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1	Mechanistic Insights into WO ₃ Sensing and Related Perspectives. <i>Sensors</i> , 2022, 22, 2247.	3.8	11
2	Visible light photodegradation of dyes and paracetamol by direct sensitization mechanism onto metallic MoO ₂ nanocrystals. <i>Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology A: Chemistry</i> , 2021, 413, 113258.	3.9	12
3	How Chemoresistive Sensors Can Learn from Heterogeneous Catalysis. Hints, Issues, and Perspectives. <i>Chemosensors</i> , 2021, 9, 193.	3.6	6
4	High selectivity trimethylamine sensors based on graphene-NiGa ₂ O ₄ nanocomposites prepared by hydrothermal method. <i>Physica E: Low-Dimensional Systems and Nanostructures</i> , 2020, 118, 113788.	2.7	16
5	Rhodium as efficient additive for boosting acetone sensing by TiO ₂ nanocrystals. Beyond the classical view of noble metal additives. <i>Sensors and Actuators B: Chemical</i> , 2020, 319, 128338.	7.8	6
6	Nanogap Sensors Decorated with SnO ₂ Nanoparticles Enable Low-Temperature Detection of Volatile Organic Compounds. <i>ACS Applied Nano Materials</i> , 2020, 3, 3337-3346.	5.0	13
7	WO ₃ -Based Gas Sensors: Identifying Inherent Qualities and Understanding the Sensing Mechanism. <i>ACS Sensors</i> , 2020, 5, 1624-1633.	7.8	82
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9	The acetone sensing properties of ZnFe ₂ O ₄ -graphene quantum dots (QDs) nanocomposites at room temperature. <i>Physica E: Low-Dimensional Systems and Nanostructures</i> , 2019, 106, 326-333.	2.7	42
10	Surface modification by vanadium pentoxide turns oxide nanocrystals into powerful adsorbents of methylene blue. <i>Journal of Colloid and Interface Science</i> , 2019, 533, 369-374.	9.4	13
11	Facile Preparation of g-C ₃ N ₄ -WO ₃ Composite Gas Sensing Materials with Enhanced Gas Sensing Selectivity to Acetone. <i>Journal of Sensors</i> , 2019, 2019, 1-8.	1.1	14
12	A dual band electrochromic device switchable across four distinct optical modes. <i>Journal of Materials Chemistry A</i> , 2018, 6, 10201-10205.	10.3	65
13	Inorganic Photocatalytic Enhancement: Activated RhB Photodegradation by Surface Modification of SnO ₂ Nanocrystals with V ₂ O ₅ -like species. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2017, 7, 44763.	3.3	17
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16	Acetone sensors based on TiO ₂ nanocrystals modified with tungsten oxide species. <i>Journal of Alloys and Compounds</i> , 2016, 665, 345-351.	5.5	32
17	ZnO@SnO ₂ engineered composite photoanodes for dye sensitized solar cells. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2015, 5, 14523.	3.3	54
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