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Table S1 EDS results: elemental constitution of schwertmannite particles in samples reacted for 6 hours.

| Experiment | Fe(At%) | S(At%) | As(At%) | O(At%) |
|-------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| 0 ppm, 6 hours | 45.15 | 10.33 | - | 44.52 |
| 10 ppm, 6 hours | 26.17 | 7.07 | 0.72 | 65.64 |
| 50 ppm, 6 hours | 27.63 | 8 | 1.68 | 62.11 |
| 100 ppm, 6 hours | 33.80 | 8.76 | 2.97 | 54.47 |
| 200 ppm, 6 hours | 34.97 | 10.62 | 5.92 | 46.95 |

Table S2 EDS results: elemental constitution of jarosite particles in samples reacted for 6 hours.

| Experiment | K(At%) | Fe(At%) | S(At%) | As(At%) | O(At%) |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| 0 ppm, 6 hours | 3.99 | 27.98 | 13.20 | - | 54.83 |
| 10 ppm, 6 hours | 1.57 | 27.63 | 8.87 | 0.39 | 61.53 |
| 50 ppm, 6 hours | 3.52 | 30.16 | 12.64 | 1.19 | 52.48 |
| 100 ppm, 6 hours | 2.01 | 32.61 | 10.91 | 2.18 | 52.29 |
| 200 ppm, 6 hours | 2.73 | 22.27 | 10.30 | 3.44 | 61.27 |

Table S3 EDS results: elemental constitution of jarosite particles in samples reacted for 15 hours.

| Experiment | K(At%) | Fe(At%) | S(At%) | As(At%) | O(At%) |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| 0 ppm, 15 hours | 5.04 | 23.33 | 13.17 | - | 54.83 |
| 10 ppm, 15 hours | 3.62 | 18.70 | 10.42 | 0.06 | 67.19 |
| 50 ppm, 15 hours | 7.07 | 51.51 | 13.95 | 0.14 | 27.33 |
| 100 ppm, 15 hours | 6.91 | 38.32 | 17.54 | 0.38 | 36.85 |
| 200 ppm, 15 hours | 3.97 | 13.76 | 10.41 | 0.50 | 71.36 |

* The EDS data of elemental constitution for schwertmannite and jarosite under different initial coprecipitated As(III) concentrations (Tables S1–S3) are the average results of 5 spots for the two kinds of mineral particles with distinguished morphology.

