

LG Chem Meeting

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Agenda

- **Full-order model validation**

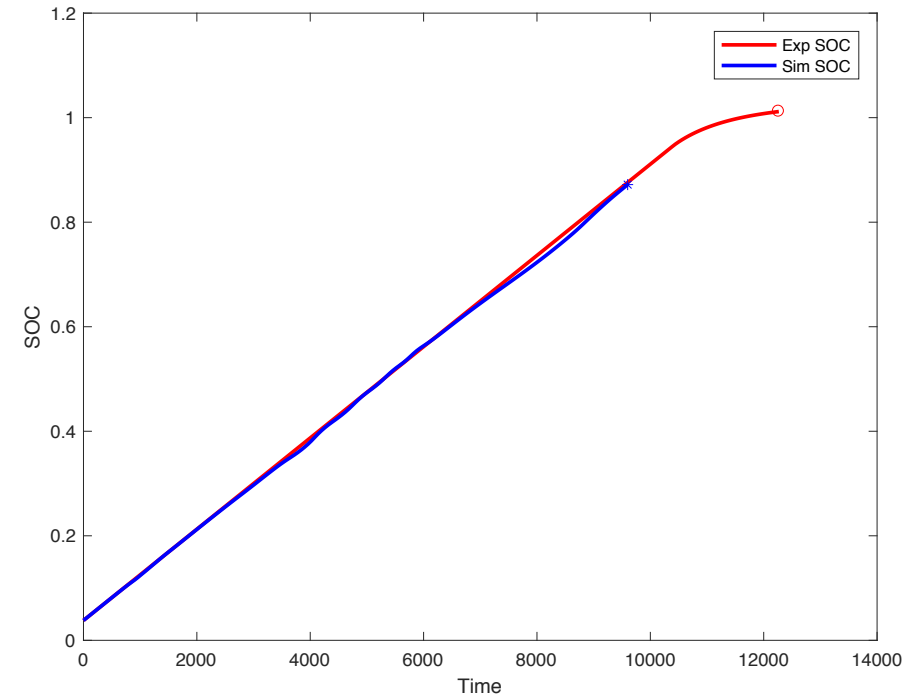
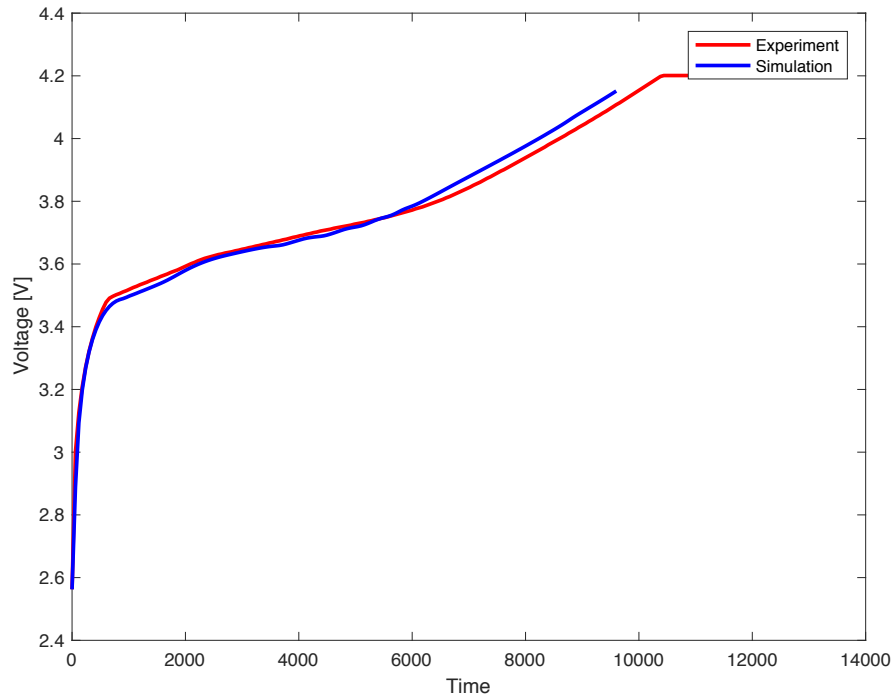
- Time-step effect
- Exchange current density approximation

- **RL**

- Understanding the best charge profile.
- Reward function design

TimeStep Effect

- nodes (Anode/Sep/Cathode) along the x-axis
 - 10/5/10
 - $T_s=60s$ failed at 161 out of 206
- Voltage / SOC
 - Able to solve up to 85% SOC



