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Magnetic properties and magnetocaloric effect of field-induced ferromagnet BaFeO₃

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K. Yoshii, N. Hayashi *et al.*, *Physical Society of Japan 2014 Annual Meeting*, March 27, (2014).

Outline

1. Introduction

Cubic ferromagnetic BaFeO_3

2. Magnetic properties of BaFeO_3

Magnetic measurements

Synchrotron X-ray spectroscopic measurements

3. Magnetocaloric effect

Possible magnetic refrigerant

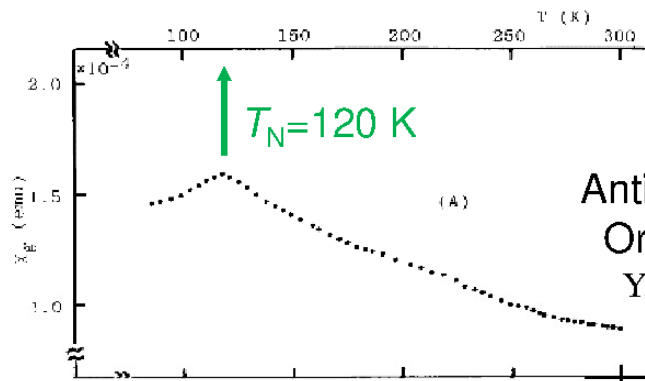
Small hysteresis, rare-earth-free

1. Cubic BaFeO₃ (N. Hayashi *et al.*, 2011)

Perovskite AFeO₃ (A=Ca, Sr, Ba): Fe⁴⁺ (3d⁴)

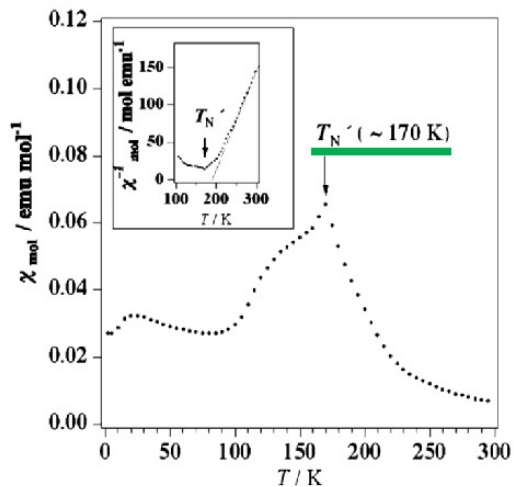
Synthesized under high pressure (~GPa) with oxidizer (e.g. CaO₂)

M. Takano *et al.*, *Mater. Res. Bull.* **12**, 923 (1977).



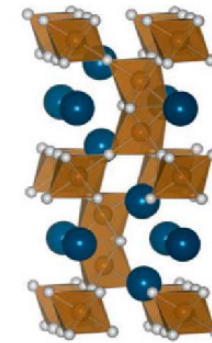
Antiferromagnetism of CaFeO₃
Orthorhombic structure

Y. Takeda *et al.*, *Mater. Res. Bull.* **13**, 61 (1978).



Antiferromagnetism of BaFeO₃
Hexagonal structure

K. Mori *et al.*, *J. Appl. Cryst.* **40**, s501(2007).



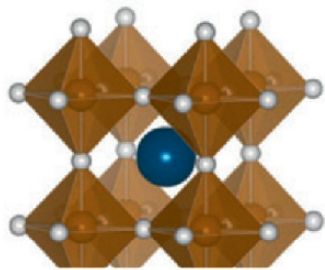
6H-type BaFeO₃

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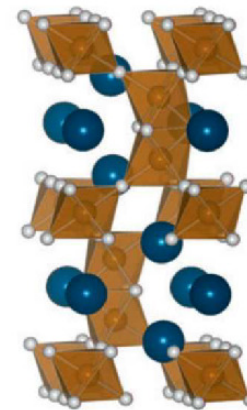
New simple synthesis route to BaFeO₃

Ozone flow under ambient pressure at 200°C

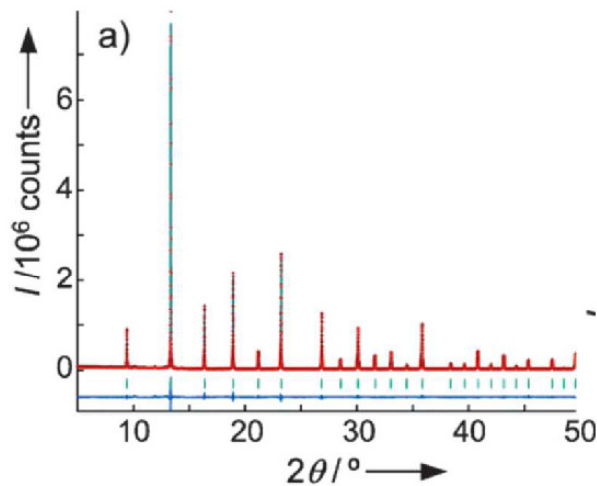
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Cubic perovskite: Metastable
cf. Hexagonal: Stable



