## Events

## Short report on HIP-2000

The trilateral, Hungarian–Israeli–Polish thermoanalytical symposium HIP-2000 was held in Mátraháza (Hungary) on 14–16 May, 2000. This Symposium was follow-up to the bilateral Israeli–Hungarian conference held in Ein-Bokek, in 1996, and the bilateral Polish–Hungarian conference held in Zakopane, in 1997.

There were 15 Israeli, 6 Polish and 15 Hungarian participants, but also German, Italian, Finnish and Belgian lectures. The scientific papers were presented as oral or poster lectures, and were accompanied by the exhibitions of some instrument-companies.

The pleasant accommodation, the beautiful surroundings, the polite service provided by the Resort House of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences and the wonderful weather all made significant contributions to the success. The Symposium was completed by an excursion, when we visited the stalactite cave at Aggtelek, part of the World Heritage of UNESCO, and the famous Tokaj wine cellar at Tolcsva, where the participants were able to taste the vintage wines.

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