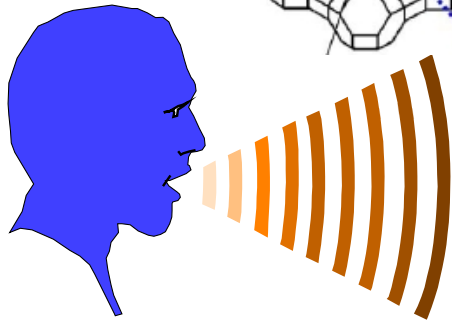
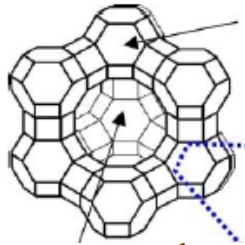


Materials for Intelligent Textiles



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Textiles and mankind

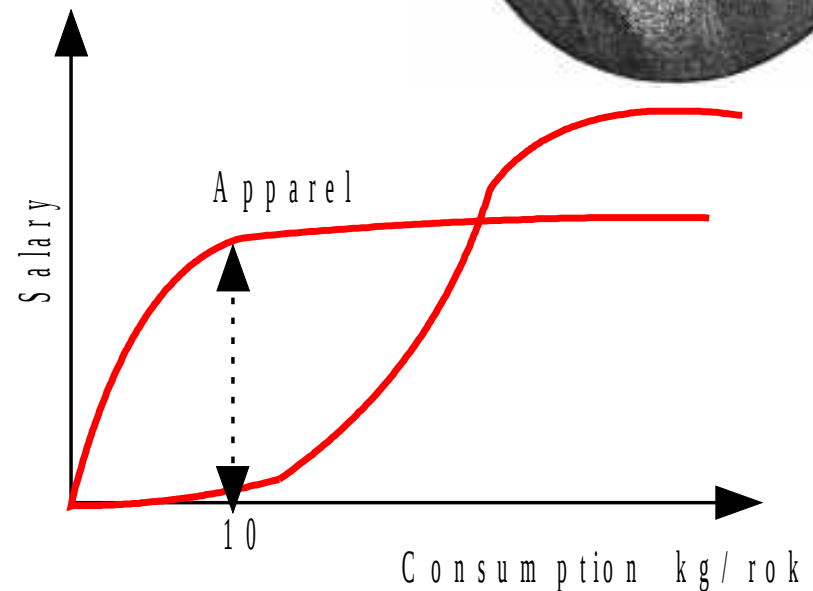


Textile products are accompanying humans during their whole life

Apparel – number of humans

(5-10 kg per year)

Technical – dependent on the state of knowledge



HighTech. vs HighTex.

High Tech

Raw materials

Production

Control

Finishing

Adds on

(Productivity,

energy

ecology

propert



High Tex

Properties

Performance

Design

Functions

(New functions,

improved properties

deterioration of



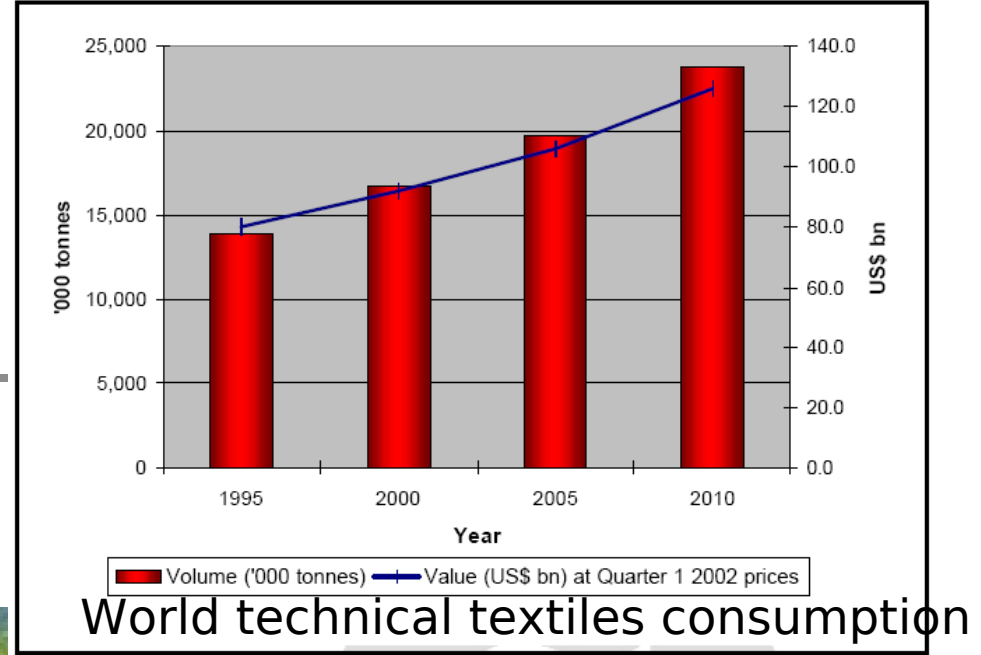
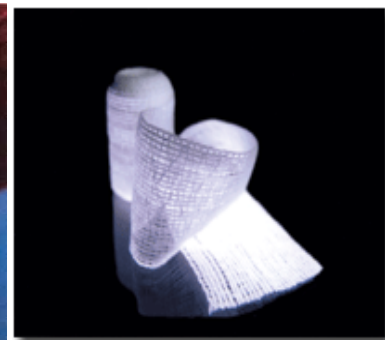
Apparel Textiles

- Fashion
- Comfort
- Protection
- Information
- Sport

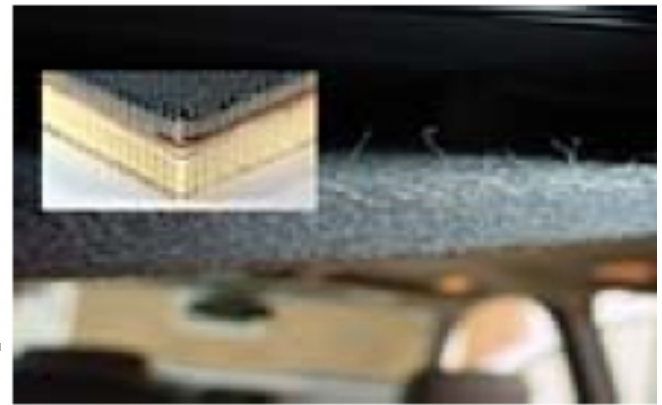


Technical textiles

- Medical textiles
- Geo textiles
- Textiles for transport
- Composites
- Protective textiles
- Textile electronics
- Etc.



Automotive textiles



The automotive industry is the largest user of technical textiles, which about 20 kg in each car of the 45 million or so cars made every year world wide.

3.5 kg seat covers

4.5 kg carpets

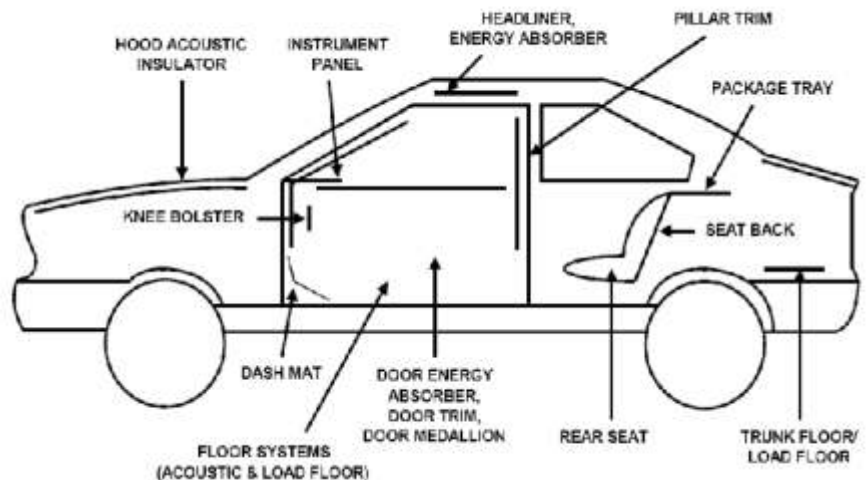
6 kg other interior textiles

6 kg composite (glass fibre)

10 m² upholstery fabrics

8.5 m² trim items (including floor covering)

Foam textile interfaces





Main aim



Integration of the results of the recent development of material engineering, technology and chemistry or physics for the purposes of the creation of new textile structures with special properties suitable for the production

- **“intelligent” apparel textiles**
- **technical textiles with specified properties.**



Smart structures

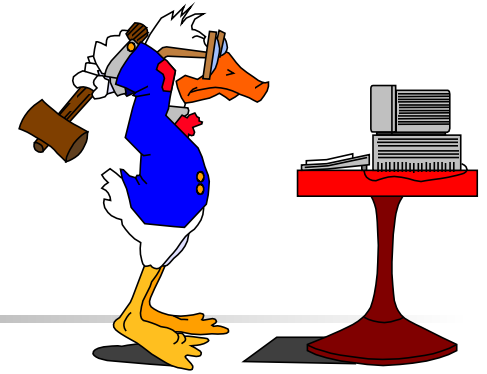


- Synthesize new materials and structures at the atomic or molecular level with smart functionality
 - New discoveries are required
 - Technologies are immature
- Synthesize new materials and structures by compositing known constituents
 - Active elements attached to the structure (parasitic)
 - Active elements embedded in the structure





Intelligence



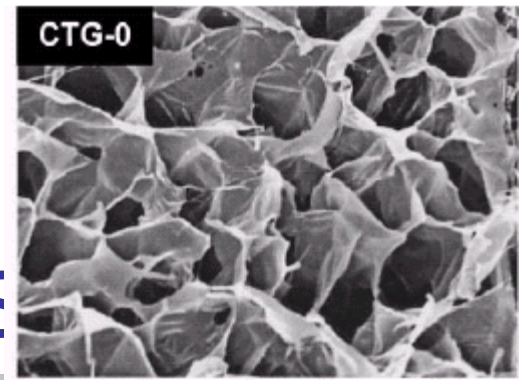
Artificial intelligence – intelligent = able to create decision on the base of external stimuli (sensorial, mechanical, chemical etc.).

Intelligent structures – intelligence = ability of positive reaction to external stimuli.





Stimulus / Response



Stimulus (change) S

Electromagnetic energy (UV, visible, IR radiation)

Chemical energy (moisture, presence of ions, etc.)

Mechanical energy (pressure, break, twist, atd.)

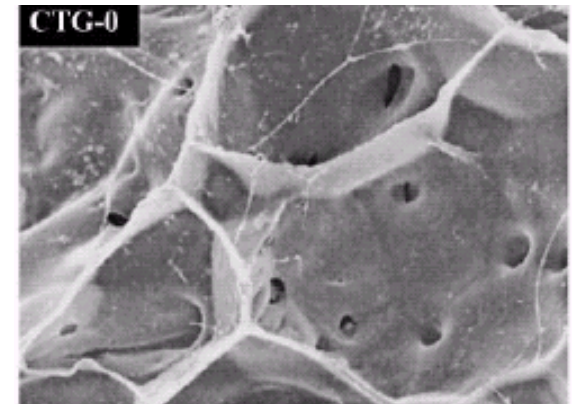
Response (change..) R

Shape (swelling, shrinking)

Colour (shade, intensity)

Electrical conductivity

State of matter (phase change, crystallinity etc.)



Materials for smart structures

- **Electroactive Ceramics**

- Piezoelectric (PZT)

- Electrostrictor (PMN)
 - FE-AFE Phase Change (PLZT)
 - Single Crystal Piezoelectric (PZN)

- **Alloys**

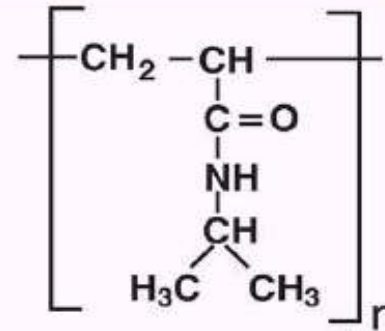
- Shape Memory (Nitinol)
 - Magnetostrictive (Terfenol)
 - Magneto Shape Memory

- **Glass Fiber Optic**

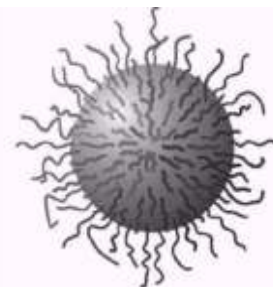
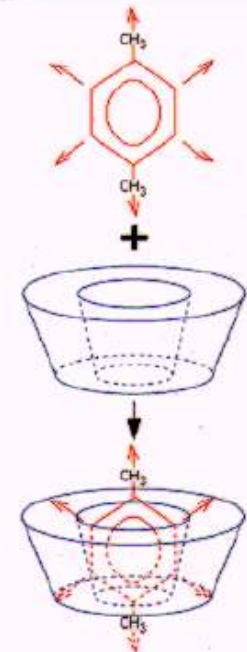
- Bragg Grating
 - Long Period Grating

- **Polymers**

- Electroactive (PVDF, polyelectrolytic gels, semiconducting)
 - Electro- and Magnetorheological Elastomers



LCST: 32°C



Hydrated, expanded
PIPAAm chain

Hydrophilic surface property

Temp. increase



Temp. decrease



Dehydrated, shrunken
PIPAAm chain

Hydrophobic surface property

Nano materials are not included here



Innovative textiles



- **“Intelligent” body adaptive response** apparel textiles having improved comfort controlled by the state of microclimate and wearers needs.
- **“Intelligent”-knowledge based technical textiles** with specified properties (e.g. locally compressive behaviour) and complex actions (comfort type mattresses for disabled persons, intelligent car seats etc.)
- **Hybrid multifunctional textiles** for protective clothing combining improved protection (a barrier against the selected types of radiation and particles) with improved comfort.

Intelligent textiles

electrochromic

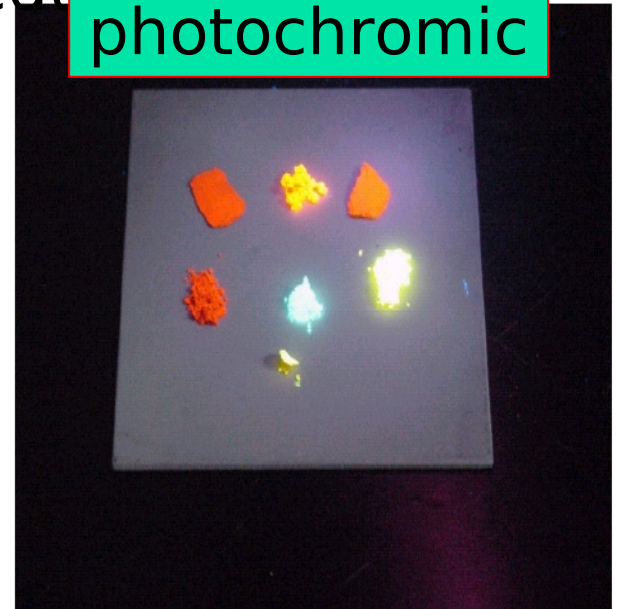


oxidation
reduction

diabetes



photochromic

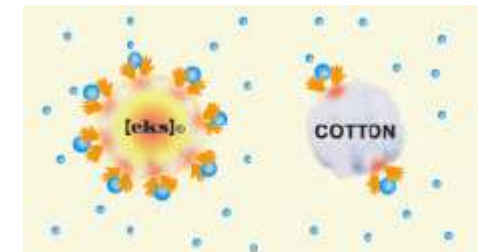
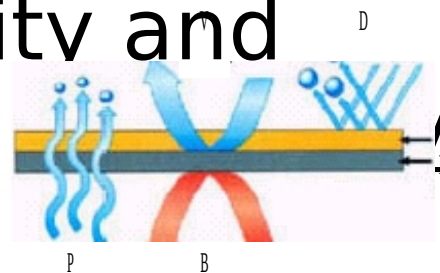
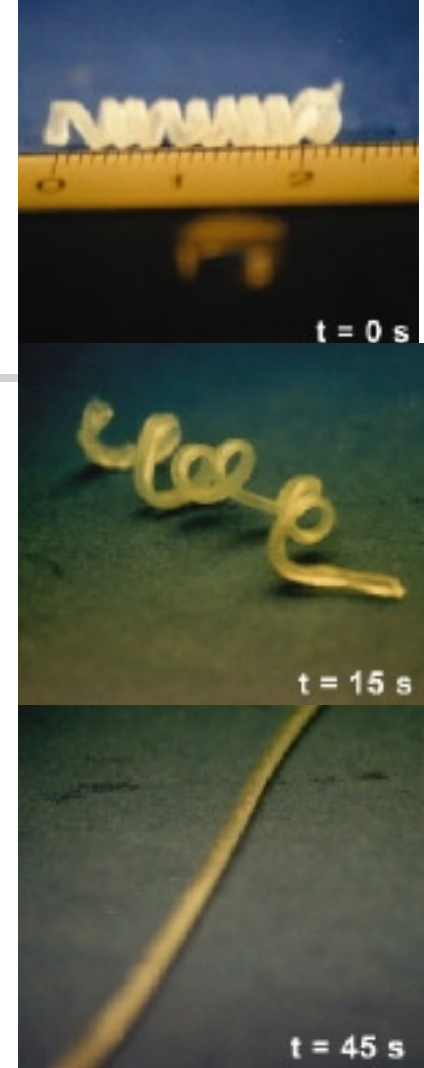


- Sensitive to external fields (ph, radiation, electric, magnetic, mechanical fields). **PASSIVE**
- Changing properties (usually form) as response to external field changes

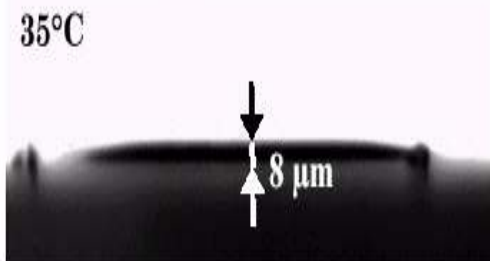
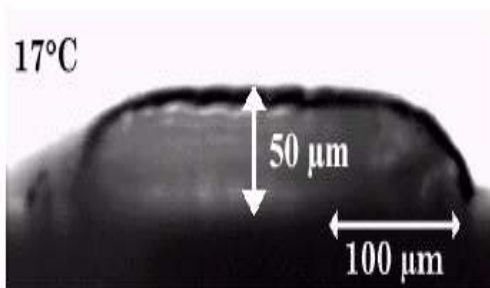
ACTIVE

Active intelligent textiles

- Shape memory
(reversible form changes due to heating and cooling)
- Heat storing and evolving materials
- Variable porosity and water vapor permeability