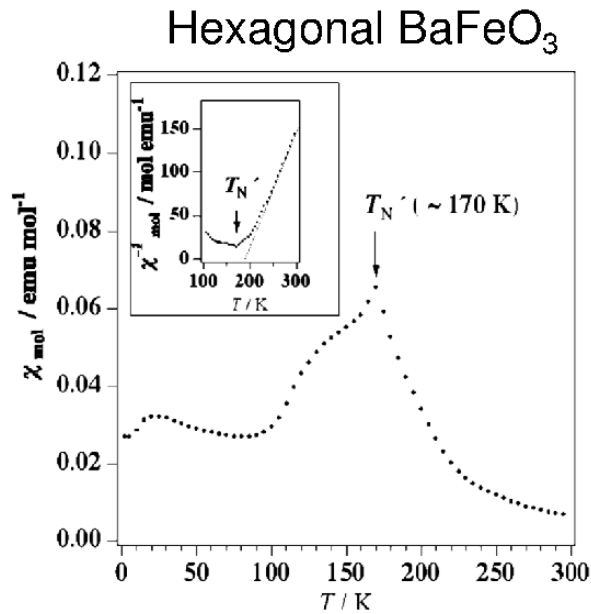
6H-type BaFeO₃



X-ray diffraction
Space group $Pm\bar{3}m$
 $a = 3.97 \text{ \AA}$

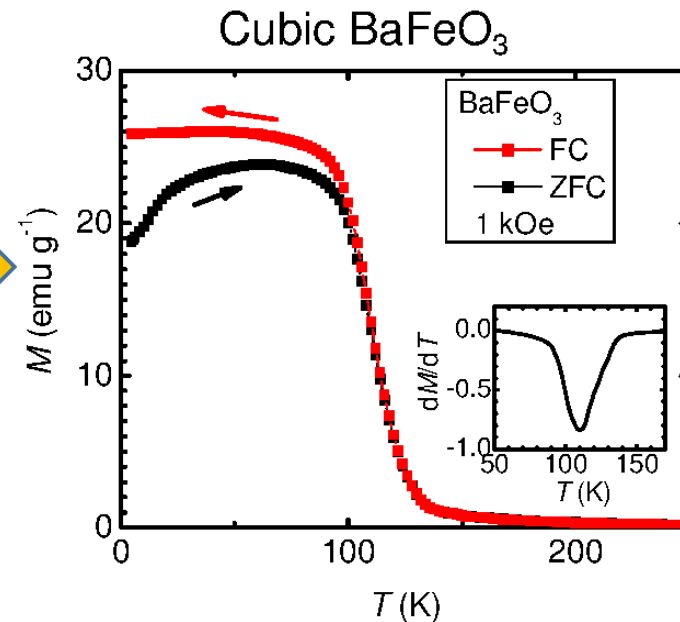
How about physical properties ?

2. Magnetic properties of BaFeO₃



Antiferromagnetic

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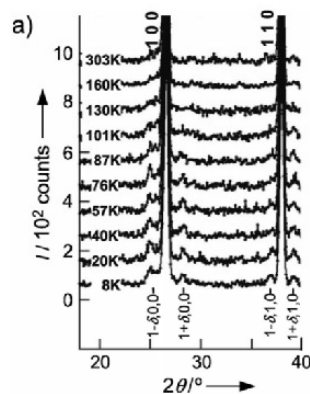
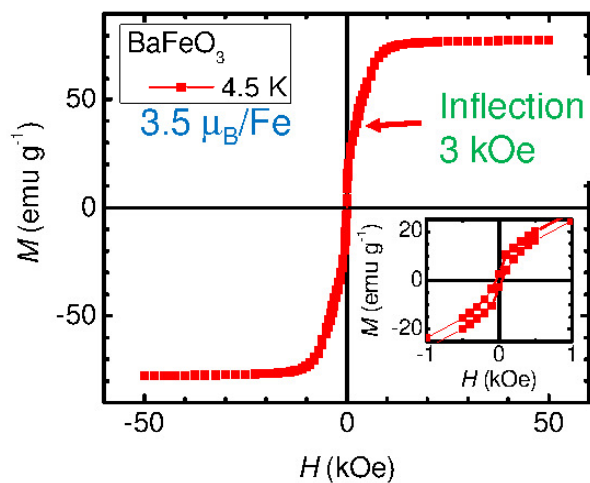


