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Practical applications of graphene-based derivatives in different fields of electrochemistry.

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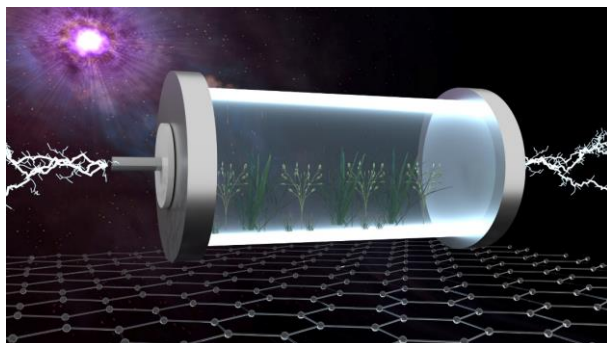


Research Areas

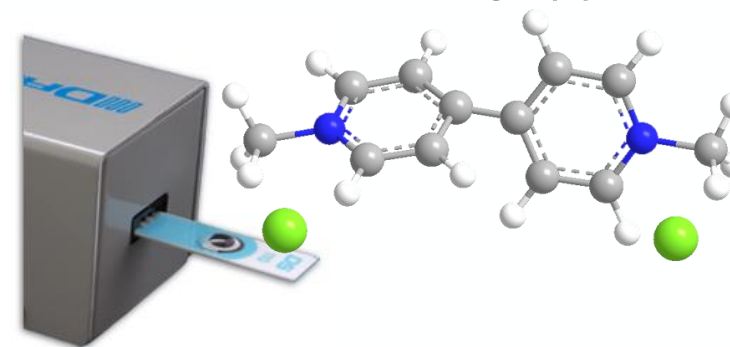
- Synthesis, characterization and applications of low-dimensional carbon-based materials.
- Functionalization and chemical modification of graphene and its derivatives.
- Utilization of low-dimensional carbon-based materials in catalysis, energy storage, sensing and imaging applications.



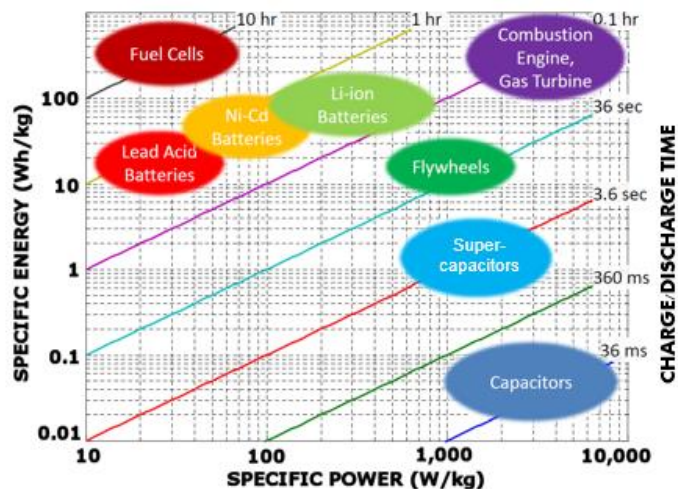
Energy storage applications



Electrochemical sensing applications



Energy storage applications — supercapacitors



BATTERY VS ULTRACAPACITOR

PARAMETER	BATTERY	ULTRACAPACITOR
Energy Density	100Wh/kg	10Wh/kg
Power Density	1kW/kg	10kW/kg
Efficiency	~80%	>90%
Cyclability	400 – 2500	1,000,000
Calendar life	Short (4-6 years)	Long (15+ years)
Low Temperature	-20°C	-40°C
High Temperature	+60°C	+85°C...+100°C
Death	Sudden	Predictable
Principle	Electrochemical	Electrostatic
Cost	0.07 - 0.2 \$/kWh/cycle	\$0.006 \$/kWh/ cycle

<https://www.nextbigfuture.com/2017/08/supercapacitors-game-changing-improvement-on-energy-density-compared-to-batteries.html>

<https://cz.mouser.com/new/eaton/powerstor-eatonxl60-supercapacitors/>

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Lamborghini SIAN



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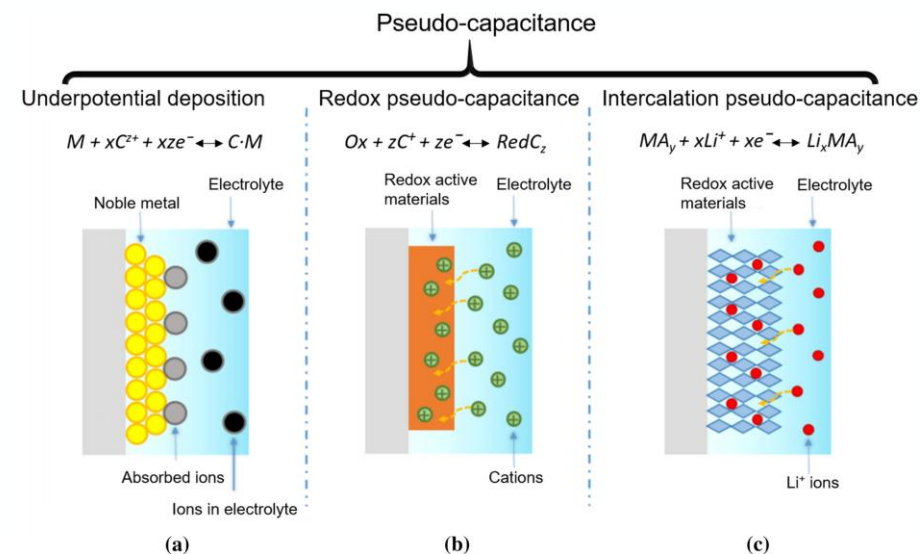
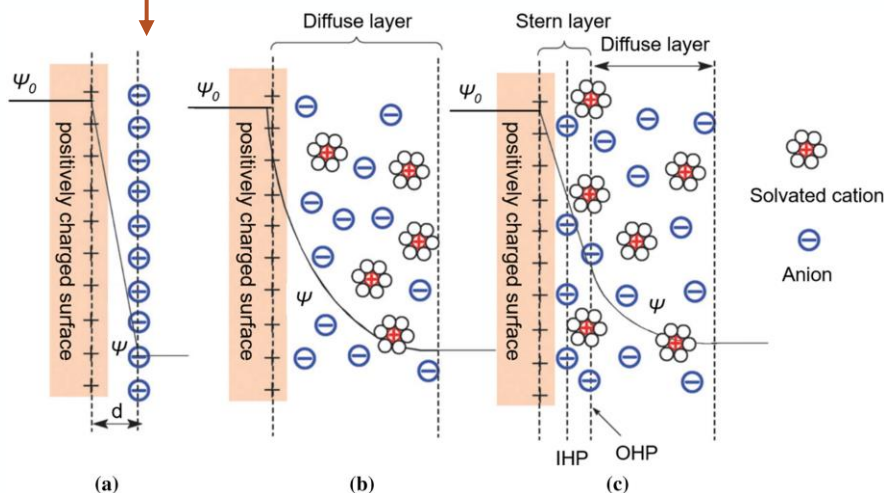
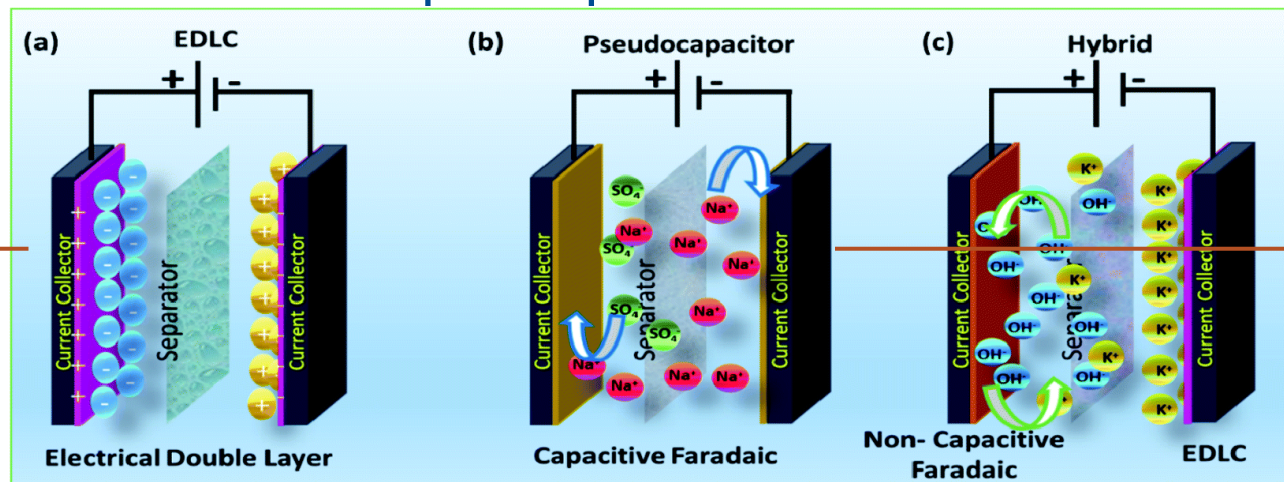
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Electrical double layer capacitor

Potential (V)

50 nm

Bulk

0 0.5 1 Q/Q_{max}

No phase change

Reversible ion adsorption

$i \sim v$

High specific surface area materials.
Example: Porous carbons (CDC, activated carbon), graphene, carbon onions

Porous carbon

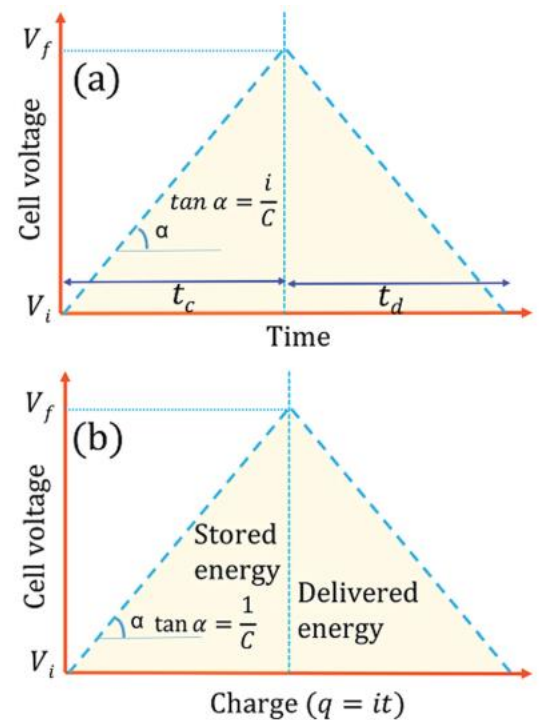


Fig. 6 $V-t$ (a) and $V-q$ (b) plots of the output signal of an ideal capacitor charged with a constant current, i , for a definite time, t , and discharged with the same current.

$$C_{wt} = \frac{4 \int_{V1}^{Vn} i dV}{ms \Delta V} \text{ or } C_{vol} = \frac{4 \int_{V1}^{Vn} i dV}{vs \Delta V} \text{ or}$$

$$C_A = \frac{2 \int_{V1}^{Vn} i dV}{As \Delta V}$$

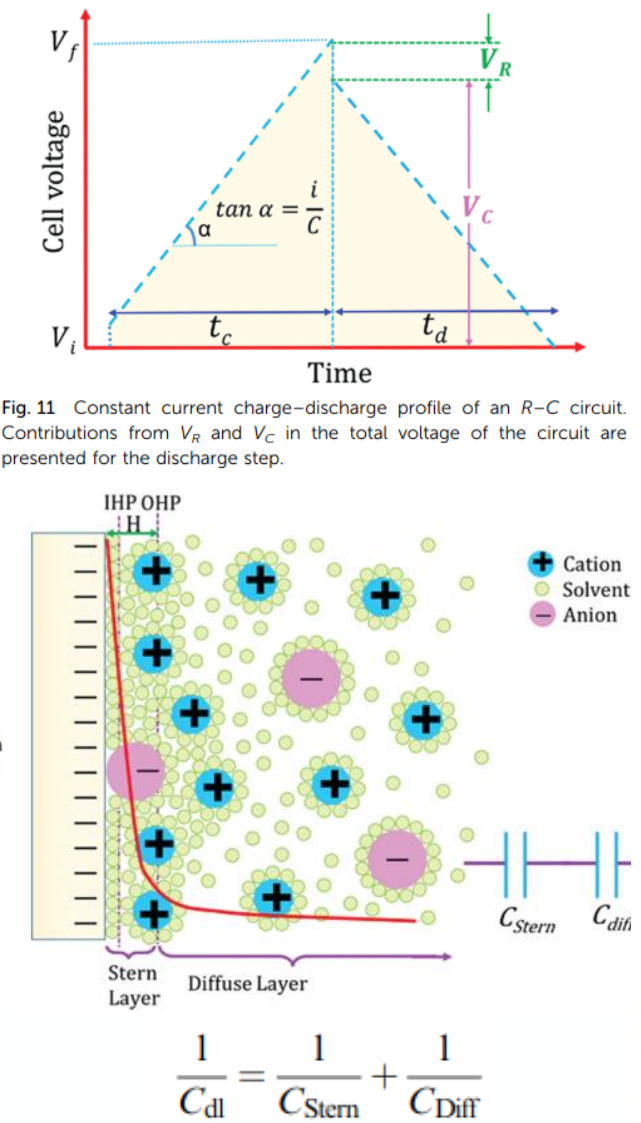


Fig. 11 Constant current charge-discharge profile of an $R-C$ circuit. Contributions from V_R and V_C in the total voltage of the circuit are presented for the discharge step.

