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# Unsere Energie für Ihren Erfolg HOPPECKE Lithium-Ionen





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Motive Power Systems

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1	Li-Ion batteries: design, functioning, cell chemistries
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# What is Lithium?

- **HOPPECKE** POWER FROM INNOVATION
- Metal, element no. 3 in periodical system of chemical elemets
- 3rd lowest atomic weight of all elements behind the gases hydrogen and helium
- Smallest density of solid elements
- The solid element with the lowest weight
- From Greek líthos "Stone"
- Silver-white, soft
- Reactive with humidity



Lithium in paraffin oil



# Why Lithium for batteries?

1. Strong negative electrode potential

2. Low weight!

Li/O<sub>2</sub> (saure Lösung): ~4,3V

reduzierte Form	⇒	oxidierte Form	e <sup>-</sup>	Standardpo $E^{\circ}$ in V	otenzial
Li	$\rightleftharpoons$	Li <sup>+</sup>	$+1 e^{-}$	-3,04	
К	$\rightleftharpoons$	$K^+$	$+1 e^-$	-2,92	
Ba	$\rightleftharpoons$	$B^{2+}$	$+2 e^-$	-2,90	
Ca	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Ca^{2+}$	$+2 e^-$	-2,87	
Na	$\rightleftharpoons$	Na <sup>+</sup>	$+1 e^-$	-2,71	
Mg	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Mg^{2+}$	$+2 e^-$	-2,35	
Al	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Al^{3+}$	$+3 e^-$	-1,68	
Mn	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Mn^{2+}$	$+2 e^-$	-1,19	
Zn	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Zn^{2+}$	$+2 e^-$	-0,76	
Cr	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Cr^{3+}$	$+3 e^-$	-0,74	
$S^{2-}$	$\rightleftharpoons$	S	$+2 e^-$	-0,48	Li/O <sub>2</sub>
Fe	$\rightleftharpoons$	$\mathrm{Fe}^{2+}$	$+2 e^-$	-0,41	1 -
Cd	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Cd^{2+}$	$+2 e^-$	-0,40	$\rangle$ (alkalische
Co	$\rightleftharpoons$	$\mathrm{Co}^{2+}$	$+2 e^-$	-0,28	Lösung):
Sn	$\rightleftharpoons$	$\mathrm{Sn}^{2+}$	$+2 e^-$	-0.14	Losung).
≺ (Pb	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Pb^{2+}$	$+2 e^{-}$	-0,13	~3,4V
Fe	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Fe^{3+}$	$+3 e^-$	-0,036	
$H_2 + 2 H_2O$	$\rightleftharpoons$		$+2 e^-$	0	
$\mathrm{Sn}^{2+}$	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Sn^{4+}$	$+2 e^{-}$	+0,15	
$Cu^+$	$\rightleftharpoons$	$Cu^{2+}$	$+1 e^-$	+0,15	
$SO_3 + 6 H_2O$	$\rightleftharpoons$	4	$+2 e^-$	+0,17	
Cu	≓		$+2 e^-$	+0,34	
Cu	≓	$Cu^+$	$+1 e^-$	+0,52	
2 I-	≓	-	$+2 e^{-}$	+0,54	
$H_2O_2 + 2 H_2O$		$O_2 + 2 H_3O^+$	$+2 e^-$	+0,68	
$\mathrm{Fe}^{2+}$		$Fe^{3+}$	$+1 e^-$	+0,77	
Ag		$Ag^+$	$+1 e^-$	+0,80	
Hg		Hg <sup>2+</sup>	$+2 e^-$	+0,85	
<b>`</b>		$NO_{3}^{-} + 4 H_{3}O^{+}$	$+3 e^-$	+0,56	
2 Br-		$Br_2$	$+2 e^-$	+1,07	
		$O_2 + 4 H_3O^+$	$+4 e^{-}$	$^{+1,23}$	
		$Cr_2O_7^{2-} + 14 H_3O^4$		$^{+1,33}$	
2 Cl-	≓,		$+2 e^{-}$	+1,36	
$Pb^{2+} + 6 H_2O$		$PbO_2 + 4 H_3O^+$		+1,46	
Au M-2+ + 10 U O		$Au^{3+}$	$+3 e^{-}$		
		$MnO_4^- + 8 H_2O$	$+5 e^{-}$		
		$O_3 + 2 H_3O^+$	+2 e <sup>-</sup>		
2 F <sup>-</sup>	Ę	F 2	$+2 e^-$	+2,87	

