

Supplementary Information for

**High rate asymmetrical supercapacitor based on Cobalt doped
birnessite nanotubes and FeOOH nanotubes**

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Experimental section

Materials

Polycarbonate (PC) membrane was purchased from WHATMAN. Potassium permanganate (KMnO_4), cobalt nitrate hexahydrate ($\text{Co}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$), N, N-dimethylformamide (DMF) were purchased from Shanghai Aladdin Biochemical Technology Co., Ltd. All reagents were used without any further modification.

Synthesis of the Co^{2+} doped MnO_2 nanotubes

The pure MnO_2 nanotubes and Co doped MnO_2 ($\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-X}$) nanotubes were prepared by a one-step hydrothermal method using a polycarbonate membrane as a template. The polycarbonate (PC) membrane substrates (pore diameter: 200 nm) were treated by the hydrochloric acid (1 M) to remove the impurities on the surface. In a typical synthesis of Co doped samples, 0.11 g KMnO_4 , and 0.01 g $\text{Co}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ were dissolved in 35 ml deionized water. The molar ratio of cobalt ion to manganese ion is 5%. The treated PC membrane was immersed in the above solution for 10 minutes. The mixture was transferred into a Teflon-lined stainless steel autoclave which was subsequently maintained at 120°C for 6 h. The $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-5/PC}$ membrane composites were then taken out from the solution after reaction time, and then the PC template was dissolved in DMF to obtain pure $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-5}$ nanotubes. Finally, the $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-5}$ nanotubes were washed with distilled water and ethanol, and dried at 60°C . The pure MnO_2 nanotubes was prepared in the absence of cobalt nitrate hexahydrate via the above method. Comparatively, $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-3}$ (Co/Mn atomic ratios of 3%) and $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-10}$ (Co/Mn atomic ratios of 10%) were prepared with the different amounts of $\text{Co}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$.

Synthesis of the Mn-FeOOH nanotubes

The preparation of Mn-FeOOH nanorods are achieved via a hydrothermal method. Initially, 80 mg $\text{FeSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$ was dissolved into 32 mL mixed solvent containing distilled water and ethylene glycol ($V_D/V_E = 7/1$) and stirred for about 10 min, respectively. Then, 20 mg $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-5}$ nanotubes and 32 mL $\text{FeSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$ mixed solution with were transferred into a 50 mL Teflon-lined stainless steel autoclave and maintained at 120°C for 2 h. After the reaction, the autoclave was cooled to room temperature. The solid precipitates were washed with distilled water and finally dried at 60°C for 12 h. Because FeOOH nanotubes are prepared with $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-5}$ nanotubes as a template, a small amount of Mn element will inevitably remain. Due to the residual Mn element, the final sample was Mn-doped FeOOH nanotubes, so we named this sample Mn-FeOOH nanotubes.

Materials characterization

The crystallographic information and chemical compositions of the as-prepared nanostructures were characterized by powder X-ray diffraction (XRD, D/max 2500, Cu K α). The structures and morphologies of the as-prepared nanostructures were measured by focused ion beam scanning electron microscopy (FIB/SEM, ZEISS AURIGA) and transmission electron microscopy (TEM, FEI Talos F200S G2). XPS spectra were acquired on a Physical Electronics ESCA 5600 spectrometer with a monochromatic Al K α X-ray source (power: 200 W/14 kV) and a multichannel detector (Omni IV).

Electrochemical measurements

An electrochemical workstation with a three-electrode system was used to test the electrochemical properties of Co-MnO₂-X nanotubes in a 1 M Na₂SO₄ electrolyte. Co-MnO₂-X nanotubes powder as working electrode, platinum plate as counter electrode and the calomel electrode as reference electrode. The working electrode was prepared by mixing an active material, carbon black, and polyvinylidene fluoride (PVDF) which dissolved in N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone (NMP) with a mass ratio of 7:2:1, and then uniformly coating the above slurry on the foamed nickel. The electrode was kept at 120°C for 12 h under 10 MPa. The positive electrode materials were studied by cyclic voltammetry (CV), galvanostatic charge-discharge (CC), and electrochemical impedance spectroscopy (EIS). The CV curves at different scan rates of 10-100 mV S⁻¹ were tested at a potential window of 0-0.8 V. CC curves were measured with current densities ranged from 1 to 10 A g⁻¹ in the potential of 0 to 0.8 V. The electrochemical impedance spectroscopy (EIS) was conducted in the frequency range between 100 kHz and 0.01 Hz with a perturbation amplitude of 5 mV versus the open-circuit potential. The electrochemical properties of FeOOH nanotubes was measured by the same way, but the potential window is -1.0-0.

The asymmetric supercapacitor was measured with a two-electrode system using two slices of the electrode material of the same size, a piece of Whatman filter paper as the separator, and two pieces of nickel foil as the current collectors. In the two-electrode system, the Co-MnO₂ nanotubes were used as the positive electrode materials and the Mn-FeOOH nanotubes was used as negative electrode materials

Calculation equations

1 Single Electrode

The specific capacitance (C_m) of the electrode was calculated from their charge-discharge curves by the following equations

$$C_m = \frac{I\Delta T}{m\Delta V}$$

where m , I , ΔT and ΔV are the weight (g) of the electroactive materials, discharge current (A), the discharging time (s), and the discharging potential range (V), respectively.

2 ASC device

The total capacitance (C), was calculated from their charge-discharge curves according to the following equation

$$C = \frac{I\Delta T}{M\Delta V} \quad \text{where } I, \Delta T \text{ and } \Delta V \text{ is discharge current (A), the discharging time (s), and the discharging potential range (V), respectively, } M \text{ is the sum of the masses of MnO}_2 \text{ and AG.}$$

Energy density (E) and average power density (P) was calculated by the following equations

$$E = \frac{0.5C\Delta V^2}{3.6}$$

$$P = \frac{E}{\Delta t}$$

Δt (s) is discharge time, I (A) is discharge current, and ΔV is voltage window.

Theoretical calculations

The Gaussian smearing width was set to 0.2 eV. The Brillouin zone was sampled with a $3 \times 6 \times 2$ K points. All atoms were converged to 0.01 eV Å⁻¹. A plane-wave basis fulfil cut-off energy of 500 eV, which was employed within the framework of the projector-augmented wave method. A $2 \times 2 \times 2$ supercell of bulk MnO₂ that includes 99 atoms was first relaxed, after optimization, cobalt atoms are intercalated between layers and replaced with manganese atoms.

The energy required to insert cobalt between the manganese dioxide layers (ΔE_i) is defined as:

$$\Delta E_i = E_{\text{Co-in}} - E_{\text{MnO}_2} - E_{\text{Co}} \quad (1)$$

The energy required for cobalt to replace manganese (ΔE_r) is defined as:

$$\Delta E_r = E_{\text{Co-Mn}} - E_{\text{MnO}_2} - E_{\text{Co}} + E_{\text{Mn}} \quad (2)$$

Where $E_{\text{Co-in}}$, $E_{\text{Co-Mn}}$, E_{MnO_2} , E_{Co} , E_{Mn} depict the energy of cobalt intercalated MnO₂, cobalt replaced manganese MnO₂, pure MnO₂, Co, Mn.

