



## Frontiers in Digital Manufacturing

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### Message from the Guest Editors

The field of manufacturing has been evolving rapidly in light of new technologies and digitalization. Direct digital manufacturing (DDM) methods and digital twins are examples of emerging technologies with potentially significant impacts on the future of production. Additive manufacturing, a DDM method, started as a means for prototyping. With improvements in material availability and process quality, its applications have exponentially expanded in final part production in different industries. Digital twins enable practitioners to enhance product design and manufacturing process. In this Special Issue, we publish state-of-the-art studies focusing on the development, improvement and management of material, processes and practices designed or adapted for use in digital manufacturing.

We are interested in contributions that focus on topics such as:

- New processes or practices in the field of additive manufacturing
- Implementation of digital twins for manufacturing
- Case studies related to the digital transformation of manufacturing processes
- Life cycle assessment and cost analysis in digital manufacturing
- Implications of digital manufacturing on supply chain management





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