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## Abstract

Trace element partitioning between minerals and liquids provides crucial constraints on igneous processes. We quantified trace element concentrations in clinopyroxene (Cpx) phenocrysts and their phonolite melt inclusions from the 2007-08 eruption of Oldoinyo Lengai (Tanzania), and report Cpx-melt partition coefficients ( $D$ ) and corresponding partitioning equations for rare earth elements (REE) and high field strength elements (HFSE) in alkaline magmas. Heavy REE (HREE: Er, Tm, Yb, Lu) are enriched relative to middle REE in alkaline Cpx and display a specific partitioning behavior that is characteristic of alkaline systems. HFSE (Ti, Zr, Hf) and HREE have similar  $D$  values ( $D_{\text{Hf}} = 0.25$ ;  $D_{\text{Lu}} = 0.4$ ) that are significantly higher than MREE ( $D_{\text{Sm}} = 0.06$ ). High  $D_{\text{HREE}}/D_{\text{MREE}}$  are strongly correlated with the high values of  $D_{\text{Zr}}$  and  $D_{\text{Hf}}$  relative to the low  $D_{\text{MREE}}$  values. In this study, REE partitioning between phonolite melt and Cpx is not consistent with standard models assuming incorporation of all REE in the Cpx M2 site, but rather highlights HREE substitution in both the M1 and M2 sites. Here we highlight the preferential incorporation of HREE in the VI-coordinated M1 site, whereas light REE and MREE remain mostly distributed in the VIII-coordinated M2 site. REE partitioning is strongly dependant on Cpx chemistry: the ideal ionic radius and HREE incorporation in the M1 site increase with increasing  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  content and decrease with increasing  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Al}^{\text{VI}}$  content. In our study, we focus on alkaline evolved magmas, and update existing models to obtain adequate  $D_{\text{HREE}}$  for alkaline evolved melts. We provide equations to quantify REE and HFSE partitioning, and HREE enrichment in Cpx, those are based on Cpx major element composition and temperature. We propose a new model based on the lattice strain approach that predicts HREE partitioning between Cpx and alkaline magmas. The knowledge of the melt composition or of the trace element contents is not required to obtain  $D_{\text{REE}}$  from the new model. An improved parameterization of HFSE partitioning between Cpx and phonolite and trachy-phonolite melts is also provided herein. We eventually discuss the potential implications of those new data on our understanding of REE deposits that are commonly associated with igneous alkaline complexes.

Keywords: partition coefficient; clinopyroxene; HREE enrichment; M1 site; alkaline magmas; REE deposits

## Introduction

The trace element contents of minerals and melts are used to identify and quantify igneous processes such as partial melting, equilibrium or fractional crystallization, and melt/rock interactions. Those processes are responsible for local economic concentrations of various metals (e.g., rare earth elements, REE), especially in the case of alkaline igneous provinces, which not only feed some of the most famous volcanoes worldwide (e.g., Vesuvius, Etna, Oldoinyo Lengai, Erebus), but are also associated with numerous critical metal deposits (e.g., Mountain Pass, USA; Ilmaussaq, Greenland). The partitioning of key trace elements (Nb, Ta, REE) along the liquid line of descent and their corresponding enrichment in mineral phases are governed by the amount and chemistry of fractionating minerals, and by the chemistry of the corresponding melts. The partition coefficient quantifies the distribution of a given element  $i$  between a mineral and a melt ( $D_i^{\text{mineral/melt}} = \frac{C_i^{\text{mineral}}}{C_i^{\text{melt}}}$ ). In the case of alkaline magmas, few partitioning data are available for the various crystallizing minerals (Mollo et al. 2016, 2018; Olin and Wolff 2010; Baudouin & France 2019; Beard et al. 2019).

Clinopyroxene (Cpx) is a widespread mineral in igneous rocks, and has a major impact on the liquid line of descent of the corresponding magmas. In alkaline silicate igneous rocks (syenite, phonolite, nephelinite) and carbonatites (the main REE deposits on Earth), Cpx commonly displays sinusoidal REE patterns with peculiar and unexpected heavy REE (HREE) enrichments (e.g. Marks et al. 2004; Reguir et al. 2012). The fractionation of such HREE-rich Cpx from their parental magma may lead to the formation of HREE-rich cumulates with economic concentrations (Möller and Williams-Jones 2016). Such HREE enrichments of Cpx have been tentatively attributed to the preferential incorporation of HREE in the VI-coordinated M1 site, whereas light and middle REE (LREE and MREE, respectively) are preferentially incorporated in the VIII-coordinated M2 site (Bottazi et al. 1999; Fedele et al. 2009; Olin and Wolff 2010; Reguir et al. 2012, Beard et al. 2019). Cpx enriched in HREE relative to MREE also display uncommon positive Zr and Hf anomalies (e.g., Bakti et al. 2018; Baudouin et al. 2016; Marks et al. 2004; Weidendorfer et al. 2016). These substitutional variations seem to occur for specific compositions (e.g., high Mn or Na contents, usually in alkaline rocks), though HREE enrichments have been observed in both aegirine ( $\text{NaFe}^{3+}\text{Si}_2\text{O}_6$ ) and diopside ( $\text{CaMgSi}_2\text{O}_6$ ) (Marks et al. 2004; Möller and Williams-Jones 2016; Reguir et al. 2012; Weidendorfer et al. 2016; Beard et al. 2019). Subtle HREE

enrichments are also occasionally observed in basanite (Woodland and Jugo 2007) and in silica-saturated rocks such as diorites (e.g., Zhang et al. 2017). Sinusoidal patterns of REE partition coefficients are nevertheless not always observed for alkaline compositions. REE partitioning between diopside and trachy-phonolite melt suggests that all REE are substituted in the M2 site and no anomalous HREE distributions are observed (Mollo et al. 2016). Thus, Cpx, enriched or not in HREE, can equilibrate with phonolitic compositions, implying that the HREE-enrichments observed in some alkaline rocks may be dominated by the crystal-chemical framework of Cpx rather by the melt composition.

In the present study, we address the partitioning of trace elements between Cpx and silicate melt in alkaline systems, and the origin of HREE enrichments in Cpx from some alkaline igneous complexes. We determined the trace element partition coefficients for Cpx phenocrysts in equilibrium with phonolitic melt inclusions in ijolite cognate cumulates from Oldoinyo Lengai that document the active magma chamber, in which HREE-rich Cpx have previously been described (Mollex 2017). Based on our observed partition coefficient, we use the lattice strain model to improve our understanding of the substitution parameters of trace elements in the Cpx crystal sites (Blundy and Wood 1994). These new data are used alongside  $D$  values from literature to elaborate general equations based on Cpx chemistry that provide  $D_i^{\text{Cpx/melt}}$  for REE and high field strength elements (HFSE; Ti, Hf, Zr, Nb, Ta) in alkaline magmas.

## Sample and Methods

### Sample description

Oldoinyo Lengai is an active volcano that erupts both natrocarbonatite and alkaline silicate magmas (Dawson 1998; Keller and Krafft 1990; Mollex et al. 2018). During the sub-Plinian 2007–2008 eruption, various xenoliths including ijolite cognate cumulates were brought to the surface, providing samples from the active magma reservoir (Mollex et al. 2018). This eruption was triggered by the recharge of the magmatic reservoir, and the ijolite samples provide constraints from the mid-crustal reservoir (~13 km, 1000°C; de Moor et al. 2013; Baudouin and France 2019). We studied Cpx and Cpx-hosted melt inclusions in 3 ijolites (10TL01, 10TL05, 10TL06; Fig. A1), collected on the southern slope of the northern active crater. We focus our study on sample 10TL01 which contains the largest melt

inclusions (Fig. 1). The volatile element content, liquid line of descent, crystallization sequence, and origin of the sample were presented in detail by Mollex (2017).

Ijolite sample 10TL01 contains large crystals of Cpx, Ti-garnet (melanite), nepheline, apatite and minor sulfides, titanomagnetite, wollastonite, and interstitial glass. A single population of Cpx phenocrysts (100-1000  $\mu\text{m}$ ) is present in the studied sample, it displays a slightly patchy zoning with a restricted compositional variation (Fig. A1). Melt inclusions in Cpx are relatively small ( $\leq 50 \mu\text{m}$ ), and their hosting Cpx show local chemistry variation (Fig. 1d). To minimize the effect of the local chemistry variation, Cpx-melt couples were analyzed very close to each other; melt-Cpx composition covariations will help us quantifying the dependence on composition of partition coefficients.  $\sim 10\%$  of the Cpx-hosted melt inclusions also contain small amount of carbonatite globule ( $< 2\%$  vol. of the whole melt inclusion volume), those inclusions have not been considered to estimate silicate melt - Cpx partitioning. Detailed petrographic observations have also shown that some melt inclusions contains daughter mineral (e.g., magnetite), and have therefore also not been considered to quantify melt - Cpx partitioning. Among the selected melt inclusions ( $n=16$ ), Cpx have homogeneous composition around the melt inclusions, except for 1 Cpx-melt couple which displays a lighter shade in the BSE image (Fig. 1c, cpx n°1 on table S1).

## Major and trace element measurements

Major element concentrations in Cpx and glasses were determined using a CAMECA SX-100 electron microprobe at the Laboratoire Magmas et Volcans (LMV, Clermont-Ferrand, France). Analyses were performed using a 15 kV accelerating voltage. Minerals were analyzed using a focused beam and a 6 nA current, whereas melt inclusion measurements were performed using a spot size of 5  $\mu\text{m}$  and a 4 nA current to prevent host mineral contamination and minimize alkali loss and beam damage of the glasses (errors in supplementary material).

Trace element concentrations were determined using a Thermo Element XR laser ablation inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometer at LMV. Laser beam diameters of 25 and 9 to 15  $\mu\text{m}$  were used for Cpx and melt inclusions, respectively, with a laser repetition rate of 1–2 Hz and laser power of  $4.8 \text{ J}\cdot\text{cm}^{-2}$  (laser excimer 193 nm Resonetics M-50E). Trace element concentrations were calibrated by using similar laser beam diameters, and international standard glasses NIST612 as primary standard, and NIST610 and BCR-2 as secondary standards; the  $\text{SiO}_2$  and CaO concentrations previously determined by electron

microprobe for individual Cpx and glasses were used as internal standards (errors and standards in supplementary material). The Glitter Software (Griffin et al. 2008) was used to process the raw data files of signal intensity versus time.

## Results

### Clinopyroxene chemistry

Cpx from Oldoinyo Lengai ijolites occur as large crystals (100–1000  $\mu\text{m}$ ) with diopside to augite compositions ( $\text{Wo}_{48}\text{En}_{38}\text{Fs}_{14}$  to  $\text{Wo}_{44}\text{En}_{27}\text{Fs}_{29}$ ), and relatively low aegirine components ( $\text{Ae}_6$  to  $\text{Ae}_{21}$ ) (Fig. 2). Cpx Mg# ( $= 100 \times \text{Mg}/(\text{Mg}+\text{Fe})$  in molar proportions) range from 49 to 74 with relatively high Fe content (8.2–16.0 wt%  $\text{FeO}_t$ ). Minor element contents are 0.4–0.7 wt%  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ , 0.3–0.46 wt%  $\text{TiO}_2$ , 0.25–0.49 wt%  $\text{MnO}$ , and 1.0–2.5 wt%  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  (Fig. 3a, Table S1).  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  contents calculated using the stoichiometric method (Droop, 1987) are slightly lower than  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  contents ( $\text{Fe}^{3+} = 0.05\text{--}0.22$  per formula unit, p.f.u., vs.  $\text{Fe}^{2+} = 0.14\text{--}0.36$  p.f.u.; Fig. 3b). The T site is occupied by silicon with minor  $\text{Al}^{\text{IV}}$  (0.01–0.03) and  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  (0–0.03), the M1 site incorporates  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Ti}^{4+}$ , and  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  cations, and the M2 site is filled by  $\text{Ca}^{2+} + \text{Na}^+$  ( $= 1$  p.f.u.).

