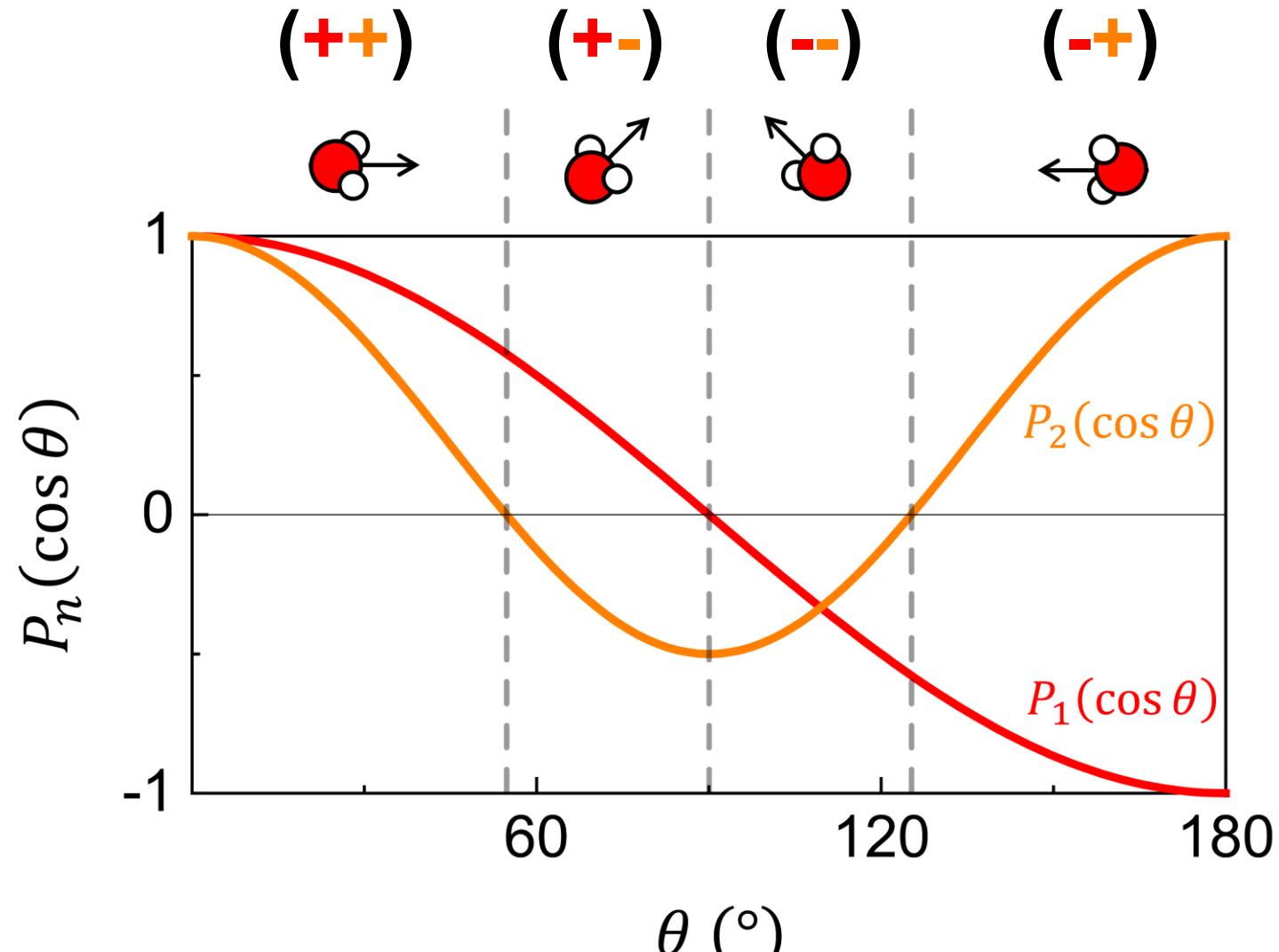


SI Result 1 (a): Legendre Polynomial



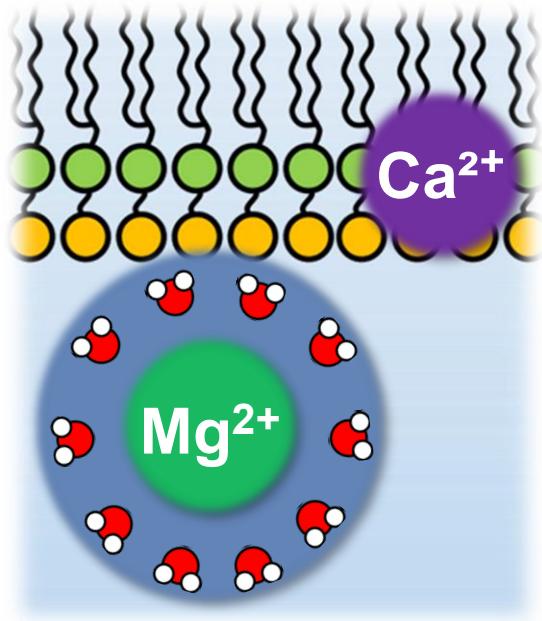
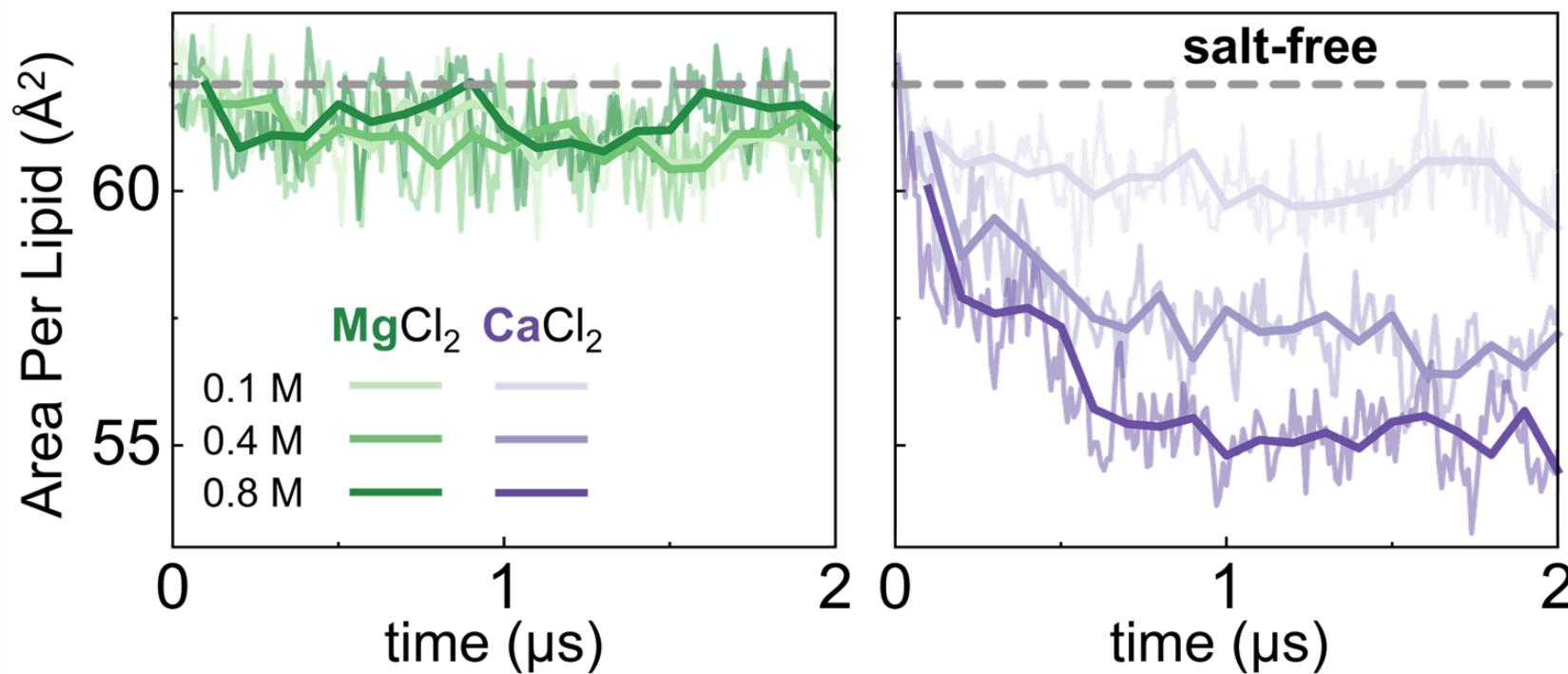
See Fig. 2 (d) and Fig. 2 (e)

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

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

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

