

Electronic Supplementary Information

All-Fiber Acousto- electric Energy Harvester from Magnesium Salt Modulated PVDF

Nanofiber

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Table S1 Mechano-sensitivity of reported piezoelectric based pressure sensors.

Material	Sensitivity (V/kPa)	Reference
Piezoelectric fiber array vertically integrated P(VDF-TrFE)	0.027	1
P(VDF-TrFE)/CMOS transistor	0.011	2
P(VDF-TrFE) film	2.2×10^{-5}	3
Carbonized electrospun polyacrylonitrile/barium titanate (PAN-C/BTO) nanofiber film	0.324	4
Aligned P(VDF-TrFE)/MWCNT composites	0.121	5
Cellular fluorocarbon	1.54	6
P(VDF-TrFE) thin film	7.5×10^{-4}	7
Electrospun PVDF fabric	8.2×10^{-4}	8
P(VDF-TrFE) nanotube	0.05	9
Electrospun PVDF/BaTiO ₃ nanowire (NW) nanocomposite fibers	0.017	10
Laterally aligned PZT angle-crystal nanowires	0.14	11
PVDF-MWCNT-OMMT	0.0176	12
PVDF-ZnO nanofibers	0.00312	13
PVDF-Mg nanofibers	0.44	This work

Table S2 A summary or comparison of device materials, electrode materials, and capacitor charging performances of the AAPNG with the reported nanogenerators.

Active material	Electrode	Charging time(s), Capacitor value (μF)	Saturation voltage (V), Power stored (μW)	References
P(VDF-TrFE)/BaTiO ₃	conductive fabric	250, 0.068	35, 0.17	14
aligned PVDF	(PANI-PVDF)	60, 1.0	4, 1.3	15
NFs	NFs mats			
P(VDF-TrFE)	Al foils	1800, 47	16, 3.34	16
Pt-PVDF	Cu–Ni polyester fabric	80, 1	3, 0.06	17
PZT-NH ₂ NPs	Al-coated (PI)/PET)	100, 2.2	4, 0.18	18
Hybridization encapsulated PVDF	sugar- Conducting textile	100, 1	8, 0.32	19
PVDF/ BaTiO ₃	Al foils	76, 1	1.40, 0.01	20
(P(VDF-TrFE))/ BaTiO ₃	ITO-coated PET	120, 4.7	1.5, 0.04	21
Poly(vinyl alcohol) (PVA)/ ZnS nanorods	Ni–Cu polyester fabric,	40, 1	0.72, 0.007	22
PVDF/ ZnS nanorods	Ni–Cu polyester fabric	130, 2.2	10, 0.85	23
PVDF-niobate-based	AgNW	300, 2.2	5, 0.09	24
[P(VDF-TrFE)]	3D PMMA/Au	5, 0.1	3.2, 0.01	25
Ce ³⁺ / PVDF/Graphene	Ni-Cu plated polyester fabric	60, 4.7	0.75, 0.02	26
PVDF-Mg	Ni–Cu polyester fabric	65, 2.2	2.6, 0.12	This work

Table S3 Comparison of the piezoelectric coefficient of PVDF-Mg with the reported PVDF based nanofibers materials.

Active material	Piezoelectric Coefficient (d_{33})	Reference
PVDF/CH ₃ NH ₃ PbI ₃	19.7 pC/N	27
Pt/PVDF	44 pC/N	28
PVDF	-57:6 pm/V	29
PVDF	37 pm/V	30
PVDF/GO	~ -30 pC/N	31
PVDF	17.1 pm /V	32
Sugar/PVDF	33 pC/N	33
PVDF	-33 pC/N	34
PVDF/ Ag-CNTs	54 ± 5 pm/ V	35
BTO/P(VDF-TrFE)	35.3 pC/N	36
PVDF/GO	-93.75 pm/V	37
GO doped Fluorine/PVDF	63 pm/V	38
PVDF-Mg	33.6 pC/N	This work

Table S4 A summary or comparison of device materials, electrode materials and percentage of piezoelectric energy conversion efficiency ($\% \eta_{acoust}$) of the AAPNG with the reported nanogenerators.

Active material	Electrode	Efficiency (%)	Acoustic sensitivity	References
PVDF nanofiber	gold	NM	266 mV Pa ⁻¹	39
PVDF-TiO ₂ nanofiber	conducting fabrics	61	26 VPa ⁻¹	40
PVDF-ZnS nanofiber	Cu-Ni coated polyester	58	3 VPa ⁻¹	41
PZT based MEMS	NM	0.012	0.13 mV Pa ⁻¹	42
Ce ³⁺ PVDF/	Ni-Cu plated	NM	15 V Pa ⁻¹	43
Graphene nanofiber	polyester fabric			
P(VDF-TrFE) nanofiber	gold	60.3	1.3 VPa ⁻¹	44
PVDF/CH ₃ NH ₃ PbI ₃	Ni-Cu plated polyester fabric	58.5	13.8 VPa ⁻¹	45
PVDF-Mg	Ni-Cu polyester fabric	1.3	10 VPa ⁻¹	This work