Cpx REE contents, when normalized to chondrite, are characterized by a sinusoidal pattern with a strong HREE enrichment. Cpx have low REE contents (e.g., 0.67–1.65 ppm La; corresponding to 2–8 times chondritic values) and are enriched in LREE and HREE compared to MREE ( $(\text{La}/\text{Dy})_{\text{N}} = 2.6\text{--}5.4$  and  $(\text{Lu}/\text{Ho})_{\text{N}} = 6.2\text{--}8.8$ , where the subscript ‘N’ denotes chondrite-normalized values, McDonough and Sun (1995) (Figs. 4a, A2). Cpx have high incompatible element concentrations, with Sr varying from 547 to 720 ppm, Zr from 174 to 354 ppm, and low concentrations of Sc (2.7–4.3 ppm) and Nb (0.1–0.3 ppm) (Table S2). Cpx have a distinct positive Zr-Hf anomaly relative to the primitive mantle, as evidenced by  $(\text{Hf}/\text{Sm})_{\text{N}}$  ratios of 16.4–27.7 (Figs. 4b, A2 & A3).

### Phonolite melt inclusions

Cpx-hosted melt inclusions have phonolitic compositions with  $\text{SiO}_2$  contents varying from 47.3 to 50.4 wt%, alkali ( $\text{Na}_2\text{O} + \text{K}_2\text{O}$ ) from 17.8 to 21.9 wt% (Fig. 5, Table S1), and very low  $\text{MgO}$  contents ranging from 0.03 to 0.38 wt%.  $\text{CaO}$  content varies from 0.54 to 2.09 wt%,  $\text{FeO}_t$  from 5.2 to 9.6 wt%, and  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  from 10.9 to 17.7 wt% (Table S1). Melt inclusions have high REE contents, with La varying from 40 to 210 ppm (200–1000 times chondritic

values, McDonough and Sun 1995), and are enriched in LREE compared to HREE with La/Yb varying from 8 to 38. Melt inclusions have high incompatible element concentrations with Sr contents ranging from 650 to 3730 ppm, Nb from 420 to 850 ppm, and Zr from 700 to 3180 ppm (Table S2, Fig. A2; A3).

### Trace element partitioning

Cpx/phonolite melt trace element partition coefficients have been calculated from the concentrations measured in 16 Cpx-hosted melt inclusions and their Cpx hosts. However, melt inclusion compositions may be affected by post-entrapment crystallization, modifying the Cpx-melt equilibrium. If extensive, post-entrapment crystallization could result in the under- or over-estimation of partition coefficients for incompatible and compatible elements, respectively. The contribution of post-entrapment crystallization in the studied melt inclusions has been estimated to be ~9% based on experimentally determined Fe-Mg partition coefficients and DiHd composition parameter (Masotta et al. 2013; Mollo et al. 2013; details in supplementary material). For incompatible elements, post-entrapment crystallization of a few percent Cpx at melt inclusion margins does not modify the melt composition by more than few percent for incompatible elements (see calculation in supplementary material; Fig. A4). Taking in account both Analytical errors and post-entrapment crystallization, we estimate that our reported partition coefficients are accurate to within 10% (analytical errors in supplementary material).

Compared to literature data associated with basalts or phonolites (Adam and Green 2006; Hill et al. 2000; Mollo et al. 2016), the REE partition coefficients between Cpx and phonolite melt obtained herein 1) are significantly lower, 2) increase from LREE to MREE ( $D_{La} = 0.013 \pm 0.005$  and  $D_{Sm} = 0.062 \pm 0.018$ , respectively), and from MREE to HREE ( $D_{Ho} = 0.062 \pm 0.021$  and  $D_{Lu} = 0.41 \pm 0.14$ , respectively) (Fig. 6; Tables 1, S3), and 3)  $D_{HREE}$  such as  $D_{Lu}$  is not correlated with  $D_{LREE}$  (e.g.,  $D_{La}$ ), but displays a slight correlation with other trivalent cation partition coefficients like with  $D_{Sc}$  (Tables 1, S3).

The low LREE and MREE partition coefficients observed for alkaline magmas herein and in previous studies (Adam and Green 2006; Dalou et al. 2012; Hill et al. 2000; Mollo et al. 2016; Fig. 6) imply a strong REE enrichment of the residual liquid during Cpx crystallization. These uncommon partition coefficients associated with alkaline systems



therefore result in very high REE contents in the associated evolved melts (e.g., trachy-phonolite, phonolite, carbonatite).

Tetravalent HFSE have  $D$  values close to  $D_{\text{HREE}}$  (e.g.,  $D_{\text{Zr}} = 0.13 \pm 0.06$  and  $D_{\text{Hf}} = 0.25 \pm 0.1$ ), similar to those observed for trachy-phonolite melt (Mollo et al., 2016) (Fig. 6, Table 1). Pentavalent HFSE have very low  $D$  values (e.g.,  $D_{\text{Nb}} < 0.0005$  and  $D_{\text{Ta}} < 0.003$ ). Zr and Hf have higher partition coefficients than MREE, as highlighted by high  $D_{\text{Hf}}/D_{\text{Nd}}$  ratios (2–5.6; Fig. 7). Other Cpx trace element partition coefficients are as follows:  $D_{\text{Sr}} = 0.66 \pm 0.23$ ,  $D_{\text{Ba}} = 0.0002 \pm 0.00006$ ,  $D_{\text{Th}} = 0.0003 \pm 0.0001$ , and  $D_{\text{V}} = 0.63 \pm 0.33$  (Table 1). In this study, we observe that Sr is only moderately incompatible and has a high partition coefficient relative to REE (Fig. A2), whereas Sr behaves more incompatibly in basaltic melts (Fig. 6).

## Discussion

### Lattice strain model parameters

Partition coefficients  $D_i$  can be modeled using lattice strain theory (Blundy and Wood, 1994) as:

$$D_i = D_0 \exp \left[ \frac{-4\pi E N_A \left[ \frac{r_0}{2} (r_i - r_0)^2 + \frac{1}{3} (r_i - r_0)^3 \right]}{RT} \right] \quad (1)$$

where  $D_i$  is a function of the cation radius ( $r_i$ ), the partition coefficient ( $D_0$ ) of the ideal cation with a radius  $r_0$  (Å) for the crystallographic lattice M1 or M2, and an elastic constant  $E$  (Young's modulus, in GPa), as well as Avogadro's constant  $N_A$  ( $6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ ), the universal gas constant  $R$  ( $8.3145 \text{ J} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1} \cdot \text{K}^{-1}$ ), and temperature  $T$  (Kelvin). In Cpx, the six-fold coordinated M1 site incorporates tetravalent ( $\text{Ti}^{4+}$ ,  $\text{Zr}^{4+}$ ,  $\text{Hf}^{4+}$ ) and trivalent cations (e.g.,  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Sc}^{3+}$ ) whereas the eight-fold coordinated M2 site preferentially incorporates  $\text{REE}^{3+}$  (e.g., Adam and Green 2006; Blundy and Wood 1994, 2003; Dalou et al. 2012; Hill et al. 2000). Detailed calculation of the strain energy in the lattice strain model (LSM) is provided in the supplementary material.

Trace element partitioning between Cpx and melt ( $D_i^{\text{Cpx/melt}}$ ) has been characterized and quantified by applying the LSM (Onuma et al. 1968) to various Cpx and melt compositions (e.g., Blundy et al. 1998; Gaetani and Grove 1995; Wood and Blundy 1997, 2001). In order to determine the effects of melt composition, Cpx chemistry, pressure, and temperature on partition coefficients, we compared our  $D$  values measured from Oldoinyo Lengai ijolite to a dataset including Cpx in equilibrium with phonolite (Mollo et al. 2016;

Olin and Wolff 2010), basalt (e.g., Dalou et al. 2012; Hill et al. 2000), and basanite melts (Adam and Green 2006). The LSM was applied to those  $D$  values using the SIMPLE FIT and DOUBLE FIT program (Dalou et al. 2018), which calculates the best-fit values of the lattice strain parameters ( $r_0$ ,  $D_0$ , and  $E$ ) for both clinopyroxene M-sites. DOUBLE FIT does not require assignments of elements per site or constraints on the LSM parameters to calculate the best-fit values and LSM parameters. However, we considered HREE<sup>3+</sup> as being either 6- or 8-fold coordinated (i.e., in the M1 or M2 site in Cpx, respectively) when fitting the REE data (see section 5.1.1). To obtain reliable estimates of  $r_0$ ,  $D_0$ , and  $E$ , DOUBLE FIT requires a minimum of six  $D_i$  values: we therefore focused our study on the partitioning of trivalent (REE<sup>3+</sup>, Cr<sup>3+</sup>, Sc<sup>3+</sup>). For tetravalent cations (Ti<sup>4+</sup>, Zr<sup>4+</sup>, Hf<sup>4+</sup>), we use SIMPLE FIT (minimum of 3  $D_i$  values) to determine M1 LSM parameters.

### *REE and trivalent cations*

Previous studies have successfully applied the LSM to Cpx-melt partitioning, and the distribution of REE can be modeled by assuming that all REE are substituted for Ca in the M2 site (e.g., Hill et al. 2000; Mollo et al. 2016; Wood and Blundy 1997). Between Mg-rich Cpx and basaltic liquid, LREE are highly incompatible ( $D_{La} \leq 0.1$ ), and incompatibility decreases toward the MREE with relatively constant  $D$  values between Ho and Lu (e.g., Wood and Blundy 2007; Hill et al. 2000; Wood and Blundy 1998) (Fig. 8). In contrast, the  $D_{REE}^{Cpx/phonolite}$  values obtained herein are not consistent with the existing models (e.g. Blundy and Wood 1994); assuming incorporation of all REE in the M2 site: indeed HREE (Er to Lu) do not follow a parabolic repartition commonly explained by the LSM (Fig. 8), implying the substitution of HREE in both the M2 and M1 sites. It is therefore necessary to estimate  $D_0$ ,  $r_0$ , and  $E$  for trivalent cations in both the M1 (HREE<sup>3+</sup>, Sc<sup>3+</sup>, Cr<sup>3+</sup>) and M2 sites (HREE<sup>3+</sup>, MREE<sup>3+</sup>, LREE<sup>3+</sup>, Fig. 8), which provides lattice strain parameters that differ significantly from the literature data (Bédard 2014; Dygert et al. 2014, Fedele et al. 2009; Olin and Wolff 2010). HREE incorporation in M1 have been previously suggested, but predictive model for  $D_{HREE}$  must be carefully determined yet.

