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Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Guido Kickelbick

Aims

Solids (ISSN 2673-6497) is an international, multidisciplinary, peer-reviewed, and scientific open-access, open-source journal that encourages authors to submit high-quality papers in all areas of solid-state sciences. We accept reviews, regular research papers and communications reflecting the latest developments in the field.

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