

Supporting Information

Vacancy-Induced Anion and Cation Redox Chemistry in Cation-Defect F-doped Anatase TiO₂

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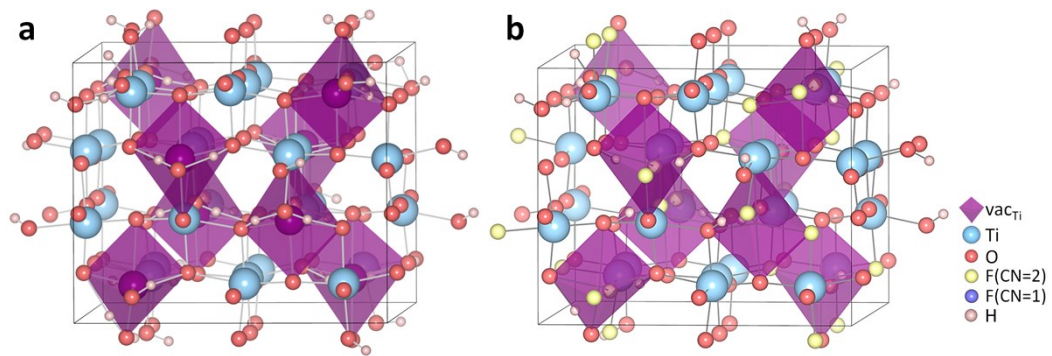


Fig. S1 (a) The structure of $\text{Ti}_{0.78}\square_{0.22}\text{O}_{1.11}(\text{OH})_{0.89}$. (b) structure of $\text{Ti}_{0.78}\square_{0.22}\text{O}_{1.11}\text{F}_{0.44}(\text{OH})_{0.44}$.

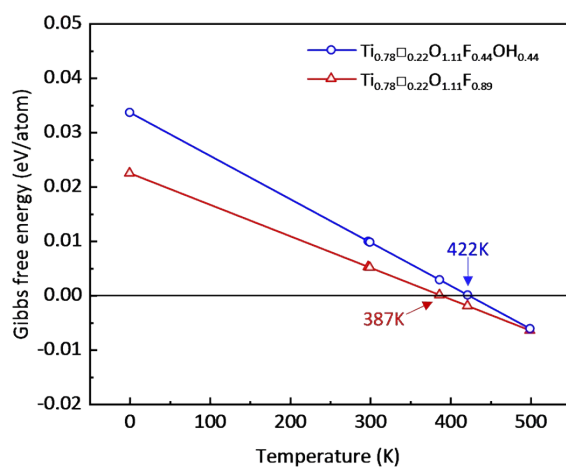


Fig. S2 Calculated temperature-dependent free energy of $\text{Ti}_{0.78}\text{O}_{1.11}\text{F}_{0.89}$ (red line) and $\text{Ti}_{0.78}\text{O}_{1.11}\text{F}_{0.44}(\text{OH})_{0.44}$ (blue line) versus TiO_2 , TiF_4 and H_2O phase mixtures.

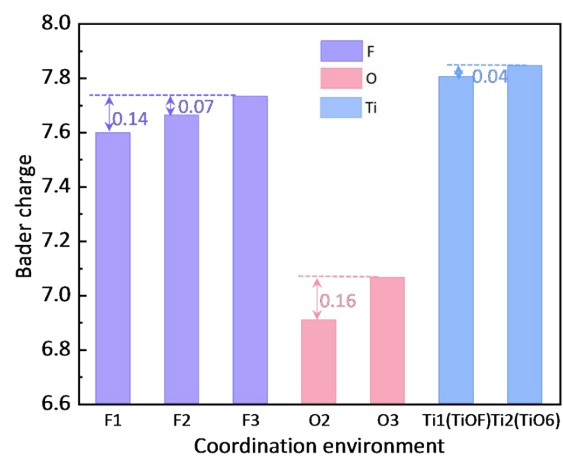


Fig. S3 Bader charge analysis of different local structures. F with three coordination positions, O with two coordination positions as and Ti with two regions.

