## **CHAPTER 2. NATURE OF MATERIALS**

- **2.1.** See Section 2.2.1.
- **2.2.** See Section 2.1.
- **2.3.** See Section 2.1.1.
- **2.4.** See Section 2.1.1.
- **2.5.** See Section 2.1.2.
- **2.6.** See Section 2.2.1.
- **2.7.** See Section 2.1.2.
- **2.8.** See Section 2.2.1.
- **2.9.** See Section 2.2.1.
- **2.10.** If the atomic masses and radii are the same, then the material that crystalizes into a lattice with a higher APF will have a larger density. The FCC structure has a higher APF than the BCC structure.
- **2.11.** For the face-center cubic crystal structure, number of equivalent whole atoms in each unit cell = 4

By inspection the diagonal of the face of a FCC unit cell = 4r Using Pythagorean theory:  $(4r)^2 = a^2 + a^2$  $16r^2 = 2 a^2$  $8r^2 = a^2$  $a = 2\sqrt{2}r$ 

**2.12.** a. Number of equivalent whole atoms in each unit cell in the BCC lattice structure = 2

b. Volume of the sphere = (4/3)  $\pi r^3$ Volume of atoms in the unit cell = 2 x (4/3)  $\pi r^3$  = (8/3)  $\pi r^3$ By inspection, the diagonal of the cube of a BCC unit cell = 4r =  $\sqrt{a^2 + a^2 + a^2} = a\sqrt{3}$ a = Length of each side of the unit cell =  $\frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}$  c. Volume of the unit cell =  $\left[\frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}\right]^3$  $APF = \frac{volume \ of \ atoms \ in \ the \ unit \ cell}{total \ unit \ volume \ of \ the \ cell} = \frac{(8/3)\pi r^3}{(4r/\sqrt{3})^3} = 0.68$ 

- **2.13.** For the BCC lattice structure:  $a = \frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}$ Volume of the unit cell of iron  $= \left[\frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}\right]^3 = \left[\frac{4x0.124x10^{-9}}{\sqrt{3}}\right]^3 = 2.348 \times 10^{-29} \,\mathrm{m}^3$
- **2.14.** For the FCC lattice structure:  $a = 2\sqrt{2}r$ Vol. of unit cell of aluminum =  $(2\sqrt{2}r)^3 = (2\sqrt{2}x0.143)^3 = 0.06616725$  nm<sup>3</sup> = **6.6167x10<sup>-29</sup> m<sup>3</sup>**
- **2.15.** From Table 2.3, copper has an FCC lattice structure and r of 0.1278 nm Volume of the unit cell of copper = $(2\sqrt{2}r)^3 = (2\sqrt{2}x0.1278)^3 = 0.04723$  nm<sup>3</sup> = 4.723 x10<sup>-29</sup> m<sup>3</sup>

2.16. For the BCC lattice structure: 
$$a = \frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}$$
  
Volume of the unit cell of iron  $= \left[\frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}\right]^3 = \left[\frac{4x0.124x10^{-9}}{\sqrt{3}}\right]^3 = 2.348 \text{ x } 10^{-29} \text{ m}^3$   
Density  $= \rho = \frac{nA}{V_c N_A}$   
n = Number of equivalent atoms in the unit cell = 2  
A = Atomic mass of the element = 55.9 g/mole  
N<sub>A</sub>= Avogadro's number = 6.023 x  $10^{23}$   
 $\rho = \frac{2x55.9}{2.348x10^{-29}x6.023x10^{23}} = 7.904 \text{ x } 10^6 \text{ g/m}^3 = 7.904 \text{ Mg/m}^3$ 

2.17. For the BCC lattice structure: 
$$a = \frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}$$
  
Vol. of the unit cell of molybdenum  $= \left[\frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}\right]^3 = \left[\frac{4x0.1363x10^{-9}}{\sqrt{3}}\right]^3 = 3.119 \times 10^{-29} \text{ m}^3$   
 $\rho = \frac{nA}{V_C N_A} = \frac{2x95.94}{3.119x10^{-29}x6.023x10^{23}} = 10.215 \times 10^6 \text{ g/m}^3 = 10.215 \text{ Mg/ m}^3$ 

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**2.18.** For the BCC lattice structure:  $a = \frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}$ 

Volume of the unit cell of the metal =  $\left[\frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}\right]^3 = \left[\frac{4x0.128x10^{-9}}{\sqrt{3}}\right]^3 = 2.583 \times 10^{-29} \text{ m}^3$ 

$$\rho = \frac{nA}{V_C N_A} = \frac{2x63.5}{2.583x10^{-29}x6.023x10^{23}} = 8.163 \text{ x } 10^6 \text{ g/m}^3 = 8.163 \text{ Mg/ m}^3$$

2.19. For the FCC lattice structure: 
$$a = 2\sqrt{2r}$$
  
Volume of unit cell of the metal =  $(2\sqrt{2r})^3 = (2\sqrt{2x}0.132)^3 = 0.05204 \text{ nm}^3 = 5.204 \text{x} 10^{-29} \text{ m}^3$   
 $\rho = \frac{nA}{V_C N_A} = \frac{4x42.9}{5.204x10^{-29}x6.023x10^{23}} = 5.475 \text{ x} 10^6 \text{ g/m}^3 = 5.475 \text{ Mg/ m}^3$ 

