

Supporting Information

Electrospun VSe_{1.5}/CNFs composite with excellent performance for alkali metal ion batteries

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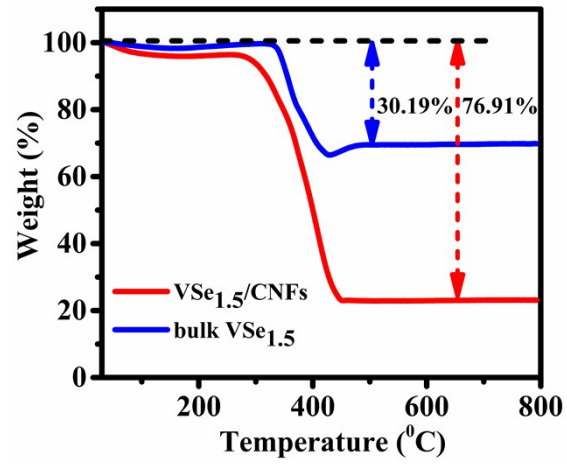


Fig. S1 TG curves of the bulk VSe_{1.5} and VSe_{1.5}/CNFs composite.

Table S1 Electrochemical performance comparison of the as-prepared VSe_{1.5}/CNFs with other V-based anode materials for LIBs/SIBs/KIBs.

Electrode materials	Fields	Cycling capacity (mA h g ⁻¹)	Rate capability (mA h g ⁻¹)	Year/Ref.
VSe ₂ NSA/C	LIBs	768 (50cycles /0.1 A/g)	571 (2 A/g)	2018/[S1]
	SIBs	571 (50 cycles /0.1 A/g)	450 (0.5 A/g)	
VSe ₂ ultrathin nanosheets	PIBs	366 (200 cycles /0.1A/g)	169 (500 cycles /2 A/g)	2018/[S2]
V ₂ O ₃ @PNCNFs	PIBs	~230 (500 cycles /0.05A/g)	134 (1.0 A/g)	2018/[S3]
V ₂ O ₃ /carbon	LIBs	587 (200 cycles /0.1 A/g)	219 (2 A/g)	2017/[S4]
	SIBs	270 (150 cycles /0.1 A/g)	~150 (1000 cycles /1 A/g)	
V ₅ S ₈ -graphite	SIBs	496 (500 cycles /1 A/g)	344 (10 A/g)	2017/[S5]
VS ₂ nanosheets	SIBs	620 (50 cycles /0.1 A/g)	277 (20 A/g)	2018/[S6]
c-VS ₂ @VOOH	SIB	330 (150 cycles /0.2 A/g)	356 (0.5 A/g)	2017/[S7]
			224 (1 A/g)	
VS ₂	SIB	403 (200 cycles /0.2 A/g)	193 (0.5 A/g)	2018[S8]
			172 (1 A/g)	
VSe _{1.5} /CNFs	LIBs	821 (200 cycles /0.5 A/g)	932 (400 cycles /1 A/g)	This work
	SIBs	668 (50 cycles /0.05 A/g)	265 (6000 cycles /2 A/g)	
	PIBs	313 (40 cycles /0.1 A/g)	177 (100 cycles /1 A/g)	

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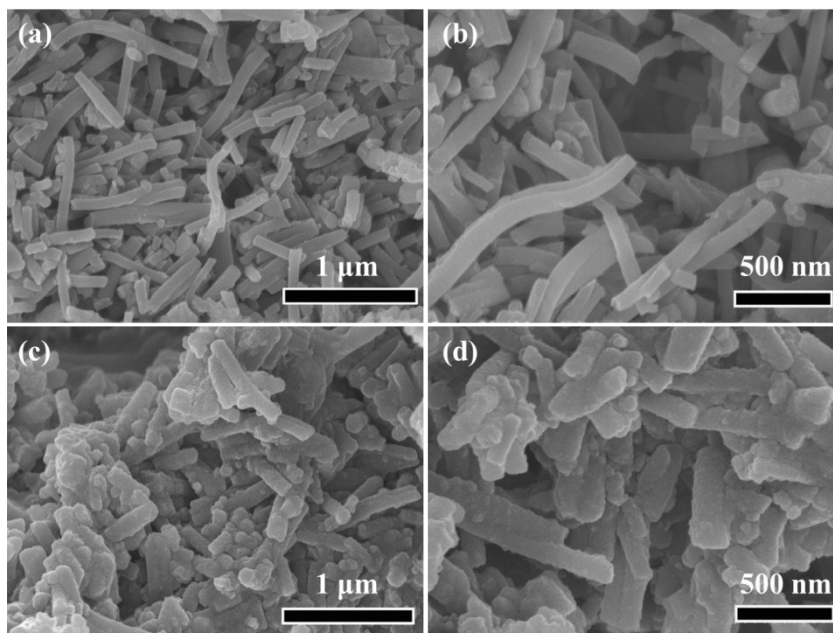


Fig. S2 SEM images of VSe_{1.5}/CNFs electrode (a-b) before cycling and (c-d) after 100 cycles at 200 mA g⁻¹ for sodium storage.

