

# Dendrite growth kinetics in multicomponent system

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Development of cross-diffusion model  
with thermodynamic coupling (PY \ KIND)

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## MODELS

- ❑ PY\PATH: solidification PATH  
Solidification path (LR, GS, PE), tabulations for CIMLIB (CEMEF )library computations
- ❑ PY\KIND : KINetics Dendrites  
Dendrite growth kinetics (cross diffusion effect, curvature effect)
- ❑ PY\DIAN : Diffusion ANalytic  
Analytic growth kinetics in unsteady regime (semi-infinite domain, cross diffusion regime, Pl./Cyl./Sph.)
- ❑ PY\MIAN : Microstructure ANalytic  
Growth kinetics in unsteady regime (far-field approach, cross diffusion regime, Pl./Cyl./Sph.)
- ❑ PY\MIFT : Microstructure Front Tracking  
Growth kinetics – Numerical simulation (front-tracking simulation, cross diffusion regime, Pl./Cyl./Sph.)
- ❑ PY\MILD : Microsegregation Length Diffusion  
Microsegregation modelling based on diffusion length
- ❑ PY\PREC: PRECipitation  
Precipitation kinetics, precipitate size distribution
- ❑ PY\KINE : KINetics Eutectics  
Eutectic growth kinetics (curvature effect)

## DENDRITE GROWTH KINETICS

### □ Growth kinetics modelling: Kurz [Kur86]

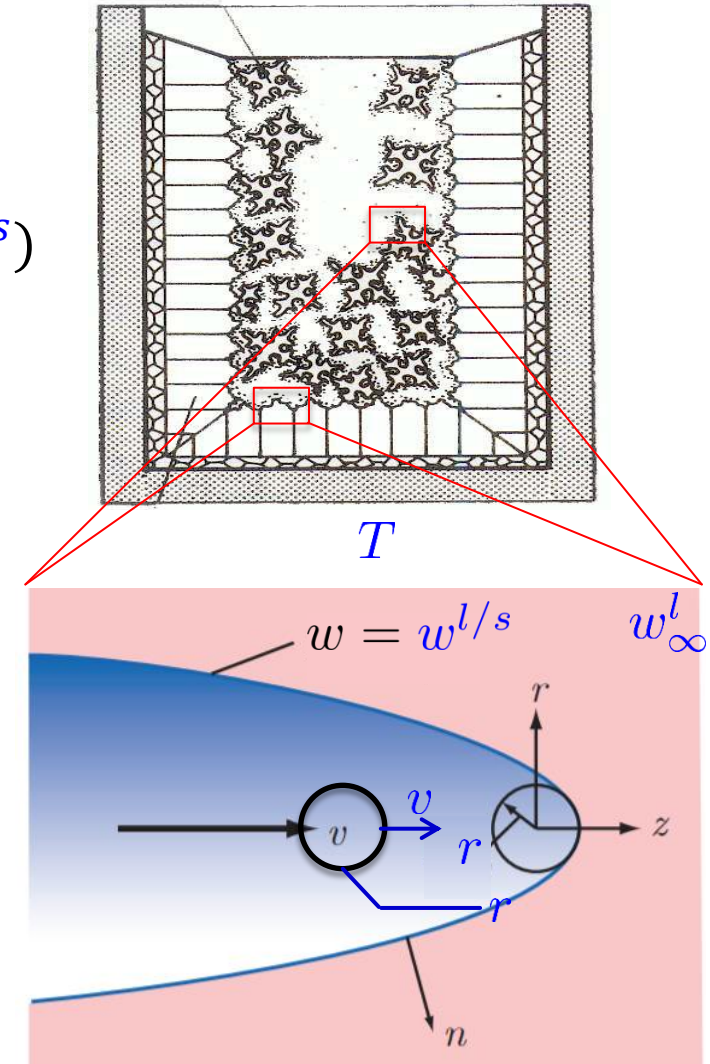
- Paraboloidal dendrite tip: Papapetrou [Pap35]
- Thermodynamic equilibrium at s/l interface  $w^{l/s} = f_0(T)$
- Analytical solution: Ivantsov solution [Iva47]  $r v = f_1(w^{l/s})$
- Stability analysis: Mullins&Sekerka [Mul64]  $\lambda^2 v = f_2(w^{l/s})$
- Marginal stability criterion: Langer [Lan78]  $r \sim \lambda$

### □ Coupling with Thermo-Calc databases

- Phase diagram properties
- Interfacial energy influence
- Cross-diffusion coefficient effect

### □ Advantages

- Influence of local solidification processing with updated properties



# PY\KIND – LINEARIZED SOLUTION

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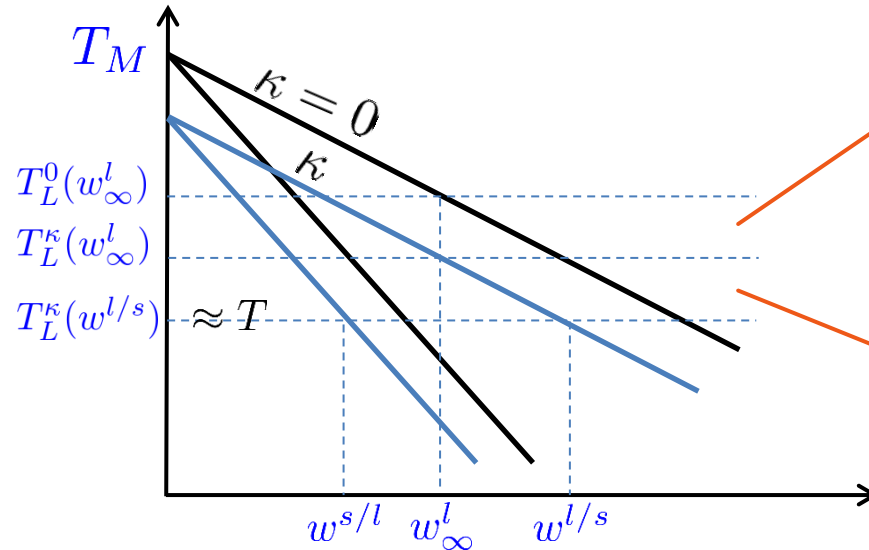
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$$\Delta T_\kappa = T_L^0(w_\infty^l) - T_L^\kappa(w_\infty^l) = \kappa \Gamma \approx \frac{2 \Gamma}{r}$$

Solutal undercooling

$$\Delta T_w = T_L^\kappa(w_\infty^l) - T_L^\kappa(w^{l/s}) \approx m (w_\infty^l - w^{l/s})$$

### Chemical diffusion Ivantsov relation [Iva47]

$$\Omega = \text{Iv}(Pe) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Omega = \frac{w^{l/s} - w_\infty^l}{w^{l/s} - w^{s/l}} \\ Pe = \frac{r v}{2 D^l} \end{array} \right.$$

où  $\text{Iv}(x) = x e^x E_1(x)$

### Marginal stability criterion / Langer-Müller Krumbhaar [Lan78]

$$r^2 v = \frac{D^l \Gamma}{\sigma^* m (w^{s/l} - w^{l/s})} \quad \text{Mullins Sekerka, 1964 [Mul64]}$$

