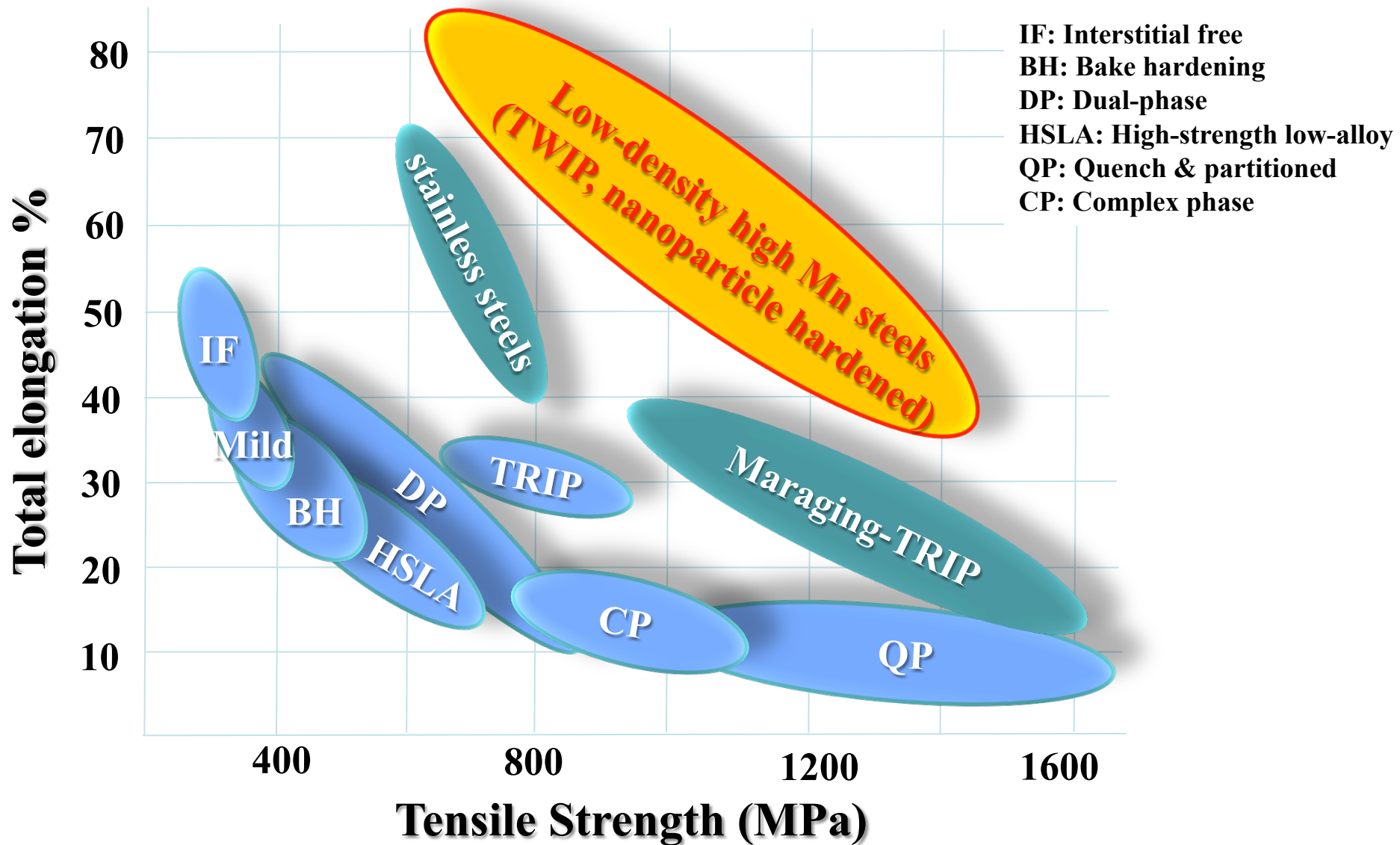
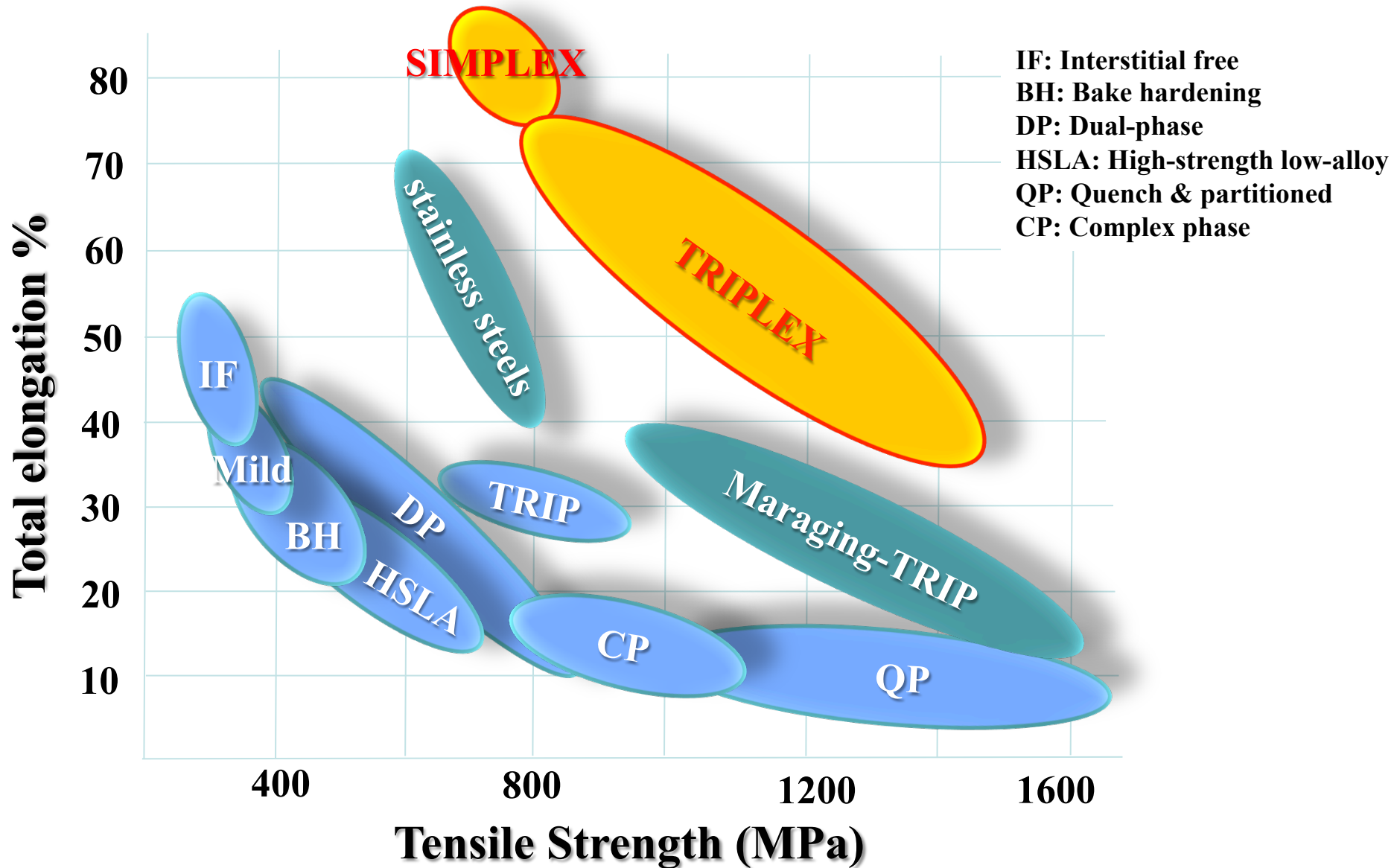
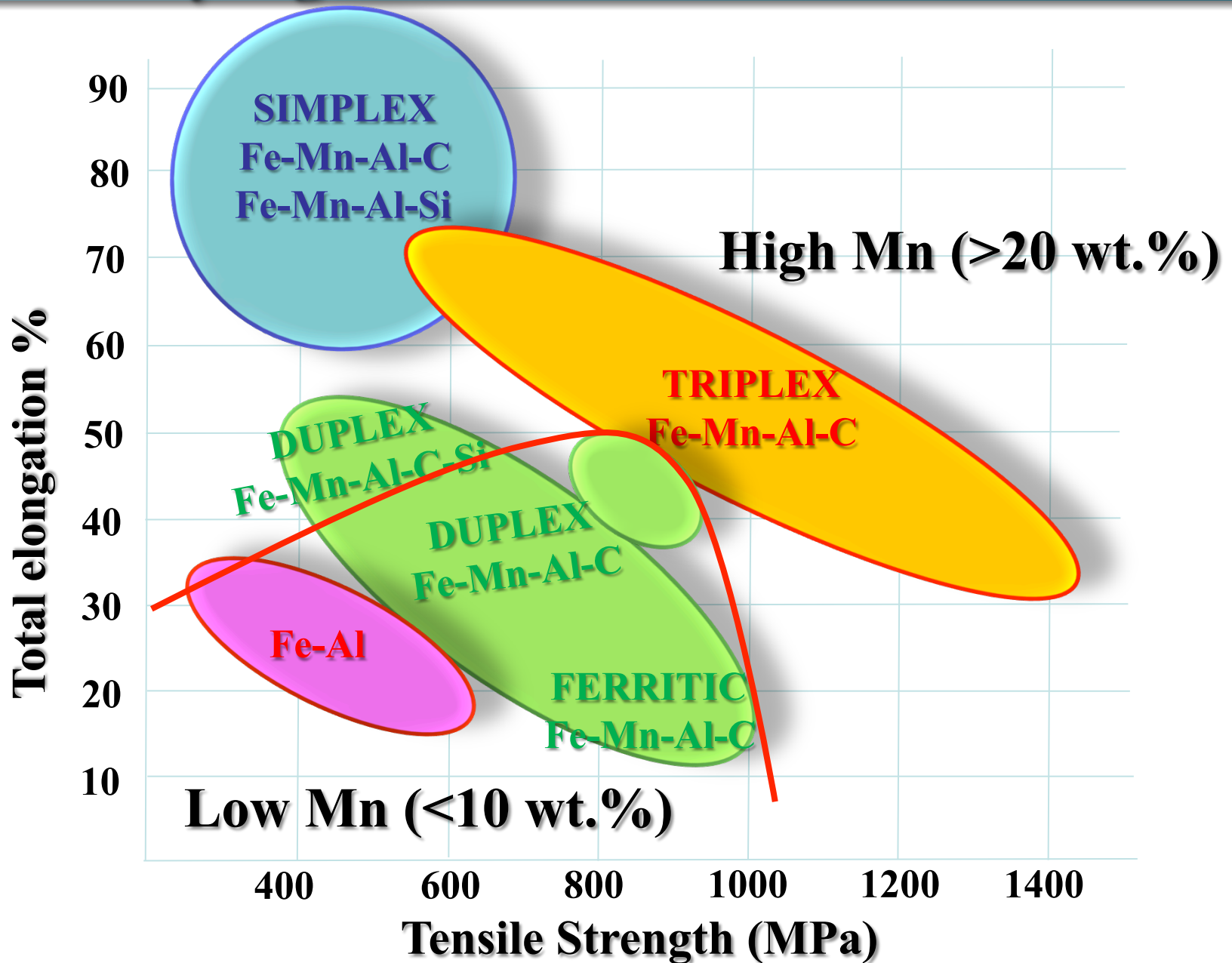


