

Supporting Information for

## **MoS<sub>2</sub> Decorated/Integrated Carbon Fiber: Phase Engineering Well-Regulated Microwave Absorber**

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### **S1 Supplementary Experiment**

#### **S1.1 Synthesis of CF**

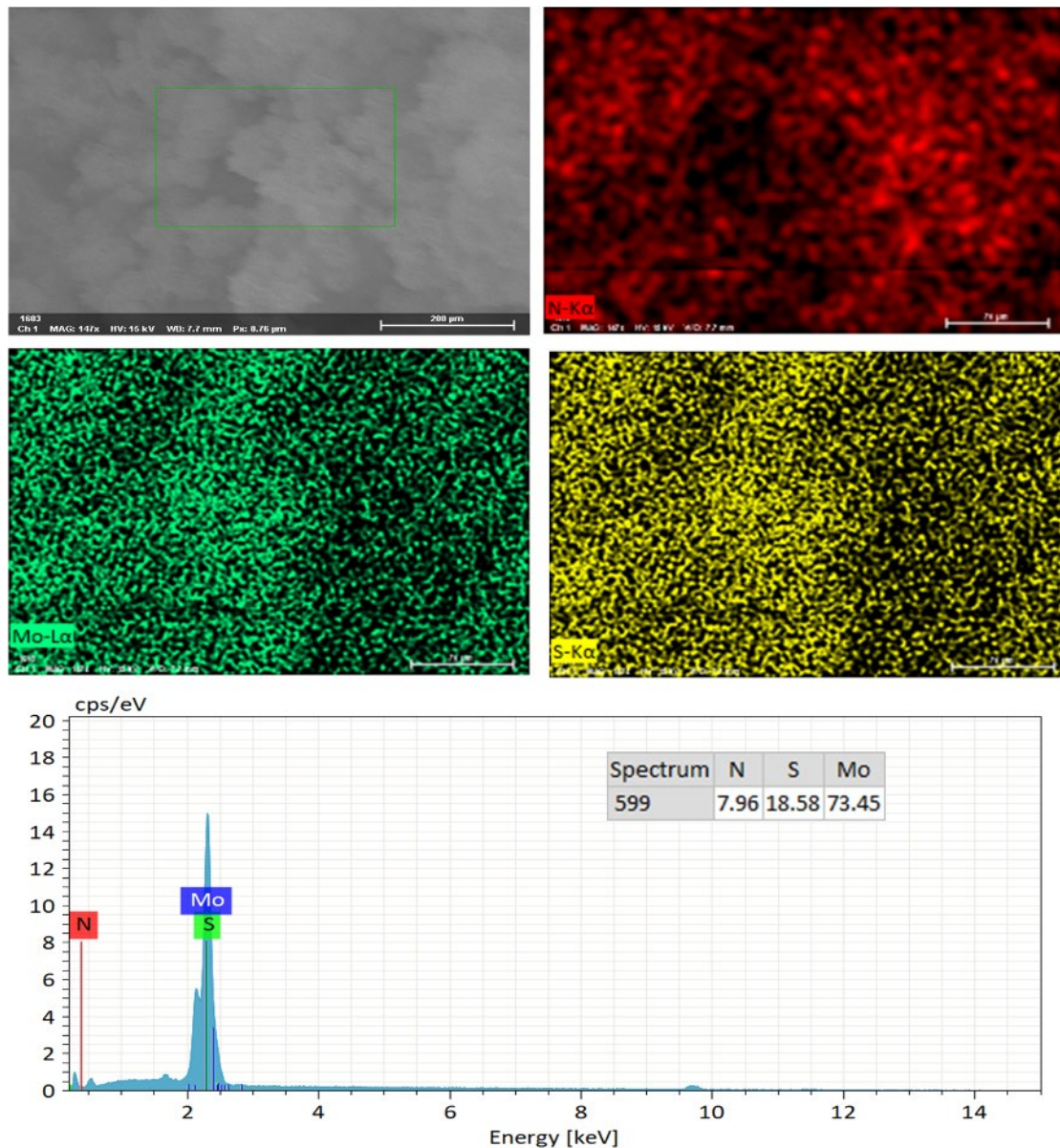
Typically, a 10 wt% precursor solution was obtained by mixing 0.5 g of PAN with 4.5 g of DMF at 60 °C, which was stirred for about 2 h. The specific electrospinning parameters as follow, collecting distance is ~18 cm, applied voltage is 18 kV, and solution feed rate is 12  $\mu\text{L min}^{-1}$ . The resultant PAN nanofibers were finally pre-oxidized at 260 °C (heating rate: 2 °C  $\text{min}^{-1}$ ) in air for 2 h and then carbonized at 900 °C (heating rate: 5 °C  $\text{min}^{-1}$ ) in Ar flow for another 2 h.

