

# Special Topic Issue on Borates by Zeitschrift für Kristallographie in autumn 2013

## Content

The purpose of this special issue is to provide a broad overview of the status and perspectives in the field of borates. Submissions are therefore encouraged from all areas of crystallography, chemistry, mineralogy, physics, and materials science.

Contributions can be research reports or reviews of specific aspects of borates. Submissions of papers that are tutorial in nature are strongly encouraged. All papers should be easy accessible to crystallographers and other potential readers.

## Submission and Publication Schedule

The production time for this special issue will be minimized as far as possible. Therefore, the following schedule is given:

March 31, 2013	Latest date for submission
June 30, 2013	Deadline for return of revised versions following review
July 31, 2013	Final acceptance
August 15, 2013	Distribution of proofs
August 31, 2013	Return of the corrected proofs (within a fortnight!)
October 1, 2013	Publication online followed by print version

Authors are encouraged to submit their manuscripts at any time. Authors may be asked to participate in the review process of other manuscripts for the volume.

## What you should know

If you would like to contribute a paper to this special issue on borates, please send an email to [hubert.huppertz@uibk.ac.at](mailto:hubert.huppertz@uibk.ac.at) with a tentative title and/or a short description of the content of your proposed paper. This is especially important if you plan to submit a review paper.

## Submission

Contributions should be submitted at: <http://www.editorialmanager.com/zkristallogr/>  
Please indicate that the manuscript is intended for the special issue by selecting the article type „Borates”.

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