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# Zusammenfassung

Diese Arbeit präsentiert Phasengleichgewichtsexperimente an Eisen-reichen peralkalinen phonolitischen Schmelzen mit unterschiedlichen Fluor- und Chlor-Gehalten. Die Ausgangszusammensetzung entspricht einem Ganggestein, das eine mögliche parentale Schmelze für die peralkalinen Plutonite der Ilímaussaq Intrusion (Südgrönland) darstellt. Diese Zusammensetzung ist ideal zur Durchführung von Phasengleichgewichtsexperimenten, weil sie im Gegensatz zu den plutonischen Ilímaussaq-Gesteinen nicht von Kumulat-bildenden Prozessen beeinflusst ist. Die Experimente wurden beim konstantem Druck (100 MPa) bei 1000 - 650 °C und variablen H<sub>2</sub>O (nominell trocken bis H<sub>2</sub>O-gesättigt) und variablen Sauerstoff fugazitäten durchgeführt ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -4 bis +1, FMQ entspricht dem Fayalit-Magnetit-Quarz Sauerstoffpuffer). Die Experimente wurden unter Verwendung von Goldkapseln und Gold-Graphit Doppelkapseln in extern beheizten Hydrothermalautoklaven und einer intern beheizten Gasdruckanlage (mit Argon als Druckmedium) durchgeführt. Um das große Temperaturintervall abzudecken wurden neue Ausgangsgläser entsprechend koexistierenden Schmelzen in Experimenten bei 800 °C für Experimente bei niedrigeren Temperaturen synthetisiert.

Die synthetisierten Mineralphasen koexistierend mit Restschmelze sind Titanomagnetit, Fayalit-reicher Olivin, Klinopyroxen, Aenigmatit ( $\text{Na}_2\text{Fe}_5\text{TiSi}_6\text{O}_{20}$ ), Alkalifeldspat und Nephelin ( $\pm$  gediegen Eisen). Bei über 1,5 Gew.% F in der koexistierenden Restschmelze wird Klinopyroxen von Fluorit ( $\text{CaF}_2$ ) und Hiortdahlit ( $\text{Ca}_6\text{Zr}_2\text{Si}_4\text{O}_{16}\text{F}_4$ ) ersetzt. Sodalit ( $\text{Na}_8\text{Al}_6\text{Si}_6\text{O}_{24}\text{Cl}_2$ ) und Eudialyt ( $\text{Na}_{15}\text{Ca}_6\text{Fe}_3\text{Zr}_3\text{Si}_{26}\text{O}_{73}(\text{OH})_3\text{Cl}_2$ ) benötigen, abhängig von der Temperatur, 0,2 - 0,5 Gew.% Cl in der Restschmelze. Außerdem sind Hiortdahlit und Eudialyt nur stabil, wenn die Restschmelzzusammensetzung mindestens 0,7 Gew.% ZrO<sub>2</sub> beinhaltet.

Die frühmagmatischen Phänokristalle des untersuchten Ganggesteins wurden bei 850 - 800 °C und nominell H<sub>2</sub>O-freien und reduzierten Bedingungen ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -2) experimentell reproduziert. Abgesehen von Amphibol konnten die spätmagmatischen Minerale der Grundmasse bei Temperaturen unter 750 °C, einer H<sub>2</sub>O-armen koexistierenden Restschmelze und reduzierten Bedingungen ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -1) reproduziert werden. Folglich können bei fraktionierter Kristallisation sowohl die Phänokristall-Paragenese als auch die Minerale der Grundmasse des Ganggesteins aus einer peralkalinen Schmelze kristallisieren. Das ist ein Hinweis darauf, dass der Ilímaussaq Komplex sich aus einem einzigen Schmelzschub gebildet haben kann.

Geothermometrie in solch hochentwickelten peralkalinen Gesteinen ist häufig durch das Fehlen von Fe-Ti Oxiden, Olivin und Ca-reichem Klinopyroxen erschwert. Verschiedene Thermometer wurden anhand der experimentellen Daten überprüft und erwiesen sich als zur Temperaturabschätzung ungeeignet. Basierend auf dem Verteilungsverhalten von Mn zwischen Klinopyroxen, Aenigmatit, Eudialyt und Schmelze sowie den Na/Ca Verhältnissen zwischen Klinopyroxen und Schmelze wurden neue Thermometer entwickelt. Vorläufige Ergebnisse von Experimenten mit Spurenelement-dotierten Ausgangsgläsern (Nb, La, Ce, Y und Sr) zeigen, dass Phasenstabilitäten und Restschmelzentwicklung ähnlich den Spurenelement-freien Experimenten sind. Diese Beobachtung unterstützt die Aussagekraft von Experimenten mit vereinfachten synthetischen Ausgangszusammensetzungen bezüglich natürlicher Prozesse.

# Abstract

The experimental investigation of phase equilibria is a powerful method to study the formation of magmatic rocks. This work presents phase equilibrium experiments investigating an iron-rich peralkaline phonolitic composition with variable fluorine and chlorine contents. The starting composition represents a dyke rock, which is a possible parental melt to the peralkaline Ilímaussaq plutonic complex (South Greenland). The dyke composition is perfectly suited for performing phase equilibrium experiments since, in contrast to the Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks, no major cumulate formation processes occurred. Experiments were performed isobarically (100 MPa) at 1000 - 650 °C with variable H<sub>2</sub>O concentrations (nominally dry to H<sub>2</sub>O-saturated) and oxygen fugacities ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -4 to +1, where FMQ represents the fayalite-magnetite-quartz oxygen buffer). Experimental conditions were applied using gold capsules and graphite-lined gold capsules in rapid-quench cold seal pressure vessels and in an internally heated argon pressure vessel. To cover this large  $T$  interval a two-step fractional crystallization strategy was applied where glasses, representing residual melt compositions at 800 °C, were synthesized as starting material for consecutive experiments at lower  $T$ .

The observed mineral phases coexisting with residual melt are titanomagnetite, fayalitic olivine, clinopyroxene, aenigmatite (Na<sub>2</sub>Fe<sub>5</sub>TiSi<sub>6</sub>O<sub>20</sub>), alkali feldspar and nepheline ( $\pm$  native iron). Above 1.5 wt% F in the coexisting melt, fluorite (CaF<sub>2</sub>) and hiortdahlite (Ca<sub>6</sub>Zr<sub>2</sub>Si<sub>4</sub>O<sub>16</sub>F<sub>4</sub>) are stable in favor of clinopyroxene. Sodalite (Na<sub>8</sub>Al<sub>6</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>O<sub>24</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>) and eudialyte (Na<sub>15</sub>Ca<sub>6</sub>Fe<sub>3</sub>Zr<sub>3</sub>Si<sub>26</sub>O<sub>73</sub>(OH)<sub>3</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>) form at Cl melt concentrations of 0.2 - 0.5 wt% (depending on  $T$ ) and ZrO<sub>2</sub> melt concentrations higher than 0.7 wt%, are additionally needed to stabilize hiortdahlite and eudialyte.

The phenocryst assemblage of the dyke rock was reproduced at 850 - 800 °C, nominally dry conditions and  $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -2. Except amphibole, all major mineral phases of the groundmass assemblage were reproduced at < 750 °C in H<sub>2</sub>O-poor experiments at  $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -1. Therefore, both the phenocryst assemblage and the groundmass assemblage of the dyke rock may crystallize from one peralkaline melt through fractional crystallization. This may indicate that the Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks evolved from one single magma batch.

Geothermometry in such highly evolved peralkaline rocks is often complicated by the absence of Fe-Ti oxides, olivine and clinopyroxene. Erroneous results were obtained when testing several thermometers with experimental data from the present study. Therefore, these experiments were used to calibrate four new geothermometers based on the distribution of Mn between clinopyroxene, aenigmatite, eudialyte and melt, and Na/Ca partitioning between clinopyroxene and melt. Preliminary experiments with REE-doped (Nb, La, Ce, Y and Sr) starting compositions show that phase stabilities and the liquid line of descent are similar to experiments using the same starting composition without trace elements, supporting the significance of the experimental results using simplified starting compositions with respect to nature.



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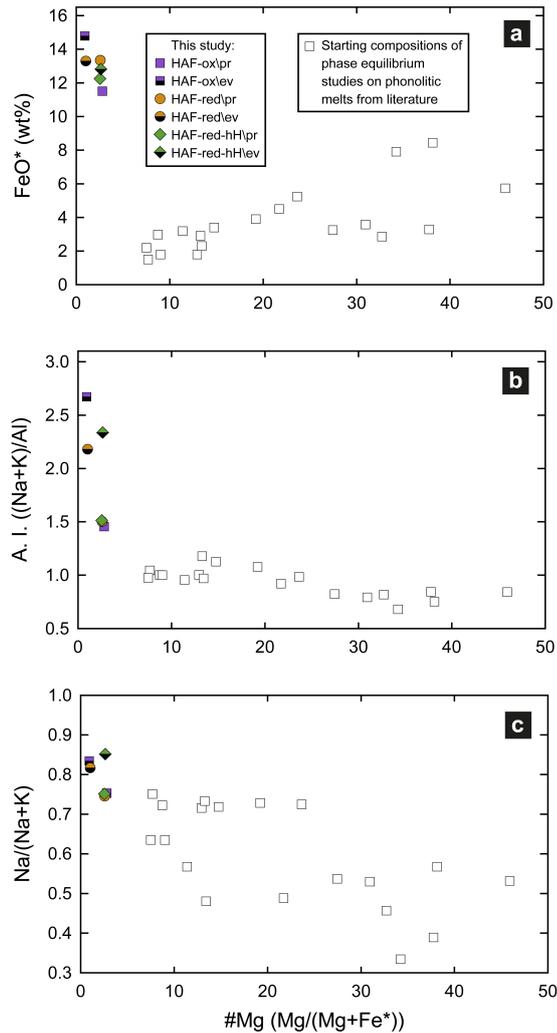
# 1. Introduction

The cooling history of magmatic rocks is recorded in their textures that distinguish eruptive volcanic rocks, typically with euhedral phenocrysts and a fine-grained groundmass, from medium- to coarse-grained slowly cooled plutonic rocks. In either case, the crystallizing phase assemblage, the crystallization sequence and the crystallization  $T$  interval are principally controlled by melt composition, dissolved volatiles (mainly  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{CO}_2$ , halogens and sulfur), changes in pressure ( $P$ ) and oxygen fugacity ( $f\text{O}_2$ ). Further processes influencing the formation of magmatic rocks are fractional crystallization processes, contamination by wall rocks, degassing during ascent, melt-melt immiscibility and fluid exsolution (e. g. Daly 1914; DePaolo 1981; Mohr 1987; Webster 1997; Villemant and Boudon 1999; Markl 2001).

## 1.1 Phase equilibrium experiments

Pioneering experimental studies by Tuttle and Bowen (1958) for the first time investigated the formation of magmatic rocks experimentally using so-called quench experiments. In this type of experiment, the sample is equilibrated at experimental conditions for a certain dwell time (typically  $10^{-1}$  to  $10^3$  h) with subsequent rapid cooling. This experimental strategy provides a snapshot of the applied experimental conditions to constrain liquidus and solidus  $T$ 's and the systematic investigation of mineral stabilities and liquid lines of descent by variation of physico-chemical parameters like  $P$ ,  $a\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and  $f\text{O}_2$ . The first studies of this kind determined the phase relations of granites and basalts with focus on the effect of dissolved  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (e. g. Tuttle and Bowen 1958; Yoder and Tilley 1962). A fundamental question in investigating mineral-melt equilibria between liquidus and solidus  $T$  is whether the experimental sample is cooled or heated towards target experimental  $T$ . In so-called melting experiments rock powder is heated from room  $T$  towards experimental  $T$ . In

contrast, crystallization experiments apply the inverse approach by crystallizing mineral phases from a melt. Crystallization experiments can be done by either cooling of a super-liquidus melt or heating a glass representing the melt composition (synthesized in advance by rapid quench of a super-liquidus melt) to the target experimental  $T$ . The main problem of the cooling strategy is compositional zonation of solid-solution minerals that form above target experimental  $T$  and adjust composition with decreasing  $T$ . This would modify the bulk system composition by precluding mineral phase cores from equilibration with the melt. This problem can be overcome by rapid heating of a glass (an undercooled melt) to the experimental  $T$ , as mineral phases then nucleate at the  $T$  of interest. To date, numerous experimental studies have been performed and a wide range of starting compositions is covered (Fig. 1). Recent studies systematically investigated the effects of dissolved volatiles (like  $H_2O$ ,  $CO_2$ , halogens and sulfur) and  $fO_2$ , although mainly focusing on primitive basaltic and andesitic compositions (e. g. Berndt 2002; Berndt et al. 2005; Feig et al. 2006; Almeev et al. 2007; Botcharnikov et al. 2008a; Botcharnikov et al. 2008b; Freise et al. 2009; Feig et al. 2010; Almeev et al. 2013) and evolved quartz-bearing compositions (e. g. Dall'agnol et al. 1999; Scaillet and Evans 1999; Scaillet and Macdonald 2001; Xiong et al. 2002; Klimm et al. 2003; Holtz et al. 2005; Lukkari and Holtz 2007; Di Carlo et al. 2010; Almeev et al. 2012). Similar studies were performed on evolved  $SiO_2$ -undersaturated compositions. However, those are by far underrepresented, with studies on iron-rich peralkaline compositions entirely lacking. In the following section, these studies are briefly summarized.



**Figure 1:** Phonolitic starting compositions used in phase equilibrium experiments from literature (see text) compared with starting compositions used in the present study (Appendix A and B), with #Mg (Mg/(Mg+Fe\*)) versus (a) FeO\*, (b) (Na+K)/Al and (c) Na/(Na+K)

## 1.2 Phase relations in phonolites

A number of experimental phase equilibrium studies investigated phase relations of phonolites (Berndt et al. 2001; Freise et al. 2003; Harms et al. 2004; Andújar et al. 2008; Fabbrizio and Carroll 2008; Scaillet et al. 2008; Andújar et al. 2010; Andújar and Scaillet 2012; Moussallam et al. 2013; Masotta et al. 2012; Masotta et al. 2013). The experimental conditions cover a large range of crustal  $P$ 's (0.1 - 400 MPa),  $T$ 's (700 - 1050 °C), as well as variable  $a_{\text{H}_2\text{O}}$  (nominally dry to H<sub>2</sub>O-saturated) and  $f_{\text{O}_2}$  ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -2 to +4). The starting compositions have #Mg's (the molar Mg/(Mg+Fe) ratio)

**Table 1:** Mineral phases with abbreviations and simplified formulae, mineral phases *in italics* were not synthesized

Mineral phase	Formula
Titanomagnetite	$\text{Fe}_2(\text{Fe}, \text{Ti})\text{O}_4$
Olivine	$\text{Fe}_2\text{SiO}_4$
Clinopyroxene	$(\text{Ca}, \text{Na})\text{FeSi}_2\text{O}_6$
Alkali feldspar	$(\text{Na}, \text{K})\text{AlSi}_3\text{O}_8$
Nepheline	$\text{Na}_3\text{KAl}_4\text{Si}_4\text{O}_{16}$
Aenigmatite	$\text{Na}_2\text{Fe}_5\text{TiSi}_6\text{O}_{20}$
<i>Biotite</i>	$\text{KAl}_3\text{Si}_3\text{O}_{10}(\text{OH})_2$
<i>Titanite</i>	$\text{CaTiSiO}_5$
F-bearing phases	
Fluorite	$\text{CaF}_2$
Hiortdahlite	$\text{Ca}_6\text{Zr}_2\text{Si}_4\text{O}_{16}\text{F}_4$
Apatite-(F)	$\text{Ca}_5(\text{PO}_4)_3(\text{OH}, \text{F})$
<i>Villiaumite</i>	$\text{NaF}$
<i>Arfvedsonite</i>	$\text{Na}_3\text{Fe}_5\text{Si}_8\text{O}_{22}(\text{OH}, \text{F})_2$
Cl-bearing phases	
Sodalite	$\text{Na}_8\text{Al}_6\text{Si}_6\text{O}_{24}\text{Cl}_2$
Eudialyte	$\text{Na}_{15}\text{Ca}_6\text{Fe}_3\text{Zr}_3\text{Si}_{26}\text{O}_{73}(\text{OH})_3(\text{Cl}, \text{OH})_2$

between 38 and 8 (Fig. 1a),  $\text{FeO}^*$  contents from 1.5 to 8.4 wt% (Fig. 1a), A. I.'s (the molar  $(\text{Na}+\text{K})/\text{Al}$  ratio) between 0.75 and 1.16 (Fig. 1b), and  $\text{Na}/(\text{Na}+\text{K})$  ratios from 0.33 to 0.75 (Fig. 1c). These studies show that phonolitic melt compositions crystallize alkali feldspar, clinopyroxene, mica and titanomagnetite; alkali feldspar is usually the most abundant mineral phase (for mineral formulae see Tab. 1). Some metaluminous starting compositions (A. I. = 0.75 - 1.0) stabilize plagioclase; those with nepheline typically have an A. I. close to one. Other mineral phases that occur occasionally are amphibole, titanite, apatite, hauyne, leucite, scapolite, garnet, sodalite and ilmenite. In two studies clinopyroxene is unstable, but mica + alkali feldspar + titanomagnetite ( $\pm$  amphibole, hauyne, titanite, Berndt et al. 2001) or alkali feldspar + amphibole + titanomagnetite are present (Harms et al. 2004). These experiments have the lowest initial  $\text{FeO}^*$  and CaO content and the highest initial  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  contents. Clinopyroxene in such rocks is typically dominated by diopside, hedenbergite and aegirine components, therefore low CaO contents may favor  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ -rich mineral phases over clinopyroxene. Olivine was only reported from the study of Moussallam et al. (2013), likely due

to the combination of a relatively high FeO\* content and relatively low  $fO_2$  ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ} +0$ ). Berndt et al. (2001) used even higher initial FeO\* and MgO content, but these experiments were conducted at conditions that were presumably too oxidized ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ} +1$  to  $+3$ ). However, as already mentioned, these studies mainly disregard halogens, despite the effect of halogens on phase equilibria was recognized both from natural observations and experiments (e. g. Manning 1981; Scaillet and Macdonald 2001; Filiberto and Treiman 2009; Filiberto et al. 2012) and current research addresses their potential use as tracers for primary magmatic and secondary alteration processes (Marks et al. 2012; Ballentine et al. 2013; Joachim et al. 2013; Teiber et al. 2014).

## 1.3 Halogens in magmatic rocks

Fluorine and chlorine concentrations in minerals and F/Cl partitioning between minerals, melts and fluids are promising tools to trace magmatic and post-magmatic processes (e. g. Marks et al. 2012; Zhang et al. 2012). Silicate melts may contain up to several weight percent of F and Cl, whereas Br and I have significantly lower concentration in the *ng/g* to *μg/g* abundance range (Carroll and Webster 1994; Webster and Duffield 1994; Aiuppa et al. 2009). The timing and the extent of fluid exsolution in magmatic rocks may, for example, strongly influence  $fO_2$  (Markl et al. 2010) and therefore liquid lines of descent, particularly in Fe-rich systems.

Common halogen-bearing minerals in most magmatic rocks are apatite, mica and amphibole, while titanite, fluorite and topaz are subordinate (e. g. Price et al. 1996; Marshall et al. 1998; Frindt et al. 2004; Gioncada et al. 2014). Apatite is a promising tracer reflecting melt compositions of both halogens and trace elements. It is well established that apatite in most magmatic rocks is F-rich and Cl-poor (e. g. Seifert et al. 2000; Rønsbo 2008). Few studies were concerned with Br in apatite (Ionov et al. 1997; O'Reilly and Griffin 2000), but recent analytical advances routinely enable such analyses (Marks et al. 2012). These studies show that Br concentrations vary by orders of magnitude and could therefore be useful tracing magmatic and secondary processes. However, the observed trends are not yet entirely understood (e. g. Marks et al. 2012; Teiber et al. 2014; Wang et al. 2014).

Peralkaline magmatic rocks may contain further halogen-bearing minerals such as sodalite, villiaumite, eudialyte and hiortdahlite (see Tab. 1 for mineral formulae). Peralkaline rocks are subdivided into miaskitic, with titanite and zircon, and agpaitic varieties. The latter are defined by the occurrence of complex Na-Ca-Fe-HFSE silicates (see above, Sørensen 1997; Marks et al. 2011). Increasing concentrations of alkalis, H<sub>2</sub>O and halogens were identified as crucial factors to transit magma evolution from

miaskitic to agpaitic (Scaillet and Macdonald 2003; Andersen et al. 2010; Marks et al. 2011).

Although conducted in  $\text{SiO}_2$ -saturated systems, three phase equilibrium studies are mentioned here due to their implications for halogen behavior. However, applicability of the results to phonolites is probably limited (e. g. Appendix B). For example, fluorite saturation was discussed both by an empirical model based on increasing melt alkalinity (Scaillet and Macdonald 2004) and a thermodynamic model predicting fluorite saturation from  $T$  and the activity product of Ca and F (Dolejš and Baker 2006). Scaillet and Macdonald (2001) investigated peralkaline rhyolites from the Kenya rift valley using starting compositions with 0.2 - 0.5 wt% Cl and 0.4 - 1.0 wt% F. Halogen-bearing mineral phases in their study were fluorite and amphibole. However, rare phase equilibrium studies with phonolitic starting compositions include either F or Cl, but no mixtures were used (Scaillet et al. 2008; Andújar et al. 2008; Andújar et al. 2010).

## 1.4 Geological background

Peralkaline rocks are interpreted as derivatives from highly fractionated nephelinitic or alkali basaltic magmas (Larsen and Sørensen 1987; Sørensen 1997; Markl et al. 2001; Markl et al. 2010), or mantle-derived partial melts (Macdonald et al. 1987). The evolution of mantle-derived magmas is polybaric with differentiation starting at the crust-mantle boundary (Cox 1980; Lightfoot et al. 1990). Besides contamination through crustal rocks, equilibrium crystallization and fractional crystallization processes operate during ascent and emplacement in shallow crustal levels (Berger et al. 2009; Sha 2012). Furthermore, peralkaline rocks are known to crystallize over a large  $T$  interval (Sood and Edgar 1970, Appendix B).

The Gardar magmatic province in South Greenland represents a failed rift setting that formed during the Proterozoic (1.35 - 1.14 Ga, Upton et al. 2003). It comprises about twelve large mostly composite intrusive complexes and a large number of dyke rocks (Emeleus and Upton 1976; Upton and Emeléus 1987; Upton et al. 1990; Halama et

al. 2002). While the dyke rocks span a wide compositional range from primitive basaltic to phonolitic, rhyolitic and carbonatitic, intrusive complexes are mostly (nepheline) syenites. Mostly these complexes formed layered cumulates, therefore direct information on melt compositions is unavailable (Upton et al. 1996).

The Ilímaussaq complex is one of the Gardar intrusive complexes and has long been known as an extreme example of a peralkaline intrusion (details on Ilímaussaq can be found in Bailey et al. 2001; Markl et al. 2001; Sørensen 2001; Marks et al. 2004). The depth of emplacement of the plutonic rocks was estimated to 3 - 5 km by fluid-inclusion studies and the sedimentary overburden (Poulsen 1964; Konnerup-Madsen and Rose-Hansen 1984). As typical for intrusive rocks of the Gardar province, the experimental investigation of the Ilímaussaq rocks is complicated as information on suitable melt compositions are lacking due to cumulate formation processes (Sørensen 2001). However, insight into the intrusions' parental magma is thought to be provided by the bulk composition of a neighboring dyke rock (Allaart 1969; Larsen and Steenfelt 1974; Marks and Markl 2003). This highly evolved phonolitic dyke was first described by Larsen and Steenfelt (1974) and is located close to Ilímaussaq. It was termed mikrokakortokite due to its petrographic similarities to the layered nepheline syenites (kakortokites) of Ilímaussaq (Allaart 1969). However, field observations provide no clear evidence if the dyke crosscuts the intrusion or vice versa. In direct vicinity to the intrusion, whole-rock analyses of the dyke reveal loss of sodium compared to samples taken at distance of the plutonic Ilímaussaq rocks (Larsen and Steenfelt 1974), implying that the intrusion post-dates dyke formation or is contemporaneous. The dyke is several kilometers long and 10 - 30 m wide, marginally chilled with no or little phenocrysts in the fine-grained matrix. For the calculation of the starting compositions the average of three bulk analyses representing samples from the dykes' chilled margin were used (Larsen and Steenfelt 1974).

The petrology of this phonolite was studied in detail by Marks and Markl (2003). The phenocryst assemblage (1) includes titanomagnetite, fayalitic olivine, hedenbergite-

rich clinopyroxene, alkali feldspar and nepheline ( $\pm$  apatite, zircon and titanite); the groundmass assemblage (2) consists of albite and microcline as separate grains, nepheline, sodalite, aegirine-rich clinopyroxene, aenigmatite and arfvedsonite ( $\pm$  Cl-bearing eudialyte and F-bearing fluorite and hiortdahlite); and the (3) late-stage assemblage is represented by analcime and natrolite (for textures of the dyke rock see Figs. 2 and 3 in Marks and Markl 2003). These textures clearly demonstrate disequilibrium between the phenocryst assemblage and the groundmass assemblage, with titanomagnetite and olivine typically rimmed by aegirine-rich clinopyroxene and/or aenigmatite.

In addition, similarities with the neighboring Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks were recognized (Markl et al. 2001; Marks and Markl 2003). The intrusion consists of an early augite syenite phase and an agpaitic main phase, the former mirrored by the dyke's phenocryst assemblage and the latter by the dyke's groundmass assemblage, the late-stage replacement of nepheline, albite and sodalite by analcime and natrolite is also observed both in the Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks and in the investigated dyke rock. Not only the observed mineral phase assemblage is nearly identical but the composition of mineral phases are remarkably similar (Marks and Markl 2003). These similarities offer convincing evidence that the dyke represents a potential parental melt of the Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks.

Furthermore, Marks and Markl (2003) calculated intensive parameters of crystallization ( $T, fO_2$ ). Geothermometry using nepheline compositions indicates liquidus  $T$ 's of at least 900 °C and thermodynamic calculations imply extremely reducing oxygen fugacities of  $\Delta \log FMQ$  -3 to -1.5 during formation of the phenocryst assemblage. The presence of  $CH_4$ -rich fluid inclusions in the Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks is therefore in agreement with low  $fO_2$ 's calculated from mineral equilibria (Konnerup-Madsen 2001; Marks and Markl 2001; Markl et al. 2001; Krumrei et al. 2007).

In all, this dyke rock is ideal to investigate the phase relations of an iron-rich peralkaline phonolite experimentally, and might also have some bearing on the plutonic rocks of the Ilímaussaq intrusion. Compared to previous experimental studies on phonolites, the present study extends the range of experimentally investigated phonolitic melts towards extremely evolved ( $\#Mg \sim 3$ ), exceptionally iron-rich (12 wt%) and strongly peralkaline (A. I.  $\sim 1.5$ ) compositions (Fig. 1) with particular emphasis on the effect of halogens.

## 1.5 Experimental strategy

As the depth of emplacement is well-constrained for the investigated dyke rock and the Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks, all experiments were conducted isobarically at 100 MPa. Based on the bulk dyke rock composition, three starting compositions with variable Cl and F concentration and ferrous-ferric ratios were synthesized (Tab. 3 in Appendix B). The starting material was mixed from oxide and carbonate powders, homogenized, fused at 1300 - 1600 °C and subsequently quenched to a glass (see methods in Appendix A and B). High  $T$  glass synthesis is known to involve loss of volatile elements to the vapor phase and is an issue for Cl and F (Lukkari and Holtz 2007, Appendix A and B). Loss of Cl and F to the vapor phase during high  $T$  glass synthesis was systematically investigated at different  $T$ 's (1200 - 1600 °C), dwell times (2 - 8 h) and for different initial concentrations (Giehl et al. 2013). Glass synthesis at 1300 °C and 2 h dwell time were found to decrease Cl concentration by approximately 50%. Therefore, initial Cl and F concentrations were doubled to obtain target glass compositions (Appendix B). Au capsules and graphite-lined Au capsules were filled with glass powder (and water in some experiments), welded shut and checked for possible leakage. Therefore, nominally dry, fluid-bearing and fluid-saturated conditions, with either H<sub>2</sub>O-dominated or mixed H<sub>2</sub>O-CO<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>4</sub> fluids, prevail at experimental conditions. Also, using both Au and graphite-lined Au capsules applies variable oxygen fugacities (Appendix A). Both the coexisting CH<sub>4</sub>-bearing fluid and low oxygen fugacities ( $\Delta \log FMQ$  -2 to -1)

closely resemble the conditions prevailing during formation of the dykes' phenocryst assemblage (Marks and Markl 2003).

Near-solidus experiments at high degrees of crystallization, which formed separated residual melt pools posed a particular experimental challenge (e. g. Appendix A). Equilibration of such experiments usually failed and increasing run duration (up to 840 h) did not solve this problem (Appendix B). An experimental strategy to follow up the liquid line of descent of the dyke rocks' primitive melt is to resynthesize residual melt compositions from nominally dry phase equilibrium experiments at 800 °C and low  $fO_2$ . These experiments coexist with the phenocryst assemblage of the dyke rock, but did not encounter the abovementioned equilibration problems and are therefore suited to investigate mineral stabilities of groundmass minerals towards lower  $T$ 's. For convenience, starting glasses representing the bulk dyke rock are termed "primitive" and starting glasses representing residual melt compositions of primitive experiments are termed "evolved".



## 2. Results and discussion

### 2.1 Phase relations and liquid lines of descent

Adding water to primitive experiments invariably lead to the crystallization of significant amounts of titanomagnetite + clinopyroxene, resulting in high  $\text{SiO}_2$ -low  $\text{FeO}^*$  liquid lines of descent (Appendix A). However,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -poor experiments ( $\sim 1.2$  wt%  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , confirmed by FTIR spectroscopy) stabilize the complete phenocryst assemblage of the investigated dyke rock (titanomagnetite, fayalitic olivine, clinopyroxene, alkali feldspar and nepheline) and follow high  $\text{FeO}^*$ -low  $\text{SiO}_2$  liquid lines of descent.

All three  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -poor experimental series show decreasing  $\text{SiO}_2$ ,  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{CaO}$  and increasing  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{MnO}$  and  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  melt concentrations with falling  $T$ , resulting in increasing A. I.,  $\text{Na}/(\text{Na}+\text{K})$ ,  $\text{Na}/(\text{Na}+\text{Ca})$  and  $\text{Na}/\text{Fe}$  ratios. Extensive crystallization of alkali feldspar ( $\pm$  nepheline) was found to be responsible for strongly increasing peralkalinity (up to A. I.  $\sim 5.5$ , Appendix A). In contrast, variable liquid lines of descent are observed for  $\text{TiO}_2$ ,  $\text{ZrO}_2$ ,  $\text{Ti}/(\text{Ti}+\text{Zr})$ ,  $\text{FeO}^*$ ,  $\text{MgO}$ , #Mg, Cl, F and  $\text{Cl}/(\text{Cl}+\text{F})$  (discussed in detail in Appendix B).

### 2.2 Stability of Cl- and F-bearing mineral phases

To evaluate the stability of halogen-bearing mineral phases it is necessary to distinguish between the solubility of halogens and the saturation of halogen-bearing minerals in melts. In granitic and rhyolitic melts the solubility of F reaches 8 wt% (e. g. Webster 1990; Webster and Holloway 1990). In phonolitic melts the Cl solubility is roughly 0.6 - 0.8 wt% and increases with increasing peralkalinity and FeO content, decreasing  $\text{SiO}_2$  content and decreasing  $P$  (e. g. Metrich and Rutherford 1992; Signorelli and Carroll 2000; Signorelli and Carroll 2002). In the experiments, both Cl and F melt concentrations are significantly lower compared to their estimated solubilities. Perfectly

compatible behavior in favor of the melt and consistent mass-balance calculations indicate that Cl and F do not significantly partition into a fluid phase, therefore saturation of Cl- and F-bearing mineral phases can be interpreted regarding Cl and F melt content (Appendix B).

In the present study it is demonstrated that high F melt content stabilizes fluorite and hiortdahlite inducing both destabilization of clinopyroxene by decreasing CaO melt content and delayed Eud saturation by a prolonged increase of ZrO<sub>2</sub> melt content (Appendix B and C). This facilitates a compositional gap for clinopyroxene and a higher abundance of aenigmatite where clinopyroxene is unstable (Appendix C). These experiments show a trend where both Na/(Na+Ca) in clinopyroxene, towards endmember aegirine, and Na/(Na+Ca) of the melt increase with decreasing *T*. Due to the increase of Na/(Na+Ca) in the melt with decreasing *T*, Na-rich clinopyroxene reoccurs at 650 °C (run 172, Appendix B) confirming that a compositional gap in clinopyroxene may be induced by high F melt content. At low F melt content, clinopyroxene is stable over the entire investigated *T* interval, still its composition jumps from Ca-rich (Na/(Na+Ca) = 0.42) to Na-rich (Na/(Na+Ca) = 0.68) within 750 - 700 °C (Appendix A and B). Although, the compositional jump exists at low F melt content, however, with increasing F melt content clinopyroxene is unstable between 825 and 650 °C.

## 2.3 Towards new thermometers for peralkaline rocks

Existing geothermometers based on olivine-clinopyroxene-Fe-Ti oxide equilibria (QUILF type, Andersen et al. 1993) and clinopyroxene-melt partitioning (Putirka 2008) were tested using experimental data of the present study. These calculations show that increasing Na-content in clinopyroxene induces increasing misfit with experimental *T*'s (Appendix C). Furthermore, agpaitic rocks often lack olivine and Fe-Ti oxides, complicating the calculation of crystallization *T*'s (Marks et al. 2011). Therefore, we

developed new thermometers based on mineral/mineral and mineral/melt partitioning utilizing Mn concentrations and Na/Ca ratios of clinopyroxene, eudialyte, aenigmatite and melt (see Tab. 1 for mineral formulae). Due to the common occurrence of these minerals the thermometers are expected to be applicable to many peralkaline agpaitic rocks.

## 2.4 Comparison with nature

All evolved experiments presented so far were conducted isobarically (100 MPa), at low  $fO_2$  ( $\Delta \log FMQ$  -1 to -3) and  $H_2O$ -poor conditions (<1.4 wt%  $H_2O$  melt content). As stated above, all experiments were conducted according to  $P$  estimates from fluid-inclusions (Poulsen 1964; Konnerup-Madsen and Rose-Hansen 1984) and  $fO_2$  calculated from phase equilibria (Konnerup-Madsen 2001; Marks and Markl 2001; Krumrei et al. 2007) and primitive experiments indeed demonstrate that  $H_2O$ -poor conditions stabilize the phase assemblage observed in the investigated dyke rock (Appendix A). Consecutive evolved experiments also largely reproduced the groundmass assemblage; however, these experiments did not stabilize amphibole (Appendix B). One important conclusion that can be drawn from the present study is that a strongly peralkaline melt (with an A. I. of 1.5) may crystallize a metaluminous phase assemblage closely resembling the early augite syenite phase of Ilímaussaq (Appendix B). This supports the idea that the dyke represents a parental melt of the plutonic complex and principally enables the system to have evolved from one single magma batch (Marks and Markl, in press).

Phase relations in  $H_2O$ -saturated systems are strongly affected by changes of  $P$ . This is mainly due to the strong  $P$ -dependence of  $H_2O$  solubility in those melts and the resulting changes in liquidus and solidus  $T$ 's and modified phase stabilities of both  $H_2O$ -bearing and  $H_2O$ -free mineral phases (e. g. Holtz et al. 1995). Despite the present study shows that the natural mineral phase assemblage formed at  $H_2O$ -poor conditions, it is tempting to study the effect of  $P$  on amphibole stability. This effect has been

shown in phase equilibrium studies on phonolites and will be discussed in detail in the following section (e. g. Harms et al. 2004; Moussallam et al. 2013).

Besides amphibole, all major mineral phases present in the dyke rock were synthesized. Bailey (1969) suggested that arfvedsonite is stable below 700 °C at  $fO_2$  lower than  $\Delta \log \text{FMQ} +0$ . Coexisting sodic clinopyroxene and arfvedsonite were suggested to be stable below 650 °C and  $fO_2$  more reduced than FMQ (Curtis and Currie 1981). These conditions match the applied experimental parameters ( $T, fO_2$ ).

Experiments at 200 MPa on F- and Cl-free basaltic compositions show a small but significant increase of amphibole stability to higher  $T$  with increasing  $H_2O$  melt content. Also, high  $H_2O$  melt content is crucial to stabilize amphibole in granitic and dacitic magmas (Dall'agnol et al. 1999; Scaillet and Evans 1999). Nevertheless, amphibole is also stable at  $H_2O$ -undersaturated conditions (< 1 wt%, Berndt et al. 2005; Freise et al. 2009; Feig et al. 2010).