Supplementary Figures

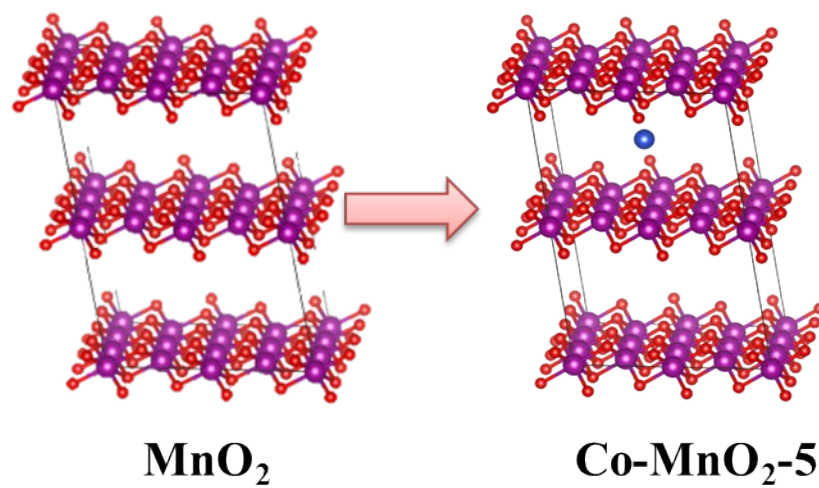


Fig. S1 Crystal structure of MnO₂ and Co-MnO₂-5

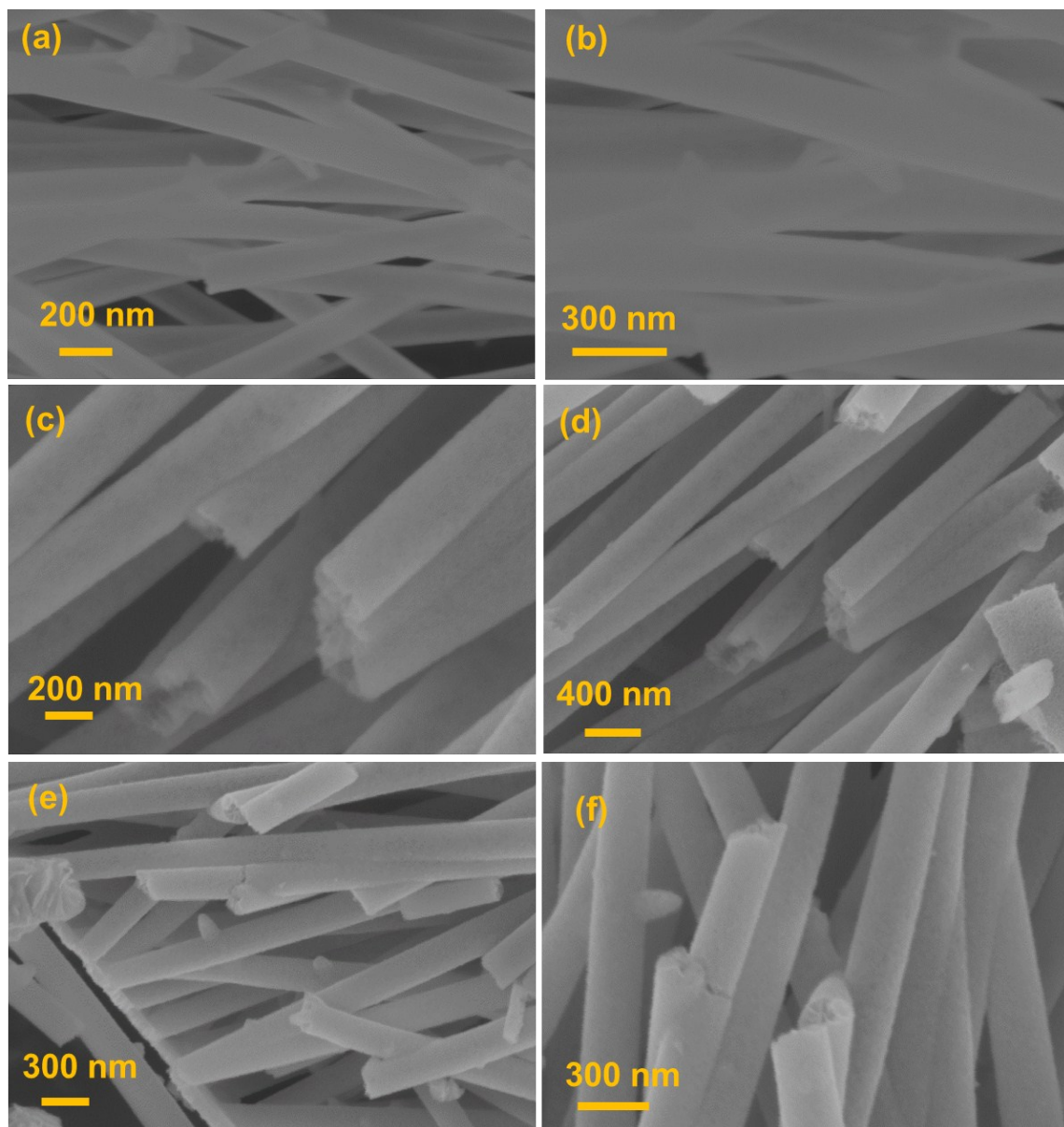


Fig. S2 (a)-(b) SEM images of MnO_2 , (c)-(d) SEM images of $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-3}$, (d)-(e) SEM images of $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-10}$.

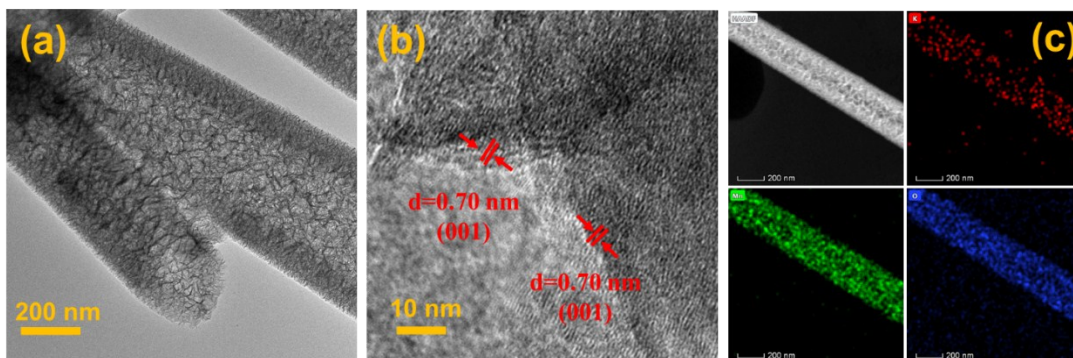


Fig. S3 TEM, HRTEM, TEM-EDS mapping images of MnO₂ nanotubes.