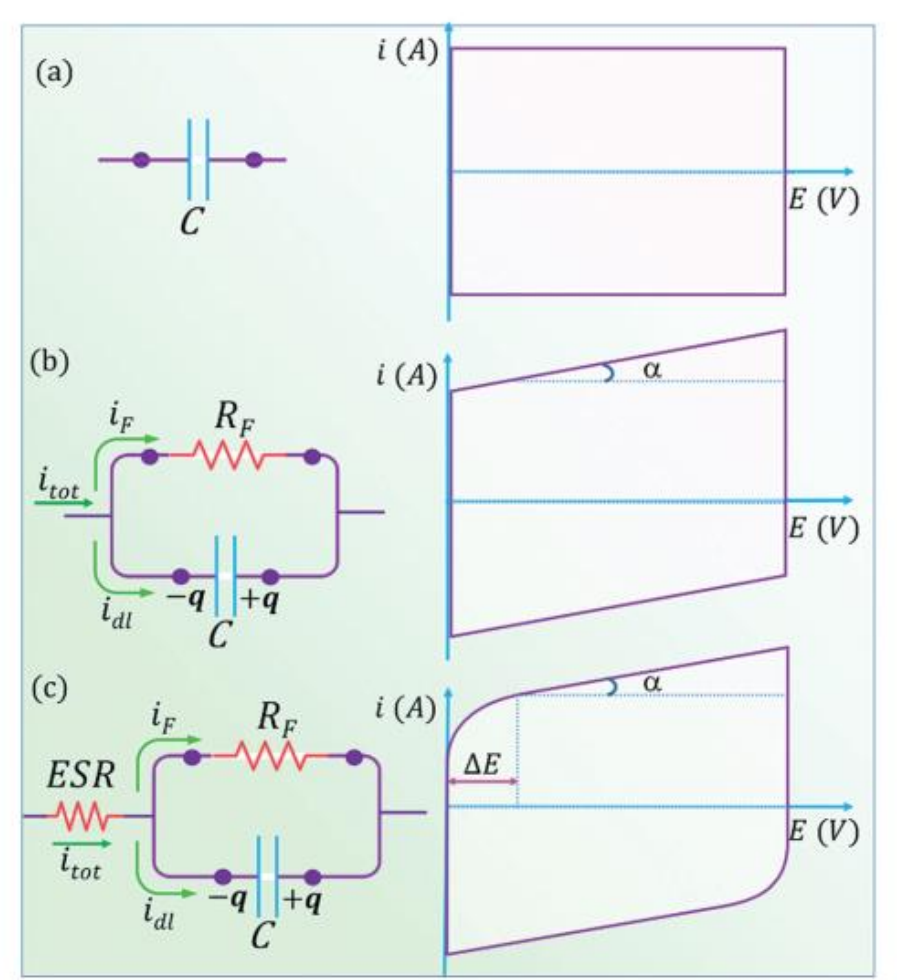


Fig. 38 Schematic representation of the equivalent circuit models and the corresponding CV curves of (a) an ideal electrical double layer capacitor, (b) a capacitor in parallel with a Faradaic charge transfer process, and (c) a simplified supercapacitor model comprising an ESR, Faradaic resistance, and double layer capacitor.

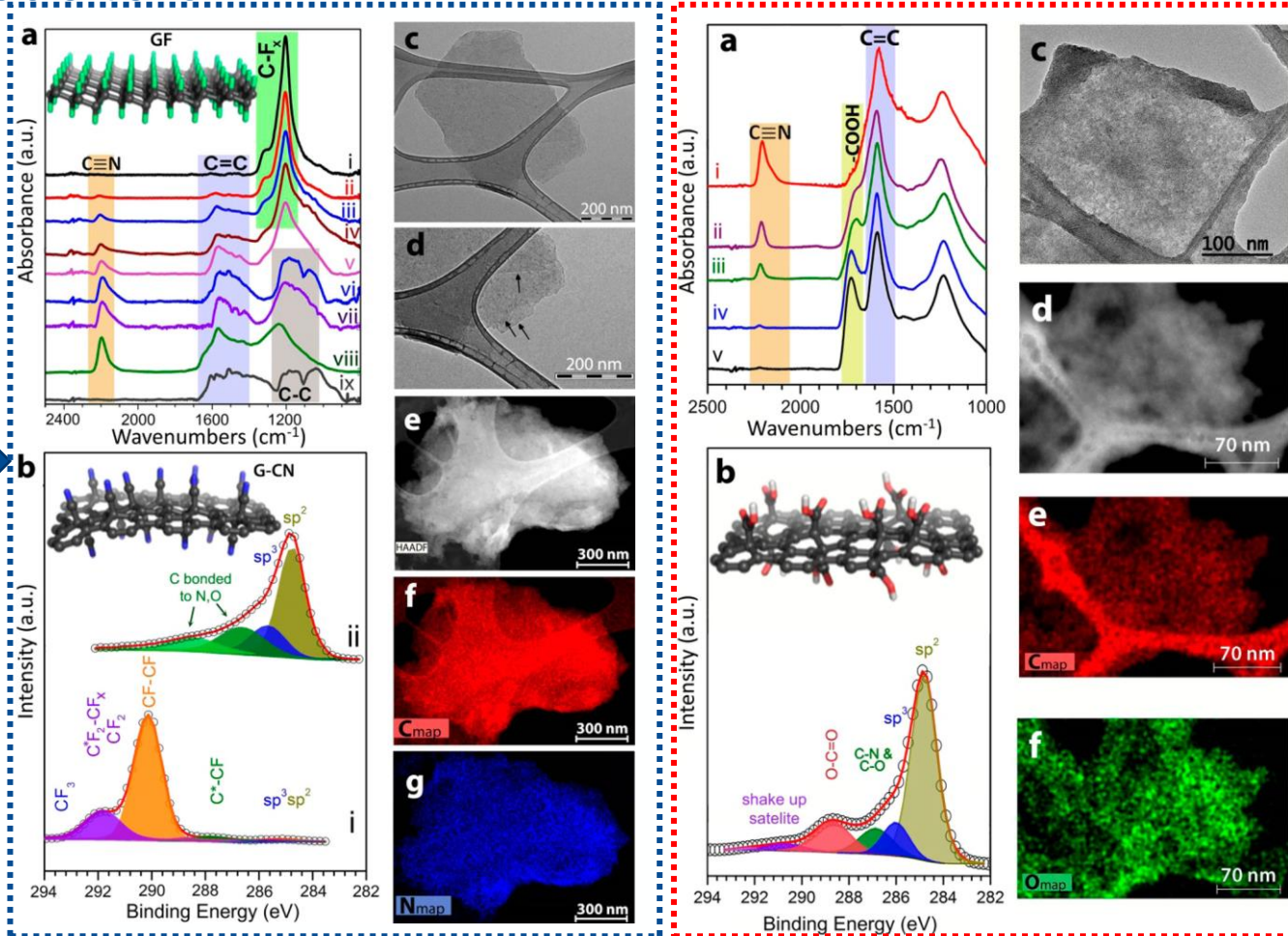
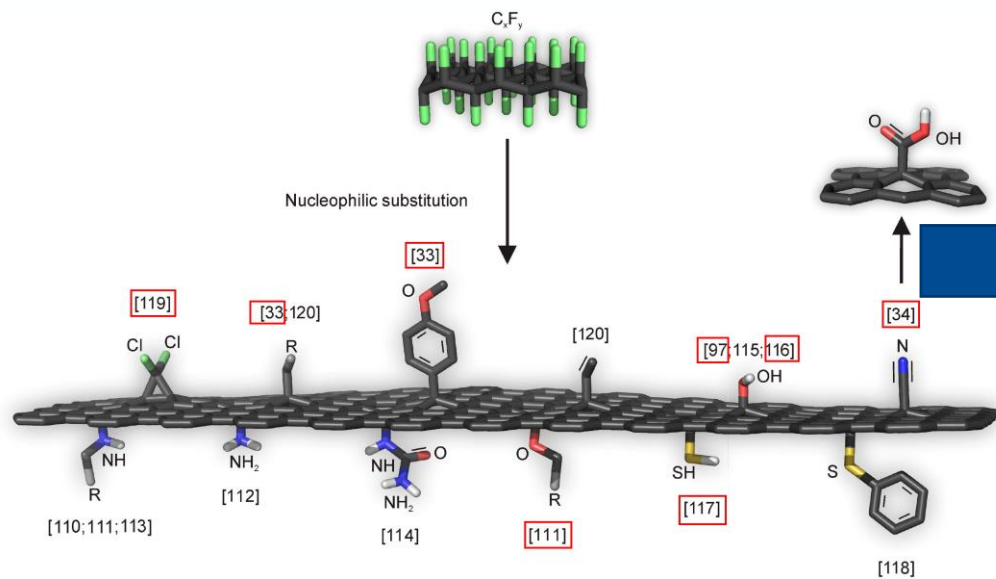
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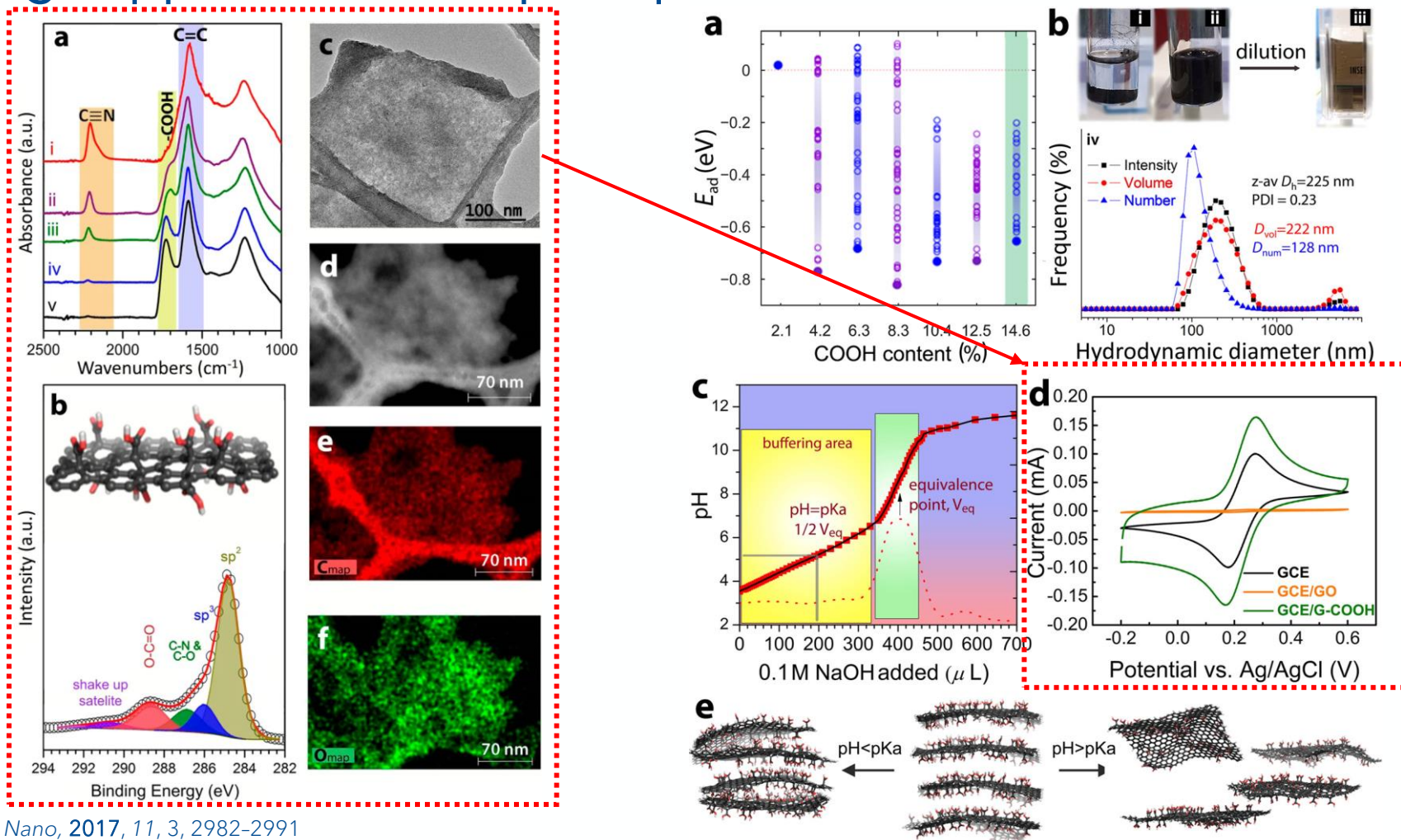
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Preparation of various graphene derivatives using the fluorographene chemistry



