

Supporting information

Aldehyde-conjugated chitosan-graphene oxide glucodynamers: ternary cooperative assembly and controlled chemical release

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Sample	Contact angle value	Char residue (700°C)	DSC analysis		Mechanical properties	
			T max (°C)	ΔH (J/g)	Young modulus (MPa)	Stress (MPa)
CS- <i>f</i>	112.6° ± 1.66	21%	94	21.44	1488.80 ± 3.92	30 ± 2.3
CS-Ar ₁ - <i>f</i>	100.2° ± 1.99	33%	114	73.67	1902.90 ± 3.81	74 ± 1.8
CS-Ar ₂ - <i>f</i>	98.3° ± 1.41	32%	94	58.67	1857.83 ± 5.46	77 ± 2.5
CS-Ar ₃ - <i>f</i>	94.6° ± 3.30	29%	92	30.51	1746.42 ± 6.63	55 ± 1.4
CS-Ar ₄ - <i>f</i>	85° ± 1.38	30%	115	47.43	1624.12 ± 5.57	40 ± 2.9
CS-GO- <i>f</i>	100.9° ± 2.20	30%	97	27.45	1684.45 ± 4.09	44 ± 3.2
CS-Ar ₁ -GO- <i>f</i>	87.1° ± 2.22	24%	119	120.44	2286.57 ± 2.19	78 ± 2.5
CS-Ar ₂ -GO- <i>f</i>	85.3° ± 1.85	32%	108	63.82	2164.45 ± 2.03	78 ± 2.2
CS-Ar ₃ -GO- <i>f</i>	82.5° ± 1.91	33%	95	51.48	1794.09 ± 2.57	72 ± 1.5
CS-Ar ₄ -GO- <i>f</i>	66.1° ± 3.07	31%	117	65.58	1660.18 ± 5.02	43 ± 2.4

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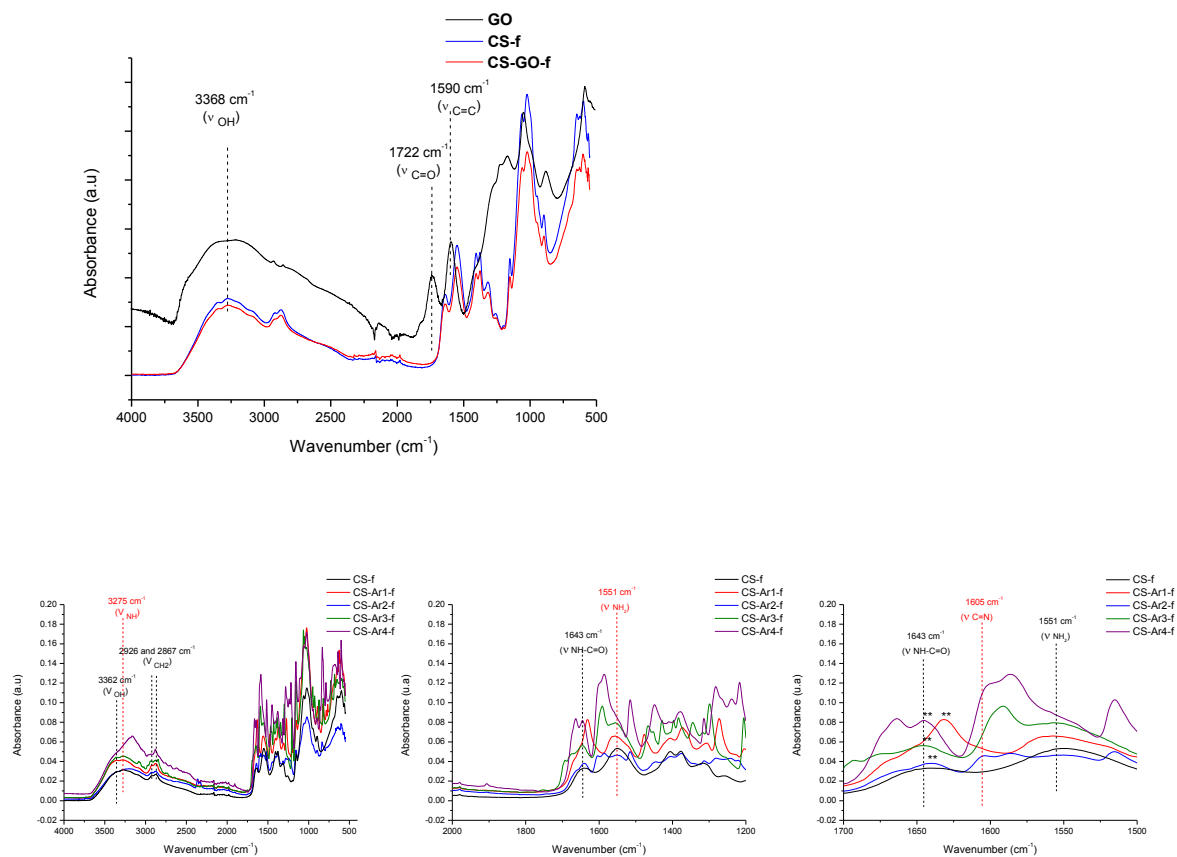


