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Abstract

In this paper, we introduce and study new type of separation axioms namely \hat{g}^* - R_0 and \hat{g}^* - R_1 spaces using \hat{g}^* -open sets in topological spaces. Several properties and characterizations are provided.

Keywords: \hat{g}^* -open sets, \hat{g}^* - R_0 space and \hat{g}^* - R_1 space.

1. Introduction

The notion of semi-open sets which was introduced by N. Levine in 1963 [3] is one of the well-known notion of generalized open sets. Several types of generalized closed sets were introduced such as \hat{g} -closed sets [9] which was introduced by M.K.R.S. Veera Kumar in 2001. The \hat{g}^* -closed set [8] in Topological spaces was introduced by M. Pauline Mary Helen and A. Gayathiri. In this paper, \hat{g}^* - R_0 and \hat{g}^* - R_1 are introduced via \hat{g}^* -open sets and some of its basic properties are discussed.

2. Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, X and Y denote the topological spaces (X, τ) and (Y, σ) respectively and on which no separation axioms are assumed unless otherwise explicitly stated. Let A be a subset of the space X . The interior and closure of a set A in X are denoted by $\text{int}(A)$ and $\text{cl}(A)$ respectively. The complement of A is denoted by $(X-A)$ or A^c . In this section, let us recall some definitions and results which are useful in the sequel.

Definition 2.1.

A subset A of a space X is called *semi-open* if $A \subseteq \text{cl}(\text{int}(A))$. [3]

Definition 2.2.

A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is called a *\hat{g} -closed set* (briefly *\hat{g} -closed*) [9] if $\text{cl}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is semi-open in X . The complement of \hat{g} -closed set is called *\hat{g} -open*.

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Abstract

The aim of this paper is to introduce the notions of g^* - T_0 , g^* - T_1 and g^* - T_2 spaces via g^* -open sets in generalized topological spaces. Also, we characterize such spaces and discuss their properties.

Keywords: g^* -open sets, g^* - T_0 space, g^* - T_1 space and g^* - T_2 space.

1.Introduction

The notion of semi-open sets which was introduced by N.Levine in 1963 [1] is one of the well-known notion of generalized open sets. The concept of T_i -spaces ($i=0,1&2$) was defined by Willard in 1970 [5]. Several types of generalized closed sets were introduced such as g -closed sets [4] which was introduced by M.K.R.S. VeeraKumar in 2001. The g^* -closed set in Topological spaces [2] was introduced by M.Pauline Mary Helen and A. Gayathiri. In the present paper, g^* -separation axioms are introduced via g^* -open sets and some of its basic properties are discussed.

