

Combined Analysis: a global approach for characterization using ray scattering: structure, texture, stress, nanocrystals, phase, reflectivity, fluorescence ...

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Rietveld: Acta Cryst. (1967), J. Appl. Cryst (1969)

computers, neutrons (Gaussian peaks): powders !

Lutterotti, Matthies, Wenk: Rietveld Texture Analysis, J. Appl. Phys. (1997)

classical Rietveld + QTA (WIMV)

Morales, Chateigner, Lutterotti, Ricote: Mat. Sci. For. (2002)

Rietveld of layers (QTA, QMA) + E-WIMV

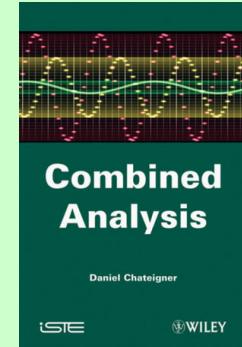
ESQUI EU FP6 project (ended Jan. 2003)

Lutterotti, Chateigner, Ferrari, Ricote: Thin Sol. Films (2004)

E-WIMV + RSA + XRR + Geom. Mean: Extended Rietveld

Chateigner, Combined Analysis, Wiley-ISTE (2010)

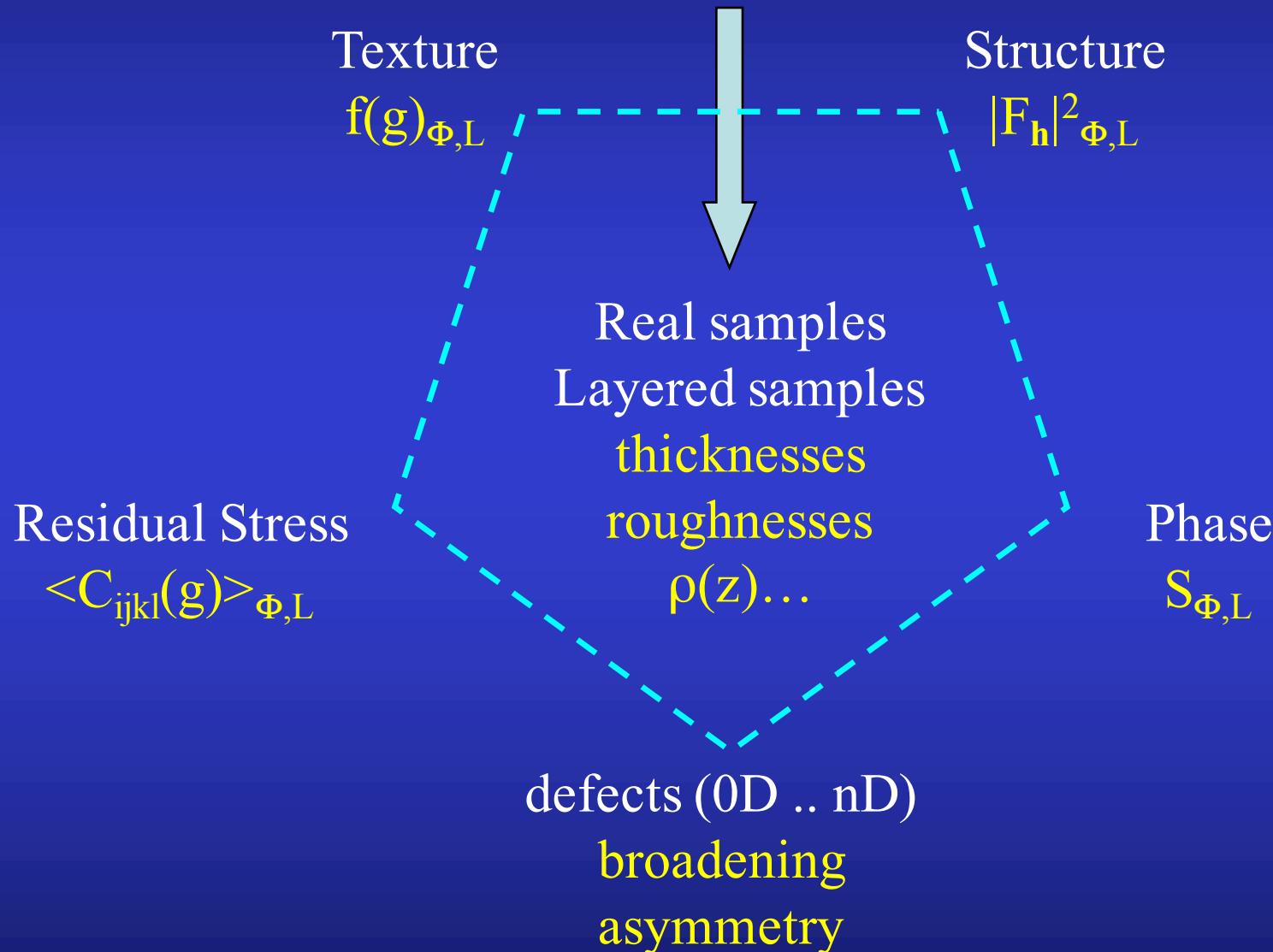
Soon in International Tables Vol H



Boullay, Lutterotti, Chateigner, Sicard: Acta Cryst A (2014)

Electron Diffraction Pattern – 2-waves Blackman correction

X-ray scattering “sees”



Rietveld: extended to lots of spectra

$$y_c(y_s, \theta, \eta) = y_b(y_s, \theta, \eta) + I_0 \sum_{i=1}^{N_L} \sum_{\Phi=1}^{N_\Phi} \frac{v_{i\Phi}}{V_{c\Phi}^2} \sum_h L_p(\theta) j_{\Phi h} |F_{\Phi h}|^2 \Omega_{\Phi h}(y_s, \theta, \eta) P_{\Phi h}(y_s, \theta, \eta) A_{i\Phi}(y_s, \theta, \eta)$$

Texture:

$$P_h(y_s) = \int_{\tilde{\varphi}} f(g, \tilde{\varphi}) d\tilde{\varphi}$$

E-WIMV, components,
Harmonics, Exp. Harmonics ...

Strain-Stress:

$$\langle S \rangle_{geo}^{-1} = \left[\prod_{m=1}^N S_m^{v_m} \right]^{-1} = \prod_{m=1}^N S_m^{-v_m} = \prod_{m=1}^N (S_m^{-1})^{v_m} = \langle S^{-1} \rangle_{geo} = \langle C \rangle_{geo}$$

Geometric mean, Voigt, Reuss, Hill ...

Layering:

$$A_{i\Phi} = \frac{v_{i\Phi} \sin \theta_i \sin \theta_o}{\bar{\mu}_i (\sin \theta_i + \sin \theta_o)} \left\{ 1 - e^{-\bar{\mu}_i \tau_i W} \right\} \prod_{k < i} e^{-\bar{\mu}_k \tau_k W}$$

$$W = \frac{1}{\sin \theta_i} + \frac{1}{\sin \theta_o}$$

Stacks,
coatings,
multilayers ...

Line Broadening:

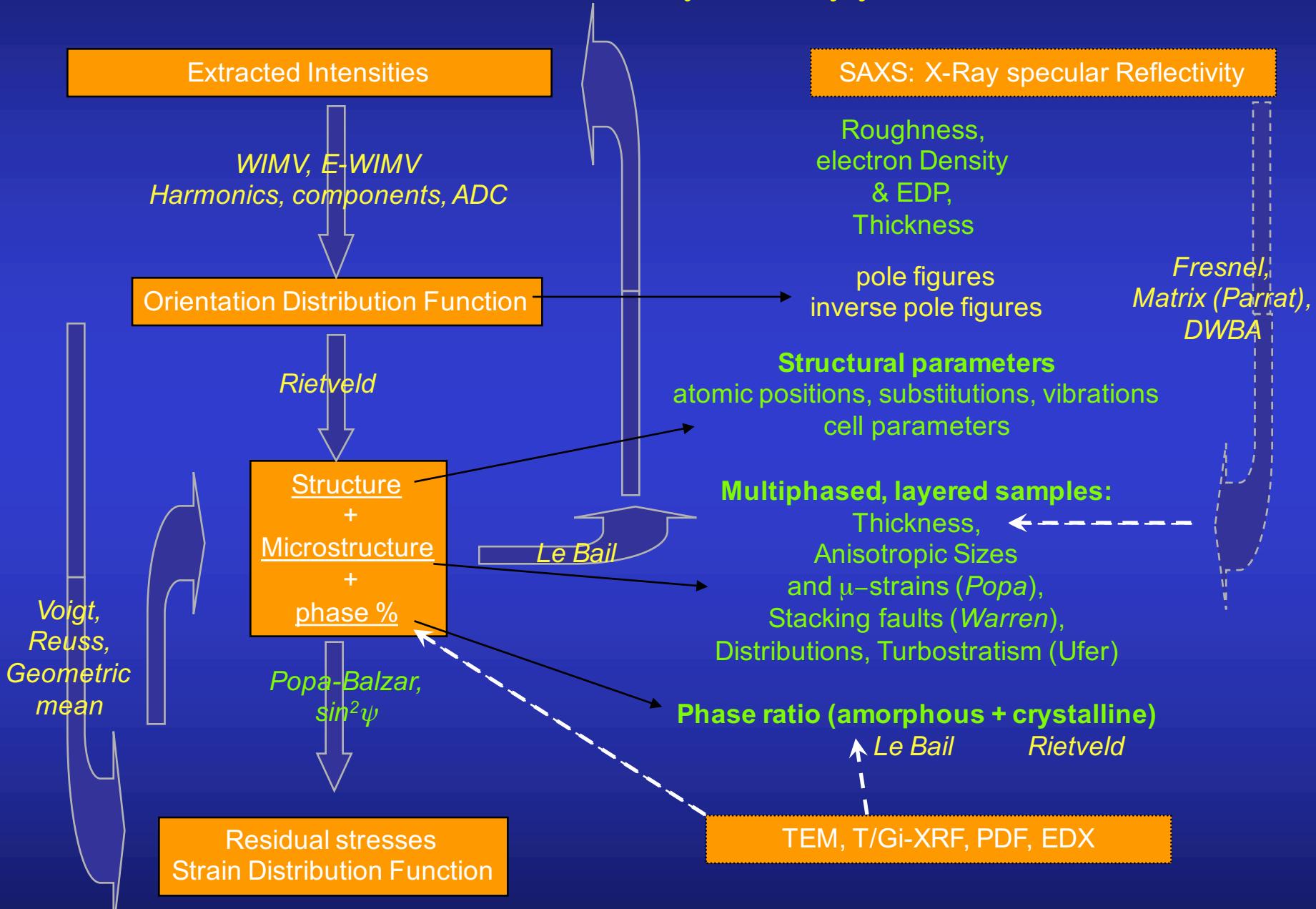
Popa, Delft, Warren, Ufer: Crystallite sizes, shapes, microstrains, distributions
0D-3D defects, turbostratism

X-Ray Reflectivity (specular): Matrix, Parrat, DWBA,
EDP ...

X-Ray Fluorescence/GiXRF: De Boer

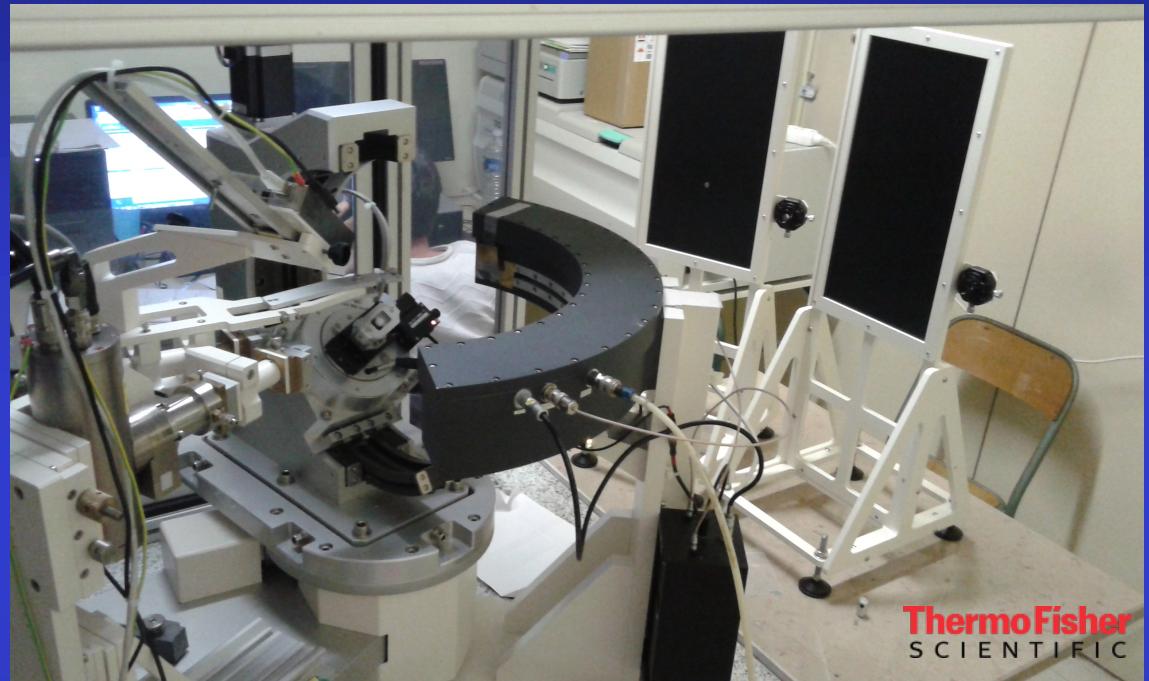
Electron Diffraction Patterns: 2-waves Blackman

Combined Analysis approach



Minimum experimental requirements

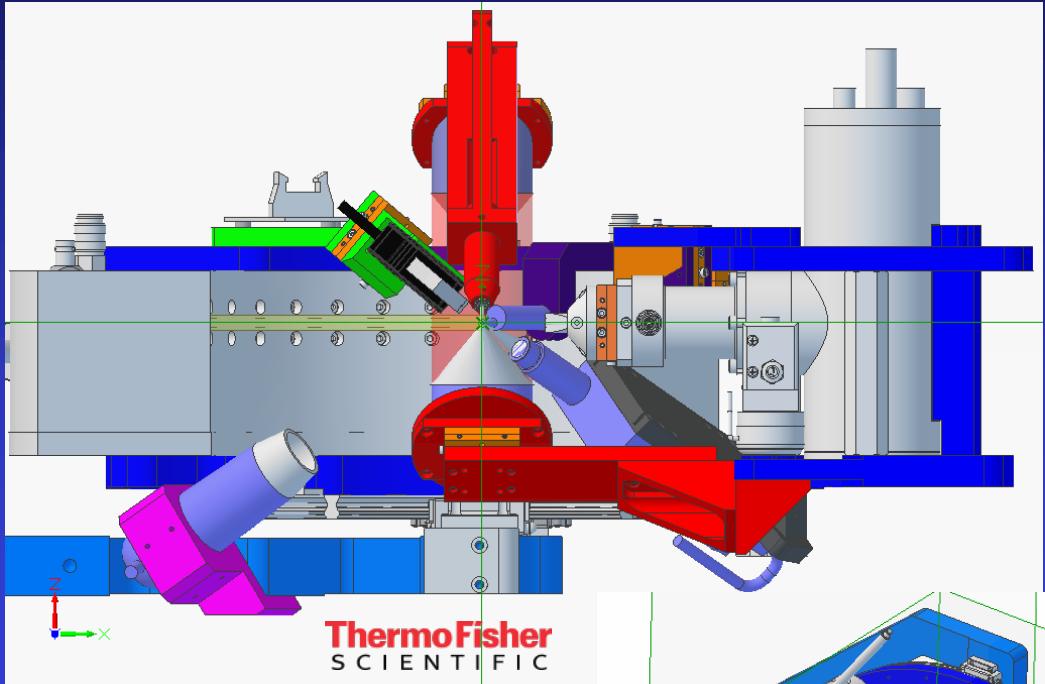
1D or 2D Detector +
4-circles diffractometer
(CRISMAT – ANR EcoCorail)



