

Special Issue

Jet Fuel Combustion

Message from the Guest Editor

Jet fuel, also known as aviation turbine fuel or avtur, is a complex mixture of hydrocarbon compounds derived from crude oil and natural gas. The combustion process of the jet is highly efficient and emits few emissions. However, in 2022, aviation accounted for 2% of global energy-related CO₂ emissions, having grown faster. It is critical to understand their combustion properties in order to evaluate the performance of jet fuels and, ultimately, to achieve clean combustion and reduce emissions. The Special Issue aims to demonstrate the combustion characteristics of jet fuels; new combustor design and development for improved engine performance; mitigating carbon emissions from gas turbine engines; diagnostic techniques for a better understanding of the combustion process; and alternative jet fuels. Including but not limited to:

- Chemical kinetic models for jet fuels;
- Ignition, extinction, and flame propagation of jet fuels;
- Combustion efficiency and exhaust emissions;
- Evaporation, combustion, and atomization of jet fuel droplets;
- Spray combustion characteristics and optical diagnostics;
- Engine performance with regard to ignition, altitude relight, and blowout limits.

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