Self-Doped Conducting Polymers provides an introduction to conducting polymers in general and self-doped conducting polymers in particular. This is followed by an in-depth exploration of the synthesis, properties, and utilization of several types of self-doped polymers. Optimization of self-doped polymers is also discussed.

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