

# **THERMODYNAMICS**

$\Delta U$  represents the change of internal energy

$\Delta E$  represents the change of total energy from an initial state to a final state.

First Law of Thermodynamics

$$\Delta U + \Delta E_k + \Delta E_p = \pm Q \pm W$$

$$\Delta U = Q$$

+ve from surroundings to system  
-ve from system to surroundings  
(for heat: +ve endothermic  
-ve exothermic)

$$dU = dQ$$

*enthalpy,  $H$*

$$dH = dU + d(PV)$$

$$dH = dQ$$

$$\Delta H = Q$$

# Entropy

## Second Law of Thermodynamics

*the entropy change of all processes must be positive.*

$$dS = \frac{dQ_{rev}}{T}$$

$$\Delta S = \frac{Q}{T}$$

$$\Delta S = \frac{\Delta H}{T}$$

Entropy also plays a role in the Third Law of Thermodynamics, which states that *the entropy of a perfect crystal is zero at zero absolute temperature.*

*Gibbs free energy,  $G$*

$$G = H - TS$$

$$dG = dH - TdS$$

$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$$

**Table 2.1 Summary of Free Energy Effects on Process Spontaneity**

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$\Delta G < 0$	Process proceeds spontaneously
$\Delta G > 0$	Process not spontaneous
$\Delta G = 0$	Process at equilibrium

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# Chemical Potential

$$\mu_i = \left( \frac{\partial U}{\partial n_i} \right)_{S,V,n_j} = \left( \frac{\partial H}{\partial n_i} \right)_{P,S,n_j} = \left( \frac{\partial G}{\partial n_i} \right)_{T,P,n_j}$$

# *Gibbs Phase Rule.*

## Component

A component is a chemical constituent (element or compound) that has a specified composition.

## Phase

A phase is defined as a homogeneous portion of a system that has uniform physical and chemical characteristics. It need not be continuous.

## Degree of Freedom

The degrees of freedom are the number of variables (including composition) that must be specified in order for the system to be defined in a strict, mathematical sense.





# *Gibbs Phase Rule.*

One component system (A)

Two phases ( $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ ) in equilibrium

Means:  $T_\alpha = T_\beta$

$$P_\alpha = P_\beta$$

$$\mu_\alpha = \mu_\beta$$

But:  $\mu_\alpha = \mu_\alpha(T_\alpha, P_\alpha)$

$$\mu_\beta = \mu_\beta(T_\beta, P_\beta)$$

So, three equations and four unknown intensive variables

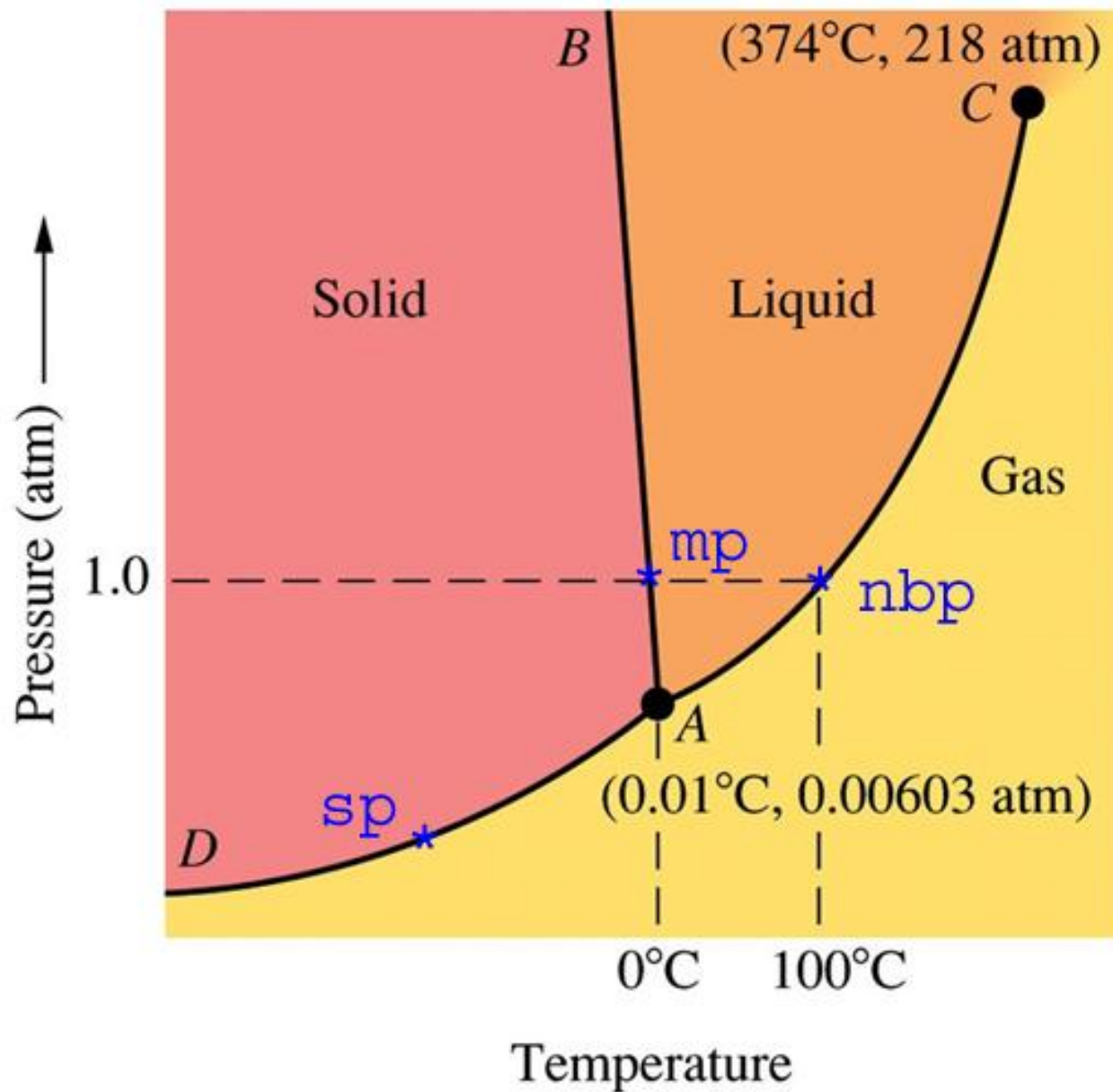
$T_\alpha, P_\alpha, T_\beta,$  and  $P_\beta$

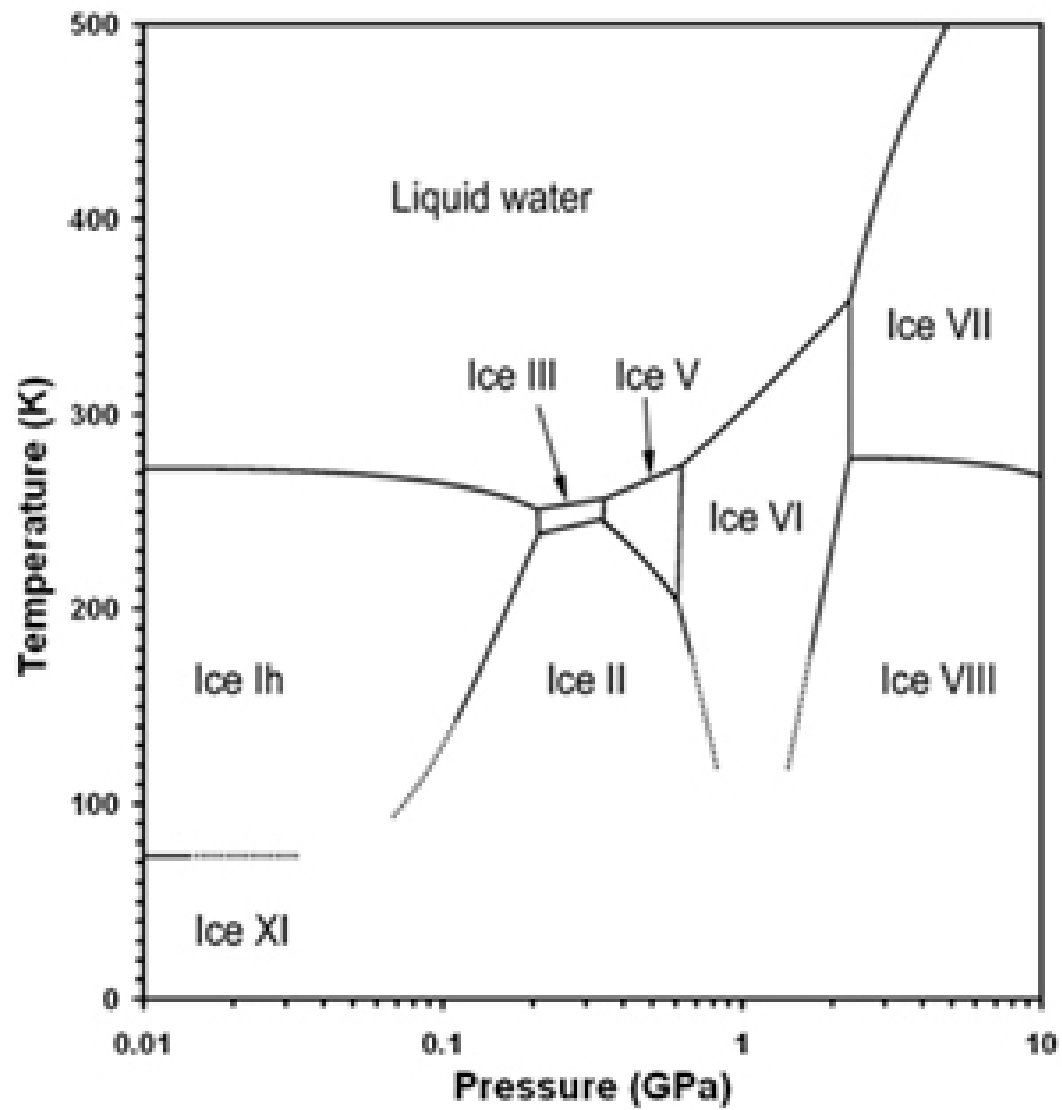
# *Gibbs Phase Rule.*

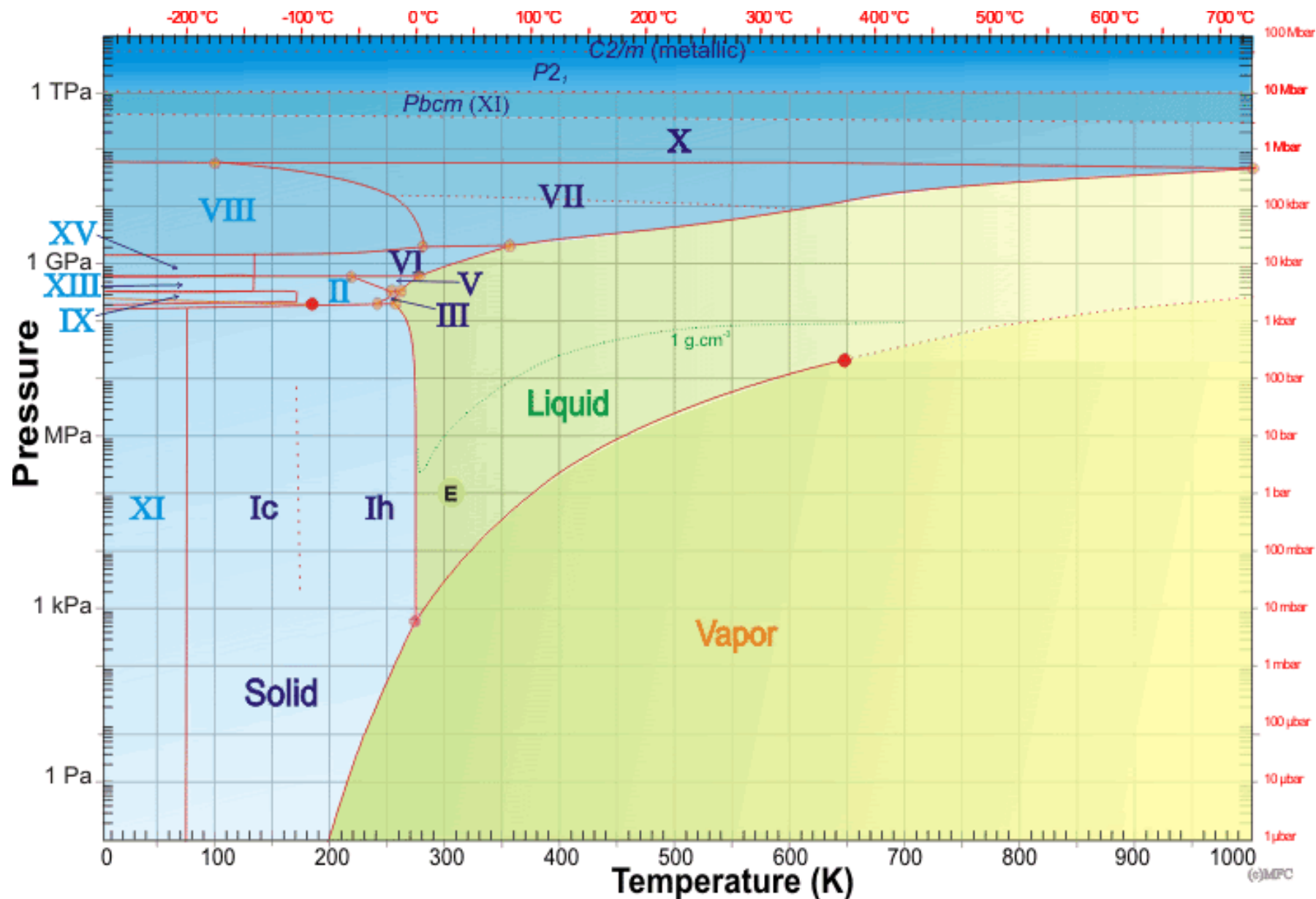
Generalizing to a system with  $C$  components and  $\phi$  phases