Stimuli Sensitive Materials



+ Stimulus
→
←
- Stimulus



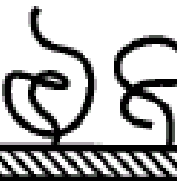
REVERSIBLE
PRECIPITATION
OR
GELATION



+ Stimulus
→
←
- Stimulus



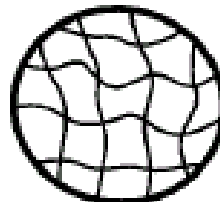
REVERSIBLE
ADSORPTION
ON A SURFACE



+ Stimulus
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- Stimulus



REVERSIBLE
COLLAPSE OF
SURFACE GRAFT
POLYMER



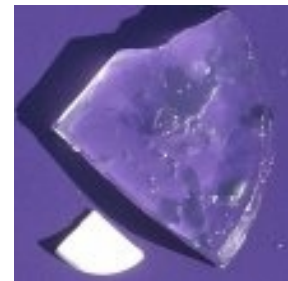
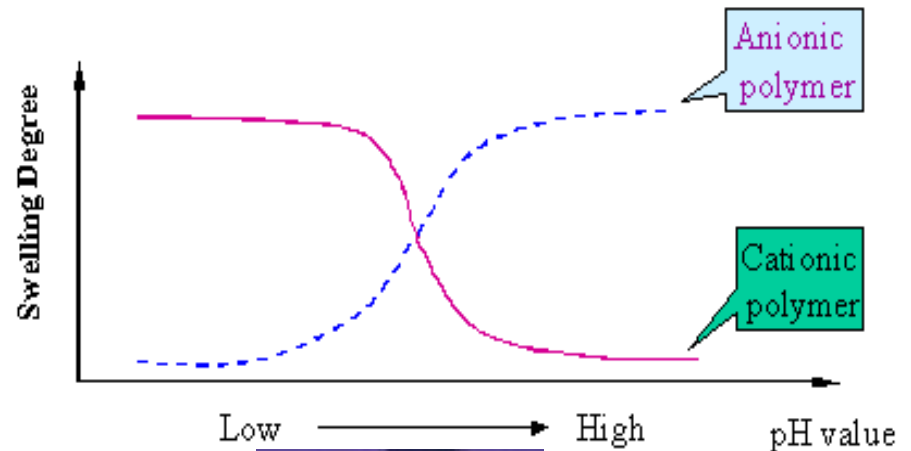
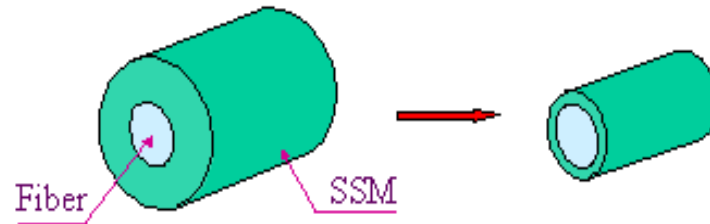
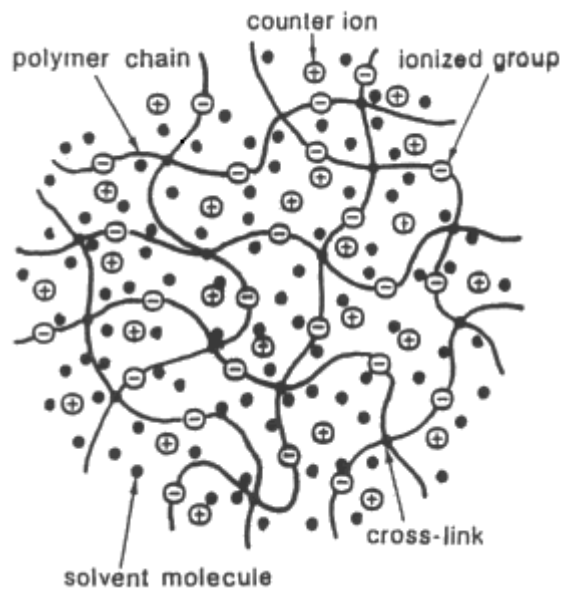
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REVERSIBLE
COLLAPSE OF
HYDROGEL

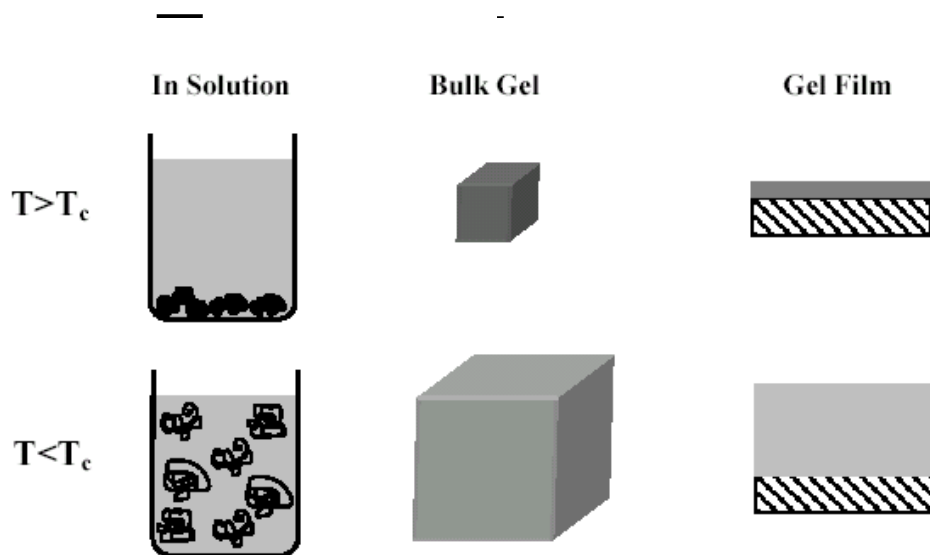
pH sensitive materials

- Polyelectrolytic gels



Thermo sensitive materials

- Lower
- Critical
- Solution
-



Ether groups

- Poly(ethylene oxide)
- Poly(EO/PO)^a random copolymers
- PEO-PPO-PEO triblock surfactants
- Alkyl-PEO block surfactants
- Poly(vinyl methyl ether)

Alcohol groups

- Hydroxypropyl acrylate
- Hydroxypropyl methylcellulose
- Hydroxypropyl cellulose
- Methylcellulose
- Poly(vinyl alcohol) derivatives

Substituted amide groups

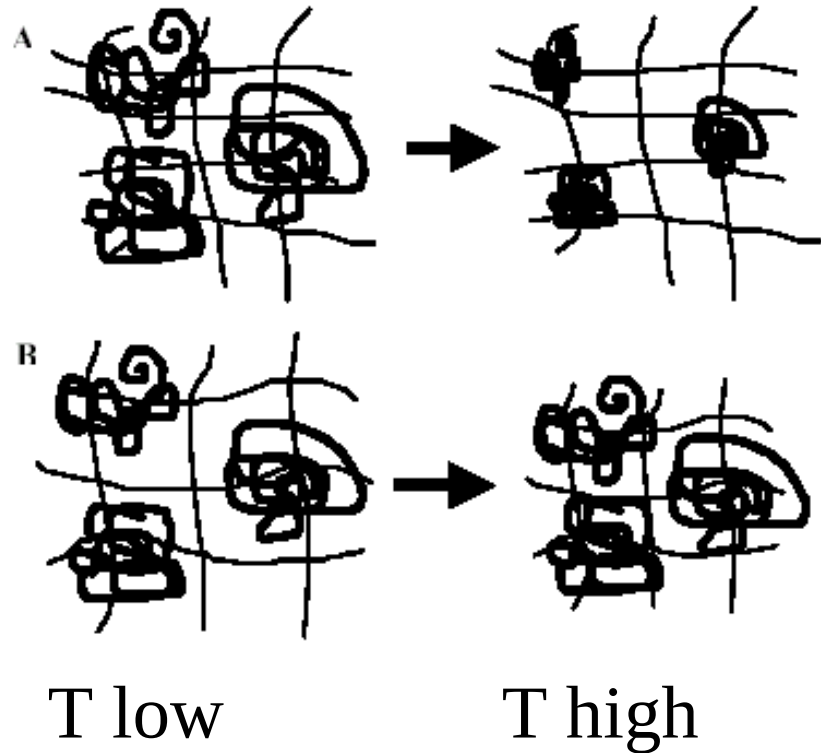
- Poly(*N*-substituted acrylamides)
- Poly(*N*-acryloyl pyrrolidine)
- Poly(*N*-acryloyl piperidine)
- Poly(acryl-L-amino acid amides)

Other

- Poly(methacrylic acid)

IPN with thermosensitive materials

- A – coils are swollen hydrophilic or collapsed hydrophobic
- B – coils are swollen hydrophilic independently on temperature

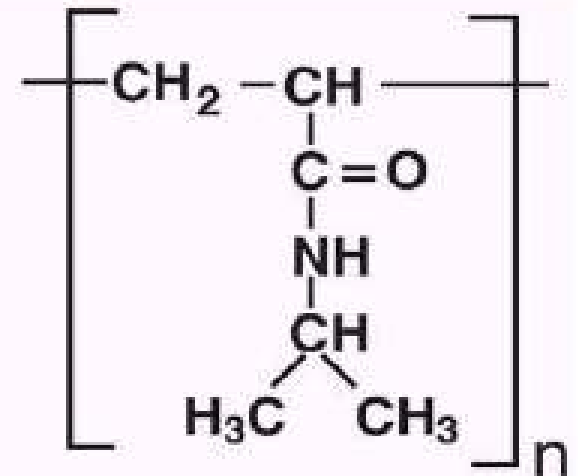
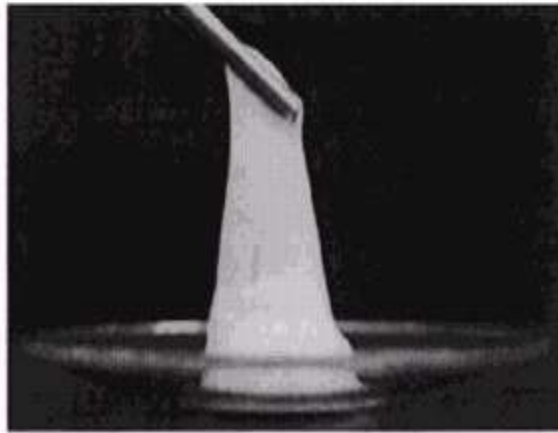
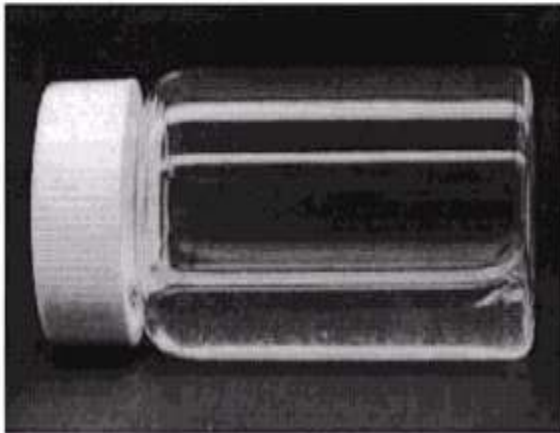


PNIPAAm

Poly N-izopropylakrylamid and copolymers

Soluble in water below 32°C precipitation above 32°C.

Transition helix coil



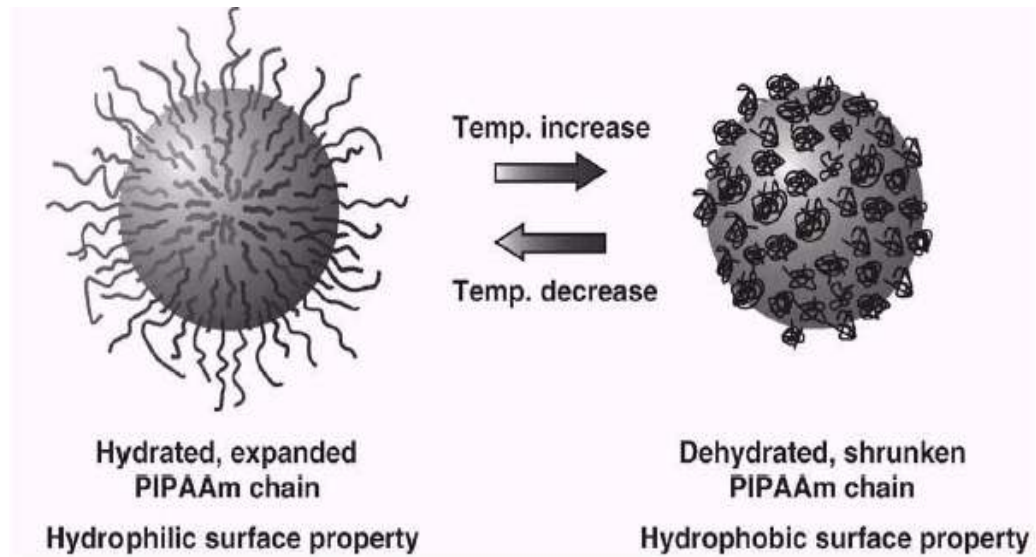
LCST: 32°C

PNIPAAm properties

- **Stimuli:** temperature, ionic strength, pH, light, electric and magnetic field
- **Response:** shape, surface, sol-gel transition, solubility

Sol-gel: near IR, magnetic field, colour change- red shift (lower wavelength)

Application: bio-medicine, control dosing, sensors

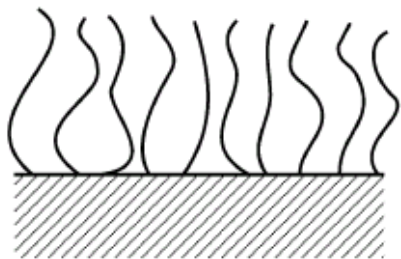


Poly N-izopropylakrylamid on cotton

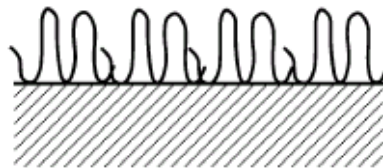
below 32°C hydrophilic above 32°C hydrophobic

PNIPAAm response

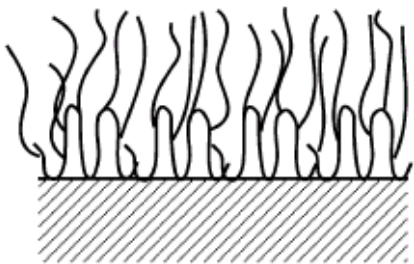
A) freely PIPAAm end-grafted



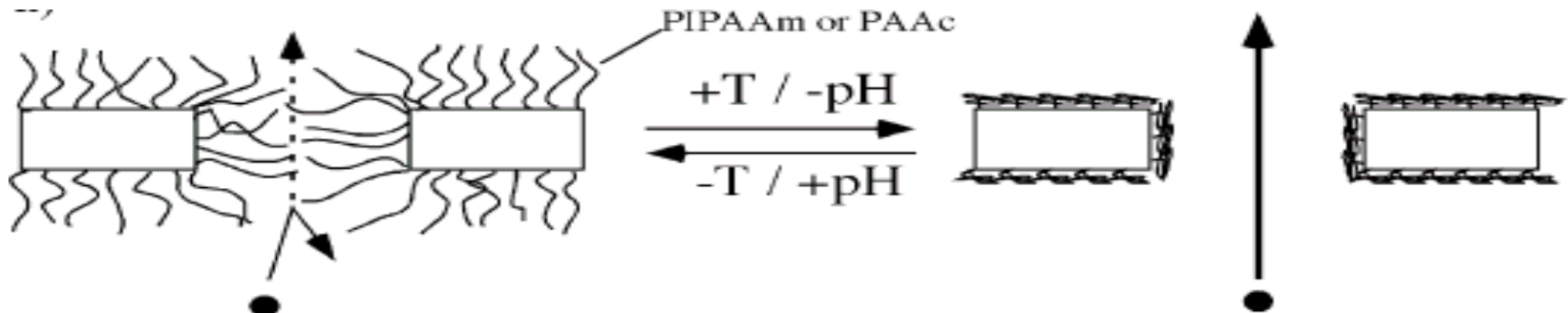
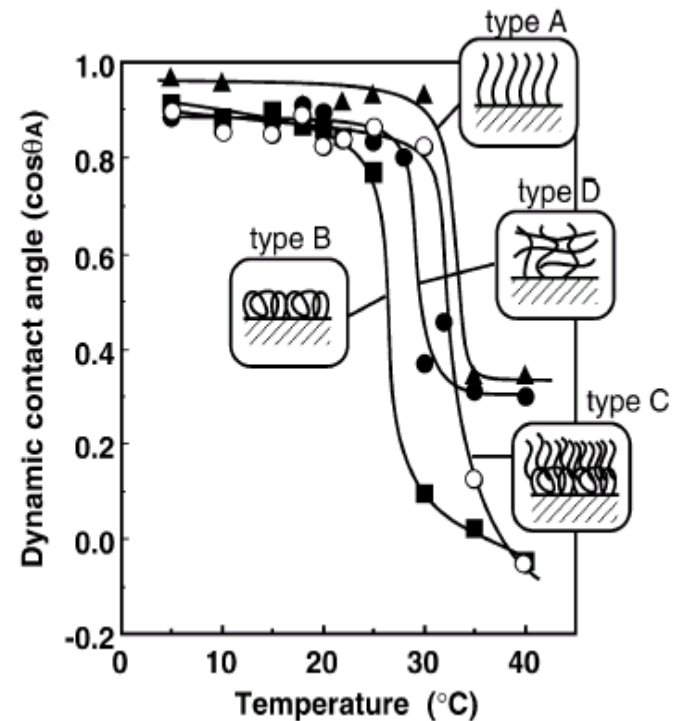
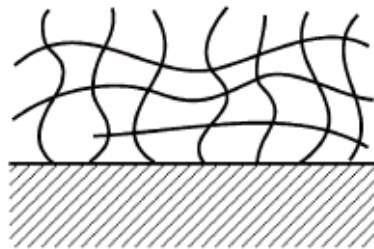
B) PIPAAm looped chain grafted



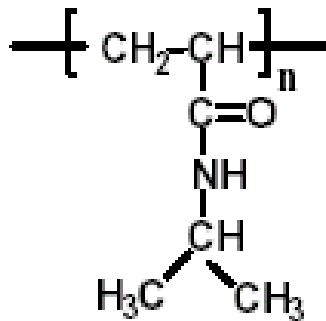
C) PIPAAm free end grafted onto PIPAAm loops



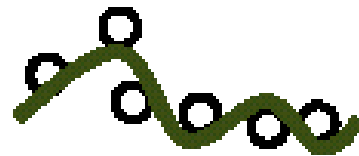
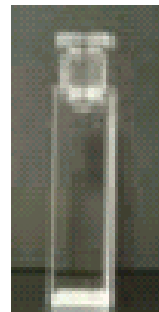
D) PIPAAm thin hydrogel grafted



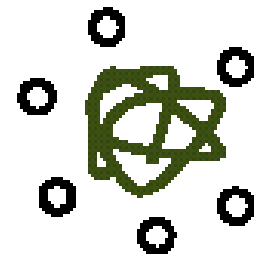
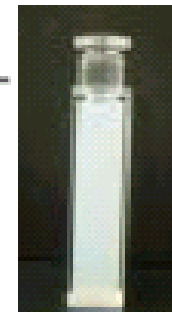
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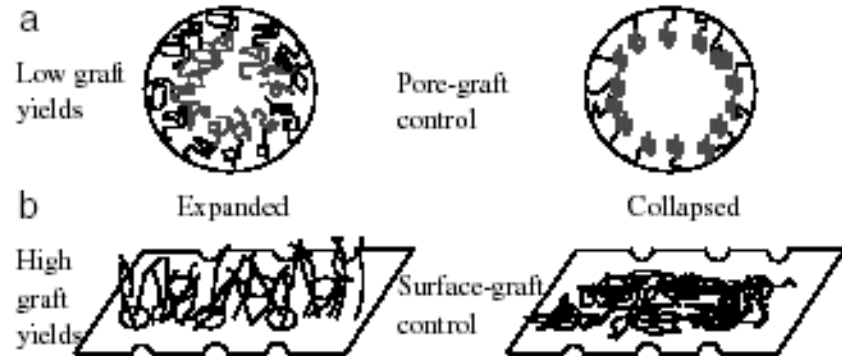
P-NIPAAm • • • • Water-soluble • • hydrophilic • • • • Insoluble • • hydrophobic



LCST



- Porosity control via amount of grafted material



Cyclodextrines - basic

- Polysaccharides built from six to eight D-glucose units
- Torus shaped with hydrophobic cavities
- Formation during enzymatic degradation of starch

