

A
Presentation
on

Methodology of writing a review paper

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First two stages of research

1. Defining a research problem
2. Literature review

1. Methods as given in literature
 - Targeted search
 - Names and dates of databases searched
 - Search strategy
 - Keywords and phrases used
2. Practical situation
3. Organizing the **available** literature
 - Alphabetical
 - Year wise
 - Common in approach

Techniques for identifying the relevant papers

- ▶ Graphical Abstract
- ▶ Abstract
- ▶ Conclusions

Technical aspects about style/formatting

- ▶ Fonts
- ▶ Spacing
- ▶ Figures
- ▶ Tables
- ▶ References

Tables

Composition of PCM	Fatty Acids		Fatty Acid esters		Esterification Alcohol
	Melting point in °C	Latent Heat J/g	Melting point in °C	Latent Heat J/g	
50% Palmitic Acid(PA)+45.5% Stearic Acid (SA) +4.5% Others	[8]	54-57	180	24.3-27.6	180 Methyl CH ₃ OH
27.5%PA+65%SA+7.5%Others	[8]	51-56	180	26-29.4	187 Methyl CH ₃ OH
50%PA+45.5%SA+4.5%Others	[8]	54-57	180	21-24.4	152 Propyl
27.5%PA+65%SA+7.5%Others	[8]	51-56	180	23.5-26.1	158 C ₃ H ₇ OH
50%PA+45.5%SA+4.5% Others	[8]	54-57	180	17.2-21.1	143 Butyl
27.5%PA+65%SA +7.5%Others	[8]	51-56	180	20.8-23.7	143 C ₄ H ₉ OH
Lauric acid	[10]	42-44	178	38.5	207.9 Myristil
Myristic acid	[10]	58	187	41.6	210.43 C ₁₄ H ₂₉ OH
Palmitic acid	[11]	64	185	48.03	213.85 Myristil
Stearic acid	[11]	69	202.5	49.58	221.8 C ₁₄ H ₂₉ OH
Myristic acid	[11]	58	187	31.96	154.3 Glycerol C ₃ H ₅ (OH) ₃
Capric acid	[13]	30.1	153	29.38	186.36 Cetyl
Lauric acid	[13]	42-44	178	38.24	195.53 C ₁₆ H ₃₃ OH
Myristic acid	[13]	58	187	49.44	225.23
Palmitic acid	[13]	64	185	51.21	217.44
Lauric acid	[14]	42-44	178	42.21	201.03 Stearyl
Myristic acid	[14]	58	187	48.86	203.53 C ₁₈ H ₃₇ OH

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Numbering system

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2. Belen Zalba Jose Ma Marin, Luisa F. Cabeza, Harald Mehling. Review on thermal energy storage with phase change: materials, heat transfer analysis and applications. *Applied Thermal Engineering* 23 (2003) 251–283

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The recent scenario of global energy consumption indicates that about 27% of total global energy is consumed by buildings [1].

Alphabetical

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The optimized values of these parameters ensure maximum energy savings (A. Felix Regin, Solanki and Saini 2008).

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