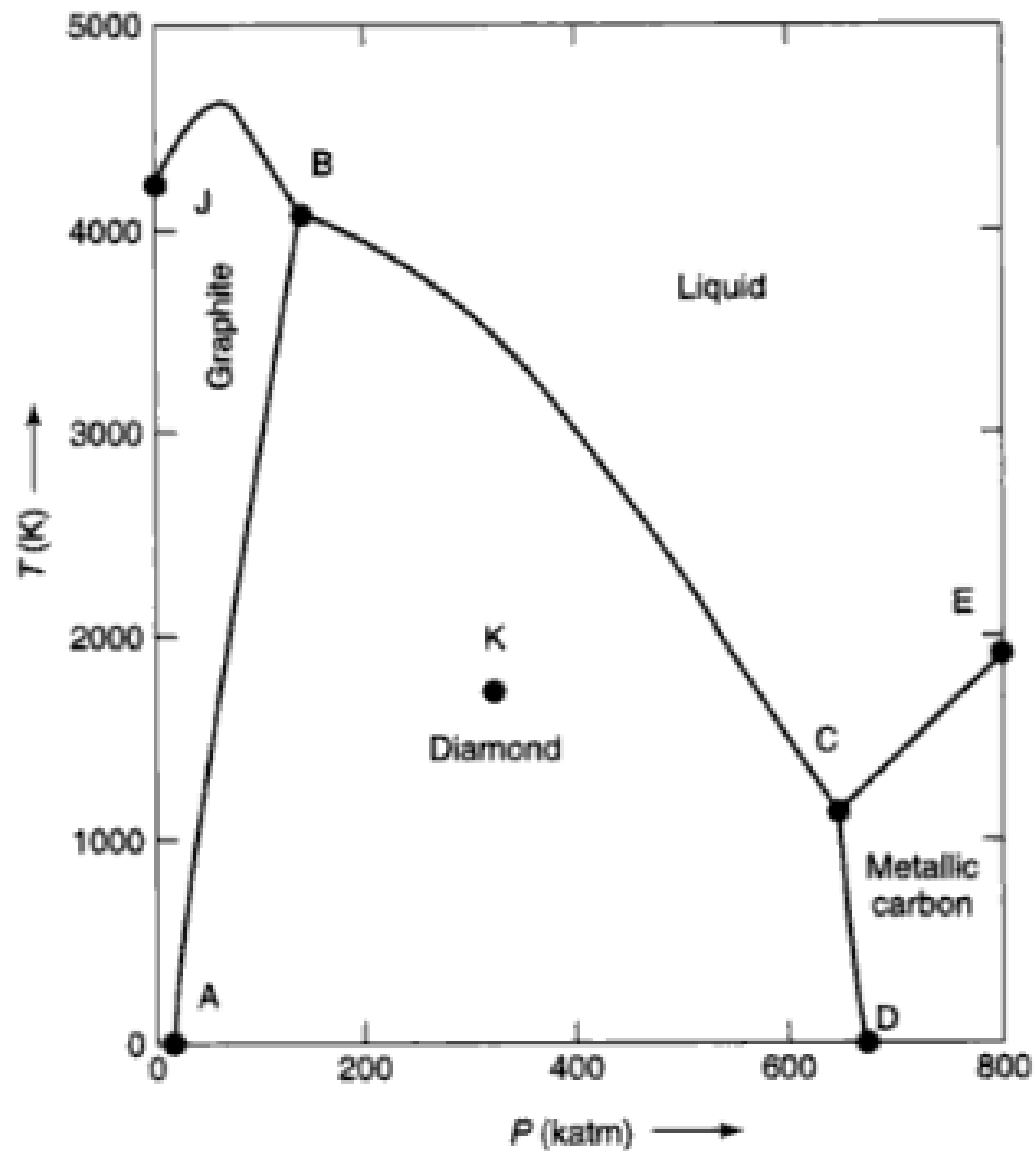
$$F = C - \phi + 2$$

$$F = C - \phi + N$$

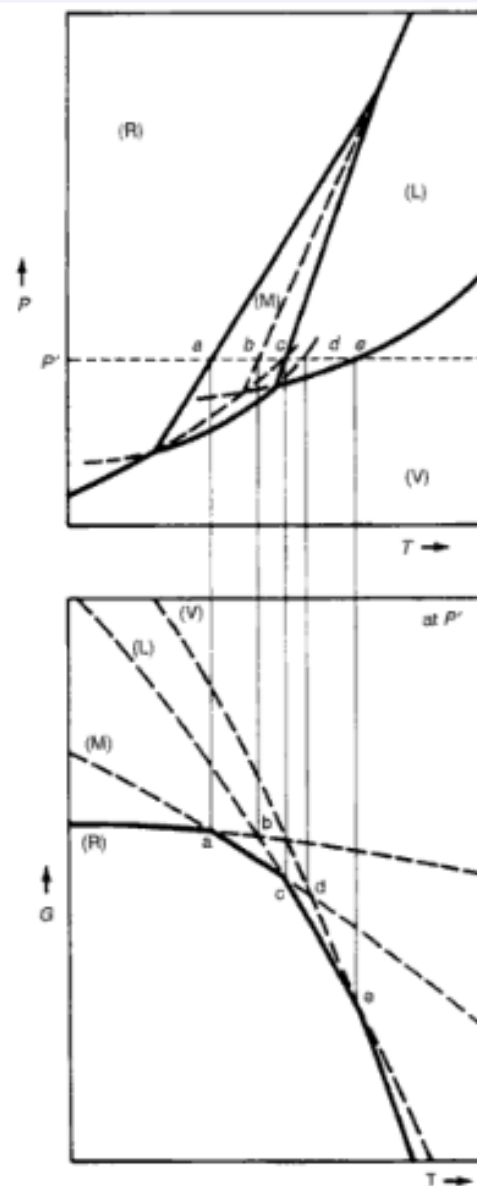








**Figure 2.2** Temperature-Pressure unary phase diagram for carbon. From K. M. Ralls, T. H. Courtney, and J. Wulff, *Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering*. Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.



**Figure 2.1** Unary phase diagram (*top*) and Gibbs free energy plot (*bottom*) for elemental sulfur. Reprinted, by permission, from D. R. Gaskell, *Introduction to Metallurgical Thermodynamics*, 2nd ed., p. 178, Copyright © 1981 by Hemisphere Publishing Corporation.



## Binary Solid Solutions

$$G = H - TS$$

$$H = X_A H_A^\circ + X_B H_B^\circ + \Delta H_{mix}$$

$$S = X_A S_A^\circ + X_B S_B^\circ + \Delta S_{mix}$$

*enthalpy and entropy of mixing*

$X_A$  and  $X_B$  are the mole fractions of component A and B,

$$(X_A + X_B) = 1$$

$$G = X_A (H_A^\circ - T S_A^\circ) + X_B (H_B^\circ - T S_B^\circ) + \Delta H_{mix} - T \Delta S_{mix}$$

$$G = X_A G_A^\circ + X_B G_B^\circ + \Delta G_{mix}$$

$$\text{where } \Delta G_{mix} = \Delta H_{mix} - T \Delta S_{mix}$$

**What exactly is  $\Delta G_{mix}$ ?**

$$\Delta S_{conf} = \Delta S_{mix} = -R(X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B)$$

$R$  is the gas constant

$$\Delta H_{mix} = \alpha X_A X_B \quad \text{interaction energy, } \alpha$$

If  $\alpha < 0$ , *exothermic mixing* occurs ( $\Delta H_{mix} < 0$ )

*Endothermic mixing* ( $\Delta H_{mix} > 0$ )

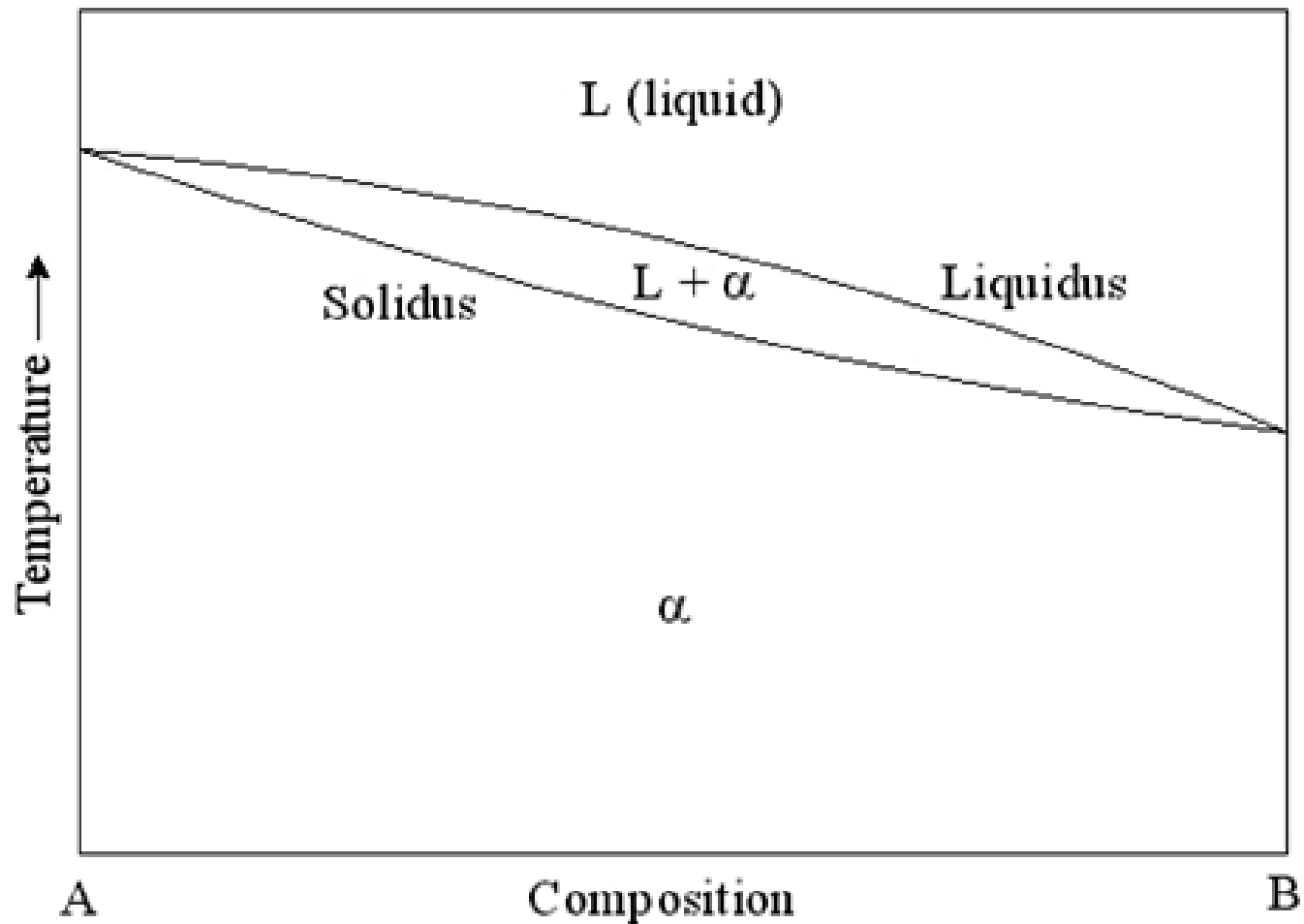
$$\alpha^{ideal} = \Delta H_{mix}^{ideal} = 0$$

$$\Delta G_{mix} = \alpha X_A X_B + RT(X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B)$$

$$G^{reg} = X_A G_A^\circ + X_B G_B^\circ + \alpha X_A X_B + RT(X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B)$$

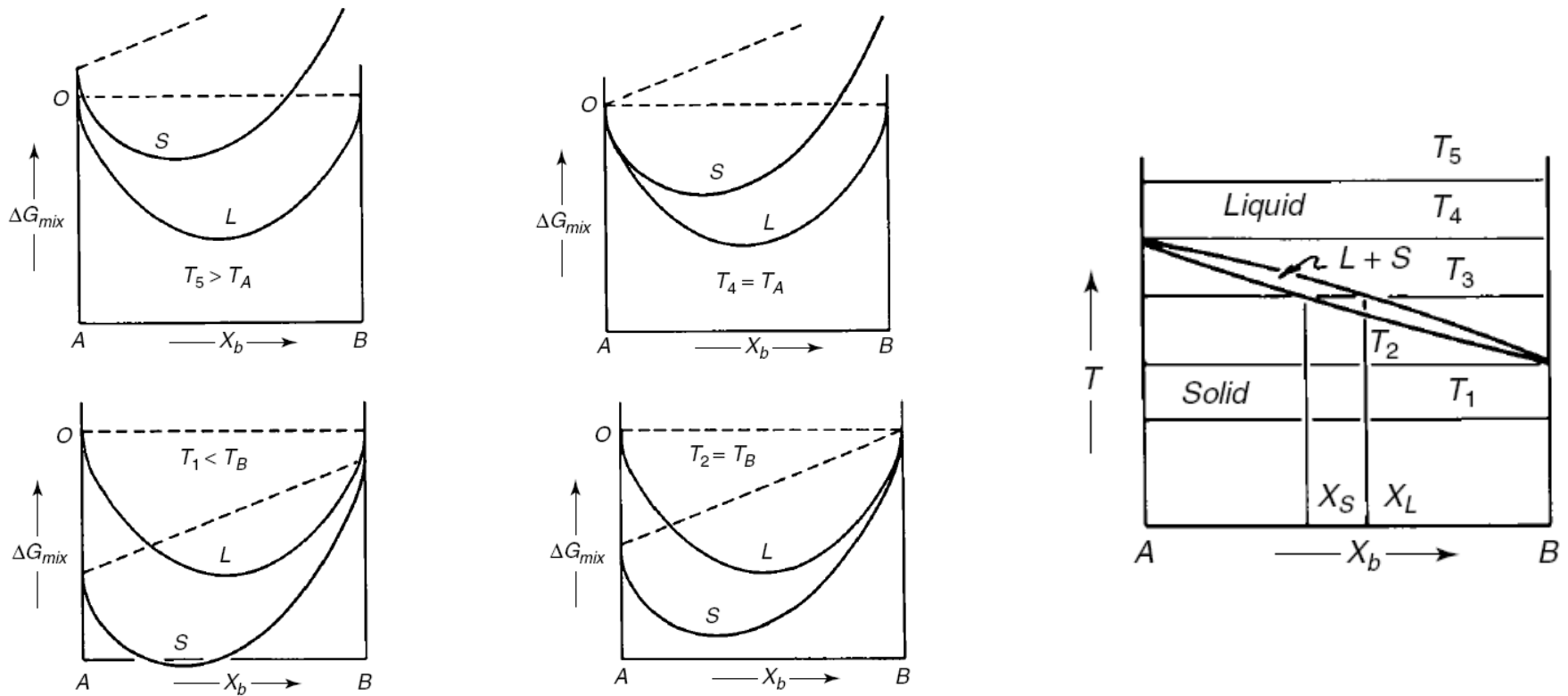
Solutions whose free energies follow Eq. are said to be *regular*.

$$G^{ideal} = X_A G_A^\circ + X_B G_B^\circ + RT(X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B)$$



Schematic binary phase diagram showing miscibility in both the liquid and solid states.