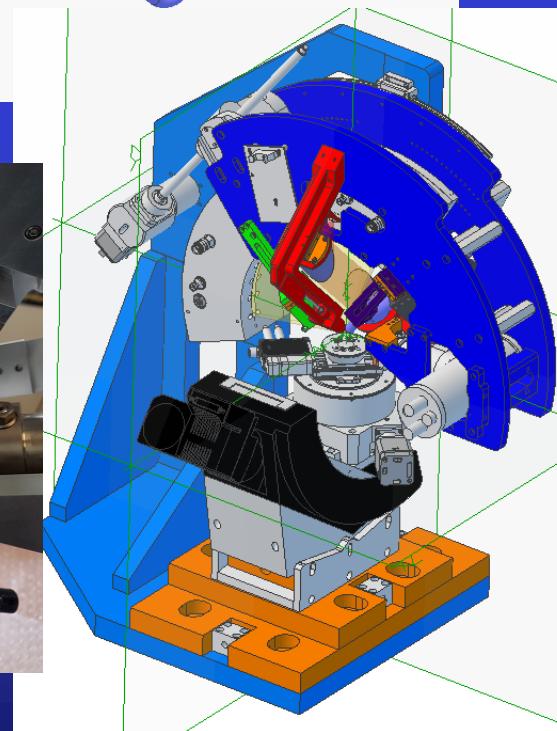
~1000 experiments (2θ diagrams)
in as many sample orientations

+

Instrument calibration
(peaks widths and shapes,
misalignments, defocusing ...)



**ThermoFisher
SCIENTIFIC**



SOLSA
SONIC DRILLING COUPLED WITH
AUTOMATED MINERALOGY & CHEMISTRY
ON MINE - ON LINE - REAL TIME

A 2014 RnR Research ERN-RM Commitment
HORIZON 2020

An innovative Expert System for Sustainable Exploration Technology & Geomodels
2016 - 2020

EXPERT SYSTEM

CHALLENGES

- Lower grade, complex ore bodies, polymetallic, multi-phase, involving phases
- High processing cost, increased energy consumption, environmental impact
- Pollution in mining sites

COST-TIME REDUCTION on mine sites
Tracer development for exploration & processing
Optimizing resource and reserve estimates

EXPERT SYSTEM

- Geographic Coordinates
- Coherent complete drill core
- Innovative drill core box
- Fast drilling
- Monitoring While Drilling
- Correct Drill core parameters to logged data → Upgrading the scientific open database (COD) for industrial purpose
- 2 Prototypes will be validated !

CONSORTIUM

New transdisciplinary partners from 4 countries design and construct the expert system: 1 large and 2 small companies, 1 government organization, 7 universities and research institutes.

GLOBAL BENEFITS

SOLSA pushes Europe in front

Early Rehabilitation
Sustainable
Acceptable to other sectors
Mining
Recycling
Nuclear

Total budget : 9.8 M€

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XRD-XRF-Raman-
FTIR Combined
Analysis (SOLSA
EU projet)

Combined Analysis cost function

$$WSS = \sum_{t=1}^{N_p} u_t \sum_{i=0}^{N_t} w_{it} (y_{itc} - y_{ito})^2$$

For each pattern t: w_{it} : weight, usually $1/y_i = \sigma^2$.

u_t : weight of each pattern t
should be used to adjust the importance we want to give to a particular technique or pattern with respect to the others

Independent measurements

Different wavelengths and rays

Reflectivity: thickness, roughness, electron density profiles

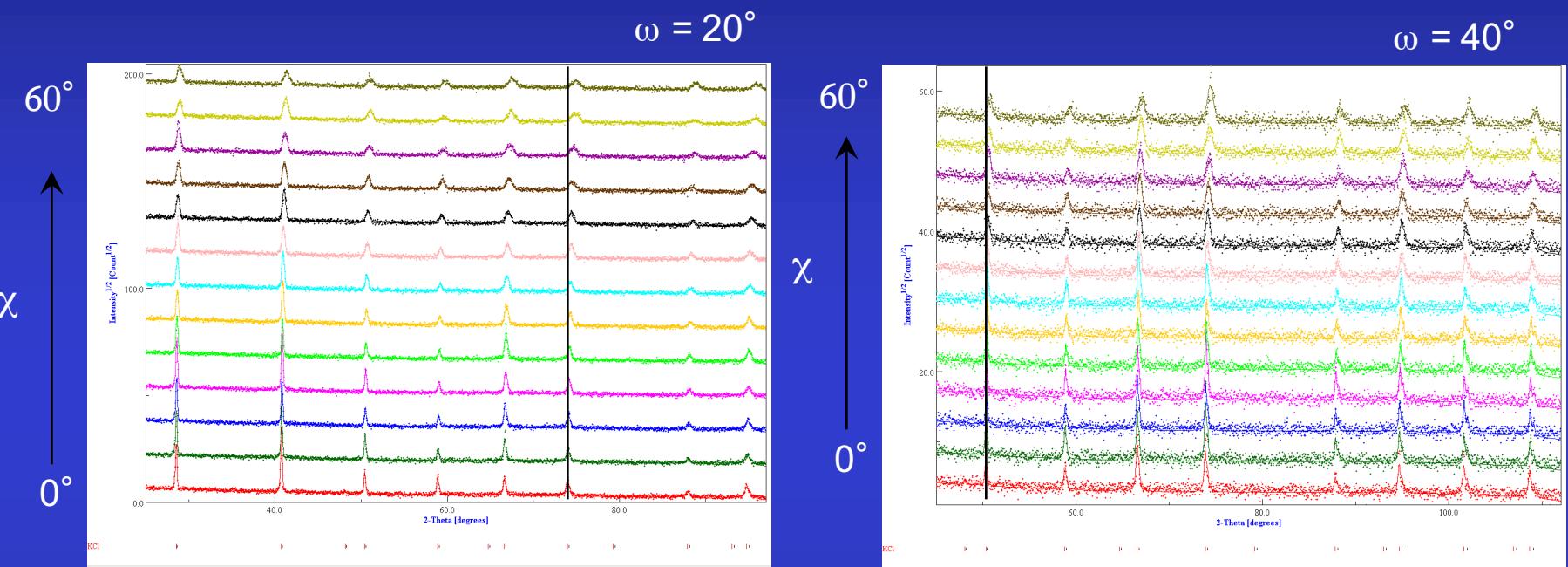
X-ray Fluorescence: composition

Spectroscopies: local structures (PDF, FTIR, Mossbauer ...),
eventually anisotropic (P-EXAFS, ESR, Raman ...), Element
profiles (SIMS, RBS ...) ...

Physical models: magnetisation, conductivity ...

Environments: applied fields

XRD Calibration



LaB₆, CeO₂, KCl, ...



FWHM ($\omega, \chi, \varphi, 2\theta, \eta, \kappa \dots$)
2θ shift
gaussianity
asymmetry
misalignments ...

Minimization algorithms

- Can be fully used in the method (everywhere)
- Marquardt Least Squares (based on steepest decrease and Gauss-Newton)
 - Efficient, best with few parameters, near the solution
- Evolutionary computation (or genetic algorithm)
 - Slow, not efficient, requires a lot of resources
 - Unlimited number of parameters
 - Can start far from the solution
- Simulated annealing (the solution proceed like a random walk, but the walking step decreases as temperature decreases)
 - In between the Marquardt and evolutionary algorithms
- Simplex (generates $n+1$ starting solutions as vertices of a polygon, n number of parameters, and contract/expand the polygon around the minima)
 - Slow on convergence
 - Remains close to the solution, but explore more minima with respect to the Marquardt

Full-Pattern Search-Match

maud.radiographema.com www.iutcaen.unicaen.fr

Diffraction pattern and sample composition

Upload diffraction pattern:

Atomic elements in the sample: O Al Ca F Zn

Sample nanocrystalline

Experiment details

Radiation:

X-ray tube: Cu
 Other : x-ray Wavelength (Å): 1.540598

Instrument geometry:

Bragg-Brentano (theta-2theta)
 Bragg-Brentano (2theta only), omega: 10
 Debye-Scherrer
 Transmission

Instrument broadening function: Medium

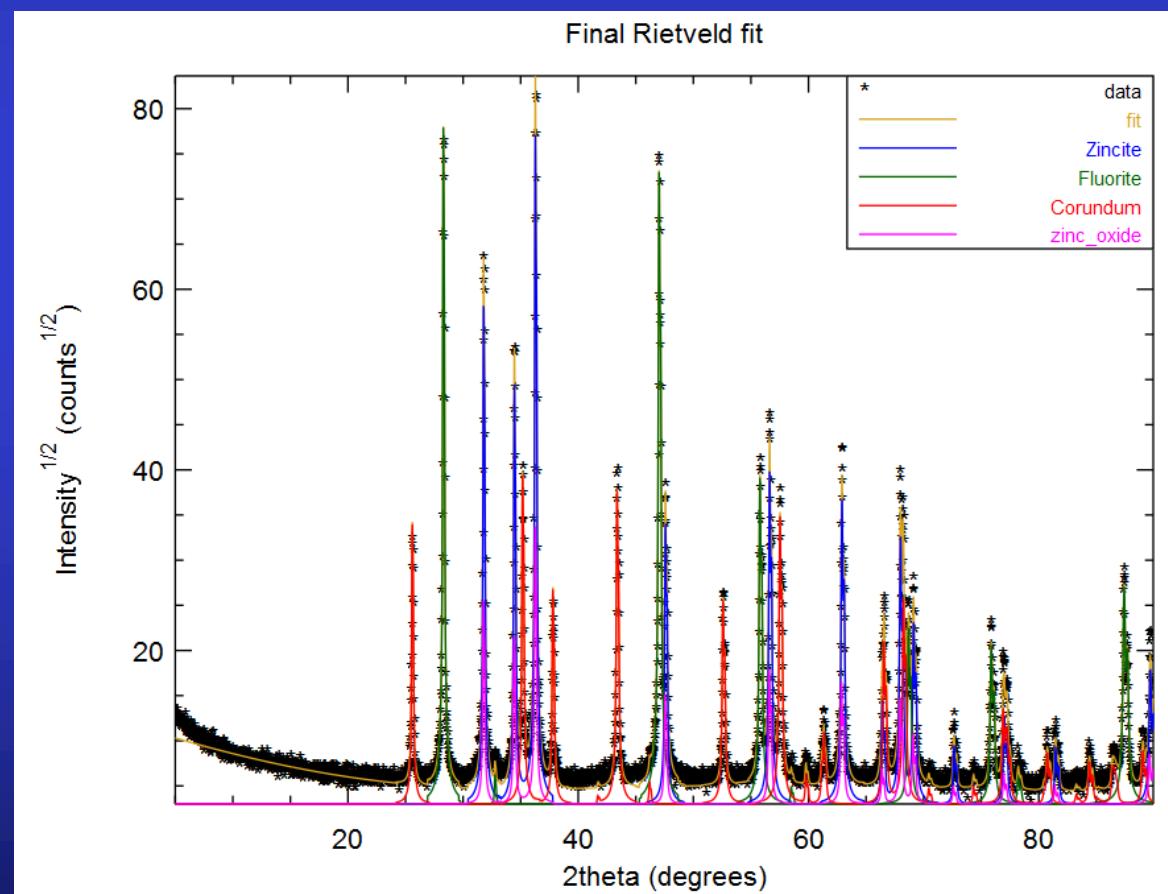
Extra output (for debugging)

Structures database: CODstructures

Found phases and quantification:

Phase ID	name	vol. (%)	wt. (%)	crystallites (Å)	microstrain
9004178	Zincite	16.8284	23.9708	2148.26	0.00028435
9009005	Fluorite	42.5522	33.9388	2117.08	0.000363147
9007498	Corundum	37.2197	37.2493	1889.82	0.000267779
2300112	zinc_oxide	3.39971	4.84114	1754.74	6.98311e-05

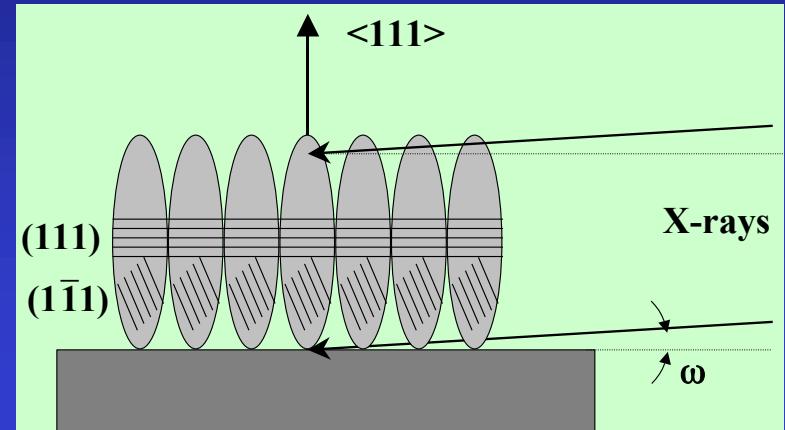
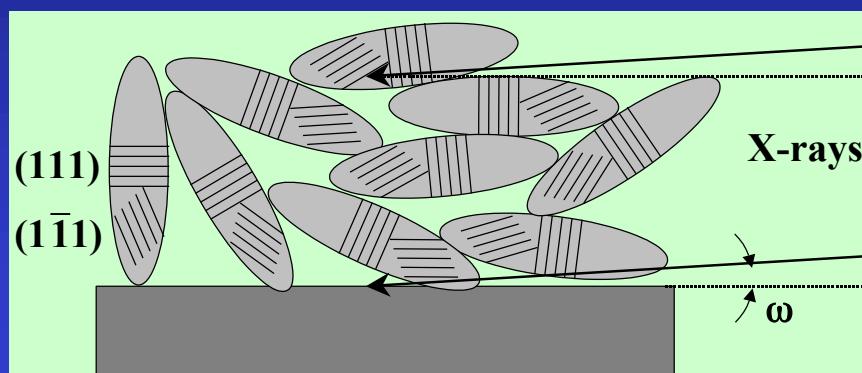
Final Rietveld analysis, Rw: 0.159468, GofF: 1.95869



