Supporting information

NiCo₂S₄/Carbon Nanotube Nanocomposites with Chain-like Architecture for Enhanced Supercapacitor Performance

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Fig. S1 TG curves of NCS/CNT-10 composite and NCS nanorices in air at a heating rate of 10 $^{\circ}$ C min⁻¹.



Fig. S2 CV curves at different scan rates recorded from NCS/CNT nanocomposites with different adding amount of CNT: (a) NCS/CNT-1; (b) NCS/CNT-5; (c) NCS/CNT-20; (d) NCS/CNT-30.



Fig. S3 CD curves at different current densities recorded from NCS/CNT nanocomposites with different adding amount of CNT: (a) NCS/CNT-1; (b) NCS/CNT-5; (c) NCS/CNT-20; (d) NCS/CNT-30.

Sample	Specific capacitance	Rate retention	Current range	Ref.
NiCo ₂ S ₄ nanotubes	933 F g^{-1} (1 A g^{-1})	58.9 %	$1-5 \text{ A g}^{-1}$	1
Urchin-like NiCo ₂ S ₄	1025 F g^{-1} (1 A g^{-1})	77.3 %	$1-20 \text{ Ag}^{-1}$	2
$NiCo_2S_4$ nanoparticles on graphene	$1708 \text{ F g}^{-1} (1 \text{ A g}^{-1})$	68 %	$1-40 \mathrm{A g^{-1}}$	3
NiCo ₂ S ₄ microsphere/ acetylene black	768 F g^{-1} (2 A g^{-1})	70.3 %	$2-100 \text{ Ag}^{-1}$	4
CoNi ₂ S ₄ /CNT	2094 F g^{-1} (1 A g^{-1})	72 %	$1-10 \text{ Ag}^{-1}$	5
CoNi ₂ S ₄ /graphene	2009 F g^{-1} (1 A g^{-1})	49.8 %	$1-20 \text{ Ag}^{-1}$	6
NiCo ₂ S ₄ -RGO	1451 F g^{-1} (3 A g^{-1})	52.3 %	$3-20 \text{ Ag}^{-1}$	7
NiCo ₂ S ₄ /CNT	2210 F g^{-1} (1 A g^{-1})	72 %	$1-60 \mathrm{A g^{-1}}$	Our work

Table S1 Comparison of the key performance characteristics of different $NiCo_2S_4$ -based electrodes for supercapacitors.

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Sample	$\mathbf{R}_{\mathrm{ct}}(\mathbf{\Omega})$	$\mathbf{R}_{s}(\Omega)$	
NCS/CNT-1	1.328	0.623	
NCS/CNT-5	0.491	0.199	
NCS/CNT-10	0.268	0.092	
NCS/CNT-20	0.637	0.175	
NCS/CNT-30	1.004	0.671	
NCS	0.371	0.912	

Table S2 Charge transfer resistance (R_{ct}) and internal resistance (R_s) of synthesized samples.