Special Issue

Symmetry/Asymmetry in Composite Materials and Its Applications

Message from the Guest Editor

Symmetry and asymmetry are ubiquitous in nature and technology in various composite materials. They represent an emerging class of functional composite materials, known as universal materials, because their unique properties depend on the geometric shape of their internal structure. Some types of composite materials include sandwich structures, porous materials. and functional coating materials. The thermal conductivity, electrical conductivity, and dynamic mechanical properties of composite materials are crucial in the future aerospace, energy, and automotive industries. Here, different types of symmetry and asymmetry may occur, and utilizing their advantages has always been a priority for engineering applications. Therefore, research on the symmetry and asymmetry analysis of composite materials and systems is crucial for academia and industry professionals to improve the performance and develop the applications of these composite materials. This Special Issue focuses on symmetry and asymmetry in composite materials, aiming to enhance design and manufacturing processes. Contributions on engineering applications, including original research and review articles, are invited.

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