

XII. Acronyms, Abbreviations, and Definitions

~	Approximately	3DSM	Dimensionally stable membrane with 3-dimensional porous support
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°C	Degrees Celsius	3-L	Three-layer
°F	Degrees Fahrenheit	3Q	Third quarter of the fiscal year
Δ	Change, delta	4Q	Fourth quarter of the fiscal year
ΔG	Gibbs free energy of reaction	5-L	Five-layer
ΔH	Enthalpy of reaction, Enthalpy of hydrogenation	6FBPS0	Hexafluoro biphenol sulfone
ΔH _f ^o	Standard heat of formation	6FCN-x	Hexafluoro bisphenol A based disulfonated polybenzotrile (H+ form) (x denotes degree of sulfonation)
ΔK	Stress intensity factor		
ΔP	Pressure drop, pressure change	6FK	Hexafluoro ketone; Partially fluorinated poly(arylene ether ketone)
≈	Equals approximately	6FPAEB	Hexafluoro bisphenol a benzotrile
>	Greater than	8YSZ	8 mol% yttria-stabilized zirconia
≥	Greater than or equal to	A	Ampere(s), amp(s)
<	Less than	Å	Angstrom(s)
≤	Less than or equal to	AAC	Advanced anode catalyst
μ	Micro (one-millionth; 0.000001)	AB	Ammonia-borane, NH ₃ BH ₃
μA	Microampere(s)	ABH ₂	Ammonium borohydride, NH ₄ BH ₄
μA/cm ²	Microampere(s) per square centimeter	ABS	American Bureau of Shipping
μc-Si	Microcrystalline silicon	AC	Alternating current; Activated carbon
μg	Microgram(s)	A-CCC	Activated carbon composite catalyst
μCHP	Micro-combined heat and power	ACF	Activated carbon fibers
μCHX	Microscale combustor/heat exchanger	A/cm ²	Amps per square centimeter
μm	Micrometer(s); micron(s)	ACN	Acetonitrile
μM	Micromolar	ACNT	Aligned carbon nanotube
μmol	Micromole(s)	ADG	Anaerobic digester gas
μΩ-cm ²	Micro-ohm(s)-square centimeter	AEM	Anion exchange membrane; Analytical electron microscopy
μV	Microvolt(s)	AEO	Annual Energy Outlook
η	Viscosity	AFDC	Alternative Fuels Data Center
#	Number	AFM	Atomic force microscopy; Anti-ferromagnetic
Ω	Ohm(s)	AFP	Automated fiber placement
Ω/cm ²	Ohm(s) per square centimeter	Ag	Silver
Ω-cm ²	Ohm-square centimeter(s)	AGC	Activated graphitic carbon
%	Percent	AgCl	Silver chloride
®	Registered trademark	A-h	Amp-hour(s)
\$	United States dollars	AHJ	Authorities having jurisdiction
¹¹ B-NMR	Boron 11 nuclear magnetic resonance	AISI	American Iron & Steel Institute
1-D, 1D	One-dimensional	AIST	Japanese National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology
1Q	First quarter of the fiscal year		
2-D, 2D	Two-dimensional		
2Q	Second quarter of the fiscal year	AK	Alkali
3-D, 3D	Three-dimensional	a.k.a.	Also known as

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Al	Aluminum	atm	Atmosphere(s)
Al ₂ O ₃	Aluminum oxide	ATM-PP	Benzyl trimethyl ammonium functionalized poly(phenylene) anion exchange membrane
Al-AB	Aluminum-ammonia-borane	ATP	Adenosine triphosphate; Advanced Technology Program
AlCl ₃	Aluminum chloride	ATPase	Adenosine triphosphatase
ALD	Atomic layer deposition	ATR	Autothermal reformer; Autothermal reforming; Attenuated total reflection
AlH ₃	Aluminum hydride; Alane	ATR-FTIR	Attenuated total reflectance Fourier transform infrared
ALS	Advanced Light Source at Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory	a.u.	Arbitrary units
ALT	Accelerated life test	Au	Gold
AM	Air mass	AuS	Gold sulfide
AM 1.5	Air Mass 1.5 solar illumination	AuSnO _x	Gold supported on hydrous tin oxide
AM1.5G	Air Mass 1.5 Global (solar spectrum)	AuTiO _x	Gold supported on titanium oxide
AMBH	Amine metal borohydride	Autonomie	Plug-and-Play Powertrain and Vehicle Model Architecture and Development Environment software model by Argonne National Laboratory to support the rapid evaluation of new powertrain/propulsion technologies for improving fuel economy through virtual design and analysis in a math-based simulation environment
AMC	Aminomethyl-cyclohexane		
AMFC	Anion exchange membrane fuel cell; Alkaline membrane fuel cell		
AMR	Annual Merit Review		
AN	Acrylonitrile		
ANL	Argonne National Laboratory		
ANOVA	Analysis of variance		
ANSI	American National Standards Institute		
A ₀	Arrhenius constant, ml/[cm ² -min-atm ^{1/2}]; Availability	Avg	Average
APCI, APCi	Air Products and Chemicals, Inc.	AZO	Aluminum zinc oxide
APR	Aqueous-phase reforming	¹¹ B-NMR	Boron 11 nuclear magnetic resonance
APU	Auxiliary power unit	B	Boron
AQMD	Air Quality Management District	B ₂ O ₃	Boron oxide; Diboron trioxide
Ar	Argon	Ba	Barium
AR	Areal resistance	BAM	Bundesanstalt für Materialforschung und -prüfung (Federal Institute for Materials Research and Testing)
ARPA-E	Advanced Research Projects Agency–Energy		
ARRA	American Recovery and Reinvestment Act	Bara	Bar absolute
As	Arsenic	barg	Bar gauge
ASAXS	Anomalous small-angle X-ray scattering	BCC	Body-centered cubic
a-Si	Amorphous silicon	BCN	Boron carbon nitride
a-SiC	Amorphous silicon carbide	BDC	Benzenedicarboxylic acid
a-SiGe	Amorphous silicon germanium	Be	Beryllium
a-SiN	Amorphous silicon nitride	BES	Basic Energy Sciences office within the DOE Office of Science
ASME	American Society of Mechanical Engineers		
ASPEN	Modeling software, computer code for process analysis	BESS	Battery energy storage system
		BET	Brunauer-Emmett-Teller surface area analysis method
ASR	Area-specific resistance		
AST	Accelerated stress test	BEV	Battery electric vehicle
ASTM	ASTM International, originally known as the American Society for Testing and Materials	BFZO	BaFe _{0.975} Zr _{0.025} O ₃
		BFZI	BaFe _{0.90} Zr _{0.10} O ₃
AT	Ammonia triborane	B-G	Boron doped graphitic material
at%	Atomic percent	BG-DW	65% bio-glycol-35% distilled water

B-H	Boron/hydrogen bond	BPVE-6F	Perfluorocyclobutane-biphenyl vinyl ether hexafluoroisopropylidene
B-H, BH, BH ₄	Borohydride	BPy	2,2'-bipyridine
BHP	Butyl perhydropyrolidine	BPY	4,4'-bypyridine
Bi	Bismuth	bpydc	Bipyridine dicarboxylate
BLASTP	Basic Local Alignment Search Tool – Protein	Br	Bromine
BM	Base metal	Br ₂	Diatomic bromine
bmimBF ₄	1-butyl-3-methyl-imidazolium tetrafluoroborate	BTB	1,3,5-benzenetribenzoate
bmimCl	1-butyl-3-methyl-imidazolium chloride	BTC	1,3,5-benzenetricarboxylate
bmimOTf	1-butyl-3-methyl-imidazolium triflate	BTE	4,4',4''-(benzene-1,3,5-triyltris(ethyne-2,1-diyl))tribenzoate
bmimPF ₆	1-butyl-3-methyl-imidazolium hexafluorophosphate	BTMA	Benzyltrimethylammonium
BMPFFP	1-butyl-1-methyl-pyrrolidinium tris(pentafluoroethyl)trifluorophosphate	BTT	Benzene tris-tetrazole
BN	Boron-nitrogen	BTTCD	Octa-carboxylate ligand
BNH	Boron-nitrogen-hydrogen	BTU, Btu	British thermal unit(s)
BNHx	Dehydrogenated ammonia-borane	Bu ₃ SnCl	Tributyltin chloride
BNL	Brookhaven National Laboratory	Bu ₃ SnSnBu ₃	Hexabutyl-distannane
BNNT	Boron nitride nanotubes	BV	Benzyl viologen
B-O	Any oxidized boron species, borate	BxHy	Polyhedral boranes
Boc	Tert-butoxycarbonyl	BZYC	BaZr _{0.1} Ce _{0.7} Y _{0.1} Yb _{0.1} O _{3-δ}
BOC	Best of class	C	Carbon; Coulomb
B(OH) ₃	Boric acid	C ₂ H ₄	Ethylene
BOL	Beginning of life	C ₂ H ₆	Ethane
BOP, BoP	Balance of plant	C ₃ H ₈	Propane
BOT	Beginning of test	Ca	Calcium
BP	Bisphenol; Biphenyl	CA	Carbon aerogel; Chronoamperometry
bpe	Bis(4-pyridyl)ethane	CaBr ₂	Calcium bromide
BPEE	1,2-bipyridylethene	CaCO ₃	Calcium carbonate
BPDC	Biphenyl-4,4'-dicarboxylate	CAD	Computer-aided design
BPP	Bipolar plate	CAE	Computer-assisted engineering
BPPPO	Biphenol-based phenyl phosphine oxide	CAER	Center for Applied Energy Research
BPPPO-35	Biphenol-based phenyl phosphine oxide copolymer, 35% molar fraction of disulfonic acid unit (35% level of sulfonation)	CaFCP	California Fuel Cell Partnership
BPS	Ballard Power Systems	CaI	<i>Clostridium acetobutylicum</i> hydrogenase
BPS	Bi Phenyl Sulfone	CaO	Calcium oxide
BPS100	Fully disulfonated poly(arylene ether sulfone)	CARB	California Air Resources Board
BPSH	Block polysulfone ether polymer; Bi Phenyl Sulfone: H Form	CaS	Calcium sulfide
BPSH-30	Biphenyl sulfone H form, 30% molar fraction of disulfonic acid unit (30% level of sulfonation)	CaSFCC	California Stationary Fuel Cell Collaborative
BPSH-x	BiPhenyl based disulfonated polySulfone (H+ form) (x denotes degree of sulfonation)	CB	Conduction band; Carbon black
BPVC	Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code	CBECS	Commercial Building Energy Consumption Survey
BPVE	Perfluorocyclobutane-biphenyl vinyl ether	CbHS	Carbon-based hydrogen storage
		CBM	Conduction band minimum
		CBN	Carbon-boron-nitrogen
		CBS	Casa Bonita strain; Complete basis set
		cc	Cubic centimeter(s)

