Multifunctional Porous Polymer Nanofilms

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Self-supporting and porous polymer nanofilms at thicknesses ~100 nm are enabler materials for a myriad of cutting edge technologies. The nanofilm is thinner than a human hair and yet over 25 times stronger than that of stainless steel with the same mass. Among all the known ultra-thin films, the nanofilm is the strongest and highly transparent, while being thin and porous at the same time.

Potential Applications

- Filtration: Water purification, air filtration, nanofiltration
- Electronics: Flexible display, wearable device
- Healthcare: Antibacterial film, skin sensor
- Energy: Flexible ultrathin batteries, high-energy-density capacitors



The nanofilm's adjustable porous property has made it the world's most potent polymeric membrane for membrane distillation desalination

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Advantages

- Ultra-thin
- High mechanical strength
- High transparency

- High gas permeability
- Tunable porous properties
- Free-standing and self-supporting



Intellectual Properties

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