

Hydrogen plasma reduced potassium titanate as a high power and long lifespan anode material for sodium-ion batteries

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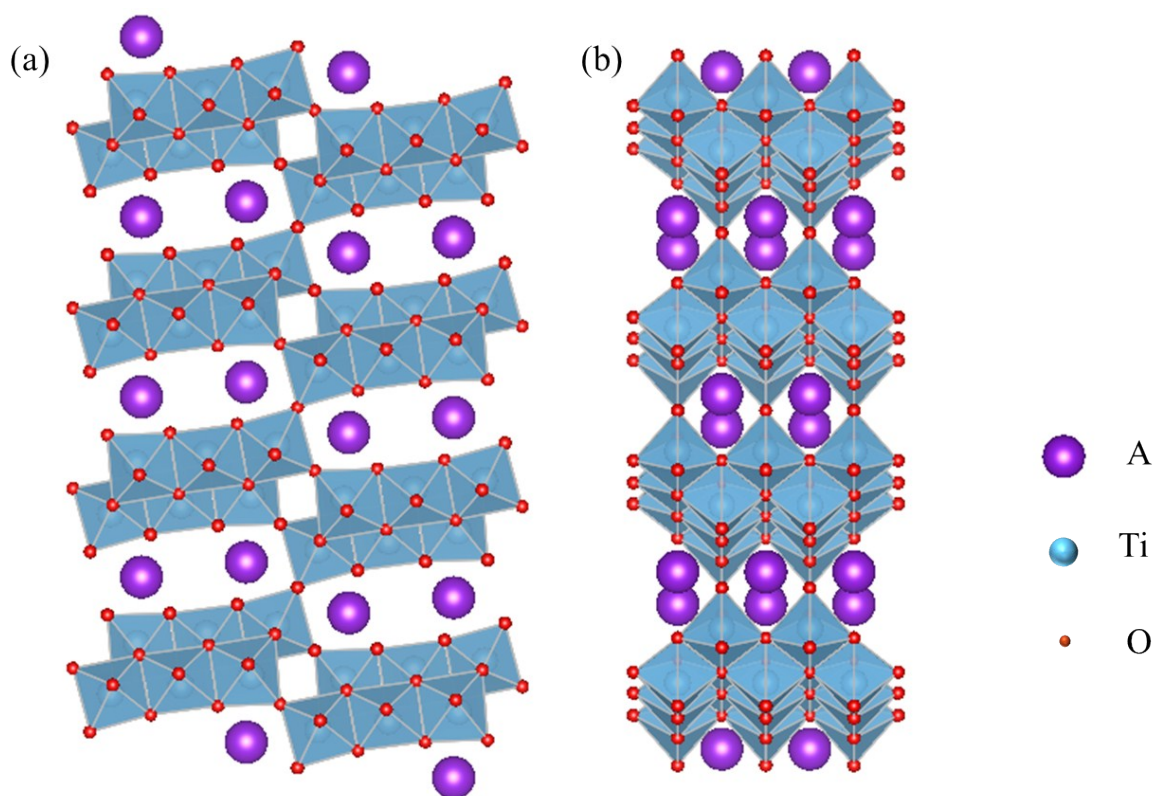


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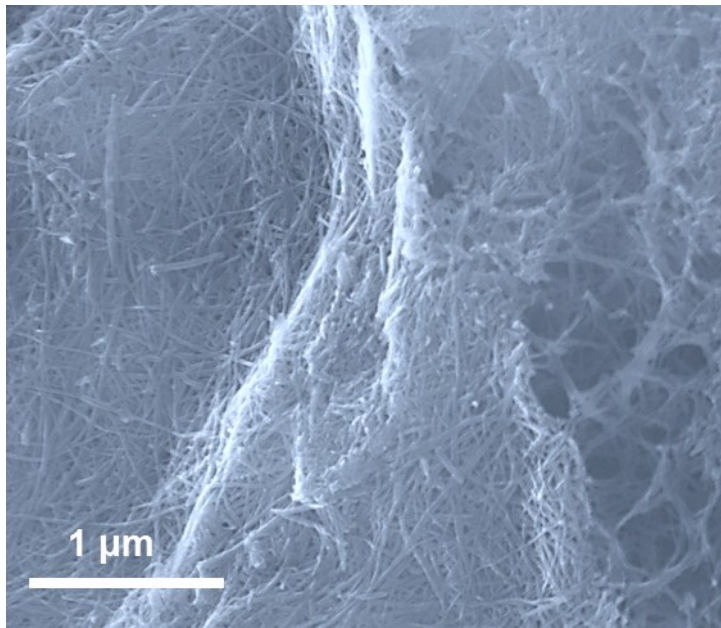