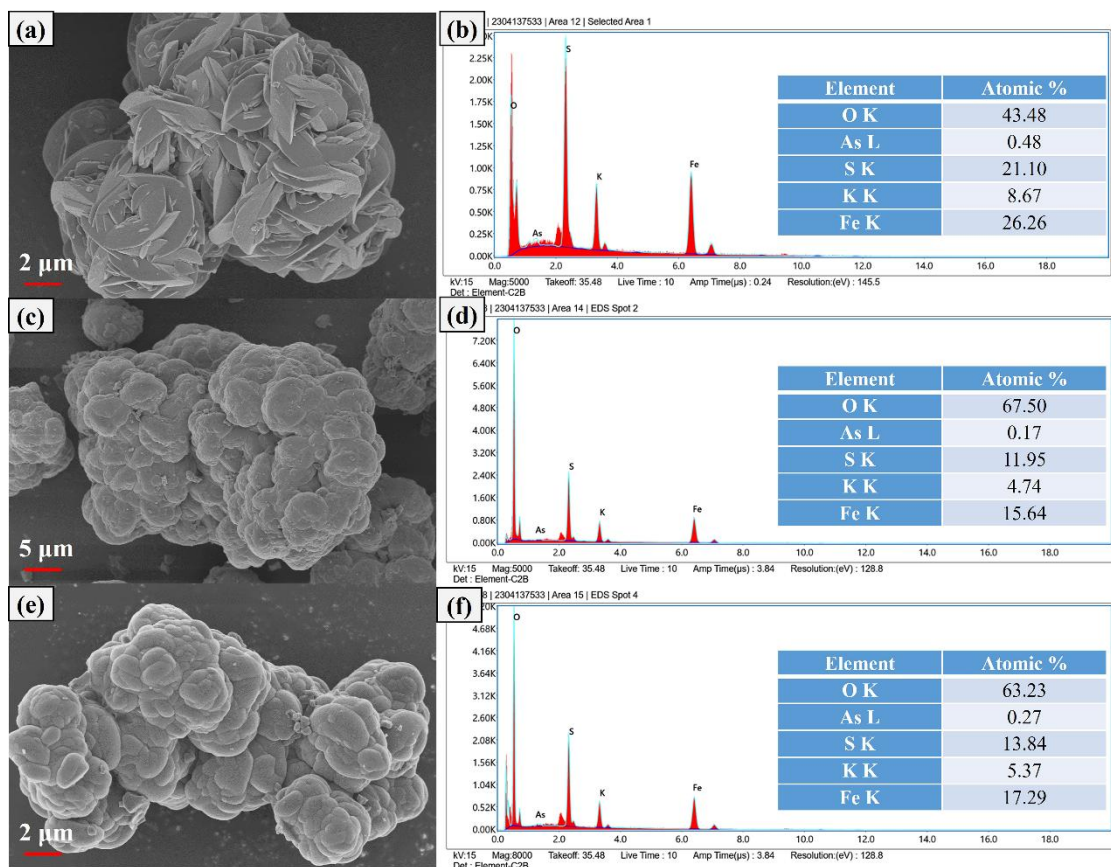


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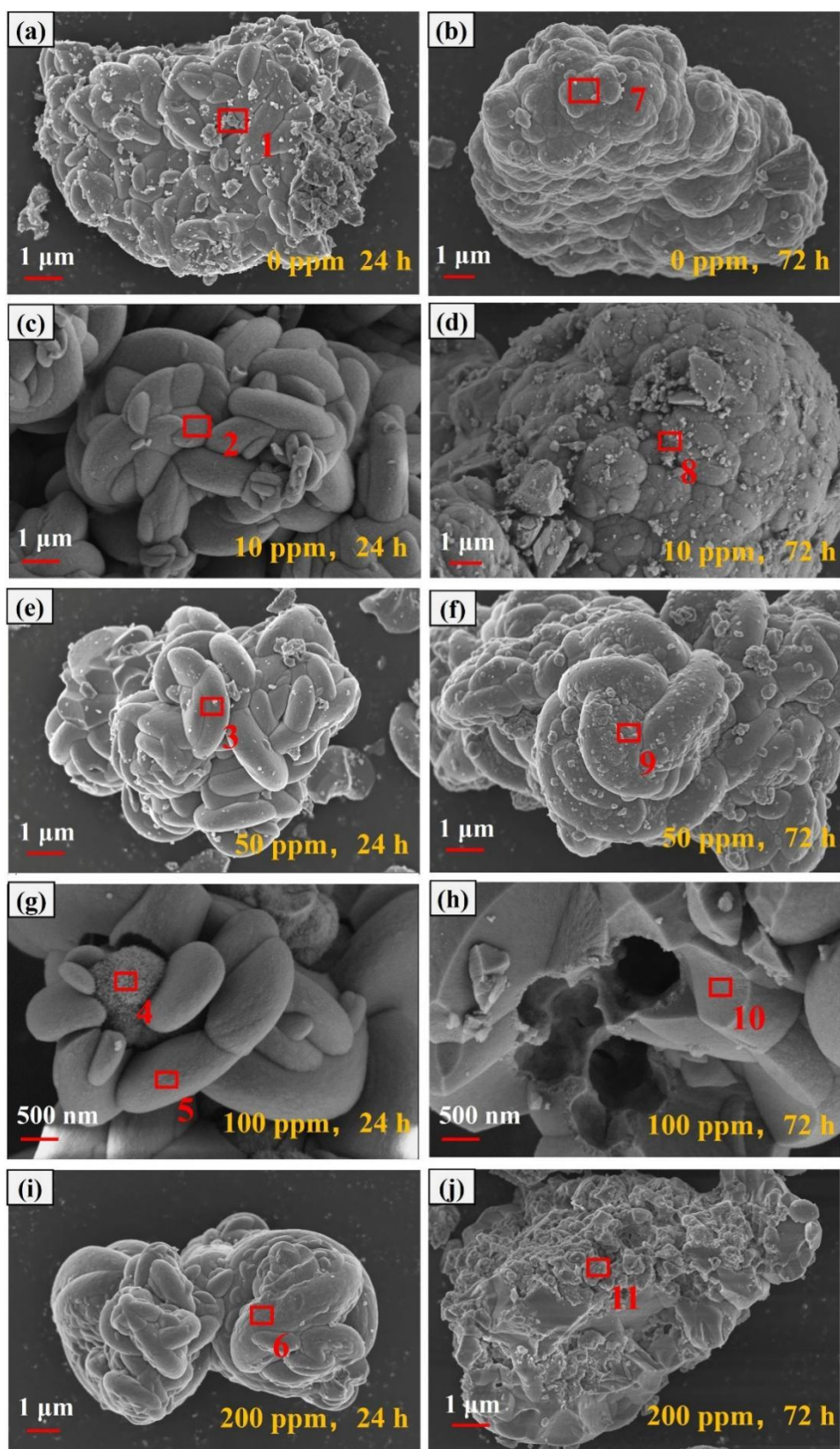