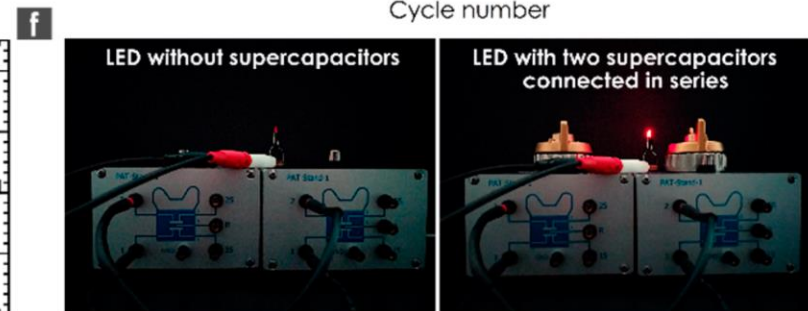
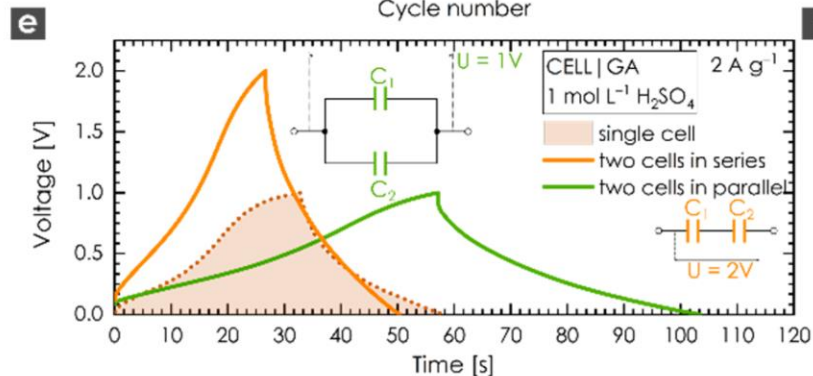
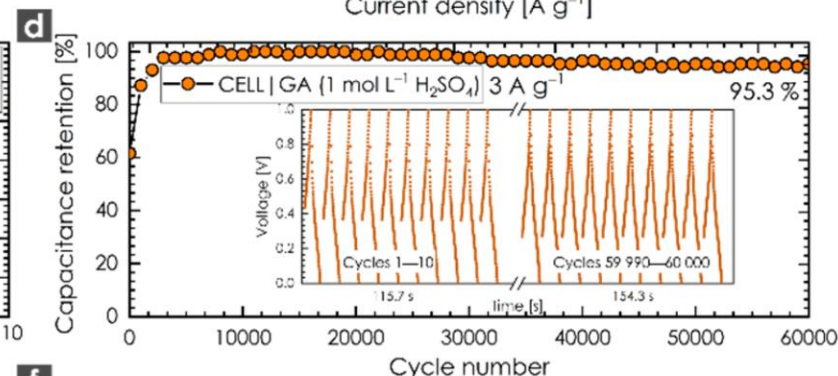
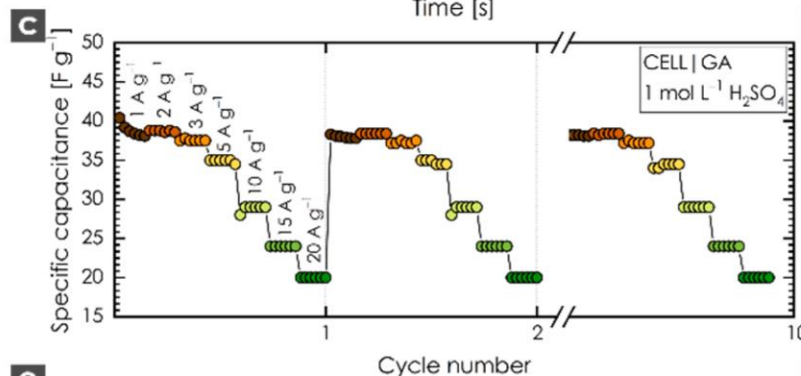
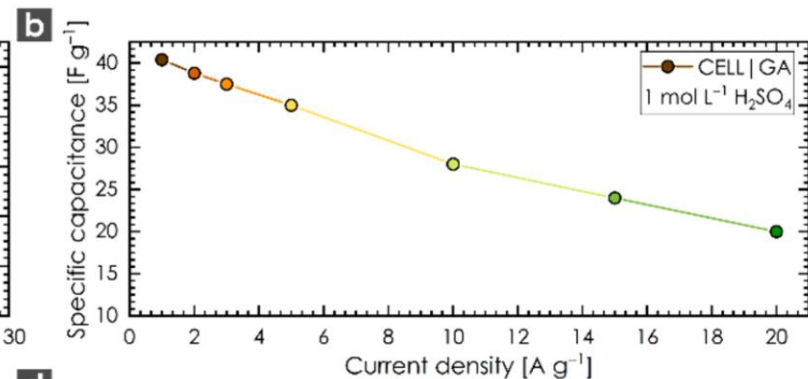
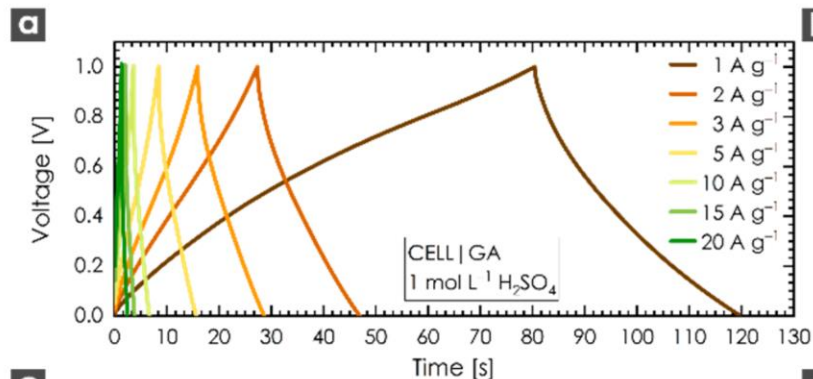
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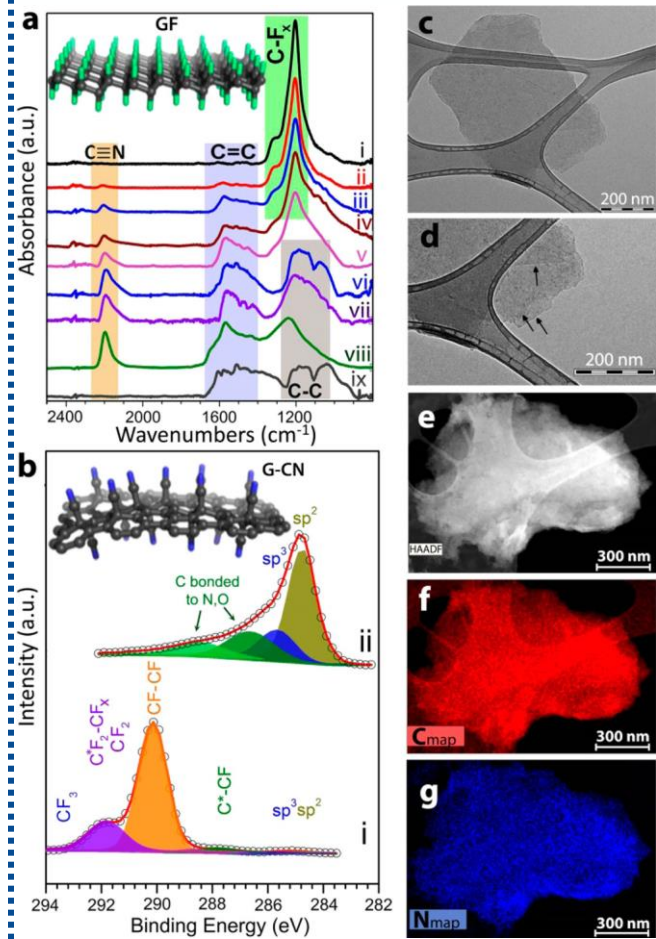