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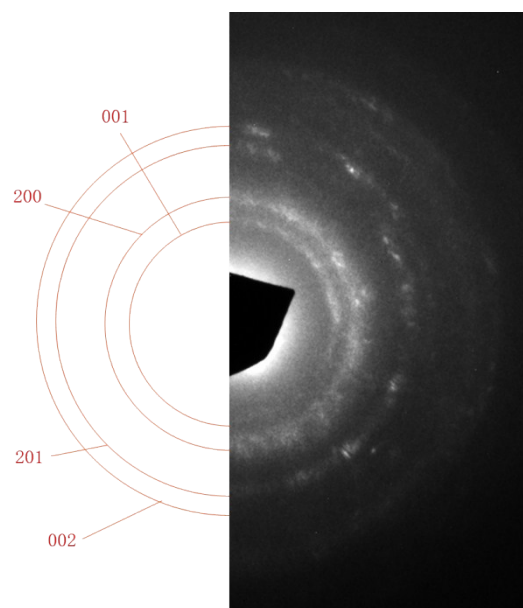


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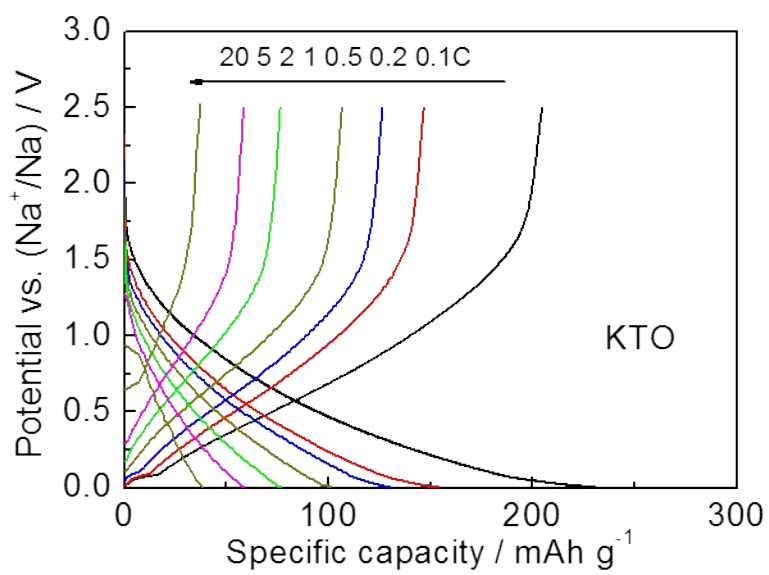


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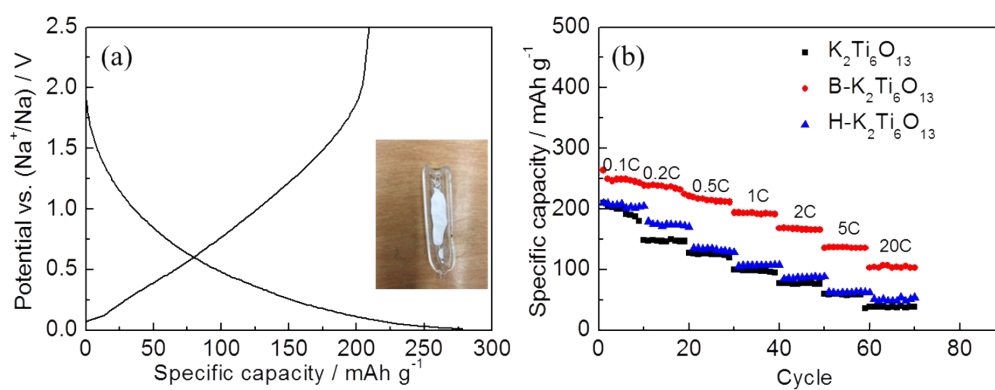


