Special Issue

Effect of Novel Food Processing Technologies on the Physical, Chemical, Microstructural, Microbiological, Nutritional, and Sensory Properties

Message from the Guest Editors

The Issue will address issues pertaining to the physical, chemical, microstructural, microbiological, nutritional, and sensory properties of foods processed using novel technologies. For the purposes of the Issue, novel food processing technologies are defined as those that can be used to process foods by means other than those applied using conventional techniques such as water immersion, canning, or retorting. Common examples include high-pressure processing; pulsed electric fields; and ohmic heating, cold plasma, or high intensity ultraviolet light treatments, to name but a few. These techniques have evolved to compensate for some of the shortcomings of conventional methods, and can be used to improve not only sustainability by, e.g., reducing processing times, energy, or water consumption; increasing product yield; or minimising and/or eliminating undesired side-reactions, but also by improving eating quality through improvements in the sensory, food safety, and nutritional composition of foods.

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