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Advanced Research on Polymer Electrolytes for Membrane-Based Fuel Cells

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Fuel cells are promising energy storage systems for the achievement of zero emissions in the coming future. Powered by hydrogen or alcohols, fuel cells convert chemical energy into electricity. However, large-scale commercial applications of fuel cells are experiencing drawbacks because of the limits in the fundamental studies, the discovery of cheap but efficient catalysts, and the large-scale manufacturing of chemically stable electrolytes, primarily in the form of membranes.

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- Proton-exchange membranes for fuel cells
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