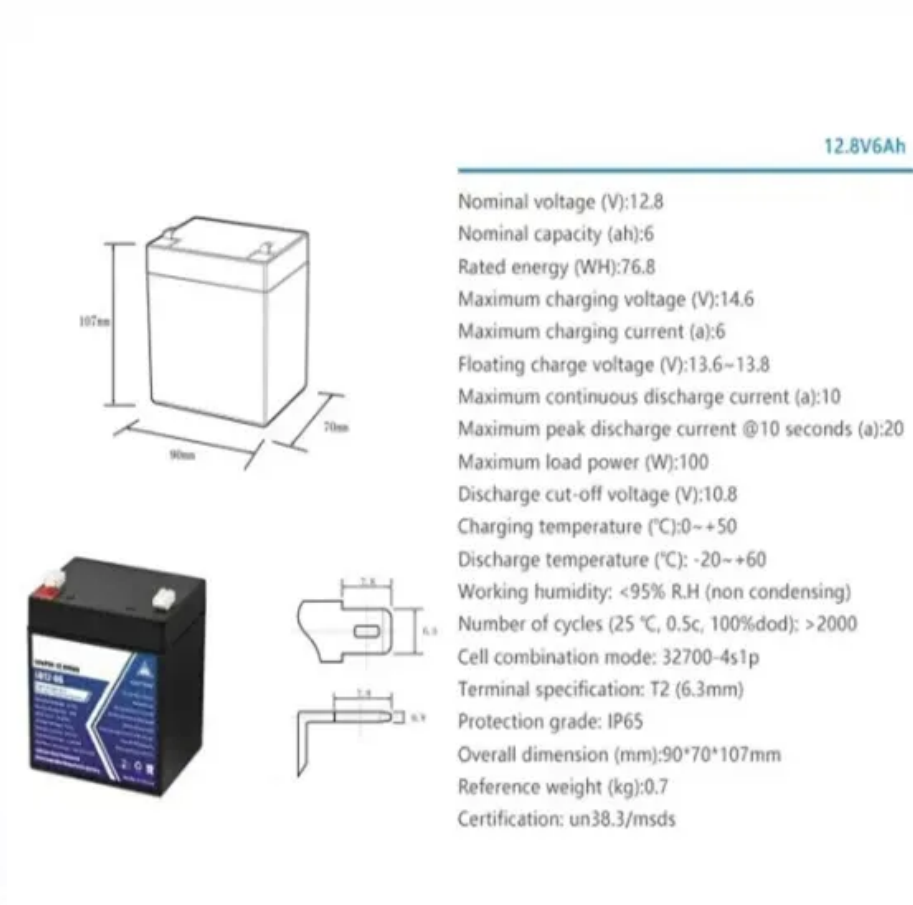


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Polyiodine zinc flow battery



Overview

What is a zinc-iodine flow battery?

Benefitting from PST additives, the zinc-iodine flow battery demonstrates a remarkable combination of improved power density (616 mW cm^{-2}), enhanced energy density (185.18 Wh L^{-1}) as well as prolonged cycling performance at 120 mA cm^{-2} , which presents a new pathway to develop reliable zinc anode for high-voltage flow batteries.

What are zinc poly halide flow batteries?

Zinc poly-halide flow batteries are promising candidates for various energy storage applications with their high energy density, free of strong acids, and low cost . The zinc-chlorine and zinc-bromine RFBs were demonstrated in 1921, and 1977 , respectively, and the zinc-iodine RFB was proposed by Li et al. in 2015 .

What is a highly stable zinc iodine single flow battery?

Xie, C. et al. Highly stable zinc-iodine single flow batteries with super high energy density for stationary energy storage. *Energy Environ. Sci.* 12, 1834–1839 (2019). Xie, C. et al. A highly reversible neutral zinc/manganese battery for stationary energy storage.

What are aqueous zinc-iodine batteries?

