

43. Acoustics (for more detailed headings, see Appendix, Sect. 43)

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43.25.+y **Nonlinear acoustics and macrosonics**

43.28.+h **Aeroacoustics and atmospheric sound**

43.30.+m **Underwater sound**

43.35.+d **Ultrasonics, quantum acoustics, and physical effects of sound**

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43.40.+s **Mechanical vibrations and shock**

43.45.+i **Statistical studies of acoustical response** (see also 43.55. *Architectural acoustics*)

43.50.+y **Noise: its effects and control**

43.55.+p **Architectural acoustics**

43.60.+d **Acoustic signal processing; acoustic holography**

For audition, see 87.34

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43.85.+f **Acoustical measurements and instrumentation**

43.88.+q **Transduction; devices for the generation and reproduction of sound**

43.90.+v **Other topics in acoustics**

44. Heat flow, thermal and thermodynamic processes

44.10.+i **Heat conduction (models, phenomenological description)**

44.25.+f **Convective and constrained heat transfer** (see also 47.25.Q. *Convection and heat transfer*)

44.30.+v **Heat transfer in inhomogeneous media and through interfaces**

44.40.+a **Radiative heat transfer**

44.50.+f **Thermal properties of matter (phenomenology, experimental techniques)**

44.60.+k **Thermodynamic processes (phenomenology, experimental techniques)**

44.90.+c **Other topics in heat flow, thermal and thermodynamic processes**

46. Mechanics, elasticity, rheology

46.10.+z **Mechanics of discrete systems** (see also 03.20. *General mathematical problems*)

46.20.+e **Continuum mechanics** (see also 03.40. *General mathematical problems*)

46.30.—i **Mechanics of solids and rheology** (see also 62.20. *Mechanics of solids, as related to microscopic structure*)

46.30.Cn **Static elasticity**

46.30.Jv **Viscoelasticity, plasticity, viscoplasticity, creep, and stress relaxation (including rheology of solids)**

46.30.Lx **Static buckling and instability**

46.30.My **Vibrations, aeroelasticity, hydroelasticity, mechanical waves, and shocks**

46.30.Nz **Fracture mechanics, fatigue, and cracks**

46.30.Pa **Friction, wear, adherence, hardness, mechanical contacts**

46.30.Rc **Measurement methods and techniques**

46.60.—a **Rheology of fluids and pastes**

46.60.Bd **Viscoelasticity**

46.60.Df **Nonlinearities**

46.60.Fh **Rheopexy, thixotropy**

46.90.+s **Other topics in mechanics, elasticity, and rheology**

47. Fluid dynamics (for fluid dynamics of quantum fluids, see 67)

47.10.+g **General theory** (see also 03.40.G. *Mathematical problems*)

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47.15.Cb **Laminar boundary layers**

47.15.Fe **Stability of laminar flows**

47.20.+m **Hydrodynamic stability**

47.25.—c **Turbulent flows, convection, and heat transfer**

47.25.Cg **Isotropic turbulence**

47.25.Fj **Boundary layer and shear turbulence**

47.25.Jn **Turbulent diffusion**

47.25.Mr **Noise (turbulence generated)**

47.25.Qv **Convection and heat transfer** (see also 44.25. *Convective and constrained heat transfer*)

47.25.Rw **Wakes**

47.30.+s **Rotational flow and vorticity**

47.35.+i **Hydrodynamic waves**

47.40.—x **Compressible flows; shock and detonation phenomena** (see also 28.70. *Nuclear explosions*, 52.35.L. *Plasma shock waves*)

47.40.Dc **General subsonic flows**

47.40.Hg **Transonic flows**

47.40.Ki **Supersonic and hypersonic flows**

47.40.Nm **Shock-wave interactions**

47.45.—n **Rarefied gas dynamics** (see also 07.30. *Vacuum production and techniques*)

47.45.Dt **Free molecular flows**

47.45.Gx **Slip flows**

47.45.Nd **Accommodation**

47.50.+d **Non-Newtonian dynamics**

47.55.—t **Nonhomogeneous flows**

47.55.Bx **Cavitation**

47.55.Cy **Jets**

47.55.Ea **Nozzles**

47.55.Hd **Stratified flows**

47.55.Kf **Multiphase flows**

47.55.Mh **Flow through porous media**

47.60.+i **Flows in ducts, channels, and conduits**

For biological fluid dynamics, see 87.45

47.65.+a **Magnetohydrodynamics and electrohydrodynamics** (for MHD in plasma, see 52.30)

47.70.—n **Reactive, radiative, or nonequilibrium flows**

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47.70.Mc **Radiation gas dynamics**

47.75.+f **Relativistic fluid dynamics**

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For astrophysical gas dynamics, see 95.30.L

47.80.+v **Instrumentation for fluid dynamics** (see also 07.30. *Vacuum production*)

47.90.+a **Other topics in fluid dynamics**

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- 01.10.Cr Announcements, news, and awards
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02.20.+b Group theory (for algebraic methods in quantum mechanics, see 03.65.F; for symmetries in elementary particle physics, see 11.30)

02.30.+g Function theory, analysis

02.40.+m Geometry, differential geometry, and topology (see also 04. Relativity and gravitation)

02.50.+s Probability theory, stochastic processes, and statistics (see also 05. Statistical physics)

02.60.+y Numerical approximation and analysis

02.70.+d Computational techniques (for data handling and computation, see 06.50)

02.90.+p Other topics in mathematical methods in physics

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03.20.+i Classical mechanics of discrete systems: general mathematical aspects (for applied classical mechanics of discrete systems, see 46.10.; for celestial mechanics, see 95.10.C)

03.30.+p Special relativity

03.40.—t Classical mechanics of continuous media: general mathematical aspects

03.40.Dz Mathematical theory of elasticity (see also 46.20. Continuum mechanics, and 46.30. Mechanics of solids)

03.40.Gc Fluid dynamics: general mathematical aspects (see also 47. Fluid dynamics)

03.40.Kf Waves and wave propagation: general mathematical aspects (see also 46.30.M. Mechanical and elastic waves, 43.20. General linear acoustics)

03.50.—z Classical field theory

03.50.De Maxwell theory: general mathematical aspects (for applied classical electrodynamics, see 41)

03.50.Kk Other special classical field theories

03.65.—w Quantum theory; quantum mechanics (see also 05.30. Quantum statistical mechanics, for relativistic wave equations, see 11.10.Q)

03.65.Bz Foundations, theory of measurement, miscellaneous theories

03.65.Ca Formalism

03.65.Db Functional analytical methods

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03.65.Nk Scattering theory: nonrelativistic

03.65.Sq Semiclassical theories and applications

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03.70.+k Theory of quantized fields (see also 11.10. Field theory)

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04.20.Cv Fundamental problems and general formalism

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04.20.Jb Solutions to equations

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04.50.+h Unified field theories and other theories of gravitation

04.60.+n Quantum theory of gravitation

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04.80.+z Experimental tests of general relativity and observations of gravitational radiation

04.90.+e Other topics in relativity and gravitation

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05.20.Dd Kinetic theory

05.20.Gg Classical ensemble theory

05.30.—d Quantum statistical mechanics (see also 67. Quantum fluids and 71. Electron states in condensed matter)

05.30.Ch Quantum ensemble theory

05.30.Fk Fermion systems and electron gas

05.30.Jp Boson systems

05.40.+j Fluctuation phenomena, random processes, and Brownian motion

05.50.+q Lattice theory and statistics; Ising problems (see also 64.60.C. Order disorder and statistical mechanics of model systems; 75.10.H. Ising models)

05.60.+w Transport processes: theory

05.70.—a Thermodynamics (see also 64. Equations of state, phase equilibria, and phase transitions; 65. Thermal properties of condensed matter; for chemical thermodynamics, see 82.60)

05.70.Ce Thermodynamic functions and equations of state

05.70.Fh Phase transitions: general aspects

05.70.Jk Critical point phenomena

05.70.Ln Nonequilibrium thermodynamics, irreversible processes (see also 31.70.F. Potential energy surfaces, 82. Physical chemistry)

05.90.+m Other topics in statistical physics and thermodynamics

06. Measurement science, general laboratory techniques, and instrumentation systems

06.20.—f Metrology

06.20.Dk Measurement and error theory
06.20.Fn Units
06.20.Hq Measurement standards
06.20.Jr Determination of fundamental constants

06.30.—k Measurement of basic quantities

06.30.Bp Measurement of spatial parameters
06.30.Dr Mass and density measurement
06.30.Ft Time and frequency measurement
06.30.Gv Velocity and acceleration measurement
06.30.Lz Measurement of basic electromagnetic quantities

06.50.—x Data handling and computation

06.50.Dc Data gathering, processing, and recording; data displays
06.50.Mk Computing devices and techniques

06.60.—c Laboratory techniques

06.60.Ei Sample preparation
06.60.Jn High-speed techniques (microsecond to picosecond)
06.60.Sx Micromanipulators, micropositioners, and microtomes
06.60.Vz Workshop techniques (welding, machining, lubrication, bearings, etc.)
06.60.Wa Safety (see also 28.80.F. Radiation monitoring and protection; 87.60.M. Radiation dosimetry, 87.60.P. Radiation protection)

06.70.—h General instrumentation

06.70.Dn Sensing and detecting devices
06.70.Ep Testing equipment
06.70.Hs Display, recording, and indicating instruments
06.70.Mx Transducers
06.70.Td Servo and control devices

06.90.+v Other topics in measurement science, general laboratory techniques and instrumentation systems

07. Specific instrumentation and techniques of general use in physics (see also within each subdiscipline for specialized instrumentation and techniques)

07.10.+i Mechanical instruments and measurement methods

07.20.—n Thermal instruments and techniques

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07.20.Fw Calorimetry
07.20.Hy Furnaces
07.20.Ka High-temperature techniques and instrumentation; pyrometry
07.20.Mc Cryogenics

07.25.+f Hygrometry

07.30.—t Vacuum production and techniques (see also 47.45. Rarefied gas dynamics, 47.80. Fluid dynamics instrumentation)

07.30.Bx Evacuating power, degasification, residual gas
07.30.Cy Vacuum pumps
07.30.Dz Vacuum meters
07.30.Hd Vacuum apparatus and testing methods
07.30.Kf Auxiliary apparatus, hardware, and materials

07.35.+k High-pressure production and techniques

07.50.+f Electrical instruments and techniques

07.55.+x Magnetic instruments and techniques

07.58.+g Magnetic resonance spectrometers, auxiliary instruments, and techniques (see also 61.16.H. EPR and NMR determinations)

07.60.—j Optical instruments and techniques (for radiation detection, see 07.62; for spectroscopy and spectrometers, see 07.65)

07.60.Dq Photometry, radiometry, colorimetry
07.60.Fs Polarimetry and ellipsometry
07.60.Hv Refractometry and reflectometry
07.60.Ly Interferometry
07.60.Pb Optical microscopy

07.62.+s Detection of radiation (bolometers, photoelectric cells, infrared and submillimeter wave detection)

07.65.—b Optical spectroscopy and spectrometers (see also 07.85. for x-ray spectroscopy)

07.65.Eh Visible and ultraviolet spectroscopy and spectrometers
07.65.Gj Infrared spectroscopy and spectrometers

07.68.+m Photography, photographic instruments and techniques

07.75.+h Mass spectrometers and mass spectrometry techniques

07.77.+p Particle beam production and handling; targets (see also 41.80. Particle beam optics and 29.25.—in elementary-particle and nuclear physics)

07.80.+x Electron and ion microscopes and techniques (see also in condensed matter, 61.16.D. Electron microscopy; 61.16.F. Field ion microscopy)

For radiation spectrometers and spectroscopic techniques, see 29.30

For radiation measurement, detection, and counting, see 29.70

07.85.+n X- and γ -ray instruments and techniques

07.90.+c Other topics in specialized instrumentation

10. THE PHYSICS OF ELEMENTARY PARTICLES AND FIELDS

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11.10.—z Field theory

11.10.Cd Axiomatic approach
11.10.Ef Lagrangian and Hamiltonian approach
11.10.Gh Renormalization
11.10.Jj Asymptotic problems and properties
11.10.Lm Nonlinear or nonlocal theories and models
11.10.Mn Schwinger source theory
11.10.Np Gauge field theories
11.10.Qr Relativistic wave equations
11.10.St Bound and unstable states; Bethe-Salpeter equations

11.20.—e S-matrix theory

11.20.Dj Scattering matrix and perturbation theory
11.20.Fm Dispersion relations and analytic properties of the S matrix

11.30.—j Symmetry and conservation laws (see also 02.20. Group theory)

11.30.Cp Lorentz and Poincaré invariance
11.30.Er Charge conjugation, parity, time reversal, and other discrete symmetries
11.30.Jw SU(2) and SU(3) symmetries
11.30.Kx SU(4) symmetry
11.30.Ly Other internal and higher symmetries
11.30.Na Nonlinear and dynamical symmetries (spectrum-generating symmetries)
11.30.Pb Supersymmetry
11.30.Qc Spontaneous symmetry breaking
11.30.Rd Chiral symmetries

11.40.—q Currents and their properties

11.40.Dw General theory of currents
11.40.Fy Lagrangian approach to current algebras
11.40.Ha Partially conserved axial-vector currents

11.50.—w Dispersion relations and sum rules

11.50.Ec *N/D* method
11.50.Ge Bootstraps
11.50.Jg Crossing symmetries
11.50.Li Sum rules
11.50.Nk Multivariable dispersion relations (including Mandelstam representation)

11.60.+c Complex angular momentum; Regge formalism (see also 03.80. General theory of scattering, 12.40.M —in strong interactions)

- 11.80.—m Relativistic scattering theory** (*see also 03.80. General theory of scattering*)
- 11.80.Cr Kinematical properties (helicity and invariant amplitudes, kinematic singularities, etc.)
- 11.80.Et Partial-wave analysis
- 11.80.Fv Approximations (eikonal approximation, variational principles, etc.)
- 11.80.Gw Multichannel scattering
- 11.80.Jy Many-body scattering and Faddeev equation
- 11.80.La Multiple scattering
- 11.90.+t Other topics in general field and particle theory**

12. Specific theories and interaction models; particle systematics

- 12.20.—m Electromagnetic and unified gauge fields**
- 12.20.Ds Specific calculations and limits of quantum electrodynamics
- 12.20.Fv Experimental tests of quantum electrodynamics
- 12.20.Hx Unified field theories and models
- 12.25.+e Models for gravitational interactions** (*see also 04.60. Quantum theory of gravitation*)
- 12.30.—s Models of weak interactions**
- 12.30.Cx Neutral currents
- 12.30.Ez Intermediate bosons
- 12.40.—y Models of strong interactions**
- 12.40.Bb Composite models of the structure of hadrons (general models, dynamics, schemes for confinement)
- 12.40.Cc Properties of hadrons derived from the composite models
- 12.40.Ee Statistical models
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- 12.40.Hh Duality and dual models
- 12.40.Kj Hadron classification schemes
- 12.40.Mm Complex angular momentum plane; Regge poles and cuts (Reggeons) (*see also 11.60.—for general theory*)
- 12.40.Pp Absorptive, optical, and eikonal models
- 12.40.Qq Potential models
- 12.40.Rr Peripheral models (one or more particle exchange)
- 12.40.Ss Multiperipheral and multi-Regge models
- 12.40.Vv Vector-meson dominance

- 12.70.+q Hadron mass formulas**
- 12.90.+b Miscellaneous theoretical ideas and models**

