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## **Thermodynamic characterization of synthetic lead-arsenate apatites with different halogen substitutions**

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## ABSTRACT

24  
25 Thermodynamic parameters have been measured for synthetic analogs of the mimetite-group  
26 minerals  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3X$  ( $X = \text{OH}, \text{Cl}, \text{Br}, \text{I}$ ) belonging to the apatite supergroup. Phases  
27 precipitated from aqueous solutions under ambient conditions with well-characterized structures  
28 and compositions were studied. For each phase, dissolution enthalpy was experimentally  
29 determined by oxide melt drop solution calorimetry in the molten solvent of sodium molybdate  
30 ( $3\text{Na}_2\text{O}\cdot 4\text{MoO}_3$ ) at 976 K. The enthalpy of formation from the elements  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  was calculated  
31 using thermochemical cycles and was  $-3030.6 \pm 11.5$ ,  $-3026.6 \pm 15.8$ ,  $-2967.6 \pm 25.0$ , and  
32  $-2993.1 \pm 12.2$  kJ/mol for  $\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$ ,  $\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{Cl}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ ,  
33  $\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{Br}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ , and  $\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ , respectively. These  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$   
34 values exhibit typical trends for apatites: they increased (were less negative) with the increasing  
35 molar mass and ionic radius of X and decreased with the electronegativity and ionization energy  
36 of X. The compilation and comparison of data for Ca-, Pb-, P-, and As-apatites revealed  
37 correlations indicating that thermodynamic enthalpic stability is largely influenced by chemical  
38 factors (e.g., differences in electronegativities of the elements, ionization energy, or ionic  
39 characteristics of the bonds) and to a lesser extent by physical and geometric parameters in the  
40 crystal structure related to the mass and size of the X anion. Using the correlations, it was  
41 possible to estimate the value of hitherto unknown  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{F}$ ,  $-3144.3 \pm 66.5$   
42 kJ/mol. The observed relationships apply to the entire apatite supergroup and can be used to  
43 predict the values of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  for phases that have not been studied experimentally. The new data  
44 on environmentally significant phases will contribute to the modeling of mineral-water  
45 interactions, particularly for potential use in the remediation of soils and wastes contaminated  
46 with Pb and As and in the immobilization of radioactive waste containing  $^{129}\text{I}$ .

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## INTRODUCTION

51 Pyromorphite  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{PO}_4)_3\text{Cl}$  and mimetite  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}$  are the most stable lead apatites in the  
52 environment (Maneckı 2019). With the capacity to hold more than half of the long-lived  
53 radioactive elements of the periodic table in its structure (Hughes and Rakovan 2015) and a  
54 structure that allows both cationic and anionic solid solutions and substitutions, apatite is also a  
55 versatile material for application in the field of environmental remediation (Rakovan and Pasteris  
56 2015). The formation of these minerals in contaminated areas of mine dumps significantly  
57 reduces Pb and As bioavailability and improves ecosystem health (e.g., Nriagu 1974; Comba  
58 1987; Ruby et al. 1994; Laperche et al. 1997; Maneckı et al. 2006, 2019; Chappell and Scheckel  
59 2007; Karna et al. 2018). Apatites are also used in permeable reactive barriers (PRBs), e.g., to  
60 isolate groundwater from radionuclides or as a form of processed waste in planned nuclear waste  
61 repositories (Conca et al. 2000; Rigali et al. 2016).

62 The thermodynamic stability of pyromorphite has been extensively studied (see, e.g., Nriagu  
63 1974; Maneckı 2006; Maneckı et al. 2009 and the literature therein). However, little is known  
64 about the thermodynamic properties of mimetite-group minerals. To date, only one study has  
65 reported calculations of the enthalpy of formation for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}$  from dissolution experiments  
66 (Bajda 2010). No calorimetric measurements have been reported to date. In addition, there are no  
67 thermodynamic data for other phases in this group where Cl is replaced by OH, F, Br, or I, and  
68 general information on these phases is scarce (Flis et al. 2011; Cao et al. 2014). This limits  
69 understanding of the properties of apatite as a group and prevents the thermodynamic modeling  
70 of mineral-water interactions in Pb- and As-bearing systems of high environmental importance  
71 (Twidwell et al. 1994; Liu et al. 2009; Nordstrom et al. 2014; Topolska et al. 2014).

72 The synthetic analogs of apatites have been of interest to environmental mineralogists and  
73 materials science engineers for decades. Attempts to synthesize and characterize mimetites with  
74 various halide substitutions were made as early as 1959 (Merker and Wondratschek 1959).  
75 Currently, research on iodine varieties has become particularly important because of their ability  
76 to incorporate radioactive fission products such as I-129 and Cl-36 (Lei et al. 2020). The  
77 immobilization of I-129, one of the problematic fission products, has been particularly  
78 challenging in high-level waste (HLW) disposal because of its high toxicity and volatility as well  
79 as its very long half-life (Cohen 1977). Unlike most liquid wastes, iodine evolves primarily as a  
80 gas during reprocessing and cannot be properly incorporated into borosilicate glass, which is the  
81 ultimate destination of most liquid wastes. Regardless of the waste form, the ultimate goal is to  
82 dispose of these I-129-containing materials underground in deep geologic repositories and isolate  
83 them from human activities for long periods. Therefore, many waste forms have been proposed to  
84 adequately capture the iodine content of waste streams (Sava et al. 2012; Ma et al. 2014; Jie et al.  
85 2017). Among the most promising materials developed to date, synthetic apatites, a group of  
86 synthetic analogs of mineral wastes inspired by natural apatites, are a promising option because  
87 of their high thermal and chemical stability and radiation resistance.

88 A series of lead arsenate apatite-like phases  $Pb_5(AsO_4)_3X$  (where X = OH, Cl, Br, and I) have  
89 been synthesized and used to determine the effect of X anions on enthalpic stability. These well-  
90 characterized synthetic analogs of mimetite were used in high-temperature solution calorimetric  
91 studies to derive their standard heats of formation. The new  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  data enabled aggregation and  
92 comparison of the thermodynamic data for a broad range of Ca to Pb of P and As apatites with  
93 different substitutions at position X. Existing thermodynamic data estimation approaches (Drouet  
94 2015; Glasser 2019) were used to calculate  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  for mimetites for comparison with the new  
95 calorimetric data.

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## EXPERIMENTAL METHODS

### 97 **Synthesis**

98 The following four phases are isostructural with arsenate-lead apatite (mimetite) and were  
99 synthesized using a modified method reported by Baker (1966):  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}$ ,  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}$ ,  
100  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}$ , and  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$ . The apatites were synthesized by the dropwise addition of  
101 aqueous solutions of  $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$ ,  $\text{Na}_2\text{HAsO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , and  $\text{NH}_4\text{X}$  (where X = Cl, Br, and I). Unlike  
102 calcium apatites, lead arsenate apatites do not incorporate significant amounts of Na, and the use  
103 of sodium salts in synthesis does not result in the appearance of detectable amounts of Na in the  
104 structure (Bajda 2010, Huang et al. 2014, Sordyl et al. 2020). The Pb/As and As/X (where X =  
105 OH, Cl, Br, and I) molar ratios in the mixed solutions were maintained at 1.67 and 3.00,  
106 respectively. All samples were synthesized at 298.15 K open to the air (in the presence of  $\text{CO}_2$ ),  
107 making the procedure relevant to the environmental conditions.  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}$  and  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}$   
108 were synthesized at a pH of 4.5 to obtain a homogeneous product and avoid formation of  
109 schultenite  $\text{PbHAsO}_4$  at lower pH.  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}$  and  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$  precipitated at pH 6. Higher  
110 pH can cause the formation of lead hydroxide. The solutions (prepared with double distilled  
111 water) were added at a rate of 2 mL/min, and the pH was maintained using a 1 M solution of  
112  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$  or  $\text{HNO}_3$ . After the synthesis, the suspensions were aged for 72 h, centrifuged, washed  
113 with double distilled water, and dried in an oven at 378.15 K for 48 h.

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### 115 **Characterization of solids**

116 An aliquot of 50 mg of each sample was completely dissolved in 100 mL of 0.02 M EDTA  
117 (dissolved in 10%  $\text{HNO}_3$ ) solution and analyzed for Pb and As using inductively coupled  
118 plasma–optical emission spectrometry (ICP–OES) (Perkin Elmer Optima 7300DV) and for Br  
119 and I using ICP–MS (iCAP RQ (C2) Thermo Scientific). C, H, and N were measured by CHNS

120 analysis using a Vario EL III (Elementar GmbH) apparatus with a TCD detector. Solid  
121 characterization with scanning electron microscopy (SEM) was performed at a low vacuum for  
122 uncoated samples using an FEI Quanta 200 FEG scanning electron microscope (Hillsboro, OR,  
123 USA) equipped with secondary electron (SE) and backscattered electron (BSE) detectors. Energy  
124 dispersive spectrometry (EDS, FEI Quanta) was used to monitor variations in chemical  
125 composition. Powder X-ray diffraction (XRD) patterns were recorded using a Rigaku SmartLab  
126 diffractometer (Neu-Isenburg, Tokyo, Japan) with graphite-monochromatized  $\text{CuK}\alpha$  radiation at  
127 an operating voltage of 45 kV, a current of 200 mA, a step size of  $0.02^\circ$ , and a counting time of 1  
128 s/step. The phases were identified using the ICDD database and XRAYAN software (Marciniak  
129 et al. 2006). Raman spectra were recorded by a DXR Raman microscope (Thermo Fisher  
130 Scientific) using 10 000 scans at  $2\text{ cm}^{-1}$  with an Nd laser YAG at 520 nm. Powders were  
131 analyzed directly without preparation. The laser power was maintained at 10 mW. The maxima  
132 and decomposition of the Raman spectrum bands were determined with mixed Gaussian–  
133 Lorentzian functions using OMNIC software.