In experiments of Freise et al. (2009) on a basaltic composition, increasing  $H_2O$  melt content, coupled with increasing  $fO_2$ , shifts amphibole stability to lower  $T$ , or favors clinopyroxene over amphibole (Helz 1973, 1976). In contrast, a phase equilibrium study on A-type granites implies that lower  $fO_2$  shifts amphibole stability to lower  $T$  (Dall'agnol et al. 1999).

Also, phase equilibrium experiments on two phonolitic compositions from the Kerguelen failed to reproduce amphibole, even though this study covers a wide range of experimental conditions and two different starting compositions (100 - 500 MPa, 700 - 900 °C,  $\Delta \log \text{FMQ} +0.7$  to  $+3$  and 2 - 8 wt%  $H_2O$  melt content, Freise et al. 2003). To rule out kinetic or nucleation problems, amphibole from natural samples was added to these experimental runs but was, however, completely dissolved or reacted back to clinopyroxene and oxides (Freise et al. 2003). Using a similar phonolitic composition from the Laacher See volcano (Berndt et al. 2001), amphibole was synthesized in one experiment at 300 MPa, 760 °C and 4 wt%  $H_2O$ , but was unstable at 200 and 400 MPa. A similar "P window" was reported in a study of Scaillet et al. (2008) on phonolites

with amphibole stable within a small  $T$  interval (830 - 800 °C) at 150 - 200 MPa, but unstable at 100 and 300 MPa.

H<sub>2</sub>O-saturated experiments at different  $P$ 's and  $T$ 's on a more evolved phonolite from Laacher See volcano revealed that amphibole is stable below 770 °C, if  $P$  is higher than 150 MPa (Harms et al. 2004). Still, lower  $P$  shifts the stability of amphibole to lower  $T$ , as was also observed in an experimental study on a dacite from Unzen volcano (Holtz et al. 2005). However, amphibole stability in peralkaline F-rich magmas is probably less related to H<sub>2</sub>O, as significant amounts of F (and Cl) may substitute for OH (Hawthorne et al. 2012). Amphibole from the investigated dyke rock has indeed up to 2 wt% F, which is roughly 50% of the OH site in amphibole.

Still, Cl- and F-free starting material (intentionally or through loss to the vapor phase during high  $T$  synthesis of the starting material) is commonly used in experimental studies. If stabilization of amphibole in experiments is unsuccessful, many authors stress the absence of halogens as a possible reason for the lack of amphibole, particularly in favor of clinopyroxene (see references above).

Scaillet and Macdonald (2003) reported F distribution coefficients between amphibole and melt in a study on peralkaline rhyolites ( $K_d, F = 2.7 - 1$ ). This range of partition coefficients was combined with the maximum F content in amphibole of the dyke rock (2.0 wt%, Marks and Markl 2003) to estimate the F content of the coexisting melt during amphibole crystallization. The calculations yield 0.8 - 2.0 wt% F melt, therefore experiments of this study cover (and exceed) the estimated range of F melt content (0 - 2.7 wt%) required to crystallize amphibole. Hence, amphibole stability is probably not limited by F melt content.

Therefore, it is tempting to presume a  $P$  dependence of amphibole stability, a parameter not addressed in isobaric experiments of the present study. The amphibole most similar compared to the Ilímaussaq amphiboles, an arfvedsonite-riebeckite, was synthesized at 50 - 150 MPa, 730 - 680 °C and  $\sim \Delta \log \text{FMQ} - 1$  in an experimental study on a peralkaline rhyolite (Scaillet and Macdonald 2001), in which increasing  $f\text{O}_2$  favors clinopyroxene

over amphibole. It is interesting to note that these experiments failed to synthesize aenigmatite, which was expected from the natural rock equivalent. Whereas synthesis of amphibole in experiments on basaltic compositions is successful in most studies (e. g. Freise et al. 2009), amphibole in phonolites (Berndt et al. 2001; Harms et al. 2004; Scaillet et al. 2008; Freise et al. 2009) and (co)-crystallization of compositionally very similar clinopyroxene (and rather similar aenigmatite) is difficult to reproduce. Apparently, particular  $P$ ,  $T$ ,  $a_{\text{H}_2\text{O}}$ ,  $f_{\text{O}_2}$  conditions and melt compositions are required. Even though arfvedsonite + sodic clinopyroxene is a common paragenesis in peralkaline rocks, a detailed petrographical study on the lujavrites from Ilímaussaq demonstrates that the genetic relation between clinopyroxene and amphibole is essentially unclear and may vary strongly even within one rock type. For example, lujavrites may contain clinopyroxene, amphibole or both. Moreover, clinopyroxene may replace amphibole or vice versa (Ratschbacher et al. 2011). The recent review of Marks and Markl (in press) portrays that decades of extensive research elucidated parts of the complex processes that formed the Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks, however, it is equally clear that numerous questions remain unanswered to date.

## 2.5 Rare Earth Elements in peralkaline rocks

Since the 1960s the rare earth elements experience a growing industrial demand and increasing importance for high-tech consumer products (Chakhmouradian and Zaitsev 2012). In recent years, the increasing demand combined with chinese export-quota lead to unforeseen volatility in the rare earth element market (Hatch 2012). Roughly 50 exploration projects outside China are currently active to meet today's challenges in rare earth element supply, of which 33 are related to magmatic rocks and their alteration products. The most promising rare earth element deposits are located in carbonatites and peralkaline silicate rocks (Chakhmouradian and Zaitsev 2012). To date, next to nothing is known about the stabilities of economically important rare earth element-rich minerals and their mineral/melt partitioning of these minerals as

experimental attempts were unsuccessful so far (Chakhmouradian and Zaitsev 2012). Thermodynamic phase stability calculations do not account for complex Na-Ca-Fe-HFSE silicates, which often incorporate Cl and F (including eudialyte and hiortdahlite). However, they do not even account for halogens in general (e. g. MELTS, Ghiorso and Sack 1995; Aiuppa et al. 2009; Rooney et al. 2012).

The global issue of rare earth element supply is linked to the present study by recent exploration activity rating the agpaitic Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks as a world-class rare earth element and U deposit (e. g. Parsons 2012). High concentrations of e. g. Zr, REE's, U and Th are typical for eudialyte and hiortdahlite, and characteristic for the agpaitic rocks they form (Sørensen 1992, 1997; Chakhmouradian and Zaitsev 2012). The economic potential of eudialyte is further emphasized by the fact that eudialyte is already mined in the Lovozero complex (Russia, Kramm and Kogarko 1997; Zakharov et al. 2011). The present study presents first experimental data on stabilities and mineral/melt partitioning of minerals typical for agpaitic rocks (Appendix B) and provides preliminary calibrations to calculate crystallization  $T$ 's in such rocks (Appendix C). However, simplified synthetic starting compositions were used and rare earth elements were omitted. Hence, the next step was to broaden knowledge on phase stabilities by using starting composition doped with selected trace elements (Winterhalder et al. 2013). Therefore, Nb, La, Ce, Y and Sr were added to the Cl- and F-rich starting composition according to bulk dyke rock concentrations (Larsen and Steenfelt 1974; Appendix B: HAF-hH-red\pr) and the abovementioned two-step fractional crystallization strategy was applied. Preliminary results show that mineral phase stabilities and liquid lines of descent in these experiments are similar compared to undoped starting compositions, supporting the conclusions drawn from experiments with synthetic trace elements-free starting compositions (Larsen and Steenfelt 1974, starting glasses HAF-hH-red and HAF-hH-red\ev, Appendix B). However, hiortdahlite and eudialyte act as a sink for rare earth elements incorporating up to 13 wt% REE<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>.

## 2.6 Open questions and outlook

Experimental phase equilibrium constraints in phonolitic systems suggest that amphibole may be stable at even lower  $T$ 's at 100 MPa (e. g. Harms et al. 2004) or  $P$ 's exceeding 200 MPa (e. g. Moussallam et al. 2013). In particular such high  $P$ 's would question the accepted view that the Ilímaussaq complex and the investigated dyke rock were emplaced at roughly 100 MPa (Konnerup-Madsen and Rose-Hansen 1984; Markl et al. 2001). Fluid-inclusions in sodalite of Ilímaussaq's naujaite indicate crystallization  $P$ 's of up to 400 MPa, however, crystallization during ascent is contrary to the late magmatic occurrence of amphibole as indicated by textural observations (Marks and Markl 2003). To rule out that low  $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and low  $P$  limit amphibole stability, additional evolved experiments were conducted to investigate the influence of  $P$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  melt content and  $f\text{O}_2$ . These experiments cover  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -poor experiments at 150 - 250 MPa, higher  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  melt concentrations up to  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -saturation and a  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -saturated experiments at higher  $f\text{O}_2$  ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ} +0.8$ ). Also, residual melt compositions of experiments at 700 °C ( $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -poor, 100 MPa) were resynthesized as starting glasses for a second fractionation step. Subsequent  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -poor experiments at 650 °C were performed; none of these experiments stabilized amphibole. In summary, higher  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  melt content and higher  $P$  did not stabilize amphibole and imply that  $T$ 's even lower than 600 °C are required to do so.

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**Abstract** We experimentally investigated the phase relations of a peralkaline phonolitic dyke rock associated with the Ilímaussaq plutonic complex (South Greenland). The extremely evolved and iron-rich composition (magnesium number = 2, alkalinity index = 1.44, FeO\* = 12 wt%) may represent the parental magma of the Ilímaussaq complex. This dyke rock is therefore perfectly suited for performing phase-equilibrium experiments, since in contrast to the plutonic rocks of the complex, no major cumulate formation processes complicate defining a reasonable starting composition. Experiments were carried out in hydrothermal rapid-quench cold-seal pressure vessels at  $P = 100$  MPa and  $T = 950$ – $750$  °C. H<sub>2</sub>O contents ranging from anhydrous to H<sub>2</sub>O saturated (~5 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O) and varying  $fO_2$  (~ $\Delta\log FMQ -3$  to  $+1$ ; where FMQ represents the fayalite–magnetite–quartz oxygen buffer) were applied. Reduced and dry conditions lead to substantial crystallization of alkali feldspar, nepheline, hedenbergite-rich clinopyroxene, fayalite-rich olivine and minor amounts of ulvöspinel-rich magnetite, which represent the phenocryst assemblage of the natural dyke rock. Oxidized and H<sub>2</sub>O-rich conditions, however, suppress the crystallization of olivine in favor of magnetite and clinopyroxene with less or no alkali feldspar and nepheline formation. Accordingly,

combined low  $fO_2$  and  $aH_2O$  force the evolution of the residual melt toward decreasing SiO<sub>2</sub>, increasing FeO\* and alkalinity index (up to 3.55). On the contrary, high  $fO_2$  and  $aH_2O$  produce residual melts with relatively low FeO\*, high SiO<sub>2</sub> and a relatively constant alkalinity index. We show that variations of  $aH_2O$  and  $fO_2$  lead to contrasting trends regarding the liquid lines of descent of iron-rich silica-undersaturated peralkaline compositions. Moreover, the increase in FeO\* and alkalinity index (reduced and dry conditions) in the residual melt is an important prerequisite to stabilize late-magmatic minerals of the dyke rock, for example, aenigmatite (Na<sub>2</sub>Fe<sub>5</sub>TiSi<sub>6</sub>O<sub>20</sub>), coexisting with the most evolved melts at 750 °C. Contrary to what might be expected, experiments with high  $aH_2O$  and interlinked high  $fO_2$  exhibit higher liquidus  $T$ 's compared with experiments performed at low  $aH_2O$  and  $fO_2$  for experiments where magnetite is liquidus phase. This is because ulvöspinel-poor magnetite crystallizes at higher  $fO_2$  and has a higher melting point than ulvöspinel-rich magnetite, which is favored at lower  $fO_2$ .

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### Introduction

The investigation of phase equilibria is a powerful method to elucidate crystallization, differentiation and fractionation processes in magmatic systems. Previous experimental work on phase relations in igneous systems covers a range of whole-rock compositions like granites (Tuttle and Bowen 1958), alkali and tholeiitic basalts (Villiger et al. 2004; Berndt et al. 2005; Freise et al. 2009), ferro basalts (Toplis and Carroll 1995; Botcharnikov et al. 2008),

gabbros (Feig et al. 2010), phonolites (Berndt et al. 2001; Freise et al. 2003; Andújar et al. 2008; Scaillet et al. 2008) and peralkaline rhyolites (Scaillet and MacDonald 2001, 2006; Di Carlo et al. 2010). Besides bulk chemistry, these studies emphasize a strong influence of  $P$ ,  $a_{\text{H}_2\text{O}}$ ,  $f_{\text{O}_2}$  and halogens (Cl, F) on the phase relations and the evolution of the coexisting residual melt (“liquid line of descent”).

Peralkaline igneous rocks are interpreted to be derived from highly fractionated alkali basaltic or nephelinitic magmas (e.g., Sørensen 1997; Larsen and Sørensen 1987; Markl et al. 2010, 2011) or from partial mantle melting (e.g., MacDonald et al. 1987). In such rocks, typical indicators of fractionation like  $\text{Mg}/(\text{Mg} + \text{Fe})$  or  $\text{Ca}/(\text{Na} + \text{K})$  approach zero documenting the extremely evolved character of such compositions (e.g., Bailey et al. 2001).

The liquid line of descent of peralkaline magmas covers an unusually large  $T$  interval, which is attributed to the retention of network modifiers like alkalis and volatiles in the melt (e.g., Piotrowski and Edgar 1970; Sood and Edgar 1970; Edgar and Parker 1974; Kogarko and Romanchev 1977). The interval between liquidus and solidus  $T$  is suggested to exceed 500 °C with several crystallizing phases, many of them being solid solutions. Peralkaline magmas are therefore highly suitable for the detailed experimental investigation concerning the crystallization sequence and the evolution of mineral–melt equilibria during cooling.

## Geological background

The Ilímaussaq plutonic complex (South Greenland) represents an extreme example of a peralkaline intrusion and is part of the Proterozoic Gardar province, which is thought to be a failed rift setting (Upton et al. 2003). Details on the geology, petrology and geochemistry of the Ilímaussaq complex can be found in Bailey et al. (2001), Markl et al. (2001), Sørensen (2001) and Marks et al. (2004). The experimental investigation of the melt evolution of such a plutonic complex is challenging, because it is problematic to find a reasonable starting composition, since most rock units are affected by cumulate formation processes (Sørensen 2001). However, based on petrography, mineral chemistry and geochemistry, an iron-rich and peralkaline phonolitic dyke rock associated with the Ilímaussaq plutonic complex is suggested to represent an early separation of the intrusions’ parental magma (Allaart 1969; Larsen and Steinfeldt 1974; Marks and Markl 2003) and is therefore perfectly suited as a starting composition for phase-equilibrium experiments. The dyke has a length of several kilometers and a width of 10–30 m, is marginally chilled with no or little phenocrysts in the fine-grained matrix and is the focus of this study.

Petrographically, three phase assemblages can be distinguished in the dyke: (1) an early magmatic phenocryst assemblage with titanite (Mag), fayalitic olivine (Ol), hedenbergite-rich clinopyroxene (Cpx), alkali feldspar (Afs), and nepheline (Nph)  $\pm$  fluorite (Fl), apatite (Ap), zircon and titanite (Spn); (2) a late-magmatic groundmass, represented by albite (Ab) and microcline (Mc) as separate grains, Nph, sodalite (Sdl), aegirine-rich clinopyroxene, aenigmatite (Ae,  $\text{Na}_2\text{Fe}_5\text{TiSi}_6\text{O}_{20}$ ) and arfvedsonite  $\pm$  eudialyte (Eud) and hjordahlite (Hjo); and (3) a late-stage assemblage with analcime and natrolite. For textures of the dyke rock, see Figs. 2 and 3 in Marks and Markl (2003). These three stages of crystallization parallel those found in the Ilímaussaq plutonic rock sequences: the phenocryst dyke assemblage parallels with the early plutonic augite syenite phase, the dyke groundmass with the plutonic agpaitic main phase and the late-stage hydrothermal alterations are similar (with Anl and Ntr replacing Nph, Ab and Sdl) both in the dyke and the plutonic rocks of the intrusion. The composition of the early magmatic phenocrysts is remarkably similar to their plutonic counterparts (see Marks and Markl 2003 for details).

The depth of dyke emplacement was estimated to 3–5 km, roughly corresponding to  $P = 100$  MPa (Poulsen 1964; Konnerup-Madsen and Rose-Hansen 1984). Nph thermometry indicates liquidus  $T$ 's of at least 900 °C, and thermodynamic calculations imply extremely reducing conditions of  $\Delta\log\text{FMQ} -3$  to  $-1.5$  during the formation of the phenocryst assemblage (Marks and Markl 2003). The presence of  $\text{CH}_4$ -rich fluid inclusions in the Ilímaussaq intrusion itself is in agreement with the low oxygen fugacity ( $f_{\text{O}_2}$ ) calculated from mineral phase equilibria (Konnerup-Madsen 2001; Marks and Markl 2001; Markl et al. 2001; Krumrei et al. 2007).

The aim of this study is to investigate the influence of coexisting fluid phases ( $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ) and  $f_{\text{O}_2}$  on the phase relations and the liquid lines of descent of iron-rich silica-undersaturated peralkaline melts. We therefore conducted nominally dry experiments as well as fluid-bearing experiments with pure  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  or  $\text{H}_2\text{O}-\text{CO}_2-\text{CH}_4$  mixtures. Our experimental results elucidate the crystallization sequence and the evolution of the residual melt in such compositions. The results are compared with the observed phase assemblages in the dyke rock itself and the estimated  $T-c\text{H}_2\text{O}-f_{\text{O}_2}$  conditions of formation.

## Starting material and experimental methods

Starting glasses for phase-equilibrium experiments were synthesized by mixing oxide and carbonate powders, diammonium phosphate, sodium chloride and fluorite (sources for P, Cl and F) according to the chilled margin

composition of the dyke rock (Table 1; Larsen and Steenfelt 1974). This composition is termed high alkali facies (HAF, Larsen and Steenfelt 1974) and resembles a low #Mg of 2 (the molar Mg/(Mg + Fe<sup>2+</sup>) ratio), a high FeO\* content of 11.86 wt% and a high alkalinity index of 1.44 (the molar (Na<sub>2</sub>O + K<sub>2</sub>O)/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> ratio, labeled A. I. in the following). It is compared with whole-rock compositions from previous experimental work in Fig. 1 (#Mg = 1–76; FeO\* = 1.3–14.6; A. I. = 0.2–2.0) showing the lack of experimental data for iron-rich silica-undersaturated peralkaline compositions. It is worth mentioning that the investigated phonolites are, with one exception, not strongly peralkaline.

The powders were homogenized in a zirconia ball mill and fused at 1,600 °C (1 atm, 6 h) in an iron-saturated Pt<sub>90</sub>Rh<sub>10</sub> crucible covered with a Pt lid, which was subsequently rapidly quenched in water. The glass pieces were ground to a grain size <300 µm, re-melted (1,600 °C, 1 atm, 1 h) to improve homogeneity and ground again (<300 µm). This glass will be referred to as oxidized starting glass (HAF ox). Half of the glass powder was re-melted in a graphite crucible jacketed with a corundum crucible at 1,200 °C (1 atm, 4 h) and quenched in air to a

glass bead. During glass synthesis, the melt is in direct contact with the graphite crucible. To overcome possible zonation of XFe<sup>3+</sup>, the surface was removed by cutting several millimeters roundly. Afterward, the bead was ground to the same grain size (<300 µm) and will be referred to as reduced starting glass (HAF red). Glass powder was used to promote nucleation of crystal phases in phase-equilibrium experiments. The relatively large grain size helps to minimize adsorbed H<sub>2</sub>O, which is important for nominally dry experiments.

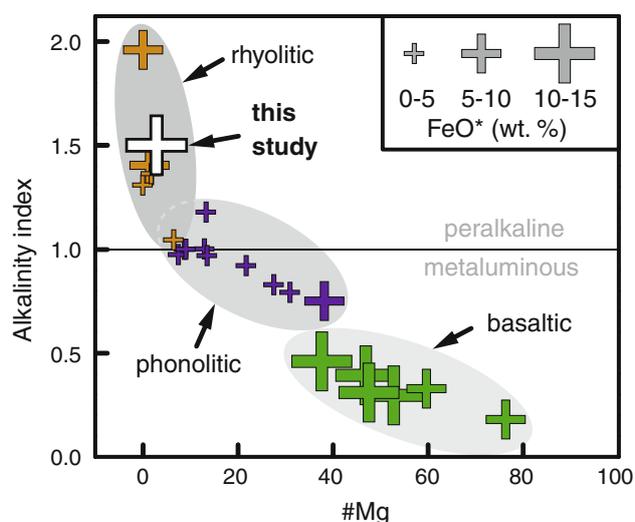
For the experiments, two types of capsules were used. The starting glasses dried at 120 °C were filled in gold (Au) capsules (length (*l*): 20 mm; outer diameter (od): 3 mm; wall thickness (wt): 0.25 mm), in large Au capsules for prehydration experiments (*l*: 30 mm; od: 5 mm; wt: 0.25 mm) and in graphite capsules (*l*: 20 mm; od: 4.5 mm; wt: 1.25 mm) encapsulated in Au capsules (*l*: 22 mm, od: 5 mm, wt: 0.25 mm), referred to as graphite (C) capsules in the following. This type of capsule is appropriate to avoid iron loss in high-*P* and high-*T* experiments (e.g., Kesson and Lindsley 1976; Holloway et al. 1992). Both types of capsules were filled with 50 mg glass powder (300 mg in

**Table 1** Bulk composition of the dyke rock and composition of the starting glasses in wt%

Method	Ø Dyke rock <sup>a</sup> WC	HAF ox XRF	HAF ox EMP	HAF red EMP
<i>n</i>	3		18	6
#Mg	2	4	3	3
A. I.	1.44	1.40	1.45	1.50
SiO <sub>2</sub>	52.91	53.70 (14)	54.72 (64)	53.91 (24)
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.54	0.56 (02)	0.52 (02)	0.53 (02)
ZrO <sub>2</sub>	0.67	na	0.65 (09)	0.69 (05)
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	14.36	14.30 (06)	14.12 (21)	13.90 (18)
FeO*	11.86 <sup>b</sup>	11.53 <sup>c</sup> (06)	11.51 <sup>d</sup> (29)	12.23 <sup>d</sup> (48)
XFe <sup>3+</sup>	0.63 <sup>e</sup>	0.61 <sup>f</sup> (01)	0.61 <sup>f</sup> (01)	0.45 <sup>f</sup> (01)
FeO	4.39	4.50	4.49	6.73
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	8.30	7.81	7.80	6.11
MnO	0.44	0.44 (01)	0.46 (03)	0.50 (02)
MgO	0.17	0.25 (14)	0.19 (02)	0.20 (04)
CaO	2.79	2.91 (10)	2.84 (08)	3.01 (20)
Na <sub>2</sub> O	9.25	9.01 (07)	9.40 (27)	9.45 (32)
K <sub>2</sub> O	5.03	4.75 (04)	4.69 (11)	4.92 (25)
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.13	0.21 (01)	0.13 (03)	0.11 (04)
Cl	0.31	na	0.06 (01)	0.05 (01)
F	0.91	na	0.17 (05)	0.16 (06)
Total	100.00	98.69	99.53 (92)	100.35 (38)
LOI		−0.30		

HAF ox oxidized starting glass, HAF red reduced starting glass, WC wet chemical analysis, EMP electron microprobe analysis ( $\pm 1\sigma$ ), *n* number of analysis, na not analyzed, FeO\* total iron oxide, XFe<sup>3+</sup> = Fe<sup>3+</sup>/(Fe<sup>2+</sup>+Fe<sup>3+</sup>)

<sup>a</sup> Average from three whole-rock analysis from the chilled margin of the dyke rock (Larsen and Steenfelt 1974; normalized to 100 wt%); <sup>b</sup> calculated from FeO + Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>; <sup>c</sup> calculated from Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and XFe<sup>3+</sup>; <sup>d</sup> analyzed with EMP; <sup>e</sup> calculated from FeO + Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>; <sup>f</sup> determined by Mössbauer spectroscopy



**Fig. 1** Experimentally investigated bulk compositions compared in terms of #Mg and A. I. (Toplis and Carroll 1995; Berndt et al. 2001; Scaillet and MacDonald 2001; Freise et al. 2003; Villiger et al. 2004; Scaillet and MacDonald 2006; Andújar et al. 2008; Botchcharnikov et al. 2008; Scaillet et al. 2008; Freise et al. 2009; Di Carlo et al. 2010; Feig et al. 2010). The size of the symbols represents the FeO\* content (wt%) of the investigated composition, subdivided into three groups

prehydration experiments) and welded shut. Possible leakage was gravimetrically checked by (1) heating H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing capsules at 120 °C for 4 h or (2) placing nominally dry capsules in an ultrasonic bath for 2 min, subsequently controlled for loss or gain of H<sub>2</sub>O, respectively.

We performed seven series of experiments using three types of starting glasses (Table 2). As mentioned by Feig et al. (2006), nominally dry experiments may contain up to 0.5 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O and the presence of even small amounts of H<sub>2</sub>O can strongly lower the liquidus *T* (see also Almeev et al. 2007; Médard and Grove 2008). In the following, we will distinguish between H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing (run 30–69) and nominally dry (run 70–95) experiments (denoted dry in the following for convenience).

Experiments in Au capsules are labeled oxidized, and those in C capsules are labeled reduced, respectively.

**Table 2** Experiment series

	H <sub>2</sub> O bearing			Dry			
	HAF ox	Hydrated glass ox	Reduced	HAF ox	HAF ox	HAF red	HAF red
Starting glass	HAF ox	Hydrated glass ox		HAF ox	HAF ox	HAF red	HAF red
<i>c</i> H <sub>2</sub> O (wt%) of the starting glass	Dry	1.6–4.7		Dry			
Redox conditions	Oxidized	Oxidized	Reduced	Oxidized	Reduced	Oxidized	Reduced
<i>T</i> (°C)	950	850, 750		950, 900, 850, 800, 750			
H <sub>2</sub> O added (wt%)	1–8	1	1	–	–	–	–
Experiment duration (h)	24	4		168–504			
<i>n</i>	8	13	12	5	5	7	6

HAF ox oxidized starting glass, HAF red reduced starting glass, *n* number of experiments, Hydrated glass ox material from run 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 39; see Table 3

H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments at 950 °C were prepared with dried glass powder (HAF ox) and different amounts of H<sub>2</sub>O (1–8 wt%). For lower *T* (850 and 750 °C), hydrated glass from 950 °C experiments was used as starting glass, and an additional fluid phase (1 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O) was added. Dry experiments were prepared using anhydrous glass powder (HAF ox and HAF red) without adding H<sub>2</sub>O. To check reproducibility and sufficient experiment duration, we repeated dry experiments and varied the experiment duration from 168 to 504 h.

Experiments were conducted in vertically mounted cold-seal pressure vessels (CSPV) made of a nickel–chromium alloy (Inconel 713LC) pressurized by water. We performed experiments at *P* = 100 MPa and *T* = 750–950 °C in 50 °C steps. *T* was measured with a K-type thermocouple outside the vessel close to the sample position and found to be constant during the experiments within an uncertainty of ±5 °C. The experiments were stopped by isobaric rapid quenching (ca. 200 °C/s; e.g., Berndt et al. 2002) controlled with an increase in pressure due to the dropped hot capsule expanding H<sub>2</sub>O in the cold part of the autoclave.

After the experiments, capsules were reweighed to confirm closed-system behavior during the experiments. Subsequently, capsules were opened and several sample pieces from different parts of the capsule were mounted in epoxy resin, polished and carbon-coated for electron microprobe (EMP) analysis. Whenever possible, cross sections of glass cylinders were prepared to check the experimental products for homogeneity.

#### Interrelation of capsule material, *c*H<sub>2</sub>O and *f*O<sub>2</sub>

Oxidizing conditions were adjusted in Au capsules at H<sub>2</sub>O-saturated conditions close to NNO (~ΔlogFMQ +0.8 for the investigated *T* interval; where NNO is the nickel–nickel oxide oxygen buffer and FMQ is the fayalite–magnetite–quartz oxygen buffer; Schwab and Kuestner 1981; O’Neill 1987a, b). The intrinsic *f*O<sub>2</sub> (~ΔlogFMQ +0.8) and *f*H<sub>2</sub> are superimposed by the autoclave alloy in equilibrium

with the pressure medium H<sub>2</sub>O. As H<sub>2</sub> diffuses through Au,  $fO_2$  is imposed in the capsule for H<sub>2</sub>O-saturated conditions.

Experiments with  $aH_2O < 1$  are usually conducted using fluid-saturated conditions with mixed H<sub>2</sub>O–CO<sub>2</sub> fluids (with Ag<sub>2</sub>C<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> as CO<sub>2</sub> source; e.g., Freise et al. 2009; Di Carlo et al. 2010). We established H<sub>2</sub>O undersaturation by adjusting  $cH_2O$  in the starting fluid assuming the solubility of H<sub>2</sub>O ( $aH_2O = 1$ ) at  $P = 100$  MPa. As demonstrated in other studies,  $fH_2O$  decreases with decreasing  $XH_2O$  and leads, based on the dissociation reaction of H<sub>2</sub>O, to an exponential decrease in  $fO_2$  (Scaillet et al. 1995; Freise et al. 2009; Feig et al. 2010). We can presume a relatively constant  $fO_2$  within one log unit for  $XH_2O > 0.5$  but a strong decrease in several log units for  $XH_2O < 0.2$  in Au capsules (Webster et al. 1987).

Reduced conditions in C capsules were assessed for both dry and H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments. The  $fO_2$  in dry experiments can be, given the absence of hydrogen, described with the carbon–carbon oxide oxygen buffer (CCO, French and Eugster 1965; Jakobsson and Oskarsson 1994) and define  $fO_2$  to  $\sim \Delta \log FMQ - 1$  to  $-2$  for the  $T$  interval applied in the experiments. In Au capsules, the coexisting fluid is H<sub>2</sub>O dominated ( $\pm H_2$  and  $O_2$ ), but in H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing C capsule experiments, H<sub>2</sub>O and C (available in excess:  $aC = 1$ ) form a COH fluid which consists mainly of H<sub>2</sub>O, CO<sub>2</sub> and CH<sub>4</sub>, if internally buffered (eFig. 1). The speciation of the fluid can be calculated assuming a fixed atomic H/O ratio; thus, for the experiments, we used pure water. This is, however, a simplification as a hydrothermal experimental setup is a system not closed to hydrogen and H<sub>2</sub>O fugacity coefficients may vary through the influence of Cl (Aranovich and Newton 1996). The  $aH_2O$  and  $fO_2$  are decreased and  $fH_2$  is increased in these experiments. This coincides with generally lower  $cH_2O$  of the residual melt in C capsules with equal amounts of H<sub>2</sub>O added as fluid (Table 3). When C and the COH fluid are in equilibrium, they buffer  $fO_2$  to about  $\Delta \log FMQ = -2$  to  $-2.5$  for the investigated  $T$  interval (eFig. 1, French 1966; Ohmoto and Kerrick 1977; Huizenga 2001). Reduced H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments therefore feature the requested fluid speciation (H<sub>2</sub>O, CO<sub>2</sub> and CH<sub>4</sub>) and prevailing  $fO_2$  in contrast to oxidized conditions with a H<sub>2</sub>O fluid. However, dry and reduced experiments will not be thoroughly hydrogen-free and the COH fluid in H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing C capsule experiments will equilibrate toward the intrinsic  $fH_2$  by means of losing H<sub>2</sub> through outward diffusion. Even though the quantification of fluid speciation cannot be the aim of this study, the CCO and the COH buffer roughly border the prevailing  $fO_2$  in C capsule experiments. H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing C capsule experiments conducted in an internally heated pressure vessel were recently found to run dry. This might be explained by higher experimental  $T$  and  $fO_2$  compared with this study resulting in fast outward diffusion of H<sub>2</sub> through

the capsule material and consecutive fluid re-equilibration at the expense of H<sub>2</sub>O or the speciation of the COH fluid being CO<sub>2</sub> rich and H<sub>2</sub>O poor (Husen et al. 2012). In those experiments,  $T (> 1,000$  °C) and the intrinsic  $fO_2$  are significantly higher ( $\sim \Delta \log FMQ + 4.2$  in IHPV; Berndt et al. 2002; compared to  $\sim \Delta \log FMQ + 0.8$  in CSPV; O'Neill 1987a, b), resulting in a lower intrinsic  $fH_2$ . We suggest that outward diffusion of H<sub>2</sub> is more effective at higher  $T$  and an increased  $fH_2$  gradient between capsule and pressure medium. To minimize this problem, run durations of H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing C capsule experiments were kept short (4 h), and in order to rapidly establish a coexisting COH fluid, 1 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O was added in experiments with hydrated glass as starting material.

### Analytical methods

For XRF analysis of the starting glass HAF ox, the glass powder was ground with an agate mill for 10 min. Loss on ignition (LOI) was determined at 1,000 °C. For the fused beads, 1.5 g of dried glass powder (at 105 °C) was mixed with 7.5 g MERCK spectromelt A12 (mixture of 66 % Li-tetraborate and 34 % Li-metaborate) and melted at 1,200 °C to fused beads using an Oxiflux system from CBR analytical service. Major and trace elements were analyzed with a Bruker AXS S4 Pioneer (Rh-tube at 4 kW).

The  $XFe^{3+}$ 's of both starting glasses (ground to  $< 125$  μm) were determined with <sup>57</sup>Fe-Mössbauer spectroscopy using a <sup>57</sup>Co source in Rh matrix operated at room  $T$ . The spectra were calibrated against  $\alpha$ -Fe(0) foil and interpreted with the RECOIL software package (University of Ottawa, Canada).

