



## Supporting Information

# Simultaneous Removal of Arsenic and Manganese from Synthetic Aqueous Solutions Using Polymer Gel Composites

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Table S1. FTIR spectroscopy peak analysis.

Wave length h	DMAAAQ + FeOOH	DMAAAQ + FeOOH + Mn	DMAAAQ + Mn	γ- FeOOH	γ- FeOOH + Mn	Group	Com- pound Class	Appear- ance
1209						C-N stretching	amine	medium
1211								
1458						C-H bend- ing	alkane	medium
1508						N-O stretching	nitro com- pound	strong
1541								
1693						C=O stretching	primary amide	strong
1753						C=O stretching	carbox- ylic acid	strong
1764						C=O stretching	vi- nyl/phe- nyl ester	strong
1774								
2139						C≡C Stretching	alkyne	weak
2347						O=C=O stretching	carbon dioxide	strong
2387								
2954						N-H stretching	amine salt	strong, broad
2956								
3047						C-H stretching	alkane	medium
3051								
3234						O-H stretching	alcohol	strong, broad
3255								
3273								
3275								
3294								
3296								

3311					N-H stretching	second-ary amine	medium
3329							
3331							
3346							
3348							
3365					N-H stretching	ali-phatic primary amine	medium
3367							
3369							
3373							
3385							
3387							
3390							
3404					N-H stretching	primary amine	medium
3412							
3415							
3423							
3433							
3435							
3442							
3448							
3456							
3458							
3464							
3469							
3473							
3475							
3481							
3483							
3489							
3500							
3504							
3523							
3535							
3539							
3547							
3618					O-H stretching	alcohol	me-dium, sharp
3620							
3641							
3649							
3651							
3660							
3668							
3674							

3676  
3678



Table S2. Composition of gel composite.

	Chemical	Quantity (mol/m <sup>3</sup> )
Monomer	DMAPAAQ, DMAA	500
Crosslinker	MBAA	50
Accelerator	Sodium Sulfite	80
	Sodium Hydroxide (NaOH)	2100
Initiator	Ammonium peroxodisulfate (APS)	30
	Ferric Chloride (FeCl <sub>3</sub> )	700

Table S3. Composition of gel.

.	Chemical	Quantity (mol/m <sup>3</sup> )
Monomer	DMAPAAQ, DMAA	1000
Crosslinker	MBAA	50
Accelerator	Sodium Sulfite	20
Initiator	Ammonium peroxodisulfate (APS)	5