

Electronic Supplementary Information

**Mass-Producible Polyhedral Macrotube Carbon Arrays  
with Multi-holes Cross Section Profiles: Superb 3D Tertiary  
Porous Electrodes' Materials for Supercapacitors and  
Capacitive Deionization Cells**

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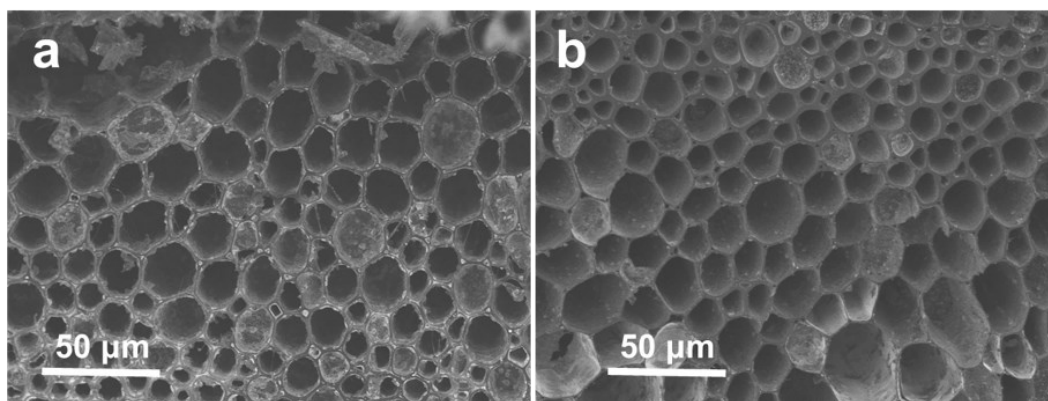
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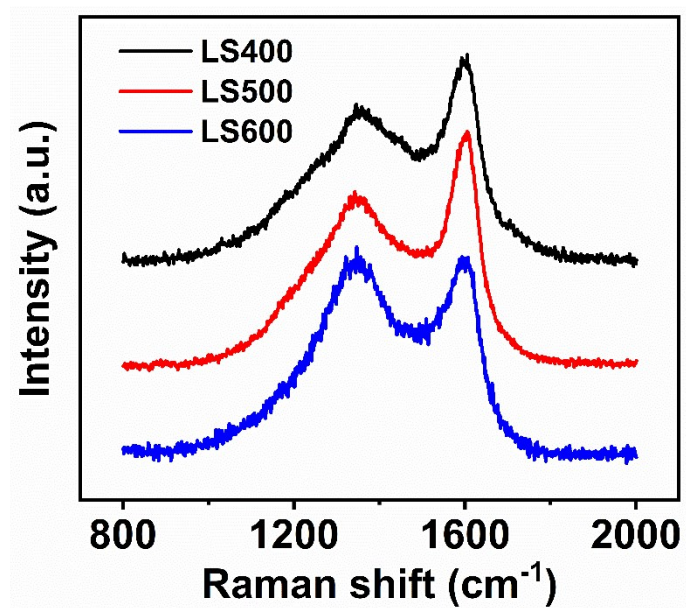
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**Table S1** ASAR comparison of LS500/A800 based CDI with that of CDI reported in literatures.

