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# State-of-the-Art Polymer Science and Technology in Poland

## Message from the Collection Editors

The history of polymers manufacturing in Poland dates back before the World War II, when regenerated cellulose films (1931) and polybutadiene (erythrene rubber, 1938) were introduced to the market. Currently, the scientific potential of Polish institutions conducting research in the field of chemistry, technology and polymer engineering is significant and recognized not only at national but also international level. In this Special Issue, we aim to present a broad overview on recent developments in the field of polymer science and technology in Poland, Reviews, original articles, and state-of-the-art research papers, covering all the aspects of current trends in polymeric materials research performed in Poland or by Polish researchers working abroad are welcome. The topics of this special issue will include, but are not limited to:

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