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### 135 **High-temperature oxide melt solution calorimetry**

136 A high-temperature Setaram AlexSys 1000 was used to measure the drop solution enthalpies  
137 of synthetic halogenated mimetites. The samples were dissolved in the molten solvent sodium  
138 molybdate ( $3\text{Na}_2\text{O}\cdot 4\text{MoO}_3$ ) at 976 K. The calorimeter was calibrated against a heat content of ~5  
139 mg of  $\alpha\text{-Al}_2\text{O}_3$ . The instrument, calorimetric experiment, and calorimeter calibration are  
140 described elsewhere in detail (Navrotsky 1977, 1997, 2014; Shvareva et al. 2012). Silica  
141 crucibles were used in the present study, as they were found to provide consistent data similar to  
142 platinum crucibles (Zhang et al. 2018). A semi-micro balance was used to weigh approximately 5

143 mg of powdered samples, which were then hand-pressed into pellets of 1.5 mm in diameter.  
144 High-purity O<sub>2</sub> was used to remove any water in the headspace of the calorimetric setup, which  
145 would have resulted from the dissolution of Pb<sub>5</sub>(AsO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>3</sub>OH<sub>0.86</sub>(CO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>0.07</sub> or  
146 Pb<sub>5</sub>(AsO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>3</sub>I<sub>0.45</sub>OH<sub>0.35</sub>(CO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>0.10</sub> in the sodium molybdate solvent. Seven to eleven drop solution  
147 experiments were performed for each material to ensure the reproducibility of the measurements  
148 (see Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Tables S1–S4). Errors associated with calorimetric analyses are reported as  
149 two standard deviations of the mean and are less than 4% of the reported values of the drop  
150 solution enthalpies (see Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Tables S1–S4). To complete the calculation of  
151 thermochemical cycles, the enthalpies of the drop solution for KCl and KBr were determined  
152 experimentally by using the same instrument before the analysis of synthetic apatite-like phases  
153 (see Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Tables S5–S6). Tables with thermochemical cycle data are included below.

154 To determine potential loss of volatile Cl, Br or I during calorimetry, an additional ex-situ  
155 experiment was performed. Portions of 35 mg of KCl, KBr and KI were mixed with 9.5 g of  
156 sodium molybdate solvent (3Na<sub>2</sub>O-4MoO<sub>3</sub>), weighed and placed in an oven at 976 K. The  
157 samples were heated for 45 min and then quenched, cooled in a desiccator, and reweighed.  
158 Quenched solvent-fused KCl was visually homogeneous. The measured mass loss of 1.35 mg is  
159 much lower than the quantity of Cl in the sample (16.47 mg). We assume that all of the KCl has  
160 remained in the solvent and that the small mass loss is due to moisture. In contrast, the solidified  
161 KBr alloy had dark beige spots, which may indicate the formation of a heterogeneous melt. When  
162 the KBr experiment was repeated at 1023 K, the final product appeared homogeneous. It is  
163 therefore likely that at the temperature of the calorimetric measurements (976 K) the KBr reagent  
164 did not form a homogeneous alloy with molybdate. In the case of the KI sample, purple gas was  
165 noted during quenching of the sample, but the resulting alloy was visually homogeneous. The  
166 measured mass loss of 27.82 mg was nearly equal to the expected loss of 26.6 mg that would

167 result if all I was degassed. The small excess of 1.22 mg is similar to that observed for KCl and is  
168 likely due to moisture content. These results indicate that Cl was completely retained in the melt,  
169 Br was partially lost, and I was completely removed during calorimetry.

170 The above statements were further confirmed using in situ thermogravimetric analysis coupled  
171 with analysis of evolved gases and ex situ SEM/EDS. A TA Discovery (TA Instruments, USA)  
172 coupled to a quadrupole mass spectrometer (ThermoStar™ GDS 32, Pfeiffer Vacuum,  
173 Germany) was used for the experiment. An FEI QUANTA FEG 200 SEM-EDS electron  
174 microscope (Thermo Fisher Scientific, Waltham, MA, USA) was used for the measurements.  
175 These experiments involved the analysis of samples of three synthetic samples containing Cl, Br,  
176 and I in the presence of  $3\text{Na}_2\text{O}\cdot 4\text{MoO}_3$  solvent. Unfortunately, due to technical reasons, it was  
177 not possible to determine the presence of halides in the evolved gas. In the case of  
178  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ , the thermal analysis showed that up to 976 K, there was no mass loss in  
179 the sample, indicative of chlorine evolution. Elemental SEM/EDS analysis of the alloy formed  
180 after heating confirmed the presence of Cl (see Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Figure S1a). In the case of  
181  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ , mass loss exceeded that attributable to  $\text{CO}_3$  and was below the  
182 combined mass of Br and  $\text{CO}_3$  in the sample. This result, associated with the presence of Br in  
183 the alloy remaining after the experiment (detected by SEM/EDS analysis, see Supplemental<sup>1</sup>  
184 Figure S1b), indicates that Br undergoes partial volatilization. In contrast, for  
185  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ , a significant mass loss occurred in the temperature range from  
186 823 to 976 K. Moreover, SEM/EDS analysis did not show any iodine present in the melt (within  
187 the method's detection limit of approximately 0.5 wt% for iodine; see Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Figure S1c).  
188 This indicates that all iodine is released from the melted sample at temperatures already lower  
189 than the temperature of the calorimetric measurement.

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## RESULTS

### 193 **Characteristics of the synthesized products**

194 The synthesis procedure produced white to cream colored homogeneous crystalline powders.

195 The crystals imaged using SEM exhibited hexagonal rod and needle morphologies with sizes

196 ranging from 2 to 5  $\mu\text{m}$  (Sordyl et al. 2020), which is typical for synthetic analogs of minerals of

197 the apatite group. The smallest crystals were observed for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ . No

198 other phases were detected by high-resolution synchrotron XRD (Sordyl et al. 2020), SEM, or

199 Raman spectroscopy.

200 The results of chemical analysis, confirmed by Raman spectroscopy as well as by detailed

201 Rietveld analysis of the structures by Sordyl et al. (2020), yielded the empirical formulas of the

202 synthesized phases shown in Table 1. The molar ratio of Pb/As is theoretically 1.67. The

203 presence of OH groups, apparent on the Raman spectrum, was detected and included in the

204 formula of  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$ . The presence of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  was also confirmed by Raman spectroscopy. This

205 result was consistent with the structural analysis presented by Sordyl et al. (2020). The

206 substitution of carbonates is often observed in apatites, resulting from the aqueous synthesis in air

207 (Kwaśniak-Kominek et al. 2017; Lempart et al. 2019). The carbonate content determined by

208 CHNS analysis and estimated by Rietveld structural analysis was 0.16 wt%  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  in

209  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$ , 0.20 wt% in  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ , and 0.20 wt% in

210  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ ; these values were relatively low. In general, except for

211  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ , the amount of substituents was low and did not significantly

212 affect the trends due to halogen and OH substitution in the mimetite structure (Sordyl et al.

213 2020).

214 XRD patterns of the synthesis products indicate that they are crystalline analogs of Pb-As  
215 apatites (Fig. 1). No other phases were detected with a limit of detection of approximately 0.1  
216 wt% for these phases. Precipitation of other phases was avoided by maintaining the pH at 4.5  
217 during synthesis. Sharp narrow diffraction peaks indicated good crystallinity. The position of the  
218 most intense reflection shifted systematically from  $29.48^{\circ}2\theta$  for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$  to  
219  $28.83^{\circ}2\theta$  for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  due to increasing unit cell size. A detailed structural  
220 analysis is presented in Sordyl et al. (2020).

221 Raman spectra of synthetic halogenated mimetites in the range of  $100$  to  $3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$  are shown  
222 in Figure 2. The main bands, the stretching vibration  $\nu_1$  of the As-O bond, are observed between  
223  $806$  and  $811\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The scissor vibration bands  $\nu_2$  of the O-As-O angle are located in the region  
224 between  $300$  and  $340\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , and the bending vibration  $\nu_4$  is observed between  $368$  and  $427\text{ cm}^{-1}$   
225 (Giera et al. 2016). These bands can be further split into two, three, or four bands (Ross 1972).  
226 The positions and assignments of the vibrational bands are summarized in Table 2. The positions  
227 of all bands shifted slightly toward lower wavenumbers with the substitution of the X anion. This  
228 shift is systematic, especially for the strongest band (As-O  $\nu_1$  vibration at approximately  $810\text{ cm}^{-1}$   
229  $^1$ ) and its shoulder ( $\nu_2$  As-O vibration at approximately  $760\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , see inset in Figure 2). This is  
230 likely not due to a systematic increase in the atomic mass or size of the substituted X anion (Fig.  
231 3). The X ion is located in the hexagonal tunnel of the mimetite structure, separated by Pb cations  
232 from the nearest  $\text{AsO}_4$  tetrahedra: the X anion mass and size are not expected to significantly  
233 affect the As-O bonds, as reflected in the position of the corresponding band on the Raman  
234 spectrum (Fig. 3). The cause of the systematic shift observed in the Raman spectra presented in  
235 Figure 3 is unclear. The highest frequency bands near  $3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$  correspond to the OH stretching  
236 modes in the  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$  and  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  structures. For  
237  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$ , two bands of asymmetric  $\nu_3$  stretching vibrations are identified at

238 3551.7  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  and 3512.1  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , which agrees with previous reports (Giera et al. 2016; Lempart et  
239 al. 2019). For  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ , only one OH stretching vibration is observed at  
240 3563.2  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (Fig. 2). The presence of OH groups in  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  is due to a  
241 partial replacement of I by OH. This finding is consistent with the data of Sordyl et al. (2020).  
242 Such substitutions may increase phase stability (Frost et al. 2007). The lack of an extra band in  
243 the  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  spectrum may be related to the ordering of the anion position  
244 in the channel.

