

Handbook Of Plastics Joining A Practical Guide

Handbook of Plastics, Elastomers, and Composite, 4th Edition, places state-of-the-art information on plastics, elastomers, and composites at your fingertips. The revised and updated edition presents all of the fundamental information required to understand the large number of materials and material forms, and provides the necessary data and guidelines for optimal use of these materials and forms in the broad range of industrial products, ensuring the highest performance from materials. Thoroughly revised, this new edition features the latest advance in properties of plastics, elastomers, and composites while providing practical examples throughout. Thermosets, plastics in coatings and finishes, thermoplastics and plastics in packaging are covered.

Fluoroplastics, Volume 2: Melt Processible Fluoropolymers - The Definitive User's Guide and Data Book compiles the working knowledge of the polymer chemistry and physics of melt processible fluoropolymers with detailed descriptions of commercial processing methods, material properties, fabrication and handling information, technologies, and applications, also including history, market statistics, and safety and recycling aspects. Both volumes of Fluoroplastics contain a large amount of specific property data useful for users to readily compare different materials and align material structure with end use applications. Volume Two concentrates on melt-processible fluoropolymers used across a broad range of industries, including automotive, aerospace, electronic, food, beverage, oil/gas, and medical devices. This new edition is a thoroughly updated and significantly expanded revision covering new technologies and applications, and addressing the changes that have taken place in the fluoropolymer markets. Exceptionally broad and comprehensive coverage of melt processible fluoropolymers processing and applications Provides a practical approach, written by long-standing authorities in the fluoropolymers industry Thoroughly updated and significantly expanded revision covering new technologies and applications, and addressing the changes that have taken place in the fluoropolymer markets

This is the second of a two volume series of books about fluoroplastics. Volume 1 covers the non-melt processible homopolymers, requiring non-traditional processing techniques. Volume 2 is devoted to the melt-processible fluoropolymers, their polymerization and fabrication techniques including injection molding, wire, tube, and film extrusion, rotational molding, blow molding, compression molding, and transfer molding. Both a source of data and a reference, the properties, characteristics, applications, safety, disposal, and recycling of melt-processible fluoropolymers are comprehensively detailed for immediate use by today's practicing engineering and scientists in the plastics industry. Students will benefit from the book's arrangement and extensive references.

The third edition of this comprehensive handbook emphasizes the relationship between the assembly methods, the materials, and the plastics manufacturing processes, thus enabling the reader to identify the best design/assembly method for a given application. The book has been completely updated and a new chapter on laser welding of plastics was added. All principal fastening and joining methods used to assemble plastic parts today are described with their particular advantages and disadvantages. Assembly method limitations for a given material and/or a given molding process are discussed in great detail. This is very much a "how-to" book, offering a wealth of hard-to-find detailed information. Contents: - Rapid Guidelines for Assembly of Plastics and Efficient Use of the Handbook - Designing for Efficient Assembly - Cost Reduction in Assembly - Design for Disassembly and Recycling - Assembly Method Selection by Material - Assembly Method Selection by Process - Adhesive and Solvent Joining - Fasteners and Inserts - Hinges - Hot Plates/Hot Die/Fusion and Hot Wire/Resistance Welding - Hot Gas Welding - Induction/Electromagnetic Welding - Insert and Multi-Part Welding - Press Fits/Force Fits/Interference Fits/Shrink Fits - Snap Fits - Spin Welding -

Staking/Swaging/Peening/Cold Heading/Cold Forming - Threads: Tapped and Molded-In - Ultrasonic Welding - Vibration Welding - Laser Welding

