

Zinc-bromine and all-vanadium flow batteries





Overview

At present, the commercial market circulates all-vanadium flow batteries and zinc-bromine flow batteries, but the development of these two flow batteries are limited owing to their low energy density and safety problems caused by electrolyte corrosion and growth of zinc dendrites. Are zinc-bromine flow batteries suitable for large-scale energy storage?

Zinc-bromine flow batteries (ZBFBs) offer great potential for large-scale energy storage owing to the inherent high energy density and low cost. However, practical applications of this technology are hindered by low power density and short cycle life, mainly due to large polarization and non-uniform zinc deposition.

What is a zinc-based flow battery?

The history of zinc-based flow batteries is longer than that of the vanadium flow battery but has only a handful of demonstration systems. The currently available demo and application for zinc-based flow batteries are zinc-bromine flow batteries, alkaline zinc-iron flow batteries, and alkaline zinc-nickel flow batteries.

What are zinc-bromine flow batteries?

In particular, zinc-bromine flow batteries (ZBFBs) have attracted considerable interest due to the high theoretical energy density of up to 440 Wh kg^{-1} and use of low-cost and abundant active materials [10, 11].

What is a non-flow electrolyte in a zinc-bromine battery?

In the early stage of zinc-bromine batteries, electrodes were immersed in a non-flowing solution of zinc-bromide that was developed as a flowing electrolyte over time. Both the zinc-bromine static (non-flow) system and the flow system share the same electrochemistry, albeit with different features and limitations.



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