30s later
>375000 COD
structures

Line Broadening:

Crystallite sizes, shapes, μ strains, distributions



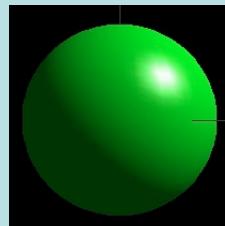
- Texture helps the "real" mean shape determination

$$\langle \mathbf{R}_{\vec{h}} \rangle = \sum_{\ell=0}^L \sum_{m=0}^{\ell} R_{\ell}^m K_{\ell}^m(\chi, \varphi)$$

Symmetrised spherical harmonics

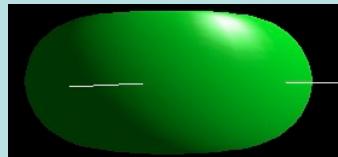
$$K_{\ell}^m(\chi, \varphi) = P_{\ell}^m(\cos \chi) \cos(m\varphi) + P_{\ell}^m(\cos \chi) \sin(m\varphi)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \mathbf{R}_{\vec{h}} \rangle &= R_0 + R_1 P_2^0(x) + R_2 P_2^1(x) \cos \varphi + R_3 P_2^1(x) \sin \varphi + R_4 P_2^2(x) \cos 2\varphi + R_5 P_2^2(x) \sin 2\varphi + \\ \langle \varepsilon_{\vec{h}}^2 \rangle E_{\vec{h}}^4 &= E_1 h^4 + E_2 k^4 + E_3 \ell^4 + 2E_4 h^2 k^2 + 2E_5 \ell^2 k^2 + 2E_6 h^2 \ell^2 + 4E_7 h^3 k + 4E_8 h^3 \ell + 4E_9 k^3 h + \\ &\quad 4E_{10} k^3 \ell + 4E_{11} \ell^3 h + 4E_{12} \ell^3 k + 4E_{13} h^2 k \ell + 4E_{14} k^2 h \ell + 4E_{15} \ell^2 k h \end{aligned}$$

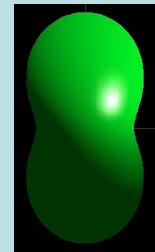


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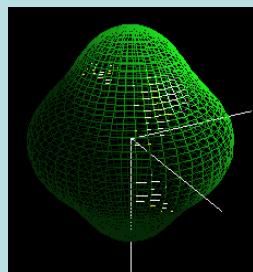
R_0



$R_0, R_1 < 0$



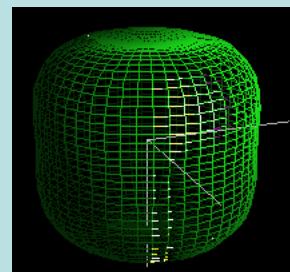
$R_0, R_1 > 0$



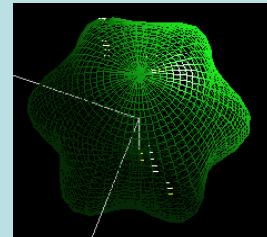
$R_0, R_6 > 0$



$R_0,$
 R_2 and $R_6 > 0$

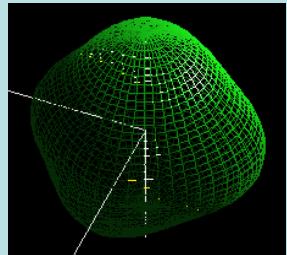


$R_0, R_6 < 0$

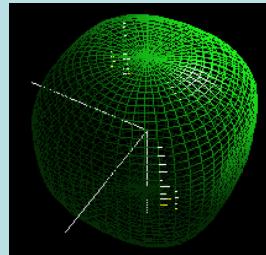


$6/m$

$R_0, R_4 > 0$



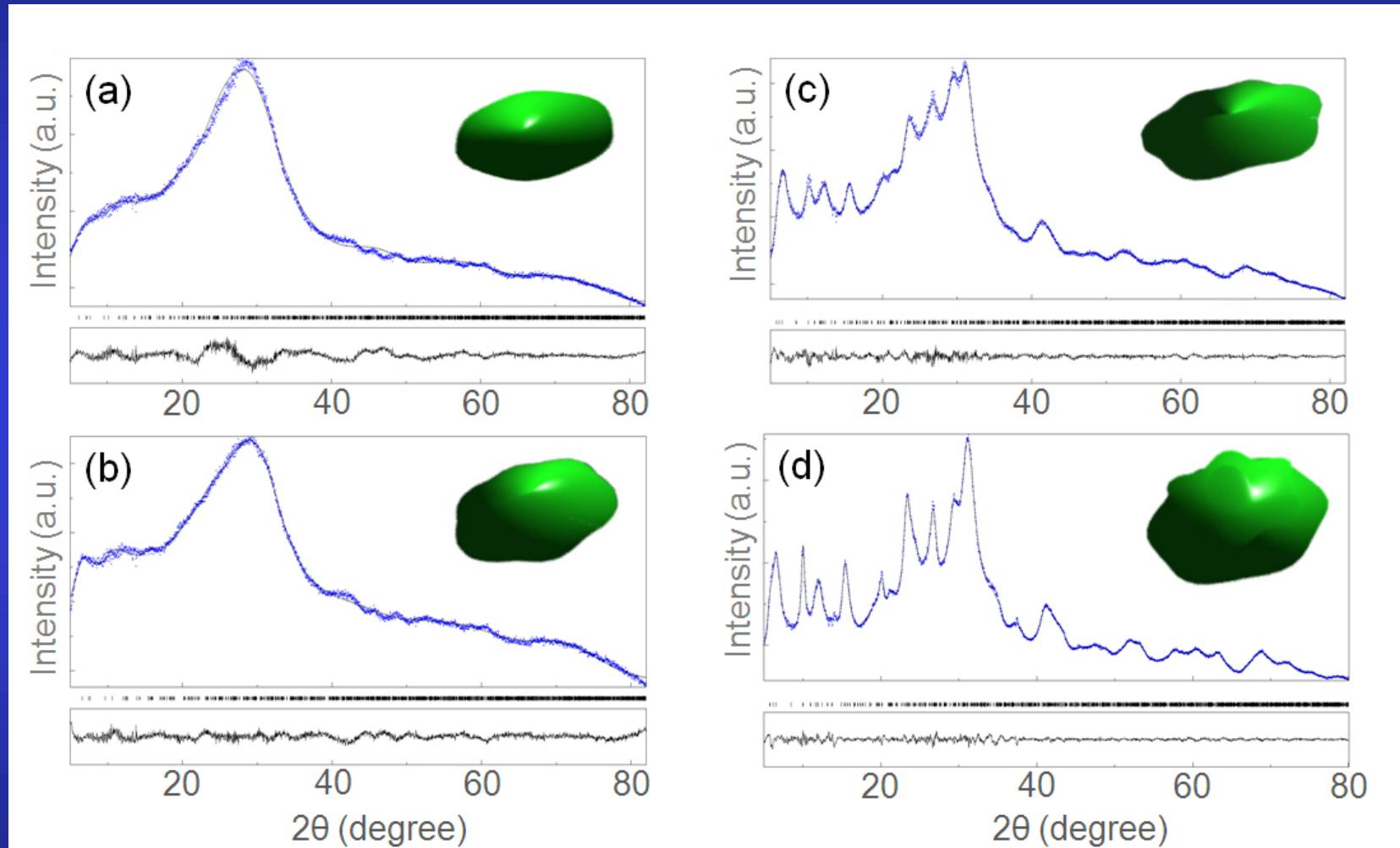
$R_0, R_1 > 0$



$m3m$

$R_0, R_1 < 0$

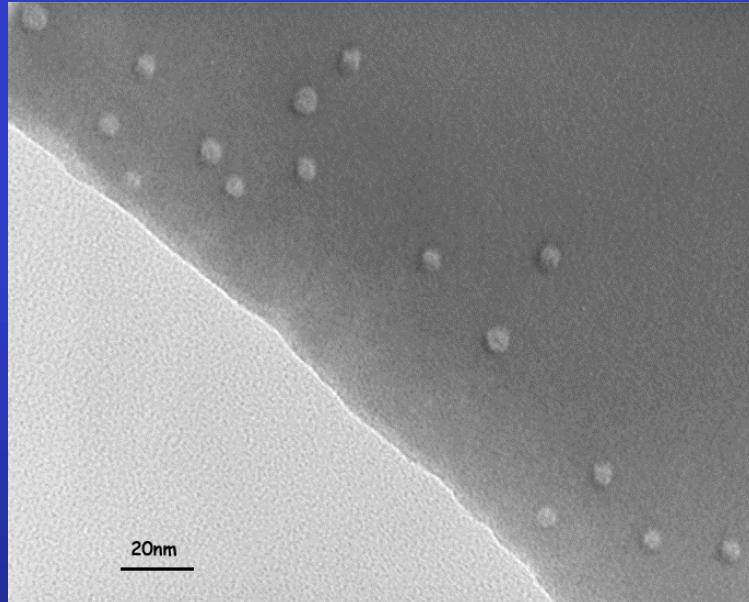
EMT nanocrystalline zeolite



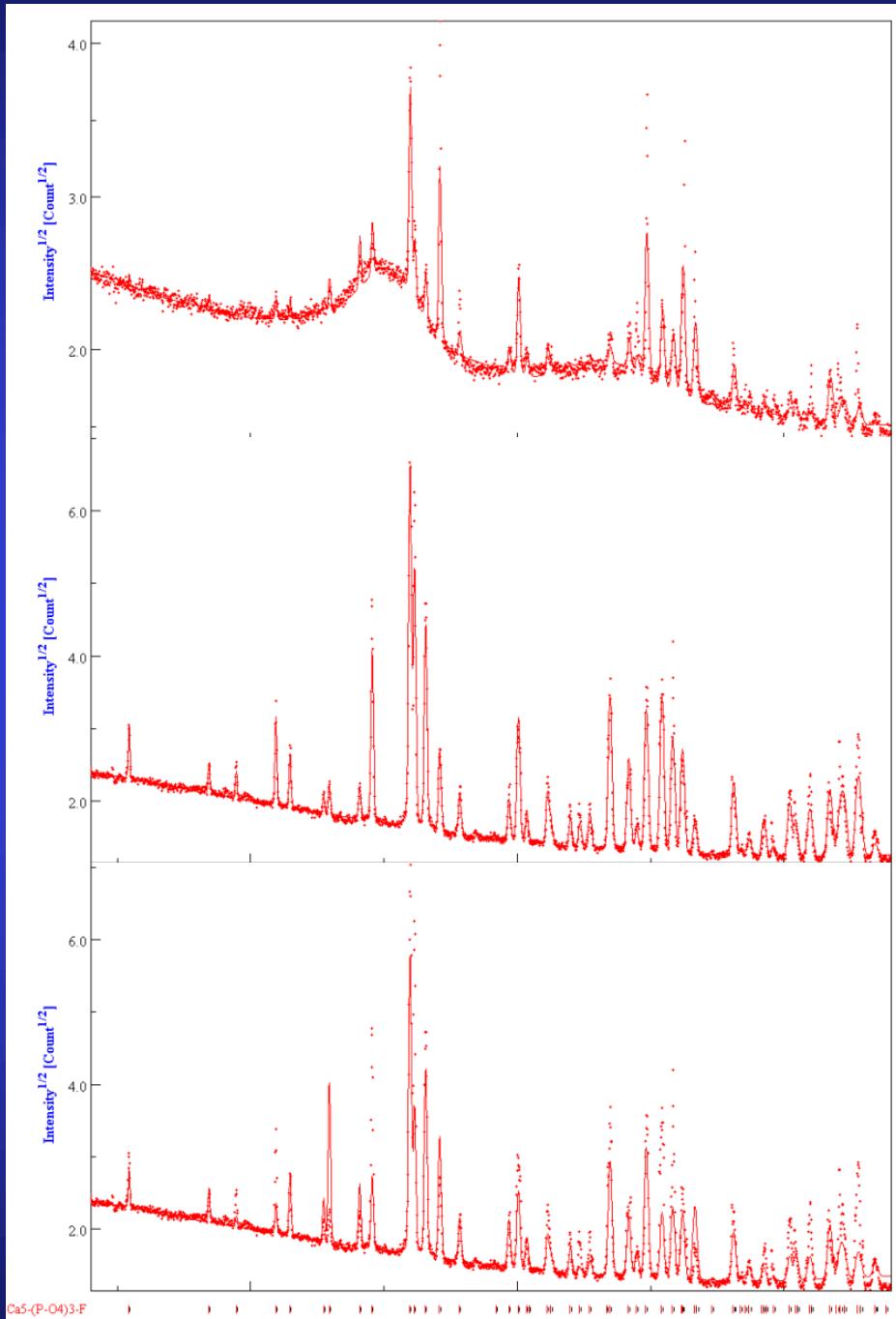
Ng, Chateigner, Valtchev, Mintova: *Science* **335** (2012) 70

Irradiated FluorApatite (FAp) ceramics

Self-recrystallisation under irradiation, depending on $\text{SiO}_4 / \text{PO}_4$ ratio (FAp / Nd-Britholite) and on irradiating species