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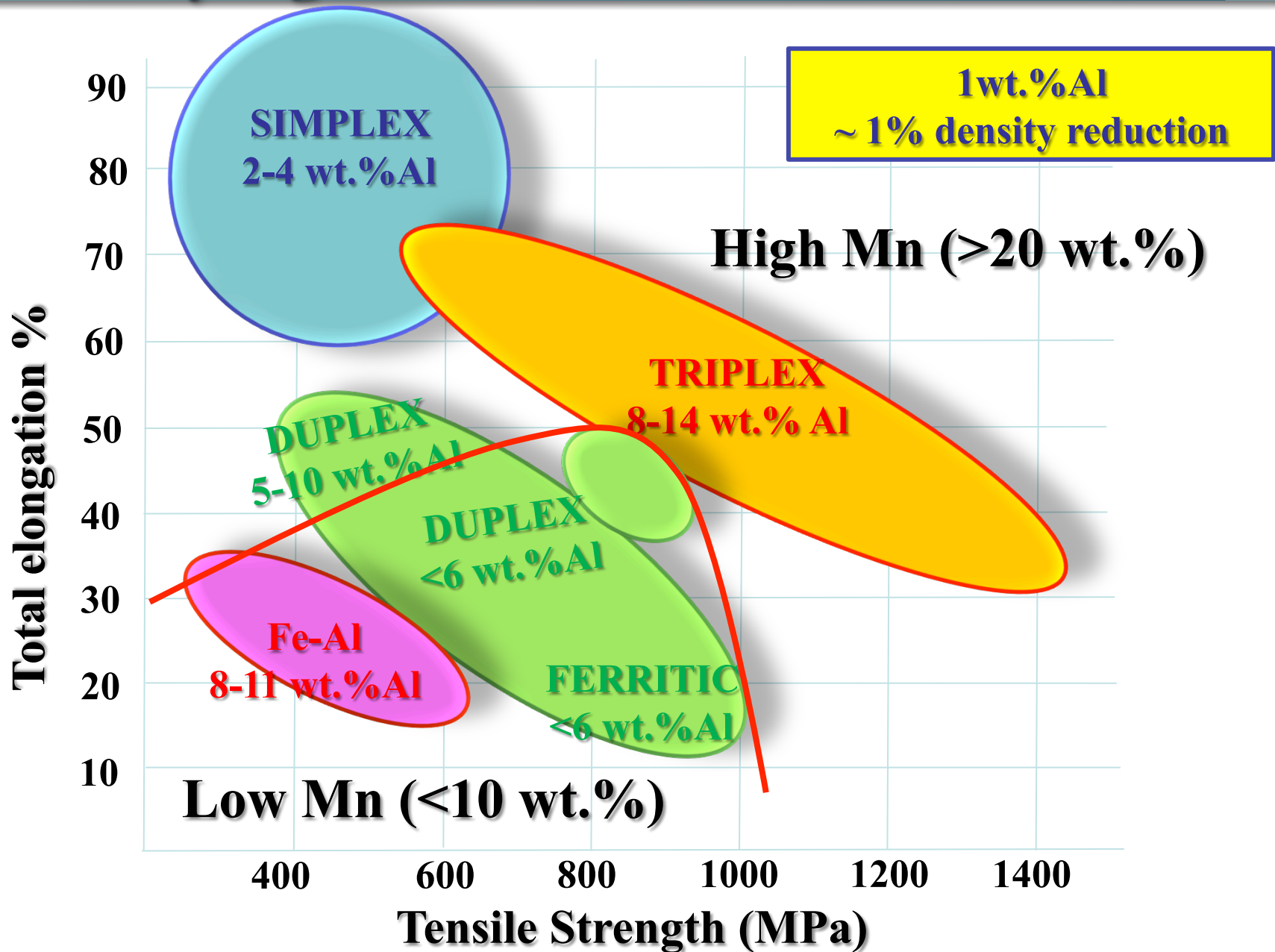


Advanced High Strength Steels





Low density high-Mn steels



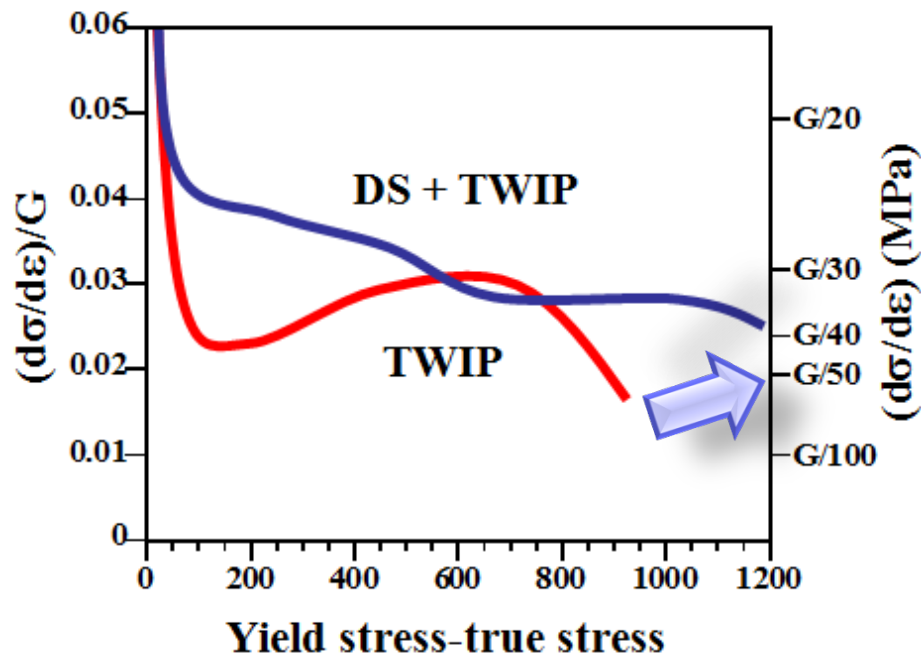
SIMPLEX = Austenite in solid solution

Fe-Mn-Al-C
Fe-Mn-Al-Si

Mn: 20-30 wt.%
Al < 4 wt.%

C: 0.5-1.2 wt.%
Si: 2-4 wt.%

Multiple strain hardening behavior
dislocation substructure (DS) + deformation twinning (TWIP)

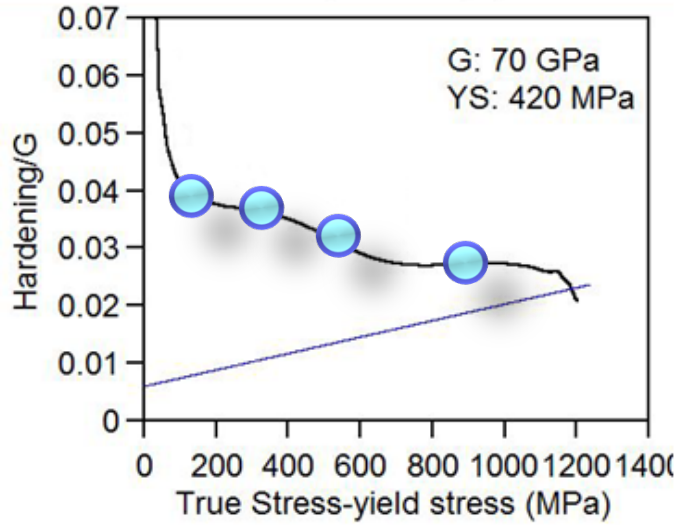
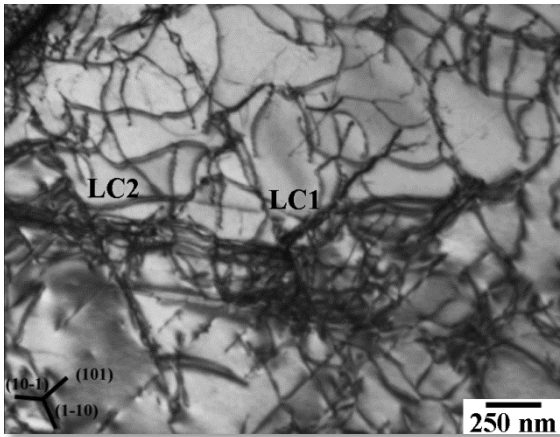


Gradual increase of work hardening capacity:
Work hardening exhaustion
at high stress/strain levels

