

## Study Guide for Final, v. 0.8

Note that topics from the midterm may still be covered, but the emphasis will be on later material:

### Bloch's theorem, 2 proofs

Crystal momentum, bands, velocity, Fermi surface

Density of states, van Hove singularities

### Nearly-free electron model

Gaps, behavior near a Bragg plane, role of structure factor

Extended, reduced, repeated zone schemes

Fermi surface and Brillouin zones

(Not spin-orbit coupling)

### Tight-binding model

LCAO, overlap, overlap integral, general features

(Not Wannier functions)

carbon nanotubes

### Band structure

Muffin tin, OPW, pseudopotential; (Not APW, KKR)

### Semiclassical electron dynamics

Equations of motion, consequences of model, holes

Response to electric field, uniform magnetic field

Closed orbitals, periods of extremal orbits, effective masses

Basics of relaxation time approximation; (Not pp. 252-9)

Landau levels, de Haas-van Alphen; Not "Other Fermi surface probes"

Band structure of typical metals, esp. simple metals, noble metals

### Semiconductors

Gap, statistics, law of mass action, donor & acceptor levels

### Beyond independent electrons

Hartree, Hartree-Fock, Slater determinant, Slater exchange, exchange, correlation

Screening, Thomas-Fermi, Lindhard

Density functional theory, Kohn-Sham eqns., exchange-correlation potential, LDA, GGA

### Pauli paramagnetism, rigid-band model (within Sommerfeld model), Stoner criterion

### Heisenberg model, magnetic interactions in free electron gas

### Spin waves/magnons, magnetic domains & their walls

### Work function and its components

### Universal curve

### Surface relaxations, energies, probes

### Types of effective masses

### Holes

### Gaps

### Dependencies on T, m, n, lattice structure, Bravais or not (i.e., basis)