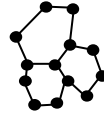


# STRUCTURE AND PROPERTIES OF SOLIDS

## 1. Types of solids

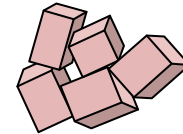
AMORPHOUS – irregular arrangement of molecules



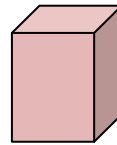
CRYSTALLINE – regular arrangement of molecules – crystal lattice



polycrystals – more „cores“, isotropic (same properties in all directions)  
see attachment



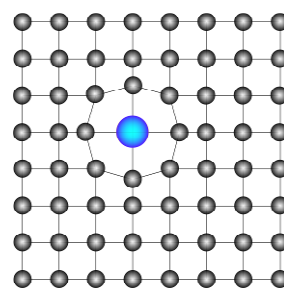
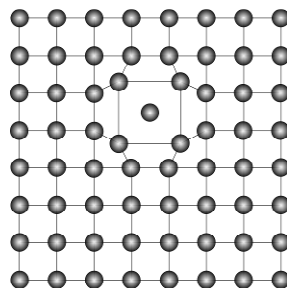
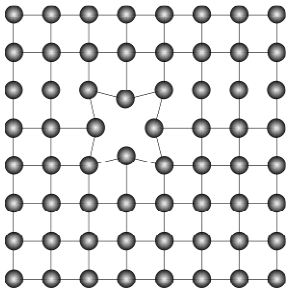
monocrystals – one lattice only, can be anisotropic



Find an example for all of the previous types of solids.

## 2. Dislocations

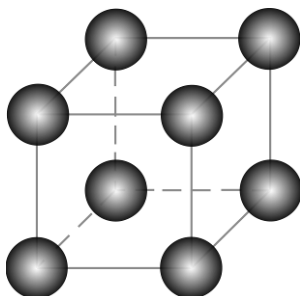
= irregularities in a crystal lattice – atom(s) missing, extra atoms, atoms of different elements



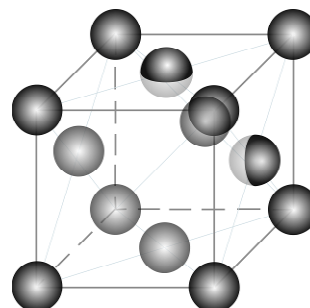
## 3. Ideal crystal lattice

unit cell – repeated over and over again

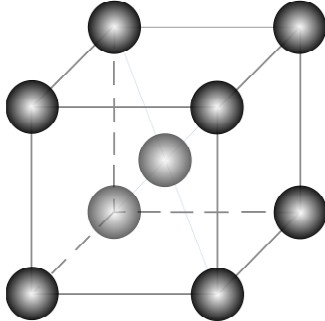
CUBIC  
Po alpha



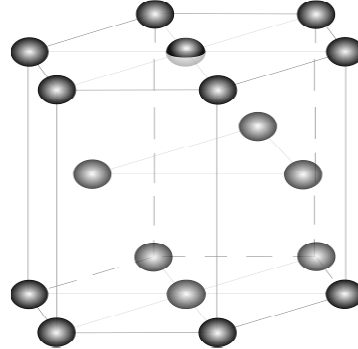
FACE-CENTRED CUBIC (FCC)  
Al, Ni, Cu, Ag, Au, Fe  $\gamma$



BODY-CENTRED CUBIC (BCC)  
Li, Na, Cr, K, W, Fe  $\alpha$



HEXAGONAL CLOSE-PACKING (HCP)  
Zn, Mg

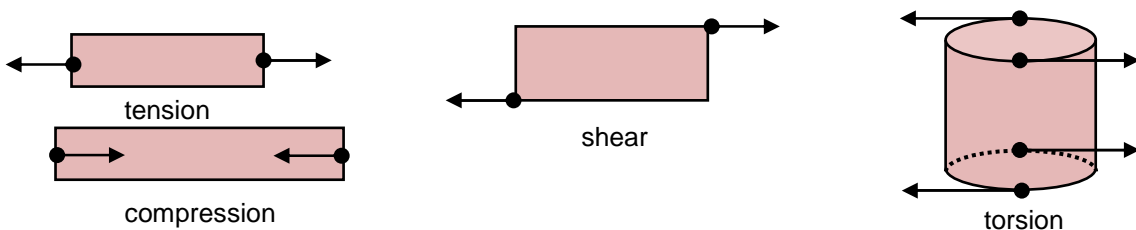


**Questions:**

1. How many Al atoms belong to one unit FCC on average?
2. Calculate the density of Al. Assume FCC,  $a = 0.405 \text{ nm}$ ,  $\text{RAM} = 26.98$
3. How many atoms belong to (on average) a simple cubic cell  
BCC cell
4. Calculate the side of a BCC cell of iron alpha. Assume  $\text{RAM}=55.85$ , density  $7870 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}^{-3}$ .

