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***Advances in materials are crucial to the development of sports equipment, from tennis rackets to skis to running***

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***shoes. Materials-driven improvements in equipment have helped athletes perform better, while enhancing safety and making sport more accessible and enjoyable. This book brings together a***

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***collection of 10 papers on the topic of sports materials, as published in a Special Issue of Applied Sciences. The papers within this book cover a range of sports, including golf, tennis, table tennis and***

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***baseball. State-of-the-art engineering techniques, such as finite element modelling, impact testing and full-field strain measurement, are applied to help further our understanding of sports***

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***equipment mechanics and the role of materials, with a view to improving performance, enhancing safety and facilitating informed regulatory decision making. The book also includes papers***

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***that describe emerging and novel materials, including auxetic materials with their negative Poisson's ratio (fattening when stretched) and knits made of bamboo charcoal. This collection of***

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***papers should serve as a useful resource for sports engineers working in both academia and industry, as well as engineering students who are interested in sports equipment and materials.***

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***This review outlines the nature looking at its supply and demand, price, markets and applications, environmental issues and the future prospects of the industry. The report describes raw materials and***



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***synthesis, additives and  
compounding, and processing.  
Current issues have been  
highlighted including new  
technology and market forces.  
culture and trends in the  
building and construction***

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***industry. It describes the current building and construction market place and the applications and potential for the wide range of polymer materials available today. This review is accompanied by***

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***indexed summaries of papers from the Rapra Polymer Library database to allow the reader to search for information on specific topics. In recent years there have been certain scare stories***

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***about the possible negative effects on human health from some of these materials.***

***However, today, it is realised that it is often not the polymers themselves, but their monomers or the additives***

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***used that are responsible for these negative effects. And the reality is that a lot of polymers are used in medical applications without adverse effects on patients. Hence, the dividing line between whether***

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***something is toxic and harmful to health or not (and if it is, under what conditions) is a very critical issue and therefore, there needs to be a better understanding of these systems. This book presents***

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***the available information on  
the eternal triangle of plastics  
and rubber and health, to  
enable a better understanding  
of the facts.***

***Exam Board: AQA Level: AS/A-  
level Subject: Design &***

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***understanding of the materials, components and processes associated with the creation of products. Our expert author team will help guide you through the requirements of the***

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***specification, covering the core technical and designing and making principles needed for the 2017 AQA AS and A-level Design and Technology Product Design specification. - Explores real-world contexts***

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***for product design - Develops practical skills and theoretical knowledge and builds student confidence - Supports students with the application of maths skills to design and technology - Helps guide students through***

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***the requirements of the Non-Exam Assessments and the written exams at both AS and A Level.***

***Characteristics and Safety Features***

***Chemistry and Industry***

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***Organic Chemistry: A Short  
Course***

***The Regulatory Implosion.  
Emotions and Gender in the  
Era of plastic***

***Applied Plastics Engineering  
Handbook***

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*The Reality of the Artificial*  
**This book offers in-depth  
insights into the  
photochemical behavior  
of multicomponent  
polymeric-based  
materials, with a**

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**particular emphasis on the photodegradation and photostabilization of these materials. Studying various classes of materials bases such as polysaccharides, wood,**

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**synthetic polymers,  
rubber blends, and  
nanocomposites, it offers  
a valuable reference  
source for graduate and  
postgraduate students,  
engineering students,**



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**research scholars and  
polymer engineers  
working in industry.  
Papers presented at a  
symposium (on title),  
held in Phoenix, Dec.  
1988. Nineteen peer-**

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**reviewed papers present  
the views of designers,  
administrators, athletes,  
and researchers with  
regard to playing field  
standards, surface  
traction, testing and**

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**correlation to actual field  
experience, and state-of-  
the-art natural and  
artificial surfaces. Price  
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**Portland, OR**  
**Advances in Carpet**  
**ManufactureWoodhead**  
**Publishing**  
**1471 new definitions,**  
**5,236 revised or updated**  
**definitions, a new**

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**Chemical Abstract  
Number index, and an  
update of all trademarks  
Significant expansion of  
both chemical and  
biochemical terms  
including the addition of**

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**biochemical terms in the  
emerging fields in biology  
and biological  
engineering such as  
synthetic biology,  
highlighting the merging  
of the sciences of**

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**chemistry and biology  
Updates and expands the  
extensive data on  
chemicals, trade name  
products, and chemistry-  
related definitions Adds  
entries for notable**

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**chemists and Nobel Prize  
winners, equipment and  
devices, natural forms  
and minerals, named  
reactions, and chemical  
processes Update on  
toxicological profiles**



