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Research Field

Self-assembly of coil-crystalline block copolymers, including synthesis of crystalline polymers, crystallization-driven self-assembly in solution, preparation of biomedical nano-carriers and other complex nanostructures.

Research results and selected published papers

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