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***English for professional purposes***

## ***Workshop 1***

# **Introduction into the discipline**

# SMALL TALKS

- ✓ Strangers
- ✓ People we don't know well
- ✓ Parties, elevators, meetings, class, etc.
- ✓ Make people feel comfortable



# Everyday Conversations:



# Formal Greetings

**JAMES:**

Good morning, Professor Austin,  
how are you doing?

**PROFESSOR AUSTIN:**

Good morning, James. I am doing well.  
And you?

**JAMES:**

I'm great, thank you. This is my friend Emma.  
She is thinking about applying to this college.  
She has a few questions. Would you mind  
telling us about the process, please?

**PROFESSOR AUSTIN:**

Hello, Emma! It's a pleasure to meet you.  
I'm more than happy to speak with you.  
Please stop by my office next week.

**EMMA:**

It's a pleasure to meet you, professor.  
Thank you so much for helping us.

**PROFESSOR AUSTIN:**

Don't mention it. Hopefully, I will be able to  
answer your questions!

# LANGUAGE NOTES

- The greetings *good morning/good afternoon/good evening* are used at different times of the day to greet people. “Good evening” is often used after 6 p.m. or generally when the sun has set.
- “Good night” is not a greeting: It is used when leaving a place or group of people. *Thank you and good night!/Good night, and see you tomorrow.*
- When people meet in the United States, it is customary for them to shake hands. A handshake should be firm and usually lasts for about two to three seconds — which allows enough time to say “Nice to meet you.”
- “Don’t mention it” is another way of saying “You’re welcome.” The phrase “You are welcome” is more formal. However, responses such as *Don’t mention it./No problem./Happy to help.* are informal ways of responding to a thank you.

# Business

## Topics that are not allowed for conversation

- **Politics,**
- **religion,**
- **sports achievements of a particular team,**
- **Weather, office**

- **the level of the interlocutor**
- **Spare us the theatrics, fake compliments**
- **flexibility in the conversation (a person is not interested)**
- **avoid blanks (intimacy in communication)**

# Informal Greetings and Farewells

**JANE:** Hi, Helen! How's it going?

**HELEN:** Fine, thanks — and you?

**JANE:** Just fine. Where are you off to?

**HELEN:** To the library. I've got a history exam next week and need to start studying. Ugh.

**JANE:** Oh, no. Well, I'll see you later then. Good luck!

**HELEN:** Thanks. See you later.



# LANGUAGE NOTES

- **“Hi”** is an informal way of saying **“hello.”** Notice that the **“i”** sound in **“hi”** is extended, to show that Jane is very pleased to see Helen.
- **“How’s it going?”** is an informal way of saying **“How are you?”**
- **“Fine, thanks—and you?”** Notice the rising intonation on **“and you?”**  
This shows that Helen is interested in what Jane has to say.
- **“Where are you off to?”** is an informal way of saying **“Where are you going?”** Notice the falling intonation since this is an information question, not a **“yes/no”** question.
- **“To the library.”** Notice that Helen does not say **“I’m going”** here because that information was already established in the question **“Where are you off to?”**
- **“Oh, no”** is a way of saying **“I sympathize with you”** or **“I understand you are not happy.”**
- **“See you later”** is an informal way of saying **“goodbye.”**



