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Synthesis, Characterization, and Application of Highly Energetic Materials

Message from the Guest Editor

Highly energetic material is a material that can react quickly and release heat energy under the stimulation of a small amount of external energy. Some reactions are accompanied by loud popping sounds and bright flames. In particular, due to the small size, high activity, and large contact area, nano-sized highly energetic materials have certain surface, volume, and quantum size effects, which have received more research attention. Because of their outstanding heat release ability, energetic materials have been widely used in igniters, thrusters, detonators, sensors, welding repairs, binders, and many other fields. Any novelty and promising breakthroughs are encouraged to be submitted to this research topic. This Special Issue aims to gather the latest results in simulation, synthesis, advanced characterization, and potential applications of highly energetic materials.

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