TEM of FAp
irradiated with 70
MeV, $10^{12} \text{ Kr cm}^{-2}$
ions



texture corrected,
 $10^{13} \text{ Kr cm}^{-2}$

Virgin, with texture
correction

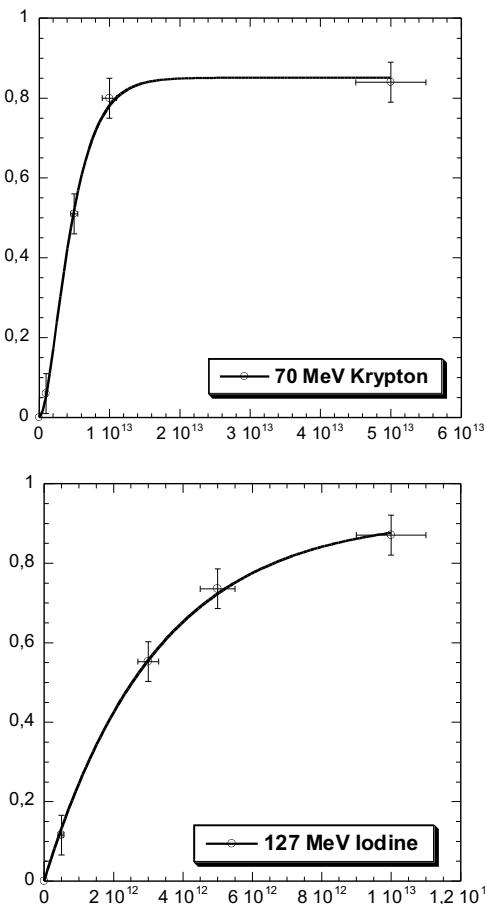
Virgin, no texture
correction

Fluence (ions.cm ⁻²)	Vc/V (%)	A (Å)	c (Å)	$\langle t \rangle$ (nm)	$\Delta a/a_0$ (%)	$\Delta c/c_0$ (%)	R _w (%)	R _B (%)
0	100	9.3365(3)	6.8560(5)	294(22)	-	-	14.6	9.1
Kr								
10^{11}	100	-	-	-	-	-		
10^{12}	100	-	-	-	-	-		
5.10^{12}	49(1)	9.3775(9)	6.8912(8)	294(20)	0.44	0.53	24	15
10^{13}	20(1)	9.4236(5)	6.9105(5)	291(20)	0.94	0.82	9.9	6
5.10^{13}	14(1)	9.3160(4)	6.8402(5)	294(22)	-0.21	-0.22	10.5	5.9
I								
10^{11}	-	-	-	-	-	-		
5.10^{11}	86(2)	9.3603(3)	6.8790(5)	90(10)	0.26	0.35	23.9	15.1
10^{12}	-	-	-	-	-	-		
3.10^{12}	47(2)	9.3645(3)	6.8840(5)	91(6)	0.30	0.42	13.3	9
5.10^{12}	29.2(5)	9.3765(5)	6.8881(6)	77(11)	0.44	0.48	10.4	7.3
10^{13}	13.2(2)	9.3719(4)	6.8857(6)	82(9)	0.38	0.45	6.7	4.9

Single impact model associated to crystal size reduction
 Cell parameters and volume increase, then relax

Amorphisation / recrystallisation competition: single or double impact

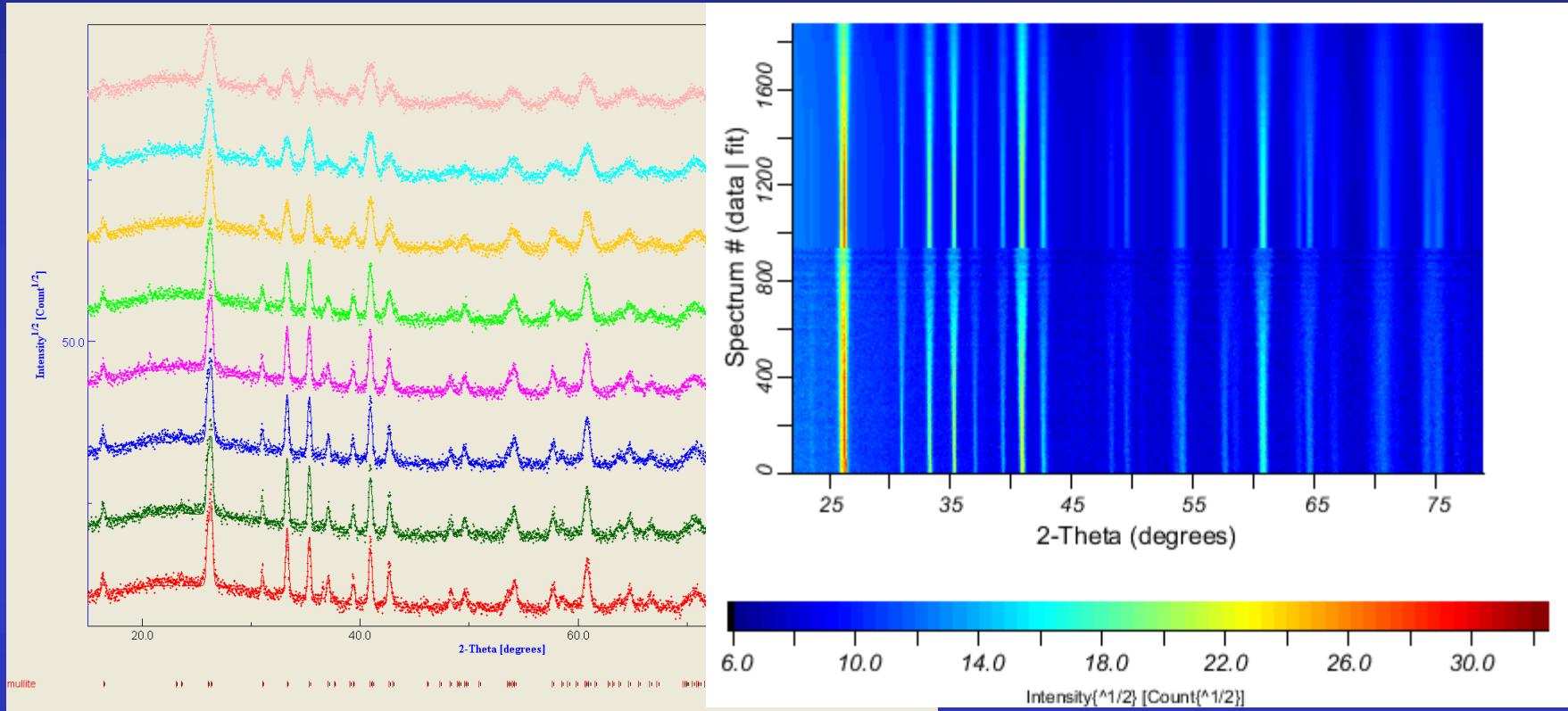
Amorphous/crystalline volume fraction (damaged fraction $F_d = V_a / V$) as determined by x-ray diffraction



← B

Fitting parameters	Krypton		Iodine
	Single impact $F_d = B(1 - \exp(-A\Phi_t))$	Double impact $F_d = B(1 - (1 + A\Phi_t) \exp(-A\Phi_t))$	Single impact $F_d = B(1 - \exp(-A\Phi_t))$
$A = \pi R^2 (\text{cm}^2)$	$1.85 \pm 0.15 10^{-13}$	$4.1 \pm 0.15 10^{-13}$	$3.3 \pm 0.15 10^{-13}$
Radius R (nm)	2.4 ± 0.2	3.6	3.2
B (Max.damage rate)	0.87	0.85 ± 0.2	0.92 ± 0.2
χ^2	0.013	0.0006	0.0004

Mullite-silica composites

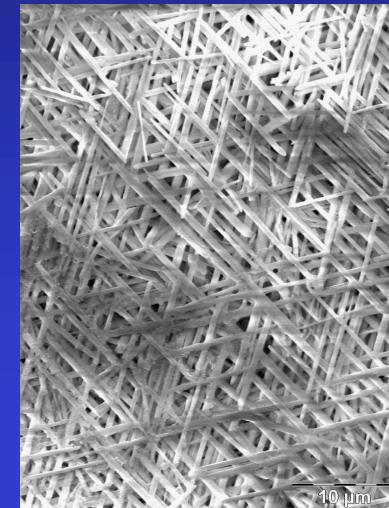
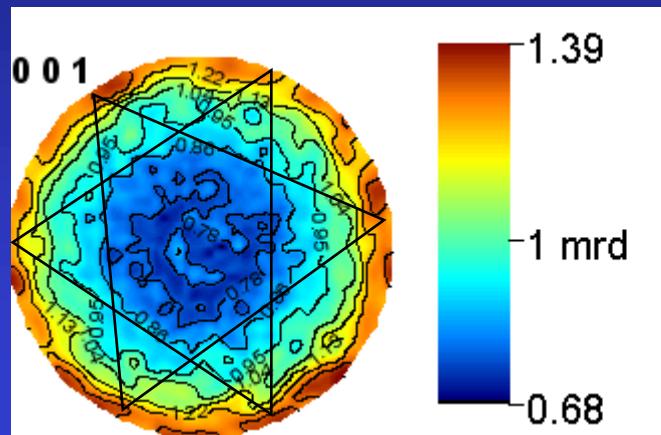


ODF: $R_w = 4.87\%$, $R_B = 4.01\%$

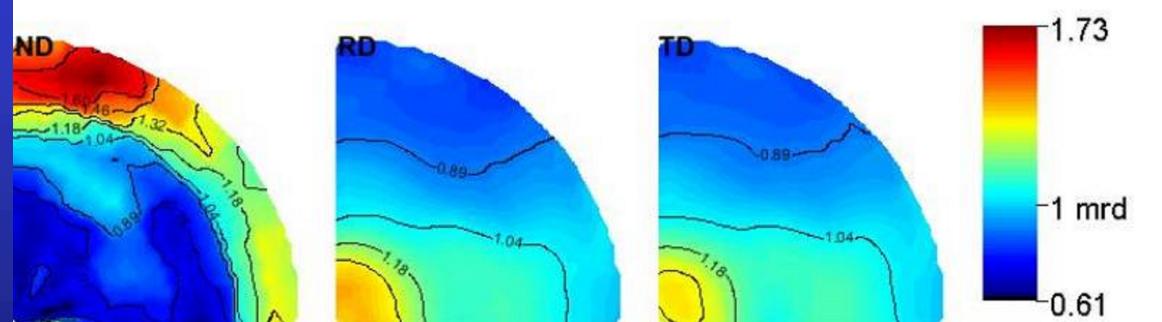
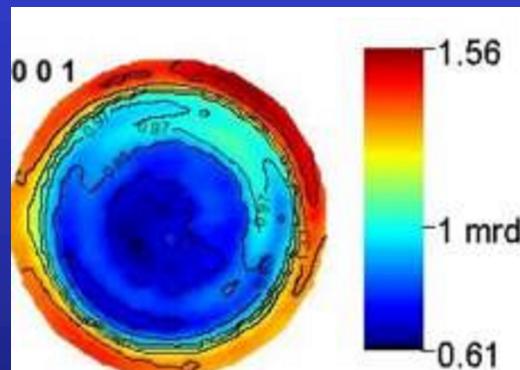
Rietveld: $R_w = 12.90\%$, GoF = 1.77

Mullite: $a = 7.56486(5)$ Å; $b = 7.71048(5)$ Å; $c = 2.89059(1)$ Å

Uniaxially pressed

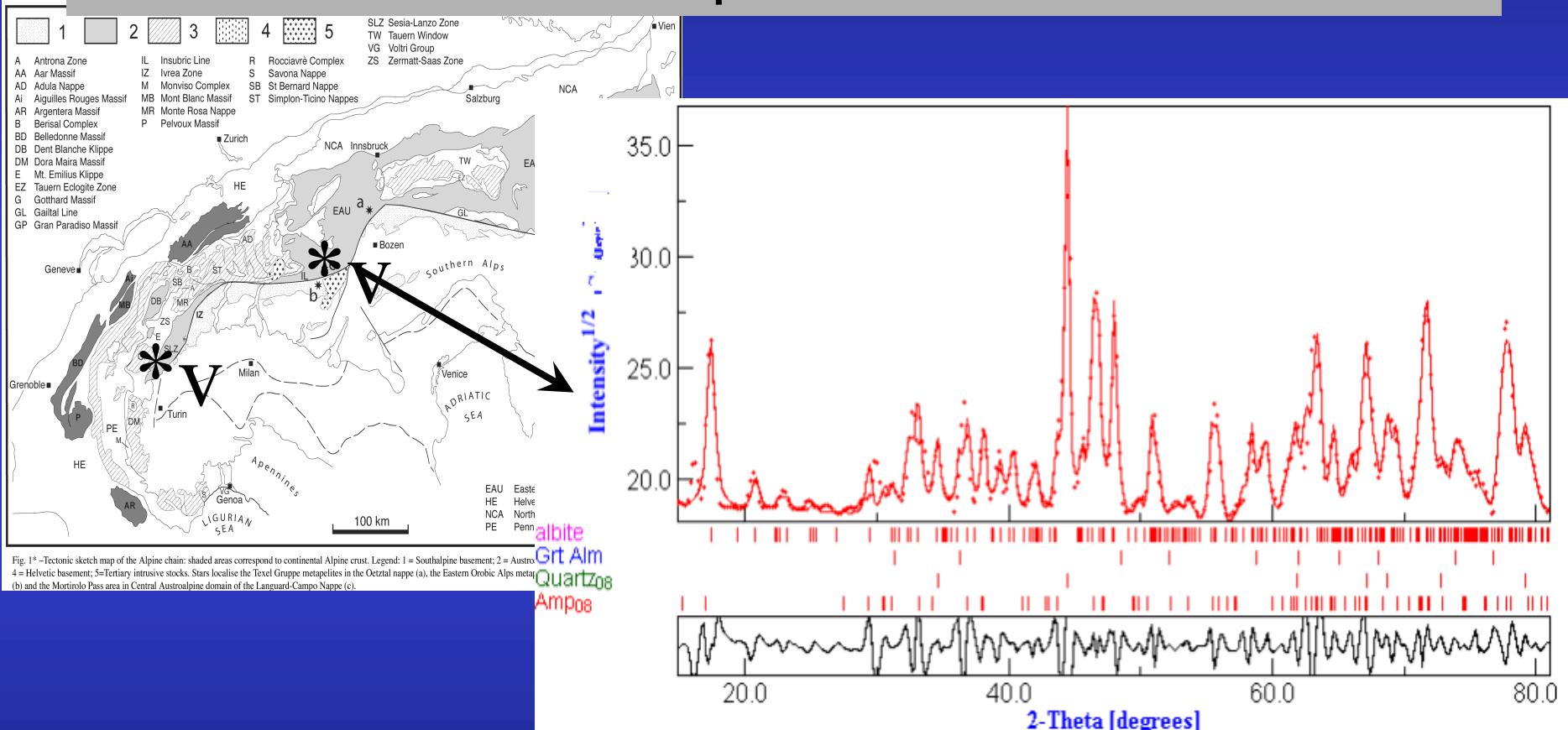


Centrifugated



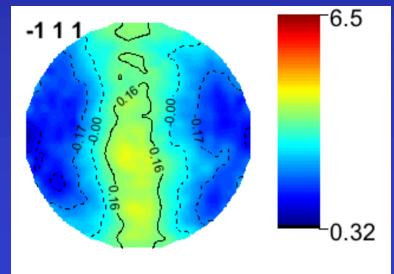
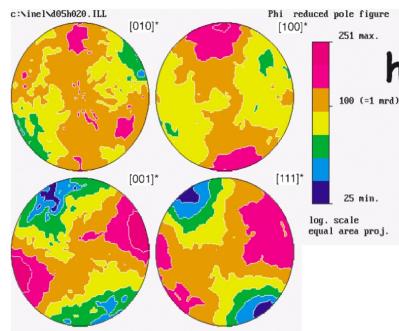
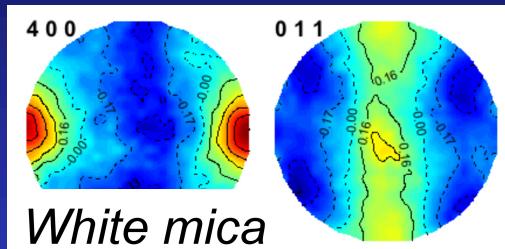
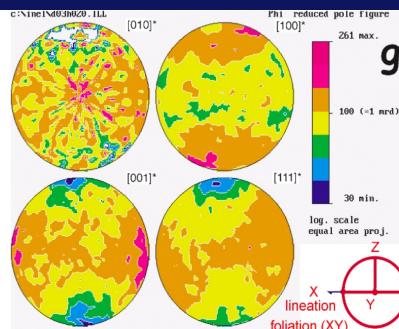
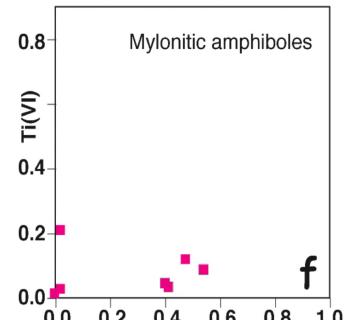
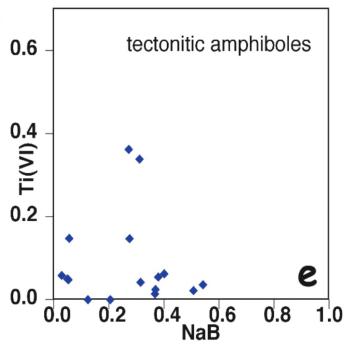
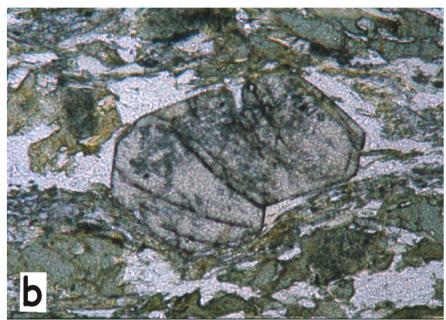
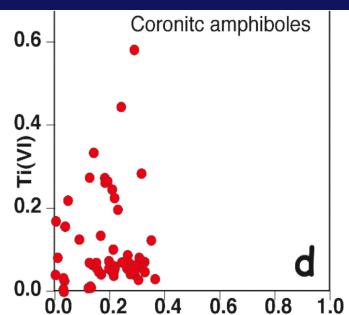
Texture of amphiboles collected at ≠ places and in ≠ lithologic types

