



## From Biomass Fractionation to Final Biobased Polymer Nanocomposites in European Sustainable Biobased Nanomaterials Community (BIOMAC)

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Developments in biobased nanomaterials are coupled with biotechnologies applied to biomass, converting renewable resources into high-added-value polymers. To accelerate the market entrance of nanoenabled biobased materials (NBMs), BIOMAC (<https://www.biomac-oitb.eu>) aims to establish an open innovation test bed (OITB) dedicated to upscaling processes incorporating major developments in this area based on two pillars: to generate knowledge and to capture business value. Starting from the utilization of biomass sources, followed by the production of biobased nanoparticles and different building blocks, the ecosystem community is currently developing biopolymers for many applications, making up a large market share.

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