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3 **Eruption Triggering by Partial Crystallization of Mafic Enclaves at Chaos Crag, Lassen**

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12 **Abstract**

13 Magma mixing at arc volcanoes is common, but the manner in which mixing or mafic
14 recharge may trigger volcanic eruptions is unclear. We test ideas of eruption triggering for the
15 1,103 ±13 y B.P. Chaos Crag eruption at the Lassen Volcanic Center, Northern California. We
16 do so by applying mineral-melt and two-mineral equilibria from mafic enclaves and host lavas
17 from six eruptive units of the Chaos Crag eruption to calculate crystallization conditions.
18 Understanding that Chaos Crag is a type location for magma mixing, we estimate these P-T
19 conditions by employing some apparently new methods to reconstruct pre-eruptive liquid
20 compositions—which can be independently verified using various mineral-melt equilibria. We
21 find that crystallization of “host” rhyodacite magmas occurs within the upper crust (at pressures
22 of 0—1.7 kbar) over a ~300°C interval (temperatures ranging from 669—975°C) and that mafic
23 magmas (which occur as enclaves within the host felsic samples) crystallized over a ~250°C

24 temperature interval (ranging from 757—1090°C), also within the upper crust, though extending
25 to middle-crust depths (0—3.9 kbar). Notably, both host lavas and mafic enclaves contain
26 crystals that are inherited from their opposing end-member, and both magma types contain
27 plagioclase crystals that appear to have equilibrated with the resulting intermediate composition
28 magmas; these intermediate composition plagioclase crystals indicate that some amount of time
29 passed between both the recharge of magma into a felsic reservoir, and the mixing event that
30 caused an exchange of crystals, before eruption.

31 We propose that mafic recharge – though it may have been the ultimate triggering event –
32 did not immediately precede any of the eruptive events at the Chaos Crag. The most mafic (least
33 mixed) enclaves in our collection are nearly aphyric, indicating that they were likely the first
34 melts to enter the system, and quenched upon intrusion into a cold, upper crust felsic magma.
35 Many high T Ol grains in enclaves also co-exist with Cpx, Pl and Amp crystals that crystallized
36 from only slightly more evolved liquids, at temperatures that are low enough (e.g., 800-900°C) to
37 have possibly quenched earlier-formed, high-T Ol crystals, perhaps negating the use of Ol
38 diffusion profiles as a record of mixing-to-eruption time scales (at the Chaos Crag, at least, they
39 would only provide minimum times, which could be orders of magnitude less than actual times).
40 And more crystalline enclaves record more mixing, and more cooling. It thus appears that
41 recharge is required to reinvigorate an otherwise dormant Chaos Crag system, as described by
42 Klemetti and Clynne (2014), but ~250°C of cooling and crystallization, as recorded by many
43 enclaves, provides the immediate cause of eruption—through increased magma overpressure by
44 the exsolution of a fluid phase and increased buoyancy.

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Introduction

50 Mafic recharge into the base of crustal magmatic reservoirs, and subsequent magma
51 mixing, have both been widely implicated as a possible eruption trigger for arc volcanoes
52 (Sparks et al. 1977, Huppert et al. 1982, Clyne 1999, Pallister et al. 1992, Kent et al. 2010;
53 Cooper and Kent 2014). However, it is unclear which (if either) of these processes, recharge or
54 mixing, are a proximate cause of eruption (see Putirka 2017). Petrologic evidence from
55 numerous arc volcanoes indicates that a mixing event and eruption can occur concurrently
56 (Woods and Cowan 2009), or that the time between mixing and eruption can range from days
57 (Wallace and Carmichael 1994; Venezky and Rutherford 1997) or weeks (Huppert et al. 1982;
58 Hammer and Rutherford 2003; Martin et al. 2008) to years (Huppert et al. 1982; Streck et al.
59 2002) or even decades (Costa and Chakraborty 2004) prior to eruption. Of course, in those cases
60 where magma mixing is syn-eruptive, the mixing event is a result of - rather than a cause of -
61 eruption. Another model for eruption triggering, sometimes referred to as second boiling (see
62 Blake 1984; but also Daly 1911), involves increases in magmatic overpressure due to volatile
63 saturation, exsolution, and accumulation of volatiles (primarily during crystallization of
64 anhydrous phases).

65 By disentangling mixing end-members, we can estimate the P-T conditions of recharge
66 and storage, and so better understand eruption triggering mechanisms. If a mafic recharge event
67 were the proximate trigger of eruption, then crystals contained within mafic enclaves (Ol, Cpx,
68 Pl) should largely record the *P-T* conditions under which the recharge magmas were stored prior
69 to eruption (the middle or lower crust?). There should also be little time for magma mixing

70 (Petrelli et al. 2006; Petrelli et al. 2011), and the proportion of crystals derived from hybridized
71 magmas should be small, if not absent (see Wallace and Carmichael 1994; Kent et al. 2010). On
72 the other hand, if there were some delay between recharge and eruption, there may be time for
73 recharge magmas to cool—the magnitude of the delay would then be a function of the degree of
74 crystallization of recharge magmas (Folch and Martí 1998). In the case of a delay, there may also
75 be time for mixing, and at least some re-equilibration of minerals that might precipitate from
76 mixed liquids. If evolution of a fluid phase induced by extensive crystallization (Blake 1984)
77 was the proximate eruption trigger, not only should mafic enclaves be replete with crystals that
78 are precipitated at upper crustal pressures over a wide range of temperatures, but a considerable
79 fraction of those crystals should derive from a range of intermediate magmas formed by varying
80 degrees of mixing and crystallization (Coombs et al. 2000; Richer et al. 2004).

81 We test whether recharge is a proximate triggering mechanism for the $1,103 \pm 13$ y BP
82 eruption of Chaos Crags, by estimating the crystallization pressure (P) and temperature (T)
83 conditions for crystals (olivine, Ol; plagioclase, Pl; clinopyroxene, Cpx; amphibole, Amp) found
84 within mafic enclaves, which represent the rock record of recharge. The Chaos Crags eruptive
85 products are useful, as they are characterized by the presence of mafic enclaves and are a well-
86 known locality for the incomplete magma mixing processes that the enclaves represent (Wallace
87 and Bergantz 2005). They are certainly representative of lavas produced by other recent
88 eruptions of the LVC—for example, the majority of domes produced at other Eagle Peak
89 sequence vents are characterized by similar mafic enclaves and disequilibrium mineral
90 assemblages (Heiken and Eichelberger 1980; Clynne 1999; Feeley et al. 2008; Clynne and
91 Muffler 2010). Mafic enclaves at Chaos Crags have been long-recognized to record magma
92 mingling - the incomplete magma mixing of two end-member magmas (Heiken and Eichelberger

93 1980; Bacon 1986; Wallace and Bergantz 2005). . It has long been known that andesites and
94 dacites, especially those at the Lassen Volcanic Center, are a product of magma mixing
95 (Macdonald and Katsura 1965; Fountain 1979; Eichelberger 1974; Clynne 1999; Feeley et al.
96 2008) and as we detail below, we employ a new approach to such systems by using various and
97 independent mineral-melt equilibria to estimate compositions of pre-mixing igneous liquids and
98 *P-T* conditions of crystallization.

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Geologic Setting

102 The Cascade Range of the northwestern United States is a continental volcanic arc
103 overlying the Cascadia subduction zone, and extends from Mount Meager in southwestern
104 British Columbia southwards to the Lassen Peak (Hildreth 2007). The Lassen area hosts
105 distributed mafic volcanism and the Lassen Volcanic Center (LVC). LVC is a long-lived focus
106 of volcanism comprising three phases of activity: 1) the Rockland caldera complex, a small
107 caldera and dacite to rhyolite domefield (~825–609 ka); 2) Brokeoff Volcano, an andesitic
108 stratocone (590–385 ka); and 3) the Lassen Domefield, a group of andesite to rhyodacite lava
109 domes, flows and pyroclastic deposits (Clynne and Muffler, 2010). The youngest group of domes
110 and flows - the still active Eagle Peak and Twin Lakes sequences - were emplaced beginning
111 about 90 ka (Clynne and Muffler 2010). For a detailed background on the geologic setting of the
112 Lassen region, the reader is referred to Guffanti et al. (1990), Blakely et al. (1997), Christiansen
113 (2002), Clynne and Muffler (2010), Clynne et al. (2012), and Muffler and Clynne (2015).

114 Chaos Crags are the youngest eruptions within the Eagle Peak sequence, and are located
115 in the Lassen Domefield just north of Lassen Peak (Christiansen et al. 2002). Chaos Crags

116 consist of six dacite to rhyodacite lava domes (Domes A-F, in order of decreasing age), and
117 associated pyroclastic deposits (Fig. 1). The volume of erupted products is at least 1.2 km³ (not
118 including distal tephra; Clynne et al. 2012) and may be as much as ~2 km³ (Heiken and
119 Eichelberger 1980). The eruption began with emplacement of 2 pyroclastic flows followed by
120 growth of Dome A, which plugged the vent. A large explosive eruption followed which mostly
121 destroyed Dome A and produced a widespread pyroclastic flow, followed by the eruptions of
122 Domes B–F. Chaos Crags eruptive units may be divided into two lithologically similar but
123 subtly different groups: 1) the early pyroclastic flows and domes A and B (group 1), and 2)
124 domes C through F (group 2) (Tepley et al. 1999; Wallace and Bergantz 2005). Radiocarbon
125 ages indicate that the eruption began at 1,103 ±13 years BP (Clynne et al. 2008). The duration of
126 the eruptive sequence is unknown, but unpublished paleomagnetic data suggest that the dome
127 building eruptions lasted no more than a few decades after the explosive eruptions. (Clynne et al.
128 2008).

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Methods

131 We present whole-rock elemental data for six host and 47 enclave samples (Appendix A),
132 collected from each of Chaos Crags domes, A through F, and the upper pyroclastic flow, with
133 accompanying mineral compositions for most samples (Appendices B-G). Enclaves were divided
134 into cores and rims based on macroscopic differences in texture and color; where macroscopic
135 differences were not evident, the outer 2 cm of the enclave was designated as the enclave rim.
136 Cores and rims of enclaves were treated as separate samples for purposes of whole-rock
137 geochemical analyses, to determine if compositional variations within individual enclaves were
138 present.

139 **Whole Rock Geochemical Compositions**

140 Whole-rock geochemical compositions were determined using a Phillips Analytical
141 Wavelength Dispersive X-Ray Fluorescence Spectrometer at California State University, Fresno.
142 Care was taken to remove visually distinct disaggregated enclave fragments from host lavas prior
143 to analyses, however, as some individual crystals in felsic host materials are enclave-derived, a
144 perfect separation of enclave and host is not possible. Sample powders were ground for 3-5
145 minutes in a tungsten carbide shatterbox; mafic enclave powders were calcined for 10 minutes at
146 1000°C, and host powders calcined for 10 minutes at 900°C to ensure dehydration of sample and
147 oxidation of Fe²⁺ to Fe³⁺. Analysis of major oxide components was conducted using the fused
148 glass bead method (Busby et al. 2008). Relative errors (%RSD) for USGS calibration standards
149 are: BCR-2: 0.55% SiO₂, 0.89% TiO₂, 0.67% Al₂O₃, 0.36% Fe₂O₃, 0.28% MgO, 0.28% CaO,
150 0.01% Na₂O, 0.56% K₂O, and 0.01% P₂O₅; GSP-2: 0.15% SiO₂, 1.5% TiO₂, 0.01% Al₂O₃,
151 0.20% Fe₂O₃, 4.1% MgO, 0.94% CaO, 2.13% Na₂O, 0.37% K₂O, and 0.01% P₂O₅ (Putirka et al.
152 2014).

153 **Mineral Compositions**

154 Mineral compositions for plagioclase (Pl), clinopyroxene (Cpx), orthopyroxene (Opx),
155 olivine (Ol), amphibole (Amp), magnetite (Mag), and ilmenite (Il) were obtained at the
156 University of California, Davis using a Cameca SX-100 electron microprobe and at the U.S.
157 Geological Survey (USGS) Menlo Park using a JEOL JXA-8900 electron microprobe; specific
158 parameters for analyses of individual mineral phases are given in Table 1. X-ray intensities were
159 converted to wt.% concentrations using automated CITZAF matrix corrections (Armstrong
160 1995). Polished thin sections were coated with an ~25 nm layer of C prior to analysis (Watson
161 1955).

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163 **Reconstructing Liquid Compositions—the Need and Approach**

164 At least since Green's (1975) study of komatiites, we have understood that mineral
165 compositions provide a powerful means to delimit the compositions of mafic silicate melts,
166 whose compositions may be veiled by mixing or differentiation, but whose identity is crucial to
167 understanding mantle processes. The need for reconstructing liquid compositions stems from (a)
168 a long-standing recognition that mafic magmas are a slurry of not-necessarily-equilibrated Ol
169 crystals, and liquids (e.g., MacDonald 1944; Murata and Richter 1966), as well as supercritical
170 fluids and possibly, exsolved volatiles (Spera 2000; Lesher and Spera 2015), and (b) that so-
171 called primary magmas (undifferentiated mantle partial melts) are rarely, if ever, erupted directly
172 to the surface (e.g., O'Hara 1968; Stolper 1980). Mineral compositions are an invaluable tool for
173 liquid composition reconstruction, as they are capable of carrying a record of liquids that are
174 otherwise lost to mixing and/or differentiation. We thus reconstruct mafic parent magma
175 compositions (e.g., Herzberg and O'Hara; Putirka 2016b) to estimate the P-T conditions of
176 crystallization and to better understand the mineralogy and composition of the Chaos Crags
177 system.

178 To date, however, liquid reconstruction methods have not been applied to arc-related
179 andesites and dacites—despite an equally long-standing recognition that magma mixing is nearly
180 ubiquitous in arc settings (MacDonald and Katsura 1965; Eichelberger 1975). Knowledge of
181 intermediate liquids, though, is no less important, for estimating P-T conditions of magma
182 recharge, storage, and mixing, which in turn reveal how volcanic eruptions are triggered (Putirka
183 2017). The Chaos Crags are a near-perfect target for such an attempt as they represent something
184 of an archetype of magma mixing (Heiken and Eichelberger 1980; Tepley et al. 1999). They

185 contain abundant and sometimes nearly aphyric mafic enclaves, which provide an uncomplicated
186 view of mafic end-member liquids. Furthermore, experiments by Quinn (2014) yield information
187 of felsic liquid end-members, and numerous whole rock compositions (e.g., Heiken and
188 Eichelberger 1980; Tepley et al. 1999; this study) tell us about what lies between. Perhaps
189 petrologists have been dissuaded from the attempt due to the mineralogic complexity of
190 intermediate magmas—but herein lies the advantage: a panoply of minerals with well-calibrated
191 tests of equilibrium (e.g., Ol: Roeder and Emslie 1970; Cpx: Putirka 1999; Pl: Putirka 2005;
192 Amp: Ridolfi and Renzulli 2011, Putirka 2016a) offers multiple, independent tests of liquid
193 compositions so that igneous liquids can be even better constrained than their mineralogically
194 more simple mafic counterparts.

