

Engineering Materials (INGE 4001)

1st Exam – Group -Bonus

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Notes:

This is an open book examination. Items needed are calculators, pencils, pens and rulers. This exam consists of two parts. Please write in a clear and concise manner.

Total Points = 100

Time Allowed : 80 minutes

PART A (76 Points).

All questions have equal weight (i.e. 3 point/question) unless otherwise specified. Mark the appropriate answer with a clear X inside the parenthesis.

1. (5 points) We want to plate a copper coin with a 75at%Cu-25at%Ni alloy. The coin has a surface area of 6 cm² with a 0.01cm thick layer of a, how many grams of nickel are required for the plating? Density of the 75at%Cu-25at%Ni alloy = 8.94g.cm⁻³; Atomic Weight of Nickel = 58.71g.mol⁻¹, Atomic Weight of Copper = 63.55g.mol⁻¹

A () 0.126

B () 0.252

C () 0.536

D () 1.073

2. Calculate the number of atoms of nickel needed in question (1):

A () 1.296x10²¹

B () 2.59x10²¹

C () 5.18x10²¹

D () 1.04x10²²

3. (5 points) Suppose that liquid nickel is cooled at a temperature of 1246K until homogeneous nucleation occurs. Calculate the critical radius (in nanometers) of a homogeneous nucleus. Data : For **Ni (FCC)**, $T_F=1453^{\circ}\text{C}$; Heat of fusion (ΔH_f) = 2756J/cm³; Surface Energy (γ) = 255x10⁻⁷ J/cm²; Lattice parameter of FCC copper = **$a=0.356\text{nm}$**

- A () 1.938
- B () 4.85
- C () 1.30
- D () 0.665

4. The number of nickel atoms required to form the critical radius in question 3 is:

- A () 218
- B () 109
- C () 2180
- D () 10900

5. (5 points) Suppose that the liquid nickel in question 3 now is able to nucleate homogenously with an undercooling of (ΔT) **22^oC**. How many atoms would have to group together spontaneously for this to occur? Note: Undercooling (temperature difference in ^oC)

- A () 3.3x10⁸
- B () 2.1x10¹²
- C () 1.1x10⁶
- D () 0.66x10³.

6. For an ASTM grain size number 12, calculate the number of grains per square inch at a magnification of 100

- A () 2048
- B () 1024
- C () 612
- D () 306

7. (5 points) The density of BCC iron is $7.882\text{g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-3}$ and the lattice parameter is 0.2866nm when hydrogen atoms are introduced at the interstitial positions. Calculate the atomic fraction of hydrogen atoms in the alloy. Data: Atomic Mass of Fe = 55.847g/mol and Atomic Mass of H = 1.008g/mol

- A () 0.1
- B () 0.4
- C () 0.02
- D () 0.004

8. A metal having a cubic structure has a density of $1.892\text{g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-3}$, an atomic weight of 132.91g/mol , and a lattice parameter of 6.183 Angstroms. Determine the crystal structure of the metal. Hint: One atom is associated with each lattice point.

- A () BCC
- B () FCC
- C () SC
- D () none of the above

9. Which one of the following statements is not correct?

- A () in an element its anion is larger than its atomic size
- B () during allotropic transformation the volume of the material changes.
- C () isotopes of the same element have the same number of protons.
- D () during allotropic transformation the number of atoms in the material changes.

10. The directions, where BCC and FCC ordered atoms maintain contact, are:

- A () the $\langle 110 \rangle$ and $\langle 100 \rangle$ directions respectively
- B () the $\langle 100 \rangle$ and $\langle 110 \rangle$ directions respectively
- C () the $\langle 111 \rangle$ and $\langle 110 \rangle$ directions respectively
- D () they maintain contact in all directions.

11. If a material present the following characteristics: poor electrical and thermal conduction; it have a low density; it has low elastic modulus. Then we are describing

- A () a ceramic material
- B () a metallic material
- C () a semiconductor
- D () a polymeric material

12. The isotopes are

- A () atoms of different element that have same atomic masses.
- B () atoms of the same element with different number of neutrons.
- C () electrically charged atoms.
- D () atoms with different number of protons in the nucleus.

13. Which of the following factors **is not** a contributing factor on the high solubility of a solute in a solvent (Hume-Rothery rules)

- A () the crystal structure of the solvent and solute.
- B () the electronegativity of the solvent and solute.
- C () the size of the solvent and solute atoms.
- D () the dislocations on the solvent and solute atoms

14. (5 points) Calculate the ionic packing factor (IPF) of MgO, which has the NaCl structure. ($r_{\text{Mg}^{2+}}=0.066\text{nm}$; $r_{\text{O}^{2-}}=0.132\text{nm}$)?

