

## Supporting information

### ***In-situ* Polymerization of Dicationic Pyrrolidinium-based Solid Polymer Electrolyte for High Performing and Long-Lasting Lithium-Ion Battery**

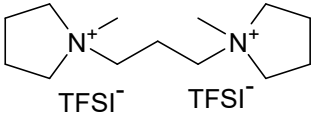
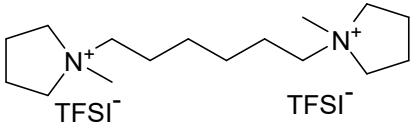
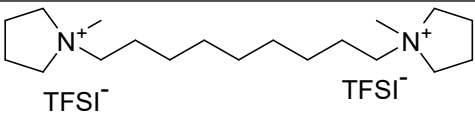
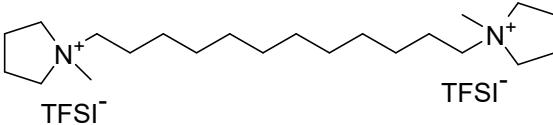
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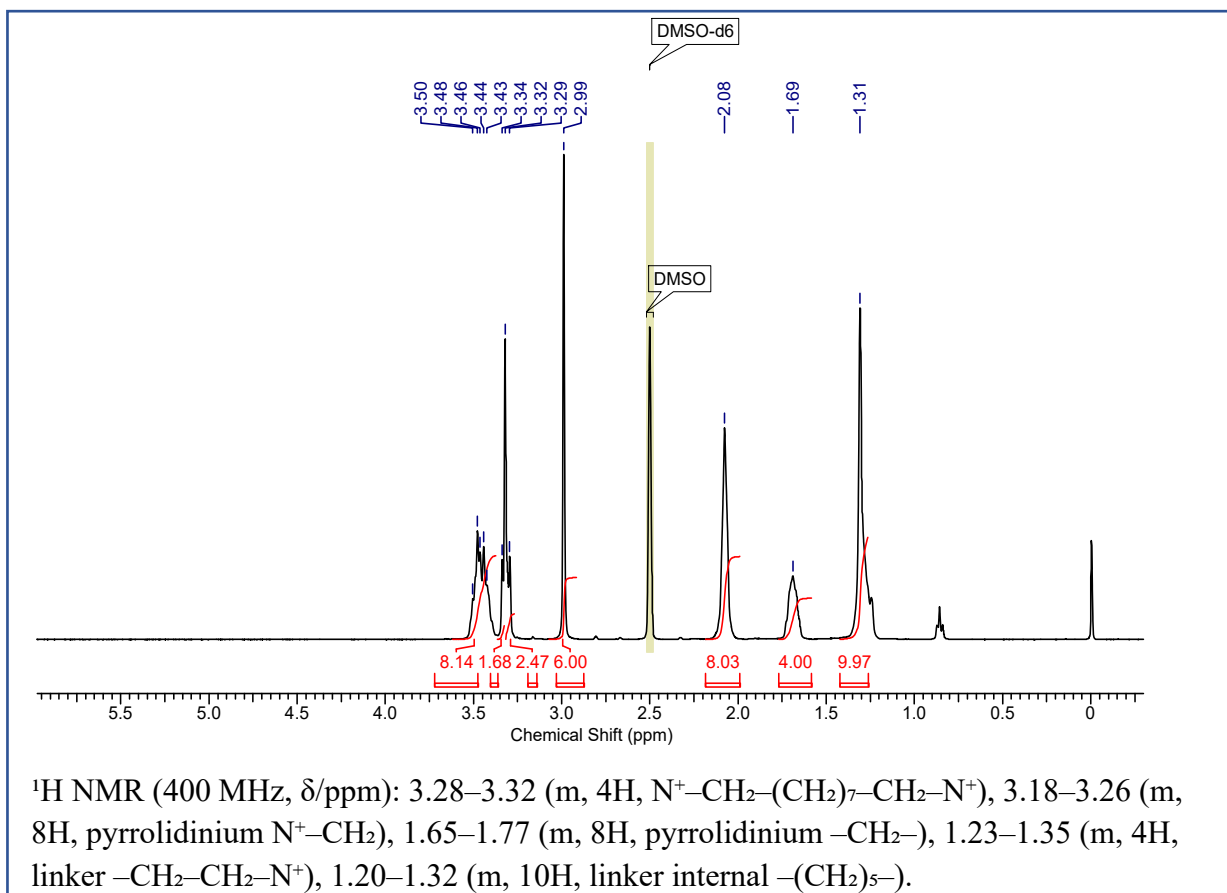
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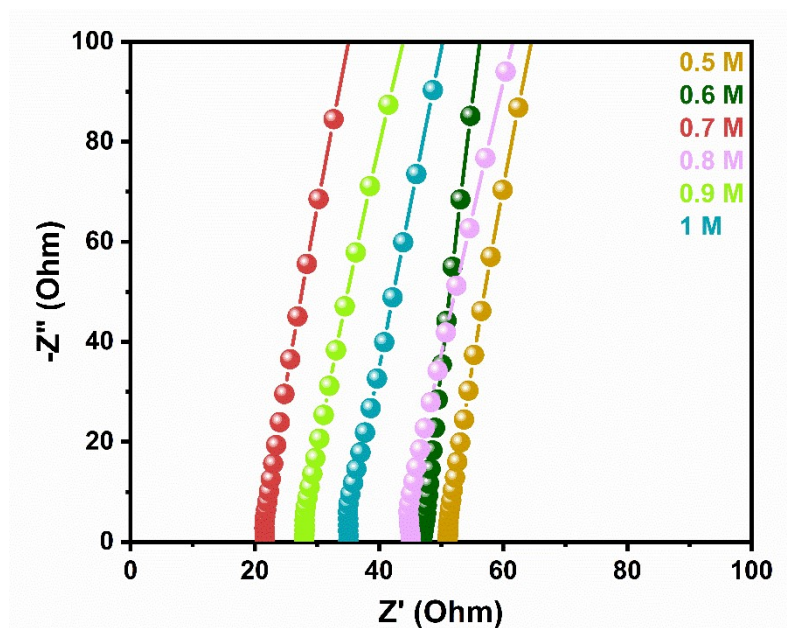
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**Table S1:** Abbreviated forms of the DILs

