

Supporting Information for

Construction of a High-Performance Composite Solid Electrolyte through In-Situ Polymerization within a Self-Supported Porous Garnet Framework

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S1 Supplementary Tables

Table S1 Results of Rietveld refinement analysis for the nominal composition of the self-supported porous $\text{Li}_{6.4}\text{La}_3\text{Zr}_{1.4}\text{Ta}_{0.6}\text{O}_{12}$ (LLZT)

Structure	Space group	Lattice constant [Å]		Agreement factors [%]			
		$a = b = c$		R_{exp}	R_p	R_{wp}	χ^2
Cubic	$Ia\bar{3}d$	12.9224		8.5338	7.9017	10.7717	1.5932

Atom	Wyckoff site	x	y	z	Occupation
Li(1)	96h	0.062	0.35	0.0321	0.293
Li(2)	24d	0.375	0	0.25	0.96
La	24c	0.125	0	0.25	1
Zr	16a	0	0	0	0.7
Ta	16a	0	0	0	0.3
O	96h	0.1017	0.1962	0.2816	1

Table S2 Compositions of electrolytes used for ionic conductivity optimization

No	Composition				Ionic conductivity at 30 °C [mS cm ⁻¹]
	LiTFSI [mg]	LiDFOB [mg]	SN [mg]	MEMA [mg]	
1	374.9	125.1	250.0	250.0	0.164
2	299.9	100.1	250.0	350.0	0.207
3	187.4	62.6	250.0	500.0	0.450
4	187.4	62.6	350.0	400.0	0.659
5	187.4	62.6	500.0	250.0	0.985

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6	262.4	87.6	400.0	250.0	0.699
7	224.9	75.1	250.0	450.0	0.268
8	262.4	87.6	250.0	400.0	0.114
9	337.4	112.6	250.0	300.0	0.163
10	337.4	112.6	300.0	250.0	0.315
11	299.9	100.1	350.0	250.0	0.427
12	224.9	75.1	450.0	250.0	0.840
13	187.4	62.6	450.0	300.0	0.804
14	187.4	62.6	350.0	400.0	0.428
15	187.4	62.6	300.0	450.0	0.428
16	224.9	75.1	400.0	300.0	0.761
17	262.4	87.6	350.0	300.0	0.498
18	224.9	75.1	350.0	350.0	0.378
19	299.9	100.1	300.0	300.0	0.321
20	262.4	87.6	300.0	350.0	0.444
21	224.9	75.1	300.0	400.0	0.442
22	149.9	50.1	500.0	300.0	1.117
23	112.5	37.5	500.0	350.0	0.945
24	75.0	25.0	500.0	400.0	0.493
25	37.5	12.5	500.0	450.0	0.259
26	0.0	0.0	500.0	500.0	0.004
27	149.9	50.1	450.0	350.0	0.849
28	112.5	37.5	450.0	400.0	0.704
29	75.0	25.0	450.0	450.0	0.329
30	37.5	12.5	450.0	500.0	0.128
31	149.9	50.1	400.0	400.0	0.791
32	112.5	37.5	400.0	450.0	0.600
33	75.0	25.0	400.0	500.0	0.292
34	149.9	50.1	350.0	450.0	0.574
35	112.5	37.5	350.0	500.0	0.402
36	75.0	25.0	350.0	550.0	0.205
37	149.9	50.1	300.0	500.0	0.409

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38	112.5	37.5	300.0	550.0	0.286
39	75.0	25.0	300.0	600.0	0.246
40	149.9	50.1	250.0	550.0	0.213
41	112.5	37.5	250.0	600.0	0.346
42	75.0	25.0	250.0	650.0	0.143
43	112.5	37.5	550.0	300.0	0.805
45	149.9	50.1	200.0	600.0	0.189
46	224.9	75.1	200.0	500.0	0.200
44	262.4	87.6	500.0	150.0	0.754
47	299.9	100.1	200.0	400.0	0.077
48	112.5	37.5	150.0	700.0	0.102
49	224.9	75.1	150.0	550.0	0.204
50	299.9	100.1	150.0	450.0	0.072
51	337.4	112.6	150.0	400.0	0.044
52	187.4	62.6	100.0	650.0	0.104
53	299.9	100.1	100.0	500.0	0.043
54	262.4	87.6	50.0	600.0	0.052
55	187.4	62.6	0.0	750.0	0.039
56	262.4	87.6	0.0	650.0	0.026
57	374.9	125.1	0.0	500.0	0.005
58	187.4	62.6	400.0	350.0	0.738
59	299.9	100.1	400.0	200.0	0.656
60	374.9	125.1	200.0	300.0	0.111