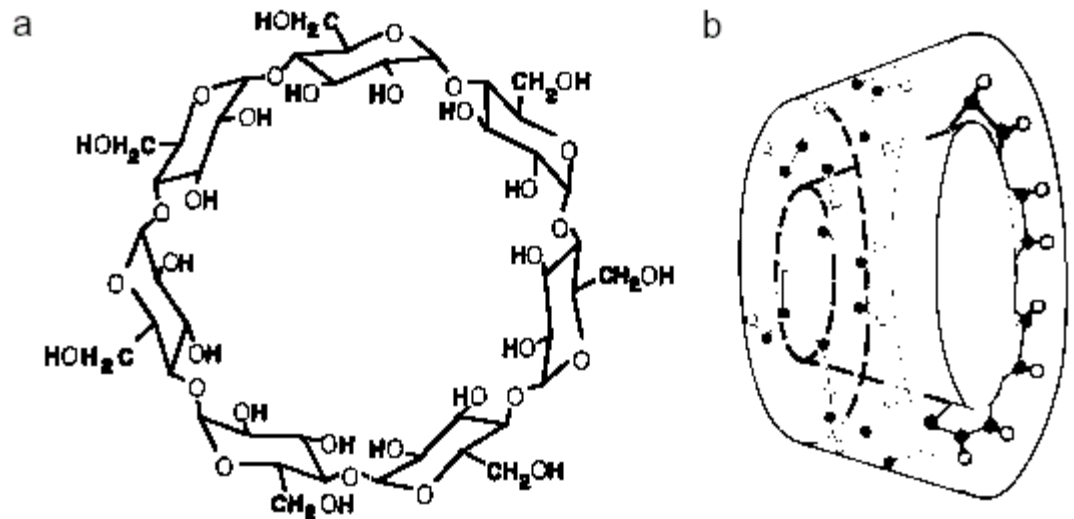
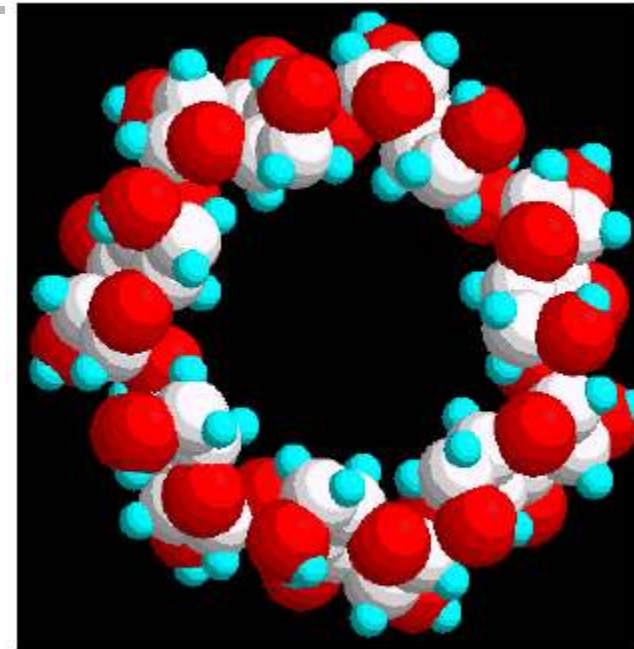
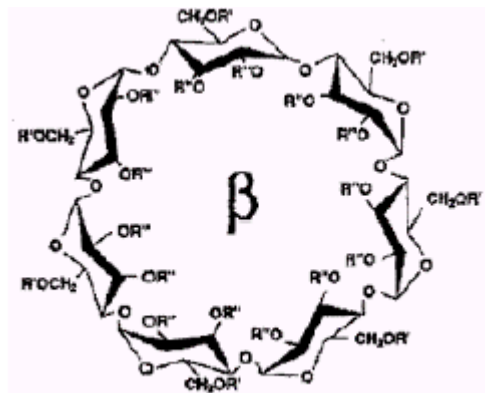
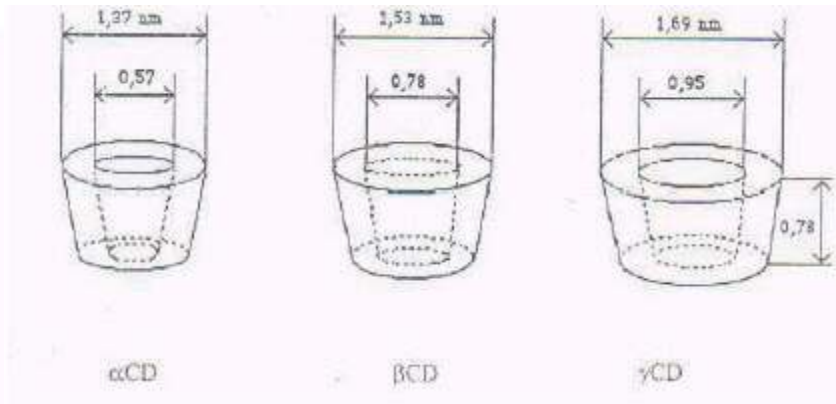
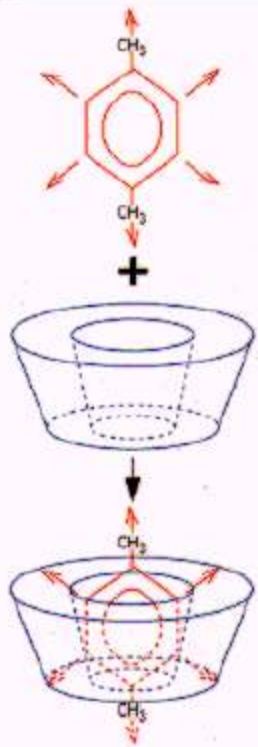


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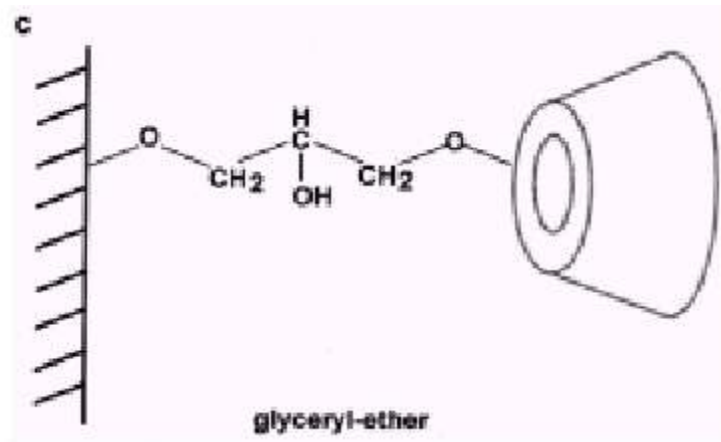
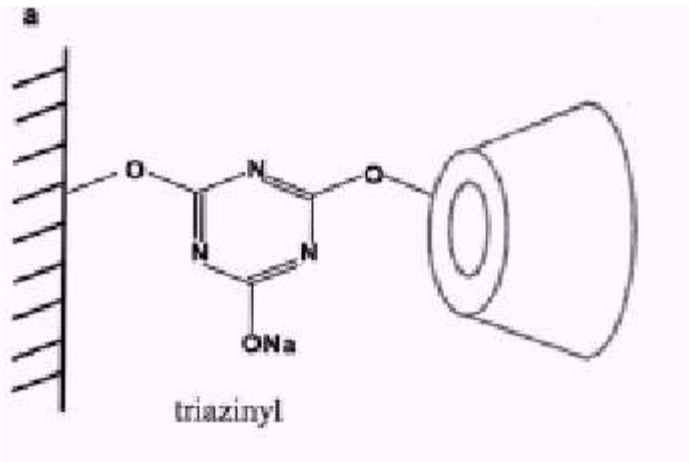
	α	β	γ	δ
No. of glucopyranose units	6	7	8	9
Molecular weight	972	1135	1297	1459
Central cavity diameter (Å)	4.7–5.3	6.0–6.5	7.5–8.3	10.3–11.2
Water solubility at 25 °C (g/100 mL)	14.5	1.85	23.2	8.19

Cyclodextrines trap



- **Cyklodextrines**
- Molecular traps
„Wacker Specialites“

Cyclodextrines anchoring

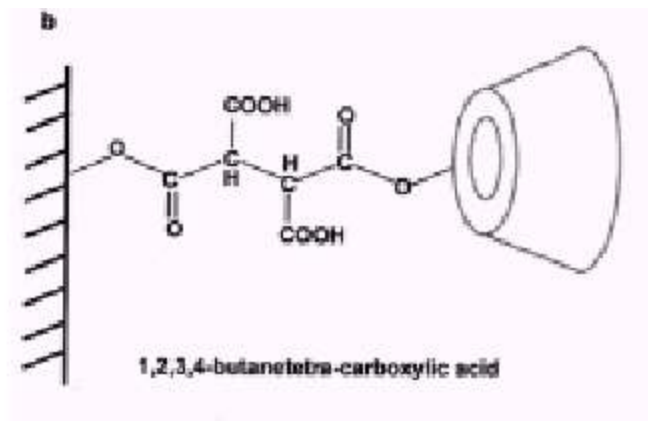


Permanent fixation

Cellulose fibres – triazinyl groups

PES fibres – long alkyl chains

PA fibres – sulfonic acid groups



Cyclodextrines applications

Sweat removal, odor absorption

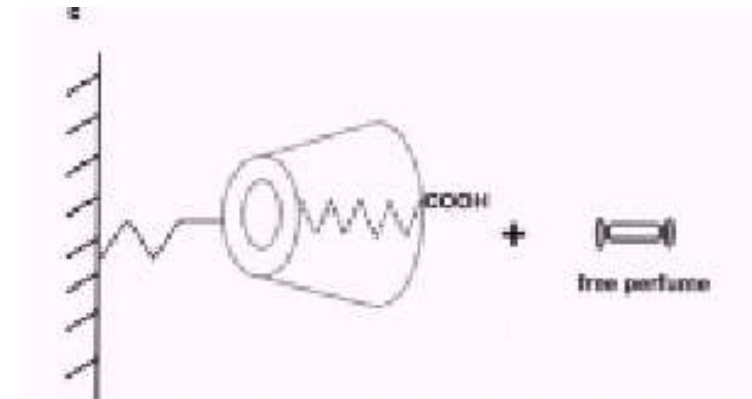
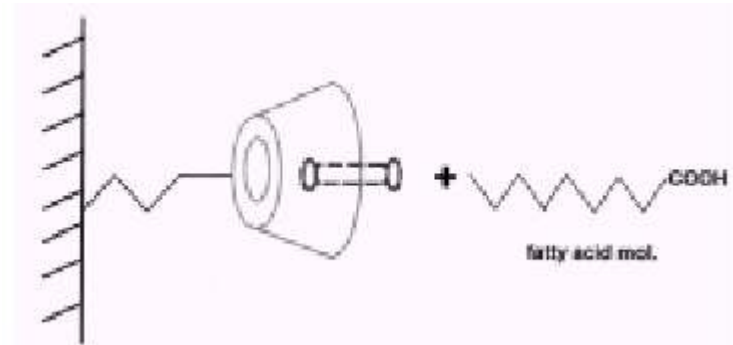
Perfumes

Detergents – defoaming

Dyeing surfactants (fastness, solubility)

Antibacterial finishing

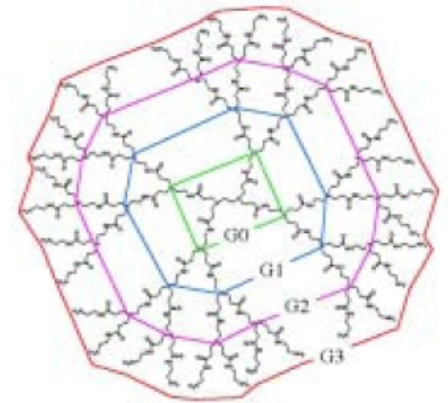
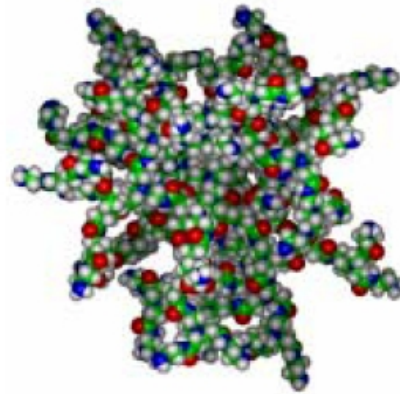
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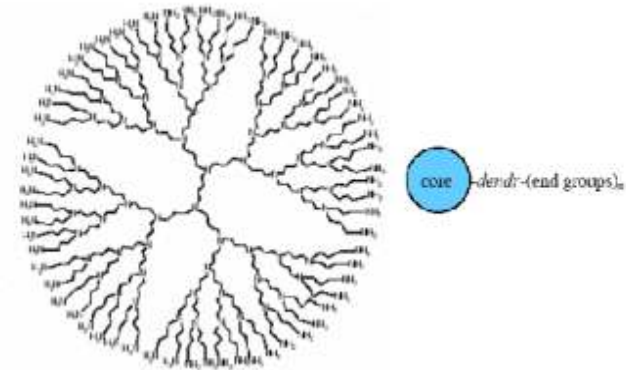
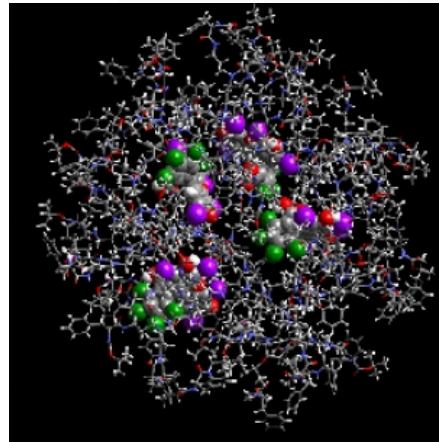
Specialty polymers



- The integration of macrocycles to polymers (bifunctional linkers epichlorohydrine)

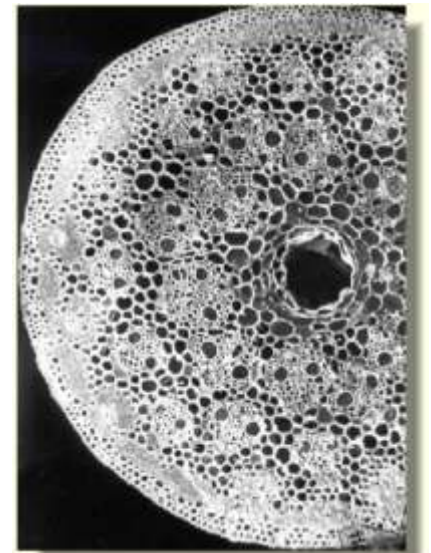


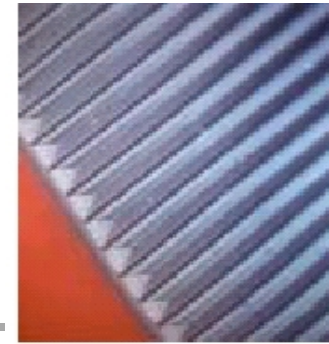
- **Dendrimers** highly branched with selective traps and cages



Biomimetics –development

- **1960 Jack Steele** - bionics as science dealing with systems copying some functions from nature.
- **1972 Breslow** - *biomimetic chemistry* combination of bio and mimetic (imitation).
- **1987 Pederson a Cram** - Nobel prize in chemistry (synthesis of ether rings for creation of artificial enzymes and cell membranes)



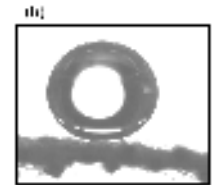
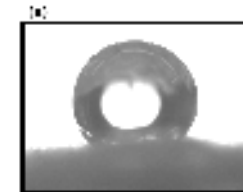
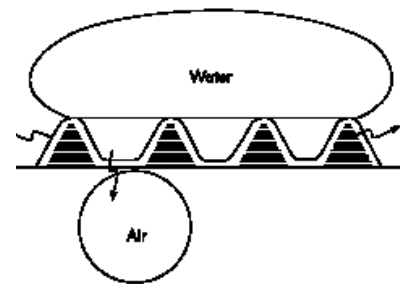
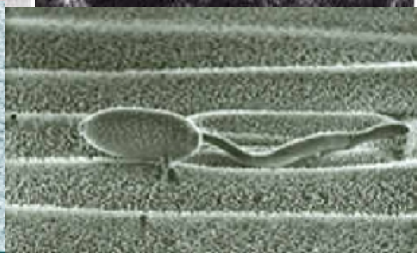
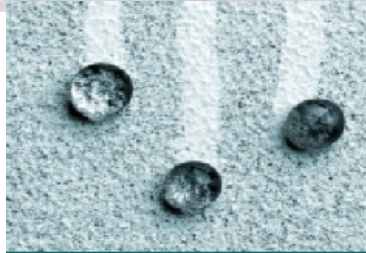
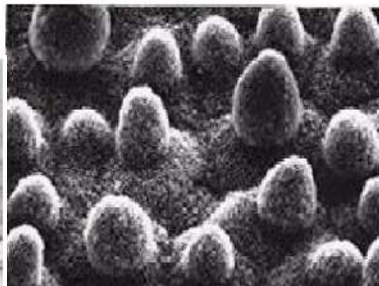
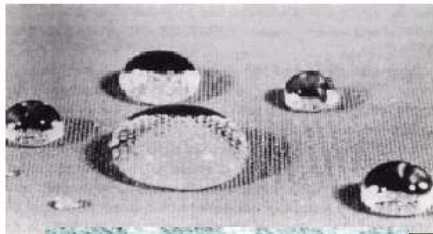


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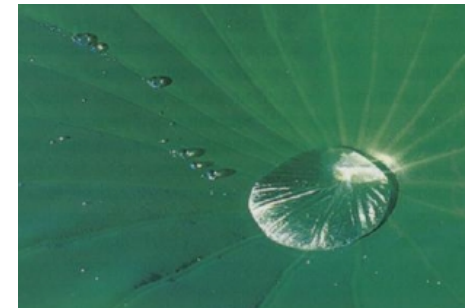
Biomimetics

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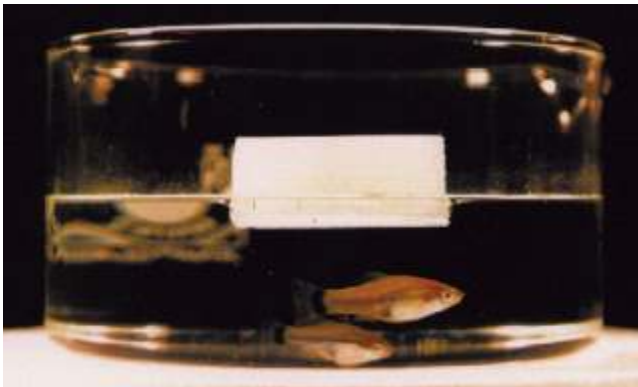
- **Kelvin** mirror galvanometer - analogy with sun rays reflected from his monocle
- **Georges de Mestral** Velcro zipper – analogy with special seed entagled to hid dog hackles.
- **Leonardo da Vinci** flying machines – analogy with bird flight



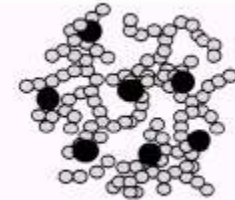
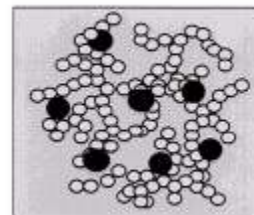
LOTUS effect



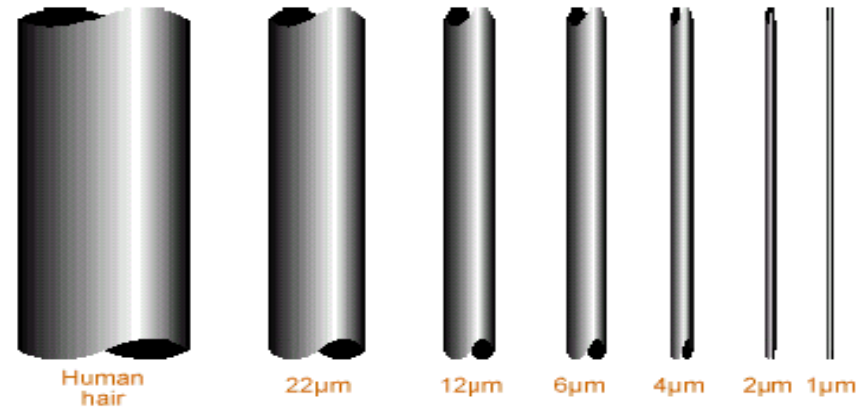
Specialty Materials



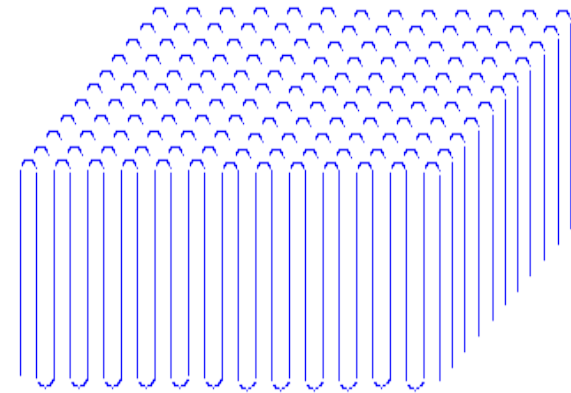
- Aerogels
- Piezoelectric layers and fibers
- Nano composites
- Chameleonic fibers



