

Supporting Information

Sensitive and Direct Electrochemical Detection of Bisphenol S Based on 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ Nanocomposites

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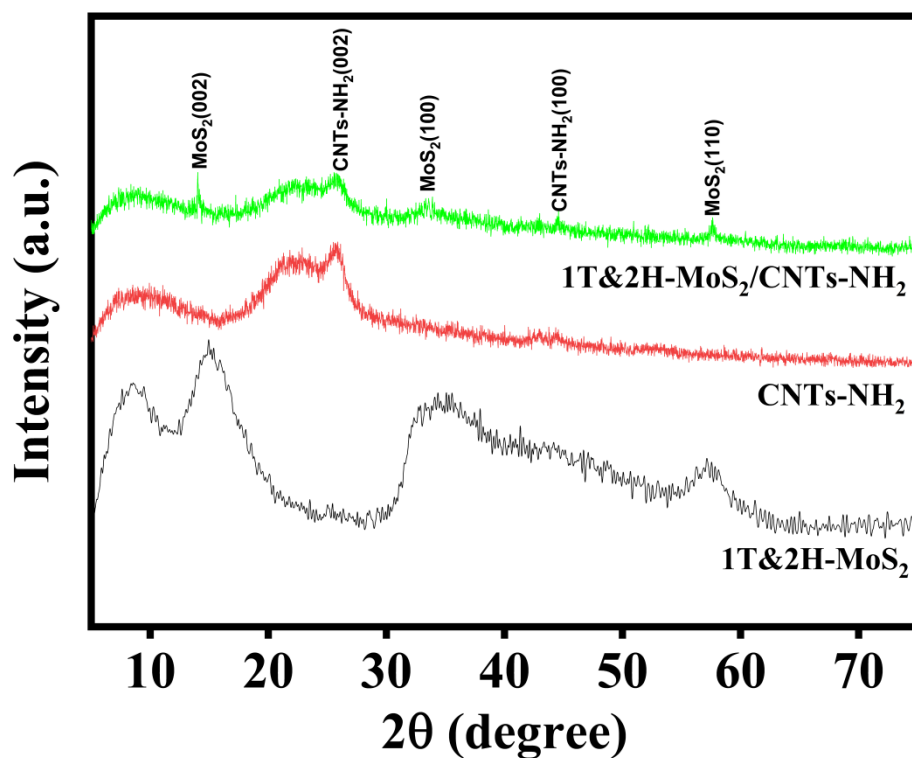


Fig. S1 XRD spectra of CNTs-NH₂, 1T&2H-MoS₂ and 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ nanocomposite.

1T&2H-MoS₂ nanosheets exhibit three diffraction peaks at $2\theta=14.30^\circ$, 33.34° and 58.94° , which can be indexed with the (002), (100) and (110) diffraction planes of 1T&2H-MoS₂ crystals containing hexagonal structure¹. The two typical diffraction peaks indexed at $2\theta = 25.6^\circ$, 44.4° for CNTs-NH₂ are associated with the (002), (100) crystal planes of CNTs-NH₂, respectively². In the XRD spectra of 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂, diffraction peaks of both 1T&2H-MoS₂ and CNTs-NH₂ appear, indicating that the formation of 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ nanocomposite.