13. Specific reactions and phenomenology

- 13.10.+q Weak and electromagnetic interactions of leptons (including interactions involving cosmic rays)**
- 13.15.+g Neutrino interactions (including reactions involving cosmic rays)**
- 13.20.—v Leptonic and semileptonic decays of mesons**
- 13.20.Cz π decays
- 13.20.Eb K decays
- 13.20.Jf Other meson decays (ψ , J , etc.)
- 13.25.+m Hadronic decays of mesons**
- 13.30.—a Decays of baryons**
- 13.30.Ce Leptonic and semileptonic decays
- 13.30.Eg Hadronic decays
- 13.40.—f Electromagnetic processes and properties of hadrons**
- 13.40.Dk Electromagnetic mass differences
- 13.40.Fn Electromagnetic form factors; electric and magnetic moments
- 13.40.Hq Electromagnetic decays
- 13.40.Ks Electromagnetic corrections to strong- and weak-interaction processes
- 13.60.—r Photon and charged-lepton interactions with hadrons (for neutrino interactions, see 13.15)**
- 13.60.Fz Elastic and Compton scattering
- 13.60.Hb Total and inclusive cross sections (including deep-inelastic processes)
- 13.60.Kd Meson production
- 13.60.Mf Meson-resonance production
- 13.60.Rj Baryon and baryon-resonance production
- 13.65.+i Hadron production by electron-positron collisions**
- 13.75.—n Hadron-induced low- and intermediate-energy reactions and scattering, energy ≤ 10 GeV (for higher energies, see 13.85)**
- 13.75.Cs Nucleon-nucleon interactions, including antinucleon, deuteron, etc. (energy ≤ 10 GeV) (*for $N-N$ interactions in nuclei, see 21.30*)

- 13.75.Ev Hyperon-nucleon interactions (energy ≤ 10 GeV)
- 13.75.Gx Pion-baryon interactions (energy ≤ 10 GeV)
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- 13.75.Lb Meson-meson interactions (energy ≤ 10 GeV)
- 13.85.—t Hadron-induced high- and super-high-energy interactions, energy > 10 GeV (for low energies, see 13.75)**
- 13.85.Dz Elastic scattering (energy > 10 GeV)
- 13.85.Fb Inelastic scattering, two-particle final states (energy > 10 GeV)
- 13.85.Hd Inelastic scattering, many-particle final states (energy > 10 GeV)
- 13.85.Kf Inclusive reactions, including total cross sections (energy > 10 GeV)
- 13.85.Mh Cosmic ray interactions (energy > 10 GeV) (*see also 94.40. Cosmic rays*)
- 13.90.+i Other topics in specific reactions and phenomenology of elementary particles**

14. Properties of specific particles and resonances

- 14.20.—c Baryons and baryon resonances (including antiparticles)**
- 14.20.Cg Neutrons
- 14.20.Ei Protons
- 14.20.Gk Baryon resonances with $S=0$
- 14.20.Jn Hyperons and hyperon resonances
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- 14.40.Dt π mesons
- 14.40.Fw K mesons
- 14.40.Ka ρ , ω , and η mesons
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- 14.60.—z Leptons**
- 14.60.Cd Electrons and positrons
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- 14.60.Gh Neutrinos
- 14.80.—j Other and hypothetical particles**
- 14.80.Dq Quarks
- 14.80.Fs Intermediate bosons
- 14.80.Hv Magnetic monopoles
- 14.80.Kx Others (including photons and tachyons)

20. NUCLEAR PHYSICS

21. Nuclear structure

- 21.10.—k General and average properties of nuclei; properties of nuclear energy levels (for properties of specific nuclei listed by mass ranges, see 27)**
- 21.10.Dr Binding energy and masses
- 21.10.Ft Shape, charge, and radius
- 21.10.Hw Spin, parity, and isobaric spin
- 21.10.Jx Spectroscopic factors

- 21.10.Ky Electromagnetic moments
- 21.10.Ma Level density and structure
- 21.10.Pc Single particle structure in levels
- 21.10.Re Collective structure in levels (including rotational bands)
- 21.10.Sf Coulomb effects
- 21.30.+y Nuclear forces (see also 13.75.C. Nucleon-nucleon interactions)**
- 21.40.+d Few-nucleon systems**

21.60.—n Nuclear-structure models and methods

- 21.60.Cs Shell model
- 21.60.Ev Collective models
- 21.60.Fw Models based on group theory
- 21.60.Gx Cluster models
- 21.60.Jz Hartree-Fock and random-phase approximations
- 21.65.+f Nuclear matter**

For hadronic atoms and molecules, see 36.10.G

- 21.80.+a **Hypernuclei**
- 21.90.+f **Other topics in nuclear structure**

23. Nuclear decay and radioactivity
(see also 82.55. Radiochemistry)

- 23.20.—g Electromagnetic transitions**
- 23.20.Ck Lifetimes and transition probabilities
- 23.20.En Angular distribution and correlation measurements
- 23.20.Gq Multipole mixing ratios
- 23.20.Js Multipole matrix elements
- 23.20.Lv Gamma transitions and level energies
- 23.20.Nx Internal conversion and extranuclear effects
- 23.40.—s β decay; electron and muon capture**
- 23.40.Bw Weak interaction and lepton aspects of beta decay
- 23.40.Hc Nuclear matrix elements and nuclear structure inferred from beta decay
- 23.60.+e α decay**
- 23.90.+w Other topics in nuclear decay and radioactivity**

24. Nuclear reactions and scattering: general

- 24.10.—i Nuclear reaction and scattering models and methods**
- 24.10.Dp Coupled-channel and many-body-theory methods
- 24.10.Fr Plane- and distorted-wave Born approximations
- 24.10.Ht Optical and diffraction models
- 24.30.—v Resonance reactions and scattering**
- 24.30.Cz Giant resonances
- 24.30.Eb Isobaric analog resonances
- 24.50.+g Direct reactions and scattering**
- 24.60.+m Statistical theory and fluctuations**
- 24.70.+s Polarization in reactions and scattering**
- 24.75.+i General properties of fission**
- 24.90.+d Other topics in nuclear reactions and scattering: general**

25. Nuclear reactions and scattering: specific reactions

- 25.10.+s Nuclear reactions and scattering involving few-nucleon systems**
- 25.20.+y Photonuclear reactions and photon scattering**
- 25.30.—c Lepton-induced reactions and scattering**
- 25.30.Cg Electron and positron scattering
- 25.30.Ei Muon scattering
- 25.30.Gk Neutrino scattering

25.40.—h Nucleon-induced reactions and scattering (see also 28.20. Neutron physics)

- 25.40.Cm Elastic proton scattering
- 25.40.Dn Elastic neutron scattering
- 25.40.Ep Inelastic proton scattering and (p, n) reactions
- 25.40.Fq Inelastic neutron scattering and (n, p) reactions
- 25.40.Gr Single nucleon transfer reactions
- 25.40.Jt Few nucleon transfer reactions
- 25.40.Lw Radiative capture
- 25.40.Rb Reactions and scattering above meson production thresholds (energies > 400 MeV)

25.50.—n ^2H - and ^3H -induced reactions and scattering

- 25.50.Dt Elastic and inelastic scattering
- 25.50.Gx Single-nucleon transfer reactions
- 25.50.Jz Few nucleon transfer reactions

25.60.—t ^3He - and ^4He -induced reactions and scattering

- 25.60.Cy Elastic and inelastic scattering
- 25.60.Ea Single-nucleon transfer reactions
- 25.60.Fb Few nucleon transfer reactions

25.70.—z Heavy-particle-induced reactions and scattering

- 25.70.Bc Reaction mechanisms
- 25.70.De Few nucleon transfers
- 25.70.Fg Bulk matter and collective aspects of heavy-ion reactions
- 25.70.Hi Elastic, inelastic, and charge exchange reactions
- 25.70.Kk Coulomb excitation

25.80.+f Meson- and hyperon-induced reactions and scattering

- 25.85.—w Fission reactions**
- 25.85.Ca Spontaneous fission
- 25.85.Ec Neutron-induced fission
- 25.85.Ge Charged-particle-induced fission
- 25.85.Jg Photofission

25.90.+k Other topics in nuclear reactions and scattering: specific reactions

27. Properties of specific nuclei listed by mass ranges (an additional heading must be chosen with these entries, where the given mass number limits are, to some degree, arbitrary)

- 27.10.+h $A \leq 5$
- 27.20.+n $6 \leq A \leq 19$
- 27.30.+t $20 \leq A \leq 38$
- 27.40.+z $39 \leq A \leq 58$
- 27.50.+e $59 \leq A \leq 89$
- 27.60.+j $90 \leq A \leq 149$
- 27.70.+q $150 \leq A \leq 189$
- 27.80.+w $190 \leq A \leq 219$
- 27.90.+b $220 \leq A$

28. Nuclear engineering and nuclear power studies

28.20.—v Neutron physics (see also 25.40. Nucleon-induced reactions and scattering)

- 28.20.Cz Neutron scattering
- 28.20.Fc Neutron absorption
- 28.20.He Neutron diffusion
- 28.20.Lh Neutron moderation

28.40.—f Nuclear reactors

- 28.40.Dk Theory and design
- 28.40.Gp Nuclear reactor materials
- 28.40.Ks Cooling and heat recovery
- 28.40.Nw Experiments with nuclear reactors

28.45.—x Operation of nuclear reactors

- 28.45.Cb Pile control and guidance
- 28.45.Ed Protection systems, safety, and accidents
- 28.45.Gf Fuel preparation and reprocessing
- 28.45.Jh Residues: processing, storage, removal, use

28.50.—k Specific types of reactors, reactor applications

- 28.50.Dr Research reactors
- 28.50.Ft Fast and breeder reactors
- 28.50.Hw Power and production reactors
- 28.50.Ky Propulsion reactors
- 28.50.Ma Auxiliary generators and electric propulsion
- 28.50.Pc Power plants, desalting plants
- 28.50.Re Fusion reactors and thermonuclear power studies (see also 52.55.P. Confinement in fusion reactors)

28.60.+s Isotope separation and enrichment

28.70.+y Nuclear explosions (see also 47.40. Shock and detonation phenomena)

28.80.—c Radiation technology, including shielding (see also 87.60. Medical and biomedical uses of fields, radiations, and radioactivity)

- 28.80.Cg Dosimetry
- 28.80.Fj Radiation monitoring and radiation protection

28.90.+i Other topics in nuclear engineering and nuclear power studies

29. Experimental methods and instrumentation for elementary-particle and nuclear physics

29.10.+y Preacceleration (injection)

29.15.—n Electrostatic, collective, and linear particle accelerators

- 29.15.Br Electrostatic accelerators
- 29.15.Dt Linear accelerators (including electron ring accelerators)

- 29.20.—c Cyclic accelerators and storage facilities**
- 29.20.Dh Storage rings
 29.20.Fj Betatrons
 29.20.Hm Cyclotrons
 29.20.Jn Synchrocyclotrons
 29.20.Lq Synchrotrons

For plasma accelerators, see 52.75.D

- 29.25.—t Particle sources and targets; preparation and technology (see also 07.72. General instrumentation)**

- 29.25.Bx Electron sources
 29.25.Cy Ion sources: positive, negative, and polarized
 29.25.Dz Neutron sources
 29.25.Ea Radioactive sources
 29.25.Fb Beam handling, focusing, pulsing, stripping, etc.
 29.25.Gc Nuclear bombardment targets
 29.25.Kf Polarized targets

- 29.30.—h Radiation spectrometers and spectroscopic techniques**

- 29.30.Dn Heavy charged-particle spectroscopy

- 29.30.Ep α -ray spectroscopy
 29.30.Fq β -ray spectroscopy
 29.30.Hs Neutron spectroscopy
 29.30.Kv X- and γ -ray spectroscopy

- 29.40.—n Radiation detectors**

- 29.40.Br Ionization chambers
 29.40.Dt Cloud chambers
 29.40.Fw Bubble chambers
 29.40.Hy Spark chambers and other track chambers
 29.40.Ka Cherenkov detectors
 29.40.Mc Scintillation detectors; scintillators and photomultipliers
 29.40.Pe Semiconductor detectors
 29.40.Rg Nuclear emulsions
 29.40.Sh Geiger tubes
 29.40.Ti Position sensitive detectors

For mass spectrometers, see 07.75

- 29.60.—z Counting circuits and nuclear electronics**

- 29.60.Cd Basic function units: supply units, amplifiers, etc.
 29.60.Ef Pulse counting assemblies: counting scalars, analyzers, etc.

- 29.60.Gh Pulse circuits
 29.60.Jj Radiation monitors

- 29.70.—e Radiation measurement, detection, and counting (see also 29.30. Radiation spectrometers and spectroscopy, 29.40. Radiation detectors)**

- 29.70.Dj Angular correlation techniques
 29.70.Fm Coincidence techniques (see also 06.60.Q. General laboratory techniques)
 29.70.Gn Energy loss and energy range relations
 29.70.Jq Integral methods of radiation detection

For dosimetry, see 87.60.M

- 29.75.+x Polarization analysis**

- 29.80.—j Nuclear information processing**

- 29.80.Cp Computer systems
 29.80.Fs Programming

- 29.90.+r Other topics in high-energy and nuclear experimental methods and instrumentation**

30. ATOMIC AND MOLECULAR PHYSICS (FOR PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY, SEE 82)

- 31. Electronic structure of atoms and molecules: theory (see also 71. Electron states in solids)**

- 31.10.+z General theory of electronic structure, electronic transitions, and chemical binding**

- 31.15.+q General mathematical and computational developments**

- 31.20.—d Specific calculations and results**

- 31.20.Di Complete ab initio calculations (exact or nearly exact calculations on small species)
 31.20.Ej Ab initio LCAO and GO SCF calculations
 31.20.Gm Other accurate, or nearly ab initio calculations (DIM method, SAMO method, etc.)
 31.20.Lr Statistical model calculations (Thomas-Fermi and Thomas-Fermi-Dirac models)
 31.20.Nt Semi-empirical NDO calculations (CNDO, INDO, MINDO, PCILO methods, etc.)
 31.20.Pv Other semi-empirical calculations (Hückel, generalized Hückel, PPP methods, etc.)
 31.20.Rx Valence bond calculations (ab initio or not)
 31.20.Tz Electron correlation and CI calculations
 31.20.Wb Empirical methods (nonquantum methods for conformations, as Wiberg method, Westheimer method, etc.)