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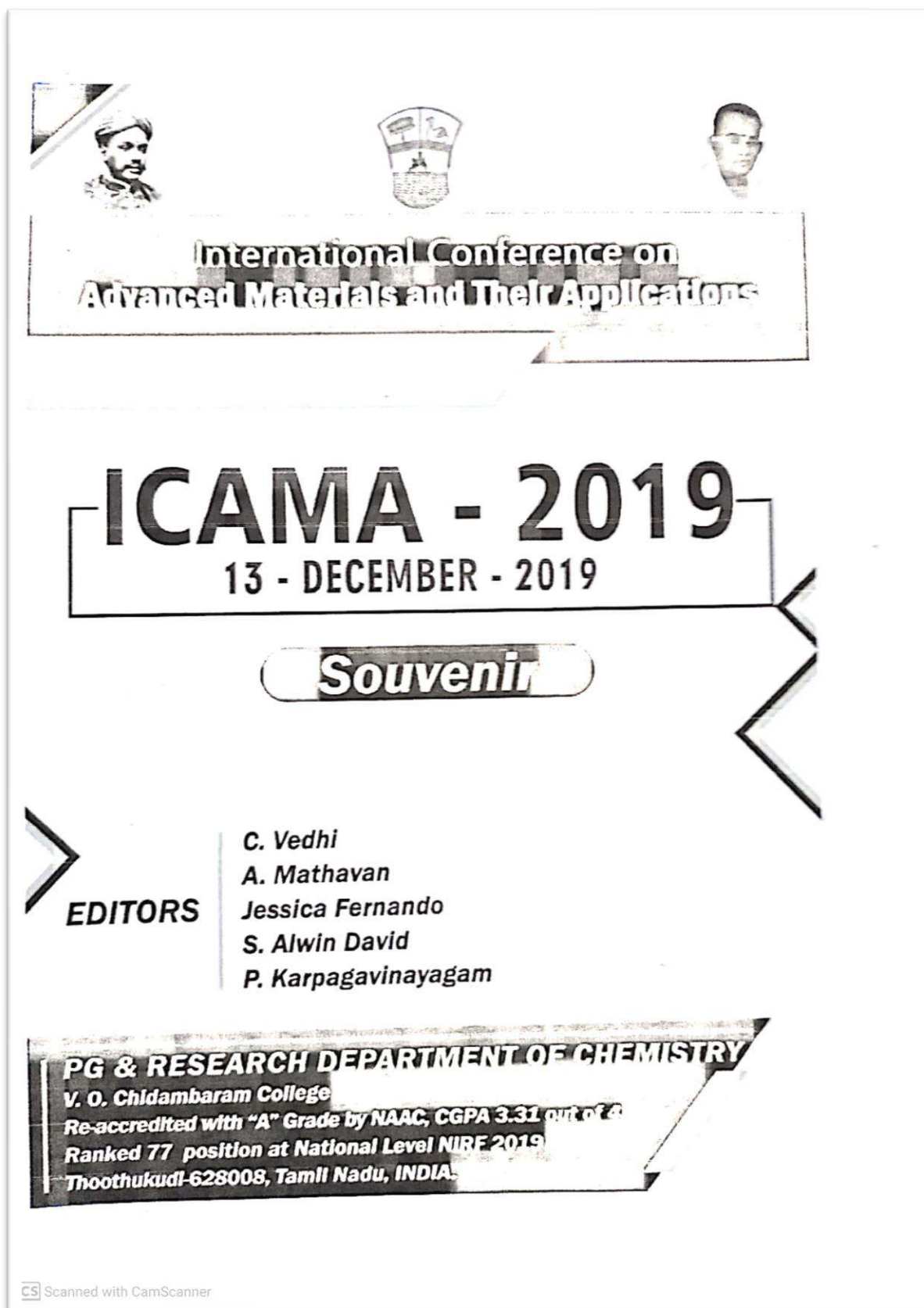
A topological space X is said to be T_0 space [1] if for every pair of distinct points x and y of X , there exists a open set G such that $x \in G$ and $y \notin G$ or $y \in G$ and $x \notin G$.

Definition 2.3

A space X is said to be T_1 space [1] if for every pair of distinct points x and y in X , there exist open sets U and V such that $x \in U$ but $y \notin U$ and $y \in V$ but $x \notin V$.

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Abstract

Nano structured metal oxides received considerable research attention due to their unique properties that can be used for designing advanced nanodevices. Thus, in the present study, Tungsten oxide/graphene oxide (WO₃/GO) nanocomposite was synthesized, characterized and implemented in an electrochemical system. Graphene oxide was synthesized by Hummer's method. WO₃ doped Graphene oxide nanocomposite were also successfully synthesized using sodium tungstate as the source of Tungsten. The crystalline structure and optical properties of WO₃ doped GO nanocomposite were characterized by UV-VIS spectroscopy, IR spectroscopy, X-ray diffraction (XRD) studies, Field Emission Scanning Electron Microscope (FESEM) with EDAX spectroscopy. The XRD spectrum showed diffraction peaks corresponding to the crystal planes of crystalline Tungsten oxide. Using Debye scherrer formula, the size of the undoped and Tungsten oxide doped Graphene oxide nanocomposite were also calculated. The morphological studies of the nanocomposite revealed crystal like morphology. The energy dispersive analysis confirmed the presence of Carbon, Tungsten and oxygen in the doped WO₃ /GO lattice. Cyclic voltammetric behaviour showed better electrochemical response with the doped sample when compared with the undoped sample.