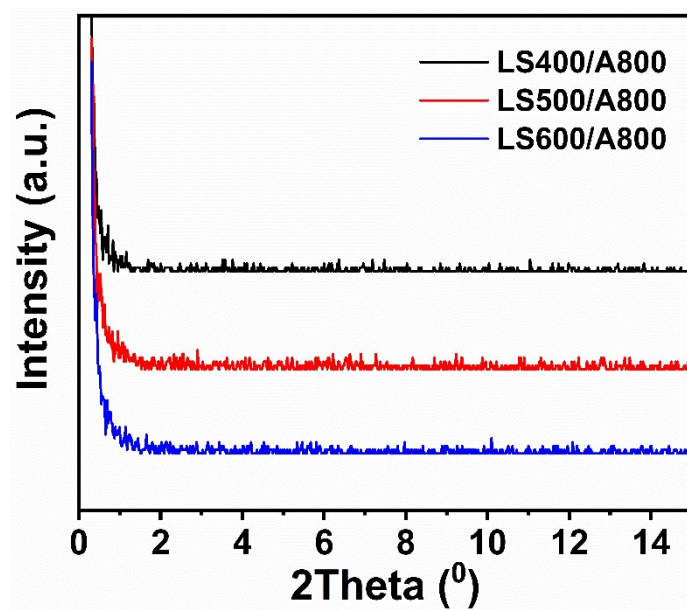
	Concentration of NaCl solution	Voltage (V)	Flow rate (mL min <sup>-1</sup> )	ASAR (mg g <sup>-1</sup> min <sup>-1</sup> )	Ref
ZFCarbon	1 mM	1.2	50	<3	1
3DHGR	100 ppm	1.2	50	<0.6	2
NP-3DHCA	500 mg L <sup>-1</sup>	1.2	40	<1	3
N-PHCS	500 mg L <sup>-1</sup>	1.2	40	<2	4
600-NS-DCM	40 mg L <sup>-1</sup>	1.4	25	< 0.7	5
AC granule	1000 mg L <sup>-1</sup>	1.5	8	<0.3	6
N-HMCSs	100 mg L <sup>-1</sup>	1.6	25	<2.5	7
LS500/A800	500 mg L <sup>-1</sup>	1.0	4.5	3.6	This work
		1.2		3.8	
		1.4		3.9	



**Figure S1** SEM images of a) LS400/A800, and b) LS600/A800 carbon materials.



**Figure S2** Raman spectra of LS<sub>x</sub> (x=400, 500, 600) carbon materials



**Figure S3** Small angle XRD patterns of LS<sub>x</sub>/A800 (x=400, 500, 600) carbon materials

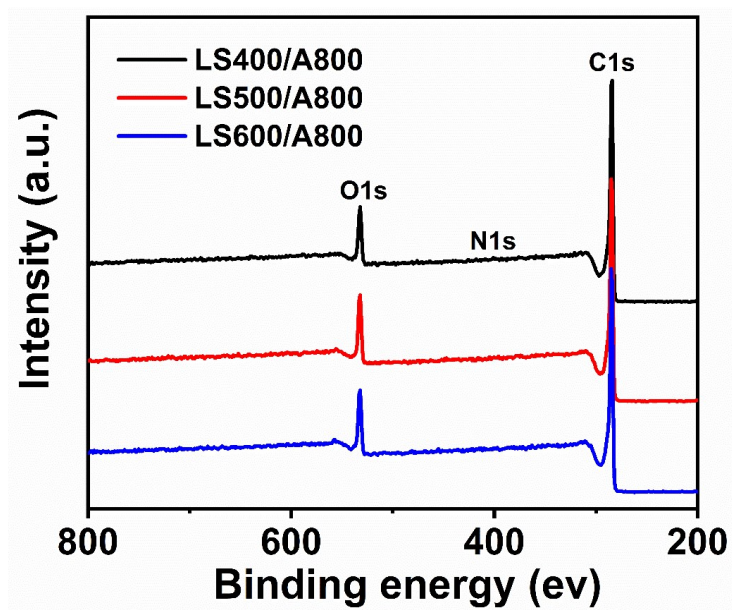
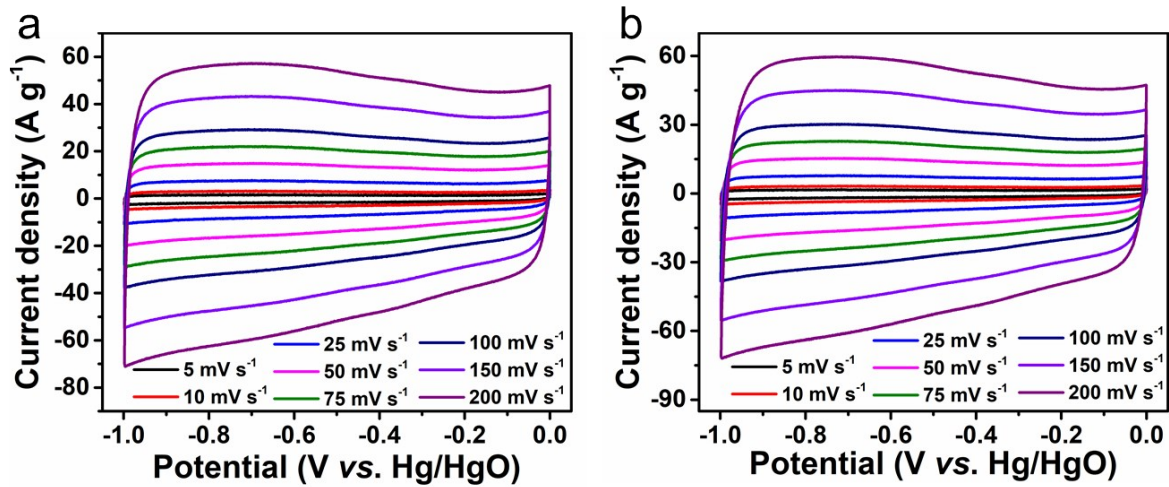
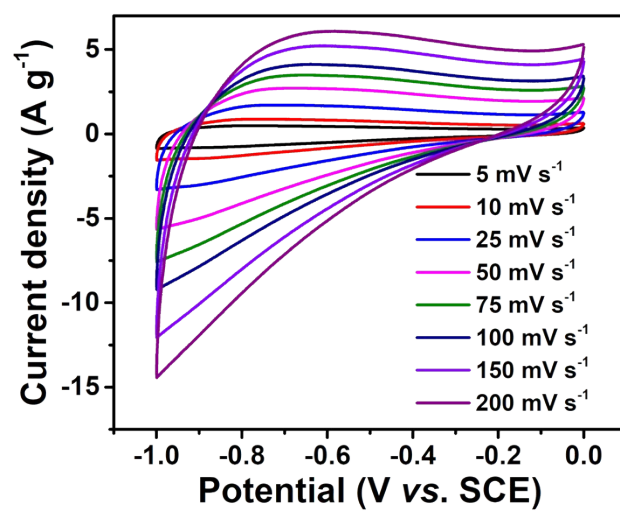


