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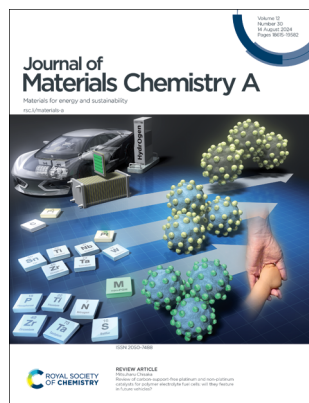
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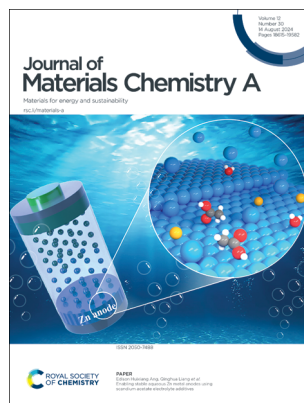
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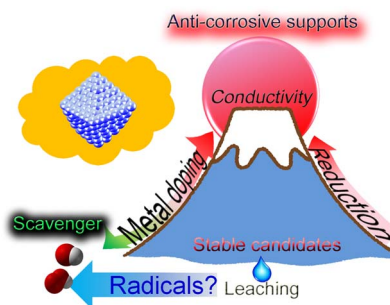
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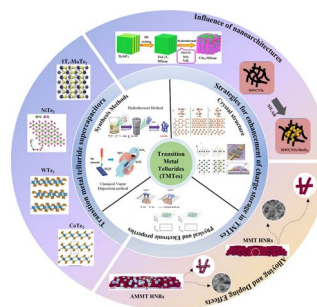
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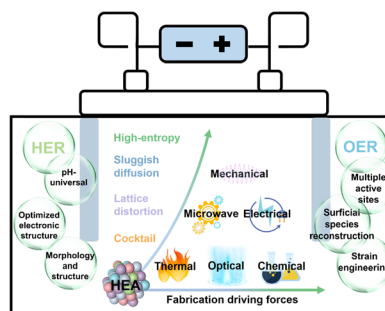


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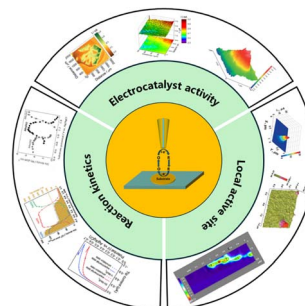
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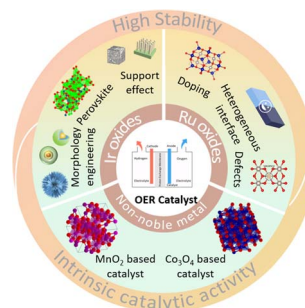
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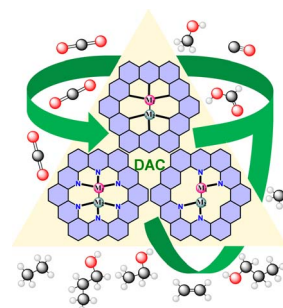
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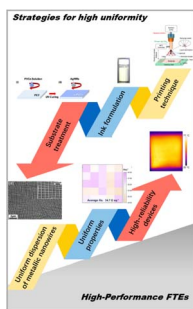
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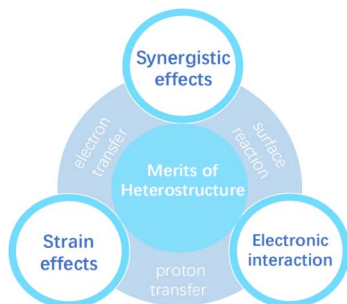