Simplex steels: Strain hardening mechanisms

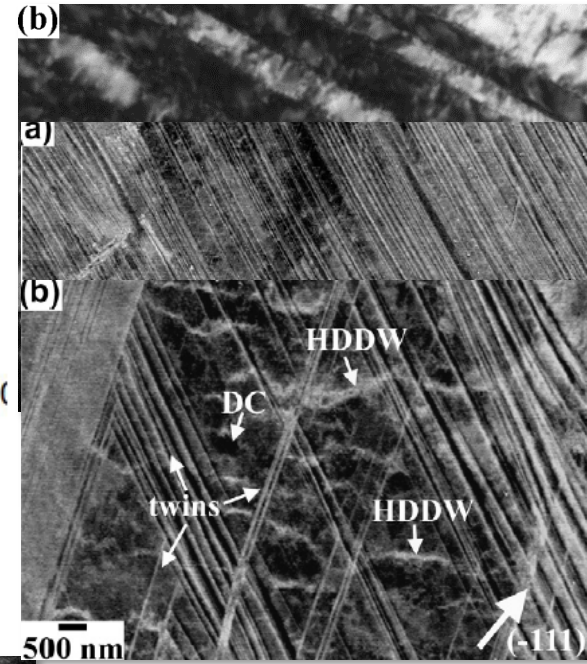


Lomer-Cottrell locks



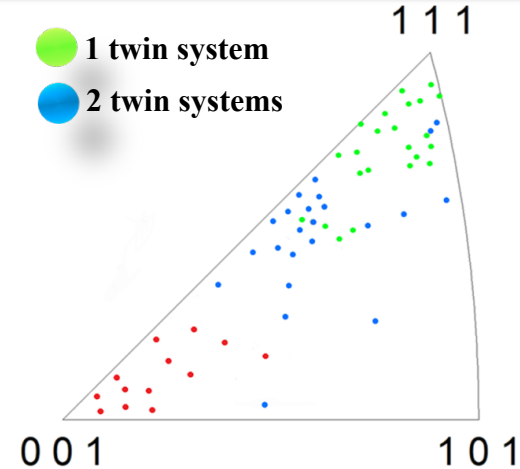
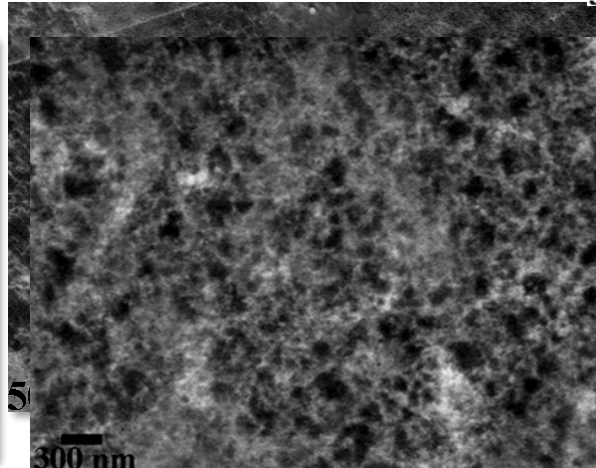
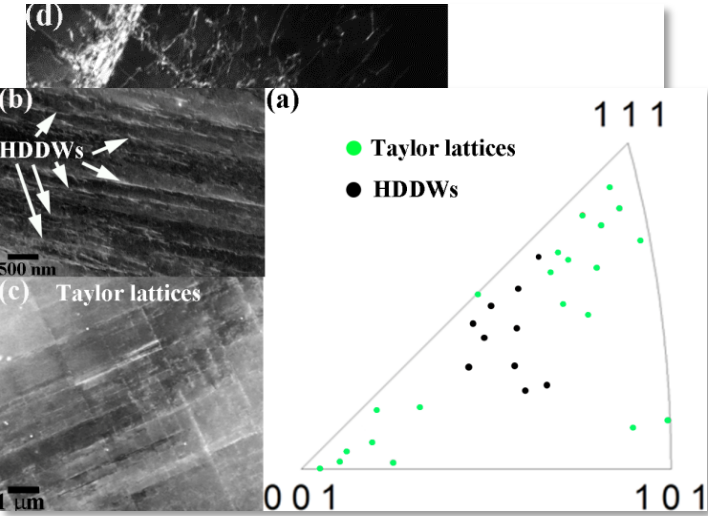
Fe-27Mn-4Al-5C (at.%)

Nanotwins

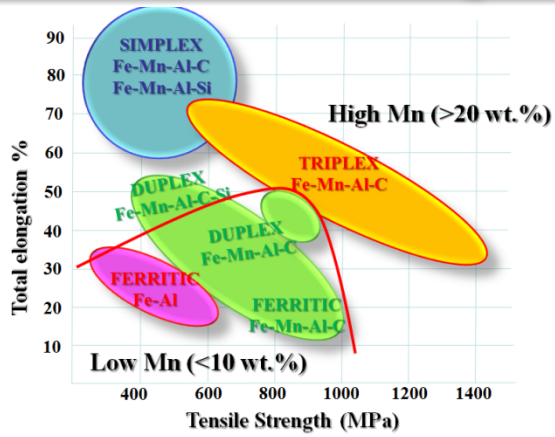


HDDWs, Taylor lattices

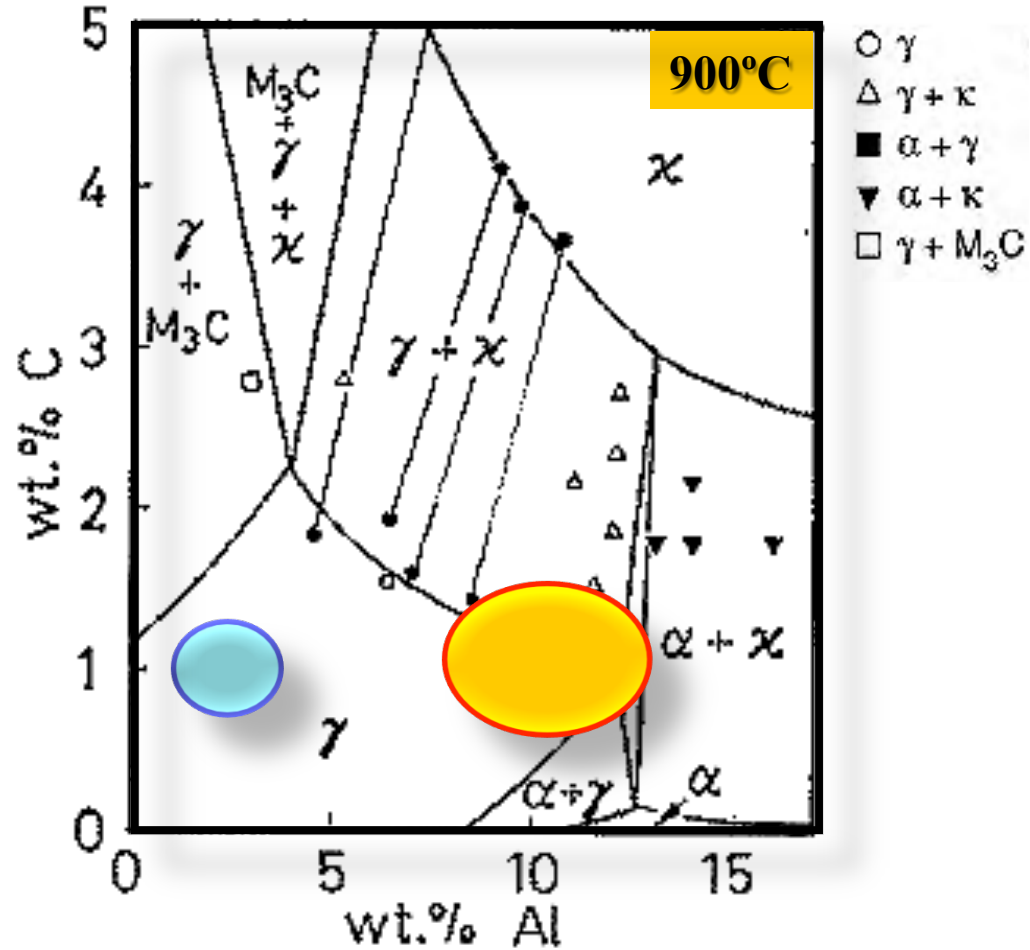
Cell blocks, cells



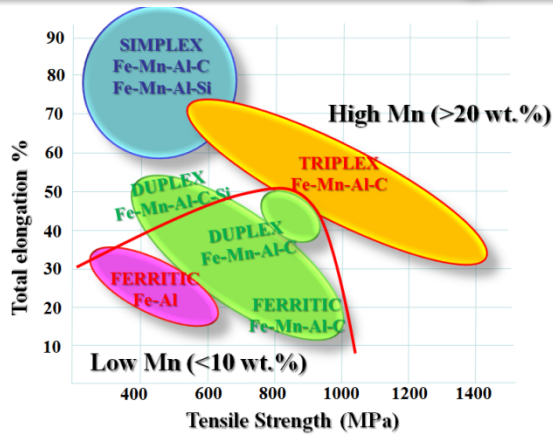
Fe-Mn-Al-C phase diagram



Fe-30wt.%Mn



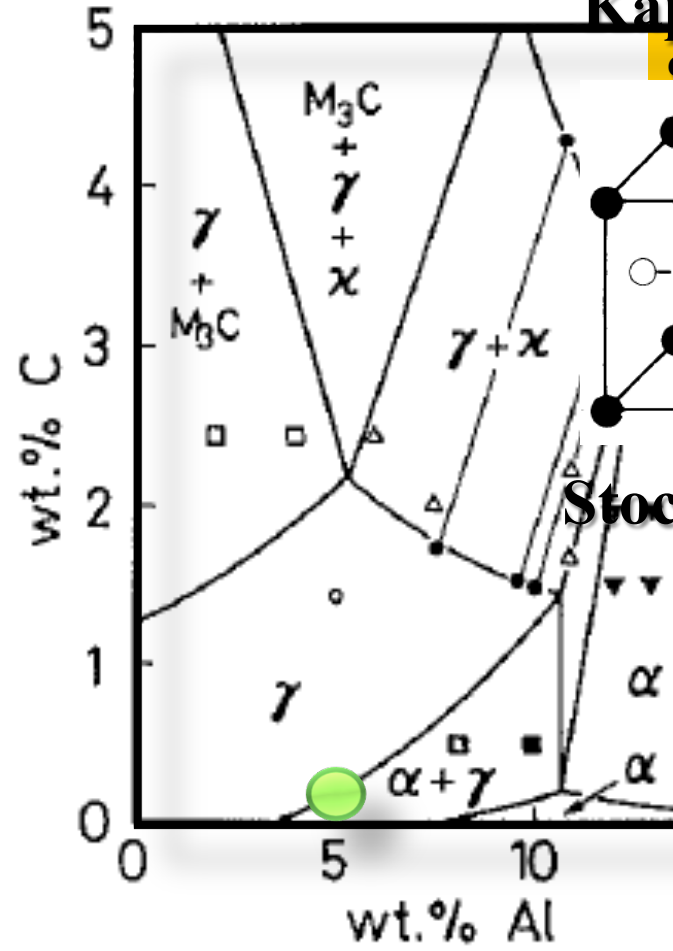
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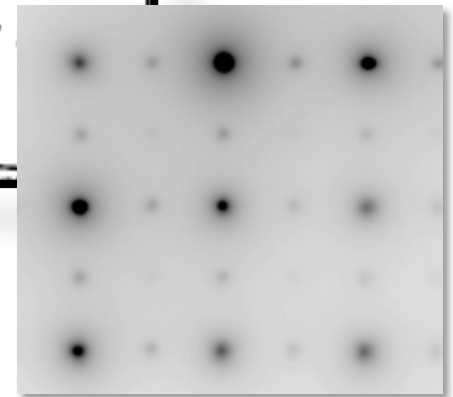
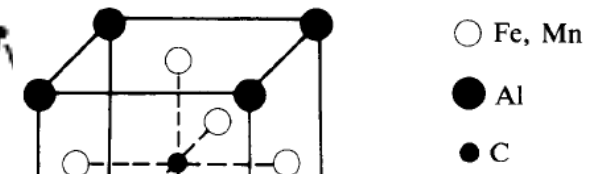
Fe-20wt.%Mn