#### **S1.2 Characterization**

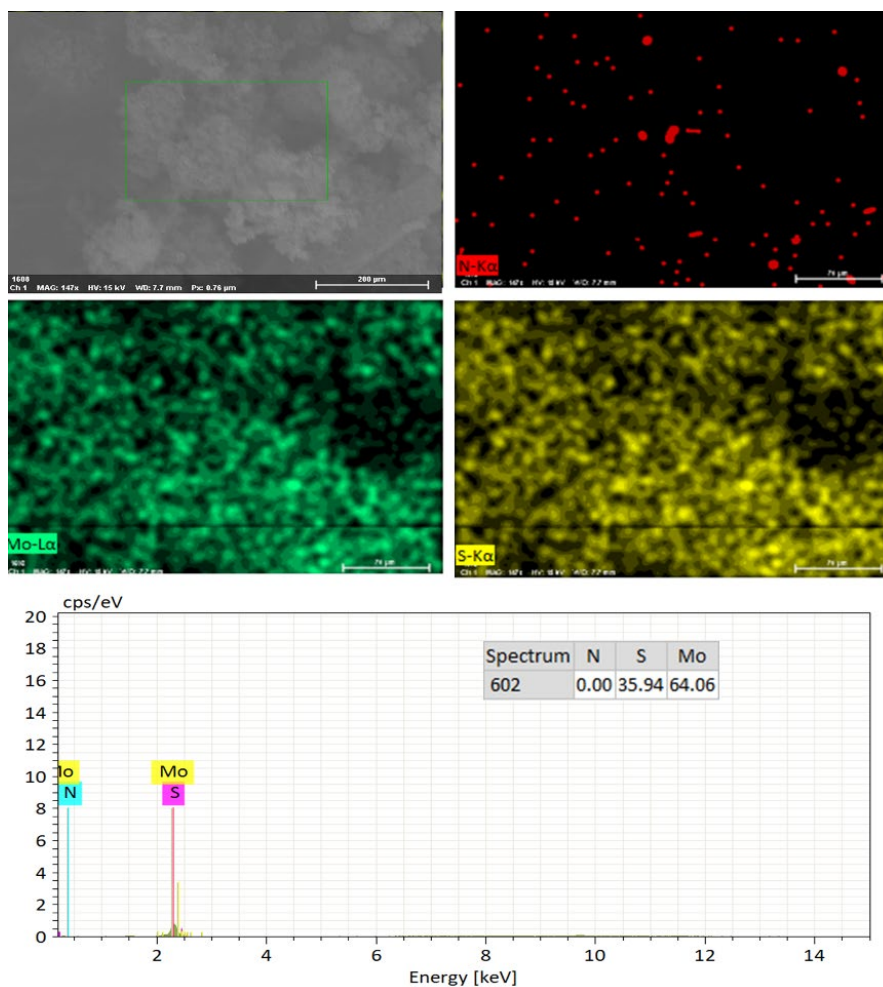
A field-emission scanning electron microscope (FESEM, Verios G4) and a transmission electron microscope (TEM, JEOL 2010 transmission electron microscope) were used to observe the morphology and size of the particles, respectively. X-ray powder diffraction (XRD) measurements were performed on a Bruker D2Phaser X-ray diffractometer with Cu K $\alpha$  radiation ( $\lambda = 1.5418 \text{ \AA}$ ). The specific structural characteristics of MoS<sub>2</sub> were characterized by a Raman spectrometer (WITec Alpha300R;  $\lambda = 514 \text{ nm}$ ). The element composition and chemical binding state of the samples were determined by X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS; Phoibos 100 spectrometer). The conductivity of the material is measured by an SX1994 four-point probe meter. The electromagnetic parameters were measured by a vector network analyzer (Agilent E5071C; coaxial method) in the

range of 2-18 GHz. The 1T/2H MoS<sub>2</sub> and 2H MoS<sub>2</sub> were mixed with paraffin at 50wt%, 40wt%, 30wt%, 20wt%, 15wt% and 10wt% to make a coaxial ring (external diameter, 7.0 mm; internal diameter, 3.0 mm; H, 2.5 ± 0.5 mm). Moreover, the CF@1T/2H MoS<sub>2</sub> and CF@2H MoS<sub>2</sub> were mixed with paraffin at 10 wt%, 7 wt% and 5wt%.

