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Amphibole as a witness of chromitite formation and fluid 3 metasomatism in ophiolites

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ABSTRACT

20 Here we present new occurrences of amphibole in a suite of chromitites, dunites and
21 harzburgites from the mantle sequence of the Lycian ophiolite in the Tauride Belt, SW
22 Turkey. The amphibole occurs both as interstitial grains among the major constituent
23 minerals and as inclusions in chromite grains. The interstitial amphibole shows generally
24 decreasing trends in Na₂O and Al₂O₃ contents from the chromitites (0.14 – 1.54 wt%;
25 0.04 – 6.67 wt%, respectively) and the dunites (0.09 – 2.37 wt%; 0.12 – 11.9 wt%) to the
26 host harzburgites (< 0.61 wt%; 0.02 – 5.41 wt%). Amphibole inclusions in chromite of
27 the amphibole-bearing harzburgites are poorer in Al₂O₃ (1.12 – 8.86 wt%), CaO (8.47 –
28 13.2 wt%) and Na₂O (b.d.l. – 1.38 wt%) than their counterparts in the amphibole-bearing
29 chromitites (Al₂O₃ = 6.13 – 10.0 wt%; CaO = 12.1 – 12.9 wt%; Na₂O = 1.11 – 1.91 wt%).
30 Estimated crystallization temperatures for the interstitial amphibole grains and amphibole
31 inclusions range from 706 to 974 °C, with the higher values in the latter. A comparison of
32 amphibole inclusions in chromite with interstitial grains provides direct evidence for the
33 involvement of water in chromitite formation and the presence of hydrous melt/fluid
34 metasomatism in the peridotites during initial subduction of Neo-Tethyan oceanic
35 lithosphere. The hydrous melts/fluids were released from the chromitites after being
36 collected on chromite surfaces during crystallization. Different fluid/wall rock ratios are
37 thought to have controlled the crystallization and composition of the Lycian amphibole
38 and the extent of modification of the chromite and pyroxene grains in the peridotites.
39 Considering the wide distribution of podiform chromitites in this ophiolite, the link

40 between chromitite formation and melt/fluid metasomatism defined in our study may be
41 applicable to other ophiolites worldwide.

42 **Keywords:** Amphibole; Peridotite; Chromitite; Hydrous fluid; Ophiolite

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44 **INTRODUCTION**

45 Podiform chromitites are a special category of chrome ore deposit found only in
46 ophiolites, where they typically form just below the petrologic Moho (Cassard et al.,
47 1981; Zhou et al., 1994). Hydrous fluids are widely thought to have played a vital role in
48 chromitite formation in ophiolites (e.g., Matveev and Ballhaus, 2002; Johan et al., 2017;
49 Su et al., 2020, 2021), and they are commonly preserved as fluid inclusions and/or
50 hydrous minerals (such as phlogopite and amphibole) in the chromite grains of
51 chromitites, dunites and harzburgites (Melcher et al., 1997; Sachan et al., 2007; Zhou et
52 al., 2014; Rollinson et al., 2018). These hydrous minerals and fluid inclusions are
53 considered to represent crystallization products of trapped melts which were clearly
54 hydrous and estimated to have contained up to 4 wt% water (Sobolev and Chaussidon,
55 1996; Falloon and Danyushevsky, 2000; Matveev and Ballhaus, 2002). However, recent
56 studies have proposed that post-magmatic processes (e.g., hydrothermal alteration,
57 metamorphism) locally aided by deformation, could modify the original composition of
58 chromite in chromitites (e.g., Rassios and Smith, 2000; Satsukawa et al., 2015; Kapsiotis
59 et al., 2019). Such processes could also potentially produce hydrous inclusions in

chromite during sub-solidus annealing (e.g., Lorand and Ceuleneer, 1989). Therefore, the role of water in the formation of chromitite in ophiolite is still unclear.

62 Although interstitial amphibole crystals have rarely been reported in ophiolitic
63 chromitite (Melcher et al., 1997; Rollinson, 2008), they have been increasingly found in
64 ophiolitic peridotites (e.g., Liu et al., 2010; Rospabé et al., 2017; Çelik et al., 2018;
65 Slovenec and Šegvić, 2018), fore-arc peridotites (e.g., Chen and Zeng, 2007; Nozaka,
66 2014) and mantle-wedge peridotite xenoliths (e.g., Coltorti et al., 2004; Ionov, 2010).
67 The amphibole in these peridotites has mostly been attributed to hydrous fluid/melt
68 metasomatism related to subduction processes. Thus, determining the potential links
69 between fluid metasomatism in peridotites, the formation of podiform chromitites and
70 water extracted from subducting slabs could provide additional insights into the role and
71 source(s) of fluids involved in these processes.

72 In this contribution, we report a newly discovered suite of interstitial amphibole
73 grains in chromitite, dunite and harzburgite in the mantle section of the Lycian ophiolite
74 in SW Turkey. The occurrence and mineral chemistry of the amphibole reveal that the
75 hydrous fluids were intimately related to chromitite formation and were subsequently
76 infiltrated into the surrounding dunite and harzburgite.

78 GEOLOGY OF THE LYCIAN OPHIOLITE

The ophiolites in SW Anatolia, which lie along the westernmost part of the Tauride Belt, are widely interpreted to be part of a Tethyan suture zone (Fig. 1a). The western

81 Taurides can be subdivided into three main geological units: the Beydağları autochthon,
82 comprising a thick platform of shallow-marine carbonates of Liassic to Early Miocene
83 age with an unknown crustal basement; the Antalya nappe, emplaced westwards in the
84 Late Cretaceous; and the younger Lycian nappe complex emplaced to the southeast. The
85 Lycian ophiolite is mainly exposed in the Köyceğiz (Muğla) and Yeşilova (Burdur)
86 regions (Fig. 1b, c) where it consists, from the base upward, of ophiolitic mélange,
87 metamorphic sole, and mantle tectonites (Fig. 1d). The ophiolite mélange consists of
88 radiolarian chert, siliceous marble, serpentinite, amphibolite, basalt, gabbro and
89 peridotite within a highly deformed matrix of conglomerate, shale and lithic arenite
90 (Collins and Robertson, 1998). The metamorphic sole exhibits an inverted metamorphic
91 gradient from the top downward of pyroxene-bearing amphibolite, amphibolite,
92 epidote-amphibolite and mica schist (Çelik, 2002; Çelik and Delaloye, 2003). $^{40}\text{Ar}/^{39}\text{Ar}$
93 dates of the amphibolites and mica schists indicate that tectonic displacement of the
94 oceanic lithosphere occurred during the Late Cretaceous (ca. 91 – 94 Ma; Çelik et al.,
95 2006). Above the metamorphic sole the ophiolite consists exclusively of mantle
96 tectonites hosting podiform chromitites enclosed in dunite envelopes (Collins and
97 Robertson, 1998; Çelik and Delaloye, 2003; Uysal et al., 2005, 2009, 2012). The mantle
98 tectonites are intruded by isolated pockets of partially brecciated diabase, but otherwise
99 crustal lithologies are typically absent in the ophiolite.

100 A suite of amphibole-bearing rocks was collected from the mantle section of the
101 ophiolite in the Köyceğiz region bounded by coordinates $29^{\circ}1'21''\text{E}$ – $29^{\circ}10'29''\text{E}$

102 longitude and 36°42'11"N – 36°50'32"N latitude (Fig. 1b). The samples include nine
103 chromitites, two dunites enveloping the chromitites and six harzburgite hosts. Most of the
104 samples are overprinted by varying degrees of serpentinization. The degree of
105 serpentinization decreases from chromitite and dunite to harzburgite, leaving
106 considerable amounts of pristine olivine, pyroxene and amphibole in the harzburgite.
107 Amphibole occurs as interstitial, mostly euhedral, grains between the major minerals or
108 as anhedral crystals rimming clinopyroxene. Amphibole also occurs as inclusions in
109 chromite grains from both the chromitites and harzburgites.

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111 ANALYTICAL METHODS

112 All the samples with polished sections were investigated by a FEI Nova NanoSEM
113 450, equipped with an energy dispersive X-ray spectrometer from Oxford Instruments at
114 the Institute of Geology and Geophysics, Chinese Academy of Sciences (IGGCAS),
115 Beijing, China. High-resolution back-scattered electron (BSE) images were obtained at
116 working conditions of 15 kV accelerating voltage and 5.5 nA beam current, with a
117 working distance of 6 mm from the pole piece to the sample surface. The spatial
118 resolution of the BSE scanning was approximately 2 µm per pixel. Areas ranging from
119 half to whole thin sections were mapped. Mineral modes of chromitite and dunite were
120 determined from BSE images using Adobe Photoshop and ImageJ software. The spatial
121 distribution of different minerals in the images were resolved using Adobe Photoshop
122 based on their difference in brightness and contrast. Then, an image showing the

123 distribution of each mineral was imported into ImageJ to analyze the modal percentages.
124 However, olivine and orthopyroxene are difficult to distinguish in harzburgite because of
125 their similar brightness and contrast in BSE images. Thus, the mineral modes of
126 harzburgite were determined by point counting (1000 counts for areas of 2.5×4.5 cm).
127 The pixel/point-counting data are listed in Table 1.

128 Major element compositions of minerals and back scattered electron images of
129 samples were obtained using a JEOL JXA8100 electron probe microanalyzer (EPMA) at
130 the IGGCAS. The analyses were carried out at an accelerating voltage of 15 kV, a beam
131 current of 10 nA and a 10 – 30 s counting time on peak. A beam diameter of 5 μm was
132 used for interstitial minerals and 1 μm for mineral inclusions. Well-characterized natural
133 minerals and synthetic oxides were used for standard calibration. Raw data were reduced
134 with an EPMA online correction procedure, including background, dead time and a
135 ZAF-correction program. Accuracy and precision were checked against SPI standards.
136 Typical analytical accuracy for all the elements analyzed was better than 2%. Detection
137 limits (in wt%) of oxides were as follows: SiO_2 0.01; TiO_2 0.02; Al_2O_3 0.01; Cr_2O_3 0.03;
138 FeO 0.01; MnO 0.06; MgO 0.06; CaO 0.02; Na_2O 0.03; K_2O 0.02; and NiO 0.03. The
139 $\text{Fe}^{3+}/\sum\text{Fe}$ ratio of chromite was calculated based on microprobe analyses using
140 stoichiometric criteria (Droop, 1985). Amphibole formulas were calculated from the
141 microprobe analyses using the method of Ridolfi et al. (2018) for apportioning the
142 amount of Fe^{3+} . Classification of amphibole is based on the chemical contents of the
143 standard amphibole formula $\text{AB}_2\text{C}_5^{\text{VI}}\text{T}_8^{\text{IV}}\text{O}_{22}(\text{OH})_2$ (Leake et al., 1997). At least three

144 grains of each mineral were analyzed in each thin section, and at least two points were
145 analyzed in the cores and rims of each crystal. The results of olivine, clinopyroxene,
146 orthopyroxene and chromite are reported in Table 2 and amphibole in Table 3.

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148 PETROGRAPHY AND MINERAL CHEMISTRY

149 **Amphibole occurrences**

150 The amphibole-bearing chromitites have mostly disseminated, massive and nodular
151 textures, and consist of chromite (20 – 80 modal%); olivine (78 – 18 %); amphibole (<
152 2 %); ± clinopyroxene (< 1 %) (Table 1 and Fig. 2a-h). Amphibole in the chromitites
153 occurs either as interstitial phases (mostly 0.2 – 0.3 mm; Fig. 2b, c, d, f, g) or as
154 inclusions in chromite grains (Fig. 2h). The amphibole inclusions (2 – 40 µm across) are
155 located well away from fractures, have globular to subhedral shapes and are either
156 monomineralic or contain both amphibole and pyroxene (Fig. 2h).

157 The amphibole-bearing dunites have equigranular textures and contain 5 – 20 modal%
158 euhedral to subhedral chromite grains. Silicate minerals include olivine (92 – 77 %);
159 clinopyroxene (< 1 %); and amphibole (< 2 %) (Table 1 and Fig. 2i). Interstitial
160 amphibole grains occur as minute crystals (0.1 – 0.5 mm) surrounding chromite grains
161 (Fig. 2j) or intergrown with clinopyroxene (0.1 – 0.2 mm) (Fig. 2k). A few relatively
162 large amphibole grains, up to 10 mm long (Fig. 2l), are present in some dunites near the
163 chromitites (e.g., 18LN07-5).

164 Amphibole-bearing harzburgites have porphyroclastic textures, in which large

165 orthopyroxene porphyroclasts (> 2 mm) are surrounded by small neoblasts (≤ 0.5 mm)
166 (Table 1 and Fig. 3a-l). The harzburgite consists mainly of olivine (~ 85 modal%) and
167 orthopyroxene (~ 10 %), accompanied by minor amounts of clinopyroxene (< 3 %);
168 chromite (< 2 %); and amphibole (< 2 %). Two types of amphibole have been identified
169 in these rocks: 1) Small (< 0.1 mm) interstitial grains rimming clinopyroxene and
170 orthopyroxene crystals (Fig. 3b, c, g, k) or larger, anhedral crystals (mostly 0.3 – 0.4 mm)
171 among the olivine grains (Fig. 3d, f, j); and 2) rounded inclusions in chromite grains that
172 range from 5 – 50 μm and that are either monophase or multiphase with orthopyroxene
173 and clinopyroxene (Fig. 3h, l). Some of the inclusions are cut by cracks that extend into
174 the host chromite (Fig. 3l). Minerals in the inclusions far from cracks show little or no
175 alteration.

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177 **Mineral chemistry**

178 **Olivine.** Olivine grains in the amphibole-bearing chromitites have Fo
179 ($=100\text{Mg}/(\text{Mg}+\text{Fe}^{2+})$) values ranging from 94.7 to 96.9 and NiO contents from 0.50 to
180 0.77 wt%. The two amphibole-bearing dunite samples contain olivine grains with lower
181 Fo values of 92.8 – 95.0 and NiO contents of 0.36 – 0.53 wt% (Fig. 4a). In the
182 amphibole-bearing harzburgites, the olivine grains show limited ranges of Fo (90.8 –
183 91.6) and NiO (0.24 – 0.43 wt%), comparable in composition to olivine in harzburgites
184 from the Lycian ophiolite (Aladanmaz et al., 2009; Uysal et al., 2012; Xiong et al.,
185 2018b) and plotting the fore-arc peridotite field and the olivine mantle array (Fig. 4a).

186 **Pyroxene.** Orthopyroxene grains occur only in the amphibole-bearing harzburgite
187 and have Mg# values of 90.7 – 92.1 (Table 2), overlapping the range of those reported in
188 previous studies (Aldanmaz et al., 2009; Uysal et al., 2012; Xiong et al., 2018b). In
189 contrast, their Al₂O₃ contents of 0.40 – 2.58 wt% are slightly lower than those in the
190 orthopyroxene reported by Aldanmaz et al. (2009) (1.43 – 4.62 wt%) and Uysal et al.
191 (2012) (1.09 – 5.21 wt%) (Fig. 4b), but are similar to those in Xiong et al. (2018b) (0.70
192 – 1.90 wt%).

193 The interstitial clinopyroxene grains in the amphibole-bearing chromitites have
194 nearly uniform Mg# values (97.1 – 98.2) and CaO contents (24.1 – 25.3 wt%) but
195 variable Al₂O₃ (0.16 – 0.52 wt%) and Na₂O (0.15 – 0.26 wt%) (Fig. 4b). In comparison,
196 clinopyroxene grains in both amphibole-bearing dunites and harzburgites display
197 significantly lower Mg# values of 95.8 – 97.0 and 93.5 – 95.7 and Na₂O contents of 0.09
198 – 0.20 wt% and < 0.09 wt%, respectively. Their Al₂O₃ contents vary from 0.21 to 0.67 wt%
199 and 0.21 to 3.19 wt%, respectively, slightly lower than those in amphibole-free
200 peridotites reported in previous studies (Fig. 4b).

201 **Chromite.** Similar to previously described chromite in the Lycian ophiolite (Uysal
202 et al., 2005, 2009), chromite grains in the massive, amphibole-bearing podiform
203 chromitites show highly variable TiO₂ contents of 0.08 – 0.23 wt% and Cr# values
204 (=100Cr/(Cr+Al)) of 58.4 – 81.5. Thus, the chromitites are mostly high-Cr varieties (Cr# >
205 60) that formed from boninitic melts (Uysal et al., 2005; Xiong et al., 2018a). Chromite
206 grains in the amphibole-bearing dunites have narrow Cr# variations (79.2 – 81.5), within

207 the range of those in amphibole-free dunites (Uysal et al., 2012; Xiong et al., 2018b). In
208 contrast, chromite grains in the amphibole-bearing harzburgites have relatively variable
209 Cr# values (37.8 – 73.1), which correlate negatively with their Mg# values and plot in
210 the fore-arc peridotite field (Fig. 4c).

211 **Amphibole.** In amphibole-bearing chromitites, interstitial amphibole grains are
212 mostly tremolite and magnesiohornblende (Fig. 5). They have variable contents of Na₂O
213 (0.14 – 1.54 wt%), CaO (9.86 – 13.4 wt%), Al₂O₃ (0.04 – 6.67 wt%) and Mg# values of
214 96.5 – 99.7 (Fig. 6a; Table 3), overlapping the ranges of amphibole in the Oman ophiolite
215 (Rollinson, 2008). Interstitial amphibole grains in the dunites are tremolite and
216 magnesiohornblende, with a few edenite varieties (Fig. 5). They display larger variations
217 in Na₂O (0.09 – 2.37 wt%), Al₂O₃ (0.12 – 11.9 wt%) and Mg# values (93.1 – 99.1) than
218 those in the chromitites. The interstitial amphibole grains in harzburgites are tremolite
219 with generally lower Na₂O (< 0.61 wt%), Al₂O₃ (0.02 – 5.41 wt%) and Mg# values (93.7
220 – 96.4) (Figs. 5a, b, 6a; Table 3).

221 Amphibole inclusions in chromite mainly range from magnesiohornblende to
222 tremolite, but two analyses yielded edenite compositions (Fig. 5). Compared to the
223 interstitial amphibole, the amphibole inclusions exhibit higher Al₂O₃ and Na₂O contents
224 and lower Mg# values (Fig. 6a, b; Table 3). The amphiboles in the harzburgites are
225 poorer in Al₂O₃ (1.12 – 8.86 wt%), CaO (8.47 – 13.2 wt%) and Na₂O (b.d.l. – 1.38 wt%)
226 contents than their counterparts in the chromitites (Al₂O₃ = 6.13 – 10.0 wt%; CaO = 12.1
227 – 12.9 wt%; Na₂O = 1.11 – 1.91 wt%).