245 The presence of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  ions in the mimetite structures is revealed by the characteristic Raman  
246 bands at  $\sim 1050 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  belonging to the symmetric C-O stretching mode  $\nu_1$  (see inset in Figure 2).  
247 Giera et al. (2016) identified the same bands for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}$  synthesized under similar  
248 conditions. These bands result from carbonate dissolved in aqueous solutions during synthesis in  
249 air. The two bands of the carbonate mode  $\nu_4$  overlapped with the symmetric As-O stretching  
250 mode  $\nu_1$ . For  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$ , a single band is observed at 1053.3  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , assigned to the  
251  $\nu_1$  symmetric C-O stretching mode (see Lempart et al. 2019 and literature therein). For  
252  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$  and  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ , similar  $\nu_1$  symmetric C-O stretching  
253 oscillations are observed at 1040.8  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . The spectrum of  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  shows a  
254 weak peak at approximately 1059  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , which may indicate a trace amount of carbonate  
255 substitution in this structure. For  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$ ,  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ , and  
256  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ , the positions of the bands indicate A-type substitution for the X anion,  
257 which is consistent with the chemical analysis results shown in Table 1.

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### 259 **High-temperature oxide melt calorimetry**

260 The values used in the calculations of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  are shown in Table 3. The thermodynamic cycles  
261 used to calculate the enthalpies of formation of synthetic halogenated mimetites from binary

262 oxides and elements are presented in Tables 4, 5, 6, and 7. The mean enthalpies of drop solution  
263 ( $\Delta H_{DS}$ ) of halogenated mimetites and potassium salts (KCl and KBr) are listed in Supplemental<sup>1</sup>  
264 Tables S1–S4 and S5–S6, respectively. Enthalpies of formation from elements  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  for samples  
265 containing OH and I were calculated assuming that all the volatiles escaped to the gas phase. In  
266 contrast, those for Cl and Br assumed that the halogens remained in the solvent. In all cases, the  
267 escape of carbonates into gas was considered. Since the behavior of Br during calorimetry is not  
268 clear, a comparative calculation of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  was performed assuming complete volatilization of Br  
269 into the gas phase. The resulting  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ} = -2969.7 \pm 25.04$  (kJ/mol) differs slightly (by only  
270 0.07% relative) from the value calculated assuming that Br remains entirely in the solvent (Table  
271 3). Therefore, although the behavior of KBr in such calorimetric measurements is still awaiting  
272 full characterization, in this specific case it does not significantly affected the calculated  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$   
273 value for synthetic  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ .

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## DISCUSSION

### 276 Enthalpies of formation of synthetic mimetites

277 New values of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  determined experimentally for synthetic arsenate Pb-apatites increased  
278 systematically from  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$  ( $-3030.6 \pm 11.5$  kJ/mol) through  
279  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$  ( $-3026.6 \pm 15.8$ ) to  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$  ( $-2967.6 \pm 25.0$  kJ/mol).  
280 For  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ , in which iodine is partially substituted by OH groups,  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$   
281 was  $-2993.1 \pm 12.2$  kJ/mol.

282 To date, the value of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ} = -2965.9 \pm 4.7$  kJ/mol for pure synthetic mimetite  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}$   
283 given by Bajda (2010) is the only available experimental result in a series of apatites of lead  
284 arsenate. The enthalpy  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ} = -3026.6 \pm 15.8$  kJ/mol determined in this work is 2% lower.  
285 However, the difference between the two quantities is so great that it requires a detailed

286 explanation. The difference is caused by A-type carbonate substitutions in the synthetic mimetite  
287 studied herein. Type A carbonate substitutions in hydroxyapatite (HAP) result in a difference of  
288 approximately 51.5 kJ/mol in  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  between  $\text{Ca}_5(\text{PO}_4)_3\text{OH}$  and  $\text{Ca}_5(\text{PO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$  (Jebri et  
289 al. 2017). Because these are isostructural phases, it is assumed that the carbonate substitutions in  
290 mimetite have a similar impact on enthalpy. The chlorine deficiency in our mimetite (0.80 a.p.f.u.  
291 Cl) is compensated by the carbonate ion. This deficiency is much smaller for Bajda's (2010)  
292 mimetite, in which the chlorine content is 0.976 a.p.f.u. Bajda's mimetite is probably not  
293 carbonate-free, as most lead apatites are synthesized from aqueous solutions open to the air  
294 (Kwaśniak-Kominek et al. 2015, 2017; Lempart et al. 2019). This is indicated by IR spectra that  
295 showed low-intensity bands from carbonates in the 1000-1100  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  range (see Figure 2 in Bajda  
296 2010). However, the much lower carbonate content makes the enthalpy value  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  determined  
297 by Bajda (2010) less negative by approximately 60.7 kJ/mol.

298 All synthetic analogs of the mimetite in the present study contain substitutions. The deficiency  
299 of Cl and Br is compensated by carbonate ions, and the substitution of OH and carbonate occurs  
300 in  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ . These substitutions were carefully considered when calculating  
301 the experimental  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$ . Thus far, the effect of carbonates on the stability of mimetites expressed  
302 by the  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  function has not been studied. The mole contents of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  are similar for all the  
303 tested phases. From the relationships of the results discussed below, it is assumed that the effect  
304 of the presence of carbonate ions is small and similar for all phases discussed (but non-  
305 negligible). Therefore, the mutual relationships between  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  observed in Figure 4 for other  
306 series of calcium and lead apatites are also preserved for the synthetic apatite-like phases  
307 investigated here.

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309 **Variations in  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  in the apatite supergroup**

310 By making  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  data available for the first time for several analogs of mimetite with  
311 different halogenic substitutions, it is possible to show and explain the systematic variation in  
312  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  values within the apatite supergroup. For this purpose, data were compared for all known  
313 varieties of calcium and lead apatites containing  $\text{PO}_4$  or  $\text{AsO}_4$ . Using the data given in Table 8,  
314 several graphs were plotted showing the variation with respect to some parameters potentially  
315 affecting the enthalpic stability or structure of the apatites.

316 A comparison of the  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  results obtained in this work with the existing data for other  
317 apatites containing different anions at the X position (calcium and lead phosphates and arsenates  
318 with the apatite structure) is shown in Figure 4a and 4b. The new  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  values vary according to  
319 the trends observed for other apatites: the values increased (are less negative) with increasing  
320 molar mass, and the effect of substitution of anions at the X position was similar for all these  
321 apatites. The only reported value of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$  (Bajda 2010) is at a  
322 similar position on the graph as that observed in this study (Fig. 4b).

323 For all apatites,  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  increases with the ionic radius of  $\text{X}^-$  (Fig. 5a). This relationship is  
324 highly linear and surprisingly similar between the different apatite groups. A similar correlation  
325 was noted by Drouet (2015), who only analyzed the phosphate Ca-apatite group. Drouet (2015,  
326 2019) also found no correlation of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  with the size of the  $\text{Me}^{2+}$  cation in apatite. This implies  
327 that the similarities observed in the patterns of variability of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  from the  $\text{X}^-$  radius for  
328 different apatites are very significant. It can be contended that the radius of  $\text{X}^-$  is a predominant  
329 factor contributing to their thermodynamic stability for all apatites. In all cases, the position of  
330 OH-apatites deviates from the line determined by a series of halides. Therefore, all correlation  
331 lines were plotted only on the basis of data for halogenated apatites. The value of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  for OH-  
332 apatites corresponded to an ionic radius of larger than 1.37 Å used for the OH group. This  
333 implies that the effective radius of OH affecting the properties of HAP is greater. The main

334 feature differentiating the OH ion from halide anions is its anisotropy: the charge of the OH ion is  
335 not evenly distributed in space due to the presence of the H<sup>+</sup> proton. The presence of such an  
336 anion in the hexagonal tunnel of the apatite crystalline structure imposes a higher energy penalty;  
337 thus, the enthalpy of formation  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  is higher (more endothermic). There also exist other  
338 modifications, e.g., the presence of H<sup>+</sup> on the OH<sup>-</sup> group can lead to hydrogen bonding effects  
339 within apatite channels, probably causing a stabilizing effect. Additionally, the OH<sup>-</sup> ions in the X-  
340 position ions in the channels within the apatite structure do not occupy the same positions in the *z*  
341 value along the *c*-axis. The larger the X-site anion is, the more separated it is from the mirror  
342 plane of the triangular cationic II sites. Therefore, in all cases, the data for OH-apatites plot above  
343 the line are determined by a series of halogenated apatites. Because of the mixed nature of  
344  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ , the value of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  for this phase is closer to  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  of  
345  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$  and plotted below this line on the graph. The value previously  
346 determined by Bajda (2010) for pure synthetic mimetite  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}$  is also included.

347 An important parameter linking  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  in an isomorphic series is Pauling's electronegativity of  
348 X. In this approximation, an oxygen electronegativity of  $\chi_{\text{O}} = 3.51$  was assumed for the OH  
349 group. The plot in Figure 5b of electronegativity versus  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  for apatites yields a linear  
350 correlation and similar variation for all the apatite groups discussed. The position of  
351  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  slightly below and  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$  slightly above the  
352 line drawn by the other phases of the studied series is observed.

