

## **A DFT Study of O<sub>2</sub> Adsorption on Periodic Ga<sub>1-x</sub>N<sub>x</sub> (100) Surface**

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### **ABSTRACT**

The adsorption of molecular oxygen on Ga<sub>1-x</sub>N<sub>x</sub> (100) surface has been explored. This work was achieved using Accelrys Material Studio software for material modeling and simulation applying CASTEP library. With that kind of library it was obtained the geometry optimization. Moreover, this job is done by density functional theory (DFT) model using generalized gradient approximations (GGA) an enhanced with 1996 gradient-corrected correlation functional of Perdew, Burke and Ernzerhof. With this software we also calculated the density of states, the number of electrons, up and down number of spins, chemisorption and repulsion energies for O<sub>2</sub> on Ga<sub>1-x</sub>N<sub>x</sub> (100), etc. We compare our results with theoretical and experimental data obtained in the literature.

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