=> Computation of the  $r, v$  values for the provided coefficients :  $m, k, w^{l/s}, D^l, \Gamma, \Omega$

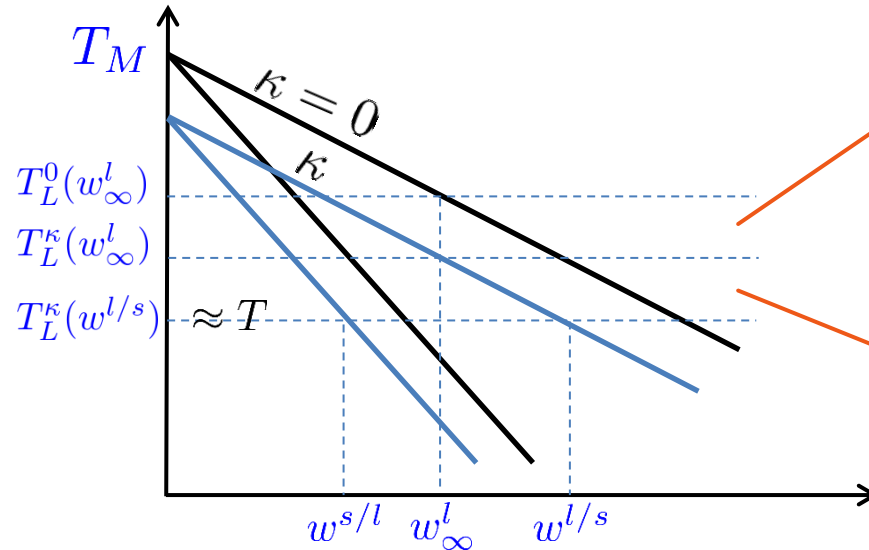
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$$r^2 v = \frac{D^l \Gamma}{\sigma^* (T_L^\kappa(w_\infty^l) - T_L^\kappa(w^{l/s}))}$$

=> Computation of the  $r$ ,  $v$  values with properties from thermodynamic database.

## DENDRITE GROWTH KINETICS / FE-1% WT C – DATAFILE

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// System of units
TEMPUNIT K
COMPUNIT W
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```
// Name of the database
DATABASE FEGDR_TCFE6.GES5
```

```
// Total number of elements
NUMBERELTS 2
// Main element
MAINELT FE
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```
// Element 1 symbol / min / max / nval
COMPINF C 1 1 1
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// Velocity range
VELOCITY 1.E-10 1.E+2 201
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// Solid phase
PHASE FCC_A1
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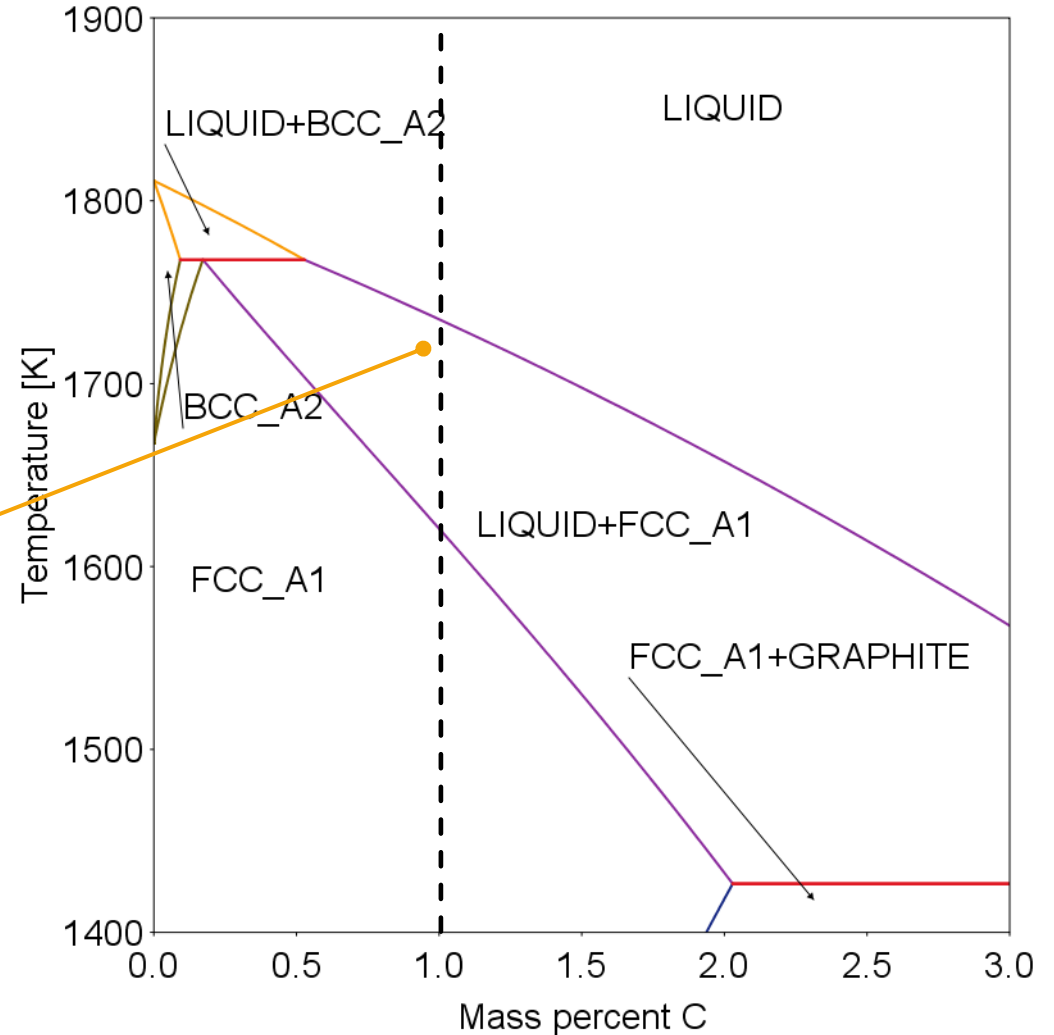
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// Surface energy
ENERGINT 0.270
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// Sigma Star
SIGMASTAR 0.02533029591
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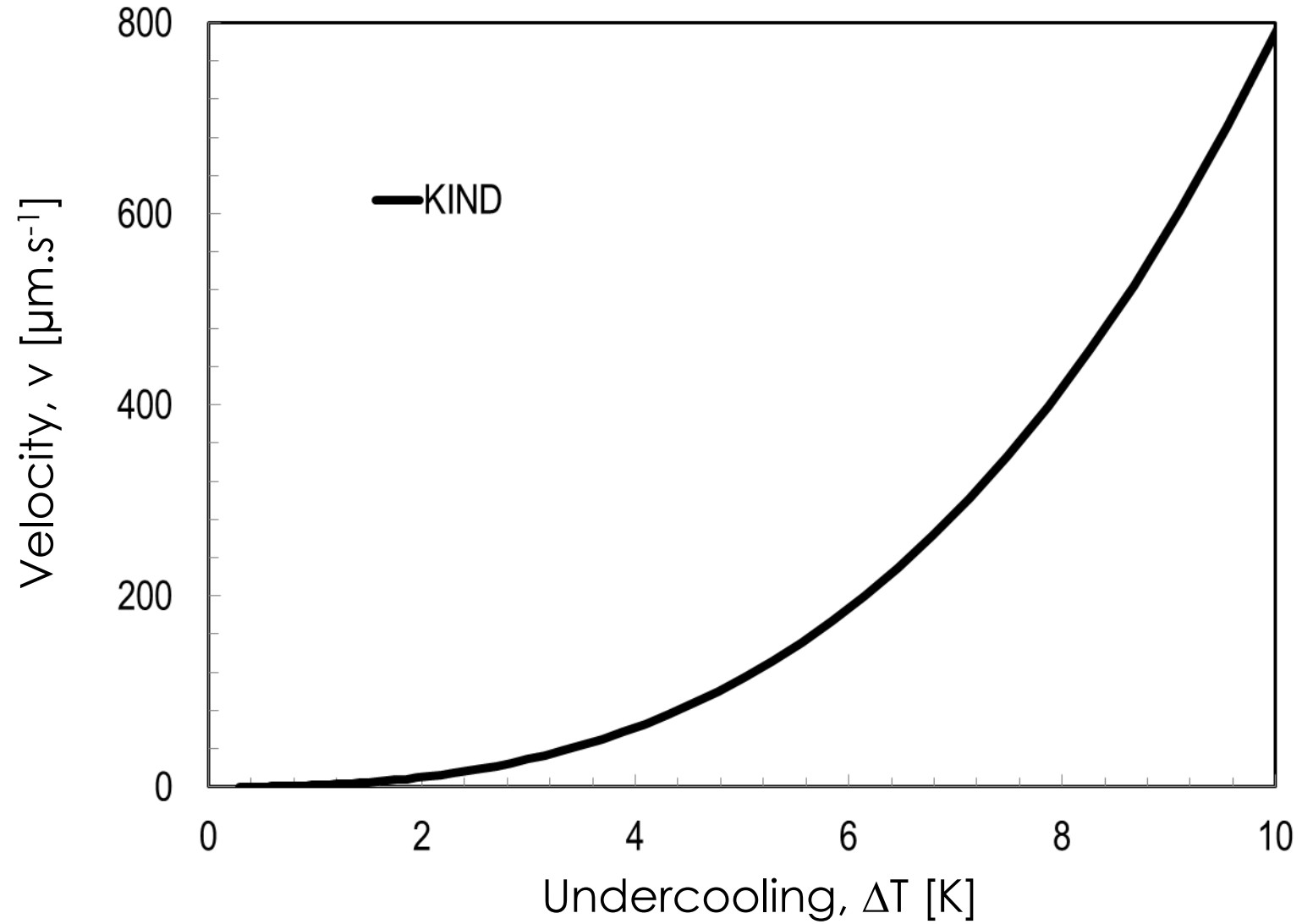
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// Diffusion matrix in liquid phase
DIFFUSION 5.221E-9
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$$\Gamma = \frac{\sigma^{s/l}}{\Delta S_f}$$