353 Drouet (2015) introduced the ionic character of the Me-X bond denoted as *I'*. It is defined  
354 from the electronegativity values of Me and X as (Equation 1):

$$355 \quad I' = 0.46|\chi_{\text{Me}} - \chi_{\text{X}}| + 0.035(\chi_{\text{Me}} - \chi_{\text{X}})^2 \quad (1)$$

356 where  $\chi_{\text{Me}}$  and  $\chi_{\text{X}}$  are the electronegativities of the metal (Ca or Pb) and halide, respectively. The  
357 correlation of *I'* with  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  shown in Figure 5c is analogous to the correlation with the

358 electronegativity of X. Although such a Me-X bond does not exist, the course of both presented  
359 relationships unequivocally showed that, as observed by Drouet (2015), the effect of halide  
360 electronegativity on the thermodynamic stability of calcium apatites is the same for all the  
361 discussed groups of apatites, regardless of  $\text{Me}^{2+}$  cation or  $\text{PO}_4^{3-}$  and  $\text{AsO}_4^{3-}$  anion. A similar  
362 effect of the difference in electronegativity between Me and X on the stability of apatite might  
363 also be observed. Despite the simplifying assumption for the electronegativity of OH, the plot  
364 location of OH-apatites hardly deviates from the trend line corresponding to halides for  
365 phosphate apatites of the calcium and lead series. The plot location of  
366  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ , for which iodine electronegativity was used, is below the line,  
367 again indicating the influence of OH substitution for I. This is also consistent with the values of  
368  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  determined in this study for correct mimetites and reflects the trends observed for all  
369 apatites.

370 A surprisingly linear correlation was obtained by plotting the dependence on the first  
371 ionization energy of the element X versus  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  of selected apatites (Fig. 5d). It was anticipated  
372 that this value may indirectly reflect the ionic affinity between the  $\text{X}^-$  ion and the apatite  
373 structure. Again, the value for oxygen is used as a proxy for OH, and the OH-apatites are not  
374 included in the regression lines determined by halides.

375 Cruz et al. (2005) noted a very good linear relationship between the enthalpy of the formation  
376 of calcium P-apatites and that of the formation of calcium halides (or oxides) (i.e.,  $\text{MeX}_2$   
377 compounds). An extended comparison is shown in Figure 5e. The same linear relationship is  
378 observed for all apatites. The projection of points for HAP deviates slightly from the trends  
379 determined by halides: for both series of lead apatites, it is slightly (within the error limits) above  
380 the line determined by halides. The position of  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  was slightly below  
381 the trend line, as expected. Thus, a positive correlation of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  of apatites with  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  of  $\text{MeX}_2$



382 exists, indicating that the thermodynamic stability in the isomorphic series of anion X-substituted  
383 apatites is closely linked to that of the corresponding  $\text{MeX}_2$  compounds. This relationship is  
384 identical for all apatites.

385 Some generalizations can be made about  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ .  
386  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$ , obtained as described here, is an intermediate phase of the  
387  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I} - \text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}$  series. This indicates the likelihood of a continuous series of  
388 isomorphic substitutions of OH for I within the mimetites; however, this series was not the focus  
389 here. The results indicate that OH substitutions in  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$  increase  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  ( $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  becomes  
390 more endothermic). Figure 5 shows that the value determined in this work for  
391  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  is close to the intermediate value between  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  for  
392  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$  and  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  expected for pure  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$  based on the regression  
393 line. It is, however, plotted closer to the position expected for pure  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$  than the  
394 intermediate position between I-OH. This indicates that the substitution of OH in  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$  has  
395 a small effect on the change in its thermodynamic properties and that  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$  dominates. The  
396 pure  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$  is probably enthalpically the least stable of the entire subgroup discussed here  
397 (it has the most positive  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$ ). These relationships require confirmation through studies of the  
398  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I} - \text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}$  series and thermodynamic characterization of the intermediate  
399 phases.

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#### 401 **Predictions of $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$ for pure endmembers**

402 Analysis of Figure 5 shows that for all the existing data for the analyzed apatites, the enthalpy  
403 of formation  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  changes linearly with (1) electronegativity, (2) the ionic character of the bond  
404 Me-X, (3) the first ionization energy of the element X, and (4) the enthalpy of the formation of  
405  $\text{MeX}_2$ . An extrapolation of the trend lines presented in Figures 5 a-e was used to estimate the

406 value of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  predicted for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{F}$ . The obtained values are  $-3215.4$ ,  $-3087.4$ ,  $-3090.1$ ,  
407  $-3252.7$ , and  $-3076.1$  kJ/mol. The arithmetic mean of the  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  values thus estimated for  
408  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{F}$  is  $-3144.3 \pm 66.5$  (error represents two standard errors  $2\sigma_M$  of the mean). The value  
409 is currently the only existing data of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{F}$  and can be used as an approximation  
410 in other calculations until it is determined experimentally.

411 Another tool to estimate  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  is the use of thermochemical cycles based on lattice energies  
412 ( $U_{\text{POT}}$ ) proposed by Flora et al. (2004). Unfortunately, because of the lack of data for the enthalpy  
413 of formation and the enthalpy of hydration for gaseous  $\text{AsO}_4^{3-}$  ( $\Delta H_{f, \text{AsO}_4^{3-},g}^{\circ}$  and  $\Delta H_{\text{hydration}, \text{AsO}_4^{3-},g}^{\circ}$ ,  
414 respectively), the experimental values of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  or  $U_{\text{POT}}$  cannot be determined directly.  
415 Therefore, for As-apatites, thermochemical cycles proposed by Flora et al. (2004) are not relevant  
416 here. However, the Glasser-Jenkins Equation 3 (Glasser and Jenkins 2000) supports the  
417 calculation of  $U_{\text{POT}}$  values based on the measured or calculated volume of a unit cell:

$$418 \quad U_{\text{POT}} \left( \frac{\text{kJ}}{\text{mol}} \right) = 26680 \times V_m^{1/3} \quad (3)$$

419 where  $U_{\text{POT}}$  is the estimated lattice energy in kJ/mol and  $V_m$  is the measured volume of a crystal  
420 unit cell in  $\text{nm}^3$ . Flora et al. (2004) examined the difference between the  $U_{\text{POT}}$  obtained using  
421 Equation (3) and the experimental  $U_{\text{POT}}$  calculated using appropriate thermochemical cycles. The  
422 error for lead phosphate apatites (pyromorphites, most similar to mimetites) was relatively large  
423 at 8% (Flora et al. 2004). However, an attempt was made to perform such calculations because  
424 the lattice enthalpy is directly related to the enthalpy of apatite formation, and we have lattice  
425 volumes  $V_m$  obtained for these mimetites from high-resolution synchrotron PXRD data (Sordyl et  
426 al. 2020). This estimation may be useful, e.g., for the prediction of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$   $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{F}$ , for  
427 which calorimetric determination is not currently feasible for technical reasons. The results are  
428 shown in Table 9 and Figure 6b. As with the other relationships discussed above, the correlations

429 observed in the halogen series are linear. The line is determined by three points:  
430  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$ ,  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ , and  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}_{0.8}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.1}$ . Similar to the  
431 plots in Figure 5, the value determined for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  plots slightly  
432 downward due to the substitution of I with OH.

433 Based on the linear regression shown in Figure 6a, extrapolation was performed, and the  
434 estimated  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{F}$  value was  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ = -3152 \pm 267$  kJ/mol. This predicted value differs only  
435 slightly from the value of  $-3144 \pm 67$  kJ/mol estimated above from the relationship in Figure 5.  
436 The agreement of the results obtained from the independent predictions strongly strengthens the  
437 confidence in the results obtained. However, experimental confirmation is required in the future.  
438 Additionally, similar correlations are observed using the  $U_{\text{PO}_4}$  calculated by Flora et al. (2004)  
439 and selected  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  for Pb and Ca P-apatites with different halogen substituents (see  
440 Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Figure S2 and Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Table S9). On the basis of these correlations, an  
441 attempt was made to extrapolate  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{PO}_4)_3\text{I}$  and  $\text{Ca}_5(\text{PO}_4)_3\text{I}$ , resulting in  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ =$   
442  $-4021 \pm 148$  and  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ = -6423 \pm 76$  kJ/mol, respectively.

443 The value presented here for  $\text{Ca}_5(\text{PO}_4)_3\text{I}$  differed from  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ = -6475 \pm 60$  kJ/mol obtained  
444 by Cruz et al. (2005) and  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ = -6450 \pm 200$  kJ/mol from the SSA model obtained by Glasser  
445 (2019) by only approximately 0.8% and 0.4%, respectively.

446 The  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  for the studied phases can be compared with the predictions. The estimation or  
447 prediction of thermodynamic data for apatites has attracted the interest of many scientists (see,  
448 e.g., Flora et al. 2004; Iglesia 2009; Drouet 2015; Glasser 2019 and the literature cited therein).  
449 The majority of the work has been conducted on phosphate apatites (Drouet 2015). A recent  
450 paper by Glasser (2019) describes the application of the so-called simple salt approximation  
451 (SSA) model of Yoder and Flora (2005) to simplify calculations of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  for both phosphate and

452 arsenate apatites, including mimetite  $Pb_5(AsO_4)_3Cl$ . The calculation is based on the application of  
453 Equation 2 (after Glasser 2019, modified):

$$454 \quad \Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ} \text{ of apatite} = 1.5 \times \Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ} (As_2O_5) + 0.5 \times \Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ} (PbX_2) \quad (2)$$

455 where X = F, OH, Cl, Br, or I. Our experimental results and calculations using the SSA model  
456 differed from 3.3% to 7.8% (Table 9). The discrepancies are evident in Figure 6b: the slope of the  
457 line related to the values determined by both methods is far from 1. Although our synthetic  
458 analogs of mimetite contain substitutions, this finding is in line with Glasser's (2019) opinion  
459 that using the SSA model to evaluate the thermochemical data for arsenic apatites is not  
460 recommended as it is affected by large errors.