SI Result 1 (b): Area per lipid

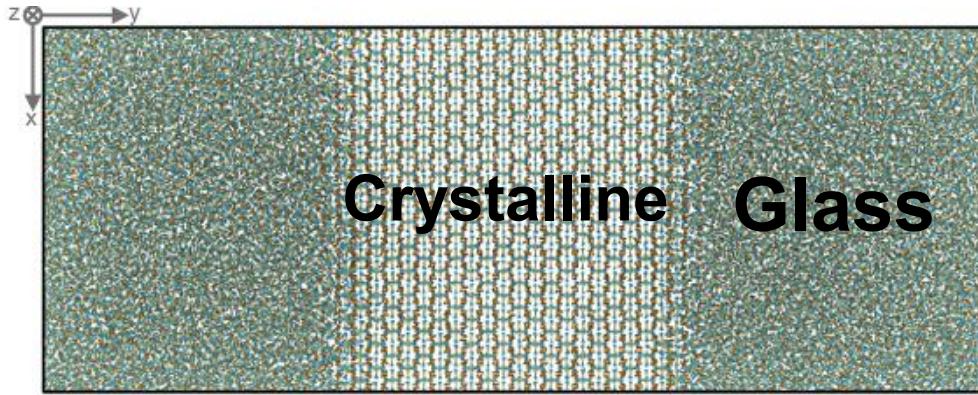


- Mg²⁺ cannot induce membrane condensation due to its **hydration shell** [7].
- Ca²⁺ reduces repulsion between headgroups, inducing **membrane condensation** [7].
- As Conc. of CaCl₂ increases, portion of interfacial water (IW) of CaCl₂ decreases.

