
Liquid crystal glass and solar glass

How do liquid crystals work?

At the flick of a switch, prompted by a low voltage, the liquid crystals change their orientation instantly to regulate the amount of light and heat passing through the glass. The glass always remains transparent, so even in a darkened state, natural light is preserved, and the outside view is retained.

What is solar shading glass?

Our solar shading glass contains a transparent liquid crystal mixture with specific dye molecules. This mixture is placed between two glass sheets coated with a transparent conductive film.

How does liquid crystal technology improve the operating temperature range of smart windows?

This system significantly improves the operating temperature range of sunlight-driven smart windows based on liquid crystals: the transparent-scattering transition is observed at 4-42 °C. The present mechanism allows development of autonomous and wireless smart windows adaptable to various environments.

What are photoresponsive liquid crystals?

Cite this: ACS Appl. Mater. Interfaces 2024, 16, 22, 28638-28644 Photoresponsive liquid crystals are promising materials for sunlight-driven smart windows, which can automatically change their optical states in response to sunlight and control energy flow between the inside and outside of a building.

Liquid crystal-based smart windows can dynamically modulate light transmission over a broad bandwidth by low-power electrical signals, environment (such as temperature, light condition,

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Smart windows based on liquid crystal (LC) have made significant advancements over the past decade. As critical mediators of outdoor light entering indoor spaces, these ...

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