

Boron and nitrogen-rich carbons from ionic liquid precursors with tailorable surface properties

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Table S1. Adsorption and physical properties of carbon materials from [BMIm][C(CN)₃] and [EMIm][B(CN)₄] TSILs at various temperatures.

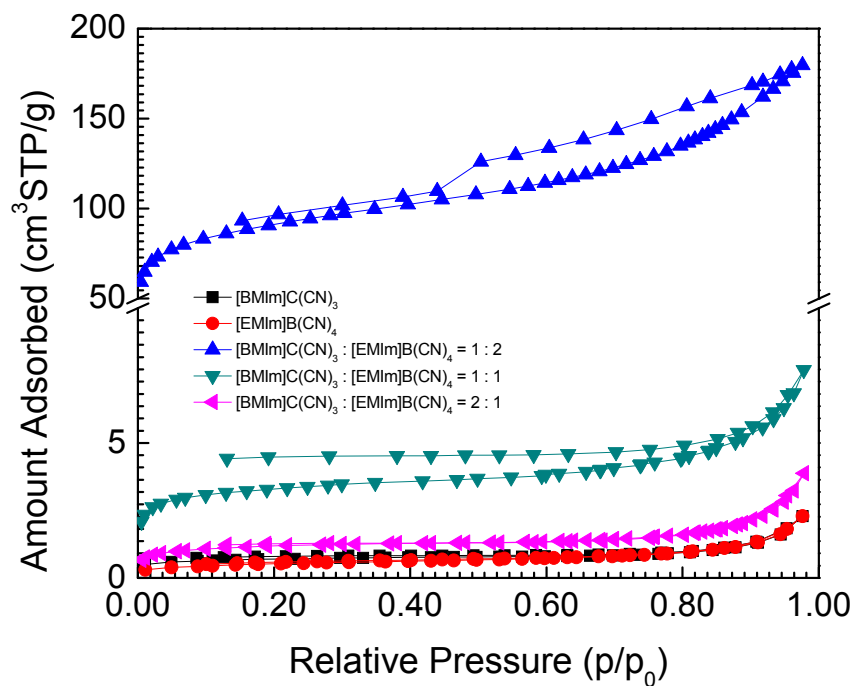
IL ratio		Yield (%)	S _{BET} (m ² g ⁻¹)
[BMIm][C(CN) ₃]	[EMIm][B(CN) ₄]		
1		37.2 ^a	2.4
1		22.5 ^c	64.8
	1	46.4 ^a	1.9
	1	37.7 ^c	13.6
1	2	37.8 ^a	319
1	1	40.6 ^a	11.5
2	1	41.7 ^a	4.2
1	2	34.4 ^b	388
1	1	35.5 ^b	279
2	1	36.2 ^b	37
1	2	29.6 ^c	537
1	1	29.2 ^c	188
2	1	28.9 ^c	124
1	2	25.8 ^d	286
1	1	15.8 ^d	290
2	1	21.2 ^d	97

^a Temperature = 450°C, ramp rate = 10°C min⁻¹, dwell time = 2 h.

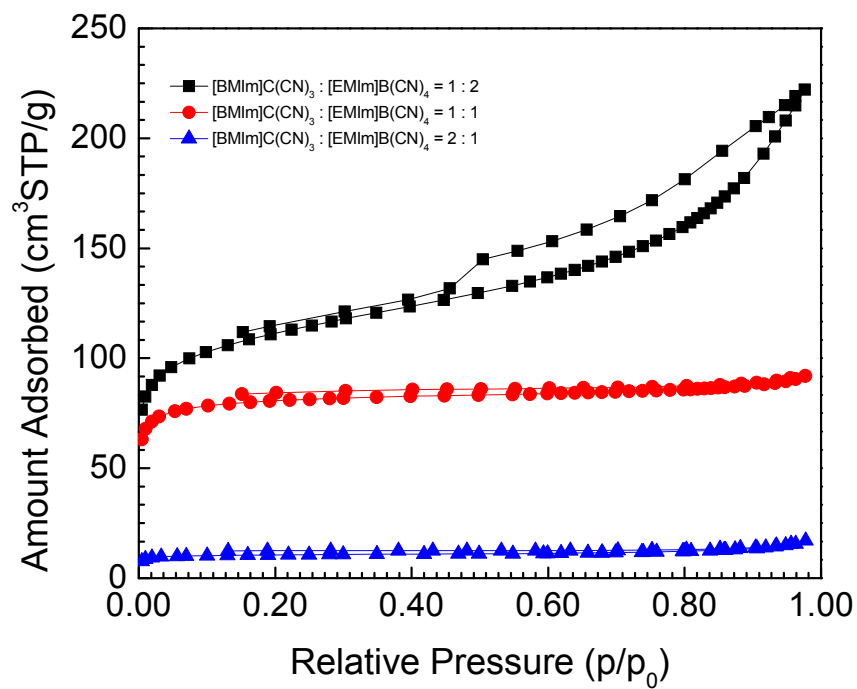
^b Temperature = 550°C, ramp rate = 10°C min⁻¹, dwell time = 1 h.

^c Temperature = 800°C, ramp rate = 10°C min⁻¹, dwell time = 1 h.