# **Electrochemical functioning of Li-lon battery**





A Li-Ion cell consists of an anode containing carbon / graphite and a cathode of lithium metal oxide. During charging, Lithium ions move from the cathode to the anode. During discharging, the Lithium ions move from the anode back to the cathode. During both processes, of course, electrons move outside.

## **Numerous electrode materials**









Quelle: Prof. Dr. Dirk Uwe Sauer, RWTH Aachen, "Technologie und Auslegung von Batteriesystemen für Elektromobilität", FGLA-Kolloquium, 15.1.2010.

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#### **HOPPECKE Li-Ion Batteries**



#### NCA (Nickel-Cobalt-Aluminium; Kathode)

- HP cells for hybrid applications with high currents;
   e.g. JohnsonControlSaft-Zellen (HighPower, 6.5Ah) in Mercedes S400 Hybrid verbaut, currents of 30C possible
- Typically cylindrical cells, relatively well developedt

## NMC (Nickel-Mangan-Cobalt; Kathode)

 HO current cell technology -> for years in operation, well developed (1500 full cycles @ 100% DoD, 4000 cycles @ 80%DoD, good mixture of characteristics, high cell voltage 3.7V, stable quality

## LFP (Lithium Iron Phosphate; Kathode)

- Material focused on in Asia (Ressources better available there than in Europe), cheap; tests in Zwickau
- Lower cell voltage 3.2V than NMC
- Very plain voltage curve in medium SoC area -> SoC detection very difficult

## LTO (Lithium Titanium Oxide; Anode)

• Extremely high cyclability (>10.000 full cycles), but low cell voltage, low energy density; very expensive; also in tests in Zwickau



Development Strategy	Time frame	Tasks	Potential	2015	2020	2025	2030
Lithium-Ion Improve existing Chemistries	5 years	Development, Engineering (NCA, NMC, LFP)	10 - 15%				
Lithium-Ion Develop New Materials	10 years	Research & Development (Advanced cathodes, Li alloys, Si-C compounds)	20 - 40%				
New Energy Storage Systems	20 years	Explorative Research (Advanced Lithium Systems, Oxide Systems, Others (?))	> 100%				



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# **Comparison of battery technologies**

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	Pb-acid	Ni-Cd	Ni-MH	Li-ion
Commercialized	1890	1956	1990	1992
Nominal Cell Voltage	2.0V	1.2V	1.2V	3.2- 3.7V
Positive Active Material	PbO2	NiOOH	NiOOH	LiCoO2/LiMn2O4/LNMC/ LiFePO4
Negative Active Material	Pb	Cd	MH	Graphite
Electrolyte	Aqueous (Acid)	Aqueous (Alkaline)	Aqueous (Alkaline)	Organic
Energy density (Cell level)	100 Wh/l <30Wh/kg	150 Wh/l 50Wh/kg	250 Wh/l 60-80Wh/kg	350-400 Wh/l 100-150Wh/kg
<b>Power density [W/kg]</b> (Cell level)	200 - 700* (*Thin Film Batteries)	200 - 1,000* (*HP System)	500 - 1,000* (*HP System)	Up to 2,000* (*HP System)
Life Time (years)	5-25	10-15	10-15	10-15
Cycle Life Time (100% DoD)	300	1000	1000	>1500
Cycle Life Time (80% DoD)	750 – 1,600	2,000 - 3,000	2,000 – 3,000	4,000
Rechargeability	Several hours	Minutes to hours	Minutes to hours	1h up to 100% SOC; >10C pulse depending on SOC
Efficiency [%]	80 - 85	90	90	90 - 95
Operation temp. [°C]	-20 / +45	-40 / +50	-40 / +50	-20/ +50
Cost (Battery Level)	<0.2 €/Wh	0.5 €/Wh	0.5-1 €/Wh	1.0-1.5 €/Wh
Environmental Concerns	Pb on disposal	Cd on disposal	None identified	None identified

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# **Temperature Operating Range**



Cell temperature (°C)



\* : for Battery End of life and Power

## **Discharge profile of battery technologies**



Capacity [%] 60

70

80

90

100





Li-Ion:

10

20

30

0

Continous discharge curve

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 Capacity available even at high currents





# **HOPPECKE ABT in Zwickau**





#### The HOPPECKE Advanced Battery Technology GmbH in Zwickau develops and produces innovative electrochemical energy storage devices and system solutions.