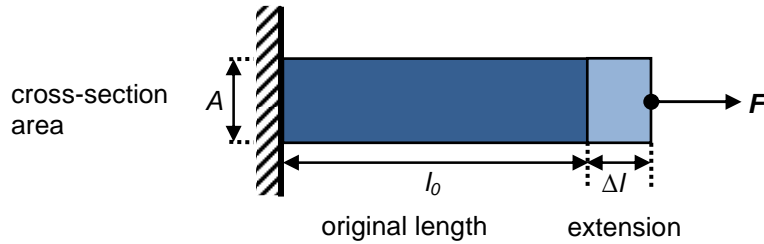
**4. Deformation of a solid**

- ELASTIC – is temporary, when the force is removed the object returns to its original size and shape
- PLASTIC – is permanent

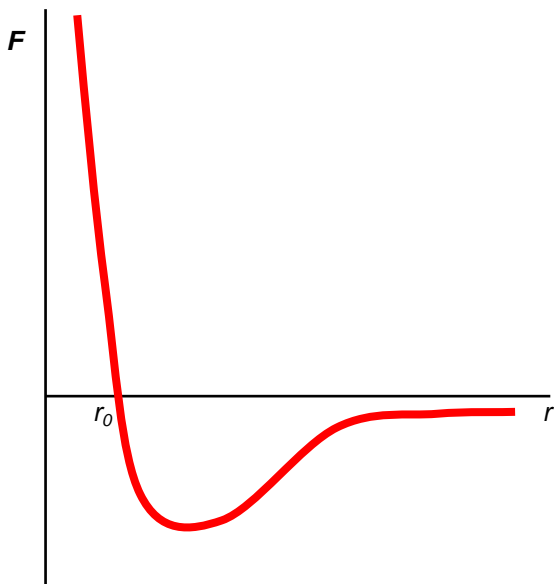


## 5. Stress ( $\sigma$ ) and strain ( $\varepsilon$ ), force and extension ( $\Delta l$ )

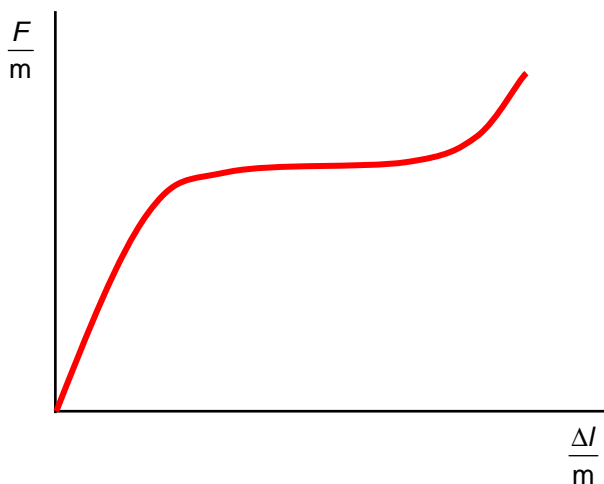
A wire is under tension – particles move further and they attract each other ( $F$ - $r$  graph),  
at the beginning  $F \propto \Delta l$



force separation graph ( $F$ - $r$  graph)



the curve of deformation

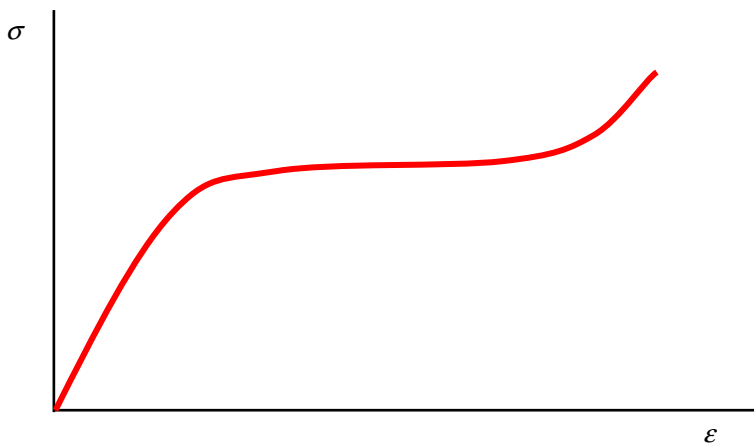


The curve has different shape for each material, but for different samples ( $A, l_0$ ) of the same material it is similar. This is important for designers – they can choose suitable material. To compare the materials, a stress - strain curve is better.

