

Special Issue

Synthesis of Heterocyclic Compounds

Message from the Guest Editor

Heterocyclic compounds play a relevant role in many different aspects of our daily lives and in the current facets and features of research in synthetic organic chemistry. Most of the chemicals that have interesting functions in hereditary information, food, energetics, drugs and pharmaceuticals, photosynthesis, agriculture, supramolecular chemistry, and health are also characterized by the presence of at least one heterocyclic ring in their molecular structure. In recent decades, heterocycles have become fundamental in chemistry, and their peculiarities have emerged in many varied fields with interesting developments occurring in industry, technology, and materials science. Heterocyclic compounds are certainly the basis of the majority of building blocks and fine chemicals discovered and synthesized over two centuries, attesting to an exponential growth in chemical synthesis.

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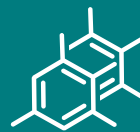
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