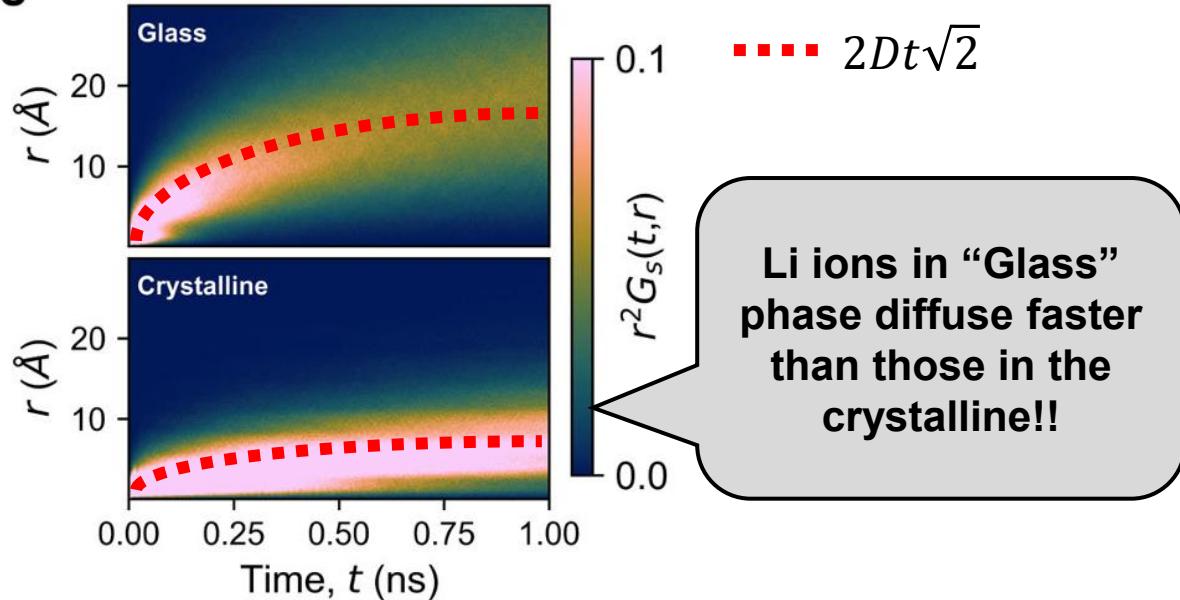
(See $\rho_{H_2O}(z)$ in **Fig. 2 (f)**)

SI Result 1 (c): Lateral Displacement Distribution

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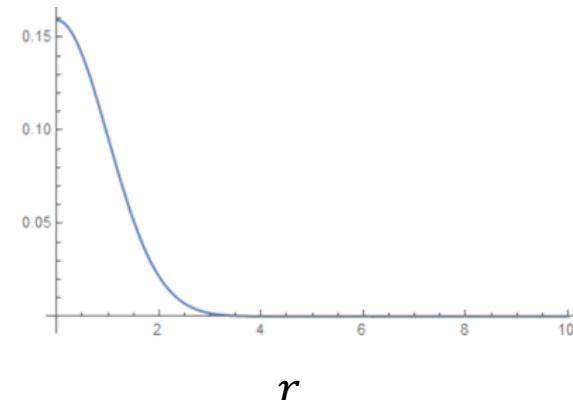
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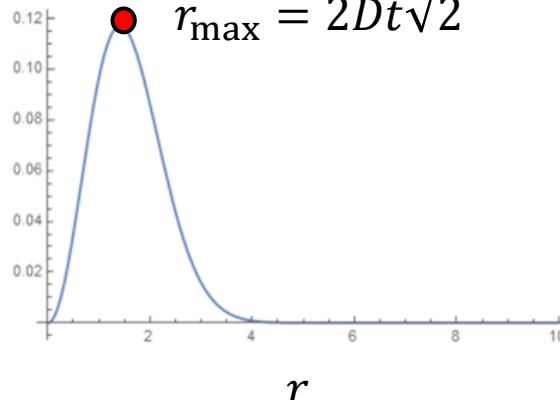
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Enhancing the ion conduction in solid electrolytes is critically important for

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



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

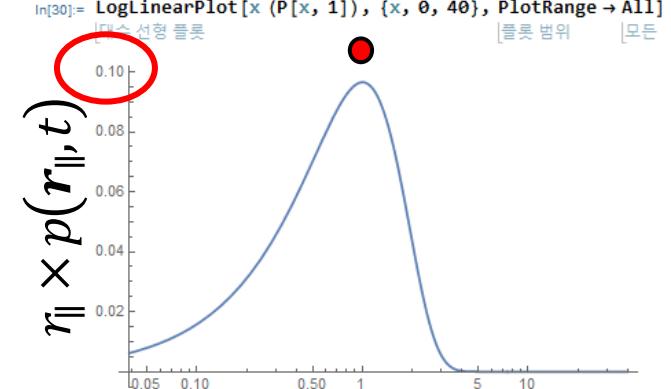


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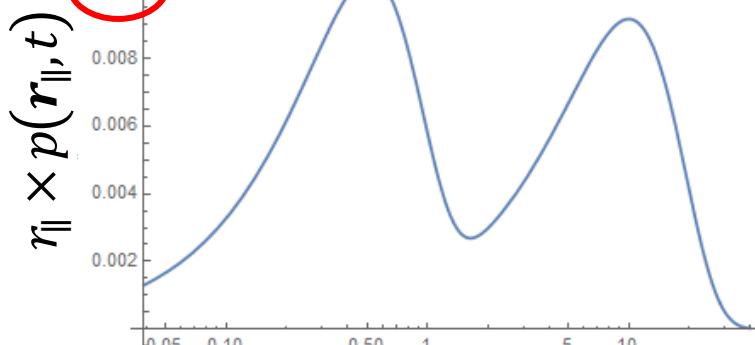
$$G_s(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t) \cong \sum_n f_n G_{\mathcal{N}}(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t | D_{\parallel}^{(n)}) \quad \sum_n f_n = 1 \quad G_{\mathcal{N}}(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t | D_{\parallel}) \equiv (4\pi D_{\parallel} t)^{-1} e^{-r_{\parallel}^2 / 4D_{\parallel} t}$$

