

Special Issue

The Challenges and Applications of Solid State Battery Technology

Message from the Guest Editor

Are solid-state batteries the key technology for electric vehicles applications? First research activities in solid-state battery technology date back to the late 1950s. Solid-state battery technology has found applications in the form of micro-batteries to power, for example, micro-power sources for sensors. The current momentum for growing interest in solid-state batteries comes from the game-changing battery industry players in electric and hybrid electric vehicles.

This Special Issue aims at overviewing the many challenges in solid-state battery technologies as well as recent developments. The invitation and discussion are opened for scientific papers related to:

- Solid-state electrolyte development;
- Ionic conductivity enhancement in solid state;
- Electrolyte/electrode interface stability;
- Solid state electrodes (cathode and anode);
- Solid state electrode processing manufacturing;
- Cell manufacturing methods;
- Battery management systems for solid state;
- Battery pack design and modelling.

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