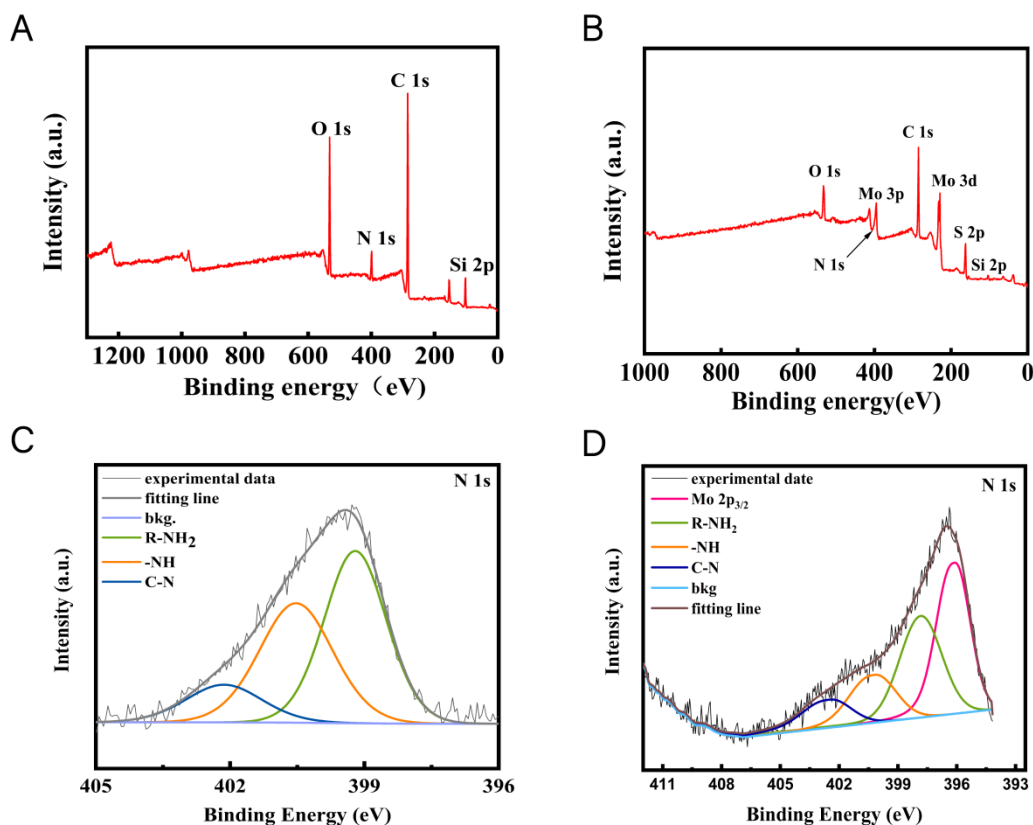


Fig. S2 XPS spectra of CNTs-NH₂ (A) and 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ nanocomposite (B). XPS spectra for N 1s of CNT-NH₂(C) and 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ nanocomposite (D).

The XPS survey spectrum of CNTs-NH₂ shows the presence of Si(102.40 eV), N(399.46 eV), C(285.03 eV) and O(532.09 eV) elements, meaning that the amino groups were successfully introduced to the carbon nanotubes³. The XPS survey spectrum of the 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ composite shows the presence of Si(102.41 eV), S(161.47), Mo(228.46 eV), C(284.26 eV), N(399.50) and O(531.43 eV) elements. The N 1s spectrum of CNT-NH₂ can be decomposed into three peaks at 399.20, 400.53, 402.14 eV corresponding to R-NH₂, -NH and C-N, respectively³. Besides, the N 1s spectrum of 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ nanocomposite can be divided into four peaks, the peak observed at 397.84 eV is ascribed to R-NH₂, peaks at 400.17 eV and 402.46 eV to -NH and C-N, respectively, and the peak at 396.09 eV belongs to Mo-N^{4, 5}. The appearance of all peaks for 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ nanocomposite indicates that 1T&2H-MoS₂ and CNTs-NH₂ were successfully assembled.