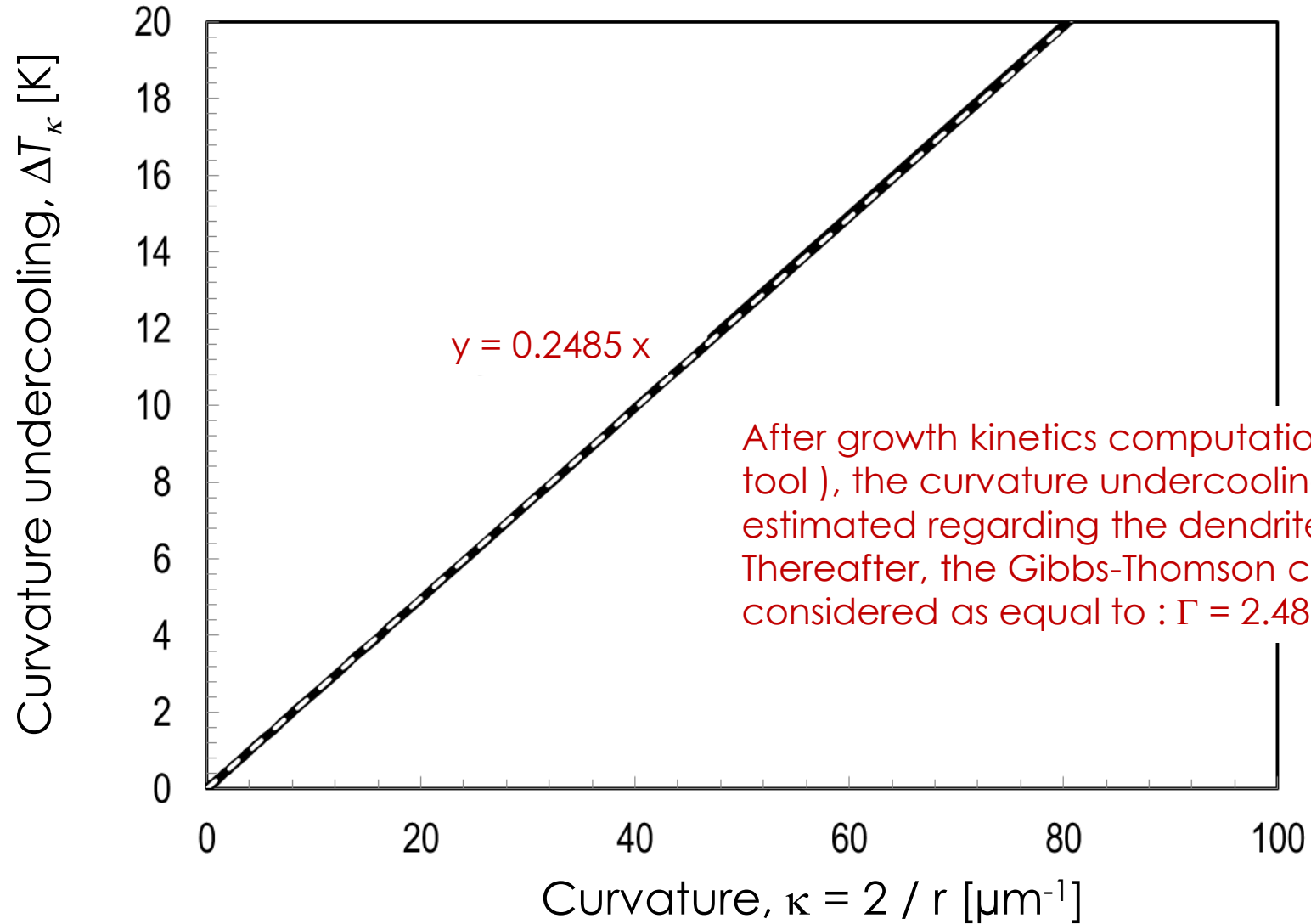
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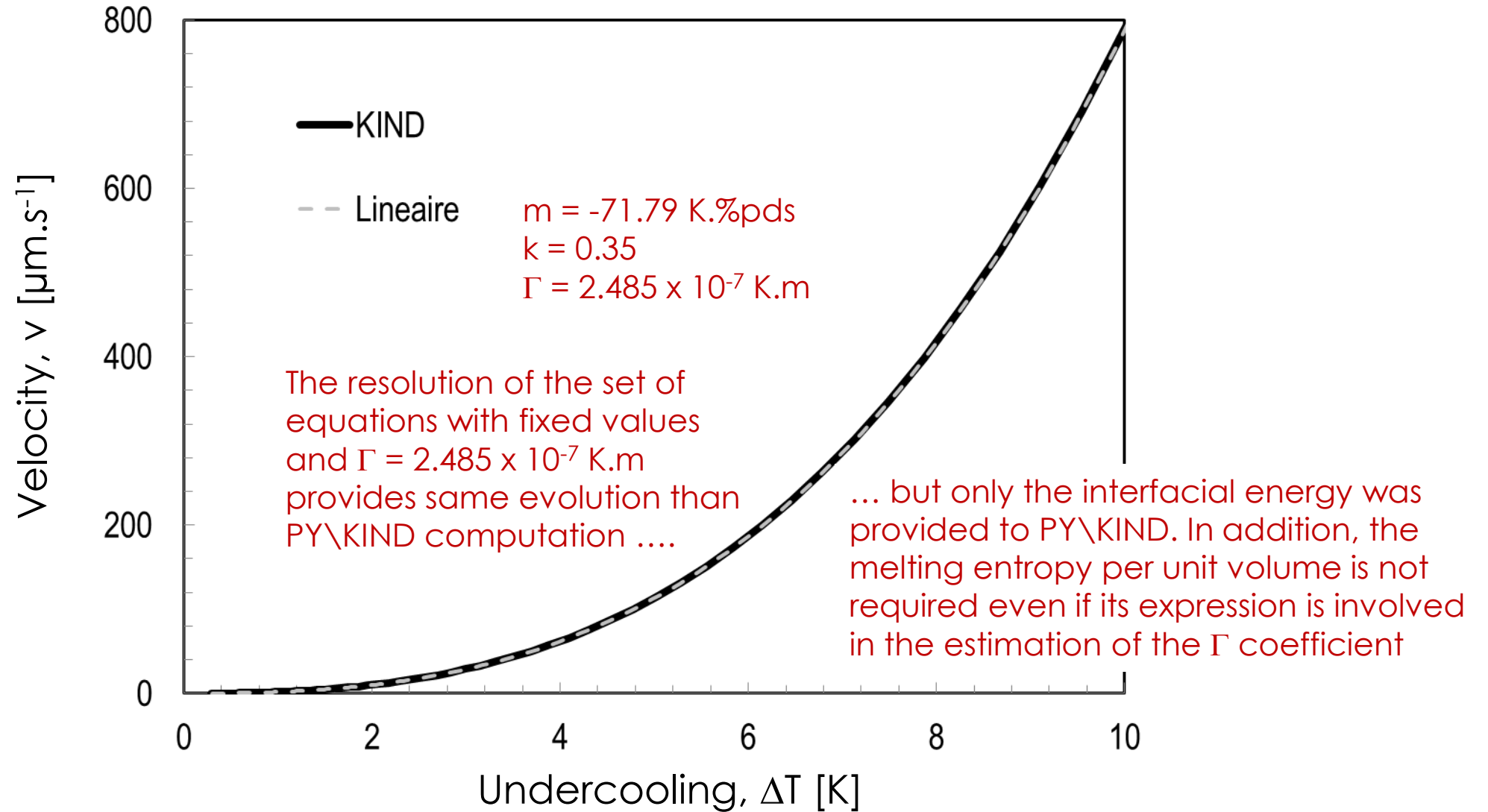