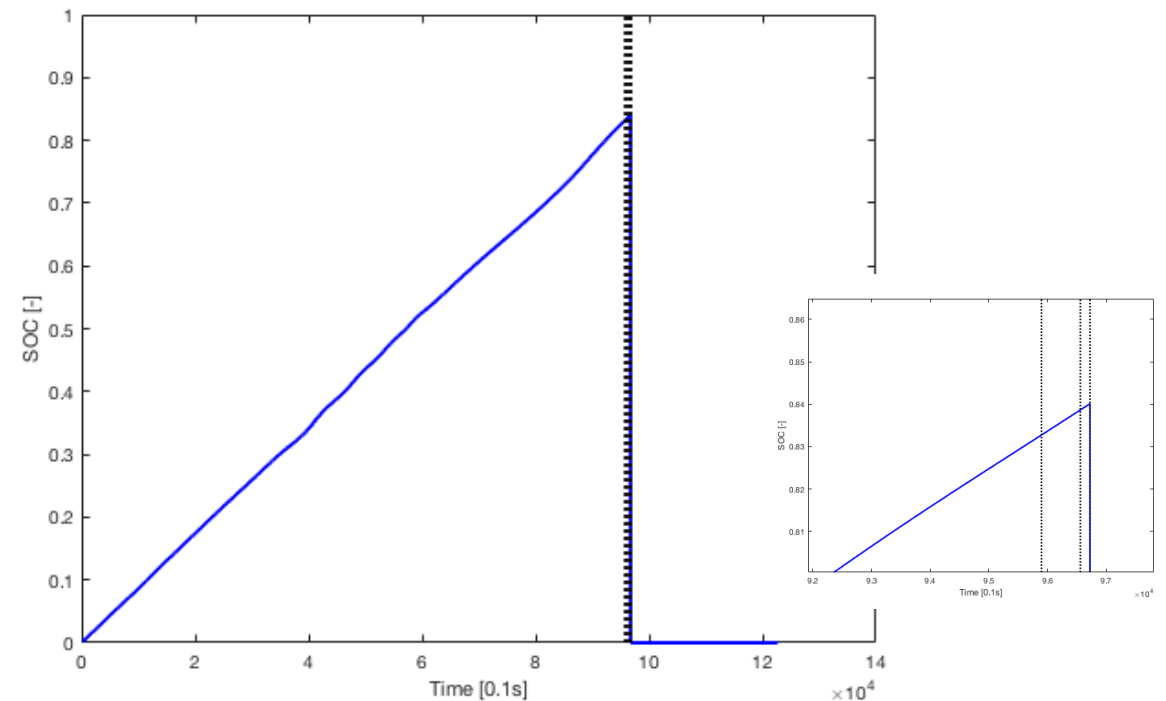
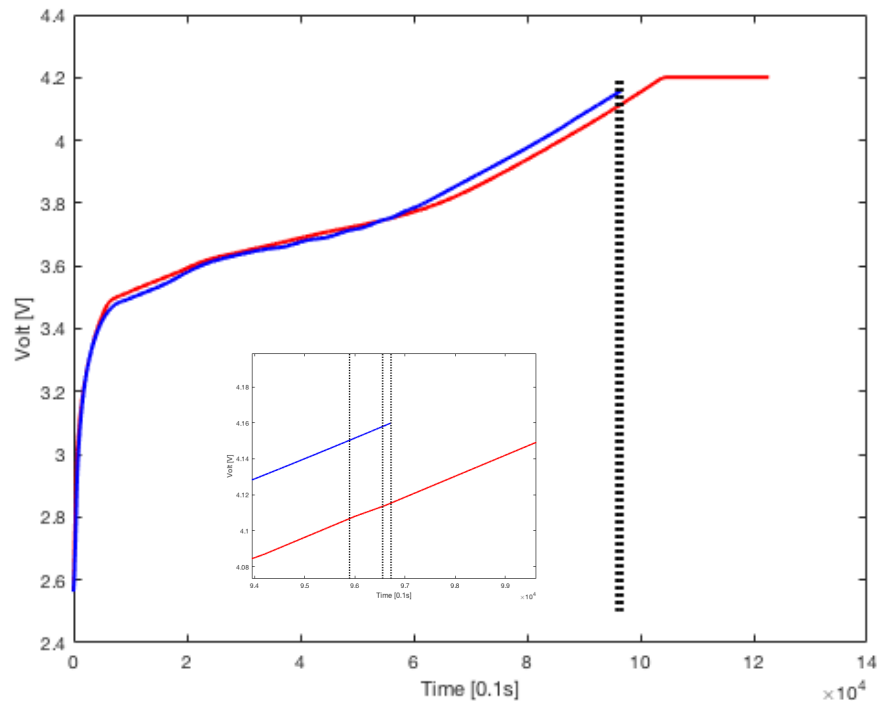
TimeStep Effect

■ nodes (Anode/Sep/Cathode) along the x-axis

- 10/5/10
- $T_s=0.1s$ failed at 95896 out of 122668
- $T_s=0.01s$ failed at 96556 out of 122668
- $T_s=0.001s$ failed at 96722 out of 122668