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DISCUSSION

230 The petrographic and mineral chemical data presented here demonstrate that
231 considerable amounts of amphibole occur as interstitial grains and as inclusions in
232 chromite in some of the chromitites, dunites and harzburgites of the mantle section of the
233 Lycian ophiolite. In the following, we first discuss the effects of deformation during
234 post-magmatic processes on these rocks, and then explore the origin of the amphibole in
235 them. We then consider possible sources of the fluids from which the amphibole formed
236 and investigate the importance of fluids in the formation of inclusions in chromite.
237 Finally, we address the role that the fluids played in the evolution of the Lycian ophiolite.

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239 **The effect of deformation during the post-magmatic evolution on the Lycian**
240 **ophiolite mantle sequence**

241 Podiform chromitites in ophiolites are normally surrounded by dunite envelopes of
242 variable thickness within mantle harzburgite (Cassard et al., 1981; Lago et al., 1982). For
243 the fluids to penetrate the massive rocks and lead to crystallization of interstitial
244 amphibole, they must have been warm and the rocks must have had significant
245 permeability (Angiboust et al., 2012). Such conditions are expected to prevail only
246 during early stages of crystallization when significant shearing or intrusive pathways
247 would provide access for fluids into the rocks. According to field observations, the

248 harzburgite, dunite and chromitite in the Lycian ophiolite have undergone extensive,
249 late-stage, solid-state fracture but little high temperature shearing (Fig. 7a).

250 Several studies reported that post-magmatic processes (e.g., hydrothermal alteration,
251 metamorphism) locally aided by deformation could alter chromitites and their
252 surrounding peridotites. Because chromitite is more competent than dunite and
253 harzburgite, dunite can preferentially accommodate more strain than the other lithologies
254 as temperatures decrease (e.g., Rassios and Smith, 2000). As temperatures continue to
255 decrease under sustained shear, dunite forms brittle shear zones which may serve as
256 localized permeability pathways, enabling the migration of post-magmatic fluids
257 (Kapsiotis et al., 2019). Such deformed chromitites typically have porphyroclastic
258 textures consisting of coarse-grained porphyroclasts and fine-grained neoblasts
259 (Passchier and Trouw, 2005; Satsukawa et al., 2015). In addition, chromite crystals
260 affected by deformation are typically recognized by a presence of porous cores and rims
261 (Colás et al., 2014) or multiphase ferritchromit rims (Mellini et al., 2005; Qiu and Zhu,
262 2017). However, the chromite grains in the chromitites of Lycian ophiolite have no
263 porphyroclastic texture and are homogeneous without pores or core-rim textures (Fig. 2, 3,
264 7b, c). On the other hand, amphibole produced by post-magmatic processes is generally
265 tremolite (Cannat and Seyler, 1995; Nozaka, 2005), commonly associated with
266 serpentine and talc. Although tremolite is found in the Lycian amphibole-bearing
267 chromitites, dunites and harzburgites, the common amphibole is euhedral and
268 magnesiohornblende grading into edenite (Fig. 2, 3, 6a, c). Furthermore, the degree of

269 serpentinization in this study decreases from chromitite and dunite to the host harzburgite
270 (Figs. 2, 3), indicating a high temperature, magmatic source for the fluids that penetrated
271 outward. Meanwhile, the crystallization temperatures for both interstitial amphibole and
272 amphibole inclusion, estimated using the geothermometer of Putirka (2016), range from
273 706 to 974 °C (Table 3), which are higher than those of deformed chromitites (500 –
274 700 °C; Satsukawa et al., 2015). Therefore, all these features indicate that the
275 deformation during the post-magmatic evolution does not account for the formation of
276 amphibole in the Lycian ophiolitic rocks.

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278 **Hydrous melt/fluid activity in the formation of ophiolitic chromitites and dunites**

279 Parental melts of most chromitites in ophiolites are thought to be hydrous in nature
280 as evidenced by the common presence of hydrous inclusions (e.g., amphibole, phlogopite
281 and fluids) in chromite (e.g., Johan et al., 1983; McElduff and Stumpf, 1991; Melcher et
282 al., 1997; Schiano et al., 1997; Rollinson, 2008; Borisova et al., 2012; Zhou et al., 2014;
283 Liu et al., 2018; Su et al., 2021). These hydrous minerals are characterized by enrichment
284 in alkali components and CaO contents (Fig. 6b), which are widely considered to be
285 favorable for Cr concentration and chromite precipitation (e.g., Pagé and Barnes, 2009;
286 Uysal et al., 2016; Liu, X et al., 2018, 2019; Su et al., 2021). Our current investigation
287 found that the chromitites and dunites in the Lycian ophiolite also have magmatic
288 amphibole in their matrix, which is an uncommon occurrence previously reported only
289 from the Kempirsai (Melcher et al., 1997) and Oman (Rollinson, 2008) ophiolites.

290 Our findings in the Lycian chromitites provide direct evidence for the involvement
291 of water in chromitite formation. However, at upper mantle or mantle-crust transition
292 depths, where podiform chromitites commonly occur in most ophiolites hydrous minerals
293 are rare. Instead, olivine and subordinate clinopyroxene are the common silicate phases
294 in the chromitites (e.g., Lenaz et al., 2014; Rollinson and Adetunji, 2015; Chen et al.,
295 2019; Su et al., 2019, 2020). The positively coupled variation between water contents in
296 silicates and chromites implies that water in silicate minerals was probably derived from
297 fluids extracted from the chromite surface (Su et al., 2020), thus, confirming the
298 collection of fluid by chromite during crystallization as proposed by Matveev and
299 Ballhaus (2002).

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301 **Chromitite and dunite formation in ophiolitic harzburgites is linked to fluid
302 metasomatism**

303 In contrast with amphibole in the Lycian chromitites and dunites, that in the
304 harzburgites occurs as anhedral grains among the silicate minerals and has a close spatial
305 relationship with clinopyroxene and chromite (Figs. 2, 3). These amphiboles have Mg#
306 values similar to those of the clinopyroxene grains, but obviously higher than those of
307 orthopyroxene and olivine (Fig. 9), implying a genetic affinity between the amphibole
308 and clinopyroxene. These features suggest that the amphibole in the harzburgites was
309 formed by reaction with hydrous melts/fluids, during which clinopyroxene was replaced
310 (Ionov et al., 1997).

311 Hydrous melts/fluids can have different origins, such as dehydration of a subducted
312 plate (e.g., Ionov and Hofmann, 1995; Penniston-Dorland et al., 2012), hydrothermal
313 fluids (Rospabé et al., 2017) and hydrous fluids that were collected on chromite grain
314 surfaces (Matveev and Ballhaus, 2002; Su et al., 2020, 2021). The nature of
315 metasomatizing agents can be identified by the chemical composition of the amphibole in
316 the mantle peridotites (Ionov and Hofmann, 1995; Coltorti et al., 2004, 2007). Coltorti et
317 al. (2007) revealed that amphibole in mantle xenoliths from subduction zones generally
318 contains lower Na₂O and TiO₂ than those occurring in xenoliths from intraplate settings
319 (Fig. 6a, b). In this study, most interstitial amphibole grains in the chromitite, dunite and
320 harzburgite have lower Na₂O and higher SiO₂ contents than supra-subduction amphibole
321 (S-Amp) and intraplate amphibole (I-Amp) (Fig. 6a), thus ruling out the possibility that
322 the rocks were directly metasomatized by mantle-derived and subduction-related hydrous
323 melts/fluids.

324 Rospabé et al. (2017) reported the presence of interstitial amphibole between olivine
325 grains and amphibole inclusions in chromite grains from the dunitic transition zone (DTZ)
326 of the Oman ophiolite. They interpreted the interstitial amphibole to have formed by
327 hybridization between mid-oceanic ridge basaltic melt and high-temperature
328 hydrothermal fluid. Those amphibole grains are rich in Na₂O (mostly 1.80 – 3.80 wt%),
329 TiO₂ (mostly 0.03 – 0.80 wt%) and Al₂O₃ (mostly 8.33 – 15.6 wt%) but have relatively
330 low Mg# values (82.6 – 93.1) (Rospabé et al., 2017). The amphiboles analyzed in this
331 study have much lower Na₂O, TiO₂ and Al₂O₃ contents and higher Mg# values than those

332 in the DTZ of the Oman ophiolite (Fig. 6a, c, e). Thus, a hydrothermal origin for the
333 Lycian amphibole can also be ruled out.

334 In the Lycian ophiolite, most olivine in the chromitites and dunites is partially or
335 completely replaced by serpentine, especially that around chromite grains (Fig. 2b, c, d, f,
336 g, j, k, l). Despite this, a considerable amount of pristine olivine is still present in the
337 harzburgite (Fig. 3b, c, d, f, g, j, k). In the Lycian ophiolite, as in ophiolites worldwide,
338 most chromitites are surrounded by dunite envelopes within the mantle harzburgites
339 (Çelik and Delaloye, 2003; Uysal et al., 2005, 2012). In our study, the abundance of
340 amphibole decreases from chromitite pod and dunite envelope to the host harzburgite in a
341 trend similar to that observed for chromite. The amphibole grains in the chromitites and
342 dunites are much more euhedral than those in the harzburgites (Fig. 2, 3). Thus, we
343 interpret the podiform chromitites as basically crystal cumulates filling magma conduits
344 and small chambers within the mantle peridotite (e.g., Lago et al., 1982). Generally, the
345 Al₂O₃, TiO₂ and Na₂O contents of the amphibole grains also decrease from the
346 chromitites and dunites to the harzburgites (Fig. 6a, c; Table 3) indicating that the fluids
347 from which the amphibole grains crystallized penetrated outward from the chromitites
348 and dunite envelopes to the harzburgites (Fig. 10). Su et al. (2020, 2021) suggested that
349 the surface fluids on chromite grains would result in crystallization of clinopyroxene
350 with high CaO (21.0 – 26.0 wt%) and SiO₂ (51.0 – 56.0 wt%) but low TiO₂ (< 0.40 wt%)
351 compositions, which are similar to those in the Lycian chromitites (Fig. 4b; Table 2).
352 Furthermore, the Mg# values of the amphibole grains are in equilibrium with

353 clinopyroxene in all three rock types (Fig. 9). Additionally, the interstitial amphibole
354 grains are also calcic and have high SiO₂ and low TiO₂ contents. Thus, we propose that
355 the amphibole grains in the Lycian chromitites and dunite were produced by direct
356 crystallization from fluids originally trapped by the chromitites at high fluid/wall rock
357 ratios. The heterogeneity of amphibole compositions and the presence of large amphibole
358 grains (up to 10 mm) in the dunite might imply channelized flow of fluids. After
359 crystallization of amphibole in the chromitite and dunite, the remaining fluids penetrated
360 outward into the harzburgites (Fig. 10) and reacted with chromite and/or pyroxene to
361 form amphibole at low fluid/rock ratios. The changing fluid/rock ratios may have
362 controlled the mode of melt migration from “channelized flow” to “porous flow” as
363 well as the amphibole compositions. The chromite grains in the Lycian harzburgites,
364 particularly those enclosing amphibole and other phases, were most likely formed and/or
365 modified by this mechanism (Fig. 10). In this respect, chromite in the ophiolitic
366 harzburgites cannot be used as an indicator of partial melting due to the effect of
367 metasomatism.

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369 **IMPLICATIONS**

370 In addition to the interstitial amphiboles, many calcic amphiboles occur as
371 inclusions in the chromite grains from both the chromitites and harzburgites. These
372 inclusions are round to irregular in morphology and can be either single phase or
373 multi-phase varieties intergrown with pyroxene (Figs. 2h, 3h, l). Many of these

374 inclusions contain several silicate phases and are therefore distinct from accidental
375 inclusions of pre-existing, early-formed silicates such as olivine (Prichard et al., 2018). In
376 addition, euhedral negative crystal inclusions are typical in chromite grains from Lycian
377 chromitites and harzburgites. Several theories explain how negative crystal-shaped
378 inclusions form, including entrapment of primary melt inclusions and annealing/sintering
379 of multiple grains around pockets of trapped interstitial melt (Hulbert and Von
380 Grunewald, 1985). The inclusions trapped during annealing/sintering are solitary
381 inclusions, without crystallographic orientation with respect to chromite symmetry (Spry,
382 1969). Moreover, ductile deformation tend to generate neoblasts in response to recovery
383 and dynamic recrystallization processes (e.g., Ghosh et al., 2014), which define a
384 polygonal grain-boundary network with well-developed 120° triple (and sometimes 90°
385 quadruple) junctions, giving locally rise to a typical annealing micro-structure (Kapsiotis
386 et al., 2019). In some case, chromite neoblasts show irregular zoning patterns and are
387 partly altered to ferrous chromite along their boundaries (Vukmanovic et al., 2013;
388 Kapsiotis et al., 2019). However, the chromite grains in the Lycian chromitites and
389 harzburgites are homogeneous and have no core-rim textures. Therefore, inclusions
390 whose form and orientation were imposed by the structure of the host mineral are likely
391 to be melt inclusions trapped during crystallization of the chromite.

392 Amphibole inclusions in chromite from the Lycian ophiolite have slightly lower
393 Na₂O contents than those in inclusions from the DTZ and in ophiolitic chromitites (Fig.
394 6b and Table 3; Uysal et al., 2009; Borisova et al., 2012; Xiong et al., 2018b), but are

395 similar to interstitial grains in the Lycian chromitites and harzburgites (Fig. 6a, b). The
396 similar crystallization temperatures of the interstitial amphibole and that in the inclusions
397 (Fig. 8) indicate that the two varieties most likely crystallized simultaneously. Thus, the
398 amphibole inclusions in chromite likely had a similar origin as the coexisting interstitial
399 amphibole. Due to the presence of surface hydrous fluids on chromite grains, the
400 inclusions were probably derived from reaction between surface fluids and the captured
401 melt.

402 It is not necessary for the captured melt to have specific amounts of water, because
403 the water is concentrated on the surfaces of chromite grains during chromitite formation
404 (Matveev and Ballhaus, 2002). These fluids were most likely released from the
405 chromitites and infiltrated into the surrounding dunites and peridotites. Matveev and
406 Ballhaus (2002) suggested that basaltic melts that produce chromite deposits should have
407 H₂O contents high enough (up to 4 wt%) to exsolve a water-rich fluid phase. This is most
408 likely to occur in supra-subduction zone environments. The rarity of interstitial
409 amphibole in podiform chromitites and mantle peridotites of ophiolites worldwide is
410 probably because amphibole in these rocks was unstable and preferentially melted or
411 altered during multiple stages of melt metasomatism.

412 The well-preserved nature of the interstitial amphibole in the Lycian ophiolite
413 implies rapid emplacement after crystallization. The Lycian ophiolite and other ophiolites
414 in the Tauride Belt, as well as the Oman ophiolite, are characterized by short age gaps
415 (generally less than 3 m.y.) between the ophiolite and its metamorphic sole, which is

416 thought to record the time of initial subduction of the Neo-Tethyan oceanic lithosphere
417 (e.g., Pearce et al., 1984; Robertson, 2002; Soret et al., 2017; Chen et al., 2018; Liu, X et
418 al., 2019). Compared to other ophiolites, another typical feature of the Tauride ophiolites
419 is the occurrence of pristine minerals in the peridotites, and particularly in the chromitites
420 (e.g., Chen et al., 2019; Su et al., 2020, 2021). The interstitial amphibole and
421 clinopyroxene grains in the chromitites are thought to have played a vital role in their
422 formation. These grains could have absorbed most of the water in the melts/fluids,
423 thereby mitigating hydration and serpentinization of olivine in the chromitites and the
424 surrounding peridotites (Su et al., 2020). Because podiform chromitites are widely
425 distributed in ophiolites worldwide, the linkage between chromitite formation and
426 melt/fluid metasomatism, as observed in the Lycian ophiolite, may be applicable to other
427 such bodies. As stated above, amphibole and clinopyroxene are rarely found in ophiolitic
428 chromitites, but are relatively common in peridotites. Their compositions can be used to
429 distinguish between different origins (Fig. 6) and thus, can be used to trace the
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FIGURE CAPTIONS

716 Fig. 1. (a) Distribution of major ophiolites in Turkey (after Chen et al., 2018); (b, c)
717 Simplified geological map of the Lycian ophiolite (after GDMRE, 2002); (d)
718 Tectonostratigraphy of the Lycian ophiolitic units (after Parlak, 2016).

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720 Fig. 2. Scanned photographs of thin-sections and back-scattered electron images of the
721 amphibole-bearing chromitites (a-h) and dunites (i-l) from the Lycian ophiolite.
722 Amphibole commonly occurs along the grain boundaries of chromite (b, c, d, f, g);
723 Amphibole occurs as monophase or multiphase assemblages with clinopyroxene in
724 chromite (h). Interstitial amphibole (j), amphibole intergrowth with clinopyroxene (k)
725 and a large amphibole grain in dunite (l). Mineral abbreviation: Amp, amphibole; Chr,
726 chromite; Cpx, clinopyroxene; Ol, olivine; Srp, serpentine.

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728 Fig. 3. Scanned photographs of thin-section and back-scattered electron images of the
729 amphibole-bearing harzburgites from the Lycian ophiolite (a-l). Anhedral amphibole
730 surrounding orthopyroxene (b) or clinopyroxene (c, g, k); Amphibole occurring as
731 discrete grains between adjacent minerals (d, f, j); Amphibole occurring as monophase or
732 multiphase inclusions with clinopyroxene or orthopyroxene in chromite grains (h, l).
733 Mineral abbreviation: Amp, amphibole; Chr, chromite; Cpx, clinopyroxene; Ol, olivine;
734 Opx, orthopyroxene; Srp, serpentine.

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736 Fig. 4. Compositions of minerals in the amphibole-bearing chromitites, dunites and
737 harzburgites of the Lycian ophiolite. The dark grey and dark red squares represent
738 chemical compositions of minerals in the harzburgites and chromitites, respectively
739 (Aldanmaz et al., 2009; Uysal et al., 2005, 2009, 2012; Xiong et al., 2018b). The fields of
740 olivine mantle array and fore-arc peridotite in Fig. 4a are from Takahashi et al. (1987)
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742 Fig. 4c are from Liu, T et al. (2019). Fields for high-Cr and high-Al chromite are from
743 Zhou et al. (2014).