Cpx-phonolite melt  $D_0^{3+}$  parameters for the M2 site are very low ( $D_0^{3+} = 0.07 \pm 0.015$ ) relative to those obtained by Mollo et al. (2016); ( $D_0^{3+} = 1.07 \pm 0.27$ ; Table S4). Previous studies have shown the strong influence of Cpx Al<sup>IV</sup> content on the  $D_0^{3+}$  value of the M2 site (e.g., Hill et al. 2000; Mollo et al. 2016; Wood and Blundy 1997). The very low  $D_0^{3+}$  value

obtained herein can thus be related to the very low  $\text{Al}^{\text{IV}}$  content of Oldoinyo Lengai Cpx ( $\leq 0.03$  p.f.u., Table S1). The LSM parameters obtained herein are also characterized by relatively high  $r_0^{\text{M}2}$  (i.e., 1.05 Å), and  $E^{\text{M}2}$  values within the range of previous studies related to low pressure ( $E = 325\text{--}441$  GPa; Hill et al., 2000; Mollo et al. 2016; Tables 2, S4, S5).

The LSM parameters for the M1 site are  $D_0^{3+} = 1.24 \pm 0.44$ ,  $E^{3+} = 382 \pm 48$  GPa, and  $r_0^{3+} = 0.74 \pm 0.006$  Å (Table 2, Fig. 9).  $D_0^{3+}$  and  $E$  are inter-correlated and display very low values compared to other studies of basaltic to phonolitic compositions (Dalou et al. 2012; Hill et al. 2000; Olin and Wolff 2010). The ideal cation radii ( $r_0$ ) are among the largest reported, except those for HREE-bearing M1 sites from Olin and Wolff (2010) ( $r_0^{\text{M}1} = 0.72\text{--}0.77$  Å). HREE incorporation in the M1 site thus seems to be promoted by high  $r_0^{3+}$  ( $>0.7$  Å) and low  $E^{3+}$  ( $<500$  GPa) of this crystallographic site (Figs. A5, A6, A7).

### HFSE

HFSE (4+ and 5+ cations) are commonly considered to be incorporated in the M1 site (i.e., six-fold coordination; e.g., Wood and Blundy 2007). By studying their partitioning behavior, we obtain information on the properties of the M1 site, and on their dependence on Cpx chemistry (Figs. 10 A6). Due to the very low partition coefficients for Nb and Ta (e.g.,  $D_{\text{Nb}} = 0.0001\text{--}0.0005$ ) and uncertainties on the valence of vanadium (3+, 5+; Adam and Green, 2006), we applied the LSM only for tetravalent ( $\text{Ti}^{4+}$ ,  $\text{Zr}^{4+}$ ,  $\text{Hf}^{4+}$ ) and not pentavalent HFSE. Obtained LSM parameters are  $D_0^{4+} = 0.73\text{--}1.08$ ,  $E^{4+} = 1736\text{--}2397$  GPa, and  $r_0^{4+} = 0.655\text{--}0.662$  Å (Table 2, Fig. A8). The  $r_0^{4+}$  of the M1 site correlates with Cpx chemistry (Fig. A8) but is particularly large when compared to values of previous studies (e.g., Blundy et al. 1997; Hill et al. 2000; Mollo et al. 2016; 2018), particularly. The  $D_0$  and  $E$  values obtained herein are lower than those for Mg-Al rich Cpx (Hill et al. 2000; Table S5) and similar to those of Fe-rich Cpx (Dygert et al. 2014).

### Factors controlling trace element partitioning in Cpx

The specific features of Cpx trace element compositions, and of the associated partition coefficient distribution determined herein (e.g., HREE and Zr-Hf enrichments relative to MREE in Cpx, as well as their covariation highlighted by a well-defined  $(\text{Zr}/\text{Nd})_{\text{n}}$  vs  $(\text{Lu}/\text{Ho})_{\text{N}}$  correlation; Fig. 7a) are observed in several other alkaline complexes (Figs. 4, 7a). In this study, these anomalies are associated with higher  $D_{\text{Zr}}/D_{\text{Nd}}$  and  $D_{\text{Lu}}/D_{\text{Ho}}$  ratios

compared to the literature ( $D_{Zr}/D_{Nd}$  and  $D_{Lu}/D_{Ho} < 1.2$ , Fig. 7b; Adam and Green 2006; Hill et al. 2011; Mollo et al. 2016).

The partitioning of trace elements between Cpx and melt varies with intensive parameters (pressure, temperature, redox conditions), melt composition, and Cpx chemistry (e.g., Bennett et al. 2004; Blundy et al. 1998; Hill et al. 2011; Olin and Wolff 2010).

Pressure and temperature are expected to have a strong effect on ideal cation radius ( $r_0$ ) and partition coefficients (e.g., Hill et al. 2011). However, Cpx-melt partition coefficients acquired over a large pressure and temperature range do not display an effect on HREE partitioning in the M1 site for basalts (Adam and Green 2006; Dalou et al. 2012; Hill et al. 2000) or even trachy-phonolite melt equilibrated in the same pressure range as our study ( $\leq 350$  MPa; Mollo et al. 2016). The low equilibrium  $D_0^{M2}$  values determined herein at low pressure and moderate temperature conditions ( $\sim 300$  MPa and  $1050^\circ\text{C}$ ) should therefore be attributed to other parameters.

Melt composition (e.g., silica, alkali, or volatile contents) influences the melt structure, and trace element partition coefficients usually decrease with increasing melt polymerization (characterized by the number of non-bridging oxygens per tetrahedral cation, NBO/T; Gaetani 2004; Huang et al. 2006, Michely et al. 2017, Mollo et al., 2016; Figs. A9 & A10). According to those studies, an increasing in NBO/T value would imply an important decrease of the partition coefficients down to one order of magnitude (when NBO/T rises from 0.2 to 2). However, There is no correlation between NBO/T and HREE enrichment for phonolite and basalt melts (e.g., NBO/T = 0.61–0.8 at  $D_{Lu}/D_{Er} > 5$  for phonolite and NBO/T = 0.5–0.7 at  $D_{Lu}/D_{Er} = 0.93$ –1.17 for basalts; Gaetani, 2004). In the case of  $D_{HREE} > D_{MREE}$  (Beard et al. 2019; Olin and Wolff 2010, this study), the melt polymerization and composition effect on partition coefficient seems to be negligible in comparison to the effect of mineral chemistry (Figs. A10). Michely et al. (2017) observe correlations between melt  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  content and trace element partition coefficients. The influence of Na over trace element partitioning may apply only in the case of Na-poor melts (0–2.5 wt%  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$ ), since we do not observe any relationship between  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  or  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$  content in our melts (varying between 6 and 13 wt%) and trace element partition coefficients (Fig. A10).

HREE enrichment in Cpx is therefore not related to specific pressure conditions or melt composition (basalt/phonolite), but can likely be related to the Cpx chemistry. Partition coefficient values have been shown to rise with increasing  $\text{Al}^{\text{IV}}$  content (Gaetani and Grove 1995, and Lundstrom et al. 1994, Wood and Blundy 1997). In addition, HREE enrichment in Mn-rich Cpx ( $\text{MnO} = 2.4$ –2.9 wt%) negatively correlates with  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  and positively

correlates with  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  content (Olin and Wolff 2010). Cpx Na content may also exert a dominant control on REE partitioning following the substitution  $\text{Na}^+ + \text{REE}^{3+} = 2 \text{Ca}^{2+}$  (Wood and Blundy 1997), although this correlation has only been observed for extremely Na-rich Cpx (2.2–13.5 wt%  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$ ) at high-pressure conditions ( $>3$  GPa; e.g., Bennett et al. 2004). The role of Cpx chemistry, observed at high pressure, needs to be further investigated for Na-rich clinopyroxenes crystallized at low pressure (see the discussion below).

Here we have used a  $D^{\text{Cpx/melt}}$  dataset for melt compositions ranging from basalt to phonolite, with and without HREE anomalies, to track the origin of the anomalous partition coefficients observed in various alkaline complexes (Figs. 4–7; Adam and Green 2006; Dalou et al. 2012; Hill et al. 2000; Mollo et al. 2016; Olin and Wolff 2010). LSM parameters are correlated with high  $D_{\text{HREE}}/D_{\text{MREE}}$ : specifically, high  $r_0^{3+}$  values for the M1 site (0.73–0.75 Å) are well correlated to Cpx chemistry (e.g. Mg/Fe and Na/Ca ratios) and to the HREE enrichment (Fig. 9, A6, A7), that can be quantified by the parameter  $\text{Lu}^*$  (see section 5.3.1 for further details):

$$\text{Lu}^* (\%) = [D_{\text{Lu}}^{\text{M1}} / (D_{\text{Lu}}^{\text{M1}} + D_{\text{Lu}}^{\text{M2}})] \times 100 \quad (2)$$

In the M1 site,  $r_0^{3+}$  increases along with  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  content and decreases with  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Al}^{\text{IV}}$  contents increase (Fig. 9, Table S5), whereas  $E^{3+}$  is negatively correlated with  $r_0^{3+}$  and increases along with Mg content (Fig. A7). Cameron and Papike (1980) showed that the nature and size of the main cation in the M2 site has an influence on the ionic radius of the M1 site. In the present study, the ionic radius of the M1 site is sensitive to Mg/Fe and  $\text{Fe}^{3+}/\text{Fe}^{2+}$  ratios. In the absence of Al (i.e., the jadeite pole),  $\text{Na}^+$  atoms are charge balanced with  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  (i.e., the aegirine pole) as observed herein and at various alkaline complexes (Fig. 2). As  $r_0^{3+}$  in the M1 site is strongly dependent on Mg and  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  content and well correlated with HREE enrichment (high  $\text{Lu}^*$ ; Fig. 9), aegirine and Mg contents seem to be the main chemistry factors inducing HREE incorporation in the M1 site. HREE enrichments should therefore be prevalent in the presence of  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  in Cpx (thus under oxidizing conditions), and in alkaline magmatic systems that allow charge balance between trivalent ( $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ ) and monovalent ( $\text{Na}^+$ ) cations instead of two bivalent cations ( $\text{Mg}^{2+} + \text{Ca}^{2+}$ ; the diopside pole). Furthermore, Cpx crystals may record magmatic differentiation with Fe-rich and more oxidized ( $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ -rich) composition, leading to significant enrichment in HREE and high Hf/Sm ratios (Woodland and Jugo 2007).

The observed high  $D_{\text{HREE}}/D_{\text{MREE}}$  are strongly correlated with high  $D_{\text{Zr}}$  and  $D_{\text{Hf}}$  values relative to MREE (e.g.,  $D_{\text{Hf}}/D_{\text{Sm}}$  and  $D_{\text{Zr}}/D_{\text{Nd}} > 2$ ; Figs. 6, 7). This is mostly due to the low  $D_{\text{MREE}}$  values, as the partition coefficients of Zr and Hf are within the range of literature data (Fig. 6).  $D_{\text{Zr}}/D_{\text{Nd}}$  increases with increased  $r_0^{4+}$  in the M1 site, which is related to increased  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  content and decreased  $\text{Al}^{\text{IV}}$  and Mg contents (Fig. A8).