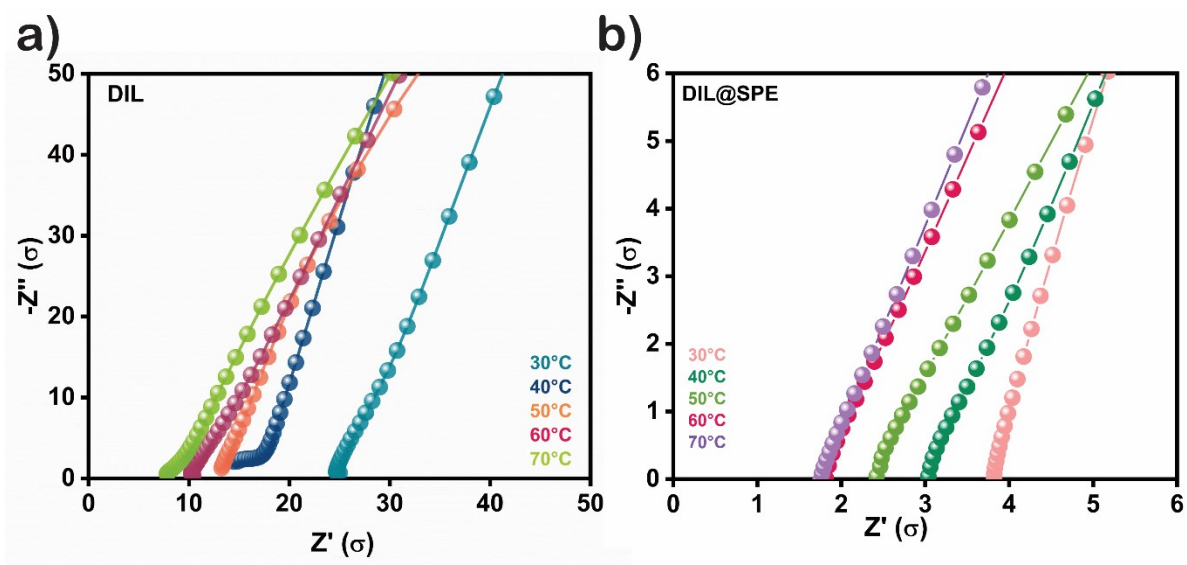
Sr. No	Abbreviations	Name of Ionic Liquids	Structures
1	[C <sub>3</sub> (pyr) <sub>2</sub> ] [TFSI] <sub>2</sub>	1,3-Bis (1-methyl pyrrolidinium 1-yl) propane bis (trifluoro methyl sulfonyl) imide	
2	[C <sub>6</sub> (pyr) <sub>2</sub> ] [TFSI] <sub>2</sub>	1,6-Bis (1- methyl pyrrolidinium 1-yl) hexane bis (trifluoro methyl sulfonyl) imide	
3	[C <sub>9</sub> (pyr) <sub>2</sub> ] [TFSI] <sub>2</sub>	1,9-Bis (1- methyl pyrrolidinium 1-yl) nonane bis (trifluoro methyl sulfonyl) imide	
4	[C <sub>12</sub> (pyr) <sub>2</sub> ] [TFSI] <sub>2</sub>	1,12-Bis (1- methyl pyrrolidinium 1-yl) dodecane bis (trifluoro methyl sulfonyl) imide	



