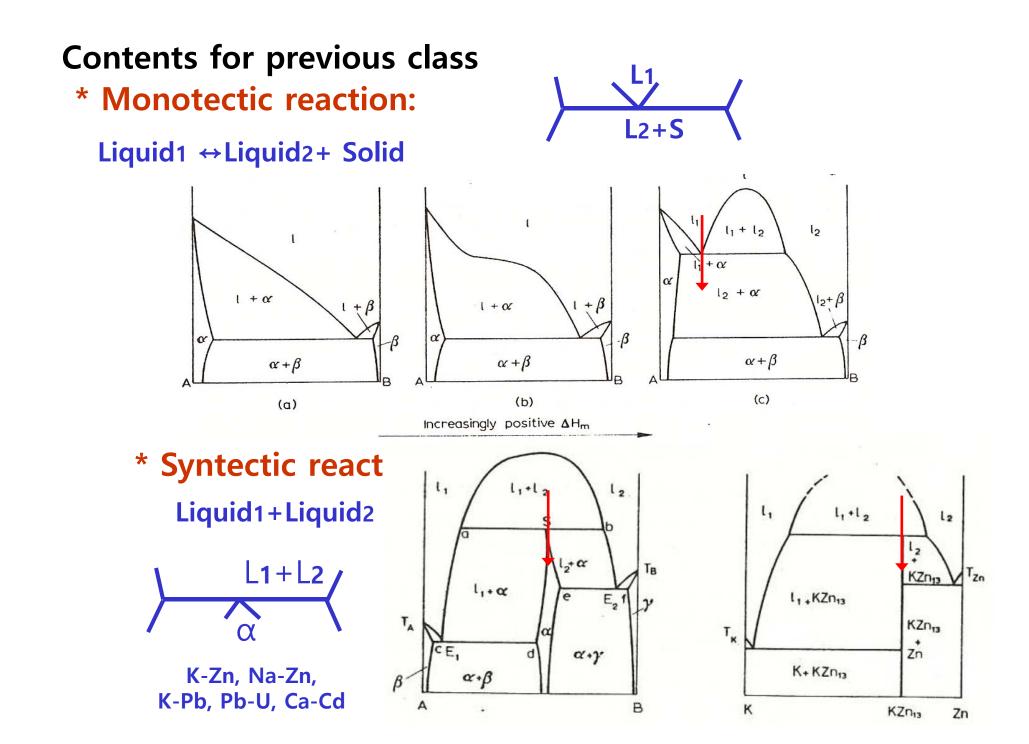
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## "Phase Equilibria in Materials"

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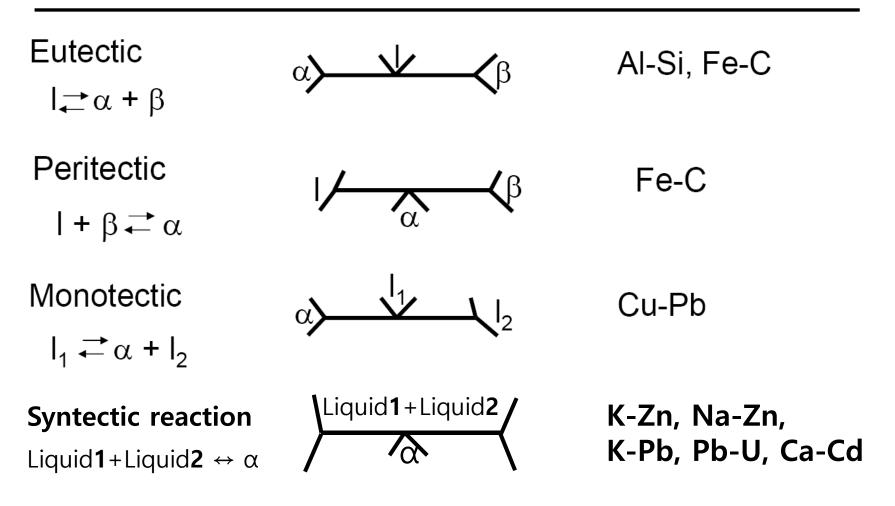
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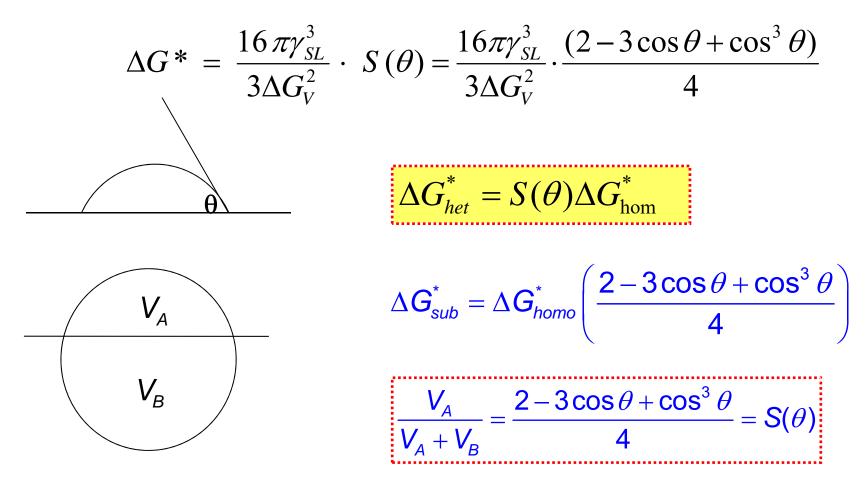
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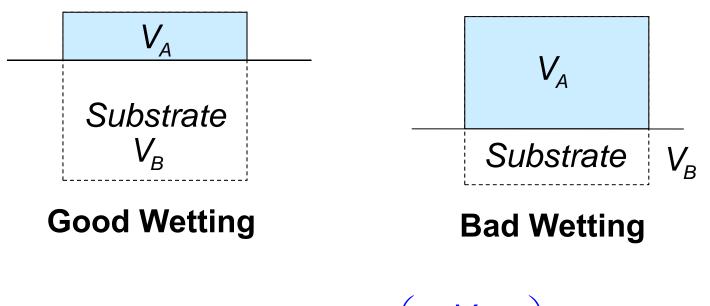


#### **Barrier of Heterogeneous Nucleation**



#### How about the nucleation at the crevice or at the edge?

#### How do we treat the non-spherical shape?



$$\Delta \boldsymbol{G}_{sub}^{*} = \Delta \boldsymbol{G}_{homo}^{*} \left( \frac{\boldsymbol{V}_{A}}{\boldsymbol{V}_{A} + \boldsymbol{V}_{B}} \right)$$

#### Effect of good and bad wetting on substrate

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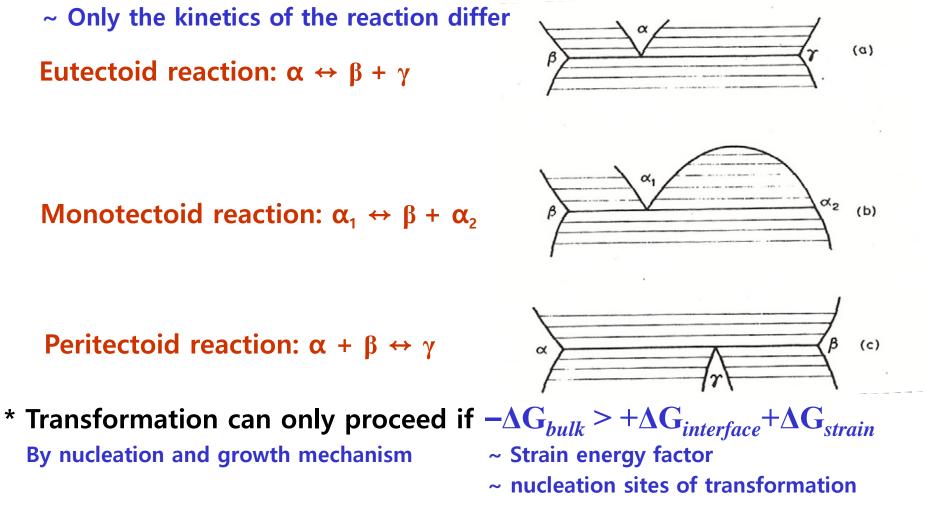
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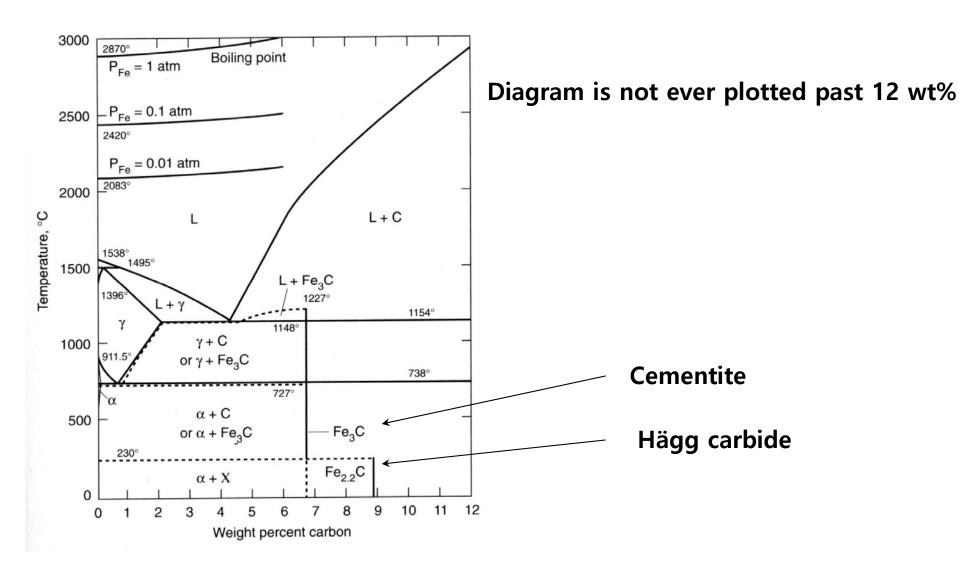
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Disordered atomic arrangement at <u>grain boundaries</u> will reduce the strain energy factor and the interfacial energy needed to nucleate a new phase.

