

INORGANIC SOLIDS



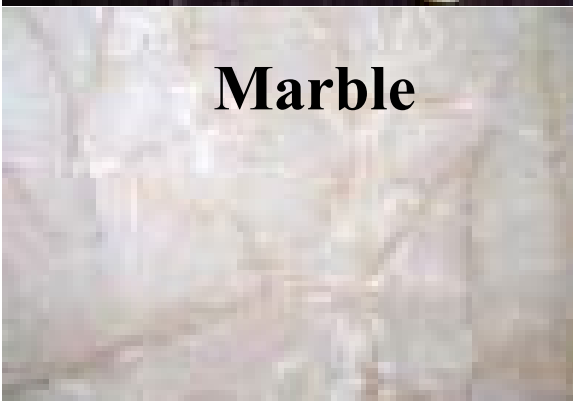
Garnet



Quartz



Gold



Marble



Cement



Pigment



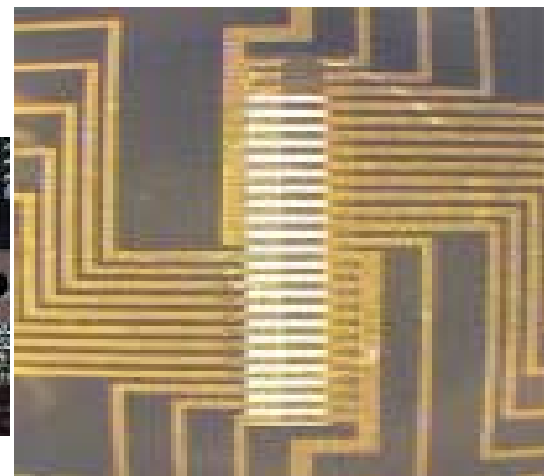
Visible rays :
300 – 600 nm

Human Eyes
Resolution = 0.07 mm

CD



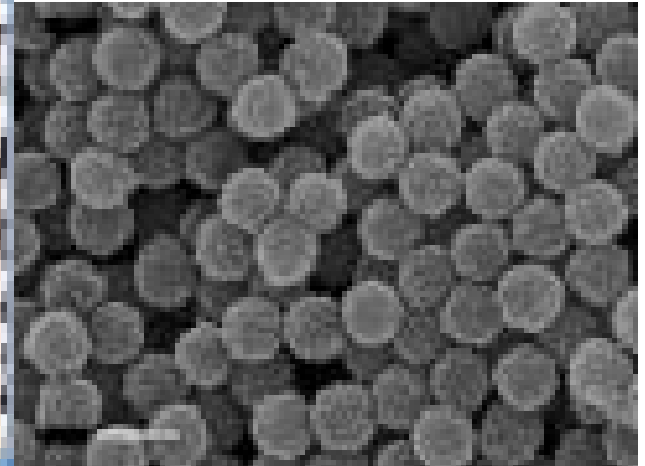
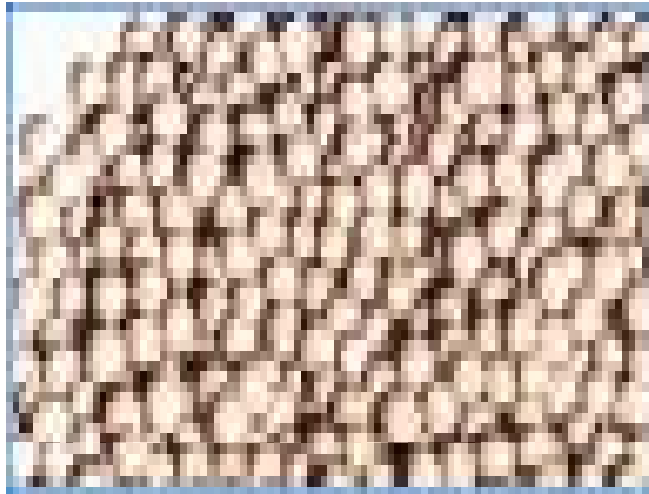
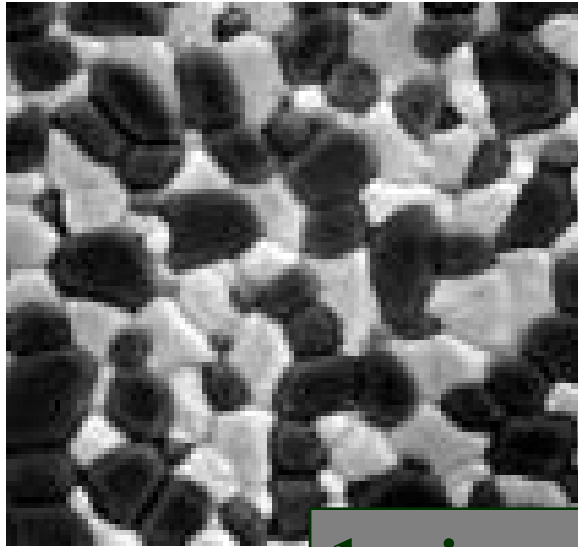
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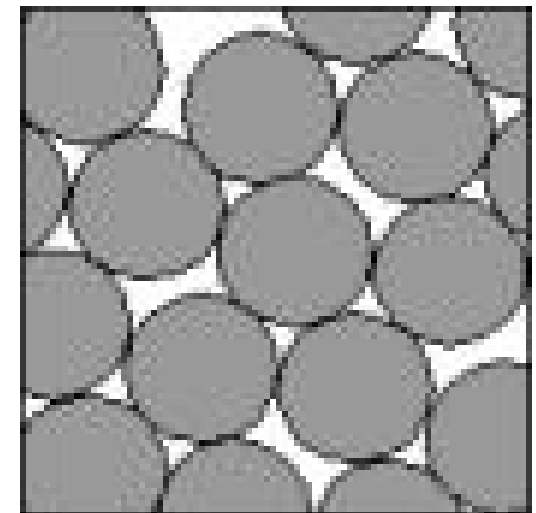
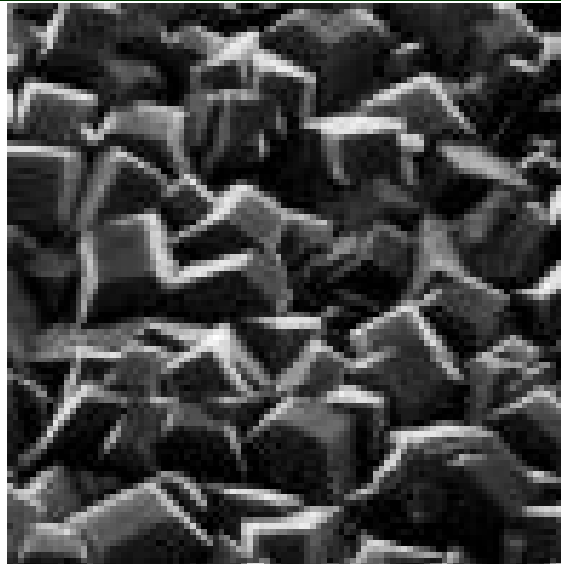
SEM

100nm

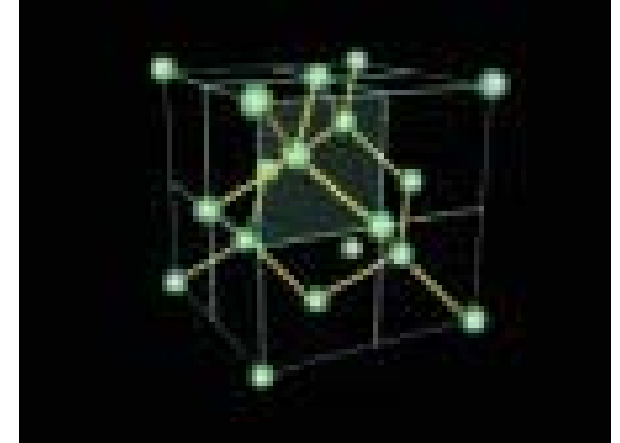
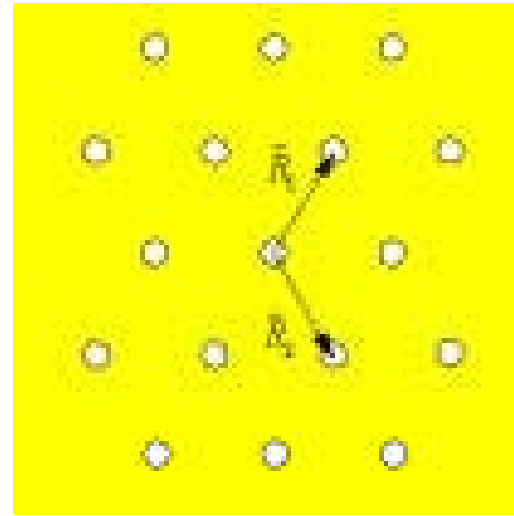
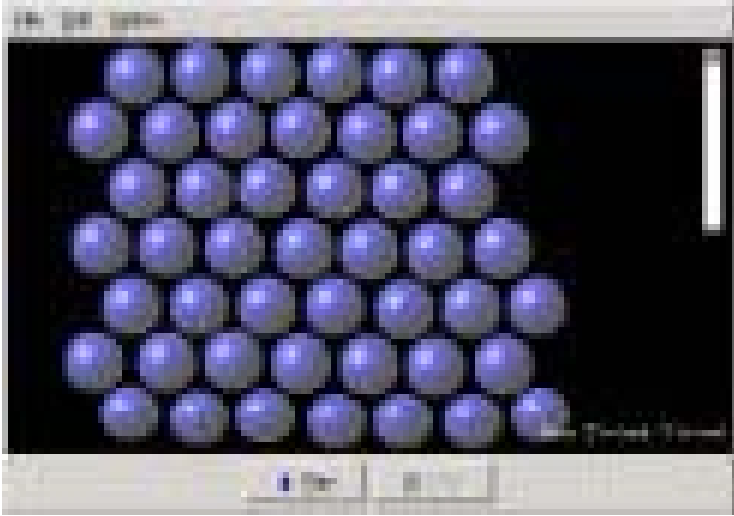
Inside a solid : how the grains look



1 micron to 10 microns : Normal grains in solids
1 micron = 1/1000 mm



Ordered arrangement of atoms : crystalline solids



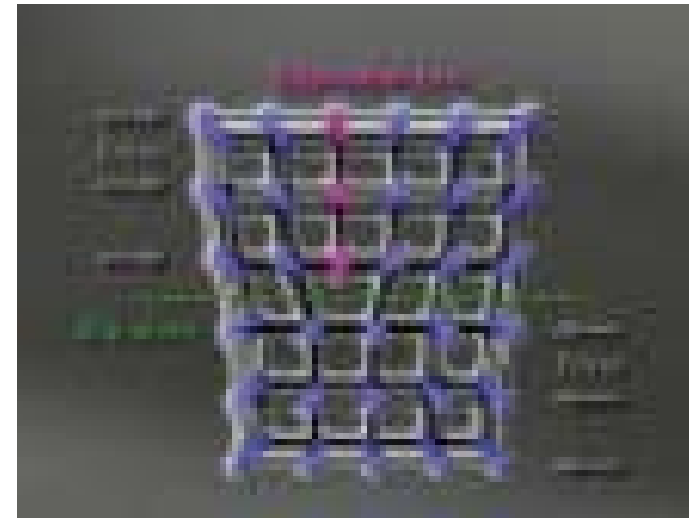
Diamond

ATOMIC LIMIT

1 atom(dia) : 0.1 – 0.2 nm
1 small crystal : $\sim 10^{21}$ atoms

3-Dimensional

X-rays : 0.1 - 0.2 nm



Dislocation

Solids

CRYSTALLINE

(Long range order)

