



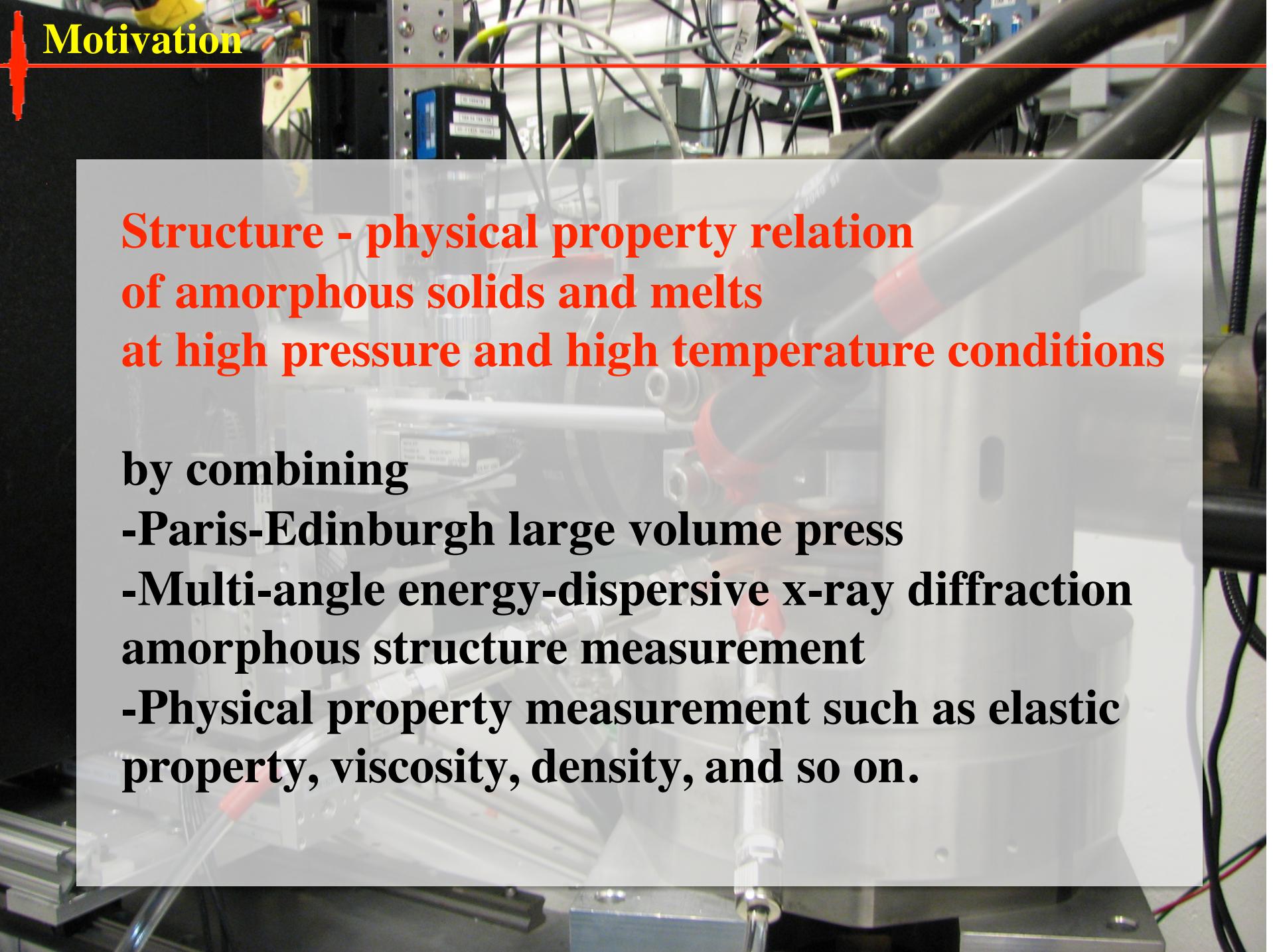
# **Recent developments using Paris-Edinburgh large volume press at the HPCAT beamline 16BM-B**

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## Motivation

**Structure - physical property relation  
of amorphous solids and melts  
at high pressure and high temperature conditions**

by combining

- Paris-Edinburgh large volume press
- Multi-angle energy-dispersive x-ray diffraction amorphous structure measurement
- Physical property measurement such as elastic property, viscosity, density, and so on.

## Established technique and recent development

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### Established technique:

-High-pressure amorphous structure measurement in Paris-Edinburgh cell (PEC) up to 7 GPa and 2000 °C

### Recent development: Physical property measurements at high PT

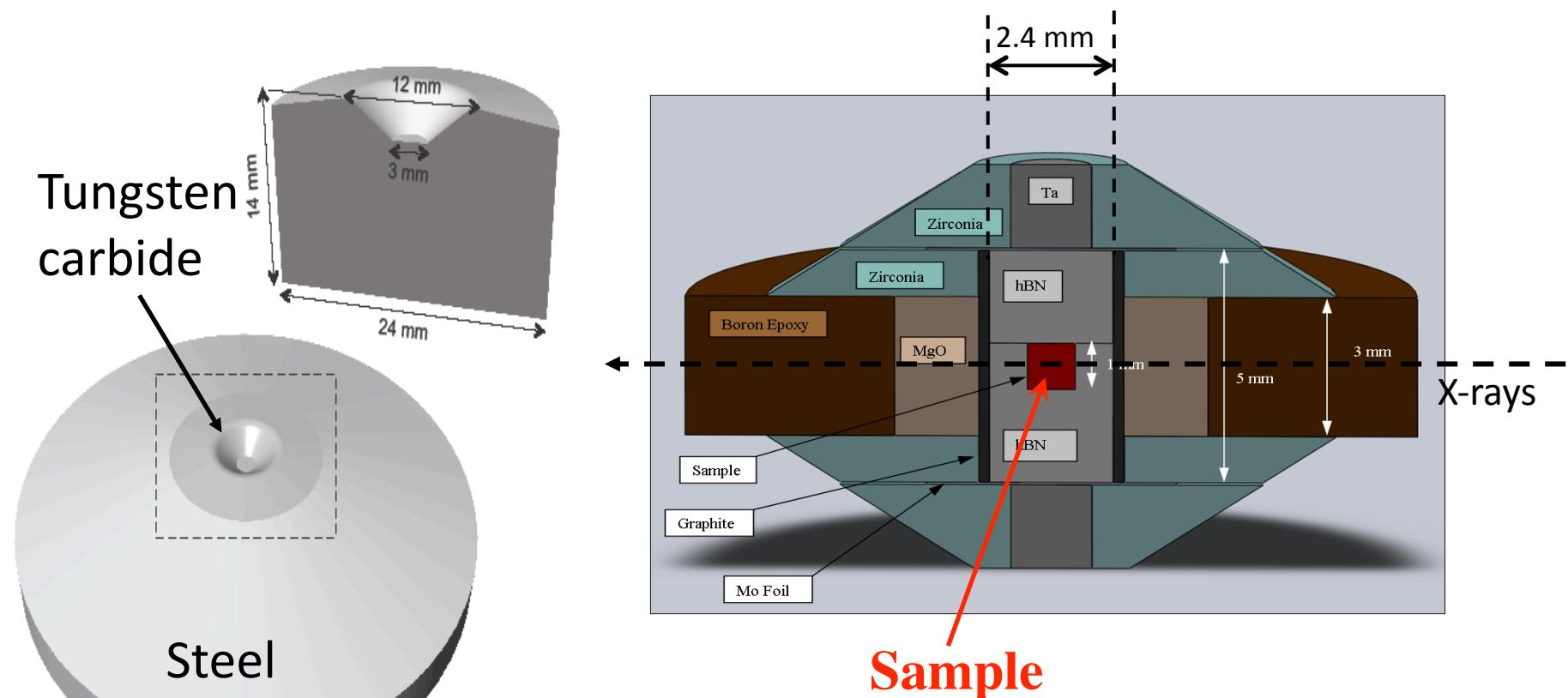
-Ultrasonic elastic wave velocity measurement  
-Liquid viscosity measurement

