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#### Make the flow battery structure





#### **Overview**

How do we design a flow field for flow-through aqueous organic redox flow batteries?

We design a flow field for flow-through type aqueous organic redox flow batteries (AORFBs) by placing multistep distributive flow channels at the inlet and point-contact blocks at the outlet, to achieve a uniform and adequate electrolyte supply at the electrode.

How do flow batteries work?

Two different configurations have been studied for these flow batteries. The first example is a photochemical cell and a RFB that are physically connected by an external electrolyte circuit 21, 22. In this case, the photocharged redoxactive materials are moved into the RFB for electrochemical discharge.

How to model a flow battery?

It is worth noting that the channel depth and electrode thickness are taken into account to calculate the velocity magnitude and maintain the mass conservation at the boundary of two regions . Another modeling strategy for flow batteries is to simulate the segmented channels/electrodes with connected flow resistances.

What are the components of a flow battery?

Flow batteries comprise two components: Electrochemical cell Conversion between chemical and electrical energy External electrolyte storage tanks Energy storage Source: EPRI K. Webb ESE 471 5 Flow Battery Electrochemical Cell Electrochemical cell Two half-cellsseparated by a proton-exchange membrane(PEM).

Does flow field structure affect pressure drop of battery?

Besides, flow field structure also has a great influence in pressure drop of the battery. Better flow field not only can improve the mass transport in electrode



but also is able to decrease the pressure drop of RFB.

What is flow field design for redox flow battery (RFB)?

Prospects of flow field design for RFB have been exhibited. Flow field is an important component for redox flow battery (RFB), which plays a great role in electrolyte flow and species distribution in porous electrode to enhance the mass transport. Besides, flow field structure also has a great influence in pressure drop of the battery.



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