Keywords: Graphene Oxide, WO₃, Cyclic Voltammetry, nanoparticles.

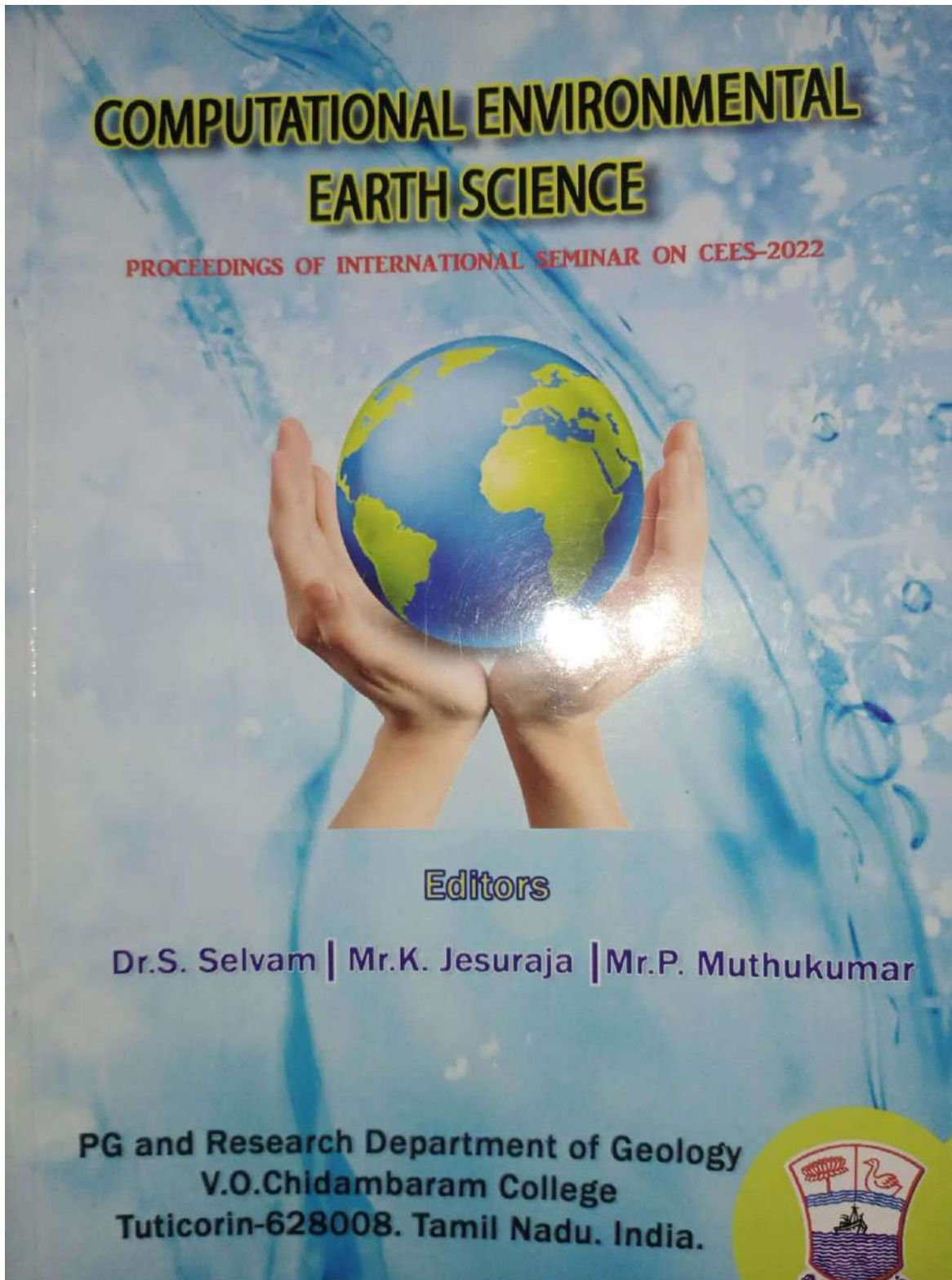
Introduction

Nanotechnology is a rapidly growing area of importance and interest, incorporating a wide range of research fields. It deals with materials or structures in nanometer scale, typically ranging from sub nanometers to several hundred nanometers.[1]Metal oxide semiconductors with reasonable energy gaps illustrate lower light-harvesting ability in visible light.[2] Graphene is a new generation of carbon allotropes with two-dimensional single-layer of carbon sheets and a

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ASSESSMENT OF FLUORIDE CONTENT IN DIFFERENT WATER, SOIL, MILK AND TOOTHPASTES

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A. Introduction

Fluoride is one of among chemicals that have been shown to cause significant effects in people through drinking water [1]. At its low concentration in drinking water, fluoride has beneficial effects on teeth development, but excessive exposure (greater than the WHO guideline value of 1.5 mg/l), can give rise to a number of adverse effects [2-4]. Fluoride content in water depends not only on the geochemical background and climate-biological factor such as hydrological condition, land-form, rainfall, and evaporation, but also on the adsorption and leaching of fluoride in soil. The adsorption-leaching process directly affects fluoride migration and exchange from soil to water. Studies on adsorption or desorption of fluoride have shown that the nature of soil or rock relates to the release of fluoride from soils and rocks [5-13]. All the vegetation contains some amount of fluoride, which is absorbed from the soil and water [14].

B. Materials and Methods:

a) Laboratory analysis:
The fluoride estimation was carried out at R & D Analytical Laboratory, with the help of Mr. P.Murugesan, Scientific Officer, Heavy Water Plant, and Thoothukudi. The fluoride estimation was carried out in following steps:
