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Introduction New CIB Encouraged Journal

Materiales de Construcción



Recently CIB granted the status of CIB Encouraged Journal to *Materiales de Construcción*.

About the journal

Materiales de Construcción was founded in 1951, by the Technical Institute for Construction and Cement. This scientific journal is published quarterly in bilingual (Spanish / English) format is presently published by the Eduardo Torroja Institute for Construction Science (Instituto de Ciencias de la Construcción Eduardo Torroja / IETcc), a Spanish National Research Council (CSIC) body.

Materiales de Construcción has been an effective vehicle for the dissemination of new scientific and technical knowledge in the field of construction materials and related subjects for over 50 years. *Materiales de Construcción* is geared to researchers, plant technicians and other professionals engaging in the area of construction materials science and technology.

Objectives and Scope

The articles published in the journal primarily address the following scientific and technical domains:

- Physics and chemistry of the formation of cement and other binders
- Cement and concrete (aggregate, admixtures, additions and similar): performance and properties.

- Construction material durability and corrosion
- Restoration and conservation of the historic heritage
- Effect of weathering on the deterioration of construction materials
- Use of industrial by-products and waste
- Manufacture and properties of other construction materials:
 - plaster
 - stone
 - fired clay products
 - lime
 - polymers
 - glass
 - composite materials
 - recycled materials
 - wood

All of the articles are published in two languages (Spanish / English). All articles are reviewed by at least two renowned specialists prior to publication.

The abstracts of the articles published in *Materiales de Construcción* are reproduced in the most prestigious sources of scientific and technical information, including: Chemical Abstracts, Engineering Village II, Metadex, Pascal, Latindex, Urbadisc, CSIC / ICYT, Rebiun, Sumaris y Compludoc and Sci Search®, Research Alert® and Material Science Citation Index®.



The journal is also listed in the Journal Citation Report (JCR) (1998-2005).

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