

## Supplementary materials

# KOH activated carbon/graphene nanosheets composites as high performance electrode materials in supercapacitor

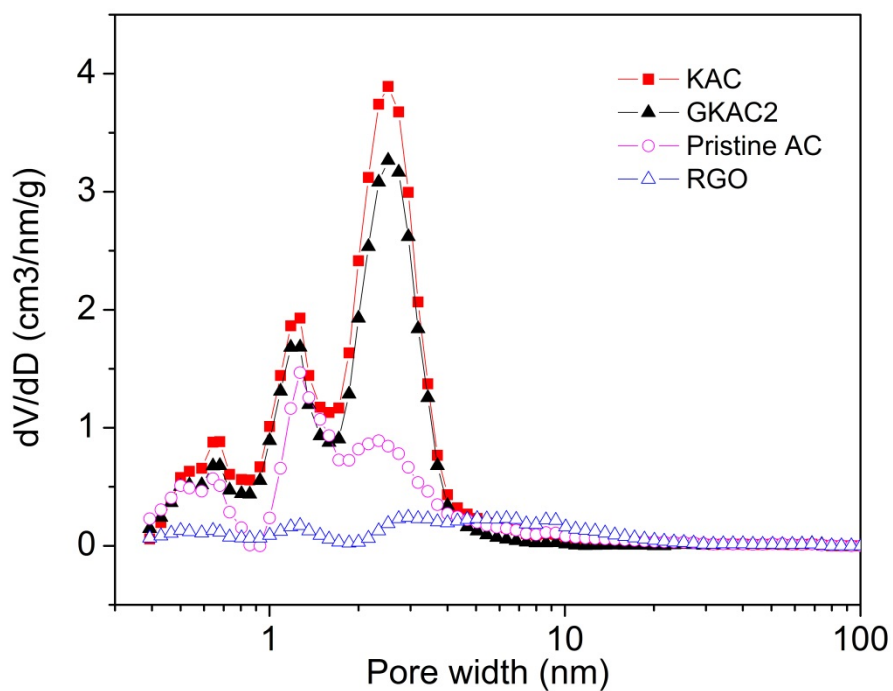
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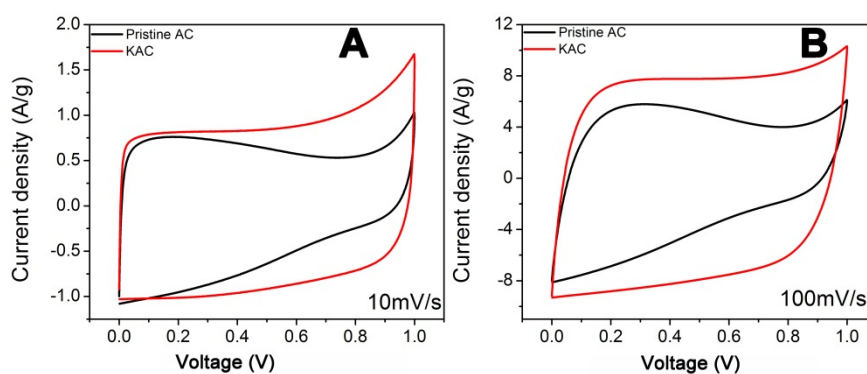
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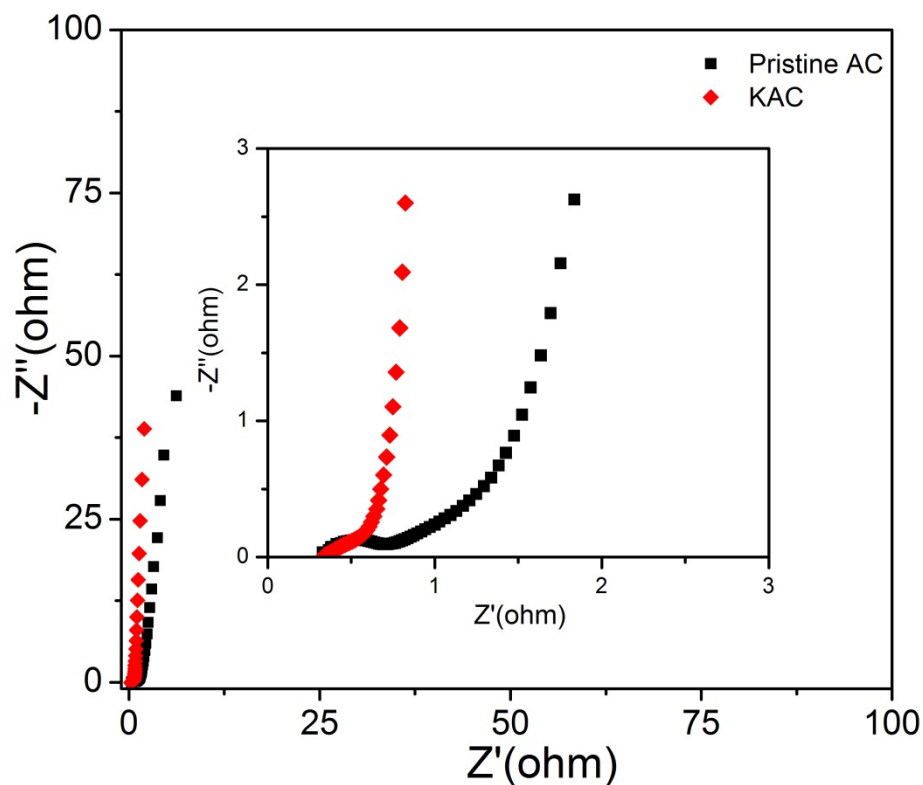
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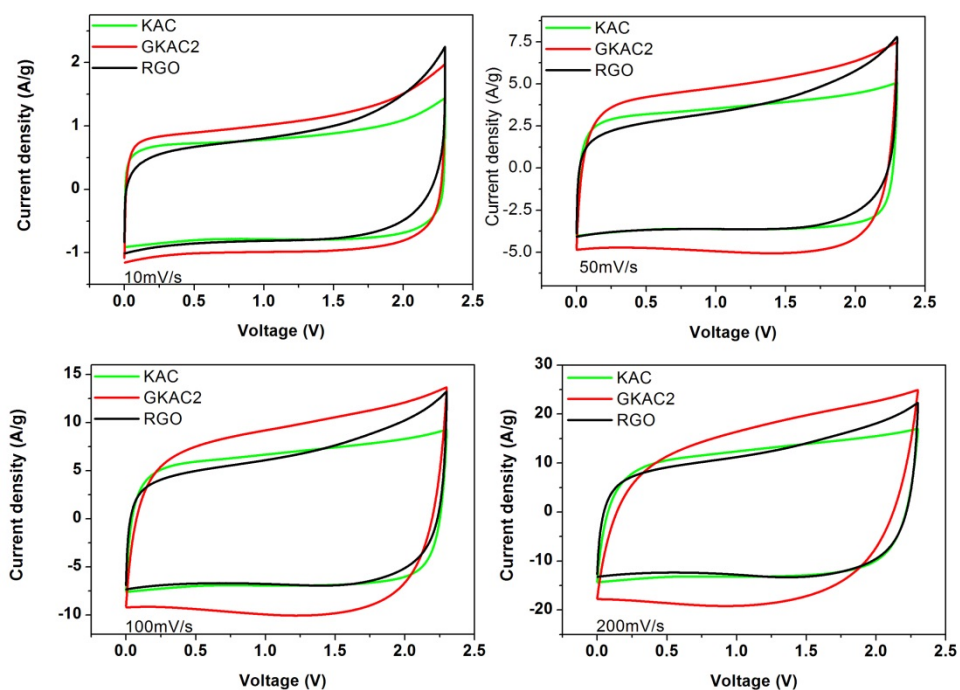
**Fig. S1** Pore size distribution of KAC, pristine AC, RGO and GKAC2 using NLDFT calculation assuming slit geometry.