- 31.30.—i Corrections to electronic structure**

- 31.30.Gs Hyperfine interactions and isotope effects
 31.30.Jv Radiative and relativistic effects

- 31.50.+w Excited states**

- 31.70.—f Effects of molecular interactions on electronic structure (see also 34. Atomic and molecular interactions)**

- 31.70.Dk Environmental and solvent effects
 31.70.Fn Potential energy surfaces for chemical reactions and collisions (see also 82.20.K.—in chemical kinetics; 34.20. Intermolecular forces; for beam studies, see 34.50.L)
 31.70.Hq Time-dependent phenomena: excitation and relaxation processes, and reaction rates (see also 34. Atomic and molecular collisions)
 31.70.Ks Molecular solids

- 31.90.+s Other topics in the theory of the electronic structure of atoms and molecules (including properties other than the energy)**

- 32. Atomic spectra and interactions with photons**

- 32.30.—r Atomic spectra, grouped by wavelength ranges**

- 32.30.Bv Radiofrequency, microwave, and infrared spectra (including magnetic resonance spectra)
 32.30.Jc Visible and ultraviolet spectra (for fluorescence and phosphorescence spectra, see 32.50)
 32.30.Rj X-ray spectra

- 32.50.+d Fluorescence, phosphorescence (including quenching) (for quenching processes, see also 34.)**

- 32.60.+i Zeeman and Stark effects**

- 32.70.—n Intensities and shapes of atomic spectral lines**

- 32.70.Cs Oscillator strengths, transition moments
 32.70.Fw Lifetimes, absolute and relative intensities
 32.70.Jz Line shapes, widths, and shifts

- 32.80.—t Atomic photon processes**

- 32.80.Bx Level crossing and optical pumping
 32.80.Dz Autoionization
 32.80.Fb Photoionization and photodetachment
 32.80.Hd Auger effect and inner-shell ionization
 32.80.Kf Multiphoton processes

- 32.90.+a Other topics in atomic spectra and interactions of atoms with photons**

- 33. Molecular spectra and interactions of molecules with photons**

- 33.10.—n Calculation of molecular spectra**

- 33.10.Cs Computational methods (including new theoretical techniques and applications of group theory) (see also 03.65.F. Algebraic methods in quantum mechanics)
 33.10.Ev Rotational analysis
 33.10.Gx Vibrational analysis
 33.10.Jz Vibration-rotational analysis
 33.10.Lb Vibronic, rovibronic, and rotation-electron-spin interactions

- 33.20.—t Molecular spectra, grouped by wavelength ranges** (for photoelectron spectra, see 33.60)
- 33.20.Bx Radio-frequency and microwave spectra (for NMR spectra, see 33.25; for EPR spectra, see 33.35)
- 33.20.Ea Infrared spectra
- 33.20.Fb Raman and Rayleigh spectra (including optical scattering)
- 33.20.Kf Visible spectra
- 33.20.Lg Ultraviolet spectra
- 33.20.Ni Vacuum ultraviolet spectra
- 33.20.Rm X-ray spectra
- 33.25.—j Nuclear magnetic resonance and relaxation**
- 33.25.Bn Relaxation phenomena
- 33.25.Dq Chemical shifts
- 33.25.Fs Nuclear spin interactions and quadrupole effects
- 33.25.Hv Chemically induced dynamic nuclear polarization (CIDNP)
- 33.30.+a Nuclear quadrupole resonance (NQR)**
- 33.35.—q Electron paramagnetic resonance (EPR) and relaxation**
- 33.35.Cv Relaxation phenomena
- 33.35.Ex EPR spectra
- 33.35.Gz Chemically induced dynamic electron polarization (CIDEP)
- 33.40.—e Double resonances and other multiple resonances**
- 33.40.Ci Double nuclear magnetic resonance (DNMR), electron-nuclear double resonance (ENDOR), and electron double resonance (ELDOR)
- 33.40.Hp Microwave optical double resonance spectroscopy (MODOR) and phosphorescence microwave double resonance spectroscopy (PMDR)
- 33.45.+x Mössbauer spectra**
- 33.50.—j Fluorescence, phosphorescence, radiationless transitions (intersystem crossing, internal conversion)** (for quenching processes, see also 34)
- 33.50.Dq Fluorescence and phosphorescence spectra
- 33.50.Hv Radiationless transitions
- 33.55.+c Zeeman and Stark effects; magneto-optical and electro-optical spectroscopy; circular dichroism**
- 33.60.—q Photoelectron spectra**
- 33.60.Cv Ultraviolet and vacuum-ultraviolet photoelectron spectra
- 33.60.Fy X-ray photoelectron spectra
- 33.70.—w Intensities and shapes of molecular spectral lines and bands**
- 33.70.Ca Oscillator and band strengths, transition moments, and Franck-Condon factors
- 33.70.Fd Lifetimes, absolute and relative line and band intensities
- 33.70.Jg Line and band widths, shapes, and shifts
- 33.80.—b Molecular photon processes**
- 33.80.Be Level crossing and optical pumping
- 33.80.Eh Autoionization, photoionization, and photodetachment
- 33.80.Gj Diffuse spectra; predissociation, photodissociation
- 33.80.Kn Multiphoton processes
- 33.90.+h Other topics in molecular spectra and molecular interactions with photons**
- 34. Atomic and molecular collision processes and interactions**
- 34.10.+x General theories and models (including statistical theories, transition state, stochastic and trajectory models, etc.)**
- 34.20.—b Interatomic and intermolecular potentials and forces**
- 34.20.Be General potential functions and intermediate-range forces (see also 31.70.F and 82.20.K for potential energy surfaces)
- 34.20.Fi Long-range forces
- 34.20.Kn Short-range forces
For molecular solids, see 31.70.K
- 34.40.+n Elastic scattering of atoms and molecules**
- 34.50.—s Inelastic scattering of atoms and molecules**
- 34.50.Ez Rotational and vibrational energy transfer
- 34.50.Hc Electronic excitation and ionization (including beam-foil excitation and ionization)
- 34.50.Lf Chemical reactions, energy disposal, and angular distribution, as studied by atomic and molecular beams (see also 31.70.F and 82.20.K for potential-energy surfaces, 82.40.D. Beam reactions)
- 34.70.+e Charge transfer** (see also 82.30.F. Charge transfer reactions)
- 34.80.—i Electron scattering**
- 34.80.Bm Elastic scattering of electrons by atoms and molecules
- 34.80.Dp Atomic excitation and ionization by electron impact
- 34.80.Gs Molecular excitation, ionization, and dissociation by electron impact
- 34.90.+q Other topics in atomic and molecular collision processes and interactions**
- 35. Experimentally derived information on atoms and molecules; instrumentation and techniques**
- 35.10.—d Atoms**
- 35.10.Bg Atomic masses, mass spectra, abundances, and isotopes (for mass spectrometry, see also 07.75)
- 35.10.Di Electric and magnetic moments, polarizability
- 35.10.Fk Relativistic corrections, fine- and hyperfine-structure constants
- 35.10.Hn Ionization potentials, electron affinities
- 35.20.—i Molecules** (see also 61.55, 61.60, and 61.65 for specific structures of elements and alloys, of other inorganic materials, and of organic materials, respectively)
- 35.20.Bm General molecular conformation and symmetry; stereochemistry
- 35.20.Dp Interatomic distances and angles
- 35.20.Gs Bond strengths, dissociation energies, hydrogen bonding, etc.
- 35.20.Jv Barrier heights (internal rotation, inversion); rotational isomerism, conformational dynamics
- 35.20.My Electric and magnetic moments (and derivatives), polarizability, and magnetic susceptibility
- 35.20.Pa Rotation, vibration, and vibration-rotation constants
- 35.20.Sd Hyperfine- and fine-structure constants
- 35.20.Vf Ionization potentials, electron affinities, molecular core binding energy
- 35.20.Wg Mass spectra
- 35.20.Yh Correlation times in molecular dynamics
- 35.80.+s Atomic and molecular measurement and techniques**
- 36. Studies of special atoms and molecules**
- 36.10.—k Exotic atoms and molecules (containing mesons, muons, and other abnormal particles)**
- 36.10.Dr Positronium, muonium, muonic atoms and molecules
- 36.10.Gv Mesonic atoms and molecules, hyperonic atoms and molecules
- 36.20.—r Macromolecules and polymer molecules** (for polymer reactions and polymerization, see 82.35; for biological macromolecules and polymers, see also 87.15)
- 36.20.Cw Molecular weights, dispersity
- 36.20.Ey Conformation (statistics and dynamics)
- 36.20.Fz Constitution (chains, sequences)
- 36.20.Hb Configuration (bonds, dimensions)
- 36.20.Kd Electronic structure and spectra
- 36.40.+d Atomic and molecular clusters**
- 36.90.+f Other special atoms and molecules**

40. CLASSICAL AREAS OF PHENOMENOLOGY (INCLUDING APPLICATIONS)

41. Electricity and magnetism: fields and charged particles

41.10.—j Classical electromagnetism

For Maxwell theory, see 03.50.D

- 41.10.Dq Electrostatics, magnetostatics
- 41.10.Fs Steady-state electromagnetic fields; electromagnetic induction
- 41.10.Hv Electromagnetic waves: theory

41.70.+t Particles in electromagnetic fields: classical aspects (including synchrotron radiation)

41.80.—y Particle beams and particle optics (see also 07.80. Electron and ion microscopy, 07.72. Beam handling equipment)

- 41.80.Dd Electron beams and electron optics
- 41.80.Gg Ion beams and ion optics

41.90.+e Other topics in electricity and magnetism

42. Optics (for properties of gases and of liquids and solids see 51.70 and 78, respectively)

42.10.—s Propagation and transmission in homogeneous media

- 42.10.Dy Wave-front and ray tracing
- 42.10.Fa Edge and boundary effects, refraction
- 42.10.Hc Diffraction and scattering from extended bodies
- 42.10.Jd Interference
- 42.10.Ke Absorption
- 42.10.Mg Coherence
- 42.10.Nh Polarization
- 42.10.Qj Propagation and transmission in homogeneous and anisotropic media, birefringence

42.20.—y Propagation and transmission in inhomogeneous media

- 42.20.Cc Wave front, ray tracing, and beam spread in random turbulent media
- 42.20.Ee Coherence in random turbulent media, scintillation
- 42.20.Gg Scattering from haze, fog, dust, etc. (see also 42.68. Atmospheric optics)

42.30.—d Optical information, image formation and analysis

- 42.30.Di Theory
- 42.30.Fk Aberrations
- 42.30.Hn Resolution
- 42.30.Kq Fourier transform optics
- 42.30.Lr Modulation and optical transfer functions
- 42.30.Nt Optical storage and retrieval
- 42.30.Qw Optical communications (see also 42.80.S. Optical communication devices)
- 42.30.Sy Pattern recognition
- 42.30.Va Image processing and restoration

42.40.—i Holography

- 42.40.Dp Theory
- 42.40.Fr Image characteristics

- 42.40.Ht Photographic and recording problems
- 42.40.Kw Holographic instrumentation and techniques
- 42.40.My Applications

42.50.+q Quantum optics

42.52.+x Masers

42.55.—f Lasing processes

- 42.55.Bi General theory of lasing action
- 42.55.Dk CO₂ lasers
- 42.55.Fn Inert gas lasers
- 42.55.Hq Lasing action in other gas lasers
- 42.55.Ks Chemical lasers
- 42.55.Mv Lasing action in liquids and organic dyes
- 42.55.Px Lasing action in semiconductors
- 42.55.Rz Lasing action in other solids

42.60.—v Laser systems and laser beam applications

- 42.60.By Design of specific laser systems
- 42.60.Da Laser resonators and cavities
- 42.60.Fc Laser beam modulation
- 42.60.He Optical problems related to properties and interactions of laser beams
- 42.60.Kg Optical problems related to applications of laser beams

42.65.—k Nonlinear optics

- 42.65.Bp General theory
- 42.65.Cq Stimulated Raman, Brillouin, and Rayleigh scattering; parametric oscillations and harmonic generation
- 42.65.Gv Photon echoes, self-induced transparency, optical saturation, and related effects
- 42.65.Jx Beam trapping, self focusing, thermal blooming, and related effects

42.66.—p Vision

- 42.66.Ct Anatomy and optics of eye
- 42.66.Ew Physiology of eye: nerve structure and function
- 42.66.Ja Eye modulation transfer
- 42.66.Lc Light detection: adaptation and discrimination
- 42.66.Ne Color detection: adaptation and discrimination
- 42.66.Qg Scales for light and color detection
- 42.66.Si Psychophysics of vision, visual perception; binocular vision

42.68.—w Atmospheric optics

- 42.68.Db Propagation through the atmosphere: attenuation, absorption, and radiation transfer
- 42.68.Hf Spectral energy distribution, spectral absorption
- 42.68.Mj Scattering, polarization
- 42.68.Rp Laser beam propagation
- 42.68.Sq Image transmission and formation
- 42.68.Tr Modulation transfer
- 42.68.Vs Clouds, fog, haze, aerosols; effects of air pollution

42.70.—a Optical materials

- 42.70.Ce Glass
- 42.70.Eg Quartz

- 42.70.Fh Other optical materials
- 42.70.Gi Light-sensitive materials

42.72.+h Optical sources and standards

For optical measurements and instrumentation, see 07.60

For photometry, radiometry, and colorimetry, see 07.60.D

For polarimetry and ellipsometry, see 07.60.F

For refractometry, reflectometry, see 07.60.H

For interferometers and interferometry, see 07.60.L

For detection of radiation (bolometers, photoelectric cells, infrared and submillimeter wave detection), see 07.62

For spectrometers and spectroscopy, see 07.65

42.78.—b Optical lens and mirror systems

- 42.78.Cf Lens and mirror design
- 42.78.Dg Optical system design (see also 42.30. Image formation)
- 42.78.Fi Performance and testing of optical systems (see also 42.85.F. Optical testing techniques)
- 42.78.Hk Coatings
- 42.78.Mq Eyepieces, projection systems, prism systems

For microscopes, see 07.60.P

For telescopes, see 95.55.C

For photographic, cinematographic, and television cameras, see 07.68

42.80.—f Optical devices, techniques, and applications

- 42.80.Bi Spatial filters and zone plates
- 42.80.Cj Spectral and other filters
- 42.80.Dk Monochromators
- 42.80.Em Shutters, windows, diaphragms, deflectors
- 42.80.Fn Gratings, échelles
- 42.80.Hq Prisms, beam splitters, collimators, and autocollimators
- 42.80.Ks Optical beam modulators
- 42.80.Lt Optical waveguides
- 42.80.Mv Fiber optics
- 42.80.Nw Schlieren devices
- 42.80.Px Range finders
- 42.80.Qy Image detectors, converters, and intensifiers
- 42.80.Sa Optical communication devices

For laser systems and laser beam applications, see 42.55. and 42.60.; for masers see 42.52.

For holography, see 42.40

For photography, see 07.68

42.82.+n Integrated optics (see also 42.80.L. Optical waveguides)

42.85.—x Optical testing and workshop techniques

- 42.85.Dc Surface grinding, fabrication
- 42.85.Fe Optical testing techniques

42.90.+m Other topics in optics

50. FLUIDS, PLASMAS, AND ELECTRIC DISCHARGES

(FOR FLUID DYNAMICS, SEE 45; FOR CONDENSED MATTER, SEE 60 AND 70)

51. Kinetic and transport theory of fluids; physical properties of gases

- 51.10.+y Kinetic and transport theory
- 51.20.+d Viscosity and diffusion: experimental
- 51.30.+i Thermal properties of gases
- 51.40.+p Acoustical properties of gases; ultrasonic relaxation (see also 43. Acoustics; for liquids see 62.60 and 62.80)
- 51.50.+v Electrical phenomena in gases (see also 52. Plasma and electric discharges)
- 51.60.+a Magnetic phenomena in gases (for liquids, see 75)
- 51.70.+f Optical phenomena in gases (for liquids, see 78)
- 51.90.+r Other topics in the physics of fluids

52. The physics of plasmas and electric discharges (for solid-state plasma, see 72.30)

- 52.20.—j Elementary processes in plasma
 - 52.20.Dq Single-particle orbits
 - 52.20.Fs Electron collisions
 - 52.20.Hv Atomic, molecular, heavy-particle collisions
- 52.25.—b Plasma basic properties
 - 52.25.Dg Plasma kinetic equations
 - 52.25.Fi Transport properties
 - 52.25.Gj Fluctuation phenomena
 - 52.25.Kn Thermodynamics of plasmas
 - 52.25.Lp Temperature and density
 - 52.25.Mq Dielectric properties
 - 52.25.Ps Emission, absorption, and scattering of radiation

52.30.+r Plasma flow; magnetohydrodynamics (see also 47.65. Fluid mechanics)

52.35.—g Waves, oscillations, and instabilities in plasma

- 52.35.Bj Magnetohydrodynamic waves
- 52.35.Dm Sound waves
- 52.35.Fp Electrostatic waves and oscillations
- 52.35.Hr Electromagnetic waves
- 52.35.Kt Drift waves
- 52.35.Mw Nonlinear waves and nonlinear interactions
- 52.35.Py Plasma instabilities
- 52.35.Ra Plasma turbulence
- 52.35.Tc Shock waves

52.40.—w Plasma interactions

- 52.40.Db Electromagnetic wave propagation in plasma
- 52.40.Fd Antennas in plasma; plasma-filled wave guides
- 52.40.Hf Solid-plasma interactions
- 52.40.Kh Sheaths
- 52.40.Mj Beam interactions in plasma

52.50.—b Plasma production and heating

- 52.50.Dg Plasma sources (see also 52.80. Electric discharges)
- 52.50.Gj Plasma heating
- 52.50.Jm Plasma production and heating by laser beams
- 52.50.Lp Plasma production and heating by shock wave and wire explosion

52.55.—s Plasma equilibrium and confinement

- 52.55.Dy General theory
- 52.55.Ez Pinch effect and pinch machines
- 52.55.Gb Plasma in torus (stellarator, tokamak, MS-torus, Ringleiter, etc.)
- 52.55.Ke Magnetic traps (e.g., Astron, helitron, mirror, cusp, etc.)