Figure S2: DRUV-visible analysis of films **CS-Ar_x-f** and **CS-Ar_x-GO-f**

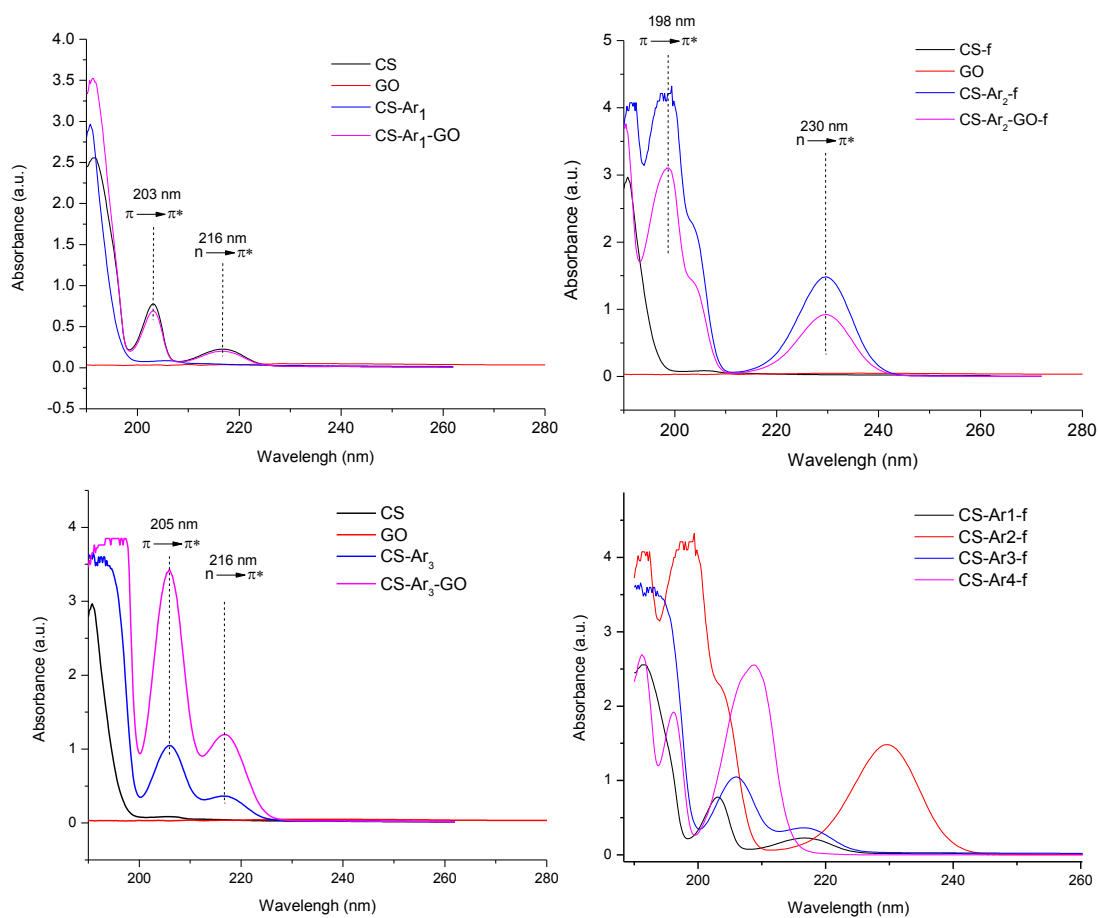


