



KEY TOPICS

The scientific research at the INM focusses on four key themes:

- ▶ new materials for energy applications
- ▶ new concepts for medical surfaces
- ▶ new surface materials for tribological systems
- ▶ nano safety and nano bio

The InnovationCenter INM takes our research results up and develops them, with industrial partners, into new product ideas.

KEY FACTS (2016)

- ▶ Annual budget: 22.9 million Euro, incl. research grants and contracts: 5.6 million Euro
- ▶ Employees: 240
 - ▶ Scientists: 75
 - ▶ Doctoral Students: 40
- ▶ Patent families: 73



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NEW IDEAS

At INM, chemists, physicists, biologists, materials scientists and engineering scientists investigate and develop materials for today, tomorrow and beyond. Their joint work is targeted at new concepts of synthesis, structure, and function of materials. From molecule to pilot production, the researchers focus on three essential questions: Which material properties are new, how can they be characterized and what is needed for industrial and true-to-life applications in the future?

THE INSTITUTE

INM – Leibniz Institute for New Materials, located in Saarbrücken/Germany, is an internationally leading center for transdisciplinary materials research. It cooperates with national and international institutions and develops materials for industrial partners throughout the world. Our research is focused in three areas: Nanocomposite Technology, Interface Materials and Bio Interfaces. INM is an institute of the Leibniz Association.

