

Thin film Preparation and Characterization of MnO₂ by electrodeposition for the application of supercapacitor

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ABSTRACT

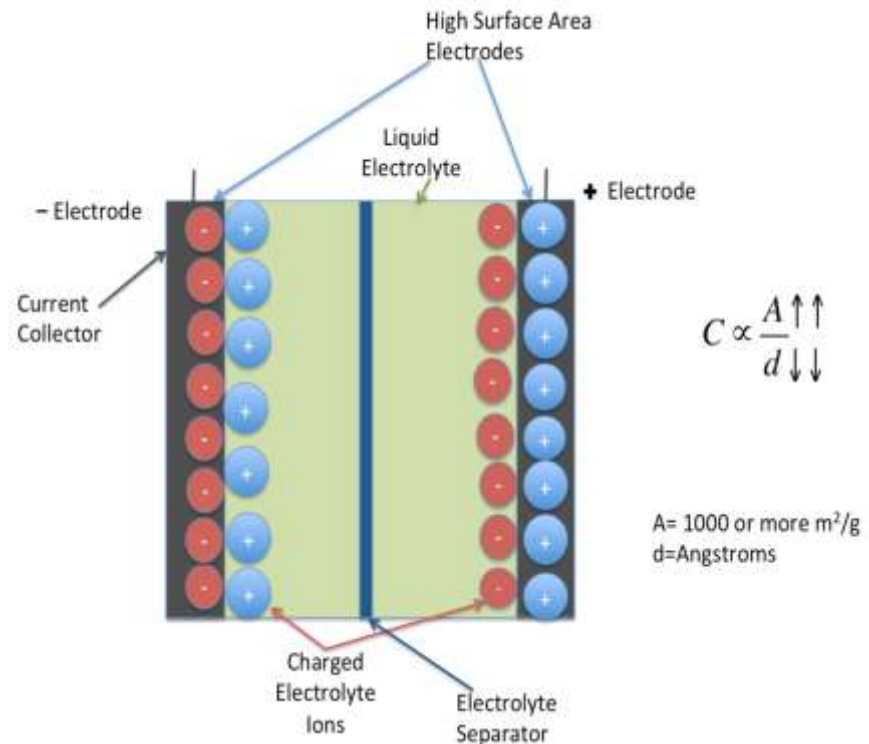
- ◉ In present investigation, MnO₂ thin films have been prepared by galvanostatic mode of electrodeposition for the application of supercapacitor.
- ◉ The supercapacitive properties of MnO₂ have been studied in 1 M manganese acetate electrolyte.
- ◉ Also , CP , CV and impedance graphs are drawn using origin software.

INTRODUCTION

ABOUT SUPERCAPACITOR

Supercapacitors are electrochemical device with following features:

- ➡ High energy density.
- ➡ High power density.
- ➡ High capacitance.
- ➡ Longer life.