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

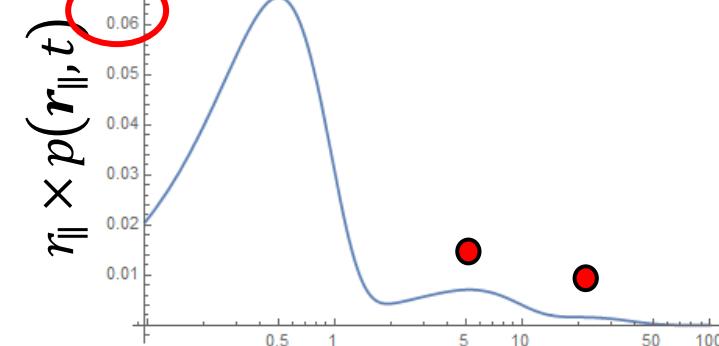
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In[2]:= P[x_, σ_] := (2 π σ²)^⁻¹ Exp[-x² / (2 σ²)]
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In[28]:= LogLinearPlot[x (0.05 P[x, 0.5] + 0.95 P[x, 10]), {x, 0, 40}, PlotRange → All]
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In[29]:=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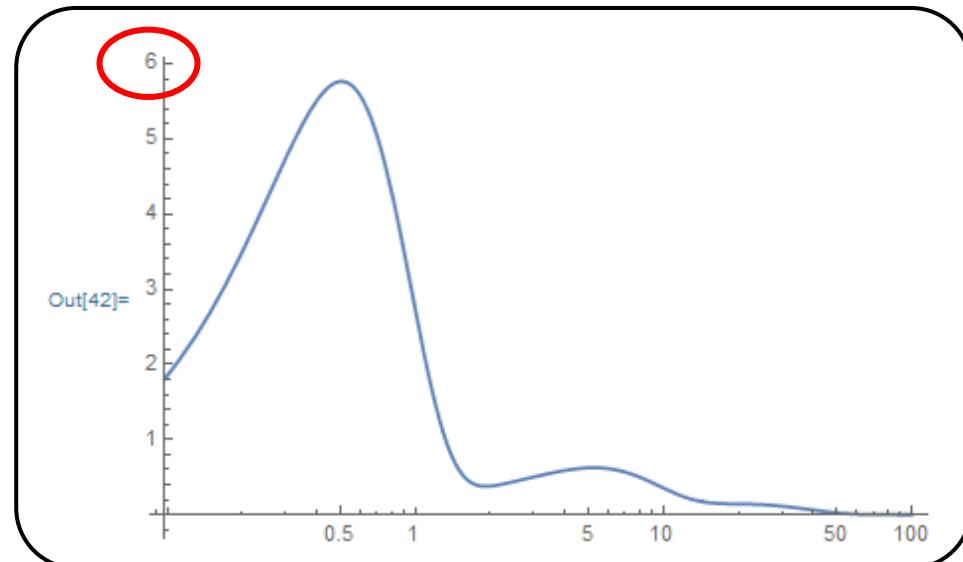
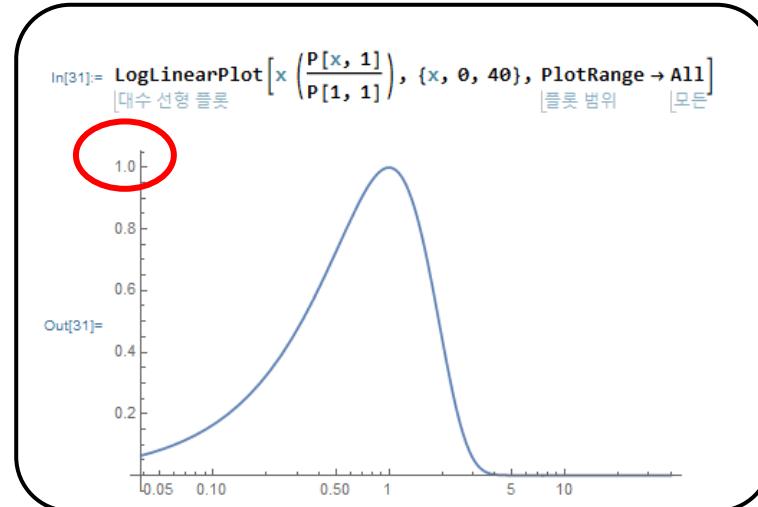
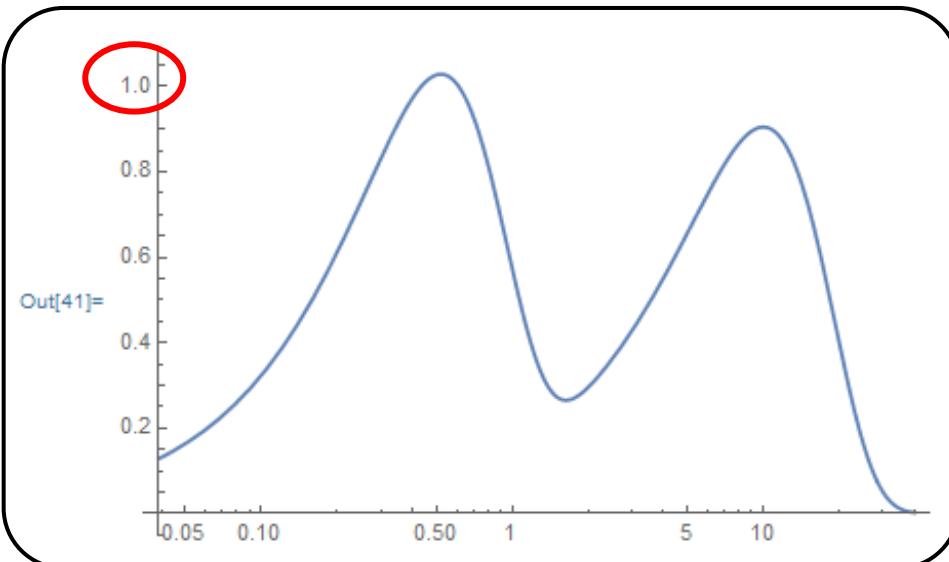