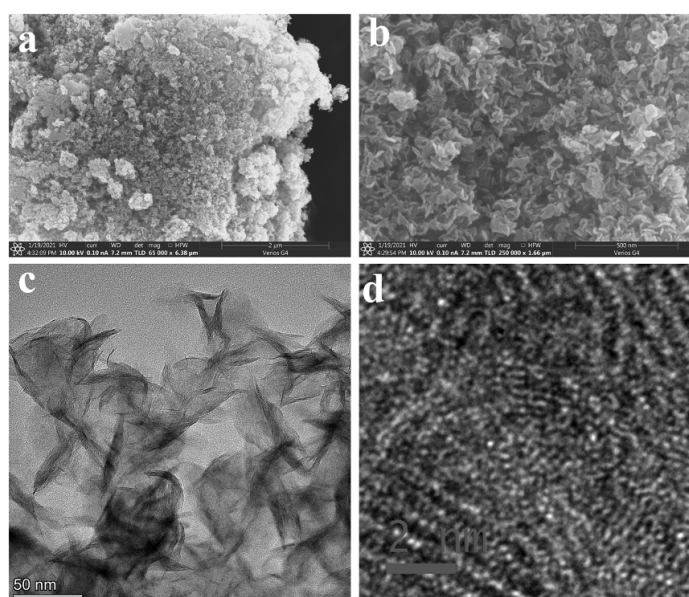
## S2 Supplementary Figures



**Fig. S1** Element mapping images and EDX of 1T/2H MoS<sub>2</sub> (the EDX of 1T/2H MoS<sub>2</sub> only can prove the presence of N, the ratio of S to Mo is not accurate because the location is too close)



**Fig. S2** Element mapping images and EDX of 2H MoS<sub>2</sub> (the EDX of 2H MoS<sub>2</sub> only can prove the absence of N to compare with 1T/2H MoS<sub>2</sub>, the ratio of S to Mo is not accurate because the location is too close)



