

Publications

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- ACS Nano 13.903
- ACS Materials and Interfaces 8.456
- Journal of Physical Chemistry Letters 7.329
- Nature Communications 11.880
- Nature 43.070
- Science 41.04
- PNAS 9.412

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