Kappa: ordered L'1₂

900°C



Stoichiometric structure (Fe, Mn)₃AlC_x

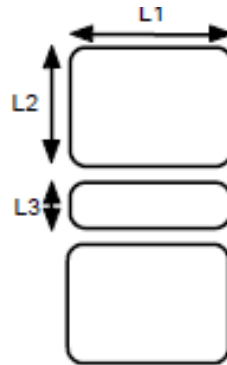


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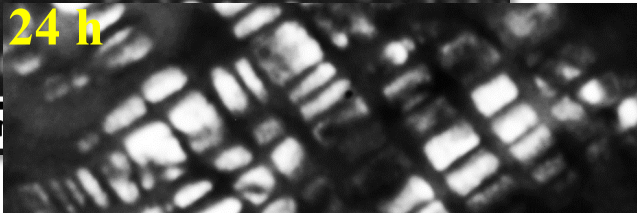


Fe-27Mn-15Al-5C (at.%)

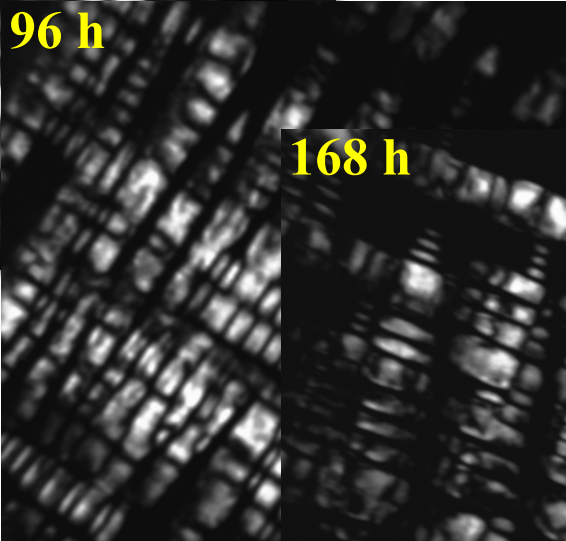


Aging at 600 °C	cubic-like	S ₁	plate-like	S ₂
8 h	18.0 × 16.0 nm	1.1	19.0 × 7.0 nm	2.7
24 h	22.0 × 17.0 nm	1.3	24.0 × 7.5 nm	3.2
96 h	31.0 × 20.7 nm	1.5	35.7 × 7.5 nm	3.4
168 h	35.0 × 22.0 nm	1.6	38.5 × 11.0 nm	3.5

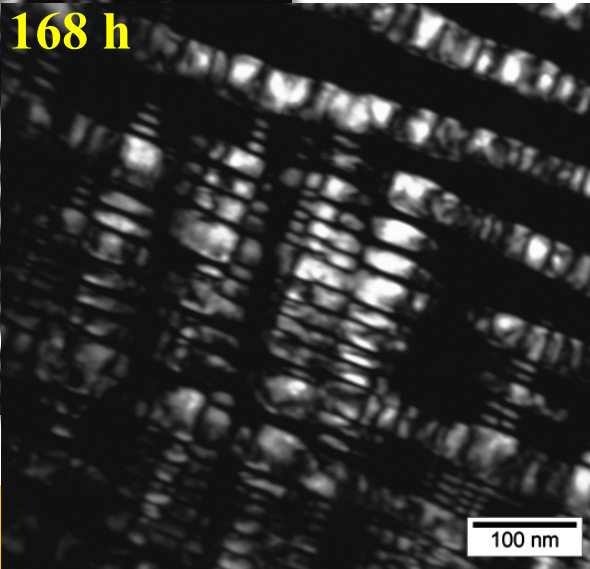
24 h



96 h



168 h



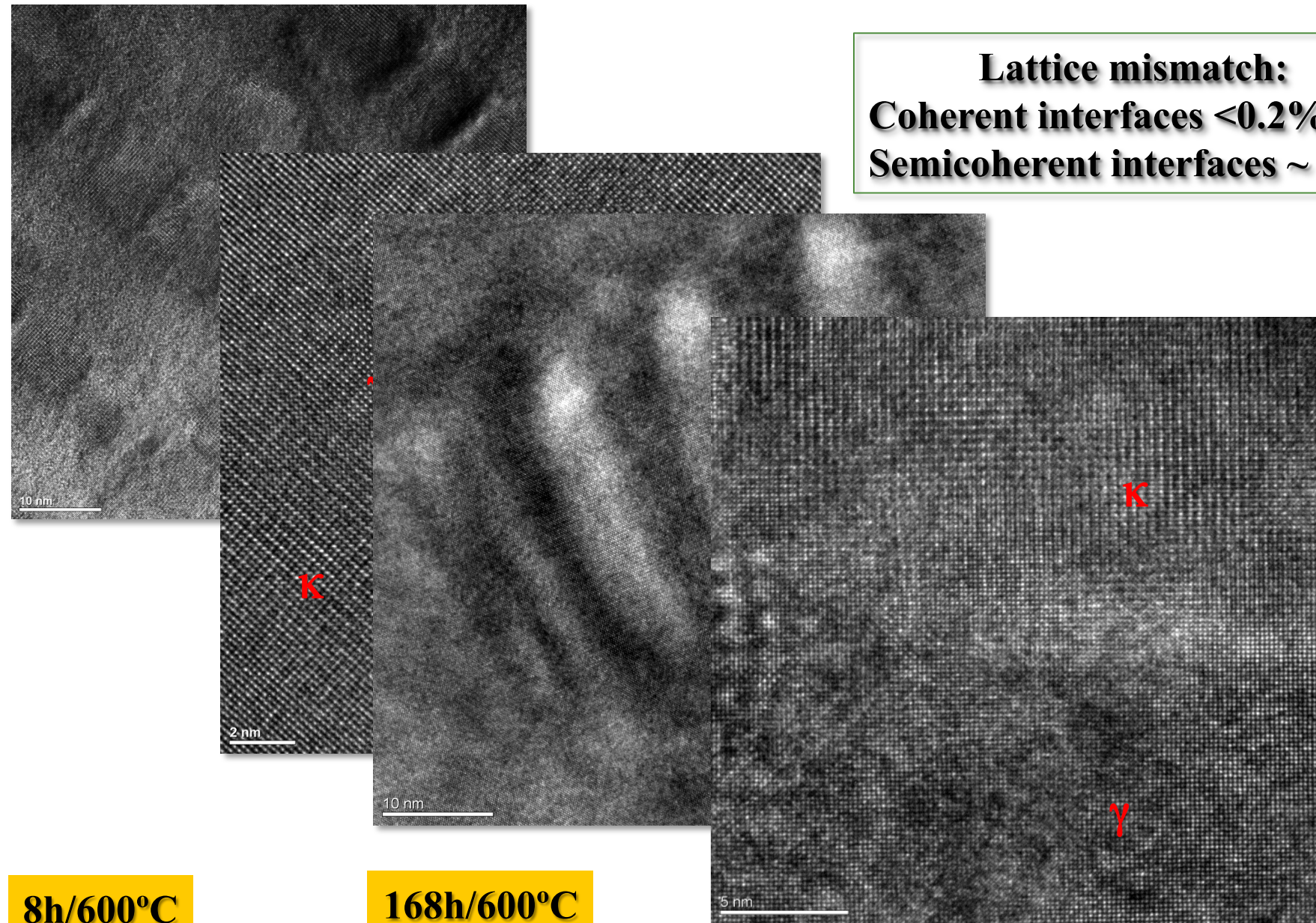
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- Cube-cube orientation
- High thermal stability
- Coherent and semicoherent interfaces

Annealing temperature: 600°C

100 nm

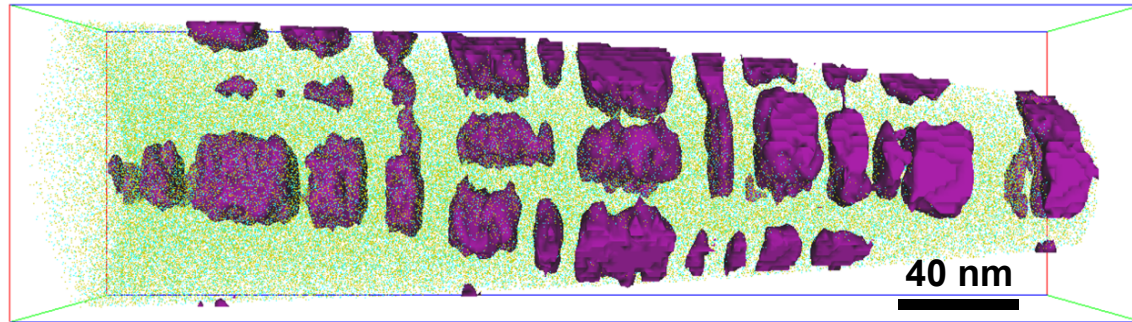
Lattice mismatch:
Coherent interfaces <0.2%
Semicoherent interfaces ~ 3%



