CORRTEST Instruments

CS3104 Multichannel Potentiostat /Galvanostat

CS3104 multichannel Potentiostat Galvanostat can achieve simultaneous measurements for up to 4 channels. For each channel, current control range is ±500mA, potential control range is ±10V. It supports floating mode, and uses Ethernet connection. Each channel is completely independent. Multichannel potentiostat brings convenience to those who have many samples, and is an ideal device for studies of energy materials, metal corrosion etc. **EIS module (10µHz~1MHz) is equipped one of the channels.** One computer controls the 4 channels.

Advantages

High current/voltage: Applied potential range ±10V, current range ±500mA. It can meet the needs of most studies.

Comprehensive techniques: Built-in EIS (10µHz~1MHz) is equipped in one channel (CS3104). There are comprehensive methods in each channel.

Warranty: 5 years' warranty. We're the manufacturer, and our engineers will provide excellent technical support anytime you need.

Low cost: The price includes instrument host, software (experiment control & data processing), necessary cables, dummy cell. No other charges.

Applications

(1) Reaction mechanism of Electrosynthesis, electrodeposition (electroplating), anodic oxidation, etc.
(2) Electrochemical analysis and sensor;
(3) New energy materials, advanced functional materials, photoelectronic materials;
(4) Corrosion study of metals in water, concrete and soil etc;
(5) Fast evaluation of corrosion inhibitor, water stabilizer, coating and cathodic protection efficiency.

Specifications

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Number of channels: 4	Channel insulation resistance: >100MΩ
Communication: Ethernet	Lower-pass filter: covering 8-decade
Potential control range: ±10V	Constant current control range: ±500mA
Potential accuracy: 0.1%×full range±1mV	Current accuracy: 0.1%×full range
Potential resolution: 10µV(>100Hz), 3µV(<10Hz)	Current resolution: 1pA
Potential rise time: ＜1µs(<10mA),<10µs(<2A)	Current range: 2nA ~500mA
Reference electrode input impedance: $10^{12}Ω‖20pF$	Maximum current output: 500mA
Compliance: ±12V	Current increment during scan: 1mA @1A/ms
CV and LSV scan rate: 0.001mV~10000V/s	Potential increment during scan: 0.076mV@1V/ms
CA and CC pulse width: 0.0001~65000s	DPV and NPV pulse width: 0.0001~1000s
SWV frequency:0.001~100KHz	CV minimum potential increment: 0.075mV
AD data acquisition:16bit@1MHz,20bit @1kHz	IMP frequency:10µHz~1MHz
DA resolution:16bit, setup time:1µs	Current and potential range: automatic
Operating System requirements: Windows 7/win8/win10	Weight: 12Kg
Electrochemical Impedance Spectroscopy(EIS)	
Signal generator	
Frequency range:10µHz~1MHz	AC signal amplitude: 1mV~2500mV
Frequency accuracy:0.005%	Signal resolution: 0.1mV RMS
DDS output impedance: 50Ω	DC Bias: -10V~+10V
Wave distortion: <1%	Waveform: sine wave, triangular wave, square wave
Scan mode: Logarithmic/linear, increase/decrease	
Signal analyzer	
Maximum integral time:10^6 cycles or 10^5s	Measurement delay:0～10^5S
Minimum integral time:10ms or the longest time of a cycle	
DC offset compensation	
Potential compensation range: -10V~+10V	Current compensation range: -1A~+1A
Bandwidth adjustment: automatic and manual, 8-decade frequency range	

Techniques – CS3104 (One channel includes EIS)

Stable polarization

- Open Circuit Potential (OCP)
- Potentiostatic (I-T curve)
- Galvanostatic
- Potentiodynamic (Tafel plot)
- Galvanodynamic (DGP)

Transient Polarization
- Multi Potential Steps
- Multi Current Steps
- Potential Stair-Step (VSTEP)
- Galvanic Stair-Step (ISTEP)

Chrono Method
- Chronopotentiometry (CP)
- Chronoamperametry (CA)
- Chronocaulometry (CC)

Voltammetry
- Linear Sweep Voltammetry (LSV)
- Cylic Voltammetry (CV)
- Staircase Voltammetry (SCV)
- Square Wave Voltammetry (SWV)
- Differential Pulse Voltammetry (DPV)
- Normal Pulse Voltammetry (NPV)
- Differential Normal Pulse Voltammetry (DNPV)
- AC Voltammetry (ACV)
- 2nd harmonic AC Voltammetry (SHACV)
- Fourier Transform AC Voltammetry (FTACV)