After growth kinetics computation ( PY\KIND tool ), the curvature undercooling can be estimated regarding the dendrite tip curvature. Thereafter, the Gibbs-Thomson coefficient is considered as equal to :  $\Gamma = 2.485 \times 10^{-7}$  K.m



# PY\KIND vs. LINEARIZED SOLUTION

## DENDRITE GROWTH KINETICS / FE-1% WT C



## DENDRITE GROWTH KINETICS IN MULTICOMPONENT ALLOY [HUN01]

Global undercooling

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Solutal undercooling

$$\Delta T_w = T_L^\kappa \left( \{w_{i,\infty}^l\}_{1 \leq i \leq N} \right) - T_L^\kappa \left( \{w_i^{l/s}\}_{1 \leq i \leq N} \right)$$

Local equilibrium

$$\{w_i^{s/l}\}_{1 \leq i \leq N} = F \left[ \{w_i^{l/s}\}_{1 \leq i \leq N}, T, r \right]$$

Ivantsov relation in multicomponent alloy

$\mathbf{U}_i$ : Eigenvectors of  $D^l \left[ \{w_{i,\infty}^l\}_{1 \leq i \leq N}, T \right]$

$B_i$ : Eigenvalues of  $D^l \left[ \{w_{i,\infty}^l\}_{1 \leq i \leq N}, T \right]$

$$\begin{cases} w_i^{l/s} - w_i^{s/l} = \sum_{k=1}^N C_k U_{ik} \frac{e^{-Pe_k}}{Pe_k} \\ w_i^{l/s} - w_{i,\infty}^l = \sum_{k=1}^N C_k U_{ik} E_1 [Pe_k] \end{cases}$$

In a simplified presentation :

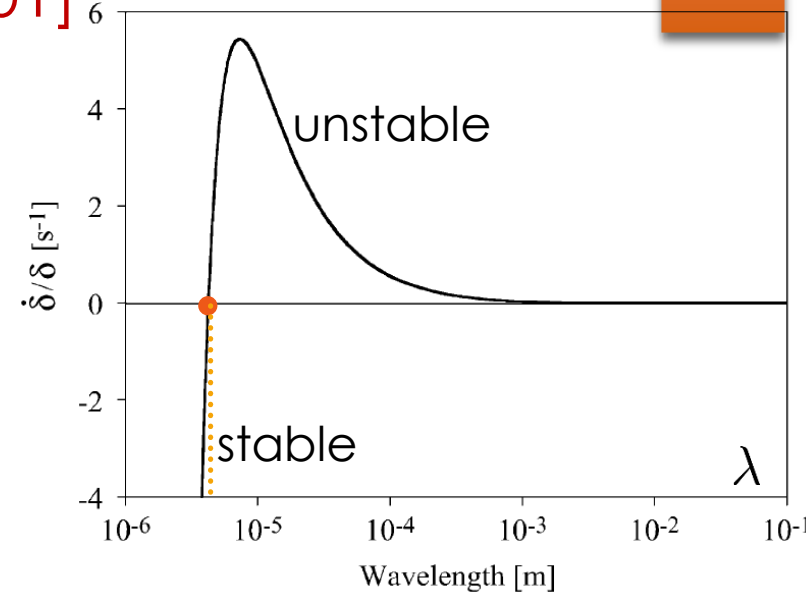
$$w_i^{l/s} - w_i^{s/l} = \sum_{j=1}^N \left( w_j^{l/s} - w_{j,\infty}^l \right) \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{U_{ik} U_{kj}^{-1}}{\text{Iv}(Pe_k)}$$

where :  $Pe_k = \frac{r v}{2 B_k}$

## DENDRITE GROWTH KINETICS IN MULTICOMPONENT ALLOY [HUN01]

Instability wavelength

$$\frac{\dot{\delta}}{\delta} = \frac{v \omega (\kappa^s + \kappa^l)}{\kappa^s G^s - \kappa^l G^l} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^N \left( m_i \sum_{j=1}^N F_j U_{ij} \right) - \Gamma \omega^2 - \frac{\kappa^s G^s + \kappa^l G^l}{\kappa^s + \kappa^l} \right]$$



