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Supplementary Information

Toughened, self-healing and self-adhesive conductive gels with extraordinary temperature adaptability for dual-responsive sensors Enke Feng,*[‡] Xue Li,[‡] Xiaoqin Li, Mengzhen Zhang, Linan Cao, Ziqiang Wu,* and Xinxian Ma *College of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, Ningxia Normal University, GuYuan 756000, China.* [‡]These authors contributed equally to this work. They should thus be considered co-first authors. *Corresponding authors: NXSFEKF@126.com (E, Feng); Wuzqnd@163.com (Z, Wu).

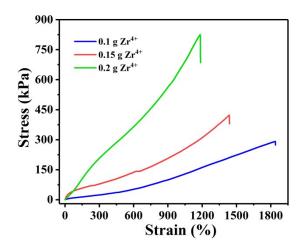


Fig. S1. The stress-strain curves of the PAA- $Zr^{4+}/Gly/IL$ gels with various Zr^{4+} contents.

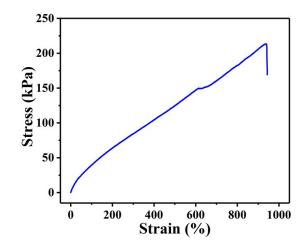


Fig. S2. The stress-strain curve of the PAA-Zr⁴⁺/Gly/IL gel with self-healing for 24 h (65% self-

healing efficiency for strain and 50% self-healing efficiency for stress).

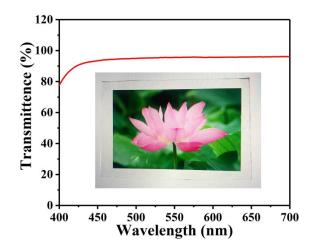


Fig. S3. The UV-vis transmittance spectra of the PAA-Zr⁴⁺/Gly/IL gel, and the insets showing the

high transparency of the PAA-Zr⁴⁺/Gly/IL gel.

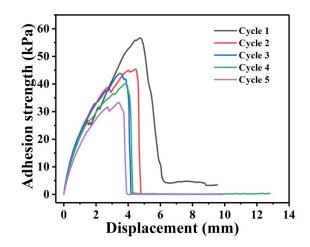


Fig. S4. The cyclic adhesion strength of the PAA-Zr⁴⁺/Gly/IL gel onto the copper substrate

surface.

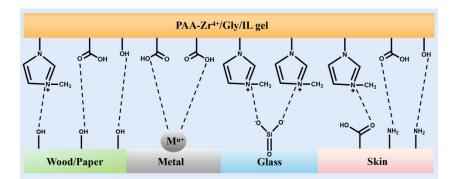


Fig. S5. The adhesive mechanism between the PAA- $Zr^{4+}/Gly/IL$ gel and various substrates.

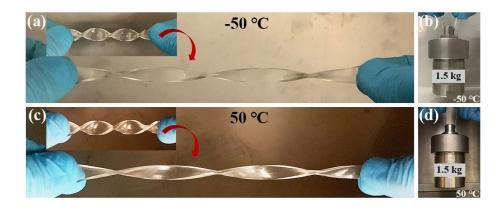


Fig. S6. (a), (b), (c) and (d) Photographs showing the excellent mechanical flexibility and

toughness of the PAA-Zr⁴⁺/Gly/IL gel at -50 and 50 °C, respectively.

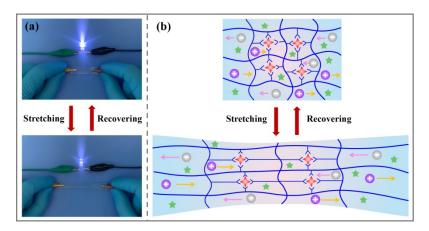


Fig. S7. (a) Comparisons of the luminance of LEDs by using the PAA-Zr⁴⁺/Gly/IL gel with

various tensile strains as the connecting wire. (b) Schematic illustration of the changes of PAA-

 $Zr^{4+}/Gly/IL$ gel structure according to external stretching deformation.

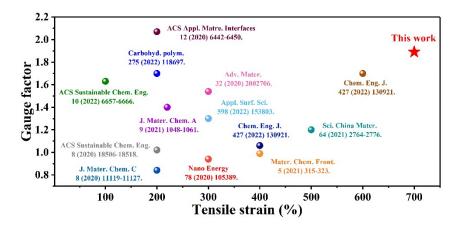


Fig. S8. A scatter diagram showing the gauge factor of some advanced strain sensors reported

recently.

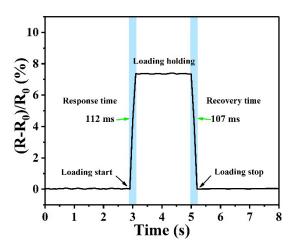


Fig. S9. Response time and recovery time of the PAA-Zr⁴⁺/Gly/IL gel sensor at 5% strain.

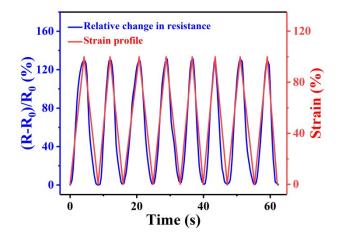


Fig. S10. Relative resistance changes of the PAA-Zr⁴⁺/Gly/IL gel sensor at 100% strain during

periodic stretching and releasing.