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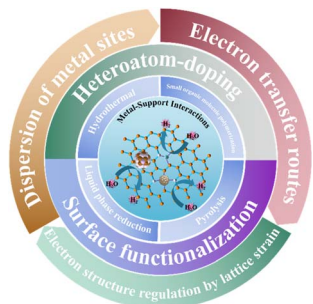
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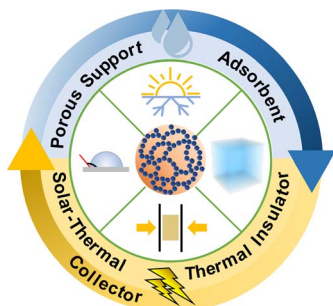
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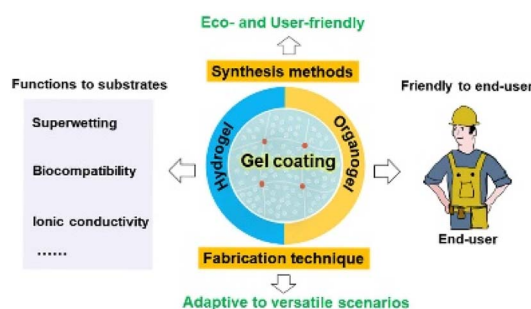


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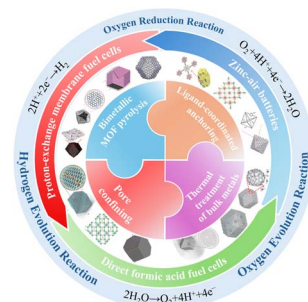
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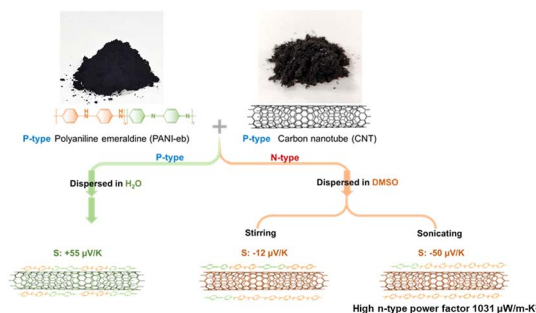


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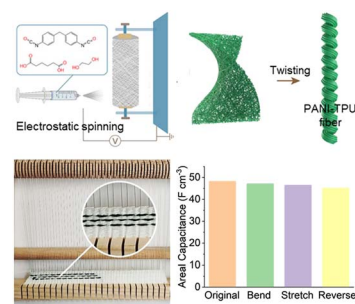
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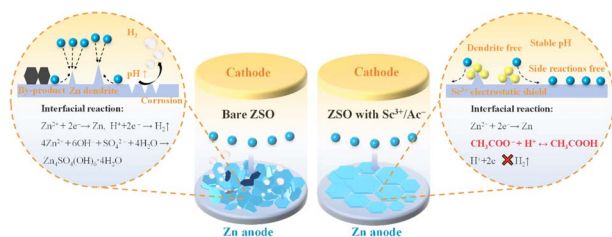
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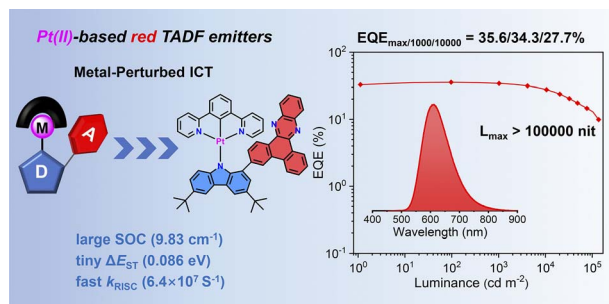
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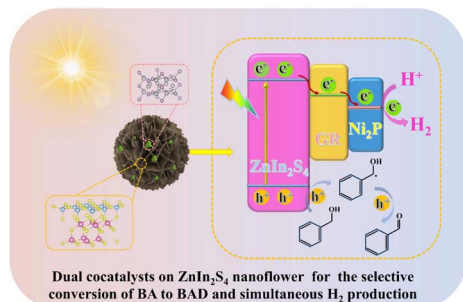
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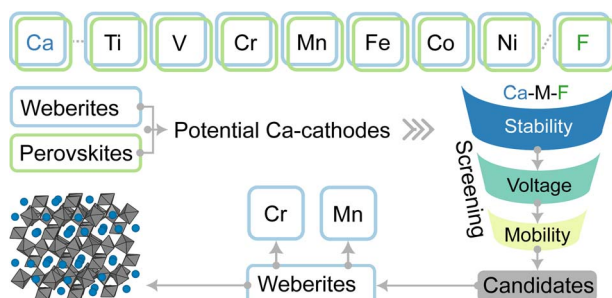
