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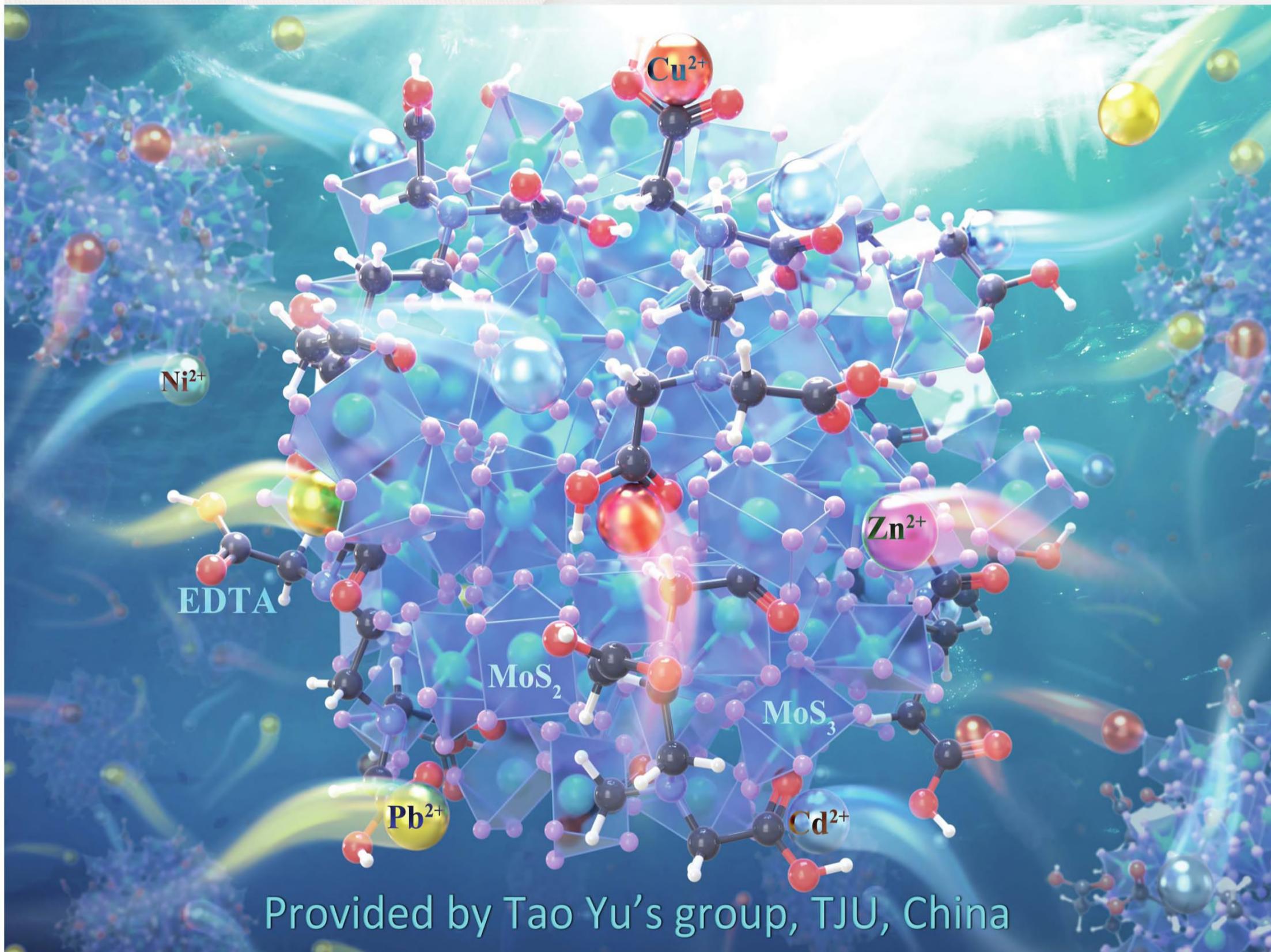
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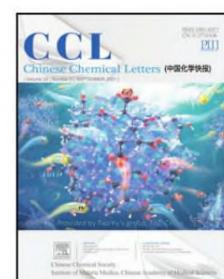
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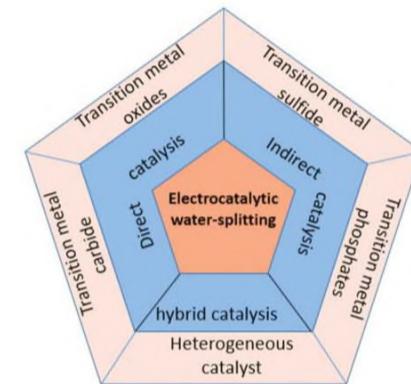
Transition metal-based electrocatalysts for overall water splitting

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Considering to better understanding the application of transition metal-based catalysts in overall water decomposition, this work divides into three major types basing on the intrinsic catalytic active substances, and overviews the basic principles and recent progresses of transition metal-based overall water decomposition in terms of active sites, defects, morphological structures and interfacial effects.

**Recent advances in kaolinite-based material for photocatalysts**

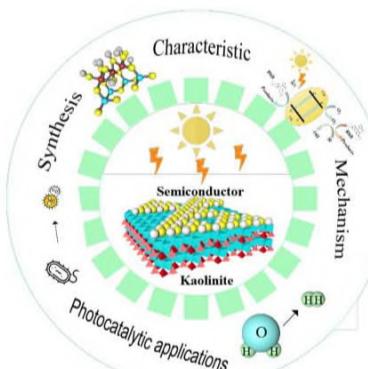
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This article discusses the synthesis, characteristics and photocatalytic mechanism of different kinds of kaolinite composite photocatalysts in detail. The latest progress of kaolinite-based photocatalytic materials in the fields of environment and energy is reviewed. On the basis of analyzing and discussing the limiting factors of composite photocatalyst performance, some ideas on the future development direction of this field are put forward.

