Minisymposium

Recent advances in phase-field modeling and analysis of microstructural evolution.

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Rapid advancements in phase-field modeling and ever-increasing high-performance computing resources have enabled large-scale simulations of 3D microstructural evolution in materials. However, establishing a synergy between the simulated microstructures and those observed in in-situ experiments remains challenging. One-to-one correspondence between these two kinds of datasets essentially warrants development of quantitative phase-field models as well as techniques for rigorous microstructural analysis. This minisymposium focuses on the recent developments and applications of the phase-field method and numerical post-processing techniques for microstructural quantification. Application areas of interest include but are not limited to solidification and solid-state transformations in multicomponent alloys, defects proliferation, and self-assembly of polymers and thin films.

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