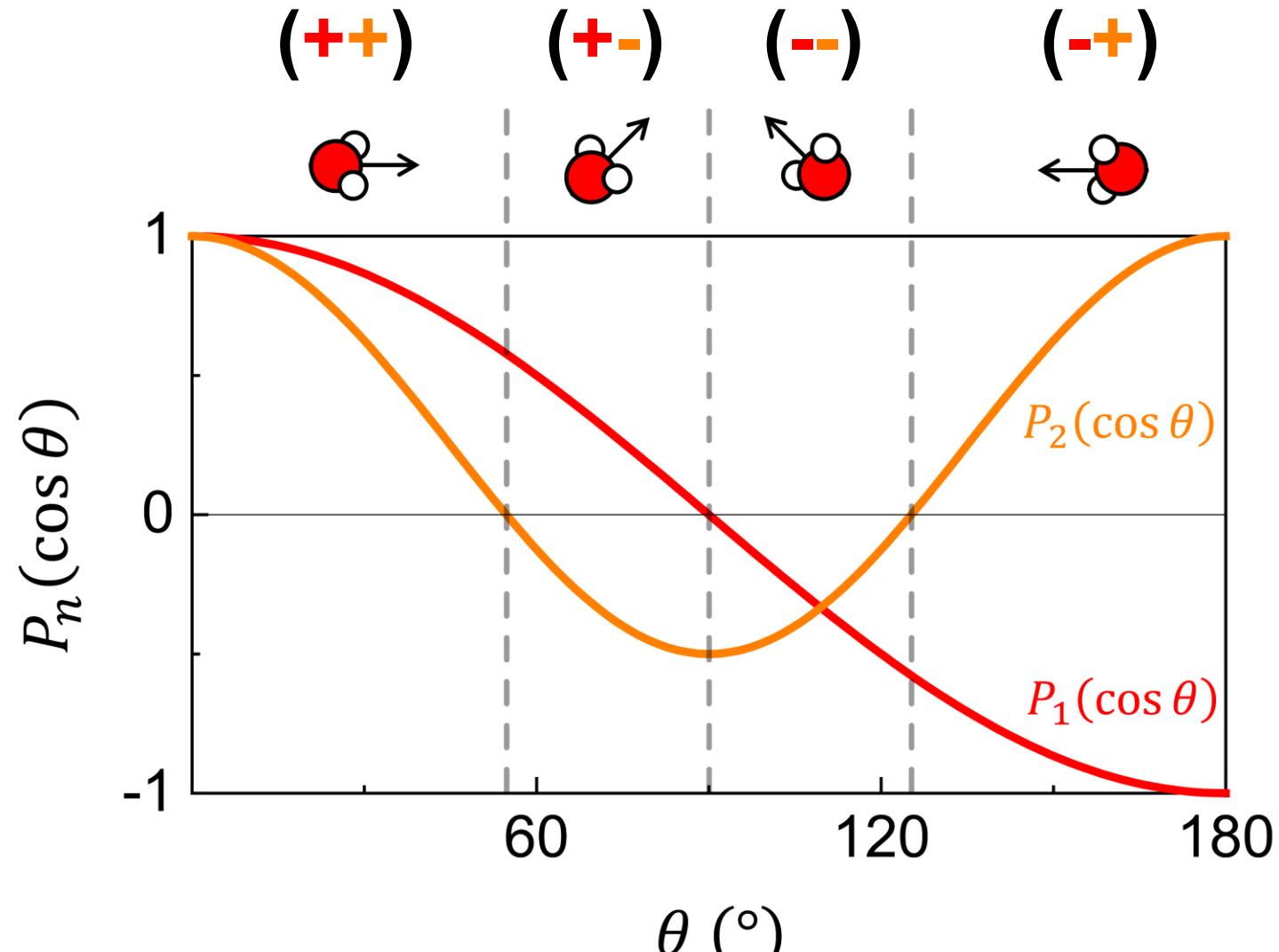


# SI Result 1 (a): Legendre Polynomial



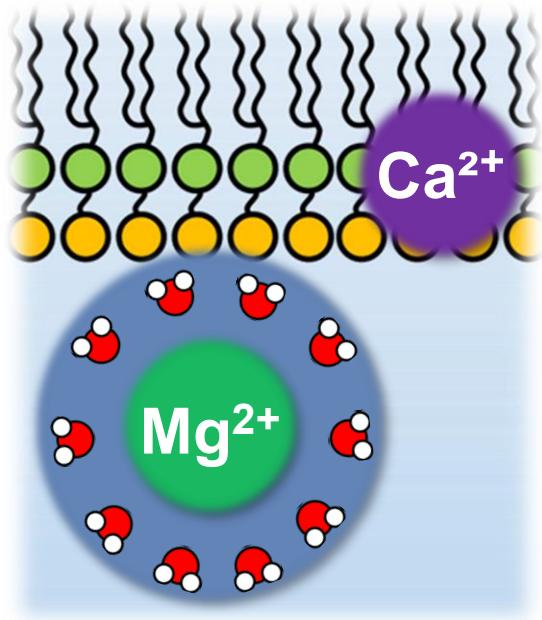
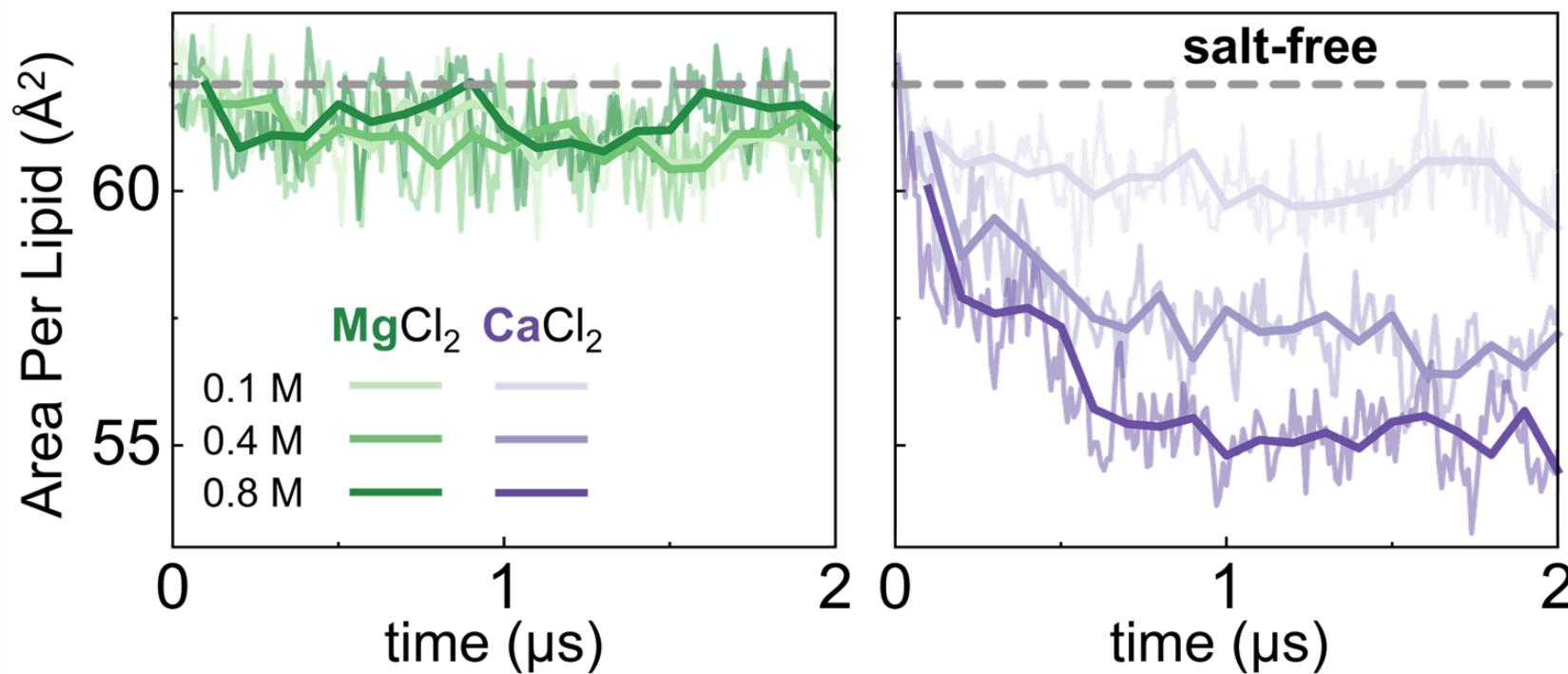
See Fig. 2 (d) and Fig. 2 (e)

$$P_1(\cos \theta) = \cos \theta$$

$$P_2(\cos \theta) = (3 \cos^2 \theta - 1)/2$$

$$\langle P_n(\cos \theta) \rangle(z) = \int_0^\pi d\theta \sin \theta P_n(\cos \theta) p(\theta, z)$$