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CCC	Carbon composite catalyst	CHG	Compressed hydrogen gas
CCD	Charge-coupled device; Catalyst coating on decal	CHHP	Combined heat, hydrogen, and power
CCDM	Catalyst coating on diffusion media	Chl	Chlorophyll
cc/g cat/hr	Cubic centimeter(s) per gram catalyst per hour	CHMC1	Test Method for Evaluating Material Compatibility for Compressed Hydrogen Applications–Phase I-Metals
CeH ₂	Cryo-compressed hydrogen	CHP	Combined heat and power
CCHSS	Complex Compound Hydrogen Storage System	CHPFC	Combined heat and power fuel cell
CCL	Cathode catalyst layer	CHS	Chemical hydrogen storage
CCM	Catalyst-coated membrane	CHSCoE	Chemical Hydrogen Storage Center of Excellence
cc/min, ccm	Cubic centimeters per minute	CIGSe ₂	Copper indium gallium diselenide
ccp	Cubic close-packing	CIGS	Copper indium gallium diselenide
CCS	Carbon capture and storage	Cl	Chlorine
CC&S	Carbon capture and sequestration	CL	Catalyst layer; ε-caprolactone
CCVJ	9-([E]-2-carboxy-2-cyanovinyl)julolidine	C-L	Circumferential-longitudinal
Cd	Cadmium	cm	Centimeter
CD	Current density; Charge depleting; Cathode dewpoint	CM	Controls module
Cdl	Double layer capacitance	cm ²	Square centimeter
cDNA	Complementary DNA	CMO	Conductive metal oxides
CDO	Code development organization	CMWNT	Carbon multi-walled nanotube
CDP	Composite data product	CN	Carbon-nitrogen
CdS	Cadmium sulfide	CNC	Carbon nanocage
C-DSM™	Chemically etched dimensionally stable membrane	CNF	Carbon nano-fiber
Ce	Cerium	CNG	Compressed natural gas
CEA	Commissariat à l'Énergie Atomique	CNT	Carbon nanotube
CEC	California Energy Commission	Co	Cobalt
CEM	Compressor expander motor (module)	CO	Carbon monoxide
CeO ₂	Ceric oxide	CO ₂	Carbon dioxide
CF	Carbon fiber; Carbon foam	CO _{2e}	Carbon dioxide equivalent
CFC	Chlorofluorocarbon	COD	Chemical oxygen demand
CFD	Computational fluid dynamics	COE	Cost of electricity
CFF	Complex coolant fluid	COF	Covalent-organic framework
cfm	Cubic feet per minute	COF ₂	Carbonyl fluoride
CGA	Compressed Gas Association	COGS	Cost of goods sold
CGH ₂	Compressed gaseous hydrogen	COMSOL	Multiphysics modeling and engineering simulation software
CGM	Charge-generating material	COPV	Composite overwrapped pressure vessel
CGO	Cerium gadolinium oxide, Gd-doped CeO ₂	COS	Carbon oxysulfide; Carbonyl sulfide
CGS	Copper gallium diselenide, CuGaSe ₂	COx	Oxides of carbon
CGSe ₂	Copper gallium diselenide	c _p	Specific heat
CH	Chemical hydride; Chemical hydrogen	cp	Commercial purity
cH ₂	Compressed hydrogen gas	cP	Centipoise
CH ₄	Methane	CpI	<i>Clostridium pasteurianum</i> [FeFe]-hydrogenase
CHEX	Continuous catalytic heat exchanger	CPMAS	Cross polarization magic angle spinning

CPO, CPOX	Catalytic partial oxidation	D ₂	Deuterium
c.p.s.	Counts per second	D-A	Dubinin-Astakhov
CPU	Computer processing unit	DAC	Diamond anvil cell
CPV	Composite pressure vessel	DADB	Diammoniate of diborane, [(NH ₃) ₂ BH ₂][BH ₄]
Cr	Chromium	da/dN	Fatigue crack growth rate
CRADA	Cooperative Research and Development Agreement	DAKOTA	Design Analysis Kit for Optimization and Terascale Applications
CRCC	Corrosion-resistant conducting catalytic	DB	Diborane (B ₂ H ₆)
CRTP	Corrosion-resistant transparent protective	dB(A)	Decibel(s) A scale
Cs	Cesium	DBBPDSA	4, 4'-dibromobiphenyl 3, 3'-disulfonic acid, monomer
C&S	Codes and standards	DBPDSA	1, 4-dibromo phenylene 2, 5-disulfonic acid
CSA	Canadian Standards Association; Cell stack assembly	DC	Direct current
CSMP	Cabot Superior MicroPowders	DCTDD	1,8-diazacyclotetradecane-2,7-dione
CSTT	Codes and Standards Tech Team	DDMEFC	Direct dimethyl ether fuel cell
CSU	California State University	DDP	Detailed Data Product
CSULA	California State University, Los Angeles	d_{DR}	Dubini-Radushkevich average micropore diameter
CT	Computed tomography; Compact tension	DDR	A zeolite structure code
CTA	Charge transfer agent	DEF	Diethylformamide
CTAB	Cetyl trimethyl ammonium bromide	Deg	Degree
CTB	Cyclotriborazane	DEGDBE	Diethylene glycol dibutyl ether
CTE	Coefficient of thermal expansion	ΔB_a	The difference in magnetic induction at high and low applied magnetic fields
CTS	Charge transfer salt	ΔG	Gibbs free energy of reaction
CTTRANSIT	Connecticut Transit	ΔH	Enthalpy of reaction; Enthalpy of hydrogenation
Cu	Copper	ΔH_f°	Standard heat of formation
CU	University of Colorado	ΔK	Stress-intensity factor
Cu ₂ O	Cuprous oxide	ΔP	Pressure drop; Pressure change
CuBiW ₂ O ₈	Copper bismuth tungstate	ΔT	Temperature change
CuBTC	Cu ₃ (1,3,5-benzenetricarboxylate [BTC]) ₂ (H ₂ O) ₃	DEMS	Differential electrochemical mass spectroscopy
cu in.	Cubic inch	DFM	Design for manufacturing
CuInGaS ₂	Copper indium gallium sulfide	DFMA [®]	Design for Manufacturing and Assembly
CuNW	Copper nanowire	DFT	Density functional theory
CuO	Cupric oxide; Copper(II) oxide	DGDE	Di-ethylene glycol di-butyl ether
CuTDPAT	Cu ₃ (2,4,6-tris(3,5-dicarboxylphenylamino)-1,3,5-triazine)(H ₂ O) ₃	DHBC	2,5-dihydroxybenzene dicarboxylate
CuWO ₄	Copper tungstate	DI	Deionized; De-ionized water
cu.yd.	Cubic yard(s)	DLC	Diamondlike carbon
CV	Cyclic voltammetry; Cyclic voltammogram	dL/g	Deciliters per gram
CVD	Chemical vapor deposition	DM	Diffusion media
CVS	Chemical vapor synthesis	DMA	Dimethylacetamide
CWG	Catalysis Working Group	DMAc	Dimethyl acetamide
CWRU	Case Western Reserve University	DMC	Diffusion Monte Carlo; Direct manufactured cost
CY	Calendar year		
CZO	Ceria-zirconia		
d	Day(s)		

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DMDF	2,5-dimethoxy 2,5-dihydrofuran	EC	European Commission; Electro-chemical; Evaporative-cooled; Efficiency of conversion; Electrochemical capacitance
DMDS	Dimethyldisulfide		
DME	Dimethyl ether; Dimethoxyethane	ECA	Electrochemical area
DMEA	Dimethylethylamine	ECB	Ethylcyclobutane
DMEAA	Dimethylethylamine alane	ECC	Electrochemical compressor; Engineered cementitious composite
DMF	n, n-di-methyl formamide	ECE	Economic Commission for Europe
DMFC	Direct methanol fuel cell	ECS	Equilibrium crystal shape
dmimMeSO ₄	1,3-dimethyl-imidazolium methylsulfate	ECSA	Electrochemically active surface area; Electrochemical surface area; Effective catalyst surface area
dmpe	Dimethylphosphinoethane	ECV	Electrochemical capacitance voltage
DMPO	5,5-Dimethylpyrrolidine-N-oxide	ED	Ethylenediamine
DMSO	Dimethyl sulfoxide	EDA	Ethylene diamine; Energy decomposition analysis
DMT	Dimethyltrityl	EDAX	Manufacturer of energy dispersive X-ray hardware and software
DMTHF	Dimethyltetrahydrofuran	EDEB	Ethylenediamine bisborane
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid	EDC	Energy distribution curve
DNG	Desulfurized natural gas	edimCl	2-ethyl-1,3-dimethyl-imidazolium ethylsulfate
DNI	Direct normal insolation	EDP	Electrophoretic deposition
dobdc	2,5-dioxido benzene-1,4-dicarboxylate	EDS	Energy dispersive X-ray spectroscopy; Energy dispersive spectrum
dobpc	Dioxido-biphenyl-dicarboxylate	EDTA	Ethylenediamine tetraacetic acid
DOD	Depth of discharge; Department of Defense	EDX	Energy dispersive X-ray
DOE	Department of Energy	EELS	Electron energy loss spectroscopy
DOT	Department of Transportation	EERE	U.S. DOE Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy
DP	Dew point	EFR-AHJ	Emergency first responder-authorities having jurisdiction
DRIFTS	Diffuse reflectance infrared Fourier transform spectroscopy	EFTE	Ethylene-tetrafluoroethylene
DSC	Differential scanning calorimetry; Dynamic scanning calorimetry	e.g.	<i>Exempli gratia</i> : for example
DSM TM	Dimensionally stable membrane	EGR	Exhaust gas recirculation
DSM-MC	Distance scaling method Monte Carlo	EHC	Electrochemical hydrogen compressor
DVBPC	Divinyl aryl ether monomer	EHS	Environmental Health and Safety
DVD	Digital video disk	EIA	Energy Information Administration of the U.S. Department of Energy
DVMT	Daily vehicle miles traveled	EIGA IGC	European Industrial Gases Association/ Industrial Gases Council
DWG	Durability Working Group	EIHP	European Integrated Hydrogen Project
e ⁻	Electron	EIS	Electrochemical impedance spectroscopy
E	Activation energy, kJ/mol	EISF	Elastic incoherent structure factor
E ₀ xE ₁	Utilization efficiency of incident solar light energy	ELAT [®]	Registered Trademark of De Nora North America, Inc., covers GDLs and GDEs
E _{1/2}	Half-wave potential	EMA	Effective medium approximation
E85	85%-15% blend of ethanol with gasoline	EMF	Electromagnetic field
Ea	Activation energy		
EA	Environmental assessment		
E _{ad}	Hydrogen adsorption heat		
EAN	Ethylammonium nitrate		
EASA	Electrochemically active surface area		
E-BOP	Electrical balance of plant		
EBSD	Electron backscatter diffraction		