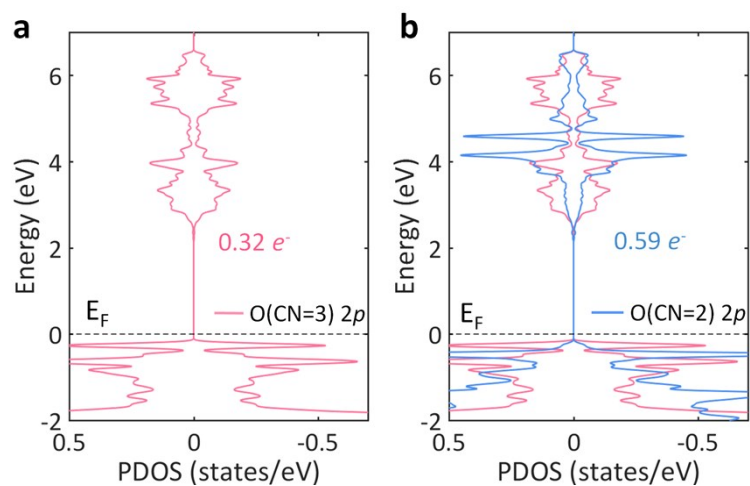


Fig. S4 Effects of different coordination environments on the electronic state of oxygen anions. The projected density of the O-2p orbital state density (pDOS) of O atoms in oxygen-doped defect titanium dioxide consists of different coordination (a) three coordination (b) two coordination.

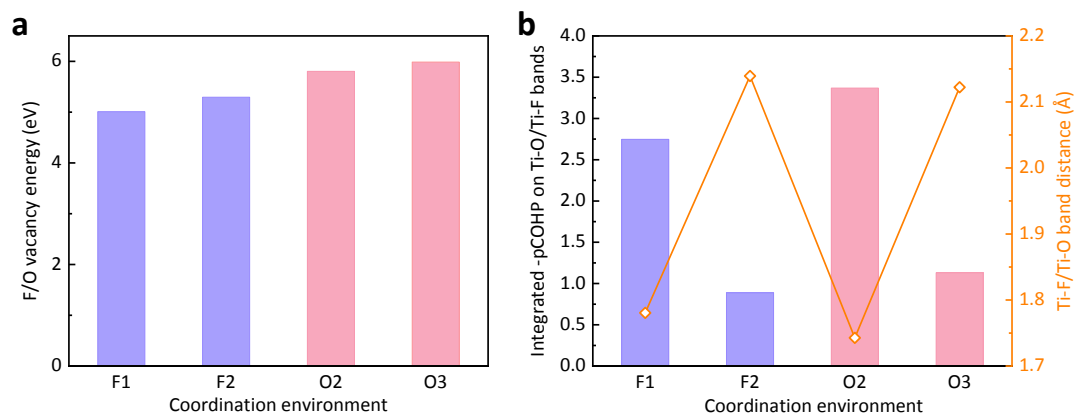


Fig. S5 Stability of oxidation state F and O. (a) The vacancy formation energy of oxygen or fluorine atoms. (b) The integration of the projection crystal orbital Hamiltonian population (ICOHP) shows Ti-O/Ti-F bond strength.

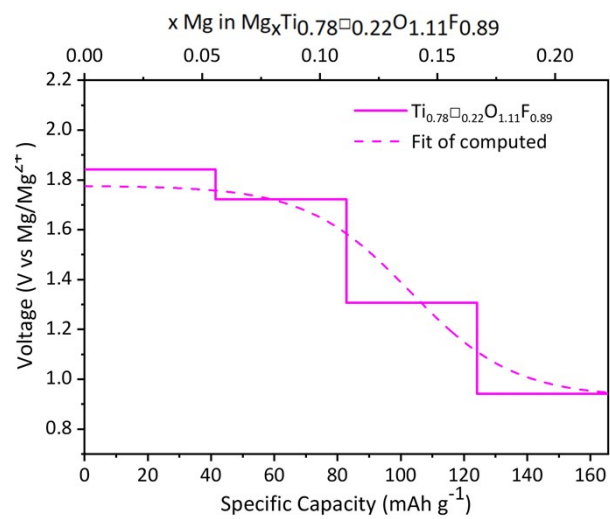


Fig. S6 Calculated voltage plateaus of Mg²⁺ insertion and the fitting voltage curve.

Table S1. The calculation details of the chemical potential in the solid-phase method.

Experimental values, calculated values and equations of TiO₂, TiF₃ and Ti.

Compounds	$E_{\text{DFT}}(\text{GGA})$	$\Delta G_r(\text{Expt})$ (kJ/mol)
TiO ₂	-26.90	-833.266
TiF ₃	-27.09	-1361.864
Ti	-7.85	0
Equation(I)	$\mu_{\text{O}_2} = E^{\text{TiO}_2}(\text{GGA}) - E^{\text{Ti}}(\text{GGA}) - \Delta G_r^{\text{O}}(\text{Expt})$ (eV)	
Equation(II)	$\mu_{\text{F}_2} = \frac{3}{2}\{E^{\text{TiF}_3}(\text{GGA}) - E^{\text{Ti}}(\text{GGA}) - \Delta G_r^{\text{F}}(\text{Expt})\}$ (eV)	

