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3. Journal/Periodical Articles

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Díaz, D.D.; Converso, A.; Sharpless, K.B.; Finn, M.G. 2,6-Dichloro-9-thiabicyclo[3.3.1]nonane: Multigram Display of Azide and Cyanide Components on a Versatile Scaffold. *Molecules* 2006, 11, 212–218, doi:10.3390/11040212.

4. Books

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Dodd, J.S.; Solla, L.; Bérard, P.M. References. In *The ACS Style Guide*, 3rd ed.; Coghill, A., Garson, L., Eds.; American Chemical Society: Washington, DC, USA, 2006; Volume 1, pp. 292–325, ISBN 978-0-8412-3999-9.

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Desiraju, G.R.; Steiner, T. *The Weak Hydrogen Bond in Structural Chemistry and Biology*, 2nd ed.; Oxford University Press: New York, NY, USA, 1999; pp. 10–25, ISBN 978-01-9850-970-7.

5. Proceedings

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Examples:

Chum, O.; Philbin, J.; Zisserman, A. Near duplicate image detection: Min-Hash and tf-idf weighting. In Proceedings of the 19th British Machine Vision Conference (BMVC 2008), Leeds, UK, 1–4 September 2008; pp. 812–815.

6. Oral presentations without published material

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Author 1; Author 2; Author 3; etc. Title of Presentation (if any). Presented at the Name of Conference, Location of Conference, Country, Date of Conference; Paper number (if available).

Examples:

Zhang, Z.; Chen, H.; Zhong, J.; Chen, Y.; Lu, Y. ZnO Nanotip-based QCM Biosensors. Presented at the IEEE International Frequency Control Symposium and Exposition, Miami, FL, USA, June 2006.

7. Website and Online Resources

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Author (if available). Title of the webpage (if available). Available online: <http://...> (accessed on date).

Examples:

International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry Home Page. Available online: http://www.iupac.org/dhtml_home.html (accessed on 24 April 2005).

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1. Dodd, J.S.; Solla, L.; Bérard, P.M. References. In *The ACS Style Guide*, 3rd ed.; Coghill, A., Garson, L., Eds.; American Chemical Society: Washington, DC, USA, 2006; pp. 292–325, ISBN 978-0-8412-3999-9.
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