EMI	Electro magnetic interference	FBMR	Fluidized bed membrane reactor
EMPA	Electron microprobe analysis	FC	Fuel cell
ENABLE	Energetic neutral atom beam lithography/ epitaxy	FCB	Fuel cell bus
ENG	Expanded natural graphite	FCC	Face-centered cubic; Fuel Cell Catalyst; Fluid catalytic cracking
eNMR	Electrochemical nuclear magnetic resonance	FCEB	Fuel cell electric bus
EODC	Electro-osmotic drag coefficient	FCEV	Fuel cell electric vehicle
EOL	End of life	FCI	Fixed capital investment
EOT	End of test	FC POWER	Fuel Cell Power Model
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency	FCPP	Fuel cell power plant
EPD	Electrophoretic deposition	FCS	Fuel cell system
EPDM	Ethylene propylene diene monomer	FCSMR	Forecourt steam methane reformer (ing)
EPHC	Ethylperhydrocarbazole	FCT	Fuel Cell Technologies
ePTFE	Expanded polytetrafluoroethylene	FC ^{TES} ^{QA}	Fuel Cell Testing, Safety and Quality Assurance (an international effort to harmonize fuel cell testing procedures)
ER	Emergency responder		
ERW	Electric resistance weld	FCTO	Fuel Cell Technologies Office
ES	Energy storage	FCTT	Fuel Cell Technical Team
ESA	Electrochemical surface area	FCV	Fuel cell vehicle
ESEM	Environmental scanning electron microscope	Fd	Ferredoxin
ESE(T)	Eccentrically loaded, single edge tension	Fe	Iron
ESIF	Energy Systems Integration Facility	FE	U.S. DOE Office of Fossil Energy
et al.	<i>Et Alii</i> : and others	Fe ₂ O ₃	Ferric oxide
ETA	Event tree analysis	FEA	Finite element analysis
etc.	<i>Et cetera</i> : and so on	FEM	Finite element model
E-TEK	Division of De Nora North America, Inc.	FEP	Fluorinated ethylene propylene; Teflon [®]
ETFE	Ethylene-tetrafluoroethylene	FESEM	Field emission scanning electron microscope
ETFECS	Extended thin film electrocatalyst structures	fg-ELAT	Fine gradient ELAT
EtOH	Ethanol	FIB	Focused ion beam
EU	European Union	FISIPE	Fibras Acrilicas Portugese
eV	Electron volt	FLC	Frequent driver and long commute
EVD	Extreme value distributions	FLiNaK	LiF-NaF-KF eutectic salt
EVOH	Ethylene vinyl alcohol	FLP	Frustrated Lewis pair
EVSE	Electric vehicle supply equipment	Fluent	Computer code for computational fluid dynamics
EW	Equivalent weight	FMEA	Failure modes and effects analysis
EXAFS	Extended X-ray absorption fine structure analysis	FMVSS	Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard
EY	Electrolyzer	¹⁹ FNMR	¹⁹ Fluorine nuclear magnetic resonance
F	Fluorine	FNR	Ferredoxin NADP+ oxidoreductase
F	Faraday constant, the amount of electric charge in one mole of electrons (96,485.3383 coulomb/mole)	FOA	Funding Opportunity Announcement
F ⁻	Fluorine ion	FOM	Federated object model; Figure of merit
FA	Furfyl alcohol	FPA	Fluoroalkyl phosphonic and phosphinic acids
FANS	Filter analyzer neutron spectroscopy	fpi	Fins per inch
FAT	Fleet Analysis Toolkit; Factory acceptance test	fpm	Feet per minute
		FPS	Bis(4-fluorophenyl)sulfone; Fuel processing system

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FRP	Fiber-reinforced composite piping; Fiber-reinforced polymer; Full rate production	GES	Giner Electrochemical Systems, LLC
FRR	Fluoride release rate	GF	Glass fiber
F-SPEEK	Fluorosulfonic acid of polyetheretherketone	GFC	Gas flow channel
FSW	Friction-stir welding	GFP	Green fluorescent protein
ft	Feet	GGA	Generalized gradient approximation
FT	Fault tree	GGE, gge	Gasoline gallon equivalent
ft ²	Square feet	GH ₂	Gaseous hydrogen
ft ³	Cubic feet	GHG	Greenhouse gas
FTA	Federal Transit Administration	GHSV	Gas hourly space velocity
FT-IR, FTIR	Fourier transform infrared	GIS	Geographic information system
FTIR-ATR	Fourier transform infrared attenuated total reflection	GJ	Gigajoule(s)
FTO	Fluorine-doped tin oxide	g/kW	Gram(s) per kilowatt
FTP, FTP-75	Federal Test Procedure	GLACD	Glancing angle co-deposition
FWS	Fixed-window scan	GLAD	Glancing angle deposition
FW	Formula weight; Filament winding	GLS	Gas-liquid separator
FWHM	Full width at half maximum	GLY	Glycerol
FY	Fiscal year	Glyme	Dimethoxyethane
FZ	Fusion zone	gm	Gram(s)
g	Gram; acceleration of gravity	GM	General Motors
G	Graphite	gm/day	Gram(s) per day
Ga	Gallium	g/min	Gram(s) per minute
GaAs	Gallium arsenic	GNF	Graphite nanofiber
GADDS	General area diffraction system	GO	Graphene oxide
gal	Gallon	GODC	Graphene oxide derived carbon
GaP	Gallium phosphide	GOF	Graphene-oxide framework
GB	Gigabyte	GPa	Gigapascal(s)
GC	Gas chromatograph; General computational	GPAT	Global Pathways Resource Analysis Tool
GC	Glassy, or vitreous carbon: a pure carbon that is amorphous (non-crystalline)	GPC	Gel permeation chromatography
g/cc	Grams per cubic centimeter	GPS	Global positioning system
GCLP	Grand-canonical linear programming	GPU	Gas permeation units
GCMC	Grand Canonical Monte Carlo	GRC	Glass-reinforced concrete
GCMS	Gas chromatograph-mass spectroscopy	GREC	Graphite reinforced epoxy composite (IM6 continuously wound)
GCNF	Graphitized carbon nano-fiber	GREET	Greenhouse gases, Regulated Emissions and Energy use in Transportation model
GCNT	Graphitized carbon nanotubes	GRPE	Working Party on Pollution and Energy
GCTool	Software package developed at ANL for analysis of fuel cells and other power systems	g/s	Grams per second
Gd	Gadolinium	GS	Gas switching
GDC	Gadolinium-doped ceria	GTI	Gas Technology Institute
GDE	Gas diffusion electrode	GTR	Global Technical Regulations
GDL	Gas diffusion layer	GUI	Graphical user interface
GDM	Gas-diffusion media	GV	Gasoline vehicle
GDS	Galvanodynamic scan	GVW	Gross vehicle weight
Ge	Germanium	GW	An approximation permitting practical calculation of excitation energies in metals, semi-conductors and insulators

GWe, GW _e	Gigawatt(s) electric	HBTU	o-Benzotriazol-1-yl-N,N,N',N'-tetramethyluronium hexafluorophosphate
h	Hour(s)	HCC	Hybrid cathode catalyst
H	Hydrogen	HCl, HCL	Hydrochloric acid; Hydrogen chloride
H ⁺	Proton	HClO ₄	Perchloric acid
H ⁻	Hydride	HCN	Hydrogen coordination number
H ₂	Diatomic hydrogen	HCNG	Hydrogen-compressed natural gas
H2A	Hydrogen Analysis project sponsored by DOE	HCO ₃ ⁻	Bicarbonate
H ₂ BPyDC	2,2'-bipyridine-5,5'-dicarboxylic acid	hcp	Hexagonal close-packing
H ₂ cat	Catechol, 1,2 dihydroxybenzene	HC&S	Hawaiian Commercial and Sugar Company
H ₂ -FCS	Stationary fuel cell system designs that co-produce hydrogen	HD	Deuterium hydride
H2FIRST	Hydrogen Fueling Infrastructure Research and Station Technology	HDF	Hydrogen dispensing facility
H ₂ (hfipbb)	4,4'-(hexafluoroisopropylidene)bis(benzoic acid)	HDPE	High-density polyethylene
H2I	Hawaii Hydrogen Initiative	HDS	Hydrogen desulfurization
H2-ICE, H ₂ ICE	Hydrogen internal combustion engine	HDSAM	Hydrogen Delivery Scenario Analysis Model
H ₂ Lib	Library of H ₂ component models in Simulink [®]	He	Helium
H ₂ O	Water	HE	Hydrogen embrittlement
H ₂ O ₂	Hydrogen peroxide	HEMA	2-hydroxyethyl methacrylate
H ₂ oba	4,4'-oxybis-benzoic acid	HEN	Heat exchange network
H2QWG	DOE Hydrogen Quality Working Group	HEPA	High efficiency particulate air filter
H ₂ S	Hydrogen sulfide	HER	Hydrogen evolution reaction
H2SCOPE	Hydrogen Station Cost Optimization & Performance Evaluation	HES	Hydrogen energy station
H ₂ SO ₄	Sulfuric acid	HEV	Hybrid electric vehicle
H2V	Hydrogen vehicle	HEX	Heat exchanger
H ₃ BBC	1,3,5-tris(4'-carboxy[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl-)benzene	HexCell	Hexagonal heat exchanger
H ₃ BTB	4,4',4''-benzene-1,3,5-triyl-tribenzoic acid	Hf	Hafnium
H ₃ PO ₄	Phosphoric acid	HF	Hydrogen Fueler; Hydrofluorhydric acid; Hydrogen fluoride; Hartree-Fock
HAADF	High-angle annular dark-field	HFB	Hexafluorobenzene
HAADF-STEM	High angle annular dark field scanning transmission electron microscopy	HFC	Hydrogen fuel cell
HAMMER	Hazardous Materials Management and Emergency Response	HFCTF	Hawaii Fuel Cell Test Facility
HATCI	Hyundai America Technical Center, Inc.	HFCV	Hydrogen fuel cell vehicle
HAVO	Hawaii Volcanoes National Park	HFI	Hydrogen Fuel Initiative
HAZ	Heat-affected zone	HFP	Hexafluoropropylene
HAZID	Hazard Identification Analysis	HFP	1,1,1,3,3,3 hexafluoro-2-propanol
HAZOP	Hazards and Operational Safety Analysis; Hazards and operability analysis	HFR	High-frequency resistance
HB	Hydrazine borane	HFS	Hydrogen fueling station
HBr	Hydrogen bromide	HFSS	High-flux solar simulator
		HFV	Hydrogen-fueled vehicle
		HGEF	Hawaii Gateway Energy Center
		HGM	Hydrogen Generation Module
		HGMs	Hollow glass microspheres
		HGV	Hydrogen gaseous vehicle
		HHV	Higher heating value
		HI	Hydrogen iodide, hydriodic acid

