

Pauli exclusion and the Sommerfeld Model



Arnold Sommerfeld
1868-1951

Peter Debye (Nobel Prize 1936)

Ludwig Hopf
Rudolf Seeliger
Wilhelm Lenz
Paul Peter Ewald
Paul Sophus Epstein
Alfred Landé
Erwin Fues
Adolf Kratzer

Wolfgang Pauli (Nobel Prize 1945)

Gregor Wentzel

Werner Heisenberg (Nobel Prize 1932)

Otto Laporte

Karl Bechert
Edward Condon
Ernst Guillemin
Helmut Hönl
Ernst Stückelberg

Hans Bethe (Nobel Prize 1967)

Hermann Brück
Herbert Fröhlich
Werner Rombert
Walter Franz
Heinrich Welker
William Allis
Carl Eckart

Eugene Feenberg
Walter Heitler
William V. Houston
Edwin C. Kemble
Walther Kossel

Max von Laue (Nobel Prize 1914)

Karl Meissner
Philip M. Morse
Linus Pauling (Nobel Prizes 1954 & 1962)
Rudolf Peierls
Howard P. Robertson
Walter Rogowski
Wojciech Rubinowicz



Edmund Stoner
1899-1968



Wolfgang Pauli
1900-1958
Nobel Prize in 1945



Enrico Fermi
1901-1954
Nobel Prize in 1938



Paul Dirac
1902-1984
Nobel Prize in 1933

Table 2.3
 SOME ROUGH EXPERIMENTAL VALUES FOR THE COEFFICIENT
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 OF METALS, AND THE VALUES GIVEN BY SIMPLE FREE
 ELECTRON THEORY

ELEMENT	FREE ELECTRON γ (in 10^{-4} cal-mole $^{-1}$ -K $^{-2}$)	MEASURED γ	RATIO ^a (m^*/m)
Li	1.8	4.2	2.3
Na	2.6	3.5	1.3
K	4.0	4.7	1.2
Rb	4.6	5.8	1.3
Cs	5.3	7.7	1.5
Cu	1.2	1.6	1.3
Ag	1.5	1.6	1.1
Au	1.5	1.6	1.1
Be	1.2	0.5	0.42
Mg	2.4	3.2	1.3
Ca	3.6	6.5	1.8
Sr	4.3	8.7	2.0
Ba	4.7	6.5	1.4
Nb	1.6	20	12
Fe	1.5	12	8.0
Mn	1.5	40	27
Zn	1.8	1.4	0.78
Cd	2.3	1.7	0.74
Hg	2.4	5.0	2.1
Al	2.2	3.0	1.4
Ga	2.4	1.5	0.62
In	2.9	4.3	1.5
Tl	3.1	3.5	1.1
Sn	3.3	4.4	1.3
Pb	3.6	7.0	1.9
Bi	4.3	0.2	0.047
Sb	3.9	1.5	0.38

^a Since the theoretical value of γ is proportional to the density of levels at the Fermi level, which in turn is proportional to the electronic mass m , one sometimes defines a specific heat effective mass m^* so that m^*/m is the ratio of the measured γ to the free electron γ . Beware of identifying this specific heat effective mass with any of the many other effective masses used in solid-state theory. (See, for example, the index entries under "effective mass.")

$$C_{\text{mol}} = \gamma T + \beta T^3 + \dots$$

$$\frac{m^*}{m_e} = \frac{\gamma(m^*)}{\gamma(m_e)}$$

Wilson Ratio for NFE/sp-metals

Element	“Wilson Ratio”	Ratio (m*/m)
Li	0.634	2.3
Na	0.841	1.3
K	0.731	1.2
Rb	0.534	1.3
Cs	0.675	1.5
Be	-3.88	0.42
Mg	0.75	1.3
Ca	1.11	1.8
Sr	0.187	2
Ba	3.34	1.4
Al	0.903	1.4

