Supporting Information for

High-Energy and High-Power Pseudocapacitor-Battery Hybrid Sodium-Ion Capacitor with Na⁺ Intercalation Pseudocapacitance Anode

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Supplementary Figures and Tables



Fig. S1 Initial charge-discharge profiles of mesoporous TiO₂/rGO (Ref. [S1]), nano-Nb₂O₅@C/rGO (Ref. [S2]), Ti₂CTx-MXene nanosheet (Ref. [S3]) and the as-synthesized FeVO UNSs anode



Fig. S2 Schematic of hybrid supercapacitors. (**a**, **b**) Battery-EDLC hybrid supercapacitor, consisting of battery-type anode and EDLC-type cathode. The charge carriers (both cations and anions) come from the electrolyte, identified as electrolyte-consumption mechanism. (**c**, **d**) EDLC-Battery hybrid supercapacitor, consisting of EDLC-type anode and battery-type cathode. The charge carriers are based on cations from cathode then adsorbed by anode, identified as cation-transport mechanism. (**e**, **f**) Proposed of Pseudocapacitor-Battery hybrid (PBH) supercapacitor, consisting of pseudocapacitor-type anode and battery-type cathode. PBH supercapacitor follows cation-transport mechanism: the charge carriers are based on cations extraction from cathode then into pseudocapacitive anode. The both electrodes of PBH supercapacitor are with faradaic reaction can largely enhanced the energy density. Note: R^+ represents Li^+ or Na^+ , solid line represents a charge process, and dashed line represents a discharge process.

Figure S2a, b shows the well-known model of hybrid supercapacitor consisting of batterytype anode and EDLC-type cathode (e.g., activated carbon (AC)), known as Battery-EDLC hybrid supercapacitor. All the charge carriers (both cations and anions) come from the electrolyte, which is identified as electrolyte-consumption mechanism [S4]. For example, the hybrid lithium-ion capacitor (LIC), utilizing Li₄Ti₅O₁₂ anode (170 mAh g⁻¹ with a plateau at 1.55 V vs. Li⁺/Li) coupled with AC cathode (the potential of zero charge for AC cathode is 3.08 V vs. Li/Li⁺), delivered an energy density of ~55 Wh kg⁻¹ [S5]. Figure S2c, d display another type of hybrid supercapacitor which consists of EDLC-type anode and battery-type cathode, named as EDLC-Battery hybrid supercapacitor. All charge carriers are based on cations from cathode moving into anode, identified as cation-transport mechanism [S4]. For example, the hybrid LIC consisting of high-rate LiFePO₄ cathode (170 mAh g⁻¹ with a plateau at 3.4 V vs. Li⁺/Li) matched with AC anode exhibited an energy density of 43.3 Wh kg⁻¹ [S6]. However, the above reported EDLC-battery or battery-EDLC hybrid models were hardly to reach the further goal of developing next-generational hybrid supercapacitor with an energy density over 100 Wh kg⁻¹, owing to the use of EDLC-type electrodes with very low capacity. For example, the commercialized AC (e.g., YP50F) only delivered a specific capacitance of ~100-150 F g⁻¹ in non-aqueous electrolyte, corresponding to a specific capacity of ~42-63 mAh g^{-1} in 3-4.5 V or ~56-84 mAh g^{-1} in 3-1 V (calculated based on the equation of Q = $C \times \Delta V$) [S7].

Remarkably, pseudocapacitive anode could deliver a specific capacitance of >400 F g⁻¹ (corresponding to the specific capacity >222 mAh g⁻¹), which are much higher than that of EDLC-type electrode. Therefore, the pseudocapacitor-battery hybrid (PBH) supercapacitor (Fig. S2e, f), consisting of pseudocapacitive anode and high-rate battery-type cathode. By using faradaic reaction on both cathode and anode, the designed PBH is able to deliver much enhanced energy density than those of EDLC-based hybrid supercapacitors. Besides, the assembly of PBH sodium-ion capacitor (PBH-SIC), using high-performance pseudocapacitive anode without presodiation treatments, is able to achieve an energy density over 100 Wh kg⁻¹.



Fig. S3 SEM image of as-synthesized FeVO flowers. The BET specific surface area of FeVO flowers is $34.3 \text{ m}^2 \text{ g}^{-1}$.



Fig. S4 Nitrogen adsorption/desorption isotherm of FeVO UNSs. The FeVO UNSs have a specific Brunauer–Emmett–Teller (BET) surface area of 62.6 m² g⁻¹.



Fig. S5 Tuning the cut-off potentials of the FeVO UNSs anode. CV curves of FeVO UNSs anode in different potential ranges. The sweep rate is 0.5 mV s^{-1} .



Fig. S6 Comparison of the CV curves of FeVO UNSs anode initial cycled in 0.8-3.4 V and resweep after cycled in 0.01-3.4 V. The sweep rate is 0.5 mV s⁻¹. After cycled in 0.01-3.4 V, we re-cycled the coin cell in the range of 0.8-3.4 V again. But the CV curve only shows a smooth rectangular shape without any redox peaks, which is owing to an irreversible amorphous transformation of conversion reaction.



