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The New Paradigm of High-Capacity
Batteries with Silicon

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THE **FUTURE** IS ELECTRIC



In the business of making
batteries run **longer**,
charge **faster**, and
cheaper with **Silicon**

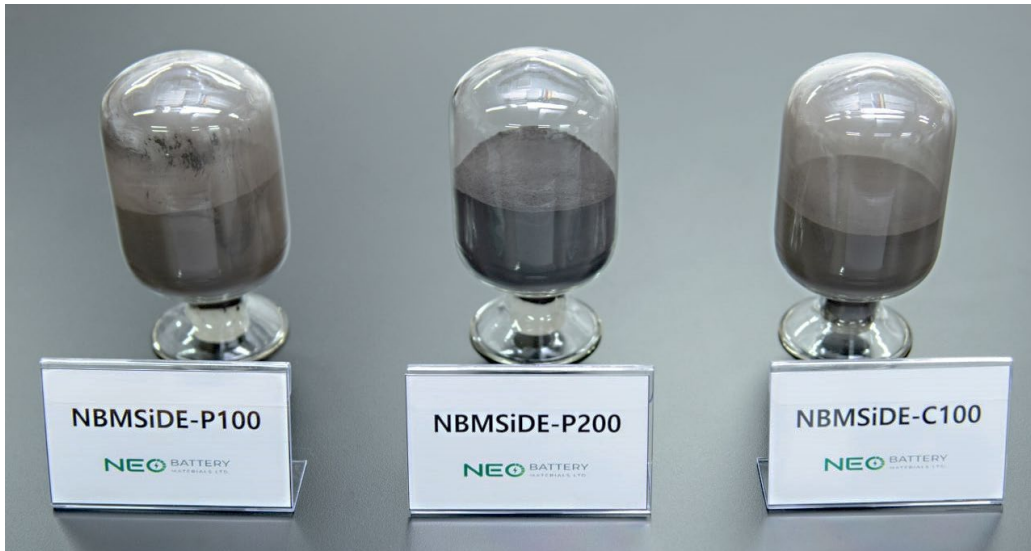
With the onset of electrification, global industries rely on innovations or a “**New Paradigm**” of high-performance battery materials to accelerate the rapid transition.

NEO Battery Materials’ Silicon Anode Technology aims to serve and transform EV, electronics, power tools, energy storage, eVTOL & aerospace systems – *Powering the future with unrivaled performance.*

Why Invest?

is the Forerunner for Cost-Effective, Long-Lasting Battery Technology

NBMSiDE® - Silicon Anode Material



- ❖ **Low-Cost Manufacturing** – Proprietary energy-efficient process enables Average Cost-Savings of >60%
- ❖ **Performance Innovation** – Industry-Leading battery capacity with high cycling stability capabilities
- ❖ **Strong Partnership Network** – Advanced agreements with Fortune 500, S&P 500, and Global-Tier battery value chain companies
- ❖ **Scalable, CAPEX-Efficient Process** – Ease to Scale-Up to commercial production based on automation and CAPEX-friendly equipment integration
- ❖ **Diverse Downstream Target Markets** – Planning aggregate capacity of 15,000 tons per year to become a Global Top 10 Supplier

Recent Key Developments

Milestones Achieved & Plans Executed for Silicon Anode Commercialization

Operations

- Established Advanced Agreements towards Commercialization
- Secured Prominent Battery Industry Engineers, Directors & Advisors

Technology

- Expanded Production Capacity to 4,000 KG/yr → Target: 20,000 KG/yr
- P-300N: Extended Battery Capacity & Stability with Low-Cost Modification

Oct. 2024
1st JDA with
Fortune 500
Company

FORTUNE
500



Nov. 2024
Strategic MOU
with Linde Korea
(NASDAQ: LIN)

Nov. 2024
Awarded as
Consortia in
\$20M Project



Ministry of Trade,
Industry and Energy

Dec. 2024
2nd JDA with
Specialty Battery
Cell Manufacturer

Jan. 2025
Windsor
Announcement
for Canada's
1st Silicon
Anode Plant



February. 2024
Collaboration
with Rockwell
Automation
(NYSE: ROK)

Leadership with Proven Track-Record

Highly Qualified Personnel from Battery Industry, Finance, Government & Academia



Spencer Huh

Director, President &
Chief Executive Officer



Seok Hyung Lee

Independent Director



Also From:



Dr. Dongmok Whang

Independent Director,
Lead Scientific Advisor



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Independent Director



Introduction: Lithium-Ion Batteries & Anodes

Problem with Lithium-Ion Batteries

1. Limited Capacity

“Range Anxiety”