$$\text{stress : } \sigma = \frac{F}{A} \quad [\sigma] = \text{N} \cdot \text{m}^{-2} = \text{Pa}$$

$$\text{strain : } \varepsilon = \frac{\Delta l}{l_0} \quad [\varepsilon] \dots \text{ no unit}$$

stress-strain curve



label the points :

P ... limit of proportionality

E ... limit of elasticity – limit for temporary deformation

Y ... yield point – yielding/creeping of the material – min  $\Delta\sigma$  causes big strain (extension)

B ... breaking stress/ultimate tensile strength - important quantity

in the book of data :  $\sigma_B$

steel	350 – 2000 MPa
aluminium	70 – 190 MPa

## 6. Hooke's Law (1676)

is valid until the limit of proportionality!

$$\sigma = E\varepsilon$$

$$\text{or } \frac{F}{A} = E \frac{\Delta l}{l_0}$$

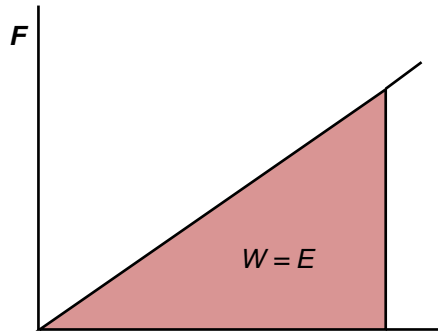
$E$  ... Young modulus – material constant in the book of data

$$E = \frac{\sigma}{\varepsilon} = \frac{F/l_0}{A\Delta l} \Rightarrow \{E\} = \{F\} \Leftrightarrow A = 1\text{m}^2 \wedge \Delta l = 1\text{m} \wedge l_0 = 1\text{m}$$

material	steel	aluminium	copper
$\frac{E}{\text{MPa}}$	$220 \times 10^3$	$67 \times 10^3$	$125 \times 10^3$

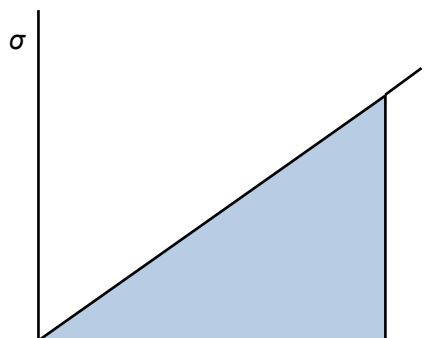
## 7. Elastic energy

revision – area under the force-displacement/distance graph = work done



$$W = \frac{1}{2} F \Delta l = E \quad \text{energy stored in a given stretched sample}$$

What does the area under stress-strain curve represent?



$$\text{area under} = \frac{1}{2} \sigma \varepsilon = \frac{1}{2} \frac{F \Delta l}{A l_0} = \frac{\text{energy stored in a sample}}{\text{volume of the sample}} = \text{energy stored in } 1 \text{ m}^3 = \text{energy density of the material under this stress}$$

### Questions:

5. What is the change of stress of an iron wire, when the stretching force rises 9 times and diameter of the wire 3 times?

6. What is the length of a copper wire suspended vertically when it breaks just because of its weight? Take density of copper  $8930 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^{-3}$ , breaking stress 180 - 450 MPa, acceleration due to gravity  $9,81 \text{ m} \cdot \text{s}^{-2}$ .

## PRACTICALS

**Compare the Young modulus of the materials, draw force-extension graphs and discuss.**

**Equipment:** steel string, fishing wire, micrometer screw gauge or callipers, meter, loads

**steel string**

$l_0 =$                        $d =$                        $A =$

**fishing wire**

$l_0 =$                        $d =$                        $A =$

	steel string				fishing wire			
	$\frac{F}{N}$	$\frac{l}{m}$	$\frac{\Delta l}{m}$	$\frac{E}{MPa}$	$\frac{F}{N}$	$\frac{l}{m}$	$\frac{\Delta l}{m}$	$\frac{E}{MPa}$
1								
2								
3								
4								
5								

