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Soft X-ray XANES Studies of Various Phases Relating to LiFePO₄ Based Cathode Materials

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	A	B	C	D	E	F
Li ₃ PO ₄	136.3	137.3	138.4			146.2
Li ₄ P ₂ O ₇	136.2	137.2	138.4			146.2
LiPO ₃	136.3	137.3	138.4			146.2
c-LFP	136.1	137.2	138.8	139.2	141.4	146.2
d-LFP	136.0	137.0	138.8	139.2	141.4	146.2
a-LFP	136.1	137.0	138.8	139.2	141.4	146.2
Fe ₃ (PO ₄) ₂	136.3		139.3			147
FePO ₄	136.8	137.8	139.3			147

Table S1 Energy position of P L_{2,3}-edge XANES spectra of the P containing compound in the LiFePO₄ based cathode materials.

	A	B
Li ₃ PO ₄	532.0	536.3
Li ₄ P ₂ O ₇	532.0	536.3
LiPO ₃	532.0	536.3
c-LFP	531.8	537.1
d-LFP	531.8	537.1
a-LFP	531.8	537.1
Fe ₃ (PO ₄) ₂	531.8	537.1
FePO ₄	531.8	537.1

Table S2 Energy position of O K-edge XANES spectra of the O containing compound in the LiFePO₄ based cathode materials.

	A	B	C	D
c-LFP	707.1	708.5	719.9	721.6
d-LFP	707.1	708.5	719.9	721.62
a-LFP	707.1	708.5	719.9	721.62
Fe ₃ (PO ₄) ₂	707.1	708.5	719.9	721.62
FePO ₄	707.1	708.5	719.9	721.62
Fe ₂ O ₃	707.1	708.5	719.9	721.62

Table S3 Energy position of Fe L_{2,3}-edge XANES spectra of the Fe containing compound in the LiFePO₄ based cathode materials.