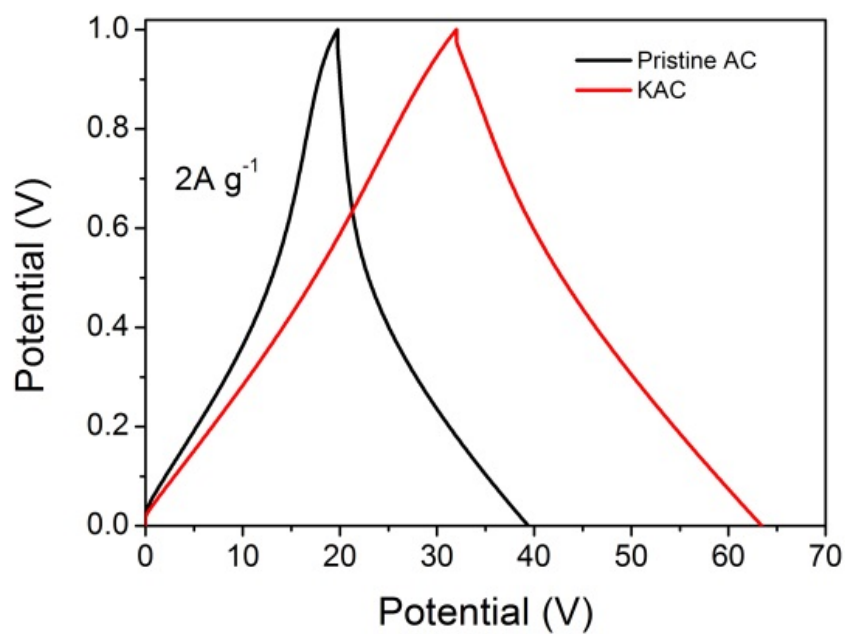
**Fig. S2** CV curve of pristine AC and KAC electrode at various scan rates of  $10\text{mV s}^{-1}$  and  $100\text{mV s}^{-1}$  in 6M KOH aqueous solution.



