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Application Status: Design Accepted and Published

Design Application No.: 332140-001

Application of Design: Concrete Scanning Equipment

Journal No: 35/2021 Journal Date: 27/08/2021

Details of Patent: Mechanism for scanning concrete members of structures in order to evaluate their stability

and quality in terms of honeycombing, reinforcement location, moisture condition, and void

cracks existing in concrete through sensing device.

Application Status: Design Accepted and Published

Design Application No.: 331821-001

Application of Design: Concrete Mobility Machine

Journal No: 30/2021 Journal Date: 23/07/2021

Details of Patent: Mechanism for mixing concrete ingredients according to grade and moisture condition for

strength and durability purpose. Whole mechanism is operating through remotely sensors

and program for evaluating material properties and mix analysis.

Application Status: Design Accepted and Published

Design Application No.: 332158-001

Application of Design: Soil Strength Assessor Equipment

Journal No: 31/2021 Journal Date: 30/07/2021

Details of Patent: Mechanism for estimating strength properties of soil on site by gear wheel and dial gauge.

Temperature, moisture and deflection/consolidation properties are analyzed by remotely

sensors through before and after loading.

Registered and published at Boudhik Sampada Bhavan, Trade Marks & Patent Office, Kolkata.

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Title of Invention Smart Domestic Power Scheduling System

Field of Invention Electrical
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Abstract: POWER SCHEDULING SYSTEM—A Smart Domestic Power Scheduling System comprising Real Time Price based power scheduling system that is implemented effectively in Smart Power Grid to match supply and demand where in Home Energy Controller (HEC) & smart plug are used to shift the operation of schedulable load from peak period to off peak period and to shift said load, day-ahead electricity price is required in advance, for which suitable estimation is required thereby enabling the customers to decide the next day load pattern in turn enabling reduction in the peak demand on the grid. Patent Grant from Intellectual Property India, Patents/Designs/Trade Marks/Geographical Indications, Boudhik Sampada Bhavan, Antop Hill, S.M. Road, Mumbai.





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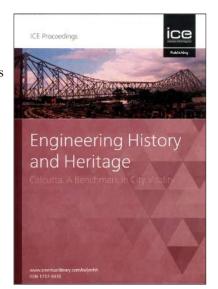
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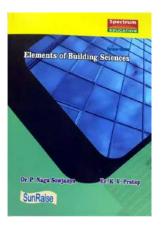


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Chapter under Hydrometallurgy, Ni-Co 2021: The 5th International Symposium on Nickel and Cobalt, Part of the The Minerals, Metals & Materials Series book series (MMMS), Springer, Cham, Anderson C, et al (eds), Published (Online): 18 February 2021, pp. 207-217, ISBN(Online): 978-3-030-65647-8, ISBN (Print): 978-3-030-65646-1 **DOI**: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-65647-8 17

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Structural Engineering, KSCE Journal of Civil Engineering, Volume 25, Issue 05, May 2021, pp. 1857–1864, ISSN 1226-7088

DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/s12205-021-1508-5

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Title of Paper: Factors Influencing the Performance of Rebound Hammer used for Non-destructive Testing of Concrete Members: A Review

Case Studies in Construction Materials, Volume 14, June 2021, ISSN 2214-5095

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Journal of King Saud University - Engineering Sciences, Published (Online): 03 March 2021, ISSN 1018-3639

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Environmental Research, Elsevier, Volume 203, January 2022, Article No. 111815

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 $Journal \, of \, Biomolecular \, Structure \, and \, Dynamics, \, Taylor \, and \, Franchis, \, Published \, (Online) \colon 14 \, August \, 2021 \, August \,$

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IOSR Journal of Electronics and Communication Engineering (IOSR-JECE), Volume 16, Issue 5, Series 1 (September-October 2021), pp. 01-08, ISSN (Print): 2278-8735, ISSN (Online): 2278-2834

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Scientific Reports, Volume 11, Article Number 15365, Published (Online): 28 July 2021, Open Access

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Noise Mapping, De Gruyter, Volume 8, No 1, Open Access: 12 April 2021, pp. 172-184

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Aerospace Engineering Division

Volume No 5

Theme: Small Satellites Initiatives in India

On the Theme:

The small satellite is envisaged to provide platform for stand-alone payloads, which facilitate earth imaging and science missions within a quick turnaround time. Small satellites are miniaturized satellites with wider range of users, all over the world. Small satellites have several advantages over large satellites namely cost effective ways to test newer technologies, opportunities for local industry, bigger basket of potential users and thus a large variety of mission possibilities. Small satellites are transforming the dynamics and economics of space industry and ensure that space technology is no longer monopolized by nations, but is accessible to smaller and newer entities. As a space-faring nation for over last five decades, India is set to become the hub for the small satellite launch market, which is projected to be valued a substantial amount in near future. Start-ups will be the key drivers in this space, with a few among them on the final stages of developing low-cost solutions that conform to global standards. The recent reforms by the Government of India will further accelerate private sector participation in the sector. Although small spacecraft have existed for decades, in recent years, small satellites have gained considerable importance, particularly in defense sectors, which have recently gained prominence owing to technological advances in their development and integration into the armed services of the major space faring countries across the world.