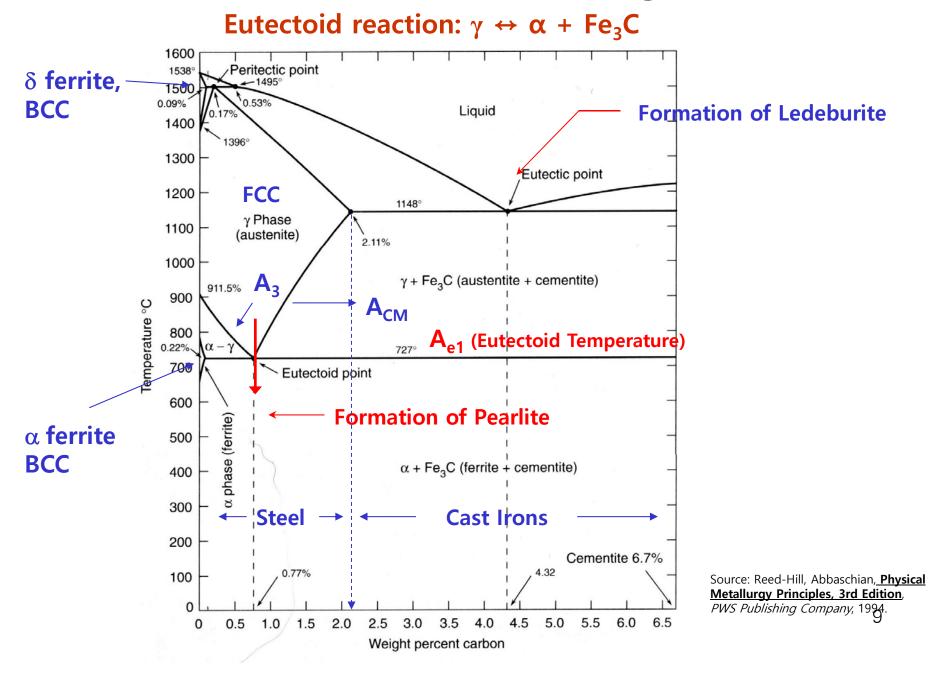
The finer the grain size, and hence the larger the grain boundary area, the more readily will the transformation proceed. "allotropic transformation"

## **Iron-Carbon System**



Source: Reed-Hill, Abbaschian, Physical Metallurgy Principles, 3rd Edition, PWS Publishing Company, 1994.

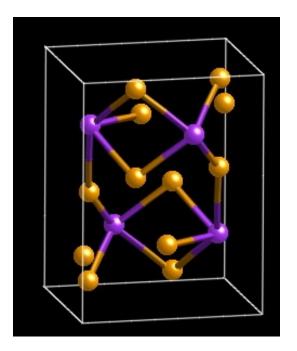
### **Iron Carbon Phase Diagram**



# **Cementite – What is it?**

Iron Carbide – Ceramic Compound

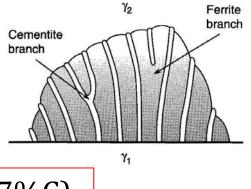
Purple: Carbon atoms Orange: Iron atoms



- <u>Cementite has an orthorhombic lattice</u> with approximate parameters 0.45165, 0.50837 and 0.67297 nm.
- There are twelve iron atoms and four carbon atoms per unit cell, corresponding to the formula Fe<sub>3</sub>C.

Source: http://www.msm.cam.ac.uk/phase-trans/2003/Lattices/cementite.html H. K. D. H. Bhadeshia

# Pearlite: What is it?



• The eutectoid transformation:

 $\gamma (0.77\% \text{ C}) \rightarrow \alpha (0.02\% \text{ C}) + \text{Fe}_3 \text{C} (6.67\% \text{ C})$ 

- Alternate lamellae of ferrite and cementite as the continuous phase
- <u>Diffusional Transformation</u>
- <u>"Pearlite" name is related to the regular array of the lamellae in colonies.</u> Etching attacks the ferrite phase more than the cementite. The raised and regularly spaced cementite lamellae act as diffraction gratings and a <u>pearl-like luster</u> is produced by the diffraction of light of various wavelengths from different colonies

# Pearlite

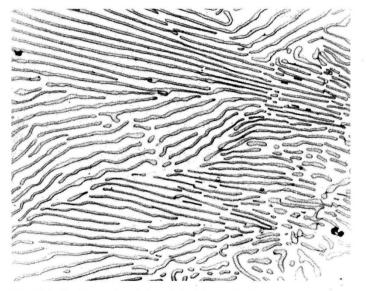


Fig. 18.6 Pearlite consists of plates of  $Fe_3C$  in a matrix of ferrite. (Vilella, J. R., *Metallographic Technique for Steel*, ASM Cleveland, 1938.) 2500X.

Reed-Hill, Abbaschian, 1994, [5]

• Two phases appear in definite ratio by the lever rule:

$$\alpha = \frac{6.67 - 0.77}{6.67} \approx 88\%$$
cementite =  $\frac{0.77 - 0}{6.67} \approx 12\%$ 

- <u>Since the densities are same (7.86</u> and 7.4) lamellae widths are 7:1
- Heterogeneous nucleation and growth of pearlite colonies – but typically grows into only 1 grain

## Lamellae Nucleation

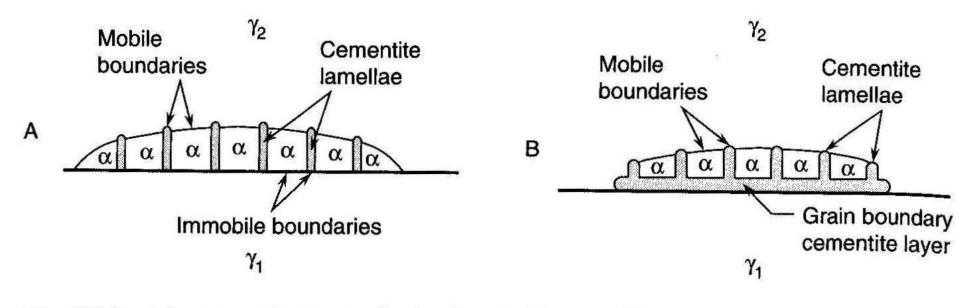


Fig. 18.7 The two primary methods of nucleating pearlite. (A) Nucleation of pearlite at an austenite grain boundary (Pitsch-Petch relation). (B) Nucleation of pearlite at a grainboundary layer of cementite (Baryatski relation).

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## **Lamellae Nucleation**

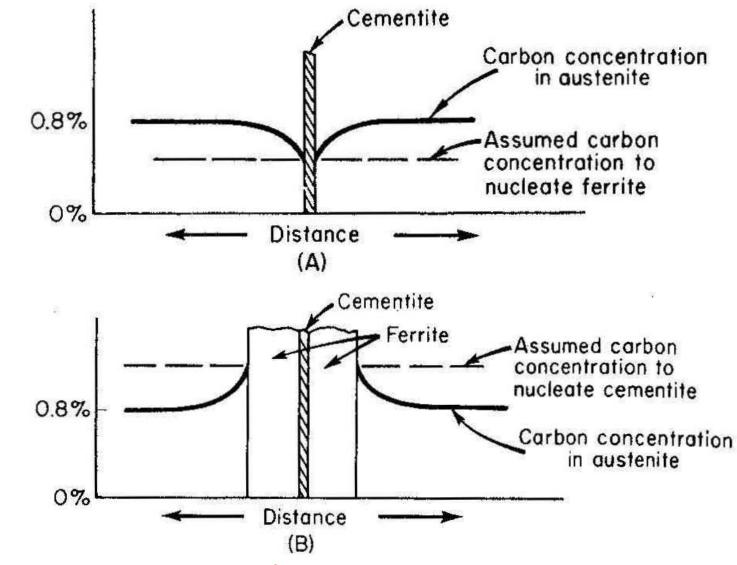


Fig. Growing cementite and ferrite lamellae may nucleate each other.