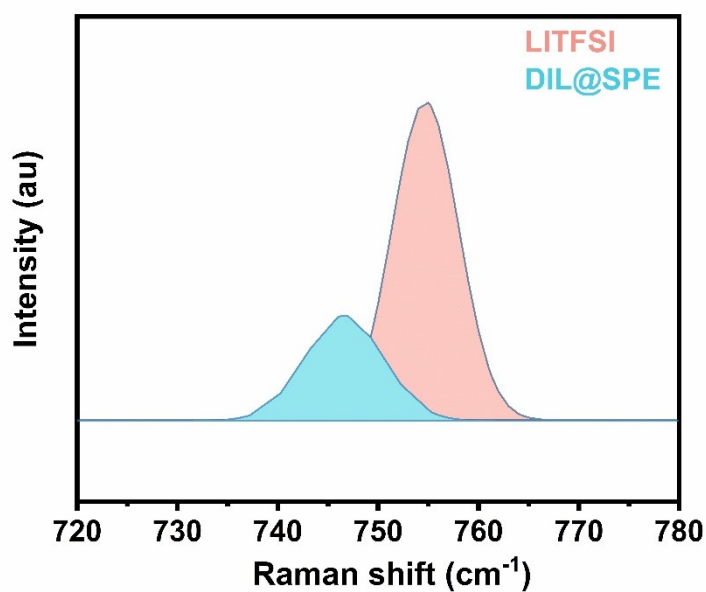
**Figure S1:**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the synthesized dicationic ionic liquid  $[\text{C}_9(\text{pyr})_2][\text{TFSI}]_2$  recorded in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$  as the solvent.



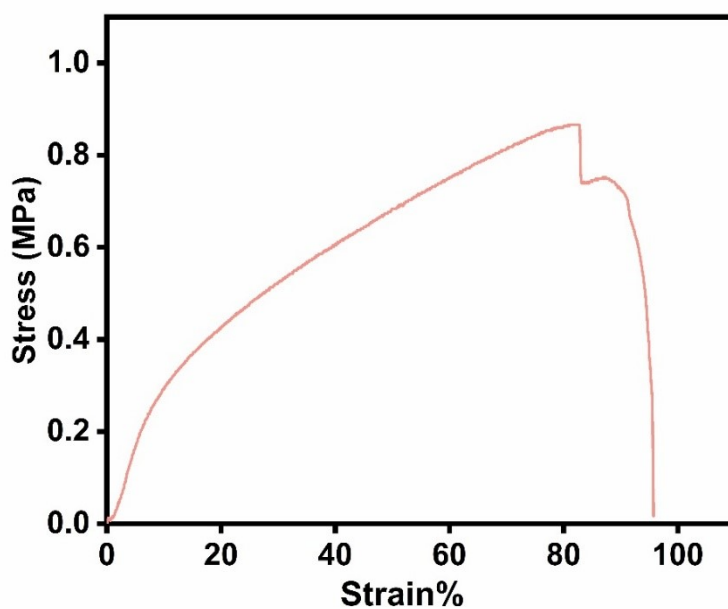
**Figure S2:** Electrochemical impedance spectroscopy (EIS) Nyquist plots of LITFSI-DIL electrolyte with varying salt concentration (0.5M-1.0M).