Table S3 Quantification of Li⁺ local environment in CSE before and after testing

Sample		Li ⁺ local environment		
		LLZT	Polymer	Interface
Before	Area	8378.20	1663.38	869.68
	Percent [%]	76.79	15.24	7.97
After	Area	57594.09	16703.65	27115.25
	Percent [%]	56.79	16.47	26.74
Increase factor		6.87	10.04	31.18

Table S4 Comparison of the electrochemical performances of solid electrolytes when using NCM cathode at room temperature

Config.	C-rate and corresponding specific capacity [mAh g ⁻¹]								
	0.1C	0.2C	0.3C	0.5C	1C	2C	3C	4C	5C
Li PTFE-LLZTO-SN NCM523 [S1]	158	–	148	130	–	–	–	–	–
Li PAN-insitu NCM622 [S2]	173.1	–	126.2	51	–	–	–	–	–
Li QSPE NMC811 [S3]	–	172	–	161	144	114	–	71	–
Li DSPE-2M NMC811 [S4]	168	165	–	153	137	118	–	–	–
Li CSE NCM811 [S5]	180.3	170	–	150.7	133.2	108.8	–	–	65.5
Li PVBL NCM811 [S6]	–	192.1	–	186.9	172.9	147.9	–	–	94
Li PDOL+YSZ NCM622 [S7]	180	–	168	163	151	134	–	–	–
Li CS-CSSE NCM83 [S8]	185.4	179.9	174.5	167	155.7		–	–	–
This work	197.4	189.4	–	171.4	151.8	120.6	–	–	54.7

S2 Supplementary Figures

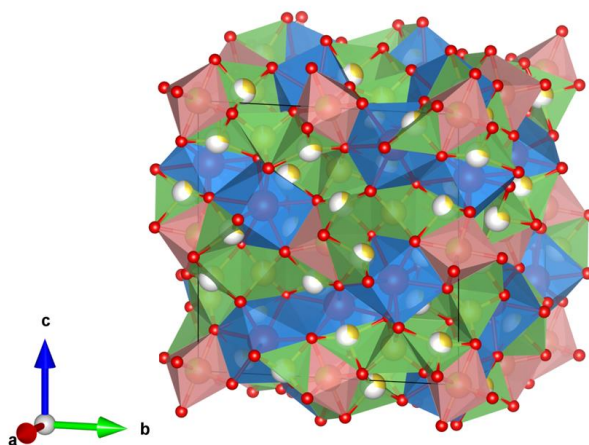


Fig. S1 Illustration of the crystal structure of self-supported porous LLZT

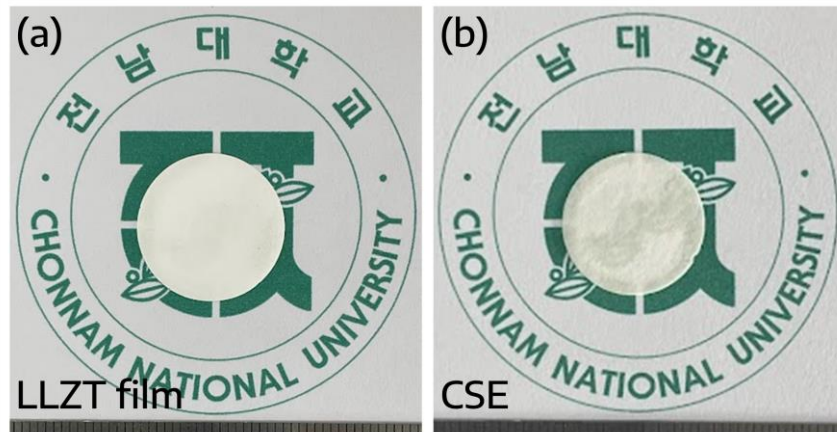


Fig. S2 Optical photographs of the self-supported porous LLZT and CSE films

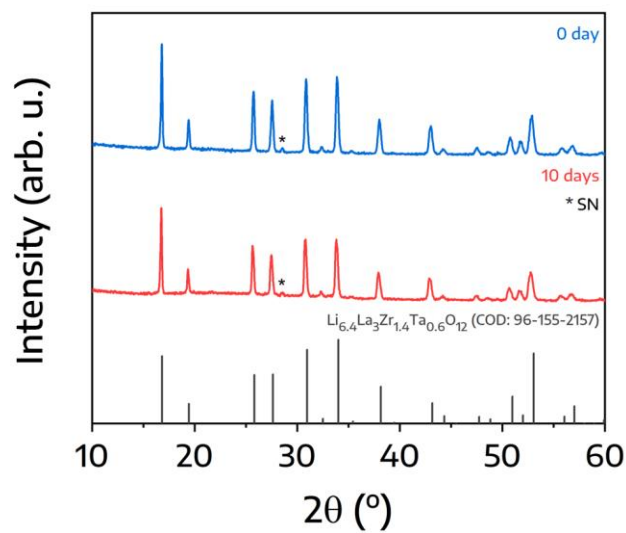


Fig. S3 XRD patterns of CSE before and after 10 days of exposure to the ambient environment