# INFORMAL CONVERSATION

## Better conversation with **FORD**

**F**amily

**O**ccupation

**R**ecreation

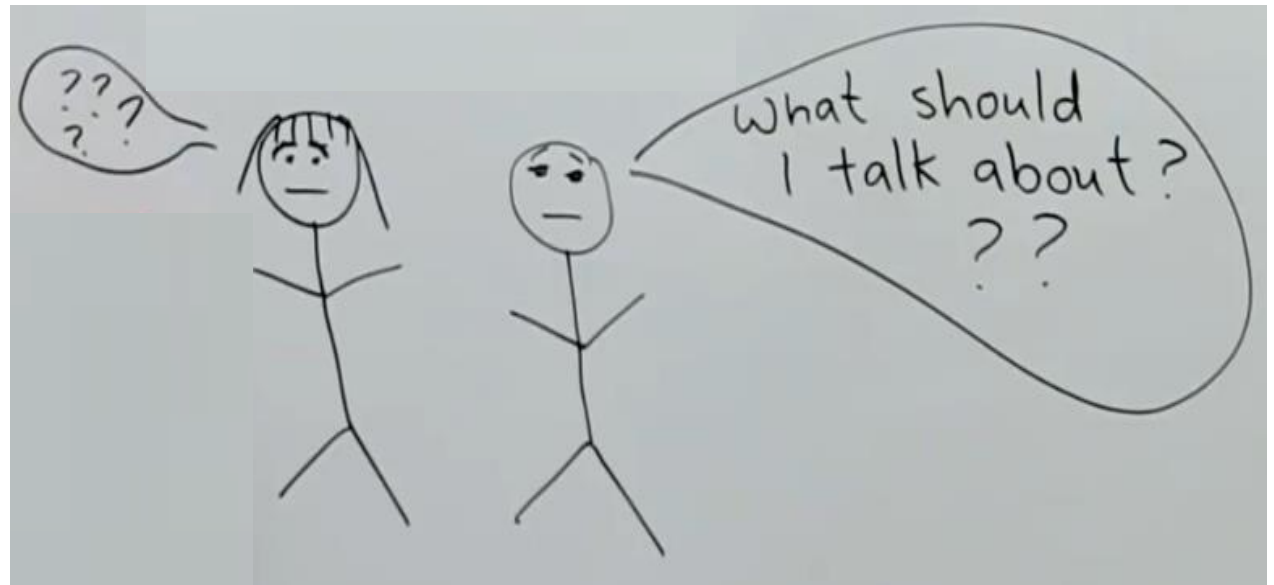
**D**reams

Keep it light/easy

Make the person comfortable with comfortable topics

Find similarities

Smile, listen, learn



What's keeping you busy these days?

That's interesting! How did you get involved with that?

**Occupation**

How long have you been in your field?

What's the best part of your job?

No talk on \$\$\$ X

Any plans for the summer?

If you could travel anywhere, where would you go?

**Dreams**

What will you do once you finish that project? course?

What do you want to read next?

Where are you from originally?

Where did you grow up?

**Family**

Do you still have family there?

How did you meet \_\_\_\_\_?

Do you have any brothers or sisters?

Do you come from a big family?

How is your family? How are your children?

What's your dog's name?

What do you do for fun?

Do you play any sports?

Have you seen any good movies recently?

**Recreation**

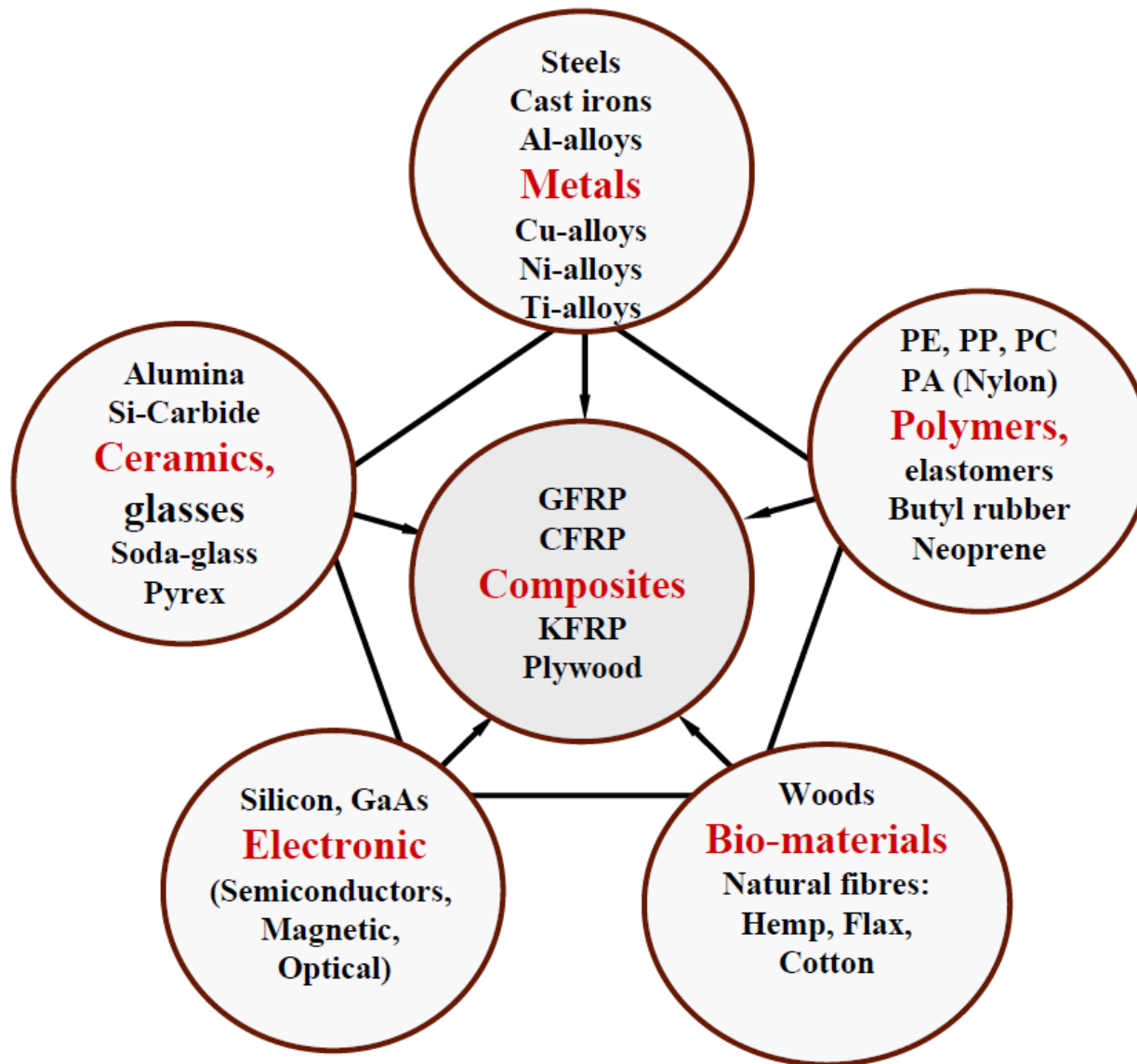
How did you become interested in that?