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HIA	Hydrogen-induced amorphization; Hydrogen Implementing Agreement	HSCoE	Hydrogen Sorption Center of Excellence
HIAD	Hydrogen Incidents and Accidents Database	HSDC	Hydrogen Secure Data Center
HIB	High-impedance buffer	HSE	High surface area electrode
HIC	Hydrogen-induced cracking	HSECoE	Hydrogen Storage Engineering Center of Excellence
HICE	Hydrogen internal combustion engine	HSMCoE	Hydrogen Storage Material Center of Excellence
HiPCO, HiPCo	High-pressure carbon monoxide	HSO ₄	Bisulfate anion
HIPOC	Hydrogen Industry Panel on Codes	HSP	Hydrogen safety plan
HIx	Blend of hydrogen iodide, iodine, and water	HSRP	Hydrogen Safety Review Panel
HIZ	Perhydro-indolizidine	HSSIM	Hydrogen Storage SIMulator
HKUST	1 Cu ₃ (1,3,5-benzenetricarboxylate) ₂	HSU	Hydrogen separation unit
HLA	High level architecture	HT	High temperature
HMC	Hyundai Motor Company	HTAC	Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Technical Advisory Committee
HNEI	Hawaii Natural Energy Institute	HTFC	High-temperature fuel cell
HNO ₃	Nitric acid	HTFSA	Trifluomethylsulfonic acid
HOMO	Highest occupied molecular orbital	HTGR	High-temperature gas-cooled reactor
HOPG	Highly-ordered pyrolytic graphite	HTHX	High-temperature heat exchanger
HOR	Hydrogen oxidation reaction	HTM	High-temperature membrane; Hydrogen transport membrane
hp	Horsepower	HTMWG	High Temperature Membrane Working Group
HP	High pressure	H-T-NT	Hierarchical TiO ₂ nanotubes
HPA	Heteropoly acid	HTPEM	High-temperature polymer electrolyte membrane
HPA-C	Heteropoly acid	HTWGS	High-temperature water-gas shift
HPC	Highly porous carbon	HTXRD	High-temperature X-ray diffraction
HPEP	Hydrogen Production Expert Panel	HVAC	Heating, ventilation, and cooling
HPIT	Hydrogen-powered industrial truck	HWCVD	Hot-wire chemical vapor deposition
HPLC	High-performance liquid chromatography	HWD	Hot wire deposition
HPPH	1,6-di(4-hydroxyl)phenylperfluorohexane	HWFET	Highway Fuel Economy Test
HPPS	<i>N,N</i> -diisopropylethylammonium 2,2-bis(<i>p</i> -hydroxyphenyl) pentafluoropropanesulfonate	HX	Heat exchanger
HPRD	Hydrogen pressure relief device	HyARC	Hydrogen Analysis Resource Center
HPTB	High Pressure Test Bay	HYDA	<i>Chlamydomonas reinhardtii</i> [FeFe] hydrogenase
HQS100	Hydroquinone sulfone	HyDRA	Hydrogen Demand and Resource Analysis
hr	Hour(s)	Hydrofill™	GTI hydrogen dispenser filling control algorithm
HRA	Home refueling appliance	HyPro, HYPRO	Analysis tool
HRS	Hydrogen refueling station	HYPS	Pumped hydro
HR-STEM	High resolution scanning transmission electron microscopy	HyQRA	Hydrogen quantitative risk assessment
HRT	Hydraulic retention time	HyRAM	Hydrogen-specific risk assessment toolkit
HRTEM	High-resolution transmission electron microscopy	HyS	Hybrid Sulfur
HRXRT	High-resolution X-ray tomography	HySEB	Hydrogen Station Economics and Business
HS	Hydrogen sorption	HYSYS®	Process simulation software by AspenTech, computer code for flowsheet analysis
HSAC	High surface area carbon		
HSC	Database name derived from the letters for enthalpy, entropy, and heat capacity		
HSCC	Hydrogen Station Cost Calculator		

HyTEx	Hydrogen Technical Experimental (database)	IGCC-PBR	Integrated gasification combined cycle-paladium-based reactor
HyTRANS	DOE's market simulation model for the transition to hydrogen vehicles	IGT	Institute of Gas Technology
Hz	Hertz	IIC	Industrial, institutional, and commercial
HZM	Hot zone module	IINS	Inelastic incoherent neutron scattering
i	Current density (mA/cm ²)	IIT	Illinois Institute of Technology
I	Current	IL	Ionic liquid
I ₂	Diatomic iodine	ILS	Inter-laboratory study(ies)
I2CNER	International Institute for Carbon-Neutral Energy Research	ILTA	Ionic liquids tethered to amineboranes
IBAD	Ion beam assisted deposition	In	Indium
IBS	Ion beam sputtering	In., in	Inch
I/C	Ionomer to catalyst; Ionomer to carbon	in ²	Square inch
IC	Internal combustion	INER	Institute of Nuclear Energy Research
ICC	International Code Council	INERI	International Nuclear Energy Research Initiative
ICE	Internal combustion engine	InP	Indium phosphorus
ICEV	Internal combustion engine vehicle	INS	Inelastic neutron scattering
ICMS	Integrated ceramic membrane system	I-O	Input-output
ICP	Inductively coupled plasma	IOS	Intelligent Optical Systems, Inc.
ICPAE	Inductively coupled plasma atomic emission	IP	Induction period; Intellectual property
ICP-AES	Inductively coupled plasma atomic emission spectroscopy	IPA	Isophthalate; Isopropyl alcohol
ICP-MS	Inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry	IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
ICP-OES	Inductively coupled plasma optical emission spectroscopy	IPCE	Incident photon conversion to electrons; Incident photon conversion efficiency
ICR	Interfacial contact resistance	IPE	Integrated photovoltaic electrolysis
ID	Inside diameter	IPES	Inverse photoemission spectroscopy
i.e.	<i>id est</i> : that is	IPHE	International Partnership for the Hydrogen Economy
IE	Intelligent Energy	IPNS	Intense Pulse Neutron Scattering Facility at Argonne National Laboratory
IEA	International Energy Agency	IQE	Internal quantum efficiency
IEA-HIA	International Energy Agency Hydrogen Implementing Agreement	IR	Infrared
IEC	International Electrotechnical Commission; Ion exchange capacity, milliequivalents of acid groups per gram of material	iR	Internal resistance
IECV	Integrated end cap vessel	Ir	Iridium
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc.	IRMOF	Isorecticular metal organic framework
IET	Institute for Energy and Transport	IrO _x	Iridium oxide
IFC	International Fire Code	IRR	Internal rate of return
IGBT	Insolated-gate bipolar transistor	IRRAS	Infrared reflection-absorption spectroscopy
IGCC	Integrated gasification combined cycle	ISIS	World's leading pulsed neutron and muon source located at the UK Rutherford Appleton Laboratory near Oxford
IGCC-CMR	Integrated gasification combined cycle-catalytic membrane reactor	ISO	International Organization for Standardization
IGCC-MR	Integrated gasification combined cycle-membrane reactor	ISO TC197	International Standards Organization Technical Committee
		ISS	Ion scattering spectroscopy
		ITM	Ion transport membrane

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ITO	Indium tin oxide	kPa	Kilopascal(s)
ITP	Indium tin phosphate	kph	Kilometer(s) per hour
ITWS	Isothermal water splitting	ksi	1,000 pound-force per square inch
IV	Current-voltage	kT/y	Kiloton(s) per year
J	Current; Joule(s)	K _{th} , K _{th}	Fracture toughness threshold
JARI	Japan Automobile Research Institute	K _{TH}	Hydrogen-assisted crack growth threshold
JHQTF	Joint Hydrogen Quality Task Force (U.S. Fuel Cell Council)	kVA	Kilovolt-amp(s) (units of apparent power)
JM	Johnson Matthey	kW	Kilowatt(s)
JMFC	Johnson-Matthey Fuel Cells, Inc.	kWe, kW _e	Kilowatt(s) electric
JNAIST	Japanese National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology	kWh	Kilowatt-hour(s)
JOBS FC	JOBS and economic impacts of Fuel Cells	kWh/kg	Kilowatt-hour(s) per kilogram
JOBS H2	JOBS and economic impacts of Hydrogen	kWh/L	Kilowatt-hour(s) per liter
JPL	Jet Propulsion Laboratory	kW/kg	Kilowatt(s) per kilogram
JRC	Joint Research Centre	kWt	Kilowatt(s) thermal
J-V, JV	Current density-voltage	L, l	Liter(s)
K	Sievert's constant, ml/[cm ² -min-atm ^{1/2}]; Kelvin, absolute temperature; Potassium	La	Lanthanum
kÅ	1,000 angstroms	LAGP	Lithium aluminum germanium phosphate
KAERI	Korea Atomic Energy Research Institute	LAH	Lithium aluminum hydride (LiAlH ₄)
KAIST	Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology	λ	Lambda, hydration number
kA/m ²	Kilo-ampere(s) per square meter	LAMH	Lithium amide and magnesium hydride
kb	Kilo-base pair, a unit of measurement used in genetics equal to 1,000 nucleotides	LAMOX	Lanthanum molybdenum oxide (<i>e.g.</i> , La ₂ Mo ₂ O ₉)
KBr	Potassium bromide	LANL	Los Alamos National Laboratory
kcal	Kilocalorie(s)	LAO	Lanthanum-modified alumina
kcal/mol	Kilocalorie(s) per mole	LAPS	Large aperture projection scatterometer
KeV	Kilo electron volt(s)	LAS	Large aperture scatterometry
kg	Kilogram(s)	lb	Pound(s)
kg/d	Kilogram(s) per day	LBM	Lattice Boltzmann method
kg/hr	Kilogram(s) per hour	lbmol	Pound(s)-mole
kg/m ³	Kilogram(s) per cubic meter	LBL	Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
KH	Potassium hydride	LC	Liquid carrier; Low concentration
KHTC	Hydrotalcites; Potassium-promoted hydrotalcite	L-C	Longitudinal-circumferential
kHz	Kilohertz	LCA	Life cycle assessment; Life-cycle analysis
K _{TH}	Fracture toughness measured in hydrogen gas	LCC	Life cycle cost; La _{0.7} Ca _{0.3} CrO ₃₋₈
kJ	Kilojoule(s)	LCH ₂	Hydrogenated liquid carrier; Compressed hydrogen produced from liquid hydrogen
KJ	Ketjenblack	LCHPP	Low Cost Hydrogen Production Platform (DOE Program Title)
K _{JIC}	Fracture toughness	LCMS	Liquid chromatography-mass spectroscopy
kJ/mol	Kilojoule(s) per mole	LCOE	Levelized cost of electricity
km	Kilometer(s)	L/D	Length to diameter ratio
KMC	Kinetic Monte Carlo	LDV	Light-duty vehicle
KOH	Potassium hydroxide	LED	Light emitting diode
		LEED	Low-energy electron diffraction
		LEL	Lower explosion limit

LFG	Landfill gas	LSM	Lanthanum strontium manganese
LFL	Lower flammability limit	LSMO	Lanthanum strontium manganese oxide, (La, Sr)MnO ₃ , strontium-doped lanthanum manganite, La _{0.8} Sr _{0.2} MnO _{3+δ}
L/h, l/h	Liter(s) per hour	LST	Lanthanum strontium titanium oxide, (La, Sr)TiO ₃
LH2, LH ₂	Liquid hydrogen	LSV	Lanthanum strontium vanadate; Linear sweep voltammetry
LHC	Light-harvesting chlorophyll	LT	Low-temperature
LHSV	Liquid hourly space velocity, h ⁻¹	LTDMS	Laser induced thermal desorption mass spectrometry
LHV	Lower heating value	LUMO	Lowest unoccupied molecular orbital
Li	Lithium	m	Meter(s)
LI	Leaching index	M	Mole, Molar; Million
Li ₃ N	Lithium nitride	m ²	Square meter(s)
Li-AB	Lithium amidoborane, Li-NH ₂ -BH ₃	m ² /g	Square meter(s) per gram
LiBH ₄	Lithium borohydride	m ² /s	Square meter(s) per second
LIBS	Laser-induced breakdown spectroscopy	m ³	Cubic meter(s)
LiH	Lithium hydride	MA	Mass activity; methyl acrylate
LLC	Limited Liability Company; Lessons Learned Corner	MA3T	Market Acceptance of Advanced Automotive Technologies
LLNL	Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	μA	Microampere(s)
L/min, l/min	Liter(s) per minute	mA	Milliamp(s)
LMWO	Lanthanum molybdenum tungsten oxide (<i>e.g.</i> , La ₂ Mo _{1.8} W _{0.2} O _{9-x})	MA	Mass activity
LN ₂	Liquid nitrogen	M-AB	Metal ammonia-borane
LNG	Liquefied natural gas	MAB, M-AB	Metal amidoboranes
LOC	Liquid organic carrier	μA/cm ²	Microampere(s) per square centimeter
LOHC	Liquid organic hydrogen carrier	mA/cm ²	Milliamp(s) per square centimeter
LP	Lattice parameter	MARAD	Maritime Administration
LPG	Liquefied petroleum gas	MARKAL	Market Allocation Model—A generic, multi-sector energy model developed by the Energy Technology Systems Analysis Program of the International Energy Agency
LPM	Liter(s) per minute	MAS	Magic angle spinning
LPR	Liquid-phase reforming	MASC	Multi-acid side chain
LQ*	Dehydrogenated liquid carrier	MAS ¹¹ B-NMR	Magic angle spinning boron-11 nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy
LQ*H2	Hydrogenated liquid carrier	MAS-NMR	Magic angle spinning nuclear magnetic resonance
L-R	Longitudinal-radial	MATI	Modular Adsorption Tank Insert
LRIP	Low rate initial production	MAWP	Maximum allowable working pressure
LRS	Laser raman spectroscopy	MB	Megabyte
LS	Local share	MBE	Molecular beam epitaxy
LSAC	Low-surface-area carbon	MBMS	Molecular beam mass spectrometry
LSC	Lanthanum strontium cobalt oxide, (La, Sr)CoO ₃ , strontium-doped lanthanum cobaltite, La _{0.8} Sr _{0.2} CoO _{3+δ}	M-BOP	Mechanical balance of plant
LSCF	Lanthanum strontium cobalt iron oxide, (La, Sr)(Co, Fe)O ₃	MBRC	Miles between roadcall
LSCF7328	La-Sr-Cu-Fe-O		
LSCM	Lanthanum strontium chromium manganese oxide, (La, Sr)(Cr, Mn)O ₃		
LSCr	Lanthanum strontium chromium oxide, (La, Sr)CrO ₃		
LSF	Large station first		

