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Infrastructure at BiLTAM

BiLTAM – Scientific and Technological Research and Application Center
Istanbul Medeniyet University

Active Material Synthesis:

- Solid state synthesis (bulk materials): High temperature box and tube furnaces
- 1D nanofibers: Electro spin systems

Battery Construction equipment:

- Hydrolic Crimper for coin cells
- Compact Precision Disc Cutter
- Micrometer adjustable film applicator
- Modular Glove box – Mbraun MB200B
- Vacuum ovens

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Characterization:

- X-ray Diffraction (XRD) - Bruker D8 Discovery
- Atomic Force Microscope (AFM)- PARK SYSTEMS – XE100E
- Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM)
- Cyclic voltammetry
- 8 channel battery analyzer

Capabilities

- Active material synthesis in bulk and nano scales
- Coin cell construction
- Electrochemical characterization
- Synchrotron characterization techniques: X-ray absorption spectroscopy and x-ray diffraction
- Magnetic and electrical transport properties

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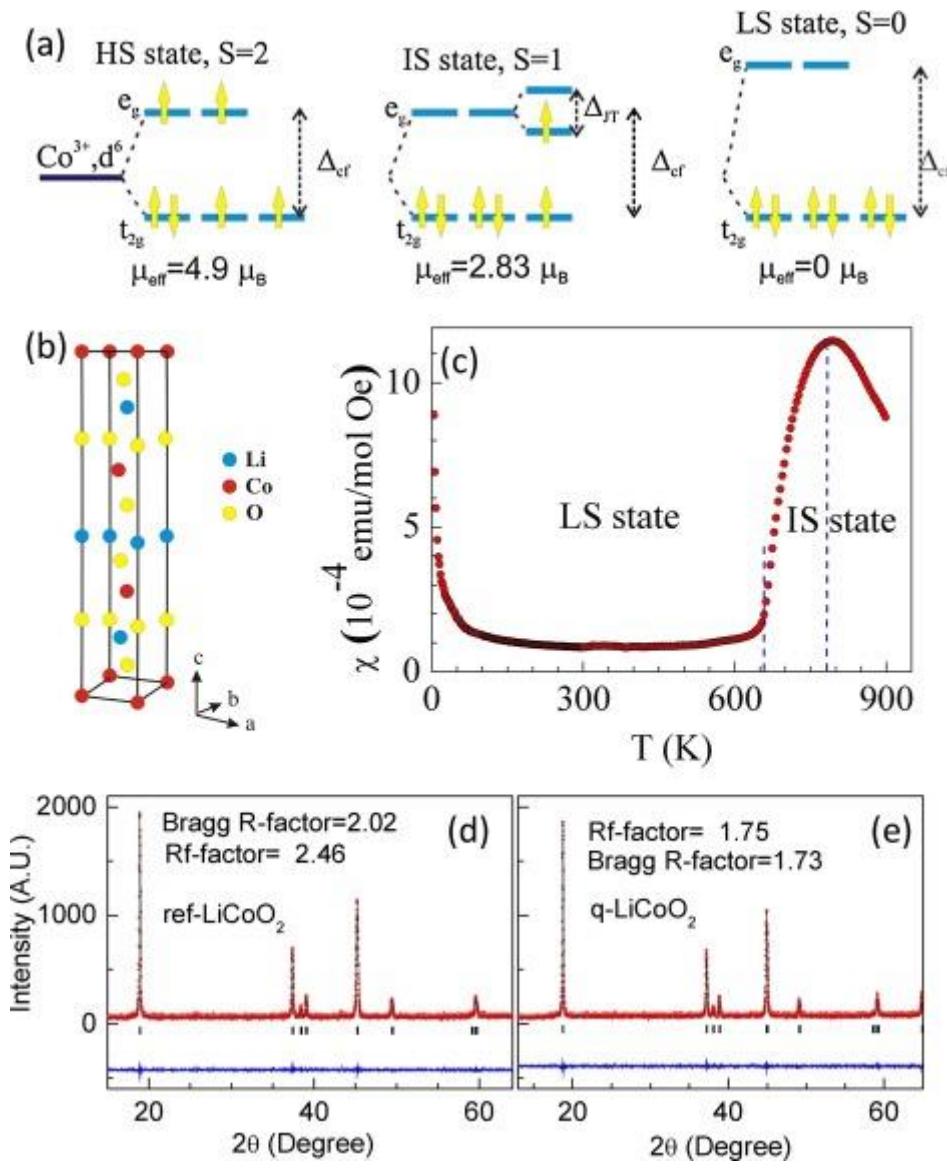
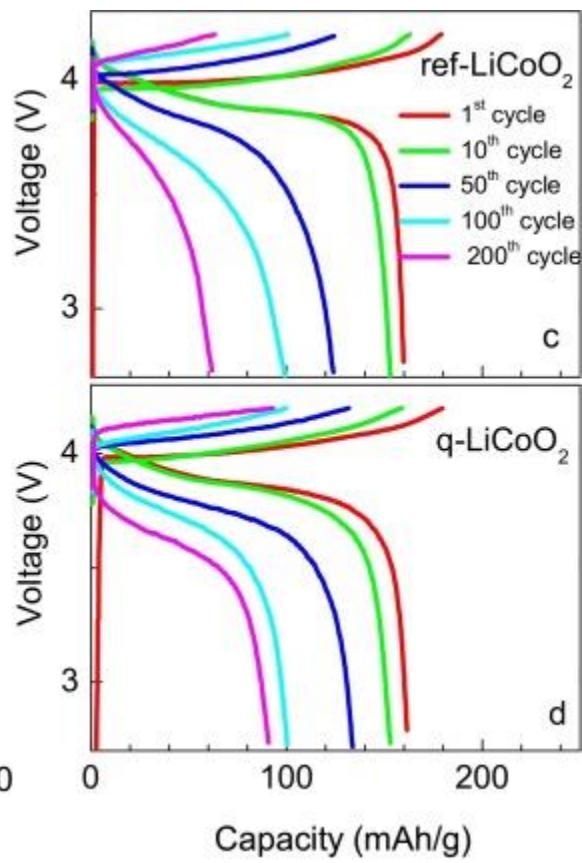
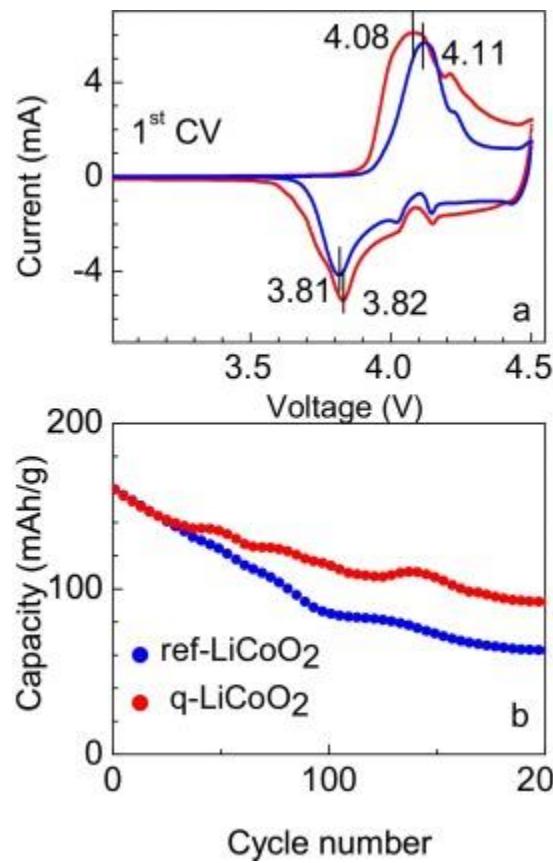
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Past Research