Ferromagnetic at $T_C = 111 \text{ K}$
First FM among Fe oxides

N. Hayashi *et al.*, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **50**, 12547 (2011).

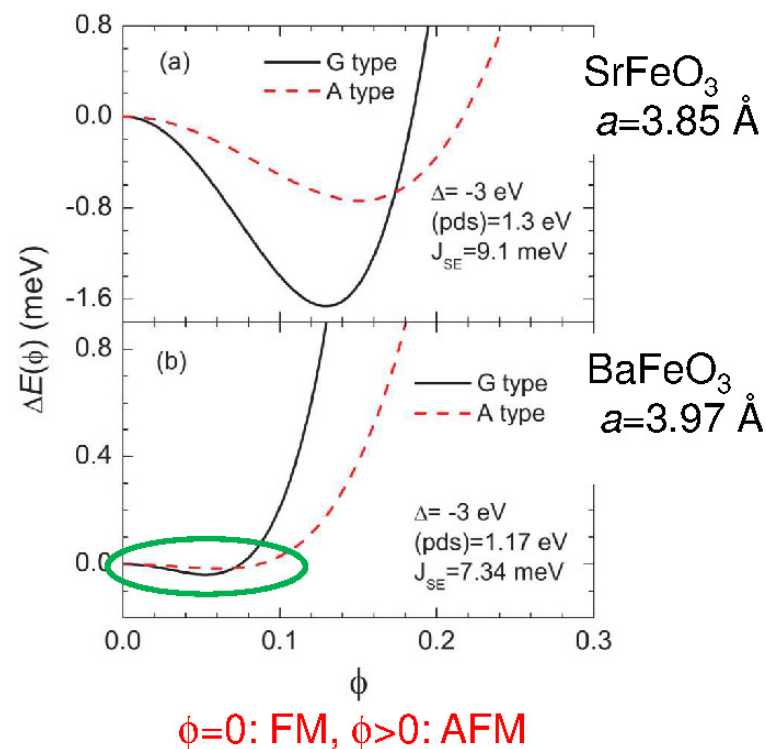
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2. Magnetic properties of BaFeO₃: Not simple



Ground state
Spiral AFM

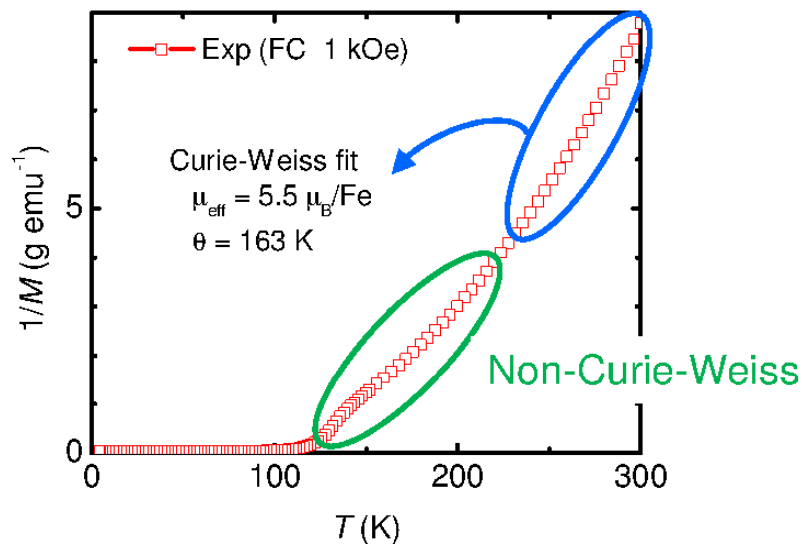
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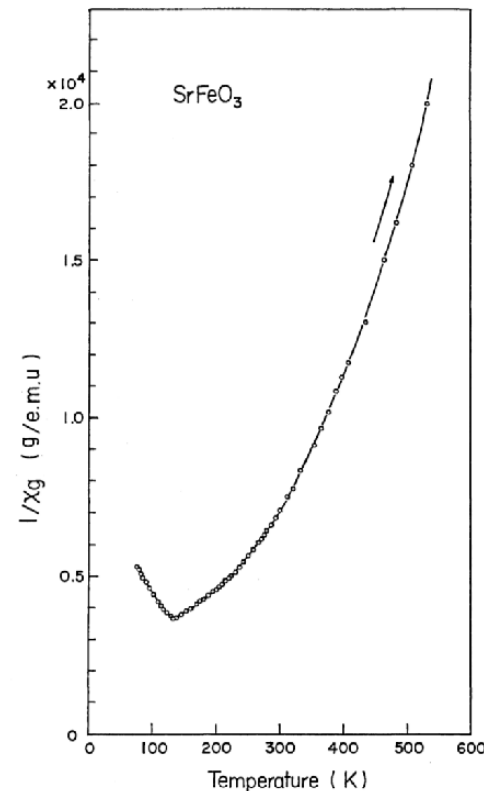
AFM-FM transition at 3kOe: Consistent with calculation

