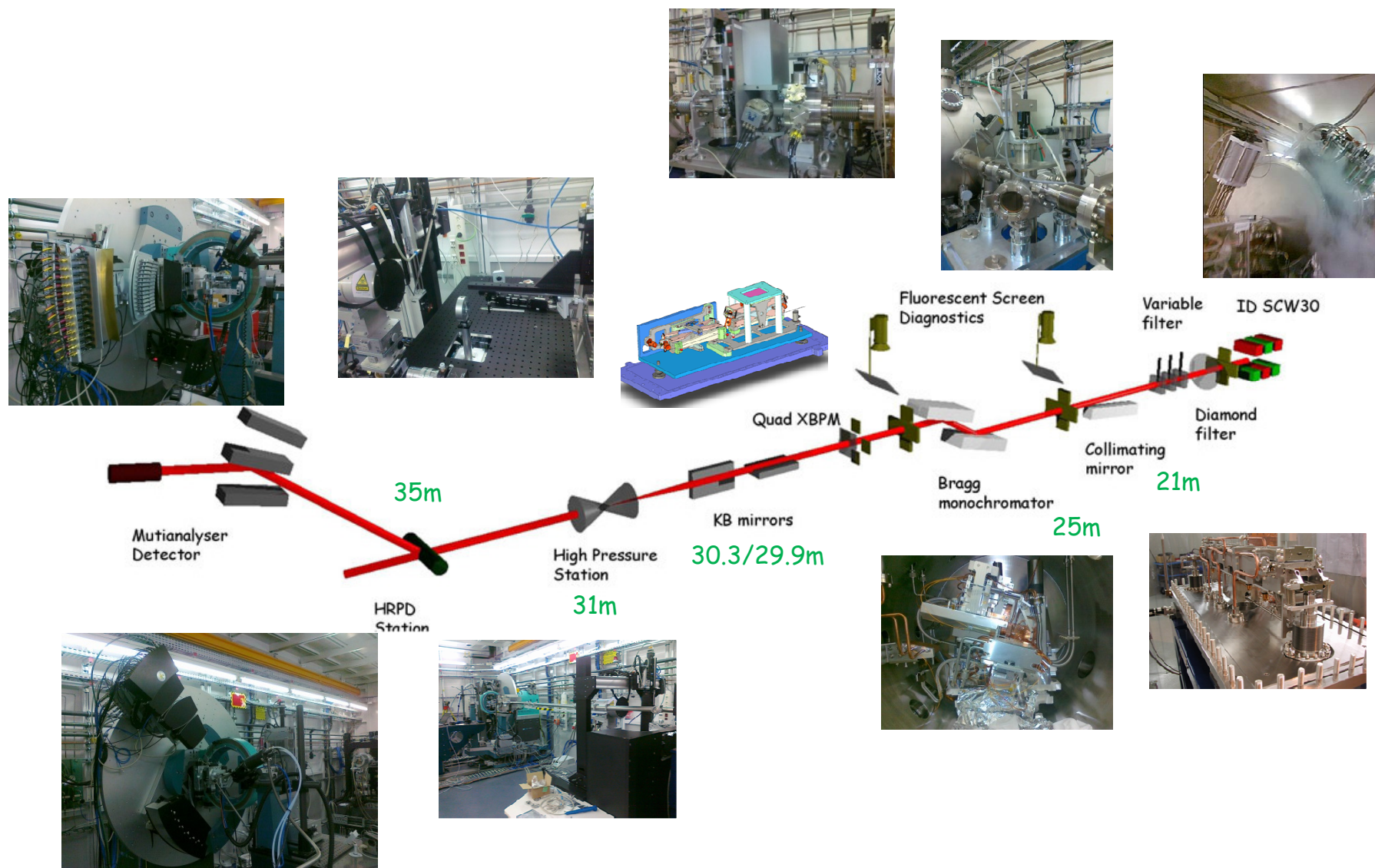


BL04 - MSPD Beamline

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Oct 2011 : Wiggler installation
and first cool down
(150 LN₂ and 900 LHe required)

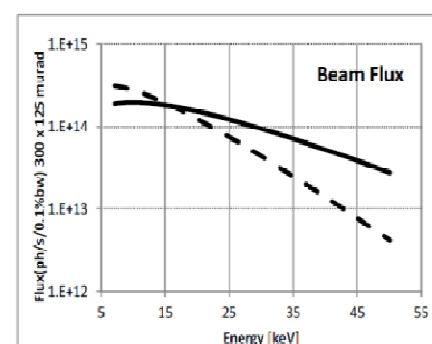
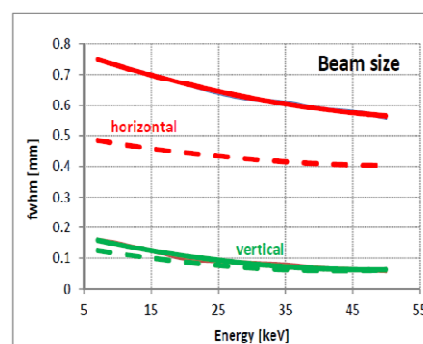
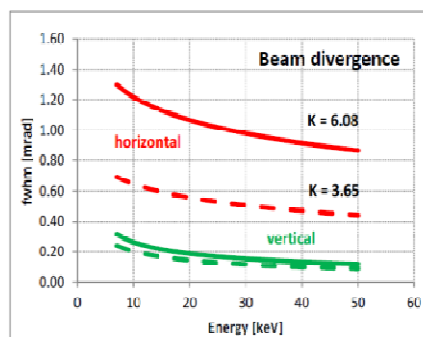
MSPD : Superconducting Wiggler

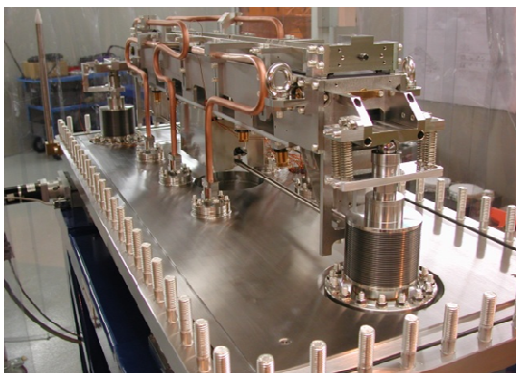
Budker Institute of Nuclear Physics (Novossibirsk, Russia)

$B_{\max}$ 2.1 T, 31 mm period, 60.5 periods

@200mA $\rightarrow B = 2.1$ T , $K = 6.08$, $E_c = 12.5$ keV, $P_{\max} = 11.8$ kW

