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## ABBREVIATIONS

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<b>SiO<sub>2</sub></b>	-	Silicon dioxide or Silica
<b>PA</b>	-	PolyAmide
<b>PP</b>	-	PolyPropylene
<b>PET</b>	-	PolyEthylineTerphalete
<b>NNI</b>	-	National Nanotechnology Initiative
<b>LS</b>	-	Layered Silicate
<b>DNA</b>	-	Deoxyribonucleic acid
<b>CNTs</b>	-	Carbon Nano-Tubes
<b>CVD</b>	-	Chemical Vapor Deposition
<b>LASiS</b>	-	Laser Ablation Synthesis
<b>PECVD</b>	-	Plasma-Enhanced Chemical Vapor Deposition
<b>SP</b>	-	Spray Pyrolysis
<b>ODOP</b>	-	One Droplet- to-One-Product particle
<b>CdSe</b>	-	Cadmium Selenide
<b>TEM</b>	-	Transmission Electronic Microscopy
<b>SEM</b>	-	Scanning Electron Microscopy
<b>CCD</b>	-	Charge-Coupled Device
<b>AFM</b>	-	Atomic Force Microscopy
<b>DLS</b>	-	Dynamic Light Scattering
<b>XPS</b>	-	X-ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy
<b>XRD</b>	-	X-ray Diffraction
<b>FTIR</b>	-	Fourier Transform Infrared Spectroscopy
<b>MALDI-TOF</b>	-	Matrix-Assisted Laser Desorption/Ionization Time-Of-Flight
<b>MS</b>	-	Mass Spectrometry
<b>NMR</b>	-	Nuclear Magnetic Resonance
<b>MRI</b>	-	<u>Magnetic Resonance Image</u>
<b>TGA</b>	-	Thermo Gravimetric Analysis
<b>DSC</b>	-	Differential Scanning Calorimetric
<b>DTA</b>	-	Differential Thermal Analysis
<b>CTE</b>	-	Coefficients of Thermal Expansion

## Abbreviations

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<b>ATO</b>	-	Antimony-Doped Tin Oxide
<b>Tg</b>	-	Glass Transition Temperature
<b>EDX</b>	-	Energy Dispersive X-Ray Analyzer
<b>ASTM</b>	-	American Society for Testing and Materials
<b>AATCC</b>	-	American Association of Textile Chemists and Colorists.
<b>B.S</b>	-	British Standards
<b>ISO</b>	-	International Organization for Standardization
<b>WL</b>	-	Wavelength of UV rays
<b>gpl</b>	-	Gram Per Liter
<b>P-D-C</b>	-	Pad- Dry-Cure method
<b>NP</b>	-	Nano Particle
<b>CB</b>	-	Carbon Black