↳ White mica and chlorite partially replace amphibole or fill small fractures with quartz and carbonates



Combined approach allows to access pole figures for most of the rock-forming minerals (even for mica)

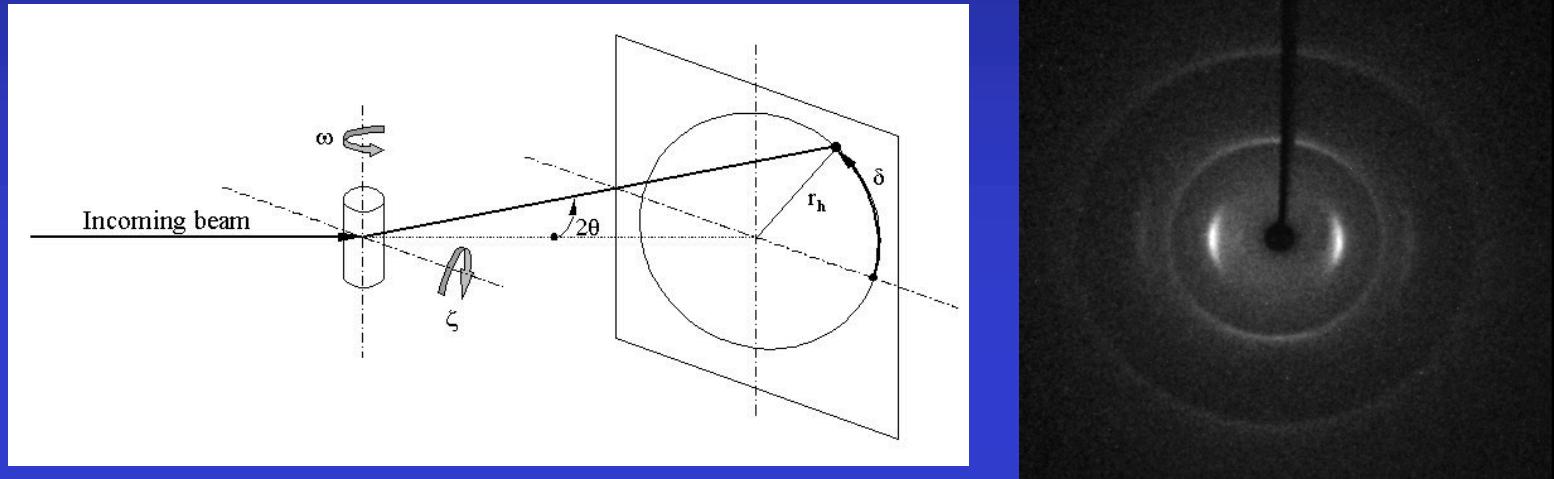
Strain increase



Degree of fabric evolution due to:

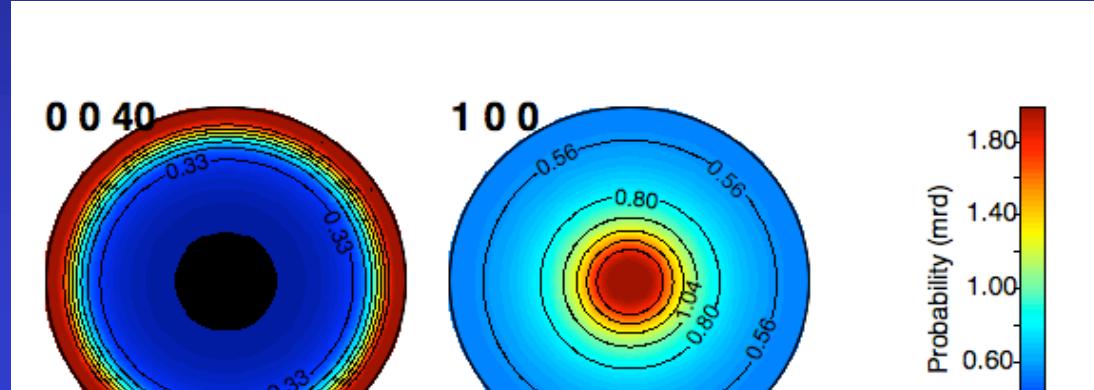
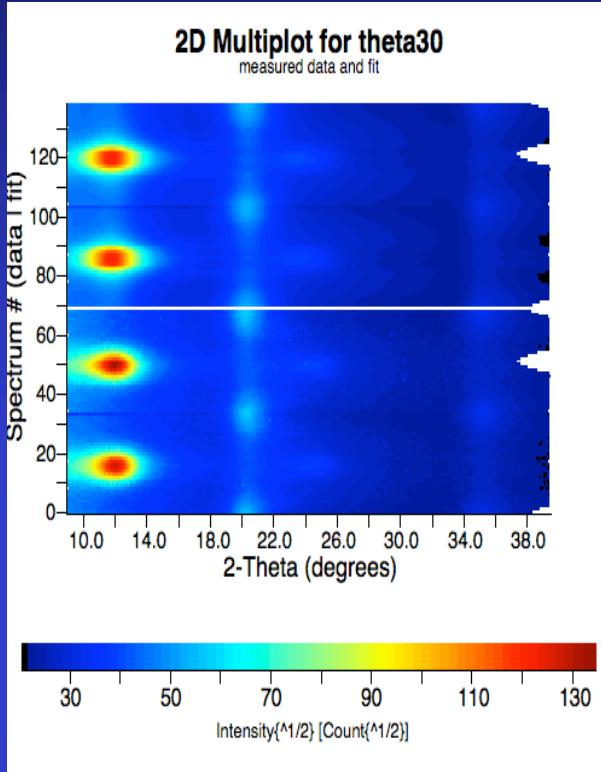
- deformation partitioning at metric-scale
- degree of chemical changes within amphiboles
- evolving metamorphic conditions during Alpine subduction (60-100 Million years).

Carbon nanofibre



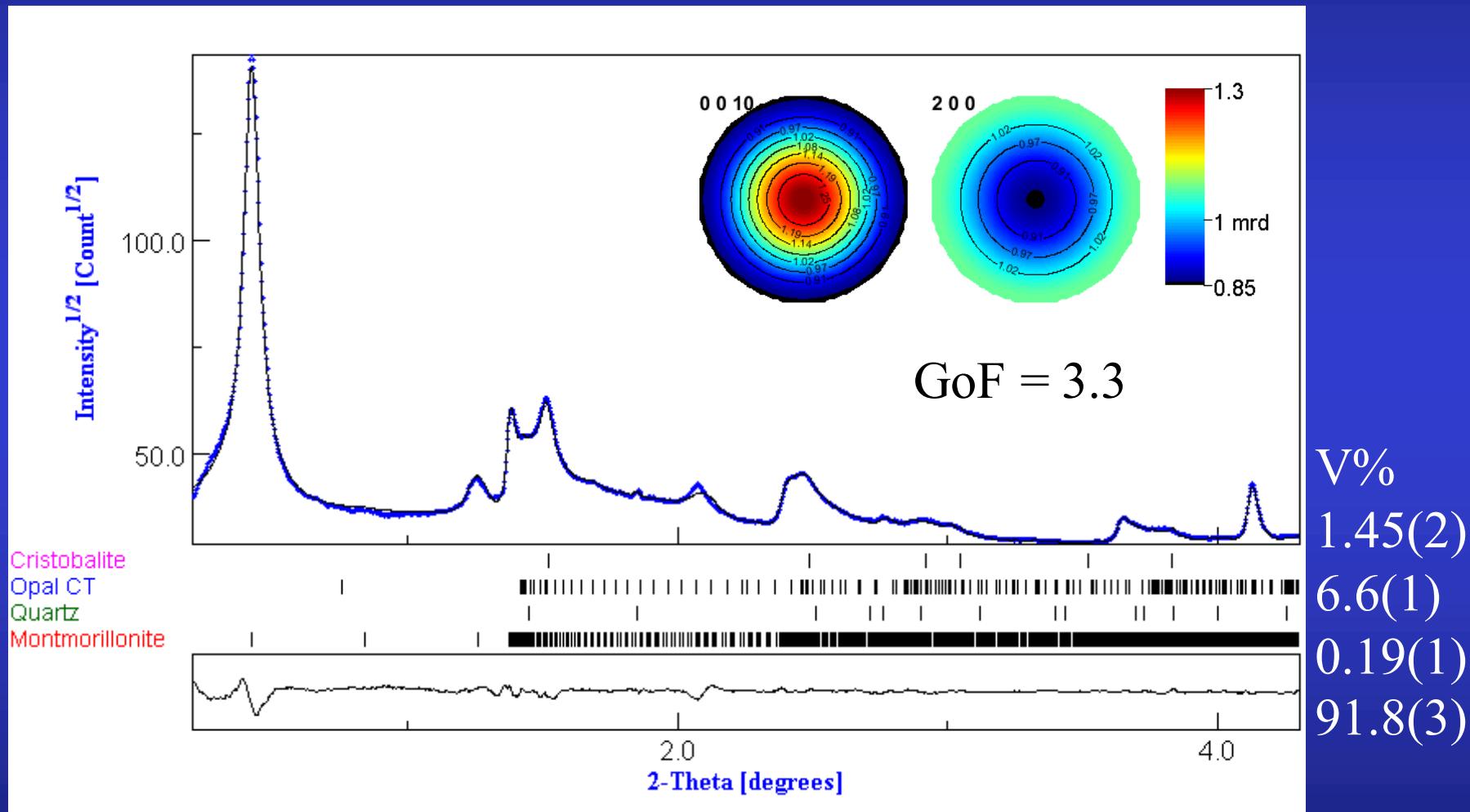
1 fibre (7 microns diameter): CCD Kappa diffractometer

Planar texture Component
Ufer turbostratic model

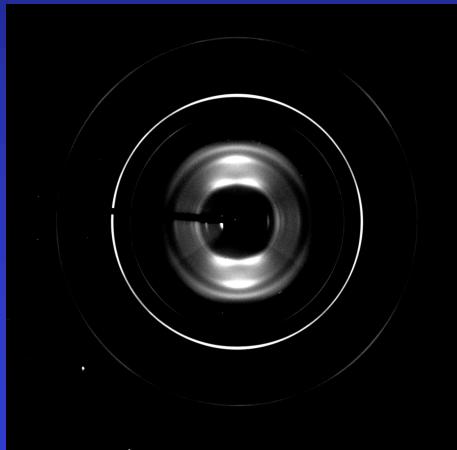


	A(nm)	C(nm)	Orientation FWHM(°)	Max 00l pole figure (m.r.d.)	Crystallite size along c (nm)	Crystallite size along a (nm)	Global microstrain (rms)
C1B1	0.23589(7)	0.6821(1)	21.6(1)	1.95	2.1(4)	2.2(4)	0.0152(10)
C2B1	0.23746(5)	0.68915(8)	18.75(6)	2.05	2.3(2)	2.5(2)	0.0154(11)
C3B1	0.23734(5)	0.69233(9)	18.63(6)	2.04	2.4(3)	2.7(5)	0.0136(6)
C3B2	0.23716(4)	0.69389(9)	19.87(7)	1.98	2.4(4)	2.5(4)	0.0150(4)
C3B3	0.23656(4)	0.68980(8)	19.16(6)	1.99	2.5(6)	2.3(5)	0.0168(8)

Turbostratic phyllosilicate aggregates

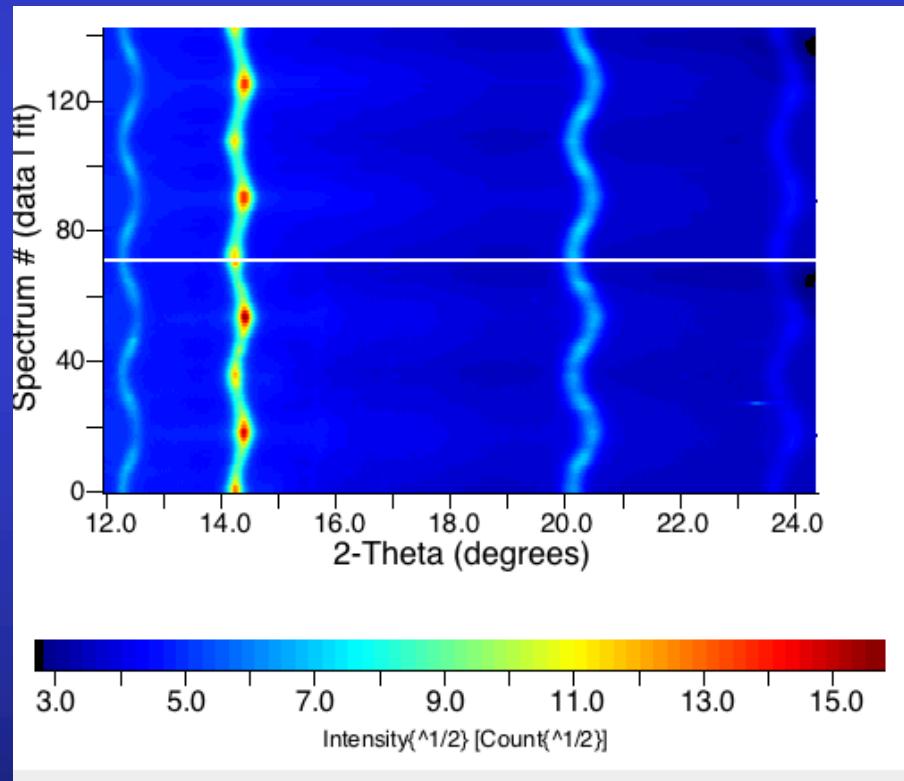
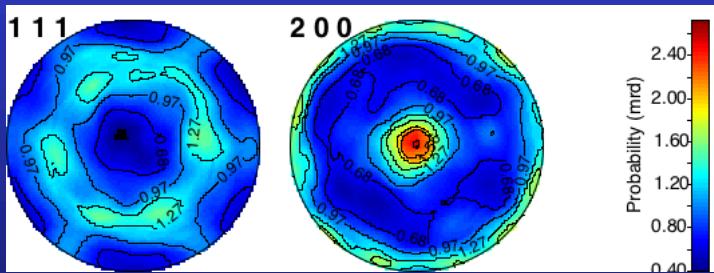