8h/600°C

168h/600°C

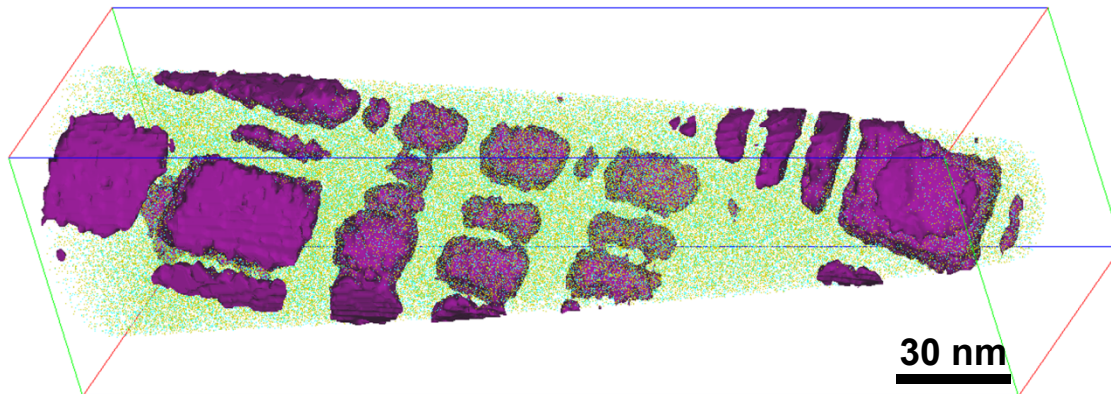
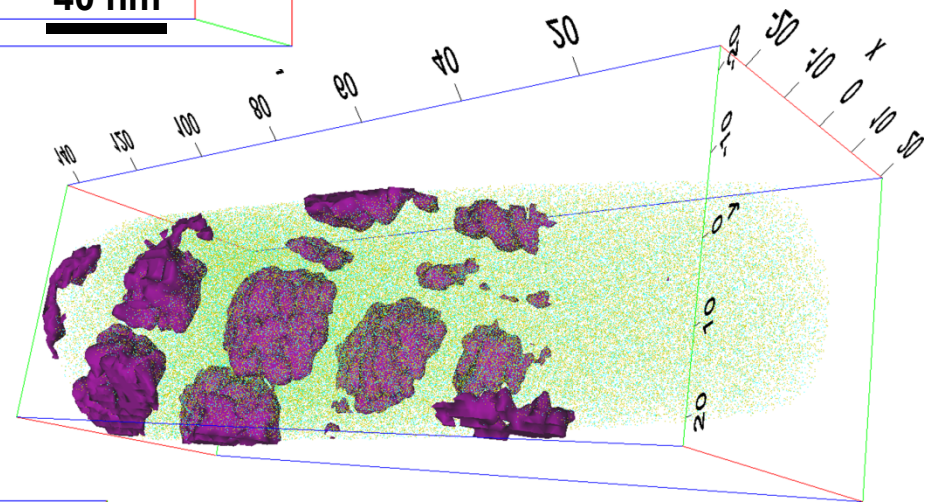
Analysis of κ carbides by 3D-APT



24 h

9 at.% C
isoconcentration surface

96 h



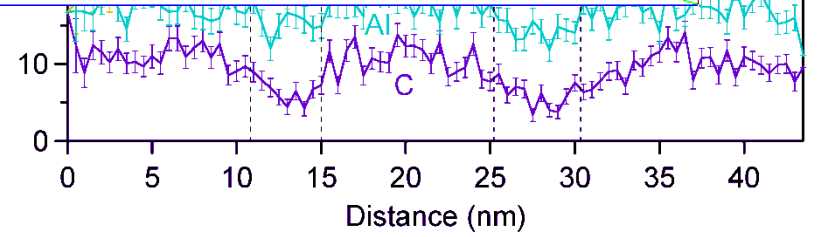
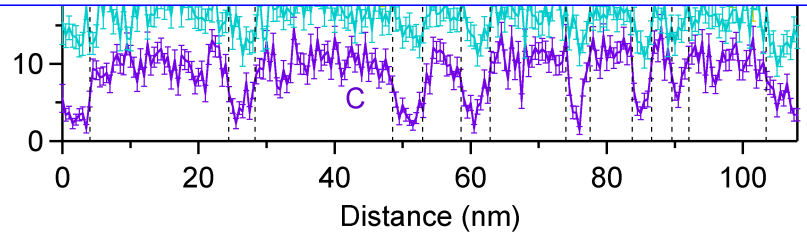
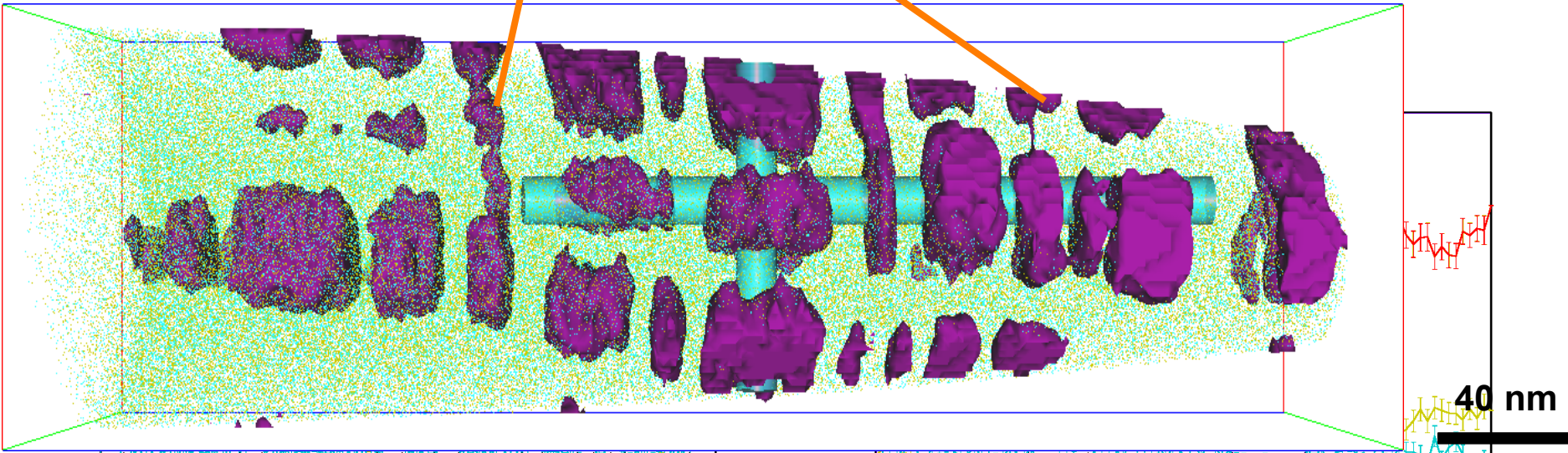
168 h

Annealing temperature: 600°C

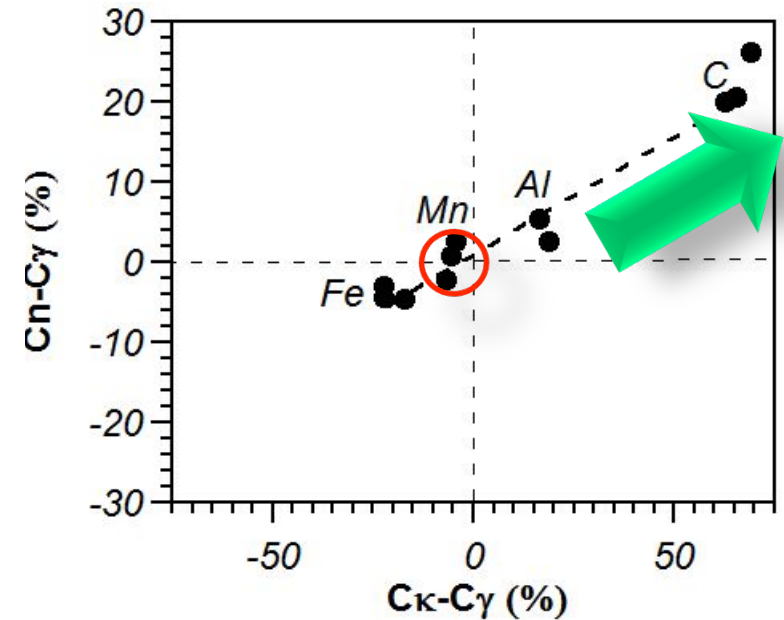
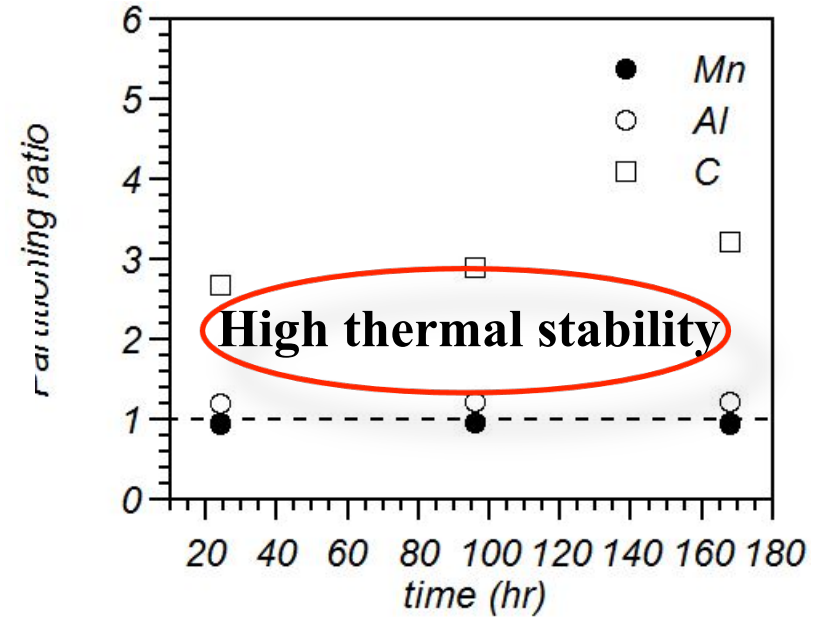
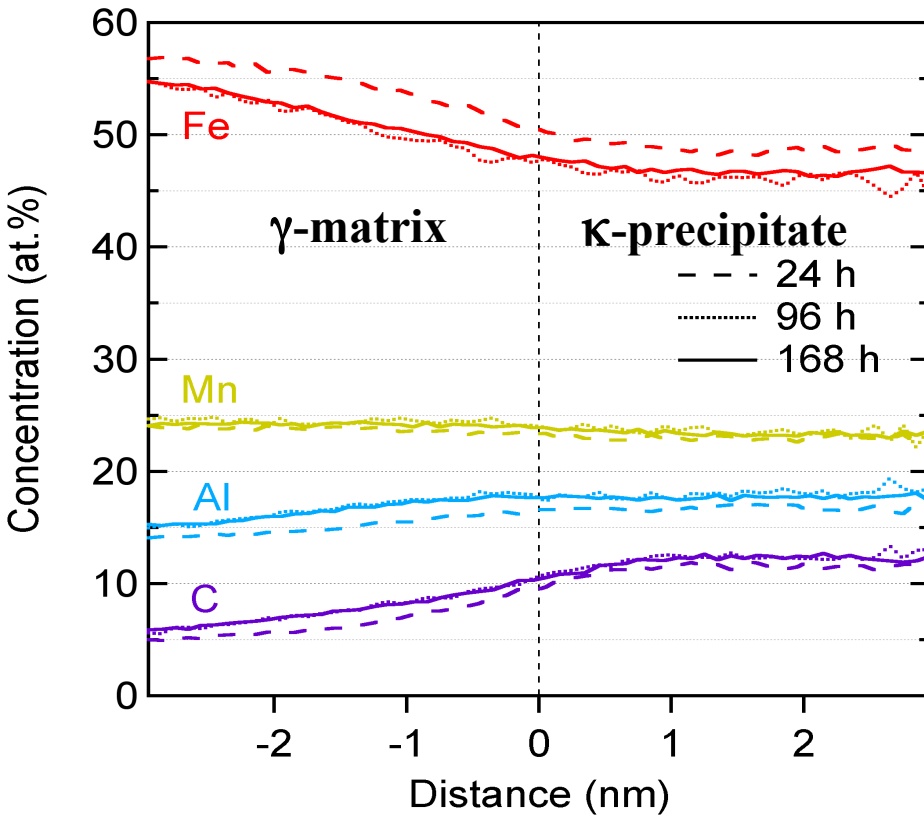
Composition profiles of γ/κ interfaces