195 Our methods of liquid reconstruction vary depending upon the mineral phase in question
196 (see below for details), but our general approach is as follows: (1) We select a candidate liquid
197 among multiple, nearly aphyric compositions, that has the correct Fe/Mg (using T- and P-
198 independent models, Putirka 2016b) to explain many observed Ol and Cpx crystals found within
199 Chaos Crags enclaves (Roeder and Emslie 1970; Putirka 2016a), or the correct SiO₂ to explain
200 observed high-An Pl, or low-Si Amp (Putirka 2005; 2016b). (2) From such a liquid, we then
201 estimate an equilibration temperature (*T*) and, additionally for Cpx, a pressure (*P*) using the
202 models of Putirka (2005, 2008, 2016a, b). (3) We input the calculated liquid composition and
203 estimated *P-T* conditions into the (*T*- and *P*-sensitive) models of Putirka (1999, 2005) to predict
204 Ol, Cpx or Pl components (re-calculating Fe-Mg exchange), comparing these to observed phase
205 compositions and model error. (4) We then compare the *T* estimates from the various mineral-
206 liquid equilibria, ensuring that any differences are consistent with experimentally-determined
207 phase equilibria (see below for details). (5) If the hypothetical liquid fails to predict observed

208 mineral compositions in steps (3)-(4), we adjust the liquid by either (i) adding or subtracting
209 observed mineral phases (as if moving along a liquid line of descent) or (ii) adding/subtracting a
210 felsic Chaos Crags whole rock composition (as if moving along a crystal + liquid mixing trend)
211 or (iii) adding a glass composition from Quinn (2014) (as if mixing liquids only), until the tests
212 of step (1) are satisfied, where we repeat the process moving to step (2) to calculate T and P , etc.
213 To anticipate some of our results, we obtain very similar, if not identical, mafic liquid
214 compositions, and T estimates from independent calculations involving Cpx, high-Fo Ol, high-
215 An Pl and low-Si Amp, and similar felsic liquid compositions from high-Si Amp, low-Fo Ol and
216 low-An Pl.

217 Our tests of equilibrium are effectively a calibration of phase boundaries as they may
218 vary with P-T and compositional variables. As such, we conduct something of a redundancy
219 check, where in (4), we examine crystallization order and T contrasts with experimental phase
220 relations based on hydrous arc bulk compositions (Fig. 2; Baker and Eggler 1983; Rutherford et
221 al. 1985; Housh and Luhr 1991; Gaetani et al. 1994; Grove et al. 1997; Moore and Carmichael
222 1998; Scaillet and Evans 1999; Blatter and Carmichael 2001; Hammer et al. 2002; Grove et al.
223 2003; Holtz et al. 2005; DiCarlo et al. 2006; Rader and Larsen 2013; Quinn 2014; Waters et al.
224 2015); these tests are confirmed by Rhyolite-MELTS (e.g., Ghiorso and Sack 1995; Gualda et al.
225 2012), but since estimates of error are not provided for predicted values of T , P or phase
226 composition, this model's usefulness is limited. As a final test, we check whether our
227 hypothetical liquids either (a) fall on existing Chaos Crags whole rock trends (whole rocks are 0-
228 50% crystalline, so are mostly liquid), or (b) lie on an extension of such trends so as to act as an
229 end-member to a magma mixing or fractional crystallization process.

230 We caution that our approach is not foolproof. Within error of our equilibrium tests, some
231 observed crystals can form from different liquids. For example, liquids with quite different SiO₂
232 or Al₂O₃ might have the correct Fe/Mg ratio to explain high Fo Ol. We also cannot guarantee
233 that all minerals within Chaos Crags lavas are a product of equilibrium crystallization, nor that
234 such minerals precipitated directly from Chaos Crags liquids (as opposed to minerals culled from
235 the crystalline mush underlying the LVC; see Klemetti and Clynnne 2014, and Schrecengost et al.
236 2016). However, several items mitigate against these potential pitfalls. For example, many of
237 our calculated (and observed) mafic liquids are saturated in Pl, as well as Ol, which then highly
238 restricts possible SiO₂ and Al₂O₃ contents (and other oxides); and for liquids where Ol is the only
239 apparent saturating phase, only a small range of liquid compositions can explain Chaos Crags
240 whole rock trends. Second, Chaos Crags are comprised of six different domes, each providing an
241 independent test of the Chaos Crags system. Mineral populations at these six domes are highly
242 repeatable, and the equilibrium tests are convergent, making it quite unlikely that our calculated
243 liquids or P-T results are grossly affected by xenocrysts or disequilibrium processes.

244 **“Parental” Liquid Compositions, f_{O_2} and H₂O Contents.** We start out tests of
245 equilibrium with mafic inclusions that contain <1% phenocrysts, as their bulk compositions are
246 effectively liquids (Table 2). These enclaves (a) tend to be similar in composition (See Appendix
247 A), (b) are among the most mafic enclaves observed at Chaos Crags (4.5-5 wt.% MgO), and (c)
248 almost always contain Pl + Ol ± Cpx. For modeling purposes (Table 3), we use sample CC-A-I-6
249 (<1% crystals; 4.98 wt.% MgO; 53.2 wt.% SiO₂). We find that some minerals are indeed in
250 equilibrium with such a liquid (olivine, clinopyroxene and high-An plagioclase), but most are
251 not. To obtain an equilibrium liquid composition, we explore a range of mafic and felsic magma
252 compositions by mixing CC-A-I-6 with various Chaos Crags whole rock compositions, or

253 rhyolitic glass compositions obtained from phase equilibria experiments (Quinn 2014) on Chaos
254 Crag host lavas, until (a) mineral-melt equilibrium tests are satisfied and (b) the calculated
255 liquid falls on Chaos Crag whole rock composition trends. The Results section and Table 3
256 notes the suite of liquids that are required to explain the panoply of mineral and whole rock
257 composition variations.

258 Eventually, we wish to use our calculated equilibrium liquids to estimate T , and such
259 estimates are significantly affected by assumed water contents. Fortunately, Collins et al. (2012)
260 and Quinn (2014) provide measurements of such, from melt inclusions of minerals present in
261 Chaos Crag eruptive products. They obtain estimates of $H_2O = 4$ wt.% for mafic enclaves and
262 $H_2O = 5.6$ wt.% for felsic host magmas. Given this narrow range of water contents, we
263 interpolate using:

$$264 \quad H_2O \text{ (wt. \%)} = 0.383 + 0.06955[SiO_2 \text{ wt. \%}] \quad (1)$$

265 This equation is only valid at the Chaos Crag, and has an error that is not clear, but probably
266 close to the difference between the two water measurements (1.6 wt.%). Oxygen fugacity (fO_2)
267 strictly has no effect on any of the models used here: we apply models (Putirka 2008, 2016a, b)
268 that are calibrated using experiments performed over a very wide range of fO_2 , and that assume
269 all Fe is FeO. It is essential that any model is applied precisely as calibrated, otherwise
270 systematic error would be introduced (so it is essential, for example, not to “correct” for fO_2
271 variations, and so remove Fe^{3+} that was never removed during calibration). Any errors resulting
272 from natural ranges in fO_2 are included in published model error estimates, including our use of
273 Fe-Mg exchange equilibria, which are conducted using fO_2 -independent models from Putirka
274 (2008; 2016a, Eqn. 8a; 2016b). In our Results section, we will show evidence that fO_2 at Chaos

275 Crags was ~1.5 log units above the Ni-NiO buffer—well within the range of experimental fO_2
276 conditions of the various model calibrations.

277 **Clinopyroxene-equilibrated Liquids.** We calculate Chaos Crags magma compositions
278 that precipitate clinopyroxene by using two tests of equilibrium. We first apply a Fe-Mg
279 exchange equilibrium constant, $K_D^{Fe-Mg} = 0.27 \pm 0.03$ (where $K_D^{Fe-Mg} =$
280 $([X_{FeO}^{Ol}]/[X_{MgO}^{Ol}])/([X_{FeO}^{liq}]/[X_{MgO}^{liq}])$, and FeO_{tot} = total Fe as FeO), and either accept a bulk
281 host composition as a liquid if it has low crystallinity and falls within 1σ error, i.e., $K_D^{Fe-Mg} =$
282 0.24-0.31, or we add a Chaos Crags rhyodacite magma to CC-A-I-6 until the calculated liquid
283 reaches $K_D^{Fe-Mg} = 0.27$ (see Deposit Item 1). We then calculate T and P using the H_2O -dependent
284 thermometer (Putirka 2008; Eqn. 33), using estimates of H_2O^{liq} from Eqn. 1. Pressure is then
285 calculated using a new barometer from Neave and Putirka (2017). We then apply equilibrium
286 tests (Putirka 1999; Eqns. 2.1 and 2.2) to predict diopside + hedenbergite (DiHd) and enstatite +
287 ferrosilite (EnFs) components in clinopyroxene. We accept as viable all those liquids (and P - T
288 conditions) where (a) the predicted values of DiHd and EnFs fall within a 1σ error bounds
289 (Putirka 1999) of observed values and (b) the calculated liquids fall on observed Chaos Crags
290 whole rock trends (Fig. 3) (see Deposit Item 2).

291 **Olivine-equilibrated Liquids.** For olivine, we use the fO_2 - and composition-
292 independent K_D^{Fe-Mg} (Putirka 2016; Eqn. 8a; Deposit Item 3), adding to CC-A-I-6 a range of
293 different hypothetical magma compositions (see Results) until $K_D^{Fe-Mg} = 0.30$. We then apply
294 Eqn. 2 of Putirka et al. (2007) and H_2O contents from Eqn. (1) to obtain T , assuming $P = 2$ kbar
295 (from clinopyroxene and amphibole; see Results). Most olivine grains have compositions that are
296 quite close to equilibrium with CC-A-I-6, requiring just 10% or less of a more evolved or more
297 primitive magma to reach equilibrium. But, for olivine grains at Fo_{69-77} (a small but ubiquitous

298 subset), we must introduce some of our results to explain our methods. At least three Chaos
299 Crags compositions have sufficiently low Mg# to explain olivine grains with $<Fo_{77}$ (Fig. 3a): (a)
300 rhyolites ($SiO_2 > 70$ wt.%), (b) high K_2O andesites ($SiO_2 = 55-61$ wt.%) and (c) low MgO
301 basaltic-andesites ($SiO_2 = 52-55$ wt.%). Lacking observable or experimental evidence for Chaos
302 Crags rhyodacites reaching olivine saturation, we reject (a) as a viable option and rely on (b) and
303 (c) as possible end-member compositions for olivine crystals with compositions $<Fo_{77}$. We thus
304 first add a Chaos Crags rhyodacite to CC-A-I-6 (rhyodacite being the most abundant low-Mg#
305 material, small amounts of which explains small variations in Fo content in many of our
306 enclaves) to reach $K_D^{Fe-Mg} = 0.30$; if $SiO_2^{liq} < 61$ wt.% we accept the result; if $SiO_2^{liq} > 61$ wt.%,
307 we instead add a high K_2O andesite to CC-A-I-6 (this andesite being the next most abundant
308 low-Mg# composition). If this calculated liquid also has $SiO_2^{liq} > 61$ wt.% we instead add a low
309 MgO basaltic andesite, and in this last case, we only accept the liquid if it has $SiO_2^{liq} \leq 55$ wt.%,
310 this being the maximum SiO_2^{liq} for such andesites at Chaos Crags. This process finds a viable
311 liquid for effectively all our olivine analyses (none failing the final test) (Fig. 3). Clearly, we do
312 not obtain a unique solution for each individual olivine. But as noted above, most of these
313 calculated liquids can also be shown to be suitable for equilibration with other observed mineral
314 compositions and can explain Chaos Crags bulk compositions.

315 **Amphibole-equilibrated liquids.** For amphibole, we use Eqn. 10 of Putirka (2016b),
316 which allows one to estimate an equilibrium value SiO_2^{liq} (to a 1σ of ± 3.6 wt. %), using a
317 measured amphibole composition as input. For each amphibole composition, we add rhyodacite
318 to CC-A-I-6 until the equilibrium SiO_2^{liq} is obtained. We then accept as viable those liquids (Fig.
319 3) that fulfill all three of the following conditions: (a) the calculated liquids fall within a 2σ range
320 of the expected Fe-Mg exchange equilibrium value of 0.28 (Putirka 2016b; Eqn. 2; Deposit Item

321 4); (b) P -estimates from Eqns. 7a and 7b from Putirka (2016b) agree within 3 kbar; (c) T
322 estimates from Eqns. 4a and 4b of Putirka (2016b) agree within 50°C. Also, for individual
323 amphibole that satisfy the key filters from Anderson and Smith (1995) ($Fe\# < 65$; $T < 850^\circ C$; see
324 Putirka 2016b) we apply the Anderson and Smith (1995) Al-in-hornblende barometer and the
325 amphibole-only thermometers of Putirka (2016b). These are highly restrictive tests, but
326 effectively eliminate both strongly negative P estimates, and P estimates that exceed those
327 obtained from clinopyroxene (we deem it highly unlikely that amphibole saturation occurs at a
328 higher P , and yet much lower T than clinopyroxene).

329 **Plagioclase-equilibrated liquids.** To calculate plagioclase-equilibrated liquids, our
330 method is to add a Chaos Crags rhyodacite to CC-A-I-6, calculating T at each step (assuming $P =$
331 2 kbar and water contents from Eqn. 1 above), using an average T from Eqns. 22 and 23 from
332 Putirka (2008). We use that average T , and the resulting liquid, to predict the An content that
333 should precipitate from such a liquid (at the assumed/calculated P - T conditions) using Eqn. (E)
334 of Putirka (2005). We then apply two new tests: non-tholeiitic plagioclase saturated experimental
335 liquids (from LEPR; Hirschmann et al. 2008) exhibit a distinct linear relationship between the
336 An content of plagioclase and both SiO_2^{liq} and CaO^{liq} , from which we obtain

337
$$SiO_2^{liq} = 87.1 - 0.38[An] \quad (2)$$

338
$$CaO^{liq} = \exp(-1.0 + 0.0377[An]) \quad (3)$$

339 where [An] is the % value for the anorthite content of plagioclase, and oxides are in weight %.
340 These equations predict SiO_2^{liq} to ± 3.9 wt.% and CaO^{liq} to ± 1.2 wt.%; the experiments used for
341 calibration have $H_2O(wt.\%) = 0.6-12$, $T = 700-1250^\circ C$ and $P = 0.4-22$ kbar, and so allow a
342 further test for viable equilibrium liquids, independent of estimates of P , T , or H_2O . For each
343 plagioclase composition, we calculate a liquid, using our mixing end-members, so that measured

344 and predicted An contents (Putirka 2005; Eqn. E) match precisely. We accept those calculated
345 liquids as being viable, if (a) the calculated values for $\text{SiO}_2^{\text{liq}}$ and CaO^{liq} are within 2σ error of
346 the values expected using Eqns. (2) and (3), and (b) the liquids also fall on Chaos Crags whole
347 rock composition trends, or their extension (see Deposit Item 5).

348 **Oxides.** Compositions of touching magnetite-ilmenite pairs were used to determine pre-
349 eruption equilibrium conditions of host lavas and mafic enclaves. Although it is reasonable to
350 assume that touching oxide pairs have equilibrated (Bacon and Hirschmann 1988), this is not the
351 case for oxides which have undergone re-equilibration due to slow cooling after crystallization
352 (Hammond and Taylor 1982), or for those oxides which have oxidized and exsolved (Bacon and
353 Hirschmann 1988). We therefore apply the $(\text{Mg}/\text{Mn})^{\text{mt-il}}$ test of Bacon and Hirschmann (1988) to
354 confirm equilibration of measured two-oxide pairs in this study (Deposit Item 6). We
355 recalculated wt.% FeO and wt.% Fe_2O_3 within Fe-Ti oxides using the method of Carmichael
356 (1967) as employed by ILMAT software (Lepage 2003).