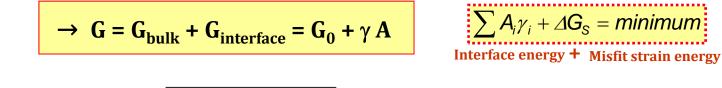
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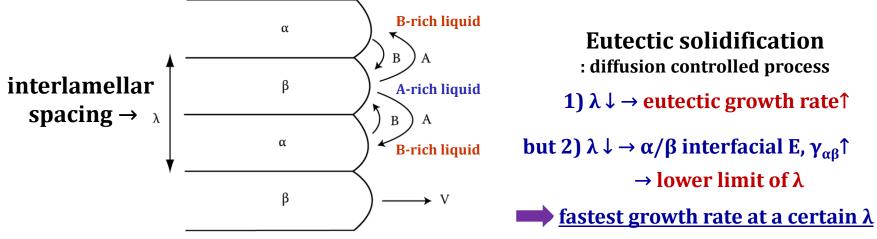
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# **Interlamellar Spacing**

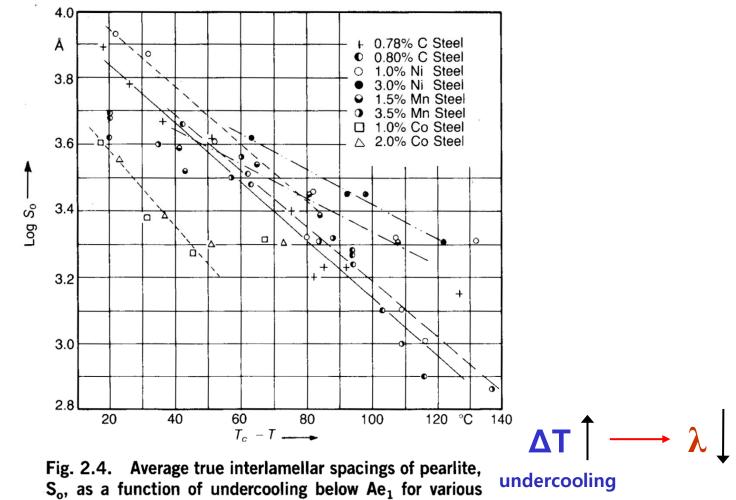
- Interlamellar spacing  $\lambda$  is almost constant in pearlite formed from  $\gamma$  at a fixed T.
- Temperature has a strong effect on spacing lower T (large  $\Delta T$ ) promotes smaller  $\lambda$ .
  - Pearlite formed at 700°C has  $\lambda \sim 1 \text{ mm}$  and Rockwell C 15.
  - Pearlite formed at 600°C has  $\lambda \sim 0.1$  mm and Rockwell C 40.
- Zener and Hillert Eq. for spacing (eq. 4.39):

$$\lambda = \frac{4\sigma_{\alpha/Fe_{3}C}T_{E}}{\Delta H_{V}\Delta T}$$

IH5: derive  $\lambda$  with maximum growth rate at a fixed  $\Delta T$  (eutectic case)

- $\sigma_{a/Fe_3C}$  = Interfacial energy per unit area of a/Fe<sub>3</sub>C boundary
- $T_E$  = The equilibrium temperature (Ae<sub>1</sub>)
- $\Delta H_V$  = The change in enthalpy per unit volume
- $\Delta T$  = The undercooling below Ae<sub>1</sub>

## Effect of Undercooling on $\lambda$



steels as indicated. (Ref 2.1)

Krauss, <u>Steels</u>, 1995

## **Effect of Interlamellar Spacing**

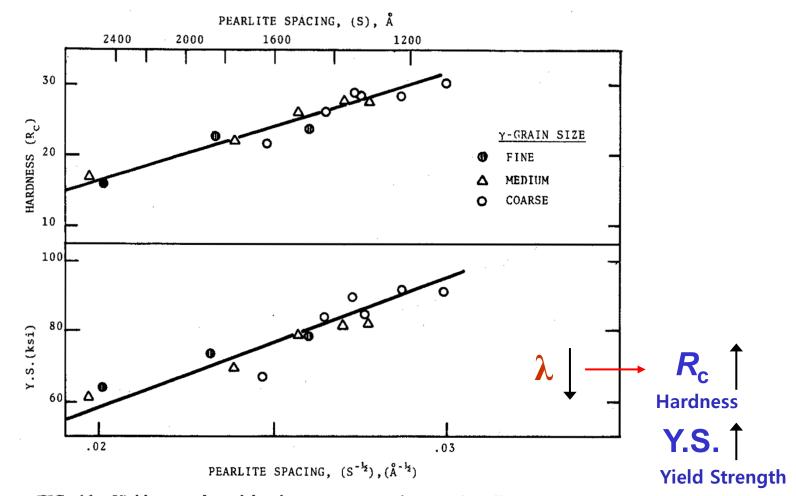
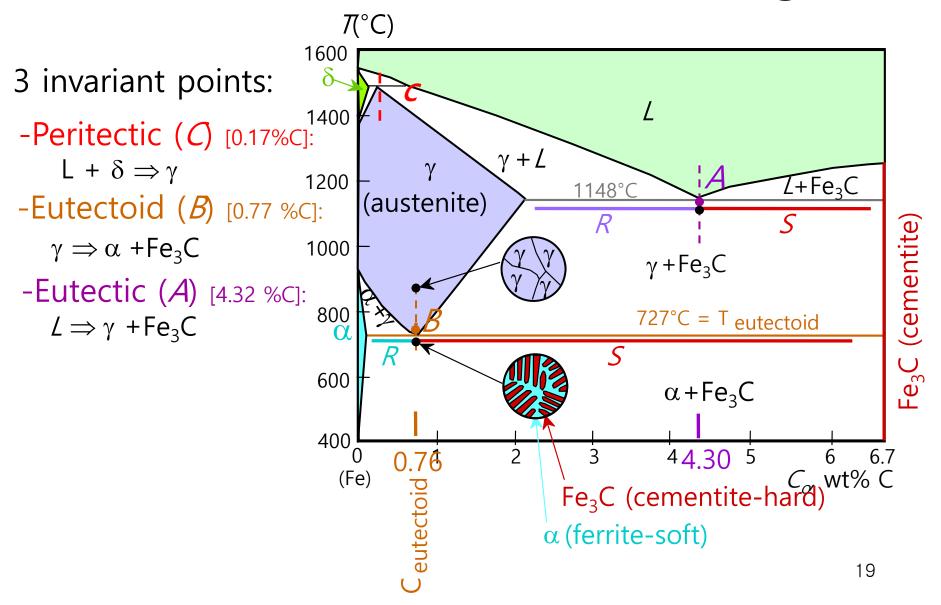


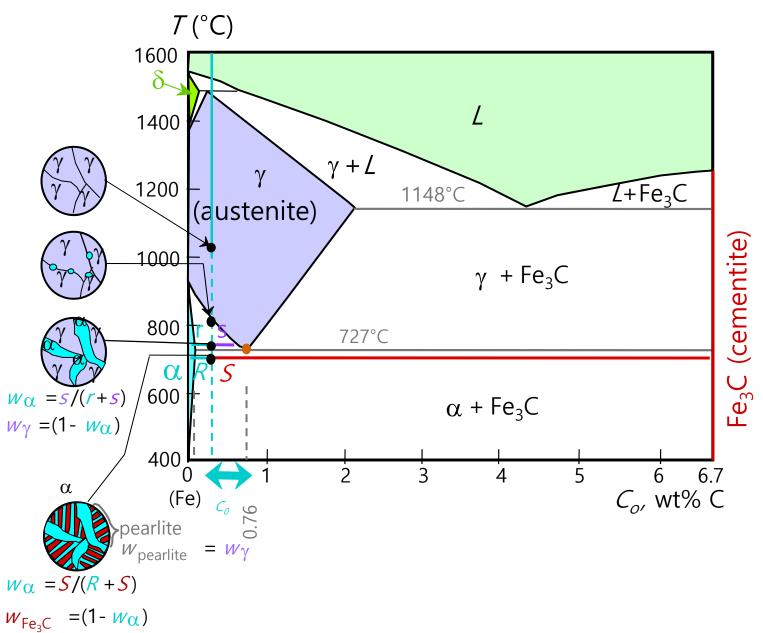
FIG. 16-Yield strength and hardness versus pearlite interlamellar spacing [49].

Stone et al, 1975

# Iron-Carbon (Fe-C) Phase Diagram

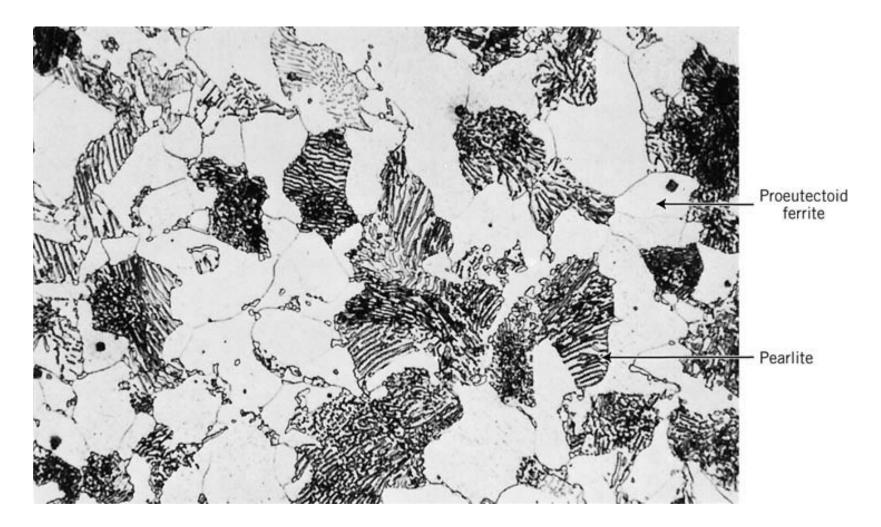


# **Hypoeutectoid Steel**



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### Proeuctectoid Ferrite – Pearlite