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| Number | Experiment | K (At%) | Fe (At%) | S (At%) | As (At%) | O (At%) |
|---------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 1 | 0 ppm, 24 h | 6.21 | 21.73 | 14.69 | - | 55.37 |
| 2 | 10 ppm, 24 h | 4.55 | 14.28 | 11.65 | 0.17 | 68.35 |
| 3 | 50 ppm, 24 h | 3.43 | 13.05 | 9.02 | 0.33 | 74.16 |
| 4 | 100 ppm, 24 h | 2.78 | 29.83 | 11.84 | 0.59 | 54.96 |
| 5 | 100 ppm, 24 h | 4.29 | 17.74 | 12.23 | 0.40 | 65.34 |
| 6 | 200 ppm, 24 h | 5.67 | 19.81 | 14.48 | 0.31 | 59.73 |
| 7 | 0 ppm, 72 h | 4.81 | 15.49 | 13.05 | - | 67.65 |
| 8 | 10 ppm, 72 h | 8.09 | 26.92 | 16.45 | 0.13 | 48.41 |
| 9 | 50 ppm, 72 h | 4.11 | 13.24 | 10.81 | 0.25 | 71.59 |
| 10 | 100 ppm, 72 h | 4.01 | 18.05 | 10.54 | 0.50 | 66.89 |
| 11 | 200 ppm, 72 h | 5.92 | 23.06 | 14.96 | 0.50 | 52.26 |

