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New Nanotechnology in the Agriculture and Food Industry

Message from the Guest Editors

The integration of nanotechnology in agriculture and the food industry marks a transformative advancement, promising significant enhancements in productivity, sustainability, and food safety. Nanotechnology has found applications ranging from targeted pesticide delivery to enhanced food packaging. This convergence of technology and traditional farming practices has opened new avenues for the confrontation of issues related to food security and quality, while minimizing humanity's environmental footprint. This Special Issue aims to showcase the latest advancements in nanotechnology that are specifically tailored to agriculture and food production. Our scope includes, but is not limited to, the development of novel nanomaterials for crop protection and soil management. innovative nano-sensors for agriculture monitoring systems, and the application of nanotechnology in food processing and preservation. The objective of this Special Issue is to provide a comprehensive platform for researchers to discuss the impacts, challenges, and future directions of nanotechnology in this critical sector.

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