NaCl, Diamond

Periodic arrangement of atoms/ions

over a large distance

$\sim 1000\text{\AA} - 10,000\text{\AA}$ or more

AMORPHOUS

(Short – range order)

Glass, polymers

$(\sim 10 - 40\text{\AA})$

Entropy \rightarrow **Zero**

(Perfect order ---- Crystal)

ΔH should be $-ve$

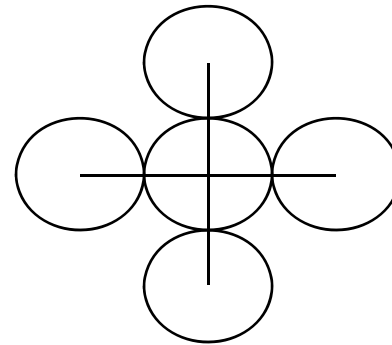
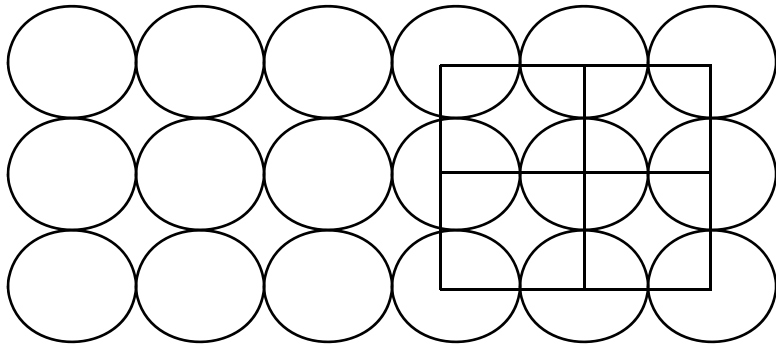
$\Delta G = -ve$

Packing of atoms / ions

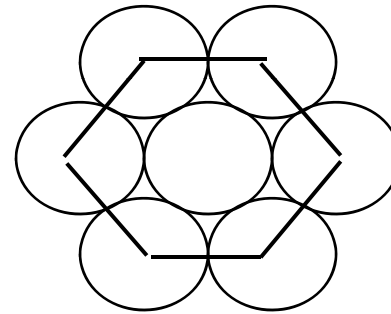
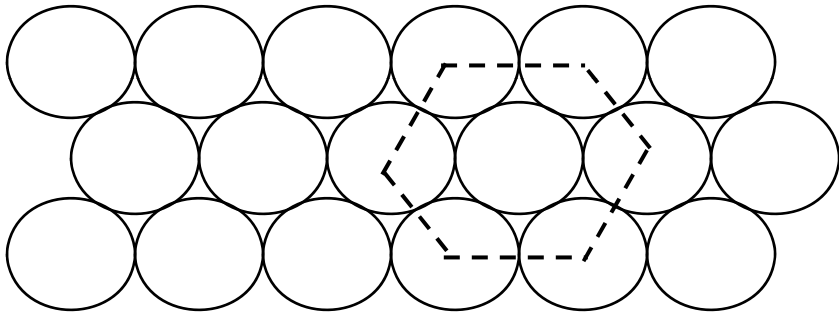
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HCP

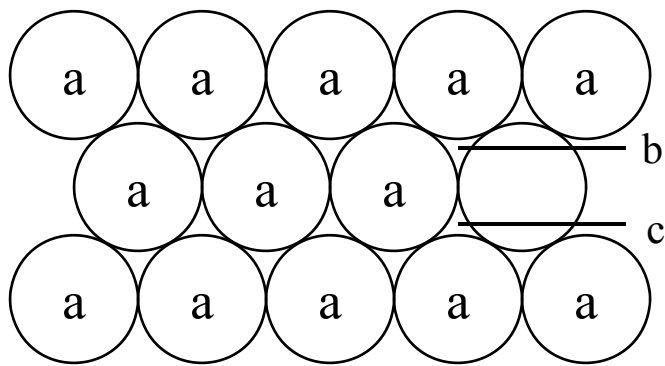
CCP



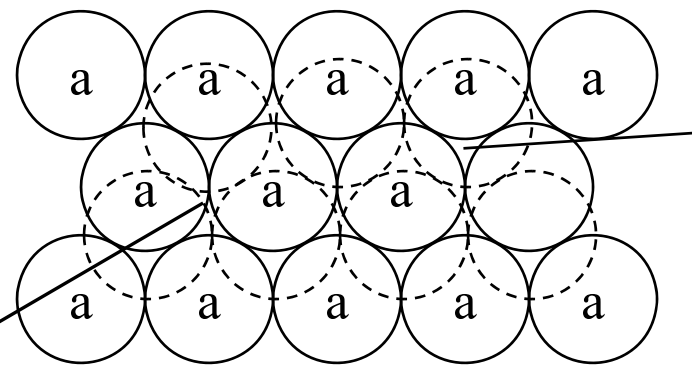
Square close packing (Layer)



Hexagonal close packing (Layer)



(octahedral hole)



Tetrahedral holes

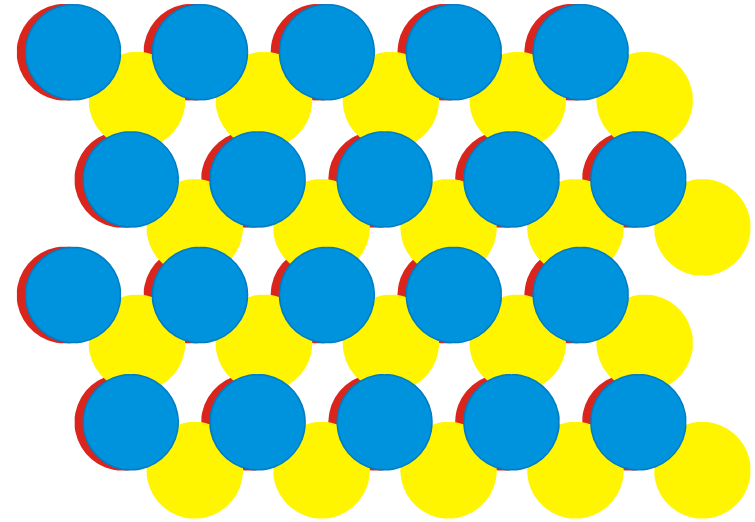
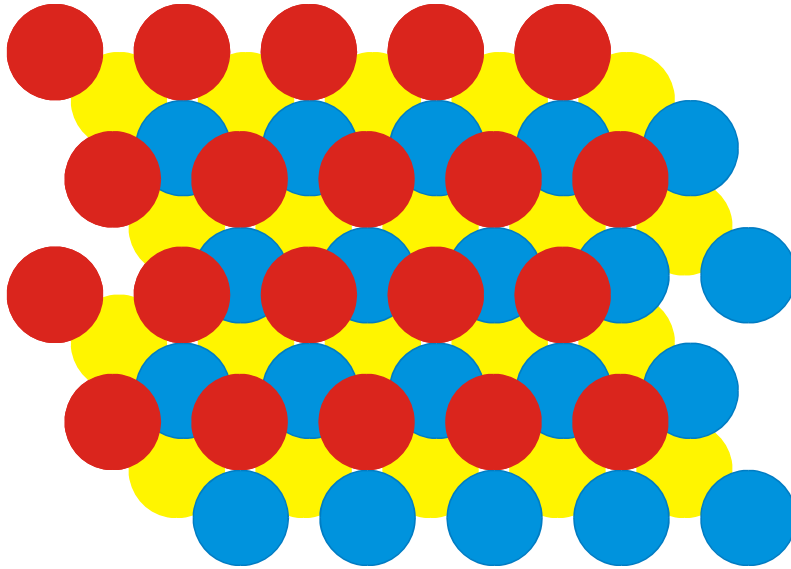
HCP

ABABABAB.....

Close - packed structures: fcc and hcp type

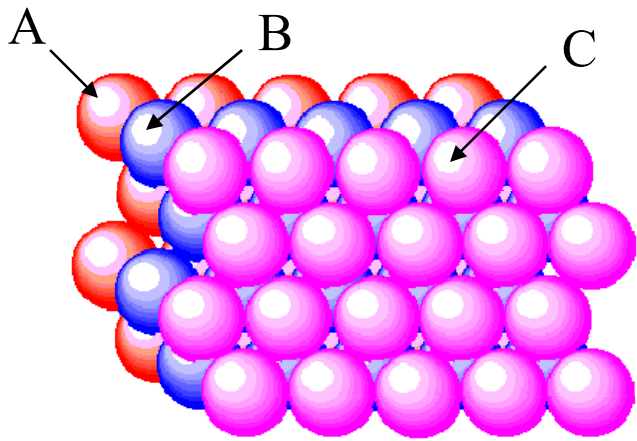
ABCABC... arrangement

fcc



ABAB... arrangement

hcp

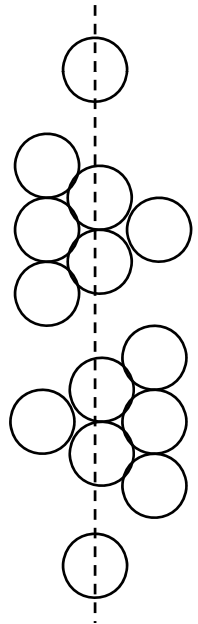


ABC ABC

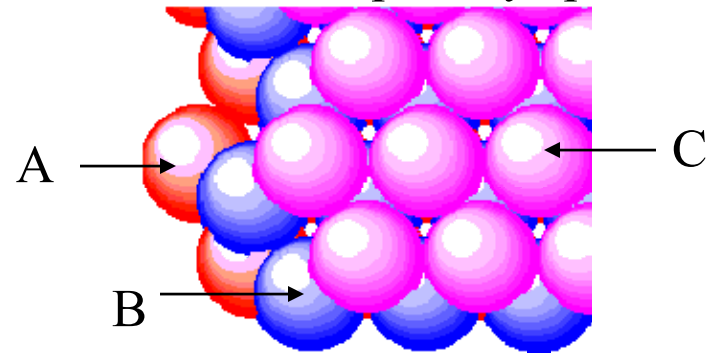
Cubic Close packing (ccp)

Close packed layers are parallel
----- diagonal across one face

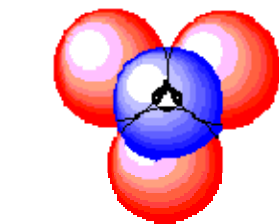
74% of the total volume occupied by spheres