A continuous matching of synergies between development projects and product requirements for the respective business models is carried out.

# **HOPPECKE ABT in Zwickau**







## New Production Site (LiOn & NiMH)

in operation, 5.000 m<sup>2</sup>

- Production of Li-Ion & NiMH batteries
- Assembly of complex energy storage systems with Lead-Acid, NiCd, NiMH and Lilon batteries

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# **HOPPECKE R&D Activities**

	HOPPECKE Batteries, Brilon	HOPPECKE Battery Systems, Brilon	HOPPECKE Advanced Battery Technology, Zwickau
Technology	Lead-Acid	NiCd	Lithium-Ion / NiMH
Areas of expertise	<ul> <li>Motive &amp; Stationary</li> <li>Flooded &amp; Sealed</li> <li>Product, Process &amp; Systems Development</li> <li>Applications Engineering</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Battery Systems for Railway Applications, Electric Busses &amp; Automated Guided Vehicles</li> <li>Application Engineering for Special Energy Supply</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Cell Benchmarking</li> <li>Material Analysis</li> <li>Electronics</li> <li>Battery Management System (BMS)</li> <li>Development &amp;Testing of Battery Systems</li> <li>Prototypes &amp; Field Testing</li> <li>Process &amp; Production Development</li> </ul>
			<ul> <li>Motive, Stationary and Special Applications</li> </ul>

# **Shapes of large Lithium-Ion cells**



#### cylindrical



"coffee-bag"



#### prismatic



- Mass production established for consumer cells
- Large cells only from prototype or small series production
- Extensive benchmarking of approx. 20 international cell manufacturers
- Identification of cells for various industrial applications

Investigation of following criteria:

- nominal capacity
- current-carrying capacity
- temperature behavior under various loads
- cycling stability / lifetime under various load profiles
- self discharge
- etc...



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## Cycle life of large Lithium-Ion cells (LFP >10Ah)



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#### **HOPPECKE Li-Ion Batteries**

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## **Cycle life of large Lithium-Ion cells (NMC >10Ah)**





#### **HOPPECKE Li-Ion Batteries**

# **Discharge profile** @ room temperature



Cell 50Ah



# Aging during cycling (no. cycles vs. DoD)



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# **HOPPECKE Lithium-Ion Battery Modules**



- 24 V & 36 V
- 40 & 50 Ah
- HighEnergy (50Ah) with high energy content or HighPower (40Ah) for high currents
- Parallel and serial connection possible

   → Battery systems for various industrial applications
- Integrated Battery Management System
   → Modules inherently safe
- Cooling or heating possible
- Communication with customer systems via HOPPECKE CAN standard
- Certification according to CE and UN38.3 in autumn 2012
- Systems up to 60 V are available
- Battery modules for high voltage systems are in development → prototypes can be requested from 2013



# **HOPPECKE Li-Ion Module Conception**







#### **Construction of Li-Ion Module:**

- "Coffee-bag" cells with a capacity of 50 or 40 Ah
- Cell frame for heat-dissipation and mounting of the cell
- Cell stack of 7 cells (25,9V/50Ah/1.3kWh HE or 25,9V/40Ah/1kWh HP)
  - or 10 cells (37V/50Ah/1.8kWh HE or 37V/40Ah/1.5kWh HP) per module
- BMS electronics on own cell frame

#### Functions of the battery management:

- Module-based system architecture (operation of module as a single-component and possibility of connecting modules to large-scale battery systems )
- Inherently safe operation (range monitoring: voltage, current, temperature), guaranteed by shut-down of module by semiconductors
- Determination of SoC/SoH
- Balancing of cells and modules
- Data-logging function
- Communication interface

