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Breaking the Mold: Biodegradable Polymers in Modern Materials Science

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Abstract

Biodegradable polymers, often referred to as bio plastics, are gaining increasing attention as eco-friendly alternatives to conventional plastics. These polymers are designed to break down naturally into environmentally benign byproducts, offering a sustainable solution to the plastic pollution crisis. This abstract provides a concise overview of biodegradable polymers, their types, applications, benefits, and challenges.

Biodegradable polymers encompass a diverse range of materials, including polylactic acid (PLA), polyhydroxyalkanoates (PHAs), polybutylene succinate (PBS), and more. These polymers can be derived from renewable sources or produced through microbial fermentation, making them an attractive choice for environmentally conscious industries.

Applications of biodegradable polymers span various sectors, such as packaging, agriculture, medical devices, textiles, and consumer goods. They are increasingly used in single-use products, reducing plastic waste in landfills and oceans.

The benefits of biodegradable polymers are significant. They contribute to reducing plastic pollution by accelerating decomposition, and many are need for a comprehensive understanding of their environmental impact thr-NRgsu7S for aenvironmelijhloAcle
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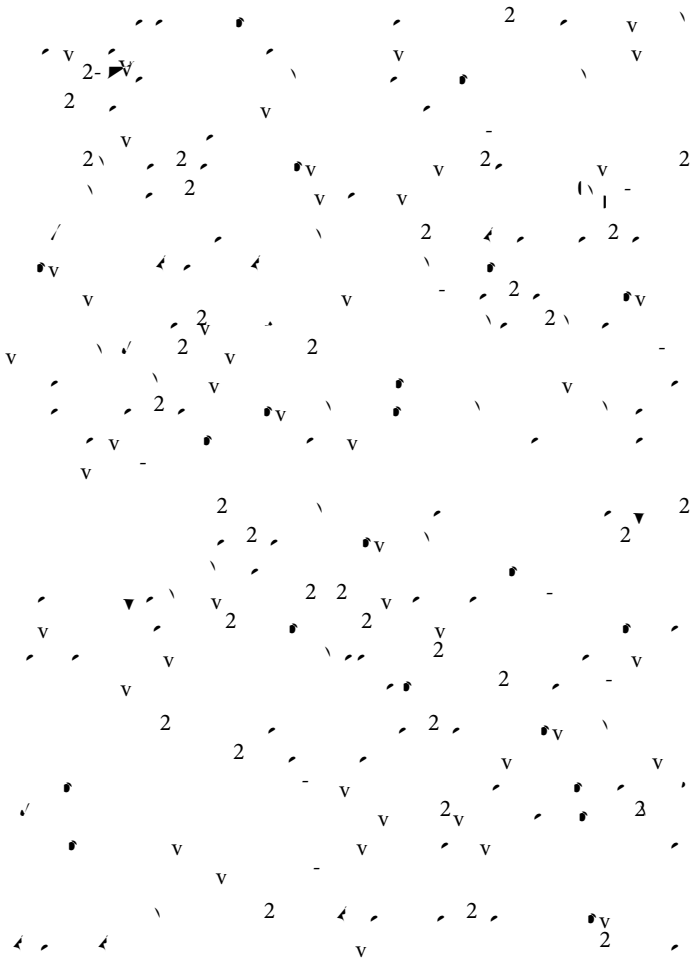

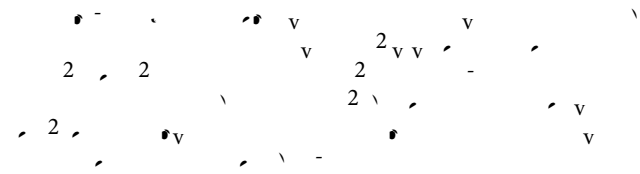

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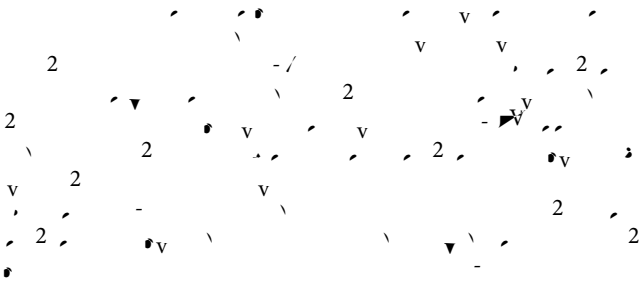

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Discussion on biodegradable polymers

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