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3.5.3 Nonsteady-State Time Lag and the Time Scale of Steady-State Nucleation
3.6 Further Basic Characteristics of Nucleation-Growth Processes; 3.6.1 Number of Clusters Formed by Nucleation; 3.6.2 Average Size of the Clusters; 3.6.3 Time Interval of Independent Growth; 3.7 Time of Steady-State Nucleation and Induction Time; 3.8 Formation of a New Phase with a Given Stoichiometric Composition; 3.8.1 The Model; 3.8.2 Basic Equations; 3.8.3 Applications; 3.9 Summary of Results; 3.9.1 Results for the Range of Cluster Sizes n ($>\sim$) $n(c)$; 3.9.2 Results for the Range of Cluster Sizes n ($>\sim$) $n(c)$; 3.9.3 Integral Characteristics of the Nucleation-Growth Process
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4.2 Rigorous Analysis of the Transformation of an Arbitrary Initial Distribution Function into a Universal One

Sommario/riassunto

Filling a gap in the literature, this crucial publication on the renowned Lifshitz-Slezov-Wagner Theory of first-order phase transitions is authored by one of the scientists who gave it its name. Prof Slezov spent decades analyzing this topic and obtained a number of results that form the cornerstone of this rapidly developing branch of science. Following an analysis of unresolved problems together with proposed solutions, the book develops a theoretical description of the overall course of first-order phase transformations, starting from the nucleation state right up to the late stages of