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745 Fig. 5. Classification of amphibole in chromitites, dunites and harzburgites of the Lycian
746 ophiolite. The amphibole classification diagram is after Leake et al. (1997).

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748 Fig. 6. Compositional variations of amphibole in the chromitites, dunites and
749 harzburgites of the Lycian ophiolite. The gray squares and triangles in Fig. 6a-f represent
750 interstitial amphibole (Rollinson, 2008) and amphibole inclusions, respectively (Uysal et
751 al., 2009; Borisova et al., 2012; Huang et al., 2017; Liu et al., 2017; Qiu et al., 2018;
752 Xiong et al., 2018b; Wojtulek et al., 2019). The fields of I-Amp (intraplate amphibole)
753 and S-Amp (suprasubduction amphibole) in mantle xenoliths are from Coltorti et al.
754 (2007). The fields of hydrothermal Amp, Amp in DTZ (the dunitic transition zone) and
755 Amp inclusion in chromite of the DTZ are from Rospabé et al. (2017). Data for
756 amphibole in ophiolitic peridotite, shown in dotted line, are from Liu et al. (2010), Khedr

757 et al. (2014), Çelik et al. (2018) and Slovenec and Šegvić. (2018).

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759 Fig. 7. (a) Field relations among harzburgite, dunite and chromitite of the Lycian
760 ophiolite. Note the lack of strong shearing in any of the rocks; (b, c) back-scattered
761 electron images of the disseminated and nodular chromitites from the ophiolite.

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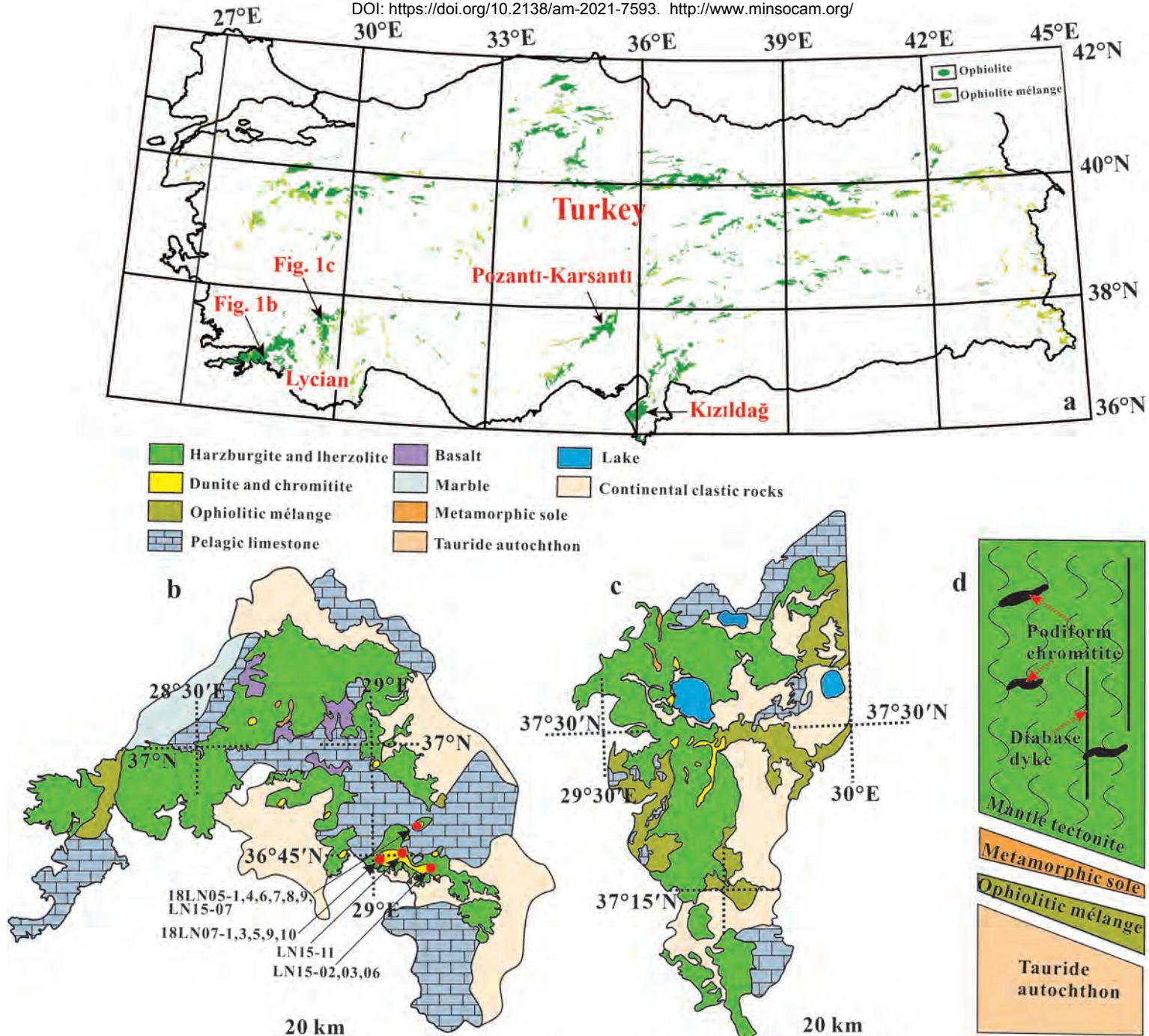
763 Fig. 8. Crystallization temperatures for both interstitial amphibole and amphibole
764 inclusions in chromite of the Lycian chromitites, dunites and harzburgites estimated
765 using the geothermometer of Putirka (2016). The dark grey diamond and light grey
766 circles represent pyroxene temperature (Wells, 1977) and olivine-chromite exchange
767 temperature (Ballhaus et al., 1991), respectively.

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769 Fig. 9. Correlation diagrams of interstitial amphibole Mg# with clinopyroxene Mg# (a),
770 orthopyroxene Mg# (b) and olivine Fo (c) for the chromitites, dunites and harzburgites in
771 the Lycian ophiolite. The solid lines and dashed lines represent functions of $Y = X$ and Y
772 $= X \pm 1$, respectively.

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774 Fig. 10. A cartoon model showing infiltration of hydrous fluids released from chromite
775 grains in chromitite into the surrounding dunite and harzburgite.



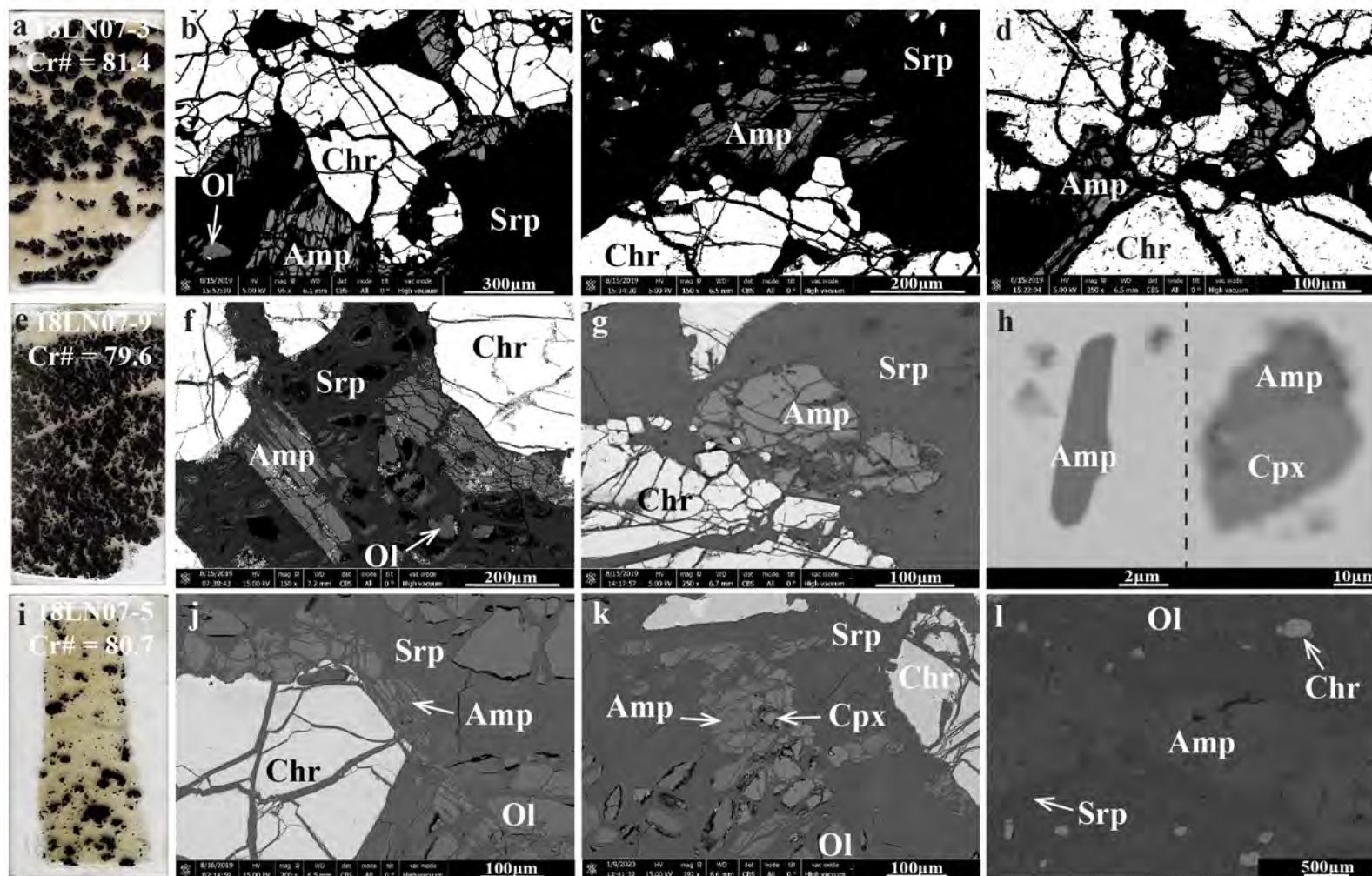


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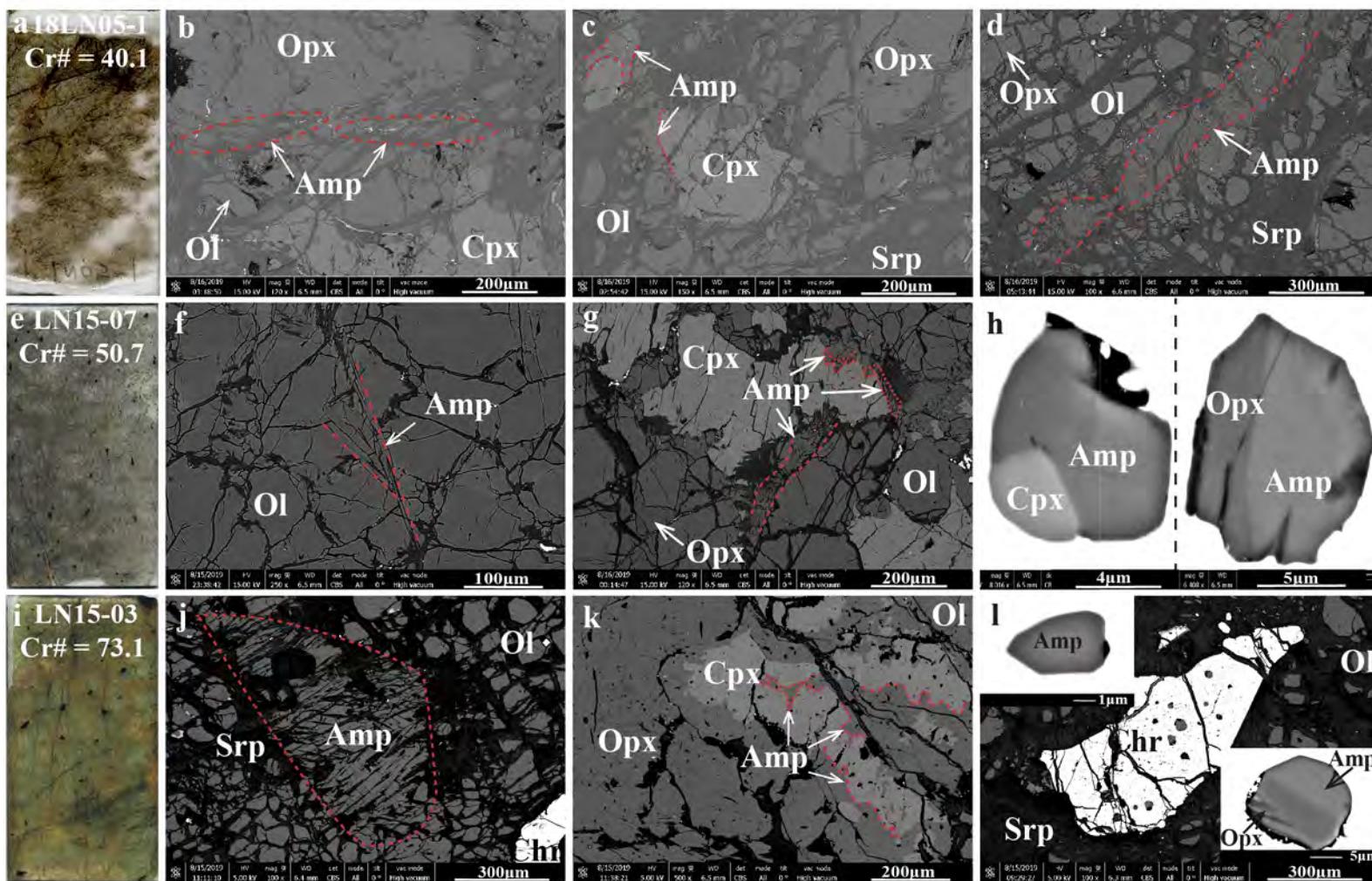


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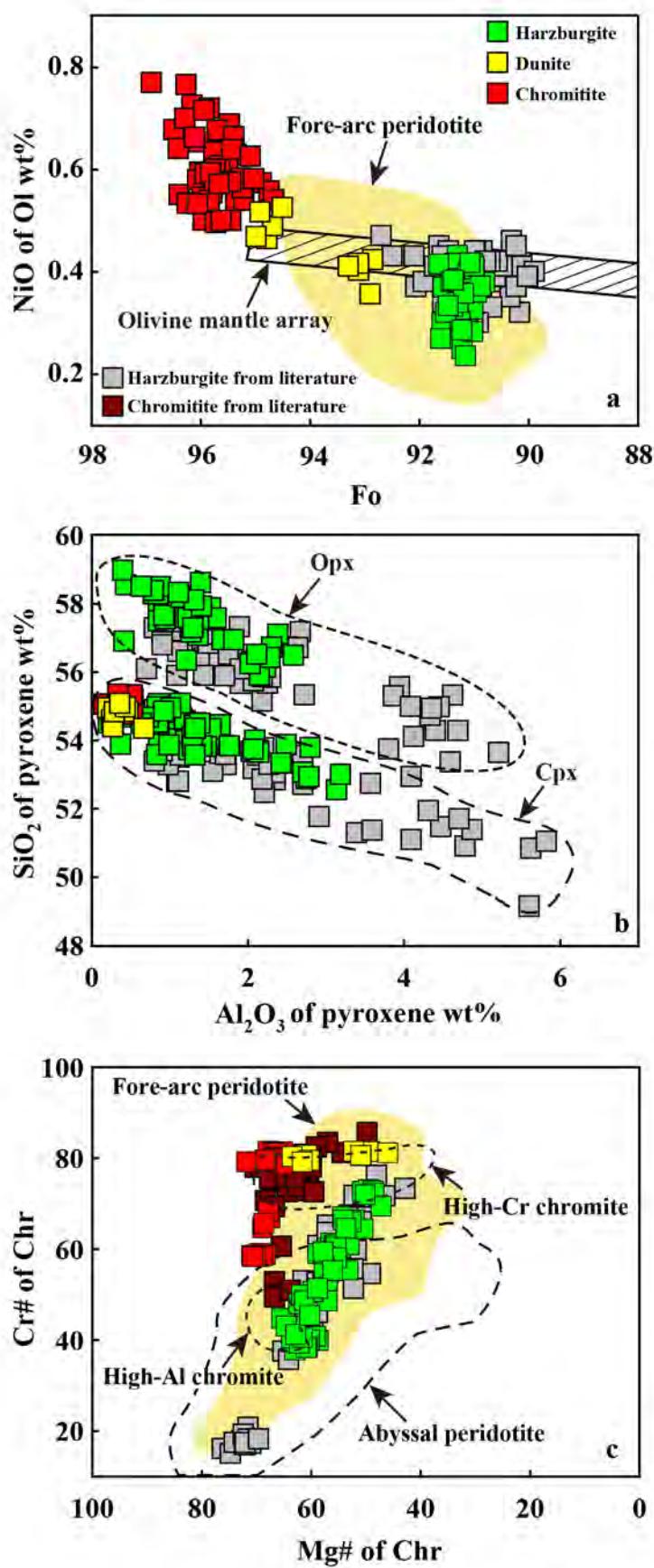


