

# Battery positive electrode material repair

How do you prepare a positive electrode?

To prepare the positive electrode, the active material was mixed with super carbon and polyvinylidene fluoride (weight ratio 90: 5: 5) in N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone (NMP). Then the slurry was cast onto aluminum foil with a 250  $\mu\text{m}$  scraper and dried overnight in a vacuum oven at 100  $^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

Why are lithium ions embedded in spent materials after electrochemical repair?

Lithium ions are embedded in the spent materials under the action of electric current. The capacity of spent materials after electrochemical repair is low (Table 3), which is likely to be due to the SEI film on the surface of the spent materials hindering the replenishment of Li, and lithium defects have not been completely repaired.

Do power lithium batteries need pretreatment before direct repair?

Cathode materials for power lithium batteries usually require pretreatment before direct repair, which includes discharge, disassembly and separation of the spent cathode materials (Fig. 1 a). Since direct repair is based on the structure of the original cathode material, the pretreatment process needs to avoid any damage to its crystal structure.

What is the mass loading of a positive electrode plate?

The positive electrode plate was cut into round pieces with a diameter of 12 mm, and the mass loading of the active material was about 15  $\text{mg cm}^{-2}$  for the full cell test. The obtained positive electrode sheets were dried overnight in a vacuum oven at 50  $^{\circ}\text{C}$  before assembling.

What is the principle of electrochemical repair?

The principle of electrochemical repair is similar to the discharge process of batteries (Fig. 8 a). The difference is that the electrochemical repair process provides sufficient Li to ensure the recovery of Li in the case of spent  $\text{LiCoO}_2$  and  $\text{LiMn}_2\text{O}_4$  cathodes.

Can a repaired cathode be used again in a new battery?

The repaired cathode material can be used again in the preparation of new batteries. Research has proven that the direct repair of the cathode material can lead to a reactivated cathode [23,78,79], which can be used again in a new Li-ion battery.

In a real full battery, electrode materials with higher capacities and a larger potential difference between the anode and cathode materials are needed. For positive electrode materials, in the past decades a series of new cathode materials (such as  $\text{LiNi}_{0.6}\text{Co}_{0.2}\text{Mn}_{0.2}\text{O}_2$  and Li-/Mn-rich layered oxide) have been developed, which can provide a capacity of up ...

Herein, we propose an economical and facile rejuvenation strategy by employing the magneto-electrochemical

synergistic activation targeting the positive electrode in assembled Li-ion...

When discharging a battery, the cathode is the positive electrode, at which electrochemical reduction takes place. As current flows, electrons from the circuit and cations from the electrolytic solution in the device move towards the ...

Disclosed is a direct repair method for a waste lithium-ion battery ternary positive electrode material. The present invention solves the problem of complicated separation and purification...

This review provides an overview of different examples of coatings and surface modifications used for the positive-electrode materials as well as various characterization techniques often...

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We present a novel method for the targeted repair of degraded cathode materials in lithium-ion batteries (LIBs) through the use of ambient water. Elemental repair of ...

The negative electrode is defined in the domain  $-L_n \leq x \leq 0$ ; the electrolyte serves as a separator between the negative and positive materials on one hand ( $0 \leq x \leq L_{SE}$ ), and at the same time transports lithium ions in the composite positive electrode ( $L_{SE} \leq x \leq L_{SE} + L_p$ ); carbon facilitates electron transport in composite positive electrode; and the spherical ...

In view of the challenge of existing recycling methods, the reporters proposed the idea of direct recycling of electrode materials at the molecular scale, and designed innovative recycling methods such as direct repair of degraded lithium cobalt oxides with deep eutectic solvent (DES), repair of Ni-Mn-Co ternary (NCM) cathode with ...

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Typically, a basic Li-ion cell (Fig. 1) consists of a positive electrode (the cathode) and a negative electrode (the anode) in contact with an electrolyte containing Li-ions, which flow through a separator positioned between the two electrodes, collectively forming an integral part of the structure and function of the cell (Mosa and Aparicio, 2018). Current collectors, commonly ...

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Commercial Battery Electrode Materials. Table 1 lists the characteristics of common commercial positive and negative electrode materials and Figure 2 shows the voltage profiles of selected electrodes in half-cells with lithium anodes. Modern cathodes are either oxides or phosphates containing first row transition metals. There are fewer choices for anodes, which are based on ...

Although Al-ion battery is attracting researchers' attention worldwide, its volumetric energy density was not so promising due to low density of graphite-based positive electrodes in the current published literatures. Thus, defect-free yet densely packed graphene electrodes with high electronic conductivity and fast ionic diffusion are crucial to the realization ...

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