

#### **Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering**

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#### **Contents for previous class**

#### **CHAPTER 4 & 5 The Structure of Crystalline Solids**

- Common metallic crystal structures are FCC, BCC, and HCP. Coordination number and atomic packing factor are the same for both FCC and HCP crystal structures.
- Interatomic bonding in ceramics is ionic and/or covalent.
- Ceramic crystal structures are based on:
  - -- maintaining charge neutrality
  - -- cation-anion radii ratios.
- Some materials can have more than one crystal structure. This is referred to as polymorphism (or allotropy).
- Polymer (= many mer) is a substance composed of molecules characterized by the multiple repetition of one or more species of atoms or groups of atoms (constitutional repeating units) linked to each other in amounts sufficient to provide a set of properties. Most polymers are hydrocarbons – i.e., made up of H and C.
- X-ray diffraction is used for crystal <u>structure and interplanar</u> <u>spacing</u> determinations.

Chapter 4.6

# Coordination Number and Ionic Radii

<sup>r</sup>cation

<sup>r</sup>anion

Coordination Number increases with

To form a stable structure, how many anions can surround around a cation?



Adapted from Table 4.3, *Callister & Rethwisch 9e.* 

# Chapter 5: Structures of Polymers What is a Polymer?

**Polymer (= many mer)** : a substance composed of molecules characterized by <u>the multiple repetition of one or more species of atoms</u> or groups of atoms (constitutional repeating units) linked to each other in amounts sufficient to provide a set of properties that do not vary markedly with the addition of one or a few of the constitutional repeating units



Adapted from Fig. 5.2, Callister & Rethwisch 9e.

### X-Ray Diffraction



- Diffraction gratings must have spacings comparable to the wavelength of diffracted radiation.
- Can't resolve spacings  $< \lambda$
- Spacing is the distance between parallel planes of atoms.

### X-Rays to Determine Crystal Structure

Incoming X-rays diffract from crystal planes.



Measurement of critical angle,  $\theta_c$ , allows computation of planar spacing, *d*.



 $\theta_{\rm C}$ 

nλ

 $2\sin\theta_{\rm C}$ 

θ



### **Structure Determination (X-Ray)**

Crystal structure Body-centered cubic (bcc) Face-centered cubic (fcc) Hexagonal close packed (hcp) diffraction line		Diffraction does not occur when h + k + l = odd number h, k, l mixed (i.e., both even and odd numbers) (h + 2k) = 3n, l odd (n is an integer)			Diffraction occurs when $h + k + l =$ even number $h, k, l$ unmixed (i.e., are all even numbers or all odd numbers)All other cases								
							$h^2 + k^2 + 1$	<sup>2</sup> (cubic)					
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111	3		3	1	a								
200	4	4	4	d = -									
210	5				$h^{2} + k^{2} + l^{2}$								
211	6	6		(interplar	nar spacing)								
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Contents for today's class

# **Chapter 6: Imperfections in Solids**

#### I. Point defects

- Point defects in metals/ceramics/polymers, impurities in solids

#### **II. Dislocations-Linear defects**

- Edge/ Screw/ Mix dislocation

#### **III. Interfacial defects**

- External surfaces/ Grain boundaries/ Phase boundaries (stacking fault)/ Twin boundaries/ domain boundaries

#### **IV. Bulk or Volume defects**

- pores/ cracks/ foreign inclusions, and other phases

#### V. Microscopic Examination

- Basic concepts of microscopy
- Microscopic techniques : Optical microscopy (Grain-size determination)
   / Electron microscopy/ Scanning probe microscopy

### **Chapter 6: Imperfections in Solids**

- Perfect and extensive ordering does not exist.
- Crystalline imperfections have a profound effect on materials behavior
- If we can control imperfections, it is possible to produce
  - stronger metals and alloys
  - more powerful magnets
  - improved transistors and solar cells
  - glassware of striking colors

### **Types of Imperfections**

0-dimensional	Point defects	Vacancy atoms Interstitial atoms Substitutional atoms	
1-dimensional	Line defects	Dislocations	
2-dimensional	Planar (Area) defects	Surface Grain boundary Stacking fault	







### I. Point Defects

• What is a point defect?