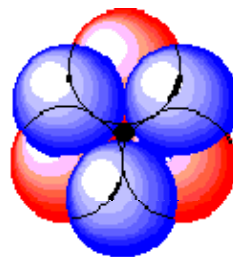
Layers of spheres
in CCP



CCP -- 2 tetra
1 oct
per sphere



Tetrahedral



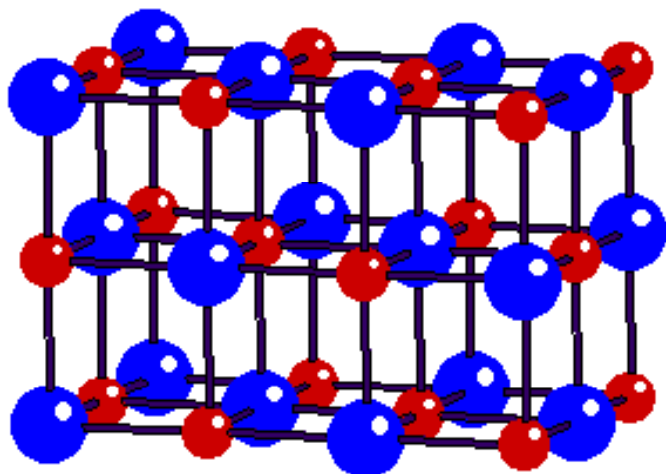
Octahedral

Interstices

Ionic structures

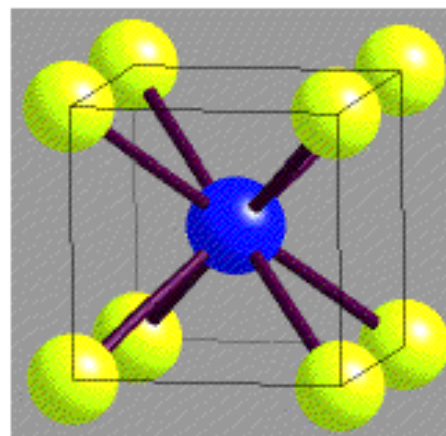
NaCl, CsCl

(Radius ratio rules)



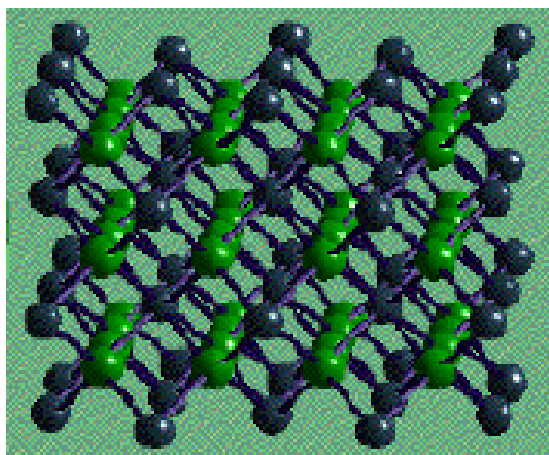
NaCl (Rock Salt)

CsCl 8:8

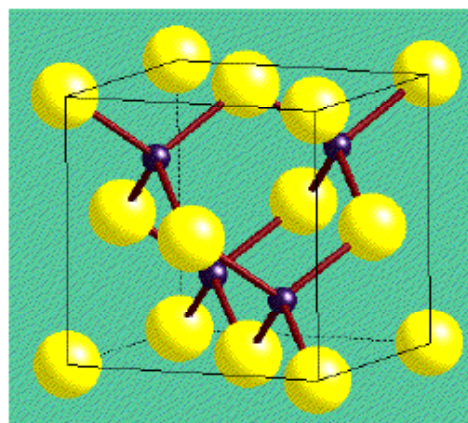


unit cell

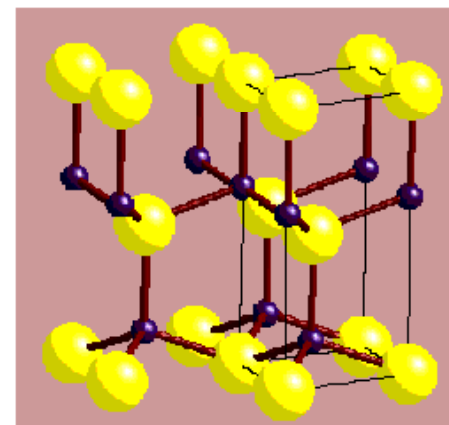
Zinc sulphide structures



CaF₂ (Fluorite)



Sphalerite



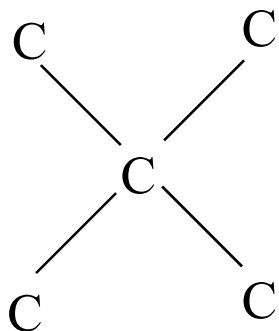
Wurtzite

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Diamond

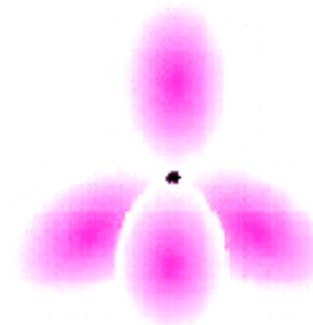
As Sphalerite ZnS



C.C.P. of 'C'

All tetrahedral sites are occupied by 'C'

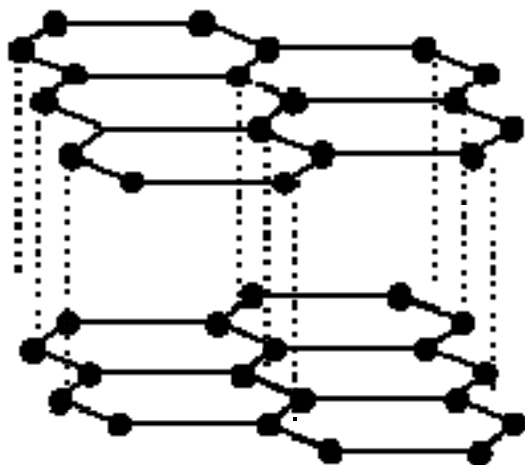
C – sp^3 hybridized



sp^3 hybrid orbitals
tetrahedral

Graphite

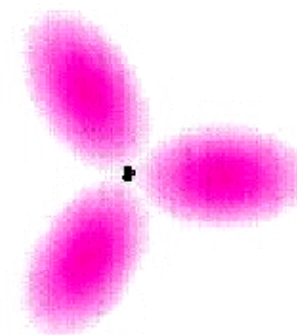
Layered Solid



C – sp^2 hybridized

Weak interaction

(Vander Waals)

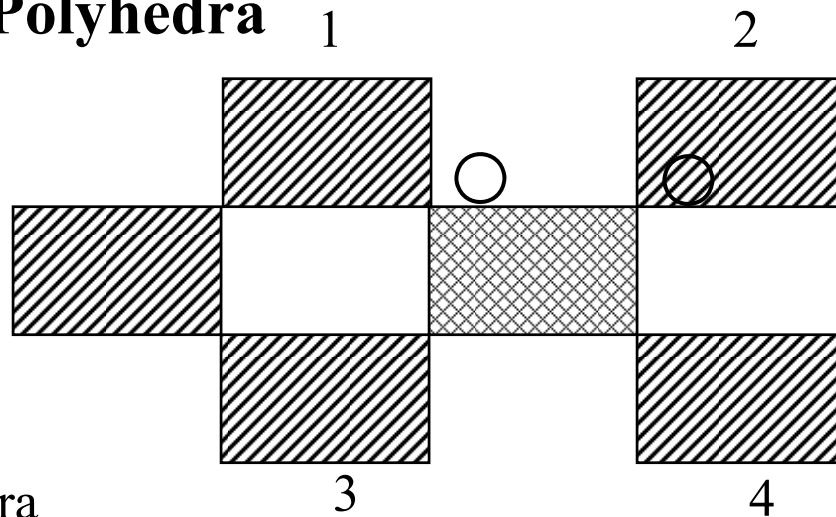
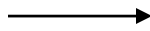
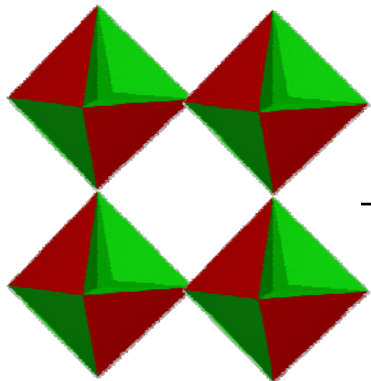


sp^2 hybrid orbitals
triangular planar

Molecular Solids

Benzene (L.T.)

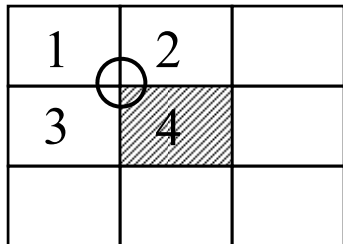
Connectivity of Polyhedra



Corner connected octahedra
 Each octahedra ---- 6 other octahedra

Each atoms (X) shared by 2 octahedras

$$6 X \text{ (in one octahedra)} \rightarrow X_3$$

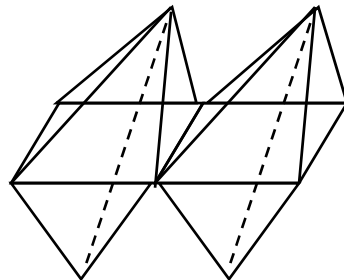


Each atom sharing -- 6 octahedra

6 atoms (in one octahedra) ---- X : Not possible

Edge- shared octahedra

Layers of edge-shared octahedra



4 atoms share 4 octahedra

---Plane

2 atoms unshared (2X)

$$\rightarrow X_3$$

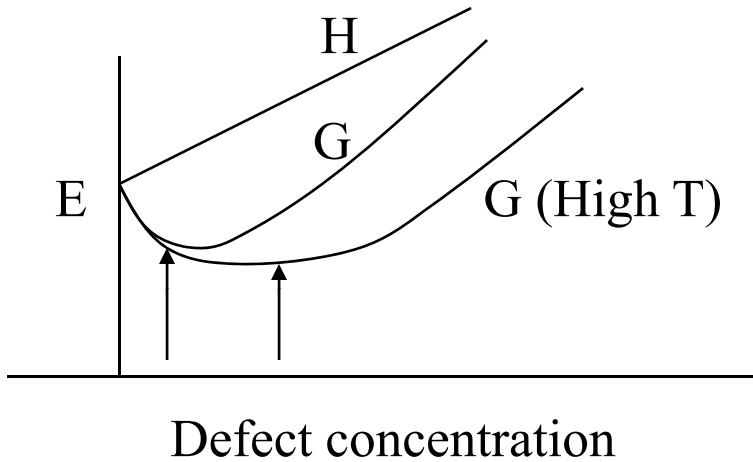
Defects in Solids

INTRINSIC

EXTRINSIC (impurities)

Point defects

Extended defects (ordered defects)

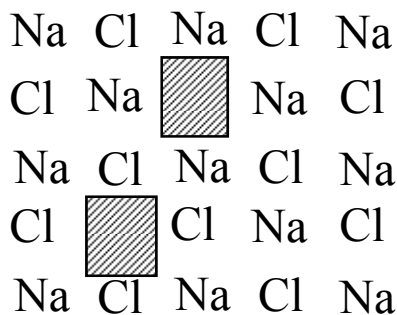


$$G = H - TS$$

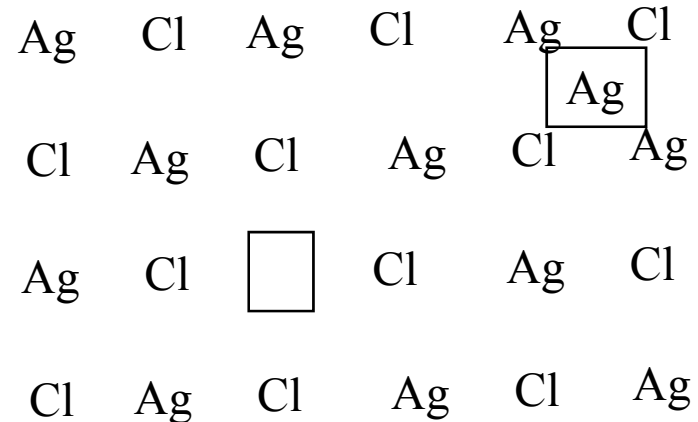
Entropy increases (with defects)

Minimum shifts to higher defect

Concentration (increase in T)



