## Supporting Information

## Functionalization of graphene oxide by tetrazine derivatives: a versatile approach toward covalent bridges between graphene sheets

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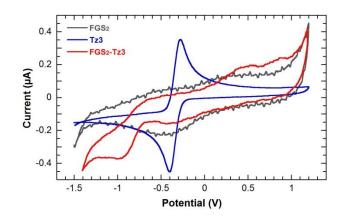


Figure SI-1: CVs for unmodified  $FGS_2$  (gray line), Tz3 (3-chloro-6-(methoxyadamantane-1-yl)*s*-tetrazine", blue line) and the FGS-Tz3 compound (red line). Each CV was made using suspensions or solutions in propylene carbonate (with 0.1M TBAPF<sub>6</sub> as the electrolyte) against a platinum electrode.

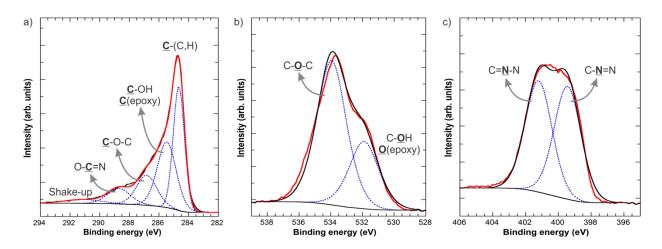


Figure SI-2: XPS for **FGS-Tz2**: (a) C(1s), (b) O(1s), and (c) N(1s) core level spectra (red lines) with the results of curve fitting (blue and black lines).

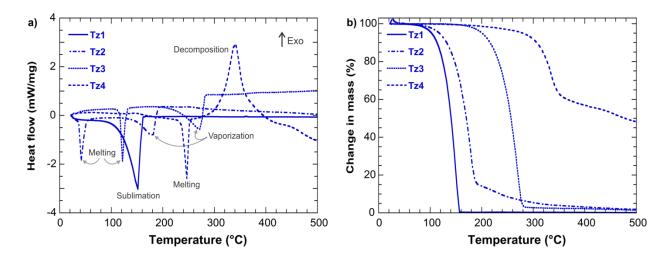


Figure SI-3: (a) DSC and (b) TG charts for the pure tetrazines (Tz1, Tz2, Tz3, and Tz4).

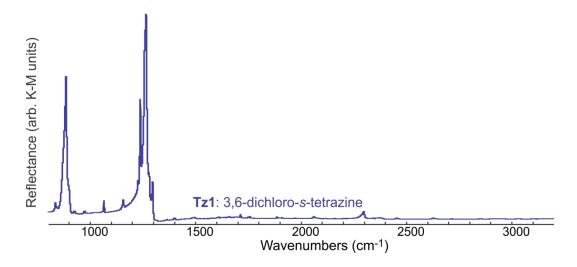


Figure SI-4: FTIR spectrum for **Tz1**. The C-Cl band is apparent at  $\sim$ 890 cm<sup>-1</sup> and the absorptions of the C-N ring centered at  $\sim$ 1250 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

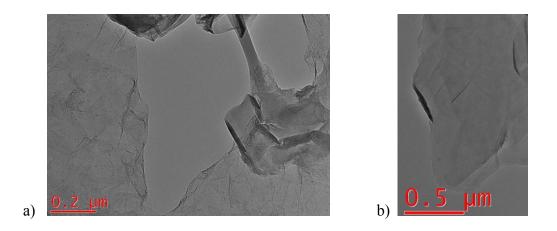


Figure SI-5: TEM pictures of  $FGS_2$  (a) and FGS-Tz4 (b) showing that the graphene structure is preserved in the tetrazine functionalized material.