@400mA $\rightarrow B = 1.26$ T, $K = 3.65$, $E_c = 7.5$ keV, $P_{\max} = 6.8$ kW



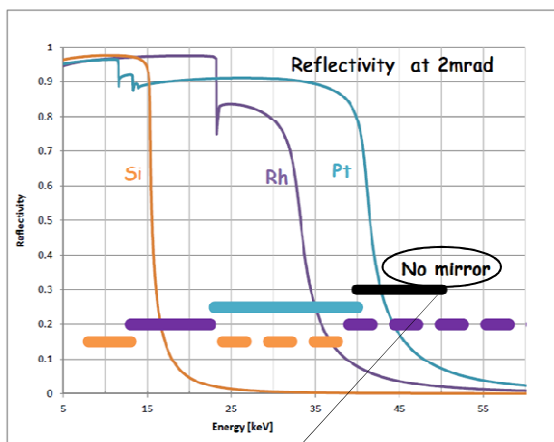


Mirror (CINEL, Italia)

21 m from the source, 4 m before monochromator

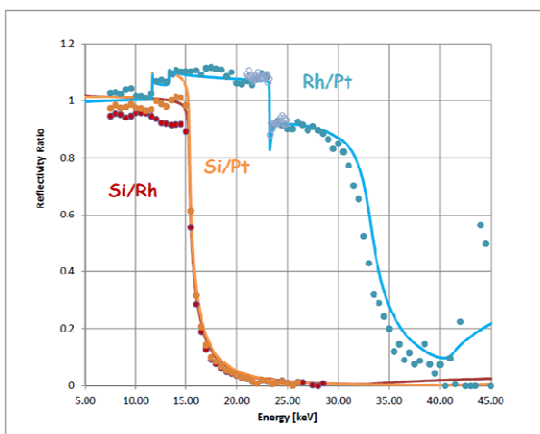
1.2 m long, 2 mrad incident angle, 3 stripes (Si, Pt, Rh), water cooled
1.5 μ rad slope error specified

- reduce heat load on monochromator
- attenuate 3rd harmonics after monochromator
- collimate the beam (Radius = 21 km),
 - > residual vertical divergence under heat load $\sim \phi_{M1} \sim 10 \mu\text{rad}$
 - > but striation effects
- focus beam on MYTHEN detector (Radius = 9 km)



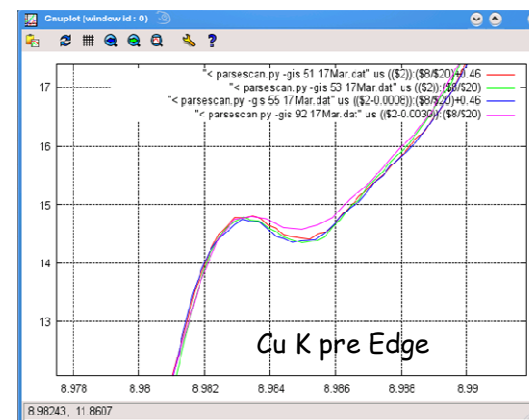
adjustable height
for all downstream components
(up to 56mm at PD station)

No mirror 40-50 keV



Why collimation ? -> improve energy resolution

Why collimation for Powder Diffraction ?
-> improve angular resolution



Energy [keV]

$$\frac{\Delta E}{E} = \sqrt{\omega_s^2 + \phi_{M1}^2} \cdot \text{ctg}(\theta_B)$$

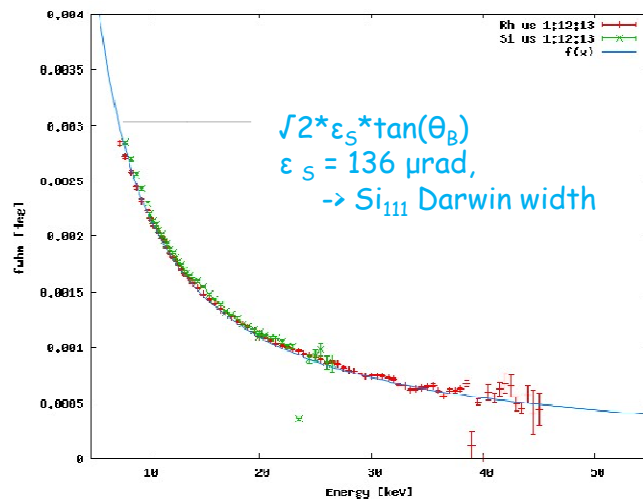
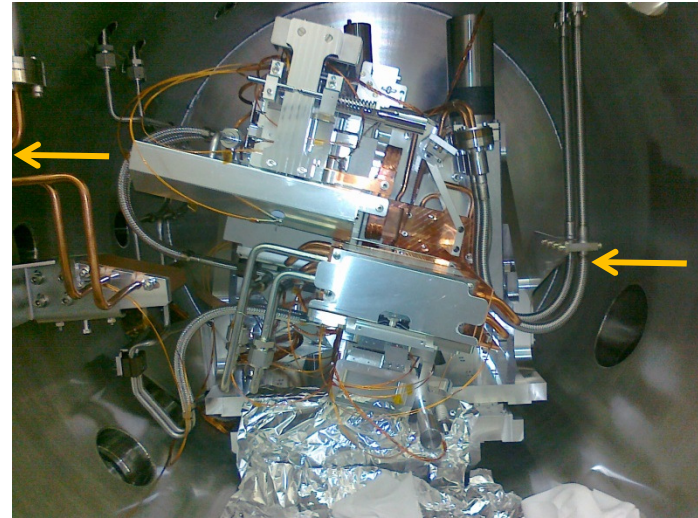
-> $1.3\text{-}3.3 \cdot 10^{-4}$ (8-50 keV)

MSPD Double crystal monochromator (Accel/Bruker, Germany)

- 1st and 2nd silicon crystals cryogenically cooled,
- Inside mechanics (crystals support, shields, rotation,...) thermalized by secondary water circuit
- 7 motor axes : dcm_bragg, dcm_pitch2, dcm_piezo2, dcm_t2, dcm_roll1, dcm_roll2, dcm_vert

Si₁₁₁ Bragg reflection, fixed exit offset of 20 mm

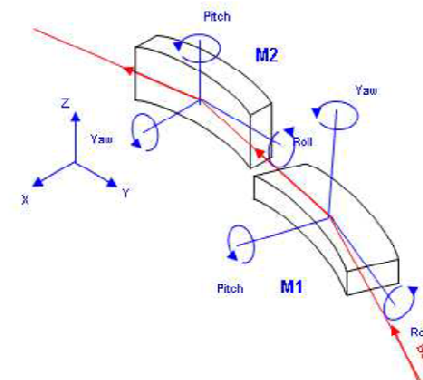
MOCO : Monochromator 2nd Xtal pitch regulation
(either in intensity or in position)



