

Supporting Information

Selenium-Rich Nickel Cobalt Bimetallic Selenide with Core-Shell Architecture Enables Superior Hybrid Energy Storage Device

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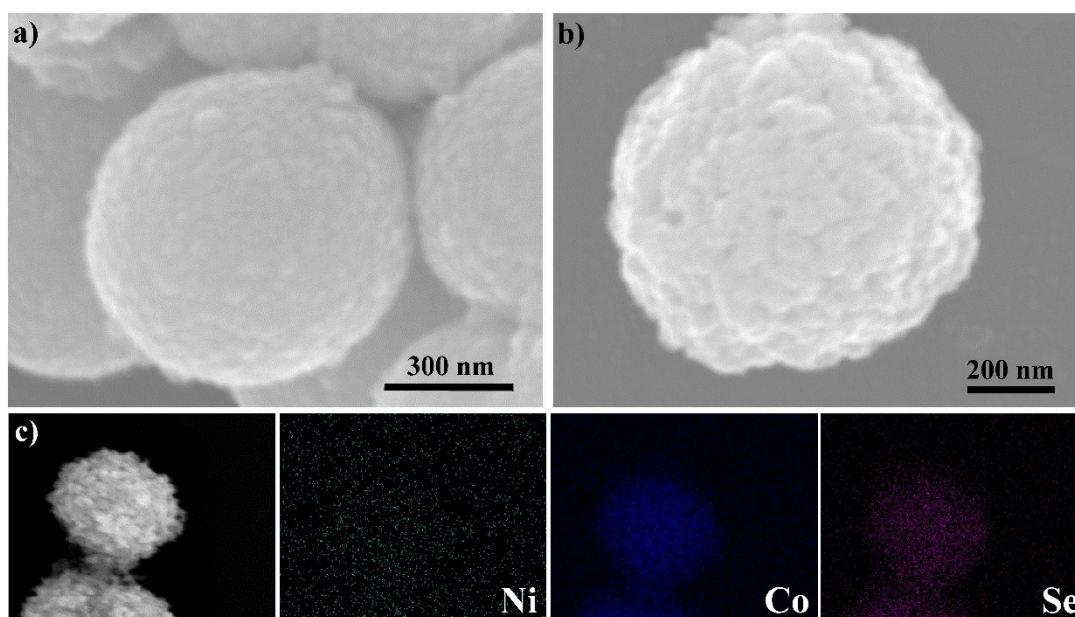


Figure S1. SEM images of the $\text{Co}_9\text{Se}_8/\text{Co}_{0.85}\text{Se}-1$ at a) and b) low magnification; c) The corresponding EDS elemental mappings of Ni, Co and Se.

