

## Electronic Supplementary Information

### **In-situ encapsulating abundant WP/Ni<sub>2</sub>P heterointerfaces in N, P co-doped two-dimensional carbon frameworks for boosting hydrogen evolution electrocatalysis**

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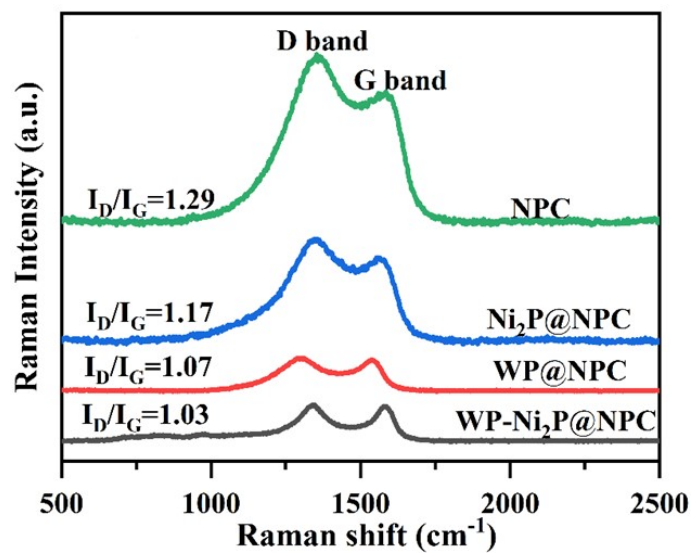
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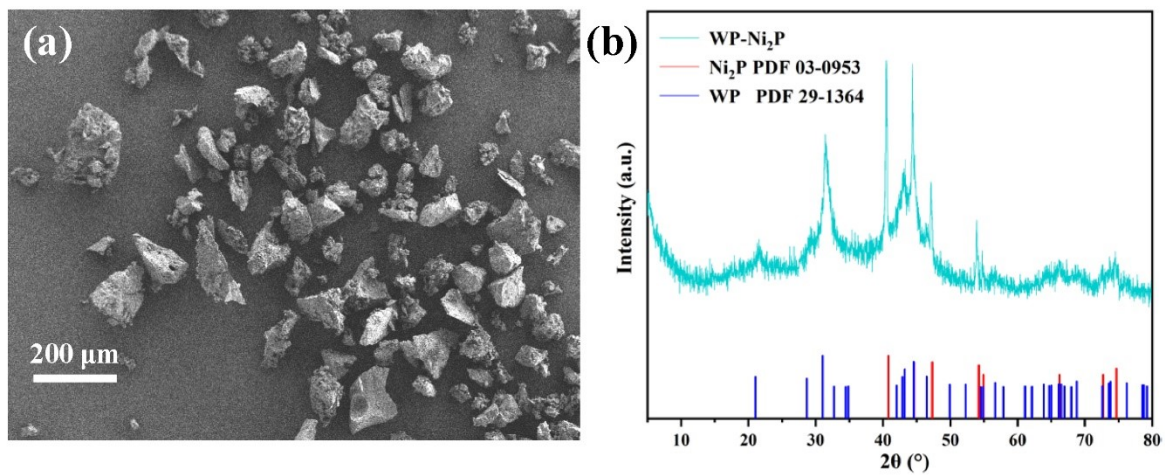