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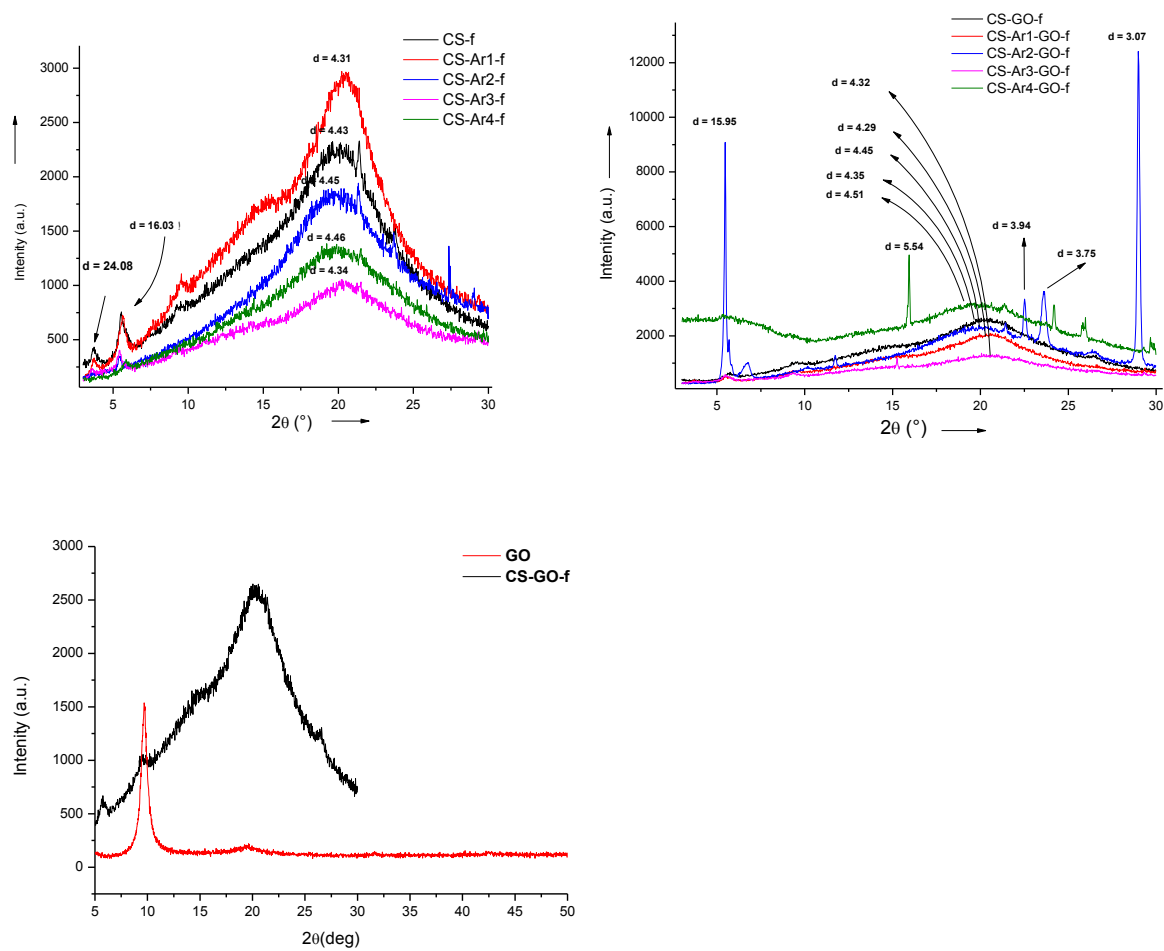
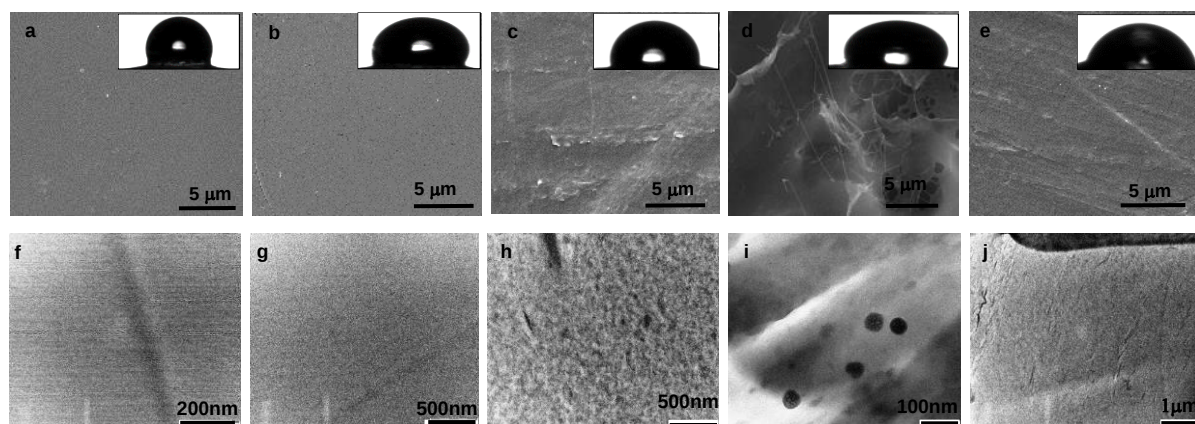


