

Calculation of U for NiO:

- 1). I have generated the $2 \times 2 \times 2$ F-centered cell, where the parameters are : $a=7.927$ a.u. and R MT to 2.3 a.u. and 1.65 a.u. for Ni and O respectively.
- 2) After run x sgroup, I got the NiO1.struct file as,

```
NiO1
F LATTICE,NONEQUIV.ATOMS: 5 225 Fm-3m
MODE OF CALC=RELA unit=bohr
15.854000 15.854000 15.854000 90.000000 90.000000 90.000000
ATOM 1: X=0.00000000 Y=0.00000000 Z=0.00000000
    MULT= 1      ISPLIT= 2
Ni1      NPT= 781 R0=0.00005000 RMT= 2.3000 Z: 28.0
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- 3) Then after init and using 1 k point and fix Rkmax equal to 5, I have modified inst file as,

Ni

Ar 3

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3, 2,2.0 P
3, 2,2.0 P
3,-3,3.0 P
3,-3,1.0 P
4,-1,1.0 N
4,-1,1.0 N
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- 4) For $4.5 \uparrow, 4 \downarrow$ calculation, I have made NiO1.incup file as,

```
7 1.00 0 NUMBER OF ORBITALS (EXCLUDING SPIN), SHIFT, IPRINT
1,-1,2      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
2,-1,2      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
2, 1,2      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
2,-2,4      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
3,-1,2      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
3, 2,4      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
3,-3,5      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
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Similarly for NiO1.incdn as,

```
7 1.00 0 NUMBER OF ORBITALS (EXCLUDING SPIN), SHIFT, IPRINT
1,-1,2      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
2,-1,2      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
2, 1,2      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
2,-2,4      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
3,-1,2      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
3, 2,4      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP)
3,-3,4      ( N,KAPPA,OCCUP).....
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- 5) Removing impurity d states from valence states.

a) I did not understand, how to set linearization energy far above the Fermi level in wein2k files. Please tell me about

this. The default of my in1 file is,

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WFFIL EF=.3746787355 (WFFIL, WFPRI, ENFIL, SUPWF)
5.00   10  4 (R-MT*K-MAX; MAX L IN WF, V-NMT
0.30   4  0 (GLOBAL E-PARAMETER WITH n OTHER CHOICES, global APW/LAPW)
1  0.30  0.000 CONT 1
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- 6) After removing the 8.5 electrons into the core, in2 file look like,

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TOT      (TOT,FOR,QTL,EFG,FERMI)
-9.00 167.50 0.50 0.05 1 EMIN, NE, ESEPERMIN, ESEPER0, iqtsave
GAUSS  0.006 (GAUSS,ROOT,TEMP,TETRA,ALL eval)
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- 7) After Scf calculations

- a) grepline :fer 'NiO1.scf' 1 gives FER : F E R M I – ENERGY(GAUSS-.M.)= 0.3746787355 (Is it in Ry)
- b) grepline :3dd001 'NiO1.scf' 2 | head -2 | tail -1 gives NiO1.scf::3DD001: 3D* 0.406614692 Ry
- c) grepline ':3d 001' 'NiO1.scf' 2 | head -2 | tail -1 gives NiO1.scf::3D 001: 3D 0.421862130 Ry
- d) ϵ 3d \uparrow energy is calculated as $(4*0.406614692+5* 0.42186213)/9=0.41508503$ Ry.

8) Similar procedure I have applied for $4.5 \uparrow, 3 \downarrow$ calculation.

And found a) F E R M I - ENERGY(GAUSS-.M.)= 0.3981117023

b) $3dd001=0.339923029$ Ry and $3d001=0.355725953$ Ry

c) ϵ $3d\uparrow$ energy is $(4*0.339923029+5*0.355725953)/9=0.348702431$ Ry

Now using these values in $F_{eff} = \epsilon$ $3d\uparrow(4.5 \uparrow, 4 \downarrow) - \epsilon$ $3d\uparrow(4.5 \uparrow, 3 \downarrow) - \epsilon$ f $(4.5 \uparrow, 4 \downarrow) + \epsilon$ f $(4.5 \uparrow, 3 \downarrow)$ = 0.09 Ry.

However according to notes in wein2k, it should be 0.438 Ry. Please shed a light on this.