

## **Electronic Supplementary Information (ESI)**

### **The investigation of the electrochemically supercapacitive performances of mesoporous CuCo<sub>2</sub>S<sub>4</sub>**

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**Table. S1** Comparison of the electrochemical performances of the as-prepared mesoporous CuCo<sub>2</sub>S<sub>4</sub> nanoparticles with previously reported ternary and binary metal sulfides/oxides nanostructures.

Sample	Specific capacitance	Rate capacity retention	Cycling capacity retention	Electrolyte	Reference
CuCo <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> nanostructures	338 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 1 A g <sup>-1</sup>	26% (from 1 to 50 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	96% (1000 cycles at 2 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	3 M KOH	[S1]
CuCo <sub>2</sub> S <sub>4</sub> nanoparticles	5030 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 20 A g <sup>-1</sup>	27.1% (from 20 to 70 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	79.5% (2000 cycles at 70 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	polysulfide	[S2]
Zn <sub>0.76</sub> Co <sub>0.24</sub> S nanostructures	486.2 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 2 A g <sup>-1</sup>	65.4% (from 2 to 20 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	86.4% (2000 cycles at 5 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	1 M KOH	[S3]
Nanoparticle-like CuS	371 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 1 A g <sup>-1</sup>	/	/	2 M KOH	[S4]
NiS <sub>2</sub> nanostructures	695 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 1.25 A g <sup>-1</sup>	22.7% (from 1.25 to 12.5 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	93.4% (3000 cycles at 1.25 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	3 M KOH	[S5]
Porous ZnCo <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> nanoparticles	457 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 1 A g <sup>-1</sup>	80.5% (from 1 to 20 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	97.9% (1500 cycles at 2 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	6 M KOH	[S6]
CoNi <sub>2</sub> S <sub>4</sub> nanoparticles	1169 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 1 A g <sup>-1</sup>	60.1% (from 1 to 5 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	49% (2000 cycles at 4 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	3 M KOH	[S7]
CoS <sub>2</sub> nanodendrite	323.05 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 0.5 A g <sup>-1</sup>	65.3% (from 0.5 to 8 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	80.22% (3000 cycles at 4 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	2 M KOH	[S8]
Mesoporous MnCo <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> nanostructure	346 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 1 A g <sup>-1</sup>	/	88% (2000 cycles at 5 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	6 M KOH	[S9]
Nanostructured NiCo <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub>	671 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 1 A g <sup>-1</sup>	53.2% (from 1 to 20 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	98% (7000 cycles at 1 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	1 M KOH	[S10]
Mesoporous CuCo <sub>2</sub> S <sub>4</sub> nanoparticles	752 F g <sup>-1</sup> at 2 A g <sup>-1</sup>	47.9% (from 2 to 100 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	98.1% (5000 cycles at 3 A g <sup>-1</sup> )	2 M KOH	This work

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