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Advances in Friction, Wear-Resistant and Solid-Lubricating Properties of Materials

Message from the Guest Editors

Wear-resistant lubrication are a viable option for reducing friction and wear in a variety of environments. With rapid advances in science and technology, techniques in more modern industrial tribo-systems rely on lubricating materials for high performance, efficiency, and durability, especially to design and produce materials that possess a high wear resistance and a low friction coefficient over wide load, speed, and temperature ranges. However, a lack of understanding of tribological mechanisms hinders the optimization design of lubricating materials and their applications in other fields.

- Friction and wear properties of traditional wear-resistant lubrication materials;
- Lubrication mechanisms of wear-resistant lubrication;
- Research and development of new-type solid-lubricating materials.

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