## SI Result 1 (b): Area per lipid

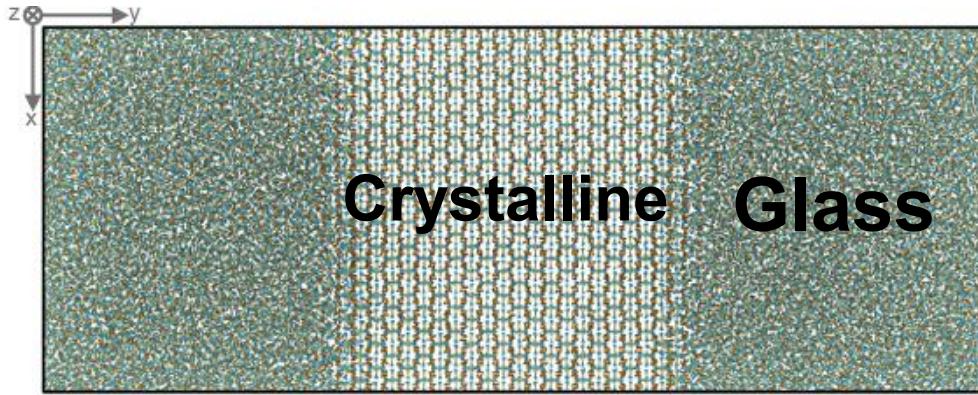


- Mg<sup>2+</sup> cannot induce membrane condensation due to its **hydration shell** [7].
- Ca<sup>2+</sup> reduces repulsion between headgroups, inducing **membrane condensation** [7].
- As Conc. of CaCl<sub>2</sub> increases, portion of interfacial water (IW) of CaCl<sub>2</sub> decreases.