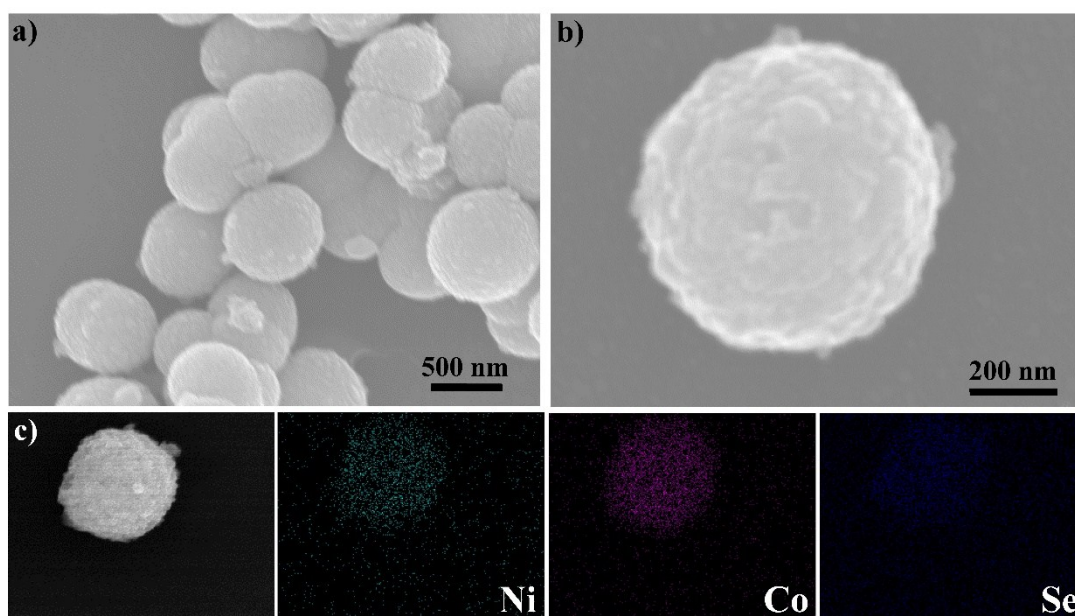


Figure S2. SEM images of the $(\text{NiCo})_9\text{Se}_8/(\text{NiCo})_{0.85}\text{Se}-0.5$ at a) and b) low magnification; c) The corresponding EDS elemental mappings of Ni, Co and Se.

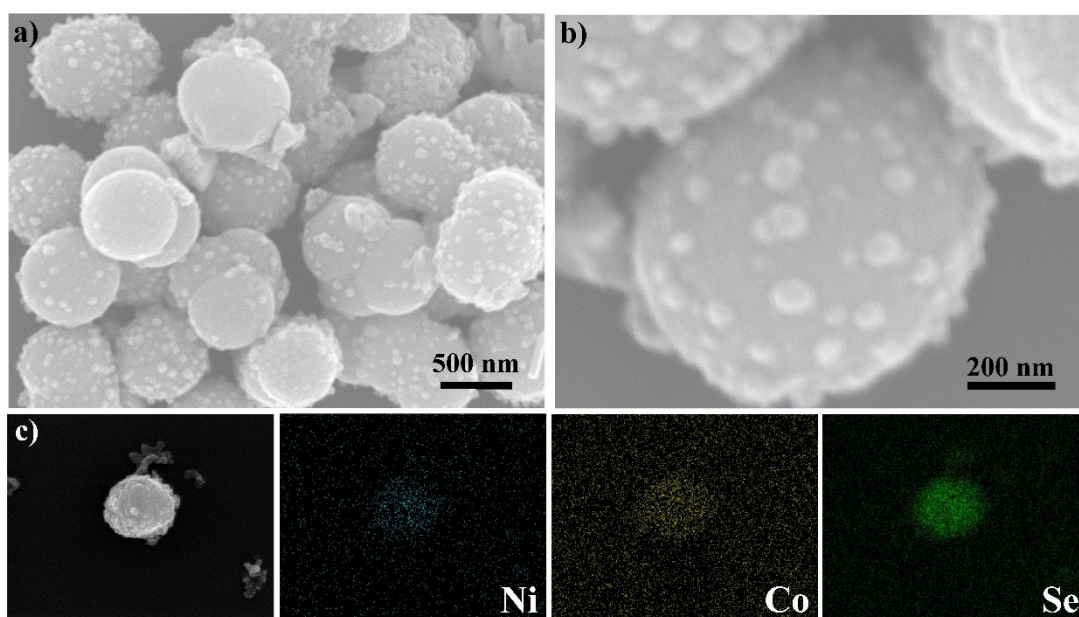


Figure S3. SEM images of the $(\text{NiCo})_9\text{Se}_8/(\text{NiCo})_{0.85}\text{Se}-2$ at a) and b) low magnification; c) The corresponding EDS elemental mappings of Ni, Co and Se.