Applied Plastics Engineering Handbook: Processing, Materials, and Applications, Second Edition, covers both the polymer basics that are helpful to bring readers quickly up-to-speed if they are not familiar with a particular area of plastics processing and the recent developments that enable practitioners to discover which options best fit their requirements. New chapters added specifically cover polyamides, polyimides, and polyesters. Hot topics such as 3-D printing and smart plastics are also included, giving plastics engineers the information they need to take these embryonic technologies and deploy them in their own work. With the increasing demands for lightness and fuel economy in the automotive industry (not least due to CAFÉ standards), plastics will soon be used even further in vehicles. A new chapter has been added to cover the technology trends in this area, and the book has been substantially updated to reflect advancements in technology, regulations, and the commercialization of plastics in various areas. Recycling of plastics has been thoroughly revised to reflect ongoing developments in sustainability of plastics. Extrusion processing is constantly progressing, as have the elastomeric materials, fillers, and additives which are available. Throughout the book, the focus is on the engineering aspects of producing and using plastics. The properties of plastics are explained, along with techniques for testing, measuring, enhancing, and analyzing them. Practical introductions to both core topics and new developments make this work equally valuable for newly qualified plastics engineers seeking the practical rules-of-thumb they don't teach you in school and experienced practitioners evaluating new technologies or getting up-to-speed in a new field. Presents an authoritative source of practical advice for engineers, providing guidance from experts that will lead to cost savings and process improvements. Ideal introduction for both new engineers and experienced practitioners entering a new field or evaluating a new technology. Updated to include the latest technology, including 3D Printing, smart polymers, and thorough coverage of biopolymers and biodegradable plastics. Handbook of Adhesives and Surface Preparation provides a thoroughly practical survey of all aspects of adhesives technology from selection and surface preparation to industrial applications and health and environmental factors. The resulting handbook is a hard-working reference for a wide range of engineers and technicians working in the adhesives industry and a variety of industry sectors that make considerable use of adhesives. Particular attention is given to adhesives applications in the automotive, aerospace, medical, dental and electronics sectors. A handbook that truly focuses on the applied aspects of adhesives selection and applications: this is a book that won't gather dust on the shelf. Provides practical techniques for rendering materials surfaces adherable. Sector-based studies explore the specific issues for automotive and aerospace, medical, dental and electronics. Annotation. Many books and papers have been published on adhesion of materials in general but the topics covered by this book have been selected to cover a wide range of interests, both in terms of products and applications. Although there is some discussion of relevant theory in various sections of d104, the emphasis in this volume has been to concentrate on the practicalities of bonding of rubbers, to themselves and substrates. It is considered that this type of information is of immediate interest to the practising technologist dealing with shop floor problems on a daily basis.

A hands-on guide to choosing and using old and new technologies for joining plastics and elastomers. Includes detailed discussions of over 25 techniques used to join plastics to themselves and to other materials. Advantages and disadvantages of each technique along with detailed discussions of applications are presented. A second section is organized by material and provides details of using different processes with over 50 generic families of plastics and how

different techniques and operating parameters affect weld strength and other criteria. This book is an excellent reference and an invaluable resource for novice and expert alike in determining the best joining technique for their application and providing guidance in how to design and prepare for production.

Im Laufe seiner Geschichte hat sich "Der Elias" zum Markenzeichen entwickelt. Die wissenschaftliche Genauigkeit und die Vollständigkeit sind nur zwei von vielen Merkmalen, mit denen sich die "Makromoleküle" ihren Platz in der Fachwelt erobert haben. Der vorliegende vierte Band schließt dieses einmalige Werk über Makromoleküle und Makromolekulare Chemie ab. Er ist den Anwendungen gewidmet, die so vielfältig sind, wie die Werkstoffe, die aus Makromolekülen bestehen: Kunststoffe, Fasern, Elastomere, Packmittel, Überzüge, Klebstoffe, gelöste Polymere, um nur eine kleine Auswahl zu nennen. Wie die Bände 1 bis 3 kann auch der vorliegende Band 4 alleine eingesetzt werden: Wichtige Grundlagen werden verständlich abgeleitet, zu große Überschneidungen mit früheren Bänden aber vermieden. Polymerchemiker und Kunststofftechnologien können es sich nicht leisten, ohne "den Elias" zu arbeiten! Updated throughout to reflect advances over the last decade, the Fifth Edition continues the handbook's tradition of authoritative coverage of fundamentals, production methods, properties, and applications of plastics and polymer-based materials. It covers tooling for plastics fabrication processes, thermoplastics, thermosetting plastics, foamed plastics, reinforced plastics, plastisols, and new developments in mold design. It also discusses rubber compounding and processing technologies. More recent developments in polymer fabrication and processing, including electrospinning, electrografted coating, polymer-metal hybrid joining, flex printing, and rapid prototyping/ 3D printing, are also presented. The handbook highlights advanced materials including natural and synthetic gfnanosize polymers, their unusual properties, and innovative applications, as well as polymer-carbon nanocomposites, graphene-based polymer nanocomposites, smart healable polymer composites, smart polymer coatings, electroactive polymers, polymer nanomaterials, and novel nano-/microfibrillar polymer composites. It offers updates on polymer solar battery development, plastics recycling and disposal methods, new concepts of "upcycling" and single-polymer composites, renewable synthetic polymers, biodegradable plastics and composites, and toxicity of plastics. The book also provides an overview of new developments in polymer applications in various fields including packaging, building and construction, corrosion prevention and control, automotive, aerospace applications, electrical and electronic applications, agriculture and horticulture, domestic appliances and business machines, medical and biomedical applications, marine and offshore applications, and sports.