Figure S4: Scanning electronic microscopy analyses, contact angle measurement and Transmission electronic microscopy analyses of **CS-Ar_x-f**



a-e Scanning electronic microscopy analyses and contact angle measurement (onset) of : a) **CS-f** ; b) **CS-Ar₁-f**; c) **CS-Ar₂-f**; d) **CS-Ar₃-f**; e) **CS-Ar₄-f**. f-j Transmission electronic microscopy analyses of. f) **CS-f**; g) **CS-Ar₁-f**; h) **CS-Ar₂-f**; i) **CS-Ar₃-f**; j) **CS-Ar₄-f**

Figure S5: EDX analysis of films

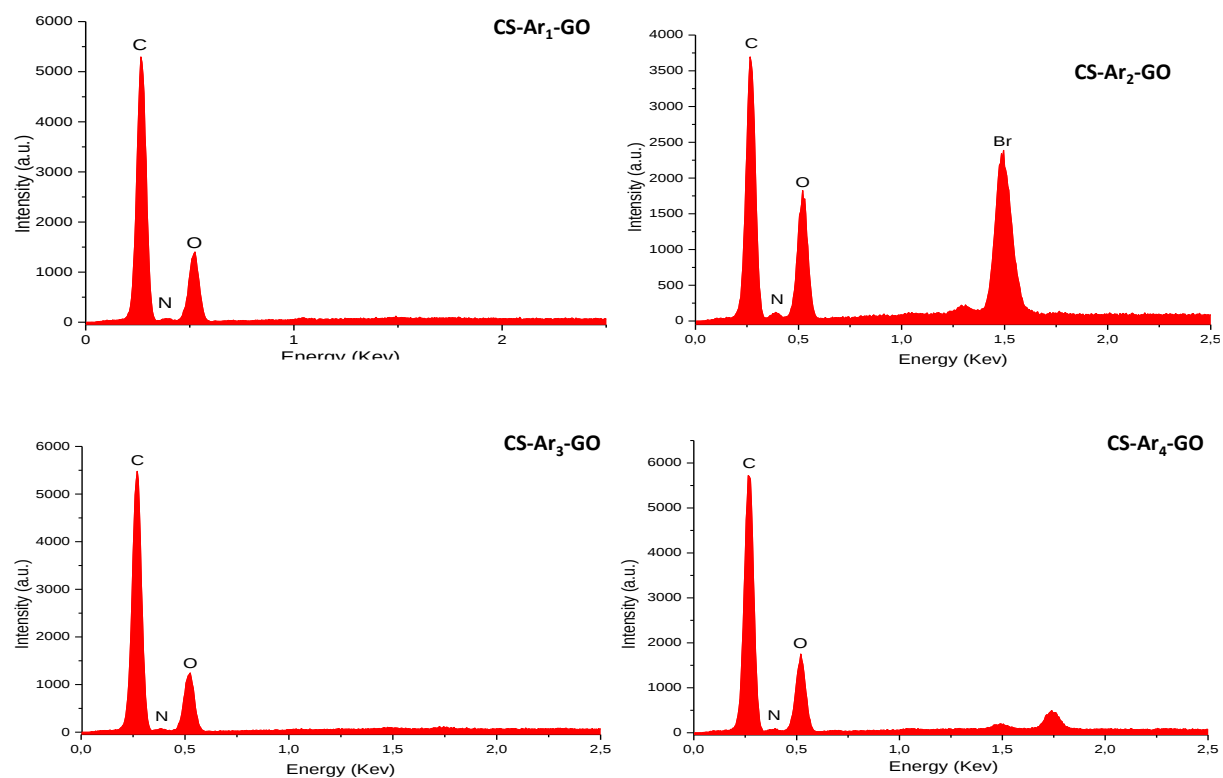


Figure S6: Thermal behavior of **CS-Ar_x-f** by TGA and DSC

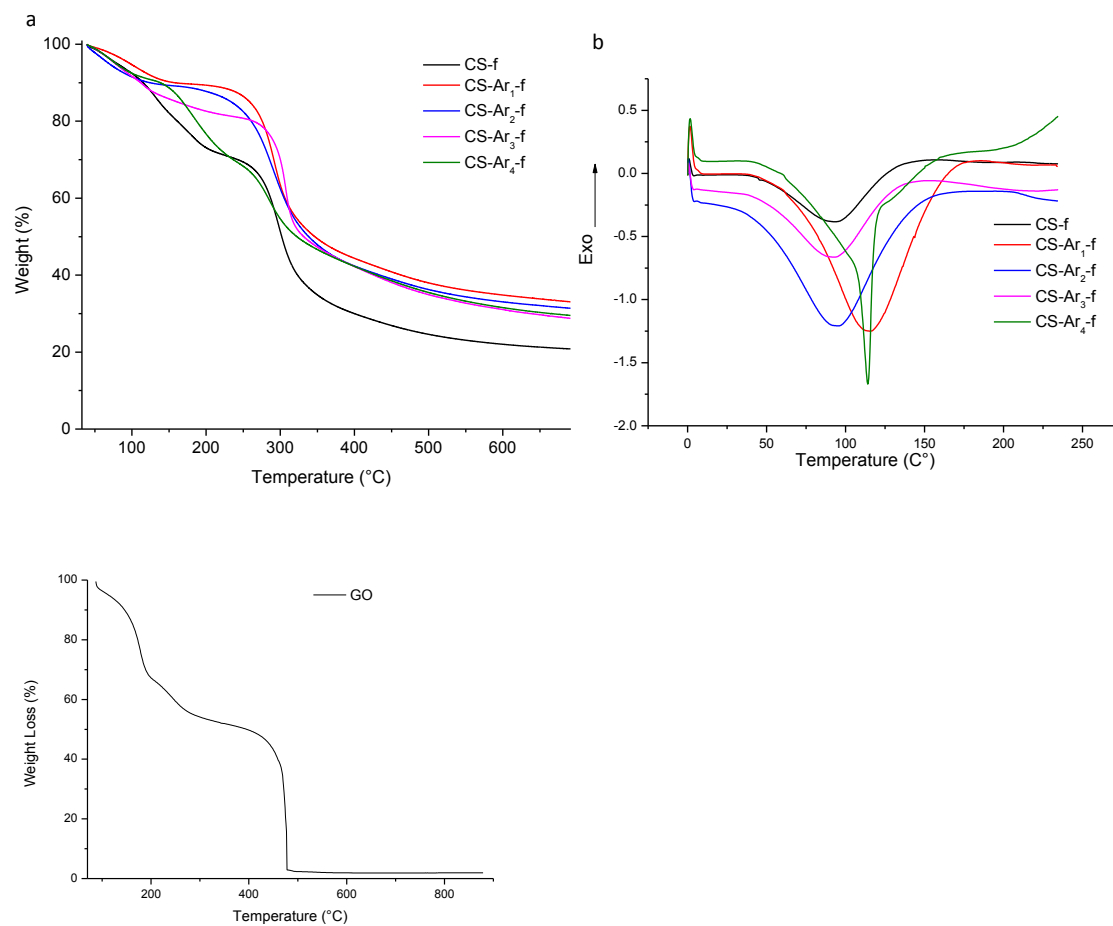


Figure S7: Stress–strain curves of **CS-f**, **CS-Ar_x-f**, **CS-GO-f** and **CS-Ar_x-GO-f**.