## Parameterization of the trace element distribution

### *Prediction of HREE enrichment*

In the following section, we propose a parameterization based on Cpx major element composition only that allows prediction of Cpx HREE enrichment (high  $D_{\text{Lu}}/D_{\text{Ho}}$ ; Fig. 11), and associated partition coefficients. Neither trace element quantification, nor melt composition are required to proceed with D estimate. Parameterization constants along with the corresponding spreadsheet built to predict REE partitioning between clinopyroxene and alkaline evolved melts are provided in supplementary material, and described below. Data used for the parameterization are from this study, Adam and Green (2006); Dalou et al. (2012); Hill et al. (2000); Mollo et al. (2016) and Olin and Wolff (2010).

Parameters that may influence HREE enrichment (i.e.,  $\text{Lu}^*$ ) such as pressure, temperature, and composition were tested using a multiple linear regression (Excel Analysis “ToolPak”) to determine the main influencing variables. As  $\text{Lu}^*$  is well correlated with  $r_0^{\text{M1}}$  and Cpx chemistry (Figs. 9, A6), we further quantify the observed HREE enrichment as a function of the main influencing cation contents (Mg, Ca, Fe, Al). The impact of each major element and estimated temperature on  $\text{Lu}^*$  is best reproduced by the following equation:

$$\text{Lu}^* = a_{\text{Lu}} T + b_{\text{Lu}} \text{Fe}^{3+} + c_{\text{Lu}} \text{Al}^{\text{VI}} + d_{\text{Lu}} \text{Mg} + e_{\text{Lu}} \text{Ca} + g_{\text{Lu}} \quad (r^2 = 0.84), \quad (3)$$

where element contents are expressed in formula units (calculated with 6 oxygen atoms), temperature in °C, and the fit parameters are  $a_{\text{Lu}} = 0.098$ ,  $b_{\text{Lu}} = 175$ ,  $c_{\text{Lu}} = -222.07$ ,  $d_{\text{Lu}} = -97.81$ ,  $e_{\text{Lu}} = 57.59$ ,  $g_{\text{Lu}} = -41.73$  (Table S6). This parameterization is calibrated over a range of Cpx compositions (expressed in moles p.f.u.,  $\text{Fe}^{3+} = 0\text{-}0.3$ ,  $\text{Al}^{\text{VI}} = 0\text{-}0.3$ ,  $\text{Mg} = 0.2\text{-}0.9$ ,  $\text{Ca} = 0.5\text{-}1$ ), and temperatures (700-1400°C). Equations similar to equation (3) are obtained for the other HREE ( $\text{Er}^*$ ,  $\text{Tm}^*$ , and  $\text{Yb}^*$ ) with the parameters provided in Table S6.

The equation (3) and fit parameters presented in Table S6 highlight the significant role of  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  and Mg, and to a lesser extent those of temperature,  $\text{Al}^{\text{VI}}$ , and Ca, in influencing HREE partitioning in Cpx. As the  $\text{Lu}^*$ ,  $\text{Er}^*$ ,  $\text{Tm}^*$ , and  $\text{Yb}^*$  parameters are based mainly on the Cpx major element composition, they can be calculated to predict anomalous HREE enrichment for any Cpx crystal. The reliability of our parameterization was tested using  $(\text{Lu}/\text{Ho})_{\text{N}}$  ratios in Cpx from various alkaline provinces worldwide; alkaline syenites, Bakti et al. 2018; Marks et al. 2004; Möller and Williams-Jones 2016; Vuorinen et al. 2005; nephelinites, Baudouin et al. 2016; Weidendorfer et al. 2016; and phonolites, Baudouin and Parat 2015). This independent set of data show a very good correlation between the  $\text{Lu}^*$  parameter calculated with equation (3) based on major elements only, and the observed HREE enrichment expressed by the ratio  $(\text{Lu}/\text{Ho})_{\text{N}}$  of natural Cpx (Fig. 12 ( $r^2=0.8$ )).

### *Prediction of REE element partitioning*

By quantifying the  $\text{Lu}^*$ ,  $\text{Er}^*$ ,  $\text{Tm}^*$ , and  $\text{Yb}^*$  parameters, we can then determine anomalous  $D$  values for those elements from Cpx major element compositions,  $P$ ,  $T$  and  $\text{Mg}^{\# \text{melt}}$ . HREE\* and LSM parameters on M2 can be used to quantify  $D_{\text{REE}}$  without using LSM parameters of the M1 site, when data available from literature to apply a well constrain multiple regression are too rare.

Mollo et al. (2016) adapted the LSM equations proposed by Wood and Blundy (1997) for REE partitioning between Cpx and trachy-phonolite magmas. Their model quantifies  $\text{REE}^{3+}$  partitioning between melt and the M2 site of Cpx:  $D_0^*$  is obtained from pressure,  $T$ ,  $\text{Mg}^{\# \text{melt}}$ , and  $X_{\text{Mg}}^{\text{Cpx}}$ , when  $r_0^*$  and  $E^*$  are calculated from  $X_{\text{Ca}}^{\text{Cpx}}$  and  $X_{\text{Mg}}^{\text{Cpx}}$  (where  $X_{\text{Mg,Ca}}^{\text{Cpx}}$  represents the mole fraction of each element in Cpx; Fig. A11). We applied equations from Wood and Blundy (1997), Mollo et al. (2016) and Beard et al. 2019 to our Cpx-melt pairs (Fig. 13). Wood and Blundy (1997) and Mollo et al. (2016) successfully reproduce the measured LREE and MREE partition coefficients (from La to Ho), but significantly underestimate those of HREE (Er, Tm, Yb, Lu). Beard et al. (2019) model strongly overestimate all REE partition coefficients and only reproduce correctly  $D_{\text{Lu}}$  (Figs. 13, A11). Beard et al. (2019) model manages to predict  $D_{\text{REE}}$  within 1 order of magnitude of confidence for most of basaltic to phonolitic melt compositions (with pressure, temperature and Cpx major element composition as input parameters; Fig. A12). Nevertheless we believe that one order of magnitude of confidence is too large when considering partition coefficients and

related igneous petrology models. Beard et al. (2019) models display important discrepancy between measured and predicted partition coefficients at a smaller scale (Fig. A12). In order to improve those previous calibrations we present hereafter a new model to account for the identified discrepancies.

The partition coefficient of Lu can be modeled as a function of the Lu\* parameter,  $D_0^*$  and  $E^*$  (M2 site) as:

$$D_{Lu} = h_{Lu} Lu^* + j_{Lu} D_0^* + k_{Lu} E^* + l_{Lu}. \quad (4)$$

where  $h_{Lu} = 0.008$ ,  $j_{Lu} = 0.76$ ,  $k_{Lu} = -0.0018$ , and  $l_{Lu} = 0.62$ . Equations similar to equation (4) can be obtained for Er\*, Tm\*, and Yb\* by using the fit parameters presented in the Table S6.  $D_0^*$  and  $E^*$  are obtained using equations (5)-(6)-(7) presented below.

The partition coefficients estimated using equation (4) are relevant when Lu\* (or Er\*, Tm\*, Yb\*) > 40% (HREE incorporated in both sites). Fig. 13 highlights the improvement of this approach in determining  $D_{HREE}$  when Lu\* > 40%. When HREE enrichment is low (i.e. Lu\* < 40%), we recommend to calculate  $D_{HREE}$  from Mollo et al. (2016) approach, that was calibrated for phonolitic and trachy-phonolitic melts (spreadsheet for details).

In equation (4),  $D_0^*$  and  $E^*$  for trivalent cations (M2 site) are obtained by using equation (5) and (6) (Wood and Blundy 1997; Mollo et al. 2016):

$$D_0^* = \frac{Mg\#_{melt}}{XMg^{M1}} * \exp\left(\frac{88750 - 65.644 * T + 7050P - 770P^2}{RT}\right) \quad (5)$$

$$E^* = -82.35 + 636.56 * X_{Ca}^{cpX} - 253.29 * X_{Mg}^{cpX} \quad (GPa) \quad (6)$$

However, those equations require knowledge of the melt composition to obtain  $D_0^*$  and thus  $D_{REE}$ . In order to facilitate the use of our new model, we propose that for phonolite and trachyte compositions and for a range of temperature from 840 to 1020°C,  $D_0^*$  can be expressed as a function of  $Al_{Cpx}^{IV}$  only (for  $Al_{Cpx}^{IV} < 0.15$  p.f.u.), facilitating the use of the proposed parametrization (Fig. A13) as:

$$D_0^* = 10.434 \times Al_{Cpx}^{IV} + 0.0384. \quad (r^2 = 0.93) \quad (7)$$



$D_0^*$  calculated from  $Al_{Cpx}^{IV}$  is relevant for a smaller range of Cpx composition than equation (5), however Cpx with low  $Al^{IV}$  content ( $Al_{Cpx}^{IV} < 0.15$  p.f.u) is common in alkaline rocks (syenite, phonolite, alkali-rich nephelinite, Fig 3b). Furthermore, Cpx with low Al content and moderate aegirine content are often related to alkaline igneous complexes associated with carbonatites (Marks et al. 2004, Weidendorfer et al. 2016, Vuorinen et al. 2005). Finally the parametrization of REE partition coefficients between alkaline melt and Cpx that is proposed herein allows one to obtain  $D_{REE}$  from major element composition of Cpx only, T should also be estimate (spreadsheet available in supplementary table).

#### *Determination of HFSE partition coefficients*

The parameterization of HFSE partition coefficients can also be improved for the phonolite and trachy-phonolite alkaline magmas studied herein and in Mollo et al. (2016). We revisited the covariations between  $D_{Ta}$  and  $Al^{IV}$ ,  $D_{Hf}$  and  $D_{Zr}$ ,  $D_{Ti}$  and  $D_{Zr}$ , and  $D_{Ti}$  and  $Al^{IV}$  previously identified by Wood and Blundy (2007) in Fig. 10 by using the new partitioning data presented herein and data from Mollo et al. (2016)(spreadsheet available in supplementary table). The corresponding new equations valid for alkaline magmas are:

$$D_{Ta} = 2.1976 \times (Al^{IV})^{1.9828}, \quad (r^2 = 0.83) \quad (8)$$

$$D_{Ti} = 12.231 \times Al^{IV} + 0.1228. \quad (r^2 = 0.79) \quad (9)$$

$$D_{Zr} = (D_{Ti} + 0.1268) / 5.905 \quad (r^2 = 0.69) \quad (10)$$

$$D_{Hf} = 1.0823 \times D_{Zr} + 0.2015, \quad (r^2 = 0.95) \quad (11)$$

#### **Implications for REE evolution in alkaline magmatic systems**

Trace element contents of melts strongly increase during protracted fractional crystallisation from mafic to highly alkaline magmas (i.e. phonolite), leading to the formation of the critical metal deposits (e.g., Nb, REE) that are associated with carbonatites and silicate alkali-rich magmas (e.g., Mountain Pass, USA; Ilmaussaq, Greenland). The budget of REE and HFSE in evolved melts strongly depends on the crystallized phase assemblage, and on their related partition coefficients. Cpx is a common mineral in alkaline magmas, and thus has

a major impact on their liquid line of descent, and on the one of associated carbonatites. The new partition coefficients presented herein highlight that HREE-rich Cpx likely form with the potential to promote LREE/HREE fractionation during magmatic differentiation. LREE-rich residual evolved melts, and associated high HREE/MREE Cpx cumulates can thus be produced (Fig. 14). Differentiation of phonolite melts may thus lead to evolved melts with similar HREE contents than that of mined carbonatites and thus clearly represent potential economic interests (Fig. 14). Cpx is not the only phase to crystallise from alkaline evolved magmas, and additional minerals such as nepheline, mica, sodalite, feldspar must be considered to quantify properly REE evolution in alkaline systems (e.g., Braunger et al. 2018, Marks et al. 2004, Vuorinen et al. 2005,). Crystallization of accessory minerals such as wollastonite, apatite, titanite may also have a huge impact on REE distribution between melts and cumulates Fig. 14).

