Materials Data and Informatics





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Materials Are Complicated Hierarchical Systems

- Advanced materials often consist of several components (generally, n > 5) and multiple phases.
- The material **properties are dependent on the microstructure.**
- The microstructures changes as a function of processing and service conditions.



Material A at Temp 1





Material A at Temp. 2

Key to material design:

- What phases are present
- Composition and morphology of the phases present



CALPHAD Approach

- > Collected experimental and computational data are used to fit functions.
- > Functions are used to calculate phase equilibria, including phase diagrams.



Informatics Challenges Associated with CALPHAD data

Need to classify and differentiate data

- Need to determine which data to evaluate
- Example: Cr Self-Diffusion Data
 - Separate single crystal from poly crystal data.
 - Only use single crystal data to determine reference values.
- Other examples of sorts include material purity, measurement technique, etc.,



Does experiment = calculation?

Diffusion example: Does the simulation include all the phases in experiment?



If γ' and MC carbide not included, cannot predict the position of the $\gamma + \gamma'/\gamma$ +MC interface correctly





IN100/René-88 at 1150 °C for 1000 h

- Do the boundary conditions match the experimental geometry?
- Are the heating and cooling rates used in the experiment included in the calculation?

Examples of CALPHAD Data Types

For each assessment: Evaluated data file (e.g., POP, DOP) Functional descriptions for phase quantity (e.g., TDB)

- Emphasis on binary and ternary data to predict multicomponent properties
- Data can be experimental or computational.



Data Flow of CALPHAD "Database" Files



Data Dependencies



Different Data Users: Diffusion Data



File Repository/DSpace

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Data Repositories

Different communities have different needs

• Evaluated data

are needed by most data users as input computational and simulation tools

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Original measured data

are needed to develop analytical functions

- Ideally one would have a number of sources with original measured data
- These data are in general not available in published papers or at best in graphical form
 - Digitization from graphs creates additional errors!
- Repositories provide the space to accurately store these data for future use



Data Curation



Data Collection: Tracer Diffusivity Test Schema

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Prototype MGI Ontology



Broad concepts covered in materials data files (data have many types)

- Objects, Materials, and Events
- Physical Properties
- Documents
- Data Objects & Types
- People & Organizations
- Software
- Relations among these

Developed from literature supplied by domain experts and other community resources

Encoding CALPHAD Data





Questions for the Panel

- Prototype ontology
 - How do we evaluate it?
 - How do we best proceed with its development?
 - What tools are available to support community-based efforts?
 - What is the best way for us to encode our ontology?
- Graph databases
 - Any advice for using property graphs to represent ontologies?

- Software development and ontology
 - How do we best integrate ontology with UML?
 - What is the relationship between ontology and UML domain models?
- Community Experience
 - Are there examples of similar ontology-based systems for us to compare?