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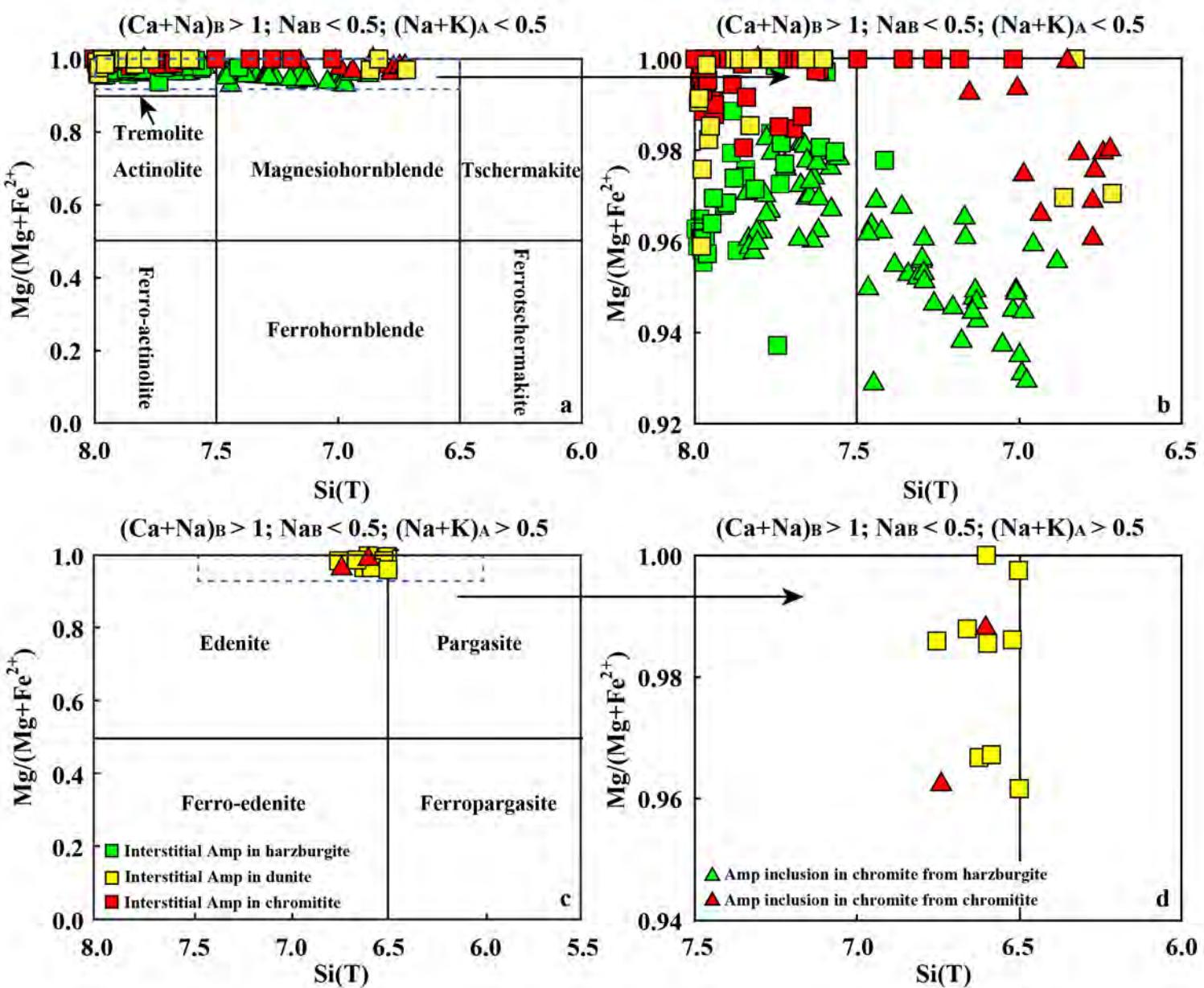


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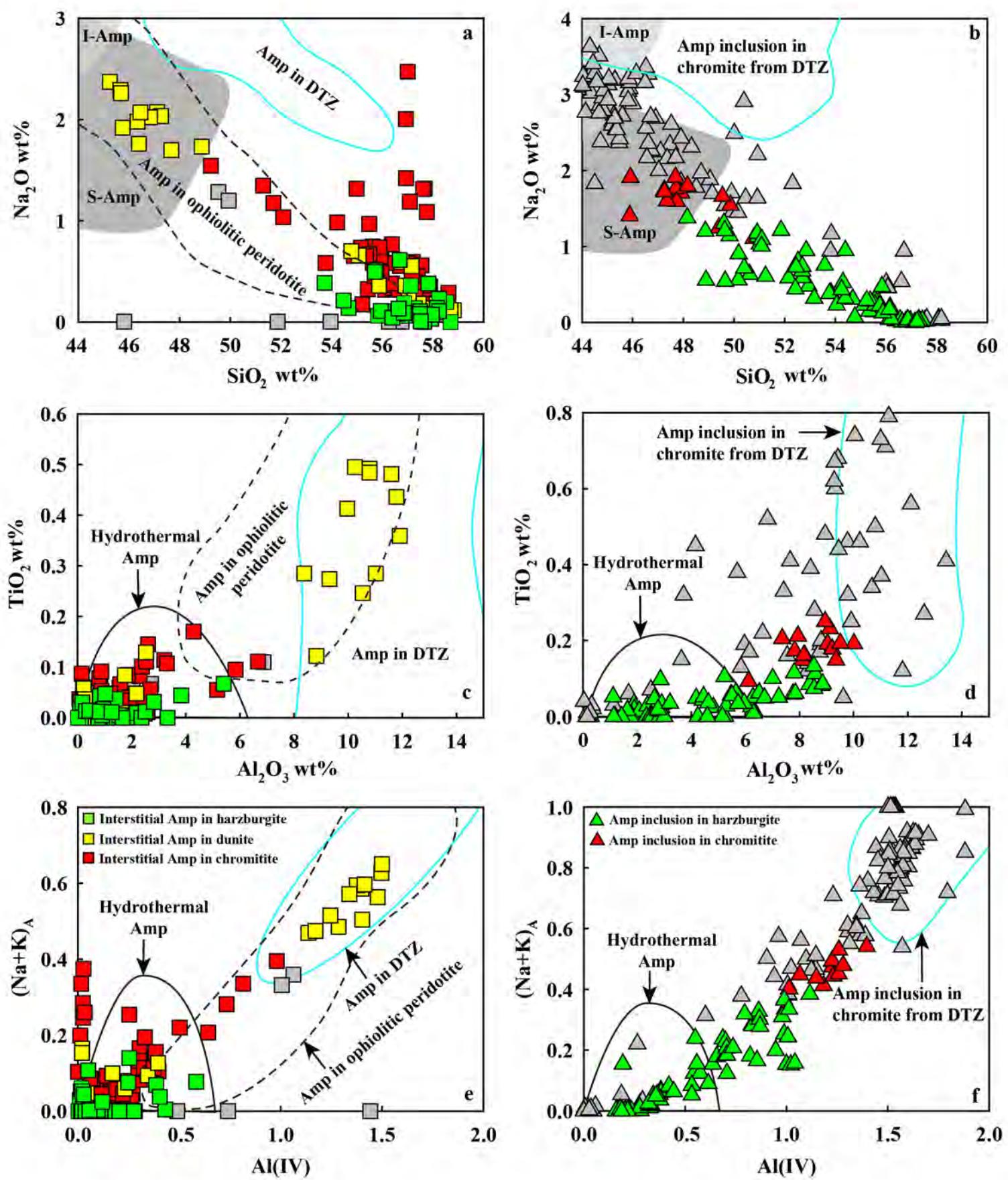


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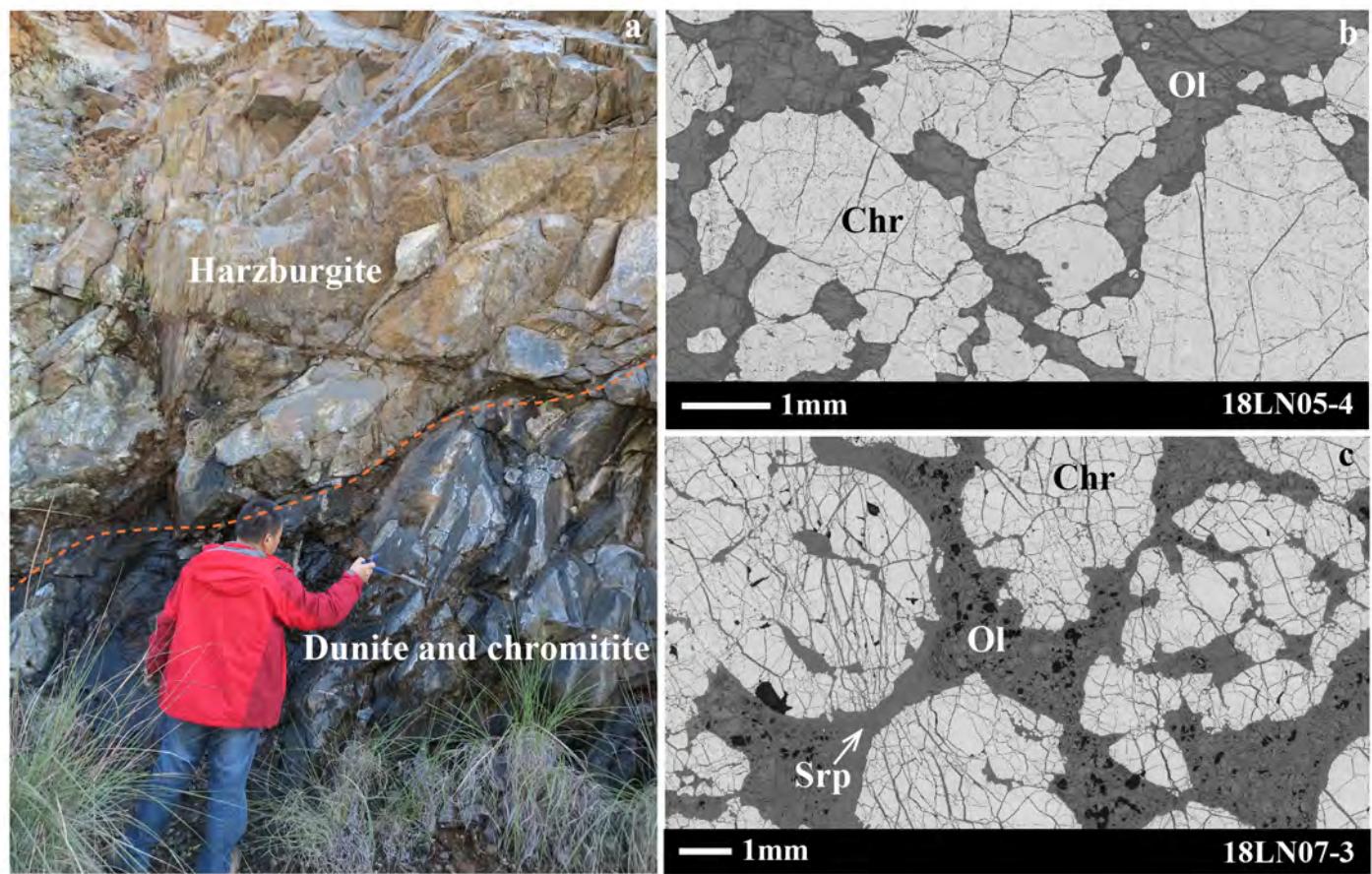


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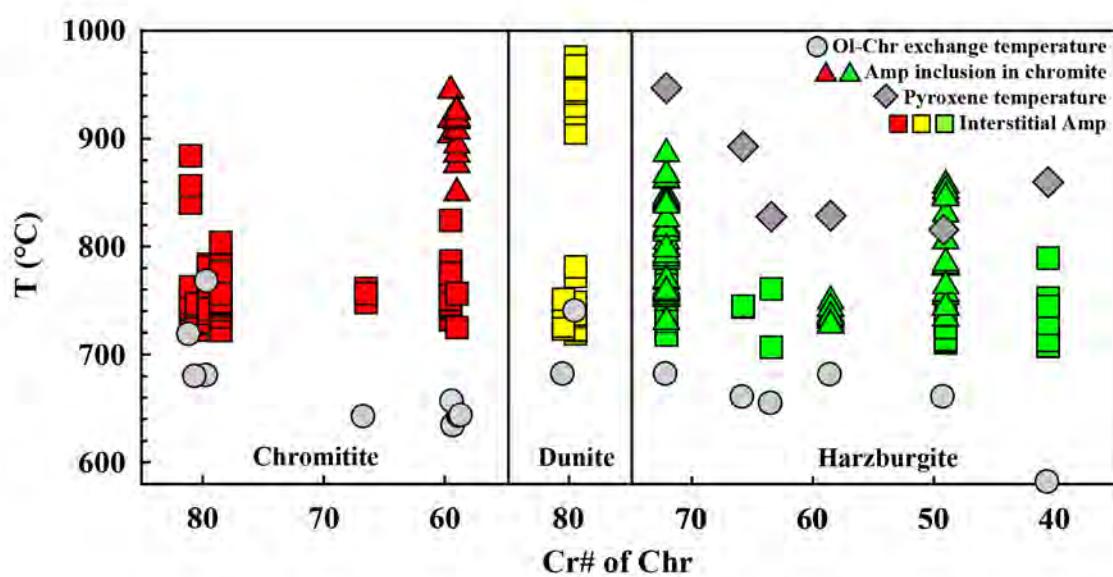


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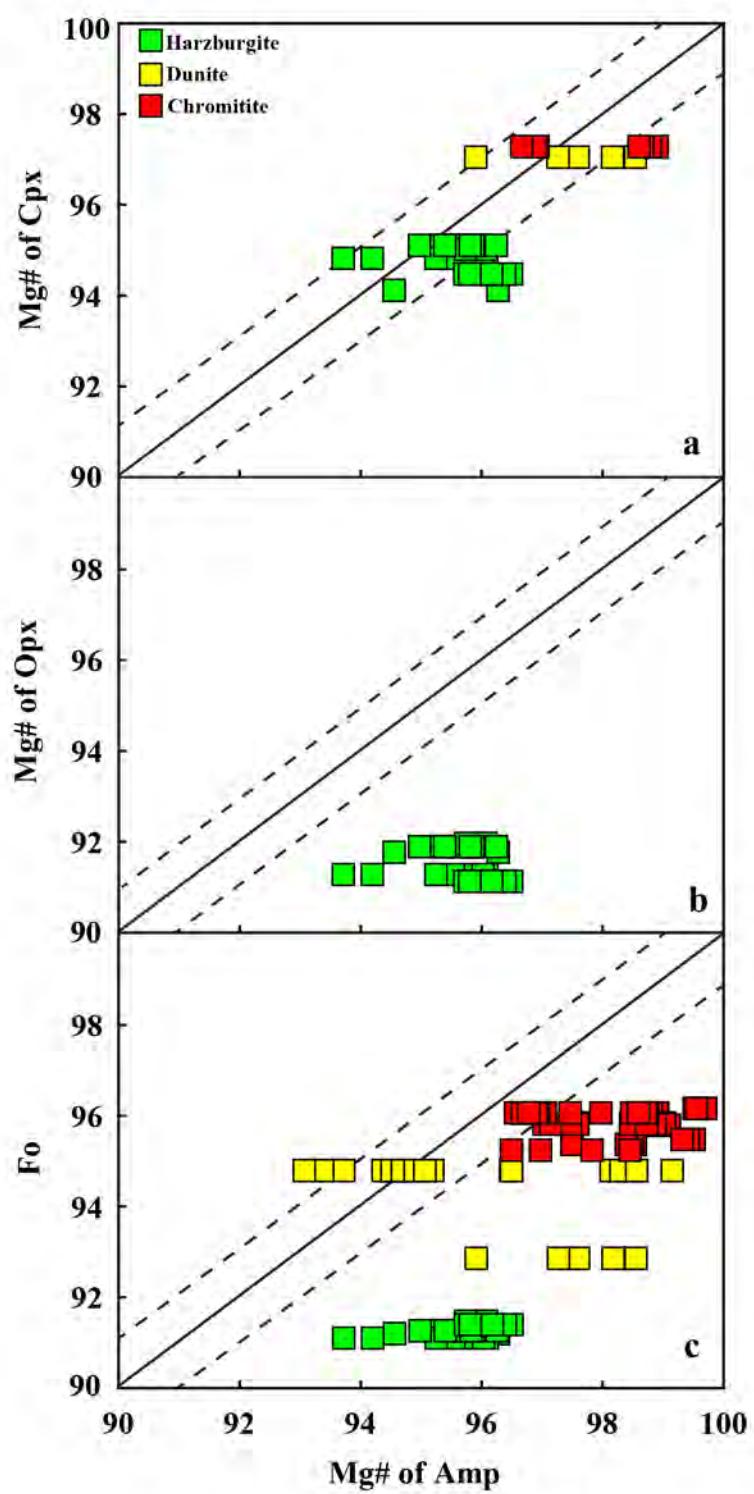


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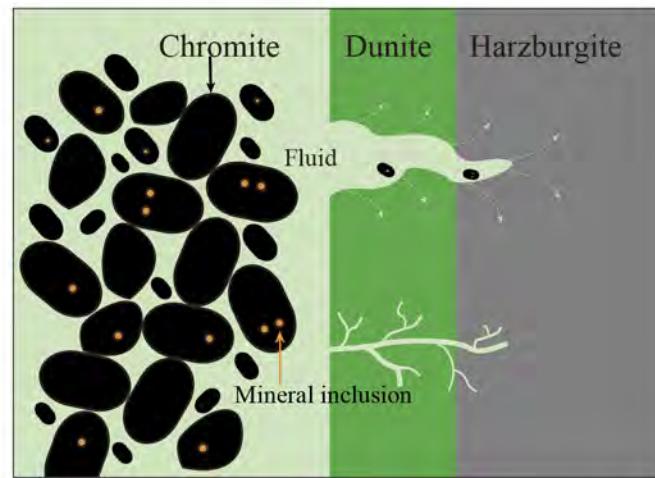


Fig. 10

Table 1. Mineral modal abundance (vol.%) of the harzburgite, dunite and chromitite from the Lycian ophiolite.

Sample	Ol	Opx	Cpx	Chr	Amp
Harzburgite					
18LN05-1	85.2	10.4	2.9	0.8	0.7
18LN07-1	84.6	9.6	2.8	1.9	1.1
LN15-02	86.3	9.4	2.8	0.9	0.6
LN15-03	84.5	11.2	1.8	1.6	0.9
LN15-07	84.4	10.5	2.8	1.5	0.8
LN15-11	85.3	10.3	2.7	0.9	0.8
Dunite					
18LN07-5	77.4	0	0.9	19.9	1.8
LN15-06	92.3	0	0.8	5.3	1.6
Chromitite					
18LN05-4	33.5	0	0	65.3	1.2
18LN05-6	30.3	0	0	68.3	1.4
18LN05-7	27.3	0	0	71.3	1.4
18LN05-8	23.4	0	0	75.0	1.6
18LN05-9	18.3	0	0	79.9	1.8
18LN07-3	71.4	0	0.5	27.0	1.1
18LN07-9-1	40.6	0	0	58.1	1.3
18LN07-9-2	36.4	0	0	62.4	1.2
18LN07-10	78.3	0	0.2	20.4	1.1

Note:

Ol: olivine; Opx: orthopyroxene; Cpx: clinopyroxene; Chr: chromite; Amp: amphibole.