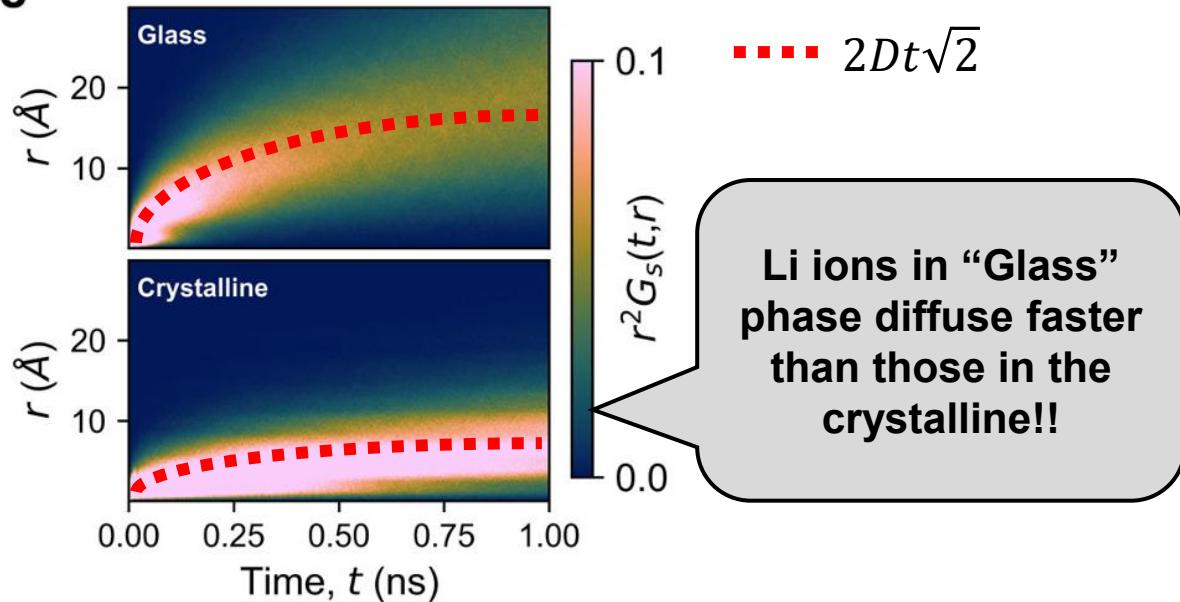
(See  $\rho_{H_2O}(z)$  in **Fig. 2 (f)**)

# SI Result 1 (c): Lateral Displacement Distribution

$\text{Li}_3\text{PS}_4$



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## Disorder-induced enhancement of lithium-ion transport in solid-state electrolytes

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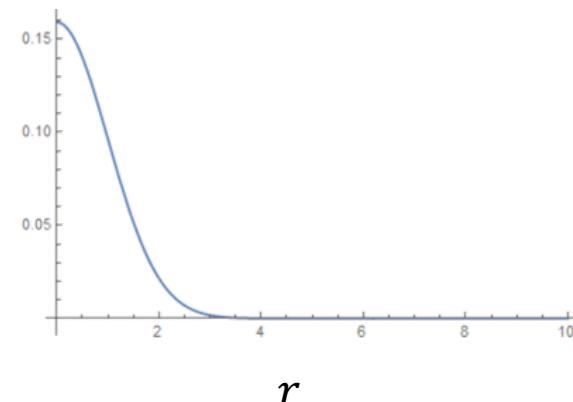
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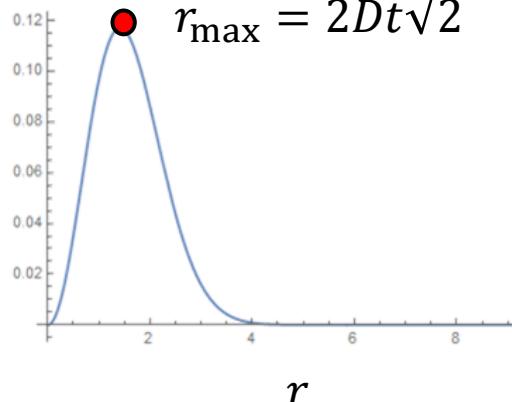
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Enhancing the ion conduction in solid electrolytes is critically important for

$$G_S(r, t) = (4\pi Dt)^{-3/2} e^{-r^2/4Dt}$$



$$r^2 G_S(r, t)$$



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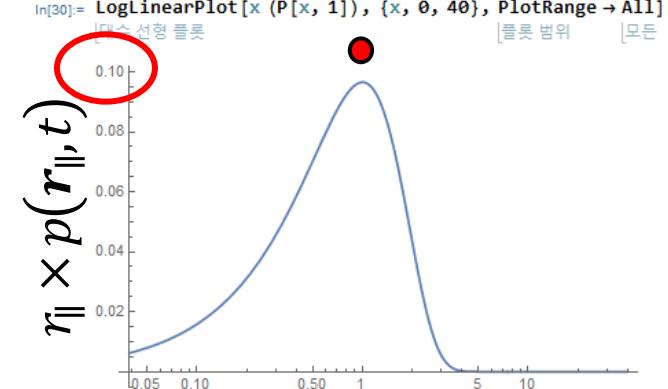
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# SI Result 1 (c): Lateral Displacement Distribution

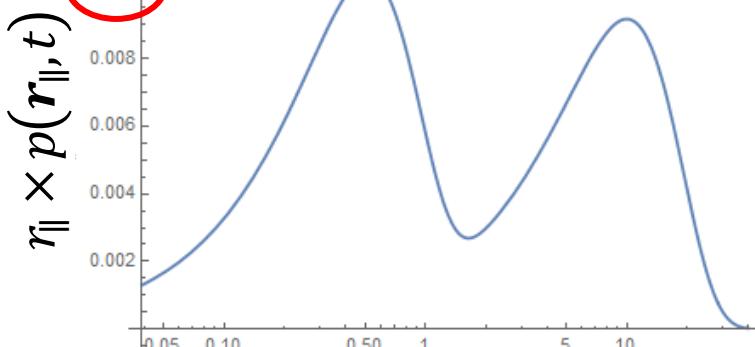
$$G_s(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t) \cong \sum_n f_n G_{\mathcal{N}}(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t | D_{\parallel}^{(n)}) \quad \sum_n f_n = 1 \quad G_{\mathcal{N}}(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t | D_{\parallel}) \equiv (4\pi D_{\parallel} t)^{-1} e^{-r_{\parallel}^2 / 4D_{\parallel} t}$$