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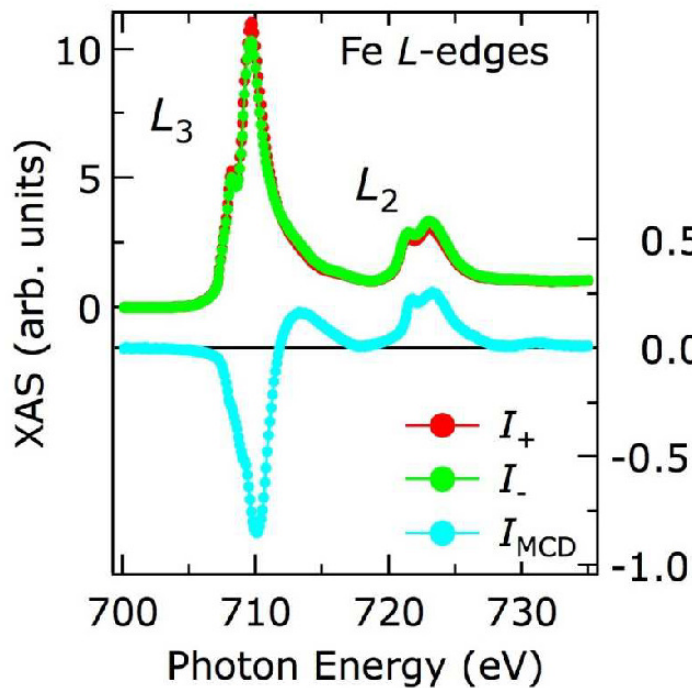
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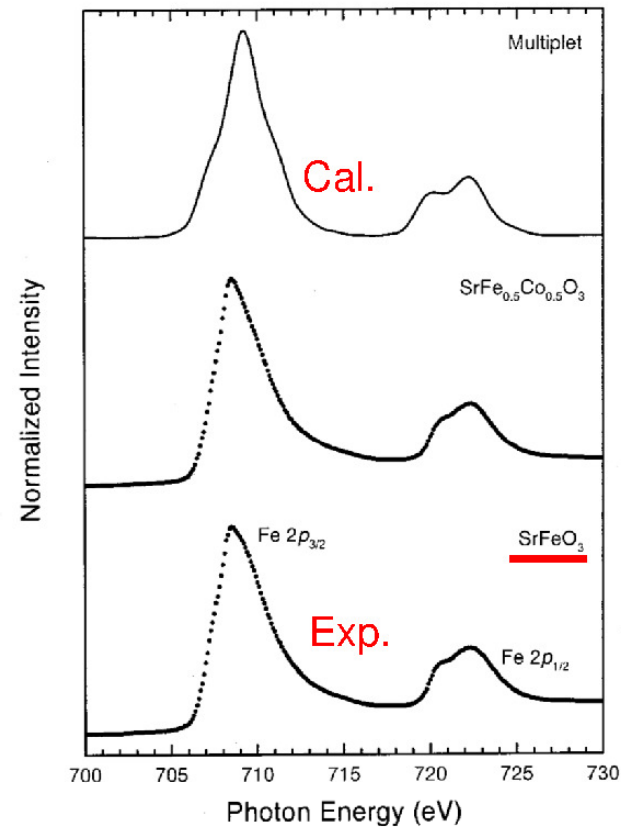
M. Takeda *et al.*, *J. Phys. Soc. Jpn.* **33**, 967 (1972).

Non Curie-Weiss behavior: Common in Fe⁴⁺ systems
Tendency toward magnetic order ?
Further investigation needed

2. Magnetic circular dichroism: Fe³⁺ state



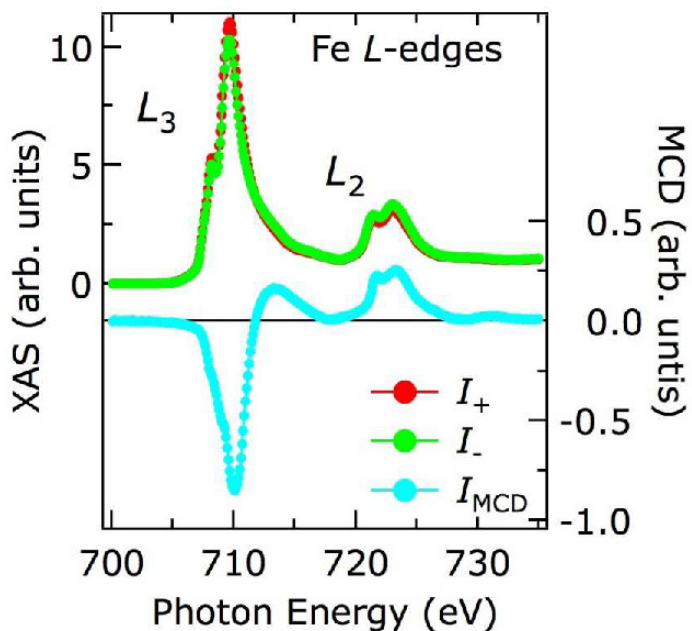
15K@BL25SU, SPring-8
19 kOe



M. Abbate *et al.*, *Phys. Rev. B* **65**, 165120 (2002).

Actual electronic state of Fe⁴⁺: Fe³⁺L (3d⁵) instead of Fe⁴⁺ (3d⁴)

