

Supporting Information

Diethyl (thiophen-2-ylmethyl) phosphonate: A Novel Multifunctional Electrolyte Additive for High Voltage Batteries

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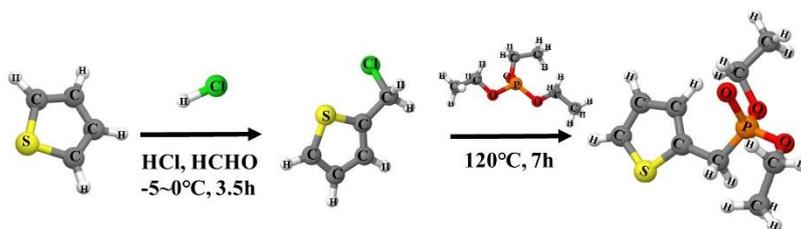
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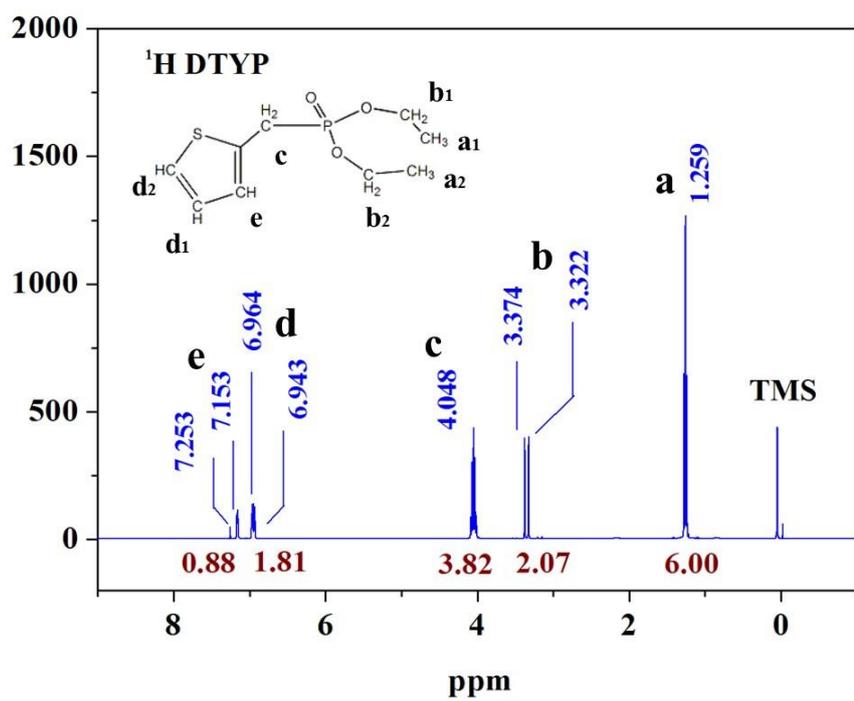


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Retention time	Peak area	Peak high	Concentration
2.673	13188	7728	0.039
4.687	2244	1262	0.007
6.874	16428	7776	0.048
7.502	2420	1285	0.007
12.015	46181	24122	0.136
12.110	7418	3697	0.022
13.313	33814308	3144408	99.254
13.703	101130	43279	0.297
14.280	12732	6421	0.037
14.387	17570	8449	0.052
14.652	22632	10777	0.066
14.877	3700	1266	0.011
15.370	5156	2745	0.015
15.602	3263	1777	0.010

