Supporting information

Nanomeshes of Highly Crystalline Nitrogen-Doped Carbon Encapsulated Fe/Fe$_3$C Electrodes as Ultrafast and Stable Anodes for Li-ion Batteries

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Fig. S1 High resolution of (A) C1s, (B) N1s, (C) Fe2p and (D) O1s XPS spectrum for the PPy-Fe and pure PPy.
Fig. S2 UV-Vis spectra of pure PPy and PPy-Fe coordination complex. Note: UV-Vis spectra of pure PPy and PPy-Fe coordination complex are collected to further confirm the interaction change during the process of coordination. The curve of PPy-Fe exhibits a tiny shoulder at 275 nm compared with that of pure PPy, which illustrates the coordination bonds in pure PPy and has changed significantly by the addition of excessive FeCl$_2$ and H$_2$O$_2$. 
Fig. S3 SEM and TEM images of PPy spheres.
Fig. S4 High resolution of (A) C1s, (B) N1s, (C) O1s XPS spectrum and (D) TGA profile of the N-Fe/Fe$_3$C@C nanomeshes.
Fig. S5 CV curves of N-doped carbon nanomeshes.