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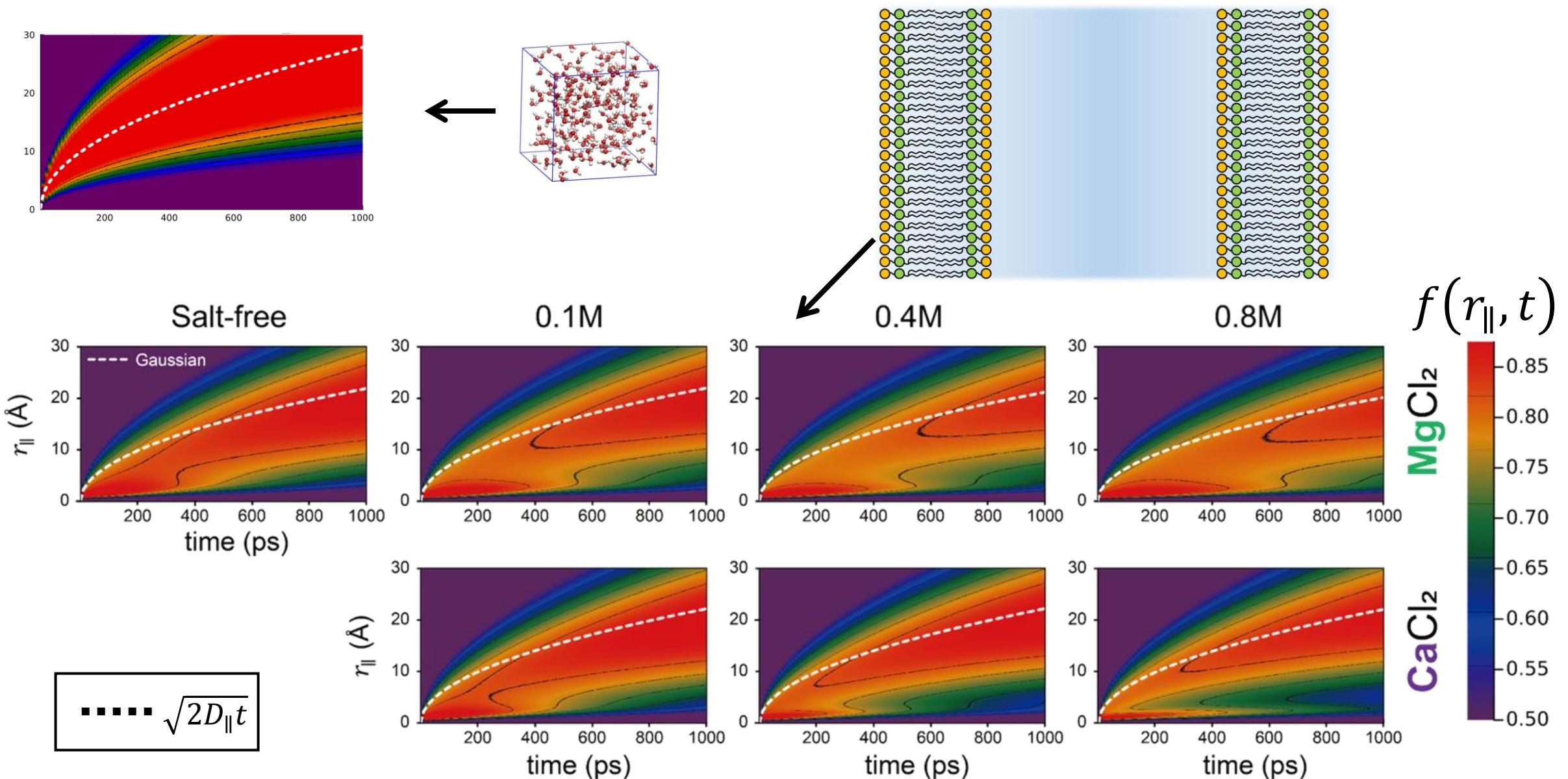
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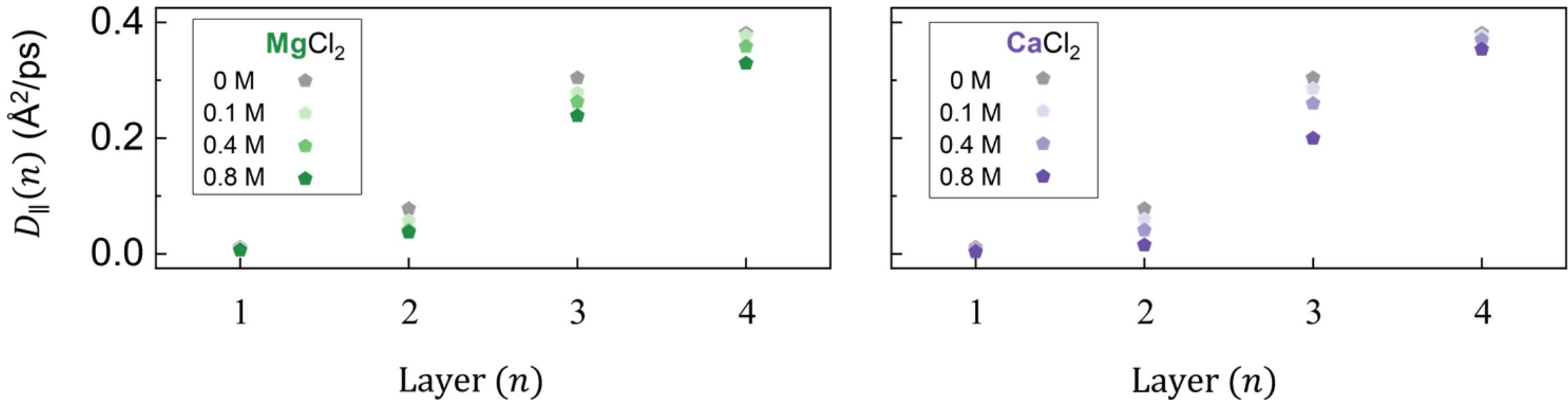
$$f(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t) \equiv \frac{r_{\parallel} G_S(\mathbf{r}_{\parallel}, t)}{\sigma p_{\mathcal{N}}(\sigma, t | \sigma)} \Big|_{\sigma=\sqrt{2\langle D_{\parallel} \rangle t}}$$