357 **Estimates of Crystallization Temperatures, Pressures, $f\text{O}_2$, and H_2O Contents**

358 Mineral-melt equilibria geothermometers and geobarometers of Putirka (2005, 2008,
359 2016), the two-pyroxene Fe-Mg exchange equilibria thermobarometer of Putirka (2008), the
360 amphibole-only thermometer of Putirka (2016), and the mineral Fe-Ti exchange equilibria
361 thermobarometer of Ghiorso and Evans (2008) were used to place constraints on pre-eruptive P -
362 T and $f\text{O}_2$ conditions of eruptive products. For the small subset of those Cpx grains for which we
363 could not obtain a satisfactory liquid composition using the methods noted above, we then tested
364 such Cpx grains for possible equilibrium with Opx—in this case using only those Opx grains that
365 occur in the same mafic enclave sample. To test for equilibrium with Opx, we apply a Rhodes
366 diagram test using $K_D(\text{Fe-Mg})^{\text{cpx-opx}} = 1.09 \pm 0.14$ (see Putirka 2008; Deposit Item 7) and report

367 only those P-T conditions from two-pyroxene pairs that fall within 2σ error bounds for presumed
368 equilibrium (Putirka 2008).

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Results

371 The below results describe only those samples examined in this study (Appendix A), and do not
372 reflect those samples which have already been described in earlier studies (e.g., Tepley et al.
373 1999 and Underwood et al. 2012), or those samples which currently reside in unpublished
374 databases.

375 Mineral Textures

376 Lithologic and petrographic descriptions of Chaos Crags lavas are given in Christiansen
377 et al. (2002). These lavas are porphyritic hornblende-biotite dacites to rhyodacites (referred to
378 herein as rhyodacites to maintain terminology consistent with that of Christiansen et al. 2002),
379 characterized by a predominantly disequilibrium phenocryst assemblage, and abundant mafic
380 enclaves (Heiken and Eichelberger 1980; Tepley et al. 1999). In addition to visually distinct
381 mafic enclaves, host lavas also contain enclave fragments and individual crystals interpreted to
382 be the product of enclave disaggregation, the abundance of which increases over the eruption
383 sequence (Tepley et al. 1999, Underwood et al. 2005).

384 Our work confirms what has already been described in prior studies, and the summary by
385 Tepley et al. (1999) is quite appropriate to the description of our samples. It is perhaps worth re-
386 emphasizing that Ol, Cpx and high-An Pl ($An > 80$) are found almost exclusively in mafic
387 enclaves, and are mostly absent from host rhyodacite samples, while quartz and low-An Pl
388 ($An < 40$) are found mostly in host rhyodacite samples, but still occur in mafic enclaves,
389 indicating that during magma interaction, the degree of hybridization (Petrelli et al. 2006)

390 between the two magmas was anything but uniform. As alluded to above, we also find that many
391 mafic enclaves, especially those with the highest MgO contents (3.5-5 wt. %) are nearly aphyric,
392 containing <2% crystalline material. And so despite the prevalence of mixing, it is possible to
393 identify at least some of the mafic liquids that are the parents to mafic crystalline phases.
394 However, we did not discover significant compositional contrasts between phenocrysts,
395 microphenocrysts and groundmass crystals of the same mineral species, and for this reason we
396 did not pursue more detailed comparison of mineral textures and composition. Additionally,
397 because we were interested in obtaining *P-T* estimates of crystalline phases from models that
398 assume equilibrium between a crystal and liquid, we avoided clearly disequilibrium textures,
399 such as zones of spongy plagioclase or dendritic or needle-like phases, etc. Many of our crystals
400 are indeed rounded or reversely zoned, and in these cases we analyzed core and rim
401 compositions in the hope of reconstructing pre- and post-mixing liquid compositions (so a core
402 or rim composition is unlikely to have crystallized from its whole rock host, but it must have
403 crystallized from some sort of liquid—whose composition it is is our aim to reconstruct). We
404 also note that mixing is not necessarily a temporally singular process; rather it can be recurring
405 and continual, and it is reasonable to expect a range and distribution of liquids to be generated
406 that might not be much different than the whole rocks (which are comprised of a mixture of such
407 liquids, and their various mineral assemblages). This is not to say that further exploration of
408 mineral textures would not be valuable: if composition can be linked to crystal morphology
409 petrologists might obtain a powerful shortcut to estimating conditions of crystallization, with
410 possible links to crystal nucleation and growth. But our main goal here is to present a new
411 analysis of an arc system, where for the first time, liquid compositions are reconstructed in detail
412 from observed mineral phases, and the *P-T* conditions of their genesis are determined.

413 **Geochemical Compositions of Eruptive Products**

414 Chaos Crags lavas are dacitic to rhyodacitic, characterized by the presence of basaltic-
415 andesitic mafic enclaves and subtle temporal changes in composition of both enclave and host
416 materials (Appendix A). Total alkali-silica (TAS) contents (LeBas 1986) show that whole-rock
417 compositions are basaltic-andesite (enclaves), andesite (enclaves) and dacite to rhyodacite (felsic
418 host for enclaves) (Deposit Item 5).

419 Chaos Crags pyroclastic flows and lavas have dominantly rhyodacitic (67.5 to 71 wt.%
420 SiO₂) bulk compositions (Appendix A). The compositions fall into 2 homogeneous groups: 1)
421 early pyroclastic flows and domes (or Group 1), and 2) domes C–F (or Group 2). Four analyses
422 of Group 1 units contain an average of 69.40 wt.% SiO₂, and four analyses of Group 2 units
423 contain an average of 67.83 wt.% SiO₂. Thus, on average the Group 1 units contain about 1.6
424 wt.% higher SiO₂ than the Group 2 units.

425 Bulk compositions of the basaltic andesite to andesite mafic enclaves range from 51.88 to
426 60.44 wt.% SiO₂. As before, the compositions fall into two relatively homogeneous groups,
427 enclaves from the early pyroclastic flows and domes (or Group 1), and 2) enclaves from domes
428 C–F (or Group 2). Thirty analyses of enclaves from Group 1 units contain an average of 55.2
429 wt.% SiO₂, and 58 analyses of Group 2 units contain an average of 57.0 wt.% SiO₂. The
430 difference between the host and enclave compositions becomes more narrow throughout the
431 eruption sequence (Fig. 4), as enclaves become more felsic and host lavas become more mafic,
432 from the earliest Dome A to the youngest Dome F; on average Group 1 units contain about 1.6
433 wt.% lower SiO₂ than Group 2 units, and the difference between the average host and average
434 enclave composition is about 14 wt.% in Group 1 and about 11 wt.% SiO₂ in Group 2. These
435 values are probably closely representative of the enclave population as a whole, and are similar

436 to compositional differences between Chaos Crags host and enclave compositions as presented
437 by Heiken and Eichelberger (1980), Tepley et al. (1999), and Clyne and Muffler (2010).

438 The majority of mafic enclaves do not exhibit core-to-rim compositional contrasts that
439 fall outside of analytical uncertainty. However, five of the mafic enclaves analyzed exhibit
440 distinct variations in major oxides (Deposit Item 8). Enclave rims generally have the greatest
441 wt.% SiO₂, and the least wt.% MgO and Al₂O₃, except for enclave CC-E-I-10, which exhibits a
442 4.05 wt.% decrease in SiO₂ from enclave core to rim. As noted above, we use unzoned, aphyric
443 enclave compositions as a mafic end-member liquid for explaining Chaos Crag mineral
444 compositions and estimating crystallization P-T conditions.

445 **Textural Features of Mafic Enclaves**

446 Mafic enclaves of Chaos Crags exhibit a variety of textures, including aphanitic,
447 porphyritic with aphanitic groundmass, porphyritic with fine-grained phaneritic groundmass, and
448 fine-grained phaneritic [see Heiken and Eichelberger (1980), Tepley et al. (1999), Hootman
449 (2011), and Schmidt (2014) for additional textural descriptions of Chaos Crags mafic enclaves].
450 Enclave groundmass textures also vary within any given dome, and even within an individual
451 enclave. Enclaves may exhibit crenulated margins and quenched rims, but not all enclaves have
452 retained their quenched or crenulated margins (Deposit Item 9). Excluding groundmass phases,
453 total crystallinity in the mafic enclave samples varies from <1 % to ~20% (Table 2).

454 Mafic enclaves measured in this study have diameters ranging from <4 cm to over 50 cm;
455 enclave fragments of <4 cm in diameter are interpreted to be the product of enclave
456 disaggregation. Despite the textural and compositional variety of mafic enclaves found within
457 the Crags' eruptive products, no correlations were found between groundmass texture and
458 temperature, pressure, or whole-rock geochemistry.

459 **Disequilibrium Mineral Assemblage**

460 Chaos Crags eruptive products—both enclaves and host lavas—contain many mineral
461 phases that are not at equilibrium with either each other, or their respective bulk rock
462 composition (see Tepley et al. 1999 and Underwood et al. 2012).

463 **Oxides.** Host lavas in domes A-E contain both titanomagnetite and ilmenite; dome F
464 host lavas contain only titanomagnetite (Appendix B; Deposit Item 10). Mafic enclaves generally
465 contain either solely titanomagnetite or, rarely, only ilmenite as the oxide species. The outermost
466 rim of enclave CC-B-I-9 contains touching pairs of titanomagnetite and ilmenite, located within
467 host-derived material that has been incorporated into the rim of the enclave.

468 **Pyroxene.** Clinopyroxene and orthopyroxene are present almost solely within Chaos
469 Crags mafic enclaves, although a few rare crystals of both occur in rhyodacitic host lavas
470 (Appendices C and D; Fig. 5). Pyroxenes present within mafic enclaves occur as fresh to
471 variably reacted phenocrysts, reaction rims surrounding quartz and/or olivine, as pseudomorphic
472 replacement products, and as groundmass crystals (Fig. 6).

473 **Olivine.** Olivine is present in most of the analyzed mafic enclaves, but like pyroxene is
474 mostly absent from host lavas. Olivine occurs as variably reacted euhedral to subhedral
475 phenocrysts or as groundmass crystals within mafic enclaves, and a few stray highly-reacted
476 olivine crystals were present within host lavas; olivine phenocrysts are rare within all eruptive
477 products in the latter half of the eruptive sequence (Fig. 6). Forsterite contents range from Fo₆₉ to
478 Fo₈₃ (Appendix E; Fig. 7).

479 **Amphibole.** Amphibole is abundant in Chaos Crags host lavas as large (up to 4 mm)
480 phenocrysts, and is found in many mafic enclaves as variably-reacted euhedral to subhedral
481 phenocrysts, acicular microphenocrysts, fine-grained groundmass, and glomeroporphyritic clots

482 accompanied by biotite and Fe-Ti oxides (Fig. 6). Host lavas contain magnesiohornblende, while
483 amphibole compositions present within mafic enclaves range into the actinolite and tschermakite
484 fields in a Mg# vs. Si diagram (Appendix F; Fig. 8).

485 **Plagioclase.** Plagioclase is dominant crystalline phase within Chaos Crags host and
486 enclave materials, and occurs as phenocrysts, microphenocrysts, and as groundmass (Fig. 6).
487 Plagioclase within mafic enclaves and host lavas range from An₂₃-An₉₃, with An₂₃-An₂₇
488 compositions restricted to the cores of large, highly-reacted phenocrysts (Appendix G; Fig. 9).

489 **Reconstruction of Liquid Compositions**

490 **Mafic Parental Liquids at the Chaos Crags.** We find our low crystallinity mafic
491 inclusion CC-A-I-6 works remarkably well as a parent magma for many olivine, clinopyroxene,
492 and plagioclase crystals found in Chaos Crags mafic enclaves (regardless of the bulk
493 composition of the mafic enclave host). Sixty percent (n=360) of our measured olivine require
494 ≤10% addition of a more mafic magma (Table 3) to reach Fe-Mg exchange equilibrium,
495 apparently precipitating from a liquid with an average of 5.5 wt.% MgO (compared to the
496 maximum 5 wt.% MgO of our typical aphyric mafic enclaves). Our highest Fo olivine (Fo₈₂) and
497 highest An plagioclase (An₉₀₋₉₂) both indicate equilibration with a Lassen magma that is more
498 mafic (6.0-6.7 % MgO) than observed among Chaos Crags mafic enclave samples (Fig. 3; Table
499 3). To model this magma, we use sample LC84-650A (Earthchem) from the 27 ka Lassen Peak
500 eruption (53.2 wt.% SiO₂; 10.1 wt.% MgO; Table 3) as a mixing end-member. This sample,
501 LC84-650A (Earthchem) is not aphyric, and we do not have data to test whether its Cpx and Ol
502 grains are in equilibrium with the whole rock; but we need not assume that it is a liquid—only
503 that it falls on a liquid+crystal mixing trajectory that is appropriate for explaining Chaos Crags
504 mineral and liquid compositions. By contrast, our highest *T* clinopyroxene do not require

505 anything near such a mafic end-member, as they appear to have instead equilibrated with liquids
506 having 4-5 wt.% MgO—derived mostly by mixing CC-A-I-6 with small amounts (<15%) of
507 rhyodacite magma (Fig. 3). These results are consistent with petrographic observations of Chaos
508 Crags enclaves where (a) phenocryst phases are dominantly Ol + Pl \pm Cpx, and (b)
509 clinopyroxene is greatly subordinate in abundance to olivine and plagioclase. We thus infer that
510 1) the recharge magmas that entered the Chaos Crags eruptive reservoir contained up to 6.7%
511 MgO prior to interaction with felsic materials, and were saturated with Ol + Pl \pm Cpx; and 2)
512 most clinopyroxene saturation occurred following contact of recharge magmas with resident
513 felsic materials.

514 **Intermediate and Evolved Chaos Crags Liquids.** Except for olivine, the vast majority
515 of observed mineral compositions (>90%) can be explained by mixing CC-A-I-6 with either
516 rhyolitic liquids from Quinn (2014) or a Chaos Crags rhyodacite (sample CC-D-H-1; 68.04 wt.%
517 SiO₂; 3.49 wt.% FeO_t; 1.62 wt.% MgO; 2.58 wt.% K₂O), and for all our mafic phases, it matters
518 little which composition is used as the resulting *P-T* estimates are indistinguishable (within 0.1°
519 C and 0.01 kbar). The reason that the choice of felsic end-member matters so little is because
520 Chaos Crags whole rock trends are linear, and so the trajectories of various bulk compositions
521 are effectively equivalent (until one attempts to model highly felsic liquids, as we show below).
522 Since we assume that mafic recharge magmas interacted with a bulk rock that was partially
523 crystalline and dacitic, rather than the rhyolitic melts that would occur in the matrix of such a
524 rhyodacite, all our calculations for our mafic phases use the CC-D-H-1 as a mixing end-member.
525 A few olivine crystals have low Fo (Fo₆₉₋₇₇), and so require a relatively low Mg# liquid (Fig. 3).
526 These lower Fo-content crystals would appear to record an evolved liquid. The key question is of
527 what type? Along the mixing trend already noted, involving CC-D-H-1, only a rhyolitic liquid

528 would have the requisite Fe/Mg ratios to explain Fo₆₉ olivine crystals. But the experiments of
529 Quinn (2014) do not indicate that felsic Chaos Crags liquid reached olivine saturation. We can
530 instead explain low Fo₆₉₋₇₇ grains using a high K₂O andesite (CC-E-I-13 Rim, 59.49 wt.% SiO₂;
531 or LC84-634, 61.39 wt.% SiO₂), or a high FeO, low MgO basaltic-andesite (S-D-4, 54.61 wt.%
532 SiO₂); these Ol-saturated liquids have 2-5.5 wt.% MgO and 53-61 wt.% SiO₂ (Fig. 3). We thus
533 conclude that all our olivine grains are derived from basaltic to andesitic liquids, but our results
534 do not indicate how these particular liquids (along the CC-E-I-13 or LC84-634 trends) are
535 created—these end members may represent highly unusual liquid lines of descent or products of
536 wall rock assimilation.