$$\chi = \chi_{\text{Pauli}} + \dots$$

$$R_W = \frac{\pi^2 k_B^2 \chi}{3\mu_0 \mu_B^2 \gamma}$$

$$C_{\text{mol}} = \gamma T + \beta T^3$$

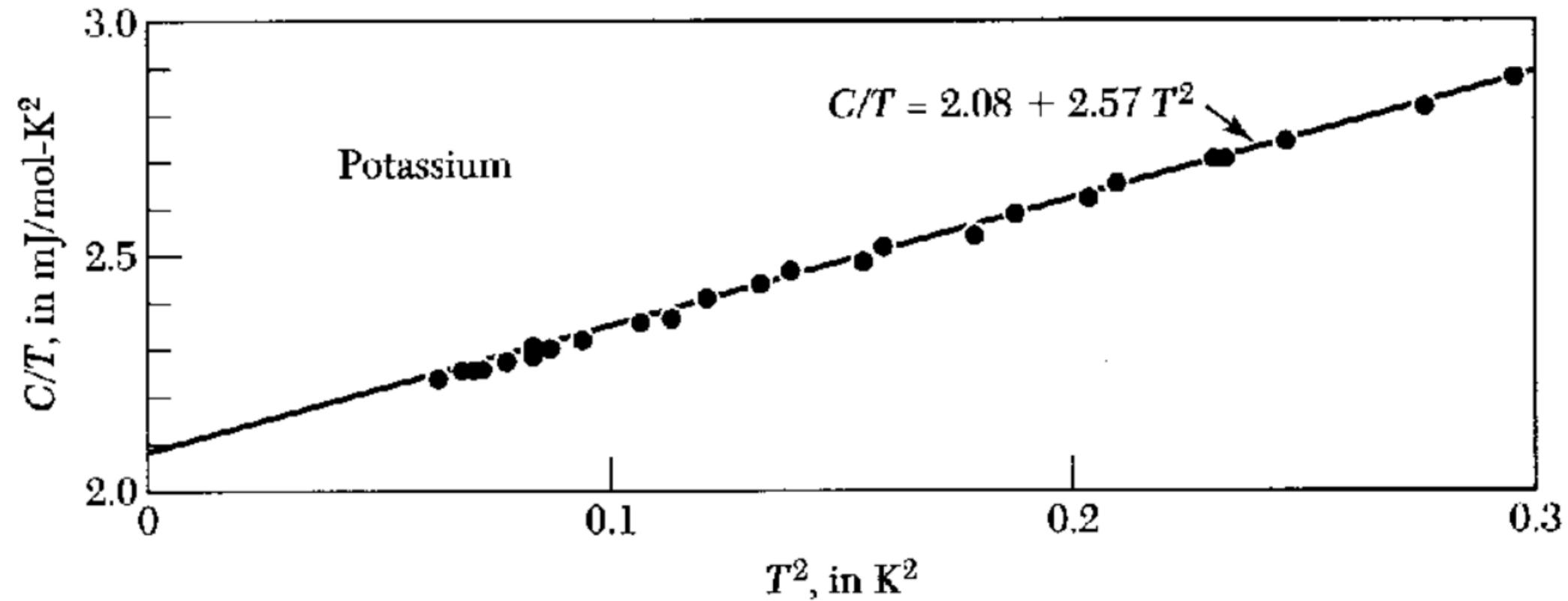
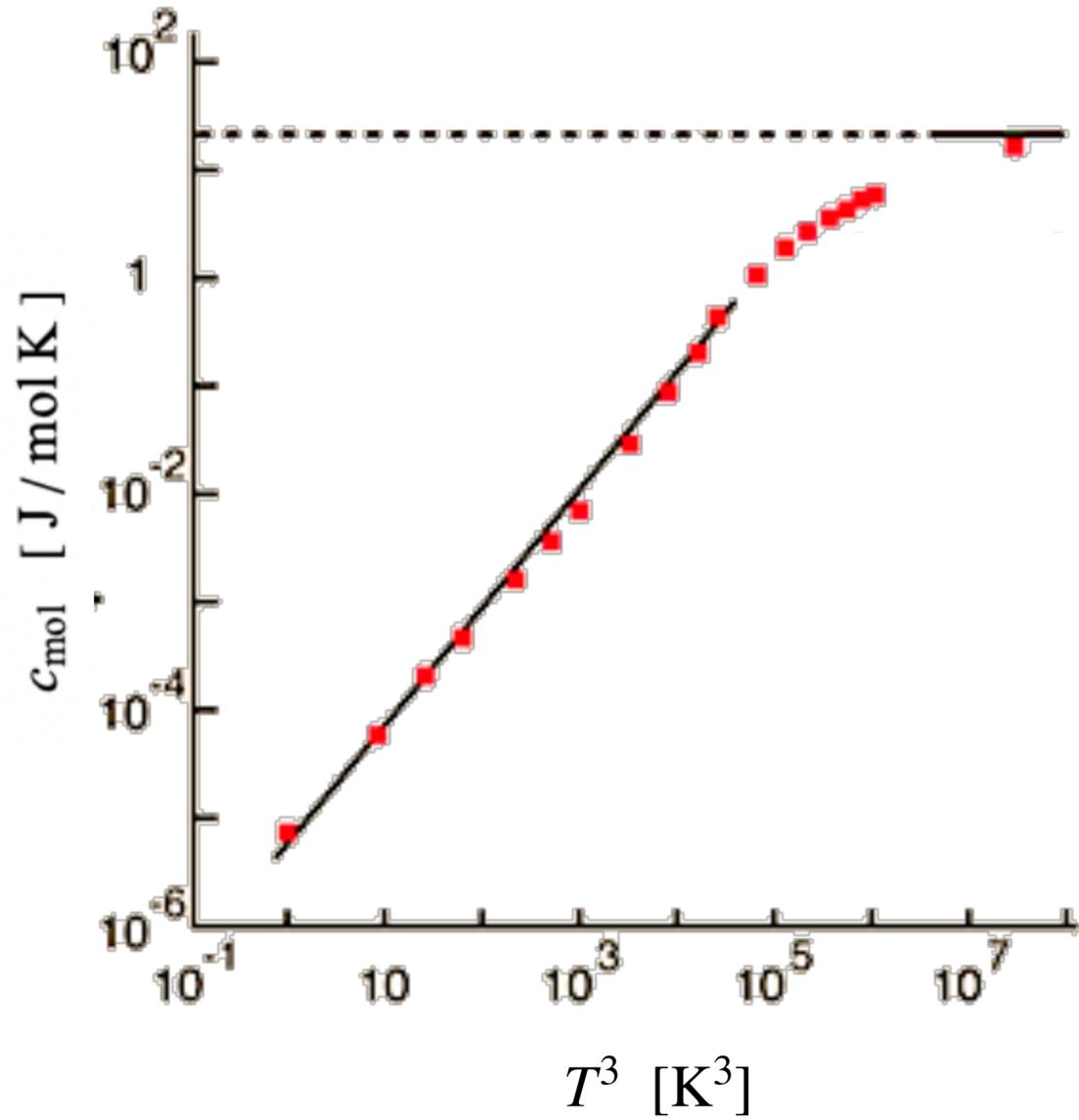


Figure 9 Experimental heat capacity values for potassium, plotted as C/T versus T^2 . (After W. H. Lien and N. E. Phillips.)

Silicon



Copper