## Paris-Edinburgh large volume press at 16BM-B, HPCAT



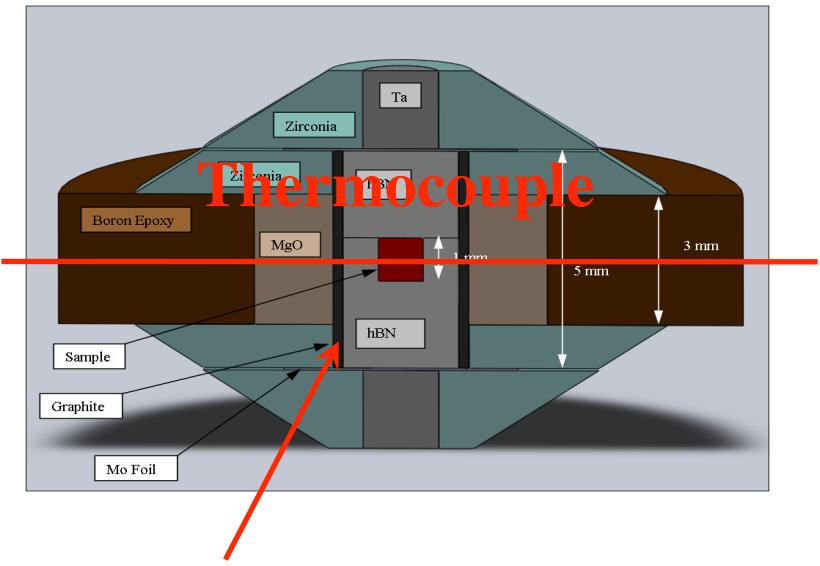
- Large sample volume for amorphous scattering
- Wide angle accessibility ( $2\theta$  to  $\sim 40^\circ$ ) for high Q
- Stable (>3 days) high pressure and high temperature experiment to  $\sim 7$  GPa and  $\sim 2000$  °C

# WC anvil and sample assembly



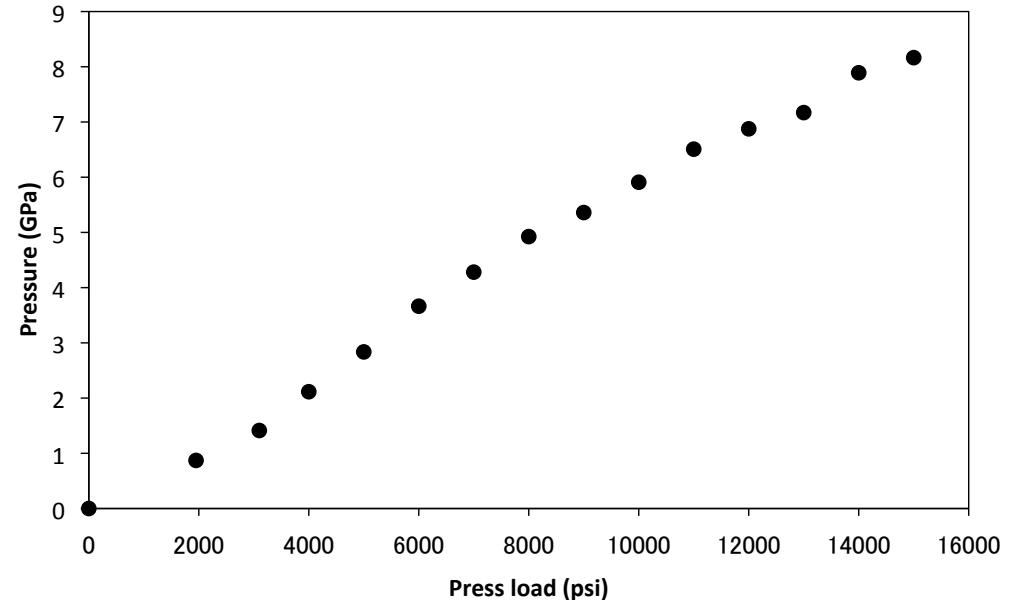
**Large sample volume:**  
**Diameter: up to 2 mm**  
**Height: ~1.0 mm height at ~2 GPa**  
**~0.5 mm height at ~7 GPa**