- A () 0.157
- B () 0.597
- C () 0.698
- D () 0.941

15. Using the information in question 14, calculate the density of MgO in $\text{g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-3}$. Data: the atomic weights of Mg and O are 24.31 and 16 $\text{g}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$ respectively.

- A () 2.22
- B () 1.80
- C () 4.31
- D () 14.31

16. (5 points) Suppose that four Schottky defects are present ten unit cells of MgO of questions 14 and 15. Calculate the density of the ceramic in $\text{g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-3}$.

- A () 4.31
- B () 3.88
- C () 2.10
- D () 14.20

17. (5 points) BCC lithium has a lattice parameter of 3.5089×10^{-8} cm and contains 1 vacancy every 50 unit cells. Calculate the number of vacancies per cubic centimeter:

- A () 1.2×10^{10}
- B () 2.51×10^{21}
- C () 9.25×10^{20}
- D () 4.628×10^{20}

18. (5 points) Calculate the density of lithium (in $\text{g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-3}$) for question 17. Data: Lattice parameter: 0.3509 nm and Atomic Mass of Li: 6.94 g/mol

- A () 0.528
- B () 0.570
- C () 0.735
- D () 0.450

19. Indicate which one of the following **statements is not correct** in heterogeneous nucleation:

- A () the critical radius of heterogeneous nucleation is the same as the critical radius of homogeneous nucleation
- B () heterogeneous nucleation makes use of solid impurities that exist in the liquid.
- C () inoculation is the intentional addition of solid particles to the liquid to aid nucleation
- D () the higher the wetting angle (θ), the easier is the heterogeneous nucleation.

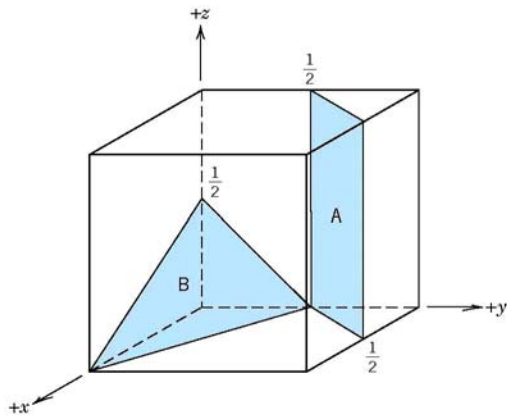
20. Which one of the following point defects is present in the Fe-C alloys?

- A () interstitial defect
- B () substitutional defect
- C () screw dislocations
- D () schottky defects

PART B (24 points)

B1 (14 points). Calculate the activation energy (in eV) for the formation of vacancies in magnesium, knowing that the number of vacancies at 450°C is 2.71×10^{16} vacancies. cm^{-3} and at 600°C is 3.17×10^{17} vacancies. cm^{-3} . Data: $k_B = 8.62 \times 10^{-5}$ eV/K
Hint. Use the Arrhenius equation at two temperatures and divide.

B2. (10 Points)

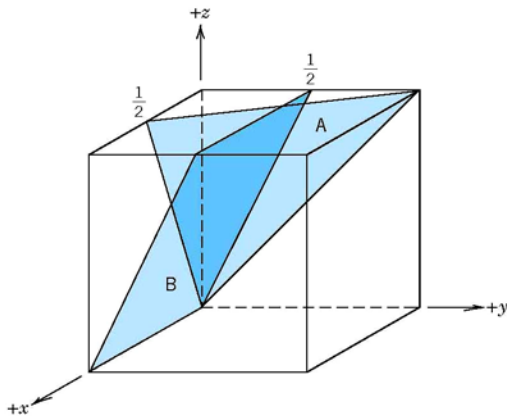
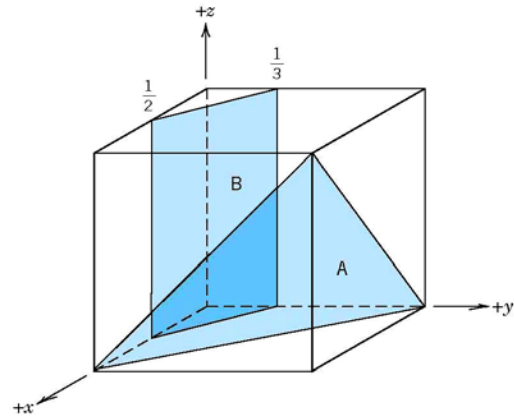


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