Special Issue

Corrosion and Chemical Behavior of Biodegradable Materials

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The Special Issue on "Corrosion and Chemical Behavior of Biodegradable Materials" is concerned with the assessment and improvement of the chemical resistance of biodegradable materials, including biodegradable metals, bio-based polymers, and lignocellulosic biomass. The aim of this collection is to address recent and upcoming methods to assess the corrosion and chemical resistivity of biodegradable materials, regarding the prementioned fields. Examples of relevant subjects include but are not limited to the following:

- Corrosion behavior of biodegradable metals (e.g., Mg, Zn, and Fe);
- Bioresorbability of biodegradable metals and polymers;
- Computer simulations of biodegradable materials corrosion behavior;
- Chemical resistance of biopolymers;
- Enzymatic hydrolysis of polymers;
- Sea water resistance of natural fibers;
- Corrosion of wood plastic composites.

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