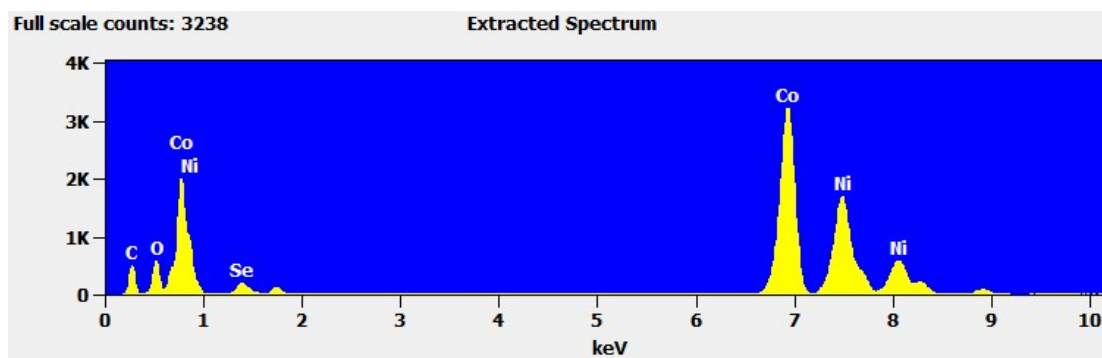


Figure S4. The EDS spectrum of the $(\text{NiCo})_9\text{Se}_8/(\text{NiCo})_{0.85}\text{Se}-1$ core-shell sphere.

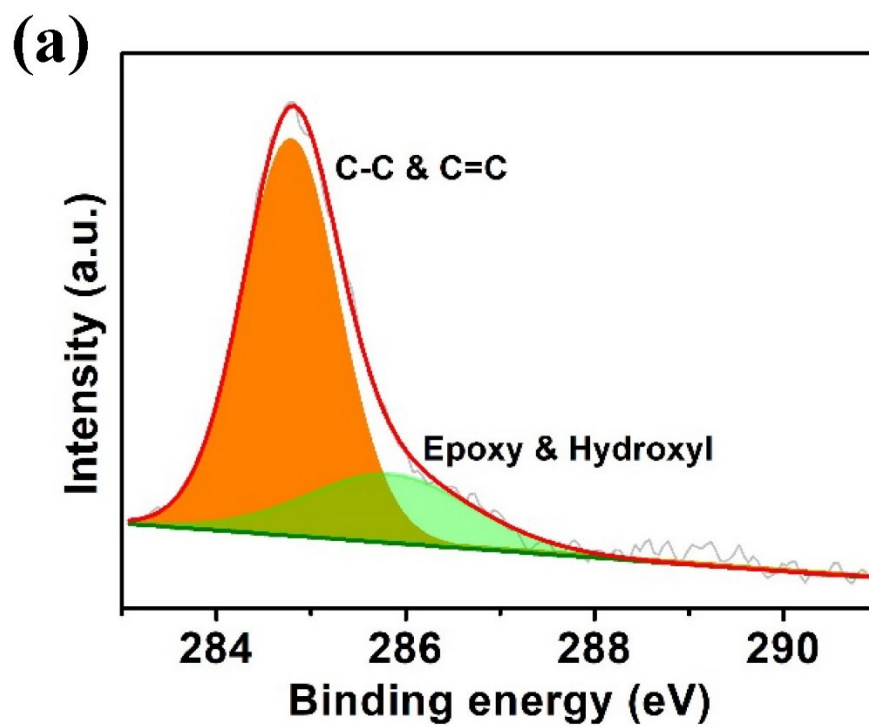


Figure S5. XPS spectra of the as-synthesized $(\text{NiCo})_9\text{Se}_8/(\text{NiCo})_{0.85}\text{Se}-1$ core-shell sphere: C 1s.

