

Functionalized nanocarbon materials as catalysts for the ethanolysis of furfuryl alcohol

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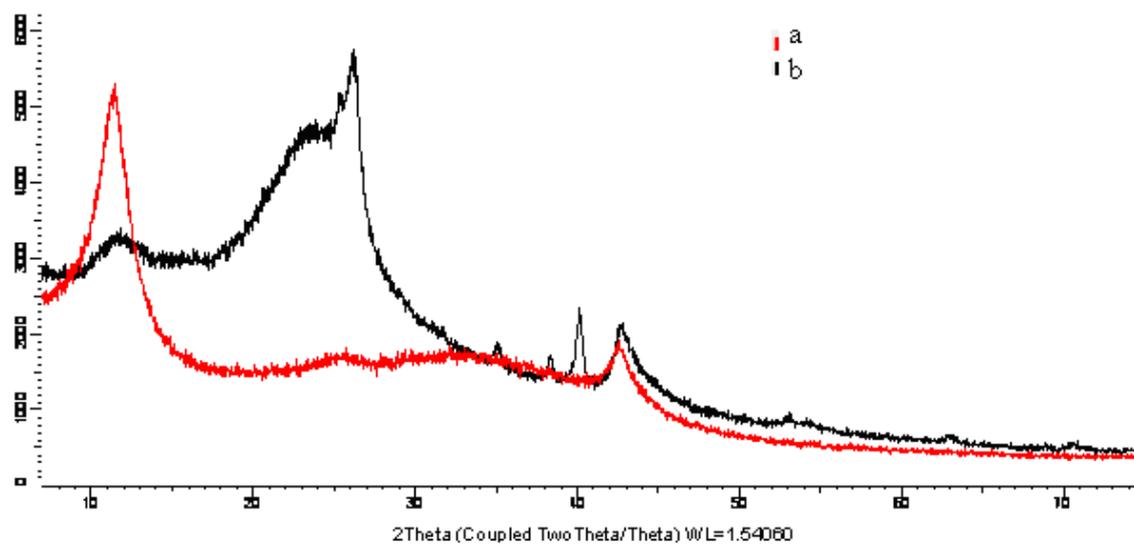


Figure S1 XRD of pattern O-NCM obtained by Hammers's method:
a) with preliminary US-dispersion of the sample
b) without preliminary dispersion of the sample.

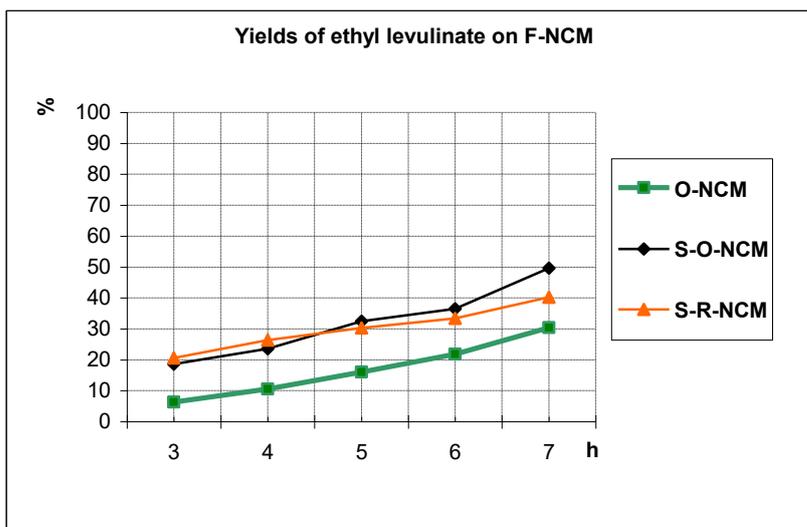


Figure S2 Yields of the products of ethyl levulinate on F-NCM. Conditions: 100°C; ; furfuryl alcohol : Cat = 4 : 1 by weight.