Starting glasses, residual glasses and crystal phases of the experimental products were analyzed using a JEOL 8900 electron microprobe. The emission current was 20 nA for Mag, Cpx and Ol; 8 nA for Afs and Nph; and 4 nA for glasses. We used an acceleration voltage of 15 kV; some small Mag crystals were analyzed with 10 kV. For calibration, natural and synthetic standard materials were used. The counting times were 16 s for major elements and 30–60 s for trace elements. A focused beam was used for Mag, Cpx and Ol. In order to minimize sodium migration, counting times were kept short and a defocused beam was used for Afs, Nph (8 s, 2 μm) and glasses (10 s, 20–10 μm). The sodium signal was monitored during analysis and found to be stable for the applied conditions. Similar to other experimental studies (e.g., Freise et al. 2003; Scaillet and MacDonald 2003, 2006; Feig et al. 2006; Freise et al. 2009), the size of the crystal phases is too small for EMP analysis in many cases, leading to contamination from the surrounding residual

**Table 3** Experimental conditions, run products and phase proportions of the experiments

Run	Run time (h)	T (°C)	aH <sub>2</sub> O <sup>a</sup> (a.u.)	fO <sub>2</sub> <sup>b</sup> (ΔlogFMQ)	H <sub>2</sub> O added (wt%)	H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>melt</sub> <sup>b</sup> (wt%)	Capsule	Phase proportions <sup>c</sup>
<i>H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments (with oxidized starting glass: HAF ox)</i>								
30	24	950	0.1	−0.9	1	1.3	Au	Gl(96) Mag(4)
31	24	950	0.4	−0.1	2	2.3	Au	Gl(96) Mag(4)
34	24	950	0.4	0.1	4	2.7	Au	Gl(97) Mag(3)
33	24	950	0.4	0.1	3	2.7	Au	Gl(96) Mag(4)
39	24	950	0.7	0.4	8	3.6	Au	Gl(97) Mag(3)
36	24	950	0.9	0.7	6	3.9	Au	Gl(96) Mag(4)
35	24	950	0.8	0.6	5	4.1	Au	Gl(97) Mag(3)
37	24	950	0.9	0.7	7	4.5	Au	Gl(96) Mag(4)
<i>H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments (with hydrated or saturated starting glass: run 30–37)</i>								
54 <sup>R34</sup>	4	850	0.2	−0.7	1	1.5	Au	Gl(83) Mag(5) Cpx(12)
52 <sup>R31</sup>	4	850	0.3	−0.4	1	2.0	Au	Gl(71) Mag(5) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (24)
51 <sup>R30</sup>	4	850	0.3	−0.3	1	2.0	Au	Gl(65) Mag(4) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (31)
53 <sup>R33</sup>	4	850	0.3	−0.3	1	2.0	Au	Gl(83) Mag(6) Cpx(11)
55 <sup>R35</sup>	4	850	0.4	−0.2	1	2.0	Au	Gl(75) Mag(4) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (21)
57 <sup>R37</sup>	4	850	0.5	0.2	1	3.0	Au	Gl(74) Mag(5) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (21)
56 <sup>R36</sup>	4	850	0.5	0.3	1	3.0	Au	Gl(84) Mag(5) Cpx(11)
48 <sup>R36</sup>	4	750	0.9	0.7	1	4.5	Au	Gl(86) Mag(6) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (8)
47 <sup>R35</sup>	4	750	0.9	0.7	1	5.0	Au	Gl(86) Mag(5) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (9)
49 <sup>R37</sup>	4	750	1.0	0.8	1	5.5	Au	Gl(87) Mag(6) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (7)
44 <sup>R31</sup>	4	750	1.1 <sup>d</sup>	0.9 <sup>d</sup>	1	6.0	Au	Gl(65) Mag(6) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (29)
45 <sup>R33</sup>	4	750	1.2 <sup>d</sup>	0.9 <sup>d</sup>	1	6.0	Au	Gl(89) Mag(6) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (5)
46 <sup>R34</sup>	4	750	1.2 <sup>d</sup>	1.0 <sup>d</sup>	1	6.0	Au	Gl(87) Mag(4) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (9)
64 <sup>R30</sup>	4	850	–	−2.3	1	0.0	C	Gl(78) Mag(2) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (19) Afs(1)
65 <sup>R31</sup>	4	850	–	−2.3	1	0.5	C	Gl(82) Mag <sup>na</sup> (3) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (14) Afs(1)
69 <sup>R37</sup>	4	850	–	−2.3	1	0.5	C	Gl(85) Mag <sup>na</sup> (5) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (10)
68 <sup>R36</sup>	4	850	–	−2.3	1	0.5	C	Gl(85) Mag <sup>na</sup> (5) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (10)
67 <sup>R35</sup>	4	850	–	−2.3	1	1.0	C	Gl(83) Mag <sup>na</sup> (4) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (13)
66 <sup>R34</sup>	4	850	–	−2.3	1	1.5	C	Gl(85) Mag(4) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (11)
58 <sup>R30</sup>	4	750	–	−2.0	1	–	C	Gl(64) Mag(5) Cpx(5) Afs(26)
61 <sup>R34</sup>	4	750	–	−2.0	1	0.5	C	Gl(71) Mag(3) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (13) Afs(13)
59 <sup>R31</sup>	4	750	–	−2.0	1	0.5	C	Gl(69) Mag(4) Cpx(8) Afs(19)
60 <sup>R33</sup>	4	750	–	−2.0	1	1.0	C	Gl(65) Mag(3) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (9) Afs(23)
62 <sup>R37</sup>	4	750	–	−2.0	1	1.5	C	Gl(72) Mag(5) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (23)
<i>Dry experiments (with oxidized starting glass: HAF ox)</i>								
72*	504	950	0.4	−0.1	–	2.5	Au	Gl(100) <sup>c</sup> iron loss: 66 %
90*	504	900	0.0	−3.1	–	0.5	Au	Gl(99) Mag <sup>na</sup> (<1) Cpx(1)
71	504	850	0.1	−1.5 <sup>f</sup>	–	1.0	Au	Gl(87) Mag(<1) Cpx(4) Afs(6) Ol(3)
86	504	800	0.1	−1.8	–	0.5	Au	Gl(48) Mag(2) Cpx(24) Afs <sup>na</sup> (24) Nph(2)
70	504	750	–	–	–	nc	Au	Gl(28) Mag(4) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (22) Afs(34) Nph(12)
92	504	900	–	−1.9 <sup>e</sup>	–	0.5	C	Gl(81) Cpx(4) Afs(12) Ol(3)
74	504	850	–	−1.8 <sup>e</sup>	–	0.0	C	Gl(60) Mag <sup>na</sup> (<1) Cpx(9) Afs(22) Ol(4) Nph(5)
88	504	800	–	−1.7 <sup>e</sup>	–	0.0	C	Gl(38) Mag <sup>na</sup> (<1) Cpx(11) Afs(32) Ol(4) Nph(15)
94	504	800	–	−1.7 <sup>e</sup>	–	0.0	C	Gl(37) Mag <sup>na</sup> (<1) Cpx(10) Afs(35) Ol(5) Nph(13)
73	504	750	–	−1.5 <sup>e</sup>	–	na	C	Gl <sup>na</sup> (20) Mag(4) Cpx(24) Afs(41) Nph(11)

**Table 3** Experimental conditions, run products and phase proportions of the experiments

Run	Run time (h)	T (°C)	aH <sub>2</sub> O <sup>a</sup> (a.u.)	fO <sub>2</sub> <sup>d</sup> (ΔlogFMQ)	H <sub>2</sub> O added (wt%)	H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>melt</sub> <sup>b</sup> (wt%)	Capsule	Phase proportions <sup>c</sup>
<i>Dry experiments (with reduced starting glass: HAF red)</i>								
79*	504	950	0.8	0.6	–	4.5	Au	Gl(100) <sup>c</sup> iron loss: 69 %
91*	504	900	0.0	–4.6	–	0.0	Au	Gl(99) Mag <sup>na</sup> (< 1) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (1)
78	504	850	0.0	–2.0	–	0.5	Au	Gl(66) Mag(4) Cpx(12) Afs(18)
87	504	800	0.0	–4.3	–	0.0	Au	Gl(31) Mag <sup>na</sup> (<1) Cpx(27) Afs <sup>na</sup> (33) Ol(2) Nph(7)
83	168	750	–	–	–	na	Au	Gl <sup>na</sup> (37) Mag(1) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (9) Afs(47) Nph(6) Ae(< 1)
84	336	750	–	–	–	na	Au	Gl <sup>na</sup> (42) Mag(1) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (6) Afs(45) Nph(5) Ae(1)
77	504	750	–	–0.8 <sup>f</sup>	–	na	Au	Gl <sup>na</sup> (25) Mag(1) Cpx(27) Afs <sup>na</sup> (34) Ol(1) Nph(10) Ae(2)
82	504	950	–	–2.0 <sup>e</sup>	–	1.5	C	Gl(100) <sup>c</sup> iron loss: 0 %
93	504	900	–	–1.9 <sup>e</sup>	–	0.5	C	Gl(98) Mag(2)
81	504	850	–	–1.8 <sup>e</sup>	–	0.0	C	Gl(38) Mag <sup>na</sup> (<1) Cpx(14) Afs(37) Ol(6) Nph(5)
95	504	800	–	–2.9 <sup>f</sup>	–	0.0	C	Gl(45) Mag(<1) Cpx(10) Afs(29) Ol(5) Nph(12)
85	168	750	–	–1.5 <sup>e</sup>	–	1.5	C	Gl(33) Mag <sup>na</sup> (<1) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (9) Afs(40) Ol(3) Nph(13) Ae(2)
80	504	750	–	–1.5 <sup>e</sup>	–	nc	C	Gl(32) Mag <sup>na</sup> (<1) Cpx <sup>na</sup> (5) Afs(51) Ol(4) Nph(5) Ae(3)

The experimental pressure is  $P = 100$  MPa in all experiments; *Abbreviations* Gl glass, Mag titanomagnetite, Cpx clinopyroxene, Afs alkali feldspar, Ol olivine, Nph nepheline, Ae aenigmatite

<sup>a</sup> H<sub>2</sub>O activity (aH<sub>2</sub>O) and oxygen fugacity (fO<sub>2</sub>) in Au capsules are roughly estimated from the solubility model of Burnham (1979), estimations for C capsules can be found in eFig. 1 for aH<sub>2</sub>O and in Fig. 10 for fO<sub>2</sub> (see also experimental methods)

<sup>b</sup> H<sub>2</sub>O content analyzed with the by-difference method, except run 30–39 (analyzed with KFT)

<sup>c</sup> Phase proportions (wt%) calculated from image analysis or mass balance

<sup>d</sup> aH<sub>2</sub>O is higher than 1 due to the error of the by-difference method (±0.5 wt%)

<sup>e</sup> fO<sub>2</sub> estimated as average between COH and CCO oxygen buffers

<sup>f</sup> fO<sub>2</sub> estimated from QUILF95 calculations

na H<sub>2</sub>O content not analyzed successfully; nc H<sub>2</sub>O content not considered

\* Iron loss to the capsule material was calculated by  $(\text{FeO}^*_{\text{melt}}/\text{FeO}^*_{\text{starting glass}}) * 100$  for superliquidus experiments

RXX indicates that material from run XX was used as starting glass

glass. To ensure high quality data, we only used EMP data (eTab. 1) that fulfilled the requirements listed in eTab. 2 and gave reasonable structural formulas (eTab. 3–8).

Relatively high Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> contents of up to 3.3 wt% (eTab. 5) in Afs can be explained by the incorporation of an iron-orthoclase component (KFeSi<sub>3</sub>O<sub>8</sub>, e.g., Ackermann et al. 2004) or by contamination with the surrounding iron-rich residual glass. We compared the concentrations of Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> (<0.1 wt% in Afs of the dyke rock) and TiO<sub>2</sub> (as contaminant) analyzed in Afs analyses relative to the surrounding glass and suggest that the linear correlation between the ratios implies contamination of Afs with the surrounding glass of up to 25 % and a maximum “true” Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> content of 1 wt% (eFig. 2). This is similarly observed for Nph considering an iron-nepheline component, respectively

(NaFeSiO<sub>4</sub>, e.g., Bailey and Schairer 1966); some Nph show even higher contamination than Afs. This and frequently observed Afs inclusions may explain the relatively high SiO<sub>2</sub> content of some Nph analyses.

To estimate the phase proportions, back-scattered electron (BSE) images of all experiments were analyzed quantitatively with the software ImageJ (ver. 1.42q, Abramoff et al. 2004). Where EMP analysis was not possible (crystal size <2 μm), Mag, Cpx and Afs were identified qualitatively. As BSE image analysis only provides two-dimensional surface intersections of the sample, the observed crystal sizes should be considered minimum estimates. Compared with spherical or near-spherical crystal phases, the quantification of non-spherical crystal phases comprises a larger error. For simplicity, the analyzed

area was assumed to be equal with volume relations. Mineral phase densities (Deer et al. 1992) and glass densities (Kloess 2000) were used to calculate weight percent phase proportions. The uncertainty of image analysis was not quantified in detail, but shows deviations up to 5 wt% quantifying different images of the same experiment. Whenever the complete mineral phase assemblage and the residual glass were successfully analyzed, we performed mass balance multiple linear regression analysis (least squares fit) using starting glass data (normalized to 100 wt%) to estimate phase proportions. The standard error of mass balance calculations is always <1 wt%. Image analysis and mass balance calculations of phase proportions were compared and found to be similar (eFig. 3). Still, deviations are smaller for near-spherical crystal phases (Mag, Ol, Nph and Ae) compared with non-spherical crystal phases (Cpx, Afs) being overestimated by image analysis. On account of the smaller error, mass balance is favored over image analysis, whenever the calculation is possible. Trends in the evolution of phase proportions are not significantly affected by the use of the two different methods.

H<sub>2</sub>O contents of the starting and residual glasses were determined with the by-difference method by calculating the difference between the sum of the element oxides based on EMP analysis and 100 wt% (Devine et al. 1995). To check whether the by-difference method is reliable, bulk H<sub>2</sub>O contents of HAF ox and experiments 30–37 were determined by Karl Fischer titration (KFT, Behrens 1995). For the latter method, H<sub>2</sub>O contents were corrected for small amounts of Mag (<4.5 wt%, calculated with mass balance) present in these experiments.

#### Starting glasses, hydrated glasses and H<sub>2</sub>O contents

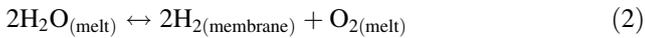
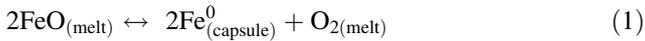
Both starting glasses (HAF ox and HAF red) are bubble- and crystal-free and homogeneous. Similar compositions analyzed with XRF and EMP underline large-scale and small-scale homogeneity and indicate that no significant sodium migration during EMP analysis occurred (Table 1). Chlorine (Cl) and fluorine (F) contents are significantly lower (decreased by 80 % relative) compared with the average dyke rock. This is attributed to their volatility during high-*T* glass synthesis, similarly reported by Lukkari and Holtz (2007) for F. The decrease should only have a minor effect on the phase relations and phase compositions of the halogen-free phenocrysts. However, liquidus and solidus *T* might be increased by some tens of degrees in the experiments as it was found for granitic systems (Manning 1981). Furthermore, saturation of Cl- and F-bearing accessories (e.g., Ap, Fl) could be missed. Thus, the remaining element oxides are relatively increased, but remain within error except for SiO<sub>2</sub> (increased by ~2 wt%). The ferric–ferrous ratio of iron is

roughly 2:1 in the oxidized and 1:1 in the reduced starting glass (Table 1).

Pre-hydrated glasses contain 1.6–4.7 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O analyzed with KFT, recalculated for small amounts of Mag. The H<sub>2</sub>O content calculated based on the by-difference method reveals similar concentrations. However, the large scatter of 1–2 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O is due to the combined effects of the estimated  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  (up to  $\pm 0.5$  wt% H<sub>2</sub>O) and potentially analyzing microcrysts below the BSE detected surface (eFig. 4). Some experiments show apparently negative H<sub>2</sub>O contents (run 58, 70 and 80; eTab. 2), which might be due to the relatively large statistical standard deviation ( $> \pm 1$  wt%) calculated from multiple data points ( $n = 3\text{--}13$ ). An explanation for total values >101 wt% could be crystal phases in the interaction volume below the surface, especially in small residual melt pockets. Indeed, these totals correlate with highly crystallized experiments at  $\leq 800$  °C with 28–64 wt% residual melt. These by-difference H<sub>2</sub>O contents observed in four experiments are highly uncertain and thus not considered in the following.

#### Iron loss to the capsule material

Iron loss to the capsule material in high-*P/T* experiments is a well-known problem, especially when using Pt or Au<sub>80</sub>Pd<sub>20</sub> capsules (e.g., Green and Ringwood 1967). In comparable experimental work, iron loss is prevented by pre-saturation of the capsule material with iron (e.g., Ford 1978; Freise et al. 2009). In contrast, Au was found to be less problematic for iron loss (e.g., Botcharnikov et al. 2008). However, for high *T*, low *f*O<sub>2</sub> and especially low sample/capsule mass ratios, iron loss to Au capsules was suggested to be significant (Ratajeski and Sisson 1999). Our sample/capsules mass ratio for Au capsule experiments is <0.1, which is thought to result in significant iron loss for  $\Delta\log\text{FMQ} < +1$  (Ratajeski and Sisson 1999). Au capsules of experiments with the highest *T* (950 °C) and different H<sub>2</sub>O contents (run 30–37) were analyzed for iron with the EMP and persistently found to be <240 ppm Fe. We attribute this to the oxidizing effect of H<sub>2</sub>O and the almost one order of magnitude higher FeO\* content of our starting composition, resulting in higher apparent sample/capsule mass ratios. Some dry experiments in Au capsules at  $\geq 900$  °C show a significant decrease in FeO\* (900 °C, run 90 and 91: ~33 %; 950 °C, run 72 and 79: ~55 %) and unusually increased #Mg of up to 9 in the residual melt that cannot be explained by coexisting crystal phases. For super-liquidus experiments, iron loss was directly calculated by comparing FeO\* of the starting glass with FeO\* of the melt (run 72, 79, 82; Table 3). An attending effect of iron loss is the production of oxygen (Eq. 1) and the consecutive production of H<sub>2</sub>O through the reaction with hydrogen provided from the pressure medium (Eq. 2).



Initially dry experiments with the highest iron loss therefore show H<sub>2</sub>O contents of 2.5 and 4.5 wt%, respectively, that can only be explained with the aforementioned mechanism. For  $T \leq 850$  °C, the FeO\* content of the residual melt in Au capsules is comparable to experiments in C capsules, #Mg is  $\leq 3$ , and mass balance uncertainties are low.

In C capsules, this problem is less severe while there is no direct contact between Au capsules and melt. Even though we have no indication for iron loss in C capsules (run 82; Table 3), iron might permeate through C capsules by means of a fluid phase. Iron loss is suggested to be negligible for our experiments in C capsules, for H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments in Au capsules and for dry experiments in Au capsules at  $T \leq 850$  °C.

#### Attainment of equilibrium

Near-equilibrium conditions were confirmed by euhedral to subhedral equally distributed and chemically homogeneous crystal phases (Fig. 2), multiple EMP analysis of crystal phases and residual glasses, and the error of mass balance calculation residuals (eTab. 2). Only highly crystallized experiments show residual melt pockets surrounded by crystals, still chemical homogeneity of the coexisting phases is maintained.

Repeated experiments (800 °C, HAF ox, dry, reduced) were found to yield similar phase assemblages, proportions and compositions. Varying the experimental duration from 168 to 504 h did not show significant differences when we examined run 85 and 80 (750 °C, HAF red, dry, reduced). Nevertheless, the variation from 168 to 504 h in run 84, 83 and 77 showed a significant increase in crystal size, and in the 504 h experiment, Ol as additional crystal phase is observed (750 °C, HAF red, dry, reduced). Due to its low abundance (<1 wt%), small crystal size, similarity to Mag in BSE images and the high crystallinity of dry runs at

750 °C (>58 wt%), Ol may have been overlooked or was simply not intersected during preparation in the experiments with shorter run durations.

The variability of #Mg mentioned above for Mag and Cpx may be pulled up to argue for disequilibrium. For Mag, it can simply be explained by analytical limitations as MgO is <0.2 wt% in Mag, and therefore, the analytical error exceeds the observed variability. For Cpx, this is not the case, but  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  shows large variations and this affects #Mg, as it is calculated from  $\text{Mg}/(\text{Mg} + \text{Fe}^{2+})$ . Unusually high #Mg were also reported for iron-rich peralkaline rocks of the Katzenbuckel volcano and accounted to severe changes in  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  (Mann et al. 2006).

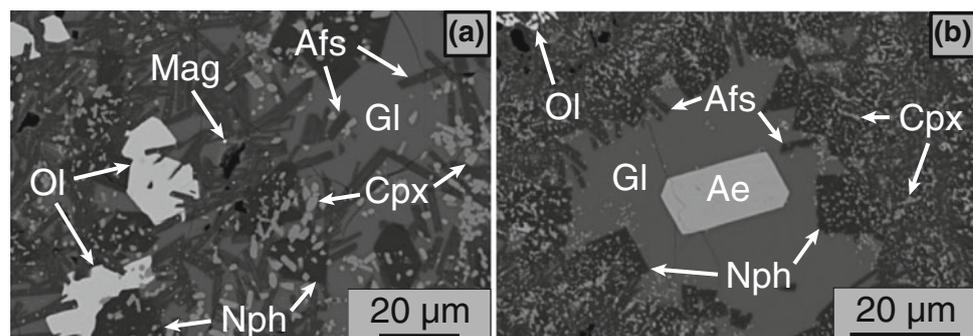
In preliminary oxidized H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments, the run duration was varied from 1 h to 168 h. Neither the size of crystal phases nor their compositions were observed to be significantly different for runs with 4 h or longer. H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments were therefore stopped after 4 h.

For reduced H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments, redox equilibration needs to be evaluated separately. The use of pre-hydrated starting material allows for fast equilibration with the fluid, but small amounts of Mag are inherited from pre-hydration experiments. The experimental  $f\text{O}_2$  in reduced H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing runs should be some 3 log units lower than for the pre-hydration experiments.  $X\text{Usp}$  in Mag is prone to indicate changes in  $f\text{O}_2$ , but remains unchanged compared with the pre-hydrated runs. To conclude, restricted to reduced H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing runs, maybe equilibrium was not fully obtained. We recommend considering these runs critical.

#### Results

Most of the experiments are located within the supersolidus-subliquidus  $T$  interval, and few are located above the liquidus. Run conditions, run products, the H<sub>2</sub>O content of the residual glasses and phase proportions of the experiments are listed in Table 3.

**Fig. 2** BSE images of dry and reduced experiments. **a** Run 95, 800 °C, with the complete phenocryst phase assemblage of the dyke rock, and **b** run 85, 750 °C, with aenigmatite. Crystal phases are abbreviated as Mag *titano magnetite*, Cpx *clinopyroxene*, Afs *alkali feldspar*, Ol *olivine*, Nph *nepheline* and Ae *aenigmatite*



## Phase compositions

Detailed phase proportions and compositions (eTab. 1), as well as formula calculations (eTab. 3–8) and residual glass data (eTab. 9) of the various experiments are given in the electronic appendix. For the illustration of crystal and residual melt compositions, we used the average values of multiple EMP analyses ( $n = 1–20$ ; eTab. 1). The observed crystal phases mimic the phenocryst assemblage of the dyke rock (Fig. 2a; run 95), and a run with stable Ae (Fig. 2b; run 85) is shown in BSE images.

Isometric Mag (1–10  $\mu\text{m}$ ) is present throughout the  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments and is observed in dry experiments at  $T \leq 900$  °C. It represents nearly pure magnetite–ulvöspinel ( $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4\text{--Fe}_2\text{TiO}_4$ , Mag–Usp) solid solutions (Fig. 3a) with minor amounts of  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ , MnO and MgO (<1 wt%). The #Mg roughly decreases with decreasing  $T$ , but the trend is not well defined (Fig. 4). In  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments, XUsp is <0.15. In contrast, dry experiments contain Mag with XUsp up to 0.82, and XUsp decreases with decreasing  $T$ . Comparing  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing and dry experiments,  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  is lower and MnO is higher in dry experiments. In reduced  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments, Mag is slightly rounded (see below).

Cpx is prismatic (1–10  $\times$  5–50  $\mu\text{m}$ ) and occurs in all experiments below 950 °C except run 93. In  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments, Cpx is in most cases too small for EMP analysis; in dry experiments Cpx is generally larger. It represents nearly pure hedenbergite–aegirine ( $\text{CaFeSi}_2\text{O}_6$ , NaFeSi<sub>2</sub>O<sub>6</sub>, Hd–Aeg) solid solutions (Fig. 3b). MgO is below 2.2 wt% and #Mg is positively correlated with  $T$  (Fig. 4), and still this trend shows considerable scatter, even more pronounced than for Mag. XAeg increases with decreasing  $T$  from 0.1 at 900 °C to 0.4 at 750 °C.  $\text{ZrO}_2$  content is increasing up to 1.7 wt% with decreasing  $T$ .

Isometric Ol (5–20  $\mu\text{m}$ , Fig. 3c) occurs only in dry experiments between 900 and 750 °C and approaches fayalitic end member composition (XFa >0.9). The #Mg (2–4) is positively correlated with  $T$ , and the tephroite content (XTe = 0.05–0.07) is relatively constant (Fig. 4).

Ae is present in 750 °C experiments using the reduced starting glass. Isometric crystals are up to 20  $\mu\text{m}$  in diameter. It can be described as aenigmatite–wilkinsonite solid solution with minor amounts of rhönite (Fig. 3d; Kunzmann 1999). Ae is found in residual melt pockets in experiments with less than 50 wt% residual melt with an A. I. >2.9 (Fig. 2b).

Afs is tabular (1–10  $\times$  10 – 50  $\mu\text{m}$ ) and therefore shows similar analytical problems as Cpx (see above). In dry experiments, Afs occurs at  $T \leq 850$  °C, in one experiment (run 92) even at 900 °C. The occurrence of Afs is restricted to low  $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$  for  $T \leq 850$  °C. It represents an intermediate Ab–Or solid solution (Fig. 3e). XAn (0.05–0)

and XAb (0.64–0.56) decrease and XOr (0.33–0.43) increases with decreasing  $T$  (900–750 °C).

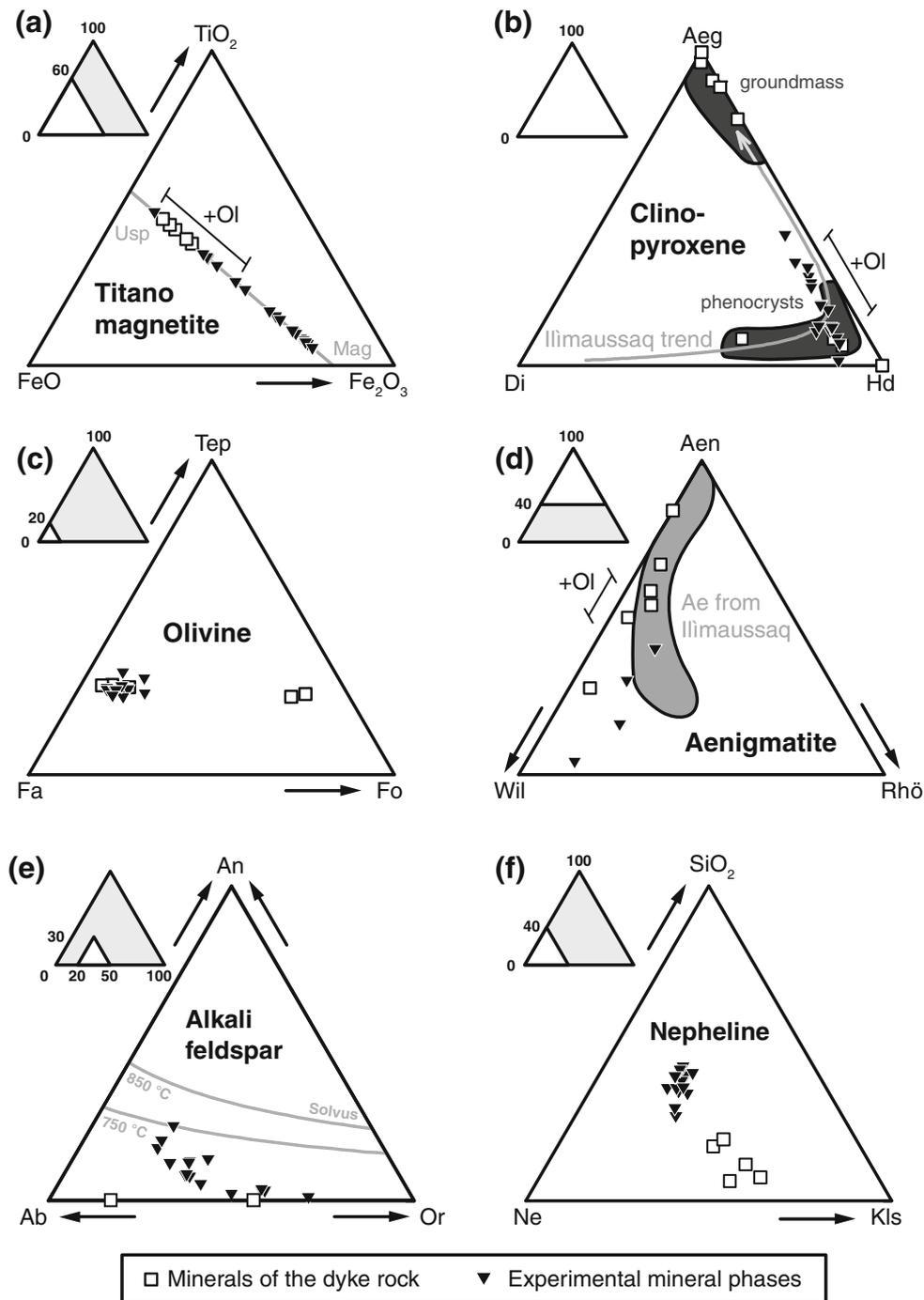
Isometric Nph (10–30  $\mu\text{m}$ ) is only present at  $T \leq 850$  °C in dry experiments. Nph composition can be characterized as nearly pure Nph with minor amounts of kalsilite (Kls) and excess  $\text{SiO}_2$  (Fig. 3f). Small inclusions of Cpx and/or Afs in Nph are common.

## Residual glass compositions

Residual glass is present in all experiments; therefore, the solidus  $T$  is <750 °C. Dry experiments comprise at least 20 wt% residual melt (Table 3). As the  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  content and the interlinked  $f\text{O}_2$  have a strong influence on the amount of residual melt at a certain  $T$ , the experiments are compared best in terms of the amount of residual melt (wt%). In contrast to other experimental work, #Mg as a common indicator of differentiation is not as useful, since #Mg is as low as 3–4 for the starting composition (Table 1).

The observed crystal phase assemblages do not contain  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing phases, thus  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is enriched in the residual melt.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  contents in dry experiments determined with the by-difference method are <1.5 wt%. Totals of reduced  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments are usually lower than in oxidized runs. This is in agreement regarding saturation with fluid having other species than  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , namely  $\text{CO}_2$ ,  $\text{CH}_4$  or CO with solubilities <0.1 wt% at 100 MPa.

The  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  solubility of the melt and the reliability of the by-difference method were confirmed with KFT analyses (eFig. 3). For 100 MPa, the composition shows a  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  solubility of approximately 4.5 wt%, similar to phonolites (Carroll and Blank 1997; Schmidt and Behrens 2008) and peralkaline rhyolites (Di Carlo et al. 2010). Based on the  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  concentrations and the composition of the quenched residual glasses, the solubility model of Burnham (1979) was applied to calculate  $a\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . As this model underestimates  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  solubility, it is necessary to apply a correction factor that calculates from the ratio between the computed solubility of the Burnham model and the analyzed solubility (Holtz et al. 1995). The solubility is affected by the changing composition of the residual melt and changing  $T$ . As analyzed with the by-difference method, residual glasses contain up to 6.0 wt%  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . However, for the calculations, we fixed the solubility to 5.5 wt% for all experiments. With this assumption,  $a\text{H}_2\text{O}$  does not exceed 1 within error of the by-difference method. The prevailing  $f\text{O}_2$  was then calculated using the dissociation reaction of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ; for a detailed description of the procedure, see Freise et al. (2009) and references therein. The error estimates based on the uncertainty of the by-difference method increase with decreasing  $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . Typical errors are  $\pm 0.1$  for  $a\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and  $\pm 0.5$  for  $\Delta\log\text{FMQ}$  close to  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  saturation, still errors increase with decreasing  $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$ .

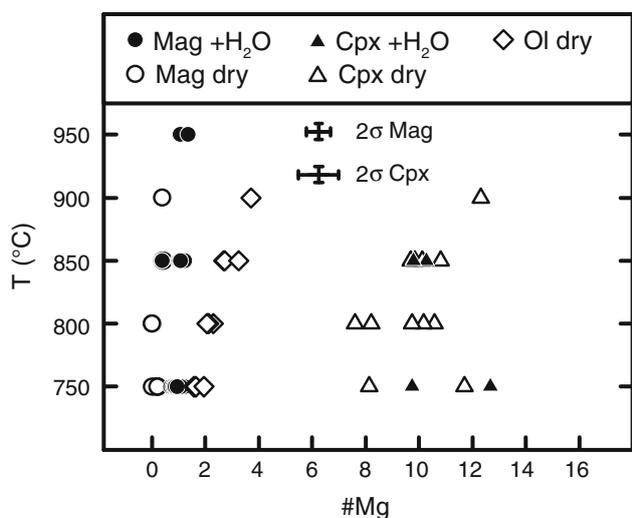


**Fig. 3** Crystal composition of mafic phases: **a** Mag (magnetite–ulvöspinel, Mag–Usp), **b** Cpx (diopside–hedenbergite–aegirine, Di–Hd–Aeg), **c** Ol (forsterite–fayalite–tephroite, Fo–Fa–Tep) and **d** Ae (aenigmatite ( $\text{Na}_2(\text{Fe}^{2+})_5\text{Ti}^{4+}\text{Si}_6\text{O}_{20}$ )–wilkinsonite ( $\text{Na}_2(\text{Fe}^{2+})_4(\text{Fe}^{3+})_2\text{Si}_6\text{O}_{20}$ )–rhönite ( $\text{Ca}_2(\text{Mg}, \text{Fe}^{2+})_4\text{Fe}^{3+}\text{Ti}^{4+}\text{Si}_3\text{Al}_3\text{O}_{20}$ ), Aen–Wil–Rhö). +Ol indicates the range of XUsp (for Mag), XHd (for

Cpx) and XAen (for Ae) with coexisting Ol. The Ilimaussaq trend for Cpx is after Larsen (1976). Crystal composition of felsic phases: **e** Afs (anorthite–orthoclase–albite, An–Or–Ab) and **f** Nph (nepheline–kalsilite– $\text{SiO}_2$ , Ne–Kls– $\text{SiO}_2$ ). Solvus data for Afs are calculated for 100 MPa after Nekvasil and Burnham (1987). Representative data points from the dyke rock are from Marks and Markl (2003)

Cl and F are known to show contrasting partitioning behavior in silicate melts. Whereas Cl partitions preferentially into the aqueous fluid, F favors staying in the melt (e.g., Carroll and Webster 1994). However,

Stelling et al. (2008) showed that the fluid/melt partitioning coefficient in basaltic systems decreases with increasing Cl concentration in the melt. Most basaltic rocks contain <0.1 wt% Cl and F, but alkaline rocks



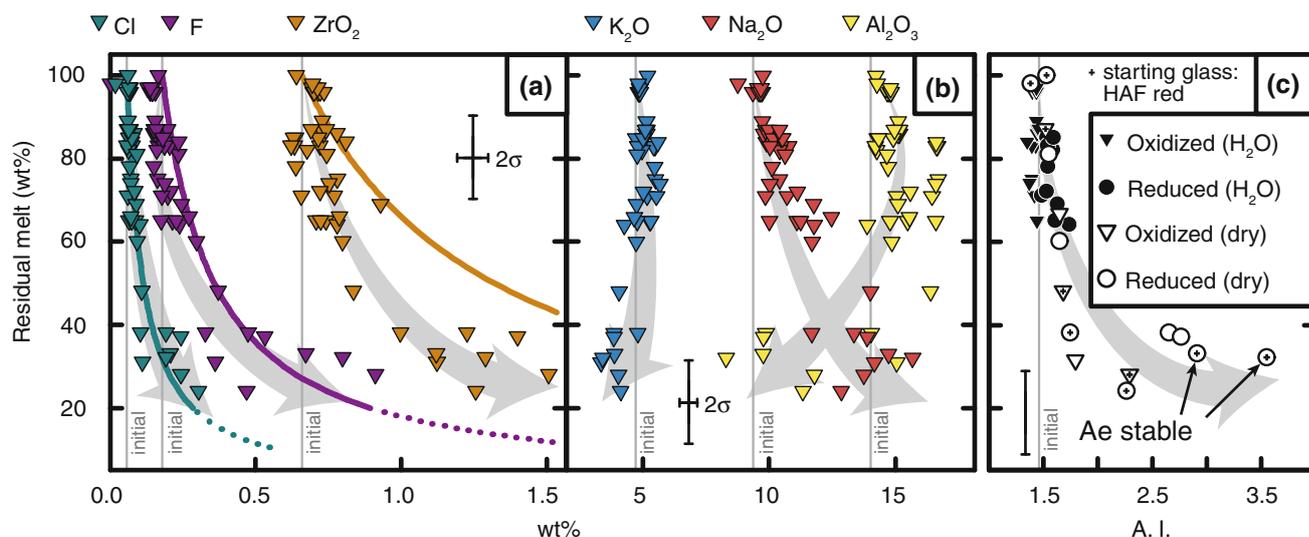
**Fig. 4** The #Mg of experimental crystal phases decreases with falling  $T$ . Shown for Mag, Cpx and Ol

may exhibits significantly higher solubilities of up to 0.5 wt% Cl and 5 wt% F dissolved (Allman and Koritnig 1974; Michael and Schilling 1989). Furthermore, increasing  $\text{FeO}^*$  content and A. I. show a positive effect on Cl solubility (Metrich and Rutherford 1992). In our experiments, we do not observe Cl- or F-bearing crystal phases. In spite of a coexisting fluid phase in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments, Cl and F increase in the residual melt with decreasing amount of residual melt. Thus, Rayleigh fractionation (Rayleigh 1896) was calculated for Cl and F, and the calculations nicely trace the analyzed concentrations (bold lines in Fig. 5a). A similar behavior of Cl and F was

observed in an experimental study on peralkaline rhyolites with a high  $\text{FeO}^*$  content (6.9 wt%) and a high A. I. of 2.0 (Scaillet and MacDonald 2006).  $\text{ZrO}_2$  shows a similar behavior as Cl and F, but deviates significantly from the modeled fractionation curve, which can be explained by significant incorporation of  $\text{ZrO}_2$  (up to 1.8 wt%; eTab. 4) in Cpx.