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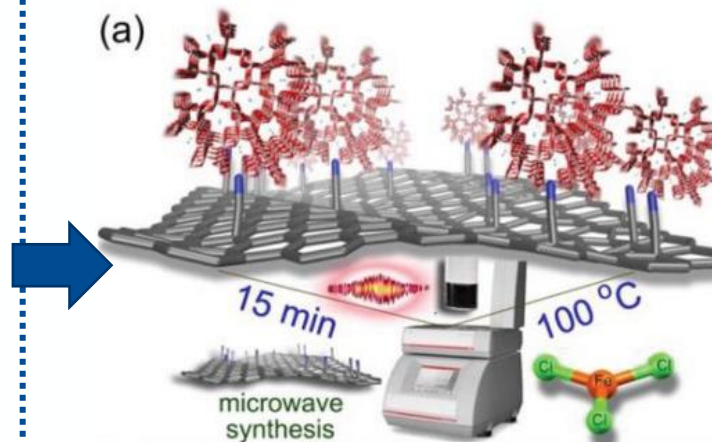
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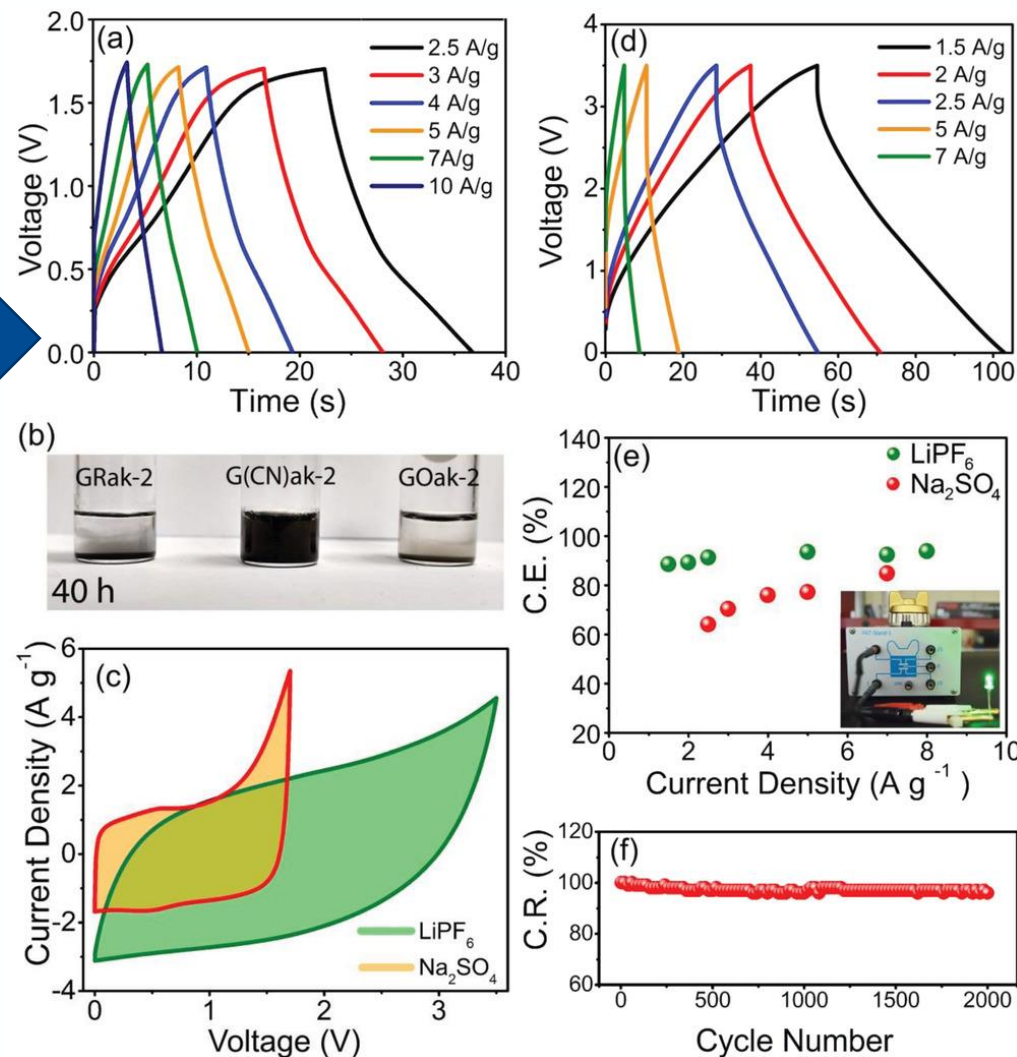
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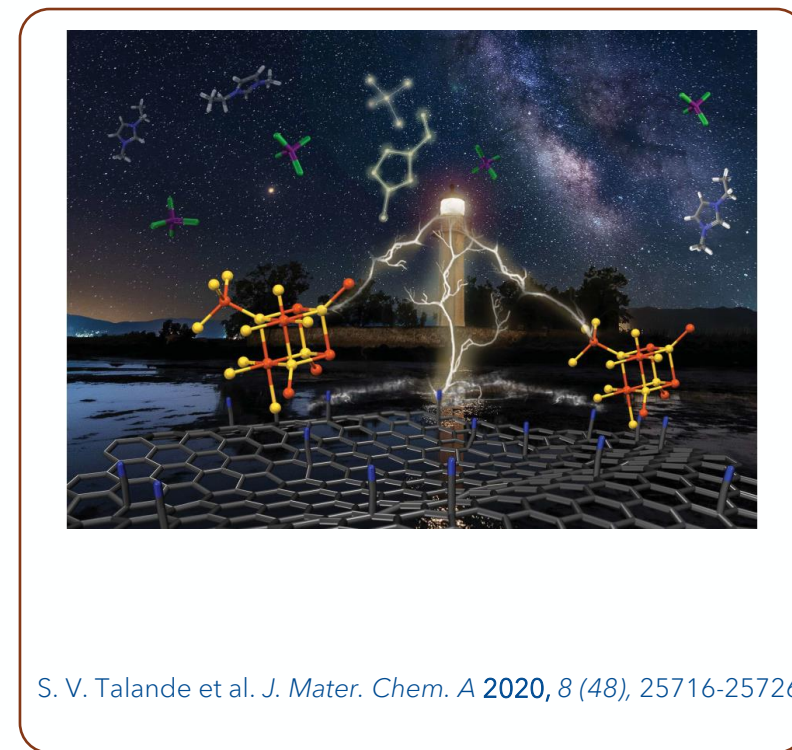
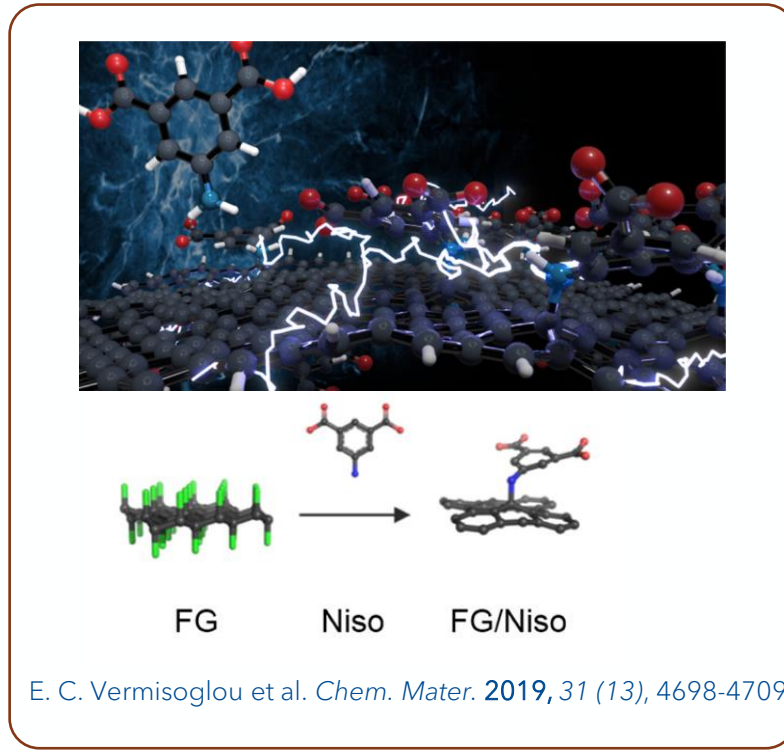
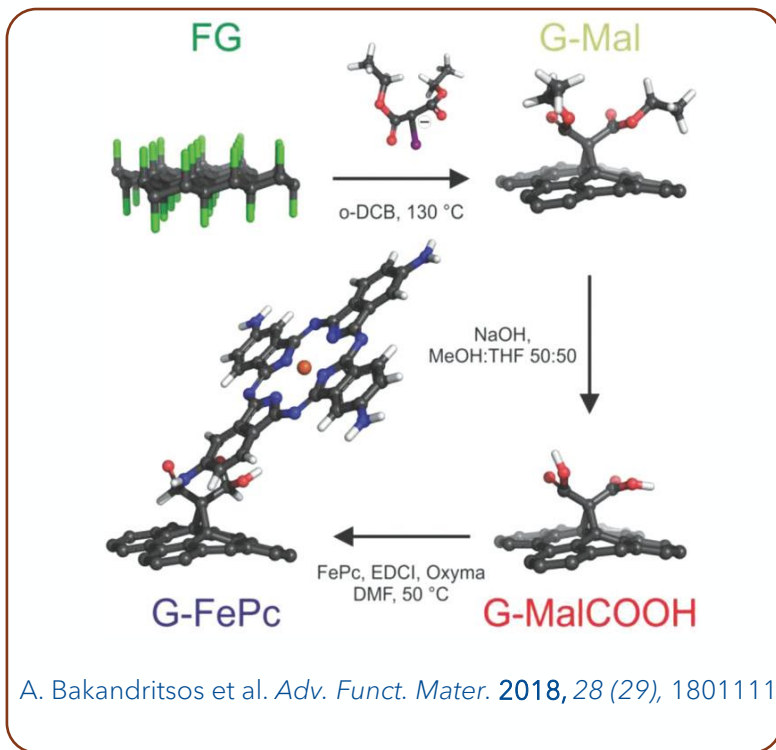
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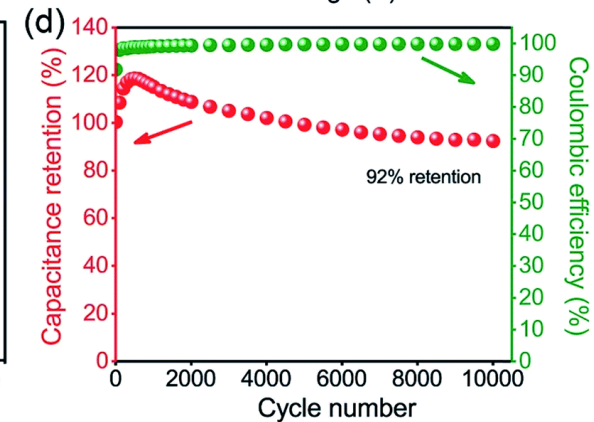
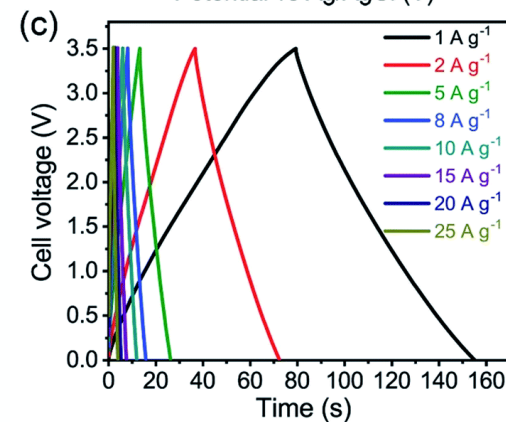
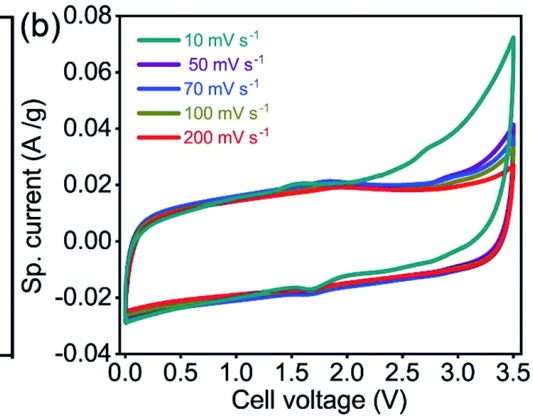
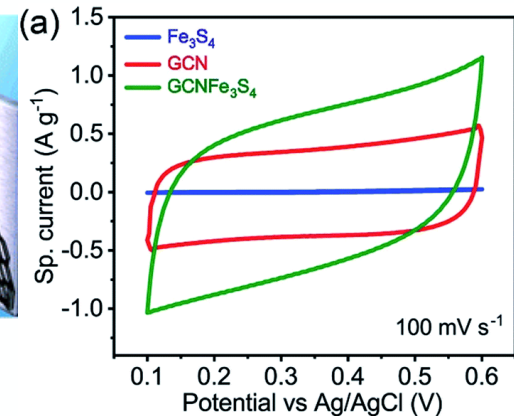
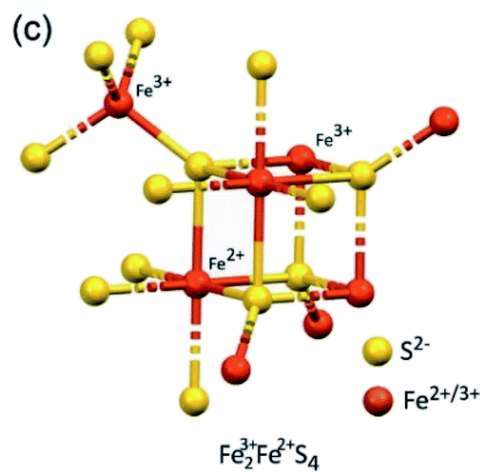
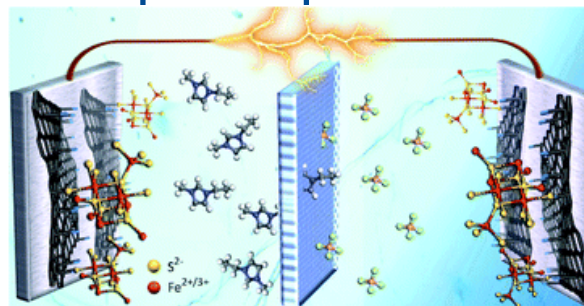
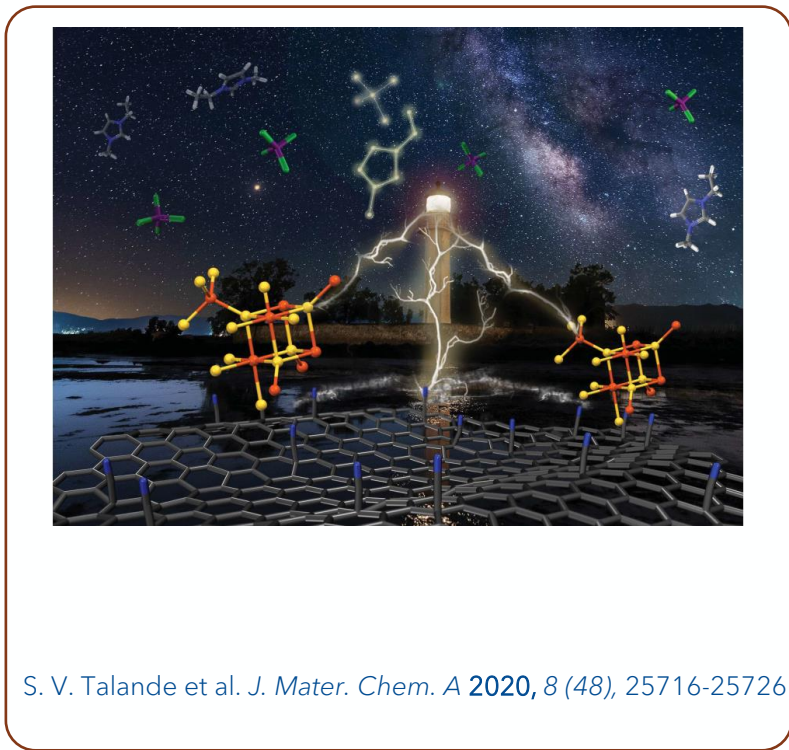
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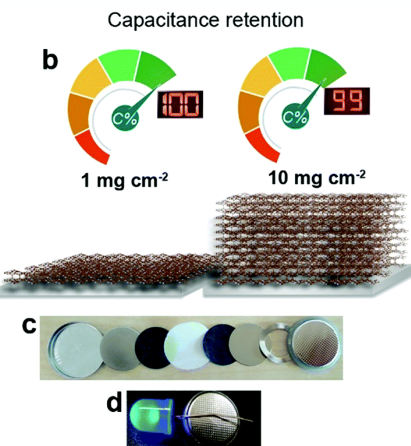
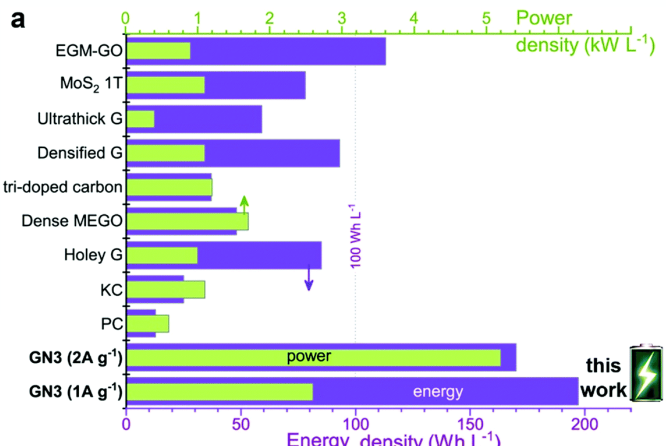
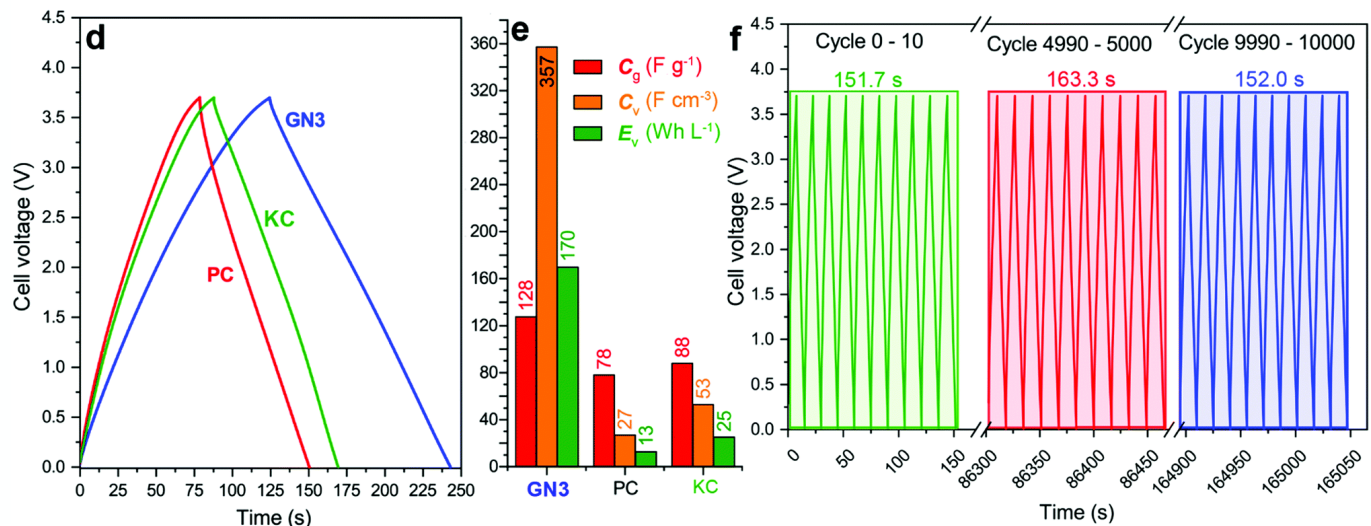
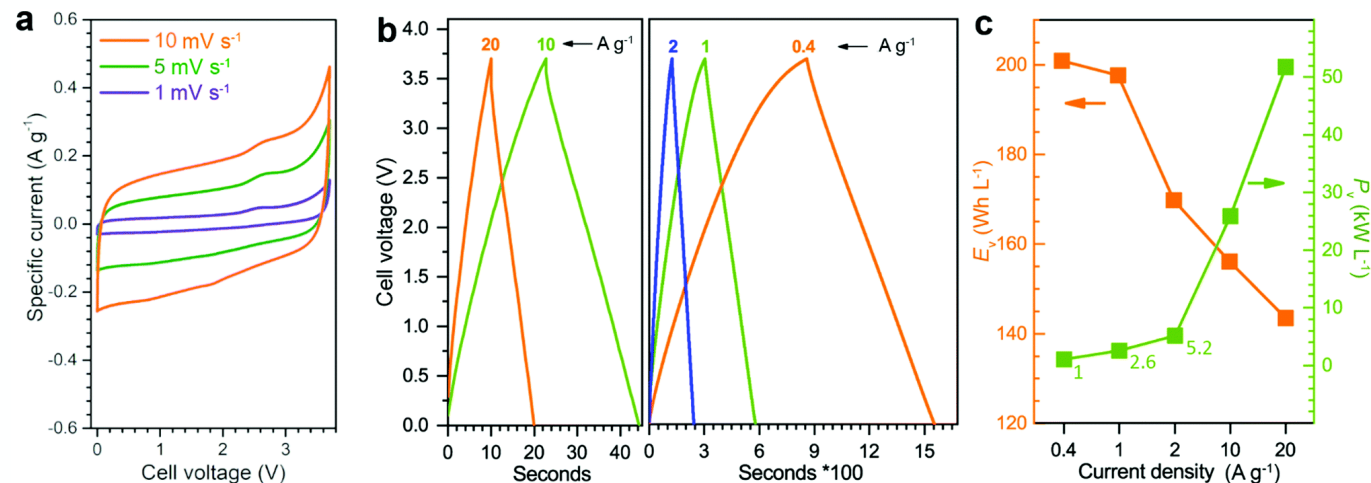
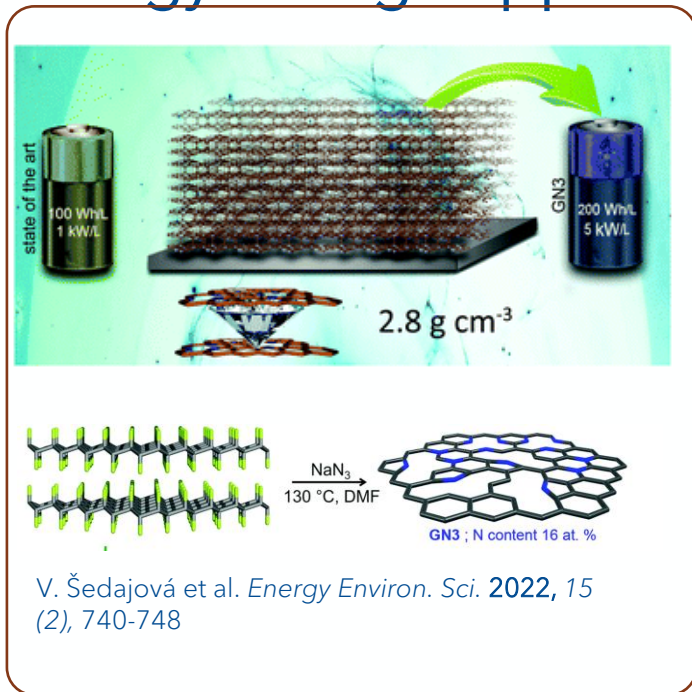
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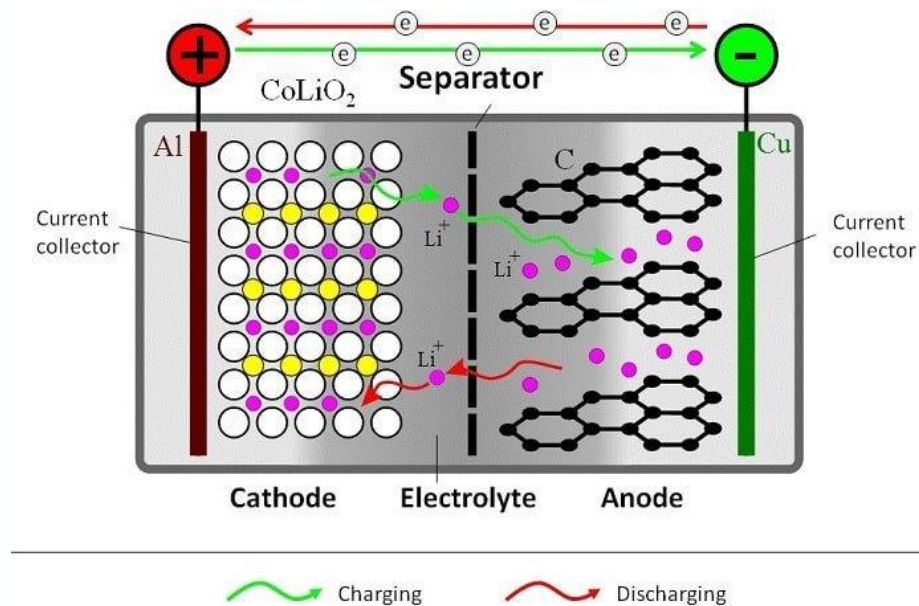