537 In contrast, the continuum of plagioclase compositions requires a much wider range of
538 liquid compositions, covering the entire span of observed Chaos Crags whole rocks, and ranging
539 to as felsic as 79.1 wt.% SiO₂ (Fig. 3). We also require a liquid with 6.1 wt.% MgO, 19.3 wt.%
540 Al₂O₃, 52.8 wt.% SiO₂, and 10.3 wt.% CaO to yield the highest An₉₂ plagioclase compositions
541 (Fig. 3). This composition is quite similar to that needed to precipitate Fo₈₂ olivine, except for
542 having greater Al₂O₃ than the liquid derived by projecting Mg# towards the Lassen Peak mafic
543 composition (LC84-650A; Earthchem). However, our An₉₂-saturated liquid also has an Mg# that
544 yields Fo₈₂ olivine, so the primitive recharge liquids feeding the Chaos Crags system might not
545 be identical to those that energized the earlier Lassen Peak (27 ka) eruptive episode.

546 ***P-T* Conditions of Chaos Crags Recharge and Felsic Magmas**

547 **Oxides.** Nominally equilibrated Fe-Ti two-oxide pairs obtained from host lavas in this
548 study yield equilibration conditions of 669°C—764°C ±51°C and *f*O₂ at +1.43—1.76 log units
549 above the Ni-NiO buffer. Within the only mafic enclave in which they are present, two-oxide
550 pairs yield equilibration conditions of 757°C—821°C ±51°C and *f*O₂ at +1.24—1.37 log units

551 above the Ni-NiO buffer (Fig. 10). We suspect that the low-T ends of these ranges are pre-
552 mixing storage conditions (Klemetti and Clynné 2014; Cooper and Kent 2014), not eruption
553 conditions as Quinn (2014) obtains 760-775°C for Fe-Ti oxides, at NNO + 1.35.

554 **Pyroxene.** Within mafic enclaves, a subset of coexisting orthopyroxene-clinopyroxene
555 pairs that pass equilibrium tests (and fail to pass our tests of cpx + liq equilibrium) yield
556 crystallization temperatures of 903—1022 ±56°C and pressure estimates of crystallization
557 ranging from 0—4.4 ±3.2 kbar (Fig. 11). It should be cautioned that these estimates may be more
558 uncertain than the error values indicate, since we cannot be certain that these phases have not
559 been accidentally thrown together during mixing, and we only have the Fe-Mg exchange tests of
560 Putirka (2008) to test for equilibrium.

561 For clinopyroxene-liquid equilibria we find that most Cpx grains precipitated from
562 magmas very similar to our observed enclave whole rock compositions (with <55% SiO₂; Fig.
563 3), but a few are consistent with precipitation from intermediate composition liquids, ranging up
564 to 62-63% SiO₂ (Fig. 3). From our reconstructed liquid we obtain crystallization P-T conditions
565 of 950—1109°C and -1.7 – 7.8 kbar (the small negative pressures being effectively within error
566 of 1 atm; Fig. 11).

567 **Olivine.** For mafic enclaves, olivine-liquid equilibria geothermometry of measured
568 olivine and reconstructed liquid compositions yield estimates of crystallization temperatures over
569 the interval of 989—1090 ±19°C (Fig. 11).

570 **Amphibole & Plagioclase: Bimodal and Trimodal Populations.** As a whole,
571 amphibole-only thermometry and amphibole-liquid thermobarometry yield crystallization
572 conditions of 719—950°C and 0.2—4.0 kbar (Fig. 11), and liquids ranging from 58-75% SiO₂
573 (Fig. 3). Similarly, plagioclase-liquid equilibria yield widely ranging compositions and

574 crystallization T-P conditions, 770—1089°C (Fig. 11). These Pl-derived T estimates may be
575 maxima for Pl+liq equilibrium, given the findings of Humphreys et al. (2016). But the
576 distributions of crystal compositions (and implied liquids) is not uniform. Chaos Crags
577 amphibole compositions are distinctly bi-modal, while plagioclase compositions are arguably tri-
578 modal, and calculated equilibrium liquids share these distributions (Fig. 12).

579 For amphibole, the felsic mode is somewhat normally distributed and the liquids have
580 73.6 ±0.8 wt.% SiO₂ and 0.4 ±0.2 wt.% MgO, although as hinted at earlier, for these very felsic
581 liquids, our choice of a felsic end-member becomes significant. For example, using a rhyolite
582 from Quinn (2014) we obtain a liquid having 0.9 wt. % MgO at 74 wt. % SiO₂, while using a
583 Chaos Crags rhyodacite (and extrapolating to higher-than-observed SiO₂ compositions) we
584 obtain a liquid having 0.3 wt. % MgO at the same SiO₂. Most other oxides are not affected by
585 such a choice, but MgO contents can influence P-T estimates. In this case, the effect is within
586 error of P-T estimation, as the higher MgO case yields a T estimate just 1.3°C higher, while the P
587 estimate is fractionally more significant, at 0.6 kbar higher than the low MgO case, but still
588 smaller than the ±1.5 kbar error. The resulting P - T conditions for these crystals using the likely
589 more relevant rhyolitic glass compositions from Quinn (2014) are 1.1 ±0.2 kbar, and 790 ±20°C
590 (Fig. 11). The mafic mode of amphibole-saturated liquids is more uniformly distributed with
591 equilibrated liquids having 55-67 wt.% SiO₂ and 2-4 wt.% MgO (mean = 61.8 ±2.5 wt.% SiO₂;
592 3.0 ±0.5 wt.% MgO) and P - T conditions of 890-950°C and 1.5-4.5 kbar (mean values of 920
593 ±20°C and 2.6 ±0.7 kbar; Fig. 12). Note that some computed amphibole-equilibrated liquids are
594 more felsic (71-75 wt.% SiO₂) than the rhyodacites that form the bulk of the Chaos Crags domes
595 (Fig. 3), which range to 69.8 wt.% SiO₂, which reflects their equilibration with liquids that exist
596 in the matrices of mineral-melt mixtures.

597 Plagioclase-equilibrated liquids are even more felsic, as they equilibrate with plagioclase
598 that has a distinct mode at An₃₁, and appear to require liquids quite similar to those produced by
599 Quinn (2014) having 78.7 wt.% SiO₂ (Fig. 3), equilibrating at 780°C, if $P = 2$ kbar. As noted,
600 there is also a highly mafic mode, centered at An₉₂, that requires liquids with 53 wt.% SiO₂ and 6
601 wt.% MgO, equilibrating at 1080°C. Finally, there is an intermediate mode at An_{76±3}, which
602 implies parent liquids having 60 ± 1 wt.% SiO₂ and 3.1 ± 0.4 wt.% MgO, equilibrating at 1009
603 $\pm 15^\circ\text{C}$ (Fig. 12). Interestingly, while plagioclase compositions exhibit a continuum, there are a
604 paucity of compositions in the ranges An₃₃₋₆₀ and An₈₅₋₉₀ (Fig. 12). This implies a paucity of
605 plagioclase-saturated liquids in the respective ranges of 68-78 wt.% SiO₂ and 53-55 wt.% SiO₂.

606 **Agreement of Clinopyroxene and Amphibole Thermobarometry.** When averaged,
607 clinopyroxene and amphibole thermobarometers yield remarkably similar P estimates, at $2.1 \pm$
608 0.9 kbar and 1.7 ± 1.1 kbar respectively (here we ignore the few clinopyroxene phenocrysts that
609 allowably equilibrate from more mafic liquids, at higher P). As might be expected, amphibole
610 crystallizes at much lower temperatures: mean and median conditions are $812 \pm 55^\circ\text{C}$ for
611 amphibole, $1045 \pm 26^\circ\text{C}$ for clinopyroxene, and $1047 \pm 39^\circ\text{C}$ for orthopyroxene. But, as noted,
612 amphibole compositions—and their P - T estimates—are distinctly bi-modal: Fig. 11 shows near
613 isobaric crystallization of a subset of amphibole crystals, at 1.2 ± 0.2 kbar and 780 - 880°C , which
614 might represent the P - T conditions of resident felsic magmas prior to interaction with mafic
615 recharge. Finally, we find a compelling convergence in maximum temperatures derived from
616 olivine, plagioclase, and clinopyroxene, reaching 1080 - 1090°C at nearly every dome (Fig. 13).
617 This seems much too unlikely to be coincidental, and so we infer that 1080 - 1090°C is the T of
618 recharge magmas as they enter the Chaos Crags shallow storage system.

619 As noted above, we obtain viable clinopyroxene-equilibrated liquids that mostly have 53-
620 58 wt.% SiO₂ and 3.6-5.0 wt.% MgO, while a few groundmass crystals plausibly form from
621 liquids with 67 wt.% SiO₂ and 2 wt.% MgO. We obtain nearly all these liquids by adding mostly
622 <15% of a rhyodacitic magma to CC-A-I-6. This result is consistent with our finding
623 clinopyroxene only rarely within host felsic lavas, and with clinopyroxene being much less
624 abundant, and sometimes absent, among our most mafic and nearly-aphyric enclaves. But, we
625 might also ask whether any of our clinopyroxene grains might allowably precipitate from the
626 same or similar magmas that apparently precipitate olivine (Fo₈₂) and plagioclase (An₉₂)
627 crystals? We find that most clinopyroxene grains are driven further from equilibrium when either
628 of our >6% mafic magmas (Table 3) are used as an end-member, but the An₉₀-saturated liquid
629 (Table 3) explains a half dozen or so clinopyroxene phenocrysts perfectly well. Using that liquid
630 composition, we must naturally obtain different *P-T* estimates, as dictated by the models, and
631 thermodynamic theory, and we find a mean *P* and *T* of 3.6±0.5 kbar and 1073±7°C, as compared
632 to the 1.9 ± 1.0 kbar and 1037±16°C *P-T* conditions estimated operating on the assumption that
633 all clinopyroxene must form from magmas more felsic than CC-A-I-6. Thus, based on
634 equilibrium tests, we cannot deny that the An₉₀-saturated liquid as a parent for some
635 clinopyroxene grains (although for the majority of measured clinopyroxene compositions, this is
636 not allowable). And, if the An₉₀-saturated liquid is a viable parent for some clinopyroxene grains,
637 then at least some clinopyroxene crystallization may occur closer to 4 kbar, rather than 2 kbar.
638 The An₉₀ saturated liquid also can explain the two microphenocrysts that otherwise yield 7-7.5
639 kbar pressures (Fig. 11), raising their *P*-estimates to ~10 kbar. These differences (~40°C; 1.7-2.5
640 kbar) represent likely maximum errors related to estimating liquid compositions.

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Discussion

643 The Composition of Recharge Magmas

644 Our new mineral compositions and tests of equilibrium, as well as petrographic
645 observations and experiments by Quinn (2014), place significant constrain on the compositions
646 of recharge and felsic liquids, and the conditions at which they interacted. For example, we find
647 remarkably similar maximum T estimates at most domes, for olivine (1090°C) and plagioclase
648 (1080°C) (Fig. 13), which indicates that each dome eruption was preceded by recharge of very
649 similar magmas that entered the system at very similar temperatures. Maximum T estimates for
650 clinopyroxene range a bit more widely, from 1121-1153°C at Domes A and B, decreasing to
651 1034°C at Dome F (Fig. 13a), and Dome F also exhibits a lower maximum olivine T (1074°C);
652 this T drop may record a subtle change in the deeper recharge staging region. A working
653 hypothesis is that the steady, 1080-1090°C magmas record inputs from a middle-lower crust
654 reservoir at 7-10 kbar (Fig. 11), and that the higher temperatures recorded by some early Cpx
655 may record even deeper levels of recharge (≥ 7 -10 kbar) (Fig. 11). In any case, the most
656 persistent recharge magmas that entered the shallow crust contained 5.5-6.1 wt. % MgO (52-53
657 wt. % SiO₂) and were intruded at close to 1100°C. This continuity might also be explained by a
658 single recharge magma that drove all six dome eruptions—but in such a case we should perhaps
659 expect a regular cooling trend among maximum T estimates for both of Pl and Ol, which is not
660 observed (Fig. 13).

661 We also find that the rhyolite liquid compositions obtained by Quinn (2014) work very
662 well as an end-member liquid for describing a range of high-Si Amp and low-An Pl
663 compositions that require liquids more felsic than any observed Chaos Crags whole rock. These
664 ubiquitous plagioclase and amphibole compositions require liquids having 73-78% SiO₂, with

665 our highest calculated SiO₂ liquid compositions matching well with rhyolite glasses reported by
666 Quinn (2014). But we also find many intermediate-An Pl, intermediate-Si Amp, and low-Fo Ol
667 that would each require liquids of intermediate compositions to exist; we only know that while
668 Chaos Crags lavas are bi-modal, there must have existed, at one point in time, many other liquid
669 compositions which are not reflected in the final eruptive products. To model these intermediate
670 compositions, we assume that recharge magmas interacted with bulk Chaos Crags rhyodacite,
671 rather than a rhyolitic liquid that existed perhaps only as a matrix (Quinn 2014). However, we
672 obtain the same calculated liquids and P-T conditions regardless of the mixing end-member
673 when SiO₂<68 wt. % (due to the relatively linear nature of Chaos Crags compositions). As such,
674 our choice of end-members does not affect our result that mafic and felsic magmas mixed to
675 form new liquid compositions, which then cooled sufficiently to create intermediate composition
676 minerals.

677 These recharge magmas entered the Chaos Crags system co-saturated with olivine and
678 plagioclase, and at least some were saturated in clinopyroxene, as our most mafic enclaves carry
679 all three of these crystalline phases. These same enclave samples formed from sparsely phyric
680 magmas which appear to have exited a deeper storage zone after rather efficient crystal-liquid
681 separation, and then were quenched as they intruded into a cold and shallow felsic magma
682 reservoir. We surmise that these quenched enclaves were perhaps the first recharge magmas to
683 enter the felsic system.

684 We should add that magmas with even 6-7% MgO are highly unlikely to represent
685 mantle-derived magmas (Putirka 2017) and so these mafic recharge magmas are themselves
686 differentiated, perhaps at pressures of 7-8 kbar or greater, if the highest *P* estimates from
687 clinopyroxene are indicative (Fig. 11). So why might the repeated batches of recharge have such

688 similar temperatures and composition? The regularity of these magmas would seem to indicate a
689 threshold-driven process, whereby mafic magmas become sufficiently buoyant in the lower crust
690 at 5.5-6.1 wt.% MgO so as to rise into the upper crust, where they re-activate existing, perhaps
691 near-solidus but in any case, un-eruptible rhyodacite magmas.

692 Interestingly, minimum T estimates for plagioclase increase through the eruptive
693 sequence (Fig. 13b), and the mean value of rhyodacite-derived Pl temperatures increases from
694 Domes A to F. The simplest explanation is that the first recharge magma interacts with a shallow
695 felsic system at its coolest, while successive recharge magmas invade a progressively hotter
696 felsic reservoir, containing a greater abundance of newly activated and hybridized magmas. We
697 do not have temperatures for Amp from all six domes, but amphibole crystals from domes D-F
698 exhibit a much wider range of crystallization T , extending to much higher temperatures than
699 those estimated for Amp crystals obtained from Dome A host lavas (Fig. 13c). So in Domes D-F,
700 the coolest Amp crystals may record the long-term storage conditions of shallow-level
701 rhyodacite, while Amp crystals that range to higher T record not just recharge and mixing events,
702 but also subsequent crystallization of Amp from hybrid magmas following recharge. These
703 observations imply that mixed magmas (and intermediate liquids) were much more important in
704 the latter half of the eruptive sequence.