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MBWR	Modified Benedict Webb Rubin	MHCoE	Metal Hydride Center of Excellence
MC	Monte Carlo; Methyl cellulose	MHE	Material handling equipment
mC ²	Multi-component composite (membrane)	MHI	Methylperhydroindole
MCB	Marine Corps Base	MHz	Megahertz
mC-cm ⁻²	Millicoulomb(s) per square centimeter	mi	Mile(s)
MCEL	Millenium Cell, Inc.	MIE	Minimum ignition energy
MCFC	Molten carbonate fuel cell	MIEC	Mixed ionic and electronic conduction
mCHP	Micro-combined heat and power	mi/kg	Mile(s) per kilogram
μCHP	Micro-combined heat and power	mil	Millimeter(s)
μCHX	Microscale combustor/heat exchanger	Mim	Methyl imidazole
MCM	Mobile crystalline material	min	Minute(s)
μc-Si	Microcrystalline silicon	MIP	Mercury intrusion porosimetry
MDC	Material-dependent components	MIT	Massachusetts Institute of Technology
MDES	Methyl-diethoxy silane	MiTi [®]	Mohawk Innovative Technologies Inc.
mdip	5,5'-methylene-di-isophthalate	MJ	Megajoule(s)
MDMC	Material Data Management Consortium	mL, ml	Milliliter(s)
<i>m</i> -dobdc	4,6-DiOxido Benzene 1,3-DiCarboxylate	ML	Monolayer
MEA	Membrane electrode assembly	μCHP	Micro-combined heat and power
MeAB	Methylamine borane	μm	Micrometer(s); micron(s)
MEAM	Modified embedded atom method	μM	Micromolar
MEC	Microbial electrolysis cell; Minimum explosive concentration	mM	Millimolar
MeCN	Acetonitrile	mm	Millimeter(s)
MEIC	Mixed electronic and ionic conducting (membranes)	MMBtu	Million British thermal units
MEMS	Micro-electro-mechanical systems	MM-FSW	Multi-pass, multi-layer friction stir welding
MeOH	Methanol	MMOF	Microporous metal-organic framework
meq	Milliequivalents	mmol	Millimole(s)
meq/g	Milliequivalents/gram	μmol	Micromole(s)
MES	Microstructured electrode scaffold	MMSCFD	Million standard cubic feet/day
MeV	Mega electron volt	MMT	Million metric tonnes
mf	Mass fraction	Mn	Manganese
Mg	Megagram(s)	Mn ₂ O ₃	Manganese oxide
μg	Microgram(s)	M-N-H	Amide/imide
mg	Milligram(s)	MnO	Manganese oxide
MgCl ₂	Magnesium chloride	μΩ-cm ²	Micro-ohm(s)-square centimeter
mg/cm ²	Milligram(s) per square centimeter	Mo	Molybdenum
MgH ₂	Magnesium hydride	MO	Molecular orbital; metal oxide
MgH ₂ @C	MgH ₂ incorporated in carbon scaffold	MOA	Memorandum of Agreement
MgO	Magnesium oxide	MOF	Metal-organic framework
Mg(OH) ₂	Magnesium hydroxide	mol	Mole(s)
mgPt/cm ²	Milligram(s) of platinum per square centimeter	MOL	Middle of life
MH, M-H	Metal hydride	mol%	Mole percent
MHC	Metal hydride-based compressor	mol/min	Mole(s) per minute
		mΩ	Milli-ohm(s)
		MΩ	Mega-ohm(s)
		mΩ/cm ²	Milli-ohm(s) per square centimeter

MoPc	Molybdenum phthalocyanine	MWCNT	Multiple-wall carbon nanotube
MOR	Methanol oxidation reaction	MWe	Megawatt(s) electric
MPa	Megapascal(s)	MWh	Megawatt-hour(s)
MPG, mpg	Mile(s) per gallon	MWNT	Multi-wall carbon nanotube
MPGGE	Miles per gasoline gallon equivalent	MWOE	Midwest Optoelectronics, LLC
mph	Mile(s) per hour	MWth	Megawatt(s) thermal
MPHI	Methylperhydroindole	MYPP	Multi-Year Program Plan (the Fuel Cell Technologies Office's Multi-Year Research, Development, and Demonstration Plan)
MPL	Micro-porous layer		
MPMC	Massively Parallel Monte Carlo		
mpy	Miles per year	MYRDD, MYRD&DP	Multi-Year Research, Development and Demonstration Plan
MQMAS	Multiple quantum magic angle spinning		
MR	Membrane reactor	N	Normal (e.g., 1N H ₃ PO ₄ is 1 normal solution of phosphoric acid); Nitrogen atom; Newton (unit of force)
MRCAT	Materials Research Collaborative Access Team		
MREC	Microbial reverse-electrodialysis electrolysis cell	N112	Nafion [®] 1100 equivalent weight, 2 millimeter thick membrane
MRI	Magnetic resonance imaging	N ₂	Diatomic nitrogen
MRL	Manufacturing readiness level	N ₂ O	Nitrous oxide
ms	Millisecond(s)	Na	Sodium
MS	Mass spectroscopy; Mass spectrometry; More Stations	NA	North American
MSAC	Mid-range carbon support; Medium surface area carbon	Na ₂ S	Sodium sulfide
MSC	Moderate driver and short commute	Na ₃ AlH ₆	Trisodium hexahydroaluminate
mS/cm	Milli-Siemen(s) per centimeter	NaAlH ₄	Sodium aluminum hydride; Sodium tetrahydroaluminate; Sodium alanate
MS-H ₂	Hydrogen mass spectrometry	NaBH ₄	Sodium borohydride
MSM	Macro-System Model	NaBO ₂	Sodium metaborate
MSR	Membrane steam reformer	NACE	National Association of Corrosion Engineers
MSRI	Materials and Systems Research, Inc.	NaCl	Sodium chloride
MSRP	Manufacturer suggested retail price	NACS	North American Catalysis Society
MSTF	Mesostructured thin films	NADH	(reduced) Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide
MTA	Metric tonne per annum; Mass Transportation Agency	NADP	Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate
MTBIO	Mean time between interrupted operation	NADPH	Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate
MTBF	Mean time between failure	Nafion [®]	Registered Trademark of E.I. DuPont de Nemours
MTBR	Mean time between repairs	NaH	Sodium hydride
M/TC	Metal-doped templated carbon	NA NG	North American natural gas
M-TCPP	M = Fe, Mn, Co, Ni, Cu, Zn, H ₂ , tetrakis(4-carboxyphenyl)porphyrin	NaOH	Sodium hydroxide
mtorr	Millitorr	NAS	National Academy of Sciences
μV	Microvolt(s)	NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
mV	Millivolt(s)	Nb	Niobium
MV	Methyl viologen	Ncc	Normal cubic centimeters
mW	Milliwatt(s)	N/cm ²	Newton(s) per square centimeter
MW	Megawatt(s); Molecular weight	NCNR	NIST Center for Neutron Research
mW/cm ²	Milliwatt(s) per square centimeter	ND	Not determined at this time

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NDC	New delivery concept, Naphthalene-2,6-dicarboxylate	nm	Nanometer(s)
nDDB	N-dodecyl benzene	NM	Noble metal
NDE	Non-destructive examination	Nm ³	Normal cubic meter(s)
NE	U.S. DOE Office of Nuclear Energy, Science, and Technology	NMHC	Non-methane hydrocarbons
NEB	Nudged elastic band	NMOC	Non-methane organic carbons
NEC	National Electrical Code	nmol	Nanomole(s)
NEF	N-ethylformamide	NMP	N-methylpyrrolidone
NEMA	National Electrical Manufacturers Association	NMR	Nuclear magnetic resonance
NEMS	National Energy Modeling System	NMSU	New Mexico State University
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act	NMT	New Mexico Tech
NETL	National Energy Technology Laboratory	NNA	Non-North American
NEU	Northeastern University	NNA NG	Non-North American natural gas
NEXAFS	Near edge X-ray absorption fine structure	NNIF	NIST neutron imaging facility
NFCBP	National Fuel Cell Bus Program	NNSA	National Nuclear Security Administration
NFCRC	National Fuel Cell Research Center	NO ₂	Nitric oxide
NFCTEC	National Fuel Cell Technology Evaluation Center	NOA	Norland Optical Adhesive
NFM	Nanoporous framework material	nOB	N-octyl benzene
Nfn-Pt/C	Nafion [®] -loaded Pt/C	NO _x , NO _x	Oxides of nitrogen
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association	NP	Nanoparticle
ng	Nanogram	NPB	Neopentyl benzene
NG	Natural gas; Next generation	NPC	Nanoporous carbon; Normalized photocurrent
NGCC	Natural gas combined cycle	NPD	Neutron powder diffraction
NGNP	Next Generation Nuclear Plant	NPDF	Neutron powder diffraction
NGV	Natural gas vehicle	NPGM	Non-precious metal group
NH ₃	Ammonia	NPM	Nanostructured polymeric materials; Non-precious metal
NHA	National Hydrogen Association	NPMC	Non-precious metal catalyst
NHE	Normal hydrogen electrode	NPPD	n-phenyl-phenylenediamine
NHFC4	National Hydrogen and Fuel Cells Codes and Standards Coordinating Committee	NPS	National Park Service
NHI	Nuclear Hydrogen Initiative	NPT	Normal pressure and temperature
NHTSA	National Highway Traffic Safety Administration of the U.S. Department of Transportation	NPV	Net present value
Ni	Nickel	NR	Nanorod
NICC	Natural gas Infrastructure Component Cost model	NR ₃	Tertiary amine
NILS	Normal interstitial lattice sites	NRC	National Research Council
NiMH	Nickel metal hydride	NREL	National Renewable Energy Laboratory
NIR	Near infra-red	NRELFAT	NREL Fleet Analysis Toolkit
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology	NRVS	Nuclear resonance vibrational spectroscopy
NL	Normal liter(s)	NSF	National Science Foundation
NLDFT	Non-local density functional theory	NSTF	Nano-structured thin-film
		NSTFC	Nano-structured thin film catalyst
		NT	Nanotube
		NTCNA	Nissan Technical Center, North America
		NTE	Negative thermal-expansion
		N-T-NT	Nano-grass type titania nanotube
		NV	Neutron vibrational