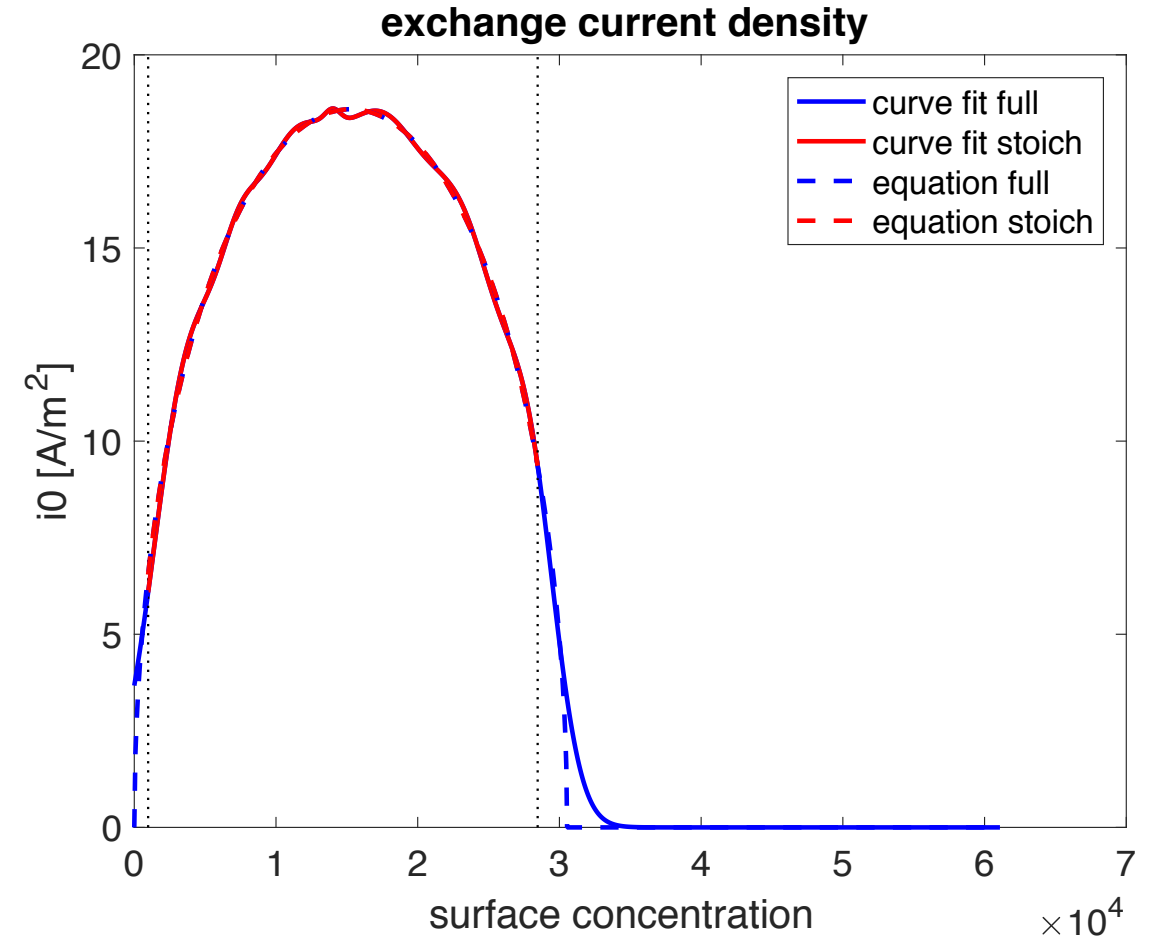
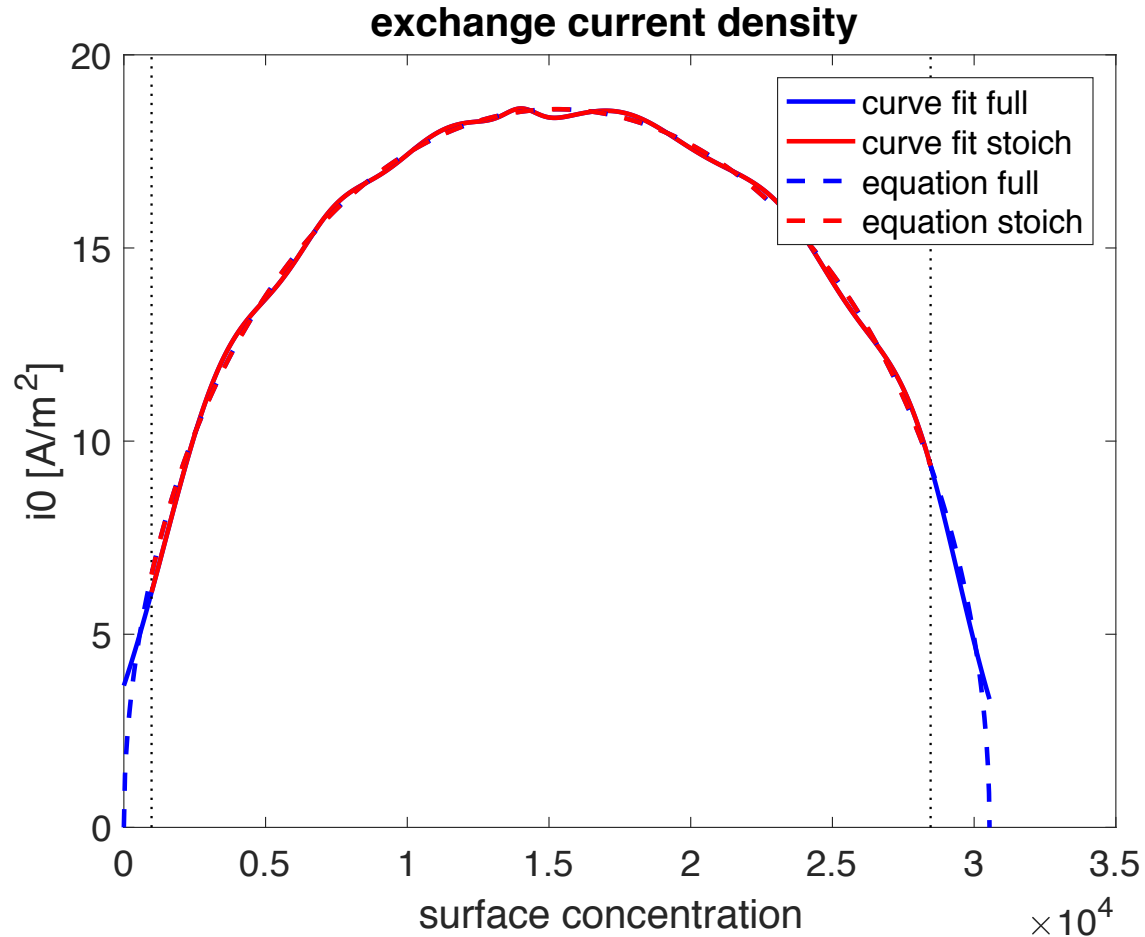
■ Voltage / SOC