Stripping Voltammetry
- Linear Stripping
- Staircase Stripping
- Square Wave Stripping
- Differential Pulse Voltammetry Stripping
- Normal Pulse Voltammetry Stripping
- Differential Normal Pulse Voltammetry Stripping

Amperometric
- Differential Pulse Amperometry (DPA)
- Double Differential Pulse Amperometry (DDPA)
- Triple Pulse Amperometry (TPA)
- Integrated Pulse Amperometric Detection (IPAD)

Electrochemical Impedance Spectroscopy (EIS)
- EIS vs Frequency (IMP)
- EIS vs Time (IMPT)
- EIS vs Potential (IMPE)(Mott-Schottky)

Corrosion Measurements
- Cyclic polarization curve (CPP)
- Linear polarization curve (LPR)
- Electrochemical Potentiokinetic Reactivation (EPR)
- Electrochemical Noise (EN)

- Zero resistance Ammeter (ZRA)

Battery test

- Battery Charge and Discharge
- Galvanostatic Charge and Discharge (GCD)
- Potentiostatic Charging and Discharging(PCD)
- Potentiostatic Intermittent Titration Technique (PITT)
- Galvanostatic Intermittent Titration Technique (GITT)

Extensions

- Electrochemical Stripping/ Deposition
- Bulk Eletrolysis with Coulometry (BE)
- Rs Measurement

Simultaneous Measurements

In each channel, the customer can conduct experiment at the same time. As is shown in the below picture, EIS, galvanostatic charge and discharge, CV, and polarization curve tests are conducted at the same time.
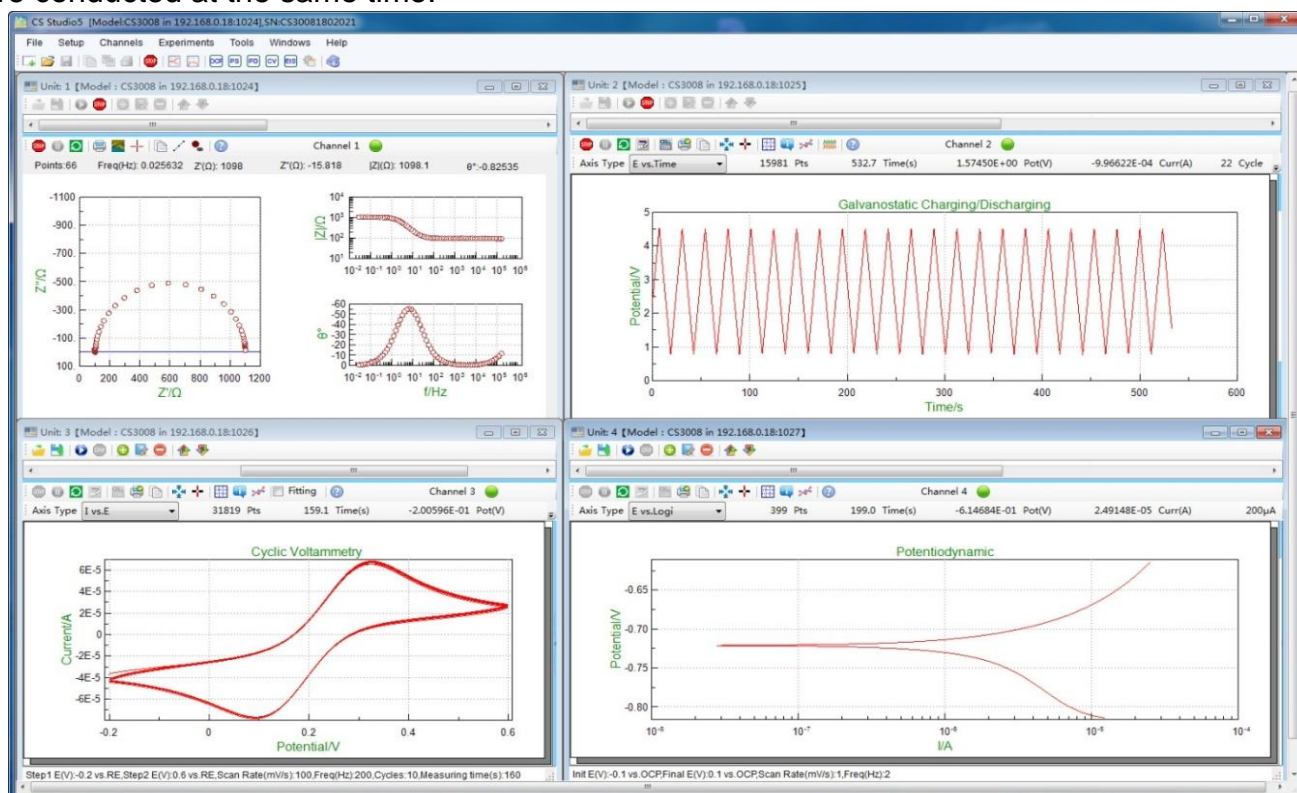
Technical advantages