**Application of magnetic solid phase extraction in separation and enrichment of glycoproteins and glycopeptides**

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This review mainly focus on the recent advances in the application of magnetic solid phase extraction (MSPE) technology and magnetic adsorbents for the separation and enrichment of glycoproteins and glycopeptides in human body fluids.



Selective adsorption of phosphate in water using lanthanum-based nanomaterials: A critical review

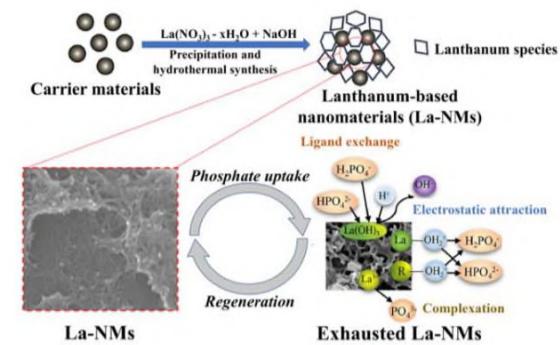
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The selective phosphate adsorption capacity and regeneration efficiency of various lanthanum-based nanomaterials (La-NMs) prepared by different synthesis methods are summarized. Additionally, the application of La-NMs to real wastewater is also discussed.

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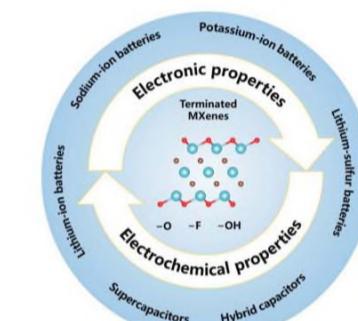
Role of MXene surface terminations in electrochemical energy storage: A review

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This review focuses on the up-to-date progress in surface terminations of MXenes with the aim of providing guidance for future researches and applications of these materials.

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Recent progress of composite solid polymer electrolytes for all-solid-state lithium metal batteries

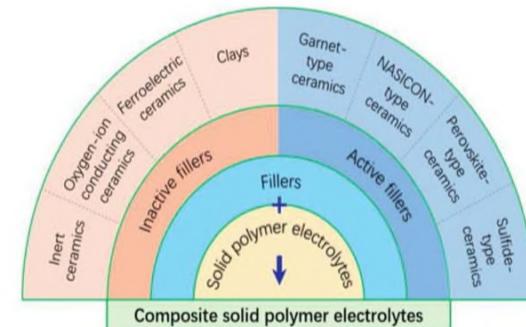
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Solid-state electrolytes play a crucial role in the improvements of safety and electrochemical stability in all-solid-state lithium batteries (ASSLBs). In this review, we present the recent research and development of the composite solid polymer electrolytes for ASSLBs.

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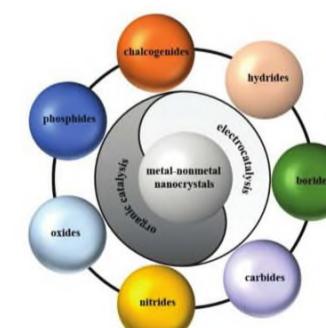
Recent advances in nonmetallic atom-doped metal nanocrystals: Synthesis and catalytic applications

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Nonmetallic atoms-doped metal catalysts (metal-nonmetal catalysts) would be the most promising candidates for noble metal catalysts, playing important role in organic catalysis and electrocatalysis. The introduction of metal-nonmetal catalysts in this review can provide guidance and serve as a resource for researchers who are interested in this topic.

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Structural engineering design of carbon dots for lubrication

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In this review, three strategies for structural engineering design of carbon dots (CDs) to improve their tribological characteristics are fully analyzed, in terms of size and shape control, surface modification and heteroatom doping. And the lubricating mechanisms of CDs as additives, including protective film, rolling effect, mending effect and polishing effect, are introduced in detail.

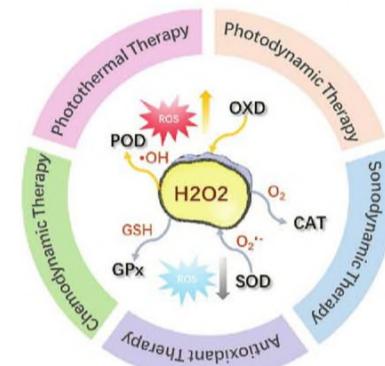


Nanozymes for regulation of reactive oxygen species and disease therapy

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This review paper summarizes recent progresses in nanozymes for disease therapy through regulation of reactive oxygen species.

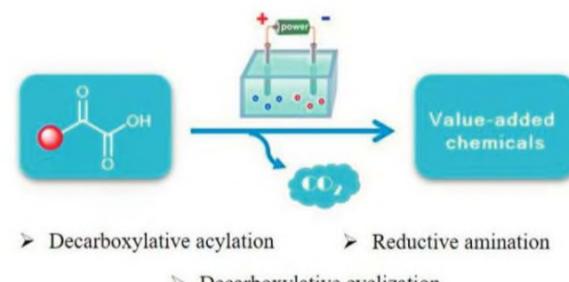


Recent advances towards electrochemical transformations of α -keto acids

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α -Keto acids have been extensively employed as key starting materials in the synthesis of value-added chemicals. This review covers the recent breakthroughs achieved in the electrochemical transformations of α -keto acids.