Fig. S7 (a) Capacity of of FeVO UNSs in the initial 5 cycles, cycled at 0.1 A g^{-1} in 0.8-3.4 V, the inset is the related coulombic efficiency. (b) Capacity of of FeVO UNSs in the initial 5 cycles, cycled at 0.1 A g^{-1} in 0.0.1-3.4 V, the inset is the related coulombic efficiency.



Fig. S8 Ex-situ XRD patterns of FeVO UNSs after sodiated at 0.8 V and desodiated at 3.4 V



Fig. S9 SEM image of the pristine FeVO UNSs anode (before cycling test)



Fig. S10 Cycling performance (**a**) and related charge-discharge profiles (**b**) of FeVO UNSs anode tested at 4 A g^{-1} in 0.01-3.4 V, respectively. The FeVO anode shows a sodiation capacity of 340 mAh g^{-1} , and it quickly decays to 76 mAh g^{-1} after 500 cycles and 54 mAh g^{-1} after 4,000 cycles, respectively. The related charge-discharge curves show rapid loss of redox reaction.



Fig. S11 CV curves of FeVO UNSs anode in 0.8-3.4 V at different sweep rates from 2 to 10 $mV\,s^{-1}$



Fig. S12 (a) Rate performance of the FeVO UNSs cycled in 0.8-3.4 V. (b) Rate performance of the FeVO flowers cycled in 0.8-3.4 V. (c) Rate performance of the FeVO UNSs cycled in 0.01-3.4 V. (d) Rate capability of FeVO UNSs cycled in 0.8-3.4 V and 0.01-3.4 V



Fig. S13 XRD pattern (a), SEM image (b) and TG curves (c) of NVOPF/rGO composites. The XRD result confirms the sample is tetragonal P42/mnm phase of $Na_3(VO)_2(PO_4)_2F$ (JCPDS 76–3845). SEM image shows NVOPF nanorods are wrapped by rGO sheets. The graphene content of NVOPF/rGO composites is ~7.8 wt%.



Fig. S14 Rate capability (**a**), related charge-discharge curves at different specific currents (**b**) and cycling performance at the specific current of 1 A g^{-1} (**c**) of the NVOPF/rGO cathode, respectively. The initial desoditation and sodiation capacity of the NVOPF/rGO is 135 and 126 mAh g⁻¹, respectively. The NVOPF/rGO cathode delivers a high capacity of 92 mAh g⁻¹ at 2 A g⁻¹, 48 mAh g⁻¹ at 10 A g⁻¹ and 22 mAh g⁻¹ at 20 A g⁻¹, indicating the excellent high-rate capability. The NVOPF/rGO cathode display a capacity retention of 99.4% after 800 cycles, at a specific current of 1 A g⁻¹.



Fig. S15 Charge-discharge profiles of FeVO//NVOPF PBH-SIC at different cycles, while the specific current is 1.2 A g^{-1} (20 C)



Fig. S16 SEM image of the FeVO UNSs anode from PBH-SIC after rate performance testing

Table SI A survey of electrochemical properties of sodium storage anode materials	age anode materials
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Anode materials	Reversible capacity (mAh g ⁻¹)	ICE (%)	Potential range (V vs. Na ⁺ /Na)	Rate capability (mAh g ⁻¹)	Cycling stability (%)	Mass loading (mg cm ⁻²)	e composi te	Electrolyte	Refs.
FeVO UNSs	292 at 0.1 A g ⁻¹	93.8 6	0.8-3.4 V	132 at 10 A g ⁻¹ 80 at 20 A g ⁻¹	74.6%, 4000 cycles at 4 A g ⁻¹	1.5-2.0	8:1:1	1 M NaPF6 in DGDE	This work
Mesoporous TiO2/rGO	268 at 0.067 A g ⁻¹	~30	0.01-3 V	104 at 6.7 A g ⁻¹	18,000 cycles at 3.35 A g ⁻¹	1.5-2	7:2:1	1 M NaClO ₄ in EC50PC50FEC5	[S1]
Nb ₂ O ₅ @C/rG O	285 at 0.025 A g ⁻¹	31	0.01-3 V	109 at 3 A g ⁻¹	500 cycles at 1.25 A g ⁻¹	0.7	8:1:1	1 M NaPF ₆ in EC ₅₀ DMC ₅₀ FEC ₅	[S2]
Ti ₂ CT _x - MXene	200 at 0.02 A g ⁻¹	65	0.1-3 V	63 at 5 A $g^{\text{-1}}$	100 cycles at 0.02 A g ⁻¹	1	8:1:1	1 M NaPF ₆ in EC ₅₀ DEC ₅₀	[S3]
3D V ₂ CT _x - MXene frameworks	340 at 0.05 A g ⁻¹	55.3	0.01-3 V	170 at 5 A g ⁻¹	Capacity increased, 1000 cycles at 0.5 A g ⁻¹	0.5-1		1 M NaClO4 in EC50PC50FEC5	[S8]
MoS2 NS@NG	~275 at 0.1 A g ⁻¹	~72	0.4-3 V	141 at 1.28 A g ⁻¹	86%, 1000 cycles at 1 A g ⁻¹	0.8-1	7:2:1	1 M NaClO ₄ in EC50DEC50FEC10	[89]
Expandable Soft Carbon	188 at 0.02 A g ⁻¹	67.6	0.01-2 V	114 at 1 A g ⁻¹	300 cycles at 1 A g ⁻¹		8:1:1	1 M NaPF ₆ in EC50DEC50	[S10]
NaTi ₂ (PO ₄) ₃	101 at 0.133	79	1.5-3 V	67 at 6.65 A g ⁻¹	80%, 1000	1.5	8:1:1	1 M NaClO ₄ in	[S11]