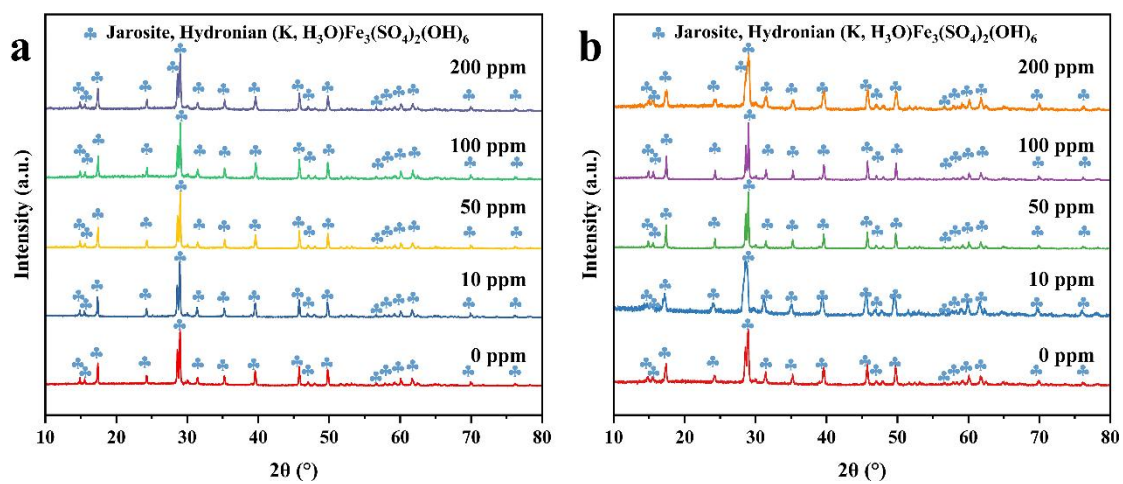


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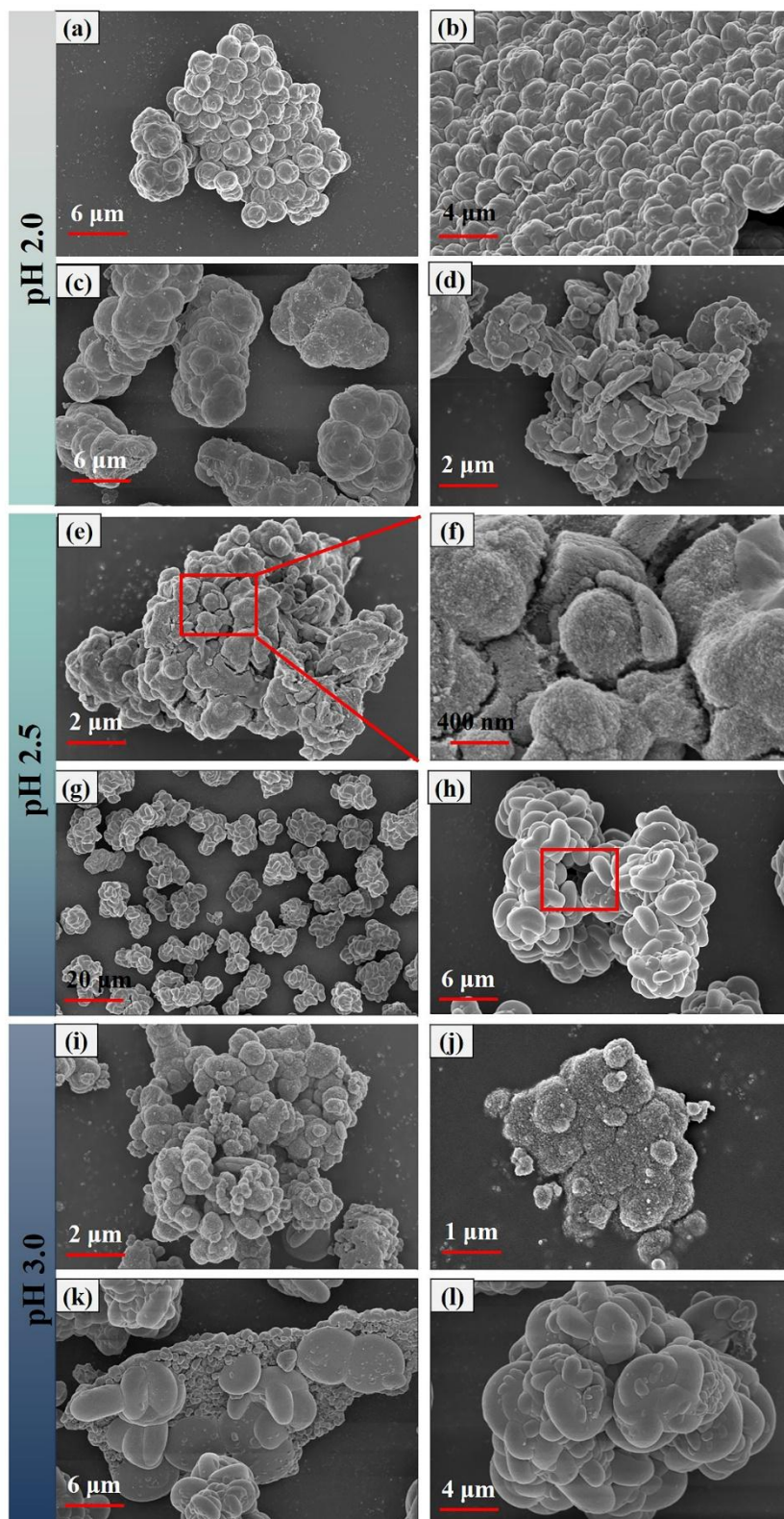


