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## ***Handbook of Parallel Computing 2007-12-20***

the ability of parallel computing to process large data sets and handle time consuming operations has resulted in unprecedented advances in biological and scientific computing modeling and simulations exploring these recent developments the handbook of parallel computing models algorithms and applications provides comprehensive coverage on a

## **Parallel Processing of Discrete Problems 2012-12-06**

in the past two decades breakthroughs in computer technology have made a tremendous impact on optimization in particular availability of parallel computers has created substantial interest in exploring the use of parallel processing for solving discrete and global optimization problems the chapters in this volume cover a broad spectrum of recent research in parallel processing of discrete and related problems the topics discussed include distributed branch and bound algorithms parallel genetic algorithms for large scale discrete problems simulated annealing parallel branch and bound search under limited memory constraints parallelization of greedy randomized adaptive search procedures parallel optical models of computing randomized parallel algorithms general techniques for the design of parallel discrete algorithms parallel algorithms for the solution of quadratic assignment and satisfiability problems the book will be a valuable source of information to faculty students and researchers in combinatorial optimization and related areas

## **Encyclopedia of Computer Science and Technology 1999-05-14**

an approach to complexity from a human centered artificial intelligence perspective to the virtual workplace

## **Parallel Computing Using Optical Interconnections 2007-08-26**

advances in optical technologies have made it possible to implement optical interconnections in future massively parallel processing systems photons are non charged particles and do not naturally interact consequently there are many desirable characteristics of optical interconnects e g high speed speed of light increased fanout high bandwidth high reliability longer interconnection lengths low power requirements and immunity to emi with reduced crosstalk optics can utilize free space interconnects as well as guided wave technology neither of which has the problems of vlsi technology mentioned above optical interconnections can be built at various levels providing chip to chip module to module board to board and

node to node communications massively parallel processing using optical interconnections poses new challenges new system configurations need to be designed scheduling and data communication schemes based on new resource metrics need to be investigated algorithms for a wide variety of applications need to be developed under the novel computation models that optical interconnections permit and so on parallel computing using optical interconnections is a collection of survey articles written by leading and active scientists in the area of parallel computing using optical interconnections this is the first book which provides current and comprehensive coverage of the field reflects the state of the art from high level architecture design and algorithmic points of view and points out directions for further research and development

## **Advances in Randomized Parallel Computing**

### **2013-12-01**

the technique of randomization has been employed to solve numerous problems of computing both sequentially and in parallel examples of randomized algorithms that are asymptotically better than their deterministic counterparts in solving various fundamental problems abound randomized algorithms have the advantages of simplicity and better performance both in theory and often in practice this book is a collection of articles written by renowned experts in the area of randomized parallel computing a brief introduction to randomized algorithms in the analysis of algorithms at least three different measures of performance can be used the best case the worst case and the average case often the average case run time of an algorithm is much smaller than the worst case 2 for instance the worst case run time of hoare's quicksort is  $O(n^2)$  whereas its average case run time is only  $O(n \log n)$  the average case analysis is conducted with an assumption on the input space the assumption made to arrive at the  $O(n \log n)$  average run time for quicksort is that each input permutation is equally likely clearly any average case analysis is only as good as how valid the assumption made on the input space is randomized algorithms achieve superior performances without making any assumptions on the inputs by making coin flips within the algorithm any analysis done of randomized algorithms will be valid for all possible inputs

## **COMPUTATIONAL STRUCTURAL MECHANICS**

### **2001-01-01**

this class room tested book representing the teaching experience of over two decades by the authors is designed to cater to the needs of senior undergraduate and first year postgraduate students of civil engineering for a course in advanced structural analysis matrix methods of structural analysis computer methods of structural analysis the book endeavours to fulfil two principal objectives first it acquaints students with the matrix methods of structural analysis and their underlying concepts and principles second it demonstrates the development of well structured computer programs for the analysis of structures by the matrix methods

after a thorough presentation of the mathematical tools and theory required for linear elastic analysis of structural systems the text focuses on the flexibility and stiffness methods of analysis for computer usage the direct stiffness method which forms the backbone of most computer programs is also discussed besides the physical behaviour of structures is analyzed throughout with the help of axial thrust shear force bending moment and deflected shape diagrams a large number of worked out examples are included to amplify the concepts and to illustrate the effect of external loads including the effect of temperature lack of fit and settlement of supports etc the cd rom contains many illustrative computer programs and the usage of modern packages such as excel and matlab the book will also be a useful reference for practising structural engineers who wish to pursue the versatility of matrix methods as a tool for computer applications