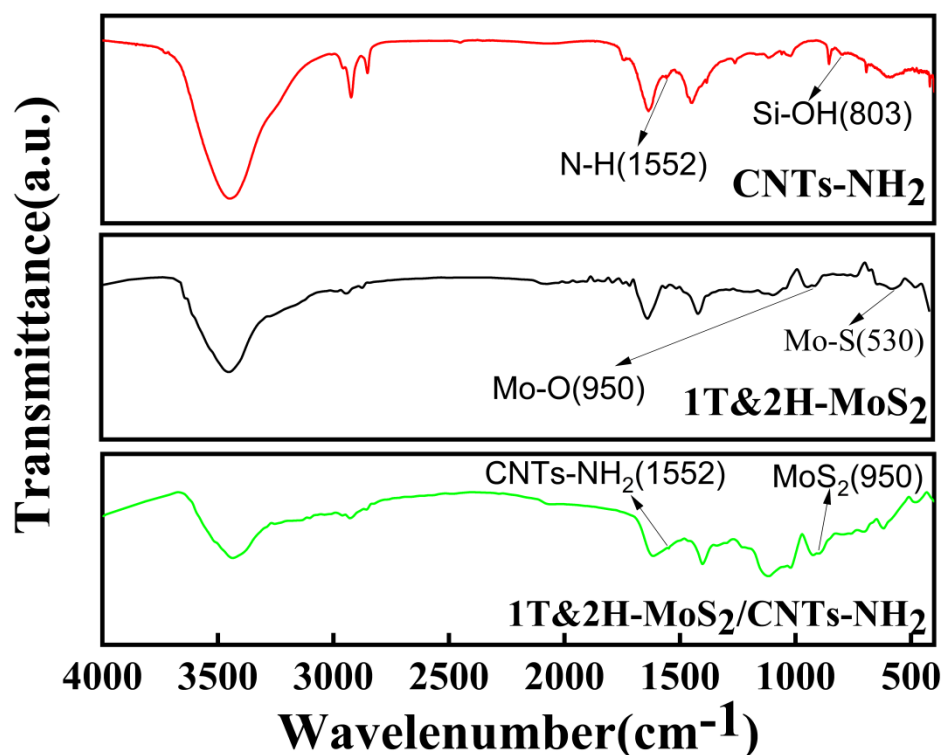


Fig. S3 FT-IR spectra of CNTs-NH₂, 1T&2H-MoS₂ and 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ nanocomposite.

In the FT-IR spectrum of CNTs-NH₂, the peak at 1552 cm⁻¹ is attributed to the N-H secondary amine group. In addition, the peak observed at 803 cm⁻¹ is caused by Si-OH, which confirms the reaction of CNTs-COOH with 3-APTES^{6, 7}. The experimental results show that the amine group has been successfully grafted onto the carbon nanotubes. In the FT-IR spectrum of 1T&2H-MoS₂, The peaks at 530 cm⁻¹ and 950 cm⁻¹ are attributed to Mo-S and Mo-O stretching vibrations, respectively⁸. In FI-TR spectrum of 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂, the characteristic peaks of both CNTs-NH₂ (1552 cm⁻¹) and 1T&2H-MoS₂ (950 cm⁻¹) appear, indicating the formation of 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ hybrids.

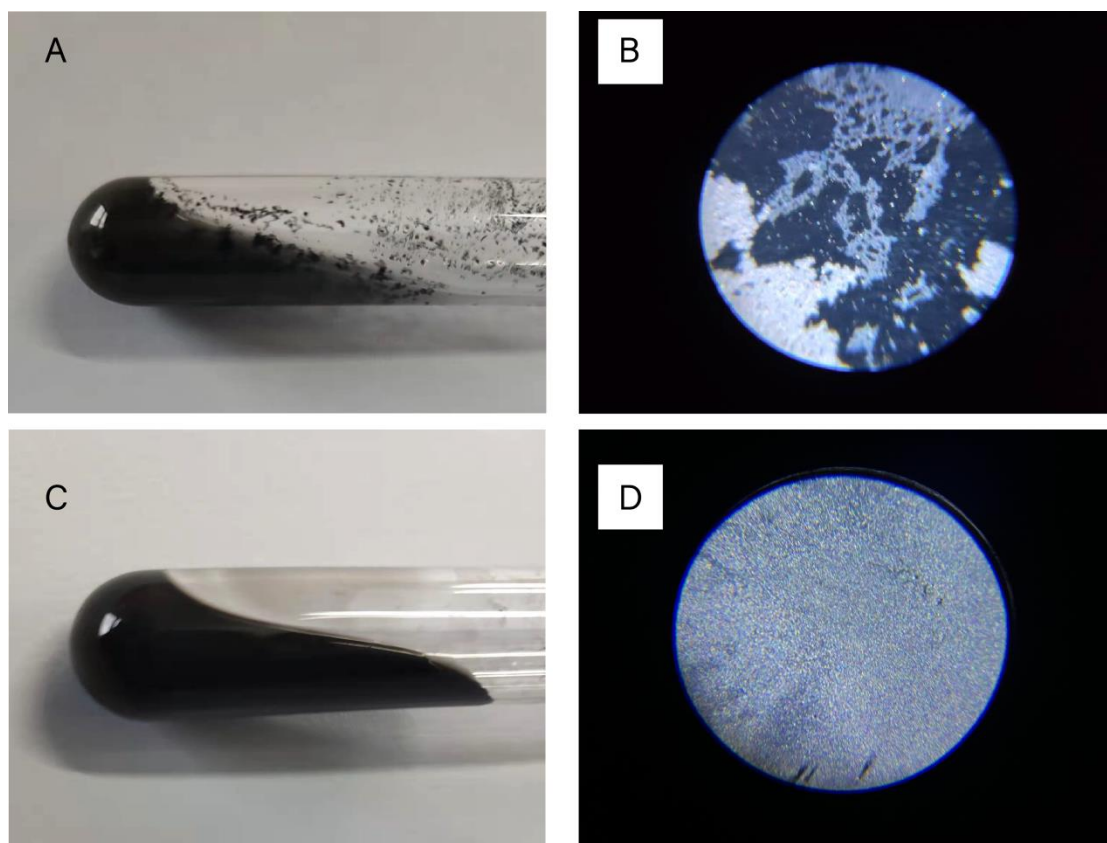


Fig. S4 Photographs of 1 mg/mL CNTs (A) and 1 mg/mL CNTs-NH₂ (C) dispersions in water after sonication 6h, optical microscope images of 1 mg/mL CNTs (B) and 1 mg/mL CNTs-NH₂ (D) modified GCE (coating volume: 8 μL).