Table 2. Representative major element compositions (wt%) of olivine, clinopyroxene, orthopyroxene and chromite in the harzburgite, dunite and chromitite from the Lycian ophiolite.

Sample Rock Mineral	18LN05-1 Harzburgite					18LN07-1 Harzburgite					LN15-02 Harzburgite					LN15-03 Harzburgite							
	Ol	Ol ¹	Cpx	Opx	Chr	Ol	Ol ¹	Cpx	Cpx ¹	Opx	Opx ¹	Chr	Ol	Ol ¹	Cpx	Opx	Chr	Ol	Ol ¹	Cpx	Cpx ¹	Opx	
	SiO ₂	41.3	41.7	54.2	57.1	b.d.l.	41.6	40.6	54.0	54.3	57.9	57.4	b.d.l.	41.3	41.5	54.3	57.3	b.d.l.	40.7	40.9	53.9	53.9	57.5
TiO ₂	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.03	0.04	0.01	b.d.l.	0.03	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	0.07	0.01	0.03	0.03	b.d.l.	0.03	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.04
Al ₂ O ₃	b.d.l.	0.03	1.52	2.38	34.2	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	1.58	1.01	1.52	1.11	21.3	b.d.l.	0.04	1.05	1.26	17.7	0.01	0.01	0.86	0.67	0.92	
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.07	0.76	0.43	0.65	34.2	b.d.l.	0.32	0.72	1.12	0.66	0.57	47.9	0.03	0.64	0.36	0.53	52.1	b.d.l.	1.08	0.47	1.27	0.47	
FeO	8.73	8.42	1.78	5.65	17.1	8.44	7.91	1.92	1.82	5.64	5.62	17.8	8.33	8.26	1.70	5.30	19.2	8.61	6.28	1.66	1.83	5.39	
MnO	0.13	0.12	0.06	0.08	0.20	0.11	0.05	0.09	0.02	0.13	0.10	0.32	0.06	0.15	0.02	0.12	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.07	0.17	
MgO	49.5	49.4	18.0	32.7	14.2	49.4	50.4	17.3	18.0	34.3	35.3	12.2	49.5	48.8	18.0	33.5	11.0	49.8	51.4	17.8	17.7	33.7	
CaO	0.02	0.02	24.2	0.74	b.d.l.	0.04	b.d.l.	23.9	24.3	0.75	0.30	0.02	0.04	0.02	24.5	1.19	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	24.4	23.9	1.32	
Na ₂ O	0.01	0.07	0.06	0.04	0.05	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.03	0.07	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	b.d.l.	0.02	0.11	b.d.l.	
K ₂ O	0.03	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.03	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	
NiO	0.38	0.36	0.05	0.05	0.02	0.41	0.31	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.09	0.06	0.34	0.27	0.04	0.06	0.02	0.27	0.33	0.04	0.03	0.09	
Total	100	101	100	99.4	99.9	100	99.5	99.7	101	101	100	99.7	99.6	99.7	99.9	99.3	100	99.5	100	99.2	99.5	99.6	
Si	1.006	1.008	1.958	1.974	0.000	1.012	0.993	1.965	1.960	1.973	1.965	0.000	1.009	1.012	1.970	1.985	0.000	0.998	0.990	1.972	1.968	1.987	
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	
Al	0.000	0.001	0.065	0.097	1.174	0.000	0.000	0.068	0.043	0.061	0.045	0.780	0.000	0.001	0.045	0.051	0.660	0.000	0.000	0.037	0.029	0.037	
Cr	0.001	0.014	0.012	0.018	0.787	0.000	0.006	0.021	0.032	0.018	0.015	1.179	0.001	0.012	0.010	0.014	1.306	0.000	0.021	0.014	0.037	0.013	
Fe ²⁺	0.178	0.170	0.054	0.163	0.375	0.172	0.162	0.058	0.055	0.161	0.161	0.426	0.170	0.169	0.052	0.153	0.476	0.177	0.127	0.051	0.056	0.156	
Fe ³⁺					0.040						0.038							0.033					
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.005	0.002	0.001	0.003	0.001	0.004	0.003	0.008	0.001	0.003	0.001	0.003	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.005	
Mg	1.796	1.779	0.972	1.683	0.616	1.793	1.836	0.940	0.970	1.742	1.800	0.565	1.801	1.777	0.971	1.727	0.518	1.820	1.855	0.971	0.965	1.737	
Ca	0.000	0.001	0.937	0.027	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.931	0.939	0.027	0.011	0.001	0.001	0.951	0.044	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.956	0.938	0.049		
Na	0.001	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.007	0.000		
K	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000		
Ni	0.008	0.007	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.008	0.006	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.007	0.005	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.005	0.006	0.001	0.001	0.002		
Total	2.994	2.986	4.005	3.969	3.000	2.988	3.004	3.992	4.006	3.987	4.004	3.000	2.990	2.981	4.002	3.982	2.996	3.003	3.000	4.003	4.003	3.990	
Mg#	91.1	91.3	94.8	91.2	62.2	91.3	92.0	94.2	94.7	91.6	91.9	57.0	91.4	91.4	95.0	91.9	52.1	91.2	93.6	95.1	94.6	91.8	
Cr#					40.1						60.2						66.4						
T ¹ (°C)					859						828						892						
T ² (°C)					581						680						660						

(Table 2 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral	LN15-07								LN15-11								18LN07-5				LN15-06				18LN05-4			
	Harzburgite				Harzburgite				Dunite				Dunite				Chromitite				Chromitite				18LN05-6			
	Opx ¹	Chr	Ol	Ol ¹	Cpx	Cpx ¹	Opx	Opx ¹	Chr	Ol	Cpx	Opx	Chr	Ol	Chr	Ol	Cpx	Chr	Ol	Ol ¹	Chr	Ol	Ol ¹	Chr	Ol			
SiO ₂	57.7	b.d.l.	40.7	40.8	54.4	54.2	56.4	57.1	b.d.l.	40.9	53.8	57.1	b.d.l.	41.4	b.d.l.	41.9	55.0	b.d.l.	41.9	41.6	b.d.l.	41.7						
TiO ₂	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	0.01	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	0.06	b.d.l.	0.02	0.01	0.17	0.02	0.01	0.13	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.10	0.02						
Al ₂ O ₃	0.29	13.7	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	1.53	1.14	2.28	1.16	28.7	b.d.l.	1.29	1.36	19.2	0.02	9.65	b.d.l.	0.21	9.15	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	22.2	b.d.l.						
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.61	55.3	b.d.l.	0.11	0.35	1.03	0.70	1.23	39.4	b.d.l.	0.47	0.48	50.1	0.01	60.0	0.01	0.26	60.1	0.01	0.21	47.5	0.01						
FeO	5.41	20.1	8.53	7.48	1.89	1.82	5.81	5.58	16.8	8.56	1.97	5.67	18.9	5.16	17.2	6.94	0.99	19.3	4.56	3.80	14.4	4.75						
MnO	0.08	b.d.l.	0.10	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.17	0.08	b.d.l.	0.09	0.10	0.10	b.d.l.	0.07	0.33	0.11	0.02	b.d.l.	0.10	0.03	0.20	0.09						
MgO	35.5	10.1	50.2	51.3	17.9	17.8	32.9	35.1	13.8	49.1	17.5	34.9	11.6	51.9	12.5	49.9	18.1	10.5	51.8	54.3	15.5	52.5						
CaO	0.21	0.03	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	24.5	24.4	0.90	0.25	0.01	0.03	23.8	0.48	0.03	0.02	b.d.l.	0.03	25.6	0.02	0.02	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.						
Na ₂ O	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	0.03	0.06	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.11	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.10	0.06						
K ₂ O	0.01	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	0.01	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.05	b.d.l.	0.03	b.d.l.						
NiO	0.06	0.10	0.33	0.34	0.03	0.06	0.11	0.05	0.06	0.36	0.06	0.07	0.05	0.46	0.05	0.42	b.d.l.	0.03	0.54	0.55	0.19	0.56						
Total	99.9	99.3	99.9	100	101	101	99.4	101	98.8	99.1	99.1	100	99.9	99.1	100	99.3	100	99.3	99.0	100	100	99.7						
Si	1.984	0.003	0.995	0.991	1.960	1.958	1.958	1.957	0.000	1.007	1.970	1.961	0.001	1.004	0.000	1.019	1.988	0.000	1.013	0.990	0.000	1.003						
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000						
Al	0.012	0.525	0.000	0.000	0.065	0.049	0.093	0.047	1.016	0.000	0.056	0.055	0.708	0.000	0.370	0.000	0.009	0.358	0.000	0.000	0.790	0.000						
Cr	0.016	1.425	0.000	0.002	0.010	0.030	0.019	0.033	0.935	0.000	0.014	0.013	1.241	0.000	1.543	0.000	0.007	1.577	0.000	0.004	1.133	0.000						
Fe ²⁺	0.156	0.503	0.174	0.152	0.057	0.055	0.169	0.160	0.375	0.176	0.060	0.163	0.447	0.105	0.389	0.141	0.030	0.476	0.092	0.076	0.285	0.096						
Fe ³⁺	0.044								0.048				0.049		0.079			0.059			0.078							
Mn	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.005	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.009	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.005	0.002						
Mg	1.823	0.492	1.828	1.855	0.962	0.960	1.704	1.794	0.619	1.801	0.952	1.789	0.544	1.876	0.604	1.810	0.973	0.520	1.868	1.928	0.697	1.884						
Ca	0.008	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.945	0.946	0.033	0.009	0.000	0.001	0.935	0.018	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.992	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000						
Na	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.008	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.003						
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000							
Ni	0.002	0.003	0.007	0.007	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.001	0.007	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.009	0.001	0.008	0.000	0.001	0.010	0.010	0.005	0.011						
Total	4.003	2.996	3.005	3.008	4.003	4.004	3.985	4.004	2.995	2.993	3.994	4.004	2.992	2.996	3.000	2.981	4.008	2.995	2.988	3.008	2.997	2.998						
Mg#	92.2	49.5	91.4	92.5	94.5	94.6	91.1	91.9	62.3	91.2	94.1	91.7	52.5	94.8	60.8	92.8	97.0	52.2	95.3	96.3	66.0	95.2						
Cr#		73.1							47.9				63.7		80.7			81.5				59						
T ¹ (°C)		946							815				827															
T ² (°C)		681							660				654		739			680				633						

(Table 2 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral	18LN05-7				18LN05-8				18LN05-9				18LN07-3				18LN07-9-1				18LN07-9-2				18LN07-10				
	Chromitite				Chromitite				Chromitite				Chromitite				Chromitite				Chromitite				Chromitite				
	Cpx ^I	Chr	OI	OI ^I	Chr	OI	Cpx ^I	Chr	OI	Chr	OI	Cpx	Cpx ^I	Chr	OI	OI ^I	Chr	OI	Chr	OI	OI ^I	Chr	DL						
SiO ₂	53.9	b.d.l.	42.3	41.7	b.d.l.	42.0	53.9	b.d.l.	43.0	0.09	42.2	55.3	54.3	b.d.l.	41.3	41.8	b.d.l.	41.4	b.d.l.	43.0	41.1	b.d.l.	0.01						
TiO ₂	0.03	0.12	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.10	0.02	b.d.l.	0.14	b.d.l.	0.15	b.d.l.	0.03	0.04	0.10	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.17	b.d.l.	0.15	b.d.l.	0.02	0.20	0.02						
Al ₂ O ₃	1.22	22.6	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	21.9	b.d.l.	0.90	22.6	b.d.l.	17.4	b.d.l.	0.52	0.34	9.48	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	10.1	0.02	10.3	b.d.l.	0.01	9.83	0.01						
Cr ₂ O ₃	1.14	47.2	b.d.l.	0.19	48.4	b.d.l.	1.07	47.2	0.05	53.1	b.d.l.	0.50	1.13	61.8	b.d.l.	0.25	61.2	0.04	60.2	0.05	0.42	61.2	0.03						
FeO	1.33	14.5	4.17	3.74	14.7	4.46	1.28	14.3	3.87	13.4	3.95	0.89	0.70	14.5	4.21	3.00	14.1	3.97	14.5	4.19	2.73	15.5	0.01						
MnO	0.02	0.18	0.03	0.04	0.26	0.07	0.01	0.21	0.05	0.27	0.02	0.04	0.03	0.21	0.08	0.02	0.22	0.04	0.26	0.02	0.04	0.30	0.06						
MgO	18.1	15.3	53.2	53.9	15.3	52.0	17.8	15.5	53.6	15.9	53.2	17.6	18.2	13.4	53.3	54.7	13.8	53.5	13.7	52.7	54.3	12.7	0.06						
CaO	24.4	b.d.l.	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.01	24.4	0.01	0.04	0.01	0.01	24.9	24.1	0.02	0.01	0.02	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.03	0.02	b.d.l.	0.02						
Na ₂ O	0.11	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.17	0.01	b.d.l.	0.03	b.d.l.	0.22	0.21	0.01	0.04	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	0.01	0.02	b.d.l.	0.03							
K ₂ O	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	b.d.l.	0.02					
NiO	0.03	0.16	0.72	0.58	0.15	0.69	0.06	0.14	0.73	0.15	0.58	0.03	0.02	0.09	0.59	0.78	0.04	0.53	0.13	0.57	0.51	0.02	0.03						
Total	100	100	100	100	101	99.2	99.6	100	101	100	100	100	99.1	99.6	99.5	101	99.7	99.5	99.3	101	99.1	99.7							
Si	1.951	0.000	1.008	0.994	0.000	1.013	1.965	0.000	1.012	0.003	1.008	1.999	1.981	0.000	0.994	0.991	0.002	0.996	0.000	1.020	0.988	0.000							
Ti	0.001	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.005							
Al	0.052	0.804	0.000	0.000	0.777	0.000	0.039	0.803	0.000	0.628	0.000	0.022	0.014	0.362	0.000	0.000	0.384	0.001	0.394	0.000	0.000	0.377							
Cr	0.033	1.128	0.000	0.004	1.153	0.000	0.031	1.126	0.001	1.286	0.000	0.014	0.033	1.584	0.000	0.005	1.558	0.001	1.540	0.001	0.008	1.574							
Fe ²⁺	0.040	0.303	0.083	0.075	0.305	0.090	0.039	0.297	0.076	0.266	0.079	0.027	0.021	0.345	0.085	0.059	0.334	0.080	0.334	0.083	0.055	0.382							
Fe ³⁺	0.064				0.065			0.065		0.076					0.049		0.046		0.059		0.039								
Mn	0.001	0.005	0.001	0.001	0.007	0.001	0.000	0.005	0.001	0.007	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.006	0.002	0.000	0.006	0.001	0.007	0.000	0.001	0.008							
Mg	0.976	0.689	1.886	1.918	0.687	1.869	0.964	0.696	1.883	0.725	1.893	0.947	0.991	0.647	1.913	1.935	0.665	1.915	0.658	1.863	1.945	0.614							
Ca	0.948	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.954	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.963	0.944	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000							
Na	0.007	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.012	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.015	0.015	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000							
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000							
Ni	0.001	0.004	0.014	0.011	0.004	0.013	0.002	0.003	0.014	0.004	0.011	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.011	0.015	0.001	0.010	0.003	0.011	0.010	0.000							
Total	4.009	2.999	2.992	3.004	3.000	2.987	4.007	3.000	2.988	2.999	2.992	3.990	4.001	3.000	3.007	3.007	3.000	3.004	3.000	2.980	3.009	3.000							
Mg#	96.1	69.5	95.8	96.3	65.2	95.5	96.1	70.1	96.1	68.1	96.0	97.3	97.9	65.2	95.8	97.0	66.5	96.0	66.4	95.8	97.3	59.5							
Cr#		58.4			59.8			58.4		67.2				81.4			80.2			79.6			80.7						
T ¹ (°C)																													
T ² (°C)		642			655			642		641				717			679			766			678						

Note:

Ol¹: olivine inclusion in chromite; Cpx¹: clinopyroxene inclusion in chromite; Opx¹: orthopyroxene inclusion in chromite; b.d.l.: value below detection limit; DL: detection limit of the oxide; The data in the table represent the average value; a minimum of three grains were analyzed for each mineral phase in a single thin section and at least two points were analyzed in the cores and rims of each crystal.

Mg#: 100Mg / (Mg + Fe²⁺); Cr#: 100Cr / (Cr + Al).

T¹: pyroxene temperature (Wells, 1977); T²: olivine-chromite exchange temperature (Ballhaus et al., 1991).

Table 3. Major element compositions (wt%) of amphibole in the harzburgite, dunite and chromitite from the Lycian ophiolite.