Energy storage applications — Li-ion batteries

- Technology: Anode (carbon), cathode (metal oxide), electrolyte (Li salt in organic solvent).

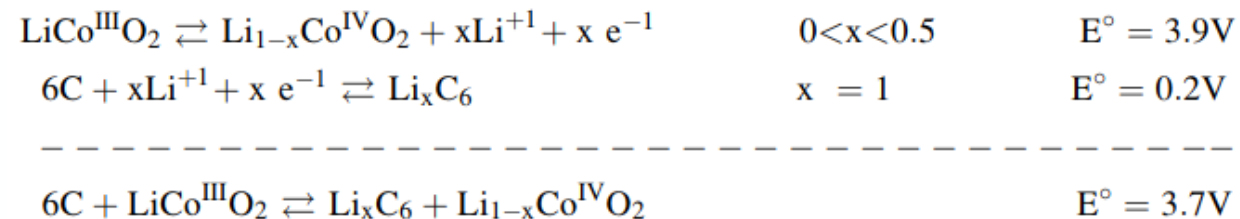
Lithium-ion Batteries Working Principle and its importance

A battery consists of such components as an anode, cathode, separator, electrolyte, and two (positive and negative) current collectors. The lithium is contained in the anode and cathode. The electrolyte acts as a medium to bring positively charged lithium ions through the separator from the anode to the cathode and vice versa. The movement of lithium ions creates free electrons in the anode, creating a charge on the positive current collector. The electrical current then passes through a system that is driven to the negative current collector from the current collector. The separator blocks the flow of electrons in the battery. The anode delivers lithium ions to the cathode while the battery discharges and generates an electrical current, producing a flow of electrons from one side to the other. When the device is plugged in, the opposite happens: the cathode releases lithium ions and the anode receive them.



Advantages:

- Different shapes.
- High energy density - 200 Wh/kg, 530 Wh/l.
- High capacity.
- Low self-discharge (< 5 %).
- No memory effect.
- High nominal voltage: 3,7 V.
- Lifetime 400-2500 cycles.



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Energy storage applications — Li-ion batteries

❑ Disadvantages:

- Ageing - losing capacity does not matter if they are new or used.
- When used in inappropriate way a high risk of explosion or self ignition
- Really bad when completely discharged for the long time.
- Hard to recycle.
- Hazardous for the environment.



