

# Degradation modeling and electrode engineering of SOFCs SOECs and R-SOCs

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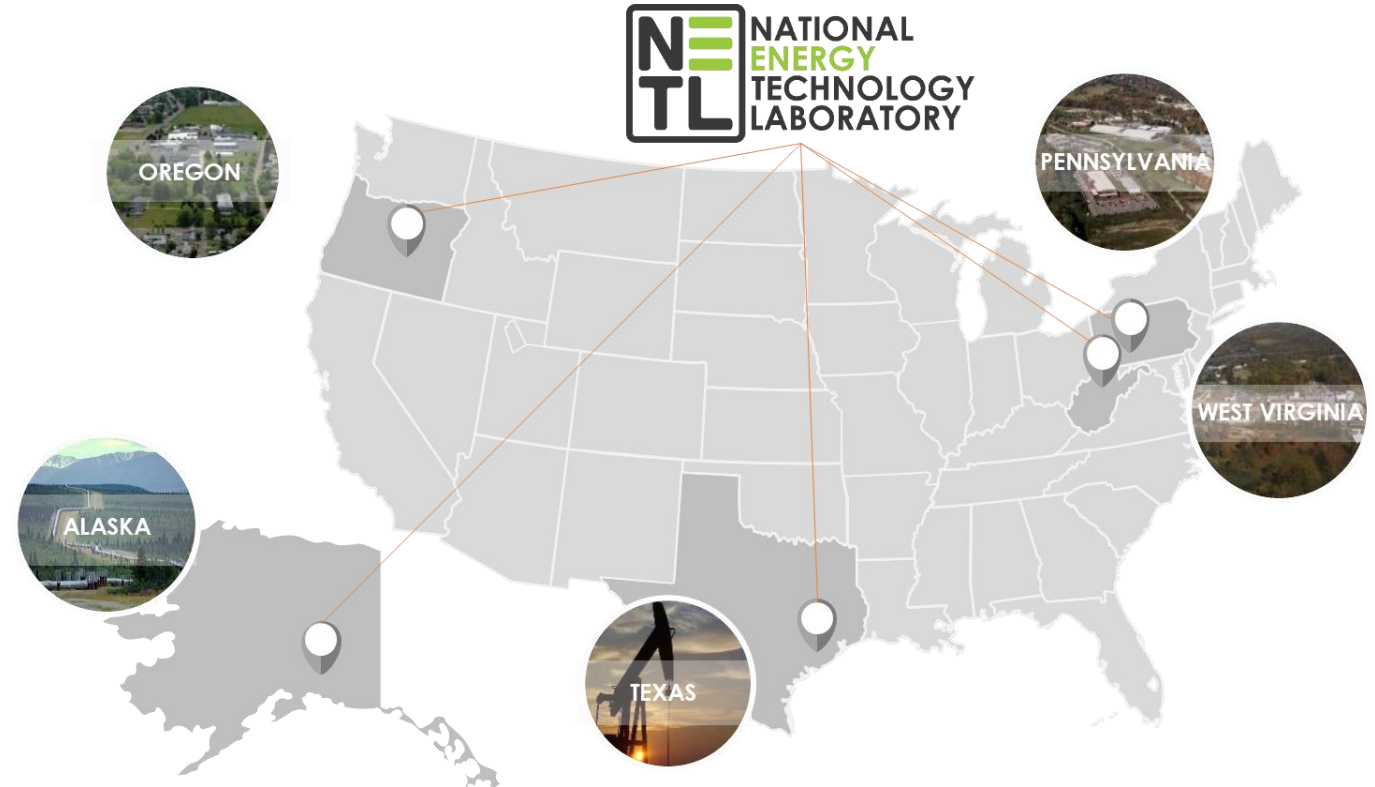
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# Outline

- Introduction
- Recent Progress
  - Computational materials design
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- Wrap-Up



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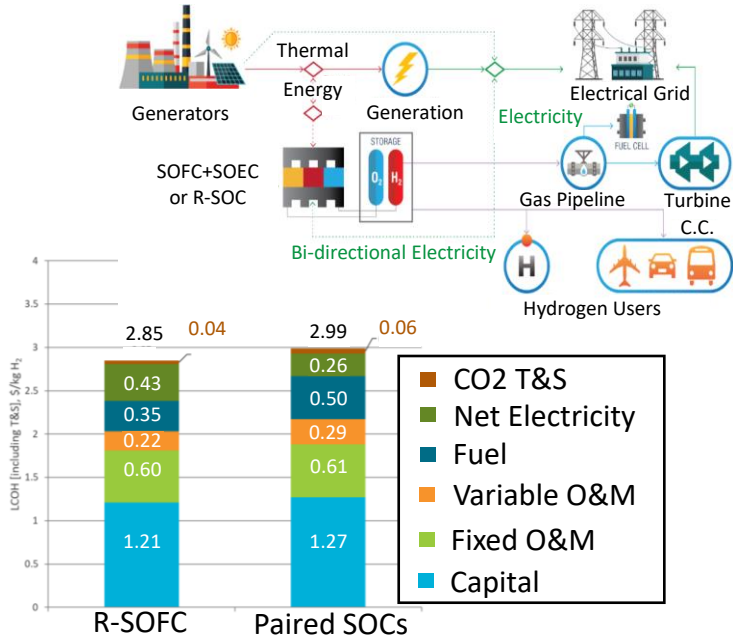
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# NETL SOC Capability Overview

**CHALLENGE:** SOC technology is cost prohibitive due to long-term performance degradation  
**APPROACH:** Develop degradation modeling and mitigation tools to improve performance / longevity of SSEC

## Systems Engineering and Analysis

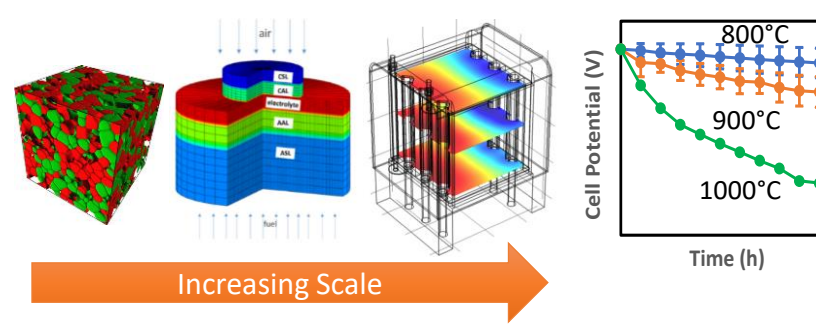
- Techno-Economic Analysis
- Hybrid configuration assessment
- R&D Goals Evaluation



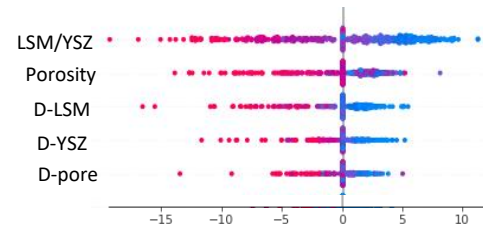
Levelized Cost of H<sub>2</sub> at \$20/MWh Electricity

## Performance Degradation Modeling

- Degradation prediction tools
- Atoms-to-System scale bridging
- Experimental validation
- Advanced Gas, Temperature Sensors



Machine learning-informed design tools

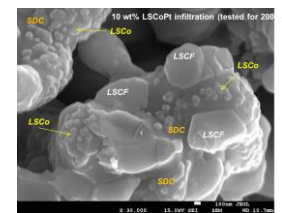
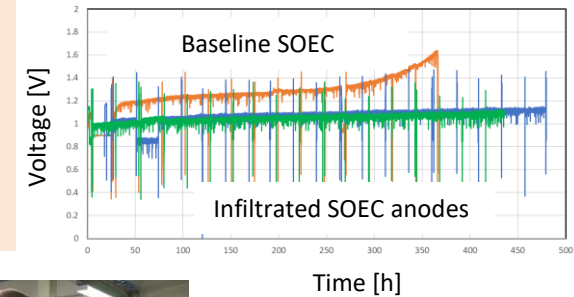


Impact of microstructural features on lifetime performance

## Electrode Engineering

- Degradation mitigation
- Microstructure optimization
- Technology transfer to industry
- System demonstrations

Infiltrated Cells from **6** Partners

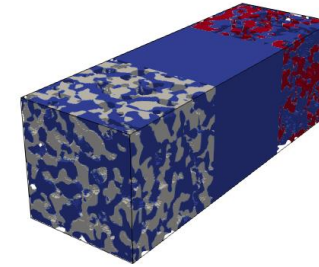




# NETL SOFC Work Plan Tasks

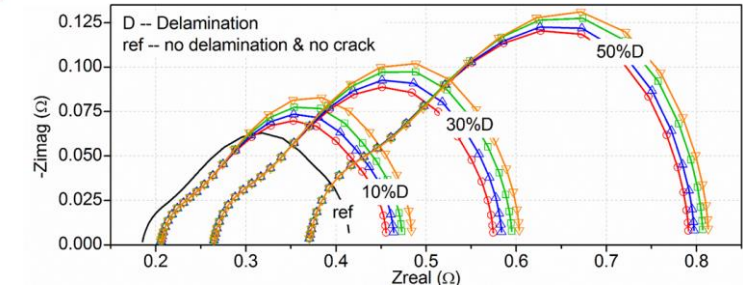
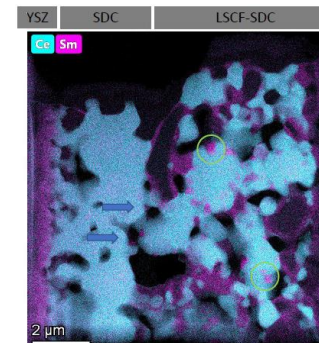
- **Task 2: Cell and Stack Degradation Evaluation and Modeling**

- Performance and degradation model development
- Microstructural analysis and analysis methods
- Machine learning for materials studies, electrode design



- **Task 3: Electrode Engineering**

- Infiltration for degradation mitigation
- R-SOC characterization
- Protonic SOC materials characterization and development
- Advanced electrode design and manufacturing
- S/TEM analysis of cell degradation



- **Task 4: Strategic Systems Analysis and Engineering**

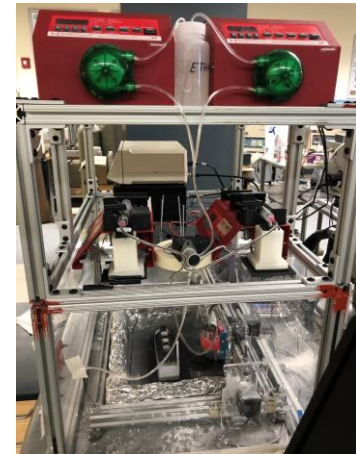
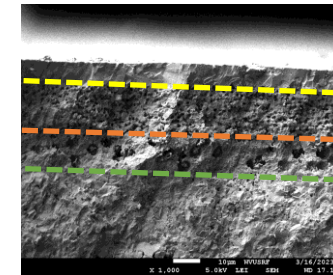
- R-SOC, SOEC system studies
- SOFC scaling study, H<sub>2</sub>-fueled SOFC market study

- **Task 5: Cyber Physical Modeling**

- 1D real-time SOEC stack model development
- Controls design for dynamic operation of SOC stacks

See “Recent Progress in Solid Oxide Cell Technology Analysis at NETL” by Greg Hackett at 9:30 AM

See “Cyber-physical Simulation of Solid Oxide Cell Hybrid Systems” by Biao Zhang at 2:45 PM



# Computational materials design

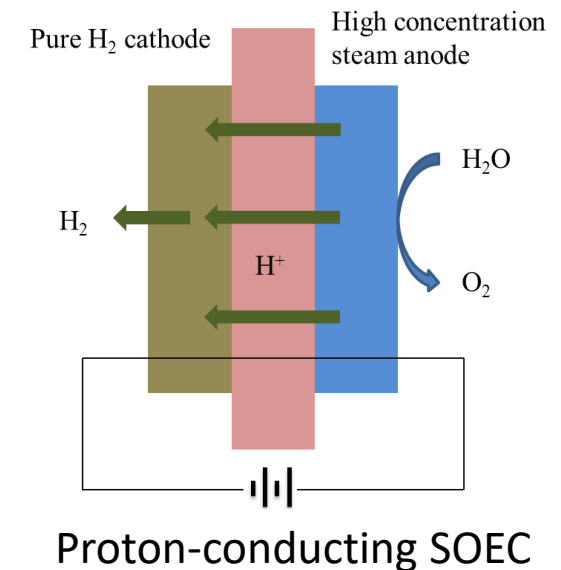
Discovering higher performing, more stable materials



# Proton-conducting SOCs

## Expanding the degradation modeling framework's material sets

- Proton-conducting SOCs can help lower operating temperatures, increase operational stability, and don't have a diluted H<sub>2</sub> stream
- Materials needs:
  - More active electrodes
  - Electrolytes with higher  $\sigma$ , higher H<sup>+</sup> transference number
  - Less expensive thermal processing
- SOEC, SOFC performance model code options created for proton-conducting systems
- **NOTE:** NETL's available SOC stack manufacturing cost tool includes options for P-SOCs
  - **OSTI ID:1842511**



# Triple-Conducting-Perovskite Defect Model Released

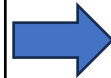
## Electrode/Electrolyte materials

- A defect model solver was developed to allow incorporation of nonlinear  $\delta$ -dependent defect reaction energies and entropies for calculating defect concentration of the triple-conducting perovskites  $(\text{La,Ba})\text{Fe}_{1-x}\text{M}_x\text{O}_{3-\delta}$
- $\text{H}_2$  incorporation through  $[\text{OH}_\text{O}^\cdot]$  and  $[\text{H}_\text{O}^\cdot]$  (hydride) defects.
- Octave-based Script publicly available on NETL's EDX Server:  
[doi.org/10.2172/2328139](https://doi.org/10.2172/2328139)

Input variables:

$$C_{\text{La}}, C_{\text{M}}, Q_{\text{M}}$$
$$\Delta H^{\text{def}}(\delta, C_{\text{La}}, C_{\text{M}}),$$
$$\Delta S^{\text{def}}(\delta, C_{\text{La}}, C_{\text{M}}),$$

for 4 defect reactions:  
**Hydration, Reduction,  
Disproportionation,  
Hydride formation**



