

## SUPPORTING INFORMATION

### **Experimental demonstration of dynamic temperature-dependent behaviour of UiO-66 metal-organic-framework: Compaction of hydroxylated and dehydroxylated forms of UiO-66 for high pressure hydrogen storage**

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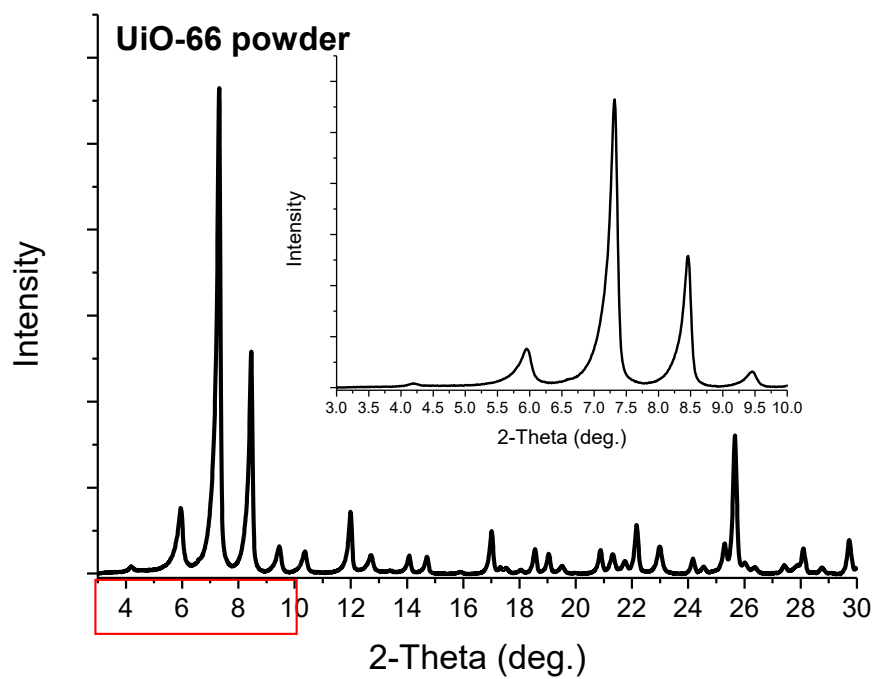
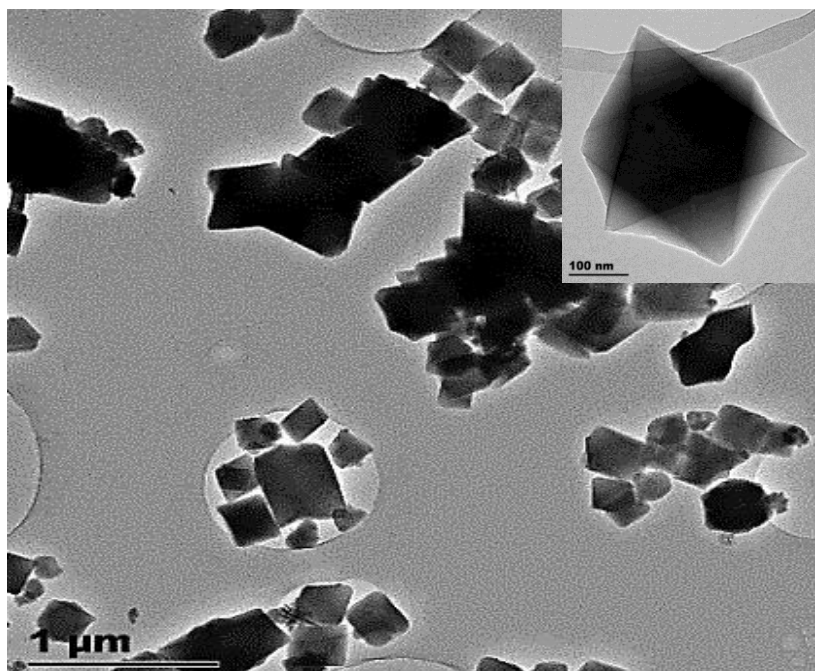
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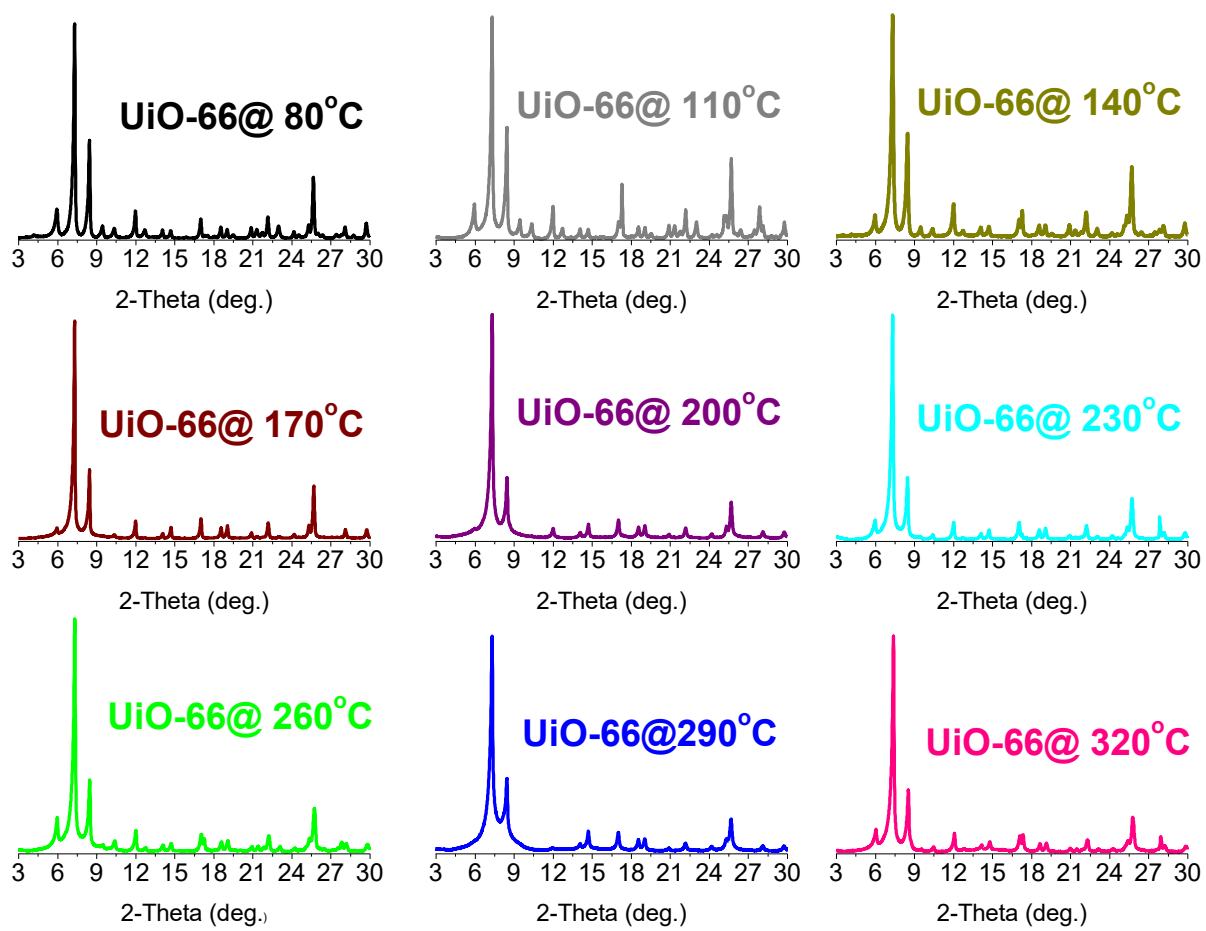
