Highlights

- 1. $Co_{42}Ni_{31}Al_{27}$ and $Co_{41}Ni_{32}Al_{27}$ have revealed dual phases of BCC (β) and FCC (γ) structure and non-FSMA γ phase is increased by 1.5 times in $Co_{41}Ni_{32}Al_{27}$ sample.
- 2. The thermal hysteresis (ΔT_M) and Debye temperature (θ_D) is higher for Co₄₁Ni₃₂Al₂₇ sample compared to Co₄₂Ni₃₁Al₂₇ and ΔT_M is observed to decrease under 150Oe magnetic field.
- 3. The lattice contribution (C) is increased for Co₄₀Ni₃₃Al₂₇ during Phase recovery while electronic contribution decreases.
- 4. Co₄₂Ni₃₁Al₂₇ does not show remarkable enhancement in lattice contribution during shape recovery.
- 5. The Co₄₁Ni₃₂Al₂₇ sample has a larger shape change during phase transition and both martensitic start temperature ($T_{MS} \approx 260$ K) and Austenitic finish temperature ($T_{Af} \approx 290$ K) with the Curie temperature (T_c) of 330K.
- The temperature-dependent susceptibility (χ') confirms the higher magnetoelastic recovery in the Co₄₁Ni₃₂Al₂₇ sample, indicating an enhancement of magnetic fieldinduced strain (MFIS).