

Supplementary Materials

Exfoliated Clay Decorated with Magnetic Iron Nanoparticles for Crystal Violet Adsorption: Modeling and Physicochemical Interpretation

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Table S1. Kinetic and isotherm linear models for CV uptake by MNP/CTAB-EC composite.

Kinetic Model	Linear	Parameters	Refs.
Pseudo first-order	$\ln(q_e - q_t) = \ln q_e - k_1 t$	q_t (mg g ⁻¹) is the removed amount of CV at time t . q_e is the equilibrium adsorption uptake (mg g ⁻¹). k_1 is the rate constant of the first-order adsorption (min) ⁻¹ .	[16]
Pseudo Second-order	$\frac{t}{q_t} = \frac{1}{k_2 q_e^2} + \frac{t}{q_e}$	k_2 is the rate constant of the second-order adsorption (g(mg min) ⁻¹).	[17]
Isotherm Model			
Langmuir	$\frac{C_e}{q_e} = \frac{1}{q_{\max} b} + \frac{C_e}{q_{\max}}$	C_e (mg L ⁻¹): equilibrium concentration of the CV in the solution q_e (mg g ⁻¹): removed amount of CV at equilibrium. q_{\max} (mg g ⁻¹): maximum adsorption capacity K_L (L mg ⁻¹): Langmuir constant	[19]
Freundlich	$\log q_e = \log K_F + \frac{1}{n} \log C_e$	K_F (mg g ⁻¹ (mg L ⁻¹) ^{-1/n}) CV adsorption capacity. n : heterogeneity factor.	[20]
D-R	$\ln q_e = \ln q_m - \beta \varepsilon^2$	β (mol ² /kJ ²): D-R constant ε (kJ ² /mol ²): Polanyi potential, equal to $RT \ln \left(1 + \frac{1}{C_e}\right)$. R : universal gas constant (8.31 J/mol K). T (K): absolute temperature. q_m (mg g ⁻¹): theoretical adsorption capacity.	[21]

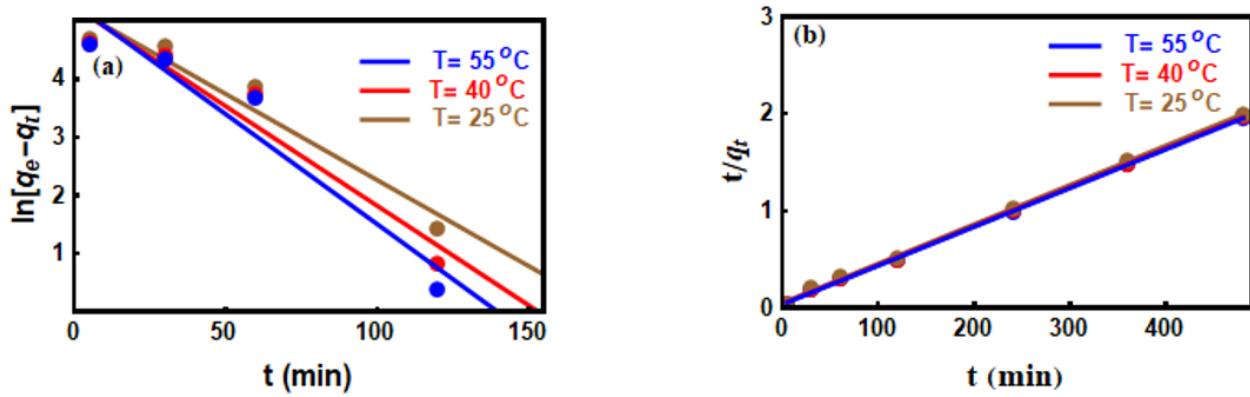


Figure S1. Linear forms of the Pseudo-first order model (a) and the Pseudo-second order model (b) for CV uptake by MNP/CTAB-EC composite at different temperatures.