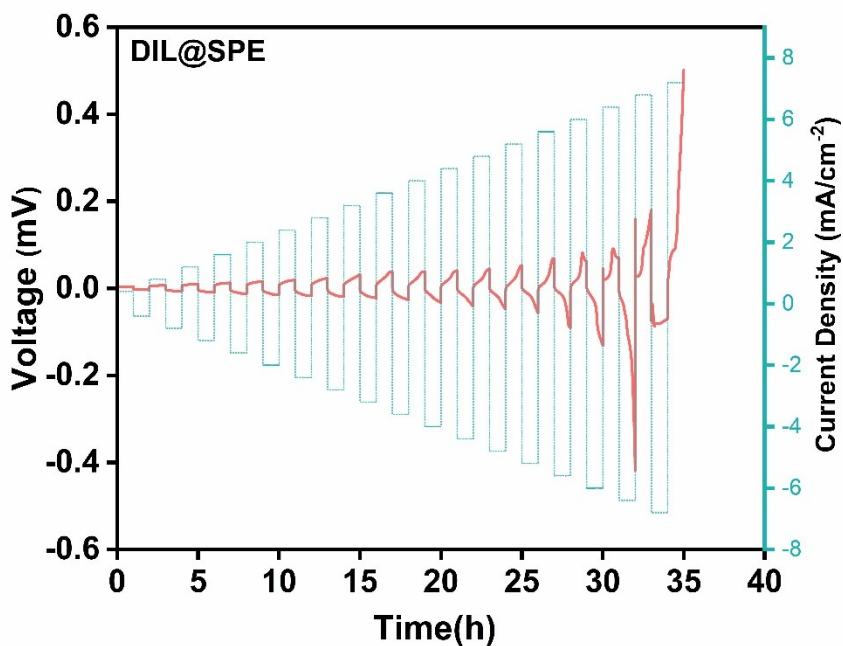
**Figure S3:** Temperature-dependent electrochemical impedance spectroscopy (EIS) Nyquist plots of a) DIL and b) DIL@SPE systems measured in the temperature range of 30-70 °C.



**Figure S4:** Raman spectra of pure LiTFSI and the DIL@SPE electrolyte



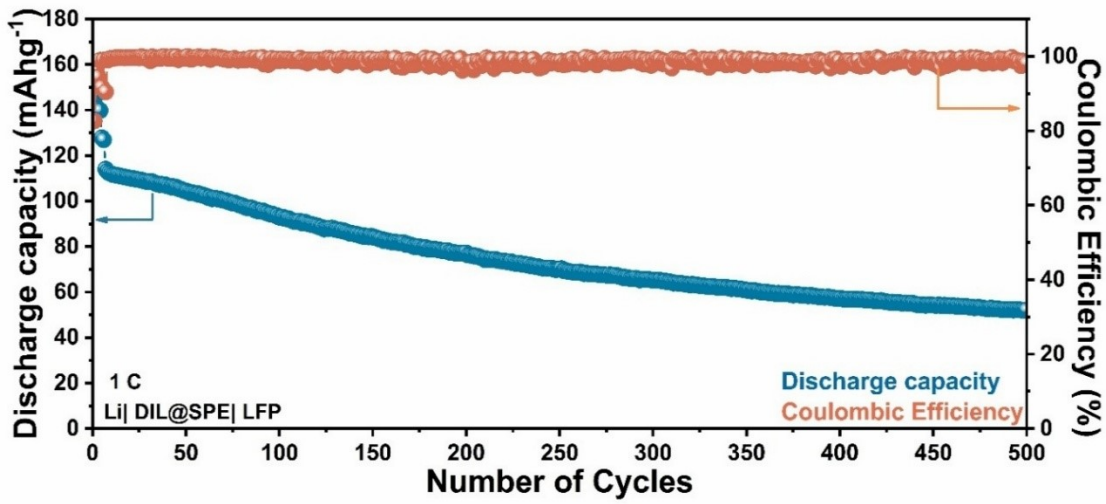
**Figure S5:** Tensile stress-strain curves of the solid polymer electrolyte membranes obtained from mechanical testing