# High pressure and high temperature generation

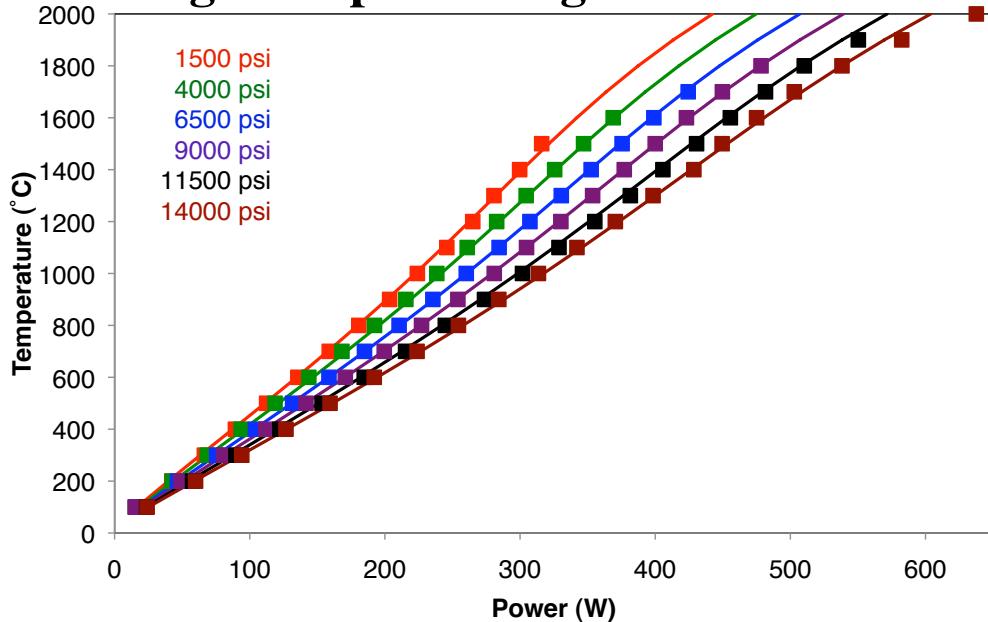


Graphite heater

High-pressure generation at room T



High-temperature generation



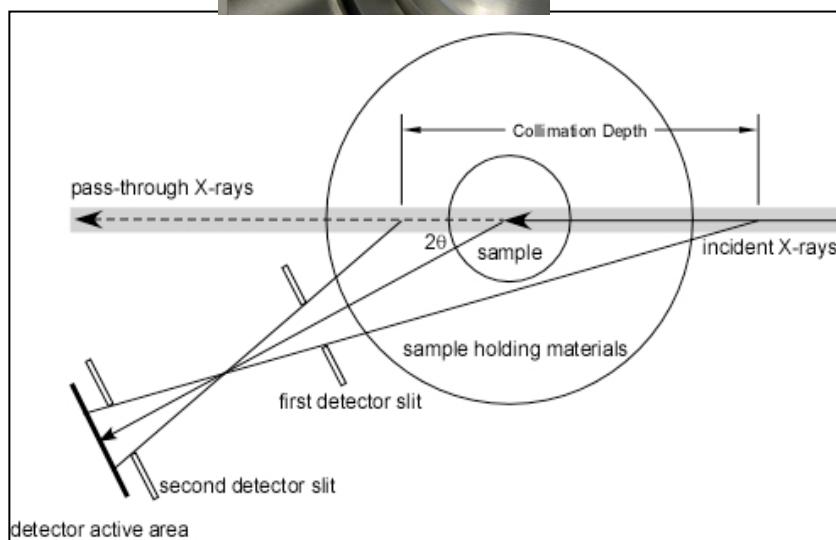
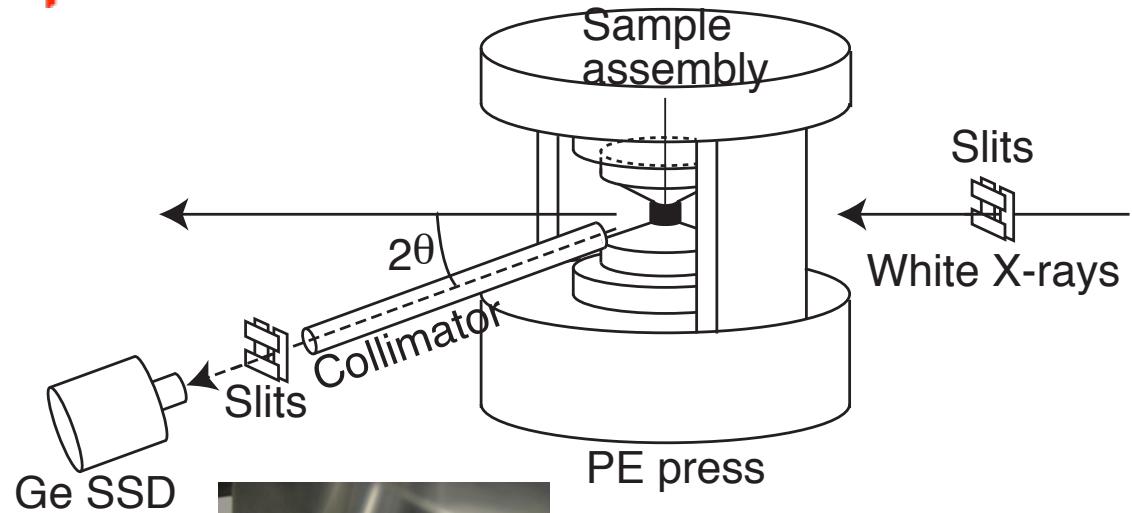


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in Paris-Edinburgh cell (PEC)

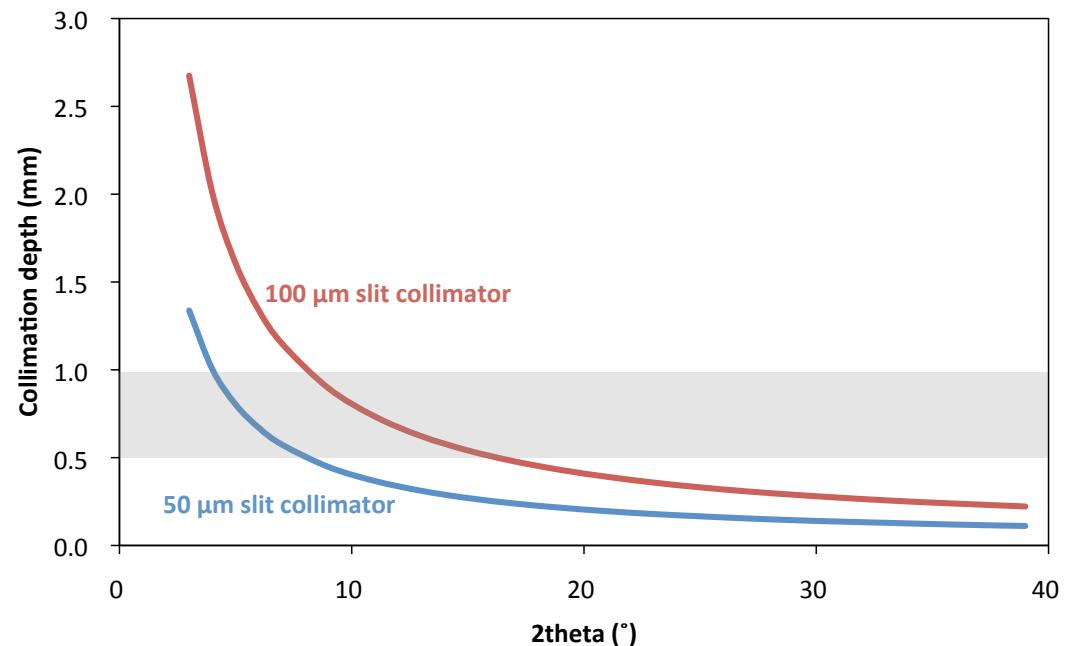
# Amorphous structure measurement by multi-angle energy-dispersive x-ray diffraction