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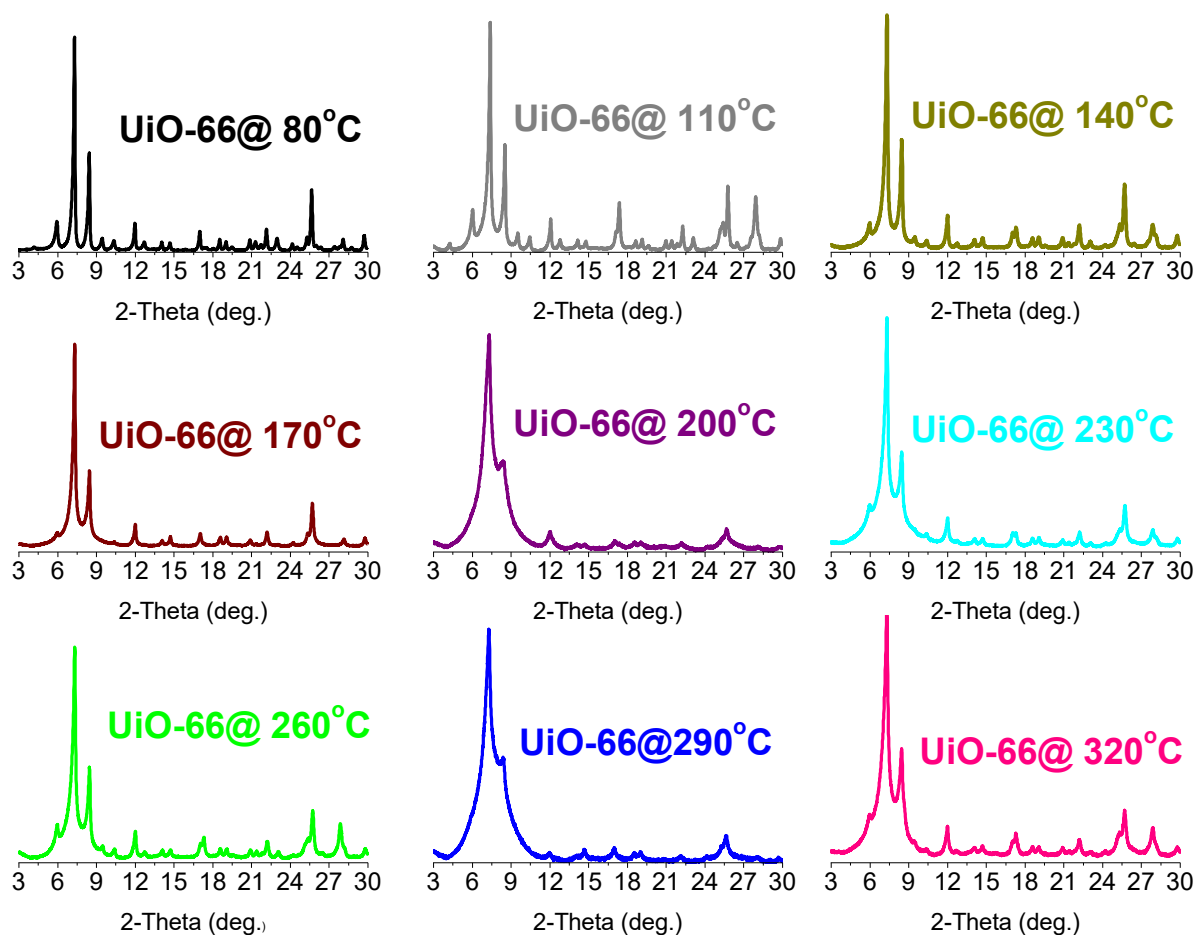
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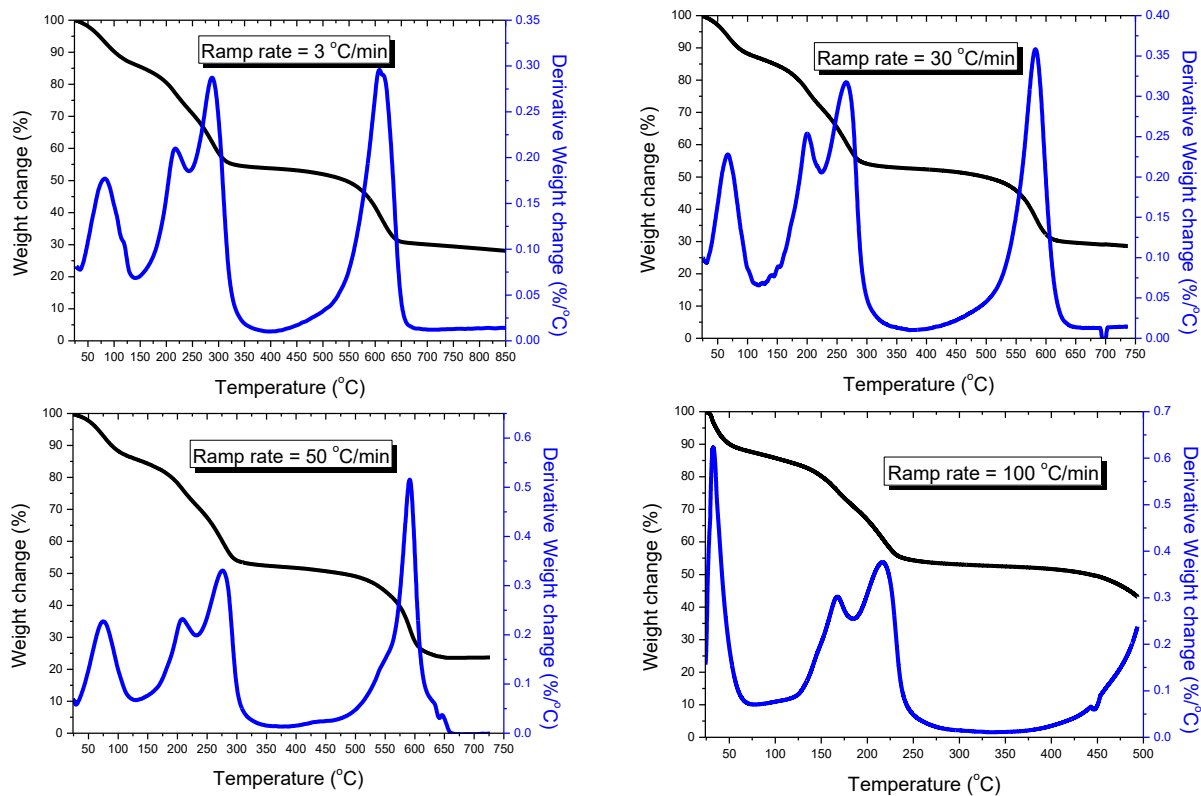
**Figure S1:** Transmission electron microscope (TEM) images and PXRD pattern for UiO-66 powder. The inset shows the region highlighted in red ( $2\text{-Theta} \sim 3$  to  $10^\circ$ ).