2nd crystal rocking curve vs. Energy

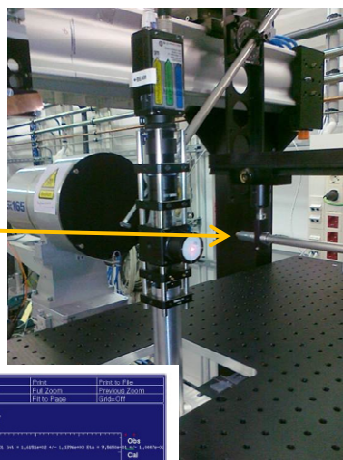
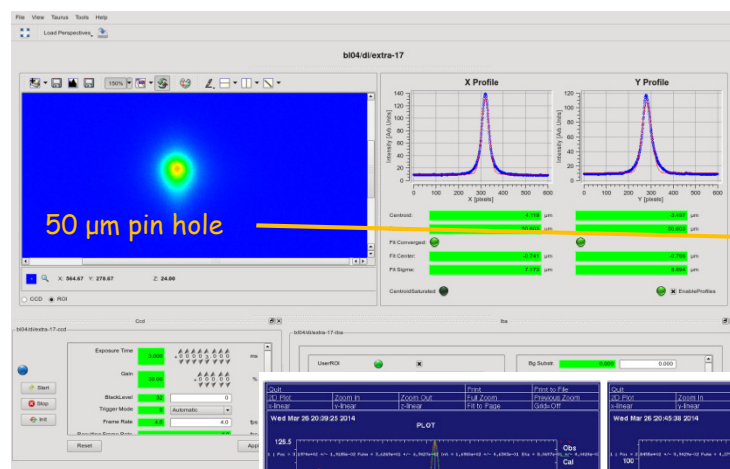
Kirkpatrick-Beatz focusing optics - Irrelec France (ESRF licence)

- 30m from the source, 1.1/0.7 m before HP sample
- Elliptical bendable,
- Grating [W/Si] multilayer :
 Vertical $p/q = 29.9/1.1$, [W/Si]₁₀₀, $d \sim 3\text{nm}$, slope error $< 1 \mu\text{rad}$
 Horizontal $p/q = 30.3/0.7$, [W/Si]₁₅₀, $d \sim 2.6\text{nm}$, slope error $< 1.5 \mu\text{rad}$
- Focus spot of $12 \mu\text{m}$ (H) $\times$ $7 \mu\text{m}$ (V) at sample position over 20-50 keV

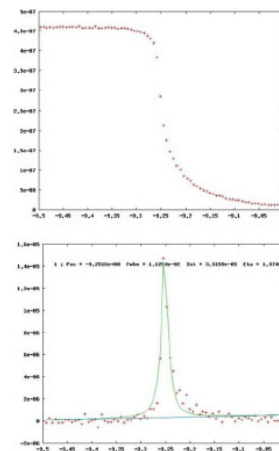


KB optimized to focus at the HP station, but designed to focus at the PD station as well

Direct spot size illumination

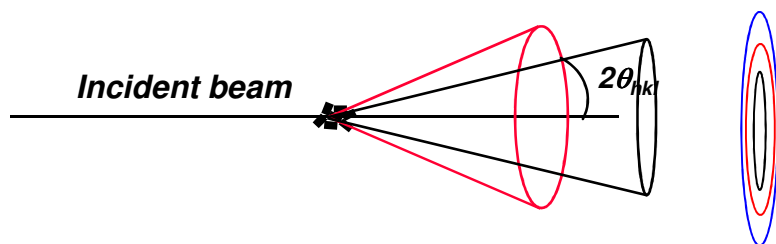


Knife edge scans



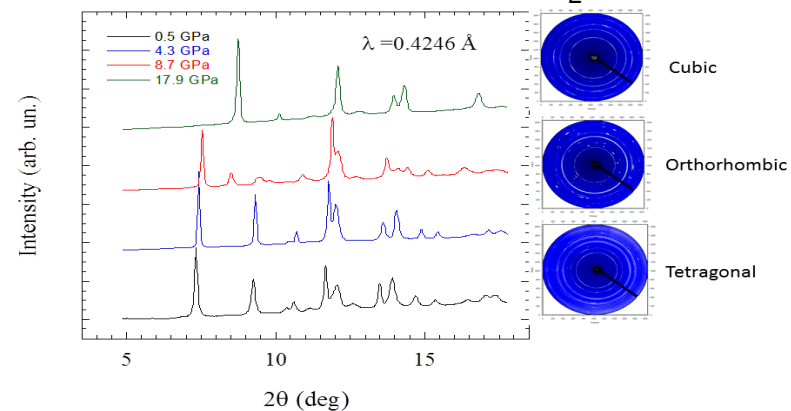
Beam size at HP
 -> limit measurements
 to $\varnothing 80 \mu\text{m}$ gaskets
 $\sim 50 \text{ GPa}$

0.7 mm $\times$ 0.7 mm aperture in FE and before KB, $\varnothing 50 \mu\text{m}$ pinhole