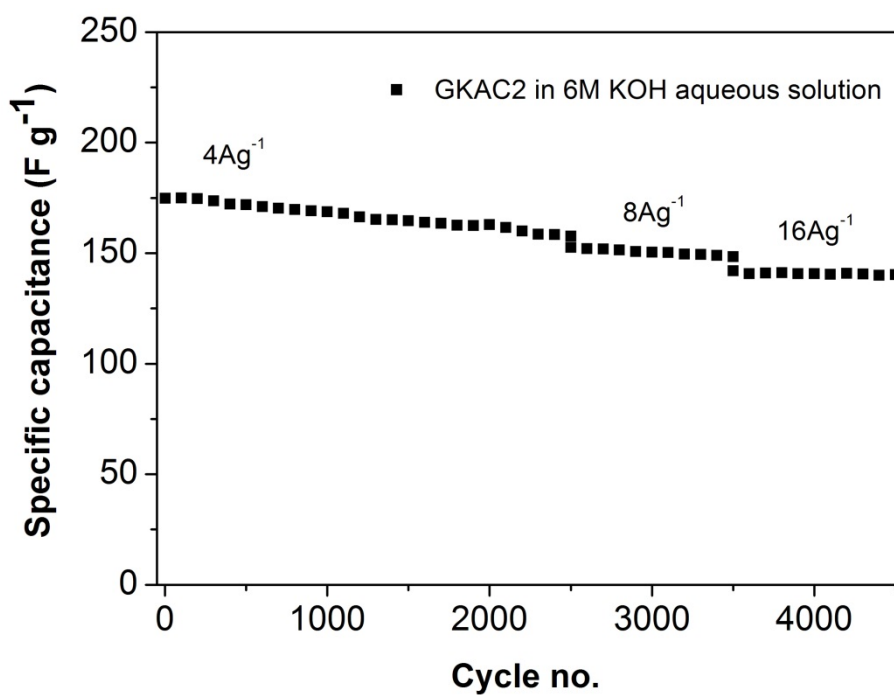
**Fig. S3** Nyquist plots of pristine AC and KAC electrodes (inset: magnified part at high frequency) in 6M KOH aqueous solution.



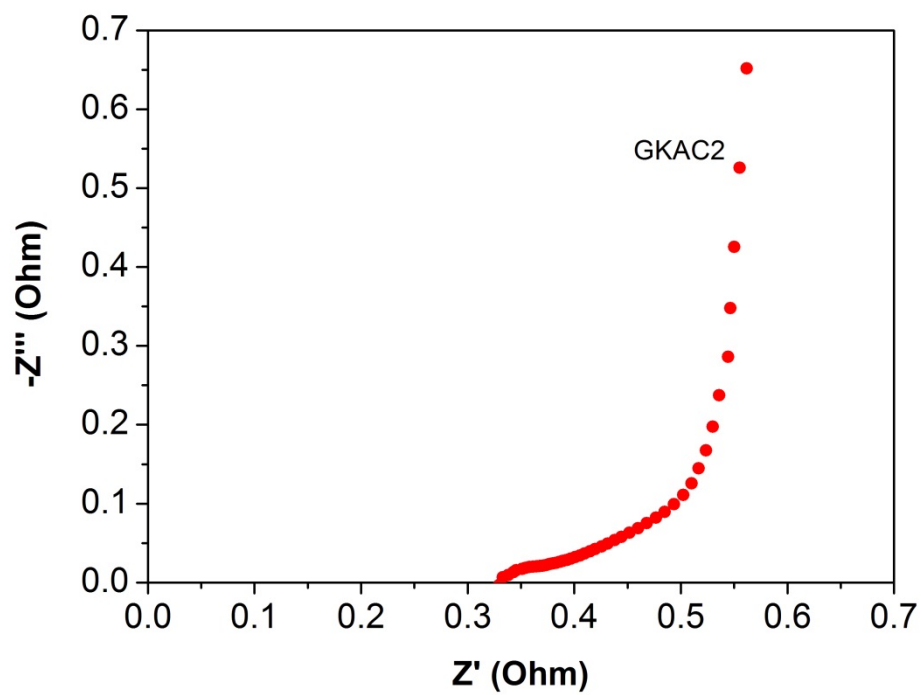
**Fig. S4** Cyclic voltammetry curves of RGO, GaAC2, and KAC electrodes at various scan rates in 1M TEABF<sub>4</sub> in AN solution.



**Fig. S5** Charge-discharge curves of pristine AC and KAC electrodes at current density of  $2 \text{ A g}^{-1}$  in 6M KOH aqueous solution.



**Fig. S6** Cycle life of GKAC2 at varied current density in 6M KOH aqueous solution.



**Fig. S7** Nyquist plots of GKAC2 electrodes at high frequency in 6M KOH aqueous solution.