Special Issue

Hydrogen Induced Damages in Metallic Materials

Message from the Guest Editors

Exposing metal materials to hydrogen-rich environments can cause a range of damages, often resulting in premature cracking, ductility loss, bubbling/blistering, and swelling. These damages will deteriorate the performance of metallic materials, posing a great threat to the safety and efficiency of many applications. It is therefore crucial to understand the fundamental mechanisms of hydrogen-induced damages in metallic materials.

With the rapid development of computing of efficient and simulation methods, numerical modeling has become a powerful tool for investigating the microscopic behavior of hydrogen in metallic materials. We invite you to submit original research on the modeling and simulation of hydrogen-induced damages in metallic materials. The topics of interest in this Special Issue include but are not limited to the effect of hydrogen on mechanical performance, hydrogen-defect interaction, kinetics of hydrogen ingress, diffusion, trapping, and desorption, hydrogen damage mechanisms, and predictions regarding materials properties in hydrogen-rich environments.

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