### **Point Defects in Metals**

- Vacancies:
  - -vacant atomic sites in a structure.



• Self-Interstitials:

-"extra" atoms positioned between atomic sites.



#### Point defect thermodynamically predictable!

Thermodynamic arguments not only suggest that point defects may be present, but actually demand their presence and imply that it is impossible to create a stable single crystal without point defects.

Equilibrium Conc. of Vacancy  

$$F_{f} = \text{formation every} \text{ of } \mathbf{a} \text{ latanay}$$

$$Put \begin{cases} N = \# \text{ of atoms} \\ n = \# \text{ of Vacancies} \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbf{S} = \& \ln W = \& \ln \frac{(Ntm)!}{N! m!}$$

$$F = \Delta H - T \Delta S$$

$$= m E_{f} - \& T \& \frac{(Ntm)!}{N!m!}$$

$$Using \text{ Stivling's formula} & \ln N! = N \ln N - N$$

$$F = m E_{f} - \& T [ (Ntm) \ln (Ntm) - N \ln N - m \ln m ]$$

$$At egnil. \frac{\partial E}{\partial m} = 0 = E_{f} - \& T \frac{\partial}{\partial m} [ (N m) \ln (Ntm) - N \ln N - m \ln m ]$$

$$= E_{f} \frac{\partial}{\partial m} [ N \ln (Ntm) + n \ln (Ntm) - N \ln N - m \ln m ]$$

$$= \& T [ \frac{N}{Ntm} + \ln (Ntm) + m \frac{1}{Ntm} - \ln n - m \cdot \frac{1}{m} ]$$

$$= \& T [ \ln (N + m) - \ln n ] = \& T \ln \frac{Ntm}{m}$$

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#### a) 평형에 미치는 공공의 영향

#### 1.5.8. Equilibrium Vacancy Concentration $\Delta G = \Delta H - T \Delta S$

G of the alloy will depend on the concentration of vacancies and  $X_v^e$  will be that which gives the minimum free energy.

1) Vacancies increase the internal energy of crystalline metal due to broken bonds formation. (Here, vacancy-vacancy interactions are ignored.)

$$\Delta H \cong \Delta H_V X_V$$

2) Vacancies increase entropy because they change the **thermal vibration frequency** and also the **configurational entropy**. "Largest contribution"

Small change due to changes in the vibrational frequencies

• Total entropy change is thus

$$\Delta S = \Delta S_{v} X_{v} - \mathsf{R} \{ X_{v} \ln X_{v} + (1 - X_{v}) \ln(1 - X_{v}) \}$$

The molar free energy of the crystal containing X<sub>v</sub> mol of vacancies

$$\mathbf{G} = \mathbf{G}_{\mathsf{A}} + \Delta \mathbf{G} = \mathbf{G}_{\mathsf{A}} + \Delta \mathbf{H}_{\mathsf{V}} \mathbf{X}_{\mathsf{V}} - \mathsf{T} \Delta \mathbf{S}_{\mathsf{V}} \mathbf{X}_{\mathsf{V}} + \mathsf{RT} \{ \mathbf{X}_{\mathsf{V}} \ln \mathbf{X}_{\mathsf{V}} + (1 - \mathbf{X}_{\mathsf{V}}) \ln(1 - \mathbf{X}_{\mathsf{V}}) \}$$



With this information,

estimate the equilibrium vacancy concentration.

Equilibrium concentration  $X_v^e$  will be that which gives the minimum free energy.



### **Equilibrium Concentration: Point Defects**

• Equilibrium concentration varies with temperature!



### **Measuring Activation Energy**

- <u>We can get Q<sub>v</sub> from</u> <u>an experiment.</u>
- Measure this...

$$\frac{N_{v}}{N} = \exp\left(\frac{-Q_{v}}{kT}\right)$$

• Replot it...



