Special Issue

Application of Infrared Spectroscopy in Petrography and Mineralogy Studies

Message from the Guest Editors

We are inviting submissions to the Special Issue on Application of Infrared Spectroscopy in Petrography and Mineralogy Studies. In this Special Issue, we welcome authors to share and disseminate their research outcomes on the uses of IRS techniques (FTIR, VNIR-SWIR, LWIR, TIR) for the study of a wide range of mineral compounds as well as different types of materials in the fields of economic geology and mineral exploration (core samples, ore minerals and host rock), mineral engineering/processing (raw material, feed, and treated compounds), astronomy (meteorites and asteroids), civil engineering and material science (cements, clays, polymers), environmental studies (water contaminants, bottom and fly ashes), forensic studies (soils), archaeology and cultural heritage (raw material, lithic manufactures, ceramics, pigments). Research on in situ measurements, as well as laboratory measurements, will both be considered for publication. As for the importance of data validation via cross-checking analyses, the use of combined approaches with a major focus on IRS techniques, is also welcome.

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