Supporting Information for "The Reduction of Oxygen in Various Room Temperature Ionic Liquids in the Temperature Range 293–318 K: Exploring the Applicability of the Stokes-Einstein Relationship in Room Temperature Ionic Liquids."

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Figure Legends

- Typical cyclic voltammograms at a range of temperatures (298, 303, 308, 313, 318 and 323 K) for the reduction of 1 atm O₂ on a 10 μm diameter platinum electrode vs Ag in (a) [C₄mpyrr][NTf₂], (b) [C₄dmim][NTf₂], (c) [C₄mim][PF₆] and (d) [N_{6,2,2,2}][NTf₂] at a scan rate of 1000 mV s⁻¹.
- Plots of ln η vs T⁻¹ for the ionic liquids [C₄mim][NTf₂], [C₄mpyrr][NTf₂], [C₄dmim][NTf₂], [C₄dmim][NTf₂], [C₄mim][PF₆] and [N_{6,2,2,2}][NTf₂], used to determine the activation energy of viscosity values quoted in Table 2.



Figure 1: Typical cyclic voltammograms at a range of temperatures (298, 303, 308, 313, 318 and 323 K) for the reduction of 1 atm O₂ on a 10 μ m diameter platinum electrode vs Ag in (a) [C₄mpyrr][NTf₂], (b) [C₄dmim][NTf₂], (c) [C₄mim][PF₆] and (d) [N_{6,2,2,2}][NTf₂] at a scan rate of 1000 mV s⁻¹.



Figure 2: Plots of $\ln \eta \ vs \ T^{-1}$ for the ionic liquids $[C_4 mim][NTf_2]$, $[C_4 mpyrr][NTf_2]$, $[C_4 mim][NTf_2]$, $[C_4 mim][BF_4]$, $[C_4 mim][PF_6]$ and $[N_{6,2,2,2}][NTf_2]$, used to determine the activation energy of viscosity values quoted in Table 2.