705 Pressure estimates of clinopyroxene also show where these recharge magmas came into
706 contact with their felsic hosts. The magmas interacted at $P < 4$ kbar, (Fig. 11), which is within
707 experimental and analytical uncertainties of the 1.45 kbar estimated by Quinn (2014). Some low-
708 T amphibole compositions that derive from mostly felsic host rhyodacite materials yield mean P
709 estimates of ~ 1 kbar, indicating pre-contact P conditions. But we should note that T estimates
710 from rims and cores of amphibole grains are the same within error. For example, at Dome F,

711 amphibole cores have $T=772 \pm 21^\circ\text{C}$ while rims record a mean T of $788 \pm 8^\circ\text{C}$. This small
712 increase of T at the rims could indicate rejuvenation of the Dome F felsic materials, but the
713 difference in T (15°C) is less than both model error, and 1σ variation of amphibole core
714 estimates. These Amp temperatures overlap with those obtained by low-An Pl, which nominally
715 record temperatures of $730\text{-}812^\circ\text{C}$. These temperatures probably reflect a range of processes
716 from pre-recharge equilibration and crystallization, to rejuvenation, to post-mixing cooling.

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Implications

A Model for Magma Mixing and Eruption Triggering Operating at Chaos Crags

719 Our proposed physical model for the Chaos Crags system is as follows: each of the Chaos
720 Crags eruptions was preceded by the intrusion of mafic recharge magma, of similar composition
721 and temperature. Recharge magmas are supplied from the middle crust, with 5.5-6.1 wt.% MgO,
722 at temperatures near 1100°C , and enter a shallow reservoir centered at depth equivalent to 2 kbar
723 pressure, where they come into contact with cooler, resident felsic magma that has been stored
724 for ca. 190 ka (Klemetti and Clynne 2014). Subsequent cooling and crystallization of these mafic
725 magmas, and magma mixing and further crystallization of mixed magmas, leads in each case to a
726 state of vapor saturation that triggered eruption. The total amount of post-recharge cooling
727 approaches 250°C , similar to that inferred for other Cascade volcanic systems (Putirka 2017).
728 This story is remarkably consistent to Clynne's (1990) model for the 1915 eruption at Lassen
729 Peak, and recent findings at Campi Flegrei, Italy (Stock et al. 2016).

730 Our model is supportive of Folch and Martí (1998), but varies in that we find evidence
731 for significant post-mixing cooling and crystallization. We surmise that neither mafic recharge
732 nor magma mixing are immediate eruption triggers— if either served as an immediate cause of
733 eruption, one would yield a dearth of intermediate composition magmas, and especially

734 intermediate composition minerals (the opposite of what is observed at Chaos Crags, especially
735 among Pl compositions), and mafic enclaves—the rock record of recharge—should not only be
736 quenched, but preserve only their highest temperatures, not a range of temperatures (unlike the
737 temperature range observed within Chaos Crags enclaves). Some enclaves at Chaos Crags are
738 indeed quenched (aphyric, or preserve only high T crystals), but many enclaves contain Cpx, Pl,
739 or Amp crystals that cannot be derived from the felsic host, but still record temperatures that are
740 hundreds of degrees lower than inferred initial recharge temperatures of 1100°C, recorded by Pl,
741 Ol, and Cpx. Figure 13, for example, portrays cooling from 1100°C to < 975°C for mafic
742 enclaves at each dome, and an increasing eruption of mixed liquids that had sufficient time to
743 cool following mixing, so as to precipitate intermediate composition minerals, at a range of
744 temperatures. So, while mafic recharge may have been the ultimate trigger for the 1,103 ±13
745 years BP eruption of the Chaos Crags volcanic sequence, individual eruptions were preceded by
746 significant cooling and crystallization of both recharge and mixed magmas at shallow to
747 moderate depths (Figs. 11, 13). One might then argue, however, that recent recharge-triggered
748 eruptions have already been established elsewhere (e.g., Kent et al. 2010). To this, we have two
749 responses. First, not all eruptions, or eruptive systems need operate identically. Second, the
750 diffusion profile interpretations may be in error. At the Chaos Crags, we have near-homogeneous
751 Ol grains that record 1100°C temperatures coexisting with Amp grains whose Si content is much
752 too low to have equilibrated with host rhyodacite, and that record temperatures as low as 800-
753 900°C; closer analysis of putative recharge-triggered eruptions may reveal substantial delays
754 between recharge and eruption.

755 Our analyses of mineral compositions thus testify to repeated recharge and crystallization
756 of recharge magmas at Chaos Crags. Given that both recharge and mixing are followed by some

757 degree of cooling prior to eruption, we suggest that the immediate cause of each of the dome
758 eruptions was an increase in magmatic overpressure within the chamber, induced by volatile
759 contributions from the shallow crystallization of mafic magma. This would lead to fluid
760 saturation, rapid vesiculation, and an increase in fluid pressure within the host magmas of Chaos
761 Crag, as in the “second boiling” concept of Blake (1984). We cannot discount the possible
762 tectonic triggering mechanisms summarized by Wilson (2017), but the repeated nature of Chaos
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1060 rectangle illustrates an equilibrium range of An as extrapolated from experimental studies.
1061 Measured plagioclase not in equilibrium with the bulk rock composition in which they are
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1063 bulk rock compositions as compared to wide range of An contents), as illustrated by blue arrows.

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1068 at 0-4 kbar), Amphibole (Amp; crystallizing at 0-4 kbar), and liquids saturated with plagioclase
1069 (Pl) of compositions An₉₂ and An₃₃ (not all calculated Pl-saturated liquids are shown, as they
1070 yield a continuum between these two end members; see Fig. 12). All calculated liquids use a
1071 Chaos Crags rhyodacite whole rock as a felsic end-member, until the require liquid compositions
1072 are more felsic than observed whole rock compositions, in which case we use a rhyolite liquid
1073 with 78% SiO₂ from Quinn (2014) as a mixing end-member. The circled gray triangles show the
1074 shift in MgO contents if we were to use a linear extrapolation along the observed whole rock

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1108 = $\text{Ca}/(\text{Ca} + \text{Na})$.

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1113 O'Neill and Pownceby (1993). MH, MnO-Mn₃O₄, and QFM oxygen buffers calculated using
1114 Chou (1978).

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1119 hosted plagioclase light gray, with lines indicating the complete Ol and Pl temperature ranges.
1120 Error on individual P - T estimates is shown. Cpx and Amp pressures are effectively equivalent in

1121 range (excepting the two high-P Cpx estimates), indicating that most crystallization of all phases
1122 occurs at $P < 4$ kbar, and perhaps, if mean values are most accurate, at mostly 2 kbar pressures.
1123 The deeper P estimates of 7-7.5 kbar (which increase to 10 kbar if we use the An₉₂-saturated
1124 liquid from Table 3, which is allowably in equilibrium with these crystals) may represent the
1125 depths (25-35 km) at which mafic recharge magmas are fractionated (from some higher MgO
1126 parent, which almost assuredly exists; Putirka 2017) as well as the depths from which recharge
1127 magmas are delivered from, prior to being emplaced at shallow depths. This would place the
1128 mafic storage region (pre-recharge) in the lower crust or upper mantle.

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1133 equilibrium. Black lines connect corresponding An-SiO₂^{liq}- T values for what appear to be three
1134 distinct modes of Pl compositions.

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1136 Figure 13. Temperature estimates by Dome for (A) Olivine ($n = 275$) and Clinopyroxene ($n =$
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1138 and (C) Amphibole ($n = 60$). Upper dashed line at 1090°C indicates a typical maximum T
1139 estimate for both Ol and Pl at most domes. Lower dashed line at 820°C indicates maximum T
1140 estimate for amphibole grains hosted by rhyodacite; mafic enclave-derived Amp range to much
1141 higher temperatures, but also trend to similarly low values of ca. 740°C, the latter of which are
1142 likely derived by mixing with rhyodacite host magmas. In (B), minimum Pl T estimates increase
1143 monotonically as the eruptive sequence progresses from Domes B to F, which probably represent

1144 the heating of resident, shallowly-stored felsic magma by the repeated input of high T recharge
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1161 Table 1. Methods and Conditions for Quantitative Chemical Analyses of Mineral Phases

Mineral Phase Evaluated	Cpx	Amp	Il	Mt	Ol	Opx	Pl
Major Oxide Compositions Analyzed ¹	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, V ₂ O ₃ , and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, and K ₂ O
Na and K Analyzed First?	Yes	Yes	n/a	n/a	Yes	Yes	Yes
Beam Diameter	1 μm	1 μm	<1 μm	<1 μm	1 μm	1 μm	10 μm
Beam Current	10 nA (UCD) 15 nA (USGS)	15 nA	25 nA	25nA	10 nA (UCD) 15 nA (USGS)	10 nA (UCD) 15 nA (USGS)	10 nA (UCD) 15 nA (USGS)
Dwell Tim	10 s	10 s	10-20 s	10-20 s	10 s	10 s	20-40 s
Accelerating Voltage	15 kV	15 kV	15 kV	15 kV	15 kV	15 kV	15 kV

¹Relative Error Estimates (in wt.%) are: 0.32% SiO₂, 0.03% TiO₂, 0.16% Al₂O₃, 0.16% FeO_{tot}, 0.16% MgO, 0.04% MnO, 0.21% CaO, 0.08% Na₂O, 0.04% K₂O, 0.06% P₂O₅, 0.05% NiO, 0.06% V₂O₃ and 0.02% Cr₂O₃.

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Table 3. End-member and Parent Magma Compositions

	SiO ₂	TiO ₂	Al ₂ O ₃	FeOt	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na ₂ O	K ₂ O
Lassen Mafic End-member ¹	52.4	0.7	15.2	8.1	0.1	10.1	10.3	2.4	0.6
Chaos Crags Mafic end-member ²	53.4	0.7	19.2	8.3	0.1	5.0	9.6	2.9	0.7
Rhyodacite end-member ³	68.0	0.4	15.7	3.5	0.1	1.6	3.7	4.1	2.6
High-K andesite end-member ⁴	61.4	0.9	17.8	5.2	0.1	1.9	4.5	4.9	2.7
Low Mg# Andesite end-member ⁵	54.6	0.8	19.5	8.0	0.1	3.8	8.9	3.1	0.8
Parent Magma high Fo ₈₂ Ol ⁶	53.1	0.7	18.0	8.2	0.1	6.6	9.8	2.8	0.6
Parent Magma of An ₉₂ Pl ⁷	52.8	0.4	19.3	8.0	0.1	6.1	10.3	2.4	0.6
Resident Felsic magma (An ₃₀ Parent) ⁸	78.3	0.2	13.2	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.02	4.8	3.4

1. Sample LC84-650A (Earthchem), whole rock composition from 27 Ka Lassen Peak, used as a mafic end-member.
2. Sample CC-A-I-6, a nearly aphyric (<1% crystals) mafic enclave from Dome A, that explains most Cpx and Ol compositions.
3. Rhyodacite from Chaos Crags (CC-D-I-2) used as a felsic end-member, added to CC-A-I-6 to explain most mineral compositions.
4. High K₂O end-member andesite (sample LC84-634) used to explain some low Fo (Fo₇₀) Ol grains.
5. Low Mg# andesite used to explain some low Fo (Fo₇₀) compositions.
6. Parent magma for Ol crystals with maximum Fo contents (Fo₈₂), obtained by mixing CC-A-I-6 with LC84-650A.
7. Parent magma for maximum An content Pl (An₉₂₋₉₃); derived from Sisson and Grove (1993) experiments that precipitate similarly high-An content Pl; this composition can also explain Fo₈₂ Ol.
8. Parent magma to low-An Pl (An₃₀), not observed as a whole rock at Chaos Crags.

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Major Oxide Compositions Analyzed ¹	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, V ₂ O ₃ , and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MnO, MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, K ₂ O, and Cr ₂ O ₃	SiO ₂ , TiO ₂ , Al ₂ O ₃ , FeO _{tot} , MgO, CaO, Na ₂ O, and K ₂ O
Na and K Analyzed First?	Yes	Yes	n/a	n/a	Yes	Yes	Yes
Beam Diameter	1 μm	1 μm	<1 μm	<1 μm	1 μm	1 μm	10 μm
Beam Current	10 nA (UCD) 15 nA (USGS)	15 nA	25 nA	25nA	10 nA (UCD) 15 nA (USGS)	10 nA (UCD) 15 nA (USGS)	10 nA (UCD) 15 nA (USGS)
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¹Relative Error Estimates (in wt.%) are: 0.32% SiO₂, 0.03% TiO₂, 0.16% Al₂O₃, 0.16% FeO_{tot}, 0.16% MgO, 0.04% MnO, 0.21% CaO, 0.08% Na₂O, 0.04% K₂O, 0.06% P₂O₅, 0.05% NiO, 0.06% V₂O₃ and 0.02% Cr₂O₃.

Table 2. Estimated Mineral Modal Abundances of Chaos Crags Eruptive Products

Sample No.	Sample Type	Estimated Modal % Phenocrysts	Estimated Modal % Disequilibrium Phenocrysts	Estimated Modal % Quartz (of total phenocrysts)
CC-A-H-1	Host Lava	21	1	9.52
CC-A-I-3 rim	Mafic Enclave	17	3	--
CC-A-I-3 core	Mafic Enclave	17	2	--
CC-A-I-6 rim	Mafic Enclave	1	< 1	--
CC-A-I-6 core	Mafic Enclave	< 1	< 1	--
CC-A-I-9 rim	Mafic Enclave	10	7	1.41
CC-A-I-9 core	Mafic Enclave	12	9	2.86
CC-A-I-12 rim	Mafic Enclave	4	2	--
CC-A-I-12 core	Mafic Enclave	3	1	--
CC-UPF-I-1 rim	Mafic Enclave	6	5	--
CC-UPF-I-1 core	Mafic Enclave	6	5	--
CC-B-H-1	Host Lava	37	5	6.86
CC-B-I-9 outer rim	Mafic Enclave	10	9	1.01
CC-B-I-9 middle rim	Mafic Enclave	1	1	--
CC-B-I-9 inner rim	Mafic Enclave	< 1	< 1	--
CC-B-I-9 outer core	Mafic Enclave	1	1	--
CC-B-I-9 inner core	Mafic Enclave	< 1	< 1	--
CC-B-I-10 rim	Mafic Enclave	< 1	< 1	--
CC-B-I-10 core	Mafic Enclave	2	2	1.08
CC-C-H-1	Host Lava	79	8	17.50
CC-C-I-1 rim	Mafic Enclave	3	2	--
CC-C-I-1 core	Mafic Enclave	5	3	< 1
CC-C-I-11 rim	Mafic Enclave	5	3	2.38
CC-C-I-11 core	Mafic Enclave	7	4	1.16
CC-C-I-11 intra-enclave	Mafic Enclave	3	1	--
CC-D-H-1	Host Lava	35	8	11.76
CC-D-I-1 rim	Mafic Enclave	10	8	2.19
CC-D-I-1 core	Mafic Enclave	5	3	1.54
CC-D-I-2 core	Mafic Enclave	15	12	2.86
CC-D-I-4 rim	Mafic Enclave	3	1	--
CC-D-I-4 core	Mafic Enclave	5	1	--
CC-D-I-5 rim	Mafic Enclave	1	< 1	--
CC-D-I-5 core	Mafic Enclave	3	1	--
CC-D-I-6 rim	Mafic Enclave	2	2	--
CC-D-I-6 core	Mafic Enclave	1	< 1	--
CC-E-H-1	Host Lava	40	10	7.95
CC-E-I-10 rim	Mafic Enclave	2	2	< 1
CC-E-I-10 core	Mafic Enclave	6	5	--
CC-E-I-11 rim	Mafic Enclave	10	8	4.11
CC-E-I-11 core	Mafic Enclave	5	3	1.40
CC-E-I-12 outer rim	Mafic Enclave	7	6	--