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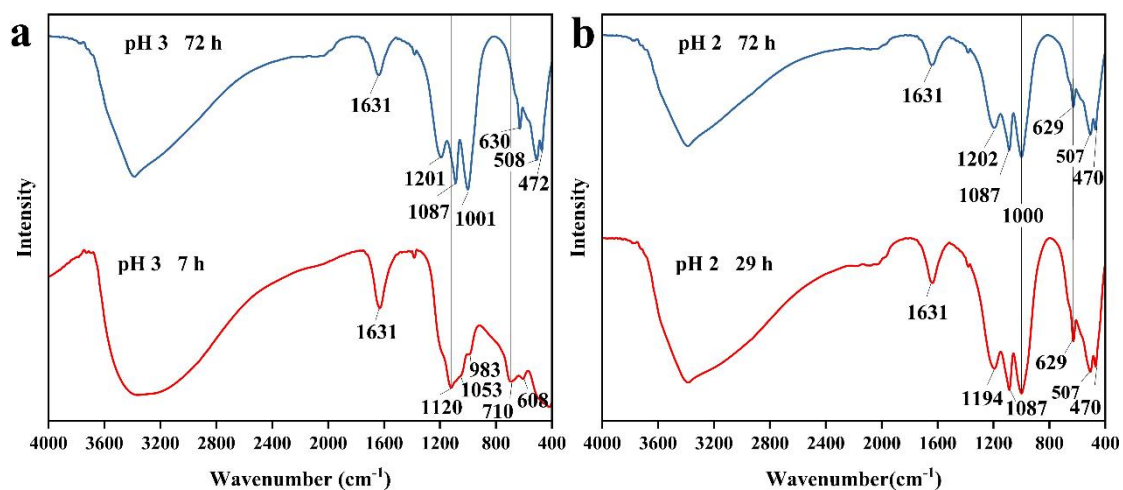


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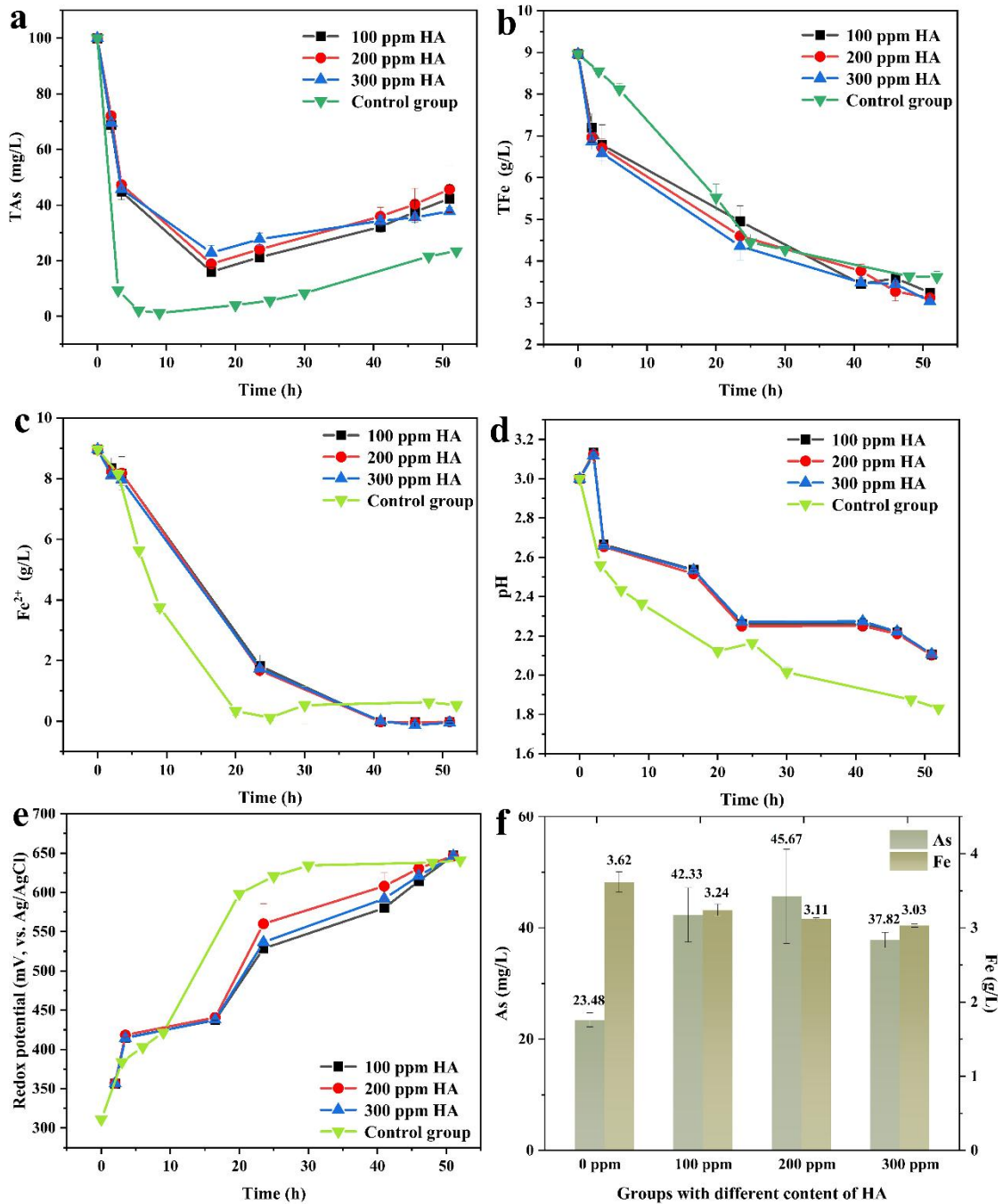