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**Figure 2.3** Free energy of mixing curves for solid and liquid phases at various temperatures (a–e) and resulting temperature–composition phase diagram for a completely soluble binary component system (f). From O. F. Devereux, *Topics in Metallurgical Thermodynamics*. Copyright © 1983 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

For 2 phase equilibrium

$$T_\alpha = T_\beta$$

$$P_\alpha = P_\beta$$

$$\mu_\alpha = \mu_\beta$$

Chemical potential

$$\mu_i = \left( \frac{\partial G}{\partial n_i} \right)_{T,P,n_j}$$

Thus,

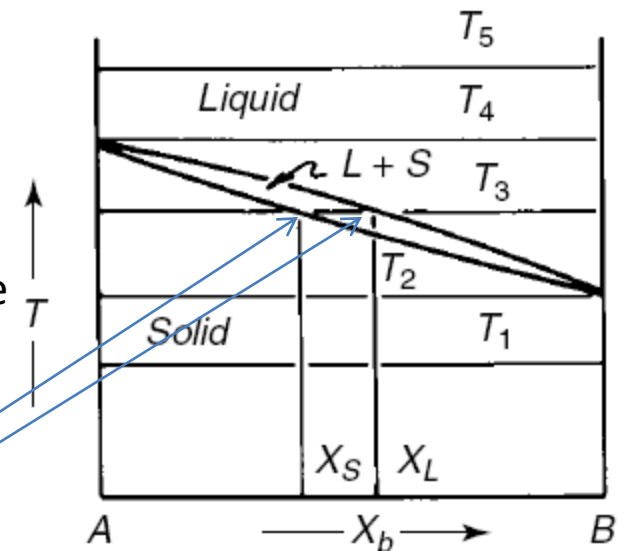
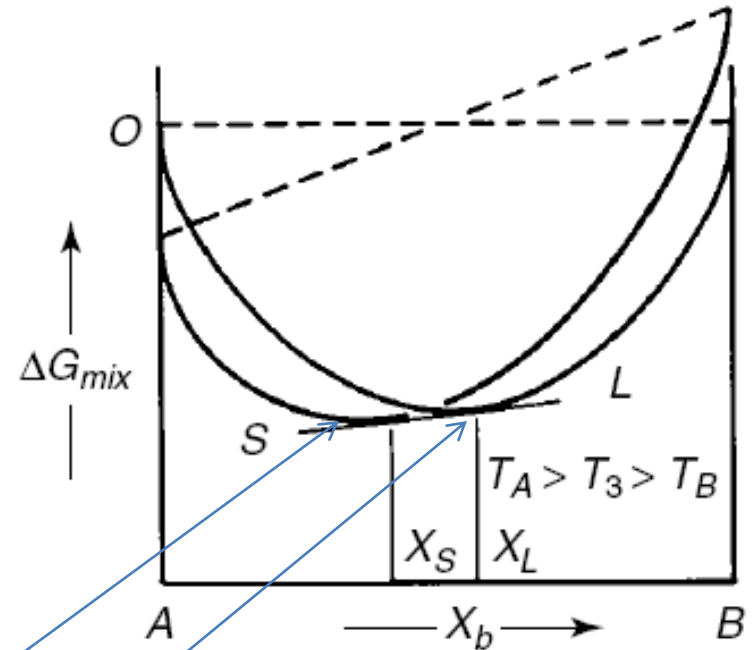
$$\mu_S = \left( \frac{\partial \Delta G_{mix,S}}{\partial X_B} \right)_{T,P,n_L} = \mu_L = \left( \frac{\partial \Delta G_{mix,L}}{\partial X_B} \right)_{T,P,n_S}$$

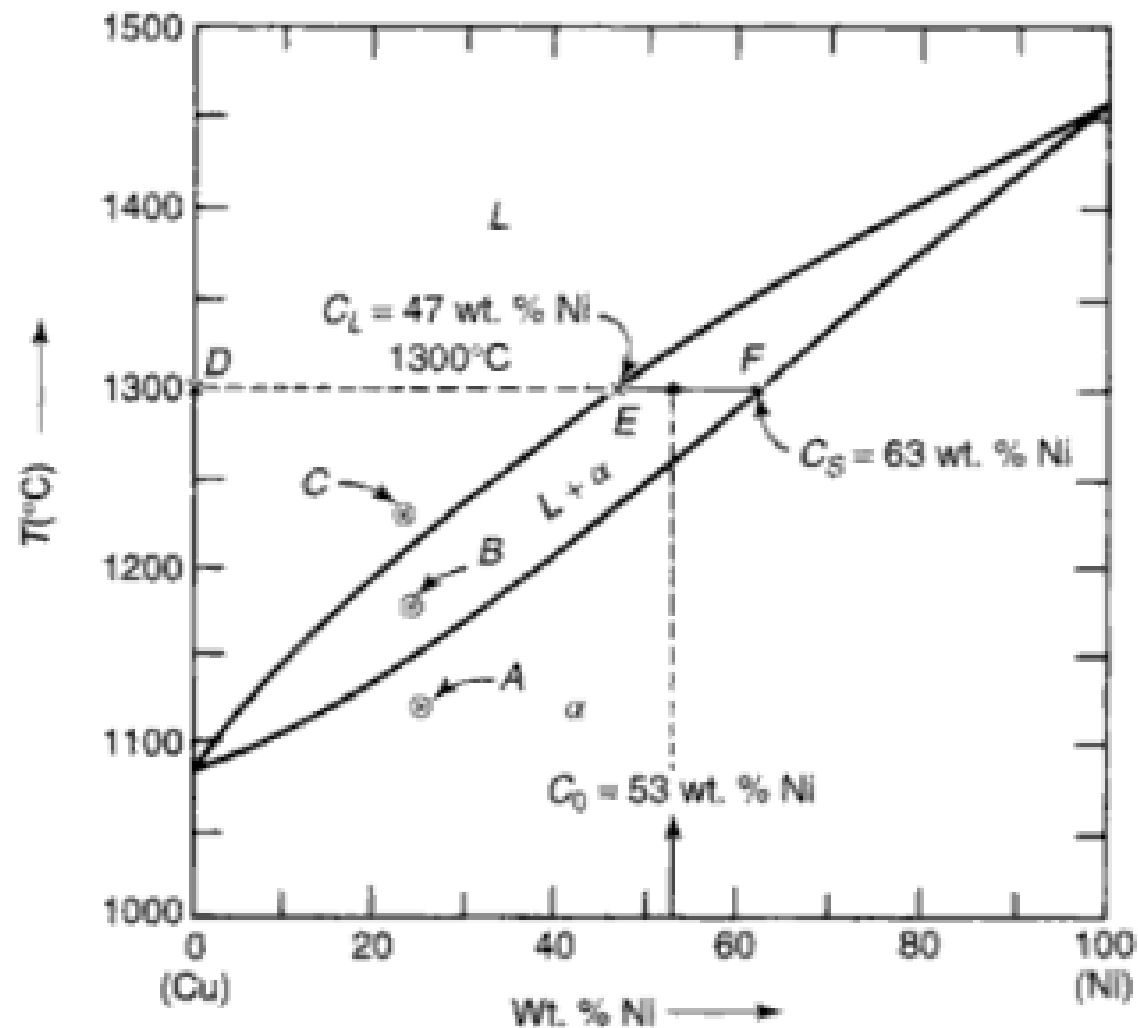
Graphically, this is true for the common tangent to the two curves

Also,  $\left( \frac{\partial^2 \Delta G_{mix,S}}{\partial X_B^2} \right) = 0$  give the minima to each curve

$\left( \frac{\partial^2 \Delta G_{mix,L}}{\partial X_B^2} \right) = 0$

Plotting for various temperatures,





**Figure 2.4** The Cu–Ni phase diagram, illustrating the use of the lever rule. From K. M. Ralls, T. H. Courtney, and J. Wulff, *Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering*. Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

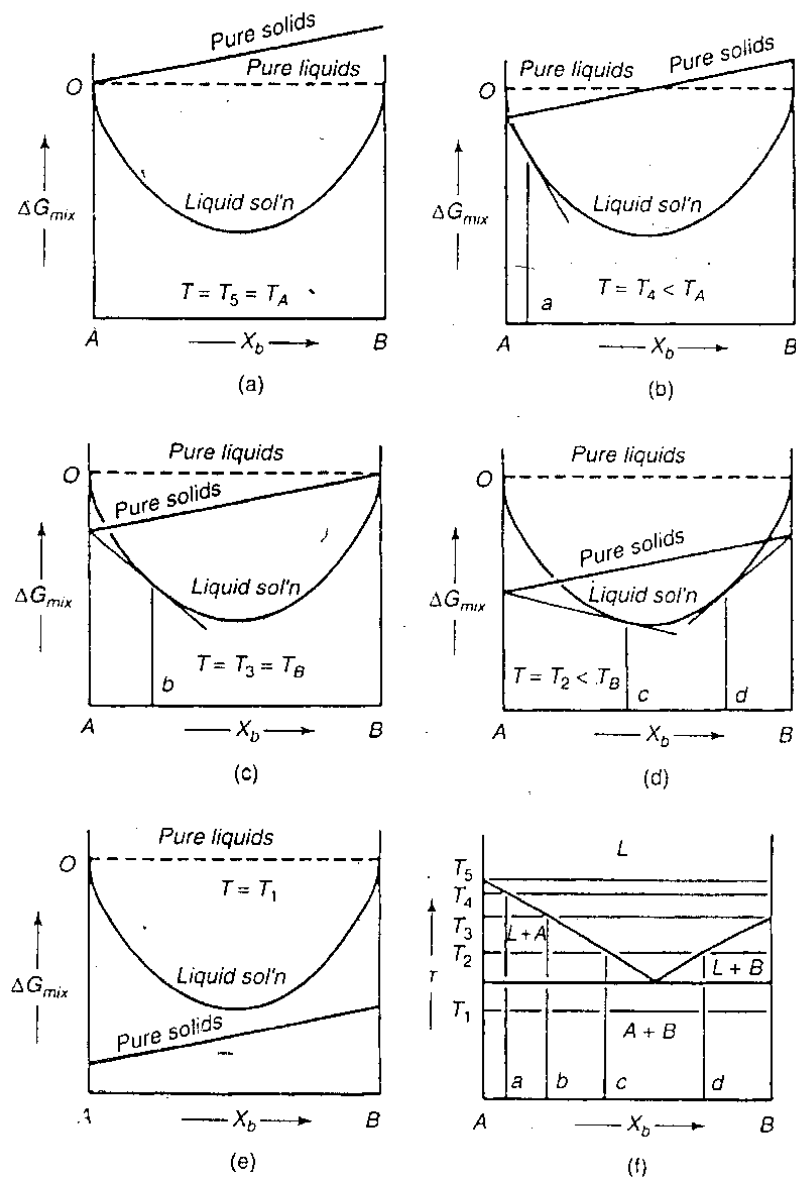
# LEVER RULE

$$W_S + W_L = 1$$

$$W_S C_s + W_L C_L = C_o$$

$$W_L = \frac{C_o - C_s}{C_s - C_L}$$

$$W_S = \frac{C_L - C_o}{C_s - C_L}$$



**Figure 2.5** Free energy of mixing for solid and liquid phases at various temperatures (a–e) and resulting temperature–composition phase diagram for a slightly soluble eutectic binary component system (f). From O. F. Devereux, *Topics in Metallurgical Thermodynamics*. Copyright © 1983 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.



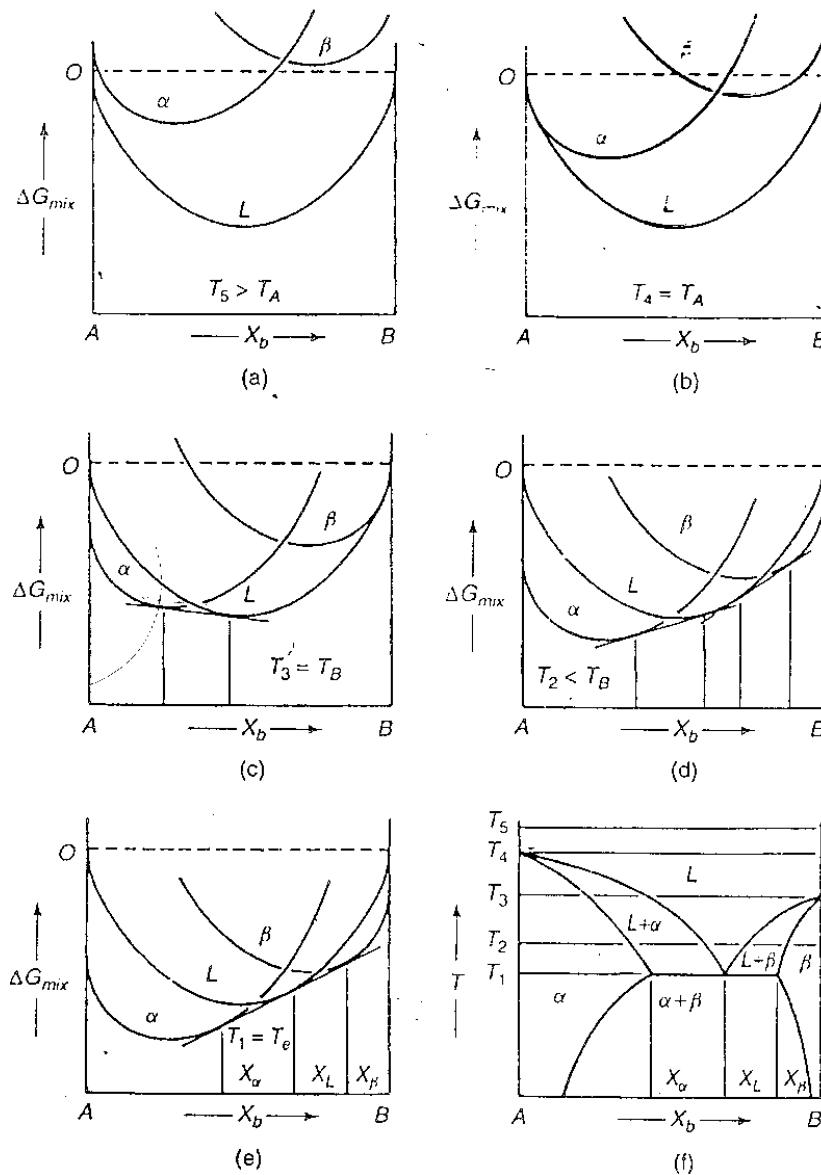
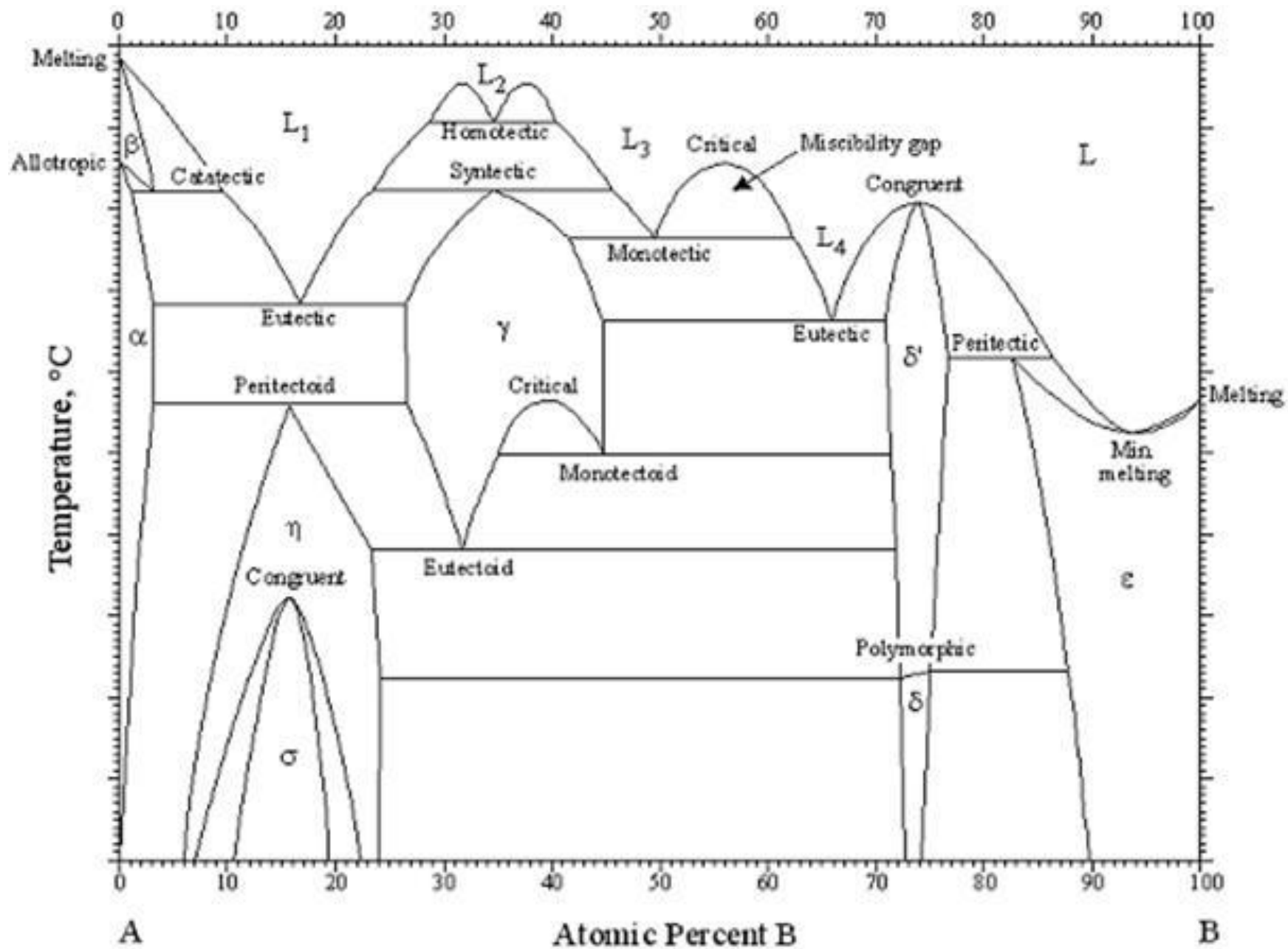


