

# Crystallography

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Crystal:

Amorphous

regular, periodic arrangement

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atoms/molecules/ions

- 1) shape & size
- 2) anisotropic → directly dependent
- 3) GP & MP fixed
- 4) homogeneous chemical comp.

Crystal → single crystal  
                    → poly crystal

Atoms + Lattice = Crystal



Unit cell: translation

Smallest geometric fig. by translating which in a particular direction the whole crystal can be achieved is known as unit cell.



→ primitive unit cell



→ non primitive unit cell

All primitive cell are unit cell but all unit cell are not primitive cell.



Q 27 : 4 types of Bravais lattices.

1D - 4 cases  $\rightarrow$  5 types

3D - 7 cases  $\rightarrow$  14 types.

Co-ordination No: Equidistant nearest neighbours to a particular atom.

Simple cubic : 6

BCC : 8

FCC : 12

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Relation b/w atomic radius and lattice const.

Simple cubic :  $2r = a$

$$r = \frac{a}{2}$$



BCC :  $4r = \sqrt{3}a$

$$r = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}a$$



FCC :  $4r = \sqrt{2}a$

$$r = \frac{a}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

## Atomic Packing fraction

$\frac{\text{Vol. of total no. of atoms inside unit cell}}{\text{Vol. of unit cell.}}$

$$\text{SC} : \frac{\frac{4}{3} \pi \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^3}{a^3} = 52.3\%$$

$$\text{BCC} : \frac{2 \cdot \frac{4}{3} \pi \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a\right)^3}{a^3} = 68\%$$

$$\text{FCC} : \frac{4 \times \frac{4}{3} \pi \left(\frac{a}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)^3}{a^3} = 74\%$$

Relation b/w lattice const. and the density of the material.

$$\text{f.c} = a \quad \rho = \text{density}$$

$$\text{vol} = a^3$$

$$\text{Mass of unit cell} = \rho a^3$$

If  $M$  is molecular weight then mass of one atom  $M/N$ ;  $N = \text{Avog no.}$

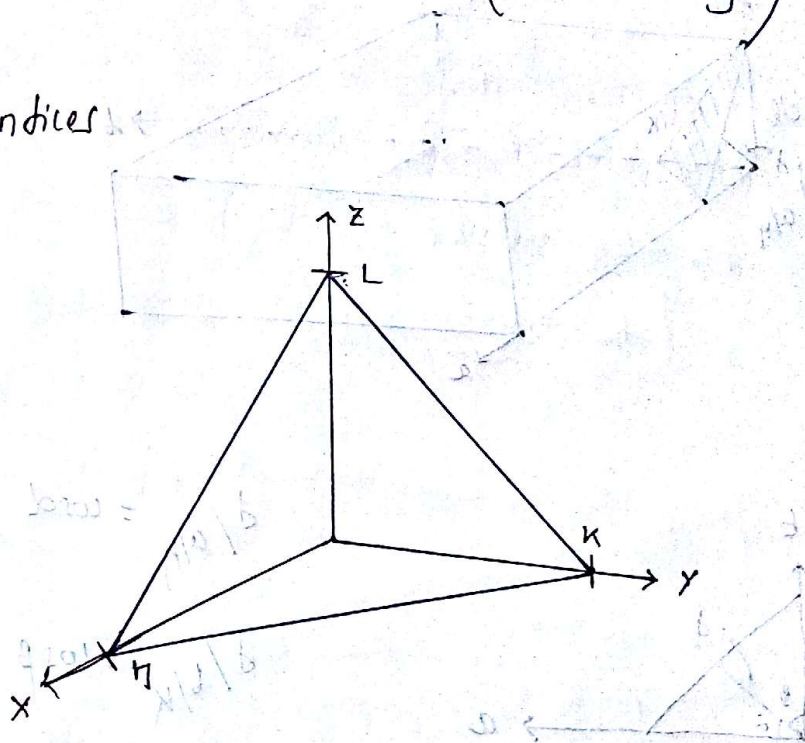
If there is  $n$  no. of eff atoms in unit cell then mass of unit cell  $= M/N \cdot n$



$$\frac{M}{N} \cdot \pi = f a^3$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \left( \frac{M}{N} \cdot \frac{\pi}{f} \right)^{1/3}$$

Miller indices



Steps:

1) Choice of origin.

2) Cal. the intercept in 3 diff axes (x, y, z axes)

3) Then take the reciprocal of the intercepts.