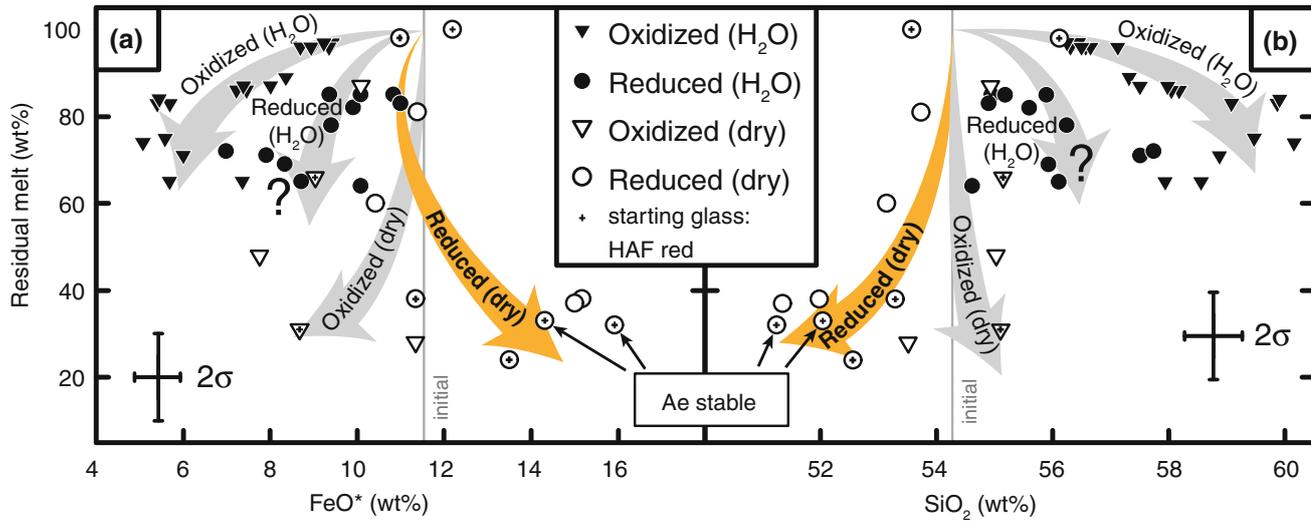
The behavior of  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  is of special interest as their relative concentrations define the A. I. (Fig. 5b).  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$  slightly decreases,  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  increases, and  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  first slightly increases followed by a significant decrease. These trends result in large differences of the A. I. with ratios from 1.35 to 3.55 (Fig. 5c). In contrast, the concentration of CaO in the residual melt decreases in all experiments (eTab. 9).

The major differences in the stable crystal phase assemblage between dry and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments lead to trends in the evolution of the residual melt characterized by changing  $\text{SiO}_2$  and  $\text{FeO}^*$  content (Fig. 6). On the one hand, a strong  $\text{FeO}^*$  decrease with strong  $\text{SiO}_2$  increase for  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing conditions is observed. This trend is similar, yet less pronounced, for dry and oxidized conditions. The influence of redox conditions is clearly observed, as dry and reduced experiments force the opposite evolution toward  $\text{FeO}^*$  increase and  $\text{SiO}_2$  decrease. The experimental results show that the investigated composition is extremely sensitive to  $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$  with different phase assemblages for dry (Mag, Cpx, Ol, Afs, Nph, Ae) compared with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing (Mag, Cpx) conditions at the same  $T$  (Figs. 7, 8). Mag ( $X_{\text{Usp}} \leq 0.15$ ) is stable in all subliquidus  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments, inhibiting  $\text{FeO}^*$  increase in the residual melt.



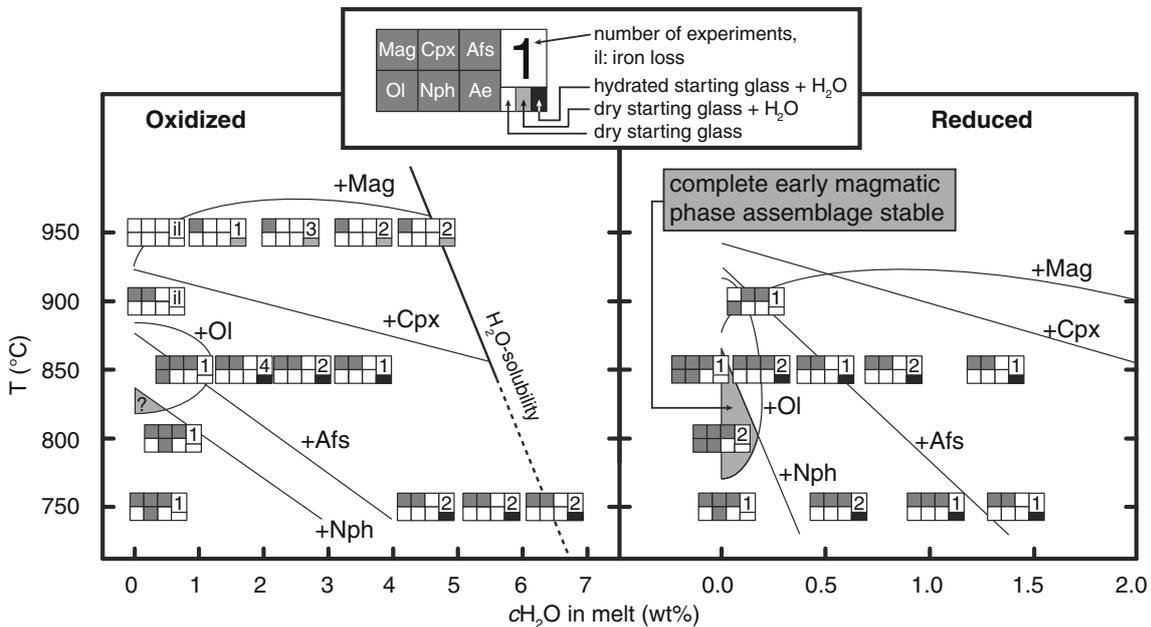
**Fig. 5** Compositional evolution of **a** Cl, F and  $\text{ZrO}_2$ , **b**  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ , **(c)** and the A. I. with decreasing amount of residual melt (wt%). Rayleigh fractionation (no partitioning into the fluid phase, no

incorporation in crystal phases) in the residual melt is shown for Cl, F and  $\text{ZrO}_2$  (bold lines). Since up to 1.7 wt%  $\text{ZrO}_2$  are incorporated in Cpx, the increase in the residual melt is significantly reduced



**Fig. 6** Compositional evolution of **a** FeO\* and **b** SiO<sub>2</sub> in the residual melt shows distinct trends for oxidized and reduced conditions and for variation of the H<sub>2</sub>O content. The residual melt of dry and reduced experiments follows, speaking in basaltic terminology, a “Fenner-

like” trend; whereas H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments follow a “Bowen-like” trend. The residual melt of oxidized dry experiments shows an intermediate behavior



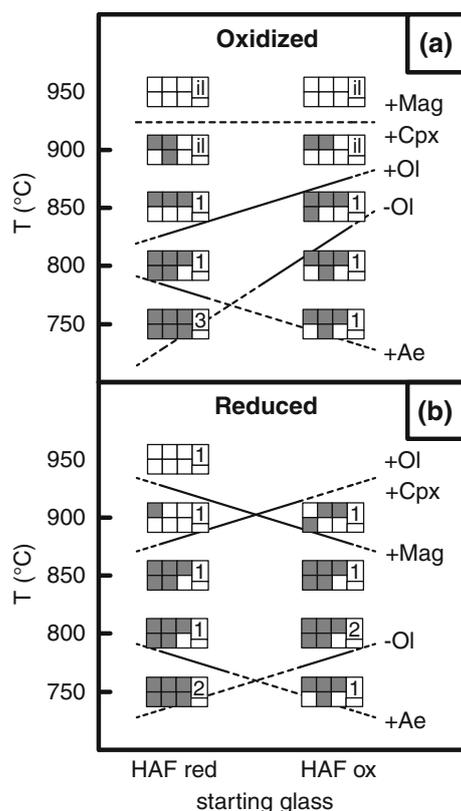
**Fig. 7** Phase relations on the *T* versus *c*H<sub>2</sub>O (melt) plot. The x-axis is extended to negative values due to the large uncertainty of the by-difference method ( $\pm 0.5$  wt%). Crystal phases are abbreviated as

*Mag* titano magnetite, *Cpx* clinopyroxene, *Afs* alkali feldspar, *Ol* olivine, *Nph* nepheline and *Ae* aenigmatite. In all experiments a coexisting residual melt is present

Adjusting dry conditions is difficult and prone to inherit adsorbed H<sub>2</sub>O through capsule preparation (see also experimental methods). Both adsorbing H<sub>2</sub>O and generation of secondary H<sub>2</sub>O through Fe loss (Eqs. 1, 2) may then affect phase relations and compositions.

Phase relations and melt evolution

Phase stabilities dependent on *T* and *c*H<sub>2</sub>O are illustrated in Fig. 7. The stability of *Ol* and *Usp*-rich *Mag* is restricted to dry conditions, and the stability field of *Afs* extends to



**Fig. 8** Phase relations on the  $T$  versus starting glass plot. Phase boundaries for Afs and Nph are not shown. For abbreviations and symbols, see Fig. 7

higher  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  content for lower  $T$ .  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments invariably contain Mag and Cpx. Experiments with the reduced starting glass were only conducted applying dry conditions. The phase relations are compared with the corresponding experiments with the oxidized starting glass in terms of  $T$  (Fig. 8). For the reduced starting glass, the Ol stability field is increased and shifted to lower  $T$  for oxidizing conditions. If the reduced starting glass is used, Ae is observed at 750 °C, and Cpx crystallizes at higher  $T$  and Mag at lower  $T$  for reduced conditions (Fig. 8).

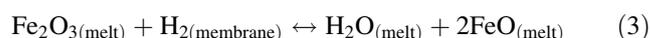
## Discussion

### General interpretations

#### $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$ of the starting glass

The pre-equilibration of starting glasses regarding  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  at conditions close to the experimental  $f\text{O}_2$  is helpful to minimize the time necessary for attaining equilibrium redox conditions (Botcharnikov et al. 2008; Freise et al. 2009). Still, in dry and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments, a range

of several log units is covered due to different  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  contents (e.g., Feig et al. 2006; Andújar et al. 2008; Freise et al. 2009; Feig et al. 2010). According to Holloway et al. (1992) C capsules encapsulated in noble metal capsules place constraints on the  $f\text{O}_2$  in fluid-absent super-liquidus piston-cylinder experiments. The maximum  $f\text{O}_2$  can here be modified by  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  variations of the starting material. In a hydrothermal experimental setup, we expect equilibration toward the intrinsic  $f\text{H}_2$ , which may, in dry experiments, reduce  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$ , leading to an even lower  $f\text{O}_2$  and secondary production of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (Eq. 3).



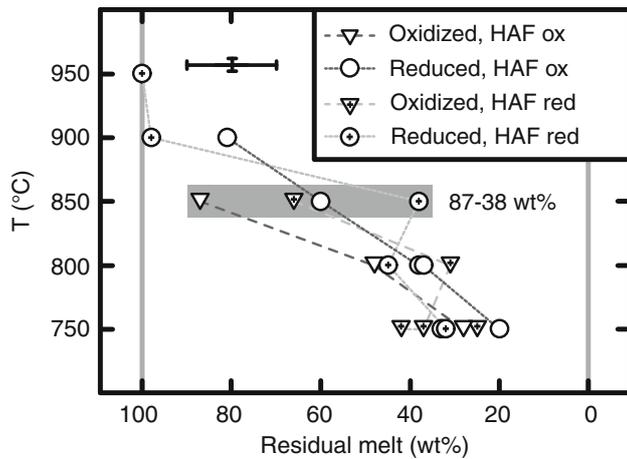
Gaillard et al. (2001) showed that  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  is dominant over  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  in metaluminous and peralkaline glasses for  $\sim \Delta \log \text{FMQ} < +3$ . Furthermore,  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  decreases with decreasing  $T$ , and still the presence of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  was found to increase  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  for  $\sim \Delta \log \text{FMQ} < +2.5$ . Following the procedure of Kress and Carmichael (1991),  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$ 's of residual glasses were calculated. Values are invariantly below 0.4 although the initial  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  adjusted by the starting glass is 0.45 (for HAF red) and 0.61 (for HAF ox), respectively. Thus, according to equation 3, in dry experiments using starting glass HAF ox, up to 0.17 wt% more secondary  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is produced compared with HAF red.

Most striking are the oxidized runs 71 and 79 where significant iron loss to the capsule material occurred. In addition to the reduction of  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$  to  $\text{FeO}$ , alloying with the capsule material (Eqs. 1, 2) liberates more oxygen with the consecutive production of 2.5 and 4.5 wt%  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ .

Although not closed to hydrogen, the oxygen content of dry experiments in the capsule is therefore fixed and differs for variation of initial  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$ . Although we used dried glass powder with relatively large grain size ( $< 300 \mu\text{m}$ ), some  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  may be adsorbed. As all capsules were prepared in the same manner, we expect the amount of adsorbed  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  to be low and similar.

The presence of anhydrous crystal phases, regardless of composition, concentrates dissolved  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in the residual melt attended by increasing  $f\text{O}_2$  and  $f\text{H}_2$ . The effect of variations in secondary  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  production can be seen comparing the crystallinity of the four dry experiment series (Fig. 9). The effect of increasing  $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is decreasing the crystallization  $T$  of crystal phases (Hamilton et al. 1964). This effect is not linear, most effective for low  $c\text{H}_2\text{O} < 1 \text{ wt}\%$  and diminishes for high crystallinity and therefore higher  $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$ .

Both the use of reduced conditions in C capsules and the use of the reduced starting glass contribute to decreasing  $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and, as a consequence, to higher crystallinity at a given  $T$ . At 850 °C, crystallinity varies from 13 % (HAF ox, dry, oxidized) to 62 % (HAF red, dry, reduced). At 750 °C,  $c\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is higher and differences become less



**Fig. 9** Comparison of dry experimental series on the  $T$  versus residual melt (wt%) plot showing different grades of crystallinity for different redox conditions and starting glasses

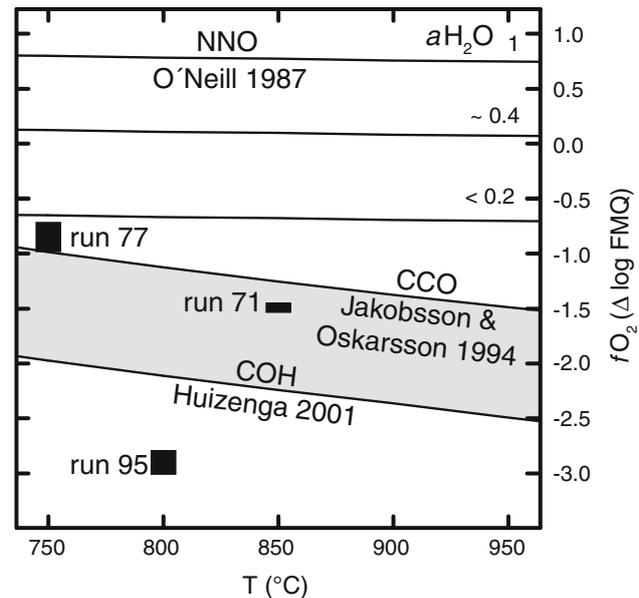
pronounced concerning crystallinity. This results in similar crystallinity for all dry experimental series at 750 °C. For  $H_2O$ -bearing experiments, the effect of producing secondary  $H_2O$  (<0.3 wt%) is negligible since masked by abundant  $H_2O$  added by choice.

#### Calculation of $fO_2$ and $aSiO_2$

For oxidized  $H_2O$ -saturated experiments, the intrinsic  $fO_2$  ( $\sim \Delta \log FMQ + 0.8$ ) is known. Estimations of  $fO_2$  were calculated for  $aH_2O < 1$  ( $\sim \Delta \log FMQ - 0.9$  to  $+0.8$ ) using the solubility model of Burnham (1979) and for dry and fluid-bearing reduced experiments using the CCO (French and Eugster 1965; Jakobsson and Oskarsson 1994) and the COH (French 1966; Ohmoto and Kerrick 1977; Huizenga 2001) oxygen buffer ( $\Delta \log FMQ = -1$  to  $-2.5$ ; Fig. 10).

Additionally,  $fO_2$  can be determined from the composition of coexisting crystal phases bordered by the following limitations: (1) Mag, Cpx and Ol are only stable in dry experiments; and (2) given all crystal phases are stable, they might be too small for quantitative EMP analysis. In three dry experiments (run 71, 77, 95), we were able to calculate  $fO_2$  from the composition of coexisting Mag, Cpx and Ol using the QUILF95 software (version 6.42, Andersen et al. 1993). This method was used before to calculate  $fO_2$  for natural (e.g., Marks and Markl 2003; MacDonald et al. 2011) and experimental phase assemblages (e.g., Nekvasil et al. 2004). We calculated values ranging from  $\Delta \log FMQ - 0.8$  to  $-2.9$  (Fig. 10; Table 4). As these represent oxidized and reduced experiments and different  $T$  (750–850 °C), it can be derived that low  $fO_2$  was successfully adjusted in dry experiments in contrast to more oxidized  $H_2O$ -bearing experiments.

We observe a rough negative correlation between XUs with the abundance of Mag (eFig. 5a) and between XUs



**Fig. 10**  $T$ - $fO_2$  diagram showing the intrinsic  $fO_2$  at  $H_2O$ -saturated conditions ( $aH_2O = 1$ , NNO oxygen buffer),  $fO_2$  estimations for  $aH_2O < 1$ , calculations of the CCO and COH oxygen buffers and QUILF95 calculations for run 71, 77 and 95

and prevailing  $fO_2$  (eFig. 5b). Also, the crystal size of Mag correlates negatively with XUs in Mag, and the low  $TiO_2$  content of the starting glass is here suggested to be the limiting factor. Fe–Ti oxides are known to re-equilibrate with changing  $fO_2$  (Evans and Scaillet 1997) and are therefore a sensitive indicator for redox equilibrium in reduced  $H_2O$ -bearing experiments. Inherited Mag from pre-hydrated starting glasses did not significantly change composition, is slightly rounded and therefore did not fully equilibrate with the coexisting COH fluid in terms of redox conditions. Still, in reduced  $H_2O$ -bearing experiments, the stability field of Cpx in the  $T$ - $cH_2O$  diagram is consistent with oxidized experiments. The stability field of Afs shows the same topology as in oxidized experiments, but is shifted to lower  $cH_2O$ . In Fig. 10  $T$ - $fO_2$  conditions are summarized.

The experimental  $aSiO_2$  was calculated using the QUILF95 software from coexisting Mag, Cpx and Ol ( $aSiO_2 = 0.40$ – $0.70$ ; Table 4) or in Mag-absent experiments from coexisting Cpx and Ol only ( $aSiO_2 = 0.60$ – $0.91$ ). Except for two experiments, these calculations comprise unacceptable large errors of up to  $\pm 0.28$  (Table 4), which we attribute to partly imperfect EMP analyses due to contamination (see above). These results are thus problematic and are not considered further. The experiments with an acceptable error ( $\pm 0.02$ ) gave the lowest values for  $aSiO_2$  of 0.40 and 0.51, which is considered to be reliable and matches the  $aSiO_2$  values calculated for the natural phase assemblage (0.25–0.5; Marks

and Markl 2003). Consistently, EMP analyses for these experiments are of a much better quality.

Using equilibria between coexisting Afs (activity model of Holland and Powell 2003) and Nph (ideal mixing on sites), the calculated  $a\text{SiO}_2$  values are nearly invariant at  $0.36 \pm 0.02$ , values similar to the most reliable QUILF95 calculations and those given by Marks and Markl (2003). It would be tempting to apply AUNILF-type equilibria among Afs, Nph, Mag, Ilm, Cpx and Ol (Schilling et al. 2011), but this is not possible due to the absence of either Nph or Ilm. We conclude that the calculation of  $a\text{SiO}_2$  with QUILF95 from Cpx and Ol only is prone to be erroneous. Still, calculations with Mag, Cpx and Ol require EMP analyses of extremely high quality. Both QUILF95 calculations from Cpx and Ol only and poor EMP analyses are likely to overestimate  $a\text{SiO}_2$ .

#### Phase relations and liquid line of descent

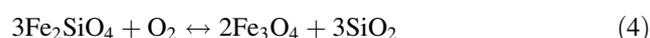
A crucial step during differentiation of more primitive basaltic and andesitic systems is whether Mag precipitates or not, which is controlled by the prevailing  $f\text{O}_2$ . This feature was observed in basaltic systems (Osborn 1959) and confirmed experimentally (Berndt et al. 2005; Botcharnikov et al. 2008; Freise et al. 2009). It results in two opposing evolutionary trends of the coexisting residual melt: Mag precipitation at high  $f\text{O}_2$  will lead to a (speaking in basaltic terminology) calc-alkaline trend with low FeO, high  $\text{SiO}_2$  and a constant FeO/MgO ratio (e.g., Bowen 1928), whereas suppression of Mag crystallization and/or co-crystallization of Ol at low  $f\text{O}_2$  will result in a tholeiitic trend with high FeO, low  $\text{SiO}_2$  and an increasing FeO/MgO ratio (e.g., Fenner 1929). High FeO/low  $\text{SiO}_2$  trends were

observed in nature, for example for Skaergaard melts (Wager and Deer 1939), and reported from experimental studies (Toplis and Carroll 1995; Botcharnikov et al. 2008).

Even though not directly comparable with basaltic systems, similar opposing trends are observed in our study and in an experimental study on peralkaline rhyolites conducted at relatively reducing conditions ( $\sim \Delta\log\text{FMQ} - 1$  to  $-1.5$ ;  $\text{FeO}^*_{\text{initial}} = 7$  wt%; Scaillet and MacDonald 2006). The high FeO and low  $\text{SiO}_2$  trend appears at relatively low  $f\text{O}_2$ , meaning  $\sim \Delta\log\text{FMQ} < -1$  and iron-rich systems (Fig. 6). From existing experimental findings, we cannot rule out that this may also happen in iron-poor systems, although the effect on the liquid line of descent would be smaller.

Comparing  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -bearing experiments at  $950^\circ\text{C}$ , we observe Mag as liquidus phase for a wide range of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  contents in the residual melt (1.3–4.5 wt%). In contrast, reduced dry experiments are above the liquidus at  $950^\circ\text{C}$ . This means, in turn, that the absence of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , combined with low  $f\text{O}_2$ , may decrease the liquidus  $T$  (run 82) or change (run 92) the liquidus phase, whereas the absence of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is usually known to increase the liquidus  $T$ .

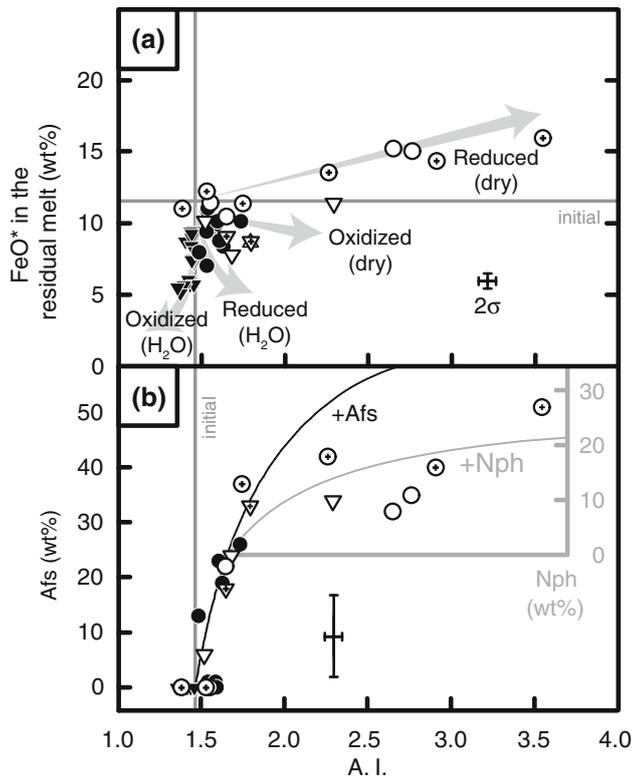
Whenever Mag is successfully analyzed and coexists with Ol,  $X\text{Usp}$  is always  $>0.40$ . From Eq. 4, it can be derived that coexisting Mag and Ol indicate relatively lower  $f\text{O}_2$  compared with Ol-free experiments.



For dry experiments, Mag and Cpx show an increase in  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  with decreasing  $T$  expressed as  $X\text{Usp}$  from 0.55 to 0.20 and as  $X\text{Aeg}$  from 0.02 to 0.42 (eFig. 6a & b). This increase in  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  parallels increasing  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  content and

**Table 4** Calculation of  $f\text{O}_2$  and  $a\text{SiO}_2$

Run	71	95	77	74	87	88	94	81	92
$T$ ( $^\circ\text{C}$ )	850	800	750	850	800	800	800	850	900
Capsule	Au	C	Au	C	Au	C	C	C	C
Starting glass	HAF ox	HAF red	HAF red	HAF ox	HAF red	HAF ox	HAF ox	HAF red	HAF ox
Observed crystal phases	<b>Mag</b> <b>Cpx</b> Afs <b>Ol</b>	<b>Mag</b> <b>Cpx</b> Afs <b>Ol</b> Nph	<b>Mag</b> <b>Cpx</b> Afs <b>Ol</b> Nph Ae	Mag <b>Cpx</b> Afs <b>Ol</b> Nph	Mag <b>Cpx</b> Afs <b>Ol</b> Nph	Mag <b>Cpx</b> Afs <b>Ol</b> Nph	Mag <b>Cpx</b> Afs <b>Ol</b> Nph	Mag <b>Cpx</b> Afs <b>Ol</b> Nph	<b>Cpx</b> Afs <b>Ol</b>
$\Delta\log\text{FMQ}$	-1.5 (1)	-2.9 (1)	-0.8 (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-
QUILF95 $a\text{SiO}_2$	0.51 (01)	0.40 (02)	0.70 (07)	0.91 (27)	0.70 (21)	0.62 (13)	0.60 (22)	0.68 (17)	0.85 (28)
QUILF95 $a\text{SiO}_2$	-	0.35	0.38	0.35	0.35	-	0.34	0.35	-
Afs-Nph									



**Fig. 11** **a** Systematics of FeO\* compared with the A. I. of the residual melt. The uncertainty is smaller than the symbol size. **b** Changes in the A. I. were modeled exclusively influenced by Afs crystallization (+Afs, black line). The extended model additionally takes into account Nph crystallization, starting from the minimum amount Afs (24 wt%) where coexisting Nph is observed (+Nph, gray line). For symbols, see Figs. 5 and 6

increasing A. I. of the residual melt (eFig. 6c & d). In contrast, H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments do not show such a correlation and no strong increase in Na<sub>2</sub>O and A.I. is observed. XFe<sup>3+</sup> in Mag is always higher in H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing experiments compared with dry runs. The most straightforward explanation would be that higher H<sub>2</sub>O contents (through the decreasing amount of residual melt) are responsible for higher *f*O<sub>2</sub> values, with different amounts of secondary H<sub>2</sub>O produced depending on the XFe<sup>3+</sup> of the starting glass (Eq. 3, see above). On the other hand, increasing alkalinity is known to increase the solubility of HFSE elements like Ti<sup>4+</sup> and Zr<sup>4+</sup> (Watson 1979; Dickenson and Hess 1986) and the XFe<sup>3+</sup> in melts even at constant oxygen fugacity (Giuli et al. 2012). We observe an increase in XFe<sup>3+</sup> in Cpx with increasing Na<sub>2</sub>O and A.I. of the coexisting residual melt for both oxidized and reduced conditions and both starting glasses. Markl et al. (2010) suggested that Aeg crystallization reduces the coexisting melt/fluid by the coupled incorporation of Na<sup>+</sup> and Fe<sup>3+</sup> in Cpx, which might be an alternative explanation for the correlation of Na<sub>2</sub>O, A.I. and XFe<sup>3+</sup> with falling

*T* and increasing amount of residual melt in our experiments.

Aenigmatite represents a mineral phase of the late-magmatic groundmass of the dyke rock. In our experiments, Ae is observed at 750 °C, but only if the reduced starting glass was used. Ae coexists with a residual melt with a high A. I. >2.9 (Fig. 5c). The extended *T* stability field of Ol and the stabilization of Ae at 750 °C underline the effect of the reduced starting glass (Fig. 8). For oxidized experiments, XFe<sup>3+</sup> in Ae (expressed as XWil) is higher compared with reduced experiments, confirming the lower *f*O<sub>2</sub> (Fig. 3d).

#### Evolution of the residual melt

As shown above, FeO\* and SiO<sub>2</sub> are beneficial to distinguish between different evolution trends for the residual melt. Precipitation of Mag is prevented involving a fractionating assemblage dominated by Afs and Ol. This leads to the fundamental difference for the liquid line of descent regarding FeO\* and SiO<sub>2</sub> content. Whereas in oxidized experiments the decrease in FeO\* (crystallization of Mag) does not change the A. I. significantly, in reduced experiments, the increase in FeO\* is linked to a strong increase in the A. I. (Fig. 11a). The A. I. of the residual melt was modeled for the simplified case of exclusively crystallizing Afs. If Afs is not stable, the A. I. roughly exhibits the initial value (±0.1). Removing equal molar amounts of Na+K and Al from the melt with an initial value higher than 1 by crystallizing Afs, the A. I. increases in terms of an exponential function tracing the analyzed residual melt compositions of our experiments (Fig. 11b). This effect is intensified by the onset of Nph crystallization (max. 15 wt%) observed with at least 24 wt% coexisting Afs. From this point, the A. I. of the residual melt was additionally calculated for simultaneously crystallizing equal amounts of Nph (Fig. 11b). Even though other stable crystal phases are not considered in this calculation, both curves roughly parallel the A. I. of our residual melt compositions.

In summary, we state that only under dry and reduced conditions, a FeO\* increase and SiO<sub>2</sub> decrease can be realized. The crystallization of Afs and Nph controls the A. I. of the residual melt and is necessary to reach extreme peralkalinity.

#### Comparison with previous experimental work

We chose three experimental studies representing basaltic (Botcharnikov et al. 2008), rhyolitic (Di Carlo et al. 2010) and phonolitic compositions (Andújar et al. 2008) for comparison, each having distinct similarities to the starting composition of this study. The basaltic composition has a similar FeO\* content, the rhyolite holds similar #Mg and

A. I., and the phonolite is identical in terms of the TAS classification (total alkalis vs. silica; Le Bas et al. 1986).

The correlation of  $fO_2$  with liquidus  $T$  of Mag ( $\sim 200$  °C for 5 log units lower  $fO_2$ ) is known for more primitive, iron-rich basaltic systems, whereas the  $T$  stability field for Mag is only slightly decreased for increasing  $X_{H_2O}$ . Whereas Mag is liquidus phase for oxidizing conditions ( $\Delta\log FMQ > +1.5$ ) and  $X_{H_2O} > 0.2$ , Ol replaces Mag as liquidus phase at constant  $X_{H_2O}$  and more reducing conditions ( $\Delta\log FMQ < +1.5$ ). It was also noted that, for oxidizing conditions ( $\Delta\log FMQ > +2$ ), increasing  $fO_2$  interlinked with increasing  $a_{H_2O}$  may increase the liquidus  $T$ , which is contrary to the well-known decrease in liquidus  $T$  in the presence of  $H_2O$ . However, these conditions are expected to be rare or absent in nature, particularly regarding basaltic systems (Botcharnikov et al. 2008). For lower  $fO_2$  and  $a_{H_2O}$ , the liquidus phases change to Ol, Cpx (with #Mg  $> 70$ ) and plagioclase (Pl,  $X_{An} > 60$ ).

Similarly, in this study, crystallization  $T$  of Mag increases with increasing  $a_{H_2O}$  and  $fO_2$  (see run 82 compared to runs 30–39, Fig. 7). As our composition is extremely evolved, Ol (#Mg  $< 4$ ), Cpx (#Mg  $< 12$ ) and Afs (analogous to Pl) crystallize at 200–300 °C lower  $T$  and take the place of Mag as liquidus phases (run 92). The decrease in liquidus  $T$  is also observed in experiments with the reduced starting glass (run 82), but here Mag is again liquidus phase, and Ol, Cpx and Afs crystallize at even lower  $T$ . As  $fO_2$  is more than three log units lower in our study (the intrinsic value is  $\Delta\log FMQ + 0.8$  compared with  $+4.2$ ), this effect is likely to be more relevant in more evolved natural systems comparable to this study.

A study on peralkaline rhyolites by Di Carlo et al. (2010) is comparable to our starting composition in terms of #Mg and A. I. (Fig. 1), but with lower  $FeO^*$  and higher  $SiO_2$  content. Mag is absent, which we attribute to the lower  $FeO^*$  content. Stability of quartz and absence of Nph are explained by the silica saturation, amphibole is stabilized only below 700 °C, and again Ol is not observed. The extensive crystallization of Afs was stressed likewise to reach extreme peralkalinity (up to A. I. = 3.5). However, at 100 MPa,  $T \leq 750$  °C and  $\Delta\log FMQ \leq 0$ , Ae coexists with a melt having a relatively low A. I. (1.3–1.5), Afs and sodic Cpx ( $\pm$ sodic Amph). Previous work suggests that Ti is crucial to stabilize Ae at pressures above 90 MPa and Ti-bearing Ae is not stable for  $\Delta\log FMQ > +1$  (Ernst 1962; Thompson and Chisholm 1969). Maximum  $T$  stability at 750 °C and low  $fO_2$  are in agreement with our results. Mag and Ae were proposed not to coexist having a peritectic relation with each other, resulting in a no-oxide field in  $T$ - $fO_2$  space (Nicholls and Carmichael 1969). This is in agreement with experimental data (Di Carlo et al. 2010). In contrast, we observe coexisting Mag and Ae and suggest that a no-oxide field might be intersected at lower

$T$  owing to the low  $fO_2$  in experiments of this study ( $\Delta\log FMQ < -1$ ).

A relatively evolved phonolitic composition was experimentally investigated by Andújar et al. (2008). However, their starting composition is still lower in CaO,  $FeO^*$  and A. I. and higher in  $Al_2O_3$  and  $SiO_2$  compared with our study. Additional phases found in their experiments are Spn, hauyne (Hyn) and biotite, but Ol, Nph and Ae are absent. Spn might be stabilized due to the higher  $fO_2$ , and Hyn is probably a result of abundant S in the system. The A. I. is remarkably constant in all residual glasses (0.9–1.2) similar to other phonolites (Berndt et al. 2001: 0.7–1.0; and Freise et al. 2003: 0.6–1.2) with an initial A. I.  $\sim 1$ .

Even though our studied composition is extremely evolved, basaltic features are preserved by the high  $FeO^*$  content accompanied by Mag and Ol stability with strong influence of  $fO_2$ . Alkali feldspar is, as for peralkaline rhyolites and phonolites, the most abundant crystal phase. Liquidus  $T$ 's of felsic phases are depressed with increasing  $a_{H_2O}$  in all three studies, which is also observed in our experiments. However, if the starting composition has an A. I. close to 1, Afs ( $\pm$ Nph) crystallization is not able to direct the liquid line of descent toward extreme peralkalinity.

#### Comparison with the dyke rock

The extreme fractionation trend found in the Ilímaussaq complex is believed to be governed by low  $a_{SiO_2}$ , low  $a_{H_2O}$ , low  $fO_2$  and a principally closed-system evolution (Larsen 1976; Markl 2001; Markl et al. 2001; Marks and Markl 2001). Our experimental results confirm this regarding phase stabilities and phase compositions (Figs. 3, 7, 8).

Cpx and Ol phenocrysts of the dyke rock can be divided into two groups with relatively high ( $X_{Di} = 0.35$ ;  $X_{Fo} = 0.12$ – $0.13$ ) and relatively low #Mg ( $X_{Di} = 0.08$ – $0.10$ ;  $X_{Fo} = 0.01$ – $0.03$ ; Marks and Markl 2003; Fig. 3b, c). Our synthetic Cpx and Ol nicely match the low #Mg type. Cpx and Ol with higher #Mg as found in the dyke rock may well be crystallized and transported at an earlier stage of differentiation and/or significantly higher  $T$  than in our experiments. The phase diagram shows that the Ol stability field is limited in terms of  $T$  and  $fO_2$ , and another explanation for the absence of Ol would be slightly higher  $a_{H_2O}$  and/or  $fO_2$  following a crystallization path not intersecting the Ol stability field (Fig. 7). Mag, Cpx and Ol phenocrysts in the dyke rock itself are absent in samples close to the wall rock ( $< 1$  m), and the complete early magmatic phenocryst assemblage is observed at a minimum distance of 1.5 m (Marks and Markl 2003). This might simply be explained by different flow rates close to the wall rock given the phenocrysts were probably already crystallized during emplacement.

