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Materials	Surface areas (m ² /g)	Pore volume (cm ³ /g)	Average pore diameter (nm)
Bentonite	56.8	0.124	12.2
Bentonite-Fe ₃ O ₄ (2:1)	86.4	0.248	12.6
Bentonite-Fe ₃ O ₄ (1:1)	106.6	0.782	14.8

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$$r = \frac{n\sum xy - \sum x \sum y}{\sqrt{[n\sum x^2 - (\sum x)^2][n\sum y^2 - (\sum y)^2]}} \quad (\text{Eq. 1})$$

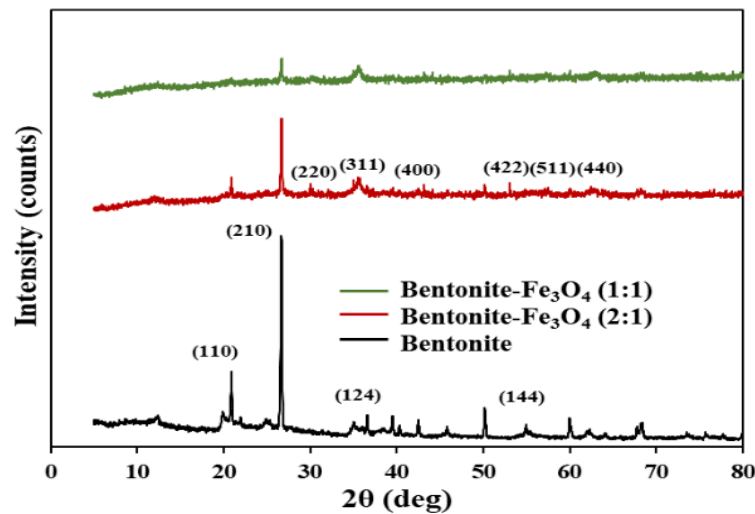
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