

**Polyaniline-derived iron-nitrogen-carbon nanorods network anchored on graphene as cost-effective air-cathode electrocatalyst for microbial fuel cells**

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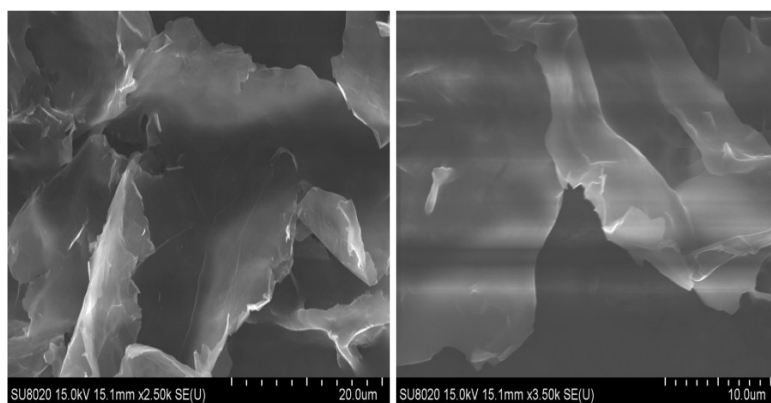


Fig. S1 SEM images of as-prepared GO.

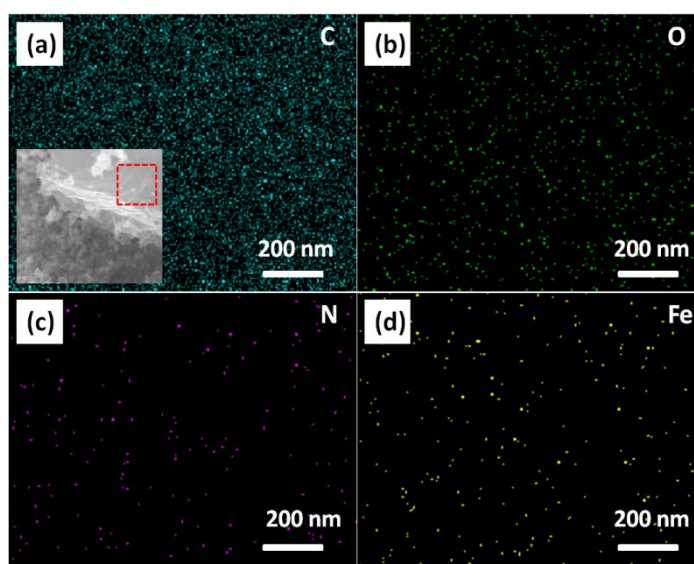


Fig. S2 SEM-EDS images of graphene: (a) carbon element signal, (b) oxygen element signal, (c) nitrogen element signal and (d) iron element signal; the insert picture in Fig. 4(a) was the corresponding SEM image.

Table S1 the element content of different catalysts from XPS results.

| Catalysts | C (at.%) | O (at.%) | Fe(at.%) | N (at.%) |       |      |            |
|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------|------|------------|
|           |          |          |          | Pd-N     | Fe-Nx | Gr-N | Oxidixed-N |
| Fe-N-C/G  | 88.91    | 6.45     | 0.52     | 0.81     | 0.43  | 2.63 | 0.25       |