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# **Recent Advances on Gels for Food Industry**

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# **Message from the Guest Editors**

Dear Colleagues,

Gels are semi-solid colloidal or polymer networks that have extensive application in the food industry. Some food products in the form of gels include jams, jellies, confectionery, desserts, and yogurt. In recent years, gelbased foods have become increasingly popular in the market due to their high water content, low calorie density, appealing taste, and satiety-enhancing property. This Special Issue aims to present recent updates on the development of gel-based food products and their industrial application utilizing natural biopolymers that include novel and/or promising biopolymer combinations, as well as processing and technological improvements. We welcome original research articles, reviews on recent progress, as well as short communications related to the research theme.

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