52.55.Mg Nonmagnetic confinement systems (e.g., electrostatic and high frequency confinement, etc.)

52.55.Pi Confinement in fusion reactors (see also 28.50.R. Fusion reactors)

52.60.+h Relativistic plasma

52.65.+z Plasma simulation

52.70.—m Plasma diagnostic techniques and instrumentation

- 52.70.Ds Electric and magnetic measurements
- 52.70.Gw Radiofrequency and microwave measurements
- 52.70.Kz Optical measurements
- 52.70.Nc Particle measurements

52.75.—d Plasma devices and applications (see also 28.50.R. Fusion reactors; for ion sources, see 29.25.C) sources and targets)

- 52.75.Di Accelerators and propulsion
- 52.75.Fk Magnetohydrodynamic generators and thermionic converters
- 52.75.Hn Plasma torches
- 52.75.Kq Plasma switches

52.80.—s Electric discharges (see also 51.50. Electrical phenomena in gases)

- 52.80.Dy Conductivity and discharges (low-field and Townsend)
- 52.80.Hc Glow; corona
- 52.80.Mg Arcs; sparks
- 52.80.Pi High-frequency discharge
- 52.80.Qj Explosions
- 52.80.Sm Magnetoactive and Penning discharges
- 52.80.Vp Discharge in vacuum
- 52.80.Wq Discharge in liquids

52.90.+z Other topics in plasma physics and electric discharges

60. CONDENSED MATTER: STRUCTURE, MECHANICAL AND THERMAL PROPERTIES

61. Structure of liquids and solids; crystallography (see also 68.20. Solid surface structures, 71. Electron states)

- 61.10.—i X-ray determination of structures (for specific determinations, see 61.55 to 61.80)
 - 61.10.Dp Theories of diffraction and scattering
 - 61.10.Fr Experimental techniques
- 61.12.—q Neutron determination of structures (for specific determinations, see 61.55 to 61.80)
 - 61.12.Dw Elastic neutron diffraction and scattering
 - 61.12.Fy Inelastic neutron diffraction and scattering

61.14.—x Electron determination of structures (for specific determinations, see 61.55 to 61.80)

- 61.14.Dc Theories of diffraction and scattering
- 61.14.Fe Experimental diffraction and scattering
- 61.14.Hg Low-energy electron diffraction (LEED) and reflection high-energy electron diffraction (RHEED)

61.16.—d Other determination of structures (for specific determinations, see 61.55 to 61.80)

- 61.16.Di Electron microscopy determinations
- 61.16.Fk Field-ion microscopy determinations
- 61.16.Hn EPR and NMR determinations

61.20.—p Classical, semiclassical, and quantum theories of liquid structure (for kinetic theory of fluid media, see 51.10; for electronic states, see 71; for liquid helium, see 67)

- 61.20.Gy Statistical theories of liquid structure
- 61.20.Ja Computer simulation of static and dynamic behavior
- 61.20.Lc Time-dependent properties
- 61.20.Ne Structure of simple liquids
- 61.20.Qg Structure of associated liquids

61.25.—f Studies of specific liquid structures

- 61.25.Bi Liquid noble gases
- 61.25.Em Molecular liquids

- 61.25.Hq Macromolecular and polymer solutions (solubility, swelling, etc.)
- 61.25.Ks Molten salts
- 61.25.Mv Liquid metals
- 61.30.—v Liquid crystals**
- 61.30.Cz Microstructure theory of liquid crystals
- 61.30.Eb Experimental determinations of smectic, nematic, cholesteric, and lyotropic structures
- 61.30.Gd Orientational order of liquid crystals in electric and magnetic fields
- 61.30.Jf Defects in liquid crystals
- 61.40.—a Amorphous and polymeric materials**
- 61.40.Df Glasses (see also 81.20.P, 81.20.Q, and 81.60.F—in materials science)
- 61.40.Km Polymers, elastomers, and plastics (see also 81.20.S, 81.20.T, and 81.60.J—in materials science)
- 61.50.—f Crystalline state (including molecular motions in solids) (for magnetic structure and spin systems, see 75.25)**
- 61.50.Cj Physics of crystal growth (for techniques of crystal growth and film deposition, see 81.10 and 81.15; for epitaxy, thin films, see 68.55; for whiskers, see 68.70)
- 61.50.Em Crystal symmetry: models, space groups, and crystalline systems and classes
- 61.50.Jr Crystal morphology and orientation
- 61.50.Ks Crystallographic aspects of polymorphic and order-disorder transformations
- 61.50.Lt Crystal binding
- 61.55.—x Specific structures of elements and alloys**
- 61.55.Dc Nonmetallic elements
- 61.55.Fe Metallic elements
- 61.55.Hg Alloys
- 61.60.+m Specific structures of inorganic compounds**
- 61.65.+d Specific structures of organic compounds**
- 61.70.—r Defects in crystals (see also 61.80. Radiation damage, 62. Mechanical and acoustical properties, 71.55. Impurities and defect levels, 76.30.M. EPR of color centers and other defects, 78.50. Impurity and defect absorption in solids, 81.40. Treatment of materials)**
- 61.70.Bv Interstitials and vacancies (excluding color centers)
- 61.70.Dx Color centers
- 61.70.Ey Other point defects
- 61.70.Ga Dislocations: theory
- 61.70.Jc Etch pits, decoration, transmission electron-microscopy, and other direct observations of dislocations
- 61.70.Le Slip, creep, internal friction, and other indirect evidence of dislocations
- 61.70.Ng Grain and twin boundaries
- 61.70.Ph Stacking faults, stacking fault tetrahedra, and other planar or extended defects
- 61.70.Rj Crystal impurities: general (see also 71.55. Electron states)
- 61.70.Tm Doping and implantation of impurities
- 61.70.Wp Impurity concentration, distribution, and gradients (see also 66.30.J. Diffusion)
- 61.70.Yq Interactions between different crystal structure defects
- 61.80.—x Radiation damage and other irradiation effects (for techniques of structure determination, see 61.10 to 61.16; for electron and ion impact phenomena, see 79.20)**
- 61.80.Cb X rays
- 61.80.Ed γ rays
- 61.80.Fe Electrons and positrons
- 61.80.Hg Neutrons
- 61.80.Jh Ions (for ion implantation, see 61.70.T)
- 61.80.Lj Atoms and molecules
- 61.80.Mk Channeling, blocking, and energy loss of particles (see also 29.70.G. Energy loss and range relations)
- 61.90.+d Other topics in structure of liquids and solids**
- 62. Mechanical and acoustical properties of condensed matter (see also 46.30. Mechanics of solids, 61.70. Defects in crystals, 68.30. Surfaces and interfaces, 81. Materials science)**
- 62.10.+s Mechanical properties of liquids (for viscosity of liquids, see also 66.20)**
- 62.20.—x Mechanical properties of solids (related to microscopic structure)**
- 62.20.Dc Elastic constants (see also 03.40.D. Mathematical theory of elasticity)
- 62.20.Fe Deformation and plasticity (including yield, ductility, and superplasticity)
- 62.20.Hg Creep
- 62.20.Mk Fatigue, brittleness, fracture, and cracks
- 62.20.Pn Tribology
- 62.30.+d Mechanical and elastic waves (see also 03.40.K. Mathematical problems)**
- 62.40.+i Anelasticity, internal friction, and mechanical resonances**
- For thermomechanical effects, see 65.70*
- For magnetomechanical effects, see 75.80*
- For piezoelectric effects, see 77.60*
- For elasto-optical effects, see 78.20.H*
- 62.50.+p High-pressure and shock-wave effects in solids**
- 62.60.+v Acoustical properties of liquids**
- For sound propagation in liquids and solids, see 43*
- For lattice dynamics, phonons, see 63*
- For second sound in quantum fluids, see 67.40.P*
- 62.65.+k Acoustical properties of solids**
- For magnetoacoustic effects in metals, see 75.80*
- For acoustoelectric effects, see 72.50*
- For acousto-optical effects, see 78.20.H*
- 62.80.+f Ultrasonic relaxation (see also 74.30.G. Ultrasonic attenuation in superconductors, 43.35. Ultrasonics)**
- 62.90.+k Other topics in mechanical and acoustical properties of condensed matter**
- 63. Lattice dynamics and crystal statistics (see also 05.50. Lattice theory, 65. Thermal properties, 66.70. Thermal conduction, 68.30. Dynamics of surface and interface vibrations, 78.30. Infrared and Raman spectra)**
- 63.10.+a General theory**
- 63.20.—e Phonons and vibrations in crystal lattices**
- 63.20.Dj Phonon states and bands, normal modes, and phonon dispersion
- 63.20.Hp Phonon-phonon interactions
- 63.20.Kr Phonon-electron interactions
- 63.20.Mt Phonon-defect interactions
- 63.20.Pw Localized modes
- 63.50.+x Vibrational states in disordered systems**
- 63.70.+h Statistical mechanics of lattice vibrations (see also 65. Thermal properties of condensed matter, and 66.70. Thermal conduction)**
- 63.75.+z Statistical mechanics of displacive phase-transitions**
- For order-disorder and statistical mechanics of model systems, see 64.60.C*
- For crystallographic aspects of polymorphic and order-disorder transformations, see 61.50.K*
- 63.90.+t Other topics in lattice dynamics and crystal statistics**
- 64. Equations of state, phase equilibria, and phase transitions (see also 82.60. Chemical thermodynamics)**
- 64.10.+h General theory of equations of state and phase equilibria**
- 64.30.+t Equations of state of specific substances (see also 65.70. Thermal expansion)**
- 64.60.—i General studies of phase transitions (for magnetic, superconducting, and quantum fluid critical phenomena, see 75, 74, and 67 respectively)**
- 64.60.Cn Order-disorder and statistical mechanics of model systems
- 64.60.Fr Equilibrium properties near single critical points, critical exponents

- 64.60.Ht Dynamic critical phenomena
 64.60.Kw Multicritical points
 64.60.My Metastable phases
- 64.70.—p Phase equilibria, phase transitions, and critical points of specific substances** (see also 81.30. Phase diagrams and microstructures developed by solidification and solid–solid phase transformations)
- 64.70.Dv Solid–liquid transitions
 64.70.Ew Transitions in liquid crystals; glass transitions
 64.70.Fx Liquid–vapor transitions
 64.70.Hz Solid–vapor transitions
 64.70.Ja Liquid–liquid transitions
 64.70.Kb Solid–solid transitions (see also 61.50.K. Crystallographic aspects of polymorphic and order–disorder transformations)
- 64.75.+g Solubility, segregation, and mixing**
- 64.80.—v Other phase properties of systems**
- 64.80.Eb Stoichiometry and homogeneity
 64.80.Gd Microstructure
- 64.90.+b Other topics in equations of state, phase equilibria, and phase transitions**

65. Thermal properties of condensed matter (see also 05.70. Thermodynamics, 63. Lattice dynamics; for thermodynamic properties of quantum fluids, see 67.40.K; for thermal properties of solid helium, see 67.80.G)

- 65.20.+w Heat capacities of liquids
- 65.40.—f Heat capacities of solids** (for specific heat of superconductors, see 74.30.E.; for specific heat of magnetic systems, see 75.40)
- 65.40.Em Lattice and electron heat capacity
 65.40.Hq λ and Schottky anomalies
- 65.50.+m Thermodynamic properties and entropy**
- 65.70.+y Thermal expansion and thermomechanical effects** (see also 64.30. Equations of state)
- For thermal conduction in nonmetallic liquids, see 66.60; for nonmetallic solids, see 66.70*
- For electronic thermal conduction, see 72.10 and 72.20*
- For thermal conductivity of superconductors, see 74.30.E*
- For pyroelectric and electrocaloric effects, see 77.70*
- 65.90.+i Other topics in thermal properties of condensed matter**

66. Transport properties of condensed matter (nonelectronic)

- 66.10.—x Diffusion and ionic conduction in liquids**
- 66.10.Cb Diffusion and thermal diffusion
 66.10.Ed Ionic conduction (see also 82.45. Electrochemistry)
 66.10.Jh Osmosis
- 66.20.+d Diffusive momentum transport** (for viscosity of liquids, see also 62.10)
- 66.30.—h Diffusion in solids**
- 66.30.Dn Theory of diffusion and ionic conduction in solids
 66.30.Fq Self-diffusion in metals, semimetals, and alloys
 66.30.Hs Self-diffusion and ionic conduction in nonmetals
 66.30.Jt Diffusion, migration, and displacement of impurities
 66.30.Lw Diffusion, migration, and displacement of other defects
 66.30.Ny Chemical interdiffusion
- 66.60.+a Thermal conduction in nonmetallic liquids** (for thermal conduction in liquid metals, see 72.15.C)
- 66.70.+f Nonelectronic thermal conduction and heat-pulse propagation in nonmetallic solids** (for thermal conduction in solid metals, see 72.15.E.; for statistical mechanics of lattice vibrations, see 63.70.)
- 66.90.+r Other topics in nonelectronic transport properties**

67. Quantum fluids and solids; liquid and solid helium (see also 05.30. Quantum statistical mechanics)

- 67.20.+k Quantum effects on the structure and dynamics of nondegenerate fluids**
- 67.40.—w Boson degeneracy and superfluidity of helium-4**
- 67.40.Bz Phenomenology and two fluid models
 67.40.Db Quantum statistical theory; ground state, elementary excitations
 67.40.Fd Dynamics of relaxation phenomena
 67.40.Hf Hydrodynamics in specific geometries, flow in narrow channels
 67.40.Kh Thermodynamic properties
 67.40.Mj First sound
 67.40.Pm Transport processes, second and other sounds, and thermal counterflow
 67.40.Rp Films and weak link transport
 67.40.Yv Vortices and turbulence
 67.40.Yv Impurities and other defects
- 67.50.—b Fermi fluids; liquid helium-3**
- 67.50.Dg Normal phase
 67.50.Fi Superfluid phase

- 67.60.—g Mixed systems; liquid helium-3, -4 mixtures**
- 67.60.Dm He 1–³He
 67.60.Fp He 11–³He
- 67.70.+n Films (including physical adsorption)**
- 67.80.—s Solid helium and related quantum crystals**
- 67.80.Cx Lattice dynamics and sound propagation
 67.80.Gb Thermal properties
 67.80.Jd Magnetic properties and nuclear magnetic resonance
 67.80.Mg Defects, impurities, and diffusion
- 67.90.+z Other topics in quantum fluids** (e.g., neutron-star matter)

68. Surfaces and interfaces; thin films and whiskers (for impact phenomena, see 79; for crystal growth, see 61.50.C)

- 68.10.—m Fluid surfaces and fluid–fluid interfaces**
- 68.10.Cr Surface energy (surface tension, interface tension, angle of contact, etc.)
 68.10.Et Interface elasticity, viscosity, and viscoelasticity
 68.10.Gw Interface activity, spreading
 68.10.Jy Kinetics (evaporation, adsorption, condensation, catalysis, etc.)
- 68.15.+e Liquid thin films**
- 68.20.+t Solid surface structures**
- 68.25.+j Mechanical and acoustical properties of solid surfaces and interfaces**
- 68.30.+z Dynamics of solid surfaces and interface vibrations**
- 68.40.+e Surface energy of solids; thermodynamic properties** (see also 82.65.D. Thermodynamics of surfaces)
- 68.45.—v Solid–fluid interface processes** (see also 82.65.M. Sorption and accommodation coefficients)
- 68.45.By Sorption equilibrium
 68.45.Da Evaporation and condensation; adsorption and desorption kinetics
- 68.48.+f Solid–solid interfaces (including bicrystals)** (for grain boundaries, see 61.70.N)
- 68.55.+b Thin film growth, structure, and epitaxy** (for techniques of crystal growth and film deposition, see 81.10 and 81.15)
- 68.60.+q Physical properties of thin films: nonelectronic**
- 68.70.+w Whiskers and dendrites: growth, structure, and nonelectronic properties**
- 68.90.+g Other topics in the structure and nonelectronic properties of surfaces and thin films**

