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Applications of the Metal-Organic Frameworks and Nanoporous Materials in Nanocatalysis

Message from the Guest Editors

In recent years, the development of efficient materials for environmental remediation has gained prominence due to the global challenge of pollution. Adsorption and photocatalytic degradation are particularly valued for their low costs, minimal by-products, ease of separation, and eco-friendliness. Effective materials for these processes must possess high porosity, enabling them to serve as both sorbents and catalysts. Metal-organic frameworks (MOFs), a subclass of nanomaterials, are increasingly utilized across fields like engineering, biosciences, and energy. Their green synthesis methods yield sustainable materials with unique properties. MOFs consist of metal clusters linked with diverse organic ligands, offering significant chemical diversity. MOFs are vital in environmental remediation, excelling in degrading organic pollutants and adsorbing atmospheric contaminants like NO_x and CO₂. This Special Issue invites papers on sustainable synthesis methods for MOFs and related materials, as well as their applications in (photo)catalysis, energy storage, and biomedicine.

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