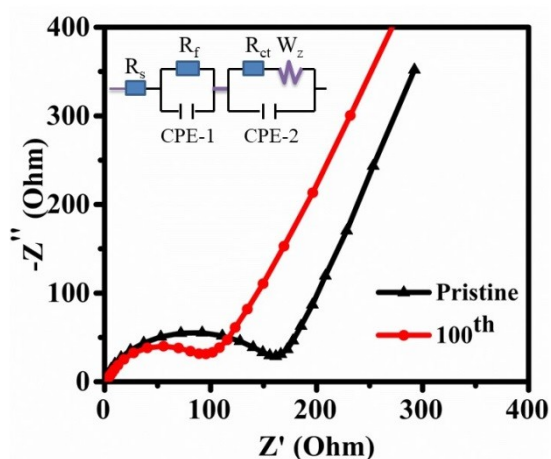


Fig. S3 Nyquist plots of VSe_{1.5}/CNFs electrode after different cycles for SIBs.

Table S2 Impedance parameters calculated from an equivalent circuit model.

Sample	R _s (Ω)	R _f (Ω)	R _{ct} (Ω)
Pristine	19.5	746.9	303.8
100th	19.6	298.2	252.4

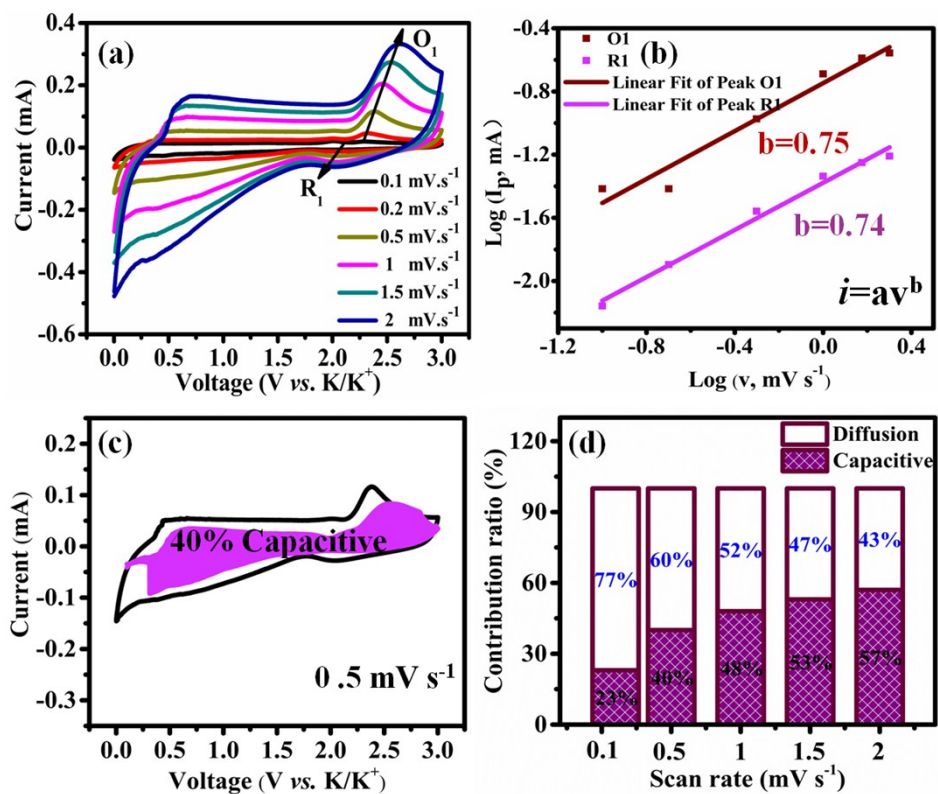


Fig. S4 (a) Cyclic voltammetry curves of VSe_{1.5}/CNFs electrode for PIBs at different scan rates of 0.1, 0.2, 0.5, 1, 1.5 and 2.0 mVs⁻¹. (b) log (*i*) vs. log (*v*) plots at different oxidation and reduction peaks. (c) Capacitive contribution (purple area) of VSe_{1.5}/CNFs at 0.5 mV s⁻¹. (d) The diffusion controlled (white) and capacitive (purple) capacities of VSe_{1.5}/CNFs at different scan rates.