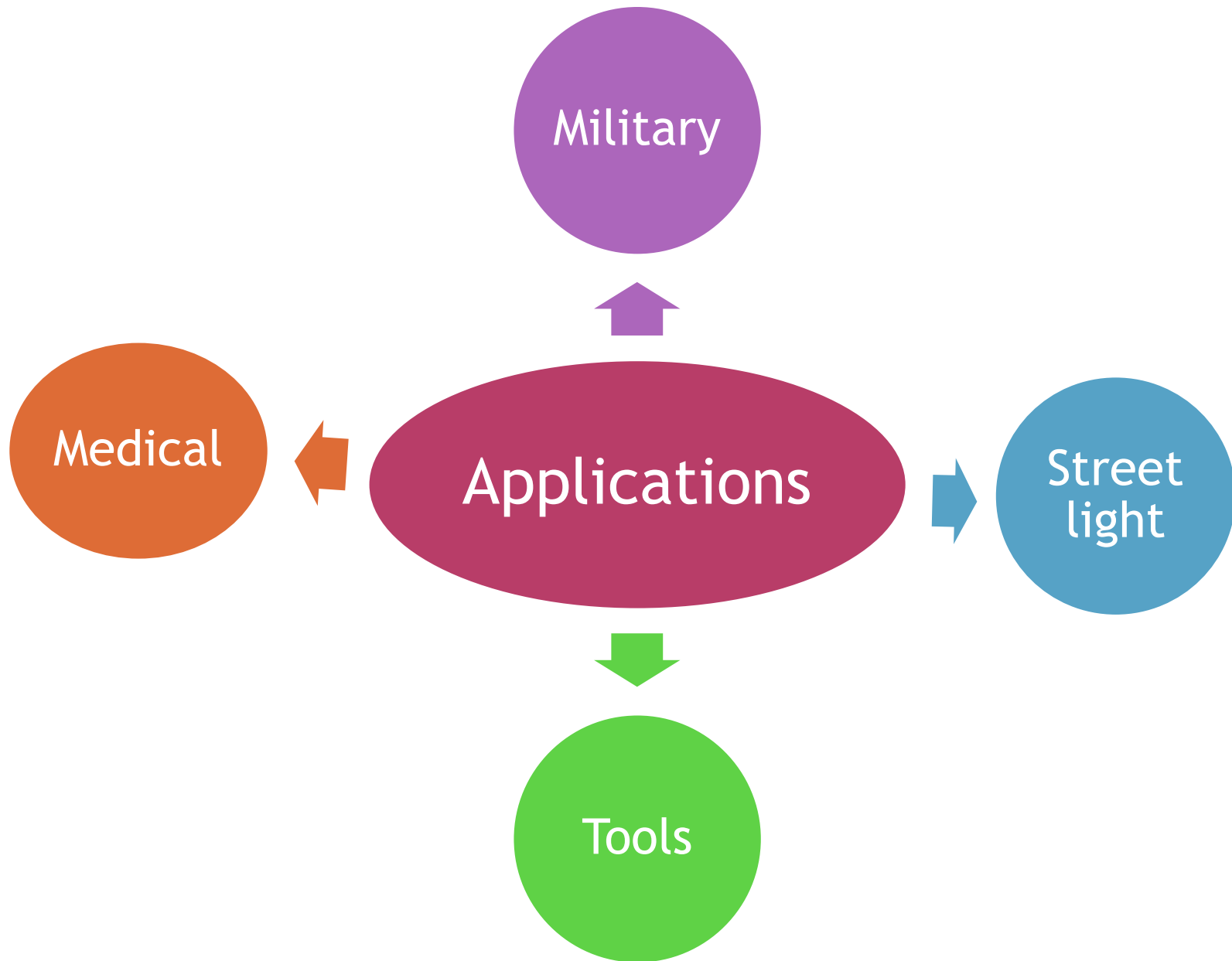
TYPES OF SUPERCAPACITOR

Supercapacitor

Electrochemical
double layer
capacitor

Pseudo-
capacitor

Hybrid-
capacitor



