

Preface

The VIIth Fertilizer World Congress was held in Vienna and Baden (Austria) from 15th to 19th of May 1972. It was attended by more than 300 participants from 29 countries. There were 19 mainlectures and 52 short communications. Their high quality justifies the publication of all of them. It is gratefully acknowledged that most of the authors submitted their manuscripts well in time. The delay in the publication was caused by prolonged illnesses. After the congress its final resolution was submitted to all the governments by the CIEC Zürich secretariat.

May the Proceedings of this Congress help to augment the appreciation of the worldwide importance of fertilization.

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