

# ME619 Experiments in Materials Science

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Credit: 3

Approval: Approved in 2nd Senate

Students intended for: B.Tech/MS/PhD

Elective or core: Elective

Semester: Odd/Even

## Course content:

Fabrication of various materials (metals, alloys, ceramics and composites) in various forms such as single crystals, thin films, and bulk materials using physical/chemical methods. Their structural and physical properties characterization using structural characterization (Diffraction, optical and electron microscopy), Thermal characterization (DTA/DSC/TGA) and miscellaneous materials characterization tools. Scanning probe microscopy, Scanning electron microscopy, Transmission electron microscopy and X-ray diffraction etc. Physical properties measurements such as VSM, Magnetoresistance, SQUID, impedance analysis, PES, IPES, X-ray absorption spectroscopy, AFM, STEM, P-E loop, piezoelectric measurements, thermoelectric measurements etc.

## Suggested Books:

*Kingery W. D., Bowen, H. K., Uhlhmen D. R., 'Introduction to Ceramics', 2nd Edition,  
John Wiley, 1976*

*J. Reed, Principles of Ceramic Processing, 2nd edition, John Wiley and sons,*

*Encyclopedia of Materials Characterization, C. R. Brundle, C.A. Evans and S.Wilson,  
Butterworth-*

*Heinemann (1992)*

*A.R West, Solid State Chemistry, Wiley*

*Elements of X-Ray Diffraction, B.D. Cullity, Prentice Hall (2001)*