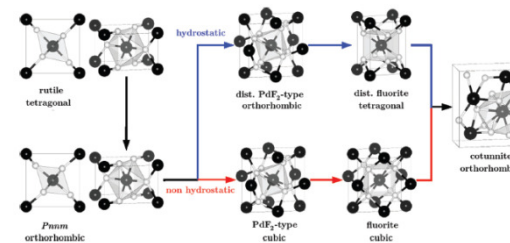


Powder diffraction patterns versus pressure

Pressure-induced phase transition sequence:
Tetragonal → Orthorhombic → Cubic

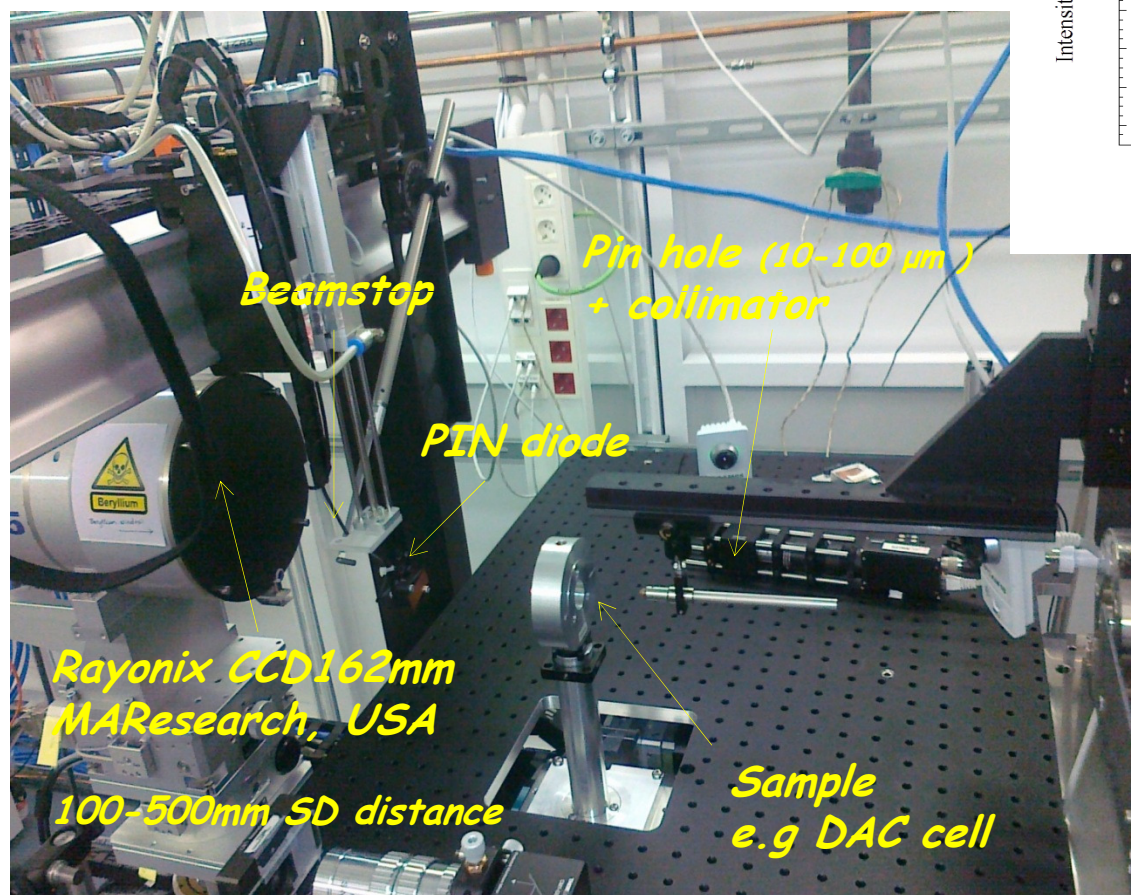


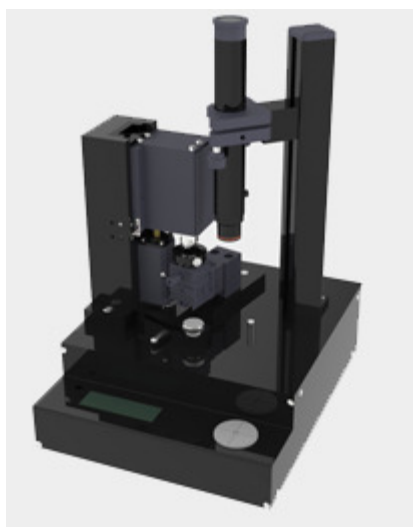
Density Function Theory of structural phase transition sequence in CoF_2 under ideal hydrostatic and non hydrostatic conditions



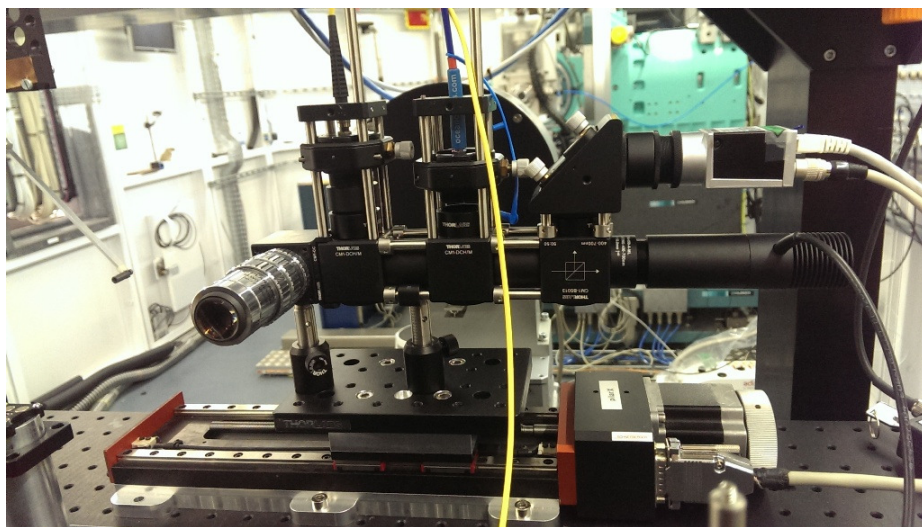
First HP User experiment (June 27, 2012),
Cantabria University Group

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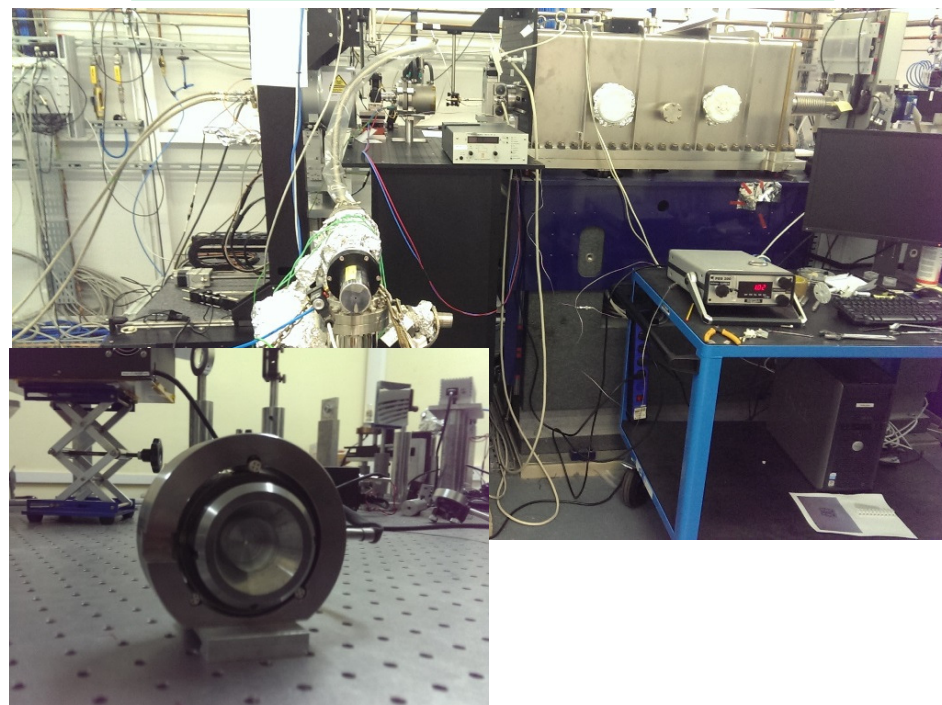