## ***Handbook of randomized computing. 1 2001***

this book constitutes the refereed proceedings of the 16th international symposium on algorithms and computation isaac 2005 held in sanya hainan china in december 2005 the 112 revised full papers presented were carefully reviewed and selected from 549 submissions the papers are organized in topical sections on computational geometry computational optimization graph drawing and graph algorithms computational complexity approximation algorithms internet algorithms quantum computing and cryptography data structure computational biology experimental algorithm methodologies and online algorithms randomized algorithms parallel and distributed algorithms

## ***Algorithms and Computation 2005-12-09***

this introduction to networking large scale parallel computer systems acts as a primary resource for a wide readership including network systems engineers electronics engineers systems designers computer scientists involved in systems design and implementation of parallel algorithms development graduate students in systems architecture design or engineering

## ***Parallel System Interconnections and Communications 2018-10-08***

explains the fundamental concepts and principles underlying the subject illustrates the application of numerical methods to solve engineering problems with mathematical models and introduces students to the use of computer applications to solve problems a continuous step by step build up of the subject makes the book very student friendly all topics and sequentially coherent subtopics are carefully organized and explained distinctly within each chapter an abundance of solved examples is provided to illustrate all phases of the topic under consideration all chapters include several spreadsheet problems for modeling of physical phenomena which enable the student to obtain graphical representations of physical quantities and perform numerical analysis of problems without recourse to a high level

computer language adequately equipped with numerous solved problems and exercises this book provides sufficient material for a two semester course the book is essentially designed for all engineering students it would also serve as a ready reference for practicing engineers and for those preparing for competitive examinations it includes previous years question papers and their solutions

## **Engineering Mechanics Statics And Dynamics 2009-11-01**

this book contains selected papers from the onr workshop on parallel algorithm design and program transformation that took place at new york university courant institute from aug 30 to sept 1 1991 the aim of the workshop was to bring together computer scientists in transformational programming and parallel algorithm design in order to encourage a sharing of ideas that might benefit both communities it was hoped that exposure to algorithm design methods developed within the algorithm community would stimulate progress in software development for parallel architectures within the transformational community it was also hoped that exposure to syntax directed methods and pragmatic programming concerns developed within the transformational community would encourage more realistic theoretical models of parallel architectures and more systematic and algebraic approaches to parallel algorithm design within the algorithm community the workshop organizers were robert paige john reif and ralph wachter the workshop was sponsored by the office of naval research under grant number n00014 90 j 1421 there were 44 attendees 28 presentations and 5 system demonstrations all attendees were invited to submit a paper for publication in the book each submitted paper was refereed by participants from the workshop the final decision on publication was made by the editors there were several motivations for holding the workshop and for publishing papers contributed by its participants transformational programming and parallel computation are two emerging fields that may ultimately depend on each other for success

## **Parallel Algorithm Derivation and Program Transformation 2007-08-28**

presents algorithmic techniques for solving problems in bioinformatics including applications that shed new light on molecular biology this book introduces algorithmic techniques in bioinformatics emphasizing their application to solving novel problems in post genomic molecular biology beginning with a thought provoking discussion on the role of algorithms in twenty first century bioinformatics education bioinformatics algorithms covers general algorithmic techniques including dynamic programming graph theoretical methods hidden markov models the fast fourier transform seeding and approximation algorithms algorithms and tools for genome and sequence analysis including formal and approximate models for gene clusters advanced algorithms for non overlapping local alignments and genome tilings multiplex pcr primer set selection and sequence network motif finding

microarray design and analysis including algorithms for microarray physical design missing value imputation and meta analysis of gene expression data algorithmic issues arising in the analysis of genetic variation across human population including computational inference of haplotypes from genotype data and disease association search in case control epidemiologic studies algorithmic approaches in structural and systems biology including topological and structural classification in biochemistry and prediction of protein protein and domain domain interactions each chapter begins with a self contained introduction to a computational problem continues with a brief review of the existing literature on the subject and an in depth description of recent algorithmic and methodological developments and concludes with a brief experimental study and a discussion of open research challenges this clear and approachable presentation makes the book appropriate for researchers practitioners and graduate students alike

