

(a) Avogadro's number.

$$N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms/mole}$$

Hence

$$\frac{N}{V} = \frac{8.96 \text{ g/cm}^3 \times (100 \text{ cm/meter})^3}{63.5 \text{ g/mole}} \times 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mole}^{-1} = 8.49 \times 10^{28} \text{ meter}^{-3}$$

Each atom contributes $d = 1$ electrons.

$$\rho = \frac{Nd}{V} = 8.49 \times 10^{28} \text{ meter}^{-3}$$

Then for

$$\begin{aligned} \hbar &= 1.05 \times 10^{-34} \text{ joule second} \\ m &= 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kilogram} \end{aligned}$$

we have

$$E_F = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} (3\pi^2 \rho)^{2/3} = 2.34 \times 10^{-19} \text{ joule}$$

Convert to electron volts.

$$E_F = \frac{2.34 \times 10^{-19} \text{ joule}}{1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ joule/electronvolt}} = 1.46 \text{ electronvolt}$$

(b) Not relativistic.

$$v = \sqrt{2E_F/m} = 717 \text{ kilometer/second}, \quad v \ll 300,000 \text{ kilometer/second}$$

(c) Boltzmann constant.

$$k_B = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ joule/kelvin}$$

Hence

$$T_F = \frac{E_F}{k_B} = 16,900 \text{ kelvin}$$

(d)

$$P = \frac{(3\pi^2)^{2/3} \hbar^2}{5m} \rho^{5/3} = 3.80 \times 10^{10} \text{ newton/meter}^2$$