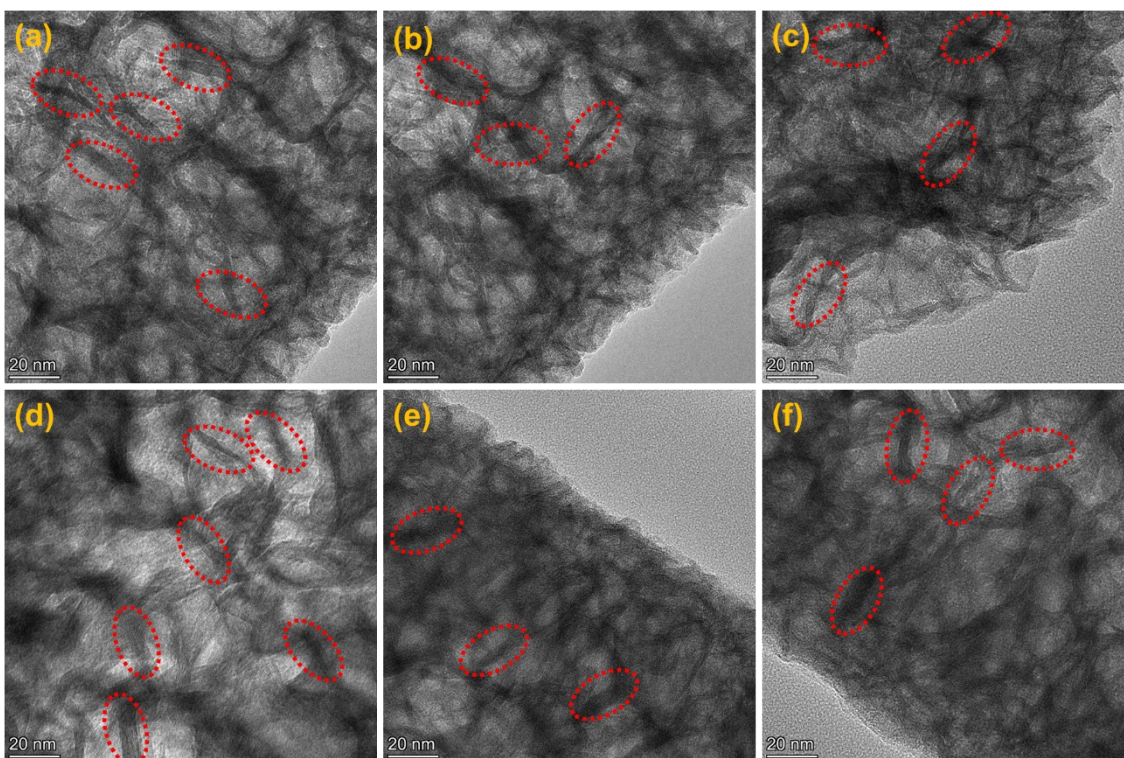


Fig. S4 HETEM images: (a)-(c) MnO₂ nanotubes; (d)-(f) Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes.

These high-resolution transmission electron microscopy images fully show that MnO₂ nanotubes and Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes are composed of extremely thin nanosheets. The positions marked by the red circles in Fig. S4 is the cross section of the nanosheets, and the width of the cross section of the nanosheets represents the thickness of the nanosheets. In the HRTEM images of each sample, more than 20 nanoflake sections were taken, their cross-section widths were measured, and then their average and variance were calculated. Finally we get that the nanosheets of MnO₂ nanotubes are in the range of 3.57 ± 0.761 nm, and the thickness of nanosheets of Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes are in the range of 3.99 ± 1.07 nm.

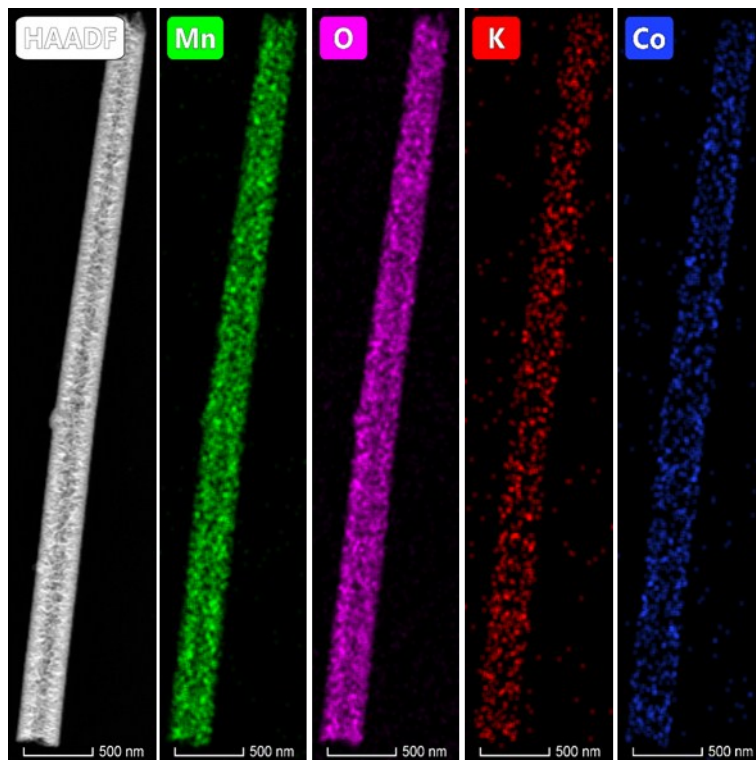


Fig. S5 TEM-EDS mapping image of Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes.

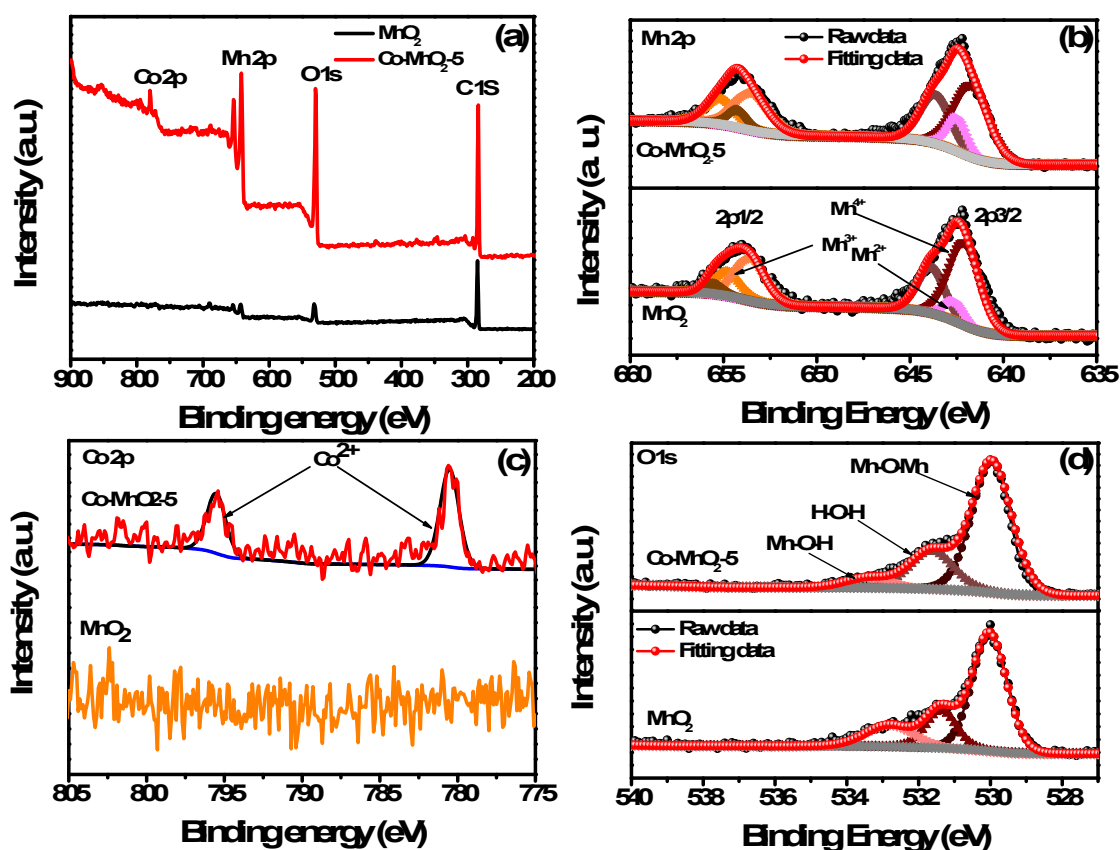


Fig S6 XPS patterns of Co-MnO₂-5 and MnO₂. (a) XPS survey spectrum. High-resolution spectra of (b) Mn 2p, (c) Co 2p, and (d) O 1s.