2. Magnetic circular dichroism: Fe³⁺ state



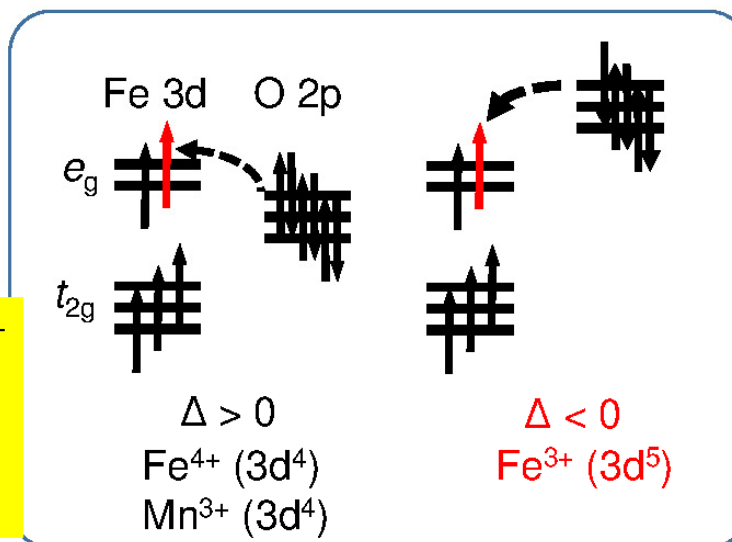
Magnetic circular dichroism (MCD) at 15 K

$$-\frac{\int_{L_3} (\mu_+ - \mu_-) d\omega - \int_{L_2} (\mu_+ - \mu_-) d\omega}{\int_{L_3+L_2} (\mu_+ + \mu_-) d\omega} = -\frac{1}{n_h \hbar} \left(\langle S_z \rangle - \frac{7}{2} \langle T_z \rangle \right)$$

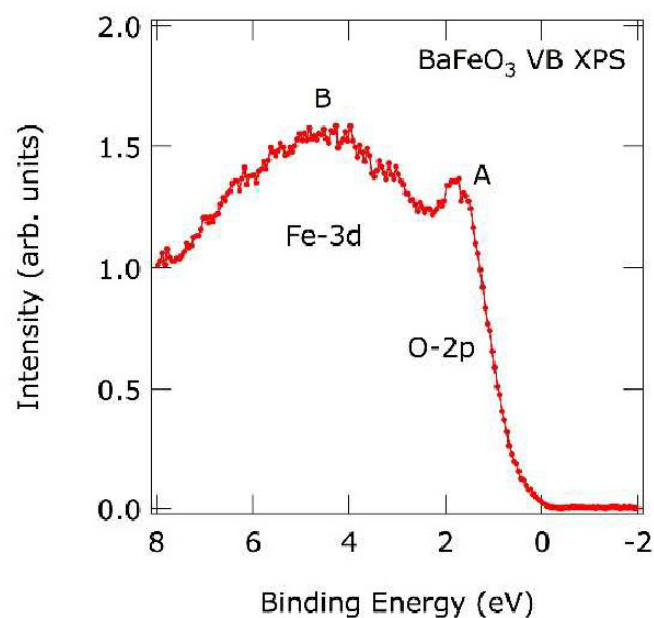
$$-\frac{\int_{L_3+L_2} (\mu_+ - \mu_-) d\omega}{\int_{L_3+L_2} (\mu_+ + \mu_-) d\omega} = -\frac{3}{4n_h \hbar} \langle L_z \rangle$$

Spin moment 3.40 μ_B
Orbital moment 0.02 μ_B

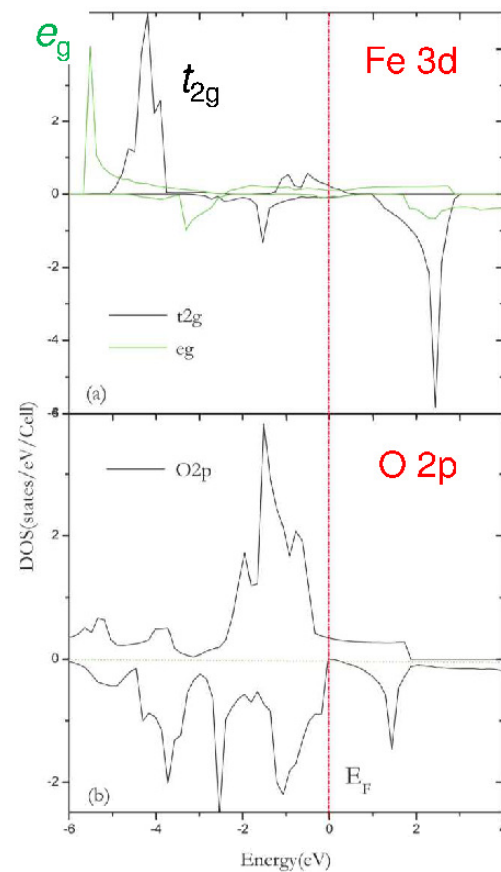
Actual electronic state of Fe⁴⁺
Fe³⁺L (3d⁵)
Negative charge transfer
 $\Delta < 0$