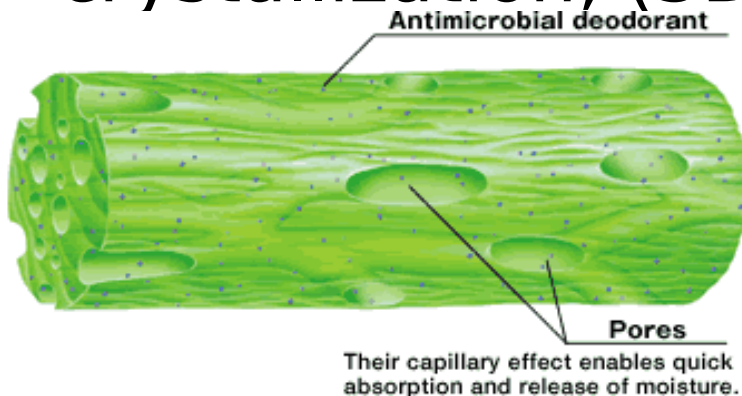
Textile fibers



- **Fibrous structure** due to orientation of macromolecules along fiber axis and partial crystallization, (3D



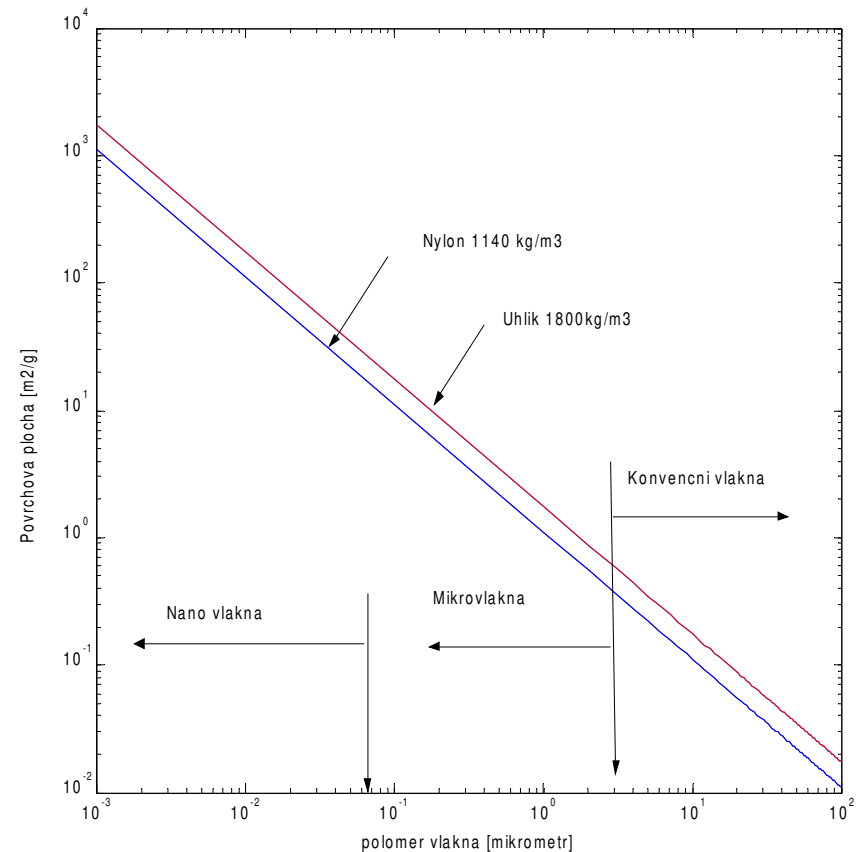
They can fold, and they can stack. A stack of polymer chains folded back on themselves like this is called a *lamella*.



Extremely high relative surface area

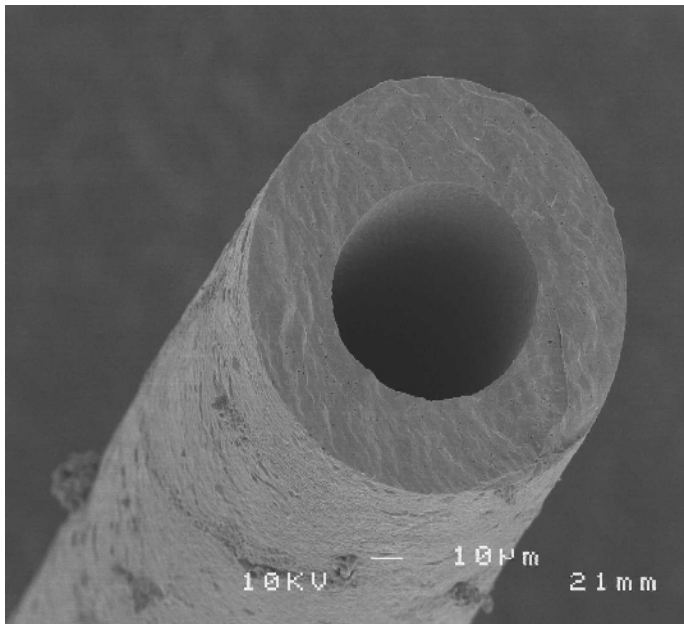
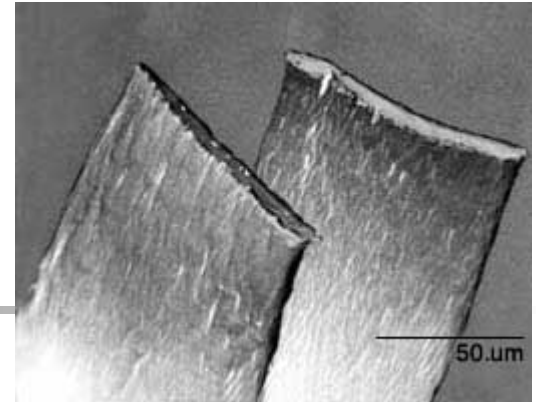
Relative surface area S_p [$\text{m}^2 \text{g}^{-1}$] is surface area of fiber divided by corresponding mass. For circular fibers (radius r) is

$$S_p = \frac{2\pi * r * l}{\pi * r^2 * l * \rho} = \frac{2}{r * \rho} = \sqrt{\frac{4 * \pi}{T * \rho}}$$

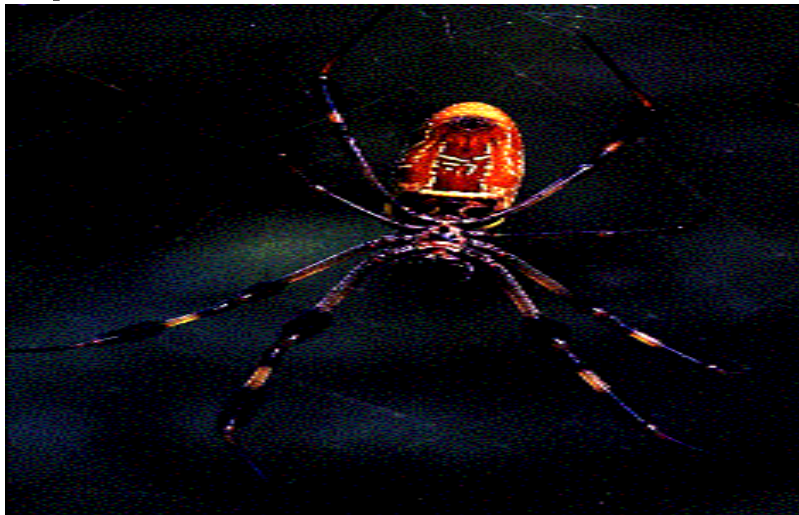
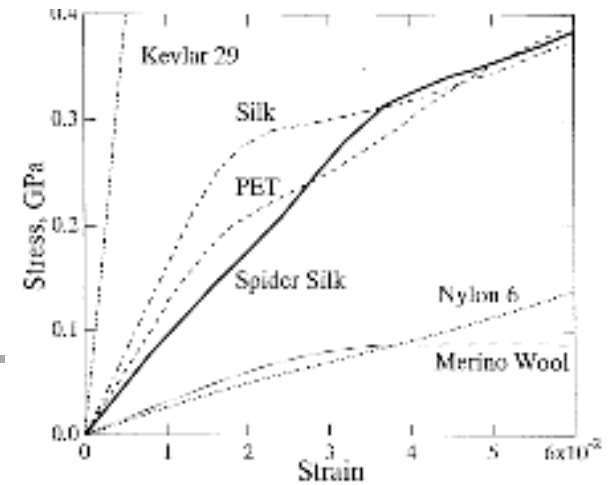


Shape variation

- Cross section shape
- Hollow fibers



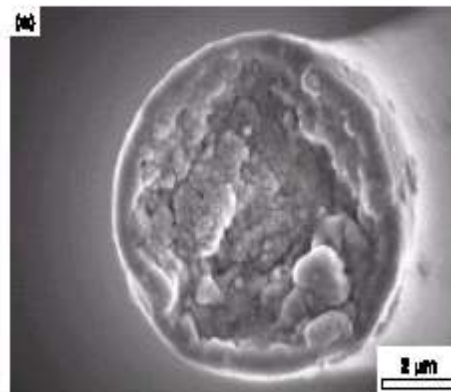
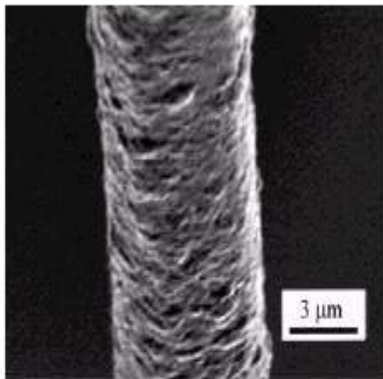
Spider silk



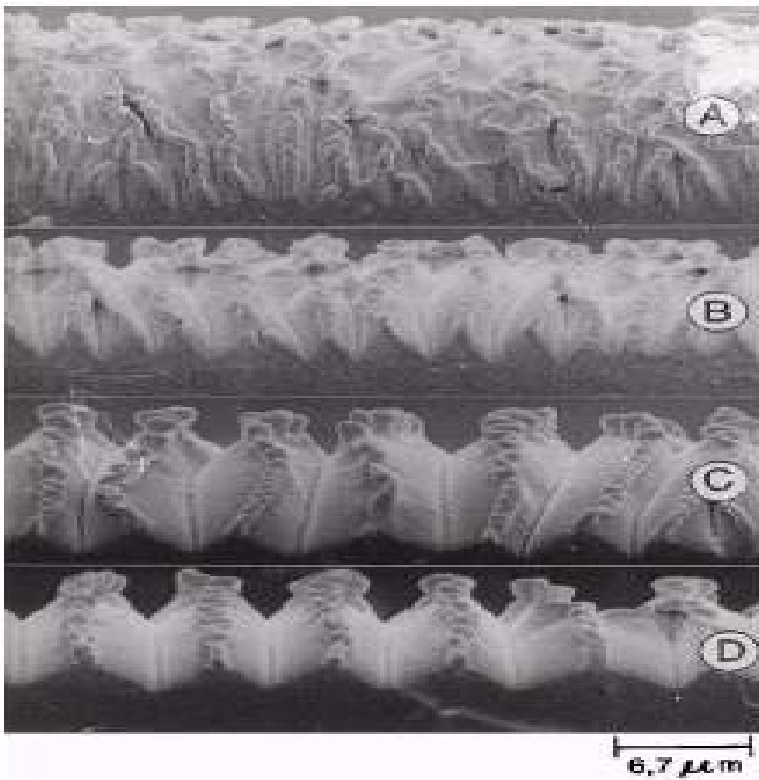
- Spinning from aqueous solution of polypeptides at room temperature.
- Solidification on the air.
- Fibers are resistant against weather and are durable.
- Fibers are biodegradable and reusable.

Tenacity = 1,75 GPa

Compressive strength = 0,05 GPa



High functional fibers



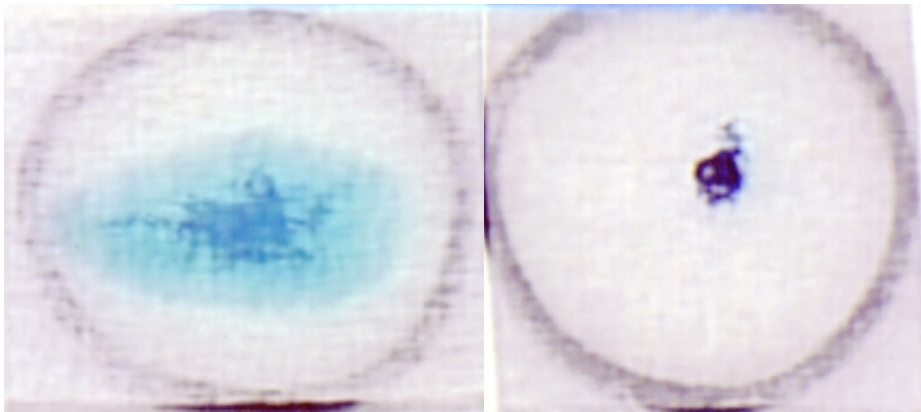
- **New polymers**
- **Additives and dopes (conductive fibres)**
- **Surface geometry changes**
- **Controlled degradation**

Deep grooved fibers

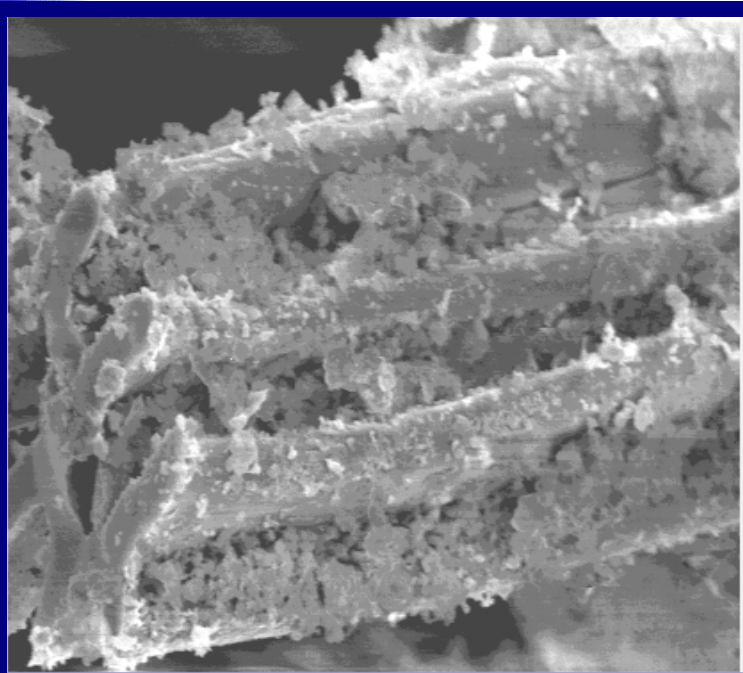


Properties

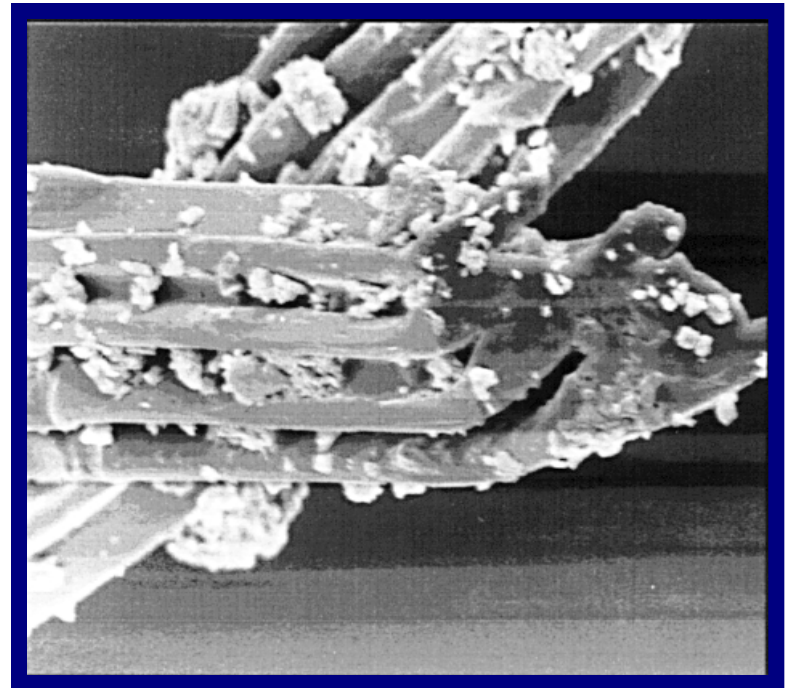
- Spontaneous wicking
- Dust trap
- Large surface area
- Better coverage
- Voluminosity



Deep grooves

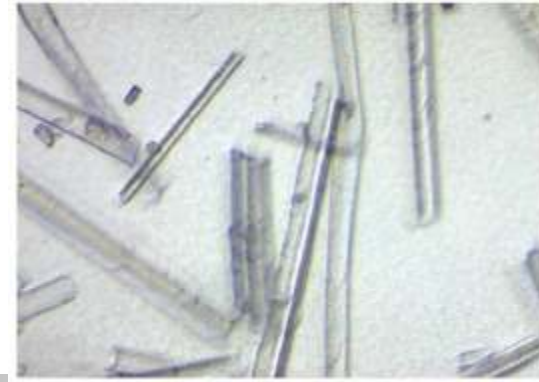


Dust trap



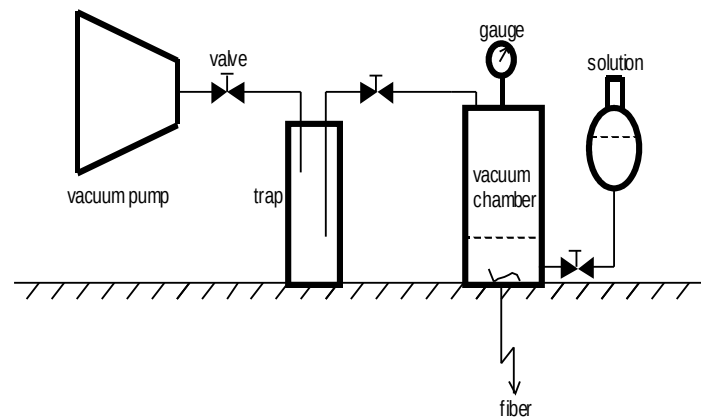
**Anchoring of carbon particles
(odour absorption)**

Fibrous bioreactors

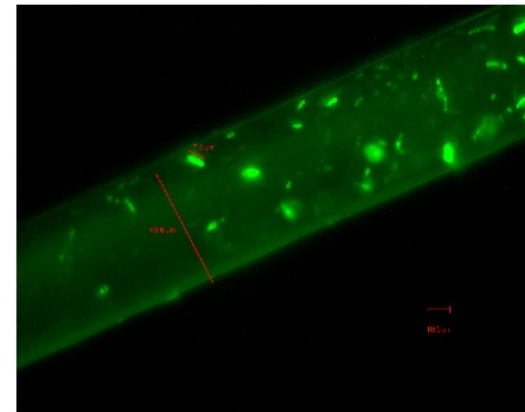


- Maintenance of live bacteria in fibres during sufficient time.
- Textiles removing oils and smudge, generating therapeutic agents.