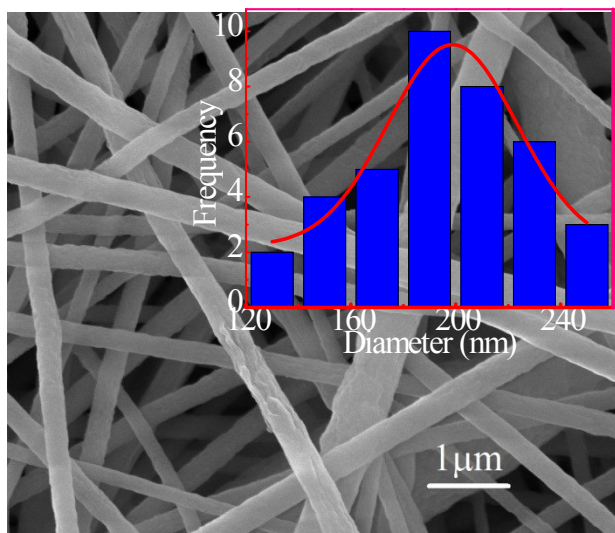


Figure S1 FE-SEM images of electrospun nanofibers mat of neat PVDF.

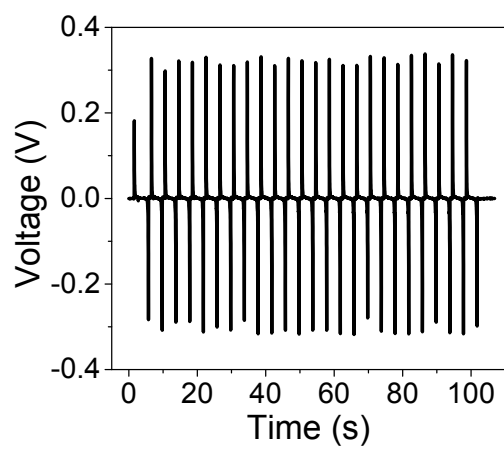


Figure S2. The energy harvesting performance of the nanogenerator upon repeated bending and releasing motion of 5 mm/s.

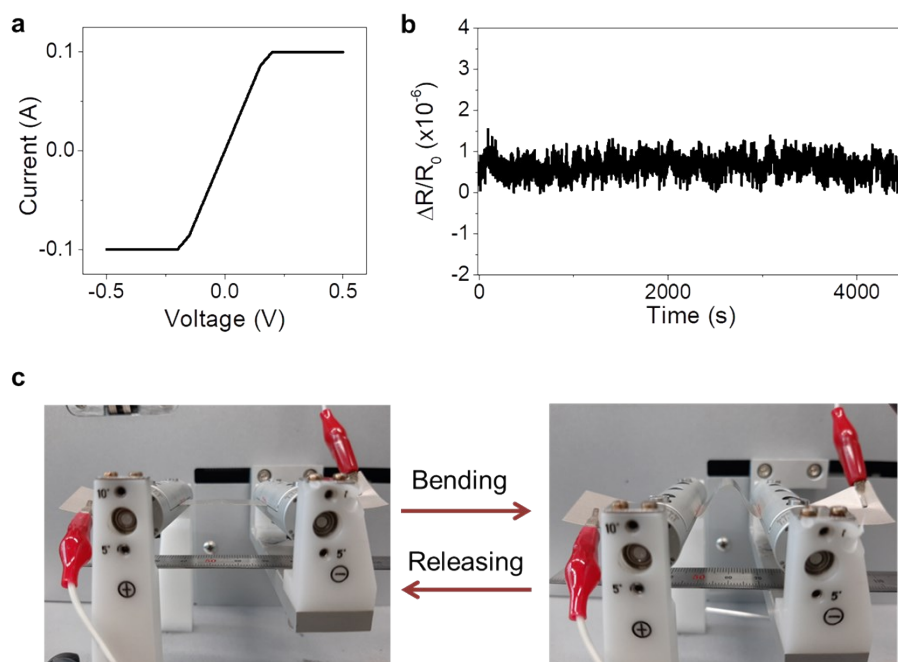


Figure S3. (a) The current (I)-voltage (V) graph of the fiber based conducting fabric used in the energy harvesting process. A sheet of conducting fabric (4 cm length, 2 cm width and 0.06 mm thickness) was used for I-V curve measurement. From the slope (~ 0.534) of the I-V curve (linear portion), the estimated conductivity was 17800 S/m. (b) The change of resistance ($\Delta R/R_0$, where R_0 was the initial resistance) measurement of the fabric upon repetitive (c) bending and unbending cycles for longer duration with the speed of 1 mm/s.

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