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Polymers

**LEGOified  
Polymer Manufacturing  
Industry, Background  
Information for Proposed  
Standards  
Environmental Impact  
Statement**

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**Materials, Techniques,  
and Future Developments  
Pyrolysis-gas  
Chromatography: Mass  
Spectrometry Of  
Polymeric Materials  
Encyclopedia of Polymer**

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## **Science and Technology, Concise**

Providing a thorough  
introduction to the core  
areas of food science  
specified by the Institute  
of Food Technologists,

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Introduction to Food Chemistry focuses on principles rather than commodities and balances facts with explanations. The text covers the major areas of food science, including food chemistry, food

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analysis and methods for  
quality assurance  
Micro and Nanolignin in  
Aqueous Dispersions and  
Polymers: Interactions,  
Properties, and Applications  
presents the very latest  
research on lignin

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biorefinery treatments, production, chemistry, and refining, exploring a range of innovative applications of lignin and lignin-based composites at both the micro and the nanoscale. The book begins by presenting the

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latest developments in extraction methods and properties, with topics including methods for value-added microlignin, color characteristics, refining and functionalization, depolymerization for

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phenolic monomer production, and production of sulphur-free lignin nanoparticles. This is followed by in-depth sections focusing on the preparation of lignin for advanced applications at the microscale, then at the



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nanoscale, covering a range of areas such as construction, fiber manufacturing, food packaging, biomedicine, wood preservation, wastewater treatment, and agriculture. This valuable resource

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enables the reader to identify the high added value of a biomass residue and supports possible development and use for mass and niche high impact application sectors. This information is of interest

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to researchers, scientists,  
and advanced students,  
across bio-based polymers  
and bio-composites, polymer  
science and engineering,  
nanomaterials, chemistry,  
sustainable materials,  
materials science, and

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chemical engineering.  
Moreover, it is also  
addressed to the  
professionals that as well  
as those in an R&D  
industrial setting to are  
looking on ideas and  
perspectives on how to

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utilize bio-based materials in advanced industrial applications. Provides detailed information on extraction methods, properties, refining and functionalization processes  
Guides the reader through

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the preparation of lignin both at the micro and nanoscale, as a filler, a matrix, and in all-lignin composites Takes a design-for-application approach, opening the door to high value applications across a

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range of sectors  
From carbon fibre racing  
bikes to 'sharkskin'  
swimsuits, the application  
of cutting-edge design,  
technology and engineering  
has proved to be a vital  
ingredient in enhanced

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sports performance. This is the first book to offer a comprehensive survey of contemporary sports technology and engineering, providing a complete overview of academic, professional and industrial



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knowledge and technique. The book is divided into eight sections covering the following topics :

- Sustainable Sports
- Engineering Instrumentation
- Technology Summer Mobility
- Sports Winter Mobility

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Sports Apparel and  
Protection Equipment Sports  
Implements (racquets, clubs,  
bats, sticks) Sports Balls  
Sports Surfaces and  
Facilities Written by an  
international team of  
leading experts from

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industry, academia and commercial research institutes, the emphasis throughout the book is on innovation, the relationship between business and science, and the improvement of sports performance. This

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is an essential reference for anybody working in sports technology, sports product design, sports engineering, biomechanics, ergonomics, sports business or applied sport science. This book discusses the

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connectivity between major chemicals, showing how a chemical is made along with why and some of the business considerations. The book helps smooth a student's transition to industry and assists current

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professionals who need to understand the larger picture of industrial chemistry principles and practices. The book: Addresses a wide scope of content, emphasizing the business and polymer /

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pharmaceutical /  
agricultural aspects of  
industrial chemistry Covers  
patenting, experimental  
design, and systematic  
optimization of experiments  
Written by an author with  
extensive industrial

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experience but who is now a university professor, making him uniquely positioned to present this material Has problems at the end of chapters and a separate solution manual available for adopting professors Puts



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chemical industry topics in  
context and ties together  
many of the principles  
chemistry majors learn  
across more specific courses  
Benzene Derivatives—Advances  
in Research and Application:  
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The Sciences

Hawley's Condensed Chemical  
Dictionary

Synthesis and Applications

Building Blocks as Media

Nature, Technology and

Naturoids

**Handbook of Nucleating Agents**

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**A practical reference for all plastics engineers who are seeking to answer a question, solve a problem, reduce a cost, improve a design or fabrication process, or even venture into a new market. Applied Plastics**

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**Engineering Handbook covers both polymer basics – helpful to bring readers quickly up to speed if they are not familiar with a particular area of plastics processing – and recent developments – enabling**

