



**GENERALISED ESTIMATION OF CRITICAL CURRENT DENSITY AND TEXTURE FACTOR OF IRON BASED SUPERCONDUCTOR FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub>, Sr<sub>0.8</sub>K<sub>0.2</sub>Fe<sub>2</sub>As<sub>2</sub> AT 5K AND 0.1T BY AN EXPANSION INTO DIRECTION COSINES  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  WITH RESPECT TO THE CRYSTAL AXES**

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**Abstract**

In this present article, Critical Current Density  $J_c$ , Texture Factor A of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub> is expressed by an expansion into Direction Cosines  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  with respect to the crystal axes. The General Equation of Critical Current Density, Texture Factor of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub> can be used to determine their values at <100>, <110>, <111> directions respectively. In the present article Critical Current Density, Texture Factor of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub> is determined at <100>, <110>, <111> directions respectively. The Equation can be generalized to include any Super Conductor with anisotropic property.

**Keywords:**

anisotropic. Critical Current Density, Texture Factor, SuperConductor, Direction Cosines

**I. Introduction**

Anisotropic Properties are those properties which vary with crystal direction Critical Current Density  $J_c$ , of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub> is different at <100>, <110>, <111> directions viz. 8.6, 1.9, 27 (\*10<sup>4</sup>) A/cm<sup>2</sup> respectively. Texture Factor of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub> is different at <100>, <110>, <111> directions viz. 4.1975, 1.534, 9. Critical Current Density, Texture Factor of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub> can be expressed as an expansion into direction cosines  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  with respect to the crystal axes. In the present article, consideration is made up to seven terms.

**1.1 Standard Equation:**

$$J_c^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

$$A^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

[uvw]	a	b	c	$\alpha_1$	$\alpha_2$	$\alpha_3$	$J_c$ & A
<100>	0	90 <sup>0</sup>	90 <sup>0</sup>	1	0	0	$K_0$
<110>	45 <sup>0</sup>	45 <sup>0</sup>	90 <sup>0</sup>	1/√2	1/√2	0	$K_0 + K_1/4$
<111>	54.7 <sup>0</sup>	54.7 <sup>0</sup>	54.7 <sup>0</sup>	1/√3	1/√3	1/√3	$K_0 + K_1/3 + K_2/27$

**II. Calculation Critical Current Density  $J_c$ , of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub> Of An Expansion Into Direction Cosines  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  With Respect To The Crystal Axes**

$$J_c^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

For <100> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1, \alpha_2 = 0, \alpha_3 = 0 \dots$  [ I ]

For <110> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_3 = 0 \dots$  [ II ]

For <111> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_3 = 1/\sqrt{3} \dots$  [ III ]

**2.1 Calculation Of Critical Current Density  $J_c$ , of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub>**



S.No	Crystallographic Directions	Critical Current Density, Jc ( *10 <sup>4</sup> )
1.	<100>	8.6 A/cm <sup>2</sup>
2.	<110>	1.9 A/cm <sup>2</sup>
3.	<111>	27 A/cm <sup>2</sup>

For <100> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1, \alpha_2 = 1, \alpha_3 = 0 \dots [ I ]$ , in Standard Equation

$$J_c^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

We have

$$J^*_{[100]} = K_0 = 8.6;$$

For <110> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_3 = 0$

Using [ II ], in Standard Equation

$$1.9 = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1.9 = 8.6 + K_1/4 + K_3/16 + K_5/64$$

$$\Rightarrow [16K_1 + 4K_3 + K_5] = -428.8 \dots\dots [ IV ];$$

For <111> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_3 = 1/\sqrt{3} \dots [ III ]$ ;

Using [ III ], in Standard Equation

$$J^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

$$27 = 8.6 + K_1/3 + K_2/27 + K_3/9 + K_4/81 + K_5/27 + K_6/729 = 125 + K_1/3 + K_5/27 + K_3/9 + K_4/81 + K_2/27 + K_6/729 \text{ [re-arranging } K_2, K_5]$$

$$\Rightarrow 27[9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5] + 9[K_4 + 3K_2 + K_6] = 18.4 * 729 = 13413.6$$

$$\Rightarrow 27 * 495 + 9 * 5.4 = 13413.6$$

$$\Rightarrow [9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5] = 495 \dots\dots [ V];$$

$$\Rightarrow [K_4 + 3K_2 + K_6] = 5.4$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 3*1 + 1.4 = 5.4$$

$$\Rightarrow K_4 = 1; K_2 = 1; K_6 = 1.4$$

⇒ From [ IV ] - [ V]; We have

$$\Rightarrow 16K_1 + 4K_3 + K_5 = -428.8$$

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$$9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5 = 495$$

