

# **EMA 6107: High Temperature Alloys**

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## **Abstract**

Physical and mechanical metallurgy of high temperature materials will be discussed. Topics include principles of strengthening alloys for high temperature service, alloy and process selection, alloy development and design principles for elevated temperature applications. Material classes covered include Ni-base, Co-base and Fe-Ni-base superalloys, refractory metals, titanium alloys, intermetallic compounds, ceramics and composites. Applications discussed include propulsion and power generation gas turbines, rocket engines, chemical processing and nuclear power generation.

## **Subjects to be covered:**

- 1.) Introduction
  - Applications
  - Requirements
  - Current Materials
- 2.) Design of Alloys for High Temperature Service
  - Strengthening Mechanisms
  - Creep and Stress Rupture
  - Fatigue and Thermal Fatigue
  - Environmental Effects
- 3.) Design of Superalloys
  - Physical Metallurgy of Ni-Base Alloys
  - Physical Metallurgy of Fe-Ni-Base Alloys
  - Physical Metallurgy of Co-Base Alloys
- 4.) Processing
  - Ingot Metallurgy
  - Powder Metallurgy
  - Wrought Processing
  - Developmental Techniques
- 5.) Environmental Degradation
  - Oxidation
  - Hot Corrosion
  - Coatings
- 6.) Alternative Materials
  - Intermetallics
  - Refractory Metals

- Composites
- Ceramics
- 7.) Materials and Process Selection
- 8.) Use of computational materials science
- 9.) Repair and refurbishment
- 10.) Pirates, the PMA process and gas turbine economics
- 11.) Field Trip to Chromalloy-Castings, Tampa (?)

## **General References**

### **Superalloys:**

“Heat Resistant Materials”, Ed., J.R. Davis, ASM International, Materials Park, OH, 1997.

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“Advances in High Temperature Materials and Protective Coatings”. A.K. Koul, et al, Eds., Nat. Res. Council of Canada, Ottawa, 1994.

“Advanced Materials and Coatings for Combustion Turbines, V.P. Swaminathan and N.S. Cheruvu, ASM, Metals Park, OH, 1994.

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“Superalloys – Source Book”, M.J. Donachie, Jr., Ed., ASM, Metals Park, OH, 1984 (2<sup>nd</sup> edition published in 2002).

“Source Book on Materials for Elevated Temperature Applications”, E.F. Bradley, Ed., ASM, Metals Park, OH, 1979.

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“The Microstructure of Superalloys”, M.Durand-Charre, Gordon and Breach Science Publishers, Amsterdam, 1997.

“Precipitation Hardening”, J.W. Martin, Butterworth Heinemann, Boston, MA, 1998.

“Powder Metallurgy of Superalloys”, G.H. Gessinger, Butterworth & Co. Publishers, London, 1984.

### **Intermetallic Compounds:**

“High Temperature Ordered Intermetallic Alloys”, Proc. MRS Symposia, 1985 (V. 39), 1987 (V. 81), 1989 (V. 133), 1991 (V. 213), 1993 (V. 288), 1995 (V. 364), 1997 (V. 460).

“Structural Intermetallics”, Proc. TMS ISSI Symposia, 1993 and 1997.

### **Composites:**

“Composite Materials”, K.K. Chawla, Springer-Verlag, NY, 1987.

### **Grading:**

Without Optional Final:

Approximately weekly homework: 25%

3 Mid-term exams (25% each): 75%

With Optional Final:

Approximately weekly homework: 20%

3 Mid-term exams (20% each): 60%

Optional Final exam: 20%

Homework given approximately bi-weekly, due within 1 week of assignment. Late homework accepted until solutions handed-out, but penalized 10% per day after due date. Once solutions are handed-out, late homework will not be given any credit. All work must be shown for full/partial credit.

Exams: 3 mid-terms (1 page of notes) **TENTATIVELY** schedule:

- 1.) Wednesday, September 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 2.) Wednesday, November 4<sup>th</sup>.
- 3.) Wednesday, December 9<sup>th</sup>.

Will provide at least 1 week "warning" before each exam.

Optional final exam: (Friday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, 7:30am-9:30am).

All work must be shown for full/partial credit.

Questions require thought/common-sense.

No extra credit work accepted.

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**Grading Scale: 93-100 A, 90-92 A-, 87-89 B+, 83-87 B, 80-82 B-, 77-79 C+, 73-77 C, 70-72 C-, 67-69 D+, 63-67 D, 60-62 D-, < 60 E**

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