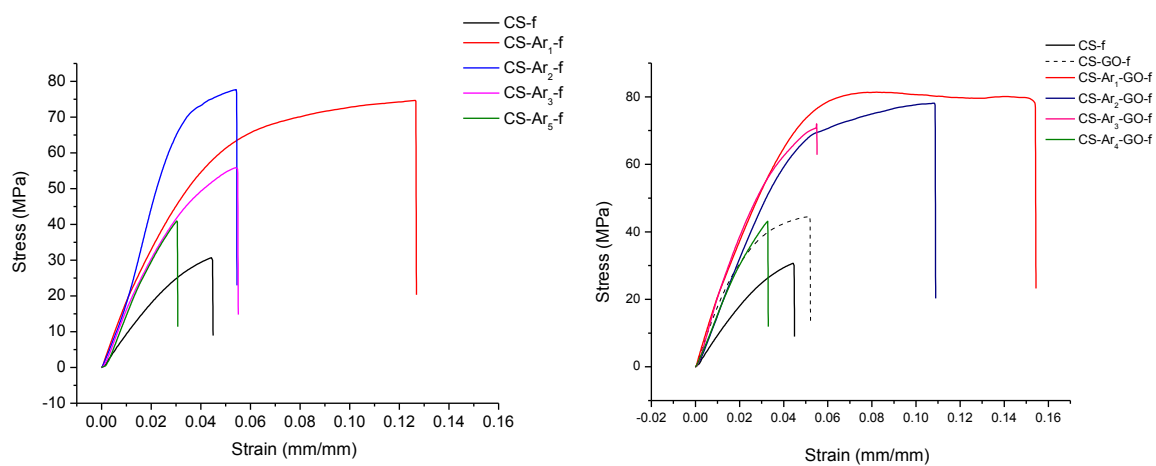


Figure S8: Temperature-dependence aldehyde release from **CS-Ar_x-f** and **CS-Ar_x-GO-f**