The XPS analysis in Fig. S6a (survey spectra) reveals that Co-MnO₂-5 with an apparent Co 2p peaks, indicating cobalt exists in the two-dimensional layered structure of MnO₂. As illustrated in the Fig. S6b, there is no significant difference in the high-resolution XPS spectra of the Mn 2p regions of MnO₂ and Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes, both of which contain two main peaks, which leads to spin orbit doublet of Mn 2p_{3/2} and Mn 2p_{1/2} peaks. The binding energy of the two peaks of the two samples was approximately 642.3 and 653.9 eV, and the spin energy separation was 11.6 eV, which means that the valence of the Mn element was about +4. The two spin orbits of MnO₂ nanotubes are divided into three peaks (Mn⁴⁺, Mn³⁺, Mn²⁺). For 2p_{1/2}, the corresponding binding energies are 653.6eV, 654.8eV, 655.5eV, and for 2p_{3/2}, the corresponding binding energies are 642.1eV, 643.8eV, 642.6eV. Similarly, the two spin orbits of Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes are also divided into three peaks representing different valence states. The three peaks of 2p_{1/2} are located at 653.5eV, 655.1eV, 654.3eV, that is 641.7eV, 643.6eV, 642.5eV for 2p_{3/2}. To evaluate the contribution of Mn⁴⁺, Mn³⁺, Mn²⁺, the relative proportion was decided by the ratio of peak area. As for MnO₂ nanotubes, the molar ratio of Mn⁴⁺/Mn³⁺/Mn²⁺ was 1.52:0.74:0.23. and the molar ratio of Mn⁴⁺/Mn³⁺/Mn²⁺ for Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes is 1.52:1.03:0.70. We can see that the proportion of Mn⁴⁺ ions decreased when doped with cobalt, mainly because a small amount of Mn⁴⁺ ions were reduced. Similarly, the Co spectrum of Co-MnO₂-5 in Figure S6c shows a doublet at 780.5 and 795.5 eV corresponding to Co²⁺ with a spin-energy separation of 15.0 eV, indicating the successful doping of Co²⁺ ions into MnO₂. In the O 1s core level spectra, three peaks can be clearly identified for the two samples (Fig. S6d), which represent metal oxides (Mn-O-Mn, Co-O-Co), hydrated

metal oxides(Mn-O-H, Co-O-H), and residual water(H-O-H), with corresponding binding energies around 530.0 eV, 531.7 eV, and 533.4 eV, respectively.

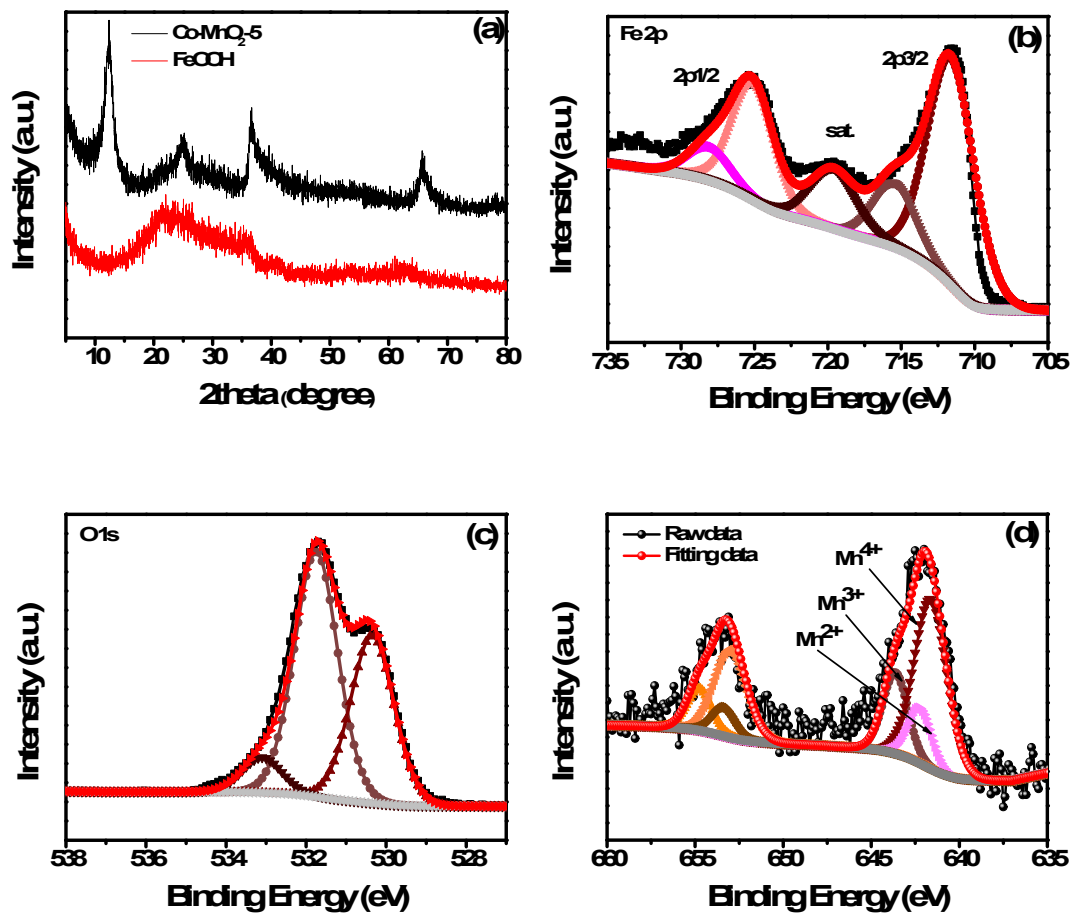


Fig. S7 (a) XRD patterns of Co-MnO₂ nanotubes and Mn-FeOOH nanotubes. XPS patterns of FeOOH nanotubes: (b) Fe 2p; (c) O 1s; (d) Mn 2p

