Supporting Information

Tailoring $Ti_3C_2T_x$ nanosheet to tune local conductive network as an environmentally friendly material for highly efficient electromagnetic interference shielding

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Fig. S1 XRD patterns of M-Ti₃C₂T_x and U-Ti₃C₂T_x and Ti₃AlC₂.



Fig. S2 Curve fitting of XPS spectra for Ti 2p region in (A) M-Ti₃C₂T_x and (B) U-Ti₃C₂T_x.



Fig. S3 (A)-(D) TEM images of M-Ti₃C₂T_x. (E)-(H) TEM images of U-Ti₃C₂T_x.



Fig. S4 The SAED pattern of (A) M-Ti₃C₂T_x and (B) U-Ti₃C₂T_x.



Fig. S5 (A)-(D) Absorption comparison of the M-Ti₃C₂T_x and U-Ti₃C₂T_x at each mass ratio. (E)-(H) Reflection comparison of the M-Ti₃C₂T_x and U-Ti₃C₂T_x at each mass ratio. (I)-(L) Transmission comparison of the M-Ti₃C₂T_x and U-Ti₃C₂T_x at each mass ratio.

For revealing the SE of reflection (SE_R) and absorption (SE_A) in detail, the SE in dB can also be achieved by

$$SE = SE_{R} + SE_{A}$$
(1)

The effective absorbance (A_{eff}) can be described as

$$A_{\rm eff} = (1 - R - T)/(1 - R) \tag{2}$$

The reflection and effective absorption can be conveniently expressed as

$$SE_{R} = -10\log(1-R) \tag{3}$$

and

$$SE_{A} = -10\log(1 - A_{eff}) = -10\log[T/(1 - R)]$$
(4)



Fig. S6 (A) SE_A and (B) SE_R of M-Ti₃C₂T_x composites. (C) SE_A and (D) SE_R of U-Ti₃C₂T_x

composites.



Fig. S7 XRD pattern of SiO₂ nanopowders.