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## Degradation suppression effect of amorphous-hard-carbon-bundled Si-based negative electrode

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Figure S1. Particle size distribution of HCS.



**Figure S2.** Charge–discharge profiles for [Li | 1.0 M-LiFSI EC/DEC | 100 wt%-HCS] cells (a) and relationships between cycle number and discharge capacity (b).



**Figure S3.** Differential capacity curves (dQ/dV) for various cycles between 0 and 1.0 V for [Li | 1M-LiFSI EC/DEC | HC-1] cell (a) and [Li | 1M-LiFSI EC/DEC | HC-2] cell (b).



Figure S4. Charge–discharge profiles for [Li | 1.0 M-LiFSI EC/DEC | HC] cells.



**Figure S5.** Charge–discharge profiles for [Li | 1.0 M-LiFSI EC/DEC | 30 wt%-HCS/C<sub>6</sub>] cells (a), [Li | 1.0 M-LiFSI EC/DEC | 50 wt%-HCS/C<sub>6</sub>] cells (b), [Li | 1.0 M-LiFSI EC/DEC | 70 wt%-HCS/C<sub>6</sub>] cells (c) and [Li | 1.0 M-LiFSI EC/DEC | 100 wt%-HCS] cells (d).