## **Bioinformatics Algorithms 2008-02-15**

the second edition of the growing spine has been extensively revised to cover recent advances in knowledge and management the book is intended as a comprehensive one stop reference for specialists and health professionals who care for young children with spinal deformities in addition it will effectively help to standardize the care of these patients depending on the etiology children with spinal deformities are often cared for by multiple specialists including pediatricians pediatric orthopaedists or orthopaedic spine surgeons neurologists pediatric surgeons pediatric neurosurgeons oncologists and pulmonologists the multidisciplinary nature of care is reflected in the growing spine which will be of value for all involved practitioners rather than just orthopaedic specialists it will also be an ideal reference for nurses physical therapists and healthcare professionals in training who are usually unfamiliar with spinal deformities in children

## **The Growing Spine 2015-11-02**

this book of springer nature is another proof of springer s outstanding and greatness on the lively interface of smart computational optimization green ict smart intelligence and machine learning it is a master piece of what our community of academics and experts can provide when an interconnected approach of joint mutual and meta learning is supported by modern operational research and experience of the world leader springer nature the 5th edition of international conference on intelligent computing and optimization took place at october 27 28 2022 via zoom objective was to celebrate creativity with compassion and wisdom with researchers scholars experts and investigators in intelligent computing and optimization across the planet to share knowledge experience innovation a marvelous opportunity for discourse and mutuality by novel research invention and creativity this proceedings book of ico 2022 is published by springer nature quality label of wonderful



## **Intelligent Computing & Optimization 2022-10-20**

mechanics is the fundamental branch of physics whose two offshoots static and dynamics find varied application in thermodynamics electricity and electromagnetism engineering mechanics is a simple yet insightful textbook on the concepts and principles of mechanics in the field of engineering written in a comprehensive manner engineering mechanics greatly elaborates on the tricky aspects of the motion of particle and its cause forces and vectors lifting machines and pulleys inertia and projectiles juxtaposition them with relevant neat illustrations which make the science of engineering mechanics an interesting study for aspiring engineers the authors have packaged the book engineering mechanics with a huge number of theoretical questions numerical problems and a highly informative objective type question bank the book aspires to cater to the learning needs of be btech students and also those preparing for competitive exams

## **Engineering Mechanics (For Anna) 1991-07-30**

this book constitutes the refereed proceedings of the 15th international conference on high performance computing hipc 2008 held in bangalore india in december 2008 the 46 revised full papers presented together with the abstracts of 5 keynote talks were carefully reviewed and selected from 317 submissions the papers are organized in topical sections on applications performance optimizazion parallel algorithms and applications scheduling and resource management sensor networks energy aware computing distributed algorithms communication networks as well as architecture

## ***Proceedings 20th International Conference Parallel Processing 1991 2008-11-23***

the urgent need for infrastructure rehabilitation and maintenance has led to a rise in the levels of research into bituminous materials breakthroughs in sustainable and environmentally friendly bituminous materials are certain to have a significant impact on national economies and energy sustainability this book will provide a comprehensive review on recent advances in research and technological developments in bituminous materials opening with an introductory chapter on asphalt materials and a section on the perspective of bituminous binder specifications part one covers the physiochemical characterisation and analysis of asphalt materials part two reviews the range of distress damage mechanisms in asphalt materials with chapters covering cracking deformation fatigue cracking and healing of asphalt mixtures as well as moisture damage and the multiscale oxidative aging modelling approach for asphalt concrete the final section of this book investigates alternative asphalt materials chapters within this section review such aspects as alternative binders for asphalt pavements such as bio binders and rap paving with asphalt emulsions and aggregate grading optimization provides an insight into advances and techniques for bituminous materials comprehensively

reviews the physicochemical characteristics of bituminous materials investigate asphalt materials on the nano scale including how rap ras materials can be recycled and how asphalt materials can self heal and rejuvenator selection