Large amounts of Afs, Nph and Sdl are typical for evolved alkaline igneous rocks (Marks et al. 2011). Our study emphasizes the importance of Afs and Nph crystallization coupled with an initial A. I.  $>1$  for the evolution toward extreme peralkalinity (Fig. 11b). In the dyke Ap, Fl, Sdl and Eud are observed, but our experiments did not produce any Cl- or F-bearing crystal phases. As Cl and F are decreased by 80 % relative to our starting glass, a larger proportion of crystal phases will be required to saturate Cl and F in the residual melt to stabilize the aforementioned crystal phases. The absence of distinct Zr phases in our experiments is in contrast to the abundant Eud and Hjo in the natural dyke rock (Larsen and Steenfelt 1974; Marks and Markl 2003). This might explain the distinctively higher ZrO<sub>2</sub> contents in our synthetic Cpx (0.37–1.72 wt% ZrO<sub>2</sub>) compared to Cpx found in the natural dyke rocks ( $\leq 0.31$  wt%; Marks and Markl 2003). Thus, the incompatible behavior of ZrO<sub>2</sub> and the absence of a Zr phase cause an increase in ZrO<sub>2</sub> in Cpx with decreasing experimental  $T$  (eTab. 4),

## Conclusions

Our experimental study showed that a dyke rock linked to the Ilímaussaq intrusion formed from a melt with low  $fO_2$  and probably low  $cH_2O$ . H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing and dry experiments represent two differentiation trends for oxidized H<sub>2</sub>O-bearing and for reduced dry experiments. This is because for reduced conditions Ol dominates over Mag, contrary to what is observed for oxidized conditions. The increase in FeO and interlinked decrease in SiO<sub>2</sub> can only be realized for reduced and dry experiments using the reduced starting glass. In contrast to the usually observed effect of decreasing the liquidus  $T$ , the presence of H<sub>2</sub>O and interlinked higher  $fO_2$  seems to increase the liquidus  $T$  in our experiments, at least for low H<sub>2</sub>O concentrations ( $cH_2O < 1$  wt%).

In a model calculation, we showed that extensive Afs and Nph crystallization controls the A. I. and is therefore, coupled with an initial A. I.  $\gg 1$ , necessary to reach extreme peralkalinity as indicated from the late-magmatic mineral assemblage. The use of a starting glass with lower  $XFe^{3+}$  reduces the secondary production of H<sub>2</sub>O, influencing phase relations for initially dry experiments. Most remarkable are the expansion of the Ol stability field in terms of  $T$  and the stabilization of Ae at 750 °C.

The detailed comparison of phase relations, main and trace elements in natural and synthetic crystal phases, reveals similarities as follows: all mineral phases of the early magmatic assemblage were successfully reproduced in dry experiments at 850–800 °C (run 74, 88, 94, 87, 81 and 95). The phase compositions matching best are

observed in run 95 at 800 °C at dry and reduced conditions ( $fO_2 \sim \Delta \log FMQ - 2.9$ ) using the reduced starting glass. The increase in  $fO_2$  with decreasing  $T$  in the dyke rock is exemplified by early Hd-rich Cpx followed by increasing XAeg in Cpx, also observable in dry experiments. The observation of Ae at 750 °C in residual melt pockets with high A. I. indicates the transition to late-magmatic dyke rock conditions.

## Outlook

Ongoing studies will simulate fractional crystallization processes by using the residual melt composition of experiments with the complete coexisting early magmatic phase assemblage. By applying a lower synthesis  $T$ , we will try to minimize the loss of Cl and F during glass synthesis. Additionally, the halogen loss will be compensated by adding more halogens than the target composition.

Reduced H<sub>2</sub>O-rich probably did not fully equilibrate in terms of  $fO_2$ ; therefore, either further time-dependent experiments or the use of a different experimental setup is necessary to assure near-equilibrium conditions in those experiments.

An analytical challenge will be a more precise determination of the H<sub>2</sub>O content in the residual glasses with micro FT-IR spectroscopy calibrated with KFT.

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**Abstract** Fluorine and chlorine affect phase stabilities in magmatic rocks. We present phase equilibrium experiments investigating a peralkaline and iron-rich phonolitic composition with variable F and Cl contents. The starting composition represents a dyke rock, which is a possible parental melt to the peralkaline Ilímaussaq plutonic complex (South Greenland). Experiments were performed at 100 MPa, 1,000–650 °C and low oxygen fugacity adjusted with graphite-lined gold capsules in an internally heated argon pressure vessel and rapid quench cold seal pressure vessels. To cover this large  $T$  interval, we applied a two-step fractional crystallization strategy where glasses representing residual melt compositions at 800 °C were synthesized as starting material for consecutive experiments at lower  $T$ . In these experiments, oxidized starting glasses allocate oxygen by reduction of ferric iron and up to 1.2 wt% dissolved OH form through reaction with hydrogen provided by the pressure medium ( $H_2O$ ) in initially dry experiments. For OH determination, hydrated super-liquidus experiments in Au capsules were performed to calibrate the extinction coefficient for the fundamental OH stretching vibration using infrared spectroscopy ( $\epsilon_{3,415} = 48 \pm 3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ). Observed mineral phases in our experiments are titanomagnetite, fayalitic olivine,

clinopyroxene, aenigmatite ( $Na_2Fe_5TiSi_6O_{20}$ ), alkali feldspar and nepheline ( $\pm$ native iron) coexisting with residual melt. Above 1.5 wt%  $F_{\text{melt}}$  concentrations, fluorite ( $CaF_2$ ) and hiortdahlite ( $Ca_6Zr_2Si_4O_{16}F_4$ ) are stable in favor of Ca-rich clinopyroxene. Sodalite ( $Na_8Al_6Si_6O_{24}Cl_2$ ) and eudialyte ( $Na_{15}Ca_6Fe_3Zr_3Si_{26}O_{73}(OH)_3Cl_2$ ) form at  $Cl_{\text{melt}}$  concentrations of 0.2–0.5 wt% (depending on  $T$ ) and  $ZrO_{2 \text{ melt}}$  concentrations  $>0.7$  wt% are additionally needed to stabilize eudialyte and hiortdahlite. Therefore, F and Cl may become compatible in such systems and have the potential to influence F/Cl melt ratios in evolving magmas.

**Keywords** Phase equilibrium experiment · Liquid line of descent · Halogens · Phonolite · Ilímaussaq · Agpaitic · Eudialyte · Infrared spectroscopy · Extinction coefficient

### Introduction

Peralkaline silicate melts have high solubilities of volatile components like  $H_2O$ ,  $CO_2$ , S, F, Cl and Br (Kogarko 1974; Burnham 1979; Bureau and Métrich 2003; Scaillet and Macdonald 2006). Retention of alkalis and volatiles in these melts induces an unusually large crystallization interval (e.g., Piotrowski and Edgar 1970; Sood and Edgar 1970) and causes high solubilities of highly charged cations like  $Ti^{4+}$ ,  $Zr^{4+}$  and  $Fe^{3+}$  (Watson 1979; Dickenson and Hess 1986; Hess 1991; Keppler 1993; Bartels et al. 2010). Silicate melts may contain up to 7 wt% F and 1 wt% Cl (e.g., Carroll and Holloway 1994; Webster and Duffield 1994; Aiuppa et al. 2009). Such elevated concentrations of F and Cl influence phase stabilities, solidus temperatures and viscosities (e.g., Foley et al. 1986; Luth 1988; Carroll 2005; Aiuppa et al. 2009; Filiberto and Treiman 2009; Filiberto et al. 2012; Baasner et al. 2013).

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The most common halogen-bearing minerals in magmatic rocks are apatite, mica and amphibole, and less common are titanite, fluorite and topaz (e.g., Price et al. 1996; Marshall et al. 1998; Frindt et al. 2004; Gioncada et al. 2014). In peralkaline rocks, further halogen-bearing minerals such as sodalite, villiaumite, eudialyte and hiortdahlite (see Table 1 for mineral formulae) may occur. Peralkaline rocks are subdivided into miaskitic (with titanite and zircon) and agpaite varieties, and the latter are characterized by complex Na–Ca–Fe–HFSE silicates such as the above-mentioned ones (Sørensen 1997; Marks et al. 2011). To achieve magma evolution from miaskitic to agpaite, increasing concentrations of alkalis, H<sub>2</sub>O and halogens were suggested to be key factors (Scaillet and Macdonald 2003; Andersen et al. 2010; Marks et al. 2011).

Eudialyte and hiortdahlite are characteristic for agpaite rocks, and their high concentrations of, e.g., Zr, REEs, U and Th emphasize their economic potential (Sørensen 1992, 1997; Chakhmouradian and Zaitsev 2012). To date, eudialyte is mined in the Lovozero complex (Russia, Kramm and Kogarko 1997; Zakharov et al. 2011) and recent exploration activity rated the agpaite Ilímaussaq plutonic complex (South Greenland) as a world-class REE and U deposit (e.g., Parsons 2012). As thermodynamic phase stability calculations disregard halogens (e.g., MELTS, Ghiorso and Sack 1995; Aiuppa et al. 2009; Rooney et al. 2012) and stabilities of, e.g., eudialyte and hiortdahlite are mainly unknown, there is a need to investigate such mineral phases experimentally.

The Ilímaussaq complex is a well-studied agpaite complex (see the recent reviews of Sørensen 2001; Marks and Markl in press). A peralkaline iron-rich phonolitic dyke closely linked to the intrusion shows similar mineral assemblages and mineral chemistry compared with the Ilímaussaq plutonic rocks. These analogies offer convincing evidence that the dyke composition may be similar to the Ilímaussaq parental magma (Larsen and Steinfeldt 1974; Marks and Markl 2003). A first set of crystallization experiments using the dyke composition reproduced the phenocryst assemblage (Mag, Ol, Cpx, Afs and Nph) at strongly reducing ( $fO_2 \sim \Delta \log \text{FMQ} - 3$ ) and nominally dry conditions at 850–800 °C and 100 MPa (Giehl et al. 2013). The concentrations of Cl and F in coexisting melts reached 0.3 and 0.9 wt%, respectively, but no halogen-bearing mineral phases were observed yet. In highly crystallized experiments, the presence of Ae indicated the transition to the agpaite magmatic stage. However, large-scale equilibration in these runs is questionable because isolated melt pools form independent subsystems. In the present study, we use an experimental step-wise fractional crystallization strategy (Villiger et al. 2004) to overcome this problem. This allows for the experimental investigation of a large  $T$  interval of crystallization as is typical for

**Table 1** Mineral phases with abbreviations and simplified formulae

Mineral phase	Abbreviation	Formula
Titanomagnetite	Mag	Fe <sub>2</sub> (Fe,Ti)O <sub>4</sub>
Olivine	Ol	(Fe,Mg)SiO <sub>4</sub>
Clinopyroxene	Cpx	(Ca,Na)FeSi <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub>
Alkali feldspar	Afs	(Na,K)AlSi <sub>3</sub> O <sub>8</sub>
Nepheline	Nph	Na <sub>3</sub> KAl <sub>4</sub> Si <sub>4</sub> O <sub>16</sub>
Aenigmatite	Ae	Na <sub>2</sub> Fe <sub>5</sub> TiSi <sub>6</sub> O <sub>20</sub>
F-bearing phases		
Fluorite	Fl	CaF <sub>2</sub>
Hiortdahlite	Hio	(Ca,Na) <sub>6</sub> Zr <sub>2</sub> Si <sub>4</sub> O <sub>14–16</sub> F <sub>4</sub>
Apatite-(F)	Ap	Ca <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> (OH,F)
<i>Villiaumite</i>	Vil	NaF
<i>Arfvedsonite</i>	Arf	Na <sub>3</sub> Fe <sub>5</sub> Si <sub>8</sub> O <sub>22</sub> (OH,F) <sub>2</sub>
Cl-bearing phases		
Sodalite	Sdl	Na <sub>8</sub> Al <sub>6</sub> Si <sub>6</sub> O <sub>24</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>
Eudialyte	Eud	Na <sub>15</sub> Ca <sub>6</sub> Fe <sub>3</sub> Zr <sub>3</sub> Si <sub>26</sub> O <sub>73</sub> (OH) <sub>3</sub> (Cl,OH) <sub>2</sub>

Mineral phases *in italics* were not synthesized in this study

peralkaline melts. We use a starting composition with Cl and F concentrations six times higher compared with the composition of the previous study. Both Cl and F resemble the concentrations of the above-mentioned dyke rock (0.4 wt% Cl and 1.0 wt% F) in order to study the phase relations of observed halogen-bearing phases (Fl, Hio, Sdl, Eud, Table 1).

## Experimental methods

### Experimental strategy

In the previous study (Giehl et al. 2013), we investigated the phenocryst assemblage (1) of the dyke including Mag, fayalitic Ol, hedenbergite-rich Cpx, Afs and Nph. Experiments with added water (and the concomitant increase in  $fO_2$  as induced by the experimental setup) invariably lead to the crystallization of large amounts of Mag resulting in low FeO\*/high SiO<sub>2</sub> liquid lines of descent. In contrast, nominally dry experiments stabilized a phase assemblage matching the phenocrysts of the dyke following a high FeO\*/low SiO<sub>2</sub> liquid line of descent. Moreover, mineral phases were generally larger in those experiments.

In this study, we focus on the evolved stage of magma evolution with particular emphasis on the role of Cl and F. In the dyke, the evolved stage is represented by the groundmass assemblage (2) consisting of albite and microcline as separate grains, Nph, aegirine-rich Cpx, Ae, Cl-bearing Sdl and Eud and F-bearing Fl, Hio and Arf (Table 1). This is applicable to the Ilímaussaq plutonic

**Table 2** Experimental series and respective starting glasses

Experiment series	Primitive starting glass	Evolved starting glass
Low halogen oxidized	HAF-ox\pr <sup>a</sup>	HAF-ox\lev
Low halogen reduced	HAF-red\pr <sup>a</sup>	HAF-red\lev
High halogen	HAF-hH-red\pr	HAF-hH-red\lev

<sup>a</sup> Giehl et al. (2013)

rocks exhibiting similar phase assemblages in the early augite syenite phase (1) and the agpaite main phase (2).

For these purposes, the starting glass composition from Giehl et al. (2013) was modified regarding Cl (0.4 wt%) and F (1.0 wt%) concentrations, according to the bulk rock analyses from Larsen and Steenfelt (1974). To follow up the liquid lines of descent, three glasses representing melt compositions from nominally dry phase equilibrium experiments at 800 °C and low  $fO_2$  were synthesized and used as evolved starting compositions. Therefore, three experimental series are distinguished (Tables 2, 3). Starting glasses representing the bulk dyke rock are termed

“primitive,” and starting glasses representing residual melt compositions of primitive experiments are termed “evolved” for convenience.

In primitive low halogen experiments (oxidized and reduced are similar), the stable phase assemblage at 800 °C represents the complete phenocryst assemblage of the dyke rock. However, reaction textures of these phenocrysts (Mag, Cpx and Ol) in the dyke rock show disequilibrium with groundmass minerals (Ae and Na-rich Cpx, Fig. 3 in Marks and Markl 2003). Therefore, melts coexisting with the phenocryst assemblage were used as evolved starting composition, which is comparable to the withdrawal of phenocrysts from equilibrium with the melt as observed in the dyke rock. Evolved starting glasses are therefore expected to reproduce the dykes’ late-magmatic groundmass assemblage in consecutive experiments where H<sub>2</sub>O-poor conditions and low  $fO_2$  are maintained. Accordingly, all evolved experiments were conducted under reduced and H<sub>2</sub>O-poor conditions using residual melt composition tapped from primitive experiments at 800 °C.

**Table 3** Composition of starting glasses in wt% determined with EMP analyses

Data from	Giehl et al. (2013)	This study	Giehl et al. (2013)	This study	This study	This study
T (°C)	900–750	800–650	950–750	800–700	1,000–750	800–700
Exp. series	Low halogen oxidized		Low halogen reduced		High halogen	
Starting gl.	HAF-ox\pr	HAF-ox\lev (residual melt run 94, $T = 800$ °C)	HAF-red\pr	HAF-red\lev (residual melt run 95, $T = 800$ °C)	HAF-hH-red\pr	HAF-hH-red\lev (residual melt run 113, $T = 800$ °C)
#Mg	3	1	3	1	3	3
A. I.	1.5	2.7	1.5	2.2	1.5	2.3
<i>n</i>	18	9	6	9	56	9
SiO <sub>2</sub>	54.72(64)	53.15 (40)	53.91(24)	53.62(93)	51.94(57)	50.08(1.11)
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.52(2)	0.91(4)	0.53(2)	0.86(3)	1.05(4)	0.96(5)
ZrO <sub>2</sub>	0.65(9)	1.34(11)	0.69(5)	1.17(12)	0.69(7)	0.85(10)
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	14.12(21)	10.00(11)	13.90(18)	11.33(38)	13.79(24)	11.58(17)
FeO*	11.51(29)	15.13(91)	12.23(48)	13.34(70)	12.25(55)	12.92(45)
XFe <sup>3+</sup>	0.61(1)	0.96(1)	0.45(1)	0.96(1)	0.29(1)	0.94(1)
FeO	4.49	0.61	6.73	0.53	8.70	0.78
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	7.80	16.13	6.11	14.23	3.95	13.49
MnO	0.46(3)	0.51(7)	0.50(2)	0.37(3)	0.50(5)	0.51(2)
MgO	0.19(2)	0.08(3)	0.20(4)	0.08(3)	0.18(3)	0.20(4)
CaO	2.84(8)	2.04(22)	3.01(20)	1.84(9)	2.98(20)	2.63(10)
Na <sub>2</sub> O	9.40(27)	13.54(44)	9.45(32)	12.25(24)	9.52(29)	14.00(33)
K <sub>2</sub> O	4.69(11)	4.10(11)	4.92(25)	4.19(10)	4.79(18)	3.72(19)
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.13(3)	0.36(5)	0.11(4)	0.25(5)	0.16(4)	0.20(3)
Cl	0.06(1)	0.38(2)	0.05(1)	0.49(9)	0.41(4)	0.33(11)
F	0.17(5)	0.79(10)	0.16(6)	0.61(22)	0.98(16)	2.82(46)
Total	99.53(92)	102.32(77)	100.35(38)	100.38(1.12)	99.24(79)	100.80(1.55)

#Mg = Mg \* (Mg + Fe)<sup>-1</sup> \* 100; A. I. = (Na + K) \* Al<sup>-1</sup>; *n* = number of analyses; FeO\* indicates total iron analyzed with EMP; XFe<sup>3+</sup> (Fe<sup>3+</sup> \* (Fe<sup>2+</sup> + Fe<sup>3+</sup>)<sup>-1</sup>) was determined with Mössbauer spectroscopy. XFe<sup>3+</sup> is expected to re-equilibrate at experimental conditions; two sigma error is abbreviated as (x) = 0.0 × or (xx) = 0.xx

However, the crystallization of anhydrous mineral phases in primitive experiments accumulates H<sub>2</sub>O in the residual melt and the groundmass assemblage of the dyke involves OH-bearing mineral phases (e.g., Eud, Arf). To account for H<sub>2</sub>O accumulation in primitive experiments, it is necessary to provide some H<sub>2</sub>O in evolved experiments. Therefore, we introduce an alternative source for H<sub>2</sub>O using oxidized evolved starting glasses. For the syntheses of these glasses, iron was added as Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> powder, oxidizing conditions were applied during glass syntheses (see below) and Mössbauer analyses confirm an XFe<sup>3+</sup> close to one (Table 3). Low *f*O<sub>2</sub> prevailing in the experiments allocates oxygen by reducing ferric iron (Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) to ferrous iron (FeO). Hydrogen is provided by the pressure medium (H<sub>2</sub>O) and reacts with oxygen to form dissolved OH groups subsequently, still no free fluid phase forms (for details see experimental setup and Giehl et al. 2013). This applies for hydrothermal pressure vessels with a sufficiently high hydrogen fugacity, but is not the case if, e.g., argon is used as pressure medium. To quantify H<sub>2</sub>O contents of residual melts, we used Fourier transform infrared (FTIR) spectroscopy on selected experiments. Evolved starting glasses may form up to 1.7 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O by complete reduction of 16.8 wt% Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>. However, the XFe<sup>3+</sup> of coexisting melts is between 0.1 and 0.3 at Δ log FMQ −4.3 to +0.8 (calculated after Kress and Carmichael 1991) in Au capsule experiments of the preceding study. We assume a similar or lower XFe<sup>3+</sup> of the melt in graphite capsule experiments resulting in the formation of up to 1.2–1.5 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O. For the applied *P*- and *T*-conditions, we also expect the presence of other C-bearing volatile species (CO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub> and CO) and a concomitant lower amount of H<sub>2</sub>O formed by the described mechanism.

#### Starting compositions and glass syntheses

The starting glasses for phase equilibrium experiments were synthesized from oxide and carbonate powders, CaF<sub>2</sub>, NaCl and (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub>. These mixtures (25 g each) were homogenized and fused followed by rapid quenching in water. During syntheses of the starting glasses for primitive low halogen experiments (Giehl et al. 2013), about 80 % of the initial Cl and F were lost at 1,600 °C and 6 h dwell time. To compensate for this evaporation, Cl and F were added in excess, and synthesis *T* (1,300 °C) and dwell time (2 h) were adjusted to attain target Cl and F concentrations in all other starting glasses (see details of the procedure on eFig. 1).

In the preceding study, electron microprobe (EMP) analyses of Mag were often not possible due to the small crystal size. As Mag incorporates up to 36 wt% TiO<sub>2</sub>, the initial TiO<sub>2</sub> concentration of primitive low halogen starting glasses was doubled (1.1 wt%) in the primitive high

halogen starting glass in order to facilitate EMP Mag analyses. This starting glass was synthesized in a graphite crucible jacketed with a corundum crucible in a closed high temperature furnace to minimize XFe<sup>3+</sup>. The melt was quenched to a glass bead in air, and the exposed oxidized surface was removed to minimize XFe<sup>3+</sup> zonation. Evolved starting glasses were synthesized in a Pt<sub>90</sub>Rh<sub>10</sub> crucible in air to maximize XFe<sup>3+</sup> (Table 3). After synthesis, the glasses were ground and a grain size of 300–500 μm was sieved. Compared to smaller grain sizes, this glass powder provides limited nucleation sites on grain boundaries leading to larger mineral phases in phase equilibrium experiments.

#### Experimental setup

Graphite-lined Au capsules (C capsules) were completely filled with 50–60 mg glass powder to minimize the free volume in the capsule, dried to minimize adsorbed H<sub>2</sub>O, welded shut and checked for possible leakage. This type of double-capsule effectively avoids alloying of iron with the capsule material (Holloway et al. 1992) and adjusts reducing conditions (Δ log FMQ −1 to −2.5) within the range of the CCO and the COH oxygen buffer (French and Eugster 1965; French 1966; Jakobsson and Oskarsson 1994). Experiments were carried out at 100 MPa in hydrothermal vertically mounted cold seal rapid quench vessels (CSPV) at 950–650 °C, and one run at 1,000 °C was performed in an internally heated argon pressure vessel (IHPV). The experimental *T* was continuously monitored with K-type (CSPV, ±5 °C) or S-type (IHPV, ±3 °C) thermocouples, respectively. After 24–840 h (usually 336 h), the experiments were terminated by isobaric rapid quenching (ca. 150–200 K s<sup>−1</sup>, Berndt et al. 2002). For a detailed description of capsule dimensions, capsule preparation and the experimental setup, see Giehl et al. (2013).

#### Hydrated glasses for FTIR calibration

To quantify H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>melt</sub> concentrations of nominally dry experiments, we complemented EMP glass analyses with FTIR spectroscopy. Hydrated glasses for FTIR calibration were synthesized with 1, 2, 3 and 4 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O, respectively, using the evolved low halogen oxidized starting glass. Experiments were conducted in Au capsules using CSPVs at 100 MPa, 850 °C and 24 h run duration. Except for run 179 with 4 wt% H<sub>2</sub>O, which contains few Mag crystals (<1 wt%), these hydrated glasses are crystal-free. Glass compositions are homogeneous and within ±2σ of the starting glass (eTab. 1). However, FeO\* is consistently lower compared with the starting glass due to some iron loss to the Au capsule (<5 % relative).

### Analytical methods

To check for homogeneity, three to nine glass pieces from top, middle and bottom parts of each experimental capsule were embedded in epoxy resin, polished and carbon coated for EMP analyses. Starting glasses, residual glasses and mineral phases of the experimental products were analyzed with a JEOL 8900 electron microprobe with an acceleration voltage of 15 kV. The beam current was 20 nA for Mag, Ol, Cpx, native iron, Ae, Fl, Hio and Eud, 8–10 nA for Afs, Nph, Sdl and Ap and 4 nA for glasses. The counting times were 16–60 s, depending on element concentrations. Analyses were calibrated against reference materials (diopside, strontium titanate, zirconium dioxide, plagioclase, hematite, rhodonite, albite, sanidine, apatite, tugtupite and topaz), and internal  $\phi\rho z$  procedures were used for data reduction (Armstrong 1988). A focused beam was used for Mag, Ol, Cpx, Ae, Fl and Hio. Counting times were kept short, and a defocused beam was used for Afs, Nph, Sdl, Eud, Ap (10 s, 2–10  $\mu\text{m}$ ) and glasses (10 s, 10  $\mu\text{m}$ ) to avoid beam damage and to ensure a constant sodium signal during analyses.

Starting glasses (ground to <125  $\mu\text{m}$ ) were analyzed for  $\text{XFe}^{3+}$  with  $^{57}\text{Fe}$ -Mössbauer spectroscopy using a  $^{57}\text{Co}$  source in Rh matrix operated at room  $T$ . The spectra were calibrated against alpha-Fe(0) foil and interpreted with the RECOIL software package (University of Ottawa, Canada) using Voigt-based fitting methods. Samples were powdered and held in acrylic glass containers.

For FTIR spectroscopy, glass pieces of starting glasses, hydrated glasses and selected phase equilibrium experiments were embedded in epoxy resin enfolded with an alumina ring and polished on both sides to a thickness of 39–97  $\mu\text{m}$ , measured with a digital micrometer (Mitutoyo, accuracy  $\pm 3 \mu\text{m}$ ). FTIR analyses were performed using a Bruker Vertex 80v with a Hyperion 3000 microscope in transmission mode using a globar light source and a KBr beam splitter. Samples were analyzed from 550 to 7,500  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  with a spectral resolution of 4  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  and accumulation of 32–128 scans using a SE-MCT detector. A knife-edge aperture was used to outline 10x10–50x50- $\mu\text{m}$  glass sample, and depending on the amount of mineral phases, air was taken as background reference.

### Calculation methods, equilibrium conditions and FTIR calibration

Long run durations lead to the crystallization of sufficiently large mineral phases (shortest axis 4–100  $\mu\text{m}$ ), and contamination of EMP analyses with surrounding residual glass or mineral phases was negligible in the majority of analyses. The doubled  $\text{TiO}_2$  concentration in the primitive high halogen starting glass resulted in an increase of Mag

size and improved quantitative EMP analyses. This allows for mass balance calculations (least squares fit), which were performed using mean values of EMP analyses (normalized to 100 wt%). Quantitative image analysis of BSE images was considered for comparison, but the large number of coexisting mineral phases and their similar shades of gray impede reasonable results. Mineral formulas were calculated using atomic weights from Robie et al. (1979), and for Eud, we used the Excel<sup>®</sup> calculation spreadsheet from Pfaff et al. (2010). The  $\text{XFe}^{3+}$  in mineral phases was calculated from mineral structural formulae (eTabs. 2–13).

Variable run durations of 168–336 h (compare runs 120 and 157) and repeated experiments (runs 157 and 163) result in identical phase assemblages and similar phase abundances and phase compositions (Table 4). Although mineral phases are not equally distributed on a small scale, the phase assemblages were identical regarding top, middle and bottom of the capsule, and the composition of mineral phases and residual glasses is homogeneous (eTabs. 2–14). This is supported by EMP traverses through residual glasses (runs 127, 139 and 141) with no systematic variations that exceeded statistical inhomogeneities (eTab. 1). Furthermore, low mass balance residuals ( $s^2$ ) yield reasonable phase abundances, melt fractions and #Mg's of Mag, Ol, Cpx and Ae decrease with decreasing  $T$  (Table 4, eFigs. 2 and 3). Exceptions are highly crystallized experiments representing the lowest  $T$ 's within their experimental series, they are not considered in the following. Long run durations (840 h) for evolved high halogen experiments were found to increase the size of mineral phases (up to 200  $\mu\text{m}$ ). Despite long run durations, highly crystallized experiments with less than 30 wt% residual melt do not attain neither textural nor chemical large-scale equilibration due to isolated melt pockets. All experiments were rapidly quenched (ca. 150–200  $\text{K s}^{-1}$ ), still two low  $T$  runs at 700–650  $^\circ\text{C}$  (runs 127 and 128) contain few small anhedral dendritic crystals. Based on mixed analyses with residual glass, these dendritic phases are presumably Cpx. They occur frequently as inclusions in euhedral Nph and Sdl and must have crystallized early, probably during rapid heating. Hence, quenching problems can be ruled out. Low viscosity, supported by a high  $A. I.$ , may favor crystal nucleation over crystal growth, with those crystals being preserved by subsequent overgrowth of Nph and Sdl.

To quantify  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in glasses, we calibrated FTIR spectroscopy against Karl Fischer titration (KFT) analyses using nominally dry glass (<0.1 wt%  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ) and hydrated glasses that were equilibrated with variable amounts of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (1–4 wt%).  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  contents of hydrated glasses analyzed with KFT are 2.7–5.7 wt%. The additional formation of OH in nominally dry experiments is explained by hydrogen input by diffusion into the capsule in

**Table 4** Experimental conditions, run products, phase proportions (in wt%) and mass balance residuals ( $s^2$ ). All experiments were conducted nominally dry in C capsules at 100 MPa

Run	Run time (h)	T (°C)	$fO_2$ ( $\Delta$ log FMQ)	Gl	Mag	Ol	Cpx	Fe	Afs	Nph	Ae	Fl	Hio	Sdl	Eud	$s^2$
Evolved low halogen oxidized																
119	168	800	-1.7	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	<1	0.24
120	168	750	-1.5	79	-	-	4	-	8	3	5	-	-	1	<1	0.18
157	336	750	-1.5	78	-	-	5	-	9	5	2	-	-	1	<1	0.12
163	336	750	-1.5	84	-	-	3	-	5	4	2	-	-	1	1	0.27
127	336	700	-1.4	53	-	-	15	-	14	10	4	-	-	3	1	0.32
128	336	650	-1.2	39	-	-	31	-	17	9	-	-	-	4	<1	0.39
Evolved low halogen reduced																
151	336	800	-1.7	86	-	-	2	-	10	-	1	-	-	1	<1	0.01
130	336	750	-1.5	55	-	-	5	-	26	-	8	-	-	5	1	0.17
141	336	700	-1.4	45	-	-	-	-	27	-	12	-	-	10	6	0.68
Primitive high halogen																
102	24	1,000	-2.2	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
116	336	950	-2.0	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100	336	925	-2.0	100	<1	<1	-	<1	<1	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.41
98	336	900	-1.9	93	1	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.36
97	336	875	-1.9	73	1	6	1	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.26
96	336	850	-1.8	72	1	6	2	<1	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.16
101	336	825	-1.7	49	1	8	1	-	34	<1	-	<1	3	4	-	0.02
113	504	800	-1.7	35	-	11	-	-	39	5	-	<1	5	5	-	0.28
114	504	775	-1.6	29	-	8	-	-	40	7	5	<1	5	6	-	0.11
139	504	750	-1.5	30	-	5	-	-	33	15	7	<1	10	<1	<1	0.38
Evolved high halogen																
166	840	800	-1.7	99	<1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1.81
167	840	750	-1.5	70	-	-	-	-	6	12	8	2	-	2	-	0.31
171	840	700	-1.4	55	-	-	-	-	12	17	11	3	-	2	-	0.30

<sup>1</sup>  $fO_2$  is estimated as average between CCO and COH oxygen buffers

combination with liberation of oxygen through reduction of ferric iron. This indicates that 1.7(1) wt% H<sub>2</sub>O formed, consistent with initial Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> glass concentrations, through reduction of Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>. Three to ten spectra of each glass sample were recorded and found to be identical within error. Representative background-corrected mid-infrared (MIR) spectra are shown on Fig. 1.

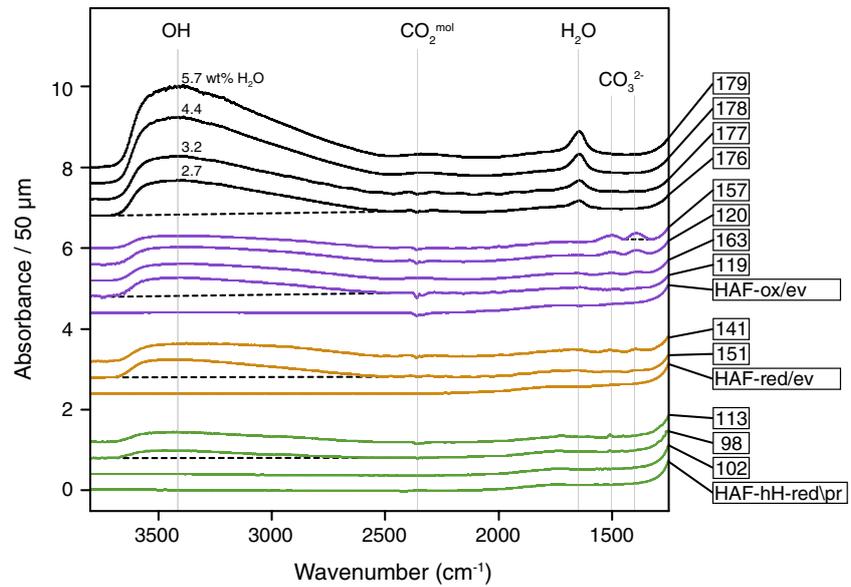
Thin samples show sinusoidal modulations caused by interference fringes due to internal reflection (Fig. 1, Tamic et al. 2001). Note fluctuating atmospheric CO<sub>2</sub> represented by a band at 2,350 cm<sup>-1</sup> (Blank and Brooker 1994). Hydrated glasses show a band at 1,644 cm<sup>-1</sup> assigned to H<sub>2</sub>O bending (Nakamoto 1978) and a broad asymmetric absorption band at 3,415 cm<sup>-1</sup> due to the fundamental OH stretching vibration (Stolper 1982; Davis and Tomozawa 1996). Increasing absorbance of the 3,415 cm<sup>-1</sup> band shows a linear relationship (forced through zero) with increasing H<sub>2</sub>O glass concentrations analyzed with KFT (eTab. 15, eFig. 4).

Concentrations of H<sub>2</sub>O and peak height derived from FTIR spectra of hydrated glasses were used to calculate extinction coefficients using the Beer-Lambert law (eTab. 15, Fig. 1). We used the following formula (Eq. 1, Stolper 1982)

$$\varepsilon = 100 * M * A * d^{-1} * \rho^{-1} * c^{-1} \quad (1)$$

where  $\varepsilon$  is the extinction coefficient (L mol<sup>-1</sup> cm<sup>-1</sup>),  $M$  is the molecular weight of H<sub>2</sub>O (g mol<sup>-1</sup>),  $A$  is absorbance at 3,415 cm<sup>-1</sup>,  $d$  is glass sample thickness (cm),  $\rho$  is density (g L<sup>-1</sup>) and  $c$  is H<sub>2</sub>O concentration in wt%. The absorbance of OH bands ( $A_{3415}$ ) was determined using a linear baseline as illustrated for selected samples on Fig. 1. Glass densities were calculated after Appen (1952) and Kloess (2000) omitting Zr, P, Cl and F; still the sum of all other elements is higher than 97 wt%. The calculated density of evolved oxidized low halogen starting glass (2.68 g L<sup>-1</sup>) is close to the density determined with an Archimedes balance (2.63(5) g L<sup>-1</sup>).

**Fig. 1** MIR spectra of starting glasses, hydrated glasses and residual glasses of nominally dry experiments. Colors are according to Fig. 2, for experiment conditions see Table 4.  $\text{CO}_2^{\text{mol}}$  represents atmospheric molecular  $\text{CO}_2$ . Spectra are normalized to 50  $\mu\text{m}$  glass sample thickness and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  concentrations for calibration were analyzed with KFT. Spectra are shifted for clarity



The mean  $\epsilon$  value of four hydrated glasses (2.7–5.7 wt%  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ) is  $\epsilon_{3,415} = 48 \pm 3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , which is significantly lower compared with previously published extinction coefficients for various silicate glass compositions ( $\epsilon_{3,550} = 61\text{--}70 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , Pandya et al. 1992; Dixon et al. 1995; Yamashita et al. 1997; Silver and Stolper 1989; Behrens et al. 2009; Shishkina et al. 2010). Mandeville et al. (2002) showed that Fe-bearing andesitic glasses (4.5–7.6 wt% FeO) have lower  $\epsilon_{3,570}$  values compared with Fe-free andesitic glasses ( $62.3 \pm 0.4$  and  $69.2 \pm 0.5$ , respectively), and the low  $\epsilon$  value might therefore be related to the high FeO\* content of the analyzed glasses.

The absorbance of carbonate bands ( $A_{1390}$ ) was determined using a linear baseline as for OH bands (Fig. 1), and carbonate concentrations were calculated using an extinction coefficient for the peak height in basaltic glasses ( $\epsilon_{1,430} = 316 \pm 12$ , Shishkina et al. 2010). Near-equilibrium with a C–O–H fluid is indicated by the presence of both OH– and carbonate bands.