SI Result 1 (c): Lateral Displacement Distribution



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

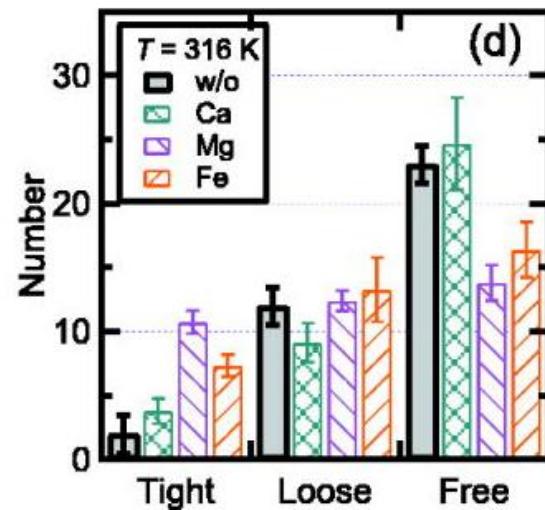


$D_{\parallel}(n)$: determined by umbrella sampling (1 μs -long)

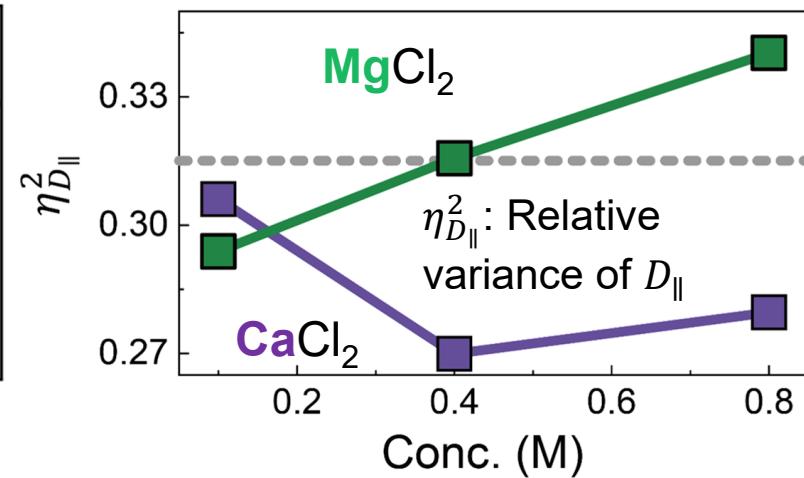
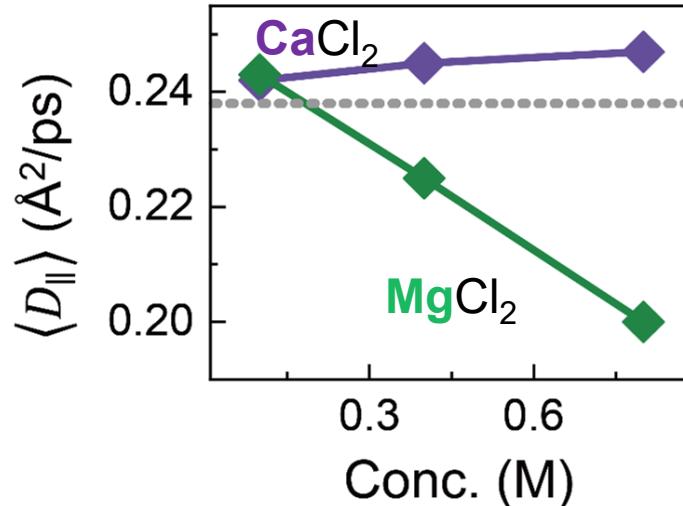
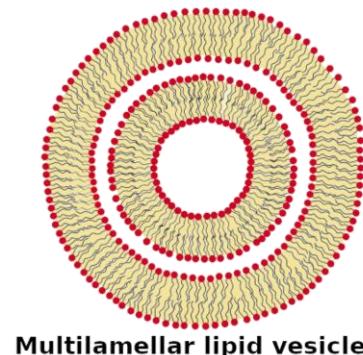
Layer(n): defined by the nodes of $\langle P_2(\cos \theta) \rangle(z)$ in the salt-free case. (see Fig. 2 (e))