Did you hear Radiohead's new album?

# **WAS: Home task #1**

- **Prepare, write and present 2 dialogs on Formal/Informal Greetings and Farewells.**

# The world of materials:



# Important properties of solid materials

- **mechanical,**
- **electrical,**
- **thermal,**
- **magnetic,**
- **optical, and**
- **Deteriorative (get worse)**

# Solids

we are interested in their mechanical properties...



oxide



polymer

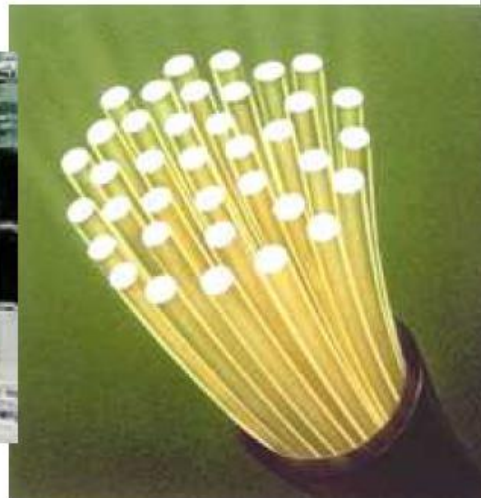


metal



polymer

we are interested in their **electronic** properties...