## Results

### Mössbauer spectroscopy

As shown by Giehl et al. (2013), the  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  of the starting glass constrains  $f\text{O}_2$  and may produce secondary  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in fluid-absent graphite capsule experiments. Therefore, the primitive high halogen starting glass was synthesized at low  $f\text{O}_2$  (red). This starting glass ( $X\text{Fe}^{3+} = 0.29$ ) defines even more reducing  $f\text{O}_2$  compared with the low halogen reduced starting glass ( $X\text{Fe}^{3+} = 0.45$ ). This is supported by the observation that native iron is stable in two

experiments and Mag and Cpx formula calculations yield  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  values close to zero (Table 4, eTabs. 2 and 4). In contrast,  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  of evolved starting glasses is close to 1 in order to produce secondary  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and to apply slightly higher  $f\text{O}_2$ . Keep in mind that the experimental series are termed after the  $X\text{Fe}^{3+}$  of the primitive starting glass, so the starting glass, for example, evolved low halogen reduced experiments is oxidized.

### Residual melt

MIR spectra of residual glasses from nominally dry C capsule experiments show OH stretching vibrations while molecular  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is not observed. Additionally, residual glasses of run 120, 157 and 141 (and possibly run 151, 119 and 163) show a band doublet at 1,500 and 1,390  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , which is attributed to carbonate vibrations (Blank and Brooker 1994; Nowak et al. 2003; Spickenbom et al. 2010). In contrast, spectra of starting glasses and the experiment conducted in an IHPV (run 102) do not show OH,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  or carbonate bands. Based on the calibrated extinction coefficient,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  concentrations of residual glasses in C capsule experiments are 0.5(1)–1.2(1) wt% (Table 5). In run 157, carbonate was quantified to 0.2(1) wt%, whereas the other experiments yielded values close to the limit of detection. However, these bands offer qualitative evidence for the presence of dissolved carbonate groups. The experiment conducted in an IHPV does not show OH bands or carbonate bands, because  $\text{H}_2$  fugacity was too low to yield appreciably  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (via the reduction of  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ ) and hence dissolved OH groups.

Liquid lines of descent of evolved experiments are consecutive to primitive experiments. Averaged EMP glass

**Table 5** Glass compositions of hydrated glasses and residual glass compositions of phase equilibrium experiments in wt%

Run	T (°C)	<i>n</i>	SiO <sub>2</sub>	TiO <sub>2</sub>	ZrO <sub>2</sub>	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	FeO*	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na <sub>2</sub> O	K <sub>2</sub> O	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	Cl	F	Total <sup>a</sup>	H <sub>2</sub> O (wt%)
Hydrated glasses																	
176	850	5	54.14	0.88	1.32	9.47	13.19	0.50	0.09	2.27	12.71	4.01	0.42	0.35	0.65	100	2.7
177	850	4	54.50	0.83	1.32	9.23	13.01	0.49	0.10	2.24	12.80	4.10	0.44	0.36	0.58	100	3.2
178	850	5	54.90	0.83	1.36	9.44	12.63	0.49	0.09	2.17	12.63	4.18	0.30	0.36	0.64	100	4.4
179	850	5	52.33	0.76	1.31	8.95	16.01	0.50	0.08	2.10	12.81	3.83	0.36	0.37	0.59	100	5.7
Residual glasses																	
<sup>b</sup> 119	800	9	52.28	0.90	1.25	9.56	14.74	0.52	0.08	2.06	13.42	3.99	0.30	0.32	0.58	100	1.2
<sup>b</sup> 120	750	9	51.95	0.63	1.36	8.94	14.83	0.58	0.07	1.72	14.75	3.77	0.26	0.37	0.75	100	1.2
<sup>c</sup> 157	750	6	51.42	0.85	1.42	8.52	15.75	0.60	0.07	1.60	14.56	3.77	0.29	0.37	0.79	100	0.9
<sup>b</sup> 163	750	5	52.38	0.77	1.31	8.68	15.43	0.58	0.07	1.67	13.97	3.78	0.22	0.36	0.77	100	1.1
127	700	50	52.31	0.77	1.43	6.62	15.03	0.69	0.06	1.26	16.51	3.36	0.40	0.30	1.26	100	na
128	650	9	50.73	0.68	1.47	6.42	13.72	0.92	0.05	1.12	19.22	3.30	0.44	0.19	1.74	100	na
<sup>b</sup> 151	800	7	52.32	0.85	1.31	10.68	14.17	0.43	0.07	1.70	13.16	3.92	0.19	0.50	0.71	100	1.2
130	750	9	51.10	0.60	1.30	8.96	15.23	0.50	0.08	1.58	15.69	3.37	0.24	0.35	1.02	100	na
<sup>b</sup> 141	700	48	53.40	0.16	0.75	7.94	16.22	0.52	0.10	1.55	16.25	3.05	0.30	0.26	1.27	100	1.2
102	1,000	9	53.69	1.04	0.72	14.47	10.80	0.47	0.16	2.68	9.27	4.99	0.13	0.42	1.14	100	bdl
116	950	9	53.54	1.05	0.73	14.48	10.88	0.51	0.17	2.66	9.60	4.79	0.17	0.36	1.06	100	na
100	925	9	54.05	0.91	0.71	14.58	10.99	0.47	0.19	2.86	9.37	4.60	0.17	0.31	0.78	100	na
98	900	9	53.40	0.88	0.79	14.34	10.80	0.46	0.17	3.16	10.05	4.44	0.12	0.38	1.01	100	0.5
97	875	9	51.38	0.85	1.02	14.10	10.74	0.44	0.14	3.35	11.36	4.21	0.17	0.58	1.66	100	na
96	850	9	51.42	0.92	0.98	14.34	10.59	0.45	0.14	3.35	11.69	4.22	0.16	0.45	1.29	100	na
101	825	9	51.08	0.95	0.87	13.20	11.23	0.42	0.17	2.95	13.18	3.98	0.13	0.33	1.50	100	na
113	800	9	49.98	1.04	0.94	11.78	12.69	0.48	0.18	2.77	13.59	3.87	0.14	0.38	2.16	100	0.7
114	775	9	49.60	0.95	0.90	10.07	14.26	0.58	0.20	2.88	14.18	3.47	0.19	0.36	2.34	100	na
139	750	8	50.27	0.52	1.58	8.01	14.98	0.68	0.22	2.82	14.80	3.18	0.20	0.32	2.41	100	na
166	800	8	51.41	0.92	0.79	10.97	12.87	0.46	0.17	2.10	13.53	3.87	0.18	0.36	2.36	100	na
167	750	8	51.40	0.42	1.02	9.43	13.40	0.61	0.19	1.70	15.15	3.47	0.26	0.37	2.60	100	na
171	700	9	51.70	0.20	1.23	8.07	13.75	0.63	0.21	1.57	16.24	3.06	0.31	0.32	2.71	100	na
Typical error (±1σ)			0.6	0.05	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.04	0.02	0.15	0.3	0.15	0.04	0.02	0.1		0.1

*n* is the number of EMP analyses

<sup>a</sup> Total is normalized to 100 wt% anhydrous

<sup>b</sup> Carbonate bands observed, but not quantified

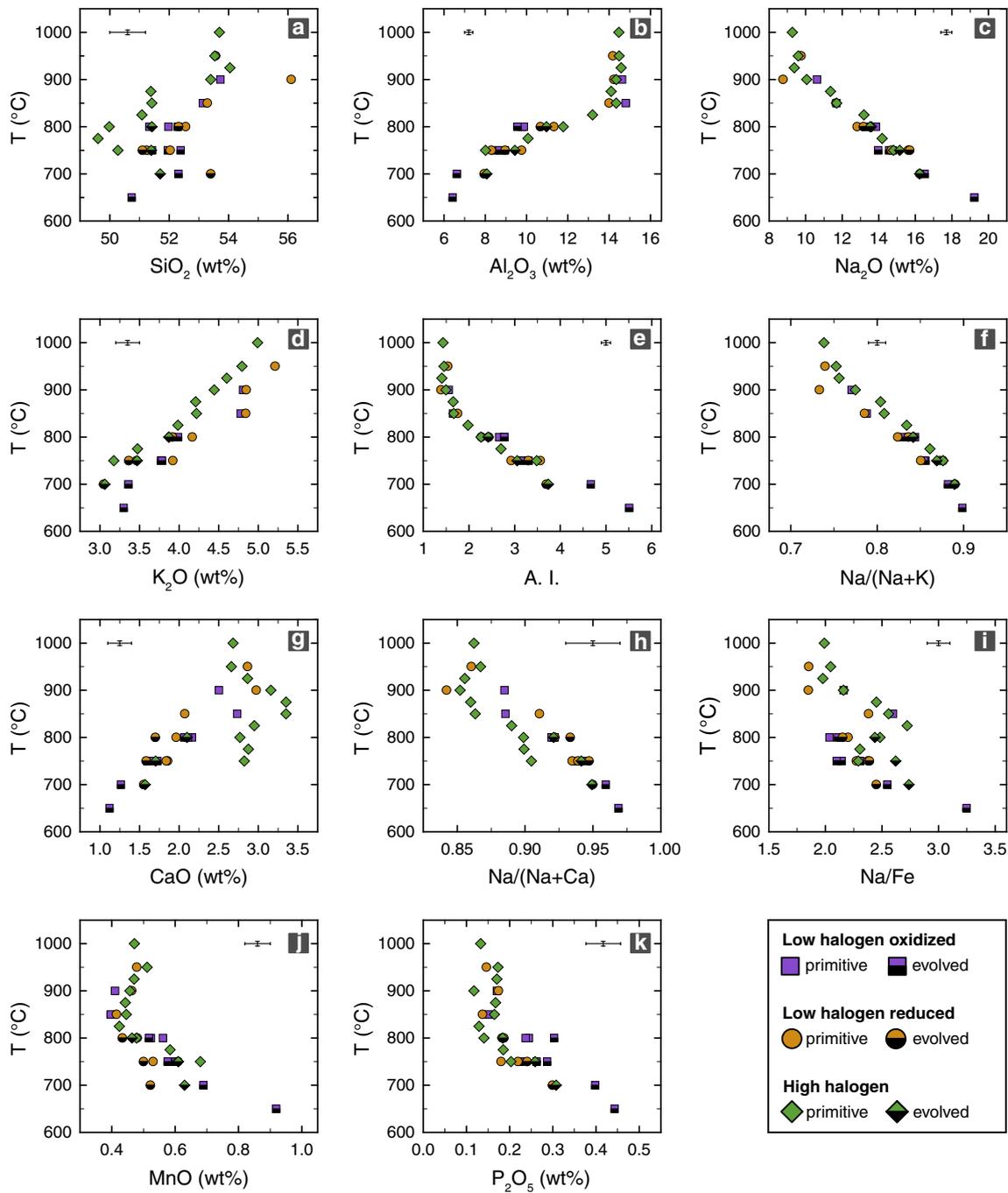
<sup>c</sup> Carbonate band quantified to 0.2 (1) wt%

analyses of hydrated glasses and residual glasses are listed in Table 5 (raw data are provided in the electronic appendix, eTab. 1). Although initial concentrations of TiO<sub>2</sub>, Cl and F are different, all three series show very similar liquid lines of descent with decreasing SiO<sub>2</sub>, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, K<sub>2</sub>O, CaO and increasing Na<sub>2</sub>O, A. I. (from 1.5 to 5.5), Na/(Na + K), Na/(Na + Ca), Na/Fe, MnO and P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> (Fig. 2a–k). Na/Fe generally increases (for 1,000–650 °C), but shifts back to lower Na/Fe around 800 °C (Fig. 2i). In contrast, TiO<sub>2</sub>, ZrO<sub>2</sub>, Ti/(Ti + Zr), FeO\*, MgO, #Mg, Cl, F and Cl/(Cl + F) show considerable variations in different experimental series (Fig. 3a–i). In low halogen experiments, #Mg decreases with decreasing *T*, while #Mg is relatively

constant in high halogen experiments. This is due to the limited stability and low abundance of Cpx, which is the mineral phase with the highest #Mg (eFig. 3, eTab. 4). Differences in initial TiO<sub>2</sub> are due to doubled initial concentration in the high halogen starting glass; however, the general trends are similar.

#### Mineral phases

The observed mineral phases are titanomagnetite, fayalitic olivine, clinopyroxene, native iron, alkali feldspar, nepheline, aenigmatite, fluorite, hiortdahlite, sodalite and eudialyte, coexisting with residual melt (Fig. 4, native iron is not

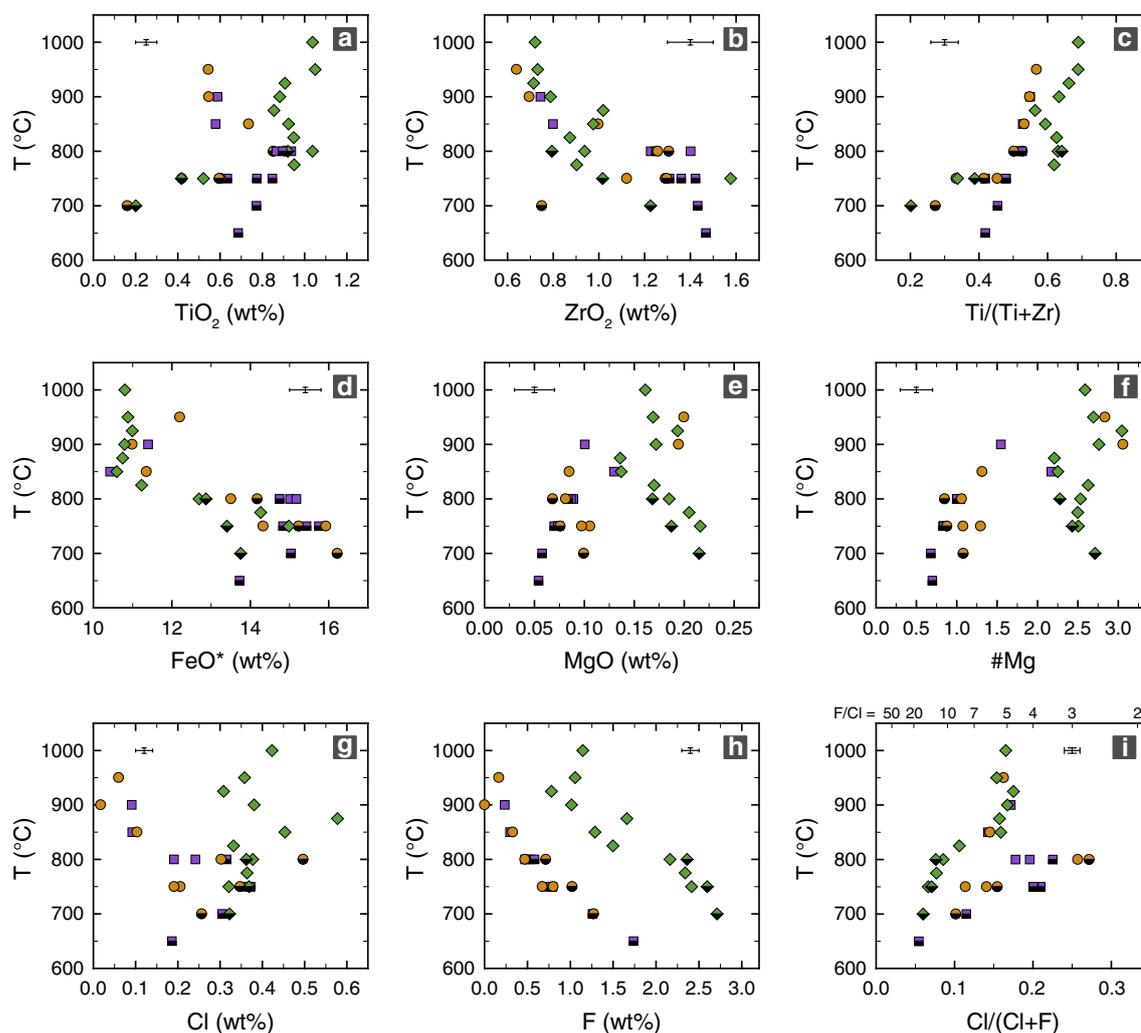


**Fig. 2** The compositional trends of residual melts are similar for decreasing  $\text{SiO}_2$ ,  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{CaO}$  and increasing  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$ , A. I. (from 1.5 to 5.5),  $\text{Na}/(\text{Na} + \text{K})$ ,  $\text{Na}/(\text{Na} + \text{Ca})$ ,  $\text{Na}/\text{Fe}$ ,  $\text{MnO}$  and  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  (data for primitive low halogen experiments is from Giehl et al. 2013)

shown). Apatite-(F) is only stable in one experiment that failed large-scale equilibration (run 172). In the discussed experiments (Table 4), the  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  melt concentration increases up to 0.4 wt%; however, no P-bearing mineral phases were observed.

Super-liquidus experiments indicate that the liquidus  $T$  is between 950 and 925 °C, and the solidus  $T$  is lower

than 650 °C (Table 4). The  $T$  stabilities of mineral phases are illustrated on Fig. 5, their weight percent proportions are shown in Table 4, coexisting melt compositions are given in Table 5 and compositions and formula calculations of mineral phases can be found in the electronic appendix (eTab. 2–13). Although this paper is focused on mineral stabilities and melt compositions only, we here



**Fig. 3** The compositional trends of residual melts show considerable variations for  $\text{TiO}_2$ ,  $\text{ZrO}_2$  (and the  $\text{Ti}/(\text{Ti} + \text{Zr})$  ratio),  $\text{FeO}^*$ ,  $\text{MgO}$  (and the  $\#\text{Mg}$ ),  $\text{Cl}$ ,  $\text{F}$  (and the  $\text{Cl}/(\text{Cl} + \text{F})$  ratio) in different experimental series. For a convenient comparison with literature data,

the  $\text{Cl}/(\text{Cl} + \text{F})$  plot includes a second  $x$ -axis with the widely used  $\text{F}/\text{Cl}$  ratio. Symbols and colors are according to Fig. 2 (data for primitive low halogen experiments are from Giehl et al. 2013)

report relatively high concentrations of  $\text{TiO}_2$  (up to 2.4 wt%) and  $\text{ZrO}_2$  (up to 2.1 wt%) in Cpx.

The denotation of the  $\text{Ca-Zr-F}$  silicate synthesized in this study (eTab. 10) as hiortdahlite is based on its similarity to hiortdahlite originally described by Brøgger (1890) from Langesundsfjord (Norway). However, a pegmatite from Ilímaussaq contains compositionally similar material, with a slightly different crystal structure, and was assigned to hiortdahlite-II (Robles et al. 2001). It is known that minor changes in the composition of cuspidine-wöhlerite group minerals (of which hiortdahlite and hiortdahlite-II are members) may stabilize a new structure. A hiortdahlite-like mineral is also observed in the dyke rock (Larsen and Steenfelt 1974; Marks and Markl 2003), but unfortunately neither EMP nor X-ray diffraction data are available. However, in the present study, we focus on

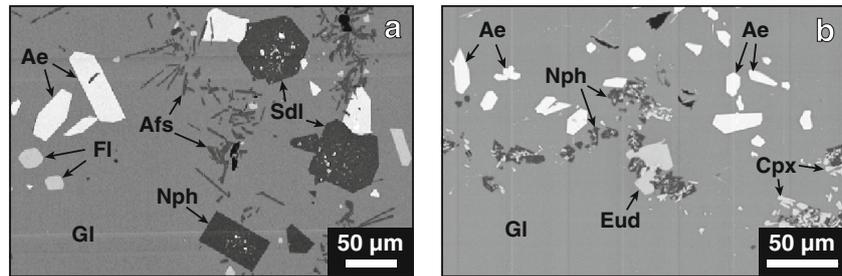
compositional aspects of this mineral phase neglecting structural details. Therefore, we name this phase as hiortdahlite for convenience.

#### Primitive experiments

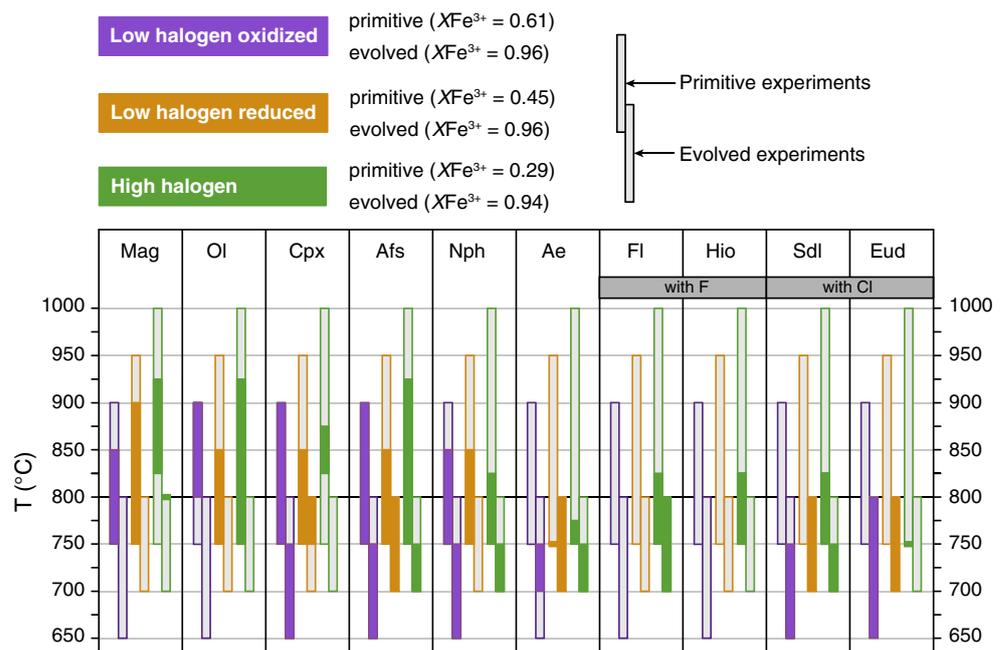
In primitive low halogen experiments, the observed mineral phases are Mag, Ol, Cpx, Afs, Nph and, at 750 °C, additionally Ae in the low halogen reduced experiments (Fig. 2 in Giehl et al. 2013). In high halogen experiments, additional F-bearing Fl and Hio are present at 825–750 °C, Sdl is stable between 825 and 775 °C and Eud is observed at 750 °C only (Fig. 4).

In high halogen experiments, Afs and Ol crystallize at higher  $T$  (950–925 °C) compared with low halogen experiments (900–850 °C, Fig. 5). The  $T$  interval with Ae

**Fig. 4** Back-scattered electron images of evolved phase equilibrium experiments at 750 °C conducted using **a** high halogen (run 167) and **b** low halogen starting glasses (run 120). See Table 1 for mineral phase abbreviations



**Fig. 5** Mineral phase stabilities with respect to  $T$ , ordered by experimental series. *Color-filled bars* stable mineral phases for a certain  $T$  interval (data for primitive low halogen experiments are from Giehl et al. 2013)



present is similar (775–750 °C), but the  $T$  intervals with Mag (925–825 °C) and Cpx (875–825 °C) present are smaller compared with low halogen experiments.

#### Evolved experiments

Evolved experiments generally lack Mag, Ol and Hio (the only exception with Mag, run 167, is discussed later). Cpx is present at 750–650 °C in low halogen oxidized experiments, at 800–750 °C in low halogen reduced experiments but absent in high halogen experiments. Afs is stable in almost all runs, except for some near-liquidus experiments at 800 °C (runs 119 and 166). Nph occurs at  $T \leq 750$  °C, but is absent in low halogen reduced experiments. In low halogen experiments, Afs is more abundant than Nph, and in high halogen experiments, the opposite is the case. Ae is stable in all experiments at 750–700 °C and in low halogen reduced experiments additionally at 800 °C. In high halogen experiments and low halogen reduced experiments, Ae is more abundant than in low halogen oxidized experiments. Fl is observed in evolved high halogen

experiments between 800 and 700 °C. Sdl occurs at and below 750 °C, in low halogen reduced experiments additionally at 800 °C. Eud is stable throughout in evolved low halogen experiments (800–650 °C), but absent in evolved high halogen experiments.

#### Discussion

##### Phase relations and liquid lines of descent

Phase equilibrium experiments with oxidized starting glass (runs 151, 141, 119, 163, 120 and 157) have higher  $H_2O$  contents compared with experiments with reduced starting glass (runs 98 and 113), even though run 113 is highly crystallized and accumulates  $H_2O$  in the residual melt due to crystallization of anhydrous mineral phases. This confirms the higher potential of oxidized starting glasses to form dissolved OH.

Despite many Na-bearing phases (Cpx, Afs, Nph, Ae, Hio, Sdl and Eud), with Afs (+Nph) usually being the most

abundant,  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$ , the A. I. and the  $\text{Na}/(\text{Na} + \text{K})$  ratio of the residual melts increase with decreasing  $T$ . Due to a high initial  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  concentration, even Na-rich mineral phases lead to increasing  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}_{\text{melt}}$ . The A. I. increases with abundant Afs (+Nph) crystallization, because the initial A. I. of the starting glasses is higher than one.

$\text{FeO}^*_{\text{melt}}$  is rather constant at 1,000–850 °C but increases sharply below 850 °C, and  $\text{MnO}_{\text{melt}}$  shows a similar behavior. This is mainly because of the sharply increasing abundance of Afs (+Nph) below 850 °C, whereas Fe-bearing mineral phases (Mag, Ol and Cpx) are subordinate throughout. In primitive low halogen experiments, Mag, Ol and Cpx coexist between 850 and 750 °C. While Ol stability is similar in primitive high halogen experiments, Mag and Cpx are not observed at  $T < 825$  °C. A slightly lower  $\text{Na}/(\text{Na} + \text{Ca})_{\text{melt}}$  ratio at  $T < 825$  °C may be due to the absence of Ca-rich Cpx. In evolved experiments,  $\text{FeO}^*_{\text{melt}}$  and  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}_{\text{melt}}$  continuously increase and Mag and Ol are replaced by Na- and Fe-rich Ae and Eud. This confirms that Mag and Ol are unstable in highly peralkaline melts (e.g., Marsh 1975; Marks et al. 2011).

The two-step fractional crystallization strategy is ideal to avoid reaction textures between evolved residual melt and phenocryst phases, as it is documented by Mag and Ol rimmed by Na–Fe Cpx and Ae in the investigated dyke rock (Marks and Markl 2003). Despite such reaction textures were successfully avoided, the fractionation itself (both experimental and in nature) can be thought as a disequilibrium process. In experiments where ferromagnesian mineral phases like Mag, Ol and Cpx are prevailing,  $\text{MgO}_{\text{melt}}$  decreases. Experiments where ferromagnesian minerals are subordinate or replaced by Ae, Hio or Eud,  $\text{MgO}_{\text{melt}}$  is constant or even slightly increases, and similar trends were identified for  $\#\text{Mg}_{\text{melt}}$ .

In primitive experiments,  $\text{TiO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  and  $\text{ZrO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  increase; however, the trend is more pronounced for  $\text{ZrO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  because  $\text{TiO}_2$  is incorporated in Mag, except for high halogen experiments with Hio. Where Ae is stabilized, this trend is inversed and  $\text{TiO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  decreases. In analogy,  $\text{ZrO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  decreases where Eud is stable. For evolved experiments, decreasing  $\text{ZrO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  is observed in low halogen reduced experiments where Eud is abundant; relatively constant  $\text{ZrO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  is observed in low halogen oxidized experiments with only small amounts of Eud; and increasing  $\text{ZrO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  is observed in high halogen experiments where Eud is unstable. Therefore, stabilities and abundances of Ae and Eud induce different  $\text{Ti}/(\text{Ti} + \text{Zr})_{\text{melt}}$  ratios. The  $\text{Ti}/(\text{Ti} + \text{Zr})_{\text{melt}}$  ratio is rather constant if Ae and Eud are absent or have similar abundances, but decreases where Ae dominates over Eud.

In primitive and evolved low halogen experiments, Ca-rich Cpx is stabilized close to the liquidus  $T$  and induces decreasing  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$ . In contrast, primitive high halogen

experiments show slightly increasing  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  before Ca-rich Cpx is stabilized. Due to the low abundance of Cpx, the trend of decreasing  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  in the presence of Ca-rich Cpx is less pronounced. At lower  $T$ , increased  $F_{\text{melt}}$  stabilizes small amounts of Fl and Hio in favor of Cpx at rather constant  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$ . In evolved high halogen experiments, however, abundant Fl induces decreasing  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$ , remarkably similar to evolved low halogen experiments.

Despite both oxidized and reduced evolved low halogen starting glasses have identical  $\text{XFe}^{3+}$  and very similar compositions (Table 3), slightly different concentrations of  $\text{FeO}^*$ ,  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  (higher in the evolved oxidized starting glass),  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  and Cl (higher in the evolved reduced starting glass) induce modified phase stabilities and abundances. In evolved oxidized experiments, Cpx is more abundant than Ae, whereas in evolved reduced experiments, the opposite is the case.

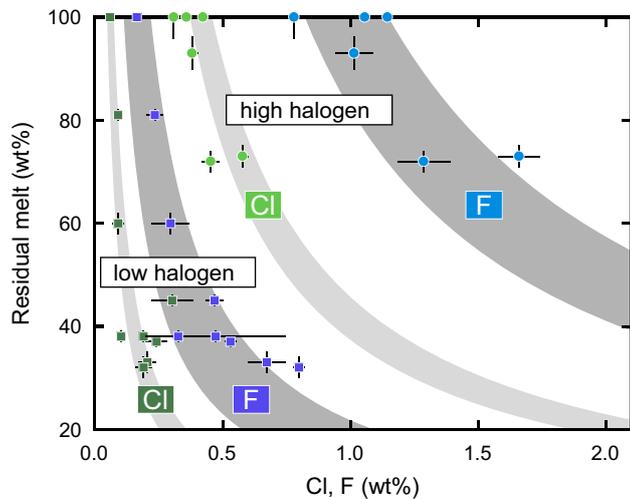
Cpx adapts to the changing melt composition by shifting its composition from Ca-rich to Na-rich (eTab. 4). Na–Fe-rich Cpx (10 wt%  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$ , 29 wt%  $\text{FeO}^*$ ) is only stable in evolved low halogen oxidized experiments at 700–650 °C. In contrast to evolved low halogen experiments, Cpx is absent in evolved high halogen experiments. However, remarkably similar  $\text{Na}/(\text{Na} + \text{Ca})_{\text{melt}}$  (Fig. 2h) and constant  $f\text{O}_2$  indicate that, besides  $\text{FeO}^*$  and  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  content, different initial halogen concentration influences Cpx stability (see below).

Furthermore, evolved low halogen oxidized experiments have Nph, which is unstable in evolved low halogen reduced experiments. This is probably related to  $\text{Cl}_{\text{melt}}$  concentrations and is discussed in the following.

#### Stability of halogen-bearing phases

To discuss the stability of halogen-bearing phases, it is necessary to distinguish between halogen super-liquidus solubility of the melt and saturation of melts with halogen-bearing phases. The solubility of F in granitic and rhyolitic melts reaches 8 wt% (e.g., Webster 1990; Webster and Holloway 1990). The Cl solubility in phonolitic melts was reported as 0.6–0.8 wt% and increases with increasing peralkalinity and FeO content, decreasing  $\text{SiO}_2$  content and decreasing  $P$  (e.g., Metrich and Rutherford 1992; Signorelli and Carroll 2000; Signorelli and Carroll 2002).

The  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  solubility of the starting composition at 100 MPa is about 4.5 wt% (Giehl et al. 2013), similar to results of Schmidt and Behrens (2008) for phonolitic melts (3.5–4.5 wt%). FTIR data imply less than 1.5 wt% of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in residual melts (see above) indicating the absence of a coexisting  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ -rich fluid phase in our experiments. However, calculations based on the model of Huizenga (2005) suggest a coexisting C–O–H fluid phase with 1–17 %  $\text{CH}_4$ , 20–65 %  $\text{CO}_2$ , 1–25 % CO, 13–60 %  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and minor



**Fig. 6** Calculated rayleigh fractionation is in good agreement with Cl and F melt concentrations (accounting for the analytical uncertainty of starting glass concentrations). Only experiments without Cl- and F-bearing mineral phases are shown (data for primitive low halogen experiments are from Giehl et al. 2013)

amounts of  $H_2$  at our experimental conditions (graphite capsules,  $\Delta \log FMQ -2.2$  to  $-1.2$ ). Furthermore,  $Cl_{melt}$  and  $F_{melt}$  concentrations in our experiments, devoid of Cl- and F-bearing mineral phases (Fig. 6), are consistent with an incompatible behavior of Cl and F, implying that the potential fluid phase has no major effect on Cl and F melt content.

Also, there is no evidence for liquid–liquid immiscibility, and consistent mass balance calculations indicate that no relevant Cl- or F-bearing phase was overlooked. Residual melt concentrations of Cl and F were therefore interpreted regarding saturation of halogen-bearing phases and their impact on liquid lines of descent.

#### Stability of sodalite

The stability of Sdl with respect to Afs and Nph depends on  $SiO_2$  activity ( $a_{SiO_2}$ ) and NaCl activity ( $a_{NaCl}$ ) at constant  $P$  and  $T$  (Eqs. 2–4, Fig. 7a).



Afs is stable in nearly all sub-liquidus experiment. In primitive low halogen experiments, Nph appears at  $T \leq 850$  °C and with falling  $T$ ,  $Cl_{melt}$  increases but is still too low to stabilize Sdl (Fig. 7a, line A–B). In contrast, the higher initial  $Cl_{melt}$  concentration in primitive high halogen experiments stabilizes both Nph and Sdl at 825 °C (Figs. 5, 6a, line A'–C). Albeit initial  $Cl_{melt}$  concentrations in primitive low halogen experiments are lower,  $Cl_{melt}$  at the

fractionation  $T$  is only slightly lower compared with high halogen experiments because Sdl buffers  $Cl_{melt}$ . Most of the evolved experiments are saturated with Sdl but Nph is unstable in evolved low halogen reduced experiments (Figs. 5, 6a, box D). Stormer and Carmichael (1971) showed that at high  $T$ , an Afs + Nph assemblage will additionally stabilize Sdl if  $a_{NaCl}$  is high enough but at low  $T$ , Afs may coexist with Sdl without Nph. Such an Afs + Sdl assemblage is observed in evolved low halogen reduced experiments. Accordingly, Sdl is more abundant (up to 10 wt%) compared with low halogen oxidized experiments (up to 4 wt%) and with evolved high halogen experiments ( $\sim 2$  wt%). This can be explained by the higher initial Cl concentration (0.49(9) wt%) of evolved low halogen reduced starting glass compared with the evolved low halogen oxidized starting glass (0.37(2) wt%, Eq. 4).

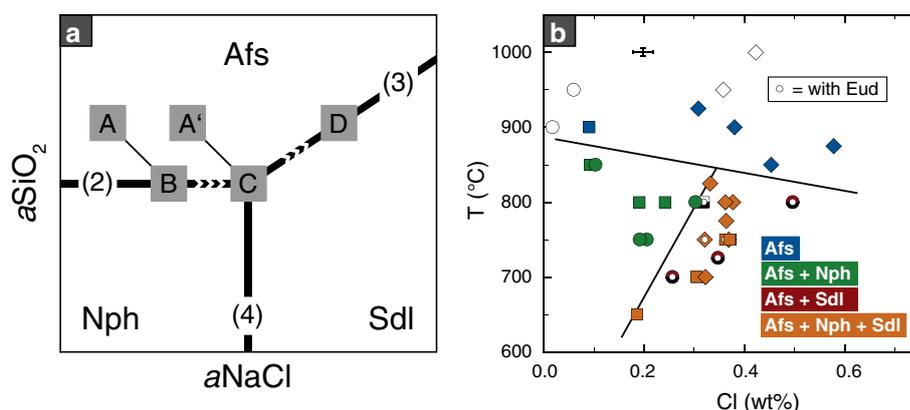
We calculated the invariant point defined by coexisting Afs + Nph + Sdl on a  $a_{SiO_2} - a_{NaCl}$  plot (Fig. 7a, box C) using the GEOCALC software (Berman et al. 1987; Lieberman and Petrakakis 1991) and thermodynamic data from Berman (1988) and Sharp et al. (1989). At unit activities of albite, nepheline and sodalite, decreasing  $T$  from 825 to 650 °C leads to a slight decrease in  $a_{SiO_2}$  from 0.17 to 0.14 while  $a_{NaCl}$  is rather constant (0.02). We linked this to our experiments by calculating activities of albite in Afs and nepheline (ss) in Nph from our experiments. For this calculation, Sdl was treated as a pure phase and we used the activity model of Holland and Powell (2003) for Afs and ideal mixing on sites for Nph yielding relatively constant  $a_{NaCl} = 0.06(1)$  and slightly decreasing  $a_{SiO_2}$  from 0.18 to 0.15 within the same  $T$  interval. Sharp et al. (1989) calculated minimum  $a_{NaCl}$  for Sdl stability to 0.05–0.13 at 800–1,000 °C, which is reasonable agreement with our data. As previously observed for Nph (Giehl et al. 2013), Sdl is only stable at low  $H_2O$  contents since in preliminary experiments using hydrated starting glasses Sdl is absent.