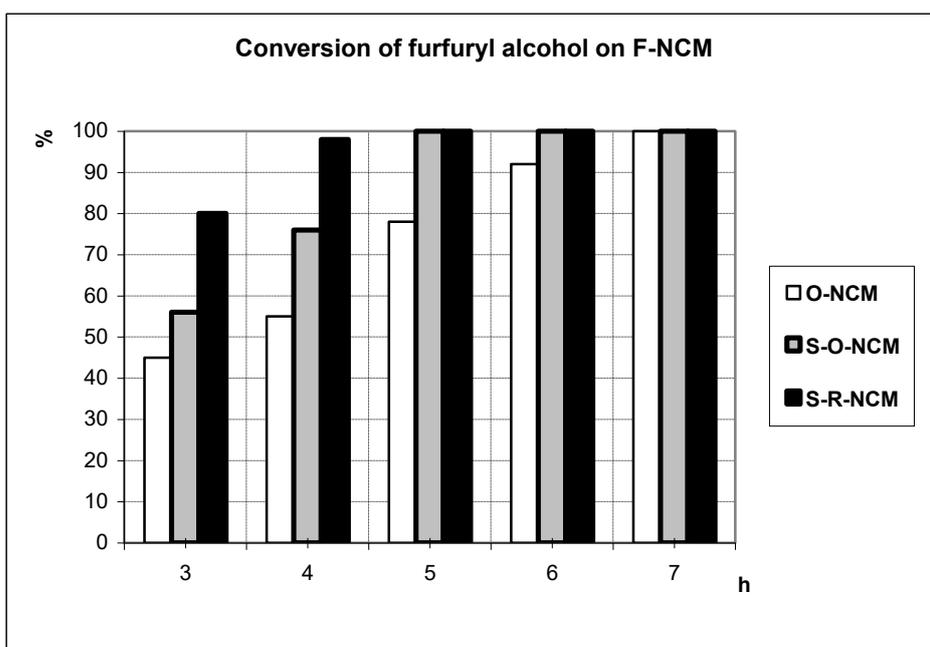


Figure S3 Conversion of furfuryl alcohol on F-NCM. Conditions: 100°C; furfuryl alcohol : Cat = 4 : 1 by weight.

The substances **(2)** and **(5)** (**Scheme 1**) are close in terms of chemical structure, but give completely different mass spectra, thus for the fragmentation of **(2)** there is the peak with the maximum intensity $m/z = 43$ ($[\text{CH}_3\text{CO}]^+$), and for **(5)** - one with $m/z = 103$ ($[(\text{EtO})_2\text{CH}]^+$). In the second place in intensity for **(2)** the peak $m/z = 129$ ($[\text{C}_7\text{H}_{13}\text{O}_2]^+$), which occurs when two groups of EtO are separated from M^+ , and in the mass spectrum of **(5)** there are two peaks with $m/z = 75$ ($[\text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{O}_2]^+$) and $m/z = 47$ ($[\text{CH}_3\text{O}_2]^+$). The general property of mass spectra **(2)** and **(5)** is the absence of molecular ions M^+ with $m/z = 218$. M^+ of substance **(2)** loses Me with the formation of the ion with $m/z = 203$ and EtO (ion with $m/z = 173$). The breakdown of the molecular ion of substance **(5)** can be characterized by a disruption of the C₄-C₅ bond, whereas for M^+ of substance **(2)** the principal direction of decomposition is the C₃-C₄ bond break.