24 h/600°C

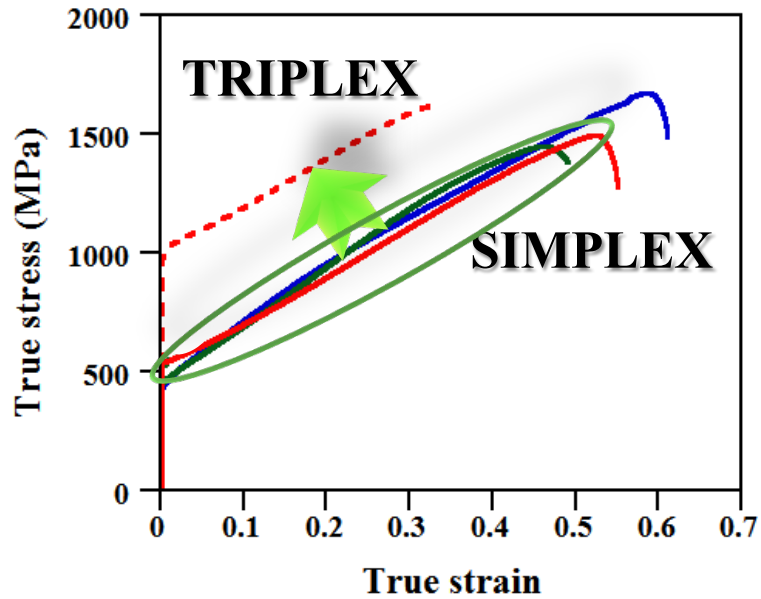


Concentration profiles: proxigram



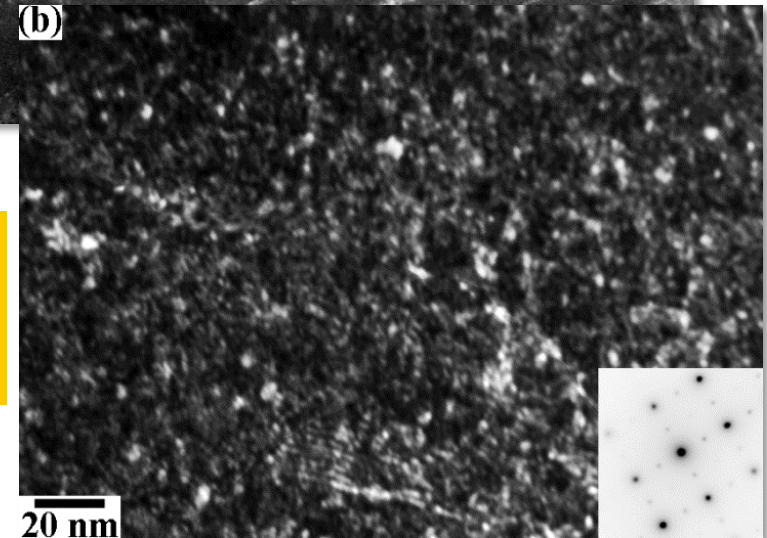
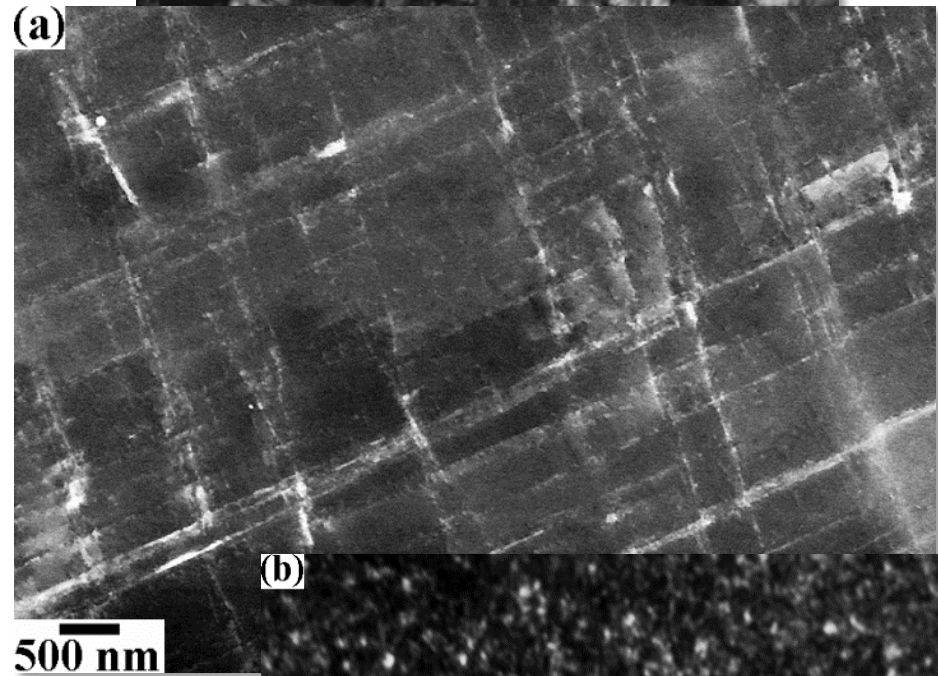
Annealing temperature: 600°C

Deformation mechanisms of Triplex steels

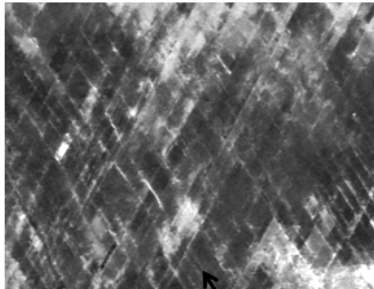


Early stages of κ formation (1 h/450°C)

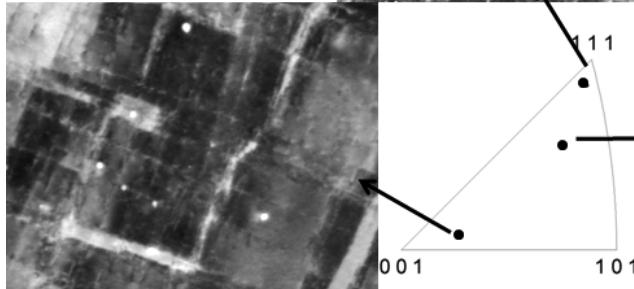
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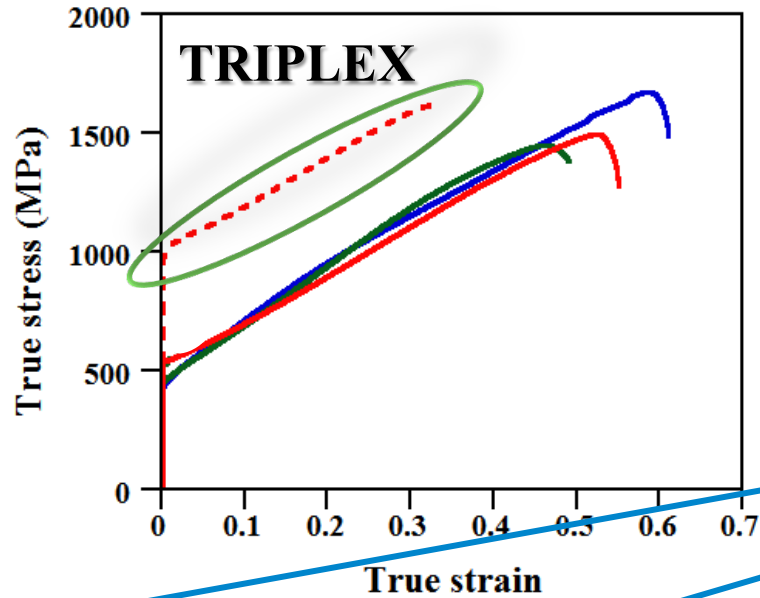
Crystallographic orientation dependence