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## IMPLICATIONS

464 The determination and estimation of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  for a wide group of synthetic lead arsenate apatite-  
465 like phases isostructural with mimetite with different anion substitutions in the X position (X =  
466 OH, Cl, Br, and I) have allowed us for the first time to compile and compare values between Ca-,  
467 Pb-, P-, and As-apatites. This uncovered many systematic relationships hitherto unknown,  
468 indicating that the thermodynamic enthalpic stability is largely influenced by chemical factors  
469 (e.g., differences in electronegativities of elements, ionization energy, or ionic characteristics of  
470 the bonds) and probably to a lesser extent by physical and geometric parameters in the crystal  
471 structure that are related to the mass and size of the X anion. A major implication of such a  
472 comparison of the data is the conjecture that the observed relationships are universal for the entire  
473 apatite supergroup and can be used to predict the expected values of  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  for phases that have  
474 not been studied experimentally. The presented explanation of the regular variability in  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$

475 within the Ca- and Pb-apatites contributes significantly to the understanding of apatites as a  
476 whole mineral supergroup.

477 To date, synthetic  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{VO}_4)_3\text{I}$  and  $\text{Ca}_5(\text{PO}_4)_3(\text{I},\text{OH})$  have been proposed as potential hosts for  
478 I-129 (Hassan and Ryu 2019; Guo et al. 2020), but the easy-to-synthesize  
479  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  discussed here is also a promising phase belonging to the apatite  
480 supergroup. It remains unclear how these apatite waste forms will be deposited in a repository  
481 and how they will behave in the presence of infiltrating water. Because of the long half-life of I-  
482 129, it is critical to predict the long-term chemical stability of iodine waste forms. To enable such  
483 predictions, computer simulations of the reactions, and modeling of the processes involved, it is  
484 necessary to obtain basic thermodynamic data. The direct experimental determination of  
485 thermodynamic parameters such as  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  and solubility constants  $K_{sp}$  is challenging. The  
486 presented experimental methods coupled with theoretical calculations and predictions bring us  
487 closer to this goal.

488 The results of this work also allow us to comment on two different methods for determining  
489  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$ . Although faster and more direct, calorimetric measurement requires high-quality  
490 analytical equipment and high precision. Because of technical and equipment limitations, it is  
491 sometimes difficult or impossible to perform such measurements for certain substances (e.g.,  
492  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{F}$ ). Determination of the enthalpy of formation can also be accomplished by  
493 dissolution experiments in aqueous solutions and by determining the variation of the solubility  
494 constant  $K_{sp}$  with T. This technique also has limitations for many substances. It is used for  
495 substances showing measurable solubility in aqueous solutions. Although it is time-consuming,  
496 the precision of the determinations does not differ from that of calorimetric measurements.  
497 Therefore, in further studies, an attempt will be made to verify the calorimetric data  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  by  
498 direct experimental determination of  $K_{sp}$  at different temperatures for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{X}$  (where X=F,

499 OH, Cl, Br, I). For such, calorimetric measurements are difficult, and the only data available are  
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## Tables

712 Table 1. Chemical composition of synthetic analogs of mimetite.

Ideal Chemical Formula	Empirical Chemical Formula
$\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Cl}$	$\text{Pb}_{5.00\pm 0.02}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00\pm 0.04}\text{Cl}_{0.80\pm 0.05}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10\pm 0.02}$
$\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{Br}$	$\text{Pb}_{5.00\pm 0.02}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00\pm 0.05}\text{Br}_{0.80\pm 0.03}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10\pm 0.02}$
$\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{I}$	$\text{Pb}_{5.00\pm 0.03}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00\pm 0.02}\text{I}_{0.45\pm 0.02}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10\pm 0.02}$
$\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}$	$\text{Pb}_{5.00\pm 0.02}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00\pm 0.03}\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07\pm 0.02}$

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729 Table 2. List of Raman bands for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{X}$  (where X=Cl, Br, I, OH) and selected parameters

730 for plotting Figure 3.

Bands ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ )/species (X)	Cl	Br	(I,OH)	OH
$\nu_1$	810.7	810.3	807.4	806.6
$\nu_2$	336.0	332.0	332.0	340.0
$\nu_3$	766.2	757.7	748.0	777.1
$\nu_4$	370.0	371.0	372.0	368.0
OH	-	-	3563.2	3551.7
carbonates	1040.8	1040.8	1059.1	1053.3
Molar mass of X (g/mol)	35	80	127	17
Ionic radii of $\text{X}^-$ (Å)	1.8	2	2.2	1.4

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745 Table 3. Measured, calculated, or extracted from the literature enthalpies of drop solution  $\Delta H_{DS}$  in

746  $3\text{Na}_2\text{O}\cdot 4\text{MoO}_3$  at 976 K,  $\Delta H_{\text{heat content (hc)}}$  (for gases), and enthalpies of formation from elements

747  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  used in thermochemical cycles for calculating  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  of the analyzed synthetic analogs of

748 mimetite.

Compound	$\Delta H_{DS}$ or $\Delta H_{hc}$ (g, 700 °C) (kJ/mol)	$\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$ (kJ/mol)
$\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{Cl}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$	$533.38 \pm 13.75^*$	$-3026.6 \pm 15.8^*$
$\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{Br}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$	$514.23 \pm 22.40^*$	$-2967.6 \pm 25.0^*$
$\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$	$498.96 \pm 8.34^*$	$-2993.1 \pm 12.2^*$
$\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$	$474.66 \pm 9.79^*$	$-3030.6 \pm 11.5^*$
PbO	$-15.39 \pm 1.14^a$	$-217.3 \pm 0.3^c$
$\text{As}_2\text{O}_5$	$76.70 \pm 0.80^b$	$-926.0^d$
$\text{K}_2\text{O}$	$-318.00 \pm 3.10^c$	$-363.2 \pm 2.1^c$
KCl	$71.32 \pm 1.38^*$	$-436.5 \pm 0.2^c$
KBr	$78.41 \pm 2.01^*$	$-393.8 \pm 0.2^c$
$\text{I}_2(\text{g})$	$87.85^f$	0
$\text{Br}_2(\text{g})$	$56.09^f$	0
$\text{CO}_2(\text{g})$	$32.07^f$	$-393.5 \pm 1.3^c$
$\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g})$	$69.00^c$	$-285.8 \pm 0.1^c$
$\text{O}_2(\text{g})$	$21.74^c$	0

749 Note: g - gas; the uncertainty represents two standard deviations of the mean ( $2\sigma_M$ ); \* - this work  
 750 (see Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Tables S1–S6); <sup>a</sup> - Majzlan et al. (2002); <sup>b</sup> - Forray et al. (2014); <sup>c</sup> - Robie and  
 751 Hemingway (1995); <sup>d</sup> - Dinsdale (1991); <sup>e</sup> - Navrotsky (2014); <sup>f</sup> - calculated from JANAF.

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753 Table 4. Reactions and thermodynamic cycles used for  $\text{Pb}_5(\text{AsO}_4)_3\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$  to calculate  
 754 the enthalpy of formation from the elements at 25 °C according to the reaction:  $5\text{PbO} + 1.5\text{As}_2\text{O}_5$   
 755  $+ 0.43\text{H}_2\text{O} + 0.07\text{CO}_2 = \text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}$ .

No	Reaction	$\Delta H$ (kJ/mol)
(1)	$\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow 5\text{PbO}_{(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$ $+ 1.5\text{As}_2\text{O}_{5(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} + 0.43\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(\text{g}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} + 0.07\text{CO}_{2(\text{g}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(1)} =$ $\Delta H_{DS}[\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}]$
(2)	$\text{PbO}_{(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{PbO}_{(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(2)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{PbO})^a$
(3)	$\text{As}_2\text{O}_{5(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{As}_2\text{O}_{5(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(3)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{As}_2\text{O}_5)^b$
(4)	$\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(\text{l}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}_{(\text{g}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(4)} = \Delta H_{hc}(\text{H}_2\text{O})^c$
(5)	$\text{CO}_{2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{CO}_{2(\text{g}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(5)} = \Delta H_{hc}(\text{CO}_2)^d$
(6)	$\text{Pb}_{(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} + 0.5\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{PbO}_{(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(6)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{PbO})^c$
(7)	$2\text{As}_{(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} + 2.5\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{As}_2\text{O}_{5(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(7)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{As}_2\text{O}_5)^e$
(8)	$\text{H}_{2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} + 0.5\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}_{(\text{l}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(8)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{H}_2\text{O})^c$
(9)	$\text{C}_{(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} + \text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{CO}_{2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(9)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{CO}_2)^c$
(10)	$5\text{Pb}_{(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} + 3\text{As}_{(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} + 0.43\text{H}_{2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} + 6.535\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})}$ $+ 0.07\text{C}_{(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(10)} = \Delta H_f$ $_{el}[\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{OH}_{0.86}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.07}] = -\Delta H_{(1)}$ $+ 5\Delta H_{(2)} + 1.5\Delta H_{(3)} + 0.43\Delta H_{(4)} +$ $0.07\Delta H_{(5)} + 5\Delta H_{(6)} + 1.5\Delta H_{(7)} + 0.43\Delta H_{(8)}$

$$+ 0.07\Delta H_{(9)}$$

756 Note: c - crystal; sln - solution; g - gas; l - liquid; <sup>a</sup> - Majzlan et al. (2002); <sup>b</sup> - Forray et al. (2014);

757 <sup>c</sup> - Robie and Hemingway (1995); <sup>d</sup> - calculated from JANAF; <sup>e</sup> - Dinsdale (1991).