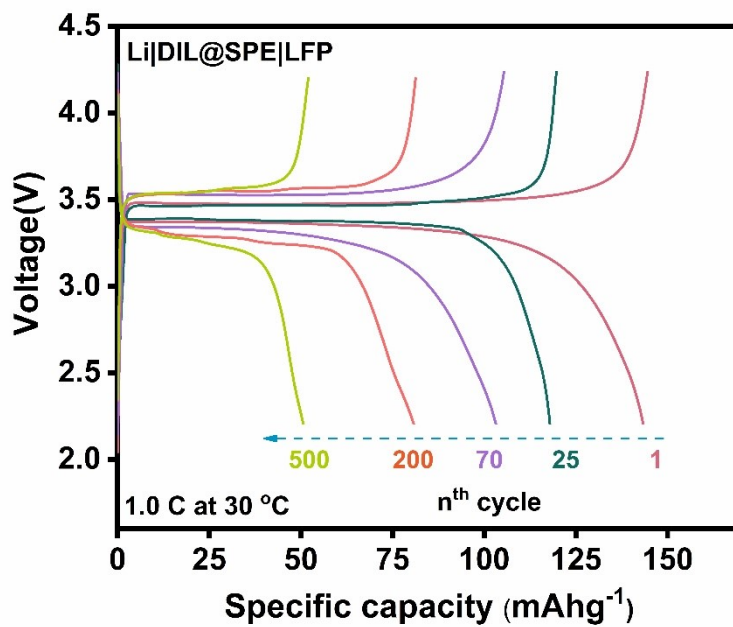
**Figure S6:** Critical current density (CCD) test of the symmetric Li|DIL@SPE|Li at 30 °C.

**TableS2:** HOMO, LUMO, and Chemical Hardness ( $\eta$ )

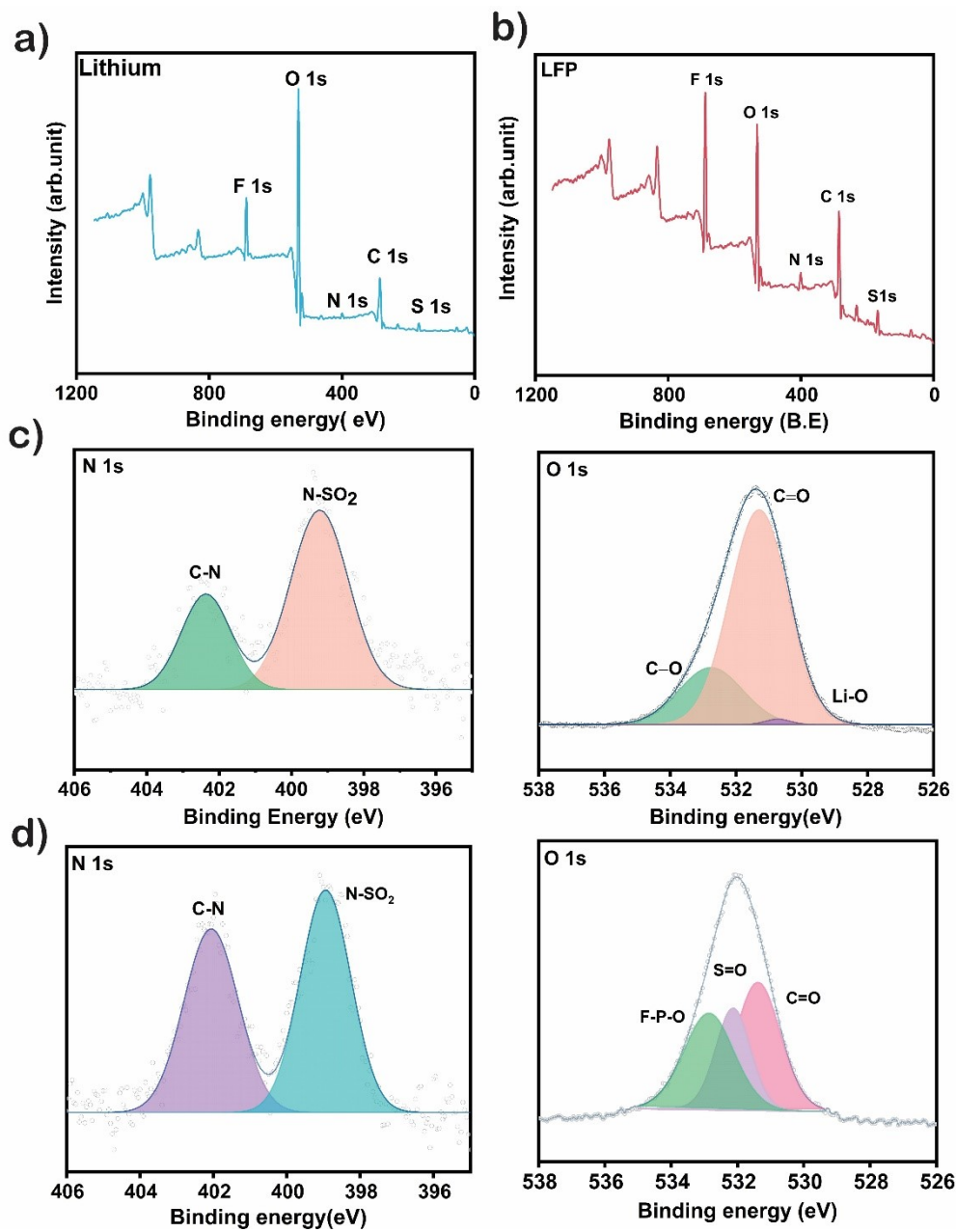
Molecule	HOMO(eV)	LUMO(eV)	Energy Gap(eV)	Chemical hardness $\eta$ (eV)	Interpretation
LiTFSI	-8.91	-1.708	7.202	3.60	Reactive; SEI formation
VEC	-8.135	-1.024	7.111	3.56	Moderately reactive
ETPTA	-7.083	-1.756	5.327	2.66	Crosslinker, good reactivity
DIL	-6.609	-0.284	6.325	3.16	Stable, electrochemically robust