in graphene networks	A g ⁻¹				cycles at 1.33 A g ⁻¹			EC50DEC50	
Hard carbon	361 at 0.02 A g ⁻¹	86.1	0-2 V		93.4%, 100 cycles at 0.02 A g ⁻¹		8:1:1	1 M NaClO4 in EC50DEC50	[S12]
γ-Fe ₂ O ₃ @C	993 at 0.2 A g ⁻¹	51.5	0.04-3 V	317 at 8 A g ⁻¹	1400 cycles at 2 A g ⁻¹	1	8:1:1	1 M NaClO ₄ in EC ₅₀ DEC ₅₀	[S13]
Anatase TiO ₂ nanoparticles	217 at 0.05 A g ⁻¹	56	0.01-3 V	129 at 4 A g ⁻¹	89%, 600 cycles at 2 A g ⁻¹	1.0	7:2:1	1 M NaPF ₆ in DGDE	[S14]
Anatase TiO ₂ nanoparticles	181 at 0.05 A g ⁻¹	40	0.01-3 V	32 at 4 A g ⁻¹	23.8%, 500 cycles at 0.1 A g^{-1}	1.0	7:2:1	1 M NaPF6 in EC50DEC50	[S14]
Sb–C framework film	451 at 0.117 A g ⁻¹	65	0-2.5 V	198 at 7.02 A g ⁻¹	~100%, 5000 cycles at 3.51 A g ⁻¹	1.3-1.65		1 M NaClO4 in PC100FEC5	[815]
P2- Na _{0.66} [Li _{0.22} Ti _{0.78}]O ₂	116 at 0.016 A g ⁻¹	75	0.4-2.5 V	62 at 0.212 A g ⁻¹	75%, 2000 cycles at 0.212 A g ⁻¹		6:3:1	1 M NaClO ₄ in EC ₄₀ :DEC ₆₀	[S16]
NiCo ₂ O ₄ mesoporous NSs	670 at 0.1 A g ⁻¹	68.4	0-3 V	170 at 3.2 A g ⁻¹	72%, 100 cycles at 1.6 A g ⁻¹	1.0	8:1:1	1 M NaClO4 in PC100FEC2	[S17]

The abbreviation of DGDE, EC, PC, DMC, DEC, FEC represent diethylene glycol dimethyl ether ethylene carbonate, propylene carbonate, dimethyl carbonate, diethyl carbonate, fluoroethylene carbonate, respectively. ICE, initial coulombic efficiency. NG, nitrogen-doped graphene.

Table S2 Comparison	between sodium	storage in c	lifferent pse	udocapacitive a	anode materials
and hybrid SICs.					

Anode materials	Mesoporous TiO ₂ /rGO (Ref. [S1])	Nb ₂ O ₅ @C/rGO (Ref. [S2])	Ti ₂ CT _x -MXene (Ref. [S3])	FeVO UNSs (this work)
Reversible Capacity (mAh g ⁻¹)	189	285	190	292
ICE ^{a)}	~32%	~31%	~65%	93.86%
Potential range (V vs. Na ⁺ /Na)	0.01-3 V	0.01-3 V	0.1-3 V	0.8-3.4 V
Cathode materials	activated carbon	activated carbon	Na ₂ Fe ₂ (SO ₄) ₃	Na3(VO)2(PO4)2F
Additional treatment	electrochemical pre- sodiation	electrochemical pre-sodiation	overcapacity cathode	No need
C/A ratio ^{b)}	5:1	4:1	4:1	2.5:1
Energy capability ^{c)}	64 Wh kg ⁻¹ at 56 W kg ⁻¹	76 Wh kg ⁻¹ at 80 W kg ⁻¹	65 Wh kg ⁻¹ at 72 W kg ⁻¹	126 Wh kg ⁻¹ at 91 W kg ⁻¹
Power capability ^{c)}	26 Wh kg ⁻¹ at 1.3 kW kg ⁻¹	38 Wh kg ⁻¹ at 1.3 kW kg ⁻¹	52 Wh kg ⁻¹ at 0.288 kW kg ⁻¹	87 Wh kg ⁻¹ at 1.3 kW kg ⁻¹
Longevity of SIC	90% after 10000 cycles	~65% after 3000 cycles	~100% after 100 cycles	67% after 10000 cycles
Operation voltage range of SIC	1-3.8 V	1-4.3 V	0.1-3.8 V	0-3.3 V

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