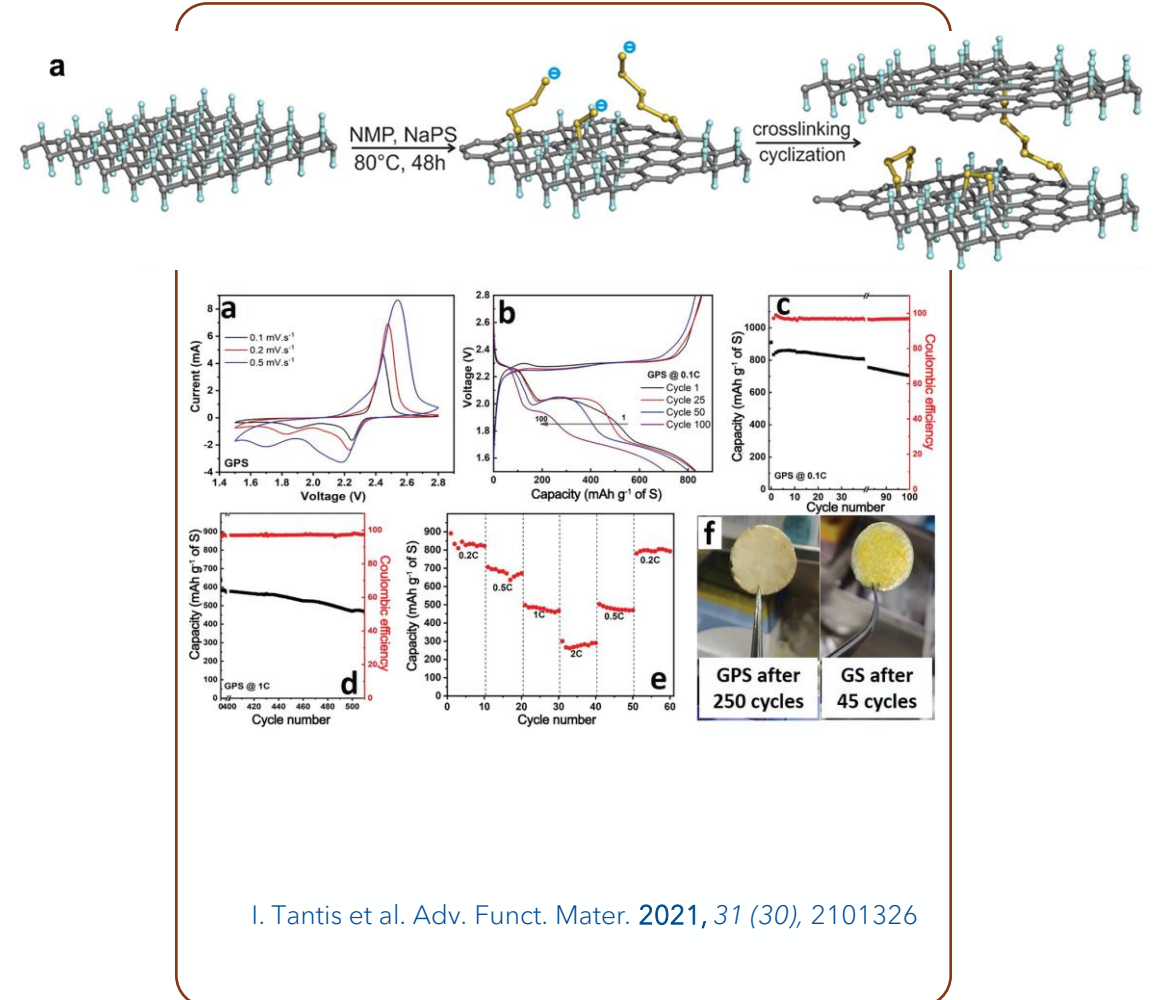
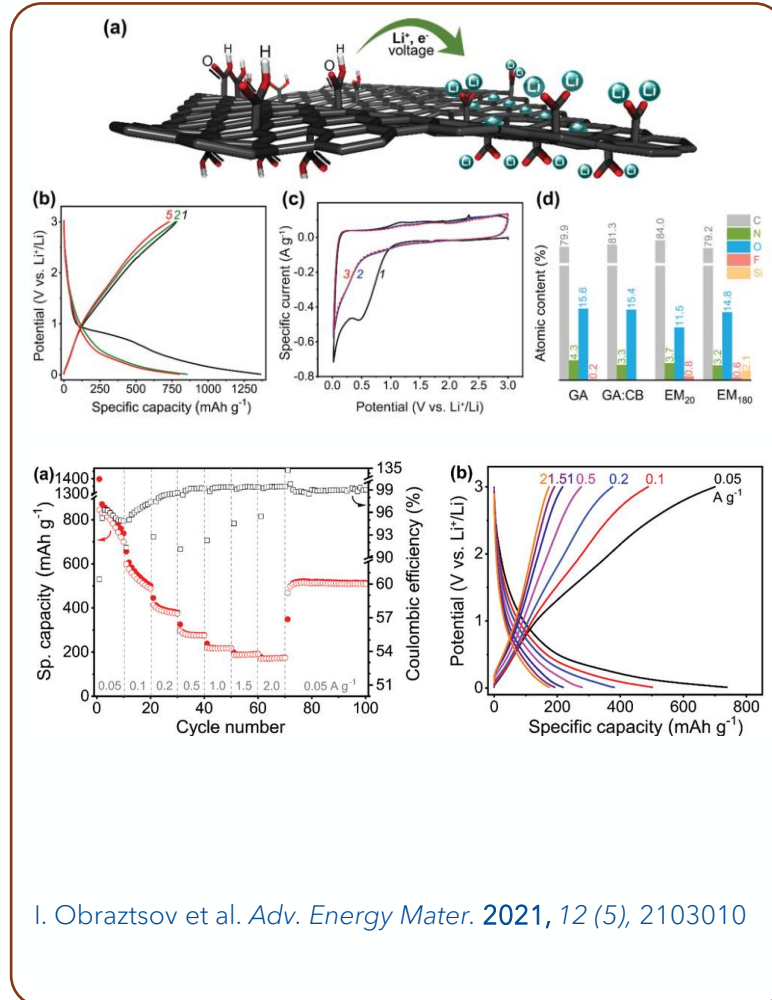
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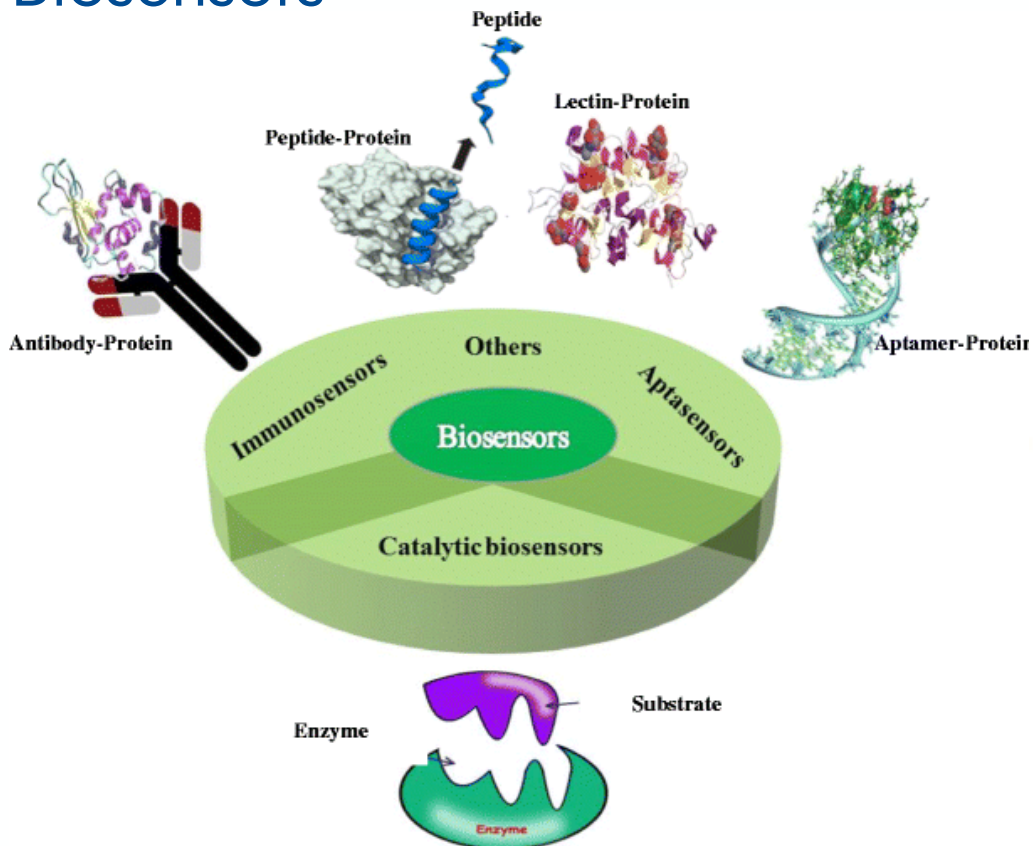
ADVANTAGES	DISADVANTAGES
 Doesn't depend on fossil fuels for your commutation	 Priced 30-40% higher than their regular counterparts
 Electric vehicles are known for their always-on power delivery	 Charging infrastructure not adequate
 Electric vehicles are silent operators	 Driving range offered by battery technology is not adequate
 Running on electricity means good bye to exhaust gases. Say hello to clean air!	 Battery packs that power them are highly susceptible to wear & tear and expensive



