



## Applied Machine Learning in NIR Technology

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The aim of this Special Issue is to present the latest advances that have been made in this field, combining both techniques, as well as to show the remaining challenges and the future in this area of research.

The Special Issue solicits submissions in, but not limited to, the following areas:

Selection of features or bands of the NIR spectra, with a special interest in those applications using nano-scale NIR scanners due to its limit operational range;

Studies of different preprocessing techniques and comparison with automatic features extraction process, such as PCA, LDA, evolutionary computation;

Developments combining cloud computing, fog computing or edge computing with the processing of NIR spectra in different industrial processes;

Application and comparative of the latest approaches of machine learning techniques, such as deep learning or ensemble models;

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