Figure 2.6 Free energy of mixing for solid and liquid phases at various temperatures (a–e) and resulting temperature–composition phase diagram for a mostly insoluble binary component system (f). From O. F. Devereux, *Topics in Metallurgical Thermodynamics*. Copyright © 1983 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

**Table 2.3 Common Three-phase Transformations in Condensed Binary Systems**

Name of Reaction	Equation	Phase Diagram Characteristic
Monotectic	$L_I \xrightarrow{\text{cooling}} \alpha + L_{II}$	
Monotectoid	$\alpha_1 \xrightarrow{\text{cooling}} \alpha_2 + \beta$	
Eutectic	$L \xrightarrow{\text{cooling}} \alpha + \beta$	
Eutectoid	$\alpha \xrightarrow{\text{cooling}} \beta + \gamma$	
Syntectic	$L_I + L_{II} \xrightarrow{\text{cooling}} \alpha$	
Peritectic	$\alpha + L \xrightarrow{\text{cooling}} \beta$	
Peritectoid	$\alpha + \beta \xrightarrow{\text{cooling}} \gamma$	

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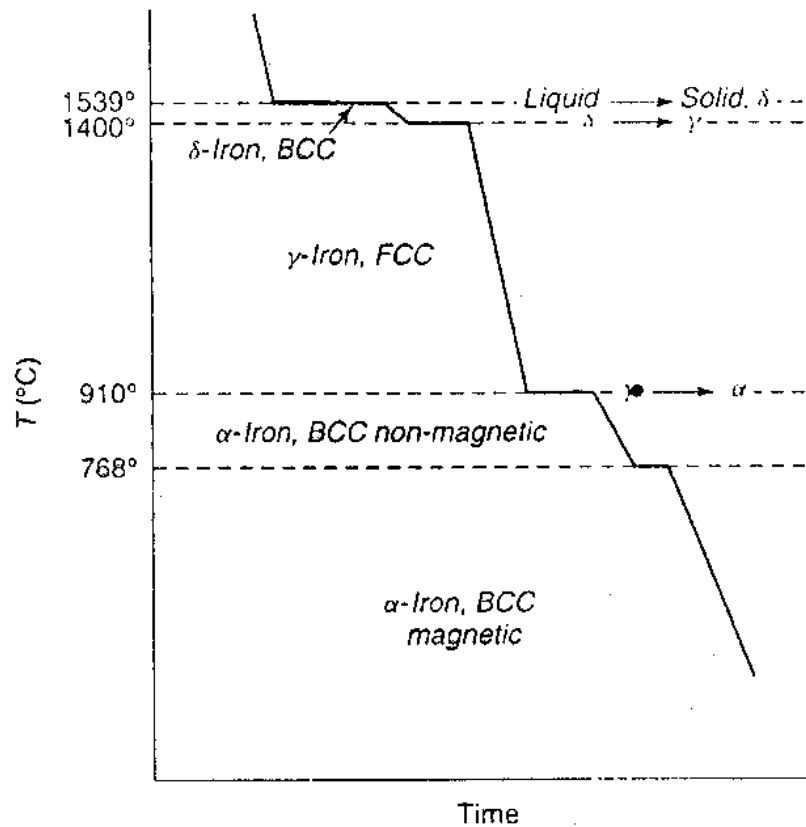
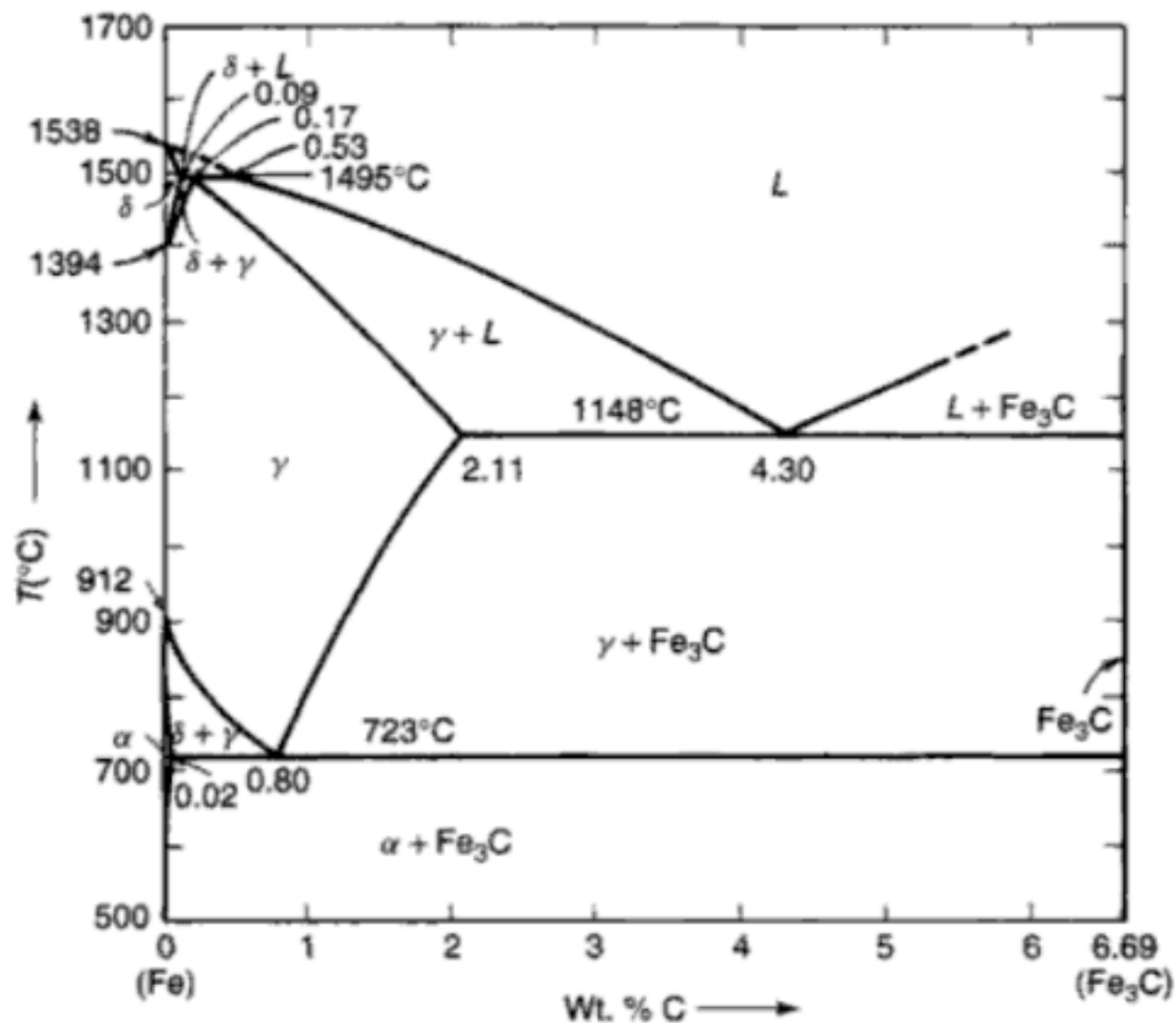
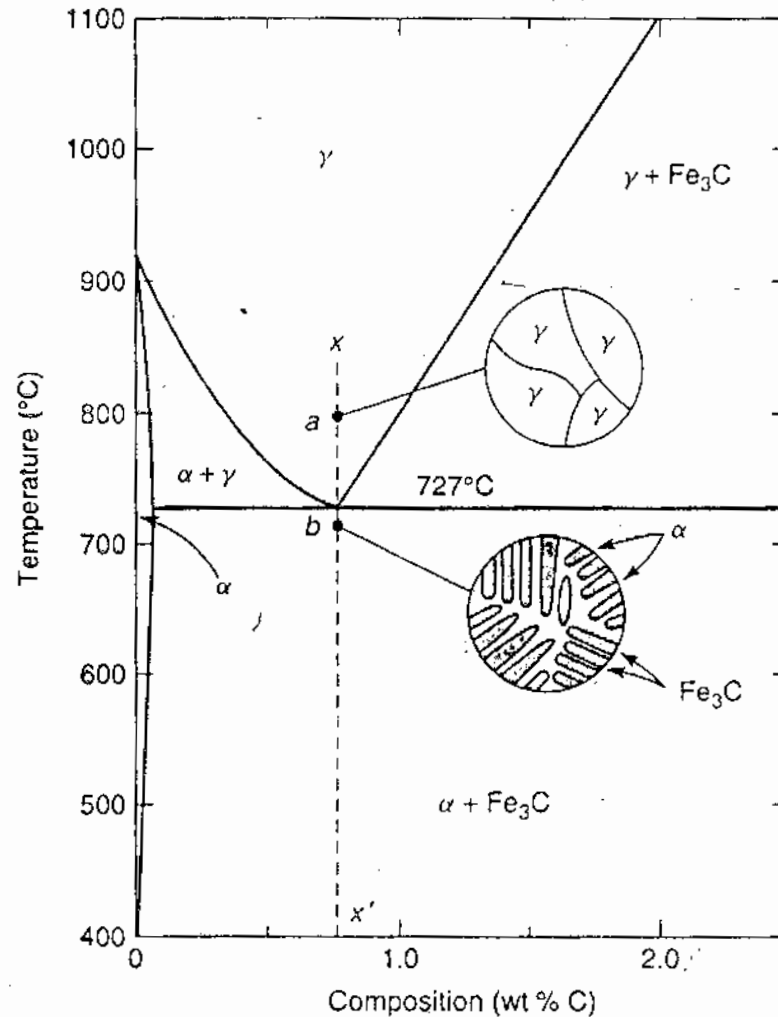


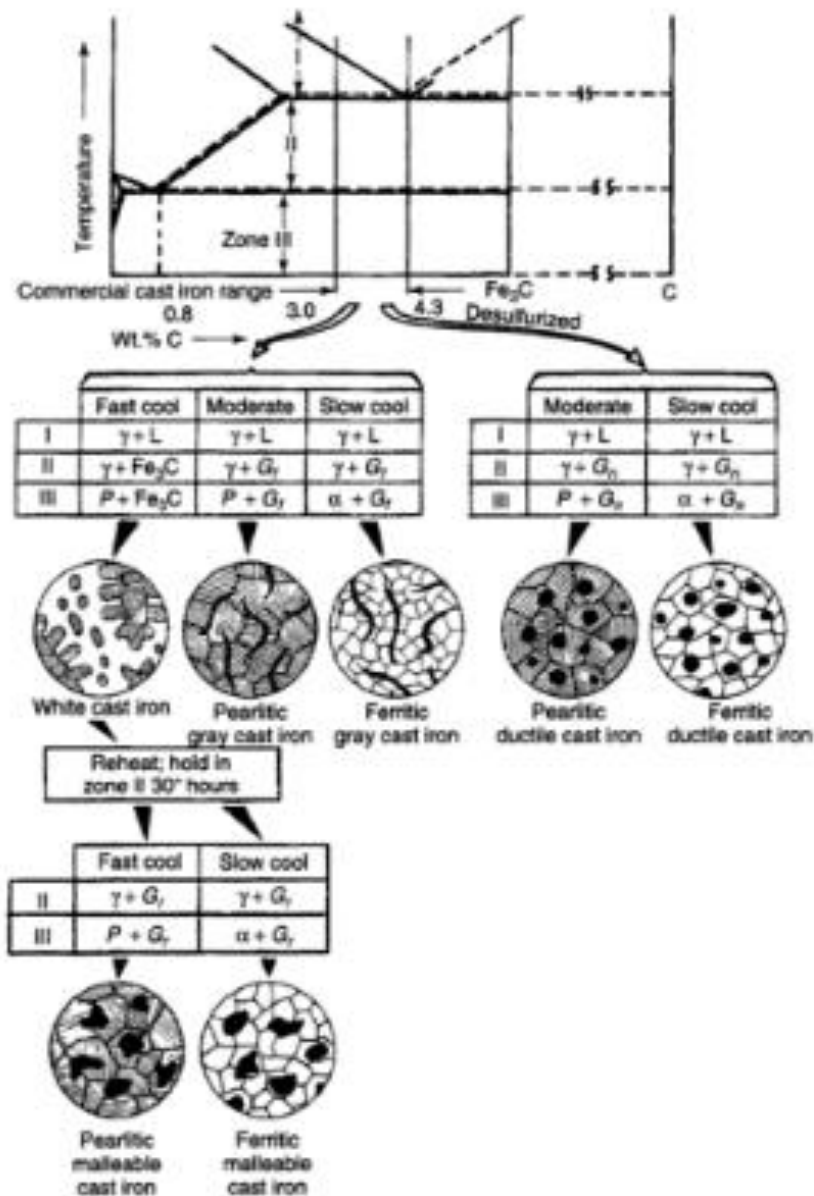
Figure 2.9 Cooling curve for pure iron. Reprinted, by permission, from Committee on Metallurgy, *Engineering Metallurgy*, p. 245. Copyright © 1957 by Pitman Publishing.



