## Irreversible behaviors of silicon monoxide with controlling the amount of inserting Li ion at various current densities

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Although Silicon monoxide has high capacity, it has a large irreversible initial capacity. This study focus on irreversible behaviors with controlling the amount of inserting Li ion at various C-rate to understand kinetics of lithiated products(Li<sub>2</sub>O, Li<sub>4</sub>SiO<sub>4</sub>) and a relationship between irreversible reaction and structure of SiO<sub>X</sub>. SiO<sub>X</sub> is discharged while varying the amount of Li contents inserted into SiO<sub>X</sub> (0.1mol and 0.2mol per mol SiOx, so called 'mol rate') and is charged to 1.5V at various current density. The structure of SiOx after lithiation is observed by TEM and EELS. It is identified that irreversible capacity of SiOx increase at higher mol-rate but that of SiOx decrease at higher C-rate. And also the order of lithiated product is detected at various cycles and C-rate by XPS, meaning that the irreversible capacity is related to structure. As a result of, these facts help to control the irreversible capacity of SiOx



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