## Flexible free-standing defect-rich MoS<sub>2</sub>/graphene/carbon nanotube hybrid paper as binder-free anode for highperformance lithium ion batteries

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## Electronic Supplementary Information

Fig. S1 FESEM image of bulk MoS<sub>2</sub>.

Fig. S2 (a) FESEM, (b) TEM and (c, d) HRTEM images of df-MoS<sub>2</sub> NSs.

Fig. S3 (a) AFM images and (b) the corresponding height profiles of GO sheets.

**Fig. S4** Cross-sectional FESEM images of (a) GC, (b) dr-MGC12, (c) dr-MGC11 and (d) dr-MGC21 hybrid papers.

**Fig. S5** Cross-sectional FESEM images, corresponding EDS spectra and mapping images of (a) dr-MGC12, (b) dr-MGC11 and (c) dr-MGC21 hybrid papers.

Fig. S6 (a) Top-view and (b) cross-sectional FESEM images of dr-MG21 hybrid paper.

Fig. S7 Nitrogen adsorption isotherms of dr-MGC21 and dr-MG21 hybrid papers.

The inset shows the corresponding pore size distribution of dr-MGC21 hybrid paper.

Fig. S8 XRD patterns of dr-MGC12, dr-MGC11 and dr-MGC21 hybrid papers.

**Fig. S9** (a) XPS survey spectrum and (b) high resolution C 1s spectrum of GO/CNT hybrids.

Fig. S10 First three cycles of CV curves of dr-MoS<sub>2</sub> NSs measured in the voltage

range from 0.01 to 3.0 V at a scan rate of 0.1 mV s<sup>-1</sup>.

**Fig. S11** Comparison of the cycling performance of dr-MoS<sub>2</sub> NSs, df-MoS<sub>2</sub> NSs and bulk MoS<sub>2</sub> in the voltage range from 0.01 to 3.0 V at a current density of 0.1 A  $g^{-1}$ .

**Fig. S12** Cross-sectional FESEM images of dr-MGC21 hybrid paper after the cycling process at (a) low and (b) high magnifications. The inset of (a) shows that the average thickness of dr-MGC21 hybrid paper after the cycling process is still about 8 μm.

**Fig. S13** Comparison of the cycling performance of dr-MGC21 and dr-MG21 hybrid papers in the voltage range from 0.01 to 3.0 V at a current density of  $0.1 \text{ A g}^{-1}$ .

**Fig. S14** Nyquist plots of dr-MGC21 and dr-MG21 hybrid papers measured in the frequency range from 100 kHz to 0.01 Hz with an AC voltage amplitude of 5.0 mV.



Fig. S1



Fig. S2



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