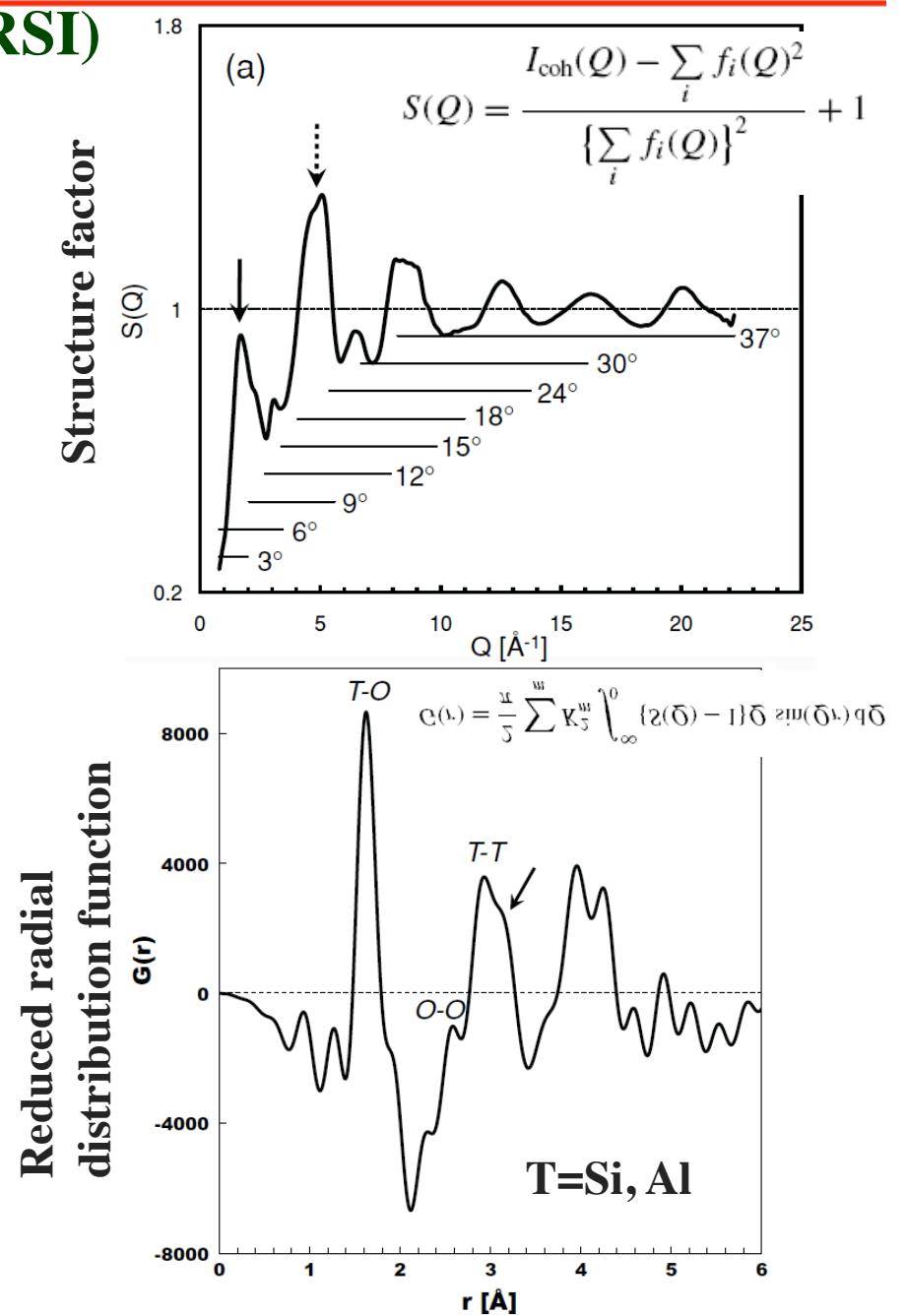
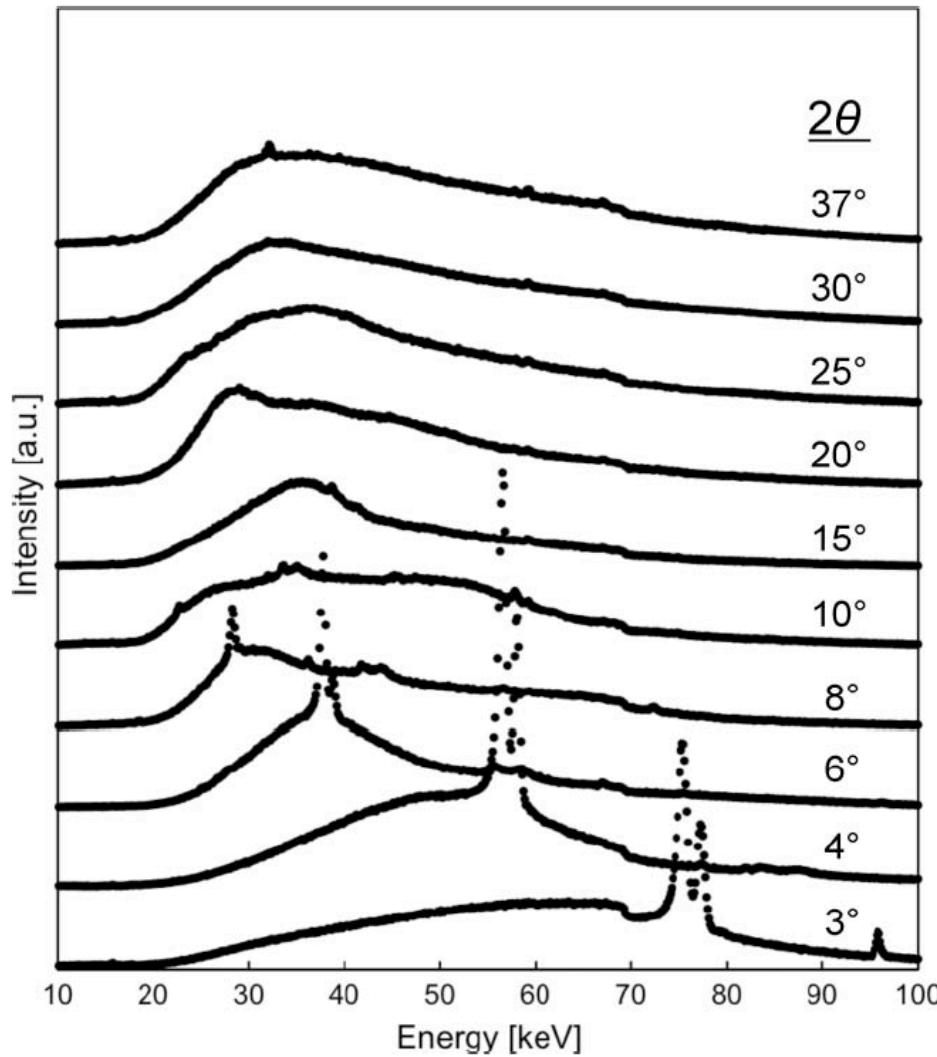
-BM white beam

- $2\theta$  up to  $\sim 40^\circ$

-Collimation depth control with collimator gaps (50, 100  $\mu\text{m}$ )



# Structure measurement of molten albite ( $\text{NaAlSi}_3\text{O}_8$ ) at 5.3 GPa and 1600 °C (Yamada et al., 2011, RSI)