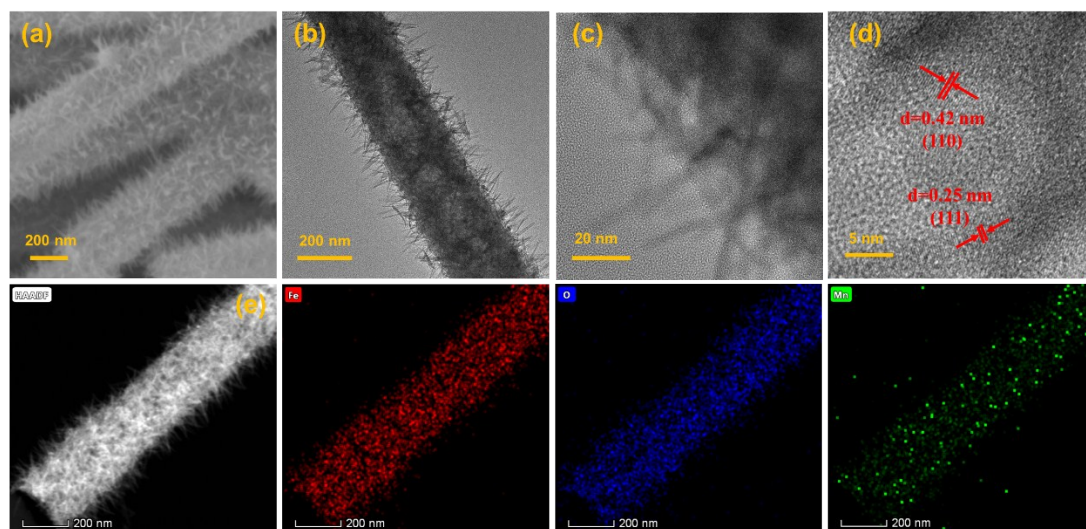


Fig.S8(a) SEM image of FeOOH nanotubes, (b) TEM image of FeOOH nanotubes, (c)-(d) HRTEM image of FeOOH nanotubes, (d) TEM-EDS mapping image of Mn-FeOOH nanotubes.

High-energy-density supercapacitors need a negative electrode material with superior performance. Iron oxides/hydroxides are considered to be superior anode materials for supercapacitor. Mn-FeOOH nanotubes prepared by a sacrificial template method. XRD patterns of Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes and Mn-FeOOH nanotubes are shown in Fig. S7a, which displays that the peak belonging to δ -MnO₂ completely disappears after the transformation. The pronounced peaks centered at 21.2°, 36.6°, 61.7° could be index to the (110), (111), (002) planes of goethite Mn-FeOOH (JCPDS No. 81-0463, $a = 4.616\text{\AA}$), respectively. The chemical composition and electronic structure of the and FeOOH nanotubes were investigated by X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS) and the results are in good agreement with the XRD results. Fig. S7b showed the Fe 2p spectrum of Mn-FeOOH. The spectrum are consist of the peaks of Fe2p_{3/2} and Fe 2p_{1/2} with one shakeup satellites (719.6 eV), which are divided into Fe²⁺ and Fe³⁺ peaks at binding energy of 715.4 eV and 711.6 eV for Fe 2p_{3/2} and 728.1 and 725.1 eV for Fe 2p_{1/2}. The molar ratio of Fe²⁺/Fe³⁺ is 0.43:1.52. Fig. S7c is the O 1s spectrum of Mn-FeOOH nanotubes, which is decomposed into three peaks corresponding to M-O-H (531.7 eV), M-O-M (530.3 eV) and H-O-H (533.1 eV) bonding. M stands for Fe and Mn. Unlike MnO₂, the peak area of M-O-H is the largest in the O 1s spectrum of Mn-FeOOH, which indicates the presence of -OH groups. Fig.S7d shows that the Mn element exists in Mn-FeOOH nanotubes, but because the amount is relatively small, the noise of the Mn2p spectrum is relatively large. Similar to MnO₂, we can also see the existence of three valence states of Mn in the Mn2p spectrum of Mn-FeOOH, but Mn⁴⁺ is the majority. Fig. S8a displays the representative SEM image of Mn-FeOOH nanotubes. Unlike Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes, Mn-FeOOH nanotubes are composed of many nanorods, which indicates that the MnO₂ nanosheets gradually transformed into FeOOH nanorods during the hydrothermal process. The transformation of δ -MnO₂ with two-dimensional layered structure into α -FeOOH with 1x1 tunnel structure leads to the transformation of morphology¹⁻³. Simultaneously, the diameter of Mn-FeOOH nanotubes is in the range of 350-450 nm, which is larger than that of Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes. More details of Mn-FeOOH nanotubes are shown in the TEM and HRTEM images (Fig.S8b-d). The fine Mn-FeOOH nanorods with the average diameter of about 8 nm the average length of about 45 nm. HETEM image, corresponding to (110) and (111) planes of goethite FeOOH. TEM-EDS mapping image is demonstrated in Fig. S8e, shows that Fe element and O element evenly distribute on the Mn-FeOOH nanotubes. But at the same time, we also see a small amount of Mn element uniformly distributed in Mn-FeOOH nanotubes. Combining the results shown in

Fig.S7d and Fig.S8e shows that after the transformation, a small amount of Mn element remains.

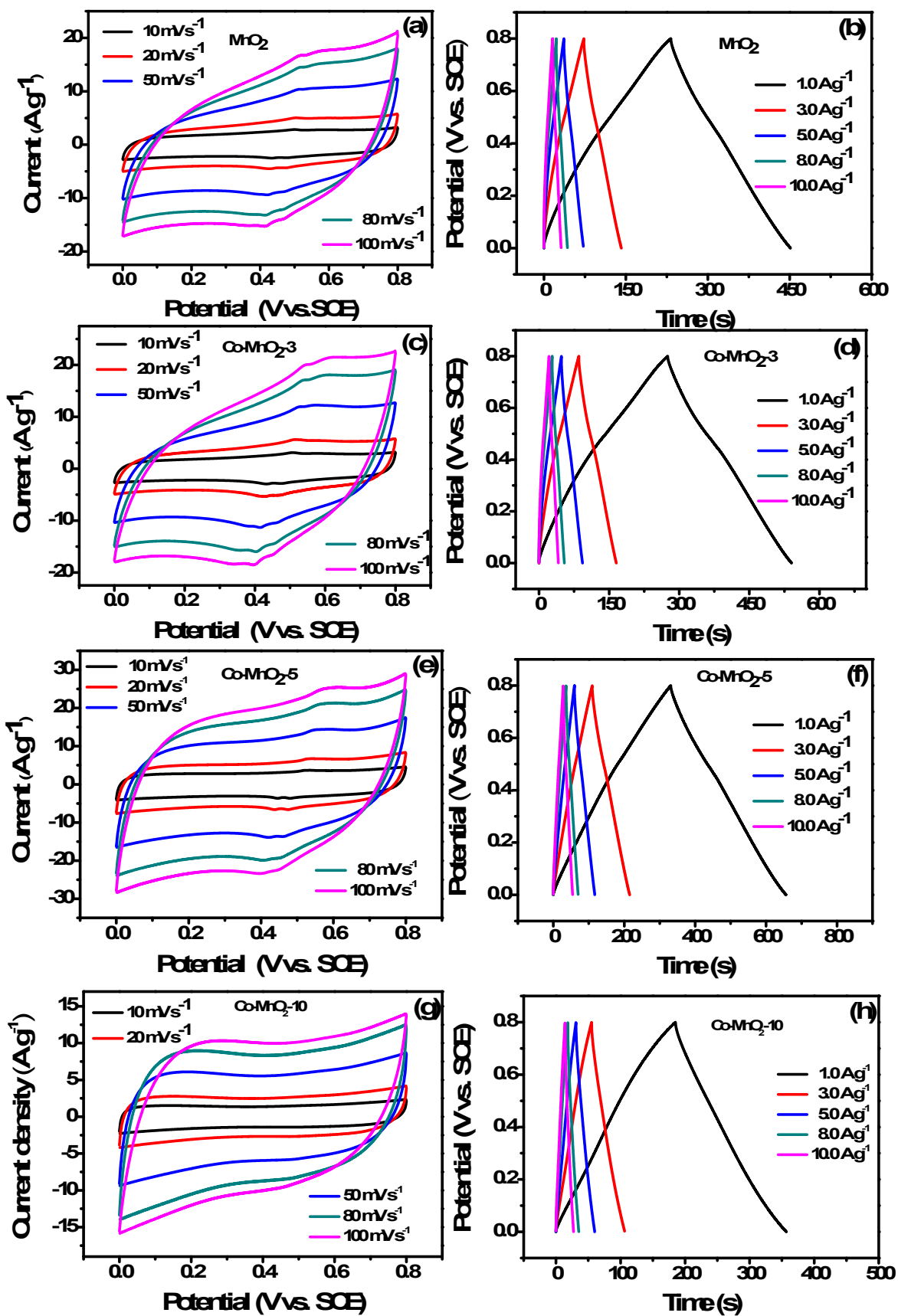


Fig S9 CV curves at different scan rates and CC curves at different current densities. (a)-(b) MnO_2 , (c)-(d) $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-3}$, (e)-(f) $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-5}$, (g)-(h) $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-10}$.

