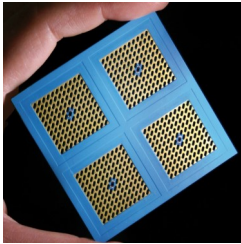
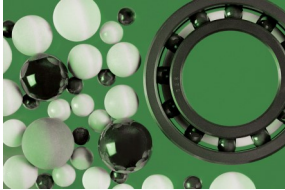


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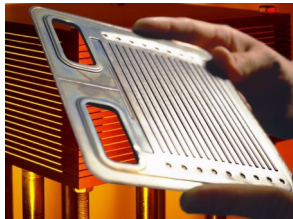
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- ◆ Having high quality & competences in materials science
- ◆ Being active in research & development

- ◆ Play a role in materials education (of students and/or industry)

- ◆ Being active in technology transfer



- ◆ Be prepared to participate in joint projects (also with industry)

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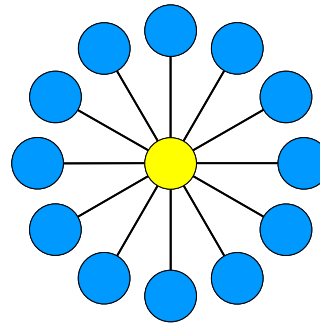
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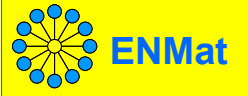
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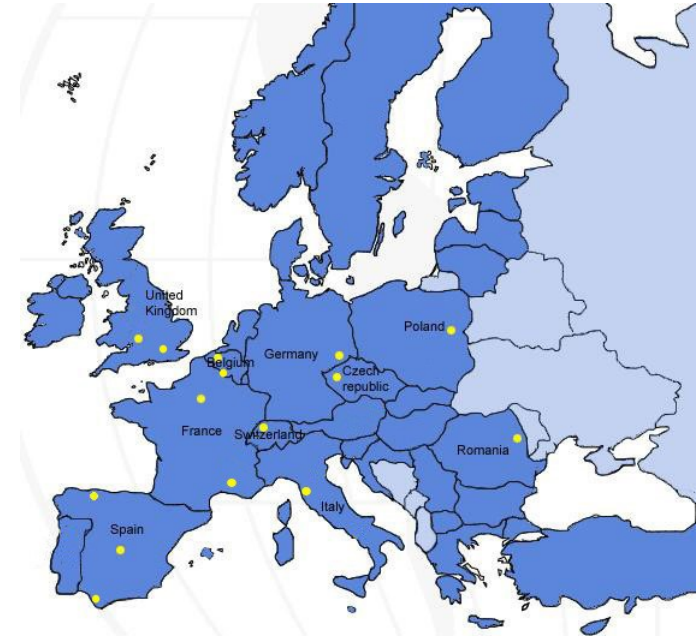
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Mission of the Network

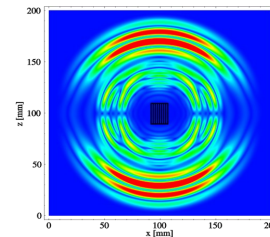
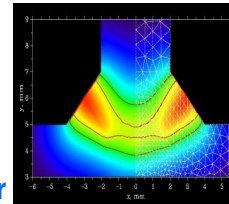
- 1) To encourage and strengthen the creation of knowledge, the dissemination of results and the beneficial use in materials science & technology.
- 2) To be the leading network for materials-based innovations for students, researchers, engineers and industry in Europe.

Objectives (excerpt)

- ◆ To create a responsive, flexible, innovative, agile and adaptive network of leading European Materials Research Centres.
- ◆ To facilitate co-operation in interdisciplinary research, development and training amongst members - from fundamental research to innovative application.
- ◆ To encourage student and staff mobility and networking amongst members and invited or co-operating partners.
- ◆ To identify the needs of industry, in particular SMEs, in Europe and implement targeted co-operation.

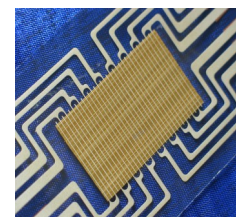
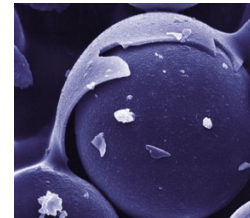
Activities

- Make a survey of the expertise & competences and the research infrastructure of the members in order to facilitate the development of joint research projects.



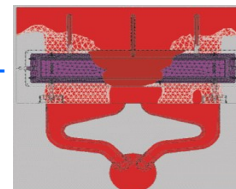
- Organise exploratory meetings to develop a joint strategy for research projects to be submitted to the EC.

- Establish working groups concerning different research topics to prepare joint projects, publish joint publications on research results, etc.



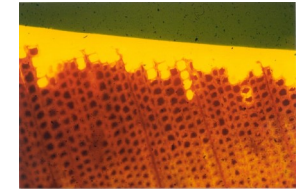
- Organise student (incl. PhD students) and staff mobility amongst member institutes.

- Organise summer schools, thematic seminars, technical meetings, workshops, ...



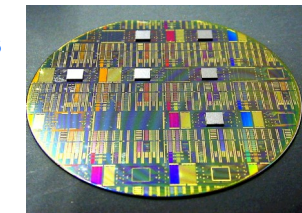
Activities (continued)

- Stimulate the development of a joint European Master and PhD programme in Materials Science.

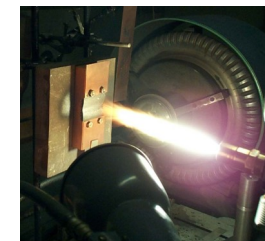


- Dedicated website with :
- Information on all member centres

- Publication of joint projects and articles concerning recent research topics



- Newsletter



- Announcements for conferences, seminars etc. on Materials Science

- Technology offers & requests

Benefits for members

- ◆ **Contacts** with materials research centres all over Europe
- ◆ Platform for **partner search**: find academic and industrial project partners
- ◆ **Promotion and publicity** of activities and achievements on a European and global stage