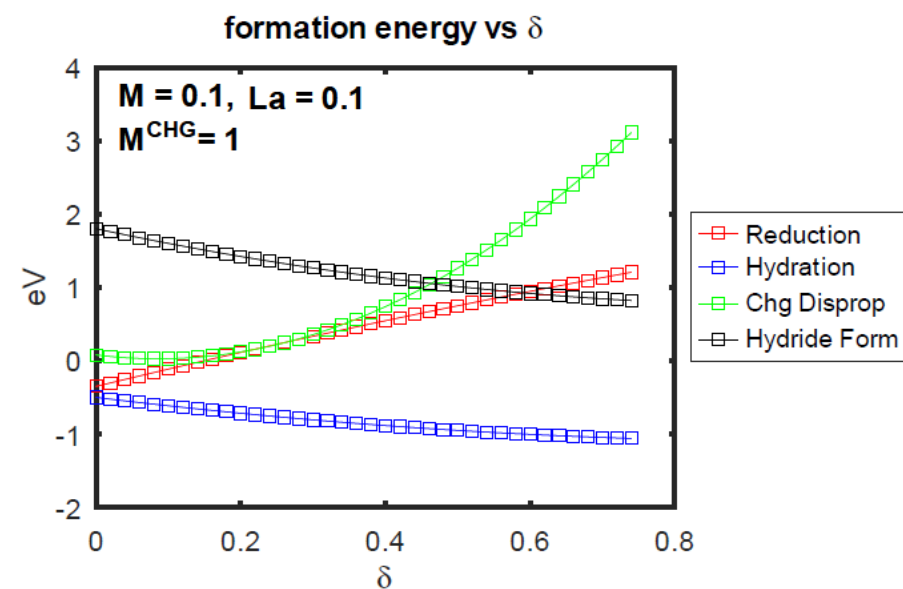
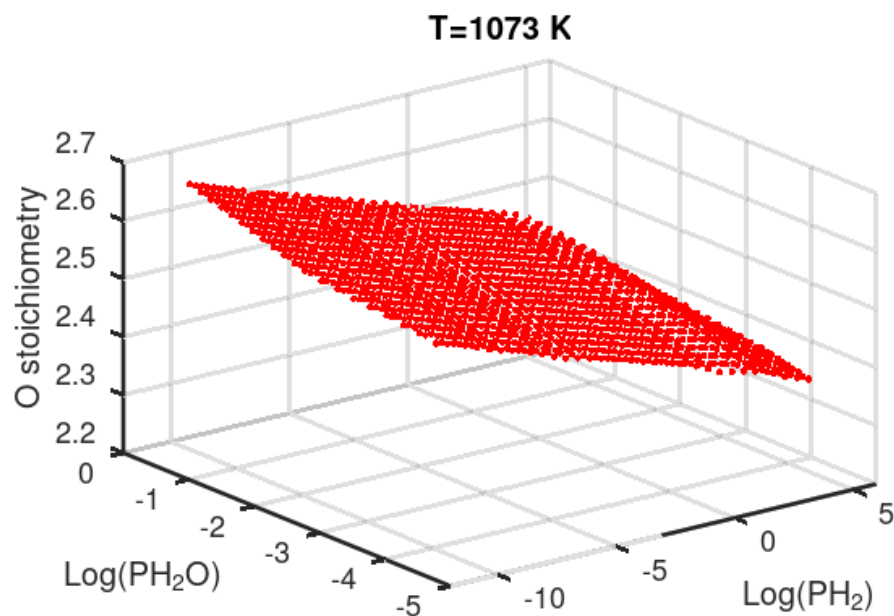
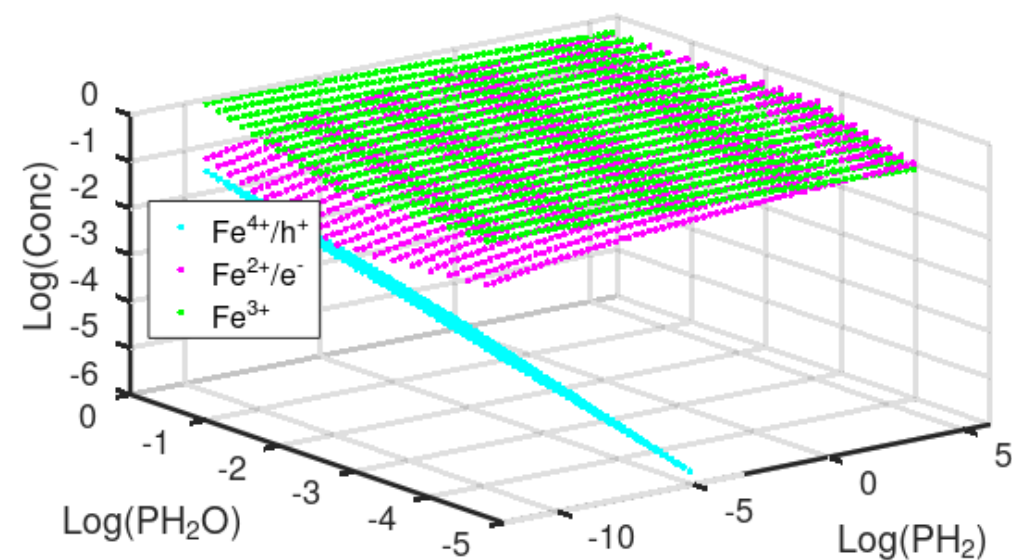
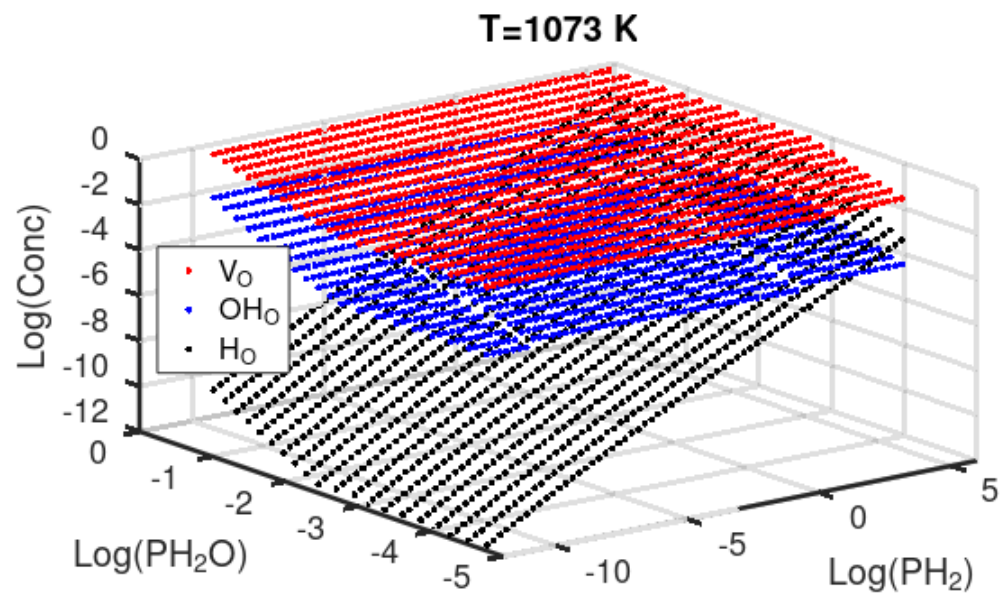
Program loops to output  
the defect model solution  
in a defined grid of  $T$ ,  $P(\text{O}_2)$ ,  
 $P(\text{H}_2\text{O})$  and their equivalent  
 $P(\text{H}_2)/P(\text{H}_2\text{O})$



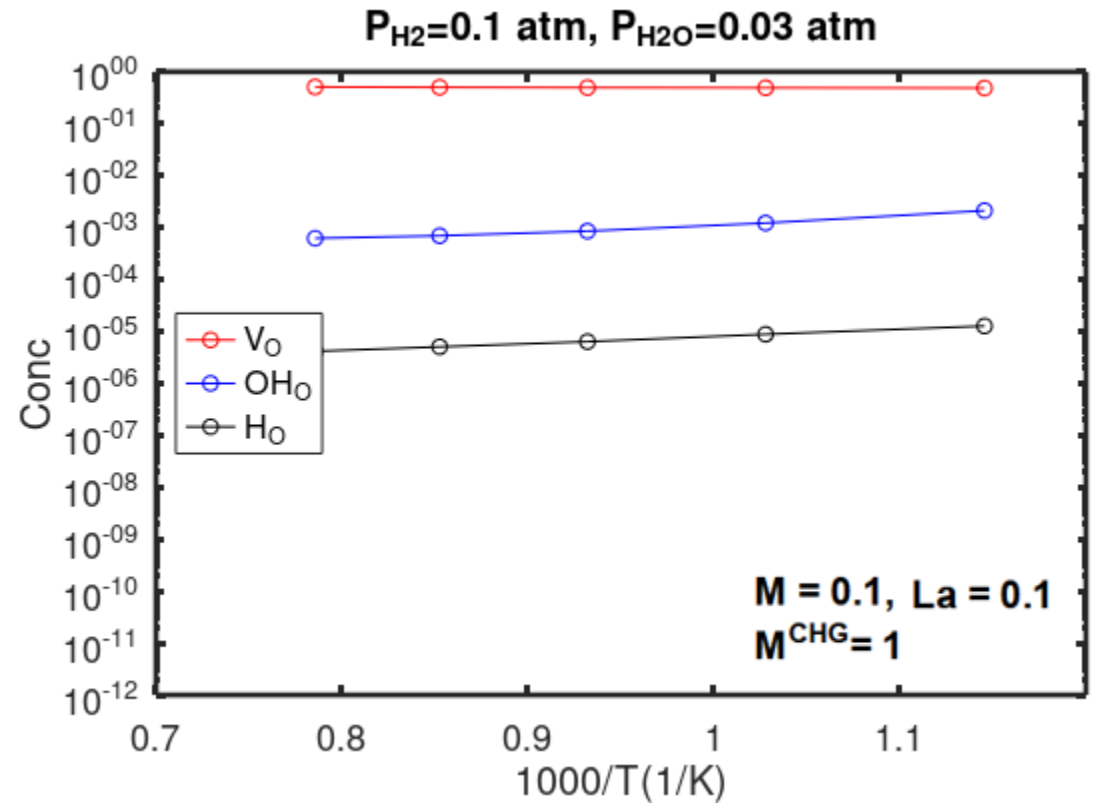
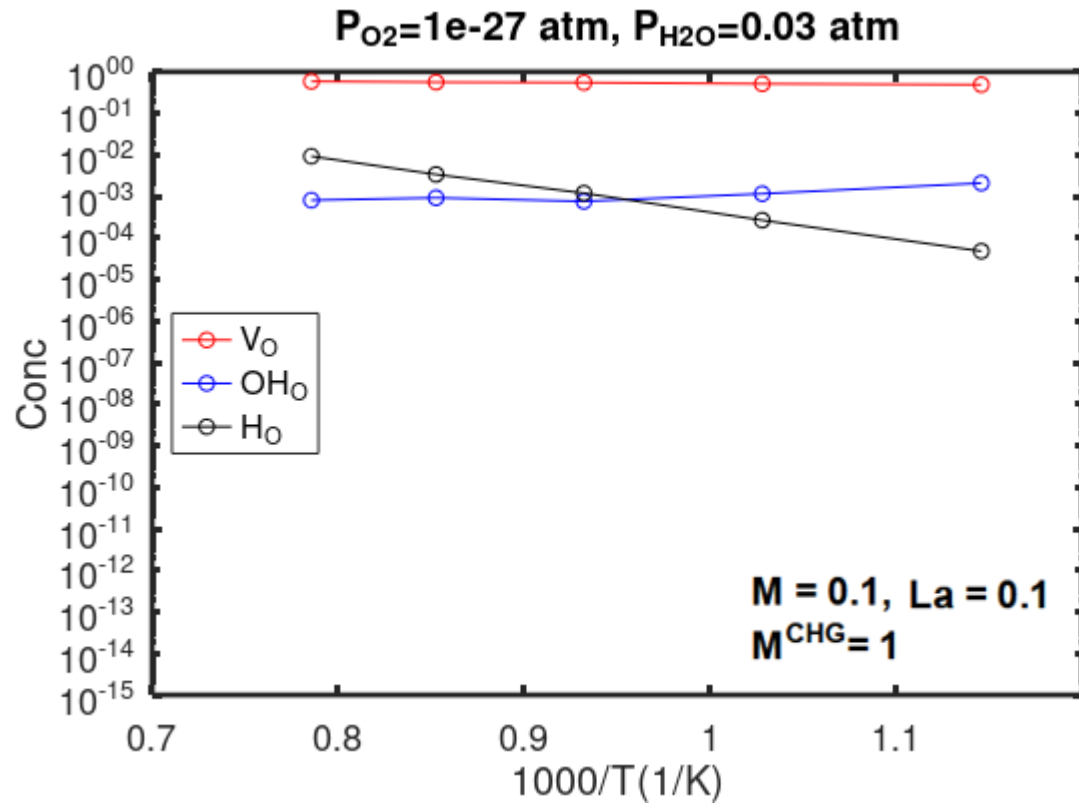
Subroutines to generate plots:

1. Brower diagrams ( $C^{\text{def}}$ ,  $P(\text{O}_2)$ ,  $P(\text{H}_2\text{O})$ )
2. Brower diagrams ( $C^{\text{def}}$ ,  $P(\text{H}_2)$ ,  $P(\text{H}_2\text{O})$ )  
at  $T=873\sim 1273\text{K}$
3.  $C^{\text{def}}$  temperature dependences at  
specified  $P(\text{O}_2)/P(\text{H}_2\text{O})$
4.  $C^{\text{def}}$  temperature dependences at  
specified  $P(\text{H}_2)/P(\text{H}_2\text{O})$

# $P(H_2)/P(H_2O)$ Brouwer Diagrams of $(La_{0.1}Ba_{0.9})(Fe_{0.9}M_{0.1})O_{3-\delta}$ at $T=1073K$



# Temperature dependencies of $V_{O^{\bullet}}$ , $OH_{O^{\bullet}}$ , and $H_{O^{\bullet}}$



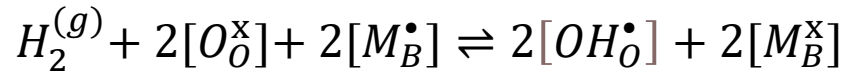


# Proton diffusion in Ba(Co, Fe, Zr, Y)O<sub>3-δ</sub> (BCFZ/Y)

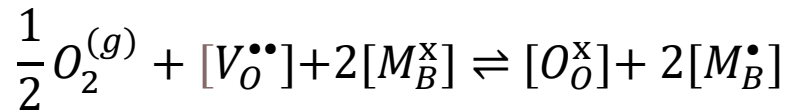
- Hydride ( $[H_{\dot{O}}]$ ) defect formation added for proton conduction at low  $P(O_2)$

- Defect reaction equations

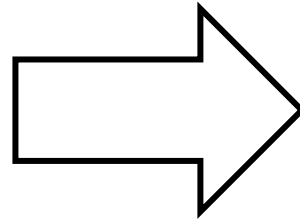
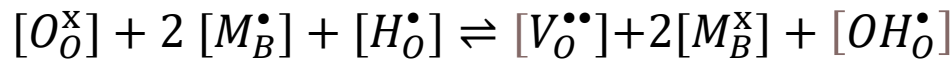
1. Hydrogenation (proton) reaction



2. Oxidation reaction

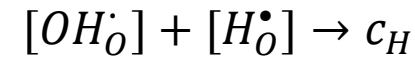


3. Hydride formation



- Calculating  $c_H$  and  $\sigma_H$

1. Hydrogen concentration



2. Hydrogen conductivity

$J_H$ : Hydrogen permeation flux

F: Faraday constant

R: gas constant

k: Boltzmann constant

L: membrane thickness

$c_H$ : Hydrogen conc. [atoms/m<sup>3</sup>]

$D_H$ : self-diffusion coefficient

[m<sup>2</sup>/s]

z: charge number

$$\sigma_H = \frac{4F^2 L \cdot J_{H_2}}{RT} \ln \frac{P_{H_2}''}{P_{H_2}'} = \frac{z^2 e^2 c_H D_H}{kT}$$

