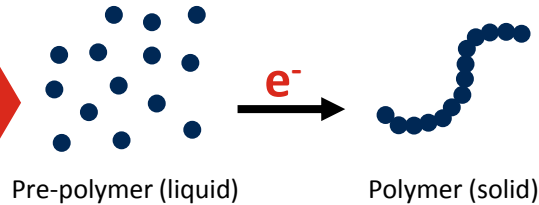


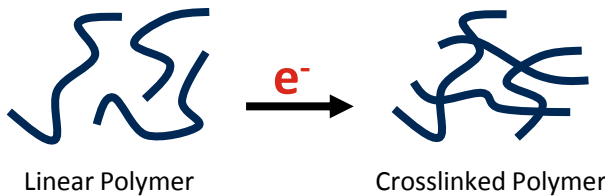
# What Can You Do with Ebeam?

## Cure



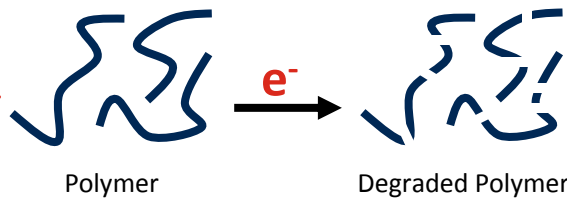
Ebeam can cure (polymerize) liquid pre-polymer resins into solid coatings, inks, and /or adhesives. Optical clarity is not an issue; ebeam can cure through opaque inks or metallized lamination. No initiator or solvent required!

Ebeam breaks polymer chains; these pieces can then bond together in new ways to form a linked network. Crosslinking generally improves heat resistance and shrink properties.



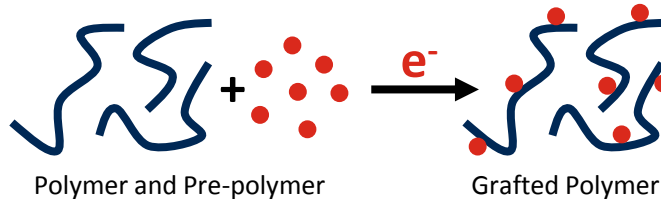
## Crosslink

## Scission



If the polymer chains remain broken, it is called chain scission. Crosslinking and scission occur in concert; the dominating reaction is dependent on the polymer chemistry.

If a polymer is exposed to ebeam in the presence of a pre-polymer, the two can become bonded. Grafting can be used to change the surface properties of a film.



## Graft

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The core principle of electron beam technology is accelerated electrons break chemical bonds. What happens afterward (bonds remain broken, reform, and/or initiate a reaction) is chemistry. How this principle is used to create new ebeam applications is up to your ingenuity!