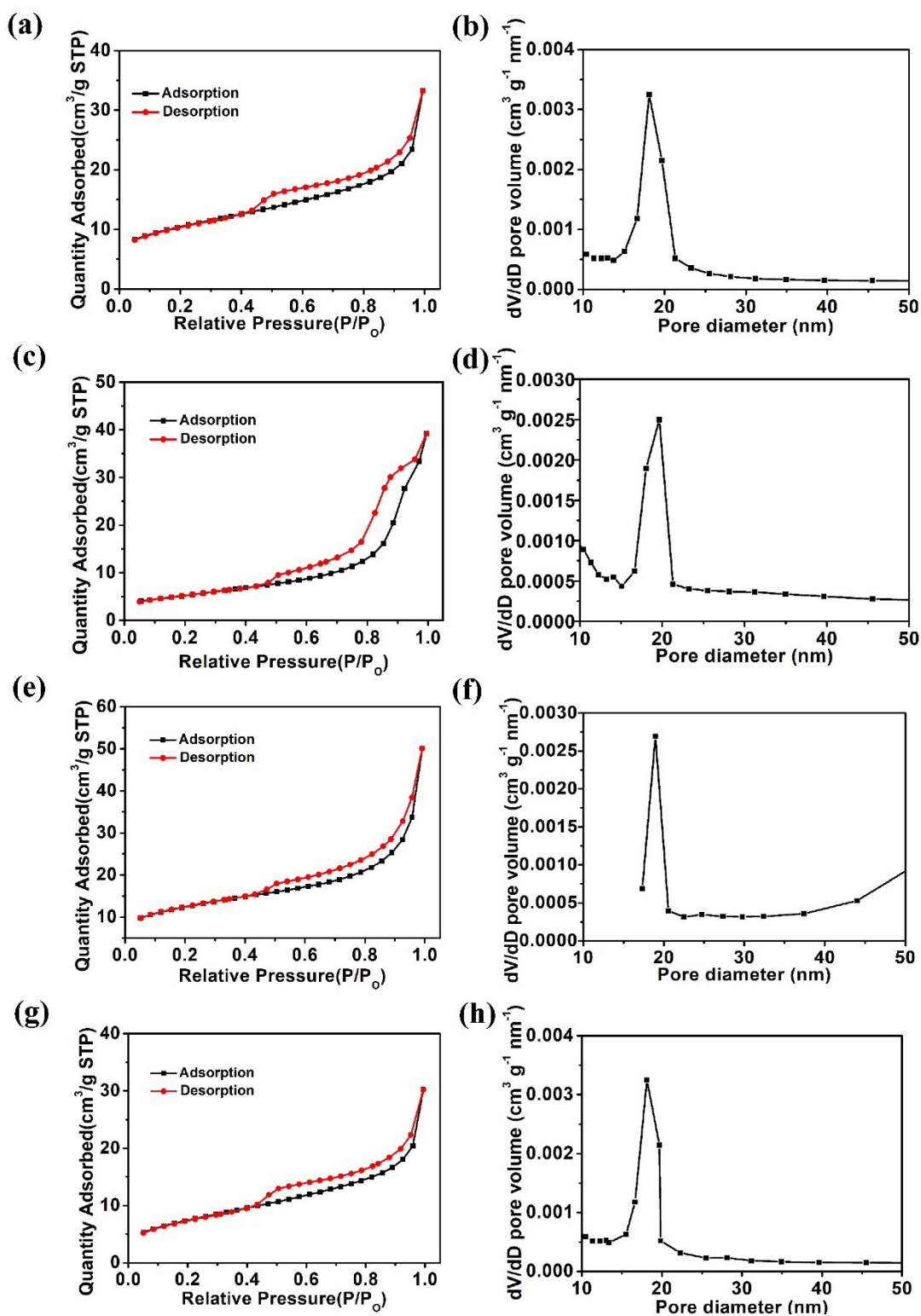


Figure S6. BET test: Nitrogen adsorption/desorption isotherms and the pore-size distribution. a-b) $\text{Co}_9\text{Se}_8/\text{Co}_{0.85}\text{Se}-1$; c-d) $(\text{NiCo})_9\text{Se}_8/(\text{NiCo})_{0.85}\text{Se}-0.5$; e-f) $(\text{NiCo})_9\text{Se}_8/(\text{NiCo})_{0.85}\text{Se}-1$; g-h) $(\text{NiCo})_9\text{Se}_8/(\text{NiCo})_{0.85}\text{Se}-2$.