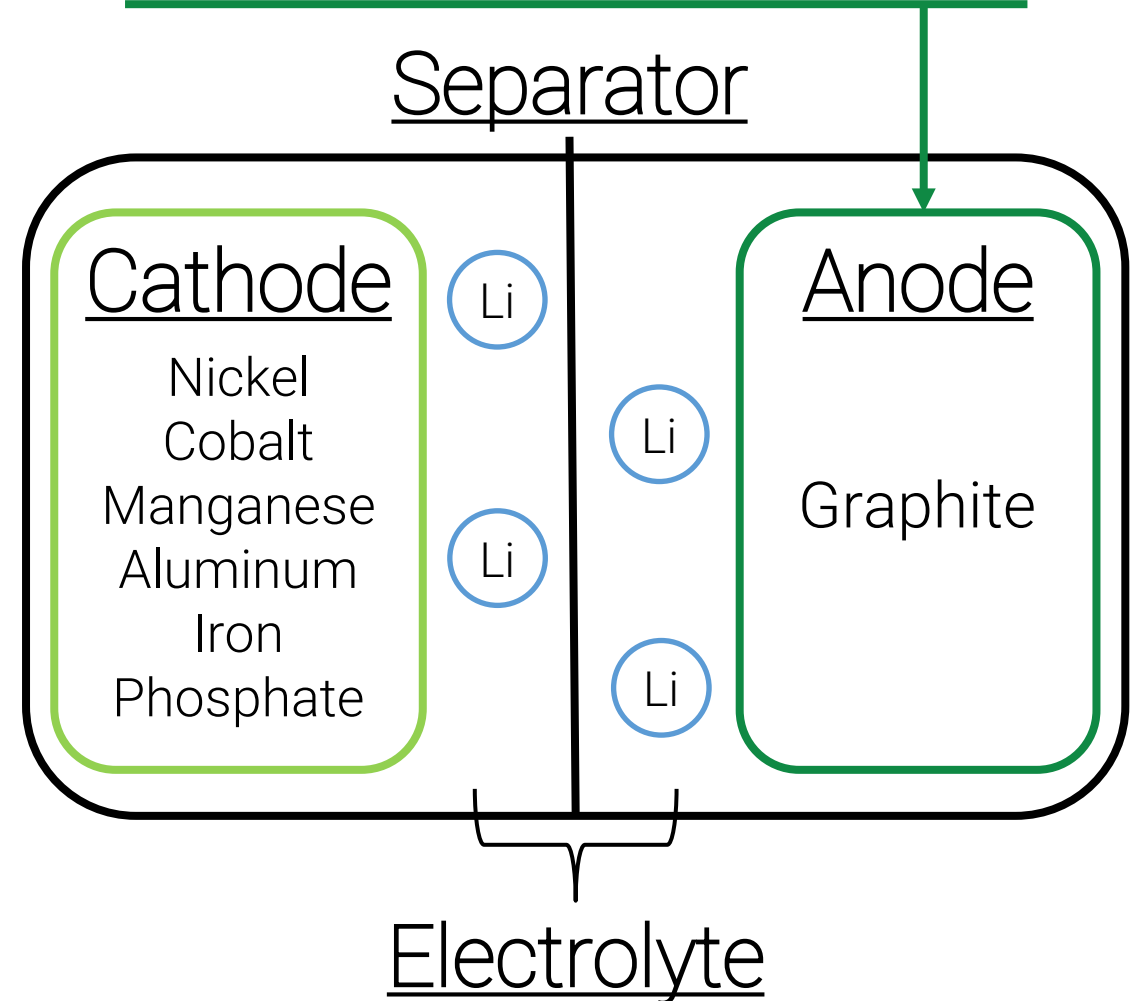
2. Slow Charging

Impatient with
Long Charging Times

3. High Cost

Need Competitive Prices

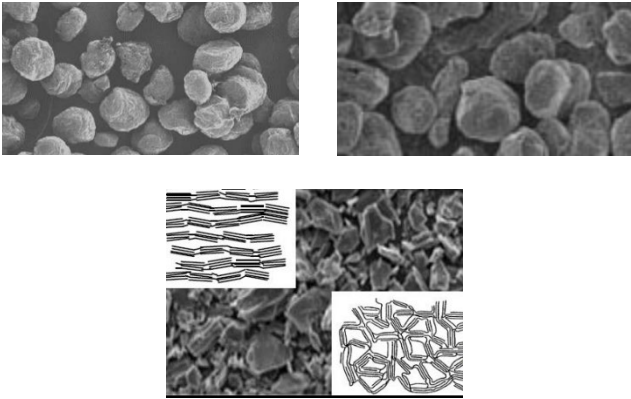
Problem: Graphite



Anode Material Technological Growth & Trend

Present

Graphite

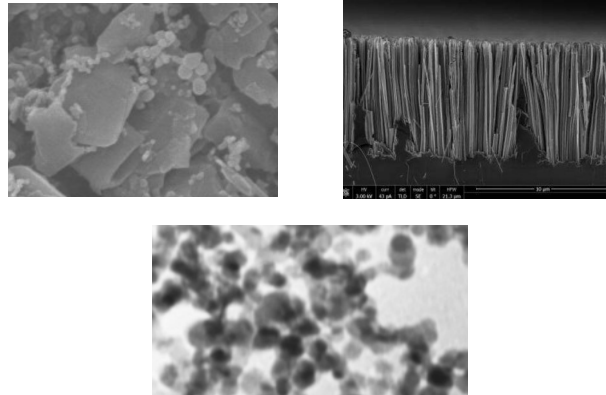


360 mAh/g

Reversible capacity

Present to Near Future

Graphite + Silicon

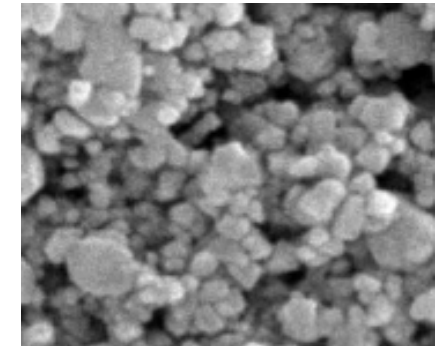


400 ~ 1,200 mAh/g

Si 5% ~ 50%

Future

Pure 100% Silicon



> 2,500 mAh/g

Solution: Integrate Silicon with Graphite

Solution: **Silicon**



Ultra-Fast Charging

9x

More Capacity



Cost Reduction

The Silicon Benefit

10%



30 - 60% Increase in Anode Capacity

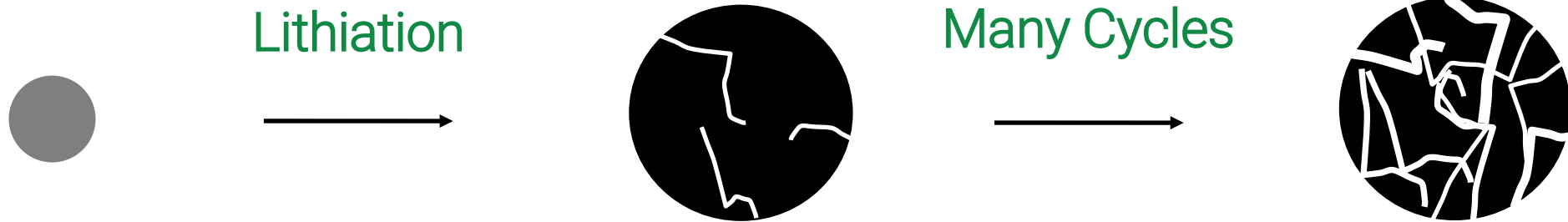
Silicon Added



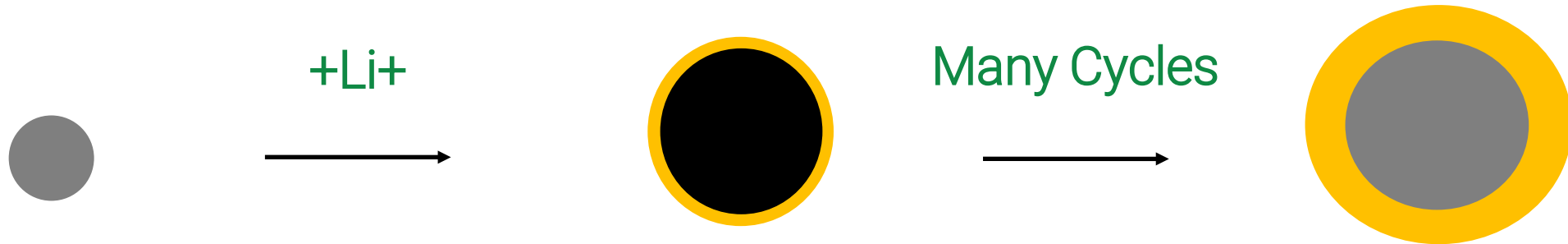
20 - 40% Decrease in Weight

Critical Problem of Silicon Anodes

Volume Expansion-Induced Pulverization



Unstable SEI Layer Growth



Delamination



Silicon Anode: Technology Options

Different Methodologies to Resolve Volume Expansion Problem

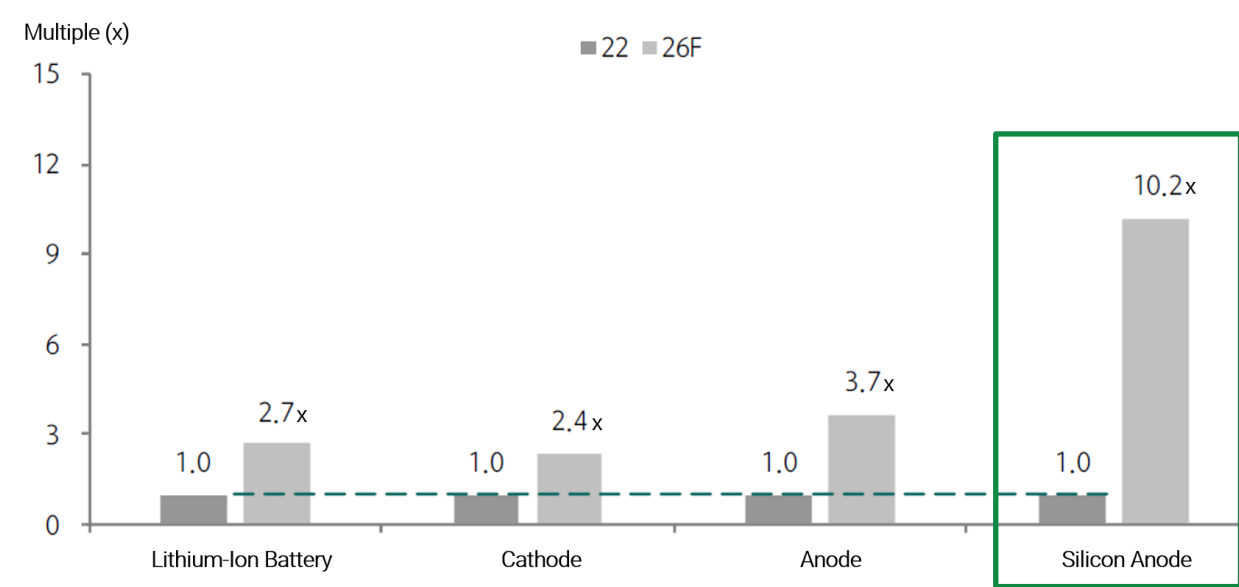
NBMSiDE®

Performance Levels	Silicon Carbide	Silicon/Carbon Composite	Silicon Oxide (SiOx)	Silicon Nanoparticles	Polymer-Coated Si Nanoparticles	Composite-Nanocoated Metal Silicon
	Silicon : < 1 nm Supporting Matrix : Silicon Carbide/Carbon	Silicon : ~ 10 nm Supporting Matrix : Carbon	Silicon : ~ 5 nm Supporting Matrix : Silicon Oxide(SiOx)	Silicon : ~ 50 nm	Silicon : 30-50 nm Polymer Coating : Nano Scale	Silicon : 200 nm Composite Nano-Coating
Process Method	Chemical Vapor Deposition	Mechanical Pulverization & Vacuum	Thermal Plasma Deposition	Laser Synthesis	Emulsion Solution Process	Mechanical Polishing with Solution Process
Capacity	Mid 1330 mAh/g	Mid 1450 mAh/g	Mid 1330 mAh/g	High 3300 mAh/g	High 2600 mAh/g	High ~2000 mAh/g
ICE	High 91.8 %	Mid 84.0 %	Mid 84.2 %	Low 77.0 %	Mid 86.0 %	Mid > 85.0 %
Cycle Life / Volume Expansion	High	Low	Low	Mid	High	High
