

## **Supporting Information**

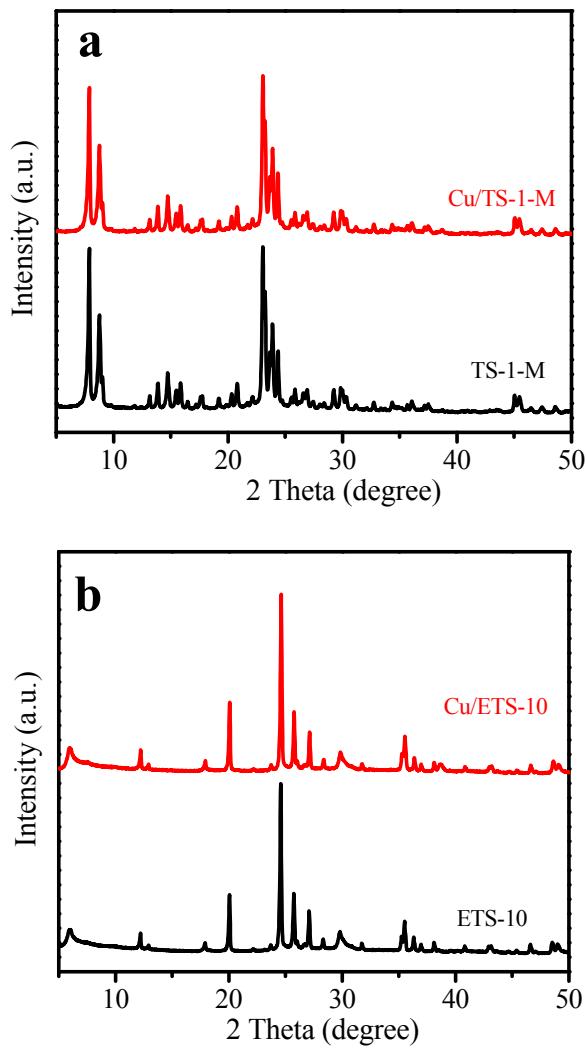
### **Acidic Mesoporous Zeolite ZSM-5 Supported Cu Catalyst with Good Catalytic Performance in the Hydroxysulfurization of Styrenes with Disulfides**