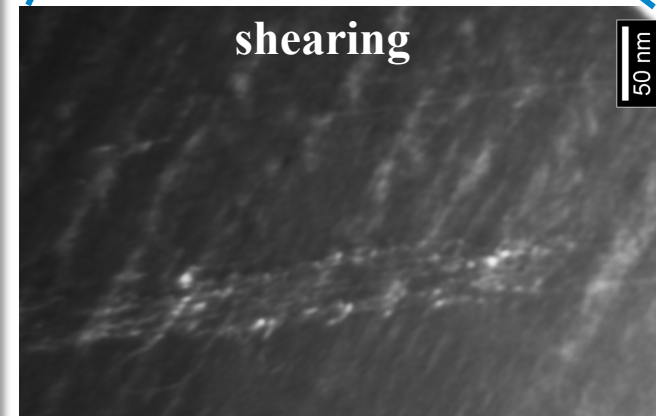
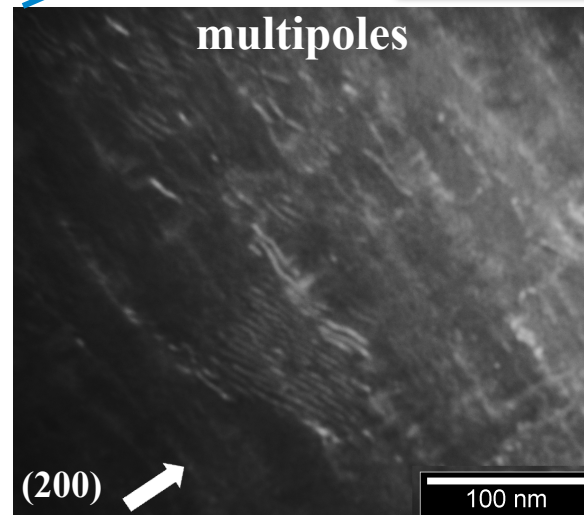
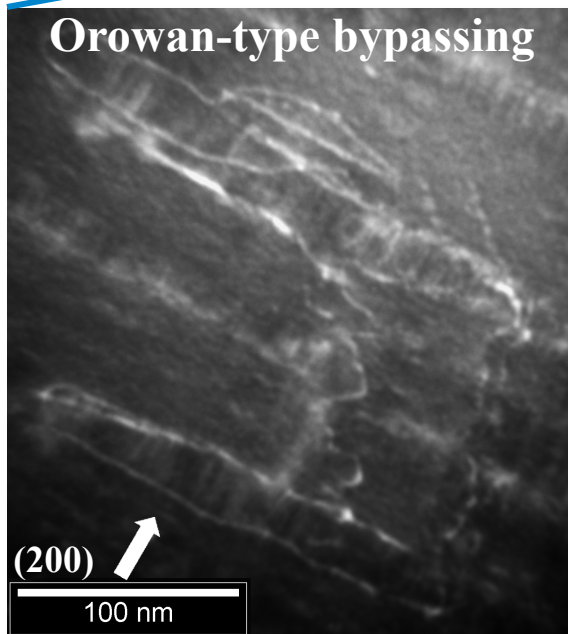
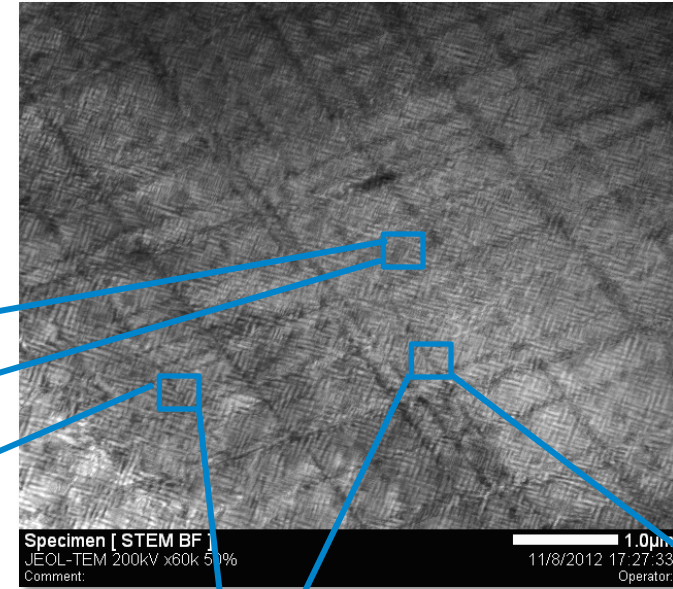
Kappa carbides Spherical, size <2-3 nm



Deformation mechanisms of Triplex steels



Homogeneous distribution of κ carbides
(24 h/600°C)

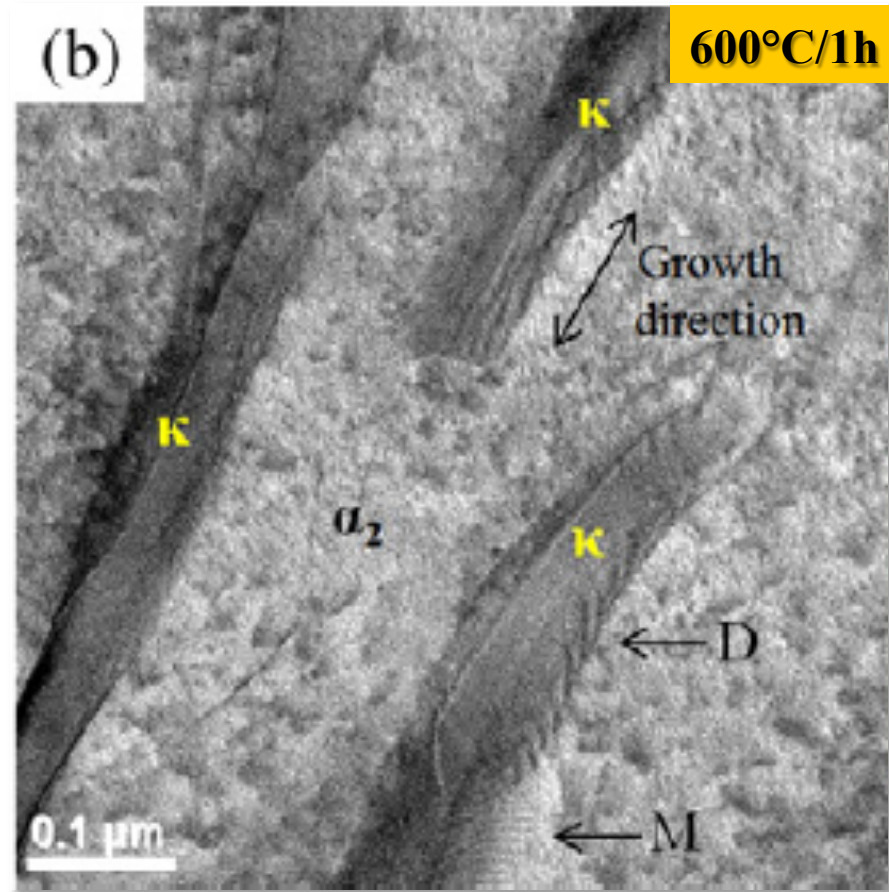


κ carbides in ferritic matrix

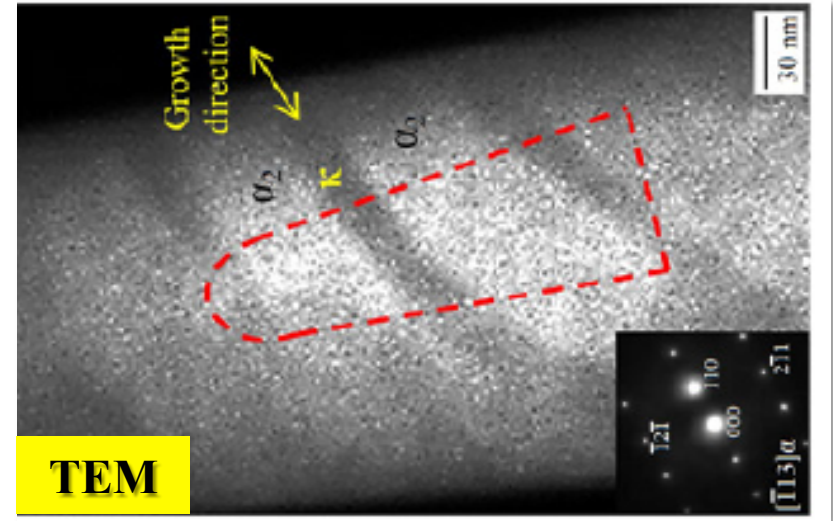


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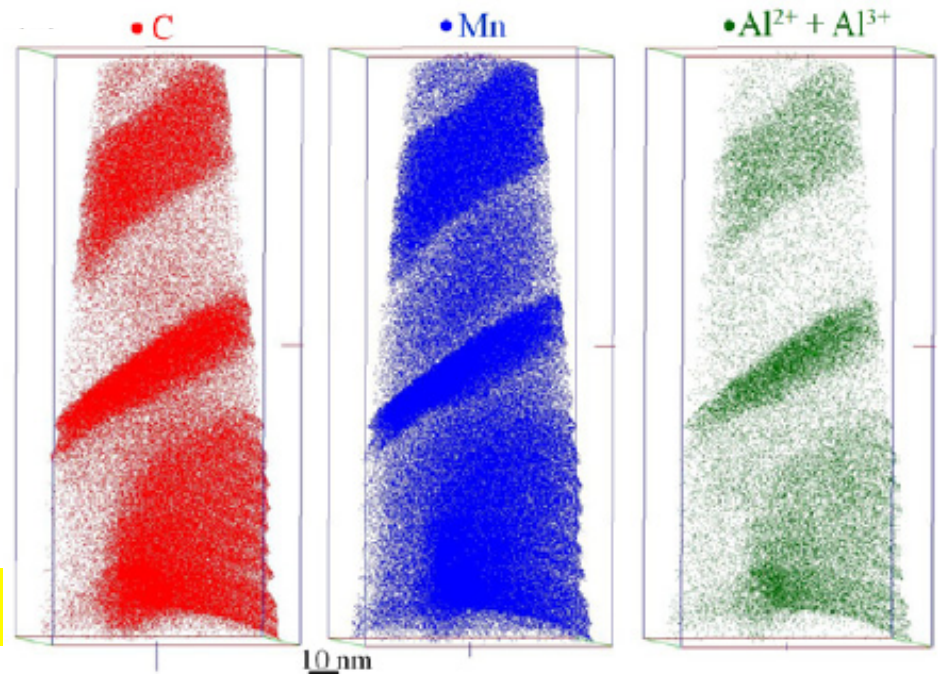
600°C/1h