Table S1 Specific capacitance of the MnO₂, Co-MnO₂-3, Co-MnO₂-5, Co-MnO₂-10 nanotubes electrodes under different current densities.

Samples	<i>I</i> (A g⁻¹)	<i>3</i> (A g⁻¹)	<i>5</i> (A g⁻¹)	<i>8</i> (A g⁻¹)	<i>10A</i> g⁻¹)
MnO ₂	273.8	257.3	222.5	205.0	195.0
Co-MnO ₂ -3	331.4	300.8	281.9	261.0	248.8
Co-MnO ₂ -5	406.4	395.6	358.8	341.0	331.3
Co-MnO ₂ -10	215.0	192.6	181.3	170.0	163.8

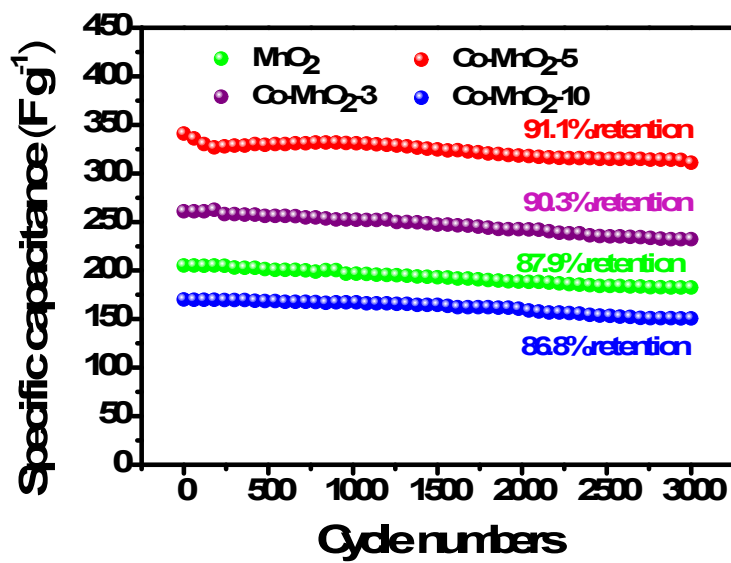


Fig. S10 Cycling performance of MnO_2 , Co-MnO_2-3 , Co-MnO_2-5 , Co-MnO_2-10 electrodes at the current density of 8 A g^{-1} .

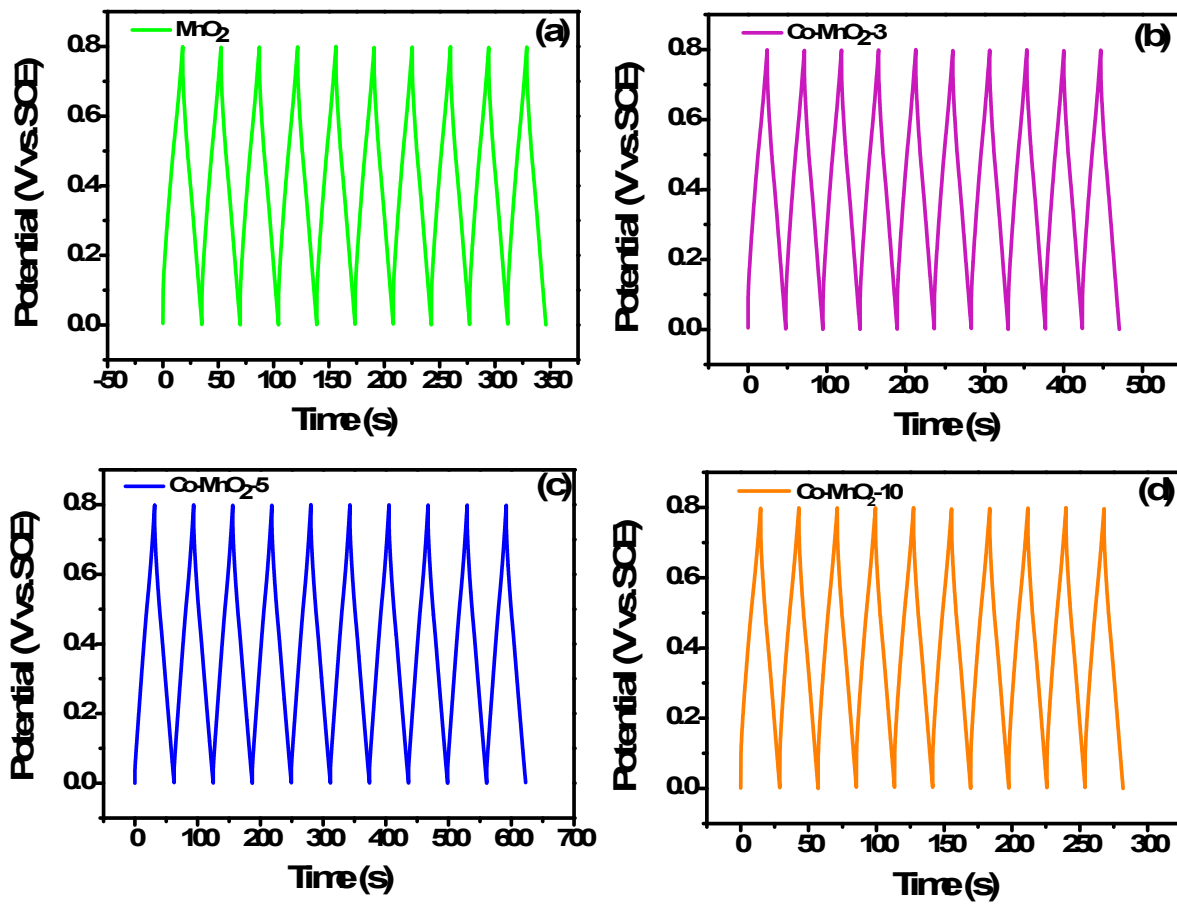


Fig. S11 CV curves for the last ten cycles of all samples. (a) MnO_2 , (b) $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-3}$, (c) $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-5}$, (d) $\text{Co-MnO}_2\text{-10}$.