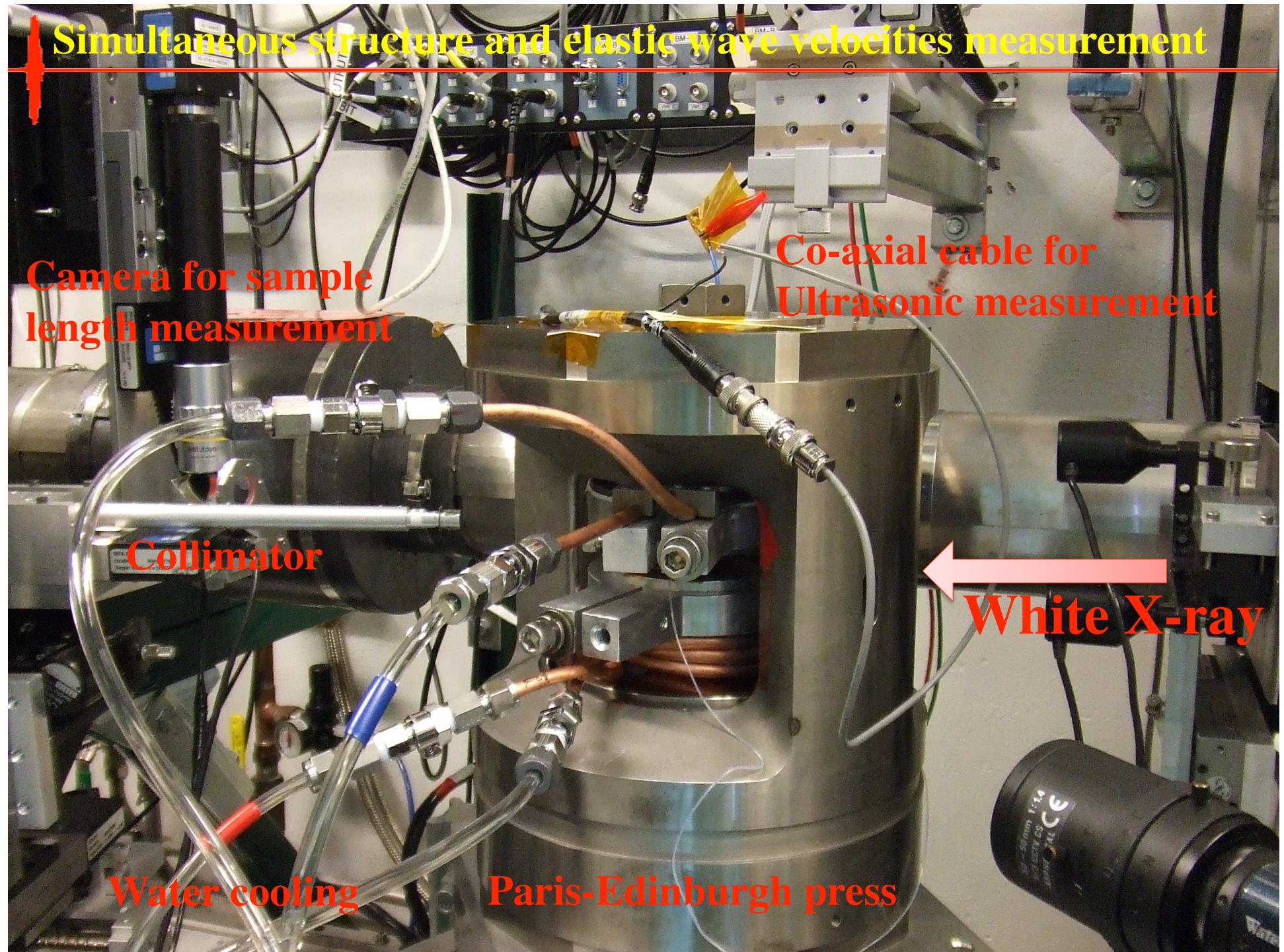




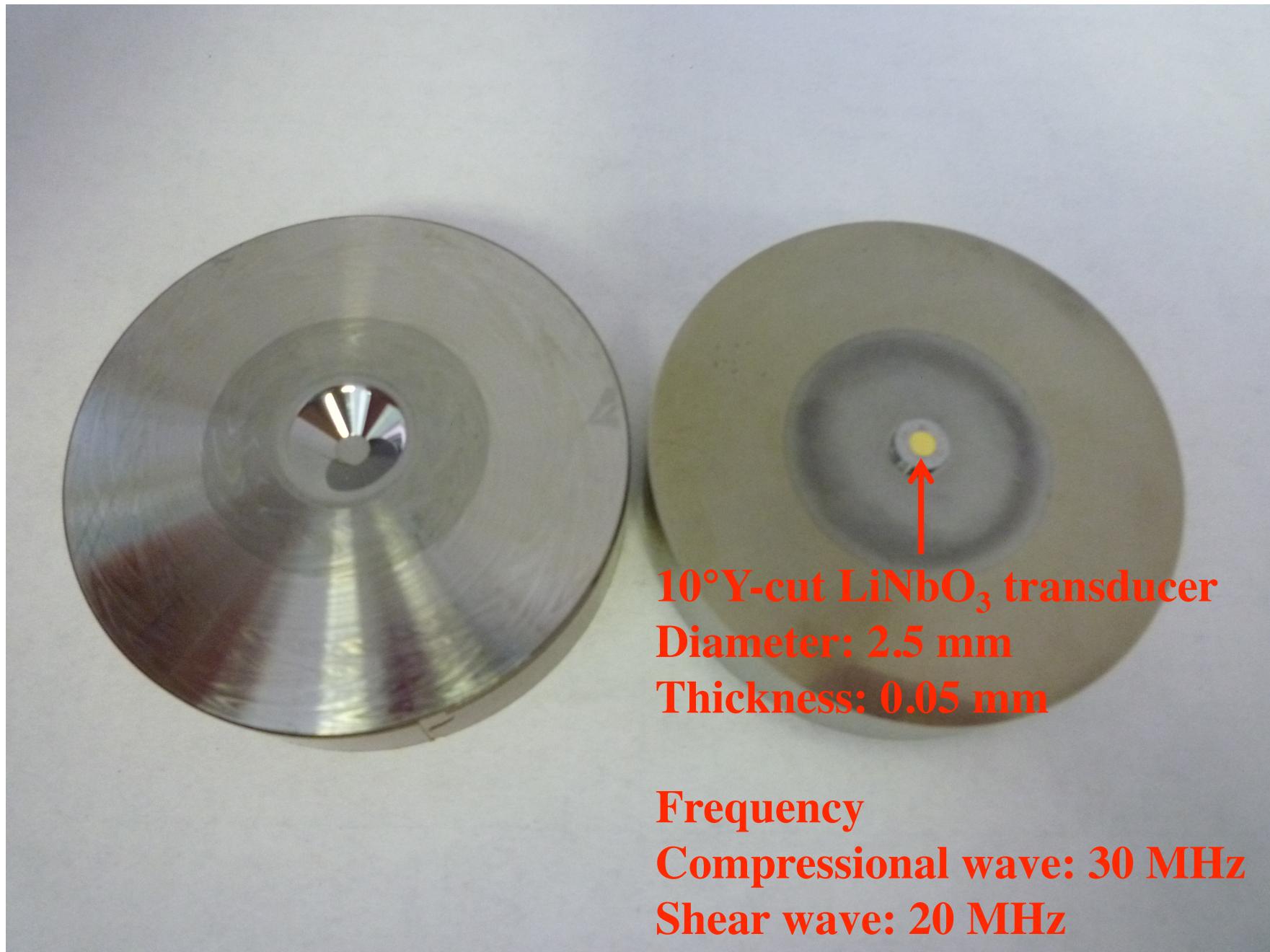
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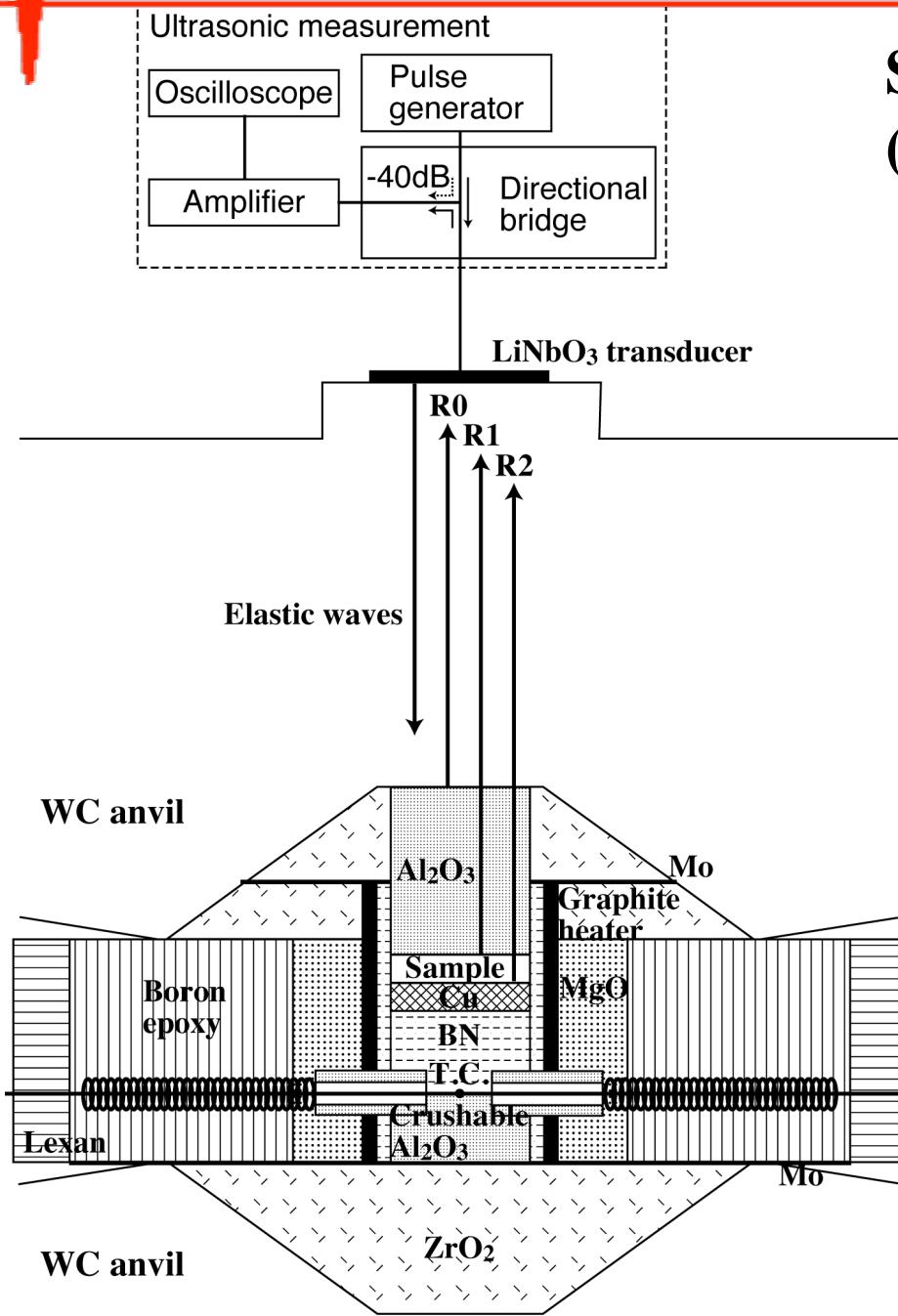
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1. Elastic wave velocity of  $\text{SiO}_2$  glass  
2. Viscosity measurement of silicate melt



