Abstract submission guidelines

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**Table 1.** Table caption exemple.

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| **Flexural Strength****(psi)** | **Electric Conductivity****(S/cm)** | **Specific Weight****(g/cm3)** |
| >1730 | 80 | 1,27 |
| <1200 | 50 | 0,65 |

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$a^{2}+3y=z$ (**1**)

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