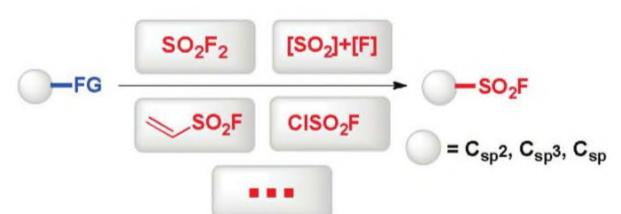
Recent progress in the synthesis of sulfonyl fluorides for SuFEx click chemistry

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Sulfonyl fluorides, one of the most useful connective hubs for SuFEx click chemistry, have found widespread application and received increasing attention in recent years. This review aims to give a timely summary of recent progresses on the synthetic methods of sulfonyl fluorides.



Narasaka reaction: Desilylative acylation of 1-alkenylsilanes with acid anhydrides

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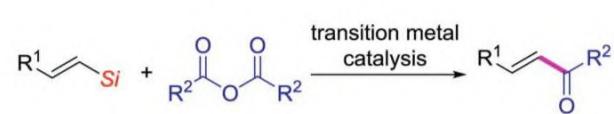
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Recent advances in the desilylative acylation of 1-alkenylsilanes with acid anhydrides under transition metal catalysis are summarized. This catalytic desilylative acylation of 1-alkenylsilanes provides an efficient route to α,β -unsaturated ketones by using rhodium or iridium as the catalyst. Moreover, various one pot sequence reactions have been developed, which can synthesize α,β -unsaturated ketones from simple starting materials in an economic way. Additionally, this approach is applied to the asymmetric synthesis of atropisomers possessing silanol groups with excellent enantioselectivity.

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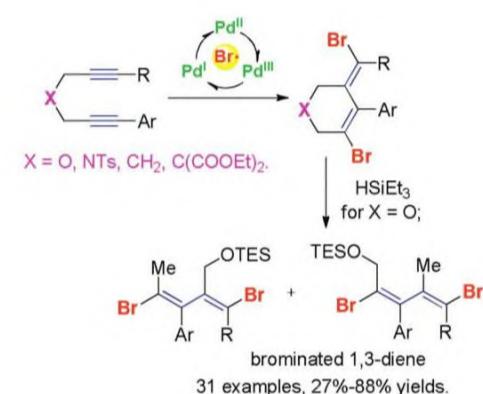
Pd-catalyzed halocyclizations of unactivated 1,6-diynes through a formal anti-carbopalladation/bromide radical cascade

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Pd-catalyzed halocyclization of unactivated 1,6-diynes with *N*-bromosuccinimide (NBS) to produce stereo-defined dibromo substituted dihydropyrans, tetrahydropyridines, and 3-methylene cyclohexenes. A formal anti-carbopalladation and a bromide radical promoted the Pd^{II}-Pd^{III}-Pd^I-Pd^{II} catalytic cycles were proposed to be involved in the formation of the dibromo-substituted products.

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Synergistic effect of T80/B30 vesicles and T80/PN320 mixed micelles with Se/C on nasal mucosal immunity

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Selenium doped carbon (Se/C) could serve as an adjuvant to enhance the immune effect of Tween 80/Brij 30 vesicles and Tween 80/polymer cationic surfactant PN320 mixed micelles. The synergistic effect of the combination of T80/B30 vesicles and T80/PN320 mixed micelles with Se/C on nasal mucosal immunity was studied in this work, which might provide theoretical basis for developing the related new adjuvant for nasal immunization of recombinant protein, peptide and split protein vaccine.

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Palladium-catalyzed diarylative dearomatization of indoles with aryl thioesters

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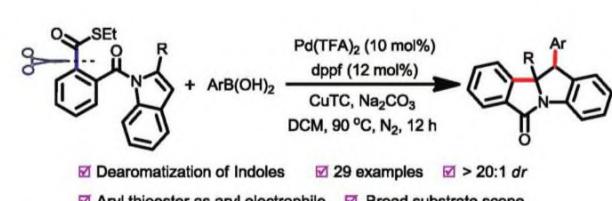
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We report herein a palladium-catalyzed dearomatative diarylation of indole by employing thioester and arylboronic acid as the aryl electrophiles. The reaction involved a decarbonylation/migratory insertion/terminal Suzuki coupling procedure. Substrates bearing various functional groups are well tolerated in the reaction, affording the diarylated indoline skeletons in moderate to good yields.

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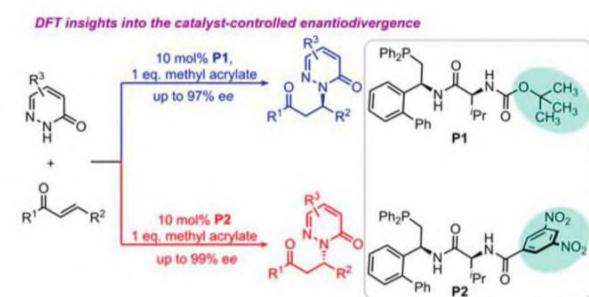
Origins of catalyst-controlled enantiodivergent hydroamination of enones with pyridazinones: A computational study

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Dipeptide phosphine-catalyzed hydroamination of enones with pyridazinones has been investigated by means of DFT calculations to elucidate the origins of the catalyst-controlled enantiodivergence.

