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Ionic Liquids: A Greener Approach in Catalysis

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Ionic liquids (ILs) can be generally defined as materials that are composed of cations and anions which melt at a certain temperature without being decomposed. The facile functionalization and modification as well as the vast variety of cations and ions that can be combined to form an IL make ILs a kind of valuable material to be used in catalysis as reaction media. catalyst stabilizers. and/or cocatalysts. The use of ILs in catalysis-mainly in biphasic or supported systems—could in most cases provide improved conversion and selectivity as well as good product separation, catalyst recovery, and reutilization. Due to a recently growing interest shown by the scientific community in the application of ILs in catalysis, this Special Issue is devoted to the design and preparation of innovative ILs and their applications and vast roles in catalysis (e.g., reaction media, co-catalysts, stabilizers, etc.). For the above-mentioned reasons, we kindly invite you to submit a manuscript to this Special Issue in the form of a full paper, communication, or review.









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