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Integrated Urban Energy Systems: Focus on Real World Applications

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Rapid urbanization is creating opportunities and challenges across the world. The United Nations projects that by 2050, two thirds of the global population will live in urban areas

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This Special Issue welcomes contributions depicting technical, economic, and policy aspects of integrated urban energy systems, especially at small city, urban district, and neighbourhood scale. It is a forum for academic institutions, industry, city authorities, and non-profits to showcase results from real-world demonstration or commercial projects, as well as from applied research.

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