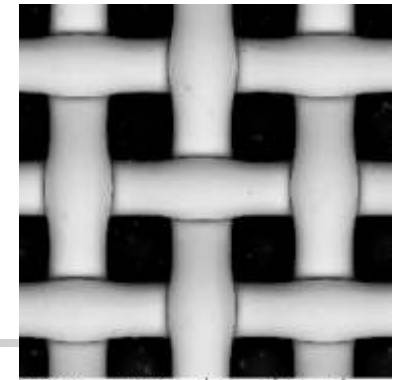
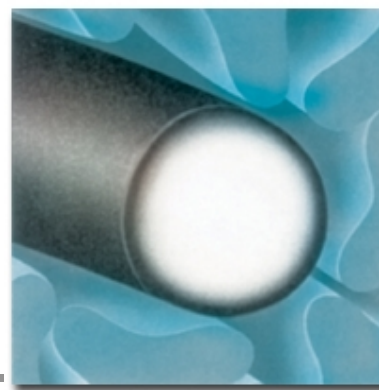
E. Coli and plasmid GFP-5 creating green fluorescent protein (GFP).



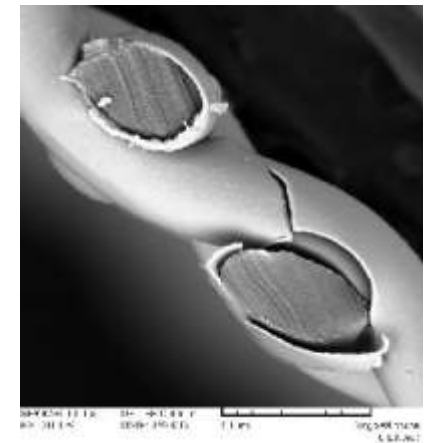
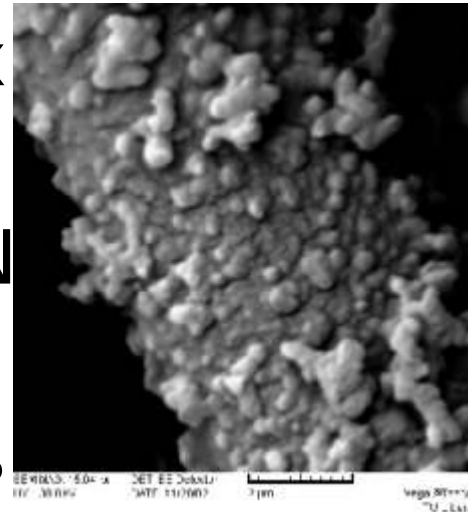
VPI System



Surface Changes



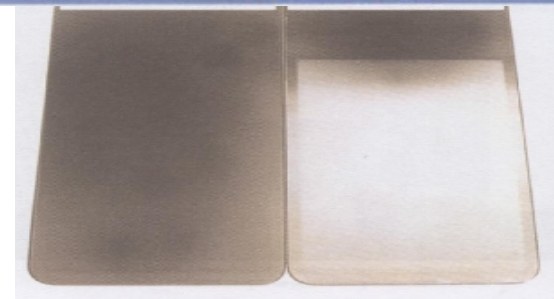
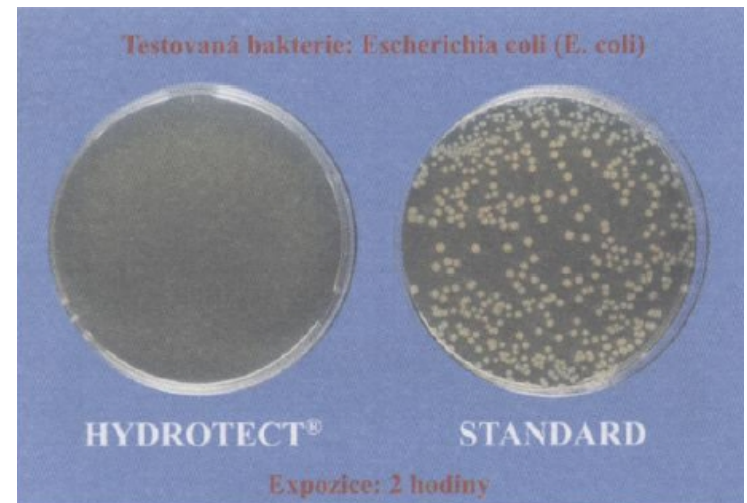
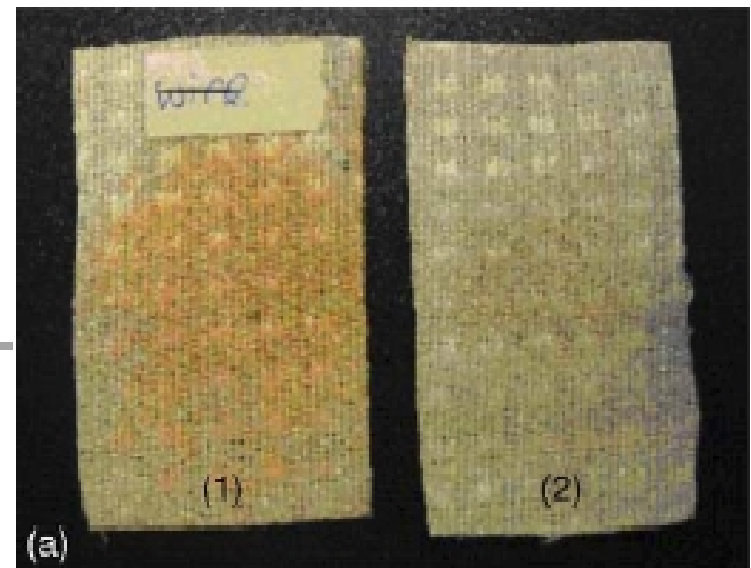
- Metallisation „Mtex
 - Controlled electro polymerisation PAN
 - Polymer brushes
- Hydrophility changes
molecular forest



- Coating - Caffeine, sea algae extract, Activation of enzymes destroying fats. Fibres „wonder slim“ FUJI

Self Cleaning Effect

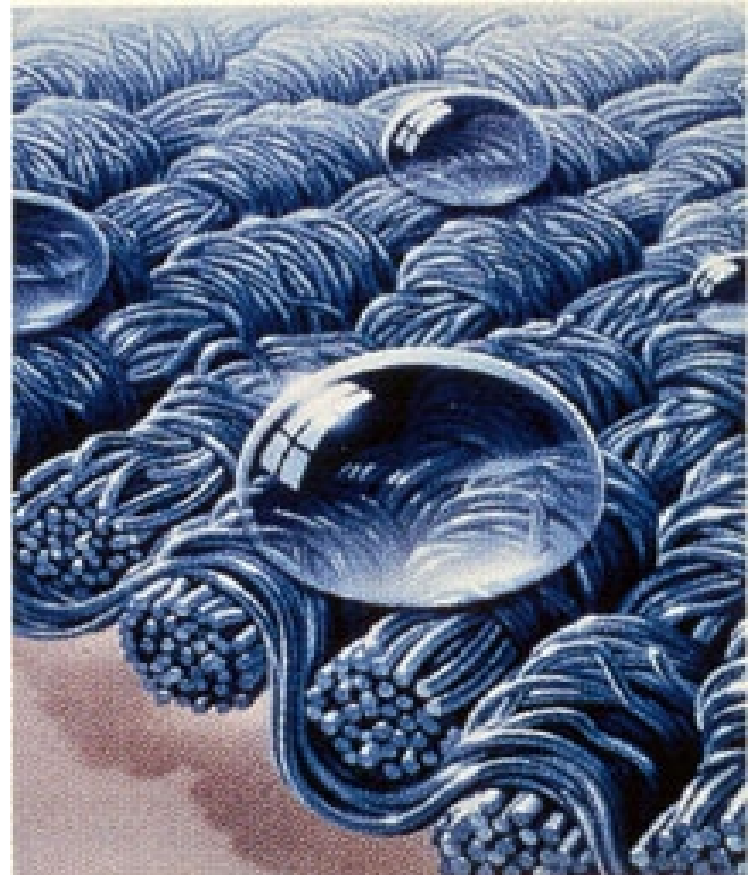
- Nano particles of TiO_2 (anatase)
- Photocatalytic effect due to UV radiation
- Oxygen and hydroxyl free radicals - very active on small scale and in small time



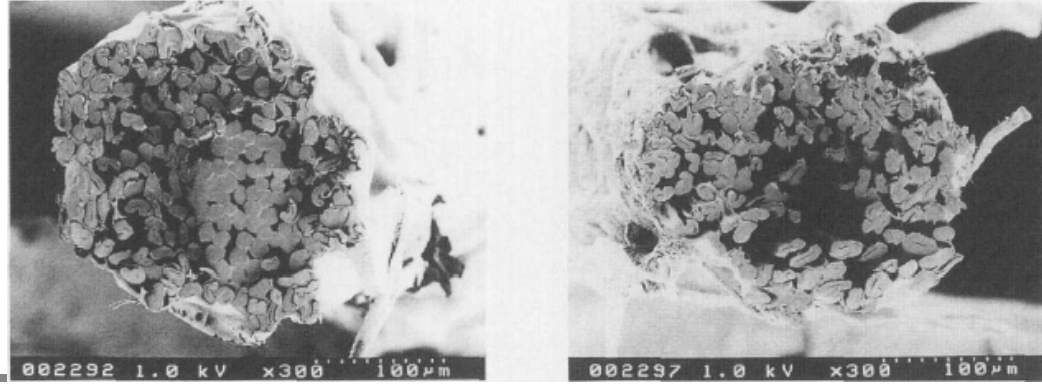


Textile products

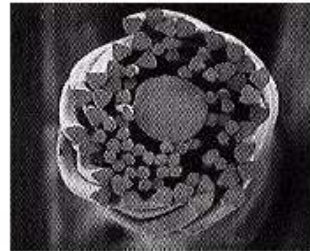
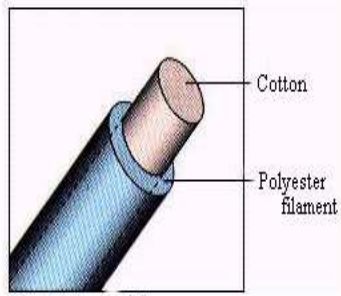
- Complicated hierarchical structure
- Cohesive secondary bonds
- **Fractal** surface
- Macro, micro and nano porosity



Specialty yarns

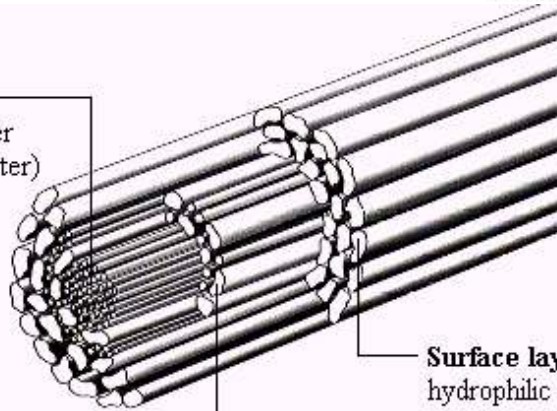


Hollow yarns



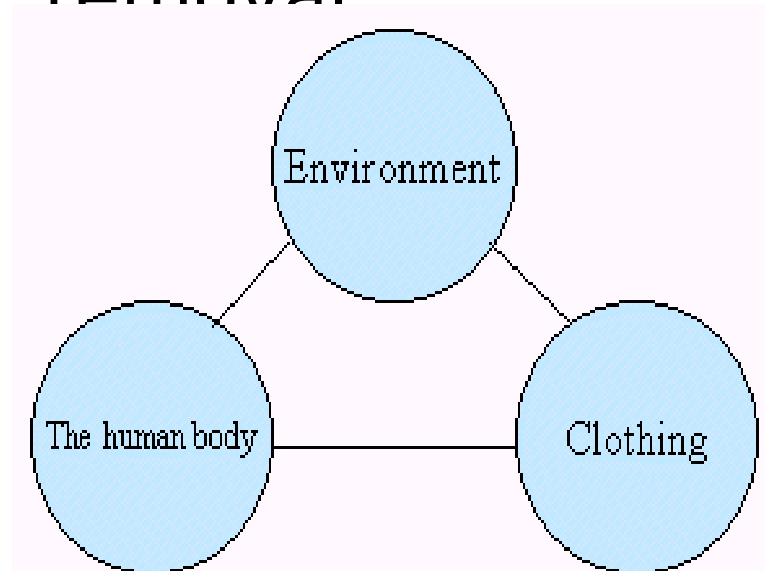
- Microclimate
- Quick sweat removal

inside layer
hydrophobic fiber
(e.g. spun polyester)



Surface layer
hydrophilic fiber (e.g. cotton)

Intermediate layer
mixture of hydrophilic
and hydrophobic fibers
(e.g. filament polyester-cotton)



Special nonwovens

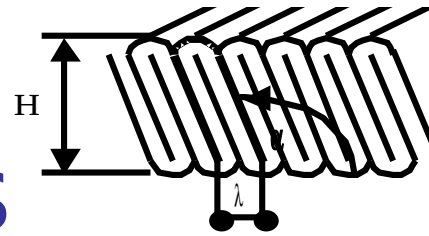
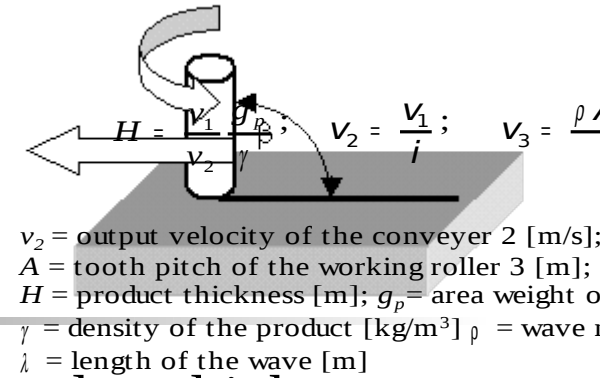
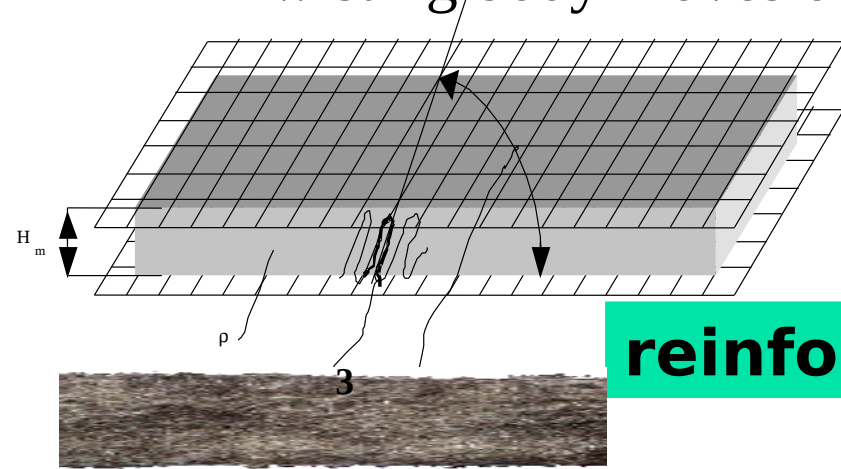


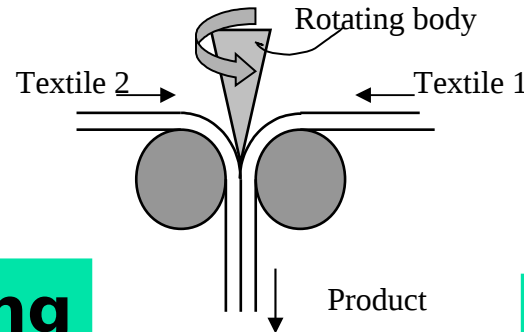
Fig.1



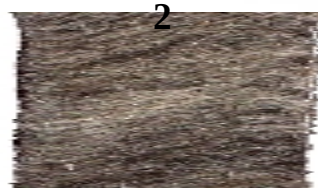
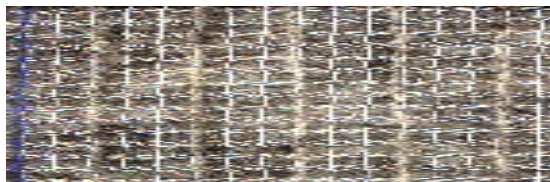
- Quasi-yarn is formed by twisting of fibre ends, which are protruding from the surface of textile material;
- Twisting body moves on the surface of a textile fabric.



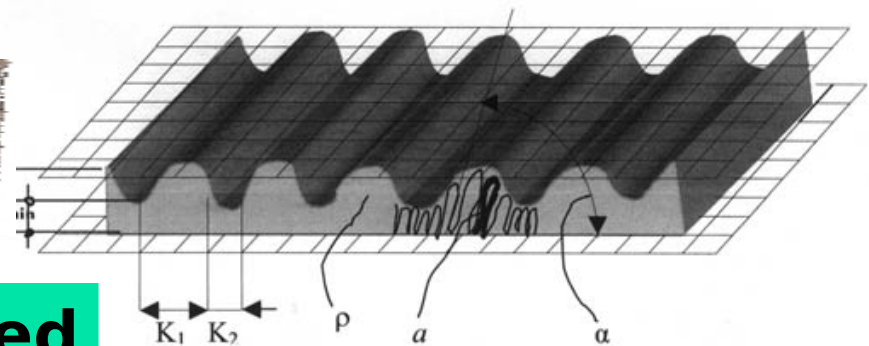
reinforcing



laminating



corrugated

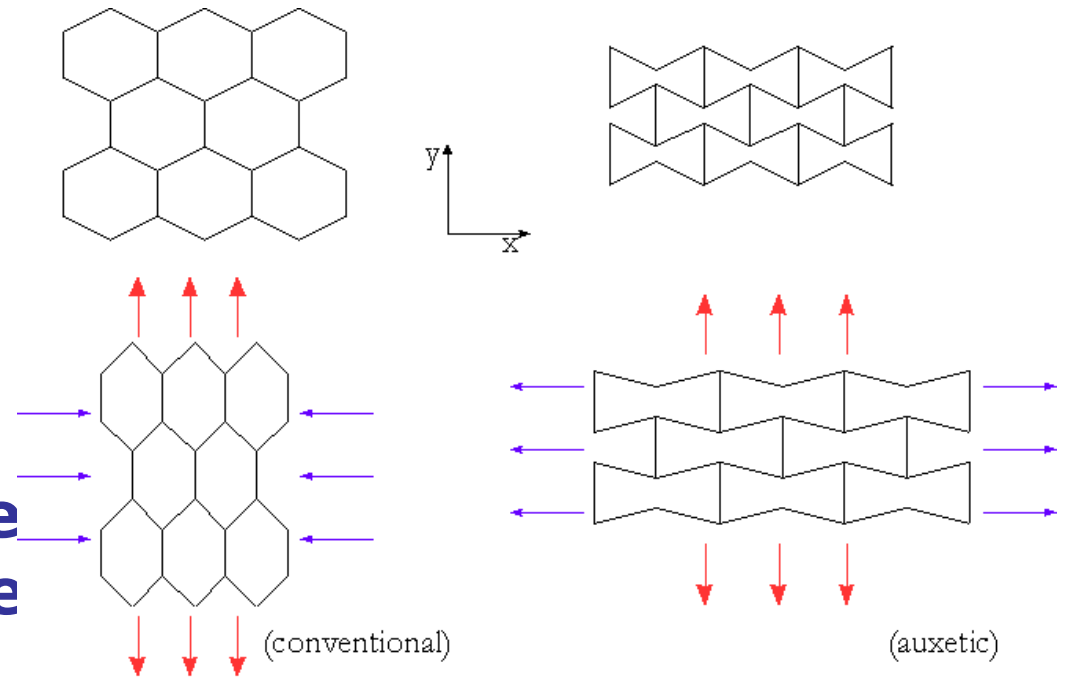


$$\nu = \frac{\text{lateral shrinking}}{\text{longitudinal extension}} = -\frac{\epsilon_T}{\epsilon} \quad \text{where } \epsilon_T = \frac{S - S_0}{S_0}$$

