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Toxicity and Ecotoxicity Assessment of Nanomaterials by In Vitro Models

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This Special Issue will cover recent advances in the in vitro development (and use) of cheap and robust assays for NM toxicology assessment, as well as the development of new models that better mimic the in vivo situation, including 3D cell and/or organoid models and long-term/low-dose exposure scenarios. Models that better mimic the environment, such systems as mesocosms, or encompassing soil and plants or soil, bacteria, and plants, and the flow and fate of NMs in these systems are also included. Finally, any in vitro study describing mechanistic insight into the toxicological and ecotoxicological mode of action of NMs, which may be either potential environmental pollutants, nanodrug systems, or nanobiomaterials, is also in the scope of this Special Issue.









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