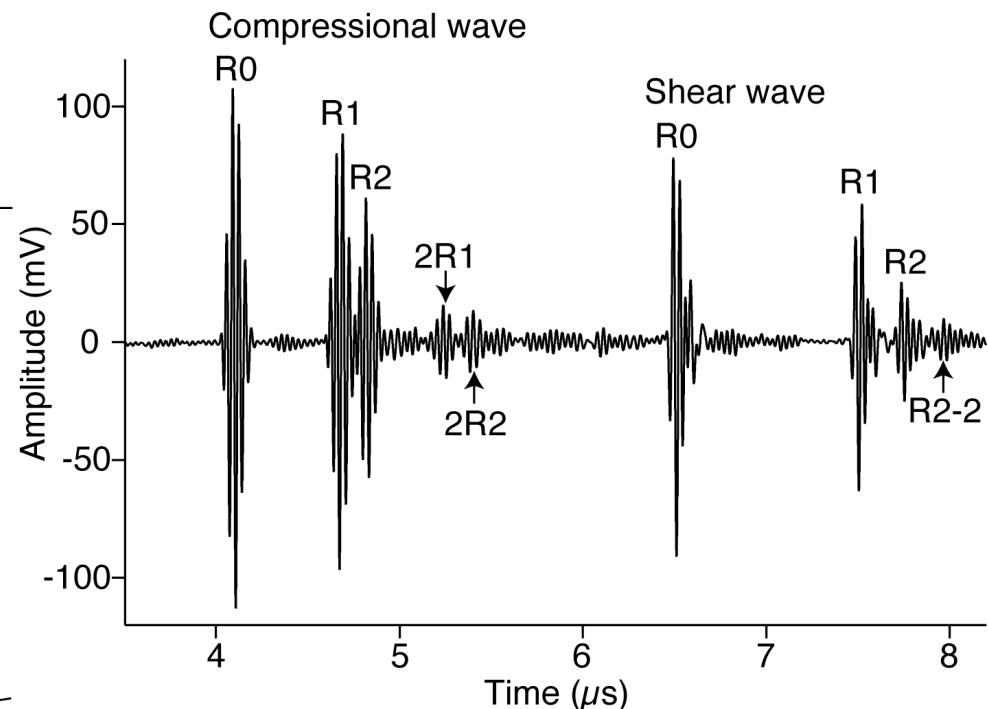
## Ultrasonic transducer on PE anvil



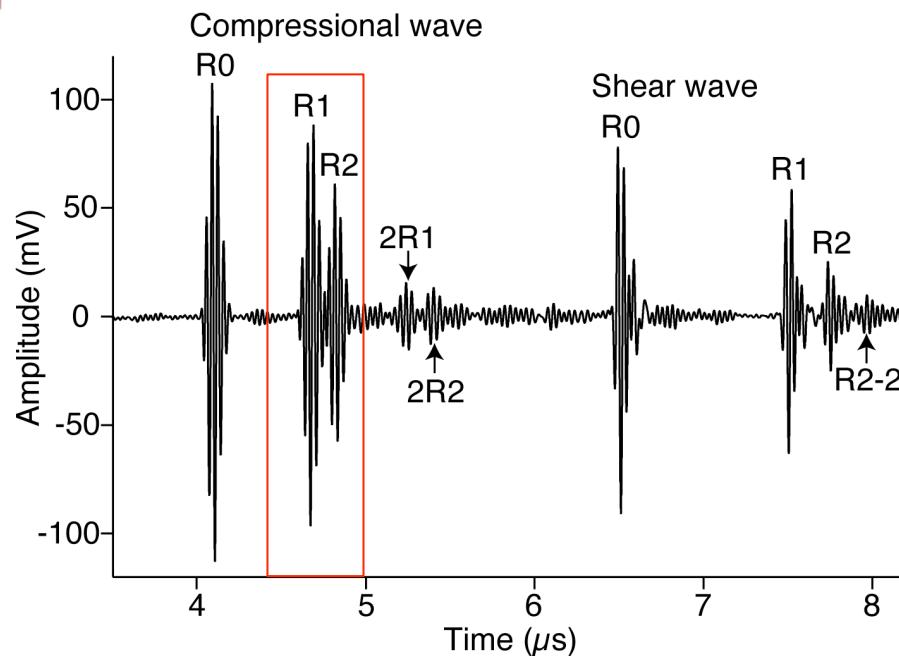
# Elastic wave velocity measurement



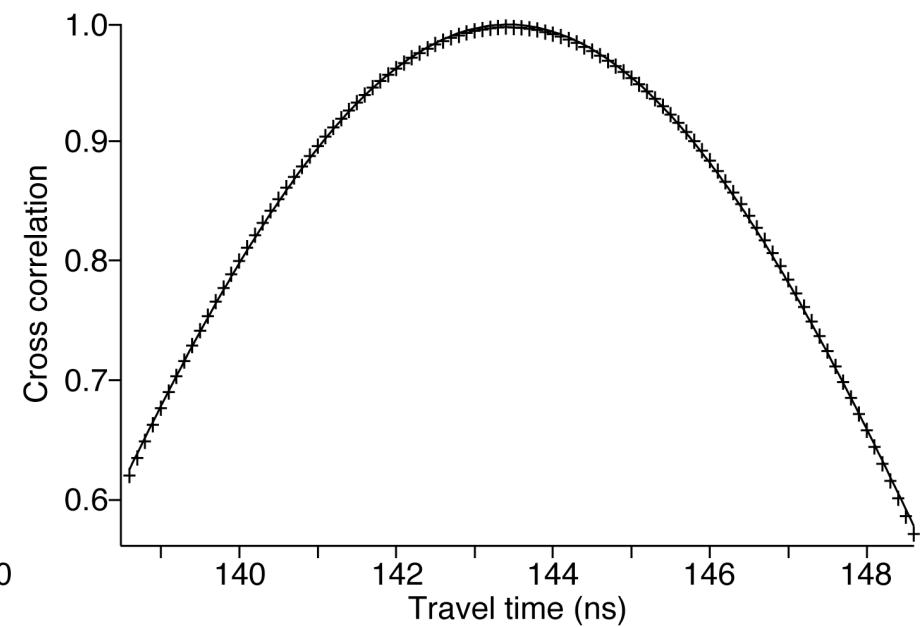
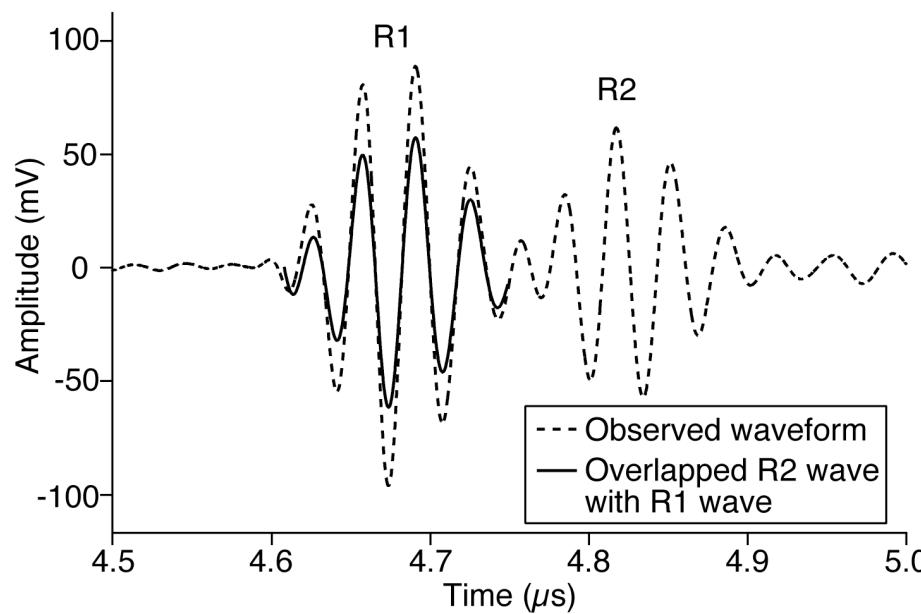
Sampling rate: 10 Gsample/second  