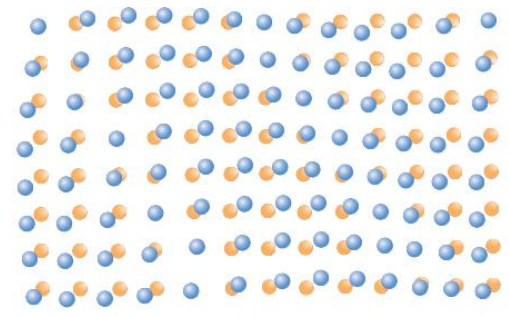


# We are interested in thermal properties ...

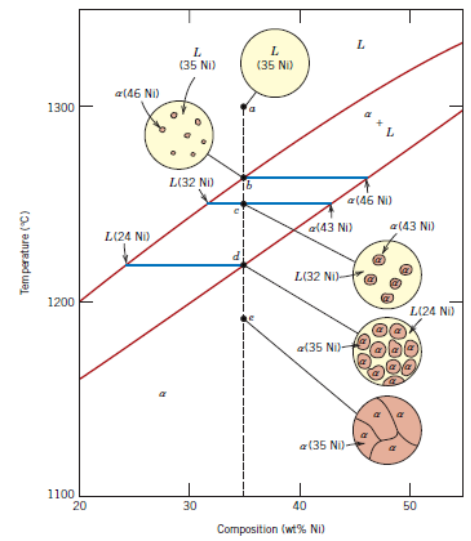


**THERMAL EXPANSION**

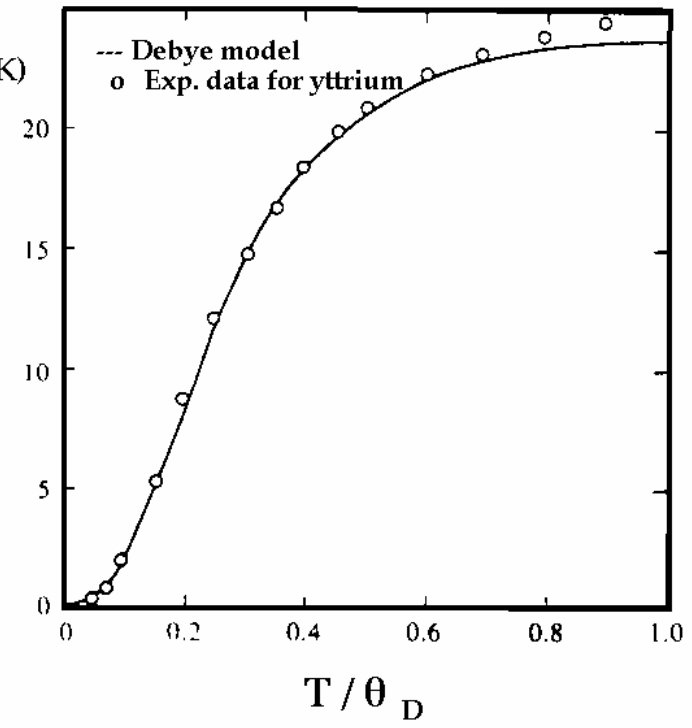
**THERMAL CONDUCTIVITY**



**Heat Capacity**



**C (J/mole K)**





# We are interested in Deteriorative properties ...



*Radiation Effects*

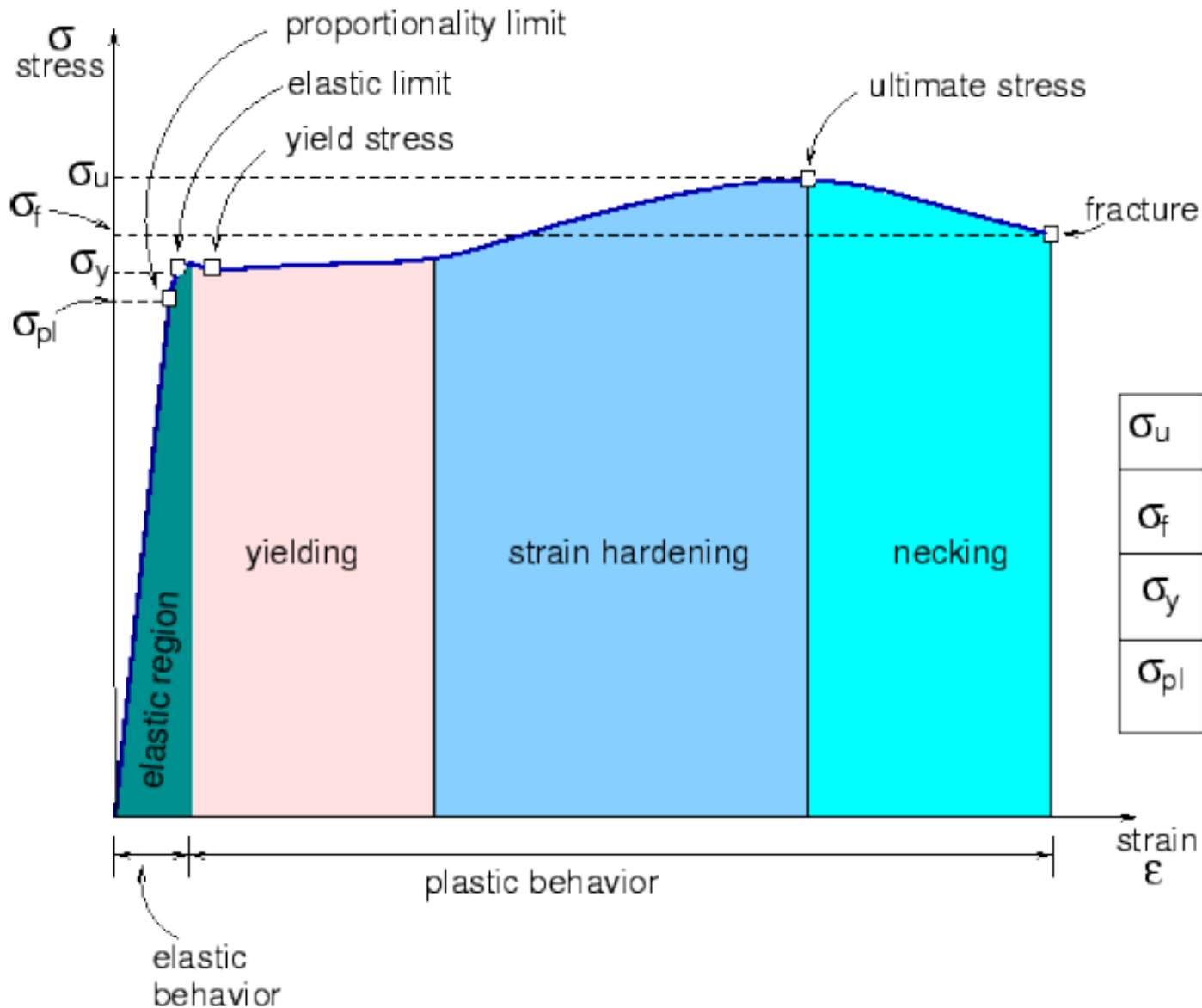


*Corrosion and Degradation of Materials*

*Chemical Reaction*



## Part 2. Let's remember

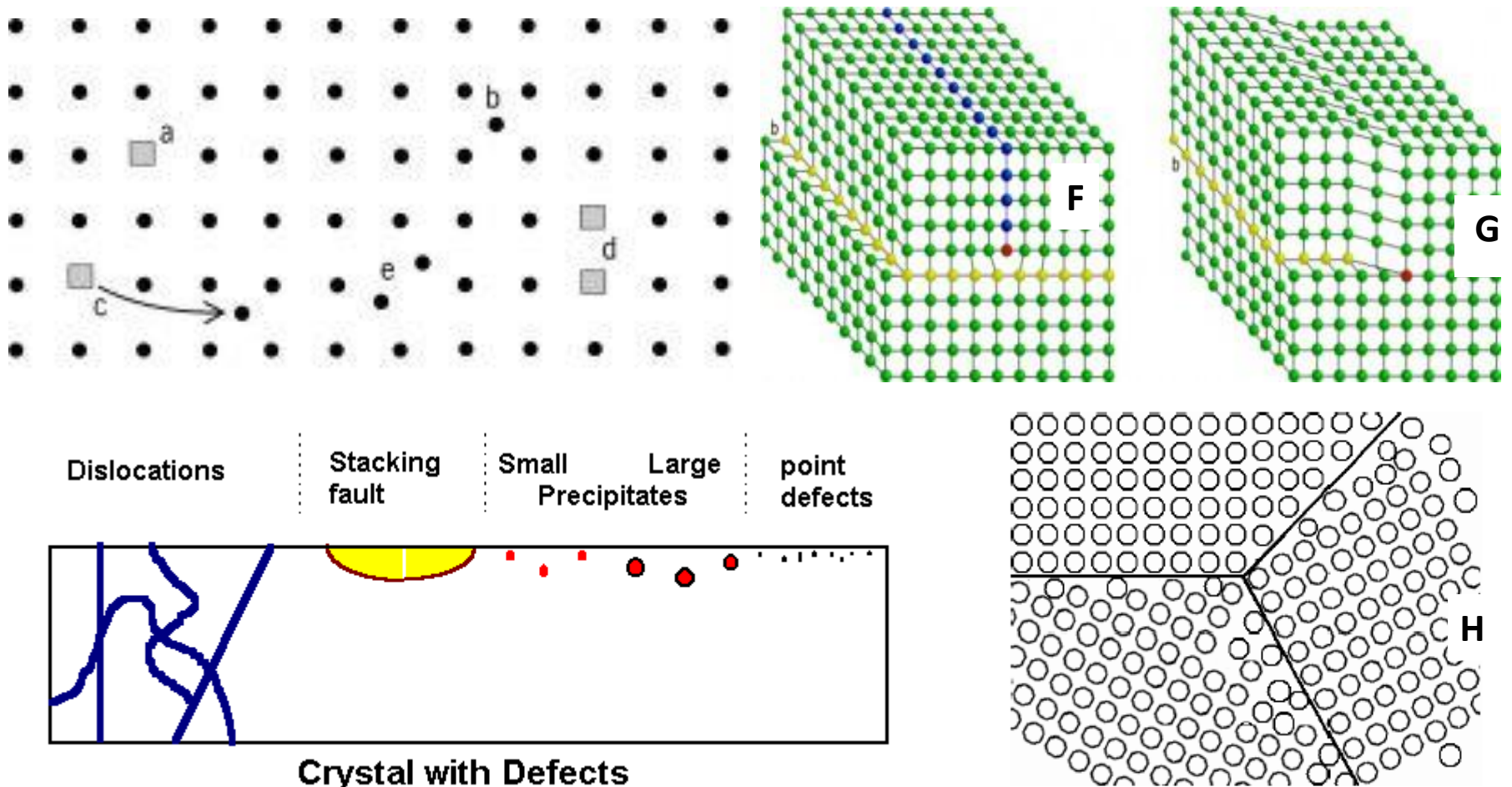


# Quiz

1. What is Hook's law?
2. What is elastic and proportional limit?
3. How is the elastic modulus measured from the stress-strain curve?
4. What is yield stress?
5. What is 0.2% proof stress?
6. What is ductile and brittle behavior?
7. What is true stress and strain. Deduce the relationship between true and engineering stress and strain.
8. What is shear stress and strain
9. What is Poisson's ratio?
10. What are structure-sensitive and structure insensitive properties?