Full coverage of electronics, MEMS, and instrumentation and control in mechanical engineering This second volume of Mechanical Engineers' Handbook covers electronics, MEMS, and instrumentation and control, giving you

accessible and in-depth access to the topics you'll encounter in the discipline: computer-aided design, product design for manufacturing and assembly, design optimization, total quality management in mechanical system design, reliability in the mechanical design process for sustainability, life-cycle design, design for remanufacturing processes, signal processing, data acquisition and display systems, and much more. The book provides a quick guide to specialized areas you may encounter in your work, giving you access to the basics of each and pointing you toward trusted resources for further reading, if needed. The accessible information inside offers discussions, examples, and analyses of the topics covered, rather than the straight data, formulas, and calculations you'll find in other handbooks. Presents the most comprehensive coverage of the entire discipline of Mechanical Engineering anywhere in four interrelated books. Offers the option of being purchased as a four-book set or as single books. Comes in a subscription format through the Wiley Online Library and in electronic and custom formats. Engineers at all levels will find *Mechanical Engineers' Handbook, Volume 2* an excellent resource they can turn to for the basics of electronics, MEMS, and instrumentation and control.

This book offers a systematic overview of polymer joining and highlights the experimental and numerical work currently being pursued to devise possible strategies to overcome the technical issues. It also covers the fundamentals of polymers, the corresponding joining processes and related technologies. A chapter on the extrapolation of finite element analysis (FEA) for forecasting the deformation and temperature distribution during polymer joining is also included. Given its breadth of coverage, the book will be of great interest to researchers, engineers and practitioners whose work involves polymers.

This is a must-have reference for materials scientists and engineers in the automotive, aerospace, chemical, chemical process, and power generation industries. Fluoroelastomers are growing as products of choice for critical components such as O-rings, hoses and seals in hostile fluid and temperature conditions.

Interactions of electromagnetic fields with materials at high frequencies have given rise to a vast array of practical applications in industry, science, medicine, and consumer markets. Applicators or probes, which are the front end of these systems, provide the field that interacts with the material. This book takes an integrated approach to the area of high frequency applicators and probes for material interactions, providing a toolkit for those who design these devices. Particular attention is given to real-world applications and the latest developments in the area. Mathematical methods are provided as design tools, and are often simplified via curve-fitting techniques that are particularly usable by handheld calculators. Useful equations and numerically solved examples, using situations encountered in practice, are supplied. Above all, this volume is a comprehensive and useful reference where the reader can find design rules and principles of high frequency applicators and probes for material processing and

sensing applications. Electronic and electrical R&D engineers, physicists, university professors and students will all find this book a valuable reference. Mehrdad Mehdizadeh is with the DuPont Company, Engineering Research & Technology Division in Wilmington, Delaware. His areas of expertise include high frequency hardware and electromagnetic methods of processing, sensing, and characterization of materials. His work and innovation in industrial, scientific, and medical applications of radio frequency and microwaves has resulted in 19 US patents and a number of publications. He earned his Ph.D. and M.S. from Marquette University (1983, 1980), and a B.S. from Sharif University of Technology (1977), all in electrical engineering. Dr. Mehdizadeh is a Senior Member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE), Sigma Xi (Scientific Research Society), the International Microwave Power Institute (IMPI), and a voting member of IEEE Standard Association. • Books in this area are usually theoretical; this book provides practical information for those who actually intend to design a system • Features real world and numerically solved examples, and curve-fitted simple equations to replace complex equations provided in typical texts • Author is a voting member of IEEE Standards Association

