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Polymer Electrolytes: Fundamentals, Approaches and Applications

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This Special Issue aims to compile cutting-edge research and comprehensive reviews that explore the multifaceted aspects of polymer electrolytes. It will delve into the fundamental principles governing the behavior of these materials, including ion transport mechanisms, phase behavior, and interfacial phenomena. This Special Issue seeks contributions that highlight innovative approaches in material design, synthesis, and characterization techniques that enhance the performance and stability of polymer electrolytes. Moreover, it will emphasize applications across diverse fields such as batteries, fuel cells, supercapacitors, and sensors, where polymer electrolytes play a crucial role in advancing energy storage and conversion technologies. We welcome studies on both solid and gel polymer electrolytes, with a focus on emerging trends like biodegradable materials, self-healing polymers, and nanocomposites. The goal is to bridge the gap between theoretical understanding and practical implementation, fostering interdisciplinary collaboration and accelerating the development of next-generation devices powered by efficient and sustainable polymer electrolyte systems.

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