



Welcome to ACTA IMEKO

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ACTA IMEKO was established to provide reviews of current topics in measurement science in order to share the latest research results among scientists of all over the world, and to be a reference point of the state of art in the measurement field for all people involved directly or indirectly in measurements and to assist them in the translation of science into practice.

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I am sure that this young journal will attract young authors wishing to contribute to the success of this initiative, although I am aware that it requires much more active participation by the international academic community. Many scientists in the measurement field have shared and supported this project by joining the journal's scientific committee, forming a selected pool of reviewers for the incoming contributions; this is a promising start. I hope you will find the journal interesting and will actively contribute to its development.