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1	A lithium-oxygen battery based on lithium superoxide. <i>Nature</i> , 2016, 529, 377-382.	27.8	633
2	Synthesis, sintering, and mechanical properties of nanocrystalline cemented tungsten carbide – A review. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2009, 27, 288-299.	3.8	586
3	Powder metallurgy of titanium – past, present, and future. <i>International Materials Reviews</i> , 2018, 63, 407-459.	19.3	339
4	Hydrogen Storage Properties of Nanosized $MgH_{2-0.1TiH_2}$ Prepared by Ultrahigh-Energy/High-Pressure Milling. <i>Journal of the American Chemical Society</i> , 2009, 131, 15843-15852.	13.7	245
5	Review of the Methods for Production of Spherical Ti and Ti Alloy Powder. <i>Jom</i> , 2017, 69, 1853-1860.	1.9	169
6	Grain growth during the early stage of sintering of nanosized WC-Co powder. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2008, 26, 232-241.	3.8	158
7	Correlation of transverse rupture strength of WC-Co with hardness. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2005, 23, 119-127.	3.8	132
8	Effect of Ti Intermetallic Catalysts on Hydrogen Storage Properties of Magnesium Hydride. <i>Journal of Physical Chemistry C</i> , 2013, 117, 12973-12980.	3.1	132
9	Hydrogenation of Nanocrystalline Mg at Room Temperature in the Presence of TiH_2 . <i>Journal of the American Chemical Society</i> , 2010, 132, 6616-6617.	13.7	121
10	A new method for production of titanium dioxide pigment. <i>Hydrometallurgy</i> , 2013, 131-132, 107-113.	4.3	120
11	Thermodynamic and Kinetic Destabilization of Magnesium Hydride Using Mg-In Solid Solution Alloys. <i>Journal of the American Chemical Society</i> , 2013, 135, 10982-10985.	13.7	103
12	A novel method for production of spherical Ti-6Al-4V powder for additive manufacturing. <i>Powder Technology</i> , 2016, 301, 331-335.	4.2	99
13	Coarsening, densification, and grain growth during sintering of nano-sized powders – A perspective. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2017, 62, 110-117.	3.8	95
14	Life cycle assessment comparison of emerging and traditional Titanium dioxide manufacturing processes. <i>Journal of Cleaner Production</i> , 2015, 89, 137-147.	9.3	84
15	Hydrogen assisted magnesiothermic reduction of TiO_2 . <i>Chemical Engineering Journal</i> , 2017, 308, 299-310.	12.7	84
16	A review of liquid phase migration and methods for fabrication of functionally graded cemented tungsten carbide. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2013, 36, 2-9.	3.8	82
17	A powder metallurgy method for manufacturing Ti-6Al-4V with wrought-like microstructures and mechanical properties via hydrogen sintering and phase transformation (HSPT). <i>Scripta Materialia</i> , 2015, 107, 103-106.	5.2	82
18	Titanium for Automotive Applications: Challenges and Opportunities in Materials and Processing. <i>Jom</i> , 2012, 64, 553-565.	1.9	80

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19	An experimental study of the (Ti-6Al-4V)-H phase diagram using in situ synchrotron XRD and TGA/DSC techniques. <i>Acta Materialia</i> , 2015, 84, 29-41.	7.9	78
20	Sinter-ability of nanocrystalline tungsten powder. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2010, 28, 312-316.	3.8	77
21	A novel chemical pathway for energy efficient production of Ti metal from upgraded titanium slag. <i>Chemical Engineering Journal</i> , 2016, 286, 517-527.	12.7	77
22	The chemical vapor synthesis of inorganic nanopowders. <i>Jom</i> , 2007, 59, 44-49.	1.9	72
23	An investigation of the microstructure and ductility of annealed cold-rolled tungsten. <i>Acta Materialia</i> , 2019, 162, 202-213.	7.9	69
24	Kinetics of cobalt gradient formation during the liquid phase sintering of functionally graded WC-Co. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2007, 25, 286-292.	3.8	66
25	Metal Hydrides for High-Temperature Power Generation. <i>Energies</i> , 2015, 8, 8406-8430.	3.1	65
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29	Potential of Binary Lithium Magnesium Nitride for Hydrogen Storage Applications. <i>Journal of Physical Chemistry C</i> , 2007, 111, 12129-12134.	3.1	59
30	The study on low temperature sintering of nano-tungsten powders. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2016, 61, 273-278.	3.8	59
31	Titanium and Titanium Alloy via Sintering of TiH ₂ . <i>Key Engineering Materials</i> , 0, 436, 157-163.	0.4	58
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33	Thermodynamic Destabilization of Magnesium Hydride Using Mg-Based Solid Solution Alloys. <i>Journal of Physical Chemistry C</i> , 2014, 118, 11526-11535.	3.1	55