NVS	Neutron vibrational spectroscopy	P	Phosphorus; Pressure
NW	Nanowire	Pa	Pascal(s)
NWM	Natural Water Management, UTC Power's system and cell stack design which utilizes evaporative cooling in the cell stack assembly	PA	Phosphoric acid, Phenylacetylene; Polyamide
		PAA	Poly(acrylic acid); polyphthalamide
		P&D	Pickup and delivery
		PAD	Polymer-assisted deposition
NYSERDA	New York State Energy Research and Development Authority	PADD	Petroleum Administration for Defense District
NZVI	Nano zerovalent iron		
Ω	Ohm(s)	PAES	Poly(arylene-ether-sulfone)
Ωcm^2	Ohm(s)-square centimeter	PAFC	Phosphoric acid fuel cell
O	Oxygen	P&ID	Piping and instrumentation diagram
O ₂	Diatomic oxygen	PAN	Peroxyacetyl nitrate; Polyacrylonitrile
O/C	Oxygen-to-carbon ratio	PANI	Polyaniline
OCP	Open circuit potential	PAN-MA	Polyacrylonitrile with methyl acrylate
OCS	Orange County Sanitation District	PAN-VA	Polyacrylonitrile with vinyl acetate
OCV	Open-circuit voltage	PA/PBI	Phosphoric-acid-doped polybenzimidazole
o.d.,OD	Outer diameter	PAR	Photosynthetically-active radiation
ODA	Oxygenated form of diamine	PAS	Photoactive semiconductor; Photo acoustic
ODE	Ordinary differential equation	Pb	Lead
OEC	Oxygen evolving complex	PB	Polyborazylene; Pre-bridge
OEM	Original equipment manufacturer	PBCTF	Pressurized Button Cell Test Facility
OER	Oxygen evolution reaction	PBD	Performance-based design
OGMC	Ordered graphitic mesoporous carbon	PBI	Polybenzimidazole
OH ⁻	Hydroxyl radical	PBPDSA	poly(biphenylene disulfonic acid)
O&M	Operation and maintenance	P-C	Pressure-composition
OMC	Ordered mesoporous carbon	PC	Polycarbonate
Ω	Ohm(s)	PCA	Pyrenecarboxylic acid; Principal component analysis
Ωcm^2	Ohm(s)-square centimeter		
ONR	Office of Naval Research	PCE	Perchloroethylene
ORF	Opening Reading Frame indicating the occurrence of a protein coding region in the DNA sequence	PCF	Polycarbonate film
		PCHD	Poly(cyclohexadiene)
ORNL	Oak Ridge National Laboratory	PCI	Pressure-composition isotherm
ORNL-HTML	Oak Ridge National Laboratory High Temperature Materials Laboratory	PCL	Polycaprolactone
		PCM	Power control module
ORR	Oxygen reduction reaction	PCN	Porous coordination network
OSC	Oxygen storage capability	P-C-P	Phosphorus-carbon-phosphorus
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration	PCR	Polymerase chain reaction
OSM	Optical scatterfield microscopy	PCS	Power conditioning system
o-SWNH	Oxidized single-walled nanohorn	PCT, P-C-T	Pressure-concentration-temperature
OSU	Ohio State University; Oregon State University (Microproducts Breakthrough Institute)	PCTFE	Polychlorotrifluoroethylene
		Pd	Palladium
OTM	Oxygen transport membrane	PDA	Phenyldiacetylene
		PdAg	Palladium-silver alloy
		Pd-ACF	Pd-modified activated carbon fibers
		Pd-CR	Palladium-based chemical resistor

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PdCu, Pd-Cu	Palladium-copper alloy	PFGB	Perfluorinated guanidine base
PdCuTM	Palladium copper transition metal	PGF-NMR	Pulse field gradient nuclear magnetic resonance
PDF	Probability density function; Pair distribution function	PGFSE	Pulse field gradient spin echo
PdHg/CF	Carbon foam doped with palladium-mercury compound	PGFSE NMR	Pulsed field gradient spin echo nuclear magnetic resonance
PDI	Polydispersity index	PFIA	Perfluoroimide acid
Pd-MIS	Palladium-based metal-insulator-semiconductor	PFPO	Perfluorinated propylene oxide
PDMS	Polydimethylsiloxane	PFPO-PSS	Poly(perfluoropropylene oxide)-b-poly(styrene sulfonate)
PDS	Potentiodynamic scan	PFSA	Perfluorinated sulfonic acid, perfluorosulfonic acid, poly(fluorosulfonic acid)
PDU	Process development unit	PF-SFP	PF sulfonyl fluoride precursor
PE	Polyelectrolyte; Polyethylene	PFSl	Perfluorosulfonate ionomer
PEC	Photoelectrochemical; Photoelectrocatalyst; Photoelectrochemical cell	PFShQ	2-(5-fluorosulfonyl-3-oxaocetafluoropentyl)-1,4-dihydroxy-benzene
PECH	Polyepichlorohydrin	PG	Propylene glycol
PECVD	Plasma-enhanced chemical vapor deposition	PGAA	Prompt-gamma activation analysis
PED	Pulsed electrodeposition	PGE	Platinum group element
PEDOT:ClO ₄	Poly(3,4-ethylenedioxythiophene):perchlorate	PGM	Precious group metal; Platinum-group metal
PEEK	Polyether ether ether ketone	PGSE	Pulsed-field gradient spin-echo
PEFC	Polymer electrolyte fuel cell; Proton exchange fuel cell	PGV	Puna Geothermal Ventures
PEG	Polyethylene glycol	pH	Power of the hydronium ion
PEGMEMA	Monomethoxypoly(ethyleneglycol) methacrylate	<i>p</i> -H ₂	Para-hydrogen
PEGS	Prototype electrostatic ground state	Ph ₃ SnCl	Triphenyltin chloride
PEI	Polyetherimide; Polyethylene imine	Ph ₃ SnSnPh ₃	Hexaphenyldistannane
PEKK	Poly (ether ketone ketone)	PHA	Process hazard analysis; Preliminary hazard analysis
PEM	Proton exchange membrane; Polymer electrolyte membrane	PHEC	Perhydro-ethylcarbazole
PEMFC	Polymer electrolyte membrane fuel cell; Proton exchange membrane fuel cell	PHEV	Plug-in hybrid electric vehicle
PEN	Polyethylene naphthalate	PHI	Perhydro-indolizidine
PEO	Poly(ethylene oxide)	PHIP	Para-hydrogen induced polarization
PES	Polyether sulfone; Proton Energy Systems, Inc.; Polyethersulfone	PHMI	Perhydro-methylindole
PET	Polyethylene terephthalate	PhOH	Phenol
PetF1	<i>Synechocystis</i> host ferredoxin	PI	Principal investigator
PEV	Plug-in electric vehicle	PI	Polyimide
PF	Perfluoro	P&ID	Piping and instrumentation diagram; Process and instrumentation diagram
PFA	Perfluoroalkoxy (a type of fluoropolymer; Polyfurfuryl alcohol)	PIL, pIL	Protic ionic liquid
PFAC	PFA-derived carbon	PIM, pIM	Protic ionic membrane
PFAE	Perfluoroalkylether	pK _a	Acid dissociation constant
PFC	Polymer electrolyte membrane fuel cell	PLC	Programmable logic controller
PFCS	Poly-generative fuel cell systems	PLLA	Poly-L-lactic acid
PFD	Process flow diagram	PLP	Prepared Lewis pair
		PLRS	Planar laser Raleigh scatter
		PLS	Polymer-layered silicate

PM	Precious metal such as platinum; Particulate matter	PSAT	Powertrain Systems Analysis Toolkit, a vehicle simulation software package developed at Argonne National Laboratory
PMG	Glycidyl methacrylate-type copolymer	PSD	Particle size distribution, pore size distribution
PMMA	Poly(methyl methacrylate)	PSEPVE	Perfluoro (4-methyl-3,6-dioxaoct-7-ene) sulfonyl fluoride
PND	Polymerized nitrogen donor	PSf	Poly(arylene ether sulfone)
PNNL	Pacific Northwest National Laboratory	psi, PSI	Pound(s) per square inch
pO ₂	Oxygen partial pressure	PSI	Photosystem I
POC	Proof of concept	PSII	Photosystem II
POCOP	<i>P,P</i> -bis(1,1-dimethylethyl)-3-[[bis(1,1-dimethylethyl)phosphino]oxy]phenyl ester	psia	Pound(s) per square inch absolute
POF	Polymeric-organic framework; Porous organic framework	psid	Pound(s) per square inch differential
POM	Polyoxometallate	psig, PSIG	Pound(s) per square inch gauge
POP	Porous organic polymers	PSOFC	Planar solid oxide fuel cell
POSS	Polyhedral oligomeric silsesquioxane	PSS	Porous stainless steel; Potentiostatic scan
POX	Partial oxidation	PSU	Polysulfone
PP	Polyphosphazene; Polypropylene; Poly(phenylene)	PSU	Pennsylvania State University
PPA	Polyphosphoric acid; Polyphthalamide	Pt	Platinum
ppb	Part(s) per billion	PT	Phosphazene trimer
ppbv	Part(s) per billion by volume	P-T	Pressure-temperature
PPDSA	Poly (p-phenylene disulfonic acid)	Pt ₃ Co	Platinum-cobalt alloy
PPE	Porous polyethylene	Pt ₃ Fe	Platinum-iron alloy
PPI	Plug Power, Inc.; Pore(s) per inch	Pt ₃ Ni	Platinum-nickel alloy
ppm, PPM	Part(s) per million	PTA	Phosphotungstic acid
ppmv	Part(s) per million by volume	Pt/AC/BC/IRMOF-8	Isorecticular metal organic framework (MOF) doped with platinum supported on activated carbon, and further coupled to MOF with a bridging compound
ppmw	Part(s) per million by weight	Pt/AX-21	Pt-doped microporous carbon AX-21
PPN	Porous polymer network	Pt/C	Platinum/carbon
PPO	Phenyl phosphine oxide	PTC	Production tax credit
PPOR	Metalloporphyrin porous organic polymer	PTFE	Teflon [®] – poly-tetrafluoroethylene
P-POSS	Phosphonic acid polyhedral oligomeric silsesquioxane	Pt-FePO	Platinum iron phosphate
PPS	Polyphenylene sulfide	PTM	Proton transport membrane
PPSA	Poly (p-phenylene sulfonic acid)	PtML	Platinum monolayer
PPSA	Partial pressure swing adsorption	Pt-MM	Platinum group mixed metal
PPSU	Polyphenylsulfone	Pt-NH	Platinum decorated carbon nano-horns
PPy	Polypyrrole	PtO	Platinum oxide
Pr	Praseodymium	PtO ₂	Platinum dioxide
PR	Pressure ratio	PtRu	Platinum ruthenium
PRA	Probabilistic risk assessment	Pt-SWNH	Platinum decorated single-walled nanohorns
PRD	Pressure relief device	Pt-TaPO	Platinum tantalum phosphate
PrOx	Preferential oxidation	PTTPP	Poly-tetrakis(3,5-dithiophen-2-ylphenyl)-porphyrin
PRSV	Peng-Robinson Stryjek-Vera	PTW	Pump to wheels
PS	Proton sponge (bis- (dimethylamino) naphthalene); Polysiloxane		
PSA	Pressure swing adsorption, adsorber		

