

## Surface Modified Nanoparticles: For Gas and Chemical Sensors

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### Message from the Guest Editor

With the fast advances in the application of nanoparticles, considerable efforts have been devoted to producing surface-modified nanoparticle composites to achieve integrated performance with synergic effects for applications in various fields, including gas sensors, chemical sensors, catalysts, food applications, energy conversion, and storage.

This Special Issue focuses on surface-modified nanoparticles and their applications in gas sensors, chemical sensors, catalysts, and so on.

In particular, the topic of interest includes but is not limited to:

- Surface-modified nanoparticles and material characterizations;
- Nanostructured materials for gas sensor applications;
- Chemical sensors based on surface-modified nanoparticles;
- Development and application of mass-sensitive transducers;
- Sensing principles and mechanisms of gas sensors and chemical sensors;
- Exploring new and efficient catalysts based on surface-modified nanoparticles;
- Food applications based on surface-modified nanoparticles.



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