Das Fachbuch ist als Leitfaden für die Anwendung von Kunststoffen in Medizinprodukten konzipiert. Es spricht Mitarbeiterinnen und Mitarbeiter aus allen Unternehmensbereichen der Medizintechnik wie Produkt- und Prozessentwicklung, Produktion, Qualitätsmanagement und Einkauf gleichermaßen an. In anschaulicher und leicht verständlicher Weise werden die unterschiedlichen Themengebiete aufgegriffen und erläutert, die sich aus dem Einsatz von Kunststoffen für diese Anwendung ergeben. Mit einer Darstellung des Marktes und der Erläuterung der regulatorischen Vorgaben für Medizinprodukte führt das Buch in diesen Bereich ein und zeigt die sich daraus ergebenden Anforderungen an Kunststoffe in der Medizintechnik (Medical Grade Plastics) auf. Hierbei werden besonders spezifische Themen wie das Vorgehen zur Beurteilung der Biokompatibilität und die Sterilisation von Kunststoffen angesprochen und erläutert. In einem weiteren Schritt wird die grundsätzliche Vorgehensweise zur Entwicklung und Validierung von Medizinprodukten und den dazugehörigen Prozessen beschrieben. Relevante Prozesse wie das Spritzgießen und die dazugehörigen Ansätze für eine Qualifizierung von Anlagen, Systemen und Werkzeugen sowie die Prozessvalidierung aber auch der richtlinienkonforme Umgang mit Weiterverarbeitungsverfahren, wie Füge-technologien werden angesprochen. Erstmals wird dabei auch die Additive Fertigung im Hinblick auf den Einsatz in der Medizintechnik beleuchtet. Praktische Anwendungsbeispiele und eine Vorstellung der gebräuchlichsten Kunststoffe in Medizinprodukten und deren spezifischen Eigenschaften in diesem Gebiet, wie z. B. Sterilisierbarkeit oder Verarbeitung runden das Werk ab.

Adhesive technologies for bonding composites to multiple materials Information on adhesive formulation, selection, joint configuration Presented in this volume is a detailed scientific analysis of strategies for adhering composite materials to plastics, concrete, metals, and wood, as well as to other composites, using a variety of adhesives. The theory and analysis of composite bonding with adhesives are explained, along with information on adhesive formulation and selection, material preparation, joint geometry and joint design. Attention is given to how different types of adhered composite joints are empirically tested, e.g., for strength and under stress, and how models of joints with adhesives are developed. The book includes an intensive discussion of the uses of adhesives for composite repair. Part two

focuses on applications of adhesive composite bonding in aircraft, automobiles, buildings, ships, railroads and dental restoration.

The primary aim of this volume is to provide researchers and engineers from both academia and industry with up-to-date coverage of recent advances in the fields of robotic welding, intelligent systems and automation. It gathers selected papers from the 2018 International Conference on Robotic Welding, Intelligence and Automation (RWIA 2018), held Oct 20-22, 2018 in Guangzhou, China. The contributions reveal how intelligentized welding manufacturing (IWM) is becoming an inescapable trend, just as intelligentized robotic welding is becoming a key technology. The volume is divided into four main parts: Intelligent Techniques for Robotic Welding, Sensing in Arc Welding Processing, Modeling and Intelligent Control of Welding Processing, and Intelligent Control and its Applications in Engineering.