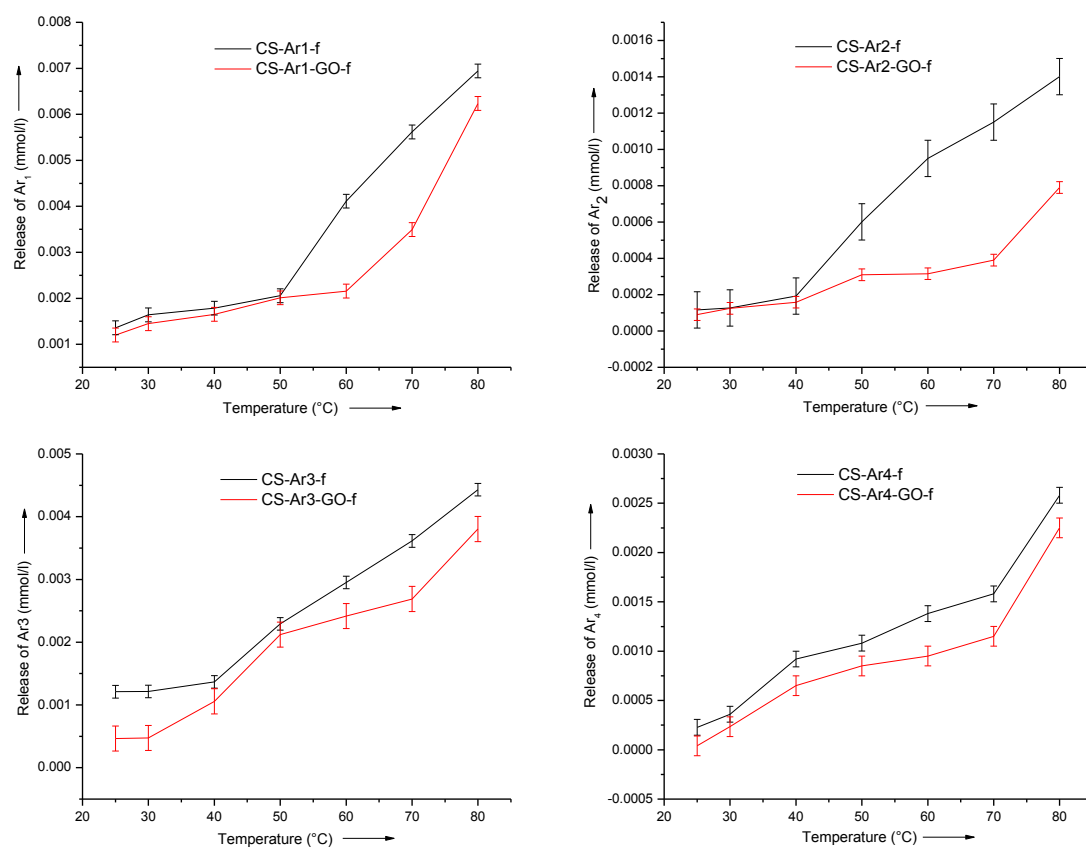


Figure S9: pH-dependence aldehyde release from **CS-Ar_x-f** and **CS-Ar_x-GO-f**

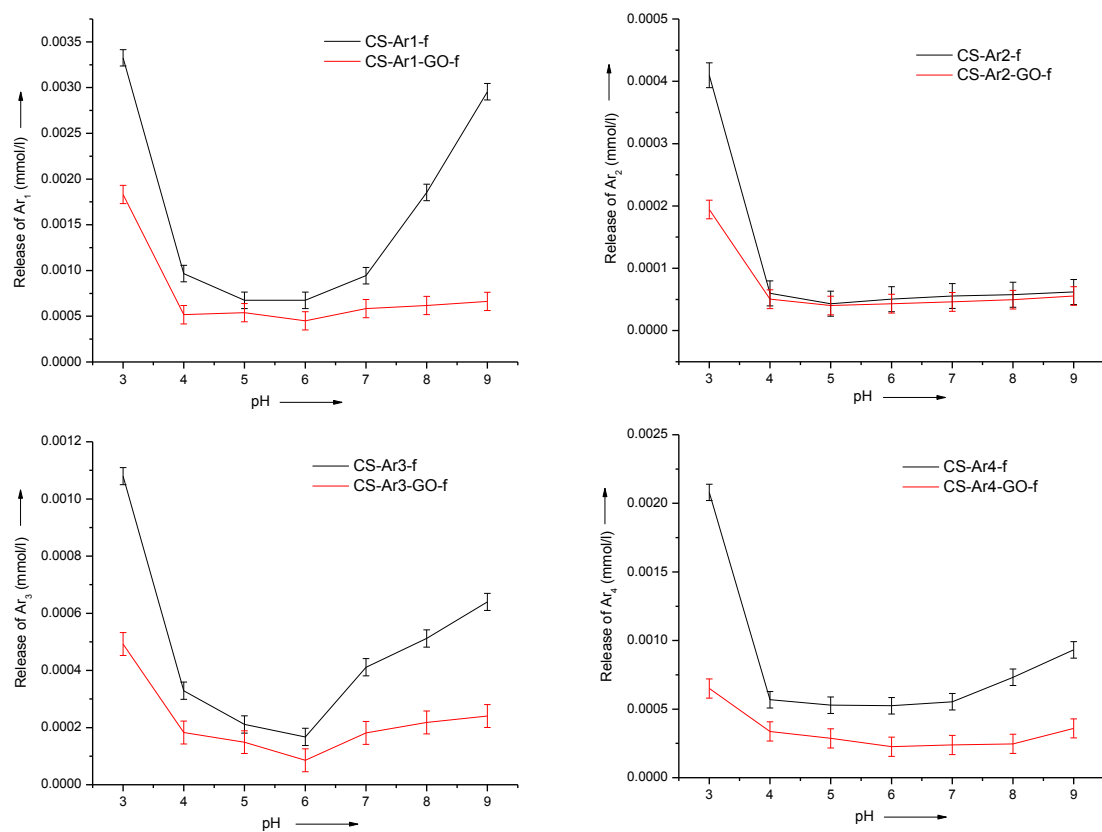


Figure S10: Mechanism of the imine hydrolysis by water under acid, neutral and base conditions.