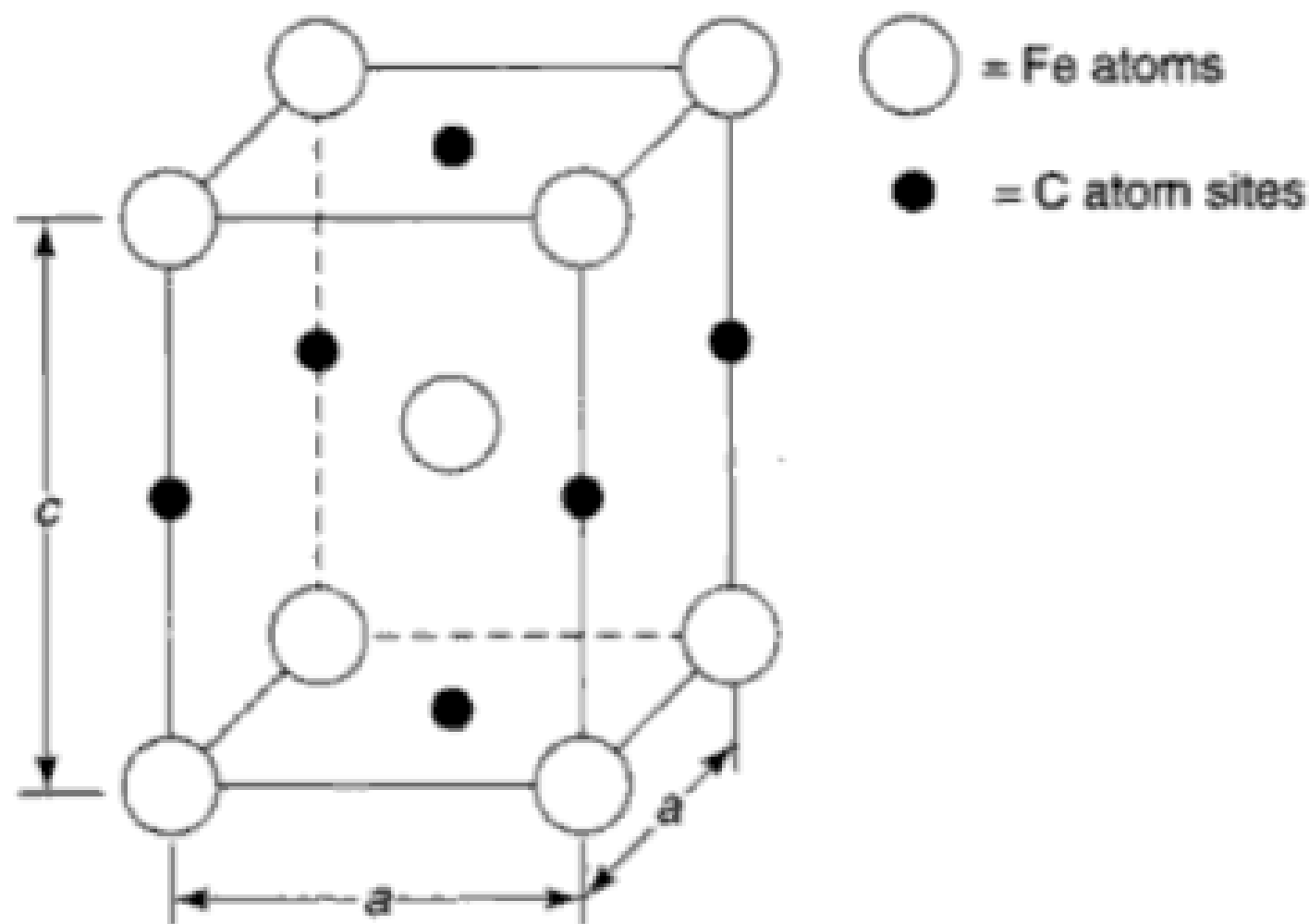
**Figure 2.8** The Fe–C phase diagram (low weight % C). From K. M. Ralls, T. H. Courtney, and J. Wulff, *Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering*. Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.



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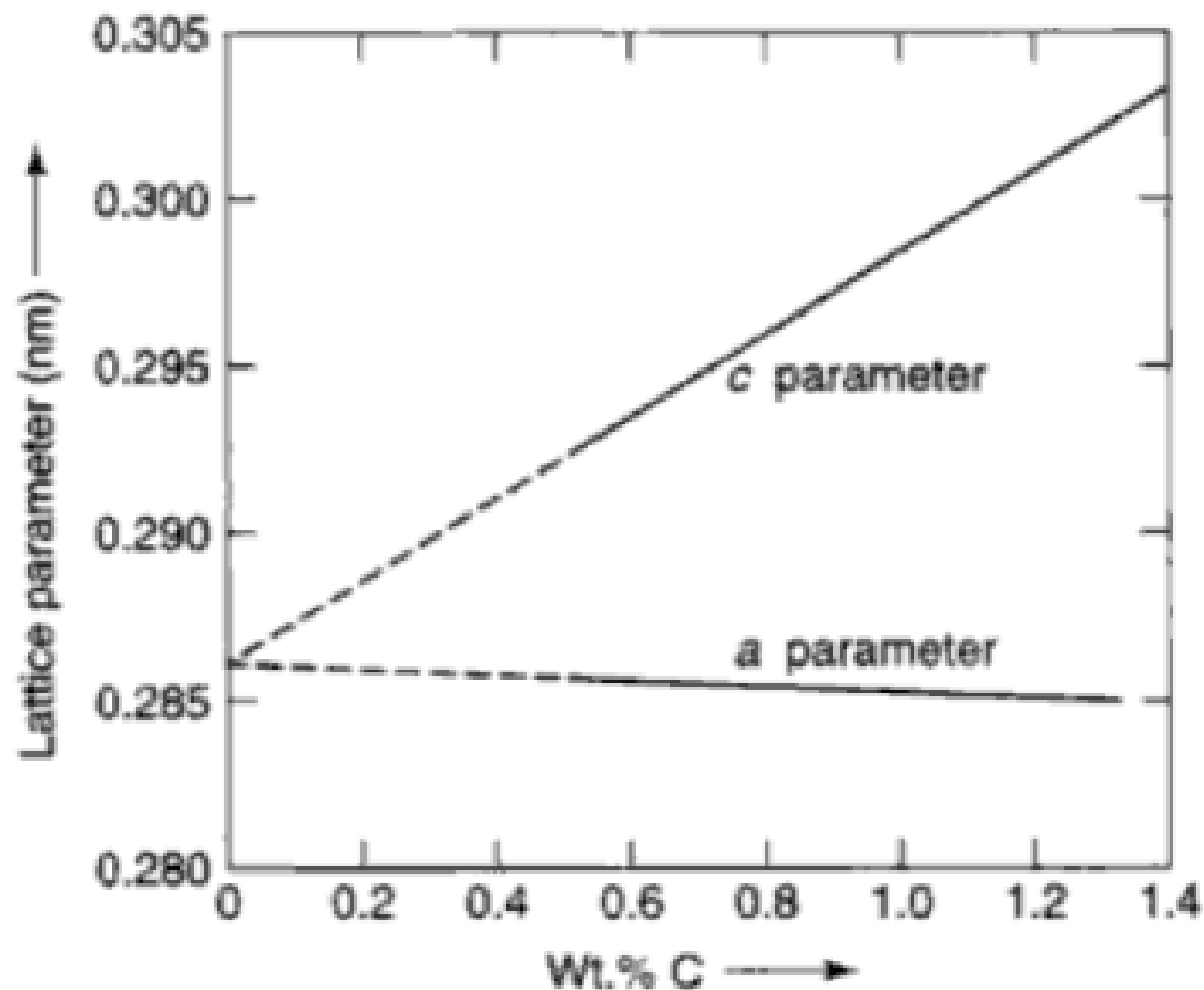


**Figure 2.13** Microstructures obtained by varying thermal treatments in cast irons ( $G_f$  = graphite flakes;  $G_r$  = graphite rosettes;  $G_n$  = graphite nodules;  $P$  = pearlite). From K. M. Ralls, T. H. Courtney, and J. Wulff, *Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering*. Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

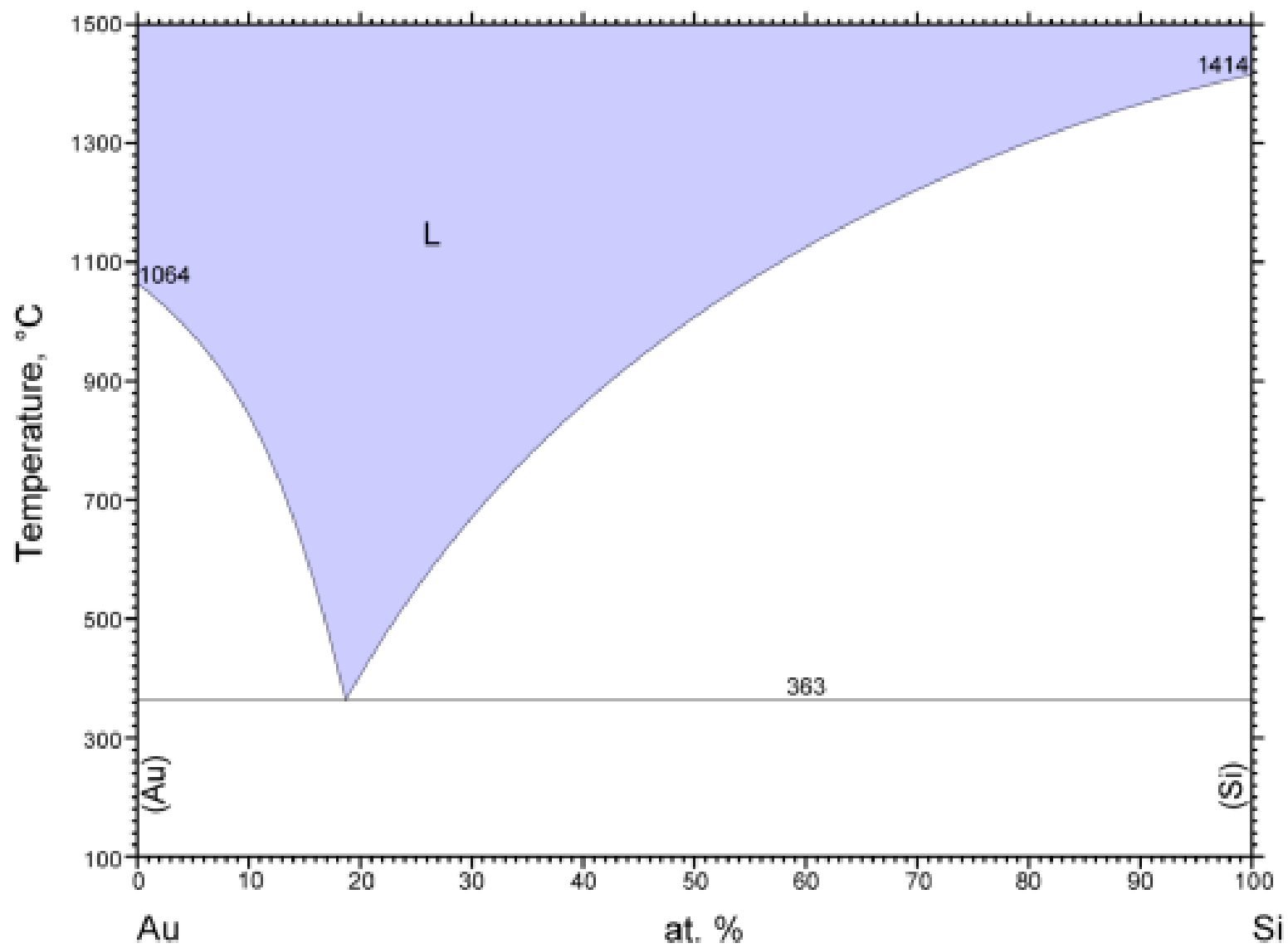


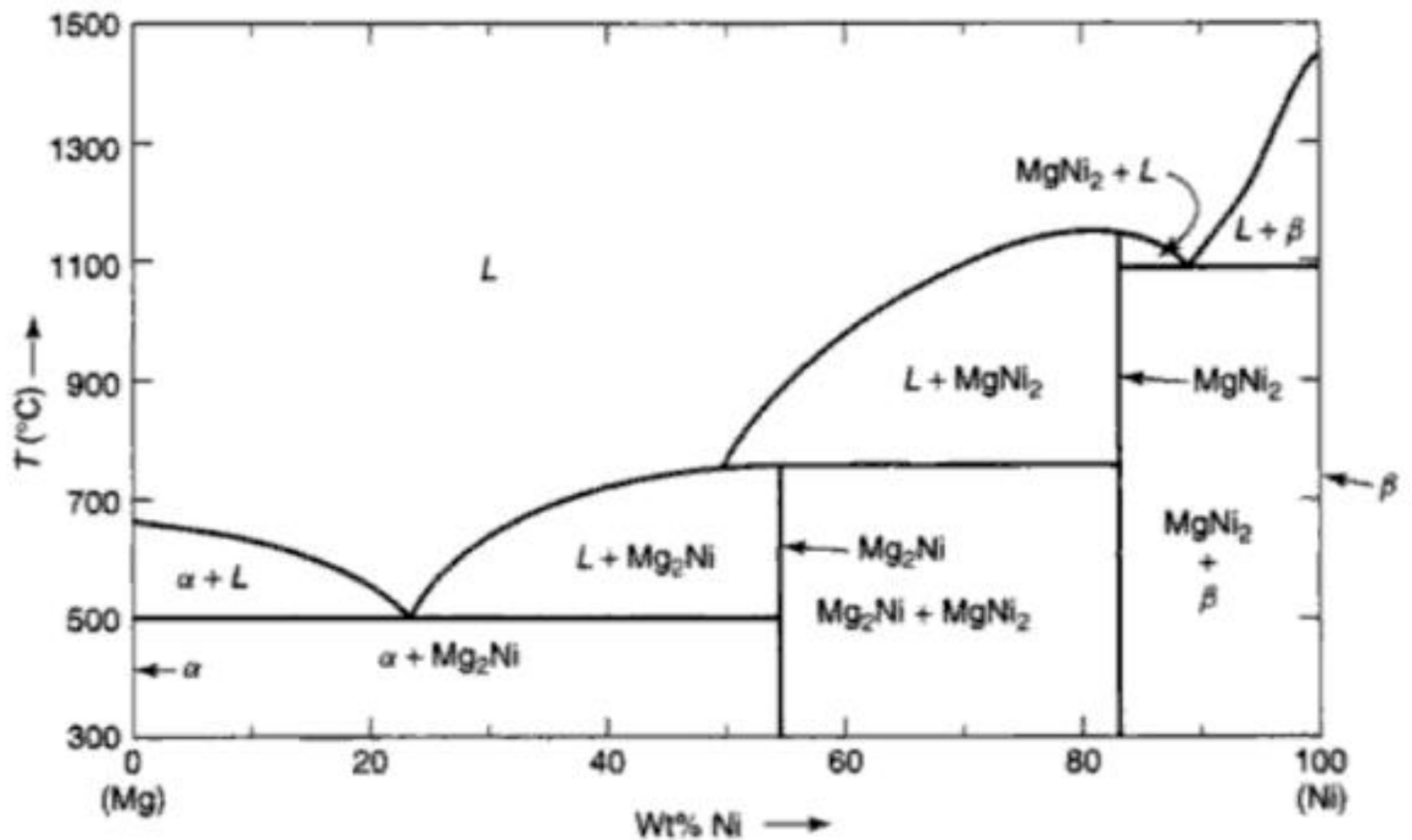
**Figure 2.11** The body-centered tetragonal unit cell of steel martensite. From K. M. Ralls, T. H. Courtney, and J. Wulff, *Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering*. Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.