This book provides a simplified and practical approach to designing with plastics that fundamentally relates to the load, temperature, time, and environment subjected to a product. It will provide the basic behaviors in what to consider when designing plastic products to meet performance and cost requirements. Important aspects are presented such as understanding the advantages of different shapes and how they influence designs. Information is concise, comprehensive, and practical. Review includes designing with plastics based on material and process behaviors. As designing with any materials (plastic, steel, aluminum, wood, etc.) it is important to know their behaviors in order to maximize product performance-to-cost efficiency. Examples of many different designed products are reviewed. They range from toys to medical devices to cars to boats to underwater devices to containers to springs to pipes to buildings to aircraft to space craft. The reader's product to be designed can directly or indirectly be related to product design reviews in the book. Important are behaviors associated and interrelated with plastic materials (thermoplastics, thermosets, elastomers, reinforced plastics, etc.) and fabricating processes (extrusion, injection molding, blow molding, forming, foaming, rotational molding, etc.). They are presented so that the technical or non-technical reader can readily understand the interrelationships.

Auch die 31. Auflage des Kunststoff-Taschenbuchs bietet dem Leser wieder - kompakt und kompetent aufbereitet - das gesamte aktuelle Wissen um den Werkstoff Kunststoff, seine Eigenschaften, seine Verarbeitung und seine Anwendung. Dieser Bestseller der deutschsprachigen Kunststoffliteratur erschließt dem Praktiker wie dem Neueinsteiger den aktuellen Stand der Kunststofftechnik mit allen relevanten Neuentwicklungen. Die neue Ausgabe bietet ein gewohnt umfassendes und zuverlässiges Nachschlagewerk, das dem Benutzer Zusammenhänge erläutert, Fachfragen beantwortet und als Ratgeber tägliche Hilfestellung leisten kann. Zum ersten Mal in Farbe! Mit dem Kauf des Werks hat der Leser zudem kostenlosen Zugriff auf das E-Book. Inhalt: Kurzzeichen der Kunststofftechnik Aufbau der Kunststoffe Eigenschaften und Prüfverfahren Kunststoffverarbeitung Werkstoff- und verarbeitungsgerechte Konstruktion Beschreibung der Kunststoffe Additive, Füllstoffe und Fasern Kunststoffe im Vergleich

The Handbook of Fluorinated Coatings and Finishes: The Definitive User's Guide is both a reference and a tutorial for understanding fluoropolymer coatings. It discusses the basics of fluorocoating formulations, including ingredients and production processes. Also covered are the coating and curing processes, and defects and trouble-shooting solutions when things do not work as expected, testing performance, and sample commercial applications. It addresses important questions frequently posed by end-user design engineers, coaters, and coatings suppliers in their quest for superior product qualities and shorter product and process development time.

Handbook of Thermoplastic Elastomers, Second Edition presents a comprehensive working knowledge of thermoplastic elastomers (TPEs), providing an essential introduction for those learning the basics, but also detailed engineering data and best practice guidance for those

already involved in polymerization, processing, and part manufacture. TPEs use short, cost-effective production cycles, with reduced energy consumption compared to other polymers, and are used in a range of industries including automotive, medical, construction and many more. This handbook provides all the practical information engineers need to successfully utilize this material group in their products, as well as the required knowledge to thoroughly ground themselves in the fundamental chemistry of TPEs. The data tables included in this book assist engineers and scientists in both selecting and processing the materials for a given product or application. In the second edition of this handbook, all chapters have been reviewed and updated. New polymers and applications have been added — particularly in the growing automotive and medical fields — and changes in chemistry and processing technology are covered. Provides essential knowledge of the chemistry, processing, properties, and applications for both new and established technical professionals in any industry utilizing TPEs Datasheets provide "at-a-glance" processing and technical information for a wide range of commercial TPEs and compounds, saving readers the need to contact suppliers Includes data on additional materials and applications, particularly in automotive and medical industries Manufacturing with plastics often involves a bonding step from packaging, electronic and medical devices to large scale automotive, aerospace and construction projects. This is a continually developing field and experts at this Second International Conference on Joining Plastics debated the best methods and options for different applications. Sponsored by The National Physical Laboratory, TWI Limited and Faraday Plastics this conference was an excellent opportunity for plastics manufacturers, design engineers and product developers to talk to experts in the field and discuss the latest developments in Joining Plastics.