# Part 2a. Defects and solid solution hardening

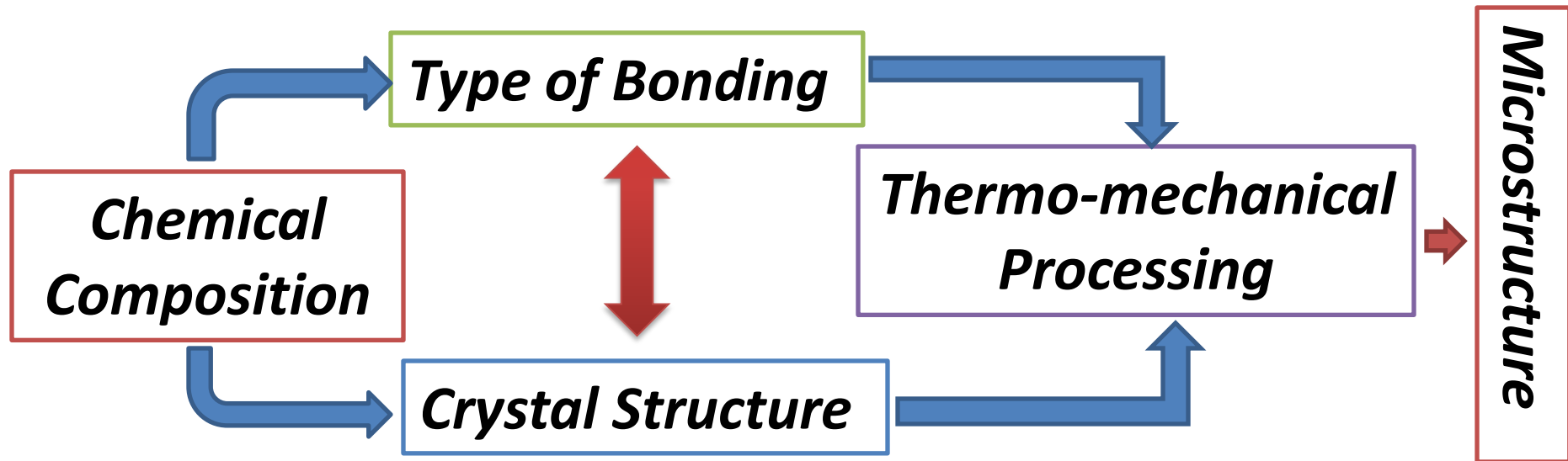
**Task 1.** List all possible defects of crystals, you know, and give a definition to them.



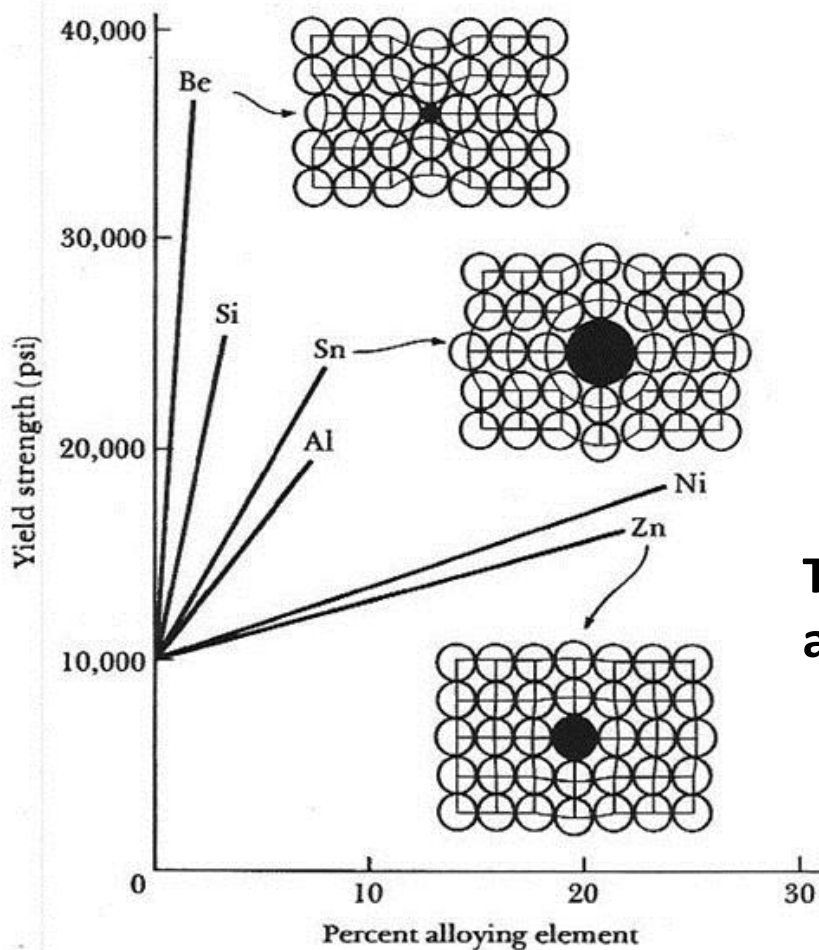
The defects have a profound effect on the macroscopic properties of materials