Features	- Ease of Control in Silicon Particle Size - Uniform Silicon Dispersion - Dry Process	- Difficult to Control Silicon Particle Size - Non-Uniform Silicon Distribution - Complex Wet Process	- Low Electrical Conductivity - Expensive Manufacturing Process	- Low Process Ease - Poor Dispersion of Silicon Particles - Expensive Manufacturing Process - Relatively Large Particle Size	- Uniform Silicon Dispersion - Complex Wet Process - Inexpensive Manufacturing Process (No High Temperature, Pressure, or Vacuum)	- Simple Wet Process (Grinding & Coating) - Inexpensive Manufacturing Process (No High Temperature, Pressure, or Vacuum) - Difficult for Uniform Coating
Cost Effectiveness	Low	Low	Mid	Low	Low	High

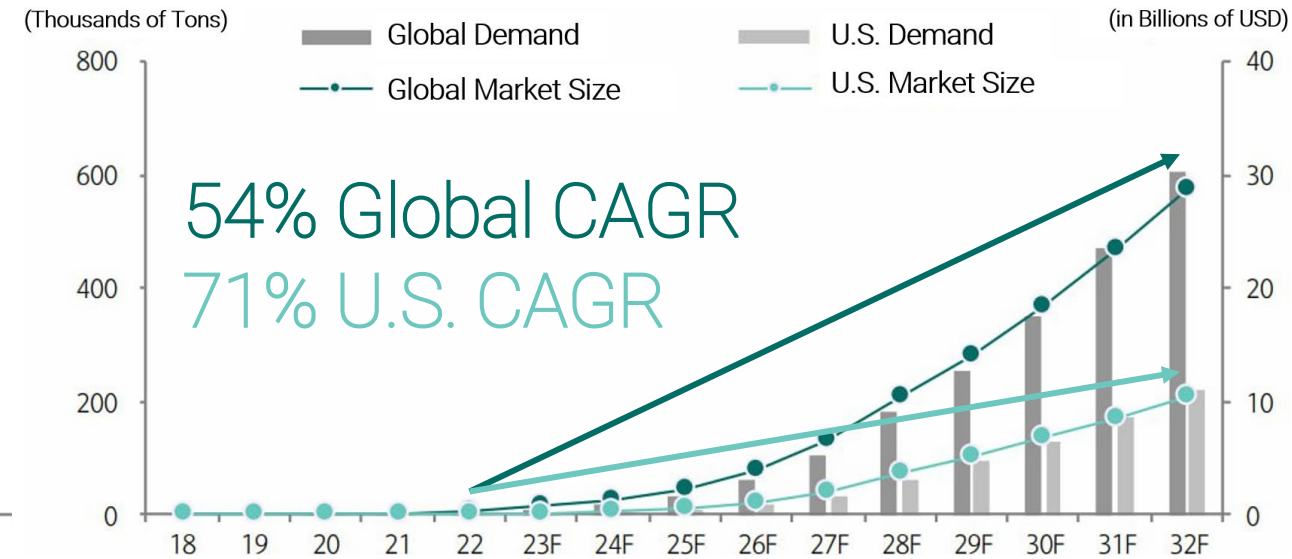
Silicon Anode Market

The Only Short & Mid-Term Solution to Boost Battery Capacity

Market Size Growth per Value Chain Component



Global/U.S. Silicon Anode Market Size & Demand Forecast



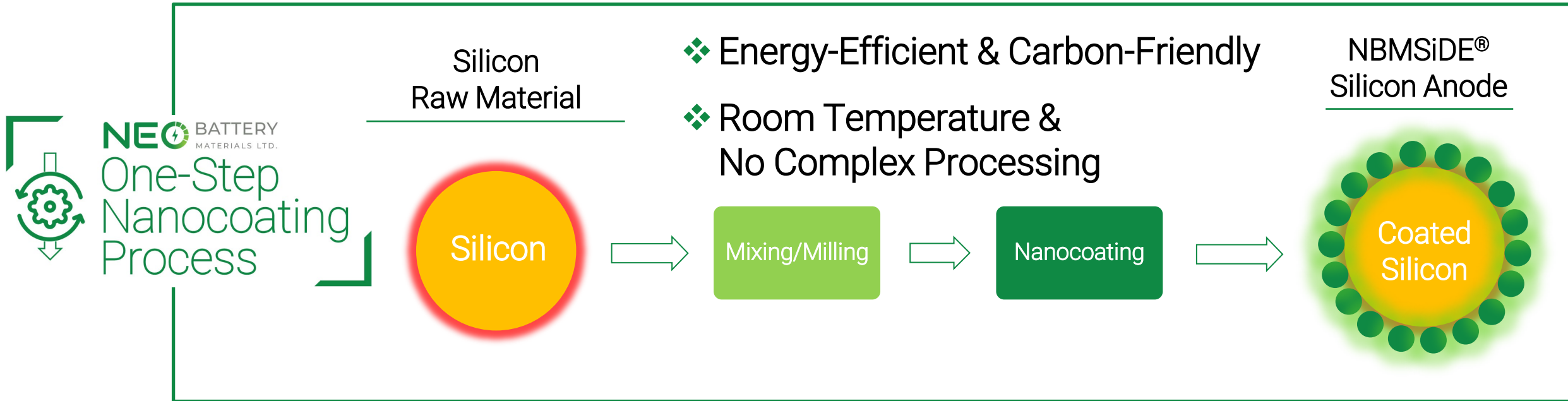
Implementation Issues

1. Volume Expansion
2. Expensive Manufacturing
3. High-Cost Inputs

NBMSiDE® - NBM Technology Advantage

NBMSiDE®: Manufacturing Advantage

>60% Cost Reduction through NEO's Transformative Material & Process



11 IPs

Issued & Pending for
Process & Materials

40 to >70%

More Capacity
vs. Competitors

Low

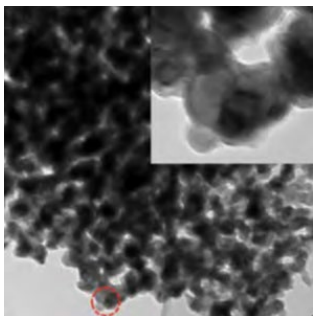
Cost
Raw Materials

NBMSiDE Characteristics – In Comparison

	NBMSiDE®	SiO _x	Si-C
Raw Materials	Metallurgical Grade Silicon General Polymers General Solvents	Silicon Oxide Silicon (Nano) High-Purity Metal Catalysts	Silane (Gas) Porous Carbons *Carbon Composite
Process-to-Product	Pulverization (25 °C, 1 atm) Polymer Coating (25 °C, 1 atm)	Vaporization / Catalytic Vacuum Deposition (1,500 °C, 0 atm) Chemical Deposition (Carbon Coating) (> 900 °C)	Pyrolysis (Carbon Scaffold) (> 1,000 °C) Thermal Deposition on Substrate (~900 °C, 0 atm)
Characteristics	- Low Raw Material Price - Mass-Producible - STP Synthesis Process - High Capacity	- High Temperature - Expensive Raw Materials - High Cycle Stability	- Complicated Process - More Expensive Raw Materials - High Cycle Stability
Price Range	>60% Reduction/kg	60 to >100 \$/kg	

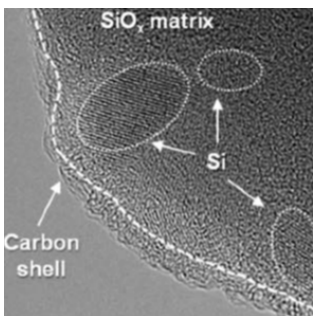
Silicon Anode: Cost Comparison

Estimated Competitor Price & Capacity



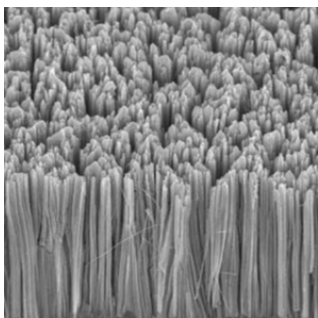
Silicon Carbon (Si-C)

