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Polymer Electrolytes Membranes

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Rapid industrialization and population explosion are the main reasons for the current energy crisis and resources shortage. Fossil fuels are our major sources of energy. The combustion of these fuels results in the emission of greenhouse gases, and threatens human health. Fuel cells are a promising clean energy technology since they are not limited by heat-engine thermodynamics and can operate at low temperature without combustion byproducts.

As an alternate energy carrier, hydrogen generate power for domestic, industrial, and transportation sectors. Hydrogen production by water electrolysis at low temperature is most promising because of the purity of produced hydrogen (*99.9%) and its compatible nature with all electricity sources. Polyelectrolyte membranes, namely, anion exchange membranes (AEMs) and proton exchange membranes (PEMs), are a critical component of fuel cells, water electrolysis, redox flow batteries, electrodialysis, CO2 electroreduction, etc.

This Special Issue welcomes contributions focused on the Synthesis and Characterization of Polymer Electrolyte Membranes for electrochemical devices and CO2 electroreduction to produce value-added chemicals.













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