

Supplementary material

Efficient way of increasing total entropy of mixing in high-entropy-alloy compounds: a case of NaCl-type $(\text{Ag}, \text{In}, \text{Pb}, \text{Bi})\text{Te}_{1-x}\text{Se}_x$ ($x = 0.0, 0.25, 0.5$) superconductors

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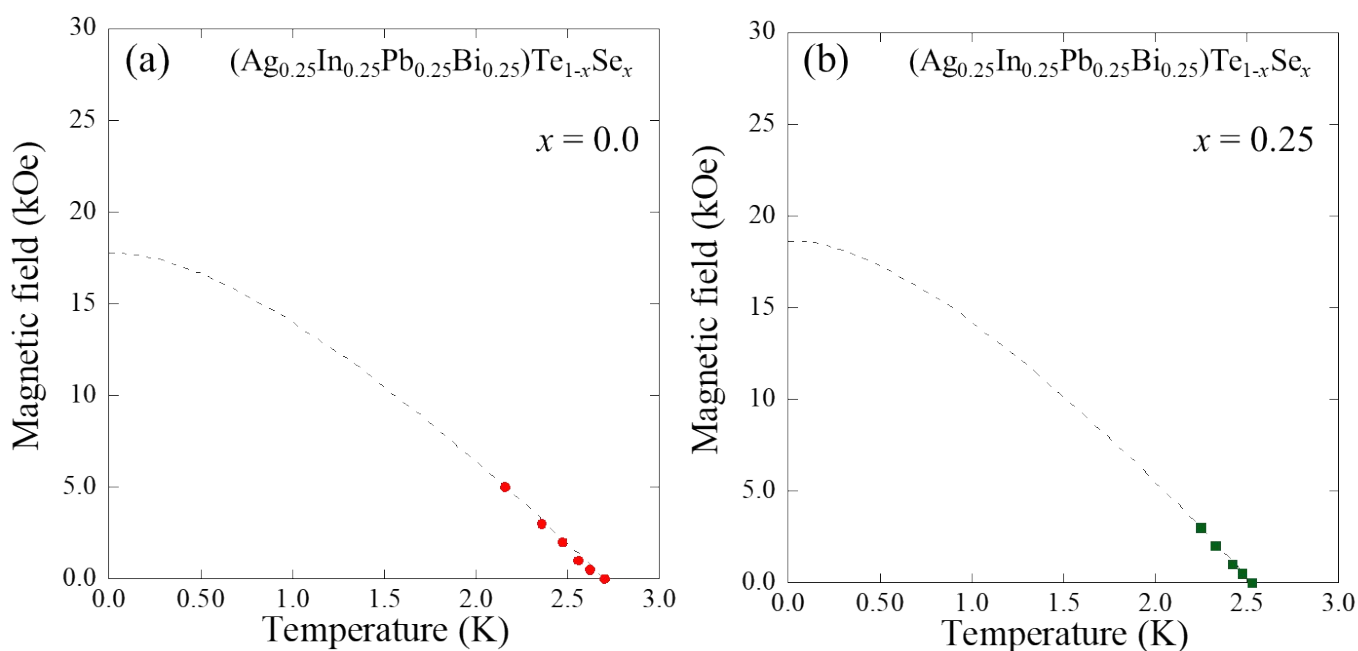


Fig. S1. Temperature dependence of H_{c2} for (a) $x = 0$ and (b) $x = 0.25$ where T_c^{onset} was estimated as the temperature where the resistivity becomes 90% of normal state resistivity at 3.0 K. The dashed lines are the WHH fitting results.

Table S1. Chemical composition, $\Delta S_{\text{mix}}/R$ (Site 1), $\Delta S_{\text{mix}}/R$ (Site 2), $\Delta S_{\text{mix}}/R$ (Total), transition temperature (T_c^{onset}), $H_{c2}(0)$, lattice constant a (Å), lattice constant c (Å), and type of the structure of the high-entropy-alloy and/or medium-entropy-alloy superconductors.