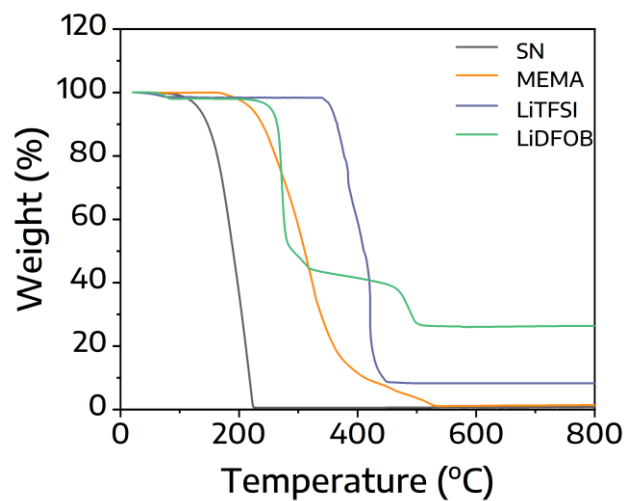


Fig. S4 TGA curves of SN, MEMA, LiTFSI, and LiDFOB in an air atmosphere

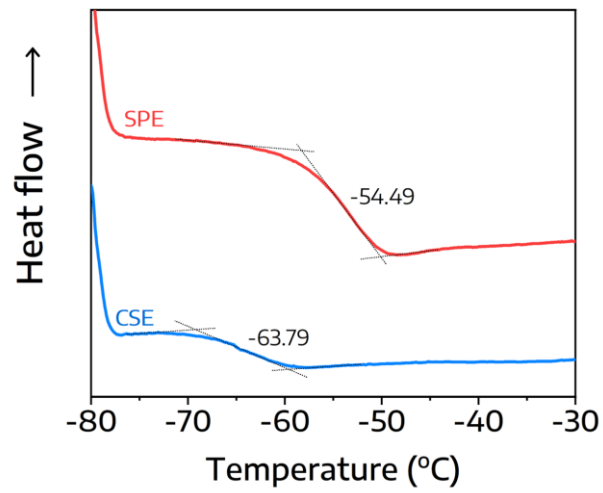


Fig. S5 DSC profiles of SPE and CSE

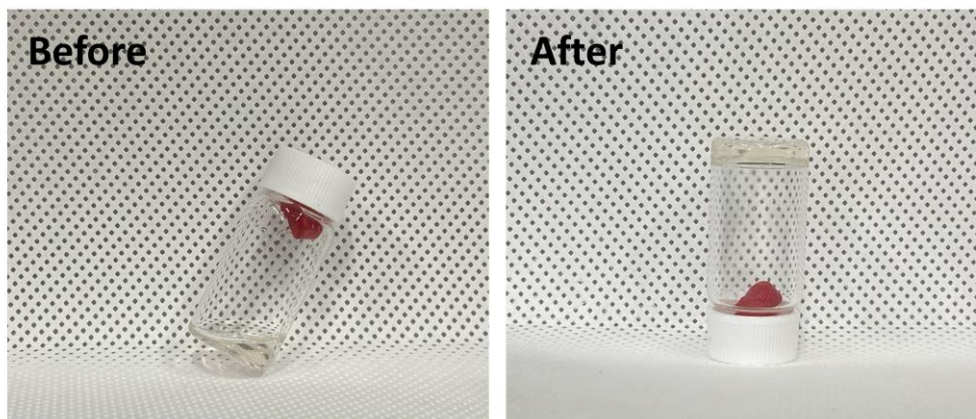


Fig. S6 Photographs of the monomer solution before and after polymerization

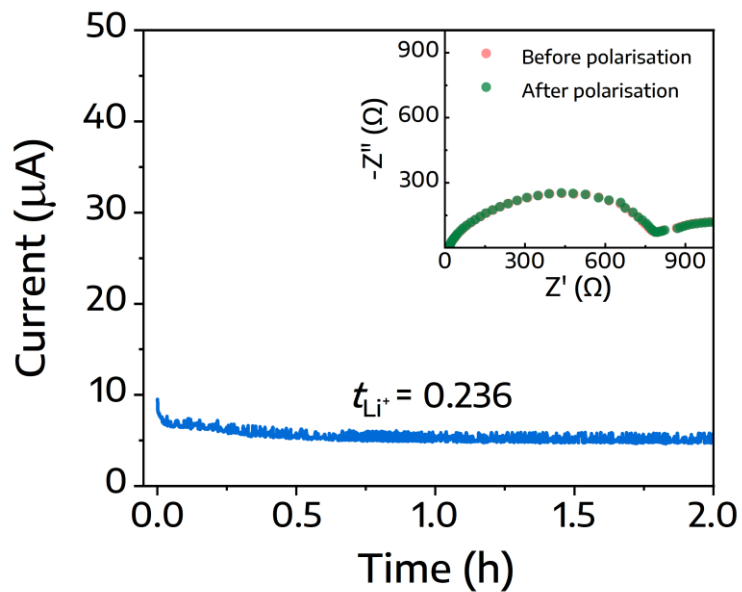


Fig. S7 Current transient profile and the corresponding EIS plots of Li|SPE|Li symmetric cell before and after polarization