$r_{\parallel} \times G_{\mathcal{N}}(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t | D_{\parallel}) \rightarrow$  maximum at  $r_{\parallel} = \sigma = \sqrt{2D_{\parallel} t}$

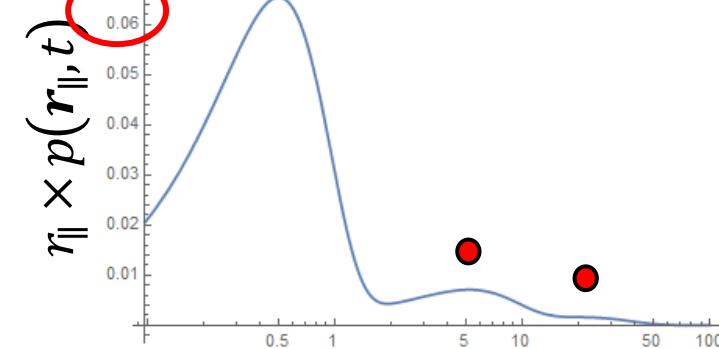
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In[2]:= P[x_, σ_] := (2 π σ²)^⁻¹ Exp[-x² / (2 σ²)]
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In[28]:= LogLinearPlot[x (0.05 P[x, 0.5] + 0.95 P[x, 10]), {x, 0, 40}, PlotRange -> All]
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In[29]:= LogLinearPlot[x (1/3 P[x, 0.5] + 1/3 P[x, 5] + 1/3 P[x, 20]), {x, 0, 100}, PlotRange -> All]
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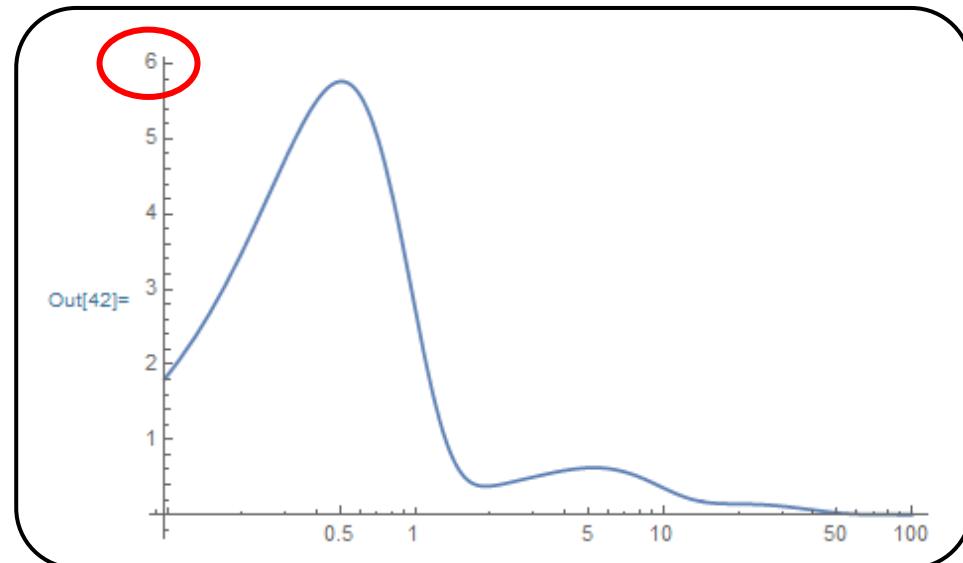
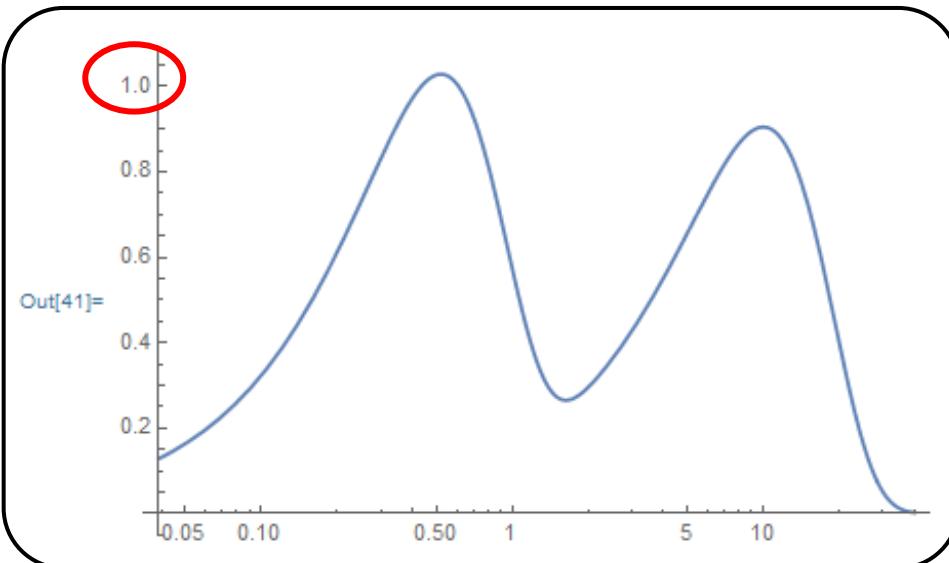
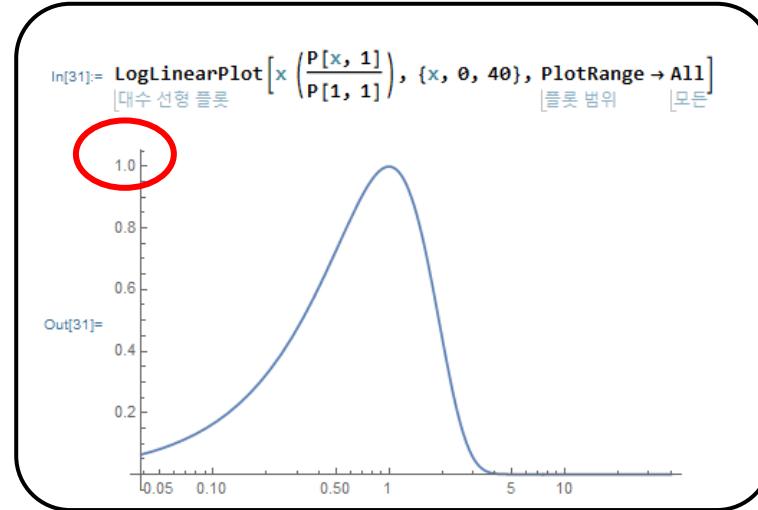