>80 USD/kg
~1,450 mAh/g



Silicon Oxide (SiOx)

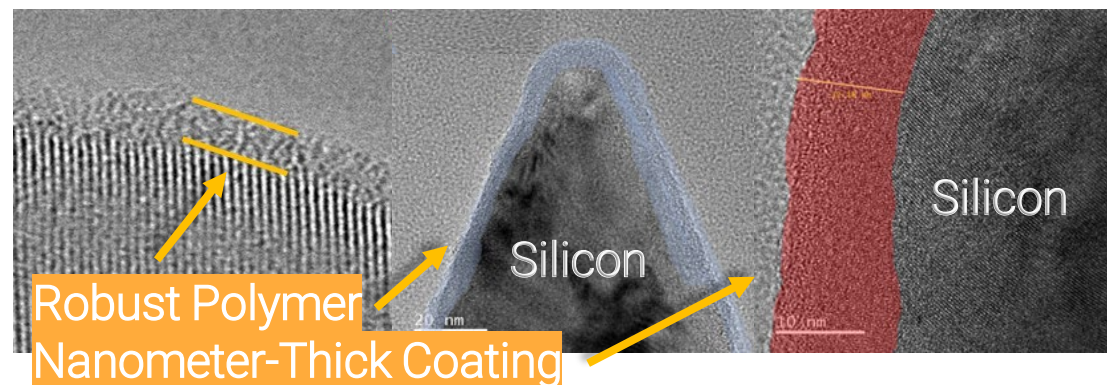
>60 USD/kg
~1,300 mAh/g



Silicon Nanowire (SiNW)

>100 USD/kg
~1,800 mAh/g

NBMSiDE® Price & Capacity



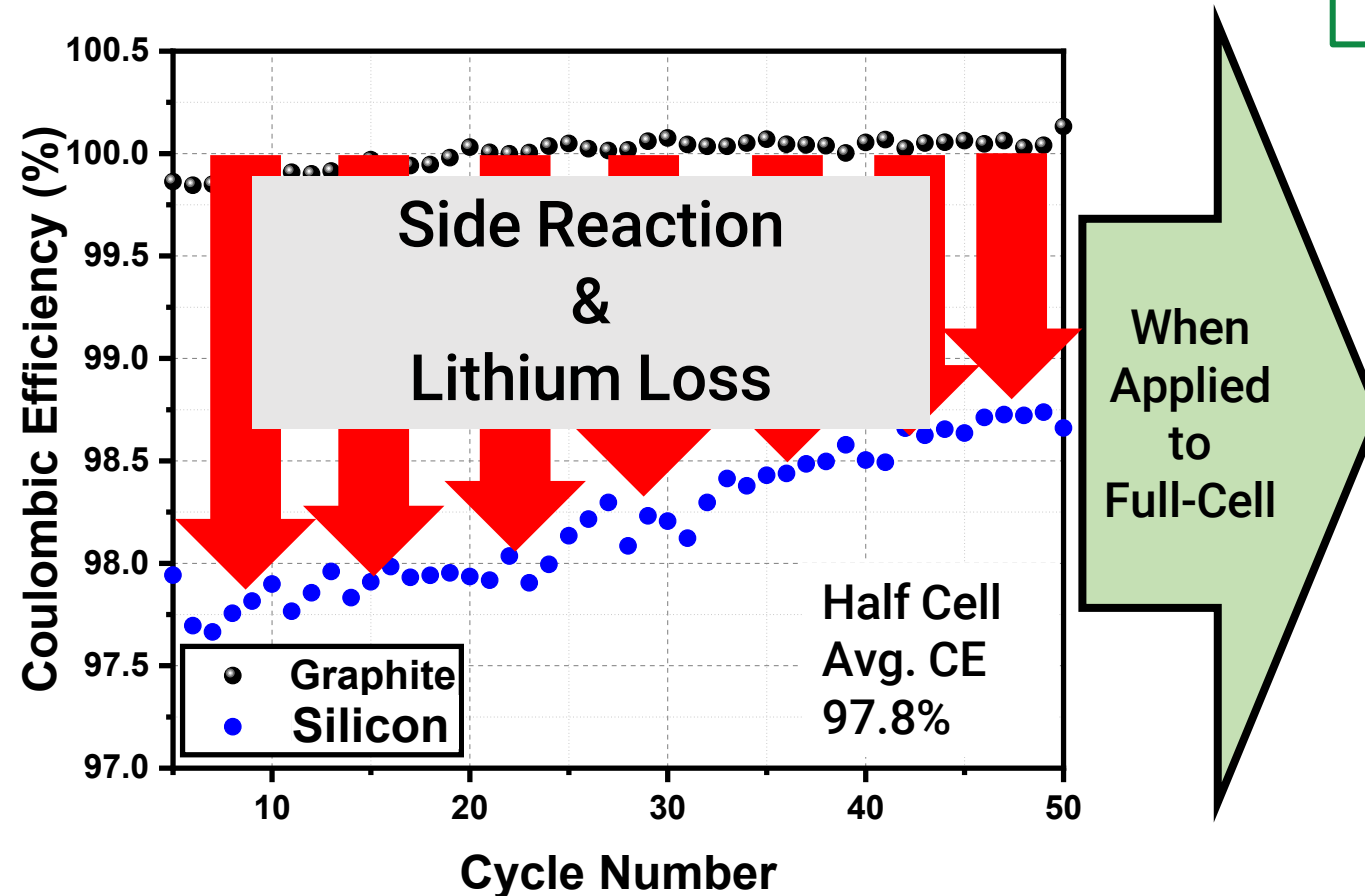
Composite-Nanocoated Silicon

>60% Cost Reduction
~2,000 mAh/g

Critical Threshold for Commercialization: How Much Lithium Ions Kept Alive During Charge/Discharge

The Gate to Full Cell Operation

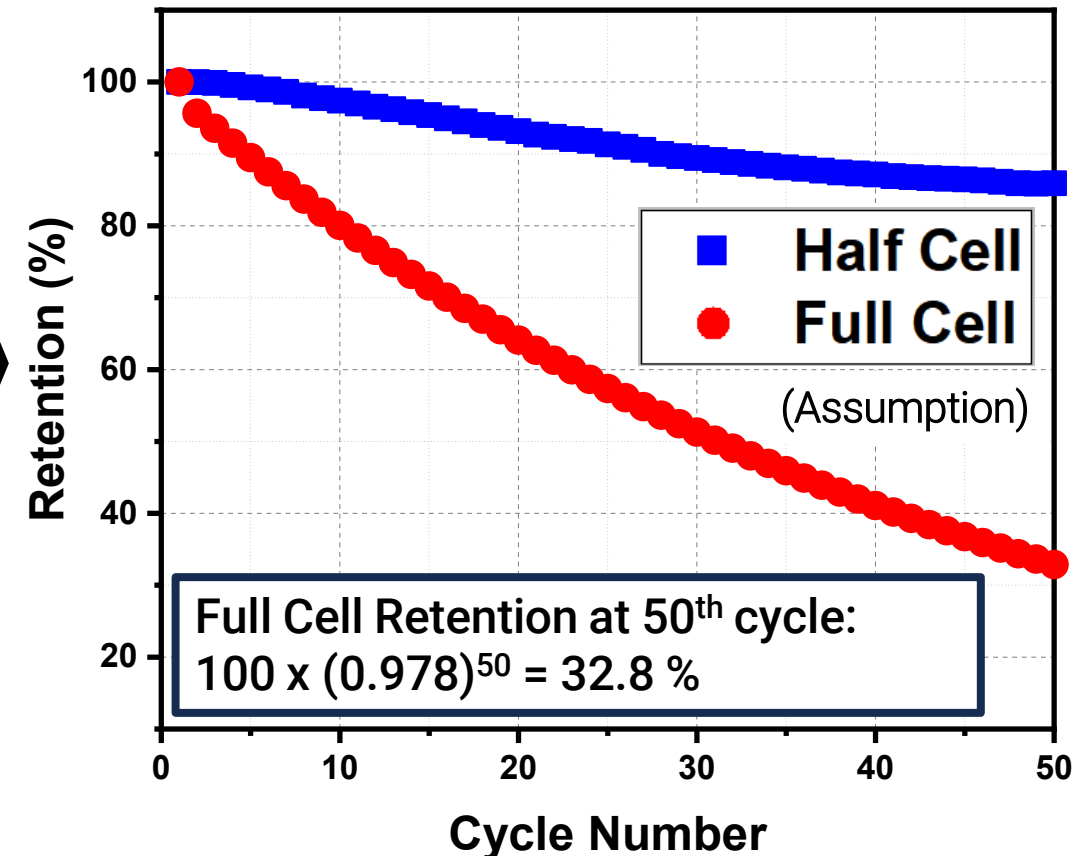
- Representative Characteristic for Li-ion Loss per Cycle
- Critical for Full Cell Operation – Under Limited Amount of Li-ions



