

Thematic workshop of the COST Action FP0802

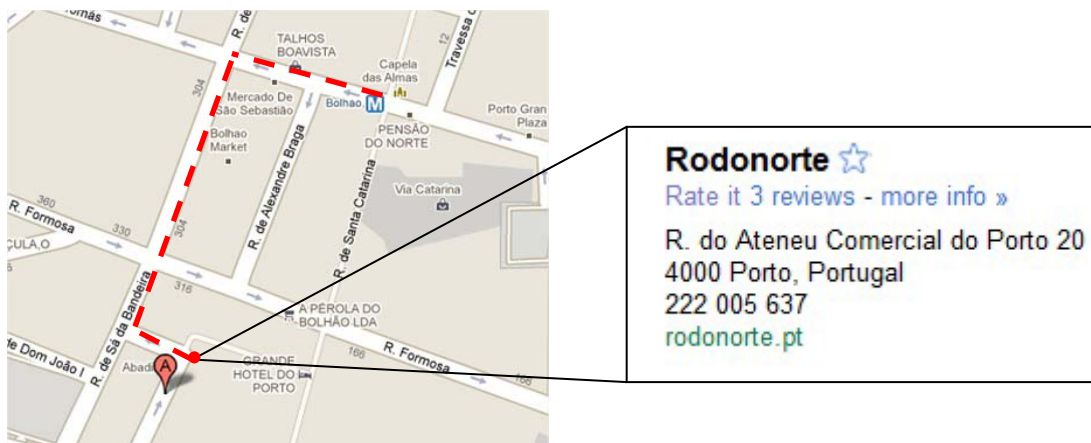
Mixed numerical and experimental methods applied to the mechanical characterization of bio-based materials

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Transport between Oporto Airport and Vila Real

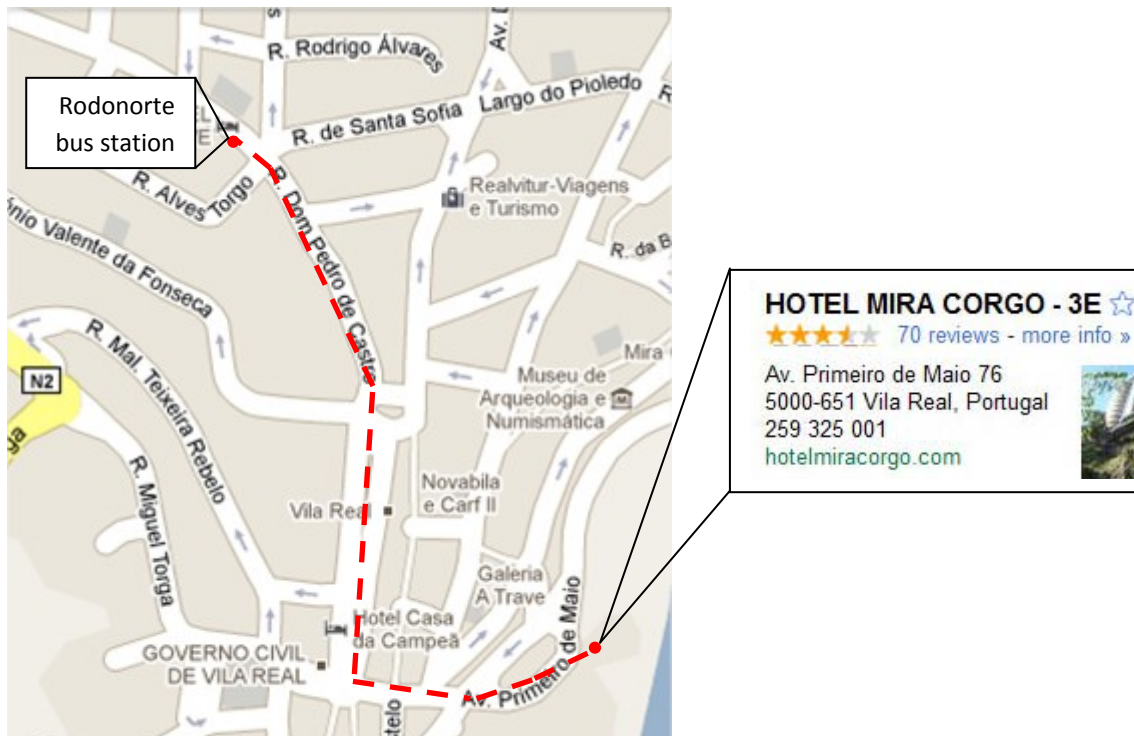
You can travel from Porto to Vila Real by bus. The bus station is located at the Porto city centre, which you can reach from the airport by Metro (<http://www.metroporto.pt/en/>). At the airport you should buy the *Andante* ticket from one of the ticket machines available (they have English instruction, and take both coins and notes for payment). Keep the ticket since it can be charged and used in your journey back to the airport. Get in the Violet (E) Line, connecting Airport Station to Estádio do Dragão Station. You should go out at the Bolhão station (the 16th station from the airport). You must then walk 5 min to the Rodonorte bus station (<http://www.rodonorte.pt/>):



There are buses for about every half an hour or an hour:

Tuesday 26 April			Thursday 28 April		
Departure	Destination	Price	Departure	Destination	Price
Porto	Vila Real	8.00 €	Vila Real	Porto	8.00 €
13:00	14:30	8.00 €	14:30	16:00	8.00 €
14:30	16:00	8.00 €	15:00	16:45	8.00 €
15:00	16:30	8.00 €	16:00	17:30	8.00 €
16:30	18:00	8.00 €	17:35	19:05	8.00 €
17:30	19:00	8.00 €	19:00	20:30	8.00 €
18:00	19:30	8.00 €	19:15	20:45	8.00 €
18:30	20:00	8.00 €			
19:30	21:00	8.00 €			
21:20	22:50	8.00 €			

Arriving to the bus station at Vila Real you can also walk about 5 min to the Miracorgo Hotel (<http://www.hotelmiracorgo.com/eng/>), in alternative you may take a taxi:



Programme at a glance

27/04/2011 Wednesday	28/04/2011 Thursday
08:45-09:15 Registration	09:30-12:20 Section III
09:00-09:15 Workshop opening	12:20-12:30 Workshop closing
09:15-12:30 Section I	12:30-14:00 Lunch
12:30-14:00 Lunch	
14:00-15:00 Posters section	
15:00-17:45 Section II	
18:30-20:00 Visit to Mateus Palace	
20:00-23:00 Workshop Dinner	