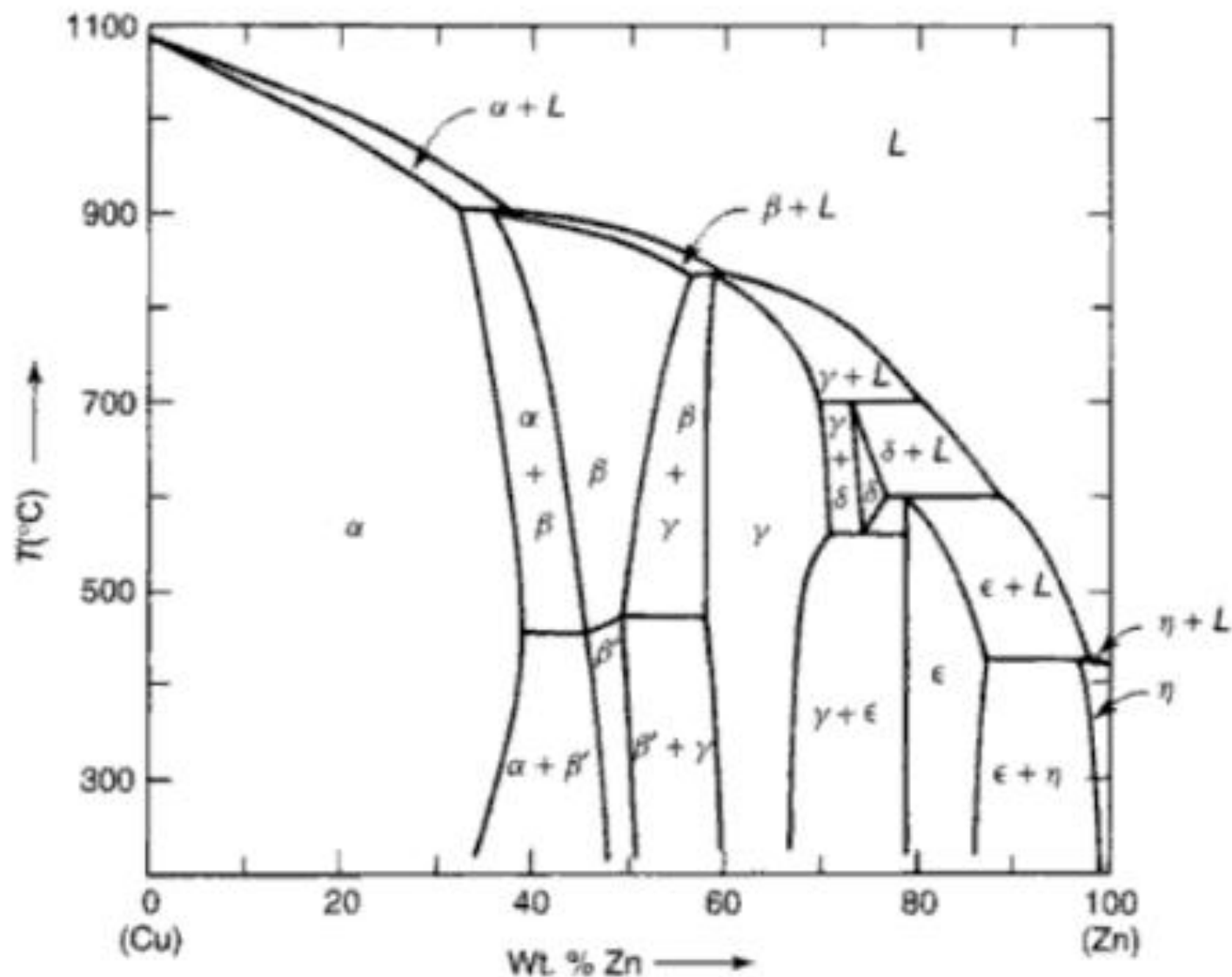


**Figure 2.12** Variation of tetragonality in steel martensite with axial ratio. From K. M. Ralls, T. H. Courtney, and J. Wulff, *Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering*. Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

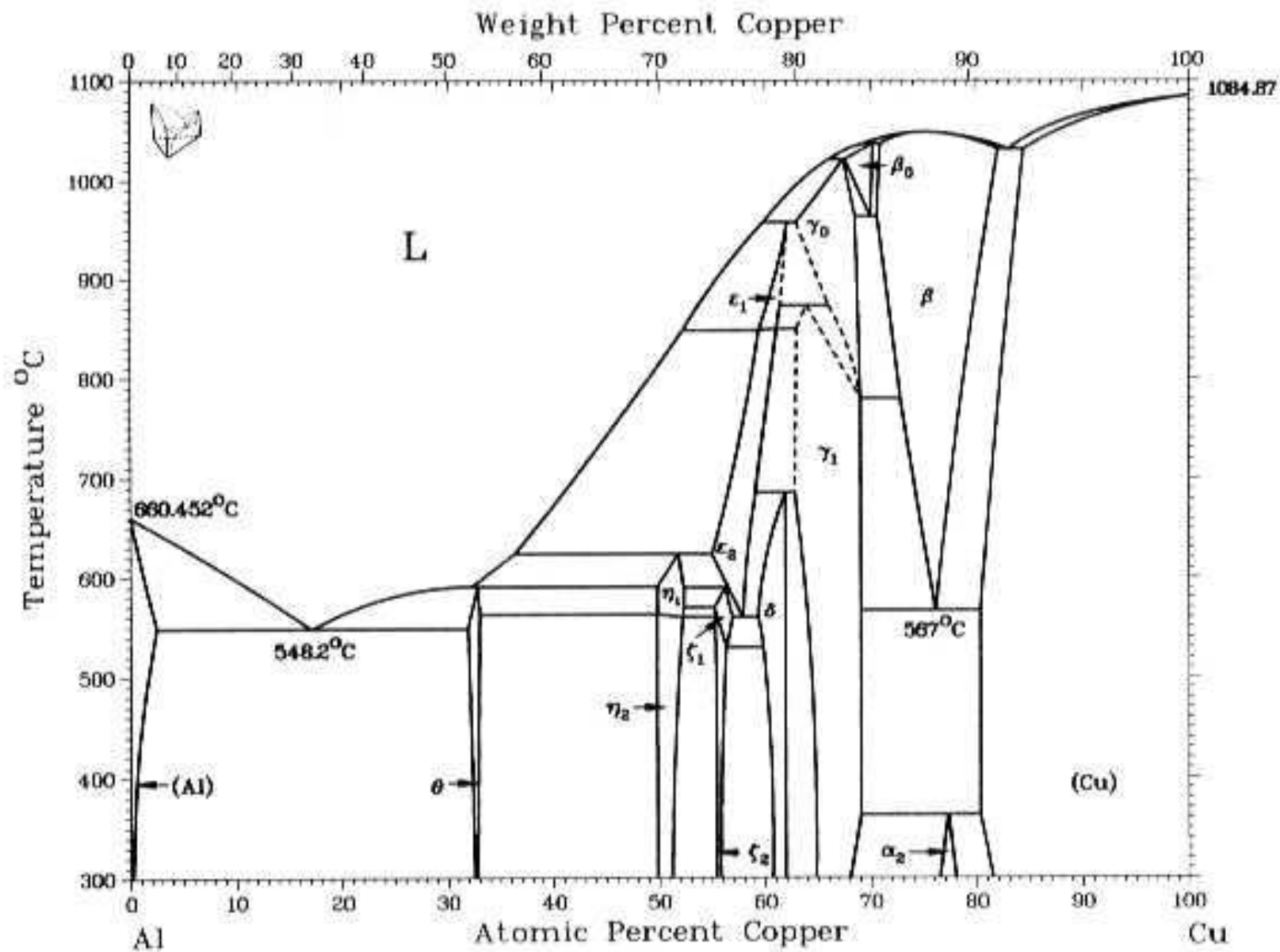


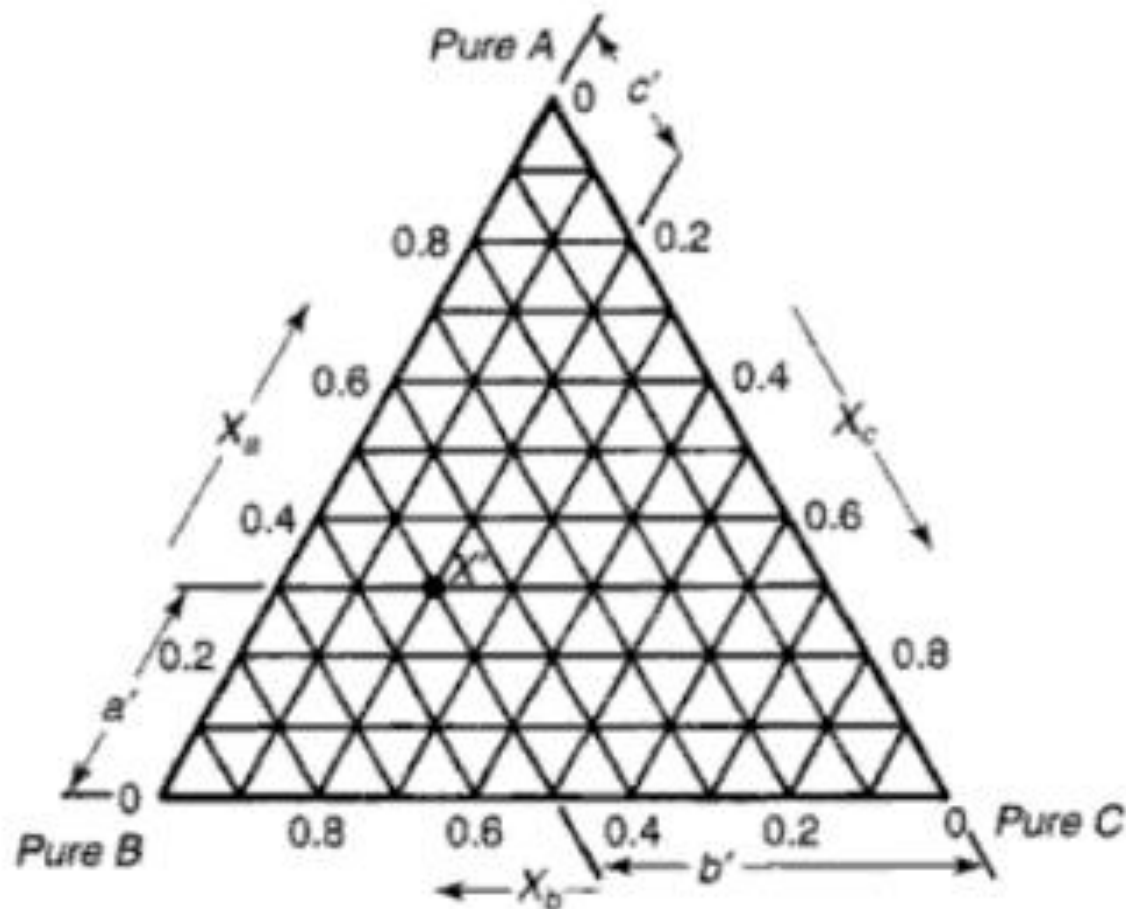


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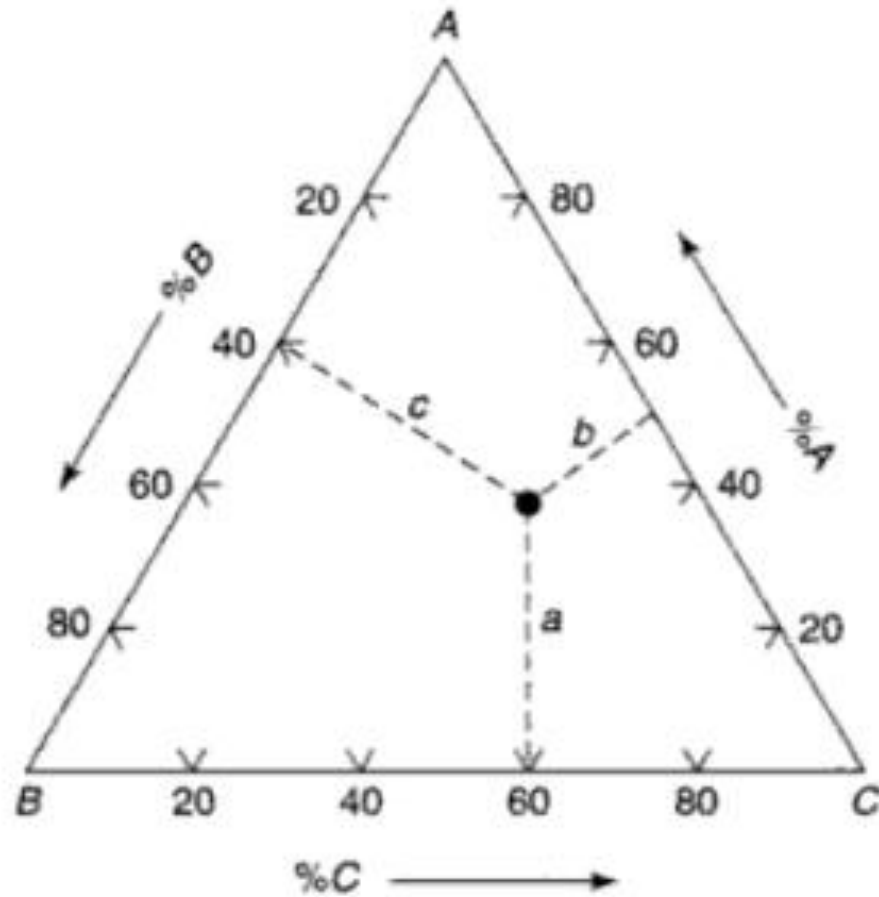