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Goal

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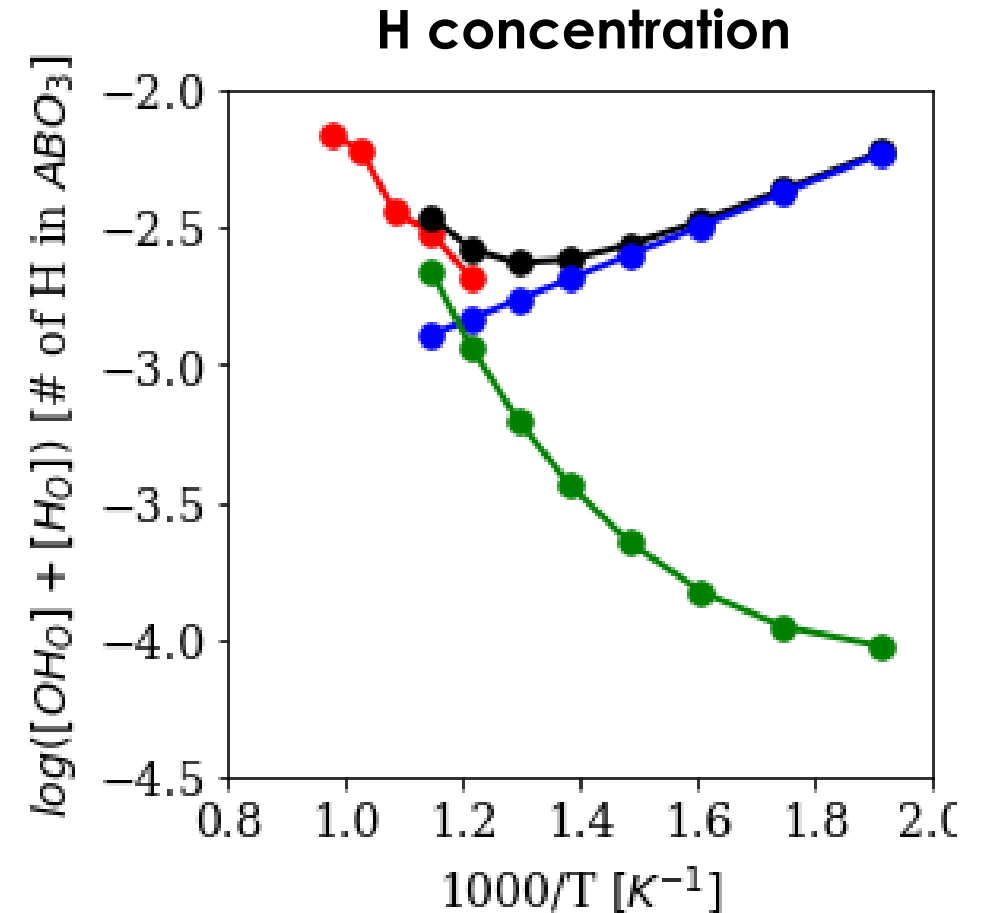
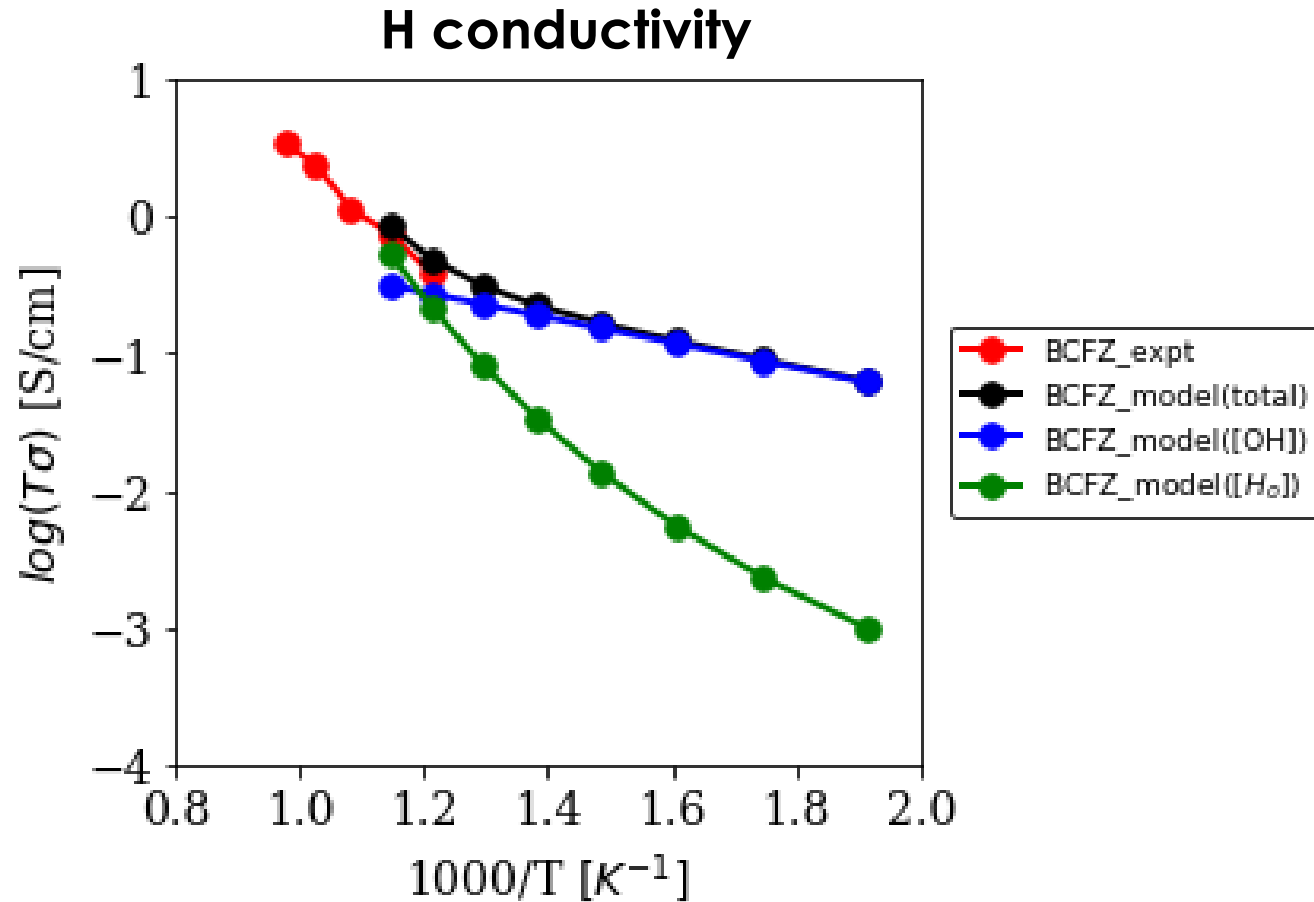
Experiments  
(Clemson)

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DFT  
(UW-Madison)

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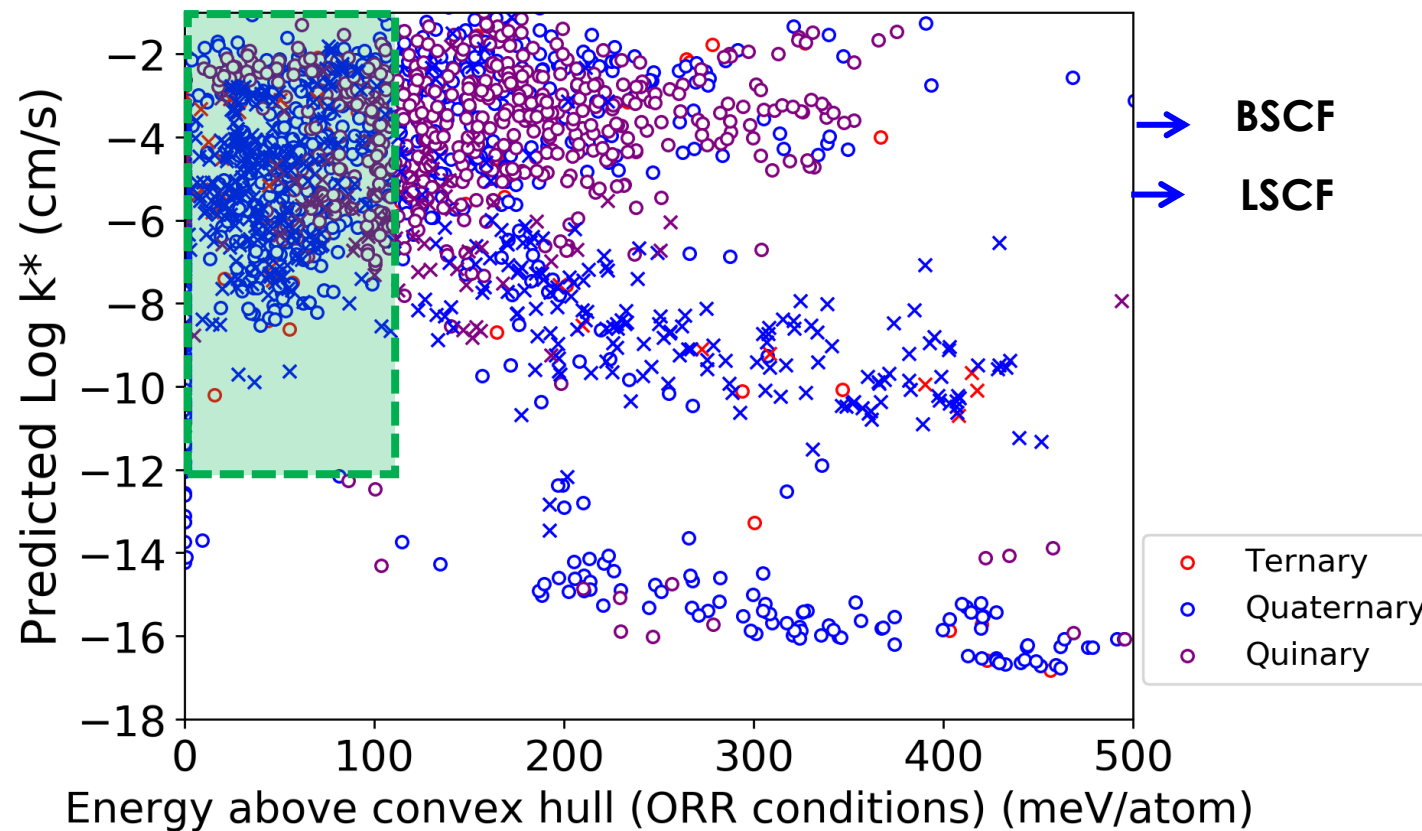
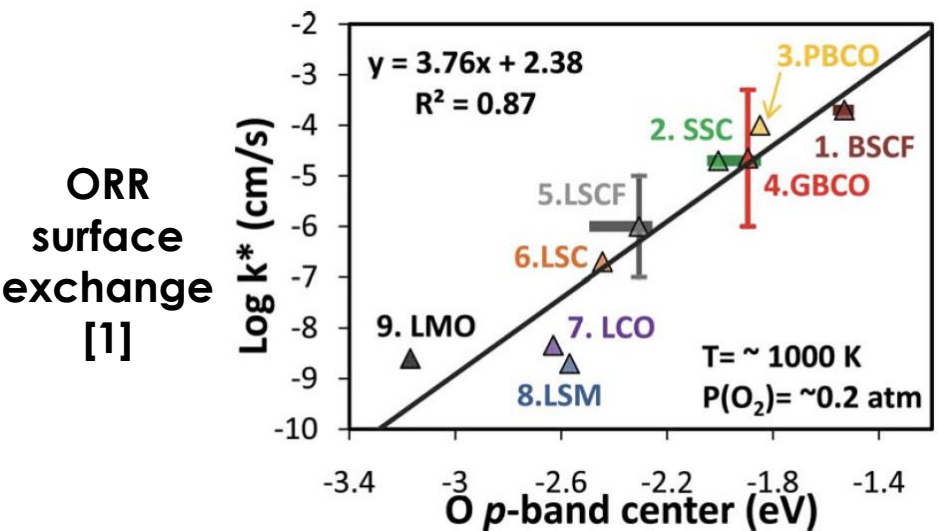
Initial partial pressures: PH<sub>2</sub>: 0.05 atm , PO<sub>2</sub>: 0.002 atm



Hydride formation improves match with experimental data

# Developing materials through DFT

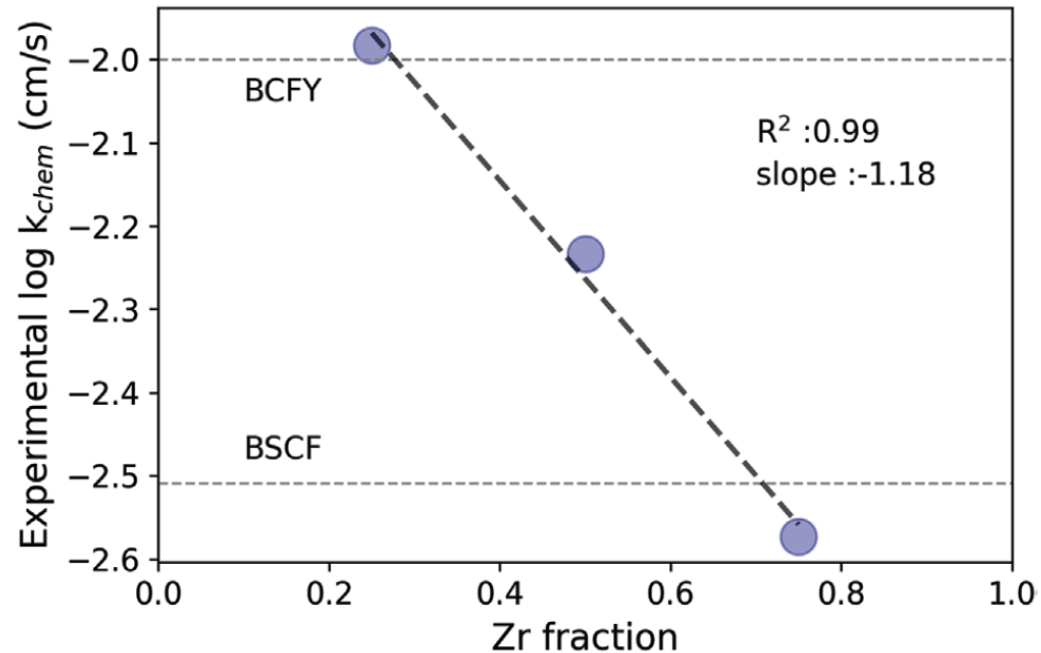
## O p-band correlates well with air electrode material properties



From predicted  $k^*$  using DFT-calculated O p-band center of >2100 perovskites, NETL examined Ba(Fe, Co, Zr)O<sub>3</sub> (BFCZ) materials

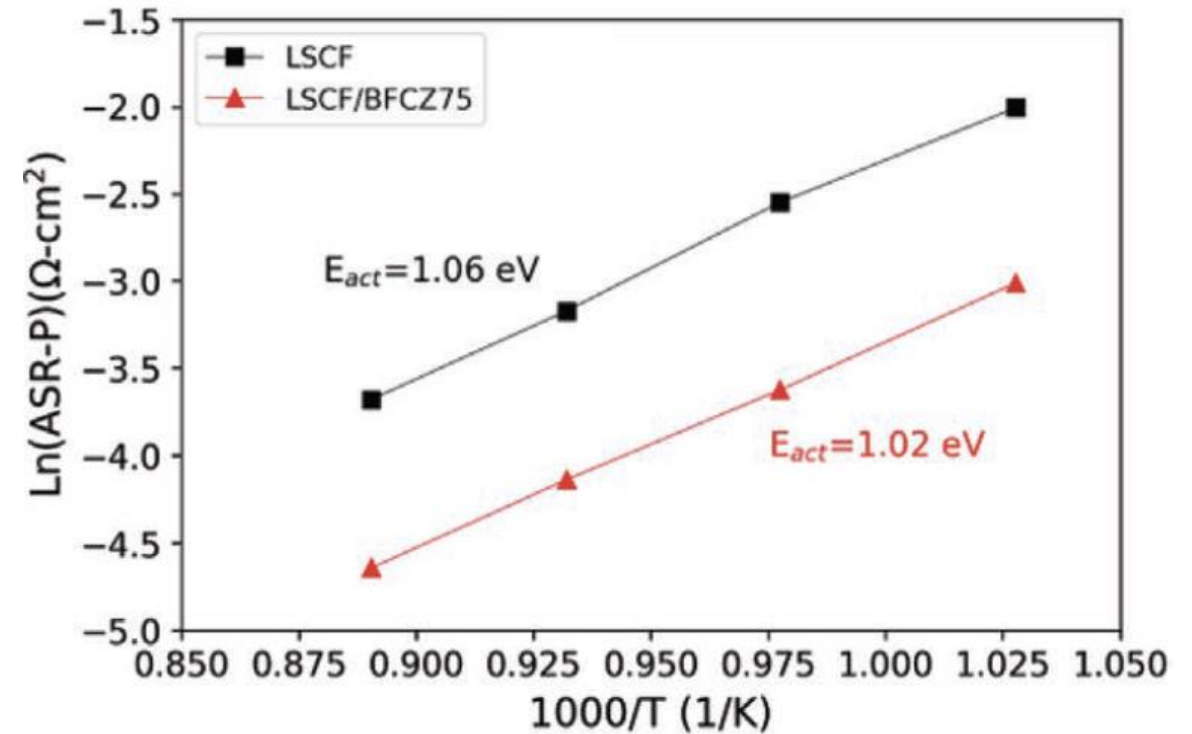
# BFCZ (Zr = 25, 50, 75%) Performance

Higher  $k_{chem}$ , improved stability, not enough  $\sigma_{el}$



All BFCZ compositions highly active, on par with BSCF, with only 0.5 log  $k_{chem}$  difference over entire Zr range

