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## Computational modelling of the lattice thermal conductivity of alloys with thermoelectric applications

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### Descrição:

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In our society, more than 66% of generated energy is wasted, most of it as heat. Thermoelectric, TE, devices stand as the most promising technology to recover part of this wasted heat. Traditionally, TE material efficiency is measured by the figure of merit,  $zT$ . While there are models designed to predict directly one of the quantities that are related to  $zT$ , the biggest challenge is to establish connections between real space (atomic structure, chemical composition and microstructure) and reciprocal space properties (transport properties and  $zT$ ). Our goal is to connect the variables that can be controlled during the design, synthesis and processing of a TE material with their final transport properties and efficiency.

### Web:

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**URL de origem:** <https://web.computaex.es/pt-pt/node/2270>

### Ligações

[1] <https://www.us.es/> [2] <https://www.res.es/>