

# Abstracts

## A Plea for Simplification

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Handbook engineering is becoming more and more common in our laboratories and the distance is increasing between the engineer faced with the practical problem and the professional theoretical man. The widening of the practice-theory gap seems to be universal throughout our industry: our efficiency is reduced and progress made more difficult. The people who are compelled to the steady use of hand-book formulas regret this fact and have an intense thirst for knowledge.

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