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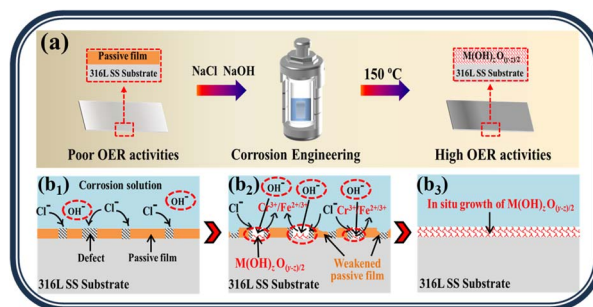
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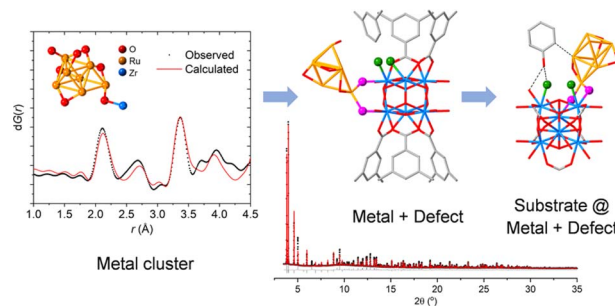
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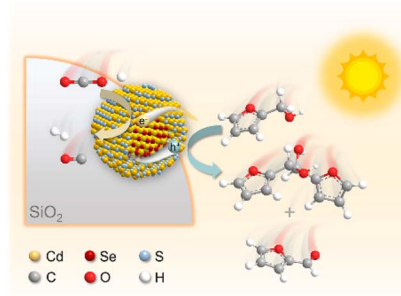
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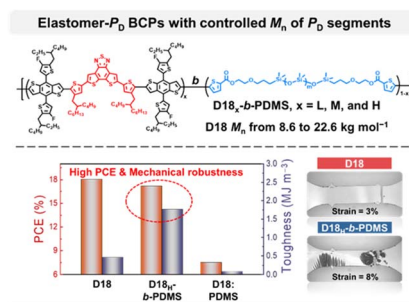
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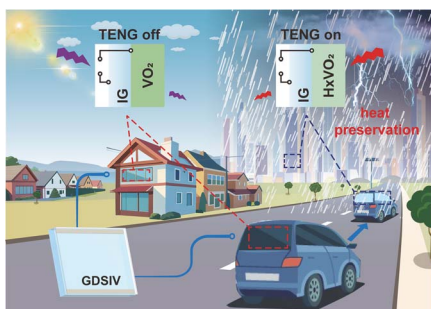
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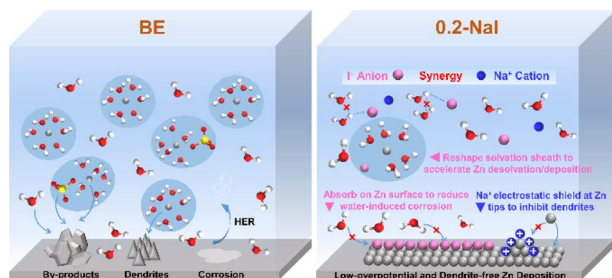
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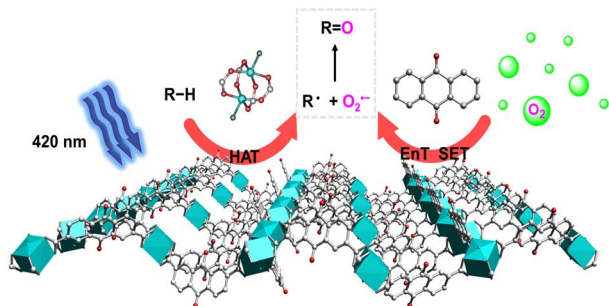
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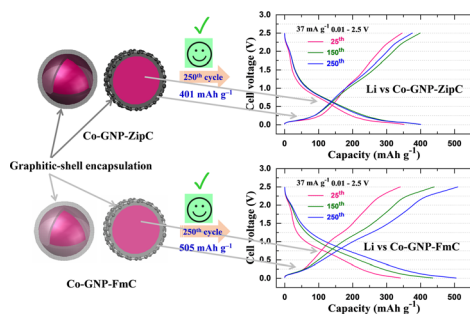
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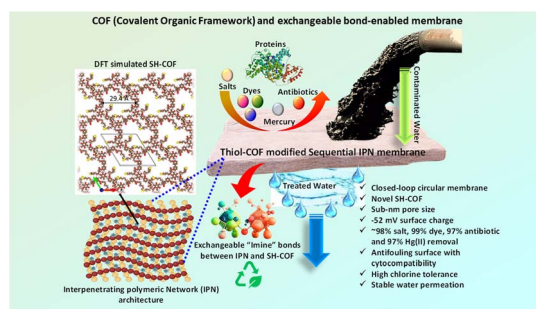