Mg_{0.75}Fe_{0.25}O high pressure experiments



E-WIMV + geo

$a = 3.98639(3) \text{ \AA}$
 $\langle t \rangle = 46.8(3) \text{ \AA}$
 $\langle \varepsilon \rangle = 0.00535(1)$
 $\sigma_{33} = -861(3) \text{ MPa}$



LiNbO₃

- Predict macroscopic anisotropic properties: BAW

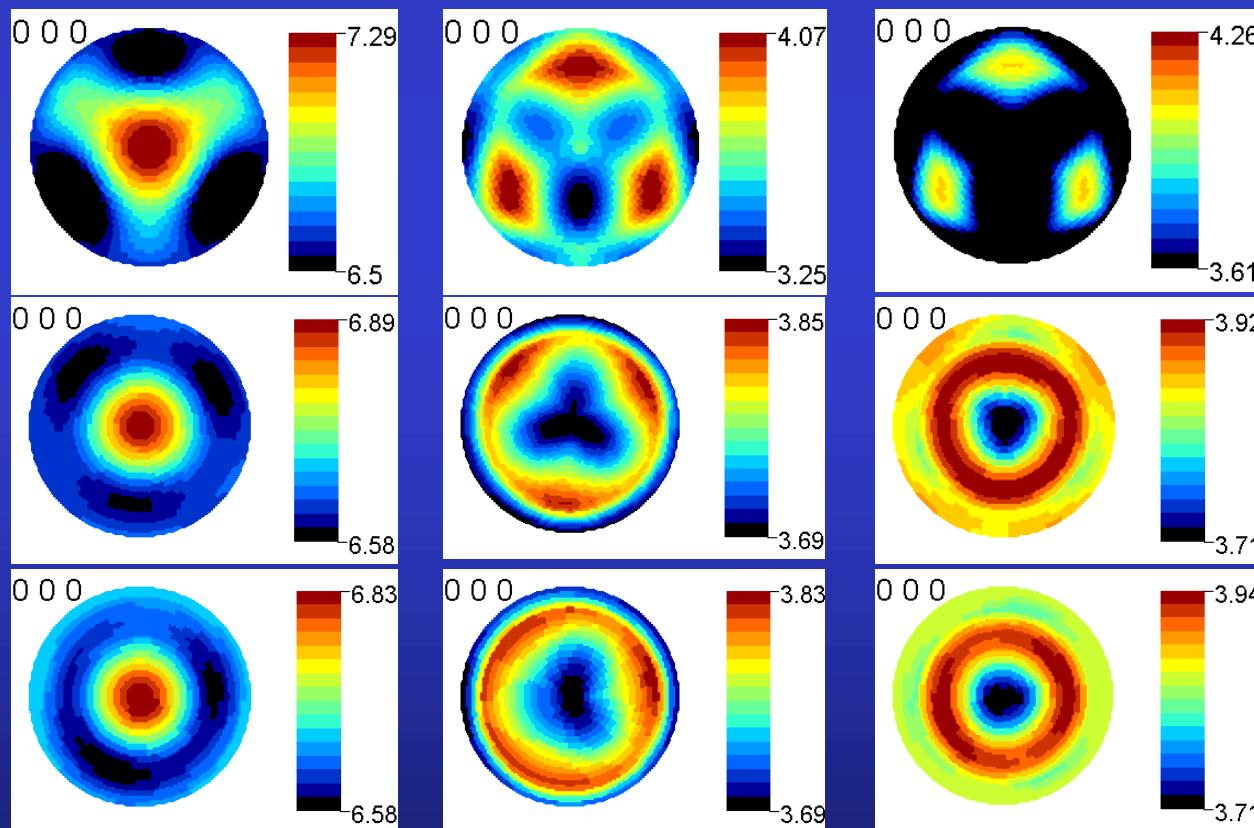
Propagation equation

$$\rho \frac{\partial^2 u^i}{\partial t^2} = [C^{i\ell mn}] \frac{\partial^2 u_n}{\partial x^m \partial x^\ell}$$

Propagation direction	V _P	V _{S1}	V _{S2}
[100]	$\sqrt{\frac{c^M_{11}}{\rho}}$	$\sqrt{\frac{c^M_{44}}{\rho}}$	$\sqrt{\frac{c^M_{44}}{\rho}}$
[110]	$\sqrt{\frac{c^M_{11} + 2c^M_{44} + c^M_{12}}{2\rho}}$	$\sqrt{\frac{c^M_{11} - c^M_{12}}{2\rho}}$	$\sqrt{\frac{c^M_{44}}{\rho}}$
[111]	$\sqrt{\frac{c^M_{11} + 4c^M_{44} + 2c^M_{12}}{3\rho}}$	$\sqrt{\frac{c^M_{11} + c^M_{44} - c^M_{12}}{3\rho}}$	$\sqrt{\frac{c^M_{11} + c^M_{44} - c^M_{12}}{3\rho}}$

Cubic crystal system

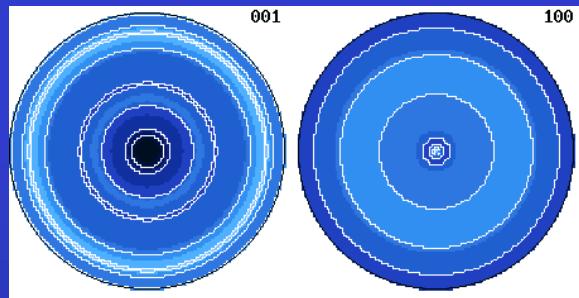
	c_{11} or c_{11}^M	c_{12} or c_{12}^M	c_{13} or c_{13}^M	c_{14} or c_{14}^M	c_{33} or c_{33}^M	c_{44} or c_{44}^M
Single crystal	201	54.52	71.43	8.4	246.5	60.55
LiNbO_3/Si	206.4	68.5	67.6	0.48	216.5	64
$\text{LiNbO}_3/\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$	204	65.7	69.7	1.1	219.9	63.2



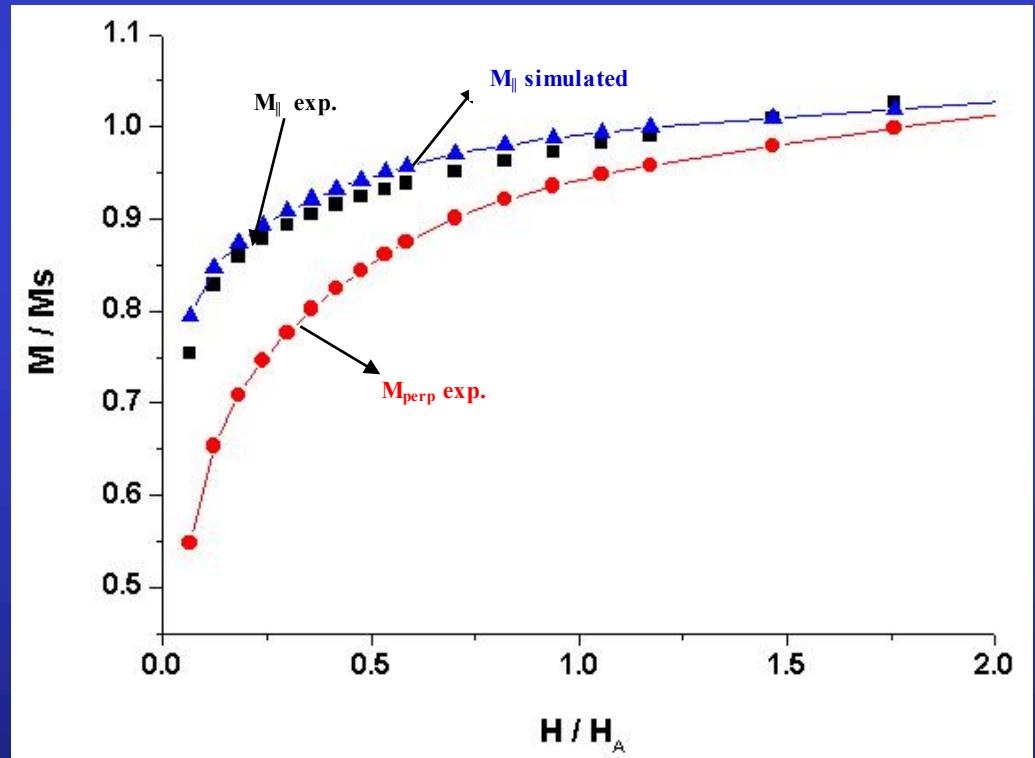
$\text{ErMn}_3\text{Fe}_9\text{C}$ ferrimagnet

Predict macroscopic anisotropic properties: Magnetisation

$$\frac{M_{\perp}}{M_S} = 2\pi \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (1 - \rho_0) PV(\theta_g) \sin\theta_g \cos(\theta_g - \theta) d\theta_g + \rho_0 M_{\text{random}}$$



max {001}: 3.9 mrd
min: 0.5 mrd

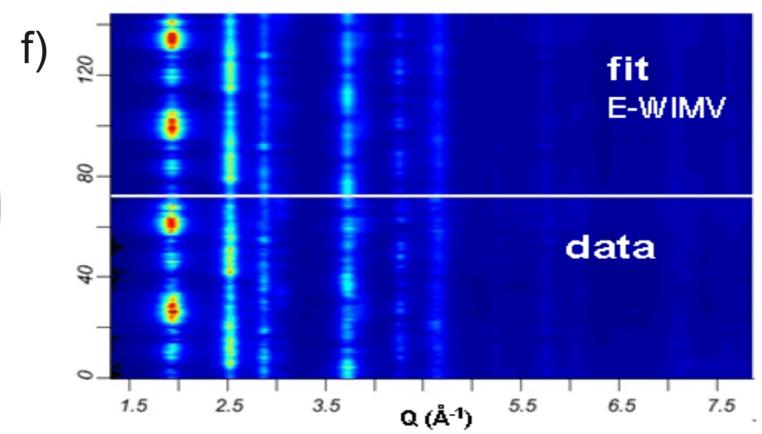
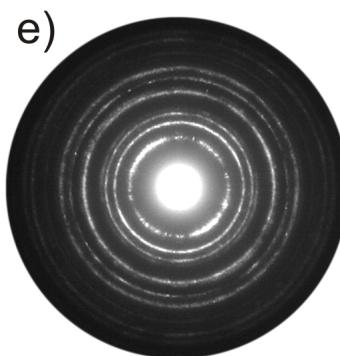
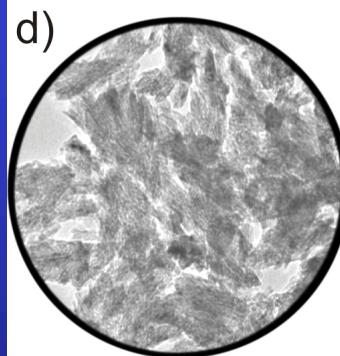
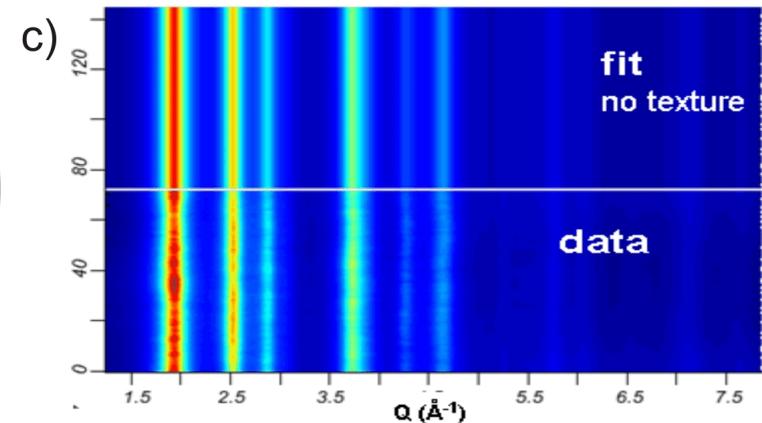
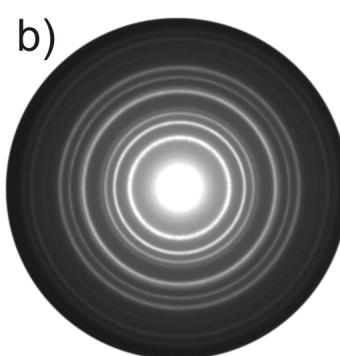
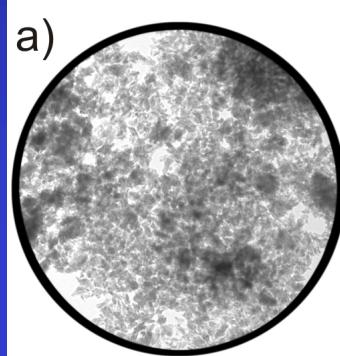