**Figure 2.7** Cu-Zn phase diagram, illustrating a number of three-phase reactions. From K. M. Ralls, T. H. Courtney, and J. Wulff, *Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering*. Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

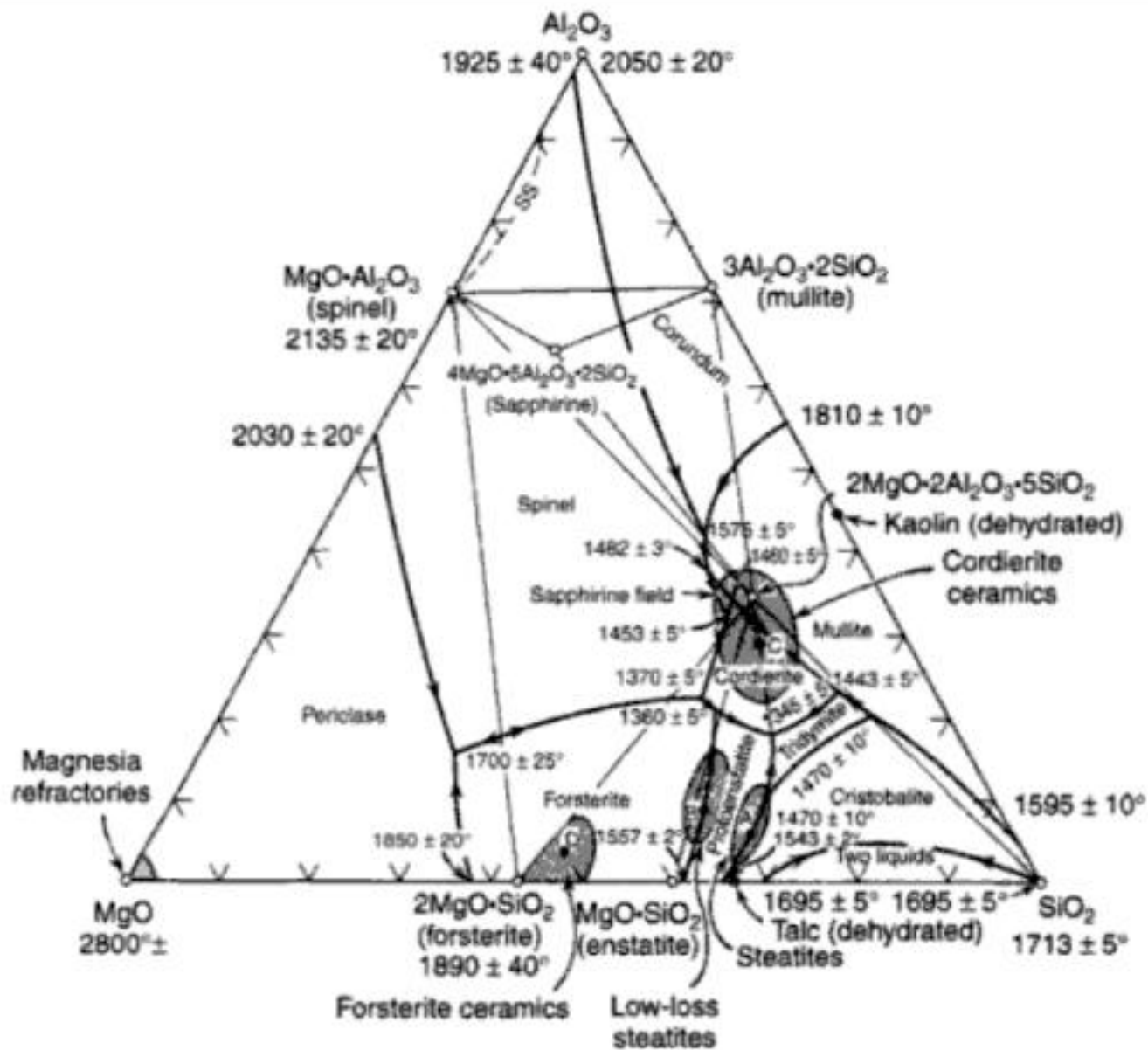




**Figure 2.14** Illustration of how to express compositions on a three-component diagram. From O. F. Devereux, *Topics in Metallurgical Thermodynamics*. Copyright © 1983 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

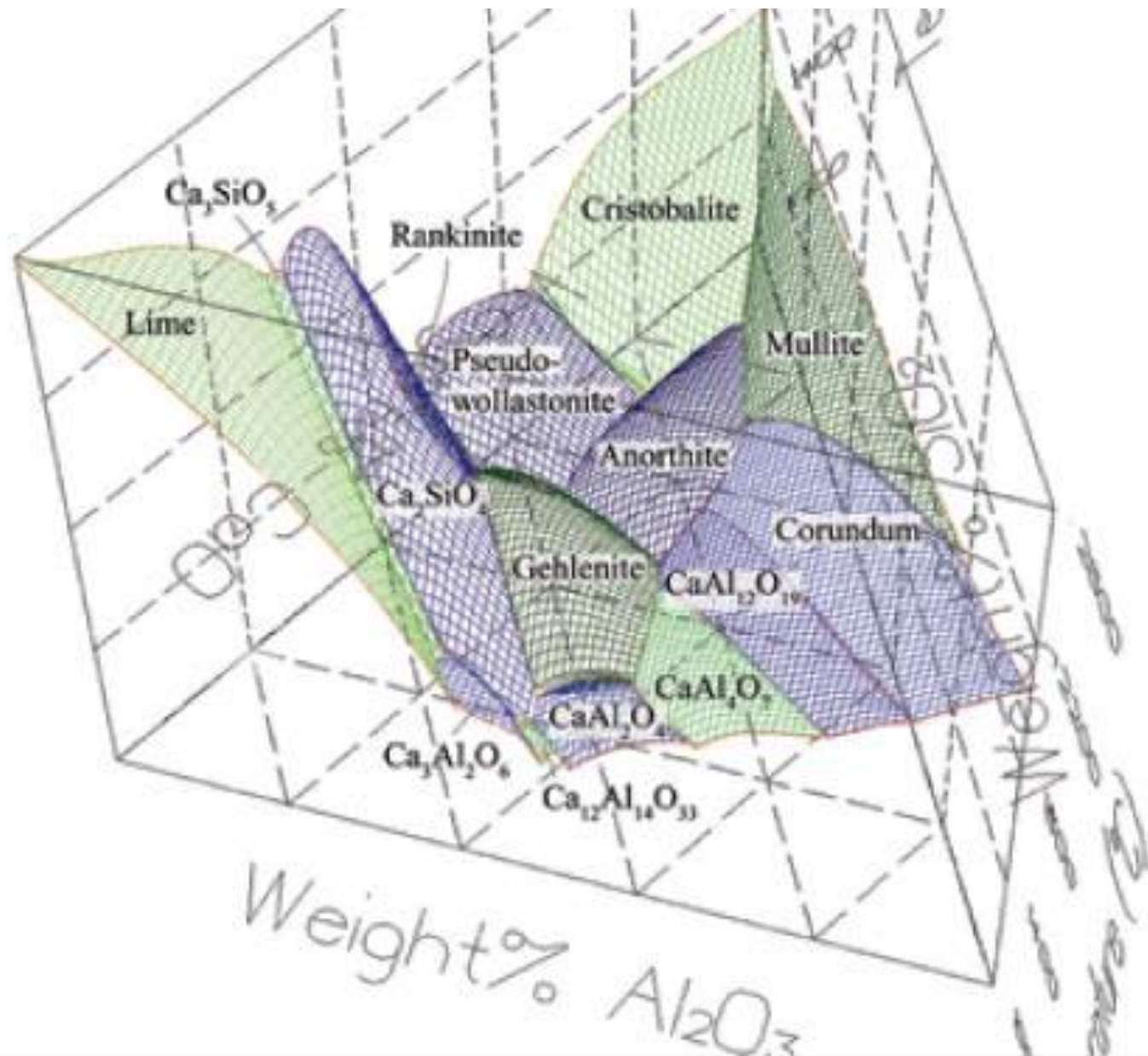


**Figure 2.15** Illustration of center-of-gravity rule for determining compositions in ternary system.



**Figure 2.23** The MgO-Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>-SiO<sub>2</sub> phase diagram. Temperatures are in °C. From *Introduction to Ceramics*, W. D. Kingery, H. K. Bowen, and D. R. Uhlmann, Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.





3-point perspective rendering of the CaO-Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>-SiO<sub>2</sub> system.

# SURFACE ENERGY

(Surface Tension in liquids)

$$dW_S = \gamma dA$$

$$\gamma = \frac{dW_S}{dA}$$

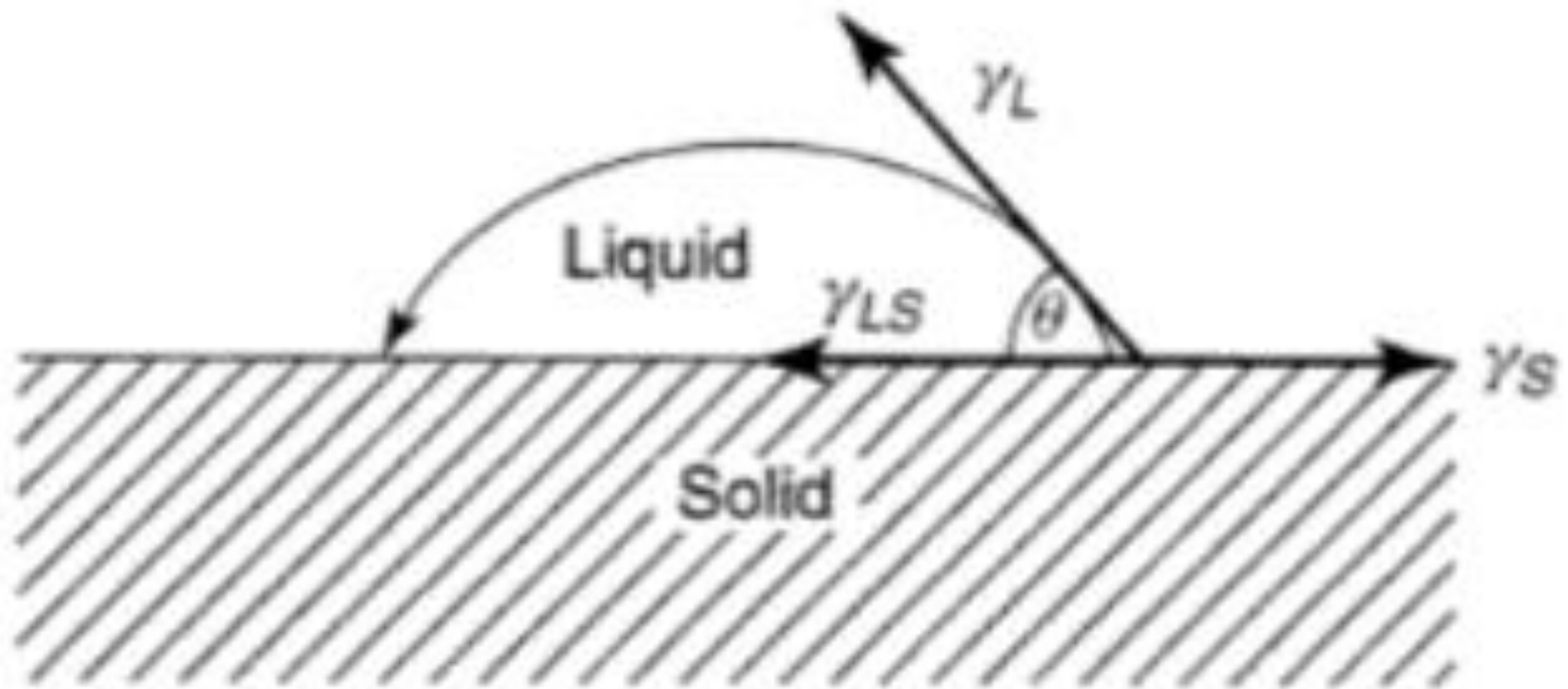


# LaPlace Equation

$$\Delta P = \gamma \left( \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$$

$$\Delta P = \frac{2\gamma}{R}$$

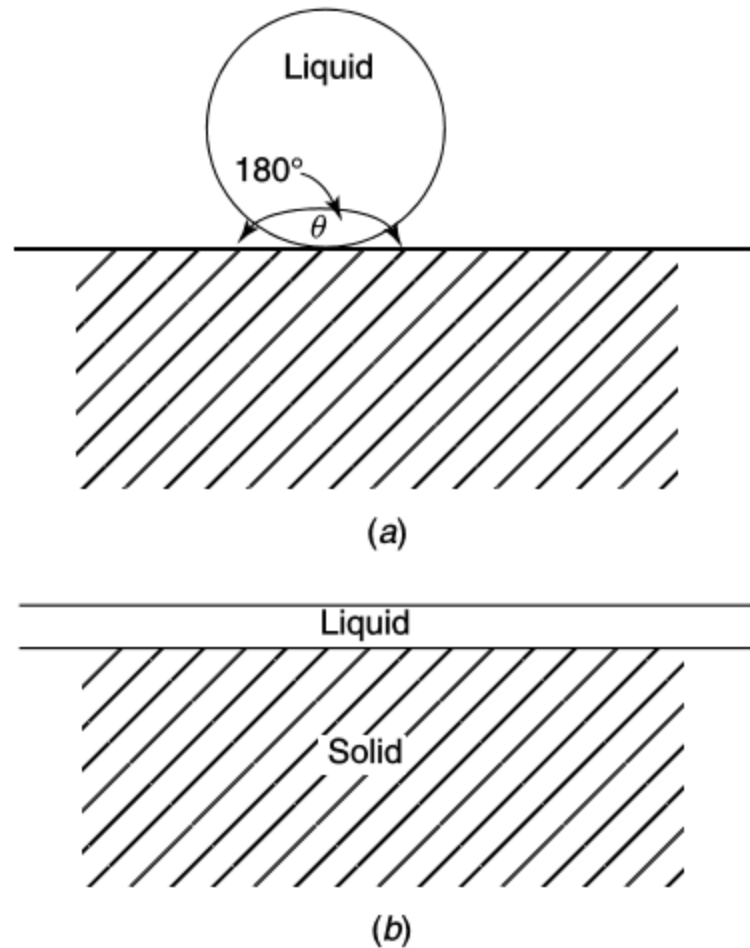
$$\Delta P = 0$$



$$\gamma_L \cos \theta + \gamma_{SL} = \gamma_S$$

(Young's Equation 1805)

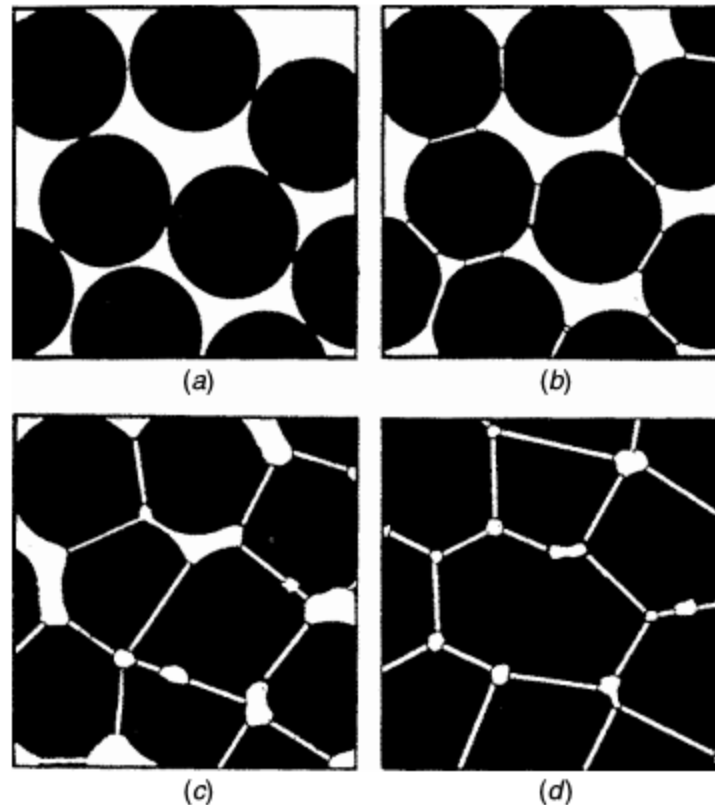
**Figure 2.29** Schematic diagram of liquid droplet on solid surface. From Z. Jastrzebski, *The Nature and Properties of Engineering Materials*, 2nd ed., Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.