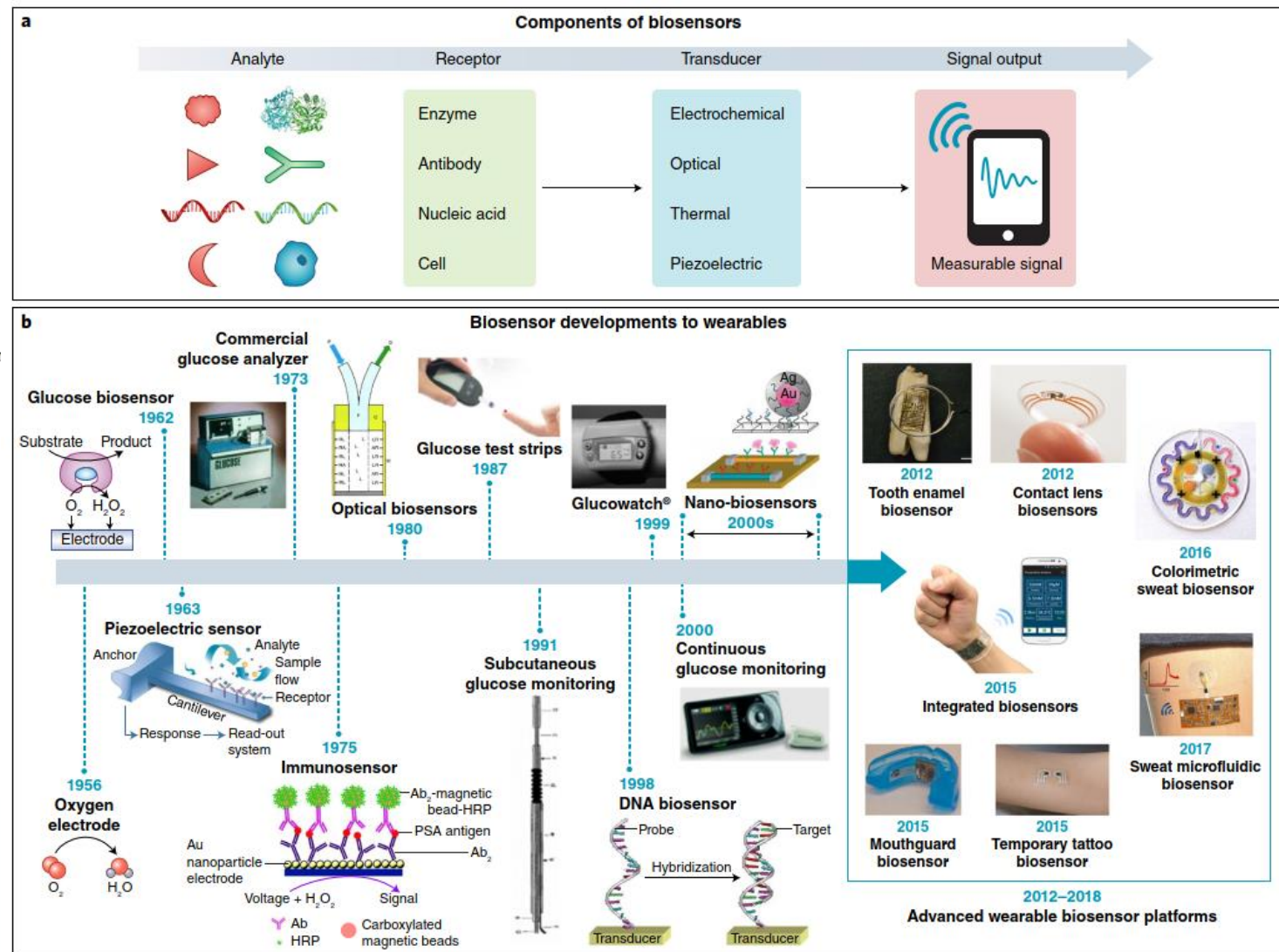
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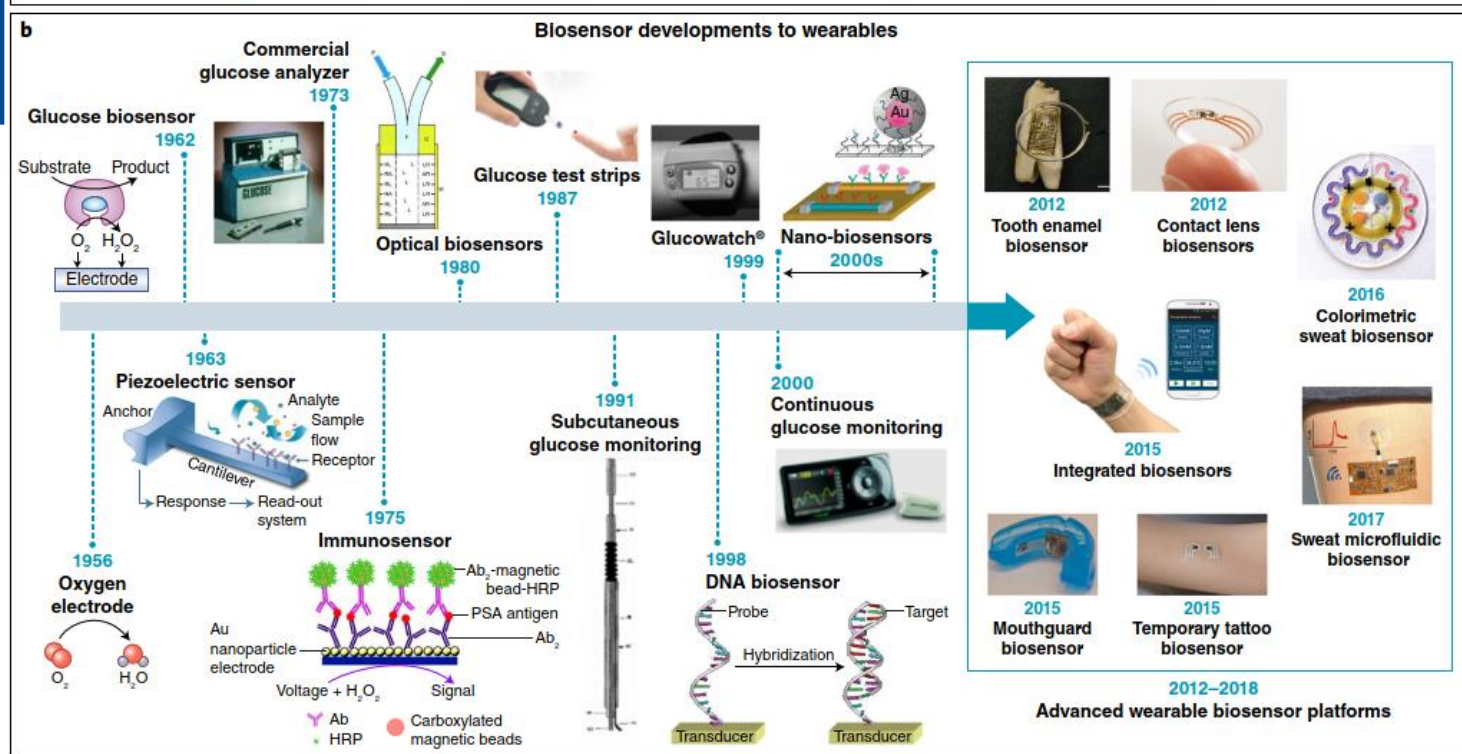
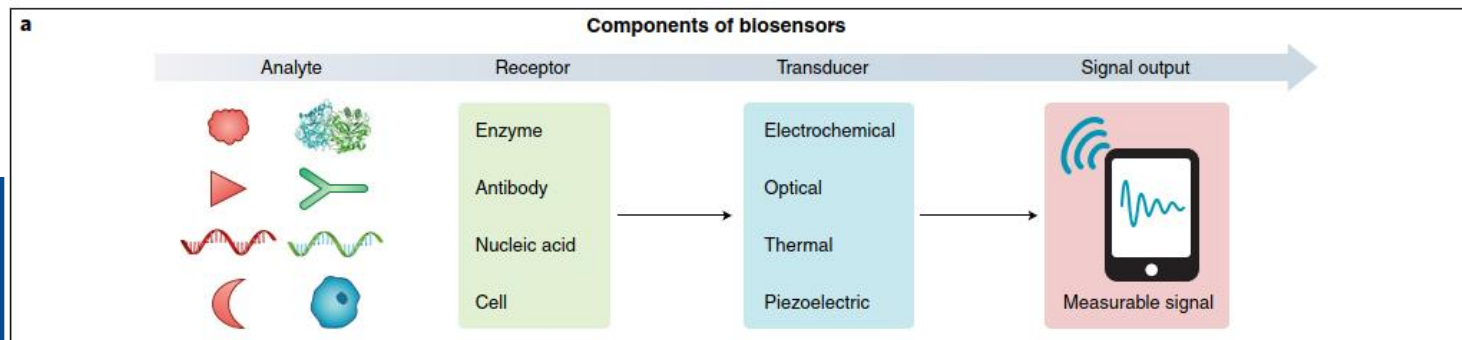
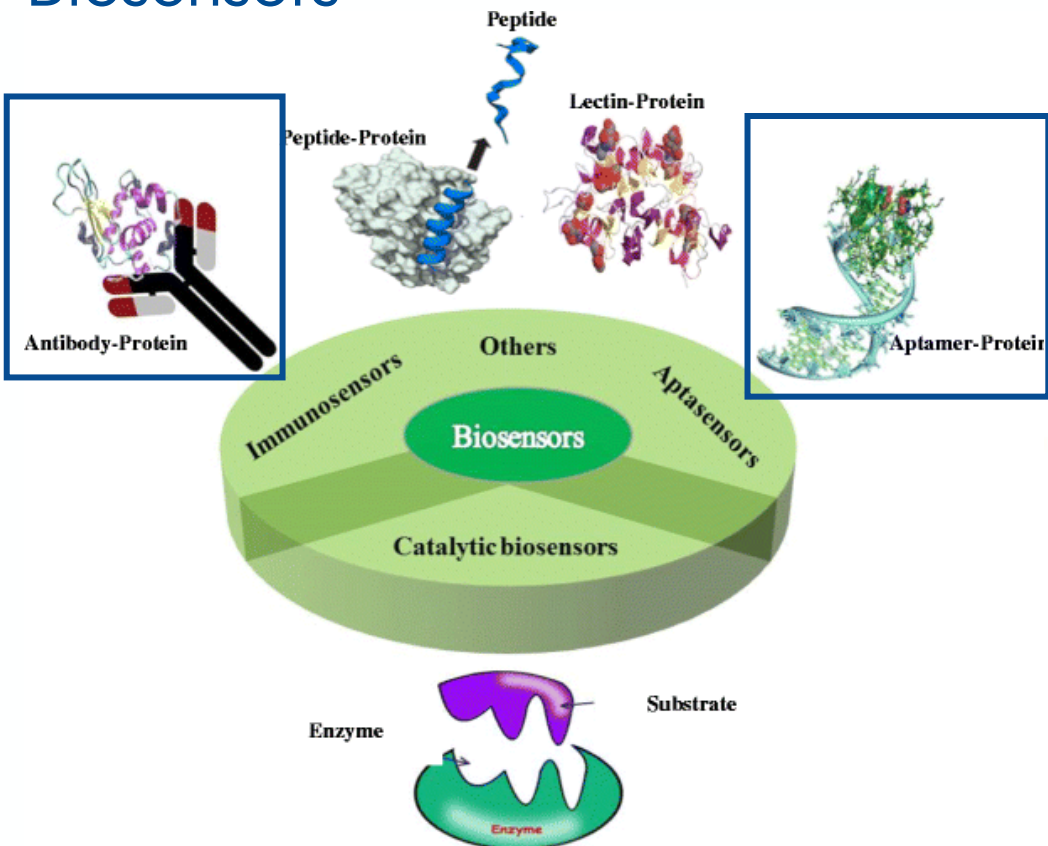
Biosensors



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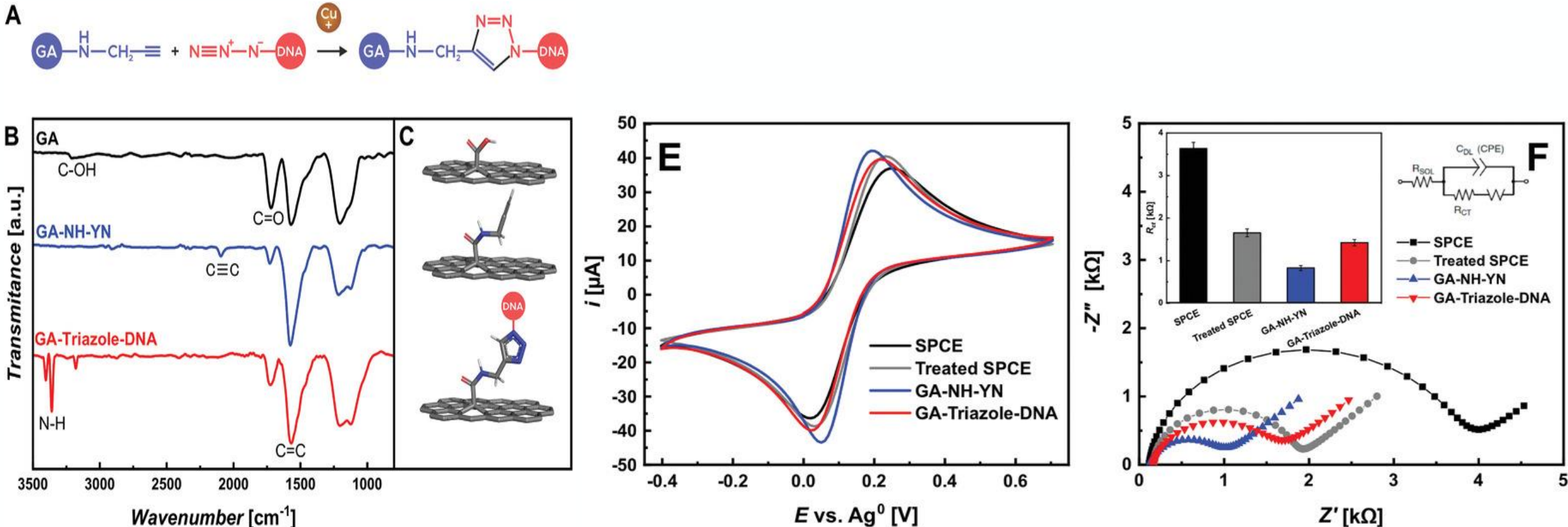


