



## Thulium-Doped Fiber Lasers—Advances and Applications

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### Message from the Guest Editor

The number of demonstrations of Thulium-doped fiber lasers (TDFLs) generated at a wavelength range of 2  $\mu\text{m}$  has increased rapidly in recent years. The gain bandwidth of Tm<sup>3+</sup>-doped silica fibers, ranging from 1.8 to 2.1  $\mu\text{m}$ , makes TDFLs one of the most promising sources of mid-infrared coherent radiation for various applications, including medicine, spectroscopy, remote sensing, material processing, and frequency conversion. Due to the broadband gain bandwidth, thulium-doped fibers are also an excellent choice for an active medium in mode-locked fiber lasers and the generation of ultrashort pulses. However, our topics of interest are not only limited to fiber lasers operating in the 2  $\mu\text{m}$  spectral region, and reports on TDFLs utilizing other laser transitions are also invited.

This Special Issue aims to present recent advances in the development of thulium-doped fiber lasers—different laser setups and generation regimes, including ultrafast mode-locked fiber lasers as well as high-power continuous-wave (CW) lasers, new designs of thulium-doped fibers, and their applications.





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