## ***High Performance Computing - HiPC 2008 2015-04-08***

this book provides an updated state of the art review on new developments in alkali activation the main binder of concrete portland cement represents almost 80 of the total co2 emissions of concrete which are about 6 to 7 of the planet s total co2 emissions this is particularly serious in the current context of climate change and it could get even worse because the demand for portland cement is expected to increase by almost 200 by 2050 from 2010 levels reaching 6000 million tons year alkali activated binders represent an alternative to portland cement having higher durability and a lower co2 footprint reviews the chemistry mix design manufacture and properties of alkali activated cement based concrete binders considers performance in adverse environmental conditions offers equal emphasis on the science behind the technology and its use in civil engineering

## **Advances in Asphalt Materials 2014-11-20**

the utilization of slag in civil infrastructure construction strives to integrate the theory research and practice of slag utilization including the production and processing of slags the topics covered include production and smelting processes for metals chemical and physical properties of slags pretreatment and post treatment technology to enhance slag properties potential environmental impact mechanisms of potential expansion special testing methods and characteristics slag processing for aggregate and cementitious applications suitability of slags for use in specific applications overall properties of materials containing slags and commercialization and economics the focus of the book is on slag utilization technology with a review of the basic properties and an exploration of how its use in the end product will be technically sound environment friendly and economic covers the production processing and utilization of a broad range of ferrous non ferrous and non metallurgical slags provides information on applicable methods for a particular slag and its utilization to reduce potential environmental impacts and promote natural resource sustainability presents the overall technology of transferring a slag from the waste stream into a useful materials resource provides a detailed review of the appropriate utilization of each slag from processing right through to aggregate and cementitious use requirements

## ***Handbook of Alkali-Activated Cements, Mortars and Concretes 2016-06-24***

nonconventional and vernacular construction materials characterisation properties and applications provides a comprehensive repository of information on materials



science and the modern structural engineering application of ancient vernacular and nonconventional building materials with leading experts contributing chapters that focus on current applications and the engineering of these construction materials opening with a historic retrospective of nonconventional materials part one includes a review of vernacular construction and a discussion of the future directions for nonconventional and vernacular materials research and applications chapters in part two focus on natural fibers including their application in cementitious composites non cementitious composites and strawbale construction in part three chapters cover the use of industrial by products and natural ashes in cement mortar and concrete and construction using soil cement blocks clay based materials adobe and earthen materials and ancient stone masonry timber bamboo and paper construction materials are investigated in the final section of the book provides a state of the art review of the modern use and engineering of nonconventional building materials contains chapters that focus on individual construction materials and address both material characterization and structural applications covers sustainable engineering and the trend towards engineering for humanity

## **The Utilization of Slag in Civil Infrastructure Construction 2016-01-28**

since 1930 more than 100 000 new chemical compounds have been developed and insufficient information exists on the health assessment of 95 percent of these chemicals in which a relevant percentage are used in construction products for instance portland cement concrete the most used material on the planet 10 000 million tons year that in the next 40 years will increase around 100 currently used in around 15 of total concrete production contains chemicals used to modify their properties either in the fresh or hardened state biopolymers are materials that are developed from natural resources they reduce dependence on fossil fuels and reduce carbon dioxide emissions there is a worldwide demand to replace petroleum based materials with renewable resources currently bio admixtures represent just a small fraction of the chemical admixtures market around 20 but with environmental awareness for constituents in construction materials generally growing the construction products regulation is being enforced in europe since 2013 the trend towards bio admixtures is expected to continue this book provides an updated state of the art review on biopolymers and their influence and use as admixtures in the development of eco efficient construction materials provides essential knowledge for researchers and producers working on the development of biopolymer modified construction materials discusses the various types of biopolymers currently available their different production techniques their use as bio admixtures in concretes and mortars and applications in other areas of civil engineering such as soil stability wood preservation adhesives and coatings all contributions are made from leading researchers who have intensive involvement in the design and use of biopolymers in construction materials