Schottky defect
(Point defect)



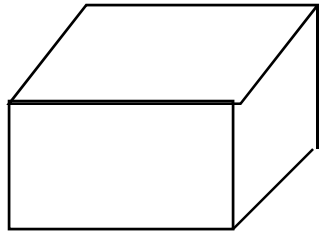
FRENKEL Defect
(Interstitial & occupied)

Overall stoichiometry unaffected – equal Nos.
of + & - defects

~ 1 defect/10¹⁴ formula unit in NaCl (130°C)

Estimation of defects

--- Density measurements



$\rho = 4.92 \text{ g/cc}$ (experimental density)

$a = 4.18 \text{ \AA}$

Mass = 63.88

$Z = 4$

Mass per unit cell = 63.88×4

$\rho = M/V = 5.81 \text{ g/cm}^{-3}$

Which is greater than measured ρ

Vacancies present

— Conductivity measurements

Extrinsic Point defects

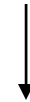
As in Si



Increase in e^-
(n-type semiconductor)

Ca in ZrO_2

Y in ZrO_2



O^{2-} ion vacancies

Ca-stabilised ZrO_2

Y-stabilised ZrO_2

(Solid electrolyte Oxygen ion)

Ca^{2+}

Y^{3+}

Zr^{4+}

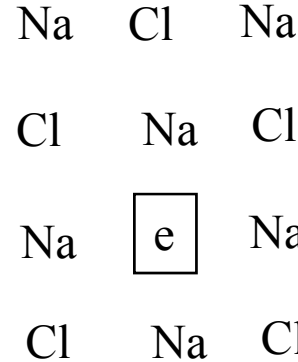
Colour Centre (F-center)

(Extrinsic point defect)

Alkali halide $\xrightarrow{\text{Heated in vapor of alkali metal}}$

Farbenzenter

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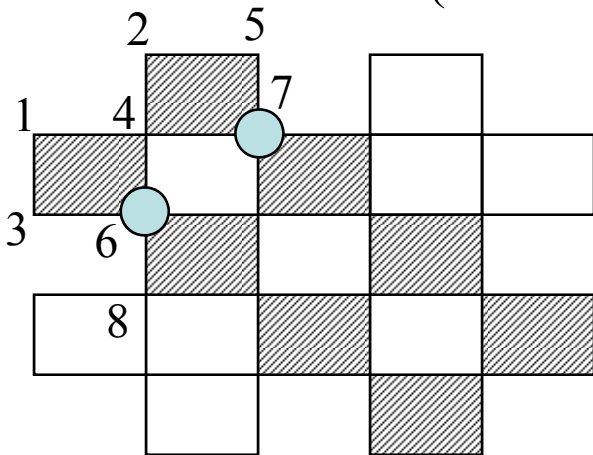


A e⁻ in halide ion vacancy

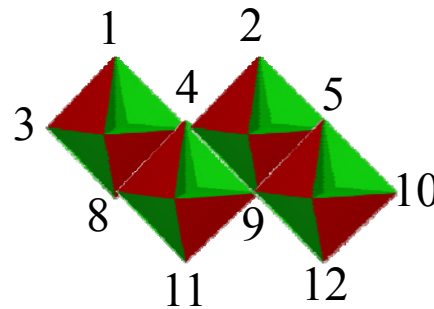
Excitation of e⁻ → e⁻ in a box → quantized energy levels → Colour

Extended defects

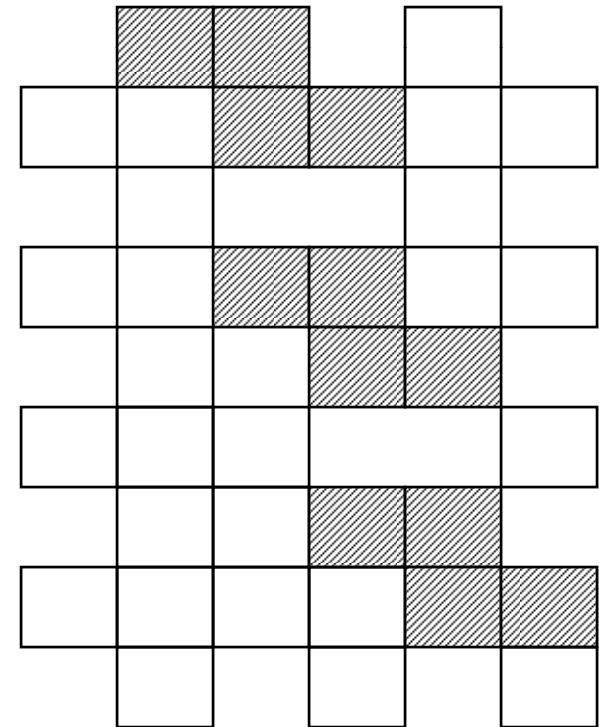
Clustering of defects → Line defect
(Point defect)



Corner-shared octahedra



Edge-shared octahedra

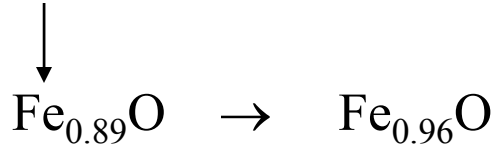


Crystallographic shear plane

Non-stoichiometry

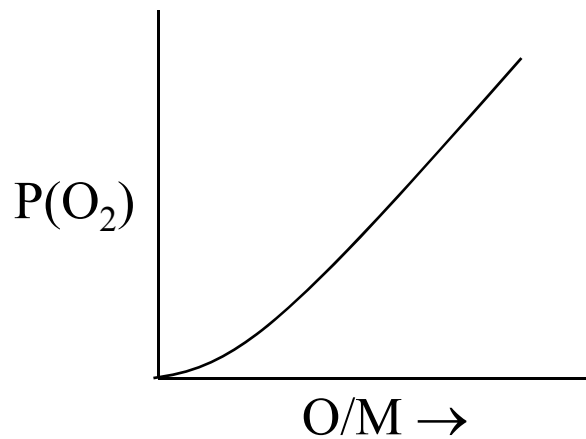
--- Variable composition

Wuestite — FeO (nominal composition)



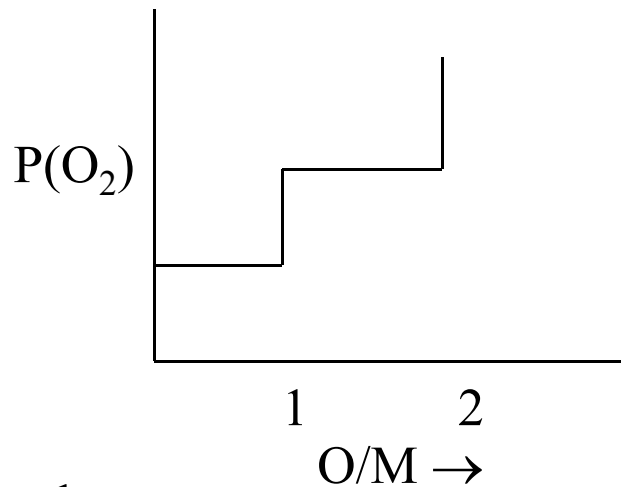
Rock-salt (NaCl structure)

TiH _x	(1 ≤ x ≤ 2)
ZrH _x	(1.5 < x ≤ 1.6)
TiO _x	(0.7 ≤ x < 1.25)
VO _x	(0.9 ≤ x ≤ 1.2)



Non-stoichiometric compound

$$\begin{aligned} F &= C - P + 1 \\ &= 2 - 2 + 1 = 1 \end{aligned}$$



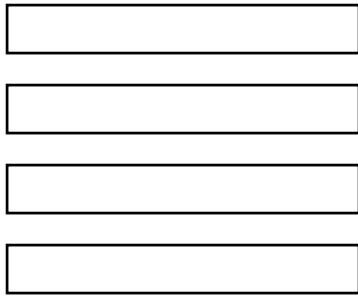
MO and MO₂

$$\begin{aligned} F &= C - P + 1 \\ &= 2 - 3 + 1 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

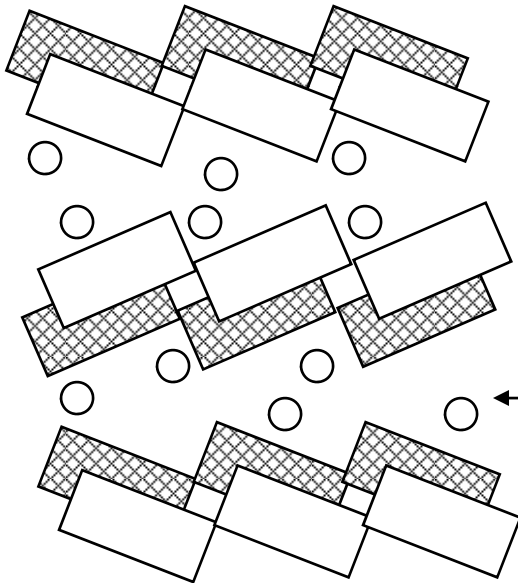
F (No. of degrees of freedom)

LAYERED SOLIDS

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← Strongly bonded layers
(weak interaction between layers)



LiTiNbO_5
(TiO_6 & NbO_6 octahedra forming layers)

← Li ions

Graphite, FeOCl ,
 TaS_2

Uncharged layers

LaCoO_2
Clays: montmorillonite
 LiNbTiO_5

Negatively charged
layers -- cations

**Ion-Exchange
Intercalation**

Hydrotalcites

Positively charged
layers -- anions

INTERCALATION REACTIONS

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—Reactions of Solids — General molecule or ion — inserted into a Solid lattice

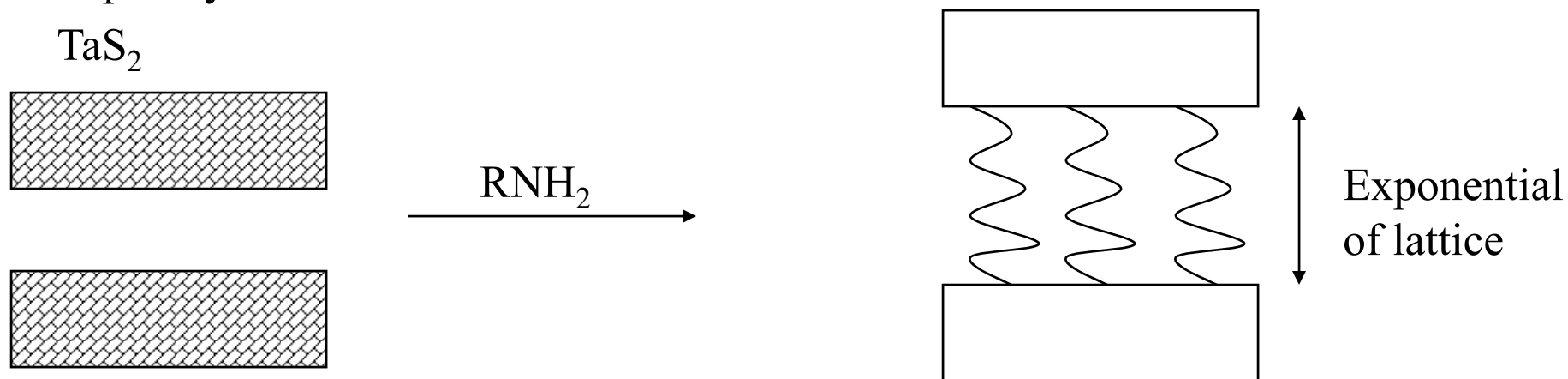
(No major change in structure of solid)