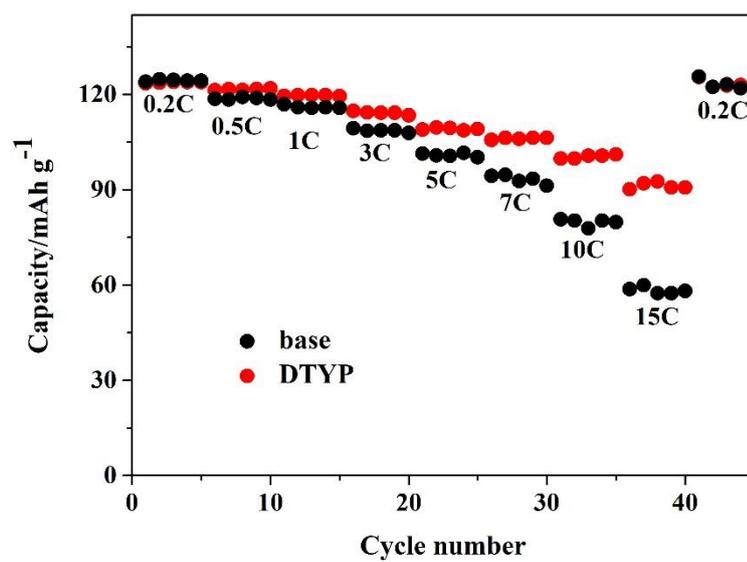


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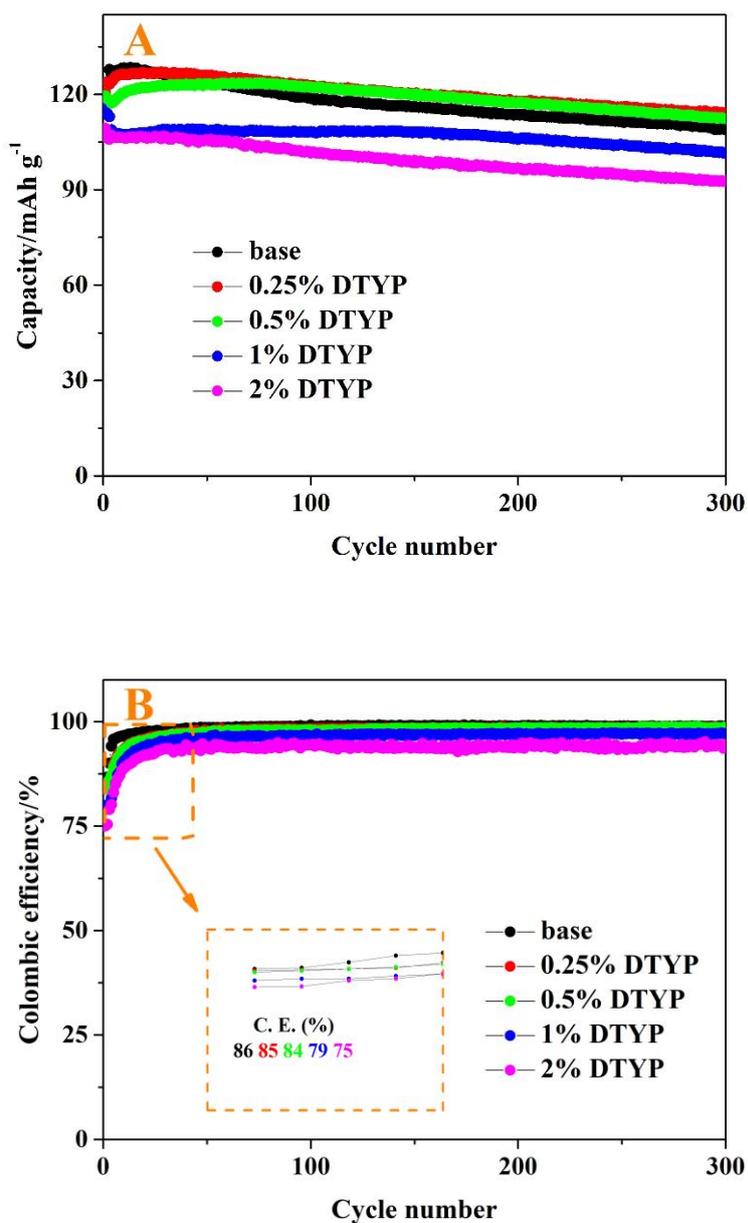