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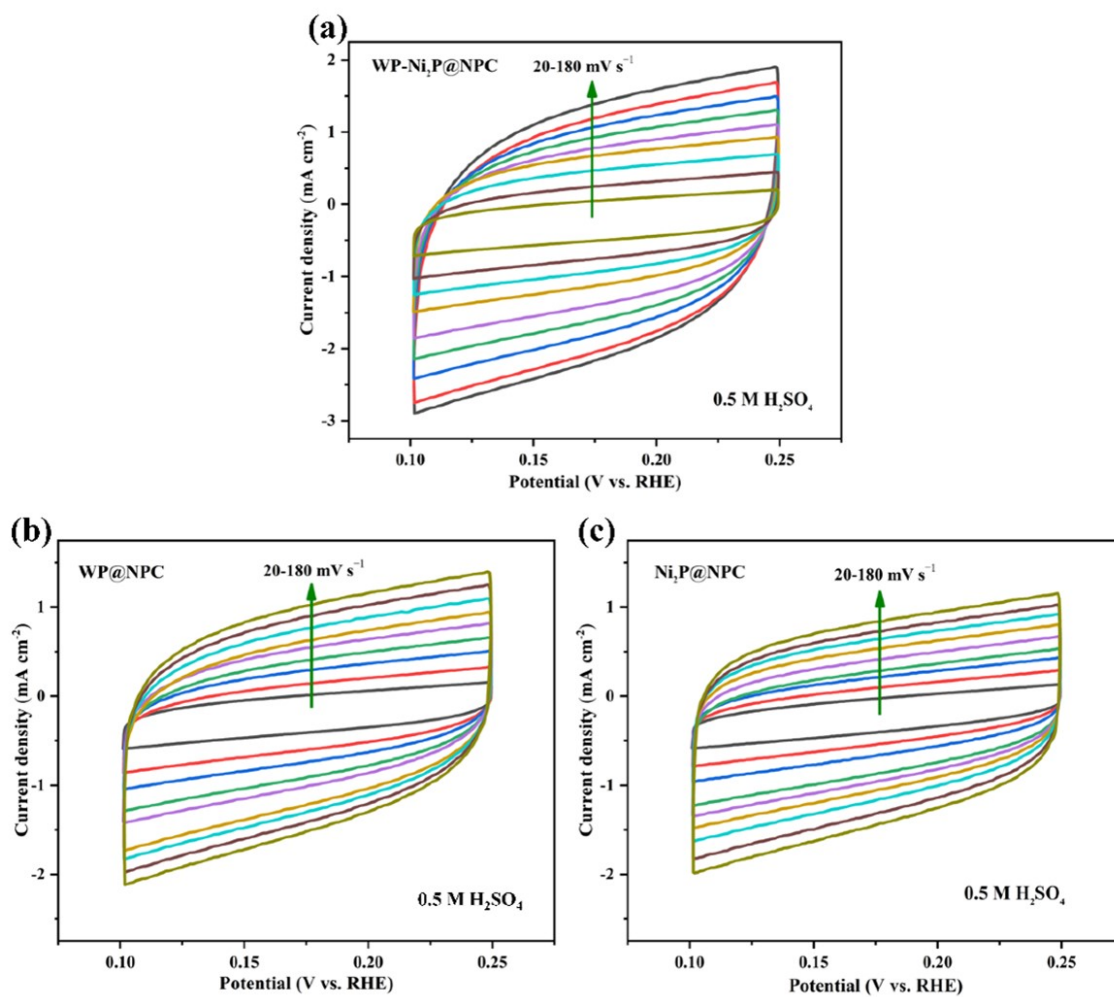
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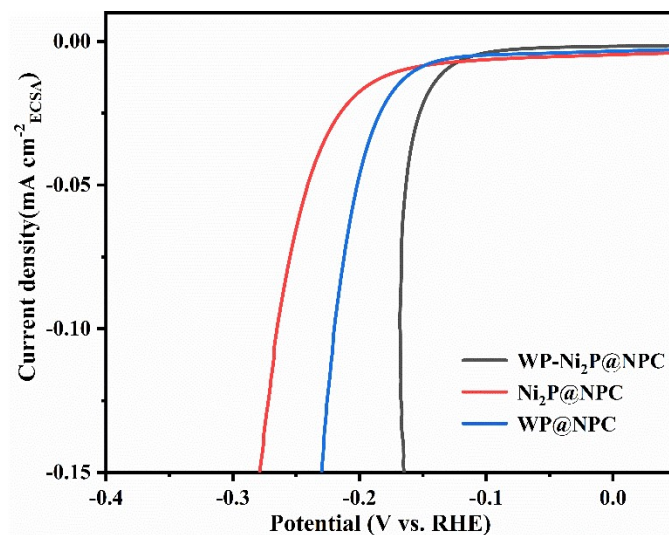
**Figure S1.** Raman spectra of NPC, Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC, WP@NPC and WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC.