## LSCF/BFCZ75 composite



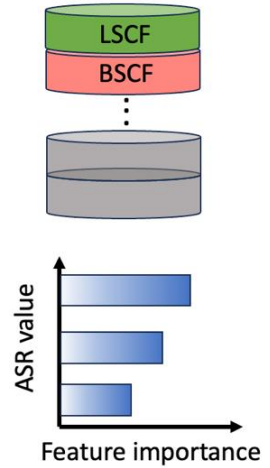
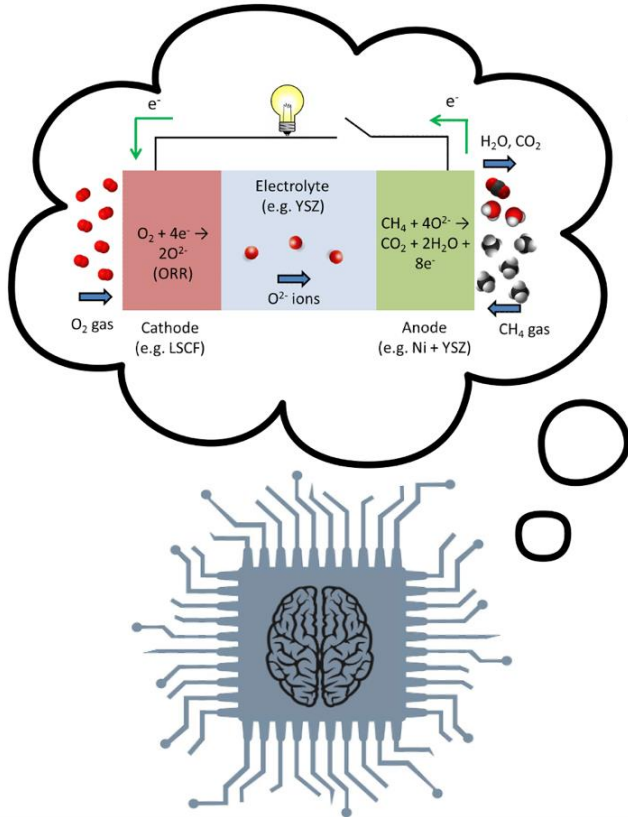
LSCF/BFCZ75 composite shows about 9x reduction in ASR at 800 °C, 65% less performance degradation vs. LSCF



# Machine learning prediction of properties

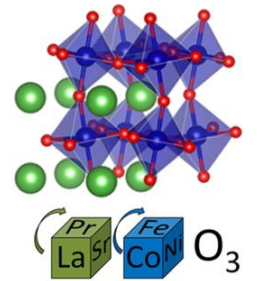
Using machine learning for faster calculations, larger sampling space

Data-centric ORR/OER perovskite catalytic materials design



Perovskite catalytic properties database

Machine learn correlations, understand relationships



Screen and discover new materials

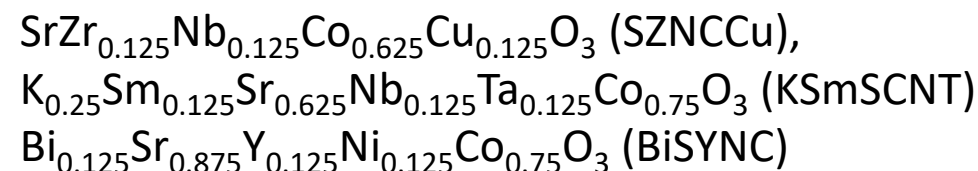
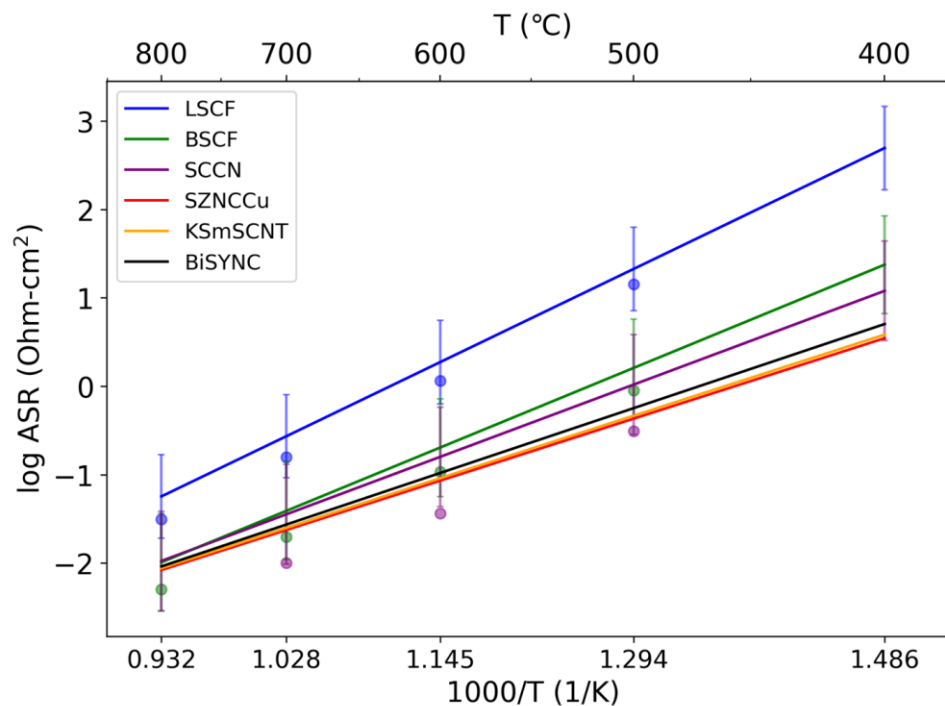
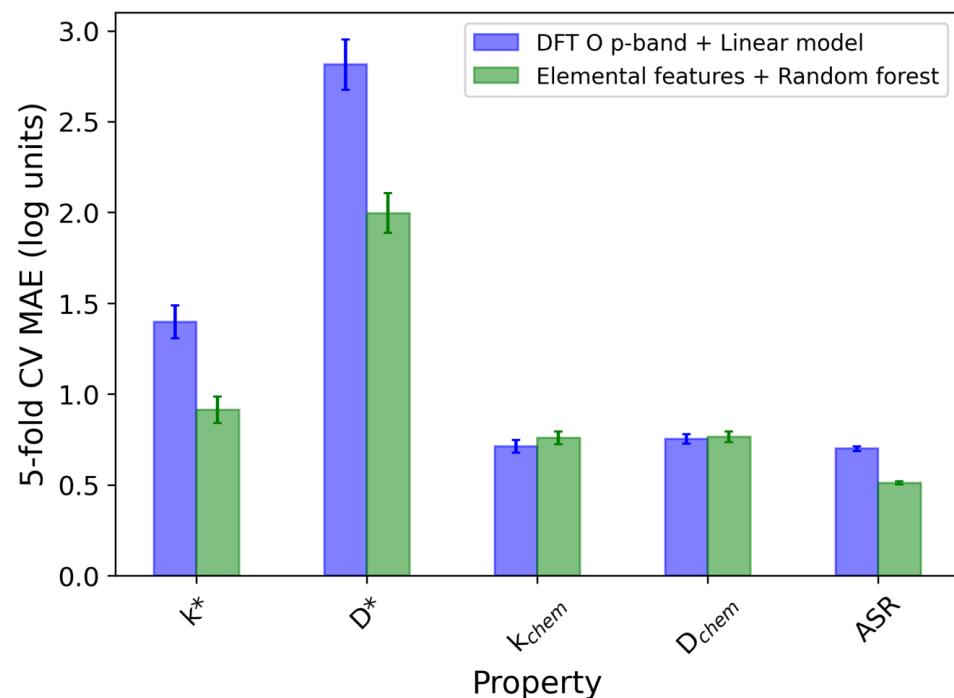
- 749 data points from 313 studies for 299 unique perovskite compositions
- Elemental features calculated using MAST-ML (UW-M) instead of using DFT
- **19 million perovskite oxides** were examined using ML model

Property	Number of studies examined	Number of measurements extracted	Number of unique materials
$k_{chem}$	70	98	62
$D_{chem}$	56	83	58
$k^*$	39	80	48
$D^*$	37	66	42
ASR	235	422	257

Jacobs, R., et al. Adv. Eng. Mat. (2024), just accepted

# Machine learning predicted electrode materials

- Trained machine learning model could predict properties faster and at least as accurately than DFT-based study and could cover a larger space containing traditionally less-explored elements (e.g., K, Bi, Y, Ni, Cu).

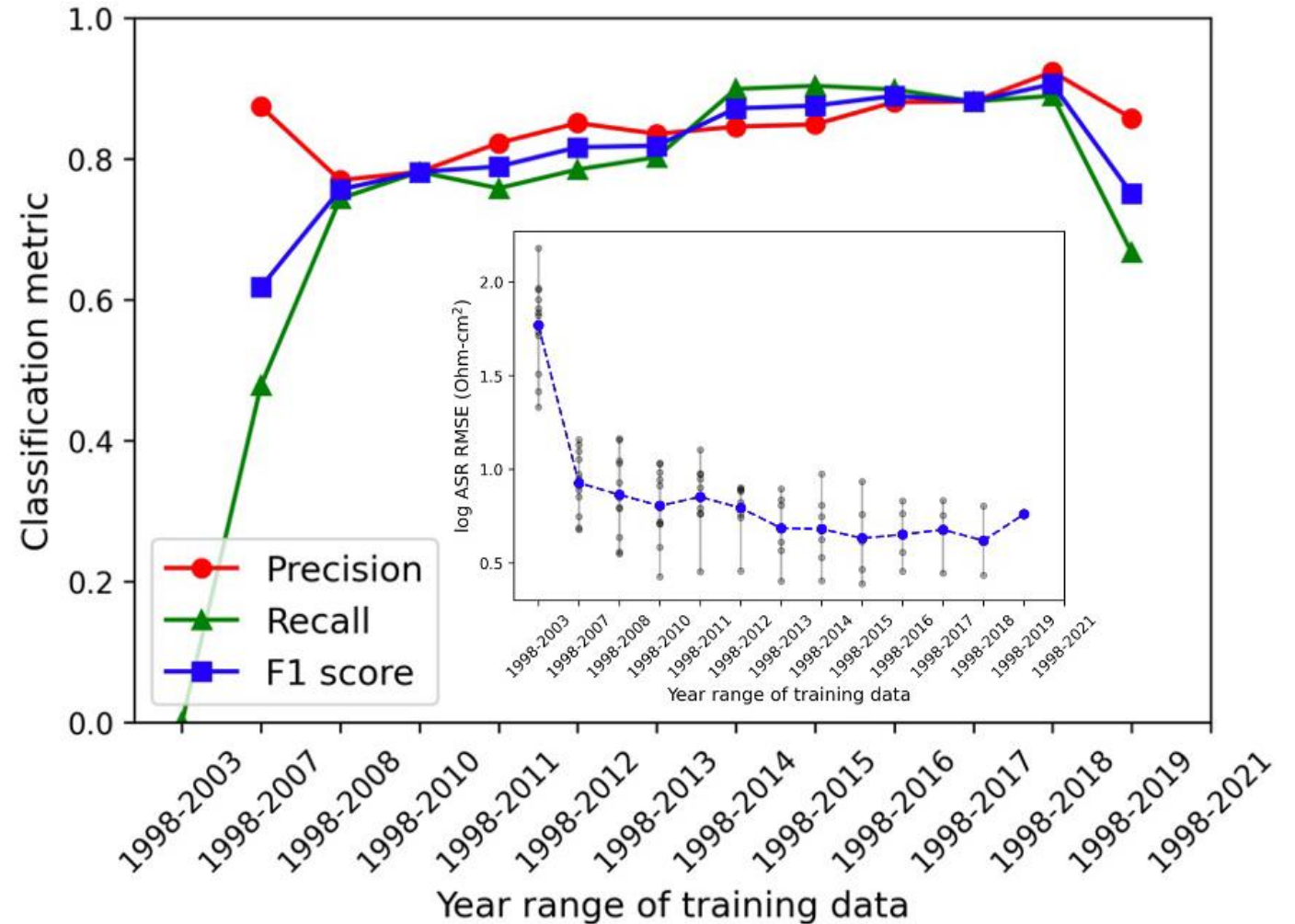


SCCN: Xin, H. Nature Energy (2022), Zhai, S., et al. Nature Energy (2022)7(8), 3366

# Time dependent cross-validation

Examining how many data points would be necessary to make advances

Training on materials known **prior to 2003** suggests high performing materials in the Ba(Fe, Co, Zr)O<sub>3</sub> space, suggesting BSCF and BFCZ could have been predicted at the time using machine learning



# Electrode Design and Engineering

Building better performing, longer lasting electrodes



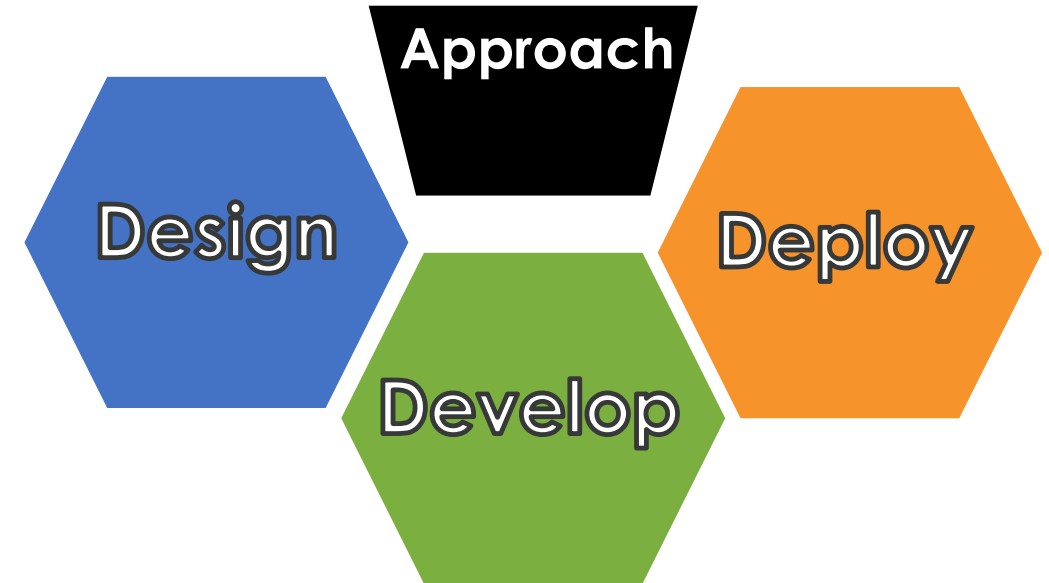
# SOC Electrode Design and Engineering

## Objectives

- Enhancement of performance and longevity
- Materials engineering
- Microstructure engineering

## Benefits

- Cell/stack cost reduction
- Cell overpotential reduction
- Increased thermo-chemical/thermo-mechanical stability
- Reduced cost-of-electricity and/or cost of hydrogen