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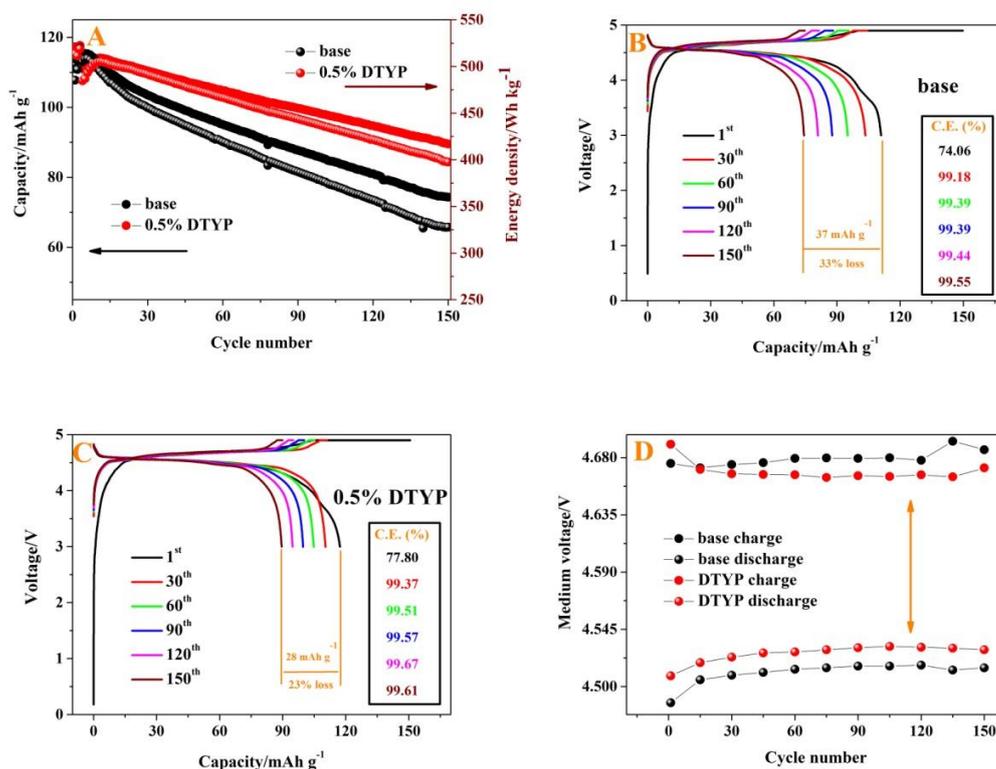


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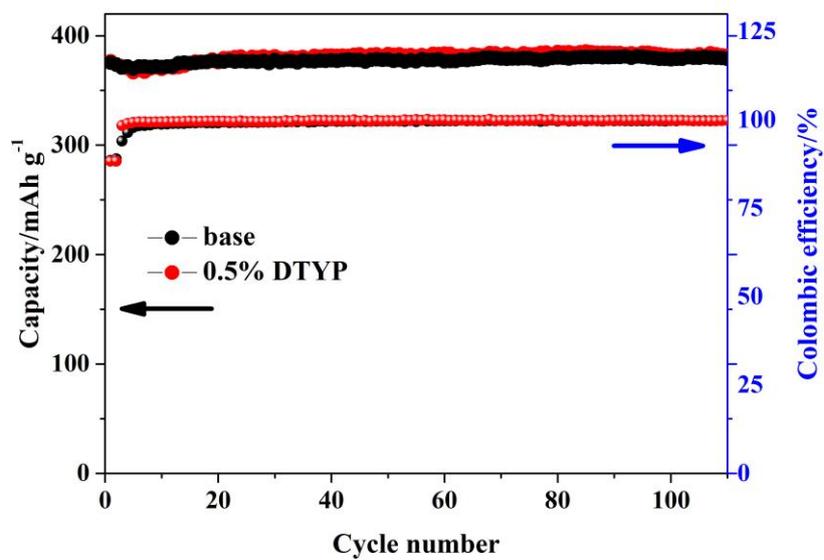


