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 $\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{R} = 2\pi (k_1 n_1 + k_2 n_2 + k_3 n_3)$

$$[\mathbf{b_1}\mathbf{b_2}\mathbf{b_3}]^T = 2\pi [\mathbf{a_1}\mathbf{a_2}\mathbf{a_3}]^{-1}.$$



$$\vec{R} = n_1 \vec{a}_1 + n_2 \vec{a}_2 + n_3 \vec{a}_3$$

Primitive cell Wigner-Seitz cell (WS) $\mathbf{K} = k_1 \mathbf{b_1} + k_2 \mathbf{b_2} + k_3 \mathbf{b_3}$

Primitive cell

First Brillouin zone

The Wigner-Seitz primitive cell of the reciprocal lattice is known as the first Brillouin zone. (Wigner-Seitz is real space concept while Brillouin zone is a reciprocal space idea).



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Powder cell

Polymorphic Forms of Carbon

Graphite

 a soft, black, flaky solid, with a layered structure – parallel hexagonal arrays of carbon atoms





- weak van der Waal's forces between layers
- planes slide easily over one another



Miller indices



- Miller indices used to express lattice <u>planes</u> and <u>directions</u>
- x, y, z are the axes (on arbitrarily positioned origin)
- a, b, c are lattice parameters (length of unit cell along a side)
- h, k, l are the Miller indices for planes and directions expressed as planes: (hkl) and directions: [hkl]

 $\vec{R} = n_1 \vec{a}_1 + n_2 \vec{a}_2 + n_3 \vec{a}_3$



Simple cubic

Miller Indices

Rules for determining Miller Indices:

 Determine the intercepts of the face along the crystallographic axes, *in terms of unit cell dimensions*.
 Take the reciprocals
 Clear fractions
 Reduce to lowest terms









| | a | b | 0 |
|------------------|---------------|------|---|
| ntercept length | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| eciptocal | $\frac{1}{1}$ | 1 | 1 |
| eleared fraction | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Villet indice | | (111 |) |



| 10 | |
|----|--|
| x | |
| ~ | |





Negative values are expressed
with a bar over the number *Example: -2 is expressed 2*

| Index | Members in family for cubic lattice | |
|-------|---|--|
| <100> | [100],[100],[010],[010],[001],[001]] | |
| <110> | [110],[110],[110],[110],[101],[101],[101],[101],[101],[011],[| |
| <111> | | |





• Equivalence of directions



The orientation of planes is best represented by a vector normal to the plane. The direction of a set of planes is indicated by a vector denoted by square brackets containing the Miller indices of the set of planes. Miller indices are also used to describe crystal faces.



- [hkl] represents a direction
- <hkl> represents a family of directions
- (hkl) represents a plane
- {hkl} represents a family of planes **THE**















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Speed of sound along directions

- Slip (deformation in metals) depends on linear and planar density
- Slip occurs on planes that have the greatest density of atoms in direction with highest density (*we would say along closest packed directions on the closest packed planes*)

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{\text{elastic property}}{\text{inertial property}}} = \sqrt{\frac{B}{\rho}}$$
 where $\frac{B = \text{bulk modulus}}{\rho = \text{density}}$

Linear and Planar density

Linear Density

 Number of atoms per length whose centers lie on the direction vector for a specific crystallographic direction.

 $LD = \frac{\# \text{ of atoms centered on a direction vector}}{\text{length of direction vector}}$

Planar Density

- Number of atoms per unit area that are centered on a particular crystallographic plane.

 $PD = \frac{\# \text{ of atoms centered on a plane}}{\text{area of plane}}$

Where does a protein crystallographer see the Miller indices?

□ Common crystal faces are parallel to lattice planes



Figure 3.7. A crystal showing several faces.

• Each diffraction spot can be regarded as a X-ray beam reflected from a lattice plane, and therefore has a unique Miller index.



Miller indices

A Miller index is a series of coprime integers that are inversely proportional to the intercepts of the crystal face or crystallographic planes with the edges of the unit cell.

It describes the orientation of a plane in the 3-D lattice with respect to the axes.

The general form of the Miller index is (h, k, l) where h, k, and l are integers related to the unit cell along the a, b, c crystal axes.

Irreducible brillouin zone



Reciprocal lattice

$$\vec{g} = h\vec{a}' + k\vec{b}' + l\vec{c}'$$

The Bravais lattice after Fourier transform

real spacereciprocal latticenormals to the planes(vectors)pointsspacing between planes1/distance between points
(actually, 2p/distance)l (distance, wavelength)2p/l=k (momentum, wave
number)Bravais cellWigner-Seitz cell

Brillouin zone



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