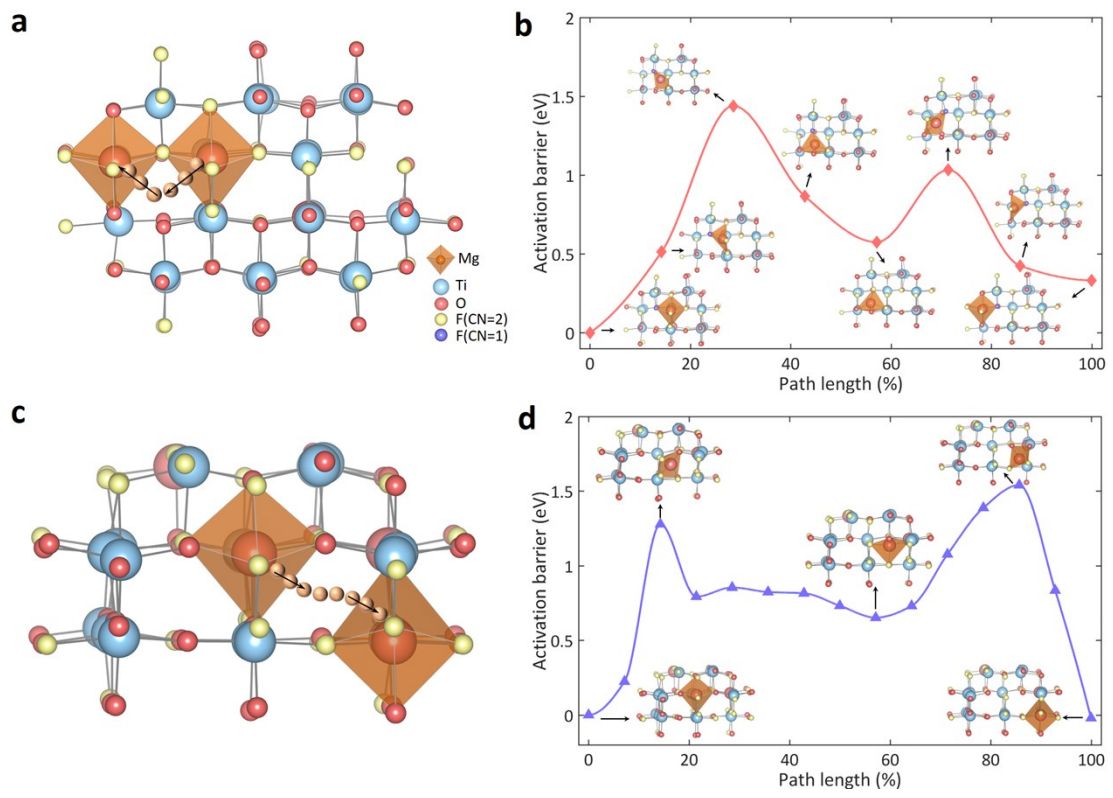


Fig. S7 The a and b are the Mg migration paths in scattered-defect structures, c and d are Mg migration paths in connected-defect structures.

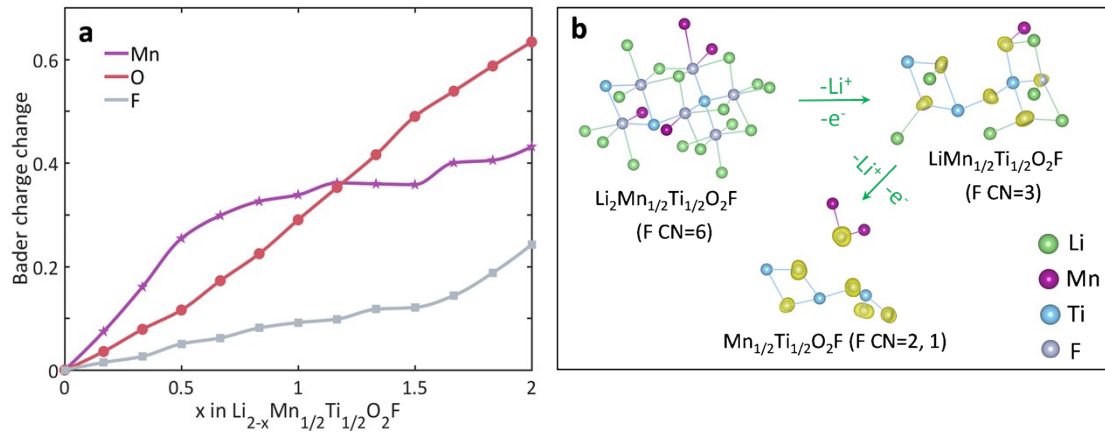


Fig. S8 Electrochemical characteristics of $\text{Li}_2\text{Ti}_{0.5}\text{Mn}_{0.5}\text{O}_2\text{F}$. (a) Average change of bader charge during delithiation. (b) The evolution of F coordination number in the process of delithiation.