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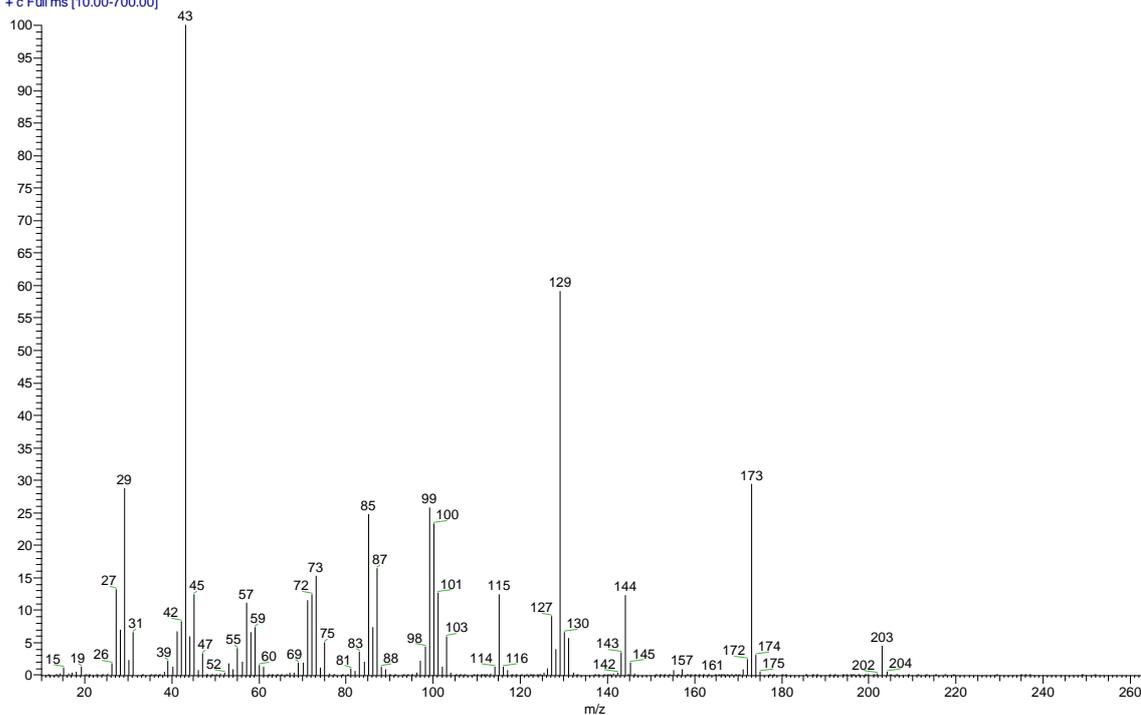


Figure S4 Mass-spectrum of (2).

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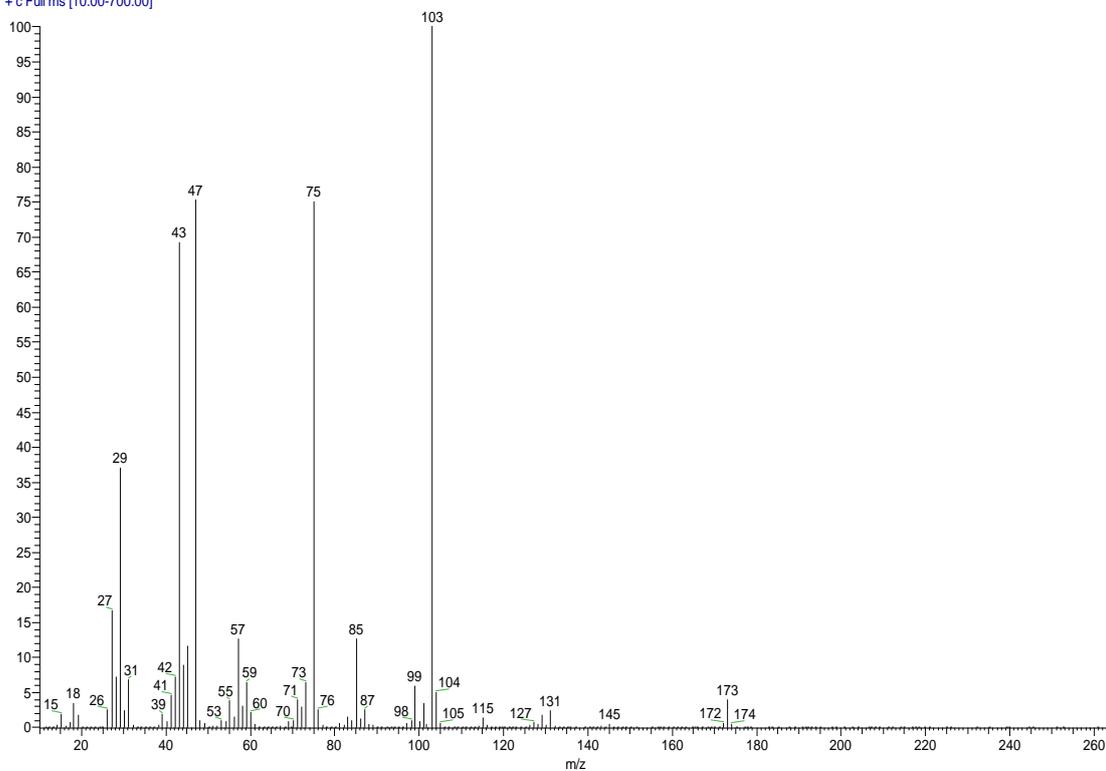


Figure S5 Mass-spectrum of (5).