Abstract submission guidelines

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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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