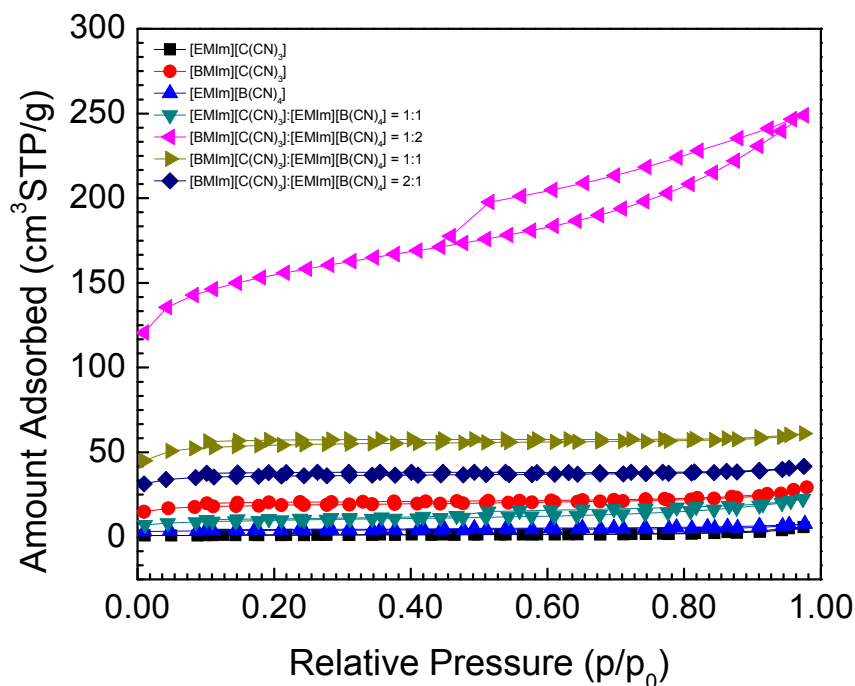
^d Temperature = 900°C, ramp rate = 10°C min⁻¹, dwell time = 1 h.



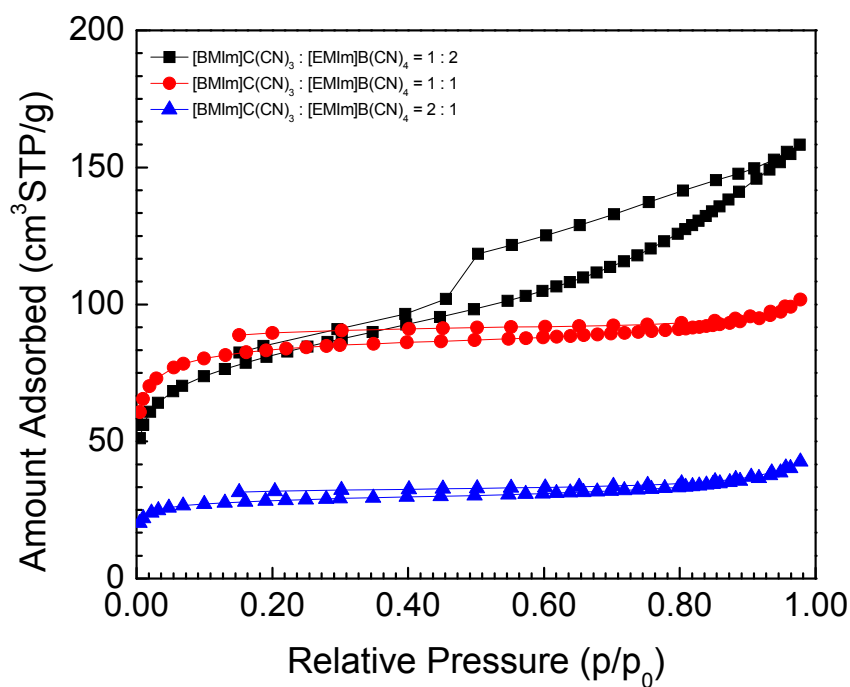
(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

Fig. S1. Nitrogen adsorption isotherms for various carbonaceous materials prepared from pure [EMIm][B(CN)₄] and [BMIm][C(CN)₃] and their mixtures carbonized at 450°C (a), 550°C (b), 800°C (c) and 900°C (d) under flowing nitrogen atmosphere.

Table S2. Elemental analysis results from EDX for carbonaceous materials derived from [BMIm][C(CN)₃] and [EMIm][B(CN)₄] after carbonizations at various temperatures.

Sample		T (°C) ^a	B (wt. %) _b	C (wt. %) _c	N (wt. %) _d
[EMIm][B(CN) ₄]	[BMIm][C(CN) ₃]				
1	0	800	46.7	45.8	7.5
0	1	800	-	84.2	15.8
1	1	800	31.1	62.8	6.1
1	2	800	23.5	71.6	4.9
2	1	450	32.5	58.1	9.4
2	1	550	23.6	69.0	7.4
2	1	800	30.5	64.2	5.3
2	1	900	32.0	64.0	4.0

^aCarbonization temperature.

Weight percentages from the K lines for ^bboron, ^ccarbon, and ^dnitrogen.