

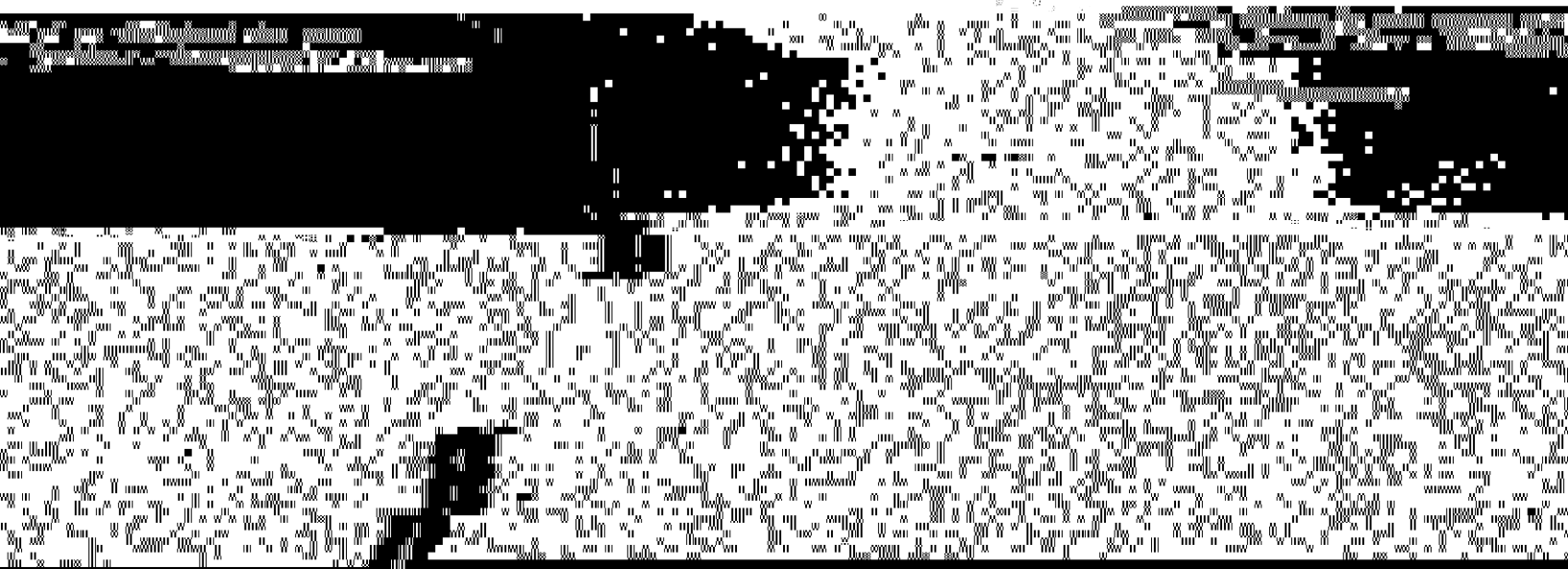
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of the AB_2C_2 ($0 \leq x \leq 1$) ground state ordered structure (18). For

large transfer, polarization relaxation of the C-sublattice is neglected (18). One thus

The nearest-neighbor approximation is then $\Delta H = \epsilon \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \sigma_i \sigma_j$ or $\Delta H = \epsilon \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \sigma_i \sigma_j$ where σ_i is the equilibrium lattice spin and ϵ is the nearest-neighbor interaction energy. One can express the mixing entropy of the disordered alloy as

$$\Delta H = \epsilon \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \sigma_i \sigma_j = \epsilon \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \sigma_i \sigma_j + G(x, T) \quad (19)$$

where σ_i and σ_j are the spins of the A and B atoms respectively. The two terms of ΔH refer to the nearest-neighbor coordinates used in phenomenological models (19), e.g., the Ising-Ginzburg (2) and the Ising-Ginzburg (2) models. Many approximations have been previously proposed for the alloy

in the variational approach (19).

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 Furthermore, $\Delta F^{(n)}(a)$ can

Table 1: Components of Eq. (3) for $\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{In}_x\text{P}$ Frontalities in $\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{In}_x\text{P}$ pairs, lattice constants in Å.

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