0.38 wt% C: Plain Carbon – Medium Carbon Steel

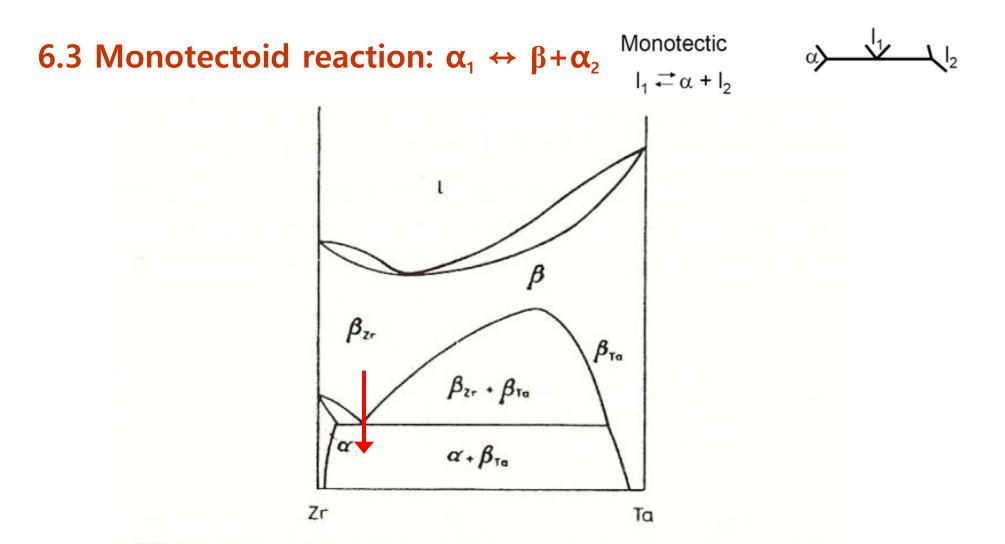


Fig. 93. The monotectoid reaction in the Ta-Zr system (schematic).

 $\beta Zr \leftrightarrow \alpha + \beta Ta$ 

Both βZr and βTa have the <u>same crystal structure</u> (b.c.c.) but different lattice spacing.

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Monotectic Monotectic  $\alpha_1 \leftrightarrow \beta + \alpha_2$   $|_1 \neq \alpha + |_2$   $\alpha \neq \beta + \alpha_2$ 

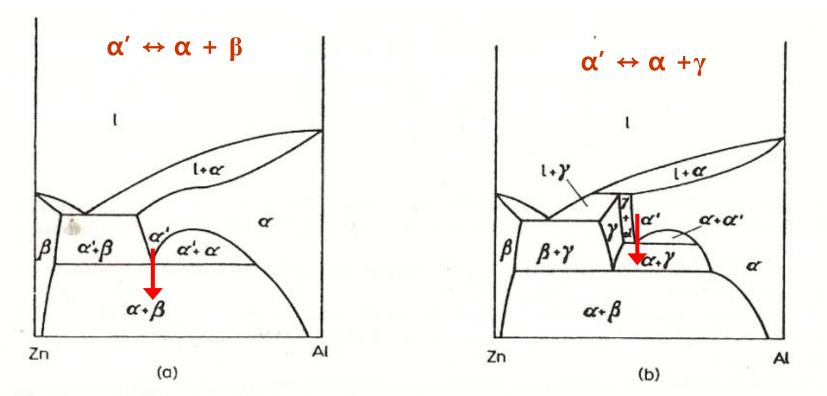
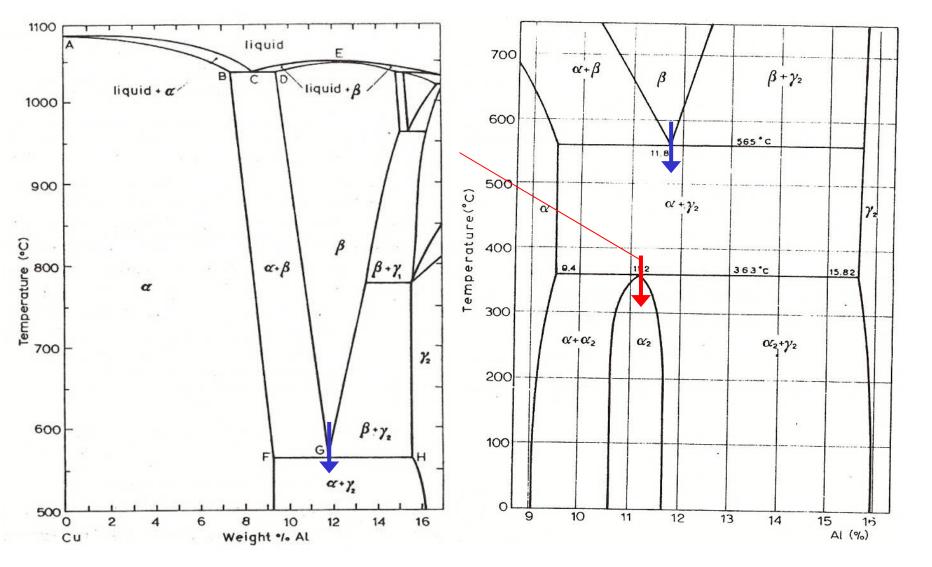


Fig. 94. The monotectoid reaction in the Al-Zn system (schematic). (a) Previously accepted phase diagram; (b) recently proposed modification.