EDP Combined Analysis

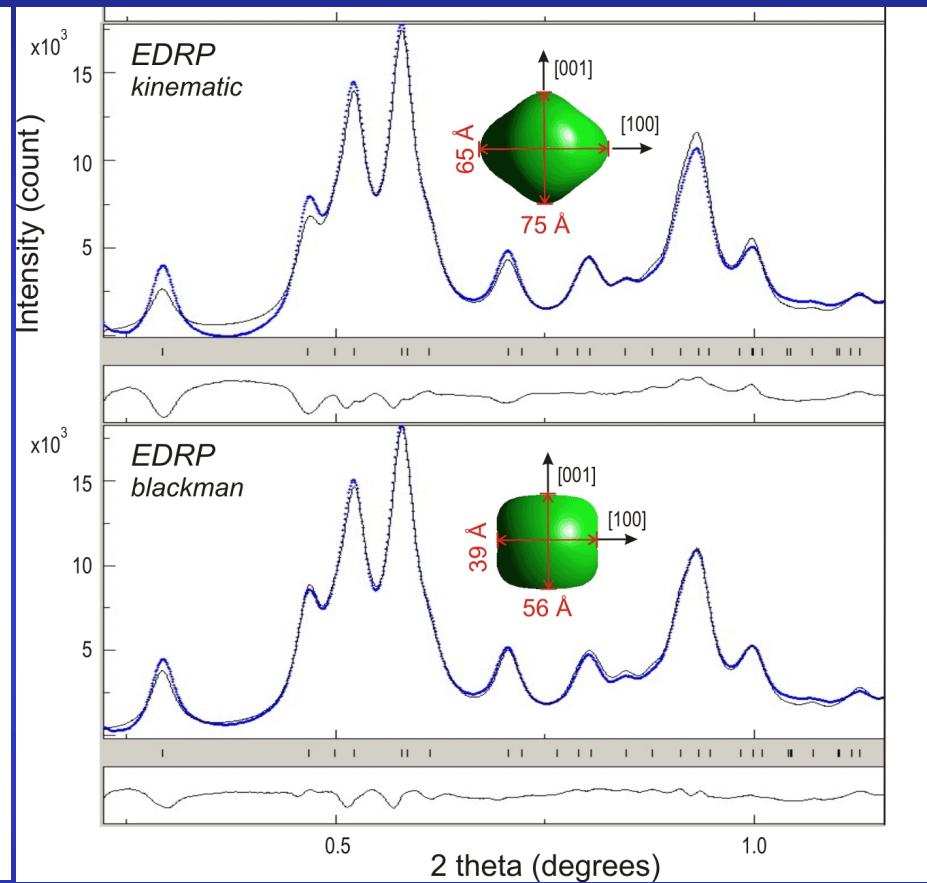
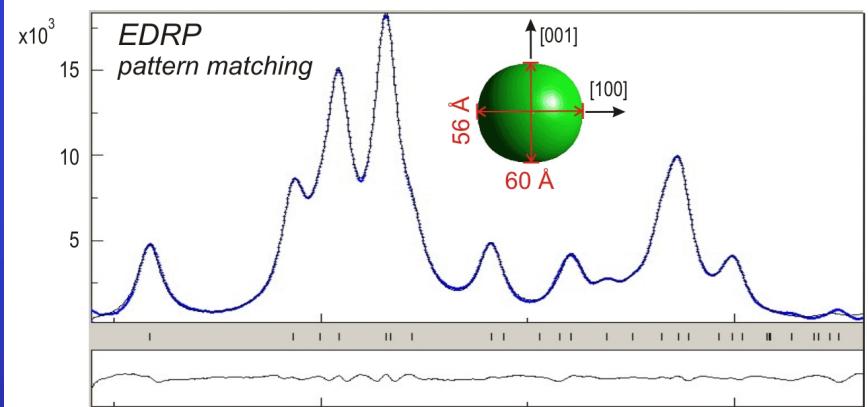
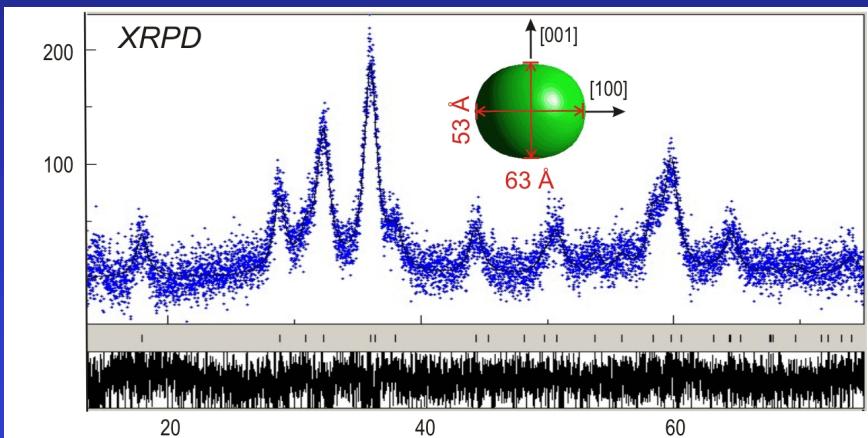
QTA: local vs global

Pt thin film on Si

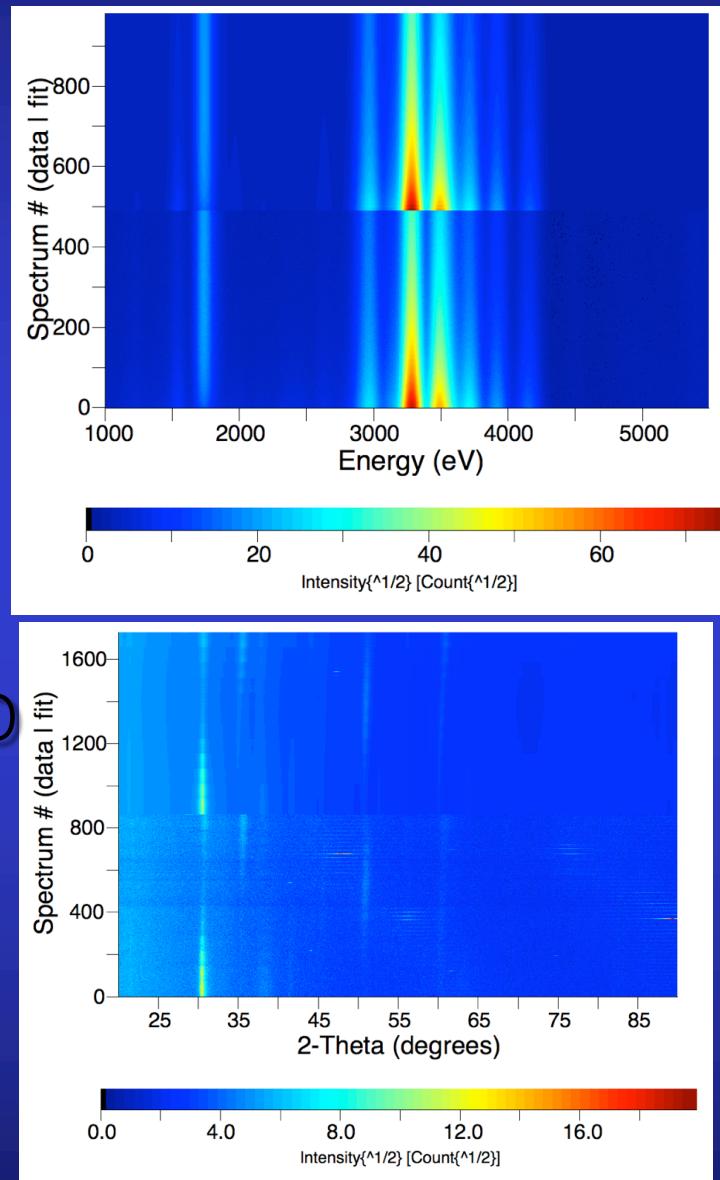
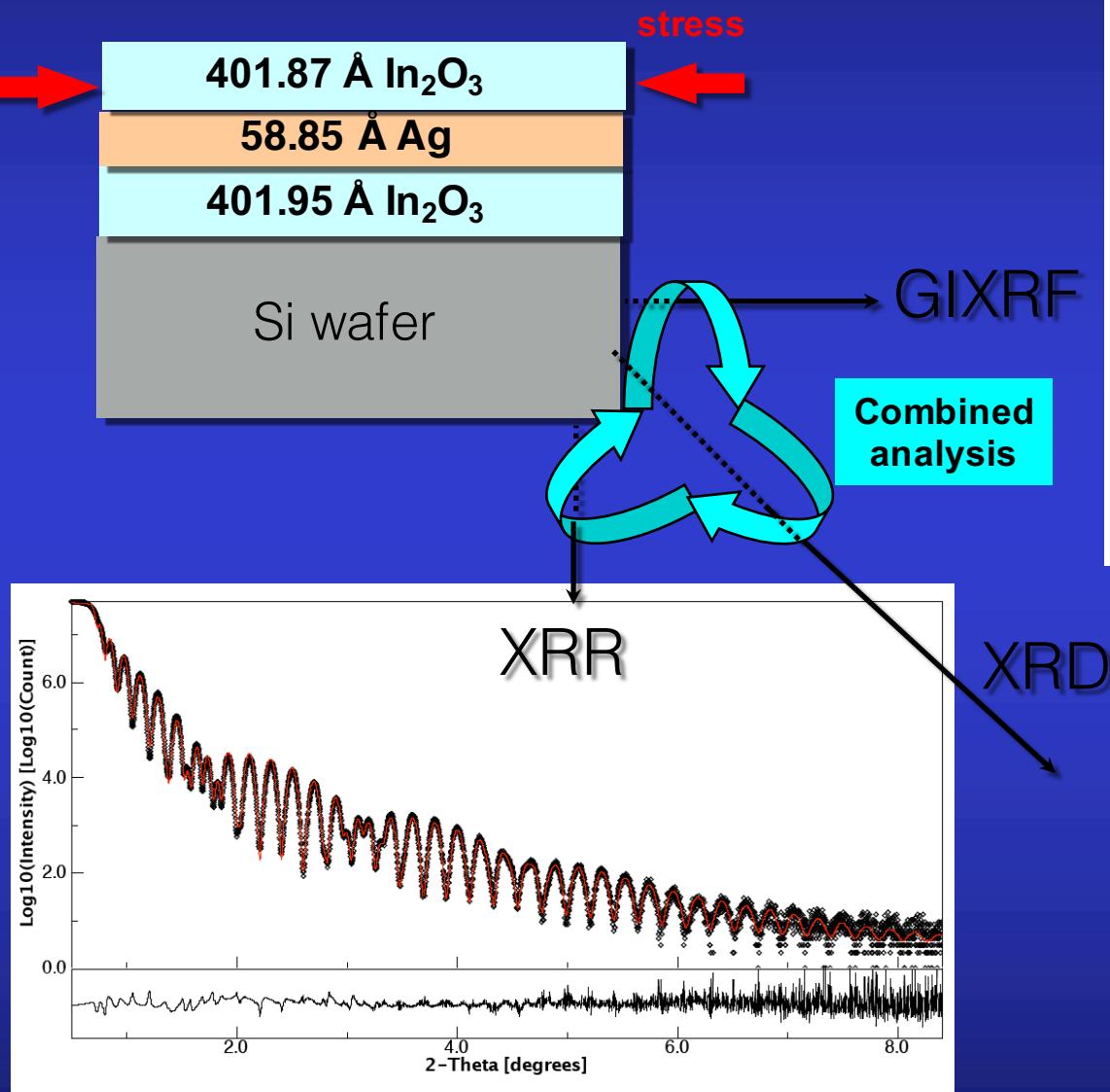
a) 6 μm diameter selected area, b) EPD and c) 2D plot.



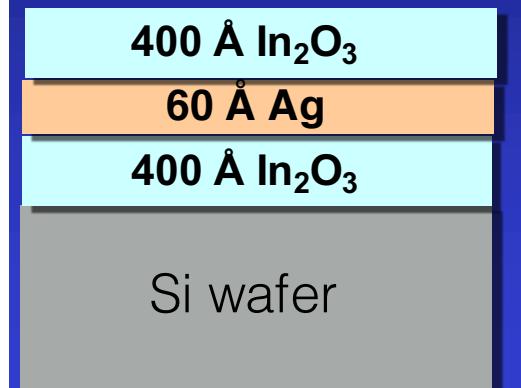
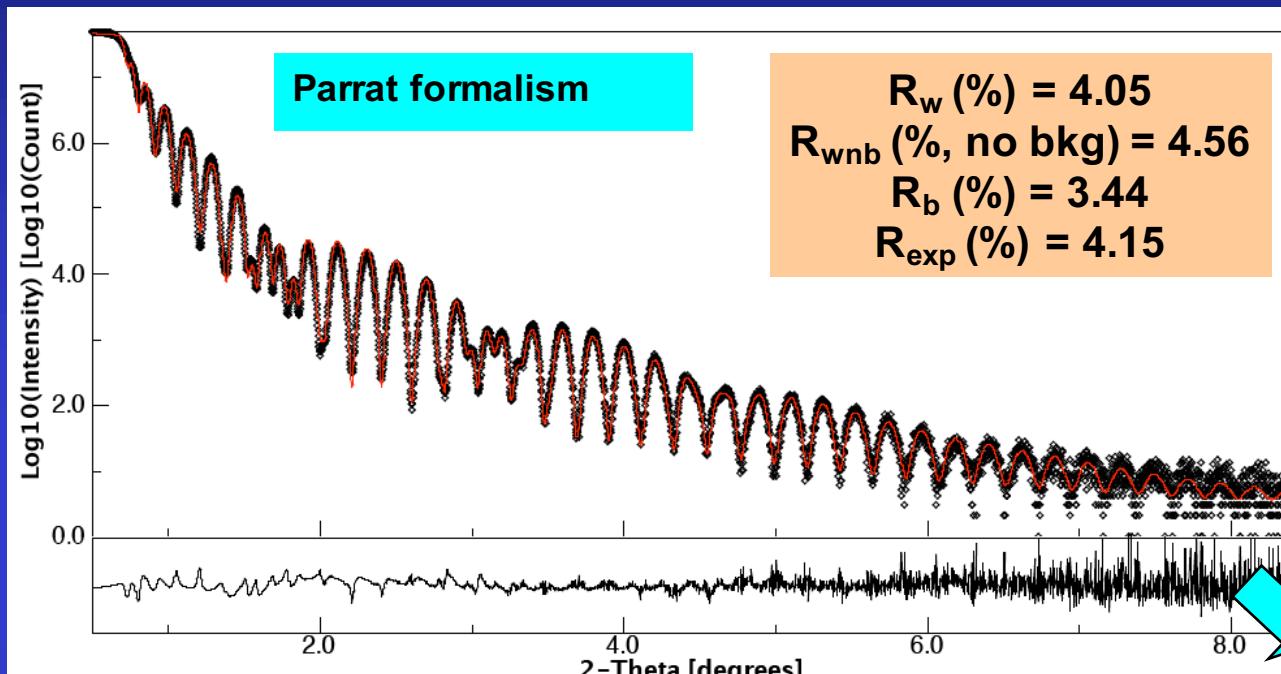
d) 0.5 μm diameter selected area, e) EPD and f) 2D plot



