).