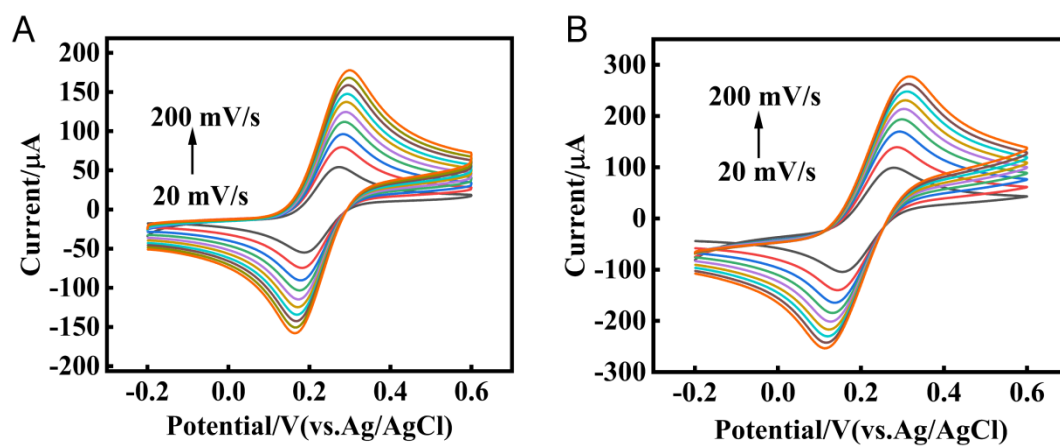


Fig. S5 CV curves of CNTs/GCE (A) and CNTs-NH₂/GCE (B) in 0.1M KCl solution (containing 5.0 mM Fe(CN)₆³⁻/Fe(CN)₆⁴⁻) at different scan rates (20, 40, 60, 80, 100,120,140, 160,180 and 200 mV/s)

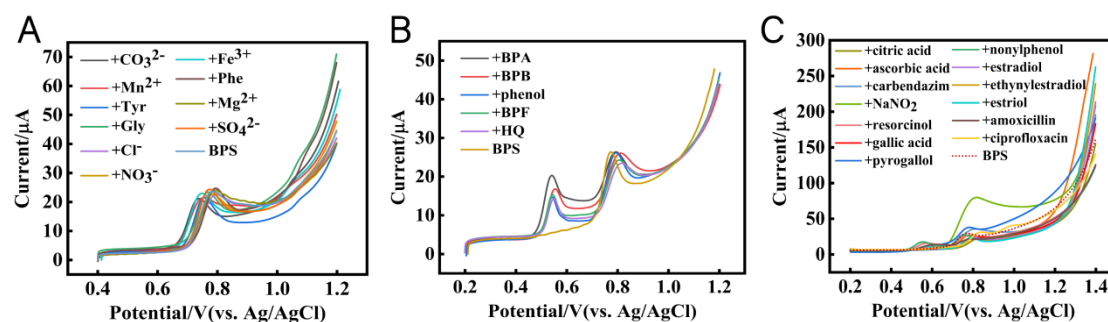


Fig. S6 LSV curves of 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂/GCE to 10 μmol/L BPS in the absence or presence of (A) 1 mmol/L different common inorganic ions(Mn²⁺, Mg²⁺, NO₃⁻, Fe³⁺, SO₄²⁻, CO₃²⁻, Cl⁻ and phenylalanine, glycine and tyrosine) and (B) 10 μmol/L other bisphenolic and phenolic compounds(BPA, BPB, BPF, phenol, hydroquinone). (C) 1 mmol/L citric acid, ascorbic acid, NaNO₂, and 10 μmol/L carbendazim, resorcinol, gallic acid, pyrogallol, nonylphenol, estradiol, ethynylestradiol, estriol, amoxicillin and ciprofloxacin. (scan rate: 100 mV/s)