# SI Result 1 (c): Lateral Displacement Distribution

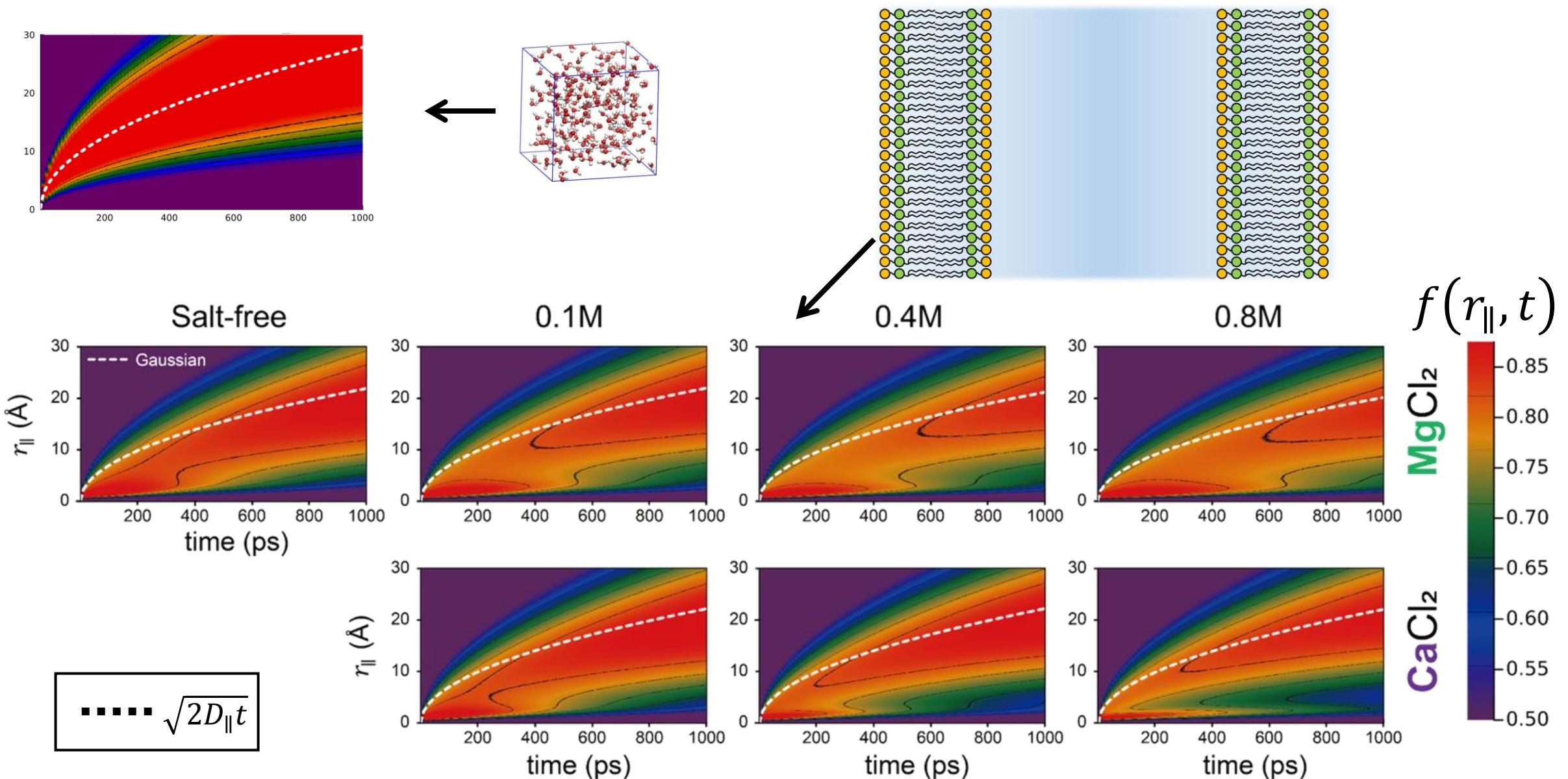
$$G_S(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t) \cong \sum_n f_n G_{\mathcal{N}}(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t | D_{\parallel}^{(n)}) \quad \sum_n f_n = 1$$

$$f(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t) \equiv \frac{r_{\parallel} G_S(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t)}{\sigma p_{\mathcal{N}}(\sigma, t | \sigma)} \Big|_{\sigma=\sqrt{2\langle D_{\parallel} \rangle t}}$$