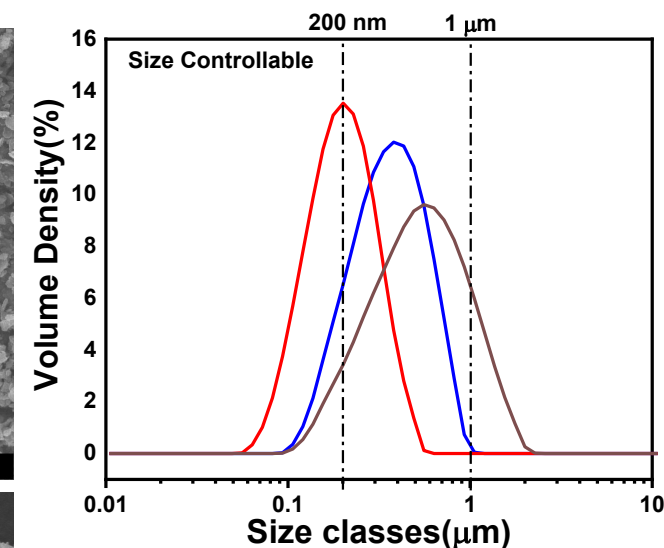
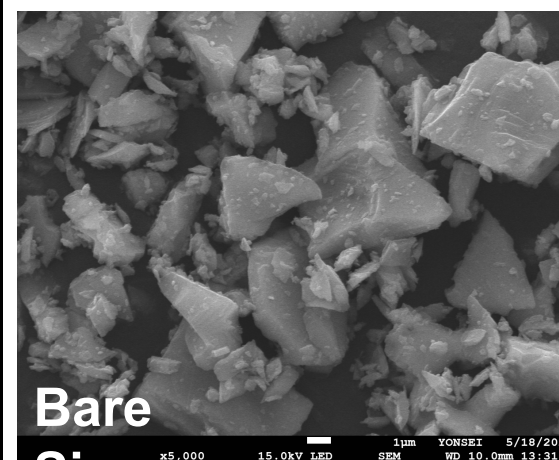
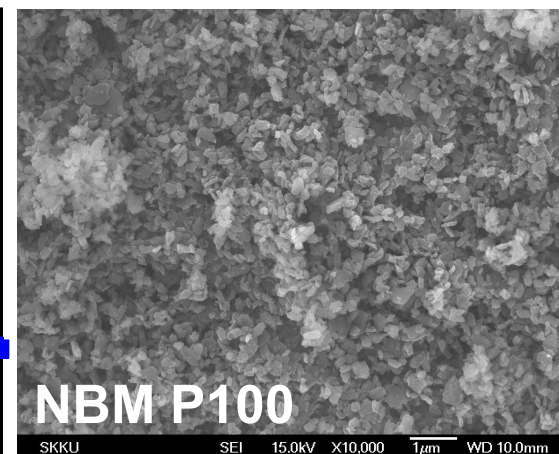
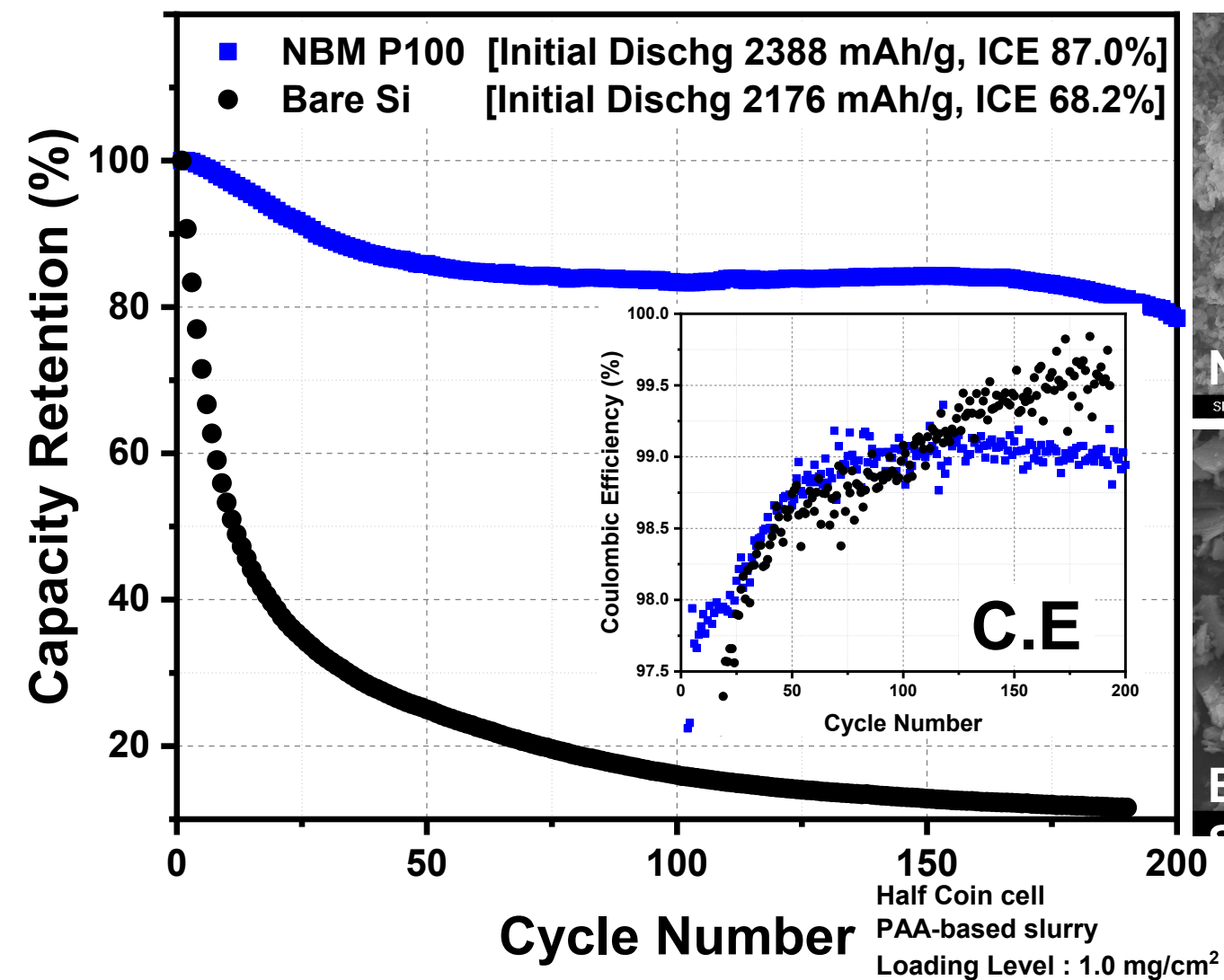
When Cathode Capacity = 100 mAh/g, CE=100%,
Full Cell Capacity at Nth Cycle = $100 \times (\text{Anode CE})^N$ (mAh/g)