- With smaller time step we can compute 2% more SOC. (82->84% SoC)



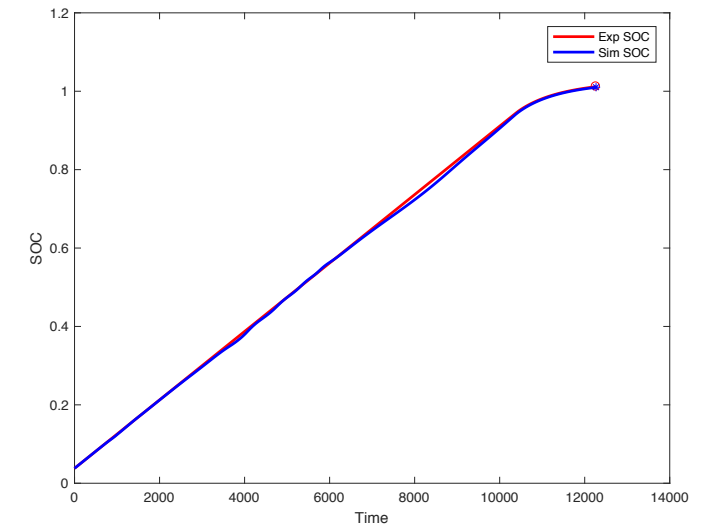
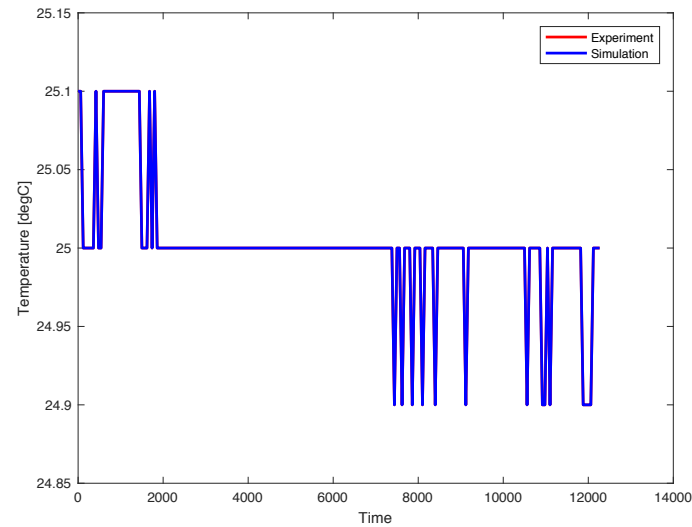
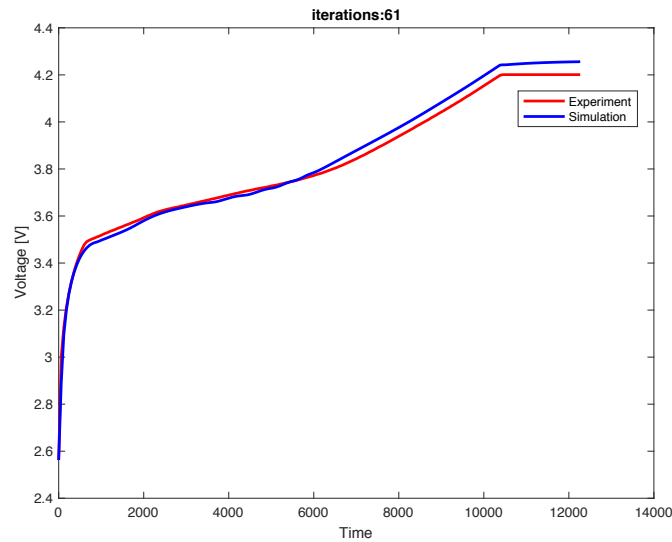
Function Fit