1. Impedance (EIS)

CS potentiostat applies correlation integral algorithm and dual-channel over-sampling technique, and has strong anti-interference ability. It is suitable for EIS measurements of high-impedance system ($>10^9\Omega$, such as coating, concrete etc.).
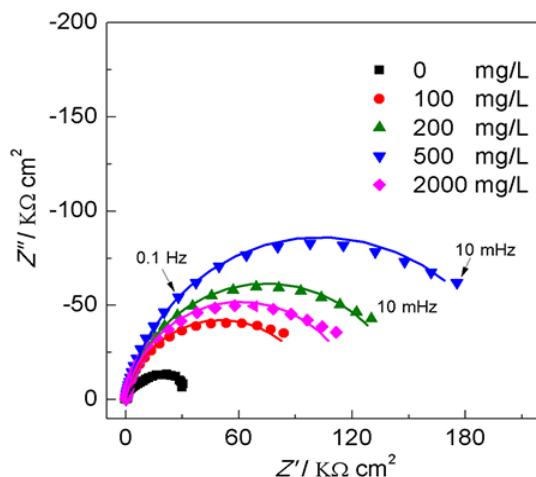
EIS of AA6063 Al alloy in Ce^{3+} containing 3% NaCl solution

2. Polarization curve

Tafel plot can be obtained. The user can set the anodic reversal current (passivation film breakdown current) of the cyclic polarization curve to obtain material's pitting potential and protection potential and evaluate the its susceptibility to intergranular corrosion. The software uses non-linear fitting to analyze polarization curve, and can make fast evaluation of material's anti-corrosion ability and inhibitors.

Polarization curve of Ti-based amorphous alloy & stainless steel in 3%NaCl solution
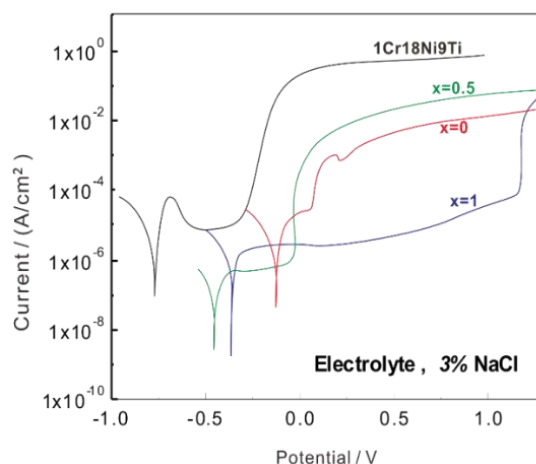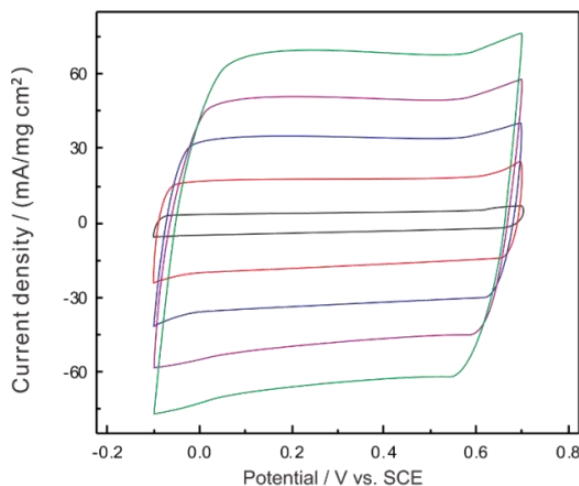
3. Voltammetry