#### Stability of eudialyte

Eud is typical for agpaitic rocks and experiments on cumulate rocks from Ilímaussaq indicate Eud crystallization  $T$ 's of 750–800 °C from peralkaline melts with 1.0–1.3 wt%  $ZrO_2$  (Piotrowski and Edgar 1970; Sood and Edgar 1970; Kogarko et al. 1982). In our experiments, Cl-bearing Eud is present at  $T \leq 800$  °C in all evolved low halogen experiments and in one primitive high halogen experiment at 750 °C, but is absent in evolved high halogen experiments (Fig. 5). The  $Cl_{melt}$  concentrations in Eud-bearing experiments decrease with temperature from 0.5 wt% at 800 °C to 0.2 wt% at 650 °C (Fig. 7b). Also, melts coexisting with Eud have  $ZrO_2$  melt concentration  $\geq 1.2$  wt%, except for one experiment, where  $ZrO_2$  melt is

**Fig. 7 a** Stabilities of Afs, Nph and Sdl with respect to  $a\text{NaCl}$  and  $a\text{SiO}_2$ . See Eqs. (2), (3), (4) and text for details.

**b** Temperature-dependent stability of Afs, Nph and Sdl related to  $\text{Cl}_{\text{melt}}$ . Symbols are according to Fig. 2, and colors illustrate stabilities of Afs, Nph and Sdl. White inner circles stable Eud



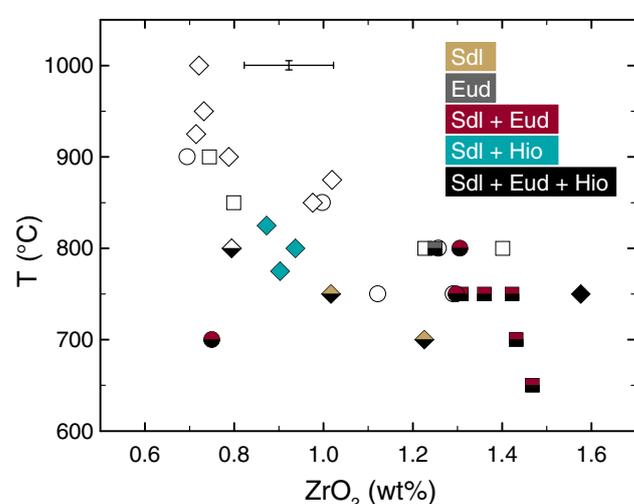
only 0.7 wt% (Fig. 8). However, several experiments with  $\text{ZrO}_2_{\text{melt}} \geq 1.2$  wt% are Eud-free, while  $\text{FeO}^*_{\text{melt}}$  and A. I.  $\text{melt}$  are similar, but  $\text{Cl}_{\text{melt}}$  is lower than that of Eud-bearing ones at the same  $T$  (Fig. 7b). Apparently, Eud saturation requires  $\text{Cl}_{\text{melt}}$  concentrations similar to Sdl. These are variable (0.2–0.5 wt%  $\text{Cl}_{\text{melt}}$ ) and decrease with decreasing  $T$  (Fig. 7b). In summary, stable Eud requires sufficiently high melt concentrations of both  $\text{ZrO}_2$  and Cl. However, if, e.g., coexisting Ca-rich Cpx is destabilized, Eud is stable coexisting with a melt having 0.7 wt%  $\text{ZrO}_2$ , and Eud and Ae are then significantly more abundant. Therefore, the absence of Cpx influences the stability of Eud, while Cpx stability is itself controlled by  $F_{\text{melt}}$  concentration, which is discussed in the following section.

#### Stability of fluorite and hiortdahlite and their influence on clinopyroxene

In experiments with  $T \leq 825$  °C and  $F_{\text{melt}} \geq 1.5$  wt%, Fl is stable and respective  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  concentrations vary from 3.0 to 1.6 wt% (Fig. 9). Despite relatively high  $F_{\text{melt}}$  (1.3–1.7 wt%) and  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  (3.4 wt%), however, Fl is absent in run 96 (850 °C) and 97 (875 °C). This is due to increasing Fl solubility with increasing  $T$  (e.g., Dolejš and Baker 2006) as Fl can be stable at higher  $T$  (e.g., 900 °C) as shown by Gabitov et al. (2005).

Hio occurs in Fl-bearing experiments with  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  between 3.0 and 2.8 wt% but is absent in Fl-bearing experiments at lower  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$ , despite similar  $F_{\text{melt}}$  (Fig. 9) and similar or higher  $\text{ZrO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  (Fig. 3b). In Fl- and Hio-bearing experiments, Cpx is absent, except for run 101.

In primitive low halogen experiments,  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  decreases with decreasing  $T$  mainly because of abundant Ca-rich Cpx. This trend continues in evolved low halogen experiments, controlled likewise by abundant Ca-rich Cpx and, to some extent, Eud. All other mineral phases incorporate less CaO compared with the melt. In primitive and evolved low halogen experiments,  $F_{\text{melt}}$

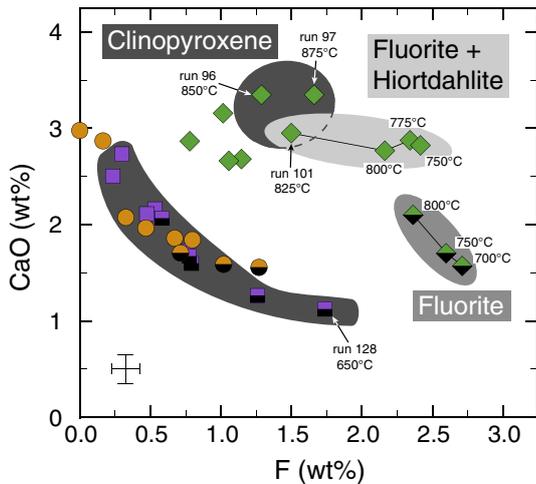


**Fig. 8** Stabilities of Sdl, Eud and Hio with respect to  $\text{ZrO}_2_{\text{melt}}$  content. Symbols are according to Fig. 2, and colors illustrate stabilities of Sdl, Eud and Hio

increases with decreasing  $T$  (up to 1.7 wt%), because F-bearing phases are absent (Figs. 3h, 5).

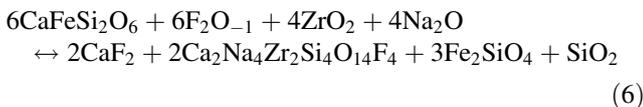
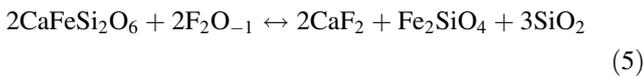
In contrast, Ca-rich Cpx in primitive high halogen experiments is limited to 875–825 °C, where Cpx is less abundant and  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  slightly increases until Fl and Hio are stabilized at 825 °C (Figs. 2g, 5). The  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  content is then relatively constant although Ca-rich Hio and Fl are stable (825–750 °C). However,  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  decreases significantly in evolved high halogen experiments by reason of abundant Fl and is remarkably similar to low halogen experiments (Fig. 2g) despite Cpx is not observed. The trend of increasing  $F_{\text{melt}}$  in primitive and evolved high halogen experiments (up to 2.7 wt%, Fig. 3h) is comparable to low halogen experiments, but displaced to higher  $F_{\text{melt}}$  concentrations.

High F content combined with low  $f\text{O}_2$  favor Fl and Ol over Cpx (Bohlen and Essene 1978; Scaillet and Macdonald 2003, Eq. 5). In our study, Eq. 5 and a similar one

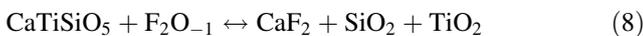


**Fig. 9**  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  and  $\text{F}_{\text{melt}}$  concentrations related to stabilities of Cpx, Fl and Hio. Symbols and colors are according to Fig. 2

with Cpx, Fl, Hio and Ol (Eq. 6) explain the observed destabilization of Cpx in favor of Fl and Hio.



This is in agreement with higher Ol abundances in experiments with Fl and Hio (Table 4) compared with primitive low halogen experiments (Tab. 3 in Giehl et al. 2013). Similarly, experimental studies on granites demonstrated the (1) destabilization of plagioclase in favor of Fl and topaz (Eq. 7, Dolejš and Baker 2004; Lukkari and Holtz 2007) and (2) the destabilization of titanite in favor of Fl (Eq. 8, Price et al. 1999).



As the  $\text{Na}/(\text{Na} + \text{Ca})$  melt ratio increases with decreasing  $T$  (Fig. 2h), the destabilization of Ca-rich Cpx may be followed by the reoccurrence of Na-rich Cpx at lower  $T$ . This may result in a compositional gap between Ca- and Na-rich Cpx, frequently reported in nature (e.g., Ferguson 1978; Njonfang and Nono 2003).

Experimental studies on the stability of Fl are limited to  $\text{SiO}_2$ -oversaturated systems (Webster et al. 1987; Price et al. 1999; Scaillet and Macdonald 2001; Xiong et al. 2002; Scaillet and Macdonald 2003; Gabitov et al. 2005; Dolejš and Baker 2006; Lukkari and Holtz 2007). Magmatic Fl is usually found in CaO-poor (<1 wt%) and F-rich (up to 7 wt%) evolved granites and rhyolites (Price et al. 1996; Marshall et al. 1998).

Scaillet and Macdonald (2004) provided an empirical equation based on  $T$  and  $A. I._{\text{melt}}$  to estimate Fl saturation for  $\text{SiO}_2$ -oversaturated, CaO-poor (<0.5 wt%) magmas. Furthermore, Dolejš and Baker (2006) used granitic compositions to calculate a Fl saturation model based on experiments and confirmed that CaO and F control Fl saturation independently. In the present study, the initial CaO content (3 wt%) is significantly higher compared with the study of Scaillet and Macdonald (2004) and for a given  $A. I._{\text{melt}}$ , Fl saturation is achieved at much lower  $\text{F}_{\text{melt}}$  concentration. For example, at 825 °C, Fl saturation occurs in a melt with  $A. I. = 2.0$  and 1.5 wt% F (Fig. 9), whereas Fl saturation is predicted to occur at 4 wt% F based on the model of Scaillet and Macdonald (2004). This confirms that Fl saturation in granitic and rhyolitic melts requires higher  $\text{F}_{\text{melt}}$  concentration compared with CaO-rich magmas. Unfortunately, calculations using the solubility model of Dolejš and Baker (2006) in experiments with Fl utilizing residual melt composition were unsuccessful. Despite  $\text{F}_{\text{melt}}$  is similar to the calibration experiments, the significantly higher  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  probably impedes meaningful results. Despite higher  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  and  $\text{F}_{\text{melt}}$  concentrations, the Fl saturation  $T$  (825 °C) is similar as observed by Scaillet and Macdonald (2004) and Dolejš and Baker (2006).

Evolved high halogen experiments show increasing  $\text{F}_{\text{melt}}$  but decreasing  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$  and invariably contain Fl as the only Ca- and F-bearing mineral phase. Given that Fl is also stable at significantly lower  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$ , its stability likely extends by increasing  $\text{F}_{\text{melt}}$  compensating for lower  $\text{CaO}_{\text{melt}}$ . Even though the Dolejš and Baker (2006) model cannot be applied for the compositions used in this study, our data still support the conclusion that the activity product of F and Ca controls Fl stability.

#### *The influence of fluorite and hiortdahlite on eudialyte stability*

In contrast to Fl, Hio is not observed in evolved high halogen experiments. Equation 6 shows that the destabilization of Cpx in favor of Hio requires high  $\text{ZrO}_2$  melt contents. In primitive high halogen experiments, Hio is stable if  $\text{ZrO}_2$  melt concentrations are 0.9 wt% or higher; however,  $\text{ZrO}_2$  melt and  $\text{F}_{\text{melt}}$  are similar or higher in evolved high halogen experiments, but Hio is not observed (Figs. 8, 9).

Both Hio and Eud incorporate high concentrations of  $\text{ZrO}_2$  (10–13 wt%), but  $\text{ZrO}_2$  melt content necessary to stabilize Hio is roughly 0.9 wt% and therefore lower compared with 1.2 wt% for Eud (Fig. 8). However, in one low halogen experiment, Eud is stable coexisting with 0.7 wt%  $\text{ZrO}_2$  melt, which is probably related to the destabilization of Cpx in this run (discussed in the section on Eud stability). In run 139 with Fl and Hio (750 °C), Eud

is additionally stabilized, which is likely due to the increase in  $ZrO_2$  melt content from 0.9 to 1.6 wt%, as  $CaO_{melt}$  and  $Cl_{melt}$  are similar to run 114 at 775 °C. Similar to Ca-rich Cpx, Fl is the main Ca-phase in evolved high halogen experiments preventing Eud stability at lower  $ZrO_2$  melt. Whereas  $CaO_{melt}$  is fairly constant in high halogen experiments with Fl and Hio, low halogen experiments with Eud show decreasing  $CaO_{melt}$ . In contrast to Hio, decreasing  $CaO_{melt}$  does not limit Eud stability, as Eud is stable coexisting with melts having the lowest  $CaO_{melt}$  contents (run 128, Fig. 9). In this experiment, the coexisting melt contains 1.7 wt% F and is therefore comparable to experiments with Hio, but Hio is not observed. This might be explained by Hio incorporating more CaO (34–40 wt%) than Eud (11–12 wt%); we conclude that lower  $CaO_{melt}$  is crucial to destabilize Hio.

If Cpx, Fl or both are stable, Hio requires higher  $CaO_{melt}$  but lower  $ZrO_2$  melt compared with Eud. If  $F_{melt}$  is sufficiently high, Hio is stabilized at higher  $T$ 's than Eud, as observed in primitive high halogen experiments. In these experiments,  $ZrO_2$  melt is rather constant at  $\sim 0.9$  wt% between 825 and 750 °C in the presence of Hio. In this  $T$  interval,  $ZrO_2$  melt concentrations increase to 1.2–1.4 wt% in low halogen experiments, resulting in Eud saturation in consecutive evolved experiments at lower  $T$  (Fig. 3b). The absence of Eud in evolved high halogen experiments is therefore explained by saturation of Hio and the concomitant delay of increasing  $ZrO_2$  melt concentration. As the trend of increasing  $ZrO_2$  melt is maintained, we expect that saturation of Eud is shifted to lower  $T$ .

If Hio is not stabilized before Eud at relatively high  $CaO_{melt}$  content, this may not happen at lower  $T$  as  $CaO_{melt}$  decreases, and  $ZrO_2$  is then also incorporated in Eud. Still, Fl may be stabilized at any  $CaO_{melt}$  concentration if  $F_{melt}$  is high enough. As a further consequence of unstable Cpx and Eud in evolved high halogen experiments, the remaining  $FeO^*_{melt}$  is incorporated in Mag (800 °C, run 166), which is, except for this experiment, unstable in evolved experiments. At lower  $T$ , FeO is then incorporated in abundant Ae by reason of increasing peralkalinity.

#### Factors controlling the behavior of Cl and F in peralkaline systems

Both Cl and F, at least in the absence of fluids, are considered to behave incompatible in silicate melts (e.g., Carroll and Holloway 1994). However, both degassing and fluid exsolution may modify the  $Cl/(Cl + F)$  ratio of a melt, as partitioning in favor of a fluid phase is typical for Cl, but not for F. This is supported by analyses of volcanic gases usually having  $Cl/(Cl + F)$  ratios from 0.5 to 0.95 (Aiuppa 2009). Fairly constant 0.1–0.2 wt%  $Cl_{melt}$  and 0.2–0.3 wt%  $F_{melt}$  concentrations were calculated by

combining halogen concentrations of amphibole, apatite, mica and mineral–melt distribution coefficients in diorites and gabbros (Zhang et al. 2012). They found that  $Cl/(Cl + F)$  decreases close to the solidus  $T$ , which might indicate fluid exsolution processes. However, both fluid exsolution and degassing processes can only significantly modify the  $Cl/(Cl + F)$  ratio if sufficient amounts of fluid are exsolved or degassed (Balcone-Boissard et al. 2010). In both low and high halogen series, the initial  $Cl/(Cl + F)$  ratio is 0.15 although initial Cl and Fl concentrations are six times higher in high halogen experiments. However, in both series,  $Cl_{melt}$  and  $F_{melt}$  increase with decreasing temperature and  $Cl/(Cl + F)_{melt}$  is constant until Sdl and Eud form,  $Cl_{melt}$  decreases thereafter (Fig. 3i). The ideal incompatible behavior of Cl and F (Fig. 6) is either explained by a fluid consisting mainly of hydrocarbons rather than hydrous species, which would indicate that Cl and F have a low affinity for such hydrocarbon-dominated fluids. Alternatively, a low amount of fluid present and/or a low  $H_2O$  activity in such fluids prevent major effects on Cl and F melt concentrations.

At the same time,  $F_{melt}$  further increases in low and high halogen experiments although F-bearing mineral phases are present in the latter. This is because  $CaO_{melt}$  steadily decreases and  $F_{melt}$  is therefore not sufficiently buffered by the precipitation of Ca–F phases. As a consequence, the  $Cl/(Cl + F)_{melt}$  ratio strongly decreases down to values of around 0.05.

Primitive high halogen experiments contain Sdl, Fl and Hio (825 °C) at higher  $T$  due to higher initial  $Cl_{melt}$  and  $F_{melt}$  concentrations. Presuming sufficient  $Cl_{melt}$  contents, Eud saturation is mainly controlled by  $ZrO_2$  melt concentration. Similar to evolved low halogen experiments,  $Cl_{melt}$  decreases with decreasing  $T$  where Sdl (and Eud) are stable. Additionally, Fl and Hio are stable, yet  $F_{melt}$  increases. This causes a slightly lower  $Cl/(Cl + F)$  of the evolved high halogen starting glass compared with evolved low halogen starting glasses. In evolved high halogen experiments, Sdl is stable, but its abundance is low and  $Cl_{melt}$  decreases only slightly compared with evolved low halogen experiments. Fl is stable,  $F_{melt}$  slightly increases and  $Cl/(Cl + F)_{melt}$  slightly decreases, yet these trends are less pronounced compared with low halogen experiments without F-bearing mineral phases (Fig. 3i).

Our experiments demonstrate the incompatible behavior of Cl and F during crystallization of peralkaline iron-rich phonolitic compositions as  $Cl_{melt}$  and  $F_{melt}$  increase, whereas  $Cl/(Cl + F)_{melt}$  stays constant if no halogen-bearing mineral phases are stable. Consequently,  $Cl/(Cl + F)_{melt}$  decreases with stable Cl-bearing mineral phases (evolved low halogen experiments). However, this is also the case with stable Cl- and F-bearing mineral phases (primitive high halogen experiments). Saturation

with halogen-bearing phases occurs at higher  $T$  for higher initial Cl and F concentrations, except for Eud. Identical initial Cl/(Cl + F) ratios with different concentrations lead to slightly different trends, still the general trend of decreasing Cl/(Cl + F) is maintained.

Quartz-undersaturated volcanic rocks are typically more Cl-rich than SiO<sub>2</sub>-saturated rocks (Aiuppa et al. 2009). In contrast to Sdl, only relatively low concentrations of Cl (<1 wt%, Zhang et al. 2012) can be incorporated in amphibole, apatite and mica. We suggest that the incorporation of Cl in Sdl in line with decreasing Cl<sub>melt</sub> concentration protracts exsolution of a Cl-rich fluid phase. As already suggested by Stormer and Carmichael (1971), this may contribute to generally higher Cl whole-rock concentrations in SiO<sub>2</sub>-undersaturated rocks as we are not aware of a Cl-rich substitute for Sdl in SiO<sub>2</sub>-saturated rocks.

#### Implications for the dyke rock and the Ilímaussaq intrusion

As probably all Ilímaussaq rocks are cumulates and no melt inclusion studies on the Ilímaussaq rocks are available, melt compositions from which these rocks crystallized are unknown. Therefore, we cannot directly compare the extreme increase of Na<sub>2</sub>O (up to 19 wt%) and the A. I. (up to 5.5) observed in our experimental residual melts with nature. However, melt inclusions in nephelinites from Oldoinyo Lengai (Tanzania) reach up to 18 wt% Na<sub>2</sub>O and A. I.'s up to 13.0 confirming the possible formation of such extreme melt compositions in nature (Mitchell and Dawson 2012). The results of Giehl et al. (2013) and this study show that at low  $fO_2$  and  $aH_2O$  a peralkaline melt is capable to initially crystallize a metaluminous phase assemblage (Mag, Ol, Cpx, Afs and Nph). After roughly 60–80 % crystallization (recalculated for the fractionation step, e.g., run 151 and 127, respectively) mineral phases typical for agpaite rocks (Ae, Hio, Eud) form. This supports the presumption that the dyke rock represents a near-parental melt composition for the Ilímaussaq system capable to crystallize metaluminous and peralkaline agpaite phase assemblages. The extent of crystallization necessary to form agpaite assemblages based on our study is similar to previous estimates of 75–99 %, based on a slightly more primitive parental melt composition (Engell 1973; Bailey et al. 1981).

The presence of native iron in the plutonic augite syenite unit (equivalent of the dyke's phenocryst assemblage) of the Ilímaussaq complex has been hypothesized owing to extremely low oxygen fugacities prevailing during formation of these rocks ( $\Delta \log FMQ$  –3 to –5, Marks and Markl 2001). Albeit native iron was most likely oxidized subsequently or consumed due to increasing peralkalinity, our data suggest that crystallization conditions were

sufficiently reduced as some experiments show that native iron is stable coexisting with Mag, Ol and Cpx (run 96).

Increasing peralkalinity and increasing FeO\*<sub>melt</sub> in experiments on peralkaline rhyolites were found to be moderated by Na–Fe-rich Cpx, counteracting the effect of Afs (+Nph, Scaillet and Macdonald 2003). In our experiments, Afs (+Nph) is usually abundant and Ca-rich Cpx coexists with mineral phases that can be attributed to both the phenocryst and the groundmass assemblage of the investigated dyke rock. The transition to Na-rich Cpx occurs in the lowest  $T$  experiments (700–650 °C) coexisting with an extremely FeO\*-rich (~15 wt%) and highly peralkaline melt (A. I. = 4.7–5.5). The stabilization of Na-rich Cpx is able to inverse the trend of increasing FeO\*<sub>melt</sub>, but is, in contrast to peralkaline rhyolites, unable to moderate increasing peralkalinity. The late compositional transition from Ca-rich to Na-rich Cpx, likely induced by low  $fO_2$ , and also the destabilization of Ca-rich Cpx by high F<sub>melt</sub> content, may therefore give rise to liquid lines of descent that will form “hyperagpaite” phase assemblages at even lower  $T$  and may result in melt–melt immiscibility (e.g., Khomyakov 1995). Such hyperagpaite conditions combined with high F<sub>melt</sub> concentrations may also stabilize Vil. Despite not observed in the experiments, Vil might be stable at experimental conditions, as it is prone to dissolution during preparation of the samples with water.

In the dyke rock, Mag and Ol are typically rimmed by Ae and Na–Fe Cpx. Hio occurs as inclusions in Na–Fe Cpx, Ae and Arf (Fig. 3 in Marks and Markl 2003). This may indicate that Ae and Hio are mineral phases that crystallize at the transition from phenocrysts to groundmass minerals before the peak FeO\*<sub>melt</sub> content is reached (Ae) and before CaO<sub>melt</sub> significantly decreases (Hio). In primitive high halogen experiments, Hio crystallizes at higher temperatures than Eud, and Hio and Eud coexist in one experiment (run 139) with a melt having high ZrO<sub>2</sub> (1.6 wt%), CaO (2.8 wt%) and F (2.4 wt%) content. As indicated by 1 wt% F in the bulk dyke rock, our experimental results demonstrate the need for a high F<sub>melt</sub> content to stabilize Hio. Also, a magma evolution that provides sufficient ZrO<sub>2</sub> and CaO is required. However, it is possible, but not clearly supported by rock textures, that Hio precipitates before Eud.

In Ilímaussaq, the transition from miaskitic (with titanite + zircon) to agpaite phase assemblages (with Aen + Eud) is controlled by increasing  $\mu Na_2O$  and decreasing  $\mu CaO$  (Marks et al. 2011). Andersen et al. (2012) suggested that low  $fO_2$  may favor the incorporation of Zr in Cpx replacing transitional assemblages as suggested by Marks et al. (2011). In the experiments, neither miaskitic nor transitional assemblages with titanite or zircon were observed, which might be explained by Ti- and Zr-rich Cpx.

The experimental observation that Cl and F do not significantly partition into a hydrocarbon-dominated fluid may allow to explain significant amounts of Cl- and F-bearing minerals in the Ilímaussaq rocks, where primary fluid inclusions are CH<sub>4</sub>-dominated and almost devoid of H<sub>2</sub>O (e.g., Krumrei et al. 2007). The observed late-stage exsolution of a hydrous fluid phase (e.g., Konnerup-Madsen et al. 1988; Krumrei et al. 2007; Graser et al. 2008) after crystallization of these phases has then little influence on the halogen budget of the rock.

## Conclusions

In this study, we present isobaric two-step fractional crystallization experiments on a peralkaline iron-rich phonolitic composition. The observed mineral phases are titanomagnetite, clinopyroxene, fayalitic olivine, alkali feldspar, nepheline and aenigmatite. High melt concentrations of Cl and F stabilize the halogen-bearing mineral phases fluorite, hiortdahlite, sodalite and eudialyte. With decreasing *T*, increasing melt alkalinity stabilizes Na–Fe clinopyroxene and complex Na–Ca–Fe–Ti–Zr silicates (aenigmatite, eudialyte) at the expense of titanomagnetite and olivine. This is equivalent to the resorption of titanomagnetite and olivine by Na–Fe clinopyroxene as observed in the dyke rock. Aside from halogen melt concentrations, eudialyte and hiortdahlite stabilities are governed by melt concentrations of ZrO<sub>2</sub>, and CaO for hiortdahlite. Additionally, high F melt concentrations destabilize Ca-rich clinopyroxene in favor of fluorite and hiortdahlite, which may induce a compositional gap between Ca- and Na-rich clinopyroxene as occasionally observed in nature.

Giehl et al. (2013) concluded that low *f*O<sub>2</sub> and low H<sub>2</sub>O melt content are prerequisites to reproduce the phenocrysts of the dyke rock that resembles the starting material. Based on our experiments, we can extend this conclusion toward the groundmass mineral assemblage. Also, *f*O<sub>2</sub> might have been low enough to stabilize native iron and apart from amphibole, all major mineral phases were experimentally reproduced.

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# C. Appendix

## **Title**

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# Development of potential new geothermometers for (per-) alkaline phonolitic systems

## Abstract

Geothermometry in highly evolved peralkaline rocks is often difficult as Fe-Ti oxides, olivine and Ca-rich clinopyroxene are unstable, instead complex Na-Fe-Ti-Zr silicates like eudialyte and aenigmatite occur. Therefore, most available geothermometers are not applicable and only few other approaches to calculate crystallization  $T$ 's are available for such rocks. In this study, existing geothermometers were tested using experimental data from phase equilibrium experiments (1000 – 650 °C) on an iron-rich peralkaline phonolitic composition. Stable mineral phases within this  $T$  interval are titanomagnetite, fayalitic olivine, Ca-Na-Fe clinopyroxene, alkali feldspar, nepheline, aenigmatite, sodalite, eudialyte, fluorite and hiortdahlite coexisting with melt. Both olivine – clinopyroxene - Fe-Ti oxide equilibria and clinopyroxene/melt element partitioning yield large deviations compared with experimental  $T$ 's, confirming serious problems of these thermometers in highly peralkaline systems.

Therefore, we provide calibration for the following potential geothermometers based on Mn mineral/mineral partitioning:

$$\log K_d (\text{cMn, eudialyte/clinopyroxene}) = 0.376 * (10000/T (\text{K})) - 3.858 \quad (n=7, r^2=0.94, T_{\text{int}}=800-650^\circ\text{C})$$

$$\log K_d (\text{cMn, aenigmatite/clinopyroxene}) = 0.292 * (10000/T (\text{K})) - 2.715 \quad (n=6, r^2=0.87, T_{\text{int}}=800-700^\circ\text{C})$$

with Mn (wt%)  $T$  being temperature in K,  $n$  is the number of calibration experiments,  $r^2$  the coefficient of determination and  $T_{\text{int}}$  the  $T$  interval were calibration experiments were conducted. Furthermore, of two thermometers based on mineral/melt partitioning were calibrated:

$$\log K_d (\text{cMn, clinopyroxene/melt}) = -0.310 * (10000/T (\text{K})) + 3.139 \quad (n=16, r^2=0.95, T_{\text{int}}=900-650^\circ\text{C})$$

$$\log K_D (\text{Na/(Na+Ca), clinopyroxene/melt}) = 0.472 * (10000/T (\text{K})) - 5.063 \quad (n=16; r^2=0.94, T_{\text{int}}=900-650^\circ\text{C})$$

27 Our experiments also demonstrate that high F melt concentrations destabilize Ca-  
28 rich clinopyroxene and fluorite and hiortdahlite are stable instead. This induces a  
29 compositional gap between Ca- and Na-rich clinopyroxene as occasionally observed  
30 in nature. Elevated concentrations of Ti and Zr in clinopyroxene are influenced by  
31 oxygen fugacity and the presence or absence of Ti-Zr silicates. Experimental data  
32 reveals complex trends for Ti and Zr in clinopyroxene and further work is needed to  
33 evaluate the potential of these element ratios.

## 34 Introduction

35 Phase equilibrium experiments at high  $P$  and  $T$  provide knowledge on mineral  
36 stabilities, the compositional evolution of minerals and the influence of volatile  
37 components and oxygen fugacity in magmatic systems. Therefore, they allow for the  
38 reconstruction of the crystallization sequence, liquid lines of descent and pre-eruptive  
39 conditions and provide calibrations for geothermometers based on mineral-mineral  
40 and mineral-melt partitioning of specific elements. Numerous thermometers for  
41 magmatic systems utilize element partitioning between Fe-Mg(-Ca)-bearing mineral  
42 phases (olivine, biotite, clinopyroxene and orthopyroxene, e. g. Ellis and Green 1979;  
43 Lindsley 1983; Lee and Ganguly 1988; Perkins and Vielzeuf 1992), Fe-Ti oxides (e.  
44 g. Buddington and Lindsley 1964), pyroxene-melt partitioning (Putirka et al. 1996),  
45 Ol-Cpx(-Fe-Ti oxide) equilibria (Andersen et al. 1993) and feldspathoid-bearing Ol-  
46 Fe-Ti oxide equilibria (Schilling et al. 2011b).

47 Agpaitic rocks are a subgroup of peralkaline ( $A. I. = (Na+K)/Al > 1$ ) rocks and  
48 represent some of the most evolved magmatic rocks known with a crystallization  
49 interval  $> 300$  °C (e. g. Sood and Edgar 1970; Giehl et al. 2013; 2014) and typically  
50 high concentrations of HFSE (e. g. Zr), Cl and F (Bailey et al. 2001). In such rocks,  
51 geothermometry is difficult because  $\#Mg$ 's are close to zero and Fe-Mg(-Ca) silicates  
52 are often absent, instead complex Na-Fe-Ti-Zr silicates like eudialyte and  
53 aenigmatite are stable (**Tab. 1**, Marks and Markl 2013; Giehl et al. 2014). Therefore,  
54 few alternative possibilities are applicable to calculate crystallization  $T$ 's, for example  
55 Nph and Afs compositions (Hamilton 1961; Fuhrman and Lindsley 1988), Na-K  
56 partitioning among Nph and Afs (Powell and Powell 1977) and activities of Na-Al  
57 components in Cpx, Afs and Nph (e. g. Markl et al. 2001).

58 In this study, the reliability of selected geothermometers based on Ol-Cpx(-Fe-Ti  
59 oxide) equilibria and Cpx-melt equilibria was tested using data from isobaric, H<sub>2</sub>O-  
60 poor phase equilibrium experiments on a peralkaline iron-rich phonolitic composition  
61 with variable Cl and F content (Giehl et al. 2013; Giehl et al. 2014). In these  
62 experiments, titanomagnetite, fayalitic olivine, calcic clinopyroxene, alkali feldspar  
63 and nepheline are stable at 850 – 800 °C. At lower *T*, Mag and Ol are unstable, but  
64 sodic clinopyroxene, aenigmatite, sodalite and eudialyte occur, and  $F_{\text{melt}}$   
65 concentrations > 1.5 wt% additionally stabilize fluorite and hiortdahlite (see **Tab. 1** for  
66 mineral abbreviations). Also, in these experiments Cpx shows high concentrations of  
67 TiO<sub>2</sub> (up to 2.1 wt%) and ZrO<sub>2</sub> (up to 2.4 wt%).

68 Concentrations of TiO<sub>2</sub> in Cpx of metaluminous rocks are usually less than 1 wt%,  
69 but may reach elevated concentrations up to 9.4 wt% TiO<sub>2</sub> (up to 0.3 apfu) in  
70 peralkaline rocks (Ferguson 1977). Concentrations of ZrO<sub>2</sub> are usually lower and are  
71 not even routinely analyzed (e. g. Watson and Ryerson 1986; Deer et al. 1992). In  
72 highly evolved rocks, however, Cpx may incorporate significant amounts of ZrO<sub>2</sub>  
73 (Sabine 1950), exemplified by Cpx in syenites, phonolites and trachytes (up to 14.5  
74 wt%, Sabine 1950; Gomes et al. 1970; Larsen 1976; Nielsen 1979; Jones and  
75 Peckett 1981; Duggan 1987; Mann et al. 2006; Andersen et al. 2012).

76 There is no clear correlation of Zr between host rock and  $Zr_{\text{Cpx}}$  (Duggan 1987), but  
77 increasing fractionation parallels increasing Zr in Cpx (Gomes et al. 1970; Larsen  
78 1976). A study on a ZrO<sub>2</sub>-rich (0.5 wt%) syenite from Mt Gibraltar revealed that at  
79 extremely low  $f_{\text{O}_2}$  Zr is rather incorporated in Cpx than forming distinct Zr-silicates  
80 (Andersen et al. 2012). In Ilímaussaq, increasing  $Zr_{\text{Cpx}}$  is reversed when saturation of  
81 Zr-silicates (e. g. eudialyte) occurs (Markl et al. 2001).

82 In this study, we present compositional trends in minerals and mineral-melt element  
83 partitioning for a peralkaline agpaitic phonolitic system with focus on complex Na-Ca-  
84 Fe-Mn-Ti-Zr silicates and Ti- and Zr-rich Cpx. In addition, we show that Ol-Cpx(-Fe-Ti  
85 oxide) and Cpx-melt thermometry cannot be reliably applied in such systems and  
86 propose potential geothermometers based on Mn partitioning between  
87 eudialyte/clinopyroxene, aenigmatite/clinopyroxene and clinopyroxene/melt, and  
88 Na/(Na+Ca) clinopyroxene/melt partitioning. Due to the frequent occurrence of these  
89 minerals, these thermometers are particularly suitable for peralkaline agpaitic rocks.

## 90 Experimental and analytical methods

91 This paper discusses data generated in phase equilibrium experiments on an iron-  
 92 rich peralkaline phonolitic composition (Giehl et al. 2013; Giehl et al. 2014). In the  
 93 following a brief summary of the experimental and analytical methods is given. The  
 94 starting composition represents a peralkaline dyke rock that is a potential parental  
 95 melt of the Ilímaussaq plutonic complex (South Greenland, Larsen and Steenfelt  
 96 1974; Marks and Markl 2003; Giehl et al. 2013; 2014). Three starting glasses with  
 97 variable F and Cl contents were synthesized. Isobaric experiments (100 MPa) were  
 98 conducted in an internally heated argon pressure vessel (IHPV, 1000 °C) and  
 99 hydrothermal cold seal pressure vessels (CSPV, 950 - 650 °C) for 336 - 840 h in  
 100 graphite-lined gold capsules, followed by rapid quench. To cover the large  $T$  interval,  
 101 a two-step fractional crystallization strategy was applied. Therefore, residual melt  
 102 compositions from experiments at 800 °C were resynthesized as starting material for  
 103 subsequent experiments at lower  $T$ . All experimental products were analyzed with  
 104 electron microprobe (EMP) analyses and some selected with fourier-transform  
 105 infrared spectroscopy (FTIR) for analyzing  $H_2O_{\text{melt}}$  content. Attainment of equilibrium  
 106 was demonstrated by systematic changes of #Mg and melt fractions, homogeneous  
 107 mineral phase and residual glass compositions within one experiment and by  
 108 comparison of repeated experiments. More details on experimental and analytical  
 109 methods are given in Giehl et al. (2013; 2014).