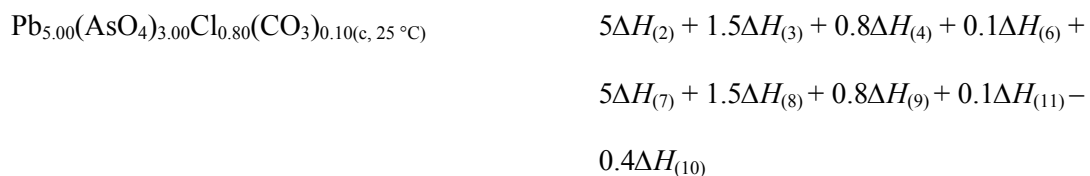
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759 Table 5. Reactions and thermodynamic cycles used for  $\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{Cl}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  to calculate

760 the enthalpies of formation from the elements at 25 °C according to the reaction:  $5\text{PbO} +$

761  $1.5\text{As}_2\text{O}_5 + 0.8\text{KCl} + 0.1\text{CO}_2 = \text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{Cl}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10} + 0.4\text{K}_2\text{O}$ .

No	Reaction	$\Delta H$ (kJ/mol)
(1)	$\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{Cl}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 0.4\text{K}_2\text{O}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow 5\text{PbO}(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 1.5\text{As}_2\text{O}_5(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 0.8\text{KCl}(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 0.1\text{CO}_2(\text{g}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(1)} = \Delta H_{DS}[\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{Cl}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}] + 0.4\Delta H_{DS}(\text{K}_2\text{O})$
(2)	$\text{PbO}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{PbO}(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(2)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{PbO})^a$
(3)	$\text{As}_2\text{O}_5(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{As}_2\text{O}_5(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(3)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{As}_2\text{O}_5)^b$
(4)	$\text{KCl}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{KCl}(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(4)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{KCl})^*$
(5)	$\text{K}_2\text{O}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{O}(\text{sln}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(5)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{K}_2\text{O})^c$
(6)	$\text{CO}_2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g}, 700\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(6)} = \Delta H_{hc}(\text{CO}_2)^d$
(7)	$\text{Pb}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 0.5\text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{PbO}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(7)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{PbO})^e$
(8)	$2\text{As}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 2.5\text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{As}_2\text{O}_5(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(8)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{As}_2\text{O}_5)^f$
(9)	$\text{K}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 0.5\text{Cl}_2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{KCl}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(9)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{KCl})^e$
(10)	$2\text{K}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 0.5\text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{O}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(10)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{K}_2\text{O})^e$
(11)	$\text{C}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(11)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{CO}_2)^e$
(12)	$5\text{Pb}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 3\text{As}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 0.4\text{Cl}_2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 0.1\text{C}(\text{c}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) + 6.15\text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow$	$\Delta H_{(12)} = \Delta H_{f, el}[\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{Cl}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}] = -\Delta H_{(1)} +$



762 Note: c - crystal; sln - solution; g - gas; \* - This work (see Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Table S5); <sup>a</sup> - Majzlan  
763 et al. (2002); <sup>b</sup> - Forray et al. (2014); c - Navrotsky (2014); <sup>d</sup> - calculated from JANAF; <sup>e</sup> - Robie  
764 and Hemingway (1995); <sup>f</sup> - Dinsdale (1991).

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784 Table 6. Reactions and thermodynamic cycles used for  $\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_3.00\text{Br}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  to calculate  
 785 the enthalpies of formation from the elements at 25 °C according to the reaction:  $5\text{PbO} +$   
 786  $1.5\text{As}_2\text{O}_5 + 0.8\text{KBr} + 0.1\text{CO}_2 = \text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_3.00\text{Br}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10} + 0.4\text{K}_2\text{O}$ .

No	Reaction	$\Delta H$ (kJ/mol)
(1)	$\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_3.00\text{Br}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 0.4\text{K}_2\text{O}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow 5\text{PbO}(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C}) + 1.5\text{As}_2\text{O}_5(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C}) + 0.8\text{KBr}(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C}) + 0.1\text{CO}_2(\text{g}, 700^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(1)} = \Delta H_{DS}[\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_3.00\text{Br}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}] + 0.4\Delta H_{DS}(\text{K}_2\text{O})$
(2)	$\text{PbO}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{PbO}(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(2)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{PbO})^a$
(3)	$\text{As}_2\text{O}_5(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{As}_2\text{O}_5(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(3)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{As}_2\text{O}_5)^b$
(4)	$\text{KBr}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{KBr}(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(4)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{KBr})^*$
(5)	$\text{K}_2\text{O}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{O}(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(5)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{K}_2\text{O})^c$
(6)	$\text{CO}_2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g}, 700^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(6)} = \Delta H_{hc}(\text{CO}_2)^d$
(7)	$\text{Pb}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 0.5\text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{PbO}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(7)} = \Delta H_{f,el}(\text{PbO})^c$
(8)	$2\text{As}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 2.5\text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{As}_2\text{O}_5(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(8)} = \Delta H_{f,el}(\text{As}_2\text{O}_5)^e$
(9)	$\text{K}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 0.5\text{Br}_2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{KBr}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(9)} = \Delta H_{f,el}(\text{KBr})^c$
(10)	$2\text{K}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 0.5\text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{O}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(10)} = \Delta H_{f,el}(\text{K}_2\text{O})^c$
(11)	$\text{C}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(11)} = \Delta H_{f,el}(\text{CO}_2)^c$
(12)	$5\text{Pb}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 3\text{As}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 0.4\text{Br}_2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 0.1\text{C}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 6.075\text{O}_2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C}) \rightarrow \text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_3.00\text{Br}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(12)} = \Delta H_{f,el}[\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_3.00\text{Br}_{0.80}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}] = -\Delta H_{(1)} + 5\Delta H_{(2)} + 1.5\Delta H_{(3)} + 0.8\Delta H_{(4)} + 0.1\Delta H_{(6)} + 5\Delta H_{(7)} + 1.5\Delta H_{(8)} + 0.8\Delta H_{(9)} + 0.1\Delta H_{(11)} - 0.4\Delta H_{(10)}$

787 Note: c - crystal; sln - solution; g - gas; \* - This work (see Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Table S6); <sup>a</sup> – Majzlan  
788 et al. 2002; <sup>b</sup> - Forray et al. (2014); <sup>c</sup> – Robie and Hemingway (1995); <sup>d</sup> - calculated from JANAF;  
789 <sup>e</sup> - Dinsdale (1991).

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809 Table 7. Reactions and thermodynamic cycles used for  $\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}$  to  
 810 calculate the enthalpies of formation from the elements at 25 °C according to the reaction:  $5\text{PbO}$   
 811  $+ 1.5\text{As}_2\text{O}_5 + 0.225\text{I}_2 + 0.175\text{H}_2\text{O} + 0.1\text{CO}_2 = \text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10} + 0.1125\text{O}_2$ .

No	Reaction	$\Delta H$ (kJ/mol)
(1)	$\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C}) + 0.1125\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow 5\text{PbO}_{(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C})} + 1.5\text{As}_2\text{O}_{5(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C})} + 0.225\text{I}_{2(\text{g}, 700^\circ\text{C})} + 0.175\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(\text{g}, 700^\circ\text{C})} + 0.1\text{CO}_{2(\text{g}, 700^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(1)} = \Delta H_{DS}[\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}] + 0.1125\Delta H_{hc}(\text{O}_2)$
(2)	$\text{PbO}_{(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{PbO}_{(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(2)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{PbO})^a$
(3)	$\text{As}_2\text{O}_{5(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{As}_2\text{O}_{5(\text{sln}, 700^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(3)} = \Delta H_{DS}(\text{As}_2\text{O}_5)^b$
(4)	$\text{I}_{2(\text{s}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{I}_{2(\text{g}, 700^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(4)} = \Delta H_{hc}(\text{I}_2)^c$
(5)	$\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(\text{l}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}_{(\text{g}, 700^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(5)} = \Delta H_{hc}(\text{H}_2\text{O})^d$
(6)	$\text{CO}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{CO}_{2(\text{g}, 700^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(6)} = \Delta H_{hc}(\text{CO}_2)^c$
(7)	$\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 700^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(7)} = \Delta H_{hc}(\text{O}_2)^d$
(8)	$\text{Pb}_{(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})} + 0.5\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{PbO}_{(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(8)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{PbO})^d$
(9)	$2\text{As}_{(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})} + 2.5\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{As}_2\text{O}_{5(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(9)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{As}_2\text{O}_5)^e$
(10)	$\text{H}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} + 0.5\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}_{(\text{l}, 25^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(10)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{H}_2\text{O})^d$
(11)	$\text{C}_{(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})} + \text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{CO}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})}$	$\Delta H_{(11)} = \Delta H_{f, el}(\text{CO}_2)^d$
(12)	$5\text{Pb}_{(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})} + 3\text{As}_{(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})} + 0.225\text{I}_{2(\text{s}, 25^\circ\text{C})} + 0.175\text{H}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} + 0.1\text{C}_{(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})} + 6.325\text{O}_{2(\text{g}, 25^\circ\text{C})} \rightarrow \text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}(\text{c}, 25^\circ\text{C})$	$\Delta H_{(12)} = \Delta H_f$ $el[\text{Pb}_{5.00}(\text{AsO}_4)_{3.00}\text{I}_{0.45}\text{OH}_{0.35}(\text{CO}_3)_{0.10}] = -\Delta H_{(1)}$ $+ 5\Delta H_{(2)} + 1.5\Delta H_{(3)} + 0.225\Delta H_{(4)} + 0.175\Delta H_{(5)}$ $+ 0.1\Delta H_{(6)} + 5\Delta H_{(8)} + 1.5\Delta H_{(9)} + 0.175\Delta H_{(10)} + 0.1\Delta H_{(11)}$

812 Note: sln - solution; g - gas; c - crystal; s - solid; l - liquid; <sup>a</sup> - Majzlan et al. (2002); <sup>b</sup> - Forray et  
813 al. (2014); <sup>c</sup> - calculated from JANAF; <sup>d</sup> - Robie and Hemingway (1995); <sup>e</sup> - Dinsdale (1991).