HEA superconductor	$\Delta S_{\text{mix}}/R$ (site1)	$\Delta S_{\text{mix}}/R$ (site2)	$\Delta S_{\text{mix}}/R$ (Total)	T_c (K)	$H_{c2}(0)$ (kOe)	Lattice a (Å)	Lattice c (Å)	Structure	Reference
(Ag _{0.24} In _{0.22} Pb _{0.27} Bi _{0.26})Te _{1.02}	1.37	0.00	1.37	2.7	18	6.237	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	This work
(Ag _{0.29} In _{0.26} Pb _{0.22} Bi _{0.24})Te _{0.78} Se _{0.20}	1.38	0.51	1.89	2.5	19	6.176	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	
(Ag _{0.34} In _{0.15} Pb _{0.24} Bi _{0.29})Te _{0.65} Se _{0.34}	1.35	0.65	2.00	2.0	-	6.121	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	
Ag _{0.20} Cd _{0.20} Sn _{0.20} Sb _{0.15} Pb _{0.20} Te _{1.05}	1.60	0.00	1.60	1.2	-	6.186	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	Md. R. Kasem et al., Appl. Phys. Express 13 , 033001 (2020)
Ag _{0.24} In _{0.22} Sn _{0.18} Sb _{0.14} Pb _{0.15} Te _{1.03}	1.59	0.00	1.59	1.4	-	6.202	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	
Ag _{0.22} Cd _{0.22} In _{0.23} Sn _{0.17} Sb _{0.14} Te _{1.02}	1.59	0.00	1.59	0.7	-	6.098	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	
Ag _{0.19} Cd _{0.19} Sn _{0.20} Pb _{0.18} Bi _{0.21} Te _{1.03}	1.61	0.00	1.61	1.0	-	6.244	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	
Ag _{0.21} Cd _{0.19} In _{0.25} Pb _{0.16} Bi _{0.18} Te _{1.00}	1.60	0.00	1.60	1.0	-	6.189	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	
Ag _{0.21} Cd _{0.21} In _{0.24} Sn _{0.19} Bi _{0.19} Te _{0.97}	1.61	0.00	1.61	1.0	-	6.136	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	
Ag _{0.20} In _{0.20} Sn _{0.22} Pb _{0.19} Bi _{0.20} Te _{0.98}	1.61	0.00	1.61	2.8	19	6.255	-	<i>Fm-3m</i>	Y. Mizuguchi, J. Phys. Soc. Jpn. 88 , 124708 (2019)
(TaNb) _{0.67} (HfZrTi) _{0.33}	1.46	-	1.46	7.7	80	3.340	-	bcc	J. Guo et al., Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 114 , 13144 (2017)
(TaNb) _{0.70} (ZrHfTi) _{0.30}	1.43	-	1.43	8.0	67	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	F. O. von Rohr et al., Phys. Rev. Mater. 2 , 034801 (2018)
(TaNb) _{0.70} (ZrHfTi) _{0.33}	1.24	-	1.24	7.8	78	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
(TaNb) _{0.70} (ZrHfTi) _{0.40}	1.31	-	1.31	7.6	84	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
(TaNb) _{0.70} (ZrHfTi) _{0.50}	1.39	-	1.39	6.5	117	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
(TaNb) _{0.70} (ZrHfTi) _{0.84}	1.60	-	1.60	4.5	90	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
(TaNb) _{0.67} (Hf) _{0.33}	1.10	-	1.10	7.3	-	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
(TaNb) _{0.67} (HfZr) _{0.33}	1.33	-	1.33	6.6	-	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
Nb _{0.67} (HfZrTi) _{0.33}	1.00	-	1.00	9.2	-	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
(NbV) _{0.67} (HfZrTi) _{0.33}	1.46	-	1.46	7.2	-	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
(TaV) _{0.67} (HfZrTi) _{0.33}	1.46	-	1.46	4.0	-	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
(TaNb) _{0.67} (HfZrTi) _{0.33}	1.46	-	1.46	7.3	-	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	K. Stolze et al., Chem. Mater. 30 , 906 (2018)
(TaNbV) _{0.67} (HfZrTi) _{0.33}	1.73	-	1.73	4.3	-	3.29~3.33	-	bcc	