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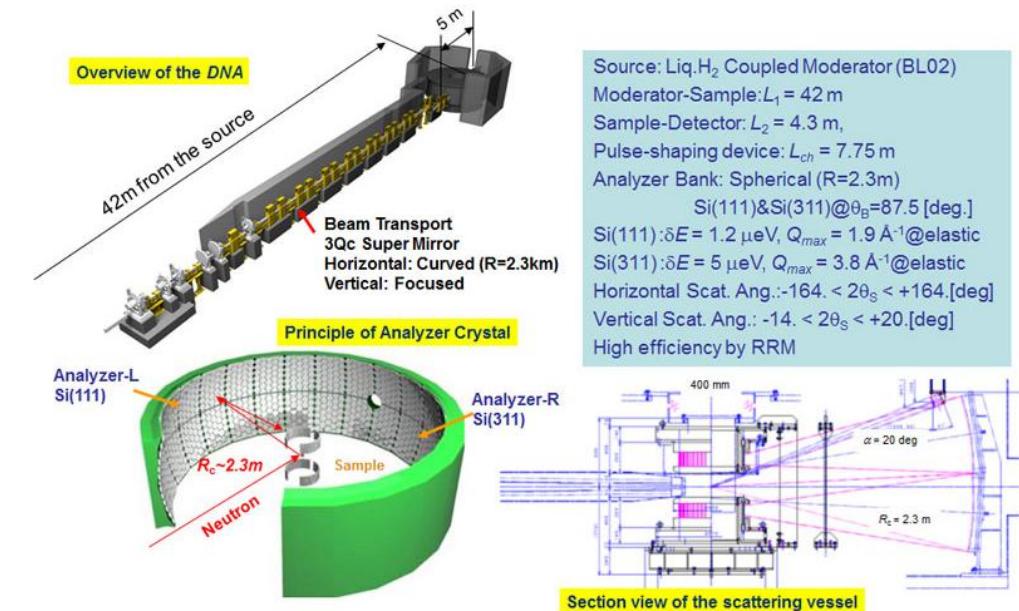
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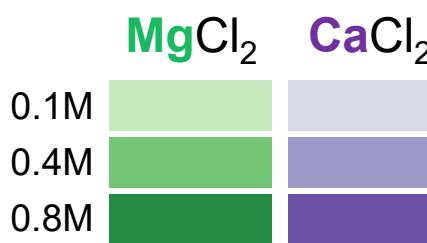
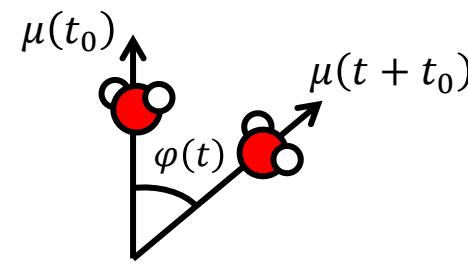
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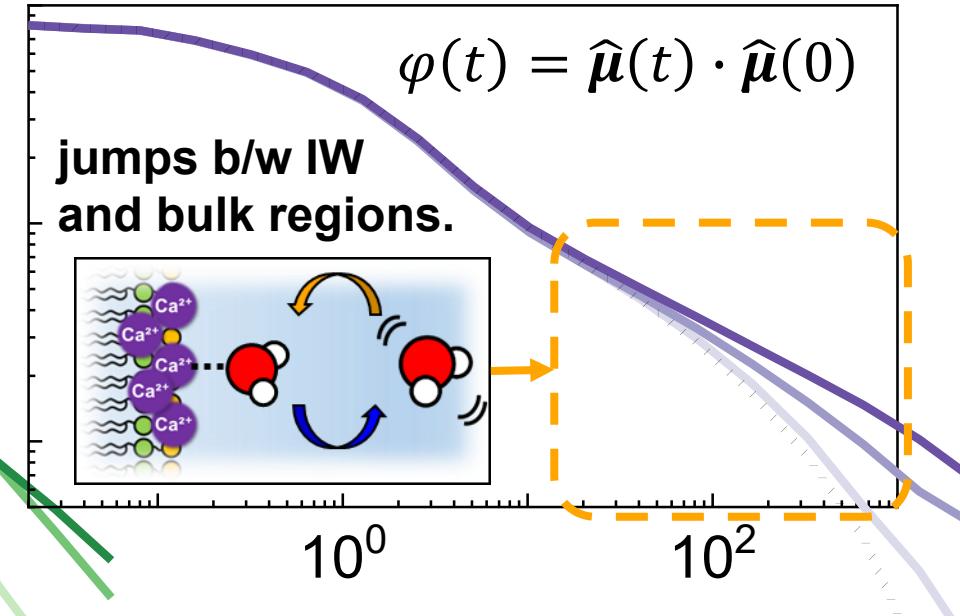
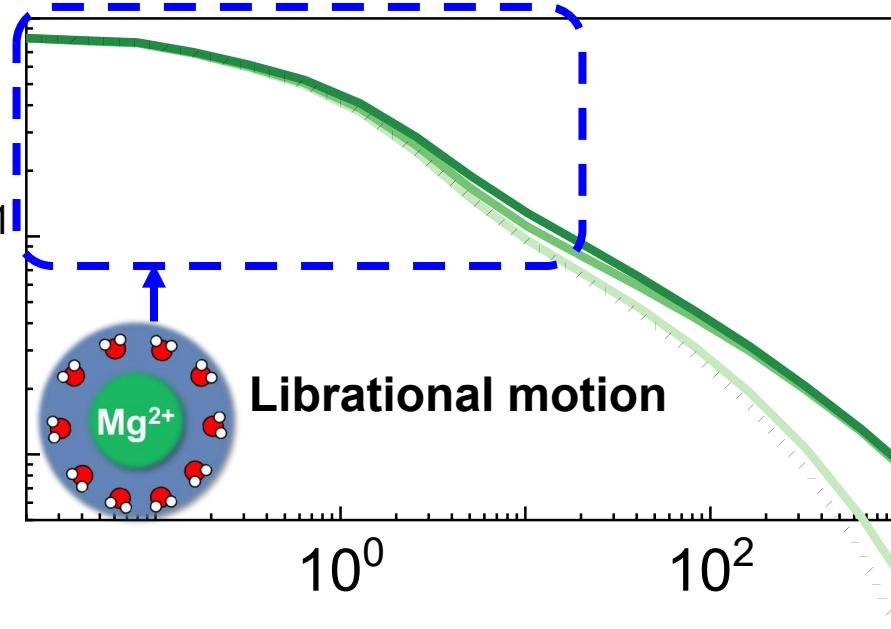
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SI Result 1 (f). Second-order reorientational TCF $C_2(t) \equiv \langle P_2(\cos \varphi(t)) \rangle$



