Special Issue

Cold Spray for Additive Manufacturing and Remanufacturing Applications

Message from the Guest Editors

Cold Spray technology has gained significant traction in recent years and has now emerged as a critical technique in the fields of additive manufacturing (AM) and remanufacturing. The scope of this Special Issue cover, but is not limited to, the following topics:

- Novel Cold Spray materials and techniques for additive manufacturing;
- Cold Spray technology's applications in surface repair, surface enhancement, functional coatings, and additive manufacturing in many fields:
- Unique attributes of Cold Spray, such as a high deposition rate, high adhesion strength, solid-state bonding at low temperatures, etc.;
- The integration of artificial intelligence (AI) technology with Cold Spray helps to better realize toolpath and process optimization, as well as process control for industrial production campaigns;
- Cold Spray repair and remanufacturing of worn or damaged components;
- Characterization and testing of Cold-Sprayed components for additive manufacturing and remanufacturing applications;
- Challenges and opportunities related to implementing Cold Spray technology for additive manufacturing and remanufacturing.

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