Special Issue

Polymer-Based Biosensors in Food Industry

Message from the Guest Editor

Recently, biosensors have been rapidly developed as a promising alternative to the conventional techniques for monitoring the safety and nutritional quality of food. Among various biosensors, polymer-based biosensors, including enzyme-, DNA-, aptamer-, and protein-based biosensors have gained increasing attention due to their high performances and abundant sources. Typically, a variety of polymer-related materials, such as polymer composites, biopolymers, conducting polymers, polymer beads, polymeric nanoparticles, and hybrids, have been employed to design and fabricate biosensors for the food industry. This Special Issue invites original papers and reviews reporting on recent progress in the following areas: -Fabrication methods of polymersbased biosensors for food safety and food quality control; -Biosensors based on novel polymeric materials and their application in the food industry: -Novel polymer-based biosensors with excellent performance in the food industry; -Integration process of polymerbased biosensors into food packing materials and their real-time monitoring of food quality; -Next-generation polymer-based biosensors for the food industry.

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