

Special Issue

Modeling Thermodynamic Systems and Optimizing Metallurgical Processes

Message from the Guest Editor

In this Special Issue, articles that focus on the development of a database for thermodynamic and thermophysical properties, advanced methods for database development, applications of thermodynamics and/or kinetics in metallurgical, and material process design are highly sought after. Therefore, this Special Issue will cover, but is not limited to, the following fundamental and applied research topics:

Thermodynamic modeling for metallic and oxide systems;

Diffusion modeling for metallic and oxide systems;

Viscosity modeling for slag and liquid metal;

Machine learning on thermodynamic modeling;

Phase diagram measurements;

Diffusion measurements;

Thermodynamic property measurements;

Thermodynamic calculations;

Solidification;

Metal extraction;

Metal refinement;

Recycling;

Metallurgical process simulation;

Material process simulation;

Material design;

Corrosion.

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