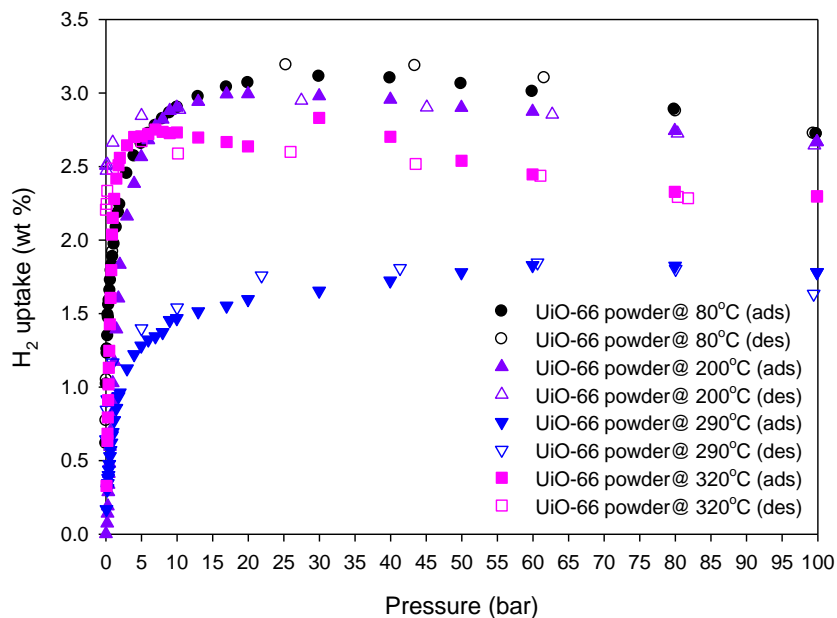
**Figure S2:** PXRD patterns for UiO-66 powder at different activation temperatures.