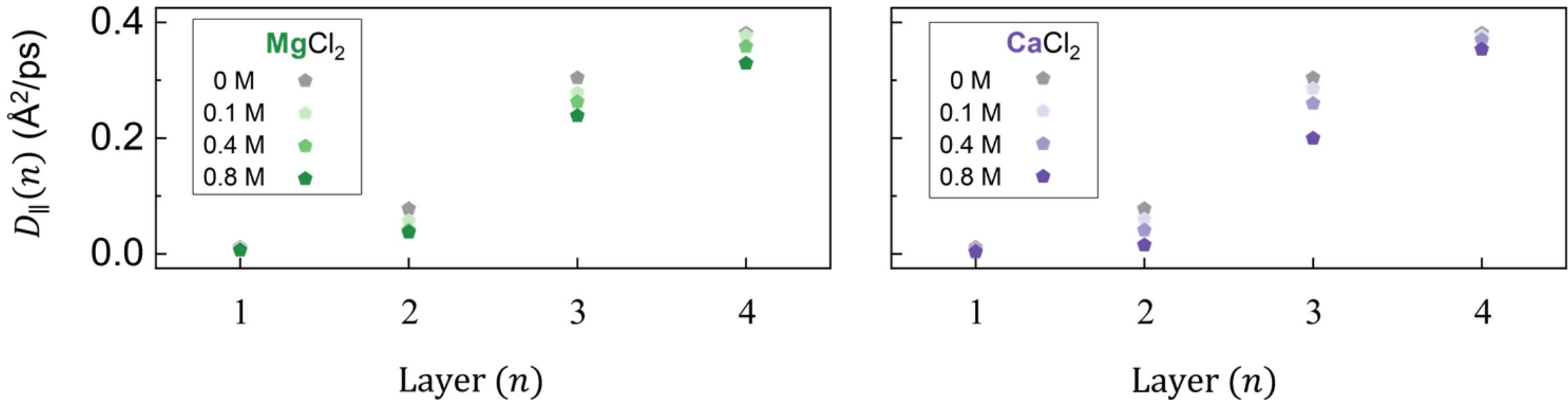
$$G_{\mathcal{N}}(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t | D_{\parallel}) \equiv (4\pi D_{\parallel} t)^{-1} e^{-r_{\parallel}^2 / 4D_{\parallel} t}$$



# SI Result 1 (c): Lateral Displacement Distribution



# SI Result 1 (d): Region dependent lateral diffusion coefficient

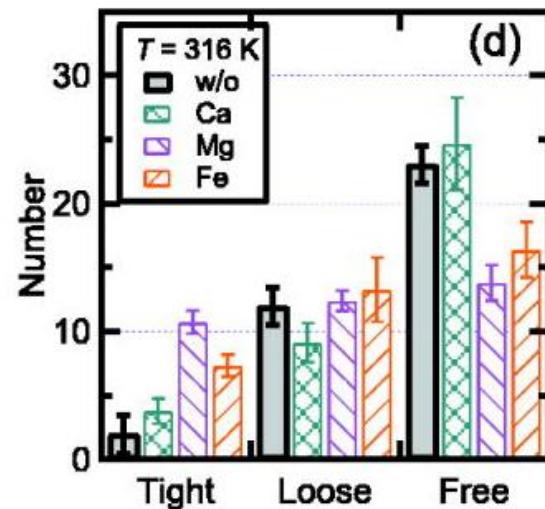


$D_{\parallel}(n)$ : determined by umbrella sampling (1  $\mu\text{s}$ -long)

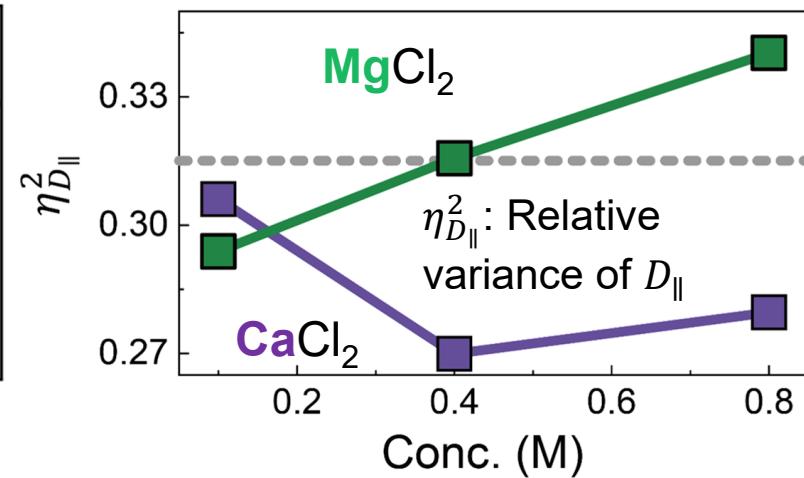
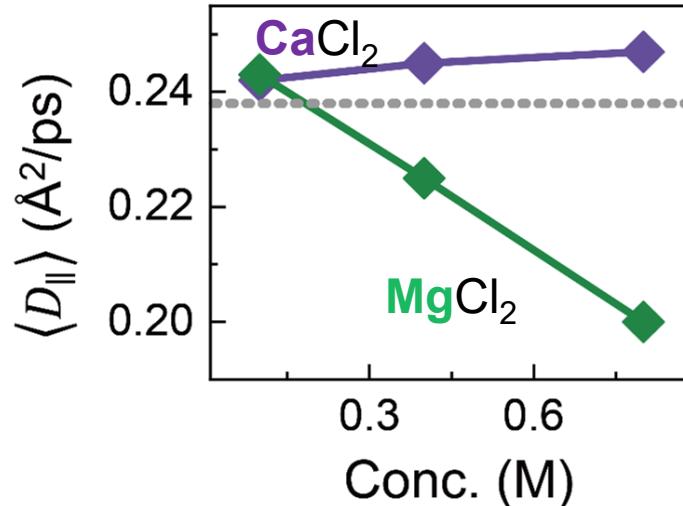
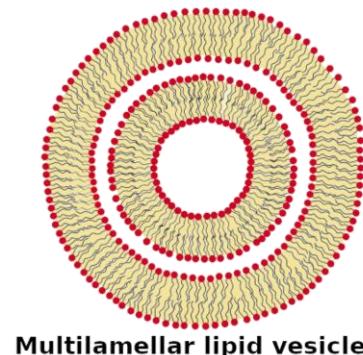
Layer( $n$ ): defined by the nodes of  $\langle P_2(\cos \theta) \rangle(z)$  in the salt-free case. (see Fig. 2 (e))

# SI Result 1 (e): Experimental result

Fig. 3



[Experiment]  
DMPC  
37  $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{lipid molecule}$ .  
0.45 M conc.