## Conclusions

Our study highlights the low LREE and MREE partition coefficients and relative HREE enrichment of Cpx crystallized from alkaline melts (phonolite). We have characterized REE partitioning between Cpx and melt by applying the lattice strain model. HREE enrichments are well correlated with the ideal ionic radius for trivalent cations  $r_0^{3+}$  in the M1 site, which is strongly dependent on Cpx chemistry:  $r_0^{3+}$  increases with increasing  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  content and decreases with increasing  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Al}^{\text{VI}}$  contents. This dependence of HREE partitioning on Cpx chemistry allowed us to quantify HREE enrichment as a function of the main influencing major element cation contents (Mg, Ca, Fe, Al) and temperature. In our study, we proposed equations to predict HREE partitioning between Cpx and alkaline melts without trace element measurements or knowledge of the exact melt composition. Finally, we improved the parameterization of HFSE partition coefficients for phonolite and trachy-phonolite alkaline magmas. A spreadsheet designed to apply the various models presented herein is provided as supplementary material.

Those results suggest that when considering alkaline series, the likely large LREE/HREE fractionation that may develop during Cpx or wollastonite crystallization could eventually produce cumulates enriched in HREE, and residual melts enriched in LREE that can then evolve to alkali-rich silicate melts and/or carbonatitic magmas. Both “HREE-rich” cumulates, and LREE-rich melts may thus ultimately form economically viable REE deposits.

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## Figure captions

**Fig. 1.** (a) Photomicrograph of clinopyroxenes hosted melt inclusions (reflected light) and (b) (c) (d) BSE images from Oldoinyo Lengai melt inclusions. For the image (d), a small “lighter” Cpx area is present which correspond to small chemical variation (dashed line). The melt inclusions are likely CO<sub>2</sub>-rich (deMoor et al. 2013) accounting for the large shrinkage bubbles that are present; those presently containing residual polishing material. Major and trace elements analyses of Cpx have been performed close to the melt inclusions. Numbers correspond to the analyses reported in Table S1 & S2. Scale bars correspond to 10 µm.

**Fig. 2.** (a) Wollastonite (Wo)-Enstatite (En)-Ferrossilite (Fs) ternary diagram illustrating the chemical variability of clinopyroxenes from various alkaline complexes. (b) Classification of pyroxenes determined by Ca-Mg-Fe (Q = Wo-En-Fs), aegirine (Aeg) and jadeite (Jd) components. (c) expanded Q-Aeg-Jd diagram (b) with Q > 80% (Morimoto 1988). Clinopyroxene data are from Oldoinyo Lengai, Tanzania (this study, data used to calculate D), Hanang volcano, Tanzania (Baudouin et al. 2016), Cape Verde (Weidendorfer et al. 2016), Gronnedal-Ika, Greenland (Marks et al. 2004), Ditrău, Romania (Bakti et al. 2018) and from partition coefficient studies (natural samples: Mollo et al. 2016, Olin and Wolff 2010 and experimental studies: Beard et al. 2019, Hill et al. 2000, 2011; Dalou et al. 2012, Adam and Green 2006).

**Fig. 3.** Cpx mineral chemistry. (a) Na vs Mg and (b) Fe<sup>3+</sup> vs Al<sup>IV</sup>; p.f.u. = per formula unit, calculated for six oxygens. Fe<sup>3+</sup> content of Cpx has been determined following the method of Droop (1987). Cpx data are from Oldoinyo Lengai (this study), Hanang volcano, Tanzania (Baudouin et al. 2016), Campi Flegrei, Italy, (Mollo et al., 2016), Ditrău, Romania (Bakti et al. 2018), Cape Verde (Weidendorfer et al., 2016), Tenerife (Olin and Wolff 2010), Gronnedal-Ika, Greenland (Marks et al. 2004) and experimental studies: Beard et al. 2019, Hill et al. 2000, 2011; Dalou et al. 2012, Adam and Green 2006).

**Fig. 4.** Trace element variation diagrams for clinopyroxenes. (a) REE concentrations normalized to chondrite and (b) extended trace element concentrations normalized to the primitive mantle for diopside (Oldoinyo Lengai, this study; Baudouin et al., 2016; Campi Flegrei, Mollo et al., 2016; Tenerife; Olin and Wolff 2010; Cape Verde; Weidendorfer et al.,

2016) and aegirine (Gronnedal-Ika, Marks et al., 2004). Normalization values are from McDonough and Sun (1995).

**Fig. 5.** Major element composition of Cpx-hosted melt inclusions studied herein (10TL01 ijolite sample, (a) alkali vs SiO<sub>2</sub>, (b) FeO vs SiO<sub>2</sub>, (c) K<sub>2</sub>O vs SiO<sub>2</sub>, and (d) CaO vs SiO<sub>2</sub>. Melt composition from Beard et al. (2019), Mollo et al. (2016), Olin and Wolff (2010), Hill et al. (2000), Dalou et al. (2012) and Adam & Green (2006) are also reported for comparison.

**Fig. 6.** Trace element partition coefficients ( $D^{\text{Cpx/melt}}$ ) obtained in this study (alkali-rich phonolite, Oldoinyo Lengai) and previous studies (experimental studies: Beard et al. 2019, Adam and Green, 2006; Dalou et al., 2012; Hill et al., 2000, 2011; and natural samples: Mollo et al., 2016; Olin and Wolff, 2010). Elements are ranked according to cation charge and increasing ionic radius.

**Fig. 7.** (a) Zr/Nd vs Lu/Ho ratios in Cpx normalized to the primitive mantle (n subscript). (b) Partition coefficient ratios between Zr and Nd vs Lu and Ho, highlighting the anomalous distribution of HREE and HFSE compared to MREE between Cpx and phonolite melts.

**Fig. 8.** Lattice Strain model best fit to Oldoinyo Lengai Cpx. Red circles represent measured  $D^{\text{Cpx/phonolite melt}}$  values (error bars show 1 $\sigma$  uncertainties), and red and blue lines represent fits for the M1 and M2 sites. Ionic radii are from Shannon (1976). The fit to data from Hill et al. (2000) is also reported for comparison (open diamonds, dashed and dotted black lines represent the M1 and M2 site best fits).

**Fig. 9.** Effect of Cpx chemistry on the ideal ionic radii for trivalent cations ( $r_0^{3+}$ ) in the M1 site: (a) Mg and (b) Fe<sup>3+</sup> contents per formula unit (p.f.u.). Symbols color code represents the measured parameter  $\text{Lu}^* (\%) = [D_{\text{Lu}}^{\text{M1}} / (D_{\text{Lu}}^{\text{M1}} + D_{\text{Lu}}^{\text{M2}})] \times 100$ . Data presented here are from this study (Oldoinyo Lengai, with black circles), Adam and Green (2006); Baudouin and Parat (2015); Dalou et al. (2012); Hill et al. (2000); Mollo et al. (2016) and Olin and Wolff (2010).

**Fig. 10.** Parameters controlling HFSE partition coefficients: (a)  $D_{\text{Ti}}$  vs Al<sup>IV</sup> (p.f.u.), (b)  $D_{\text{Ti}}$  vs  $D_{\text{Zr}}$ , (c)  $D_{\text{Ta}}$  vs Al<sup>IV</sup>, and (d)  $D_{\text{Hf}}$  vs  $D_{\text{Zr}}$ . Open squares present data compiled in Wood and Blundy (2007) for basaltic melts. Red circles present data from this study, compiled in Table

S3 and green triangles are data from Mollo et al. (2016, Table S3) and diamonds are data from Beard et al. 2019 (light blue diamonds: experimental data; dark blue diamonds: Canary Islands data). Curves represent the best fits for phonolite melts in red (modeled from equations presented in the equations 8 to 11) and for basaltic melts in black (modeled from Wood and Blundy, 2007).

Fig. 11. Lattice strain model curves for DREE in six-fold (M1 site, red curve) and eight-fold (M2 site, blue curve) coordination, and the sum of the two curves (black curve). Red circles represent measured  $D^{\text{Cpx/phonolitic melt}}$  values. DREE for each sites are calculated by using the equations described in the text section “Calculation of the strain energy ( $\Delta G$ )”.

**Fig. 12.** Lu/Ho ratio in Cpx normalized to the primitive mantle (n subscript) vs Lu\* calculated from the major element content of Cpx (equation 3). No melt data are available for the Cpx presented here. The color scale shows the  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  content in Cpx varying from 0 to 0.3 p.f.u. Cpx data are from Bakti et al. (2018), Baudouin and Parat (2015), Baudouin et al. (2016), Marks et al. (2004), Möller and Williams-Jones, (2016), Vuorinen et al. (2005), and Weidendorfer et al. (2016). Normalization values are from McDonough and Sun (1995).

**Fig. 13.** REE partition coefficients vs ionic radii. Measured partition coefficients (red circles) and those calculated in this study (OL= Oldoinyo Lengai sample, open circles) are in good agreement, especially for HREE (Er, Tm, Yb, Lu). Calculated partition coefficients from the lattice strain model using parameters derived from Beard et al. (2019, blue diamonds); Mollo et al. (2016, green triangles) and Wood and Blundy (1997, black diamonds) fail to reproduce the Cpx-alkaline melt HREE partition coefficients studied herein.

Fig. 14. REE evolution of phonolitic melt through fractional crystallization (%crystallization=85%). Evolved melt (full lines) and cumulates (dotted lines) are calculated by using partition coefficients calibrated for basalt (A. & G. 2006: Adam and Green 2006) and for phonolite (this study) to highlight the importance of using the accurate partition coefficient values if we are to quantify melt and cumulate REE contents. Presented models highlight that REE contents similar to natural carbonatites can be obtained (Bayan Obo carbonatites, Yang et al. 2000; Alnö carbonatites, Hornig-Kjarsgaard 1998). We also report crystallization model including 10% of wollastonite (partition coefficient from B. & F. 2019:

667 Baudouin and France 2019). Crystallization of accessory minerals such as wollastonite (as  
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847 Tables  
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Table 1. Partition coefficients ( $D$ )  
between Cpx and phonolite melt.

