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Conductive polymer composites (CPCs) are critical for applications in the fields of automotive, electronics, packaging, and aerospace, among others, because of their designability, low cost, and ease of processing when compared with metallic and ceramic counterparts.

Processing methods of interests include melt compounding, conventional injection molding, casting, calendaring, foaming, mixing, etc., as developed to prepare CPCs to address the application for the above industrial sectors. The properties of CPCs are determined by the distribution of fillers that can be affected by the types of fillers, processing conditions, host matrix, blending methods, etc. Relevant progress on modelling is also within the scope of the topic.

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