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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Discrete twinning dynamics and size-dependent dislocation-to twin transition in body-centred cubic tungsten. <i>Journal of Materials Science and Technology</i> , 2022, 106, 33-40.	5.6	19
2	Experimental molecular dynamics for individual atomic-scale plastic events in nanoscale crystals. <i>Journal of the Mechanics and Physics of Solids</i> , 2022, 158, 104687.	2.3	16
3	Atomistic observation on diffusion-mediated friction between single-asperity contacts. <i>Nature Materials</i> , 2022, 21, 173-180.	13.3	16
4	Atomic-scale friction between single-asperity contacts unveiled through in situ transmission electron microscopy. <i>Nature Nanotechnology</i> , 2022, 17, 737-745.	15.6	9
5	In situ atomic-scale observation of dislocation-mediated discrete plasticity in nanoscale crystals. <i>Material Science &amp; Engineering International Journal</i> , 2021, 5, .	0.0	0
6	Advances in experimental mechanics at atomic scale. <i>Extreme Mechanics Letters</i> , 2021, 45, 101284.	2.0	14
7	In-situ TEM on interfacial phase transition during shear-mediated grain boundary migration. <i>Microscopy and Microanalysis</i> , 2021, 27, 2402-2403.	0.2	0
8	Atomistic processes of surface-diffusion-induced abnormal softening in nanoscale metallic crystals. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2021, 12, 5237.	5.8	27
9	Direct observation of dual-step twinning nucleation in hexagonal close-packed crystals. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2020, 11, 2483.	5.8	59
10	Unstable twin in body-centered cubic tungsten nanocrystals. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2020, 11, 2497.	5.8	40
11	Anti-twinning in nanoscale tungsten. <i>Science Advances</i> , 2020, 6, eaay2792.	4.7	49
12	Metallic nanocrystals with low angle grain boundary for controllable plastic reversibility. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2020, 11, 3100.	5.8	53
13	In situ atomistic observation of the deformation mechanism of Au nanowires with twin-twin intersection. <i>Journal of Materials Science and Technology</i> , 2020, 53, 118-125.	5.6	19
14	In-situ TEM on Formation of Monatomic Metallic Glasses Through Ultrafast Liquid Quenching. <i>Microscopy and Microanalysis</i> , 2019, 25, 1828-1829.	0.2	1
15	Insights into fundamental deformation processes from advanced in situ transmission electron microscopy. <i>MRS Bulletin</i> , 2019, 44, 443-449.	1.7	16
16	In situ atomistic observation of disconnection-mediated grain boundary migration. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2019, 10, 156.	5.8	98
17	Discrete shear band plasticity through dislocation activities in body-centered cubic tungsten nanowires. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2018, 8, 4574.	1.6	22
18	Advances in understanding atomic-scale deformation of small-sized face-centered cubic metals with in situ transmission electron microscopy. <i>Materials Today Nano</i> , 2018, 2, 58-69.	2.3	10

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19	Superplasticity in Gold Nanowires through the Operation of Multiple Slip Systems. <i>Advanced Functional Materials</i> , 2018, 28, 1805258.	7.8	21
20	Accessing crystal-crystal interaction forces with oriented nanocrystal atomic force microscopy probes. <i>Nature Protocols</i> , 2018, 13, 2005-2030.	5.5	12
21	Consecutive crystallographic reorientations and superplasticity in body-centered cubic niobium nanowires. <i>Science Advances</i> , 2018, 4, eaas8850.	4.7	46
22	Size-dependent dynamic structures of supported gold nanoparticles in CO oxidation reaction condition. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2018, 115, 7700-7705.	3.3	183
23	LiMnPO <sub>4</sub> -Li <sub>3</sub> V <sub>2</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> composite cathode material derived from Mn(VO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> nanosheet precursor. <i>Journal of Alloys and Compounds</i> , 2017, 695, 1813-1820.	2.8	4
