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Understanding the anchoring and catalytic effect of Co@C2N monolayer in Lithium-selenium Batteries: A first-principles study

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Table S1. Adsorbed structures and binding energies (E_b) of Se₈ and Li₂Se_n (n=1, 2, 4, 6, and 8) at different lithiation stages on the surface of Co@C₂N in different positions. Monkhorst-Pack grids are set to Gamma point, other methods and computational details are shown in the main article.

structures E _b	Li ₂ Se-Co@C ₂ N	Li ₂ Se ₂ -Co@C ₂ N	Li ₂ Se ₄ -Co@C ₂ N	Li ₂ Se ₆ -Co@C ₂ N	Li ₂ Se ₈ -Co@C ₂ N	Se ₈ -Co@C ₂ N

	$E_{\rm b} = 3.7 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 2.47 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.87 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.79 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.19 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.04 {\rm eV}$
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	$E_{\rm b} = 2.28 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 2.16 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.82 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.58 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 0.94 {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 0.93 \; {\rm eV}$
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	$E_{\rm b} = 0.89 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.97 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.29 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.56 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 0.57 {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 0.89 \; {\rm eV}$
	-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X				-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X	**************************************
	$E_{\rm b} = 0.80 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 0.95 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 0.85 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 1.53 \; {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 0.52 {\rm eV}$	$E_{\rm b} = 0.71 \; {\rm eV}$