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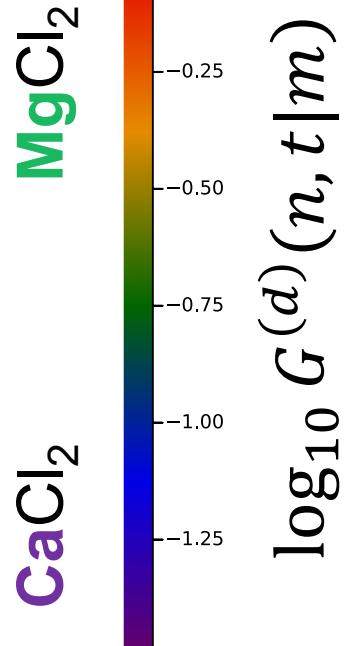
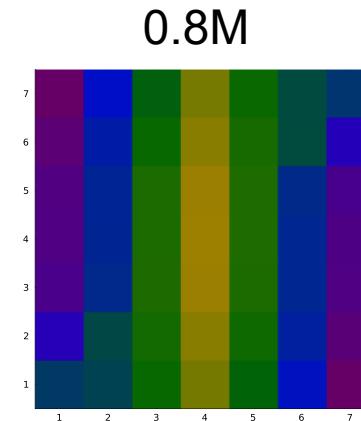
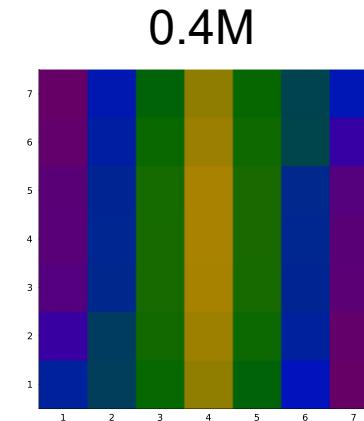
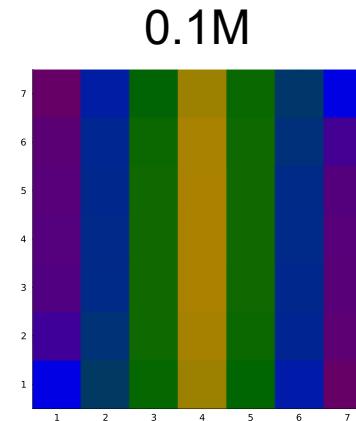
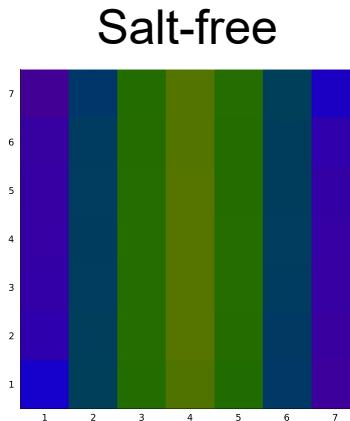


$$\tau_{\text{reor}} \equiv \int_0^\infty dt C_2(t)$$

Salt-free
12.57 ps

	0.1M	0.4M	0.8M
MgCl ₂	15.13 ps	29.50 ps	28.21 ps
CaCl ₂	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**)