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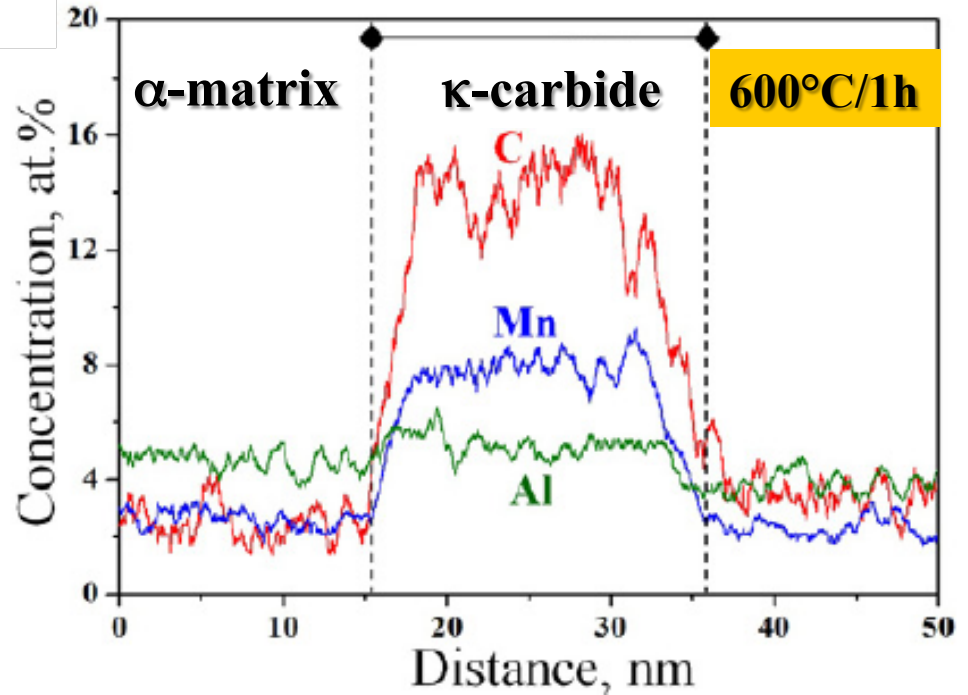
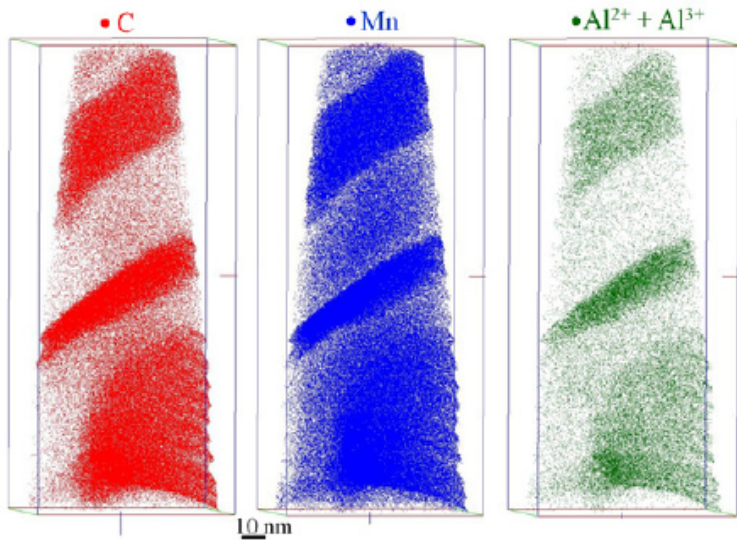


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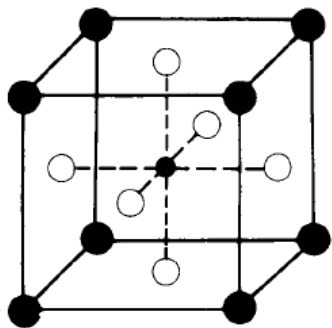


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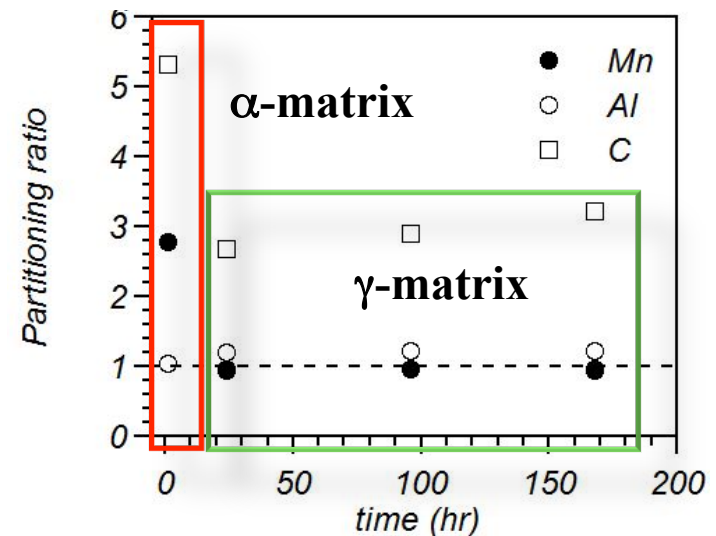
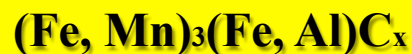
Fe-3.2Mn-10Al-1.2C (at.%)



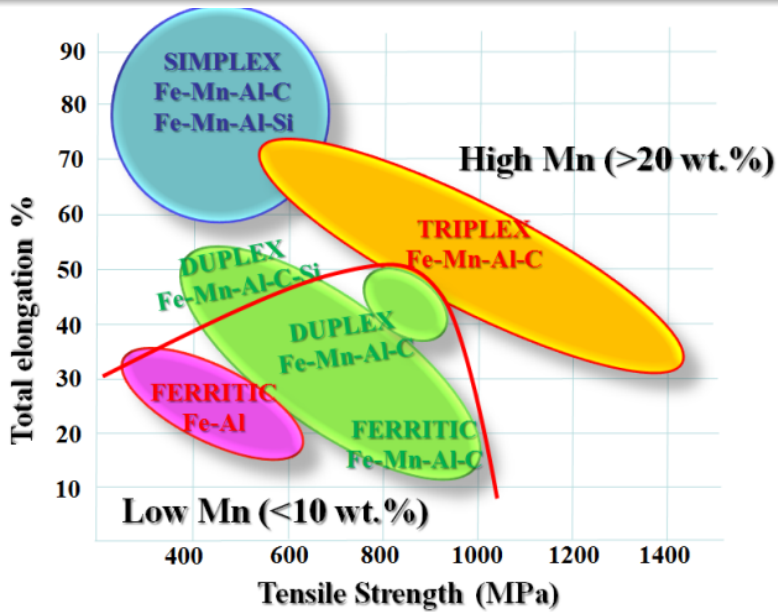
Non-stoichiometric structure of kappa



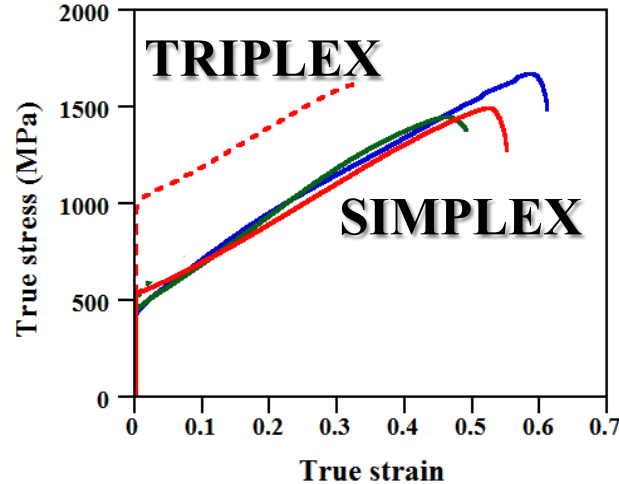
- Fe, Mn
- Al, Fe (temperature dependent)
- C



conclusions

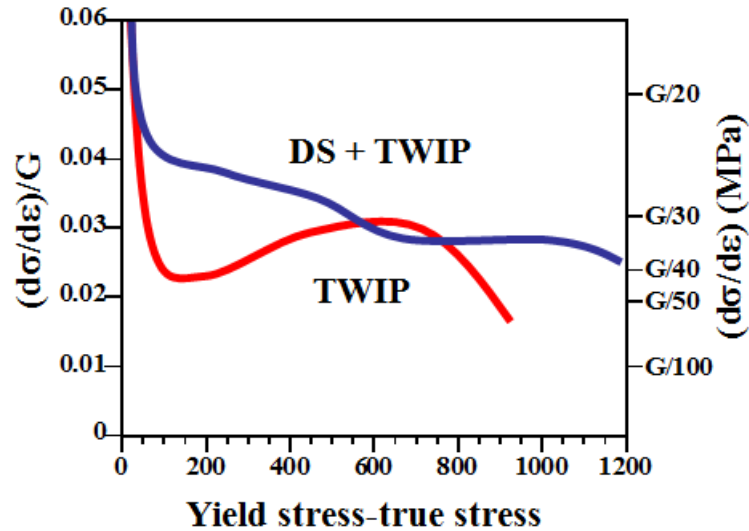


-High strength and ductile
-Low density steels



SIMPLEX: γ
TRIPLEX: $\gamma + (\alpha) + \kappa$

SIMPLEX



TRIPLEX