1. Strong Covalent network of atoms
— remains unchanged
2. Vacant sites — interconnected
→ Diffusion of Guest species

Layered structures:

Natural — Van der Waals interaction between layers — interlayer space
— empty lattice sites

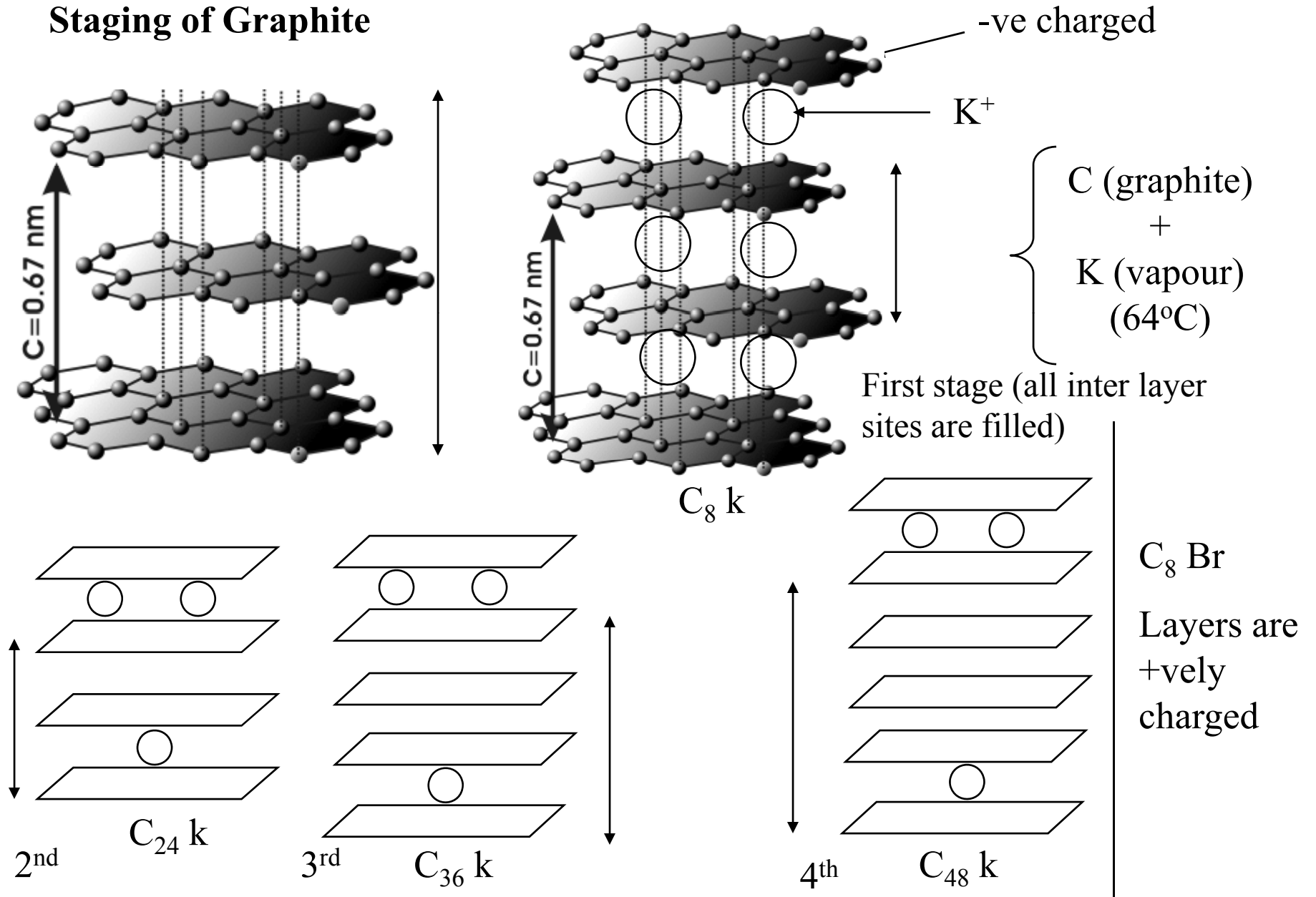
Charged compounds — weak electrostatic force — interlayer sites — partially or completely filled with



INTERCALATION of 'K' in Graphite

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Staging of Graphite



ZEOLITES

Natural Zeolite

↓ evolve water
(heated)

ZEO to boil
Lith Stone

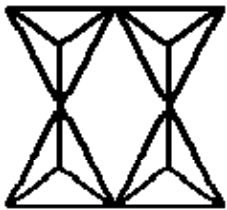


Framework Structures
(mainly Aluminosilicates)

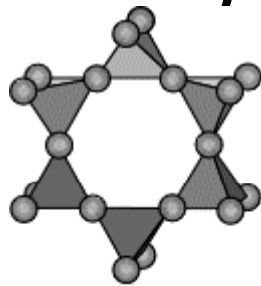
Cavities
Channels

↑ for charge balance

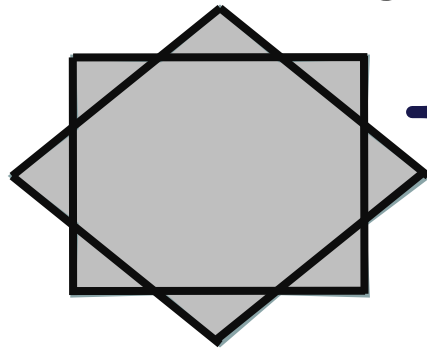
Tetrahedra of Al, Si, B, P / Be, Ga, Ge



4 -



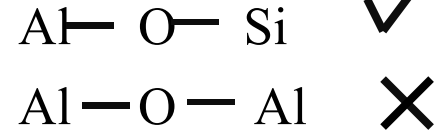
6 -

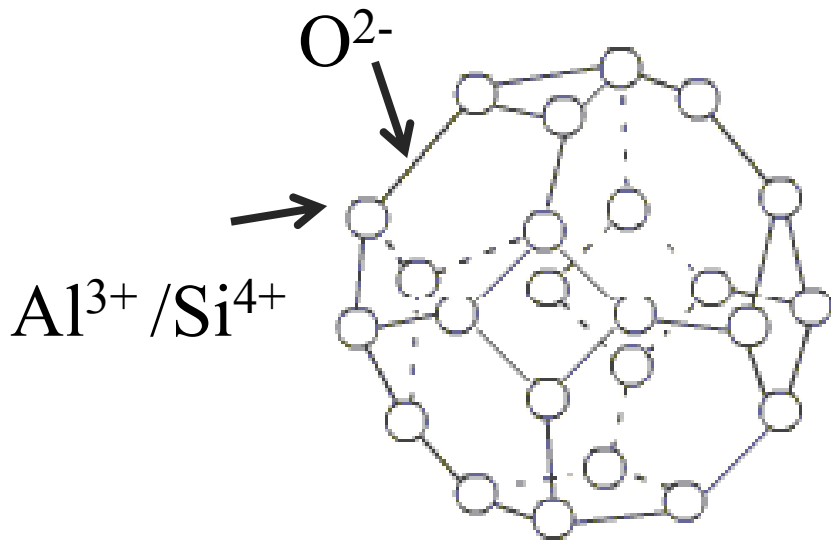


8 - membered ring (tetrahedra)

Linked together

Lowenstein's Rule

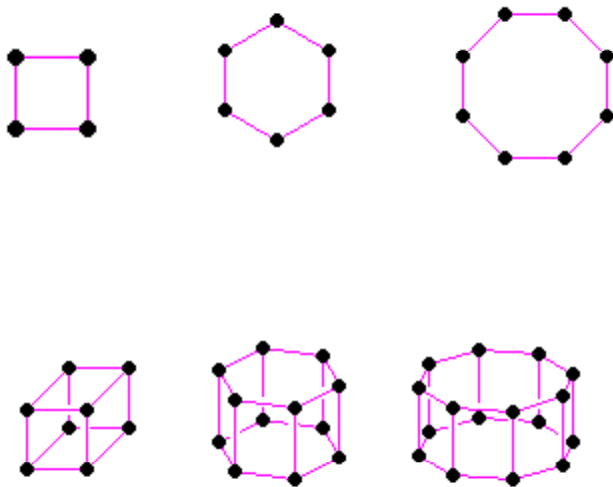




Sodalite cage (β – cage)

**6 - & 4 – membered
rings**

Building Blocks for other Zeolites



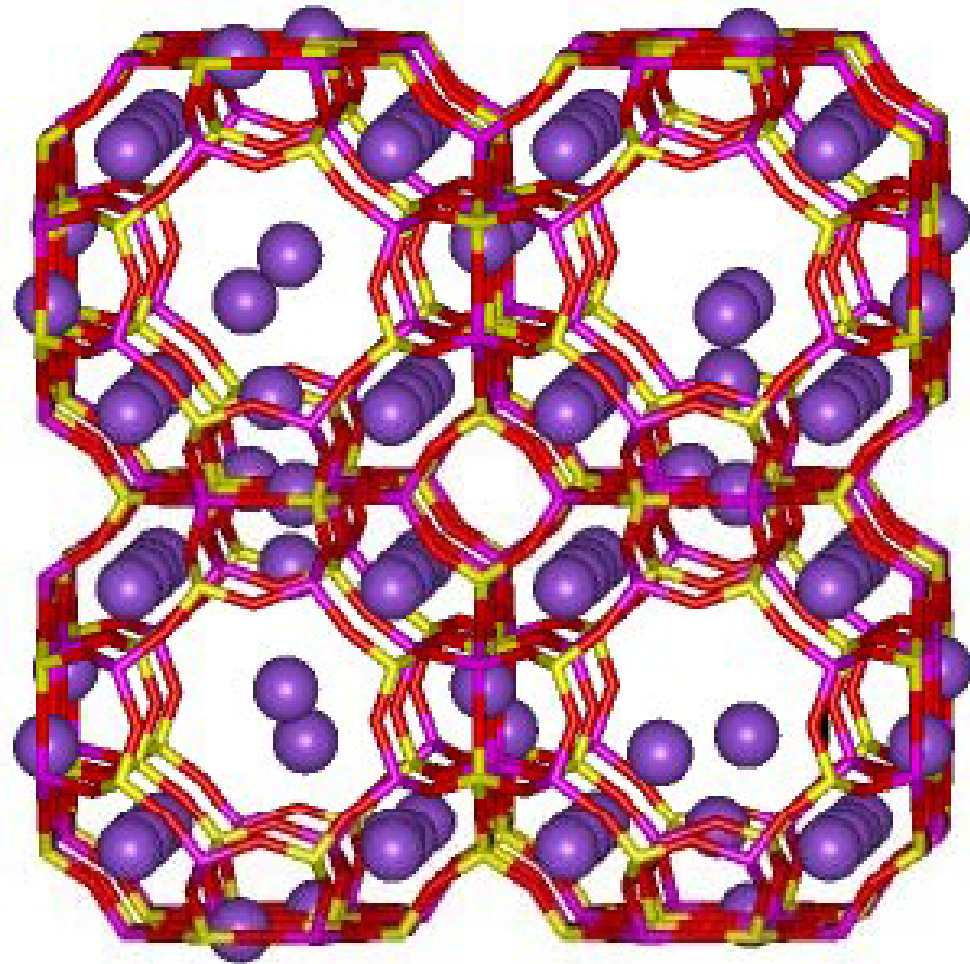
**Joining 4, 6 or 8 -
membered rings to other
rings**

Zeolite A

Sodalite cages

Linked by 4 – membered rings

Faujasite – Six membered linker



Properties of Zeolites :

1. Absorption of small molecules (size and shape selective) .

Zeolite A – water/ **not** ethanol.