Sample Rock Mineral Type	18LN05-1								18LN07-1								LN15-02									
	Harzburgite				Harzburgite				Harzburgite				Harzburgite				Harzburgite				Harzburgite					
	Amp ¹ Mhb	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Mhb	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ³ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr															
SiO ₂	53.7	57.1	56.5	58.2	57.3	56.7	55.8	57.3	56.9	57.0	56.4	56.1	56.6	56.6	57.4	56.8	56.9	57.3	57.1	57.2	56.6	55.9				
TiO ₂	0.07	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.03	0.04	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.03	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	0.01			
Al ₂ O ₃	5.41	0.05	0.15	0.18	1.41	1.62	1.55	1.67	2.01	1.90	2.13	2.48	1.89	1.59	1.90	1.81	2.09	1.74	1.64	1.19	2.36	2.52				
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.46	b.d.l.	0.02	0.03	0.21	0.11	0.29	0.66	1.06	0.59	1.16	1.41	0.63	0.80	0.57	0.97	1.01	0.96	0.96	0.69	0.67	0.66				
FeO	2.37	1.93	2.18	1.86	1.71	2.10	2.83	1.72	1.71	1.85	1.88	1.85	1.98	1.67	1.80	1.85	1.79	1.77	1.75	1.68	1.80					
MnO	0.02	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.02	0.07	0.07	0.03	0.02	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.06	b.d.l.	0.04	0.06	b.d.l.	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.01				
MgO	21.5	25.2	26.0	25.5	23.1	23.5	23.6	23.5	22.9	23.3	23.1	22.8	22.8	22.7	23.2	22.9	23.3	23.2	22.9	23.3	23.0	22.6				
CaO	13.0	11.9	11.2	10.6	13.4	12.6	12.4	13.1	13.0	13.0	12.8	12.9	12.8	13.1	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.2	13.0	13.1	13.0	12.8				
Na ₂ O	0.39	0.09	0.11	0.14	0.06	0.61	0.51	0.04	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.04	0.02	b.d.l.	0.01	0.08	0.11				
K ₂ O	b.d.l.	0.02	0.01	0.04	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.				
NiO	0.04	b.d.l.	0.02	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.04	0.11	0.08	0.05	0.10	0.06	0.14	0.04	0.03	0.09	0.09	0.06				
Total	96.9	96.3	96.3	96.7	97.4	97.3	97.0	98.1	97.7	97.8	97.5	97.8	96.9	96.5	98.1	97.5	98.3	98.2	97.5	97.5	97.5	96.5				
T(IV):																										
Si	7.417	7.992	7.976	7.968	7.845	7.753	7.746	7.780	7.770	7.764	7.720	7.675	7.794	7.835	7.810	7.781	7.724	7.784	7.832	7.841	7.734	7.724				
Al	0.583	0.008	0.024	0.029	0.155	0.248	0.254	0.220	0.230	0.236	0.280	0.325	0.206	0.165	0.190	0.219	0.277	0.216	0.168	0.159	0.266	0.276				
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
C(VI):																										
Al	0.297	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.072	0.014	0.000	0.047	0.094	0.068	0.064	0.075	0.100	0.094	0.115	0.073	0.057	0.062	0.097	0.033	0.115	0.133				
Ti	0.007	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001				
Cr	0.050	0.000	0.003	0.004	0.023	0.012	0.031	0.071	0.115	0.064	0.125	0.152	0.068	0.087	0.062	0.105	0.109	0.104	0.104	0.075	0.072	0.073				
Ni+Zn	0.004	0.000	0.002	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.004	0.009	0.007	0.009	0.004	0.012	0.008	0.006	0.011	0.006	0.016	0.004	0.003	0.010	0.010	0.006				
Fe ³⁺	0.172	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.071	0.232	0.000	0.110	0.033	0.110	0.097	0.078	0.043	0.000	0.018	0.046	0.098	0.057	0.000	0.055	0.103	0.098				
Mg	4.422	5.259	5.475	5.217	4.716	4.785	4.886	4.751	4.673	4.737	4.708	4.654	4.681	4.682	4.704	4.684	4.712	4.705	4.684	4.755	4.686	4.661				
Fe ²⁺	0.101	0.226	0.257	0.214	0.125	0.008	0.328	0.085	0.162	0.101	0.117	0.134	0.185	0.194	0.187	0.166	0.112	0.146	0.203	0.146	0.089	0.111				
Mn	0.002	0.006	0.007	0.003	0.002	0.008	0.008	0.003	0.003	0.007	0.004	0.004	0.007	0.000	0.005	0.007	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.003	0.003	0.001				
B:																										
Ca	19.19	1.509	1.256	1.559	1.964	1.848	1.742	1.912	1.901	1.899	1.874	1.892	1.893	1.936	1.889	1.908	1.894	1.916	1.908	1.922	1.898	1.887				
Na	0.026	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.017	0.087	0.000	0.011	0.009	0.006	0.006	0.000	0.009	0.001	0.007	0.003	0.001	0.006	0.000	0.003	0.022	0.029				
A:																										
Ca	0.000	0.281	0.440	0.002	0.000	0.102	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
Na	0.077	0.026	0.030	0.037	0.000	0.075	0.138	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.010	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.009	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
K	0.000	0.004	0.003	0.007	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000				
Mg#	94.2	95.9	95.5	96.1	96.0	95.2	93.7	96.1	96.0	95.7	95.6	95.6	95.4	96.0	95.8	95.7	95.7	95.9	95.9	95.9	96.0	96.1	95.7			
T (°C)	789	707	708	713	728	752	744	736	737	736	742	749	732	728	731	734	742	734	727	727	743	744				
H ₂ O	3.07	3.68	3.69	3.33	2.63	2.67	2.96	1.88	2.30	2.22	2.51	2.19	3.13	3.48	1.92	2.53	1.70	1.76	2.54	2.66	2.48	3.48				

(Table 3 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral Type	LN15-03																					
	Harzburgite																					
	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ³ Mhb																				
SiO ₂	57.1	57.3	57.3	56.8	55.8	55.7	54.7	57.9	57.7	56.4	53.8	53.8	52.9	52.7	52.9	52.7	52.5	52.7	52.2	52.5	50.6	51.0
TiO ₂	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.04	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.05	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	0.05	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.06	b.d.l.	0.01
Al ₂ O ₃	1.03	1.46	1.38	1.86	2.20	3.33	3.83	0.81	0.77	1.67	4.19	4.24	4.59	4.82	5.25	5.82	5.29	5.65	5.48	5.51	5.15	6.33
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.19	0.39	0.38	0.41	0.75	0.96	1.02	0.31	0.21	0.37	1.83	1.83	1.90	2.43	2.51	1.96	2.11	2.11	2.20	1.89	4.29	2.37
FeO	1.72	1.88	1.80	1.92	1.98	1.94	2.07	1.65	1.80	1.78	2.09	2.16	2.15	2.28	2.17	2.16	2.30	2.22	2.21	2.66	2.51	2.20
MnO	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	b.d.l.	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.02	b.d.l.	0.03	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.05
MgO	23.0	23.1	23.2	23.4	22.6	22.5	21.9	23.6	23.4	22.8	22.0	22.2	22.0	21.7	21.8	21.7	21.7	21.6	21.2	23.2	21.3	21.5
CaO	12.8	12.7	13.0	12.7	12.7	12.8	12.8	13.1	13.3	13.0	12.6	12.7	12.6	12.2	12.1	12.0	12.2	12.3	12.5	10.7	11.6	11.2
Na ₂ O	0.36	0.10	0.14	0.06	0.06	0.50	0.14	0.03	b.d.l.	0.04	0.39	0.38	0.48	0.59	0.95	0.68	0.80	0.74	0.59	0.73	0.63	1.14
K ₂ O	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	b.d.l.	0.03	b.d.l.	0.01	0.01	b.d.l.	0.11	0.12	0.14	0.11	0.02	0.03	0.07	0.06	0.18	0.07	0.04	0.05
NiO	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.08	0.05	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.11	0.08	0.05	0.10	0.03	0.05	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.02	0.09	0.05
Total	96.3	97.0	97.2	97.3	96.2	97.8	96.5	97.5	97.2	96.2	97.1	97.6	96.9	97.0	97.6	97.2	97.2	97.5	96.6	97.3	96.3	95.9
T(IV):																						
Si	7.884	7.871	7.844	7.768	7.738	7.615	7.569	7.910	7.903	7.816	7.456	7.425	7.363	7.344	7.314	7.302	7.301	7.296	7.294	7.264	7.179	7.170
Al	0.117	0.129	0.157	0.233	0.262	0.386	0.431	0.091	0.097	0.184	0.544	0.575	0.637	0.656	0.686	0.698	0.700	0.704	0.706	0.736	0.821	0.830
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
C(VI):																						
Al	0.050	0.107	0.066	0.067	0.098	0.151	0.194	0.040	0.027	0.088	0.140	0.116	0.115	0.135	0.171	0.252	0.167	0.218	0.197	0.164	0.040	0.220
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.005	0.003	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.021	0.042	0.041	0.045	0.082	0.104	0.111	0.033	0.023	0.040	0.200	0.199	0.209	0.268	0.275	0.215	0.232	0.231	0.243	0.207	0.481	0.263
Ni+Zn	0.005	0.007	0.004	0.007	0.006	0.008	0.006	0.008	0.009	0.009	0.012	0.009	0.005	0.012	0.004	0.005	0.013	0.005	0.006	0.002	0.010	0.005
Fe ³⁺	0.143	0.008	0.088	0.140	0.097	0.130	0.145	0.028	0.050	0.068	0.070	0.068	0.096	0.041	0.023	0.042	0.059	0.037	0.076	0.036	0.000	0.095
Mg	4.735	4.732	4.739	4.774	4.679	4.576	4.514	4.801	4.775	4.711	4.533	4.573	4.568	4.511	4.490	4.479	4.505	4.455	4.411	4.788	4.501	4.517
Fe ²⁺	0.055	0.209	0.118	0.080	0.133	0.092	0.095	0.160	0.157	0.139	0.173	0.181	0.154	0.224	0.227	0.209	0.208	0.221	0.182	0.273	0.298	0.164
Mn	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.003	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.006	0.002	0.002	0.005	0.002	0.000	0.004	0.005	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.006	
B:																						
Ca	1.890	1.869	1.904	1.868	1.888	1.869	1.896	1.917	1.950	1.932	1.866	1.850	1.851	1.807	1.787	1.784	1.810	1.824	1.871	1.521	1.668	1.693
Na	0.096	0.027	0.037	0.016	0.017	0.068	0.033	0.008	0.001	0.011	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.020	0.004	0.000	0.001	0.007	0.000	0.000	0.035
A:																						
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.034	0.032	0.014	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.062	0.097	0.000	
Na	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.063	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.104	0.102	0.129	0.160	0.234	0.179	0.216	0.197	0.153	0.196	0.174	0.275
K	0.003	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.006	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.020	0.022	0.025	0.020	0.003	0.005	0.012	0.010	0.032	0.012	0.007	0.009
Mg#	96.0	95.6	95.8	95.6	95.3	95.4	95.0	96.2	95.9	95.8	94.9	94.8	94.8	94.4	94.7	94.7	94.4	94.5	94.5	94.0	93.8	94.6
T (°C)	731	724	729	736	740	768	764	719	718	730	786	789	799	804	819	813	816	816	812	816	825	843
H ₂ O	3.70	3.03	2.76	2.69	3.75	2.23	3.51	2.49	2.76	3.84	2.87	2.44	3.07	3.02	2.37	2.84	2.81	2.51	3.43	2.71	3.75	4.07

(Table 3 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral Type	Amp ³ Mhb	Amp ³ Tr																				
SiO ₂	51.0	50.9	50.9	51.1	51.1	49.8	48.9	49.6	49.6	48.2	54.4	53.6	51.9	56.2	55.5	55.5	55.7	55.6	55.3	55.1	55.6	
TiO ₂	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.12	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.04	b.d.l.	0.03	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.03	b.d.l.	0.05	b.d.l.	
Al ₂ O ₃	6.23	6.30	6.28	6.52	6.71	7.81	7.77	7.24	7.85	8.37	4.43	4.46	5.96	1.43	2.38	2.48	2.35	2.49	2.75	2.67	2.64	2.56
Cr ₂ O ₃	2.38	2.51	2.57	2.57	2.34	2.46	3.48	2.75	2.47	3.12	2.17	1.64	2.45	1.37	1.25	1.41	1.40	1.63	1.59	1.56	1.39	1.64
FeO	2.29	2.64	2.53	2.39	2.69	2.62	2.81	2.64	2.70	2.62	3.32	2.16	2.54	1.80	1.91	1.78	1.86	1.97	1.98	1.88	1.90	1.99
MnO	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.09	0.12	0.09	0.07	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.03
MgO	21.2	21.1	21.1	21.3	21.1	20.2	19.1	20.7	20.5	19.9	24.2	21.7	21.4	22.7	22.6	22.5	22.6	22.7	22.5	22.7	22.6	24.4
CaO	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.1	12.0	11.3	11.8	12.1	11.5	8.5	12.2	12.0	12.4	12.6	12.8	13.0	12.5	12.4	12.5	12.6	10.9
Na ₂ O	1.03	1.13	1.17	1.09	1.01	1.14	1.20	1.31	1.21	1.38	0.95	0.75	1.21	0.05	0.14	0.15	0.16	0.27	0.30	0.15	0.23	0.23
K ₂ O	0.02	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.06	0.04	0.11	0.10	0.04	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.04	0.03	0.06	0.08	0.03
NiO	0.09	0.12	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.04	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.10	0.11	0.07	0.04	0.03	0.11	0.12	0.02
Total	96.3	96.8	96.9	97.2	97.2	96.4	94.8	96.3	96.6	95.4	98.1	96.8	97.6	96.1	96.7	96.8	97.0	97.5	97.2	97.0	96.8	97.4
T(IV):																						
Si	7.168	7.142	7.137	7.133	7.130	7.021	7.011	7.011	6.988	6.885	7.450	7.442	7.206	7.820	7.677	7.668	7.661	7.657	7.647	7.634	7.627	7.620
Al	0.832	0.858	0.863	0.867	0.870	0.979	0.989	0.989	1.012	1.115	0.550	0.558	0.794	0.180	0.324	0.332	0.339	0.343	0.353	0.367	0.373	0.380
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
C(VI):																						
Al	0.199	0.184	0.175	0.206	0.234	0.317	0.324	0.217	0.290	0.296	0.165	0.173	0.182	0.055	0.065	0.072	0.043	0.061	0.093	0.068	0.058	0.034
Ti	0.003	0.001	0.005	0.007	0.005	0.012	0.006	0.005	0.006	0.009	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.264	0.278	0.285	0.284	0.259	0.274	0.395	0.307	0.275	0.353	0.234	0.180	0.270	0.150	0.137	0.154	0.153	0.177	0.173	0.170	0.152	0.178
Ni+Zn	0.010	0.013	0.007	0.007	0.005	0.009	0.009	0.011	0.010	0.012	0.005	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.012	0.012	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.012	0.014	0.002
Fe ³⁺	0.087	0.064	0.059	0.029	0.046	0.060	0.118	0.075	0.065	0.115	0.000	0.105	0.039	0.000	0.131	0.118	0.123	0.080	0.084	0.091	0.121	0.033
Mg	4.440	4.419	4.419	4.426	4.382	4.248	4.093	4.364	4.292	4.239	4.935	4.496	4.426	4.711	4.656	4.623	4.648	4.652	4.621	4.674	4.652	4.984
Fe ²⁺	0.182	0.245	0.238	0.250	0.268	0.249	0.220	0.237	0.253	0.198	0.380	0.145	0.256	0.210	0.089	0.088	0.092	0.147	0.144	0.126	0.099	0.196
Mn	0.006	0.006	0.008	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.003	0.004	0.011	0.014	0.010	0.009	0.006	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.008	0.005	0.001	0.002	0.004
B:																						
Ca	1.806	1.790	1.805	1.786	1.795	1.818	1.742	1.780	1.804	1.759	1.243	1.811	1.783	1.843	1.871	1.897	1.914	1.843	1.830	1.852	1.875	1.570
Na	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.087	0.000	0.000	0.009	0.020	0.067	0.024	0.013	0.033	0.032	0.017	0.027	0.044	0.006	0.022	0.000
A:																						
Ca	0.000	0.008	0.003	0.017	0.021	0.000	0.000	0.007	0.017	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.035	
Na	0.278	0.308	0.319	0.296	0.272	0.306	0.247	0.358	0.330	0.373	0.232	0.137	0.303	0.000	0.006	0.007	0.026	0.045	0.036	0.034	0.039	0.061
K	0.003	0.007	0.009	0.006	0.006	0.005	0.006	0.008	0.005	0.012	0.007	0.019	0.017	0.006	0.012	0.014	0.011	0.007	0.006	0.010	0.015	0.006
Mg#	94.3	93.5	93.7	94.1	93.3	93.2	92.4	93.3	93.1	93.1	92.9	94.7	93.8	95.7	95.5	95.7	95.6	95.3	95.3	95.6	95.5	95.6
T (°C)	840	843	846	846	841	861	862	866	866	885	792	797	838	730	751	753	753	756	759	757	760	760
H ₂ O	3.67	3.16	3.11	2.80	2.77	3.60	5.19	3.73	3.40	4.64	1.86	3.21	2.37	3.92	3.32	3.16	2.96	2.54	2.77	2.95	3.23	2.61

