ASTM to Hold Meeting in Boston, June 25-30

Diversified Program

A diversified program on metals, composite materials, building and highway construction, sensory characteristics (odor and taste) of materials and products, turbine lubrication, and other subjects pertaining to the aeronautics and nuclear fields will be featured during the 70th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Testing and Materials to be held June 25–30 in Boston, Mass., at the Statler Hilton Hotel.

Some one hundred materials engineering experts will speak at the thirteen symposia and sessions that have been programmed for the week-long meeting at which more than four thousand scientists and engineers are expected to attend.

More than 1000 meetings will be held concurrently by ASTM technical committees and subcommittes who are responsible for keeping ASTM standards up-to-date and for developing new ones as needed by industry, government and the consuming public.

One of the symposia is Correlation of Subjective-Objective Methods in the Study of Odor and Taste (Sponsored by Committee E-18 on Sensory Evaluation of Materials and Products).

Wednesday, June 28

Instrumental-sensory Correlations as Applied to the Study of Air—Amos Turk, University of New York, and Stanley Mehlman, New York State University

Correlation of Objective-Subjective Methods in the Study of Water—R. P. Collins, University of Connecticut

Correlation of Objective-Subjective Methods as Applied in the Food Field—L. B. Sjostrom, Arthur D. Little, Inc.

Correlation of Objective-Subjective Methods as Applied to the Perfumery and Cosmetics Industries—E. E. Langenau, Fritzsche Brother, Inc.

Wednesday, June 28, 2:00 p.m.

Limitation of Subjective Measurements of Odor—Dean Foster, Virginia Military Institute

Limitation of Present Objective Techniques in Sensory Characterization—R. A. Baker, Mellon Institute

Requirements for Coordination of Instrumental and Sensory Techniques—D. G. Guadagni, U.S. Department of Agriculture

All those interested are cordially invited to attend this and other sessions held during the ASTM 70th Annual Meeting.

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