### **Estimating Vacancy Concentration**

- Find the equil. # of vacancies in 1 m<sup>3</sup> of Cu at 1000°C.
- Given:

 $\rho = 8.4 \text{ g/cm}^3 \qquad A_{Cu} = 63.5 \text{ g/mol}$   $Q_V = 0.9 \text{ eV/atom} \qquad N_A = 6.02 \text{ x } 10^{23} \text{ atoms/mol}$   $\frac{N_V}{N} = \exp\left(\frac{-Q_V}{kT}\right) = 2.7 \text{ x } 10^{-4}$  1273 K  $8.62 \text{ x } 10^{-5} \text{ eV/atom-K}$ For 1 m<sup>3</sup>,  $N = \rho \text{ x } \frac{N_A}{A_{Cu}} \text{ x } 1 \text{ m}^3 = 8.0 \text{ x } 10^{28} \text{ sites}$ 

• Answer:

 $N_V$  = (2.7 x 10<sup>-4</sup>)(8.0 x 10<sup>28</sup>) sites = 2.2 x 10<sup>25</sup> vacancies

T<sub>m</sub> of Cu= 1085 °C 25 °C  $n_v = 4.9 \times 10^{13}$  vacancies

### **Observing Equilibrium Vacancy Concentration**

- Low energy electron microscope view of a (110) surface of NiAl
- Increasing T causes surface island of atoms to grow
- Why? The equil. vacancy conc. increases via atom motion from the crystal to the surface, where they join the island



Island grows/shrinks to maintain equil. vancancy conc. in the bulk.

## Imperfections in Metals (i)

Two outcomes if impurity (B) added to host (A):

• Solid solution of B in A (i.e., random dist. of point defects)



 Solid solution of B in A plus particles of a new phase (usually for a larger amount of B) Precipitation!



Second phase particle

- -- different composition
- -- often different structure.

# Solubility

- Unlimited Solubility
  - Hume Rothery' Conditions
    - Similar Size
    - Same Crystal Structure
    - Same Valance
    - Similar Electronegativity
  - Implies single phase
- Limited Solubility

   Implies <u>multiple phases</u>
- No Solubility

   oil and water region



#### **Hume-Rothery Rules for Mixing**

Empirical rules for <u>substitutional solid-solution formation</u> were identified from experiment that are not exact, but give an expectation of formation. Briefly,

#### 1) Atomic Size Factor The 15% Rule

If "size difference" of elements are greater than  $\pm 15\%$ , the lattice distortions (i.e. local lattice strain) are too big and solid-solution will not be favored.

DR%= 
$$\frac{r_{solute} - r_{solvent}}{r_{solvent}} \times 100\%$$
 < ±15% will not disallow formation.

2) Crystal Structure Like elemental crystal structures are better For appreciable solubility, the crystal structure for metals must be the same.

#### 3) Electronegativity $\Delta E \sim 0$ favors solid-solution.

The more electropositive one element and the more electronegative the other, then "intermetallic compounds" (order alloys) are more likely.

#### 4) Valences Higher in lower alright. Lower in higher, it's a fight. A metal will dissolve another metal of higher valency more than one of lower valency.

#### **Hume-Rothery Empirical Rules in Action**

Is solid-solution favorable, or not?

• Cu-Ni Alloys

Rule 1:  $r_{Cu}$  = 0.128 nm and  $r_{Ni}$ = 0.125 nm.DR%= $\frac{r_{solute} - r_{solvent}}{r_{solvent}} x100\%$ = 2.3%favorable  $\sqrt{r_{solvent}}$ 

Rule 2: Ni and Cu have the FCC crystal structure. favorable  $\sqrt{}$ 

Rule 3: 
$$E_{Cu}$$
 = 1.90 and  $E_{Ni}$  = 1.80. Thus,  $\Delta E$ % = -5.2% favorable  $\sqrt{}$ 

Rule 4: Valency of Ni and Cu are both +2. favorable  $\sqrt{}$ 

Expect Ni and Cu forms S.S. over wide composition range.

At high T, it does (helpful processing info), but actually phase separates at low T due to energetics (quantum mechanics).

#### Hume-Rothery Empirical Rules in Action

Is solid-solution favorable, or not?