24	Dislocation mechanisms and 3D twin architectures generate exceptional strength-ductility-toughness combination in CrCoNi medium-entropy alloy. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2017, 8, 14390.	5.8	344
25	In Situ Observation of Single-Phase Lithium Intercalation in Sub-25-nm Nanoparticles. <i>Advanced Materials</i> , 2017, 29, 1700236.	11.1	16
26	Direction-specific van der Waals attraction between rutile TiO <sub>2</sub> nanocrystals. <i>Science</i> , 2017, 356, 434-437.	6.0	103
27	Reaction and Capacity-Fading Mechanisms of Tin Nanoparticles in Potassium-Ion Batteries. <i>Journal of Physical Chemistry C</i> , 2017, 121, 12652-12657.	1.5	150
28	High-Performance Rh <sub>2</sub> P Electrocatalyst for Efficient Water Splitting. <i>Journal of the American Chemical Society</i> , 2017, 139, 5494-5502.	6.6	343
29	Tuning the Outward to Inward Swelling in Lithiated Silicon Nanotubes via Surface Oxide Coating. <i>Microscopy and Microanalysis</i> , 2017, 23, 2018-2019.	0.2	0
30	Highly-efficient MnO <sub>2</sub> /carbon array-type catalytic cathode enabling confined Li <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> growth for long-life Li-O <sub>2</sub> batteries. <i>Energy Storage Materials</i> , 2017, 6, 164-170.	9.5	27
31	Slip-activated surface creep with room-temperature super-elongation in metallic nanocrystals. <i>Nature Materials</i> , 2017, 16, 439-445.	13.3	82
32	Atomistic Conversion Reaction Mechanism of WO <sub>3</sub> in Secondary Ion Batteries of Li, Na, and Ca. <i>Angewandte Chemie - International Edition</i> , 2016, 55, 6244-6247.	7.2	86
33	Characterization of electrical properties in axial Si-Ge nanowire heterojunctions using off-axis electron holography and atom-probe tomography. <i>Journal of Applied Physics</i> , 2016, 120, .	1.1	10
34	Size Dependent Pore Formation in Germanium Nanowires Undergoing Reversible Delithiation Observed by In Situ TEM. <i>Journal of Physical Chemistry C</i> , 2016, 120, 28825-28831.	1.5	9
35	Highly Reversible Zinc-Ion Intercalation into Chevrel Phase Mo <sub>6</sub> S <sub>8</sub> Nanocubes and Applications for Advanced Zinc-Ion Batteries. <i>ACS Applied Materials &amp; Interfaces</i> , 2016, 8, 13673-13677.	4.0	256
36	In situ nanomechanical testing of twinned metals in a transmission electron microscope. <i>MRS Bulletin</i> , 2016, 41, 305-313.	1.7	13

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37	Electronegative guests in CoSb <sub>3</sub> . Energy and Environmental Science, 2016, 9, 2090-2098.	15.6	93
38	Electron Transfer Governed Crystal Transformation of Tungsten Trioxide upon Li Ions Intercalation. ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces, 2016, 8, 24567-24572.	4.0	26
39	Tuning the Outward to Inward Swelling in Lithiated Silicon Nanotubes via Surface Oxide Coating. Nano Letters, 2016, 16, 5815-5822.	4.5	45
40	In situ observation of shear-driven amorphization in silicon crystals. Nature Nanotechnology, 2016, 11, 866-871.	15.6	74
41	In situ observation of sublimation-enhanced magnesium oxidation at elevated temperature. Nano Research, 2016, 9, 2796-2802.	5.8	14
42	Atomistic Conversion Reaction Mechanism of WO <sub>3</sub> in Secondary Ion Batteries of Li, Na, and Ca. Angewandte Chemie, 2016, 128, 6352-6355.	1.6	21
43	In Situ Observation on Dislocation-Controlled Sublimation of Mg Nanoparticles. Nano Letters, 2016, 16, 1156-1160.	4.5	26
44	Atomistic perspective on in situ nanomechanics. Extreme Mechanics Letters, 2016, 8, 127-139.	2.0	29
45	Germanium as a Sodium Ion Battery Material: <i>In Situ</i> TEM Reveals Fast Sodiation Kinetics with High Capacity. Chemistry of Materials, 2016, 28, 1236-1242.	3.2	134
46	Size-Dependent Brittle-to-Ductile Transition in Silica Glass Nanofibers. Nano Letters, 2016, 16, 105-113.	4.5	120
47	In situ atomic-scale observation of twinning-dominated deformation in nanoscale body-centred cubic tungsten. Nature Materials, 2015, 14, 594-600.	13.3	250
48	Nanoscale origins of the damage tolerance of the high-entropy alloy CrMnFeCoNi. Nature Communications, 2015, 6, 10143.	5.8	608
49	Tailoring Pore Size of Nitrogen-Doped Hollow Carbon Nanospheres for Confining Sulfur in Lithium-Sulfur Batteries. Advanced Energy Materials, 2015, 5, 1401752.	10.2	273