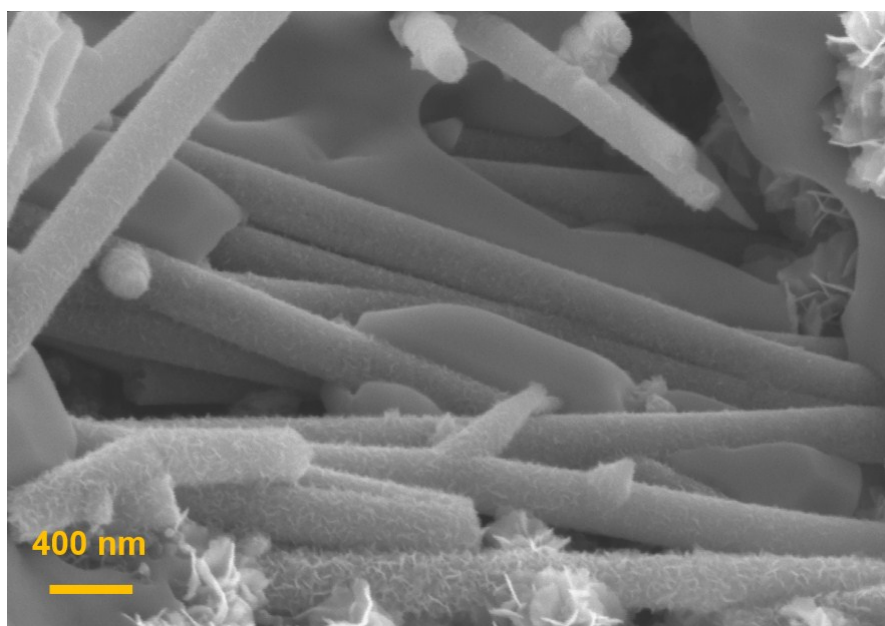


Fig. S12 The corresponding SEM image of the Co-MnO₂-5 electrode after 3000 electrochemical cycles.

Table S2 Comparison of specific capacitances of the reported (last five years) MnO₂ electrodes and the present work. All values are measured using the three-electrode system.

Samples	C _s (F g ⁻¹)	Electrolyte	Test condition	References
Amorphous hierarchical porous MnO ₂	391.9	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.1 A g ⁻¹	4
MnO ₂ /HCS-30	255	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	5
α-MnO ₂ @δ-MnO ₂ nanostructures	206	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.25 A g ⁻¹	6
3DHG/MnO ₂	192.2	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.5 A g ⁻¹	7
MnO ₂ /GNF-0.5	201	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	8
Fe ₃ O ₄ @MnO ₂ nanospheres	243.7	1 M KOH	0.1 A g ⁻¹	9
MnO ₂ /3D CNTs-G/Cu	365	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	10
Sn-doped MnO ₂	243.6	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	11
MnO ₂ /RGO	333.9	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.5 A g ⁻¹	12
N-CNTs/MnO ₂ -2	366.5	0.5M Li ₂ SO ₄	0.5 A g ⁻¹	13
MnO ₂ -ENGP	368.3	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.2 A g ⁻¹	14
MnO ₂ /FAFSC	202.5	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	10 mV s ⁻¹	15
MnO ₂ /rEGO	342.8	6 M KOH	0.5 A g ⁻¹	16
Hierarchical hollow MnO ₂ nanofiber	291	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	17
Hierarchical multidimensional MnO ₂	311.5	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.3 A g ⁻¹	18
CSN-PB/MnO ₂	315.3	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	19
δ-MnO ₂ /NRGO	299.5	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	5 mV s ⁻¹	20
MnO ₂ /Ppy	290	0.1M Ca(NO ₃) ₂ ·4H ₂ O	0.5 A g ⁻¹	21
MnO ₂ film	369	0.5 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	22
MnO ₂ /PBC	139.6	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.3 A g ⁻¹	23
MnO ₂ /g-C ₃ N ₄ @PPy	274	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	2 A g ⁻¹	24
Fe doped δ-MnO ₂	158	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.5A g ⁻¹	25
MnO ₂ /HCNFs	293.6	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.5 A g ⁻¹	26
HNPC/MnO ₂	204.6	2M Ca (NO ₃) ₂	1 A g ⁻¹	27
g-C ₃ N ₄ /MnO ₂	174	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	5 mV s ⁻¹	28
MnO ₂ /rGO	255	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.5 A g ⁻¹	29
MnO ₂ @MoS ₂	352	2 M KOH	1 A g ⁻¹	30
G@MnO ₂	245	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.5 A g ⁻¹	31
bowl-like MnO ₂ nanosheets	379	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.5 A g ⁻¹	32
Al-doped MnO ₂ nanowires	101	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	200 mV s ⁻¹	33
CNC-MnO ₂	306.3	PVA/KOH	0.5 A g ⁻¹	34
MnO ₂ /rGO	234.8	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.1 A g ⁻¹	35
porous MnO ₂	253	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.5 A g ⁻¹	36
δ-MnO ₂ hollow microspheres	216.4	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.5 A g ⁻¹	37

Cu-MOF@ δ -MnO ₂ nanosheets	340	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	38
hollow carbon nanosphere/MnO ₂	292.5	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	39
Sodium-Doped MnO ₂	154	0.5 M Na ₂ SO ₄	25 mV s ⁻¹	40
α -MnO ₂ nanotube	173	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	41
Birnessite-type MnO ₂	140	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	42
Birnessite-type MnO ₂ nanoflowers	197	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	43
Fe-doped MnO ₂	267	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.1 A g ⁻¹	44
MnO ₂ nanobelts	235	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	25 mV s ⁻¹	45
MnO ₂ spheres	200	0.65 M K ₂ SO ₄	2 mV s ⁻¹	46
α -MnO ₂ nanorods	198	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	47
Single-layer MnO ₂ nanosheets	163	LiCl/PVA	5 A g ⁻¹	48
β -MnO ₂ @ δ -MnO ₂	200	1 M LiOH	0.05 A g ⁻¹	49
Nest-like hollow MnO ₂	211	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	1 A g ⁻¹	50
α -MnO ₂ nanowires@ ultrathin δ -MnO ₂ nanosheets	230.7	6 M KOH	1 A g ⁻¹	51
2D δ -MnO ₂ nanosheets	306	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	0.2 A g ⁻¹	52
Cauliflower-like δ -MnO ₂	202	1 M Na ₂ SO ₄	5 mV s ⁻¹	53
Co-MnO₂-5 nanotubes	406.4	1 M Na₂SO₄	1 A g⁻¹	This work

