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## European foreword

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# Quantities and units —

## Part 12: Condensed matter physics

### 1 Scope

This document gives names, symbols, definitions and units for quantities of condensed matter physics. Where appropriate, conversion factors are also given.

### 2 Normative references

There are no normative references in this document.

### 3 Terms and definitions

Names, symbols, definitions and units for quantities used in condensed matter physics are given in [Table 1](#).

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>

Table 1 — Quantities and units used in condensed matter physics

Item No.	Quantity			Unit	Remarks
	Name	Symbol	Definition		
12-1.1	lattice vector	$\mathbf{R}$	translation vector that maps the crystal lattice on itself	m	The non-SI unit ångström (Å) is widely used by x-ray crystallographers and structural chemists.
12-1.2	fundamental lattice vectors	$\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2, \mathbf{a}_3$ $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}$	fundamental translation vectors for the crystal lattice	m	The lattice vector (item 12-1.1) can be given as $\mathbf{R} = n_1\mathbf{a}_1 + n_2\mathbf{a}_2 + n_3\mathbf{a}_3$ where $n_1, n_2$ and $n_3$ are integers.
12-2.1	angular reciprocal lattice vector	$\mathbf{G}$	vector whose scalar products with all fundamental lattice vectors are integral multiples of $2\pi$	$\text{m}^{-1}$	In crystallography, however, the quantity $\frac{\mathbf{G}}{2\pi}$ is sometimes used.
12-2.2	fundamental reciprocal lattice vectors	$\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2, \mathbf{b}_3$	fundamental translation vectors for the reciprocal lattice	$\text{m}^{-1}$	$\mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{b}_j = 2\pi\delta_{ij}$ In crystallography, however, the quantities $\frac{\mathbf{b}_j}{2\pi}$ are also often used.
12-3	lattice plane spacing	$d$	distance (ISO 80000-3) between successive lattice planes	m	The non-SI unit ångström (Å) is widely used by x-ray crystallographers and structural chemists.
12-4	Bragg angle	$\vartheta$	angle between the scattered ray and the lattice plane	1 °	Bragg angle $\vartheta$ is given by $2d \sin \vartheta = n\lambda$ where $d$ is the lattice plane spacing (item 12-3), $\lambda$ is the wavelength (ISO 80000-7) of the radiation, and $n$ is the order of reflexion which is an integer.
12-5.1	short-range order parameter	$r, \sigma$	fraction of nearest-neighbour atom pairs in an Ising ferromagnet having magnetic moments in one direction, minus the fraction having magnetic moments in the opposite direction	1	Similar definitions apply to other order-disorder phenomena. Other symbols are frequently used.
12-5.2	long-range order parameter	$R, s$	fraction of atoms in an Ising ferromagnet having magnetic moments in one direction, minus the fraction having magnetic moments in the opposite direction	1	Similar definitions apply to other order-disorder phenomena. Other symbols are frequently used.

Table 1 (continued)

Item No.	Quantity		Unit	Remarks	
	Name	Symbol			Definition
12-5.3	atomic scattering factor	$f$	quotient of radiation amplitude scattered by the atom and radiation amplitude scattered by a single electron	1	The atomic scattering factor can be expressed by: $f = \frac{E_a}{E_e}$ where $E_a$ is the radiation amplitude scattered by the atom and $E_e$ is the radiation amplitude scattered by a single electron.
12-5.4	structure factor	$F(h,k,l)$	quantity given by: $F(h,k,l) = \sum_{n=1}^N f_n \exp[2\pi i(hx_n + ky_n + lz_n)]$ where $f_n$ is the atomic scattering factor (item 12-5.3) for atom $n$ , $x_n, y_n, z_n$ are fractional coordinates of its position, $N$ is the total number of atoms in the unit cell and $h, k, l$ are the Miller indices	1	For the Miller indices $h, k, l$ , see <a href="#">Annex A</a> .
12-6	Burgers vector	$\mathbf{b}$	closing vector in a sequence of vectors encircling a dislocation	m	
12-7.1	particle position vector	$\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}$	position vector (ISO 80000-3) of a particle	m	Often, $\mathbf{r}$ is used for electrons and $\mathbf{R}$ is used for atoms and other heavier particles.
12-7.2	equilibrium position vector <condensed matter physics>	$\mathbf{R}_0$	position vector (ISO 80000-3) of an ion or atom in equilibrium	m	
12-7.3	displacement vector <condensed matter physics>	$\mathbf{u}$	difference between the position vector (ISO 80000-3) of an ion or atom and its position vector in equilibrium	m	The displacement vector can be expressed by: $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}_0$ where $\mathbf{R}$ is particle position vector (item 12-7.1) and $\mathbf{R}_0$ is position vector of an ion or atom in equilibrium (item 12-7.2).
12-8	Debye-Waller factor	$D, B$	factor by which the intensity of a diffraction line is reduced because of the lattice vibrations	1	$D$ is sometimes expressed as $D = \exp(-2W)$ ; in Mössbauer spectroscopy, it is also called the $f$ factor and denoted by $f$ .