More Al^{+3} / Si^{+4} ratio \longrightarrow More cation

Zeolite A (1:1) - Better absorption of hydrophiles

Hydrophobic Zeolite (high Si^{+4} content) –

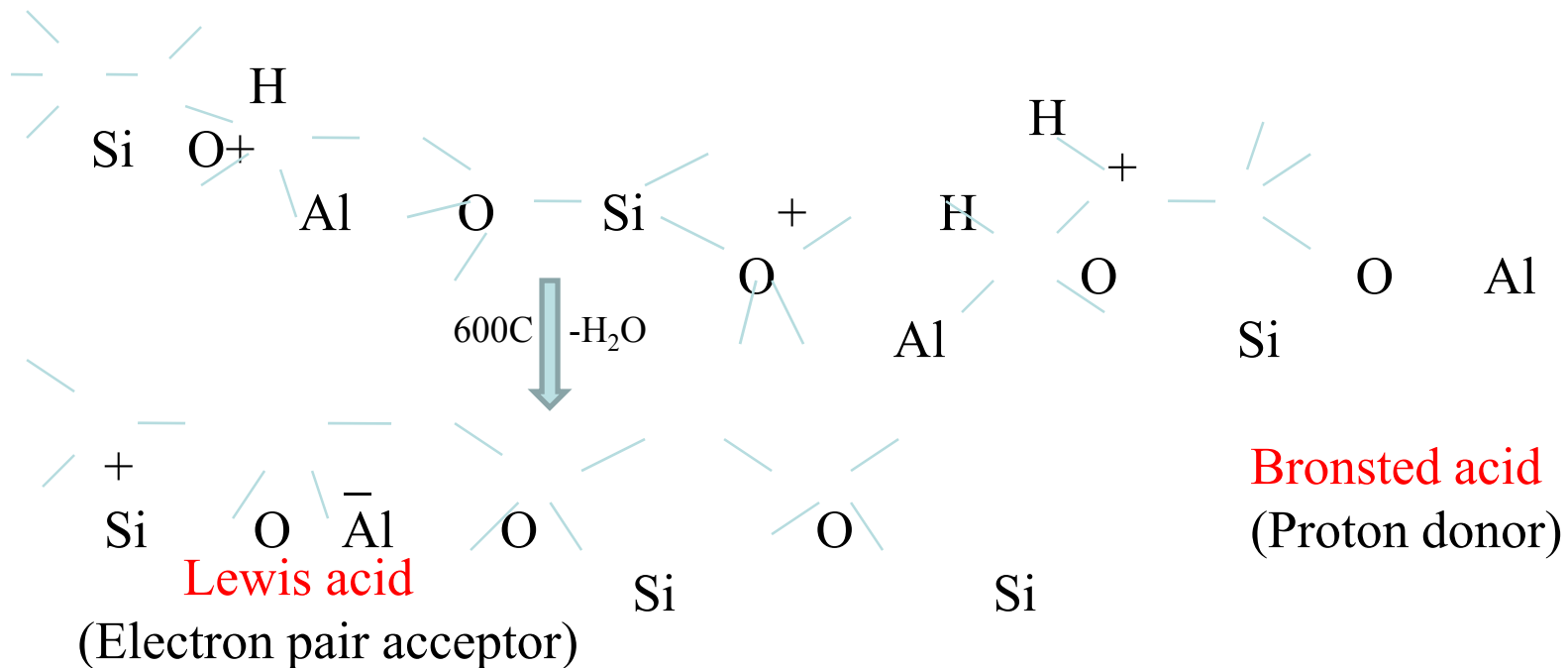
Absorbs non-polar, benzene etc.

2. Ion – Exchange (Wide application)



(Removes hardness of water
Water softening
Radioactive Sr^{+2} / Cs^+ removal)

3. Catalysis : H – Zeolites (Acidic derivatives)



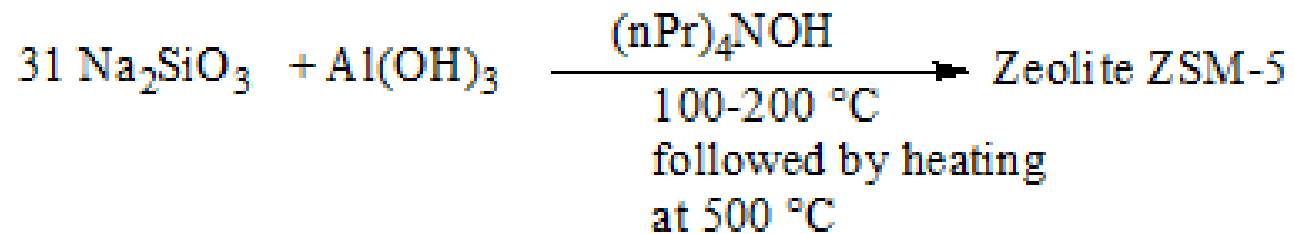
❖ Rearrangements / Dehydration
(Isomerization)

❖ Shape selective catalysis
Example . $\text{CH}_3\text{-C}_6\text{H}_5\text{-CH}_3$

The zeolite, ZSM -5 has the molecular formula, $\text{Na}_3\text{Al}_3\text{Si}_{93}\text{O}_{192}$.



synthesis is carried out in the presence of $[(n\text{-Propyl})_4\text{N}]\text{OH}$ as template

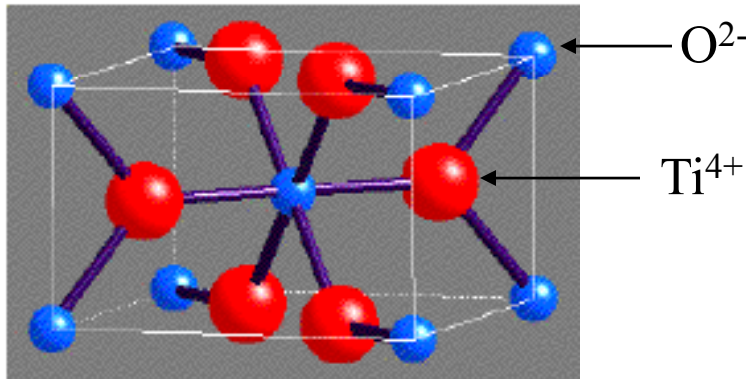


TRANSITION METAL OXIDES

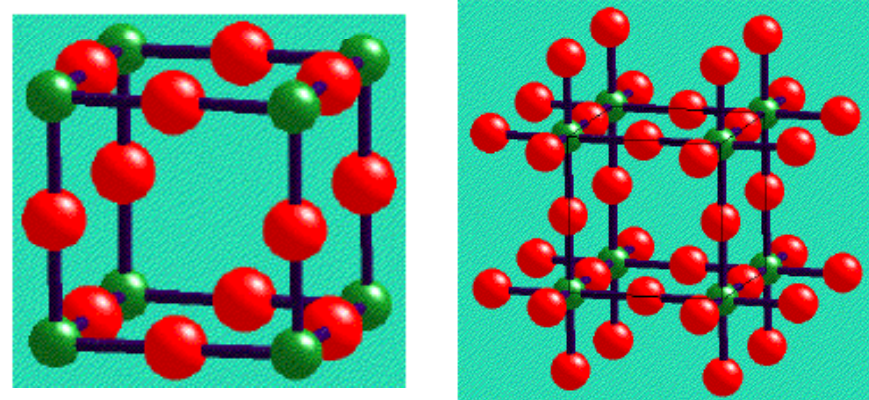
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Rock Salt Structure (NaCl-type)

TiO NiO (First row transition metal oxides)



ReO_3



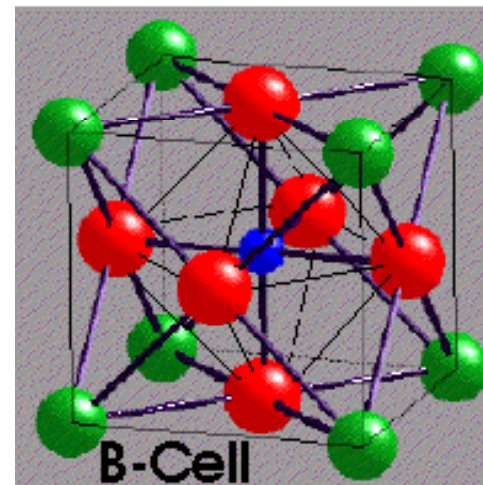
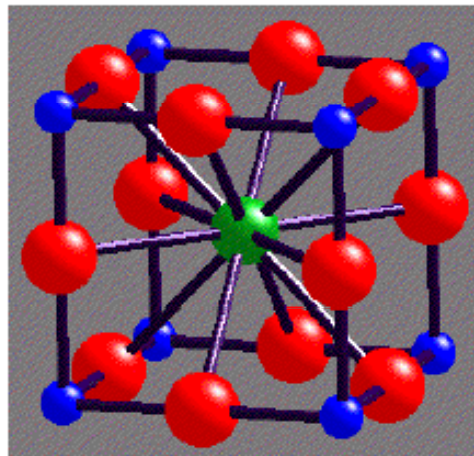
ReO_6 octahedra; corner connected

Perovskite Structure

(ABO_3)

A – 12 coordinated
B – 6 coordinated

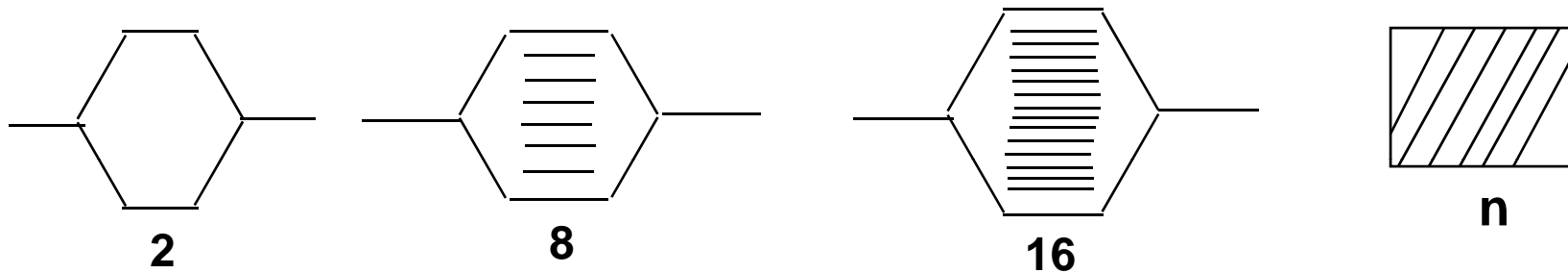
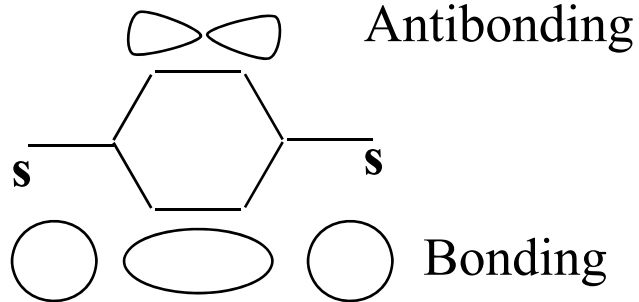
$BaTiO_3$
 $CaTiO_3$
 $LaMnO_3$