- Function fit for c_{ss_n} term
- (left) within bound, (Right) without bound



Validation

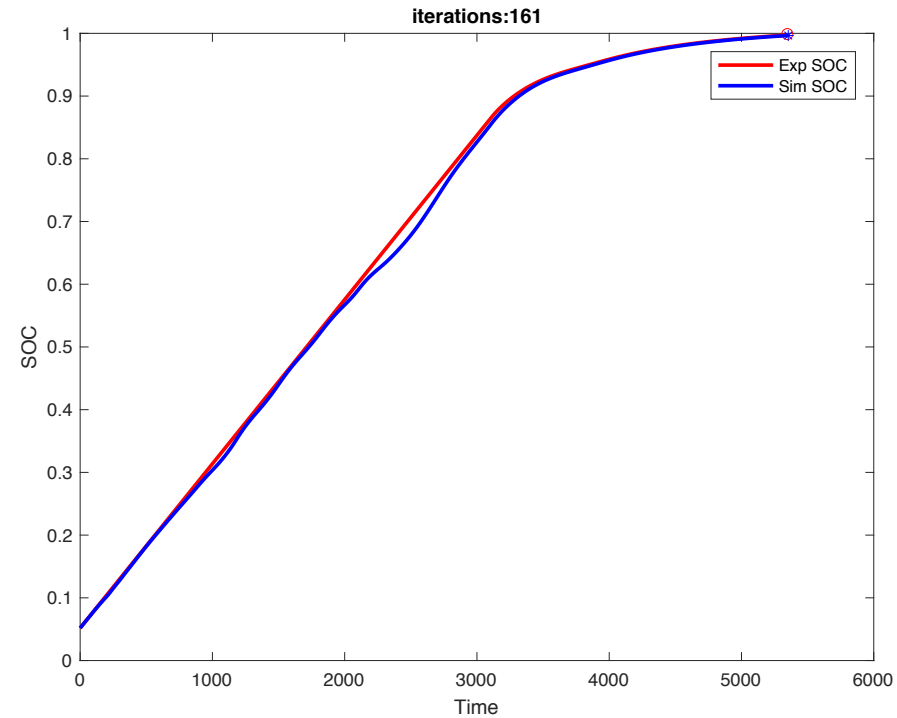
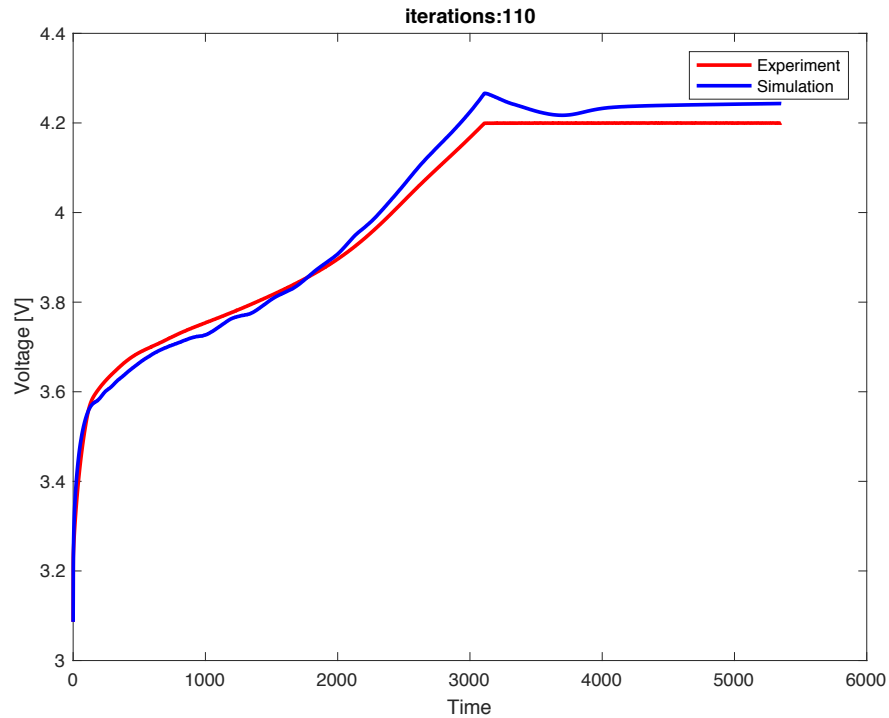
- **Input: current (0.3C CCCV), temperature**
 - Nodes for Anode/ Separator / Cathode = 10/5/10
 - 32.2mV RMSE
 - 0 degC RMSE
 - 57.1E-05 SoC RMSE.



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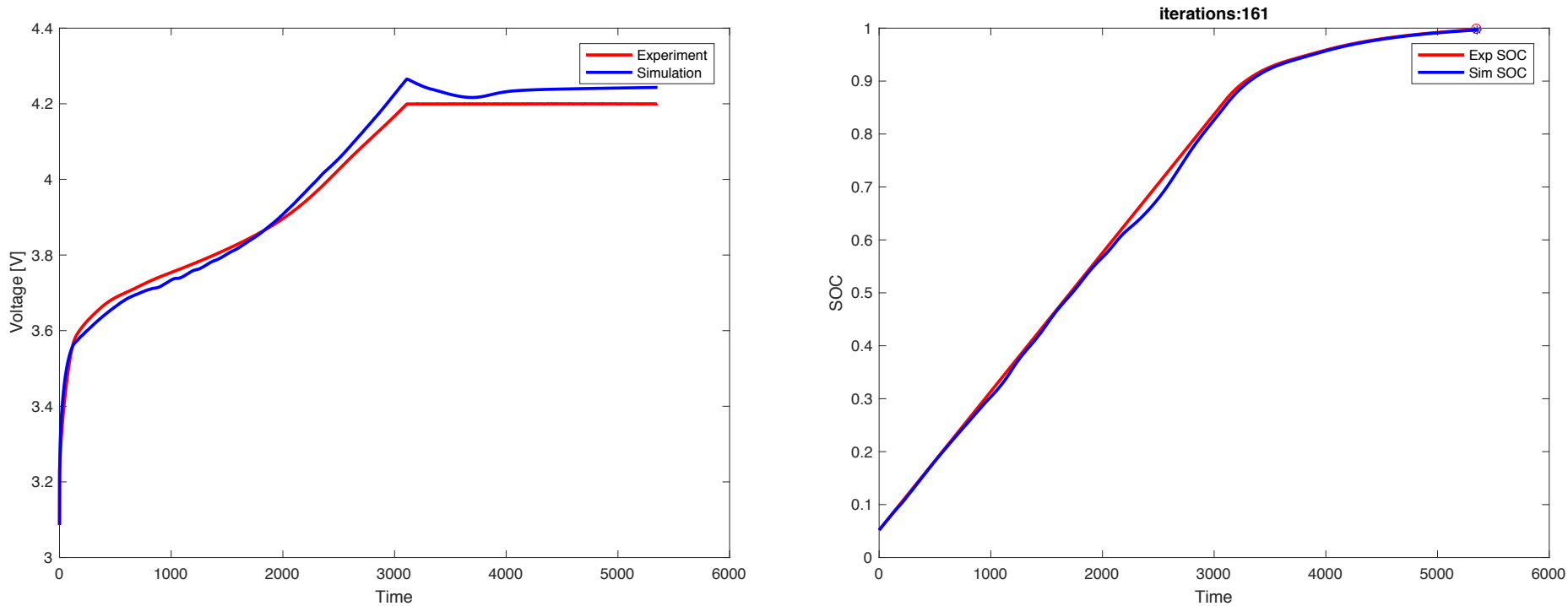
■ Input: current (1C CCCV), temperature

- Nodes for Anode/ Separator / Cathode = 10/5/10
- 33.4mV RMSE
- 92.9E-04 SoC RMSE.