## ***Nonconventional and Vernacular Construction Materials 2016-01-11***

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## **Biopolymers and Biotech Admixtures for Eco-Efficient Construction Materials 2009-11-01**

innovative developments of advanced multifunctional nanocomposites in civil and structural engineering focuses on nanotechnology the innovation and control of materials at 100 nm or smaller length scales and how they have revolutionized almost all of the various disciplines of science and engineering study in particular advances in synthesizing imaging and manipulating materials at the nano scale have provided engineers with a broader array of materials and tools for creating high performance devices nanomaterials possess drastically different properties than those of their bulk counterparts mainly because of their high surface to mass ratios and high surface energies reactivity for instance carbon nanotubes have been shown to possess impressive mechanical strength stiffness and electrical conductivity superior to that of bulk carbon whilst nanotechnology has become deeply rooted in electrical chemical and materials engineering disciplines its proliferation into civil engineering did not begin until fairly recently this book covers that proliferation and the main challenges associated with the integration of nanomaterials and nano scale design principles into civil and structural engineering examines nanotechnology and its application to not only structural engineering but also transportation new infrastructure materials and the applications of nanotechnology to existing structural systems focuses on how nanomaterials can provide enhanced sensing capabilities and mechanical reinforcement of the original structural material analyzes experimental and computational work carried out by world renowned researchers

## **Engineering Mechanics Statics And Dynamics 2016-02-03**

sustainability of construction materials second edition explores an increasingly important aspect of construction in recent years serious consideration has been given to environmental and societal issues in the manufacturing use disposal and recycling of construction materials this book provides comprehensive and detailed analysis of the sustainability issues associated with these materials mainly in relation to the constituent materials processing recycling and lifecycle environmental impacts the contents of each chapter reflect the individual aspects of the material that affect sustainability such as the preservation and repair of timber the use of cement replacements in concrete the prevention and control of metal corrosion and the crucial role of adhesives in wood products provides helpful guidance on lifecycle assessment durability recycling and the engineering properties of construction materials fully updated to take on new developments with an additional nineteen chapters added to include natural stone polymers and plastics and plaster products provides essential reading for individuals at all levels who are involved in the construction and selection assessment and use and maintenance of materials

## **Innovative Developments of Advanced Multifunctional Nanocomposites in Civil and Structural Engineering 2016-08-12**

climate change is one of the most important environmental problems faced by planet earth the majority of co<sub>2</sub> emissions come from burning fossil fuels for energy production and improvements in energy efficiency shows the greatest potential for any single strategy to abate global greenhouse gas ghg emissions from the energy sector energy related emissions account for almost 80 of the eu s total greenhouse gas emissions the building sector is the largest energy user responsible for about 40 of the eu s total final energy consumption in europe the number of installed air conditioning systems has increased 500 over the last 20 years but in that same period energy cooling needs have increased more than 20 times the increase in energy cooling needs relates to the current higher living and working standards in urban environments with low outdoor air quality the general case this means that in summer time one cannot count on natural ventilation to reduce cooling needs do not forget the synergistic effect between heat waves and air pollution which means that outdoor air quality is worse in the summer aggravating cooling needs over the next few years this phenomenon will become much worse because more people will live in cities more than 2 billion by 2050 and global warming will aggravate cooling needs an overview of materials to lessen the impact of urban heat islands excellent coverage of building materials to reduce air conditioning needs innovative products discussed such as thermo and electrochromic materials

## **Sustainability of Construction Materials**

### **2015-02-27**

characteristics and uses of steel slag in building construction focuses predominantly on the utilization of ferrous slag blast furnace and steel slag in building construction this extensive literature review discusses the worldwide utilization of ferrous slag and applications in all sectors of civil engineering including structural engineering road construction and hydro technical structures it presents cutting edge research on the characteristics and properties of ferrous slag and its overall impact on the environment comprehensively reviews the literature on the use of blast furnace and steel slag in civil engineering examines the environmental impact of slag production and its effect on human health presents cutting edge research from worldwide studies on the use of blast furnace and steel slag