**Fig. S3 a-b** SEM images. **c** TEM images. **d** HRTEM of 2H MoS<sub>2</sub>

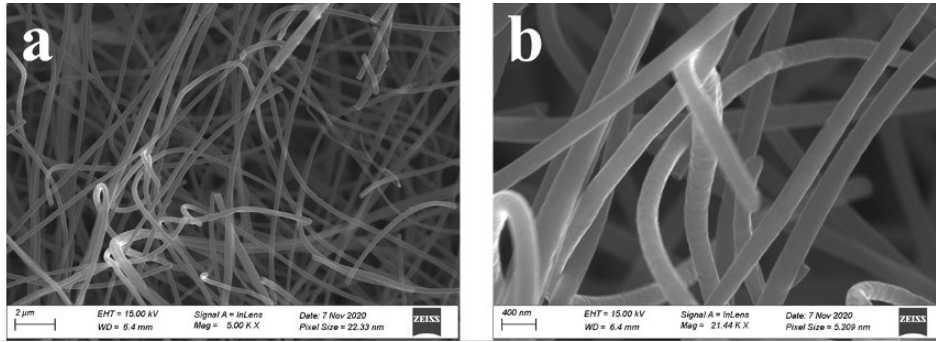


Fig. S4 a-b SEM images of CF

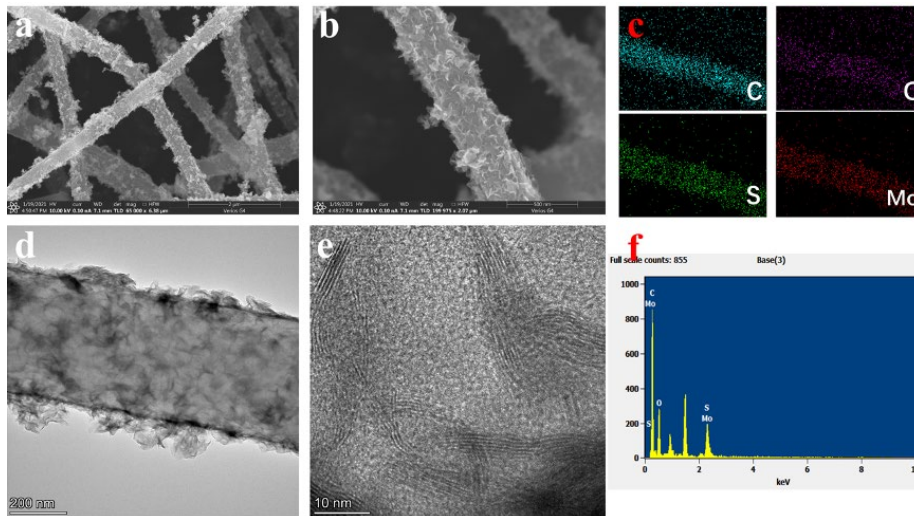