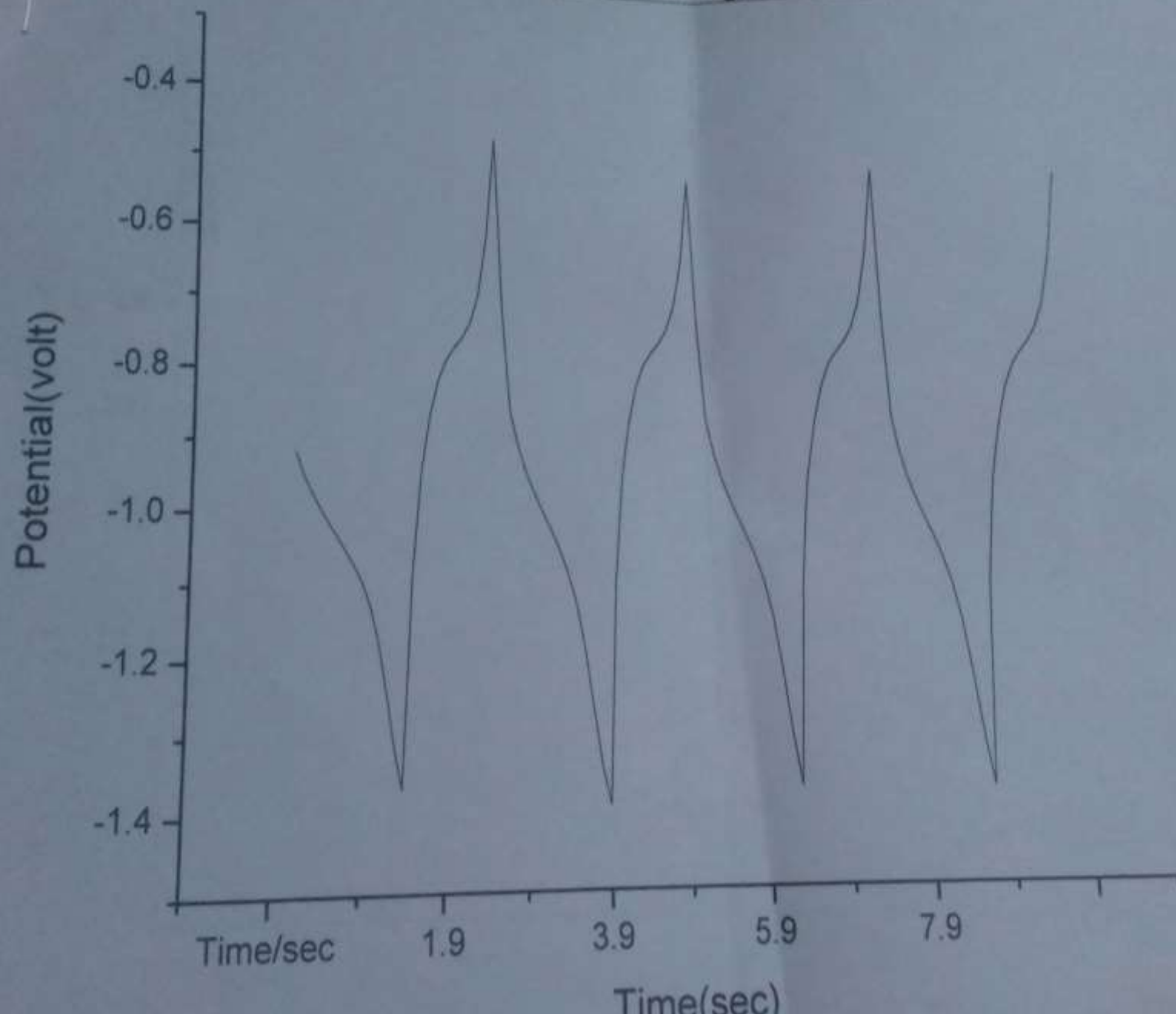
ADVANTAGES

- ➡ High specific power .
- ➡ Fast charging.
- ➡ Low Impedance.

Experimental details

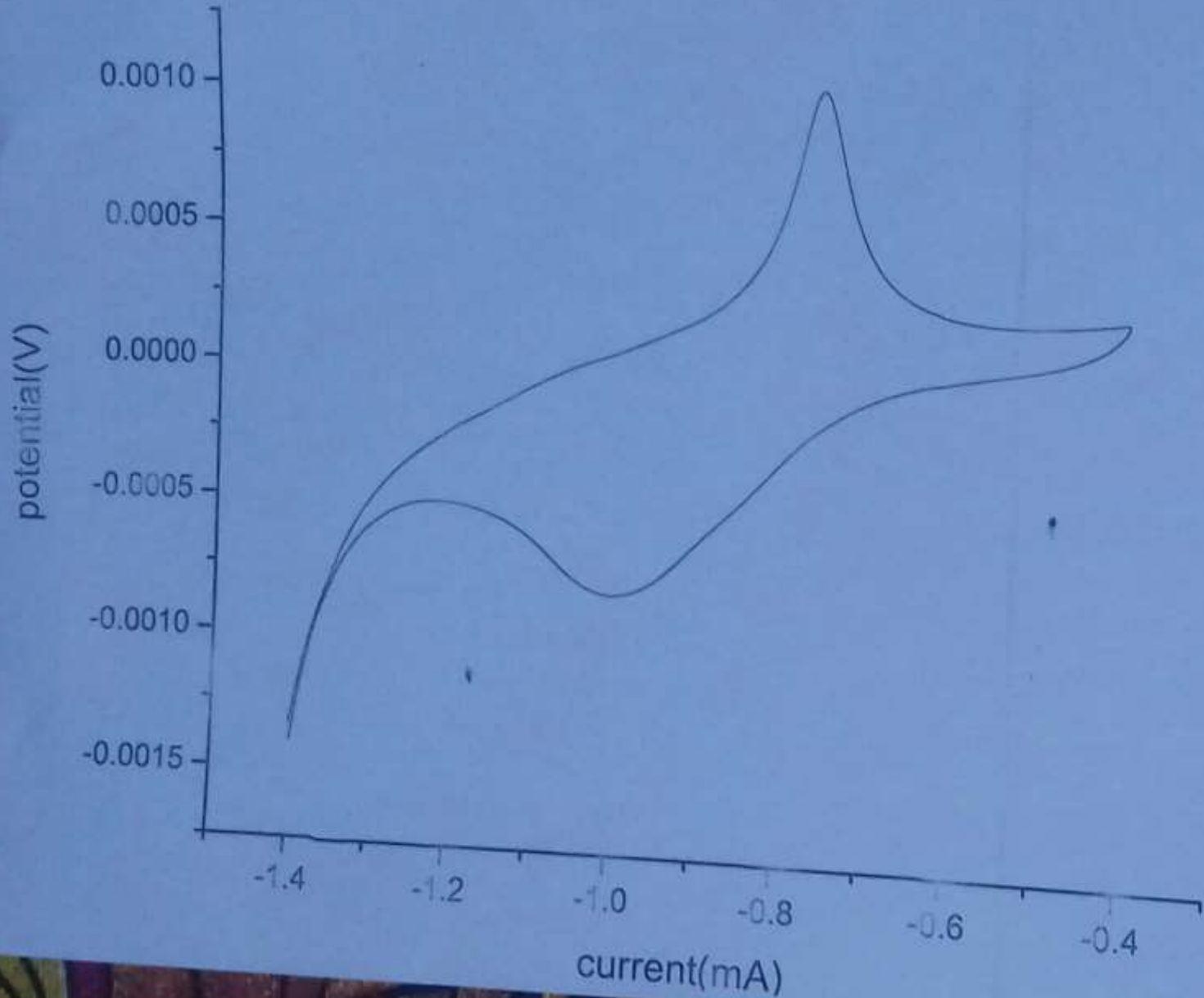
1. Equivalent weight
2. distilled water
3. Take steel substrate
4. Polish the substrate
5. Dip the substrate
6. Give Potential
7. Remove the substrate
8. Thin layer is formed.