Method of Fluoride Estimation of different samples


b) Method of Fluoride Estimation:
Fluoride was determined in the different samples extracts by using Ion Selective Electrode (Orion 9609BNWP). Before estimating fluoride content in the samples extract the instrument was standardized by fluoride standards containing TISAB III. The electrode reading was standardized by using pre prepared 1ppm, 5ppm and 10ppm solutions.
Fluoride Estimation of Different Samples:

Fluoride estimation in 5ml of each sample extract is measured in a plastic beaker and 1ml of TISAB buffer solution was added to it and the sample was stirred out by Ion Selective Electrode (Orion 9609BNWP) and after each sample fluoride estimation the electrode is to be washed with deionised water and dried properly [15].

Result and Discussion

Drinking Water


The fluoride content of various drinking water from 0.05 to 0.12 mg/l. Therefore, the fluoride content of water in vilathikulam were higher than the fluoride content of other water. Table 1 shows the fluoride levels of drinking water collected from different areas. Fig:1 shows that the fluoride content of different water samples. The use of fluoride containing water for irrigation for crops that tend to accumulate fluoride should be reduced as much as possible in order to reduce the risk of human exposure to fluoride. However, in areas where only fluoride contaminated irrigation water is available then it is not possible to grow crops with relatively low capabilities to absorb fluoride or crops having high fluoride levels can be transported for consumption in those regions which are having deficient levels of fluoride in drinking water. [16]




S.NO	Samples area(Water)	Concentration of fluoride in mg/l
1	Kovilpatti	0.05
2	Santankulam	0.10
3	Ottapidaram	0.17
4	Srivaikundam	0.04
5	Vilathikulam	0.12