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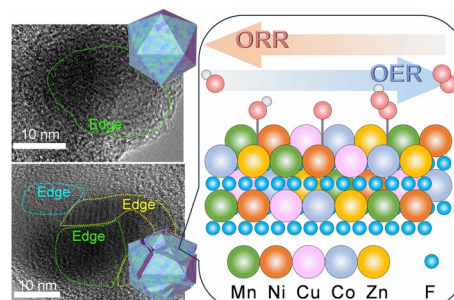
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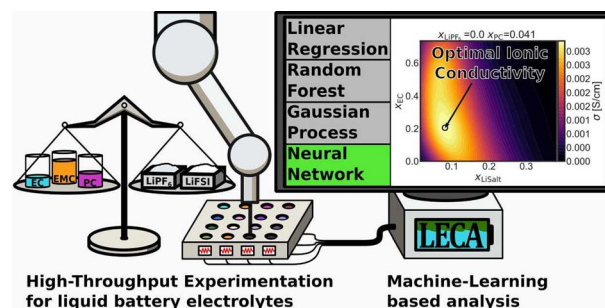
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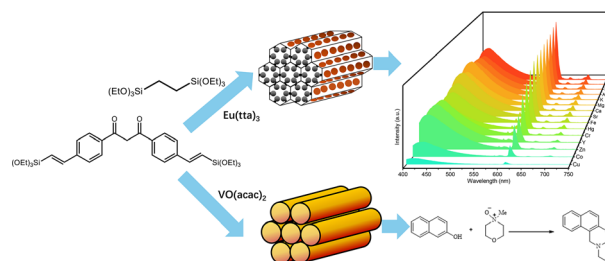
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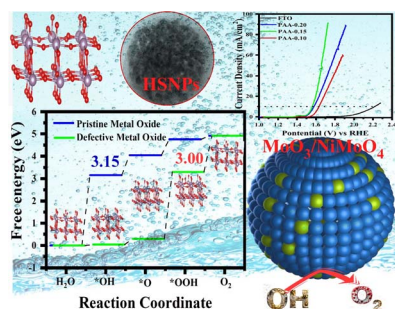
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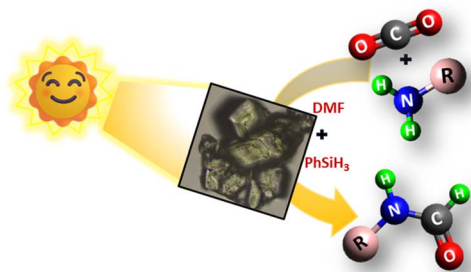
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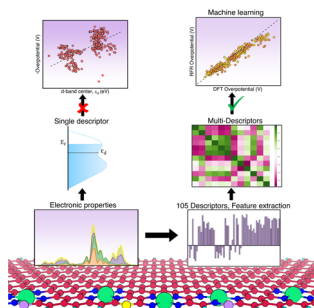
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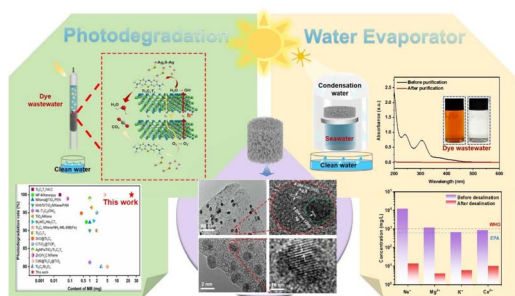
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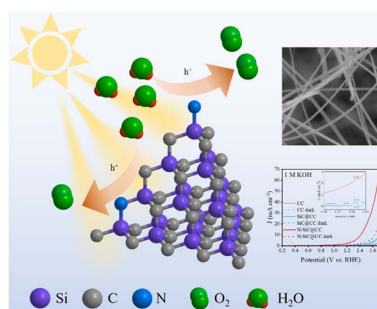
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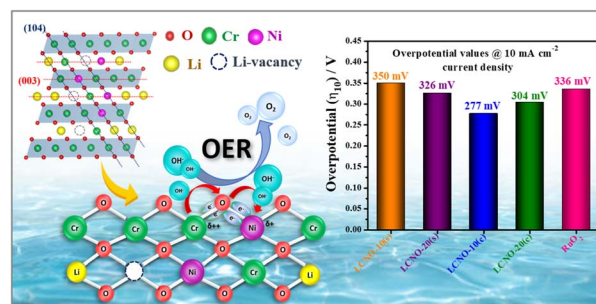
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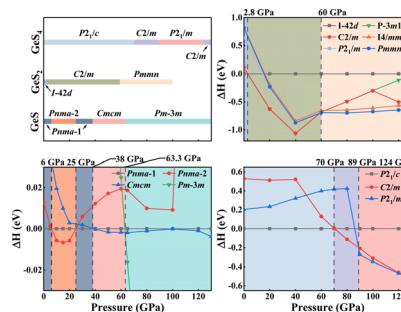