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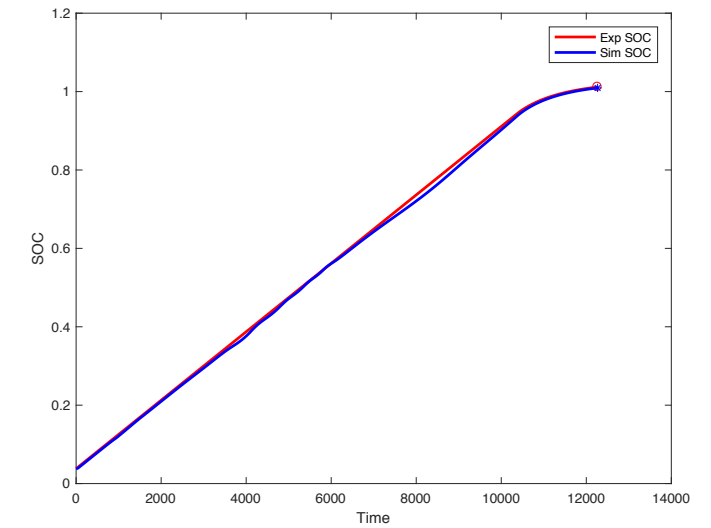
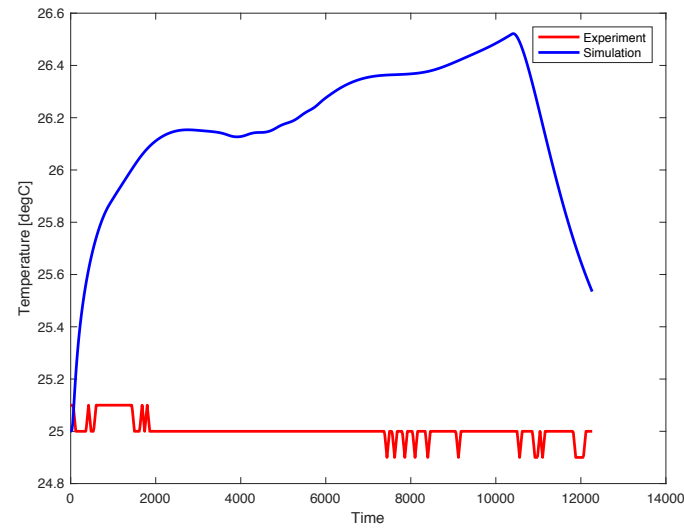
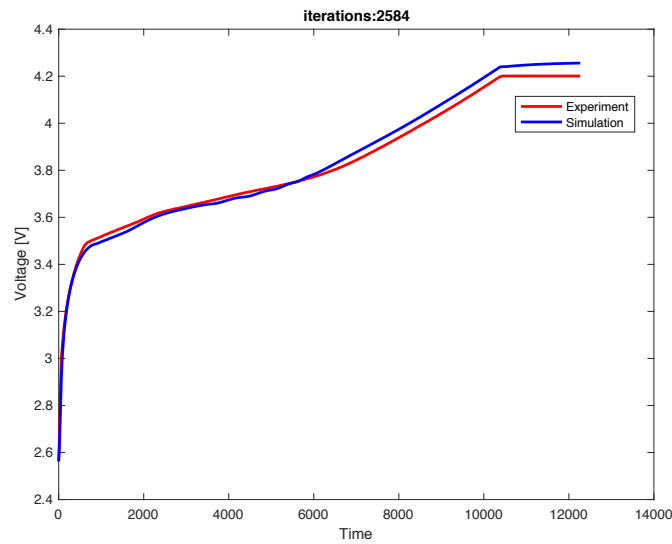
- **Input: current (1C CCCV), temperature**
 - Nodes for Anode/ Separator / Cathode = 20/10/20
 - 33.4mV RMSE
 - 96.9E-04 SoC RMSE.



Validation

■ Input: current (0.3C CCCV)