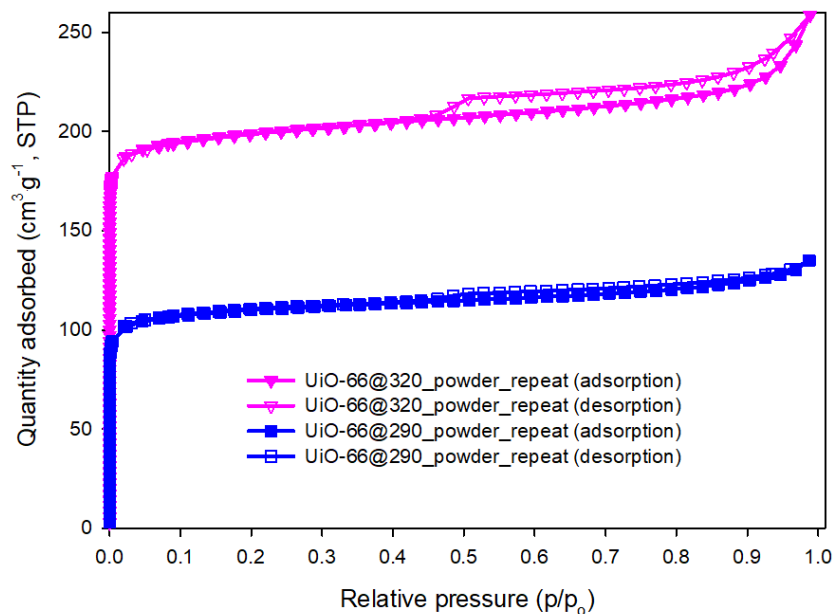
**Figure S3:** PXRD patterns for UiO-66 pellets at different activation temperatures.