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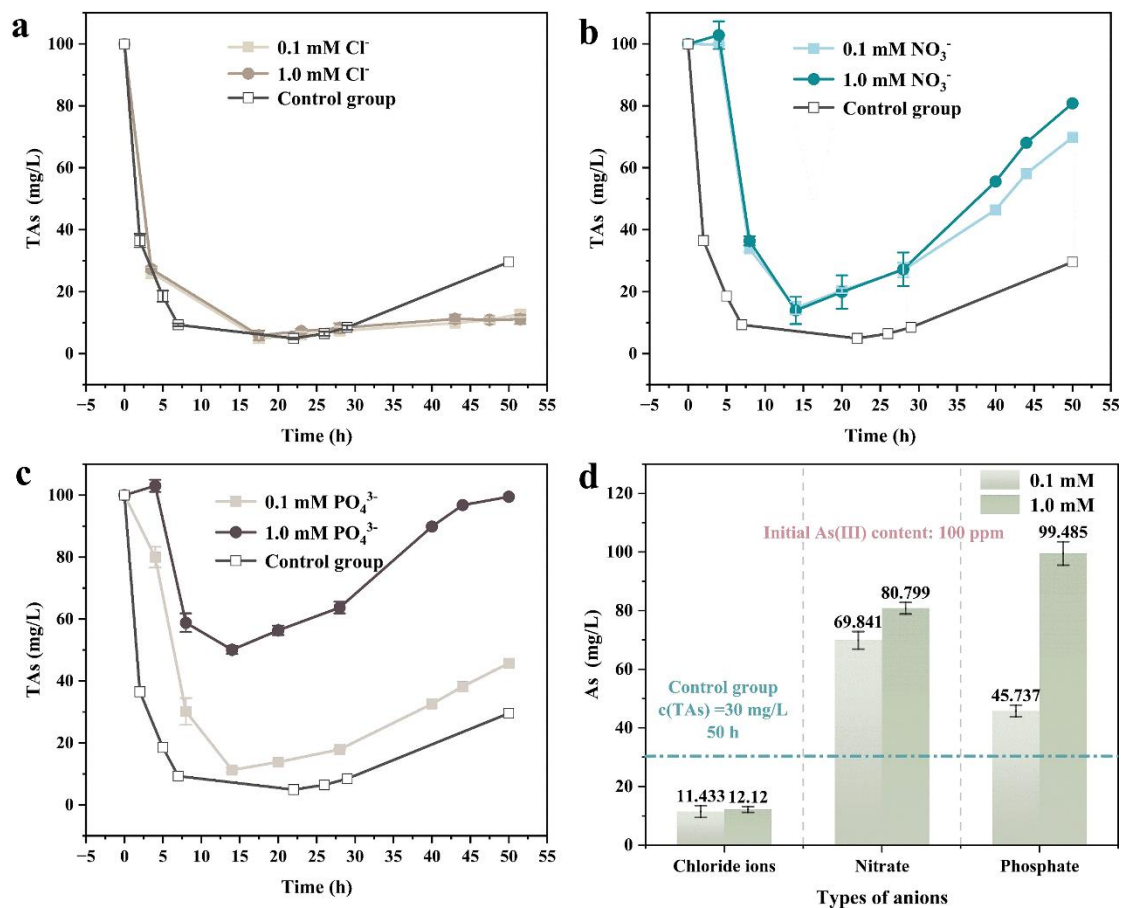


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