***Bonding + Structure + Defects = Properties***

The processing determines the defects



## Part 2b. Solid solution hardening



**Task 2:** Study the picture on the left and discuss possible reasons for significant changes of strength and plastic properties of copper

**Task 3:** What is solid-solution strengthening?

The number of vacancies formed by thermal agitation follows an Arrhenius type of equation:

$$N_V = N_A \exp \left[ -\frac{Q_V}{kT} \right]$$

where  $N_A$  = the total number of atoms in the solid,  
 $Q_V$  = the energy required to form a vacancy (per atom or per mole),  
 $k$  = Boltzmann constant,  $R$  = the gas constant and  
 $T$  = the temperature in Kelvin.

**Example:** Calculate equilibrium number of vacancies per cubic meter for copper at 1000°C

**Given:**

Activation Energy per vacancy = 0.9 eV/atom;

atomic weight of copper = 63.5 g/mol ;

and density at 1000°C = 8.40 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Boltzmann's constant  $k_B = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K} = 8.62 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV/K}$

# Solution:

Determine  $N$ , number of atomic sites per cubic meter for  $Cu$

$$N = \frac{N_a \rho}{A_{Cu}} = \frac{\left(6.023 \times 10^{23} \frac{\text{atoms}}{\text{mol}}\right) \left(8.40 \frac{\text{g}}{\text{cm}^3}\right) \left(10^6 \frac{\text{cm}^3}{\text{m}^3}\right)}{63.5 \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mol}}} = 8.0 \cdot 10^{28} \frac{\text{atoms}}{\text{m}^3}$$

Thus, the number of vacancies at 1000°C (1273 K) is equal to:

$$N_v = N \exp\left(-\frac{Q_v}{kT}\right) = \left(8 \cdot 10^{28} \frac{\text{atoms}}{\text{m}^3}\right) \exp\left(\frac{(0.9\text{eV})}{\left(8,62 \cdot 10^5 \frac{\text{eV}}{\text{K}}\right)(1273\text{K})}\right) = 2.2 \cdot 10^{25} \frac{\text{vacancies}}{\text{m}^3}$$

