The effect of preparation method on the catalytic performance over Ce -promoted Cu/CeO₂ catalyst for low temperature water -gas shift reaction



The low temperature water -gas shift reaction has been carried out at a very high gas hourly space velocity of 72,152 h⁻¹ over Ce -promoted Cu/CeO₂. The preparation method was optimized to get a highly active Ce -promoted Cu/CeO₂ catalyst for LT -WGS reaction. Ce -promoted Cu/CeO₂ catalysts were prepared by co -impregnation (Cu -Ce/CeO₂) and sequential impregnation (Cu/Ce/CeO₂ and Ce/Cu/CeO₂) methods. The effect of preparation method on catalytic performance has been interpreted through characterization of TPR, BET, XRD, and related to activity results in low temperature water -gas shift reaction.