Auxetic structures

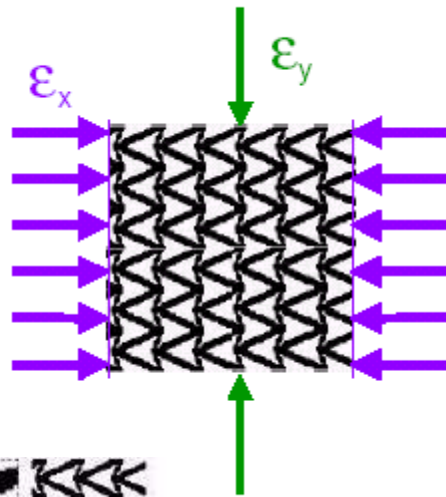
Auxetic
(enlarged).
Negative
Poisson ratio

During the tensile deformation are extended laterally as well

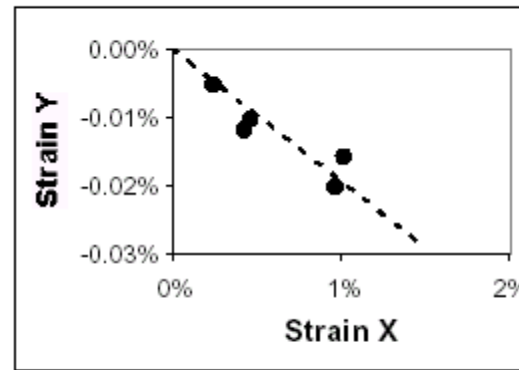


$$\frac{V}{V_0} = (1 - \nu * \epsilon)^2 * (1 + \epsilon) \approx (1 - 2\nu) * \epsilon$$

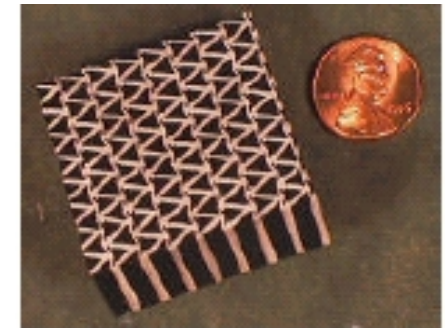
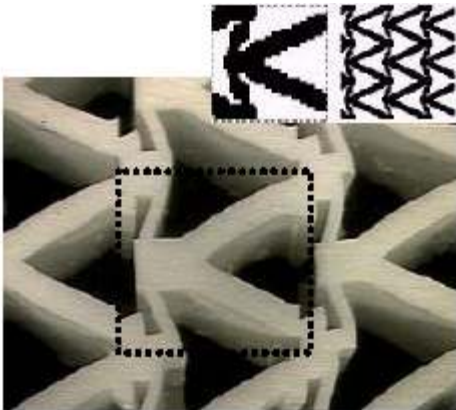
Auxetic structures II



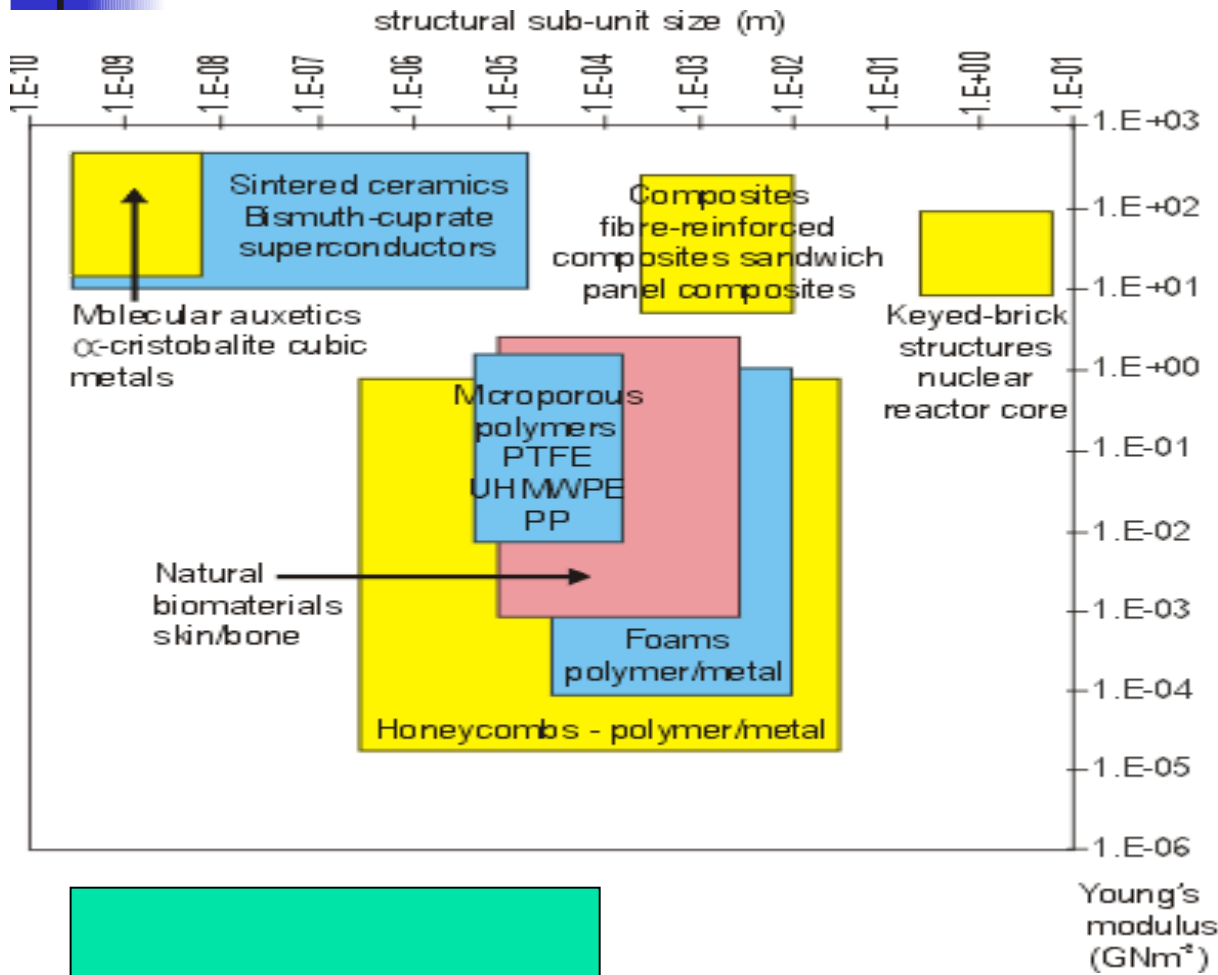
Strain Response Data



$$\nu = \frac{\epsilon_y}{\epsilon_x} = -0.02$$



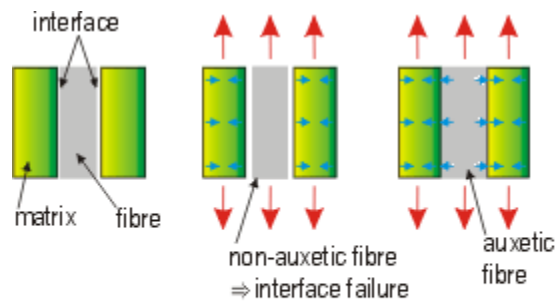
Auxetic materials



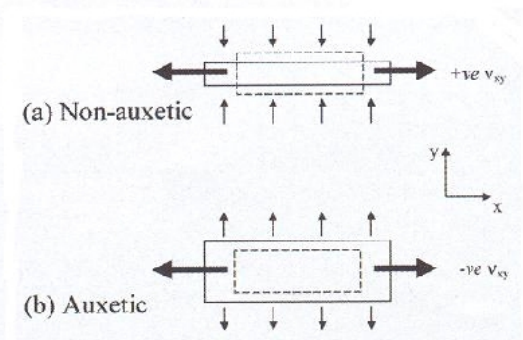
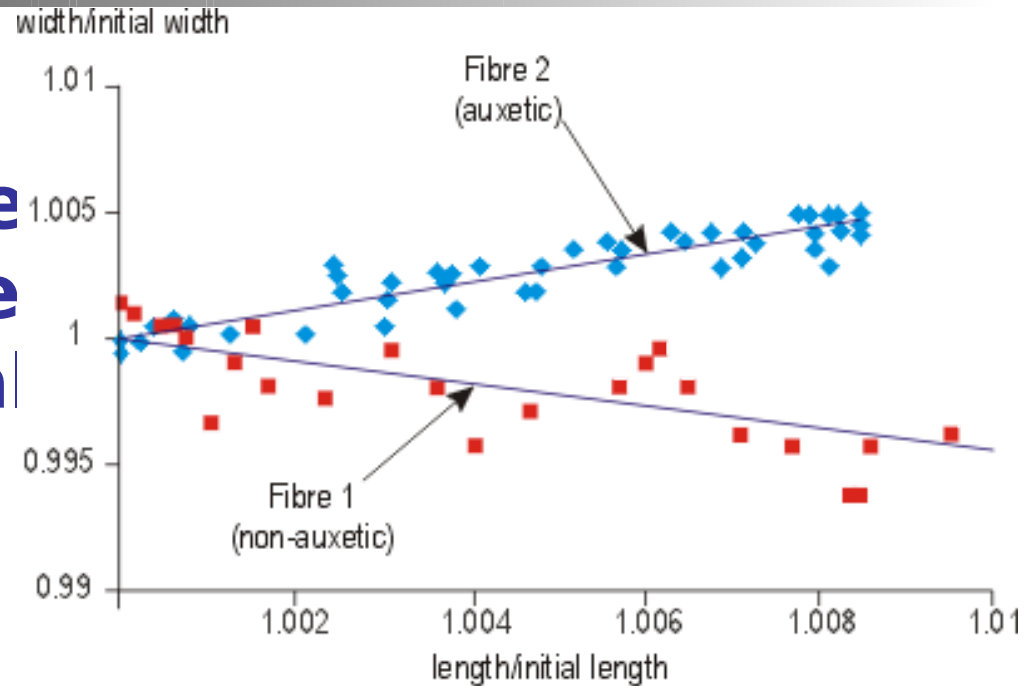
Auxetic yarn
PAD/cotton

Auxetic polymers

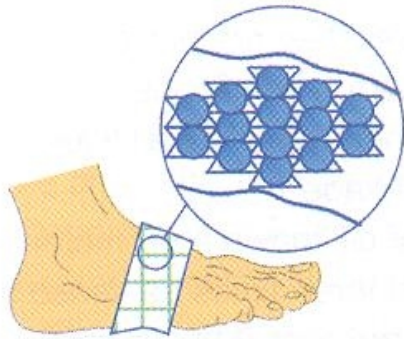
During the tensile deformation are extended laterally as well



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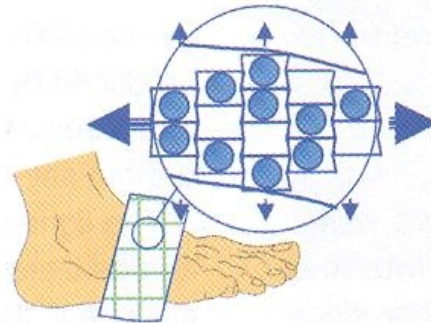


Auxetic structures in medicine



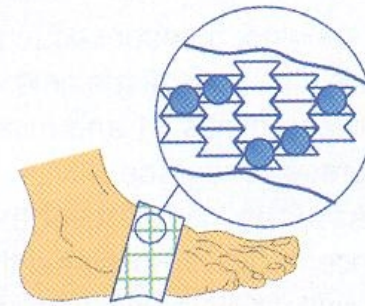
Bandage applied to wound

- bandage consists of auxetic fibres impregnated with wound-healing agent



Infected wound swells

- bandage stretches
 - fibres stretch
 - fibre micropores open (auxetic effect)
- release of wound healing agent starts



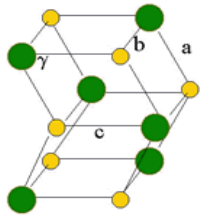
Wound heals

- swelling decreases
 - bandage relaxes
 - fibres relax
 - fibre micropores close
- release of wound healing agent stops

Shape memory alloys

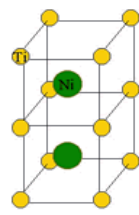


Martensite

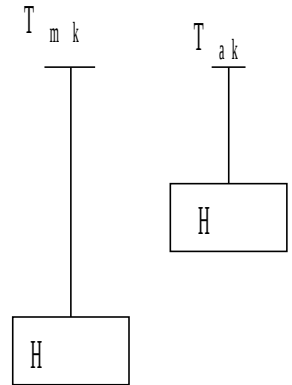
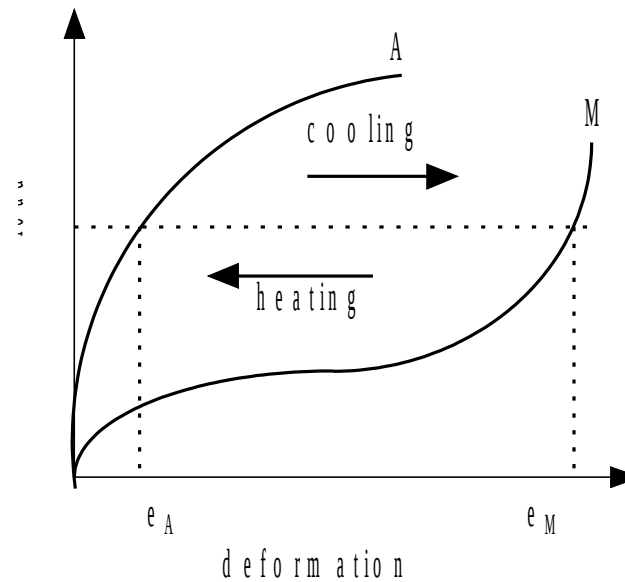


a, b, & c are not equal,
 γ about 96°

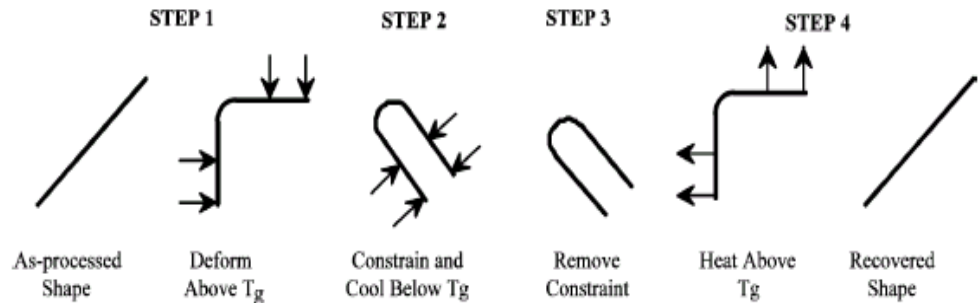
Austenite



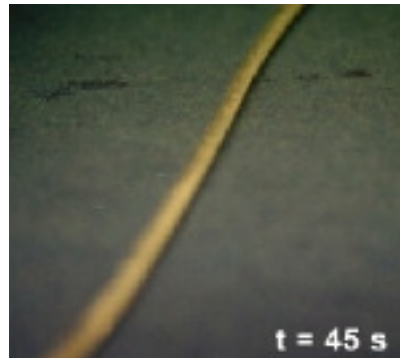
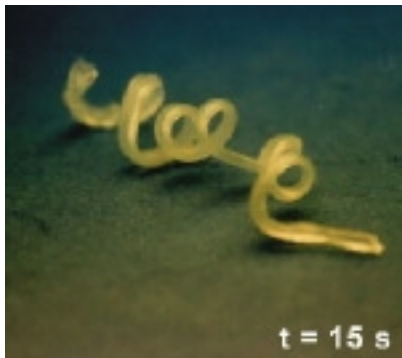
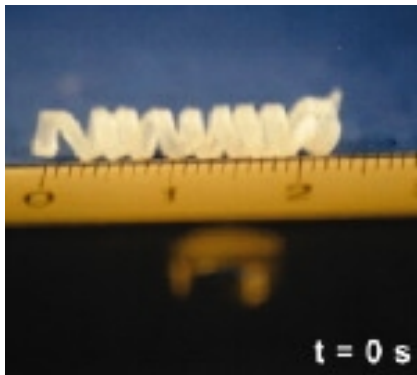
CsCl Structure
a = b = c
 $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = 90^\circ$



NiTiNOL- shape memory is due to phase changes in solid state.



Shape memory polymers



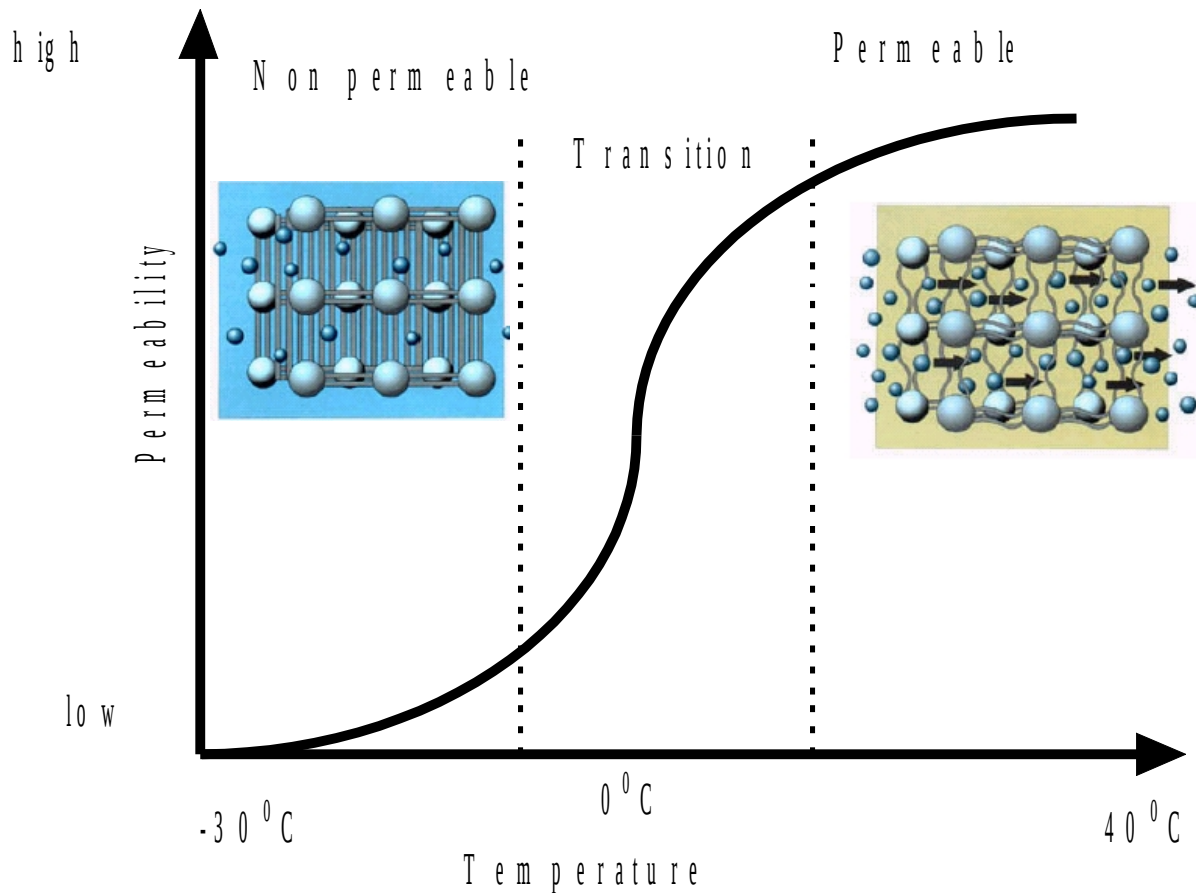
**Recovery to original
straight form**

*Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci.
USA, 98, 842 (2001).*

Super elastic glasses



PUR membrane DiAPLEX



- Air permeability is increasing due to body temperature increasing
- Below T_g is membrane non porous. Water from body is removed due to diffusion.