CC-E-I-12 inner rim	Mafic Enclave	10	7	--
CC-E-I-12 core	Mafic Enclave	5	3	--
CC-E-I-13 rim	Mafic Enclave	10	9	< 1
CC-E-I-13 core	Mafic Enclave	5	4	< 1
CC-E-I-14 rim	Mafic Enclave	15	7	--
CC-E-I-14 core	Mafic Enclave	10	2	--
CC-E-I-15 rim	Mafic Enclave	12	10	--
CC-E-I-15 core	Mafic Enclave	15	12	< 1
CC-E-I-16 rim	Mafic Enclave	5	4	4.08
CC-E-I-16 core	Mafic Enclave	5	4	1.67
CC-E-I-18 rim	Mafic Enclave	17	12	1.49
CC-E-I-18 core	Mafic Enclave	12	9	--
CH-CC-08-15 rim	Mafic Enclave	1	1	--
CC-F-H-2	Host Lava	40	10	9.09
CC-F-I-3 rim	Mafic Enclave	7	3	--
CC-F-I-3 core	Mafic Enclave	1	1	--
CC-F-I-10 rim	Mafic Enclave	10	9	2.25
CC-F-I-10 core	Mafic Enclave	10	7	--
CC-F-I-11 rim	Mafic Enclave	20	18	1.14
CC-F-I-11 core	Mafic Enclave	15	14	1.28
CC-F-I-13 rim	Mafic Enclave	5	4	4.88
CC-F-I-13 core	Mafic Enclave	10	9	2.41
CC-F-I-14 rim	Mafic Enclave	3	3	1.23
CH-CC-09-05 rim	Mafic Enclave	3	3	--
CH-CC-09-05 core	Mafic Enclave	1	1	--

Estimated Modal % Plagioclase (of total phenocrysts)	Estimated Modal % Pyroxene (of total phenocrysts)	Estimated Modal % Olivine (of total phenocrysts)	Estimated Modal % Hornblende (of total phenocrysts)	Estimated Modal % Biotite (of total phenocrysts)
71.43	--	--	9.52	9.52
68.52	--	--	31.48	--
68.52	--	--	31.48	--
49.08	1.84	--	49.08	--
51.28	1.28	--	47.44	--
77.46	2.82	1.41	16.90	--
71.43	4.29	7.14	14.29	--
78.57	17.14	4.29	--	--
71.43	21.43	7.14	--	--
83.33	15.00	1.67	--	--
78.13	18.75	3.13	--	--
60.36	13.72	--	16.46	2.61
45.45	--	3.03	50.51	--
51.02	2.04	1.02	45.92	--
56.82	2.27	1.14	39.77	--
47.37	3.16	2.11	47.37	--
51.02	2.04	1.02	45.92	--
46.63	< 1	1.04	51.81	--
54.05	< 1	1.08	43.24	--
67.50	< 1	--	11.33	3.50
68.42	10.53	--	21.05	--
61.86	12.37	2.06	23.71	--
71.43	5.95	2.38	17.86	--
63.95	8.14	3.49	23.26	--
55.56	11.11	5.56	27.78	--
75.29	< 1	--	10.00	2.35
80.29	10.22	2.92	4.38	--
69.23	18.46	7.69	3.08	--
78.57	14.29	--	2.86	1.43
69.45	< 1	--	29.85	< 1
64.87	2.51	--	30.11	2.51
54.55	--	--	45.45	< 1
55.45	--	--	43.56	< 1
--	70.65	--	27.17	2.17
--	66.45	--	33.22	< 1
73.86	1.14	--	13.64	3.41
73.53	10.29	--	14.71	1.00
76.27	8.47	--	11.86	3.39
61.64	2.74	--	30.14	1.37
62.94	2.80	2.10	30.77	--
77.76	15.55	< 1	6.22	< 1

78.13	18.75	1.56	1.56	--
83.33	10.61	3.03	3.03	--
86.61	4.72	--	7.87	< 1
83.33	4.17	--	12.50	--
79.37	11.11	1.59	7.94	--
72.58	19.35	4.84	3.23	--
62.50	3.57	1.79	26.79	5.36
62.11	3.11	1.55	26.40	6.21
81.63	6.12	4.08	4.08	--
66.67	11.67	5.00	10.00	5.00
74.63	10.45	--	8.96	4.48
75.81	16.13	--	4.84	3.23
91.67	1.67	--	6.67	--
73.86	1.14	--	14.77	1.14
71.43	--	--	28.57	--
71.43	--	--	28.57	--
67.57	1.13	< 1	28.15	< 1
65.22	2.17	1.09	30.43	1.09
56.82	2.27	--	39.77	--
57.69	2.56	--	38.46	--
73.17	--	--	20.73	1.22
72.29	--	--	24.10	1.20
74.07	6.17	--	18.52	--
57.29	1.04	--	41.67	--
63.83	2.13	1.06	31.91	1.06

Table 3. End-member and Parent Magma Compositions

	SiO ₂	TiO ₂	Al ₂ O ₃	FeOt	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na ₂ O	K ₂ O
Lassen Mafic End-member ¹	52.4	0.7	15.2	8.1	0.1	10.1	10.3	2.4	0.6
Chaos Crags Mafic end-member ²	53.4	0.7	19.2	8.3	0.1	5.0	9.6	2.9	0.7
Dacite end-member ³	68.0	0.4	15.7	3.5	0.1	1.6	3.7	4.1	2.6
High-K andesite end-member ⁴	61.4	0.9	17.8	5.2	0.1	1.9	4.5	4.9	2.7
Low Mg# Andesite end-member ⁵	54.6	0.8	19.5	8.0	0.1	3.8	8.9	3.1	0.8
Parent Magma high Fo ₈₂ Ol ⁶	53.1	0.7	18.0	8.2	0.1	6.6	9.8	2.8	0.6
Parent Magma of An ₉₂ Pl ⁷	52.8	0.4	19.3	8.0	0.1	6.1	10.3	2.4	0.6
Resident Felsic magma (An ₃₀ Parent) ⁸	78.3	0.2	13.2	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.02	4.8	3.4

1. Sample LC84-650A (Earthchem), whole rock composition from 27 Ka Lassen Peak, used as a mafic end-member.
2. Sample CC-A-I-6, a nearly aphyric (<1% crystals) mafic enclave from Dome A, that explains most Cpx and Ol compositions.
3. Dacite from Chaos Crags (CC-D-H-2) used as a felsic end-member, added to CC-A-I-6 to explain most mineral compositions.
4. High K₂O end-member andesite (sample LC84-634) used to explain some low Fo (Fo₇₀) Ol grains.
5. Low Mg# andesite used to explain some low Fo (Fo₇₀) compositions.
6. Parent magma for Ol crystals with maximum Fo contents (Fo₈₂), obtained by mixing CC-A-I-6 with LC84-650A.
7. Parent magma for maximum An content Pl (An₉₂₋₉₃); derived from Sisson and Grove (1993) experiments that precipitate similarly high-An content Pl; this composition can also explain Fo₈₂ Ol.
8. Parent magma to low-An Pl (An₃₀), not observed as a whole rock at Chaos Crags.

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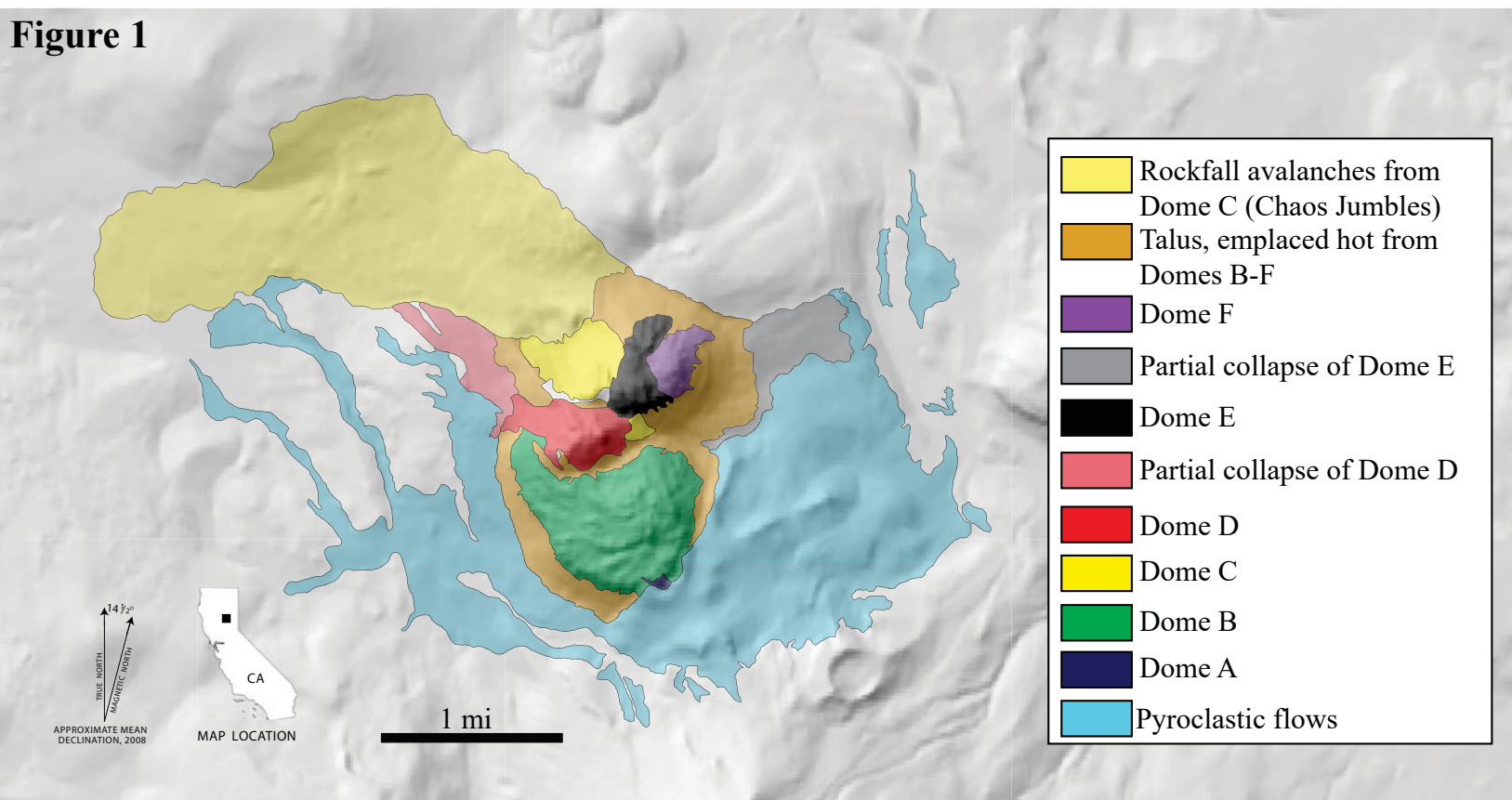


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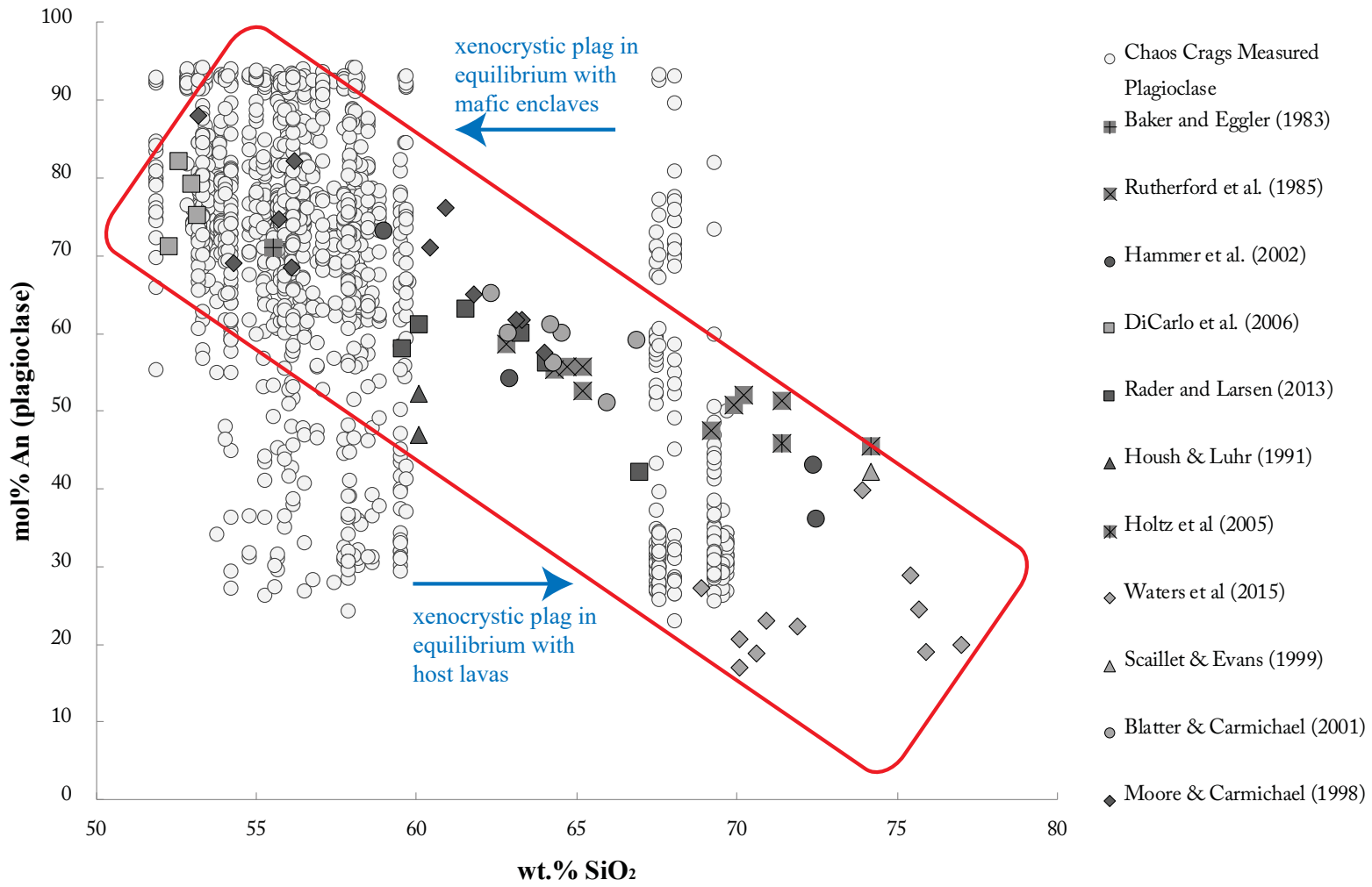