Linear Sweep Voltammetry(LSV), Cyclic Voltammetry(CV), SCV, SWV, DPV, NPV, ACV, Stripping voltammetry etc. It integrates calculation of peak area, peak current and standard curve analysis.
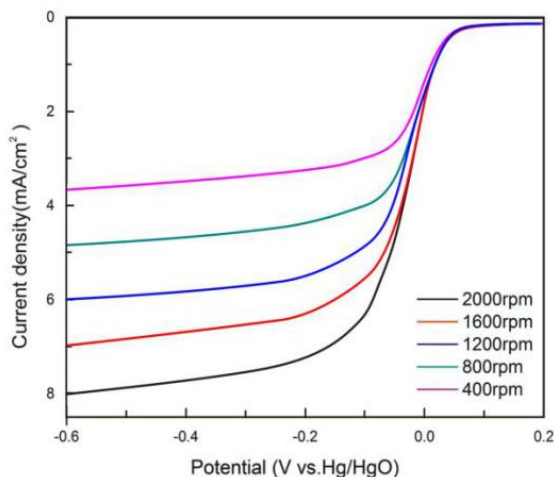
LSV: mesoporous carbon material in 0.1M KOH

CV of PPy supercapacitor in 0.5 mol/L H_2SO_4

4. Electrochemical Noise

With high-resistance follower and zero-resistance am-meter, it measures the natural potential/current fluctuations in corrosion system. It can be used to study pitting corro-sion, galvanic corrosion, crevice corrosion, and stress corrosion cracking etc. Based on calculation of noise re-sistance and pitting index, it can complete localized corro-sion monitoring.

5. Full floating measurement

Full-floating mode be used for autoclave electrochemical measurements, on-line corrosion monitoring of metallic components under the ground (rebar in concrete, etc.)

6. Software development kit (SDK)

We are able to provide API functions and development examples, which facilitates some users' re-quirements for secondary development and self-defined measurements. We can provide .dll file for Labview etc.
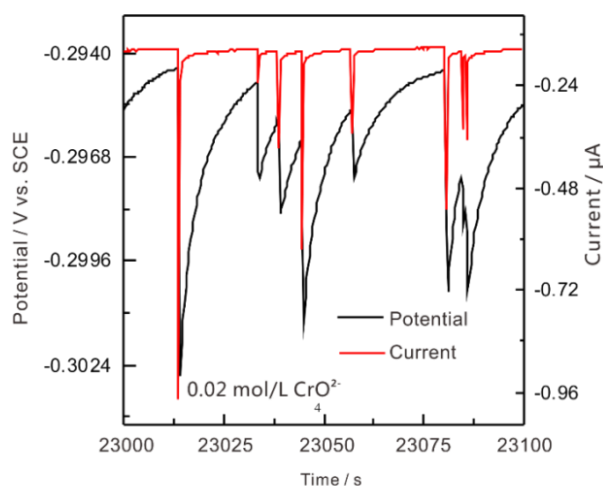
Software Features