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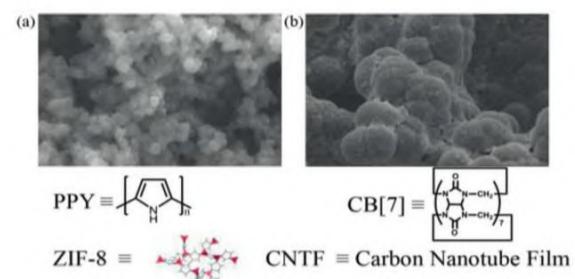
Pyrrole/macrocyclic/MOF supramolecular co-assembly for flexible solid state supercapacitors

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In this work, an effective strategy was reported to improve the stability and conductivity of CPs by electrochemically constructing different supramolecular assemblies composed of macrocycles and CPs, significantly improve the areal capacitance up to 1533 mF/cm².

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Silver-catalyzed decarboxylative C–H functionalization of cyclic aldimines with aliphatic carboxylic acids

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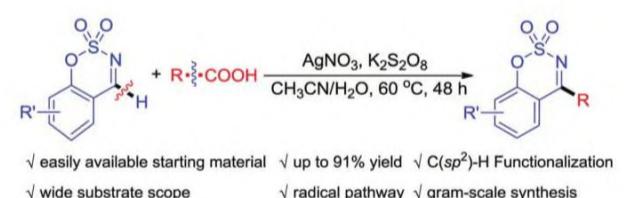
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Silver-catalyzed decarboxylative C–H alkylation of cyclic aldimines with abundant aliphatic carboxylic acids has been realized under mild reaction conditions generating the corresponding products in moderate to good yields (32%–91%). In addition, a gram-scale reaction, late-stage modification of drug, synthetic transformation of the product, and further application of the catalytic strategy were also performed. Preliminary studies indicate that the reaction undergoes a radical process.

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Isotypic heterojunction based on Fe-doped and terephthalaldehyde-modified carbon nitride for improving photocatalytic degradation with simultaneous hydrogen production

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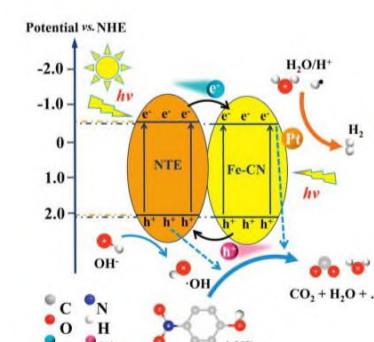
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Fe-CN/NTE improved degradation of 4-NP coupled with simultaneous photocatalytic H₂ evolution under visible light irradiation.

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A carbon-rich g-C₃N₄ with promoted charge separation for highly efficient photocatalytic degradation of amoxicillin

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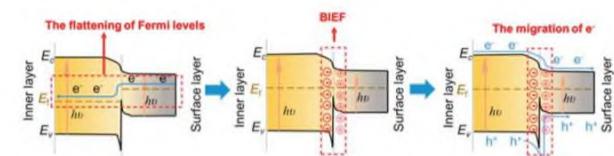
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A carbon-rich g-C₃N₄ was prepared by facile thermal polymerization method, its constructed built-in electric field induced fast charge separation and offered the material superior photocatalytic activity. The engineering application potentials of the material was evaluated, and the contaminants degradation mechanism was elucidated.

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Sequential separation of Cu(II)/Ni(II)/Fe(II) from strong-acidic pickling wastewater with a two-stage process based on a bi-pyridine chelating resin

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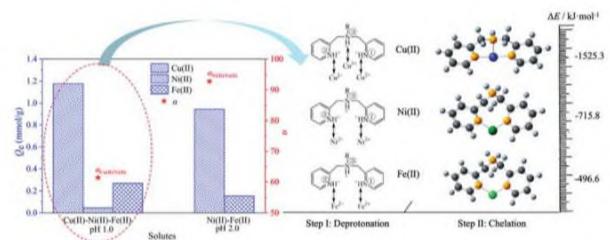
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A self-synthesized bi-pyridine chelating resin (PAPY) could separate Cu(II)/Ni(II)/Fe(II) sequentially by a two-stage pH-adjusted process and showed a great potential in the purification of heavy metal resources from strong-acidic pickling wastewaters.

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Amorphous molybdenum sulfide mediated EDTA with multiple active sites to boost heavy metal ions removal

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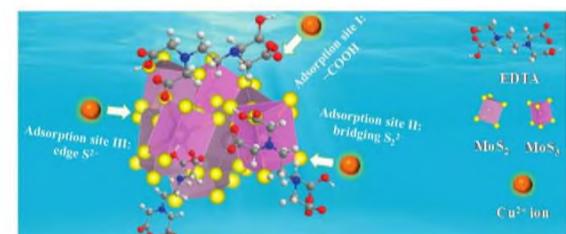
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Amorphous EDTA-MoS_x (x = 2, 3) with multiple active sites can effectively enhance removal of heavy metal ions compared with crystalline MoS₂.

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Density functional theory investigation on selective adsorption of VOCs on borophene

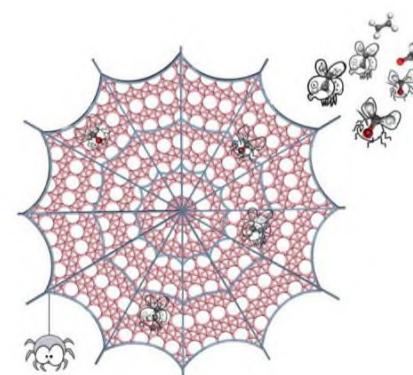
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The 2D materials borophenes are able to selective chemical adsorption for C₂H₄ and H₂CO from typical VOCs.