Figure S4 XPS spectra of LS<sub>x</sub>/A800 (x=400, 500, 600) carbon materials

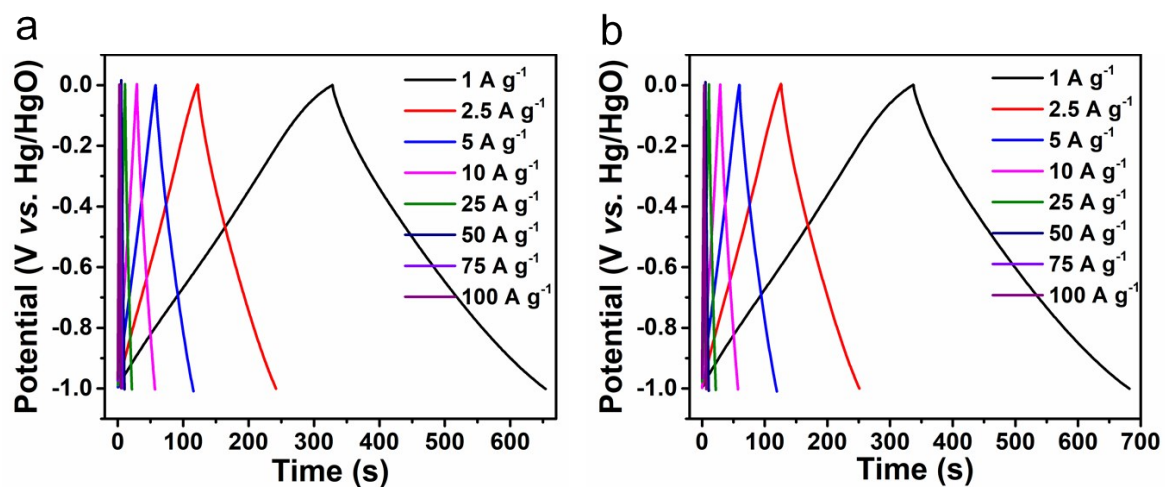


**Figure S5** CV curves of a) LS400/A800, and b) LS600/A800 electrodes in 6 M KOH aqueous solutions at different scan rates as indicated.