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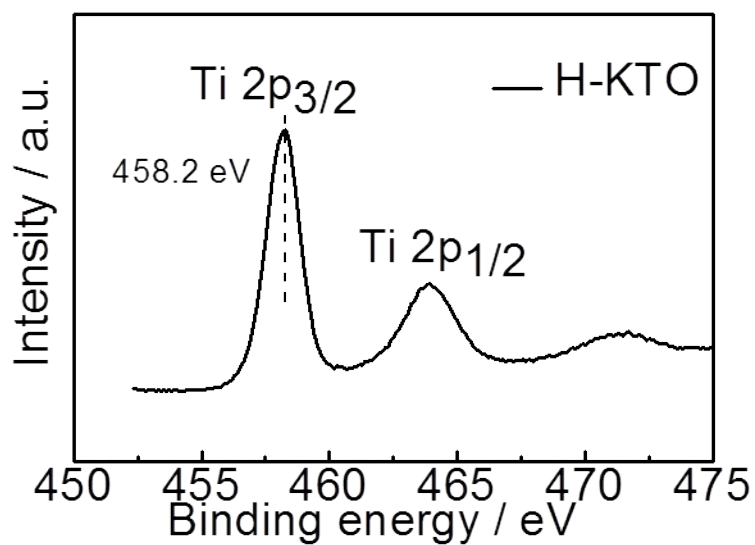


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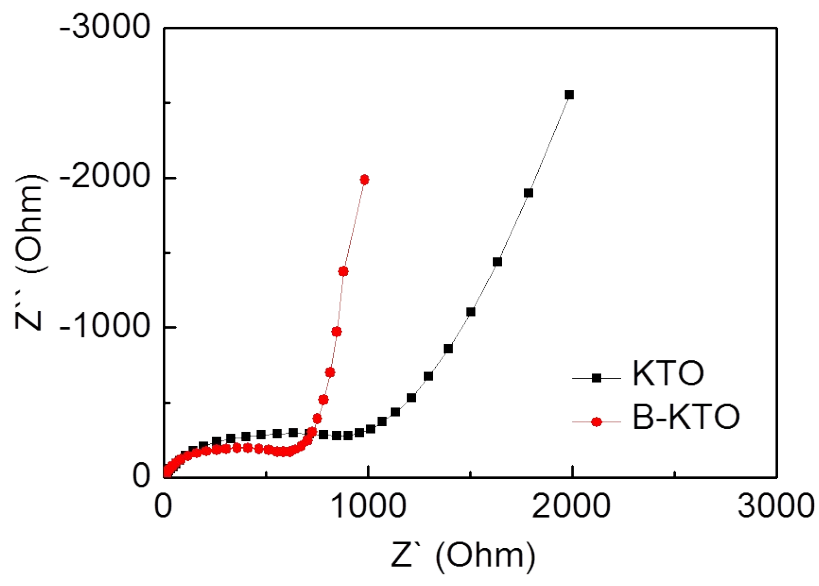


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phase	a (Å)	b (Å)	c (Å)
$Na_2Ti_6O_{13}$	15.095	3.745	9.169
$K_2Ti_6O_{13}$	15.597	3.797	9.110

Table S2 High rate capacity comparison of B-KTO nanowires versus reported representative Ti-based anode materials in SIBs.

Materials	Capacity at high rate (mA h g ⁻¹)	Publish date	Ref.
TiO ₂ -graphene	111 at 3350 mA g ⁻¹	2017	[2]
Li ₄ Ti ₅ O ₁₂ -graphene	35 at 5050 mA g ⁻¹	2016	[3]
Na ₂ Ti ₃ O ₇ -TiO ₂ -Sulfidation	84 at 1770 mA g ⁻¹	2016	[4]
Hydrogenated MAX@K ₂ Ti ₈ O ₁₇	118 at 6000 mA g ⁻¹	2017	[5]
TiO ₂ -graphene	105 at 6000 mA g ⁻¹	2017	[6]
Blue TiO ₂ (B)	90 at 5025 mA g ⁻¹	2017	[7]
Carbon coated TiO ₂	134 at 3350 mA g ⁻¹	2015	[8]
Na ₂ Ti ₃ O ₇ @N-doped carbon hollow sphere	82 at 5310 mA g ⁻¹	2016	[9]
Hydrogenated Na ₂ Ti ₃ O ₇	77 at 3540 mA g ⁻¹	2015	[10]
B-KTO	103 at 4000 mA g ⁻¹		This work

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