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Highly sensitive colorimetric detection of NH₃ based on Au@Ag@AgCl core-shell nanoparticles

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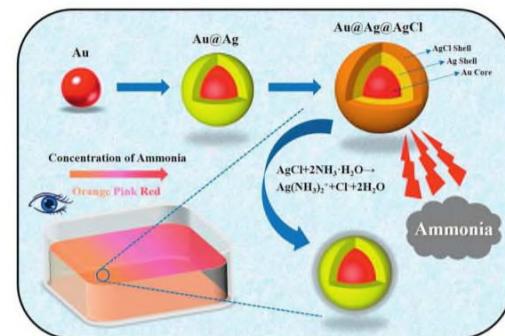
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In this work, we have synthesized Au@Ag@AgCl core-shell nanoparticles (NPs) by oxidative etching and precipitating Au@Ag core-shell NPs using FeCl₃, offering a simple and efficient method for the colorimetric detection of ammonia.

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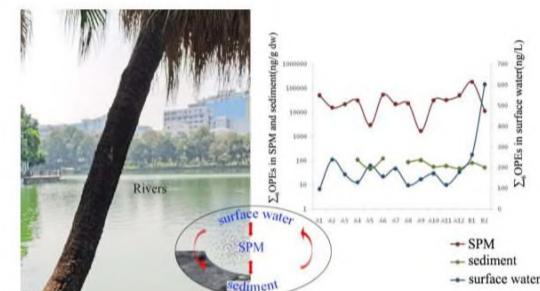
Organophosphate esters in water, suspended particulate matter (SPM) and sediments of the Minjiang River, China

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The OPE concentration in SPM was markedly higher than in water and sediments of the Minjiang River. The partition behavior of OPEs was affected by OPE properties and environmental conditions.

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Graphdiyne as a novel nonactive anode for wastewater treatment: A theoretical study

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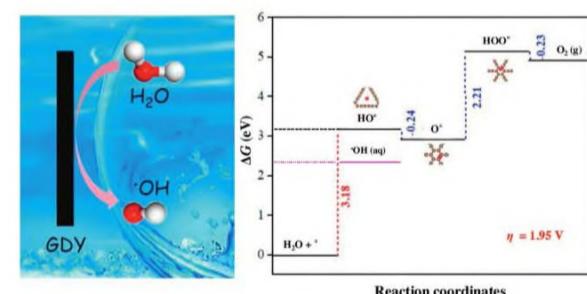
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Graphdiyne (GDY) anode can be considered as an alternative "nonactive" anode for effective degradation refractory organic compounds in electrochemical advanced oxidation process (EAOP).

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Efficient removal of tetracycline in water by a novel chemical and biological coupled system with non-woven cotton fabric as carrier

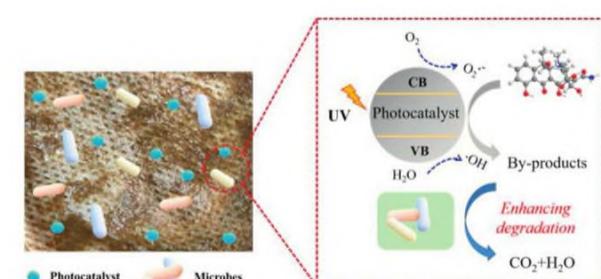
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A novel intimate coupling of photocatalysis and biodegradation (ICPB) system with non-woven cotton fabric as carrier was constructed for efficient degradation of antibiotics in water.

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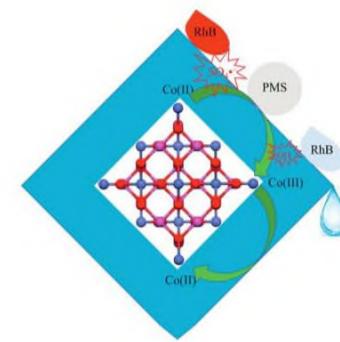


Combustion synthesis of mesoporous CoAl_2O_4 for peroxyomonosulfate activation to degrade organic pollutants

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A mesoporous CoAl_2O_4 spinel that is highly efficient for the degradation of RhB, MB, MO, and TCH is prepared through a combustion approach. Both SO_4^{2-} and $\cdot\text{OH}$ are present in the $\text{CoAl}_2\text{O}_4/\text{PMS}$ system, and SO_4^{2-} is the dominant reactive oxygen species.

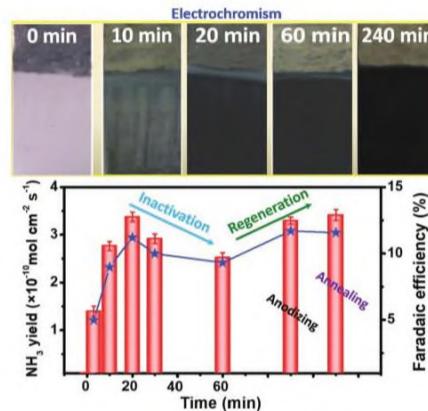


Highly ordered Nb_2O_5 nanochannel film with rich oxygen vacancies for electrocatalytic N_2 reduction: Inactivation and regeneration of electrode

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We reported highly ordered Nb_2O_5 nanochannel film electrode for electrocatalytic NRR to NH_3 , and understood in depth its inactivation and regeneration process associated with the crystalline phase transformation of Nb_2O_5 .