	$D$	$\sigma$
Rb	0.0001	0.00003
Ba	0.0002	0.0001
Li	0.80	0.2
Th	0.0003	0.0001
Ta	0.0016	0.001
Nb	0.0003	0.0001
La	0.013	0.005
Ce	0.018	0.0076
Pr	0.029	0.011
Sr	0.659	0.233
Nd	0.041	0.01
Hf	0.247	0.10
Zr	0.134	0.06
Sm	0.062	0.02
Eu	0.062	0.01
Gd	0.063	0.02
Ti	0.314	0.16
Tb	0.064	0.02
Dy	0.056	0.01
Ho	0.063	0.02
Er	0.074	0.03
Tm	0.122	0.05
Yb	0.219	0.09
Lu	0.412	0.14
Sc	1.092	0.39
V	0.627	0.33
Ge	0.824	0.49
Al	0.034	0.01
Na	0.165	0.02
Mn	1.152	0.52
K	0.002	0.001

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Table 2. Lattice strain parameters for trivalent and tetravalent cations (Cpx-phonolite, Oldoinyo Lengai).

	M1 site				M2 site			
	mean	$\sigma$	min	max	mean	$\sigma$	min	max
$D_0^{3+}$	1.240	0.441	0.62	1.92	0.07	0.015	0.05	0.09
$E^{3+}$	382	48	295	459	390	34	325	441
$r_0^{3+}$	0.740	0.006	0.73	0.75	1.05	0.017	1.01	1.07
$D_0^{4+}$	0.896	0.116	0.73	1.08				
$E^{4+}$	2071	213	1736	2397				
$r_0^{4+}$	0.658	0.002	0.655	0.662				

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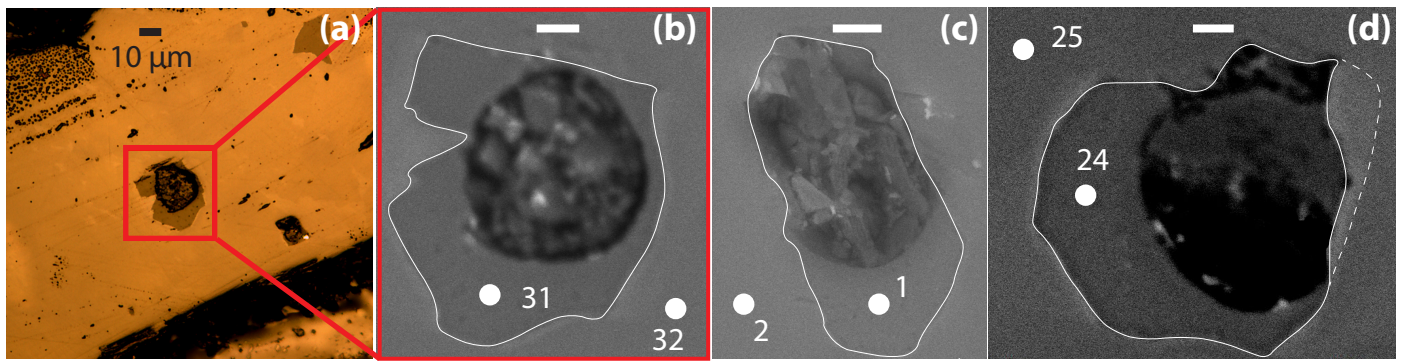


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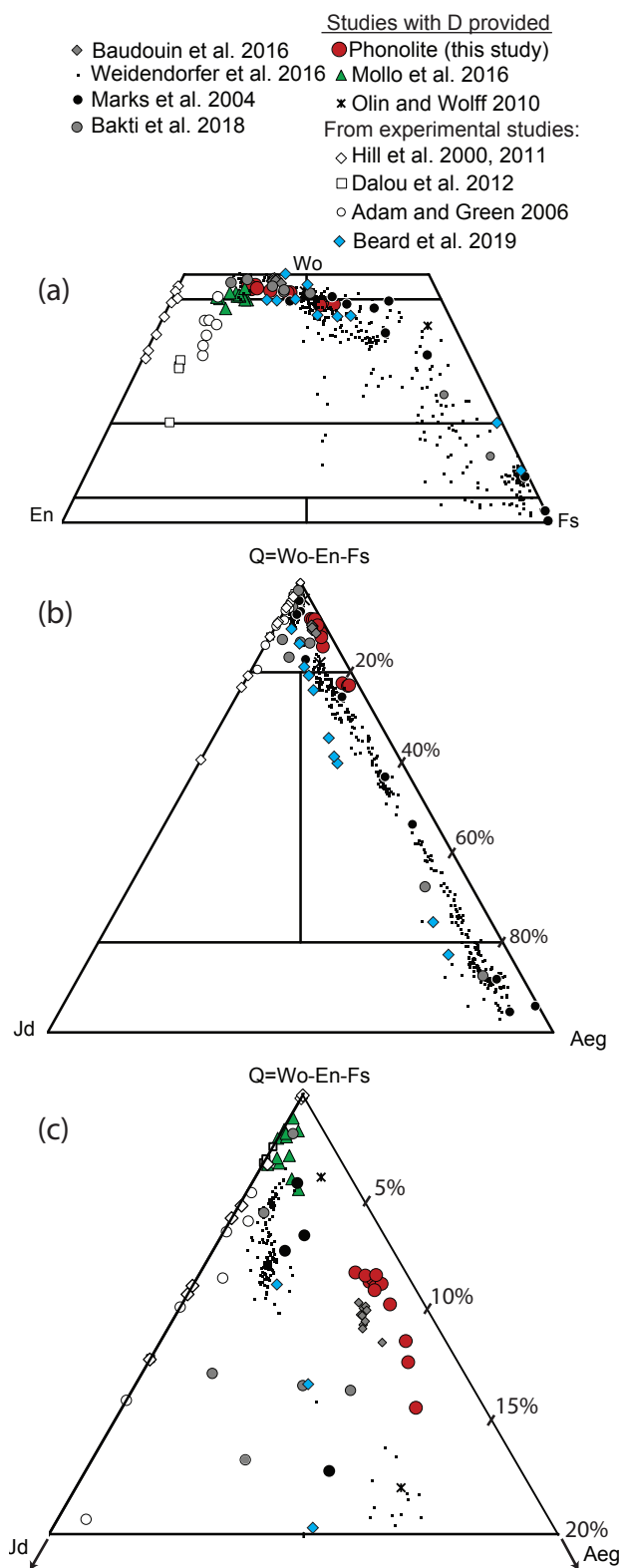




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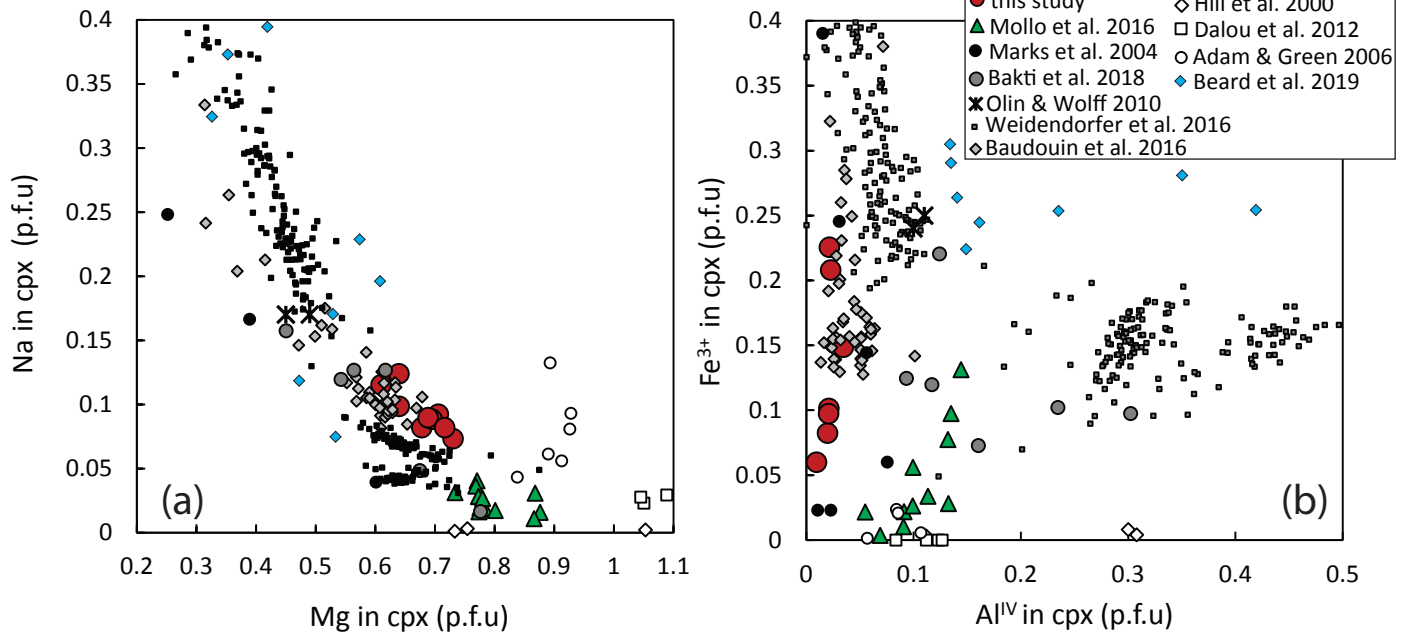


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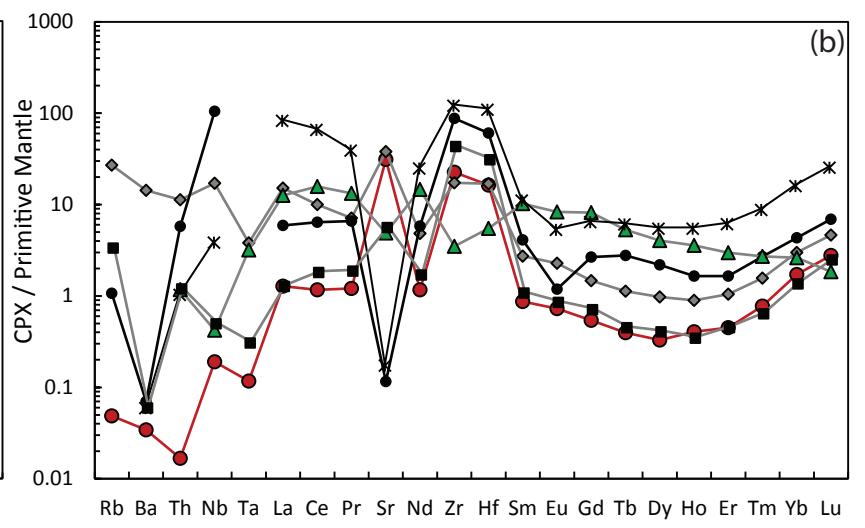
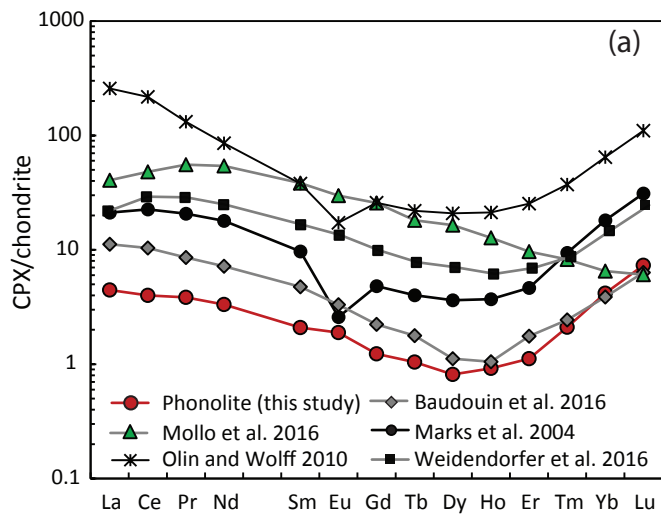


