San Jose State University College of Engineering Materials Engineering Department

Course: Mat.E. 232, Ion Beam Processing of Materials

Website: www.geocities.com/mate232

Course Code: 62089, 3 Units, Fall 2003

Lectures: Tuesdays, 19:00 - 20:00

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Description: This course will cover the basic principles behind the interaction between ion

beams and solid materials. The principles of binary collisions will be

effects and manufacturing applications will then be covered. Additional material, based on the interests of the students, may include ion beam

introduced, followed by a study of ion propagation through a material. Material

generation, ion beam systems, and alternative ion generating devices such as

plasma immersed ion implantation

Objective: It is the intention of this class to provide the student with a working knowledge

of ion beam / material interactions and how these interactions modify materials

for engineering purposes.

Assignments: Weekly reading assignments and homework sets. Homework will be a

combination of material covered in class and material that will require

preparation for the next class

Grading: Homework - 40%, Midterm - 30%, Final - 30%

Required Text: COURSEPACK – Available at the Spartan Bookstore in the student union -

Nastasi M., Mayer J., Hirvonen J.; Ion-Solid Interactions: Fundamentals and

Applications; Cambridge University Press; New York; January, 1992