Ex1) Anode CE 99.0% → Cell capacity 60 mAh/g at 50th cycle

Ex2) Anode CE 98.0% → Cell capacity 36 mAh/g at 50th cycle



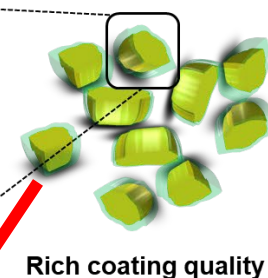
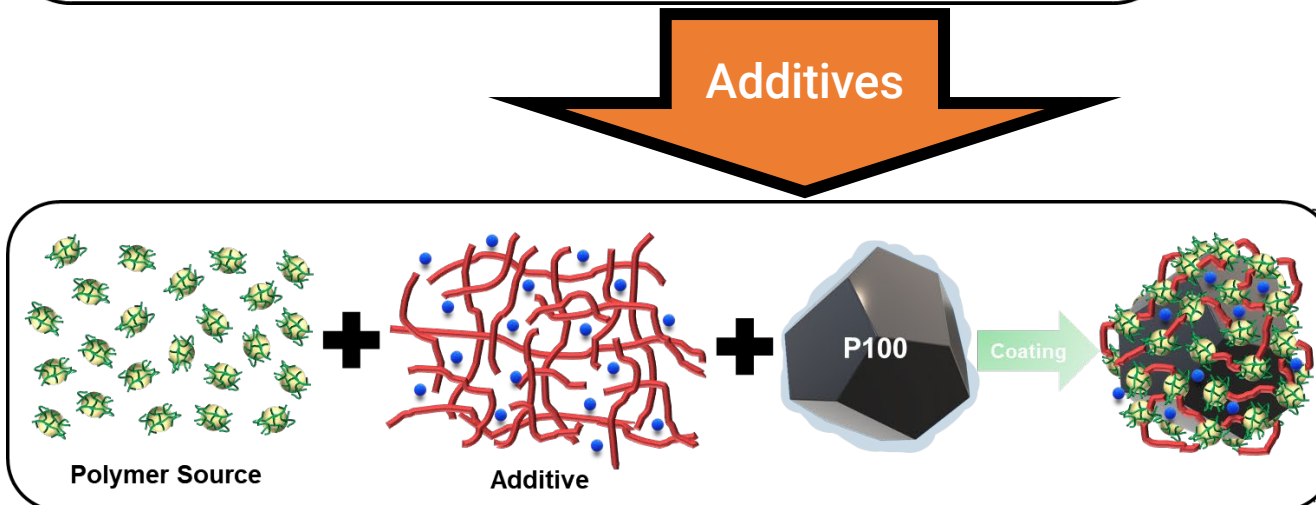
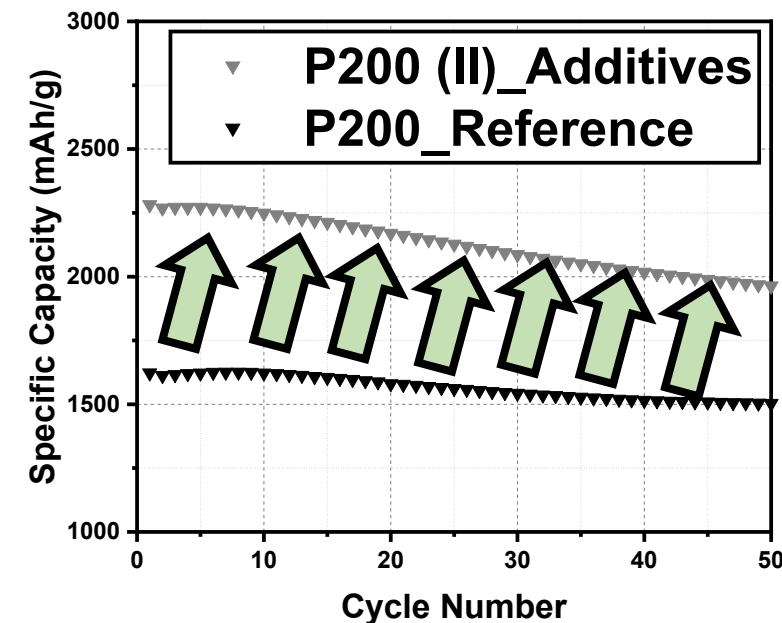
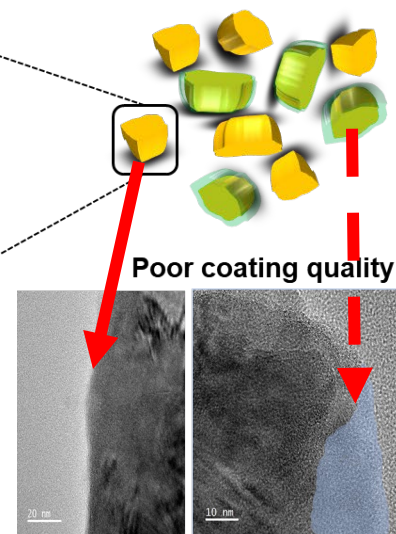
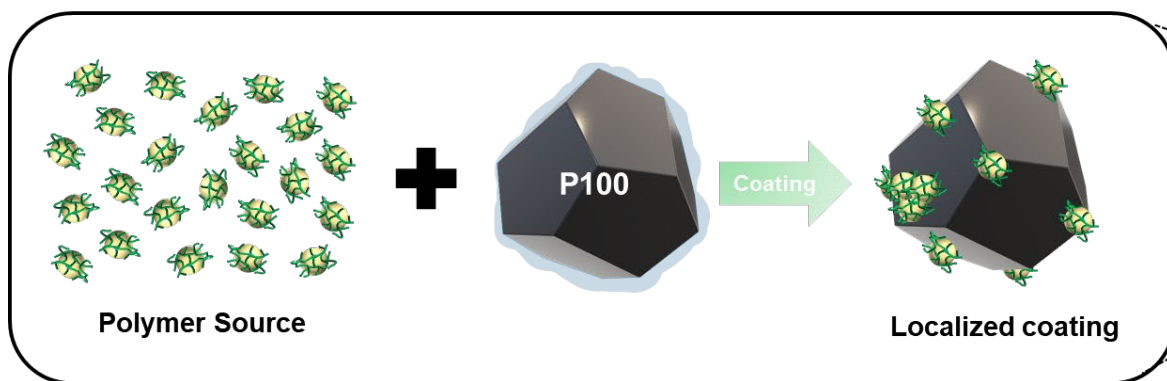
P100: Well-Controlled Precursor for Coating



- High Producibility
- Size Control through:
 - Precise Pulverization
 - Size Classification
- Compatible with Polymers
- Thin Oxide Layer Protection

Concept Schematic Design with Surface Polarity Control

Enhancement on Polarity of Surface / Increased Adhesion on Silicon-Polymer Interface