## ***Eco-efficient Materials for Mitigating Building Cooling Needs***

### **2016-05-20**

textile fibre composites in civil engineering provides a state of the art review from leading experts on recent developments the use of textile fiber composites in civil engineering and a focus on both new and existing structures textile based composites are new materials for civil engineers recent developments have demonstrated their potential in the prefabrication of concrete structures and as a tool for both strengthening and seismic retrofitting of existing concrete and masonry structures including those of a historical value the book reviews materials production technologies fundamental properties testing design aspects applications and directions for future research and developments following the opening introductory chapter part one covers materials production technologies and the manufacturing of textile fiber composites for structural and civil engineering part two moves on to review testing mechanical behavior and durability aspects of textile fiber composites used in structural and civil engineering chapters here cover topics such as the durability of structural elements and bond aspects in textile fiber composites part three analyzes the structural behavior and design of textile reinforced concrete this section includes a number of case studies providing thorough coverage of the topic the final section of the volume details the strengthening and seismic retrofitting of existing structures chapters investigate concrete and masonry structures in addition to providing information and insights on future directions in the field the book is a key volume for researchers academics practitioners and students working in civil and structural engineering and those working with advanced construction materials details the range of materials and production technologies used in textile fiber composites analyzes the durability of textile fiber composites including case studies into the structural behavior of textile reinforced concrete reviews the processes involved in strengthening existing concrete structures

## ***Characteristics and Uses of Steel Slag in Building Construction 2016-02-08***

masonry walls constitute the interface between the building's interior and the outdoor environment. masonry walls are traditionally composed of fired clay bricks, solid or perforated, or blocks of concrete or earth-based, but in the past and even in the present they were often associated as needing an extra special thermal and acoustical insulation layer. However, over more recent years, investigations on thermal and acoustical features have led to the development of new improved bricks and blocks that no longer need these insulation layers. Traditional masonry units, fired clay bricks, concrete or earth-based blocks that don't offer improved performance in terms of thermal and acoustical insulation are a symbol of a low technology past that are far removed from the demands of sustainable construction. This book provides an up-to-date state-of-the-art review on the eco-efficiency of masonry units. Particular emphasis is placed on the design properties, performance, durability, and LCA of these materials. Since masonry units are also an excellent way to reuse bulk industrial waste, the book will be important in the context of the revised waste framework directive 2008/98/EC, which states that the minimum reuse and recycling targets for construction and demolition waste (CDW) should be at least 70% by 2020. On the 9th of March 2011, the European Union approved the regulation EU 305/2011, known as the Construction Products Regulation (CPR), and it will be enforced after the 1st of July 2013. The future commercialization of construction materials in Europe makes their environmental assessment mandatory, meaning that more information related to the environmental performance of building materials is much needed. This book provides an authoritative guide to the eco-efficiency of masonry units, examines the reuse of waste materials, covers a range of materials including clay, cement, earth, and pumice.

## **Textile Fibre Composites in Civil Engineering 2014-11-27**

Science and Technology of Concrete Admixtures presents admixtures from both a theoretical and practical point of view. The authors emphasize key concepts that can be used to better understand the working mechanisms of these products by presenting a concise overview on the fundamental behavior of portland cement and hydraulic binders as well as their chemical admixtures, also discussing recent effects in concrete in terms of rheology, mechanics, durability, and sustainability, but never forgetting the fundamental role played by the water binder ratio and proper curing. In concrete technology, Part One presents basic knowledge on portland cement and concrete, while Part Two deals with the chemical and physical background needed to better understand what admixtures are chemically and through which mechanism they modify the properties of the fresh and hardened concrete. Subsequent sections present discussions on admixtures technology and two particular types of concrete: self-consolidating and ultra-high-strength concretes, with final remarks on their future. This book combines the knowledge of two leading authors to present both the scientific

and technology of admixtures explains what admixtures are from a chemical point of view and illustrates by which mechanisms they modify the properties of fresh and hardened concrete presents a fundamental practical and innovative reference book on the topic contains three detailed appendices that can be used to learn how to use admixtures more efficiently