Fig. S5 a-b SEM images. c element mapping of C, O, S, Mo. d TEM images. e HRTEM. f EDX of CF@2H MoS<sub>2</sub>

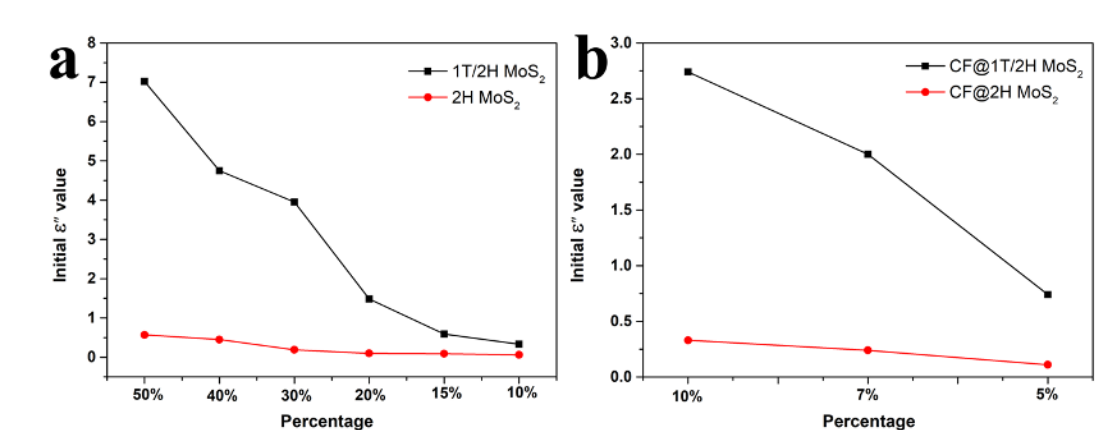
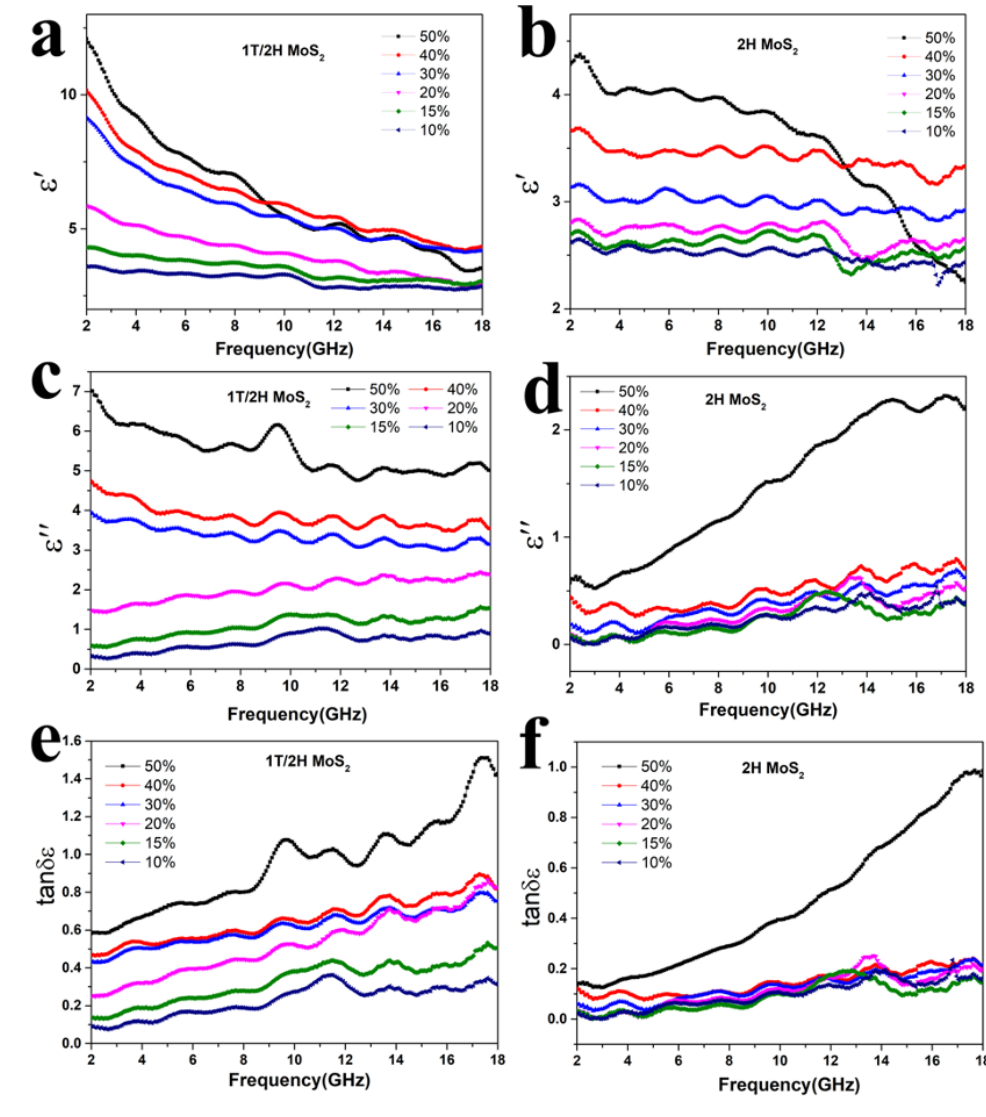