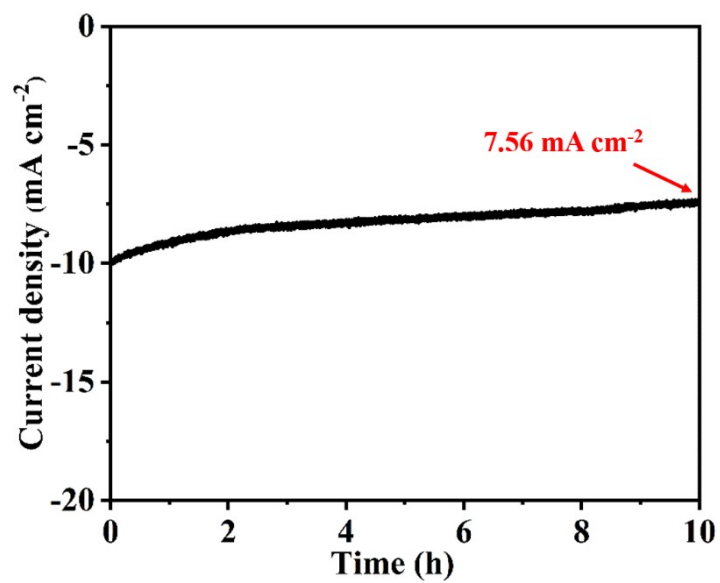
**Figure S2.** (a) SEM image of WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P. (b) XRD pattern of WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P.



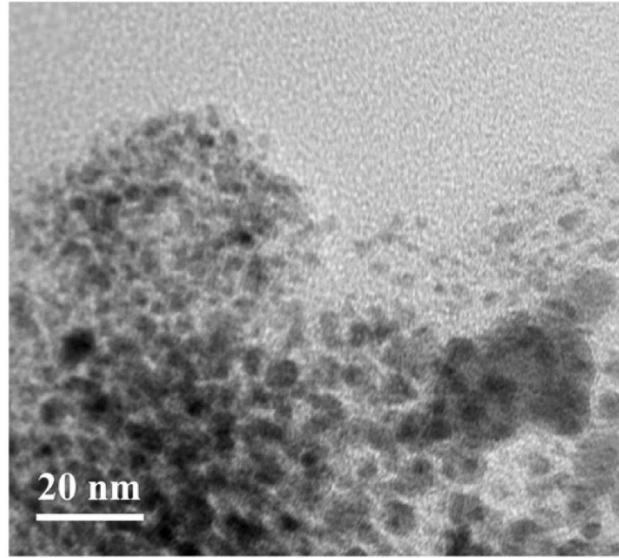
**Figure S3.** (a) CVs of WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC, (b) WP@NPC and (c) Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC in the potential region of 0.1-0.25 V.



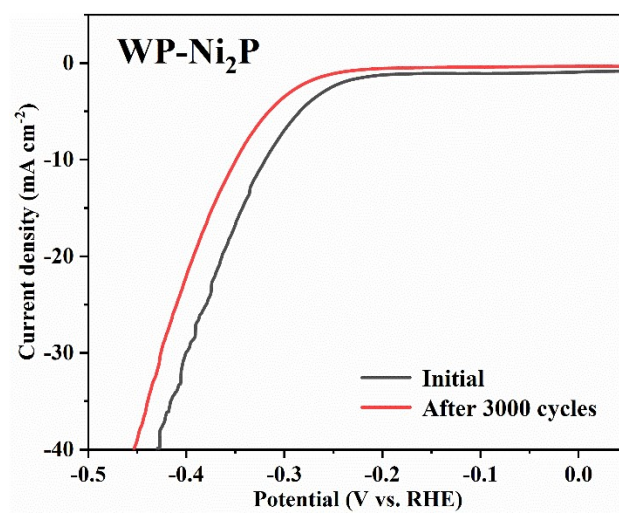
**Figure S4.** The LSV curve of WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC, WP-NPC and Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC with the current density normalized by ECSA.



