

# MATSCEN 5441 (Approved): Physical Metallurgy

## Course Description

Physical metallurgy of ferrous and non-ferrous alloys. Emphasis on alloy design, processing and structure-property relations.

**Prior Course Number:** MSE661 and MSE663

**Transcript Abbreviation:** Phys. Met.

**Grading Plan:** Letter Grade

**Course Deliveries:** Classroom

**Course Levels:** Undergrad, Graduate

**Student Ranks:** Junior, Senior, Masters, Doctoral, Professional

**Course Offerings:** Autumn

**Flex Scheduled Course:** Never

**Course Frequency:** Every Year

**Course Length:** 14 Week

**Credits:** 3.0

**Repeatable:** No

**Time Distribution:** 3.0 hr Lec

**Expected out-of-class hours per week:** 6.0

**Graded Component:** Lecture

**Credit by Examination:** No

**Admission Condition:** No

**Off Campus:** Never

**Campus Locations:** Columbus

**Prerequisites and Co-requisites:** MSE3141, MSE3261, or permission of instructor.

**Exclusions:**

**Cross-Listings:**

**The course is required for this unit's degrees, majors, and/or minors:** No

**The course is a GEC:** No

**The course is an elective (for this or other units) or is a service course for other units:** Yes

**Subject/CIP Code:** 14.3101

**Subsidy Level:** Baccalaureate Course

## Programs

Abbreviation	Description
MATSCEN	Materials Science and Engineering

## Course Goals

Understanding of principles of alloy design: Effect of alloying elements on phase stability and morphology, transformation kinetics, and alloy properties
Familiarity with major classes of ferrous and non-ferrous alloys
Understanding general principles and specific practices of thermo-mechanical processing of alloys
Understanding processing-structure-property relations in specific alloys

## Course Topics

Topic	Lec	Rec	Lab	Cli	IS	Sem	FE	Wor
Review of Liquid-Solid and Solid-Solid Transformations	9.0							
The Fe-C System & Plain-Carbon Steels (Austenite Decomposition Reactions, IT, CT)	4.0							
Hardenability, HSLA Steels, Surface Hardening	3.0							
Stainless Steels	2.0							
Tool Steels and other specialty steels (electrical)	2.0							
Advanced High-Strength Steels (AHSS)	2.0							
Cast Irons	2.0							
Aluminum Alloys & Magnesium Alloys (Cast & Wrought, Strain/Solution/Pcpt Strengthened Alloys)	4.0							
Titanium Alloys (alpha, alpha-beta, beta)	3.0							
Superalloys (Ni-base, Fe-base, Ni+Fe), Oxidation Resistance	4.0							
Copper Alloys (Copper, brasses, bronzes, Cu-Be)	2.0							
Metallic Glasses	2.0							

## Representative Assignments

Periodic homework sets assigned to reinforce lecture materials.

## Grades

Aspect	Percent
Homework & Quizzes	15%
Two Midterm Exams	50%
Final Exam	35%

## ABET-EAC Criterion 3 Outcomes

Course Contribution		College Outcome
***	a	An ability to apply knowledge of mathematics, science, and engineering.
	b	An ability to design and conduct experiments, as well as to analyze and interpret data.
**	c	An ability to design a system, component, or process to meet desired needs.
*	d	An ability to function on multi-disciplinary teams.
*	e	An ability to identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems.
	f	An understanding of professional and ethical responsibility.
	g	An ability to communicate effectively.
	h	The broad education necessary to understand the impact of engineering solutions in a global and societal context.
	i	A recognition of the need for, and an ability to engage in life-long learning.
	j	A knowledge of contemporary issues.
**	k	An ability to use the techniques, skills, and modern engineering tools necessary for engineering practice.

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