70. CONDENSED MATTER: ELECTRONIC STRUCTURE, ELECTRICAL, MAGNETIC, AND OPTICAL PROPERTIES

- 71. Electron states** (see also 63. *Lattice dynamics*, 73. *Electronic structure and electrical properties of surfaces, interfaces, and thin films*)
- 71.10.+x** General theories and computational techniques
- 71.20.+c** Electronic density of states determinations (including energy states of liquid semiconductors) (see also 65.40.E. *Electronic heat capacity*)
- 71.25.—s** Nonlocalized single-particle electronic states
- 71.25.Cx Techniques of band-structure calculation (general theory, applications of group theory, analytic continuation, etc.)
- 71.25.Hc Measurement of Fermi surface parameters (including dHvA, magnetoacoustic, positron annihilation, and cyclotron resonance studies, etc.)
- 71.25.Jd Effective mass and *g*-factors
- 71.25.Lf Electron energy states in liquid metals
- 71.25.Mg Electron energy states in amorphous and glassy solids
- 71.25.Pi Band structure of crystalline metals
- 71.25.Rk Band structure of crystalline elemental semiconductors
- 71.25.Tn Band structure of crystalline semiconductor compounds and insulators
- 71.30.+h** Metal-insulator transitions
- 71.35.+z** Excitons and related phenomena (including electron-hole drops)
- 71.36.+c** Polaritons (including photon-phonon and photon-magnon interactions)
- 71.38.+i** Polarons and electron-phonon interactions (see also 63.20.K. *phonon-electron interactions in lattices*)
- 71.45.—d** Collective effects
- 71.45.Gm Exchange, correlation, dielectric and magnetic functions, plasmons
- 71.45.Jp Fermi-Thomas models
- 71.45.Nt Calculations of total electronic binding energy (see also 61.50.L. *Crystal binding*)
- 71.50.+t** Localized single-particle electronic states (excluding impurities)
- 71.55.—i** Impurity and defect levels
- 71.55.Dp Metals, semimetals, and alloys
- 71.55.Fr Tetrahedrally bonded nonmetals
- 71.55.Ht Other nonmetals
- 71.55.Jv Localization in disordered structures
- 71.60.+z** Positron states (see also 78.70.B. *Positron annihilation*)
- 71.70.—d** Level splitting and interactions (see also 75.10.—in *magnetic phenomena*, 75.30.E. *Exchange and superexchange interactions*, 73.20. *Electronic surface states*)
- 71.70.Ch Crystal and ligand fields
- 71.70.Ej Spin-orbit coupling, Zeeman, Stark, and strain splitting
- 71.70.Gm Exchange interactions
- 71.70.Jp Nuclear states and interactions
- 71.70.Ms Other bulk localized states and interactions (for *surface states*, see 73.20)
- 71.90.+q** Other topics in electron states
- 72. Electronic transport in condensed matter** (for *surfaces, interfaces, and thin films*, see 73)
- 72.10.—d** Theory of electronic transport; scattering mechanisms
- 72.10.Bg General formulation of transport theory
- 72.10.Di Scattering by phonons, magnons, and other nonlocalized excitations (see also 71.45. *Collective effects*)
- 72.10.Fk Scattering by point defects, dislocations, surfaces, and other imperfections (including Kondo effect)
- 72.15.—v** Electronic conduction in metals and alloys
- 72.15.Cz Electrical and thermal conduction in amorphous and liquid metals and alloys
- 72.15.Eb Electrical and thermal conduction in crystalline metals and alloys
- 72.15.Gd Galvanomagnetic and other magnetotransport effects
- 72.15.He Thermomagnetic effects
- 72.15.Jf Thermoelectric effects
- 72.15.Lh Relaxation times and mean free paths
- 72.15.Nj Collective modes (e.g., in one-dimensional conductors)
- 72.15.Qm Scattering mechanisms and Kondo effect (see also 75.20.H. *Local moments in dilute alloys*)
- 72.20.—i** Conductivity phenomena in semiconductors and insulators (for *nonelectronic conduction*, see 66.70)
- 72.20.Dp Scattering mechanisms
- 72.20.Fr Low-field transport and mobility; piezoresistance
- 72.20.Ht High-field and nonlinear effects
- 72.20.Jv Charge carriers: generation, recombination, lifetime, and trapping
- 72.20.My Galvanomagnetic and other magnetotransport effects
- 72.20.Nz Thermomagnetic effects
- 72.20.Pa Thermoelectric effects
- 72.30.+q** High-frequency effects; plasma effects
- 72.40.+w** Photoconduction and photovoltaic effects; photodielectric effects
- 72.50.+b** Acoustoelectric effects
- 72.55.+s** Magnetoacoustic effects
- 72.60.+g** Mixed conductivity and conductivity transitions
- 72.70.+m** Noise processes and phenomena
- 72.80.—r** Conductivity of specific semiconductors and insulators
- 72.80.Cw Elemental semiconductors
- 72.80.Ey III-V and II-VI semiconductors
- 72.80.Ga Transition-metal compounds
- 72.80.Jc Other crystalline inorganic semiconductors
- 72.80.Le Organic semiconductors
- 72.80.Ng Amorphous and glassy semiconductors
- 72.80.Ph Liquid semiconductors
- 72.90.+y** Other topics in electronic transport in condensed matter
- 73. Electronic structure and electrical properties of surfaces, interfaces, and thin films**
- 73.20.—r** Electronic surface states (for *emission and impact phenomena*, see 79)
- 73.20.Cw Ideal surfaces
- 73.20.Hb Impurity and imperfection levels
- 73.25.+i** Surface conductivity
- 73.30.+y** Surface double layers, Schottky barriers, and work functions
- 73.40.—c** Interfaces
- 73.40.Bf Static electrification
- 73.40.Cg Contact resistance, contact potential
- 73.40.Ei Rectification
- 73.40.Gk Tunneling: general (see also 74.50.—in *superconductors*)
- 73.40.Jn Metal-to-metal contacts
- 73.40.Lq Semiconductor-to-semiconductor contacts, *p-n* junctions, and
- 73.40.Mr Semiconductor-electrolytic contacts
- 73.40.Ns Metal-nonmetal contacts
- 73.40.Qv Metal-insulator-semiconductor structures (including semiconductor-to-insulator)
- 73.40.Rw Metal-insulator-metal structures
- 73.40.Sx Metal-semiconductor-metal structures
- 73.40.Ty Semiconductor-insulator-semiconductor structures
- 73.40.Vz Semiconductor-metal-semiconductor structures
- 73.60.—n** Electronic properties of thin films
- 73.60.Dt Metallic thin films
- 73.60.Fw Semiconductor films
- 73.60.Hy Insulating thin films
- 73.60.Ka Superconducting films
- 73.90.+f** Other topics in electrical properties of surfaces, interfaces, and thin films
- 74. Superconductivity**
- 74.10.+v** Occurrence, critical temperature
- 74.20.—z** Theory
- 74.20.De Phenomenological and two-fluid theories
- 74.20.Fg BCS theory: applications
- 74.30.—e** General properties
- 74.30.Ci Magnetization curves, Meissner effect, penetration depth
- 74.30.Ek Thermodynamic properties; thermal conductivity
- 74.30.Gn Response to electromagnetic fields, nuclear magnetic resonance, ultrasonic attenuation

- 74.40.+k Fluctuations and critical effects**
- 74.50.+r Tunneling phenomena, Josephson effect, and proximity effects**
- 74.55.+h Type-I superconductivity**
- 74.60.—w Type-II superconductivity**
- 74.60.Ec Mixed state, H_{c2} , surface sheath
- 74.60.Ge Flux pinning; fluxon-defect interactions
- 74.60.Jg Critical currents
- 74.70.—b Superconducting materials**
- 74.70.Dg Material effects on T_c , κ , critical currents
- 74.70.Gj Type-I superconductors (nontransition metals and their alloys and compounds)
- 74.70.Lp Type-II superconductors (transition metals and their alloys and compounds)
- 74.70.Nr Dirty superconductors
- 74.70.Ps Materials for high-field applications
- 74.70.Rv Other superconducting materials
- 74.90.+n Other topics in superconductivity**

75. Magnetic properties and materials

- 75.10.—b General theory and models of magnetic ordering (see also 05.50. Ising problems, 71.25. Nonlocalized single-particle electronic states, 71.70. Level splitting and interactions)**
- 75.10.Dg Crystal-field theory and spin Hamiltonians
- 75.10.Hk Ising and other classical spin models
- 75.10.Jm Heisenberg and other quantized localized spin models
- 75.10.Lp Band and itinerant models
- 75.20.—g Diamagnetism and paramagnetism**
- 75.20.Ck Nonmetals
- 75.20.En Metals and alloys
- 75.20.Hr Local moment in dilute alloys; Kondo effect (see also 72.15.Q. Electronic conduction)
- 75.25.+z Spin arrangements in magnetically ordered materials (neutron studies, etc.)**
- 75.30.—m Magnetically ordered materials, other intrinsic properties (for critical point effects, see 75.40)**
- 75.30.Cr Saturation moments and magnetic susceptibility
- 75.30.Ds Spin waves (see also 76.50. Spin-wave resonance)
- 75.30.Et Exchange and superexchange interactions (see also 71.70. Level splitting and interactions)
- 75.30.Gw Anisotropy
- 75.30.Hx Magnetic impurity interactions
- 75.30.Kz Magnetic phase boundaries (including magnetic transitions, metamagnetism, etc.)
- 75.30.Sg Magnetocaloric effect
- 75.40.+t Critical-point effects, specific heats, short-range order (see also 65.40. Heat capacities)**
- 75.40.Bw General theory
- 75.40.Dy Ising and other classical spin models
- 75.40.Fa Heisenberg and other quantized spin models

75.50.—y Studies of specific magnetic materials

- 75.50.Bb Ferromagnetism of Fe and its alloys
- 75.50.Cc Ferromagnetism of other metals
- 75.50.Dd Ferromagnetism of nonmetals
- 75.50.Ee Antiferromagnetics
- 75.50.Gg Ferrimagnetics
- 75.50.Kj Amorphous magnetic materials
- 75.50.Mm Magnetic liquids
- 75.60.—d Domain effects, magnetization curves, and hysteresis**
- 75.60.Ch Domain walls and domain structure (for magnetic bubbles, see 75.70.K)
- 75.60.Ej Magnetization curves, hysteresis, Barkhausen and related effects
- 75.60.Gm High coercivity materials
- 75.60.Jp Fine-particle systems
- 75.60.Lr Magnetic aftereffects
- 75.60.Nt Magnetic annealing and temperature-hysteresis effects
- 75.70.—i Magnetic films and plates**
- 75.70.Dp Properties in uniform state
- 75.70.Kw Domain structure (magnetic bubbles)

75.80.+q Magnetomechanical and magnetolectric effects, magnetostriction

For galvanomagnetic effects, see 72.15.G and 72.20.M

For magneto-optical effects, see 78.20.L

75.90.+w Other topics in magnetic properties and materials

76. Magnetic resonances and relaxation in condensed matter; Mössbauer effect

76.20.+q General theory of resonances and relaxation

For measurement techniques, see 07.58

76.30.—v Electron paramagnetic resonance and relaxation

- 76.30.Da Ions and impurities: general
- 76.30.Fc Iron group (3d) ions and impurities (Ti-Cu)
- 76.30.He Platinum and palladium group (4d and 5d) ions and impurities (Zr-Ag and Hf-Au)
- 76.30.Kg Rare-earth ions and impurities
- 76.30.Mi Color centers and other defects
- 76.30.Pk Conduction electrons
- 76.30.Rn Free radicals

76.40.+b Diamagnetic and cyclotron resonances

76.50.+g Ferromagnetic, antiferromagnetic, and ferrimagnetic resonances; spin-wave resonance (see also 75.30.D. Spin waves)

76.60.—k Nuclear magnetic resonance and relaxation

- 76.60.Cq Chemical and Knight shifts
- 76.60.Es Relaxation effects
- 76.60.Gv Quadrupole resonance
- 76.60.Jx Effects of internal magnetic fields
- 76.60.Lz Spin echoes

76.70.—r Magnetic double resonances and cross effects

- 76.70.Dx Electron-nuclear double resonance (ENDOR)
- 76.70.Ey Dynamical nuclear polarization
- 76.70.Fz Double nuclear magnetic resonance (DNMR)
- 76.70.Hb Optical double magnetic resonance (ODMR)
- 76.70.Kd Electron double resonance (ELDOR)
- 76.80.+y Mössbauer effect; other γ -ray spectroscopy**
- 76.90.+d Other topics in magnetic resonances and relaxation**

77. Dielectric properties and materials (for conductivity phenomena, see 72.20 and 72.80)

77.20.+y Permittivity

77.30.+d Polarization and depolarization effects

77.40.+i Dielectric loss and relaxation

77.50.+p Dielectric breakdown and space-charge effects

77.55.+f Dielectric thin films

77.60.+v Piezoelectricity and electrostriction (for piezo-optical effects, see 78.20.H)

77.70.+a Pyroelectric and electrocaloric effects

77.80.—e Ferroelectricity and antiferroelectricity

77.80.Bh Transitions and Curie point

77.80.Dj Domain structure and effects; hysteresis

77.85.+x Electrical resonances

77.90.+k Other topics in dielectric properties and materials

78. Optical properties and condensed-matter spectroscopy and other interactions of matter with particles and radiation (for phonon spectra, see 63)

78.20.—e Optical properties and materials (see also 42.65. Nonlinear optics; for masers and lasers, see 42.52, and 42.55 and 42.60, respectively)

- 78.20.Bh General theory (for pure homogeneous materials)
- 78.20.Dj Optical constants and parameters
- 78.20.Ek Optical rotatory power
- 78.20.Fm Birefringence (including stress birefringence, flow birefringence, etc.)
- 78.20.Hp Piezo-, elasto-, and acousto-optical effects
- 78.20.Jq Electro-optical effects
- 78.20.Ls Magneto-optical effects
- 78.20.Nv Thermo-optical effects

78.30.—j Infrared and Raman spectra and scattering

- 78.30.Cp Infrared and Raman spectra in liquids
- 78.30.Er Infrared and Raman spectra in metals

- 78.30.Gt Infrared and Raman spectra in inorganic crystals
- 78.30.Jw Infrared and Raman spectra in organic crystals
- 78.35.+c Brillouin and Rayleigh scattering**
- 78.40.-q Visible and ultraviolet spectra**
- 78.40.Dw Liquids
- 78.40.Fy Tetrahedrally bonded nonmetals
- 78.40.Ha Other nonmetals
- 78.40.Kc Metals, semimetals, and alloys
- 78.45.+h Stimulated emission (see also 42.65.D—in nonlinear optics)**
- 78.50.-w Impurity and defect absorption in solids**
- 78.50.Ec Insulators
- 78.50.Ge Semiconductors
- 78.50.Jg Metals, semimetals, and alloys
- 78.55.-m Photoluminescence**
- 78.55.Bq Liquids
- 78.55.Ds Tetrahedrally bonded nonmetals
- 78.55.Fv Alkali halides
- 78.55.Hx Other inorganic materials
- 78.55.Kz Organic materials

- 78.60.-b Other luminescence and radiative recombination**
- 78.60.Fi Electroluminescence
- 78.60.Hk Cathodoluminescence, ionoluminescence
- 78.60.Kn Thermoluminescence
- 78.60.Mq Sonoluminescence, triboluminescence
- 78.60.Ps Chemiluminescence
- For photoconduction and photovoltaic effects, see 72.40**
- 78.65.-s Optical properties of thin films**
- 78.65.Ez Metals
- 78.65.Jd Nonmetals
- 78.70.-g Other interactions of matter with particles and radiation**
- 78.70.Bj Positron annihilation (see also 71.60. Positron states)
- 78.70.Ck X-ray scattering
- 78.70.Dm X-ray absorption and absorption edges
- 78.70.En X-ray emission threshold and fluorescence
- 78.70.Gq Microwave and radiofrequency (excluding resonances)
- 78.90.+t Other topics in optical properties of condensed matter and other interactions of matter with particles and radiation**