*Alba award for technical development
Inline pressure calibration device*



HT - HP experiments

- *limited to 700 K*
- *10% difference in temperature*
- *vacuum chamber to be designed*
- *increase the T_{max}*



Compressibility and Structural Stability of Nanocrystalline TiO_2 Anatase Synthesized from Freeze-Dried Precursors

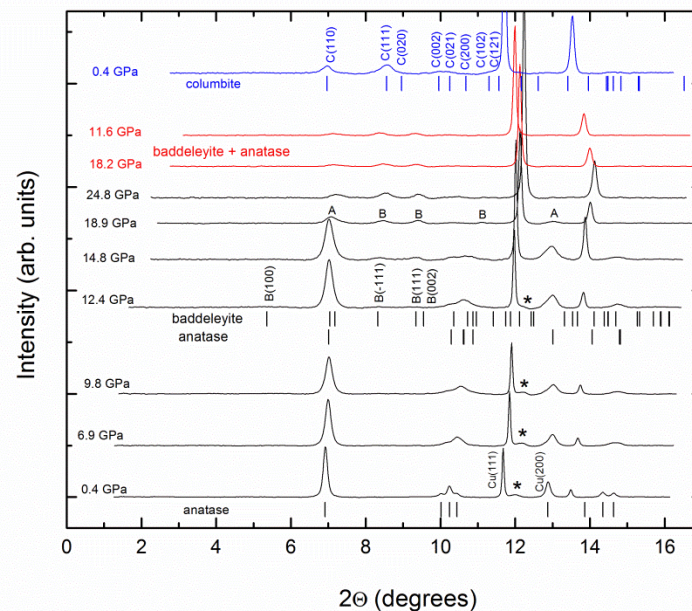
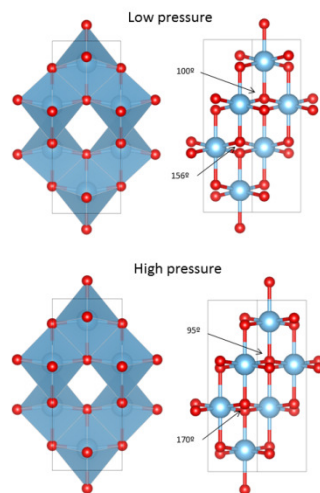
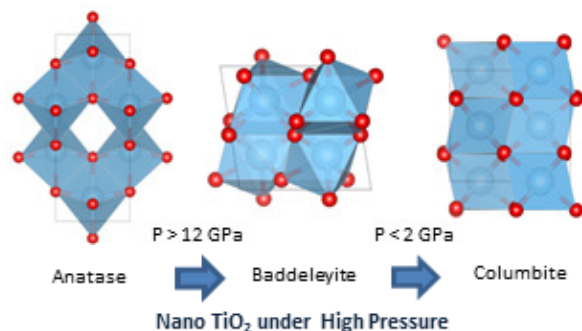
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HP data @MSPD:

Rietveld fit > structure solved

Effect on pressure on atomic positions, bond distances and bond angles >> increase the distortion of TiO_6 octahedra >> anatase more planar with pressure >> trigger the phase transition

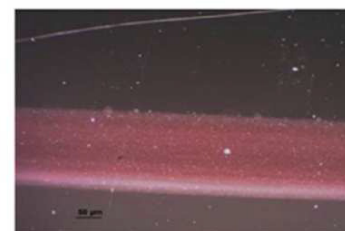
Shedding light to historical glaze decorations

BL04-MSPD and BL22-CLAESS

Cultural Heritage

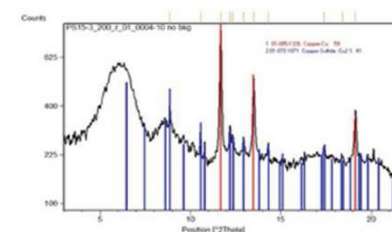
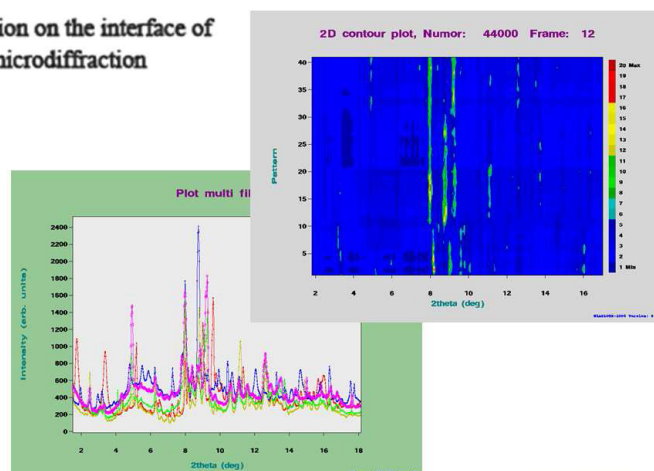
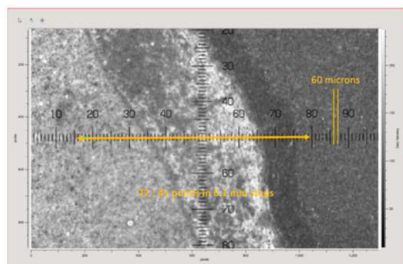
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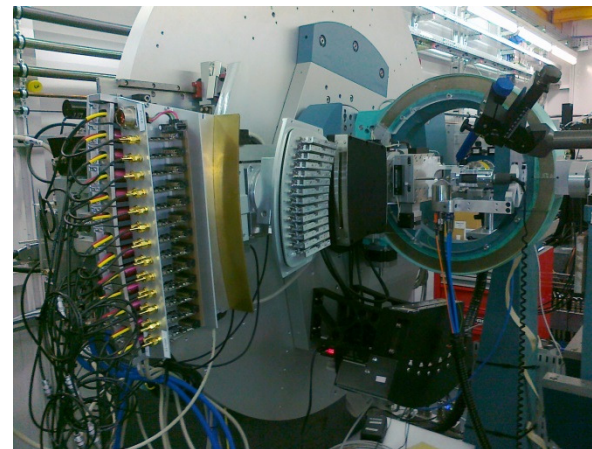
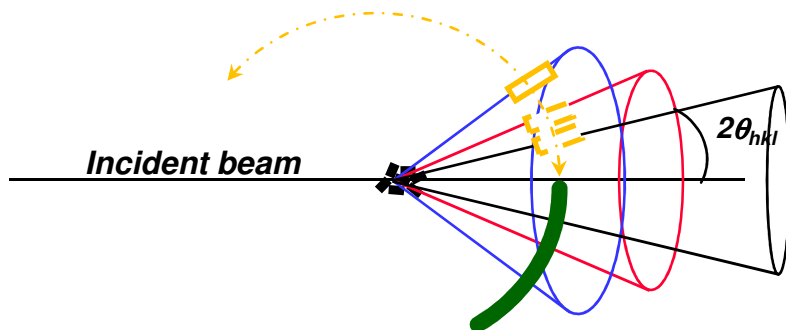
● This group focused their research on the micro-and nano-crystalline compounds responsible for the colors and decorations in historic glass and glazed ceramics. The nature of these decorations depends on the procedures followed to obtain them. Two main sets of historic materials were studied: decorated stained glass fragments from various periods and cathedrals in Spain (14th to 16th AD) to discover materials and methods used and early opaque Islamic glazes from Syria and Egypt (7th and 8th AD) to identify the connection with opaque glass technology.