Sub-themes:

- * Technological Innovations, Business Opportunities and Commercialization of Indian Space Industry
- * Role of MSMEs and Start Ups in Small Satellite initiatives and development
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Volume No 5

Theme:

Advancements in Ship Building Technology — Way Ahead towards New Normal

On the Theme:

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- * Digital Transformation of Ship Building Industry The Way Ahead
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Volume No 6

Theme:

Applications of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning in Mechanical Engineering — The Post Pandemic Pathway

On the Theme:

Amidst the ongoing global crisis, the engineers, scientists, and professionals have so far played a stellar role and have constantly scaling up their efforts and have been responsive to the challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic. The application of Machine Learning (ML) and Artificial Intelligence (AI) during the first wave of pandemic encouraged the researchers to outline new angles to explore different fields of mechanical engineering contributing to uninterrupted industrial growth of the country. The rapid advancements in the field of fluid mechanics leads to, unprecedented volumes of data driven experiments, field measurements, and large-scale simulations at multiple spatiotemporal scales. Moreover, Machine Learning algorithms can augment domain knowledge and automate tasks related to flow control and optimization. Tribology is another area which has been empowered with AI, ML, Big Data tools and led to evolution of 'Tribo-informatics / Intelligent Tribology'. As we embrace the new normal, most of the facets of mechanical engineering will be data driven and AI and ML need to be vectored in to optimize workspace, product and services.

Sub-themes:

- * Study of IC Engine in light of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML)
- * Design, Operation and Maintenance of Turbine: A Machine Learning Approach
- * Advancement in Boiler Design, Operation & Maintenance through AI and ML Approach
- * Advancement in Machine Design through AI and ML Approach
- * Advances in Thermodynamics and Heat Transfer: The Machine Learning Approach
- * Neural Network in Kinematics: Challenges and Opportunities
- * Predictive Maintenance and Failure Analysis: AI and ML Approach
- * Tribology and Condition Monitoring: Supervised and Unsupervised Learning Approach
- * Fluid Mechanics and Heat Transfer: A Data Driven Approach
- * Application of Machine Learning in Mechanical System Modeling and Simulation
- * Assessment of Behaviours of Mechanical Systems through AI and ML
- * Machine Installation and Commissioning through Machine Learning Approach
- * Artificial Intelligence based Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
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- * Bio-medical Engineering: A Machine Learning Approach

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Metallurgical & Materials Engineering Division

Volume No 5

Theme: Integrated Computational Materials Engineering

On the Theme:

Integrated computational materials engineering (ICME) is an emergent field that aims to integrate computational materials science tools into a holistic system that can accelerate materials development, transform the engineering design optimization process, and unify design and manufacturing. Even though in its nascent state, ICME presents a grand challenge laden with prospects of achieving significant economic benefit and accelerate innovation in the engineering of materials and manufactured products. Papers from eminent engineers and technologists on contemporary issues having technical relevance to the theme shall be included in this volume. It is expected that the articles will be of academic values, and reflect experience of professional engineers.

Sub-themes:

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- * Creating Newer Materials,
- * Thermodynamics of Materials Engineering,
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- * Fundamentals of Materials Science and Engineering,
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Mining Engineering Division

Volume No 4

Theme: Future of Mining

On the Theme:

The evolution of technology, from advanced data analytics to artificial intelligence (AI), has always had the potential to transform the mining industry by realizing operational efficiency improvements, enhancing productivity, improving safety performance, empowering employees to do more meaningful work, and allowing communities to be more prosperous. The COVID-19 crisis has exposed the siloed nature of mining companies and highlighted the need for integrated operations. This is likely to accelerate the adoption of digital technologies, artificial intelligence, and analytics in the mining industry. This volume will discuss what future has in store for the mining sector and the likelihood of vectoring in the intelligent, integrated operations in mining in a comprehensive manner. Papers from eminent engineers, technologists, professionals and researchers on contemporary issues having technical relevance to the theme shall be included in this volume.

Sub-then

- * Climate-Smart Mining
- * Responsible Sourcing (Decrease environmental footprint, Increase social footprint)
- * Adoption of low carbon product strategies
- * Collaboration to set new mining standards based on environmental, social and governance (ESG) principles
- * Digitalization for more sustainable use of resources & lowering input cost
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Production Engineering Division

Volume No 6

Theme:

Applications of Machine Learning, Deep Learning and Artificial Intelligence in Manufacturing — The Way Forward

On the Theme:

The advent of fourth industrial revolution ushered in huge industrial reforms and a paradigm shift in manufacturing from conventional product oriented labour intensive approach to a customer oriented data driven one and reinstated that promoting digital innovations coupled with intelligent decision making is the way forward. With the introduction of IIoT, Digital Twins, Smart Factories, Cyber-Physical Systems, Indian manufacturing sector has created a niche for itself in terms of productivity, efficiency and overall growth. Smart manufacturing revolution has enabled the manufacturing units to achieve timeless manufacturing goal with the objective to produce products with stated degree of precision and accuracy in a cost effective manner. In this context, Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning are the core technologies which have provided stimulus for this transformation. These technologies, leveraged by Industry 4.0, namely Internet of Things, Advanced Embedded Systems, Cloud Computing, Big Data, Cognitive Systems, Virtual and Augmented Reality needs to be leveraged further as we prepare ourselves for adopting a newer, resilient and a self-reliant manufacturing ecosystem.

Sub-themes:

- * Data Driven Decision Making in Production Planning and Control
- * Advances in Machine Tools: Artificial Intelligence and Deep Learning Approach
- * Assessment of Industrial Automation in Machine Learning Environment
- * Deep Learning and Smart Manufacturing The Way forward
- * Application of Big Data Analytics in Manufacturing
- * Smart Warehousing, Warehouse Optimization and Inventory Management
- * Artificial Intelligence and Robotics in Welding Industry
- * Lean and Agile Supply Chain: Machine Learning Approach
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Textile Engineering Division

Volume No 5

Theme:

Development and Application of Functional Textiles

On the Theme:

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- * Based on the application area

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