



## Electric Vehicles—Solution toward Zero Emission from the Transport Sector

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### Message from the Guest Editor

Internal combustion engine (ICE)-based vehicles have contributed considerably to air pollution. Displacement of this ICE engine with EVs is one of the potential choices which can abate air pollution and make vehicles independent from oil. EVs are not only limited to just full-sized cars but also include two- and three-wheeled vehicles, which are a popular transport medium in developing countries.

Batteries, ultracapacitors, and fuel cells are the energy sources for EV. Depending on the EV type, one or multiple of these sources can be used in an EV. However, integration of the EV in the transport sector has major obstacles which include battery cost and efficiencies, the potential of the EV charging station, and the impact of EV integration to the grid. In addition, consumer readiness and willingness to pay and accept are some also non-ignorable factors which limit the widespread implementation of EVs.

As it is evident that EVs have the potential to contribute to the decarbonization of transportation, this Special Issue invites original papers and review articles on all aspects connected to EVs, batteries, fuel cells, and capacitor and consumer perspectives for EV uptake.





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