- 79. Electron and ion emission by liquids and solids; impact phenomena**
- 79.20.-m Impact phenomena, including electron spectra and sputtering**
- 79.20.Ds Laser-light impact phenomena
- 79.20.Fv Electron impact: Auger emission
- 79.20.Hx Electron impact: secondary emission
- 79.20.Kz Other electron impact phenomena
- 79.20.Nc Atom, molecule, and ion impact
- 79.20.Rf Atomic and molecular beam interactions
- 79.40.+z Thermionic emission**
- 79.60.-i Photoemission and photoelectron spectra**
- 79.60.Cn Clean metals
- 79.60.Eq Semiconductors and insulators
- 79.60.Gs Composite surfaces
- 79.70.+q Field emission and field ionization**
- 79.75.+g Exoelectron emission**
- 79.80.+w Resonance tunneling**
- 79.90.+b Other topics in emission and impact phenomena in condensed matter**

80. CROSS-DISCIPLINARY PHYSICS AND RELATED AREAS OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

81. Materials science

- 81.10.-h Methods of crystal growth and purification (for physics of crystal growth, see 61.50.C)**
- 81.10.Bk Growth from vapor
- 81.10.Dn Growth from solutions
- 81.10.Fq Growth from melts
- 81.10.Hs Zone melting and refining
- 81.10.Jt Growth from solid phases (including multiphase diffusion and recrystallization)
- 81.15.-z Methods of thin film deposition (for epitaxy, see 68.55)**
- 81.15.Cd Deposition by cathodic sputtering
- 81.15.Ef Vacuum deposition
- 81.15.Gh Chemical vapor deposition
- 81.15.Jj Ion plating and other vapor deposition
- 81.15.Lm Deposition from liquid phases (melts and solutions)
- 81.20.-n Other methods of preparation of materials**
- 81.20.Cs Vacuum methods
- 81.20.Ev Powder techniques, compaction and sintering
- 81.20.Gx Specific metals and alloys (compacts, pseudoalloys)
- 81.20.Jz Dispersion-, fiber-, and platelet-reinforced metal-based composites
- 81.20.Lb Ceramics and refractories
- 81.20.Nd Cermets, ceramic and refractory composites
- 81.20.Pe Glasses
- 81.20.Qf Glass-based composites, vitroceraics
- 81.20.Sh Polymers
- 81.20.Ti Reinforced polymers and polymer-based composites

- 81.30.-t Phase diagrams and microstructures developed by solidification and solid-solid phase transformations (see also 61. Structure of liquids and solids and 64.70. Phase equilibria, phase transitions, and critical points of specific substances)**
- 81.30.Bx Phase diagrams of metals and alloys
- 81.30.Dz Phase diagrams of other materials
- 81.30.Fb Solidification
- 81.30.Hd Constant-composition solid-solid phase transformations: polymorphic, massive, order-disorder
- 81.30.Kf Martensitic transformations
- 81.30.Mh Precipitation
- 81.40.-z Treatment of materials and its effects on microstructure and properties**
- 81.40.Cd Solid solution, precipitation, and dispersion hardening
- 81.40.Ef Cold working, work hardening; annealing, recovery, and recrystallization; textures
- 81.40.Gh Other heat and thermomechanical treatments
- 81.40.Jj Elasticity and anelasticity
- 81.40.Lm Deformation, plasticity, and creep
- 81.40.Np Fatigue, embrittlement, and fracture
- 81.40.Pq Friction, lubrication, and wear
- 81.40.Rs Electrical and magnetic properties (in relation with treatment conditions)
- 81.40.Tv Optical properties (in relation with treatment conditions)

- 81.60.-j Corrosion, oxidation, and surface treatments**
- 81.60.Bn Metals and alloys
- 81.60.Dq Ceramics and refractories
- 81.60.Fs Glasses
- 81.60.Hv Composites
- 81.60.Jw Polymers
- 81.70.+r Materials testing**
- 81.90.+c Other topics in materials science and metallurgy**
- 82. Physical chemistry**
- 82.20.-w Chemical kinetics**
- 82.20.Db Statistical theories, including transition state
- 82.20.Fd Stochastic and trajectory models, other theories and models
- 82.20.Hf Mechanisms and product distribution
- 82.20.Kh Potential energy surfaces for chemical reactions (see also 31.70.F.—in atomic and molecular physics; 34.20.B. General potential functions, 34.50.L. Chemical reactions, as studied by atomic and molecular beams)
- 82.20.Mj Nonequilibrium kinetics
- 82.20.Pm Measurements of rate constants, reaction cross sections, and activation energies
- 82.20.Rp Energy distribution and transfer; relaxation (see also 31.70.H. Time-dependent phenomena—in atomic and molecular physics)
- 82.20.Tr Kinetic and isotope effects
- 82.20.Wt Computational modeling

- 82.30. — b Specific chemical reactions; reaction mechanisms**
- 82.30.Cf Atom and radical reactions (with themselves or with molecules)
- 82.30.Eh Molecule–molecule reactions
- 82.30.Fi Ion–molecule, ion–ion, and charge-transfer reactions (*see also* 34.70. *Charge transfer*)
- 82.30.Hk Chemical exchanges (substitution, atom transfer, abstraction, disproportionation, and group exchange)
- 82.30.Lp Decomposition reactions (pyrolysis, dissociation, and group ejection)
- 82.30.Nr Association, addition, and insertion
- 82.30.Qt Isomerization and rearrangement
- 82.30.Sw Chain reactions
- 82.30.Vy Homogeneous catalysis (*see also* 82.65.J. *Heterogeneous catalysis at surfaces*)
- 82.35. + t Polymer reactions and polymerization**
- 82.40. — g Chemical kinetics and reactions: special regimes**
- 82.40.Dm Atomic and molecular beam reactions (*see also* 34.50.L. *Chemical reactions as studied by atomic and molecular beams*)
- 82.40.Fp Shock waves
- 82.40.Js Fast and ultrafast reactions
- 82.40.Mw Pulse techniques
- 82.40.Py Flames, combustion, and explosions
- 82.40.Ra Flowing afterglow
- 82.40.Tc Chemiluminescence and chemical laser kinetics (*see also* 42.55. *Lasing processes*)
- 82.40.We Chemistry of the upper atmosphere (*see also* 94.10.F. *Atmospheric composition, chemical reactions and processes*)
- 82.45. + z Electrochemistry and electrophoresis (*see also* 66.10.E. *Ionic conduction in liquids; for electro-osmosis, see 82.65.F*)**
- 82.50. — m Photochemistry and radiation chemistry (*see also* 33.50. *Fluorescence, phosphorescence, radiationless transitions*)**
- 82.50.Cr Quantum yields
- 82.50.Et Photodissociation and photoionization, as studied by fluorescence and radiationless transitions
- 82.50.Jy Energy deposition
- 82.50.La Ion-pair yields
- 82.50.Rf G values
- 82.55. — d Radiochemistry**
- 82.55.Di Hot atom reactions
- 82.55.Gm Positronium chemistry
- 82.55.Kq Tracer reactions
- 82.60. — s Chemical thermodynamics (*see also* 05.70. *Thermodynamics*)**
- 82.60.Cx Enthalpies of combustion, reaction, and formation
- 82.60.Fa Heat capacity and heats of phase transitions
- 82.60.Hc Chemical equilibria and equilibrium constants
- 82.60.Lf Thermodynamics of solutions
- 82.60.Nh Nucleation

- 82.65. — i Surface processes (*see also* 68.40. *Surface energy of solids; thermodynamic properties*)**
- 82.65.Dp Thermodynamics of surfaces
- 82.65.Fr Film and membrane processes; ion exchange, dialysis, osmosis, electro-osmosis
- 82.65.Jv Heterogeneous catalysis at surfaces and other surface reactions (*see also* 82.30.V. *Homogeneous catalysis*)
- 82.65.My Sorption and accommodation coefficients (*see also* 68.45. *Solid–fluid interface processes*)
- 82.65.Nz Other gas–surface interactions
- 82.70. — y Disperse systems**
- 82.70.Dd Colloids
- 82.70.Gg Gels and sols
- 82.70.Kj Emulsions and suspensions
- 82.70.Rr Aerosols and foams
- 82.80. — d Chemical analysis and related physical methods of analysis**
- 82.80.Bg Chromatography (including paper, column, thin film, vapour phase, and ion exchange chromatography)
- 82.80.Di Electromagnetic radiation spectrometry (including optical, x-ray, and magnetic resonance methods)
- 82.80.Fk Electrochemical methods
- 82.80.Jp Radiochemical activation analysis methods
- 82.80.Ms Mass spectrometry (*see also* 07.75. *Mass spectrometers and mass spectrometry techniques*)
- 82.80.Pv Electron spectroscopy for chemical analysis (photoelectron, Auger spectrometry, etc.)
- 82.80.Sy Methods using colligative properties
- 82.90. + j Other topics in physical chemistry**

84. Electromagnetic technology

- 84.20. — k Circuit theory (*for filters, see 84.30.V*)**
- 84.20.Cq Network topology
- 84.20.Es General analysis and synthesis methods
- 84.20.Hw Computer-aided circuit analysis and design
- 84.20.Ky Lumped linear networks
- 84.20.Ma Distributed linear networks (*for transmission-line theory, see 84.40.M; for waveguide theory, see 84.40.S*)
- 84.20.Pc Nonlinear network analysis and design
- 84.20.Re Time-varying and switched networks
- 84.30. — r Electronic circuits**
- 84.30.Dx Parametric microwave circuits
- 84.30.Fz Solid-state microwave circuits
- 84.30.Jc Power electronics, supply, and supervisory circuits
- 84.30.Le Amplifiers
- 84.30.Ng Oscillators
- 84.30.Qi Modulators and demodulators; discriminators and mixers
- 84.30.Sk Pulse and digital circuits (*for pulse generators, see 84.30.N*)
- 84.30.Vn Filters and other networks
- 84.30.Wp Special-purpose electronic circuits (*see also* 29.60. *Counting circuits*)

84.40. — x Antennas, transmission lines, and propagation

- 84.40.Cb Radio-wave propagation effects
- 84.40.Ed Optical propagation effects
- 84.40.Gf Antenna theory
- 84.40.Jh Antennas
- 84.40.Ki Antenna accessories
- 84.40.Mk Transmission-line theory
- 84.40.Nm Transmission lines and cables
- 84.40.Pn Transmission-line accessories
- 84.40.Qp Transmission-line components
- 84.40.Sr Waveguide theory
- 84.40.Ts Waveguides (including strip lines)
- 84.40.Vt Optical waveguides
- 84.40.Wv Waveguide components

84.60. — h Direct energy conversion and energy storage

- 84.60.Dn Electrochemical conversion and storage, general
- 84.60.Ep Primary cells
- 84.60.Fq Secondary cells
- 84.60.Gr Fuel cells
- 84.60.Jt Solar cells and arrays (*for other photoelectric devices, see 85.60*)
- 84.60.Lw Magnetohydrodynamic conversion
- 84.60.Ny Thermionic conversion
- 84.60.Rb Other direct energy conversion, including electrogasdynamic, thermoelectric conversion, etc. (*for thermocouples, see 85.80.F*)
- 84.60.Td Other energy storage including capacitor banks (*for capacitors, see 85.50.N*)

84.70. + p High-current and high-voltage technology

For particle beams and particle optics, see 41.80.

84.90. + a Other topics in electromagnetic technology

85. Electrical and magnetic devices

- 85.10. — n Electron tubes**
- 85.10.Dt Electron tube technology
- 85.10.Fw Vacuum tubes
- 85.10.Hy Traveling-wave tubes
- 85.10.Ka Other microwave tubes
- 85.10.Mc Cathode-ray and storage tubes
- 85.10.Pe Phototubes
- 85.10.Rg Gas-discharge tubes
- 85.20. — t Conductors, inductors, and switches**
- 85.20.Cy Conductors
- 85.20.Ea Resistors (including thermistors, varistors, and photoresistors)
- 85.20.Gc Inductors and coils
- 85.20.Je Signal and power transformers
- 85.20.Lg Printed circuits
- 85.20.Ni Wiring
- 85.20.Qk Connectors
- 85.20.Sn Electrical contacts
- 85.20.Tp Relays
- 85.20.Vq Switches
- 85.20.Wr Fuses

85.25.+k Superconducting devices; superconducting magnets (*see also 74.50. Superconducting materials and devices*)

85.30.—z Semiconductor devices (*for photodiodes and phototransistors, see 85.60.D*)

85.30.De Semiconductor-device characterization and modeling

85.30.Fg Bulk semiconductor and conductivity oscillation devices

85.30.Hi Surface barrier, boundary, and point contact devices

85.30.Kk Classical junction diodes

85.30.Mn Junction breakdown and tunneling devices

85.30.Pq Bipolar transistors

85.30.Rs Thyristors

85.30.Tv Field effect devices

85.40.—e Integrated electronics

85.40.Ci Integrated microcircuits, general

85.40.Dj Thick-film integrated circuits

85.40.Ek Thin-film integrated circuits

85.40.Fm Semiconductor multichip integrated circuits

85.40.Gn Semiconductor monolithic integrated circuits

85.40.Kr Hybrid integrated circuits

85.40.Mt Microassembly, general

85.40.Nv Discrete component microassembly

85.40.Pw Semiconductor multichip microassembly

85.50.—j Dielectric devices

85.50.Dq Inorganic insulators

85.50.Fs Organic and plastic insulators

85.50.Hv Insulating coatings

85.50.Ly Ferroelectric and piezoelectric devices

85.50.Na Capacitors (*for energy storage, see 84.60.T*)

85.60.—q Photoelectric and optoelectronic devices and systems

85.60.Dw Photoelectric devices (including photodiodes and phototransistors)

85.60.Gz Photodetectors and infrared detectors (*for phototubes, see 85.10.P; see also 29.40. Radiation detection*)

85.60.Jb Light-emitting devices (*for cathode-ray tubes, see 85.10.M*)

85.60.Me Other optoelectronic devices (*for photoresistors, see 85.20.E*)

85.60.Pg Display systems (*see also 06.70.H. Display, recording instruments*)

85.70.—w Magnetic devices

85.70.Ca Magnetic cores

85.70.Ec Magnetostrictive devices

85.70.Ge Ferrite and garnet devices

85.70.Kh Magnetic thin-film devices

85.70.Nk Magnets

85.70.Qn Magnetic device circuits

85.70.Sq Magneto-optical devices

85.80.—b Electrochemical, thermoelectromagnetic, and other devices (*for acoustoelectric devices, see 43.85*)

85.80.Dg Electrochemical devices

85.80.Fi Thermoelectric devices

85.80.Jm Magnetolectric devices

85.80.Lp Magnetothermal devices

85.90.+h Other topics in electrical and magnetic devices

87. Biophysics, medical physics, and biomedical engineering

87.10.+e General, theoretical, and mathematical biophysics (including logic of biosystems, quantum biology, and relevant aspects of thermodynamics, information theory, cybernetics, and bionics)

87.15.—v Molecular biophysics

87.15.By Structure, configuration, conformation, and active sites at the molecular level

87.15.Da Physical chemistry of solutions: condensed states

87.15.He Molecular dynamics, molecular probes, molecular pattern recognition

87.15.Kg Molecular interactions, charge transfer complexes

87.15.Mi Interactions with radiations at the molecular level: luminescence

87.15.Pk Model reactions

87.18.+f Biothermics

87.20.—i Membrane biophysics

87.20.Cn General theory of interfaces (including practical models)