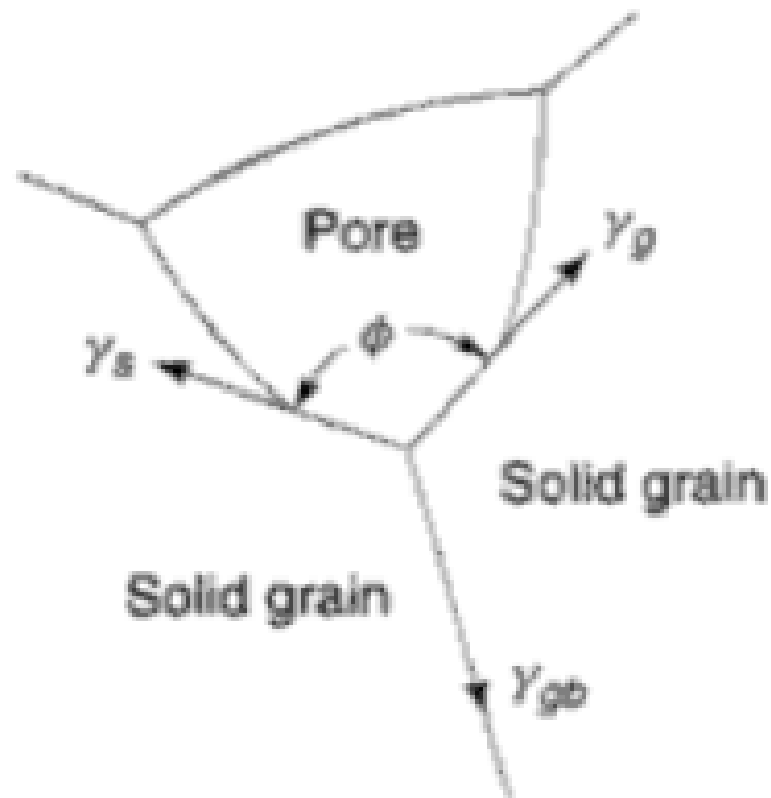
**Figure 2.30** Schematic illustration of (a) nonwetting and (b) wetting of a liquid on a solid. From Z. Jastrzebski, *The Nature and Properties of Engineering Materials*, 2nd ed., Copyright © 1976 by John Wiley & Sons, Inc. This material is used by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

# SINTERING

$$\Delta G = \Delta G_V + \Delta G_b + \Delta G_S$$



**Figure 2.31** Development of ceramic microstructure during sintering: (a) Loose powder particles; (b) initial stage; (c) intermediate stage; and (d) final stage. From W. E. Lee and W. M. Rainforth, *Ceramic Microstructures*, p. 37. Copyright © 1994 by William E. Lee and W. Mark Rainforth, with kind permission of Kluwer Academic Publishers.



**Figure 2.32** Schematic illustration of dihedral angle for solid-pore interaction.



# SOLUTION PROCESSING OF POLYMERS

$$\Delta G_{mix} = \Delta H_{mix} - T \Delta S_{mix}$$

$$\Delta G_{mix} = \alpha X_A X_B + RT(X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B) \quad \text{For regular solutions}$$

$$\Delta S_{mix} = -R(X_A \ln v_A + X_B \ln v_B) = -k_B(N_A \ln v_A + N_B \ln v_B)$$

$$\Delta H_{mix} = k_B T \chi N_A v_B = RT \chi v_A v_B$$

*( $\chi$ , is called the Flory–Huggins interaction Parameter)*

( $\chi$  is zero for ideal mixtures (zero enthalpy of mixing), positive for endothermic mixing, and negative for exothermic mixing.)

Poor solvents have  $\chi$  close to 0.5

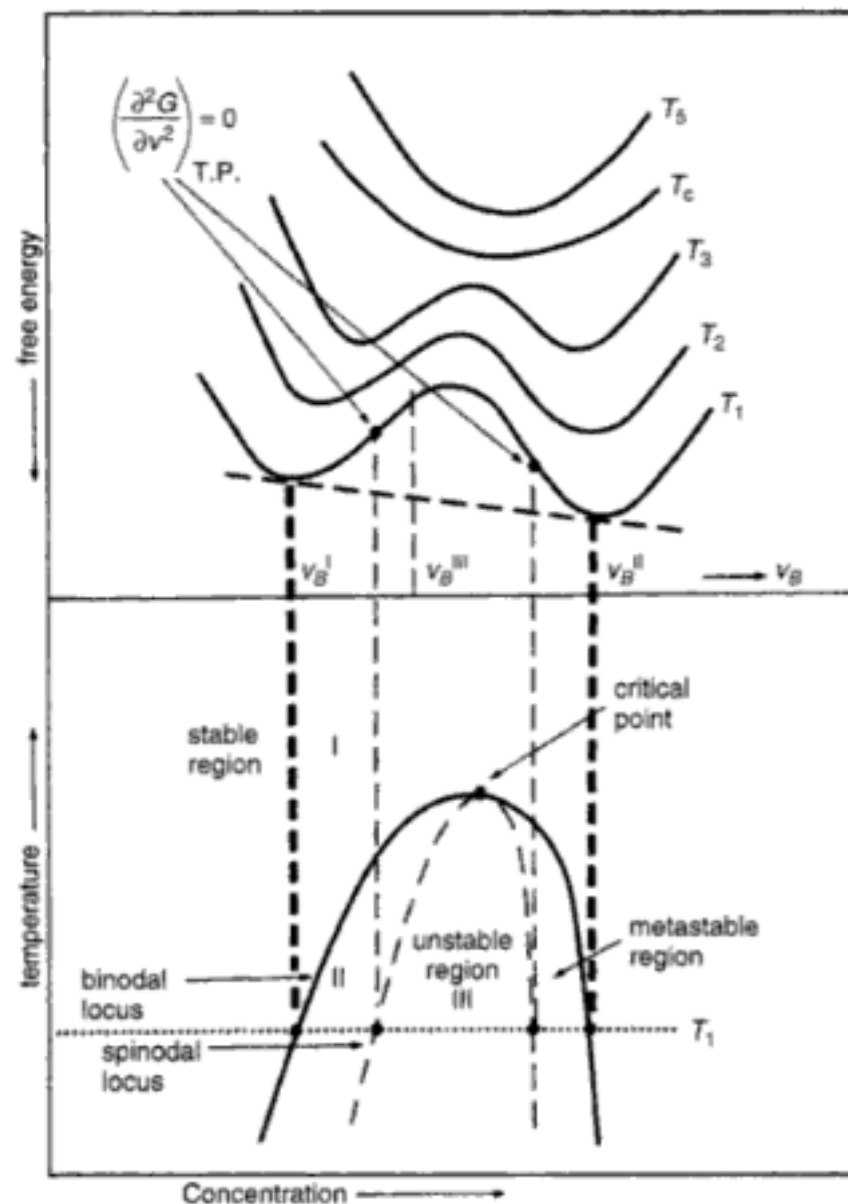
$$\Delta G_{mix} = k_B T [\chi N_A v_B + N_A \ln v_A + N_B \ln v_B]$$

**Table 2.5 Some Polymer-Solvent Interaction Parameters at 25°C**

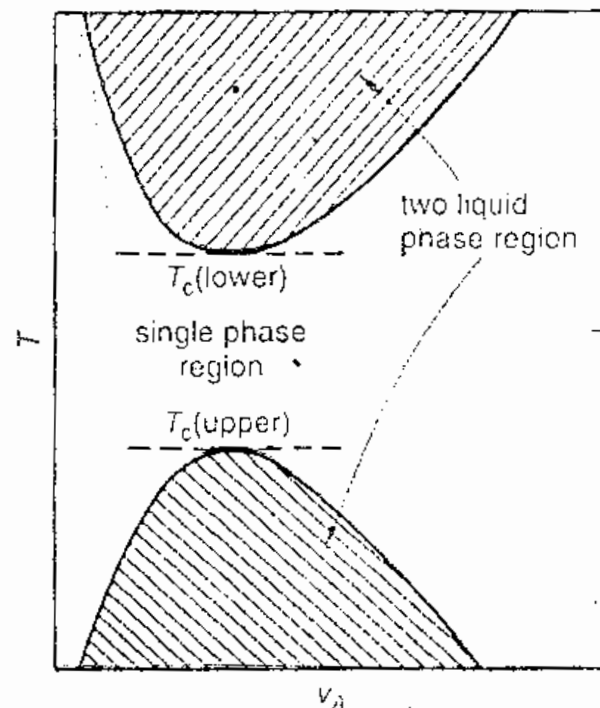
Polymer	Solvent	Interaction Parameter $\chi$
<i>cis</i> -Polyisoprene	Toluene ( $V_1 = 106$ ) <sup>a</sup>	0.391
	Benzene ( $V_1 = 89.0$ )	0.437
Polyisobutylene	Toluene	0.557
	Cyclohexane ( $V_1 = 108$ )	0.436
Butadiene-styrene 71.5:28.5	Benzene	0.442
	Cyclohexane	0.489
Butadiene-acrylonitrile		
	82:18 Benzene	0.390
	70:30 Benzene	0.486
61:39	Benzene	0.564

<sup>a</sup>Note that  $V_1$  is in cubic centimeters per mole.

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## Cohesive Energy Density

*Solubility parameter,  $\delta$*

*$\delta^2$ , called the cohesive energy density*

$$\Delta H_{mix} = (\delta_A - \delta_B)^2 v_A v_B$$

*$\delta_A - \delta_B$  is less than 3.5 to 4.0  $\rightarrow$  good solubility*

Table 2.6 Typical Values of the Solubility Parameter for Some Common Polymers and Solvents

Solvent	$\delta_A[(\text{J}/\text{cm}^3)^{1/2}]$	Polymer	$\delta_B[(\text{J}/\text{cm}^3)^{1/2}]$
<i>n</i> -Hexane	14.8	Polytetrafluoroethylene	12.7
Carbon tetrachloride	17.6	Poly(dimethyl siloxane)	14.9
Toluene	18.3	Polyethylene	16.2
2-Butanone	18.5	Polypropylene	16.6
Benzene	18.7	Polybutadiene	17.6
Cyclohexanone	19.0	Polystyrene	17.6
Styrene	19.0	Poly(methyl methacrylate)	18.6
Chlorobenzene	19.4	Poly(vinyl chloride)	19.4
Acetone	19.9	Poly(vinyl acetate)	21.7
Tetrahydrofuran	20.3	Poly(ethylene terephthalate)	21.9
Methanol	29.7	66-Nylon	27.8
Water	47.9	Polyacrylonitrile	31.5

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$$\delta_B = \frac{\rho \sum E}{M_0}$$




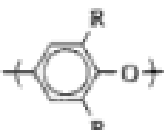








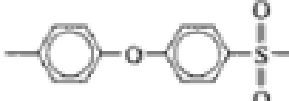
*molar-attraction constants, E*

**Table 2.7 Molar Attraction Constants**

Group	$E[(J\cdot\text{cm}^3)^{1/2} / \text{mol}]$	Group	$E[(J\cdot\text{cm}^3)^{1/2} / \text{mol}]$
$-\text{CH}_3$	303	$\text{NH}_2$	463
$-\text{CH}_2-$	269	$-\text{NH}-$	368
$>\text{CH}-$	176	$-\text{N}-$	125
$>\text{C}<$	65	$\text{C}\equiv\text{N}$	725
$\text{CH}_2=$	259	$\text{NCO}$	733
$-\text{CH}=$	249	$-\text{S}-$	429
$>\text{C}=$	173	$\text{Cl}_2$	701
$-\text{CH}=\text{aromatic}$	239	$\text{Cl primary}$	419
$>\text{C}=\text{aromatic}$	200	$\text{Cl secondary}$	425
$-\text{O}-\text{ether, acetal}$	235	$\text{Cl aromatic}$	329
$-\text{O}-\text{epoxide}$	360	$\text{F}$	84
$-\text{COO}-$	668	Conjugation	47
$>\text{C}=\text{O}$	538	cis	-14
$-\text{CHO}$	599	trans	-28
$(\text{CO})_2\text{O}$	1159	Six-membered ring	-48
$-\text{OH}\leftrightarrow$	462	ortho	-19
$\text{OH aromatic}$	350	meta	-13
$-\text{H acidic dimer}$	-103	para	-82

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**Table 2.8 Complementary Groups Found in Miscible Polymer Blends**

Group 1	Group 2
1. $\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH-)}$ 	$\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH-)}$ 
2. $\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH-)}$ 	$\text{-(C}_6\text{H}_2\text{(R)-O-)}$ 
3. $\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CR-)}$ 	$\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CF}_2\text{-)}$
4. $\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CR-)}$ 	$\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH-)}$ 
5. $\text{-(R}_1\text{-O-C(=O)-R}_2\text{-C(=O)-O-)}$	$\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH-)}$ 
6. $\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH-)}$ 	$\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH-)}$ 
7. $\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH-)}$ 	$\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH-)}$ 
8. 	$\text{-(CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-O-)}$

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