Supporting Information

$\label{eq:model} \mbox{Morphology-controllable synthesis of MnO_2 hollow nanospheres and} \\ \mbox{their supercapacitive performance}$

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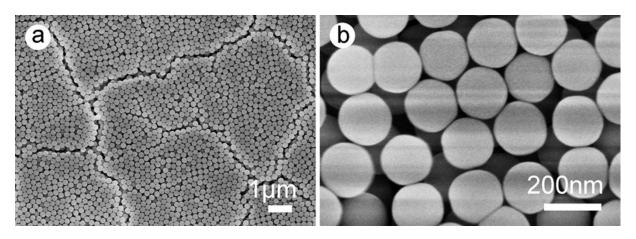


Fig. S1 (a, b) SEM images of silica spheres using as hard template

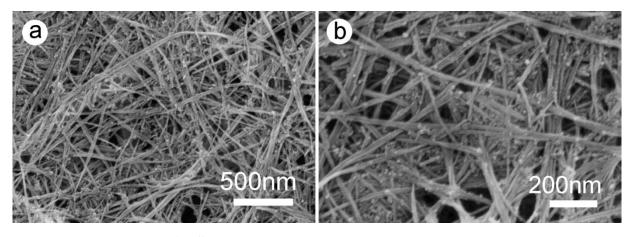


Fig. S2 (a, b) SEM images of MnO₂ nanofibers

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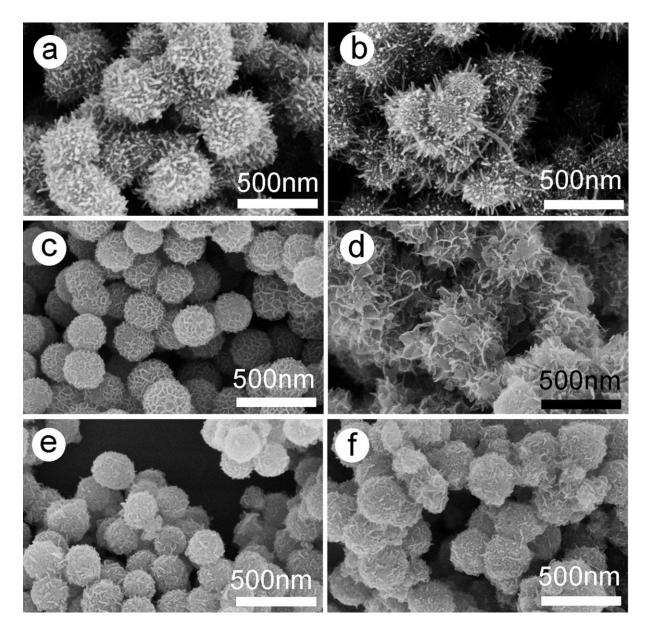


Fig. S3 SEM images of urchin-like MnO₂ prepared as the mass ratio of KMnO₄ to SiO₂ is (a) 0.5, (b) 1.5; SEM images of flower-like MnO₂ prepared as the mass ratio of KMnO₄ to SiO₂ is (c) 0.5, (d) 1.5; SEM images of non-hierarchical MnO₂ prepared as the mass ratio of KMnO₄ to SiO₂ is (e) 0.5, (f) 1.5.