

Supporting Information

**Confined Catalysis in the $g\text{-C}_3\text{N}_4/\text{Pt}(111)$ Interface: Feasible Molecule
Intercalation, Tunable Molecule-Metal Interaction and Enhanced Reaction
Activity of CO Oxidation**

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Table S1 Calculated adsorption energies of CO, O₂, O, and CO₂ on Pt(111) surface with and without *g*-C₃N₄ cover.

Species	Adsorption sites	adsorption energy (eV)
CO	pore-fcc	-1.50
	pore-hcp	-1.40
	pore-top	-1.09
	fcc	-1.40
	hcp	-1.36
	top	-1.05
	Pt(111)-fcc	-1.84
	Pt(111)-hcp	-1.83
	Pt(111)-top	-1.66
O ₂	pore-fcc	-0.82
	pore-hcp	-0.71
	fcc	-0.75
	hcp	-0.60
	Pt(111)-fcc	-0.93
	Pt(111)-hcp	-0.84
	surface	0.67
O	pore-fcc	-1.37
	pore-hcp	-1.03
	fcc	-1.41
	hcp	-0.94
	Pt(111)-fcc	-1.39
	Pt(111)-hcp	-1.03
CO ₂	bent	0.45
	bent-pore	0.52
	linear	0.38
	linear-pore	0.15
	bent-Pt (111)	0.05
	linear-Pt(111)	-0.48

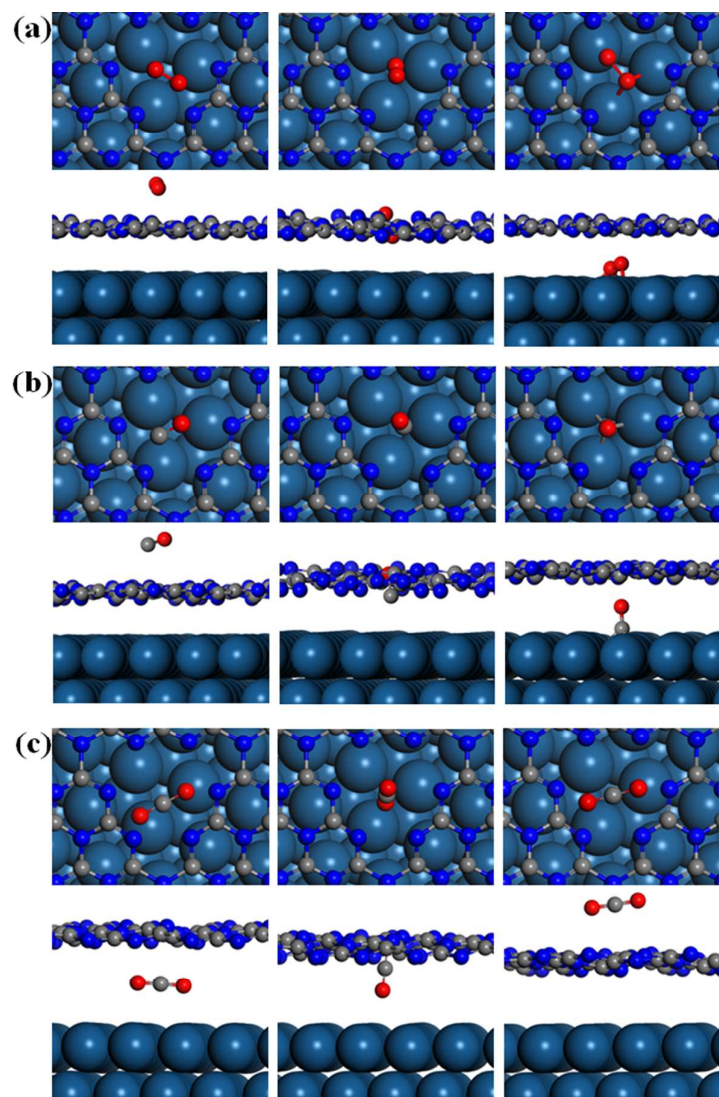


Fig. S1 Geometries of initial state (IS), transition state (TS) and final state (FS) of O₂ (a), CO (b) and CO₂ (c) intercalation at the g-C₃N₄/Pt(111) interface. Color scheme: C, grey; N, blue; O, red; Pt, indigo.

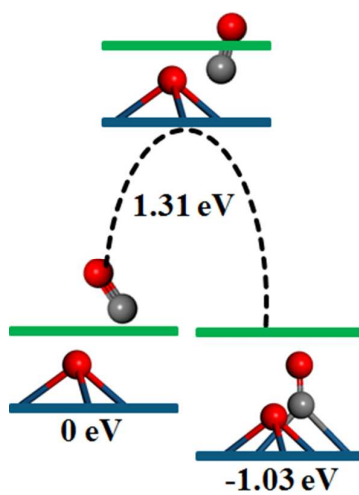


Fig. S2 Diagrams of initial state (IS), transition state (TS) and final state (FS) CO intercalation at the $g\text{-C}_3\text{N}_4/\text{Pt}(111)$ interface in the presence of adsorbed atomic oxygen. The green and blue bars are used to represent $g\text{-C}_3\text{N}_4$ and Pt(111), respectively. Color scheme: C, grey; O, red.