2012010267 - Mineral quantitative determination on the interface of cementitious bi-layers by synchrotron microdiffraction

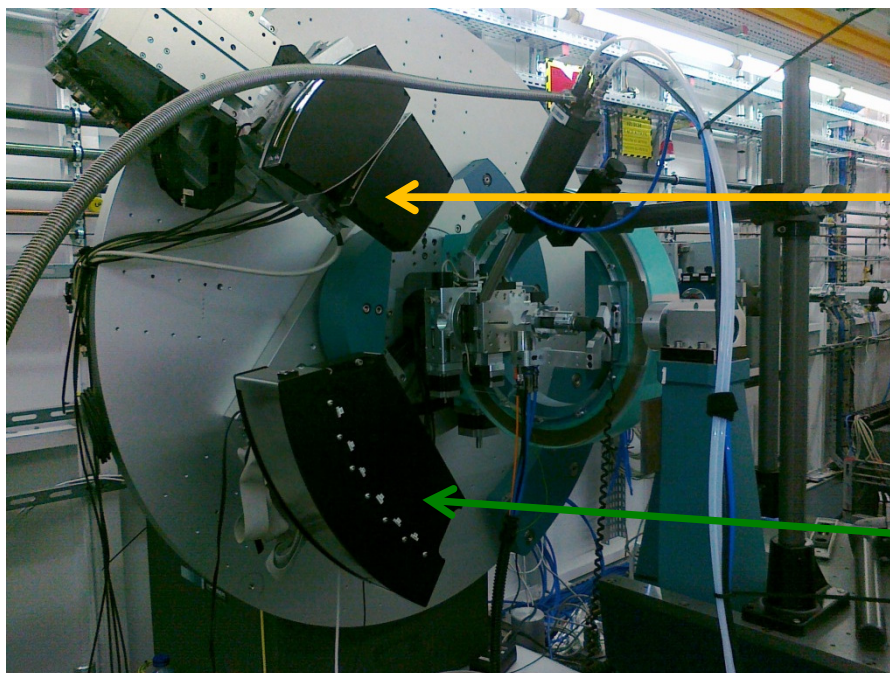
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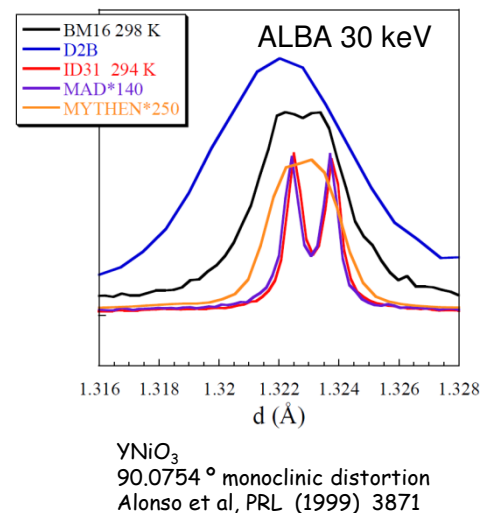
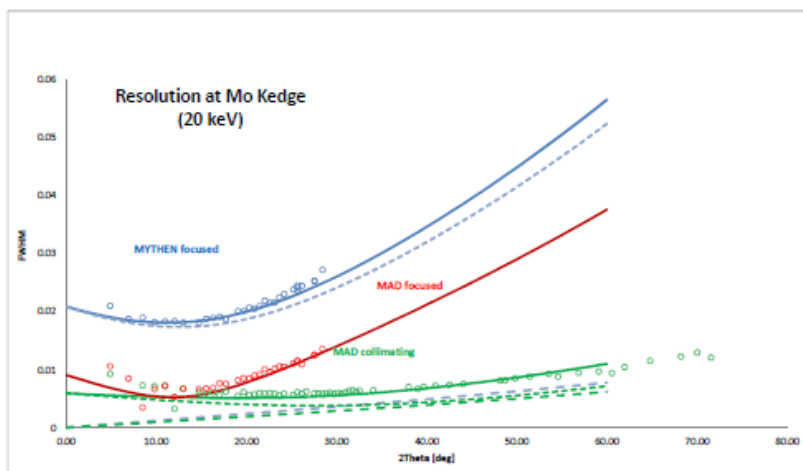
Multi Analyzer Detector (8 - 50 keV)

- 13 channels with 1.5 deg pitch
- Si_{111} or Si_{220} Bragg reflection
- YAP scintillator + PMT



Mythen detector (7-30 keV)

- Si position sensitive detector
- 6 modules (1280 channels, 50 μ m pitch)
- Dist Sample-Det = 550mm
- ms time resolution
- > ~40deg in 0.005 deg pitch



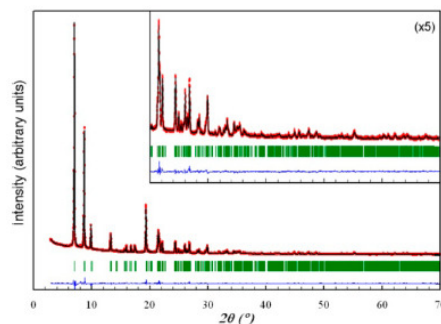
A New Microporous Zeolitic Silicoborate (ITQ-52) with Interconnected Small and Medium Pores

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Why high resolution needed ?