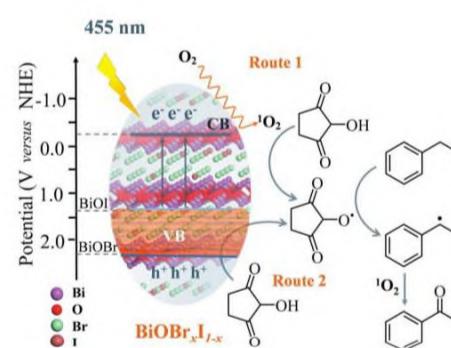
Engineering $\text{BiOBr}_{x} \text{I}_{1-x}$ solid solutions with enhanced singlet oxygen production for photocatalytic benzylic C—H bond activation mediated by N-hydroxyl compounds

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This work shows the achievement of the room temperature visible-light-driven photocatalytic activation of benzylic C—H bonds with *N*-hydroxysuccinimide over $\text{BiOBr}_{x} \text{I}_{1-x}$ ($0 \leq x \leq 1$) solid solutions. The optimal $\text{BiOBr}_{0.85} \text{I}_{0.15}$ photo-catalyzed ethylbenzene conversion ratio was about 3.9 and 8.9 times that of pure BiOBr and BiOI , respectively.



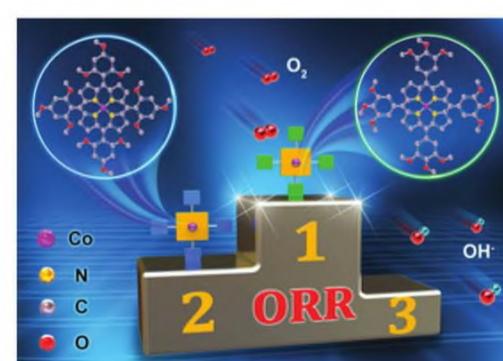
Substituent position effect of Co porphyrin on oxygen electrocatalysis

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Substituent position effect of Co porphyrins with three $-\text{OCH}_3$ groups at 2,4,6- and 3,4,5-positions of meso-phenyl groups on oxygen reduction reaction and oxygen evolution reaction was investigated.



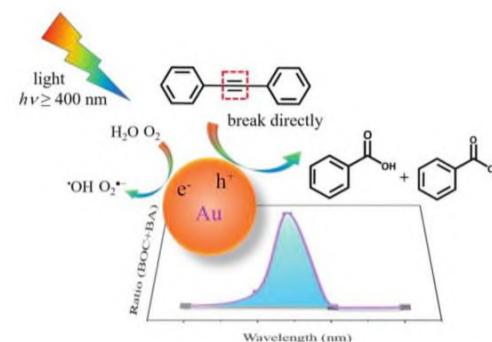
Reaction pathway change on plasmonic Au nanoparticles studied by surface-enhanced Raman spectroscopy

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Gold nanoparticle was served as photocatalyst and surface-enhanced Raman spectroscopy substrate to monitor the diphenylacetylene oxidation reaction, showing both plasmon-driven and conventional heterogeneous roles.

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Artful union of a zirconium-porphyrin MOF/GO composite for fabricating an aptamer-based electrochemical sensor with superb detecting performance

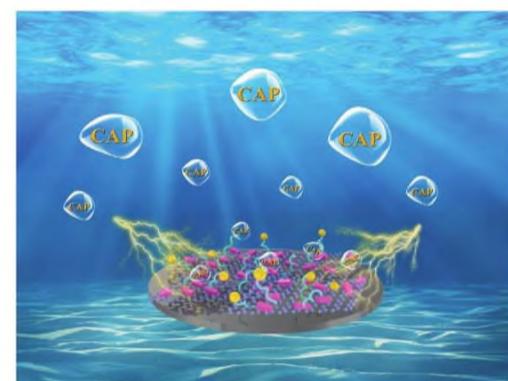
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A zirconium-porphyrin metal-organic framework/graphene oxide composite is successfully constructed and employed to fabricate an aptamer-based electrochemical aptasensor with ultra-sensitive detecting performance for chloramphenicol.

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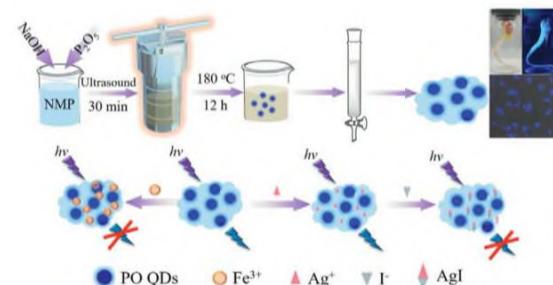
A novel phosphorus oxide quantum dots as an emissive nanomaterial for inorganic ions screening and bioimaging

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A novel phosphorus containing nanoparticle i.e., phosphorus oxide quantum dots (PO QDs) was firstly synthesized. The resulting PO QDs exhibited the good photoluminescence feature, excellent biocompatibility, and low toxicity, which enabled it to serve as a promising emissive nanomaterial for inorganic ions screening as well as bioimaging application.