110 **Table 1** Mineral phases with simplified formulae and compositional variations

Mineral phase	Abbr.	Formula	Cl/	Na/	100*Mg/	Ti/
			(Cl+OH)	(Na+-Ca)	(Fe <sup>2+</sup> +Mn+Mg)	(Ti+Zr)
			#Cl	XNa	#Mg	XTi
Olivine	Ol	(Fe,Mn,Mg)SiO <sub>4</sub>			X	
Clinopyroxene	Cpx	(Ca,Na)(Fe,Mn,Mg,Ti,Zr)Si <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub>		X	X	X
Aenigmatite	Ae	Na <sub>2</sub> (Fe,Mn,Mg) <sub>5</sub> (Ti,Zr)Si <sub>6</sub> O <sub>20</sub>		X	X	X
Eudialyte	Eud	Na <sub>15</sub> Ca <sub>6</sub> Fe <sub>3</sub> (Zr,Ti) <sub>3</sub> Si <sub>26</sub> O <sub>73</sub> (OH) <sub>3</sub> (Cl,OH) <sub>2</sub>	X	X	X	X
Hiortdahlite	Hio	Ca <sub>4</sub> (Ca,Na) <sub>2</sub> (Zr,Ti) <sub>2</sub> Si <sub>4</sub> O <sub>15-16</sub> F <sub>4</sub>		X		X

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## 112 Results

113 Phase relations and compositional trends of the coexisting melt are briefly  
 114 summarized. Residual melts in all three experimental series show decreasing SiO<sub>2</sub>,  
 115 Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, K<sub>2</sub>O, CaO, increasing Na<sub>2</sub>O, MnO and P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> and resulting increasing A.I.,  
 116 Na/(Na+K), Na/(Na+Ca) and Na/Fe. In contrast, variable liquid lines of descent are  
 117 observed for TiO<sub>2</sub>, ZrO<sub>2</sub>, Ti/(Ti+Zr), FeO\*, MgO, #Mg, Cl, F and Cl/(Cl+F) (as  
 118 discussed in detail in Giehl et al. 2014). FTIR spectroscopy on selected experiments  
 119 confirms low H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>melt</sub> concentrations of ≤1.2 wt%.

120 Mineral phases present are Mag, Cpx, Ol, Afs, Nph and Ae. Roughly 1.5 wt% F<sub>melt</sub>  
 121 stabilize Fl and Hio while Cpx is destabilized; and Sdl and Eud crystallization require  
 122 a coexisting melt with 0.2 – 0.5 wt% Cl, Hio and Eud additionally require > 0.7 wt%  
 123 ZrO<sub>2 melt</sub>. Experiments with highly peralkaline residual melts lack Fe-Ti oxide, Ol and  
 124 Hio while Afs, Nph, Sdl and Ae are stable. Details on phase stabilities are given in  
 125 Giehl et al. (2014).

## 126 Compositional trends and mineral-melt partitioning

127 Systematic variations of several element ratios are observed for Ol, Cpx, Ae, Eud  
 128 and Hio as given in **Table. 1**.

### 129 Cl-OH ratios in eudialyte and the coexisting melt

130 With decreasing *T*, #Cl<sub>melt</sub> and #Cl<sub>Eud</sub> decrease (**Fig. 1a** and **b**, data from Giehl et al.  
 131 2014.). However, in one primitive experiment using primitive starting composition  
 132 #Cl<sub>Eud</sub> is significantly lower compared to experiments using evolved starting  
 133 composition at 750 °C. Determination of cH<sub>2</sub>O<sub>melt</sub> (and therefore calculation of #Cl<sub>melt</sub>  
 134 for the experiment) by FTIR failed due to the low residual melt fraction. However,  
 135 lower #Cl<sub>Eud</sub> can be explained by the extent of accumulated H<sub>2</sub>O through different  
 136 residual melt fractions of ~34 wt% and ~80 wt%, respectively, and a resulting lower  
 137 #Cl<sub>melt</sub> (**Fig. 1a**).

### 138 Na-Ca systematics

139 Na/(Na+Ca) ratios (XNa) of Cpx, Hio, Eud and the coexisting melt versus *T* are  
 140 shown on **Fig. 2a**. Whilst XNa<sub>Eud</sub> (0.66 – 0.71) is fairly constant, XNa<sub>melt</sub> (0.84 – 0.97)  
 141 and XNa<sub>Hio</sub> (0.18 – 0.26) slightly increases with decreasing *T* (**Fig. 2a**). In contrast,

142  $X_{\text{Na}_{\text{Cpx}}}$  (0.10 – 0.79) is highly variable, increases with decreasing  $T$  and is positively  
 143 correlated with  $X_{\text{Na}_{\text{melt}}}$  (**Fig. 2a and b**).

#### 144 **Fe-Mn(-Mg) systematics**

145 With decreasing  $T$ , #Mg's ( $\text{Mg}/(\text{Fe}^{2+}+\text{Mn}+\text{Mg})$ ) of Ol (5-2) and Ae (3-1) decrease  
 146 (**Fig. 3**). In contrast, #Mg<sub>Cpx</sub> decrease (12-5) at 900 – 750 °C, however, at 750 -  
 147 650 °C #Mg<sub>Cpx</sub> increases as  $\text{Fe}^{3+}/(\text{Fe}^{3+}+\text{Fe}^{2+})$  of Cpx ( $X_{\text{Fe}^{3+}}$ ) strongly increases. Both  
 148 Ol and Ae have higher #Mg for a given  $T$  in experiments with halogen-rich starting  
 149 compositions (**Fig. 3a and c**). With decreasing  $T$ , MnO in Ae, Eud and the coexisting  
 150 melt increase. In contrast, MnO in Cpx decreases with decreasing  $T$  (**Fig. 4a**). The  
 151 comparison with  $\text{MnO}_{\text{melt}}$  shows similar trends, MnO in Ae and Eud increase with  
 152 increasing  $\text{MnO}_{\text{melt}}$ , in contrast  $\text{MnO}_{\text{Cpx}}$  decreases (**Fig. 4b**).

#### 153 **Ti-Zr systematics**

154 Ae is Ti-rich and incorporates minor amounts of Zr, Hio and Eud are Zr-rich and  
 155 incorporate minor amounts of Ti (Giehl et al. 2014). The  $X_{\text{Ti}_{\text{Ae}}}$  (0.99 – 0.97) and  
 156  $X_{\text{Ti}_{\text{Hio}}}$  (0.26-0.25) are fairly constant, in one experiment where Hio coexists with Eud,  
 157  $X_{\text{Ti}_{\text{Hio}}}$  is significantly lower (0.16). With decreasing  $T$ ,  $X_{\text{Ti}_{\text{Eud}}}$  increases from 0.03 to  
 158 0.25 (**Fig. 5a**), while two possible trends are observed when plotted against  $X_{\text{Ti}_{\text{melt}}}$   
 159 (**Fig. 5b**) In contrast to Ae, Hio and Eud, Cpx contains minor amounts of  $\text{TiO}_2$  and  
 160  $\text{ZrO}_2$ ,  $X_{\text{Ti}_{\text{Cpx}}}$  shows a complex trend with  $T$  and  $X_{\text{Ti}_{\text{melt}}}$  (**Fig. 5a and b**). The coexisting  
 161 melt shows a poorly defined trend of decreasing  $X_{\text{Ti}}$  with decreasing  $T$  (**Fig. 5a**).

## 162 **Discussion**

### 163 **Geothermometry in (per-)alkaline rocks**

164 Both Ol-Cpx(-Fe-Ti oxide) and Cpx-melt thermometers (Andersen et al. 1993; Putirka  
 165 2008; Masotta et al. 2013) show reasonable agreement ( $\pm 50$  °C) with experimental  
 166  $T$ s where Cpx is Na-poor ( $< 0.15$  apfu). However, large deviations are observed with  
 167 increasing Na content in Cpx (**Fig. 6**). This confirms that high Na content in Cpx  
 168 introduces serious problems for such thermometers (e. g. Essene 1982; Lindsley  
 169 1983; Marks and Markl 2001). Relatively large uncertainties of 75 - 130 °C were  
 170 reported for thermometers utilizing Nph and Afs compositions (Perchuk and  
 171 Ryabchikov 1968; Putirka 2008), however, QUILF calculations are more accurate but  
 172 require Ol or Fe-Ti oxides, which are often unstable in highly peralkaline melts

173 (Marks et al. 2011; Giehl et al. 2014). Cpx-melt thermometers from Putirka (2008)  
174 were recalibrated with new experimental data by Masotta et al. (2013). In this work,  
175 the precision of Cpx-melt thermometers was improved and the extended  
176 experimental dataset covers phonolitic, tephri-phonolitic and trachytic compositions.  
177 However, this kind of thermometer is only applicable if melt compositions are known.

178 Mineral phase compositions of Ol and Cpx (and Mag) from experiments at 100 MPa  
179 and 900 – 800 °C were used to test the reliability of  $T$  calculations with the QUILF95  
180 software (Ver. 6.42, Andersen et al. 1993). The difference between calculated  $T$ s  
181 and experiment  $T$ s ( $\Delta T$ ) plotted against  $\text{Na}_{\text{Cpx}}$  (apfu) of the corresponding  
182 experiment is shown on **Fig. 6**. For Cpx with  $<0.15$  Na (apfu)  $\Delta T$  is  $\pm 35$  °C, however,  
183 in experiments with Na-rich Cpx (0.19 – 0.24 apfu)  $T$  is underestimated by more than  
184 100 °C. In experiments where Na is even higher (0.22 – 0.81 apfu)  $T$  estimates are  
185 not possible because Ol (and Fe-Ti oxides) are unstable. QUILF calculations using  
186 Cpx with Na  $> 0.1$  apfu were previously found to yield unexpectedly low  $T$  and  $a_{\text{SiO}_2}$   
187 (sample GM1223, Marks and Markl 2001). Our experiments confirm the  
188 underestimation of  $T$  by QUILF and we suggest not to use Na-rich Cpx ( $>0.15$  Na  
189 apfu) for such calculations.

190 We further tested seven Cpx-melt thermometers calibrated with Cpx-melt pairs from  
191 phonolites, tephri-phonolites and trachytes (Putirka et al. 1996; Putirka 2008; Masotta  
192 et al. 2013). Two thermometers (T2, Putirka et al. 1996 and TALK33, Masotta et al.  
193 2013) reproduce the experimental  $T$ 's within 50 °C for Cpx with  $<0.4$  and  $<0.25$  apfu  
194 Na, respectively. However, all models yield strong negative correlations of  $\Delta T$  with  
195  $\text{Na}_{\text{Cpx}}$  (apfu). The calibration data of e. g. TALK2012 (Masotta et al. 2013) is limited to  
196 Cpx with Na  $< 0.2$  apfu, except for data published by Andújar et al. (2008,  
197  $\text{Na}_{\text{Cpx}} = 0.25 - 0.42$  apfu). The comparison with our experimental data shows that the  
198 model is only reasonably accurate for Na-poor Cpx ( $<0.15$  apfu,  $\Delta T < 50$  °C) as Cpx  
199 with higher Na (apfu) are underrepresented in the dataset used for calibration. Not  
200 only this confirms that the model should not be used beyond the calibrated range, but  
201 limits the applicability to Cpx with Na  $<0.15$  apfu, although Cpx used for calibration is  
202 more Na-rich (up to 0.42 apfu). We conclude that  $T$  calculation with both Ol-Cpx(-Fe-  
203 Ti oxide) equilibria and Cpx-melt equilibria with Na-rich Cpx yield erroneous results.  
204 Therefore extension of the calibration dataset would be necessary to improve the  
205 accuracy for (per-)alkaline systems. However, extremely low #Mg's in such systems

206 principally pose the question if other element ratios, e. g. the Fe/Mn ratio or the  
207 Na/Ca ratio are more suitable for such rocks.

### 208 **New potential thermometers for peralkaline rocks**

209 During early-, late- and post-magmatic stages Eud occurs and is therefore ideal to  
210 trace geochemical and petrological processes (e. g. Mitchell and Liferovich 2006;  
211 Schilling et al. 2009; Mitchell and Chakrabarty 2012). The composition of naturally  
212 occurring eudialyte is highly variable, however, few constraints on stability and  
213 compositional trends of eudialyte are known. Schilling et al. (2011a) found that Fe/Mn  
214 ratios of Eud decrease with fractionation. However, Ratschbacher et al. (2011)  
215 showed that Fe/Mn ratios in Eud are influenced by coexisting amphibole and Cpx  
216 and suggested REE+Y vs. Cl as a suitable fractionation indicator.

217 In the present study, Cpx shows increasing Fe/Mn ratios, whereas Ae and Eud show  
218 decreasing Fe/Mn ratios with decreasing  $T$ , confirming the abovementioned  
219 observations in natural rocks. The absence of Cpx in one experiment at 700 °C (run  
220 141, Giehl et al. 2014) induces higher Fe/Mn in Eud, confirming an effect of  
221 coexisting Cpx on Fe/Mn ratios for Eud.

222 The Mn distribution coefficients for Eud/Cpx ( $\log K_d$  (cMn, Eud/Cpx)), Ae/Cpx ( $\log K_d$   
223 (cMn, Ae/Cpx)) and Cpx/melt ( $\log K_d$  (cMn, Cpx/melt)), provide linear relationships  
224 when plotted against inverse  $T$  (**Figs. 7 and 8**). Linear regressions of the  
225 experimental data yield the following equations:

$$226 \log K_d (\text{cMn, Eud/Cpx}) = 0.376 \cdot (10000/T (\text{K})) - 3.858 \quad (n=7, r^2=0.94, T_{\text{int}}=800\text{--}650 \text{ }^\circ\text{C})$$

227 (Eq. 4)

$$228 \log K_d (\text{cMn, Ae/Cpx}) = 0.292 \cdot (10000/T (\text{K})) - 2.715 \quad (n=6, r^2=0.87, T_{\text{int}}=800\text{--}700 \text{ }^\circ\text{C})$$

229 (Eq. 5)

$$230 \log K_d (\text{cMn, Cpx/melt}) = -0.310 \cdot (10000/T (\text{K})) + 3.139 \quad (n=16, r^2=0.95, T_{\text{int}}=900\text{--}$$

231 650 °C) (Eq. 6)

232 with Mn in wt%,  $T$  in K,  $r^2$  is the coefficient of determination,  $n$  is the number of  
233 calibration experiments and  $T_{\text{int}}$  is the interval covered by calibration experiments.  
234 High coefficients of determination emphasize their potential as geothermometers.

235 Due to highly variable  $X_{\text{Na,Cpx}}$  it is tempting to suspect a correlation with  $X_{\text{Na,melt}}$   
 236 (**Fig. 9**), similar to the abovementioned Mn thermometers, a correlation with inverse  
 237  $T$  is found for  $\log K_D(X_{\text{Na}}, \text{Cpx/melt})$ :

$$238 \log K_d(X_{\text{Na,Cpx/melt}}) = 0.472 \cdot (10000/T \text{ (K)}) - 5.063 \text{ (n=16; } r^2=0.94, T_{\text{int}}=900\text{-}650 \text{ }^\circ\text{C)} \text{ (Eq. 7)}$$

### 239 **Comparison with previous experimental data**

240 To our knowledge, no phase equilibrium experiments with Eud are available and  
 241 coexisting Cpx and Ae were only reported once in an experimental study on  
 242 peralkaline rhyolites (Di Carlo et al. 2010). In contrast to our study, these  
 243 experiments were performed at highly variable  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_{\text{melt}}$  content (0.7 to 4.6 wt%) and  
 244  $f\text{O}_2$  ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -1.2 to -3.5). This dataset was used to test Ae/Cpx (Mn) and  
 245 Cpx/melt (Mn) calibrations by comparing calculated  $T$ 's with known experimental  $T$ 's  
 246 ( $\Delta T$ ). For Ae/Cpx (Mn), some data points show good agreement, while others deviate  
 247 significantly (**Fig. 10**). Experiments conducted at similar and lower  $f\text{O}_2$  ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -  
 248 2.8 to -0.7) compared to calibration experiments ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -1.8 to -1.2) show  
 249 reasonable agreement ( $\Delta T < 50 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ). In contrast, slightly higher  $f\text{O}_2$  ( $\Delta \log \text{FMQ}$  -0.8  
 250 to -0.4) leads to increasing  $\Delta T$  (80 – 90  $^\circ\text{C}$ ). The correlation of  $\Delta T$  with  $f\text{O}_2$  implies  
 251 applicability within or below the calibrated  $f\text{O}_2$  range. To include the  $f\text{O}_2$  effect into the  
 252 calibration, this would require calibration data at variable  $f\text{O}_2$  conditions.

253 To test the Cpx/melt( $X_{\text{Na}}$ ) thermometer experiments of this study were compared  
 254 with data from experimental studies on phonolites (Berndt et al. 2001; Freise et al.  
 255 2003; Andújar et al. 2010; Masotta et al. 2013). Most of the experiments are in  
 256 reasonable agreement with Equation 7, suggesting the potential use as a  
 257 geothermometer between 900 – 650  $^\circ\text{C}$ .

### 258 **Application to nature**

259 So far, crystallization  $T$ 's of the dykes' groundmass assemblage were estimated from  
 260 Nph thermometry and Ab-Jd-Ne equilibria (<775  $^\circ\text{C}$  and 600 – 450  $^\circ\text{C}$ , respectively,  
 261 Marks and Markl 2003). Upper and lower limits of  $\log K_d$  (Mn) were calculated for one  
 262 dyke rock sample (GM 1849) using min-max values from Eud (**Tab. 2**), Ae and Cpx  
 263 analyses (Marks and Markl 2003). Calculations yield 625 – 530  $^\circ\text{C}$  (Eud/Cpx) and  
 264 615 – 500  $^\circ\text{C}$  (Ae/Cpx), which is outside the calibrated  $T$  interval, but reasonably  
 265 close to previous estimates (**Fig. 7**). Also, similar equilibration  $T$ 's for both Eud/Cpx  
 266 and Ae/Cpx thermometers coincide with the textural observation that Eud and Ae

267 coexist in this sample. The application of Cpx/melt thermometers requires knowledge  
 268 on melt compositions. Such information can be obtained from melt inclusion data,  
 269 which is currently unavailable for the Ilímaussaq rocks.

270 **Table 2** Eudialyte EMP analyses from sample GM1849 (wt%, Marks and Markl 2003)

SiO <sub>2</sub>	47.33	46.77
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.09	0.04
ZrO <sub>2</sub>	8.64	9.09
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.17	0.14
FeO	6.18	6.30
MnO	0.73	0.69
CaO	11.02	10.87
Na <sub>2</sub> O	14.87	15.01
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.33	0.33
Cl	1.33	1.39
HfO <sub>2</sub>	0.13	0.20
Nb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.66	0.54
Nd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.03	0.04
Ce <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.06	0.06
Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.41	0.43
La <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.03	0.02
SrO	0.00	0.00
Total	92.00	91.92

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272 Another rock type suited to apply the Eud/Cpx thermometer are the Iujavrites of  
 273 Ilímaussaq where crystallization  $T$ s were estimated to 500 – 450 °C (Markl et al.  
 274 2001). Application of the Eud/Cpx thermometer with data from Ratschbacher et al.  
 275 (2011) yields 550 – 430 °C.

276 In the agpaitic nepheline syenites of Tamazeght (Morocco) Eud occurs during late-  
 277 and post-magmatic stages (Schilling et al. 2009). Constraints on  $T$  from Nph  
 278 thermometry indicate 900 – 800 °C during early magmatic conditions and 500 –  
 279 400 °C for post-magmatic hydrothermal veins (Marks et al. 2008). The Eud/Cpx  
 280 thermometer yields between 670 and 550 °C, consistent with textural observations  
 281 (Schilling et al. 2009). Similarly, in SiO<sub>2</sub>-undersaturated syenites of the Agua de Pau  
 282 volcano (Sao Miguel, Azores Islands) Eud represents the latest stages of  
 283 crystallization and is interpreted to coexist with aegirine-augite (Ridolfi et al. 2003).  
 284 Here, Eud/Cpx Mn thermometry yields reasonable 620°C.

## 285 Limitations of of the model

286 We here emphasize that calibration experiments were conducted at 100 MPa,  
 287  $H_2O_{\text{melt}} \leq 1.2$  wt% and  $\Delta \log \text{FMQ} -1.8(5)$  to  $-1.2(5)$ . Experiments from Di Carlo et al.  
 288 (2010) imply the influence of variable  $H_2O_{\text{melt}}$  and  $fO_2$  conditions on Mn distribution  
 289 between Ae and Cpx. Such effects need further experimental investigations at  
 290 variable  $fO_2$  conditions.

291 Investigations on interdiffusion of (Fe,Mn)-Mg and Fe-Mg in diopside show that Cpx  
 292 compositions record and retain peak  $T$  conditions of formation (Dimanov and  
 293 Wiedenbeck 2006; Müller et al. 2013). However, such diffusion data for Ae and Eud  
 294 are unavailable. Application tonature was only possible in rocks were Eud is relatively  
 295 late in the crystallization sequence. Therefore, the applicability at higher  $T$ 's needs to  
 296 be demonstrated.

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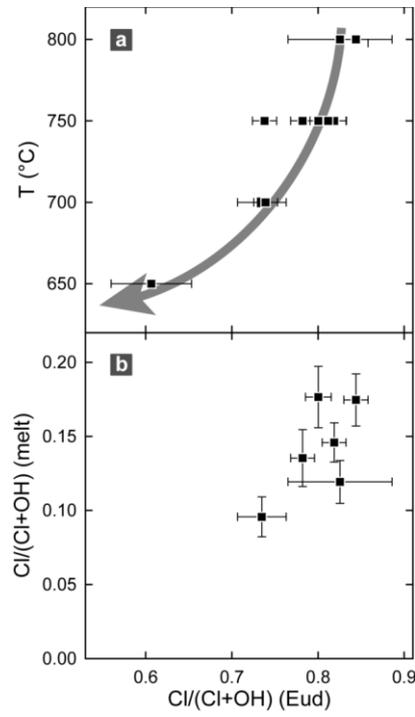
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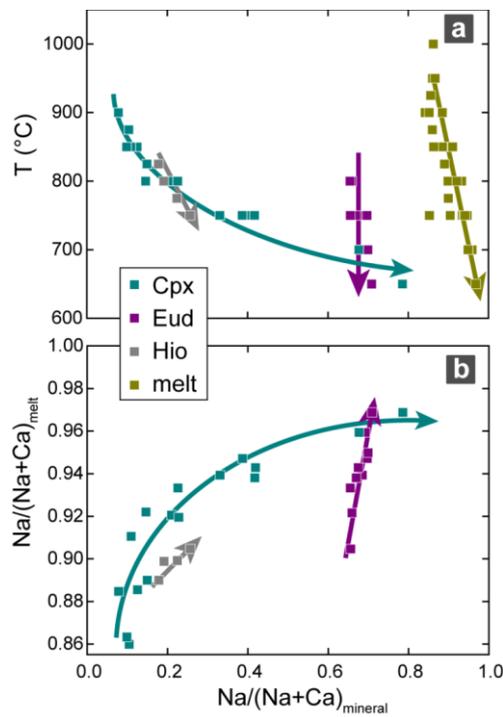
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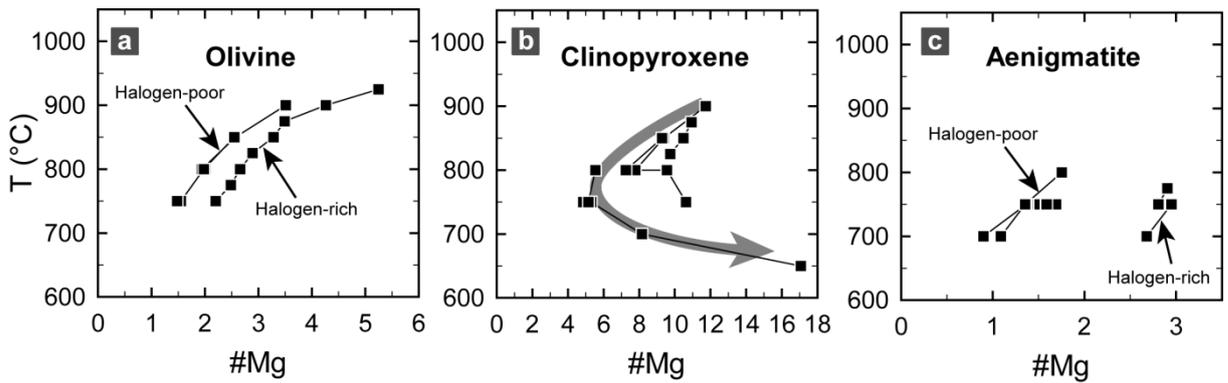
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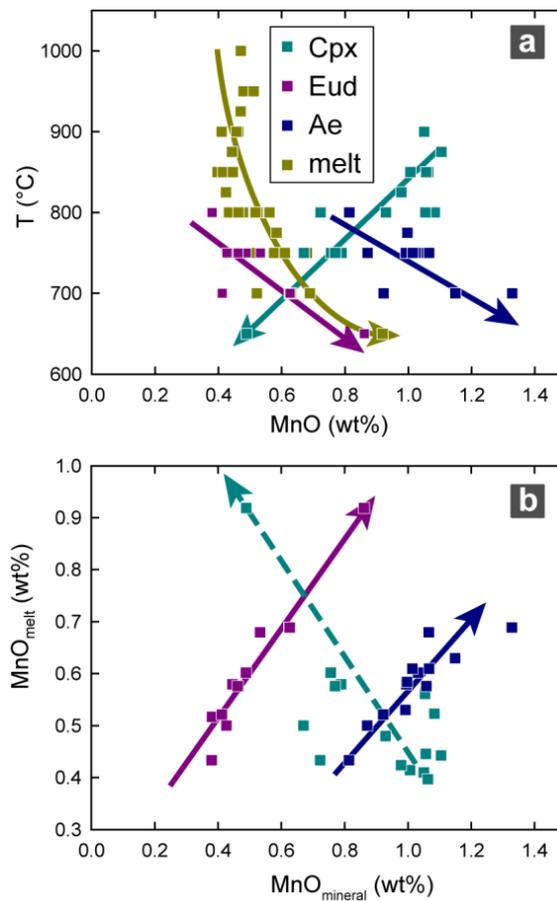
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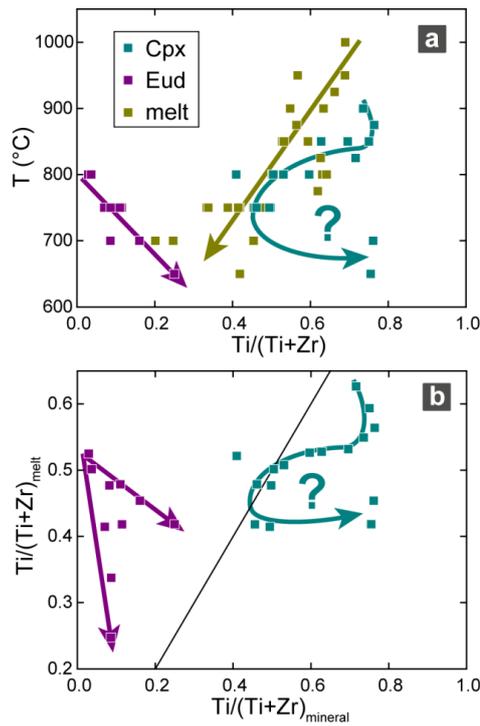
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 456 Ae (calculated with data from Giehl et al. 2014, electronic supplement eTables 3, 4  
 457 and 8)

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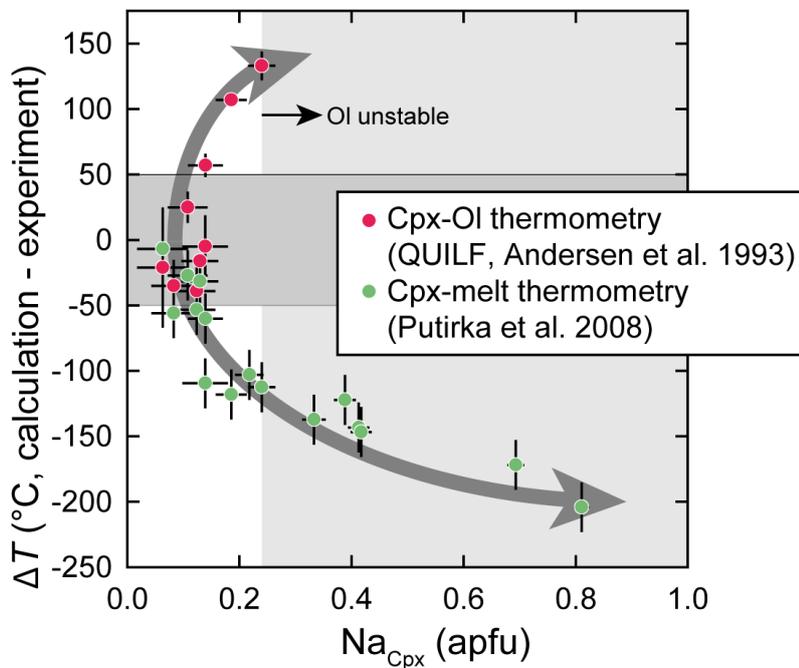
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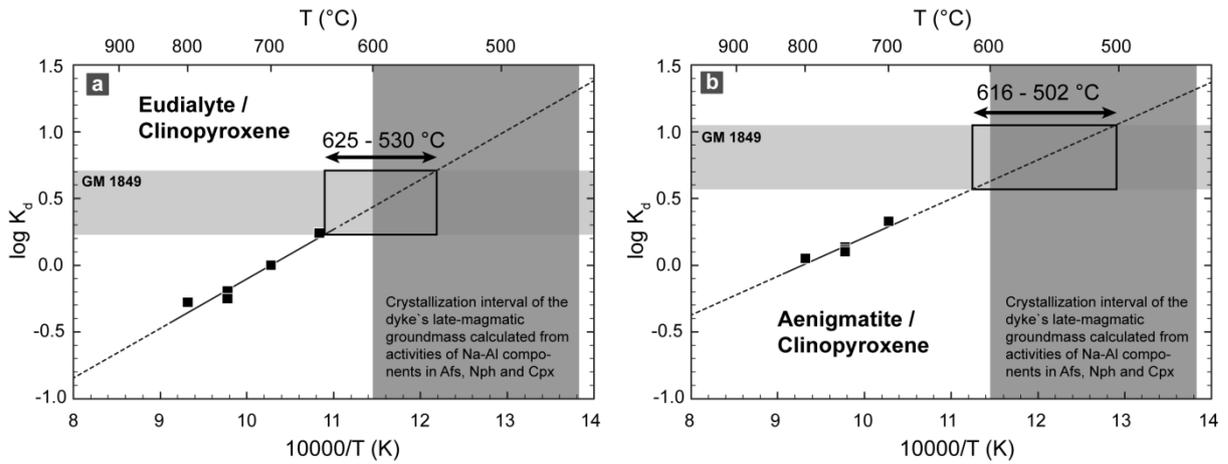
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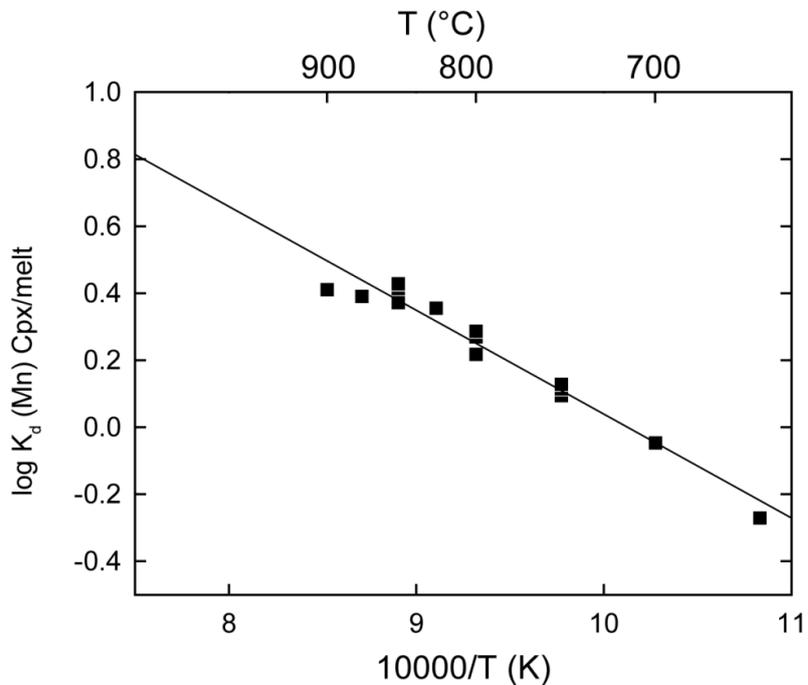
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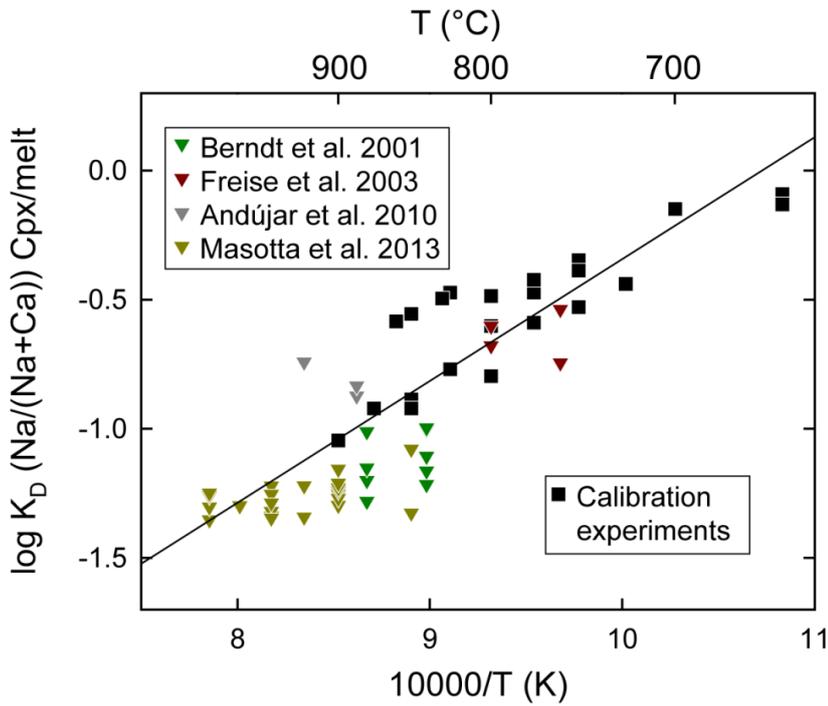
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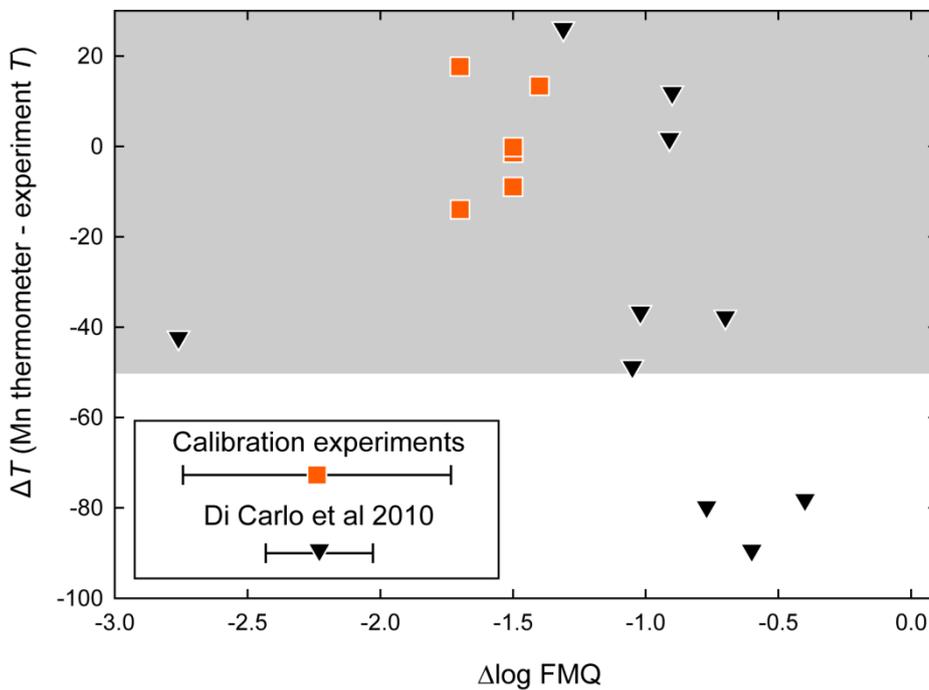
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 484 experimental data (Berndt et al. 2001; Freise et al. 2003; Masotta et al. 2013)

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