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$$7K_1 + K_3 = -923.8$$

$$\Rightarrow 7 * -131 - 6.8 = -923.8;$$

$$\Rightarrow K_1 = -131; K_3 = -6.8;$$

$$\Rightarrow K_5 = 495 + 3*6.8 + 9*131$$

$$\Rightarrow K_5 = 1694.4$$

Substituting ,  $K_0, K_1, K_2, K_3, K_4, K_5, K_6$  ,in standard equation, we have  $Y^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$

$$K_0 = 8.6, K_1 = -131, K_2 = 1; K_3 = -6.8; K_4 = 1; K_5 = 1694.4; K_6 = 1.4$$

$$J^*_{FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}} = 8.6 - 131 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + 1 (\prod \alpha^2_1) - 6.8 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + 1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + 1694.4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + 1.4 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2 \dots\dots\dots [ VI ];$$



⇒ [ VI ] ABOVE IS GENERALISED ESTIMATION CRITICAL CURRENT DENSITY  $J_c$  OF IRON BASED SUPERCONDUCTOR  $FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}$

⇒ BY AN EXPANSION INTO DIRECTION COSINES  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  WITH RESPECT TO THE CRYSTAL AXES

⇒ FOR  $\langle 100 \rangle$  Directions,  $J^*_{FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}} = 8.6$

⇒ FOR  $\langle 110 \rangle$  Directions,  $J^*_{FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}} = 8.6 - 131/4 - 6.8/16 + 1694.4/64 = 1.9$

⇒ FOR  $\langle 111 \rangle$  Directions,  $J^*_{FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}} = 8.6 - 131/3 + 1/27 - 6.8/9 + 1/81 + 1694.4/27 + 1.4/729 = 26.9846364883 \text{ approx} = 27$

⇒ ABOVE VALUES, CONFORM TO THE STANDARD CRITICAL CURRENT DENSITY  $J_c$  OF IRON BASED SUPERCONDUCTOR  $FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}$

**IV. Calculation Texture Factor, of Iron Based Superconductor  $FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}$  Of An Expansion Into Direction Cosines  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  With Respect To The Crystal Axes**

$$A^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

From literature we have, Relation Between Texture Factor and Critical Current Density,  $J_c = A^{1.5} \Rightarrow A = J_c^{0.667}$  (Approx)

S.No	Crystallographic Directions	Critical Current Density, $J_c$ ( $*10^4$ )	Texture Factor ( $*465.586093523$ )	Magnetic Anisotropy Energy Density of iron $E^* = 0.355A^* - 1.898$
1.	$\langle 100 \rangle$	8.6 A/cm <sup>2</sup>	4.200	-0.407
2.	$\langle 110 \rangle$	1.9 A/cm <sup>2</sup>	1.534	-1.3543
3.	$\langle 111 \rangle$	27 A/cm <sup>2</sup>	9.009	1.300195

**DISCUSSION:**

The  $\langle 110 \rangle // ND$  fibre accounts for the lowest anisotropy energy since the flux lines, distributed homogeneously in a plane of the rotating laminated sheet, have an easiest magnetization direction with the in-plane rotated cube texture components. On the contrary, the  $\langle 100 \rangle // ND, \langle 111 \rangle // RD$  fibre orientations have relatively high anisotropy energy and as such, the occurrence of these components in pure iron is undesirable.

$A^*_{[100]} = K_0 = 4.2;$

For  $\langle 110 \rangle$  directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_3 = 0$

Using [ II ], in Standard Equation

$$1.534 = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

⇒  $1.534 = 4.2 + K_1/4 + K_3/16 + K_5/64$

⇒  $[16K_1 + 4K_3 + K_5] = -170.624 \dots \dots \dots [ IV ];$

For  $\langle 111 \rangle$  directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_3 = 1/\sqrt{3} \dots \dots [ III ];$

Using [ III ], in Standard Equation

$$J^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

$9.009 = 4.2 + K_1/3 + K_2/27 + K_3/9 + K_4/81 + K_5/27 + K_6/729 = 125 + K_1/3 + K_5/27 + K_3/9 + K_4/81 + K_2/27 + K_6/729$  [re-arranging  $K_2, K_5$

⇒  $27[9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5] + 9[K_4 + 3K_2 + K_6] = 4.809 * 729 = 3505.761$



$$\Rightarrow 27 * 129 + 9 * 2.529 = 3505.761$$

$$\Rightarrow [9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5] = 129 \dots [V];$$

$$\Rightarrow [K_4 + 3K_2 + K_6] = 2.529$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 + 3 * 1 + 0.529 = 2.529$$

$$\Rightarrow K_4 = -1; K_2 = 1; K_6 = 0.529$$

⇒ From [IV] - [V]; We have

$$\Rightarrow 16K_1 + 4K_3 + K_5 = -170.624$$

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$$9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5 = 129$$