(<0.1 % of elastic wave travel time)



# Elastic wave travel time determination



$$2\Delta T = t(R2) - t(R1)$$



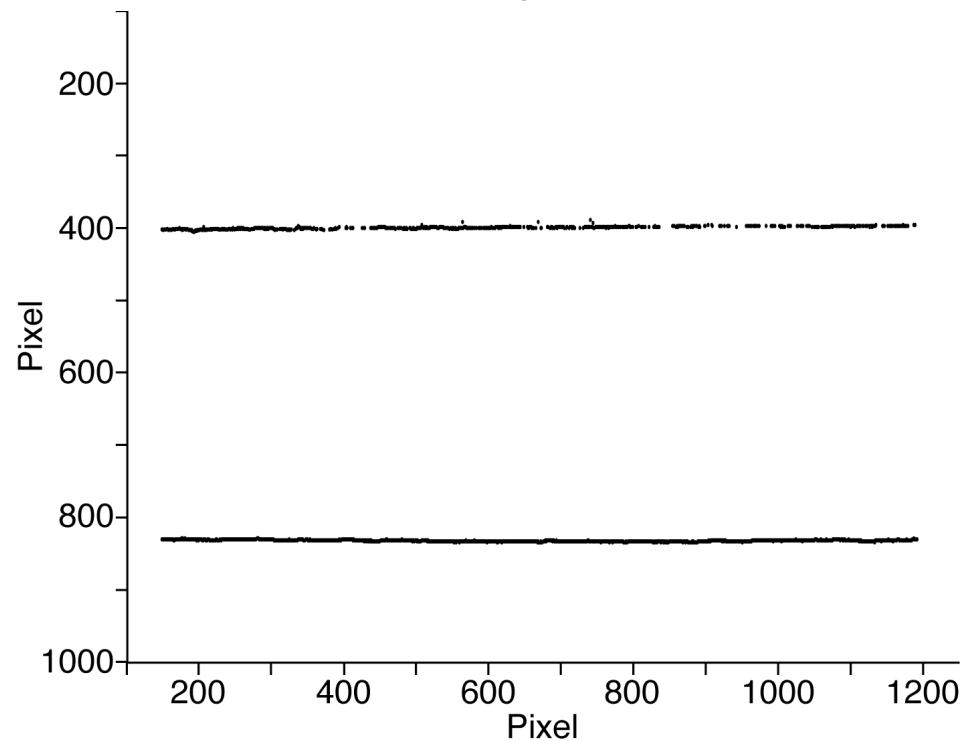
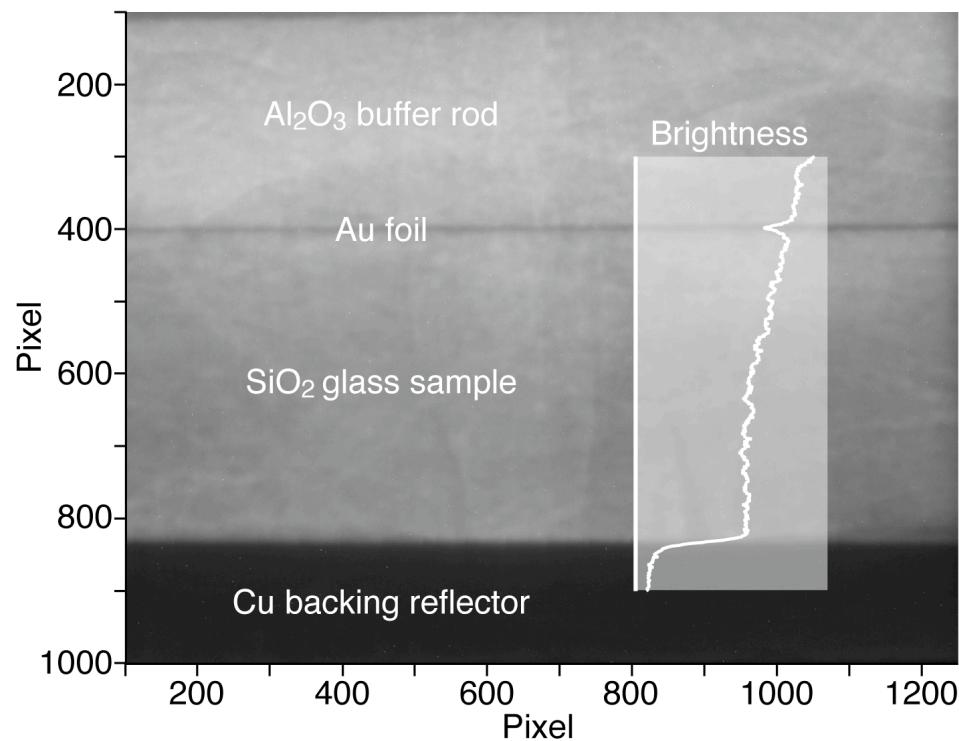
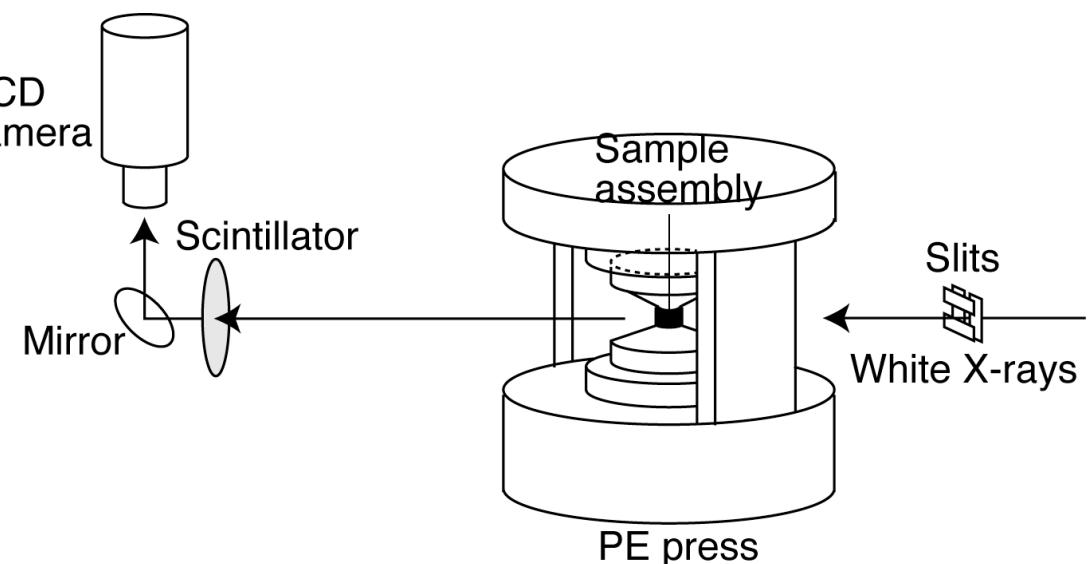
# Sample length measurement by white x-ray radiography