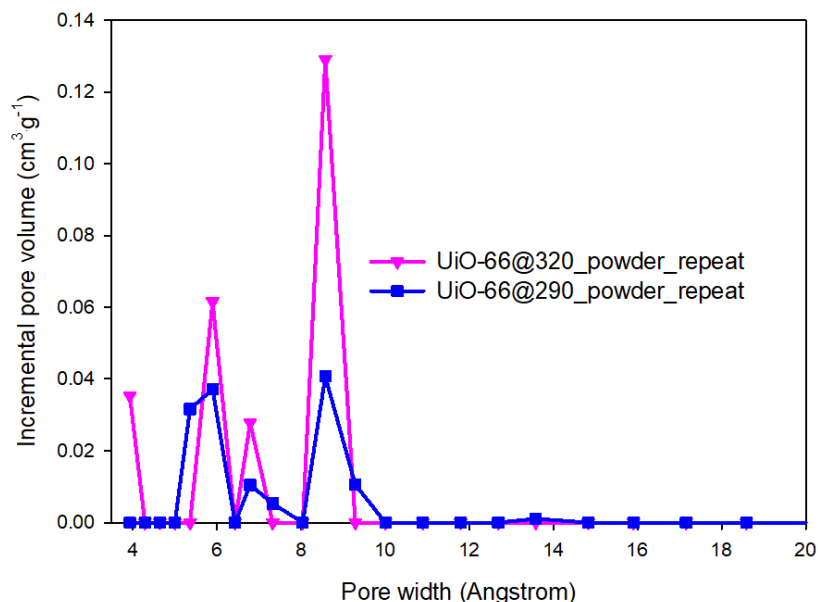
**Figure S4:** TGA profiles for solvent exchanged UiO-66 samples obtained at different heating rates under 100 mL/h nitrogen (N<sub>2</sub>) flow.



**Figure S5:** Excess H<sub>2</sub> adsorption/desorption isotherms at 77 K for UiO-66 powders activated at 80, 200, 290, and 320 °C.



**Figure S6:** N<sub>2</sub> adsorption/desorption isotherms obtained for repeat samples of UiO-66 powder after their heat treatment at 290 and 320 °C.



**Figure S7:** NLDT pore size distribution curves obtained for repeat samples of UiO-66 powder after their heat treatment at 290 and 320 °C.

**Table S1:** Textural properties of UiO-66 powder repeat samples activated/degassed at 290 and 320 °C.

<b>Sample (repeat samples)</b>	<b>Surface area<sup>a</sup> (m<sup>2</sup>·g<sup>-1</sup>)</b>	<b>Pore volume<sup>b</sup> (cm<sup>3</sup>·g<sup>-1</sup>)</b>
UiO-66 powder@290°C	414 (356, 86%)	0.21 (0.15, 71%)
UiO-66 powder@320°C	749 (662, 88%)	0.40 (0.27, 68%)

<sup>a</sup>Values in parenthesis are micropore surface area and percentage micropore surface area of the total surface area. <sup>b</sup>Values in parenthesis are micropore volume and percentage micropore of the total pore volume.