**Figure S5.** The chronoamperometric response of WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC towards HER.

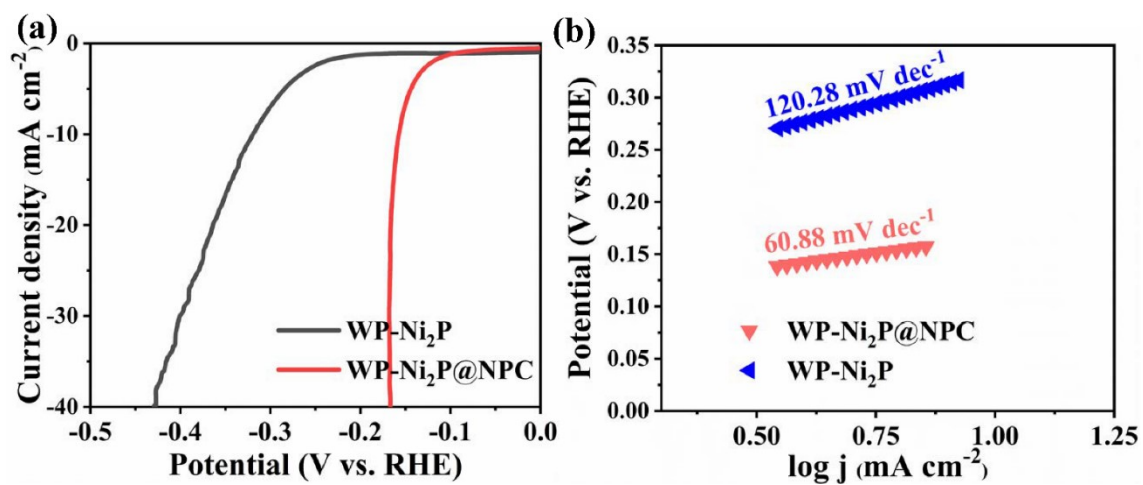


**Figure S6.** TEM image of WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC after 3000 repetitive cycles.



**Figure S7.** LSVs of WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P before and after 3000 repetitive cycles.





**Figure S8.** (a) LSVs and Tafel slopes of WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC and WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P.

**Table S1** Comparison of the electrocatalytic activity of WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC with recently reported phosphide-based electrocatalysts for HER.

Electrocatalysts	Overpotentials ( $\eta_{10}$ )	Tafel slopes (mV dec <sup>-1</sup> )	Electrolytes	Ref.
W <sub>2</sub> C/WP@NC	196	77.4	0.5 M H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	[1]
WP <sub>2</sub> /NF	130	94	1 M KOH	[2]
LC-WP	170	52	0.5 M H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	[3]
Mo-WP	175	75	1 M KOH	[4]
Mo-WP	139	65	0.5 M H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	[4]
Mo-WP	216	90	1 M PBS	[4]
WP	314	95.71	0.5 M H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	[5]
S-Ni <sub>2</sub> P	290	67.1	0.5 M H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	[6]
S-Ni <sub>2</sub> P	331	104.1	1 M KOH	[6]
Ni <sub>2</sub> P-WO <sub>3</sub>	107	64.2	1 M KOH	[7]
Co <sub>2</sub> P@Ni <sub>2</sub> P	101	79	1 M KOH	[8]
Ni <sub>12</sub> P <sub>5</sub> -Ni <sub>2</sub> P	166	60	0.5 M H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	[9]
NiCoP	130	93	1 M KOH	[10]
MoP/MoNiP@NC	137	70	0.5 M H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	[11]
CoP/CNTHPs	147	78.1	1 M KOH	[12]
CoNi <sub>x</sub> P-CNF	154	73	1 M KOH	[13]
CCS-NiFeP-20	56	38	1 M KOH	[14]
Ni <sub>2</sub> P-Ru <sub>2</sub> P/NF	101	56.7	1 M KOH	[15]
Co <sub>2</sub> P-C-NPC	151	50.2	0.5 M H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	[16]
Ni-Co <sub>x</sub> P	172	62.3	0.5 M H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	[17]
<b>WP-Ni<sub>2</sub>P@NPC</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>60.9</b>	<b>0.5 M H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub></b>	<b>This work</b>

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