87.20.Eq Natural and artificial membranes (including immobilized enzymes)

87.25.—a Cellular biophysics

87.25.Bd Bioenergetics (including photosynthesis)

87.25.Df Biological transport: cellular and subcellular transmembrane physics

87.25.Fh Physics of subcellular structures

87.30.—p Biophysics of neurophysiological processes (excluding perception processes and speech)

87.30.Ct Electrical activity for excitable and nonexcitable biosystems

87.30.Ew External and internal data communications, nerve conduction and synaptic transmission (including neuromuscular transmission and muscular contraction)

87.30.Gy Memory storage and memorization (biophysical and biochemical processes)

For vision, see 42.66

87.34.+d Audition

87.36.+j Speech

87.38.+r Mechano- and chemoceptions (including biosonic generation, detection, and guidance)

87.40.+w Biomagnetism (including magnetocardiography)

87.45.—k Biomechanics, biorheology, biological fluid dynamics

87.45.Bp Mechanical properties of tissues and organs

87.45.Dr Physics of body movements

87.45.Ft Rheology of body fluids

87.45.Hw Haemodynamics, pneumodynamics

87.50.—a Biological effects of radiations

87.50.Bd Interactions of biosystems with radiations

87.50.Cc Bioacoustics (sonic and ultrasonic effects on living matter)

87.50.Eg Bio-optics (effects of microwaves, light, laser, and other electromagnetic waves)

87.50.Gi Ionizing radiations (uv, x-ray, γ -ray, and particle radiation effects)

87.60.—f Medical and biomedical uses of fields, radiations, and radioactivity (*see also 28.80. Nuclear radiation technology, including shielding*)

87.60.Bi Sonic and ultrasonic radiation

87.60.Dk Electric and magnetic fields (d.c. and pulsed)

87.60.Gp Laser beams, microwaves, and other electromagnetic waves

87.60.Jr Corpuscular radiation and radioisotopes

87.60.Lt Preparation of radioactive materials for medical and biomedical uses

87.60.Mv Radiation dosimetry

87.60.Px Radiation protection

87.60.Rz Radioactive pollution

87.65.+y Aerospace biophysics and medical physics (effects of accelerations, weightlessness and environment) (*see also 94.80. Aerospace facilities and techniques*)

87.70.—k Biomedical engineering

87.70.Cq Technobiology

87.70.Es Diagnostic methods and instrumentation

87.70.Gv Patient care and treatment

87.70.Jx Prosthetics and other practical applications

87.80.+s Biophysical instrumentation and techniques

87.90.+y Other topics in biophysics, medical physics, and biomedical engineering

89. Other areas of research of general interest to physicists

89.20.+a Industrial and technological research and development

89.30.+f Energy resources

89.40.+k Transportation

89.50.+r Urban planning and development

89.60.+x Environmental and ecological studies

89.70.+c Information science

89.80.+h Computer science and technology

89.90.+n Other areas of general interest to physicists

90. GEOPHYSICS, ASTRONOMY, AND ASTROPHYSICS

91. Solid Earth geophysics

91.10.—v Geodesy and gravity

- 91.10.By Mathematical geodesy; general theory
- 91.10.Da Cartography
- 91.10.Jf Topography; geometric observations
- 91.10.Lh Photogrammetry
- 91.10.Nj Rotational variations; polar wobble
- 91.10.Qm Harmonics of the gravity potential field
For relations of gravity observations to tectonics and isostasy, see 91.45.S
- 91.10.Tq Earth tides

91.25.—r Geomagnetism and paleomagnetism; geoelectricity

- 91.25.Cw Origins and models of the magnetic field; dynamo theories
- 91.25.Ey Interactions between exterior sources and interior properties (magnetotelluric effects)
- 91.25.Ga Spatial variations: all harmonics and anomalies
- 91.25.Jc Spatial variations attributed to sea floor spreading
- 91.25.Le Time variations, diurnal to secular
- 91.25.Ng Paleomagnetism
- 91.25.Qi Earth's electricity; electromagnetic induction and conductivity

91.30.—f Seismology

- 91.30.Bi Seismic sources (mechanisms, magnitude, moment frequency spectrum)
- 91.30.Dk Seismicity, space and time distribution (including strong motion and shock waves)
- 91.30.Fn Surface and body waves
- 91.30.Ks Free oscillations (periods less than 12 hours)
- 91.30.Mv Strong motions and shock waves
- 91.30.Nw Tsunamis (*see also 92.10.D. and 92.10.F. for dynamics of the ocean*)
- 91.30.Px Phenomena related to earthquake prediction
- 91.30.Rz Explosion seismology

91.35.—x Earth's interior structure and properties

- 91.35.Cb Models of interior structure
- 91.35.Dc Heat flow; geothermy
- 91.35.Ed Structure of the Earth's interior below the upper mantle
- 91.35.Gf Structure of the crust and upper mantle
- 91.35.Lj Composition of Earth's interior
- 91.35.Nm Geochronology

91.40.+m Volcanology

91.45.—c Physics of plate tectonics

- 91.45.Dh Plate tectonics
- 91.45.Fj Convection currents
- 91.45.Pt Slow vertical crustal movements (including isostasy and postglacial phenomena)
- 91.45.Sx Relations of gravity observations to tectonics and isostasy

91.50.—r Marine geology and geophysics

- 91.50.Cw Beach, coastal, and shelf processes

- 91.50.Ey Ocean bottom processes
- 91.50.Ga Bathymetry and noncoastal underwater morphology
- 91.50.Jc Turbidity currents, sedimentation

91.60.—x Physical properties of rocks and minerals

- 91.60.Ba Elasticity, fracture, and flow
- 91.60.Fe Equations of state
- 91.60.Hg Phase changes
- 91.60.Ki Thermal properties
- 91.60.Pn Magnetic and electric properties

91.65.+p Geophysical aspects of geology, mineralogy, and petrology

91.90.+p Other topics in solid earth geophysics

92. Hydrospheric and atmospheric geophysics

92.10.—c Physics of the oceans

- 92.10.Bf Physical properties of seawater
- 92.10.Dh Dynamics of the deep ocean
- 92.10.Fj Dynamics of the upper ocean
- 92.10.Hm Surface waves, tides, and sea level
- 92.10.Jn Seiches
- 92.10.Kp Sea-air energy exchange processes
- 92.10.Lq Turbulence and diffusion
- 92.10.Mr Thermohaline structure and circulation
- 92.10.Pt Underwater light and radiation energy
- 92.10.Rw Sea ice
- 92.10.Sx Coastal and estuarine oceanography
- 92.10.Vz Underwater sound

For marine geology and geophysics, see 91.50

92.20.—h Interdisciplinary aspects of oceanography

- 92.20.Cm Chemistry of the ocean
- 92.20.Gr Ocean energy extraction
- 92.20.Jt Biological aspects of oceanography
- 92.20.Ny Submarine pollution

92.40.—t Hydrology and glaciology

- 92.40.Cy Modeling; general theory
- 92.40.Ea Precipitation
- 92.40.Fb Rivers, runoff, and streamflow
- 92.40.Gc Erosion and sedimentation
- 92.40.Je Evaporation
- 92.40.Kf Groundwater
- 92.40.Lg Soil moisture
- 92.40.Ni Limnology
- 92.40.Qk Water quality and water resources
- 92.40.Rm Snow
- 92.40.Sn Ice
- 92.40.Vq Glaciers

92.60.—e Meteorology

- 92.60.Bh General circulation
- 92.60.Dj Gravity waves, tides, and compressional waves
- 92.60.Ek Convection, turbulence, and diffusion

- 92.60.Fm Boundary layer structure and processes
- 92.60.Gn Winds and their effects
- 92.60.Hp Chemical composition and chemical interactions
- 92.60.Jq Water in the atmosphere (humidity, clouds, evaporation, precipitation)
- 92.60.Ls Ionic interactions and processes
- 92.60.Mt Particles and aerosols (*see also 94.20 Physics of the ionosphere*)
- 92.60.Nv Cloud physics
- 92.60.Pw Atmospheric electricity
- 92.60.Qx Storms
- 92.60.Ry Climatology
- 92.60.Sz Air quality and air pollution
- 92.60.Ta Interaction of atmosphere with electromagnetic waves; propagation
- 92.60.Vb Solar radiation
- 92.60.Wc Weather analysis and prediction
- 92.60.Yd Meteorological applications

For atmospheric optics, see 42.68

92.90.+x Other topics in hydrospheric and atmospheric geophysics

93. Geophysical observations, instrumentation, and techniques

93.30.—w Information related to geographical regions

- 93.30.Bz Africa
- 93.30.Ca Antarctica
- 93.30.Db Asia
- 93.30.Fd Australia
- 93.30.Ge Europe
- 93.30.Hf North America
- 93.30.Jg South America
- 93.30.Kh Large islands (e. g., Greenland)
- 93.30.Li Arctic Ocean
- 93.30.Mj Atlantic Ocean
- 93.30.Nk Indian Ocean
- 93.30.Pm Pacific Ocean
- 93.30.Qn Southern Ocean
- 93.30.Rp Regional seas
- 93.30.Sq Polar regions
- 93.30.Tr Temperate regions
- 93.30.Vs Tropical regions

93.55.+z International organizations, national and international programs

93.65.+e Data acquisition and storage

93.85.+q Instrumentation and techniques for geophysical research

94. Aeronomy and space physics

94.10.—s Physics of the neutral atmosphere (*for atmospheres of the planets, see 96.30*)

- 94.10.Bw General properties of the high atmosphere
- 94.10.Dy Atmospheric structure, pressure, density, and temperature (stratosphere, mesosphere, thermosphere, exosphere)

- 94.10.Fa Atmospheric composition (atomic or molecular), chemical reactions and processes (see also 82.40.W. *Chemistry of the upper atmosphere*)
- 94.10.Gb Absorption and scattering of radiation
- 94.10.Hc Atmospheric albedo to particles or waves
- 94.10.Jd Tides, waves, and winds
- 94.10.Lf Convection, diffusion, mixing, turbulence, and fallout
- 94.10.Nh Cosmic dust
- 94.10.Qj Airglow and nightglow
- 94.10.Sm Aurora

94.20.—y Physics of the ionosphere

- 94.20.Bb Wave propagation
- 94.20.Dd Ionospheric structure (regions D, E, F, and topside) including steady-state ion densities and temperatures
- 94.20.Ec D region
- 94.20.Gg E region
- 94.20.Ji F region
- 94.20.Lk Topside region
- 94.20.Mm Plasmasphere
- 94.20.Pp Plasmopause
- 94.20.Qq Particle precipitation
- 94.20.Rr Interactions between waves and particles
- 94.20.Ss Electric fields
- 94.20.Tt Ionospheric soundings
- 94.20.Vv Ionospheric disturbances
- 94.20.Ww Plasma motion, convection, or circulation
- 94.20.Yx Interaction between ionosphere and magnetosphere

94.30.—d Physics of the magnetosphere

- 94.30.Bg Magnetic coordinate systems
- 94.30.Ch Magnetospheric configuration
- 94.30.Di Magnetopause
- 94.30.Ej Magnetic tail
- 94.30.Fk Plasma motion, convection, or circulation
- 94.30.Gm Plasma instabilities
- 94.30.Hn Trapped particles
- 94.30.Kq Electric fields
- 94.30.Lr Magnetic storms, substorms
- 94.30.Ms Magnetic pulsations
- 94.30.Nt Electrostatic waves
- 94.30.Pv Wave propagation
- 94.30.Qw ELF and ULF waves (including whistlers)
- 94.30.Rx VLF waves
- 94.30.Sy Magnetosheath
- 94.30.Va Interaction between solar wind and magnetosphere
- 94.30.Wb Interactions between magnetosphere and cosmic rays

94.40.—i Cosmic rays

- 94.40.Cn Origin and propagation outside the solar system
- 94.40.Eq Interplanetary propagation and effects
- 94.40.Ht Energetic solar particles and photons
- 94.40.Kw Solar modulation and geophysical effects
- 94.40.Lx Composition and energy spectra
- 94.40.Pa Extensive air showers
- 94.40.Rc High-energy interactions
- 94.40.Te Muons and neutrinos

- 94.40.Vf Cosmic-ray effects in meteorites and terrestrial matter

For planets, see 96.30

For Moon, see 96.20

94.60.—v Interplanetary space

- 94.60.Da Solar wind magnetic fields
- 94.60.Fc Solar wind electric fields
- 94.60.Gd Solar wind plasma
- 94.60.Kg Interplanetary neutral gases
- 94.60.Mi Interplanetary dust particles
- 94.60.Qm Solar wind interactions with moon and planets
- 94.60.Rn Shock waves
- 94.60.Sp Electromagnetic radiation

For other objects in the planetary system, see 96.50

94.80.—f Aerospace facilities and techniques; space research (see also 87.65. *Aerospace biophysics and medical physics*)

- 94.80.Px Lunar and planetary probes and satellites
- 94.80.Rz Artificial earth satellites
- 94.80.Vc Geophysical instrumentation
- 94.80.Wd Astrophysical instrumentation

94.90.—m Other topics in aeronomy and space physics

95. Fundamental astronomy and astrophysics; instrumentation, techniques, and astronomical observations

95.10.—a Fundamental astronomy

- 95.10.Cc Celestial mechanics
For dynamics and kinematics of stellar systems, see 98.10
- 95.10.Eg Orbit determination and improvement
- 95.10.Gi Astrometric aspects of eclipses, transits, and occultations
- 95.10.Jk Astrometry and spherical astronomy

95.30.—k Fundamental aspects of astrophysics

- 95.30.Cq Elementary particle and nuclear processes
- 95.30.Es Atomic and molecular theory and interactions
- 95.30.Gv Radiation mechanisms
- 95.30.Jx Radiative transfer
- 95.30.Lz Hydrodynamics
- 95.30.Qd Hydromagnetics and plasmas
- 95.30.Sf Relativity and gravitation (see also 98.80.D. *Relativistic cosmology*)

95.45.—i Observatories

95.55.—n Astronomical instruments

- 95.55.Br Astrometric instruments
- 95.55.Cs Optical telescopes
- 95.55.Ev Solar instruments
- 95.55.Jz Radiotelescopes
- 95.55.Lb Space instruments

95.65.—v Auxiliary and recording instruments

95.70.—i Other instrumentation and techniques (including clocks, frequency standards, etc.)

For space technology, see 93.80

95.75.—z Techniques of observation and reduction

- 95.75.De Photography and photometry
- 95.75.Fg Spectroscopy and spectrometry
- 95.75.Hi Polarimetry
- 95.75.Kk Interferometry and other special techniques
- 95.75.Mn Image processing
- 95.75.Pq Mathematical procedures and computer techniques

95.80.—p Catalogues, atlases, etc.

95.85.—e Astronomical observations (listed by technique of observation)

- 95.85.Dj Radio and radar
- 95.85.Gn Far infrared (bolometric, photoconductive)
- 95.85.Jq "Photographic region" (near infrared, visible, and normal ultraviolet)
- 95.85.Mt Space ultraviolet
- 95.85.Nv X ray
- 95.85.Qx γ ray and elementary particle
- 95.85.Sz Other, including gravitational radiation, magnetograms, etc.

