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Triterpenoids and Derivatives with Anticancer Activity

Message from the Guest Editor

In nature, triterpenoids are often found as tetra- or pentacyclic structures, but acyclic, mono-, bi-, tri- and hexacyclic triterpenes also exist. Tetracyclic triterpenoids, including the dammarane, cucurbitane, cycloartane, lanostane, and protostane groups, comprise triterpenoids that are widely distributed in various medicinal plants, some of them with potent anticancer activity. Pentacyclic triterpenoids can be divided into several representative classes, namely, ursanes, oleananes, and lupanes, which all include interesting bioactive compounds with immunomodulatory, anti-inflammatory, and anticancer activities. This Special Issue aims to provide the opportunity to share new findings and recent advances on triterpenoids and their derivatives toward the development of new anticancer drugs.

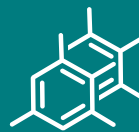
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