## **Eco-efficient Masonry Bricks and Blocks**

**2015-11-12**

corrosion of reinforcing steel is now recognized as the major cause of degradation of concrete structures in many parts of the world despite this infrastructure expenditure is being unreasonably decreased by sequestration and the incredible shrinking discretionary budget all components of our infrastructure including highways airports water supply waste treatment energy supply and power generation require significant investment and are subjected to degradation by corrosion which significantly reduces the service life reliability functionality of structures and equipment and safety corrosion of steel in concrete structures provides a comprehensive review of the subject in addition to recent advances in research and technological developments from reinforcing materials to measurement techniques and modelling this book contains not only all the important aspects in the field of corrosion of steel reinforced concrete but also discusses new topics and future trends part one of the book tackles theoretical concepts of corrosion of steel in concrete structures the second part moves on to analyse the variety of reinforcing materials and concrete including stainless steel and galvanized steel part three covers measurements and evaluations such as electrochemical techniques and acoustic emission part four reviews protection and maintenance methods whilst the final section analyses modelling latest developments and future trends in the field the book is essential reading for researchers practitioners and engineers who are involved in materials characterisation and corrosion of steel in concrete structures provides comprehensive coverage on a broad range of topics related to the corrosion of steel bars in concrete discusses the latest measuring methods and advanced modeling techniques reviews the range of reinforcing materials and types of concrete

## **Science and Technology of Concrete Admixtures**

**2016-02-17**

this book constitutes the refereed proceedings of 10 international workshops held in conjunction with the merged 1998 ippssdp symposia held in orlando florida us in march april 1998 the volume comprises 118 revised full papers presenting cutting edge research or work in progress in accordance with the workshops covered the papers are organized in topical sections on reconfigurable architectures run time systems for parallel programming biologically inspired solutions to parallel processing problems randomized parallel computing solving combinatorial optimization problems in parallel pc based networks of workstations fault tolerant



parallel and distributed systems formal methods for parallel programming  
embedded hpc systems and applications and parallel and distributed real time  
systems

## **Corrosion of Steel in Concrete Structures 1998-03-18**

the development of ndt non destructive testing techniques used for the inspection of concrete structures is currently in high demand because many existing structures have become aged and deteriorated in service in order to formulate predictions on their stability and to estimate their safety it is necessary to identify damage signals and to determine their causes in this regard the development and establishment of innovative and highly advanced non destructive methods are required acoustic emission ae and related nde non destructive evaluation techniques have been extensively used to determine crack detection and damage evaluation in concrete with the move towards a more sustainable society and the need to extend the long term service life of infrastructure and aging and disastrous damage due to recent earthquakes acoustic emission ae and related non destructive evaluation nde techniques in the fracture mechanics of concrete fundamentals and applications is a critical reference source for civil engineers contractors working in construction and materials scientists working both in industry and academia presents innovative acoustic emission ae and related non destructive evaluation nde techniques used for damage detection and inspection of aged and deteriorated concrete structures contributions from recognized world leaders in the application of acoustic emission ae and nde techniques used for the damage assessment of concrete and concrete structures with the move towards a more sustainable society and the need to extend the long term service life of infrastructure and damage due to recent earthquakes this book is of critical importance an essential knowledge resource for civil engineers contractors working in construction and materials scientists working both in industry and academia

## **Parallel and Distributed Processing 2015-03-28**

the book is a collection of high quality peer reviewed research papers presented in proceedings of international conference on artificial intelligence and evolutionary algorithms in engineering systems icaees 2014 held at noorul islam centre for higher education kumaracoil india these research papers provide the latest developments in the broad area of use of artificial intelligence and evolutionary algorithms in engineering systems the book discusses wide variety of industrial engineering and scientific applications of the emerging techniques it presents invited papers from the inventors originators of new applications and advanced technologies

## ***Acoustic Emission and Related Non-destructive Evaluation Techniques in the Fracture Mechanics of Concrete 2014-11-25***

start up creation the smart eco efficient built environment provides a state of the art review on high technology applications and explains how these can be applied to improve the eco efficiency of the built environment divided into four main parts the book explains the key factors behind successful startup companies that grow from university research including the development of a business plan the importance of intellectual property necessary entrepreneurial skills and innovative thinking part two presents the latest research findings on nano and bio based technologies and their application and use to the energy efficiency of the built environment part three focuses on the use of genetic algorithms big data and the internet of things applications finally the book ends with an entire section dedicated to app development using selected case studies that illustrate their application and use for monitoring building energy efficiency presents a definitive guide for startups that arise from college and university research and how the application of advanced technologies can be applied to the built environment includes case studies on new advanced technologies and apps development links startup creation to the eco efficient built environment through software applications