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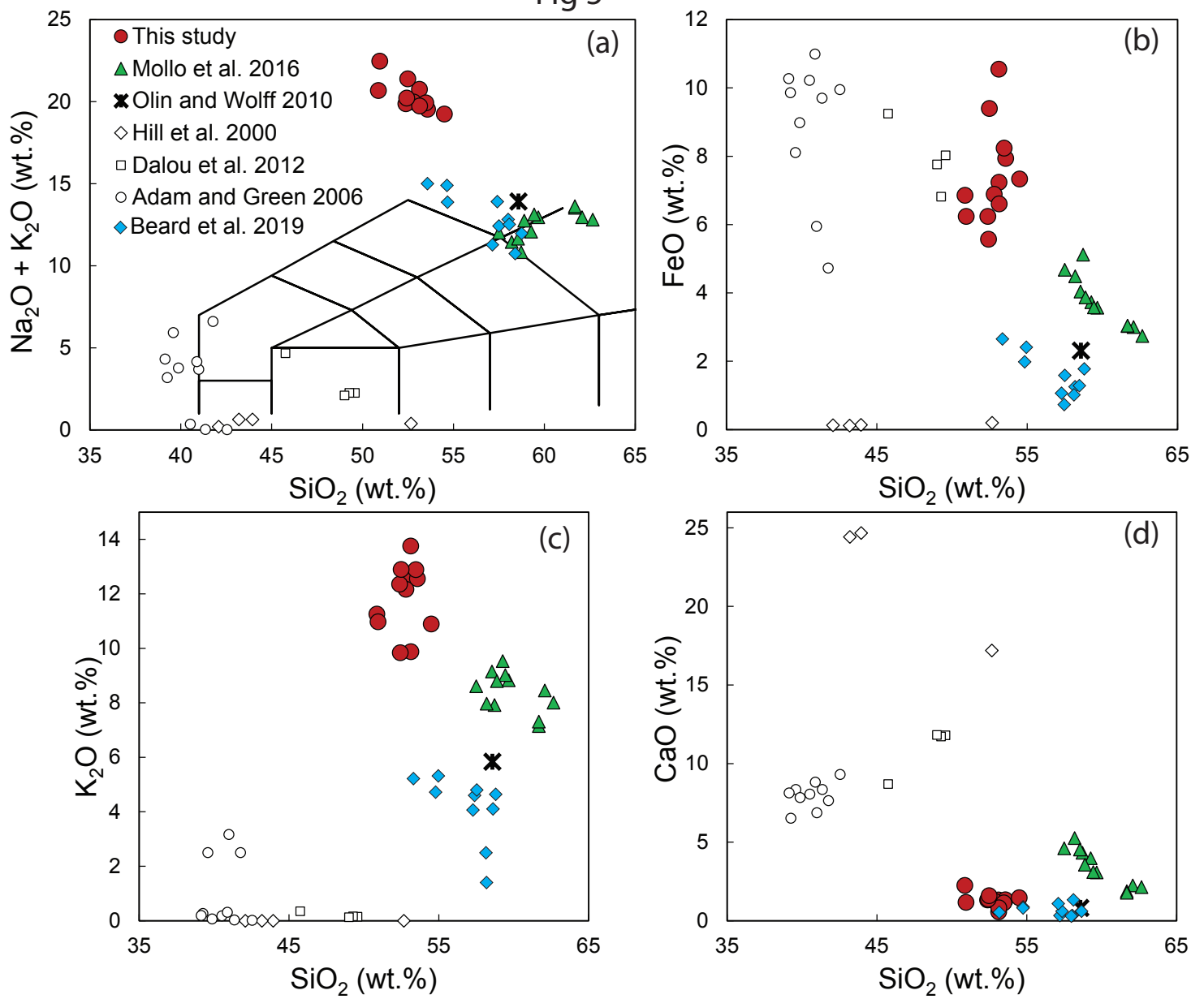


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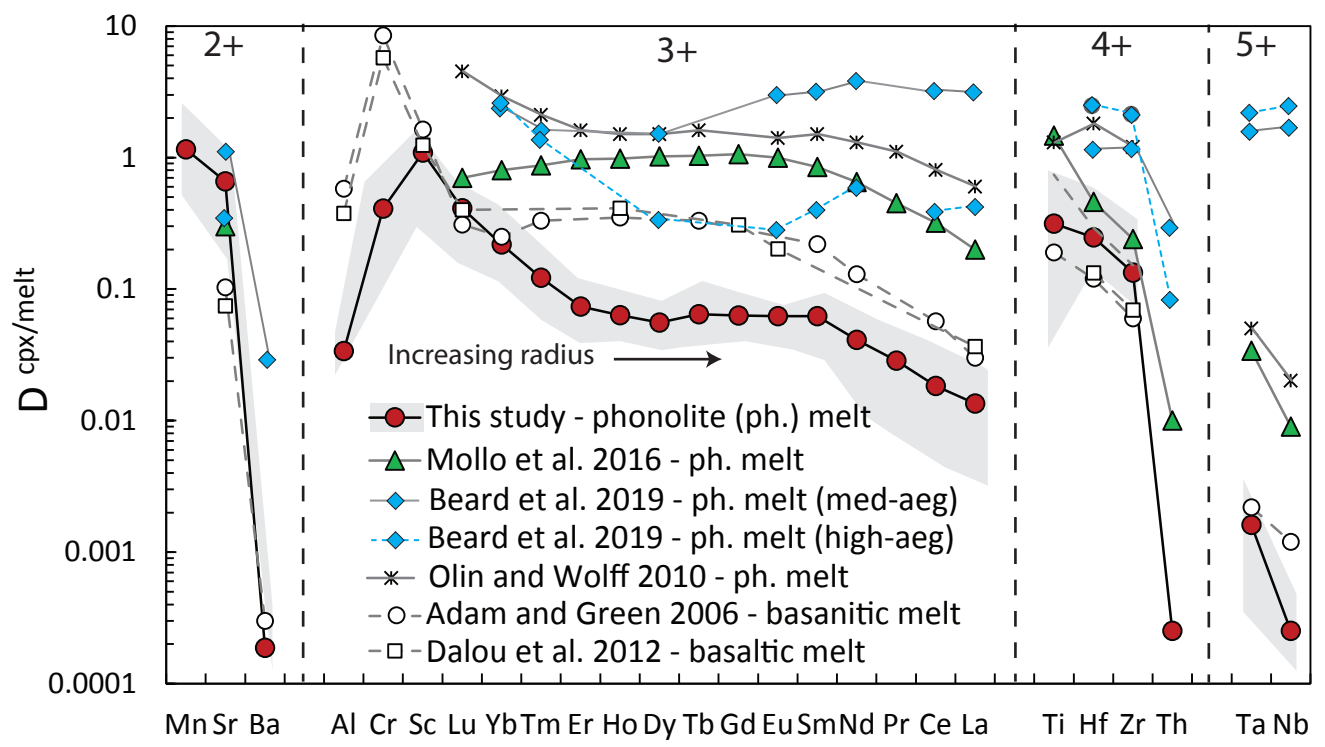


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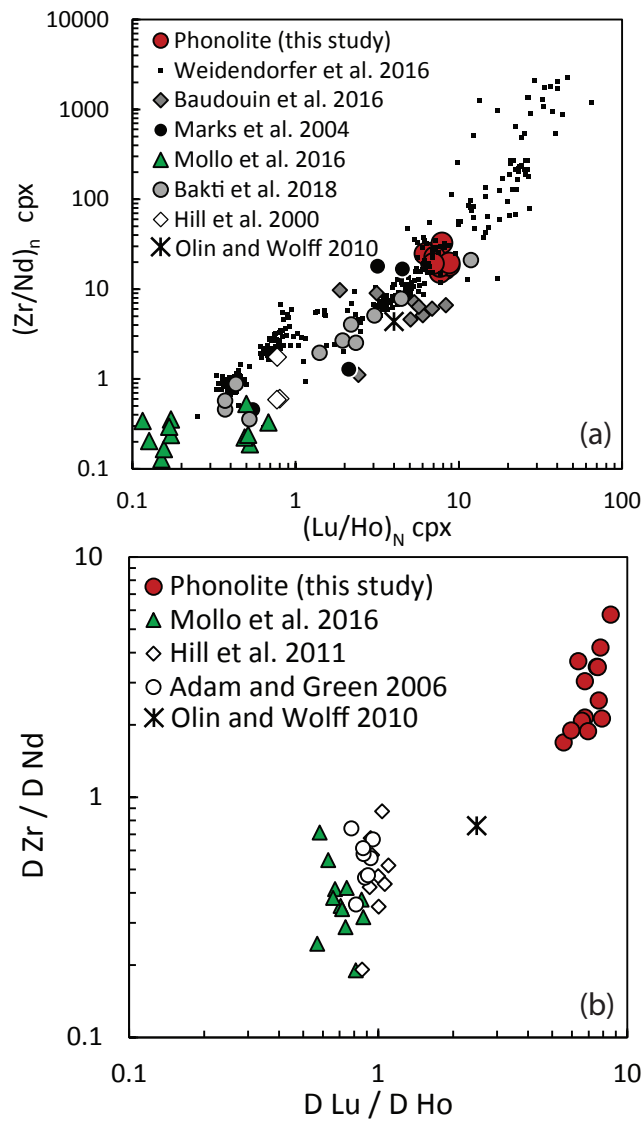


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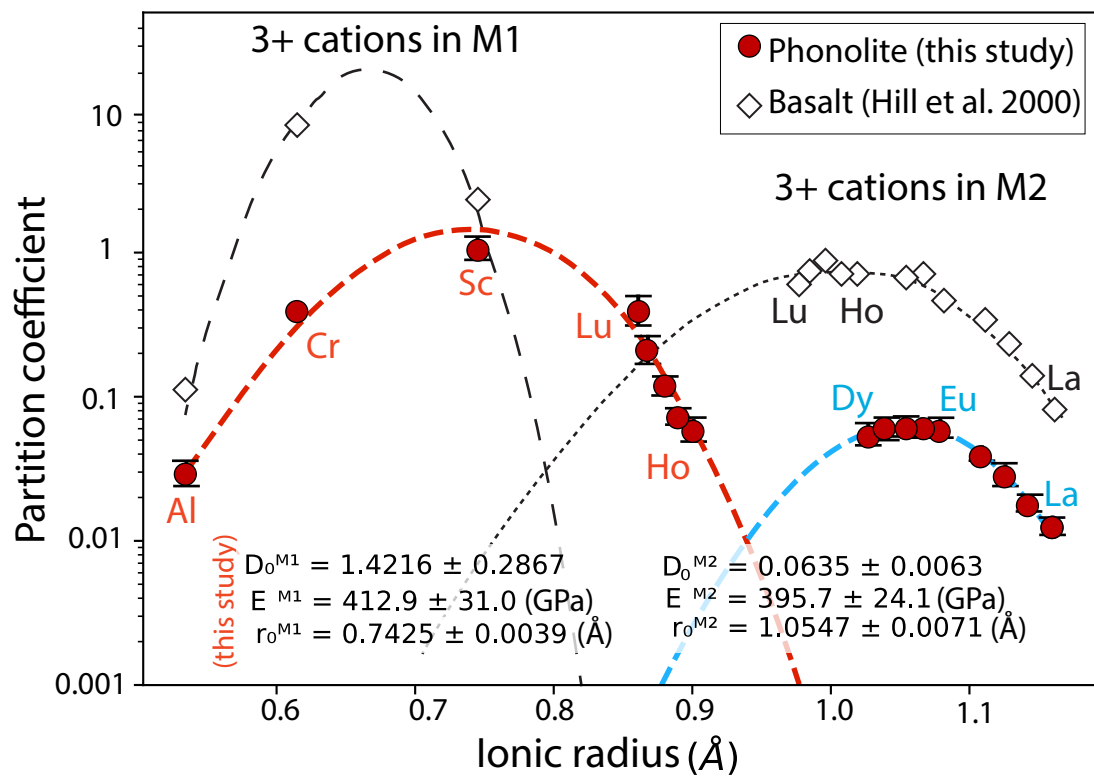