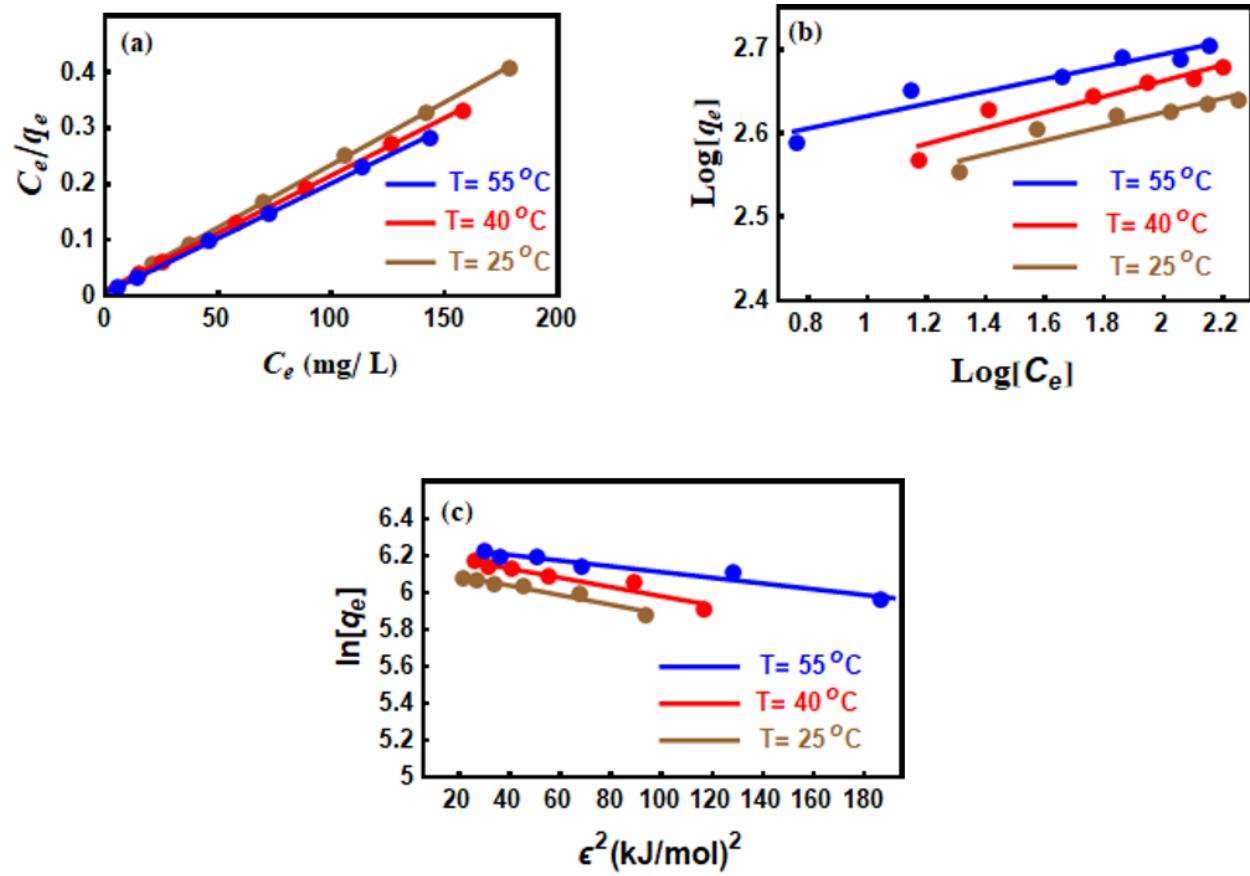


Figure S2. Linear Langmuir, Freundlich, and D-R isotherms models for CV uptake by MNP/CTAB-EC composite at different temperatures.

Table S2. Parameters of linear of kinetic and isotherm models for the adsorption of CV onto MNP/CTAB-EC composite.

Kinetic Model	$T = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$T = 40^\circ\text{C}$	$T = 55^\circ\text{C}$
Pseudo-first-order			
$q_{e(\text{exp})}$ (mg g ⁻¹)	239.72	243.8	244.9
$q_{e(\text{cal})}$ (mg g ⁻¹)	185.82	189.94	198.28
k_1 (min ⁻¹)	0.03	0.034	0.038
R^2	0.9401	0.9315	0.9247
Pseudo-second-order			
$q_{e(\text{cal})}$ (mg g ⁻¹)	246.37	249.22	250.1
k_2 (g (mg min) ⁻¹)	0.00032	0.00038	0.00044
R^2	0.9989	0.9993	0.9994

Isotherm Model			
Langmuir			
q_{\max} (mg g ⁻¹)	447.41	486.76	509.11
k_L (L mg ⁻¹)	0.2	0.21	0.37
R^2	0.9998	0.9992	0.9996
Freundlich			
k_F (mg g ⁻¹)	286.5	297.98	351.96
$1/n$	0.08	0.09	0.07
R^2	0.8925	0.8881	0.913
D-R			
q_m (mg g ⁻¹)	465.01	507.77	526.36
E (kJ mol ⁻¹)	13.89	14.16	17.99
R^2	0.9414	0.9252	0.9458