

Exceptionally highly performing Na-ion battery anode using crystalline SnO₂ nanoparticles confined in mesoporous carbon

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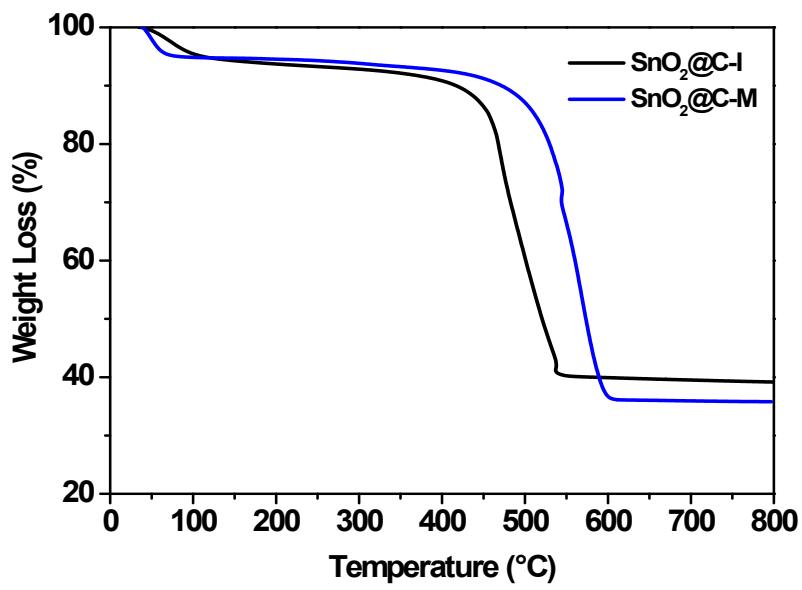


Figure S1: TGA analysis curves for the $\text{SnO}_2@\text{C-I}$ and $\text{SnO}_2@\text{C-M}$ composites under air.

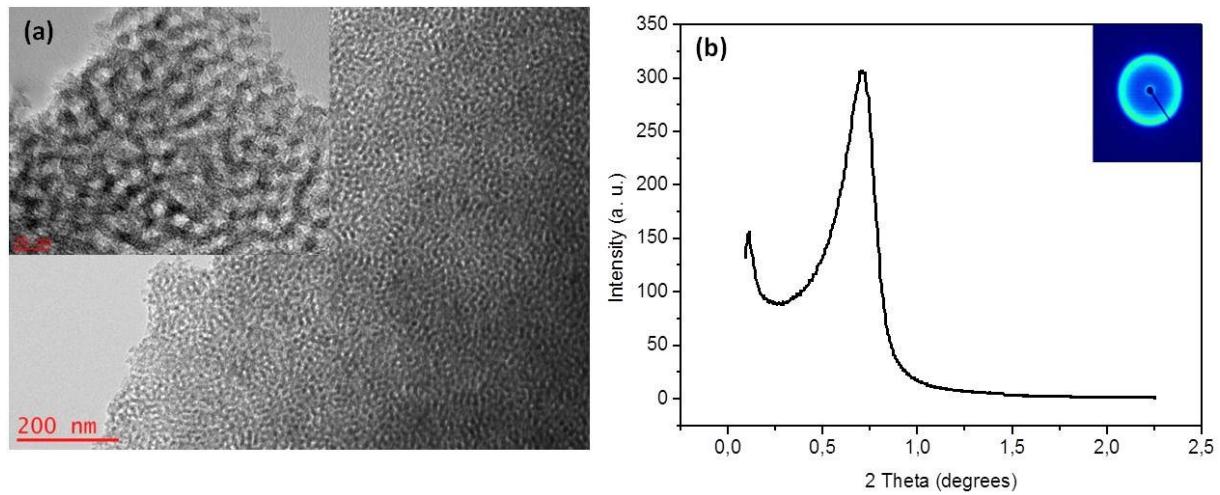


Figure S2: TEM pictures of pristine mesoporous carbon (a) along with the (b) SAXS patterns.

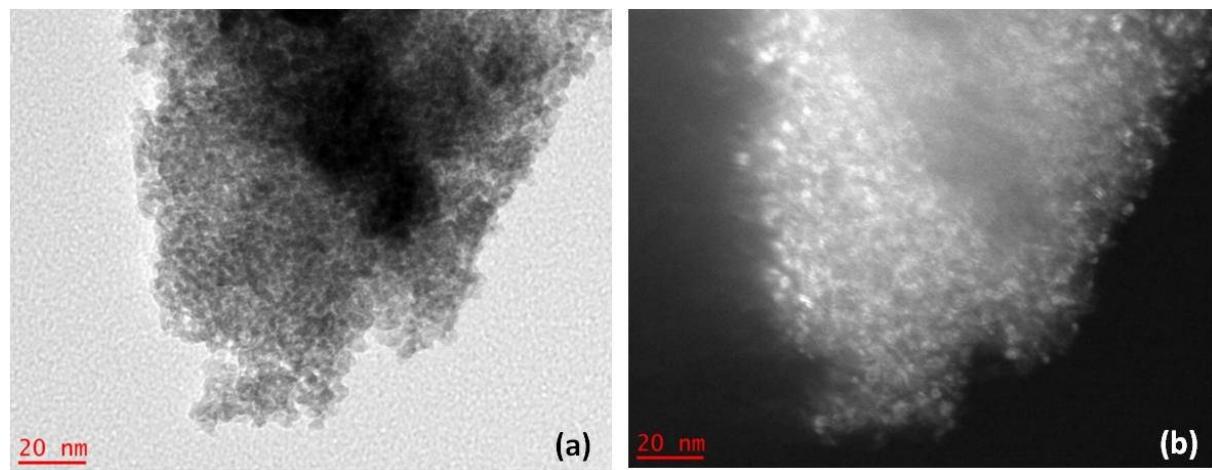


Figure S3: TEM pictures of base SnO₂ nano-particles (a) bright and (b) dark field

