## IUPAC - EUCEPA

## Dissolving Pulp Symposium in Helsinki

The Finnish Pulp and Paper Research Institute will be arranging an international symposium on dissolving pulps in Helsinki from May 24–27, 1966. Application has been made for sponsorship by the IUPAC Pulp, Paper and Board Section. Co-operation with EUCEPA has also been discussed.

The two main subjects to be dealt with will be: High wet modulus fibres, and Cellulose acetate.

The programme will include the presentation of papers and short communications by invitation (official languages: English, French and German). Visits to dissolving pulp mills will be arranged in addition to the regular programme on request. A special ladies programme will be arranged.

Information concerning the symposium can be obtained from the programme chairman, Dr Hannes Sihtola, The Finnish Pulp and Paper Research Institute, P.O. Box 136, Helsinki, Finland.

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(Cosponsorship: Science Council of Japan, The Chemical Society of Japan)

The Society of Polymer Science, Japan invites you to attend the

## INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON MACROMOLECULAR CHEMISTRY Tokyo and Kyoto, September 28 to October 4, 1966

Lectures and communications will be divided into the following groups: (1) Polymerization Mechanism and Chemical Structure. – (2) New Polymerization Processes and New Polymers. – (3) Photo- and Radiation-induced Polymerizations. – (4) Polymer Reactions and Graft Polymerization. – (5) Thermally Stable Polymers and Related Problems. – (6) Physical Characterization of Polymers in Solution. – (7) Structure of Polymer Molecules and Polymer Systems. – (8) Physical Properties of Solid Polymers, Polymer Melts and Concentrated Polymer Solutions. – (9) Polymer Behaviour of Biologically Important Substances. – (10) Natural Polymers. – (11) Degradation of Polymers. – (12) Scientific Aspects of Polymer Technology.

General lectures, possibily ten, will be delivered by invited speakers, each for about one hour. Those who wish to participate in the Symposium are requested to complete the preliminary registration form enclosed in the first circular (to be obtained from the Organizing Committee) and to send it to this Committee so as to reach before December 1, 1965.

Symposium language: There is no official language designated, but English will be preferable as being comparatively familiar to the majority of Japanese participants as foreign language.

Information: Details concerning the programme and registration will be given in forthcoming circulars. – All correspondence should be addressed to

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