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## EDITORIAL

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With the aim of increasing the visibility and reaching a broader readership of the articles published in the Revista Mexicana de Ingeniería Química (RMIQ), the scientific and technical editors have launched a new and redesigned WEB site ([www.rmiq.org](http://www.rmiq.org)). At the WEB site all the articles published up-to-date and those accepted can be accessed, as well as the updated guide for authors, the publishing ethical guidelines governing the journal and a template for uploading manuscripts sent for review.

Likewise, we are very glad to inform you that RMIQ has been accepted for coverage in selected Elsevier products, including SCOPUS, starting with 2008 material. Elsevier Coverage demands a series of compromises that include more uptight standards of reviewing and publishing and a gradual increase of articles written in English.

Given the broader exposure that RMIQ will receive by its inclusion in SCOPUS, the editors have decided that when submitting manuscripts to RMIQ, authors must include from three to five bullet points highlighting the relevant points pursued and achieved in their research and optionally a graphical abstract. These modifications will be implemented as from the next issue (Vol. 10, No. 3, 2011).

Finally, we hope that all these changes result in a greater diffusion of RMIQ contents and eventually in an increased impact factor, which at the moment stands at 0.242 according to the 2010 *Journal Citation Reports* science edition.