50	Probing the Degradation Mechanism of Li <sub>2</sub> MnO <sub>3</sub> Cathode for Li-Ion Batteries. Chemistry of Materials, 2015, 27, 975-982.	3.2	130
51	Atomic resolution observation of conversion-type anode RuO <sub>2</sub> during the first electrochemical lithiation. Nanotechnology, 2015, 26, 125404.	1.3	14
52	Strong Hall-Petch Type Behavior in the Elastic Strain Limit of Nanotwinned Gold Nanowires. Nano Letters, 2015, 15, 3865-3870.	4.5	41
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68	In Situ Transmission Electron Microscopy Observations of Electrochemical Oxidation of Li <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> . Nano Letters, 2013, 13, 2209-2214.	4.5	214
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84	Lithium fiber growth on the anode in a nanowire lithium ion battery during charging. Applied Physics Letters, 2011, 98, .	1.5	80
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88	Multiple-Stripe Lithiation Mechanism of Individual $\text{SnO}_2$ Nanowires in a Flooding Geometry. Physical Review Letters, 2011, 106, 248302.	2.9	62
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95	Temperature-dependent growth of zinc-blende-structured ZnTe nanostructures. <i>Journal of Crystal Growth</i> , 2008, 310, 4481-4486.	0.7	55
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97	Alternating starvation of dislocations during plastic yielding in metallic nanowires. <i>Scripta Materialia</i> , 2008, 59, 219-222.	2.6	27
98	Response to "Comment on "Deformation mechanisms of face-centered-cubic metal nanowires with twin boundaries" [Appl. Phys. Lett. 93, 086101 (2008)]. <i>Applied Physics Letters</i> , 2008, 93, .	1.5	0
99	Deformation mechanisms of face-centered-cubic metal nanowires with twin boundaries. <i>Applied Physics Letters</i> , 2007, 90, 151909.	1.5	150
100	Three-dimensional dendrite-like nanostructures of gallium nitride. <i>Journal of Crystal Growth</i> , 2007, 308, 166-169.	0.7	3
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103	Radial moduli of individual single-walled carbon nanotubes with and without electric current flow. <i>Applied Physics Letters</i> , 2006, 89, 211906.	1.5	12
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106	Nanomechanical characterization of ZnS nanobelts. <i>Nanotechnology</i> , 2005, 16, 1073-1077.	1.3	25
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108	Interfacial Structure and Micro and Nano-Mechanical Behavior of Laser-Welded 6061 Aluminum Alloy Blank. <i>Journal of Engineering Materials and Technology, Transactions of the ASME</i> , 2004, 126, 8-13.	0.8	21

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113	Piezoelectric Characterization of Individual Zinc Oxide Nanobelt Probed by Piezoresponse Force Microscope. Nano Letters, 2004, 4, 587-590.	4.5	649
114	Processing and mechanical behaviour of TiAl/NiAl intermetallic composites produced by cryogenic mechanical alloying. Materials Science & Engineering A: Structural Materials: Properties, Microstructure and Processing, 2003, 363, 275-289.	2.6	25
115	Material-length-scale-controlled nanoindentation size effects due to strain-gradient plasticity. Acta Materialia, 2003, 51, 4461-4469.	3.8	103
116	Effect of microcracking on electric-field-induced stress intensity factors in dielectric ceramics. Philosophical Magazine, 2003, 83, 277-294.	0.7	2
117	Nanoscale mechanical behavior of individual semiconducting nanobelts. Applied Physics Letters, 2003, 83, 993-995.	1.5	78
118	Fracture and cavitation in a constrained thin metal layer under a scale effect in layered materials. Philosophical Magazine, 2003, 83, 1807-1826.	0.7	1
119	Length-scale-controlled interfacial toughening and weakening in metal/ceramic layered materials. Philosophical Magazine A: Physics of Condensed Matter, Structure, Defects and Mechanical Properties, 2002, 82, 1049-1071.	0.7	1
120	Length-scale-controlled interfacial toughening and weakening in metal/ceramic layered materials. Philosophical Magazine A: Physics of Condensed Matter, Structure, Defects and Mechanical Properties, 2002, 82, 1049-1071.	0.7	0
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