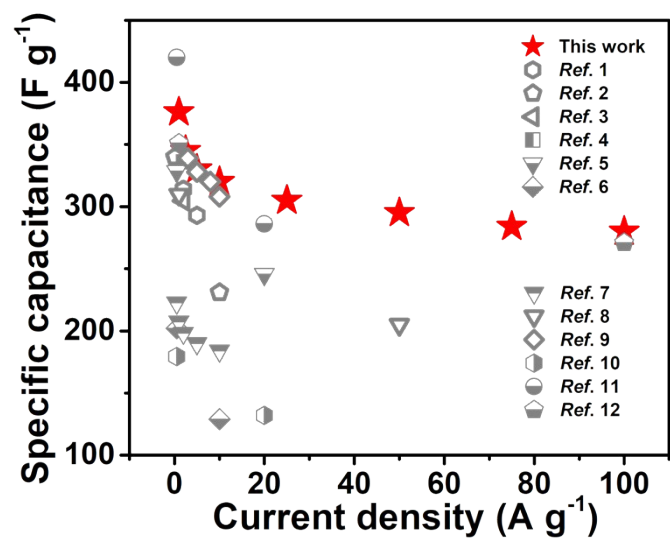


**Figure S6** CV curves of LS500 electrodes in 6 M L<sup>-1</sup> KOH solutions at different scan rates.

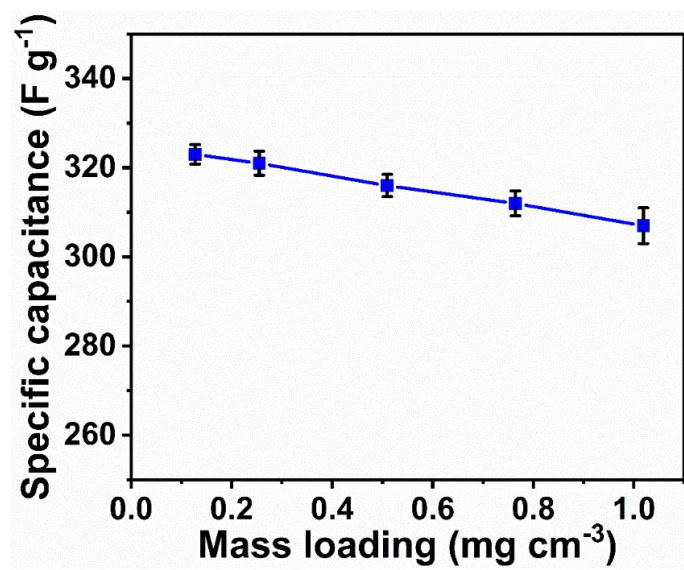




**Figure S7** Voltage profiles obtained upon galvanostatic cycling at different constant currents (indicated) of a) LS400/A800, and b) LS600/A800 electrodes. Aqueous 6 M KOH solutions.



**Figure S8** Specific capacitances of LS500/A800 electrodes in supercapacitors prototype cells at different constant current densities (indicated), aqueous 6 M KOH solutions. The chart includes specific capacitance values of various supercapacitors' electrodes reported in the literature <sup>8-19</sup> for comparison.



