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# Retraction: Aqueous room temperature mono-dehydration of sugar alcohols using functionalized yttrium oxide nanocatalysts

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## A Retraction of the Original Research Article

### Aqueous room temperature mono-dehydration of sugar alcohols using functionalized yttrium oxide nanocatalysts

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The Journal retracts the 2020 article cited above.

Following publication, concerns were raised about an unacceptable level of similarity between the article cited above in *Frontiers in Chemistry* and the *Green Chemistry* publication: *Green Chem.*, 2020, 22, 5333–5344, by the same authors.

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Following the Committee on Publication Ethics guidelines, this article, published most recently is retracted. This retraction was approved by the Chief Editors of *Frontiers in Chemistry* and the Chief Executive Editor of Frontiers. The authors did not respond to our communication regarding the retraction.