

**Figure 1** : The 3D crystal structure of Na<sub>3</sub>V<sub>2</sub>(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>3</sub>. The bi-octahedral units V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>8</sub>F<sub>3</sub> and the tetrahedral PO<sub>4</sub> groups are shown as red and violet polyhedra, respectively. The Na<sup>+</sup> ions, represented by yellow balls, occupy the empty space in the structure at the crystallographic planes z = 0 and  $z = \frac{1}{2}$ .



**Figure 2 :** Rietveld refinement of the Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> structure from SXRD data, performed in the  $P4_2/mnm$  space group. Insets show enlargements of the (200)/(020) and (400)/(040) doublets.

S.G. $P4_2/mnm$ Z = 4		a = b = 9.03564(6)  Å c = 10.6412(1)  Å $V/Z = 217.195(2) \text{ Å}^3$			$\begin{split} R_{Bragg} &= 3.46\% \\ R_{p} &= 10.3\% \\ R_{wp} &= 10.7\% \end{split}$	
Atoms	Wyckoff positions	x/a	<i>y/b</i>	z/c	Occupancy	Biso
V(1)	8j	0.7483(6)	0.2517(6)	0.1917(2)	1/2	0.96(6)
Fe(1)	8j	0.7483(6)	0.2517(6)	0.1917(2)	1/2	0.96(6)
P(1)	4e	1/2	1/2	0.253(2)	1	0.9(1)
P(2)	4d	1/2	0	1⁄4	1	0.8(1)
O(1)	16k	0.595(2)	0.094(2)	0.162(1)	1	0.78
O(2)	8j	0.598(2)	0.402(2)	0.160(2)	1	0.78
O(3)	8j	0.402(2)	0.402(2)	0.330(2)	1	0.78
O(4)	8j	3/4	1⁄4	0.360(2)	1/2	1.0
F(1)	4g	3/4	1⁄4	0	1	0.44
F(2)	8j	3/4	1⁄4	0.360(2)	1/2	1.0
Na(1)	8i	0.270(2)	0.022(2)	0	0.850(3)	2.1(1)
Na(2)	8i	0.476(3)	0.290(3)	0	0.58(1)	4.5(4)
Na(3)	4f	0.408(5)	0.408(5)	0	0.266(6)	3.0(3)

**Table 1:** Structural parameters of Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> obtained from Rietveld refinement of synchrotron powder diffraction data collected at  $\lambda = 0.8251$  Å. The Biso values of oxygen and fluorine were fixed during the Rietveld refinement.

**Table 2 :** Bond lengths (Å) describing the coordination polyhedra of each cation in Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> determined from Rietveld refinement performed in the *P*4<sub>2</sub>/*mnm* space group of synchrotron X-ray powder diffraction data collected at  $\lambda = 0.8251$  Å.

V/Fe	P(1)	P(2)	Na(1)	Na(2)	Na(3)
6	4	4	7	7	6
1.954(6)	1.595(8)x2		2.619(9)x2	2.27(1)x2	2.42(1)x4
2.013(6)		1.529(6) x4		2.70(1)x2	
1.983(6)x2	1.493(8)x2		2.351(7)x2		
2.040(1)			2.464(7)	2.50(1)	
1.795(1)			2.547(6)x2	2.55(1)x2	2.50(1)x2
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**Figure 3 :** (*a*) <sup>57</sup>Fe Mössbauer spectrum recorded at ambient temperature with a <sup>57</sup>Co source, (*b*) Fe Kedge XANES spectrum of Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub>. Both Fe<sup>2+</sup>SO<sub>4</sub>.7H<sub>2</sub>O and Fe<sup>3+</sup>PO<sub>4</sub>.2H<sub>2</sub>O are used as references to determine the Fe oxidation state, (*c*) V K-edge XANES spectrum of Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub>. The V<sup>3+</sup>PO<sub>4</sub>, LiV<sup>4+</sup>PO<sub>4</sub>O and V<sup>5+</sup>OPO<sub>4</sub> XANES spectra are reported to determine the V oxidation state, (*d*) <sup>31</sup>P *ss*-NMR spectrum recorded at 100 MHz, MAS frequency = 30 kHz. The excitation pulse was placed at 5000 ppm. The asterisks (\*) indicate the rotational spinning sidebands.



**Figure 4** : (*a*) An enlargement of the <sup>31</sup>P NMR diamagnetic resonances (-100 ppm to 200 ppm) recorded for the Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> material. The *n* value indicates the number of Fe<sup>3+</sup> in the second transition metal sites with respect to the Phosphorus nucleus. The five diamagnetic resonances observed for this material can be fitted by five different Pseudo-Voigt peak shape functions, (*b*) Illustration of the influence of the second neighboring metal ion belonging to the bi-octahedral unit on the <sup>31</sup>P chemical shift value.



**Figure 5**: (*a*) The charge/discharge curve of Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> vs. Na metal, at *C*/10 cycling rate with the cut-off voltage of 4.3 and 5.0 V vs. Na<sup>+</sup>/Na. Inset shows the first derivative charge/discharge curve as a function of the operating voltage, (*b*) The long-term evolution of the charge/discharge curves at *C*/10 cycling rate in the potential range of 2.5 - 4.3 V vs. Na<sup>+</sup>/Na. Inset shows the evolution of the coulombic efficiency during the first twenty cycles, (*c*) The charge/discharge curve obtained at the second cycle for Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> vs. Na metal, at the cycling rate of *C*/10 per Na<sup>+</sup> and in the potential range of 1.5 - 4.3 V vs. Na<sup>+</sup>/Na, (*d*) The charge/discharge capacity of Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> at different cycle rates in the potential ranges of 2.5 - 4.3 V vs. Na<sup>+</sup>/Na.



**Figure 6 :** The evolution of significant diffraction lines during Na<sup>+</sup> de-intercalation from Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub>. *Operando* SXRD patterns were recorded upon cycling of a Na// Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> half-cell at  $\lambda = 0.8251$  Å. The cell was cycled at C/10 cycling rate in the voltage window of 2.5 - 4.3 V vs. Na<sup>+</sup>/Na. The corresponding electrochemical data is given in **Figure S12**.



**Figure 7 :** The evolution of the cell parameters of  $Na_{3-x}(VO)Fe(PO_4)_2F_2$  during the  $Na^+$  de-intercalation reaction, determined from the Le Bail fit of the SXRD patterns collected *operando* upon charging a  $Na/Na_3(VO)Fe(PO_4)_2F_2$  half-cell.



Figure 8: Vanadium K-edge XANES spectra recorded *operando* upon charging a  $Na/Na_3(VO)Fe(PO_4)_2F_2$  half-cell operating in the potential range of 2.5 - 4.5 V vs.  $Na^+/Na$  (Figure S14).



**Figure 9 :** The evolution of the concentration of the two principal components required to describe all the Vanadium K-edge XAS spectra recorded upon charging a Na//Na<sub>3</sub>(VO)Fe(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> half-cell. The cell was cycled at C/10 in the voltage window of 2.5 - 4.5 V vs. Na<sup>+</sup>/Na.