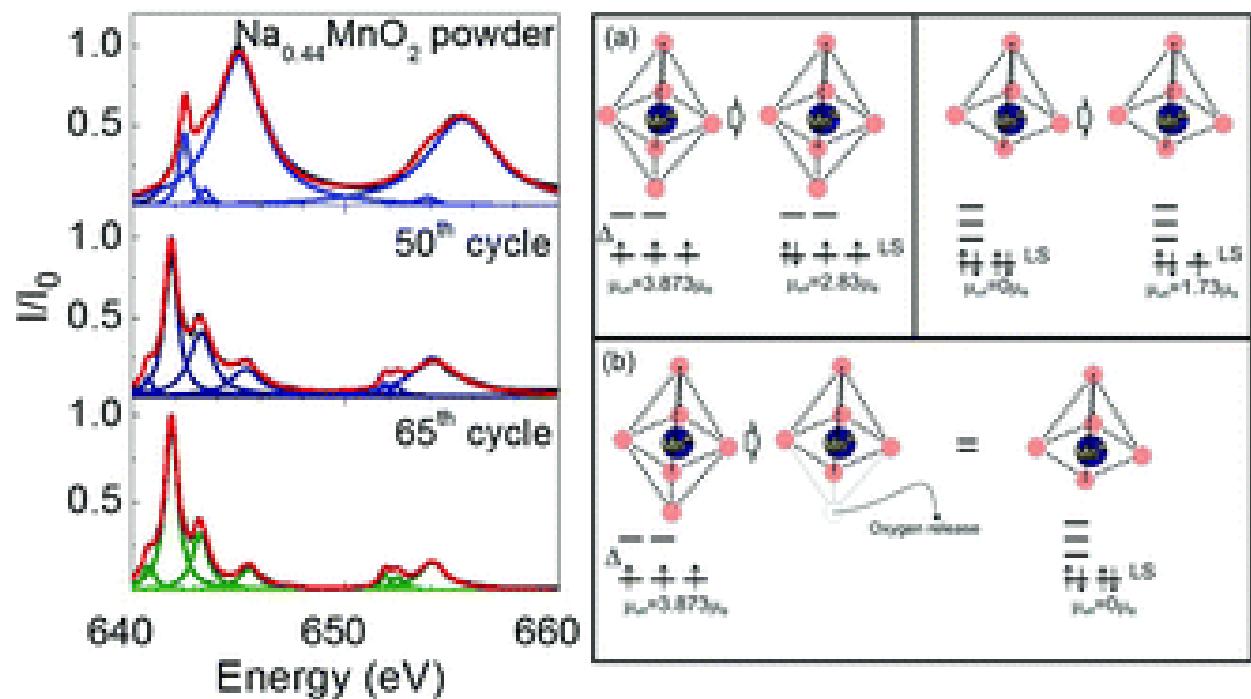
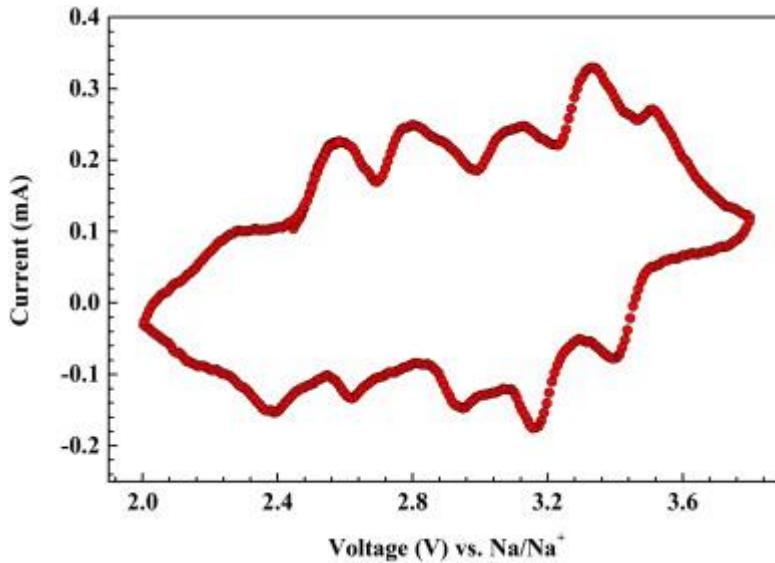
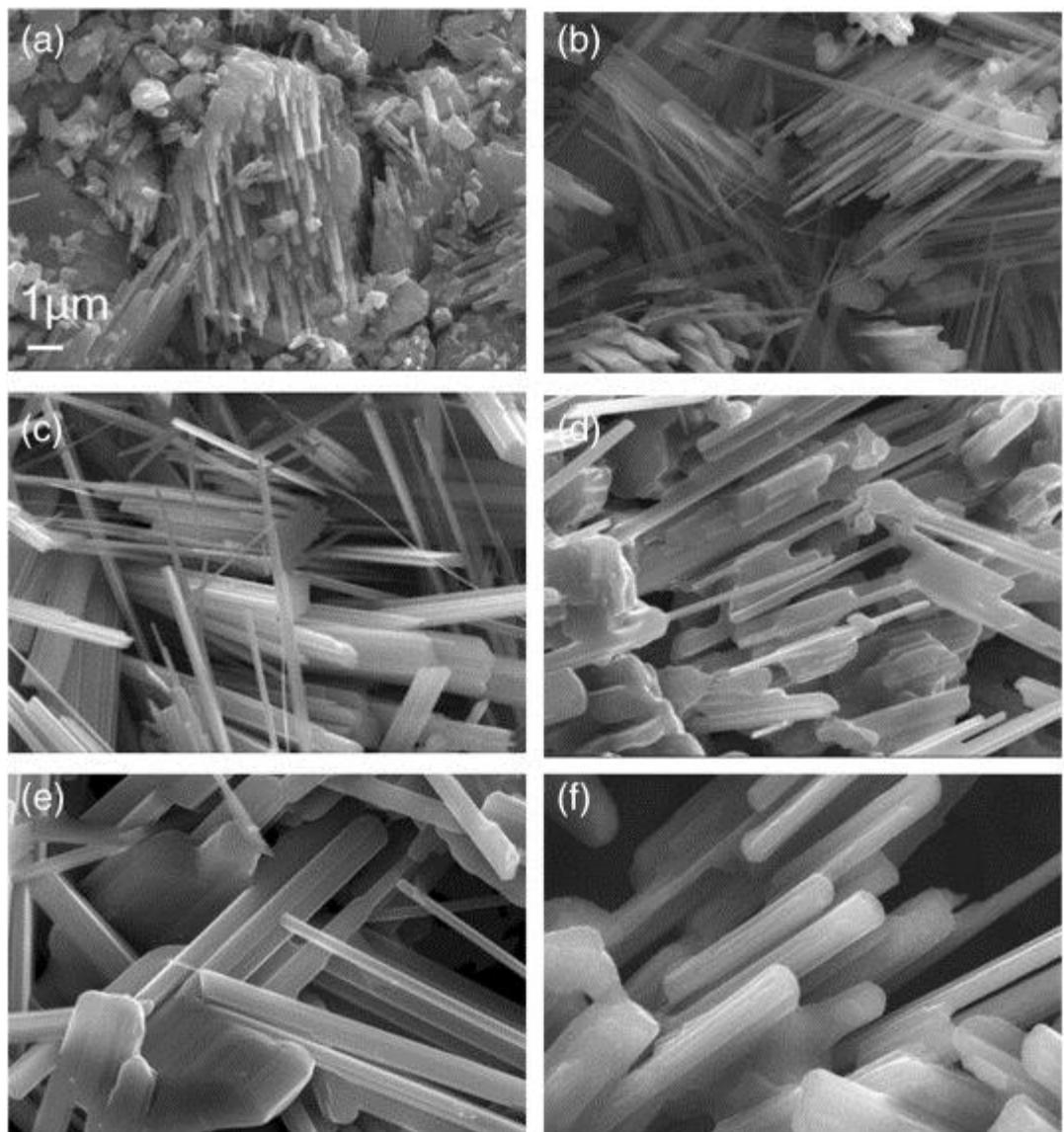
Cathode materials for Li and Na-ion batteries:

- $\text{Na}_{0.44}\text{MnO}_2$
 - $\text{LiCo}_{1-x}\text{B}_x\text{O}_2$
 - $\text{LiMn}_{2-x}\text{B}_x\text{O}_2$
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LiCoO_2



$\text{Na}_{0.44}\text{MnO}_2$



XAS at SOLEIL in France

Ongoing research

- 1D electrospun nanofiber active materials for Na-ion battery cathodes.
- Determine the charge/discharge mechanism in the atomic scale
- In-situ and ex-situ synchrotron techniques (XAS and XRD) Sesame and DESY
- Ex-situ magnetization, SEM, TEM and XRD

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