

Foreword

The GEFTA Symposium on Thermal Analysis took place in Regensburg from 10. to 12. October. The meeting was arranged for the first time together with colleagues from Switzerland and from Austria. More than 100 participants attended the symposium to present and to discuss recent developments in application, evaluation and instrumentation. There was a total of 37 short lectures and posters showing a broad variety of topics in the field of Thermal Analysis. Four plenary lectures were given, concerning Environment Analysis in the Arctic Region (K. G. Heumann); Geopolymers and Geopolymeric Materials (J. Davidovits); High-Temperature Superconductors (C. Politis), and characterization of High Technology Materials by Emanation Thermal Analysis, given by Dr. V. Balek who received the NETZSCH-GEFTA-Award.

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