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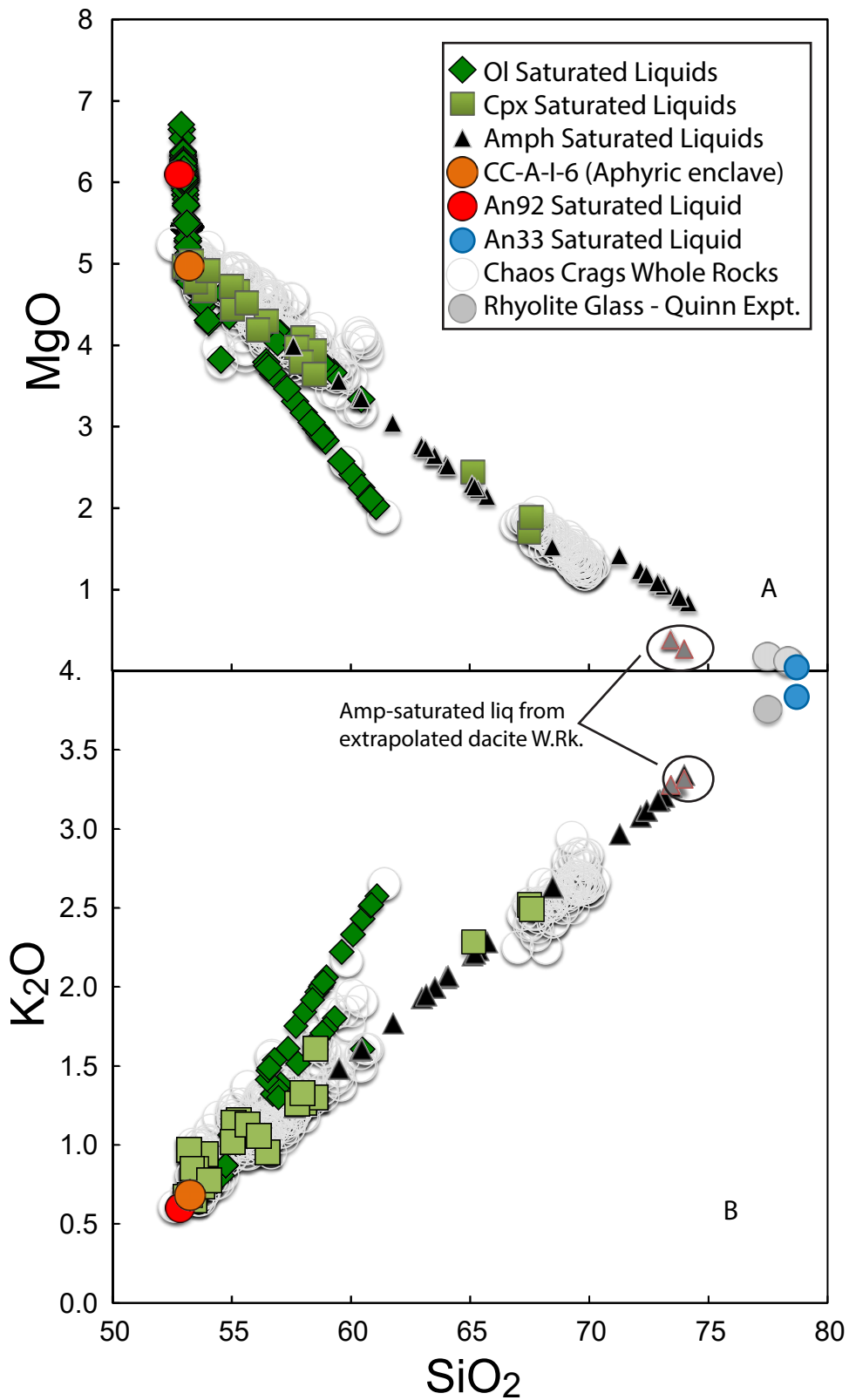


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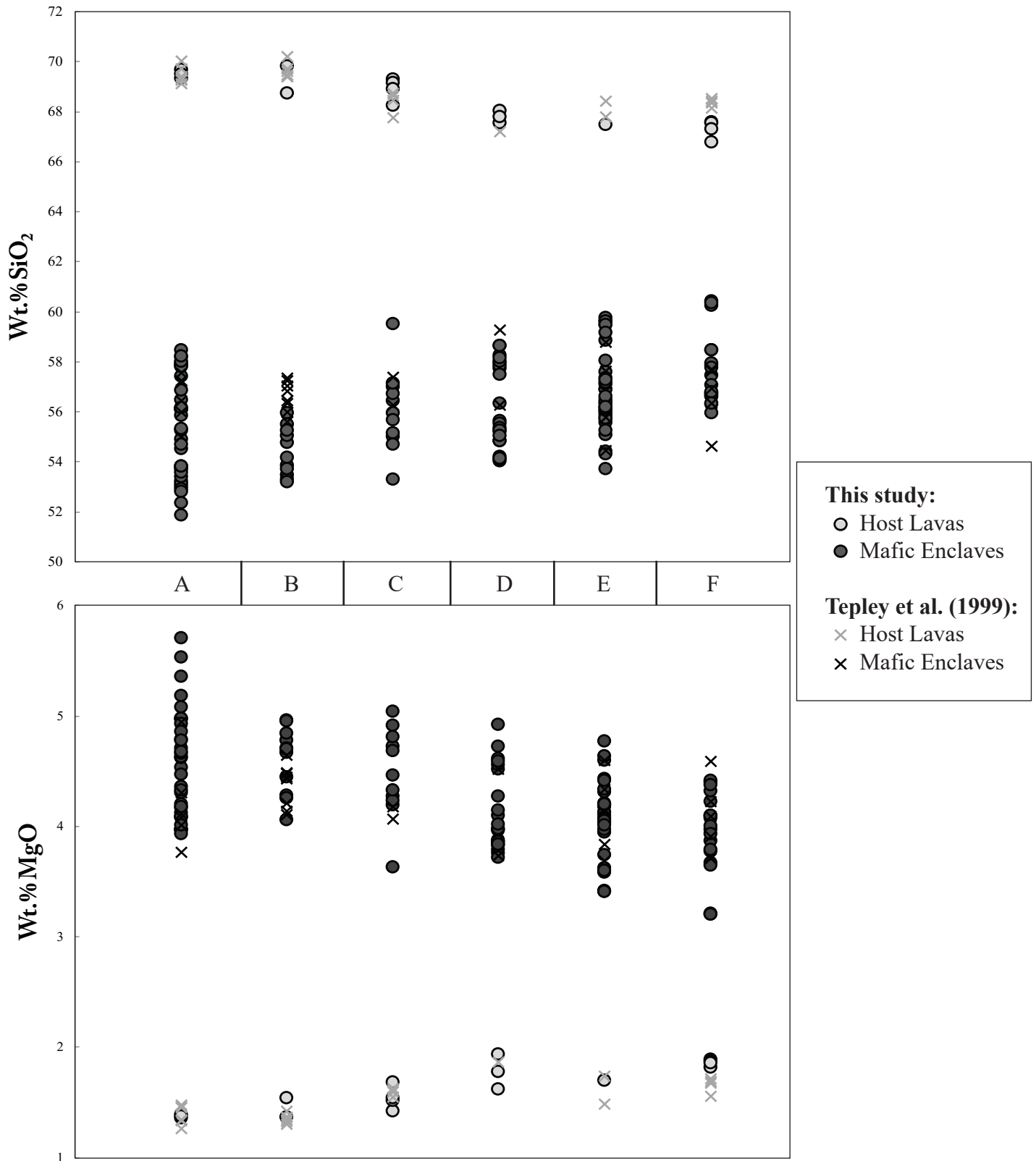


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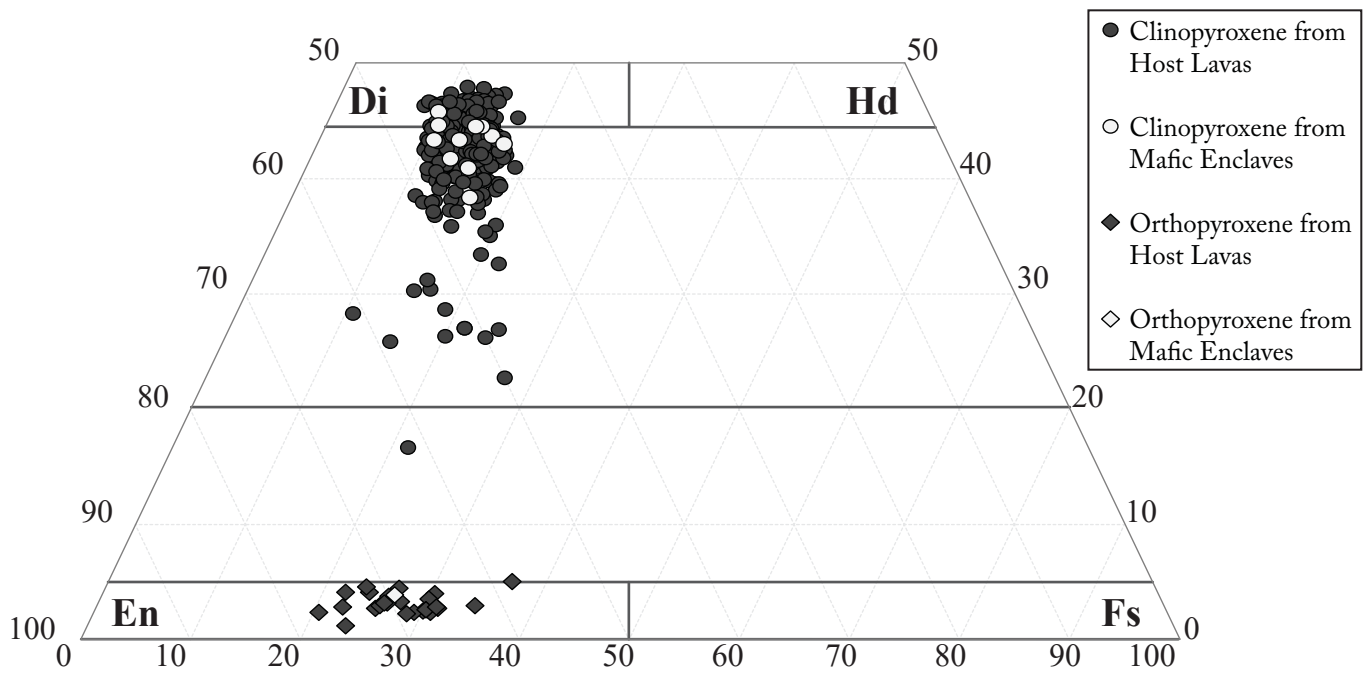


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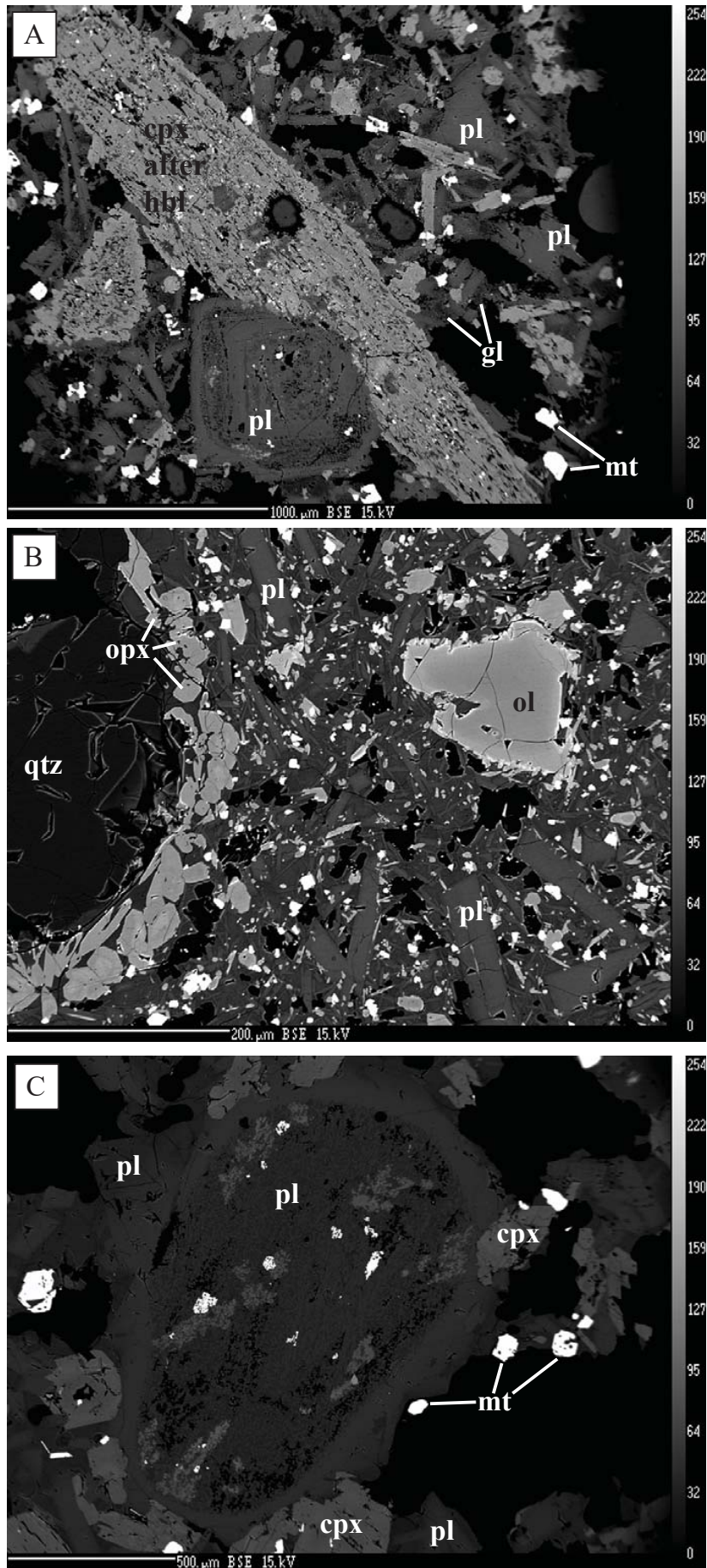


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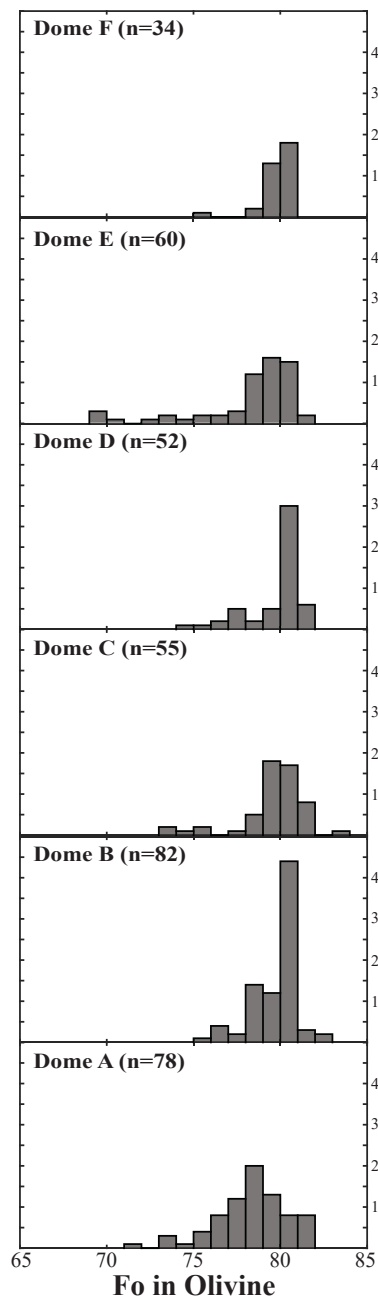


