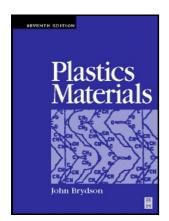
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Production costs have mostly put PHA in the shadow of cheaper, petroleum-based plastics, but a little creativeness in sourcing inexpensive raw materials may make it a top choice soon. Sometimes going back in time is a good thing.

Plastics: Material

The good news is plastic quality is only improving! It's the same stuff that's used to make the hard hats worn for construction projects.

Plastic Material Data

That's why you're able to reheat your leftovers in Tupperware without worrying about it melting! The effect of plastics on global warming is mixed. The main companies producing plastics doubted the economic viability of recycling at the time, and this is reflected in contemporary plastic collection. Some compounds leaching from polystyrene food containers have been proposed to interfere with hormone functions and are suspected human carcinogens.

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The plastic made for 3D printing uses Polylactic Acid, which means it's not safe for recycling. In 1941, annual production of synthetic rubber in the U.

Plastic

EPA used data from the American Chemistry Council and the National Association for PET Container Resources to measure the recycling of plastic. PP can be recycled, but is not as accepted as PETE or HDPE. Although most often generated from corn, PLA can be made from wheat or sugarcane as well PLA looks and performs similiarly to the polyethlene used in plastic films, packing materials and bottles, and it can also be used as a substitute for the used in foam food plates and containers and plastic cutlery.

Plastics by the Numbers

Worldwide, about 50 kg of plastic is produced annually per person, with production doubling every ten years.

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