Potential against time



(4)

potential vs current \rightarrow cv [K]





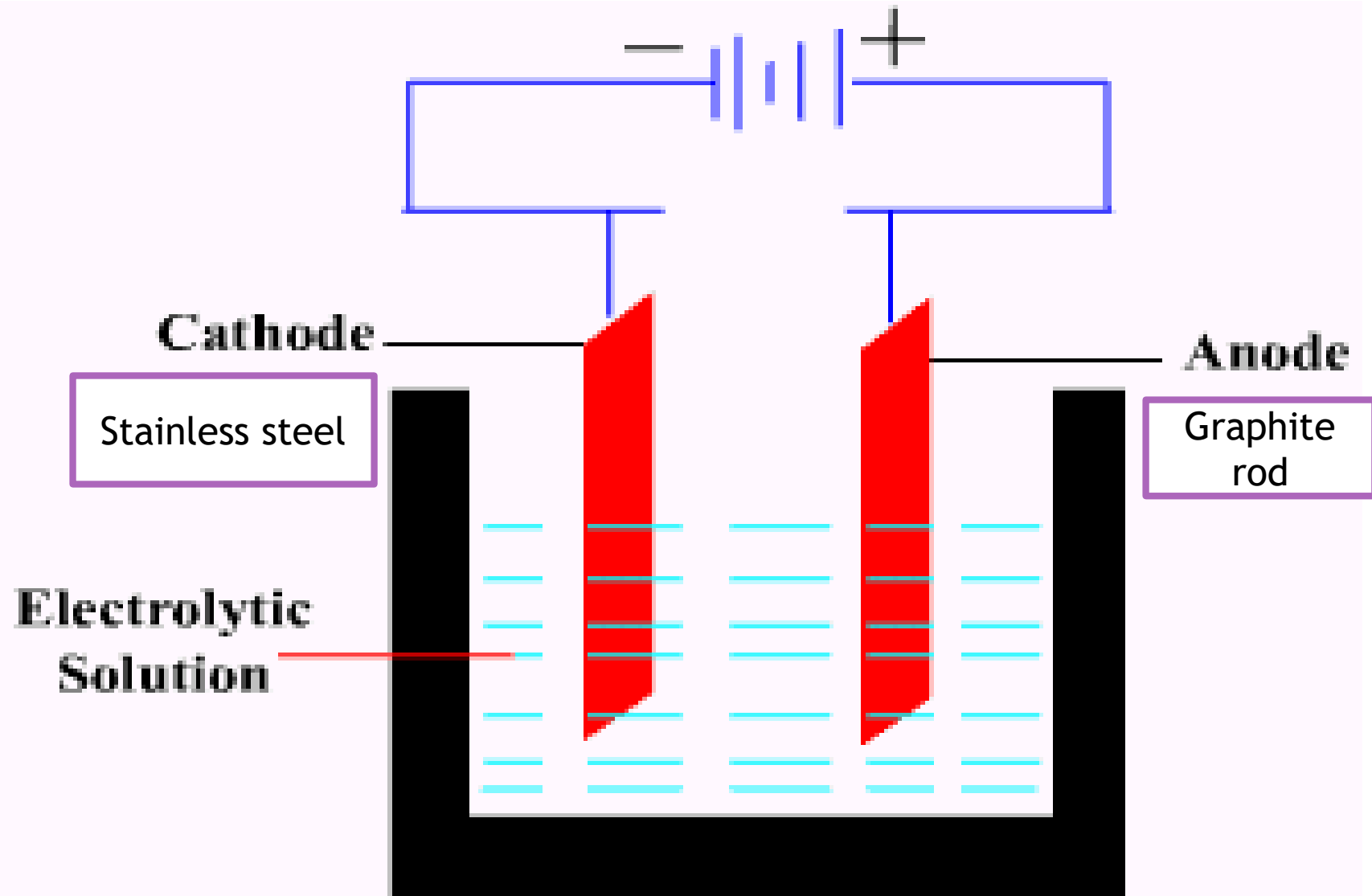
3. DEPOSITION TECHNIQUES

There are various methods used for preparation of supercapacitor electrode.

 . Chemical methods

◆ Electrodeposition

SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF ELECTRODEPOSITION METHOD



ELECTRODEPOSITION METHOD

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Galvanostatic Electrodeposition :It is essential to have constant current density to have uniform deposition.

DEPOSITED MANGANESE HYDROXIDE



SUPERCAPACITOR CHARACTERIZATION

To measure capacitance, specific capacitance.

We have formula,

Capacitance = Area ÷ (2 × scan rate × P.W.)

Where, P.W. = Potential window

**Specific capacitance = Area ÷ (scan
rate × P.W. ×**

weight loss)

i.e. Specific

capacitance = capacitance ÷ weight loss

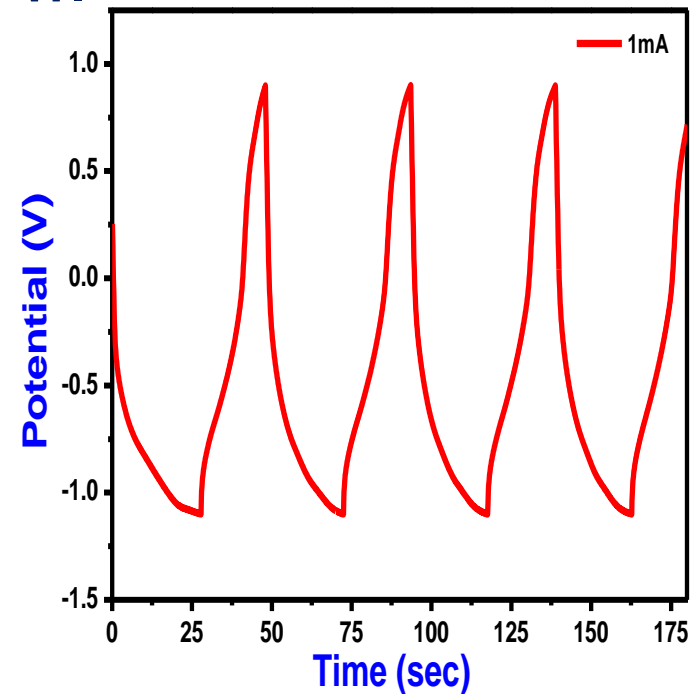
SUPERCAPACITOR CHARACTERIZATION

Charge – Discharge Study (CD)

➤ Specific energy = $V \cdot I_d \cdot t_d / w$.

➤ Specific power = $v \cdot I_d / W$.