Combined XRR, XRD & GIXRF Analysis



XRR



17.9 Å In_2O_3 porous

384.9 Å In_2O_3

57.4 Å Ag

403.1 Å In_2O_3

Si wafer

Top layer: $q_c = 0.0294 \text{ \AA}^{-1}$; roughness $r = 0.38 \text{ nm}$

Top In_2O_3 : $q_c = 0.0504 \text{ \AA}^{-1}$; $r = 2.06 \text{ nm}$

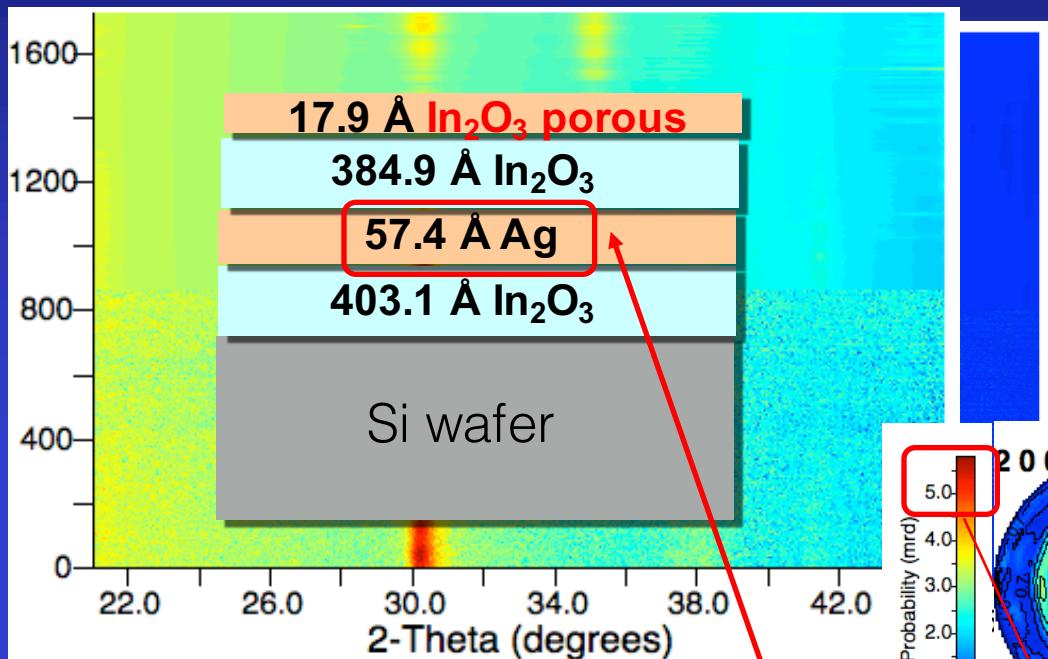
Ag: $q_c = 0.0576 \text{ \AA}^{-1}$; $r = 0.26 \text{ nm}$

Bottom In_2O_3 : $q_c = 0.04889 \text{ \AA}^{-1}$; $r = 6.74 \text{ nm}$

Si wafer: $q_c = 0.0313 \text{ \AA}^{-1}$; $r = 0.73 \text{ nm}$

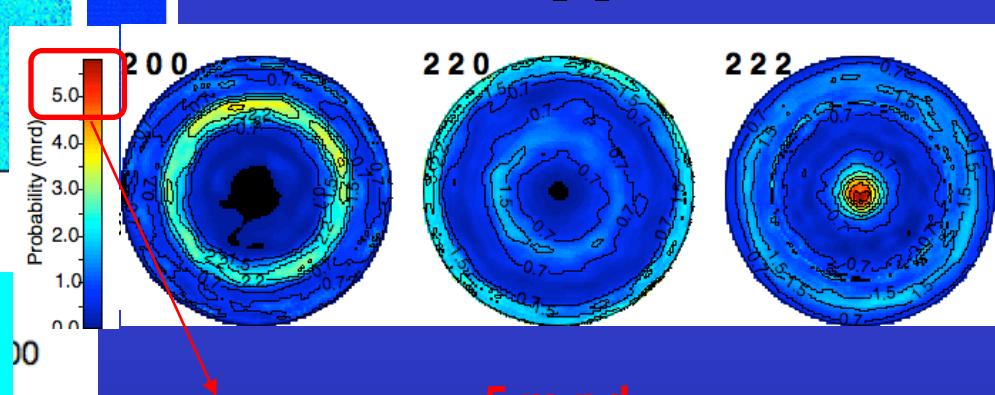
Highly porous In_2O_3 layer

XRD



R_w (%) = 23.97
 R_{wnb} (%), no bkg) = 58.31
 R_b (%) = 18.71
 R_{exp} (%) = 22.04

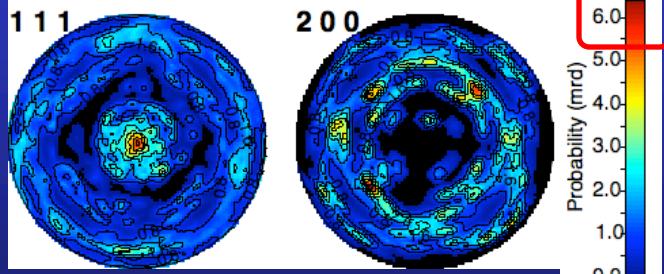
In_2O_3



Refined Ag phase parameters

- ↳ Isotropic crystallite size = 56.4 (1.3) Å
- ↳ Cell parameter: $a = 4.0943(7)$ Å

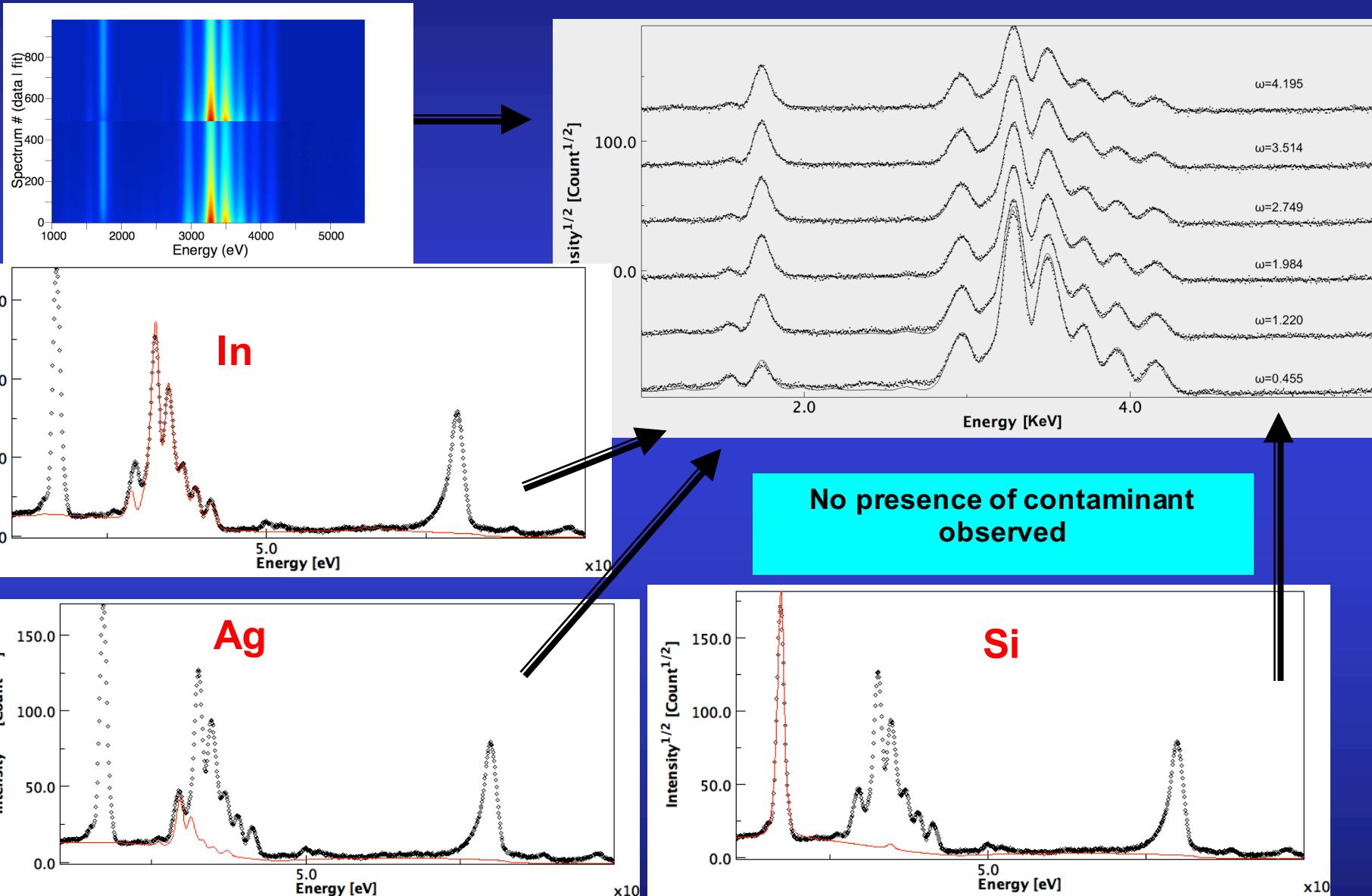
Ag:



Refined In_2O_3 phase parameters

- ↳ $\sigma_{xx} = -1$ GPa (in-plane compressive stress)
- ↳ Isotropic crystallite size = 153.2(5) Å
- ↳ Cell parameter: $a = 10.2104(5)$ Å

GixRF



XRD-XRF-Raman-IR Combined Analysis

$$I_{aj} = \frac{\lambda}{hc} C_{aj} \frac{\tau_{aj}}{\mu_{j\lambda}/\rho_j} J_{aj} \omega_a g_a \exp \left\{ - \sum_{n=1}^{j-1} \frac{\mu_{na} d_n}{\sin \Psi_d} \right\} S_1 \int_0^{d_j} dz \left(\frac{-\partial P_{jz}}{\partial z} \right) \exp \left(\frac{\mu_{ja} z}{\sin \Psi_d} \right)$$

IR

XRF-GiXRF-TXRF

Databases:

COD/TCOD
ROD, MPOD

Raman

$$I_{(e_s, e_0)} = I_0 \frac{\hbar}{2\omega_m} (n_m + 1) \frac{(\omega_0 - \omega_m)^4}{c^4} |e_s \cdot \alpha_{ij}^m \cdot e_0|^2$$

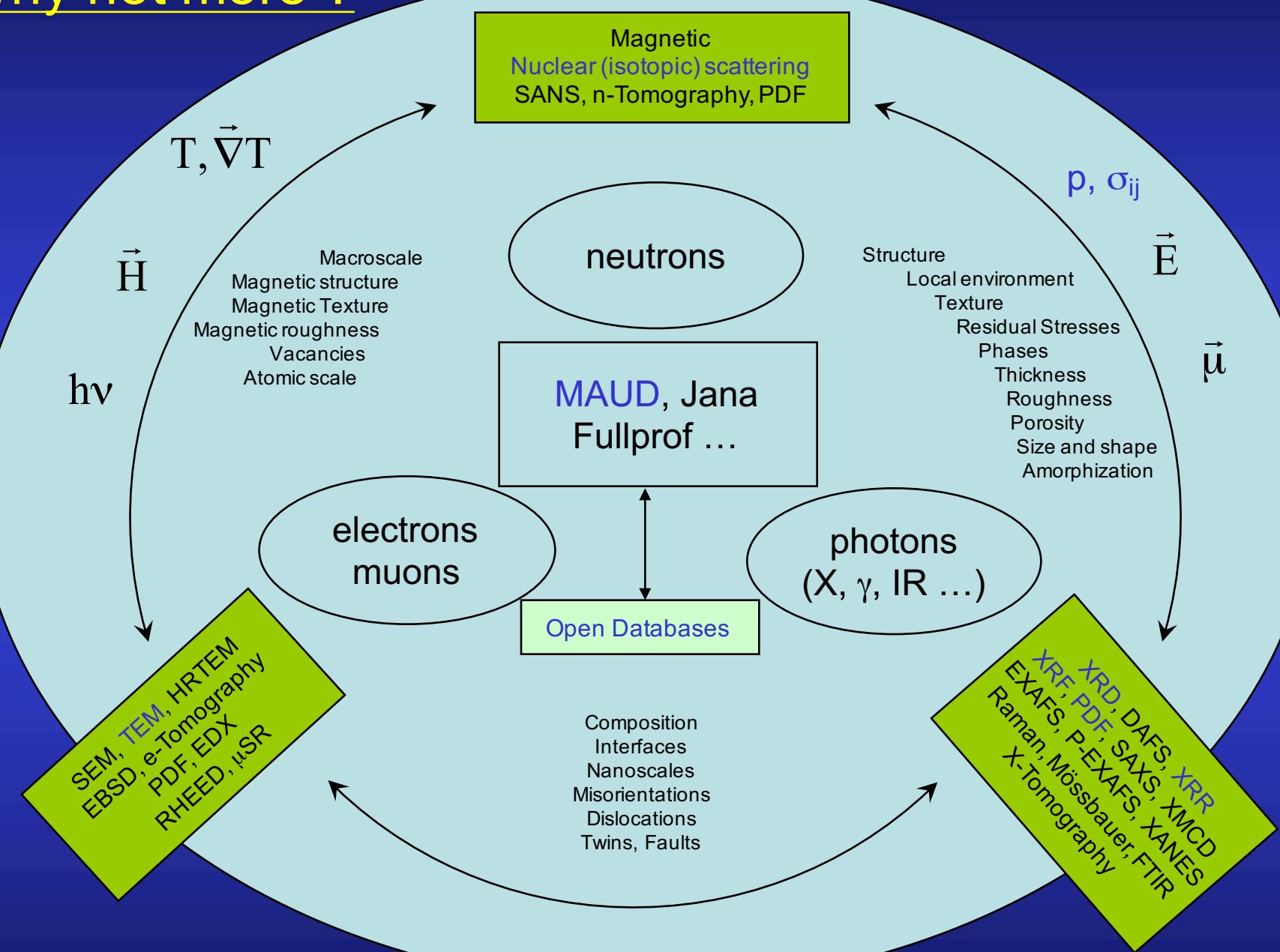
XRR

$$r = \frac{M_{12}}{M_{22}} = \frac{r_{01} + r_{12}e^{-2iq_{1z}h}}{1 + r_{01}r_{12}e^{-2iq_{1z}h}}$$

Diffractie verlengde Rietveld

$$y_c(y_s, \theta, \eta) = y_b(y_s, \theta, \eta) + I_0 \sum_{i=1}^{N_l} \sum_{\Phi=1}^{N_\Phi} \frac{v_{i\Phi}}{V_{c\Phi}^2} \sum_h Lp(\theta) j_{\Phi h} |F_{\Phi h}|^2 \Omega_{\Phi h}(y_s, \theta, \eta) P_{\Phi h}(y_s, \theta, \eta) A_{i\Phi}(y_s, \theta, \eta)$$

Why not more ?



Conclusions

A lot of problems can be solved !

Texture helps to resolve them: good for real samples

Anisotropy favours higher resolutions

Combined analysis may be a solution, unless you can destroy your sample or are not interested in macroscopic anisotropy ...

If you think you can destroy it, perhaps think twice

Combined Analysis Workshop series:

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Thanks !



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