→ small distortions

→ overlap in structure determination

Xray lab

→ Le Bail Fit orthorhombic S.G

$a = 17.937 \text{ Å}$, $b = 17.516 \text{ Å}$, and $c = 12.375 \text{ Å}$

→ extinction : Im2m, I2cm, Imam, Imcm

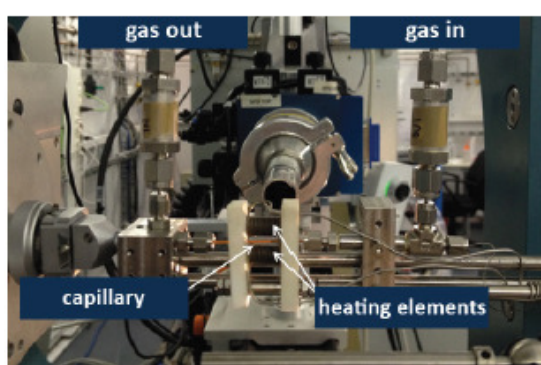
→ no reasonable structure

MAD data @MSPD

$a = 17.511 \text{ Å}$, $b = 17.907 \text{ Å}$, $c = 12.367 \text{ Å}$, and $\beta = 90.22^\circ$

I12/m1 S.G → correct structure 10 Si , 19 O

The new ICP-ITQ-ICIQ-ALBA Capillary flow cell performed its first experiment



● The construction and commissioning of the cell has been the result of the collaboration of a group of researchers of the Spanish community: Laura Barrio (from EQS group at ICP), Fernando Rey's group (from ITQ) and Atsushi Urakawa's group (from ICIQ) with the scientific staff of the MSPD beamline. The design is based on the design by Peter Chupas et. al. J. Appl. Cryst. (2008). 41, 822–824

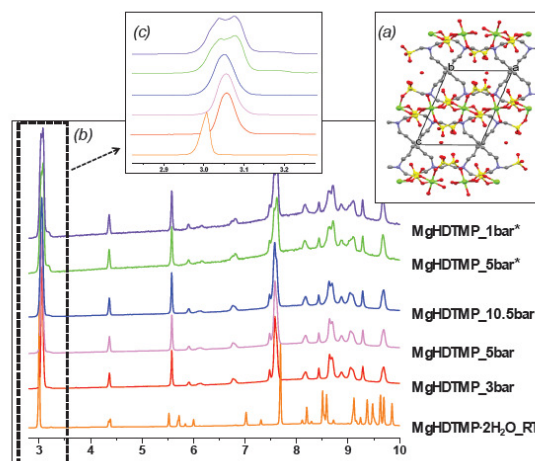


Figure 14. (a) View of the crystal structure of MgHDTMP·2H₂O along the b-axis. (b) X-ray diffraction patterns at different CO₂ pressures. The inset (c) shows the evolution of the peaks during the CO₂ adsorption-desorption. (*desorption).

MYHTEN
20 keV
Cabeza et al ,
Dept Inorganic Chemistry
Uni Malaga

Inma Peral

MAD 30 keV, L. Barrio et al, CSIC Madrid

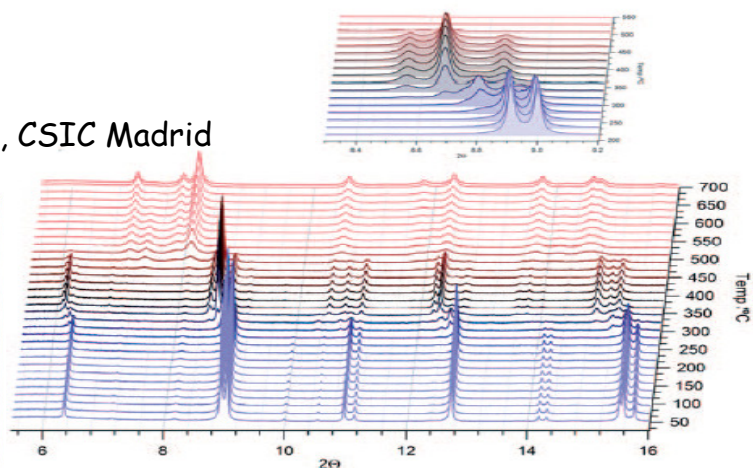
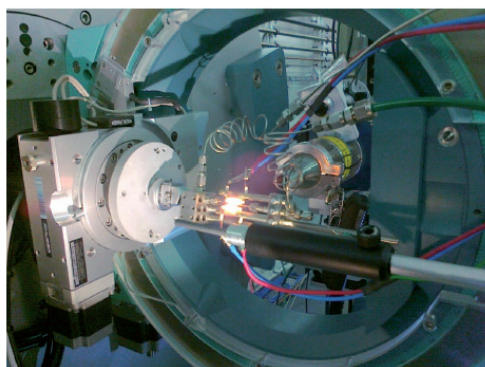
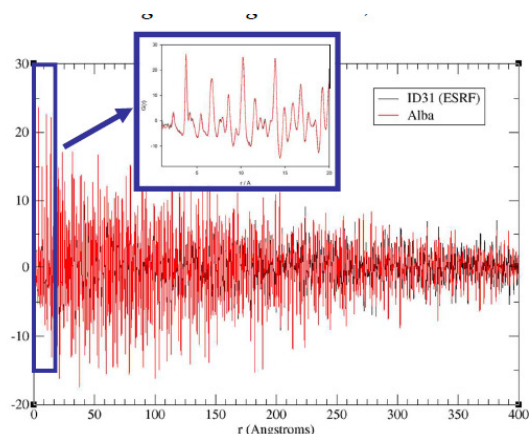


Figure 2. Reduction of LaCoO₃ to La₂O₃ + Co under 5 % H₂/He gas flow. The transition is passing through a brownmillerite intermediate. Each temperature scan was collected in 8 minutes.

$\text{Ce}_{0.625}\text{Sm}_{0.375}\text{O}_{1.8125}$ was measured in ID31 (ESRF) and MSPD (ALBA)
 Mauro Coduri (Lecco CNR IENI, Italy) and Inma Peral (Alba synchrotron)

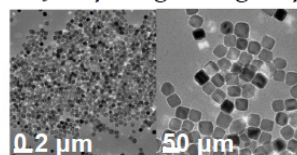
- Experimental PDFs present almost the same structural information
- Alba data presents slightly "less" signal of PDF at high r with "fast" acquisition times (~20 minutes). MythenII detector at Alba offers "fast" acquisition and high angular resolution (but not as high as multicrystal analyzers which explains the reduced signal at high r values).