• Cu-Ag Alloys

Rule 1:  $r_{Cu} = 0.128$  nm and  $r_{Ag} = 0.144$  nm.DR%= $\frac{r_{solute} - r_{solvent}}{r_{solvent}} x100\%$ = 9.4%favorable  $\sqrt{}$ Rule 2: Ag and Cu have the FCC crystal structure.favorable  $\sqrt{}$ favorable  $\sqrt{}$ Rule 3:  $E_{Cu} = 1.90$  and  $E_{Ni} = 1.80$ . Thus, DE% = -5.2%favorable  $\sqrt{}$ Rule 4: Valency of Cu is +2 and Ag is +1.NOTfavorable

Expect Ag and Cu have limited solubility.

In fact, the Cu-Ag phase diagram (T vs. c) shows that a solubility of only 18% Ag can be achieved at high T in the Cu-rich alloys.

**Cu-Ni Alloys** 

**Cu-Ag Alloys** 



complete solid solution

limited solid solution

Alloying: atoms mixed on a lattice is solid solution and ordered compound

#### Solid Solution vs. Intermetallic Compound



ruthenium 루테늄《백금류의 금속 원소;기호 Ru, 번호 44》

#### Solid Solution vs. Intermetallic Compounds



Assumption: a simple physical model for "binary solid solutions"

: in order to introduce some of the basic concepts of the thermodynamics of alloys

### Composition

- Definition: Amount of impurity (B) and host (A) in the system
- > Two descriptions:

Weight %
$$C_B = \frac{\text{mass of B}}{\text{total mass}} \times 100$$
 $C'_B = \frac{\# \text{ atoms of B}}{\text{total # atoms}} \times 100$ 
Conversion between wt % and at% in an A-B alloy:
 $C_B = \frac{C'_BAB}{C'_AA_A + C'_BAB} \times 100$ 
 $C'_B = \frac{C_B/AB}{C_A/A_A + C_B/AB}$ 
Basis for conversion:  
mass of B = moles of B x AB  
mass of A = moles of A x AA

### **Particles of New Phase in Solid-Solution Alloys**

• Solid solution of B in A plus particles of a new phase (usually for a larger amount of B)



Second phase particle --different composition

--often different structure.

Solid Solution phase: B atoms in A

\* Microstructure control : Secondary phase control

#### **Mechanism of Precipitation**



\* Microstructure control : Secondary phase control

### Effect of Second Phase Particle on Mechanical Property



Ni<sub>3</sub>Si particles in Ni-6%Si single crystal

## Point Defects in Ceramics (i)

- Vacancies
  - -- vacancies exist in ceramics for both cations and anions
- Interstitials
  - -- interstitials exist for cations
  - -- interstitials are not normally observed for anions because anions are large relative to the interstitial sites



# Point Defects in Ceramics (ii)

Should consider : Electrical charge neutrality

- Frenkel Defect
  - -- a cation vacancy-cation interstitial pair.
- Shottky Defect
  - -- a paired set of cation and anion vacancies.



Fig. 6.3, Callister & Rethwisch 9e. (From W.G. Moffatt, G.W. Pearsall, and J. Wulff, The Structure and Properties of Materials, Vol. 1, Structure, p.78. Copyright ©1964 by John Wiley & Sons, New York. Reprinted by permission of John Wiley and Sons, Inc.)

• Equilibrium concentration of defects

## **Imperfections in Ceramics**

• Electroneutrality (charge balance) must be maintained when impurities are present



# The value of seeing nothing

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Figure now you see it, now you don't. These micrographs of a **SrTiO<sub>3</sub> crystal** show <u>the effect</u> <u>of removing oxygen atoms, leaving vacancies in the crystal lattice</u>: the glistening oxidized gem (left) is transformed into a **dull blue, conductive crystal** (right).

### Oxygen vacancy V<sub>o</sub> + 2e'

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### **Point Defects in Polymers**

 Defects due in part to chain packing errors and impurities such as chain ends and side chains



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 > Atom %  $C'_B = \frac{\text{\# atoms of B}}{\text{total \# atoms}} \times 100$ 

- Imperfection in Ceramics: Electroneutrality (charge balance) must be maintained when impurities are present.
- Point defects in polymer: defects due in part to chain packing errors and impurities such as chain ends and side chains