(ScZrNbTa) _{0.65} (RhPd) _{0.35}	1.18	0.61	1.79	9.3	107	3.278	-	CsCl	
(ScZrNb) _{0.63} (RhPd) _{0.37}	1.16	0.62	1.79	7.5	96	3.278~3.29	-	CsCl	
(ScZrNb) _{0.62} (RhPd) _{0.38}	1.16	0.63	1.79	6.4	89	3.278~3.29	-	CsCl	
(ScZrNb) _{0.60} (RhPd) _{0.40}	1.14	0.64	1.78	3.9	21	3.278~3.29	-	CsCl	P. Koželj et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 113 , 107001 (2014), S. Marik et al., J. Alloys Compd. 695 , 3530 (2017)
Ta _{0.34} Nb _{0.33} Hf _{0.08} Zr _{0.14} Ti _{0.11}	1.45	-	1.45	7.3	82	3.360	-	bcc	S. Marik et al., Phys. Rev. Mater. 3 , 060602 (2019)
[Nb _{0.11} Re _{0.56}][HfZrTi] _{0.33}	0.73	0.57	1.30	4.4	36	5.255	8.593	hcp	N. Ishizu et al., Results in Phys. 13 , 102275 (2019)
Hf _{0.21} Nb _{0.25} Ti _{0.15} V _{0.15} Zr _{0.24}	1.59	-	1.59	5.3	-	3.401	-	bcc	Y. Yuan et al., Front. Mater. 5 , 72 (2018)
Ta _{0.35} Nb _{0.35} Zr _{0.15} Ti _{0.15}	1.30	-	1.30	8.0	116	3.329	-	bcc	K. Stolze et al., J. Mater. Chem. C 6 , 10441 (2018)
(ZrNb) _{0.20} (MoReRu) _{0.80}	1.52	-	1.52	4.2	-	9.701	-	bcc	
(ZrNb) _{0.10} (MoReRu) _{0.90}	1.38	-	1.38	5.3	79	9.613	-	bcc	
(HfTaWIr) _{0.6} Re _{0.4}	1.50	-	1.50	1.9	-	9.778	-	bcc+hcp	
(HfTaWIr) _{0.5} Re _{0.5}	1.39	-	1.39	2.7	-	9.741	-	bcc+hcp	
(HfTaWIr) _{0.4} Re _{0.6}	1.23	-	1.23	4.0	47	9.723	-	bcc	
(HfTaWIr) _{0.3} Re _{0.7}	1.03	-	1.03	4.5	-	9.662	-	bcc	
(HfTaWIr) _{0.2} Re _{0.8}	0.78	-	0.78	5.7	-	9.638	-	bcc	
(HfTaWPt) _{0.5} Re _{0.5}	1.39	-	1.39	2.2	-	9.726	-	bcc+hcp	
(HfTaWPt) _{0.4} Re _{0.6}	1.23	-	1.23	4.4	59	9.683	-	bcc	
(HfTaWPt) _{0.3} Re _{0.7}	1.03	-	1.03	5.7	-	9.648	-	bcc	
(HfTaWPt) _{0.25} Re _{0.75}	0.91	-	0.91	6.1	-	9.636	-	bcc	
Nb _{26.1} Ta _{25.1} Ti _{23.4} Zr _{20.254}	1.39	-	1.39	8.3	14	3.373	-	bcc	
Nb _{0.198} Ta _{0.189} Ti _{0.208} Zr _{0.187} Hf _{0.218}	1.61	-	1.61	7.1	20	3.405	-	bcc	
Nb _{0.163} Ta _{0.157} Ti _{0.169} Zr _{0.171} Hf _{0.175} V _{0.165}	1.79	-	1.79	5.1	20	3.357	-	bcc	
Nb _{0.2} Ta _{0.2} Ti _{0.2} Zr _{0.2} Fe _{0.2}	1.61	-	1.61	6.9	-	-	-	bcc	K. Y. Wu et al., Nat. Sci. J. 10 , 110 (2018)
Nb _{0.2} Ta _{0.2} Ti _{0.2} Zr _{0.2} Ge _{0.2}	1.61	-	1.61	8.4	13	-	-	bcc	
Nb _{0.2} Ta _{0.2} Ti _{0.2} Zr _{0.2} Si _{0.2} V _{0.2}	1.79	-	1.79	4.3	-	-	-	bcc	
Nb _{0.2} Ta _{0.2} Ti _{0.2} Zr _{0.2} Si _{0.2} Ge _{0.2}	1.79	-	1.79	7.4	9	-	-	bcc	Y. Shukunami et al., Physica C 572 , 1353623 (2020)
(Y _{0.28} Nd _{0.16} Sm _{0.18} Eu _{0.18} Gd _{0.20})Ba ₂ Cu ₃ O _{7-d}	1.59	0.00	1.59	93.0	-	3.845	-	<i>Pmmm</i>	
(Y _{0.18} La _{0.24} Nd _{0.14} Sm _{0.14} Eu _{0.15} Gd _{0.15})Ba ₂ Cu ₃ O _{7-d}	1.77	0.00	1.77	93.0	-	3.864	-	<i>Pmmm</i>	R. Sogabe et al., Appl. Phys. Express 11 , 053102 (2018), R. Sogabe et al., Solid State Commun. 295 , 43 (2019)
(La _{0.2} Ce _{0.2} Pr _{0.2} Nd _{0.2} Sm _{0.2})O _{0.5} F _{0.5} BiS ₂	1.61	0.69	2.30	4.3	-	4.020	13.417	<i>P4/nmm</i>	R. Sogabe et al., Appl. Phys. Express 11 , 053102 (2018)
(La _{0.3} Ce _{0.3} Pr _{0.2} Nd _{0.1} Sm _{0.1})O _{0.5} F _{0.5} BiS ₂	1.50	0.69	2.20	3.4	-	4.036	13.402	<i>P4/nmm</i>	
(La _{0.1} Ce _{0.1} Pr _{0.3} Nd _{0.3} Sm _{0.2})O _{0.5} F _{0.5} BiS ₂	1.50	0.69	2.20	4.7	-	4.012	13.419	<i>P4/nmm</i>	
(La _{0.1} Ce _{0.1} Pr _{0.2} Nd _{0.3} Sm _{0.3})O _{0.5} F _{0.5} BiS ₂	1.50	0.69	2.20	4.9	-	4.008	13.431	<i>P4/nmm</i>	