## **Artificial Intelligence and Evolutionary Algorithms in Engineering Systems 2016-05-14**

smart buildings advanced materials and nanotechnology to improve energy efficiency and environmental performance presents a thorough analysis of the latest advancements in construction materials and building design that are applied to maximize building efficiency in both new and existing buildings after a brief introduction on the issues concerning the design process in the third millennium part one examines the differences between zero energy green and smart buildings with particular emphasis placed on the issue of smart buildings and smart housing mainly the envelope and how to make it more adaptive with the new possibilities offered by nanotechnology and smart materials part two focuses on the last generation of solutions for smart thermal insulation based on the results of extensive research into more innovative insulation materials chapters discuss achievements in nanotechnology bio ecological and phase change materials the technical characteristics performance level and methods of use for each are described in detail as are the achievements in the field of green walls and their use as a solution for upgrading the energy efficiency and environmental performance of existing buildings finally part three reviews current research on smart windows with the assumption that transparent surfaces represent the most critical element in the energy balance of the building chapters provide an extensive review on the technical features of transparent closures that are currently on the market or under development from so called dynamic glazing to bio adaptive and photovoltaic glazing the aesthetic potential and performance limits are also be discussed

presents valuable definitions that are given to explain the characteristics requirements and differences between zero energy green and smart buildings contains particular focus on the next generation of construction materials and the most advanced products currently entering the market lists both the advantages and disadvantages to help the reader choose the most suitable solution takes into consideration both design and materials aspects promotes the existence of new advanced materials providing technical information to encourage further use and reduce costs compared to more traditional materials

## ***Start-Up Creation 2016-05-27***

recent trends in cold formed steel construction discusses advancements in an area that has become an important construction material for buildings the book addresses cutting edge new technologies and design methods using cold formed steel as a main structural material and provides technical guidance on how to design and build sustainable and energy efficient cold formed steel buildings part one of the book introduces the codes specifications and design methods for cold formed steel structures while part two provides computational analysis of cold formed steel structures part three examines the structural performance of cold formed steel buildings and reviews the thermal performance acoustic performance fire protection floor vibrations and blast resistance of these buildings with a final section reviewing innovation and sustainability in cold formed steel construction addresses building sciences issues and provides performance solutions for cold formed buildings provides guidance for using the next generation design method computational tools and technologies edited by an experienced researcher and educator with significant knowledge on new developments in cold formed steel construction

## ***Smart Buildings 2016-05-27***

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biologically inspired computing is different from conventional computing. It has a different feel often the terminology does not sound like it's talking about machines. The activities of this computing sound more human than mechanistic as people speak of machines that behave, react, self-organize, learn, generalize, remember, and even to forget. Much of this technology tries to mimic nature's approach in order to mimic some of nature's capabilities. They have a rigorous mathematical basis and neural networks for example have a statistically valid set on which the network is trained. Two outlines are suggested as the possible tracks for pattern recognition: they are neural networks and functional networks. Neural networks: many interconnected elements operating in parallel carry out tasks that are not only beyond the scope of conventional processing but also cannot be understood in the same terms. Imaging applications for neural networks seem to be a natural fit. Neural networks love to do pattern recognition. A new approach to pattern recognition using microarray together with wavelet transforms in the context of hand-written characters, gestures and signatures have been dealt. The Kohonen network, back propagation networks and competitive Hopfield neural network have been considered for various applications. Functional networks being a generalized form of neural networks where functions are learned rather than weights. This is compared with multiple regression analysis for some applications and the results are seen to be coincident. New kinds of intelligence can be added to machines and we will have the possibility of learning more about learning. Thus our imaginations and options are being stretched. These new machines will be fault tolerant, intelligent and self-programming. Thus trying to make the machines smarter so as to make those who use the techniques even smarter.

**Chapter 1: A brief introduction to neural and functional networks in the context of pattern recognition using these disciplines.**

**Chapter 2: Gives a review of the architectures relevant to the investigation and the development of these technologies in the past few decades.**

**Chapter 3: Begins with the look at the recognition of handwritten alphabets using the algorithm for ordered list of boundary pixels as well as the Kohonen self-organizing map.**

**Chapter 4: Describes the architecture of the microarray and its capability.**

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