2. Hard X-ray photoemission of BaFeO₃



BL47XU, SPring-8, RT
hν = 8 keV
bulk sensitive

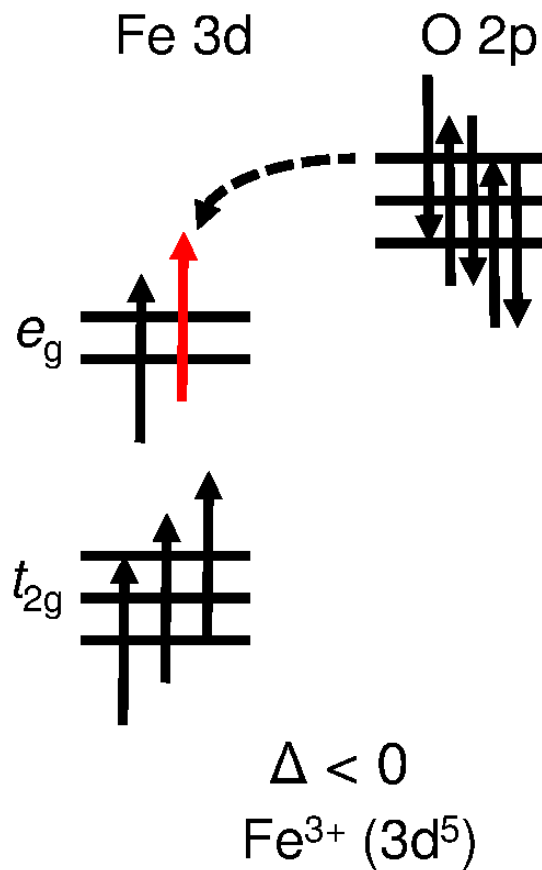


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Negative charge transfer: Consistent with band calculation

M. Mizumaki *et al.*, *ICTMC-19*, Niigata, Japan (2014)

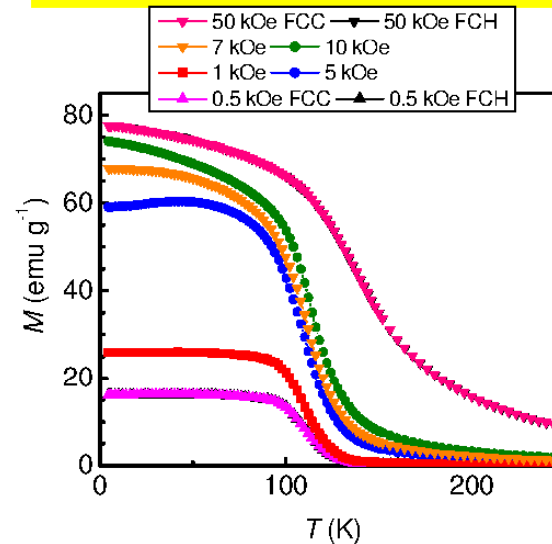
BaFeO₃: Negative charge transfer system



Jahn-Teller inactive
Cubic structure

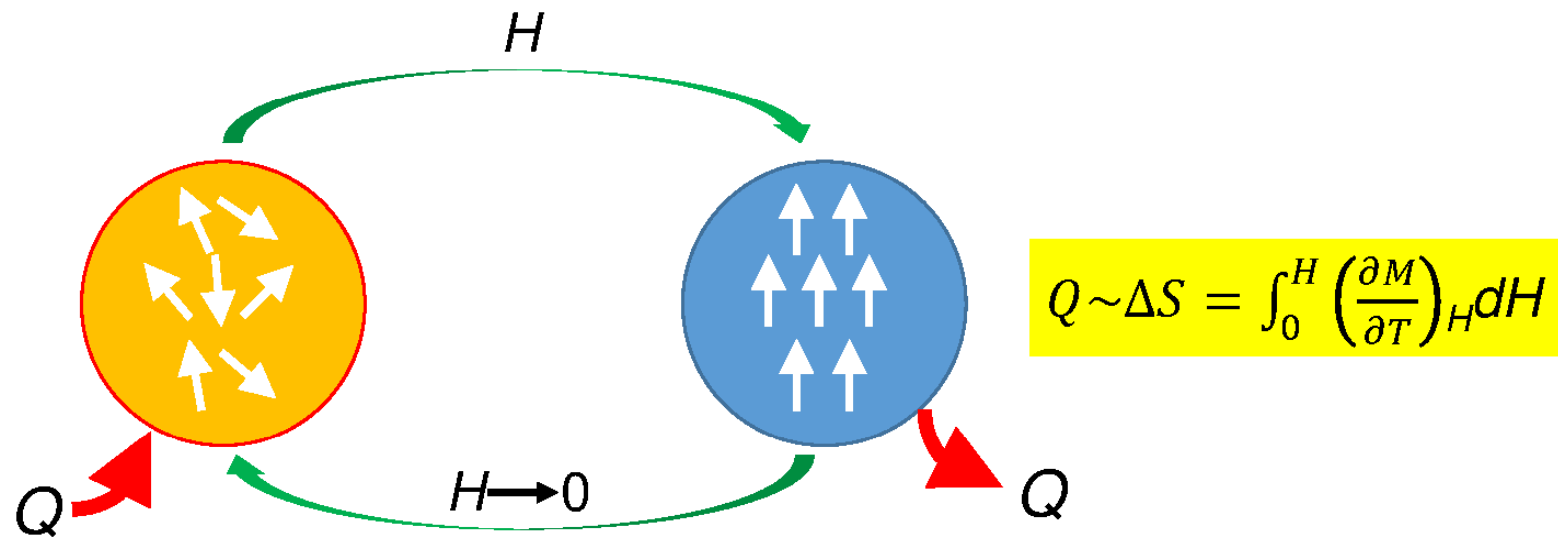
Narrow *MH* curves
Absence of orbital moment