# **HOPPECKE LiOn Module**

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LiOn Module	24 V			36 V			
	High Energy	High Energy	High Power	High Energy	High Energy	High Power	
nominal voltage [V]	25,9		25,9	37		37	
nominal capacity [Ah]	40	50	40	40	50	40	
nominal energy [kWh]	1,0	1,3	1,0	1,5	1,9	1,5	
charge cut-off voltage [V]	29	9,0	29,0	41,4		41,4	
discharge cut-off voltage [V]	22	2,4	22,4	32,0		32,0	
constant discharge current [A]	1	00	240	100		240	
peak discharge current (<10s) [A]	200		400	200		400	
constant charge current [A]	onstant charge current [A] 50		80	50		80	
peak charge current (<10s) [A]	8	30	160	80		160	
charge/discharge cycles (100% DoD)	(100% DoD) 2500 1500		1500	2500	1500	1500	
discharge temperature	-10 to 50 °C		-10 to 50 °C	-10 to 50 °C		-10 to 50 °C	
charge temperature	0 to 40 °C		0 to 40 °C	0 to 40 °C		0 to 40 °C	
storage temperature	-20 to 50 °C		-20 to 50 °C	-20 to 50 °C		-20 to 50 °C	
weight [kg]	10,0	11,0	10,0	13,5	15,0	13,5	
gravimetric energy density [Wh/kg]	104	118	104	110	123	110	
dimensions L x W x H [mm]	228 x 128 x 289			228 x 170 x 289			

Focus on "coffee-bag" cells with a capacity of 50 Ah --> Other technologies (LFP, LTO), capacities (<50Ah) and other cell designs (prismatic) are in test for qualification at ABT in Zwickau

# **Battery Management & System Architecture**





BMS = Battery Management System

# **System Components**





# **Operational safety of HO LiOn module**

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#### Redundancy

- Measuring cell voltages by independent circuit
- Redundant measurement of operational data for crossing warning or error thresholds
- Independent measurement of module voltage and comparison with cell voltages

#### **BMS** safety functions

- Protection against overcurrents: long-term and shortterm thresholds for charging and discharging currents; defined tolerance of high peak currents
- Short-circuit protection
- Overvoltage protection
- Temperature control

#### Melting fuse

160A fuse against thermal overcurrents and short-circuit current



# **CAN2X gateway module**



HOPPECKE CAN protocol: adaption for customer is possible, but we would like to use our standard







Output connector and comm. protocol configurable

# **System Components**





## **Diagnostic tool:** Battery system analysis





 Diagnostic tool to parameterize modules and system, read our warning / error codes and current system and modules status information



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# **Chargers for LiOn - Technology**

- Optimal charging methods extend lifetime of battery significantly
- In addition to traditional charging methods fast charging methods (t < 1h) are established</li>
- Requirements
  - Critical operation conditions must be avoided
  - Full charging in shortest time
  - Balancing of cells and modules for conditioning of unequal states
  - Minimizing of aging mechanism
- Standard charging method "IUa" with a max charging voltage of 4,1 -4,2V
- In general: the lower the DoD, the higher the cycle lifetime
- Intermediate charging are possible and desired




## **High Voltage LiOn Module**





## **HOPPECKE Li-Ion Roadmap**





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### **LiOn module production**





## **Customer Benefits of HOPPECKE LiOn**



- High energy density and high power density
- Very compact dimensions 
   → savings in space for the existing capacity or much longer
   operating times with available installation space
- Low weight
- Nominal capacity is available even at high discharge currents
- High life expectancy: Up to 2.500 full cycles at 100% capacity withdrawal and 4.000 cycles at 80% capacity withdrawal → no replacement for many years
- Cycling behaviour: Opportunity charging and partial discharges are possible
- Quick charge ability: A full charge is possible in a short time
- Completely closed & free of gassing
- Completely maintenance free
- No equalising charges required
- Extremely low self-discharge
- Very efficient charging due to Wh efficiency rate >90%
- Can be recycled safely
- Maximum safety thanks to integrated battery management system
- Balancing of cells & modules
- Communication with user systems: state of charge information transmitted
- Modular: May be adapted for many applications and is flexible for interconnection to form large battery systems!