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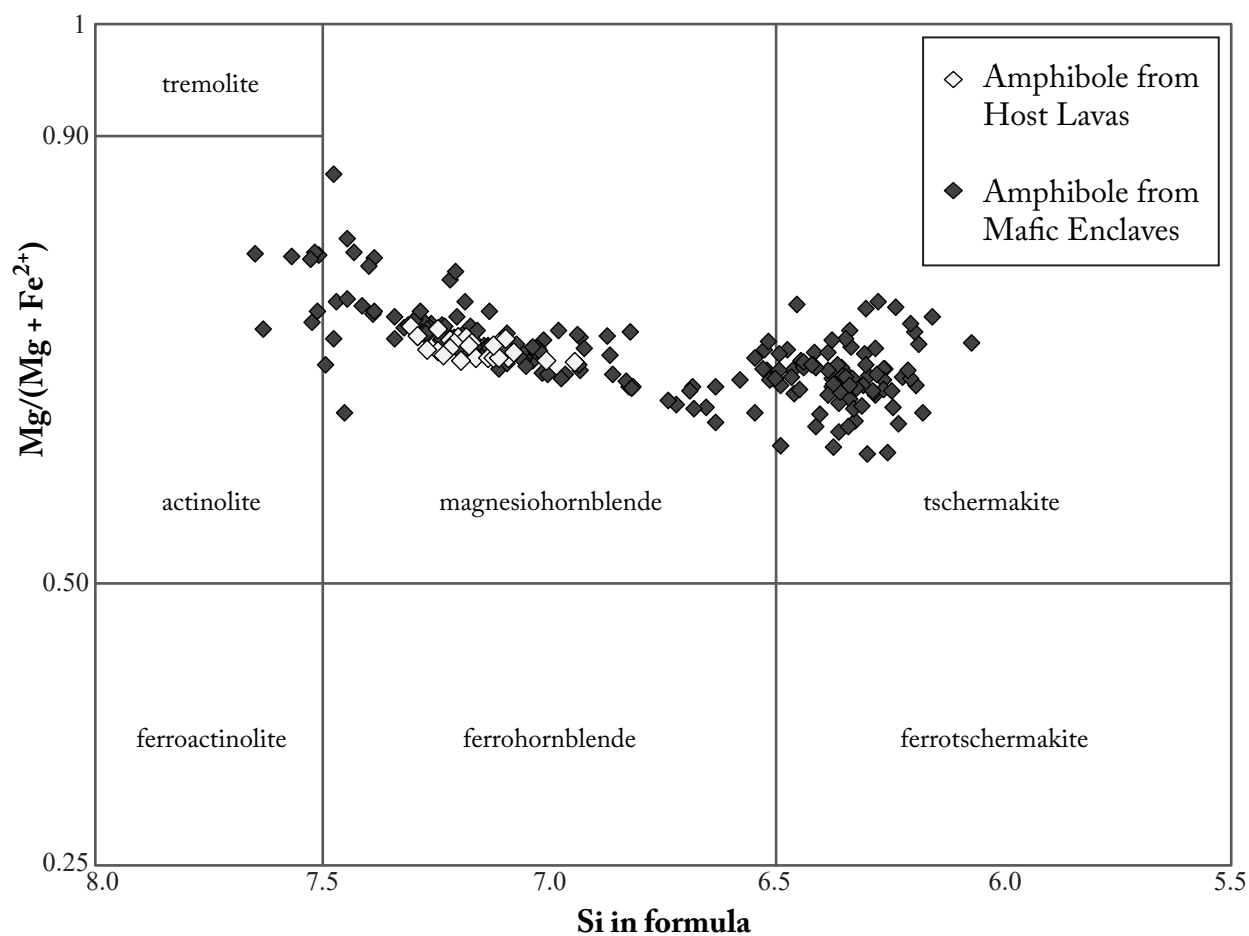


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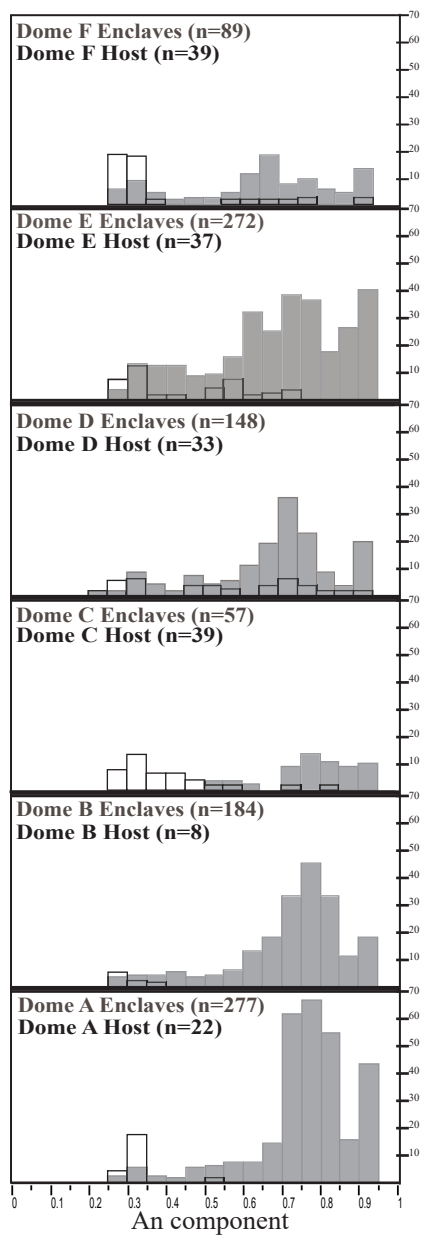


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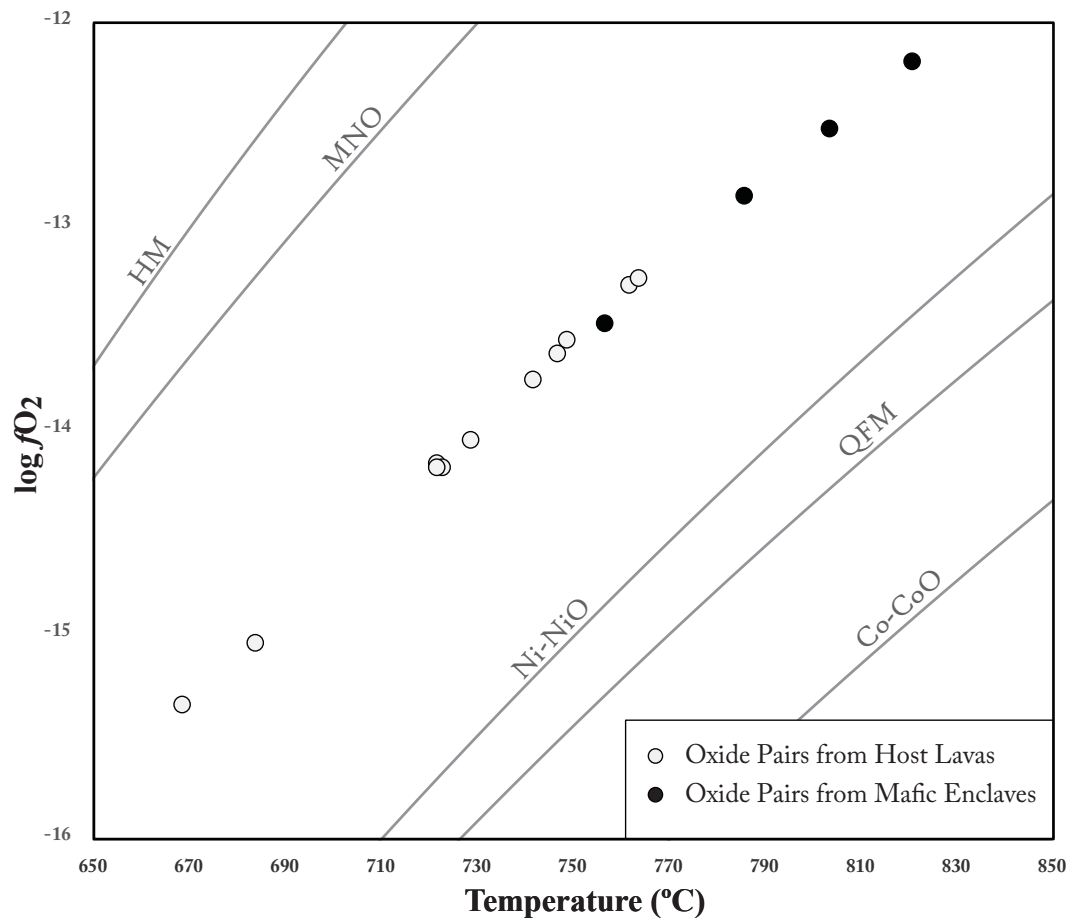


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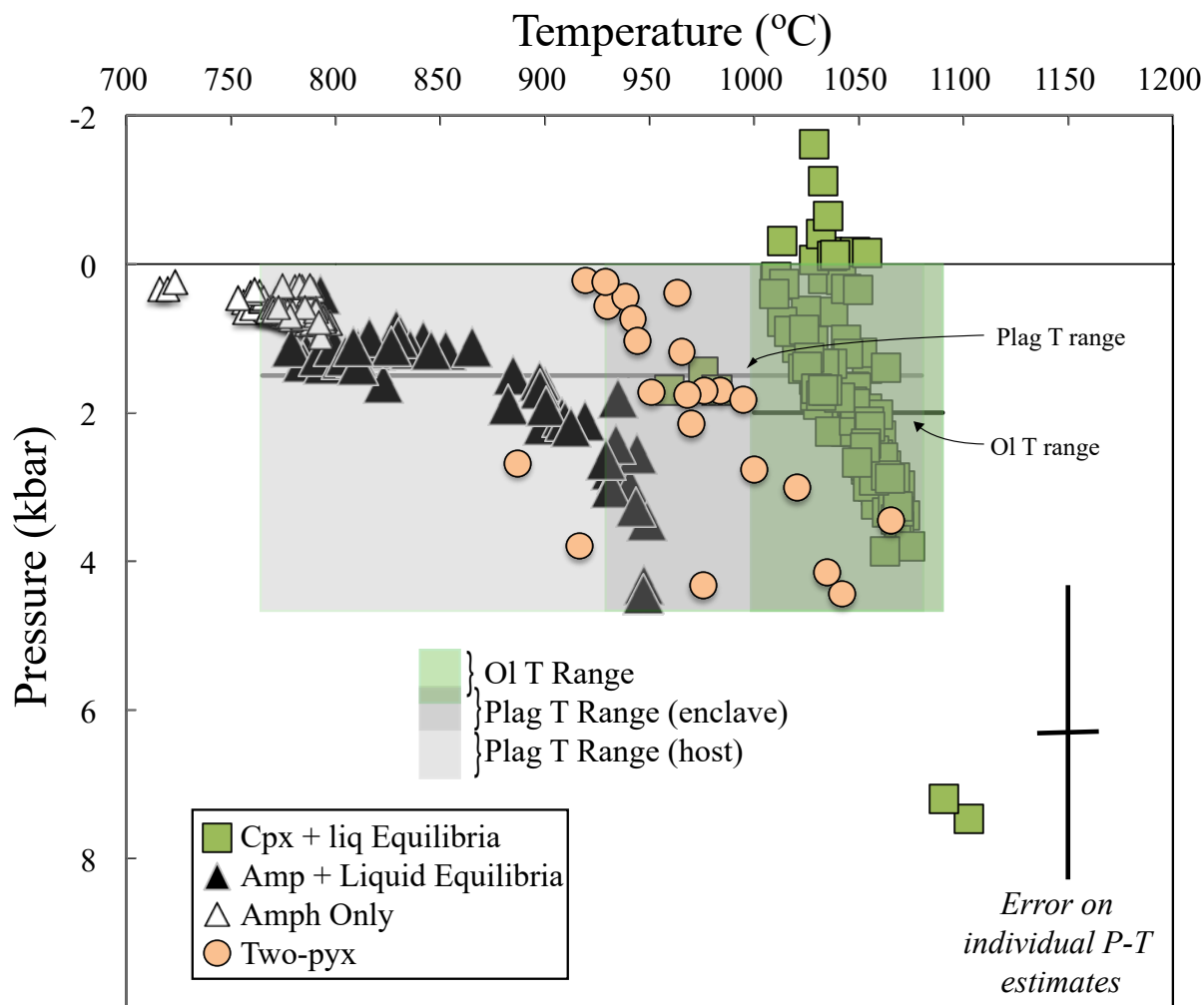


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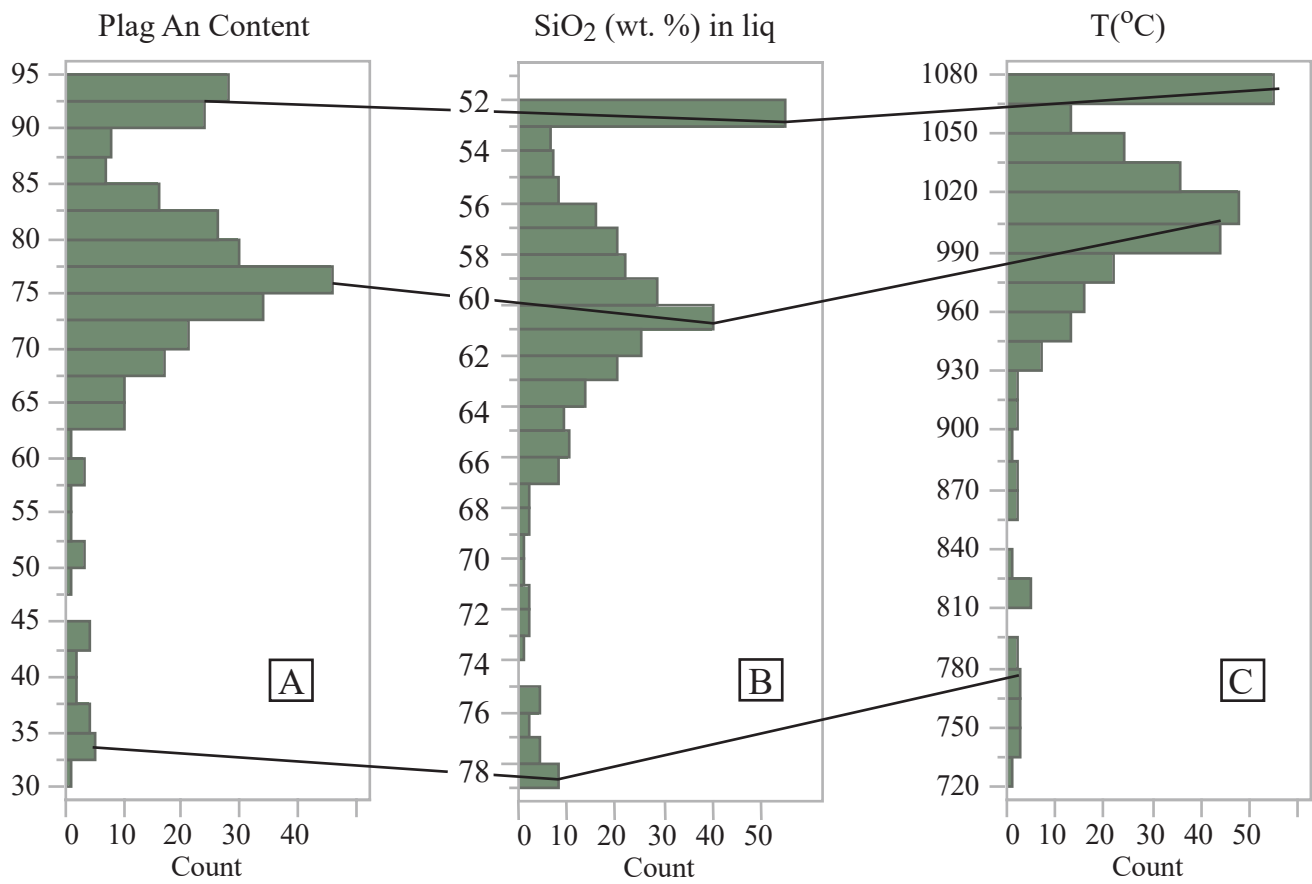


Figure 13

