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## EDITORIAL

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### Introduction to polymers for gene delivery

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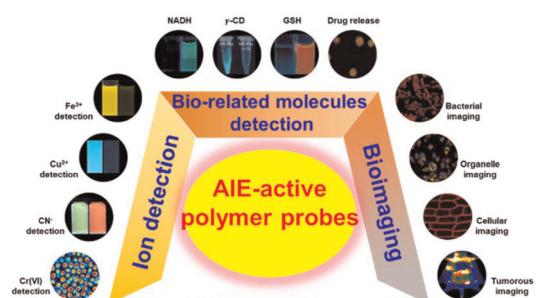


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### AIE polymers for biosensing applications

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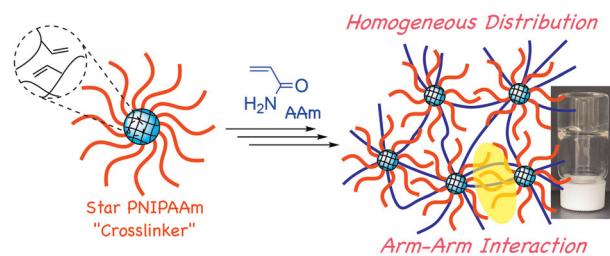


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**Structure–property correlation of hydrogels obtained via radical polymerization using the central cores of multiarm star polymers as crosslinkers**

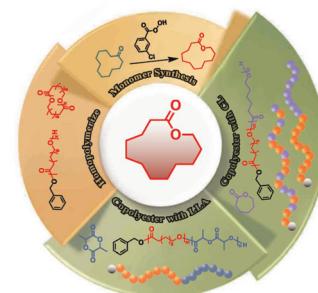
Shohei Ida,\* Souma Suzuki, Shogo Toda, Hiroki Takeshita, Masatoshi Oyama, Keiji Nakajima and Shokyoku Kanaoka\*



1939

**Tunable organo-catalysed ring-opening polymerization of  $\omega$ -dodecalactone macrolactone by the cyclic triphosphazene base**

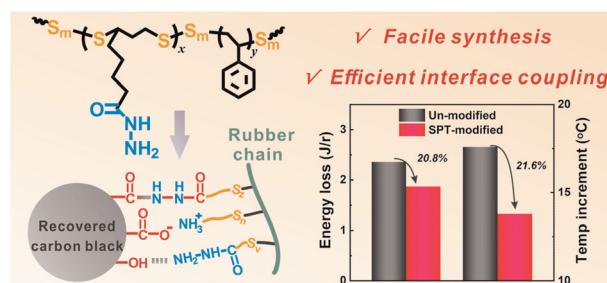
Rui Han, Xiangyu Miao, Dongfang Zhao, Zheng Li and Zhibo Li\*



1949

**Reviving recovered carbon black as a reinforcement for natural rubber by utilizing acylhydrazine-functionalized polysulfide as an intelligent interfacial modifier**

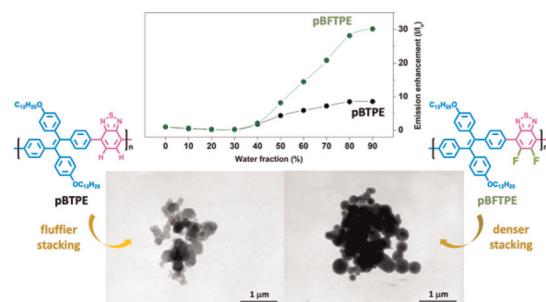
Senmao Yu, Zhenghai Tang,\* Dong Wang, Siwu Wu, Fei Chen, Baochun Guo\* and Liqun Zhang



1961

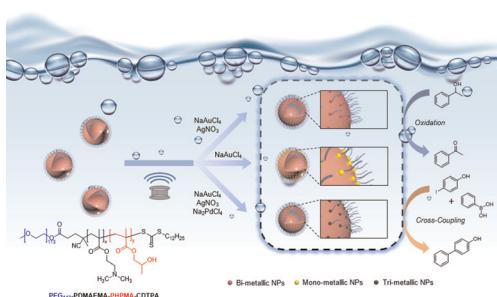
**Effect of fluorine substitution on tetraphenylethene-benzothiadiazole based AIE-active copolymers**

Chih-Hsien Chen,\* Yen-Ting Cao, Yi-Ting Ou and Man-Hsin Hsieh



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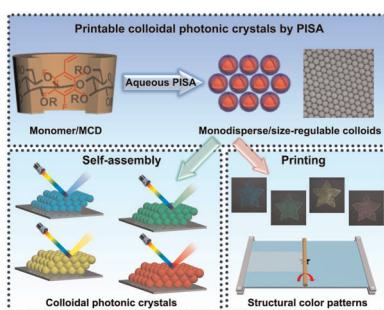
1969



**Polymer–metal nanocomposites with bi- or tri-metallic compositions exhibiting catalytic properties**

Nicholas Kai Shiang Teo, Yi Huang and San H. Thang\*

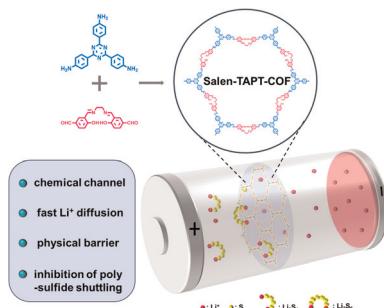
1981



**Monodisperse and size-regulable nanoparticles by polymerization-induced self-assembly for printable colloidal photonic crystals**

Nankai An, Xushuai Chen, Xi Chen\* and Jinying Yuan\*

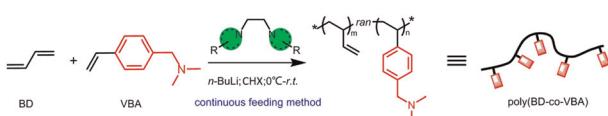
1990



**Two-dimensional salen-based covalent organic frameworks with highly electronegative groups as separators for high stability lithium–sulfur batteries**

Xiaoyu Xu, Yingkai Guan, Bo Sun, Wei Xie, Yanhong Xu\* and Ji Qi\*

1997



**Facile synthesis of functionalized high vinyl polybutadiene by using 1,2-dipiperidinoethane derivatives as polar modifiers**

Qiqi Dai, Yao Long, Xupeng Han, Yang Yang, Yi Yang, Yawen Fu, Wenjun Yi, Xiaoxing Gu, Kun Liu\* and Lijun Li\*