F<sub>j</sub> coefficients computations

$$\sum_{i=1}^N \left( m_i \sum_{j=1}^N F_j U_{ij} \right) - \Gamma \omega^2 - \frac{\kappa^s G^s + \kappa^l G^l}{\kappa^s + \kappa^l} = 0 \quad \text{where} \quad \begin{cases} \omega = \frac{2 \pi}{\lambda} \\ \lambda \approx r \end{cases}$$

Langer-Müller Krumbhaar criterion

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{F} = \mathbf{N} \\ (M_{ij} F_j = N_i) \end{cases} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} M_{ij} = \frac{U_{ij}}{2} \left( 1 + \sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{2 \omega B_j}{v} \right)^2} \right) - \sum_{j=1}^N U_{ij} H_{ij} \\ N_i = - \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{v A_k U_{ik}}{2 B_k} \left( -1 + \sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{2 \omega B_k}{v} \right)^2} \right) \end{array} \right. \quad \text{with:} \quad w_i^{l/s} - w_i^{s/l} = \sum_{k=1}^N U_{ik} A_k$$

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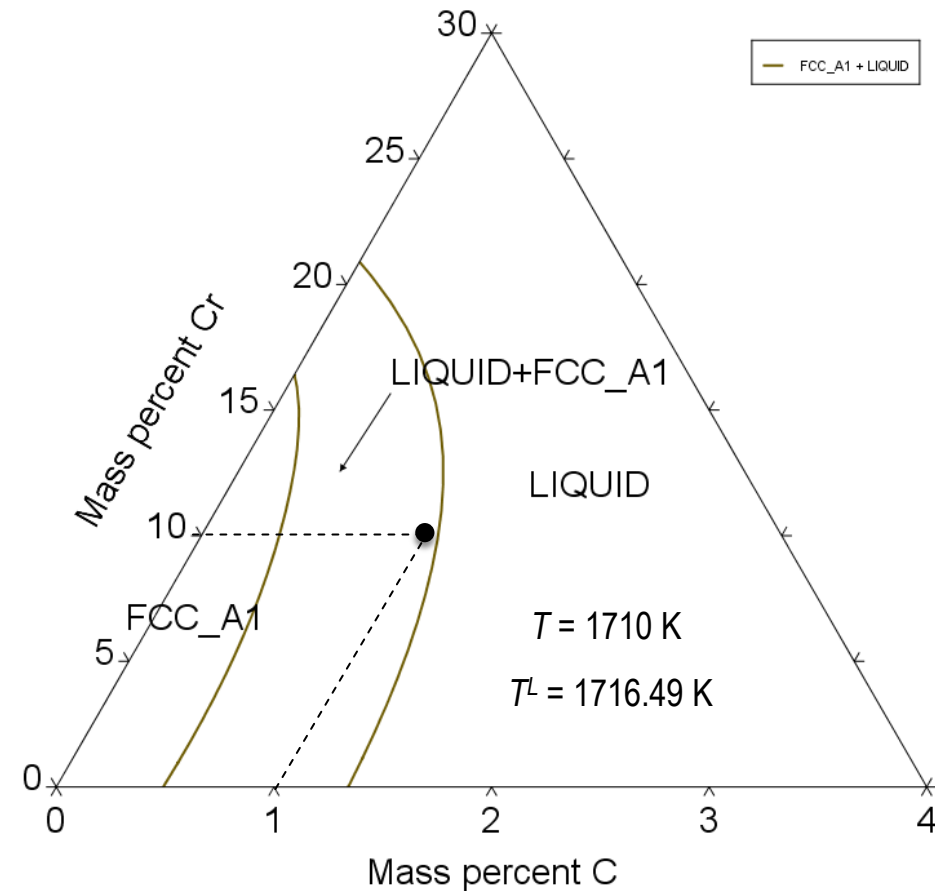
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-[5-15] WT% Cr