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#### Summary: Li-lon is excellent for the following applications:

- Cyclical use with opportunity charging and partial discharging
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   Where weight, space, avoidance of gasing and reduction of maintenance are crucial
  - Where quick charge is needed and high disharge currents may flow
    - Where much energy is put through
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#### **Applications**





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## **HOPPECKE Li-Ion: Applications**







#### Bus, Rolling Stock





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#### **Light traction**

24V/150Ah Parallel connection to increase capacity Advantages: little weight and small volume, longer operating time, higher life cycle, Intermediate charging possible to afford higher flexibility







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### **Projects MP: Material Handling**







24V/150Ah



## **Projects MP: Material Handling**





- Reduction of nominal capacity
- fast charging with 1C-2C
- Cooling realized





8 modules (1s8p) 1C charging IP65

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### **Projects MP: Material Handling**



#### order truck with HOPPECKE LiOn battery (24V 400 Ah) in field test:



## MH 24V 120Ah High Power







- high power cells 40Ah
- 3 modules in parallel (25,9V 120 Ah)
- Disharge current 3C (300A)
- Fast charging with 2C (240A) -> 30 minutes full charge
- IP65 splash water proofed

## **BO-Mobil Van Bochum University of Applied Sciences**

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- Application
   Electric van for urban areas
- Module configuration 2s10p
- Voltage / capacity 51.8 V / 500 Ah
- Energy content 25.9 kWh
- Realisation 01 / 2012
- Goal of the project
  - Development of an electric powered van in urban use
- The Battery
  - High Energy Battery integrated in the bottom of the car
  - Water cooling



## **Electric transporter**

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- Application Communal transportation
- Module configuration 3s3p
- Voltage / capacity 88.8 V / 330 Ah
- Energy content 26.6 kWh
- Realisation 06 / 2011
- Funding German electromobility region "Rhein-Ruhr"
- Range 140 km (Pb: 80 km)
- Weight 250kg (Pb: 330 kg)







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#### **Power tool waggon**







## System consisting of 1 LiOn module and an onboard charger integrated in one compartment

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## **Projects Stationary LiOn Batteries**



- Application Grid stabilization
- Module configuration 1s6p
- Voltage / capacity 25.9 V / 300 Ah
- Energy content 7.8 kWh
- Rectifier 24 V -> 400 V; 5kW
- Realisation 06 / 2011



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## HyLis – Lithium-Pb Hybrid Battery System



#### Application Stationary off-grid storage of solar energy combining the benefits of lead-acid and liion batteries

- Module configuration 1s2p
- Voltage / capacity
  - 25.9 V / 100 Ah (Lithium)
  - 24 V / 400 Ah (Pb)
- Project duration 03 / 2009 – 02 / 2012
- Dimension 19", 3 HU
- Funding BMBF (German Ministry of Education and Research)





System layout: (green colour indicates Hoppecke components)



#### Hannover Fair & Intersolar 2012





#### **Projects SP: Tram - UPS**



24V/200Ah



- UPS for tram
- cold temperature, heating foil directly glued on each LiOn cell
- high vibration and shock stability required
- Tests started



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#### **Argumentation material:**

- LiOn Flyer
- Standard LiOn Presentation
- LiOn Questionnaire

#### Workflow:

- Specify requests with questionnaire
- Send requests to PM RP Mr. Bäcker/Hachmeyer or BD Mr. Haubrock/Linke
- Information is provided by PM RP or BD
- Battery designs and offers with pricing and date of delivery are prepared by PM RP / BD / ABT
- Module and system engineering and construction will be done in Zwickau
- Final system tests and delivery will be done in Zwickau





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#### • HOPPECKE: Module concept as basis for Li-lon battery systems:

- Extensive benchmarking and knowlegde of Li-lon cells
- Development and production of battery modules as base unit for systems
- Own battery management system
- Field tests are running
- Production capacity installed
- Commercial projects can be requested





Production line and end-of-line test bench of lithium-ion battery modules

# Thank you for your attention!

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Open Points? Questions? Remarks?

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