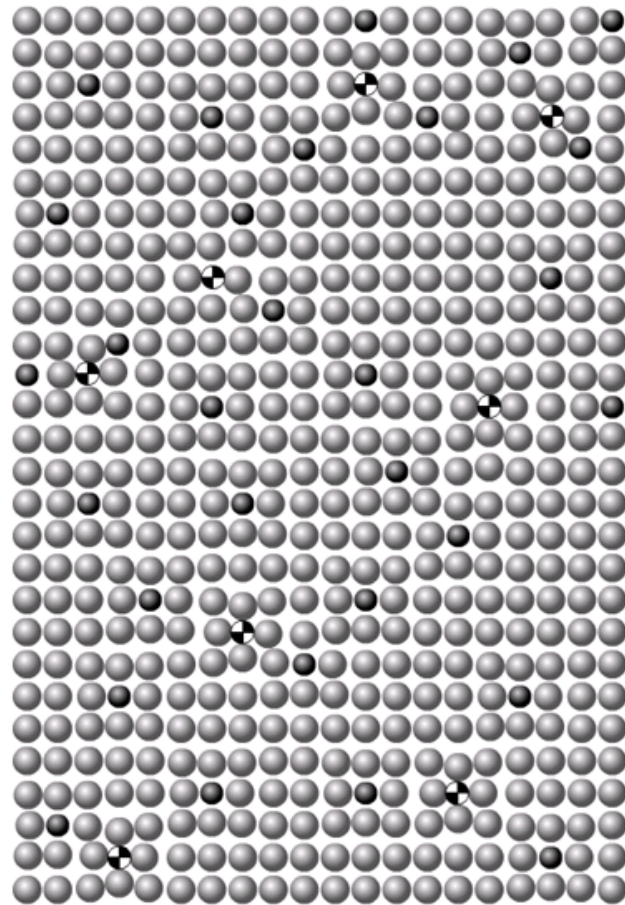


## Home task #2

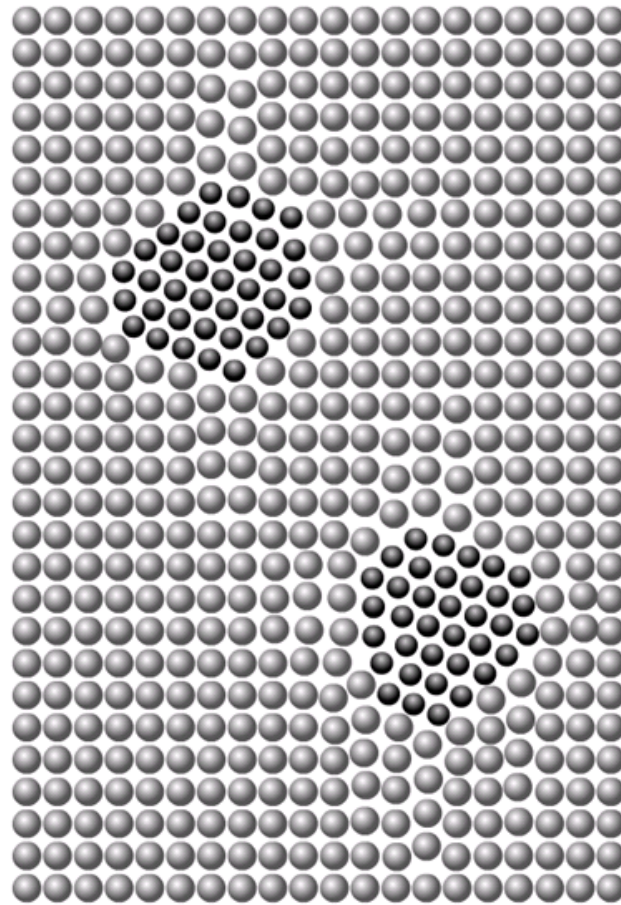
Calculate the equilibrium number of vacancies per cubic meter for silver at 800°C. The energy of vacancy formation is 1.10 eV/atom; the atomic weight and density (at 800°C) for silver are 107,9 g/mol and 9,5 g/cm<sup>3</sup>, respectively. Boltzmann's constant  $k = 8,62 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV / atom} \cdot \text{K}$ . Write your solution and be ready to explain it (orally). You should be able to read all mathematical expressions.

# Part 2c. Precipitate hardening

**Task 2:** Study the pictures and discuss possible reasons for significant changes of strength and plastic properties of this material



After Quenching



After Aging



Vacancy

**Examples:** Calculate the critical radius (in nanometers) of a homogeneous nucleus that forms when pure liquid copper solidifies. Assume  $\Delta T(\text{undercooling}) = 0.2T_{melt}$ .

**Given:** For *Cu*  $T_m = 1083^\circ\text{C}$ ;

Heat of fusion  $\Delta H_f = 1826 \text{ J/cm}^3$ ;

Surface Energy  $\gamma = 177 \times 10^{-7} \text{ J/cm}^2$ ;

Lattice parameter of FCC copper  $a = 0.361 \text{ nm}$ .

Calculate the number of atoms in the critical-sized nucleus at this undercooling.

# Solution:

We make use of the equation for a spherical nucleus to calculate the size of the critical nucleus

$$r_0 = \frac{2\gamma T_m}{\Delta H_f \Delta T} = \frac{2(177 \cdot 10^{-7} \text{ J.cm}^{-2}) T_m}{(1826 \text{ J.cm}^{-3})(0.2 T_m)} = 9.69 \cdot 10^{-8} \text{ cm} = 0.969 \text{ nm}$$

Then, the volume of the critical nucleus is

$$V_{crit\_nucleus} = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3 = \frac{4}{3} \pi (0.97)^3 = 3.82 \text{ nm}^3$$

The volume of an FCC cell is

$$V_{cell} = a^3 = (0.361 \text{ nm})^3 = 0.047 \text{ nm}^3$$

**The number of cells in the critical nucleus is**

$$\frac{V_{crit\_nucleus}}{V_{cell}} = \frac{3.82nm^3}{0.047nm^3} = 81.34 \text{ cells}$$

**As the number of atoms in an FCC cell is 4 then the total number of atoms is**

$$\text{total number of atoms} = 4 \cdot 81.34 = 325 \text{ atoms}$$

## Home task #3

**Q.3 For the solidification of iron, calculate the critical radius  $r^*$  and the activation free energy  $G^*$  if nucleation is homogeneous. Values for the latent heat of fusion and surface free energy are  $-1.85 \cdot 10^9 \text{ J/m}^3$  and  $0.204 \text{ J/m}^2$ , respectively. Use the supercooling value found in Table 1. (b) Now calculate the number of atoms found in a nucleus of critical size. Assume a lattice parameter of  $0.292 \text{ nm}$  for solid iron at its melting temperature.**

metal	$\Delta T(^{\circ}\text{C})$
Germanium	227
Silver	227
Gold	230
Copper	236
Iron	295
Nikel	319
Cobalt	330
Palladium	332