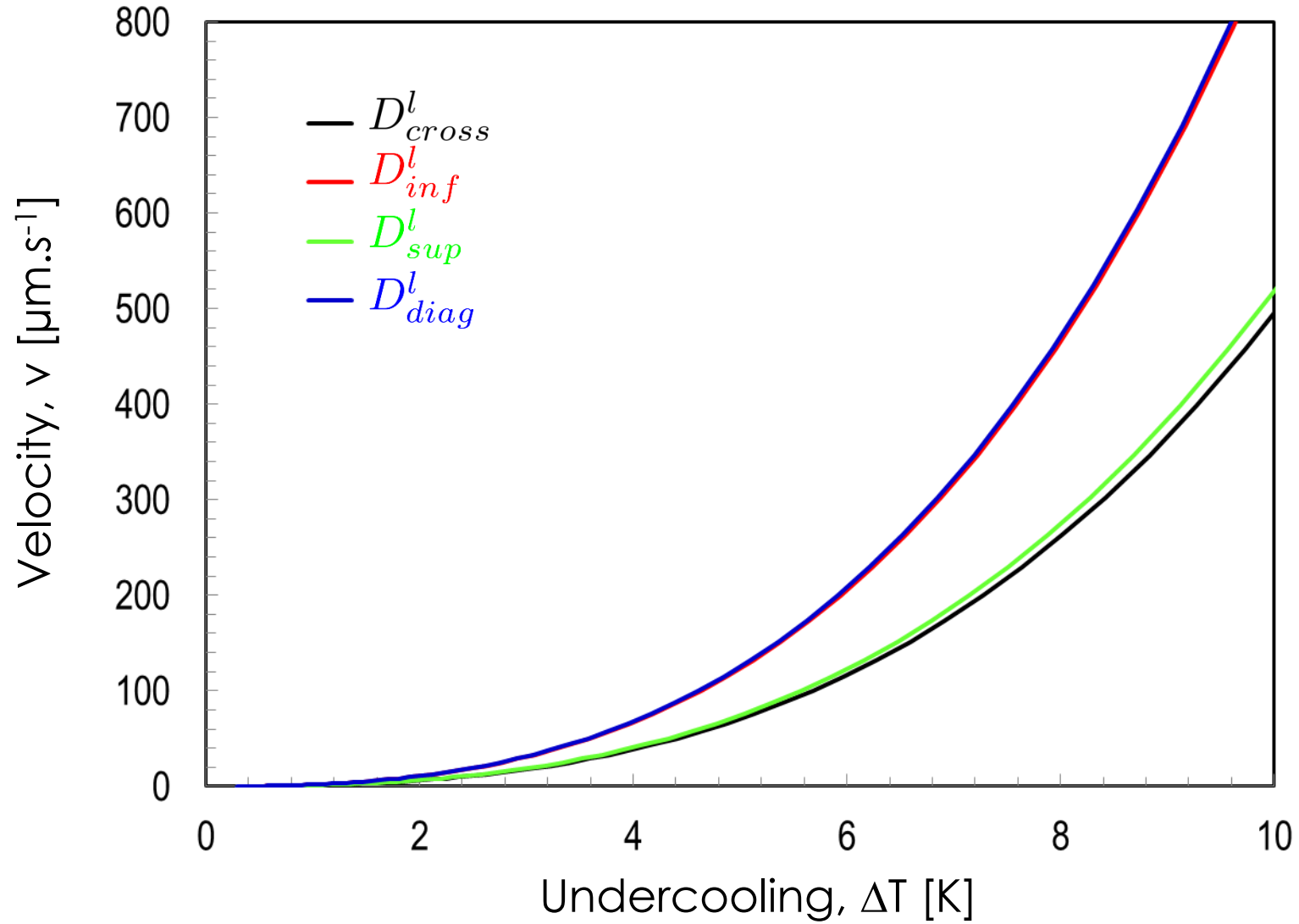
### □ Cross diffusion effect

▪ LIQUID	$D_{cross}^l$	C	5.221	- 0.684	] x 10 <sup>-9</sup> m <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup>
		Cr	- 1.208	2.975	
	$D_{inf}^l$	C	5.221	<b>0</b>	] x 10 <sup>-9</sup> m <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup>
		Cr	- 1.208	2.975	
$D_{sup}^l$	C	5.221	- 0.684	] x 10 <sup>-9</sup> m <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup>	
	Cr	<b>0</b>	2.975		
$D_{diag}^l$	C	5.221	<b>0</b>	] x 10 <sup>-9</sup> m <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup>	
	Cr	<b>0</b>	2.975		

### □ Alloy composition effect

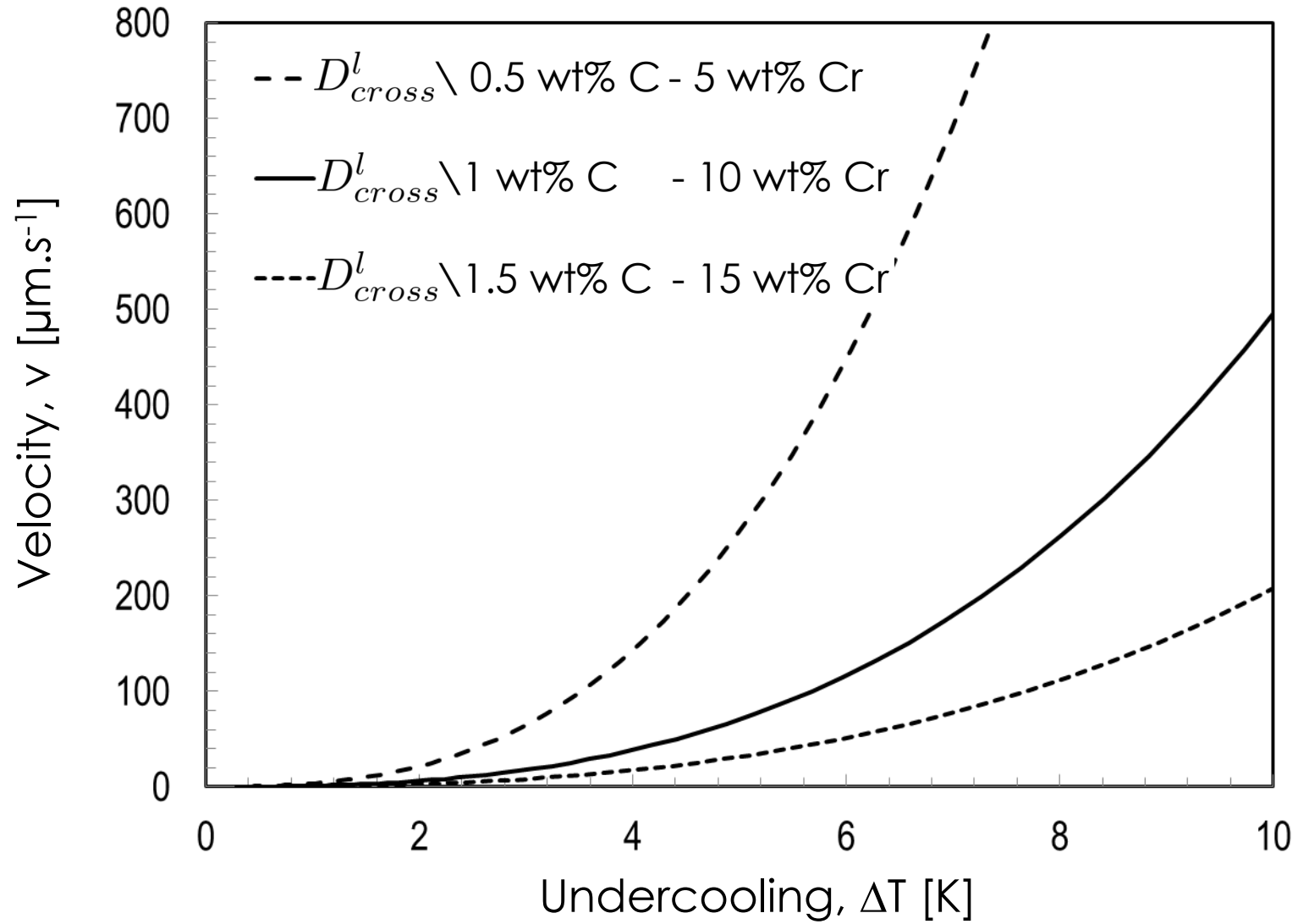
- X<sub>C</sub>= 0.5 wt %, X<sub>Cr</sub> = 5 wt %
- X<sub>C</sub>= 1 wt %, X<sub>Cr</sub> = 10 wt %
- X<sub>C</sub>= 5 wt %, X<sub>Cr</sub> = 15 wt %