Physiological comfort

- breathable
- Thermal insulation
- Ventilation
- No liquid sweat on skin

Non permeability for water

– drop diameter 100 μm

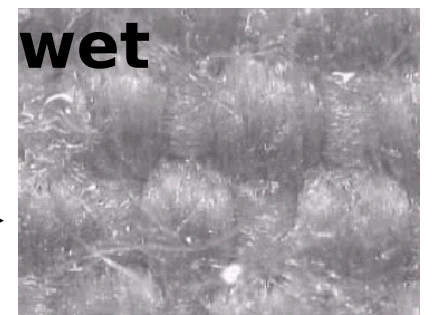
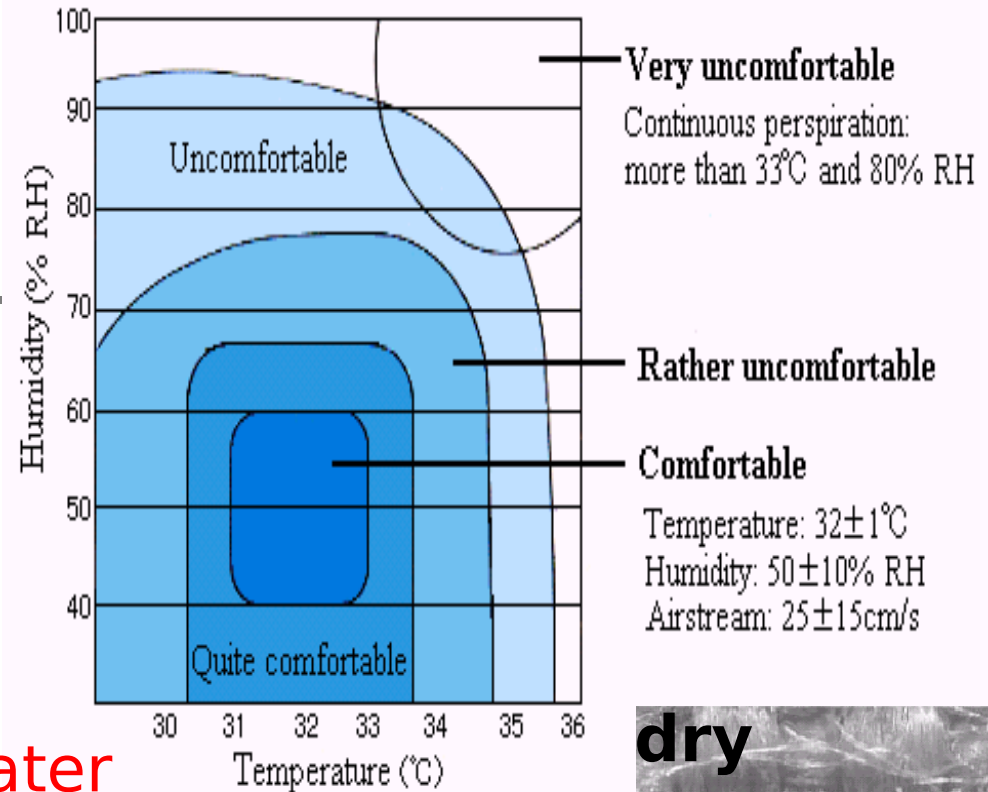
Permeability for water vapour –
molecule diameter 0.4 μm

1940 Ventile –fabric

Long staple cotton combed yarns

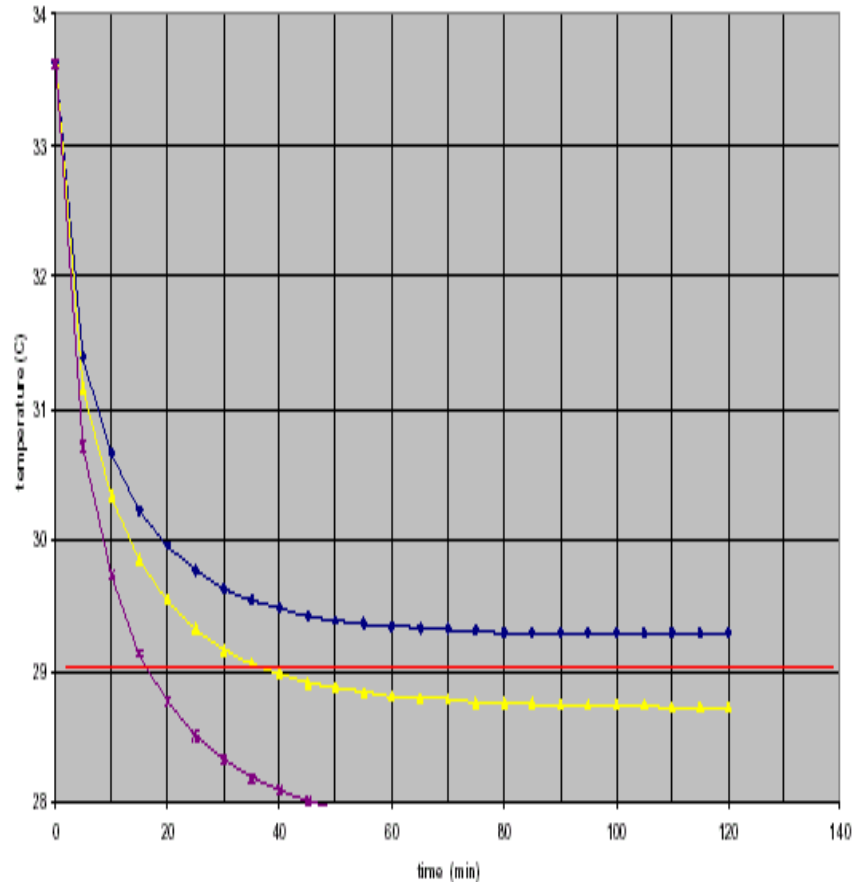
Oxford weave 2 ply yarn in warp

RAF



Thermal comfort

Mean Skin temperature T_{sk}
standing 160W - at 8 C in wind 8 m/s
TOLERANCE for MADRID and VIENNA



- Intensity of movement

- External conditions

1 litre O_2 /min = 20kJ/min

75-80% energy is heat

1 litre evaporated water = 2.4MJ

Middle endurance

1 litre oxygen per min

960 kJ heat per hour

Sufficient is to evaporate 400 ml sweat.

High endurance

4 litres oxygen per min

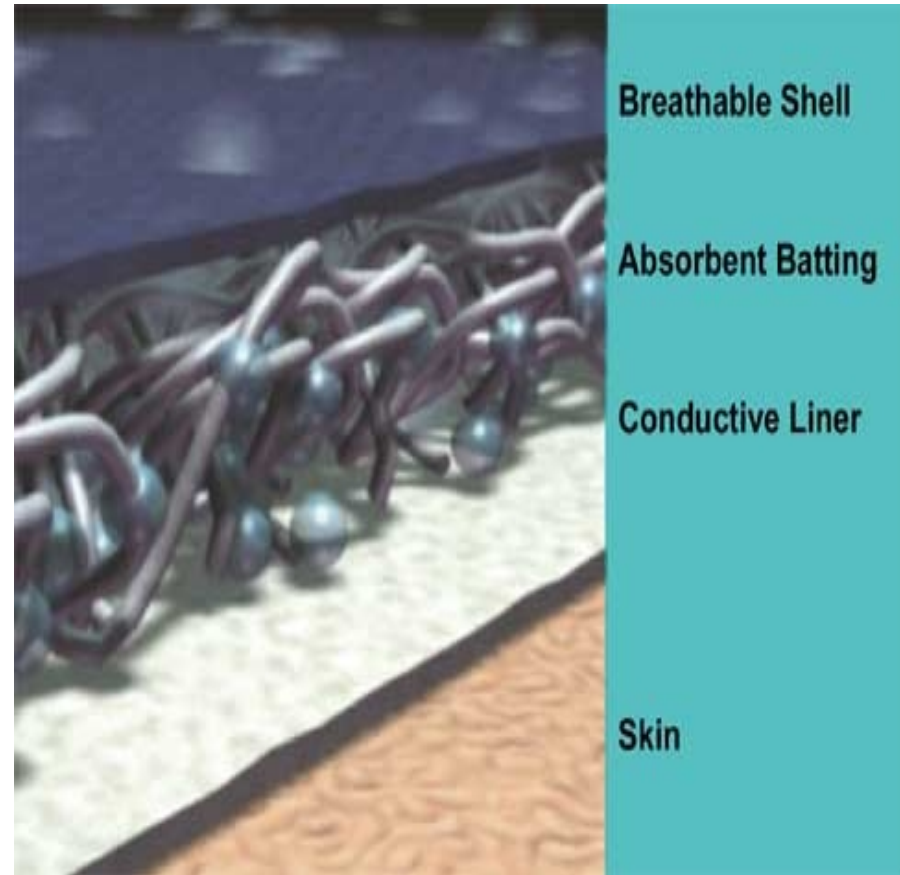
3600 kJ heat per hour

Evaporation of 1500 ml potu. Limit

Thermal losses are increasing with
square power of air velocity

Improved comfort

- Transport of water vapors
- Non permeability for liquid water
- Air exchange
- Thermal insulation





Thermal effects

- **Heat evolved by phase change**

$$Q = m * L = V * \rho * L$$

m mass, latent heat L [kJ/kg] boiled water 2256

- **Heat evolved by heating**

$$Q = m * c * \Delta T = V * \rho * c * \Delta T$$

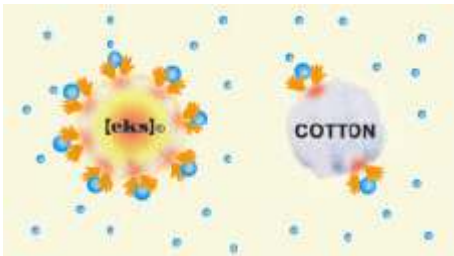
Specific heat c [J/(kg K)] water 4190

- **Heat evolved by conduction**

$$\frac{Q}{t} = \lambda * A \frac{\Delta T}{h}$$

λ [W/(m K)] thermal conductivity: air 0.026 water 0.68 skin 0.09
PES 0.2 Ag 428, A area, t time, h thickness

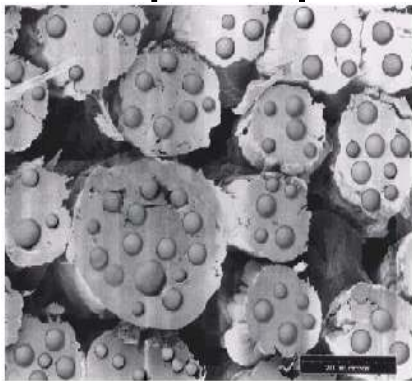
Heat energy storing



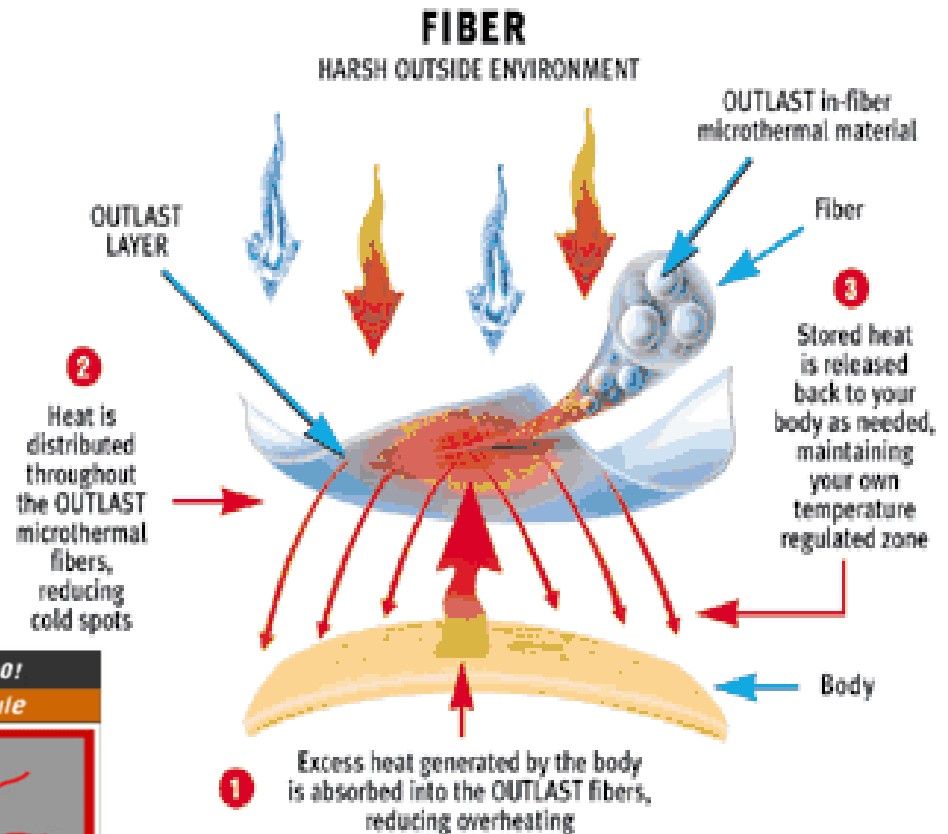
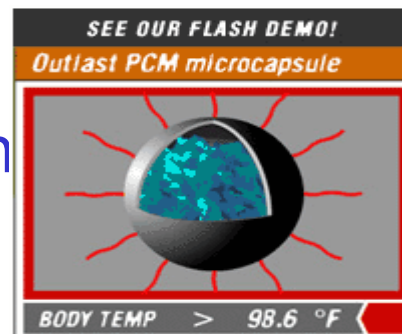
- Temperature sensitive materials. Water from 1 °C to 99 °C. Increasing temperature (1 °C), absorption of heat 4,18 J/g.
(fiber **EKS** Toyobo cross linked polyacrylate).
- Phase change materials Storing and releasing of heat as a result of phase changes (solid –liquid). Short time effect., PEG has latent heat of phase change $L = 121 \text{ J/g}$

Heat storing- Outlast

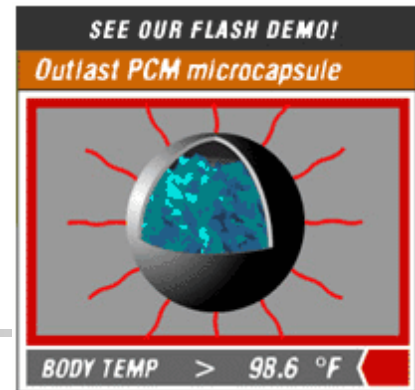
- Encapsulation of liquid crystalline



PCM
phase changin
materials



Time to phase change



- Encapsulated (PEG) have no influence to heat transfer. Their volume ratio is v_f , density $H_m = 1500 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$ and latent heat of phase change is $L = 121 \text{ J g}^{-1}$
- Capsules are dispersed in PET matrix of thickness $h = 1 \text{ mm}$ and thermal conductivity $\lambda = 0,2 \text{ W m}^{-1}\text{K}^{-1}$
- Temperature difference between inner and outer layer is $dT = 5\text{K}$

$$t[\text{s}] = \frac{h^2 * v_f * H_m * L}{\lambda * dT}$$

For $v_f = 0.3$ is result $t = 54.4 \text{ s}$.



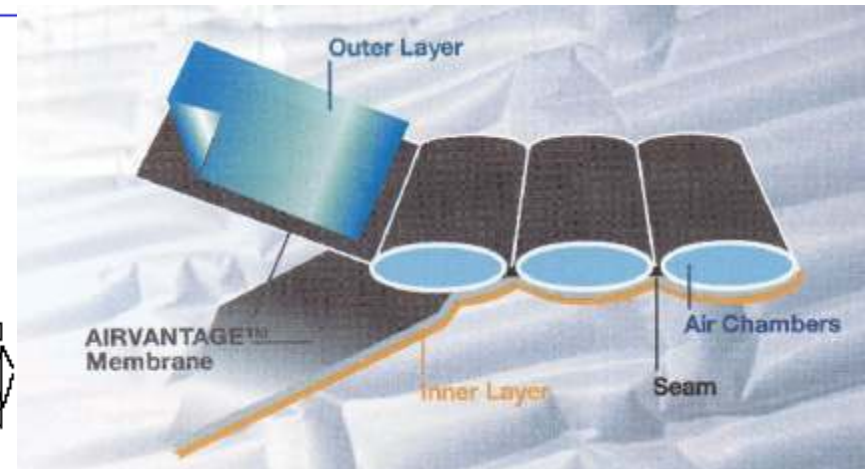
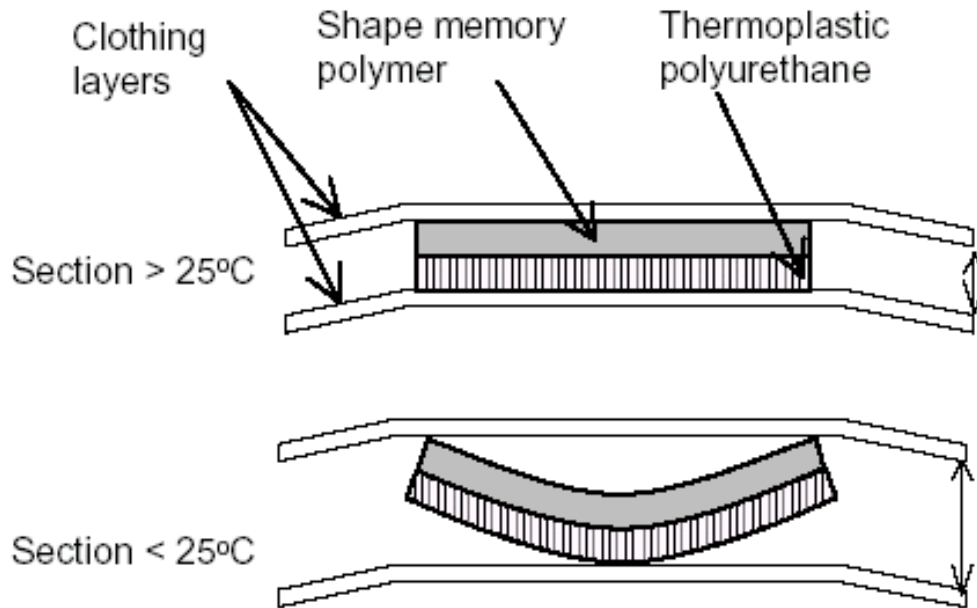
Active cooling



- Space suits – active cooling by circulation of water in pipes
D´Appolonia adopted this system for apparel applications.
- **PCS- Personal cooling system**
CSIRO. Heat transfer via thermal exchange tube (exchanger based on cooling by evaporation).