Fig. S6 a-b Matrix loading percentage-initial  $\epsilon''$  of 1T/2H MoS<sub>2</sub> and 2H MoS<sub>2</sub>, CF@1T/2H MoS<sub>2</sub> and CF@2H MoS<sub>2</sub>



**Fig. S7 a, c, e**  $\epsilon'$ ,  $\epsilon''$  and  $\tan\delta_\epsilon$  of 1T/2H MoS<sub>2</sub>. **b, d, f**  $\epsilon'$ ,  $\epsilon''$  and  $\tan\delta_\epsilon$  of 2H MoS<sub>2</sub> with the matrix loading of 50wt%, 40wt%, 30wt%, 20wt%, 15wt% and 10wt%

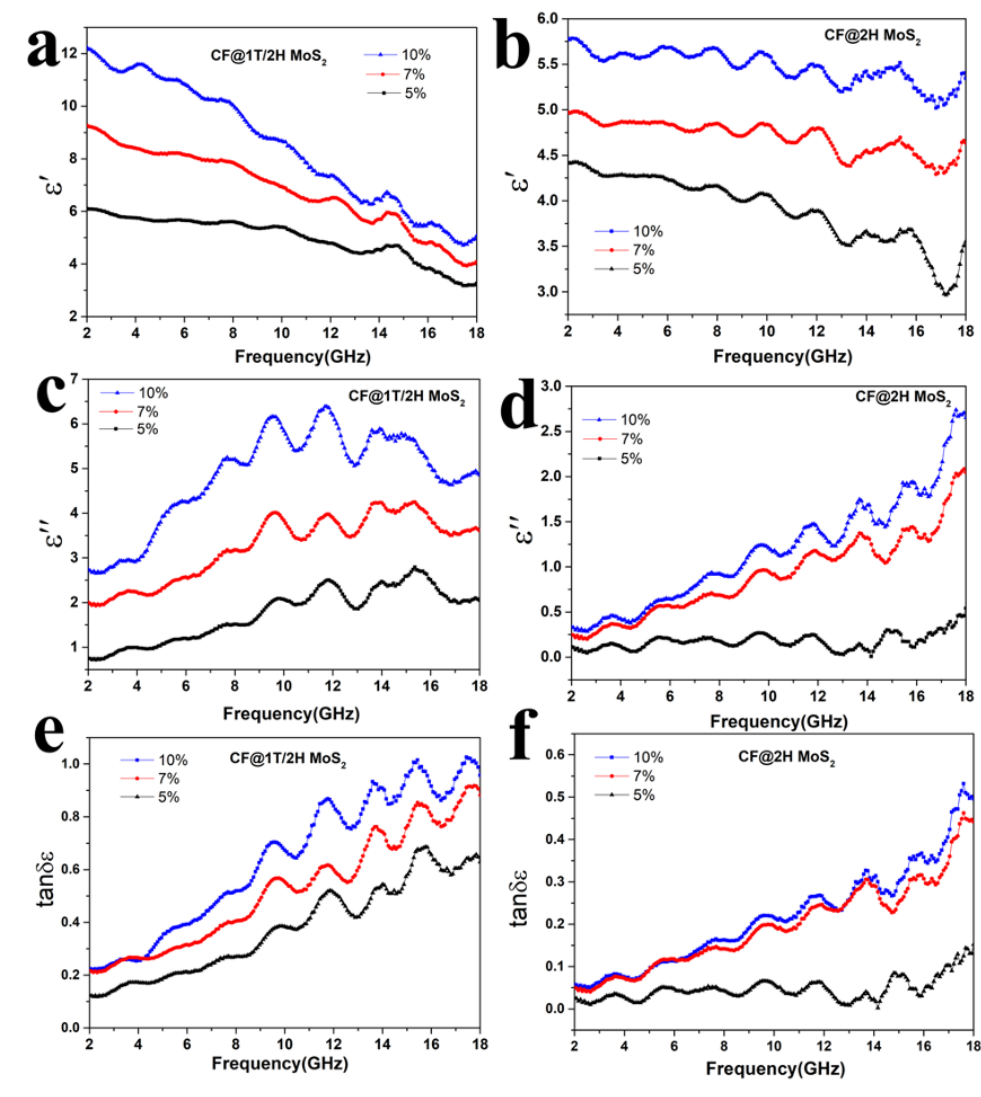


Fig. S8 a, c, e  $\epsilon'$ ,  $\epsilon''$  and  $\tan\delta_\epsilon$  of CF@1T/2H MoS<sub>2</sub>, b, d, f  $\epsilon'$ ,  $\epsilon''$  and  $\tan\delta_\epsilon$  of CF@2H MoS<sub>2</sub> with the matrix loading of 10wt%, 7wt% and 5wt%

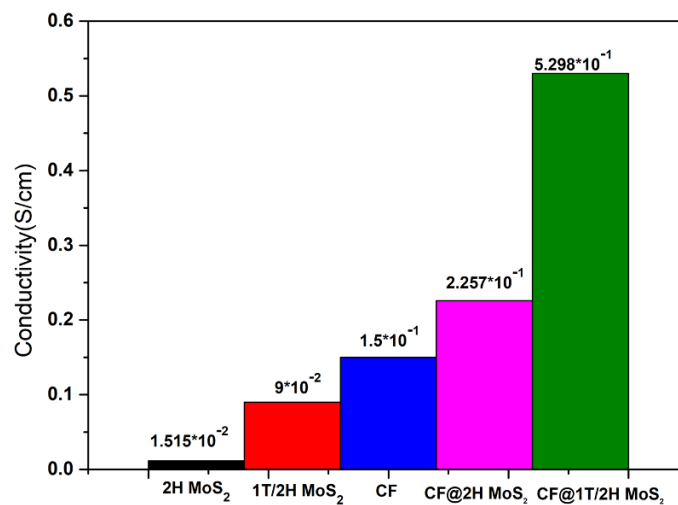
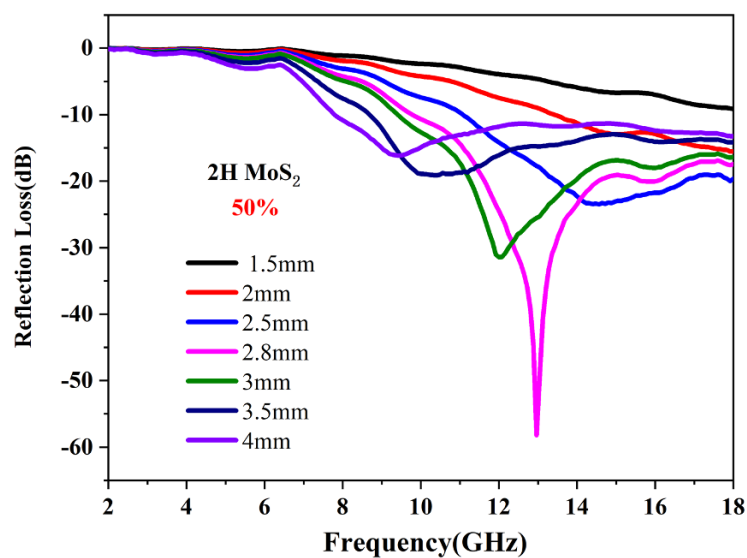


Fig. S9 Conductivity comparison of five samples



**Fig. S10** Calculated reflection loss of 2H MoS<sub>2</sub> with the matrix loading of 50wt%