Cyclic voltammetry: CS studio software provides users a versatile smoothing/differential/ integration kit, which can complete the calculation of peak height, peak area and peak potential of CV curves. There is function of selecting exact cycle(s) to show. You can choose to see a cycle or some cycles as you want. You can also export data or vector graph of an exact cycle or several cycles.
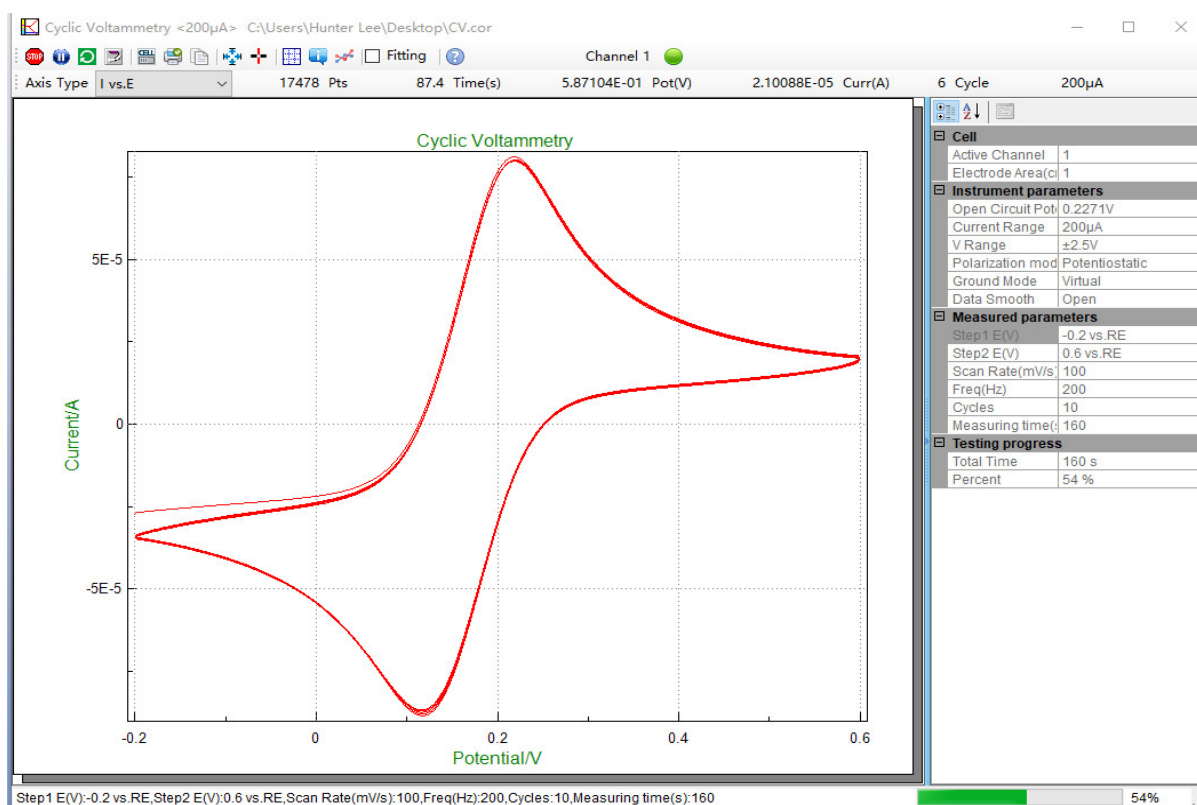
Tafel plot and corrosion rate:

