

Special Issue

Toxicity and Mechanisms of Occupational and Environmental Pollutants

Message from the Guest Editors

Titanium dioxide (TiO₂) is a white, powdered metal compound with strong chemical inertness and has been widely used in food, coatings, cosmetics, textiles, paper, and plastic products. Titanium dioxide nanoparticles (TiO₂ NPs) refer to particles with at least one dimension between 1 and 100 nm in three-dimensional space. They can invade the human body through many ways, such as entering the body through the mouth with food additives or drugs, invading the damaged skin with cosmetics, and entering the body through the respiratory tract during the process of production and handling. Because of their stable and insoluble characteristics, TiO₂ NPs are also easy to accumulate in the environment and cause environmental exposure to the human body through drinking water, flora and fauna, and so on. Therefore, the potential toxicity of TiO₂ NPs deserves attention.

The aim of this Special Issue is to publish research on potential toxic effects of titanium dioxide nanoparticles exposure on human health and the impact on the environment. Reviews summarizing relevant recent advances are also welcome.

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