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835 Table 8. Selected  $\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$  of apatites extracted from Supplemental<sup>1</sup> Table S8 and other physical  
 836 and thermodynamic parameters of X (where X = F, OH, Cl, Br, and I) or binary compound MeX<sub>2</sub>  
 837 (where Me = Ca and Pb) used for plotting diagrams in Figures 5 and 6.

Chemical formula of selected apatite-like phase:	$\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$ of apatite		Molar mass (g/mol)	I <sup>-</sup> ionic radius of X <sup>-</sup> (Å)		Pauling electronegativity $\chi_X$ of X	First ionisation energy $E_X^+$ of X (kJ/mol)	$\Delta H_{f,el}^{\circ}$ of MeX <sub>2</sub> (cr.) (kJ/mol)
	(kJ/mol)	Error (kJ/mol)		of X <sup>-</sup> (Å)	Me-X bond			
Pb <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> F	-	-	1471.8	1.33	1.17	3.98	1681	-676.0
Pb <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> OH <sub>0.86</sub> (CO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>0.07</sub>	-3030.6	11.5	1471.6	1.40	0.89	3.51	1314	-516.0
Pb <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Cl <sub>0.80</sub> (CO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>0.10</sub>	-3026.6	15.8	1487.1	1.81	0.69	3.16	1252	-359.4
Pb <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Br <sub>0.80</sub> (CO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>0.10</sub>	-2967.6	25.0	1522.7	1.96	0.58	2.96	1140	-278.7
Pb <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> I <sub>0.45</sub> OH <sub>0.35</sub> (CO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>0.10</sub>	-2993.1	12.2	1521.8	2.20	0.42	2.66	1008	-175.2
Ca <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> F	-5639.3	42.8	636.1	1.33	1.68	3.98	1681	-1228.0
Ca <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> OH	-5604.0	41.0	634.2	1.40	1.38	3.51	1314	-986.1
Ca <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Cl	-	-	652.6	1.81	1.16	3.16	1252	-795.4
Ca <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Br	-	-	697.1	1.96	1.04	2.96	1140	-682.8
Ca <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> I	-	-	744.1	2.20	0.86	2.66	1008	-536.8
Pb <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> F	-4233.0	31.5	1339.9	1.33	1.17	3.98	1681	-676.0
Pb <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> OH	-4130.5	21.3	1337.9	1.40	0.89	3.51	1314	-516.0
Pb <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Cl	-4111.1	8.0	1356.4	1.81	0.69	3.16	1252	-359.4
Pb <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Br	-4090.0	-	1400.8	1.96	0.58	2.96	1140	-278.7
Pb <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> I	-	-	1447.8	2.20	0.42	2.66	1008	-175.2

Ca <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> F	-6823.8	84.1	504.3	1.33	1.68	3.98	1681	-1228.0
Ca <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> OH	-6710.5	75.7	502.3	1.40	1.38	3.51	1314	-986.1
Ca <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Cl	-6588.0	53.0	520.8	1.81	1.16	3.16	1252	-795.4
Ca <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Br	-6531.5	40.5	565.2	1.96	1.04	2.96	1140	-682.8
Ca <sub>5</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> I	-6474.5	16.0	612.2	2.20	0.86	2.66	1008	-536.8

838 Note: Ionic radius of X<sup>-</sup> taken from Shannon and Prewitt (1969); I' - ionic characteristic of Me-X  
 839 bond as defined earlier by Dean (1999);  $\chi_X$  of X extracted from Pauling (1988); first ionization  
 840 energy E<sub>X</sub><sup>+</sup> of X taken from Dean (1999);  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  of MeX<sub>2</sub> (cr.) extracted from Robie and  
 841 Hemingway (1995).

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844 Table 9. Predicted  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  of apatite-like phases by the SSA model and lattice energies calculated  
 845 based on the experimental volume  $V_m$ .

Chemical formula	arsenate	$\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$ (arsenate) (kJ/mol)	PbX <sub>2</sub>	$\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$ (PbX <sub>2</sub> ) (kJ/mol)	$\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$ of apatite (SSA)	difference (SSA - exp)	% difference  (SSA - exp)/exp	$V_m$ (nm <sup>3</sup> )	$U_{POT}$ single cell (kJ)
Pb <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> OH	Pb <sub>3</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	-1780.2	Pb(OH) <sub>2</sub>	-516.00	-2928.30	92.03	3.3%	0.338	18588
Pb <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Cl	Pb <sub>3</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	-1780.2	PbCl <sub>2</sub>	-359.41	-2850.01	156.87	4.0%	0.338	18591
Pb <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> Br	Pb <sub>3</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	-1780.2	PbBr <sub>2</sub>	-278.65	-2809.63	138.90	5.3%	0.344	18697
Pb <sub>5</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> I	Pb <sub>3</sub> (AsO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	-1780.2	PbI <sub>2</sub>	-175.20	-2757.90	205.84	7.8%	0.350	18794

846 Note:  $\Delta H_{f,el}^\circ$  for arsenate and PbX<sub>2</sub> (where X = OH, Cl, Br, and I) are taken from Robie and  
 847 Hemingway (1995); SSA - simple salt approximation; exp - experimental value;  $V_m$  -  
 848 experimental molar volume of a unit cell (Sordyl et al. 2020);  $U_{POT}$  - lattice energy.

Figure 1.