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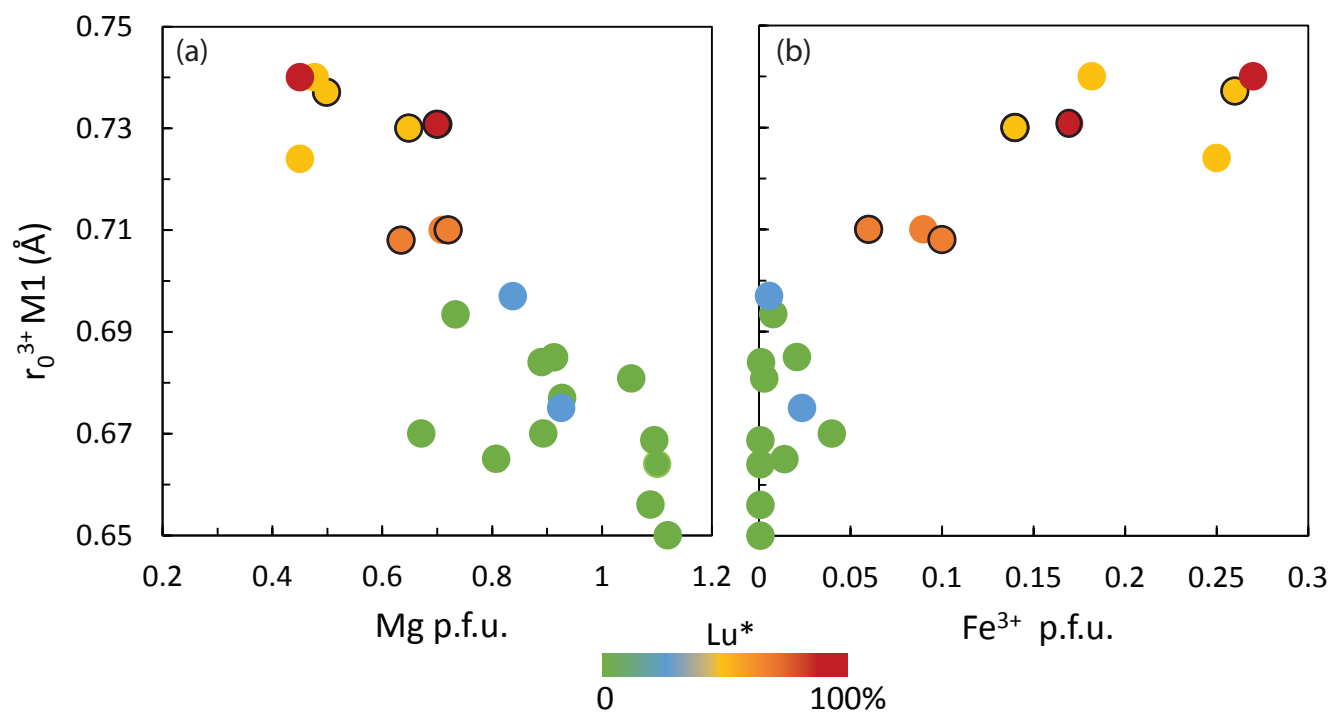


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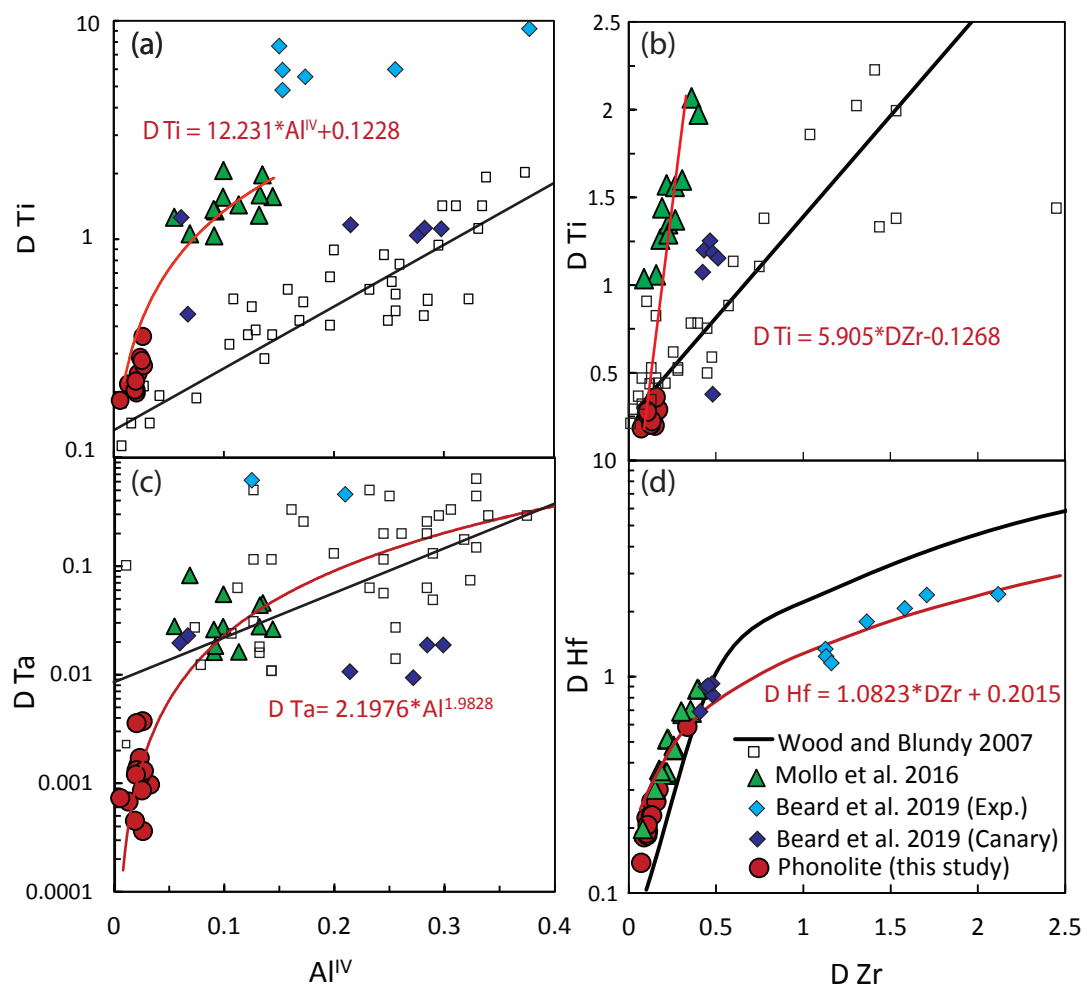




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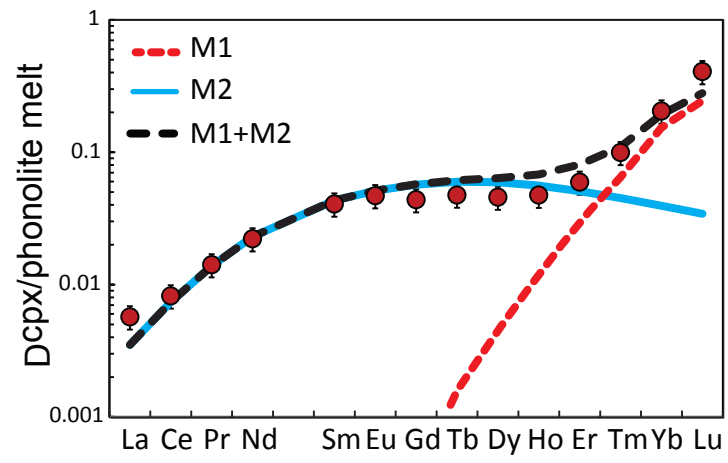


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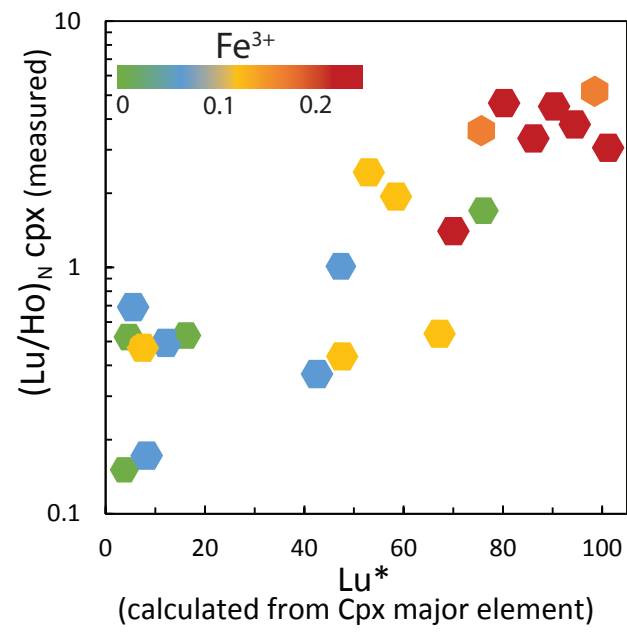


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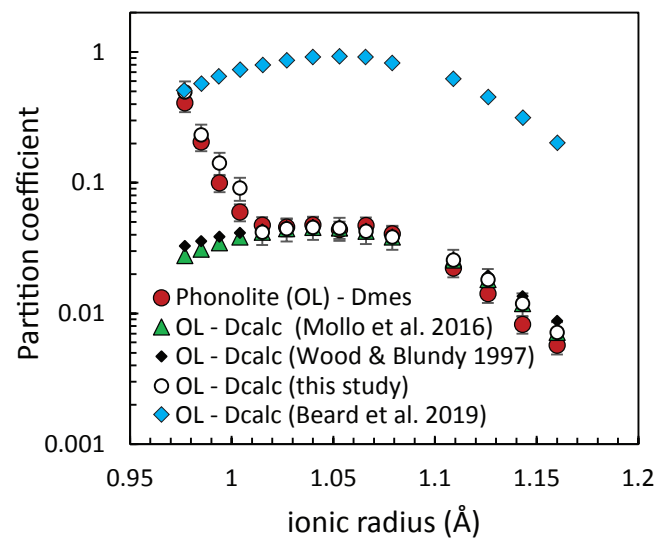


Figure 14