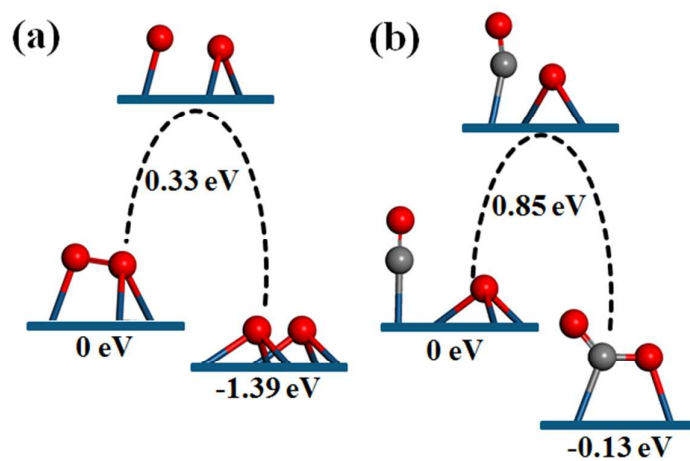


Fig. S3 Diagrams of IS, TS and FS for O₂ dissociation (a) and CO oxidation (b) on the Pt (111). The blue bars are used to represent Pt(111). Color scheme: C, grey; O, red.

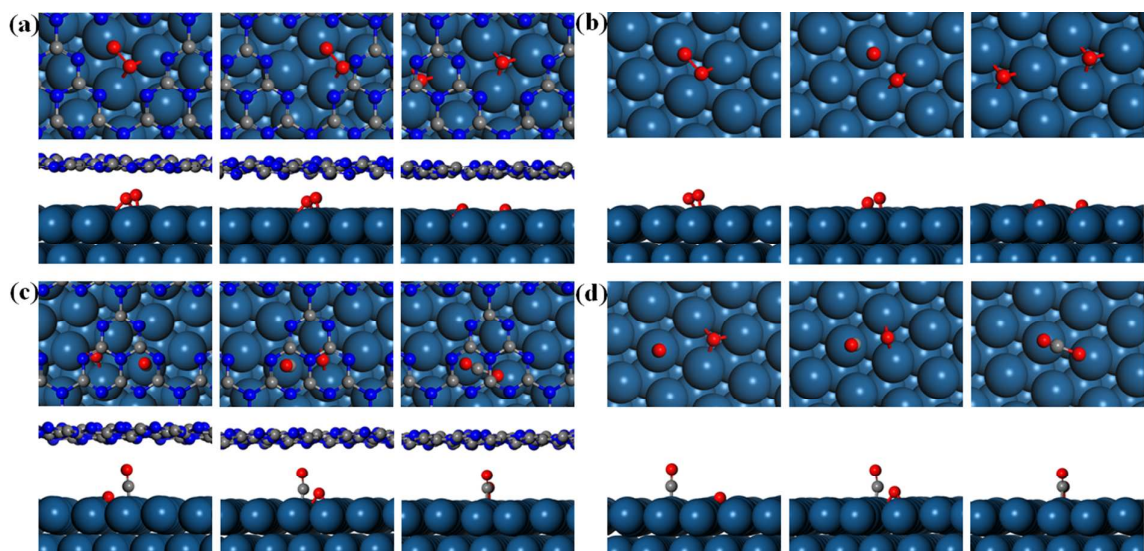


Fig. S4 Geometries of IS, TS and FS for O₂ dissociation and CO oxidation at the *g*-C₃N₄/Pt (111) interface (a and c) and on the pure Pt(111) surface (b and d). Color scheme: C, grey; N, blue; O, red; Pt, indigo.

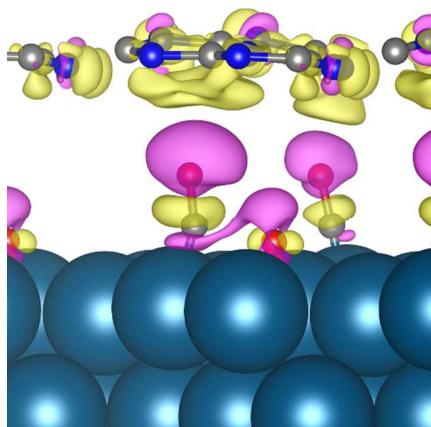


Fig. S5 Calculated differential charge density of TS for CO oxidation at the *g*-C₃N₄/Pt(111) interface in the presence of an adsorbed CO molecule. Yellow and purple represent charge depletion and accumulation, respectively. Color scheme: C, grey; N, blue; O, red; Pt, indigo.