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Abstract

Shape memory materials (SMMs) are featured by the ability to recover their original shape from a significant and seemingly plastic deformation upon a particular stimulus is applied¹. This is known as the shape memory effect (SME). Super-elasticity (in alloys) or visco-elasticity (in polymers) is also commonly observed if a SMM is deformed at the present of the stimulus. The SME can be utilized in many fields, from aerospace engineering (e.g., in deployable structures and morphing wings) to medical devices (e.g., in stents and filters).

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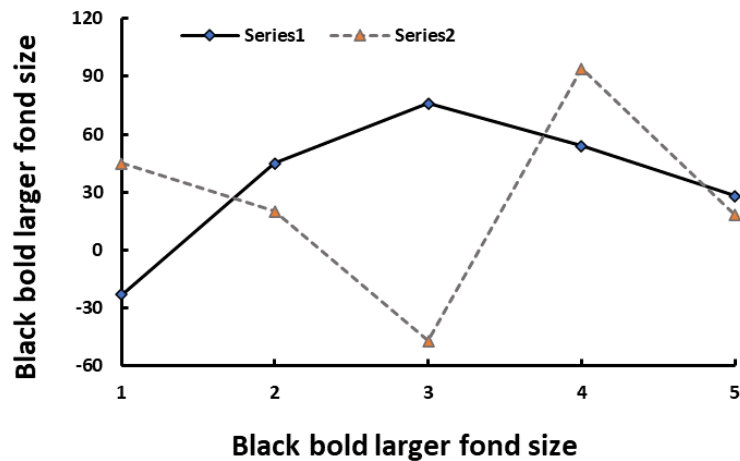
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Chapter 1

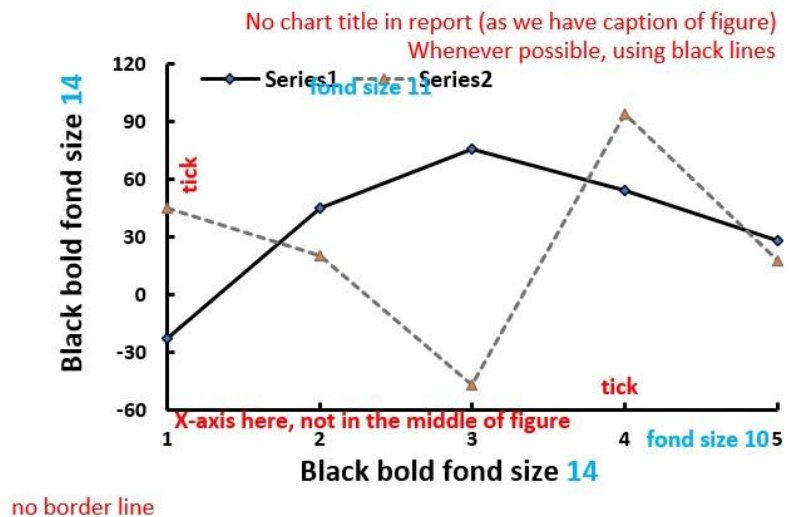
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1.2 Tables

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$$a = sb$$

(2) or (2.1)

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Appendix A



Figure A1 Let's go

Table A1 Where are we?

$$a = sab$$

(3) or (A.1)

Appendix B



Figure B1 Additional information

Table B1 New data

$$a = sfab$$

(4) or (B.1)