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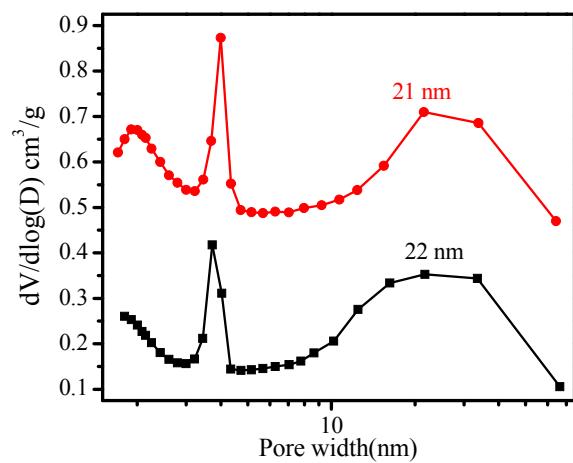
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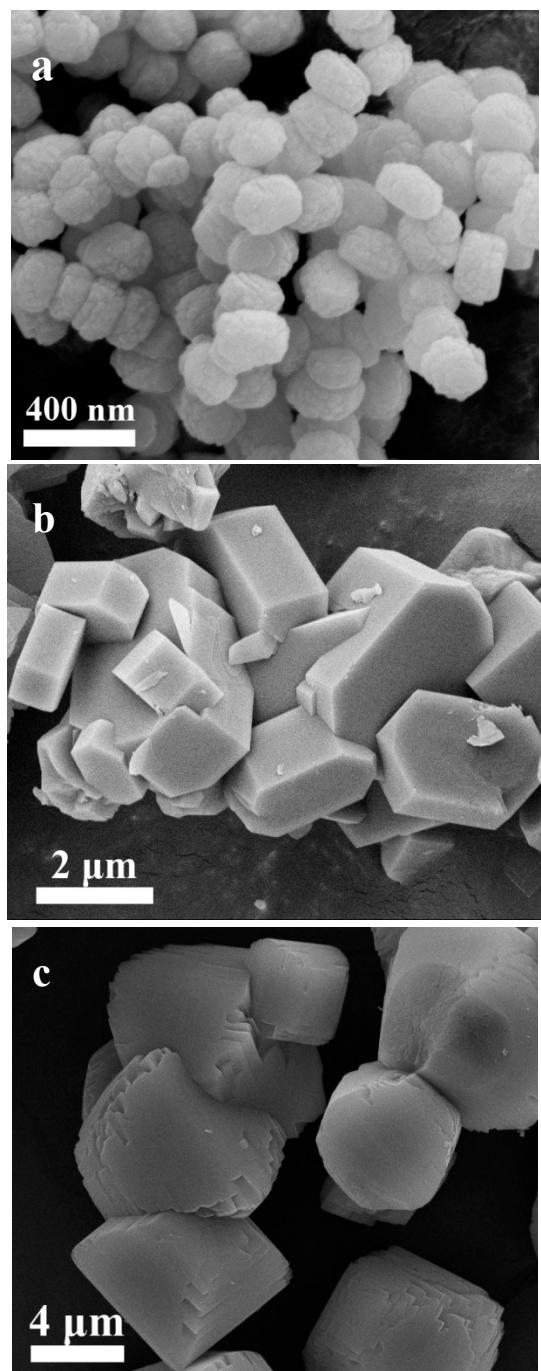
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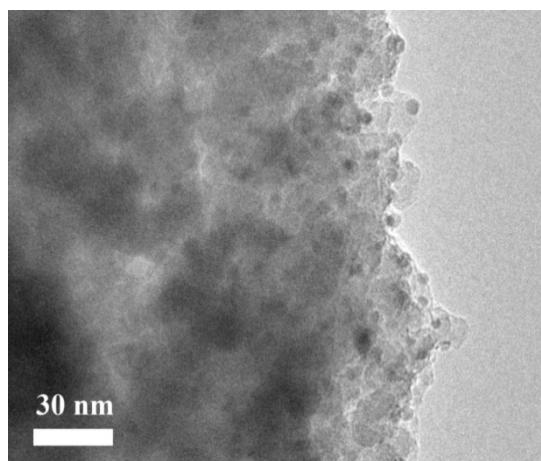
**Figure S1.** XRD patterns of (a) TS-1-M and Cu/TS-1-M and (b) ETS-10 and Cu/ETS-10 samples.



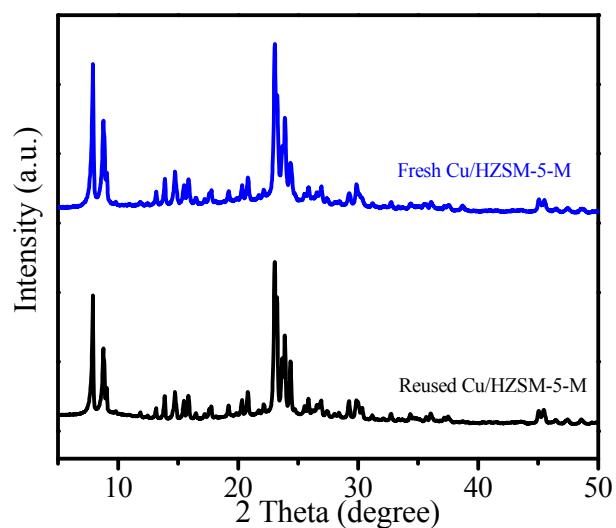
**Figure S2.** The pore size distributions of the (■) ZSM-5-M and (●) Cu/HZSM-5-M samples.



**Figure S3.** SEM images of the (a) TS-1-M, (b) ZSM-5 and (c) ETS-10 zeolites.



**Figure S4.** TEM image of reused Cu/HZSM-5-M catalyst.



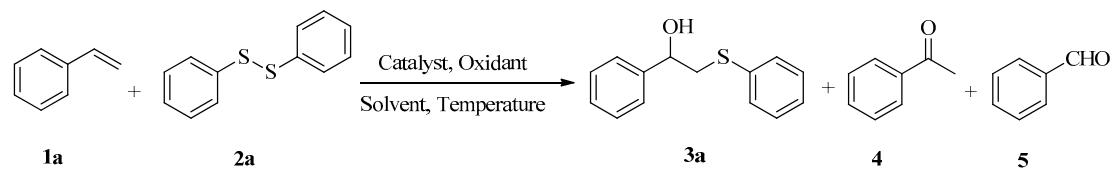
**Figure S5.** XRD patterns of fresh and reused Cu/HZSM-5-M catalysts.

