

Are Si-B binary alloys a good material for thermal energy storage?

Silicon boron alloys have been recognized as important materials for e.g. a direct usage in ultra-high temperature latent heat thermal energy storage systems or as a batch materials for processing boron enhanced silicide-based composites. In this work, we put new experimentally driven insights on a structure of selected Si-B binary alloys.

Is interstitial doped boron a conceptual innovation in energy storage mechanism?

Compared to previous studies in pseudocapacitive materials that mainly derived from the intrinsic redox activities of metal oxides, such "interstitial doped boron" involved redox reaction in accounting for the pseudo-capacitance indeed shows a conceptual innovation in energy storage mechanism.

How can boron/silicon nanoparticles be synthesized using plasma-enhanced chemical vapor deposition?

This study introduces an innovative approach by alloying silicon with boron, creating boron/silicon (BSi) nanoparticles synthesized via plasma-enhanced chemical vapor deposition. These nanoparticles exhibit altered electronic structures as evidenced by optical, structural, and chemical analysis.

How can a boron nitride separator reduce the size of a battery?

For example, ultrathin hexagonal boron nitride (h-BN) and metal oxide separators and graphene or two-dimensional (2D) transition-metal carbide (MXene) current collectors can decrease the size and weight of the batteries (4, 5).

Why do we need a chemical structure for silicon-based active materials?

The unique chemical and electronic structures of these particles enable new parameters to tune for improving chemical stability against electrolyte decomposition, improving electrical conductivity, and capturing the highest energy density for silicon-based active materials.

Hydrogen energy, known for its high energy density, environmental friendliness, and renewability, stands out as a promising alternative to fossil fuels. However, its broader application is limited by the challenge of efficient and safe storage. In this context, solid-state hydrogen storage using nanomaterials has emerged as a viable solution to the drawbacks of ...

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2.1. Cooperative Heterodinuclear Activation: Boron Plus Lewis Base. The concept of frustrated Lewis pairs has truly captured the attention of chemists and beyond, and has led to an astounding number of reviews and books on the topic.<sup>10</sup> The discovery by Stephan and co-workers in 2006 of reversible dihydrogen splitting

across a phosphine/borane system ...

Three-dimensional silicon-based lithium-ion microbatteries have potential use in miniaturized electronics that require independent energy storage. Here, their developments are discussed in terms ...

Abstract Silicon-air battery is an emerging energy storage device which possesses high theoretical energy density (8470 Wh kg<sup>-1</sup>). Silicon is the second most abundant material on earth. Besides, the discharge products of silicon-air battery are non-toxic and environment-friendly. Pure silicon, nano-engineered silicon and doped silicon have been found ...

1. Introduction The global energy demand experienced significant growth and is projected to increase by ~75% between 2000 and 2030. 1 Current commercial fossil fuel energy sources harm the environment, causing irreversible damage to our earth. Hydrogen is a desirable fuel with a high gravimetric energy density (higher and lower heat values: ~142 kJ g<sup>-1</sup> and ~120 kJ g<sup>-1</sup> ...

Semantic Scholar extracted view of "Resistivity-Dopant Density Relationship for Boron-Doped Silicon" by W. R. Thurber et al. ... With the development of energy storage technology, the demand for high energy density and high security batteries is increasing, making the research of lithium battery (LB) ...

existing energy storage systems. We provide a perspective on recent progress in the application of nanomaterials in energy storage devices, such as supercapacitors and batteries. The ...

Silicon's potential as a lithium-ion battery (LIB) anode is hindered by the reactivity of the lithium silicide (Li<sub>x</sub>Si) interface. This study introduces an innovative approach by alloying silicon with ...

Attributing to such efficient charge storage utilization on the active film, the fabricated transparent supercapacitor delivers a maximum areal energy density of 1.36 × 10<sup>-3</sup> ...

This figure illustrates the potential of silicon (1230 kWh/m<sup>3</sup>) and boron (2680 kWh/m<sup>3</sup>) compared with latent heats of typical salts used in CSP, such as NaNO<sub>3</sub> (110 kWh/m<sup>3</sup>) and KNO<sub>3</sub> (156 kWh/m<sup>3</sup>). Figure 1 also shows that silicon and boron PCMs provide higher storage energy densities than most forms of energy storage, including

In this work we demonstrate that silicon-lattice-matched boron-doped GaP (BGaP), grown at the 12-inch wafer scale, provides similar functionalities as GaP. BGaP optical resonators exhibit intrinsic quality factors exceeding 25,000 and 200,000 at visible and telecom wavelengths respectively.

Irradiation characteristics of nuclear industry have promoted the advancement of neutron shielding materials. Here, we review the latest neutron shielding materials for the storage of spent nuclear fuel containing additives such as boron carbide (B<sub>4</sub>C), boron nitride (BN), boric acid (H<sub>3</sub>BO<sub>3</sub>), and colemanite. Different types of neutron ...