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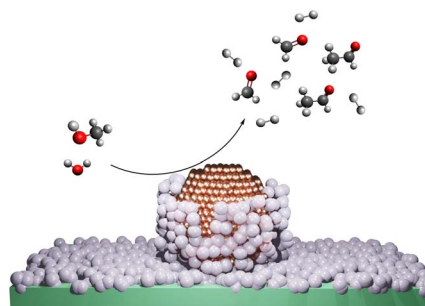
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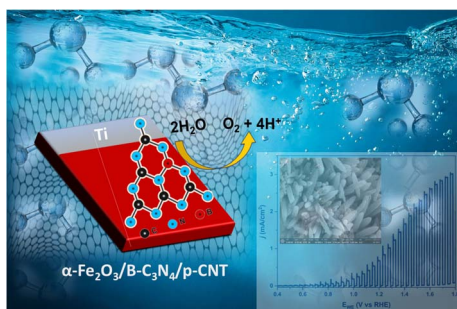
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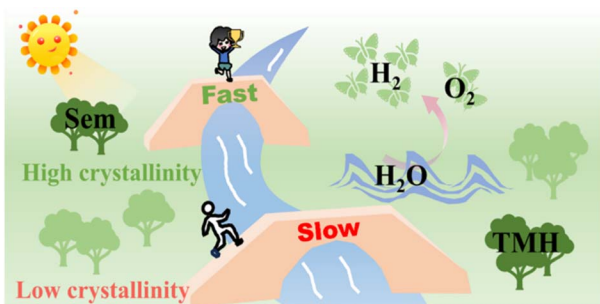
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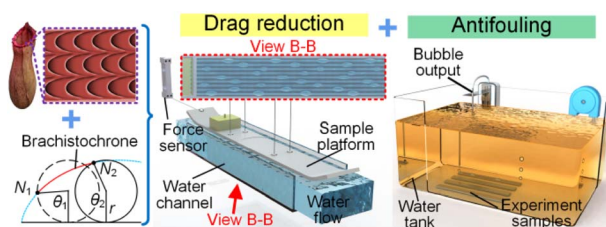
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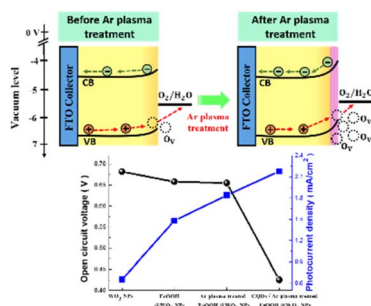
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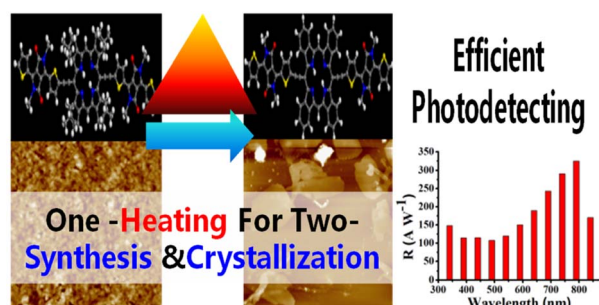
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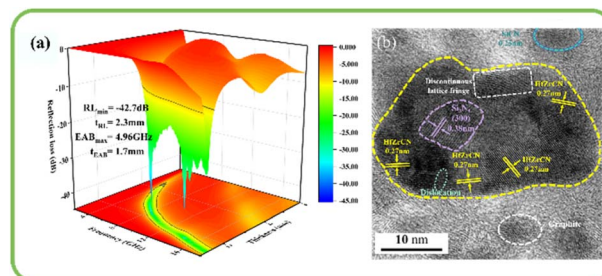
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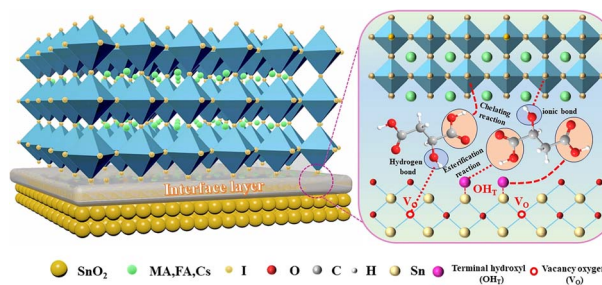
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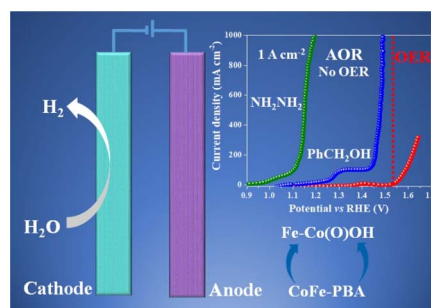
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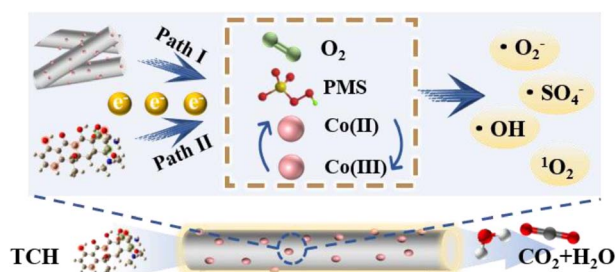