Among them, aqueous zinc-iodine batteries (AZIBs) stand out owing to the abundant iodine reserves, considerable theoretical capacity (211 mAh g^{-1}) and volumetric energy density (322 Wh l^{-1}) by implementing a two-electron I_2/I^- redox reaction . At present, the development of AZIBs is still in its infancy.

Are aqueous Zn-i flow batteries suitable for high-power-density energy storage?

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Aqueous Zn-I flow batteries utilizing low-cost porous membranes are promising candidates for high-power-density large-scale energy storage. However, capacity loss and low Coulombic efficiency resulting from polyiodide cross-over hinder the grid-level battery performance.

Are aqueous rechargeable zinc iodine batteries safe?

Aqueous rechargeable zinc-iodine batteries are emerging high-safety and cost-effective technology for large-scale energy storage. However, the high solubility of discharge species polyiodide in aqueous electrolyte is the major challenge for iodine cathode.

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APPLICATION SCENARIOS



Understanding the iodine electrochemical behaviors in aqueous zinc

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Schematic of the zinc-polyiodide redox flow battery (ZIB).

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Long-Life Aqueous Zn-I2 Battery Enabled by a ...

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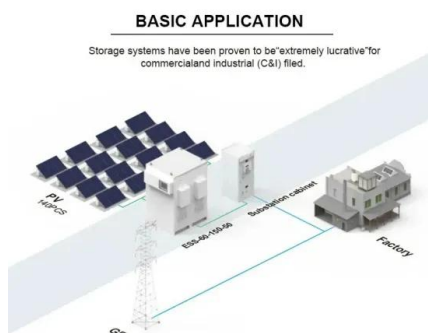


High-capacity zinc-iodine flow batteries enabled ...

Consuming one-third of iodide to stabilize the iodine for reversible I⁻/I₃⁻ reactions is the major challenge for zinc-iodine flow batteries (ZIFBs) to realize high ...

Electrolyte Design Toward High-Performance ...

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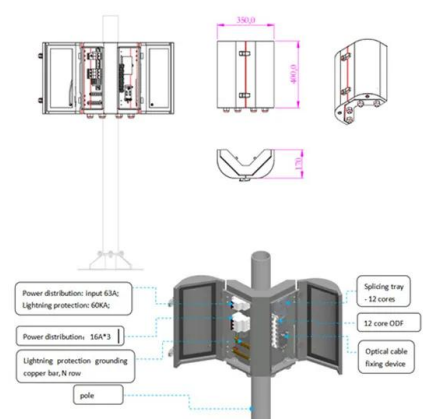


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Polyiodide Confinement by Starch Enables Shuttle-Free Zn-Iodine Batteries

Aqueous Zn-iodine (Zn-I_2) batteries have been regarded as a promising energy-storage system owing to their high energy/power density, safety, and cost-effectiveness. ...



Advancements in aqueous zinc-iodine batteries: a review

Nevertheless, the development of aqueous zinc-iodine batteries has been impeded by persistent challenges associated with iodine cathodes and Zn anodes. Key obstacles include the shuttle ...

Iodine Release and Recovery, Influence of ...

Feb 21, 2012 · $\{[\text{Cu}_6(\text{pybz})_8(\text{OH})_2] \cdot \text{I}_5 \cdot \text{I}_7\}_n$ (1), obtained hydrothermally by using iodine molecules as a versatile precursor template, consists of a cationic ...

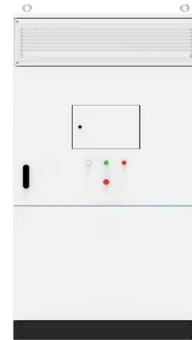


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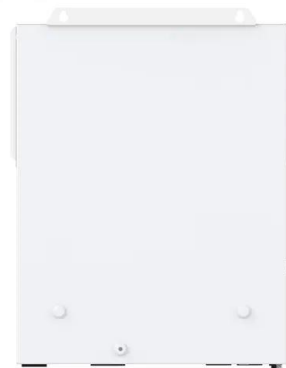


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