➤ Efficiency (%) = $t_d / t_c \cdot 100$



CONCLUSION

- MnO₂ thin film electrodes are successfully deposited using potentiostatic electrodeposition method.
- Specific Capacitance - 180.04 F/g
- Specific power – 0.28×10^3 W/kg
- Specific energy – 1.2 Wh/kg
- Efficiency - 82%

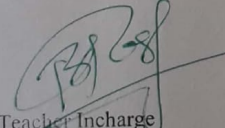


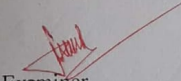
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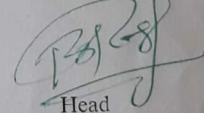
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**A PROJECT
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EFFECT OF POTENTIODYNAMIC MODE OF ELECTRODEPOSITION ON
SUPERCAPACITIVE PROPERTIES OF THIN FILM FOR MnO_2**

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ABSTRACT

In present investigation MnO₂ thin film have been prepared by potentiodynamic mode of electrodeposition. The effect of mode on supercapacitive properties of MnO₂ thin film have been investigated. All potentiodynamic mode is confirmed from Xray diffraction (XRD) patterns. The supercapacitive properties of MnO₂ thin film have been studied in 1M Manganese acetate electrolyte. Maximum supercapacitance , charge-discharge and impedance of MnO₂ thin film have been investigated.

INTRODUCTION

Supercapacitors have the unique ability to provide higher power and longer cyclic life than batteries for numerous applications such as power sources in next generation electrical vehicles as well as mobile electronic devices (1-3). Recently carbon, metal oxides and conducting polymers are used as supercapacitive materials. Supercapacitors based on MnO_2 as active electrode materials are currently attracting a lot of interest due to the relatively low cost, low toxicity, excellent electrochemical performance, environmentally friendly character in comparison with the other transition metal oxides (4).

Chemical methods are very much suitable for synthesis of materials than the physical methods since they have good control on the thickness and grain size (6). Chemical methods have their own advantages such as simplicity, reproducibility, non-hazardous, cost effectiveness etc. Among different chemical methods electrodeposition is economical and friendly suitable for large scale applications. The goal of present investigation is the preparation of MnO_2 thin film using potentiodynamic mode.

EXPERIMENTAL DETAILS

Plating bath for MnO₂ thin film was prepared by AR grade chemicals. The bath consisted of an aqueous solution of 0.1M Manganese acetate with solvent as complexing agent. The MnO₂ films are deposited on to the stainless steel foil by potentiodynamic mode (PD) of electrodeposition . Before deposition stainless steel foil was polished with zero grade polish paper and then ultrasonically cleaned with double distilled water.

Pure graphite was used as an anode. All deposition potentials were measured with respect to saturated calomel electrode (SCE) as a reference electrode. The MnO₂ prepared by potentiodynamic mode written by PD: MnO₂.

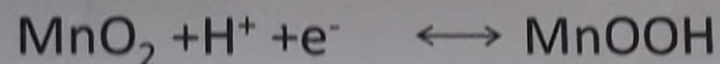
RESULT AND DISCUSSION

(A) Structural Studies

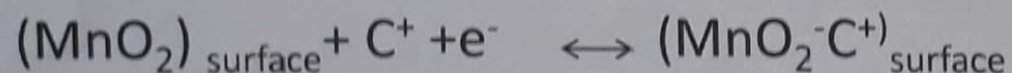
The XRD pattern of PD: MnO₂ thin film on ss substrate. No distinct diffraction peak other than ss substrate is observed in XRD pattern, which probably means that the film consisted of MnO₂ colloidal particles in amorphous phase. The peaks obtained due to ss substrate are indexed by the triangles. The phase of the oxide materials is feasible for supercapacitor application due to easy penetration of ions through the bulk of the active material.

(B) SUPERCAPACITIVE PROPERTIES

There have been two mechanisms proposed for the charge storage in MnO₂ based electrodes. The first one is based on the concept of intercalation of H⁺ or alkali metals cations such as Na⁺ in the electrode during reduction and disintercalation upon oxidation [14-16].



Or



The second mechanism is based on the surface adsorption of electrolyte cations (C⁺) on MnO₂. Thus, it has been demonstrated that the capacitance of the MnO₂ results from its surface redox reaction.

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C) Impedence Analysis

The impedance spectra of PD:MnO₂ at a fully charged state of 1.2V/SCE. The initial non zero intercept at z' at the beginning of the semicircle is almost identical in all the curves and is due to the electrical resistance electrolyte, of which has the voltage. Therefore, charge transfer resistance values of PD:MnO₂ are given in graph. Thus the PD mode of electrodeposition is high. High energy density and high power density MnO₂ electrode in supercapacitors technology.

CONCLUSION

We have successfully prepared MnO_2 film by potentiodynamic mode. The given data, the values of specific energy, specific power and efficiency for PD: MnO_2 is greater.

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