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**Integrated optics for Lab-On-Chip** YU GU, Saint Joseph's University, ANDREA CRESPI, Milan Politecnico University, LISA MARIANI, GIANNA VALENTINO, Saint Joseph's University, GIULIO CERULLO, ROBERTO OSEL-LAME, Milan Politecnico University, SAINT JOSEPH'S UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, GU LAB TEAM, MILAN POLITENICO UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, IFN TEAM — The miniaturization of traditional chemical and biochemical functionalities called Lab-On-Chip has many advantages over existing methods, such as portability, small sample size, multiplexing and simpler automation and standardization. In recent years, the integration of microfluidic and microoptical elements together onto monolithic platforms has led to the new term optofluidics. We present novel optofluidic devices based on integrated waveguides, microfluidic channels and high-index fluids. Such devices have a variety of applications including label-free biochemical sensing and telecommunications.

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