**DESIGN** new materials and structures

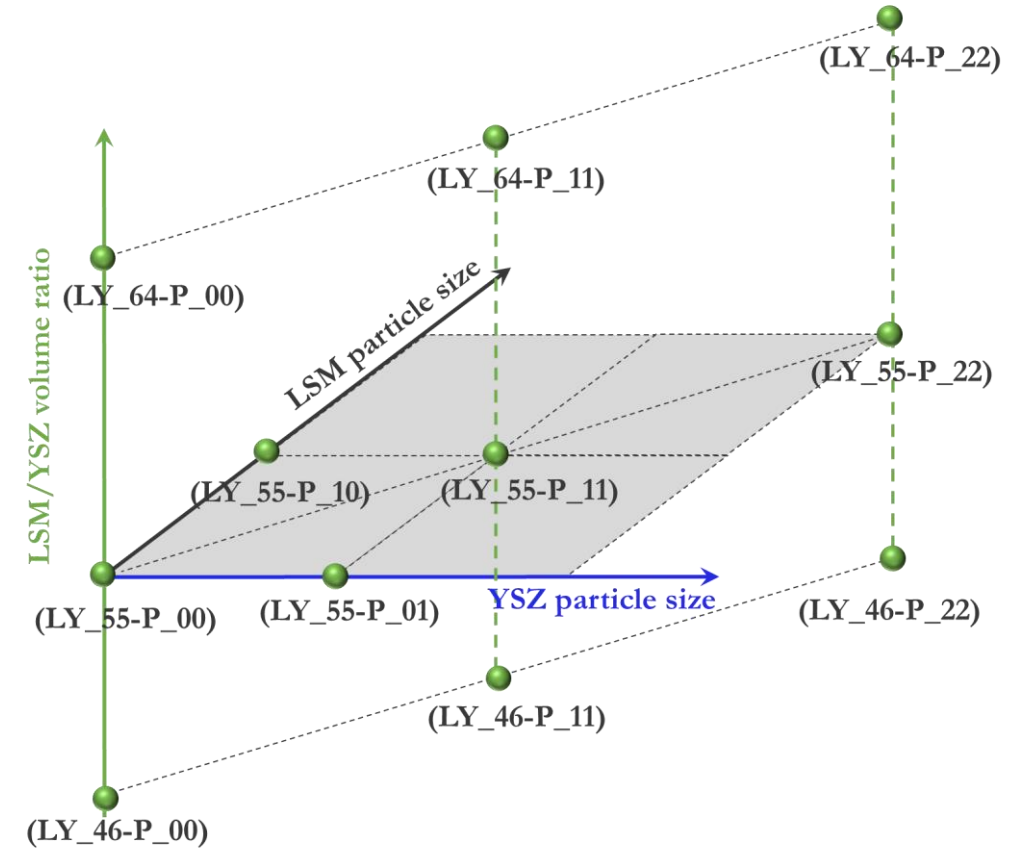
**DEVELOP** tailored electrode designs

**DEPLOY** in commercial SOC systems

# Simulating infiltrated electrodes

- Using in-house multiphysics code to optimize cathode performance by controlling infiltration and backbone structure
  - Optimal catalytic properties for a given backbone composition/structure
  - Optimal backbone composition/structure for given catalytic properties
  - Optimal lifetime performance based on backbone/infiltrated particle degradation

Volume fractions:	Particle size:
40:60	-1,0,1,2,3,4
50:50	0 = Baseline
60:40	-1 = Coarser 1-4 = Finer

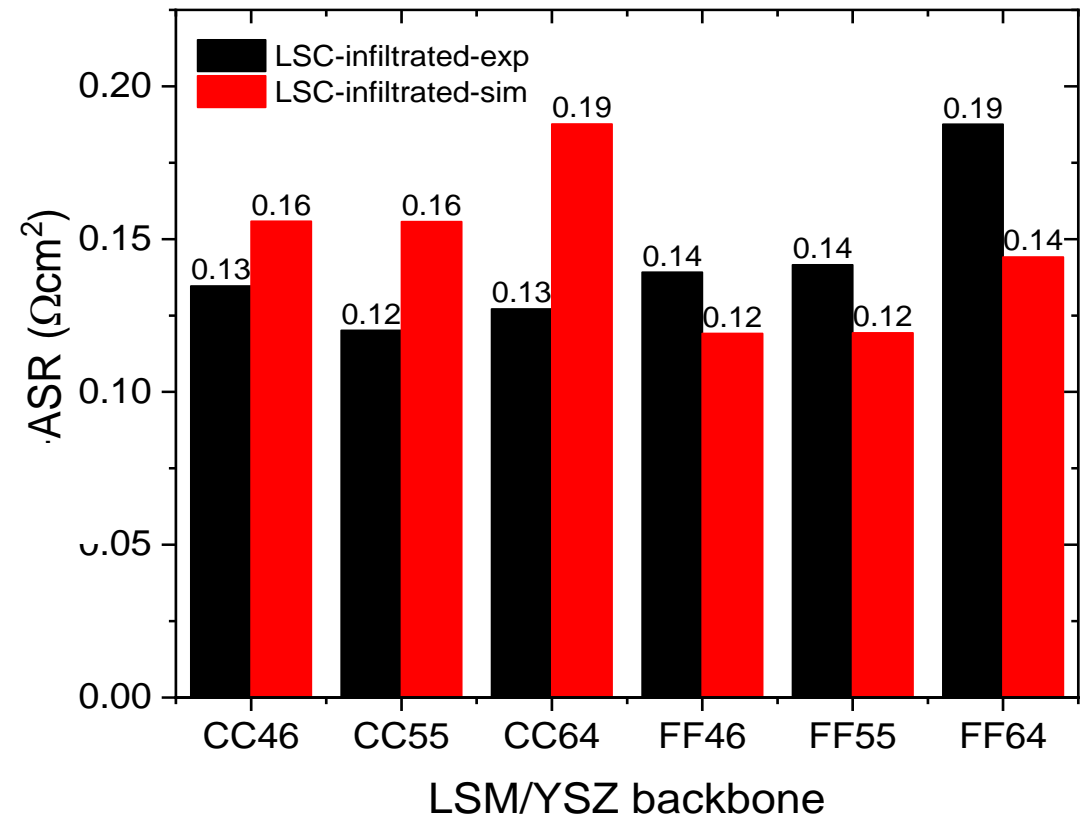
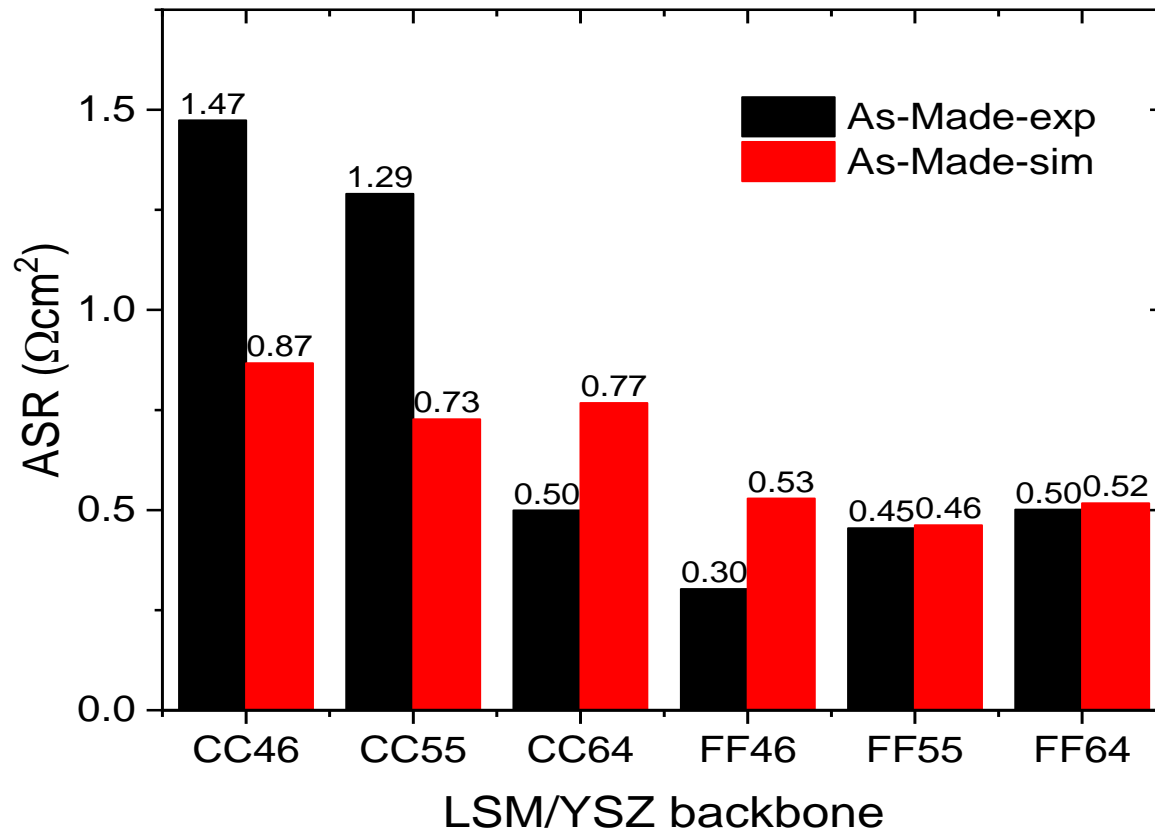


**Notation:** Backbone\_LSM:YSZ-LSM/YSZ Particle size

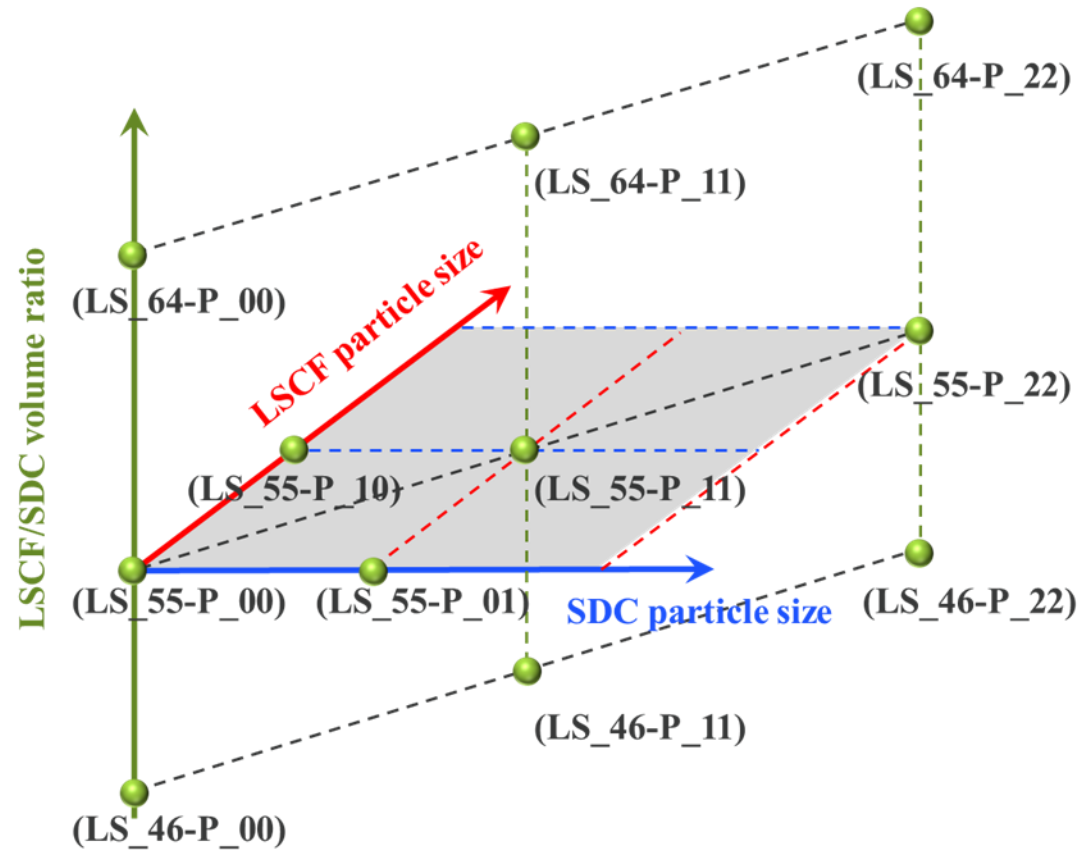
# Experiments vs. Simulations

## 2023 Results for LSM/YSZ air electrodes

- LSC infiltration into LSM/YSZ overcame the spread in performance from the different backbones.



# 2024 Update: LSCF/SDC Electrodes



## Parameters:

### 1) Volume Fraction

$$V_{LSCF}:V_{SDC} = 40\%:60\%, 50\%:50\%, \text{ or } 60\%:40\%$$

### 2) Grain Size

$\beta = 0$ : Coarse grain (P-0)

$\beta = 1$ : Fine grain (P-1)