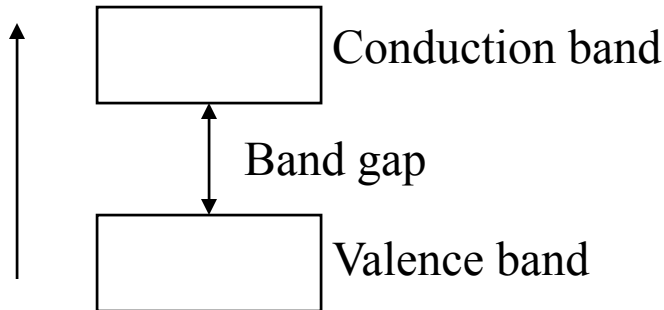
BO_6 octahedra;
(T. metal ion - B)

From Bonds (Molecules) to Bands (Solids)

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Formation of 'n' molecular orbitals from n atomic orbitals



material	Band gap (eV)
C (diamond)	6
NaCl	9
Si	1
Ge	0.7
GaAs	1.4

Insulators
(High band gap)

Semi-conductors
(Metals partially filled bands)

300K

Copper : $10^7 \text{ Ohm}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$

Doped silicon (n or p) : $10^2 \text{ Ohm}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$

Silicon : $10^{-7} \text{ Ohm}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$

Diamond : $10^{-9} \text{ Ohm}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$

Nylon : $10^{-9} \text{ Ohm}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$

Mica : $10^{-11} \text{ Ohm}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$

PVC : $10^{-13} \text{ Ohm}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$

Metal

Resistivity

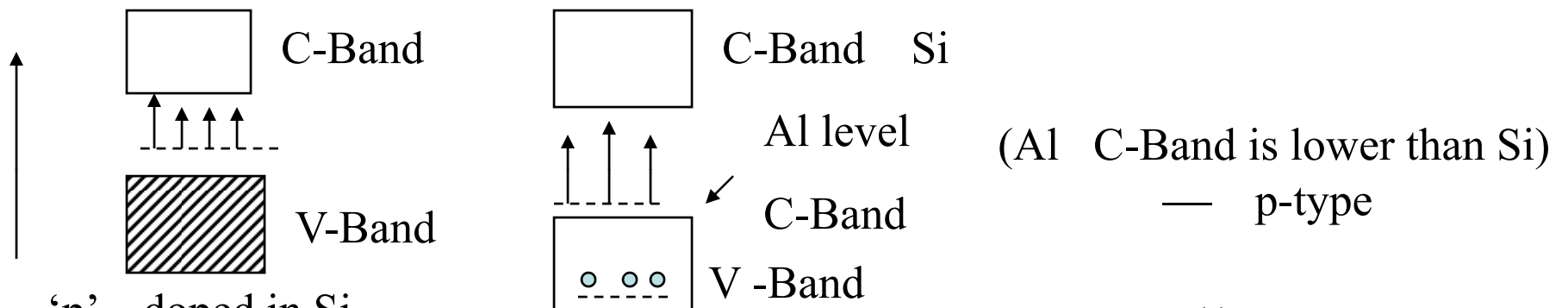
Insulator



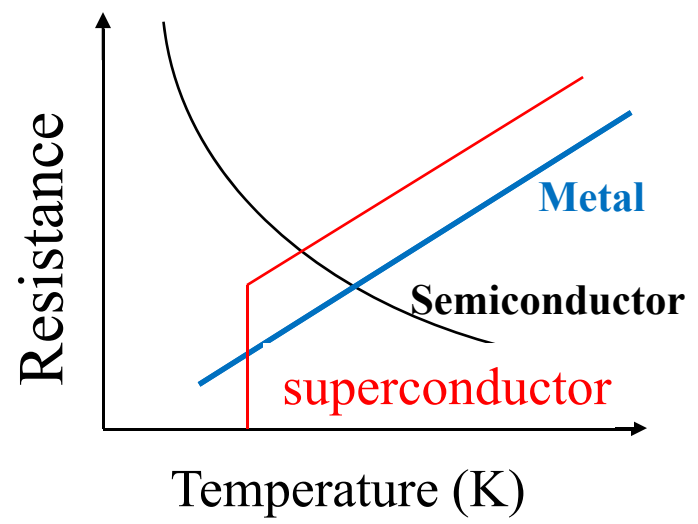
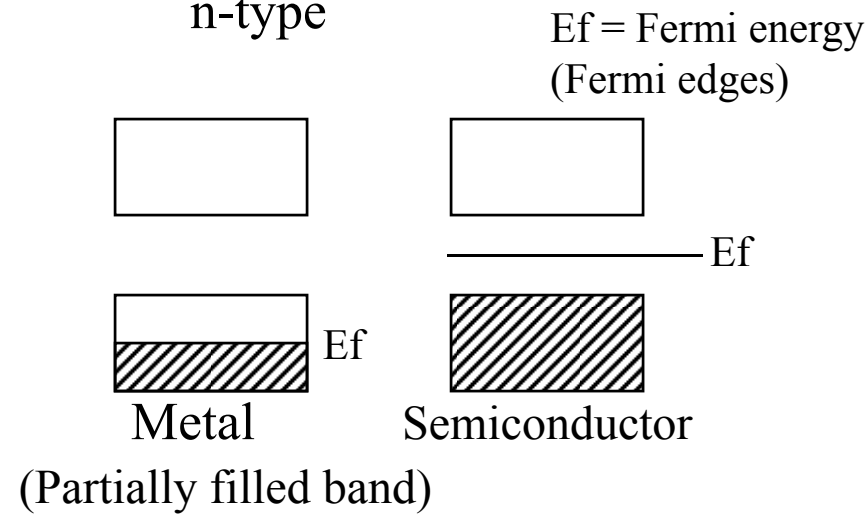
Metals/ Semiconductors/ Insulators

- Ability to conduct electricity → Flow of electrons (holes)
- Band gap low (intrinsic semiconductor)

Doping → 'P' in Si (n- type)
 'Al' in Si (p- type) | Extrinsic semiconductor

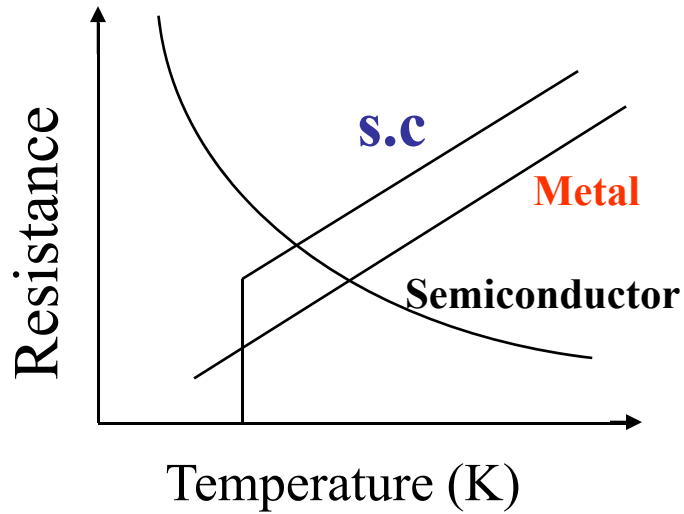


$$R = \rho l/A$$



SUPERCONDUCTIVITY

Kammerlingh Onnes 1911 (Nobel 1)

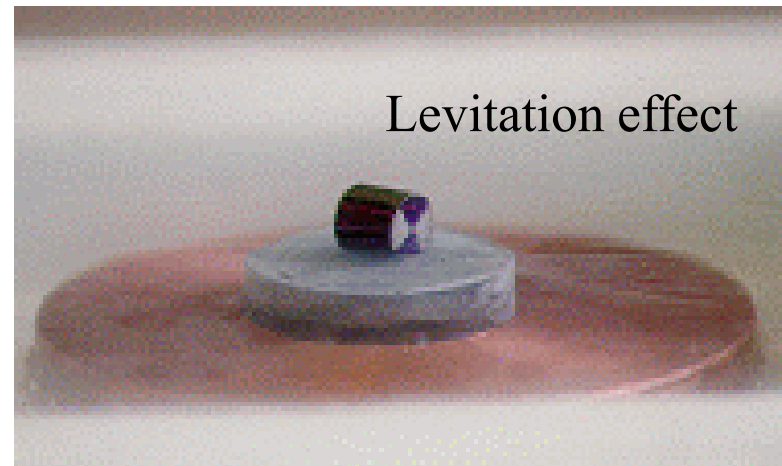
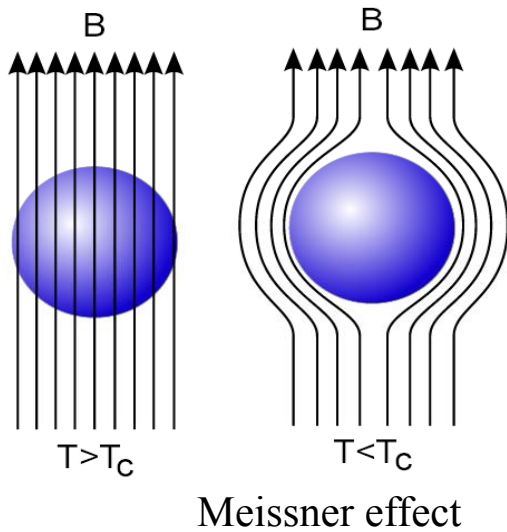


Ideal Superconductors

Zero Electrical Resistance (Perfect Conductor)
Zero Magnetic Induction (Perfect Diamagnet)

Macroscopic quantum phenomena

Superconductivity **electrical resistance**
Superfluidity **viscosity**



100 years of superconductivity

APPLICATIONS OF SUPERCONDUCTORS

1. Medical Industry

MRI Exploits the high magnetic fields expelled by superconducting wires for medical applications



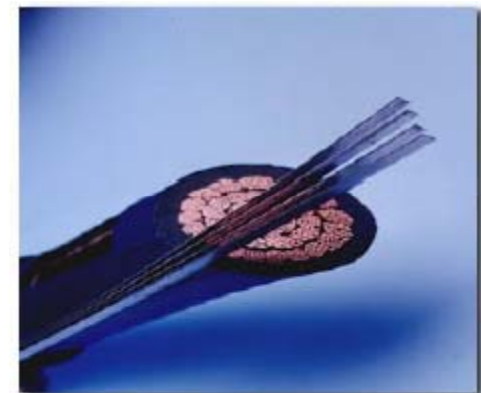
2. Transportation Industry



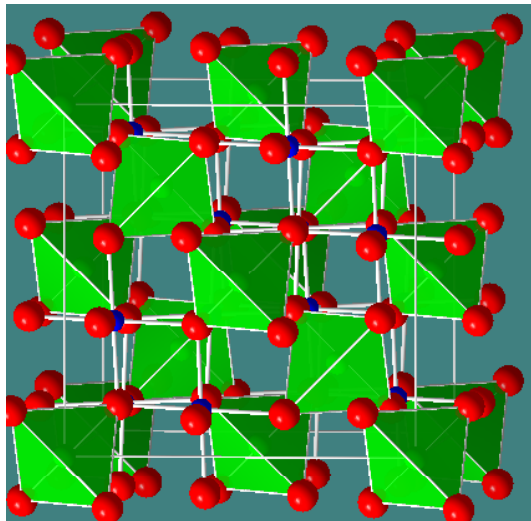
Superconductor coils create strong magnetic fields that produce the effect of levitation 500 miles per hour / small consumption of energy