(Table 3 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral Type	LNI507 Harzburgite																						
	Amp ³ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ³ Tr	Amp ³ Tr	Amp ³ Tr	Amp ³ Tr																	
SiO ₂	55.4	54.7	55.2	54.1	55.8	58.5	58.2	56.9	57.9	58.2	57.5	58.0	57.5	57.8	57.5	56.9	56.6	54.3	56.2	55.9	54.4	53.2	
TiO ₂	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.10	0.02	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	0.04	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	0.04	b.d.l.	
Al ₂ O ₃	2.84	2.89	2.90	2.91	2.87	0.08	0.10	0.13	0.92	0.91	0.83	0.96	1.03	0.31	0.44	0.83	1.26	1.14	2.80	3.01	4.64	4.60	
Cr ₂ O ₃	1.73	1.63	1.75	1.94	1.60	0.02	0.04	b.d.l.	0.17	0.12	0.15	0.21	0.10	0.29	0.03	0.11	0.27	0.51	0.61	0.84	1.15	0.62	
FeO	1.88	1.96	1.90	2.01	2.07	1.58	1.65	1.99	1.61	1.62	1.66	1.68	1.82	1.60	1.66	1.65	1.82	1.90	2.20	2.08	2.37	3.44	
MnO	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.05	0.07	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.03	0.05	0.07	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.08	0.03	0.02	0.06	
MgO	22.7	22.7	23.1	22.2	22.6	24.3	24.0	25.3	23.8	23.0	22.7	22.8	22.8	23.9	23.3	23.1	23.2	25.3	22.9	22.8	22.0	22.4	
CaO	12.4	12.3	12.4	12.4	12.4	13.2	13.1	11.9	13.1	13.2	13.0	13.1	12.8	12.9	13.4	13.5	13.3	10.0	13.0	13.1	12.8	12.1	
Na ₂ O	0.28	0.31	0.29	0.23	0.22	0.20	0.23	0.19	0.08	0.11	0.11	0.07	0.08	0.38	0.01	0.09	0.13	0.53	0.20	0.13	0.32	0.32	
K ₂ O	b.d.l.	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.13	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.04	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.04	0.01	0.01	b.d.l.	0.03	
NiO	0.06	0.07	0.09	0.05	0.11	0.09	0.09	0.14	0.02	0.07	0.10	0.07	0.08	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.08	0.07	0.12	0.12	
Total	97.4	96.6	97.7	96.0	97.9	98.0	97.6	96.5	97.6	97.3	96.1	97.0	96.3	97.3	96.5	96.2	96.7	93.9	98.0	98.0	97.8	96.9	
T(IV):																							
Si	7.618	7.583	7.580	7.557	7.638	7.985	7.982	7.979	7.889	7.984	7.982	7.980	7.962	7.948	7.943	7.880	7.795	7.807	7.656	7.624	7.466	7.386	
Al	0.382	0.417	0.420	0.443	0.362	0.013	0.017	0.021	0.112	0.016	0.019	0.020	0.038	0.050	0.057	0.120	0.204	0.193	0.344	0.376	0.534	0.614	
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
C(VI):																							
Al	0.078	0.055	0.048	0.036	0.101	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.035	0.131	0.117	0.135	0.130	0.000	0.015	0.015	0.000	0.000	0.105	0.107	0.217	0.139	
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.010	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.004	0.002	0.005	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000	
Cr	0.188	0.179	0.190	0.214	0.173	0.002	0.005	0.000	0.018	0.013	0.017	0.023	0.011	0.031	0.003	0.012	0.029	0.058	0.065	0.090	0.125	0.068	
Ni+Zn	0.006	0.007	0.010	0.006	0.012	0.010	0.010	0.016	0.002	0.008	0.011	0.007	0.009	0.006	0.009	0.010	0.005	0.006	0.009	0.007	0.013	0.014	
Fe ³⁺	0.068	0.112	0.055	0.130	0.044	0.000	0.000	0.081	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.040	0.062	0.062	0.209	0.000	0.144	0.129	0.092	0.178	
Mg	4.665	4.688	4.723	4.631	4.605	4.935	4.911	5.287	4.825	4.693	4.692	4.676	4.705	4.893	4.791	4.767	4.756	5.422	4.645	4.645	4.492	4.648	
Fe ²⁺	0.148	0.116	0.162	0.104	0.193	0.180	0.189	0.233	0.102	0.186	0.193	0.194	0.211	0.184	0.152	0.129	0.000	0.229	0.107	0.109	0.180	0.221	
Mn	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.008	0.006	0.008	0.003	0.001	0.007	0.004	0.006	0.008	0.003	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.009	0.003	0.002	0.007	
B:																							
Ca	1.828	1.828	1.805	1.863	1.826	1.867	1.878	1.460	1.912	1.932	1.933	1.937	1.900	1.883	1.980	2.000	1.959	1.279	1.901	1.909	1.876	1.726	
Na	0.014	0.010	0.000	0.008	0.028	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.020	0.029	0.029	0.020	0.021	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.036	0.000	0.013	0.000	0.000	0.000	
A:																							
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.020	0.000	0.000	0.057	0.047	0.328	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.017	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.266	0.000	0.007	0.004	0.070	
Na	0.061	0.073	0.077	0.054	0.030	0.052	0.060	0.051	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.101	0.000	0.025	0.000	0.147	0.039	0.034	0.085	0.085	
K	0.001	0.004	0.005	0.009	0.023	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.002	0.000	0.008	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.005		
Mg#	95.6	95.4	95.6	95.2	95.1	96.5	96.3	95.8	96.3	96.2	96.0	96.0	95.7	96.4	96.2	96.1	95.8	96.0	94.9	95.1	94.3	92.1	
T (°C)	762	767	768	768	758	714	715	711	723	711	712	711	712	724	714	724	736	744	753	756	780	782	
H ₂ O	2.64	3.39	2.25	4.03	2.09	2.01	2.42	3.49	2.42	2.74	3.92	3.06	3.70	2.70	3.54	3.79	3.31	6.15	1.99	2.00	2.22	3.15	

(Table 3 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral Type	LN15-11 Harzburgite												18LN07-5 Dunite											
	Amp ³ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Ed	Amp ¹ Mhb	Amp ¹ Mhb	Amp ¹ Tr																	
SiO ₂	52.4	51.2	50.2	50.2	49.7	48.9	54.8	56.1	55.8	54.2	50.4	58.7	54.5	45.2	47.3	46.8	46.3	46.5	45.7	48.9	47.1	55.1		
TiO ₂	0.03	0.10	0.08	0.07	0.11	0.09	0.05	0.02	0.04	0.11	0.13	b.d.l.	0.03	0.48	0.27	0.49	0.48	0.41	0.44	0.12	0.29	0.05		
Al ₂ O ₃	5.74	7.01	8.81	8.54	8.58	8.86	1.12	2.78	3.22	5.23	8.54	0.02	2.83	11.6	9.31	10.8	9.97	11.8	8.83	8.38	2.18			
Cr ₂ O ₃	1.86	1.99	2.04	2.38	2.14	1.98	0.63	0.44	0.94	1.54	1.91	b.d.l.	0.59	1.98	2.35	1.70	1.83	2.76	2.09	2.25	2.26	0.61		
FeO	2.59	2.60	2.63	2.76	3.29	2.78	1.73	2.91	2.10	2.33	2.70	1.65	2.30	2.00	1.93	2.37	2.49	2.02	2.52	1.87	1.81	1.50		
MnO	0.02	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.09	0.04	0.07	0.09	0.04	0.07	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.07	0.02	0.07	0.07		
MgO	21.1	20.6	19.9	20.3	20.1	19.3	22.4	23.2	22.4	21.1	19.7	23.9	22.4	18.7	19.6	19.8	19.6	20.2	18.9	20.6	19.5	22.9		
CaO	12.7	12.8	12.9	12.3	12.3	12.5	12.3	11.8	12.4	12.4	12.6	13.4	12.9	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.5	11.0	12.4	12.3	12.0	12.6		
Na ₂ O	0.44	0.61	0.56	0.90	0.54	0.56	0.07	0.17	0.47	0.43	0.72	b.d.l.	0.21	2.37	2.03	2.02	1.98	2.07	2.26	1.73	2.07	0.66		
K ₂ O	0.03	0.01	0.01	b.d.l.	0.02	0.03	b.d.l.	0.01	0.01	b.d.l.	0.03	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.36	0.21	0.25	0.28	0.20	0.28	0.08	0.19	0.03		
NiO	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.08	b.d.l.	0.06	0.13	0.09	0.08	0.10	0.03	0.09	0.09	0.14	0.13	0.06	0.10	0.09	0.12	0.15		
Total	97.0	97.1	97.2	97.5	96.7	95.1	93.0	97.5	97.6	97.5	96.8	97.8	95.8	95.1	95.3	96.7	96.4	95.2	96.5	96.7	93.7	95.9		
T(IV):																								
Si	7.294	7.145	7.000	6.994	6.979	6.958	7.807	7.681	7.644	7.467	7.053	7.998	7.596	6.503	6.754	6.625	6.586	6.661	6.501	6.863	6.828	7.655		
Al	0.706	0.855	1.000	1.006	1.021	1.042	0.188	0.319	0.356	0.533	0.947	0.002	0.404	1.497	1.246	1.376	1.414	1.339	1.500	1.137	1.172	0.345		
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000		
C(VI):																								
Al	0.234	0.298	0.449	0.397	0.400	0.445	0.000	0.129	0.163	0.316	0.461	0.000	0.061	0.468	0.322	0.424	0.395	0.346	0.476	0.326	0.259	0.012		
Ti	0.004	0.011	0.009	0.008	0.012	0.009	0.000	0.002	0.004	0.011	0.014	0.000	0.003	0.052	0.030	0.052	0.052	0.045	0.047	0.013	0.031	0.005		
Cr	0.205	0.219	0.225	0.262	0.238	0.223	0.071	0.047	0.102	0.168	0.211	0.000	0.065	0.226	0.265	0.190	0.205	0.313	0.235	0.250	0.259	0.067		
Ni+Zn	0.006	0.008	0.009	0.004	0.005	0.009	0.000	0.006	0.014	0.010	0.009	0.011	0.003	0.011	0.010	0.016	0.015	0.007	0.012	0.010	0.014	0.016		
Fe ³⁺	0.076	0.051	0.018	0.008	0.066	0.157	0.206	0.137	0.112	0.038	0.041	0.000	0.255	0.230	0.171	0.137	0.155	0.190	0.140	0.084	0.220	0.174		
Mg	4.379	4.290	4.138	4.213	4.201	4.096	4.751	4.728	4.580	4.327	4.099	4.853	4.646	4.013	4.181	4.174	4.149	4.311	4.012	4.317	4.208	4.745		
Fe ²⁺	0.225	0.253	0.289	0.313	0.320	0.175	0.000	0.195	0.128	0.230	0.275	0.188	0.014	0.010	0.060	0.144	0.141	0.053	0.160	0.135	0.000	0.000		
Mn	0.002	0.007	0.006	0.004	0.007	0.005	0.007	0.011	0.005	0.008	0.010	0.004	0.009	0.004	0.006	0.004	0.007	0.005	0.008	0.003	0.009	0.008		
B:																								
Ca	1.868	1.865	1.858	1.790	1.752	1.882	1.873	1.723	1.815	1.831	1.879	1.944	1.923	1.886	1.868	1.855	1.882	1.690	1.887	1.845	1.856	1.884		
Na	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.020	0.023	0.078	0.062	0.000	0.000	0.021	0.100	0.087	0.004	0.000	0.040	0.023	0.018	0.144	0.089			
A:																								
Ca	0.030	0.051	0.069	0.045	0.095	0.026	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.011	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.016	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000		
Na	0.119	0.164	0.152	0.244	0.148	0.153	0.000	0.024	0.048	0.053	0.195	0.000	0.037	0.561	0.477	0.550	0.545	0.535	0.600	0.454	0.439	0.088		
K	0.005	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.003	0.005	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.001	0.066	0.039	0.044	0.051	0.036	0.051	0.015	0.035	0.005		
Mg#	93.6	93.4	93.1	92.9	91.6	92.5	95.9	93.4	95.0	94.2	92.8	96.3	94.5	94.3	94.8	93.7	93.4	94.7	93.0	95.2	95.0	96.5		
T (°C)	804	829	847	856	844	851	733	743	763	784	844	706	760	974	929	945	948	944	966	904	922	771		
H ₂ O	2.96	2.85	2.78	2.51	3.26	4.87	6.96	2.46	2.46	3.20	2.22	4.23	4.86	4.66	3.35	3.58	4.84	3.49	3.25	6.27	4.14			

(Table 3 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral Type	LN15-06																18LN05-4								
	Dunite								Chromitite																
Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ²	Amp ²	Amp ²	Amp ²	Amp ¹													
Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Ed	Ed	Ed	Mhb	Tr	Tr												
SiO ₂	54.8	58.8	57.7	58.2	58.7	58.2	57.4	55.9	46.4	45.7	45.8	47.7	56.8	57.2	58.1	57.0	56.9	57.2	57.0	55.6	55.7	53.8			
TiO ₂	0.13	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.02	0.06	0.04	0.02	0.08	0.29	0.50	0.36	0.25	b.d.l.	0.03	0.04	b.d.l.	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	
Al ₂ O ₃	2.53	0.15	0.21	0.22	0.23	0.80	0.84	1.75	11.0	10.3	11.9	10.5	0.12	0.12	0.27	1.63	1.61	1.59	1.46	1.49	1.71	1.81			
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.78	0.02	0.29	0.20	0.06	0.04	0.24	0.17	1.89	1.94	1.96	1.84	1.14	0.21	0.21	0.42	0.33	0.66	0.76	0.57	0.47	0.51			
FeO	1.49	0.67	0.37	0.64	0.80	0.83	0.75	0.60	2.07	1.93	2.00	1.92	1.87	1.07	0.65	0.78	1.19	0.68	0.65	0.66	0.68	0.67			
MnO	0.03	0.01	b.d.l.	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.03	b.d.l.	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.01	0.04	b.d.l.	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.01	b.d.l.		
MgO	22.9	24.6	23.7	24.1	24.8	24.3	24.0	22.8	19.9	19.1	19.2	20.0	24.4	24.3	24.5	23.3	23.5	24.2	24.2	23.4	23.5	24.2			
CaO	12.6	13.0	13.4	13.2	12.9	13.3	13.2	13.3	12.2	12.2	12.3	12.3	10.8	13.0	13.6	13.1	13.4	12.5	12.6	12.3	12.5	11.9			
Na ₂ O	0.70	0.12	0.14	0.09	0.12	0.19	0.18	0.36	1.76	2.29	1.92	1.70	0.59	0.55	0.18	0.28	0.36	0.59	0.58	0.59	0.59	0.58			
K ₂ O	0.05	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.10	0.29	0.18	0.12	0.02	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02		
NiO	0.20	0.05	0.04	0.12	0.14	0.08	0.10	0.10	0.13	0.10	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.02	0.05	0.09	0.11	0.13	0.16	0.17	0.08				
Total	96.2	97.5	95.9	96.7	97.8	96.8	95.1	95.8	94.3	95.8	96.5	95.8	96.6	97.5	96.7	97.5	97.6	97.5	94.9	95.3	93.5				
T(IV):																									
Si	7.605	7.988	7.986	7.963	7.958	7.877	7.863	7.830	6.598	6.602	6.522	6.714	7.980	7.978	7.952	7.826	7.768	7.770	7.764	7.752	7.731	7.695			
Al	0.395	0.012	0.014	0.035	0.037	0.123	0.136	0.170	1.402	1.398	1.478	1.286	0.020	0.019	0.044	0.174	0.232	0.230	0.235	0.244	0.269	0.305			
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.006	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000		
C(VI):																									
Al	0.019	0.012	0.021	0.000	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.120	0.445	0.350	0.522	0.464	0.000	0.000	0.090	0.027	0.025	0.000	0.000	0.011	0.000				
Ti	0.014	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.001	0.009	0.031	0.054	0.039	0.026	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
Cr	0.085	0.002	0.032	0.022	0.007	0.005	0.026	0.018	0.212	0.222	0.221	0.205	0.126	0.023	0.022	0.046	0.036	0.071	0.082	0.062	0.052	0.058			
Ni+Zn	0.023	0.005	0.004	0.013	0.015	0.009	0.011	0.011	0.015	0.012	0.010	0.007	0.006	0.002	0.006	0.010	0.012	0.014	0.018	0.019	0.009				
Fe ³⁺	0.173	0.029	0.000	0.067	0.000	0.094	0.086	0.000	0.184	0.234	0.180	0.099	0.000	0.000	0.090	0.135	0.078	0.074	0.076	0.079	0.000				
Mg	4.736	4.978	4.900	4.912	5.014	4.897	4.888	4.771	4.229	4.122	4.087	4.200	5.120	5.062	4.987	4.767	4.787	4.909	4.904	4.867	4.868	5.159			
Fe ²⁺	0.000	0.048	0.043	0.006	0.091	0.000	0.000	0.071	0.062	0.000	0.058	0.128	0.219	0.125	0.075	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.080			
Mn	0.003	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.008	0.001	0.005	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.003	0.001	0.000			
B:																									
Ca	1.876	1.894	1.990	1.938	1.869	1.931	1.935	1.999	1.823	1.890	1.877	1.861	1.526	1.780	1.914	1.929	1.964	1.818	1.846	1.834	1.856	1.695			
Na	0.071	0.031	0.011	0.025	0.000	0.050	0.048	0.001	0.000	0.110	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.072	0.036	0.084	0.076	0.138	0.114	0.000				
A:																									
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.038	0.000	0.003	0.001	0.099	0.164	0.073	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.133			
Na	0.118	0.000	0.027	0.000	0.030	0.000	0.000	0.096	0.485	0.533	0.530	0.464	0.161	0.149	0.047	0.003	0.059	0.072	0.077	0.020	0.044	0.162			
K	0.009	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.004	0.019	0.053	0.033	0.021	0.003	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.001	0.004	0.004			
Mg#	96.5	98.5	99.1	98.5	98.2	98.1	98.3	98.5	94.5	94.6	94.5	94.9	95.9	97.6	98.5	98.1	97.3	98.4	98.5	98.5	98.4	98.5			
T (°C)	780	718	722	722	722	734	736	748	941	960	957	924	723	729	743	750	760	761	763	765	770				
H ₂ O	3.82	2.55	4.14	3.26	2.20	2.19	3.25	4.89	4.20	5.66	4.24	3.47	4.21	3.43	2.47	3.35	2.51	2.38	2.54	5.13	4.66				