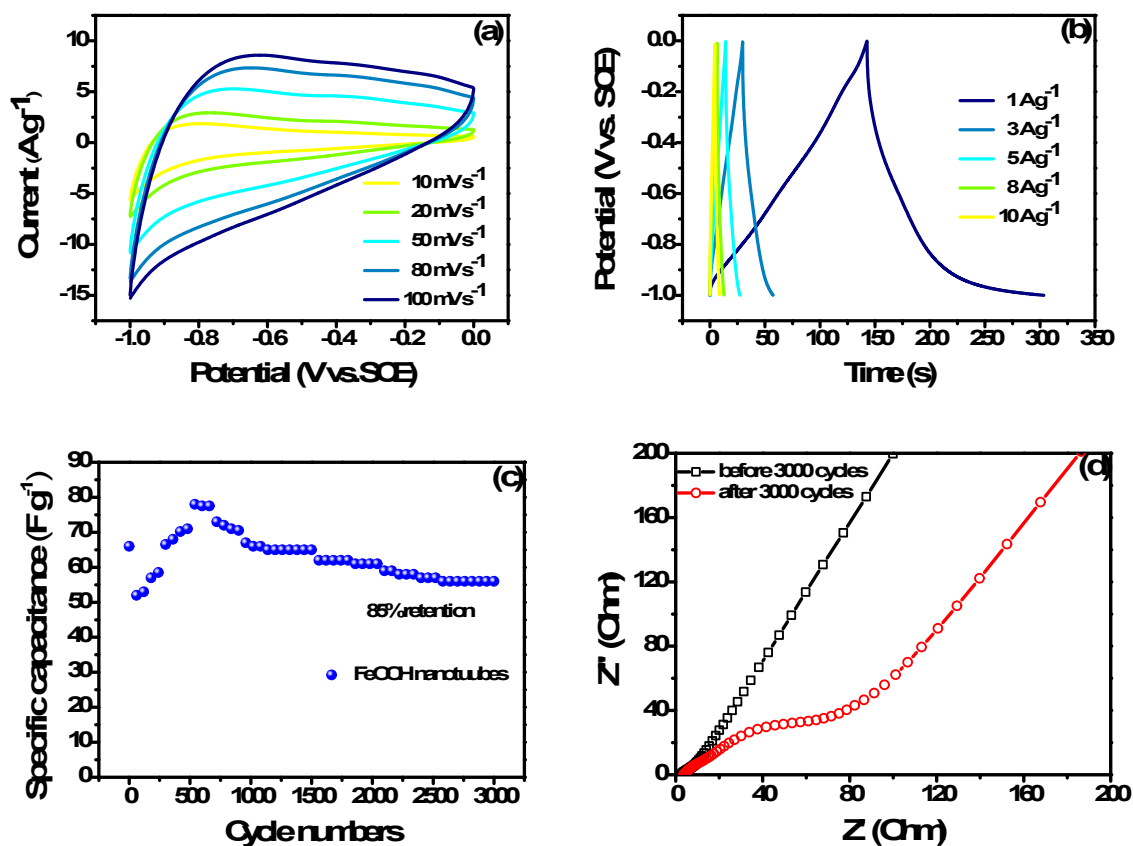


Fig. S13 (a) Cyclic voltammograms of Mn-FeOOH electrodes in a 1 M Na_2SO_4 aqueous electrolyte. (b) Charge-discharge curves of AG electrodes at different current densities. (c) Cycling performance of AG electrodes at the current density of 3 A g^{-1} . (d) Electrochemical impedance spectrum of Mn-FeOOH electrodes at open circuit potential in the frequency range from 0.01 Hz to 100 kHz.

The CV curves of the Mn-FeOOH nanotubes electrode at different scan rates of 10-100 mV s^{-1} exhibit a semirectangular shape that is an indicative of pseudocapacitive behavior. The pseudocapacitance of Mn-FeOOH nanotubes might arise from a reversible $\text{Fe}^{3+}/\text{Fe}^{2+}$ couple, while the identity of the charge cations involved in the redox reaction was yet undetermined. Typical galvanostatic charge/discharge curves of Mn-FeOOH electrode collected at different current densities are shown in Fig. S13b. The specific capacitances of Mn-FeOOH nanotubes electrode achieves 162.4, 91.8, 69.3, 56.3 and 50.2 F g^{-1} at current density of 1, 3, 5, 8 and 10 A g^{-1} , respectively. Moreover, a further cycling test to Mn-FeOOH nanotubes electrode is shown in Fig. S13c. It is obvious that the Mn-FeOOH nanotubes electrode has 85.0% capacitance retention after 3000 cycles. Fig. S13d shows its EIS plots of the first cycle and the last cycle and suggested that the performance of the electrode material changed a little more, which indicated that Mn-FeOOH nanotubes electrode owned a relatively good cycling stability. On the other hand, the electrochemical performance of Mn-doped FeOOH nanotubes is superior to that

of pure α -FeOOH nanotubes(Mn-FeOOH nanotubes)².

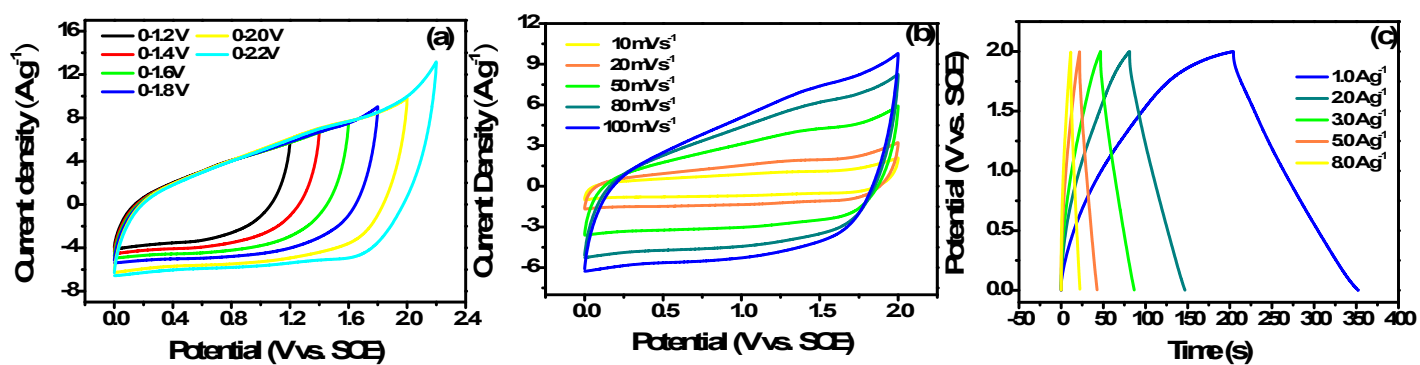


Fig. S14 (a) CV curves of Co-MnO₂-5// Mn-FeOOH with different potentials, (b) CV curves of Co-MnO₂-5// Mn-FeOOH with different scan rates, (c) CC curves of Co-MnO₂-5// Mn-FeOOH with different current densitie

Table S3 The capacitive properties of the containing-MnO₂ supercapacitors.

Capacitor	Energy density (Wh kg ⁻¹)	Reference
Hollow nanostructured MnO ₂ //AC	7.2	54
Fe-MnO ₂ //AC	20.2	55
δ-MnO ₂ //δ-MnO ₂	8.2	37
CNT/CNF/MnO ₂ //CNT/CNF/MnO ₂	3.8	56
MnO ₂ /MnCO ₃ /rGO//rGO	17.8	57
MnO ₂ /AC//AC	24.6	58
MnO ₂ -CNT//AC	25	59
MnO ₂ //AC	18.2	60
MnO ₂ / carbon nanocoil// carbon nanocoil	21.58	61
K _x MnO ₂ @CNF//ACNF	21.1	62
CNTf-MnO ₂ -60//CNTf-MnO ₂ -60	21	63
3D graphene/α-MnO ₂ NWs//3D graphene	38	64
MnO ₂ /Ti ₃ C ₂ //MnO ₂ /Ti ₃ C ₂	8.3	65
CC@T-Nb ₂ O ₅ @MnO ₂ //GO	31.76	66
3D-MnO ₂ //AC	36.6	67
Ni-Mn LDH@MnO ₂ //AC	16	68
MnO ₂ //Fe ₂ O ₃	22.8	69
MnO ₂ //RGO	22.2	70
MnO ₂ /La ₂ O ₃ //AC	25.8	71
MnO ₂ /rGO//MnO ₂ /rGO	24	72
MnCO ₃ @MnO ₂ //AG	27.4	73
Co-MnO ₂ -5 nanotubes//Mn-FeOOH nanotubes	42.1	This work

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