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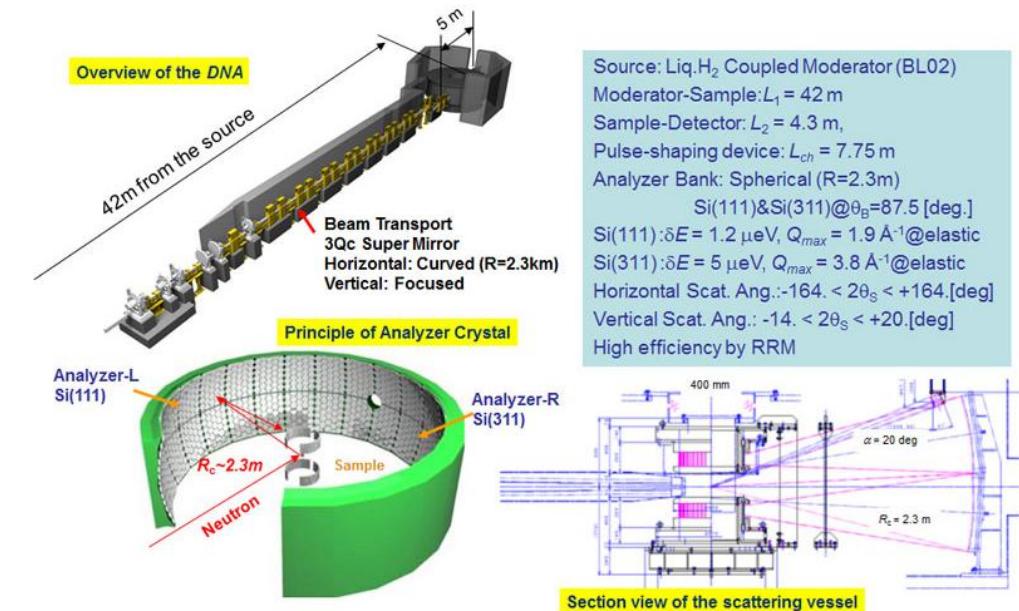
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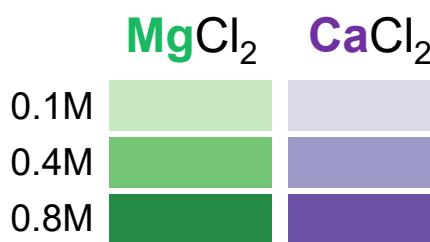
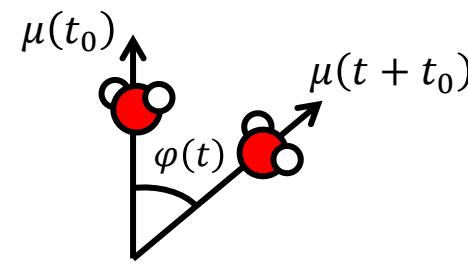
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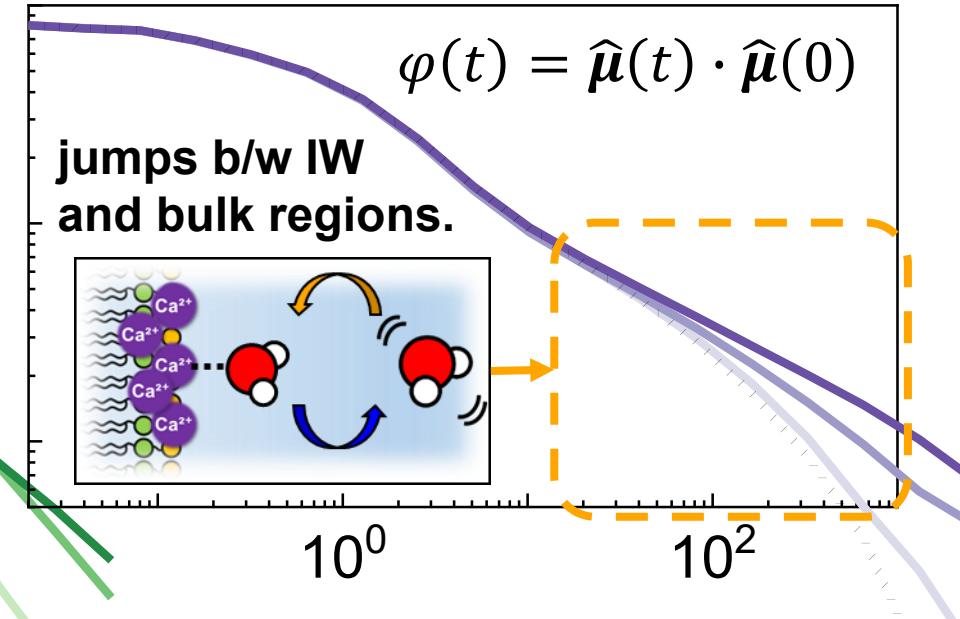
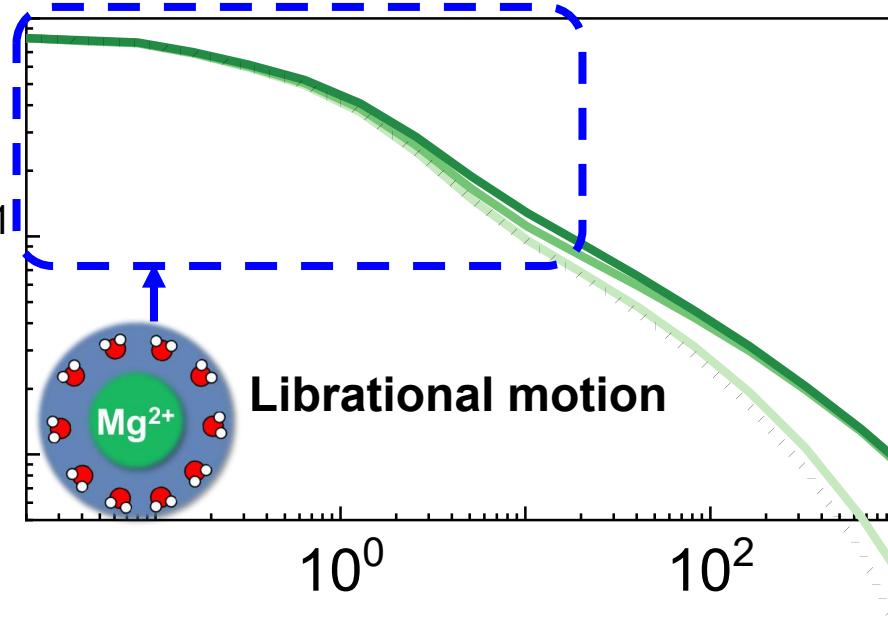
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# SI Result 1 (f). Second-order reorientational TCF $C_2(t) \equiv \langle P_2(\cos \varphi(t)) \rangle$