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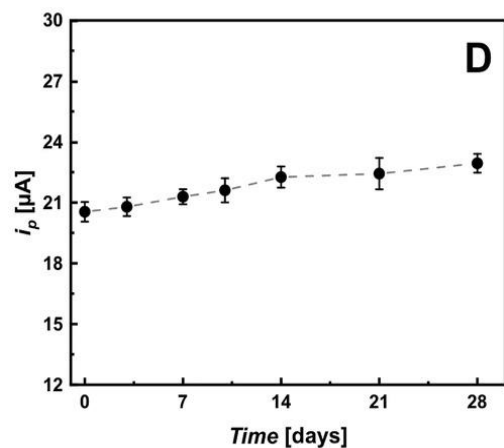
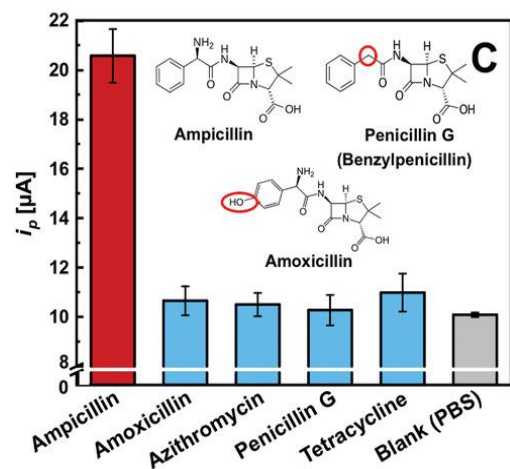
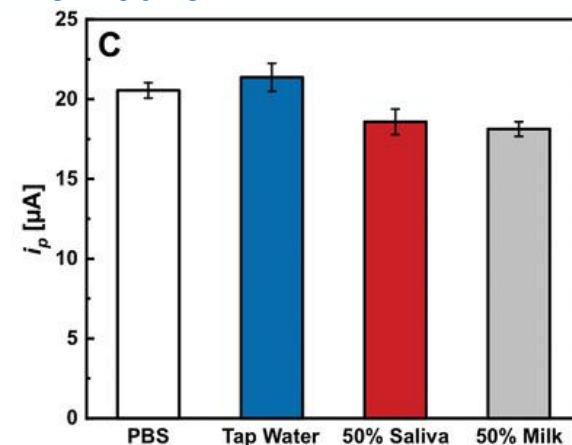
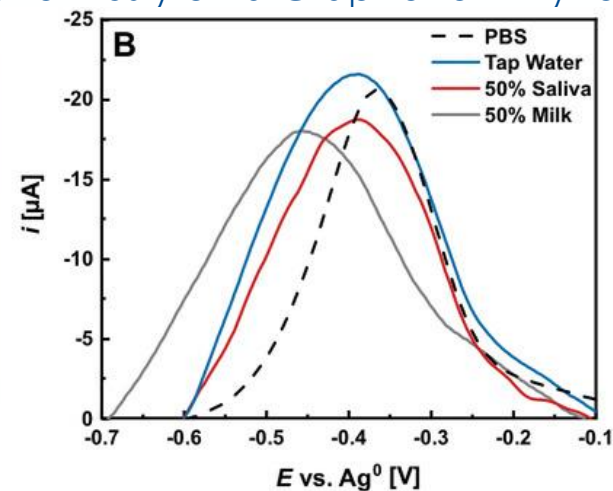
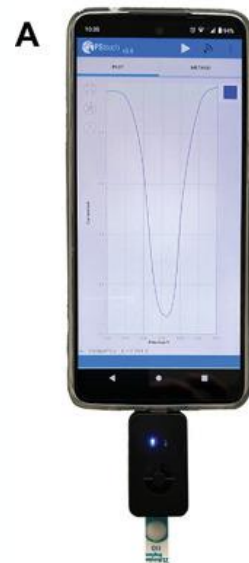
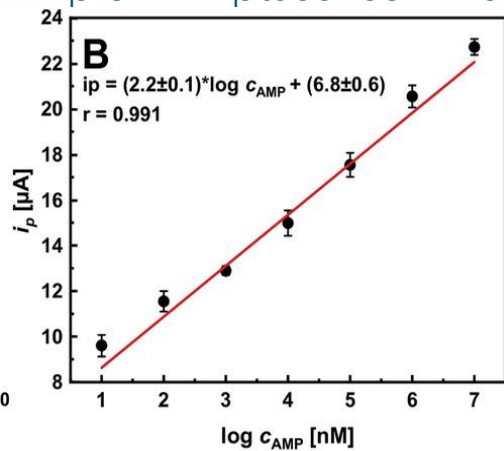
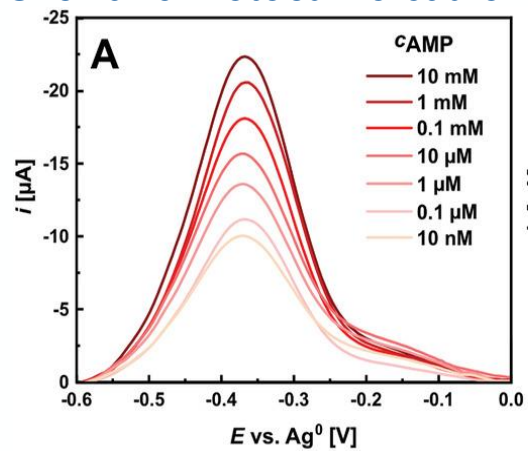
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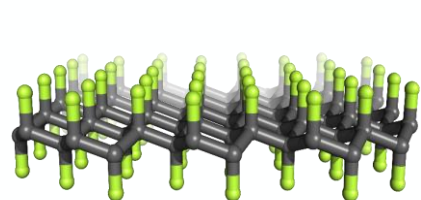
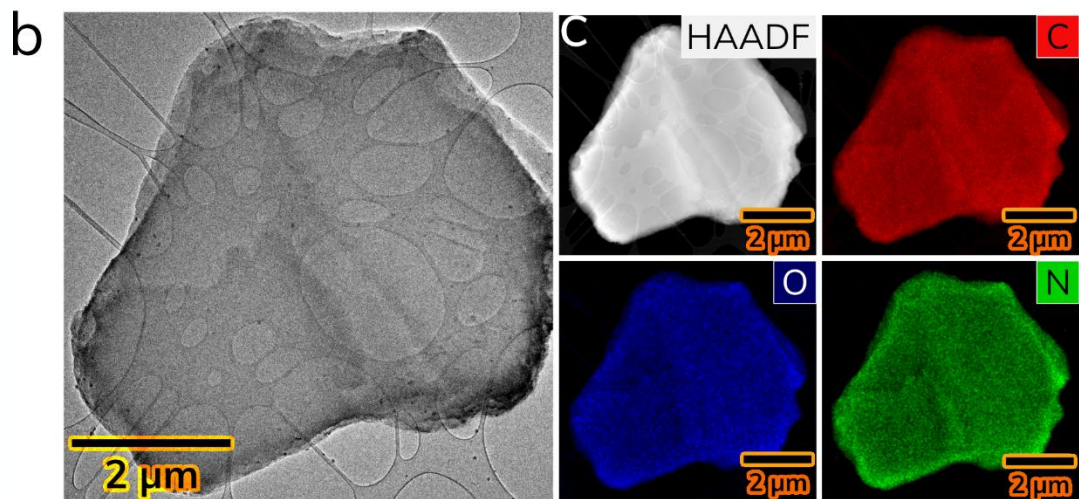
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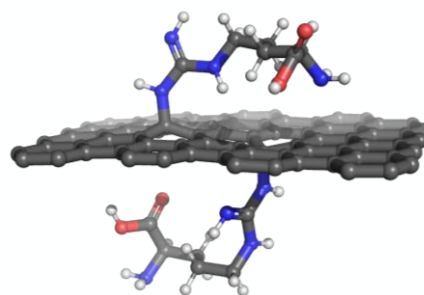


Graphene-arginine sensing platform for the detection of endothelial protein C receptor



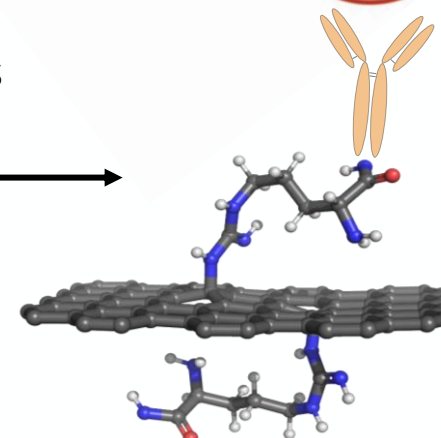
Fluorographene

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2. HCl

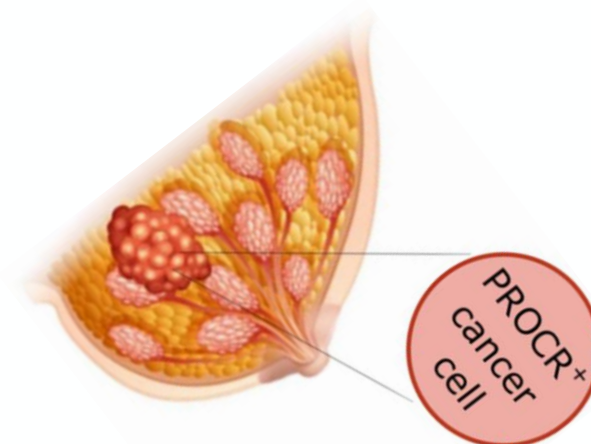


Graphene-Arginine

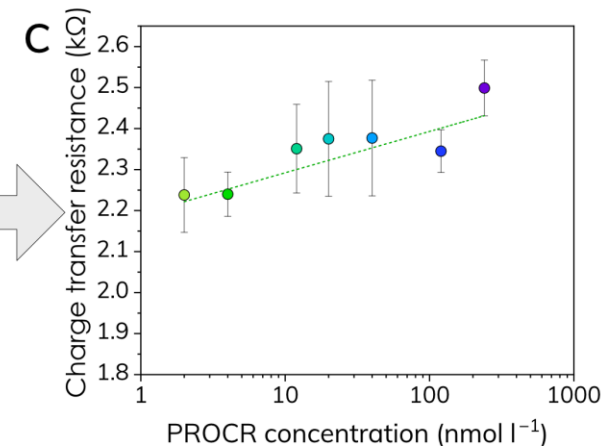
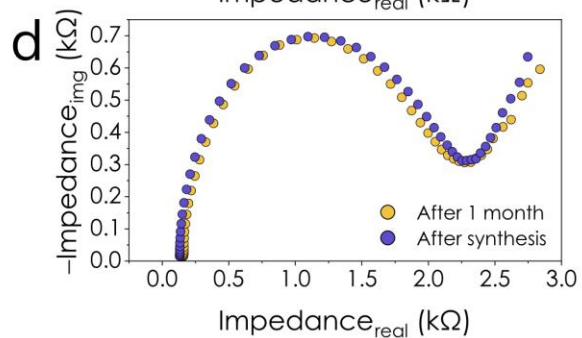
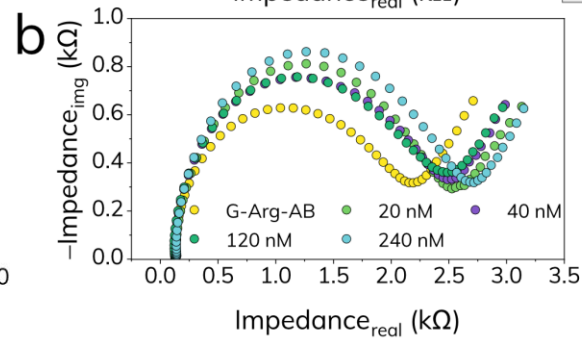
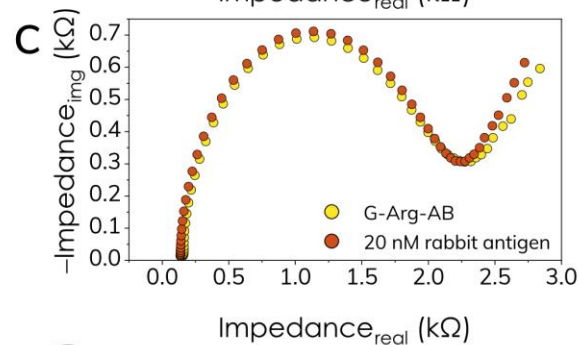
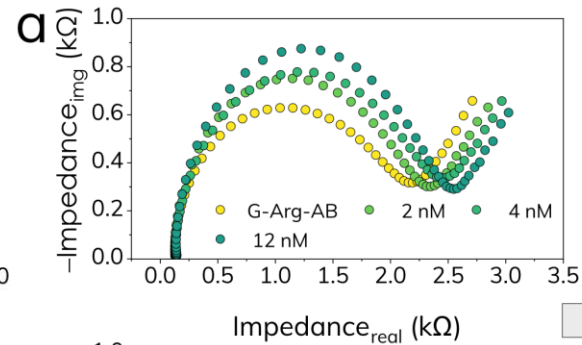
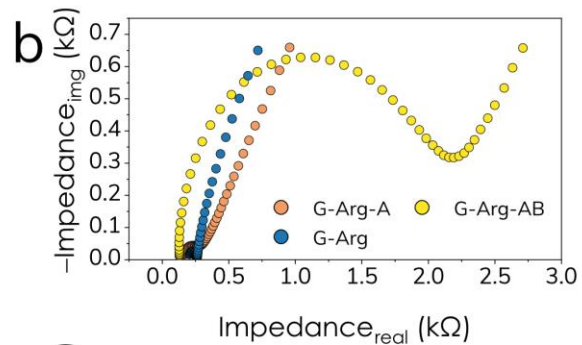
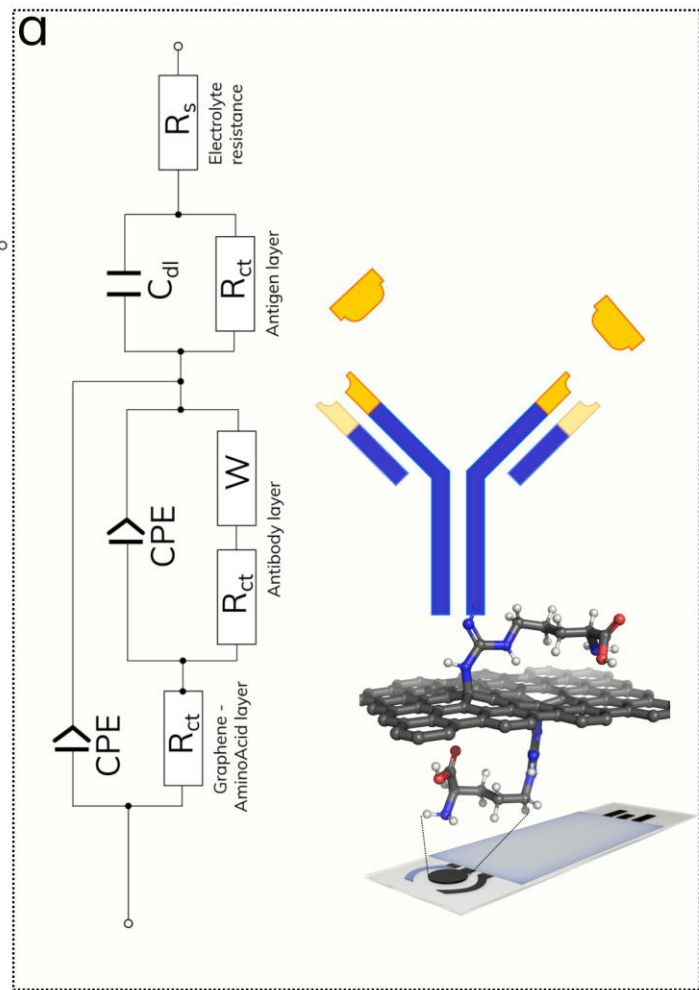
1. EDC/S-NHS
2. Antibody
3. BSA



Immunosensor



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