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PV	Photovoltaic; Present value	RED	Reverse electro dialysis
PVA	Polyvinyl alcohol	REWP	Renewable Energy Working Party
PVC	Polyvinyl chloride	Rf	Generic fluoroalkyl group
PVD	Physical vapor deposition	RF, rf	Radio frequency
PVDC	Polyvinylidene chloride	RFC	Regenerative fuel cell
PVDF	Polyvinylidene fluoride	RFI	Request for Information
PVP	Polyvinylpyrrolidone	RFP	Request for proposals
PVPP	Polyvinyl pyridinium phosphate	RFT	Reactive flow-through
PVT, P-V-T	Pressure-Volume-Temperature	RGA	Residual gas analyzer (analysis)
PXRD	Powder X-ray diffraction	Rh	Rhodium
PyC	4-pyrazole carboxylate	RH	Relative humidity
PzDC	2,8-pyrazole dicarboxylate	RHE	Reference hydrogen electrode; Reversible hydrogen electrode
Q	Neutron momentum transfer	RHLC	Relative humidity/load cycle test
Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4	Quarters of the year	ρ_a	Apparent density of activated carbon
QC	Quality control	$\rho_{ad.H_2}$	Adsorbate hydrogen density in micropores
QCM	Quartz crystal microbalance	RIF	Reactive impinging flow
QE	Quantum efficiency	RIXS	Resonant inelastic X-ray scattering spectra
QENS	Quasielastic neutron scattering	RMS	Root mean square
QLRA	Qualitative risk analysis	RNA	Ribo nucleic acid
QMC	Quantum Monte Carlo	RNG	Renewable natural gas
QNS	Quasielastic neutron scattering	ROI	Return on investment
QRA	Quantitative risk assessment	ROM	Rough order of magnitude
qRT-PCR	Quantitative reverse transcriptase-polymerase chain reaction	ROMP	Ring-opening metathesis polymerization
Q_{st}	Isosteric heat of adsorption	ROW	Right of way
R	Universal or ideal gas constant, $8.314472 \text{ J} \cdot \text{K}^{-1} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$	RPC	Ruthenium-polyridyl complex
RAMAN	A spectroscopic technique	RPI	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
RAS	Russian Academy of Sciences	rpm	Revolution(s) per minute
RBS	Rutherford back scattering	RPN	Risk priority number
RC	Resistance-capacitance; Research cluster	RPS	Renewable portfolio standard
RCD	Rated current density	RPSA	Rapic pressure swing adsorption
RCS	Regulations codes and standards	RR	Round robin
RCSWG	Regulations, Codes, and Standards Working Group	RRDE	Rotating ring disc electrode
R_{ct}	Charge transfer resistance	RSOFC	Reversible solid oxide fuel cell
RCWA	Rigorous couples waveguide analysis	RT	Room temperature
R&D	Research and development	RTD	Resistive temperature device
RD&D, R,D&D	Research, development & demonstration	RTIL	Room temperature ionic liquid
RDE	Rotating disk electrode	RTO	Ruthenium-titanium oxide
Re	Rhenium	Ru	Ruthenium
ReaxFF	Reactive force field large-scale molecular dynamic calculations	s	Second(s)
REC	Renewable energy credit	S	Siemen(s); Sulfur
		-S	Sulfur-deprived
		SA	Specific amperage; Surface area; Sulfur-ammonia thermochemical water-splitting cycle; System Architect

SAC	Super-activated carbon	SEOS	Simple equation of state
SAE	SAE International, originally known as the Society of Automotive Engineers	SERA	Scenario Evaluation, Regionalization, and Analysis
SAFC	Solid acid fuel cell	SERC	Schatz Energy Research Center
SAH	Sodium aluminum hydride	SET	Surface energy treatment
SAM	Scanning Auger microscopy	SF	Safety factor; Polystyrene-b-PFPO
SAMPE	Society for the Advancement of Material and Process Engineering	SF ₆	Sulfur hexafluoride
SANS	Small angle neutron scattering	SFA	Sulfonic acid
SAS	Styrene-acrylonitrile-vinylsulfate	SFC2	SrFeCo _{0.5} O _x
SASSP	Solvent assisted solid state processing	SFM	Sr ₂ Fe _{1.5} Mo _{0.5} O _{6-δ}
SAXS	Small angle X-ray scattering	SFT	Sr-Fe-Ti oxide
SBAB	Sec-butylamineborane	SFTI	Sr _{0.1} Fe _{0.9} Ti _{0.10} O _x
S _{BET}	BET specific surface area	SG	Shale gas
SBH	Sodium borohydride	SGD	Spontaneous galvanic displacement; System gravimetric density
SBIR	Small Business Innovation Research	SGIP	Self-Generation Incentive Program
Sc	Scandium	Sh	Sherwood
S/C	Steam to carbon ratio	SHE	Standard hydrogen electrode
SCC	Stress corrosion cracking	Si	Silicon
sccm, SCCM	Standard cubic centimeter(s) per minute	S-I	Sulfur-iodine
SCCV	Steel/concrete composite vessel	SI	Sulfur-iodine cycle; Spectrum image
SCE	Saturated calomel electrode	Si ³ N ⁴	Silicon nitride
SCF, scf	Standard cubic feet; Supercritical fluid	SiC	Silicon carbide
scfd	Standard cubic feet per day	SiCN	Silicon carbonitride
SCFH, scfh	Standard cubic feet per hour	SIMS	Secondary ion emission spectroscopy
SCFM	Standard cubic feet per minute	Si-NS	Silica nanosprings
S/cm	Siemen(s) per centimeter	SiO ₂	Silicon dioxide
SCOF	Single cell with open flowfield	SIU	Southern Illinois University
SCR	Selective catalytic reduction; Semi-conductor rectifier	sL	Standard liter (0°C, 1 atm)
ScSZ	Scandia-stabilized zirconia	SLAC	Stanford Linear Accelerator Center
SD	Standard deviation; System dynamics	SLMA	Sr- and Mn-doped LaAlO ₃
SDAPP	Sulfonated Diels-Alder polyphenylene	SLMA2	Sr _x La _{1-x} Mn _y Al _{1-y} O ₃ perovskite compositions
SDAPPe	Sulfonated Diels-Alder polyphenylene ether	SLPH	Standard liter(s) per hour
SDC	Samarium-doped ceria	SLPM	Standars liter(s) per minute
sDCDPS	3,3'-disulfonate-4,4'-dichlorodiphenylsulfone	slpm, slm, sL/min	Standard liter(s) per minute
SDE	SO ₂ -depolarized electrolyzer	SLT	Strontium-doped lanthanum titanate
SDO	Standards development organization	SMART	Specific, measurable, attainable, relevant, timely
Se	Selenium	SMR	Steam methane reformer; Steam methane reforming
SE	Secondary electron; spectroscopic ellipsometry	SMR-ECM	Steam methane reformer with electrochemical purifier
sec	Second(s)	SMR-PSA	Steam methane reformer with pressure swing adsorption
SECA	Solid State Energy Conversion Alliance	SMT	Single-molecule trap
SECM	Scanning electrochemical microscope		
SEM	Scanning electron microscopy; Scanning electron microscope		

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Sn	Tin	SSC	Short side-chain; Structure, system, and component
SNF	Silica nanofiber	SSF	Small station first
SNG	Substitute natural gas	SSM	Sacrificial support method
SNL	Sandia National Laboratories	SSNMR	Solid-state nuclear magnetic resonance
SNLL	Sandia National Laboratory Livermore	SSRL	Stanford Synchrotron Radiation Laboratory
SnO	Tin oxide	SSWAG	Storage System Working Analysis Group
SnO ₂	Tin dioxide	STCH	Solar thermochemical hydrogen
SNR	Signal-to-noise ratio	STEM	Scanning transmission electron microscopy
SNS	Spallation neutron source	STH	Solar to hydrogen
SNTT	Spiral notch torsion test	STM	Scanning tunneling microscopy
SO ₂	Sulfur dioxide	STMBMS	Simultaneous thermogravimetric modulated beam mass spectrometer
SO ₃	Sulfur trioxide	STP	Standard temperature and pressure
SOC	State-of-charge	STS	Scanning tunneling spectroscopy
SOEC	Solid oxide electrolysis cell; Solid oxide electrolyzer cell	STTP	Shared Technology Transfer Project
SOFC	Solid oxide fuel cell	STTR	Small Business Technology Transfer
SOFEC	Solid oxide fuel-assisted electrolysis cell	S _u	Ultimate tensile strength
SOM	Solid-oxide oxygen-ion-conducting membrane	SU/SD	Start-up/shut-down
SORFC	Solid oxide regenerative fuel cell	SUNY-ESF	State University New York College of Environmental Science and Forestry
SOTA	State of the art	SV	Space velocity; surface validation
SOW	Statement of work	SVD	System volumetric density
SOx	Oxides of sulfur	SW	Square wave
sPAES	Sulfonated poly(arylene ether sulfone)	SWCNH	Single-wall carbon nanohorn
SPE	Solid phase epitaxial	SWCNT	Single-walled carbon nanotube
SPEEK	Sulfonated poly(ether ether ketone)	SWNH	Single-walled nanohorn
SPEK	Sulfonated poly-etherketone-ketone	SWNT	Single-wall nanotube
SPEKK	Sulfonated polyether(ether ketone ketone)	SwRI [®]	Southwest Research Institute [®]
SPEX	Type of milling machine	S _y	Yield strength
SPM	Scanning probe microscope	SUV	Sport utility vehicle
sPOSS	Sulfonated octaphenyl polyhedral oligomeric silsesquioxanes	SYT	Yttrium-doped strontium titanate
S-PPSU	Sulfonated polyphenylsulfone	T	Temperature
SPS	Spark plasma sintering	T, t	Ton, tonne
sq. in.	Square inch(es)	T	Tesla (unit of magnetic induction)
Sr	Strontium	t	Time
SR	Steam reformer; Steam reforming; Salinity ratio; Stoichiometric ratio	T _{1bar}	Temperature at which equilibrium pressure of hydrogen is 1 bar for a hydrogen exchange reaction
SRNL	Savannah River National Laboratory	Ta	Tantalum
SrO	Strontium oxide	TA	Terephthalic acid
SRR	Solar receiver-reactor	TAG	Technical Advisory Group
SrTiO ₃	Strontium titanate	TAMU	Texas A&M University
SS	Stainless steel	TaON	Tantalum oxynitride
SSA	Specific surface area	TaPO	Tantalum phosphate
SSAWG	Storage System Analysis Working Group	TBAB	Tetra-n-butylammonium bromide