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silicon-based energy storage devices and identify the challenges that need to be addressed to fully realize their potential. The second objective is to explore new and innovative approaches to silicon-based energy storage, including the use of silicon nanotechnology and other materials that have the potential to overcome current limitations.

The use of a high performance thermal energy storage medium is the enabling technology for such a configuration and previous solar thermal studies have suggested the use of high temperature phase ...

Power sources supported by lithium-ion battery (LIB) technology has been considered to be the most suitable for public and military use. Battery quality is always a critical issue since electric engines and portable devices use power-consuming algorithms for security. For the practical use of LIBs in public applications, low heat generation, and fast charging are ...

In this paper, the relationship between coordination complexes and electrical properties according to the bonding structure of boron and silicon was analyzed to optimize the p-n junction quality for high-efficiency n-type crystalline solar cells. The p<sup>+</sup> emitter layer was formed using boron tribromide (BBr<sub>3</sub>). The etch-back process was carried out with HF-HNO<sub>3</sub> ...

A novel conceptual energy storage system design that utilizes ultra high temperature phase change materials is presented. In this system, the energy is stored in the form of latent heat and converted to ... above, silicon-boron alloys are particularly interesting due to their potential to achieve extremely high latent heat, moderate melting ...

The distribution position of boron in silicon is related to the ion energy of the ion implantation system. To create a heavily boron-doped layer on the surface of silicon, an ion energy of 10 keV was chosen. ... The authors are grateful to the National Science and Technology Council of Taiwan for financially supporting this research under ...

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integration (ULSI) technology. Boron is commonly used as a p-type dopant and is introduced into silicon substrates by ion implantation followed by high-temperature annealing to reverse implantation damage. Many studies have been conducted on boron precipitates and boron clustering as well as their electronic properties in silicon for high boron

Rational design and construction of stable artificial interface for silicon (Si) anodes exhibits great promise in shielding the Si particles against their intrinsic volumetric changes and minimizing the side reactions, both constituting prerequisites towards the long-term stability of the high-energy density Si-based batteries. Herein, a multifunctional solid-electrolyte ...

These applications and the need to store energy harvested by triboelectric and piezoelectric generators (e.g., from muscle movements), as well as solar panels, wind power ...

An alternative solution consists of directly using PCMs with higher thermal conductivity and latent heat. As a general rule, the heat of fusion of materials increases with melting temperature [1], [7]; thus, there is an interest on moving towards higher melting point PCMs. However, in LHTES for power generation there is a maximum temperature imposed by ...

Silicon (Si) attracts extensive attention as the advanced anode material for lithium (Li)-ion batteries (LIBs) because of its ultrahigh Li storage capacity and suitable voltage ...

Carbon Energy is an open access energy technology journal publishing innovative interdisciplinary clean energy research from around the world. Abstract Silicon-based (Si) materials are promising anodes for lithium-ion batteries (LIBs) because of their ultrahigh theoretical capacity of 4200 mA h g<sup>-1</sup>. ... 27 and boron (B) 28, 29 atomic dopants, ...

This paper describes the project R& D activities and first results, and comments on challenges towards new systems combining latent heat energy storage in molten silicon ...

Its unique properties, such as electron-deficiency and an unoccupied p orbital, make boron an intriguing subject in the realm of energy conversion and storage. From synthesising energy-rich small molecules to its burgeoning role in light-emitting diodes and photovoltaic applications, boron's multifaceted implications for renewable energy ...

Solar panels are a widely used renewable energy technology. They are covered with photovoltaic (solar) cells that absorb energy from the sunlight and then convert it into electricity, which is then routed to the energy grid or a power storage unit. In solar panels, boron is found in two critical components: Solar cells; Glass panels; Boron in ...

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Silicon doped by boron is introduced a more significant number of conduction electrons and mobile holes that can lift the valence band close to the conduction band, decreasing the bandgap energy of boron-doped silicon to 0.045 eV . The number of holes (positive charge carriers) rises with the increased amount of active boron concentration.

Many works have been dedicated to exploring the potential of boron nitride as hydrogen storage. A paper written by Lale et al. has reviewed many selected works on the subject of "boron nitride for hydrogen storage" [41].

Manufacturers add elements like phosphorus and boron in a thin layer at the surface of the silicon to increase the chip's conductivity. It is in this surface layer where the transistor switches ...

For commercial uses, Shin says, "one grand challenge would be how to produce and purify cubic boron arsenide as effectively as silicon. ... Silicon took decades to win the crown, having purity of over 99.99999999 percent, or "10 nines" for mass production today." ... making up the foundation of modern technology from computer chips to ...

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