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**practitioners to discover which options best fit their requirements. Each chapter is an authoritative source of practical advice for engineers, providing authoritative guidance from experts that will lead to cost**

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**savings and process improvements. Throughout the book, the focus is on the engineering aspects of producing and using plastics. The properties of plastics are explained along with techniques**

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**for testing, measuring,  
enhancing and analyzing them.  
Practical introductions to both  
core topics and new  
developments make this work  
equally valuable for newly  
qualified plastics engineers**

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**seeking the practical rules-of-thumb they don't teach you in school, and experienced practitioners evaluating new technologies or getting up to speed on a new field The depth and detail of the coverage of**



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**new developments enables  
engineers and managers to gain  
knowledge of, and evaluate, new  
technologies and materials in  
key growth areas such as  
biomaterials and  
nanotechnology This highly**

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**practical handbook is set apart from other references in the field, being written by engineers for an audience of engineers and providing a wealth of real-world examples, best practice guidance and rules-of-thumb**

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**Polymer Science and Innovative Applications: Materials, Techniques, and Future Developments** introduces the science of innovative polymers and composites, their analysis via experimental techniques and

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**simulation, and their utilization in a variety of application areas. This approach helps to unlock the potential of new materials for product design and other uses. The book also examines the role that these applications play in**

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**the human world, from pollution and health impacts, to their potential to make a positive contribution in areas including environmental remediation, medicine and healthcare, and renewable energy. Advantages,**

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**disadvantages, possibilities, and challenges relating to the utilization of polymers in human society are included. Presents the latest advanced applications of polymers and their composites and identifies key**

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**areas for future development  
Introduces the simulation  
methods and experimental  
techniques involved in the  
modification of polymer  
properties, supported by clear  
and detailed images and**

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**diagrams Supports an  
interdisciplinary approach,  
enabling readers across  
different fields to harness the  
power of new materials for  
innovative applications  
Benzene Derivatives—Advances**



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Research and Application: 2013  
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databases of ScholarlyNews.™  
You can expect the information  
about Benzylidene Compounds  
in this book to be deeper than**

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**Encyclopedia of Polymer  
Science and Engineering,  
Radiopaque Polymers to Safety  
Cumulated Index Medicus  
Routledge Handbook of Sports  
Technology and Engineering  
An Integrated Approach**

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## **Handbook of Nucleating Agents Interactions, Properties, and Applications**

LEGOified: Building Blocks as Media provides a multi-faceted exploration of LEGO fandom, addressing a blindspot in current

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accounts of LEGO and an emerging area of interest to media scholars: namely, the role of hobbyist enthusiasts and content producers in LEGO's emergence as a ubiquitous transmedia franchise. This book



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examines a range of LEGO hobbyism and their attendant forms of mediated self-expression and identity (their “technicities”): artists, aspiring Master Builders, collectors, and entrepreneurs who refashion

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LEGO bricks into new commodities (sets, tchotchkes, and minifigures). The practices and perspectives that constitute this diverse scene lie at the intersection of multiple transformations in contemporary

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culture, including the shifting relationships between culture industries and the audiences that form their most ardent consumer base, but also the emerging forms of entrepreneurialism, professionalization, and

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globalization that characterize the burgeoning DIY movement. What makes this a compelling project for media scholars is its multi-dimensional articulation of how LEGO functions not just as a toy, cultural icon, or as

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transmedia franchise, but as a media platform. LEGOified is centered around their shared experiences, qualitative observations, and semi-structured interviews at a number of LEGO hobbyist

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conventions. Working outwards from these conventions, each chapter engages additional modes of inquiry-media archaeology, aesthetics, posthumanist philosophy, feminist media studies, and

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science and technology studies-  
to explore the origins,  
permutations and implications of  
different aspects of the  
contemporary LEGO fandom  
scene.

This report describes the theory

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of weathering and its effect on polymer properties, methods of stabilisation, and natural and accelerated weathering tests. The problems associated with particular polymers used in outdoor applications are



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explained. An additional indexed section containing several hundred abstracts from the Rapra Polymer Library database provides useful references for further reading.