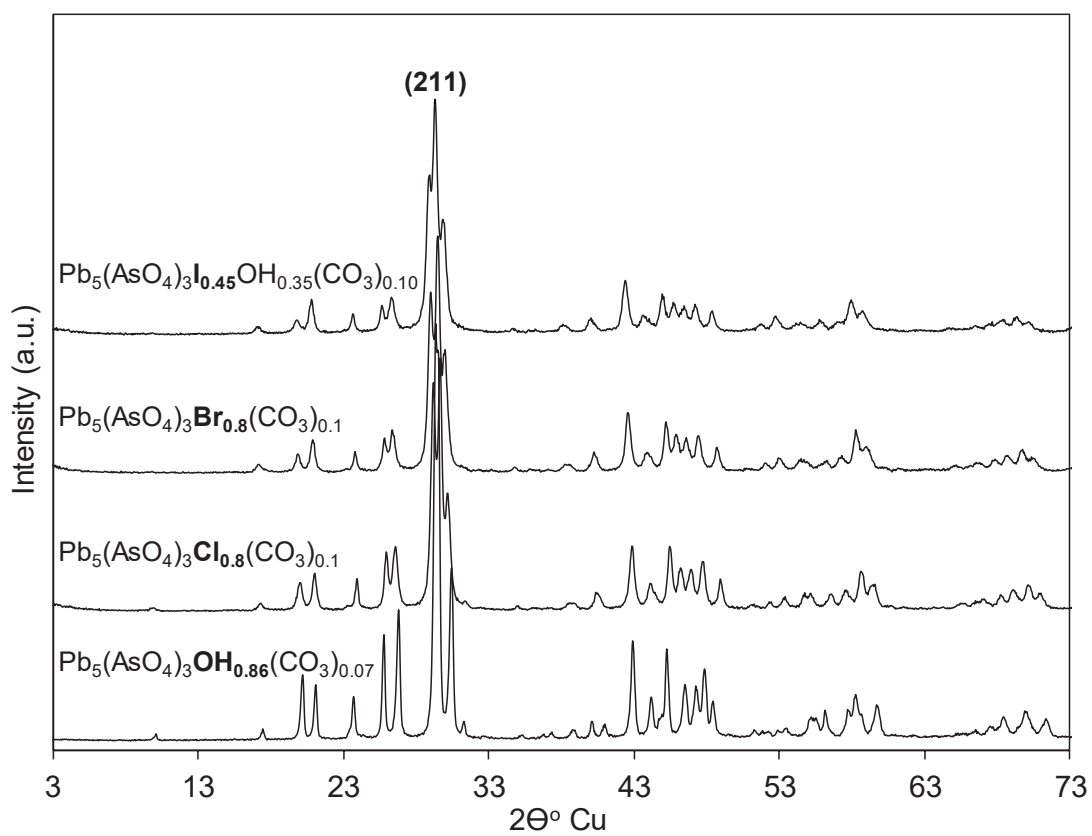
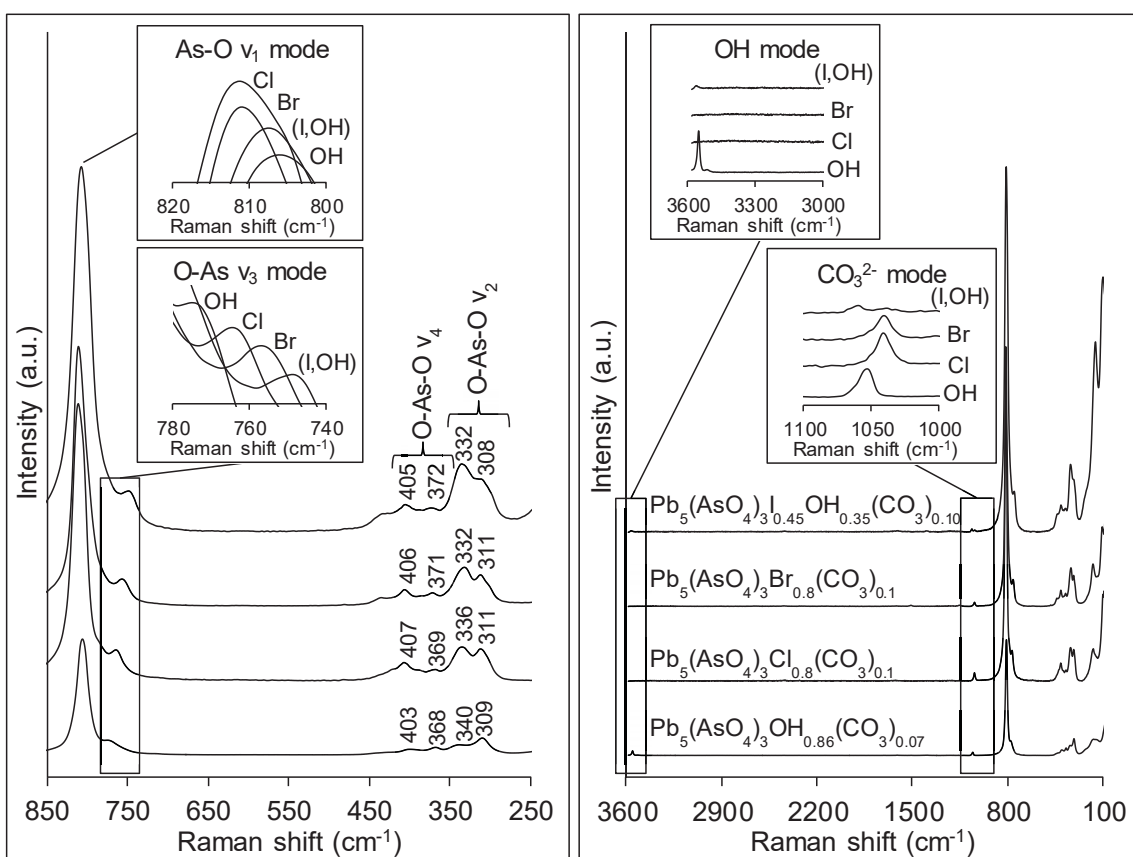
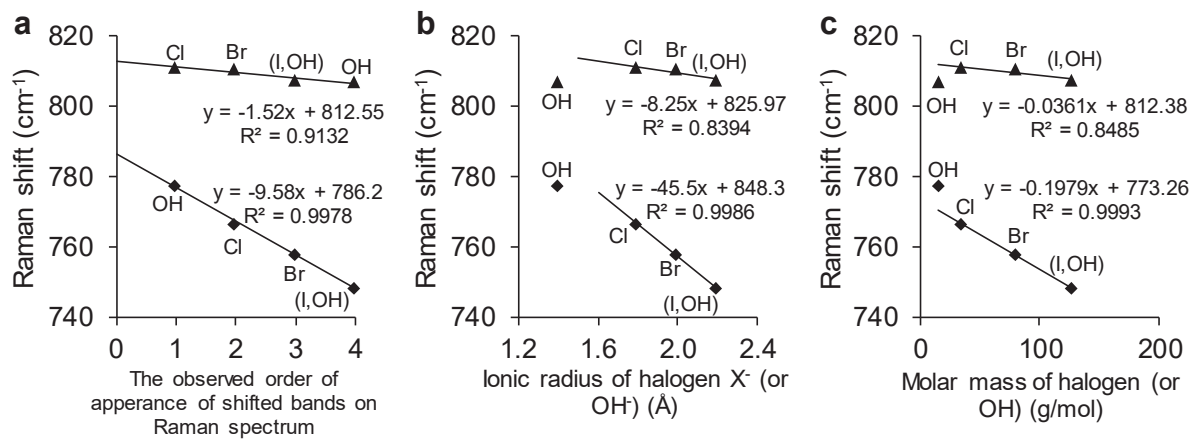


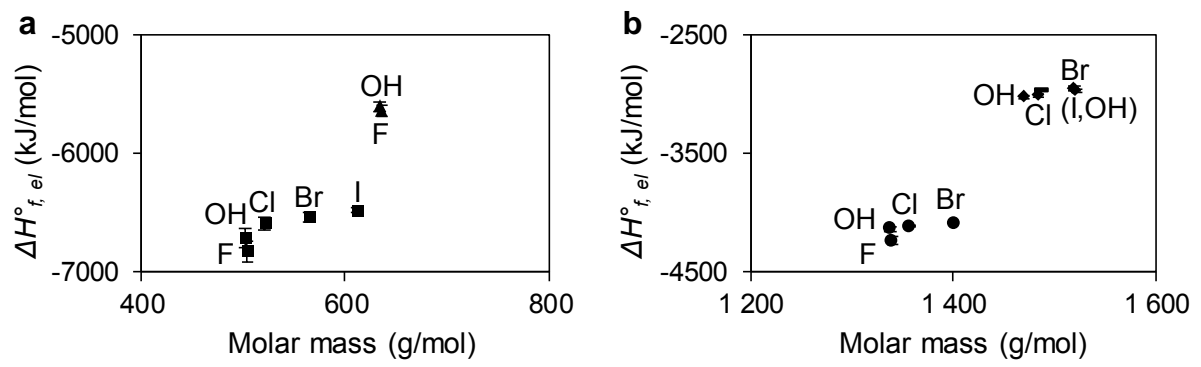
Figure 2.



**Figure 3.**



**Figure 4.**



**Figure 5.**

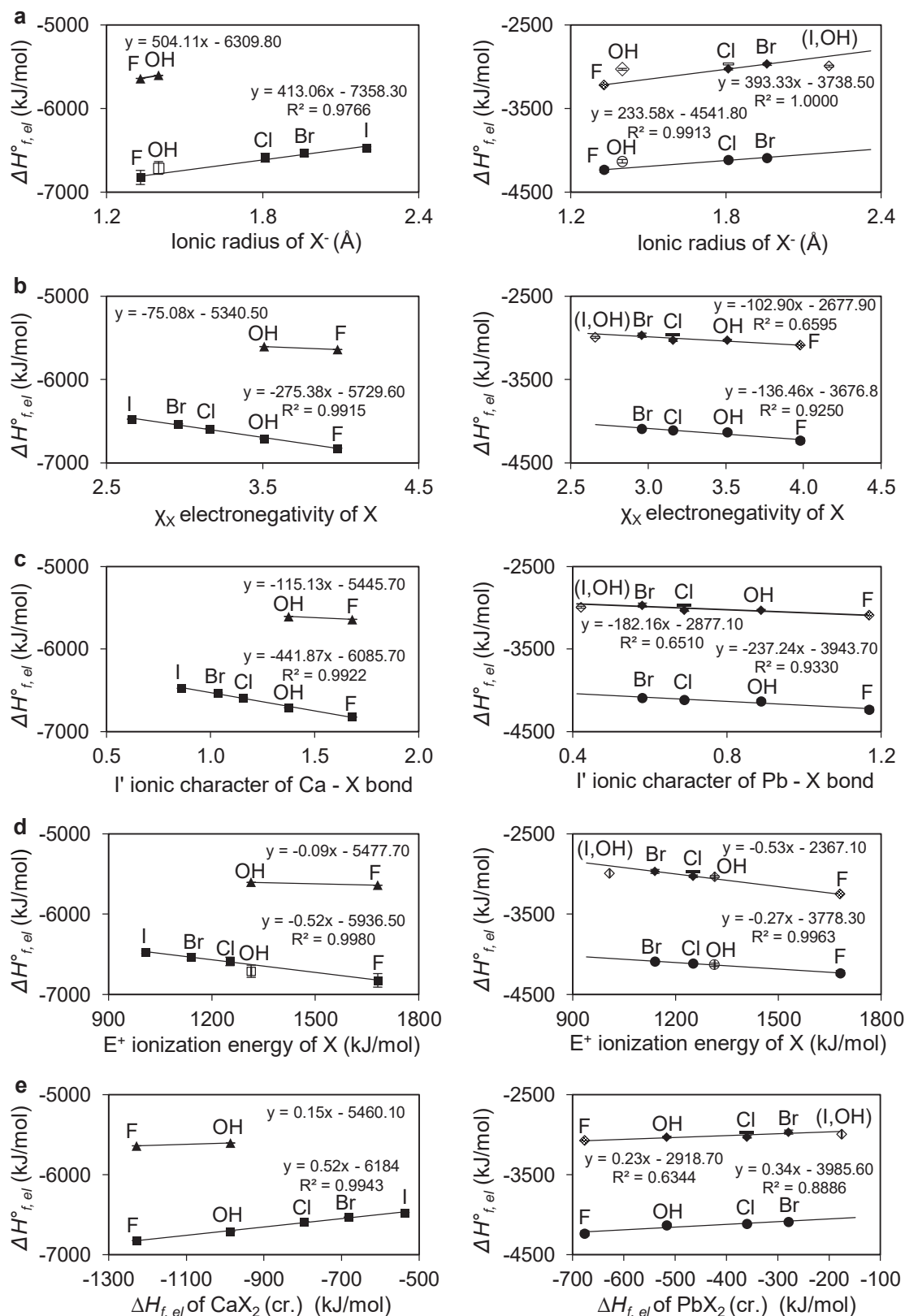


Figure 6.