Since their first industrial use polymers have gained a tremendous success. The two volumes of "Polymers - Opportunities and Risks" elaborate on both their potentials and on the impact on the environment arising from their production and applications. Volume 11 "Polymers - Opportunities and Risks I: General and Environmental Aspects" is dedicated to the basics of the engineering of polymers – always with a view to possible environmental implications. Topics include: materials, processing, designing, surfaces, the utilization phase, recycling, and depositing. Volume 12 "Polymers - Opportunities and Risks II: Sustainability, Product Design and Processing" highlights raw materials and renewable polymers, sustainability, additives for manufacture and processing, melt modification, biodegradation, adhesive technologies, and solar applications. All contributions were written by leading experts with substantial practical experience in their fields. They are an invaluable source of information not only for scientists, but also for environmental managers and decision makers.

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Joining Technologies for Composites and Dissimilar Materials, Volume 10 of the Proceedings of the 2016 SEM Annual Conference & Exposition on Experimental and Applied Mechanics, the tenth volume of ten from the Conference, brings together contributions to this important area of research and engineering. The collection presents early findings and case studies on a wide range of areas, including: Composite Joints Non-Adhesive Bonding Adhesive Bonding Joining of

Ceramic & Other Materials

Provides reference information concerning the injection molding operation and each of its aspects. It examines considerable technological advancements, especially those in computer methods, that have been made since the second edition was published.

While the prevalence of plastics and elastomers in medical devices is now quite well known, there is less information available covering the use of medical devices and the applications of polymers beyond medical devices, such as in hydrogels, biopolymers and silicones beyond enhancement applications, and few books in which these are combined into a single reference. This book is a comprehensive reference source, bringing together a number of key medical polymer topics in one place for a broad audience of engineers and scientists, especially those currently developing new medical devices or seeking more information about current and future applications. In addition to a broad range of applications, the book also covers clinical outcomes and complications arising from the use of the polymers in the body, giving engineers a vital insight into the real world implications of the devices they're creating. Regulatory issues are also covered in detail. The book also presents the latest developments on the use of polymers in medicine and development of nano-scale devices. Gathers discussions of a large number of applications of polymers in medicine in one place Provides an insight into both the legal and clinical implications of device design Relevant to industry, academic and medical professionals Presents the latest developments in the field, including medical devices on a nano-scale Dieses anwendungsorientierte Fachbuch beschreibt den Bau eines Spritzgießwerkzeugs von Grund auf: - Erklärungen der einzelnen Werkzeugarten, Bauteile und Fachbegriffe - Vorgehen beim Konstruieren - Techniken, Tipps und Tricks beim Bau eines Spritzgießwerkzeugs - Vor- und Nachteile verschiedener Lösungsansätze An einem speziell für dieses Buch entwickeltem Kunststoffteil („Dose mit Deckel“) wird durch leicht verständlichen Text sowie viele anschauliche Bilder und Zeichnungen das nötige Wissen für die praktische Umsetzung erläutert. Das Kunststoffteil wird Schritt für Schritt verändert und erweitert. Die Technologien und Ausführungen, die dazu an einem Spritzgießwerkzeug notwendig sind, werden durch Konstruktionszeichnungen beschrieben. Die Wartung und Reparatur und die wesentlichen Fertigungstechniken werden zudem besprochen. Nach dem großem Erfolg der beiden vorherigen Auflagen liegt das Buch nun in dritter Auflage vor. Es wurde durchgehend aktualisiert und insbesondere das Kapitel 3 "Simulation" wurde überarbeitet.

