

Highly Sensitized Metal-Organic Frameworks-Derived Graphene-Based Ammonium Ions Sensor

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Abstract

Metal-organic frameworks (MOFs) have been investigated extensively as advanced chemical sensors in recent years [1,2]. However, no studies have been conducted yet on MOFs as an ammonium ion sensor. Presented herein is a MOFs-derived tungsten oxide/reduced graphene oxide (MOFs-WO₃/rGO) that exhibits not only remarkable sensitivity sensing for traces of ammonium ion (LOD = 6.413 ppb and LOQ = 19.415 ppb) but also excellent selectivity (K⁺, Na⁺, F⁻, and SO₄²⁻) repeatability and stability up to 4 weeks [3]. The remarkable sensing performance of the nanocomposites due to the incorporation of reduced graphene oxide as an organic linker provides an excellent platform for early screening of hazardous contaminated ions in water reservoirs for cleaner water resources in the future.

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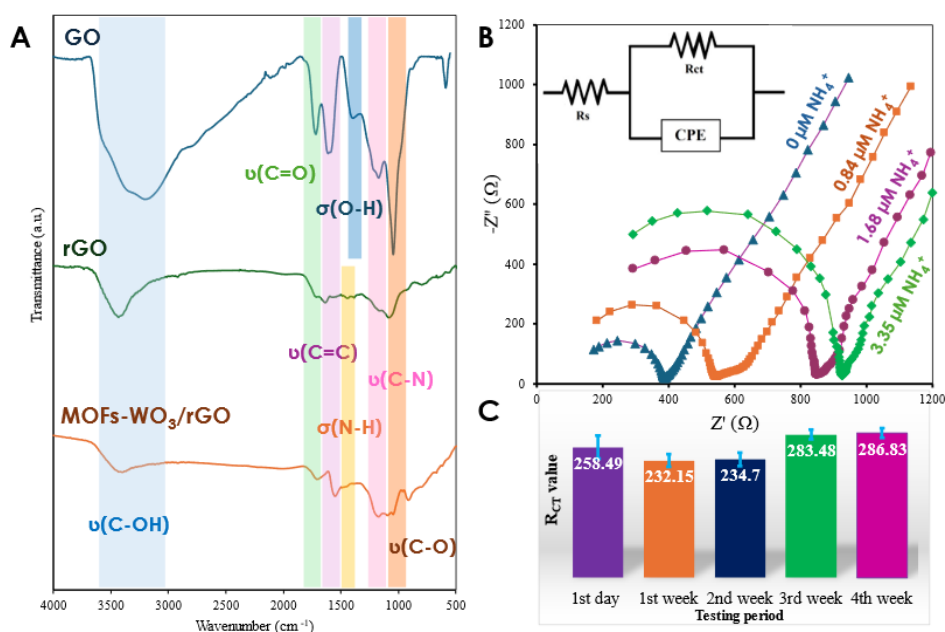


Figure 1: A) FTIR spectra of the GO, rGO and MOFs-WO₃/rGO, B) Nyquist plots and equivalent circuit of MOFs-WO₃/rGO-drop-coated SPE by variation concentrations of analyte, and C) Stability test of MOFs-WO₃/rGO for a month