34	Amorphous TiCu-Based Additives for Improving Hydrogen Storage Properties of Magnesium Hydride. <i>ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces</i> , 2019, 11, 38868-38879.	8.0	54
35	A New, Energy-Efficient Chemical Pathway for Extracting Ti Metal from Ti Minerals. <i>Journal of the American Chemical Society</i> , 2013, 135, 18248-18251.	13.7	51
36	Effect of WC particle size on Co distribution in liquid-phase-sintered functionally graded WC-Co composite. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2008, 26, 98-105.	3.8	49

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37	Kinetics of the formation of metal binder gradient in WC-Co by carbon diffusion induced liquid migration. <i>Acta Materialia</i> , 2011, 59, 4719-4731.	7.9	49
38	An analysis of grain boundaries and grain growth in cemented tungsten carbide using orientation imaging microscopy. <i>Metallurgical and Materials Transactions A: Physical Metallurgy and Materials Science</i> , 2006, 37, 599-607.	2.2	48
39	Hydrogen-enabled microstructure and fatigue strength engineering of titanium alloys. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2017, 7, 41444.	3.3	48
40	The effect of molten salt on oxygen removal from titanium and its alloys using calcium. <i>Journal of Materials Science</i> , 2017, 52, 4120-4128.	3.7	47
41	A kinetic model for cobalt gradient formation during liquid phase sintering of functionally graded WC-Co. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2008, 26, 91-97.	3.8	46
42	Metal hydrides based high energy density thermal battery. <i>Journal of Alloys and Compounds</i> , 2015, 645, S184-S189.	5.5	44
43	Understanding competing fatigue mechanisms in powder metallurgy Ti-6Al-4V alloy: Role of crack initiation and duality of fatigue response. <i>Materials Science & Engineering A: Structural Materials: Properties, Microstructure and Processing</i> , 2015, 630, 139-145.	5.6	42
44	Stability of Catalyzed Magnesium Hydride Nanocrystalline During Hydrogen Cycling. Part I: Kinetic Analysis. <i>Journal of Physical Chemistry C</i> , 2015, 119, 22261-22271.	3.1	42
45	An experimental survey of additives for improving dehydrogenation properties of magnesium hydride. <i>Journal of Power Sources</i> , 2015, 278, 38-42.	7.8	42
46	Hydrogen Assisted Magnesiothermic Reduction (HAMR) of Commercial TiO ₂ to Produce Titanium Powder with Controlled Morphology and Particle Size. <i>Materials Transactions</i> , 2017, 58, 355-360.	1.2	42
47	Design of cobalt gradient via controlling carbon content and WC grain size in liquid-phase-sintered WC-Co composite. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2009, 27, 256-260.	3.8	39
48	The effects of microstructure and porosity on the competing fatigue failure mechanisms in powder metallurgy Ti-6Al-4V. <i>International Journal of Fatigue</i> , 2018, 116, 584-591.	5.7	39
49	New Powder Metallurgical Approach to Achieve High Fatigue Strength in Ti-6Al-4V Alloy. <i>Metallurgical and Materials Transactions A: Physical Metallurgy and Materials Science</i> , 2016, 47, 2335-2345.	2.2	37
50	Mathematical modeling of liquid phase migration in solid-liquid mixtures: Application to the sintering of functionally graded WC-Co composites. <i>Acta Materialia</i> , 2007, 55, 3111-3119.	7.9	36
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52	Effect of air exposure on hydrogen storage properties of catalyzed magnesium hydride. <i>Journal of Power Sources</i> , 2020, 454, 227936.	7.8	36
53	Pathways to Optimize Performance/Cost Ratio of Powder Metallurgy Titanium - A Perspective. <i>Key Engineering Materials</i> , 0, 520, 15-23.	0.4	35
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56	Hydrogen Storage Properties of Magnesium Hydride with V-Based Additives. <i>Journal of Physical Chemistry C</i> , 2014, 118, 21778-21784.	3.1	34
57	Phase Transformations and Formation of Ultra-Fine Microstructure During Hydrogen Sintering and Phase Transformation (HSPT) Processing of Ti-6Al-4V. <i>Metallurgical and Materials Transactions A: Physical Metallurgy and Materials Science</i> , 2015, 46, 5546-5560.	2.2	34
58	Chemical vapor synthesis of Mg-Ti nanopowder mixture as a hydrogen storage material. <i>International Journal of Hydrogen Energy</i> , 2009, 34, 7700-7706.	7.1	33
59	Kinetics of Initial Coarsening During Sintering of Nanosized Powders. <i>Metallurgical and Materials Transactions A: Physical Metallurgy and Materials Science</i> , 2011, 42, 3534-3542.	2.2	31
60	Kinetics of isothermal hydrogenation of magnesium with TiH ₂ additive. <i>International Journal of Hydrogen Energy</i> , 2014, 39, 7373-7381.	7.1	31