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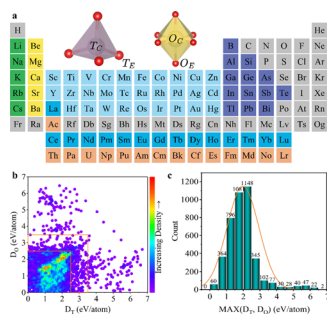
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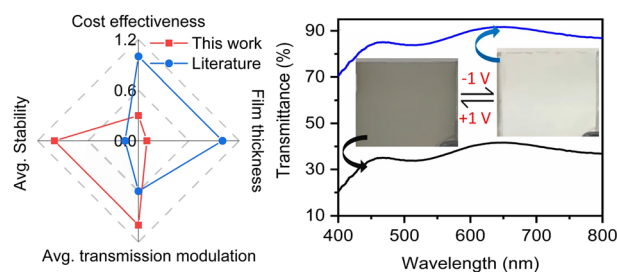
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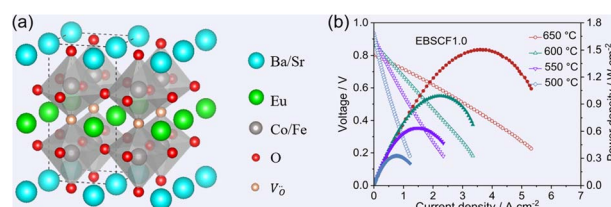
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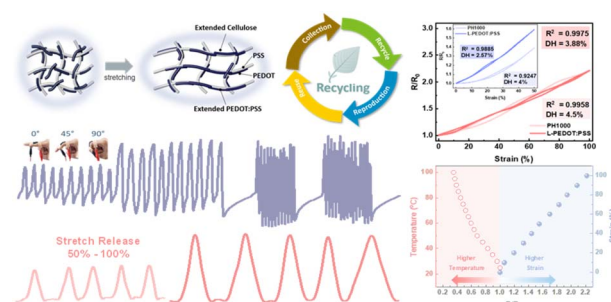
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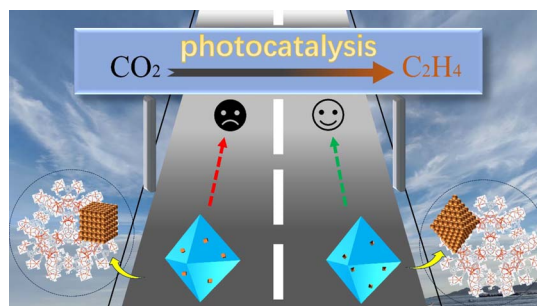
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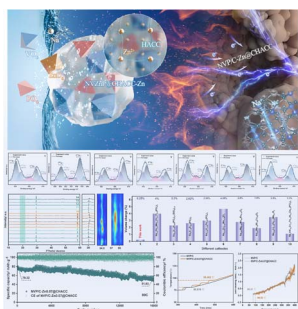
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Photocatalytic CO₂ reduction to C₂₊ products using a metal–organic framework composited with facet engineered Pd nanoparticles

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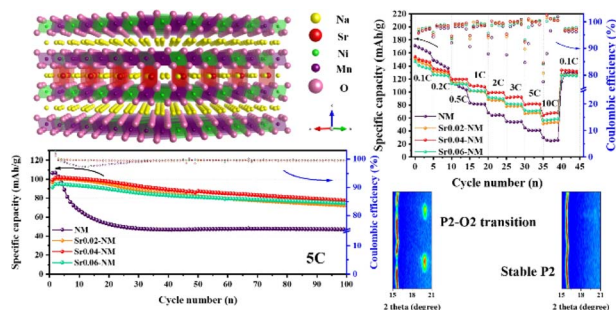
