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# Advancements in Metasurface-Based Optical and Optoelectronic Sensors

### Message from the Guest Editors

Optical sensors represent a powerful class of label-free detection platforms capable of monitoring chemical, physical, and biological interactions as well as compositional changes. These devices operate by acquiring optical or optoelectronic signals, enabling real-time, high-sensitivity measurements without the need for fluorescent or radioactive labeling. The underlying mechanism relies on detecting variations in light properties. Recent advancements in **metasurfaces** and **nanomaterials** have significantly enhanced the performance of optical sensors. Metasurfaces, with their engineered subwavelength structures, and nanomaterials, such as plasmonic nanoparticles, quantum dots, and 2D materials, can generate strong optical resonances and narrow spectral responses. These features improve sensitivity, selectivity, and signal-to-noise ratios, enabling detection at ultra-low concentrations (down to single-molecule levels). The integration of these advanced materials has expanded the applications of optical sensors across diverse fields, including:

- **Environmental and chemical detection**
- **Biomedical diagnostics**
- **Spectroscopy and imaging**
- **Industrial and security applications**

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