# Both $\alpha$ and $\alpha'$ are face-centered cubic phases, differing only in lattice spacing.

**Peritectoid reaction:**  $\alpha + \beta \leftrightarrow \gamma$ 



Cu-Al phase diagram

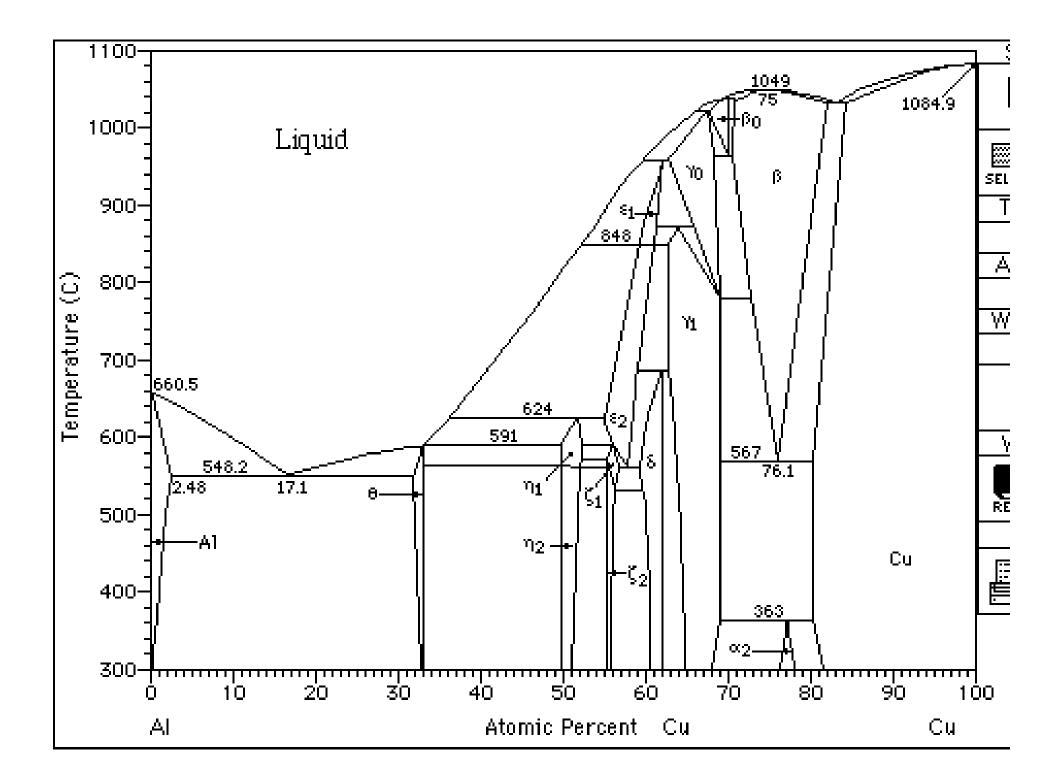
**Revision of Cu-Al phase diagram** 

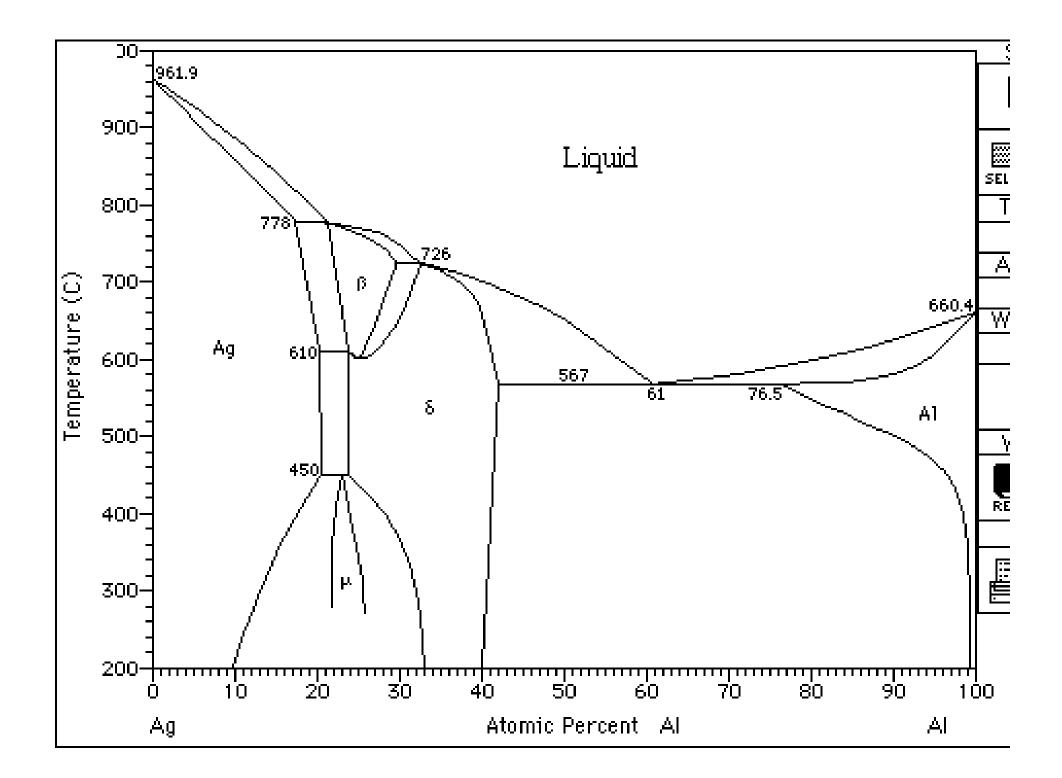
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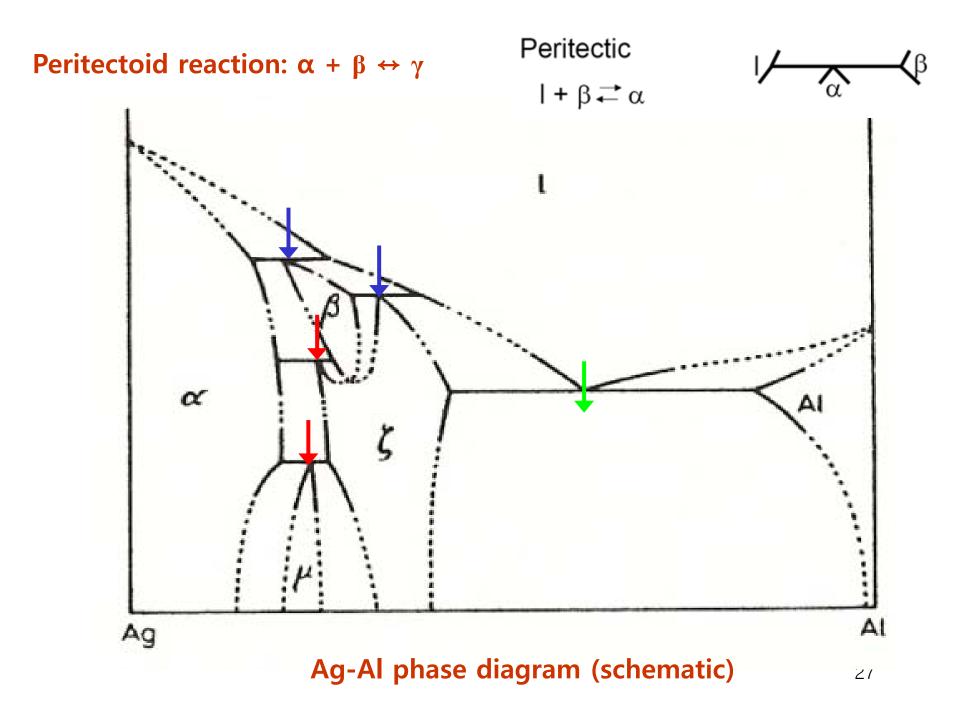
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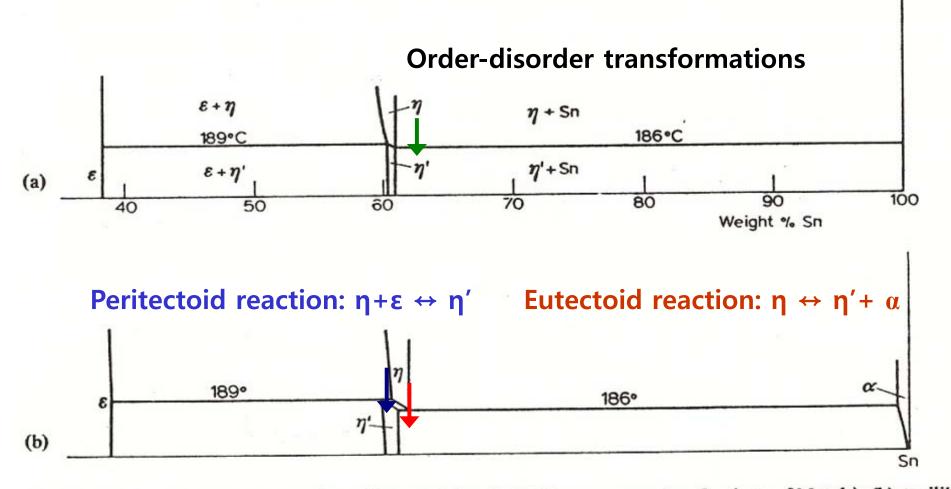


Fig. 97. (a) A part of the Cu-Sn phase diagram (after G. V. RAYNOR; courtesy Institute of Metals); (b) equilibrium relationships if the data in (a) are considered limiting cases of the peritectoid and sutectoid reactions.

#### **CHAPTER 7**

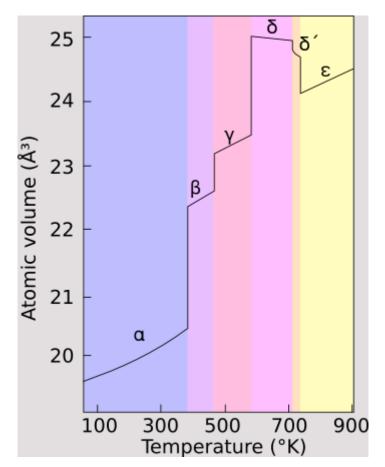
**Ex. Iron**- three allotropes  $\alpha$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $\delta$ 

#### **Binary Phase Diagrams. Allotropy of the Components**

Several commercially important metals exist in more than one crystalline form.

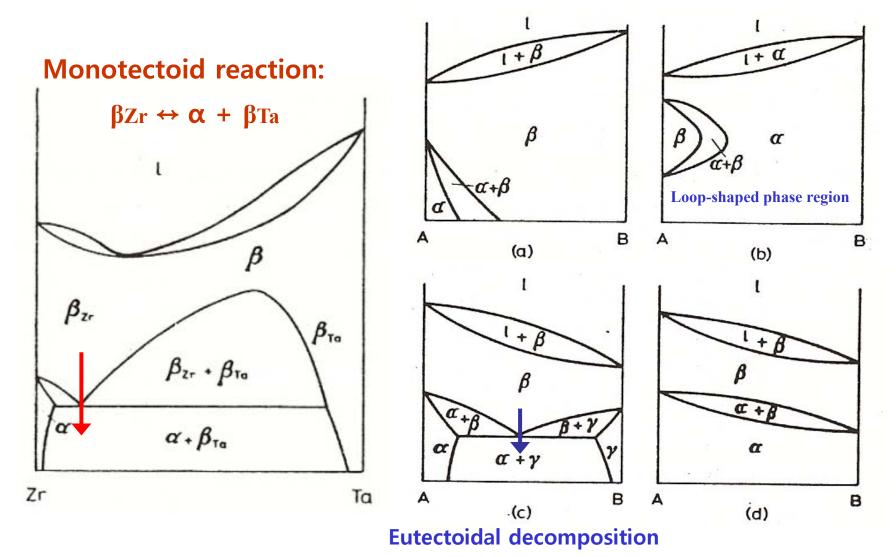
Titanium – two allotropes close-packed hexagonal  $\alpha$  Ti stable at low temp. and bodycentered cubic  $\beta$  Ti stable at high temp.