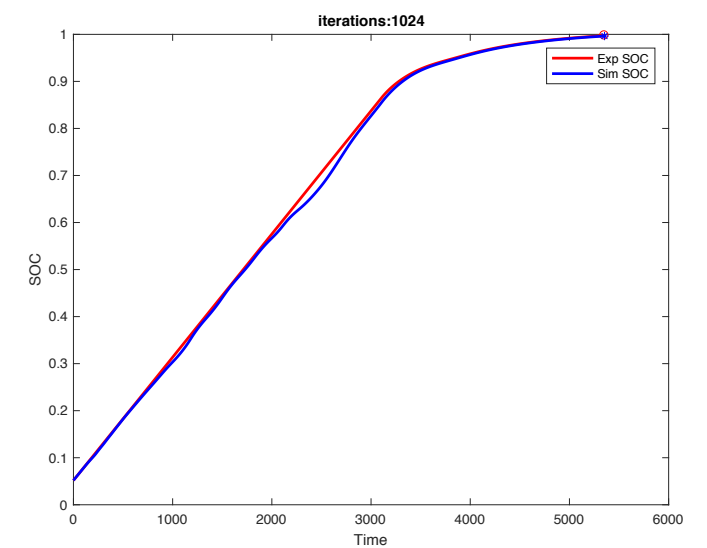
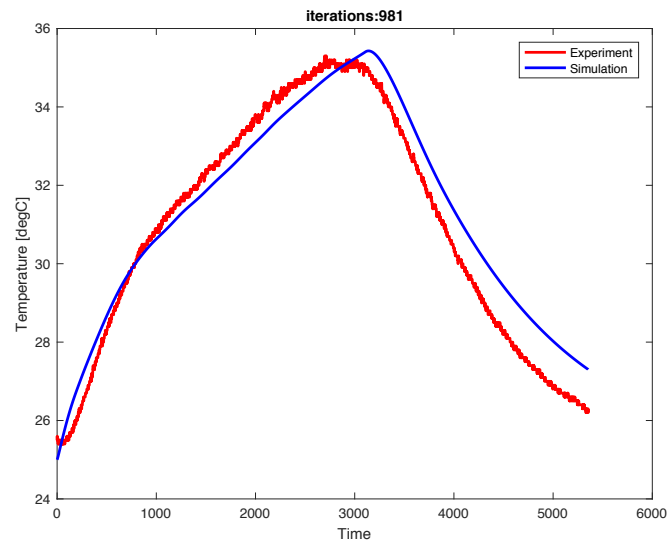
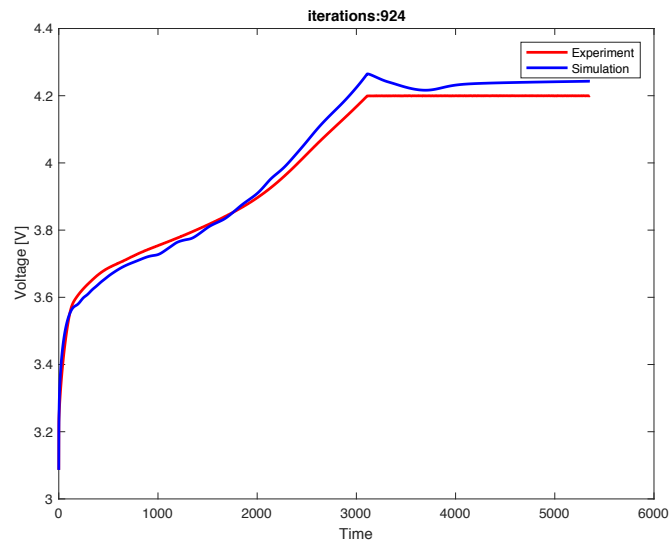
- Nodes for Anode/ Separator / Cathode = 10/5/10
- TimeStep = 0.1sec
- 31.1mV RMSE
- 1.19degC RMSE
- 76.6E-04 SoC RMSE.



Validation

■ Input: current (1C CCCV)

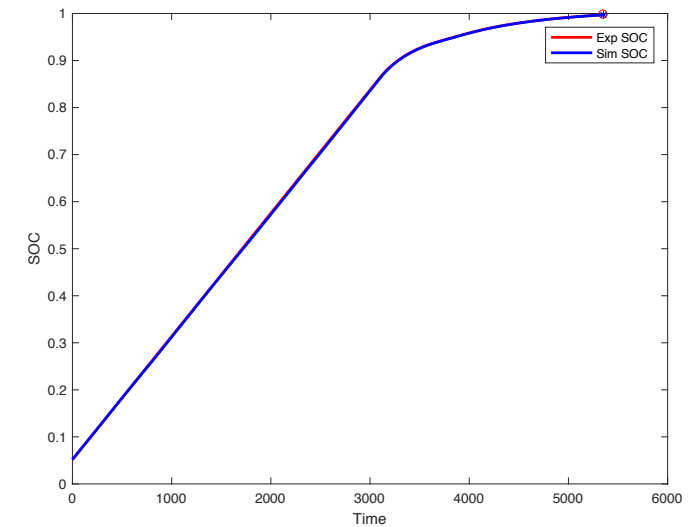
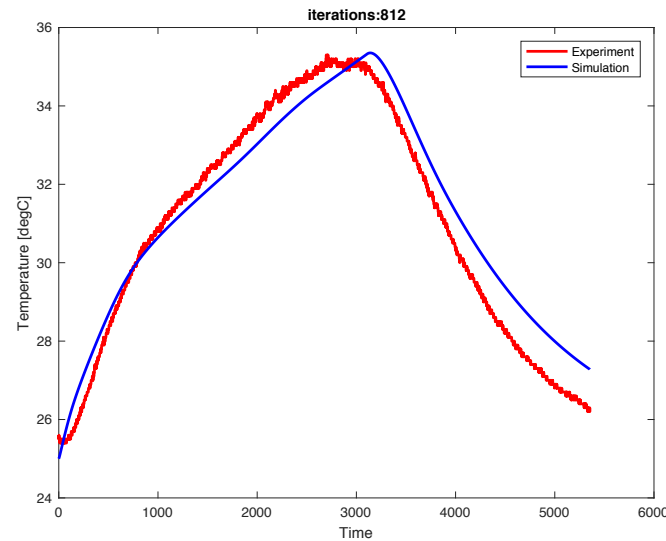
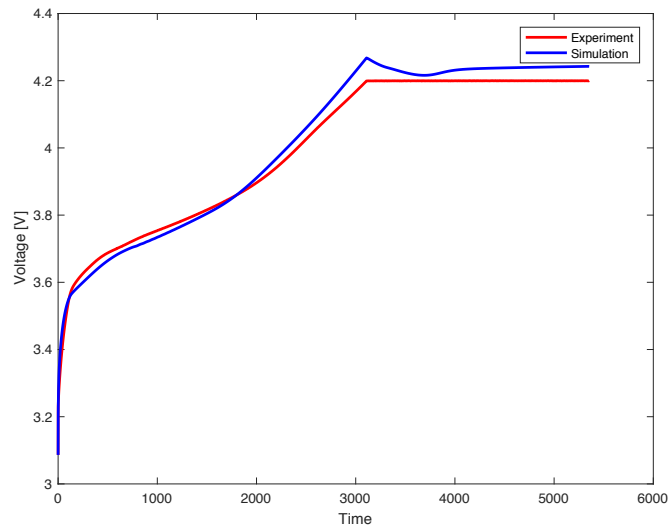
- Nodes for Anode/ Separator / Cathode = 10/5/10
- 33.3mV RMSE
- 0.734degC RMSE
- 92.6E-04 SoC RMSE.