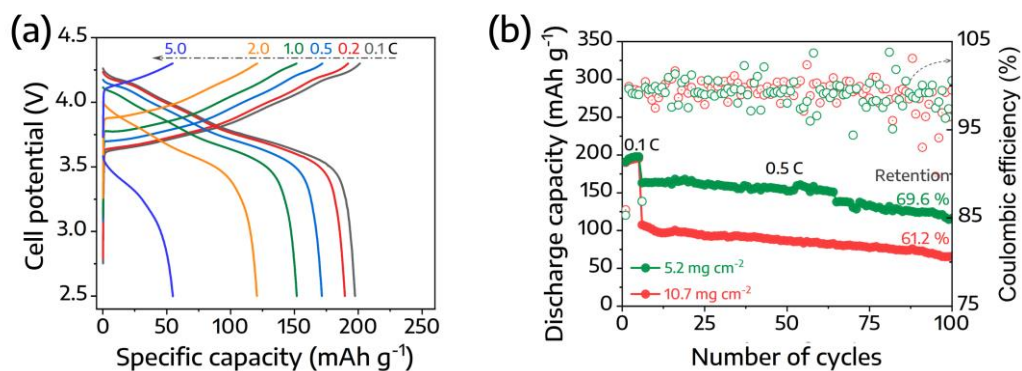


Fig. S8 (a) Galvanostatic charge-discharge profiles at various C-rates of the Li|CSE|NCM811 coin cell. (b) Cyclability of Li|CSE|NCM811 coin cells using NCM811 with high mass loadings of 5.2 and 10.7 mg cm⁻²

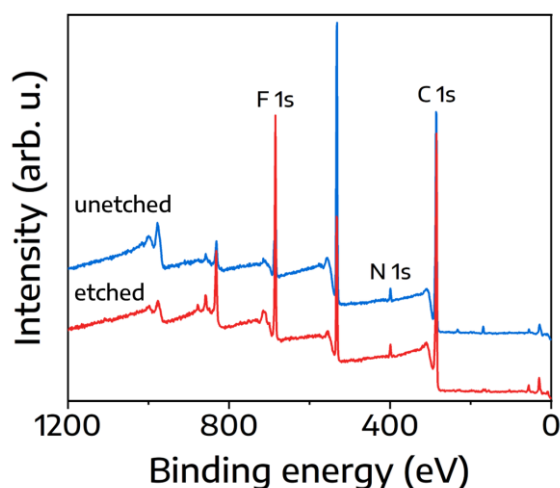


Fig. S9 Wide-range XPS spectrum of cycled NCM811 cathode

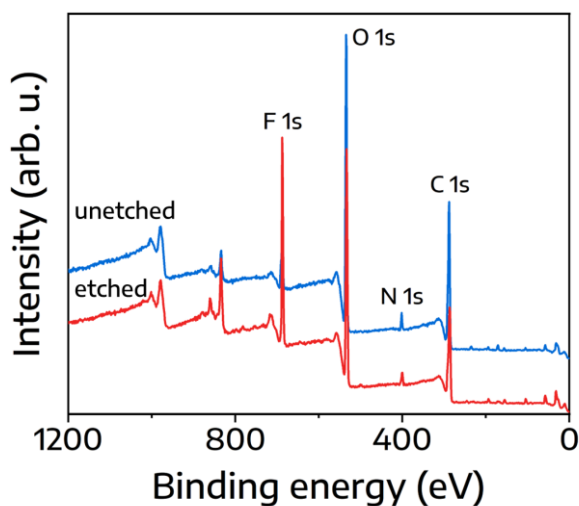


Fig. S10 Wide-range XPS spectrum of cycled Li anode

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