(Table 3 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral Type	18LN05-6 Chromitite								18LN05-7 Chromitite								18LN05-8 Chromitite											
	Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹		Amp ¹					
	Tr	Tr	Mhb	Tr	Tr	Tr	Ed	Mhb	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Ed	Mhb		
SiO ₂	55.6	56.0	52.1	56.7	56.2	55.2	45.9	45.9	47.9	57.3	57.3	56.7	57.3	56.4	57.5	55.7	54.9	57.7	55.2	57.6	47.7	50.8						
TiO ₂	0.01	0.01	0.17	0.02	0.08	0.11	0.19	0.21	0.23	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.03	0.03	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.15	0.09						
Al ₂ O ₃	2.48	2.59	4.29	1.64	2.30	3.21	10.0	7.94	9.13	0.37	0.37	0.85	0.89	1.09	1.08	1.83	2.09	0.07	0.11	0.15	9.36	6.13						
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.45	0.64	1.24	0.80	0.28	0.93	2.67	2.75	2.41	0.13	0.14	0.05	0.26	0.21	0.10	0.44	0.77	0.09	0.06	0.06	2.52	1.73						
FeO	0.69	1.09	1.42	0.69	1.32	0.91	2.11	2.07	1.90	0.53	0.44	0.55	0.63	0.59	0.66	1.05	1.07	0.23	0.28	0.32	2.15	1.78						
MnO	0.01	b.d.l.	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.01	0.02	0.06	0.04	0.03	b.d.l.	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.05	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.06	0.03						
MgO	23.4	23.6	21.8	24.4	23.4	22.6	19.3	18.8	20.4	24.0	24.6	23.7	24.3	23.5	24.4	23.5	23.0	24.8	25.8	24.9	20.4	21.3						
CaO	12.8	13.1	12.6	11.7	12.7	12.9	12.8	12.6	12.6	13.2	12.8	12.8	13.0	13.0	12.5	13.0	12.8	11.3	11.6	11.7	12.2	12.7						
Na ₂ O	0.75	0.69	1.04	0.55	0.58	0.73	1.91	1.41	1.70	0.31	0.32	0.32	0.37	0.38	0.56	0.59	0.65	1.32	0.18	1.31	1.91	1.11						
K ₂ O	0.02	0.02	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.04	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.02	0.03	0.04	b.d.l.	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.04					
NiO	0.16	0.08	0.16	0.14	0.11	0.16	0.14	0.12	0.15	0.12	0.12	0.16	0.14	0.12	0.16	0.11	0.15	0.11	0.28	0.12	0.15	0.17						
Total	96.3	97.9	94.9	96.7	97.1	96.7	95.2	91.9	96.5	96.0	96.1	95.2	96.9	95.4	97.1	96.3	95.4	95.6	93.6	96.2	96.6	95.8						
T(IV):																												
Si	7.659	7.622	7.358	7.764	7.695	7.602	6.604	6.817	6.774	7.939	7.939	7.865	7.854	7.840	7.837	7.700	7.654	7.985	7.980	7.975	6.741	7.154						
Al	0.341	0.378	0.642	0.236	0.305	0.398	1.396	1.183	1.226	0.061	0.061	0.135	0.144	0.160	0.163	0.297	0.343	0.011	0.019	0.024	1.259	0.846						
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000							
C(VI):																												
Al	0.062	0.037	0.073	0.029	0.065	0.123	0.302	0.208	0.295	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.019	0.010	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.300	0.171							
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.018	0.002	0.008	0.012	0.021	0.024	0.025	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.016	0.010							
Cr	0.049	0.068	0.138	0.087	0.031	0.102	0.304	0.323	0.270	0.014	0.015	0.005	0.028	0.023	0.011	0.049	0.085	0.010	0.007	0.006	0.282	0.193						
Ni+Zn	0.018	0.009	0.018	0.016	0.012	0.018	0.016	0.014	0.017	0.014	0.014	0.018	0.015	0.014	0.017	0.012	0.016	0.012	0.032	0.013	0.017	0.020						
Fe ³⁺	0.080	0.124	0.168	0.079	0.151	0.104	0.204	0.169	0.087	0.000	0.000	0.064	0.067	0.069	0.075	0.121	0.125					0.085	0.176					
Mg	4.804	4.799	4.587	4.984	4.783	4.640	4.141	4.167	4.289	4.956	5.083	4.911	4.956	4.869	4.956	4.837	4.777	5.122	5.561	5.141	4.305	4.471						
Fe ²⁺	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.050	0.088	0.138	0.061	0.052	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.026	0.034	0.037	0.169	0.034							
Mn	0.001	0.000	0.003	0.003	0.004	0.001	0.002	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.005	0.006	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.008	0.004						
B:																												
Ca	1.887	1.916	1.907	1.711	1.862	1.900	1.959	2.000	1.875	1.953	1.837	1.905	1.901	1.942	1.822	1.928	1.917	1.671	1.365	1.728	1.819	1.911						
Na	0.099	0.045	0.089	0.089	0.084	0.100	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.086	0.027	0.058	0.102	0.051	0.081	0.159	0.000	0.075	0.000	0.011							
A:																												
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.016	0.012	0.031	0.009	0.070	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.429	0.000	0.022	0.000						
Na	0.100	0.138	0.194	0.058	0.071	0.096	0.533	0.405	0.467	0.083	0.085	0.000	0.071	0.044	0.046	0.107	0.096	0.195	0.049	0.277	0.524	0.292						
K	0.003	0.003	0.013	0.012	0.011	0.009	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.000	0.001	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.000	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.007	0.005	0.007						
Mg#	98.4	97.5	96.5	98.4	96.9	97.8	94.2	94.2	95.0	98.8	99.0	98.7	98.6	98.6	98.5	97.6	97.5	99.5	99.4	99.3	94.4	95.5						
T (°C)	779	779	824	760	766	786	943	902	916	731	732	742	744	746	751	767	775	756	724	756	924	849						
H ₂ O	3.66	2.15	5.12	3.28	2.95	3.28	4.84	8.07	3.55	4.02	3.90	4.82	3.10	4.60	2.95	3.71	4.55	4.37	6.45	3.83	3.40	4.19						

(Table 3 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral Type	18LN05-9 Chromitite								18LN07-3 Chromitite																
	Amp ³ Mhb	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Tr	Amp ¹ Mhb	Amp ¹ Mhb	Amp ¹ Tr																		
SiO ₂	49.4	49.9	49.5	47.7	48.2	47.7	47.3	47.3	57.8	55.0	57.1	51.7	51.3	49.2	57.7	57.2	57.1	56.6	56.1	57.2	55.4	56.4			
TiO ₂	0.21	0.17	0.15	0.16	0.19	0.25	0.18	0.19	b.d.l.	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.10	0.11	0.01	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.07	0.04	0.03			
Al ₂ O ₃	7.36	7.82	8.13	8.16	9.04	8.95	9.21	9.51	0.04	0.16	0.20	5.16	5.84	6.67	0.21	0.23	0.60	0.87	0.81	0.84	1.11	1.08			
Cr ₂ O ₃	2.04	2.05	2.28	2.33	2.66	2.53	2.48	2.58	0.10	0.15	0.07	1.55	1.80	2.20	0.10	0.04	0.25	0.23	0.19	0.24	0.34	0.31			
FeO	1.63	1.71	1.87	2.09	1.96	1.80	1.89	1.74	0.14	0.24	0.21	1.24	1.25	1.29	0.49	0.49	0.48	0.56	0.47	0.53	0.57	0.58			
MnO	0.03	0.06	0.07	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.03	0.01	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	0.04	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	b.d.l.		
MgO	20.6	20.9	20.8	20.0	20.8	20.3	20.0	19.8	23.9	26.2	25.0	21.9	21.7	20.9	23.9	23.9	23.8	23.5	23.5	24.2	23.2	23.8			
CaO	12.7	12.5	12.5	12.1	12.2	12.8	12.8	12.9	12.3	9.9	11.1	12.5	12.7	12.6	13.4	13.1	13.2	12.8	13.1	13.0	12.8	13.0			
Na ₂ O	1.25	1.55	1.66	1.77	1.80	1.59	1.60	1.72	1.09	1.32	1.19	1.18	1.35	1.54	0.17	0.18	0.24	0.32	0.32	0.29	0.33	0.34			
K ₂ O	0.05	b.d.l.	0.03	0.10	0.02	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.16	0.14	0.22	0.01	0.02	b.d.l.	0.04	0.01	b.d.l.	0.04	0.02			
NiO	0.13	0.15	0.12	0.14	0.17	0.10	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.36	0.38	0.11	0.06	0.10	0.08	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.11	0.15	0.09	0.11			
Total	95.4	96.7	97.1	94.6	97.1	96.2	95.8	95.9	95.5	93.4	95.4	95.6	96.2	94.9	96.1	95.3	95.8	95.1	94.7	96.5	93.9	95.6			
T(IV):																									
Si	7.006	6.987	6.935	6.852	6.774	6.768	6.742	6.720	8.000	7.964	7.960	7.267	7.185	7.019	7.972	7.963	7.902	7.867	7.866	7.856	7.823	7.821			
Al	0.994	1.013	1.065	1.148	1.226	1.232	1.258	1.280	0.000	0.027	0.033	0.733	0.815	0.981	0.028	0.037	0.098	0.133	0.134	0.137	0.177	0.176			
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.009	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.007	0.000	0.000	0.003			
C(VI):																									
Al	0.237	0.279	0.276	0.234	0.273	0.263	0.289	0.314	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.121	0.149	0.140	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.010	0.000	0.000	0.007	0.000			
Ti	0.022	0.018	0.016	0.017	0.020	0.027	0.019	0.021	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.010	0.012	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000			
Cr	0.229	0.228	0.252	0.265	0.295	0.284	0.279	0.290	0.010	0.017	0.008	0.172	0.199	0.248	0.011	0.004	0.027	0.026	0.021	0.026	0.038	0.034			
Ni+Zn	0.015	0.017	0.013	0.017	0.019	0.011	0.015	0.014	0.013	0.042	0.042	0.012	0.006	0.011	0.009	0.012	0.012	0.013	0.012	0.016	0.010	0.013			
Fe ³⁺	0.165	0.087	0.066	0.249	0.052	0.106	0.136	0.121	0.016	0.000	0.000	0.146	0.146	0.154	0.000	0.000	0.056	0.065	0.055	0.061	0.068	0.067			
Mg	4.360	4.359	4.330	4.284	4.364	4.299	4.250	4.206	4.937	5.658	5.193	4.587	4.523	4.441	4.917	4.960	4.906	4.881	4.912	4.946	4.873	4.912			
Fe ²⁺	0.029	0.113	0.153	0.002	0.179	0.108	0.090	0.086	0.000	0.029	0.025	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.057	0.057	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
Mn	0.004	0.007	0.008	0.002	0.005	0.001	0.004	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.005	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001			
B:																									
Ca	1.923	1.874	1.878	1.858	1.792	1.901	1.919	1.948	1.828	1.253	1.666	1.886	1.911	1.924	1.982	1.960	1.964	1.910	1.975	1.910	1.934	1.927			
Na	0.017	0.019	0.008	0.072	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.190	0.000	0.067	0.068	0.056	0.071	0.018	0.007	0.036	0.086	0.025	0.039	0.066	0.045				
A:																									
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.052	0.050	0.036	0.020	0.000	0.277	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
Na	0.326	0.402	0.443	0.419	0.490	0.438	0.442	0.475	0.102	0.370	0.255	0.252	0.310	0.356	0.027	0.041	0.029	0.000	0.062	0.039	0.023	0.045			
K	0.010	0.000	0.005	0.018	0.004	0.006	0.009	0.005	0.002	0.005	0.005	0.029	0.025	0.040	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.007	0.002	0.000	0.007	0.004			
Mg#	95.8	95.6	95.2	94.5	95.0	95.3	95.0	95.3	99.7	99.5	99.5	96.9	96.9	96.7	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.7	98.9	98.8	98.6	98.6			
T (°C)	875	884	893	906	918	915	917	925	748	761	756	840	855	883	724	725	735	741	742	743	747	748			
H ₂ O	4.60	3.28	2.88	5.44	2.90	3.80	4.24	4.10	4.54	6.61	4.65	4.42	3.79	5.15	3.93	4.72	4.22	4.87	5.33	3.51	6.10	4.36			

(Table 3 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral Type	18LN07-9-1 Chromitite										18LN07-9-2 Chromitite											
	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹	Amp ¹			
	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Mhb	Tr	Tr									
SiO ₂	55.7	58.6	57.4	57.4	57.9	58.2	57.7	56.9	56.0	55.9	56.4	55.9	54.2	58.6	58.2	57.9	57.7	57.3	57.3	57.2	55.5	
TiO ₂	0.06	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.05	b.d.l.	0.09	0.07	0.04	0.09	0.04	0.06	0.11	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.02	0.03	0.10	0.15
Al ₂ O ₃	1.55	0.41	1.20	0.72	0.89	1.00	0.88	1.58	1.90	1.86	2.46	2.69	3.30	0.15	0.76	1.21	1.08	1.22	1.19	1.62	2.38	2.61
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.67	0.28	0.29	0.14	0.26	0.18	0.29	0.62	0.70	0.67	1.13	0.86	1.08	0.12	0.39	0.30	0.28	0.34	0.72	0.49	0.69	0.95
FeO	0.60	0.51	0.50	0.44	0.50	0.65	1.09	1.19	0.66	1.29	0.55	1.24	1.35	0.57	0.63	0.67	0.57	0.62	0.91	0.62	1.07	1.24
MnO	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.02	0.01	0.06	0.02	0.02	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02
MgO	23.5	24.4	23.5	24.2	24.5	24.5	25.4	23.2	23.5	23.5	23.5	22.7	24.5	24.1	23.9	24.0	23.9	24.4	23.9	22.9	22.8	
CaO	12.8	12.9	13.0	12.9	12.8	12.8	12.7	10.3	12.7	12.8	12.7	12.7	12.9	13.1	13.2	12.9	12.9	13.0	12.2	12.9	13.0	12.7
Na ₂ O	0.45	0.29	0.31	0.45	0.35	0.23	0.37	1.42	0.49	0.64	0.77	0.74	0.98	0.14	0.23	0.33	0.36	0.31	0.39	0.45	0.97	0.67
K ₂ O	0.02	0.02	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.10	0.05	0.09	0.12	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.04	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.02	0.09	0.06
NiO	0.13	0.10	0.12	0.11	0.16	0.12	0.22	0.21	0.15	0.13	0.11	0.20	0.20	0.10	0.16	0.13	0.17	0.12	0.15	0.17	0.18	0.14
Total	95.6	97.5	96.3	96.4	97.2	97.7	97.8	95.9	97.1	97.8	98.0	97.0	97.2	97.7	97.4	97.1	97.0	97.4	97.4	96.8	96.9	
T(IV):																						
Si	7.740	7.950	7.888	7.881	7.873	7.871	7.850	7.740	7.737	7.690	7.675	7.616	7.498	7.977	7.895	7.866	7.853	7.824	7.807	7.779	7.670	7.642
Al	0.254	0.050	0.112	0.116	0.127	0.129	0.141	0.253	0.264	0.301	0.326	0.384	0.502	0.023	0.105	0.135	0.147	0.176	0.191	0.221	0.330	0.358
Ti	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.009	0.007	0.000	0.009	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
C(VI):																						
Al	0.000	0.015	0.082	0.000	0.015	0.031	0.000	0.000	0.047	0.000	0.070	0.048	0.036	0.001	0.016	0.059	0.027	0.020	0.000	0.039	0.058	0.065
Ti	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.004	0.006	0.011	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.003	0.005	0.000	0.003	0.011	0.015
Cr	0.074	0.030	0.032	0.015	0.028	0.019	0.031	0.067	0.076	0.073	0.122	0.093	0.118	0.012	0.042	0.033	0.030	0.037	0.078	0.052	0.075	0.103
Ni+Zn	0.014	0.011	0.014	0.012	0.017	0.014	0.024	0.023	0.017	0.015	0.012	0.022	0.022	0.011	0.017	0.014	0.018	0.013	0.017	0.018	0.020	0.016
Fe ³⁺	0.070	0.058	0.057	0.050	0.057	0.073	0.025	0.057	0.076	0.148	0.062	0.130	0.157	0.047	0.071	0.076	0.065	0.071	0.104	0.071	0.063	0.143
Mg	4.875	4.934	4.822	4.953	4.908	4.940	4.963	5.147	4.786	4.812	4.775	4.783	4.674	4.968	4.880	4.839	4.870	4.871	4.958	4.851	4.710	4.685
Fe ²⁺	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.099	0.078	0.000	0.000	0.011	0.000	0.018	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.060	0.000	
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.002	0.004	0.004	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.007	0.003	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.006	0.005	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	
B:																						
Ca	1.909	1.869	1.907	1.892	1.870	1.854	1.850	1.501	1.884	1.888	1.857	1.851	1.914	1.907	1.913	1.883	1.886	1.901	1.788	1.887	1.918	1.881
Na	0.055	0.076	0.083	0.076	0.093	0.060	0.008	0.125	0.110	0.057	0.096	0.055	0.066	0.037	0.061	0.086	0.095	0.078	0.052	0.077	0.082	0.090
A:																						
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
Na	0.067	0.000	0.000	0.045	0.000	0.000	0.091	0.250	0.021	0.115	0.106	0.141	0.198	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.051	0.041	0.178	0.089	
K	0.004	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.005	0.003	0.004	0.008	0.018	0.008	0.015	0.022	0.000	0.000	0.007	0.004	0.005	0.007	0.004	0.016	0.010
Mg#	98.6	98.8	98.8	99.0	98.9	98.5	97.6	97.4	98.4	97.0	98.7	97.1	96.8	98.7	98.6	98.5	98.7	98.6	97.9	98.6	97.4	97.0
T (°C)	762	730	739	744	742	737	742	783	763	768	779	781	803	721	734	741	744	746	748	756	782	777
H ₂ O	4.44	2.48	3.65	3.63	2.80	2.33	2.19	2.22	4.10	2.92	2.23	2.01	3.02	2.77	2.29	2.64	2.87	3.02	2.63	2.57	3.20	3.11

(Table 3 continued)

Sample Rock Mineral Type	18LN07-10					
	Chromitite					
	Amp ¹ Tr	DL				
SiO ₂	55.4	57.8	57.8	57.4	56.4	0.01
TiO ₂	0.11	b.d.l.	0.01	0.08	b.d.l.	0.02
Al ₂ O ₃	2.54	0.16	0.35	0.80	1.17	0.01
Cr ₂ O ₃	1.05	0.07	0.23	0.12	0.37	0.03
FeO	1.46	0.52	0.40	0.40	0.47	0.01
MnO	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	0.06
MgO	22.8	24.1	24.4	24.0	23.4	0.06
CaO	12.8	13.2	13.3	13.4	13.3	0.02
Na ₂ O	0.65	0.14	0.19	0.42	0.36	0.03
K ₂ O	0.05	0.01	b.d.l.	0.01	0.02	0.02
NiO	0.12	0.07	0.12	0.10	0.10	0.03
Total	97.0	96.1	96.8	96.6	95.6	
T(IV):						
Si	7.627	7.975	7.943	7.885	7.841	
Al	0.373	0.026	0.056	0.116	0.159	
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	
C(VI):						
Al	0.039	0.000	0.000	0.015	0.033	
Ti	0.012	0.000	0.000	0.008	0.000	
Cr	0.115	0.008	0.024	0.013	0.040	
Ni+Zn	0.013	0.008	0.014	0.011	0.011	
Fe ³⁺	0.155	0.003	0.000	0.018	0.013	
Mg	4.688	4.958	4.992	4.907	4.858	
Fe ²⁺	0.012	0.058	0.046	0.028	0.041	
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.002	
B:						
Ca	1.896	1.955	1.924	1.970	1.985	
Na	0.071	0.012	0.000	0.030	0.015	
A:						
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.035	0.000	0.000	
Na	0.104	0.025	0.050	0.082	0.083	
K	0.008	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.003	
Mg#	96.5	98.8	99.1	99.1	98.9	
T (°C)	776	722	729	744	746	
H ₂ O	3.00	3.92	3.23	3.37	4.40	

Note:

Amp¹: interstitial amphibole; **Amp²:** large amphibole grain in dunite; **Amp³:** amphibole inclusion in the chromite; **Tr:** tremolite; **Mhb:** magnesiohornblende; **Ed:** edenite.

The formula of amphibole is calculated after Ridolfi et al. (2018).

T: Crystallization temperatures of amphibole are estimated after thermometer defined by Putirka (2016).