### Characterization of Polymers

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and Fibres addresses an integral part of fiber and polymer manufacturing processes that is crucial in helping manufacturers ensure that final products achieve intended specifications. The characterization of fiber and

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polymers is needed for attributes including molecular weight, morphology, dyeing behavior, tensile, optical and thermal behavior. This book covers a wide range of characterization techniques, including thermal, X-

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ray diffraction, solubility, tensile, optical, hygroscopic and particle size distribution. Introductions and definitions are provided where beneficial to make topics accessible to a broad range of readers in both academia and

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industry. Addressing advances from the fields of bioscience, polymer science, material science, and textile science, this book is wide in scope, drawing on the latest research to provide details of characterization

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techniques and equipment.  
Provides a thorough description  
of the material quality control  
process, including the latest  
industry practice Presents  
material characterization at all  
levels, from the atomic level to

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surface structure Covers  
technical advice on natural fiber  
characterization methods,  
including XRD, XPS, TGA, SEM,  
TEM, AFM, Contact angle,  
Particle size analysis, FTIR, and  
NMR

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The compact, affordable reference, revised and updated The Encyclopedia of Polymer Science and Technology, Concise Third Edition provides the key information from the complete, twelve-volume Mark's



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Encyclopedia in an affordable, condensed format. Completely revised and updated, this user-friendly desk reference offers quick access to all areas of polymer science, including important advances in

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nanotechnology, imaging and analytical techniques, controlled polymer architecture, biomimetics, and more, all in one volume. Like the twelve-volume full edition, the Encyclopedia of Polymer Science and

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Technology, Concise Third Edition provides both SI and common units, carefully selected key references for each article, and hundreds of tables, charts, figures, and graphs.

Polymer Science and Innovative

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Applications

Weathering of Polymers

Pharmaceuticals, Polymers, and  
Business

Introduction to Food Chemistry

Encyclopedia of Polymer

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Science and Engineering  
Entirely rewritten, this multi-  
volume work has been  
expanded to reflect the vast  
changes that have occurred  
in polymer and plastics  
technology over the past

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twenty years. There will be seventeen volumes, each containing approximately 850 pages, including about 200 tables and 3 000 literature citations. Over 100 new subjects will be

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introduced in the new edition. Coverage will include natural and synthetic polymers, plastics, fibres, elastomers, computer topics, and processing. The book focuses on the

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development of high performance, high efficiency electroactive polymers (EAPs), and electromechanically active polymers by controlling molecular chemical



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structure and morphology  
for all applications. This  
book is ideal for  
academicians and  
researchers in polymer and  
materials science.

Advances in Carpet

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Manufacture, Second Edition, discusses the manufacture of carpets, an industry that has evolved over hundreds of years, also exploring the new changes and developments in textile

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science and manufacturing technology that occur every day. This updated edition provides revised, expanded and updated coverage of carpet manufacturing processes and applications.

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The book begins by reviewing the different types of carpets and their applications, also exploring the structure and properties of carpet materials. Carpet manufacturing techniques

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are then reviewed, including a new chapter on tufting and yarn manufacturing techniques, and design and manufacture for handmade carpets. Subsequent chapters review the

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development of carpets with important properties, including new chapters on carpets for acoustics and sound absorption, carpets with increased fire retardancy and those with

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antimicrobial and soil-resist finishes. With the variety of topics covered and its international team of contributors, the book offers a valuable and informative reference for technologists

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in the carpet and associated industries. However, it is also a great resource for researchers and students working in applied textile sciences. Presented by an expert editor with many



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years of experience in both academic textile research and industry Provides new research, technologies and other developments in carpet manufacture for academics and developers

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seeking to update their  
knowledge Includes a strong  
focus on industry needs and  
developing areas with  
market potential

Characteristics of diverse  
polymers used as pile

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ribbon, backing yarns, and shock-absorbing pads in artificial turf systems are examined. Particular attention is directed toward end-use performance in the major commercial systems

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of polypropylene or nylon 66  
pile ribbon combined with  
polypropylene or  
polyethylene terephthalate  
backing yarns and with  
shock-absorbing pads of  
cross-linked polyethylene or

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poly vinyl chloride/rubber  
interpolymer. As with most  
applications of plastics,  
inclusion of various  
additives is necessary for  
key performance. Data on  
the effect of carrier resins,

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used to conveniently introduce additives into nylon 66, on the frictional characteristics of the final pile ribbon are presented. The role of turf ribbon friction as it may relate to

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wear resistance of the pile, monitored in the laboratory by the ASTM Schiefer and Taber abrader tests, and to shoe traction is examined. Hydroxides—Advances in Research and Application:

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Turbophysics Grade 12

Micro and Nanolignin in  
Aqueous Dispersions and  
Polymers

Advances in progressive  
thermoplastic and



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thermosetting polymers,  
perspectives and  
applications

Concept, Solutions, and  
Implementation

Characterization of  
Polymers and Fibers

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This is the first complete book of polymer terminology ever published. It contains more than 7,500 polymeric material terms. Supplementary electronic material brings important relationships to life, and audio supplements include

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pronunciation of each term.