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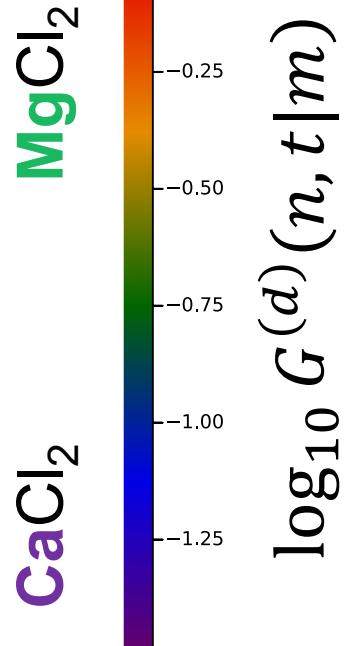
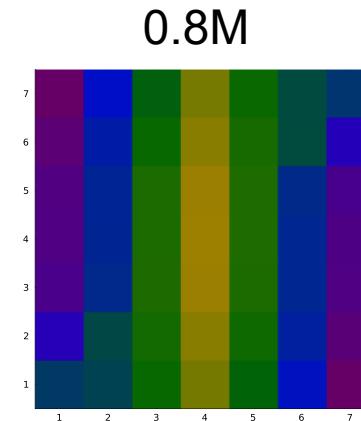
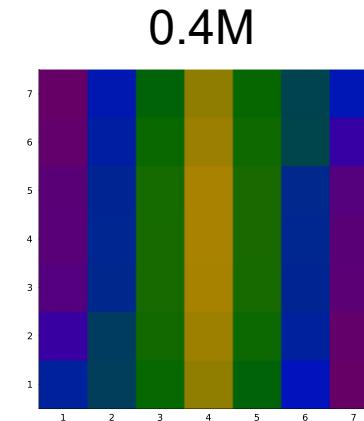
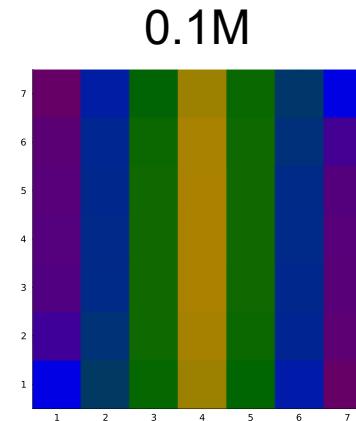
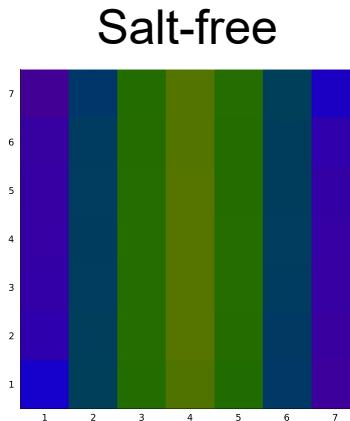


$$\tau_{\text{reor}} \equiv \int_0^\infty dt C_2(t)$$

w/o salt  
12.57 ps

	0.1M	0.4M	0.8M
MgCl <sub>2</sub>	15.13 ps	29.50 ps	28.21 ps
CaCl <sub>2</sub>	14.68 ps	23.35 ps	27.09 ps

# SI Result 2. Discrete Green's function $G^{(d)}(n, t|m)$



Salt-free

0.1M

0.4M

0.8M

SI. 2



$x$  axis:  $n$   
 $y$  axis:  $m$   
 $t = 512$  ps

- The gap between membranes was divided into **7 discrete regions**.
- For sufficiently large  $t$ ,  $G^{(d)}(n, t|m)$  converges to  $P_{st}(n)$ .
- Higher Conc. leads to a longer timescale for this process. (i.e.,  $G^{(d)}(n, t|m) \neq P_{st}(n)$ ) (See **SI Video**)