Validation

■ Input: current (1C CCCV)

- Nodes for Anode/ Separator / Cathode = 70/35/70
- 32.6mV RMSE
- 0.717degC RMSE
- 13.6E-04 SoC RMSE.



Summary

- **RMSE \leq 40mV | RMSE \leq 0.1% SoC | RMSE \leq 1.5degC**
- **TimeStep effect**
 - Small-time step helps to solve numerical problems, but still issues remain.
 - Approximating current density function is recommended.
- **Discretization effect**
 - Small number of discretization helps fast simulation.
 - Notably, RMSE of SOC increases as number of discretization reduces.
- **RL framework**
 - Reinforcement learning requires a very **high volume** of “trial and error” episodes - or interactions with an environment.
 - In order to learn a good policy, simulators are required to achieve results in a cost-effective and timely way.
- **Suggestions for environment design**
 - Use approximated current density function
 - Sample time = 1sec
 - Use 10/5/10 nodes for simulation environment

Need to validate higher C-rates with 1sec timestep

Optimal Charging problem

- **Minimum charging**

- Fast charge
- Suppress aging

$$\operatorname{argmin}_{I(t)} \int_0^{t_f} 1 dt$$

subject to:

Battery eqns

input constraints (magnitude, capacity)

state constraints (Temperature, Overpotential)

- **Max charge throughput**

- Finite amount of time, charge battery up to certain point

- **Least square of target SoC and current SoC.**

- Charge battery up to target SoC

There are many optimal charging problems!

Reinforcement learning framework

■ RL Background

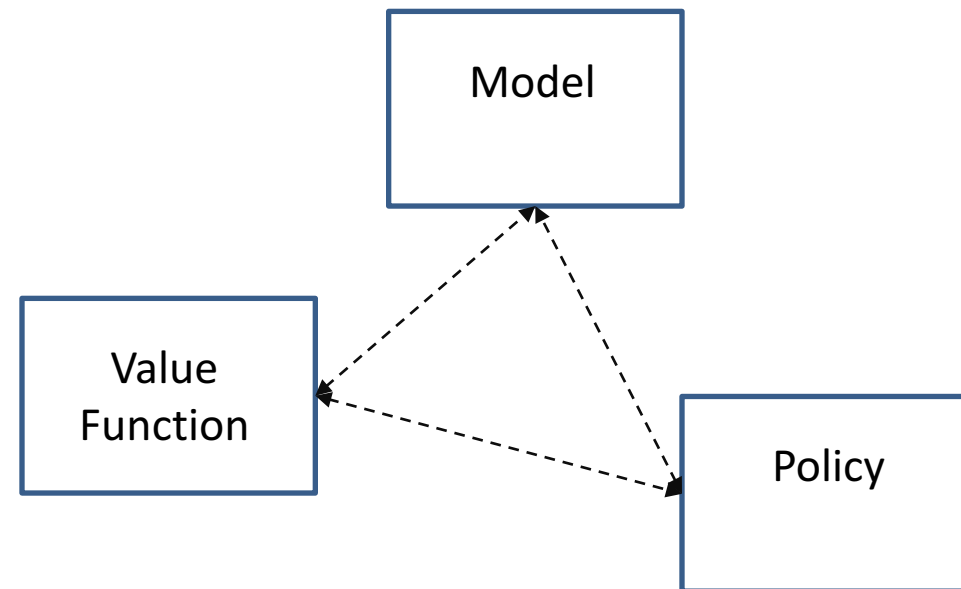
- Markov Decision Process (MDP)
- Dynamic Programming
 - Value Iteration
 - Policy Iteration
- Policy Optimization
 - Policy gradients

■ RL algorithms

- DQN (Deep Q Network)
- DPG (Deterministic Policy gradient)
- A3C (Asynchronous Advantage Actor-Critic)

■ Model

- Control Sys | Machine Learning
 - Model-based RL : Train network to predict 'state transition' and reward models
 - Model-free RL : Not try to learn explicit models of the env.
 - We focus on 'Model-free RL' for 'model-based' control



■ Value function

- State-value function
- State-action function

■ Policy

RL problem formulation

- **Minimum time charging.**

- Maximize negative rewards
- Violate constraints -> episode is over
 - Surface concentrations
 - Electrolyte concentrations
 - Temperature

- **Basic sketch**

- From fixed initial point, we reach certain stage of charging without violating constraints