



Composition Design, Structure, and Plastic Deformation of Al and Mg Alloys

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Message from the Guest Editors

The microstructure and plastic deformation behaviors greatly influence the light alloys mechanical properties. Today, a lower-alloying content and short-route processing are particularly desirable, due to the pursuit of low cost and environmental friendliness. Thus, the composition design, (micro-)structure control, and plastic deformation of low-cost Al and Mg alloys with high strength-ductility synergy have attracted considerable attention in the last two decades in both the academic community and industry.

This Special Issue will address and gather recent advances on composition design, structure control, and plastic deformation of Al and Mg alloys, from both experimental and theoretical (modeling and simulation) perspectives. In particular, articles including advanced microstructural and mechanical characterization techniques assessing the processing–structure–properties relationships of Al and Mg alloys with enhanced mechanical properties are welcome. Articles related to the fabrication of parts with a complex shape are also desirable.





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