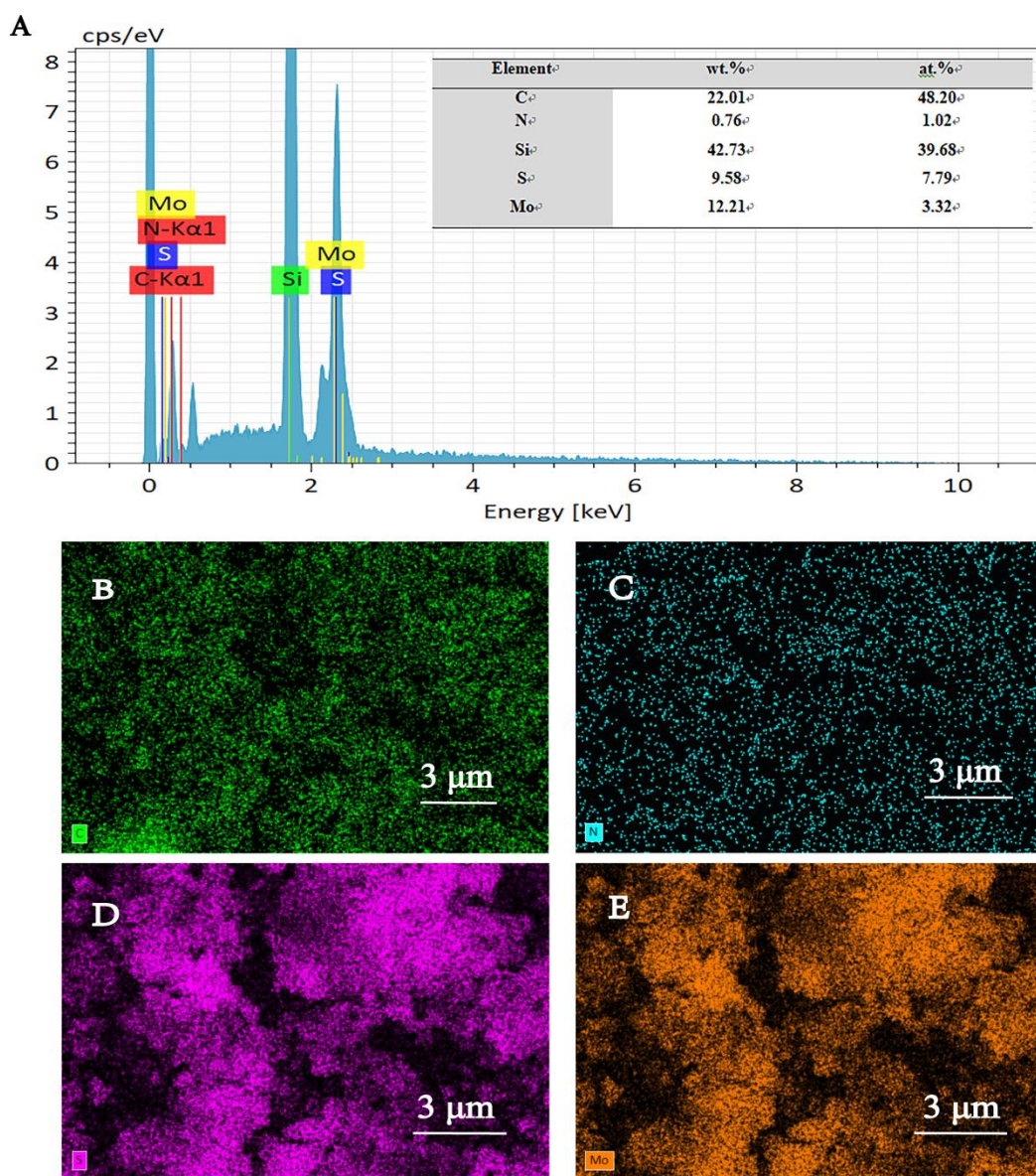


Fig. S7 (A) EDX spectrum of 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂. EDX elemental mapping images of C(B), N(C), S(D) and Mo(E).

The elemental analysis of 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂ nanocomposites was performed using EDX spectroscopy, as shown in Fig. S7A. The results confirm the presence of Mo, S, C and N elements, indicating the successful preparation of 1T&2H-MoS₂/CNTs-NH₂. The high percentage of Si element was due to the use of Si wafer as the substrate for EDX analysis. In addition, the elemental mapping images in Fig. S7B~E reveals that there is a homogeneous distribution of C, N, S, and Mo elements, showing that CNTs-NH₂ interspersed well in 1T&2H-MoS₂.

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