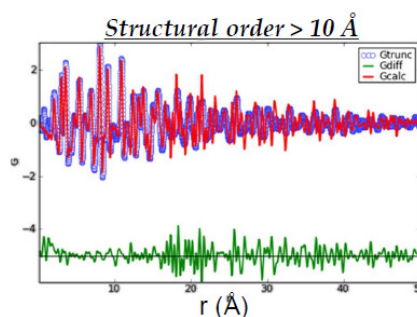
- **high energy :**
 $E \sim 30$ keV to reduce truncation error in Fourier Transformation
- **Good quality data** for Rietveld, profile analysis and PDF studies
- **high angular resolution:**
 exploiting PDF on a wide r -range

Example of Pair Distribution Function Study: Structural study on bi-magnetic core/shell magnetic nanoparticles

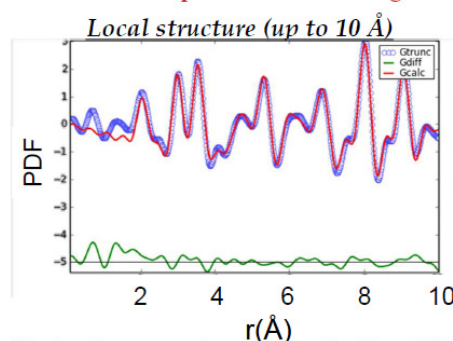
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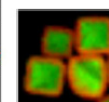
- ✓ The **defects**, vacancies and interface mismatch of the samples **seem to have a direct influence** in the overall magnetic properties of the system but little of this "disorder" is known.
- ✓ The PDF can probe different length scales



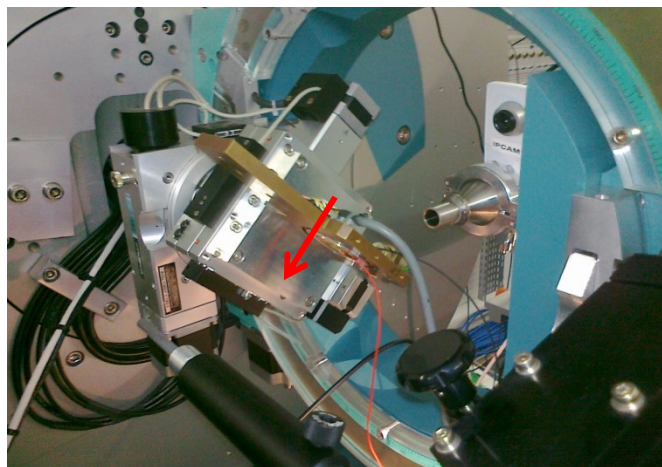
- Magnetite and wustite phases do not reproduce the PDF signal
- Evidence of strong interphase mismatch and strain within the nanoparticles: atomic distances correlation is lost at ~5nm



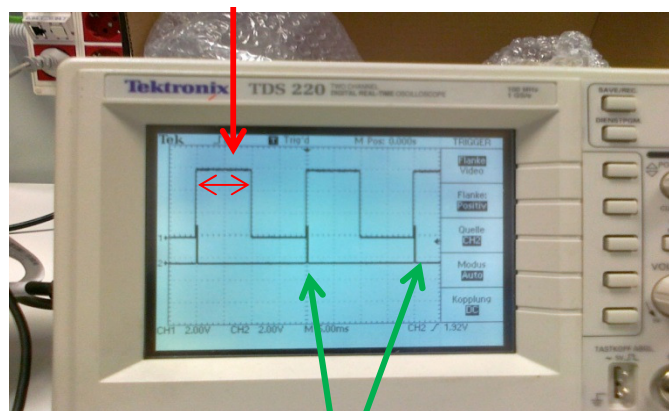
The local structure is well described by ~30% of wustite (FeO) and ~70% of magnetite (Fe₃O₄).
 In agreement with the study of the Fe oxidation states by EELS (Electron Energy Loss Spectroscopy)



Stroboscopic/Pump probe experiment/fast data acquisition using the MYTHEN detector
(Knapp et al, July 2103)



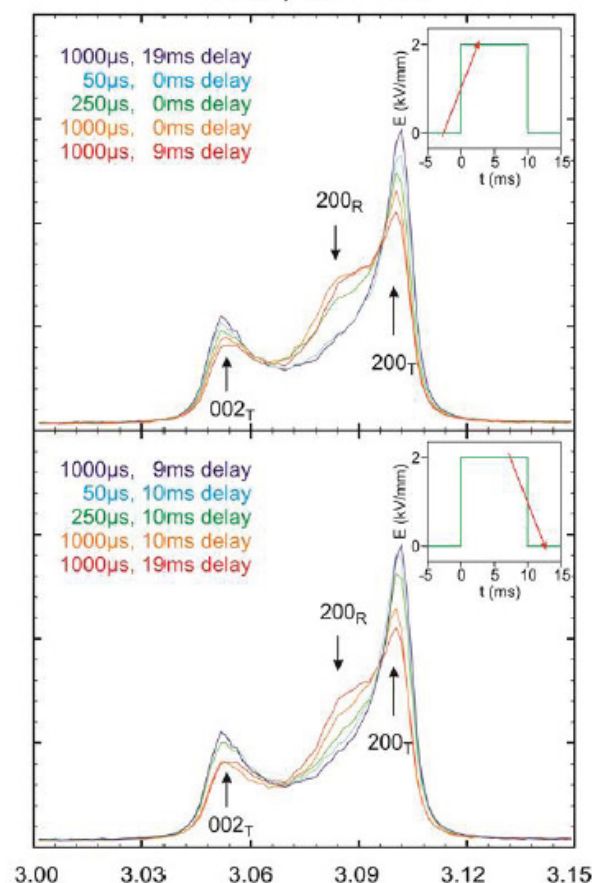
*E field (10 ms gate) ...
but whatever excitation possible (e.g. laser)*



*Data acquisition over 50-1000 μ s,
adjustable delay
-> statistics obtained by cumulating frames*

PZT ($\text{PbZr}_x\text{Ti}_{1-x}\text{O}_3$) Well known ferroelectric
MYTHEN 28 keV

200, $\omega = 45^\circ$



a phase transition
on the rising edge of the
electric field in the range
of 250 μ s (see the
peak labeled 200R),
while on the trailing
edge several
intermediate steps
can be observed
over a period of
more than 1000 μ s.
At the same time
the tetragonal
reflections (002T,
200T) show the
opposite behaviour.

Thank you for
your attention!