**Table S1** Texture parameters of the different samples.

Sample	$S_{\text{BET}}$ ( $\text{m}^2/\text{g}$ ) <sup>1</sup>	$S_{\text{ext.}}$ ( $\text{m}^2/\text{g}$ ) <sup>2</sup>	$V_{\text{mic.}}$ ( $\text{cm}^3/\text{g}$ ) <sup>3</sup>	$V_{\text{meso.}}$ ( $\text{cm}^3/\text{g}$ ) <sup>4</sup>	Cu (wt.%) <sup>5</sup>	Si/Al(Ti) <sup>5</sup>
ZSM-5-M	432	195	0.10	0.45	-	26
TS-1-M	536	210	0.12	0.25	-	-
ZSM-5	304	31	0.11	0.02	-	20
ETS-10	311	30	0.12	0.02	-	4.5
Cu/HZSM-5-M	360	182	0.07	0.35	3.0	-
Cu/HZSM-5	300	27	0.09	0.02	2.9	-
Cu/TS-1-M	469	180	0.11	0.22	3.0	-
Cu/ETS-10	307	23	0.11	0.03	2.9	-
Reused Cu/HZSM-5-M	354	172	0.07	0.33	2.7	-

<sup>1</sup> BET surface area. <sup>2</sup> External surface area, including mesoporous surface area. <sup>3</sup>Microporous volume.<sup>4</sup>Mesoporous volume. <sup>5</sup>The Cu content and the atomic Si/Al(Ti) ratio in the different catalyst was determined by ICP.**Table S2** The results of deconvolution of XPS Cu2p<sub>3/2</sub> peak of Cu/HZSM-5-M and Cu/TS-1-M samples.

Catalysts	Binding energy of Cu 2p <sub>3/2</sub> (eV)		Cu content (at.%)	
	Cu <sup>+</sup>	Cu <sup>2+</sup>	Cu <sup>+</sup>	Cu <sup>2+</sup>
Cu/HZSM-5-M	933	935.3	55	45
Cu/TS-1-M	933.5	936.1	79	21

**Table S3** Optimization of reaction conditions.<sup>1</sup>

Entry	Oxidant	Solvent	T. <sup>2</sup> (°C)	Conversion <sup>3</sup> (%)	Selectivity <sup>4</sup> (%)		
					3a	4	5
1	I <sub>2</sub>	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	89	63	24	13
2	I <sub>2</sub>	CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> /H <sub>2</sub> O	80	67	54	35	11
3	I <sub>2</sub>	THF/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	59	51	27	22
4	I <sub>2</sub>	1,4-Dioxane/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	76	49	35	16
5	I <sub>2</sub>	CH <sub>3</sub> CN/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	83	57	28	15
6	I <sub>2</sub>	Toluene/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	86	60	24	16
7	TBHP	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	24	62	23	15
8	H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	18	58	21	21
9	O <sub>2</sub>	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	15	-	10	90
10	K <sub>2</sub> S <sub>2</sub> O <sub>8</sub>	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	16	-	23	77
11	KMnO <sub>4</sub>	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	80	21	-	34	66
12	I <sub>2</sub>	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	90	89	62	24	14
13	I <sub>2</sub>	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	70	77	63	24	13
14	I <sub>2</sub>	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	60	67	60	25	15
15	I <sub>2</sub>	DMSO/H <sub>2</sub> O	50	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup>Reaction condition: alkenes (1.0 mmol), diaryl disulfide (0.6 mmol), Oxidant (0.2 mmol), H<sub>2</sub>O (1.0 mL), Solvent (1 mL), 80 °C for 10 h. <sup>2</sup>T.: Temperature. <sup>3,4</sup>The conversion and product selectivity were analyzed by gas chromatography.