Supporting Information for

## Environment-stable Co<sub>x</sub>Ni<sub>y</sub> Encapsulation in Stacked Porous Carbon

## Nanosheets for Enhanced Microwave Absorption

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## **Supplementary Figures and Table**

**Fig. S1 a** SEM cross profile picture of CoNi-MOF. SEM picture of **b** Co<sub>3</sub>Ni<sub>7</sub>@C nanosheets and the insert SEM of the Co<sub>3</sub>Ni<sub>7</sub>-MOF and **c** Co<sub>7</sub>Ni<sub>3</sub>@C nanosheets and the insert SEM of the Co<sub>7</sub>Ni<sub>3</sub>-MOF. **d-e** elements mapping of Co<sub>3</sub>Ni<sub>7</sub>@C, **f-g** CoNi@C, **h-i** Co<sub>7</sub>Ni<sub>3</sub>@C nanosheets



**Fig. S2 a** TG curves of  $Co_xNi_y@C$  composites. **b** Raman spectra of CoNi@C nanosheets with different heating treatment temperature. **c** pore size distribution plots of  $Co_xNi_y@C$  composites



Fig. S3 a XPS survey of  $Co_xNi_y@C$  nanosheets. b Co 2p, c Ni 2p and d C 1s XPS survey of CoNi@C nanosheets



Fig. S4 3D RL plots of a Co<sub>3</sub>Ni<sub>7</sub>@C and b Co<sub>7</sub>Ni<sub>3</sub>@C nanosheets



**Fig S5 a** Real and **b** imaginary part of permittivity and **c** permeability with different temperature. RL of **d** S-700 and **e** S-900



**Fig. S6 a**  $Z_r$  and **b**  $C_0$  values of  $Co_x Ni_y @C$  composites

|  | RL (dB) | Thickness (mm) | Filler loading<br>ratio (wt%) | Refs.     |
|--|---------|----------------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Ni/Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> /CNCs              |         |                |                               |           |
| (Carbon  | -40.3   | 3.1            | 25                            | [1]       |
| nanocoil)  |         |                |                               |           |
| CNT/PANI   | -47.66  | 2              | 25                            | [2]       |
| HPC  |         |                |                               |           |
| (Hierarchically                                      | -62.2   | 2.71           | 30                            | [12]      |
| porous carbon)                                       |         |                |                               |           |
| CoNi-C   | -50.2   | 4              | 50                            | [18]      |
| FeCo@C   | -21.7   | 1.2            | 50                            | [24]      |
| Co <sub>1-x</sub> S                                  | -46.1   | 2.5            | 30                            | [34]      |
| RBC (Red blood                                       | -36.6   | 2              | 10                            | [35]      |
| cell like carbon)                                    |         |                |                               |           |
| Fe <sub>7</sub> Co <sub>3</sub> /ZnO                 | -21.99  | 2.3            | 93                            | [9]       |
| Co <sub>x</sub> Ni <sub>y</sub> /C                   | -35     | 2.2            | 50                            | [10]      |
| ZnO/Fe/Fe <sub>3</sub> C                             | -30.4   | 1.5            | 40                            | [13]      |
| TiO <sub>2</sub> /RGO/Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> | -44.05  | 2              | 60                            | [16]      |
| MoC/Co@C   | -47.98  | 1.6            | 35                            | [17]      |
| CoNi@C   | -43.7   | 1.7            | 20                            | This work |

 Table S1 Microwave absorption property of the similar reports and this work