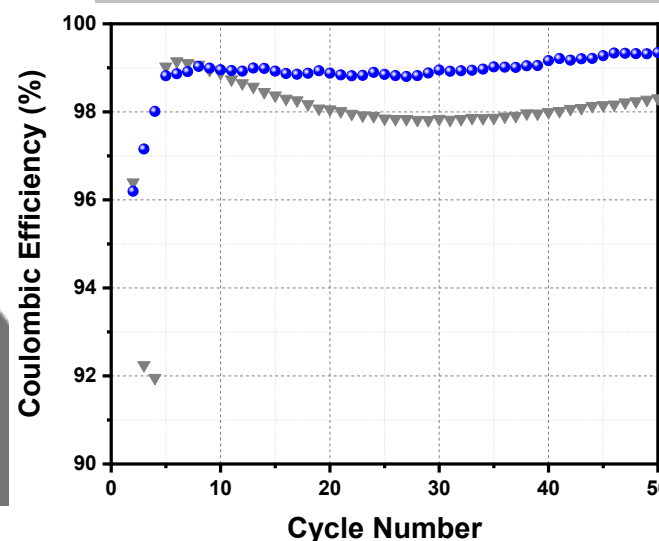
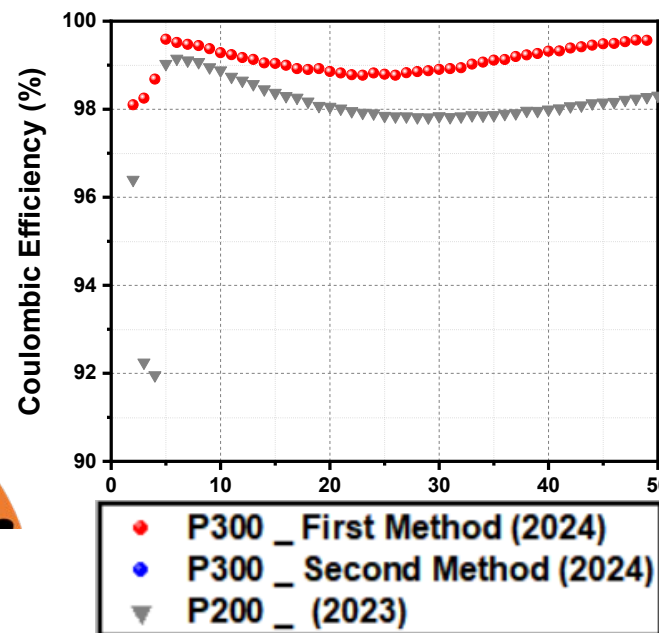
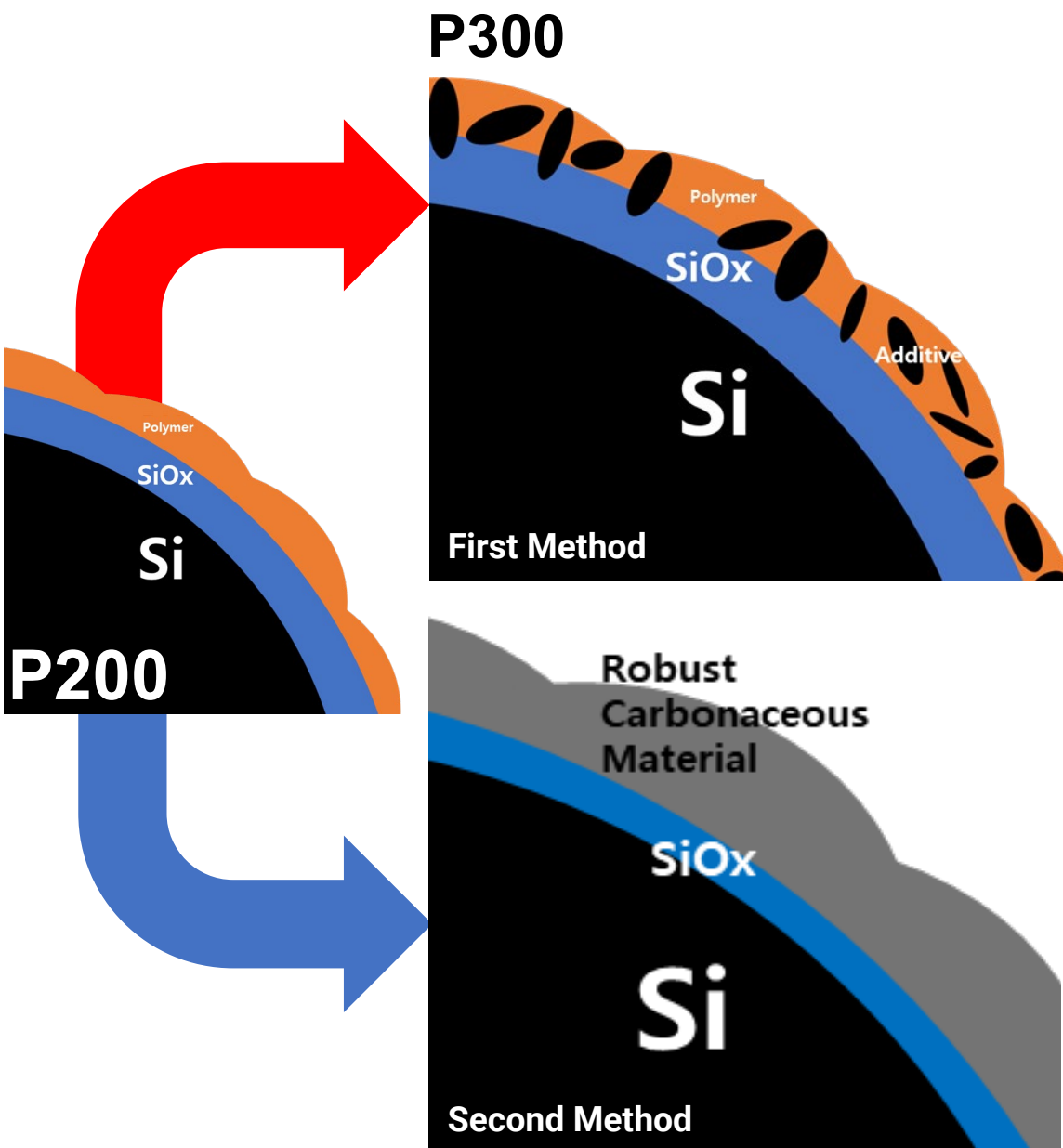


 Polymer  Additive 1  Additive 2

❖ Uniform & Thin Coatings

- Coating Uniformity Enhanced
- Dead-Weight Reduced
- Si Raw Surface Exposure Mitigated

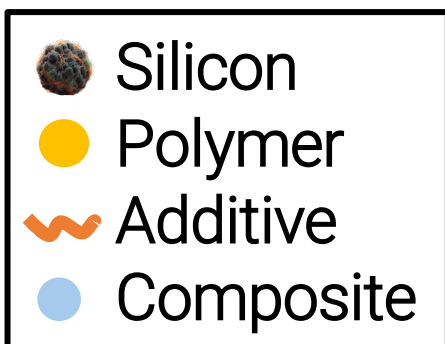
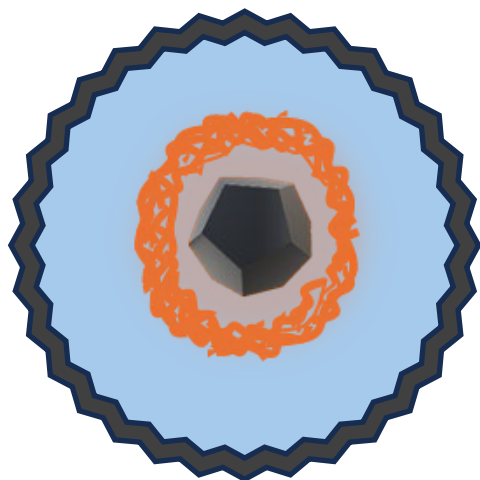
P300 (2024): Two-Way Coating Method



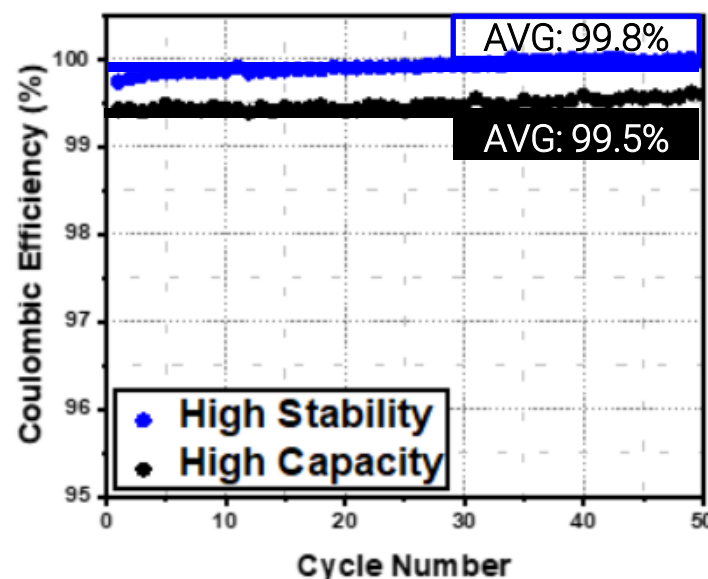
- High Capacity ($\sim 2,800\text{mAh/g}$)
- High Cycling CE ($\sim 99.5\%$)
- High ICE ($>88.0\%$)
- **Polymeric Layer Protection**

- Stable Cycling CE
- Ease to Engineer the Surface
- **Shell Layer Protection**

P300N



- Strengthened Composite Layer Coating Network
 - Additives: Enhancing Conductivity, Supporting Polymer Matrix
- Simple, Feasible & Cost-Effective Process
- Ease-to-Scale-Up For Mass Production