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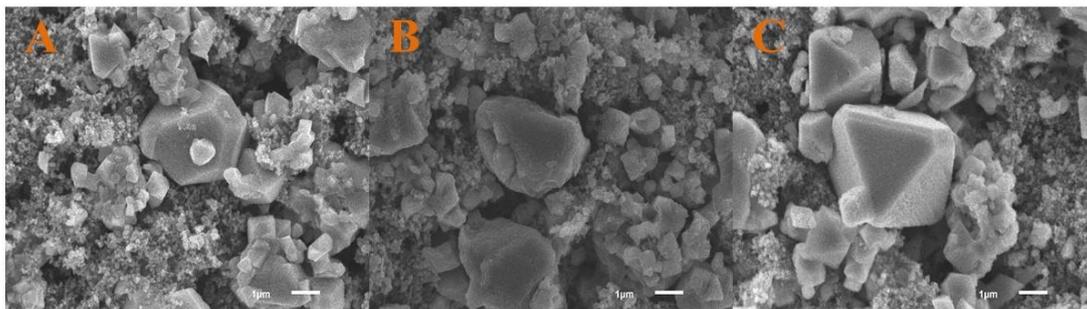


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	Ni (mg L⁻¹)	Mn (mg L⁻¹)	Al (mg L⁻¹)
base	2.18	3.61	0.57
DTYP-containing	0.28	0.46	0.081

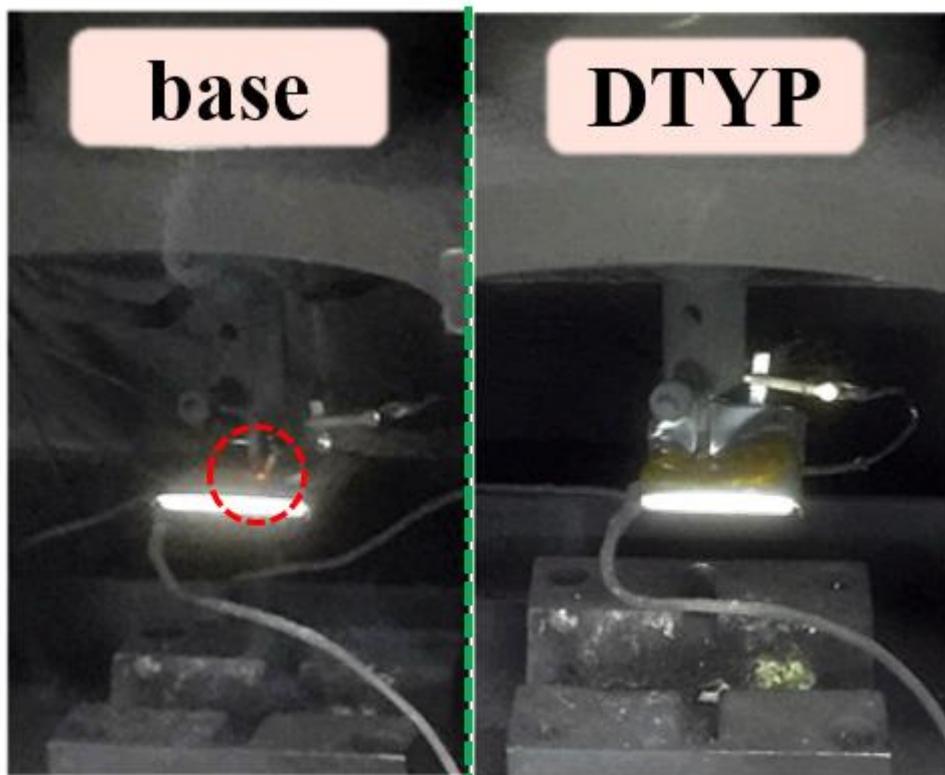


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