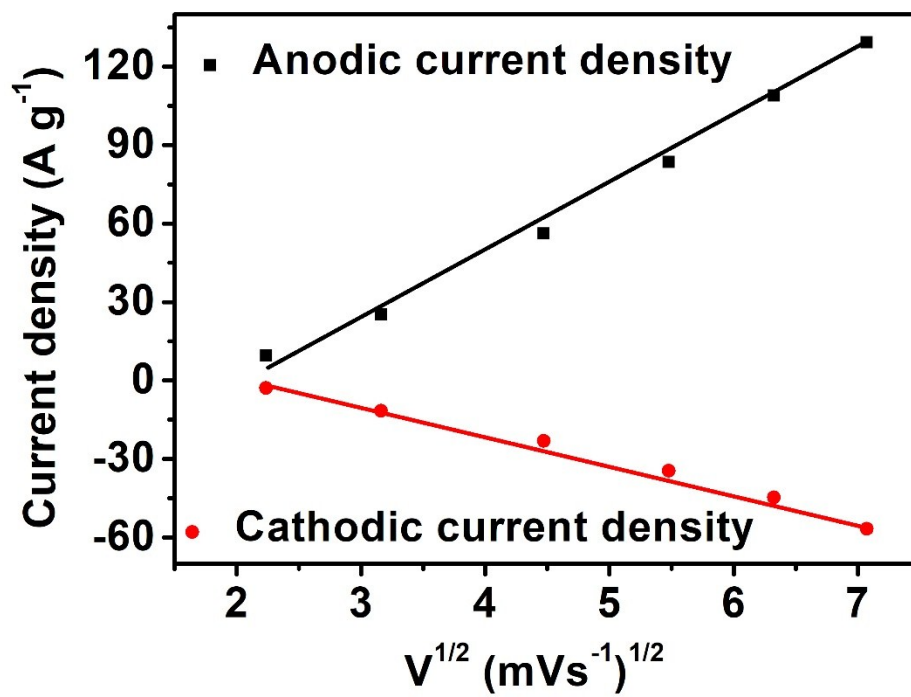


Figure S7. Correlation between peak current density and square roots of scan rates of

Ni-Co-Se-1

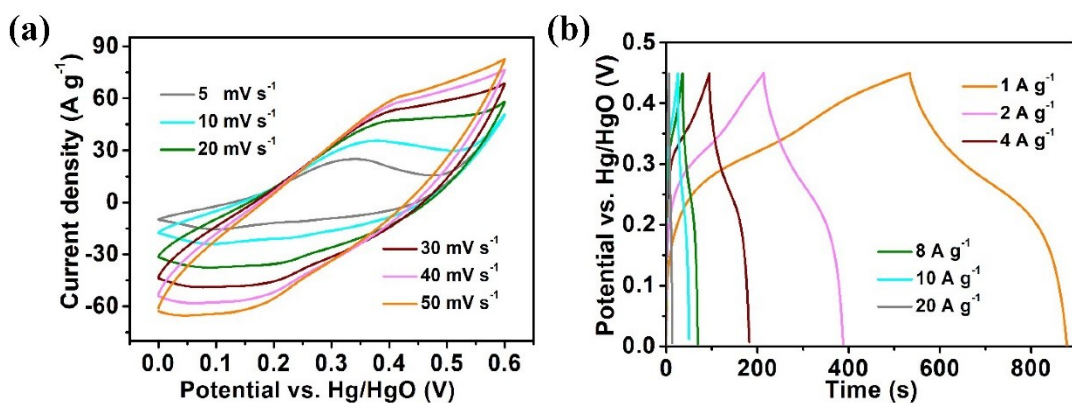


Figure S8. The electrochemical performance of the $\text{Co}_9\text{Se}_8/\text{Co}_{0.85}\text{Se}-1$: (a) The CV curves; (b) The GCD curves.

