Kinetics-Mediated Assembly Assisted Precise Synthesis of Magnetic

Ordered Mesoporous Carbon Nanospheres for Ultra-Efficient

Electromagnetic Wave Absorption

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Figure S1. High-resolution TEM images Ni/OMCN-D (a) and Ni/OMCN-S (b).

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Figure S4.TGA curves of Ni/OMCN-D and Ni/OMCN-S under air atmosphere.



Figure S5. Room-temperature hysteresis loops of Ni/OMCN-D and Ni/OMCN-S.



Figure S6. C₀-f curves of Ni/OMCN-D and Ni/OMCN-S.



Figure S7. Attenuation constant of the samples.



Figure S8. The frequency-dependent RL, $|Z_{in}/Z_0|$ and α values of the Ni/OMCN-D composite at the 2.0 mm thickness.

Ni/OMCN-D was taken as an example to reveal the intrinsic relationships between impedance matching, dissipation capability and EMWA performance. The EMWA properties of Ni/OMCN-D at 2.0 mm were analyzed by examining the variation in RL, $|Z_{in}/Z_0|$ and α as a function of frequency (Figure S8). When the frequency was 18 GHz, α reach the maximum value of 239, while the corresponding RL intensity decreased to the lowest level due to poor impedance matching revealed by $|Z_{in}/Z_0|$. The $|Z_{in}/Z_0|$ value of Ni/OMCN-D was nearest to 1 at 12.0 and 14.3 GHz. Interestingly, Ni/OMCN-D showed an extremely high RL value of -72.2 dB at 14.3 GHz, whereas RL intensify at 12.0 GHz was comparatively low because of the inferior dissipation ability verified by the lower α . From the above result, it was good impedance matching and sufficient dissipation capability that synergistically determine excellent EMWA properties.

 Table S1. Physicochemical properties of the samples.

Sample	$S_{BET} (m^2 g^{-1})$	$V_{total} (cm^3 g^{-1})$	D _{pore} (nm)	$I_{\rm D}/I_{\rm G}$	N content (wt%)
OMCN-D	313	0.21	8.9	0.98	3.2
OMCN-S	309	0.32	9.6	0.98	2.9
Ni/OMCN-D	395	0.43	9.7	1.0	2.5
Ni/OMCN-S	400	0.46	10.3	1.0	2.3

Sample	Filler loading (wt %)	RL_{max} (dB)	Thickness (mm)	EAB (GHz)	Ref.
NC@NCNTs	30	-41.5	1.5	5.2	1
HBN-Co/C	-	-42.3	1.7	5.1	2
HPCMCs	30	-60.7	3.2	3.9	3
NHCS@NiO/Ni	12	-44.0	1.7	4.38	4
Ni-SA/HPCF	10	-53.2	3.5	5.0	5
NiFe@C@GO	30	-51.0	2.8	3.97	6
GMFs	10	-42.9	4.0	5.59	7
Co/C	40	-35.3	2.5	5.8	8
BLCNs	20	-45.3	1.5	4.2	9
NC	9	-24.0	1.6	6.0	10
MCHS	20	-50.9	3.2	5.4	11
Fe ₃ C@C	20	-57.6	3.95	5.0	12
Ni/OMCN-D	25	-72.2	2.0	5.6	Herein
Ni/OMCN-S	25	-47.1	1.9	6.2	Herein

Table S2. EMWA performance of the relative absorbers.¹⁻¹²

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