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- Custom Synthesis
- Euroanalysis 10, Basel, September 6–11
- Fall Meeting of the New Swiss Chemical Society
- Advanced Materials in Switzerland
- Chemistry on the Internet
- Hazardous Chemicals in Production

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