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$$7K_1 + K_3 = -299.624$$

$$\Rightarrow 7 * (-42) - 5.624 = -923.8;$$

$$\Rightarrow K_1 = -42; K_3 = -5.624;$$

$$\Rightarrow K_5 = 129 + 3 * 5.624 + 9 * 42$$

$$\Rightarrow K_5 = 523.872$$

Substituting,  $K_0, K_1, K_2, K_3, K_4, K_5, K_6$ , in standard equation, we have  $Y^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$   
 $K_0 = 4.2, K_1 = -42, K_2 = 1; K_3 = -5.624; K_4 = -1; K_5 = 523.872; K_6 = 0.529$

$$A^*_{FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}} = 4.2 - 42 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + 1 (\prod \alpha^2_1) - 5.624 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 - 1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + 523.872 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + 0.529 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2 \dots \dots \dots [VI];$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{FOR } \langle 100 \rangle \text{ Directions, } A^*_{FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}} = 4.2$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{FOR } \langle 110 \rangle \text{ Directions, } A^*_{FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}} = 4.2 - 42/4 - 5.624/16 + 523.872/64 = 1.534$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{FOR } \langle 111 \rangle \text{ Directions, } A^*_{FeSe_{0.5}Te_{0.5}} = 4.2 - 42/3 + 1/27 - 5.624/9 - 1/81 + 523.872/27 + 0.529/279 = 9.00319478738 \text{ approx} = 9.009$$

**Calculation Critical Current Density  $J_c$ , of Iron Based Superconductor  $Sr_{0.8}K_{0.2}Fe_2As_2$  Of An Expansion Into Direction Cosines  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  With Respect To The Crystal Axes**

$$J_c^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

For  $\langle 100 \rangle$  directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1, \alpha_2 = 0, \alpha_3 = 0 \dots [I]$

For  $\langle 110 \rangle$  directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_3 = 0 \dots [II]$

For  $\langle 111 \rangle$  directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_3 = 1/\sqrt{3} \dots [III]$

**2.1 Calculation Of Critical Current Density  $J_c$ , of Iron Based Superconductor  $Sr_{0.8}K_{0.2}Fe_2As_2$**

S.No	Crystallographic Directions	Critical Current Density, $J_c$ (* $10^4$ )
1.	$\langle 100 \rangle$	2 A/cm <sup>2</sup>
2.	$\langle 110 \rangle$	3 A/cm <sup>2</sup>
3.	$\langle 111 \rangle$	4.5 A/cm <sup>2</sup>

For  $\langle 100 \rangle$  directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1, \alpha_2 = 1, \alpha_3 = 0 \dots [I]$ , in Standard Equation

$$J_c^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

We have



$$J^*_{[100]} = K_0 = 2;$$

For <110> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{2}$ ,  $\alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{2}$ ,  $\alpha_3 = 0$

Using [ II ] , in Standard Equation

$$3 = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 = 2 + K_1/4 + K_3/16 + K_5/64$$

$$\Rightarrow [16K_1 + 4K_3 + K_5] = 64 \dots\dots [ IV ];$$

For <111> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{3}$ ,  $\alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{3}$ ,  $\alpha_3 = 1/\sqrt{3} \dots [ III ]$ ;

Using [ III ] , in Standard Equation

$$J^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

$$4.5 = 2 + K_1/3 + K_2/27 + K_3/9 + K_4/81 + K_5/27 + K_6/729 = 125 + K_1/3 + K_5/27 + K_3/9 + K_4/81 + K_2/27 + K_6/729$$

$$\Rightarrow 27[9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5] + [9K_4 + 27K_2 + K_6] = 2.5 * 729 = 1822.5$$

$$\Rightarrow 27 * 67 + 13.5 = 1822.5$$

$$\Rightarrow [9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5] = 13.5 \dots [ V ];$$

$$\Rightarrow [9K_4 + 27K_2 + K_6] = 13.5$$

$$\Rightarrow -3*9 + 27*1 + 13.5 = 13.5$$

$$\Rightarrow K_4 = -3; K_2 = 1; K_6 = 13.5$$

From [ IV ] - [ V ]; We have

$$\Rightarrow 16K_1 + 4K_3 + K_5 = 64$$

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$$9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5 = 67$$

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$$7K_1 + K_3 = -3$$

$$\Rightarrow 7 * -1 + 4 = -3;$$

$$\Rightarrow K_1 = -1; K_3 = 4;$$

$$\Rightarrow K_5 = 67 - 3*4 + 9*1$$

$$\Rightarrow K_5 = 64$$

Substituting ,  $K_0, K_1, K_2, K_3, K_4, K_5, K_6$  ,in standard equation, we have  $Y^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$

$$K_0 = 2, K_1 = -1, K_2 = 1; K_3 = 4; K_4 = -3; K_5 = 64; K_6 = 13.5$$

$$J^*_{Sr0.8K0.2Fe2As2} = 2 - 1(\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + 1 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + 4(\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 - 3(\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + 64 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + 13.5(\prod \alpha^2_1)^2 \dots\dots\dots [ VI ];$$