Origin of **small hysteresis**



→ Beneficial to magnetic refrigeration

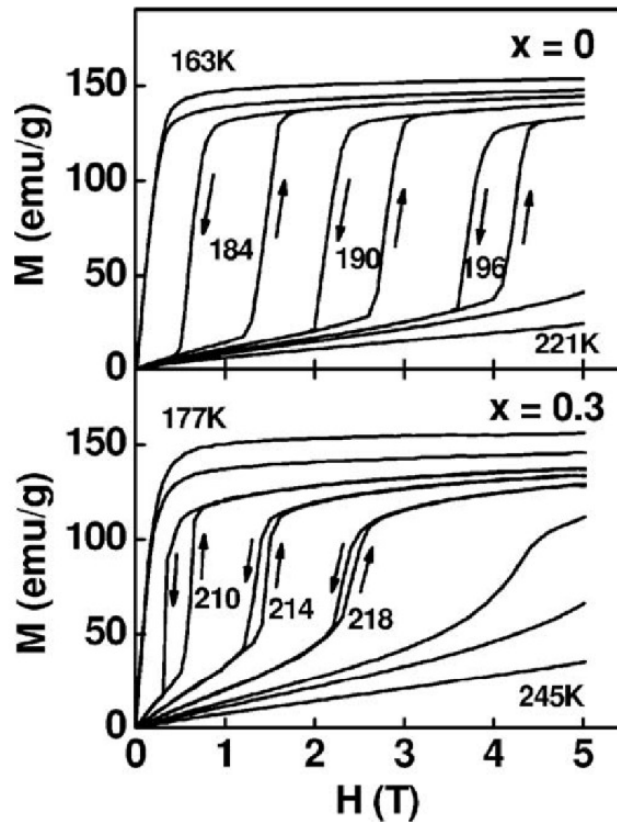
3. Magnetocaloric effect (MCE): Magnetic refrigeration



Efficient refrigeration
Free from chlorofluorocarbon
Small apparatus: Free from gases

K. A. Gschneidner, Jr., V. K. Pecharsky, and A. O. Tsokol, *Rep. Prog. Phys.* **68**, 1479 (2005).

3. Hysteretic loss in MCE



Hysteresis during field cycle
Energy loss

Suppression of hysteresis
Efficient refrigeration

3. BaFeO₃: Possible MCE material

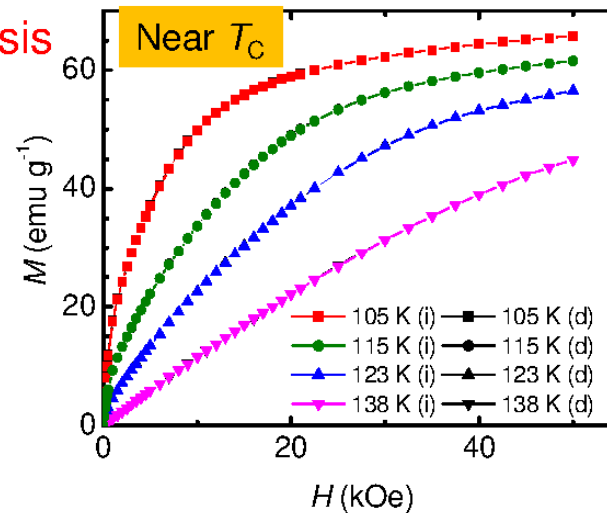
- (1) Large entropy change: **Ferromagnet**

$$\Delta S = \int_0^H \left(\frac{\partial M}{\partial T} \right)_H dH$$

- (2) Rare-metal free

- (3) Stability against corrosion
Impurities removed in water

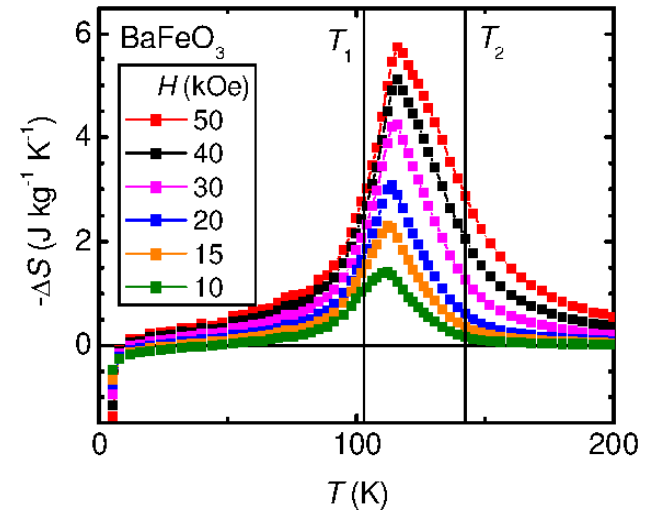
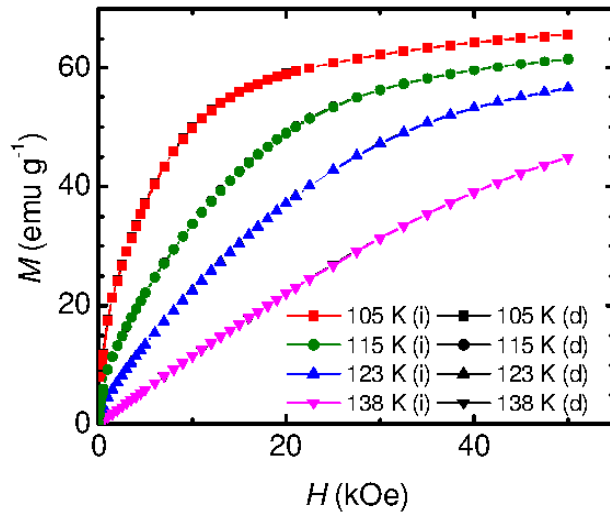
- (4) **Low hysteresis**



