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Antimicrobial and Antioxidant Activity of Nanoparticles

Message from the Guest Editor

While antimicrobial nanoparticles play an important role in preventing and fighting infections or accelerating the healing of skin wounds in medicine, as well as in preventing the microbial contamination of water, food packaging, or various consumer products, antioxidant nanoparticles have been found to have potential for the successful treatment of various inflammatory diseases related to oxidative stress. In addition, such nanoparticles can also be used in cosmetics, especially for skin care products and anti-aging treatments. We invite researchers to submit articles on advances in the antimicrobial and antioxidant activity of nanoparticles. Possible topics include the following: the synthesis, modification and functionalization of nanoparticles for enhanced antimicrobial and antioxidant activity: the surface functionalization of solid materials: characterization techniques; mechanisms of antimicrobial and antioxidant activity; in vitro and in vivo studies of antimicrobial and antioxidant activity for establishing hygiene, infection control and/or antioxidant therapies; and the evaluation of potential health and environmental risks.

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