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Flexibly regulated electrochemiluminescence of all-inorganic perovskite CsPbBr₃ quantum dots through electron bridge to across interfaces between polar and non-polar solvents

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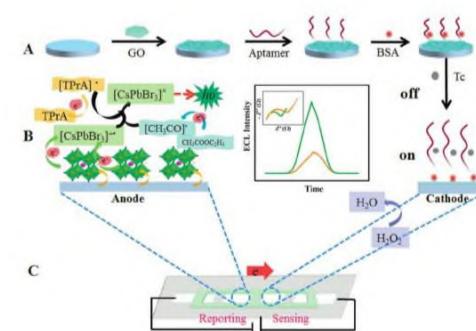
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The flexibly regulated electrochemiluminescence of all-inorganic perovskite CsPbBr₃ quantum dots through electron bridge to across interfaces between polar and non-polar solvents was successfully explored using the closed bipolar electrode.

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An intriguing electrochemical impedance aptasensor based on a porous organic framework supported silver nanoparticles for ultrasensitively detecting theophylline

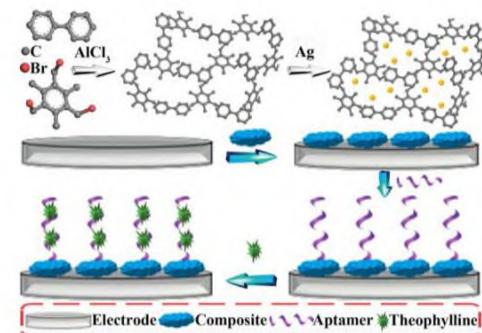
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An electrochemical aptasensor based on the Ag@POF composite is successfully fabricated with ultra-sensitivity, high selectivity, remarkable stability and good repeatability in the detection of theophylline even in various real samples.

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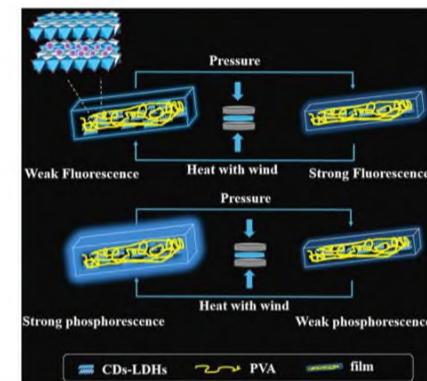
Dual emission of singlet and triplet states boost the sensitivity of pressure-sensing

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We have constructed piezochromic luminescence film with dual emission (fluorescence and phosphorescence) characteristic, which boosts the sensitivity of pressure-sensing.



A special o-dialdehyde fluorescent probe simultaneously sensing Hcy, GSH and its application in living cells and zebrafish imaging

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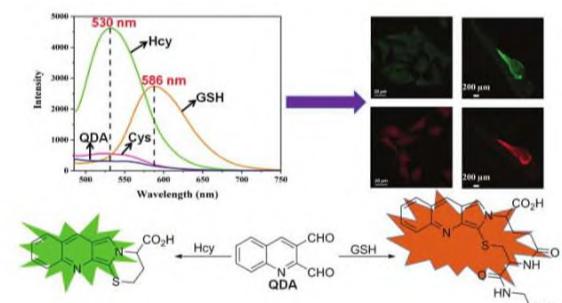
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As a special o-dialdehyde fluorescent probe, quinoline-2,3-dicarboxaldehyde (QDA) was developed to selectively distinguish Hcy and GSH from different signal channels, and have successfully been applied to living cells and zebrafish imaging.

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Combined nanosuspensions from two natural active ingredients for cancer therapy with reduced side effects

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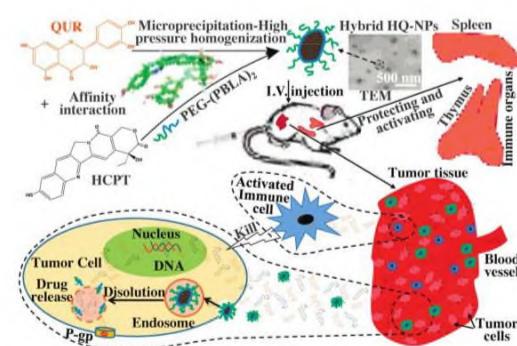
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In this paper, a new nanosuspensions, hydroxycamptothecin (HCPT) and quercetin (QU) hybrid nanosuspensions (HQ-NPs), was constructed by intermolecular force in the process of microprecipitation. HQ-NPs showed a unique shape, changed crystalline and different dissolution rates compared with HCPT-NPs and QU-NPs *in vitro*. We found that HQ-NPs can significantly enhance the accumulation of HCPT in tumor sites (reversing tumor drug resistance), improve the antitumor activity of HCPT, and protect the immune organs and other normal tissues (reducing toxicity), compared with HCPT-NPs. Therefore, hybrid nanosuspensions offer promising potential as the drug delivery system for HCPT and QU to increase the therapeutic efficacy and reduce the toxicity of HCPT.

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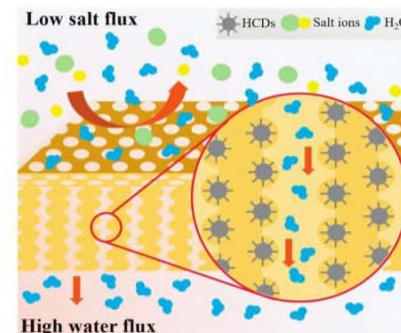
Channel regulation of TFC membrane with hydrophobic carbon dots in forward osmosis

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Hydrophobic carbon dots (HCDs) were introduced into the polyacrylonitrile support layer as the nanofiller to regulate water channels for an efficient forward osmosis (FO) membrane.