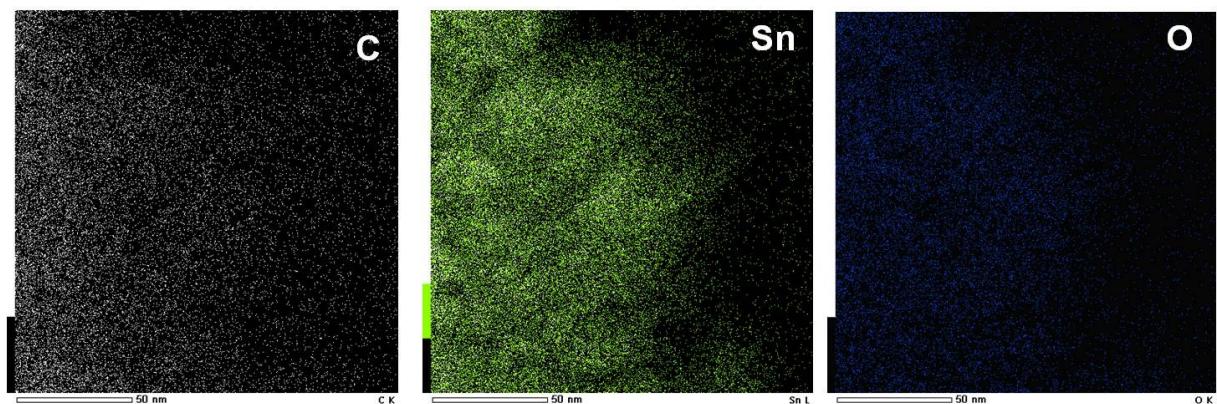


Figure S4: EDX elemental mapping for SnO₂@C-I composite.

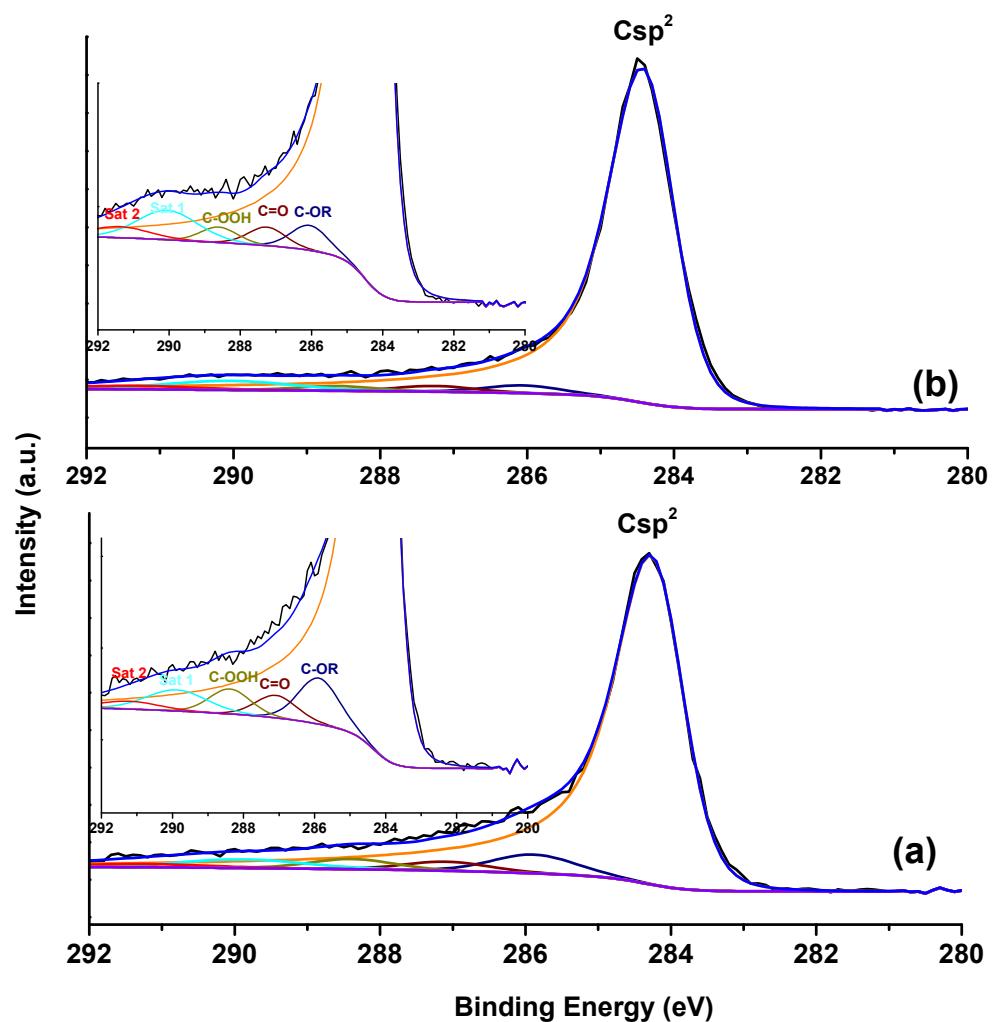


Figure S5: C1s high resolution XPS spectra of (a) $\text{SnO}_2@\text{C-I}$ and (b) $\text{SnO}_2@\text{C-M}$.