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For <110> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{2}, \alpha_3 = 0$

Using [ II ], in Standard Equation

$$1.534 = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

⇒  $1.534 = 4.2 + K_1/4 + K_3/16 + K_5/64$

⇒  $[16K_1 + 4K_3 + K_5] = -170.624 \dots \dots [ IV ];$

For <111> directions,  $\alpha_1 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_2 = 1/\sqrt{3}, \alpha_3 = 1/\sqrt{3} \dots [ III ];$

Using [ III ], in Standard Equation

$$J^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_3 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)(\prod \alpha^2_1) + K_5 (\sum \alpha^2_1 \alpha^2_2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha^2_1)^2$$

$9.009 = 4.2 + K_1/3 + K_2/27 + K_3/9 + K_4/81 + K_5/27 + K_6/729 = 125 + K_1/3 + K_5/27 + K_3/9 + K_4/81 + K_2/27 + K_6/729$  [re-arraging  $K_2, K_5$

⇒  $27[9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5] + 9[K_4 + 3K_2 + K_6] = 4.809 * 729 = 3505.761$

⇒  $27 * 129 + 9 * 2.529 = 3505.761$

⇒  $[9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5] = 129 \dots [ V];$

⇒  $[K_4 + 3K_2 + K_6] = 2.529$

⇒  $-1 + 3 * 1 + 0.529 = 2.529$

⇒  $K_4 = -1; K_2 = 1; K_6 = 0.529$



⇒ From [ IV ] - [ V ]; We have

$$\Rightarrow 16K_1 + 4K_3 + K_5 = -170.624$$

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$$9K_1 + 3K_3 + K_5 = 129$$

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$$7K_1 + K_3 = -299.624$$

$$\Rightarrow 7 * (-42) - 5.624 = -923.8;$$

$$\Rightarrow K_1 = -42; K_3 = -5.624;$$

$$\Rightarrow K_5 = 129 + 3 * 5.624 + 9 * 42$$

$$\Rightarrow K_5 = 523.872$$

Substituting  $K_0, K_1, K_2, K_3, K_4, K_5, K_6$  in standard equation, we have  $Y^* = K_0 + K_1 (\sum \alpha_1^2 \alpha_2^2) + K_2 (\prod \alpha_1^2) + K_3 (\sum \alpha_1^2 \alpha_2^2)^2 + K_4 (\sum \alpha_1^2 \alpha_2^2) (\prod \alpha_1^2) + K_5 (\sum \alpha_1^2 \alpha_2^2)^3 + K_6 (\prod \alpha_1^2)^2$   
 $K_0 = 4.2, K_1 = -42, K_2 = 1; K_3 = -5.624; K_4 = -1; K_5 = 523.872; K_6 = 0.529$

$$A^*_{Sr0.8K0.2Fe2As2} = 4.2 - 42 (\sum \alpha_1^2 \alpha_2^2) + 1 (\prod \alpha_1^2) - 5.624 (\sum \alpha_1^2 \alpha_2^2)^2 - 1 (\sum \alpha_1^2 \alpha_2^2) (\prod \alpha_1^2) + 523.872 (\sum \alpha_1^2 \alpha_2^2)^3 + 0.529 (\prod \alpha_1^2)^2 \dots \dots \dots [ VI ];$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{FOR } \langle 100 \rangle \text{ Directions, } A^*_{Sr0.8K0.2Fe2As2} = 4.2$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{FOR } \langle 110 \rangle \text{ Directions, } A^*_{Sr0.8K0.2Fe2As2} = 4.2 - 42/4 - 5.624/16 + 523.872/64 = 1.534$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{FOR } \langle 111 \rangle \text{ Directions, } A^*_{Sr0.8K0.2Fe2As2} = 4.2 - 42/3 + 1/27 - 5.624/9 - 1/81 + 523.872/27 + 0.529/729 = 9.00319478738 \text{ approx} = 9.009$$

### III Conclusion.

Critical Current Density  $J_c$  and Texture Factor Of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub> can be expressed By an Expansion into Direction Cosines  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  With Respect To the Crystal Axes. Generalized equation of Critical Current Density  $J_c$  Of Iron Based Superconductor FeSe<sub>0.5</sub>Te<sub>0.5</sub> can be utilized to obtain its value at any crystallographic direction with the provision of directional cosines  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  along that particular crystallographic direction.

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