

The materials age

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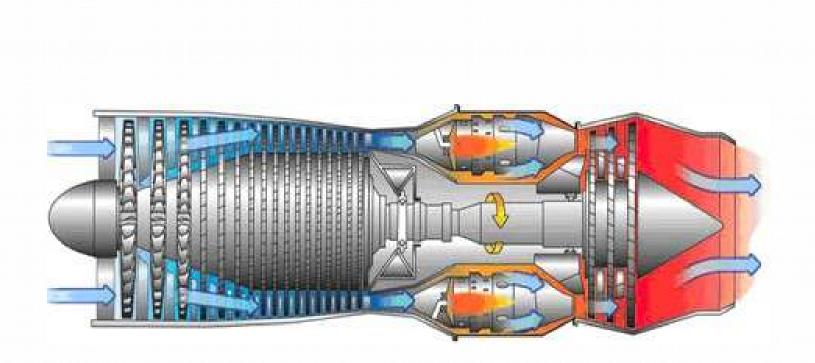
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# Modern materials: alloys





# Jet engine: military jet





## Jet engine: turbine discs





### **Designing a new alloy – what is required ?**





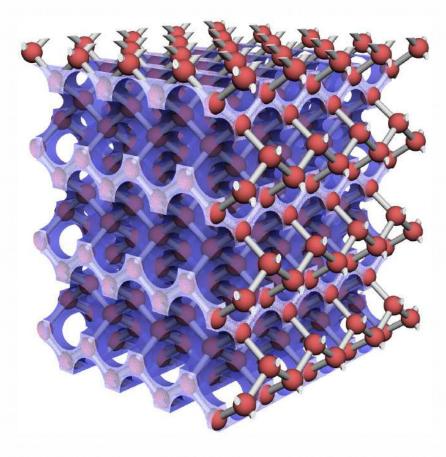
### **Multidimensional design space**



#### and 4 different manufacturing processes

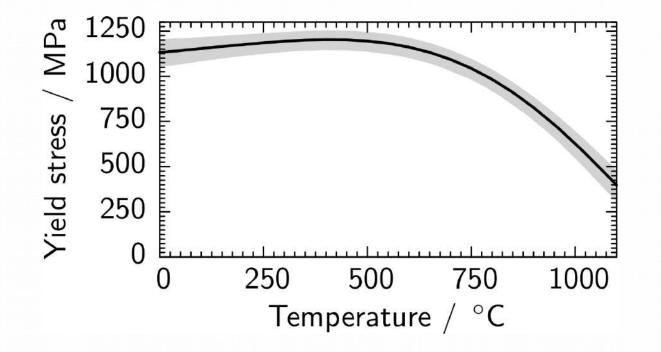


# **Calculating material properties**



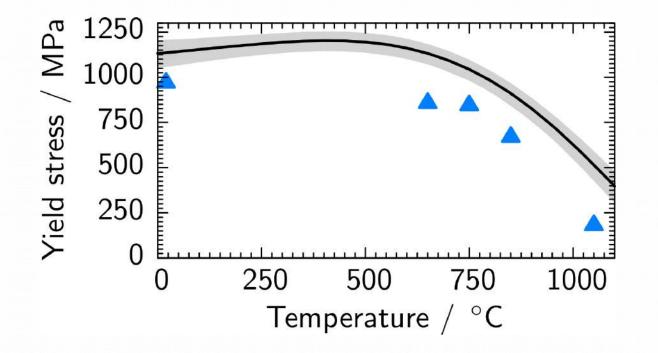


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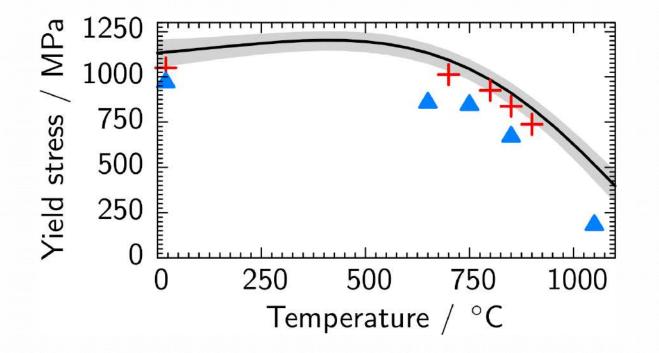


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### **Conclusions: why study condensed matter?**

- Union of different sciences that encourages analysis with a variety of techniques – analytical, numerics, and experiments
- Close connection to real-world problems
- Academic funding and well-paid industrial jobs

