

Special Issue

Metal Additive Manufacturing Enabling Clean Energy Economy and Decarbonization

Message from the Guest Editor

Metal additive manufacturing (MAM) processes are increasingly being adopted as a group of advanced technologies enabling clean energy economy and carbon reduction. This Special Issue of the Applied Science welcomes articles that demonstrate this development trend and offer readers a body of knowledge for the further advancement of MAM processes for green economy. Not limited to these MAM processes for fabricating components and systems in order to advance clean energy technologies; Case studies where MAM technologies are engaged for industrial decarbonization;

Applications of MAM technologies for carbon capture, utilization, and storage;

Current and/or projected trend of MAM technology advancement for promoting green economy;

Sustainability analysis of MAM processes;

Assessment of environmental impacts of MAM processes versus conventional manufacturing processes;

Life circle assessment of various MAM processes; MAM technology advancement enabling circular economy.

Original work highlighting the latest research and technical advancement is highly encouraged; review articles and short communications with novelty are also welcome.

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