Tunable light emission from carbon dots by controlling surface defects

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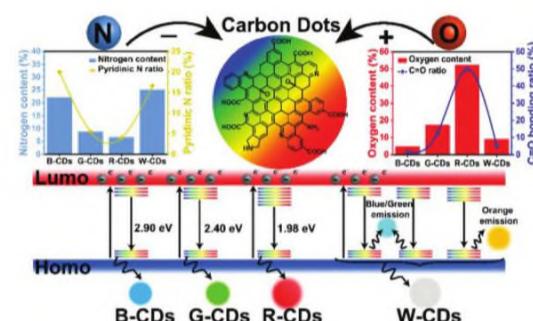
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A new approach is demonstrated to tune the bandgap and color of light emission of CDs through nitrogen substitution and oxidation in a one-step facile reaction.



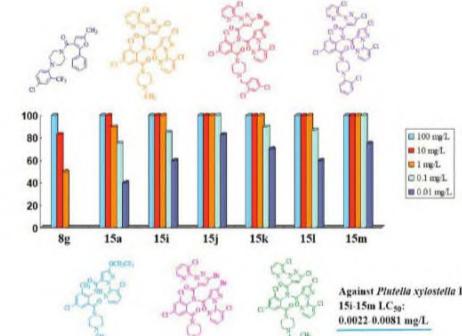
Synthesis, insecticidal activities, and SAR studies of novel piperazine-containing heterocyclic mono-/di-/tri-amide derivatives

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Based on the molecular structure information of the literature computational design for RyR insecticides, this article reports synthesis, insecticidal activities and SAR studies of novel heterocyclic mono-/di-/tri-amide derivatives containing piperazine motif.



Surface-tuned two-dimension MXene scaffold for highly reversible zinc metal anode

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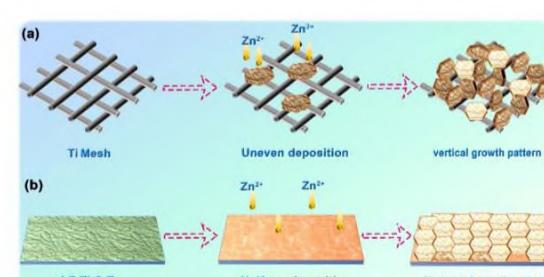
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A surface-tuned two-dimension $\text{Ti}_3\text{C}_2\text{T}_x$ MXene scaffold provides fast ionic-transport paths, promising even Zn^{2+} stripping/plating processes for zinc metal anode.



Enhancing the performances of all-small-molecule ternary organic solar cells via achieving optimized morphology and 3D charge pathways

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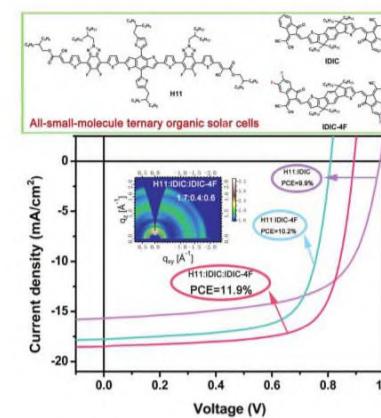
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An all-small-molecule (ASM) ternary solar cell has been constructed by using a donor of H11 and two acceptors (IDIC and IDIC-4F) with similar backbone. The third component of IDIC plays an important role in optimizing the morphology and forming 3D charge pathways for high-efficiency charge transport and photovoltaic performance.

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Solvent regulation strategy of Co-MOF-74 microflower for supercapacitors

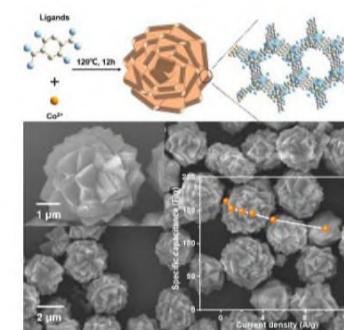
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A solvent regulation strategy is presented for preparing Co-MOF-74 microflower with expected proportions of each component and optimized crystal growth orientation, which accelerates the interfacial electron and ion transfer and enhances the electrochemical stability for supercapacitors.

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Highly elastic cobweb-like SiO/CNF composites with reconstructed heterostructure for high-efficient lithium storage

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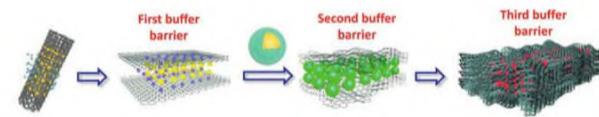
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The lithium oxide and lithium silicate compounds can be regarded as the first buffer barrier.

The cobweb-like carbon nanofibers constructed by electrostatic spinning can act as the second and third buffer barriers simultaneously.

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Hierarchically porous nitrogen-doped carbon foams decorated with zinc nanodots as high-performance sulfur hosts for lithium-sulfur battery

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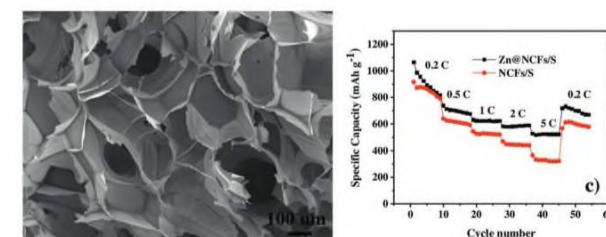
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Hierarchically porous nitrogen-doped carbon foams decorated with zinc nanodots are used as high-performance sulfur hosts, whose synergistic effect results in superior sulfur utility and large capacity.

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