**Figure S9** Specific capacitance of LS500/A800 electrode as a function of mass loading.

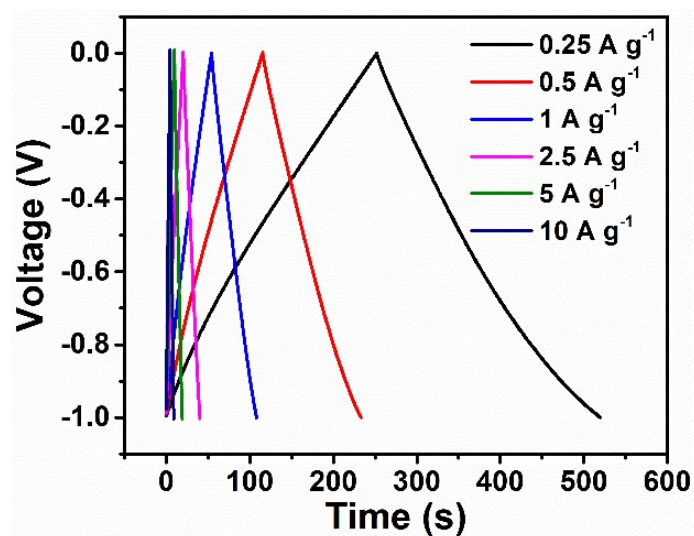
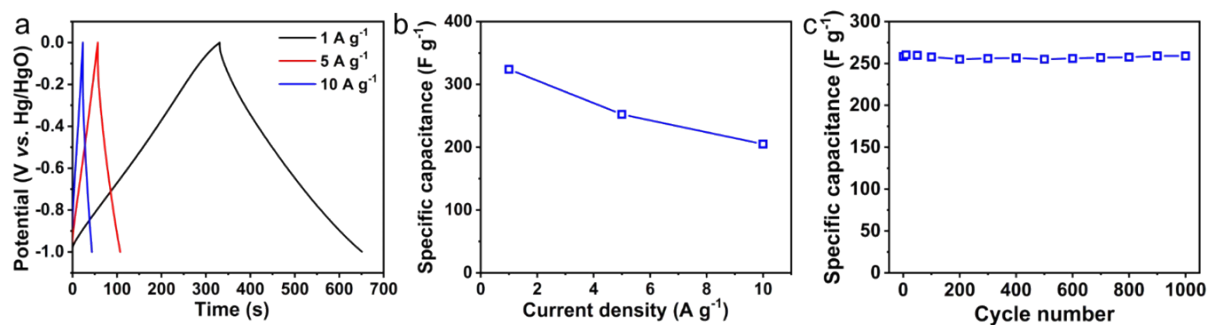
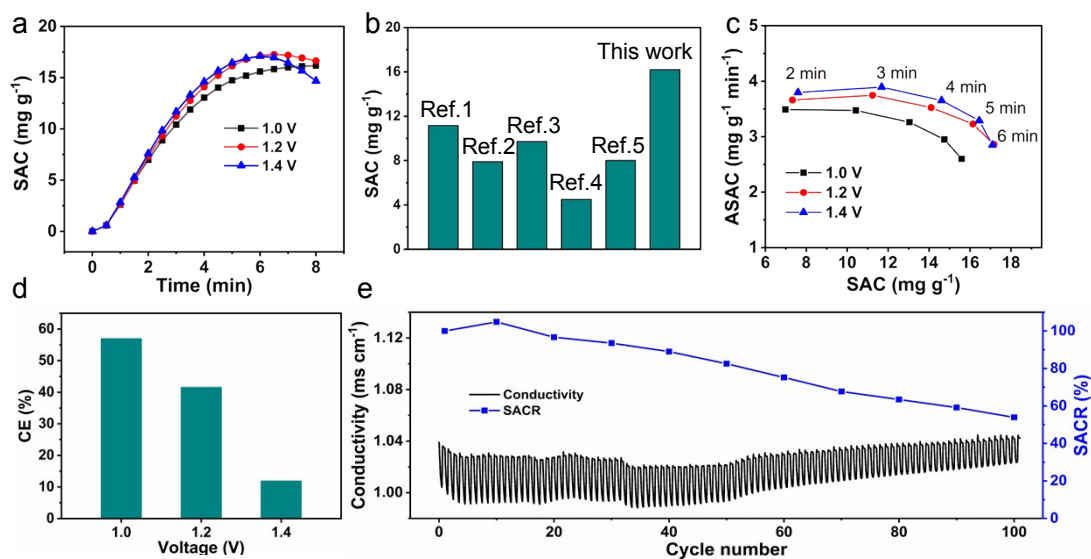