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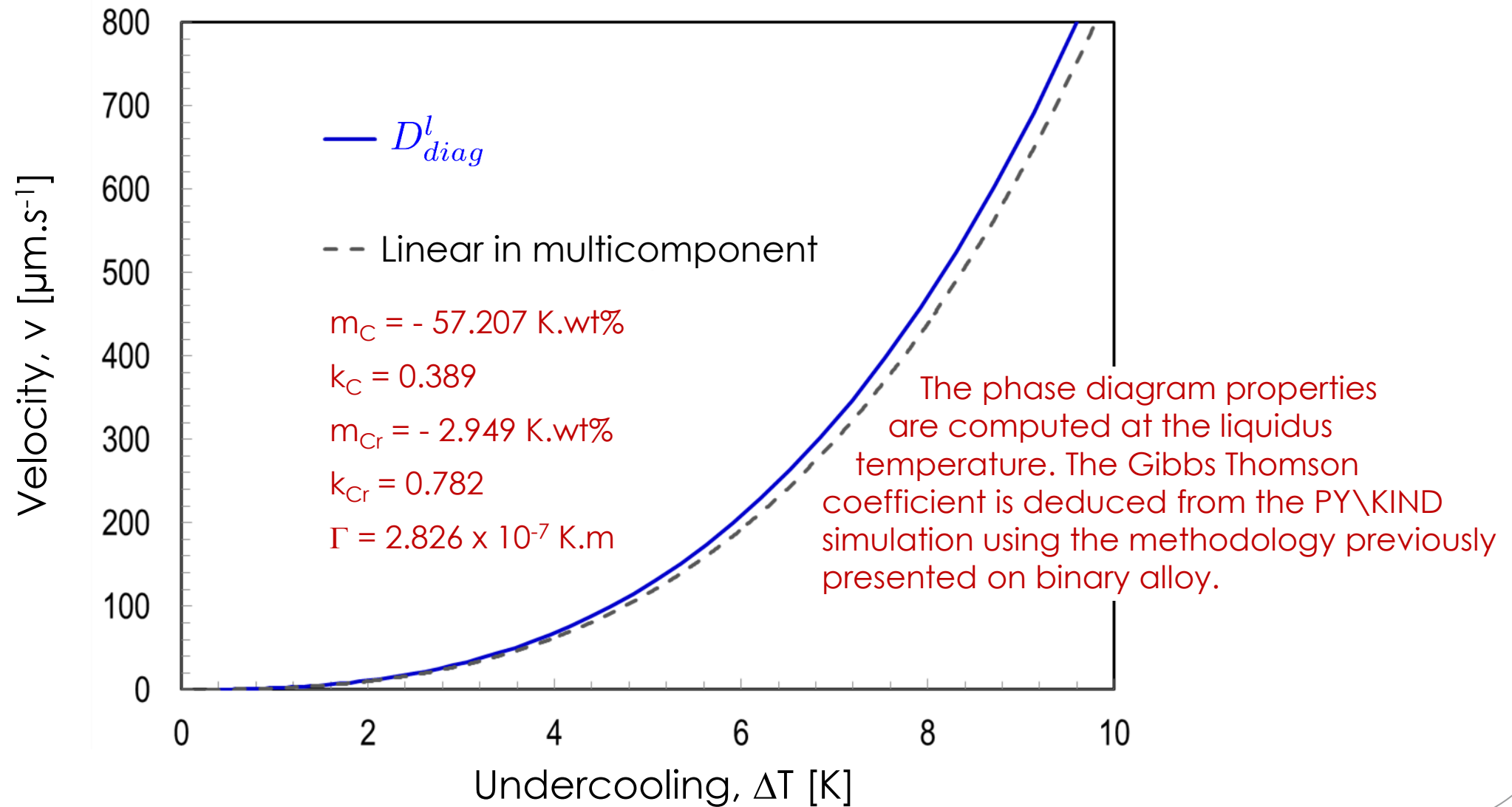
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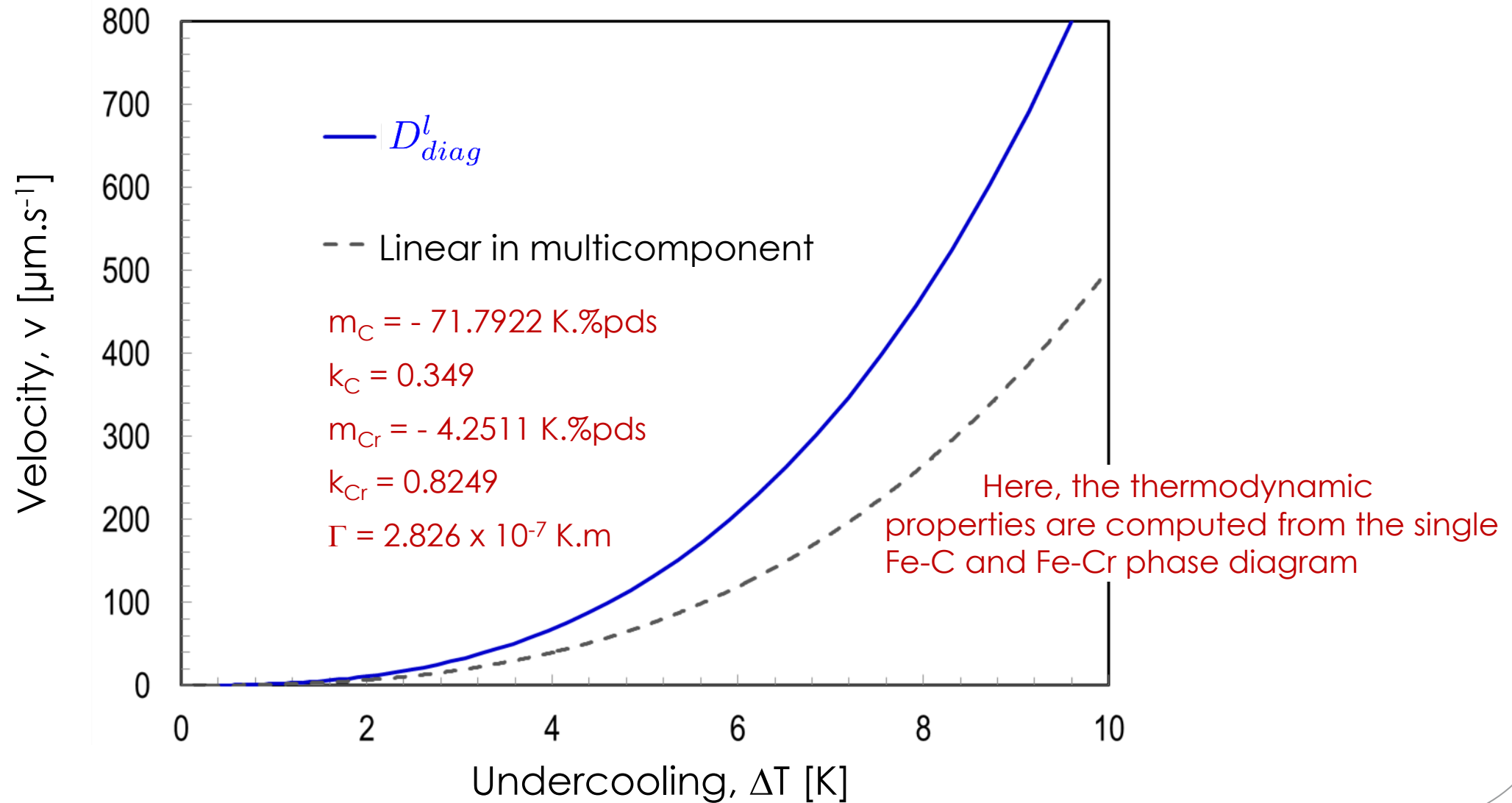
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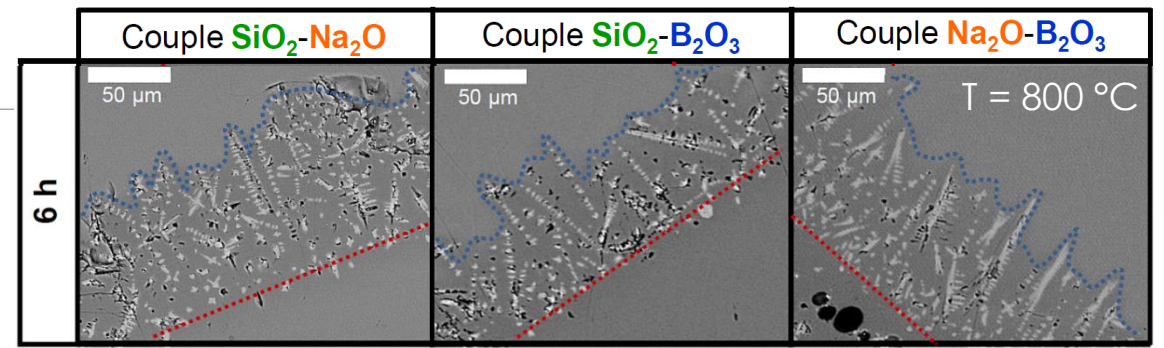
## ADVANTAGES FOR COMPUTATION OF DENDRITE TIP GROWTH KINETICS