$$D_{LSCF} = 0.52^{\beta_{LSCF}} \cdot D_{LSCF,ref}$$

$$D_{SDC} = 0.38^{\beta_{SDC}} \cdot D_{SDC,ref}$$

$$D_{LSCF,ref} = 0.68 \mu m$$

$$D_{SDC,ref} = 0.63 \mu m$$

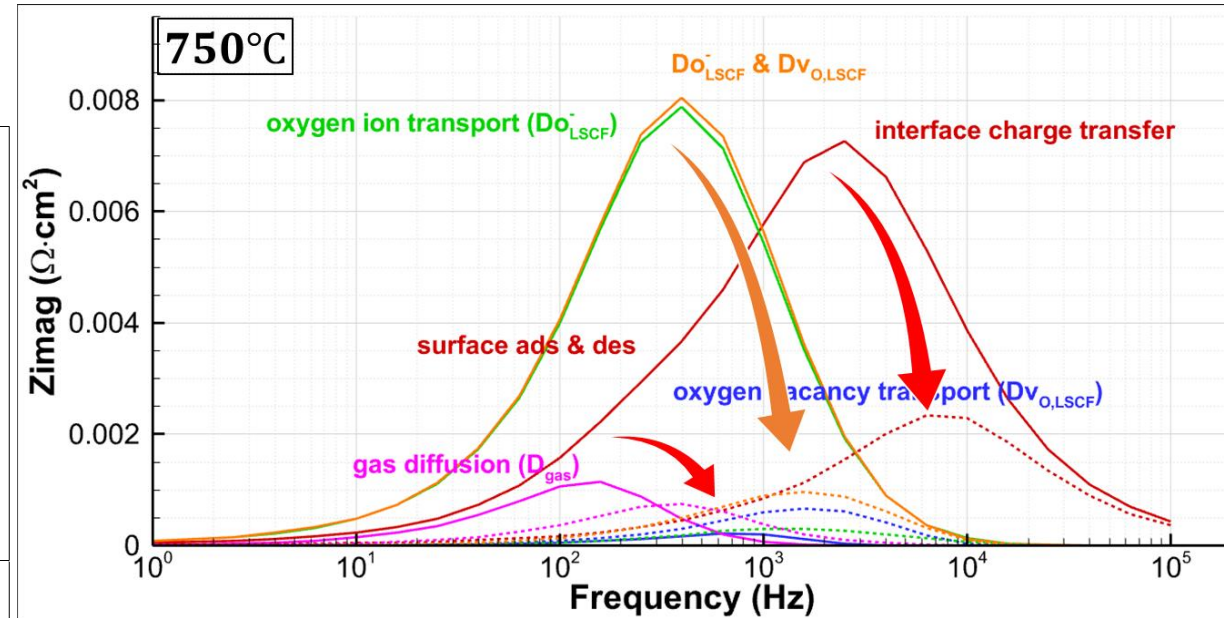
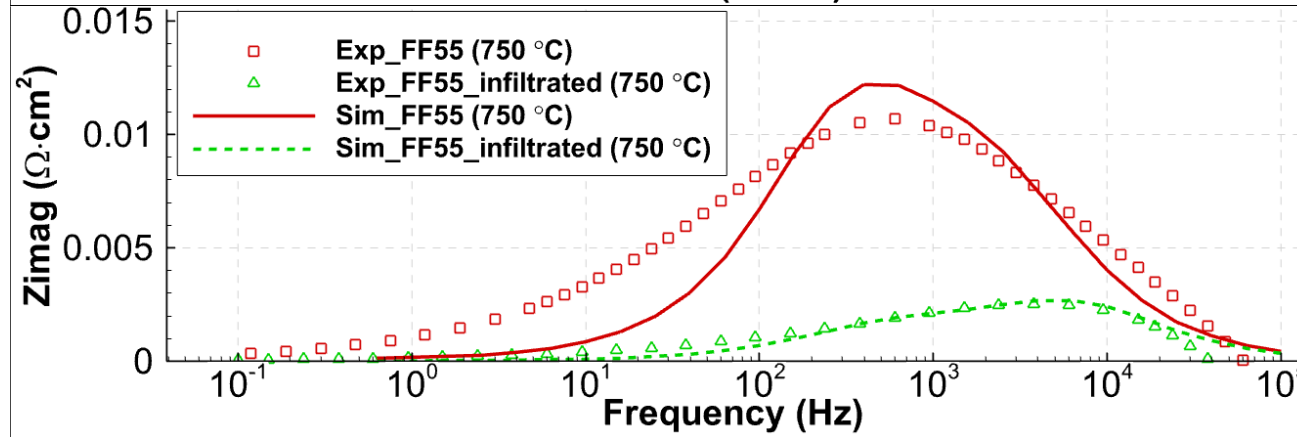
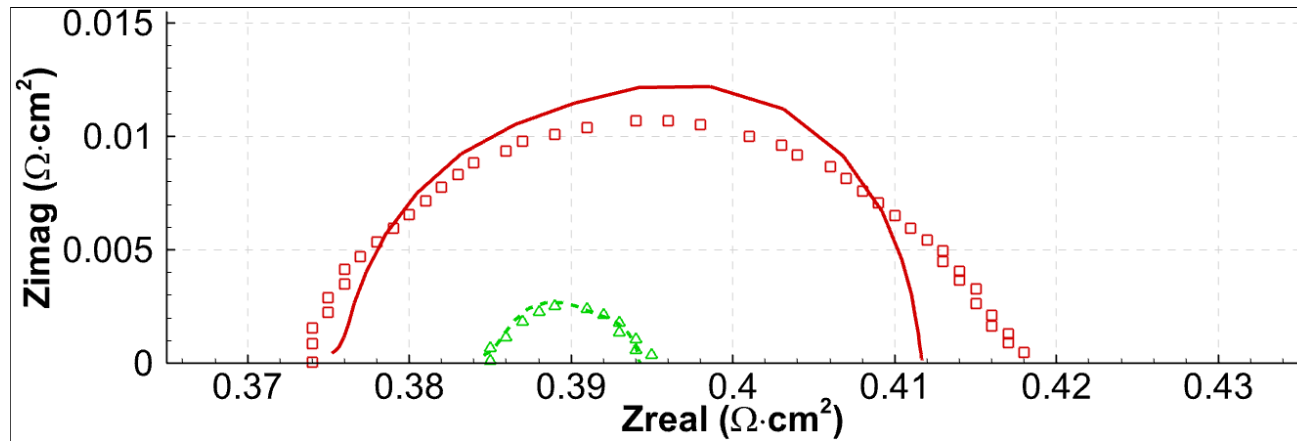
### Sample Notation

ex) **LS\_46-P\_01 (CF46)**  
 volume fraction:  $V_{LSCF}:V_{SDC} = 40\%:60\%$   
 grain size:  $\beta_{LSCF} = 0, \beta_{SDC} = 1$



# Calibration of Numerical Model

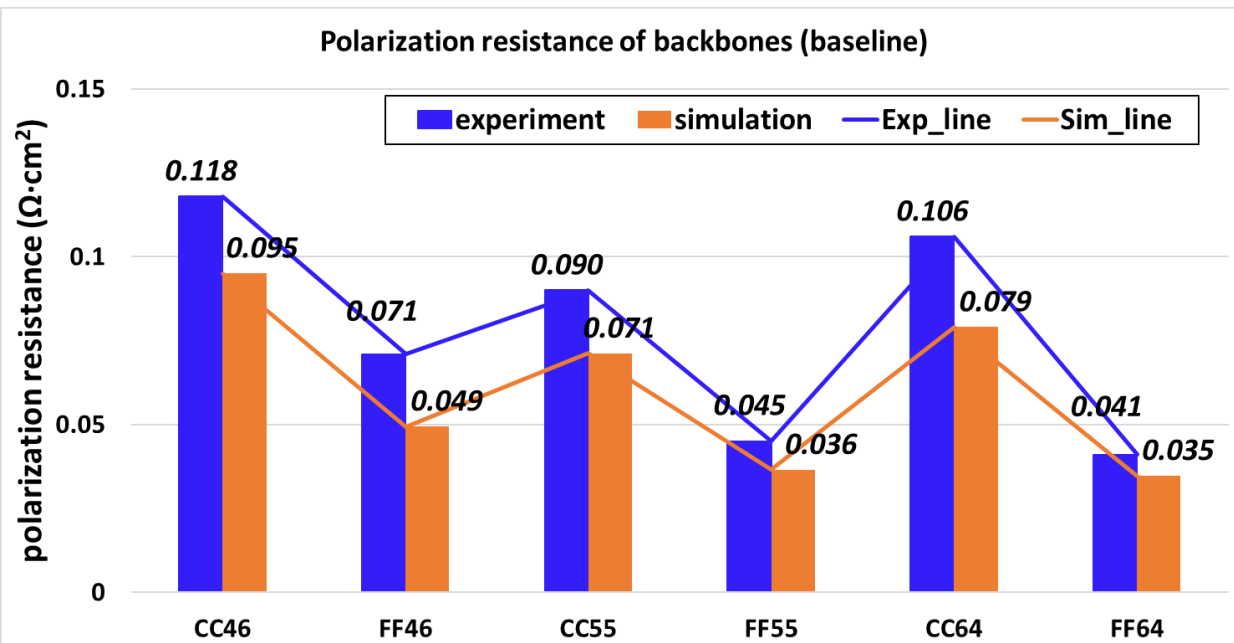
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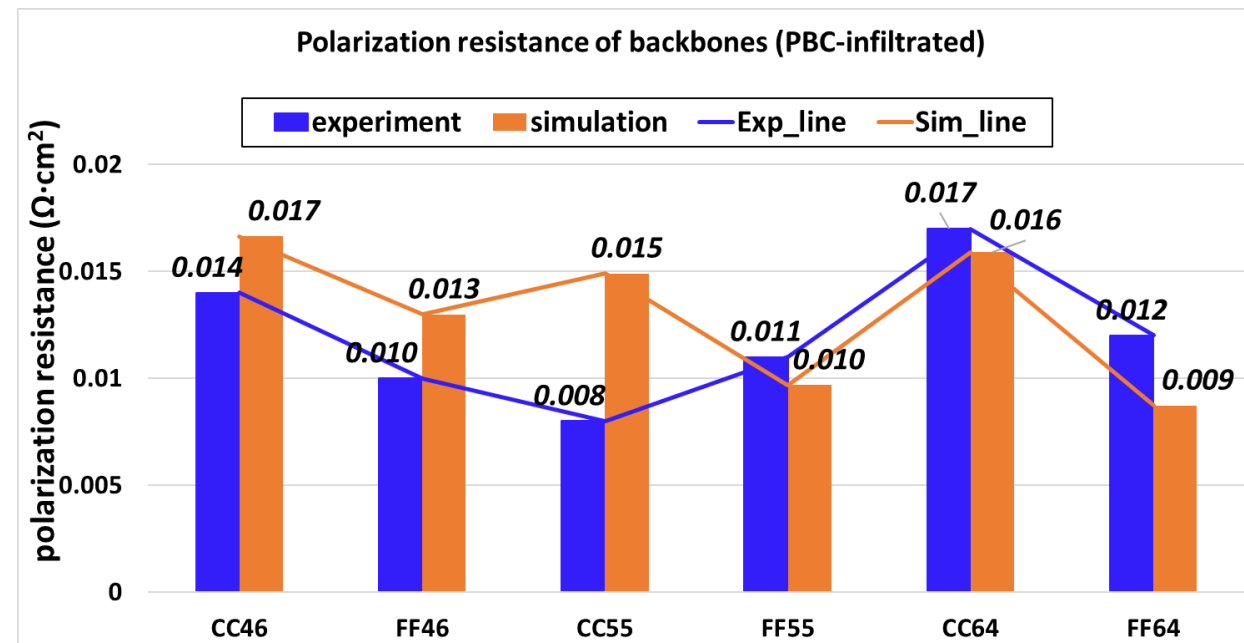
- charge transfer (baseline)
- $Dv_{O,LSCF}$  (baseline)
- $Do_{LSCF}^-$  (baseline)
- $Dv_{O,LSCF}$  &  $Do_{LSCF}^-$  (baseline)
- $D_{gas}$  (baseline)
- ⋯ charge transfer (PBC-infiltrated)
- ⋯  $Dv_{O,LSCF}$  (PBC-infiltrated)
- ⋯  $Do_{LSCF}^-$  (PBC-infiltrated)
- ⋯  $Dv_{O,LSCF}$  &  $Do_{LSCF}^-$  (PBC-infiltrated)
- ⋯  $D_{gas}$  (PBC-infiltrated)

# PBC Infiltration of LSCF/SDC Backbones

## Baseline



## PBC-infiltrated



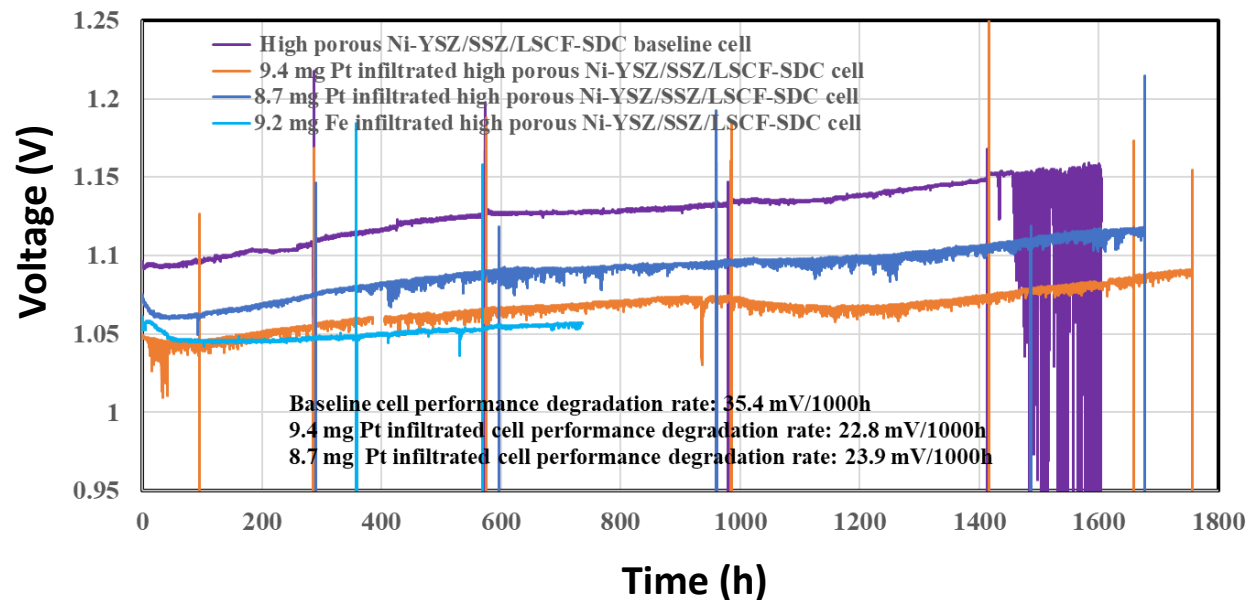
- As with LSM/YSZ, infiltration leveled the performance of all the backbones.
- Still suspect that microstructural discrepancies exist between real and simulated microstructures

# Additional Infiltration Results

## Recent focus on SOEC infiltration before transition to R-SOCs

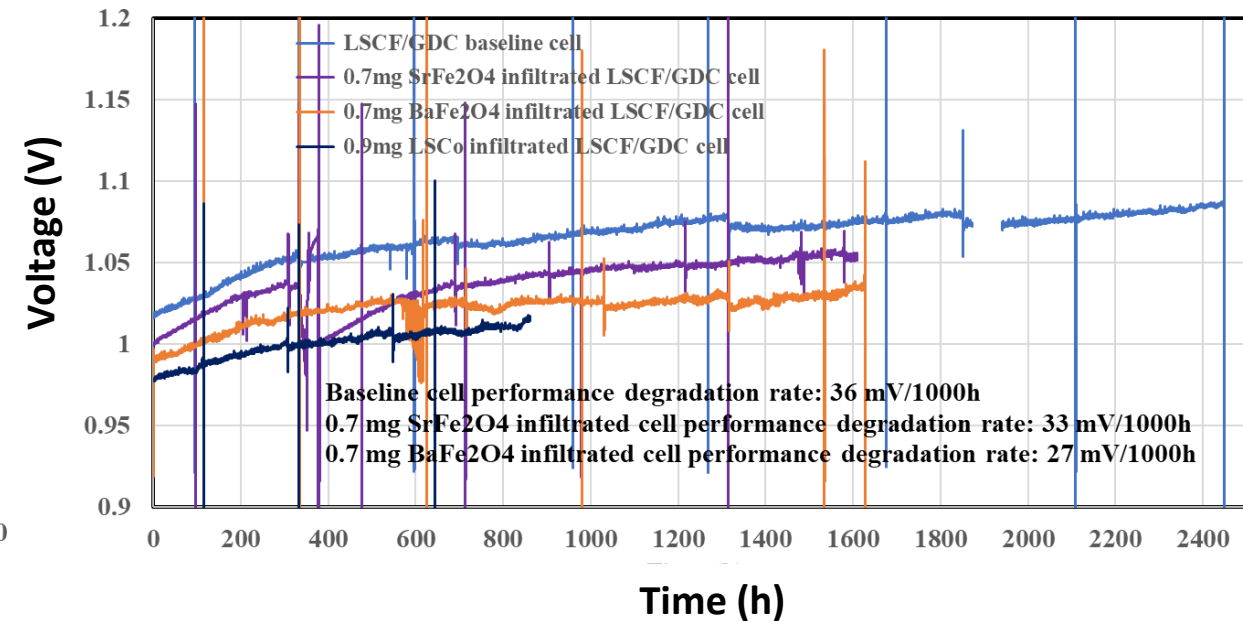
- Ni-YSZ/SSZ/LSCF/SDC Samples operated at 1 A/cm<sup>2</sup> at 850°C
- Post-mortem analysis is ongoing
- Infiltrated R-SOC testing beginning this quarter