Plutonium – six allotropes \_ the highest number of modifications



a. SYSTEMS IN WHICH ONE PHASE IS IN EQUILIBRIUM WITH THE LIQUID PHASE Such systems can be further divided according to whether the <u>high</u> <u>temperature allotrope forms a continuous series of solid solutions with the</u> <u>other component or not.</u>

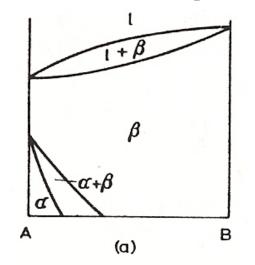
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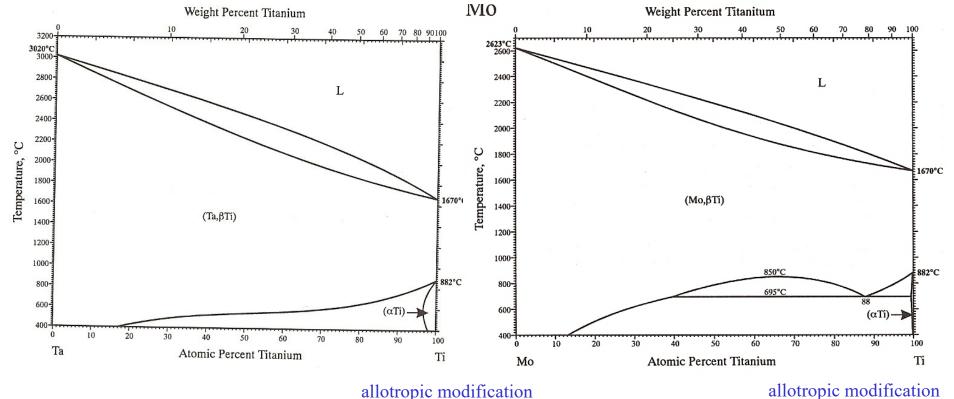


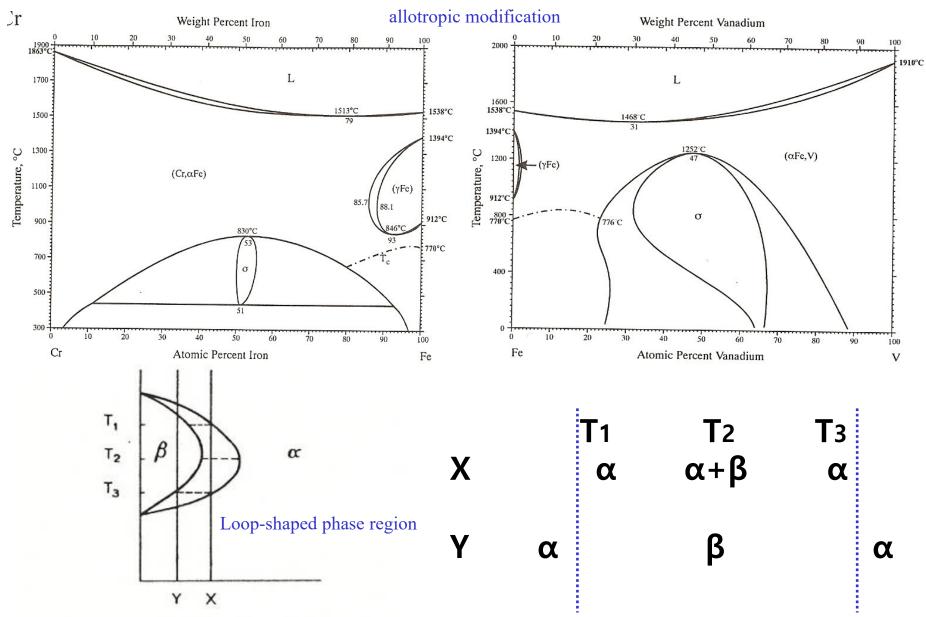
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Types of phase diagrams formed when the high temperature allotrope forms a continuous series of solid solutions with the second component.

(a) single component have two allotropic modifications.



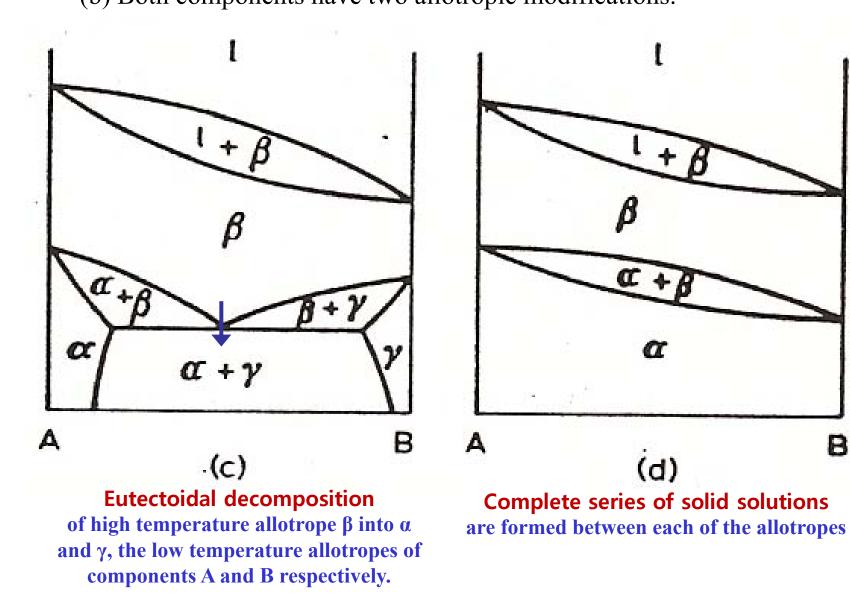




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Fig. 99. Cooling of alloys through the  $\beta$  loop.

7.1.1. The high temperature phase forms a series of solid solutions with the other component (b) Both components have two allotropic modifications.



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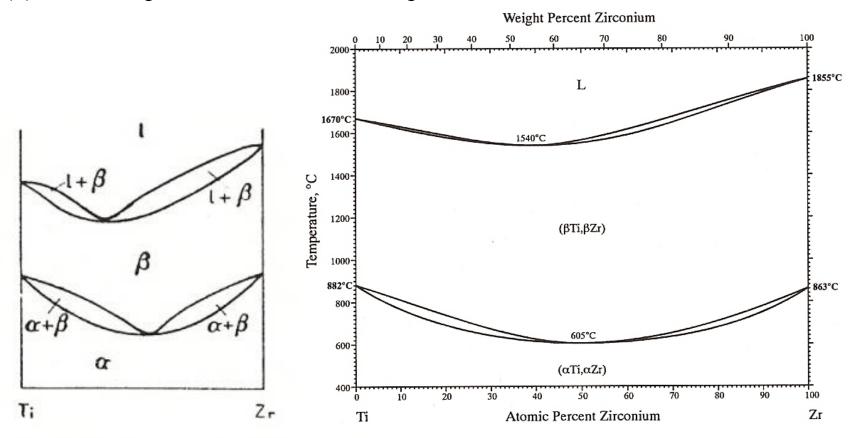
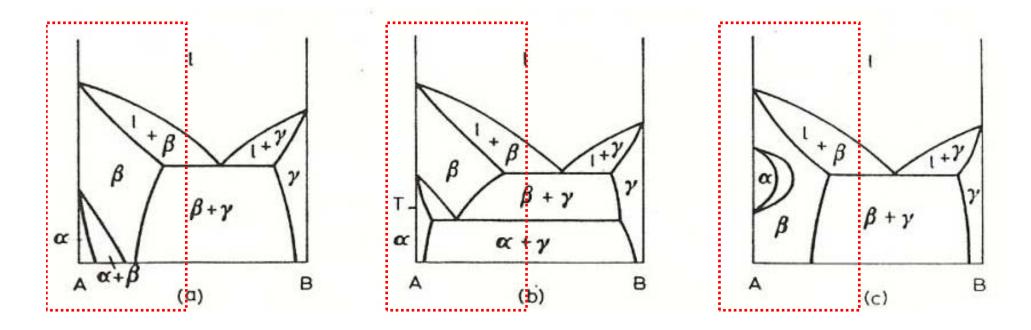


Fig. 100. The Ti-Zr phase diagram (schematic).

Complete series of solid solutions are formed between each of the allotropes in the system Ti-Zr.

#### a. SYSTEMS IN WHICH ONE PHASE IS IN EQUILIBRIUM WITH THE LIQUID PHASE

7.1.2. Both phases form limited solid solutions with the other component

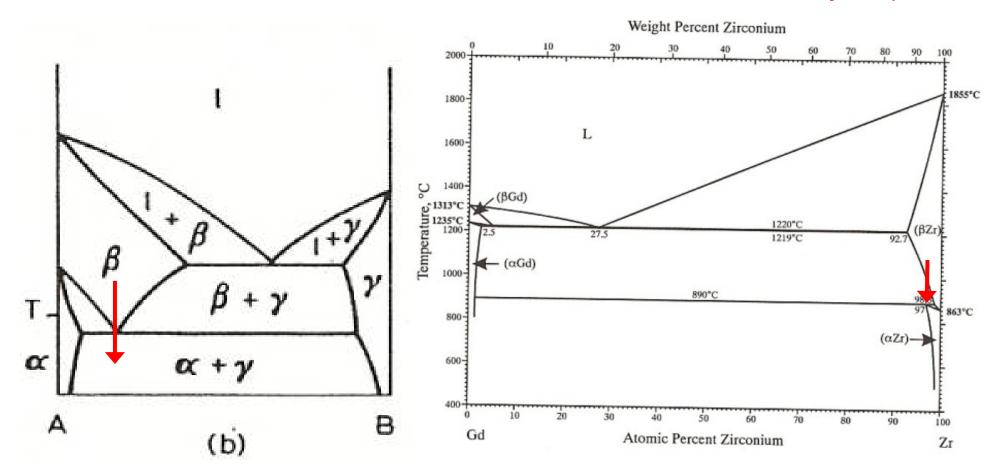


High-temperature  $\beta$  phase, as well as the low-temperature  $\alpha$  phase form <u>limited solid solutions with component B</u>.