$E =$

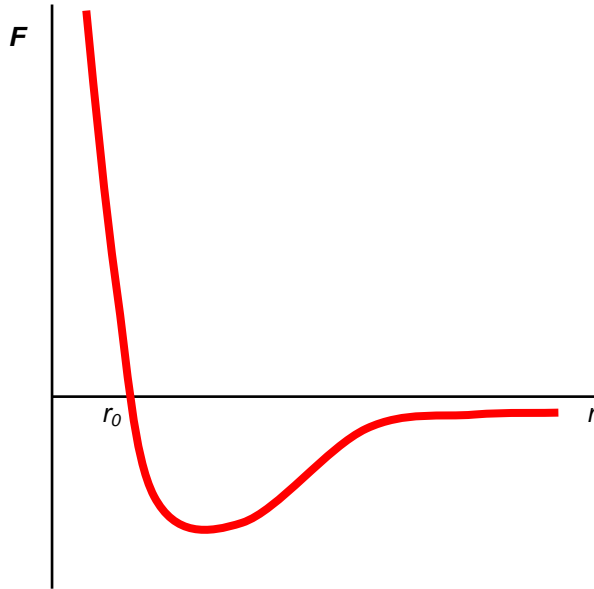
$E =$

**Graphs:**

**Discussion:**

## 8. Thermal expansion of solids

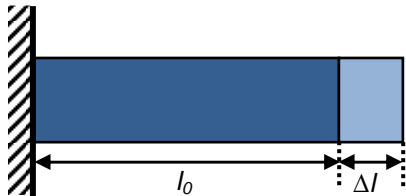
To explain why particles move further apart when the temperature rises we can use a F-r graph again



at very low temperatures – symmetrical vibrations round equilibrium

higher temperatures – asymmetrical vibrations with displacement bigger on extension side

### a) linear expansion



heat taken in – extension depends on the original length, temperature change and MATERIAL

$\alpha$  ... linear expansivity, material constant

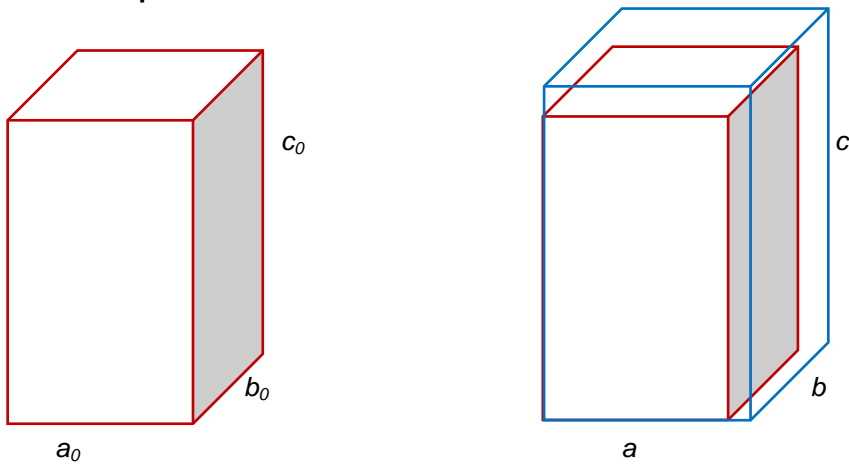
$$\alpha = \frac{\Delta l}{l_0 \Delta t} \quad \{\alpha\} = \{\Delta l\} \Leftrightarrow l_0 = 1\text{m} \wedge \Delta t = 1\text{K}$$

$$[\alpha] = \text{K}^{-1}$$

$$\text{new length } l = l_0 + \Delta l = l_0 + l_0 \alpha \Delta t = l_0 (1 + \alpha \Delta t)$$

	copper	aluminium	iron
$\frac{\alpha}{10^{-5}\text{K}^{-1}}$	1.7	2.4	1.2

**b) volume expansion**



$$V = abc = a_0(1 + \alpha\Delta t)b_0(1 + \alpha\Delta t)c_0(1 + \alpha\Delta t) = V_0(1 + \alpha\Delta t)^3 \approx V_0(1 + 3\alpha\Delta t)$$

**Questions:**

7. Calculate the force needed to apply on a steel rod of cross-section  $5 \text{ cm}^2$  so that it extends by the same value as if it were heated by  $1^\circ\text{C}$ . Assume linear expansivity of steel  $1,2 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ K}^{-1}$  and its Young modulus  $200 \text{ GPa}$ .

8. A steel measuring tape is calibrated at  $20^\circ\text{C}$ . We measure the length of  $35 \text{ m}$  when the temperature is  $30^\circ\text{C}$ . State the precise length. Assume the linear expansivity of steel  $\alpha = 1,2 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ K}^{-1}$ .

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**Answers:**

1.  $1+3=4$
2.  $2700 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}^{-3}$
3. 1; 2
4.  $0.287 \text{ nm}$
5. it stays the same
6.  $2\,055 \text{ m} - 5\,137 \text{ m}$
7.  $1\,200 \text{ N}$
8.  $35.0042 \text{ m}$



## ATTACHMENT - CRYSTALS



kazivec  
fluorite



galenit  
galena



kalcit  
calcite



kuprit  
cuprite



bauxit  
bauxite



granát  
garnet



síra  
sulphur



chlorid sodný  
halite



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