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# **Electronic supplementary information**

# Duplex trapping and charge transfer with polysulfides by

## diketopyrrolopyrrole-based organic framework for high-performance

## lithium-sulfur batteries

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Figure S1.  $N_2$  adsorption isotherms of PDPP-1 and PDPP-2 under 77 K.



Figure S2. Pore size distributions of PDPP-1 and PDPP-2.



Figure S3. Thermogravimetric analysis of PDPP-1 and PDPP-2 under nitrogen atmosphere.



Figure S4. Optical images of PDPP separator before and after coating



Figure S5. SEM images of PDPP-1 modified separator.



Figure S6. SEM images of PDPP-2 modified separator.



Figure S7. Cross sectional SEM images of PDPP-1 modified separator.



**PP** separator

PDPP-1 separator

**PDPP-2** separator

Figure S8. Contact angle measurements of PP separator and PDPP-n modified separators.



Figure S9. Warburg plots of the cells with PP and PDPP separators recorded at initial state.

Table S1. EIS test results of the cells with various separator recorded at initial state.

Separator	Rs/Ω	Rct/Ω	Warburg Coefficient
PP	4.6	83	559
PDPP-1	2.8	20	173
PDPP-2	3.3	33	269



Figure S10. Charge/discharge profiles of PDPP-1 at different rates.



Figure S11. EDX spectra of PDPP-1 modified separator over 600 cycles at 1.0 C.



Figure S12. Optimized frontier molecular orbital of the monomer of POF (TEPM-DPP).



**Figure S13.** Optimized geometry of DPP-LiPSs cluster with charge distribution, charge transfer denoted as CT and bond length denoted as BL.

Table S2.	Comparison	of the e	electrochemica	l performance	between	PDPP-1	and	other	POP
materials r	modified the c	cells eith	ner in cathode	or separator.					

Separator	Sulfur	Sulfur	Cathode	Discharge	Publish	Ref.
	loading			Capacity	Year	
_	(mg cm <sup>-2</sup> )	content				
Celgard	~0.2	24%	CTF-1/S	848 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2014	S1
2400				0.2 C		
Celgard	N/A	25%	POP-A	927 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2014	S2
2300				0.2 A g <sup>-1</sup>		
Celgard	1.8-2.0	24%	PPN-13-S	1086 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2016	S3
2400				0.1 C		
Celgard	N/A	33%	Por-COF/S	1000 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2016	S4
2300				0.1 C		
Celgard	N/A	37.2%	S-CTF-1	670 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2016	S5
2400				0.05		

Celgard	0.7	51.6%	SF-CTF-1 (1:3)	1138 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2017	<b>S</b> 6
2400				0.05 C		
Celgard	1.2	36.6%	TPE-IEMPO-S	900 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2017	S7
2300				0.1 C		
Celgard	0.8-1.2	49%	Py-COF/S	960 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2018	<b>S</b> 8
2400				0.5 C		
Y-FTZB	1.0	70%	sulfur	1101 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2017	S9
				0.1 C		
PB/Celgard	N/A	60%	KB/sulfur	984.1 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	2018	S10
				0.2 C		
PDPP-1	1.5	80%	CB/sulfur	1063 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> ,	-	This
				0.2 C		work
				540 mAh g <sup>-1</sup> , 600 <sup>th</sup> ,		
				1.0 C		

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