# **Polymorphism:** the ability of a solid material to exist in more than one form or crystal structure (Both $\alpha$ and $\beta$ are allotropes of A)

**Eutectoid reaction:**  $\alpha \leftrightarrow \beta + \gamma$ 

**Peritectoid reaction:**  $\alpha + \beta \leftrightarrow \gamma$ 



Simple eutectic system with solid-soild phase transitions

**b. SYSTEMS IN WHICH TWO PHASES ARE IN EQUILIBRIUM WITH THE LIQUID PHASE** 

 $L + \alpha \& L + \beta \text{ or } L + \beta \& L + \gamma \text{ or } L + \gamma \& L + \delta$ 

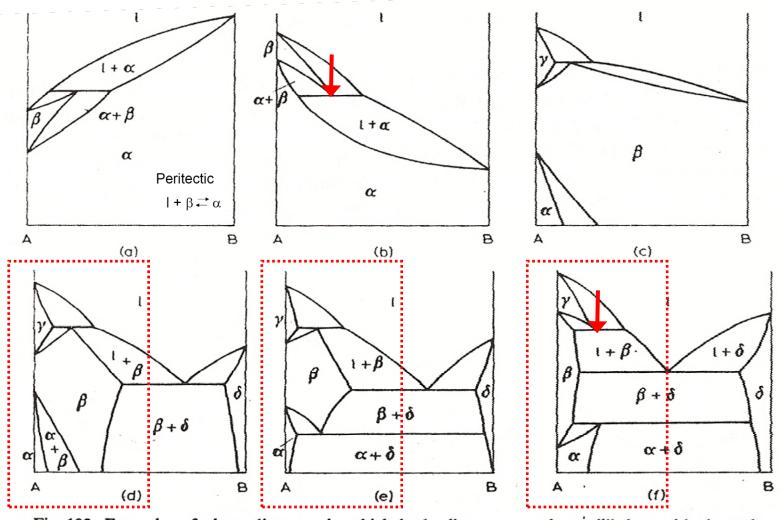


Fig. 102. Examples of phase diagrams in which both allotropes are in equilibrium with the melt.

**Metatectic reaction:**  $\beta \leftrightarrow L + \alpha$  Ex. Co-Os, Co-Re and Co-Ru<sup>37</sup>

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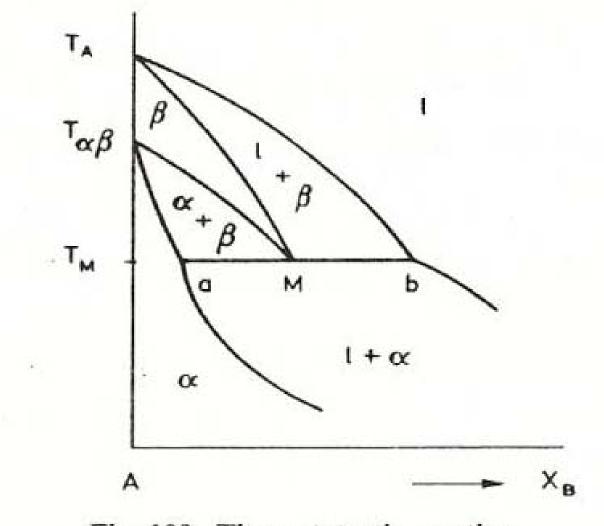


Fig. 103. The metatectic reaction.

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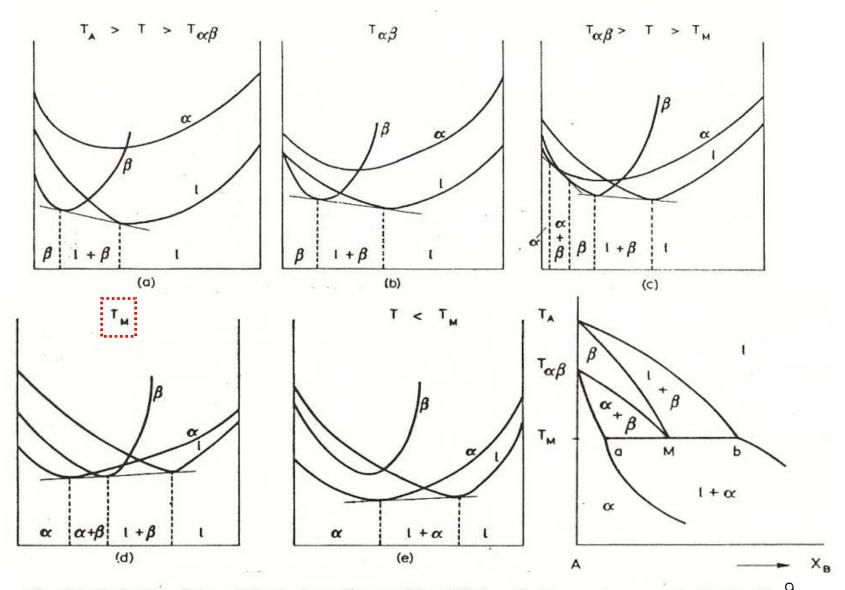
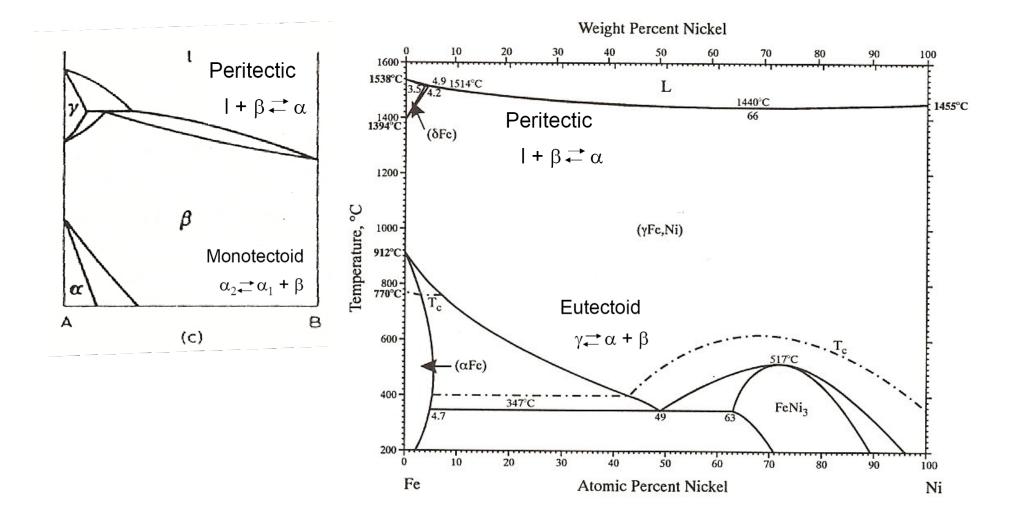


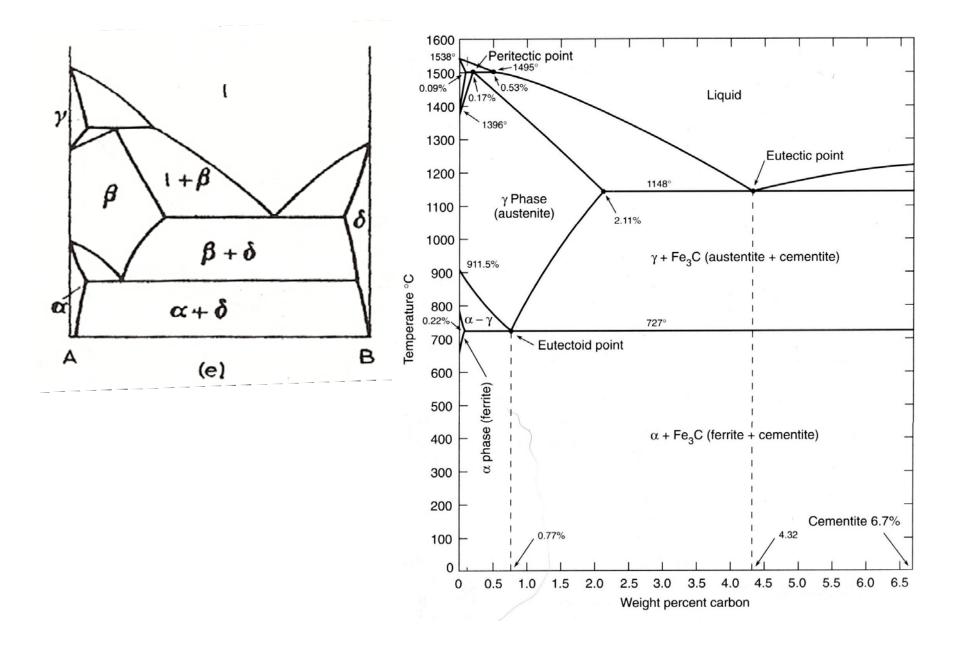
Fig. 104. Derivation of the metatectic phase diagram (Fig. 103) from the free energy curves for the liquid,  $9 \alpha$  and  $\beta$  phases.