CS studio also provides powerful non-linear fitting on Butler-Volmer equation of polarization curve. It can calculate Tafel slope, corrosion current density, limitation current, polarization resistance, corrosion rate. It can also calculate the power spectrum density, noise resistance and noise spectrum resistance based on the electrochemical noise measurements.
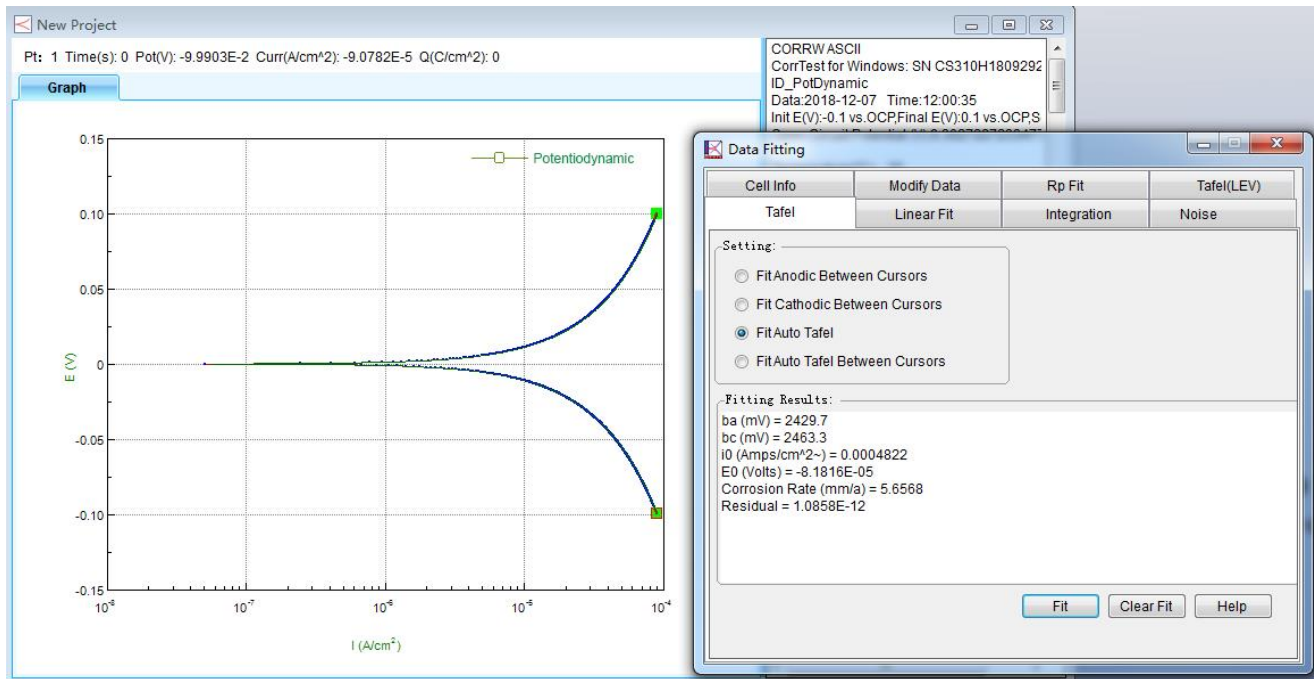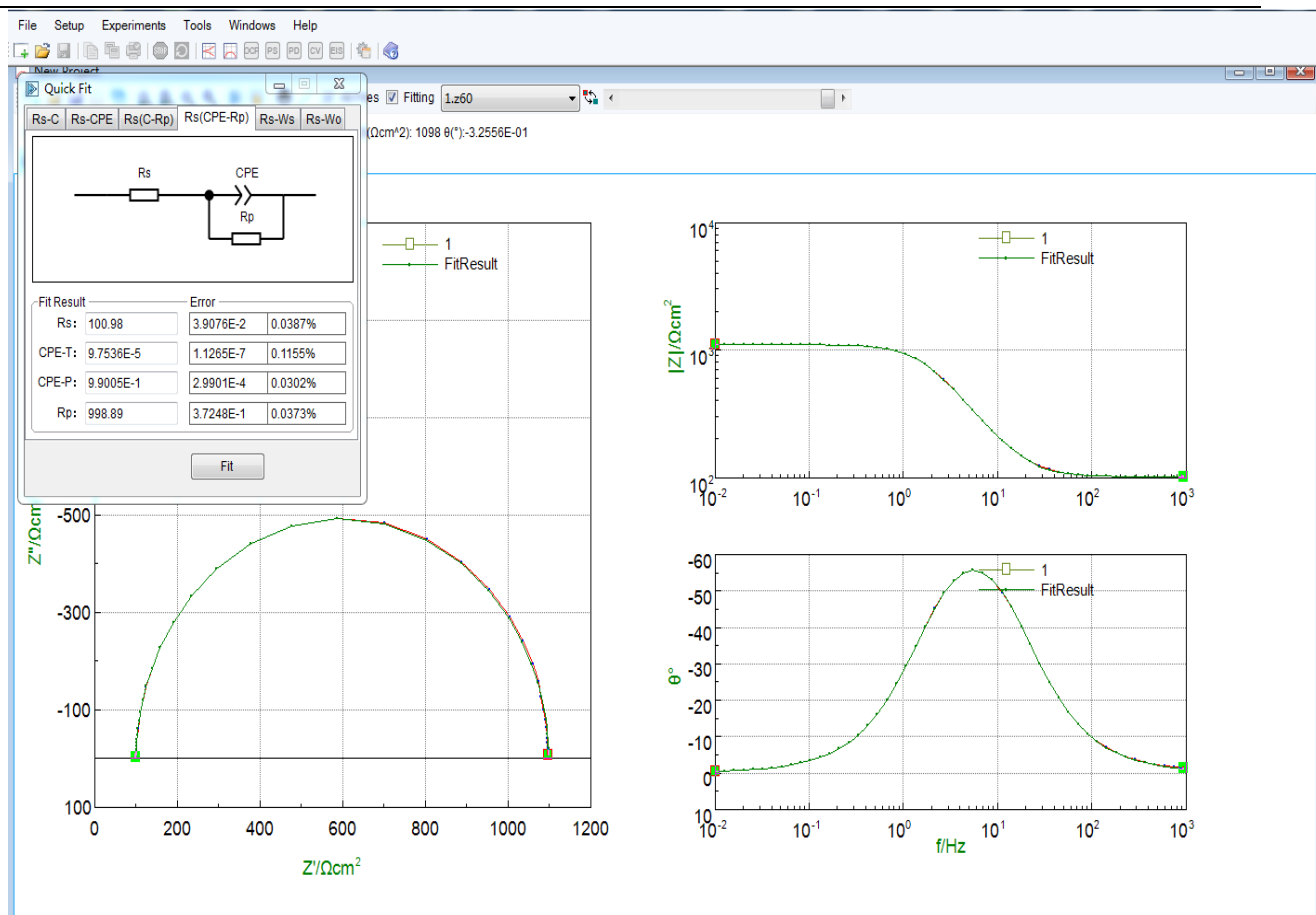