### Infiltration into Steam Electrode



Fe infiltration more effective and cheaper than Pt

### Infiltration into Air Electrode

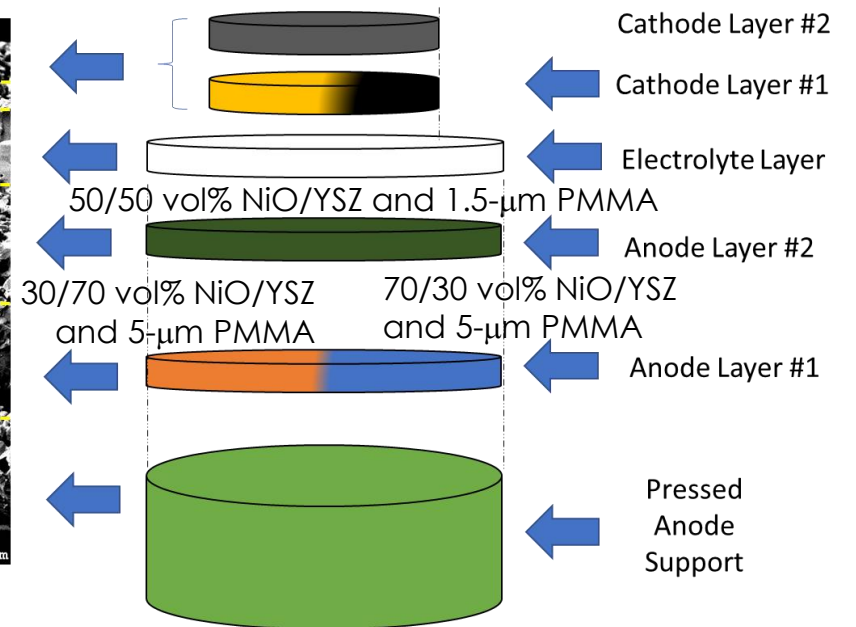
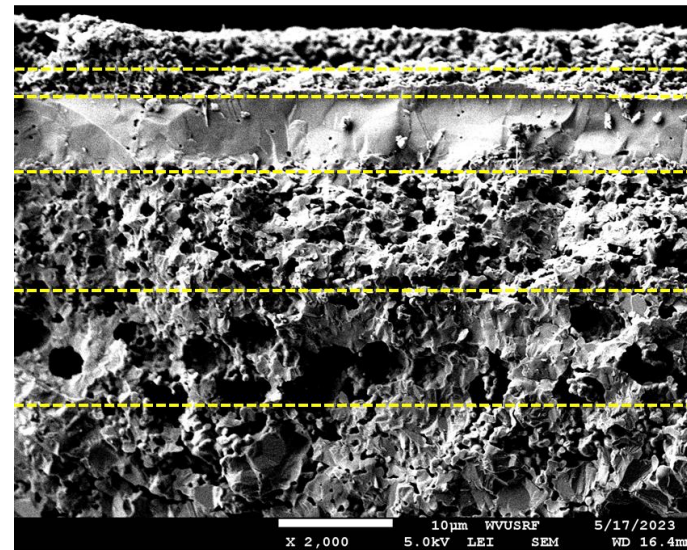
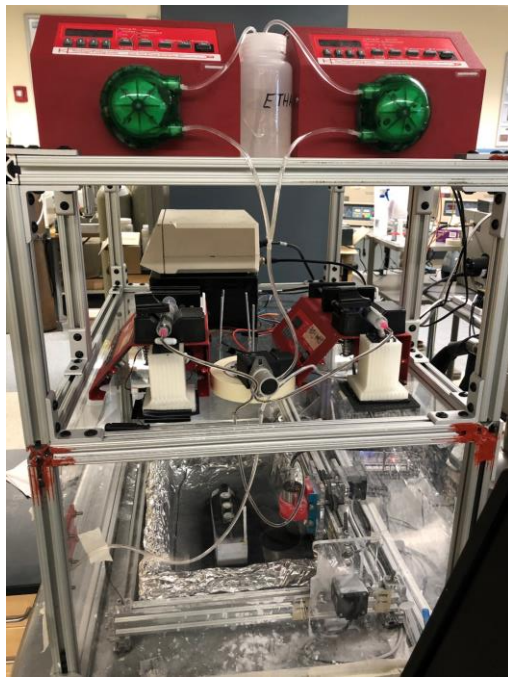


In terms of performance, LSC > BaFe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> > SrFe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>

# Additive Manufacturing of SOCs

## Creating 3D microstructure gradients to control gradients in T, V

- Automated spray deposition system built at WVU used to apply active anode, electrolyte, and active cathode layers. Deposition parameters adjusted to improve quality/performance
  - Cathode polarization resistance at 800°C improved from 0.377 ohm-cm<sup>2</sup> down to 0.0381 ohm-cm<sup>2</sup>
- Finer resolution nozzle installed, deposition width of 1.21 mm vs. 10.95 mm

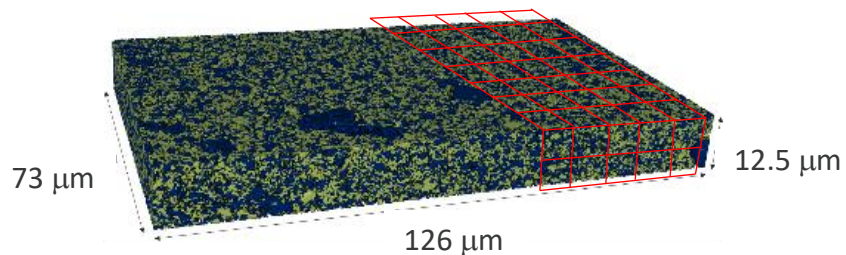


# Cell and Stack Degradation Modeling

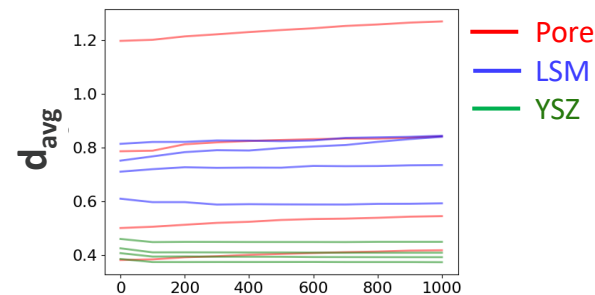
Simulation-driven design of advanced SOCs



# Integrated Cell Degradation Model



3D Electrode Microstructures

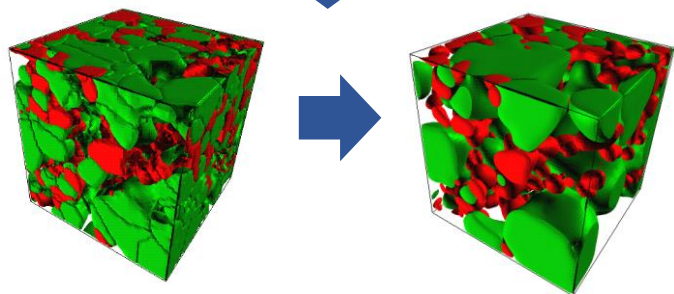


Microstructural Analysis

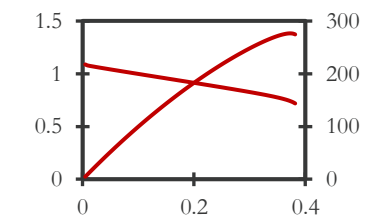
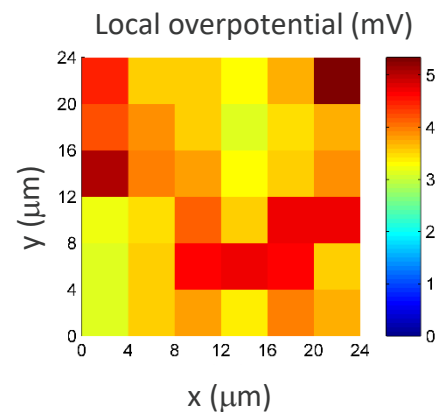
- Particle sizes
- Volume fraction
- Distributions
- Heterogeneity
- Tortuosity

- Coarsening
- Secondary phases
- Poisoning
- Interdiffusion
- Cracking/delamination

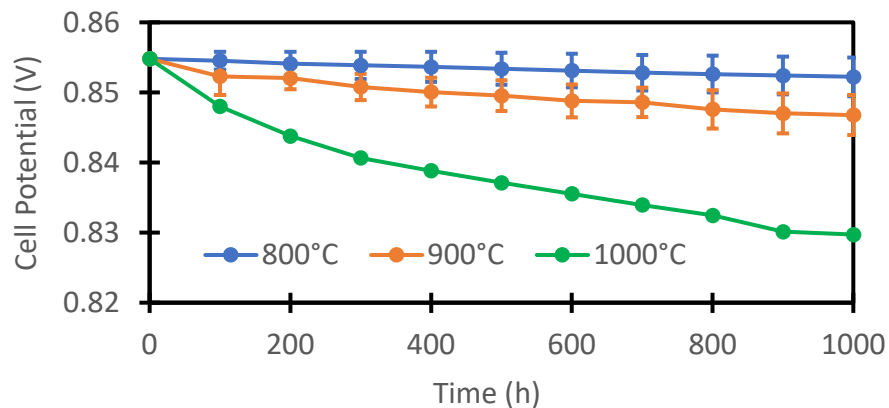
Degradation models



Multiphysics Performance Model



- Polarization curves
- Impedance spectra
- T, P Distributions
- Hotspots



Cell Lifetime Prediction

**SOFC** degradation from **coarsening** shown. Framework can be used in SOFC, SOEC, and r-SOC mode with multiple modes.

# Analyzing performance degradation

## How to determine what's a good or bad electrode?

- SOC Simulations run on database of **1000s** of synthetic microstructure covering large matrix of microstructural parameter combinations (particle sizes, phase fractions, particle size distribution, phase fraction distribution, etc.)

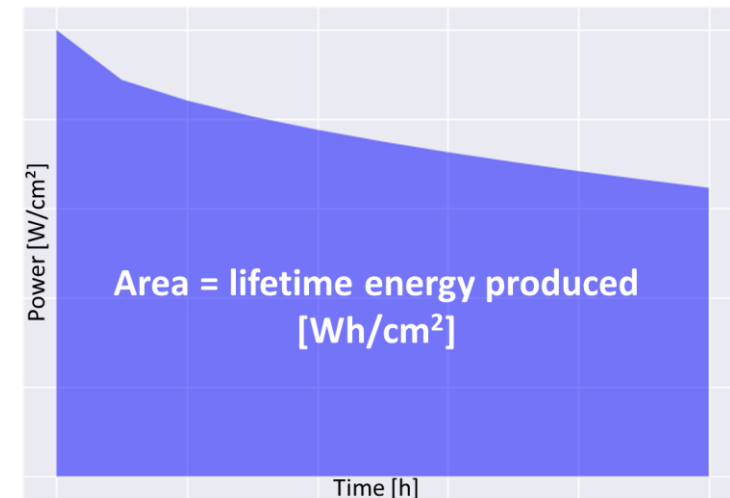
Need a single figure-of-merit that captures **both** initial performance and stability

**Lifetime energy production chosen.**

**Presently:** operation at a given current density, up to a given time

## NETL Microstructure Resources

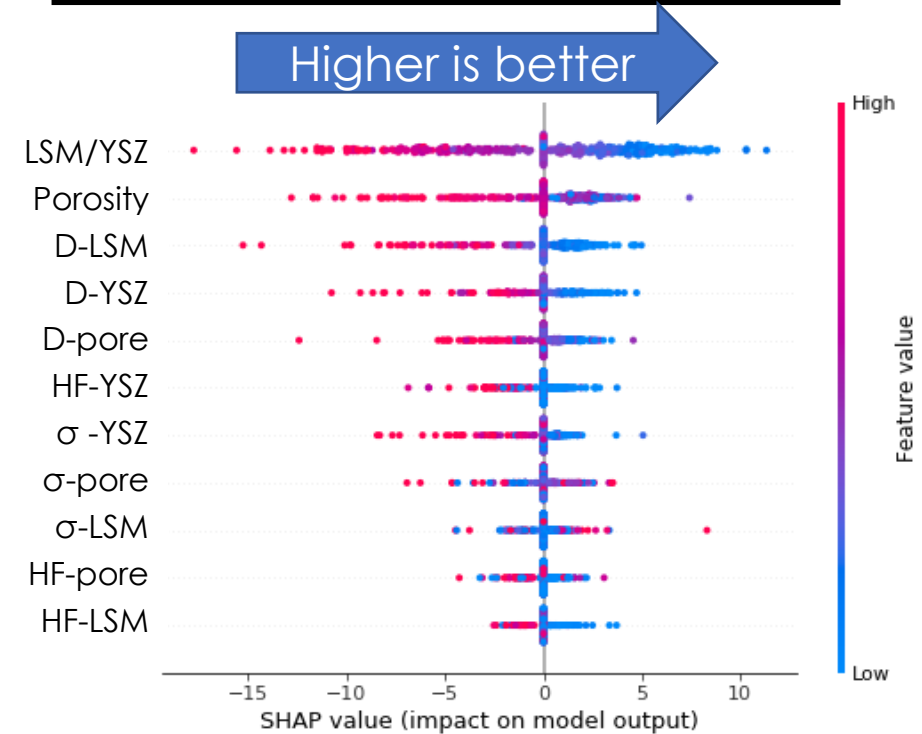
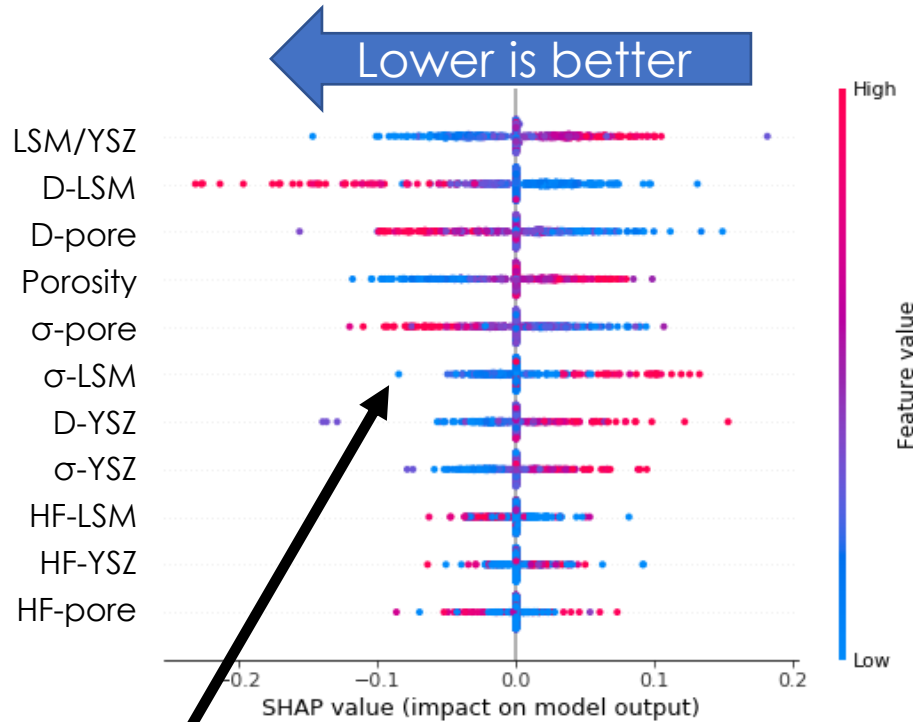
- SOC Synthetic Electrode Microstructure Database
  - 1,970 unique 3-phase electrode microstructure files
  - DOI: [10.18141/1988063](https://doi.org/10.18141/1988063)
- PFIB-SEM 3D reconstructions of real SOFC electrodes:  
DOI: [10.18141/1425617](https://doi.org/10.18141/1425617)



# SOFC Cathode Feature Importance Ranking

Impact on voltage decay [%/khr]

Impact on lifetime energy [Wh/cm<sup>2</sup>]