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Win–win strategy: zinc-ion anchoring crosslinked hydrogels and regulating electronic structure to achieve $V^{3+}/V^{4+}/V^{5+}$ redox reaction of $Na_3V_2(PO_4)_3$ with high thermal stability and zero strain characteristics

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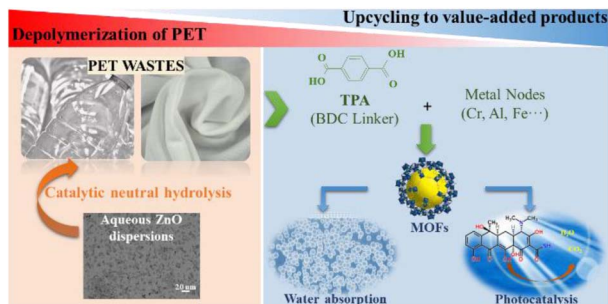
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Mitigating the Jahn–Teller distortion and phase transition in the $P2-Na_{0.67}Ni_{0.33}Mn_{0.67}O_2$ cathode through large Sr^{2+} ion substitution for improved performance

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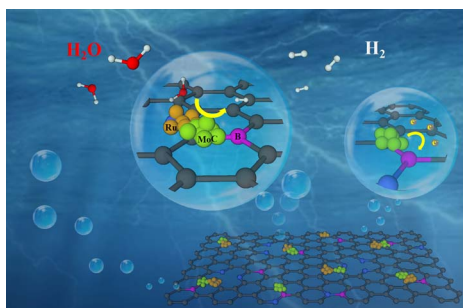
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Upcycling plastic wastes into high-performance nano-MOFs by efficient neutral hydrolysis for water adsorption and photocatalysis

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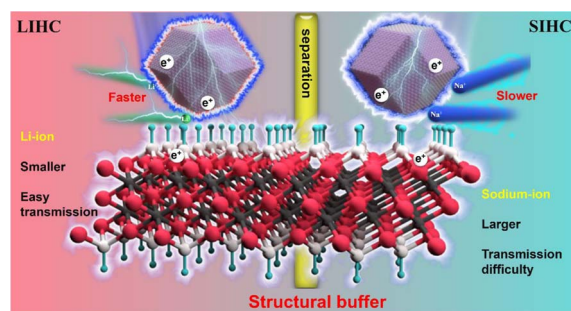
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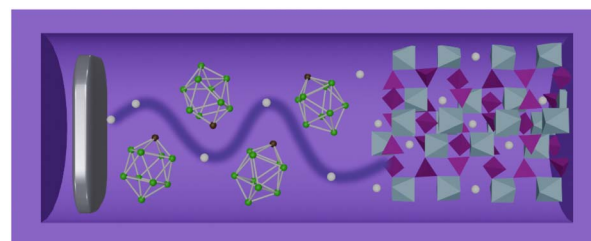
