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- 7. Why do we want to purify the semiconductor materials to electronic grade?
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- 16. Discuss about photolithography.
- 17. Distinguish between hard and soft magnetic materials with their properties and applications.
- 18. Write a brief note on zirconia alloy.
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