Figure 1 Fluoride concentration in the different drinking water

Table 1 Fluoride levels found in drinking water samples



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GREEN SYNTHESIS OF CERIUM DOPED NICKEL OXIDE NANOPARTICLES USING ALTERNANTHERA SESSILIS LEAVES FOR THE DEGRADATION OF SUDAN BLUE DYE: AN ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIAL APPROACH

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Abstract

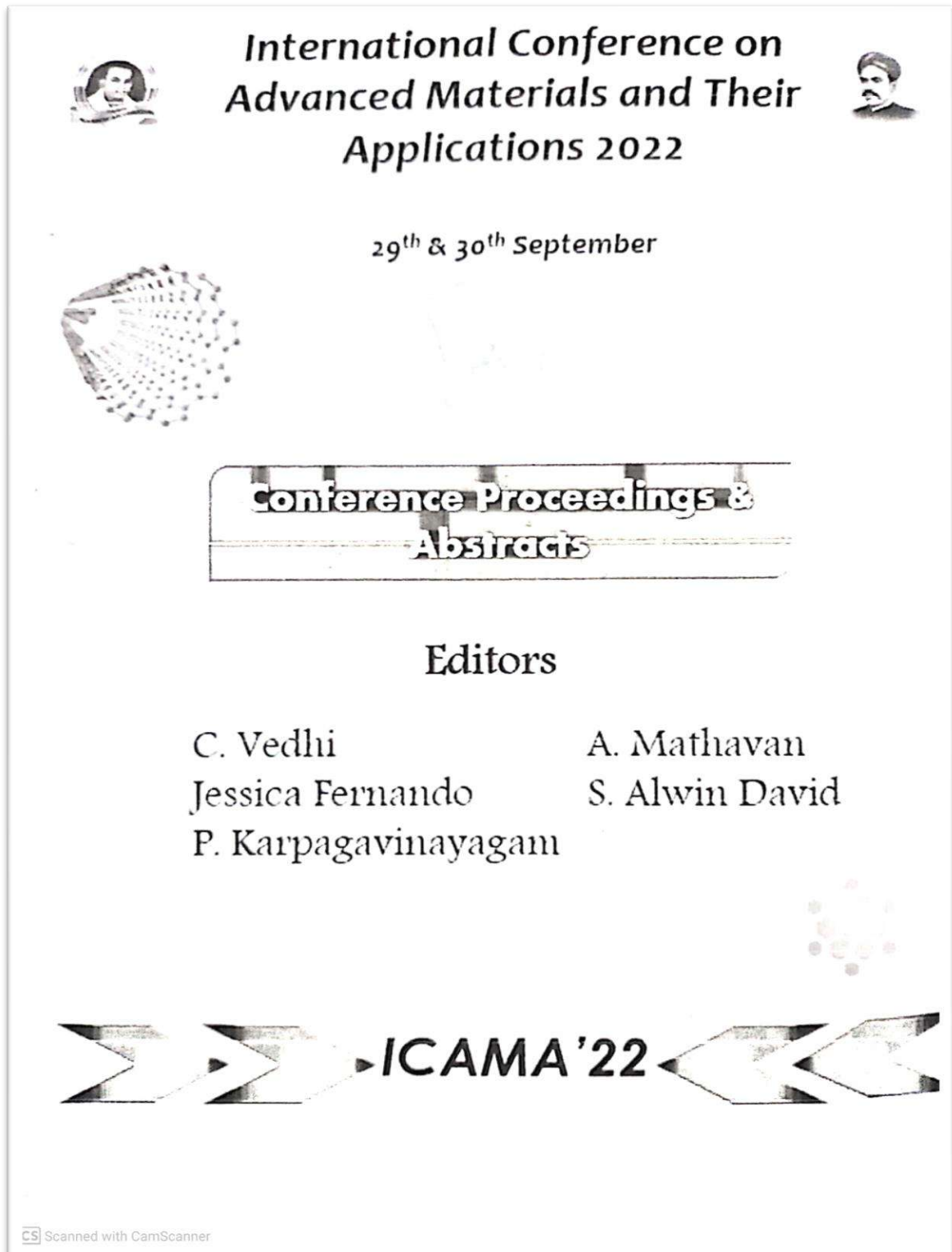
The goal of this work is to synthesize Ce ion-doped NiO nanoparticles using *Alternanthera sessilis* leaf extract and investigate their outstanding properties in order to identify their diverse photodegradation application capabilities. In this study, undoped and doped nanoparticles were synthesised using *Alternanthera sessilis* leaf extract using the green synthesis method. Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEM) with EDAX, X-ray Diffraction Spectroscopy (XRD), and Atomic Force Spectroscopy (AFS) were used to characterize the prepared nanoparticles (AFM). XRD has been used to determine the structural properties of nanoparticle crystallite sizes. The SEM images revealed that the samples were crystalline. EDAX analysis detected elemental compositions. The degradation of Sudan dye under visible light irradiation was used to assess photocatalytic performance. Sudan blue dye degradation efficiency was 60.10% for Ce ion-doped NiO nanoparticles and 24.05% for undoped NiO nanoparticles. The results showed that Ce ion-deposited on the surface of NiO nanoparticles has a higher degradation efficiency than undoped NiO nanoparticles for Sudan blue dye colour removal. The antibacterial activity of undoped and doped nanoparticles against gramme-positive and gramme-negative bacteria has been investigated. This medicinal plant is used to treat hepatitis, bronchitis, tight chest, lung diseases and anti-cancer, anti-ulcer, anti-oxidant, anti-malarial, anti-diarrheal, anti-fungal, anti-microbial, anti-inflammatory anti-bacterial and anti-malarial activities.

