¹² Project 34 - In-situ Observation of Phase and Texture Evolution Preceding Abnormal Grain Growth in Ni-based Aerospace Alloys

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Program Goal

Develop a fundamental understanding of the microscopic origins of abnormal grain growth in Ni-base engineering alloys

Approach

Utilize the increased spatiotemporal resolution available with high energy diffraction microscopy (HEDM) to characterize evolution of microstructures in these alloys

Benefits

Identify the micro-mechanisms that cause abnormal grain growth during super-solvus heat treatment following thermomechanical processing



Abnormal grain growth observed in Rene 104

> Project Duration Nov. 2017 to Dec. 2020





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