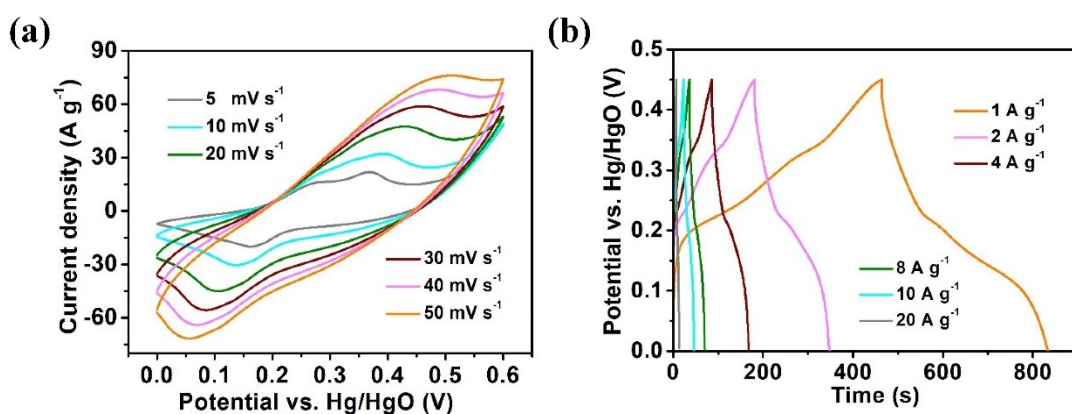


Figure S9. The electrochemical performance of the $(\text{NiCo})_9\text{Se}_8/(\text{NiCo})_{0.85}\text{Se}-0.5$: (a) The CV curves; (b) The GCD curves.

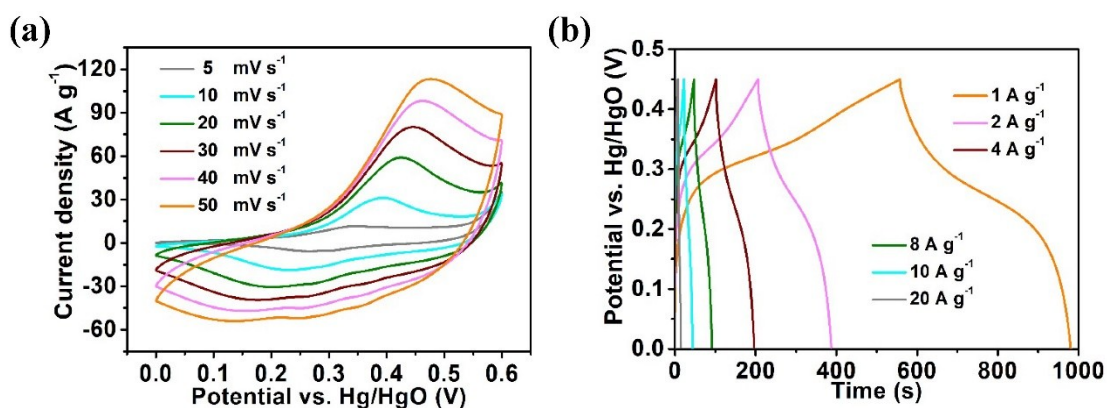


Figure S10. The electrochemical performance of the $(\text{NiCo})_9\text{Se}_8/(\text{NiCo})_{0.85}\text{Se}-2$: (a) The CV curves; (b) The GCD curves.