Battery Test and analysis:

charge & discharge efficiency, capacity, specific capacitance, charge & discharge energy.
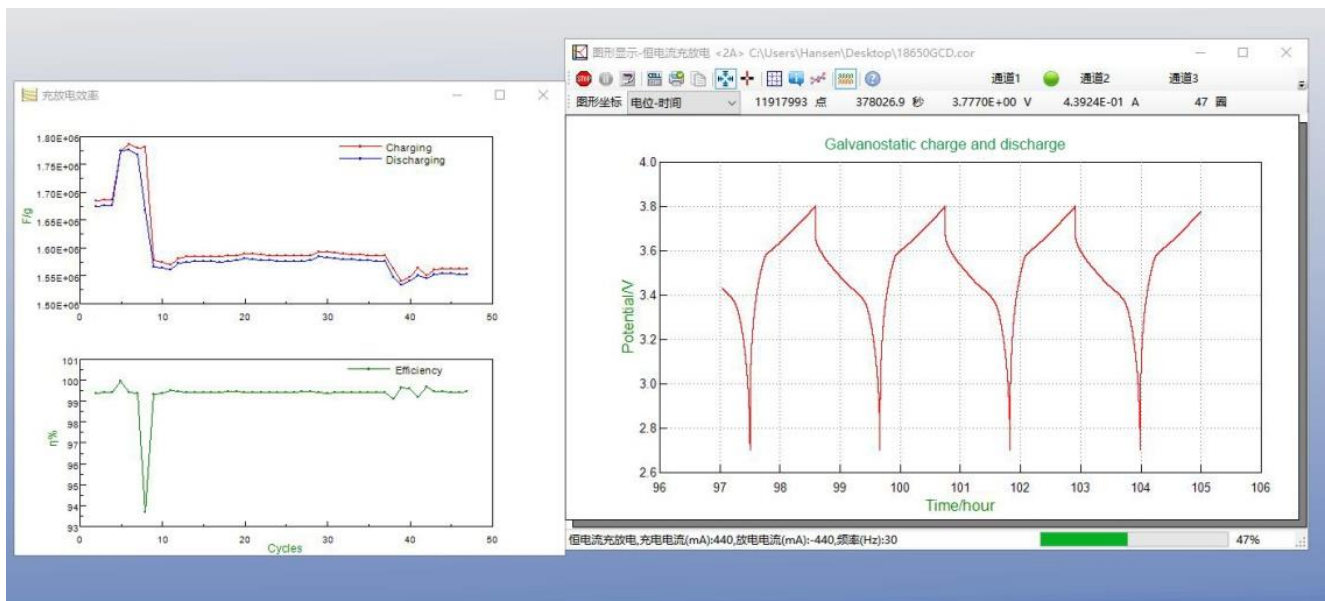
EIS analysis: Bode, Nyquist, Mott-Schottky plot
During EIS data analysis, there is built-in fitting function to draw the custom equivalent circuit.

Real time saving of data: The data can be automatically saved even in case of sudden power off.

Combination test: it can facilitate the automation of experiments and save time. With the unique function of combination test, you can choose several techniques, and set the wait time, the start time, and the cycles. Choose the experiments you want to run. Then you can make auto measurement of the set experiments as you want without having to wait in the lab. This function is especially useful if you have multi experiments to run and save your time greatly.

Data open: You can open the data files(.cor) directly by notepad. You can copy and paste data to excel for graphing. Data can also be opened in Origin.

Standard supply for a set CS3104

Instrument host CS3104*1
CS studio software package *1
Power cable * 1, Ethernet cable *1, Cell cable *8
Dummy cell *4
Manual *1

After-sales Service

1. Warranty period: **5 years.**
2. Provide manual, software installation video & training videos.
3. **Free repair service**
4. Lifetime software upgrading(same model) and technical service.