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In the present scenario of research, the recycling of inexpensive widely available agricultural waste/biowaste to activate carbon (AC) and procurement of value-added product has significant impact on energy storage systems particularly in Electrochemical double layer capacitors (EDLCs). Herein, we report the production of KOH activated carbons from different biomass sources such as Musa Acuminata stem (MAC), Pongamia pinnata seed oil extract cake (PPC), Cajanus Cajan stem (CCC) and Asclepias syriaca floss (ASC) for the said purpose. Initially, the biomass materials were pyrolyzed at 550 o C and activated with KOH at 800 o C in N 2 atmosphere under previously optimized synthesis conditions. All the carbon materials were characterized for their physico-chemical properties by powder X-ray diffraction (P-XRD), Raman Spectroscopy, Brunauer, Emmett and Teller (BET) surface area analyzer and Scanning Electron Microscopy - Energy Dispersive Spectroscopy (SEM-EDS) techniques. Further, these materials were studied for their electrochemical performance using suitable electroanalytical techniques such as Cyclic voltammetry (CV), Chronopotentiometry (CP) and Electrochemical Impedance Spectroscopy (EIS) in 1M KOH solution. ACs derived from MAC, PPC, CCC & ASC were estimated in three electrode system and were found to exhibit a specific capacitance (Cs) of 358, 343, 355 & 540 F/g at a scan rate of 2 mV/s and 102, 188, 253 & 256 F/g at a current density of 2.5 A/g respectively. The energy densities with corresponding power densities of MAC, PPC, CCC & ASC was estimated as 40.9, 73.4, 37.6 & 139.5 Wh/kg and 1.8, 1.7, 1.2 & 2.0 kW/kg respectively in a three electrode system. The main novel objective of this work is to correlate the morphological and surface properties of these ACs obtained from different biomass sources with electrochemical performance.

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