- ❑ Generalized approach applied for any alloy described with a CALPHAD database (*non restricted to a ternary system*)
- ❑ Large range of compositions and growth velocities can be assessed
- ❑ Efficient computation model
- ❑ Main dependencies with databases
  - Equilibrium compositions
  - Diffusion coefficients (Thermodynamic database – Dictra)
  - Solid/liquid interfacial energy

# PY\KIND – PERSPECTIVES

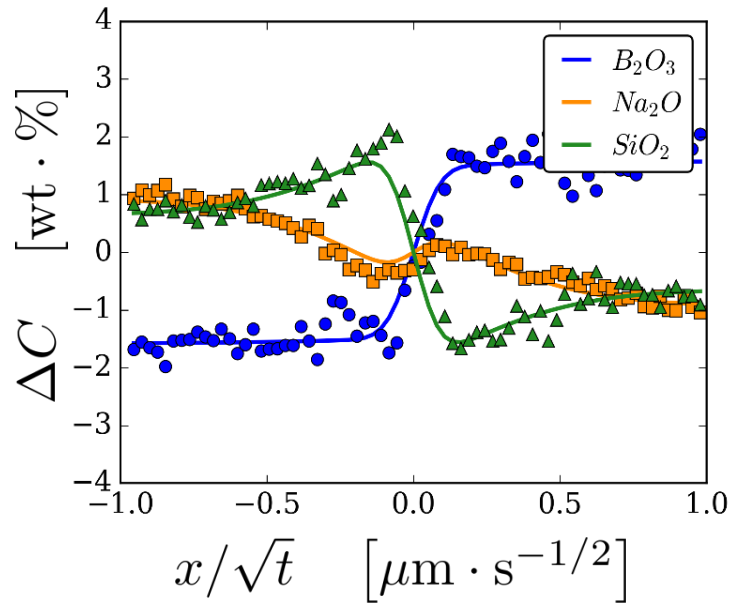
## OBSERVATIONS IN $\text{SiO}_2 - \text{Na}_2\text{O} - \text{B}_2\text{O}_3$

- Constant growth velocity of the cristobalite dendritic layer
- Known equilibrium data and diffusion matrix as a function of temperature and composition

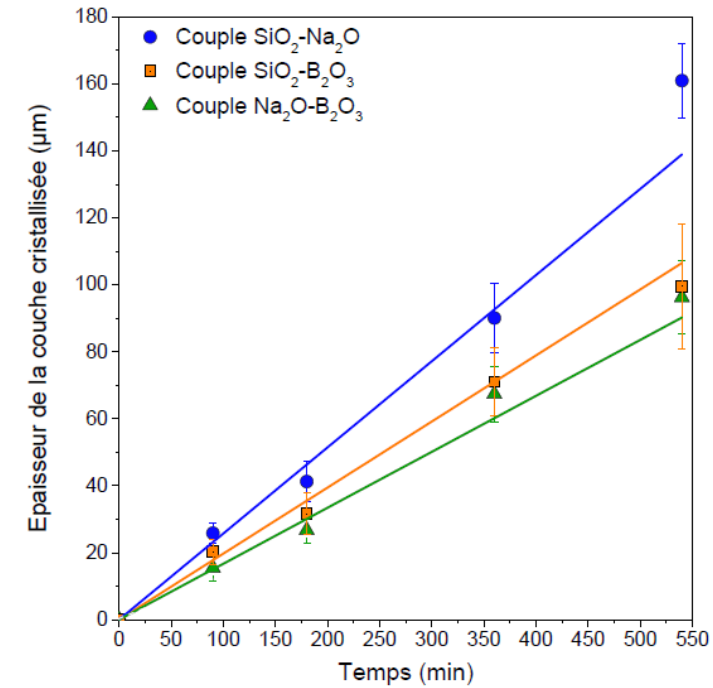
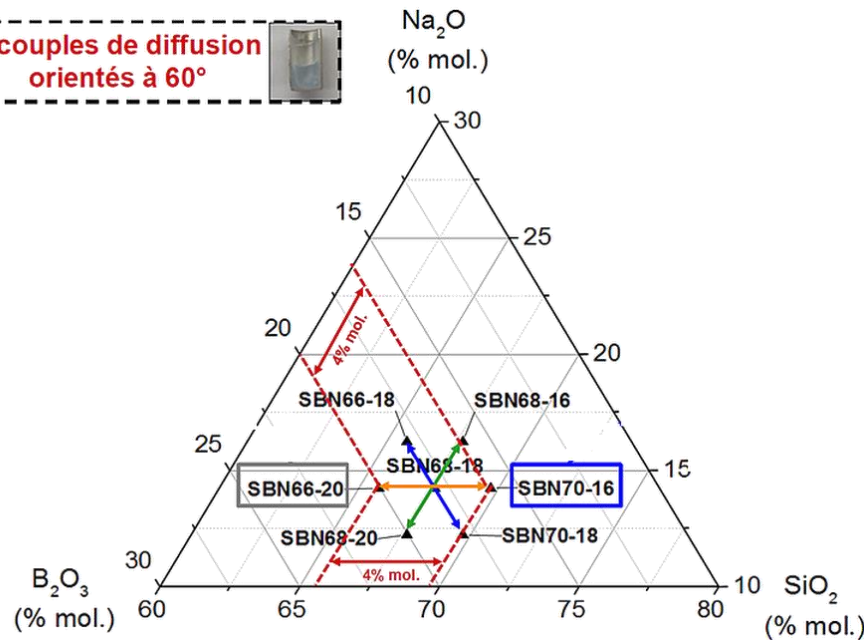


Evolution of the cristobalite dendritic layer for various diffusion couples

## E.G. COUPLE $\text{Na}_2\text{O} - \text{B}_2\text{O}_3$



3 couples de diffusion orientés à 60°



## APPLICATIONS TO $\text{SiO}_2 - \text{Na}_2\text{O} - \text{B}_2\text{O}_3$

- Computation of growth kinetics associated to dendritic structures observed on cristobalite based on :
  - Equilibrium compositions ✓
  - Diffusion coefficients ✓
  - Cristobalite/glass interfacial energy ?
  
- Investigation of temperature and solutal effects on interface evolutions for future experiments & simulations in borosilicate glasses !

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QUESTIONS ?

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