

Video: No more flat tires? Scientists make rubber that can heal itself

September 24 2015



Credit: The American Chemical Society

Few things will ruin a day faster than a flat tire. But what if you never had to break out that spare again? Scientists have developed a new type

of rubber that can heal itself after a tear or break.

Amit Das and his [colleagues](#) at the Leibniz Institute for Polymer Research in Dresden, Germany, published their research in ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces.

See more in the latest episode of ACS Headline Science here:

Provided by American Chemical Society

Citation: Video: No more flat tires? Scientists make rubber that can heal itself (2015, September 24) retrieved 5 May 2024 from <https://phys.org/news/2015-09-video-flat-scientists-rubber.html>

This document is subject to copyright. Apart from any fair dealing for the purpose of private study or research, no part may be reproduced without the written permission. The content is provided for information purposes only.