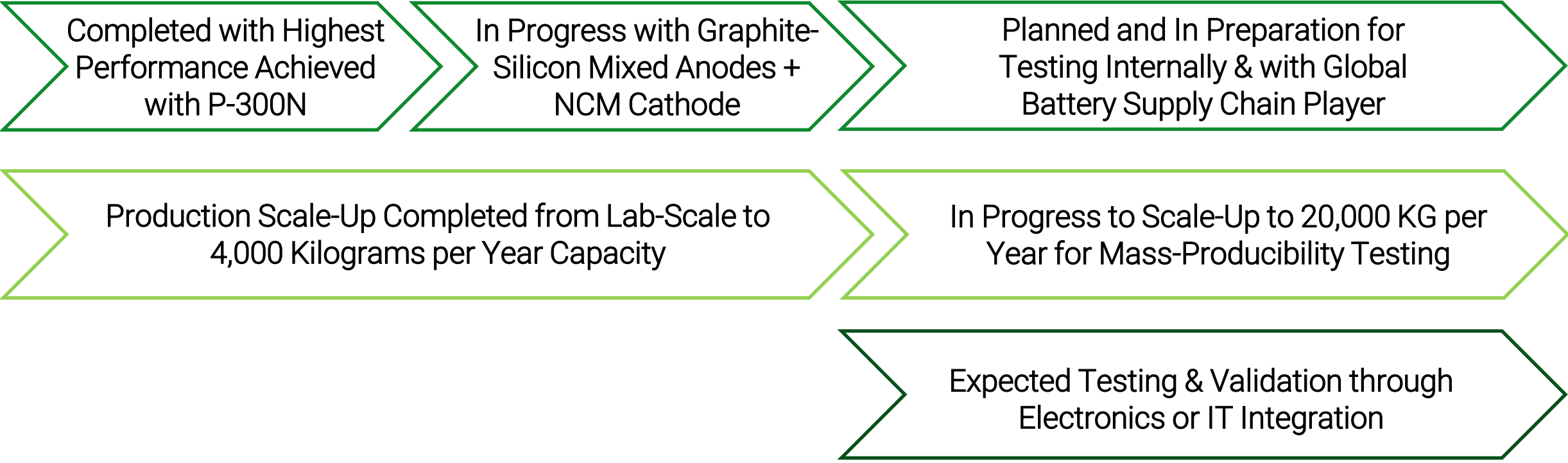
Performance Implication

- ❖ **Exceptional, Industry-Competitive 50-Cycle AVG Coulombic Efficiency in 100% Silicon Half-Cell Strongly Indicates/Implies:**
 1. High Cycling Stability in Larger-Scale Full-Cell Batteries for 300+ & 500+ Cycles
 2. High Capacity & Cycling Stability in Silicon/Graphite Mixed Anode
 3. Expediting Scale-Up & Go-to-Market Timelines

Commercialization Plans

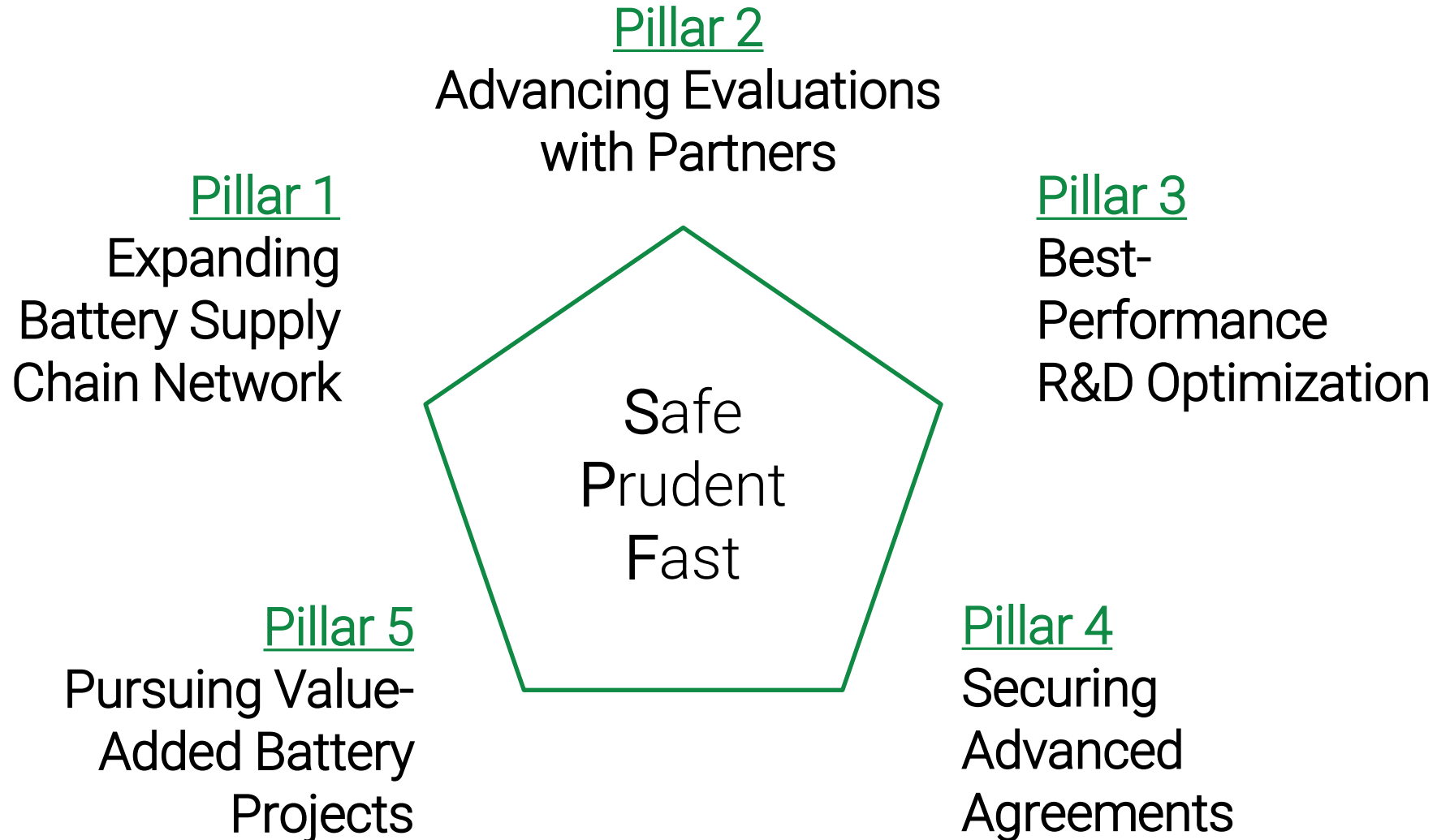
Industry-Standard Validation Pathway

1. Coin Half-Cell
(Anode-Only)
2. Coin Full-Cell
(Cathode & Anode)
3. Single-Layer Full-Cell
4. Multi-Layer Full-Cell



5-Pillared Strategy for GTM

Pursuing 5-Pillared Strategy as a **Safe, Prudent & Fast** Route-to-Commercialization



NBM Silicon Anode Global Expansion Plan

Aims to Become Among the Top 10 Suppliers of Silicon Anode Materials

CA. NEO Battery Materials

Construct Phase I **240 Ton Plant** in Windsor, Ontario with **5K Ton Expansion Capacity**

US. NBM America LLC

Exploring Options in **Ohio or Arizona** to Target US Department of Energy and Defense Grants

KR. NBM Korea Co.

Scaling to **20,000 KG** Pilot Capacity with Planned **5K Ton Final Capacity** for South Korean Commercial Plant

EU. Europe

Considering **Multiple Locations** for **Commercial Plant Expansion** with Potential JV Partners



Commercial Plant Phased Expansion

Phase Expansion Timeline	Phase I	Phase II	Phase III	Phase IV
Maximum Annual Production Capacity (in tonnes per annum)	240 TPA	1,000 TPA	2,500 TPA	5,000 TPA

11 Acres

Secured for Silicon Anode Production

1.7M – 3.3M

of EVs Supplied at Phase IV Capacity

80K – 160K

of EVs Supplied at Phase I Capacity

~150 GWh

Of Batteries Supplied with Phase IV

2025/26 Strategic Goals & Key Catalysts

Anticipated Milestones to Advance into Next Stages of Commercializing Tech

Technology

- a. Equipment Integration for Production Expansion of P-300N
- b. Larger-Scale/Near-Commercial Full Cell Tests to Validate Long-Term Cycling Performance
- c. Continuous Product Optimization for Performance & Costs

Partnerships

- a. Securing Advanced Agreements, Including Joint Development, Offtakes, and Strategic Investments, with Global Battery Cell Manufacturers, EV Automakers, & OEMs
- b. Developments with Current MOU & JDA Partners

Commercialization

- a. Scale-Up to 20 Tons/Yr by EOY for Mass-Producibility Testing for Economics & Quality
- b. Phase I Construction of Commercial Facility to Commission 240 Tons/Yr

Financial Overview

(as of April 30, 2025)

Current Share Price \$ 0.66

52-Week Low \$ 0.06

52-Week High \$ 1.10

Basic Shares Outstanding 119,157,756

Warrants 12,260,835

Options 11,195,000

Fully Diluted Shares Outstanding 142,613,591

Market Capitalization (Basic) \$ 78.64M

Market Capitalization (FDSO) \$ 94.12M



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