Keywords: SEM, EDAX, AFM, Photocatalytic Degradation, Sudan Blue Dye, *Alternanthera Sessilis* leaf

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*Corresponding author: muthu.rajaram@gmail.com**Abstract**

The capacitance of carbon-based metal oxide nanocomposite was investigated in this study using a chemical synthesis method to create $rGO/MnO_2@CeO_2$ nanocomposite. These prepared nanocomposites are characterised using Fourier transform infrared (FTIR) spectroscopy, XRD, and Field Emission Scanning Electron Microscope (FESEM) with EDAX spectroscopy. Using Debye Scherrer's formula, the size of the $GO/MnO_2@CeO_2$ nanocomposite were also calculated. The morphological studies of the nanocomposite revealed crystal like morphology. Cyclic voltammetric behaviour showed better electrochemical response with the nanocomposite. In this review, the current state of graphene-based metal oxide nanocomposite, include their synthesis and properties. Much emphasis has been placed on their diverse range of applications in fields such as electronics, electrochemistry, and electrical engineering.

Keywords: rGO, Electrochemical supercapacitor, Nanocomposite, FESEM, Cyclic Voltammetry

Introduction

Graphene is a two-dimensional material, one of the allotropes of carbon, and has a hexagonal structure of carbon atoms. Graphene has unique and remarkable properties, so its use has been extensively investigated for catalysis, including electrocatalysis, photocatalysis, and conventional heterogeneous catalysis [1]. In this work, we report the synthesis of nanostructured composites, consisting of manganese and cerium oxide anchored on rGO, by the one-step chemical synthesis method. The prepared sample are investigated by FTIR, XRD, Field Emission Scanning Electron Microscope (FESEM) with EDAX spectroscopy and PL spectroscopy. The electrochemical properties of these materials are evaluated by cyclic voltammetry.

Synthesis of $rGO/MnO_2@CeO_2$ nanocomposite

A modified Hummer's method was used to create graphene oxide (GO). In-situ reduction co-precipitation was used to create a binary $rGO/MnO_2@CeO_2$ nanocomposite.

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