The methodology of analytical pyrolysis-GC/MS has been known for several years, but is seldom used in research laboratories and process control in the chemical industry. This is due to the relative

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difficulty of interpreting the identified pyrolysis products as well as the variety of them. This book contains full identification of several classes of polymers/copolymers and biopolymers that can be very helpful to the user. In addition, the

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practical applications can encourage analytical chemists and engineers to use the techniques explored in this volume. The structure and the functions of various types of pyrolyzers and the results of the pyrolysis-gas

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chromatographic-mass spectrometric identification of synthetic polymers/copolymers and biopolymers at 700 ° C are described. Practical applications of these techniques are also included, detailing the analysis of

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microplastics, failure analysis in the automotive industry and solutions for technological problems.

A Practical Guide to Plastics Sustainability: Concept, Solutions, and Implementation is a groundbreaking reference work

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offering a broad, detailed and highly practical vision of the complex concept of sustainability in plastics. The book's aim is to present a range of potential pathways towards more sustainable plastics parts and products, enabling the



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reader to further integrate the idea of sustainability into their design process. It begins by introducing the context and concept of sustainability, discussing perceptions, drivers of change, key factors, and environmental issues,

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before presenting a detailed outline of the current situation with types of plastics, processing, and opportunities for improved sustainability. Subsequent chapters focus on the different possibilities for improved sustainability, offering

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a step-by-step technical approach to areas including design, properties, renewable plastics, and recycling and re-use. Each of these pillars are supported by data, examples, analysis and best practice guidance. Finally, the latest

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developments and future possibilities are considered. Approaches the idea of sustainability from numerous angles, offering practical solutions to improve sustainability in the development of plastic components

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and products Explains how sustainability can be applied across plastics design, materials selection, processing, and end of life, all set alongside socioeconomic factors  
Considers key areas of innovation, such as eco-design, novel

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opportunities for recycling or re-use, bio-based polymers and new technologies

The human ambition to reproduce and improve natural objects and processes has a long history, and ranges from dreams to actual

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design, from Icarus's wings to modern robotics and bioengineering. This imperative seems to be linked not only to practical utility but also to our deepest psychology. Nevertheless, reproducing something natural is

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not an easy enterprise, and the actual replication of a natural object or process by means of some technology is impossible. In this book the author uses the term naturoid to designate any real artifact arising from our attempts to



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reproduce natural instances. He concentrates on activities that involve the reproduction of something existing in nature, and whose reproduction, through construction strategies which differ from natural ones, we consider to

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be useful, appealing or interesting. The development of naturoids may be viewed as a distinct class of technological activity, and the concept should be useful for methodological research into establishing the common rules,

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potentialities and constraints that characterize the human effort to reproduce natural objects. The author shows that a naturoid is always the result of a reduction of the complexity of natural objects, due to an unavoidable multiple

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selection strategy. Nevertheless, the reproduction process implies that naturoids take on their own new complexity, resulting in a transfiguration of the natural exemplars and their performances, and leading to a true innovation

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explosion. While the core performances of contemporary naturoids improve, paradoxically the more a naturoid develops the further it moves away from its natural counterpart. Therefore, naturoids will more and more affect

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our relationships with advanced technologies and with nature, but in ways quite beyond our predictive capabilities. The book will be of interest to design scholars and researchers of technology, cultural studies, anthropology and the

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sociology of science and  
technology.

Selection of Materials for Artificial  
Turf Surfaces

AQA AS/A-Level Design and  
Technology: Product Design  
Natural and Artificial Playing Fields

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Fundamentals of Industrial  
Chemistry

Encyclopedic Dictionary of  
Polymers

Advances in Carpet Manufacture

**Emotions and gender in the age of  
plastic puts us at a time when**



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**chemicals are altering our hormones, they are present everywhere, but one of the greatest sources of exposure for people is what is commonly called plastic. By altering hormones, they are altering our emotions, and from before birth interfering with**

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**our gender and, therefore, with human reproduction. We have been exposed to these chemicals for almost a hundred years. The accumulation and persistence of endocrine disrupting chemicals, both in our body and in the environment,**

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**indicates that, if regulation and public policies do not change, the human being will experience a metamorphosis in gender and emotions that will affect the future societies. We are walking towards the era of uncertainty, altering**

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**emotions and gender, we will discover why it is a public responsibility in human security at a global level, as well as how to prevent and minimize our own exposure, thus improving our health. How much longer are we going to live**

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