

# Contents

<i>Introduction</i> .....	1
<b>Chapter 1 Elementary Concepts of Specific Heats</b>	
1.1. Definitions .....	5
1.2. Thermodynamics of Simple Systems.....	6
1.3. Difference Between $C_p$ and $C_v$ .....	7
1.4. Variation of Specific Heats with Temperature and Pressure.....	10
1.5. Statistical Calculation of Specific Heats .....	11
1.6. Different Modes of Thermal Energy .....	12
1.7. Calorimetry .....	16
<b>Chapter 2 Lattice Heat Capacity</b>	
2.1. Dulong and Petit's Law .....	20
2.2. Equipartition Law .....	21
2.3. Quantum Theory of Specific Heats .....	22
2.4. Einstein's Model .....	25
2.5. Debye's Model .....	28
2.6. Comparison of Debye's Theory with Experiments .....	31
2.7. Shortcomings of the Debye Model.....	35
2.8. The Born–Von Kármán Model .....	36
2.9. Calculation of $g(v)$ .....	40
2.10. Comparison of Lattice Theory with Experiments .....	43
2.11. Debye $\theta$ in Other Properties of Solids .....	47
2.11.1. $\theta$ -Values from Elastic Properties .....	49
2.11.2. $\theta$ -Values from Compressibility and Melting Point .....	50
2.11.3. $\theta$ -Values from Thermal Expansion .....	50
2.11.4. $\theta$ -Values from Infrared Data .....	51
2.11.5. $\theta$ -Values from Electrical Resistivity.....	52
2.11.6. Scattering of X-Rays, $\gamma$ -Rays, and Neutrons..	52

<b>Chapter 3</b>	<b>Electronic Specific Heat</b>	
3.1.	Specific Heat of Metals.....	55
3.2.	Quantum Statistics of an Electron Gas .....	56
3.3.	Specific Heat of Electrons in Metals.....	58
3.4.	Electronic Specific Heat at Low Temperatures.....	61
3.5.	Specific Heat and Band Structure of Metals .....	64
3.6.	Specific Heat of Alloys .....	68
3.7.	Specific Heat of Semiconductors .....	72
3.8.	Phenomenon of Superconductivity .....	74
3.9.	Specific Heat of Superconductors .....	76
3.10.	Recent Studies .....	80
<b>Chapter 4</b>	<b>Magnetic Contribution to Specific Heats</b>	
4.1.	Thermodynamics of Magnetic Materials .....	84
4.2.	Types of Magnetic Behavior .....	86
4.3.	Spin Waves—Magnons .....	87
4.4.	Spin Wave Specific Heats .....	89
4.5.	The Weiss Model for Magnetic Ordering.....	93
4.6.	The Heisenberg and Ising Models.....	95
4.7.	Specific Heats Near the Transition Temperature .....	98
4.8.	Paramagnetic Relaxation.....	100
4.9.	Schottky Effect .....	102
4.10.	Specific Heat of Paramagnetic Salts .....	105
4.11.	Nuclear Schottky Effects.....	109
<b>Chapter 5</b>	<b>Heat Capacity of Liquids</b>	
5.1.	Nature of the Liquid State .....	112
5.2.	Specific Heat of Ordinary Liquids and Liquid Mixtures .....	113
5.3.	Liquid $^4\text{He}$ at Low Temperatures .....	114
5.4.	Phonon and Roton Specific Heats .....	116
5.5.	Transition in Liquid $^4\text{He}$ .....	120

5.6.	Specific Heat of Liquid $^3\text{He}$ .....	123
5.7.	Liquid $^3\text{He}$ as a Fermi Liquid .....	127
5.8.	Mixtures of $^4\text{He}$ and $^3\text{He}$ .....	129
5.9.	Supercooled Liquids—Glasses .....	129
<b>Chapter 6 Specific Heats of Gases</b>		
6.1.	$C_p$ and $C_v$ of a Gas .....	135
6.2.	Classical Theory of $C_v$ of Gases .....	136
6.3.	Quantum Theory of $C_v$ of Gases .....	138
6.4.	Rotational Partition Function .....	140
6.5.	Homonuclear Molecules—Isotopes of Hydrogen .....	142
6.6.	Vibrational and Electronic Specific Heats .....	147
6.7.	Calorimetric and Statistical Entropies —Disorder in Solid State .....	148
6.8.	Hindered Rotation .....	152
6.9.	Entropy of Hydrogen .....	154
<b>Chapter 7 Specific-Heat Anomalies</b>		
7.1.	Spurious and Genuine Anomalies .....	158
7.2.	Cooperative and Noncooperative Anomalies .....	161
7.3.	Order–Disorder Transitions .....	163
7.4.	Onset of Molecular Rotation .....	166
7.5.	Ferroelectricity .....	167
7.6.	Transitions in Rare-Earth Metals .....	170
7.7.	Liquid–Gas Critical Points .....	175
7.8.	Models of Cooperative Transitions .....	177
<b>Chapter 8 Miscellaneous Problems in Specific Heats</b>		
8.1.	Specific Heat Near Phase Transitions .....	181
8.2.	Specific Heat at Saturated Vapor Pressure .....	185
8.3.	Relaxation of Rotational and Vibrational Specific Heats .....	186
8.4.	Defects in Solids .....	187
8.5.	Surface Effects .....	190
8.6.	Compilations of Specific-Heat Data .....	192
8.7.	Tabulations of Specific-Heat Functions .....	194

<i>Appendix</i> (Six-Figure Tables of Einstein and Debye Internal-Energy and Specific-Heat Functions) ...	197
<i>Author Index</i> .....	227
<i>Subject Index</i> .....	234