95.90.—v Other topics in astronomy and astrophysics

96. Solar system

96.10.—i General, solar nebula, and cosmogony

96.20.—n Moon

- 96.20.Br Origin, formation, and age
- 96.20.Dt Features, landmarks, mineralogy, petrology and atmosphere
- 96.20.Jz Gravitational field, selenodesy, magnetic fields

96.30.—t Planets and satellites (excluding the moon)

For celestial mechanics, see 95.10.M

- 96.30.Dz Mercury
- 96.30.Ea Venus
For Earth as an astronomical body, see 91 and 92
- 96.30.Gc Mars
- 96.30.Hd Asteroids
- 96.30.Kf Jupiter
- 96.30.Mh Saturn
- 96.30.Tp Other planets

96.50.—e Other objects in the planetary system

- 96.50.Dj Interplanetary matter, magnetic and electric fields (including gegenschein and zodiacal light) (see also 94.60.—in *Geophysics*)
- 96.50.Gn Comets
- 96.50.Kr Meteors, showers, and meteoroids
- 96.50.Mt Meteorites, micrometeorites

96.60.—j Solar physics

- 96.60.Cp General, figure, rotation
- 96.60.Fs Chemical composition
- 96.60.Kx Solar interior (including neutrino problem)
- 96.60.Mz Photosphere, granulation
- 96.60.Na Chromosphere and chromosphere–corona transition
- 96.60.Pb Corona

- 96.60.Qc Sunspots, faculae, plagues
- 96.60.Rd Flares, bursts, and related phenomena
- 96.60.Se Prominences and streamers
- 96.60.Tf Solar electromagnetic radiation
- 96.60.Vg Particle radiation, solar wind (*see also 94.60.D, 94.60.F, and 94.60.G for geophysical effects*)

96.90.+c Other topics on the solar system

97. Stars

97.10.—q Stellar characteristics

- 97.10.Bt Star formation
- 97.10.Cv Stellar interiors, evolution, nucleosynthesis, ages
- 97.10.Ex Stellar atmospheres, radiative transfer
- 97.10.Fy Circumstellar shells and expanding envelopes
- 97.10.Ha Mass loss and stellar winds
- 97.10.Kc Stellar rotation
- 97.10.Ld Magnetic and electric fields
- 97.10.Nf Masses
- 97.10.Qh Diameters and surface features
- 97.10.Ri Luminosities, temperatures
- 97.10.Tk Spectral classification, abundances
- 97.10.Vm Distances, parallaxes
- 97.10.Wn Space motions (proper motions, radial velocities)

97.20.—w Normal stars (by class): general or individual

- 97.20.Db Pre-main-sequence types; S, R, and N types; T Tauri
- 97.20.Ec Main-sequence: early-type stars (O and B)
- 97.20.Ge Main-sequence: intermediate type A and F stars
- 97.20.Jg Main-sequence: late-type stars (G, K, and M)
- 97.20.Li Giant and subgiant stars
- 97.20.Pm Supergiant stars
- 97.20.Rp Faint blue stars, white dwarfs, degenerate stars
- 97.20.Tr Population II stars

97.30.—b Variable and peculiar stars (including novae)

- 97.30.Eh Emission-line stars (Of, Wolf-Rayet, Be, etc.)
- 97.30.Fi Magnetic stars (Ap, Am, etc.)
- 97.30.Gj Cepheids, W Virginis, and RV Tauri stars
- 97.30.Jm Long-period variables and semiregulars
- 97.30.Kn RR Lyrae stars
- 97.30.Nr Flare stars
- 97.30.Qt Novae, dwarf novae (*see also 98.70.Q for other X-ray sources*)
- 97.30.Sw Other types of variables

97.60.—s Late stages of stellar evolution (including black holes)

- 97.60.Bw Supernovae
- 97.60.Gb Pulsars
- 97.60.Jd Neutron stars
- 97.60.Lf Black holes
- 97.60.Sm Other objects believed to be disintegrating or collapsing

97.80.—d Binary and multiple stars (including extrasolar planetary systems)

- 97.80.Di Visual binary or multiple stars, catalogues and atlases
- 97.80.Fk Spectroscopic binaries
- 97.80.Hn Eclipsing binaries
- 97.80.Jp X-ray sources (*see also 98.70.Q. X-ray and γ -ray sources*)
- 97.80.Kq Visual multiples
- 97.80.Ms Planetary systems

97.90.+j Other topics in stellar astronomy

98. Stellar systems; galactic and extragalactic objects and systems; The Universe

98.10.+z Stellar dynamics

98.20.—d Stellar clusters and associations

- 98.20.Ch Associations of stars (OB, T, etc.)
- 98.20.Ej Open clusters
- 98.20.Hn Globular clusters

98.40.—p Interstellar matter and nebulas

- 98.40.Bs Interstellar matter
- 98.40.Ct Interstellar molecules
- 98.40.Fx H_I regions (interstellar clouds and 21-cm absorption lines)
- 98.40.Hz H_{II} regions, emission nebulas
- 98.40.Ja Infrared sources (including cocoons) *also 98.70.L for other sources*
- 98.40.Kb Reflection nebulas, dark clouds
- 98.40.Md Planetary nebulas
- 98.40.Ne Supernova remnants

98.50.—v The Galaxy; extragalactic objects and systems

- 98.50.Cz General parameters, classifications, etc.
- 98.50.Eb Formation, structure, content
- 98.50.He Red shift, distances
- 98.50.Kg Groups, clusters, superclusters
- 98.50.Lh The Galaxy; Milky Way
- 98.50.Mi Local group of galaxies (irregular, spiral, and elliptical galaxies in local group, Magellanic clouds)
- 98.50.Rn Peculiar galaxies (compact nuclei, Seyferts, Markarian objects, BL Lacertae, etc.)
- 98.50.Tq Intergalactic matter (including magnetic and electric fields)

98.70.—f Other objects and background radiations of unknown origin or distances

- 98.70.Dk Discrete radio sources
- 98.70.Jr Quasars
- 98.70.Lt IR sources (*see also 98.40.J —in nebulas*)
- 98.70.Qy X-ray and γ -ray sources
- 98.70.Sa Cosmic ray sources (*For cosmic rays, see 94.40*)
- 98.70.Vc Background radiations

98.80.—k Cosmology (for observational cosmology, see 98.70.V; for origin and evolution of galaxies, see 98.50.E)

- 98.80.Bp Origin and formation of the Universe (big bang, steady state, etc.)
- 98.80.Dr Relativistic cosmology
- 98.80.Ft Origin and formation of the elements

98.90.+s Other topics in galactic and extragalactic astronomy

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Commensurate Ordering in Tetrathiafulvalene-Tetracyanoquinodimethane

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It is suggested that the first-order instability in tetrathiafulvalene-tetracyanoquinodimethane [(TTF)-(TCNQ)] at 38 K is related to the fourth-order umklapp coupling which concerns the wave vectors of the star involved in the three-dimensional periodic ordering. Within the anharmonic TCNQ interchain-coupling model, we predict that the configuration of chain deformation changes abruptly at 38 K, provided that this coupling is attractive.

The recent structural investigations¹ on (TTF)-(TCNQ) have revealed the existence of a peculiar three-dimensional ordering of the Peierls deformations ($q_b = 0.295b^*$) in the temperature range between 54 and 38 K.

Between 54 and 49 K, the most unstable wave vector has a component in the direction of alternating chains equal to $a^*/2$; below 49 K, this component starts to decrease. This effect was thoroughly discussed in the recent work by Bak and Emery,² where it was attributed to the bilinear coupling of the intrinsically different Peierls deformations on TCNQ and TTF chains. A similar explanation was also mentioned, but only briefly, in an earlier paper by Šaub, Barišić, and Friedel.³ Here we accept such an interpretation of the 54-K and 49-K transitions, but for the third transition at 38 K we wish to suggest an alternative explanation to that proposed in Ref. 2.

At 38 K, q_a jumps to the commensurate value $q_a = a^*/4$ and remains pinned to this value at lower temperatures. In Ref. 2, this effect was attributed to the fourth-order umklapp coupling in which the $(a^*/4, q_b)$ wave on TCNQ chains, taken to the third power, is umklapp-coupled to the $(a^*/4, -3q_b)$ wave of the TTF chains. However, the full crystal symmetry also allows the fourth-order umklapp coupling of the waves involved in the star $(\pm a^*/4, \pm q_b)$ [Fig. 1(a)]. In principle, four coupled waves can belong either to TCNQ or to TTF chains and mix together in the fourth-order invariants. Obviously, this alternative does not imply any additional scattering at 38 K such as that expected at $-3q_b = 0.115b^*$ for the mechanism

of Ref. 2.

We have performed the actual calculations in the model which retains only the coupling of the

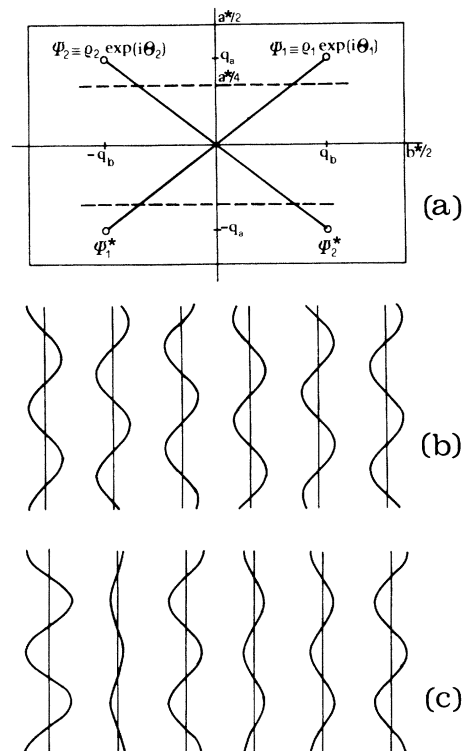


FIG. 1. (a) The star of wave vectors $(\pm q_a, \pm q_b)$. (b) The phase-shift chain deformations corresponding to the solution with only two waves ψ_1, ψ_1^* being different from zero. (c) The "amplitude-wave" configuration involving all four waves in the star with the same amplitude.

four large TCNQ waves. It will appear that the *interchain* coupling of the TCNQ waves governs the pinning effect at 38 K. This limits our model to the situations in which the strength of the TCNQ deformation compensates for the fact that the anharmonic coupling constant for the TCNQ interchain coupling is probably smaller than for the TCNQ-TTF coupling. The mixed terms are not expected to change essentially our conclusions at 38 K, but they would affect⁴ the Peierls instability in the particular chain family and the sliding behavior of q_a . There is, however, no strong experimental evidence that this happens in (TTF)-(TCNQ), where the bilinear TCNQ-TTF coupling alone explains the 54–38K temperature range.

Using the notations defined in Fig. 1(a), the fourth-order terms involving TCNQ chains for $q_a < a^*/2$ are

$$b_1(\rho_1^4 + \rho_2^4) + b_2'\rho_1^2\rho_2^2, \quad (1)$$

$$4\left[\frac{-a}{(2b_1 + b_2')}\right]^{1/2} \cos\left(q_b j b + \frac{\theta_1 - \theta_2}{2}\right) \cos\left(q_a n a + \frac{\theta_1 + \theta_2}{2}\right), \quad (3)$$

shown on Fig. 1(c). In contrast to the first case, the chain waves are not shifted relatively one to another, but instead, the amplitude depends periodically (with the period $2\pi/q_a$) upon the chain index n .

In Eqs. (2) and (3) we distinguish the phases θ_1 or $(\theta_1 - \theta_2)/2$ associated with the incommensurate wave number q_b and the phase $(\theta_1 + \theta_2)/2$ which in the "amplitude wave" goes with the potentially commensurate wave number q_a . When $q_a = a^*/4$, this phase appears in the fourth-order deformation energy (1). This is the lowest-order phase-dependent term built by the star of Fig. 1(a), i.e., there is no third-order invariant of such a nature.

The minimization of Eq. (1) with respect to $\theta_1 + \theta_2$ gives $b_2' = b_2 - 2|b_3|$ and $\theta_1 + \theta_2$ equal to $\pi/2$ (for $b_3 > 0$) or to 0 (for $b_3 < 0$). The condition $|b_2'|/2b_1 < 1$ established above for the stability of the "amplitude wave" (ii) thus becomes at 38 K the condition for the pinning of q_a on $a^*/4$, [i.e., $|b_2 - 2|b_3|| < 2b_1$]. When the fourth-order contributions are written in terms of displacements instead of the order parameters $\psi_{1,2}$, this condition amounts to the requirement that the fourth-order interchain interaction is attractive. If so, the configuration of TCNQ waves at 38 K is that of Fig. 1(c), with the amplitudes of waves equal to $2[-2a/(2b_1 + b_2 - 2|b_3|)]^{1/2}$ (for $b_3 > 0$), or to 0 and $4[-a/(2b_1 + b_2 - 2|b_3|)]^{1/2}$ (for $b_3 < 0$).

where

$$b_2' = b_2 + 2b_3\delta_{q_a, a^*/4} \cos 2(\theta_1 + \theta_2). \quad (1a)$$

In general the coefficients $b_{1,2,3}$ are independent. The umklapp, phase-dependent b_3 term favors, under conditions determined below, the Peierls deformation with $q_a = a^*/4$.

The system with the anisotropic anharmonic energy (1) is stable for $b_1 > 0$, $b_2'/2b_1 > -1$. Two different deformation configurations are then possible regarding the value of ratio $b_2'/2b_1$: (i) For $b_2'/2b_1 > 1$, the Landau-Ginzburg energy is minimal for $\rho_1 = 0$, $\rho_2 = (-a/2b_1)^{1/2}$ (or vice versa), where $a \equiv a'(T - T_Q)$ and $T_Q = 54$ K. The deformation on j th place in n th chain is equal to

$$2(-a/2b_1)^{1/2} \cos(q_b j b + q_a n a + \theta_1), \quad (2)$$

and is shown on Fig. 1(b). q_a represents here the phase shift of the two neighboring chain waves with equal amplitudes. (ii) For $|b_2'|/2b_1 < 1$, $\rho_1 = \rho_2 = [-a/(2b_1 + b_2')]^{1/2}$. This solution leads to the deformation

It remains for us to find out which of the two configurations shown in Figs. 1(b) and 1(c) is present in (TTF)-(TCNQ) between 54 and 38 K. For this purpose, we use the experimental fact that no discontinuity is observed in the TCNQ deformation in the temperature range $38 \text{ K} < T < 54 \text{ K}$.¹ This range includes the temperature $T = 49 \text{ K}$ at which q_a starts to decrease from $a^*/2$. For $q_a = a^*/2$ [i.e., at temperatures $49 \text{ K} < T < 54 \text{ K}$], the star of Fig. 1(a) reduces to only two independent components $\psi_{\pm\pi} = \rho_\pi \exp(\pm i\theta_\pi)$. The fourth-order invariant is then of the form $b_\pi \rho_\pi^4$. With the equilibrium value $\rho_\pi = (-a/2b_\pi)^{1/2}$, the deformation is

$$2(-a/2b_\pi)^{1/2} \cos(q_b j b + n\pi + \theta_\pi). \quad (4)$$

We can compare the amplitude of the deformation (4) and the related deformation energy at 49 K with the corresponding quantities of configurations (i) and (ii). The conclusion is that only the transition from the configuration (4) to the configuration (i) can be continuous, and it is provided that $b_\pi = b_1$. Thus in our model and in the temperature range $38 \text{ K} < T < 49 \text{ K}$, the equivalent configurations $\{\rho_1 \neq 0, \rho_2 = 0\}$ [Fig. 1(b)] and $\{\rho_1 = 0, \rho_2 \neq 0\}$ are associated with the lowest-order free energy ($b_2 > 2b_1$).⁵ On a macroscopic scale, we would expect equal proportion of domains with

these two structures.

The overall prediction of the present model for the first-order instability at 38 K is that, besides the discontinuity in the amplitude of chain waves, it involves the transition from the configuration with the phase shift [Fig. 1(b)] to the essentially different configuration with the "amplitude wave" in the a direction.

Our final remark concerns the excitations at and below 38 K. In the usual picture the terms of the type b_s in Eq. 1(a) are included into the sine-Gordon equation for the phase. This leads to the soliton solution: The phase is $(q_a n a + c t e)$ in large regions of the crystal; these regions are separated by walls where the phase changes abruptly by the amount $2\pi/M = \pi/2$. Our feeling is that the situation is in fact more complicated, because the phase differs from $(q_a n a + c t e)$ in the wall and, according to Eq. 1(a), the cosine term switches off there. The question of excitations seems

therefore to require further investigation, based perhaps on the continuity of the umklapp terms in the unaveraged energy.

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