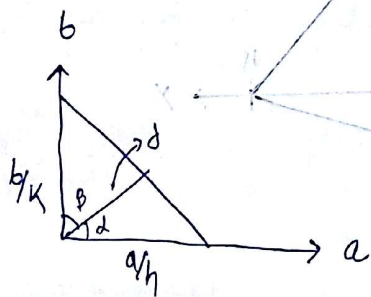
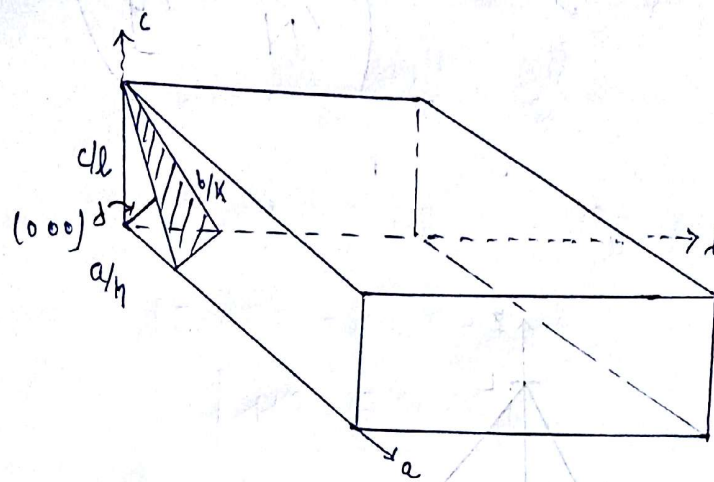
4) Take the LCM of the intercepts  $h, k, l$ . (e.g.  $\frac{1}{h}, \frac{1}{k}, \frac{1}{l}$ )

5) Convert  $\frac{1}{h} \times \text{LCM}, \frac{1}{k} \times \text{LCM}, \frac{1}{l} \times \text{LCM}$

$\Rightarrow (H, K, L) \rightarrow (\text{say}) //$

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Interplanar spacing / dist b/w two adjacent planes.



$$d/a/h = \cos \alpha$$

$$d/b/k = \cos \beta$$

$$d/c/l = \cos \gamma$$

$$\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$d^2 / (a/h)^2 + d^2 / (b/k)^2 + d^2 / (c/l)^2 = 1$$

$$d^2 \left[ \frac{1}{(a/h)^2} + \frac{1}{(b/k)^2} + \frac{1}{(c/l)^2} \right] = 1$$

$$\text{or } d = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} + \frac{l^2}{c^2}}}$$



Case I: Simple cubic

$$a = b = c = a$$

$$d = \frac{a}{\sqrt{h^2 + k^2 + l^2}}$$

Q1) Find the M.I of a plane that makes intercept of  $3\text{\AA}$ ,  $4\text{\AA}$ ,  $5\text{\AA}$  respectively on the co-ord axis of an orthorhombic cell with  $a:b:c = 1:2:5$

$$\text{Intercept} : 3, 4, 5$$

$$\text{Intercept} = 3, 2, 1$$

$$\text{Reciprocal} = \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{1}$$

$$\text{LCM of reciprocal} : 6$$

$$\therefore \text{M.I} : 2, 3, 6$$

Q2) For an element bragg's first order reflection occur at  $\sin \theta = .225, .317, .389$  for reflection from  $(1,0,0), (1,1,0), (1,1,1)$  plane respectively. The wavelength of X-ray used is  $.154\text{nm}$ . Show that the unit cell is cubic and also calculate the length of side of unit length.

$$n\lambda = 2d\sin\theta$$

$$d_1 = \frac{.154 \times 10^{-9}}{2 \times .225}$$

$$= .342$$

$$a = d_1 = .342\text{nm}$$

$$n\lambda = 2d\sin\theta$$

$$d_2 = \frac{.154 \times 10^{-9}}{2 \times .317}$$

$$= .242$$

$$b = .242\text{nm}$$

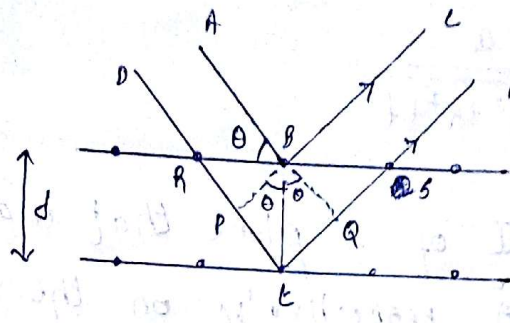
$$d_3 = \frac{.154 \times 10^{-9}}{2 \times .389}$$

$$= .198$$

$$c = .198\text{nm}$$

# X-RAYS

## Bragg's law



$$PE + EQ = d \sin \theta + d \sin \theta$$

$$\boxed{n\lambda = 2d \sin \theta}$$

## Determination of Lattice constant

### Bragg's X-ray spectrometer.

for order  $n=1$

$$\frac{1}{d} = \frac{2 \sin \theta}{\lambda}$$

Note:

$$\frac{1}{d_{100}} : \frac{1}{d_{110}} : \frac{1}{d_{111}} = \sin \theta_1 : \sin \theta_2 : \sin \theta_3$$

Simple cubic :  $\sqrt{1} : \sqrt{2} : \sqrt{3}$

BCC :  $1 : \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} : \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

FCC :  $1 : \sqrt{2} : \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