$$\Delta S = \int_0^H \left(\frac{\partial M}{\partial T} \right)_H dH$$

Enhances at T_C

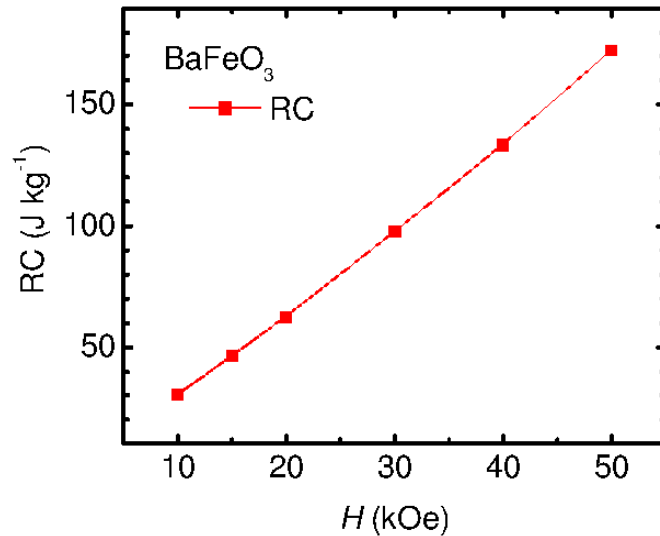
3. Entropy change



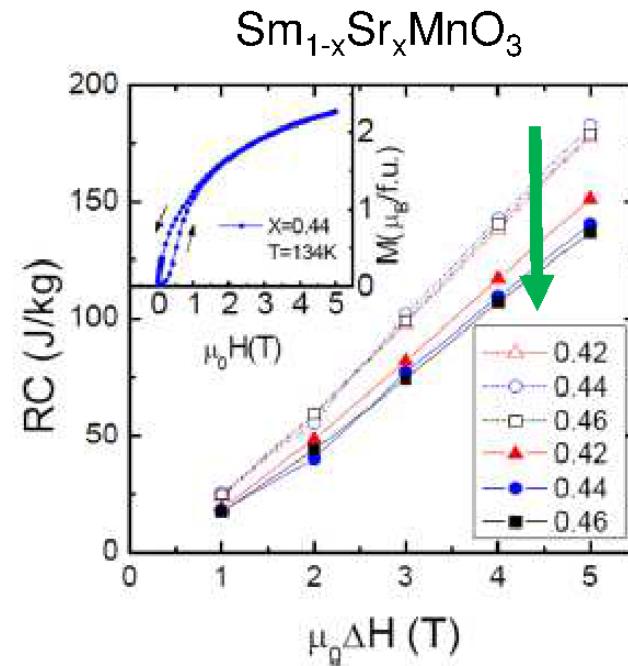
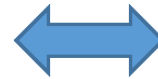
$$\Delta S = \int_0^H \left(\frac{\partial M}{\partial T} \right)_H dH = \frac{1}{\Delta T} \left(\int_0^H M(T + \Delta T) dH - \int_0^H M(T) dH \right)$$

- Entropy change $5.8 \text{ J kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ for $H=50\text{kOe}$
 Comparable to magnanites, Largest among non-rare-earth systems
- Negative $-\Delta S$ below 10 K: AFM ground state
- Integration between T_1 and $T_2 = \text{RC}$ (Refrigerant Capacity): 170 J kg^{-1}

3. Refrigerant capacity



Comparable to manganites
 Similar magnetic moments
 (3-4 μ_B /Fe or Mn)



Hysteretic loss
 Corrected by arrow

N.S.Bingham *et. al*, *J. Appl.Phys.***111**,07D705 (2012)

Summary

We have studied the magnetic properties and MCE of BaFeO_3 .

The characteristics are:

- (1) Field-induced ferromagnet with $T_C = 111$ K
First FM material among Fe oxides
- (2) Almost **no thermal and field hysteresis**
- (3) Fe^{4+} ion: **Actually Fe^{3+}**
Negative charge transfer system: **No hysteresis**
- (4) Large MCE for LNG (110K) and cooling of high- T_C cuprates
Rare-earth-free MCE material

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