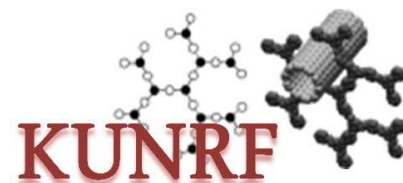




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Application for Pilot Study

Priority for faculty members in the College of Engineering & Petroleum

(Please fill all required information. The application must be typed and not hand written)

Project Title.....

Name of Investigator.....

Institution.....Kuwait University.....

Faculty.....

Department.....

Telephone..... Fax.....

Email.....

** My signature below indicates that I have read and understood the rules and regulations for the utilization of KUNRF services for a pilot study. Should any publication result from this study, the investigator must acknowledge the General Facility project no. GE 01/07 in his/her publication.*

Signature of Investigator.....

Date.....

For Lab use Only

Date received:

Project ID No.:

Signature of Director:

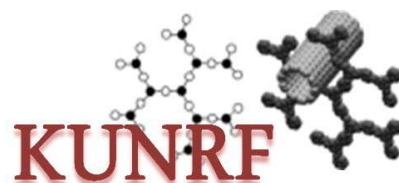
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Abstract: *In less than 250 words, describe briefly the objectives of the pilot study, methodology of testing & analysis and expected results*

Research Methodology: *The research methodology must include a detailed description of the samples and how they can be tested with the equipment available at the General Facility Laboratories*



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Final Report

- * The final report should highlight how the general facility equipment was utilized for the project
- * In the case of a publication that resulted from the pilot study, the investigator is exempted from submitting a final report and only a copy of the published work is required.

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Methodology:

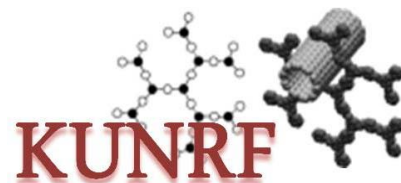
Results:

Conclusions/Future work:

References:

Productivity (e.g. publications, conference presentations, posters ...etc.):

Researcher's comments:



Rules and Regulations for the Utilization of KUNRF Services for Pilot Study

Services:

A pilot study is a short term initial investigation into a certain topic of science or engineering that is aimed at exploring the feasibility of research ideas related to materials processing, characterization and testing, particularly those linked to the study of materials at the nanoscale level. KUNRF provides this service in order to foster the growth of research activities within Kuwait University. Therefore, the desired end-result of such studies is to produce publications or funded research proposals.

Rules and Regulations:

- 1- Pilot studies are only available for Kuwait University faculty members. Priority is given to investigators working at the College of Engineering & Petroleum.
- 2- A faculty member is entitled for one pilot study per year. A new pilot study is permitted after submitting the final report of the previous pilot study.
- 3- Laboratory equipment is only operated by KUNRF staff. Yet, the investigator is welcome to witness the test and make recommendations (if applicable).
- 4- Analysis and interpretation of the test results is the responsibility of investigator.
- 5- Use of the equipment in KUNRF is subject to availability of equipment and consumables. Some equipment may require costly consumables. Please consult with the KUNRF staff for more details.
- 6- The investigator must fill a request form for the equipment intended to use in the pilot study. Request forms for equipment are available either at the KUNRF Laboratories (first floor of Building KH 8, College of Engineering & Petroleum) or via KUNRF website.
- 7- The investigator must be able to supply samples to the lab that are either ready for testing, or can be readied using our available tools for sample preparation. Please consult with the KUNRF staff for more details.