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Flexible Piezoelectric Materials

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Flexible piezoelectric materials are emerging as an empowering tool for various fields including sensing, actuation, and energy harvesting. These materials display physical coupling between electrical and mechanical domains, while offering the important benefit of flexibility. These propitious features are useful for new applications in science and engineering, such as wearable devices, artificial skin, artificial muscles, and soft robots. Exemplary material systems include polyvinylidene fluoride (PVDF), PVDF\(\tilde{\tilde{Z}}\)copolymer, macro fiber composite (MFC) and other materials with piezoelectric properties. Our scope includes experimental, theoretical, and computational approaches to flexible piezoelectric materials for new applications.

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