Metal dual-stage fuel cell panel

Why should you choose a metallic bipolar plate for fuel cell stack?
The highly integrated metallic bipolar plate reduces the total cost for fuel cell stack by up to 10 %. The two reasons are the integration of the sealing system and the design of the conductive functional coating. The stamped bead seals are an integral part of the plate and contrary to inlay seals,do not require any further assembly processes.

What is fuel cell cross-section with a partially coated bipolar plate?
Fuel cell cross-section with a partially coated bipolar plate (© Dana) The coating is an in-house developmentand reduces the overall resistance from the plate to the coating to the Gas Diffusion Layer (GDL) by up to 90 %. The measurement is made in a Through-plate Resistance (TPR) test procedure.

What is a standardized test sequence for qualifying bipolar plates & fuel cell components?
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Will metal bipolar plates reduce the cost of hydrogen fuel cells?
Soon,the new technology will touch the whole hydrogen fuel cell industry and reduce the cost with mass production capacity of one million pieces per year. The price of metal bipolar plates accounts for about 10%-15%of the current cost of mainstream high-power fuel cell engines.

Can fuel cell technology change mobility?
Fuel cell technology has the potential to change mobilityin the long term. So far,however,this form of powertrain has not been able to gain widespread acceptance,not least because of the high cost of fuel cell stacks. The metallic bipolar plate from Dana is intended to change this and drive forward the commercialization of the fuel cell.

How does a bipolar plate affect fuel cell efficiency?
The bipolar plate largely determines the power density,weight,and costof a fuel cell stack. The basic layout of the metallic bipolar plate therefore decides the efficiency of the fuel cell system.

Scientists have fabricated several types of the fuel cell such as proton-exchange membrane (PEM), alkaline, direct methanol, solid oxide, molten carbonate, and phosphoric acid fuel cells [9].These devices have a definite mechanism different from each other, but the basic working principle for each fuel cell remains similar.

In this review, we introduce various 2D materials and common synthesis methods developed thus far and discuss their applications for the two simplest electrode reactions in fuel cells, namely, ORR and HOR.

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Microbial fuel cells (MFCs) have a simple structure and excellent pollutant treatment and power generation performance. However, the slow kinetics of the oxygen reduction reaction (ORR) at the MFC cathode limit power generation. The electrochemical performance of MFCs can be improved through electrocatalysis. Thus far, metal-based catalysts have shown ...

Abstract Metal bipolar plates for proton exchange membrane (PEM) fuel cells have price and processing advantages, but easily corrode which reduces the fuel cell electrical conductivity and durability. This paper reviews recent advances related to the electrical conductivity and durability of metal bipolar plates and their coatings for fuel cells. The review starts from the market ...

Alloying noble metals with non-noble metals enables high activity while reducing the cost of electrocatalysts in fuel cells. However, under fuel cell operating conditions, state-of-the-art oxygen ...

It can be observed from the elemental mapping that a metal mesh-supported fuel cell has a homogenous distribution of all constitutional phases. However, it is important to note the interdiffusion of Mn, Fe and Ni from the metal mesh from and towards the anode side of the SOFC half-cell.

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Metallic bipolar plates are a big step toward implementing this vision, since this component for fuel cell stacks allows a higher energy density than before at significantly lower manufacturing costs and has proven to be suitable for large-scale production. Globally, 20,000 passenger vehicles are equipped with a fuel cell drive ...

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waveform is attached to the ...

The initial application of MIEC into fuel cell electrolyte membrane made a distinctive type of fuel cell, namely a single-layer fuel cell or an electrolyte layer-free fuel cell, where the monolithic layer functions as an ionic and electronic conductor simultaneously as if the monolithic layer has, functions, an electrode and an electrolyte separately. The physical ...

Cathode processing is one of the main challenges in the manufacturing of metal-supported solid oxide fuel cells (MSCs). Cathode sintering in ambient air is not applicable to MSCs, as oxidation of the metal substrate and the metallic Ni of the anode damages the cell. A recently developed ex situ sintering procedure for the LSCF ...

Moreover, metal supports provide high robustness against vibrations and redox cycles, enable reduction of material costs, and ease joining (e.g., by welding). 9, 14, 15 However, this type of fuel cell is the newest addition to the family of solid oxide cells and thus still suffers from a couple of "teething problems" that need to be solved before metal-supported SOFCs ...

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