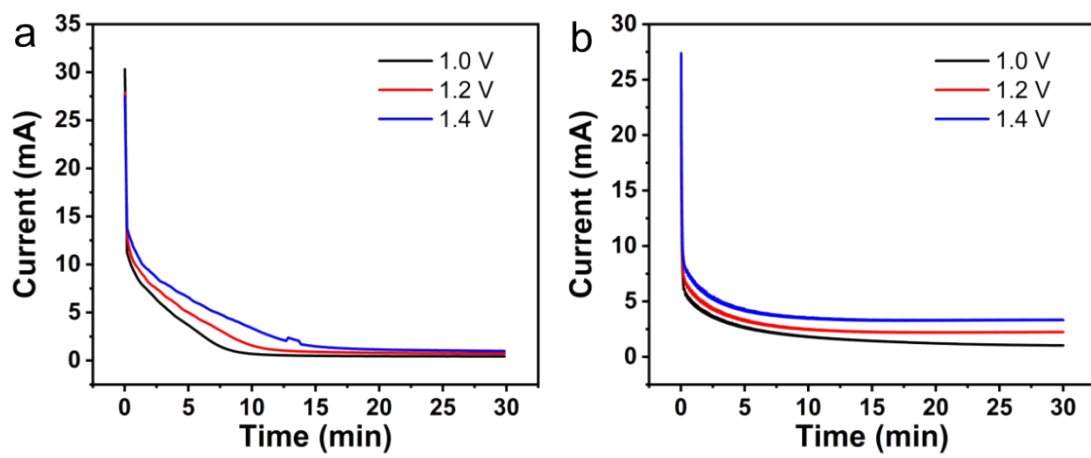
Figure S10 GCD curves of LS500/A800 based symmetrical supercapacitor.



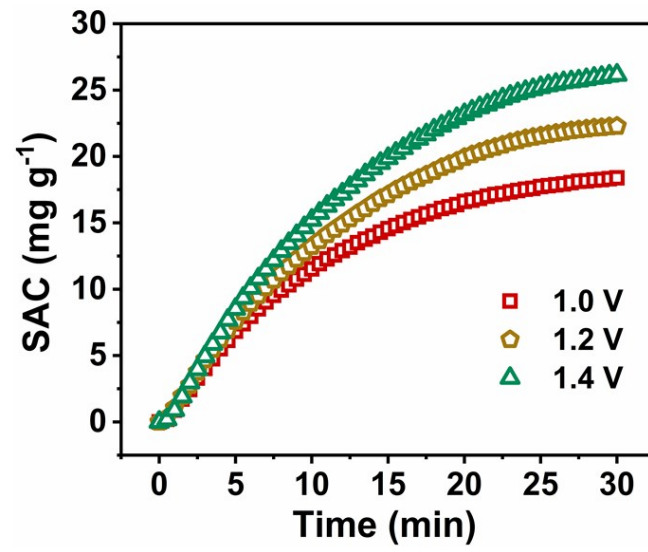
**Figure S11** a) Voltage profiles obtained upon galvanostatic cycling at different constant currents of LS500/A800 electrodes with high loading; b) Specific capacitance of these electrodes as a function of current density; c) The cycling stability of LS500/A800 electrodes with high loading (at current density of 5 A g<sup>-1</sup>). The electrolyte solution used was aqueous 6 mol L<sup>-1</sup> KOH. The maximal fluctuations in the specific capacitance data measured in parallel experiments, presented in charts b, are estimated as +/- 3% around the average values presented by the graphs.



**Figure S12** a) Salt adsorption capacity of LS500/A800 based CDI in  $500 \text{ mg L}^{-1}$  NaCl solution; b) The comparison of reported SAC values with that of LS500/A800<sup>20-24</sup>. The specific references' numbers appear above the histograms in charts S12b; c) Ragone Kim-Yoon plots of the LS500/A800 electrodes in CDI cells under different working voltages; d) CE of LS500/A800 based CDI; e) Cyclic stability of LS500/A800 based CDI under 1.0 V.



**Figure S13** Current of MCDI cells with electrodes comprising a) LS500/A800 carbon and b) AC carbon at different working voltages.



**Figure S14** SAC of AC based MCDI at different working voltages.



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