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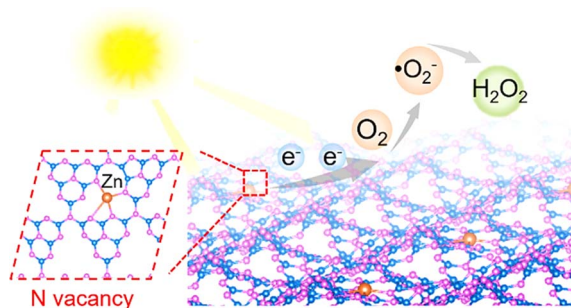
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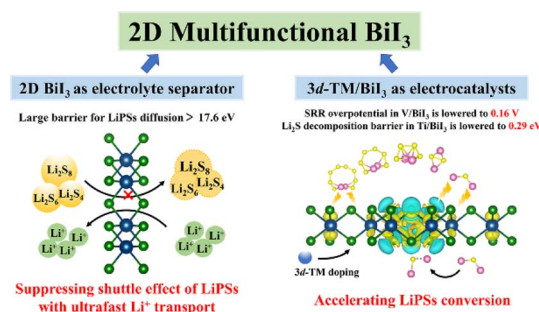
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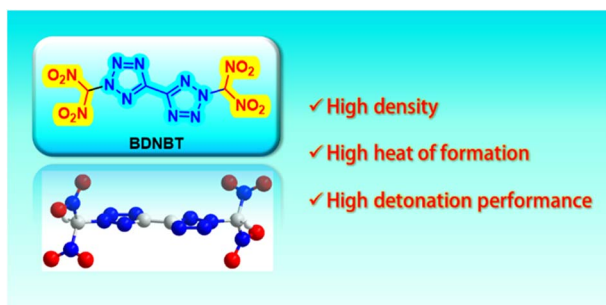
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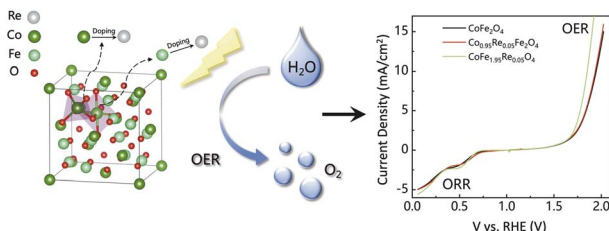
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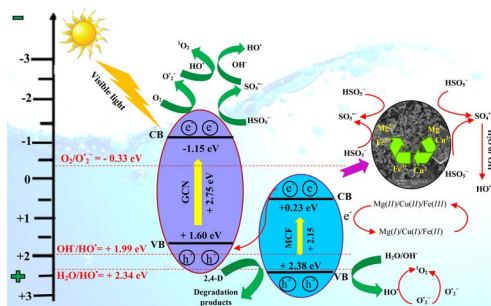
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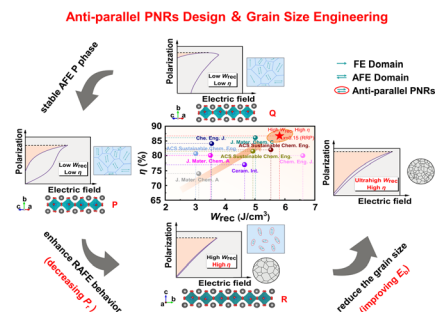
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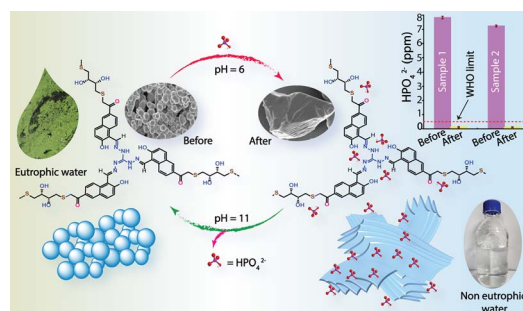
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Strong anharmonicity and medium-temperature thermoelectric efficiency in antiperovskite Ca_3XN (X = P, As, Sb, Bi) compounds

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