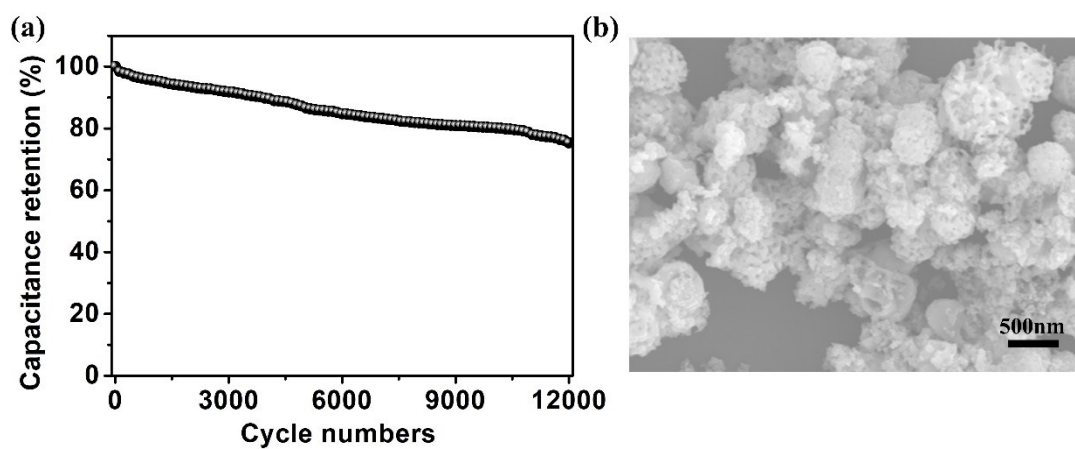


Figure S11. Electrochemical properties of the Ni-Co-Se-1: (a) The cycling performance; (b) SEM images of Ni-Co-Se-1 after 12000 cycles.

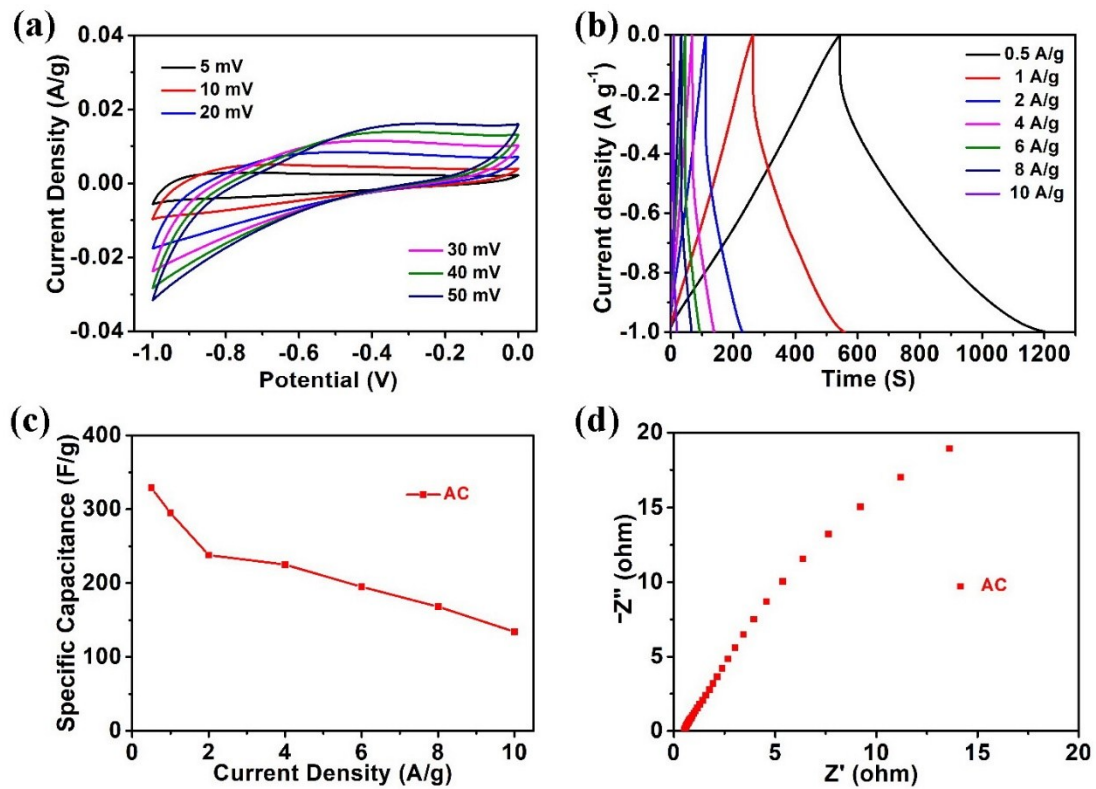


Figure S12. The electrochemical performance of AC: (a) The CV curves; (b) The GCD curves; (c) Rate performance; (d) EIS curves.

