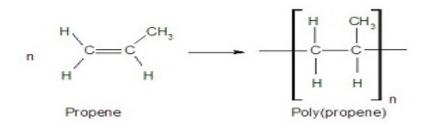


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Polypropylene is obtained by the polymerization of propylene in the presence of Ziegler-Natta catalyst (-AlR₃-AlCl₃)



Properties

- 1. Poly propylene is stereo regular (isotoctic) and highly crystalline polymer
- 2. it has better hardness, strength, stiffness than polyethylene
- 3. It is more resistant than polyethylene

Uses

- 1. Propylene is used in making molded parts and fibres
- 2. Its fibres are used in making ropes, carpets, furniture, handbags etc

3. It is also used for making water pipes, washing machine parts, sterilizable hospital equipments etc