61	Hydrogen enhanced thermodynamic properties and kinetics of calciothermic deoxygenation of titanium-oxygen solid solutions. <i>International Journal of Hydrogen Energy</i> , 2018, 43, 11939-11951.	7.1	30
62	The Nature of Tensile Ductility as Controlled by Extreme-Sized Pores in Powder Metallurgy Ti-6Al-4V Alloy. <i>Metallurgical and Materials Transactions A: Physical Metallurgy and Materials Science</i> , 2016, 47, 2150-2161.	2.2	27
63	A Perspective on Thermochemical and Electrochemical Processes for Titanium Metal Production. <i>Jom</i> , 2017, 69, 1861-1868.	1.9	27
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66	Formation of Co-capping during sintering of straight WC-10wt% Co. <i>International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials</i> , 2010, 28, 317-323.	3.8	24
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71	Roles of Ti-Based Catalysts on Magnesium Hydride and Its Hydrogen Storage Properties. <i>Inorganics</i> , 2021, 9, 36.	2.7	23
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74	A study on the sintering of ultrafine grained tungsten with Ti-based additives. International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials, 2017, 65, 2-8.	3.8	22
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78	Cemented Tungsten Carbide Hardmetal-An Introduction. , 2014, , 123-137.		19
79	Deoxygenation of Ti metal: A review of processes in literature. International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials, 2020, 91, 105270.	3.8	17
80	A Comparison of Hydrogen Sintering and Phase Transformation (<sc>HSPT</sc>) Processing with Vacuum Sintering of <sc>CP</sc>â€<sc>T</sc>. Advanced Engineering Materials, 2013, 15, 1007-1013.	3.5	15
81	Mitigation of the Surface Oxidation of Titanium by Hydrogen. Journal of Physical Chemistry C, 2018, 122, 20691-20700.	3.1	15
82	Mechanisms of Hydrogen-Assisted Magnesiothermic Reduction of TiO ₂ . Metallurgical and Materials Transactions B: Process Metallurgy and Materials Processing Science, 2018, 49, 2998-3006.	2.1	14
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84	Dependence of microcrack number density on microstructural parameters during plastic deformation of WCâ€Co composite. International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials, 2010, 28, 434-440.	3.8	13
85	FE-EPMA measurements of compositional gradients in cemented tungsten carbides. International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials, 2013, 36, 265-270.	3.8	13
86	The Effects of Molybdenum Additions on the Sintering and Mechanical Behavior of Ultrafine-Grained Tungsten. Jom, 2018, 70, 2567-2573.	1.9	13
87	Chemical Vapor Synthesis and Characterization of Nanosized WCâCo Composite Powder and Post-treatment. Industrial & Engineering Chemistry Research, 2008, 47, 9384-9388.	3.7	12
88	Characterization of a bilayer WCâCo hardmetal using Hertzian indentation technique. International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials, 2009, 27, 317-322.	3.8	12
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97	Microstructure and Mechanical Properties of Ti-6Al-4V Fabricated by Selective Laser Melting of Powder Produced by Granulation-Sintering-Deoxygenation Method. Jom, 2017, 69, 2731-2737.	1.9	9
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99	The effect of heating rate on the reversible hydrogen storage based on reactions of Li ₃ AlH ₆ with LiNH ₂ . Journal of Power Sources, 2008, 185, 1354-1358.	7.8	8
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105	A high throughput dynamic method for characterizing thermodynamic properties of catalyzed magnesium hydrides by thermogravimetric analysis. Physical Chemistry Chemical Physics, 2021, 23, 15374-15383.	2.8	5
106	A Novel Method for Densification of Titanium Using Hydrogenation-Induced Expansion under Constrained Conditions. Scripta Materialia, 2022, 210, 114432.	5.2	5
107	Gaseous isostatic forging: Design and application to powder metallurgy Ti-6Al-4V. Journal of Materials Processing Technology, 2018, 259, 292-304.	6.3	4
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115	Hydrogen assisted magnesiothermic reduction (HAMR) of TiO ₂ to produce titanium metal powder. , 2020, , 165-179.		2
116	Analysis of the Elevated Temperature Plastic Flow Response of Ti-6Al-4V Produced via the Hydrogen Sintering and Phase Transformation (HSPT) Process. Metallurgical and Materials Transactions A: Physical Metallurgy and Materials Science, 2020, 51, 3956-3966.	2.2	1
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