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Abstract:	<p>Post- and precombustion CO<sub>2</sub> capture and separation are the vital challenges from industrial viewpoint, as the accessible technologies are not cost-effective and cumbersome. Thus, the development of functional metal–organic frameworks (MOFs) that are found to be promising materials for selective CO<sub>2</sub> capture, separation, and conversion is gaining an importance in the scientific world. Based on the strategic design, a new functionalized triazine-based undulated paddle-wheel Cu-MOF (1), {[Cu(MTABA)(H<sub>2</sub>O)]·4H<sub>2</sub>O·2EtOH·DMF}<sub>n</sub> (where, H<sub>2</sub>MTABA = 4,4'-((6-methoxy-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diyl)bis(azanediyl))dibenzoic acid), has been synthesized under solvothermal conditions and fully characterized. MOF 1 contains a one-dimensional channel along the a-axis with pore walls decorated with open metal sites, and multifunctional groups (amine, triazine, and methoxy). Unlike other porous materials, activated 1 (1') possesses exceptional increment in CO<sub>2</sub>/N<sub>2</sub> and CO<sub>2</sub>/CH<sub>4</sub> selectivity with increased temperature calculated by the ideal adsorbed solution theory. With an increase in temperature from 298 to 313 K, the selectivity of CO<sub>2</sub> rises from 350.3 to 909.5 at zero coverage, which is unprecedented till date. Moreover, 1' behaves as a bifunctional heterogeneous catalyst through Lewis acid (open metal) and Brønsted acid sites to facilitate the chemical fixation of CO<sub>2</sub> to cyclic carbonates under ambient conditions. The high selectivity for CO<sub>2</sub> by 1' even at higher temperature was further corroborated with configurational bias Monte Carlo molecular simulation that ascertains the multiple CO<sub>2</sub>-philic sites and epoxide binding sites in 1' to further decipher the mechanistic pathway.</p>
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