**GGG:Tb thin film scintillator**

**10x optical lens**

**CCD camera**

**Pixel resolution:  $0.948 \mu\text{m}/\text{pixel}$**



# Elastic wave velocity measurement

## Ultrasonic measurement

Compressional and shear  
wave travel times:  
 $2\Delta T_p$  and  $2\Delta T_s$

Compressional wave velocity  $V_p = 2L/2\Delta T_p$   
Shear wave velocity  $V_s = 2L/2\Delta T_s$

$$\text{Poisson's ratio} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{(V_p/V_s)^2 - 1} \right]$$

Bulk modulus  $= \rho V_p^2 - (4/3)\rho V_s^2$   
Shear modulus  $= \rho V_s^2$   
Young's modulus  $= \rho V_p^2 (3V_p^2 - 4V_s^2) (V_p^2 - V_s^2)$

## X-ray radiography

Sample length: L



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## Falling sphere viscometer based on Stokes' law

### Stokes' law of friction on sphere in flow

$$\text{Frictional force } F_R = 6\pi\eta rv \quad \begin{matrix} \text{Radius of sphere} \\ \downarrow \\ \leftarrow \text{Velocity of falling sphere} \\ \uparrow \\ \text{Viscosity} \end{matrix}$$

Velocity of falling sphere follows from the balance between the frictional force and the weight force reduced by the buoyant force

$$\text{Frictional force } 6\pi\eta rv = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \rho_s g - \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \rho_l g$$

$$\text{Viscosity } \eta = \frac{2gr^2(\rho_s - \rho_l)}{9v} \quad (\times \text{effect of diameter and height of sample container})$$

Velocity of falling sphere

## A preliminary test (falling Pt sphere in a silicate melt)

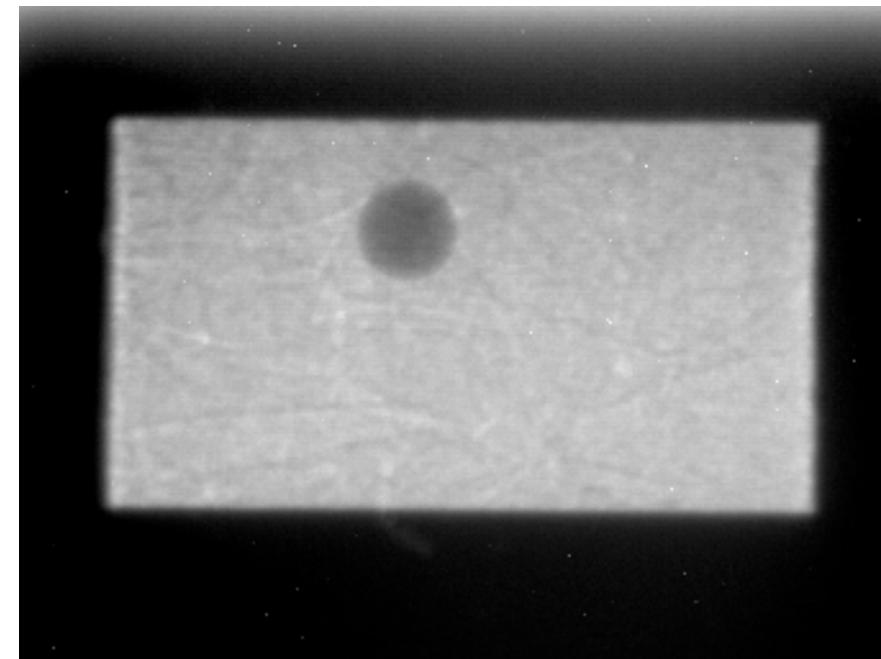
Pressure: ~7 GPa

Temperature: ~1700 °C

Density of melt: ~3 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Density of Pt sphere: ~21.5 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Diameter of Pt sphere: 140 μm



### Estimation of sphere-falling time

500 μm falling		
$\eta$ (Pa s)	v (μm/s)	time (s)
10 <sup>-1</sup>	2550.6	0.3
10 <sup>0</sup>	255.0	3.4
10 <sup>1</sup>	25.5	33.9
10 <sup>2</sup>	2.6	339.0

## Summary

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**Paris-Edinburgh cell experiment at the beamline 16BM-B  
is currently capable of investigating**

**-Amorphous structure**

**-Elastic wave velocity**

**-Melt viscosity**

**at high pressures to ~7 GPa  
and high temperatures to ~2000 °C**