Table S1. Comparison of electrochemical performance between various hybrid pseudocapacitive electrodes and our work.

Electrode composition	Electrolyt	Specific capacitance	Counter electrode	Cyclic stability	Ref.
(NiCo) ₉ Se ₈ / (NiCo) _{0.85} Se	1M KOH	164.44 mAh g ⁻¹ at 1 A g ⁻¹ (1315.52 F g ⁻¹ at 1 A g ⁻¹ / 591 C g ⁻¹ at 1 A g ⁻¹)	Hg/HgO electrode	85.72 % after 5000 cycles	This work
Ni _{0.67} Co _{0.33} Se ^[1]	6M KOH	535 C g ⁻¹ at 1 A g ⁻¹	Hg/HgO electrode	63 % after 2000 cycles	S1
NiSe-CoSe ^[2]	6M KOH	584 C g ⁻¹ at 1 A g ⁻¹	Hg/HgO electrode	83.8 % after 1000 cycles	S2
(Ni _{0.33} Co _{0.67})Se ₂ ^[3]	3M KOH	827.9 F g ⁻¹ at 1 A g ⁻¹	saturated calomel electrode	78.1 % after 2000 cycles	S3
Co _{0.85} Se nanosheet ^[4]	2M KOH	422 F g ⁻¹ at 1 A g ⁻¹	saturated calomel electrode	93 % after 2000 cycles	S4
NiCoSe ₂ ^[5]	6M KOH	750 F g ⁻¹ at 3 A g ⁻¹	saturated calomel electrode	92.1 % after 5000 cycles	S5
NiSe ₂ nanosheet ^[6]	1M KOH	466 F g ⁻¹ at 3 A g ⁻¹	Hg/HgO electrode	81.3 % after 1000 cycles	S6
NiCo _{2.1} Se _{3.3} /Graphene ^[7]	6M KOH	742.4 F g ⁻¹ at 1 mA cm ⁻²	Hg/HgO electrode	83.8 % after 1000 cycles	S7

CoSe ₂ Nanoarrays ^[8]	3M KOH	759.5 F g ⁻¹ at 1 mA cm ⁻²	saturated calomel electrode	94.5 % after 5000 cycles	S8
Ni _{0.9} Co _{1.92} Se ₄ ^[9]	3M KOH	1021.1 F g ⁻¹ at 2 mA cm ⁻²	Hg/HgO electrode	88.39 % after 5000 cycles	S9
Ni _{0.5} Co _{0.5} Se ₂ ^[10]	6M KOH	524 C g ⁻¹ at 1 A g ⁻¹	Hg/HgO electrode	91 % after 3500 cycles	S10
CoSe ₂ /C ^[11]	2M KOH	726 F g ⁻¹ at 2 A g ⁻¹	saturated calomel electrode	85.1 % after 2000 cycles	S11
NiCo ₂ S _{2.2} Se _{1.8} /CC ^[12]	6M KOH	870 C g ⁻¹ at 2.5 A g ⁻¹	Hg/HgO electrode	83 % after 5000 cycles	S12
NiSe nanorod ^[13]	6M KOH	6.81 F g ⁻¹ at 5 mA cm ⁻²	Hg/HgO electrode	78.9% after 2000 cycles	S13
NiSe ₂ ^[14]	4 M KOH	1044 F g ⁻¹ at 3 A g ⁻¹	Ag/AgCl electrode	67 % after 2000 cycles	S14
CoSe ^[15]	1M KOH	510 F g ⁻¹ at 1 A g ⁻¹	saturated calomel electrode	91% after 5000 cycles	S15

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