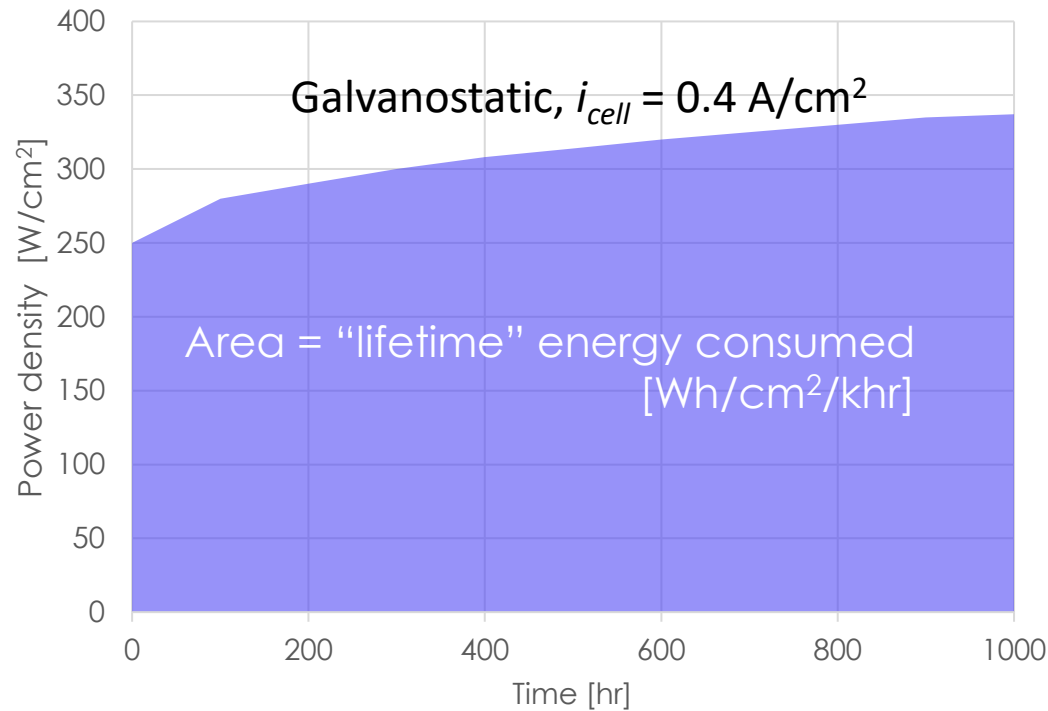


Each point represents a feature value from a specific simulated electrode microstructure

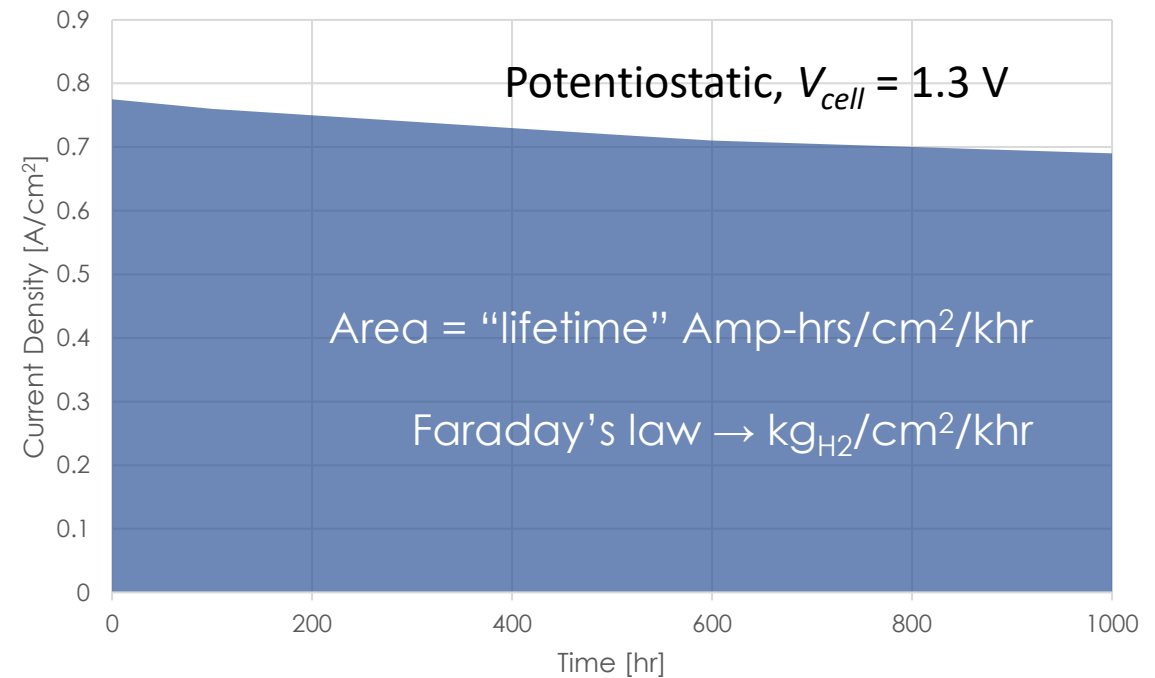
Small LSM particle sizes are bad for voltage decay, but net good for lifetime performance - **worthwhile tradeoff.**  
Lower LSM/YSZ ratio is good for both metrics

# SOEC Figures of Merit

## Linking SOEC lifetime performance to economics



"Lifetime" energy consumed – at a given current density (and hence H<sub>2</sub> rate)

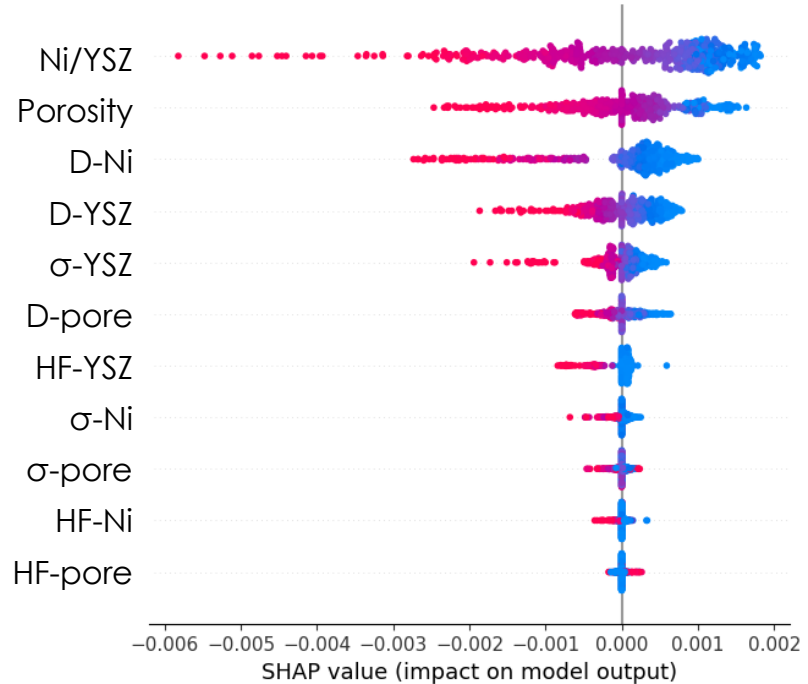


"Lifetime" H<sub>2</sub> produced – at a given voltage (chosen roughly thermoneutral)

# Feature Importance

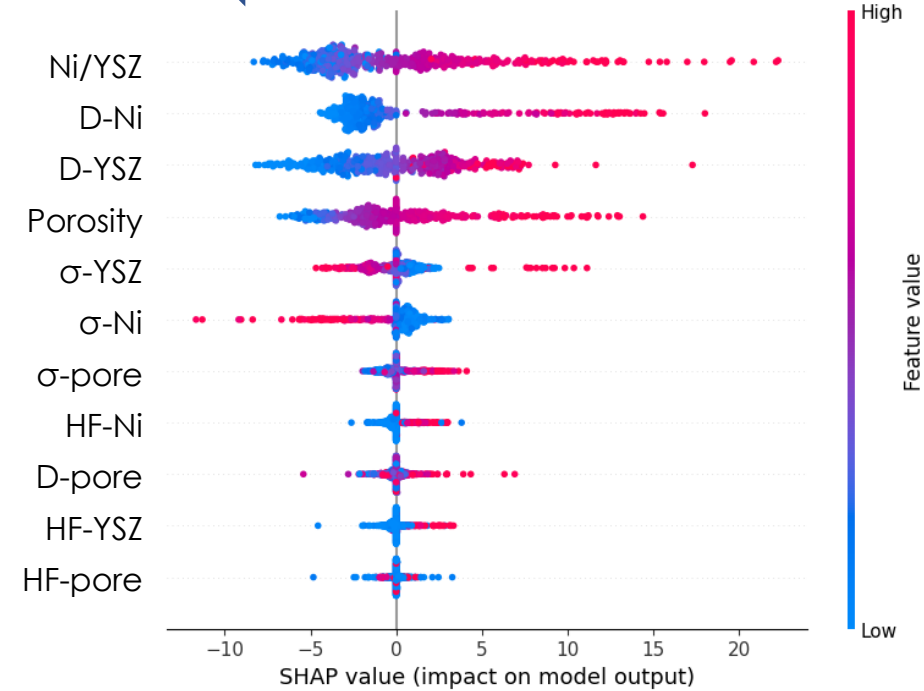
Impact on H<sub>2</sub> Produced  
[kg/cm<sup>2</sup>/khr]

Higher is better →



Impact on energy consumed  
[Wh/cm<sup>2</sup>/khr]

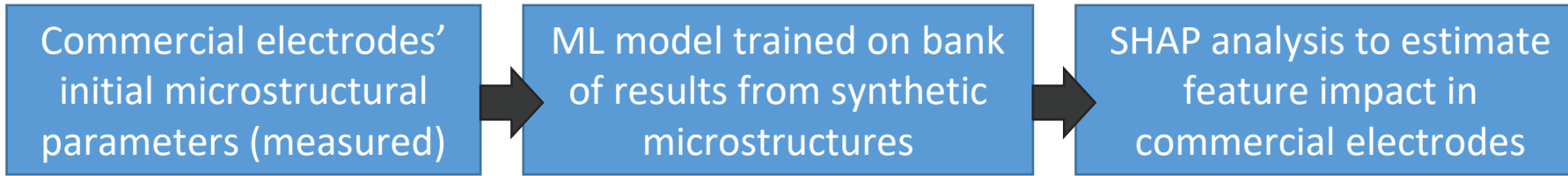
← Lower is better



Low Ni/YSZ ratio, low porosity, small solid particles beneficial for both, but rankings are different  
Other figures of merit (e.g. degr. only) may show different dependence



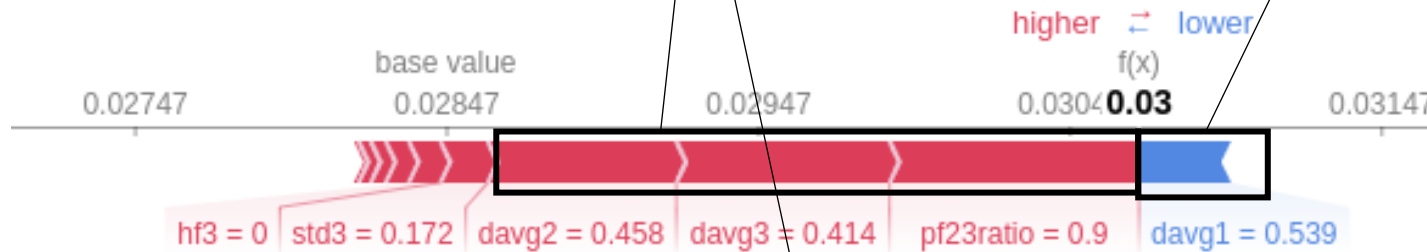
# Making specific recommendations: SOEC



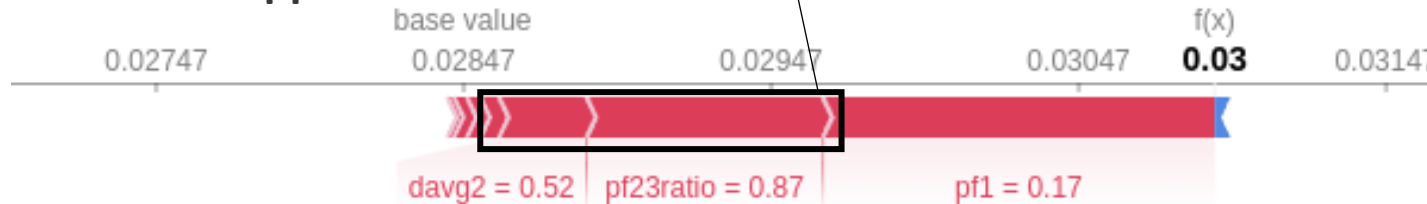
Low Ni/YSZ ratio, small solid particles were good choices

Biggest drain was pore size

Fuel Elec. from supplier A



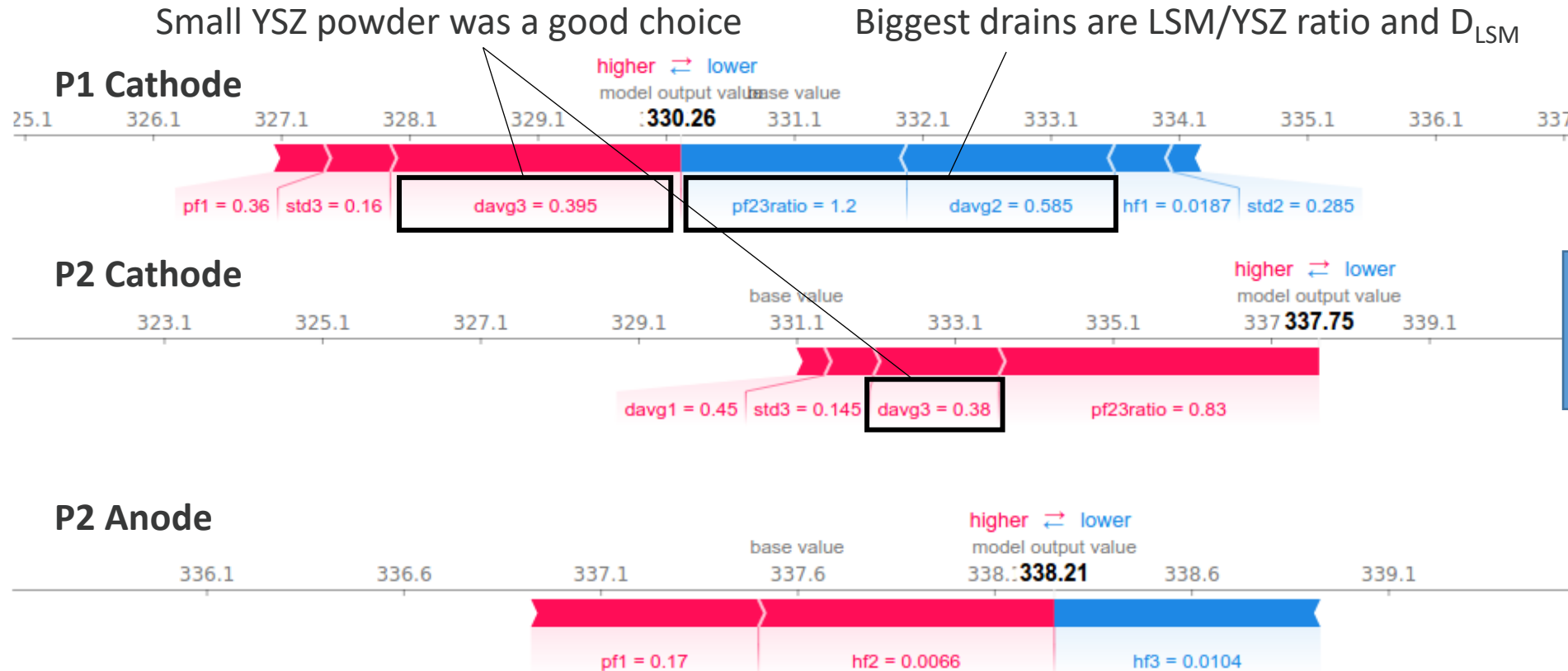
Fuel Elec. from supplier B



Chosen metric was H<sub>2</sub> produced

# SOFC Recommendations

- Samples from Materials Systems Research Inc. (MSRI, Salt Lake City, UT).



Chosen metric was lifetime energy

## ***Conclusions***

- Materials discovery using machine learning can screen an even larger parametric space than previous high throughput methods
- Modeling is useful tool for deeper interpretation of performance data, designing more durable electrodes, and providing context to literature results
- NETL continues to develop advanced electrode design and fabrication tools for more optimized lifetime performance

## ***How can NETL help you?***

- NETL's synthetic microstructure database, real 3D microstructures, microstructural analysis tools, and defect modeling tools are available to the public
- NETL can collaborate with partners, using partner data and conditions to run performance degradation and optimization simulations

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- “Modeling Ni Coarsening under Humid Atmosphere in Electrode of Solid Oxide Cells” - **Yves Mantz**
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