Advanced Joining Processes: Welding, Plastic Deformation, and Adhesion brings together a range of advanced thermal, mechanical, and chemical methods of joining, offering an up-to-date resource for those looking to understand and utilize the very latest techniques. Efficient joining techniques are critical to a range of innovative applications, with technology in constant development. The first section of the book provides in-depth information on advanced welding techniques, including friction stir, explosive, ultrasonic, laser, electron beam, and

computational weld analysis and fatigue of structures. The second section highlights key developments in joining by plastic deformation, adhesive bonding, and hybrid joining. The coverage of each technique is supported by practical guidance, detailed analysis, and finite element simulations. This is an essential reference for researchers and advanced students in joining, welding, adhesion, materials processing, mechanical engineering, plastics engineering, manufacturing, civil engineering, and automotive/aerospace engineering, as well as engineers, scientists, and R&D professionals, using joining, welding, and adhesion methods, across a range of industries. Presents the latest research findings and developments across welding, joining by plastic deformation, and adhesion Includes state-of-the-art methods, such as laser, ultrasonic and electron beam welding, hybrid joining, and the use of electromagnetic pulses Offers practical guidance, detailed analysis, and finite element simulations, for all techniques covered

The new edition of this bestselling reference provides fully updated and detailed descriptions of plastics joining processes, plus an extensive compilation of data on joining specific materials. The volume is divided into two main parts: processes and materials. The processing section has 18 chapters, each explaining a different joining technique. The materials section has joining information for 25 generic polymer families. Both sections contain data organized according to the joining methods used for that material. * A significant and extensive update from experts at The Welding Institute * A systematic approach to discussing each joining method including: process, advantages and disadvantages, applications, materials, equipment, joint design, and welding parameters * Includes international suppliers' directory and glossary of key joining terms * Includes new techniques such as flash free welding and friction stir welding * Covers thermoplastics, thermosets, elastomers, and rubbers.

Understand, design, and manufacture plastics This resource provides you with the state-of-the-art information for the design, manufacture and application of plastics as well as its cutting-edge usage in nanotechnology. Includes the latest industry specifications and standards Covers the latest recycling methods

Covering a wide range of industrial applications across sectors including medical applications, automotive/aerospace, packaging, electronics, and consumer goods, this book provides a complete guide to the selection of adhesives, methods of use, industrial applications, and the fundamentals of adhesion. Dr Ebnesajjad examines the selection of adhesives and adhesion methods and challenges for all major groups of substrate including plastics (thermosets and thermoplastics), elastomers, metals, ceramics and composite materials. His practical guidance covers joint design and durability, application methods, test methods and troubleshooting techniques. The science and technology of adhesion, and the principles of adhesive bonding are explained in a way that enhances the reader's understanding of the fundamentals that underpin the successful use and design of adhesives. The third edition has been updated throughout to include recent developments in the industry, with new sections covering technological advances such as nanotechnology, micro adhesion systems, and the replacement of toxic chromate technology. Provides practitioners of adhesion technology with a complete guide to bonding materials successfully Covers the whole range of commonly used substrates including plastics, metals, elastomers and ceramics, explaining basic principles and describing common materials and application techniques Introduces the range of commercially available adhesives and the selection process alongside the science and technology of adhesion

Die Erfassung von geometrischen Parametern während des Laserdurchstrahlschweißprozesses (LDS) benötigt eine Messmethode, welche in der Lage ist, tomographische Daten aufnehmen zu können. In der Arbeit wird ein OCT-basiertes Konzept zur In-Prozess-Erfassung von geometrischen Parametern im LDS erarbeitet. Dabei werden die erforderlichen OCT-Systemparameter bestimmt. Es wird eine Messmittelfähigkeitsanalyse