Thermal insulation

Material	Thermal Resistance (Km ² /w)/mm
Polyester (hollofill)	0.0151
Polyester (microfibres)	0.0320
Polyester (split-fibres)	0.0473



Air gap increased by change in shape of laminated film

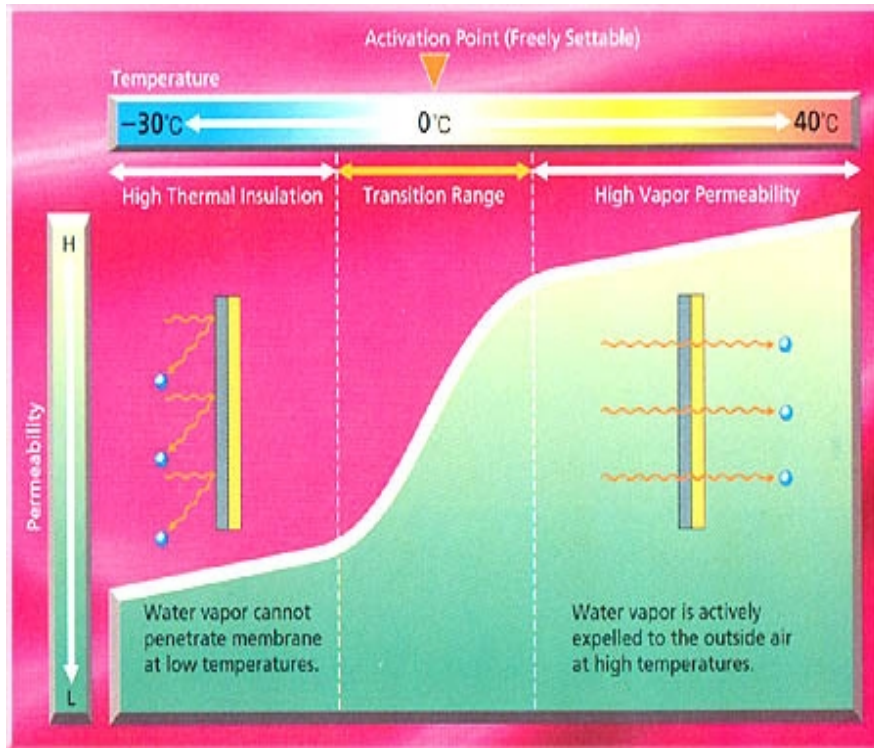
Active thermal adaptation

- Shape memory
(reversible form changes due to heating and cooling)
- Variable porosity
and water vapor permeability

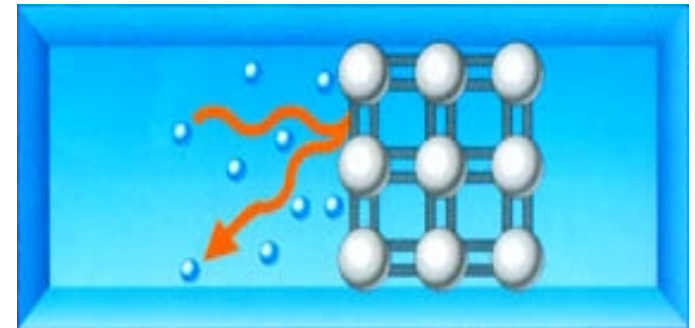


SSM membranes

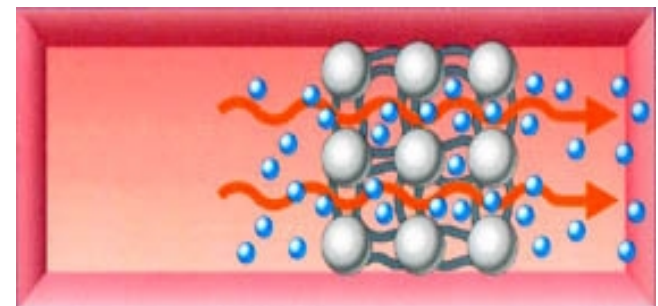
Sensitive to temperature changes



Low temperature

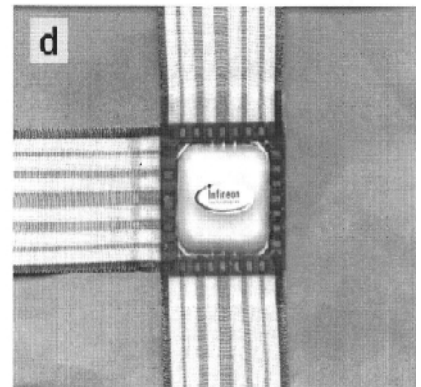
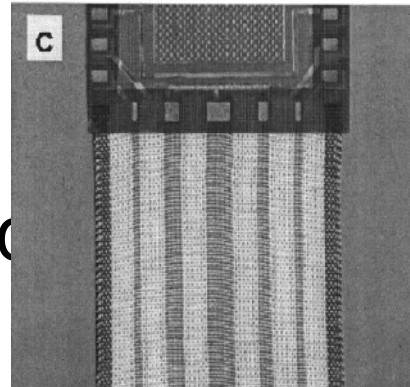
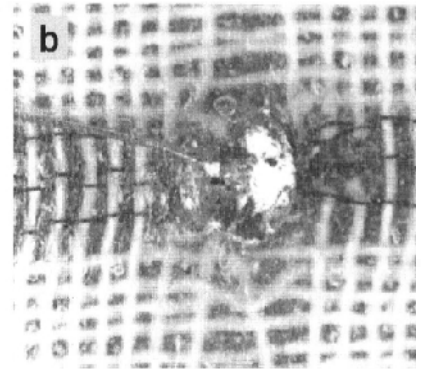
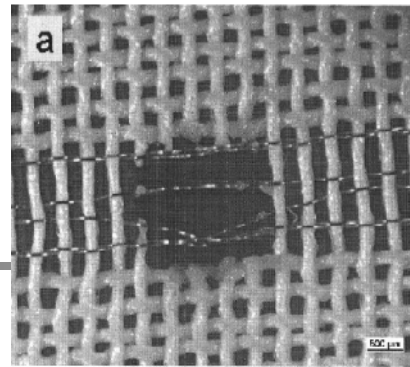
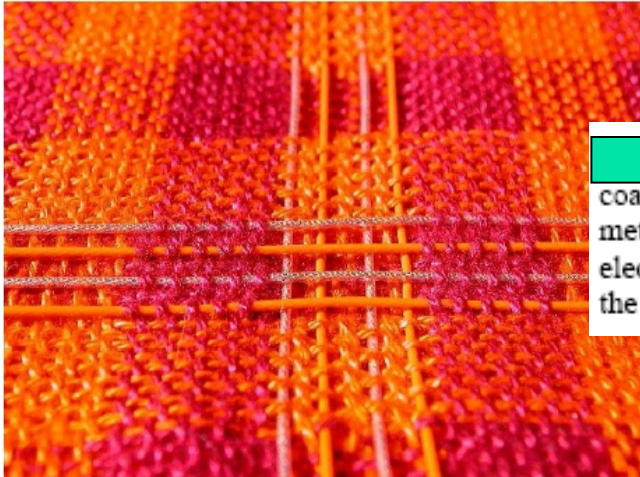


High temperature



Passive intelligence

Special kind of passive intelligent structures are parts of **wearable electronics** and **wearable computers**



Microphotographs of interconnect experiments performed on a woven test ribbon. (a) The coating of the wires is removed by laser treatment. (b) The woven wires are soldered to a small metal foil and connected to an electronic circuit by a thin wire. (c) Alternatively, the contact to an electronic module can be established via a flexible circuit board soldered to the ribbon. (d) Finally, the module and the contact areas are molded.

Wearable electronics I



Spots on the body for including electronic parts.
(designer view)



ANBRE (analogue biomechanical recorder)

Wearable electronics II

GAIT ANALYSIS PROTOTYPE

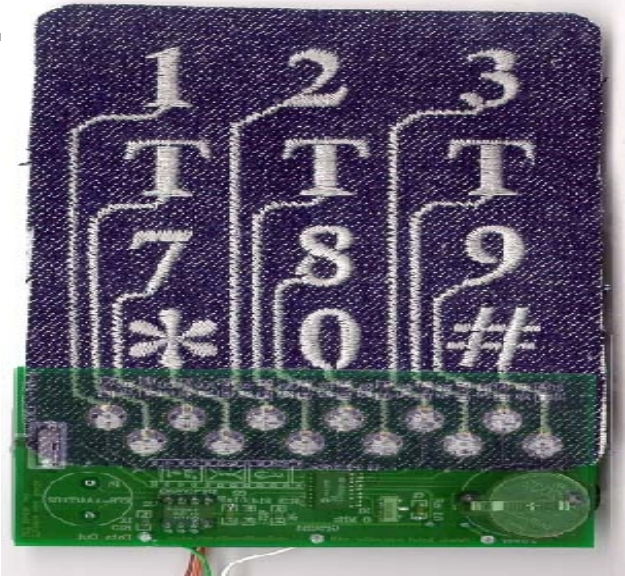
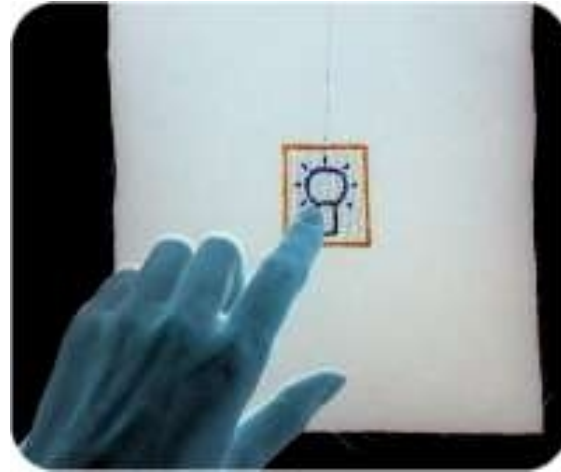


E-TAG AND SWEATER SNAP CONNECTIONS



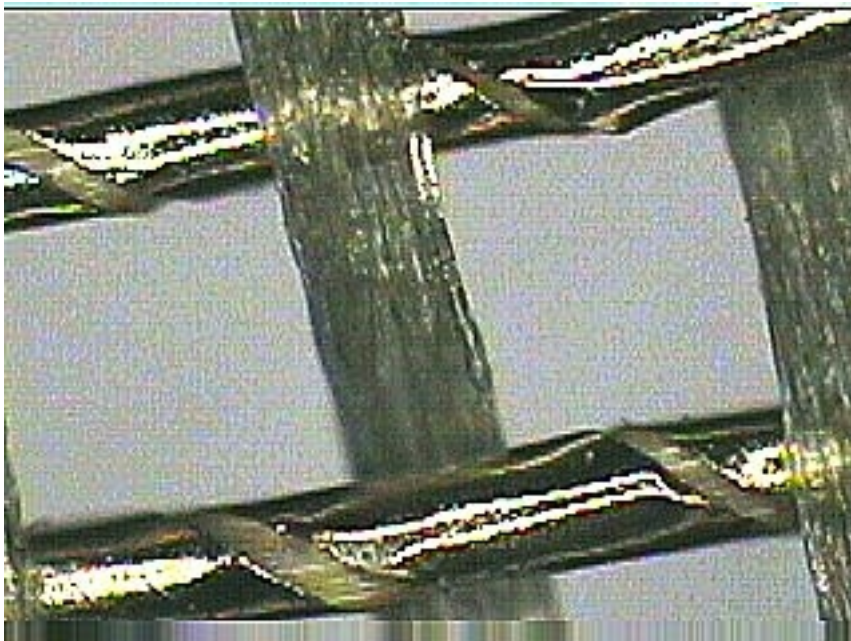
Music jacket

Textile switches



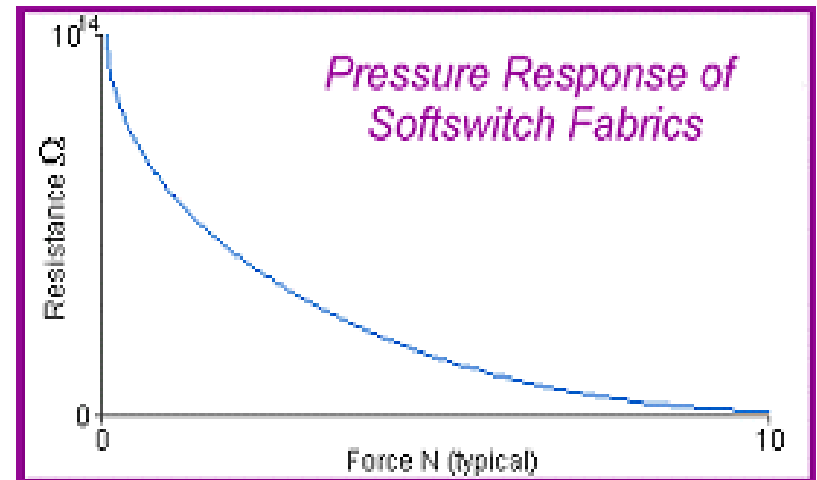
Textile keyboards

- Conductive net



Pressure sensors

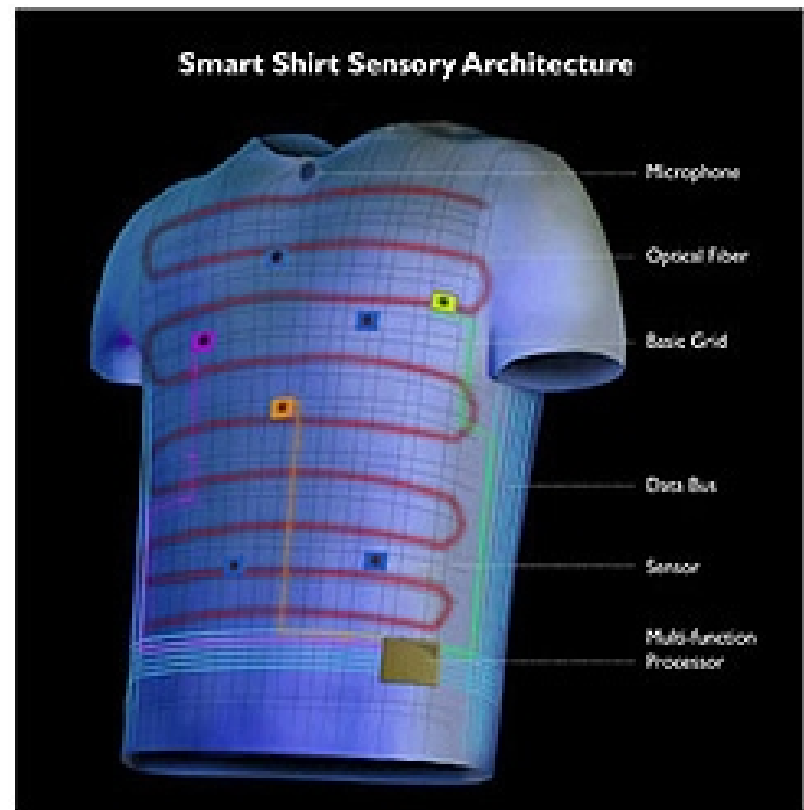
- Soft switch



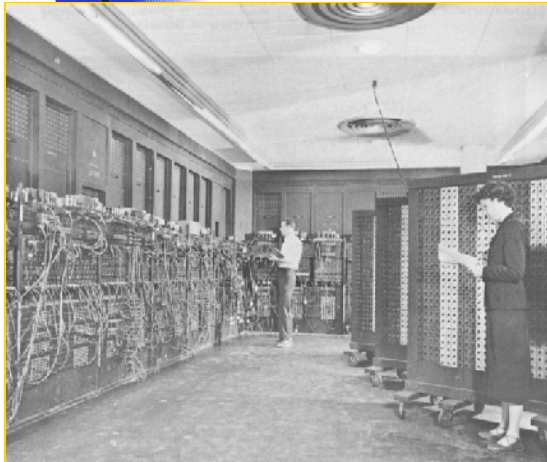
Intelligent shirt

- Electronic devices
- Heart rate
- Breathing
- Body temperature
- Electrocardiogram
- Voice

Weave with optical fibers net



Computers development



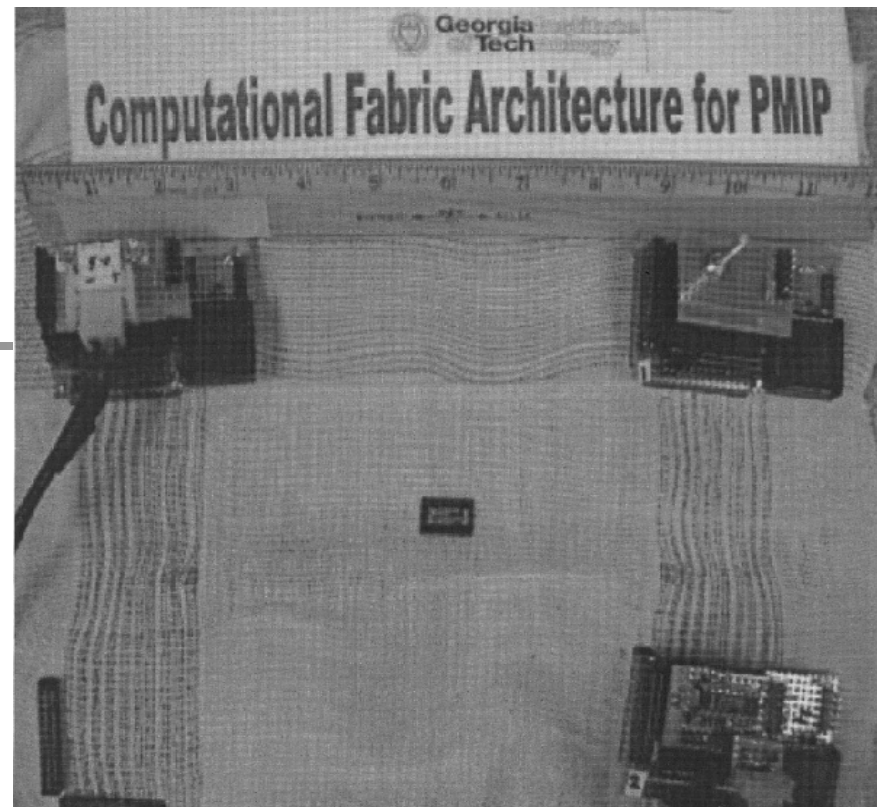
Past times



Today reality

Wearable computers

1. **Parts on the body and cloth**
 - Intelligent shirts
1. **Intuitive interface**
 - Speech and movement recognition
1. **Visual communication**
 - Transparent Display
1. **New sensations** (IR sonar)
2. **Proactive** (ready to work immediately)



CharmIT Wearable Computer

- 266MHz Intel Pentium or 800MHz Transmeta Crusoe



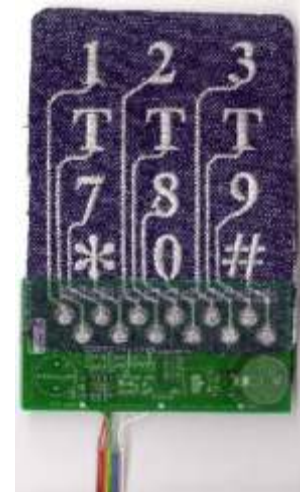
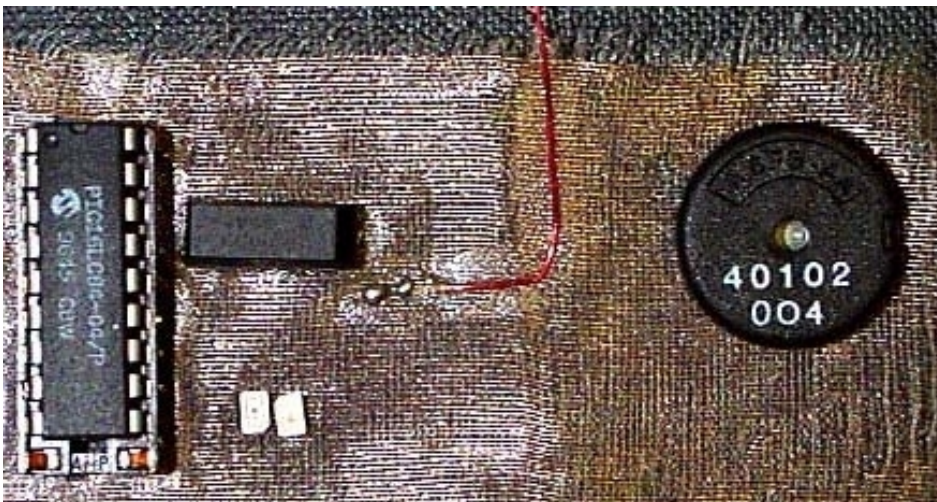
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- washable
- flexible

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Computer comfort

Hard computers

- hard
- stiff
- thick



Textile computers

- soft
- flexible

Thin