TBA ₂ B ₁₂ H ₁₂	Tetra- <i>n</i> -butylammonium dodecahydrododecaborate	TGA	Thermal gravimetric analysis; Thermogravimetric analysis; Thermogravimetric analyzer
TBABh	Tetra- <i>n</i> -butylammonium borohydride	TGA-DSC	Thermo-gravimetric analysis-differential scanning calorimetry
TBA-PF ₆	Tetra- <i>n</i> -butylammonium hexafluorophosphate	TGA-MS	Thermogravimetric analysis-mass spectrometer
TBD	To be determined	TG-DTA	Thermo-gravimetric/differential thermal analyzer
TBMD	Tight-binding molecular dynamic	THF	Tetrahydrofuran
TC	Templated carbon; Thermocouple	Ti	Titanium
TCCR	Transparent, conducting and corrosion resistant	TiCl ₃	Titanium trichloride
TCD	Thermal conductivity detector	TiF ₃	Titanium trifluoride
TCNE	Tetracyanoethylene	TiH ₂	Titanium hydride
TCO	Transparent conductive oxide; Total cost of ownership	Ti-IRMOF-16	Titanium (Ti) intercalated IRMOF-16
TDDFT	Time-dependent density functional theory	TiO ₂	Titanium dioxide (anatase)
TDLAS	Tunable diode laser absorption spectroscopy	Tip	2,4,6-triisopropylphenyl
TDPAT	2,4,6-tris(3,5-dicarboxylphenylamino)-1,3,5-triazine	TIVM	Toroidal intersecting vane machine
TDS	Transitional demand scenario	TKK	Tanaka Kikinzoku Kogyo K. K.
Te	Tellurium	TLA, <i>Tla</i>	Truncated light-harvesting chlorophyll antenna
te	Metric ton or tonne (1,000 kg)	<i>tla1</i>	Mutant of the <i>Tla1</i> gene (GenBank Assession No. AF534570)
TEA	Triethylamine	<i>tlaR</i>	Mutant of unknown gene with a truncated light-harvesting chlorophyll antenna
TEA ₂ B ₁₂ H ₁₂	Triethylammonium dodecahydrododecaborate	<i>tlaX</i>	Mutant of unknown gene with a truncated light-harvesting chlorophyll antenna
TEAA	Triethylamine alane adduct	TLCP	Thermotropic liquid crystal polymer
TEAB	Tetraethyl ammonium borohydride	TM	Tetramethyl bisphenol A; Transition metal
TEAH	Tetraethylammonium hydroxide	TMA	Trimethylamine; Trimethylaluminum; Thermal mechanical analyzer
TEAMS	tetraethylammonium methane sulfonic	TMAA	Trimethylamine alane adduct
TED	Triethylene-diamine	TMAB	Tetramethylammonium borohydride
TEDA	Triethylenediamine	TMAH	Tetramethylammonium hydroxide
TEM	Transmission electron microscopy	TMB	Trimethylborate
TEOA	Triethanolamine	TMEDA	Tetramethylethane-1,2-diamine; <i>N</i> ¹ , <i>N</i> ¹ , <i>N</i> ² , <i>N</i> ² -tetramethylethane-1,2-diamine
TEOM	Tapered element oscillating microbalance	TMG	Tetramethyl guanidine
TEOS	Tetra-ethoxy silane	TM-N-C	Transition metal-doped nitrogen-carbon
tf	Thin film	TMOS	Tetramethoxy silane
Tf	Trifluoromethane sulfonate, or triflate anion (CF ₃ SO ₃ ⁻)	TMPP	Tetramethoxyphenyl porphyrins
TFA	Trifluoromethanesulfonic acid	TMPS	Trimethoxyl phenyl silane
TFAc	Trifluoroacetate	TMPyP	Tetramethylpyridylporphine
TFE	Tetrafluoroethylene	TNA	Titania nanotube array
TFMPA	Trifluoromethylphosphonic acid	TNT	Trinitrotoluene
TFMSA	Trifluoromethane sulfonic acid	TN-T	TiO ₂ nanotubes
TF-RDE	Thin film rotating disk electrode	TOC	Total organic content
tf-Si	Thin-film silicon		
TFSI	bis(Trifluoromethylsulfonyl)imide		
TFVE	Trifluorovinyl ether		
T _g , T _g	Glass transition temperature		
TG	Thermogravimetric; Theory Group		

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TOF	Turnover frequency	UL	Underwriters Laboratory
ToF-SIMS	Time-of-flight secondary ion spectroscopy	ULAM	Ultra-low-angle microtomy
TPA	Tripropylamine; Temperature-programmed adsorption	ULSD	Ultra-low sulfur diesel
TPAH	Tetra-n-propylammonium hydroxide	UM	University of Michigan
TPB	Triple phase boundary	UMC	Unsaturated metal centers
TPD	Tonne(s) per day; tons/day	UMC	Ultramicroporous carbon
TPD	Thermally programmed desorption; Temperature-programmed desorption	UMCP	University of Maryland, College Park
TPDMS	Temperature-programmed desorption mass spectrometry	UMSL	University of Missouri, St. Louis
TPO	Temperature-programmed oxidation	UN	United Nations
TPP	Tetraphenyl porphyrin	UNB	University of New Brunswick
TPPS	5,10,15,20-tetrakis(4-sulfonatophenyl) porphyrin	UNCC	University of North Carolina at Charlotte
TPR	Temperature-programmed reduction	UNECE	United Nations Economic Commission for Europe
TPRD	Thermally-activated pressure relief device	UNLV	University of Nevada, Las Vegas
TPS	3-(trihydroxysilyl)-1-propane-sulfonic acid	UNLVRF	UNLV Research Foundation
TPV	Through-plate voltage	UNM	University of New Mexico
TRA	Technology Readiness Assessment	UNR	University of Nevada, Reno
TRAIN	TrainingFinder Realtime Affiliate Network	UPD	Underpotential deposition
Tri-Gen	Tri-generation	UP-DW	Ultra-pure distilled water
TRL	Technology readiness level	UPE	Ultra-high molecular weight polyethylene
TRO	$\text{RuO}_2\text{-TiO}_2$	UPL	Upper potential limit
Trityl	Chemical blocking group used to protect amines	UPS	Ultraviolet photoelectron spectroscopy
tr. oz.	Troy ounce	U.S.	United States
TRU	Transport refrigeration units	US06	Environmental Protection Agency vehicle driving cycle
TSWS	Temperature-swing water splitting	USA	United States of America
TVS	Twin Vortices Series	USANS	Ultra-small angle neutron scattering
TW	Triangel wave	USAXS	Ultra-small angle X-ray scattering
UC	University of California	USB	Universal serial bus
UCB	University of California, Berkeley	USC	University of South Carolina; University of Southern California
UCF	University of Central Florida	USCAR	United States Council for Automotive Research, U.S. Cooperative Automotive Research
UCI	University of California, Irvine	USCG	United States Coast Guard
UCLA	University of California, Los Angeles	U.S. DRIVE	United States Driving Research and Innovation for Vehicle efficiency and Energy sustainability
UCONN	University of Connecticut	USFCC	United States Fuel Cell Council
UCSB	University of California, Santa Barbara	USM	University of Southern Mississippi
UDDS	Urban Dynamometer Driving Schedule	USTAG	U.S. Technical Advisory Group
UEL	Upper explosive limit	UT	University of Toledo; University of Tennessee
UFL	Upper flammability limit	UTC, UTC FC	United Technologies Corporation Fuel Cells
UGA	University of Georgia, Athens	UTC	University of Tennessee, Chattanooga
UH	University of Hawaii	UTCP	UTC Power
UHP	Ultra-high purity	UTRC	United Technologies Research Center
UHV	Ultra-high vacuum		
UIUC	University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign		

UTS	Ultimate tensile strength	WAXD	Wide-angle X-ray diffraction
UV	Ultraviolet	WAXS	Wide angle X-ray scattering
UVL	Upper voltage limit	WBS	Work breakdown schedule
UV-vis	Ultraviolet-visual	WC	Tungsten carbon; Tungsten carbide
UW	University of Washington	W/cm ²	Watt(s) per square centimeter
V	Vanadium; Volt	WDD	Water displacement desorption
VA	Vinyl acetate	We, W _e	Watt(s) electric
VAC	Volts alternating current	WG	Working group
VACNTs	Vertically aligned carbon nanotubes	WG-12	Working Group 12
VANTA	Vertically aligned nanotube arrays	WGS	Water-gas shift
VASP	Vienna ab initio simulation package	WGSMR	Water-gas shift membrane reactor
VaTech	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University	WGSR	Water-gas shift reactor
VB	Valence band	Wh	Watt-hour(s)
VBM	Valence band minimum, Valence band maximum	W(H ₂)	Gravimetric hydrogen storage capacity
VC	Vanadium carbide; Vulcan carbon; Volumetric capacity	W-h/kg	Watt-hour(s) per kilogram
VDC	Volts direct current	W-h/L, Wh/liter, Wh/L	Watt-hour(s) per liter
VDF	Vinylidene fluoride	WHSV	Weight hourly space velocity
VDOS	Vibrational density of states	Wind2H2	Wind to hydrogen demonstration project
vdW	van der Waals	W/kg	Watt(s) per kilogram
vdW-DF	van der Waals density function	W/L, W/l	Watt(s) per liter
VFA	Volatile fatty acid	W/m-K, W/m.K, W/mK	Watt(s) per meter-Kelvin (unit of thermal conductivity)
VFS	Vehicle fueling station	WMO	World Meteorological Organization
V(H ₂)	Volumetric hydrogen adsorption capacity; Volumetric hydrogen storage capacity	WO ₃	Tungsten trioxide
VHSV	Volumetric hourly space velocity	WO _x	Tungsten oxide
VHTR	Very high temperature gas-cooled nuclear reactor	WP.29	Working Party 29 - World Forum for Harmonization of Vehicle Regulations
VHTS	Virtual high-throughput screening	Wppm	Weight part(s) per million
VI	Venter Institute	WS	Water splitting
V-I, V/I	Voltage-current	WSTF	White Sands Test Facility
VIM/VAR	Vacuum induction melting/vacuum arc remelting	wt	Weight
VIR	Voltage-current-resistance	Wt	Watt(s) thermal
VIS	Visible light at 400-700 nm	wt%, wt.%	Weight percent (percent by weight)
V _{mp}	Micropore volume	WT	Wild type
VMT	Vehicle miles traveled	WTP	Well to pump; Water transport plate
VOC	Volatile organic compound, Voltage open circuit	WTPP	Well-to-power plant
Vol., vol.	Volume	WTT	Well-to-tank
vol%	Volume percent	WTW	Well-to-wheels
V _{pore}	Total pore volume	w/v	Weight by volume
VT	Virginia Tech	WWTP	Waste water treatment plant
W	Tungsten; Watt(s)	X-	an anionic ligand such as chloride
		XAFS	X-ray absorption fine structure
		XANES	X-ray absorption near-edge spectroscopy
		XAS	X-ray absorption spectroscopy

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XC72	High-surface-area carbon support made by Cabot	Z	Atomic number
XES	X-ray emission spectroscopy	ZEBA	Zero Emission Bay Area
X _{O2}	Oxygen mole fraction	ZEV	Zero emission vehicle
XPS	X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy, X-ray photon spectroscopy, X-ray photoemission spectroscopy, X-ray photoluminescence spectroscopy	ZHS	Zinc hydroxystannate
XPS-UPS	X-ray photoelectron-ultraviolet photoelectron spectroscopy	ZIF	Zeolitic imidazolate framework
XRD	X-ray diffraction	ZIO	Zirconium-doped indium oxide
XRF	X-ray fluorescence	ZMOF	Zeolite(-type) metal-organic framework
XRT	X-ray tomography	Zn	Zinc
Y	Yttrium	ZnO	Zinc oxide
YB	Young Brothers, Ltd.	ZPE	Zero point energy
yr, YR	Year	zpp	Zirconium phenyl phosphonate
YSZ	Ytria-stablized zirconia	Zr	Zirconium
		ZrO ₂	Zirconium dioxide
		ZrSPP	Zirconium phosphate sulfophenylphosphonate
		ZVI	Zerovalent iron