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Steroidal and Triterpenoid Compounds: Natural Sources, Bioactivities and Applications

Message from the Guest Editors

Steroidal and triterpenoid compounds are widely distributed in nature and have been applied in many ways in different sectors. Steroids are solid alcohols with a basic skeleton typically composed of 17 carbons arranged in the form of a

perhydrocyclopentanophenanthrene. This Special Issue will provide an update on all aspects of the chemistry and bioactivity of steroidal and triterpenoid compounds, bringing together original research and review articles covering the latest findings on natural sources, bioactive and pharmacological properties, and recent applications of these molecules that have been receiving increasing interest in different industrial sectors. Studies focused on extraction, isolation, characterization, and mechanisms of action, among other research subjects, are also welcome. Dr. Maria Ines Dias

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