**Figure S7:** Long-term cycling performance of the LFP|DIL@SPE|Li cell at a 1C rate



**Figure S8:** Galvanostatic charge-discharge profile of the LFP|DIL@SPE|Li cell various cycles at 1C.



**Figure S9:** Post-mortem XPS spectra of a) Li anode and b) LFP cathode from LFP|DIL@SPE|Li cell after 100 cycles at 1C, c) N1s and O 1s peaks of lithium anode d) N1s and O 1s peaks of LFP cathode

**Table S3:** comparative literature data on the reported system

Configuration	C-rate and corresponding specific capacity [mAh g <sup>-1</sup> ]					Number of cycles	Reference Component
	0.05C	0.1C	0.2C	0.5C	1C		
Li/IPN-GPE/LiFePO <sub>4</sub>	-	152.1	146	132	107.6	100 @ 1C RT	[1]
LFP/PIL-SPE-LiTFSI-40/Li	-	164.3	153.1	121.2	95.7	100@ 0.5C RT	[2]
LFP 0.6 M LiTFSI/[C <sub>6</sub> (mim) <sub>2</sub> ][TFSI]2 Li	134	133	113.3	73.6	-	100@1C RT	[3]
LFP  Gel electrolyte  Li	166	164	164	143	128	130 @1C RT	[4]
LFP/PIL-LiTFSI-LATP/Li	-	163.2	160.2	152.5	138.4	250 @1C 60°C	[5]
Li/NPE-V2/LiFePO <sub>4</sub>		158.2	152.6	141.5	119.4	100@0.1C &0.5C	[6]
Li/P(PEGMA-VBImTFSI2)/LiTFSI/LiFePO <sub>4</sub>	-	142.2	-	-	-	100 @0.1C 25°C	[7]
LiFePO <sub>4</sub>  PIL-QSE Li	135	128	116	104	97	100@ 0.1C 25°C	[8]
Li/XP-20/LiFePO <sub>4</sub>	-	168.2	160.3	134.1	70.0	150 @ 0.2C 25°C)	[9]
LFP/GPE/Li	-	150.04	151.02	141.44	132.02	200@0.5C	[10]
Li/PILGPE@IL/LiFeO <sub>4</sub>		152	148	144	129	120@0.5C	[11]
PIL. Li/LiFePO <sub>4</sub>	-	153.7	-	-	-	150@0.1C 25 °C.	[12]
Li  0.2M LiTFSI-[ME3AMIm] [TFSI]   LiFePO <sub>4</sub>	98.5	67.4	35.4	-	-	30@0.05C RT	[13]
Li MPIEelectrolyte  LiFePO <sub>4</sub>		137.4	127	112.6	110	100@ 1C 25 °C	[14]
Li/IPN EM/LiFePO <sub>4</sub>	110	85	82	-	76	200@ 1C RT	[15]
<b>✓ In this work, the electrochemical cycling tests were carried out for 500 cycles at 0.5 C &amp; 1C</b>							
Li/DIL@SPE /LiFePO <sub>4</sub>		<b>164</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>500@0.5C &amp; 1C RT</b>	<b>This Work</b>

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