

# Eðlisfræði þéttefnis I

## Dæmablað 2

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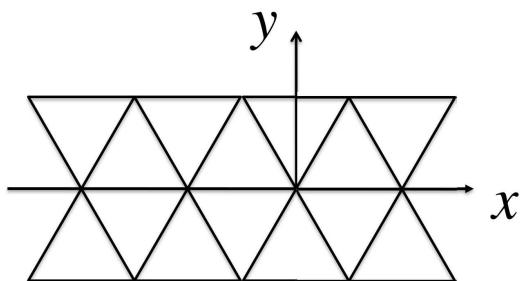
### 1. Bravais grind – Bravais lattice (10)

Ef gefið er að grunnvigrar grindar séu  $\mathbf{a}(a/2)(\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j})$ ,  $\mathbf{b}(a/2)(\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k})$ , og  $\mathbf{c}(a/2)(\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{i})$ , þar sem  $\mathbf{i}$ ,  $\mathbf{j}$  og  $\mathbf{k}$  eru þessir venjulegu einingavigrar í Kartesíusarhnitum, hver er þá Bravais grindin ?

Given that the primitive basis vectors of a lattice are  $\mathbf{a}(a/2)(\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j})$ ,  $\mathbf{b}(a/2)(\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k})$ , and  $\mathbf{c}(a/2)(\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{i})$ , where  $\mathbf{i}$ ,  $\mathbf{j}$  and  $\mathbf{k}$  are the usual three unit vectors along cartesian coordinates, what is the Bravais lattice ?

(Próf Maí 2016)

### 2. Two-dimensional triangular lattice – reciprocal lattice (10)



(a) Merkið inn grunngrindareiningu í þessari tvívíðu þríhyrningsgrind. Finnið grunnvigranna.

(b) Finnið grunn vigra nykurgrindarinnar.

(a) Identify the primitive unit cell of a two-dimensional triangular lattice. Find the basis vectors.

(b) Construct the basis vectors of the reciprocal unit cell.

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### 3. Linear ionic crystal (15)

Consider a line of  $2N$  ions of alternating charge  $\pm q$  with a repulsive potential energy  $A/R^n$  between nearest neighbors.

(a) Show that at the equilibrium separation

$$U(R_0) = -\frac{2Nq^2 \ln 2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R_0} \left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)$$

(b) Let the crystal be compressed so that  $R_0 \rightarrow R_0(1 - \delta)$ . Show that the work done in compressing a unit length of the crystal has the leading term  $\frac{1}{2}C\delta^2$ , where

$$C = \frac{(n-1)q^2 \ln 2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R_0}$$

Note that we would not expect to obtain this result from the expression for  $U(R_0)$ , but we must use the complete expression for  $U(R)$ .