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20 Years

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Few of best Published Papers in Journals

- Study of substitution limit, structural, bulk magnetic and electrical properties of Ca⁺ substituted magnesium ferrite, SD Chhaya, MP Pandya, MC Chhantbar, KB Modi, GJ Baldha, HH Joshi, Journal of Alloys and Compounds, 377 (1), 155-161(1997)
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- Localized canting of spins structure in the spinel oxide system: Zn_zTi_zFe_{2-x-z}Cr_{x-z}CoO₄, KH Jani, KB Modi, HH Joshi, PD Babu, SK Paranjpe, Journal of Magnetism and Magnetic Materials, 280 (2), 334-345(2004)
- Cluster spin-glass-like ordering in Zn₂CoTi₂Fe_{2-x-z}Cr_{x-z}O₄, KB Modi, HH Joshi, P Kossacki, KV Rao, RG Kulkarni, Journal of Materials Science Letters, 14 (23), 1677-1680 (1995)
- Effect of mechanical milling induced strain and particle size reduction on some physical properties of polycrystalline yttrium iron garnet, KB Modi, SN Dolia, PU Sharma, Indian Journal of Physics, 89 (5), 425-436 (2015)
- 10. Raman and mossbauer spectroscopy and x-ray diffractometry studies on quenched copper-ferri-aluminates, Kunal B Modi, Pooja Y Raval, Suraj J Shah, Chetan R Kathad, Sonal V Dulera, Mansi V Popat, Kiritsinh B Zankat, Kiran G Saija, Tushar K Pathak, Nimish H Vasoya, Vinay K Lakhani, Usha Chandra, Prafulla K Jha, Inorganic Chemistry, 54 (4), 1543-1555 (2015)
- Lattice Energy Determination for Polycrystalline Oxide Ceramics and Single-Crystalline Counterparts, KB Modi, Journal of Superconductivity and Novel Magnetism 29 (9), 2287-2297 (2016)
- Intriguing structural and magnetic properties correlation study on Fe³⁺-substituted calcium-copper-titanate,
 P.R.Pansara, P.Y.Raval, N.H.Vasoya, S.N.Dolia and K.B.Modi, Physical Chemstry Chemical Physics,
 20(3) 1914 (2018).
- Effect of thermal history on structural, microstructural properties and *J E* characteristics of CaCu₃Ti₄O₁₂ polycrystalline ceramic, P.Y. Raval, A.R. Makadiya, P.R. Pansara, P.U. Sharma, N.H. Vasoya, J.A. Bhalodia, Sudhish Kumar, S.N.Dolia and K.B. Modi, Materials Chemistry and Physics, 212, 343 (2018).

Book Published: 1 (Computational Physics) under UGC unassigned grant scheme (2007)

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- 1 Shri N. M. Patel research award for best research paper in the subject of Materials Science and Nano Technology for the year 2006-2007.
- 2 Nominated for 'Young achiever Award' by Department of Atomic Energy Solid State Physics Symposium Mumbai – 2005.
- 3 One of the figures from our article: Physica Scripta 88(2013) 025712, has been printed as the cover image of the journal
- 4 International Center for diffraction data, USA, has placed our x-ray powder diffraction data in library data file.
- 5 Hari-ohm ashram prerit Shri Bhaikaka Inter University Smark trust awarded a prize for best paper of the year 1995-1996, in the field of materials Science.
- 7 XIVth Gujarat Science Congress, Palitana, Gujarat, October 10-11, 1998 Awarded IIIrd Prize for best paper presentation.
- 8 IXth Gujarat Science Congress, Surat, Gujarat, April 9-10, 1994 Awarded IInd Prize for best paper presentation.
- 9 I have received felicitation Shield for the contribution in the field of Science and Technology from Shri O. V. Sheth, Regional Community Science Centre, Rajkot (January 1999)
- 10 Professor Dolarrai Mankad award for excellence in research (2009 2010) by IQAC, Saurashtra University, Rajkot.