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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

Abbreviation/Symbol	Name
%	: Percent
LIB	: Lithium-ion battery
AIB	: Aluminum ion battery
Al	: Aluminum
Al ³⁺ ion	: Aluminum ion
K ⁺ ion	: Potassium ion
Ca	: Calcium
cm	: Centimetre
Cu	: Copper
Conc.	: Concentration
mg	: Milligram
Li	: Lithium
Na	: Sodium
K	: Potassium
Zn	: Zinc
Mg	: Magnesium
Ca	: Calcium
CV	: Cyclic voltammetry
γ	: Gamma
g/l	: Gram per litre
min	: Minute
ml	: Millilitre
mA	: Milliampere
V	: Voltage
Å	: Angstrom
h	: hour
PVDF	: Polyvinylidene fluoride
NMP	: N-Methyl-2-pyrrolidone
mM	: Millimolar
Mg	: Magnesium

HRTEM	:	High Resolution Transmission Electron Microscope
XRD	:	X-ray diffraction
XPS	:	X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy
FESEM	:	Field Emission Scanning Electron Microscopy
	:	Fourier-transform infrared spectroscopy
FTIR	:	Photoluminescence Spectroscopy
	:	Raman spectra
PL	:	Photo Luminiscence
TMDC	:	Transition-metal dichalcogenide
MHz	:	Megahertz
kHz	:	Kilohertz
w.r.t.	:	with respect to
nm	:	Nanometre
μm	:	Micrometre
Ag^{-1}	:	Ampere per gram
$^{\circ}\text{C}$:	Degree Celsius
Ω	:	Ohm
R_{ct}	:	Charge transfer resistance
GITT	:	Galvanostatic intermittent titration technique
EIS	:	Electrochemical impedance spectroscopy
GCD	:	Galvanostatic charge-discharge
CV	:	Cyclic voltammetry
KOH	:	Potassium hydroxide
AlCl_3	:	Aluminium Chloride
SHE	:	Standard Hydrogen Electrode
Wh	:	Watt-hour
H_xMoO_3	:	Hydrogen doped MoO_3
mAhg^{-1}	:	Mili Ampere hour per gram
