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Structure and Dynamics of Polymers

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Understanding the structure and dynamics of polymers is fundamental to predicting and controlling their properties, which directly influence their performance in various applications, such as electronics, biomedicine, and sustainable materials. Specifically, the arrangement and conformation of polymer chains, rheological behaviors, and molecular interactions can dictate key characteristics such as mechanical strength, thermal stability, and transport properties. To advance our understanding of these fundamental aspects, this Special Issue focuses on the intricate relationships between polymer structures and their dynamic behaviors across various length and time scales. Interest areas include, but are not limited to, molecular modeling and simulations, experimental characterization, polymer rheology and viscoelasticity, interfacial dynamics, and advanced polymeric material applications. Based on these findings, this Special Issue aims to provide an academic exchange platform, promoting deeper insights into polymer behavior and its characteristics in science and engineering.

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