nach VDA 5 vorgenommen. Dann erfolgt die Laserintegration mit Validierungsmessungen. Seit vielen Jahrhunderten weiß der Mensch die Eigenschaften von Werkstoffen, die aus einer Kombination von Fasern und einer Grundsubstanz, der Matrix, bestehen für sich zu nutzen. Diese aus der Kombination entstandenen Faserverbundwerkstoffe erlangten jedoch erst in den 1940er Jahren eine industrielle Relevanz, als Glasfasern großtechnisch hergestellt werden konnten. Heutzutage gibt es eine Vielzahl von Faserverbundwerkstoffen, von denen glasfaserverstärkte Kunststoffe mit einer Epoxidharzmatrix einer der bedeutendsten Vertreter sind. In dieser Dissertation wird ein Einblick in die Herstellung von konventionellen Polyolefinen, wie z.B. Polyethylen, sowie von faserverstärkten Kunststoffen, die diverse Fasermaterialien enthalten können, gegeben. Bei der Herstellung von Bauteilen aus den genannten Halbzeugen spielt die Qualitätssicherung und somit die damit verbundene Messtechnik eine bedeutende Rolle. Hierzu wird ein Überblick über die zurzeit industriell relevanten Messtechniken, die sowohl zerstörend, als auch zerstörungsfrei arbeiten, gegeben. An diesem Punkt kann die zerstörungsfreie und kostengünstige Dauerstrich THz-Messtechnik als bildgebendes Messsystem mit der im Rahmen dieser Arbeit entwickelten Datenauswertung eingesetzt werden. Das hierfür verwendete System nutzt das Prinzip der Photomischung in einem Halbleitermaterial, welches auf der Oberfläche eine metallisierte Antennenstruktur besitzt. Durch Anwendung einer phasenstarr gekoppelten Sender-Empfängerkombination ist eine kohärente Signaldetektion möglich. Mit Hilfe der gewonnenen sinusförmigen Interferogramme, die teilweise nur aus ein bis zwei Perioden bestehen, können die Amplituden- und Phasenwerte jedes Bildpunktes bestimmt werden, aus denen sich Materialparameter wie Brechungsindex und Absorption extrahieren lassen. Weiterführend wird mit dieser Arbeit gezeigt, wie durch die Auswertung des Amplituden- und Phasenverlaufs des Signals auch eine örtliche Bewertung beispielsweise der Güte von Kunststoffschweißverbindungen oder die Detektion von fehlerhaften Zwischenlagen in GFK sowie dem vorliegenden Faservolumengehalt möglich ist. Auch die Unterscheidung von Einschlüssen wie Luft oder Metall in Polyethylen ist anhand der Messsignale möglich. Damit dringt das Dauerstrich THz-Spektrometer in die Anwendungsgebiete der bildgebenden THz-Systeme vor, welche bisher hauptsächlich von kostenintensiven THz-Zeitbereichsspektrometern belegt wurden. Die Leistungsfähigkeit des Messsystems wird anhand von industriell relevanten Bauteilen demonstriert. In einem weiteren Schritt wurde eine neuartige, kostengünstige, schmalbandige und durchstimmbare THz-Quelle entwickelt, die auf der parametrischen Frequenzkonversion, im Speziellen der Differenzfrequenzmischung, in einem optisch nichtlinearen Kristall basiert. Dazu befindet sich der Kristall innerhalb der Kavität eines Vertical External Cavity Surface Emitting Lasers (VECSEL). Eine solche THz-Quelle bietet die Möglichkeit, speziell bei Frequenzen oberhalb einiger hundert GHz, eine Ausgangsleistung des THz-Signals zu erzeugen, die deutlich über der eines Photomischsystems liegt. Das im Rahmen dieser Arbeit aufgebaute Lasersystem besitzt die Eigenschaft zwei Laserfarben gleichzeitig zu emittieren, was unabdingbar für die intrakavitäre THz-Erzeugung ist. Durch weitere Optimierungsschritte der thermischen und optischen Eigenschaften des VECSELs konnte die intrakavitäre optische Leistung so weit verbessert werden, dass durch die Anwendung der parametrischen Differenzfrequenzerzeugung eine Ausgangsleistung der resultierenden THz-Welle bis in den Milliwattbereich gesteigert werden konnte. Die entwickelte, parametrische THz-Quelle stellt eine leistungsstarke, günstige und kompakte Signalquelle für spätere industriell einsetzbare zerstörungsfreie Prüfsysteme dar. Sie bietet speziell bei Frequenzen ab einigen hundert GHz eine leistungsstarke Alternative zu den bestehenden vergleichsweise leistungsschwachen Dauerstrichquellen, die auf dem Prinzip der Photomischung basieren.

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