**2.20.** For the FCC lattice structure: 
$$a = 2\sqrt{2r}$$
  
Volume of unit cell of aluminum =  $(2\sqrt{2r})^3 = (2\sqrt{2x}0.143)^3 = 0.06616725 \text{ nm}^3 = 6.6167 \text{x} 10^{-29} \text{ m}^3$   
Density =  $\rho = \frac{nA}{V_C N_A}$   
For FCC lattice structure, n = 4  
A = Atomic mass of the element = 26.98 g/mole

N<sub>A</sub>= Avogadro's number = 6.023 x 10<sup>23</sup>  

$$\rho = \frac{4x26.98}{6.6167x10^{-29}x6.023x10^{23}} = 2.708 \times 10^{6} \text{ g/m}^{3} = 2.708 \text{ Mg/m}^{3}$$

2.21. 
$$\rho = \frac{nA}{V_c N_A}$$
  
For FCC lattice structure, n = 4  
 $V_c = \frac{4x63.55}{8.89x10^6 x6.023x10^{23}} = 4.747 \text{ x } 10^{-29} \text{ m}^3$   
APF = 0.74 =  $\frac{4x(4/3)\pi r^3}{4.747x10^{-29}}$   
r<sup>3</sup> = 0.2097 x 10<sup>-29</sup> m<sup>3</sup>  
r = 0.128 x 10<sup>-9</sup> m = **0.128 nm**

2.22. a. 
$$\rho = \frac{nA}{V_c N_A}$$
  
For FCC lattice structure, n = 4  
 $V_c = \frac{4x40.08}{1.55x10^6 x6.023x10^{23}} = 1.717 \text{ x } 10^{-28} \text{ m}^3$ 

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b. APF = 
$$0.74 = \frac{4x(4/3)\pi r^3}{1.717x10^{-28}}$$
  
r<sup>3</sup> = 0.7587 x 10<sup>-29</sup> m<sup>3</sup>  
r = 0.196 x 10<sup>-9</sup> m = **0.196 nm**

2.23. 
$$\frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} = \frac{n_1 A_1 V_{c2} N_A}{V_{c1} N_A n_2 A_2} = \frac{n_1 V_{c2}}{n_2 V_{c1}}$$
$$\frac{8.87}{\rho_2} = \frac{2 x (\frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}})^3}{4x (2r\sqrt{2})^3}$$
$$\rho_2 = 32.573 \text{ g/cm}^3$$

- **2.24.** See Section 2.2.2.
- **2.25.** See Section 2.2.2.
- **2.26.** See Section 2.2.2.
- 2.27. See Figure 2.14.
- **2.28.** See Section 2.2.5.
- **2.29.** *m*<sub>t</sub> = 100 g

 $P_B = 65 \%$   $P_{IB} = 30 \%$   $P_{sB} = 80 \%$ From Equations 2.4 and 2.5,  $m_l + m_s = 100$   $30 m_l + 80 m_s = 65 \times 100$ Solving the two equations simultaneously, we get:  $m_l =$  mass of the alloy which is in the liquid phase = **30 g**  $m_s =$  mass of the alloy which is in the solid phase = **70 g** 

**2.30.**  $m_t = 100 \text{ g}$ 

 $P_B = 45 \%$   $P_{lB} = 17 \%$   $P_{sB} = 65 \%$ From Equations 2.4 and 2.5,  $m_l + m_s = 100$ 17  $m_l + 65 m_s = 45 \times 100$ Solving the two equations simultaneously, we get:  $m_l = \text{mass of the alloy which is in the liquid phase} = 41.67 \text{ g}$   $m_s = \text{mass of the alloy which is in the solid phase} = 58.39 \text{ g}$ 

**2.31.**  $m_t = 100 \text{ g}$   $P_B = 60 \%$   $P_{lB} = 25 \%$   $P_{sB} = 70 \%$ From Equations 2.4 and 2.5,  $m_l + m_s = 100$   $25 m_l + 70 m_s = 60 \times 100$ Solving the two equations simultaneously, we get:  $m_l = \text{mass of the alloy which is in the liquid phase} = 22.22 \text{ g}$  $m_s = \text{mass of the alloy which is in the solid phase} = 77.78 \text{ g}$ 

**2.32.** *m*<sub>t</sub> = 100 g

 $P_B = 40 \%$   $P_{lB} = 20 \%$   $P_{sB} = 50 \%$ From Equations 2.4 and 2.5,  $m_l + m_s = 100$   $40 m_l + 50 m_s = 40 \times 100$ Solving the two equations simultaneously, we get:  $m_l = \text{mass of the alloy which is in the liquid phase} = 33.33 \text{ g}$   $m_s = \text{mass of the alloy which is in the solid phase} = 66.67 \text{ g}$ 

**2.33.** a. Spreading salt reduces the melting temperature of ice. For example, at a salt composition of 5%, ice starts to melt at -21°C. When temperature increases more ice will melt. At a temperature of -5°C, all ice will melt.

b. -21°C

- c. -21°C
- **2.34.** See Section 2.3.
- **2.35.** See Section 2.3.
- **2.36.** See Section 2.4.

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