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Assume an FCC metal crystal has 19 of these same metal atoms randomly distributed per 1 cm² on its (111) surface (19 atoms/cm²). Use just a near-neighbor bond model in the following.

What is the energy change per 1 cm² if these randomly distributed atoms coalesced into a 2 dimensional hexagonal cluster on the surface? Also, draw the resultant cluster and label the atom 'locations' (T, L, or K)). Assume a bond energy of 230 kJ/mol.