3. Electric Power Industry

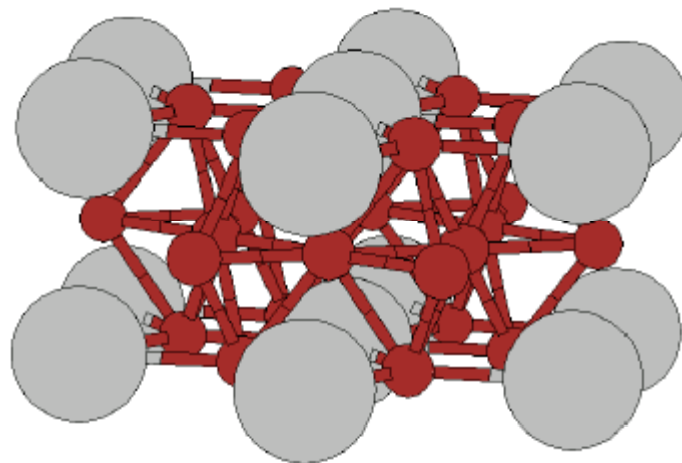
HTS power cables can carry two to ten times more power in equally or smaller sized cables



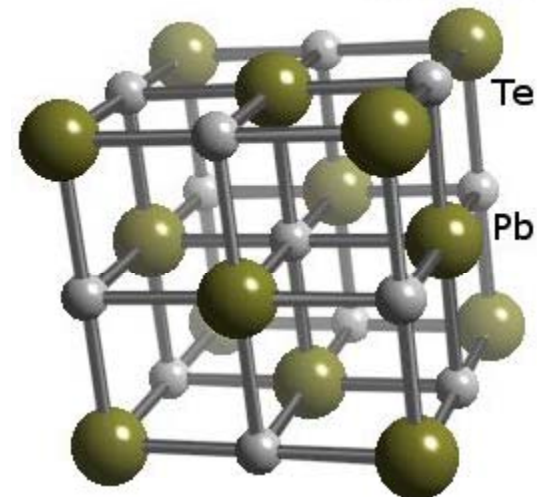
Applications of Inorganic Solids



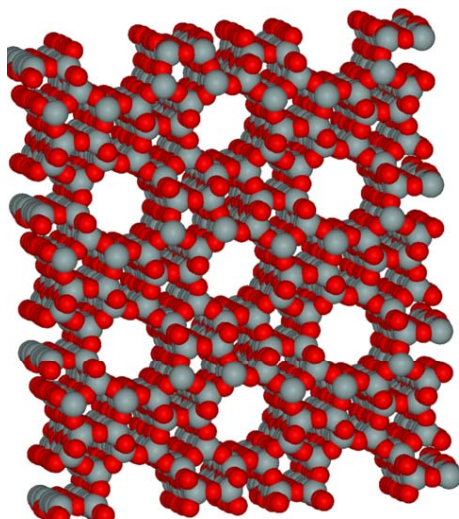
LiMn_2O_4 Spinel
Battery material



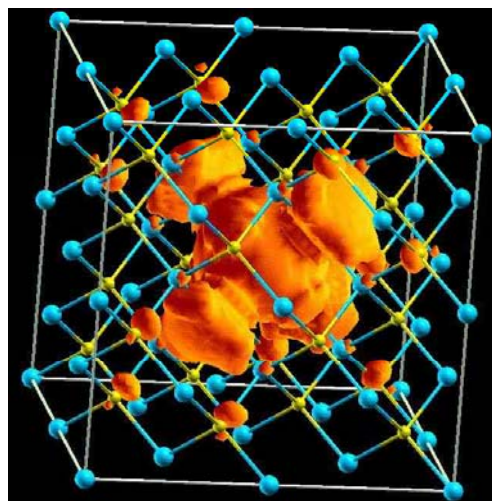
LaNi_5
Hydrogen storage material



PbTe
Thermoelectric



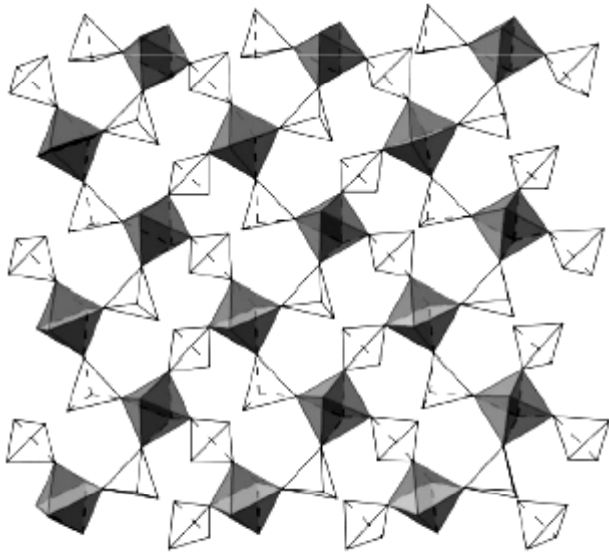
Zeolite
Catalysts
Mol. sieves



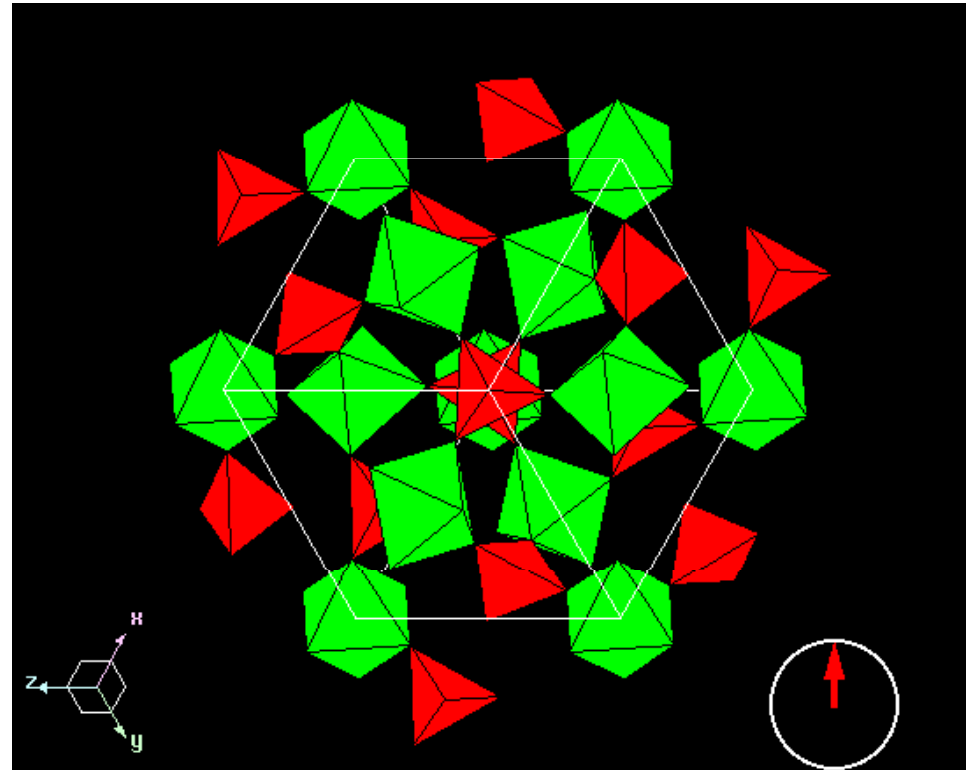
Cu_{1-x}S (spintronics)

ZrW₂O₈ (0.3K to 1050K)

- Strong isotropic thermal expansion from 20 to 425K.
- NTE is based on the transverse thermal motion of oxygen in M-O-M linkages.
- Some polyhedra corners are linkage free



Network of corner-sharing ZrO_{6/2} octahedra and WO_{4/2} tetrahedra.



A. W. Sleight et al. J Solid State Chem, (2003)

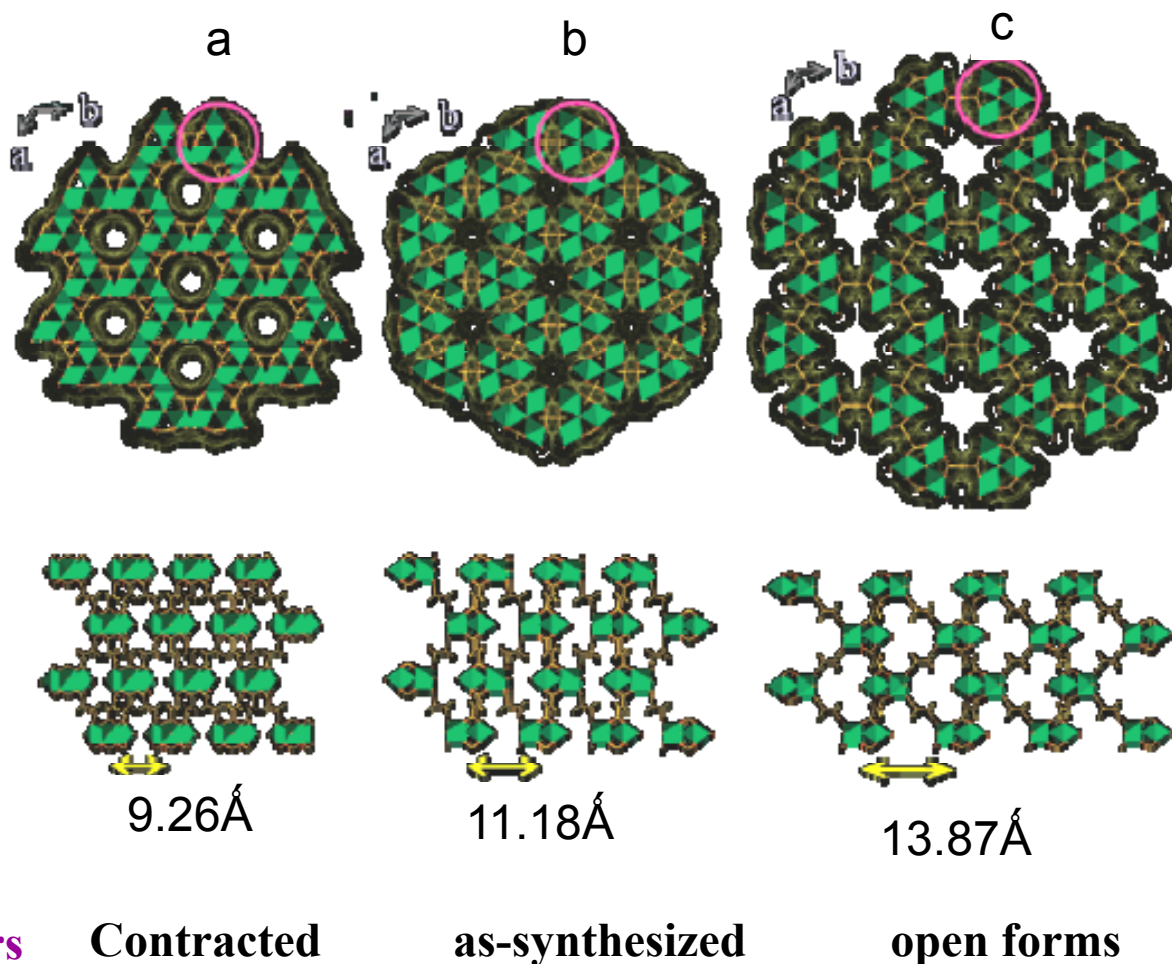
Can Solid Breathe???

Nanoporous iron(III) carboxylate (MIL-88)

Exhibits almost a reversible doubling (85%) of its cell volume while fully retaining its open-framework topology.

Atomic displacements larger than 4 Å are observed when water or various alcohols are adsorbed in the porous structure.

Displacive transition occurs during the swelling phenomenon (X-ray thermodiffraction).



G. Ferey et al. JACS (2005)