### b. SYSTEMS IN WHICH TWO PHASES ARE IN EQUILIBRIUM WITH THE LIQUID PHASE L+ $\alpha$ & L + $\beta$ or L + $\beta$ & L + $\gamma$ or L + $\gamma$ & L + $\delta$

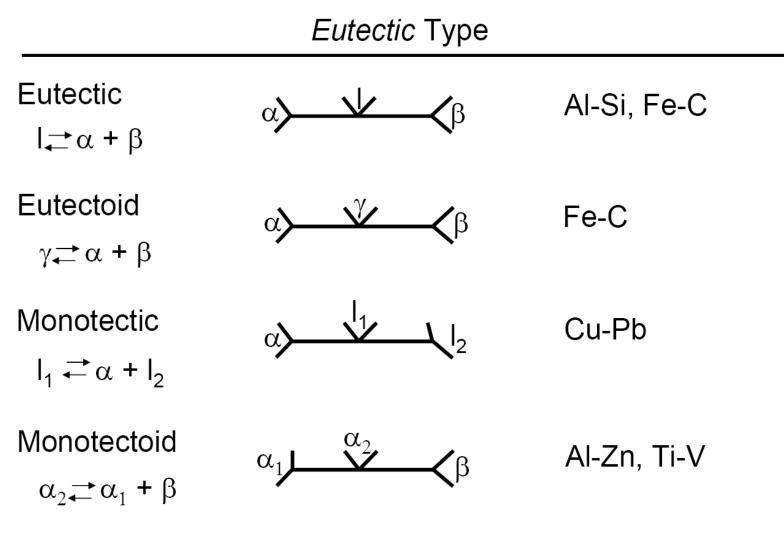


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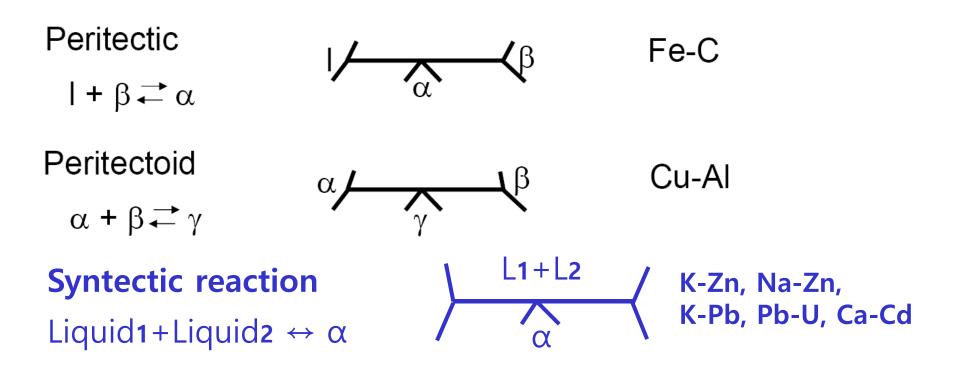
## **Review of Invariant Binary Reactions**



On cooling one phase going to two phases Metatectic reaction:  $\beta \leftrightarrow L + \alpha$  Ex. Co-Os, Co-Re, Co- $\frac{42}{Ru}$ 

# **Review of Invariant Binary Reactions**

Peritectic Type



On cooling two phases going to one phase

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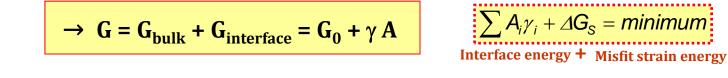
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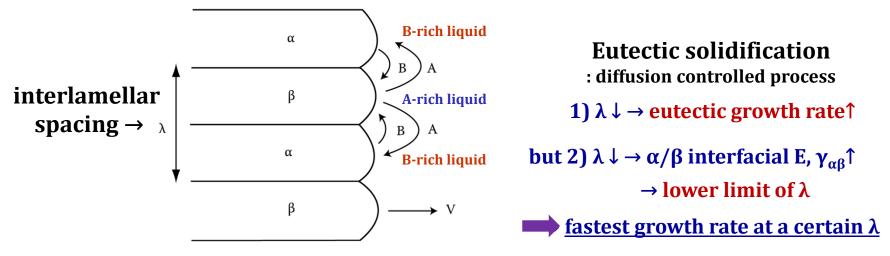
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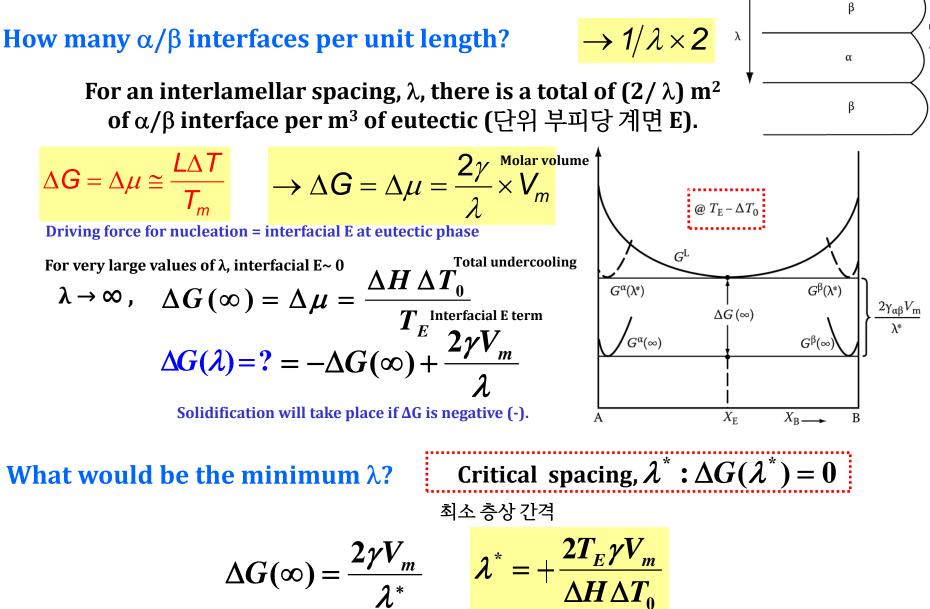




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### **Eutectic Solidification**



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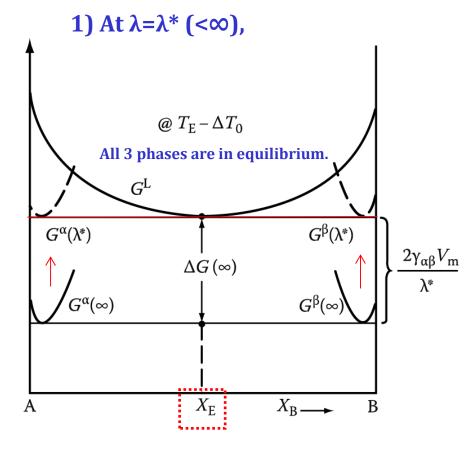
$$\lambda^{*} = + \frac{2T_{\varepsilon}\gamma V_{m}}{\Delta H \Delta T_{0}} \rightarrow identical \ to \ critical \ radius$$
  
in pure metal

Gibbs-Thomson effect  

$$Cf) r^{*} = \frac{2\gamma_{SL}}{\Delta G_{V}} = \left(\frac{2\gamma_{SL}T_{m}}{L_{V}}\right)\frac{1}{\Delta T}$$

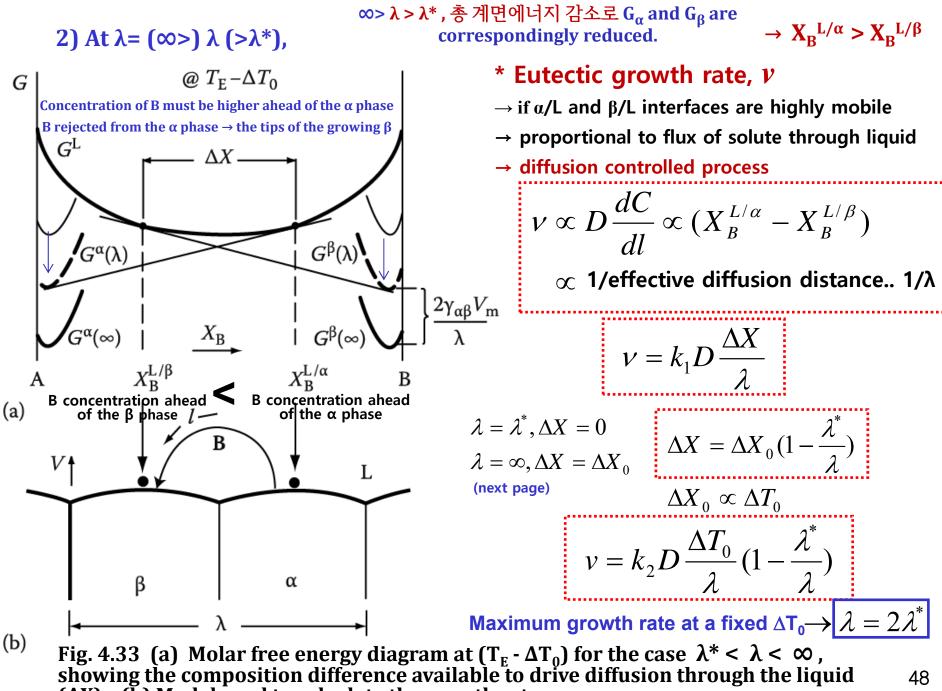
 $L_v$ : latent heat per unit volume  $L = \Delta H = H^L - H^S$ 

#### \* Growth Mechanism: Gibbs-Thomson effect in a △G-composition diagram?



The cause of G increase is the curvature of the  $\alpha/L$  and  $\beta/L$  interfaces arising from the need to balance the interfacial tensions at the  $\alpha/\beta/L$  triple point, therefore the increase will be different for the two phases, but for simple cases it can be shown to be  $\frac{2\gamma_{\alpha\beta}V_m}{\gamma}$  for both.

**1)** If  $\lambda = \lambda^*$ , growth rate will be <u>infinitely</u> <u>slow</u> because the liquid in contact with both phases has the same composition,  $X_E$  in Figure 4.32.



 $(\Delta X)$ . (b) Model used to calculate the growth rate.

